

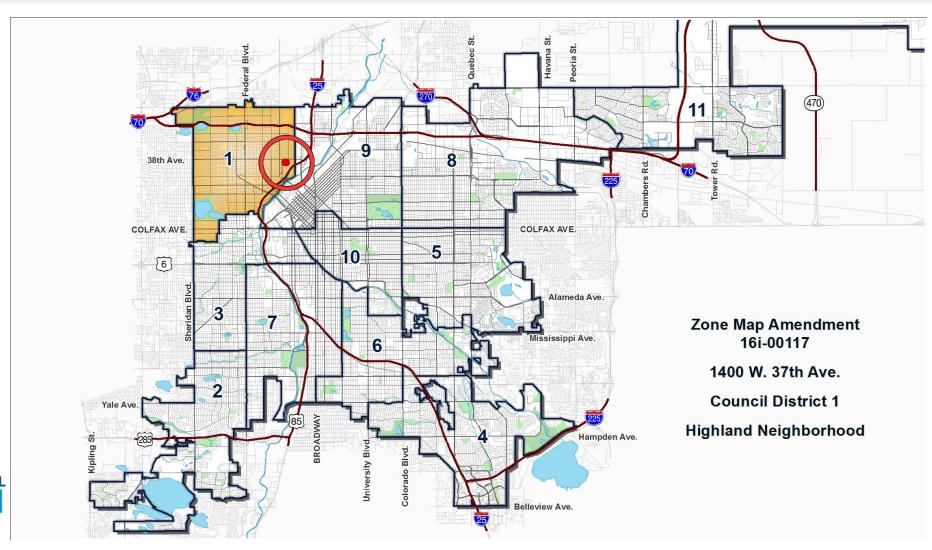
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Denver City Council December 11, 2017



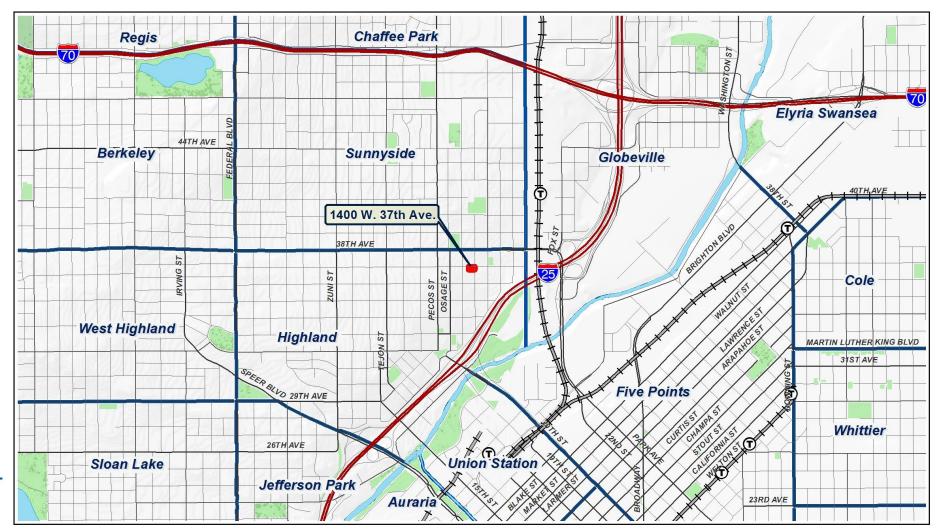
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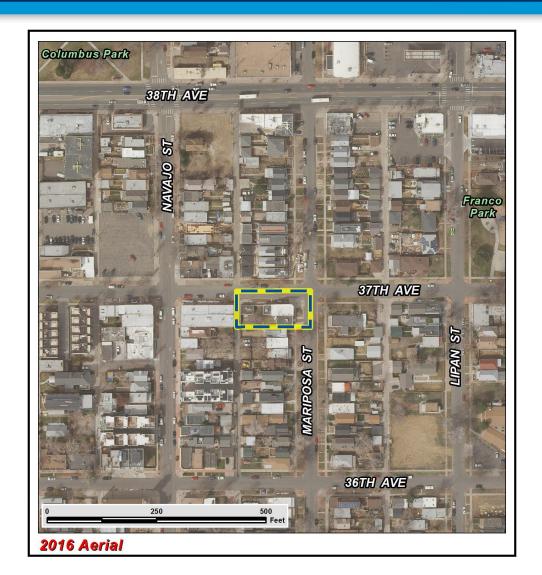
Highland Neighborhood



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- SW Corner of 37th Ave and Mariposa St
- Near Navajo Arts District



