## RANGELINE BUSINESS PARK SUBDIVISION, UNIT TWO, RESUBDIVISION OF LOTS 14 & 15

<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. Provide and label the monument set or found at each subdivision corner.
- C. Provide a legible vicinity map.
- D. Add a signature block for the Owner, Notary Public, Planning Commission, Traffic Engineer, and City Engineer.
- E. Provide the Surveyor's Certificate and Signature.
- F. Provide the Owner's (notarized), Planning Commission, and Traffic Engineering signatures.
- G. Add a note to the SUBDIVISION PLAT stating that a Land Disturbance permit will be required for any land disturbing activity in accordance with Mobile City Code, Chapter 17, <u>Storm Water Management and Flood Control</u>); the <u>City of Mobile</u>, <u>Alabama Flood Plain</u> <u>Management Plan</u> (1984); and, the <u>Rules For Erosion and Sedimentation Control and Storm</u> <u>Water Runoff Control</u>.
- H. 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.
- I. Add a note that sidewalk is required to be constructed, and/or repaired, along the frontage of each lot, or parcel, at time of new development or construction, unless a sidewalk waiver is approved.
- J. Add a note to the plat stating that all proposed detention facilities, common areas, and wetlands shall be the responsibility of the Property Owner(s), and not the responsibility of the City of Mobile.
- K. Add a note to the plat stating that all easements shall remain in effect until vacated through the proper Vacation process.
- L. Provide a copy of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT to the Engineering Dept. for review. No signatures are required on this drawing.
- M. After addressing all of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT review comments by the Engineering Dept. provide the red-line markup, the ORIGINAL (with all other signatures) and one (1) copy of the revised original (signatures not required) of the revised Final Plat to the Engineering Department.

<u>Traffic Engineering Comments:</u> Lot is limited to one curb cut to Abigail Drive, with any changes in size, location and design to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards. Any new on-site parking, including ADA handicap spaces, shall 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).

MAWSS Comments: No comments.

The plat illustrates the proposed 1-lot,  $2.2\pm$ -acre subdivision located at the North side of Abigail Drive,  $0.2\pm$  miles East of Rangeline Road Service Road, in Council District 4. The applicant states the site is served by public water and sanitary sewer systems.

The purpose of this application is to a single legal lot of record from two (2) legal lots of record.

The lots were most recently recorded as part of the Rangeline Business Park Subdivision, Unit Two that was approved by the Planning Commission at its February 4, 2010 meeting. The site was also part of a Planned Unit Development approved by the Planning Commission at it April 16, 2015 meeting that allowed substandard access and maneuvering to include a 20' wide gate and 20' wide driveway and a 6' high privacy fence for a potential laydown yard for future tenants. It should be noted that if the site were to be developed with the reduced allowances approved in the PUD, the site would have to go back to the Planning Commission to amend the previous approval.

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.

The site has been given a Light Industry (LI) 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 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.

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.

The proposed lot has frontage along Abigail Drive, a minor street with curb and gutter, requiring a 50' right-of-way. Adequate right-of-way is illustrated, thus no additional dedications should be required.

The lot meets the minimum size requirements for lots served by public water and sanitary sewer systems, and is appropriately labeled in square feet and acres on the preliminary plat. This information should be retained on the Final Plat, if approved; or, provision of a table on the Final Plat providing the same information may suffice.

