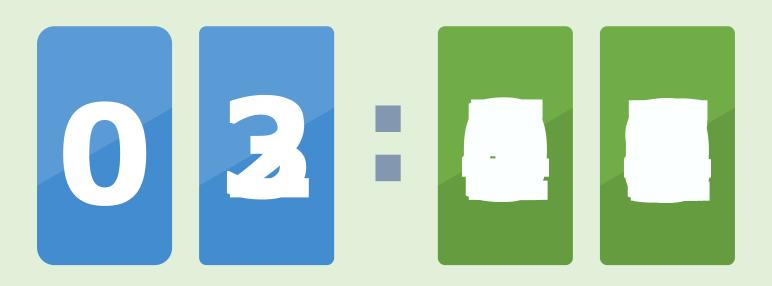


Planning Board Meeting

Agenda

- Meeting Called to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Informal Public Comment
- 4. Adjustment of Agenda
- 5. September 22, 2022, Meeting Summary
- 6. 2010-M03 Dodd Meadows Major Subdivision
- 7. 2045 Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee Discussion
- 8. Staff Updates
- 9. Adjournment

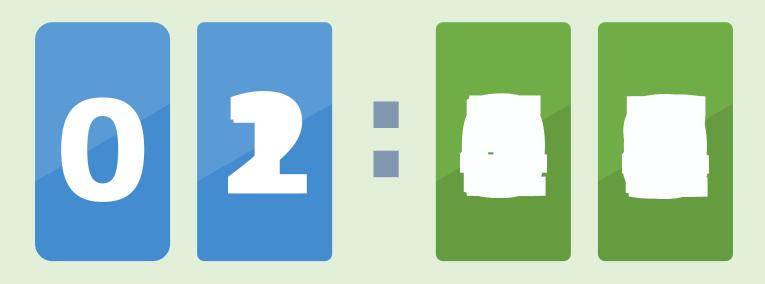
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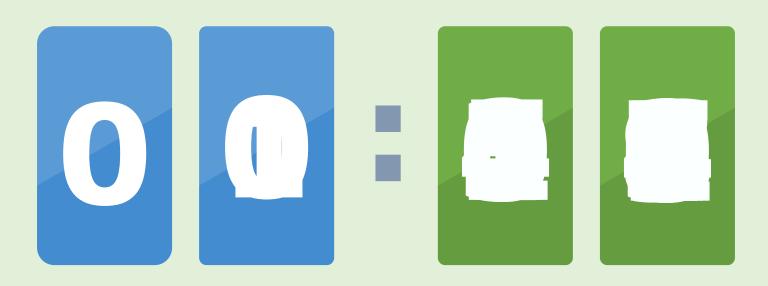
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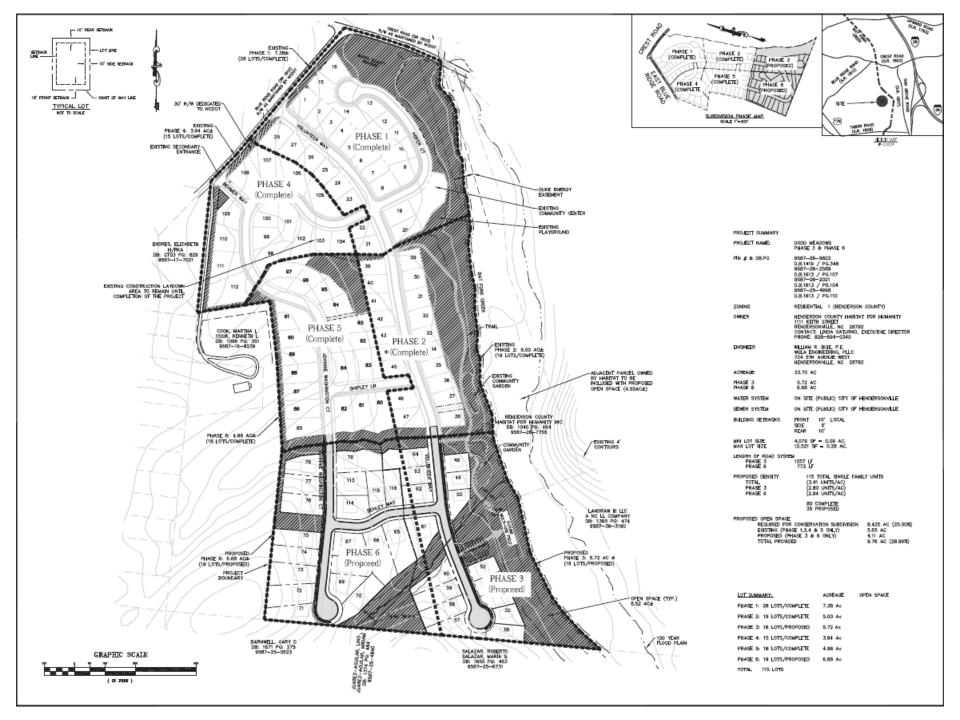


