



Agenda Item #: 2 SUB-002638-2023

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DETAILS

Location:

1109, 1111, & 1113 West I-65 Service Road North

Subdivision Name (as applicable):

Harris Subdivision

Applicant / Agent (as applicable):

Mark Harris, Harris Real Estate, LLC

Property Owner:

Mark Harris, Harris Real Estate, LLC

Current Zoning:

I-1, Light-Industry District

Future Land Use:

Light Industry

Applicable Codes, Policies, and Plans:

- Unified Development Code
- Subdivision Regulations
- Map for Mobile Comprehensive Plan

Proposal:

The following is a summary of the proposal:

- Subdivision approval to create three (3) legal lots of record from one (1) legal lot of record.

Commission Considerations:

- Holdover

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SUBDIVISION



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SITE HISTORY

The site has been the subject of several Planning Commission approved subdivisions which include J.E. Harris Subdivision, recorded in Mobile County Probate Court in 1975, and Smith's Bakery - Harris Subdivision Revised Plat, recorded in Mobile County Probate Court in 1997.

The site was the subject of Administrative Planned Unit Development (PUD) approval in 2013 to allow multiple buildings on a single building site and shared access and parking.

STAFF COMMENTS

Engineering Comments:

FINAL PLAT COMMENTS (should be addressed prior to submitting the FINAL PLAT for review):

- A. Provide all of the required information on the SUBDIVISION PLAT (i.e. signature blocks, signatures, certification statements, written legal description, required notes, legend, scale, bearings and distances) that is required by the current Alabama State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.
- B. Check the TOTAL AREA listed and the SMALLEST LOT listed. The numbers shown for each LOT don't add up correctly.
- C. Label the rectangular shape shown at the NE corner of LOT 3.
- D. National Wetlands Inventory (NWI) mapping, as shown on City of Mobile GIS information, indicates that there is potential for wetlands within the property or properties shown on this plat. Show and label the delineated wetlands, or provide a note stating that the wetlands shown on this plat are scaled from the NWI data and have not been delineated.
- E. Provide a note that a 25' riparian buffer may be required, during development, along the edge of anything considered by ADEM to be a water of the state.
- F. Show and label all flood zones. It appears that LOT 3 contains a bit of both AE and X(S) flood zones.
- G. Show and label the MFFE (Minimum Finished Floor Elevation) on each lot that contains an A, AE, or X (shaded) flood zone designation. BFE = 40.
- H. Add a note to the SUBDIVISION PLAT stating that as shown on the 1984 aerial photo (FLIGHT 24 - #72) LOTS 1, 2 and 3 will receive historical credit of existing (1984) impervious area towards stormwater detention requirement per Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, Storm Water Management and Flood Control) as follows: LOT 1 – 22,000 sf, LOT 2 – 30,000 sf AND lot 3 – 2,000 sf.
- I. Add a note that a Land Disturbance permit will be required for any land disturbing activity in accordance with Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, Storm Water Management and Flood Control); the City of Mobile, Alabama Flood Plain Management Plan (1984); and, the Rules For Erosion and Sedimentation Control and Storm Water Runoff Control.

Traffic Engineering Comments:

Driveway number, size, location, and design to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards. Any required on-site parking, including ADA handicap spaces, shall meet the minimum standards as defined in Article 3, Section 64-3-12 of the City's Unified Development Code.

Urban Forestry Comments:

Property to be developed in compliance with state and local laws that pertain to tree preservation and protection on both city and private properties [Act 929 of the 1961 Regular Session of the Alabama Legislature (Acts 1961, p. 1487), as amended, and City Code Chapters 57 and 65]. Private removal of trees in the right-of-way will require approval of the Mobile Tree Commission. Removal of heritage trees from undeveloped residential sites, developed residential sites in historic districts, and all commercial sites will require a tree removal permit.

Fire Department Comments:

All projects within the City Limits of Mobile shall comply with the requirements of the City of Mobile Fire Code Ordinance (2021 International Fire Code). Fire apparatus access is required to be within 150' of all commercial and residential buildings. A fire hydrant is required to be within 400' of non-sprinkled commercial buildings and 600' of sprinkled commercial buildings.

