

City of Gainesville

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Legislation Text

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REZONING - SW 24TH AVENUE (B)

Ordinance No. 0-05-43, Petition 17ZON-05PB

An ordinance of the City of Gainesville, Florida, amending the Zoning Map Atlas and rezoning certain properties annexed into the City from the Alachua County zoning category of "R-1a, single-family, low density (one to four dwelling units per acre)" to the City of Gainesville zoning category of "RSF-1: 3.5 units/acre single-family residential district"; located in the vicinity of the south side of SW 24th Avenue, west of I-75 and east of Tower Road; consisting of approximately 34 acres; providing a severability clause; providing a repealing clause; and providing an immediate effective date.

The City Commission adopt the proposed ordinance.

STAFF REPORT

This petition is related to zoning petition 16LUC-05 PB. The purpose of this petition is to apply City of Gainesville zoning categories onto land that was annexed into the City in 2004. Zoning districts are recommended that match those of the existing Alachua County districts or that are felt to be the most appropriate for the property based upon location, surrounding development and other factors. The county zoning designation of each property will remain in effect until this proposed amendment has been adopted.

The annexed area includes 2 parcels that total approximately 34 acres. The Portofino Cluster Development is a subdivision of single-family detached houses located west of Interstate 75 on Southwest 24th Avenue. The Alachua County land use designation for Portofino is Low Density Residential (1-4 units per acre) with a County zoning designation of R-1A (Single-family, low density). The requested zoning change is from R-1A to the City of Gainesville zoning designation of RSF-1 (3.5 units/acre single-family residential district).

The Plan Board heard the petition and recommended that it be approved.

Public notice was published in the Gainesville Sun on March 1, 2005. Letters were mailed to surrounding property owners on March 2, 2005. The Plan Board held a public hearing March 17, 2005. Planning Division staff recommended that the Plan Board approve the petition. The Plan Board recommended that the City Commission approve Petition 17ZON-05 PB. Plan Board vote 5-0.