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### SUBDIVISION VARIANCE REVIEW SHEET

**CASE NO.:** C8-2018-0029.0A **PC DATE:** February 12, 2019

**SUBDIVISION NAME:** AISD 51<sup>st</sup> Street

**AREA:** 11.96 acres **LOT(S)**: 1

**OWNER/APPLICANT:** Austin Community College

**AGENT:** LJA Engineering

ADDRESS OF SUBDIVISION: 4800 E 51st Street

**COUNTY:** Travis **WATERSHED:** Fort Branch

JURISDICTION: Full-Purpose EXISTING ZONING: SF-6-NP

**NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN:** Pecan Springs/Springdale

PROPOSED LAND USE: Residential

**VARIANCES:** A variance to LDC section 25-4-151 is being requested by the applicant to not extend Connally Lane and Rayburn Lane through the development. (see attached Memo for variance recommendation(s))

**SIDEWALKS:** Sidewalks are required.

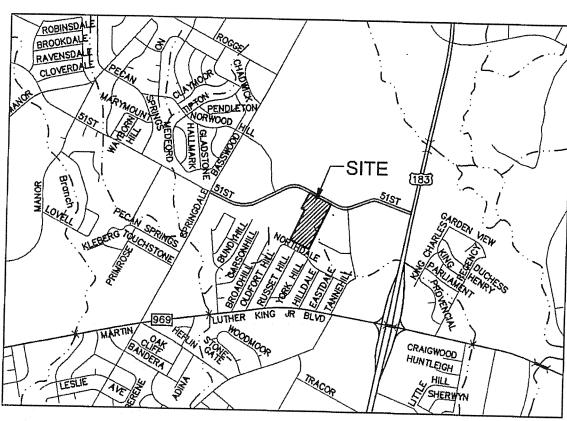
**<u>DEPARTMENT COMMENTS</u>**: This item is for variance only. The request is for approval of the variance to LDC section 25-4-151 to not extend Connally Lane and Rayburn Lane through the development.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** The staff recommends approval of the variance (see attached memo).

### **PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION:**

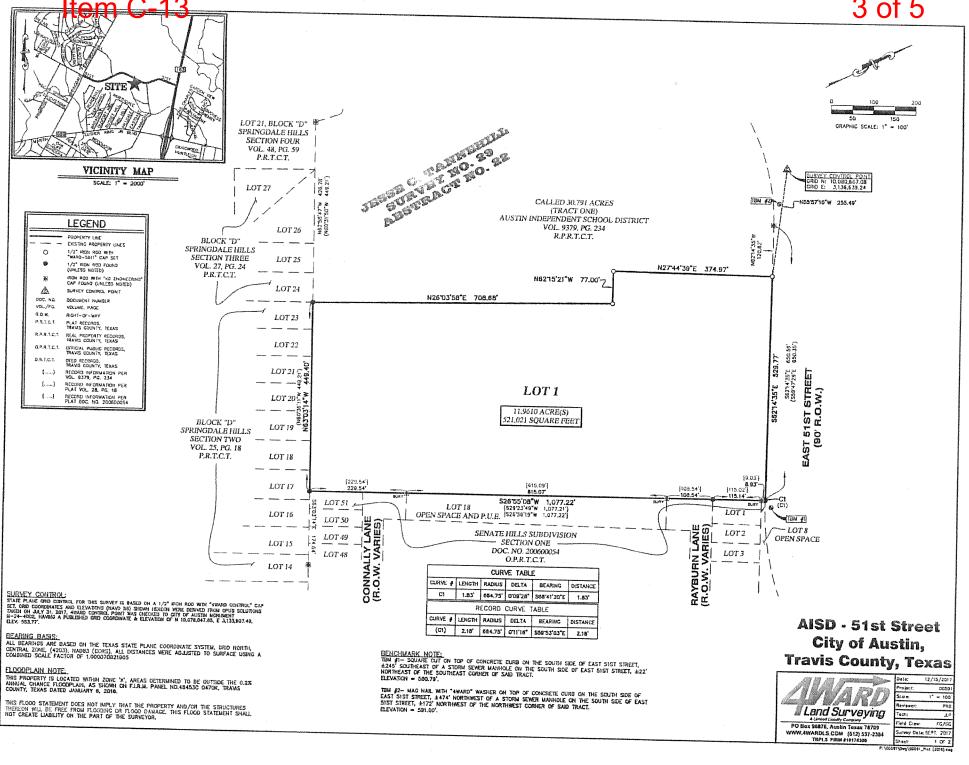
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LOCATION MAP

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

David Wahlgren, Case Manager

Members of the Zoning and Platting Commission

FROM:

Natalia Rodriguez, CNU-A, Land Use Review Division, DSD

DATE:

February 4, 2019

SUBJECT:

Variance Request AISD 51st Street

Case Number - C8-2018-0029.0A

Recommendation:

To approve the variance

The applicant for the above referenced subdivision is requesting a variance to Title 25 of the Land Development Code (LDC) Section 25-4-151, which requires streets of a new subdivision to be in line with existing streets on adjoining property. The variance is to not extend connections to Connally Lane and Rayburn Lane through the lot.

The proposed subdivision is located within the City of Austin's full purpose jurisdiction in east Austin, between Springdale Road and US 183, north of 51st Street. The site consists of one lot on 11.961 acres.

# Staff recommends approval of the variance for the following reasons:

- Connally Lane and Rayburn Lane are existing local streets which provide access to the singlefamily residential units to the east.
- Traffic circulation would not be compromised if Connally Lane and Rayburn Lane were not extended because there is another ingress and egress point throughout this subdivision and adjacent subdivisions to right-of-way.
- The applicant is proposing other connections to serve the public via public access easements
  which stub out at the property to the west and will allow for further connections when that property
  is brought in for development.
- The applicant is proposing to construct those connections according to City of Austin standards.

# Support for variance contingent upon the following recommended conditions:

- The site shall provide internal drive connections to Rayburn Lane and Connally Lane and extend
  the internal drives through the property to provide a minimum of two connections/internal drive
  stub outs to the western property line for future connectivity.
- All proposed internal drives within the site shall be designed and constructed according to City of Austin right-of-way standards and requirements. The internal drive cross-section should meet the cross-section of TCM, Table 1-7, SF-1 to SF-2 50-foot cross-section. Therefore, the cross-section for all internal drives shall be 27 feet of pavement width (LOG-LOG), minimum 4 foot sidewalks on both sides located 2 feet from the dedicated public access easement.
- The site shall dedicate a minimum 46-foot public access easement (PAE) over all proposed internal drives within the site at the time of the site plan application. The width of the PAE may increase to accommodate the transportation facilities identified in the required cross-section.

 Any proposed connection to E 51st Street from the site shall comply with the Transportation Criteria Manual (TCM). A median break and turn lane shall comply with the TCM and be approved by the Austin Transportation Department.

If you have any further questions or required additional information, please contact me at 974-3099.

Natalia Rodriguez, CNU-A

Land Use Review Division/ Transportation Review

**Development Services Department**