Planning Comments:

The purpose of the subdivision request is to create three (3) legal lots of record from one (1) legal lot of record. The site is served by public water and sanitary sewer.

The site has frontage on West I-65 Service Road North, an ALDOT-maintained street that services Interstate 65 and requires a 300-foot right-of-way. No right-of-way is depicted along the I-65 Service Road North at this location. While GIS maps indicate there is adequate right-of-way, the plat should be revised to depict that there is sufficient right-of-way along West I-65 Service Road North.

The preliminary plat illustrates a 25-foot building setback line along West I-65 Service Road North, in compliance with Article 2, Section 64-2-21.E. of the Unified Development Code. This information should be retained on the Final Plat, if approved.

The preliminary plat illustrates the lot sizes in square feet and acres. This information should be retained on the Final Plat, if approved; or the provision of a table on the Final Plat with the same information will suffice.

The depth of Lot 1 is greater than 3.5 times its width, which is discouraged by Section 6.C.3 of the Subdivision Regulations. However, such a lot design does not appear to be uncommon within the vicinity of the subject site, with the Planning Commission having approved several of them. As such, a waiver of Section 6.C.3 may be appropriate.

The preliminary plat illustrates multiple easements on the site. These easements should be retained on the Final Plat, if approved, with a note stating that no structure shall be constructed in any easement without permission of the easement holder.

As mentioned, the site was the subject of Administrative Planned Unit Development approval in 2013. Article 5, Section 64-5-8.B.2 of the UDC requires any Major Modification to a previously approved PUD to be reviewed by the Planning Commission and approved by City Council. Considering the proposed subdivision modifies the lot lines of the previously approved PUD, the modification is considered Major. As such, holdover of the subdivision request will be required to allow the applicant time to submit a request for a Major Modification to the PUD.

SUBDIVISION CONSIDERATIONS

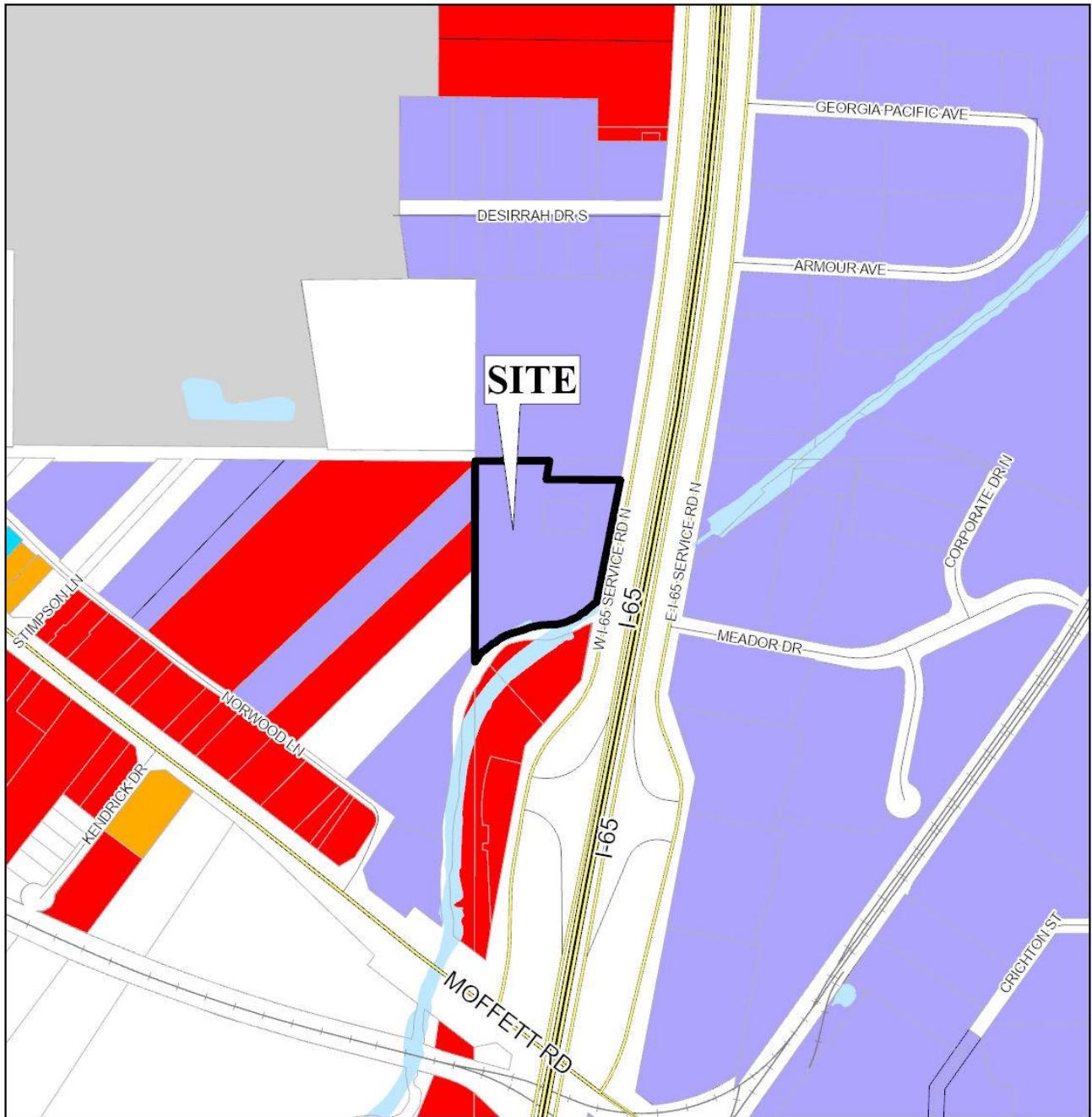
Standards of Review:

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.

Considerations:

The Planning Commission cannot consider the application at this time as a request to review a Major Modification of the previously approved Planned Unit Development has not been submitted. Article 5, Section 64-5-1.D of the Unified Development Code requires all applications related to the same site to be filed and considered concurrently.

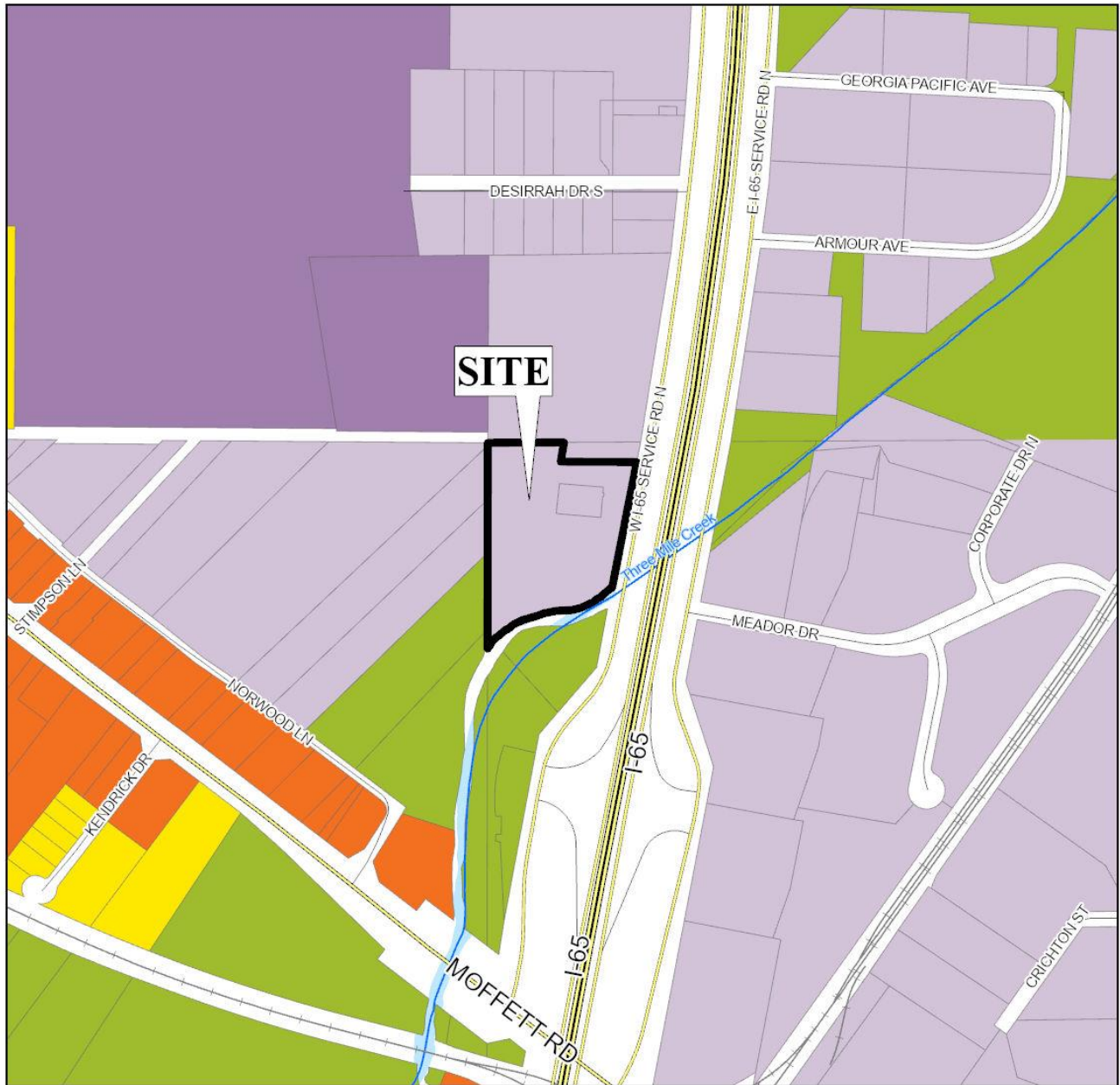
LOCATOR ZONING MAP



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REQUEST	Subdivision		



FLUM LOCATOR MAP



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APPLICANT Harris Subdivision

