

Name: St. Lucie West – University Boulevard Business Center

Type: PUD Rezoning Project Number: P20-160



Project Location Map

SUMMARY

Applicant's Request:	The Applicant's request is to rezone approximately 3.75-acres from General Commercial (CG) zoning classification to Planned Unit Development (PUD)
	zoning classification.
Applicant:	Brad Curry, EDC
Property Owner:	CRJH, LLC
Location:	SW Corner of NW University Boulevard and NW
	California Boulevard
Project Planner:	Laura H. Dodd, Planner II

Project Description

The Applicant is requesting this rezoning concurrent to a DRI amendment and future land use map amendment for the purpose of providing for a commercial office/flex-space/warehousing development within the St. Lucie West Development of Regional Impact (DRI). The Applicant's request is to rezone approximately 3.75-acres from the General Commercial (CG) zoning classification to a Planned Unit Development (PUD) zoning classification.

The proposed PUD Document and Concept Plan include the following:

- All uses allowed in the City of Port St. Lucie General Commercial (CG) zoning district as well as most uses permitted by right within the Service Commercial (CS) zoning district
- Flexible parking provisions: One (1) parking space per 375 gross square feet of building. (No more than thirty (30) percent of total building area may be office/retail).
- Delineation of non-permitted uses.

Previous Actions and Prior Reviews

The Site Plan Review Committee recommended approval of the application on September 23, 2020.

Public Notice Requirements

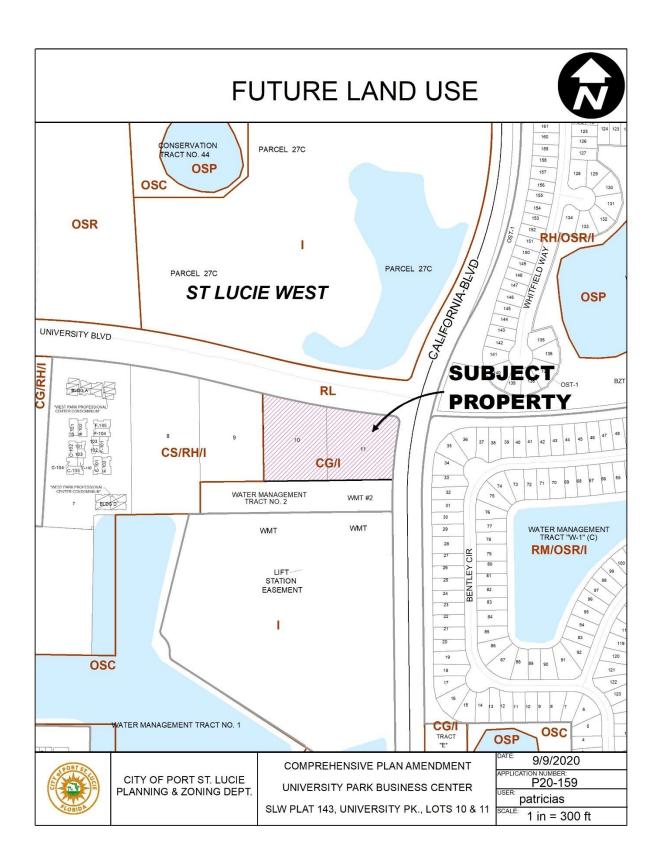
Public notice was mailed to owners within 750 feet and the file was included in the published notification for the Planning & Zoning Board's agenda.

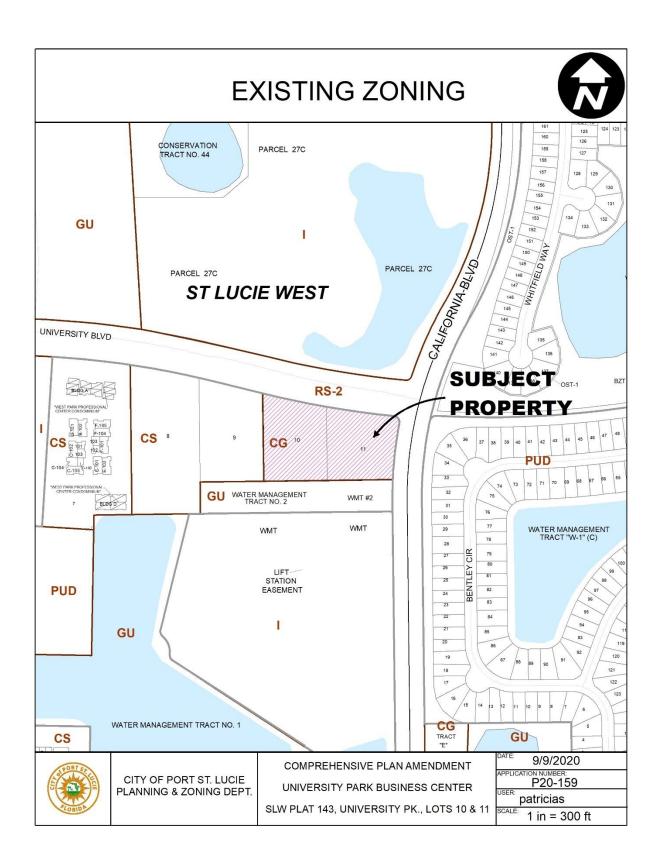
Location and Site Information

Parcel Number:	3325-600-0014-000-0 and 3325-600-0013-000-3	
Property Size:	3.75 acres	
Legal Description:	Lots 10 and 11, St. Lucie West, Plat #143, Second Replat in Parcel	
	21D	
Future Land Use:	CG/I (General Commercial/Institutional)	
Proposed Future Land Use:	C/S (Service Commercial)	
Existing Zoning:	C/G (General Commercial)	
Existing Use:	Vacant	
Requested Zoning:	PUD	
Proposed Use:	Office/Flex-Space/Warehousing	

