



# Rezoning Application and Checklist

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Rezoning Request			
Rezoning Type	<input type="checkbox"/> General use	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Conditional use	<input type="checkbox"/> Master plan
	<input type="checkbox"/> Text change to zoning conditions		
Existing zoning base district: IH		Height:	Frontage:
Proposed zoning base district: IX		Height: 5	Frontage:
			Overlay(s): SHOD-2
<b>Helpful Tip:</b> <a href="#">View the Zoning Map</a> to search for the address to be rezoned, then turn on the 'Zoning' and 'Overlay' layers.			
If the property has been previously rezoned, provide the rezoning case number:			

General Information		
Date: August 8, 2025	Date amended (1):	Date amended (2):
Property address: 2806 Gresham Lake Road		
Property PIN: 1727167577		
Deed reference (book/page): Book 15832, Page 2646		
Nearest intersection: Gresham Lake Road and Coxindale Drive		Property size (acres): 7.81
For planned development applications only:	Total units:	Total square footage:
	Total parcels:	Total buildings:
Property owner name and address: RITD, LLC 2806 Gresham Lake Road Raleigh, NC 27615		
Property owner email: <a href="mailto:chris@clayda.com">chris@clayda.com</a>		
Property owner phone: (919) 480-0374		
Applicant name and address: Isabel Mattox 3700 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 500 Raleigh, NC 27612		
Applicant email: <a href="mailto:imattox@nichollscrampton.com">imattox@nichollscrampton.com</a>		
Applicant phone: 919-828-7171		
Applicant signature(s):		
Additional email(s):		

RITD, LLC

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By:

*Chris Mitscherlich*

Chris Mitscherlich, Manager

**REVIEWED**

By Metra Sheshbaradaran at 11:24 am, Aug 14, 2025

Conditional Use District Zoning Conditions		
Zoning case #:	Date submitted: August 8, 2025	OFFICE USE ONLY Rezoning case # _____
Existing zoning: IH with SHOD-2 overlay	Proposed zoning: IX-5-CU with SHOD-2 overlay	

Narrative of Zoning Conditions Offered
<div>1. Retail and resturants uses shall not exceed 10,000 square feet.</div> <div>2. No more than forty-two (42) play courts will be permitted.</div>

The property owner(s) hereby offers, consents to, and agrees to abide, if the rezoning request is approved, the conditions written above. All property owners must sign each condition page. This page may be photocopied if additional space is needed.

RITD, LLC

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Chris Mitscherlich

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Chris Mitscherlich, Manager

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## Rezoning Application Addendum #1

### Comprehensive Plan Analysis

The applicant is asked to analyze the impact of the rezoning request and its consistency with the Comprehensive Plan. The applicant is also asked to explain how the rezoning request is reasonable and in the public interest.

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### Statement of Consistency

Provide brief statements regarding whether the rezoning request is consistent with the future land use designation, the urban form map, and any applicable policies contained within the 2030 Comprehensive Plan.

The proposed rezoning of 2806 Gresham Lake Road from its current designation to IX-5-CU with SHOD-2 Overlay District-2) is consistent with the 2030 Comprehensive Plan for the City of Raleigh in the following ways:

- Future Land Use Designation: The site lies within an area designated as Business and Commercial Services, allowing for a range of uses, which supports light industrial, warehouse, distribution, indoor and outdoor recreation and flexible space. The proposed indoor pickleball complex aligns with these objectives as it represents a light-intensity recreational use compatible with nearby industrial activity, and it complements the employment character of the area by drawing patrons and potential economic activity.
- Urban Form Map: While the Urban Form designation is not explicitly identified in the application, the site's location adjacent to major transportation corridors and within SHOD-2 implies a sensitivity to urban design and appearance.
- Applicable Comprehensive Plan Policies:
  - LU 5.2 - Managing Commercial Development Impacts
  - LU 5.4 - Density Transitions
  - LU 5.5 - Transitional and Buffer Zone Districts
  - LU6.2 - Complementary Land Uses and Urban Vitality
  - LU 8.10 - Infill Compatibility
  - ED 1.2 - Creating Opportunities
  - ED 2.4 - Attracting Investment to Emerging Neighborhoods
  - ED 5.1 - Economic Development Amenities
  - ED 6.1 - Cultural and Entertainment Hub
  - PR 4.3 - Recreational Facility Adequacy

This rezoning request is therefore consistent with the vision and policies of the Comprehensive Plan, supporting appropriate use of land within an evolving industrial and recreational corridor.

