

MEMORANDUM

Development Services

ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM NO. 16-342

DATE:

July 14, 2016

TO:

Planning and Zoning Board

VIA:

Robin M. Bird, Development Services Directors Services

Jennifer Gomez, Assistant Director of Development Services

FROM:

Maggie Barszewski, AICP, Planner

RE:

Hillsboro Shores Small Scale Local Land Use Plan Amendment

2507 N. Ocean Blvd and 2629 N. Riverside Drive

P&Z # 15-92000004

Request

The Applicant is proposing a change in the future land use designation of a 4.2079 gross-acre parcel. This subject property is located at 2507 N. Ocean Blvd and 2629 N. Riverside Drive. The parcel is vacant except for an existing commercial marina and has a Commercial (C) Future Land Use designation. The Applicant is requesting a change in land use to High Residential (H) – Irregular 29. The "Irregular 29" refers to the fact that the applicant is not asking for the maximum dwelling units per acre that the 'High' land use designation would permit (the range of density for 'High' is 25 to 46 units per acre). The Applicant is concurrently requesting to convert the commercial marina to a residential marina (i.e. boat slips available to residents of the property only).

A. Existing Land Use Designations - Density/Intensities

The land use that is currently permitted by the adopted Future Land Use Map designation within this 4.2079 gross-acre parcel is shown in table below. The calculation for the maximum square footage allowed on this property is based on the maximum height and lot coverage provided in the Future Land Use Element policy 01.07.20. That policy specifies for Commercial a maximum 60 percent lot coverage and a maximum 105-foot height is permitted.

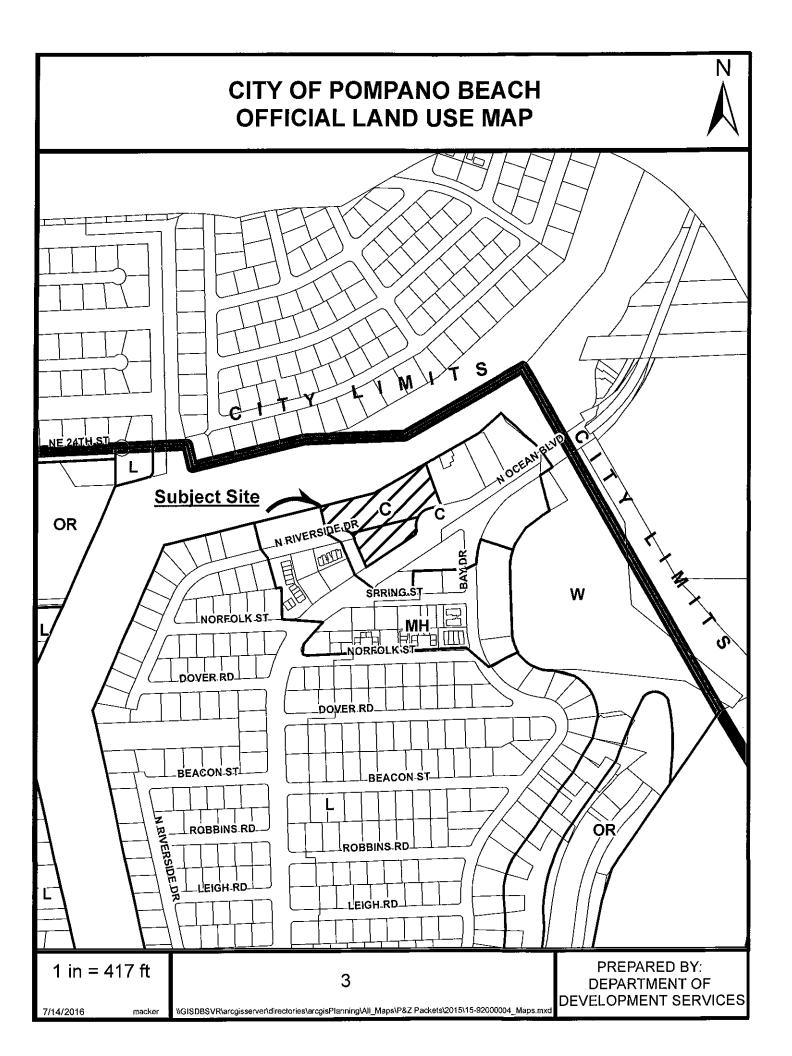
Maximum Capacity Based on Adopted Land Use Plan							
Land Use Designation/Zoning	Max. Height	Density/Intensity	Gross Acres	Sq. Ft.			
Commercial/B-3	105 (10 floors)	60% Lot coverage	4.2079	1,099,777			

