Public Hearing: YES D NO D

**Department:** Planning & Sustainability

### **SUBJECT:**

COMMISSION DISTRICT(S): Commission District 03 Super District 07

Application of Cultivate Community c/o Battle Law, P.C. to rezone property from R-100 (Residential Medium Lot-100) zoning district to RSM (Small Lot Residential Mix) zoning district to allow for the construction of up to sixty-four (64) single-family, attached dwellings, at 5370, 5384 and 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway.

PETITION NO: D2-2024-0633 Z-24-1247008

**PROPOSED USE:** Up to sixty-four (64) single-family, attached dwellings.

LOCATION: 5370, 5384, and 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway, Decatur, Georgia 30034

PARCEL NO.: 15 066 01 062, 15 066 01 012, 15 066 01 011

INFO. CONTACT: Adam Chappell, Sr. Planner

**PHONE NUMBER:** 404-371-4922

### **PURPOSE:**

Application of Cultivate Community c/o Battle Law, P.C. to rezone property from R-100 (Residential Medium Lot-100) zoning district to RSM (Small Lot Residential Mix) zoning district to allow for the construction of up to sixty-four (64) single-family, attached dwellings.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

COMMUNITY COUNCIL: (Feb. 2025) Denial. (Oct. 2024) Denial. (June 2024) Two-cycle deferral.

PLANNING COMMISSION: (March 4, 2025) Withdrawal without prejudice. (Nov. 7, 2024) Two-cycle deferral. (July 11, 2024) Two-cycle deferral.

PLANNING STAFF: (March 4, 2025) Withdrawal without Prejudice. (Nov. 2024) Full-Cycle Deferral.

**STAFF ANALYSIS:** The applicant requested to withdraw this application on February 12, 2025 (see attached request). Therefore, the Planning and Sustainability Department recommends a *"Withdrawal Without Prejudice"* of this application.

**PLANNING COMMISSION VOTE:** (March 4, 2025) Withdrawal without Prejudice 7-0-0. Jon West moved, LaSonya Osler seconded for withdrawal without prejudice, per Staff's recommendation and the Applicant's request. Winton Cooper was not present for this vote. (Nov. 7, 2024) Two-cycle deferral 6-0-0. Jan Costello moved, Jana Johnson seconded for a two-cycle deferral to the March 2025 zoning agenda. (July 11, 2024) Two-cycle deferral 6-0-0. Jan Costello moved, Jana Johnson seconded for a two-cycle deferral to the March 2025 zoning agenda. (July 11, 2024) Two-cycle deferral 6-0-0.

**COMMUNITY COUNCIL VOTE/RECOMMENDATION:** (February 2025) Denial 10-0-0. (October 2024) Denial 4-1-2. (June 2024) Two-cycle deferral (9-2-0) to allow for the following: 1. Applicant shall hold another community meeting to narrow down the list of concerns and use Google Earth to verify that correct addresses are being notified. 2. Contact GDOT and DeKalb County Transportation department regarding input on safety issues related to the proposed road entrance off of Flat Shoals Parkway (DeKalb Co. Transportation Department provides Current Planning with comments regarding this application). 3. Verify that there are no

school capacity issues with the Board of Education ((DeKalb Co. Schools provides Current Planning with comments regarding this application). 4. Clarify if the proposed units will be rentals or fee-simple ownership.



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# **DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY**

Chief Executive Officer Lorraine Cochran-Johnson Interim Director Cedric Hudson

# Planning Commission Hearing Date: March 4, 2025 Board of Commissioners Hearing Date: March 27, 2025

# **STAFF ANALYSIS**

Case No.:	Z-24-1247008	File ID #: 2024-0633		
Address:	5370, 5378, and 5384 Flat Shoals Parkway, Decatur, GA 30034	<b>Commission District:</b> 03	Supe	er District: 07
Parcel ID(s):	15-066-01-012, 15-066-01-062, 15-0	56-01-011	·	
Request:	Rezone property from the R-100 (Reside Lot Residential Mix) Zoning District to attached dwellings.			-
Property Owner(s):	Majesty Inc.			
Applicant/Agent:	Cultivate Community c/o Battle Law, P.C.			
Acreage:	8.56 acres			
Existing Land Use:	Single-family dwelling, vacant			
Surrounding Properties:	North: R-100 East: R-100 South: R	100 (across Flat Shoals Par	kway) <b>W</b>	est: R-100
Comprehensive Plan:	Suburban (SUB)	Consi	stent	Inconsistent X

**Staff Recommendation:** 

#### WITHDRAWAL WITHOUT PREDJUDICE

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02/12/25

Via Email (rlbragg@dekalbcountyga.gov)

Rachel Bragg Zoning Administrator 178 Sams Street Decatur, GA., 30030 Re: Z-24-1247008

Zoning Administrator Rachel Bragg:

On behalf of the Applicant for the proposed rezoning for property located at 5370, 5384, and 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway, being parcel numbers 15 066 01 062, 15 066 01 012, 15 066 01 011 pertaining to petition number Z-24-1247008, I respectfully request to withdraw this application.

Sincerely,

Joshua Mahoney Associate Attorney 404-601-7616 ext. 6 jsm@battlelawpc.com



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Chief Executive Officer Michael Thurmond

# **DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY**

Interim Director Cedric Hudson

# **ZONING COMMENTS – JUNE 2024**

**N1. 911 Mountain View Drive.** Mountain View Drive is classified as a collector road. If a land development permit is required- Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 35 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse path. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov). Mountain View Circle and Mountain Springs Way are classified as local roads. Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 27.5 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 5-foot landscape strip with a 5-foot sidewalk. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov). No poles may remain within the limits of the path/sidewalk on any street. Only one access point allowed on Mountain View Drive. Refer to Code Section 14-200 (6) for driveway spacing. Consider the circulation loop having access off Mountain View Circle. No parking allowed on the right of way. Verify that all access points have intersection and stopping sight distance as described by AASHTO.

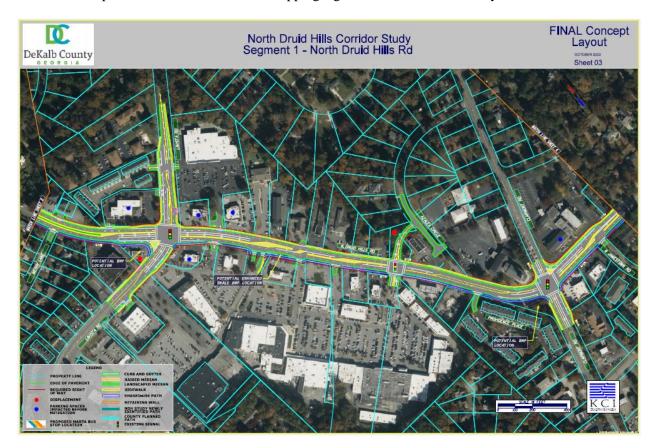
#### N2. 498 Crestwood Ct: No comment.

**N3. 6061 Redan Road.** Redan Road is classified as a minor arterial. If a land development permit is required-Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 40 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse path. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov). Young Road is classified as a collector road. If a land development permit is required-Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 35 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse path. Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 35 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse path. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov). Verify that all access points have intersection and stopping sight distance as described by AASHTO. Provide a direct pedestrian connection between the public infrastructure/right of way to the building. One right in/left in/right out access point on Redan Road. Install physical barrier to prevent left turns and include a no left turn signage. Only one access point allowed on Young Road- away from the signalized intersection as possible. Update pedestrian striping and ADA ramps at traffic signal. Bring curb and gutter up to current standards along property frontage. No poles may remain within the limits of the path/sidewalk on any street.

N4. 1422 Rock Chapel Road. Rock Chapel Road is state route 124. GDOT review and approval is required prior to permitting. (JLivingston@dot.ga.gov) Rock Chapel Road is classified as a major arterial. If a land development permit is required- Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 50 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse path. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov). If applicant is seeking a variance from the above infrastructure requirements, it is suggested to seek during the zoning process. Verify that all access points have intersection and stopping sight distance as described by AASHTO. No poles may remain within the limits of the path/sidewalk on any street.

