Bryan County Board of Commissioners

Community Development Department



IMPACT ANALYSIS FOR REZONING REQUESTS
The standards below shall be considered for any rezoning request. Applicants must complete this form and include it with their application. Attach additional sheets as needed.
1. Whether the proposed amendment is consistent with the adopted Comprehensive Plan and helps carry out the purposes of this UDO.
2. Whether the proposed reclassification is compatible with or would negatively impact the overall character or land use pattern on an abutting property or neighborhood near the subject property.
3. Whether public facilities and services, including, but not limited to, roads, parks and recreational facilities, police and fire protection, schools, stormwater drainage systems, water supplies, wastewater treatment, and solid waste services, are adequate to serve projected demands from development allowed by the amendment.
4. Whether the proposed reclassification will adversely affect known archaeological, historical, cultural or environmental resources; negatively impact water or air quality; negatively impact ground water recharge ares or drainage patterns; or increase soil erosion or flooding.

5. Whether the property is suitable for authorized uses as presently zoned.
6. Whether the relative gain to the public exceeds the hardships imposed upon the applicant by the existing zoning restrictions.
7. Whether the applicant has plans for development of the property. Applications for multifamily or non-residential zoning classifications carry a rebuttable presumption that such rezoning shall adversely affect the zoning scheme unless a concept plan is submitted with the application.
8. Whether there is projected demand for the property as currently zoned, which may be determined by the length of time the property has failed to produce income or be used productively as zoned, or whether there are substantial reasons why the lot cannot be used in accordance with the existing zoning classification.
9. Whether the proposed map amendment bears a substantial relationship to the public health, safety or general welfare.