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14235 - 140 Street NW, 14420 & 14516 - 139 Street NW

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To allow the assembly of road right-of-way and a school/park site.

Recommendation: That Charter Bylaw 19654 to amend the Zoning Bylaw from (AG) Agricultural Zone and (AGU) Urban Reserve Zone to (AP) Public Parks Zone be APPROVED.

Administration is in **SUPPORT** of this application because:

- it is compatible with existing and planned land uses;
- contributes to the completion of roadway and utility infrastructure in the central portion of the neighbourhood; and
- allows for the development of the adjacent residential site in conformance with the approved Hudson Neighbourhood Structure Plan;

The Application

CHARTER BYLAW 19654 proposes to amend the Zoning Bylaw from (AG) Agricultural Zone and (AGU) Urban Reserve Zone to (AP) Public Parks Zone to facilitate access to and the development of land to the southwest.

The applicant is proposing to develop the (RA7) Low Rise Apartment Zone site to the southwest. In order to proceed with that development, access is required across the lands being rezoned. This application is associated with a subdivision that will ensure the necessary land becomes part of the school/park site (the lands that are being rezoned) and the road can be built to service the RA7 site.

Site and Surrounding Area

The site is located south of the Cumberland Road, west of the school/park site. The area has generally developed according to the NSP. This area has not developed due to access and servicing issues.



AERIAL VIEW OF APPLICATION AREA

	EXISTING ZONING	CURRENT USE
SUBJECT SITE	(AG) Agricultural Zone (AGU) Urban Reserve Zone	Vacant/undeveloped land
CONTEXT		

North	(AP) Public Parks Zone	Hilwie Hamdon School (Kindergarten to Grade 9)
	(RSL) Residential Small Lot Zone	Single detached dwellings
East	(AP) Public Parks Zone	Hilwie Hamdon School (Kindergarten to Grade 9)
South	(RSL) Residential Small Lot Zone	Single detached dwellings
West	(RPL) Planned Lot Residential Zone (RA7) Low Rise Apartment Zone	Vacant/undeveloped land Vacant/ undeveloped land

Planning Analysis

Plans in Effect

The Palisades ASP and Hudson NSP are in effect for the subject site. This Charter Bylaw conforms to the Hudson NSP, which designates the subject site for School/Park uses.

CITYPlan Alignment

This proposal aligns with applicable policies of *CityPlan* (MDP) by aligning with the goals and policies to accommodate all future growth for an additional 1.25 million population within Edmonton's existing boundaries. The application will allow for development of two buildings of multi-unit housing on the autting RA7 lot (addressed as 14235 - 140 Street NW) thereby providing the opportunity for sensitive infill through residential densification.

Land Use Compatibility

The proposed medium density residential development conforms to the Hudson NSP. It provides a buffer between the older industrial area to the west and the low density residential uses to the east. The resulting residential population will contribute to supporting existing commercial, institutional and open space uses, as well as completing Hudson Road NW and 140 Avenue NW.

Technical Review

Transportation

The construction of Hudson Road NW, a collector roadway, between 142 Avenue NW and 146 Avenue NW/Cumberland Road NW will be required to support the development of the adjacent lands. Upgrading 142 Avenue NW between 140 Street NW and Hudson Road NW to an urban collector standard, and improvements to 140 Street between 142 Avenue NW to approximately 300 metre south of 142 Avenue NW, including a 1.8 metre sidewalk and street lighting, will also be required.

Transit

Bus service is currently available along Cumberland Road NW, 139 Street NW and the completed portion of Hudson Road NW. When Hudson Road NW is completed, bus service will be extended. The existing temporary transit turnaround on Hudson Road NW will be removed with the associated subdivision applications.

All other comments from affected City Departments and utility agencies have been addressed.

