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From: Beth Garmon, Director of Planning & Zoning

Date: October 7, 2024

Subject: **3613 White Sulphur Road | Rezone |** on a 10.00± acre tract | **Proposed Use: Agricultural market | Reynolds-Hemmer Properties, LP, applicant**

The request before you is the request of Reynolds-Hemmer Properties, LP to rezone from Agricultural Residential IV (AR-IV) to Planned Commercial Development (PCD) to allow for an agricultural market. This item is located within Commission District 3.

At their September 16, 2024 meeting, the Hall County Planning Commission voted to recommend **approval, with eight (8) conditions (5-0)**.

Staff recommendation: **Approval, with conditions**, as the proposed use is consistent with surrounding zoning districts and Employment Corridor future land use in the Comprehensive Plan.

There were **no comments submitted** in advance of the Planning Commission meeting and **no one spoke in opposition during the public hearing**.

Planning Commission Conditions:

1. The property shall be developed in accordance with the site plan dated July 18, 2024, and as described in the project narrative received August 1, 2024, modified as necessary for compliance with conditions herein and development standards enforced at the time of site plan approval.
2. The frontage strip landscape design shall utilize the existing mature vegetation and may be supplemented with additional landscaping to conform with Gateway Corridors Overlay District standards. Final review of the landscape plans shall be subject to the approval of the Director of Planning and Zoning or their designee.
3. The existing mature landscaping shall be maintained within the 25-foot transitional buffers along the east and south property lines. The

development and any site improvements shall be compliant with the Official Code of Hall County, as well as any other agencies or reviewing departments, including, but not limited to the Fire Marshal and Hall County Engineering. It shall be the developer's responsibility to determine if a land disturbance permit is required for any future site work.

4. Access to the property shall be from White Sulphur Road only. No access shall be permitted from Cornelia Highway (SR365). The developer shall be responsible for all costs associated with improvements necessary for access to the development.
5. No variances or development exceptions are granted as part of this request that are not explicitly granted by Board approval. The development shall be compliant with the Official Code of Hall County, as well as any other agencies or reviewing departments, including, but not limited to the Fire Marshal and Hall County Engineering.
6. All conditions of zoning shall be made a part of any plats or construction plans created for the property.
7. The following statement regarding the potential impacts of agricultural operations in the area shall be made a part of any plat recorded on the property:

"Owners, occupants, and users of property shown on this plat are hereby informed of the impacts associated with normal farming practices which may take place on adjacent and nearby property including, but not limited to, noise, odors, dust, the operation of machinery of any kind, the storage and disposal of manure, and the application of fertilizers, herbicides, and pesticides. Therefore, owners, occupants, and users of the property shown on this plat should be prepared to expect the effects of such practices."

8. All exterior renovations shall be approved by the Planning Director.