Subject:

FW: case No Z-33-12-15

----Original Message----

From: chiaross65@yahoo.com [mailto:chiaross65@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, December 15, 2015 11:07 AM

To: Gerard, Pat; Justice, Charlie; Welch, Kenneth; Webadmin;

Morroni, John; Seel, Karen; Eggers, Dave

Subject: Re: case No Z-33-12-15

This information is the result of a Pinellas Online Customer Service form submission from the Pinellas County web site.

Comments—— I am the adjacent property owner of lot 29582 US 19 North. I found out through my neighbors that a meeting was held on Dec 10th to change the zoning of that property. I adamantly object to the proposed plans to convert that property into a collection center and driver's training center. I would like to meet with you voice my concerns.

My Name-- chia ross

My_Address-- 2291 ranchette lane

city-- dunedin

ZIP_code-- 34698

phone-- 7274584532

email chiaross65@yahoo.com

Commissioner Pat Gerard pgerard@pinellascounty.org Commissioner Charlie Justice cjustice@pinellascounty.org Commissioner Kenneth T Welch kwelch@pinellascounty.org Commissioner John Morroni jmorroni@pinellascounty.org Commissioner Karen Williams Seel kseel@pinellascounty.org Commissioner Dave Eggers deggers@pinellascounty.org

BCC 1-26-16

From:

BoardRecords

Sent:

Friday, January 08, 2016 1:54 PM

To:

Bachteler, James J

Subject:

FW: Mail Recd in regards to Z-33-12-15

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Bernie C. Young, AAS

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From: Vandenberg, Courtney

Sent: Friday, January 08, 2016 1:38 PM

To: BoardRecords

Cc: Board of County Commissioners Distribution Group

Subject: Mail Recd in regards to Z-33-12-15

Courtney Vandenberg

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From: Sent from BCCscanner@co.pinellas.fl.us [mailto:Sent from BCCscanner@co.pinellas.fl.us]