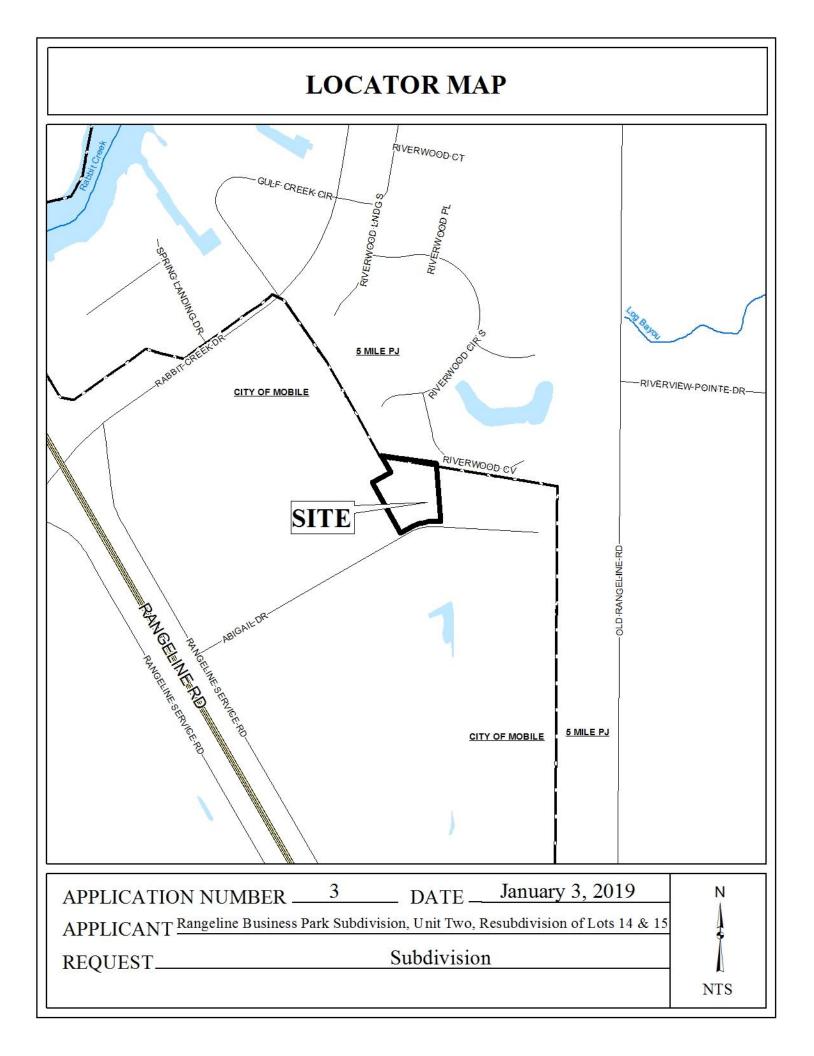
Regarding access management, the lot should comply with Traffic Engineering comments limiting the lot to one curb cut to Abigail Drive, with any changes in size, location and design to be approved by Traffic Engineering and conform to AASHTO standards.