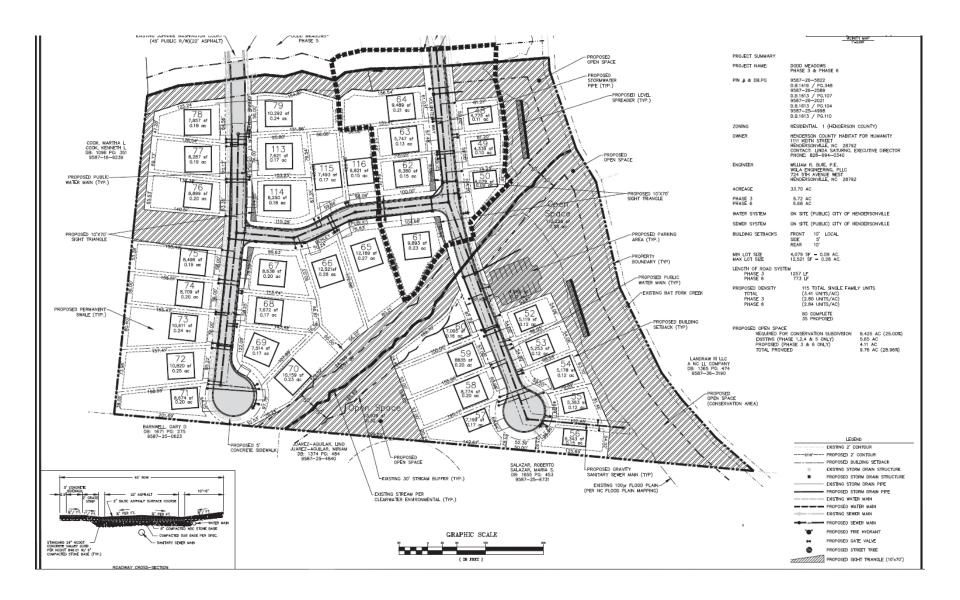
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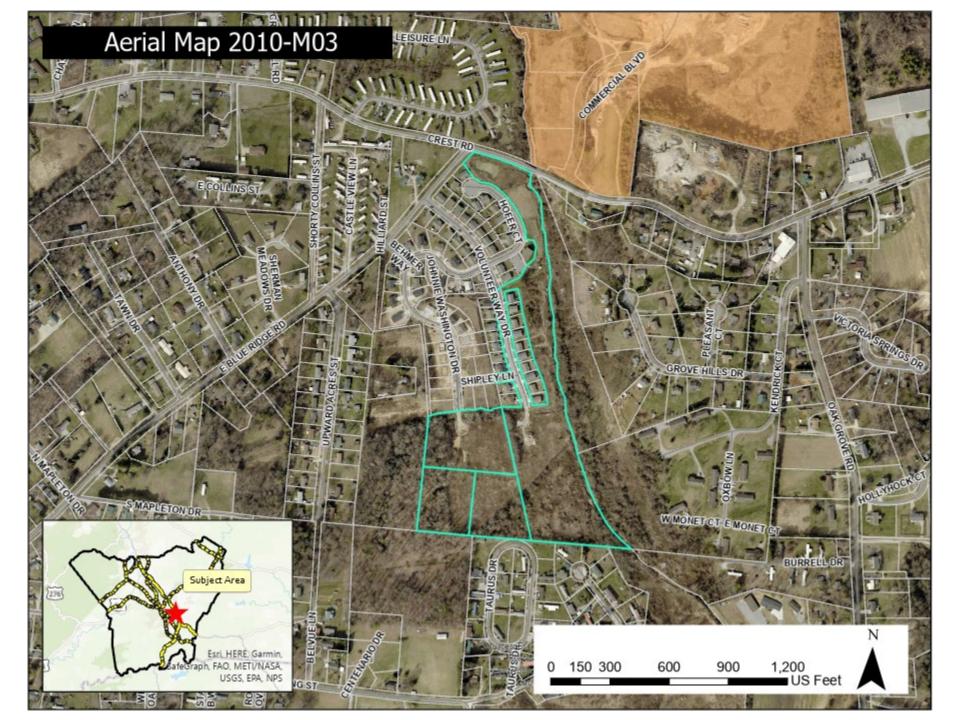
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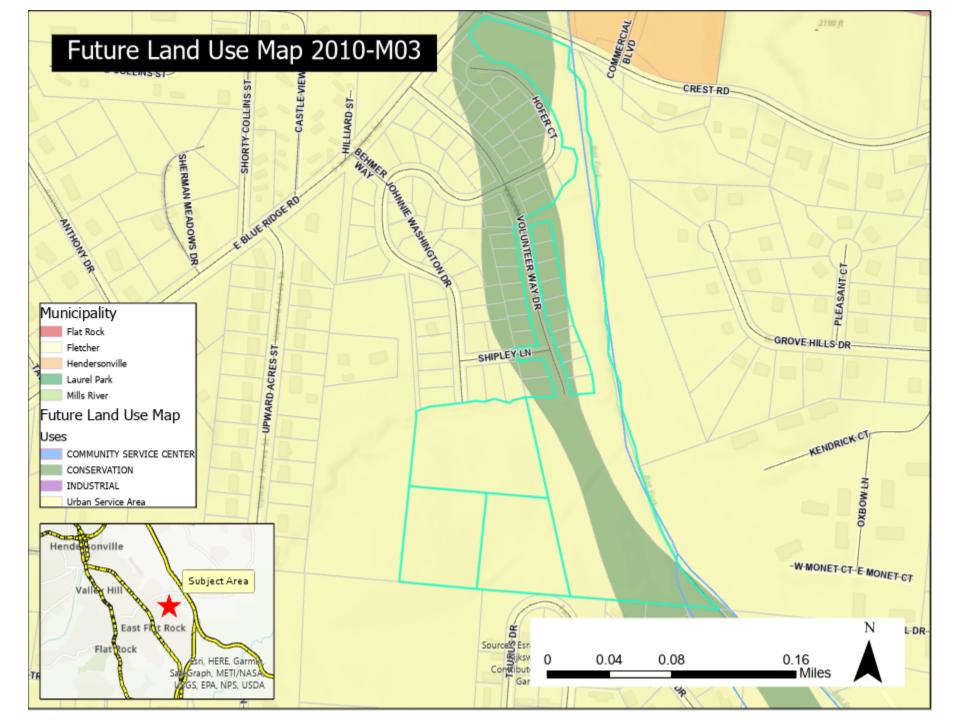
