

# NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS

This notice is posted pursuant to the Texas Local Government Code, Chapter §551 – Open Meetings.

Notice is hereby given that the **Public Hearing and Special Meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission** of the City of Burnet, Texas will be held on Monday **December 7, 2020,** at **6:00 p.m.**, in the City Council Chambers, Burnet Municipal Airport, 2402 S. Water, Burnet, TX. In order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called "social distancing") to slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19), a Declaration of a Public Health Emergency was executed by Mayor Bromley on March 19, 2020. The Council Chambers will be closed to public attendance. A Zoom Webinar with toll free conference call capability has been established for access as follows:

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The following subjects will be discussed, to-wit:

- 1. CALL TO ORDER:
- 2. ROLL CALL:

- 3. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS: All of the following items on the Consent Agenda are considered to be self-explanatory by the Commission and will be enacted with one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Commission member, staff member or citizen requests removal of the item from the consent agenda for the purpose of discussion. For removal of an item, a request must be made to the Commission when the Consent Agenda is opened for Commission action.
  - 3.1) Minutes of the special meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Burnet, Texas held on October 26, 2020.

#### 4. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

- 4.1) to receive public testimony and comments on the merits of a proposed "Preliminary Plat" for approximately 25.954 acres out of the Eugenio Perez Survey, No. 41, Abstract No. 672, The Susano Hernandez Survey No. 40, Abstract 398 and Washington Anderson Survey 10, abstract 29, and located approximately 830 feet west of the intersection of US Hwy 281 and Delaware Springs Blvd. The proposed "Preliminary Plat" will establish Section 24 of the Delaware Springs Subdivision, consisting of approximately 51 residential lots: J. Lutz
- 4.2) The Planning & Zoning Commission shall conduct a public hearing to receive public testimony and comments on the merits of a proposed amendment to the City's Code of Ordinances Chapter 118 (entitled "Zoning") Section 118-64 (entitled "Conditional Use Permit"). The proposed amendment would expand City Council's authority to grant conditional use permits in all commercial and industrial districts and provide a criteria for granting a conditions use permit: J. Lutz

#### 5. ACTION ITEMS:

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5.3) The Planning & Zoning Commission shall discuss and consider action regarding proposed regulations governing the use and operation of Mobile Food Establishments and providing feedback and direction to City staff regarding the proposed regulations: J. Lutz

#### 6. STAFF REPORTS.

- 6.1) Addendum to the Planning & Zoning Agenda: Department and Committee Reports/Briefings: The Planning & Zoning Commission may or may not receive a briefing dependent upon activity or change in status regarding the matter. The listing is provided to give notice to the public that a briefing to the Commission on any or all subjects may occur.
  - 6.1.A) Discussion regarding the January 4, 2020 regular meeting.

#### 7. REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

#### 8. ADJOURN

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Burnet, is a true and correct copy of said notice and that I posted a true and correct copy of said notice on the bulletin board, in the City Hall of said City, Burnet, Texas, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and said notice was posted on October 23, 2020 at or before 5 o'clock p.m. and remained posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

Dated this the 4 <sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020	
Kelly Dix City Secretary	

NOTICE OF ASSISTANCE AT THE PUBLIC MEETINGS:

The City Council Chambers are wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made 48 hours prior to the meeting. Please contact the Development Services Department at (512) 715-3206, FAX (512) 756-8560 or e-mail at <a href="mailto:illutz@cityofburnet.com">illutz@cityofburnet.com</a> for information or assistance.



#### **PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION MINUTES**

Notice is hereby given that the **Public Hearing and Special Meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission** of the City of Burnet, Texas will be held on Monday, Monday **October 5, 2020,** at **6:00 p.m.**, in the City Council Chambers, Burnet Municipal Airport, 2402 S. Water, Burnet, TX. In order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called "social distancing") to slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19), a Declaration of a Public Health Emergency was executed by Mayor Bromley on March 19, 2020. The Council Chambers will be closed to public attendance. A Zoom Webinar with toll free conference call capability has been established for access. The following subjects will be discussed, to-wit:

## 1. CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chairman Gaut.

#### 2. ROLL CALL:

Members Present: Tommy Gaut, Derek Fortin, Jennifer Wind and Calib Williams

Members Absent: Cesar Arreaza, Ricky Langley

Guests: Chris VanTuinen, David Paschal, and David Rojas

Others Present: Jason Lutz, Director of Development Services

Leslie Kimbler, Development Services Admin. Tech.

#### 3. CONSENT AGENDA:

3.1) Minutes of the regular meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Burnet, Texas held on October 5, 2020.

A motion to approve the consent agenda was made by Commissioner Fortin. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Williams and carried by a vote of 4 to 0.

