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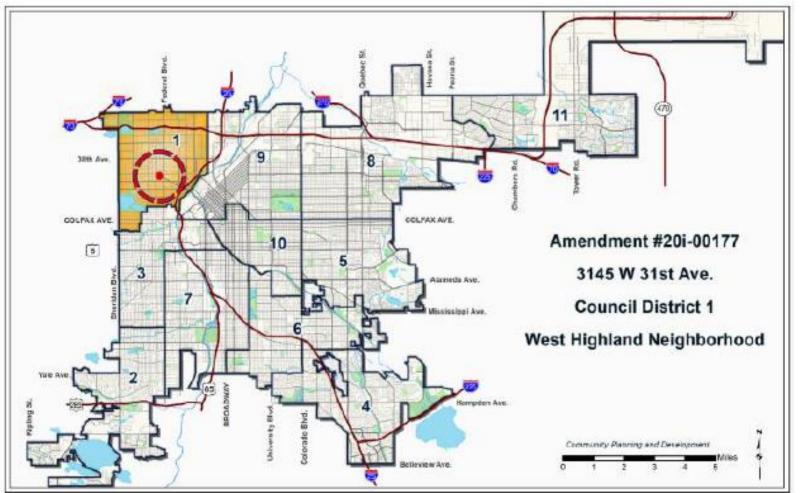
Application Request: U-SU-B to U-SU-B1

City Council: 8/16/2021



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Request: U-SU-B1



- Location
 - Approx. 8,000 square feet or 0.18 acres
 - Single-unit residential

Proposal

Rezoning from U-SU-B to U-SU-B1

- Allows the urban house and detached accessory dwelling unit building forms
- Max. building height 30-35 feet, 24 feet for ADU
- Min. lot size of 4,500 ft²



Existing Zoning



- Current Zoning: U-SU-B
- Surrounding Zoning: U-SU-C
- U-SU-A
- U-SU-A1
- U-MX-3
- OS-A



Existing Land Use



Land Use: Single-Unit Residential

Surrounding Land Uses:

- Single-Unit Residential
- Two-Unit Residential
- Public-Quasi Public
- Office
- Commercial/Retail





Process

- Informational Notice: 04/15/2021
- Planning Board Notice: 6/01/2021
- Planning Board Public Hearing: 6/16/2021
- LUTI Committee: 6/22/21
- City Council Public Hearing: 8/16/21
- Public Comment

 $\circ~$ As of present, no comments have been received.



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



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 - Comprehensive Plan 2040
 - Blueprint Denver: A Land Use and Transportation Plan (2019)
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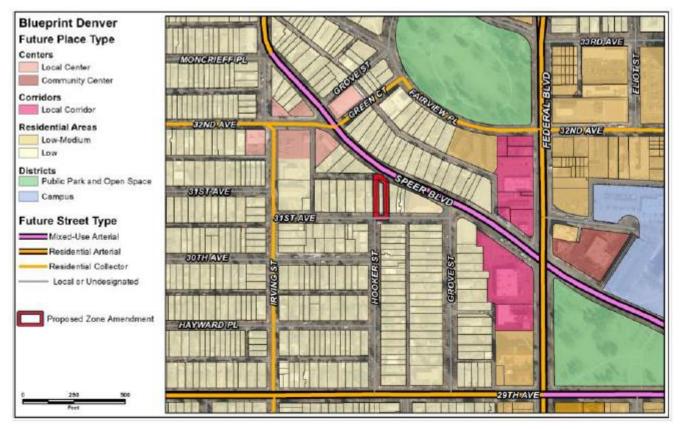
Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver 2019



- Urban
 - Small multi-unit residential and low-intensity mixeduse buildings typically embedded in single-unit and two-unit residential areas
 - Offers good walkability with short, predictable blocks.



Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver 2019



- Low Residential
 - Predominantly single- and two-unit uses
 - Accessory dwelling units are appropriate
- Future Street Type
 - 31st Avenue: Local Street



Consistency with Adopted Plans: Blueprint Denver

Land Use and Built Form- Housing Policy 4: Diversity housing choice through the expansion of accessory dwelling units throughout all residential areas.

Strategy E: A citywide approach to enable ADUs is preferred. Until a holistic approach is in place, individual rezoning to enable ADUs in all residential areas, especially where proximate to transit, are appropriate. Unless there is a neighborhood plan supporting ADUs, rezonings should be small in area in order to minimize impact to the surrounding residential area.



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CPD Recommendation

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