

### PLANNING COMMISSION ANNEXATION, COMPREHENSIVE PLAN MAP AMENDMENT, AND ZONING MAP AMENDMENT CASE SUMMARY

### 3807 CAPERS AVENUE ANNEX, ASSIGN LAND USE CLASSIFICATION UCR-1 (URBAN CORE RESIDENTIAL – SMALL LOT) AND ZONE PROPERTY RS-3 (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL)

<b>November 2, 2015 at 5:15pm</b> City Council Chambers, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor, 1737 Main Street, Columbia, SC 29201			
Subject Property:	3807 Capers Road, TMS#13805-07-17		
Applicant:	Sarah J. Gareau		
<b>Council District:</b>	3	<b>Census Tract:</b>	026.03
<b>County Land Use Plan:</b>	Mixed Residential	<b>Proposed Land Use Plan:</b>	UCR-1 Urban Core Residential
<b>Current Zoning:</b>	RS-HD	<b>Proposed Zoning:</b>	RS-3
<b>Current Land Use:</b>	Residential	<b>Proposed Use:</b>	Residential
Reason for Annexation: Donut Hole, Owner Requests City Sewer Services			
CASE HISTORY			
Staff Recommendation	Annex	, Assign UCR-1 Land Use Classification, and RS-3 Zonin	g APPROVE
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**APPLICATION REQUEST** 

Applicant is requesting annexation in order to connect and receive City services. City services are currently available to the property.

#### **CURRENT PARCEL CHARACTERISTICS/CONDITIONS**

The subject parcel is +/-.19 acres and located on Capers Ave, just east of the intersection of Kilbourne Road and Capers Ave.

#### Urban Service Area

Subject parcel is in a "Donut Hole Area" as identified in the Urban Service Area Map

#### Principles and Goals of the Urban Service Area

The Urban Service Area identifies those areas it wishes to provide with urban services. Primary emphasis will be given to annexing developed areas adjoining the city limits and "islands" of unincorporated territory surrounded by the city. Primary, secondary, and long-range annexation priorities for specific areas may be identified. Secondary areas may include higher value properties which assist the City in achieving a more balanced economic base.

Donut Holes are unincorporated areas that are completely surrounded by the City of Columbia and/or another municipality. These areas pose a number of challenges to the City that can be addressed through annexation. They can often cause inefficiencies in the delivery of services due to confusion about jurisdiction. Also, if the land is in a jurisdiction with a different approach to code enforcement, these areas can negatively impact the quality of life for adjacent City residents. Such inefficiencies and the costs to taxpayers are germane to City and County property both, which results in a greater impact to City residents since they pay City and County taxes.

#### The Columbia Plan 2018: Comprehensive Plan Land Use Classification

Staff recommends subject parcel be designated "Urban Core Residential Small Lot (UCR-1)" in The Columbia Plan 2018 Future Land Use Map.

Urban Core Residential Small Lot neighborhoods are common just outside the urban center, most were subdivided before 1950 and many continue the grid or street network from the original planned portion of the city. This development type may represent existing neighborhoods and is also a development form appropriate for medium to large-scale redevelopments or infill sites. Traditional and contemporary architectural styles have a place in these neighborhoods. When infill development is designed, scale and orientation of existing structures on the block should act as design presets.

#### **Primary Types:**

Single-family Detached

#### **Secondary Types:**

- Single-family Attached
- Two-family
- Three-family

#### **Tertiary Types:**

- Multi-family Small
- Small Format Business/
- Employment (except Flex)
- Cemeteries & Mausoleums

#### **PROPOSED ZONING DISTRICT SUMMARY**

The parcel is currently zoned RS-HD (Residential Single Family High Density) in Richland County. The surrounding lots are zoned RS-HD (Residential Single Family High Density) in Richland County and RS-3 in in the City of Columbia.

The intent of RS-3 district is intended as single-family residential areas with detached units with low to medium population densities. Use regulations for the single-family districts are identical, but contain varying classes of lot width and lot area, and these dimensional differences are intended to be preserved. Certain structures and uses required to serve governmental, educational, religious, noncommercial recreational and other needs of those areas are permitted outright within such districts or are permissible as special exceptions subject to restrictions and requirements intended to preserve and protect the single-family residential character of the district.

#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Recommend approval of a resolution assigning UCR-1. Recommend to City Council the adoption of an ordinance assigning UCR-1 land use classification and recommendation to City Council to apply RS-3 zoning at the time of annexation.