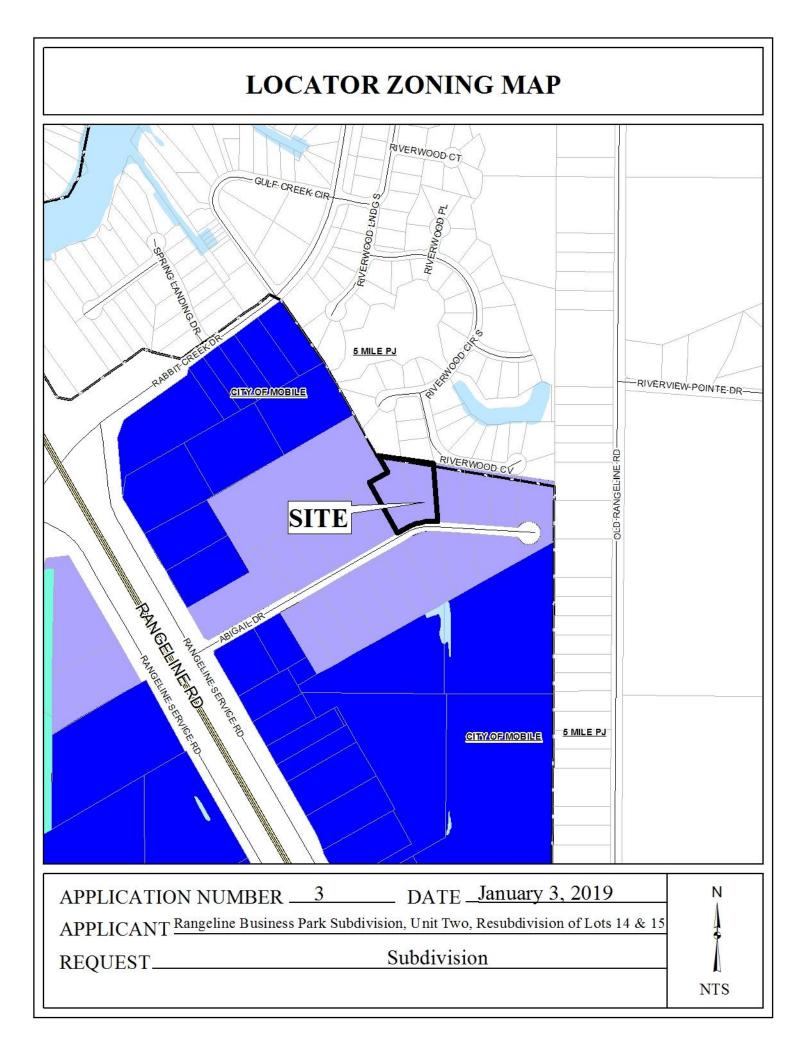
Finally, the 25' minimum building setback line is illustrated along the street frontage, in compliance with Section V.D.9. of the Subdivision Regulations, and should be retained on the Final Plat, if approved.

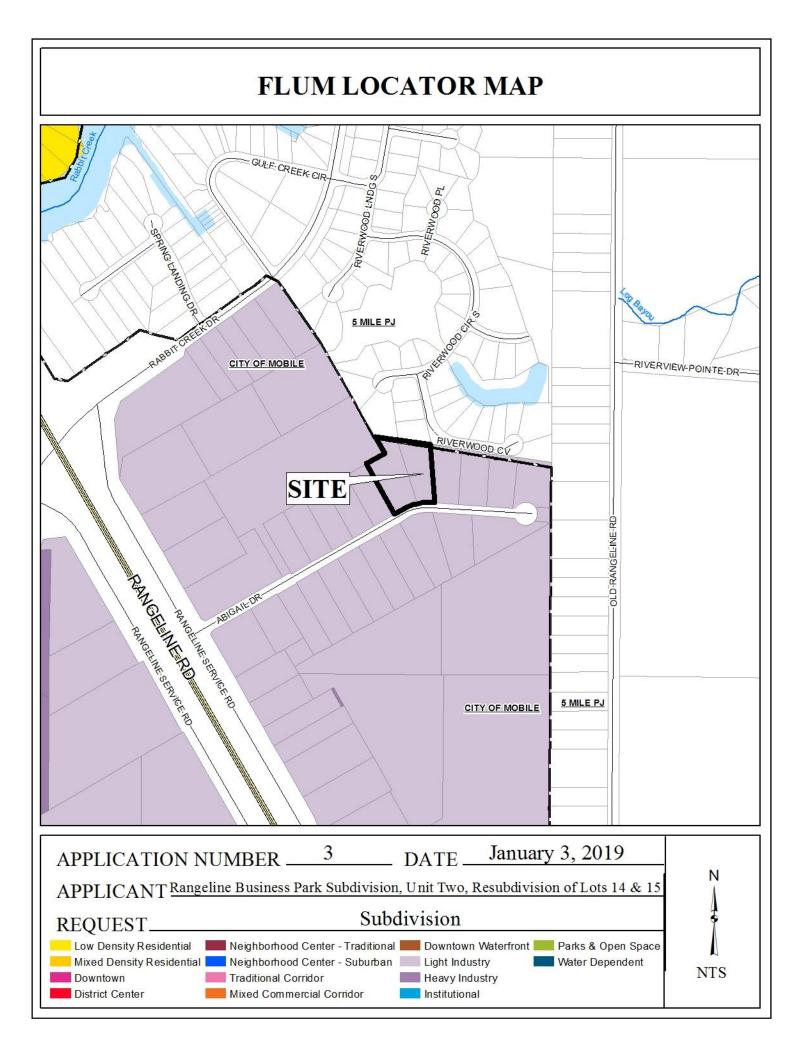
Based upon the preceding, the application is recommended for Tentative Approval, subject to the following:

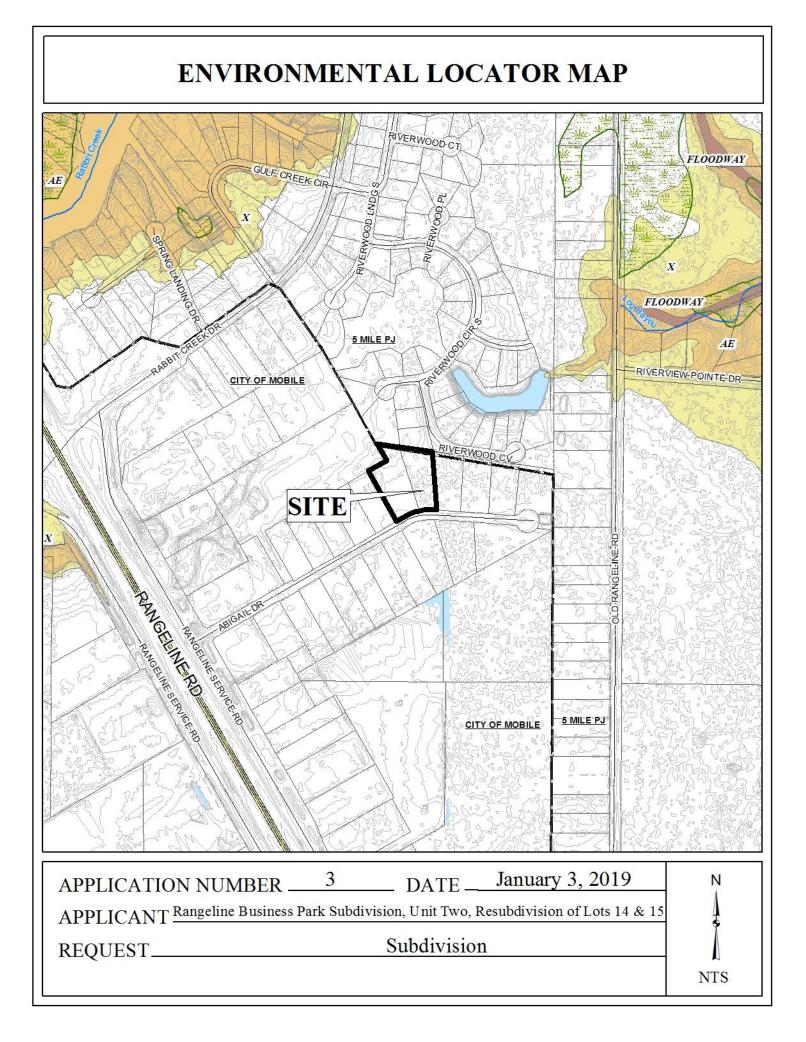
1) retention of the lot sizes in square feet and acres on the Final Plat, or placement of a table on the Final Plat providing the same information;

