Z16-0023 Request & Site Data

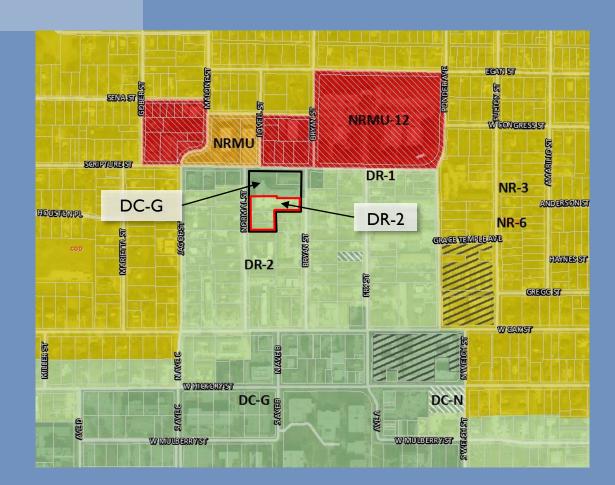
- Hold a public hearing and consider adoption of an ordinance to rezone approximately 1.39 acres from Downtown Residential 2 (DR-2) District to Downtown Commercial General (DC-G) District.
- South of Scripture, between Normal Street and Bryan Street
- Approximately 1,250 feet north of UNT campus (quarter-mile, or about a 5-to 10-minute walk)

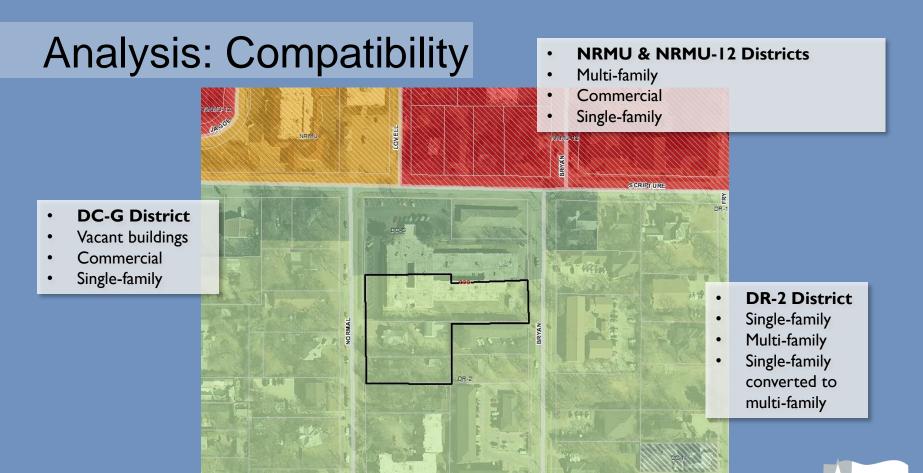


Site Data

 The subject property includes 3 tracts, one which has a split zoning of DR-2 and DC-G Districts.

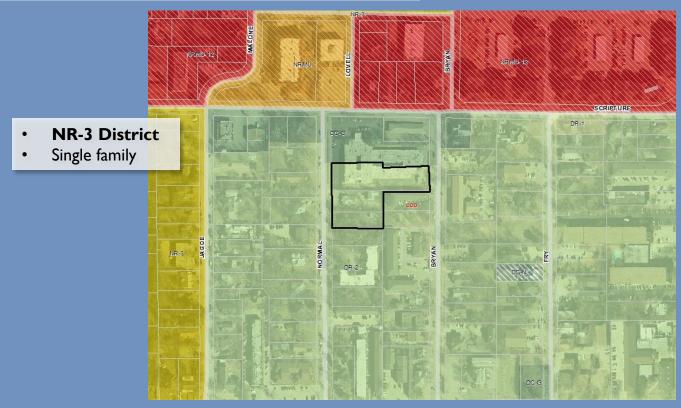
If approved, the proposal would consolidate the zoning designation under DC-G District





Area within approximately 200 feet of the subject property

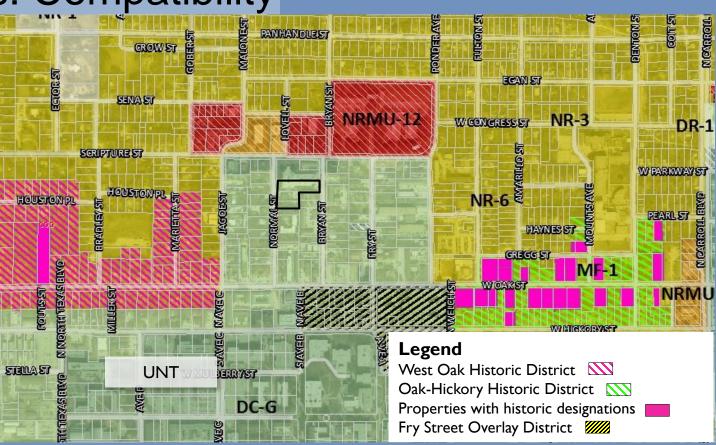
Analysis: Compatibility





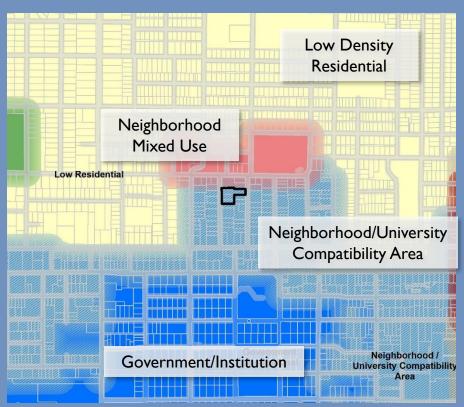
Analysis: Compatibility

Physical separations between the subject property & nearby neighborhoods include Scripture Street, Jagoe Street, and **Ponder Avenue**



Analysis: FLUM

- Neighborhood/University
 Compatibility Area: Create
 compatible form and land uses for
 areas that serve both established
 neighborhoods and the universities
 - Density and commercial development within proximity to UNT
 - Zoning should foster walkability, livability, and vibrancy on a tract which has been in disuse for several years
 - Catalyst for revitalization in area between UNT and established neighborhoods
 - Zoning pattern and physical barriers provide necessary transition between the subject property and nearby neighborhoods



Mobility

Rayzor Ranch (approx. one mile walk) The Square (approx. one mile walk)

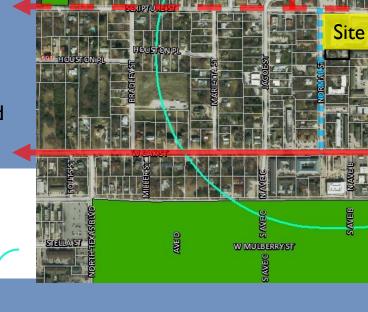
- Existing or proposed shared bike routes on Scripture, Congress, Jagoe, Oak, Hickory, Ponder
- DCTA: Routes 7, 8, and9

Legend

Arterial Roadway

Collector Street — — Neighborhood Street

5- to 10-minute walk (0.25 mile)





Recommendation

Staff recommends approval, based upon the land use analysis:

- DC-G District is a logical transition between the university area and the surrounding neighborhoods.
- The proposed rezoning would consolidate the zoning under one district.



Public Notification

Public Notification Date:

February 5, 2017

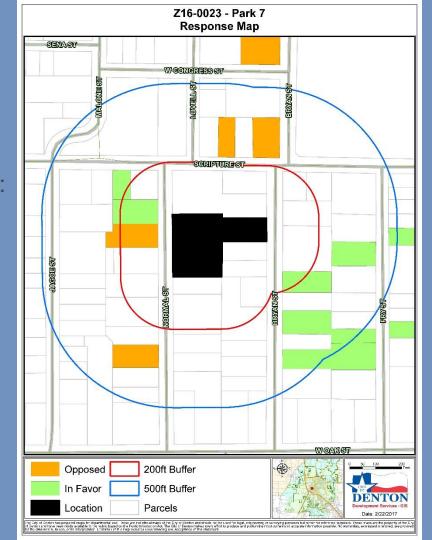
- 200 ft. Public Notices sent via certified mail:
- 500 ft. Courtesy Notices sent via regular mail: 96
- Responses to 200' Legal Notice:

In Opposition: 1

In Favor: 3

Neutral: 0

*The Planning Division received significant public input in opposition to request outside of the notification boundary.



Recommendation

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended DENIAL of the request (5-2). A supermajority vote is required for approval.





