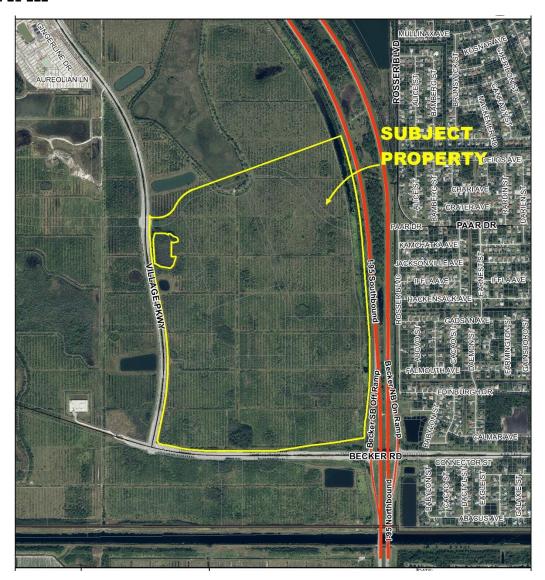


# Tradition Regional Business Park @ Southern Grove MPUD Amendment No. 2 Rezoning and MPUD Amendment Application P21-222



**Project Location Map** 

#### **SUMMARY**

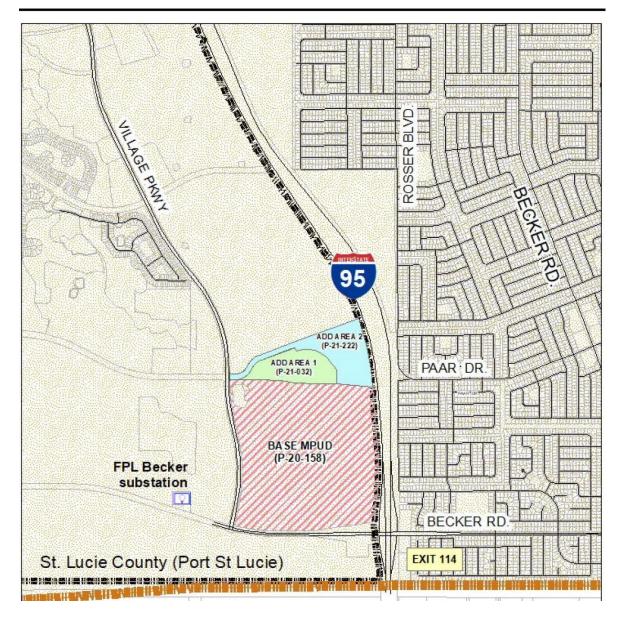
Applicant's Request:	An application to rezone 47 acres, more or less, of property and to amend the Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD (Master Planned Unit Development) Regulation Book and Conceptual Development Plan
Applicant:	Dennis Murphy, Culpepper and Terpening, Inc.
Property Owners:	Port St. Lucie Governmental Finance Corporation
	City of Port St. Lucie
	PSL Industrial Owner, LLC
	NBPIII Legacy III, LLC
	NBPIII Legacy IV, LLC
Location:	The property is generally located west of Interstate 95, north of
	Becker Road, east of south SW Village Parkway, and north and
	south of the E/W 4 (Paar Drive) right-of-way.
Address:	Not assigned
Project Planner:	Bridget Kean, AICP, Senior Planner

#### **Project Description**

Culpepper and Terpening, Inc., acting as the agent for the Port St. Lucie Governmental Finance Corporation (GFC), the City of Port St. Lucie, PSL Industrial Owner, LLC, and NBPIII Legacy III, LLC and NBPIII Legacy IV, LLC, (owners) has applied to amend the Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD and to rezone approximately 47 acres of property from the zoning designation of St. Lucie County Agricultural (SLC AG 5 - 1 dwelling unit per 5 acres) to the Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD. The Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD is located west of Interstate 95, north of Becker Road, east of south SW Village Parkway, and south of the E/W 4 (Paar Drive) right-of-way. It is approximately 335 acres in size.

The Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD (P20-158) was approved on November 9, 2020 (Ordinance 20-67) to allow for approximately 2.6 million square feet of industrial use, approximately 550,000 square feet of mixed retail/office use, and up to 750 residential units (limited to the mixed commercial land use subareas) on 298.37 acres. The MPUD includes two distinct development areas with 144 acres designated as a Business Park (to be known as Legacy Park at Tradition) and approximately 66 acres designated as mixed commercial development. The mixed commercial development is along Becker Road and SW Village Parkway and allows for retail, commercial, and multi-family development. The Business Park is along the I-95 corridor and allows for warehouse/distribution, light industrial, manufacturing, and other similar uses. The first amendment to the MPUD (P21-032) was approved on April 12, 2021 (Ordinance 21-25) to add an additional 36 acres to the MPUD and other changes. This amendment will add an additional 47 acres to the MPUD as depicted below:

# **EXHIBIT 1B - LOCATION MAP**



The proposed MPUD amendment revises the project maps, legal description, conceptual plan, and development program to include the new acreage as well as some minor miscellaneous changes. The 47 acres will be added to the business park acreage. There are no changes to entitlements. The revised project acreage is as follows:

Project Acreage by Use	Current	Proposed
Total	335 ac	382 ac
Business Park	181 ac	207.1 ac
Mixed Commercial	66 ac	61.1 ac
Primary Road Right-of-Way	23.7 ac	29.7 ac
Open Space/Lakes	64.3 ac	84.3 ac

The proposed rezoning and MPUD amendment are shown in Attachment "A" with additions shown as <u>underlined</u> and deletions shown as <u>strikethrough</u>.

## **Previous Actions and Prior Reviews**

The Site Plan Review Committee recommended approval of the proposed MPUD amendment at the October 13, 2021 Site Plan Review Committee meeting.

#### **Public Notice Requirements**

Notice of the MPUD amendment was mailed to property owners within a maximum of 750 feet of the subject property.

#### **Location and Site Information**

Parcel Numbers:	4335-500-0001-000-3;	4326-600-0001-000-2,
	4326-600-0005-000-0;	4326-600-0004-000-3
	4335-500-0003-000-7;	4326-600-0002-000-9
	4335-500-0004-000-4;	A portion of 4326-600-0003-000-6
Property Size:	382 acres, more or less	
Legal Description:	Southern Grove Plat No. 33 and Lot 4, Lot 5, Tract A, Tract B, and	
	a portion of Tract C, South	ern Grove Plat No. 35
Future Land Use:	NCD (New Community Development District)	
Existing Zoning:	335 acres, more or less, Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD	
	47 acres, more or less, St. Luc	cie County AG-5 (1 dwelling unit per 5
	acres )	
Existing Use:	Vacant land	
Proposed Zoning:	MPUD (Master Planned Unit Development)	
Proposed Use:	Mixed use, light industrial, warehouse/distribution and other similar	
	uses	

