

Cessna Drive Variance of Use Letter of Intent

October 29, 2024

TTW Properties LLC 27310 McClaskey Road Calhan, CO 80808

Please add phone number and email address for owner

Please address whether or not there will be any new construction/disturbance as a part of this VA.

<u>Enclosures:</u>	List of Current Clients (Governmental Contracts) Approved Plat Waiver (PNW85001) 1981 R-4 Zoning Board of County Commissioners Staff Report		
<u>Planner:</u>	Surrounding Commercial Uses Map Vertex Consulting Services, LLC, Nina Ruiz 5825 Delmonico Drive, Suite 320 Colorado Springs, CO 80919 719-733-8605 <u>Nina.ruiz@vertexcos.com</u>	Please provide: 1. Owner name, contact telephone number, and email for responsible party.	
Tax Schedule Nos:	4304002047		
Acreage:	2.25 Acres		
Zoning:	R-4 (Planned Development District Obsolete), GA-O (General Aviation Overlay District)		
<u>Utilities:</u>	Mountain View Electric Association (MVEA) provides electric service and Colorado Springs Utilities provides natural gas service to the existing structures. Water and wastewater are provided by an individual onsite well and onsite wastewater treatment system.		

Site Location:

Vertex Consulting Services, LLC, on behalf of TTW Properties LLC, is respectfully submitting a variance of use application to allow for a "Commercial Vehicle Repair Garage" in the R-4, GA-O zone district. The property is located approximately one half of a mile southeast of the Judge Orr Road and Highway 24 Intersection, within Meadow Lake Airport. The proposed variance of use is compatible with the surrounding planned and existing development and is consistent with the <u>Your El Paso Master Plan</u>.

Request:

The purpose of this application is to:

 Request approval of a variance of use to allow a "Commercial Vehicle Repair Garage" in the R-4, GA-O zone. Section 1.15 of the <u>Land Development Code</u> defines Commercial Vehicle Repair Garage as:

"An establishment used for the care or repair of passenger vehicles and light trucks, including major or minor work such as paint, body and fender work or engine and transmission overhaul and incidental storage or parking of repaired vehicles, but excluding the dismantling of wrecked vehicles and the storage of junk vehicles.

2. Repair and storage of heavy trucks, recreational vehicles, and trailers shall only be permitted in association with a governmental contract on the site.

Use Description:

The business, Watts Upfitting, contracts with the local governmental agencies [see attached list of clients]. They bullet-proof vehicles, outfit the interior for emergency response (e.g. gun racks in the interior of the doors), and provide body repair to emergency responder vehicles when needed.

Justification:

The pages that follow address each one of the Variance of Use criteria included within Section 5.3.4 of the <u>El Paso County Land Development Code</u>:

The strict application of any of the provisions of this Code would result in peculiar and exceptional practical difficulties or undue hardship.

The Board of County Commissioners added the OA-G (named GA-O today) to the subject parcels on May 18, 1970. This overlay added the following permitted uses to the underlying A-3 zone district [see attached 1980 OA-G zone]:

- Aero club facilities
- Aircraft maintenance facilities
- Airfields and landing strips
- Airport terminals and related supporting facilities [e.g. restaurants, hotels, retail]
- Aviation control towers
- Hangars and tie-down facilities
- Navigation instruments and aids
- Aviation related businesses

The property was platted as part of Meadow Lake Airport Filing No. 2 in 1975. The plat included the following note, restricting the land uses permitted by the underlying A-3, OA-G zone:

"All lots in this subdivision will be utilized for hangars and tie-down areas."

The Board of County Commissioners approved a rezoning of the subject parcels from the A-3/OA-G to the R-4/OA-G on November 23, 1981. The R-4 zone district allowed for commercial uses as outlined in the PBP zone pursuant to Section 17 of the 1980 Land Development Code [See attached R-4 zone.]

The application submitted by the Meadow Lake Airport Development Corporation did not include a list of permitted/excluded uses, nor did it include new dimensional standards for the R-4 zone. The R-4 zone specifically permitted those allowed uses in the PBP zone district and the Meadow Lake Airport Development Corporation echoed that intent, along with other specific examples of acceptable uses in the R-4 zone.

The current El Paso County Planning Department has identified that although the R-4 zoning action and GA-O allow for other uses, the plat note further restricts the permitted uses and overrides the underlying and subsequent zoning actions.

A waiver of the plat note requiring "All lots in [the] subdivision be utilized for hangars and tie-down areas" was approved by the Board of County Commissioners on March 14, 1985 following the R-4 zoning. This plat note waiver did not include an expiration, did not limit the use to the current property owner, or condition specifying uses were to be further restricted. In the late '90's the property owner began utilizing the property for customizing vans related to the Department of Defense Contracts.

the use is not There are other commercial businesses within the Meadow Lake Filing 1 subdivision and the other allowed as surrounding subdivisions. [See attached Commercial Uses Map identifying the numerous other its not in commercial operations in place today]. Over the years several other lots within the Meadow Lake support of the subdivisions have received approval of plat note waivers, subdivision exemptions, and replats to Airport per remove the use restriction included within the Meadow Lake Airport Filing 1. Additionally, special uses the R4 have been approved to allow for those uses allowed within the PID zone. The Department has guidelines identified that a plat note waiver, subdivision exemption, or replat are no longer options for allowing hence the need for the the proposed use. The variance of use has been identified as the process for removing the plat note Variance restriction. These other uses will likely be required by El Paso County Planning to obtain approval of a variance of use, regardless of prior actions taken by the Board of County Commissioners.

The property owner purchased the property after reviewing the Title Commitment identifying that the plat note waiver was in place and with the knowledge that the property had been utilized for uses other than "hangars and tie downs" since the waiver approval in 1985.

The Planning and Community Development Department no longer acknowledges prior plat note waivers presents a practical difficulty for the current owner. Additionally, the Planning Department has identified that administrative actions, such as, plat note waivers, subdivision exemptions, and replats are no long available options to allow for other uses on the property. It is a hardship for the current property owner that there is no other process available to allow the use other than the Variance of

Use. Unclear. Hardship is not based on processes available or not. Please revisit and provide other justification as it relates to use.

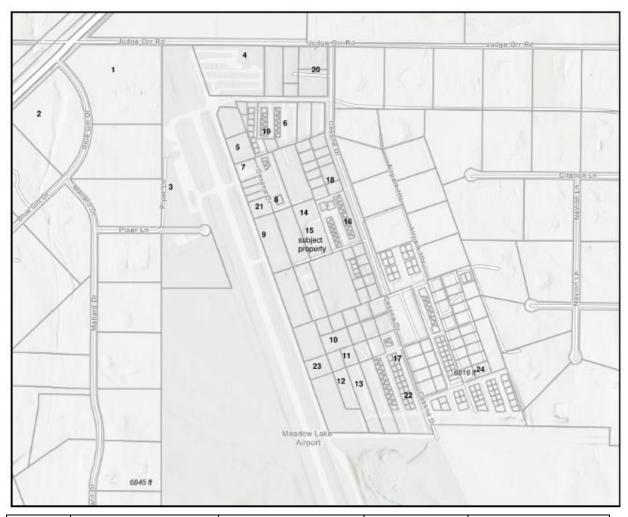
• The variance of use is generally consistent with the applicable Master Plan;

Please revise: Variance of Use is the identified process for allowing a use not otherwise permitted in the subject zoning district.

