

**Planning Board Item III – GENERAL PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION (Z19-14)**

**General Rezoning Application Z19-14**

Request: To rezone property parcel 135133 from the (R-1) Single Family Limited Zoning District with (US) Urban Standards Overlay to the (C-1) Light Commercial Zoning District with (US) Urban Standards Overlay

Applicant(s): Tammy S. Schronce

Property Owner(s): Tammy S. Schronce

Mailing Address of Applicant: 2408 Mallotte Ln., Gastonia, NC 28054

**Site Information and Description of Area**

General Location: 1425 Lowell Spencer Mountain Rd. (Gastonia)

Parcel ID(s): 135133

Total Property Acreage: 2.63 ac

Acreage for Map Change: 2.63 ac

Current Zoning District(s): (R-1) Single Family Limited, (US) Urban Standards Overlay

General Area Zoning District(s): (R-1) Single Family Limited, (C-1) Light Commercial) (US) Urban Standards Overlay

**Zoning District Information**

**Current Zoning District:**

**(R-1) Single Family Limited** – The purpose of this district is to accommodate single family site built and modular construction. The minimum lot size allowed in this district will be dependent on the provision of public or community water and sewer facilities. Although areas may be served with such utilities, most of these areas are located beyond existing or anticipated utility service coverage areas. The minimum lot size for residential uses in this district is therefore larger than in other residential zoning districts.

**(USO) Urban Standards Overlay District** – Areas of the County which are located outside their corporate limits and/or municipal Extra Territorial Jurisdiction (ETJ) but where the provision of public water and sewer services can reasonably be expected to occur over the next 10-15 years, have been designated as the “Urban Standards Overlay District”.

Accordingly, standards for development, more akin to those that traditionally are found in urban areas, as opposed to rural areas, are called for. Standards addressed, but not limited to: building design, off-street parking, road, lot and subdivision standards.

**Note:** If any portion of the subject property is within the USO, then the entire property shall be developed in accordance with USO standards.

**Proposed Zoning District:**

**(C-1) Light Commercial** – The C-1 Light Commercial District is designed to accommodate a large variety of retail uses designed to meet the needs of individual neighborhoods, or other relatively small geographic areas. Stores and shopping complexes are therefore relatively small in size and are designed to be compatible and integrated with adjoining residential neighborhoods. This zoning district is not intended to accommodate retail uses which attract persons from outside the neighborhood or which attract large numbers of passing motorists.

**(CH) Corridor Highway Overlay District** – (as described above)

**(USO) Urban Standards Overlay District** – (as described above)

### **Comprehensive Land Use Plan (Small Area District)**

#### **Area 3: Riverfront Gaston / Northeast Gaston**

Key issues for citizens in this area include preservation of open space; road improvements and better connectivity to other areas of the County and throughout the region; increased job opportunities; maintaining the rural “feel” of the area; and, increased commercial opportunities.

Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use: Rural

It is staff’s opinion that the request *is consistent* with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

### **Technical Review Committee (TRC)**

The request was reviewed by the TRC for comment and general compliance with applicable regulations and provisions. The TRC is made up of various technical land use reviewing agencies such as North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT), Environmental Health, Gaston Cleveland Lincoln Metropolitan Planning Organization (GCLMPO), County Fire Marshall, et cetera, which review all land use proposals and site plans requiring Planning Board approval and/or public hearing process.

### **Notification**

Notice of public hearing was advertised in the Gaston Gazette in accordance with County policy.

### **Zoning Sign Placement**

October 9, 2019

### **Information Attached**

Rezoning application; zoning district uses (current and proposed); vicinity map, aerial map, zoning/subject area maps, and adjacent property map with property owner list.