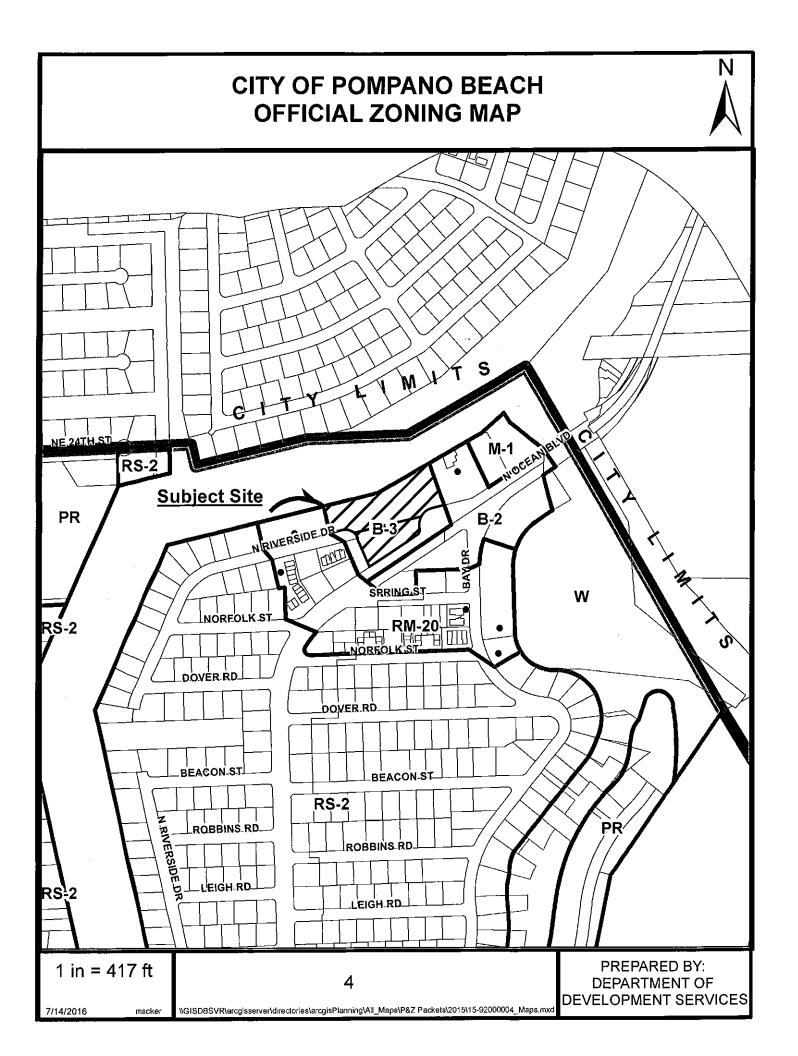
There was a Major Site Plan application approved in 2013 granting the construction of a 7-story, 120 unit hotel. At the same time the Major Site Plan application was processed, the applicant petitioned the City and received approval for the abandonment of a portion of Riverside Drive. The approved ROW vacation (Ordinance # 2013-01) was based upon the development of a hotel on the subject property.

