

AGENDA
CITY OFALLEN
PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING – 7:00 P.M.
TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2012
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
ALLEN CITY HALL
305 CENTURY PARKWAY
ALLEN, TEXAS 75013

Call to Order and Announce a Quorum is Present

Pledge of Allegiance

Director's Report

1. Action taken on the Planning & Zoning Commission items by City Council at the August 14, 2012 regular meeting.

<u>Consent Agenda</u> (Routine P&Z business. Consent Agenda is approved by a single majority vote. Items may be removed for open discussion by a request from a Commission member or member of staff.)

- 2. Approve minutes from the August 7, 2012 regular meeting.
- 3. Final Plat Consider a request for a Final Plat for Stacy-Chelsea Commercial Addition, Lot 2, Block A; being 1.395± acres situated in the Francis Dasser Survey, Abstract No. 280, City of Allen, Collin County, Texas; located northwest of Stacy Road and Chelsea Boulevard. (FP-5/7/12-36) [Stacy-Chelsea Commercial Addition]

Regular Agenda

4. Public Hearing – Conduct a Public Hearing and consider a request to change the zoning of 38.814± acres situated in the J. W. Parsons Survey, Abstract No. 705, City of Allen, Collin County, Texas, from Single Family Residential R-5 to a Planned Development for Single Family Residential R-5; located south of Ridgeview Drive and west of Twin Creeks Drive. (Z-6/22/12-44) [Fall Creek Addition]

Executive Session (As needed)

As authorized by Section 551.071(2) of the Texas Government Code, this meeting may be convened into closed Executive Session for the purpose of seeking confidential legal advice from the City Attorney on any agenda item listed herein.

Adjournment

This notice was posted at Allen City Hall, 305 Century Parkway, Allen, Texas, at a place convenient and readily accessible to the public at all times. Said notice was posted on Friday, August 17, 2012, at 5:00 p.m.

Shelley B. George, City Secretary

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Director's Report from 8/14/12 City Council Meeting

There were two items taken to the August 14, 2012 City Council meeting for consideration:

- A request for a Specific Use Permit for a fueling station for Racetrac, located north of Exchange Parkway and east of Bossy Boots Drive, was approved.
- A request to change the zoning for $0.8556\pm$ acres from Single Family Residential R-5 to a Planned Development for Assisted Living Center use, located north of Exchange Parkway and east of Cabernet Drive, was approved.



PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

Regular Meeting August 7, 2012

ATTENDANCE:

Commissioners Present:

Robert Wendland, Chairman Jeff Cocking, 1st Vice Chair Shirley Mangrum, 2nd Vice Chair John Ogrizovich Steven Platt, Jr. Ben Trahan

City Staff Present:

Ogden 'Bo' Bass, AICP, Director of Community Development Chris Flanigan, PE, Director of Engineering Brian Bristow, RLA, Assistant Director of Parks and Recreation Shelby Griffin, Planner Whitt Wyatt, City Attorney

Call to Order and Announce a Quorum is Present:

With a quorum of the Commissioners present, Chairman Robert Wendland called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers at Allen City Hall, 305 Century Parkway.

Director's Report

1. Action taken on the Planning & Zoning Commission items by City Council at the July 24, 2012 regular meeting.

Consent Agenda

Motion:

2. Approve minutes of the July 17, 2012 regular meeting.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Trahan, and a second by 2^{nd} Vice Chair Mangrum, the Commission voted 6 IN FAVOR, and 0

OPPOSED to approve the Consent Agenda.

The motion carried.

Regular Agenda

Agenda Item #3

Public Hearing – Conduct a Public Hearing and consider a request for a Specific Use Permit for a fitness and health center use. The property is Lot 3, Block A, Watters Village; and commonly known as 909 W. Stacy Road, City of Allen, Collin County, Texas. (SUP-4/30/12-34) [Emler Swim School]

Shelby Griffin, Planner, presented to the Commission. The property is located south of Stacy Road and west of Curtis Lane. The property is currently zoned Planned Development No. 86 for Shopping Center use. The applicant, Emler Swim School, is requesting a Specific Use Permit for a fitness and health center use. The *Allen Land Development Code* (ALDC) requires a Specific Use Permit (SUP) for a fitness and health center use within a Shopping Center SC zoning district, unless otherwise provided for in the Planned Development.

Ms. Griffin explained that the swim school will occupy the entire building shown on the SUP Site Plan and adequate parking is provided. She added that the required masonry screening wall between a residential and nonresidential use currently exists south of the property. The building façade will be a mixture of brick and stucco.

She stated that the SUP has been reviewed by the Technical Review Committee and that it meets the standards of the ALDC; therefore staff recommends approval.

Chairman Wendland opened the Public Hearing.

Michael Allen, 550 Edmonds, Lewisville, TX, applicant, stated that he is available to answer any questions.

With no one else coming forward, Chairman Wendland closed the Public Hearing.

Commissioner Ogrizovich inquired about the pool equipment's location. Ms. Griffin stated that some of the equipment will be located inside the building and any remaining equipment will be located within an 8 foot masonry screening wall behind the building.

1st Vice Chair Cocking inquired about the noise produced from the pool equipment. The applicant, Mr. Allen, stated that the 8 foot masonry screening will abate any noise produced by the equipment. Mr. Allen added that after the pool pump has primed, it is virtually inaudible. Director of Community Development, Ogden "Bo" Bass, added that a note will be added concerning noise during Site Plan review.

Motion:

Upon a motion by Commissioner Platt, and a second by Commissioner Ogrizovich, the Commission voted 6 IN FAVOR, and 0 OPPOSED to recommend approval of the request for a Specific Use Permit for a Fitness and Health Center use at 909 W. Stacy Road.

The motion carried.

Adjournment

Upon acclamation, the meeting adjourned at 7:55 p.m.								
These minutes approved thisday of	2012.							
Robert Wendland, Chairman	Shelby Griffin, Planner							

Director's Report from 7/24/12 City Council Meeting

There were three items taken to the July 24, 2012 City Council meeting for consideration:

- A request for a Specific Use Permit for a fitness and health center for Title Boxing Company; located at 300 N. Greenville Center was approved.
- A request to adopt a Concept Plan for 30.301± acres in Planned Development No. 108 District H; located north of Exchange Parkway and east of Bossy Boots Drive was approved.
- A request for a Specific Use Permit for a major automotive repair use for Christian Brother's Automotive Repair; located south of Stacy Road and west of Greenville Avenue was approved.

PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION AGENDA COMMUNICATION

AGENDA DATE: August 21, 2012

SUBJECT: Final Plat – Consider a request for a Final Plat for Stacy-

Chelsea Commercial Addition, Lot 2, Block A; being 1.395± acres situated in the Francis Dasser Survey, Abstract No. 280, City of Allen, Collin County, Texas; located northwest of Stacy Road and Chelsea Boulevard. (FP-5/7/12-36)

[Stacy-Chelsea Commercial Addition]

STAFF RESOURCE: Shelby Griffin

Planner

PREVIOUS COMMISSION/COUNCIL

ACTION: March, 2004 – PD No. 92 Approved

December, 2004 – Amended PD No. 92

February, 2010 – General Development Plan Approved

March, 2010 - Preliminary Plat Approved

PUBLIC NOTICE: None

BACKGROUND

The property is located northwest of Stacy Road and Chelsea Boulevard. The property is zoned Planned Development No. 92 for Shopping Center SC. The property to the north and east is zoned Planned Development No. 92 Shopping Center SC. The property to the south (across Stacy Road) is zoned Planned Development No. 45 Corridor Commercial. The property to the west is zoned Planned Development No. 92 Shopping Center SC and Single Family Residential R-5.

The subject Final Plat is 1.395± acres located on Lot 2, Block A of Stacy-Chelsea Commercial Addition. There are two access points into the site off of Stacy Road through a shared access easement. A shared access easement is also shown along the eastern and northern property line for future connectivity. An 8 ft. hike and bike trail will be located along Stacy Road. The Final Plat shows various utility, fire lane, drainage, and access easements required for the development of this site.

The Plat has been reviewed by the Technical Review Committee, is consistent with the Preliminary Plat and meets the standards of the *Allen Land Development Code*.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

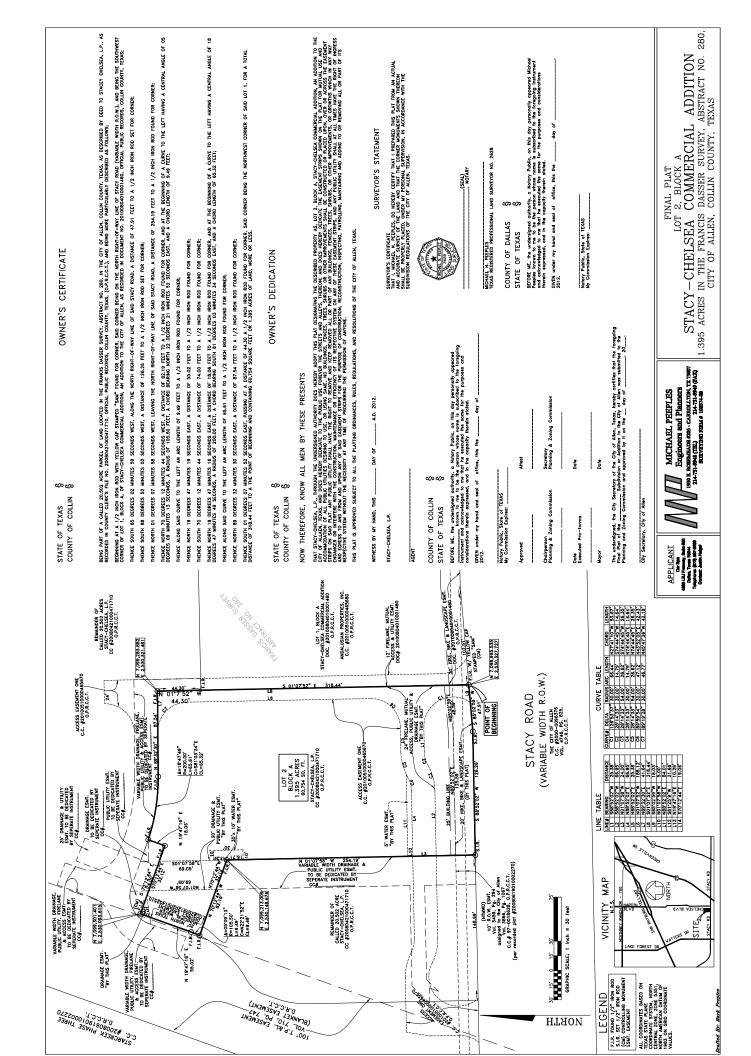
Approval

MOTION

I make a motion to approve the Final Plat for Stacy-Chelsea Commercial Addition, Lot 2, Block A.

ATTACHMENTS

Final Plat



PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION AGENDA COMMUNICATION

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Drive. (Z-6/22/12-44) [Fall Creek Addition]

STAFF RESOURCE: Tiffany McLeod

Senior Planner

PREVIOUS COMMISSION/COUNCIL Preliminary Plat Approved – May, 2011

ACTION: Final Plat Approved – September, 2011

PUBLIC NOTICE: Property Owner Notices – Mailed August 10, 2012

Sign Installed – August 10, 2012

BACKGROUND

The property is located south of Ridgeview Drive and west of Willingham Drive. The property to the north (across Ridgeview Drive) is zoned Corridor Commercial CC. The property to the south and east is zoned Planned Development PD No. 98 for Town Home TH and Single Family Residential R-5. The property to the west is zoned Planned Development PD No. 54 for Community Facilities CF.

The property is currently zoned Single Family Residential R-5. The applicant is requesting to change the zoning of the property to a Planned Development with the following development regulations as it relates to the proposed development:

- 1. The property shall be developed and used in accordance with the Single Family Residential R-5 zoning district regulations.
- 2. The minimum garage setback for front entry garages shall be eighteen (18) feet from the front building setback line; with the exception of the highlighted lots (as identified on the Concept Plan) which shall be allowed a minimum setback of twelve (12) feet from the front building setback line.

The Allen Land Development Code ALDC requires a front entry garage to be placed a minimum of twenty (20) feet behind the front building setback line. This standard is applied throughout the City with the exception of two (2) Planned Developments PDs. In both Planned Developments the modified garage setback requirement was applied to every lot in the PD boundary.

The Fall Creek subdivision has already gone through the development process of preliminary and final platting. The Concept Plan shows 116 residential lots; with two access points from Ridgeview Drive and Wesley Drive (in Cumberland Crossing Phase I). The applicant is proposing a reduction of the required garage setback from twenty (20) feet to eighteen (18) feet for 107 of the lots. The applicant is also proposing an additional garage setback reduction to twelve (12) feet for the remaining nine (9) lots. These nine (9) lots are highlighted in yellow on the attached Concept Plan.

The applicant's request is due to a measure of error between their architectural design team and development team. The applicant's design team created seven (7) floor plans with a J-swing garage and optional front entry third car garage. During the building permitting process the applicant realized only three (3) of the seven (7) floor plans would fit on the lots and meet the garage setback requirement.

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A garage setback reduction to eighteen (18) feet will allow the applicant to build all seven (7) floor plans on 107 of the lots. The applicant has stated that the seven (7) floor plans still will not fit on the remaining nine (9) lots (highlighted in yellow on the attached Concept Plan) even with the reduced eighteen (18) foot setback. This is being attributed to the irregular shape of the lots. The additional request is to further reduce the garage setback to twelve (12) feet for these particular lots in order for at least three (3) of the floor plans to fit

This request has been reviewed by the Technical Review Committee.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The applicant can build seven (7) floor plans without the optional third car garage and three (3) of the floor plans with the optional third car garage without the garage setback reduction. However, as a matter of concession staff supports the request to reduce the garage setback, for the entire development, to eighteen (18) feet. This will allow the applicant to build seven (7) floor plans with or without the optional third car garage on 92% of the lots.

Staff does not support the additional request to further reduce the garage setback to twelve (12) feet for nine (9) lots in the development. Per the attached summary letter, the applicant has indicated that redesign efforts have already taken place to fit their floor plans on some irregular shaped lots. In addition, allowing the varied garage setbacks will create an unprecedented inconsistency with single family residential developments throughout the City.

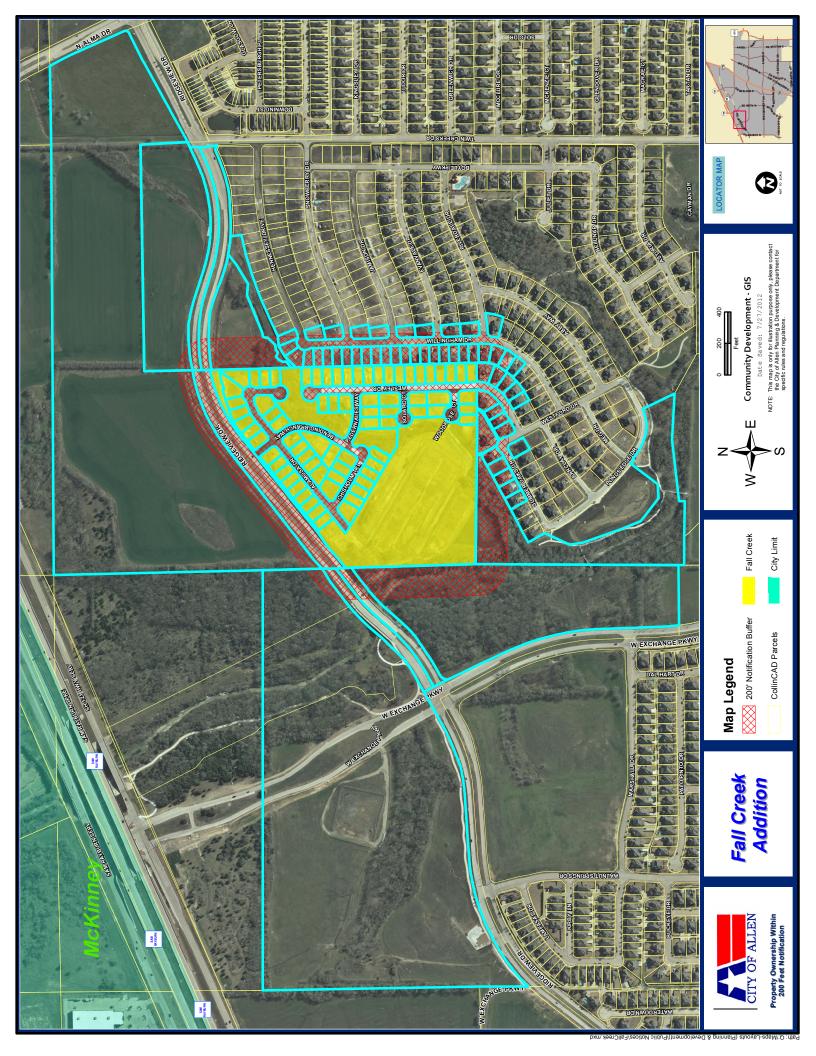
RECOMMENDED MOTION

I make a motion to recommend approval of the request to change the zoning of 38.814± acres of land from Single Family Residential R-5 to a Planned Development for Single Family Residential R-5 with the following condition:

• The minimum garage setback for the entire development shall be eighteen (18) feet from the front building setback line.

ATTACHMENTS

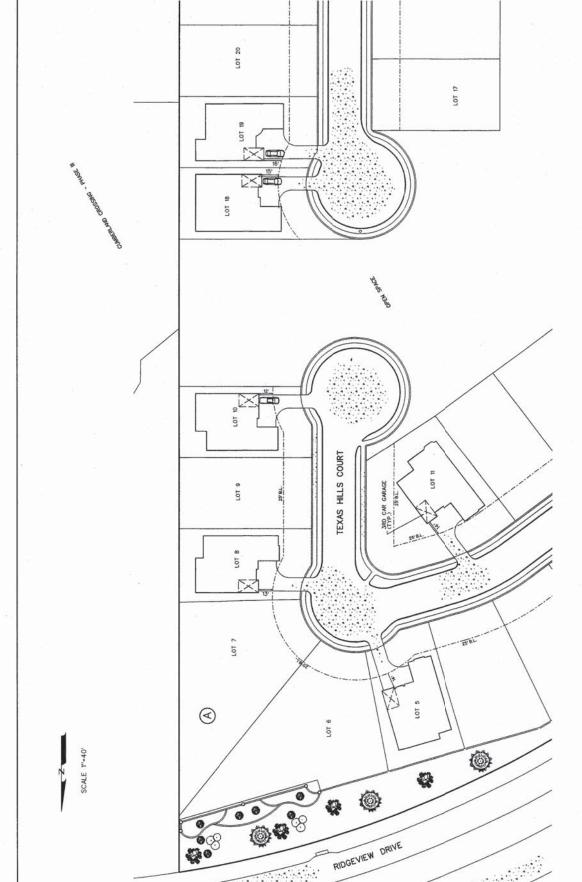
Property Notification Map Development Regulations Concept Plan Street View Graphic and Lot Layouts Product Photos Summary Letter dated July 23, 2012

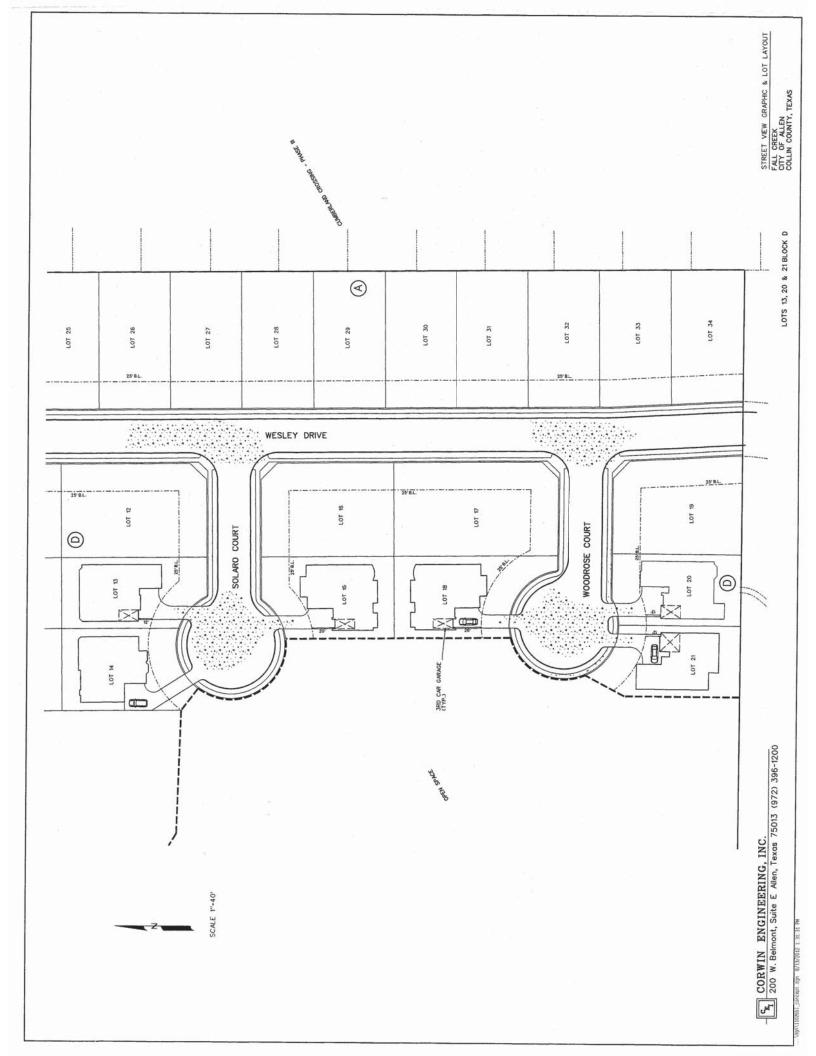


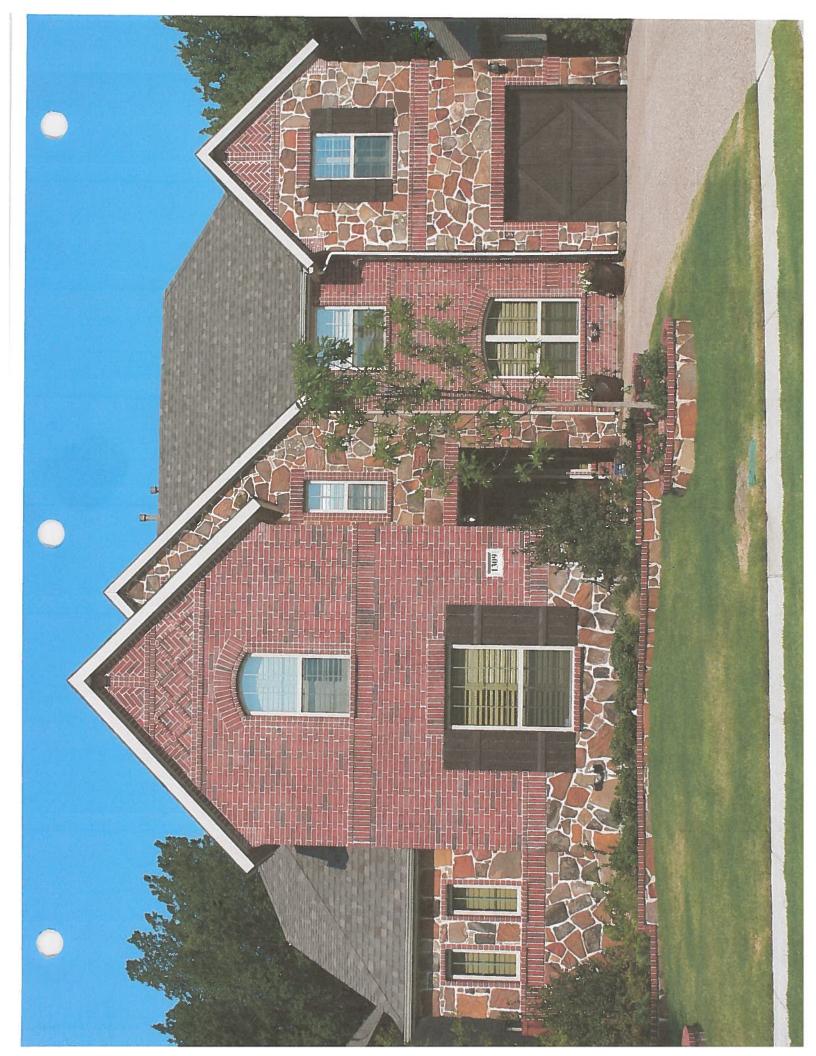
FALL CREEK DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

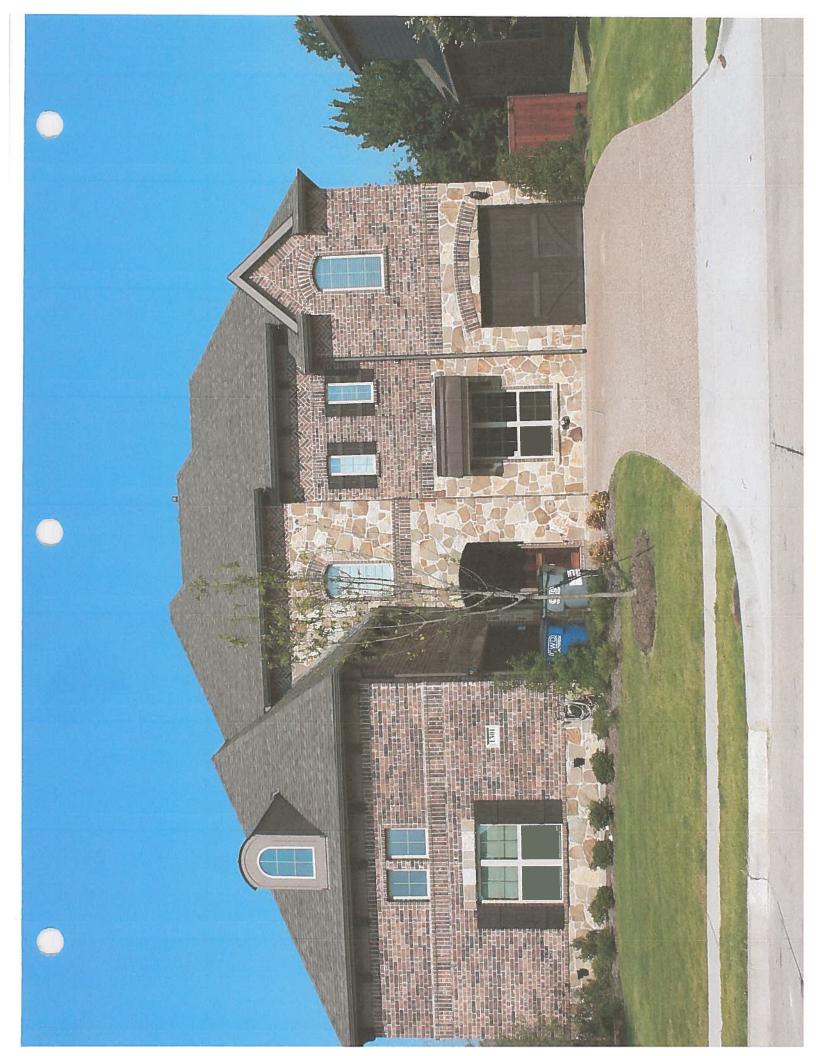
- 1. BASE ZONING DISTRICT: The property shall be developed and used only in accordance with the Single-Family Residential R-5 zoning district regulations of the zoning regulations of the Allen Land Development Code, except as otherwise provided herein.
- 2. GARAGE SETBACK: The minimum garage setback for front entry garages shall be eighteen (18) feet from the front building setback line; with the exception of the highlighted lots (as identified on the attached Concept Plan) which shall be allowed a minimum setback of twelve (12) feet from the front building setback line.

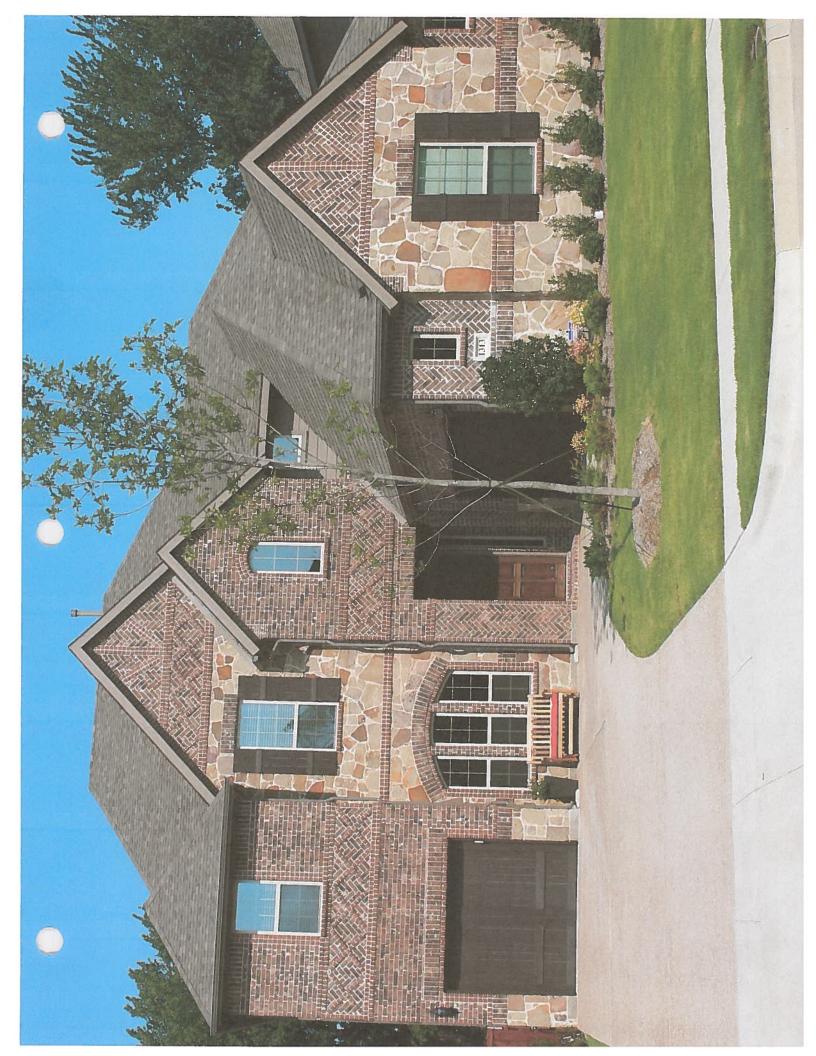














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July 23, 2012

City of Allen

Tiffany McLeod 305 Century Parkway Allen, Texas 75013

RE: FALL CREEK

Zoning Request

Dear Tiffany,

After our meeting last week we have done some further analysis of the lots and proposed plans and have revised the Concept Plan. A summary of this analysis is as follows:

Standard Lots

The builder will offer seven (7) plans that have a third car garage option. With the revised eighteen (18') foot setback all seven plans will fit on the standard lots as shown on the Concept Plan. Without the revised setback only three plans will fit on the standard lots.

Irregular Lots

On the cul-de-sac, or irregular lots, we have designated nine lots that we are requesting that the garage door offset to the building line be revised to a minimum of twelve (12) feet. These nine lots are shown on the Concept Plan. This twelve foot offset will allow a majority of the plans to be offered on these irregular lots. See the chart attached which shows which plans will fit on the particular lots. Lots 14, 15 & 18 Block D, are irregular lots but the builder has designed a particular plan that is wider and shallower which will fit on these particular lots utilizing the proposed eighteen foot setback.

We appreciate your time and input through this process. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

CORWIN ENGINEERING, INC.

Warren L. Corwin, P.E.

FALL CREEK

IRREGULAR LOTS

PLAN	LOT 5/A	LOT 8/A	LOT 10/A	LOT 11/A	LOT 18/A	LOT 19/A	LOT 13/D	LOT 20/D	LOT 21/D
Α	Χ	Χ	Х	Χ	Х	Χ		Χ	Χ
В	Χ	Χ	Χ		Χ	Χ		Χ	Χ
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X Denotes plan fits on lot with 12' setback