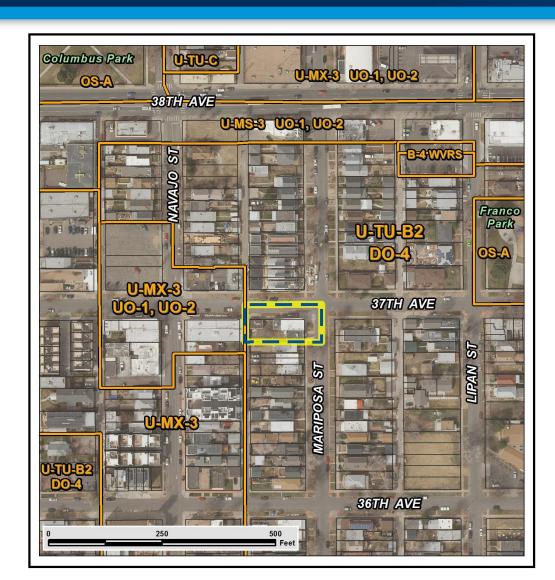




- Property:
 - -6,090 sq ft
 - Collapsed building
 - Formerly restaurant use
- Applicant:
 - Requesting rezoning to redevelop
- Rezone from U-TU-B2, D0-4 to U-MX-2x



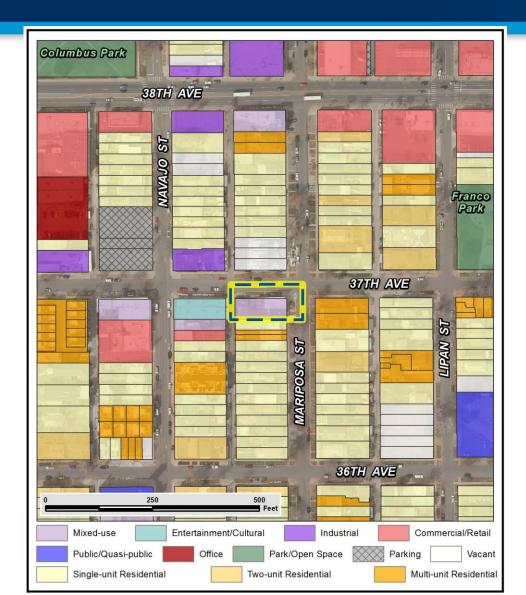
Existing Context – Zoning



- Site:
 - U-TU-B2, D0-4
- Surrounding Zoning:
 - North U-TU-B2, D0-4
 - South U-TU-B2, D0-4
 - East U-TU-B2, D0-4
 - West U-MX-3, UO-1,UO-2



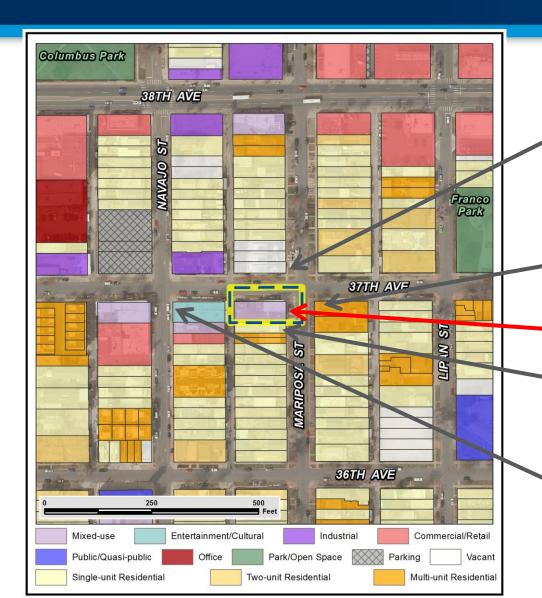
Existing Context – Land Use



- Site Mixed-use (currently vacant)
- North Residential
- South Residential
- East Residential
- West –Entertainment/
 Cultural



Existing Context – Building Form/Scale

















- Planning Board (September 20, 2017) 9-0
 vote for recommendation of approval
 - Three people spoke in favor
- Land Use, Transportation and Infrastructure Committee (October 31, 2017)
- City Council (December 11, 2017)
- Public comment
 - Letter of support from HUNI
 - 23 letters of support from the public





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



Review Criteria

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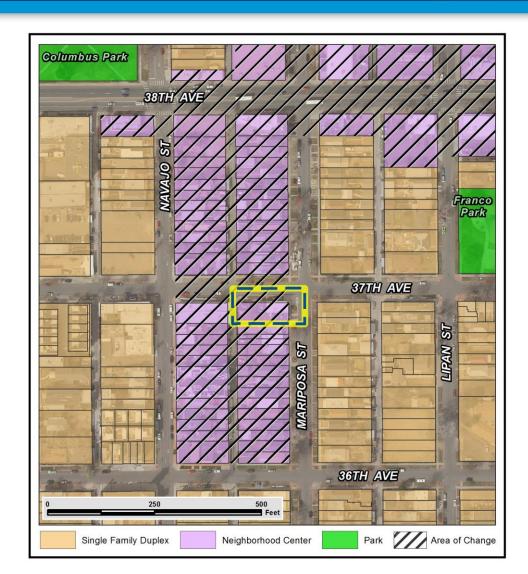
- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
 - Comprehensive Plan 2000
 - Blueprint Denver: A Land Use and Transportation Plan
 - Highland Neighborhood Plan
 - 41st & Fox Station Area Plan
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Comprehensive Plan 2000