Sent: Friday, January 08, 2016 1:36 PM

To: Vandenberg, Courtney **Subject:** Message from KM_C454e

December 28, 2015

Commissioner Charlie Justice 315 Court St. Clearwater, Fl 33756

Commissioner Justice,

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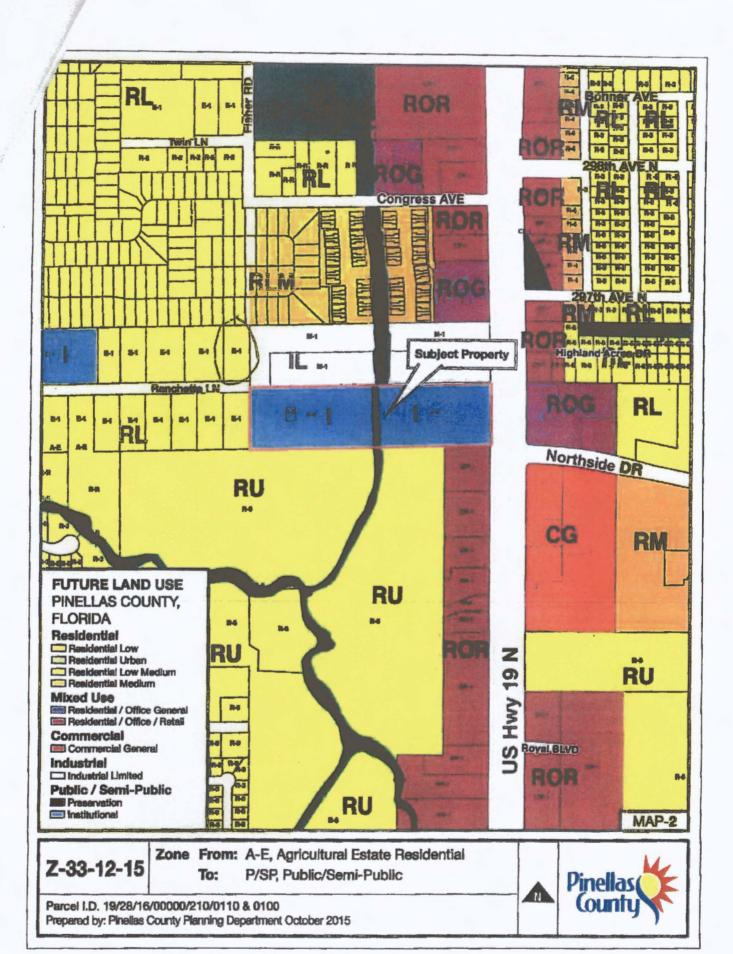
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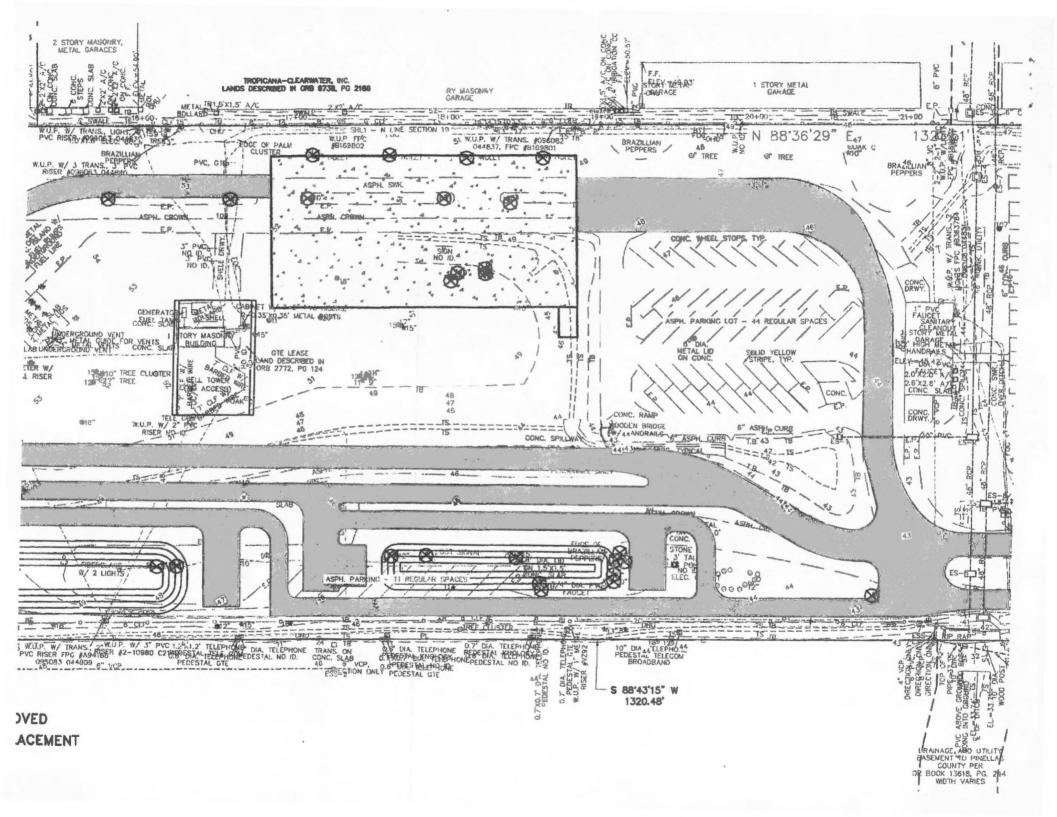
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From:

Greenleaf, Kim

Sent:

Monday, January 11, 2016 2:53 PM

To:

Frank

Cc:

Bailey, Glenn; Lyon, Blake G; BoardRecords

Subject:

RE: rezoning of the 10.3 acres at 29582 US Highway 19 North

Mr. Hernandez:

On behalf of Commissioner Eggers, thank you for your email. I will make sure that Commissioner Eggers sees your email prior to the 1/26th meeting. Because this is a zoning case, it is quasi-judicial in nature and the Commissioner cannot speak with or correspond with anyone (for or against the zoning) about this case as the Commissioners are considered the 'judges' in these types of cases. However, I will forward a copy of your email to our Zoning and Development Review Services departments for their consideration of your thoughts, ideas and concerns regarding the use and development of this property.

As you indicated in your email, this matter comes before the BCC on 1/26th during the public hearing portion of meeting, which begins at 6pm. Interested parties are welcome to attend this meeting and share their thoughts and concerns to all seven Commissioners. I have attached the link to the BCC meeting guidelines from our website for your use. Should you attend, please make sure to get a green card from staff at the front table. Fill it out and return it to the staff. The Chairman will call you up when the Commissioners are ready to hear citizens input about the case.

http://www.pinellascounty.org/BCC Guide.htm

Should you have questions or require additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kimberly H. Greenleaf

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From: Frank [mailto:frank@tbsfla.com] **Sent:** Monday, January 11, 2016 11:41 AM

To: Eggers, Dave

Subject: rezoning of the 10.3 acres at 29582 US Highway 19 North

Commissioner Dave Eggers

In your upcoming meeting on January 26th you have an issue before you related to a rezoning of the 10.3 acres at 29582 US Highway 19 North that we would like to present some information for you to consider.