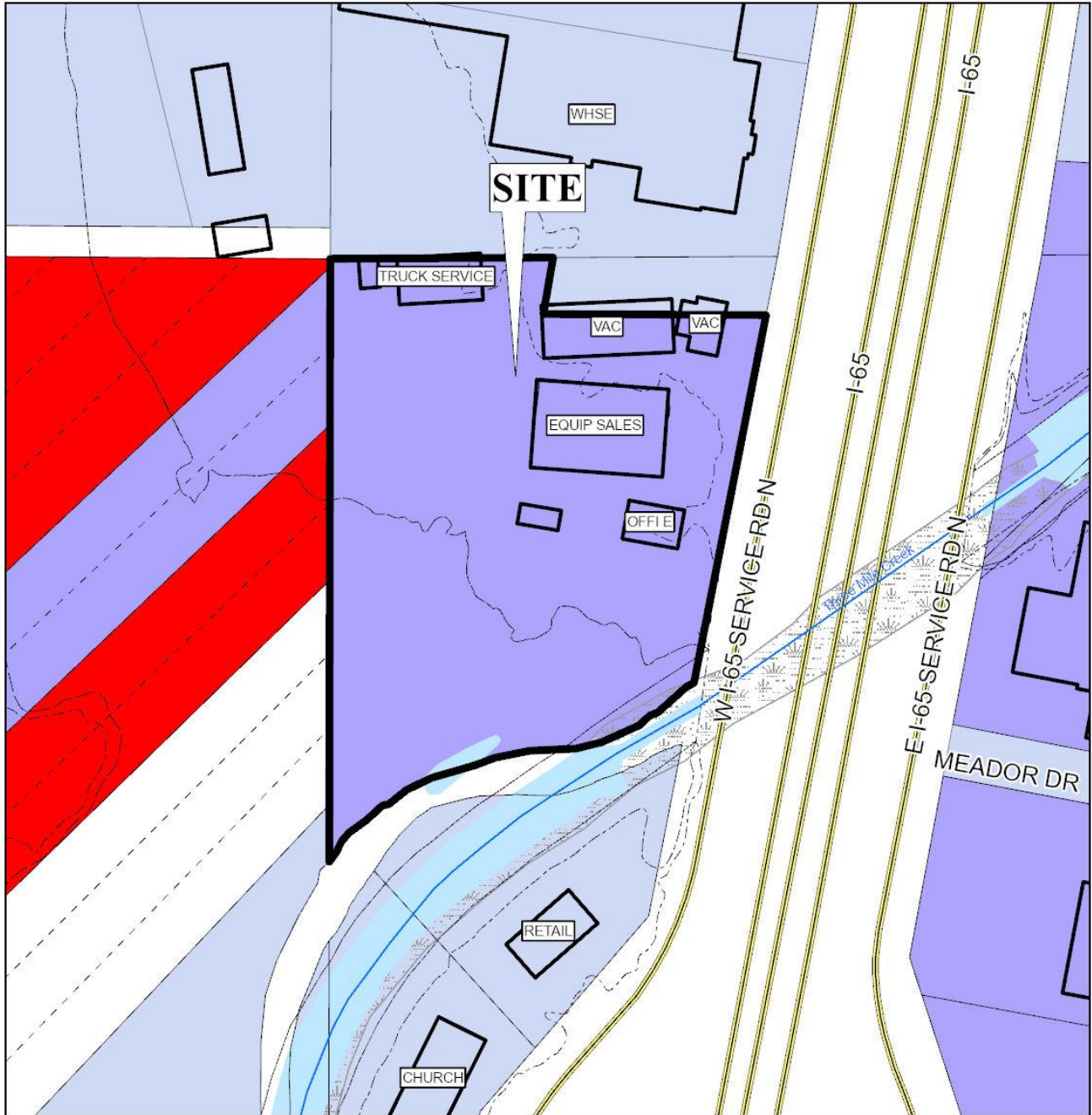
REQUEST Subdivision

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| Low Density Residential | Neighborhood Center - Traditional | Downtown Waterfront | Parks & Open Space |
| Mixed Density Residential | Neighborhood Center - Suburban | Light Industry | Water Dependent |
| Downtown | Traditional Corridor | Heavy Industry | |