Please see the Master Plan analysis beginning on page 8.

The proposed use is compatible with the surrounding area, harmonious with the character of the neighborhood, not detrimental to the surrounding area, not detrimental to the future development of the area, and not detrimental to the health, safety, or welfare of the inhabitants of the area and County;

The property has been utilized for uses other than "hangars and tie-downs" since 1985. Please see the below map and table identifying the numerous commercial uses in the area:



	Business Name	Type of Business	Zoning	Associated EPC
	DUSINESS Name	Commercial Vehicle	Zonnig	Approval
1	Tire King of Folgen			D4010057 E41020
1	Tire King of Falcon	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, EA1938
2	Smith Farms	Agritainment	RR-5	AL184, PPR1818
3	EAA Chapter 72	Experimental Aircraft	PUD/GA-O	PUD07009
4	Springs Aviation	Flight School	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, AASI222
5	Freeflight Composites	Airplane Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-0	R481005Z, EX121
	The Flight School at			
6	Colorado Springs	Flight School	R-4/GA-0	R481005Z
		Airplane		R481005Z,
7	Pearce Aircraft	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	PNW94001
8	Avionics Upgrades	Airplane Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
9	GZ Customs	Commercial Vehicle Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
10	Structural Steel Solutions and Fabrication	Light Manufacturing	R-4/GA-0	R481005Z

	Falcon Ultralight			
	Mechanic and	Airplane Repair/ Flight		
11	Instructor	School	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, R497004
12	Verlin's Aviation	Flight School	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Commercial Vehicle		
13	Pro Trans Plus	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
	Blue Line Print &			R481005Z,
14	Design	Sign Shop	R-4/GA-0	PNW85001
	Precision Repair	Contractor Equipment		R481005Z,
15	Works Inc.	Yard	R-4/GA-O	PNW85001
16	Walker Metal Works	Light Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Airplane		
17	RV Builder	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Commercial Vehicle		
18	Accufix	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, VA245
	Hangar Open	Commercial Vehicle		R481005Z, R497006,
19	Performance	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	VR0006
20	First Logistex	Battery Company	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, VA97006
		Contractor Equipment		R481005Z, V96007,
21	Zebra Productions	Yard	R-4/GA-O	R497003
		Contractor Equipment		R481005Z, R498004,
22	Window Well Covers	Yard	R-4/GA-O	PPR00003
	Gene Kear Aircraft	Airplane		
23	Painting	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, R486015
		Contractor Equipment		
24	Veteran Towing	Yard	R-4/GA-0	R481005Z

The Meadow Lake area is characterized as light industrial uses. The R-4 and GA-O zone districts allow for commercial uses, which include airplane repair and maintenance. A Commercial Vehicle Repair Garage is compatible with the numerous pre-existing commercial vehicle repair garages, light industrial uses, and other commercial service uses in the area.

The business, Watts Upfitting, contracts with the local military installations, CSPD, SWAT, El Paso Sheriff, Fire Departments, and numerous other emergency responders (see attached current client list). They bullet-proof vehicles, outfit the interior for emergency response (e.g. gun racks in the interior of the doors), and provide body repair to emergency responder vehicles when needed. Approval of the requested variance of use will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the area and County by allowing them to continue to serve the military and emergency responders.

• The proposed use will be able to meet air, water, odor or noise standards established by County, State or federal regulations during construction and upon completion of the project;

The proposed use meets all air, water, odor, and noise standards.

Please expand. Activities conducted inside, etc

• The proposed use will comply with all applicable requirements of this Code and all applicable County, State and federal regulations except those portions varied by this action; All structures are pre-existing and have previously been permitted. No alterations or additions are proposed.

• The proposed use will not adversely affect wildlife or wetlands;

The structures have been constructed. No additional impacts to wildlife are anticipated as a result of the approval of the variance of use. There are no wetlands onsite.

• The applicant has addressed all off-site impacts;

GA-O properties.

The impacts are anticipated to be the same as all other permitted uses within the surrounding R-4,

What would be the similar off-site impacts?

• The site plan for the proposed variance of use will provide for adequate parking, traffic circulation, open space, fencing, screening, and landscaping; and/or

How was this max number derived? Why not less as property appears to be at max capacity with need for parking agreement on adjacent property?

Approximately 1-3 vehicles are dropped off every 2 weeks. Typically, when a vehicle is dropped off the same agency representative picks up another completed vehicle (e.g. Sherriff Deputy drops off a Tahoe needing updating and picks up an upgraded Tahoe for El Paso County Sherriff). It takes several weeks to customize each vehicle per the entities requests, resulting in numerous vehicles being stored onsite awaiting repair. The applicant has placed a condition on the site plan limiting the total number of vehicles being stored onsite to 40, and limited to those areas depicted.

The <u>Land Development Code</u> requires one parking space per employee plus 3 spaces per bay or stall. There will be a maximum of 24 employees total, not just on any given shift, and 8 bays. A parking easement has been provided for employee parking on the adjacent lot. The site plan depicts 55 parking spaces.

A traffic impact study is not required pursuant to ECM Appendix B, ECM Chapters 1.6 and 1.16 as the proposed variance of use will not result in traffic in excess of 100 ADT or 10 trips at the peak hour, there are no additional minor or major roadways being proposed, there will be no change in the type of traffic to be generated, the variance of use will not result in a change to the LOS for Judge Orr Road or any other nearby County roadways, and there is no proposed access onto a State Highway. The variance of use is anticipated to result in an average of 50 additional trips per day.

No screening, open space, fencing, or landscaping are required for properties within the Meadow Lake Airport pursuant to the 1981 R-4 zoning [See page 14 of 1981 staff packet].

• Sewer, water, storm water drainage, fire protection, police protection, and roads will be available and adequate to serve the needs of the proposed variance of use as designed and proposed.

Water is provided by a permitted individual onsite well and septic [Permit No. ON0050753]. The property is within the Falcon Fire Protection District [see attached inspection report]. El

Paso Sherriff's Department will respond to any emergency.

Access is taken from Cessna Drive. The property owner has paid to maintain and upgrade the surrounding private roadways, even though other owners and users also utilize these roads [See attached proof of payment].

Master Plan Elements

Below is an analysis of the various El Paso County Master Plan elements.

Your El Paso County Master Plan Analysis

Chapter 1 of <u>Your El Paso Master Plan</u> (2021) states that the <u>Plan</u> is "general in nature-it cannot tackle every issue in sufficient detail to determine every type of necessary action." In addition, Chapter 1 goes on to state that the <u>Plan</u> "is intended to provide clearer and more coordinated policy, resulting in a document that effectively communicates County goals and identifies specific actions to achieve both County-wide and local area objectives." When taken together, these two statements suggest to the reader that the <u>Plan</u> may only address certain issues at a cursory level and that specific steps or actions for addressing such issues may not be offered within the <u>Plan</u>. That conclusion is certainly the case in numerous instances and with regard to a variety of topical areas. However, where that is not the case is with respect to the variance of use request, as identified below.

Key Area Analysis

The subject property is not identified in the <u>Plan</u> as being within a Key Area.

Area of Change Analysis

The subject property is identified in the Areas of Change map within the <u>Plan</u> as being within the "Minimal Change: Undeveloped" area of change.