#### N5. No comment

**N6. 2933** N **Druid Hills Rd.** Additional coordination is required with the PW- Transportation Division on related to the North Druid Hills Study Section 1B. The Transportation Division has applied for federal funds to design and construct this project. Dedicate necessary right of way for the project. Recommend variance for all other infrastructure improvements until the project is delivered during zoning process. Please note the final position of access points. Verify that all access points have intersection and stopping sight distance as described by AASHTO.



**N7. 5370, 5384, 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway.** Flat Shoals Parkway is SR 155. GDOT review and permits required prior to permitting. (<u>ILivingston@dot.ga.gov</u>) Flat Shoals Parkway is classified as a major arterial. If a land development permit is required-Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 50 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse path. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov). Verify that all access points have intersection and stopping sight distance as described by AASHTO. No poles may remain within the limits of the path/sidewalk on any street. Private roads must be built to public road standards. All interior roads are to be private and maintained by a Homeowner's Association. Verify the distance between the garage door and sidewalk is long enough to accommodate a vehicle without blocking the sidewalk. Make sure that sidewalk/pedestrian paths meet ADA requirements at driveways. If street is less than 24 feet wide, no on street parking allowed. Add no parking signs and include parking restrictions in neighborhood covenants.

**N8. 1850 Lawrenceville Hwy.** Lawrenceville Hwy is SR 8. GDOT review and permits required prior to permitting. (<u>JLivingston@dot.ga.gov</u>) Lawrenceville Hwy is classified as a major arterial. If a land development permit is required-Please refer to the requirements in Zoning Code 5.4.3 and Land Development Code 14-190. Requires a right of way dedication of 50 feet from centerline OR such that all public infrastructure is within right of way, whichever greater. Requires a 10-foot landscape strip with a 6-foot sidewalk and 4-foot bike lane OR (PREFERRED) a 10-foot multiuse

path. Requires pedestrian scale streetlights. (<u>hefowler@dekalbcountyga.gov</u>). Verify that all access points have intersection and stopping sight distance as described by AASHTO. No poles may remain within the limits of the path/sidewalk on any street. If seeking a variance from infrastructure improvements: At a minimum, add an 8-foot sidewalk for connection to South Fork Peachtree Creek Multiuse Trail along frontage and dedicate right of way needed.



#### 6/14/2024

- To: LaSondra H. Hill
- From: Ryan Cira, Environmental Health Director
- Cc: Alan Gaines, Deputy Director
- Re: Rezone Application Review

General Comments:

DeKalb County Health Regulations prohibit use of on-site sewage disposal systems for

- multiple dwellings
- food service establishments
- hotels and motels
- commercial laundries
- funeral homes
- schools
- nursing care facilities
- personal care homes with more than six (6) clients
- child or adult day care facilities with more than six (6) clients
- residential facilities containing food service establishments

If proposal will use on-site sewage disposal, please contact the Land Use Section (404) 508-7900.

Any proposal, which will alter wastewater flow to an on-site sewage disposal system, must be reviewed by this office prior to construction.

This office must approve any proposed food service operation or swimming pool prior to starting construction.

Public health recommends the inclusion of sidewalks to continue a preexisting sidewalk network or begin a new sidewalk network. Sidewalks can provide safe and convenient pedestrian access to a community-oriented facility and access to adjacent facilities and neighborhoods.

For a public transportation route, there shall be a 5ft. sidewalk with a buffer between the sidewalk and the road. There shall be enough space next to sidewalk for bus shelter's concrete pad installation.

Since DeKalb County is classified as a Zone 1 radon county, this office recommends the use of radon resistant construction.

### **DeKalb Public Health**

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N.5 -2024-0631

SLUP-24-1247001 18 069 02 028

- 5439 Memorial Drive, Stone Mountain, GA 30083 Amendment
- Please review general comments.

N.6 -2024-0632

SLUP-24-1247003 18 111 03 018

- 2933 North Druid Hills Road, Atlanta, GA 30329 Amendment
- Please review general comments.

N.7 - 2024-0633

Z-24-1247008 15 066 01 06, 15 066 0 012, 15 066 01 011

- 5370, 5384, and 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway, Decatur, GA 30034 Amendment
- Please review general comments.

N.8 - 2024-0634

SLUP-24-1247009 18 062 08 075

1850 Lawrenceville Highway, Decatur, GA 30033

Amendment

- Please review general comments.

**DeKalb Public Health** 

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#### DeKalb County School District Development Review Comments

Submitted to:	DeKalb County	Case #: Parcel #:	Z-24-1247008 15-066-01-012
Name of Development: Location:	5370, 5384, and 5378 FLAT SHOALS PA North side of Flat Shoals Pkwy, west of K		
Description:	Application to construct up to 64 single-fa	mily attached t	ownhomes.

Impact of Development: When fully constructed, this development would be expected to generate 25 students: 5 at Browns Mill Elementary School, 5 at Chapel Hill Middle School, 7 at Southwest DeKalb High School, 8 at other DCSD schools, and 0 at private school. All three neighborhood schools have capacity for additional students.

Current Condition of Schools	Browns Mill Elementary School	Chapel Hill Middle School	Southwest DeKalb High School	Other DCSD Schools	Private Schools	Total
Capacity	648	1,140	1,922			
Portables	0	0	0			
Enrollment (Oct. 2023)	411	620	1,213			
Seats Available	237	520	709			
Utilization (%)	63.4%	54.4%	63.1%			
New students from development	5	5	7	8	0	25
New Enrollment	416	625	1,220			
New Seats Available	232	515	702			
New Utilization	64.2%	54.8%	63.5%			

		Attend	Attend other		
		Home	DCSD	Private	
Yield Rates		School	School	School	Total
Elementary		0.0803	0.0698	0.0039	0.1540
Middle		0.0698	0.0192	0.0013	0.0903
High		0.1152	0.0274	0.0054	0.1480
Total		0.2653	0.1164	0.0106	0.3923
Student Calculations					
Proposed Units		64			
Unit Type		TH			
Cluster	Southwest De	Kalb High School			
		Attend	Attend other		
		Home	DCSD	Private	
Units x Yield		School	School	School	Total
Elementary		5.14	4.47	0.25	9.86
Middle		4.47	1.23	0.08	5.78
High		7.37	1.75	0.35	9.47
Total		16.98	7.45	0.68	25.11
		Attend	Attend other		
		Home	DCSD	Private	
Anticipated Stud	ents	School	School	School	Total
Browns Mill Elementar	y School	5	5	0	10
Chapel Hill Middle S	-	5	1	0	6
Southwest DeKalb Hig	h School	7	2	0	9
			8	0	25





# DEKALB COUNTY GOVERNMENT PLANNING DEPARTMENT DISTRIBUTION FORM

The following areas below may warrant comments from the Development Division. Please respond accordingly as the issues relate to the proposed request and the site plan enclosed as it relates to Chapter 14. You may address applicable disciplines.

1247008 Review disposition comment: Failed. Revise the drawing to resolve stormwater and tributary buffer comments.

#### **DEVELOPMENT ANALYSIS:**

#### Transportation/Access/Row

<u>Consult the Georgia DOT as well as the DeKalb County Transportation Department prior to land</u> <u>development permit. Verify widths from the centerline of the roadways to the property line for</u> <u>possible right-of-way dedication. Improvements within the right-of-way may be required as a</u> <u>condition for any land development application review approval. Safe vehicular circulation is</u> <u>required. Paved off-street parking is required.</u>

Storm Water Management

<u>Compliance with the DeKalb County Code of Ordinances 14-40 for Stormwater management</u> and water quality control and Georgia Stormwater Management Manual is required as a condition of land development permit approval. There appears to be a ridge line through the proposed development. Show and state that the stormwater design for land development approval will require maintaining drainage patterns by stormwater routing to both basins. Stormwater discharge must comply with 14-40.(e)(6). Drainage easements appear necessary.

