# REPORT OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

# <u>APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF MINIMUM REQUIRED ROAD FRONTAGE</u>

# **ORDINANCE 2020-0612 (WRF-20-24)**

# **November 17, 2020**

Location: 1703 Pecan Park Road

Between Pecan Park Road and Arnold Road

**Real Estate Number(s):** 109648-0020

Waiver Sought: Reduce the distance from a proposed alcohol license

location to a church or school from 1,500 feet to 754

feet.

Present Zoning: Agriculture (AGR)

Current Land Use Category: Agriculture- IV (AGR- IV)

**Planning District:** 6-North

Owner/Applicant: William Drew

1703-1 Pecan Park Road Jacksonville, Florida 32218

Staff Recommendation: APPROVE

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage **Ordinance 2020-0612** (WRF-20-24) seeks to reduce the required minimum road frontage from 35 feet to 0 feet in order to allow a single-family dwelling in the Agriculture-IV (AGR) Zoning District. Located on a 2.5 acre parcel, the property will be accessed via a 20 foot wide easement to Pecan Park Road at the intersection of Pecan Park Road and Arnold Road.

# **DEFINITION**

According to Section 656.1601 of the Zoning Code, the term *waiver* means a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum distance requirements for liquor license locations, pursuant to Section 656.805 of the Zoning Code, and for minimum street frontage, pursuant to Section 656.407 of the Zoning Code. Waivers of Road Frontage are granted by the City Council pursuant to the criteria set forth in Section 656.133 of the Zoning Code.

# STANDARDS, CRITERIA AND FINDINGS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 656.133 of the Zoning Code, a waiver for minimum required street frontage may be granted if the City Council makes a positive finding based on substantial, competent evidence that the application meets all of the following criteria:

(i) Are there practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation?

Yes. The subject property was split away from a larger 30.8 acre parcel of land that is only accessed from the small easement. The applicant was deeded the property from their grandfather in order to build a single family dwelling. There is a practical difficulty in that the only access way to the property today is from the 20 foot easement on the southwestern portion of the property.

If approved, the request will result in development of a property that is consistent with the size, uses and essential character of the surrounding area. The building permit process will ensure that existing single-family dwelling comply with the minimum requirements of the Zoning Code (Part 4) for aesthetic quality, and with all applicable provisions of the Florida Building Code for public health, safety and welfare.

- (ii) Is the request based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654 (Code of Subdivision Regulations)?
  - No. The request does not have the effect of reducing the cost of development, and it does not circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654. It is presumed that the proposed single-family dwelling will result in net costs and expenditures to the owner rather than a net savings. The property has the minimum land area for the AGR Zoning District criteria to accommodate a single-family structure.
- (iii) Will the proposed waiver substantially diminish property values in, or alter the essential character of, the area surrounding the site and will the waiver substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others?
  - No. The waiver will not substantially diminish property values or alter the essential character of the surrounding area, nor interfere with the rights of others. The most affected neighbors are family member of the applicant, and have lots that all meet the minimum requirements of the AGR Zoning District.
- (iv) Is there a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public street maintained by the City or an approved private street?

Yes. There is a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public street. This is evidenced by the attached warranty deed which indicates a 20 foot access easement for ingress and egress to Pecan Park Road.

(v) Will the proposed waiver be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law?

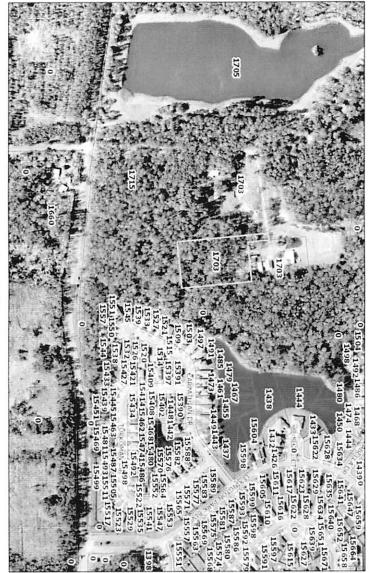
No. Staff finds the proposed waiver will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, or welfare. Given the general development pattern in the area, as well as the existing land use categories and zoning district contiguous to the site, the proposed waiver will not result in the creation of a nuisance. Furthermore, the development of the site still must comply with the Land Development Procedures and permitting requirements. The property's frontage and shared easement is sufficient to permit access to the site by fire/rescue, service and utility vehicles.