### **Transportation Planning Information**

Provided by Gaston Cleveland Lincoln Metropolitan Planning Organization (GCLMPO)

### **Staff Contact**

Sarah Carpenter Penley, Development Services Planner, (704)866-3530 or [sarah.penley@gastongov.com](mailto:sarah.penley@gastongov.com)



# GASTON COUNTY

Department of Planning & Development Services

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## GENERAL REZONING APPLICATION

Application Number: **Z 19-14**

Applicant ☒

Planning Board (Administrative) ☐

Board of Commission (Administrative) ☐

ETJ ☐

### A. \*APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name of Applicant: Tammy S Schronce

(Print Full Name)

Mailing Address: 2408 Mallotte Ln, Gastonia, NC 28054

(Include City, State and Zip Code)

Telephone Numbers: (704)968-3948

(Area Code) Business

(Area Code) Home

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*\* If the applicant and property owner(s) are not the same Individual or group, the Gaston County Zoning Ordinance requires written consent form from the property owner(s) or legal representative authorizing the Rezoning Application. Please complete the Authorization/Consent Section on the reverse side of the application.*

### B. OWNER INFORMATION

Name of Owner: Tammy S Schronce

(Print Full Name)

Mailing Address: 2408 Mallotte Ln, Gastonia, NC 28054

(Include City, State and Zip Code)

Telephone Numbers: (704)968-3948

(Area Code) Business

(Area Code) Home

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### C. PROPERTY INFORMATION

Physical Address or General Street Location of Property: 1425 Lowell Spencer Mountain Rd (Gastonia)

Parcel Identification (PID): 135133

Acreage of Parcel: 2.63 +/- Acreage to be Rezoned: 2.63 +/- Current Zoning: (R-1)(US) Overlay

Current Use: Residential / Commercial Proposed Zoning: (C-1)(US) Light Commercial

### D. PROPERTY INFORMATION ABOUT MULTIPLE OWNERS

Name of Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(Include City, State and Zip Code)

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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code)

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code)

Parcel: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If Applicable)

Parcel: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If Applicable)

(Signature)

(Signature)

See Reverse Side For Completion of Additional Sections



## E. AUTHORIZATION AND CONSENT SECTION

(I/We), being the property owner(s) or heir(s) of the subject property referenced on the **Gaston County Rezoning Application** and having authorization/interest of property parcel(s) \_\_\_\_\_ hereby give \_\_\_\_\_ consent to execute this proposed action.  
(Name of Applicant)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public of the County of \_\_\_\_\_  
State of North Carolina, hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_  
personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.  
Witness my hand and notarial seal, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Commission Expiration

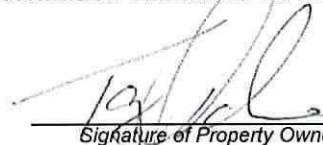
(I/We), also agree to grant permission to allow employees of Gaston County to enter the subject property during reasonable hours for the purpose of making **Zoning Review**.

Please be advised that an approved general rezoning does not guarantee that the property will support an on site wastewater disposal system (septic tank). Though a soil analysis is not required prior to a general rezoning submittal and/or approval, the applicant understands a chance exists that the soils may not accommodate an on site wastewater disposal system thus adversely limiting development choices/uses unless public utilities are accessible.

If the application is not fully completed, this will cause rejection or delayed review of the application. In addition, please return the completed application to the Planning and Development Services Department within the County Administrative Building located at 128 West Main Avenue, Gastonia, NC 28052.

## APPLICATION CERTIFICATION

(I/We), the undersigned being the property owner/authorized representative, hereby certify that the information submitted on the subject application and any applicable documents is true and accurate.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Property Owner or Authorized Representative

9/27/19  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Note: Approval of this request does not constitute a zoning permit. All requirements must be met within the UDO.*

### OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received: 09/27/2019

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Application Number: Z19-14

### OFFICE USE ONLY

Fee: \$500.00

Received by Member of Staff: SCP  
(Initials)

Date of Payment: 09/27/2019

Receipt Number: 00011039

☒ COPY OF PLOT PLAN OR AREA MAP  
☐ NOTARIZED AUTHORIZATION

☒ COPY OF DEED  
☒ PAYMENT OF FEE

Date of Staff Review: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Public Hearing: 11/12/2019

Planning Board Review: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Commissioner's Decision: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Mission Statement

Gaston County seeks to be among the finest counties in North Carolina. It will provide effective, efficient and affordable services leading to a safe, secure and healthy community, an environment for economic growth, and promote a favorable quality of life.