#### 4. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

4.1) The Planning & Zoning Commission shall conduct a public hearing to receive public testimony and comments on the merits of a request to rezone property located at 608 Buchanan Drive (Legal Description: S5100 HAMILTON CREEK ADTN. LOT 9B BLK 4). The requested rezoning is from its present designation of Light Commercial—District "C-1" to a designation of Heavy Commercial—District "C-3": J. Lutz

Jason Lutz, Director of Development Services, presented staff's report regarding the request to rezone property located at 608 Buchanan Dr. from its present designation of Light Commercial—District "C-1" to a designation of Heavy Commercial—District "C-3":

Chairman Gaut then opened the floor for public comment.

There being no public comment, Chairman Gaut closed the public hearing.

4.2) The Planning & Zoning Commission shall conduct a public hearing to receive public testimony and comments on the merits of a request for a Conditional Use Permit to allow the land use of "Machine shop without outdoor storage" as permitted in Sec. 118-47. - Heavy commercial—District "C-3" of the City's Code of Ordinances, for property located at 608 Buchanan Drive (Legal Description: S5100 HAMILTON CREEK ADTN. LOT 9B BLK 4): J. Lutz

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Chairman Gaut then opened the floor for public comment.

Chris VanTuinen, applicant for the conditional use permit, spoke in regards to the type of work that were to be performed as well as hours of operation of the business.

There being no further public comment, Chairman Gaut closed the public hearing.

4.3) The Planning & Zoning Commission shall conduct a public hearing to receive public testimony and comments on the merits of a request to rezone property located at 1006 E. Marble St. (Legal Description: S5550 JOHNSON ADDITION LOT 7 & 8 BLK 17). The requested rezoning is from its present designation of Single-family residential 1—District "R-1" to a designation of Townhomes—District "R-2 A": J. Lutz

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Chairman Gaut then opened the floor for public comment.

There being no public comment, Chairman Gaut closed the public hearing.

#### 5. ACTION ITEMS:

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Commissioner Williams made a motion to approve the request to rezone property located at 608 Buchanan Dr. from its present designation of Light Commercial—District "C-1" to a designation of Heavy Commercial—District "C-3": The motion was seconded by Commissioner Wind, and carried by a vote of 4 to 0.

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6.	<b>STAFF REPORTS:</b> Director of Development Services, Jason Lutz, gave a report of the City's parks compared to other surrounding city's. Commissioner Wind then asked to see a report on the parkland fees that are paid to the city in lieu of parkland dedication.
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7. REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS: Director of Development Services, Jason Lutz, informed the Commission that the November 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting has been cancelled.

### 8. ADJOURN:

Commissioner Gaut made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Commissioner Wind seconded, and the motion carried by a vote of 4 to 0.

There being no further business, Chairperson, Tommy Gaut adjourned the meeting at 7:02 p.m.

Tommy Gaut, Chair
City of Burnet Planning and Zoning Commission
Attest:
Herve Derek Fortin Secretary



## **Development Services**

**ITEM 4.1** 

Jason Lutz **Development Services** (512) 715-3215 jlutz@cityofburnet.com

## **Agenda Item Brief**

**Meeting Date:** December 7, 2020

Agenda Item: Public Hearing: The Planning & Zoning Commission will conduct a

public hearing to receive public testimony and comments on the merits of a proposed "Preliminary Plat" for approximately 25.954 acres out of the Eugenio Perez Survey, No. 41, Abstract No. 672, The Susano Hernandez Survey No. 40, Abstract 398 and Washington Anderson Survey 10, abstract 29, and located approximately 830 feet west of the intersection of US Hwy 281 and Delaware Springs Blvd. The proposed "Preliminary Plat" will establish Section 24 of the Delaware Springs

Subdivision, consisting of approximately 51 residential lots: J. Lutz

Information: The property is currently zoned R-1 and consists of approximately 25+

> acres of unplatted property. The applicant is proposing to subdivide the existing tract in order to create a 51 lot single-family residential subdivision which will establish Section 24 of the Delaware Springs

Subdivision.

The property will be accessed via two locations. The 1st access point will be off of Oak Vista Dr. and the 2nd point of access will be off of Delaware Springs Blvd. Both access points are along streets with 50' of public rights-of-way that are sufficient to handle the proposed additional traffic. The properties will be serviced via two 50' wide public rights-ofway, Tom Kite Dr. and Crenshaw Ct.

The access point off of Oak Vista Drive will cross city owned property. The City has previously provided the property an access easement as recorded in Document No. 202002970. This easement will need to be relocated to align with the new proposed Tom Kite Drive.

All lots will be 0.30 acres or greater, with most lots falling in the range of 0.30-0.40 acres in size with an expected impervious cover calculation of approximately 30%.

Water will be provided by the City of Burnet with a proposed 8" water line to serve the properties that will connect to an existing 12" water line along the south and west side of the property.

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A portion of the property is located in a floodplain, but the proposed floodplain analysis shows no detention improvements would be required based on the impervious cover and location to the floodplain. Staff must note that the flood study is still being reviewed by K.C. Engineering and they are reviewing several additional pieces of information submitted by the applicant. K.C. Engineering has stated that the outstanding comments/information should not change the results of the study or require the plat to be modified.

