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PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT CASE REPORT

Case Number: RZR2024-00025

Current Zoning: RA-200 (Agriculture-Residence District)

Reguest: Rezoning to **R-100** (Single-Family Residence District)

Address: 2129 Old Peachtree Road

Map Number: R7060 005 Site Area: 1.88 acres

Lots: 3

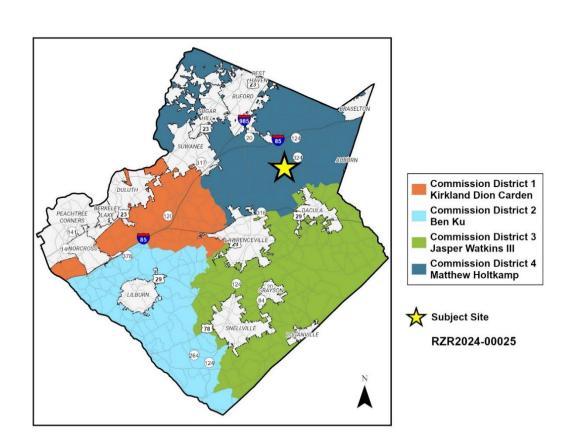
Proposed Development: Single-Family Detached Subdivision **Commission District:** District 4 – Commissioner Holtkamp

Future Development Type: Neighborhood Traditional+

Staff Recommendation: APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS

Planning Commission

Recommendation: APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS



Applicant:Florentina FisteagOwners:Florentina Fisteag

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Contact: Florentina Fisteag Contact Phone: 678.668.4731

Zoning History

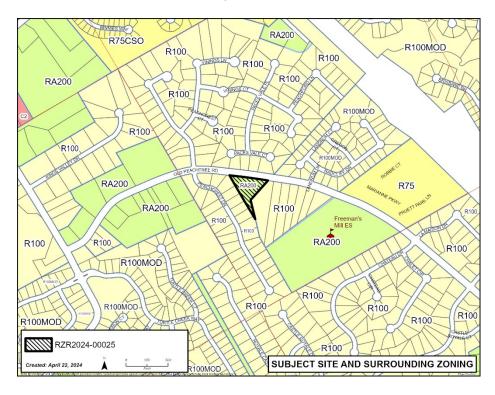
The subject property is zoned RA-200 (Agriculture-Residence District). No prior zoning cases are on record for this property.

Existing Site Condition

The subject property is a 1.88-acre undeveloped parcel located along Old Peachtree Road, east of Peachcrest Drive. The site is wooded and falls approximately 8 feet from the street to the rear property line. A four-foot-wide sidewalk exists along the Old Peachtree Road frontage. The nearest Gwinnett County Transit stop is approximately 3.1 miles from the subject property.

Surrounding Use and Zoning

The surrounding area is comprised entirely of single-family detached residences. Old Peachtree Cove, a single-family detached subdivision, abuts the subject property to the west. Across Old Peachtree Road, to the north, is the Peachtree Woods subdivision. To the east, along Old Peachtree Road, are seven single-family homes. The following is a summary of surrounding uses and zoning:



Location	Land Use	Zoning	Density
Proposed	Single-Family Residential	R-100	1.60 units per acre
North	Single-Family Residential	R-100	1.34 units per acre
East	Single-Family Residential		0.74 units per acre
South	South Single-Family Residential		0.74 units per acre
West	Single-Family Residential	R-100	1.40 units per acre

Project Summary

The applicant requests rezoning of a 1.88-acre property from RA-200 to R-100 for a single-family detached subdivision, including:

- Three single-family residences on lots ranging from 27,200 square feet to 27,444 square feet, yielding a density of 1.60 units per acre.
- A minimum heated floor area of 3,500 square feet and front loaded three-car garages.
- Two-story homes with exterior building materials of brick, fiber-cement siding, and board and batten with stone accents.
- Individual driveways to each lot from Old Peachtree Road.
- Lots to be served by individual private septic systems.
- An existing four-foot-wide sidewalk along Old Peachtree Road.

Zoning and Development Standards

The applicant is requesting a rezoning to R-100 for a single-family detached subdivision. The following is a summary of applicable development standards from the Unified Development Ordinance (UDO):

Standard	Required	Proposed	Meets Standard?	
Lot Size	Minimum 15,000 square feet	>15,000 square feet	YES	
Lot Width	Minimum 100'	>100′	YES	
Lot Coverage	Maximum 45%	<45%	YES	
Front Yard Setback	Minimum 25'	>25'	YES	
Rear Yard Setback	Minimum 30'	>30'	YES	
Side Yard Setback	Minimum 10'	>10'	YES	
Building Height	Maximum 35'	<35'	YES	

Internal and External Agency Review

In addition to these Development Standards, the applicant must meet all other UDO requirements related to infrastructure improvements. Internal and External agency review comments are attached (Exhibit F). Standard site and infrastructure improvements will also be required related to stormwater, transportation, water, and sewer utilities. Recommended improvements not already required by the UDO have been added as staff recommended conditions.

