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#### **ZONING CHANGE REVIEW SHEET**

**CASE:** C14-2017-0040 – Creastle .43

**Z.A.P. DATE:** May 16, 2017

**ADDRESS:** 9618 Manchaca Road

**DISTRICT:** 5

**OWNER / APPLICANT:** Creastle Enterprise, Inc. **AGENT:** Bennett Consulting

(Sayeed & Rahin Sadruddin)

(Rodney Bennett)

**ZONING FROM: I-SF-2** 

TO: GR-CO AREA: 0.43 acres

(approximately 18,831 square feet)

# **SUMMARY STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

The Staff's recommendation is to grant neighborhood commercial – conditional overlay (LR-CO) combining district zoning with conditions. The Conditional Overlay limits development to 2,000 vehicle trips per day.

If the requested zoning is granted for this site, then 70 feet of right-of-way from the existing centerline should be dedicated for Manchaca Road according to the Transportation Plan [LDC, Sec. 25-6-51 and 25-6-55].

# **ZONING & PLATTING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:**

May 16, 2017:

#### **ISSUES:**

The Applicant does not object to the Staff recommendation of LR-CO.

#### **DEPARTMENT COMMENTS:**

The subject platted lot is developed with a service station/food sales use, as well as mobile food vending. Access is provided by way of a driveway to Manchaca Road, a major arterial and Monarch Drive, a collector street. The lot has had zoned interim – single family residence standard lot (I-SF-2) district since its annexation into the City limits in November 1984, therefore the existing service station and food sales uses are considered legal non-conforming. There is a general retail sales (convenience) use to the north (LR-CO); an auto parts store, retail sales, restaurant and pharmacy across Manchaca Road to the east (GR-CO), convenience storage and restaurants to the south (W/LO, GR-CO; I-SF-2) and a realtor's office to the west (LO-CO). The Manchaca / Slaughter intersection is approximately 700 feet to the south and has GR base district zoning. Please refer to Exhibits A (Zoning Map) and A-1 (Aerial View).

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The Applicant proposes community commercial (GR) district zoning to bring the existing uses into compliance with the Code, and to provide additional food sales space within the existing structure. Given the presence of an LR-CO zoned lot at the northwest corner of Manchaca and Monarch, and GR zoned property situated further south on properties with vehicular access to Manchaca and/or Slaughter Lane, Staff is of the opinion that LR zoning is most compatible and consistent with the zoning and land uses at this intersection to a residential neighborhood.

# **EXISTING ZONING AND LAND USES:**

	ZONING	LAND USES	
Site	I-SF-2	Service station and food sales; Mobile food vending	
North	LR-CO	General retail sales (convenience)	
South	W/LO	Convenience storage; Restaurants (limited)	
East	GR-CO	General retail services (general and limited);	
		Undeveloped; Restaurant (general)	
West	LO-CO; SF-1	Office; Duplex; Single family residences	

AREA STUDY: N/A

**TIA:** Is not required

WATERSHED: Slaughter Creek

**DESIRED DEVELOPMENT ZONE:** Yes

**CAPITOL VIEW CORRIDOR:** No

**SCENIC ROADWAY: No** 

#### **NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATIONS:**

217 - Tanglewood Forest Neighborhood Association

242 - Slaughter Lane Neighborhood Association

511 - Austin Neighborhoods Council

627 - Onion Creek Homeowners Association

742 – Austin Independent School District

943 – Save Our Springs Alliance

1228 - Sierra Club, Austin Regional Group 1340 - Austin Heritage Tree Foundation

1363 - SELTexas

1424 – Preservation Austin

1528 – Bike Austin

1530 - Friends of Austin Neighborhoods

1550 - Homeless Neighborhood Association 1559 - Palomino Park HOA

1578 - South Park Neighbors

1596 - TNR BCP - Travis County Natural Resources

# **SCHOOLS:**

Cowan Elementary School

Bailey Middle School

Akins High School

#### **CASE HISTORIES:**

NUMBER	REQUEST	COMMISSION	CITY COUNCIL
C14-2007-0194 -	I-SF-2 to GR	To Grant GR-CO	Apvd GR-CO as ZAP
Sonic Drive-In #43		w/CO for 2,000	rec (1-10-2008).
- 9708 Manchaca		trips/day	40
Rd	2		