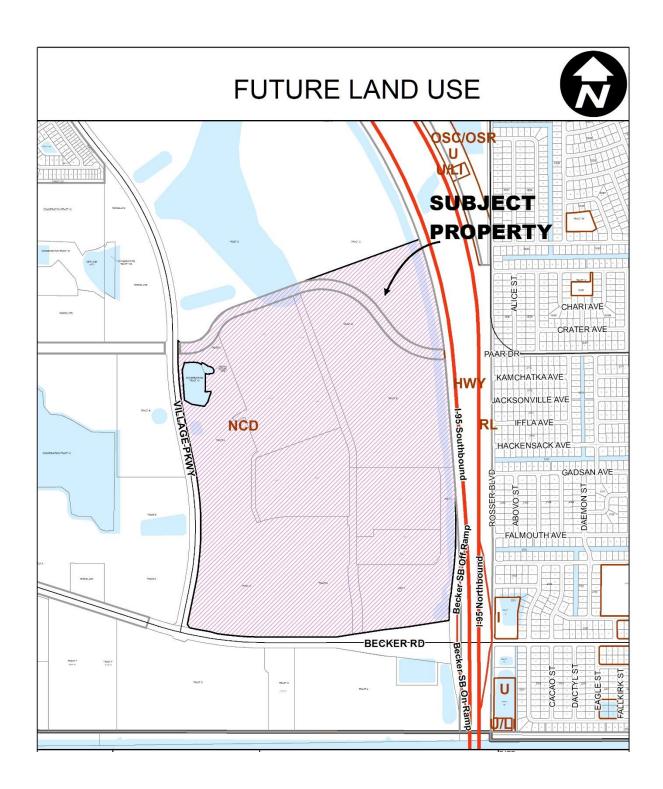
# **Surrounding Uses**

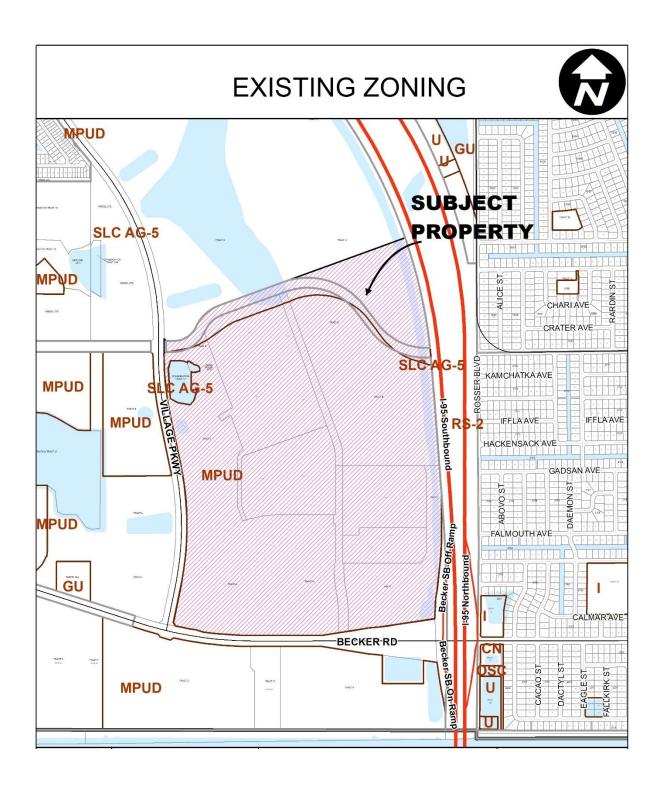
Direction	Future Land Use	Zoning	Existing Use
North	NCD	SLC AG-5	Vacant land
South	NCD	MPUD	Vacant land (proposed mixed use area per America
			Walks MPUD)
East			Interstate 95
West	NCD	MPUD and	Vacant land
		SLC AG-5	

NCD – New Community Development District

MPUD – Master Planned Unit Development

SLC AG-5 – St. Lucie County Agricultural (1 dwelling unit per 5 acres)





#### **IMPACTS AND FINDINGS**

#### **COMPREHENSIVE PLAN REVIEW**

Land Use Consistency: The subject property is located within the Southern Grove Development of Regional Impact (DRI) and is within an area designated as a Regional Business Center sub-district on Figure 1-4 of the Future Land Use Element. Figure 1-4 is the conceptual land use plan for the Southern Grove NCD Land Use District. Figure 1-4 is required by Policy 1.2.1.3 of the comprehensive plan to illustrate how the land use sub-categories in Southern Grove are allocated, where they are located, and how they would function in relation to each other. On October 25, 2021, the City Council approved a comprehensive plan text amendment that amended Figure 1-4 (Ordinance 21-46). The amendment removed the segment of E/W 4 (Paar Drive) road right-of-way from SW Anthony F. Sansone SR Blvd to Interstate 95 and designated the area, approximately 47 acres, from Mixed Use Sub-district to Regional Business Center sub-district.

The proposed MPUD is also consistent with a proposed amendment to the development order for the Southern Grove DRI (P21-012). The proposed DRI amendment revises the development entitlements in the Southern Grove DRI, amends certain conditions of approval, and revises Map H, the master development plan. The proposed changes to the conditions of approval and Map H include the removal of the western segment of the E/W 4 (Paar Drive) road right-of-way from SW Anthony F. Sansone SR Blvd. to Interstate 95 and a proposed I-95 overpass from the DRI. The acreage is shown as Regional Business Center on the proposed revisions to Map H.

