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<u>Engineering Comments:</u> <u>FINAL PLAT COMMENTS</u> (should be addressed prior to submitting the FINAL PLAT for review and/or signature by the City Engineer):

- 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. Add Cottage Hill Rd. street name to the vicinity map.
- C. Dedicate the corner radius (25' minimum or as approved by the City Engineer and Traffic Engineer) at the southeast corner of LOT 1 to the City of Mobile, and list the amount of dedicated acreage.
- D. Provide the Surveyor's and Owner's (notarized) signatures.
- E. Add a note to the SUBDIVISION PLAT stating that as shown on the 1984 aerial photo (FLIGHT 21 #80) LOT 1 will receive historical credit of existing (1984) impervious area towards stormwater detention requirement per Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, <u>Storm Water Management and Flood Control</u>) as follows: LOT 1 16,000 sf.
- F. Email a pdf copy of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT and LETTER OF DECISION to the Permitting Engineering Dept. for review at <a href="land.disturbance@cityofmobile.org">land.disturbance@cityofmobile.org</a> prior to obtaining any signatures. No signatures are required on the drawing.
- G. After addressing all of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT review comments provide the ORIGINAL (with all signatures except for the Planning Commission, Traffic Engineering, and City Engineer), one (1) copy, and a transmittal letter to the Engineering Permitting Department. They can be dropped off at 205 Government St. or mailed to PO Box 1827, Mobile, AL, 36633.

<u>Traffic Engineering Comments</u>: Lot is limited to one curb cut per street frontage with size, location and design to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards. Any new on-site parking, including ADA handicap spaces, should meet the minimum standards as defined in Section 64-6 of the City's Zoning Ordinance.

<u>Urban Forestry Comments</u>: Property to be developed in compliance with state and local laws that pertain to tree preservation and protection on both city and private properties (State Act 2015-116 and City Code Chapters 57 and 64). Private removal of trees in the right-of-way will require approval of the Mobile Tree Commission. Removal of heritage trees from a commercial site will require a tree removal permit.

<u>Fire 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). 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.

The plat illustrates the proposed 1-lot,  $1.1\pm$  acre subdivision which is located on the Northwest corner of Cottage Hill Road and Oakland Drive, in Council District 4. The purpose of this application is to create a legal lot of record from an existing metes-and-bounds property. The applicant states the site is served by public water and sanitary sewer services.

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The site has been given a Mixed Commercial Corridor (MCC) land use designation, per the Future Land Use Plan and Map, adopted on May 18, 2017 by the Planning Commission. 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.

As proposed, Lot 1 fronts both Cottage Hill Road, a major street; and Oakland Drive, a minor street provided with curb and gutter. The preliminary plat labels the Cottage Hill right-of-way as "varies" however per the Major Street Plan this portion of Cottage Hill Road requires a 100' right of way, and as such should be revised on the Final Plat to illustrate 50' from the centerline of Cottage Hill Road providing for dedication as needed. Oakland Drive, is depicted with an adequate right-of-way of 60 feet and should be retained on the Final Plat. As this site is a corner lot, dedication sufficient to comply with Section V.B.16 of the Subdivision Regulations regarding curb radii is also necessary and should be illustrated on the Final Plat.

As per the Traffic Engineering comments, the driveway number, size, location and design are to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards.

As illustrated, the proposed lot will meet the minimum size requirements of the Subdivision Regulations and the lot size label in both 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. It should be noted

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that the preliminary plat does not illustrate any required setbacks. As such, the Final Plat should be revised to show a 25-foot minimum building setback along both street frontages, adjusted for dedication, if necessary.

No easements are indicated on the preliminary plat. If any easements are recorded on the site 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 without permission of the easement holder.