## Gaston County North Carolina

### Vicinity Map

Z19-14

#### Legend

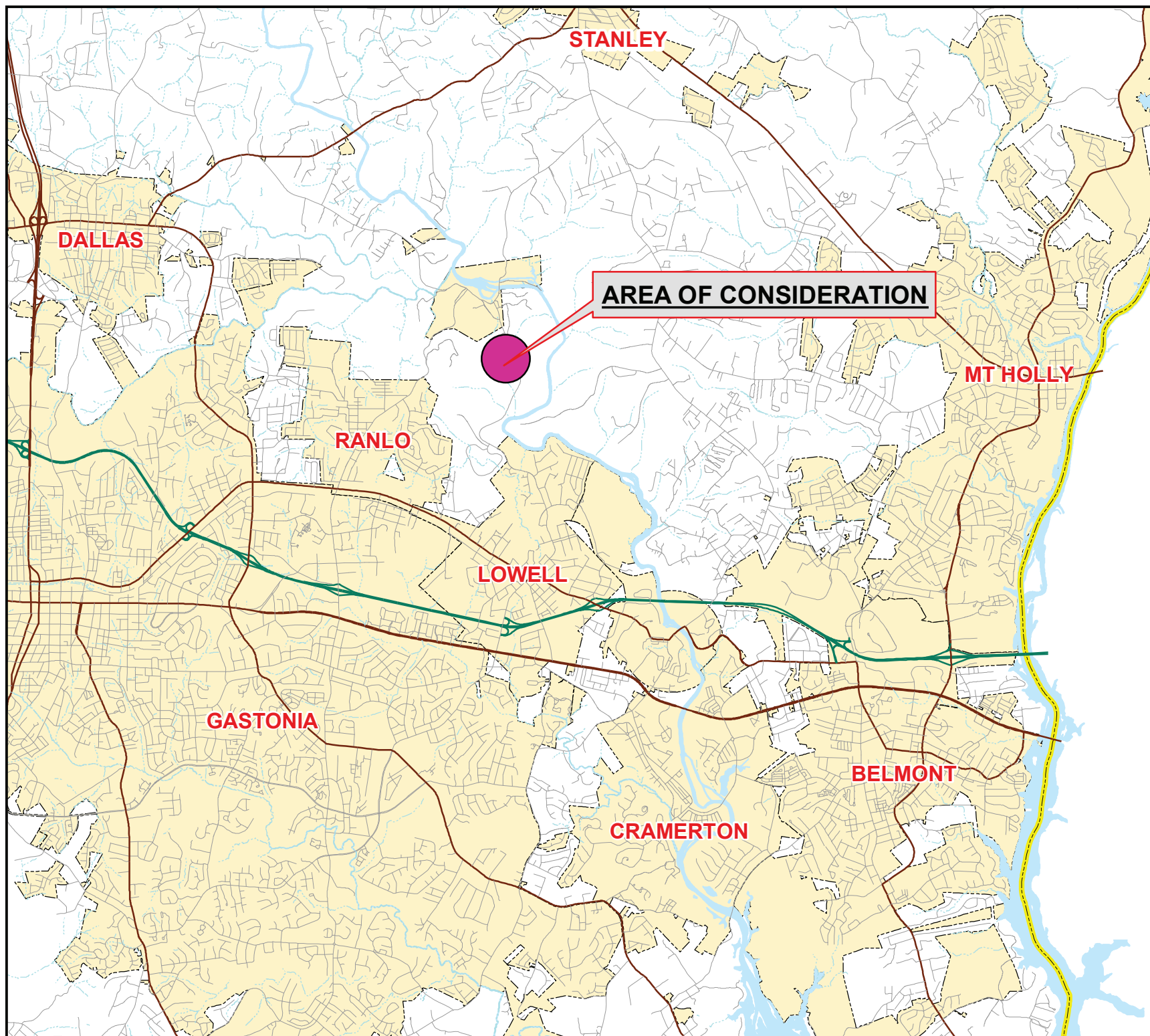
- Minor Roadways
- Major Roadways
- Area of Consideration
- Municipalities