### Public Benefits

Provide brief statements explaining how the rezoning request is reasonable and in the public interest.

The rezoning to IX-5-CU with SHOD-2 overlay for a pickleball complex offers numerous public benefits and is reasonable and in the public interest for the following reasons:

- Addresses Community Demand: Pickleball is one of the fastest-growing sports in the country, particularly among seniors and multi-generational families. The proposed facility responds to a regional shortage of indoor courts and provides year-round recreational opportunities.
- Enhances Public Health and Wellness: By providing a space for physical activity, the project promotes community health and social engagement, supporting both active lifestyles and mental well-being.
- Generates Economic Activity: The complex will generate jobs in construction, operations, hospitality, and retail. It is anticipated to attract local, regional, and potentially tournament-level visitors, supporting nearby businesses.
- Improves Underutilized Industrial Property: The property currently consists of vacant or underutilized industrial land. Rezoning will catalyze reinvestment and redevelopment of the parcel in a form consistent with surrounding land uses.
- Traffic and Environmental Management: Through Conditional Use provisions and SHOD-2 overlay compliance, the rezoning ensures aesthetic protections, managed access, buffering, and landscape design appropriate for a highway-adjacent setting.
- Aligns with City Goals for Mixed-Use Nodes: The project will act as a community draw and contribute to the vibrancy of the Gresham Lake corridor, potentially supporting future mixed-use redevelopment or adaptive reuse of nearby parcels.

In summary, the rezoning will allow the transformation of an industrial parcel into a unique recreational hub that offers measurable public, economic, and health benefits while remaining consistent with Raleigh's broader planning goals.

Rezoning Application Addendum #2	
Impact on Historic Resources	<b>OFFICE USE ONLY</b> Rezoning case # <hr/>
The applicant is asked to analyze the impact of the rezoning request on historic resources. For the purposes of this section, a historic resource is defined as any site, structure, sign, or other feature of the property to be rezoned that is listed in the National Register of Historic Places or designated by the City of Raleigh as a landmark or contributing to a Historic Overlay District.	
Inventory of Historic Resources	
List in the space below all historic resources located on the property to be rezoned. For each resource, indicate how the proposed zoning would impact the resource.	
There are no historical resources located on the property.	
Proposed Mitigation	
Provide brief statements describing actions that will be taken to mitigate all negative impacts listed above.	
There are no historical resources on the property.	

### Urban Design Guidelines

The applicant must respond to the Urban Design Guidelines contained in the 2030 Comprehensive Plan if:

- a) The property to be rezoned is within a "City Growth Center" or "Mixed-Use Center", OR;
- b) The property to be rezoned is located along a "Main Street" or "Transit Emphasis Corridor" as shown on the Urban Form Map in the 2030 Comprehensive Plan.

Urban form designation:

Click [here](#) to view the Urban Form Map.

**1**

All Mixed-Use developments should generally provide retail (such as eating establishments, food stores, and banks), and other such uses as office and residential within walking distance of each other. Mixed uses should be arranged in a compact and pedestrian friendly form.

**Response:**

**2**

Within all Mixed-Use Areas buildings that are adjacent to lower density neighborhoods should transition (height, design, distance and/or landscaping) to the lower heights or be comparable in height and massing.