LEGEND

	FOR LAND	DUSE PLAN		FOR ZONING	MAP
	Symbol	Classification Units/ Acre		Symbol	District
				RS-1	One-Family Residence
		Gross Residential Density		RS-2	One-Family Residence
				RS-3	One-Family Residence
		Residential		RS-4	One-Family Residence
	E	Estate			
	L	Low		RD-1	Two- Family Residence
	LM	Low- Medium			
	М	Medium		RM-12	Multi-Family Residence
	МН	Medium-High		RM-20	Multi-Family Residence
>	Н	High		RM-30	Multi-Family Residence
				RM-45	Multi-Family Residence
*	С	Commercial		RM-45/HR	Overlay
	CR	Commercial Recreation		RPUD	Residential Planned Unit Dev.
				AOD	Atlantic Boulevard Overlay District
	1	Industrial		MH-12	Mobile Home Park
	Т	Transportation		B-1	Limited Business
				B-2	Neighborhood Business
	U	Utilities	*	B-3	General Business
	CF	Community Facilities		B-4	Heavy Business
		·		RO	Residence Office
	OR	Recreation & Open Space			
				M -1	Marina Business
	W	Water		M-2	Marina Industrial
	RAC	Regional Activity Center		I -1	General Industrial
				I-1X	Special Industrial
		Boundaries		O-IP	Office Industrial Park
		City of Pompano Beach			
				BP	Business Parking
	13 Number			BSC	Planned Shopping Center
		Reflects the maximum total			
	/	number of units permitted within		PCI	Planned Commercial /
	1	the dashed line of Palm Aire &			Industrial Overlay
	į,	Cypress Bend being 9,724 and		PR	Parks & Recreation
		1,998		CR	Commerical Recreation
				CF	Community Facilities
				Т	Transportation
				PU	Public Utility
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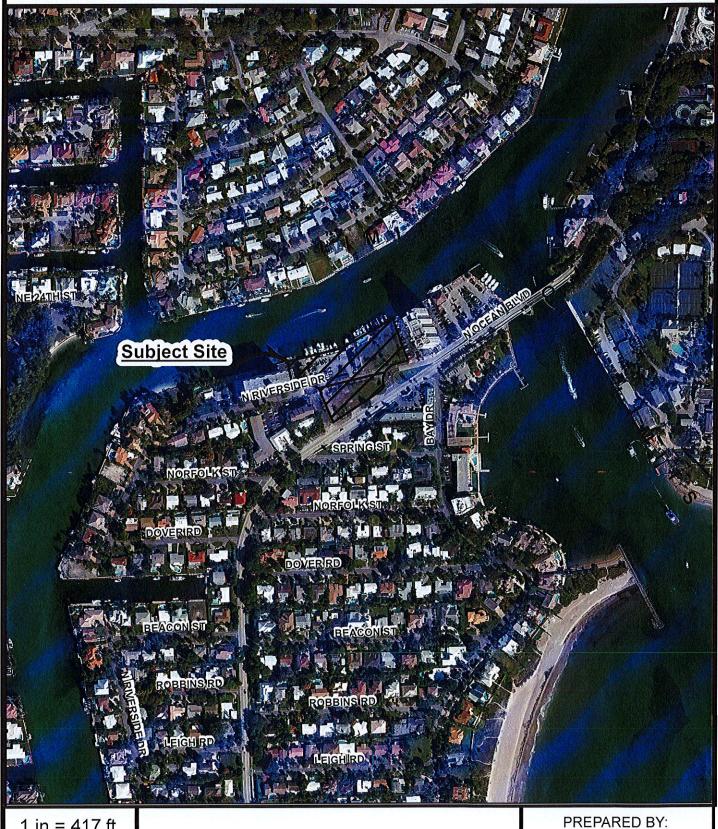
* Existing
> Proposed