# **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

Upon visual inspection of the subject property on November 6, 2020 by the Planning and Development Department the required Notice of Public Hearing sign was not posted.

# RECOMMENDATION

Based on the foregoing, it is the recommendation of the Planning and Development Department that Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage Ordinance 2020-0612 (WRF-20-24) be APPROVED.

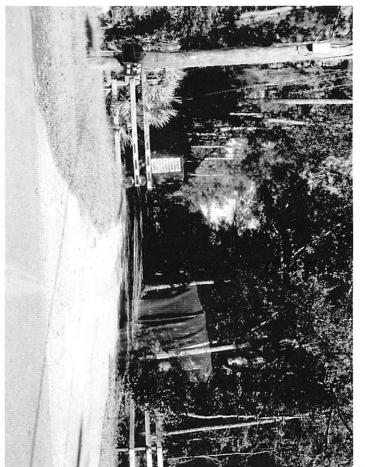


Aerial View

Source: JaxGIS

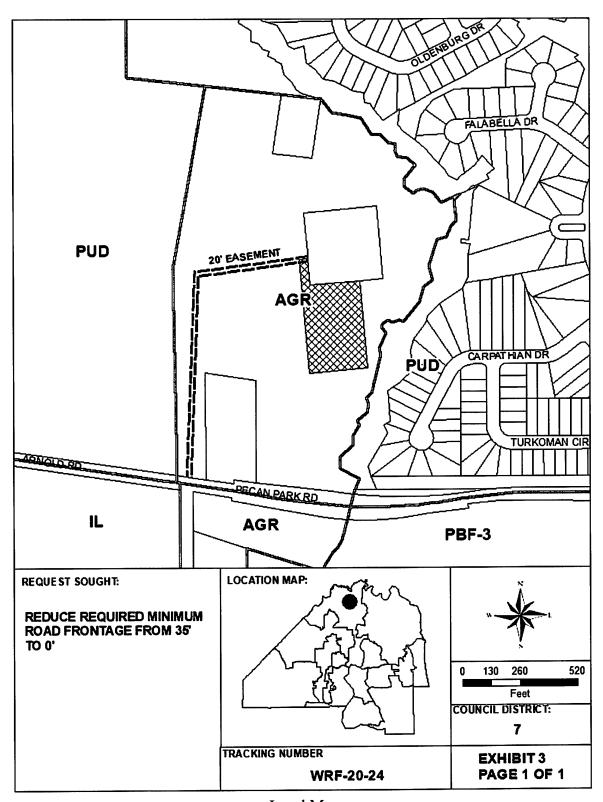
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View of the Easement Entrance

Source: Planning and Development Department Date: November 2, 2020



Legal Map

Source: JaxGIS

Date: November 6, 2020

# 1701 Pecan Park Rd

Date Submit	teg: - 28-20
Date Filed:	9-10-20

AUG 28 2020

Application Number: WRF-20-2	لا
Public Hearing:	

# **Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage**

City of Jacksonville, Florida Planning and Development Department

Please type or print in ink. Instructions regarding the completion and submittal of this application are located at the end of this form. For additional information, please contact the Planning and Development Department at (904) 255-7865.