#### RS-1, RS-1A, RS-1B, RS-2, and RS-3

#### **Permitted Principal Uses**

Water supply services

Sewerage Systems (Sec. 17-262)

Municipal or other passive recreation facilities (parks, greenways, including administrative facilities)

Detached One-Family Dwelling

Police and Fire Protection

# Permitted in District, provided owner and/or tenant complies with the associated conditions set forth in this article

Municipal active recreation facilities (athletic ball fields, swimming pools, playgrounds, including administration facilities )(Sec. 17-289)

Exception

Food crops grown within a covered enclosure

General farms, primarily crop

#### Special Exception by Board of Zoning Appeals

Electric substations

Cemetary subdividers and developers

Parking Lots

Public Golf Course

Membership Sports and Recreation Clubs

Elementary and Secondary Schools (Sec. 17-296)

Libraries and Information Centers

Day Care Facilities (Sec. 17-265)

Residential Care (17-266)

Religious Organizations

Group Development



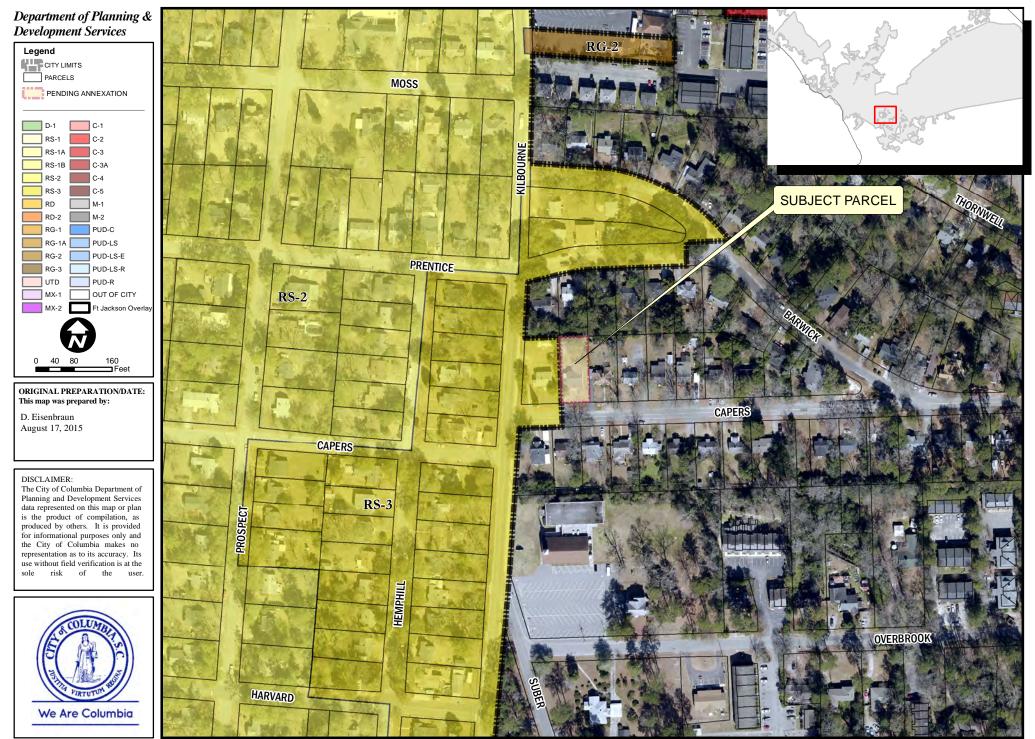
## **Future Land Use Map**

3807 Capers Avenue TMS# 13805-07-17 FLU: UCR-1



# **Zoning Map**

3807 Capers Avenue TMS# 13805-07-17 ZONED: RS-3

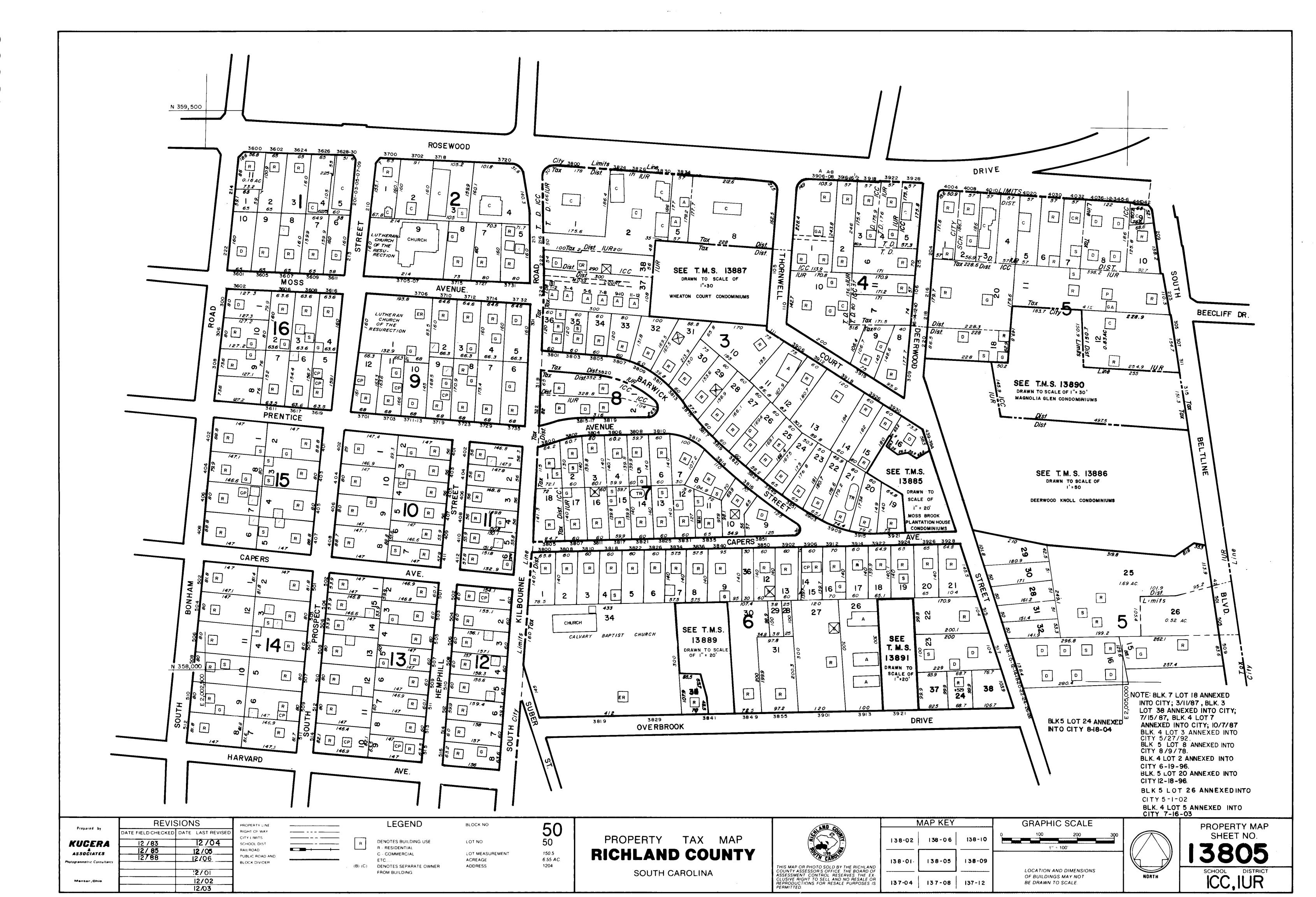


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#### A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA PLANNING COMMISSION RES: COMP PLAN - 2015-013

#### RECOMMENDING AMENDING THE CITY OF COLUMBIA COMPREHENSIVE PLAN 2018 FUTURE LAND USE MAP TO INCLUDE THE PROPERTY AT 3807 CAPERS AVE INTO THE CITY OF COLUMBIA.

WHEREAS, the City of Columbia and community at large recognize the value of planning for future development and growth; and,