Flood Hazard Area/Wetlands

The presence of FEMA Special Flood Hazard Areas, local floodplain, or local flood prone areas was not indicated in the County G.I.S. mapping records for the site; and should be noted in the plans at the time of any land development permit application.

#### • Landscaping/Tree Preservation

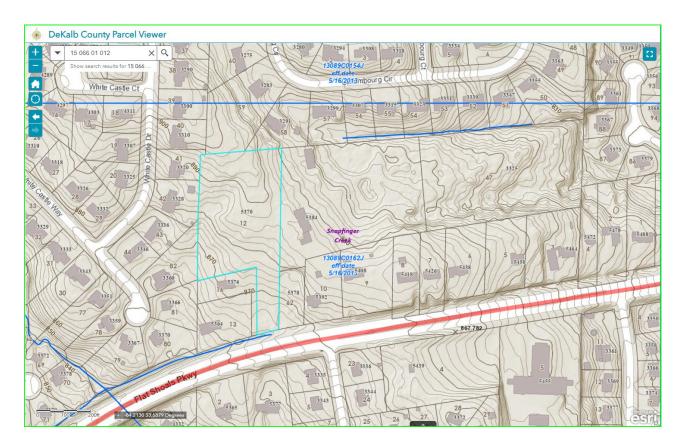
Landscaping and tree preservation plans for any building, or parking lot must comply with DeKalb County Code of Ordinances 14-39 and are subject to approval from the County Arborist.

#### • Tributary Buffer

State water possibly with buffer was reflected in the DeKalb County G.I.S. records for the site. Typical state waters buffer have a 75' undisturbed stream buffer and land development within the undisturbed creek buffer is prohibited without a variance per DeKalb County Code of Ordinances 14-44.1. Assess the feature and update the drawings accordingly.

#### Fire Safety

<u>Plans for land development permit must comply with Chapter 12 DeKalb County Code for fire</u> <u>protection and prevention.</u>





# DEKALB COUNTY GOVERNMENT PLANNING DEPARTMENT DISTRIBUTION FORM

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# COMMENTS FORM: PUBLIC WORKS TRAFFIC ENGINEERING

Case No.: 2-24-1247008

15-066-01-011, Parcel I.D. #s: 15-066-01-062, 15-066-01-012,

Address: 5370, 5384, and 5378 Flat SHOals Parkway, Decatur, Ga 30034

Adjacent Roadway (s):

(classification) (classification)

Capacity (TPD)	
Latest Count (TPD)	_
Hourly Capacity (VPH)	_
Peak Hour. Volume (VPH)	
Existing number of traffic lanes	_
Existing right of way width	_
Proposed number of traffic lanes	-
Proposed right of way width	_

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Please provide additional information relating to the following statement.

According to studies conducted by the Institute of Traffic Engineers (ITE) 6/7th Edition (whichever is applicable), churches generate an average of fifteen (15) vehicle trip end (VTE) per 1, 000 square feet of floor area, with an eight (8%) percent peak hour factor. Based on the above formula, the \_\_\_\_\_\_ square foot place of worship building would generate \_\_\_\_\_\_ vehicle trip ends, with approximately \_\_\_\_\_\_ peak hour vehicle trip ends.

Single Family residence, on the other hand, would generate ten (10) VTE's per day per dwelling unit, with a ten (10%) percent peak hour factor. Based on the above referenced formula, the \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Single Family Residential) District designation which allows a maximum of \_\_\_\_\_\_units per acres, and the given fact that the project site is approximately \_\_\_\_\_\_ acres in land area, \_\_\_\_\_\_ daily vehicle trip end, and \_\_\_\_\_\_ peak hour vehicle trip end would be generated with residential development of the parcel.

COMMENTS: Did Not see any traffic engineering concerns at this time.

Signature: Jerry With



# DEKALB COUNTY GOVERNMENT PLANNING DEPARTMENT DISTRIBUTION FORM

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# **REZONE** COMMENTS FORM:

# PUBLIC WORKS ROAD AND DRAINAGE

Case No.:	Parcel I.D. #:
Address:	
Drainage Basin:	
Upstream Drainage Area:	
Percent of Property in 100-Year Floodplain:	
Impact on property (flood, erosion, sedimentation	on) under existing zoning:
COMMENTS:	

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_Akin A. Akinsola



# Rezoning Application to Amend the Official Zoning Map of DeKalb County, Georgia

Pate Received:Application No:		
Applicant Name:		
Applicant E-Mail Address:		
Applicant Mailing Address:		
	Fax:	
	re than one owner, attach list of owners.	
Owner Mailing Address:		
Owner Daytime Phone:		
Parcel ID#:		
Acreage:		
Present Zoning District(s):		
Proposed Zoning District:		
Present Land Use Designation:		
Proposed Land Use Designation (if app	blicable):	



#### **DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY**

### **AUTHORIZATION**

The property owner should complete this form or a similar signed and notarized form if the individual who will file the application with the County is not the property owner.

Date:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

(I) (WE) Majesty, Inc.

Name of owner(s)

being (owner) (owners) of the subject property described below or attached hereby delegate authority to

Cultivate Communities & Battle Law P.C.

Name of Agent or Representative

to file an application on (my) (our) behalf.

**Notary Public** MARIA MARGARITA JARAMA Notary Public - State of New York NO. 01JA6246401 Qualified in Westchester County Ay Commission Expires Aug 8, 2027

Notar

**Notary Public** 

Notary Public

Printed Name: RONAN MCKAIN

**Owner: Majesty Inc.** 

Owner

Owner

Owner



### **DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY**

# DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION

In accordance with the Conflict of Interest in Zoning Act, OCGA Chapter 36-67A, the following questions <u>must</u> be answered.

Have you, the applicant, made \$250.00 or more in campaign contribution to a local government official within two years immediately preceding the filling of this application?

Yes	No 🖌 *
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If the answer is yes, you must file a disclosure report with the governing authority of DeKalb County showing:

- 1. The name and official position of the local government official to whom the campaign contribution was made.
- 2. The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made during the two years immediately preceding the filing of this application and the date of each such contribution.

The disclosure must be filed within 10 days after the application is first filed and must be submitted to the C.E.O. <u>and</u> to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, 1300 Commerce Drive, Decatur, GA 30030.

Notary

736281b	Frank Bailey III	04-24-2024	
_	Signature of Ap	oplicant /Date	
	Check one: Owner	Agent	✓

Expiration Date/ Seal

\*Notary seal not needed if answer is "no".



#### DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY

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Signature of Applicant /Date

Check one: Owner\_\_\_ Agent.\_\_ \_

MARK SCHWABACHER NOTARY PUBLIC
Fulton County
State of Georgia
My Comm. Expires July 13, 2027

Expiration Date/ Seal

\*Notary seal not needed if answer is "no".

#### Campaign Contribution Disclosure Statement Last Updated 11/9/2023

#### CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of 36 O.C.G.A. 67(A), please find below a list of those contributions made by Michele Battle, of Battle law, P.C. in the past two years, aggregating \$250.00 or more, to local gt,vel 1111e1 (crffltrals- Wfro wnY CUISicie1-o'ns appi\'tomm.

Name	Position	Amount	Date
Lorraine Cochran-Johnson	Commissioner	\$750.00	6/17/22
Mereda Davis Johnson	Commissioner	\$1,000.00	11/1/23

By:

Printed Name:\_\_\_

;:Micie le Battle



3562 Habersham at Northlake, Bldg. J, Ste 100 Tucker, Georgia 30084

### **Zoom Instructions:**

Go to <u>https://battlelawpc.zoom.us/join</u> and Enter the Meeting ID that you have been provided with in the appropriate field and click "Join". To join by phone, please dial (646) 558-8656. If you are unable to attend or would like to learn more about the proposed project, please call our office at the number below.

We encourage you to come out and participate!