| District Center | Mixed Commercial Corridor | Institutional | |



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HARRIS SUBDIVISION



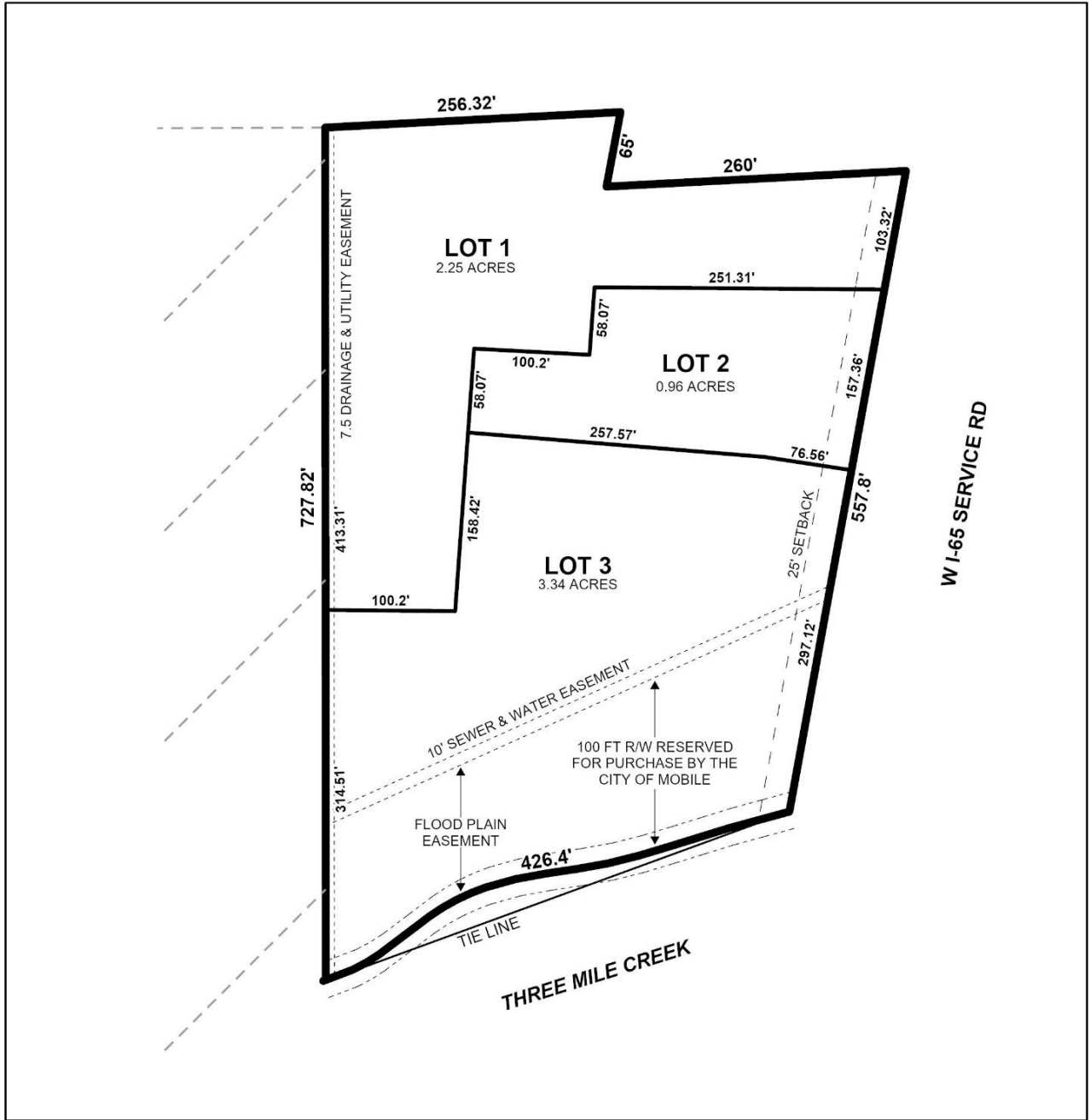
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R-A	R-3	B-1	B-2	B-5	ML	I-2	OPEN	T-3	T-5.2
R-1	R-B	T-B	B-3	CW	MH	PD	SD	T-4	T-6
R-2	H-B	LB-2	B-4	MM	I-1	MUN	SD-WH	T-5.1	