Surrounding Uses

Direction	Future Land Use	Zoning	Existing Use
North	Institutional (I)	Institutional (I)	Indian River State College
			Pruitt Campus
South	Institutional (I)	Institutional (I)	Stormwater Retention; St.
			Bernadette Catholic Church
East	Multifamily Residential/ Open	Planned Unit Development	Single family Residential
	Space Recreational/Institutional	(PUD)	
	(RM/OSR/I)		
West	Commercial-Service/High-Density	Commercial-Service (CS)	Public Storage
	Residential/Institutional		
	(CS/RH/I)		





IMPACTS AND FINDINGS

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN REVIEW

Land Use Consistency (and Policy 1.1.4.10): According to the City of Port St. Lucie Comprehensive Plan Policy 1.1.4.10 the CS land use designation allows a maximum building coverage of 40% and maximum 80% impervious area. The proposed PUD Land Development Regulations are consistent with the maximum intensities permitted by the Comprehensive Plan. Further, per Policy 1.1.4.13, the proposed uses in the PUD are compatible with the CS future land use designation.

ZONING REVIEW (ARTICLE X)

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Standards for District Establishment

Area Requirement	The subject property for the PUD totals 3.75 acres. The
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	acres per Section 158.172 (PUD) Standards for District
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	Establishment.
Relation to Major Transportation	The proposed development will contain two (2) full vehicular
Facilities	access points, which will be provided from NW University
	Boulevard and NW California Boulevard.
Consistency with City's	Per Sect 158.172 (E), to be eligible for consideration, a PUD
Comprehensive Plan	rezoning proposal must be found to be consistent with all
	applicable elements of the City's adopted Comprehensive
	Plan with respect to both its proposed internal design and its
	relationship to adjacent areas and the City as a whole.
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	The Applicant's proposal is consistent with Comprehensive
	Plan Policy 1.1.4.10 as the CS land use designation allows a
	maximum building coverage of 40% and maximum 80%
	impervious area; the Applicant's requested intensity.
	Further, per Policy 1.1.4.13, the proposed PUD is compatible
	with the CS land use.
Relation to Utilities, Public	Adequate utilities are in place to service the development.
Facilities, and Services	Additional review will be provided at the site plan and detail
	plan submittal.
Evidence of Unified Control of Area	Unified Control of Area has been provided.

PUD Conceptual Master Plan and Regulation Book Requirements

PUD Concept Plan and Regulation Book	A PUD concept plan and regulation book has been
	provided and is attached under separate heading.
Residential Density and non-residential	The non-residential intensity shall be consistent with the
intensity	comprehensive plan provisions identified in policy
	1.1.4.10 and denoted above (Comprehensive Plan
	Review)

Provision for Pedestrian Circulation	Pedestrian circulation shall be provided in the form of	
	sidewalks and internal crosswalks to the right of way.	
Off Street Parking and Loading	Off-street parking is proposed at a ratio of one (1)	
Requirements	parking space per 375 gross square feet of building (No	
	more than thirty (30) percent of total building area may	
	be office/retail.)	
Underground Utilities	All utility lines will be installed underground.	
Protection of Natural Features	An environmental assessment is included as part of the	
	application. As stated in this assessment, there is no	
	significant wetland habitat onsite. A formal tree survey	
	is not required. No gopher tortoises or any other listed	
	animal species were found onsite. Native upland habitat	
	was previously mitigated for this site through payment	
	to the City's Conservation Trust Fund.	
Stormwater	Upon approval of the future land use and zoning	
	changes requested, a site plan and construction plans	
	will be submitted for review and approval by the CDD	
	and the City of Port St. Lucie which will reflect	
	compliance with the adopted level of service required by	
	the CDD, the City and SFWMD.	
Landscaping and Buffering	All landscaping shall conform to the City of Port St. Lucie	
Requirements	Land Development Regulations Chapter 154. The	
	buffering shall include a 15-foot buffer abutting NW	
	University and California Boulevard.	

RELATED PROJECTS

P20-182 SLW University Boulevard Business Center DRI Amendment

P20-159 University Boulevard Business Center Small-Scale Future Land Use Map Amendment

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The Planning and Zoning Department staff finds the request to be consistent with the direction and intent of the future land use map and policies of the City's Comprehensive Plan and recommends approval.

Planning and Zoning Board Action Options:

- Motion to recommend approval to the City Council
- Motion to recommend approval to the City Council with conditions
- Motion to recommend denial to the City Council

Please note: Should the Board need further clarification or information from either the applicant and/or staff, it may exercise the right to *table* or *continue* the hearing or review to a future meeting.