Staff Analysis

Rezoning Request Analysis: According to the UDO, if a proposed amendment is for the rezoning of property and involves a change in zoning classification, the Department shall evaluate the request and make a recommendation with respect to the standards governing exercise of zoning power as defined in Section 270-20.6. After this evaluation, staff makes the following findings based on the standards from the UDO:

A. Whether a proposed rezoning will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby property.

The subject site is surrounded by single-family detached residences within subdivisions and residences on lots fronting Old Peachtree Road. The proposed development would have comparable home sizes, density, and exterior materials to the surrounding residences. The proposed rezoning will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby property.

B. Whether a proposed rezoning will adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby property.

The proposed rezoning would introduce three single-family residences to an existing residential corridor and would not adversely affect the use or usability of adjacent or nearby property. However, the site plan shows three separate driveways that could generate points of conflict along Old Peachtree Road. A staff recommended zoning condition would require one shared driveway to mitigate any potential negative impacts to adjacent and nearby properties.

C. Whether the property to be affected by a proposed rezoning has a reasonable economic use as currently zoned.

The property has a reasonable economic use as currently zoned.

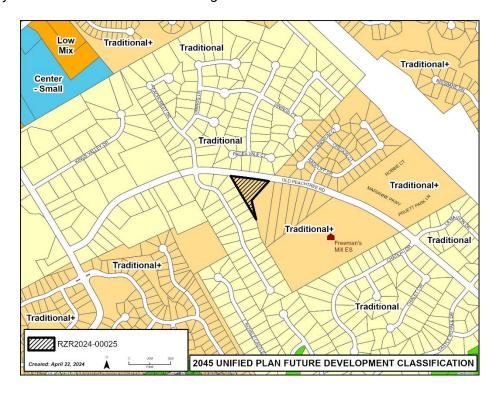
D. Whether the proposed rezoning will result in a use which will or could cause an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools.

An increase in impacts on public facilities would be anticipated in the form of traffic, utility demand, and stormwater runoff; however, these impacts would be mitigated with appropriate conditions, site development requirements, and planning. A minimal impact is anticipated on school enrollment. Agency review comments related to any potential improvements concerning this rezoning request are attached. (Exhibit F).

E. Whether the proposed rezoning is in conformity with the policy and intent of the Unified Plan and Future Development Map; and

The Unified Plan's Future Development Map indicates "Neighborhood Traditional+" for the subject property. This development type envisions relatively denser residential development with smaller footprint homes at 7-8 units per acre. Recommended land uses include single-family detached, single-family cottage, quadplexes, triplexes, duplexes, townhomes, and stacked flats.

The proposed rezoning to R-100 is not a recommended zoning district in the "Neighborhood Traditional+" future development type. However, the subject property is consistent with the density and lot sizes of the surrounding area.



F. 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 proposed rezoning.

There are no other conditions giving support for approval or disapproval of the proposal.

Staff Recommendation

Based on the staff's evaluation of the request and the standards governing the exercise of zoning power, the Department of Planning and Development recommends **APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS** of the rezoning request.

Planning Commission Recommendation

Based on staff's evaluation of the request, information presented at the public hearing, and the Planning Commission's consideration of the standards governing the exercise of zoning power related to this application, the Planning Commission recommends **APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS** of the rezoning request.

Planning Commission Recommended Conditions (includes Staff Recommended Conditions, as Amended)

Approval as R-100 (Single-Family Residence District) for a single-family detached subdivision, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The development shall be limited to single-family detached dwellings and accessory uses and structures, not to exceed three lots.
- 2. The proposed development shall be constructed in general conformance with Exhibit B: Site Plan, dated received April 15, 2024, subject to the review and approval of the Department of Planning and Development.
- 3. Exterior building materials shall be of brick, stacked stone, fiber cement siding and/or board and batten.
- 4. The minimum heated floor area shall be 3,500 square feet.
- 5. A 5-foot-wide sidewalk shall be provided along Old Peachtree Road, subject to the review and approval of the Gwinnett County Department of Transportation.
- 6. The site shall be limited to a single, shared entrance from Old Peachtree Road, subject to the review and approval of the Gwinnett County Department of Transportation.
- 7. Natural vegetation shall remain on the property until the issuance of a building permit.
- 8. All homes shall be fee simple.