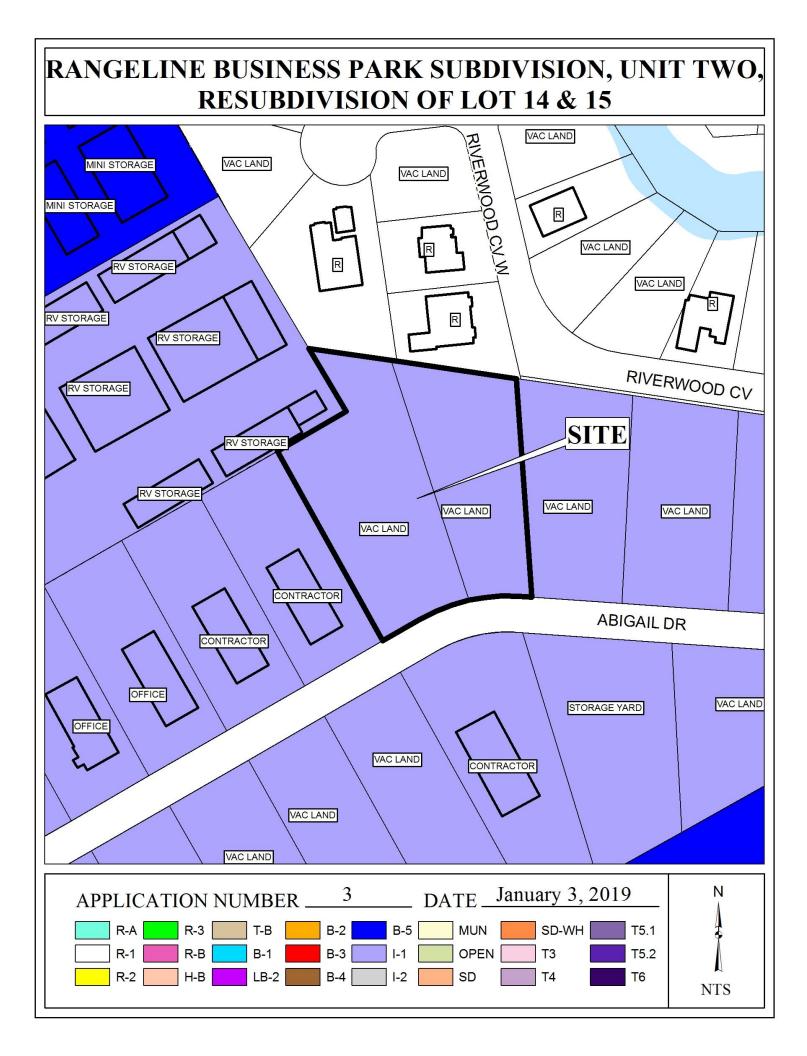
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- 3) compliance with Engineering comments: (FINAL PLAT COMMENTS (should be addressed prior to submitting the FINAL PLAT for review and/or signature by the City Engineer): A. Provide all of the required information on the SUBDIVISION PLAT (i.e. signature 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. Provide and label the monument set or found at each subdivision corner. C. Provide a legible D. Add a signature block for the Owner, Notary Public, Planning vicinity map. Commission, Traffic Engineer, and City Engineer. E. Provide the Surveyor's Certificate and Signature. F. Provide the Owner's (notarized), Planning Commission, and Traffic Engineering signatures. G. Add a note to the SUBDIVISION PLAT stating 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. H. 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. I. Add a note that sidewalk is required to be constructed, and/or repaired, along the frontage of each lot, or parcel, at time of new development or construction, unless a sidewalk waiver is approved. J. Add a note to the plat stating that all proposed detention facilities, common areas, and wetlands shall be the responsibility of the Property Owner(s), and not the responsibility of the City of Mobile. K. Add a note to the plat stating that all easements shall remain in effect until vacated through the proper Vacation process. L. Provide a copy of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT to the Engineering Dept. for review. No signatures are required on this drawing. M. After addressing all of the FINAL SUBDIVISION PLAT review comments by the Engineering Dept. provide the red-line markup, the ORIGINAL (with all other signatures) and one (1) copy of the revised original (signatures not required) of the revised Final Plat to the Engineering Department.);
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- 6) compliance with Fire Department comments: (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).); and,
- 7) completion of the Subdivision process prior to any requests for new construction.











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