CITY OF POMPANO BEACH AERIAL MAP



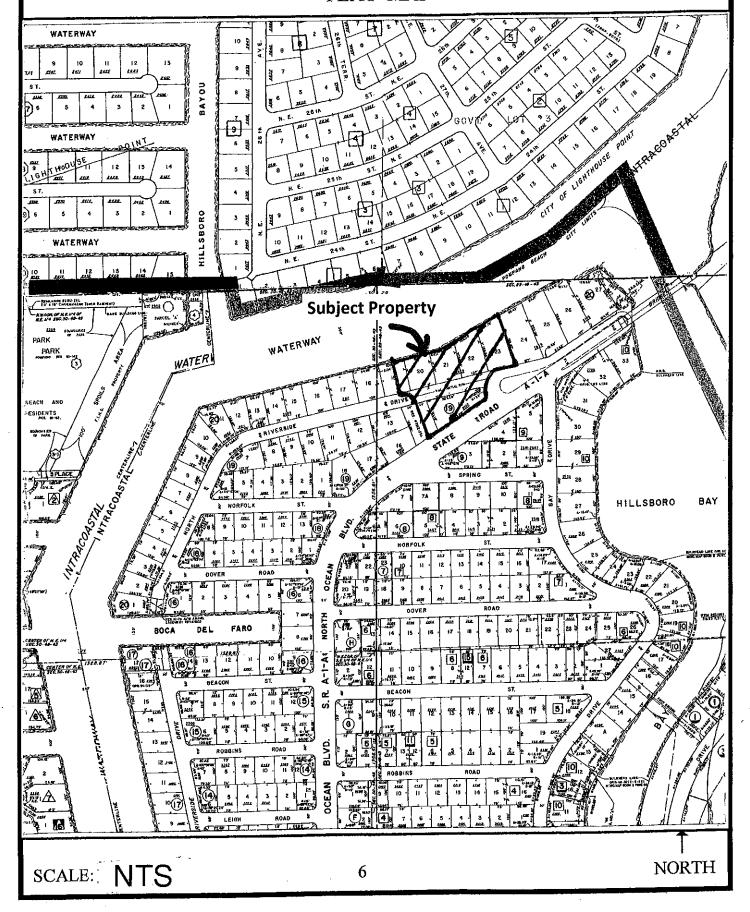


1 in = 417 ft

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

DEPARTMENT OF

EXCERPT FROM THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH PLAT MAP



B. Proposed Land Use Designation - Density/Intensities

The proposed land use would permit a maximum of 122 dwelling units with an overall density of 29 units per acre and the conversion of the commercial marina to a residential marina. The applicant has indicated an intent to build residential dwelling units, as well as a maximum of 5,115 square feet of commercial accessary use, as permitted within Residential Land Use designation. Future Land Use Element §3.02.A.8.C. states the following is permitted in the Residential Land Use designation:

Regardless of a and b above, space within residential buildings in areas designated for Medium-High (25) Residential or High (50) Residential density may be used for offices and/or retail sales of merchandise or services, as long as no more than 50% of the floor area is used for said purpose.

C. Rationale for the Proposed Amendment

The applicant has advised that a prior approval of a hotel on this property is no longer a viable use and desires to construct instead 122 residential dwelling units, with limited accessary retail on an outparcel of the site. The applicant has advised an intent to convert the existing commercial marina to a residential marina for the residents of the proposed development.

D. Surrounding Land Uses – The subject property is surrounded by the following land use designations:

Location	Future Land Use Designation	Existing Use
North	N/A	Intracoastal Waterway
South	Commercial (C)	Shopping Center ("Hillsboro Inlet Plaza")
East	Commercial (C)	Condominium
West	Medium High Residential (MH) &	Condominium & Vacant Lot
	Commercial (C)	

E. Proposed City Land Use Designation - The proposed land use designation is High Residential (HR) – irregular 29, with 122 proposed dwelling units.

F. Impact Analysis

The proposed intensity of the amendment is a net decrease over what is currently allowed under the City's adopted plan; the reduction in intensity is due to the elimination of the Commercial land use and replacing it with Residential. The impact on certain public facilities and services at build-out, therefore, is less. The amendment will, however, result in a population increase and therefore will generate additional demands on the parks systems, hurricane evacuation, and on the school district. Staff's concerns with the impact analysis are provided below.

Natural and Historic Resources

The applicant does not address natural or historic resources. There are, however, natural resources to be addressed regarding the access to the waterway and protection of water-related uses. Inherent in the nature of Commercial uses is the fact that the public could have access to the Intracoastal Waterway through patronage of various establishments that would be developed on the waterway and use it as an asset for potential business. Furthermore, replacing such limited commercial use on the Barrier Island with private residential use diminishes the potential for water-related activity on a logistically important location near the Hillsboro Inlet. In Section G. of this report, a Goal, Objective and several Policies of the Coastal Zone Management Element of the Comprehensive Plan will be

identified that mandates the protection of such vital commercially designated properties from being replaced by Residential.

Affordable Housing

The requirements of affordable housing units per the Broward County Land Use Plan Policy 1.07.07 must be addressed.

RULES FOR IMPLEMENTATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF BROWARD COUNTY 10.2 BROWARD COUNTY LAND USE PLAN POLICY 1.07.07

For amendments which propose to add 100 or more residential dwelling units to the existing densities approved by the Broward County Land Use Plan. Broward County and affected municipalities shall coordinate and cooperate to implement the affected municipality's chosen policies, methods and programs to achieve and/or maintain a sufficient supply of affordable housing.

The applicant's application includes the following statement: "The City of Pompano Beach has a variety of affordable housing policies and programs which meet Broward County Land Use Policy 1.07.07."

It is not up to the City to meet this requirement; therefore, the applicant must provide further clarification regarding how affordable housing will be addressed.