For More Information Contact Jordan Battle at: Phone: 404-601-7616 ext. 8 Fax: 404-745-0045 Email: jeb@battlelawpc.com COMMUNITY MEETING TO DISCUSS A REZONING APPLICATION FROM R-100 TO RSM TO ALLOW FOR A TOWNHOME COMMUNITY

Project Title: Cultivate Communities-5370 Flat Shoals Parkway When: April 17, 2024

Time: 6:30PM Eastern (US and Canada)

Register in advance for this meeting: <u>https://battlelawpc.zoom.us/join</u>

> Meeting ID: 890 7646 9122 Password: 182304

**PROPOSED LOCATION(S):** 

Parcel Number - 15 066 01 012

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### **STATEMENT OF INTENT**

and

Other Material Required by DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance For A Rezoning to Small Lot Residential Mix (RSM)

of

# Cultivate Communities Real Estate, LLC c/o Battle Law, P.C.

for

+/- 8.84 Acres of Land Being 5370, 5384, and 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway Decatur, Georgia and Parcel Nos. 15 066 01 062, 15 066 01 012, and 15 066 01 011

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Cultivate Communities Real Estate, LLC (the "Applicant") is seeking to develop on +/- 8.84 acres of land being Tax Parcel Nos. 15 066 01 062, 15 066 01 012, & 15 066 01 011 having frontage on 5370, 5384, and 5378 Flat Shoals Parkway (the "Subject Property") with sixty-four (64) townhomes. The Applicant is seeking a rezoning of the Subject Property to Small Lot Residential Mix (RSM).

This document serves as a statement of intent, analysis of the criteria under the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance and contains notice of constitutional allegations as a reservation of the Applicant's rights.

# II. IMPACT ANALYSIS

# A. Whether the zoning proposal is in conformity with the policy and intent of the Comprehensive Plan.

The Applicant's Proposal for Rezoning conforms with the text and ideals of DeKalb County's 2050 Comprehensive Plan. The Plan calls for urban infill development of housing in a variety of offerings to increase the overall housing supply. The proposed development includes townhomes, an economic and efficient type of housing that satisfies the issues Dekalb's Comprehensive plan seeks to remedy. Furthermore, the Comprehensive Plan states that the RSM zoning district is appropriate in the Suburban land use category. The Subject Property has a Suburban land use designation. Therefore, the rezoning to RSM complies with the Comprehensive Plan.

# B. Whether the zoning proposal will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby properties.

All adjacent properties are residential. The proposed development is also solely residential. The Applicant intends on developing the property to be entirely cohesive in the use of the surrounding neighborhood. Therefore, the zoning proposal will permit a suitable use in view of the surrounding uses.

# C. Whether the property to be affected by the zoning proposal has a reasonable economic use as currently zoned.

Because the assemblage of properties is an odd flag-shape, it disallows the type of home the properties are currently entitled to build. It would be an expensive process to modify the site so that it would be economically feasible to build a single-family home, either a developer or private individual. Furthermore, one of the large parcels is entirely landlocked without street access. Not only does it make it economically unfeasible, but it also makes it impossible without the assembling of the adjacent property with road access.



# D. Whether the zoning proposal will adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby properties.

The proposed development will not adversely affect the existing use of adjacent properties. The largest impacts of a multi-unit development are traffic, encroachment into neighboring properties, and effects to the natural environment. The development will increase trips, but the property fronts on Flat Shoals which a Major Arterial Road, capable of handling the excess trips of the planned units. Additionally, the centralized development of the property must go through the permitting process, in addition to complying with all buffer and related requirements of the RSM zoning. Both mitigate external repercussions that will adversely affect its neighbors.

# E. Whether there are other existing or changing conditions affecting the use and development of the property which give supporting grounds for either approval or disapproval of the zoning proposal.

The Subject Property is under contract to be purchased as an assemblage. The assemblage now allows for a centralized, planned development that can better plan for the topography and other features while maximizing the economic viability of the overall project. The zoning proposal should be approved because it allows both the goals of the development and the greater goals outlined DeKalb's Comprehensive Plan.

# F. Whether the zoning proposal will adversely affect historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources.

The Applicant is not aware of any historic buildings, sites, districts, or archaeological resources on the Subject Property.

# G. Whether the zoning proposal will result in a use which will or could cause excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools.

The proposed development includes 64 units of townhome. It will increase the use of all public services; however it will not cause an excessive burden. The Subject Property's only access point is along Flat Shoals Parkway, a major arterial road which is designated to handle the increased load. Additionally, the Applicant intends on developing internal infrastructure that taps into readily available utilities. The addition of 64 units is not an enormous increase in the overall number of homes in the area.

# H. Whether the zoning proposal adversely impacts the environment or surrounding natural resources.

The Subject Property is a small assemblage of parcels. The 8.84 acres are currently surrounded by development. Any impacts to the environment or natural resources have already been created. While the proposed development requires land disturbance, once



built, the new units only marginally increase the overall impacts to the environment. Additionally, the development's centralized operation allows the Applicant to carefully plan for environmental mitigation unlike the isolated process of building single-family homes.

# III. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, the Applicant hereby requests that the application for a rezoning from R-100 to RSM be approved. The Applicant welcomes any questions and feedback from the planning staff.

# IV. NOTICE OF CONSTITUTIONAL ALLEGATIONS AND PRESERVATION OF CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

The portions of the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance, facially and as applied to the Subject Property, which restrict or classify or may restrict or classify the Subject Property so as to prohibit its development as proposed by the Applicant are or would be unconstitutional in that they would destroy the Applicant's property rights without first paying fair, adequate and just compensation for such rights, in violation of the Fifth Amendment and Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States and Article I, Section I, Paragraph I of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983, Article I, Section III, Paragraph I of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983, and would be in violation of the Commerce Clause, Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution of the United States.

The application of the DeKalb County Zoning Ordinance to the Subject Property which restricts its use to any classification other than that proposed by the Applicant is unconstitutional, illegal, null and void, constituting a taking of Applicant's Property in violation of the Just Compensation Clause of the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, Article I, Section I, Paragraph I, and Article I, Section III, Paragraph I of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983, and the Equal Protection and Due Process Clauses of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States denying the Applicant an economically viable use of its land while not substantially advancing legitimate state interests.

A denial of this Application would constitute an arbitrary irrational abuse of discretion and unreasonable use of the zoning power because they bear no substantial relationship to the public health, safety, morality or general welfare of the public and substantially harm the Applicant in violation of the due process and equal protection rights guaranteed by the Fifth Amendment and Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States, and Article I, Section I, Paragraph I and Article I, Section III, Paragraph 1 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia.

A refusal by the DeKalb County Board of Commissioners to amend the land use and/or rezone the Subject Property to the classification as requested by the Applicant would be unconstitutional and discriminate in an arbitrary, capricious and unreasonable manner between the Applicant and owners of similarly situated property in violation of Article I, Section I, Paragraph II of the



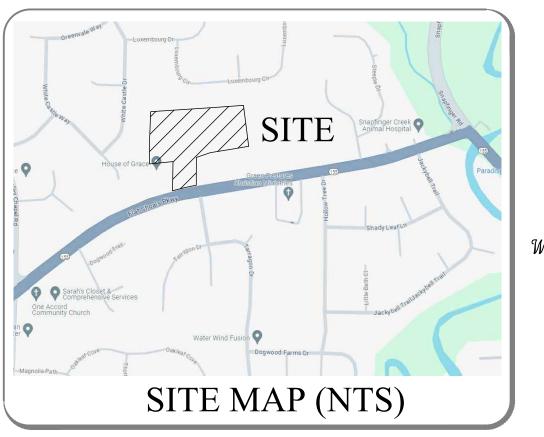
Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983 and the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Any Rezoning of the Property subject to conditions which are different from the conditions requested by the Applicant, to the extent such different conditions would have the effect of further restricting Applicant's utilization of the property, would also constitute an arbitrary, capricious and discriminatory act in zoning the Subject Property to an unconstitutional classification and would likewise violate each of the provisions of the State and Federal Constitutions set forth hereinabove.