ADVANCE NOTICE January 20, 2021	 Number of recipients: 103 Number of responses received: 4 Number of responses in support: 4 Common comments included:
	 all respondents requested further information on the purpose of the rezoning application in relation to the development of the RA7 site; all respondents were supportive of the application, in particular the completion/upgrading of roadways (140 Avenue NW and Hudson Road NW); two (2) of the respondents also inquired as to the current lot grading activity on the site.
	• Additional information was provided to all respondents including subdivision maps showing future roadways; and contact information for more detailed information.
WEBPAGE	edmonton.ca/hudsonplanningapplications

Community Engagement

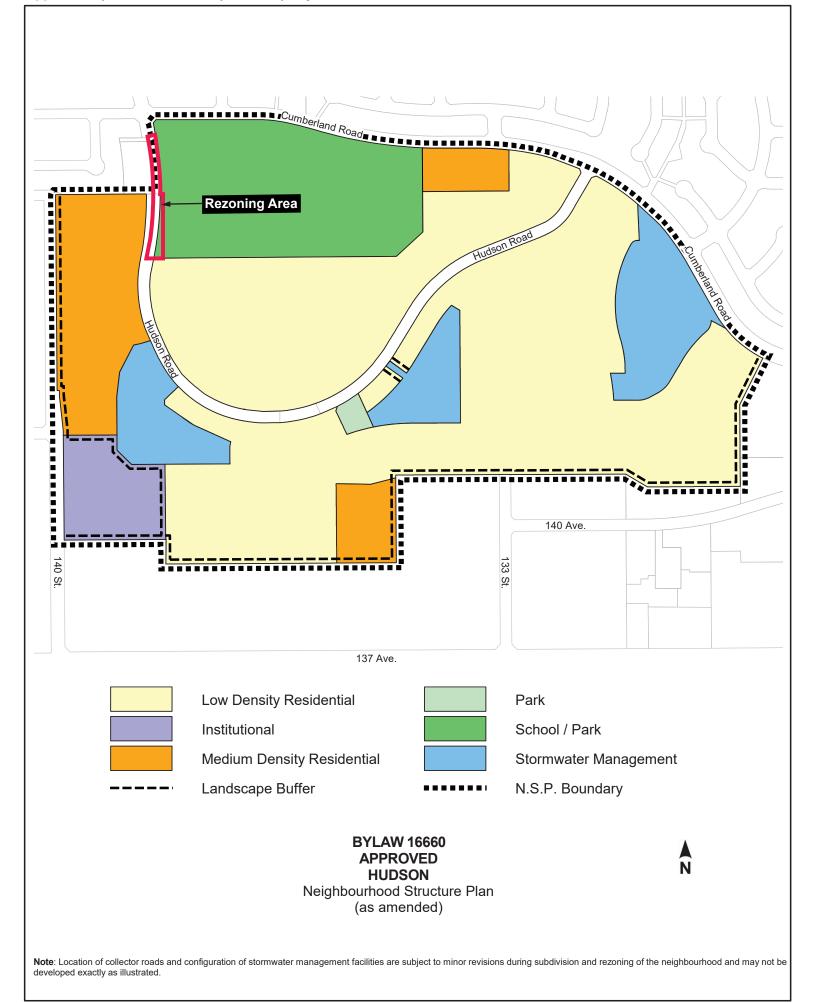
Conclusion

Administration recommends that City Council **APPROVE** this application.

APPENDICES

- 1 Context Plan Map
- 2 Application Summary

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APPLICATION SUMMARY

INFORMATION

Application Type:	Rezoning
Charter Bylaw:	19654
Location:	South of 146 Avenue/Cumberland Road NW and east of 140 Street NW
Addresses:	14235 - 140 Street NW 14420 - 139 Street NW 14516 - 139 Street NW
Legal Descriptions:	Portions of: Lot 6, Block 5, Plan 0320244; Block C, Plan 4185NY; and Lot D, Plan 540RS
Site Area:	0.25 ha
Neighbourhood:	Hudson
Notified Community Organizations:	Oxford/Cumberland Community League Castle Downs Recreation Society Area Council
Applicant:	McCartney Planning Consulting Sara McCartney

PLANNING FRAMEWORK

Current Zones:	(AG) Agricultural Zone (AGU) Urban Reserve Zone
Proposed Zones:	(AP) Public Parks Zone
Plans in Effect:	Hudson Neighbourhood Structure Plan The Palisades Area Structure Plan

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