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## Gaston County Overview Map

2018 Pictometry

Z19-14

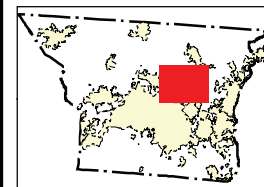
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Subject Area



Property Parcels



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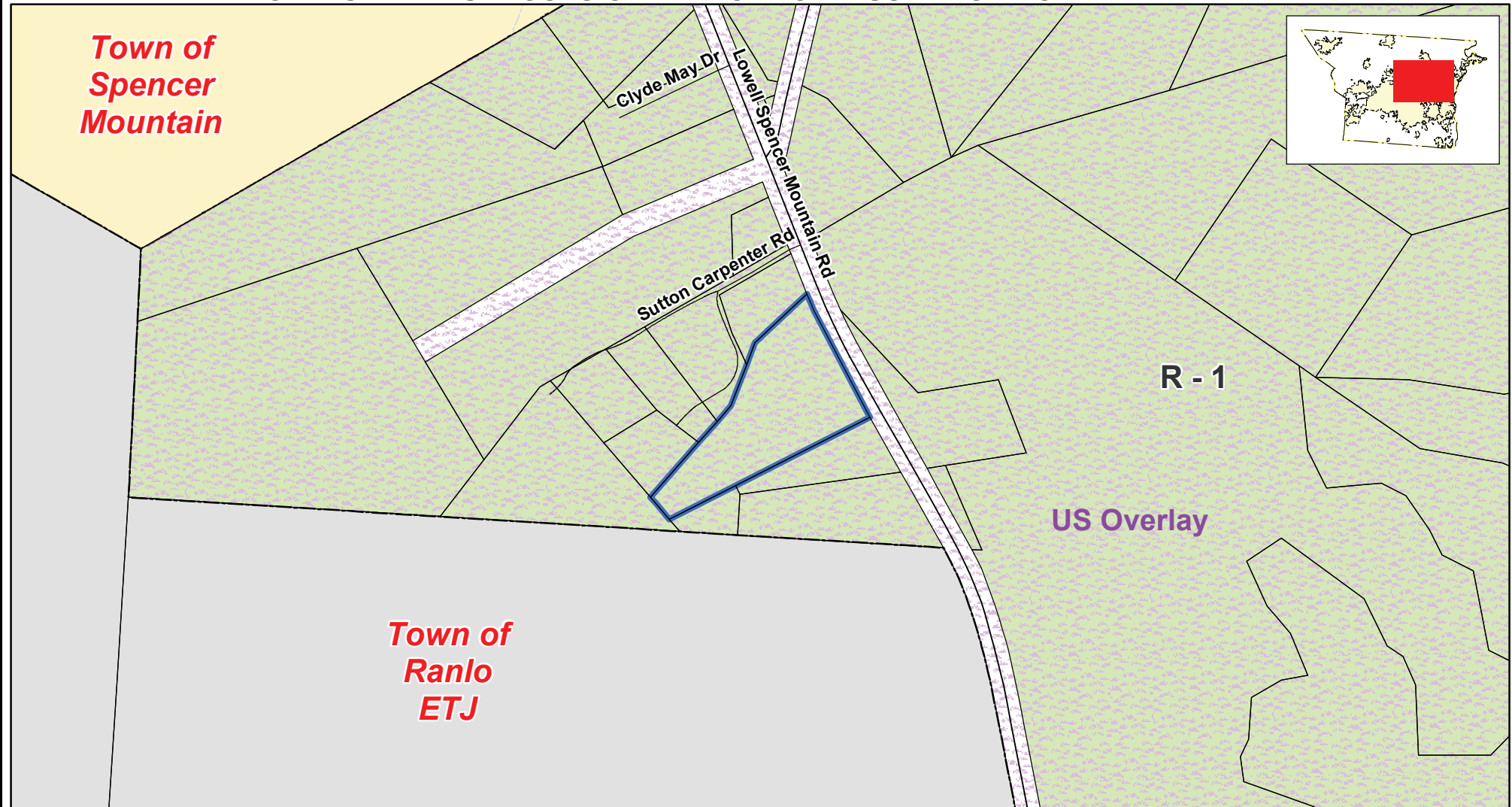
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