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C14 2014 0110	GD GO ( GD	T C + CC CC +	1 100 00 710
C14-2014-0119 -	CS-CO to CS-	To Grant CS-CO, to	Apvd CS-CO as ZAP
Manchaca Storage	CO, to change a	change the max. height	rec (9-25-2014)
- 9507 Manchaca	condition of	of a building or	
Rd	zoning	structure to 3 stories or	
		40' and 2,000 trips/day	
		limit	
C14-98-0213 -	I-SF-2 to LO	To Grant LO-CO	Apvd LO-CO as PC
Monarch Office	3	w/CO for 2,000	rec (2-25-1999)
Condos – 2015		trips/day	
Monarch Dr			
C14-98-0141 -	I-RR to CS	To Grant W/LO	Apvd W/LO (2-25-
9700 Manchaca			1999).
C14-98-0139 - Jan	SF-2 to GR	To Grant LR-CO	Apvd LR-CO w/CO
Felder Currier –			for 1,400 trips/day and
9600-9610 Blk of			prohibiting service
Manchaca Rd			station (2-25-1999).
C14-98-0087 -	I-SF-2 to GR	To Grant GR	Apvd GR-CO w/CO
Charles I. Toubin –			for 2,000 trips/day (10-
9718 Manchaca Rd			22-1998).
C14-97-0066 -	SF-2 to SF-1	To Grant	Apvd (8-21-1997).
Castlewood-Oak	<i>(22</i>		17
Valley	(+) 27		
Neighborhood			
Association – West			
of Manchaca Rd,			
bounded by Davis			
Ln, Queenswood			D
Dr, Collingwood Dr			
and Monarch Dr			
C14-85-022 -	I-RR to SF, MF,	To Grant LR (Tracts 1	Apvd LR-CO (Tract
Franklin Federal	Office and	and 3); MF-2 (Tracts 2	1); MF-2-CO (Tracts 2
Bancorp	Commercial	and 6); SF-3 (Tract 4);	and 5); SF-3-CO
	districts	LO (Tract 5)	(Tract 3); LO-CO
			(Tract 4); GR-CO
			(Tract 6) and CS-CO
			(Tract 7) (11-18-93).

# **RELATED CASES:**

The property was annexed into the City limits on November 15, 1984.

The rezoning area is platted as Lot 13A, Resubdivision of Lot 13, Block E of Castlewood Forest Section 5, recorded in January 1975 (C8s-74-242). Please refer to Exhibit B.

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# **ABUTTING STREETS:**

Name	ROW	Pavement	Classification	Sidewalks	Bike Route	Capital Metro (within ¼ mile)
Manchaca Road	110 feet	95 feet	Major Arterial Divided 4 Lanes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Monarch Drive	60 feet	38 feet	Collector 2 Lanes	No	No	Yes

According to the Austin 2014 Bicycle Plan approved by Austin City Council in November, 2014, a wide shoulder bike lane is recommended for Manchaca Road.

**CITY COUNCIL DATE:** June 8, 2017

**ACTION:** 

**ORDINANCE READINGS:** 1st

2<sup>nd</sup>

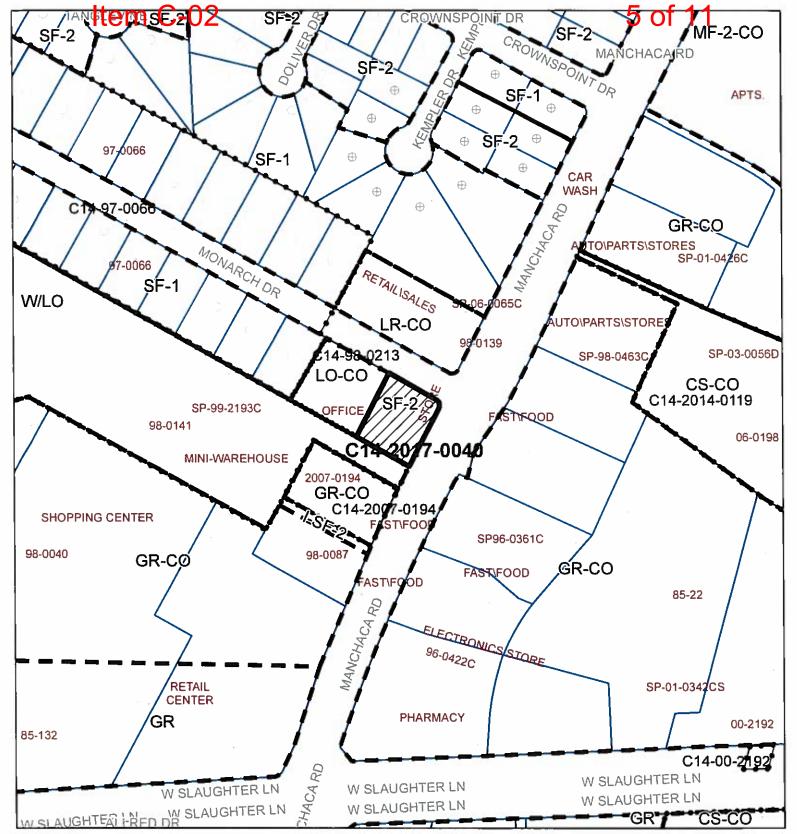
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**ORDINANCE NUMBER:** 