Page 21 of the <u>Plan</u> characterizes areas of "Minimal Change: Undeveloped" by stating:

"The character of these areas is defined by a lack of development and presence of significant natural areas. <u>These areas will experience some redevelopment of select</u> <u>underutilized or vacant sites adjacent to other built-out sites, but such redevelopment</u> <u>will be limited in scale so as to not alter the essential character</u>. New development may also occur in these areas on previously undeveloped land, but overall there will be no change to the prioritized rural and natural environments." (Emphasis added)

The subject property is currently developed and is surrounded by other commercial and industrial properties. The <u>Master Plan</u> anticipates some redevelopment provided the character can be maintained. The change in use of the existing building to a Commercial Vehicle Repair Garage matches the commercial and industrial character of the Meadow Lake Airport.

Placetype Analysis

The subject property is shown on the Placetypes map of <u>Your El Paso Master Plan</u> as being within the Employment Center Placetype. Page 36 of the <u>Plan</u> identifies the following land uses as being Primary Land Uses within the Employment Center Placetype:

• Light Industrial/Business Park

- Heavy Industrial
- Office

The following land uses have been identified as being supporting land uses in the Employment Center Placetype:

- Commercial Retail
- Commercial Services
- Restaurants

The Employment Center Placetype is described further on page 36 as follows:

"Employment Centers comprise land for industrial, office, business park, manufacturing, distribution, warehousing, and other similar business uses. The priority function of this placetype is to provide space for large-scale employers to establish and expand in El Paso County. They are typically located on or directly adjacent to Interstate 25 and/or other regional corridors to ensure business and employee access.

Proximity to other transportation hubs, such as Meadowlake Airport, and rail lines is also appropriate for an Employment Center. Uses in this placetype often require large swaths of land and opportunity to expand and grow to meet future needs and demands. Transitional uses, buffering, and screening should be used to mitigate any potential negative impacts to nearby residential and rural areas. Some Employment Centers are located in Foreign Trade, Commercial Aeronautical, and Opportunity Zones to help incentivize development." (emphasis added)

Commercial and industrial land uses are recommended within the Employment Center. The vehicle repair garage use fits within the commercial and industrial land use category, therefore, the proposed variance of use is in general conformance with the Placetype recommendations.

El Paso County Parks Master Plan

The <u>El Paso County Parks Master Plan</u> (2022) does not depict any planned or existing trails or open space on the subject property. Land dedication, or fees in lieu of land dedication are not required with a variance of use request.

Other Topical Elements of the County Master Plan

The proposed variance of use is in compliance with the other topical elements of the County Master Plan, including the Master Plan for Mineral Extraction, and the El Paso County Wildlife Habitat Maps and Descriptors.



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City of Monte Vista **Colorado Department of Corrections** Colorado Department of Transportation Colorado Division of Wildlife Colorado Springs Airport Colorado Springs Fire Department Colorado Springs Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force Colorado Springs School District 11 Colorado University Anschutz Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency **Del Norte Police Department Department of National Defense Divide Fire Protection District** Dodge City of McKinney **Douglas County Sheriff's Office** Douglas County Search and Rescue East Grand Fire Protection District El Paso County Department of Public Works El Paso County Department of Transportation El Paso County Hazmat El Paso County Search and Rescue El Paso County Sheriff's Office El Paso County Wildland Fire Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Elbert County Sheriff's Office Ellicott Fire Protection District **Englewood Public Works** Evraz



- Fairplay Police Department
- Falcon Fire Department
- Falcon School District 49
- Florence Police Department
- Florissant Volunteer Fire Department
- Fort Carson Fire Department
- Fort Carson Police Department
- Fountain Fire Department
- Four Mile Fire Protection District
- Franktown Fire Department
- Fredonia Marshal's Office
- Fremont County Office of Emergency Management
- Fremont County Search and Rescue
- Fremont County Sheriff's Office
- Front Range Fire Rescue
- Gilpin County Sheriff's Office
- Global Medical Response
- Grand County Sheriff's Office
- Green Mountain Falls Marshal
- Gunnison County Coroner
- Gunnison County Sheriff's Office
- **Gunnison Police Department**
- **Gunnison Valley Health Paramedics**
- Hanover Fire Department
- Hinsdale County Sheriff's Office
- Huerfano County Sheriff's Office
- Hugo Fire Department
- Hugo Marshall's Office



- Jefferson County Sheriff's Office
- Jefferson County Sheriff's Office (Nebraska)
- La Jara Police Department
- La Plata County Fleet
- Lake County Search and Rescue
- Lake County Sheriff's Office
- Lake George Fire Department
- Lamar Police Department
- Landis & Gyr
- Lewis Palmer School District 38
- Lincoln County Coroner
- Lincoln County Office of Emergency Management
- Lincoln County Sheriff's Office
- Manitou Springs Police Department
- Martin Marietta
- Meadow Lake Airport Association
- Mesa County Sheriff's Office
- Metro One Ambulance Service
- Mineral County
- Moffat County Sheriff's Office
- Montezuma County Sheriff's Office
- Monument Fire Protection District
- Monument Police Department
- Moore County Sheriff's Office
- Morrison Police Department
- Mountain View Electric
- National Park Service
- National Search and Rescue



- Northeast Teller County Fire Protection District
- Northrop Grumman Corp
- Oracle
- Ouray County Sheriff's Office
- Pagosa Springs Fire Protection
- Palmer Lake Fire Department
- Palmer Lake Police Department
- Park County School District
- Park County Search and Rescue
- Park County Sheriff's Office
- Peterson Air Force Base OSI
- Peterson Fire Department 21CES
- Peyton Fire Department
- Pikes Peak Community College
- **Prowers County**
- Pueblo Chemical Depot
- Pueblo County Sheriff's Office
- Pueblo Police Department
- Pueblo West Fire Department
- Rio Grand County Sheriff's Office
- Rocky Mountain Protective Services
- **ROI Fire and Ballistics**
- Salida Police Department
- Security Fire Department
- Simla Police Department
- Southern Colorado Interagency Wildland Fire Team
- Strasburg Fire Protection District
- Stratton Volunteer Fire Department



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Commissioner Klotz moved atoption of the following Resolution:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF EL PASO, STATE OF COLORADO

RESOLUTION NO. 85-103, Land Use-67

WHEREAS, William and Diane Raisner did file an application with the Land Use Department of El Paso County on or about January 4, 1985, for the approval of the waiver of the plat notation on a specific lot in Meadow Lake Airport Filing #2 in the unincorporated area of El Paso county, as more particularly described below; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by the El Paso County Planning Commission on February 20, 1985, upon which date the Planning Commission did by formal resolution recommend approval of the subject waiver with conditions; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by this Board on March 14, 1985; and

- That proper posting, publication and public notice was provided as required by law for the hearings before the Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County.
- That the hearings before the Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners were extensive and complete, that all pertinent facts, matters and issues were submitted and that all interested parties were heard at those hearings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the waiver of a plat notation, stating that all lots in this subdivision will be utilized for hangars and tie-down areas, on Lot 3, Block 1, Meadow Lake Airport Filing #2, El Paso County, as recorded in Book C-3, at Page 2 of the records of the El Paso County Clerk and Recorder be approved;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following condition shall be placed upon this approval:

 No Certificate of Occupancy will be issued until adequate signage is developed and installed. Said signs shall clearly identify and designate the roadways versus the taxiways.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the recommendations of the El Paso County Planning Commission be adopted.