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 Thank You.

Frank Hernandez, Isabel Hernandez 2249 Ranchette LN Dunedin FL, 34698

BCC 1-26-16

From: Greenleaf, Kim

Sent: Monday, January 11, 2016 3:12 PM

To: BoardRecords
Subject: Z - 33-12-15

Attachments: SKM_C454e16011115120.pdf

Copy of letter received regarding the above referenced case.

Also, please note that I have also received a phone call from John Tornga regarding this matter as well.

Kimberly H. Greenleaf

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To: Greenleaf, Kim

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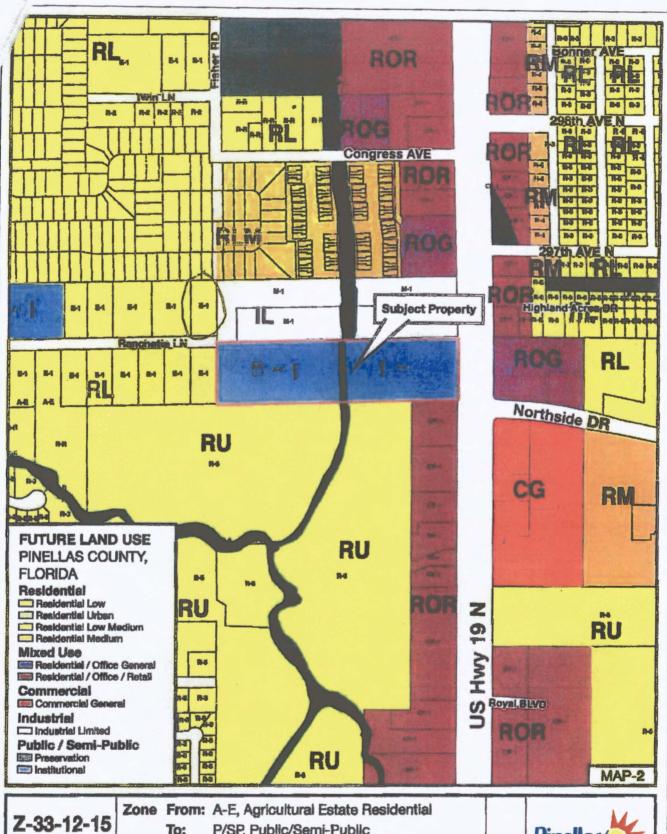
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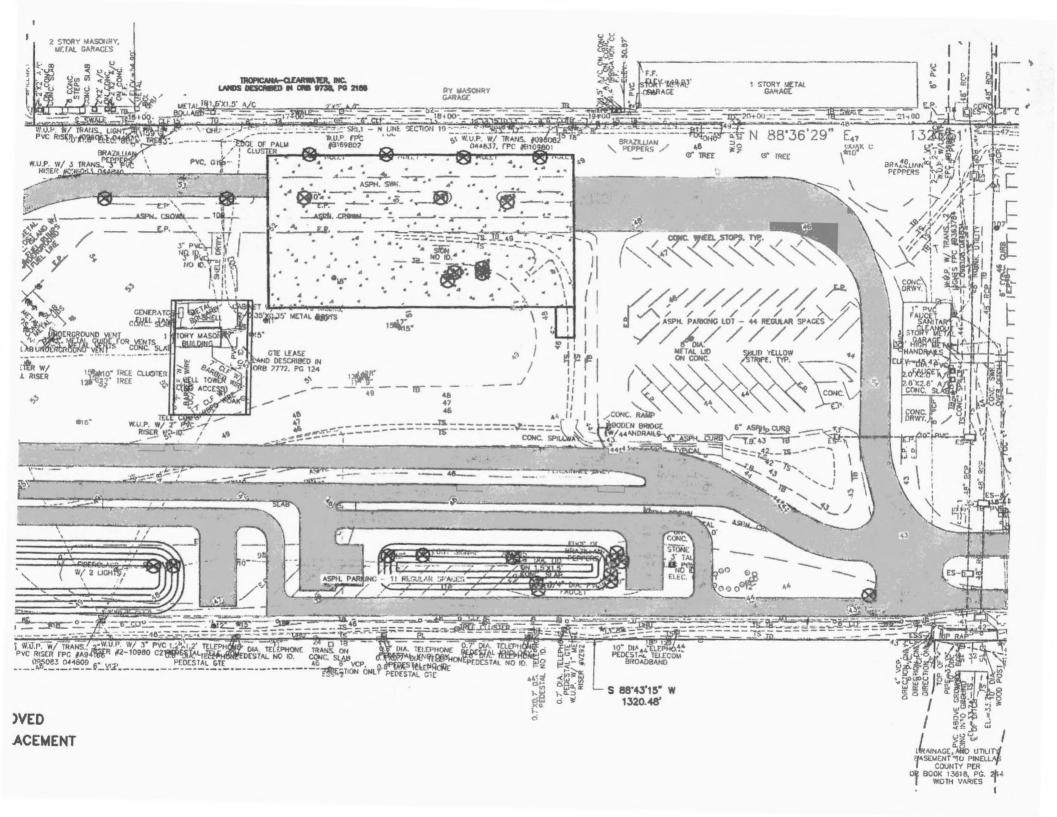