A tree survey will be provided in the future with the submittal of the proposed construction plans for staff review and mitigation requirements.

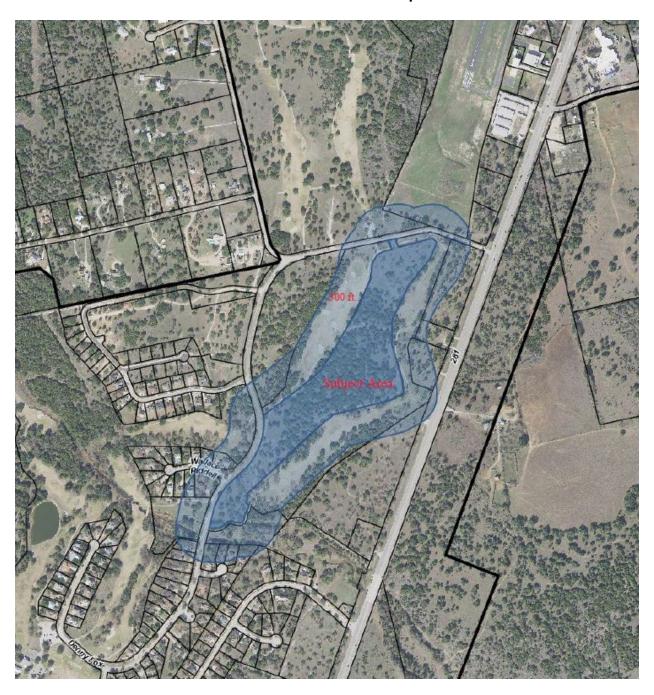
**Staff Analysis:** 

Staff has reviewed the proposed preliminary plat and found it to be in compliance with the City's adopted Subdivision Ordinance.

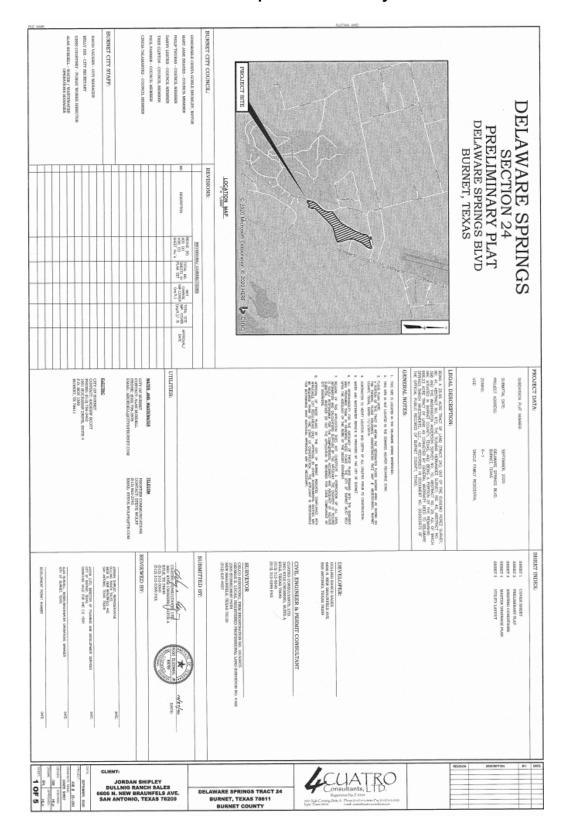
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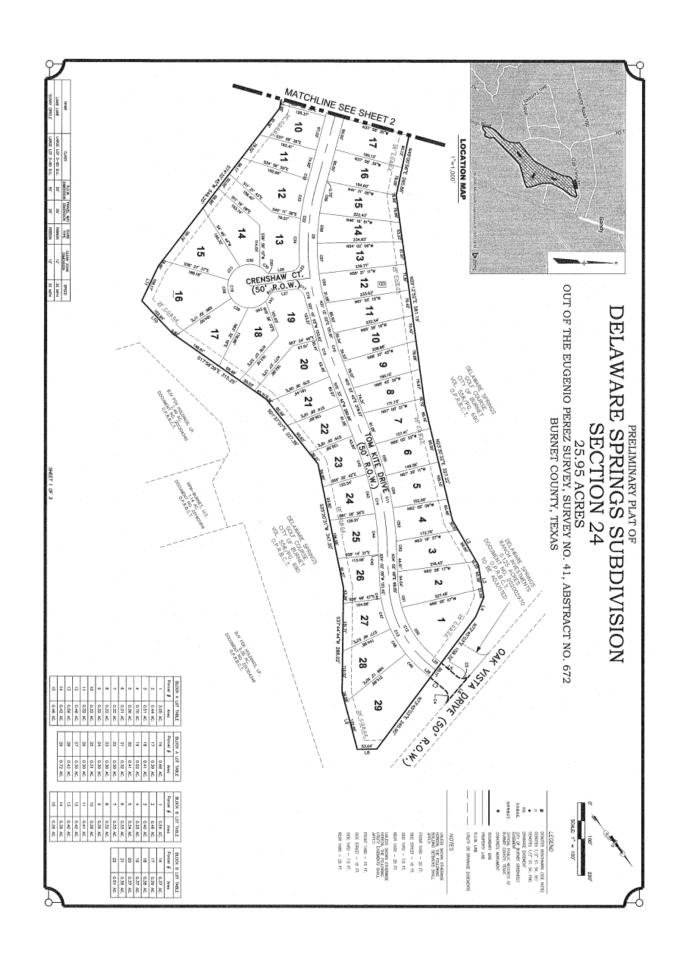
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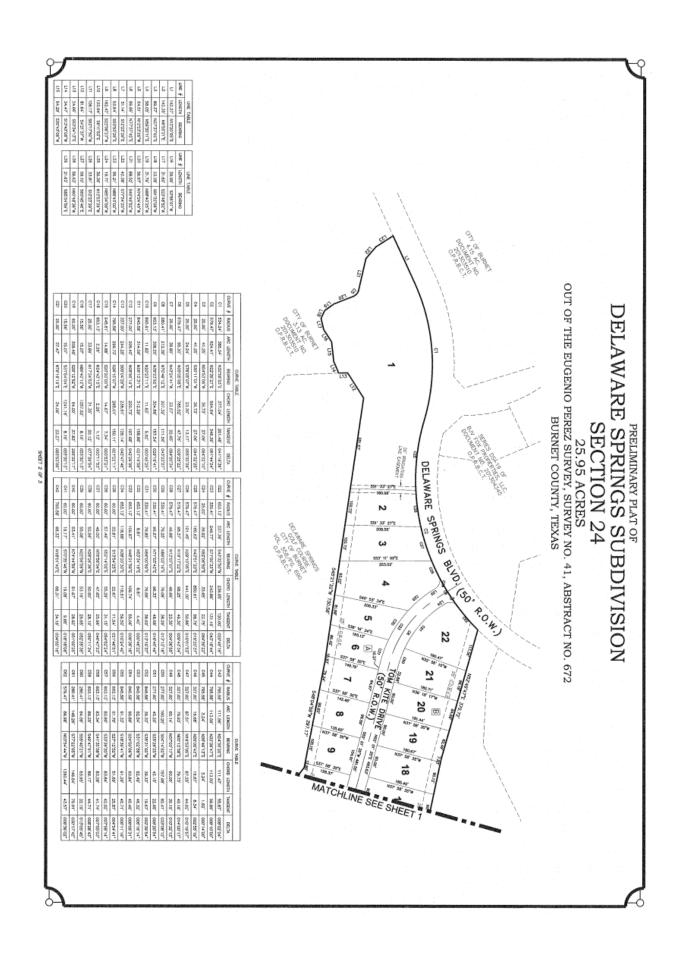
Exhibit A – Location Map



# **Exhibit B - Proposed Preliminary Plat**









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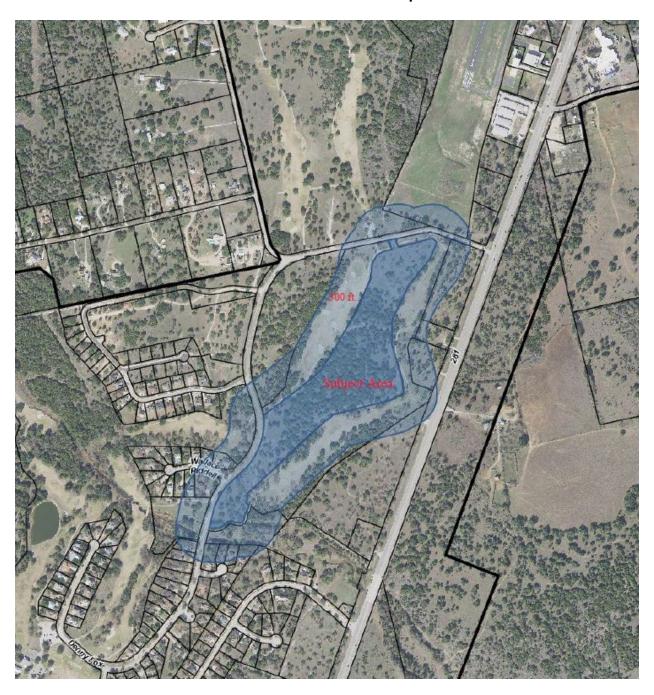
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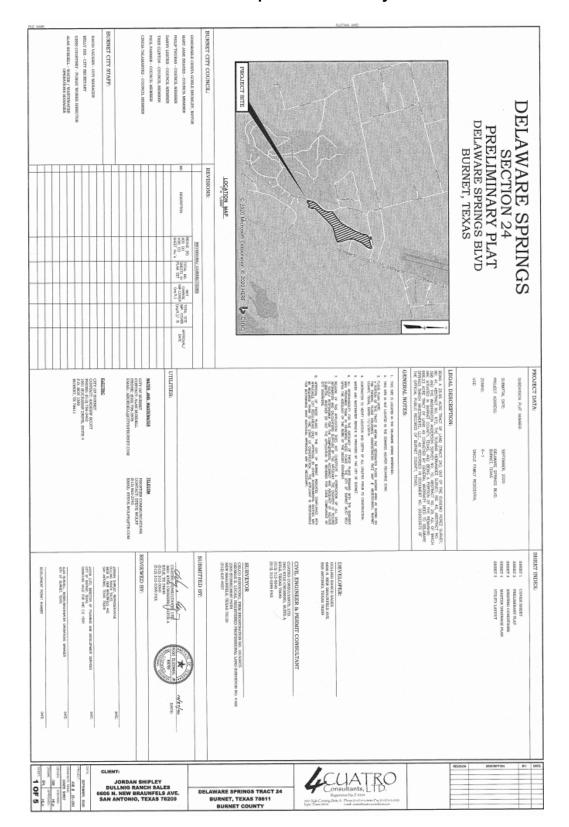
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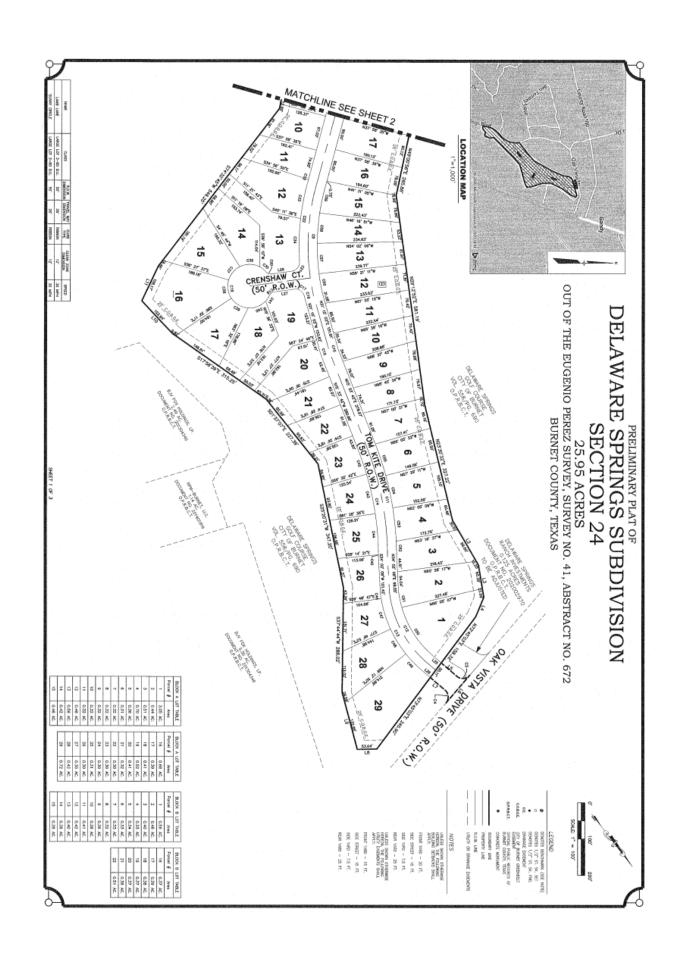
Recommendation: Approve the Preliminary Plat.

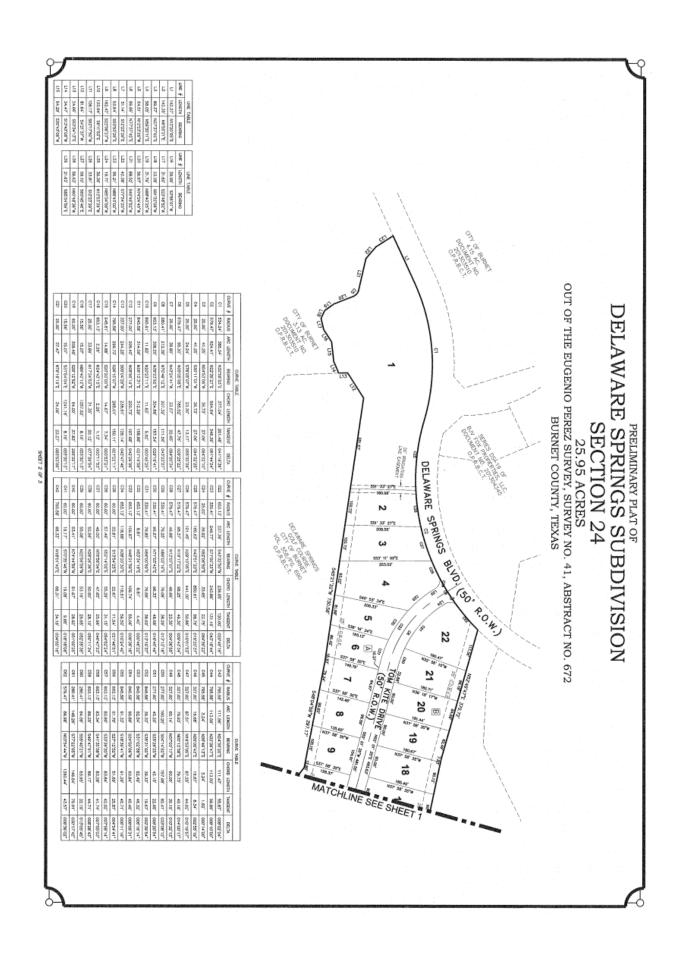
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# **Exhibit B - Proposed Preliminary Plat**