DONE THIS 14th day of March, 1985, at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

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THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF EL PASO_COUNTY, COLORADO

ATTEST:

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Deputy County C.Verk

Commissioner Morrison seconded the adoption of the foregoing Resolution. The roll having been called, the vote was as follows:

Commissioner	Whittemore	aye
Commissioner	Klotz	aye
Commissioner	Morrison	aye
Commissioner	Meier	aye
Commissioner	Harris	aye

The Resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of El Paso, State of Colorado. STATE OF COLORADO)) ss. COUNTY OF EL PASO)

I, Ardis W. Schmitt, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners in and for the County of El Paso, State of Colorado, do certify that the foregoing Resolutions wereopied from the record of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners for said El Paso County, under date of March 14, 1985

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County at Colorado Springs, Colorado, this 25th day of March, 1985.



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Deputy

HELEN CONOVER - REZONE

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A request by Helen Conover and others for approval of a zone change from A-3/OA-G (Agricultural with general aviation overlay zone) to R-4 (Planned Unit Development with the general aviation overlay zone). The property consists of 210.5 acres and is located near the southeast intersection of Judge Orr Road and Highway 24.

PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION: The petition was unanimously approved at the October 19th meeting.

SPEAKING FOR: Petitioner was present (Gary Conover)

SPEAKING AGAINST: Margaret Davis (my adjacent 2 lots should also be R-4 if this goes through) and Dennis Walter (against commercial uses).

PUBLIC NOTICE: The property was posted on November 9, 1981.

- PUBLIC NOTIFICATION: Letters were mailed to adjacent property owners notifying them of the applicant's intent on October 23, 1981. Of the seven (7) notified, 2 were in favor and one against. The negative vote related to the rezoning of the westerly lots because of the fear that this might diminish the property value of adjacent lots.
- APPLICATION HISTORY: Meadow Lake Estates #1 was recorded on January 13, 1966 and a portion of the subdivision was vacated on September 23 of the same year. On October 20, 1970, a 195.88 acre subdivision was recorded under the title Meadow Lake Airport #1. A vacation of this subdivision occurred on November 2, 1972, and a vacation of the interior lot lines for lots 9 through 20, block 1 (consisting of 2.78 acres) was recorded on October 7, 1980.

On February 6, 1973, Meadow Lake Estates #2, consisting of 130.27 acres, was recorded. On July 25, 1973, lots 18 and 19, block 3, were combined from the Meadow Lake Estates #1 subdivision. On October 30, 1975, Meadow Lake Airport #2 was recorded, a site consisting of 18.45 acres. In April of this year, a request was submitted by the Conovers for a hearing for Meadow Lake Airport #3; however, after discussion, the applicant agreed to postpone the individual subdivision request in preference to creating and seeking approval of a Sketch Plan to guide the overall development of the area. Note that the Sketch Plan submitted includes portions of previous filings of Meadow Lake Airport #1 and #2 as well as Meadow Lake Estates #1. The Sketch Plan was approved for the entire 700+ acres on August 19, 1981. This zoning request and accompanying preliminary plan are in unison with the approved Sketch Plan.

The property is currently zoned A-3 (Agricultural) with an OA-G (General Aviation Overlay) to permit various airport related functions (see attached excerpts from the Land Development Code).

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ADJACENT LAND USE AND ZONING

	WEST	Residential/Vacant	A-3/OA-G & A-4
. '.	EAST	Residential/Vacant	A-3/0A-C
	SOUTH	Vacant	A-4 & A-3/0A-G
	NORTH	Vacant	Unzoned

- THE 1990 LAND USE PLAN originally depicted this area of the County as agricultural; however, as previously mentioned, the Sketch Plan approved on 8/19/81 amended that use designation.
- THE MINERAL RESOURCES MASTER PLAN indicates that the area is on the perimeter of potential sand and fine aggregate deposits.
- LAND USE DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION: We recommend that the Board adopt the action, findings, and conclusions of the Planning Commission.

It should be noted that the applicant(s) has continually sought assistance from the Land Use Department in administering the airportoriented activities in the most desirable fashion. In light of the already developed portions of the site, and in order to provide maximum flexibility for the everchanging needs of a specialized subdivision such as this, the staff feels that the Planned Unit Development zone is most appropriate.

ENCLOSURES:

Vicinity Maps Letter of Intent and Pertinent Data Sheets Development Plan Legal Description Summary Maps Copy of R-4 zone text Copy of OA-G overlay text Planning Commission Resolution

September 4, 1981

LETTER OF INTENT

REZONING REQUEST

MEADOW LAKE AIRPORT

Everett R. Conover President

Helen Conover and other owners as listed in Exhibit I.

200 acres

210

Twelve miles North East of Colorado Springs near the intersection

As shown on the Airport Development Plan, 15 of the

and septic facilities are found at the Airport. A system of private

Location:

Owners:

Acres:

of U.S. Hwy. 24 and Judge Orr Road. 65 Runways 69 acres Platted Lots 70 Proposed Lots 70 75

Present Zoning: A-3 * OA-G (General Aviation Overlay).

Proposed Zoning: R-4 (Planned Unit Development) * OA-G.

Total Acres

Raymond C. Renneberger Vice-President



previously platted lots or separate ownerships have improvements. An aircraft runway, steel hangars, canopies, tie-downs, a ranch barn, pole shed, various areas of pavement, fuel tanks, and water

Improvements:

Linda C-Renneberger Treasurer

Submittals:

Rezoning Petition Exhibit I: Airport property owners Letter of Intent Airport Plot Plan Boundary Description Airport Development Plan Plan of Future Development Road Maintenance Plan

road easements services each lot.

William A. Hampton Secretary

Meadow Lake Airport Development Corporation P. O. Box 75, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901 (303) 635-2505

Everett R. Conover President



Raymond C. Renneberger Vice-President



Treasurer

William A. Hampton Secretary

El Paso County continues to attract significant numbers of people with aviation interests. We expect that recreational and small business aircraft will become increasingly popular. We also expect that requests will continue for airport related land uses on properties surrounding the Meadow Lake Airport Landing Strip.

During discussions between the Land Use Department and the developer, it was agreed that many present and proposed land uses on properties as shown on the Meadow Lake Sketch Plan are not adequately addressed under the A-3 zone. Although the OA-G overlay zone allows airport related land uses, developmental requirements of the A-3 zone concerning minimum lot size, building set backs. privately maintained roads, percentage of structural coverage and certain business activities impose unrealistic restraints on efficient development at the airport. Representatives of the Land Use Department suggested that rezoning the airport, probably to R-4, would result in a more orderly expansion.

Land in the R-4 zone will be restricted to airport related uses. Specifically prohibited is residential use. The Airport Plot Plan shows a 65 acre runway system (90% complete), 76 acres of platted lots (40% have improvements) and 75 unplatted acres where the developer proposes to plat and sell building sites ranging in size between 0.3 acre and 2½ acres. In Table I we have shown current use as a percentage of improved acreage (about 90 acres) and expected land use as a percentage of total proposed R-4 acreage.

The R-4 zone was established to provide a greater variety of principal and accessory uses in the development of land and to address the advantages resultant from technological change. While primarily a residential zoning, all commercial uses outlined in the PBP zone are permitted. Repair shops, warehouses (for example airplane hangars), offices, stores, restaurants, gas pumps and other commercial uses that generally require free-standing structures Linda C. Rennebergerand/or substantial outdoor storage facilities are principal permitted uses of the PBP zone.

Meadow Lake Airport Development Corporation P. O. Box 75, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901 (303) 635-2505

Development Plan Future Development Meadow Lake Airport

This letter describes site improvements which may be expected as expansion and improvement continue at Meadow Lake Airport. The developer sells only platted lots or platted tracts of unimproved land. All site improvements are constructed by purchasers to meet their specific and often unique needs.

Quite in contrast to most airports, the Meadow Lake air strip is private and exists only for the enjoyment of members of the Airport Association. Use of the air park facilities is also extended to persons leasing hangar space, persons desiring to have aircraft seviced and home owners of certian residential lots surrounding the airport. An owner of land at the airport assumes responsibility for both construction and maintenance of the road and taxiway easements on his property. Thru membership in the Airport Association, he also assumes responsibility for improvement and maintenance of the runway system, some taxiways and certian common roads.

LAND USE

Table I shows the current land use as a percentage of improved acreage (about 90 acres) and expected land use as a percentage of total proposed R-4 acreage.

<u>Runways</u>: The main runway, diagonal taxiway, and cross-wind runway occupy 62 acres (or 30% of full development) and have been improved with asphalt paving (about 4200 ft. on the runway, 3000 ft on the taxiway) and landing lights. There are no plans to pave either to their platted distances of 5600 ft.

<u>Single Hangars</u>: Personal hangar ownerships currently comprise 5% of improved acreage. Currently there are "executive lots" as small as 75' * 130' (55' * 90' net of easements and set-backs) for the freestanding personal hangar. At Meadow Lake and other airports

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the airplane: condominium is gaining popularity. Economies of scale allow a larger building advantages over the single hangar. With this concept in mind, we expect single hangar ownership will increase to 25% of total acreage at full development.

<u>Rental Hangar</u>: Aircraft storage hangars and open field or canopied tie-downs will probably occupy as much as 25% of acreage at full development.

<u>Business</u>: Fixed Base Operators (FBO's) who offer a full line of airport services occupy 20% of present improved acreage. Because an airport can support only a few FBOs we expect the percentage at full development to be between 10% and 15%. FBO's offer fuel, repair, maintenance, sales, pilot training, airphane tie-downs, hangar space, automobile parking, information and possibly other airport assessory services. It is possible that certian functions provided by FBO's will draw competition from specialized repair and sales operations.

<u>Specialty</u>: Engine, propeller, paint, wood and dope, or parts businesses have already been proposed for Meadow Lake but as yet are not a reality. Airport related offices, resturants and a motel have also been discussed. Salvage operations, including out-side storage of wrecked or disabled aircraft may also be proposed.

BUILDINGS

Steel buildings dominate the existing structures. While we expect future development will be along the same line, domes, wood and fabric structures, block structures and portable metal and plastic individual T-hangars may appear.

Some building variances occur which are unique to airport structures. Door size and design, height restrictions and building orientation dictated by weather patterns or easement configuration may create problems. Since we have already encountered and solved these problems in the past their impact is expected to be minor.

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DEVELOPMENTAL CONTROL

Platted easements for private roads and taxiways, platted building restriction lines, FAA mandated height restrictions, Plat Notes and building set-backs imposed by the Architectural Control Committee of the Airport Association provide the foundation for developmental control at the airport. The <u>Airport Association</u>, whose regular members are all land owners on the airport, obtains funds from land sales, fuel over-rides, rental tie-downs and hangar fees and membership dues. External appearance and building set-backs are controlled by the Association. We have enclosed a copy of the amended Article V Section 2 of the By-Laws of the Association concerning the Architectural Control Committee.

<u>Signs</u> shall meet the requirements of the El Paso Land Development Code.

PARKING & LANDSCAPING

Parking around business operations shall meet the requirements of the Land Development Code. Parking for personal hangars, rental hangars and tie-downs should never pose a problem because users park their car in the space vacated by the aircraft.

The Soil Conservation Service has provided a reclamation plan for disturbed areas at Meadow Lake Airport. Our development plan does not require landscaping of building sites. Most landscaping, in fact, is not recommended due both to the necessity of free space for wing clearances and weather conditions.