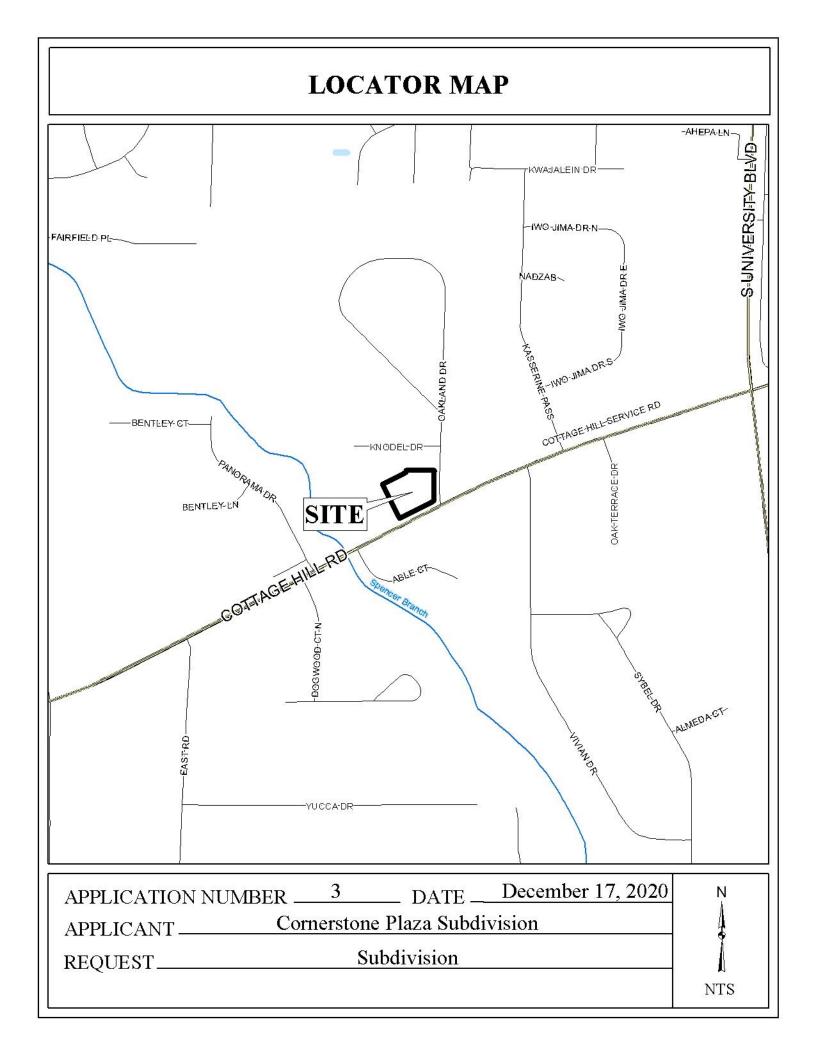
Based on the preceding, this application is recommended for Tentative Approval subject to the following conditions:

- 1) Revision of the Final Plat to label the right-of-way width for Cottage Hill Road as 100';
- 2) Dedication to provide 50 feet from the centerline of Cottage Hill Road, if needed;
- 3) Dedication sufficient to provide compliant curb radii at the Northwest corner of Cottage Hill Road and Oakland Drive;
- 4) Revision of the Final Plat to illustrate a 25-foot minimum building setback for Lot 1 along Cottage Hill Road and Oakland Drive, adjusted for dedication, if applicable;
- 5) Retention of the lot size in both square feet and acres, or the furnishing of a table on the Final Plat providing the same information, adjusted for dedication if necessary;
- 6) Placement of a note on the Final Plat stating that no structure may be constructed or placed within any easement without the permission of the easement holder, if applicable;
- 7) compliance with the Engineering comments: (FINAL PLAT COMMENTS (should be addressed prior to submitting the FINAL PLAT for review and/or signature by the City Engineer): 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. Add Cottage Hill Rd. street name to the vicinity map. C. Dedicate the corner radius (25' minimum or as approved by the City Engineer and Traffic Engineer) at the southeast corner of LOT 1 to the City of Mobile, and list the amount of dedicated acreage. C. Provide the Surveyor's and Owner's (notarized) signatures. D. Add a note to the SUBDIVISION PLAT stating that as shown on the 1984 aerial photo (FLIGHT 21 - #80) LOT 1 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 - 16,000 sf. E. Email a pdf copy of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT and LETTER OF **DECISION** Permitting to the **Engineering** Dept. for review land.disturbance@cityofmobile.org prior to obtaining any signatures. No signatures are required on the drawing. F. After addressing all of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT review comments provide the ORIGINAL (with all signatures except for the Planning Commission, Traffic Engineering, and City Engineer), one (1) copy, and a transmittal letter to the Engineering Permitting Department. They can be dropped off at 205 Government St. or mailed to PO Box 1827, Mobile, AL, 36633.);
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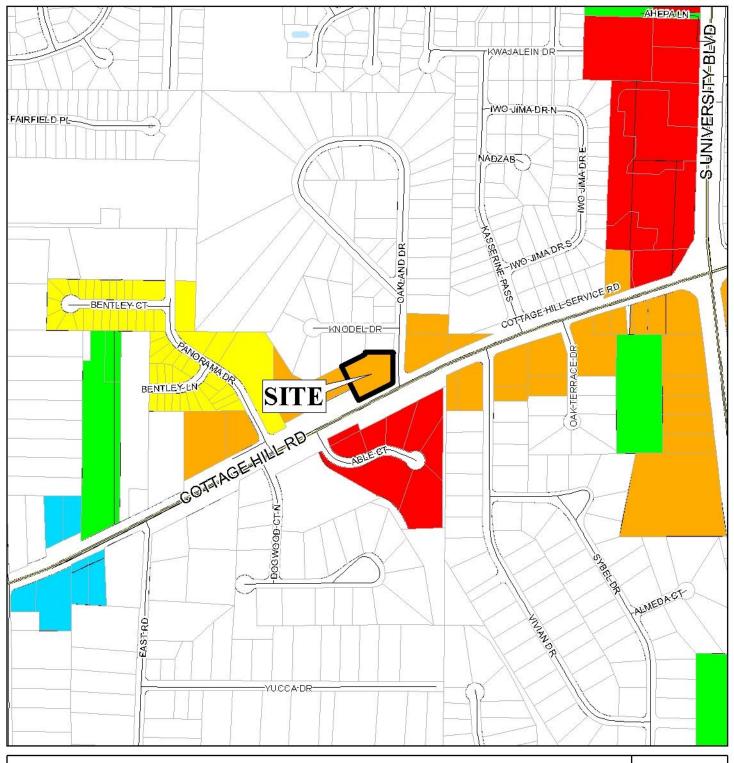
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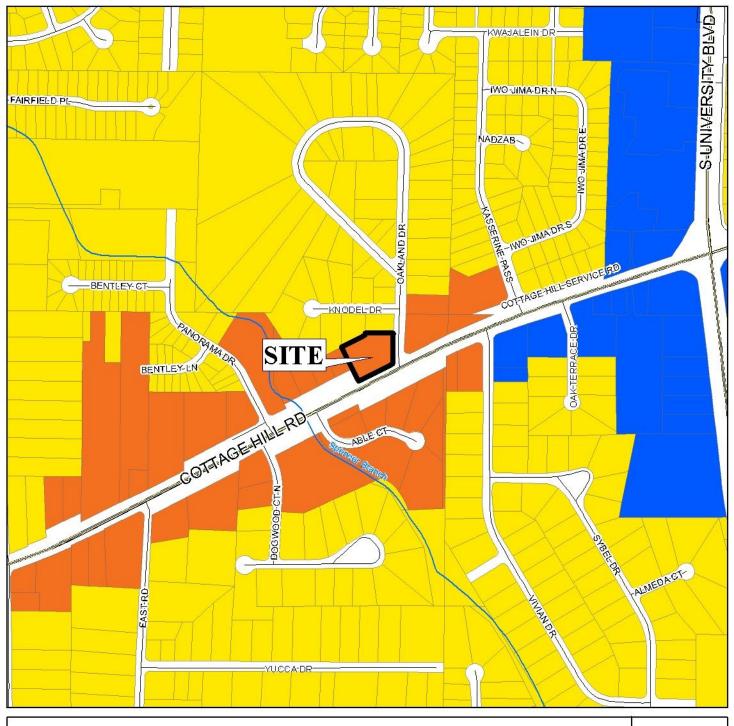
# **LOCATOR ZONING MAP**



