

## **Application for Amendment to Land Use Bylaw**

**Foothills County** 

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Note: An Application Fee of \$ shall accompany	this approach.
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THIS SECTION TO BE COMP	ETED IN FULL BY THE APPLICANT
, Stephen Harris, Patti Harris	
Name of Registered Owner (please print)	
hereby certify that I am the registered owner of the land of	
Name of Agent (please print)	to act as agent in the matter.
PLEASE ACCEPT THIS APPLICATION REGARDING LEGAL LAND	DESCRIPTION
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	Reg. Plan No. 921 2638 C.O.T. No
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☑ Redesignate from AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT	to COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT
Size of existing parcel(s) 1 PARCEL: 25.1 ACRES	Size of proposed parcel(s) 2 PARCELS: 1) 15.1 ACRES 2) 10 ACRES
THE REASON FOR THE REDESIGNATION IS TO ALLOW FOR THE	FUTURE SUBDIVISION APPLICATION OF 2 NEW COUNTRY
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## Application for Amendment to Land Use Bylaw: Written Statement and Description

March 31, 2025

Subject Property Legal Description: NW 31-22-2 W5M; Plan 9212638, Blk 1

The application is for a land use amendment to the 25.1-acre parcel stated above from agricultural land use to Country Residential land use.

If the application for land use amendment to Country Residential is successful, a subdivision Application will be submitted to create one new 10-acre lot. (Therefore 2 lots total, a 10-acre lot and a 15.1-acre lot).

The intention is to retain the existing house and auxiliary buildings on a new 15.1-acre lot and create one new 10-acre lot. The lots will comply with Country Residential bylaws.

My wife and I have resided on the 25.1-acre parcel for approximately 30 years and plan to continue to live on the 15.1-acre lot. We love our property. However, we are now of retirement age and are reorganizing. We have worked with the neighbors and have really thought this through. We have a vested interest in this working out for a new neighbor, so we plan on thoroughly guiding this through to completion. This is something that fits and would like to present it as a revised plan to council.

Other reasons to subdivide a proposed 10-acre lot include the following:

- 1) The property directly south of our property is Country Residential as well as many properties on our street. Having our property redesignated Country Residential fits in with the property adjacent to ours and others on our street.
- 2) The proposed 10-acre lot and the remaining 15 acres are naturally divided by a large boundary line of mature trees. Therefore, subdividing the 10 acres is a very nice fit for the area.
- 3) A 10-acre lot will provide very little increase in density and the 10 acres is large enough to support the quaint country like atmosphere of the whole area.
- 4) The 10-acre parcel already has an excellent functioning water well on it mitigating any need of drilling additional water wells on the lot.
- 5) After consultation with the surrounding neighbors, the proposed entrance road to the 10-acre lot on the site plan has been placed far from any neighbor's driveways mitigating any concerns over privacy and safety. Furthermore, there is no issues with the approach. Public Works has already studied and consented.
- 6) The best location for a new residence on the 10 acres is far from any neighbor's residence mitigating any concerns over privacy.

7) We now have less horses and are opening our southern pastures for haying, minimizing loss of haying resulting from the proposed 10-acre subdivision.

