COMMUNITY MEETING



October 3, 2018

Meeting Agenda

- Brief recap of the project
- Answers to questions from last meeting
- Current Zoning Classification
- Review of new site plan/changes made from last meeting
- Question and answer session

Branton Community

- Located on approximately 1,500 acres on SC 61 near SC 27
- Mixed use community
 - Single family detached homes
 - Active adult homes
 - Duplexes
 - Town homes
 - Apartments
 - School site
 - Commercial
- Homes priced from \$200,000 to \$450,000
- Walking trails throughout the community
- Lots of parks/amenities
- Modeled after communities like the Ponds, Cane Bay and Nexton

- Traffic impacts
- Schools
- Police/Fire
- Water lines
- Sanitary Sewer
- Utility Fees
- Storm water
- Commercial types
- Lot sizes
- Buffers
- Taxes
- Timeline

Traffic impacts/required improvements

(These improvements will be made over time as the subdivision is being built. Specific timing is to be determined during the engineering phase of the subdivision.)

- SC 27 at Carter Road
 - Extend the northbound left turn lane
- SC 61 at SC 27/Wright Road
 - Realignment of the intersection
 - Install traffic light
 - Construction of northbound and southbound turn lanes
- SC 61 at Old Beech Road
 - Construction of an exclusive westbound left-turn lane with 150 feet of storage.
 - Construction of an exclusive northbound right-turn lane with 100 feet of storage.
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane creating a four-lane section on the eastbound and westbound approaches.
- SC 61 at US 17A (West)
 - Realignment of intersection
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Construction of an eastbound right-turn lane with 200 feet of storage
 - Construction of an additional westbound left-turn lane to create dual westbound left-turn lanes
 - Construction of a second southbound receiving lane
 - Construction of an additional northbound right-turn lane
 - Adjust route signage accordingly with changes to the intersection configuration

Traffic impacts/required improvements (cont.)

- SC 61 at US 17A (East)
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Reconfiguration of the northbound approach to include an exclusive left-turn lane
- SC 61 at new entrance to subdivision #1
 - Installation of a traffic signal if/when warrants are met.
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Construction of an eastbound left-turn lane
 - Construction of an exclusive southbound right-turn lane
- SC 61 at new entrance to subdivision #2/#3
 - Installation of a traffic signal if/when warrants are met.
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Construction of dual eastbound left-turn lanes
 - Construction of an eastbound right-turn lane
 - Construction of dual westbound left-turn lanes
 - Construction of a westbound right-turn lane
- SC 61 at new entrance to subdivision #4
 - Installation of a traffic signal if/when warrants are met.
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Construction of an eastbound left-turn lane

Traffic impacts/required improvements (cont.)

- SC 61 at new entrance to subdivision #5/#6
 - Installation of a traffic signal if/when warrants are met.
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Construction of dual eastbound left-turn lanes
 - Construction of an eastbound right-turn lane
 - Construction of dual westbound left-turn lanes
 - Construction of a westbound right-turn lane
 - Construction of the northbound approach to include dual left-turn lanes
 - Construction of the southbound approach to include dual left-turn lanes
- SC 61 at new entrance to subdivision #7
 - Construction of an additional eastbound and westbound through lane
 - Construction of an eastbound left-turn lane
 - Constriction of a westbound right-turn lane
 - Construction of the southbound approach to include an exclusive right-turn lane

- School type Elementary or Middle school
 - Staying in Dorchester County District 2 as part of our Development Agreement
 - 67+/- acres will be donated to school district
 - Provides space for both a Middle and Elementary school
 - Will be walkable from within the community
- Police/Fire Services
 - Donating 1 acre of land for a new police station
 - Each home built will donate money for a new police station and improvements to the existing fire station
 - The Development Agreement with the County will cover the exact amount of the donation and when/how it will be collected.
 - As an example \$500 per home equates to roughly \$2,500,000

Water lines

- We will not need to put in the well system to serve our project
- A new 12" water line will be installed (at our expense)
- Runs from Bridlewood Farms, down SC 27, along SC 61 to SC 17A

Sanitary Sewer

- A new treatment facility is being built at SC 61 and SC 17A
- To be built within 5 years by Dorchester County

Fees for tapping on

- 12" line is not conducive to tapping on to for individual residences
- Likely won't have to tie in to the new line
- Can look at providing additional access points for those interested

Storm water

- We are installing more storm water retention facilities than are required by code
- Improves the flooding conditions downstream from the project

Commercial

- Relocated commercial based on request from neighbors
- We plan to have high end commercial similar to Nexton in Summerville
- Will include sit down restaurants, grocery store, retail
- Asking for flexibility to add office space or hotels if future demand allows. Will be several years before commercial starts.