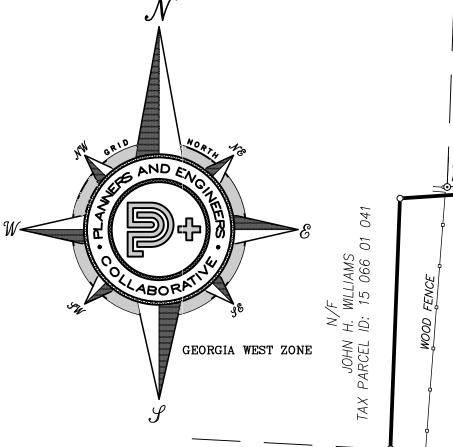
A refusal to allow the Rezoning in questions would be unjustified from a fact-based standpoint and instead would result only from constituent opposition, which would be an unlawful delegation of authority in violation of Article IX, Section II, Paragraph IV of the Georgia Constitution.

A refusal to allow the Rezoning in question would be invalid inasmuch as it would be denied pursuant to an ordinance which is not in compliance with the Zoning Procedures Law, O.C.G.A Section 36-66/1 et seq., due to the manner in which the Ordinance as a whole and its map(s) have been adopted.

The existing zoning classification on the Subject Property is unconstitutional as it applies to the Subject Property. This notice is being given to comply with the provisions of O.C.G.A. Section 36-11-1 to afford the County an opportunity to revise the Property to a constitutional classification. If action is not taken by the County to rectify this unconstitutional zoning classification within a reasonable time, the Applicant is hereby placing the County on notice that it may elect to file a claim in the Superior Court of DeKalb County demanding just and adequate compensation under Georgia law for the taking of the Subject Property, diminution of value of the Subject Property, attorney's fees and other damages arising out of the unlawful deprivation of the Applicant's property rights.

Michele L. Battle, Esq. Attorney for the Applicant





# NOTES

1. THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHOWN HAVE BEEN LOCATED FROM FIELD SURVEY INFORMATION AND EXISTING DRAWINGS. THIS SURVEYOR MAKES NO GUARANTEE THAT THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHOWN COMPRISE ALL SUCH UTILITIES IN THE AREA, EITHER IN SERVICE OR ABANDONED. THE SURVEYOR FURTHER DOES NOT WARRANT THAT THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHOWN ARE IN THE EXACT LOCATION INDICATED ALTHOUGH HE DOES CERTIFY THAT THEY ARE LOCATED AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE FROM INFORMATION SUPPLIED AND TO THE SURVEYOR'S BEST KNOWLEDGE ARE APPROXIMATELY AS SHOWN. THE SURVEYOR HAS NOT PHYSICALLY LOCATED THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES. ALL UTILITIES SERVING THE PROPERTY ENTER THROUGH ADJOINING PUBLIC STREETS AND/OR EASEMENTS OF RECORD.

2. I HAVE EXAMINED THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP FOR DEKALB COUNTY, GEORGIA AND INCORPORATED AREAS. COMMUNITY PANEL NUMBER 13089C0162J, PANEL 162 OF 201, EFFECTIVE DATE MAY 16, 2013 AND FOUND NO PORTION OF THE PROPERTY SHOWN HEREON TO FALL WITHIN A DESIGNATED FLOOD ZONE "A" (AREAS OF 100 YEAR FLOOD). THE PROPERTY SHOWN HEREON TO FALL WITHIN A DESIGNATED FLOOD ZONE "X" (AREAS DETERMINED TO BE OUTSIDE THE 0.2% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD.

3. THIS SITE IS TIED TO GRID NORTH BASED ON GPS OBSERVATIONS ADJUSTED BY PLANNERS AND ENGINEERS COLLABORATIVE IN APRIL 2024. NORTH AMERICAN DATUM OF 1983 (NAD83), NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988 (NAVD88), GEORGIA WEST ZONE STATE PLANE COORDINATES.

4. THE TERM "CERTIFICATION" RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING SERVICES SHALL MEAN A SIGNED STATEMENT BASED UPON FACTS AND KNOWLEDGE KNOWN TO THE REGISTRANT AND IS NOT A GUARANTEE OR WARRANTY, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED.

5. THIS SURVEY HAS BEEN PREPARED WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF A CURRENT TITLE INSPECTION REPORT. EASEMENTS OR OTHER ENCUMBRANCES MAY EXIST ON PUBLIC RECORD BUT NOT BE SHOWN HEREON.

6. NO ZONING INFORMATION PROVIDED FOR BUILDING SETBACKS.

7. THIS SURVEY WAS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAWS AND/OR MINIMUM STANDARDS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