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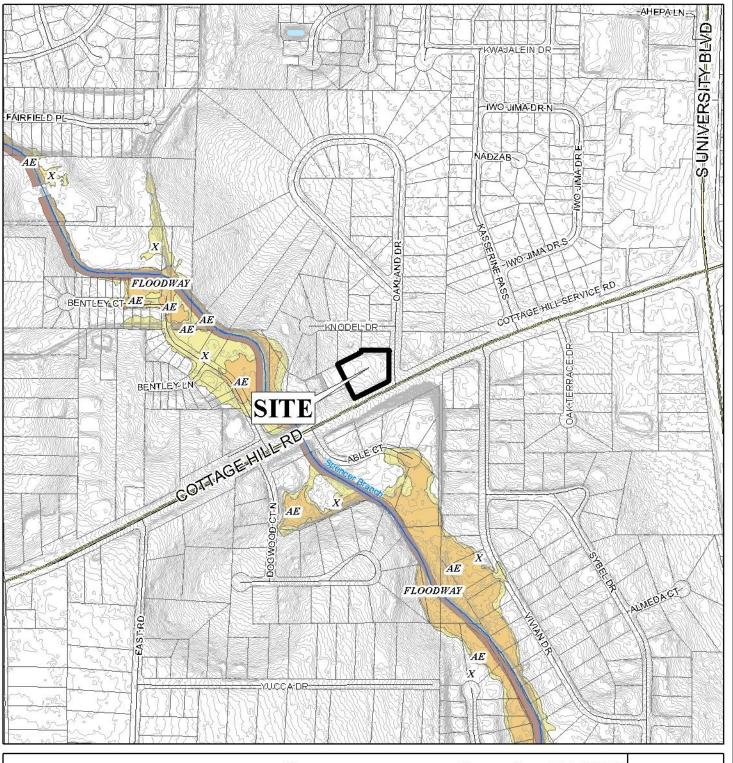