In addition, I initially consulted with all immediate neighbors

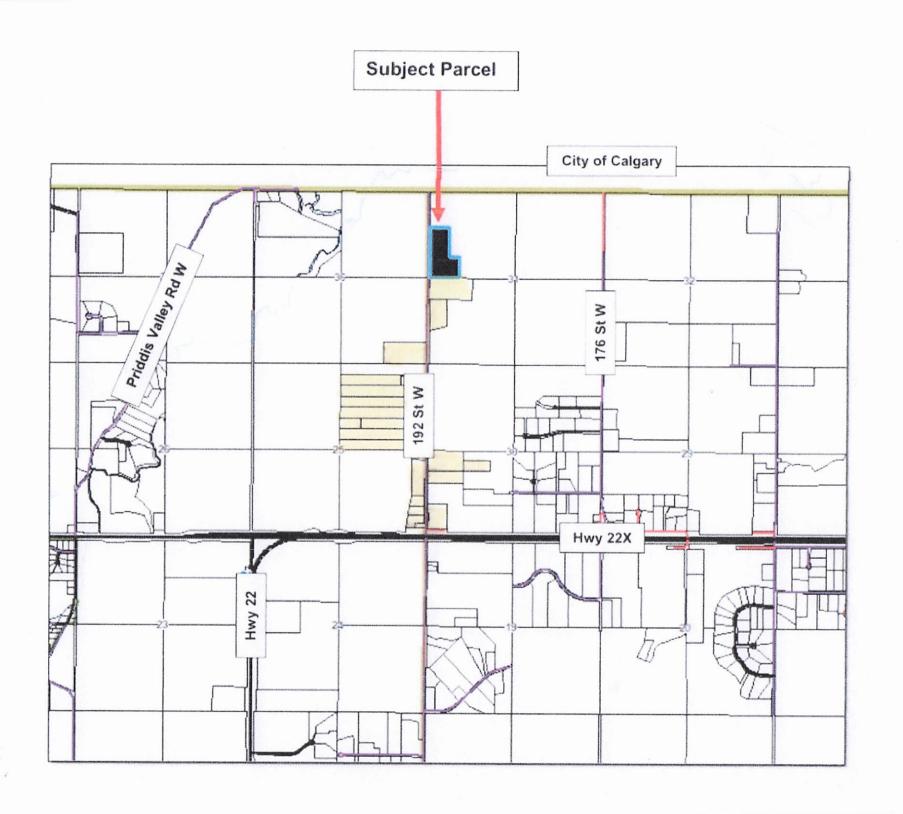
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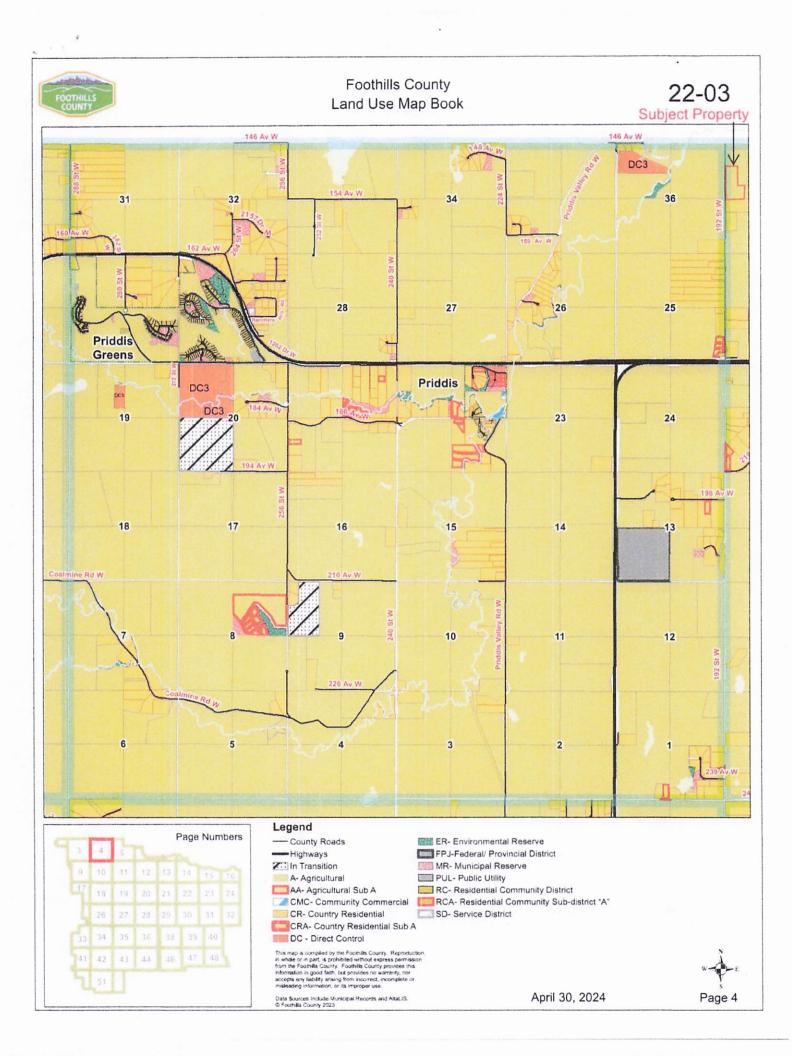
suggestions and concerns regarding the proposed 10-acre subdivision. The Site Plan is based on the feedback and support I received from my neighbors. I then reviewed the finalized site plan with the neighbors and received their approval. Therefore, the neighbors have expressed support of this 10 -acre subdivision.