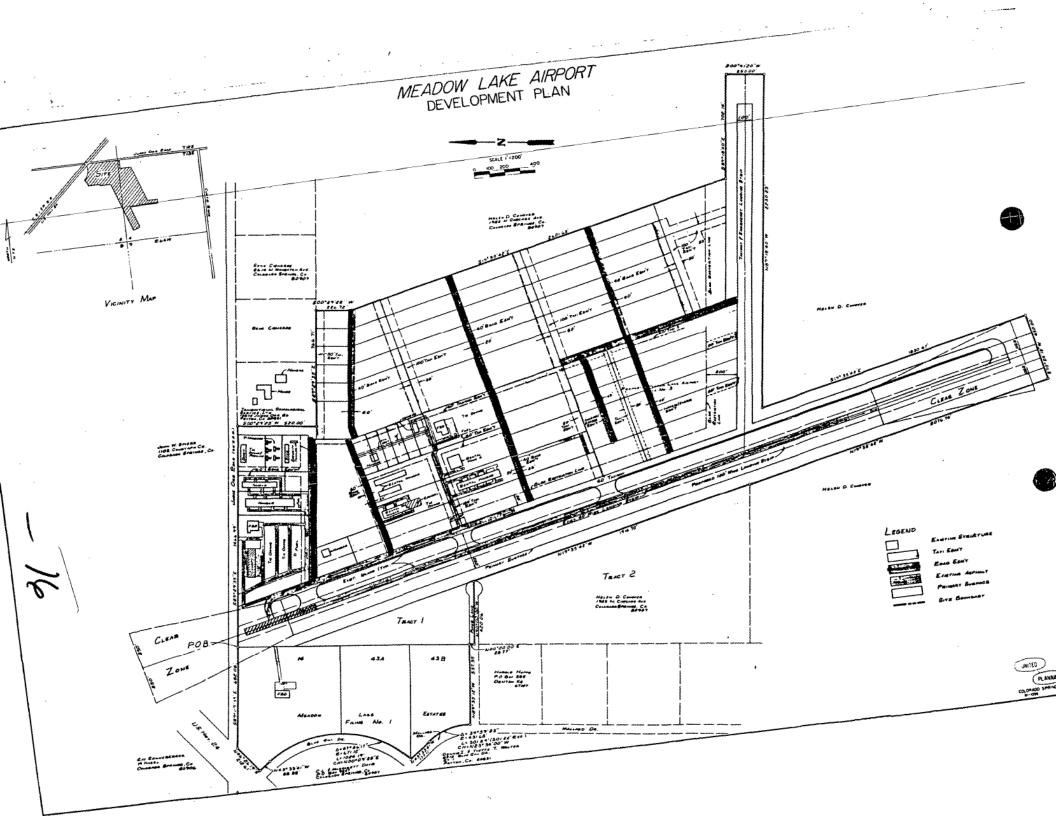
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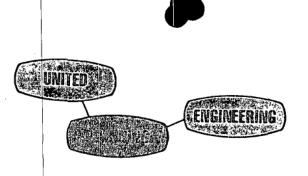
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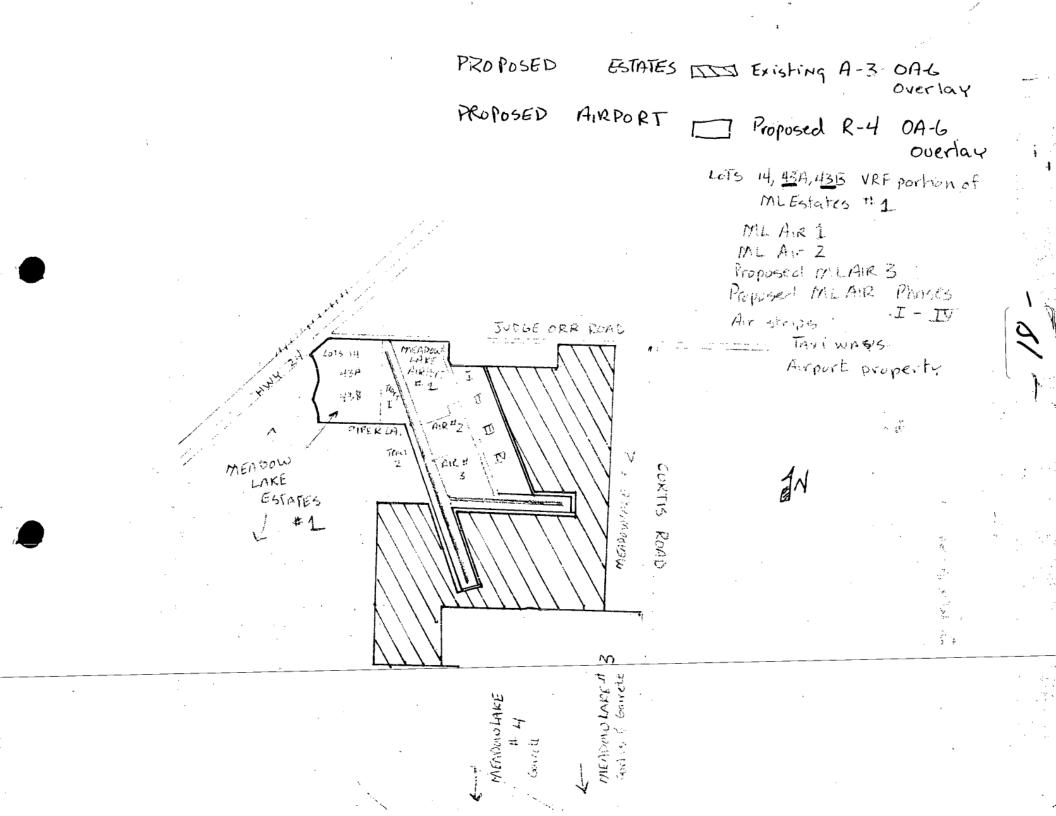
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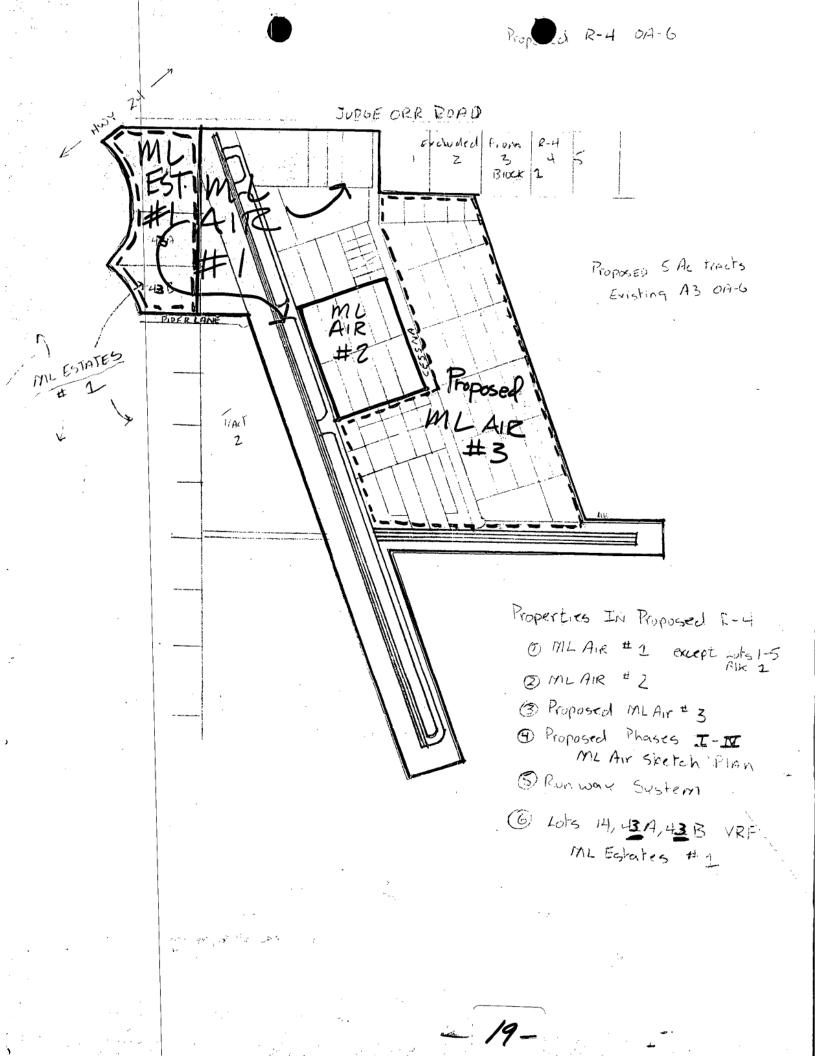
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SECTION 17

PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (R-4)

A. PURPOSE

This district is established to provide more flexibility and latitude of design; to provide for a greater variety of principal and accessory uses in the development of land; to address the advantages resultant from technological change; and, to encourage initiative and creative development of parks, recreation areas, and open space.

B. PERMITTED PRINCIPAL USES

 Dwelling, single (1 family)
Dwelling, duplex (2 family)
Dwelling, multi family (3 or more units)

- 4. Condominiums, Townhouses
- 5. Commercial uses as outlined in PBP zone
- C. USES REQUIRING SPECIAL APPROVAL (SPECIAL USES)

Industrial Uses as outlined in the PID zone (allowed only in conjunction with one or more principal permitted uses).

- D. ACCESSORY USES AND BUILDINGS
 - 1. Please refer to Section 35.1.
 - 2. Home Occupations.
- E. DEVELOPMENT REQUIREMENTS
 - Setback Requirements: The front, rear and side yard setback requirements shall be measured from the exterior boundaries of the district.
 - a. Front yard: The front yard setback shall be no less than the minimum setback required by the most restrictive adjoining zoning district to which the front yard of the proposed R-4 zone is adjacent. This setback shall be indicated on the plot plan.
 - b. Side yard: The side yard setback shall be no less than the minimum setback required by the most restrictive adjoining zoning district to which the side yard of the proposed R-4 zone is adjacent. This setback shall be indicated on the plot plan.
 - c. Rear yard: The reare yard setback shall be no less than the minimum setback required by the most restrictive adjoining zoning district to which the rear yeard of the proposed R-4 zone is adjacent. This setback shall be indicated on the plot plan.