To: P/SP, Public/Semi-Public

Parcel I.D. 19/28/16/00000/210/0110 & 0100 Prepared by: Pinellas County Planning Department October 2015







From: Greenleaf, Kim

Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2016 1:23 PM

To: psr7262@verizon.net

Cc: Bailey, Glenn; BoardRecords

Subject: Case Z-33-12-15 (29582 US Highway 19 North)

Mr. and Mrs. Redmond:

On behalf of Commissioner Eggers, thank you for your email. Because this case is quasijudicial in nature, the Commissioner is unable to respond to your email. In these quasijudicial cases, the Commissioners act as the 'judge' and are unable to communicate with anyone (for or against) about the case. However, I will make sure that the Commissioner sees your email. The first Public Hearing for this case will be heard on 1/26th at the 6pm portion of the meeting, held in the Assembly Room of the Courthouse on the 5th floor. Interested citizens in this case will be given an opportunity to voice their concerns at the meeting. I have attached a copy of the BCC Meeting Guidelines for your use and review. Please make sure that you fill out a green Citizen's To Be Heard card in order to be given an opportunity to share your thoughts and concerns about this case.

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Just so you know, our office has heard of no plans to open up Ranchette Lane to through traffic.

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Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2016 12:49 PM

To: Gerard, Pat; Justice, Charlie; Welch, Kenneth; Morroni, John; kseell@pinellascounty.org;

Eggers, Dave Subject:

Please see attached document for your consideration.

From:

Greenleaf, Kim

Sent:

Tuesday, January 12, 2016 1:42 PM

To: Subject: Bachteler, James J Case z-33-12-15

Attachments:

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Sorry. Here is attachment.

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Re: Case No Z-33-12-15 January 26, 2016 hearing

Commissioners:

As a property owner at 2219 Ranchette Lane, we have concerns about the proposed changes to property at 29582 Highway 19 North. These concerns echo those of our neighbors.

We agree with the suggestion from Mr Frank Hernandez that you consider that this facility, a pad and pole barn roof, be located East of the driving track, behind the current building .As he stated, This would keep it and the noise as far from our homes as possible, and help alleviate spillover traffic from US 19.

All of the homeowners are concerned about the possibility of opening up Ranchette Lane through to US 19. Our street is residential and not an improved roadway, therefore not equipped to handle the extra traffic that this could bring. We enjoy our lifestyle here and do not wish to see it become a" shortcut" for traffic from US 19. I join Mr. Hernandez and other homeowners in asking that you consider abandoning a portion of Ranchette Lane (eastmost 10 feet) to stop any talk of opening up our street to through traffic, and/or a collector highway.

Also, a walk-thru of the adjacent property found several gopher tortoise nests, of which one is at the base of a tree slated to be removed and paved over. We understand that these are a threatened species in this region.

As a concerned homeowner I ask that you give all of our grievances your thoughts and considerations.

Sincerely,

Mike and Peggy Redmond 2219 Ranchette Lane Dunedin, Fl 34698

January 11, 2016

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From: Swinton, Tammy M

Sent: Friday, January 22, 2016 1:26 PM

To: Loy, Norman; Young, Bernie C; Baxter, Kevin

Cc: Bachteler, James J; Smitke, Arlene L; Bailey, Glenn; Beardslee, Gordon R; Stowers, Jake
Subject: Additional Correspondence for the Jan 26th BCC (Case Z-33-12-15 Pinellas County General

Services/North County Office)

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To: Gerard, Pat

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