**Response:**

**3**

A mixed-use area's road network should connect directly into the neighborhood road network of the surrounding community, providing multiple paths for movement to and through the mixed-use area. In this way, trips made from the surrounding residential neighborhood(s) to the mixed-use area should be possible without requiring travel along a major thoroughfare or arterial.

**Response:**

**4**

Streets should interconnect within a development and with adjoining development. Cul-de-sacs or dead-end streets are generally discouraged except where topographic conditions and/or exterior lot line configurations offer no practical alternatives for connection or through traffic. Street stubs should be provided with development adjacent to open land to provide for future connections. Streets should be planned with due regard to the designated corridors shown on the Thoroughfare Plan.

**Response:**

**5**

New development should be comprised of blocks of public and/or private streets (including sidewalks). Block faces should have a length generally not exceeding 660 feet. Where commercial driveways are used to create block structure, they should include the same pedestrian amenities as public or private streets.

**Response:**

**6**

A primary task of all urban architecture and landscape design is the physical definition of streets and public spaces as places of shared use. Streets should be lined by buildings rather than parking lots and should provide interest especially for pedestrians. Garage entrances and/or loading areas should be located at the side or rear of a property.

**Response:**

7	<p>Buildings should be located close to the pedestrian-oriented street (within 25 feet of the curb), with off-street parking behind and/or beside the buildings. When a development plan is located along a high-volume corridor without on-street parking, one bay of parking separating the building frontage along the corridor is a preferred option.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
8	<p>If the site is located at a street intersection, the main building or main part of the building should be placed at the corner. Parking, loading or service should not be located at an intersection.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
9	<p>To ensure that urban open space is well-used, it is essential to locate and design it carefully. The space should be located where it is visible and easily accessible from public areas (building entrances, sidewalks). Take views and sun exposure into account as well.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
10	<p>New urban spaces should contain direct access from the adjacent streets. They should be open along the adjacent sidewalks and allow for multiple points of entry. They should also be visually permeable from the sidewalk, allowing passersby to see directly into the space.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
11	<p>The perimeter of urban open spaces should consist of active uses that provide pedestrian traffic for the space including retail, cafés, and restaurants and higher-density residential.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
12	<p>A properly defined urban open space is visually enclosed by the fronting of buildings to create an outdoor "room" that is comfortable to users.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
13	<p>New public spaces should provide seating opportunities.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>

<b>14</b>	<p>Parking lots should not dominate the frontage of pedestrian-oriented streets, interrupt pedestrian routes, or negatively impact surrounding developments.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
<b>15</b>	<p>Parking lots should be located behind or in the interior of a block whenever possible. Parking lots should not occupy more than 1/3 of the frontage of the adjacent building or not more than 64 feet, whichever is less.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
<b>16</b>	<p>Parking structures are clearly an important and necessary element of the overall urban infrastructure but, given their utilitarian elements, can give serious negative visual effects. New structures should merit the same level of materials and finishes as that a principal building would, care in the use of basic design elements can make a significant improvement.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
<b>17</b>	<p>Higher building densities and more intensive land uses should be within walking distance of transit stops, permitting public transit to become a viable alternative to the automobile.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
<b>18</b>	<p>Convenient, comfortable pedestrian access between the transit stop and the building entrance should be planned as part of the overall pedestrian network.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
<b>19</b>	<p>All development should respect natural resources as an essential component of the human environment. The most sensitive landscape areas, both environmentally and visually, are steep slopes greater than 15 percent, watercourses, and floodplains. Any development in these areas should minimize intervention and maintain the natural condition except under extreme circumstances. Where practical, these features should be conserved as open space amenities and incorporated in the overall site design.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
<b>20</b>	<p>It is the intent of these guidelines to build streets that are integral components of community design. Public and private streets, as well as commercial driveways that serve as primary pedestrian pathways to building entrances, should be designed as the main public spaces of the City and should be scaled for pedestrians.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>