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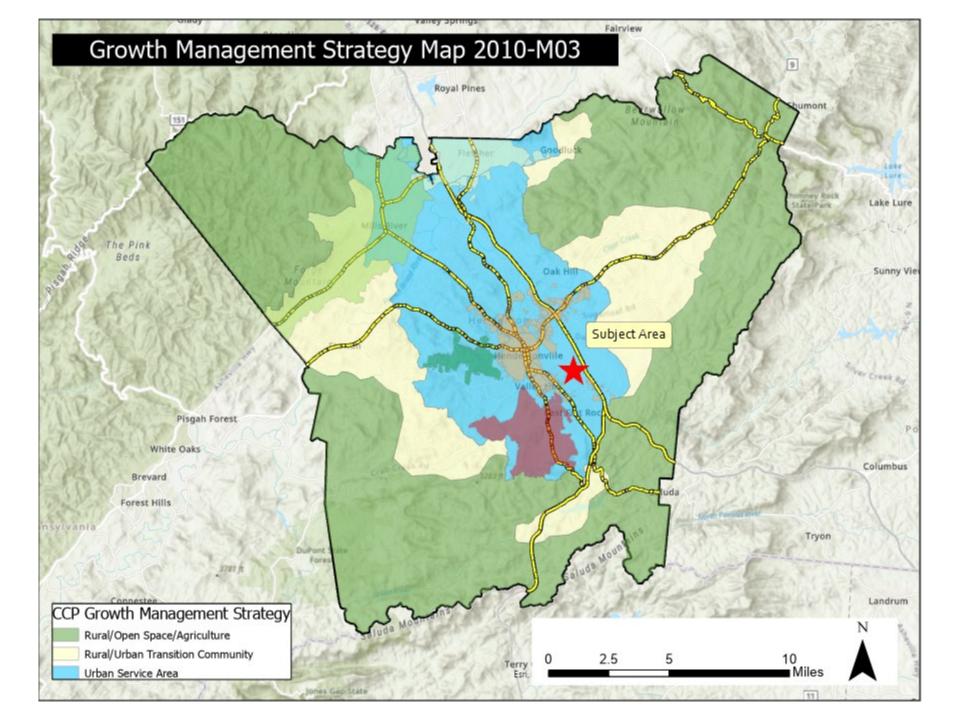
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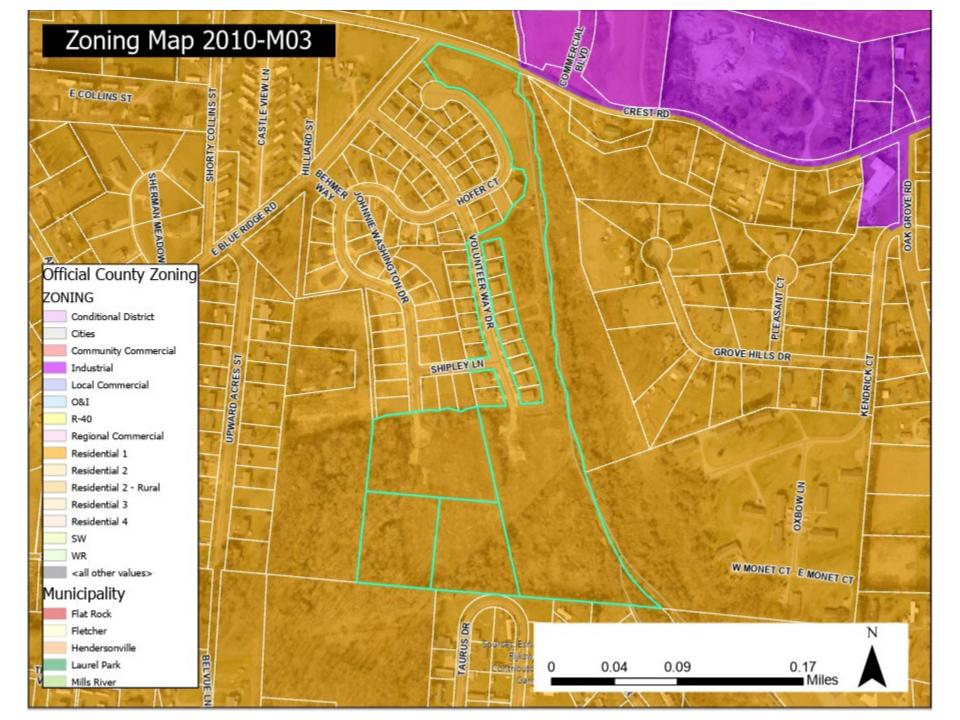












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TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Technical Review Committee reviewed the application at the October 18th, 2022, meeting. The TRC recommended forwarding the application Planning Board with a vote of 6-0, with no comments.

STAFF CONCLUSION

The Planning Board is the final approval authority for this proposed major subdivision. The Planning Board has the authority to approve, approve with modification, or deny the subdivision application based on the Henderson County Land Development Code, the Henderson County Comprehensive Plan, and with any conditions as discussed within the staff report, by the Technical Review Committee, or by the Planning Board.

2010-M03 Revised Master/Development Plan

- Dodd Meadows Major Subdivision

Questions and Discussion





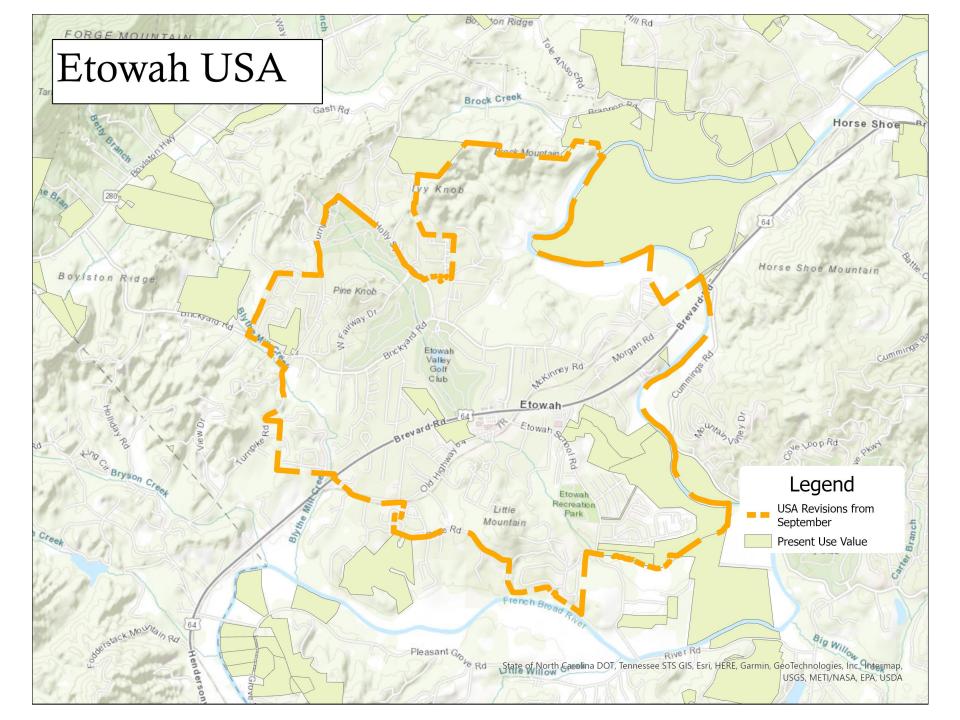
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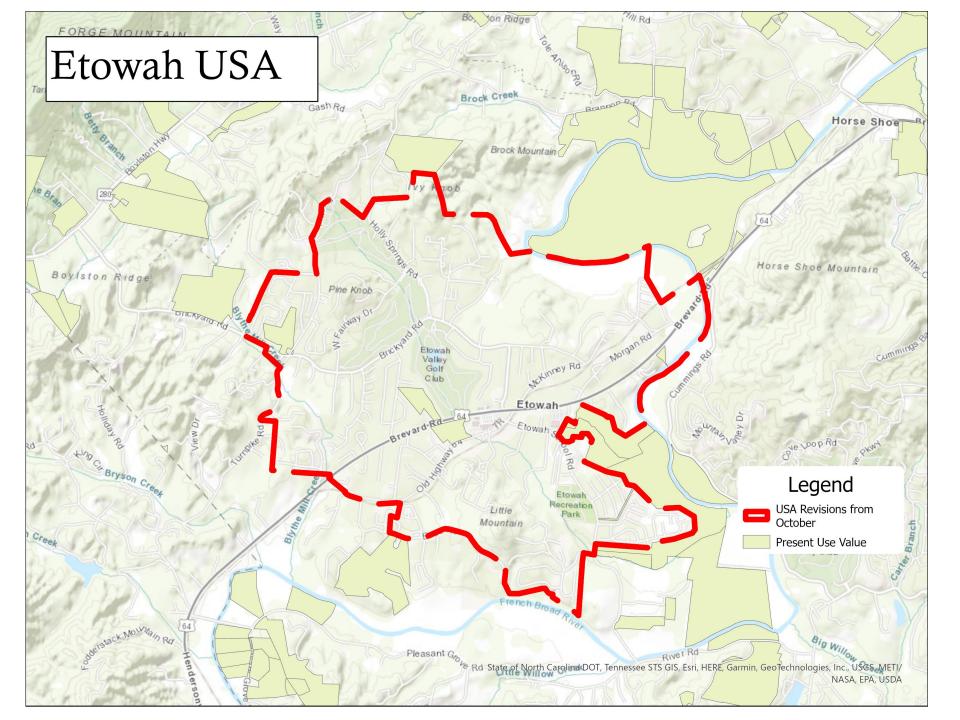
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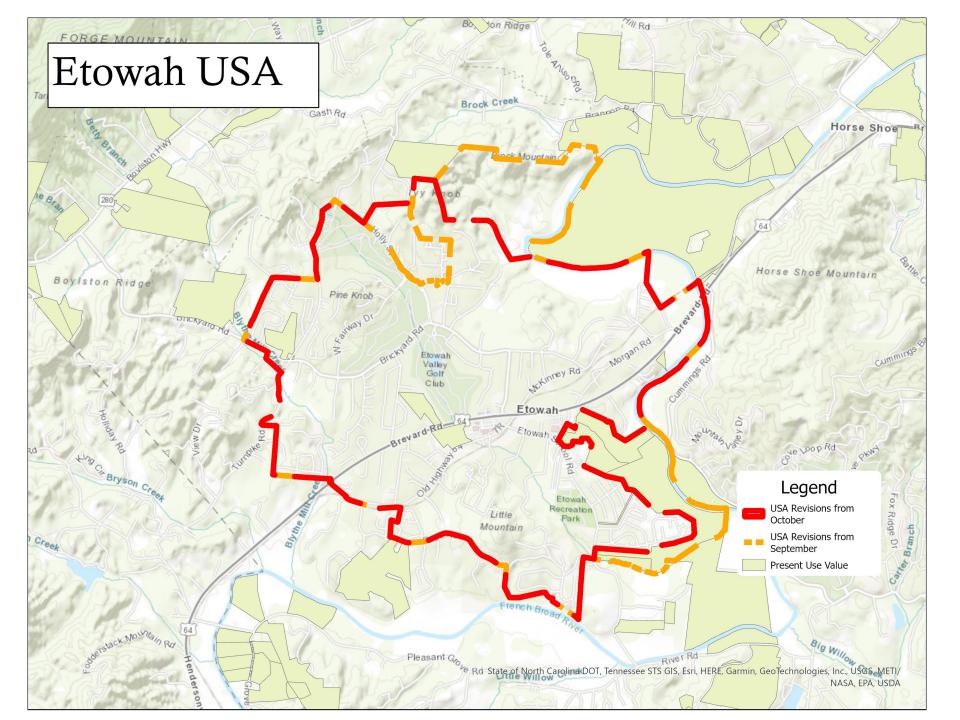
- The term, Urban Service Area (USA), was disliked by many of the participants at the public input meetings as it was misleading. To clarify this is where the existing service area is.
- Staff suggest two alternatives:
 - Utility Service Area
 - Utility Service District