Exhibits:

- A. Site Visit Photos
- B. Site Plan
- C. Building Elevations
- D. Letter of Intent and Applicant's Response to Standards
- E. Application and Disclosure of Campaign Contributions
- F. Internal and External Agency Review Comments
- G. Maps

Exhibit A: Site Visit Photos



View of property frontage along Old Peachtree Road



Existing sidewalks, overhead utilities, and curb and gutter



Neighboring subdivision west of the subject property



Neighboring subdivision east of the subject property

Exhibit B: Site Plan

[attached]

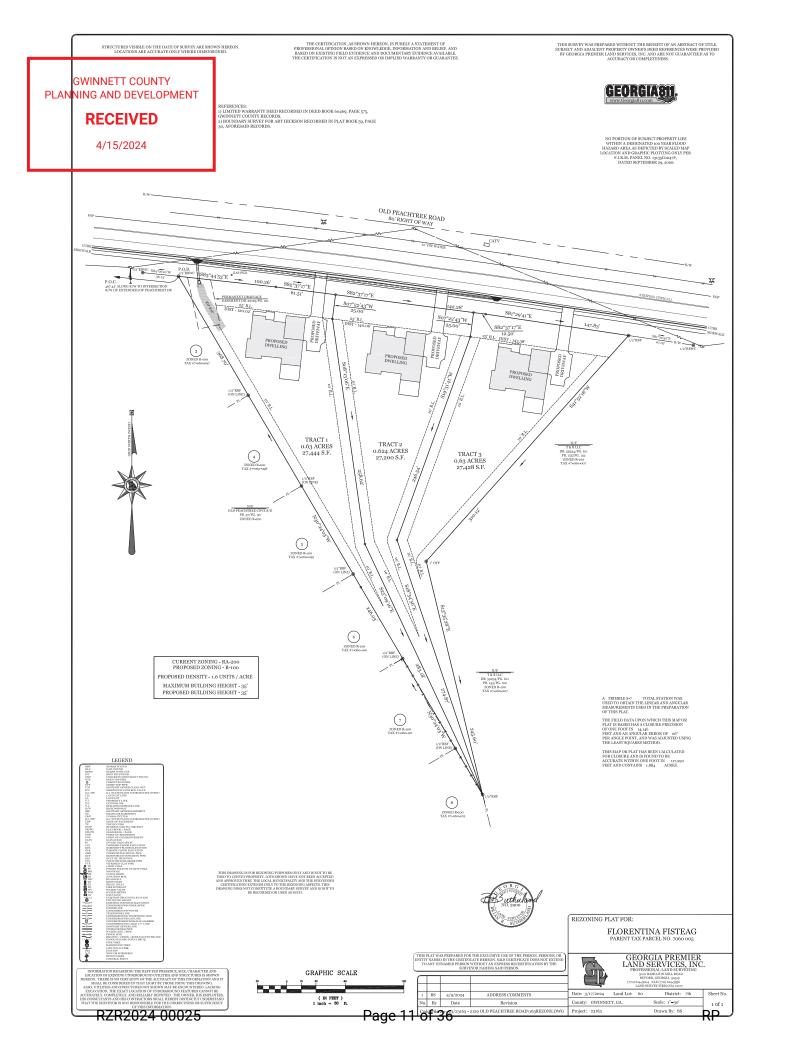
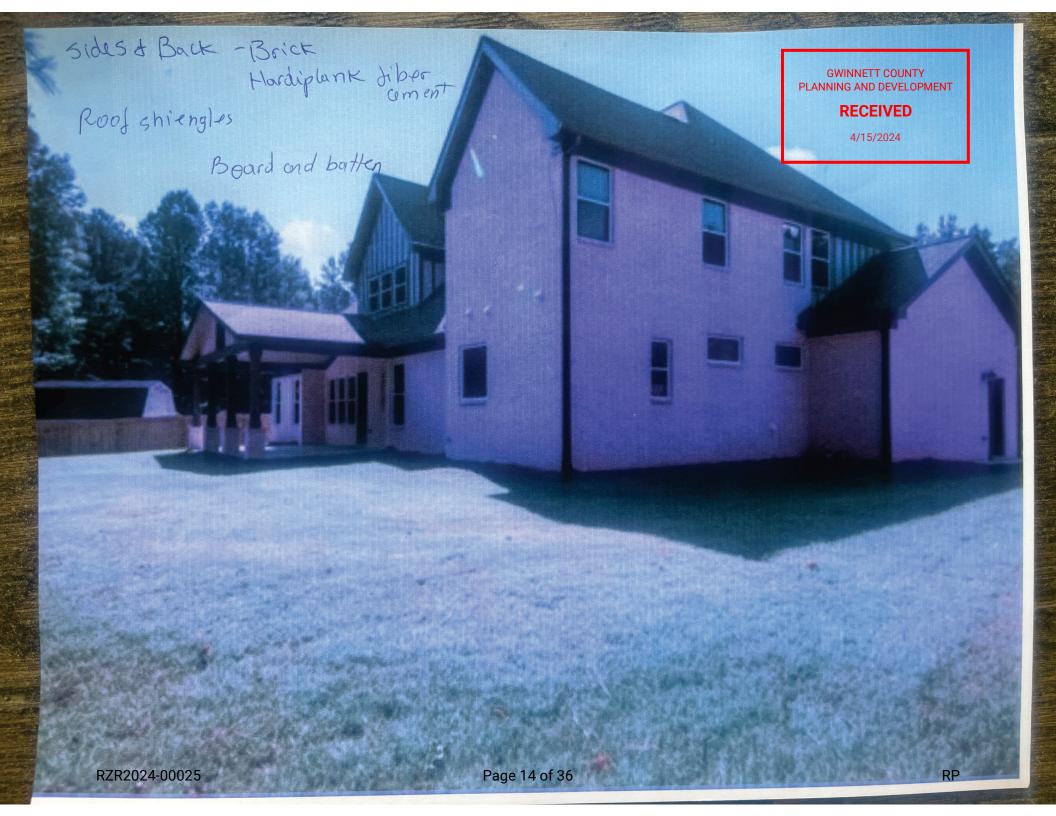
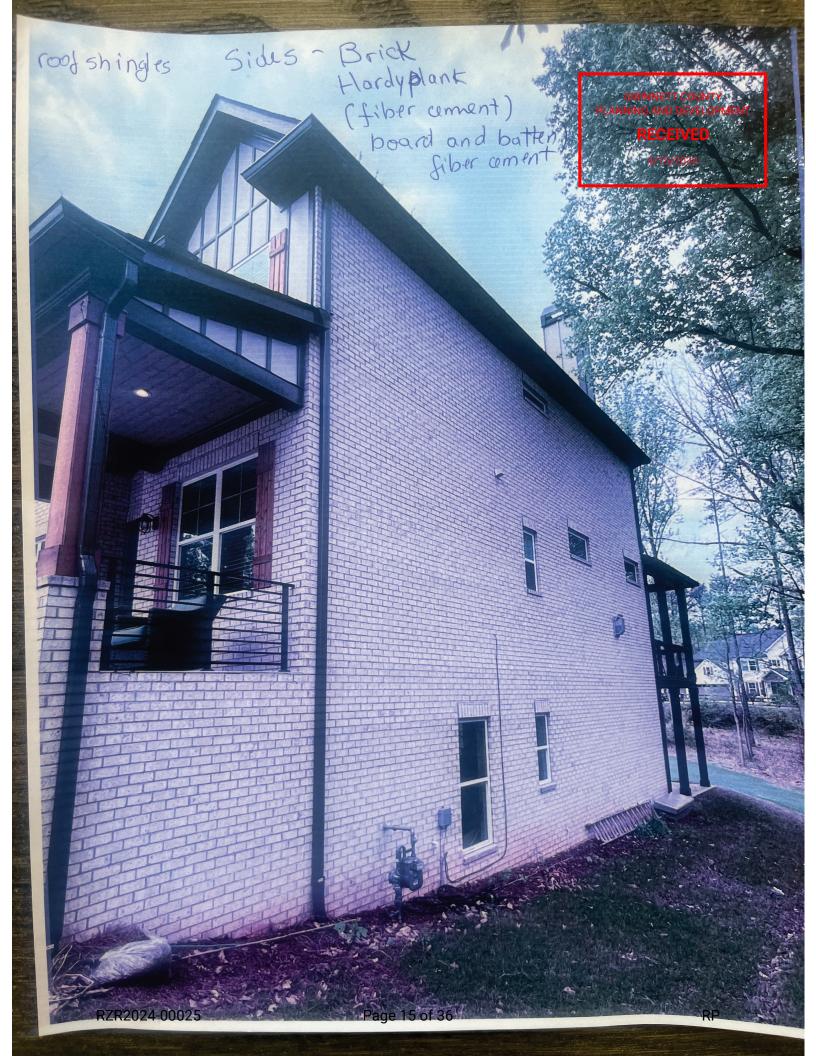