Land Use Compatibility

As previously shown in D. Surrounding Land Use, the eastern abutting property has a Commercial Land Use designation with Residential existing use; the western abutting property is split between Commercial Land Use and Residential Land Use; the southern neighboring property has Commercial Land Use; and the northern abutting property is the Intracoastal Waterway. Therefore, while not consistent with the Land Use designations to the east and south, the amendment is compatible.

Hurricane Evacuation Analysis

The subject property is within a hurricane evacuation area. The applicant has provided a Hurricane Analysis. The Analysis refers to the 2006 South Florida Regional Hurricane Evacuation Traffic Study. It does not indicate the increase in population for this specific amendment request, however, it identifies various shelters that are to be used and the critical-link clearance times for the evacuation of residents that would populate the subject property if it were to become residential. The applicant states that "the roadways in proximity for the subject property to use in the event of an evacuation off of the barrier island are the Hillsboro, NE 14th Street and Atlantic Boulevard bridges which are less than the worst case scenario clearance time."

G. Consistency with Goals, Objectives and Policies of the City's Comprehensive Plan The proposed amendment is inconsistent with the following goals, objectives and policies of the Comprehensive Plan:

Future Land Use Element

Goal 01.00.00

The attainment of a living environment which provides the maximum physical, economic and social well-being for the City and its residents through the thoughtful and planned use and control of the natural and man-made

environments that discourages urban sprawl, is energy efficient and reduces greenhouse gas emissions.

The amendment is not consistent with the Future Land Use Element's Goal. In particular the request to develop residential use (versus a hotel use) along with the conversion of the existing commercial marina to a residential marina reduces the City's ability to provide the maximum economic well-being for the City and its residents.

The subject property is part of a valuable and historic Commercial node including the Hillsboro Inlet Park, the Hillsboro Inlet Shopping Plaza, and the Hillsboro Inlet Fishing Center. City Business Tax Receipt records indicate in 1988 this site was issued an occupational license for the Pelican Pub restaurant and fish market and continued to operate as a restaurant until 2004 (Tails Tropic Island Grill). City Business Tax Receipt records further indicate many commercial boats operated from the commercial marina at this location, including fishing boats, scuba boats, and other boats offering water sports activities.

The subject property previously received development approvals based on a prior commitment to develop as a hotel. The City's goal of developing hotels, particularly along the barrier island, is demonstrated in the November 2014 "City of Pompano Beach Economic Development Strategy Evaluation and Strategic Update" prepared by Lambert Advisory. Recommendation 2 (Focused Efforts to Attract/Retain Key New Industries) states the following "Pompano Beach, true to its name, has an excellent quality beach but unlike many other cities to the north and south of Pompano, does not have the depth of new quality hotel product to attract a range of affluent travelers. Given continuing strengthening of the regional hotel market, the beach is in an increasingly envious position to attract and support new hotel investment which will consistently bring outside expenditure into the City and create a substantial number of new jobs. The benefits from hotel development from an economic development perspective are significantly greater than residential development which often competes for the same parcels." The report goes on to say "The City of Pompano has an opportunity to realize the development of new full service hotel product particularly as it relates to the beach area of the City. Hotels serve a particularly valuable role in economic development in the sense that they bring outside dollars into the community. The relative economic benefit of this expenditure is greater than for other land uses (i.e. retail) which principally recycle dollars which are already in the community."

Retaining and strengthening the City of Pompano Beach's reputation as a premier boating and tourism destination is an ongoing effort of the City. Via Resolution 2014-283, the City Commission hired the Renaissance Planning Group to prepare a Transformation Plan for the A1A Corridor. The Transformation Plan will identify an economic development strategy using the area of the subject property as a northern gateway to the City. An integral part of this economic plan is the creation of the "Hillsboro Inlet District" (see attached pamphlet), which is exclusively focused on this 'gateway' area. The vision of this district includes redevelopment as a modern fishing village that promotes water-dependent uses, mixed use development and hotels. Several public outreach meetings have been held to develop this vision and it is scheduled for a September City Commission hearing. The Transformation Plan confirms that retaining this Commercial node is essential for providing necessary complimentary retail services for the Barrier Island and potential tourism vitality for the City as a whole.

Another significant investment in the A1A Corridor is the City's support of the upcoming Shipwreck Park. Shipwreck Park will be a world-class dive destination where a 324-foot ship will be sunk to a depth of 120 feet about a mile off the Pompano Beach.