Edits to Urban Service Area in Etowah

- Participants at the public input meetings were uncomfortable with the size of the draft USA considering that extension of services is not eminent.
- Staff altered the map to accurately reflect the current service area, but still shows potential for services extending east on US64.
 - The existing draft USA along the 64 corridor was acceptable to public input meeting participants.



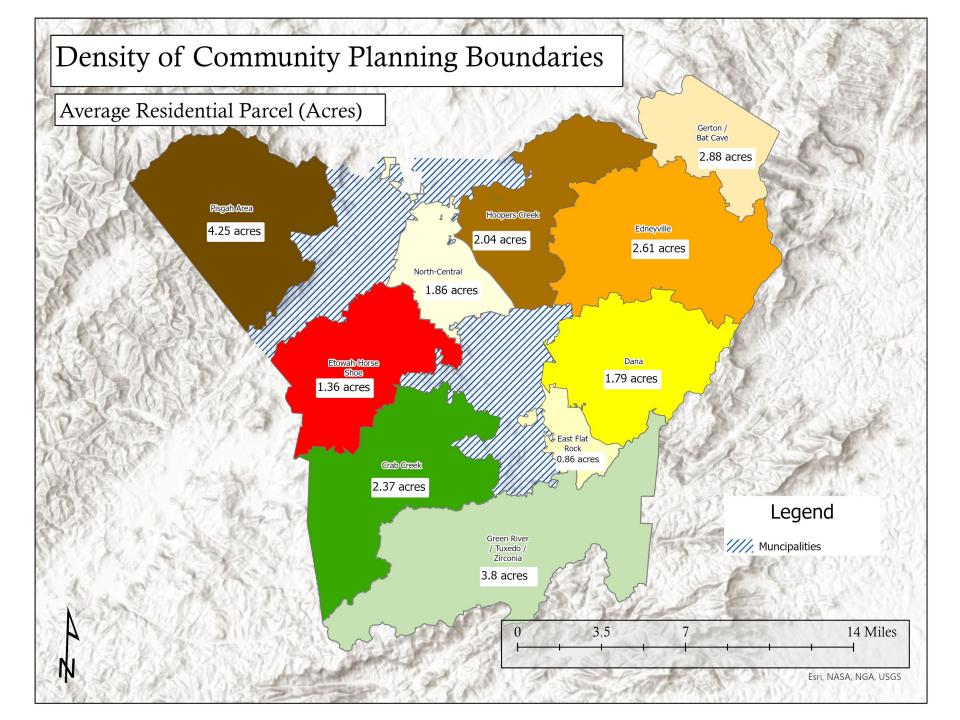




- Many people—including some trained planners and designers—have difficulty estimating density from visual cues or distinguishing quantitative (measured) and qualitative (perceived) density.
- Staff conducted an analysis of our current LDC, other rural counties, surrounding jurisdictions, and best practice to have a good basis for these recommendations.
- Staff also reviewed current density across the County