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DETAIL SITE PLAN



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ZONING DISTRICT CORRESPONDENCE MATRIX		LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (LDR)	MIXED DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (MXDR)	DOWNTOWN (DT)	DISTRICT CENTER (DC)	NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER - TRADITIONAL (NC-T)	NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER - SUBURBAN (NC-S)	TRADITIONAL CORRIDOR (TC)	MIXED COMMERCIAL CORRIDOR (MCC)	LIGHT INDUSTRIAL (LI)	HEAVY INDUSTRY (HI)	INSTITUTIONAL LAND USE (INS)	PARKS & OPEN SPACE (POS)	DOWNTOWN WATERFRONT (DW)	WATER DEPENDENT USES (WDWURU)
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Zoning District Correspondence Matrix

- Directly Related
- Elements of the zoning category are related to the future LU category, but with qualifications (such as a development plan with conditions)
- Land use category is appropriate, but the district does not directly implement the category (e.g., open space in an industrial district)



LIGHT INDUSTRY (LI)

This land use designation applies to an array of modern, low-impact industrial uses that include assembly and processing, warehousing, distribution and wholesaling facilities. The bulk of the light industrial use must be contained within a building or facility. If a light industrial use requires outside storage, the storage must be limited in area and appropriately screened from view in accordance to specific zoning requirements. This designation may also include uses such as complementary offices and retail.

LI also includes areas that may be regarded as “industrial business”, where the land uses include business administration and logistics operations for industrial concerns, building trade contractors facilities and advance research facilities, as well as stand-alone educational, scientific and industrial research facilities, or any combination of those facilities located in light industrial and technology parks. Many parcels used for industrial business are smaller and scattered throughout Mobile. For this reason, these parcels are not singled out in the FLUM, but rather are addressed through zoning.

Light industrial uses are characterized by attractive, accessible and connected development, compatible with the character of surrounding neighborhoods. Development may take the form of planned campuses in park-like settings or unified design corridors, with consideration to factors such as site and building orientation, building design, landscaping and buffering, lighting, continuity of pedestrian networks, access and connectivity to transit and to freight transportation.

Heavy commercial and, in some cases, high-density residential land uses may serve as transitions between LI and other, lower-intensity land use designations. Protection buffers may also be required by zoning.