Per Policy 1.2.2.8 of the Future Land Use Element, Regional Business Centers (developments with more than 1,000,000 non-residential square feet) shall be established that include industrial uses, warehouse/distribution, manufacturing, retail, commercial and office uses, and medical uses, restaurants, theaters, hotels, institutional uses, public facilities (including utilities), residential and other similar services designed to meet the needs of the larger area. A regional business center subdistrict requires a minimum of two uses and the two uses must be identified on the MPUD concept plan. Individual parcels within a Regional Business Center may undergo separate site-specific applications for development approvals without individually meeting such multi-use requirement provided the site-specific development application is consistent with the MPUD master plan.

At a proposed size of 382 acres, more or less, the Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD falls within the size requirements for a Regional Business Center sub-district. Policy 1.2.2.8 establishes a minimum size of 30 acres and a maximum size of 500 acres. Residential density is set at a minimum of five (5) dwelling units per acre and a maximum of thirty-five (35) dwelling units per acre. The proposed MPUD amendment sets a minimum density of ten (10) units per acre and a maximum density of thirty-five (35) unit per acre. Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD provides for a mix of uses including industrial, manufacturing, warehouse distribution, retail, commercial, and other uses.

The proposed MPUD is also consistent with Policy 1.2.3.1 of the Future Land Use Element regarding providing a mix of land uses within close proximity to work and home.

#### **MPUD REZONING REQUIREMENTS**

<u>Project Description:</u> Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD allows for approximately 2.6 million square feet of industrial use; approximately 550,000 square feet of mixed retail/office use, and 750 residential units (limited to the mixed commercial land use subareas).

#### **Standards for District Establishment**

Area Requirement	Section 158.187(A) of the Zoning Code establishes a minimum
	size of 50 acres for an MPUD. The proposed MPUD
	amendment is approximately 382 acres.
Relation to Major Transportation	The Tradition Regional Business Park is located in the
Facilities	northwest quadrant of the intersection of SW Becker Road and
	I 95 with access along SW Village Parkway and Becker Road.
Development of Regional Impact	The subject property is located with the Southern Grove DRI.
Relation to Utilities, Public	The subject property is served by Port St. Lucie Utility Systems
Facilities, and Services	Department, FPL, Home Town Communications, and the
	Tradition Irrigation Company for irrigation water.
Evidence of Unified Control of Area	Evidence of unified control has been provided

**MPUD Conceptual Master Plan and Regulation Book Requirements** 

MPUD Concept Plan and Regulation	
Book	Provided
Land Use sub-areas	The Tradition Regional Business Park MPUD is within a
	designated Regional Business Center sub area as shown on
	Figure 1-4 of the Comprehensive Plan.
Zoning Regulations for each land use	Provided in the MPUD document
Provision for Pedestrian Circulation	The MPUD provides for sidewalks adjacent to streets and
	incorporates the development of a proposed multi-use trail
	known as Tradition Trail.
Transit Oriented Design Features	A sidewalk system will be provided with connections to SW
	Village Parkway and SW Becker Road to provide access to
	future transit locations if proposed for these roadways.
Off Street Parking and Loading	
Requirements	Provided for in the MPUD zoning document
Underground Utilities	All utilities will be underground
Open Space	Provided for in the MPUD zoning document including
	requirements for usable open space
Wetlands and Uplands	There are existing wetlands on site that have been mitigated
	off site per the Army Corp of Engineers (ACOE) permit for the
	Southern Grove DRI. The site adjoins a 5.65-acre conservation
	tract and archeological site deeded to the Tradition
	Commercial Association and the Southern Grove Community
	Development District, respectively. Both parcels will be
	preserved in the development plan.
Stormwater	The project provides for onsite stormwater retention as
	depicted on the conceptual master plan.

Landscaping and Buffering	
Requirements	Provided for in the MPUD zoning document

#### **RELATED PROJECTS**

P20-256 – Mattamy Palm Beach, LLC, and the Port St. Lucie Governmental Finance Corporation Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment

P21-012 – Mattamy Palm Beach, LLC, and Port St. Lucie Governmental Finance Corporation Southern Grove DRI Amendment

P21-221 – Southern Grove Plat No. 38 Preliminary and Final Subdivision Plat

#### **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 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.