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- 2. Maximum structural height: Forty (40) feet.
- 3. Minimum size: An R-4 district shall be approved only on a tract of land proposed to be developed for five (5) or more dwelling units or which is two (2) acres or larger.
- F. PETITION PROCEDURE

The petition procedure followed shall be that required for review of a zone change. Minimal submittal requirements shall include:

- 1. A submittal conforming to the requirements for rezoning.
- 2. A submittal conforming to the requirements for preliminary plan.
- 3. A submittal conforming to the requirements for special use approval (if applicable).
- A submittal conforming to the requirements for final plats (if applicable).
- 5. A submittal conforming to the requirements for plot plans.
- G. PLAT

Prior to the approval of a building permit, a submittal conforming to the requirements for preliminary plans shall be submitted. In cases in which multi-family units, condominiums, townhouses, or separation of a parcel into lots or separate interests are contemplated; a submittal conforming to the requirements for final plats shall be required, in addition to the preliminary plat submittal.

H. PLOT PLAN

A plot plan conforming to the requirements for plot plans shall be submitted with the zoning petition. The plot plan shall show all uses, densities, setbacks, and other relevant information. In cases in which the proposal is modified subsequent to approval, the petition shall submit a revised plot plan to the Land Use Department for review. In cases in which a parcel has been zoned R-4 prior to the adoption of these regulations, a plot plan shall be submitted prior to issuance of a building permit.

 Administrative approval of the plot plan shall constitute general approval of the land use, density, and design, subject to approval of preliminary and final plats. Approval of use, density, and design is an administrative procedure and shall be predicated on the ability of the proposal to meet the requirements and spirit of the El Paso County Land Use Guidelines and subdivision design and performance standards.

I. MAINTENANCE PLAN

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In cases in which maintenance of roads, common areas, open space, or facilities normally maintained by public entities are proposed to be maintained by homeowners associations, or other nongovernmental bodies, the applicant shall submit a maintenance plan conforming to the requirements of Section 38.

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J. OFF-STREET PARKING REQUIREMENTS

Please refer to Section 35.3.

K. PERMITTED SIGNS

Please refer to Section 35.4.

L. EXCEPTIONS TO NORMAL DEVELOPMENT REQUIREMENTS

In cases in which strict adherence to standard development requirements would act to defeat the intent and purposes of this zone, the Board may waive or modify certain development requirements. In such cases, the burden of proof for showing that the proposed standards perform the functions required in an adequate manner shall be on the petitioner.

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M. STANDARDS FOR REVIEW

The Land Use Administrator shall utilize the standards set forth in the El Paso County Land Development Guidelines and in Section 43.1 "Development Regulations" of the subdivision regulations in reviewing and approving density, use, and design features in the plot plan and letter of intent.

SECTION 28

AIRPORT - GENERAL AVIATION DISTRICT (OA-G)

A. PURPOSE

This resolution creates a zone which shall apply to airports utilizing non-instrument runways for general aviation purposes.

B. USES

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No building or land shall be used and no building shall hereafter be erected, converted, or structurally altered unless otherwise provided herein, except for one or more of the following uses:

- 1. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this zone, no use may be made of land within any zone established by this resolution in such a manner as to create electrical interference with radio communication between the airport and aircraft, make it difficult for flyers to distinguish between airport lights and others, result in glare in the eyes of flyers using the airport, impair visibility in the vicinity of the airport or otherwise endanger tha landing, taking off, or maneuvering of aircraft.
- 2. <u>Airport Zone</u>: Within the area designated as the Airport Zone, only the following zones are established provided said zones are established in conformance with the basic policies of the County's Comprehensive Plan:

а.	A-3 Farming District	е.	PBP (Planned Business
Ъ.	R-4 Planned Unit Development		Park District)
c.	PID (Planned Industrial	f.	PBC (Planned Business
	District)		Center District)
d.	NBP (Neighborhood Business	g٠	PHID (Planned Heavy
	Park District)		Industrial District)

- 3. ADDITIONAL USES SHALL BE PERMITTED
 - a. Airfields and landing strips.
 - b. Airport terminals, related supporting facilities
 - c. Hangars and tie-down facilities
 - d. Navigation instruments and aids
 - e. Aviation control towers
 - f. Aircraft maintenance facilities
 - g. Aero club facilities

The heights of structures and trees within the Airport Zone shall be limited to the height as defined in the Primary Surface, the Approach Clearance Surfaces, and the Transitional Surfaces.

4. NON-CONFORMING USES

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a. <u>Regulations Not Retroactive</u>: The regulations prescribed by this resolution shall not be construed to require the removal, lowering or other changes or alteration of any structure or tree not conforming to the regulations as to the effective date of this regulation, or otherwise interefere with the continuance of any nonconforming use.

Nothing herein contained shall require any change in the construction, alteration, or intended use of any structure, the construction or alteration of which was begun prior to the effective date of this regulation, and is diligently prosecuted.

- b. <u>Marking and Lighting</u>: Notwithstanding the preceeding provision of this section, the owner of any nonconforming structure or tree is hereby required to permit the installation, operation, and maintenance thereon of such markers and lights as shall be deemed necessary by the El Paso County Planning Commission to indicate to the operators of aircraft in the vicinity of the airport, the presence of such airport hazards. Such markers and lights shall be installed, operated, and maintained at the expense of the airport owner.
- c. Existing Airports: Nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect or regulate the operation of airports that have been given prior county approval. Such airports shall have one year from the date of this resolution to petition for this airport zone to apply to present boundaries despite nonconformance with the regulations set forth herein. However, should such presently existing airports extend existing runways or create new runways full compliance with the terms of this zone shall be required. Failure to petition for such change shall render such airports subject to all the rules and regulations affecting nonconforming uses.

DEFINITIONS

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As used in this zone, unless the context otherwise requires:

- 1. <u>Airport</u>: Means a place on land or water where aircraft may land to discharge or receive cargo and passengers, make repairs or take on fuel. The runways are not instrumented for operations under instrument flight rules conditions and runways shall not be longer than 7000 feet.
- 2. <u>Airport Elevation</u>: Means the established elevation of the airport above Mean Sea Level (MSL).
- 3. <u>Airport Hazard</u>: Means any structure, tree or use of land which obstructs the airspace required for, or is otherwise hazardous to, the flight of aircraft in landing or taking off at the airport.

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- 4. <u>Airport Reference Point</u>: Means a point established as the approximate geographic center of the airport landing area and so designated on the airport zoning map.
- 5. <u>Datum Plane</u>: Means a horizontal plane or surface which includes the surface point of the airport elevation at mean sea level.
- 6. <u>Height</u>: For the purpose of determining the height limits in all zones and shown on the zoning map, the datum shall be mean sea level elevation unless otherwise specified.
- Landing Area: Means the area of the airport used for the landing, taking off or taxiing of aircraft.
- 8. <u>Runway</u>: Means the hard surface of the Airport Landing Area used primarily for the landing and taking off of aircraft.
- 9. Instrument Runway: A runway equipped or to be equipped with a precision electronic navigation aid or other landing aids or other air navigational facilities suitable to permit the landing of aircraft by an instrument approach under restricted visibility conditions.
- 10. <u>Non-Instrument Runway</u>: Means a runway other than an instrument runway.
- 11. <u>Structure</u>: Means an object constructed or installed by man, including, but without limitation, buildings, towers, smokestacks, overhead transmission lines, etc.
- D. ADDITIONAL SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

The petition shall contain the following items:

- A map or diagram showing the area to be rezoned, indicating the Primary Surface, the Approach Clearance Surface and the Transitional Surface.
- 2. A map or diagram showing existing and/or proposed runways, giving their dimensions and locations as they relate to the legal boundaries of the area proposed to be zoned.
- 3. Airport Reference Point, as to its elevation, location relative to latitude and longitude and located with reference to section corners or quarter corners.
- 4. Centerline profiles of the runway(s).
- 5. Evidence that the Federal Aviation Administration has been notified regarding application for approval of airspace.