Existing Density Community Area Acreage Values

Community Area	Average Residential Parcel (Acres)	Median Residential Parcel (Acres)	Average Parcel Size (All Land Classes - Acres)	Residential Building Density (Buildings per Acre)	Total Acreage
Henderson County	0.94	0.8	3.48	0.13	227,179.64
Etowah-Horseshoe	1.36	0.68	2.35	0.27	19,569
Etowah (Urban Services Area)	1.2	0.46	1.72	0.44	3,751.7
North-Central	1.86	0.55	0.86	0.38	10,370.4
Hoopers Creek	2.04	0.89	3.65	0.18	18,140.8
Crab Creek	2.37	1.03	4.6	0.4	25,917.6
Edneyville	2.61	1.07	4.8	0.11	29,311.9
Gerton/Bat Cave	2.88	1.27	7.04	0.06	11,977.3
Green River/Tuxedo/Zirconia	3.8	1.6	7.2	0.07	36,933.2
Pisgah Area	4.25	2	31.65	0.016	26,863.3
Dana	1.79	0.91	3.60	0.17	22,113.2
East Flat Rock	0.86	0.45	1.45	0.37	5,950.3



- Discussion came up at BOC meeting
- Providing a broad range of housing densities is key to ensuring housing opportunities for all residents
- Suggested densities correlated with character areas are NOT the same as zoning districts
- One character area may represent more than one zoning district
- Thorough discussion will be required when reviewing amendments to the Land Development Code
- The Comprehensive Plan is a high-level document and the wording in it should be treated as such

- Concentrating homes, jobs, schools, and shops into a smaller area helps us prosper, protect our environment, and save money for governments, developers, and consumers.
 - A resident living at a density of 12 units per acre generates about onethird less of greenhouse gas emissions than someone driving the miles necessary to live at a density of 3 units per acre (Allen and McKeever 1996).
 - Compact, mixed-use development requires fewer miles of roads and pipes, fewer police officers and fire fighters, and fewer square feet of public facilities per person to provide a specific level of service when compared to low-density, single use development.

- Living closer together helps save agricultural and resource land.
- The typical suburban low density of 3 units per acre requires **4x** as much land as a medium density of 12 units per acre.
- At larger scales (as we grow), this difference can mean the difference in losing entire farms to accommodate the lower density.
 - Example: 1,000 homes consume 250 more acres when built at low density levels
- **To preserve farmland, open space, and the peripheries of public land, higher density is needed within the areas that have services.
 - Major residential development within the VLD and AR Character Areas should be discouraged.
 - Residential development within the OSC should be highly discouraged.

Very Low Density (VLD)

• 1 unit per 3 acres to 1 unit per 5 acres

Agriculture/Rural (AR)

- 1 unit per 1 acre to 1 unit per 3 acres
- Large scale residential development is discouraged within this Character Area
- Density bonuses could occur on properties that have agricultural easement,
 PDR, TDR, or other preservation

• Low Density (LD)

1 unit per 0.25 acres to 1 unit per 2 acres (dependent upon w/s availability)

Medium Density (MD)

- 8 units per 1 acre to 14 units per 1 acre
- Limit multifamily buildings to 3 stories tall
- Density bonuses could occur with particular stipulations
- For comparison, high density development in the City of Hendersonville is a maximum of 18 units per acre

2045 Comprehensive Plan

Questions and Discussion

- Any additional changes recommended by the Planning Board
- Direction/approval of discussed changes

2045 Comprehensive Plan

Next Steps

- Revise the Draft 2045 Comprehensive Plan with items approved by the Planning Board
- Repost the revised draft plan and send to the Planning Board
- Planning Board will hold a special called meeting on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>November 3rd at 5:30 pm</u> to discuss the revised plan
- Planning Board will make a formal recommendation on the draft plan
- Board of Commissioners will hold a public hearing