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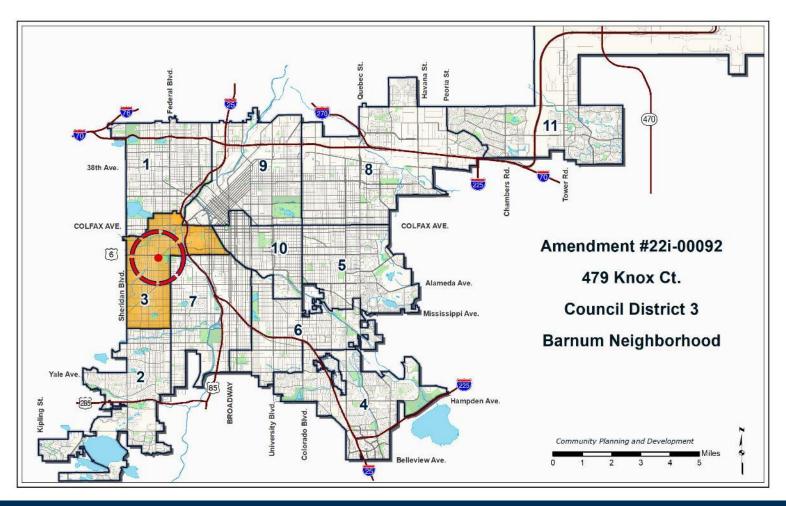
### 2022I-00092 Request: E-SU-D1x to E-RH-2.5

Date: 7.19.2022 Presenter: Fran Peñafiel



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## **Council District 3: Jamie Torres**





### Request: E-RH-2.5



Location

Approx. 9,393 square feet or

0.21 acres

Single Unit House

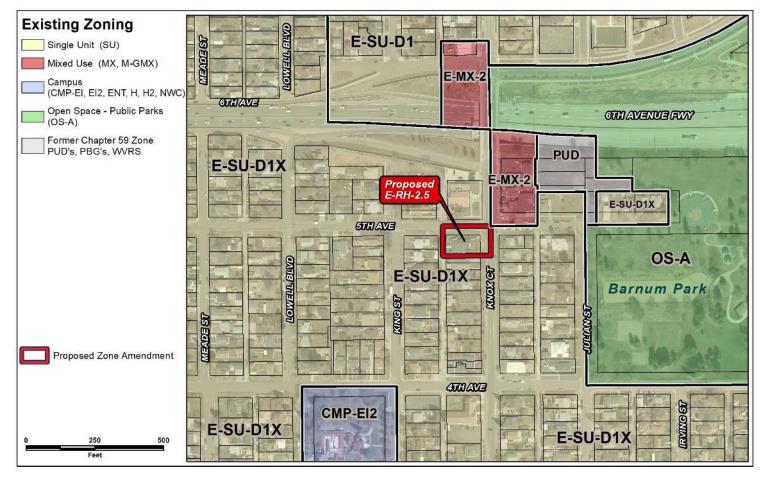
#### Proposal

Rezoning from E-SU-D1x to E-RH-2.5

- Allows the Suburban House, Urban House, Duplex, and Tandem House and Row House ADU building forms
- Max. building height 2.5 stories or 35 feet



# **Existing Zoning**



• **Current Zoning**: E-SU-D1x

 Surrounding Zoning: E-SU-D1x E-MX-2 CMP-EI2 OS-A PUD



# **Existing Land Use**



Land Use: Single Unit Residential

### Surrounding Land Uses:

- Public/Quasi-public
- Two-unit Residential
- Single-unit Residential
- Mixed Use
- Commercial/Retail



# **Existing Building Form/Scale**





### Process

- Informational Notice: 5/10/2022
- Planning Board Notice: 6/21/2022
- Planning Board Public Hearing: 7/6/2022
- LUTI Committee: 7/19/2022
- City Council Public Hearing: 8/29/2022 (tentative)
- Public Comment
  - $\circ$  None



Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
- 2. Uniformity of District Regulations
- 3. Further Public Health, Safety and Welfare
- 4. Justifying Circumstances
- 5. Consistency with Neighborhood Context, Zone District Purpose and Intent



Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
  - Comprehensive Plan 2040
  - Blueprint Denver: A Land Use and Transportation Plan (2019)
  - Barnum/Barnum West Neighborhood Plan (1986)
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# Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver 2019

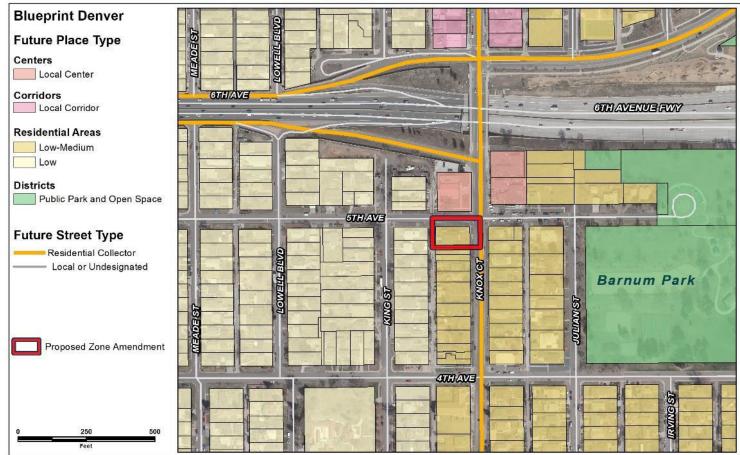


### Urban Edge

- Predominately residential
- Homes are typically lowscale single- and two-unit residential with some small scale multi-unit residential.
- Offers good walkability with short, predictable blocks.



# Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver 2019



- Low Medium
  - Mix of low- to mid-scale multiunit residential options. Smallscale multi-unit buildings are interspersed between singleand two-unit residential.
    Limited mixed-use along arterial and collector streets and at some intersections.
    Heights are generally up to 3 stories

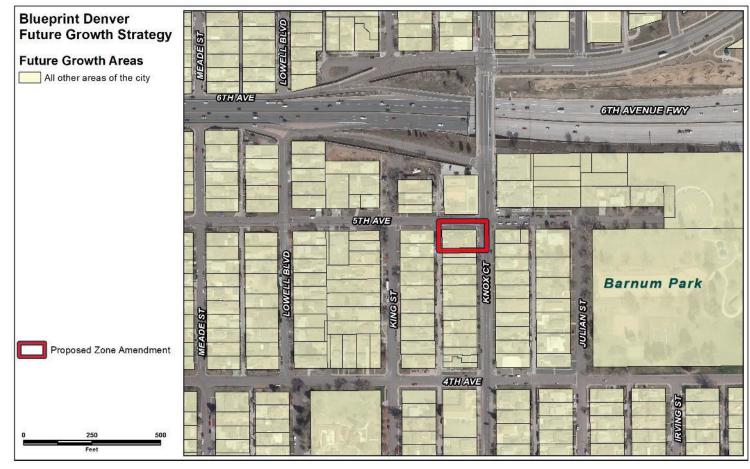
### Future Street Type

- 5<sup>th</sup> Ave.: Undesignated Local
- Knox Ct: Residential Collector



# Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint

### Denver



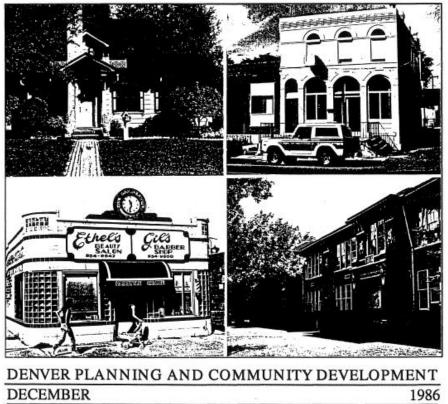
**Growth Areas Strategy:** All other areas of the city

10% job growth by 204020% housing growth by 2040



### **Consistency with Adopted Plans: Barnum**

### **BARNUM/BARNUM WEST** NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN



- To stabilize, or upgrade where necessary, the present housing stock; to maintain the neighborhood's low density residential character
- To maintain or upgrade the quality of lowdensity residential property while encouraging the construction of new low density housing.



**Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver** 

Land Use & Built Form – Housing Goal 2: Diversify housing options by exploring opportunities to integrate missing middle housing into low and lowmedium residential areas (p. 82).



### Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

1. Consistency with Adopted Plans

### 2. Uniformity of District Regulations

- Proposed rezoning will result in uniform application of zone district building form, use and design regulations
- 3. Further Public Health, Safety and Welfare
- Implements adopted plans
- Improved design standards
- 4. Justifying Circumstances

### 5. Consistency with Neighborhood Context, Zone District Purpose and Intent



### Review Criteria Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
- 2. Uniformity of District Regulations
- 3. Further Public Health, Safety and Welfare

### 4. Justifying Circumstances

- Changed or changing conditions in the area and city adopted plans serve as the Justifying Circumstances under DZC Section 12.4.10.8.A.4,
- 5. Consistency with Neighborhood Context, Zone District Purpose and Intent



### Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

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#### 5. Consistency with Neighborhood Context, Zone District Purpose and Intent

- Urban Edge Neighborhood Context primarily consists of single-unit and two unit residential uses
- Residential Districts are intended to
  - Promote and protect residential neighborhoods
  - Intended to promote existing and future patterns of lower scale multi-unit building forms



# **CPD** Recommendation

- <u>CPD recommends approval, based on finding all</u> <u>review criteria have been met</u>
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- 2. Uniformity of District Regulations
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