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ZONE CHANGE (Approved)

Commissioner Campbell moved that the following Resolution be adopted:

BEFORE THE PLANNING COMMISSION

OF THE COUNTY OF EL PASO

STATE OF COLORADO

RESOLUTION NO. R4-81-5

WHEREAS, Helen Conover and others did file a petition with the Land Use Department of El Paso County on or about September 4, 1981 to rezone the herein described property in El Paso County from A-3/OA-G (Agricultural with general aviation overlay zone) to R-4 (Planned Unit Development with the general aviation overlay zone) District; and

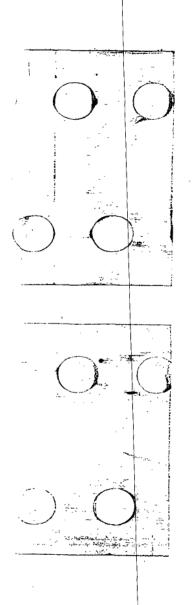
WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by this Commission on October 19, 1981; and

WHEREAS, based on the evidence, testimony, exhibits, study of the master plan for the unincorporated area of the county, comments of the El Paso County Land Use Department, comments of public officials and agencies, and comments from all interested parties, this Commission finds as follows:

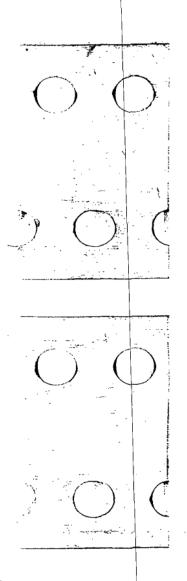
- 1. That proper posting, publication and public notice was provided as required by law for the hearing before the Planning Commission.
- 2. That the hearing before the Planning Commission was extensive and complete, that all pertinent facts, matters and issues were submitted and that all interested parties were heard at that hearing.
- 3. That the proposed zoning is in compliance with the recommendations set forth in the master plan for the unincorporated area of the county.
- 4. That the proposed land use will be compatible with existing and permitted land uses in all directions.
- 5. That the proposed land use does not permit the use of any area containing a commercial mineral deposit in a manner which would interfere with the present or future extraction of such deposit by an extractor.
- 6. That for the above-stated and other reasons, the proposed zoning is in the best interest of the health, safety, morals, convenience, order, prosperity and welfare of the citizens of El Paso County.
- 7. That changing conditions clearly require amendment to the Zoning Resolutions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the petition of Helen Conover and others for a zone change from A-3/OA-G (Agricultural with general aviation overlay zone) to R-4 (Planned Unit Development with the general aviation overlay zone) District for the following described unincorporated area of El Paso County be approved:

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following conditions shall be placed upon this approval:

None

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution and the recommendations contained herein be forwarded to the Board of County Commissioners for its consideration.

Commissioner Petterson seconded the adoption of the foregoing Resolution. The roll having been called, the vote was as follows:

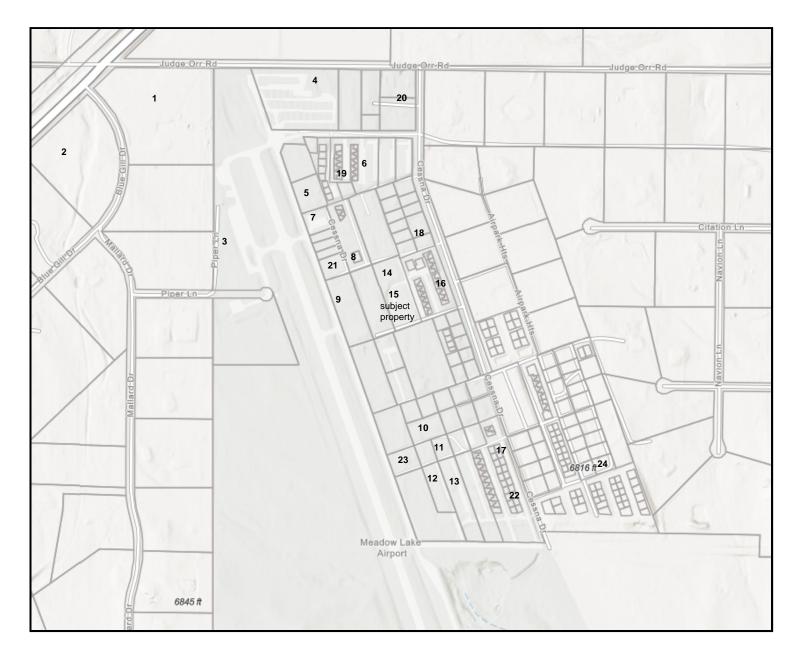
Commissioner	Campbell	aye
Commissioner	Petterson	aye
Commissioner	Smith	aye
Commissioner	Woodward	aye
Commissioner	Haase	aye
Commissioner	Miles	aye
Commissioner	Berge	aye
Commissioner	McIntire	aye
Commissioner	Field	aye
Commissioner	Tregarthen	aye

The Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote of 10 to 0 by the Planning Commission of the County of El Paso, State of Colorado.

DATED: October 19, 1981

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MEADOW LAKE AIRPORT COMMERCIAL USES



				Associated EPC
	Business Name	Type of Business	Zoning	Approval
		Commercial Vehicle		
1	Tire King of Falcon	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, EA1938
2	Smith Farms	Agritainment	RR-5	AL184, PPR1818
3	EAA Chapter 72	Experimental Aircraft	PUD/GA-O	PUD07009
4	Springs Aviation	Flight School	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, AASI222
		Airplane		
5	Freeflight Composites	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, EX121
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6	Colorado Springs	Flight School	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Airplane		
7	Pearce Aircraft	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, PNW94001
		Airplane		
8	Avionics Upgrades	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Commercial Vehicle		
9	GZ Customs	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
	Structural Steel			
	Solutions and			
10	Fabrication	Light Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
	Falcon Ultralight	Airplane Repair/ Flight		
	Mechanic and Instructor		R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, R497004
12	Verlin's Aviation	Flight School	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Commercial Vehicle		
	Pro Trans Plus	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
	Blue Line Print & Design	Sign Shop	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, PNW85001
	Precision Repair Works	Contractor Equipment		
	Inc.	Yard	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, PNW85001
16	Walker Metal Works	Light Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
		Airplane		D 4040057
17	RV Builder	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z
40	Acquiring	Commercial Vehicle		D49100E7 14045
	Accufix	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, VA245
	Hangar Open Parformanco	Commercial Vehicle		R481005Z, R497006, VR0006
	Performance First Logistov	Repair Garage	R-4/GA-O	
20	First Logistex	Battery Company	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, VA97006
04	Zobra Productions	Contractor Equipment		R481005Z, V96007, R497003
21	Zebra Productions	Yard	R-4/GA-O	
00	Window Woll Covere	Contractor Equipment		R481005Z, R498004,
	Window Well Covers	Yard	R-4/GA-O	PPR00003
	Gene Kear Aircraft	Airplane Beneir/Menufecturing	P 4/CA O	D4910057 D496015
23	Painting	Repair/Manufacturing	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z, R486015
	Votoron Towing	Contractor Equipment		D4910057
24	Veteran Towing	Yard	R-4/GA-O	R481005Z