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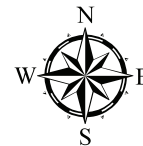
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## GASTON COUNTY ZONING REVIEW MAP

-  R-1 Single Family Limited
-  US Urban Standards Overlay
-  Area of Consideration

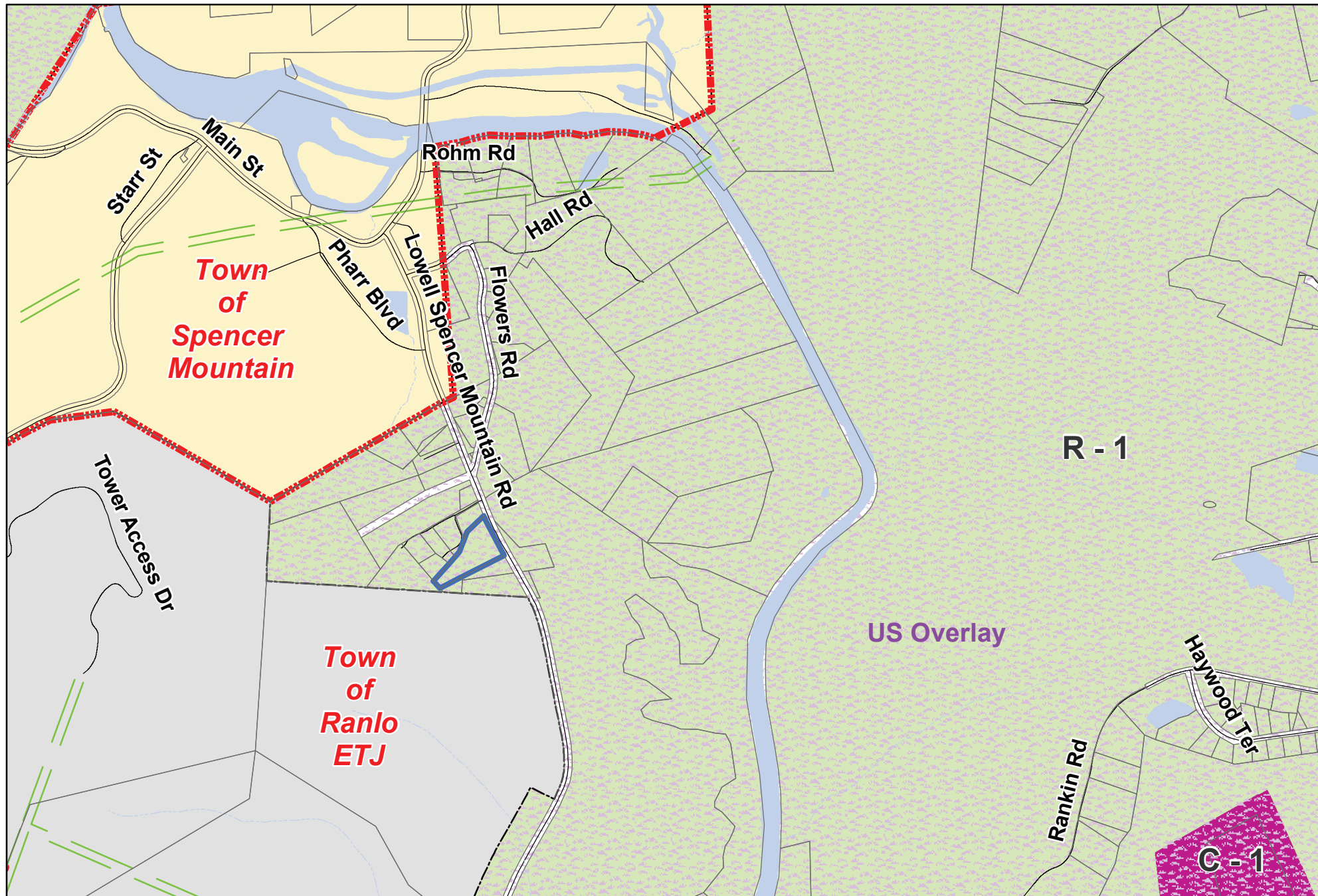


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Applicant: Z19-14  