**CASE MANAGER:** Wendy Rhoades

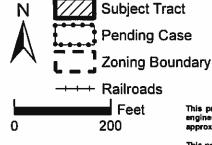
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# **ZONING**

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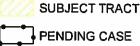
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ZONING BOUNDARY



# **CREASTLE .43 - ZONING**

ZONING CASE#: C14-2017-0040

LOCATION: 9618 MANCHACA ROAD

SUBJECT AREA: .43 ACRES GRID: E14

MANAGER: WENDY RHOADES



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## RESUBDIVISION OF LOT 13, BLOCK E OF CASTLEWOOD FOREST, SECTION 5



POOL ALL YEN STIFFDE TRESENTS: That MEST - LEACH LIG., a corporation organized and existing under the Laws of the State of fexas, and having its home effice in the City of Austin. Travis County, Texas, acting herein by and through its officer Donald L. Mest, Fresident, and L. A. Folder, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the Laws of the State of fexas, and having its home office in the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, acting herein by and through its officer L. 1. Felder, President, do thereby subdivide Lot 13, Block E. of Castlewood Forest, Section 5, a subdivision out of the Three Bissell League Survey No. 18 in Travis County, Texas, and Table No. 18 in Travis County, Texas, and an Castlewood Forest, Section 5 being a subdivision of that certain 12.53 acros of land conveyed to MEST - LEACH, LG. and LA. FELDER, LNL. by deed recorded in Volume 103 at Page 1039 of the deel records of Travis County, Texas, as a hown hereon to be known as "RESTRONYLESON OF LOT 13, BLOCK E OF LA. FELDER, LNL. by deed recorded in Volume 103 at Page 1039 of the deel records of Travis County, Texas, as is shown hereon.

CASTLE-MOD FOREST. SECTION 5". and do hereby dedicate to the public all streets, casements, and rights-of-way as is shown hereon.

WITHESS OUR HANDS, this the Aleday of Alexander A. D., 1974 THE STATE OF TEXAS & BYORD ME, the undersigned authority, a Hotary Public in and for Travis County, Texas, on this day personally appeared Donald L. Hert and L. A. Felder, known to be the persons whose mases are subscribed on the foregoing instrument and they acknowledged to be that they executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed and in the capacities therein stated. GIVEN UNDER MY MAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the Aleder of December and for Travis County, Toxas ADEROVED FOR ACCEPTANCE BY THE PLANNING CORNISSION, City of Austin, Towns, this the 312 day of December. A. D. 1974 FILED FOR PECCAD at . Travis County, Texas THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TRAVES The control of the Country Court within and for the State and Country aforesaid, do hereby cartify that the foregoing instrument of writing with its Certificate of Authentication was filed for record in my office on the day of family and the foregoing instrument of writing with its Certificate of Authentication was filed for record in my office on the day of family at the first Records of said Country in Flat Book of at Page 44.

In approving this plat by the Commissioners Court of Travis County, Texas, it is understood that the building of all Streets, Roeds, and other Public Thoroughfares shown on this plat, or any bridges or culverts necessary to be placed in such Streets, Roeds or other Public Thoroughfares or in connection therewith shall be the responsibility of the owners and/or developers of the tract of land covered by this plat in accordance with plans and specifications prescribed by the Commissioners Court of Travis County, Texas, and the Commissioners Court of Travis County, Texas, assumes no responsibility to build any of the Streets, Roads, or other Public Thoroughfares shown on this plat or any bridges or culverts in connection therewith.