Policy 01.03.10 Support and promote hotels, motels and other tourist accommodations in designated residential, commercial and commercial recreation land use designations.

The proposed amendment is for residential development. Residential Development is not consistent with the City's desire to promote hotels. Further the justification for the 2013 abandonment of a portion of Riverside Dr. was the commitment to develop a Hotel at this site (see July 2012 letter from Land Planning Engineering). The roadway was abandoned per Ord 2013-01 and the letter is part of the official back-up for the ordinance.

Policy 01.16.01 The City shall emphasize redevelopment and infill, which concentrates the growth and intensifies the land uses consistent with the availability of existing urban services and infrastructure in order to conserve natural and man-made resources.

The amendment is inconsistent with Policy 01.16.01 which seeks land uses which are consistent with urban services and infrastructure. The City's Land Use Plan Implementation section defines "Infrastructure" as follows "Infrastructure" means those man-made structures which serve the common needs of the population, such as; sewage disposal systems; potable water systems; potable water wells serving a system; solid waste disposal sites or retention areas; stormwater systems; utilities; piers; docks; wharves; breakwaters; bulkheads; seawalls; bullwarks; revetments; causeways; marinas; navigation channels; bridges; and roadways.

Commercial marinas are not only an invaluable economic driver, but they are important component of the City's recreational infrastructure. The City's Recreation and Open Space Element's Inventory of Existing Sites includes an analysis of the City's "Private Recreational Facilities". The following is stated about Private Recreational Facilities: "Overall, the provision of private recreational facilities reduces the demand for public recreational facilities. The first sub-category of private recreational facilities which consist of commercial enterprises offering recreational services involve water-related activities such as boats for hire, for fishing and sightseeing excursions. These boats are privately owned and are available for charter by the half-day, day, weekend, or weekly."

Therefore the impact of the proposed amendment on the existing commercial marina at this location must be considered. The amendment's request to develop residential uses with a residential marina would therefore have a negative impact on the valuable recreational infrastructure located at this site.

Policy 01.03.12 The following criteria may be used in evaluating rezoning requests:

- 1. Density;
- 2. Design;
- 3. Distance to similar development;
- 4. Existing adjoining uses;
- 5. Proposed adjoining uses;
- 6. Readiness for redevelopment of surrounding uses; and.
- 7. Proximity to mass transit.

The proposed amendment would negatively impact the readiness for redevelopment of surrounding uses. As previously stated the City is committed to retaining and strengthening its reputation as a premier boating and tourism destination. Via Resolution 2014-283, the City Commission hired the Renaissance Planning Group to prepare a Transformation Plan for the A1A Corridor. The Transformation Plan will identify an economic development strategy using the area of the subject property as a northern gateway to the City. An integral part of this economic plan is the creation of the "Hillsboro Inlet District" (see attached pamphlet), which is exclusively focused on this 'gateway' area. The vision of this district includes redevelopment as a modern fishing village that promotes water-dependent uses, mixed use development and hotels. Several public outreach meetings have been held to develop this vision and it is scheduled for a September City Commission hearing. The Transformation Plan confirms that retaining this Commercial node is essential for providing necessary complimentary retail services for the Barrier Island and potential tourism vitality for the City as a whole.

Policy 01.07.16 Through ongoing updates to the land development regulations provide criteria/ performance standards regulating hotel intensity and incentives for hotel development.

Policy 01.07.16 reiterates the City's desire to promote hotels, including the support for offering incentives for hotel development. The proposed amendment is for residential development and therefore is not consistent with the City's desire to promote hotels. Further the application justification submitted for the 2012 request to abandon a portion of Riverside Dr. specifically stated the objective was to develop a Hotel (see July 2012 letter from Land Planning Engineering). The roadway was abandoned per Ord 2013-01 and the letter is part of the official back-up for the ordinance.

Recreation and Open Space Element

Goal 11.00.00 Provide safe well-maintained and adequate open space and recreational facilities for all Pompano Beach residents and visitors.

Policy 11.05.02 To recognize the contribution that private recreational facilities provide in meeting the needs of seasonal residents and tourists and cooperate with them.

Policy 11.05.03 To promote Pompano Beach as a year-round tourist destination (formerly 11.05.04).

The proposed conversion of the existing commercial marina at this location to a residential marina is not consistent with Goal 11.00.00, Policy 11.05.02 and 11.05.03.

