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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE: The County of Amador is initiating a zone change for properties currently zoned X, Special Use, to the R1, Single-family Residential zoning district. This change aligns with the County's General Plan designation and aims to ensure consistency and compliance with state and local regulations.

PROJECT NAME AND DESCRIPTION: Request for a Zone Change (ZC-24;6-3) from the X Special Use district to the R1 Single-family Residential zoning district for properties that are incompatible with the General Plan designation. **PROPERTY OWNERS:** Affected property owners with land zoned X with an incompatible General Plan land use

designation within Supervisorial District 2.

PROPERTY LOCATIONS: 3370 Camanche Pkwy N., Ione, CA 95640 (APN: 003-662-018) & 3292 Camanche Pkwy N., Ione, CA 95640 (APN: 003-662-017)

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS: 2

Staff Report will be available online (typically the Tuesday prior to the meeting) for viewing at http://www.amadorgov.org in the "Agendas and Minutes" section.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW PROCESS: In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the lead agency, Amador County, intends to consider a Notice of Exemption pursuant to Section 15183 of State CEQA Guidelines for projects that are consistent with the development density of existing zoning, community plan or general plan policies for which an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) was certified and Section 15061(b)(3) common sense exemption.

This project is categorically exempt from CEQA per 15183(a):

"CEQA mandates that projects which are consistent with the development density established by existing zoning, community plan, or general plan policies for which an EIR was certified shall not require additional environmental review, except as might be necessary to examine whether there are project-specific significant effects which are peculiar to the project or its site. This streamlines the review of such projects and reduces the need to prepare repetitive environmental studies."

The zone change is consistent with Government Code Section 65860, which requires that zoning ordinances shall be consistent with the General Plan. Government Code Section 65860(c) states:

- "in the event that a zoning ordinance becomes inconsistent with a general plan by reason of amendment to the plan, or to any element of the plan, the zoning ordinance shall be amended within a reasonable time so that it is consistent with the general plan as amended."

<u>PUBLIC HEARING</u>: Notice is hereby given said Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on this project at the County Administration Center, Board of Supervisors Chambers, 810 Court Street, Jackson, California, on <u>September 10</u>, <u>2024</u> at <u>7:00 p.m.</u> or as soon thereafter as can be heard. Anyone having comments on the project may attend and be heard.

The meeting may be attended in person or via teleconference by dialing 669-900-6833 and using meeting ID 537-512-8983, or by using the following link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5375128983

The Chairperson will invite the public to comment via phone/online. Public comment will also be accepted by email at planning@amadorgov.org. All emails must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be included in the record of the meeting. Emails received after those already included in the meeting materials will be printed and distributed to the Commissioners and available to the public, and shall be subject to the same rules as would otherwise govern speaker comments at the Commission meeting.

Letters of comment regarding this matter received by the County prior to the publication of the Staff Report will be sent to each Planning Commissioner as part of the agenda packet (generally the Tuesday prior to the meeting). Letters received after the Staff Report has been published will be copied and circulated to each Commissioner just prior to the public hearing. Be advised that due to time constraints, the Commissioners may not be able to give letters submitted after the Staff Report is published, as detailed a review as those received earlier. Therefore, it may be to your benefit to attend the hearing and summarize your concerns orally. Letters will not be read aloud at the public hearing. If you have any questions or desire more information, please contact this office.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you require special modification or accommodation to participate in this meeting, please contact the Amador County Planning Department, at (209) 223-6380, by email to planning@amadorgov.org. Requests must be made as early as possible, and at least two business days before the start of the meeting.

NOTE: If you do not comment at the public hearing or send in written comments and later decide to challenge the nature of this proposed action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you raised at the public hearing or have given in written correspondence delivered to the public entity conducting the hearing at, or prior to, the Public Hearing.

PERMITTED AND CONDITIONAL USES FOR THE EXISTING ZONE X AND THE PROPOSED ZONE R1:

19.24.030 X district regulations.

A. Uses permitted include all uses not otherwise prohibited by law, subject to securing a use permit as specified in this title; provided, however, that agricultural uses as defined in this title, shall not be subject to a use permit.

19.24.045 R1 District-Single-family Residential district.

Uses Permitted

- 1. Single-family dwellings
- 2. Home occupations
- 3. Guest houses, servants' quarters
- 4. Crop and tree farming

AMADOR COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION Date of this notice: August 22, 2024

PROJECT PARCELS HIGHLIGHTED IN BLUE:

