HONORABLE MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 2025

ACM: Robin Bentley

FILE NUMBER: Z245-103(SM) DATE FILED: October 4, 2024

LOCATION: Southeast line of Elsie Faye Heggins Street, southwest of

Myrtle Street

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 7

SIZE OF REQUEST: 6,158 square feet CENSUS TRACT: 48113020800

OWNER/APPLICANT: Baig Management Corporation, Nasir Baig – Sole Owner

REQUEST: An application for an FRTN F-Residential Transition

Subdistrict on property zoned an R-5(A) Single Family Subdistrict within Planned Development District No. 595, the

South Dallas/Fair Park Special Purpose District.

SUMMARY: The purpose of the request is to allow one additional dwelling

unit (a new duplex) on the undeveloped property.

CPC RECOMMENDATION: Approval.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- The area of request is currently zoned an R-5(A) Single Family Subdistrict within Planned Development District No. 595, the South Dallas/Fair Park Special Purpose District. The property is currently comprised of an undeveloped lot with approximately 6,158 square feet of land.
- In 2012, a demolition permit was completed for the removal of a single family home on the subject site.
- The purpose of the request is to rezone the property to a TH-3(A) Townhouse Subdistrict to allow for duplex residential use.
- On February 20, 2025, the City Plan Commission recommended approval.

Zoning History:

There have been no zoning cases in the area in the last five years.

Thoroughfares/Streets:

Thoroughfare/Street	Function	Dimension and ROW	
Elsie Faye Heggins Street	Minor Arterial	M-6-D(A), 100 feet, bike plan	

Traffic:

The Engineering Division of Planning & Development has reviewed the request and determined that it will not significantly impact the surrounding roadway system.

STAFF ANALYSIS:

Comprehensive Plan:

The forwardDallas! The City Council adopted Comprehensive Plan (2.0) in September 2024 and outlines several goals and policies that can serve as a framework for assisting in evaluating the applicant's request. The request is within the Neighborhood Mixed Use (NM) Placetype. The proposed RTN is considered to be compatible with the Neighborhood Mixed Use Placetype

PRIMARY USE **FUTURE LAND USE MIX** O SECONDARY USE Agricultural Lodging Public Open Space Commercial Private Open Space 0 Office Single Family Detached Civic/Public Institutional Single Family Attached Utility Multiplex Light Industrial Apartments Heavy Industrial Mixed-Use

Land Use:

	Zoning	Land Use		
Site PD No. 595 R-5(A) Subdistrict		Undeveloped		
Northwest PD No. 595 MF-1(A) Subdistrict		Undeveloped and duplex		
Northeast PD No. 595 R-5(A) Subdistrict		Single Family and duplex		
Southeast PD No. 595 R-5(A) Subdistrict		Single Family		
Southwest	PD No. 595 R-5(A) Subdistrict	Undeveloped and Single Family		

Land Use Compatibility:

The above table describes the zoning and land uses of the area of request and the surrounding land uses. There are some newer duplexes beyond the undeveloped lots in the northwest in an MF-1(A) Subdistrict. To the east, south, and west of the property, there are single family and duplex uses in the R-5(A) Subdistrict.

The Dallas Development Code prescribes that the proposed RTN Subdistrict provides single-family and duplex living and is intended to serve as a land use transition between the more intense WMU or WR districts and established single-family neighborhoods. The RTN district may be a stand-alone district. The RTN district is a low-intensity district.

Additionally, the RTN Subdistrict would limit the area of request to the Manor House, Single Family House, Civic Building, and Open Space Lot development types. Further, since the lot is less than 10,000 square feet and greater than 6,000 square feet in area, a Manor House cannot exceed two units. Therefore, the allowable development types in the proposed RTN are considered to be compatible with the surrounding uses and the Neighborhood Mixed Use Placetype of forwardDallas! (2.0).

<u>Development Standards</u>: The following is a comparison chart of the development standards for the current R-5(A) Subdistrict and the proposed FRTN Subdistrict.

	Setback					Primary
District	Front	Side/ Rear	Min. Lot Area	Height	Lot Cov.	Uses
Existing: PD 595 (R-5(A))	20'	5' OTHER: 10'	5,000 sf	30'	45% residential 25% nonres.	Single family
Proposed: PD 595 FRTN	TH: 5/15 @70% MH: 15 min Sf: 15 min Civ: 20' min O: 10' min	TH: 5/15 MH: 15 min Sf: 15 min Civ: 20' min O: 10' min	1,200 per TH unit, 6,000 for duplex (MH), 10,000 for 3-5 unit MH, min lot 3,500 sf for single family, 3,000 for Civ, 2,000 for Open Space	2 ½ stories 35' max	80% TH 60% MH, SF, Civ	Allowed Development Types: Townhouse, Manor House, Single Family House, Civic Building, Open Space Lot

Strikeouts in the above table show regulations that prevent options due to the lot area of the request site.

Although the front yard setback of the R-5(A) Subdistrict is 20 feet, the existing housing stock on the block appears to be constructed much closer to the front property line. If the site were developed with the existing zoning, a new home must be constructed a minimum of 20 feet from the front property line and would likely be inconsistent with the styles of the existing houses, which are constructed less than 20 feet from the front property line and contain front porches and windows. Although the R-5(A) Subdistrict is in place and surrounds the area of request, an RTN Subdistrict is considered more compatible with the existing housing than what would be developed according to R-5(A) standards.

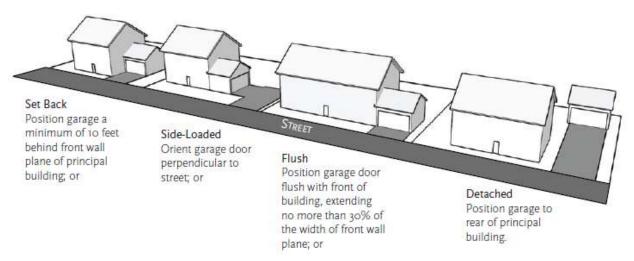
RTN would require that new development on the subject site include 20 percent transparency, a primary entrance on Elsie Faye Heggins, and encourage front porches within the front yard setback to be more in character with the surrounding homes. Although the RTN District would allow an additional dwelling unit than the R-5(A) Subdistrict would not, the standards for a Manor House Development Type would encourage a development that is compatible with the surrounding homes.

Although staff supports the applicant's request for a duplex use to be appropriate for this area as it would fit the existing fabric of the neighborhood, staff recommends the FRTN Subdistrict in lieu of the requested R-5(A) Subdistrict to ensure greater compatibility with the surrounding area, as well as the existing underlying subdistrict of R-5(A). This compatibility is further reflected in the development standards comparison table below.

<u>Landscaping</u>: Landscaping must be provided in accordance with the landscaping requirements in Article X, as amended, and PD No. 595.

<u>Parking:</u> In a TH District, required off-street parking for a single family or a duplex use is two spaces per dwelling unit. The applicant would be required to comply with standard parking ratios at permitting.

In an RTN District, 1.5 spaces are required per single-family living unit, or three spaces per duplex and no parking reductions are permitted in the RTN District. Tandem parking is allowed for single-family living if they are both assigned to the same dwelling unit¹. When no alley is provided, garages must be designed to the following standards for a manor house (e.g. a duplex):



Market Value Analysis: Market Value Analysis (MVA), is a tool to aid residents and policy-makers in understanding the elements of their local residential real estate markets. It is an objective, data-driven tool built on local administrative data and validated with local experts. The analysis was prepared for the City of Dallas by The Reinvestment Fund. Public officials and private actors can use the MVA to target intervention strategies more precisely in weak markets and support sustainable growth in stronger markets. The MVA identifies nine market types (A through I) on a spectrum of residential market strength or weakness. As illustrated in the attached MVA map, the colors range from purple representing the strongest markets (A through C) to orange, representing the weakest markets (G through I). The area of request is currently in an "H" MVA area. To the north, south, east and west of the site is the "H" MVA area.

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 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Reference Section 51A-113.404(h) of the Dallas Development Code.

CPC Action:

February 20, 2025

Motion: It was moved to recommend **approval** of an application for an FRTN F-Residential Transition Subdistrict, on property zoned an R-5(A) Single Family Subdistrict within Planned Development District No. 595, the South Dallas/Fair Park Special Purpose District, on the southeast line of Elsie Faye Heggins Street, southwest of Bexar Street.

Maker: Wheeler-Reagan

Second: Shidid

Result: Carried: 15 to 0

For: 15 - Chernock, Hampton, Herbert, Forsyth,

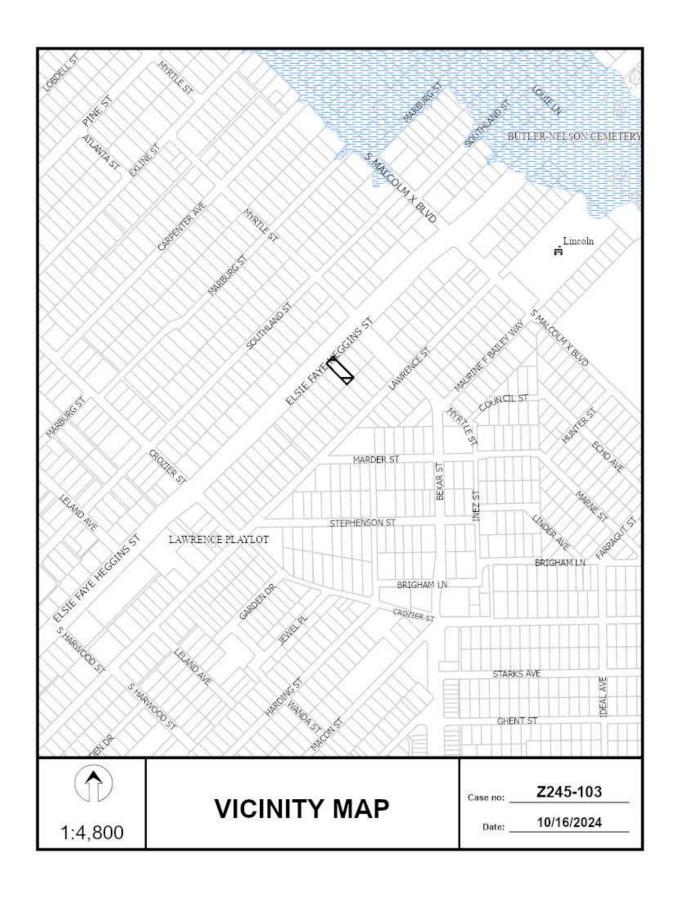
Shidid, Carpenter, Wheeler-Reagan, Franklin, Sleeper, Housewright, Nightengale, Haqq, Hall, Kingston, Rubin

Against: 0 Absent: 0 Vacancy: 0

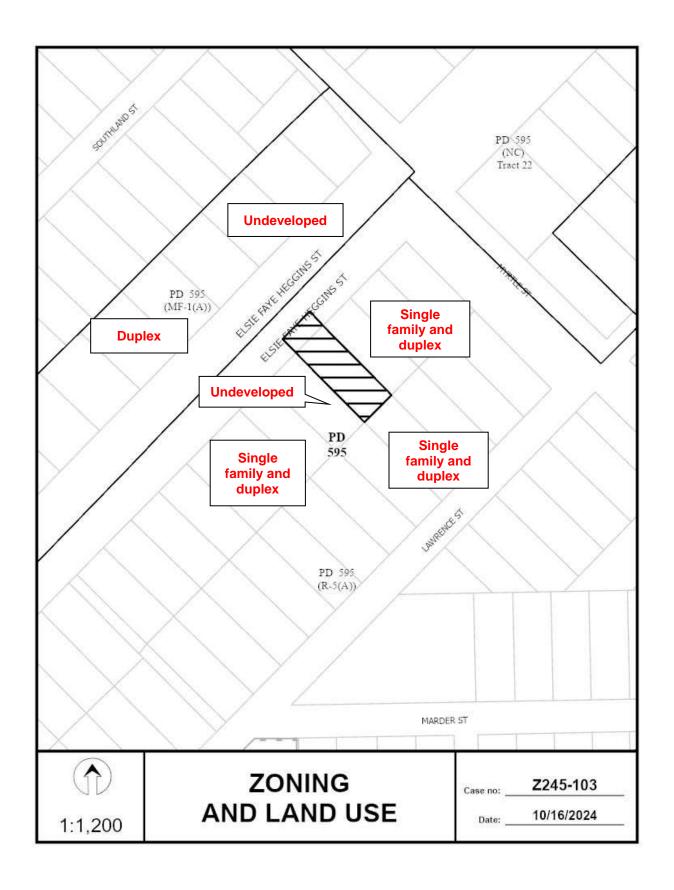
Notices: Area: 200 Mailed: 30 Replies: For: 0 Against: 1

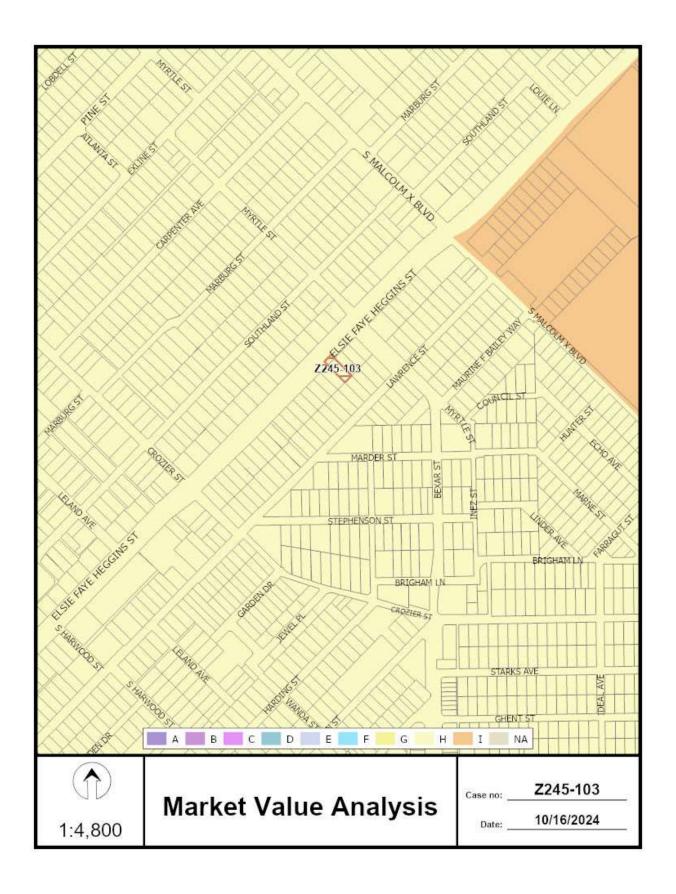
Speakers: For: Nasir Baig, 2632 Elsie Faye Heggins St., Dallas, TX, 75215

Against: None











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Reply List of Property Owners Z245-103

30 Property Owners Notified 0 Property Owners in Favor 1 Property Owners Opposed

Reply	Label #	Address		Owner
	1	2632	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	LONG SULA JR ESTATE OF
	2	2640	SOUTHLAND ST	THOMAS FLUTCHER &
	3	2638	SOUTHLAND ST	TOPLETZ INVESTMENTS
	4	2636	SOUTHLAND ST	LAW ELAINE &
	5	2630	SOUTHLAND ST	GARMON ANNIE R
	6	2626	SOUTHLAND ST	HUTCHING MARGARET ROSE
	7	2685	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	WEALTHGATES INVESTMENT COMPANY
	8	2645	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	RCGA LLC
	9	2647	LAWRENCE ST	GOODJOINT KEITH DOUGLAS &
	10	2646	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	ROSE LILLIE
	11	2643	LAWRENCE ST	COLLINS ZOLA MAE
Χ	12	2642	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	WATERS JOEY & SHERRY
	13	2637	LAWRENCE ST	COLEMAN LYNDA CAMERON
	14	2638	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	ANDERSON LASHA D
	15	2635	LAWRENCE ST	MAJOR JENNIFER REGAN
	16	2631	LAWRENCE ST	JOHNSON HERBIE KAY
	17	2630	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	MP LIMITED HOLDINGS LLC
	18	2626	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	LUGO ROSALIO RUEDA &
	19	2623	LAWRENCE ST	MORGAN DONNA COMBS
	20	2622	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	ANDERSON KIMELEE
	21	2619	LAWRENCE ST	ZAVALA JOSE JUAN &
	22	2618	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	HUNTER LINDA KENNEDY
	23	2615	LAWRENCE ST	MEJIA JOSE RAMON VILLATORO
	24	2616	ELSIE FAYE HEGGINS ST	OPENDOOR PROPERTY TRUST I
	25	2636	LAWRENCE ST	Taxpayer at
	26	2632	LAWRENCE ST	HILL REEDY JORDAN

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Reply	Label #	Address		Owner
	27	2628	LAWRENCE ST	MILLER EDWIN BARTLEY IV
	28	2628	LAWRENCE ST	MILLER EDWIN BARTLEY IV
	29	2624	LAWRENCE ST	TOVAR ANA I CASTRO DE
	30	2620	LAWRENCE ST	LAWRENCE & MARDER STREET