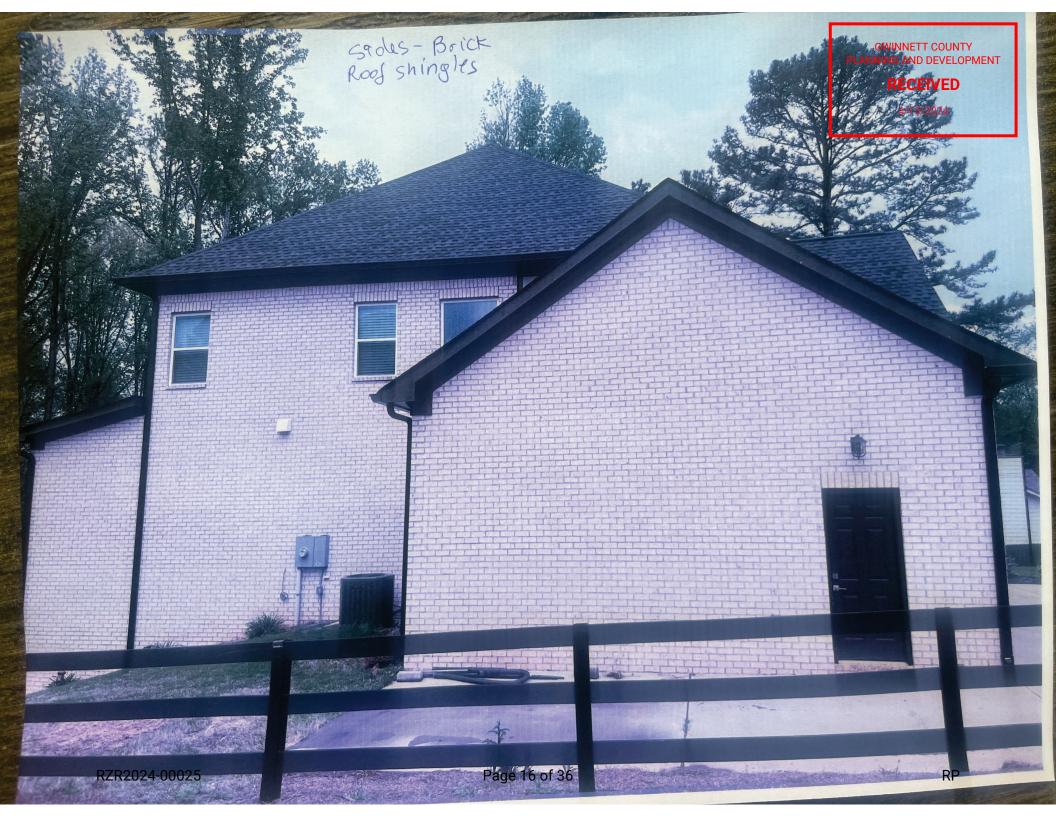
Exhibit C: Building Elevations

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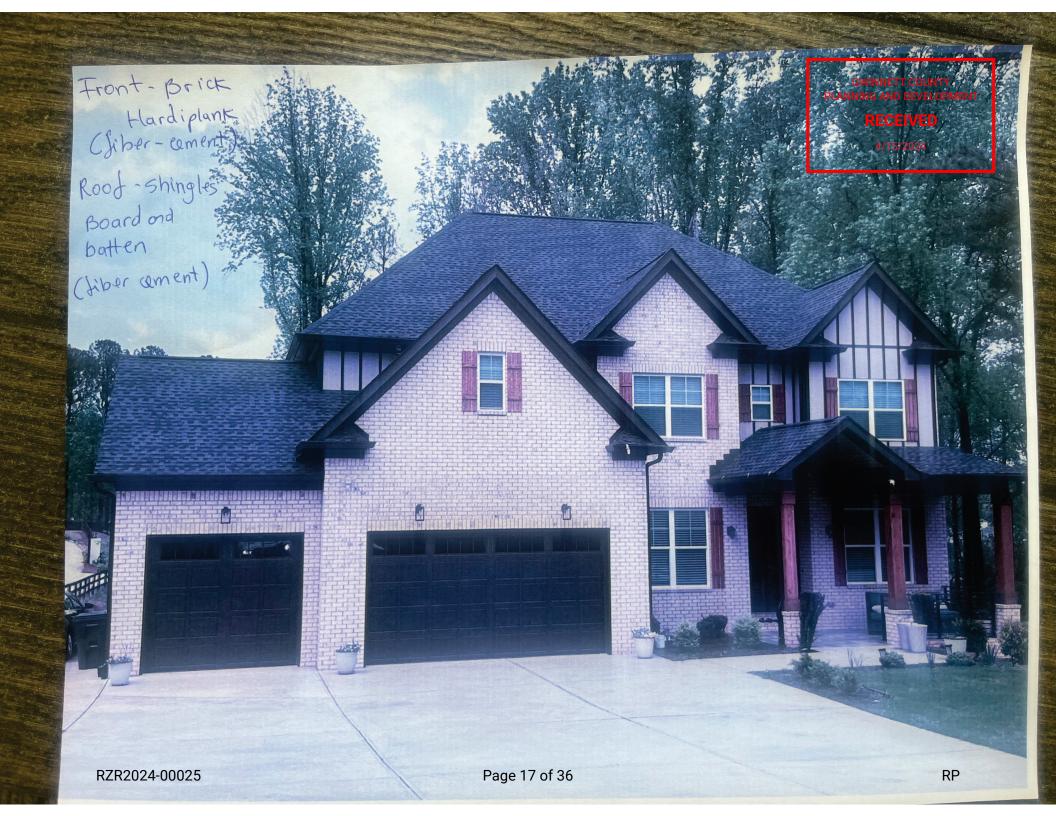