For Official Use Only			
Current Zoning District: ACR	Current Land Use Category: AGR IV		
Council District:	Planning District:		
Previous Zoning Applications Filed (provide applications)			
None Found Applicable Section of Ordinance Code:			
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Notice of Violation(s):			
Neighborhood Associations: North The Eden Groo	0 Tue		
Overlay:	r Inc		
LUZ Public Hearing Date:	City Council Public Hearing Date:		
Number of Signs to Post: 2 Amount of Fee	Zoning Asst. Initials: Wilder		
PROPERTY INFORMATION			
1. Complete Property Address:	2. Real Estate Number:		
1701 Pecan Park Rd	09-600-0130		
3. Land Area (Acres):	4. Date Lot was Recorded:		
2.51	6/26/2020		
5. Property Located Between Streets:	6. Utility Services Provider:		
Pecan Park Rd	City Water / City Sewer		
anold Rd	Well / Septic 🔀		
7. Waiver Sought:			
Reduce Required Minimum Road Frontage from feet to feet.			
8. In whose name will the Waiver be granted?			
William Vrew			
Reduce Required Minimum Road Frontage from feet.			

last update: 1/10/2017

OWNER'S INFORMATION (please attach separate sheet if more than one owner)		
9. Name:	10. E-mail:	
William Drew	B. IL Occurantinet  12. Preferred Telephone:	
11. Address (including city, state, zip);	12. Preferred Telephone:	
1703-1 Pecan Park Rd		
Jacksonville, FL, 32218	904-655-2914	

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION (if different from owner)		
13. Name:	14. E-mail:	
15. Address (including city, state, zip):	16. Preferred Telephone:	

### **CRITERIA**

Section 656.101(I), Ordinance Code, defines a waiver as "a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum street frontage, pursuant to Section 656.407, Ordinance Code."

Section 656.133(d)1 through 5, Ordinance Code, provides that, with respect to action upon Applications for Waivers, the City Council shall grant a waiver for reduction of the minimum requirements for road frontage, if the Council makes a positive finding based upon substantial, competent evidence that the application meets all of the following five (5) criteria:

- i. There are practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation;
- ii. The request is not based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654 (Code of Subdivision Regulations);
- iii. The proposed waiver will not substantially diminish property values in, nor alter the essential character of the area surrounding the site and will not substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others whose property would be affected by the waiver;
- There is a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public iv. street which is maintained by the City or approved private street;
- ν. The proposed waiver will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law.

last update: 1/10/2017

17. Given the above definition of a "waiver" and the aforementioned criteria by which the request will be reviewed against, please describe the reason that the waiver is being sought. Provide as much information as you can; you may attach a separate sheet if necessary. Please note that failure by the applicant to adequately substantiate the need for the request and to meet the criteria set forth may result in a denial.

My grandfather deeded 2.5 acres of of his parcel to me, the property does not have any road frontage but has a legal easment as indicated on the Survey. I am in need of having the road frontage reduced so that I am able to procide with obtaining an address

# AUTHORIZATION Please review your application. No application will be accepted until all of the requested information has been supplied and the required fee has been paid. The acceptance of an application as being complete does not guarantee its approval by the City Council. The owner and/or authorized agent must be present at the public hearing. The required public notice signs must be posted on the property within five (5) working days after the filing of this application. Sign(s) must remain posted and maintained until a final determination has been

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the information contained in this application, that I am the owner or authorized agent for the owner with authority to make this application, and that all of the information contained in this application, including the attachments, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Owner(s) Print name: William Drew Signature: William Oren	Applicant or Agent (if different than owner)  Print name:  Signature:
Owner(s) Print name: Signature:	*An agent authorization letter is required if the application is made by any person other than the property owner.

## SUBMITTAL

This application must be typed or printed in ink and submitted along with three (3) copies for a total of four (4) applications. Each application must include all required attachments.

# Submit applications to:

made on the application.

Planning and Development Department, Zoning Section 214 North Hogan Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Jacksonville, Florida 32202 (904) 255-8300

## **CORRECTIVE OUIT-CLAIM DEED**

THIS QUIT CLAIM DEED, made this 23st day of 11the 2020, between OWEN WINGATE and NANCY R. WINGATE, his wife, whose address is 1703 Pecan Park Road, Jacksonville, Florida 32218 ("Grantor"), and WILLIAM C. DREW, whose address is 1703-1 Pecan Park Road, Jacksonville, Florida 32218 ("Grantor").