## **Development Services**

**ITEM 5.3** Jason Lutz **Development Services** (512) 715-3215 jlutz@cityofburnet.com

## **Agenda Item Brief**

**Meeting Date:** December 7, 2020

Agenda Item: Discuss and consider action: Discussion and action regarding

> proposed regulations governing the use and operation of Mobile Food Establishments and providing feedback and direction to City staff

regarding the proposed regulations: J. Lutz

**Background:** Currently the City has one location in the City located at the corner of

> E. Polk St. and S. Rhomberg St. (Mojo's Coffee) which allows food trucks. At this time the City does not have any existing regulations

which govern the use, development, or safety of such vehicles.

Mobile food establishments are currently permitted through the Peddler/Vendor ordinance under the special events section. These regulations where not designed for such a use and do not directly

address several issues dealing with this type of facility.

Staff has also seen an increase in the number of calls wanting to operate mobile food establishments and other mobile type businesses.

City staff has provide a draft copy of regulations for the Commission's

consideration and feedback (see Exhibit A).

The attached regulations represents staff 1st attempt at addressing Information:

some of the major issues associated with Mobile Food Establishments.

Most of the regulations are regarding definitions, development standards (setbacks & parking), inspections, and fire/life safety.

Staff is seeking specific direction regarding the following issues:

1. Zoning Districts

Staff is proposing allowing by right in all commercial districts and would consider them the same land use as restaurants.

2. Setbacks

Front setbacks would be the same as the commercial zoning district regulations of the property.

 Side and rear yards would also be the same as the zoning district regulations of the property, if located adjacent to a residential zone. If the property is adjacent to other commercial zones the setbacks would be reduced to 10 feet.

#### 3. Definitions

- While these regulations directly revolve around Mobile Food Establishments, they would also prohibit other mobile vendors & businesses.
- Staff would like specific feedback regarding the prohibition of other mobile vendors/businesses.
- Staff has seen an increase in questions regarding the ability to use RVs or Connex/shipping containers as offices, if modified and attached to trailers. The code does not specifically address these types of vehicles but the sections of code that may apply, and when viewed in their totality trend towards prohibition without specifically stating so.

Recommendation: Provide staff with direction on moving forward with the regulations, with modifications for adoption, and provide recommendations for changes or other concerns you would like addressed.

## Exhibit A – Draft Mobile Food Establishments Ordinance

## Sec. 118-69. - Mobile Food Establishments

- (A) *Purpose and Intent*. It is the purpose of this section of section to regulate Mobile Food Establishments to promote the public health, safety, morals and general welfare of the citizens of the city, and to establish reasonable and uniform regulations of Mobile Food Establishments within the city.
  - (1) Any person desiring to operate a Mobile Food Establishment (MFE) must obtain a permit for each MFE from the City. The City will issue each permit only after an inspection reveals satisfactory compliance with state and local laws, including this section. Such permit remains the property of the city.
  - (2) It is unlawful for a person to operate or cause to be operated any MFE, which does not possess a valid permit issued by the City. Any person, firm, or establishment who is found to have operated or caused to be operated a MFE without a valid mobile food Establishment permit may be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction by a court of competent jurisdiction, be assessed fines or other punishment as provided by this section. An MFE operating within the city must have onsite at least one employee who possesses a food manager certification.
  - (3) This section does not apply to vendors under contract with the City of Burnet or Burnet County to provide food and beverage services at properties owned and operated by the City or Burnet County.
- (B) Definitions. The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this section, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this subsection, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning.
  - (1) "MOBILE FOOD COURT" means a site, parcel of land, or facility designed to allow 2 or more MFEs to congregate in order to offer food or beverages for sale to the public.
  - (2) "MOBILE FOOD ESTABLISHMENT" means a self-propelled or towed unit that offers prepackaged food in individual servings; beverages that are not potentially hazardous and are dispensed from covered urns or other protected vessels; and packaged frozen foods; OR may cook, prepare and assemble a full menu of food items; that is

