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- D. Review and revise the written legal description to match the bearing and distance labels shown on the Plat for the NE line of LOT 1.
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- F. Provide the Surveyor's, Owner's (notarized), Planning Commission, and Traffic Engineering signatures.
- G. The Applicant shall review the 1984 aerial photo (FLIGHT 23 #68) and coordinate with the Engineering-Permitting Dept. to determine the exact amount of historical credit that each Lot will receive. Engineering-Permitting Staff will provide a note that will need to be added to the SUBDIVISION PLAT before the submittal of the Final Plat from review and signatures.
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- I. Add a note to the Plat stating that the approval of all applicable federal, state, and local agencies (including all storm water runoff, wetland and floodplain requirements) will be required prior to the issuance of a Land Disturbance permit.
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<u>Fire-Rescue Department Comments:</u> All projects within the City Limits of Mobile shall comply with the requirements of the City of Mobile Fire Code Ordinance (2012 International Fire Code).

The plat illustrates the proposed 2-lot,  $0.8\pm$  acre subdivision which is located on the North side of Moffett Road,  $215'\pm$  East of Tareyton Drive, extending to the South Terminus of Stratford Court, within Council District 1. The applicant states that the subdivision is served by city water and sanitary sewer systems. The purpose of this application is to shift a shared property line and create two (2) legal lots of record from one (1) existing legal lot of record and one (1) metes-and-bounds parcel.

The proposed Lot 1 has been given a Low Density Residential (LDR) land use designation, per the Future Land Use Plan and Map. The Future Land Use Plan and Map complements and provides additional detail to the Development Framework Maps in the Map for Mobile, adopted by the Planning Commission at its November 5, 2015 meeting.

This designation applies to existing residential neighborhoods found mostly west of the Beltline or immediately adjacent to the east side of the Beltline.

The primary land use in the LDR districts is residential and the predominant housing type is the single-family housing unit, detached or semidetached, typically placed within a street grid or a network of meandering suburban streets. The density in these districts ranges between 0 and 6 dwelling units per acre (du/ac).

These neighborhoods may also contain small-scale, low-rise multi-unit structures at appropriate locations, as well as complementary retail, parks and civic institutions such as schools, community centers, neighborhood playgrounds, and churches or other religious uses if those uses are designed and sited in a manner compatible with and connected to the surrounding context. The presence of individual ancillary uses should contribute to the fabric of a complete neighborhood, developed at a walkable, bikeable human scale.

The proposed Lot 2 has been given a Mixed Commercial Corridor (MCC) land use designation, per the Future Land Use Plan and Map. The Future Land Use Plan and Map complements and provides additional detail to the Development Framework Maps in the Map for Mobile, adopted by the Planning Commission at its November 5, 2015 meeting.

This land use designation mostly applies to transportation corridors west of I-65 serving primarily the low-density (suburban) residential neighborhoods. MCC includes a wide variety of retail, services and entertainment uses.

This designation acknowledges existing commercial development that is spread along Mobile's transportation corridors in a conventional strip pattern or concentrated into shorter segments of a corridor.

Over time, new development and redevelopment in Mixed Commercial Corridors is encouraged to raise design quality, improve connectivity to surrounding neighborhoods; improved streetscapes; and improve mobility and accessibility for all users of the corridor.

It should be noted that the Future Land Use Plan and Map components of the Map for Mobile Plan are meant to serve as a general guide, not a detailed lot and district plan. In many cases the designation on the new Future Land Use Map may match the existing use of land, but in others the designated land use may differ from what is on the ground today. As such, the Future Land Use Plan and Map allows the Planning Commission and City Council to consider individual cases based on additional information such as the classification request, the surrounding development, the timing of the request, and the appropriateness and compatibility of the proposed use and, where applicable, the zoning classification.

Subdivision review examines the site with regard to promoting orderly development, protecting general health, safety and welfare, and ensuring that development is correlated with adjacent developments and public utilities and services, and to ensure that the subdivision meets the minimum standards set forth in the Subdivision Regulations for lot size, road frontage, lot configuration, etc.

In accordance with the Subdivision Regulations, both proposed lots exceed the minimum size requirements. If approved, the lot size labels in square feet and acres should be retained on the Final Plat or a table should be furnished on the Final Plat providing the same information.