Tax ID: 135133  
Request Re-Zoning From:  
(R-1) Single Family Limited  
w/ (US) Urban Standards Overlay  
To: (C-1) Light Commercial  
w/ (US) Urban Standards Overlay

Map Date: 10/01/2019

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# GASTON COUNTY Zoning Map

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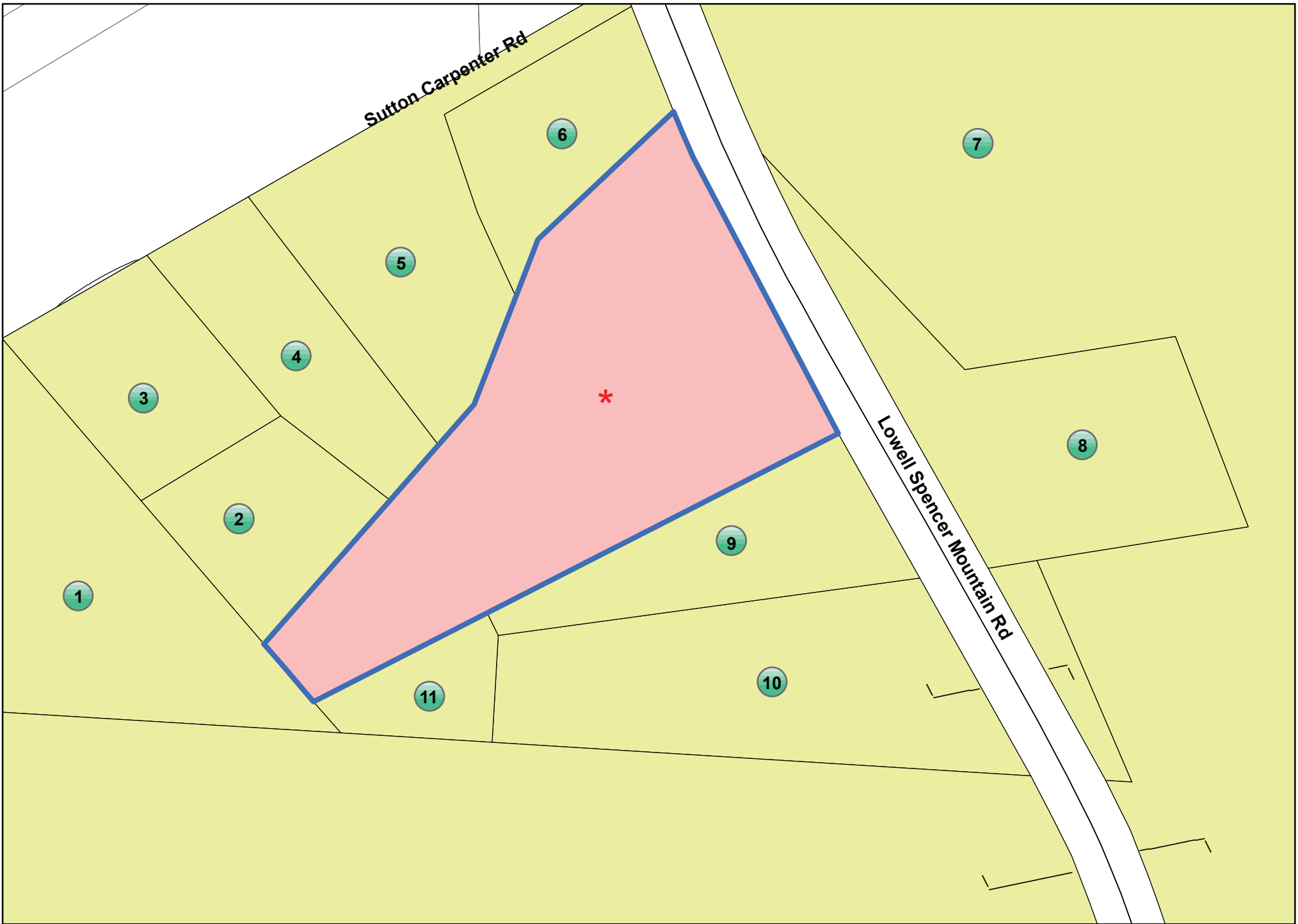
 Subject Area