Exhibit D: Letter of Intent and Applicant's Response to Standards [attached]



REZONING APPLICAN'S LETTER OF INTENT

The Applicant and Owner, Florentina Fisteag requests a rezoning for the property located at 2129 Old Peachtree Road Lawrenceville, GA 30043

The property is currently zoned RA-200 and the request is to rezone the property to R-100 to allow the development of 3 single family homes.

The character of these homes is in compliance with single family houses surrounding the properties, which are zoned R-100.

Also, on the east and west of the property are zoned the same.

The homes will be a minimum of 3,500 s.f. for a two story home. The homes will be Hardiplank with Brick, Stone Accents and on Septic System.

This will increase the value of the area and by allowing others to see new infrastructure being built since it's right on the main road, it will be a great represent for the neighborhood around.

I, the applicant , respectfully request your approval of this application. Thank you!

Respectfully submitted,

Florentina Fisteag

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STANDARDS GOVERNING THE EXERCISE OF THE ZONING POWER

Pursuant to requirements of the United Development Ordinance, the Board of Commissioners finds that the following standards are relevant in balancing the interest in promoting the public health, safety, morality, or general welfare against the right to the unrestricted use of property and shall govern the exercise of the zoning power.

Please respond to the following standards in the space provided or use attachment as necessary:

(A)	Whether a proposed rezoning will permit a use that is suitable in view of the use and development of adjacent and nearby property:
	Yes, will have 3 beautiful homes, matching the
	Yes, will have 3 beautiful homes, matching the surroundings with the next neighborhood homes
(B)	Whether a proposed rezoning will adversely affect the existing use or usability of adjacent or nearby property:
	Notit will not, the surronoling areas are also single homes and the proposal will make
(C)	Whether the property to be affected by a proposed rezoning has reasonable economic use as currently zoned: Yes, it will help economic and icrease the
	area
(D)	Whether the proposed rezoning will result in a use which could cause an excessive or burdensome use of existing streets, transportation facilities, utilities, or schools:
	cause a large increase to this factor
(E)	Whether the proposed rezoning is in conformity with the policy and intent of the Unified Plan and Future Development Map:
	It will create more housing options
(F)	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 proposed rezoning:
	It's on the moun road, it doest effect the surrounding, but improve the area

Exhibit E: Application and Disclosure of Campaign Contributions [attached]

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REZONING APPLICATION

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AN APPLICATION TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF GWINNETT COUNTY, GA.

APPLICANT INFORMATION	PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION					
Name: Florentina Fisteng	Name: Florenting Fistery					
Address: 1264 Lob 2011y way	Address: 1264 Lob bolly way					
city: Lawrenceville	city: Lewerenceville					
State: CM ZIP: 30043	State: 64 ZIP: 30043					
Phone: 678-668-4731	Phone: 678~ 668~ 4731					
Email: fisteagz ffm Oyahou wm	Email: fisteng& Amo Yahoo con					
Contact Person: Florentina Fister	Phone: 678-668-4731					
Contact's Email: fisteagzffm	ayahoo, com					
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Owner's Agent	Owner Contract Purchaser					
Current Zoning District(s): RA 200 Requested Zoning District: R 100						
Parcel Number(s): R 7060 005 Acreage: 1.88						
Property Address(es): 2129 Old Peachtree Road Lawrenaville						
Proposed Development: Subdivide lots WA 300 43						
Variance(s): Waiver(s):						
RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT NON-RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT						
No. of Dwelling Units: 3	No. of Buildings:					
	Total Building Sq. Ft.:					
Density: 1.6 units per acre	Floor Area Ratio:					
Floor Area Ratio (LRR, MRR, HRR):						
MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT						
No. of Dwelling Units: Dwelling Unit Sq. Ft.:						
Total Non-Residential Sq. Ft.: Floor Area Ratio:						



4/15/2024

REZONING PROPERTY OWNER'S CERTIFICATION

The undersigned below, or as attached, is the owner of the property considered in this application. The undersigned is aware that no application or reapplication affecting the same land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of last action by the Board of Commissioners.

