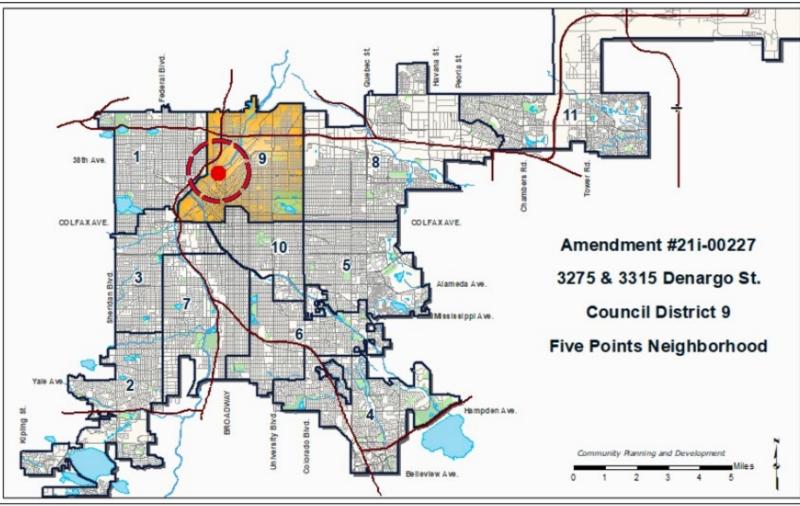
# **3275 & 3315 Denargo Street** Request: I-B, UO-2 to C-MX-16, DO-7

LUTI Committee Date: 8/2/2022



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### Council District 9, Five Points Neighborhood





### Request: C-MX-16, DO-7



#### Location:

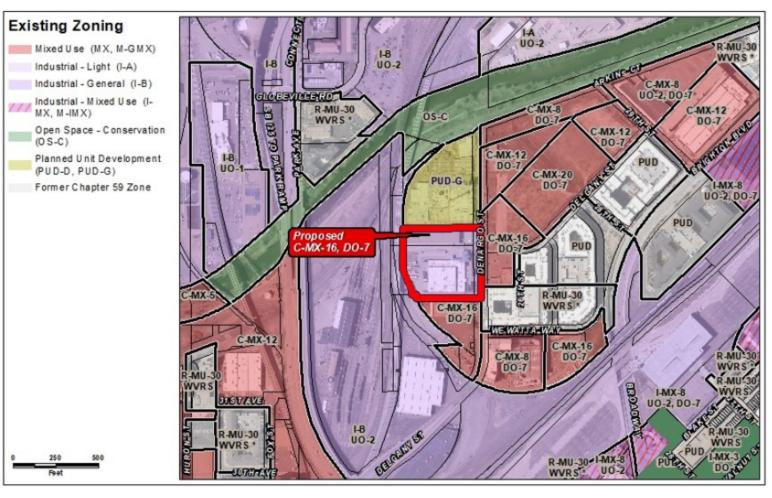
- Approx. 3.82 acres
- Mini-storage and warehouse building

#### • Proposal:

 Rezoning to C-MX-16,
DO-7 to enable mixeduse development



### **Existing Zoning**



Current zoning:

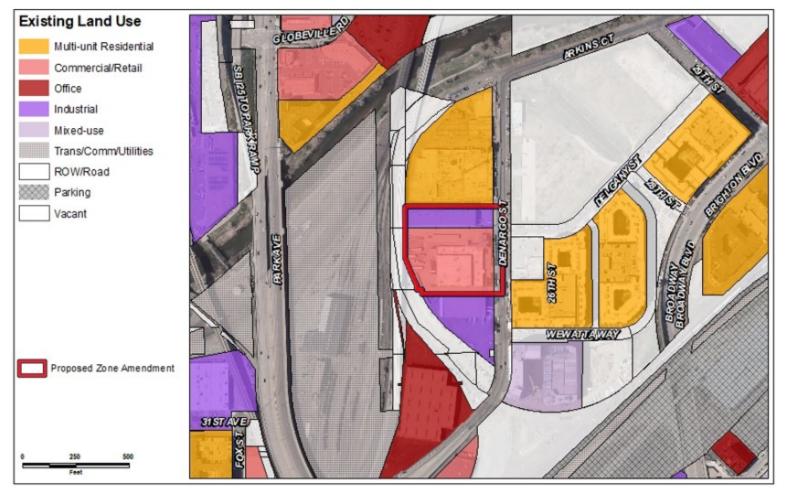
• I-B, UO-2

#### Adjacent zoning:

- I-B, UO-2
- R-MU-30 WVRS
- C-MX-8, DO-7
- C-MX-12, DO-7
- C-MX-16, DO-7
- C-MX-20, DO-7
- PUD-G



### **Existing Land Use**



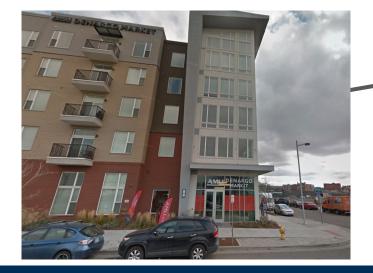
Current land use: Commercial/Retail and Industrial

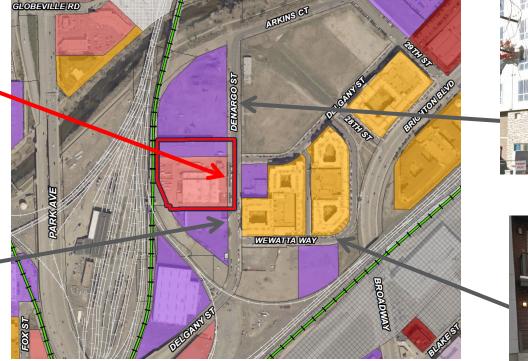
Adjacent land uses: Industrial, Multi-unit Residential, Vacant



### Existing Context – Building Form/Scale













# Affordable Housing Agreement

- Agreement has been reached in principle, to be executed prior to City Council Public Hearing
- At least 10% of total units affordable to residents earning 60% of Area Median Income
- At least 20% of income-restricted units would have at least two bedrooms
- Income-restricted units would remain at this level of affordability for a minimum period of 99 years

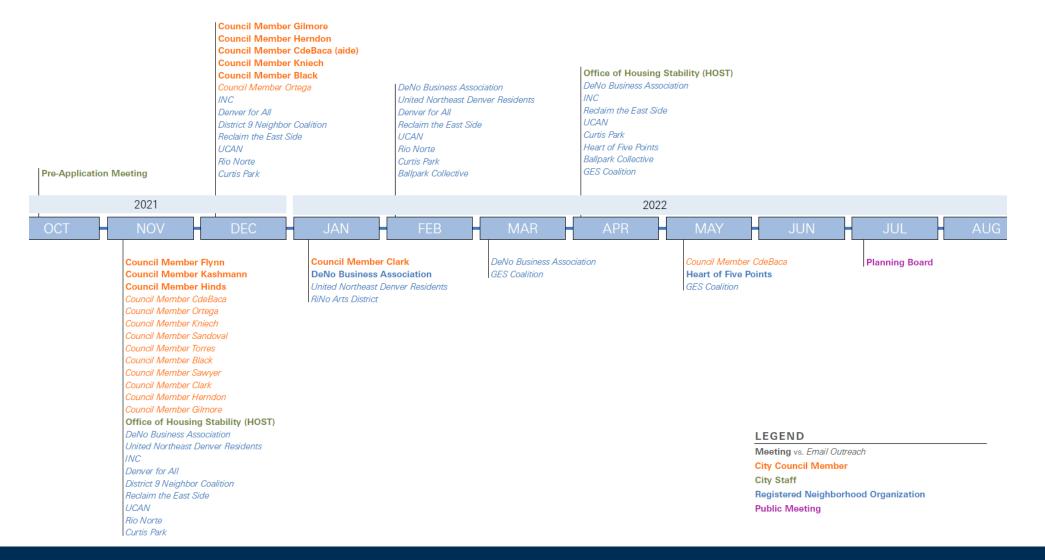


### Process

- Informational Notice: 5/10/2022
- Planning Board Notice: 7/5/2022
- Planning Board Public Hearing: 7/20/2022
- LUTI Committee: 8/2/2022
- City Council Public Hearing: 9/12/2022 (tentative)
- Public Comment
  - o 6 letters of support
  - 1 letter of support from the Heart of Five Points RNO