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R-1 Single Family Limited  
C-1 Light Commercial  
US Urban Standards Overlay





**Z19-14 Subject and Adjacent Properties Map**  
See reverse side for listing of property owners



**Area of  
Consideration**

**Z19-14 Owner and Adjacent Property Listing**

<u>NO:</u>	<u>PARCEL</u>	<u>OWNER NAME</u>	<u>OWNER NAME 2</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>ZIP</u>
*	135133	SCHRONCE TAMMY S		2408 MALLOTTE LN	GASTONIA	NC	28054
1	135132	CARPENTER EUNICE H	SNYDER CATHY J	129 SUTTON CARPENTER RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
2	135140	MACCINI DIANNE		121 SUTTON CARPENTER RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
3	135131	CARPENTER EUNICE H	CARPENTER CATHY J	129 SUTTON CARPENTER RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
4	135139	SUTTON DONALD TERRY		109 SUTTON CARPENTER RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
5	135135	SUTTON DONALD TERRY		109 SUTTON CARPENTER RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
6	135138	MOORE RACHEL MANN		1429 LOWELL SPENCER MTN RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
7	202774	BELMONT LAND & INVESTMENT CO		PO BOX 1939	MCADENVILLE	NC	28101
8	210660	BELMONT LAND & INVESTMENT CO		PO BOX 1939	MCADENVILLE	NC	28101
9	135134	LITTLE JEFFREY A & SPOUSE	LITTLE JEFFREY A & OTHERS	1413 LOWELL SPENCER MTN RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
10	135141	DAVIS DANIEL A		1405 LOWELL SPENCER MTN RD	GASTONIA	NC	28056
11	135137	BARKER GAIL REDDICK		PO BOX 1627	LINCOLNTON	NC	28093



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## Memorandum

**To:** Sarah Carpenter Penley, Senior Planner, Subdivision Administrator, Gaston County Devpt of Planning & Devpt Services  
**From:** Julio Paredes, Planner, Gaston—Cleveland—Lincoln MPO  
**Date:** October 21, 2019  
**Subject:** Z19-14 Schronce—GCLMPO Comments

Thank you for the opportunity to provide transportation comments on a proposed site plan located within the Gaston-Cleveland-Lincoln Metropolitan Planning Organization (GCLMPO) geographic area. My comments are based on review of the proposed site plan in accordance with the adopted Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP), the adopted 2045 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP), and the current State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).

1. The proposed development is located at 1425 Lowell Spencer Mountain Rd, Gastonia, NC
  - A. The proposed development will not generate daily trips of significant concern to the adjacent roadway network.
  - B. According to the 2020-2029 STIP and the 2045 MTP, there are no planned transportation improvement projects in the immediate vicinity of this development.
  - C. The CTP does not show any future improvements on any streets adjacent to the subject properties.
  - D. Please note that any site plan that requires a driveway permit on an NCDOT roadway, or is adjacent to NCDOT roadways, the developer should work with NCDOT on any required driveway permits or any TIA requirements.

If you have any questions regarding my comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 704-866-6980 or [juliop@cityofgastonia.com](mailto:juliop@cityofgastonia.com).