21	<p>Sidewalks should be 5-8 feet wide in residential areas and located on both sides of the street. Sidewalks in commercial areas and Pedestrian Business Overlays should be a minimum of 14-18 feet wide to accommodate sidewalk uses such as vendors, merchandising and outdoor seating.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
22	<p>Streets should be designed with street trees planted in a manner appropriate to their function. Commercial streets should have trees which complement the face of the buildings and which shade the sidewalk. Residential streets should provide for an appropriate canopy, which shadows both the street and sidewalk, and serves as a visual buffer between the street and the home. The typical width of the street landscape strip is 6-8 feet. This width ensures healthy street trees, precludes tree roots from breaking the sidewalk, and provides adequate pedestrian buffering. Street trees should be at least 6 1/4" caliper and should be consistent with the City's landscaping, lighting and street sight distance requirements.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
23	<p>Buildings should define the streets spatially. Proper spatial definition should be achieved with buildings or other architectural elements (including certain tree plantings) that make up the street edges aligned in a disciplined manner with an appropriate ratio of height to width.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
24	<p>The primary entrance should be both architecturally and functionally on the front facade of any building facing the primary public street. Such entrances shall be designed to convey their prominence on the fronting facade.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
25	<p>The ground level of the building should offer pedestrian interest along sidewalks. This includes windows entrances, and architectural details. Signage, awnings, and ornamentation are encouraged.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>
26	<p>The sidewalks should be the principal place of pedestrian movement and casual social interaction. Designs and uses should be complementary to that function.</p> <p><b>Response:</b></p>



### Rezoning Checklist (Submittal Requirements)

To be completed by Applicant			To be completed by staff		
General Requirements – General Use or Conditional Use Rezoning	Yes	N/A	Yes	No	N/A
1. I have referenced this <b>Rezoning Checklist</b> and by using this as a guide, it will ensure that I receive a complete and thorough first review by the City of Raleigh	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Pre-application conference.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Neighborhood meeting notice and report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Rezoning application review fee (see <a href="#">Fee Guide</a> for rates).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Completed application submitted through Permit and Development Portal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Completed Comprehensive Plan consistency analysis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Completed response to the urban design guidelines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Two sets of stamped envelopes addressed to all property owners and tenants of the rezoning site(s) and within 500 feet of area to be rezoned.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Trip generation study	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Traffic impact analysis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>For properties requesting a Conditional Use District:</b>					
11. Completed zoning conditions, signed by property owner(s).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>If applicable, see page 11:</b>					
12. Proof of Power of Attorney	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>For properties requesting a Planned Development or Campus District:</b>					
13. Master plan (see Master Plan submittal requirements).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>For properties requesting a text change to zoning conditions:</b>					
14. Redline copy of zoning conditions with proposed changes.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Proposed conditions signed by property owner(s).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Master Plan (Submittal Requirements)					
To be completed by Applicant			To be completed by staff		
General Requirements – Master Plan	Yes	N/A	Yes	No	N/A
1. I have referenced this <b>Master Plan Checklist</b> and by using this as a guide, it will ensure that I receive a complete and thorough first review by the City of Raleigh.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Total number of units and square feet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. 12 sets of plans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Completed application; submitted through Permit & Development Portal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Vicinity Map	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Existing Conditions Map	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Street and Block Layout Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. General Layout Map/Height and Frontage Map	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Description of Modification to Standards, 12 sets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Development Plan (location of building types)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Pedestrian Circulation Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Parking Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Open Space Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Tree Conservation Plan (if site is 2 acres or more)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Major Utilities Plan/Utilities Service Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16. Generalized Stormwater Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Phasing Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Three-Dimensional Model/renderings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. Common Signage Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SUMMARY OF ISSUES

A neighborhood meeting was held on July 29, 2025 (date) to discuss a potential rezoning located at 2806 Gresham Lake Road (property address). The neighborhood meeting was held at 2806 Gresham Lake Road (location). There were approximately 3 (number) neighbors in attendance. The general issues discussed were:

Summary of Issues:

Site Plan
Uses

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