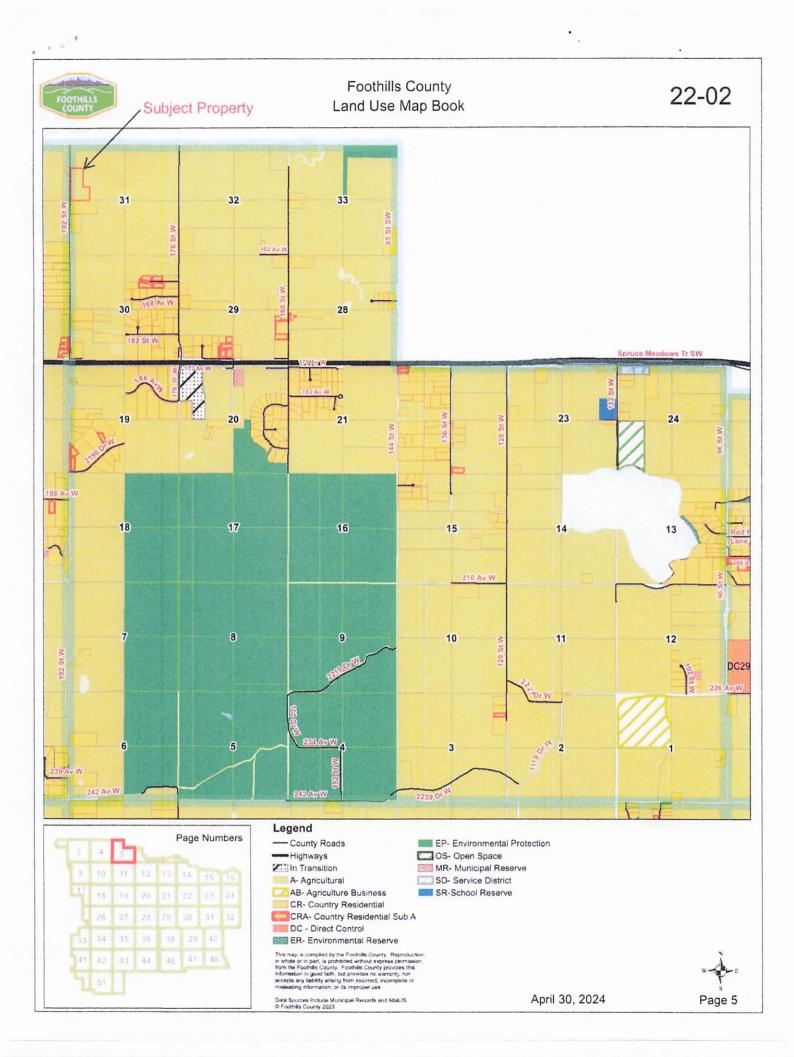
Stephen Harris

## Appendix A

<u>Land Use Bylaw Map</u>
Site Location and surrounding Country Residential land parcels









## Location Map NW 31-22-02 W5M; Plan 9212638, Block 1