The proposed Lot 1 fronts Stratford Court which is a minor street with curb and gutter. As such, the preliminary plat illustrates a compliant 50 foot right-of-way and should be retained on the Final Plat. Lot 2 fronts Moffett Road, a major street according to the Major Street Plan component of the Comprehensive Plan, with a compliant 100 foot right-of-way.

Per a 1963 plat recorded with Mobile County Probate, the minimum front yard setback for the proposed Lot 1 is 15 feet; however, the Zoning Ordinance and Subdivision Regulations require a minimum 25 foot front setback. As such, if approved, the Final Plat should be revised to illustrate a 25 foot minimum building setback line for Lot 1. The preliminary plat illustrates a 25 foot minimum building setback line for Lot 2 and should be retained on the Final Plat. As a means of access management, a note containing the Traffic Engineering comments should be placed on the Final Plat.

Additionally, as easements are recorded on the subject property they should be indicated and labeled on the Final Plat, and a note should be placed on the Final Plat stating that no structure may be placed or constructed within any easement.

Based upon the preceding, the plat meets the minimum requirements of the Subdivision Regulations and is recommended for Tentative Approval, subject to the following conditions:

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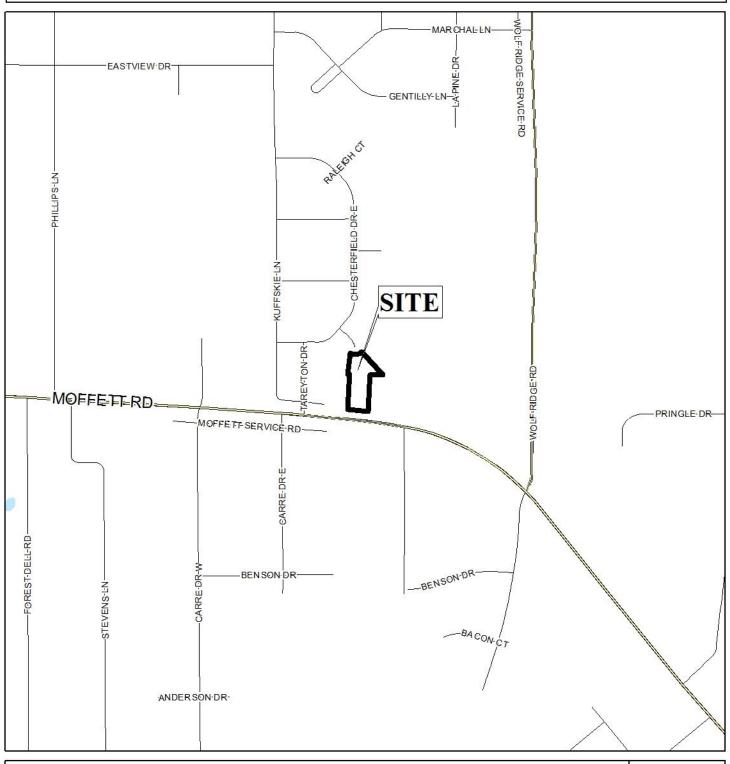
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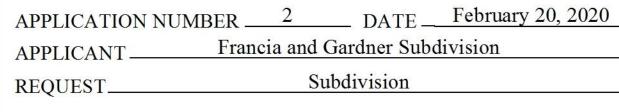
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## **LOCATOR MAP**

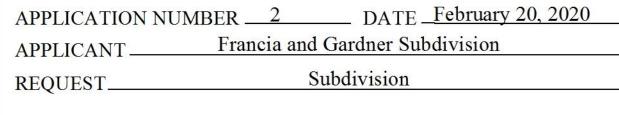




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## **LOCATOR ZONING MAP**





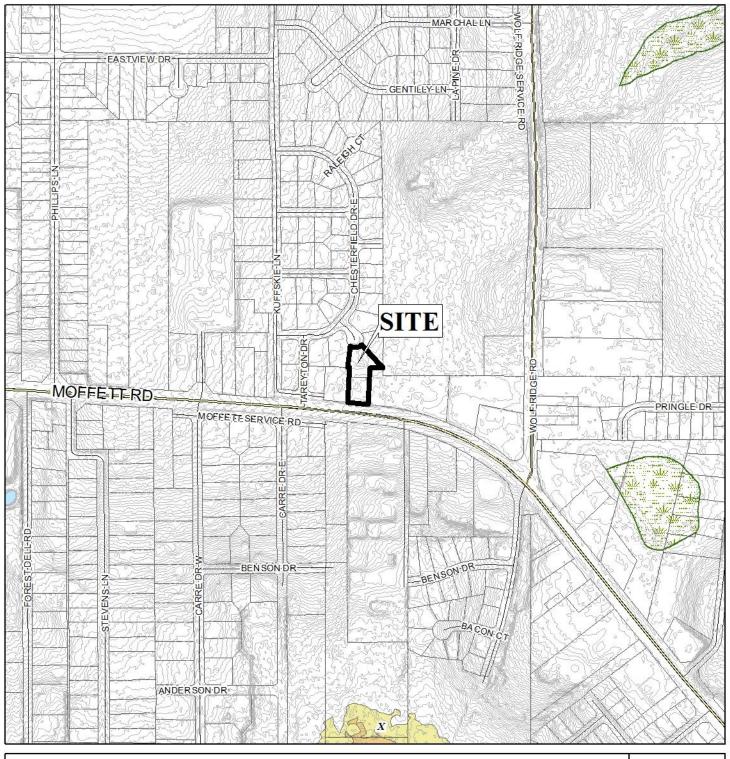
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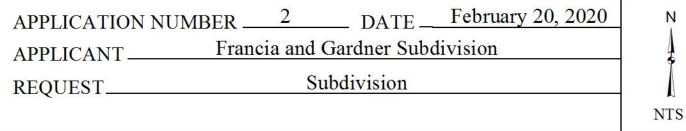
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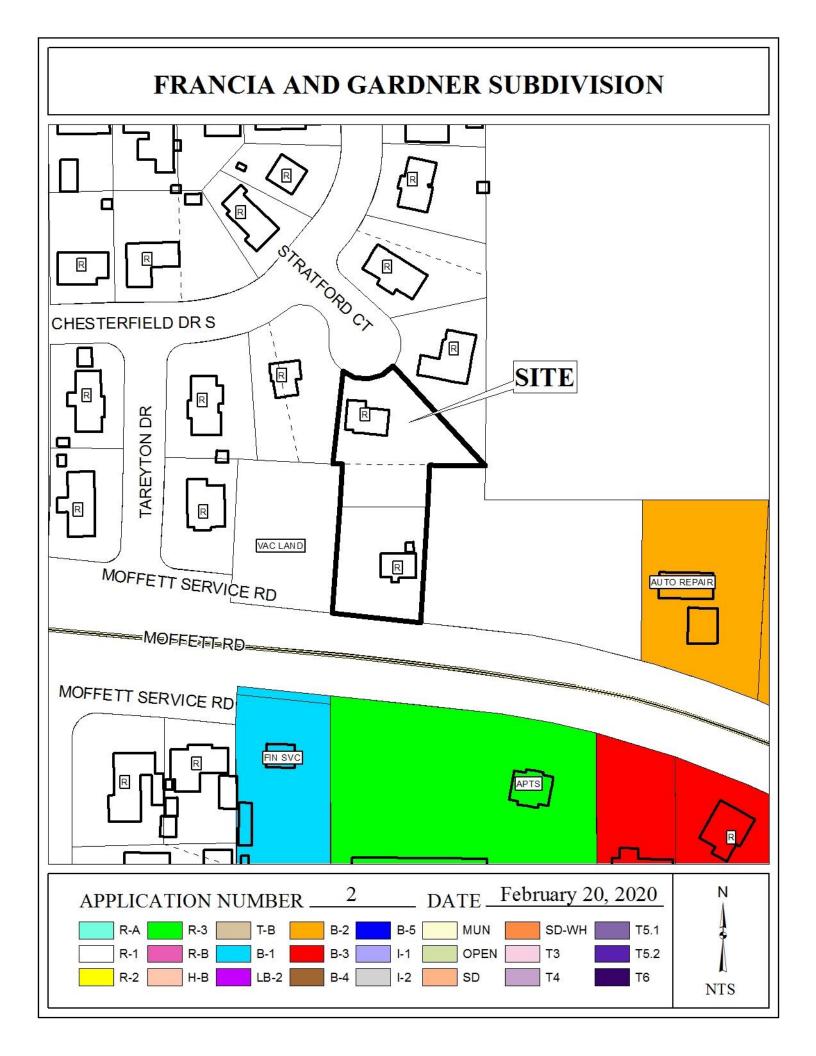




## **ENVIRONMENTAL LOCATOR MAP**







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