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Coastal Zone Management Element

Goal 10.00.00

Manage development efforts in the City of Pompano Beach Coastal Zone to maximize aesthetic, environmental, recreational and economical resources.

Objective Support and Protect Water Dependent Uses

Policy 10.03.00

Water dependent and water related uses will be protected and encouraged within the coastal area; this shall include retaining commercial zoning so that private residential redevelopment does not displace such uses.

Policy 10.03.01

Shoreline uses shall be designed in a manner compatible with the environment and be compatible with existing surrounding land uses and are prioritized according to the following criteria:

- 1. Water dependent commercial and municipal uses.
- 2. Water related uses in conjunction with water dependent uses.
- 3. Public accessibility
- 4. Non-water related uses.

Policy 10.03.02

Other than in areas designated with residential land use categories, intrusions of land uses unrelated to marine activities or not having coastal dependency shall be discouraged from locating in areas on the coast or adjacent to navigable waterways.

Policy 10.03.03

Land zoned for marine and water dependent commercial activities shall be preserved.

Data & Analysis:

Water-Related and Dependent Uses: Charter fishing boats are an important part of the City's tourist-based economy and therefore preservation of these uses is very important.

The goal of the City's Coastal Zone Management Element is to maximize the various resources of the coastal zone, including the economic resources. Specifically Objective 10.03.000 (and its supporting policies listed above) seek to protect the City's water dependent uses. The City's Future Land Use Element defines "Water Dependent Uses" to mean "activities which can be carried out only on, in or adjacent to water areas because the use requires access to the water body for: waterborne transportation including ports or marinas; recreation; electrical generating facilities; or water supply." Therefore while the amendment application states the marina area will be improved, the application clarifies the intent is to restrict the marina to a residential marina. Therefore the amendment is not consistent with Objective 10.03.00 nor its supporting Policies 10.03.01, 10.03.02, and 10.03.03.

H. Recommendation of Denial

Based on the above-stated inconsistencies with the Comprehensive Plan, staff has no alternative but to recommend denial of the Land Use Plan Map Amendment from the current Commercial Future Land Use designation to High Residential – irregular 29.

ALTERNATIVE MOTIONS:

1) Motion to recommend denial of the Land Use Plan Map Amendment from the from the current Commercial Future Land Use designation to High Residential – irregular 29.

The denial is based upon the finding that the amendment is incompatible with the goals, objectives and policies in the Comprehensive Plan, specifically:

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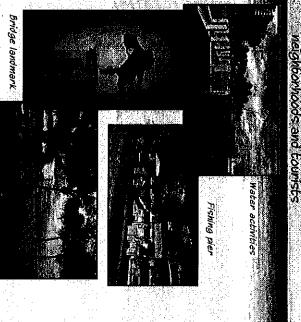
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- 2) Motion to table the requested Comprehensive Plan amendment to provide time for any issues raised by the Board, Staff, Applicant or the general public.
- 3) Motion to recommend approval as the Board finds the proposed land use change compatible with the goals, objectives and policies in the Comprehensive Plan. Conditions of Implementation will have to be considered regarding meeting the Broward County Affordable Housing requirements.

- visible both day and m
- boat slips, and access to ICW and Atlantic for boating and fishing
- Park—playground, boardwalk-and pier
 Nariety of residential uses Recreational opportunities at Hillsboro Inlet Stary Transition
- Retail and nestaurant uses serving local

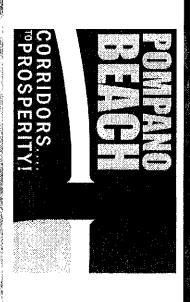


Hillsboro Inlet Park



For more information, contact: Karen friedman@copbfl.com Karen Friedman at or visit