- permitted to do business within the City of Burnet on a schedule typical of a brick and mortar restaurant.
- (3) "TEMPORARY MOBILE FOOD ESTABLISHMENT" means a self-propelled or towed unit that offers prepackaged food in individual servings; beverages that are not potentially hazardous and are dispensed from covered urns or other protected vessels; and packaged frozen foods; OR may cook, prepare and assemble a full menu of food items; that is permitted to do business within the City of Burnet for no more than six events or celebrations, and for a total of 84 days or less in a calendar year.
- (4) "OTHER MOBILE VENDORS OR SERVICES" means any other business but not limited to, offices, salons, other personal services, and retail sales that operates from a mobile vehicle, trailer, or recreational vehicle (RV) are prohibited from operating within the City.
- (C) *Development Standards*. MFEs shall be adhere to the following development standards and are permitted by right in any commercial zone.
  - (1) It is unlawful for the operator of a MFE to remove any food from the MFU to vend from a stand or other temporary structure located upon any public street, sidewalk, right-of-way, or other adjacent public area.
  - (2) It is unlawful to operate an MFE from the public right-of-way. The operation of a mobile food unit near a street must not create a traffic hazard.
  - (3) An MFE may apply for permission to operate within a city park subject to applicable park regulations and conditions placed on them by the City.
  - (4) Unless written permission is granted by the appropriate school, it is unlawful for a person to operate a MFE within 300 feet of the property line of any public or private elementary, middle, or high school one hour before, during, and after school hours.
  - (5) No person shall operate a MFE within or twenty five (25') feet of any residential zoning district, unless approved for temporary peddlers permit associated with a community event or special event permit.
  - (6) Temporary Mobile Food Establishments may be located in existing commercial lots provided they do not reduce the number of off-street parking spaces below the minimum required amount for the existing facility.
  - (7) Setbacks shall adhere to the following regulations.

- a. Front yard setbacks shall be in accordance with the applicable setbacks of the zoning district with which they are located.
- b. Side and rear yard setbacks shall be in accordance with the applicable setbacks of the zoning district with which they are located, when adjacent to a residential zone.
  - Side and rear yard setbacks adjacent to other commercial properties shall be ten (10').
- c. A minimum of ten (10') of separation shall be provided between all MFEs, structures, fences, or other combustible materials.
- (8) No vendor participating in the sale shall impede access to the entrance or driveway of an adjacent building, or operate within the public right-of-way.
- (9) All vendors selling food or beverages must provide at least one (1) appropriately sized trash receptacle adjacent to or as a part of their stand/operation.
- (10) Bathroom facilities within a building(s) on the premises authorized by written consent of the building owner/tenant are required.
- (11) Mobile food vendors/vehicles shall not have permanent connections for electricity, potable water and sewage disposal. Mobile food vendors/vehicles must provide independent self-contained systems to adequately provide these services to each unit.
- (12) The sale, distribution or consumption of alcoholic beverage is prohibited within mobile food courts.
- (13) MFEs must provide complete contact information such as name, address, phone number, and any other information reasonably required by the city manager or his/her designee for a designated on-call person to be a principal point of contact for city staff and the individual vendors/vehicles.
- (14) Residing and/or dwelling within a vendor/vehicle unit(s) overnight is prohibited.
- (15) Vendors shall be allowed one (1) single temporary detached sign to advertise. The sign must remain temporary and no permanent installation shall be allowed. One (1) sign may be attached to a structure per vendor. The sign should be anchored or stabilized to prevent wind damage. Overall sign dimensions shall not exceed twenty-four (24) square feet. Sign may be dual sided.

- (16) Failure to comply with these standards may result in termination or suspension of the temporary use permit.
  - a. The city manager or his/her designee shall have the authority to revoke a permit upon violation of the conditions or standards for issuance as set forth in this section or when temporary uses create, refuse to mitigate, or otherwise have an adverse effect upon the health, safety, or welfare of the public, persons or property.
  - d. "MOBILE FOOD COURTS" shall be required to adhere to these regulations in addition to those found in this section.
  - a. Vendors shall be allowed to engage in the business of vending only between the hours of 6:30 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. or as otherwise approved by the city manager or his/her designee.
  - b. A minimum twenty (20) foot wide fire apparatus access route shall be provided, if required by the fire chief or designee.
  - c. On-site bathroom facilities, which meet ADA requirements shall be provided.

    This requirement can be met through one (1) of the following methods.
    - 1. Bathroom facilities within a building(s) on the premises.
      - i. Number of water closets required shall be a minimum of four(4).
    - Bathroom facility trailer or mobile trailer with bathrooms and selfcontained water and wastewater facilities within it, maintained by a licensed company.
    - Port-o-potties located on the premises, at the farthest reasonable distance from public right-of-way, parking areas, residential zones, and maintained by a licensed company.
  - e. Permitted mobile food vendors/vehicles located within the court shall be exempt from having to remove the vehicle from the site during non-operating hours so long as such operation is in compliance the applicable rules and regulations.
  - f. Mobile food courts must comply with the setbacks listed in subsection (c)(7) of this code.

