

Singh Property Zoning Map Amendment

City Council – March 4, 2025

Applicant: City Staff Representative: Singh Rashpal and Kaur Rajwant Summer McCann, Senior Planner



Brighton* Subject Property Location

The property is generally located to the north of East 120th Avenue, south of East 121st Place, east of Wheeling Street and west of Potomac Street.



Aerial Map



Purpose

 The request is to rezone the Property from the current Singh & Kaur Planned Unit Development (PUD) to C-2 (Restricted Retail and Services).



Process

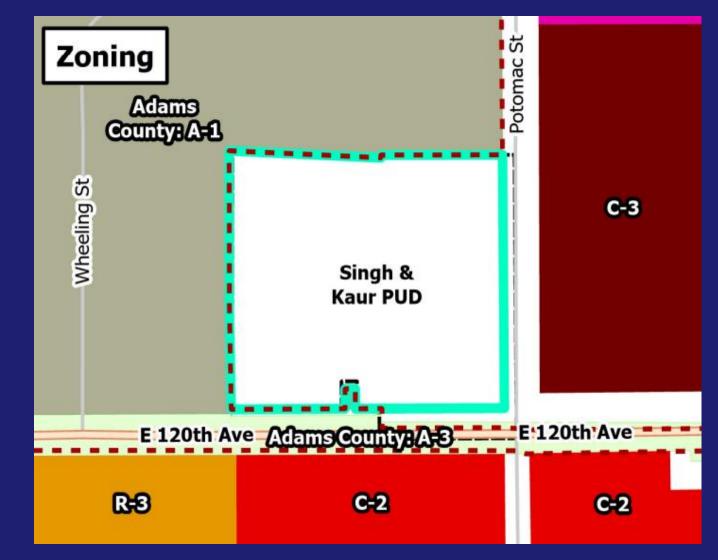
- Zoning is the second step in the land development process.
- Staff used the Zoning Map Amendment criteria from the Land Use & Development Code to review the proposal.



Background

The Property:

- Was annexed in 2004 under the Singh and Kaur Annexation.
- Was platted in Adams County under the Farner Estates Amended Subdivision Plat prior to annexation.
- Is currently zoned Singh & Kaur PUD.



Zoning Map



Proposed Zoning

Allowed Uses (C-2, Restricted Retail and Services):

- Article 4 of the Land Use & Development Code
 - The C-2 district provides a wider variety of small and moderate scale retail, service, civic and employment uses. It is centrally located and along arterial streets or intersections, and where transitions and buffers between lowerdensity residential and low-intensity uses are possible.
 - Allowed Uses: Retail, Services, Office uses, etc.



Review Criteria – Land Use & Development Code The City Council in making its decision shall use the following criteria 2.03 (B.)

B. Review, recommendations and decisions for a proposed zoning map amendment shall be based on the following criteria:

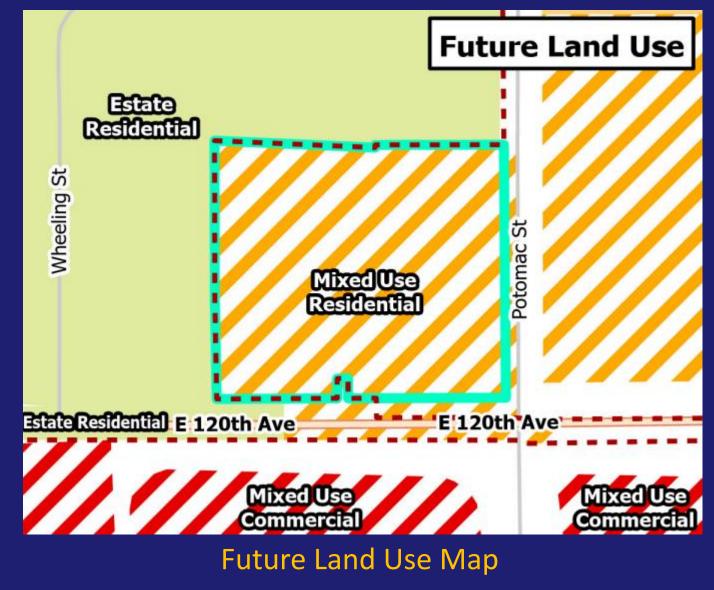
 The proposal is in accordance with the goals and objectives of the Comprehensive Plan and any other plan, policy or guidance adopted pursuant to that plan.



Staff Analysis – Comprehensive Plan: Future Land Use Designation

 The Subject Property is designated as Mixed Use Residential.