http://pompanobeachfl.gov/pbcorridorstudies

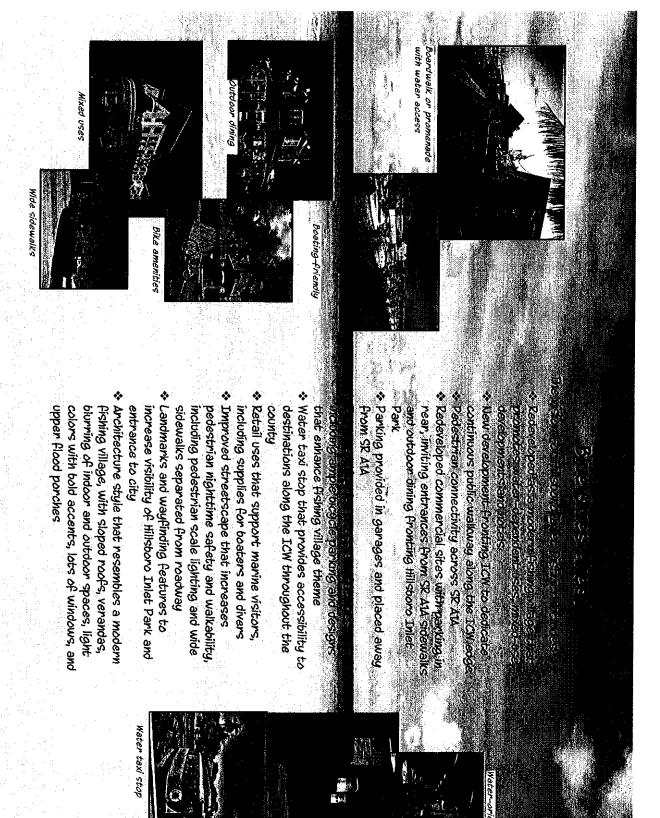


SR ATA (OCEAN BLVD)

HILLSBORD INLET DISTRICT Pompano Beach







Pedestrian amenities

Modern Fishing Village theme

Pedestrian enhancements



LANDPLAN ENGINEERING GROUP, INC.

1475 NW 126th Drive Coral Springs, FL 33071

July 3, 2012

City of Pompano Beach 100 W Atlantic Blvd. Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Attn: Mr. Robin Bird

Director of Development Services

Re: Hillsboro Shore's Hotel Property
Road Vacation Submittal-Proposed Transition Plan
AMENDED
LPEG PROJECT NO. 10100

Dear Mr. Bird,

On behalf of the APPLICANT Hillsborough Development, LLC, Land Plan Engineering Group is pleased to submit this Roadway Vacation Transition Plan for review by the City of Pompano Beach.

The Property is known as lots 14 & 15, Block 19 of the Hillsboro Shores Plat as recorded in the plat records of Broward County, PB. 22, PG.37 and lots 19,20,21,22 &23, Block 20 of the Hillsboro Shores Plat as recorded in the plat records of Broward County, PB. 22, PG..37 The Property is located in Section 29, Township 48S, and Range 43E, and contains approximately 2.34 acres.

The Property contains approximately 2.34 ac., and is identified in the property appraiser's records of Broward County, Florida as the following:

Folio nos: 484329051630 484329051380 Property owner
Hillsborough Development LLC
c/o Sean Krondak
610 Newport Center Drive, Suite 600
Newport Beach, CA 92660

At the present time the existing Land Use is Commercial and the Zoning is B-3 which permits construction of the hotel as a permitted use. The Applicant will be preparing a Site Plan Development application for a proposed hotel, along with the associated roadways and utility infrastructure to support the project. The projects will we constructed in accordance with the requirements of the City of Pompano Beach Land Development Code.

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Prior to approval for the Roadway Vacation by the City of Pompano Beach, the Applicant will provide a replacement Roadway Dedication as shown on the attached Exhibit.

Prior to approval of the Riverside Drive Vacation, the Applicant will grant a temporary easement over the area to be vacated to maintain access while the new roadway is being constructed and to ensure there is no interruption in traffic flow through the area.

The Applicant will either build the new roadway to City of Pompano Beach standards and have it accepted by the City of Pompano Beach, or if the new roadway is not constructed prior to second reading of the abandonment ordinance, the Applicant will post a bond in the amount of 120% of the construction cost estimate of the new roadway to ensure that the roadway can be built either by the applicant of by the City of Pompano Beach.

A Utility Easement will be retained for all of the existing utilities, which are within the abandonment area of the roadway.

The Applicant will prepare a Traffic Report to determine if a left turn lane is warranted at the existing Riverside Drive and Ocean Drive intersection and if warranted determine if FDOT will permit construction of a left turn lane to serve the Hotel site and Hillsboro light Condominiums. If permitted by FDOT, the Developer will construct the left turn lane as part of the transition from the current to the proposed traffic pattern.

I trust that the information submitted is in accordance with the requirements of the City of Pompano Beach, but should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

Peter R. Gallo P.E., President

LAND PLAN ENGINEERING GROUP, INC.

cc. David Ebernal, Client