Lot sizes

- Not able to provide larger lots based on development costs and market conditions
- 60' Lots will likely sell to builders for over \$75,000 each, equates to \$375,000 starting home price
- 1 acre Lots would cost north of \$165,000 each

Lot sizes (continued)

- Market conditions
 - Active/For Sale
 - There are currently 42 homes for sale within 5 miles of the project
 - Average Sales Price is \$283,141
 - Average home size is 2,271 square feet
 - Price per square foot is \$124.88
 - Average Days on the Market is 59 days
 - Closed since July
 - 37 homes have sold within 5 miles of the project
 - Average Sales Price is \$247,741
 - Average home size is 2,130 square feet
 - Price per square foot is \$118.86
 - Average Days on the Market is 47 days

Buffers along adjacent properties

- Added or increased buffers along adjacent properties
- Not required between similar housing types but added anyway
- Will plant more materials than required in buffer to increase screening

Taxes

- Property values will likely go up as a result of this community
- Taxes will probably increase, they typically do already
- Taxes will not increase to provide services for this community
 - We are paying for improvements to the existing Fire Station
 - We are paying for a new Police Station
 - We are paying for new water line
 - We are paying for road improvements

Timeline

- Best case scenario, first homes occupied in early 2021
- Built out in 10 to 15 years

Current Zoning

Absence of Controls

- Section 9.1.3.1 Permitted Uses:
 - Single Family Detached
 - Single Family Attached (Duplexes and Town Homes)
 - Social and Cultural
 - Utilities
 - Community Services
 - Open Space
- Section 9.1.3.2 Special Exception Uses:
 - Business:
 - Primary retail
 - Secondary Retail
 - Convenience Retail
 - Communication and Information
 - Wholesale
 - Recreational
 - Personal Services
 - Professional Services
 - Office Services
 - Manufacturing
 - Beverage and/or "Quick Stop' Services

Current Zoning

Absence of Controls

- Section 9.1.10 Maximum Density
 - SC DHEC will generally dictate the minimum lot size required to support a septic system and drainfield. Regardless of what DHEC dictates, the minimum lot area for a Single Family Dwelling and / or a Manufactured Home will be one (1) dwelling unit per 14,500 SF. Duplex Units can be built on a lot not to exceed the density of 5.8 units per net acre (7,500 SF/unit). Single Family Attached Dwellings (units that share a common wall) can be built on a single lot or parcel provided they be built to a density not to exceed 7.3 units per net acre (6,000 SF). Residential Multi-Family Dwellings (e.g. apartments) can be built at a density not to exceed 13 units per net acre.

Housing Type	Density Allowed/acre	Usable Acreage	Number of Units Allowed
Apartments	13.0	915.5	11,902
Town Homes	7.3	831.7	6,072
Duplexes	5.8	785.5	4,556
Single Family	2.9	825.1	2,393

This table is shown for reference only and represents the maximum number of each type of product that could be built if only doing one product type. By adjusting the acreage of each type of housing, the number of units built would adjust accordingly.

Current Zoning

Absence of Controls

• The following example shows how many home sites we can put on the property today if we did a mix of home types on various amounts of property. This would leave approximately 50 acres for commercial uses but does not include any acreage for a new school.

Housing Type	Density Allowed/acre	Usable Acreage	Number of Units Allowed
Apartments	13.0	80	1,040
Town Homes	7.3	550	4,015
Duplexes	5.8	150	870
Single Family	2.9	100	290
Total Units			6,215

New Site Plan

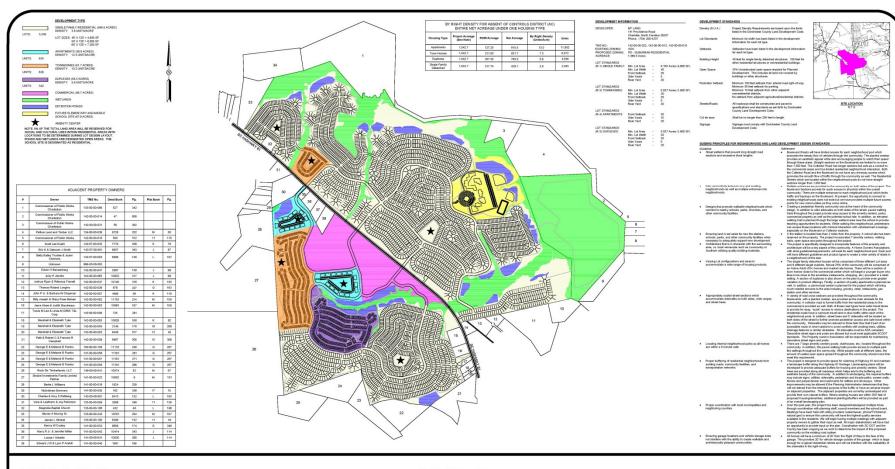


Exhibit - Bubble Plan



Project Branton
Approximately 1,500 Acre Mixed Use
Planned Development on SC Highway 61,
Southeast of SC Highway 27 in
Unincorporated Dorchester County, South Carolina





Total Homes with Re-Zoning

Benefits of supporting rezoning

- Provides a better community than what can be built under the current zoning
- Brings services like high speed internet, water, natural gas, shopping
- Provides land for new schools
- Provides land/funding for a new Police Station
- Provides funding for the existing Fire Station
- Improves the infrastructure/commute on Highway 61
- Increases property values
- Has almost 1,200 less homes than our alternate plan under the current zoning

Housing Type	Number of Units Requested
Active Adult	957
Single Family	2,290
Duplexes	342
Townhomes	828
Apartments	624
Total Home Sites	5,041

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Questions?