Staff Analysis – Comprehensive Plan:

Chapter Three: Future Land Use Plan & Opportunity Areas

• Number 15. 120th Avenue Opportunities

Chapter Four: Citywide Principles, Policies & Strategies

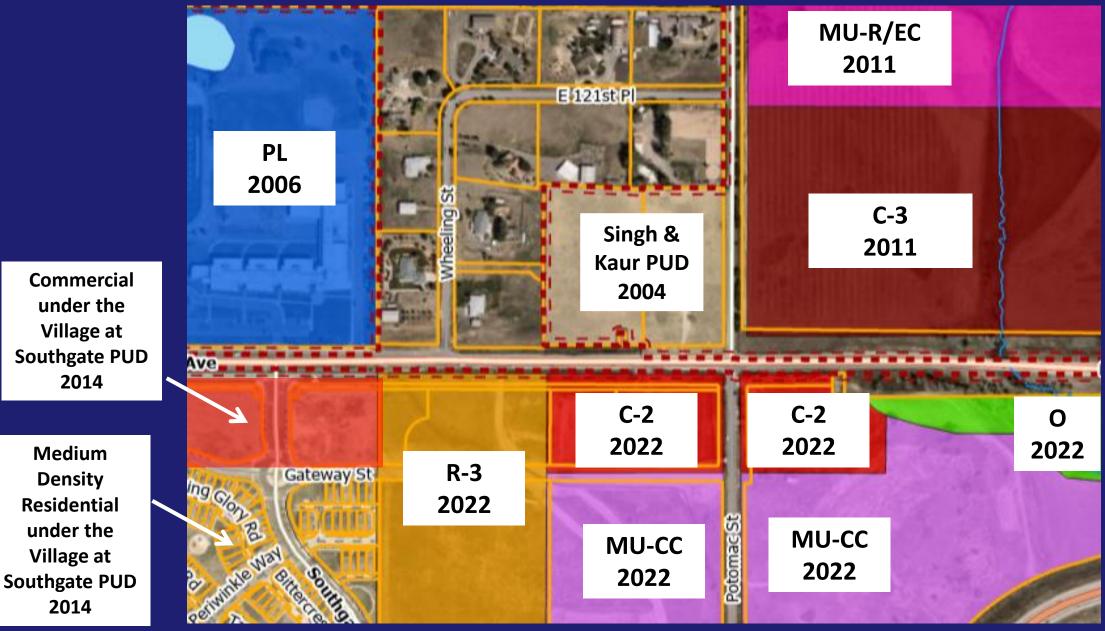
- Policy 1.1 New Growth Should Favor Existing Areas of Infrastructure Investment and Planning
- Policy 2.1 Brighton Will Continue to Develop in a Self-Sufficient and Sustainable Manner (Live, Learn, Work, Shop and Play) with an Appropriate Balance between Residential and Non-Residential Uses
- Policy 5.2 Support Brighton's Non-Downtown Commercial Centers, Focusing Growth within Existing Investment Areas Where Possible



Land Use & Development Code

- 2. The proposal will support development in character with existing or anticipated development in the area, including the design of street, civic spaces and other open spaces; the pattern, scale and format of buildings and sites; and the integration, transitions and compatibility of other uses.
- 3. The City or other agencies have the ability to provide services or facilities that may be necessary for anticipated uses in the proposed district.
- 4. The change will serve a community need, amenity or development that is not possible under the current zoning or that was not anticipated at the time of the initial zoning of the property.
- 5. The recommendations of any professional staff or advisory review bodies.







Public Notice and Comment

• Public Notice was provided in accordance with the Land Use & Development Code.

• On February 11th

 \checkmark Notice was published on the City's Website.

• On February 13th

Written notice was mailed to all property owners within 1000 feet of the Subject Property.
Two signs were posted on the subject property.

- City staff posted information for the public hearing on various social media sites.
- Planning staff has not received any formal comment from the public for this hearing.



Summary of Findings

- The Planning Commission heard the request on January 23, 2025, after the applicant requested a continuance from the December 12, 2024 meeting, and voted 3-2 to recommend denial of the zoning map amendment.
- The Development Review Committee has reviewed this project and recommends approval.
- Staff finds the Zoning Map Amendment is in general compliance with the requirements as outlined in the Land Use & Development Code.

City Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of the Singh Property Zoning Map Amendment.



Options for City Council

- Approve the Zoning Map Amendment;
- Deny the Zoning Map Amendment;
- Approve the Zoning Map Amendment with changes to the drafted resolution; or
- Continue the item to be heard at a later, specified date if the Council feels it needs additional information to ensure compliance with the approval criteria as set forth in the Land Use & Development Code.