# **City of Greensboro**



## Agenda Report

### File Number: 2025-32

#### Agenda Item# <u>H.3.</u>

Agenda Date:1/21/2025. Department: PlanningMeeting Type:Council Meeting Category: Public Hearing Agenda

**Title:** 2025-32 Public Hearing for an Ordinance for Original Zoning for 2527 Nelson Farm Road and 3824 E Lee Street – Fox Rothschild and Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc, on behalf of Matthew and Jeremy Causey

#### **Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.**

□Safest City
□Easiest Place to Do Business
□Youth Sports Capital
⊠Abundance of Attainable Housing

Most Skilled Workforce
 Most Connected City
 Hub of Recreation and Entertainment
 Other/Admin Briefly Explain 3 word maximum

**Council District**: Proximate to District 1

**Public Hearing**: Yes **Advertising Date/By**: January 9 and 16, 2025/by City Clerk

**Contact 1 and Phone**: Sue Schwartz, Ext. 2149 **Contact 2 and Phone**: Mike Kirkman, Ext 4649

#### **PURPOSE**:

Fox Rothschild and Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group Inc, on behalf of Matthew and Jeremy Causey of the William M. Causey Jr. Estate, is requesting original zoning from **County AG** (Agricultural) to **City CD-RM-8** (Conditional District Residential Multifamily - 8) for 2527 Nelson Farm Road and 3824 East Lee Street, generally described as east of Nelson Farm Road and south of East Lee Street

As this request is associated with a voluntary annexation petition, the City Council will conduct a public hearing to consider and take action on this request at its **January 21, 2025** meeting.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Following a public hearing on December 16, 2024, the Planning and Zoning Commission voted 9-0 to recommend approval of this request. There were two speakers in favor and none in opposition for this item. (See minutes of the December 16, 2024 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting). This request is associated with a voluntary annexation petition to access City services for new residential development.

Vision Statement: "A Community with Endless Economic Opportunities and Exceptional Quality of Life."

This request includes the following condition:

1. Uses shall be limited to single family dwellings and townhomes.

#### **BUDGET IMPACT**:

This item will have no budget impact

#### ACCOUNT NUMBER:

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#### **RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:**

It is recommended that City Council hold a public hearing and approve this request.

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended **approval** of this request 9-0.

Planning recommends approval of the City CD-RM-8 zoning request based on:

- Request is consistent with the **Filling in Our Framework** Big Idea to arrange land uses to create a more vibrant and livable Greensboro.
- Request is consistent with Strategy 2 of the Creating Great Places Big Idea to meet housing needs and desires with a sufficient and diverse supply of housing products, prices and locations.