WITNESSETH: Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten and no/100 Dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable considerations, to them in hand paid by the Grantoe, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, by these presents does grant, bargain, sell, alien, remise, release, convey and confirm unto Grantee, its successors and assigns forever, the following described land, situate and lying and being in the County of Duval, State of Florida, to wit:

A parcel of land situated in Section 39, Township 1 North, Range 26 East, Duval County, Florida; said parcel being more particularly described as follows: Commence at the centerline intersection of Pecan Park Road (North-South segment) and Arnold Road, and run North 02°10'00" East, 30.09 feet to an iron pipe on the Northerly right of way line of Pecan Park Road as per the DOT right of way maps; thence run North 81°39'10" West, along said Northerly right of way line a distance of 50.00 feet to an iron rod; thence run North 00°12'04" East, 937.75 feet to an iron, thence run North 07°00'36" East, 65.23 feet to an iron rod; thence run North 72°03'29" East, 611.04 feet to an iron rod; thence South 65°00'57" East 208.69 feet to the point of beginning; thence run South 82°26'00" West, 39.55 feet to an iron rod; thence run South 04°57'11" East, 514.52 feet to an iron rod; thence run North 85°02'52" East 265.00 feet to an iron rod; thence North 64°57'08" West, 395 feet; thence South 85°02'52" West 225 feet; thence North 64°57'08" West, 395 feet; thence South 85°02'52" West 225 feet; thence N 05°00'57" West 121.32 feet to the point of beginning.

Together with a 20 feet easement for ingress and egress situated in Section 39, Township 1 North, Range 26 East, Duval County, Florida, as follows:

Commence at the centerline intersection of Pecan Park Road (North-South segment) and Arnold Road, and run N 02°10'00" East, 30.09 feet to an iron pipe on the Northerly right of way line of Pecan Park Road as per the DOT right of way maps and the beginning of the centerline of a 20 foot easement for ingress and egress; thence run North 02°10'00" East, 927.96 feet; thence run North 82°26'00" East, 528.78 feet, more or less to the terminus of said easement with the intersection of the Westerly line of the parcel conveyed.

Title to the lands described herein has not been examined by an attorney and no warranty or other representation is made and no opinion (either expressed or implied) is given, as to the marketability or condition of the title to the subject property, the quantity of lands included therein, the location of the boundaries thereof, of the existence of liens, unpaid taxes or encumbrances.

THIS CORRECTIVE DEED IS BEING EXECUTED AND RECORDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION CONTAINED IN THE QUIT-CLAIM DEED RECORDED IN OR BOOK 19664 PAGE 352 OF THE DUVAL COUNTY PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same together with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and all the estate, right, title, interest, lien, equity and claim whatsoever of the said party of the first part, either in law, or equity, to the only proper use, benefit and behoof of said party of the second part, its successors and assigns forever.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor has hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

NESS SIGNATURE

TINESS PRINTED NAME

WITNESS PRINTED NAME

OWEN WINGATE

Tlaney & Winguts
NANCY ROWINGATE

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF BULAR

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 23d day of June .

20 20, by OWEN WINGATE and NANCY R. WINGATE, his wife, who produced as identification.

Signature of person taking acknowledgment

Printed name of person taking acknowledgment

Expiration Date of Commission:

Commission Number:

Prepared By/Return to: Lewrence J Bernard, Esquire 480 Busch Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32218



# **EXHIBIT A**

# Property Ownership Affidavit - Individual

Legal Description September 7, 2020

# PARCEL 2

# **EASEMENT**

TOGETHER WITH A 20' EASEMENT FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS SITUATED IN SECTION 39, TOWNSHIP 1

THE WESTERLY INTERSECTION OF PECAN PARK ROAD (NORTH-SOUTH SEGMENT) AND ARNOLD ROAD, AND ROAD AND HORTH OF WAY MAPS, IN THE BEGINNING OF THE CENTER LINE OF A 20' EASEMENT FOR 10' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE REGINNING OF THE CENTER LINE OF A 20' EASEMENT FOR 10' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE REGINNING OF THE CENTER LINE OF A 20' EASEMENT FOR 10' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 26' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 82" 20' OO" EAST, 30.09 FEET, THENCE RUN