Be it resolved by the Commissioners Court of Travis County, Texas:

That the acceptance for maintaining by Travis County, Texas of the roads or streets in Real-Estate Subdivisions does not obligate the County to install street marking signs, as this to considered to be a part of the developers construction; but that erecting signs for traffic control. Nach as for speed limits and STOP and YEED signs, shall remain the responsibility of the County.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

I, Boris Shropshire. County Clark of Travia County, Taxas do hereby passed an order authorizing the filling for record of this plat. Said order is \_, 1975, the Commissioners Court of Travis County, Texas. Page 403 of the Commissioners Court Minutes of Travis County, Taxas.

> WITHESS IT HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 6 day of A. D., 1975

Dorio Shropshire, Glark, County Court, Travia County, Texas

SEPTIC TANK NOTE

No house constructed in this subdivision shall be occupied until connected to a septic tank with a capacity of not less than 750 gallons and with a drain field of this restriction as enforceable by the City of Aurtin - Travis County Health Unit and/or the Subdivider.

This plot has been approved by the Travis County Health Department for two lots to be served by septic tanker.

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This is to certify that Austin City Code, Chapter 23.27 of 1954 has been complied with.

Surveyed by: Mendon C. Balley Jr. Phr.

November 16, 1974

C8s-74-242

Exhibit B RECORDED

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#### **SUMMARY STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

The Staff's recommendation is to grant neighborhood commercial – conditional overlay (LR-CO) combining district zoning with conditions. The Conditional Overlay limits development to 2,000 vehicle trips per day.

If the requested zoning is granted for this site, then 70 feet of right-of-way from the existing centerline should be dedicated for Manchaca Road according to the Transportation Plan [LDC, Sec. 25-6-51 and 25-6-55].

# BASIS FOR LAND USE RECOMMENDATION (ZONING PRINCIPLES)

1. The proposed zoning should be consistent with the purpose statement of the district sought.

The neighborhood commercial (LR) district is intended for shopping facilities that provide limited business services and offices to the residents of the neighborhood, such as consumer repair services, food sales, service stations, and pet services. The purpose statement listed in the City of Austin *Land Development Code* states: "The Neighborhood Commercial district is the designation for a commercial use that provides business service and office facilities for the residents of a neighborhood. Site development regulations and performance standards applicable to a LR district use are designed to ensure that the use is compatible and complementary in scale and appearance with the residential environment."

2. Zoning changes should promote an orderly and compatible relationship among land uses.

Given the presence of an LR-CO zoned lot at the northwest corner of Manchaca and Monarch, and GR zoned property situated further south on properties with access to Manchaca and/or Slaughter Lane, Staff is of the opinion that LR zoning is most compatible and consistent with the zoning and land uses at this intersection to a residential neighborhood.

#### EXISTING CONDITIONS

#### **Site Characteristics**

The subject property contains a service station, food sales and mobile vending uses. There appear to be no significant topographical constraints on the site.

#### **Impervious Cover**

The maximum impervious cover allowed by the LR zoning district would be 80%, which is a consistent figure between the zoning and watershed regulations.

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# **Comprehensive Planning**

This zoning case is located on the southwest corner of Manchaca Road, and Monarch Drive, on a 0.43 acre parcel, which contains a gas station/convenience store. The subject property is not located within the boundaries of a neighborhood planning area. Surrounding land uses includes a retail use to the north; a fast food restaurant to the south; undeveloped land to the east; and a one-story office building to the west. The proposal is to obtain commercial zoning for the existing commercial use on the site, a gas station/convenience store.

Connectivity: There are public sidewalks located along both sides of this portion of Manchaca Road, along with a Cap Metro Stop, which is about a 10 minute walk from this property. In order to reach the Cap Metro stop located across the street, a pedestrian must walk down to intersection of Manchaca and Slaughter Lane, cross the street and walk back up the street to the CapMetro transit stop. The Walkscore for this property 62/100, meaning some errands may be accomplished on foot.