- g. Mobile food courts must provide a paved parking area, at a ratio of three (3) parking spaces per individual vendor/vehicle.
- h. Mobile food courts must provide outside seating consisting of a table and a seating capacity of four (4), per mobile food vendor/vehicle unit.
- Mobile food vendors/vehicles shall not have permanent connections for electricity, potable water and sewage disposal. Mobile food vendors/vehicles must provide independent self-contained systems to adequately provide these services to each unit.
- j. No mobile food vendor/vehicle unit, structures associated with the mobile food court use, nor any seating areas shall be located in a required setback, buffer yard, access easement, drainage easement, floodplain, driveway, utility easement and/or fire lane unless authorized by the city manager or his/her designee.
- (D) Inspections & Safety. All MFEs shall adhere to the following regulations.

#### (1) Fire Safety.

- a. If a person who operates a mobile food establishment maintains food at a hot holding temperature by mechanical means, that person shall comply with fire and explosion safety standards established by the fire marshal.
- b. If a person uses a pressurized fuel system or container in conjunction with the mobile food establishment, that person shall comply with fire and explosion safety standards established by the fire marshal.

#### c. PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

- At least one 2A10BC (5lb) fire extinguisher must be provided for the MFE.
- At least one Class K extinguisher must be provided for the MFE's using oil or grease fryers.
- All provided portable fire extinguishers must be charged, unobstructed and possess a current and valid inspection tag attached to the unit.

#### d. COMMERCIAL HOOD FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM

 Required in MFE units utilizing any form of deep fat frying, including but not limited to commercial deep fat fryers, commercial or residential grade table top fryers, commercial or residential stoves heating vessels used to deep fat fry consumer items.

MFEs equipped with Hood fire suppression systems shall be fully functioning and possess a current and valid inspection tag.

#### e. Fuel and Power Sources

### 1. Propane

- Documentation showing a leak test on the propane plumbing system has been successfully conducted.
- ii. Flexible connectors must be used between the regulator outlet and the fixed piping system.
- iii. Propane tanks are secured in an upright position.
- iv. Propane tanks are within their hydrostatic test date.
- v. Propane system must be in good condition, (i.e. no leaks, rust).
- vi. The main shut-off must be marked, in plain view and easily assessable.
- vii. Fuel supply must be shut off when not in use or while in transit.

#### 2. ELECTRICAL

- i. Electrical wire and equipment must be in accordance with the electric code and in good working condition.
- ii. Extension cords must be adequate gauge and in good condition.

#### 3. GENERATORS

- Generators shall be placed at least 10 feet from buildings, structures, vehicles and combustibles.
- Generator exhaust shall be directed away from mobile cooking vehicle, vehicles, buildings, structures, exits and openings.
- iii. Generators shall be protected from contact by the public.

iv. Generators shall be shut down for refueling.

#### 4. SOLID FUEL

- Combustible solid fuel shall be stored properly and away from heat producing appliances.
- ii. Ashes, cinders, and other fire debris shall be removed at the end of the day and stored in an approved ash bucket with lid away from the vehicle, buildings and combustibles.
- iii. Ashes, cinders and other fire debris shall not be discarded in plastic trash receptacles or metal dumpster without being "cold to the touch."
- (2) Inspections. The fire marshal is authorized to conduct periodic inspections as necessary to determine the extent of compliance at any time.
  - a. An operator of a MFE must possess a valid driver's license. In addition, the MFE must display valid license plates and a state registration sticker and must be in good working order.
  - b. All cooking appliances in the mobile food unit must be of an approved type, listed, and labeled for the use intended. Appliances must be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. All cooking appliances must have an approved, labeled, and listed on-off valve. Camp stoves or the equivalent are prohibited.
  - c. All propane and natural gas appliances must be pressure tested annually and contain only approved parts. Rubber hoses are prohibited. All piping must comply with National Fire Protection Association 58 and be protected from physical damage. Mounting and placement of containers must comply with National Fire Protection Association 58 and Texas Department of Transportation regulations. The capacity limit of propane and natural gas containers or cylinders will be determined by the fire marshal after

consideration of features that secure and protect the container. Upon request of the fire marshal, the owner/operator of the MFU shall produce documentation illustrating that an annual gas test was performed and passed by a licensed individual or firm.

- d. Cooking surfaces in the mobile food unit must remain clean of grease buildup. Trash containers and debris must be emptied regularly. Appliances shall be plugged directly into electrical outlets and extension cords may not be utilized for appliances.
- (E) Penalty. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this section may have their permit revoked and incur daily fines of not less than \$100.00 or greater than \$2,000.00 per day.