#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH AND OUTREACH MEETINGS**





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
  - River North Plan
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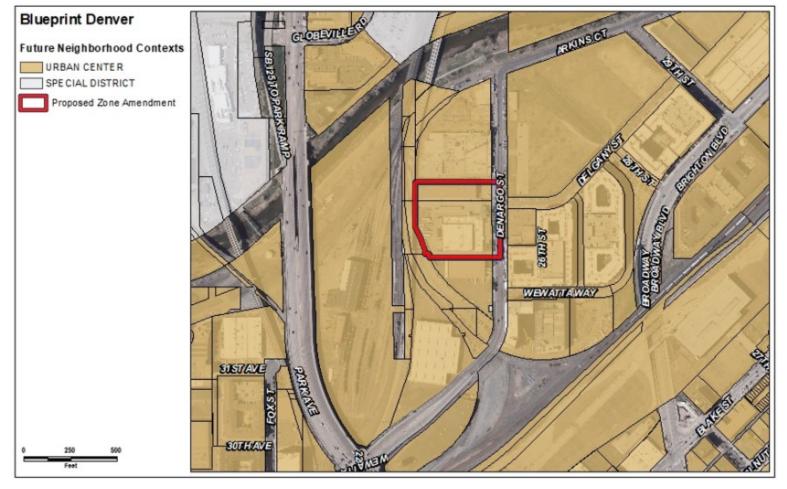
### **Consistency with Adopted Plans: Comprehensive Plan**



- Equitable, Accessible and Inclusive Goal 1 Ensure all Denver residents have safe, convenient and affordable access to basic services and a variety of amenities (p. 28).
- Equitable, Affordable and Inclusive Goal 2 Strategy A Create a greater mix of housing options in every neighborhood for all individuals and families (p. 28).
- Strong and Authentic Neighborhoods Goal 1, Strategy D Encourage quality infill development that is consistent with the surrounding neighborhoods and offers opportunities for increased amenities (p. 34).
- Strong and Authentic Neighborhoods Goal 2, Strategy D Use urban design to contribute to economic viability, public health, safety, environmental well-being, neighborhood culture and quality of life (p. 34).
- Environmentally Resilient Goal 8, Strategy A Promote infill development where infrastructure and services are already in place (p. 54).
- Environmentally Resilient Goal 8, Strategy B Encourage mixed-use communities where residents can live, work and play in their own neighborhoods (p. 54).



#### **Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver**

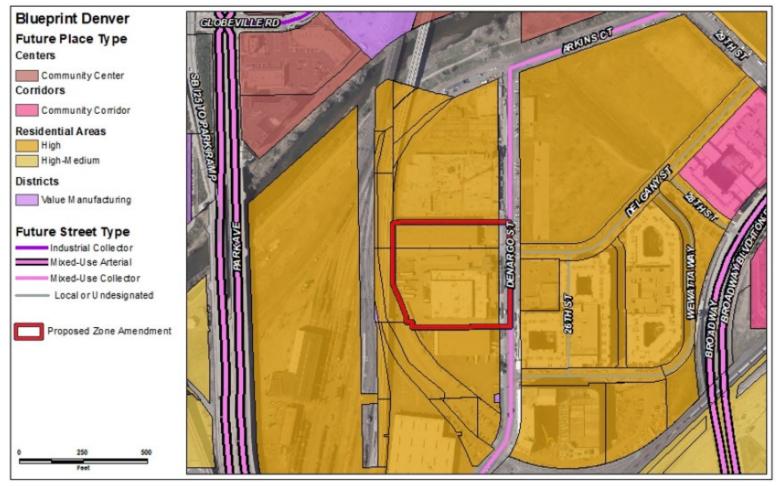


Urban Center Neighborhood Context

- High mix of uses throughout with good street activation and connectivity
- Buildings are usually multi-story with a high degree of lot coverage