#### **Imagine Austin**

The property is located by the boundaries of 'Neighborhood Center' as identified on the Imagine Austin's Growth Concept Map. A Neighborhood Center is the smallest and least intense of the three types of activity centers outlined in the Growth Concept Map, with a focus on creating local businesses and services—including doctors and dentists, shops, branch libraries, dry cleaners, hair salons, coffee shops, restaurants, and other small and local businesses that generally serve the center and surrounding neighborhoods. The following IACP policies are also relevant to this case:

- LUT P1. Align land use and transportation planning and decision-making to achieve a compact and connected city in line with the growth concept map.
- LUT P3. Promote development in compact centers, communities, or along corridors that are connected by roads and transit that are designed to encourage walking and bicycling, and reduce health care, housing and transportation costs.
- LUT P4. Protect neighborhood character by directing growth to areas of change that includes designated redevelopment areas, corridors and infill sites. Recognize that different neighborhoods have different characteristics and new and infill development should be sensitive to the predominant character of these communities.

#### Conclusion

While this property is bounded by a Neighborhood Center, based on the comparative scale of this site relative to retail and office uses abutting this site, this case falls below the scope of Imagine Austin, which is broad in scope, and consequently the plan is neutral on this proposed rezoning.

#### **Drainage**

The developer is required to submit a pre and post development drainage analysis at the subdivision and site plan stage of the development process. The City's Land Development

Code and Drainage Criteria Manual require that the Applicant demonstrate through engineering analysis that the proposed development will have no identifiable adverse impact on surrounding properties.

# **Environmental**

The site is not located over the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone. The site is in the Slaughter Creek Watershed of the Colorado River Basin, which is classified as a Suburban Watershed by Chapter 25-8 of the City's Land Development Code. The site is in the Desired Development Zone.

Under current watershed regulations, development or redevelopment on this site will be subject to the following impervious cover limits:

Development Classification	% of Gross Site Area	% of Gross Site Area with Transfers
Single-Family	50%	60%
(minimum lot size 5750 sq. ft.)		
Other Single-Family or Duplex	55%	60%
Multifamily	60%	70%
Commercial	80%	90%

According to floodplain maps there is no floodplain within or adjacent to the project location.

Standard landscaping and tree protection will be required in accordance with LDC 25-2 and 25-8 for all development and/or redevelopment.

Trees will likely be impacted with a proposed development associated with this rezoning case. Please be aware that an approved rezoning status does not eliminate a proposed development's requirements to meet the intent of the tree ordinances. If further explanation or specificity is needed, please contact the City Arborist at 512-974-1876. At this time, site specific information is unavailable regarding other vegetation, areas of steep slope, or other environmental features such as bluffs, springs, canyon rimrock, caves, sinkholes, and wetlands.

Under current watershed regulations, development or redevelopment requires water quality control with increased capture volume and control of the 2 year storm on site.

#### **Transportation**

The Austin Metropolitan Area Transportation Plan calls for 140 feet of right-of-way for Manchaca Road. If the requested zoning is granted for this site, then 70 feet of right-of-way from the existing centerline should be dedicated for Manchaca Road according to the Transportation Plan [LDC, Sec. 25-6-51 and 25-6-55].

FYI, additional right-of-way may be required at the time of subdivision and/or site plan.

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FYI, a traffic impact analysis was waived for this case because the applicant agreed to limit the intensity and uses for this development. If the zoning is granted, development should be limited through a conditional overlay to less than 2,000 vehicle trips per day [LDC, 25-6-117].

#### Water and Wastewater

FYI: The landowner intends to serve the site with City of Austin water and wastewater utilities. The landowner, at own expense, will be responsible for providing any water and wastewater utility improvements, offsite main extensions, water or wastewater easements, utility relocations and or abandonments required by the proposed land use. Depending on the development plans submitted, water and or wastewater service extension requests may be required. Water and wastewater utility plans must be reviewed and approved by Austin Water for compliance with City criteria and suitability for operation and maintenance. All water and wastewater construction must be inspected by the City of Austin. The landowner must pay the City inspection fee with the utility construction. The landowner must pay the tap and impact fees once the landowner makes an application for Austin Water utility tap permits.

# Site Plan and Compatibility Standards

Any new development is subject to Subchapter E. Design Standards and Mixed Use. Additional comments will be made when the site plan is submitted.