### **FLUM LOCATOR MAP**

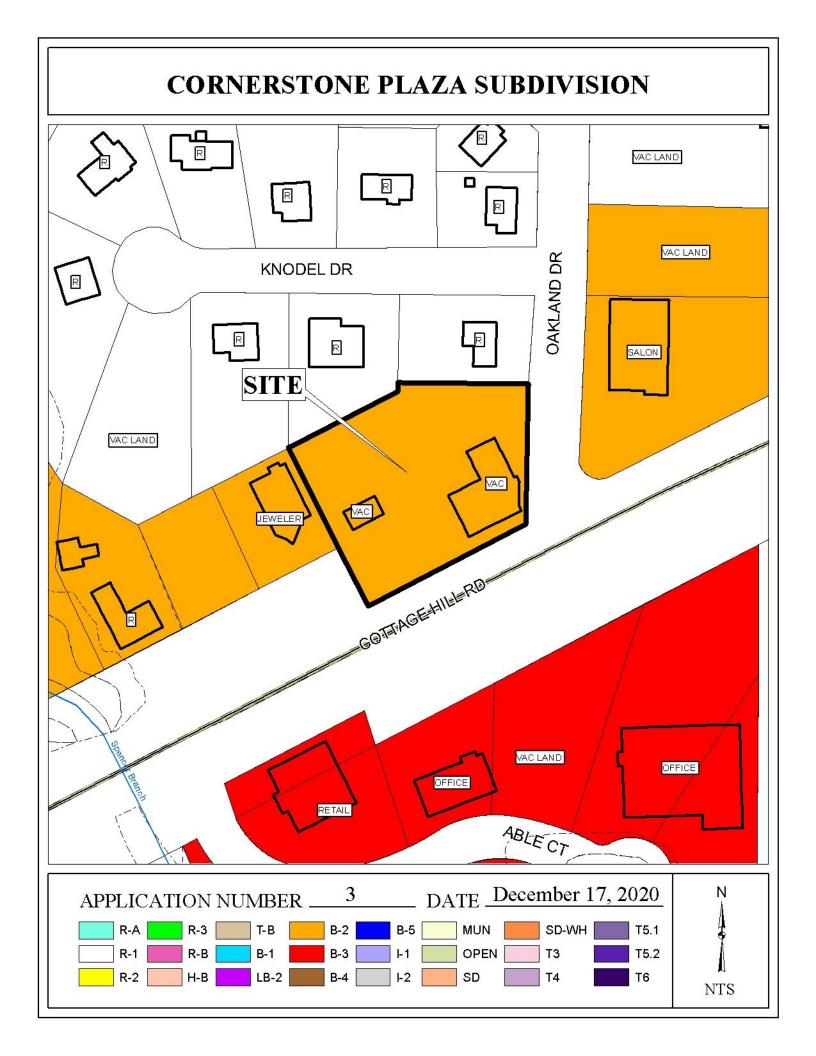




# **ENVIRONMENTAL LOCATOR MAP**



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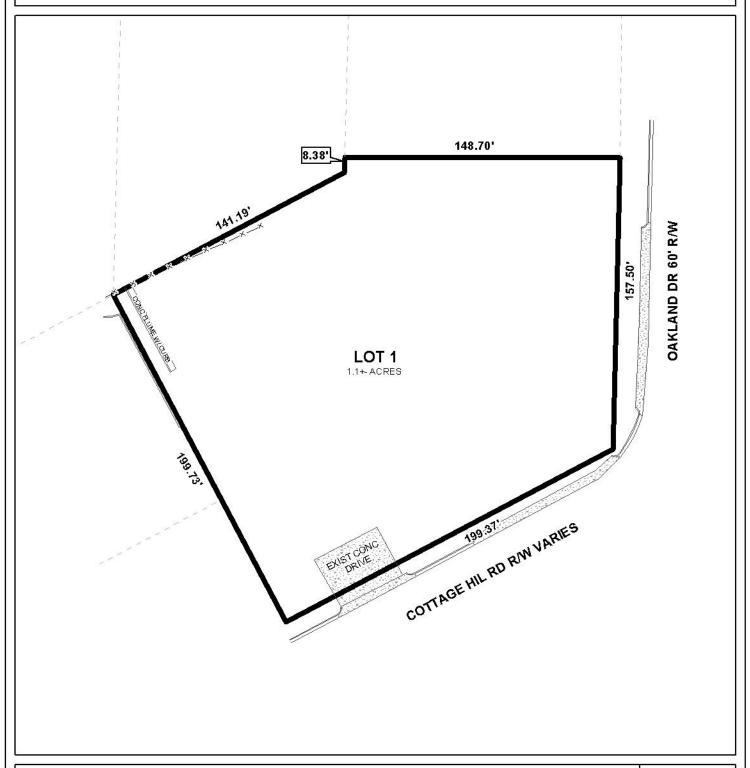
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