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Type or Print Name and Title

OWNER

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Signature of Notary Public

Date

Notary Seal

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REZONING APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION

The undersigned below is authorized to make this application. The undersigned is aware that no application or reapplication affecting the same land shall be acted upon within six (6) months from the date of last action by the Board of Commissioners.

Florentina Fistewy of Type or Print Name and Title

Signature of Notary Public

Signature of Applicant

Date

March 8th, 2024

Notary Seal

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VERIFICATION OF CURRENT PAID PROPERTY TAXES FOR REZONING

The undersigned below is authorized to make this application. The undersigned certifies that all Gwinnett County property taxes billed to date for the parcel listed below have been paid in full to the Gwinnett County Tax Commissioner. In no case shall an application or reapplication for rezoning be processed without such property verification.

A SEPARATE VERIFICATION FORM MUST BE COMPLETED FOR EACH TAX PARCEL **INCLUDED IN THE REZONING REQUEST.**

Parcel I.D. Number: R 7060 005	
(Map Reference Number) Signature of Applicant	3/8/2024 Date
Florentina Fisteag Type or Print Name and Title	OWNER
PLEASE TAKE THIS FORM TO THE TAX COMM JUSTICE AND ADMINISTRATION CENTER, 75 SIGNED BY A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TAX CO	LANGLEY DRIVE. <u>THIS FORM MUST BE</u>
TAX COMMISSION	IERS USE ONLY
Payment of all property taxes billed to date for the paid current and confirmed by the signature below	
Mathy Lyles Name	Title
3 8 20 2 y Date	

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CONFLICT OF INTEREST CERTIFICATION FOR REZONING

The undersigned below, making application for a rezoning, has complied with the Official Code of Georgia Section 36-67A-1, et. seq, <u>Conflict of Interest in Zoning Actions</u>, and has submitted or attached the required information on the forms provided.

Signature of Applicant	7. 3/8/2024 Date	Therenting Fisher Type of Print Name and Title					
Signature of Applicant's Attorney or Representative Signature of Notary Public	Date March 8 4 2024 Date	Type or Print Name and Title					
DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS Have you, within the two years immediately preceding the filing of this application, made campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a member of the Board of Commissioners? Yes No (Your Name)							
Yes No If the answer is yes, please co NAME AND OFFICAL POSITION OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL		DATE CONTRIBUTION WAS MADE (Within last two years)					

Attach additional sheets if necessary to disclose or describe all contributions.

Exhibit F: Internal and External Agency Review Comments [attached]



Department of Planning and Development TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

TRC	Meeting Date:	05.03.2024					
Depa	rtment/Agency Name:	Transportation					
Revie	ewer Name:	Brent Hodges					
Revie	ewer Title:	Construction Manager 1					
Revie	ewer Email Address:	Brent.Hodges@gwinnettcounty.com					
	Number:	RZR2024-00025					
Case	Address:	2129 Old Peachtree Road, Lawrenceville, 30043					
	Comments:	X YES NO					
1	Old Peachtree Road is a minor arteria	I. ADT = 7,280.					
2	3.1 miles to the nearest transit facility Buford Drive) (Route 50).	located at Old Peachtree Road and Publix (SR 20-					
3	The developer shall provide access to	the home sites via a shared driveway(s).					
4	The existing sidewalk along the site for widened to 5' if it is not currently in pl	rontage shall be confirmed to be 5' in width or ace at that width.					
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	Recommended Zoning Conditions:	YES X NO					
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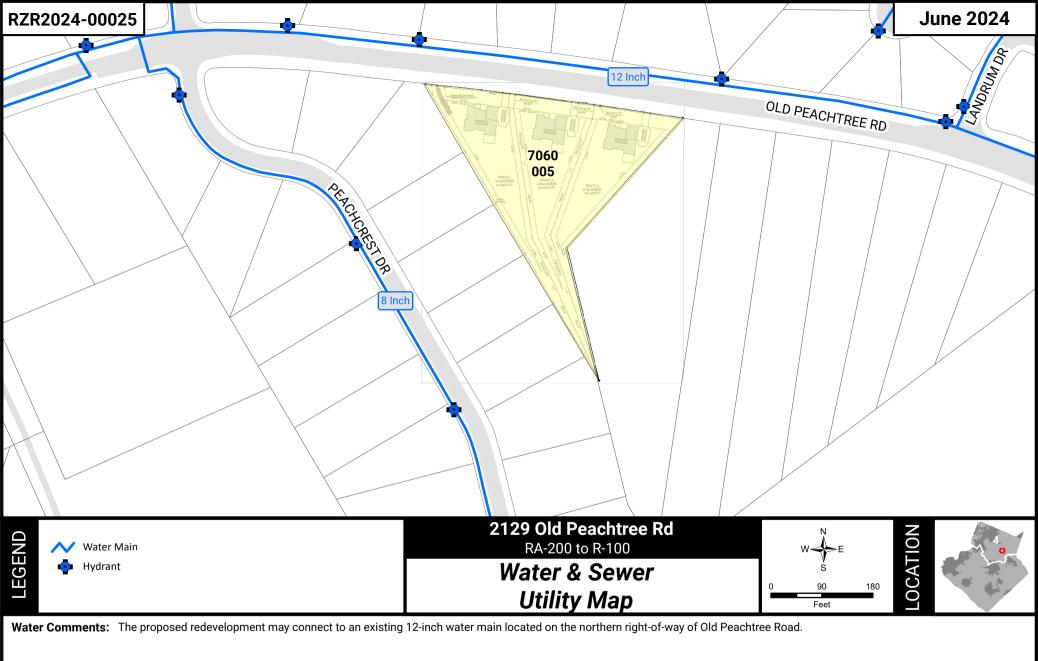
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Department of Planning and Development TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