WHEREAS, City Council approved Ordinance No.: 2008-085 on October 1, 2008 adopting the City of Columbia Comprehensive Plan (The Columbia Plan 2018) in accordance with the South Carolina Comprehensive Planning Act of 1994 (Title 6, Chapter 29 of the SC Code); and,

WHEREAS, City Council approved Ordinance No.: 2015-014 on February 17, 2015 amending the City of Columbia Comprehensive Plan 2018 deleting the "Existing and Future Land Use Components of the Physical Area Development Element of The Columbia Plan: 2018" and replaced it with "Plan Columbia Land Use Plan Putting the Pieces Together", along with all the maps and policies contained therein; and,

WHEREAS, 3807 Capers Avenue filed for petition on August 14, 2015 and was not included within Plan Columbia Land Use Plan Putting the Pieces in Place adopted by City Council on February 17, 2015, and shall be assigned the designated future land use classifications of Urban Core Residential Small Lot (UCR-1), and the Future Land Use Map shall be amended accordingly; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Columbia Planning Commission has provided input and recommendations in response to the public input and findings;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Columbia Planning Commission this, the second day of November, 2015, that the property to be annexed at 3807 Capers Avenue, be assigned the designated future land use classifications of Urban Core Residential Small Lot (UCR-1), and the Future Land Use Map be amended accordingly, along with all the maps and policies contained therein is recommended for adoption to City Council.

Richard H. Cohn, Sr. – Planning Commission Chairman

Date