- Environmental Sustainability Strategy 2-F
- Land Use Strategy 3-B
- Land Use Strategy 3-D
- Mobility Strategy 4-E
- Economic Activity Strategy 5-A

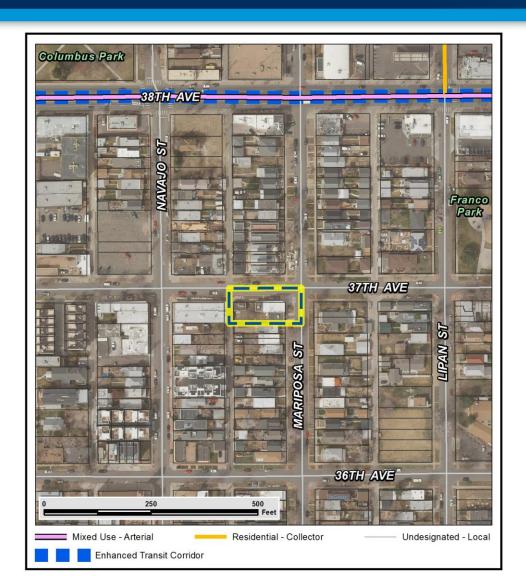




Blueprint Denver (2002)

- Land Use Concept:
 - Neighborhood Center
 - Serves everyday shopping, service, entertainment needs of neighborhoods
 - Mix of uses
 - Single Family Duplex
 - Moderately dense areas
 - Primarily residential but with some complementary, smallscale commercial uses
 - Area of Change





Blueprint Denver (2002)

- Future Street
 Classification:
 - W 37th & N Mariposa
 - Undesignated Local



Highland Neighborhood Plan (1986)

- Promote infill development in vacant land or abandoned structures
- Encourage a mixture of residential types and costs as a part of new development
- Promote development efforts in Highland
- Infill developments should be compatible in character, provide appropriate buffering, be low traffic generators, including senior housing, mom and pop shops, low density multi-family housing
- Encourage a variety of residential mixed use projects

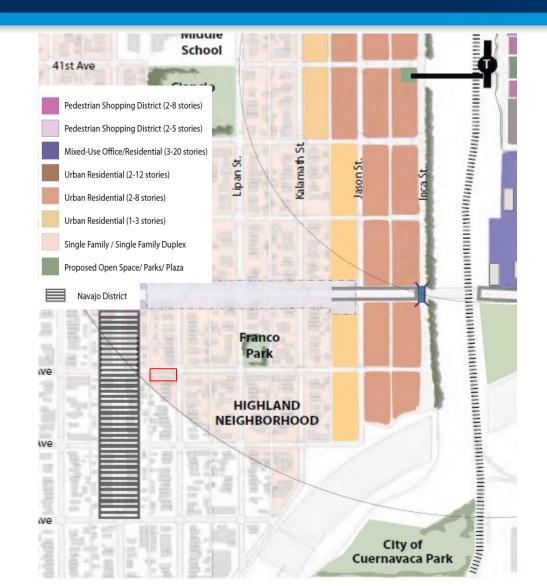


Highland Neighborhood Plan (1986)

- 37th & Navajo:
 - Reinforce and strengthen the retail area
 - Encourage new compatible uses
- Subarea 13:
 - Improve and stabilize residential areas and eliminate industrial uses
 - Encourage reuse of vacant or abandoned commercial structures
 - Discourage further industrial and commercial encroachment







41st & Fox Station Area Plan

- Single Family/Single Family
 Duplex
 - Mix of housing types: singlefamily, duplexes, townhomes
 - Less than 3 stories
- Navajo District
 - Mixed-use node at 38th & Navajo
 - Reinforce existing character



Review Criteria

Denver Zoning Code Review Criteria

- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
- 2. Uniformity of District Regulations
 - Request is consistent
- 3. Further Public Health, Safety and Welfare
 - Implements adopted plans, facilitates redevelopment
- 4. Justifying Circumstances
 - Changed or Changing Condition: Redevelopment in surrounding area, collapse of structure
- 5. Consistency with Neighborhood Context, Zone District Purpose and Intent
 - U-MX-2x zone district promotes embedded mixed-use within neighborhoods



CPD Recommendation

- CPD recommends approval, based on finding all review criteria have been met
- 1. Consistency with Adopted Plans
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