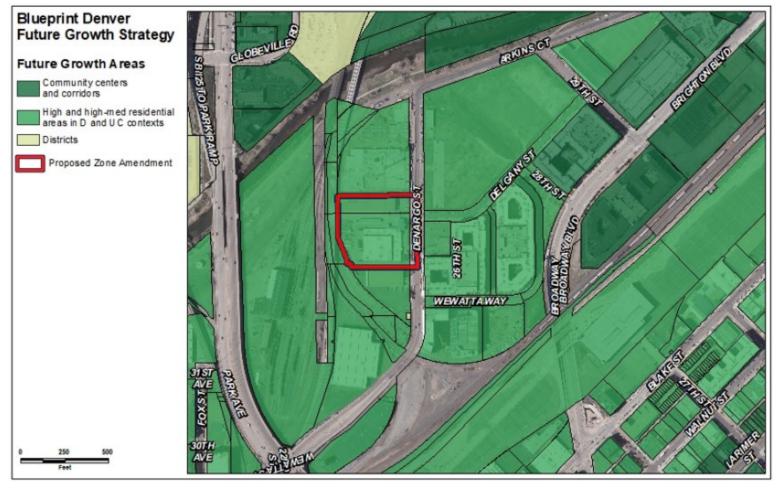
#### **Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver**



- High Residential Area
  - Commercial uses are prevalent
  - Buildings are generally the tallest of the residential places in this context
- Street types
  - Denargo St: Mixed Use Collector
  - Park Avenue & Broadway/Brighton Blvd: Mixed Use Arterial



#### **Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver**



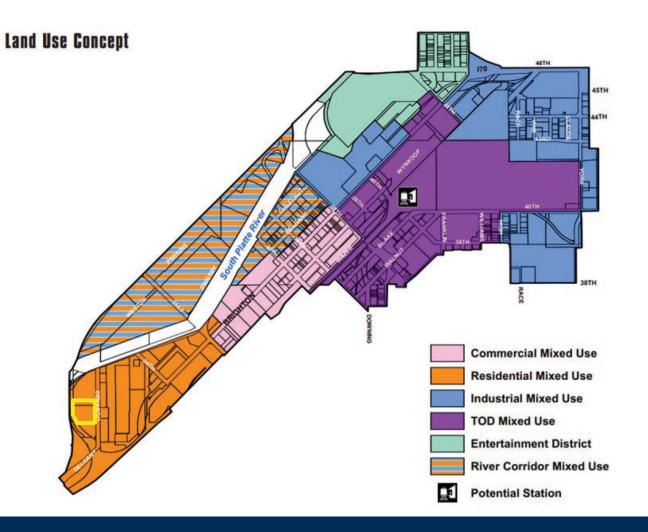
Growth Area Strategy: High & high-medium residential areas in D- and C- contexts

- 15% of new housing
- 5% of new employment

Most growth is guided to regional centers, community centers and corridors, select districts and high and medium-high intensity residential areas. Other areas of the city are still expected to see some growth, however more limited.



#### Consistency with Adopted Plans: River North Plan (2003)



- Plan recommends Residential Mixed-Use zoning, Commercial Mixed-Use zoning or a combination of both
- Vision to create a compact, mixed-use, pedestrian friendly environment
- Ensure that urban design reinforces the pedestrian-oriented and transit-supportive character of the area



#### Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
- 2. Uniformity of District Regulations
- 3. Further Public Health, Safety and Welfare
  - Implementation of adopted plans
  - Facilitate increased housing density near services and amenities and foster the creation of walkable, urban neighborhood within walking distance to downtown
- 4. Justifying Circumstances
- 5. Consistency with Neighborhood Context, Zone District Purpose and Intent



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  - Changed or changing conditions in a particular area
  - Application of supplemental zoning regulations
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### Review Criteria Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

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# **CPD Recommendation**

- <u>CPD recommends</u> <u>approval</u> based on finding all <u>review criteria have been met</u>
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