8. THE PROPERTY HAS DIRECT ACCESS TO FLAT SHOALS PARKWAY, A DEDICATED PUBLIC STREET OR HIGHWAY.

9. THERE IS NO OBSERVED EVIDENCE OF USE OF THE PROPERTY AS A SOLID WASTE DUMP, SUMP OR SANITARY LANDFILL.

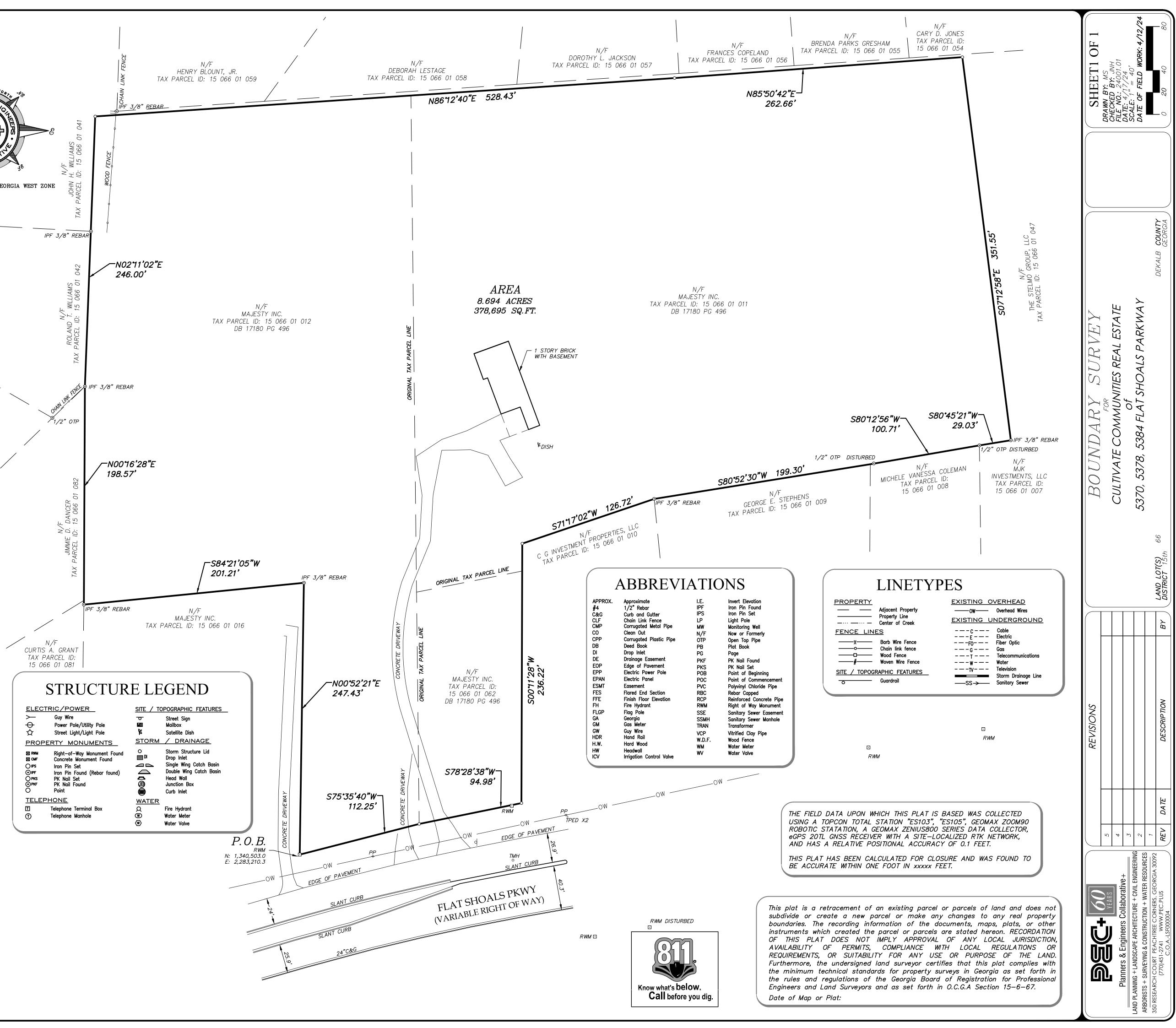
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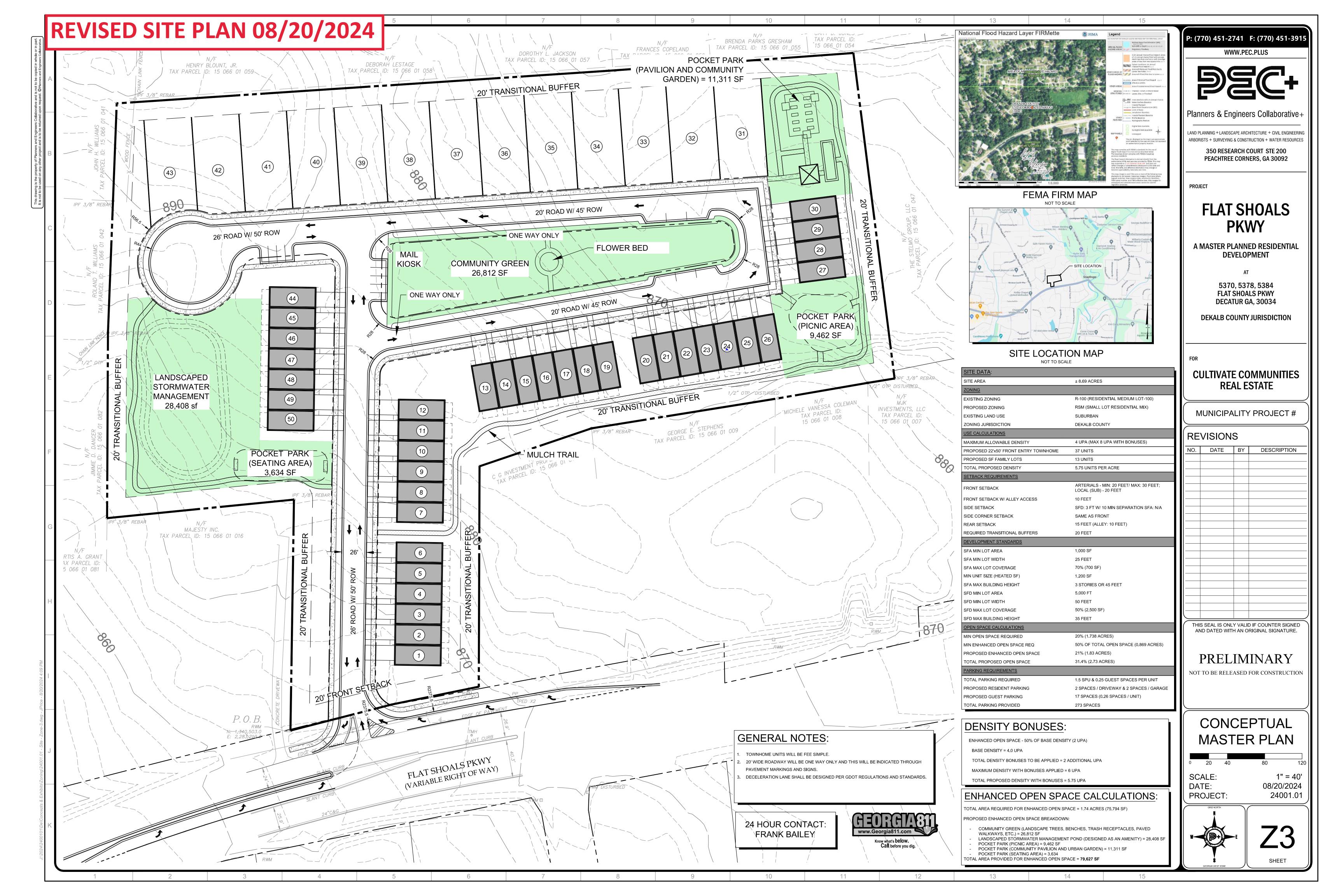
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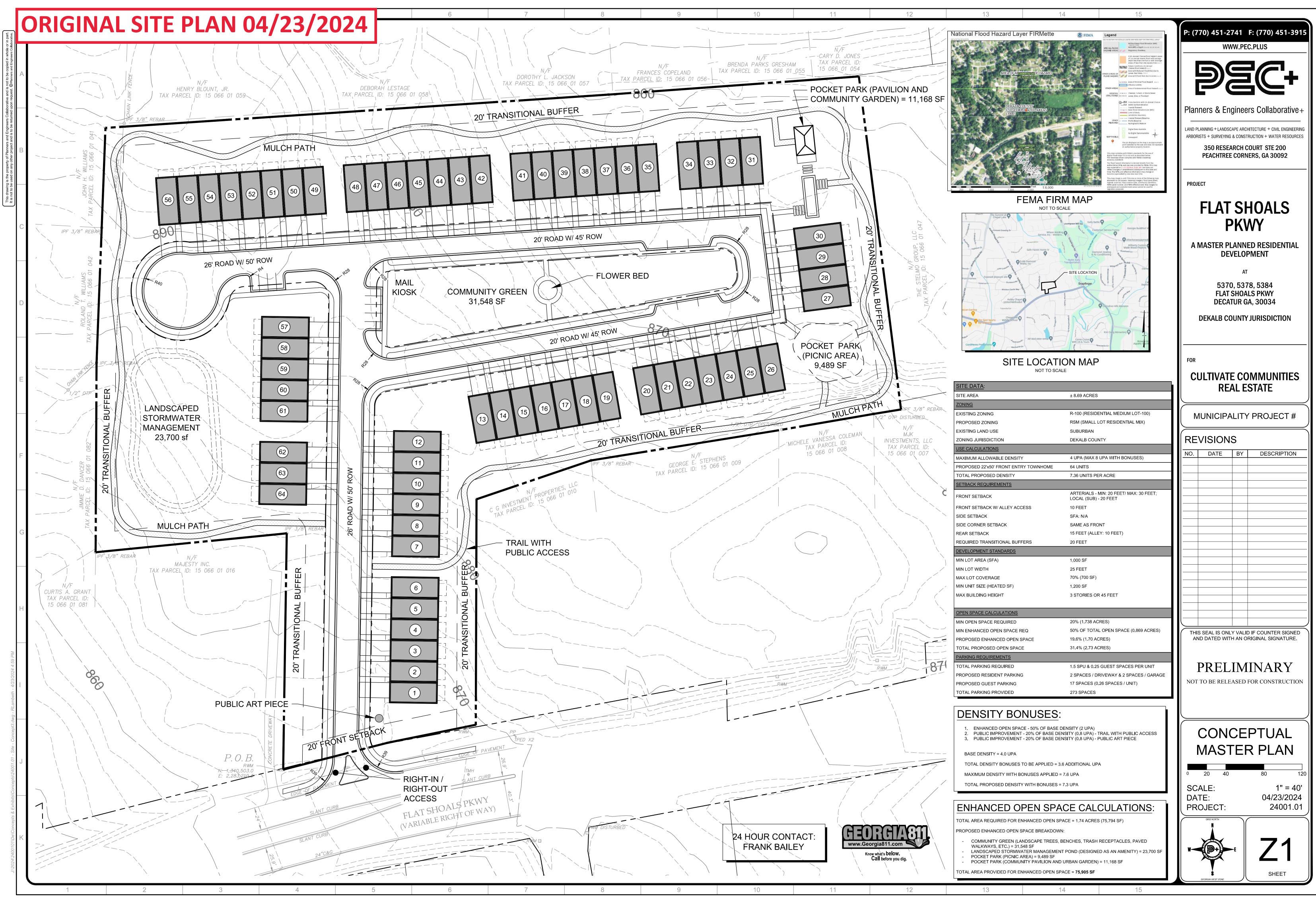
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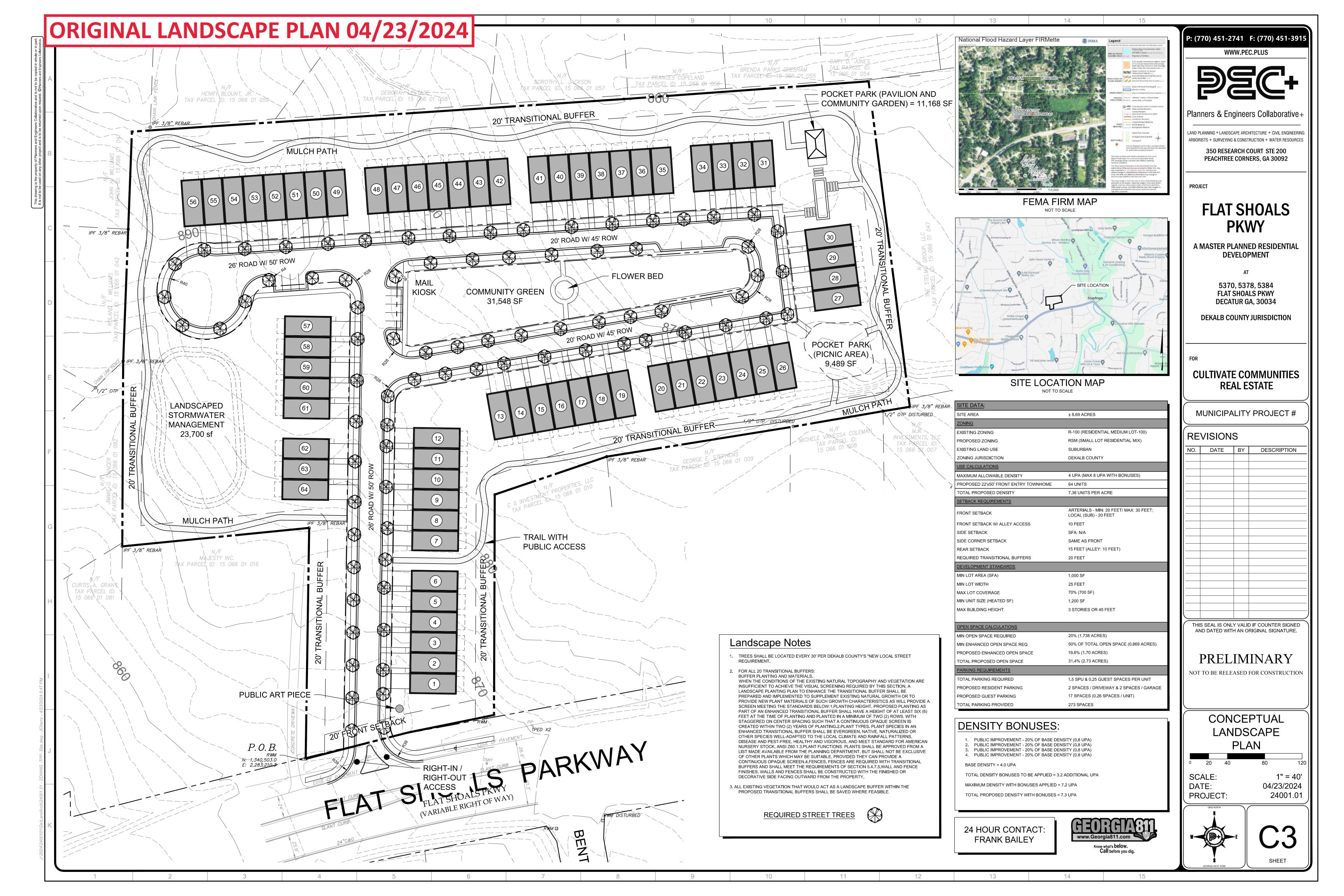
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THENCE leaving said northerly right of way of Flat Shoals Parkway and proceed North 00 degrees 52 minutes 21 seconds East a distance of 247.43 feet to a found 3/8 inch rebar; thence South 84 degrees 21 minutes 05 seconds West a distance of 201.18 feet to a found 3/8 inch rebar; thence North 00 degrees 15 minutes 59 seconds East a distance of 198.56 feet to a found 3/8 inch rebar; thence North 02 degrees 11 minutes 02 seconds East a distance of 246.00 feet to a point; thence North 86 degrees 12 minutes 40 seconds East a distance of 528.43 feet to a point; thence North 85 degrees 50 minutes 42 seconds East a distance of 262.66 feet to a point; thence South 07 degrees 12 minutes 58 seconds East a distance of 351.55 feet to a found 3/8 inch rebar; thence South 80 degrees 45 minutes 21 seconds West a distance of 29.03 feet to a found 1/2 inch open top pipe; thence South 80 degrees 12 minutes 56 seconds West a distance of 100.71 feet to a found 1/2 inch open top pipe disturbed; thence South 80 degrees 52 minutes 30 seconds West a distance of 199.30 feet to a found 3/8 inch rebar; thence South 71 degrees 17 minutes 02 seconds West a distance of 126.72 feet to a point; thence South 00 degrees 11 minutes 28 seconds West a distance of 236.22 feet to a point located on said northerly right of way of Flat Shoals Parkway; thence along said northerly right of way the following courses and distances: South 78 degrees 28 minutes 38 seconds West a distance of 94.98 feet to a point; South 75 degrees 35 minutes 40 seconds West a distance of 112.25 feet to a point, said pipe being the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Tract or parcel contains 378,695 square feet or 8,694 acres.







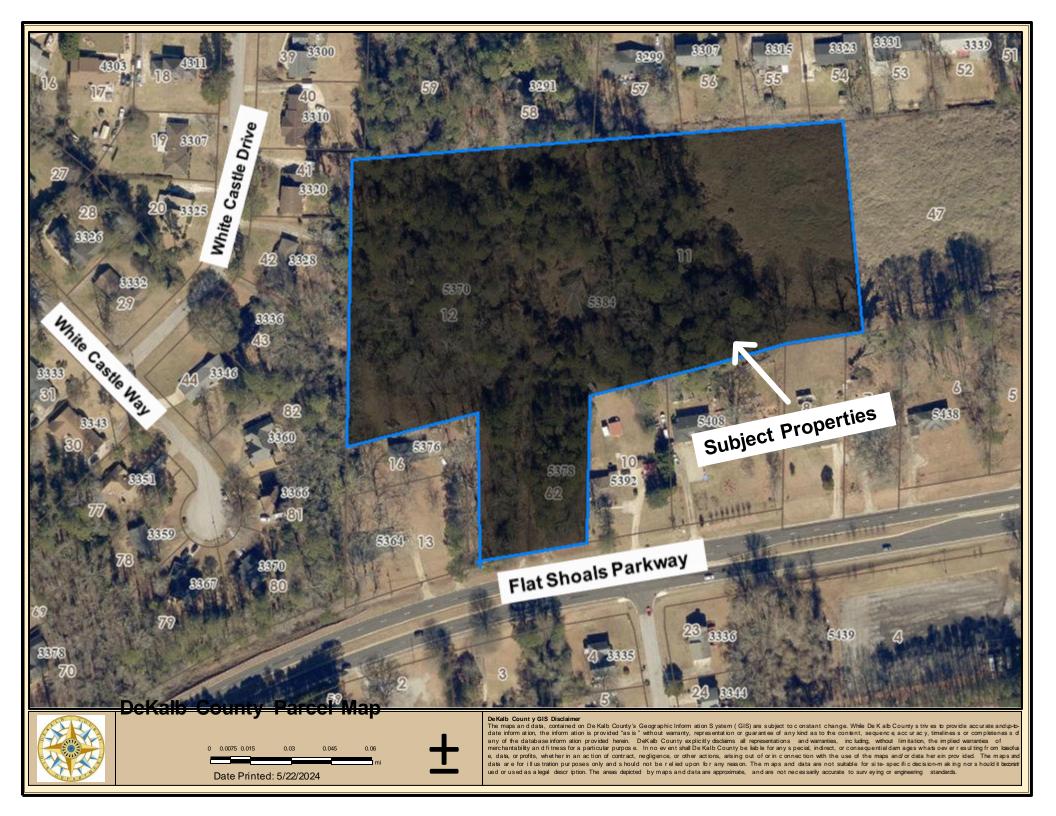


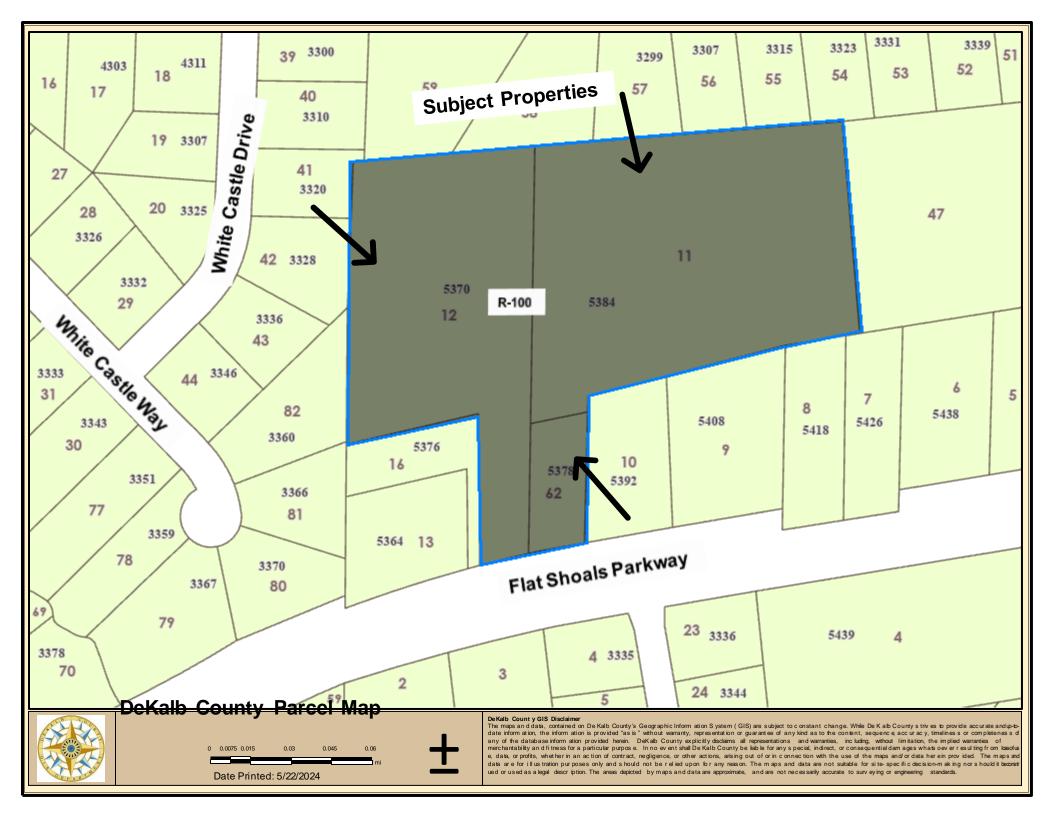
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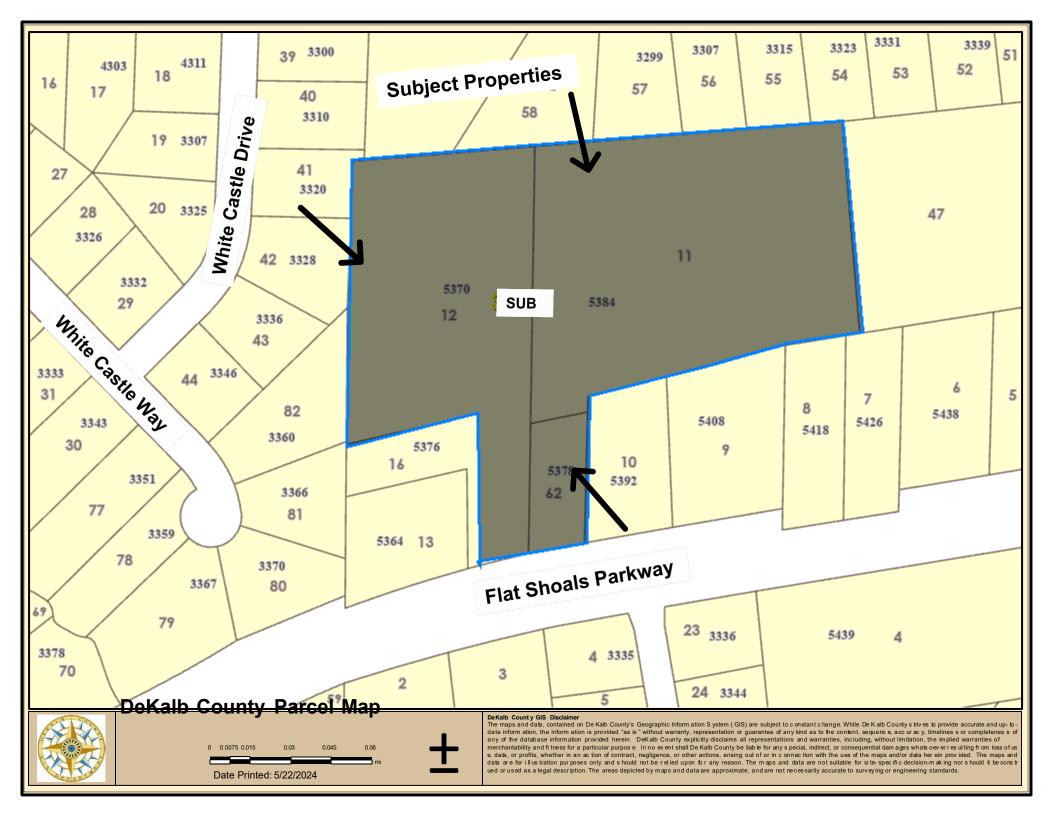


# WHAT TO KNOW BEFORE YOU FILE YOUR APPLICATION

Pre-submittal Community Meeting: I	eview Calendar Dates: PC: BOC:					
Letter of Intent:Impact Analysis:0	Owner Authorization(s): Campaign Disclosure:					
Zoning Conditions: Community Council Meeting: Public Notice, Signs:						
Tree Survey, Conservation: Land Dis	turbance Permit (LDP): Sketch Plat:					
Bldg. Permits: Fire Inspection:	Business License: State License:					
Lighting Plan: Tent Permit: Su	omittal Format: NO STAPLES, NO BINDERS PLEASE					
<b>Review of Site Plan</b>						
Density: Density Bonuses:	Mix of Uses: Open Space:					
Enhanced Open Space: Setbacks: f	ront sides side corner rear					
Lot Size: Frontage: Street Widths: Landscape Strips:						
Buffers: Parking Lot Landscaping:	Parking - Auto: Parking - Bicycle:					
Screening: Streetscapes:	Sidewalks:Fencing/Walls:					
Bldg. Height: Bldg. Orientation: B	ldg. Separation: Bldg. Materials:					
Roofs: Fenestration: Façade De	sign: Garages: Pedestrian Plan:					
Perimeter Landscape Strip:						
Possible Variances:						
Comments:						
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Planner: Date:						
	FILING FEES					
<b>REZONING:</b> RE, RLG, R-100, R-85, R-75, R-60, M						
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Board of Commissioner March 27, 2025 5:30 PM Held @ 178 Sams Street, Decatur, GA 30030





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