TRC	Meeting Date:					
Department/Agency Name:		DWR				
Revie	wer Name:	Mike Pappas				
Revie	wer Title:	GIS Planning Manager				
Revie	wer Email Address:	Michael.pappas@gwinnettcounty.com				
Case	Number:	RZR2024-00025				
Case	Address:	2129 Old Peachtree Road				
	Comments:	X YES NO				
1	Water: The proposed redevelopment may conorthern right-of-way of Old Peachtree Road.	nnect to an existing 12-inch water main located on the				
2	Sewer: The proposed development plans to b Health.	oe on septic systems pending approval from the GNR Public				
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	Recommended Zoning Conditions:	YES X NO				
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Sewer Comments: The proposed development plans to be on septic systems pending approval from the GNR Public Health.

Water Availability: Water demands imposed by the proposed development may require upsizing or extensions of existing water mains in order to meet Gwinnett County Standards and fire flow demands. Any cost associated with such required improvements will be the responsibility of the development. Current Gwinnett County Standards require a minimum of 12" pipe size for commercial developments and a minimum of 8" pipe size for residential developments. Additionally, connection to a minimum of 12" and 8" mains are required for commercial and residential developments. It is the responsibility of the developments are available for the development.

Sewer Availability: A Sewer Capacity Certification must be obtained from Gwinnett County to confirm the existing system can serve the development. Sewer demands imposed by the proposed development may require upsizing and/or extensions of existing sewer mains, and/or installation of a new pump station. Any cost associated with such required improvements will be the responsibility of the development. The developer shall provide easements for future sewer connection to all locations designated by Gwinnett County during plan review.

Water and Sewer Design and Construction Requirements: Extensions of the water and/or sanitary Sewer Systems within the subject development must conform to this department's policies, Gwinnett County's ordinances, and the Water Main and Sanitary Sewer Design and Construction Standards and Specifications, dated April 5th, 2016. Subsequent to design, construction, inspection, and final acceptance of the required utilities, service would then become available under the applicable utility permit rate schedules.

Private Road Developments: Any developments with private roads must comply with the Standard Policy Requirement for the Installation of Water and Sanitary Sewer Mains within Private Developments: This policy stipulates minimum easement requirements and location of public mains and appurtenances, among other requirements.

Residential Rezoning Impact on Local Schools Prepared for Gwinnett County BOC, June, 2024 Proposed Zoning											
		1	2023-24			2024-25			2025-26		Approximate Student Projections
	School	Forecast	Capacity	+/- Cap.	Forecast	Capacity	+/- Cap.	Forecast	Capacity	+/- Cap.	from Proposed Developments
	Dacula HS	2,550	2,550	0	2,641	2,550	91	2,755	2,550	205	14
RZR2024-00022	Dacula MS	1,892	1,900	-8	1,959	1,900	59	2,042	1,900	142	10
	Mulberry ES	745	975	-230	785	975	-190	854	975	-121	23
	Mountain View HS	2,280	2,300	-20	2,303	2,300	3	2,326	2,300	26	1
RZR2024-00025	Twin Rivers MS	1,683	2,150	-467	1,733	2,150	-417	1,768	2,150	-382	1
	Freeman's Mill ES	1,074	925	149	1,095	925	170	1,112	925	187	1

Exhibit G: Maps

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