

ORDINANCE NO. 14-2008

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE AMENDING THE CITY OF ELK GROVE ZONING MAP FROM AR-5 TO RD-3 FOR THE VINEYARD RANCH ESTATES RESIDENTIAL SUBDIVISION PROJECT NO. EG-05-946, APN(S) 121-0200-007-0000 AND 121-0200-008-0000

The City Council of the City of Elk Grove does ordain as follows:

Section 1: Purpose and Authority

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend the City of Elk Grove Zoning Map as shown on attached Exhibit A.

Section 2: Findings

CEQA

Finding: The proposal will not have a significant adverse impact on the environment and a Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared and completed in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

Evidence: An Initial Environmental Study was prepared for the proposed project and mitigation measures have been developed that will reduce potential environmental impacts to less than significant levels. On the basis of the Mitigated Negative Declaration, comments received, and the entire administrative record, there is no substantial evidence that the project will have a significant adverse impact on the environment.

General Plan

Finding: The proposed Vineyard Ranch Estates Residential Subdivision project is consistent with the goals and policies of the Elk Grove General Plan.

Evidence: The Vineyard Ranch Estates Residential Subdivision site has a land use designation of Estate Residential on the General Plan land use map. The proposed project has been designed and is consistent with all the goals and policies contained in the General Plan. Conditions of approval have been included to ensure consistency of the project throughout construction and operation.

Rezone

Finding: The proposed Rezone is in the public interest (Section 65358(a) of the Government Code and Consistent with the Elk Grove General Plan.

Evidence: The City Council has reviewed the proposed rezone, staff report, and has received public testimony at a duly noticed public hearing regarding the matter. The applicant's proposal is consistent with the allowed density ranges and uses in the Elk Grove General Plan and Zoning Code. The proposed project is consistent with the Plan's objectives of orderly and systematic development and responds to opportunities and constraints in the local community area.

Section 3: Action

The City Council hereby amends the City of Elk Grove Zoning Map for Assessor Parcel Numbers 121-0200-007 and 121-0200-008 as shown on attached Exhibit A subject to the findings contained in this Ordinance.

Section 4: No Mandatory Duty of Care.

This ordinance is not intended to and shall not be construed or given effect in a manner that imposes upon the City or any officer or employee thereof a mandatory duty of care towards persons and property within or without the City, so as to provide a basis of civil liability for damages, except as otherwise imposed by law.

Section 5: Severability.

If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are severable. This City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this ordinance irrespective of the invalidity of any particular portion thereof and intends that the invalid portions should be severed and the balance of the ordinance be enforced.

Section 6: Effective Date and Publication

This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption. In lieu of publication of the full text of the ordinance within 15 days after its passage, a summary of the ordinance may be published at least five days prior to and fifteen (15) days after adoption by the City Council and a certified copy shall be posted in the office of the City Clerk, pursuant to GC 36933(c)(1).

ORDINANCE: 14-2008
INTRODUCED: May 14, 2008
ADOPTED: May 28, 2008
EFFECTIVE: June 27, 2008



GARY DAVIS,
MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



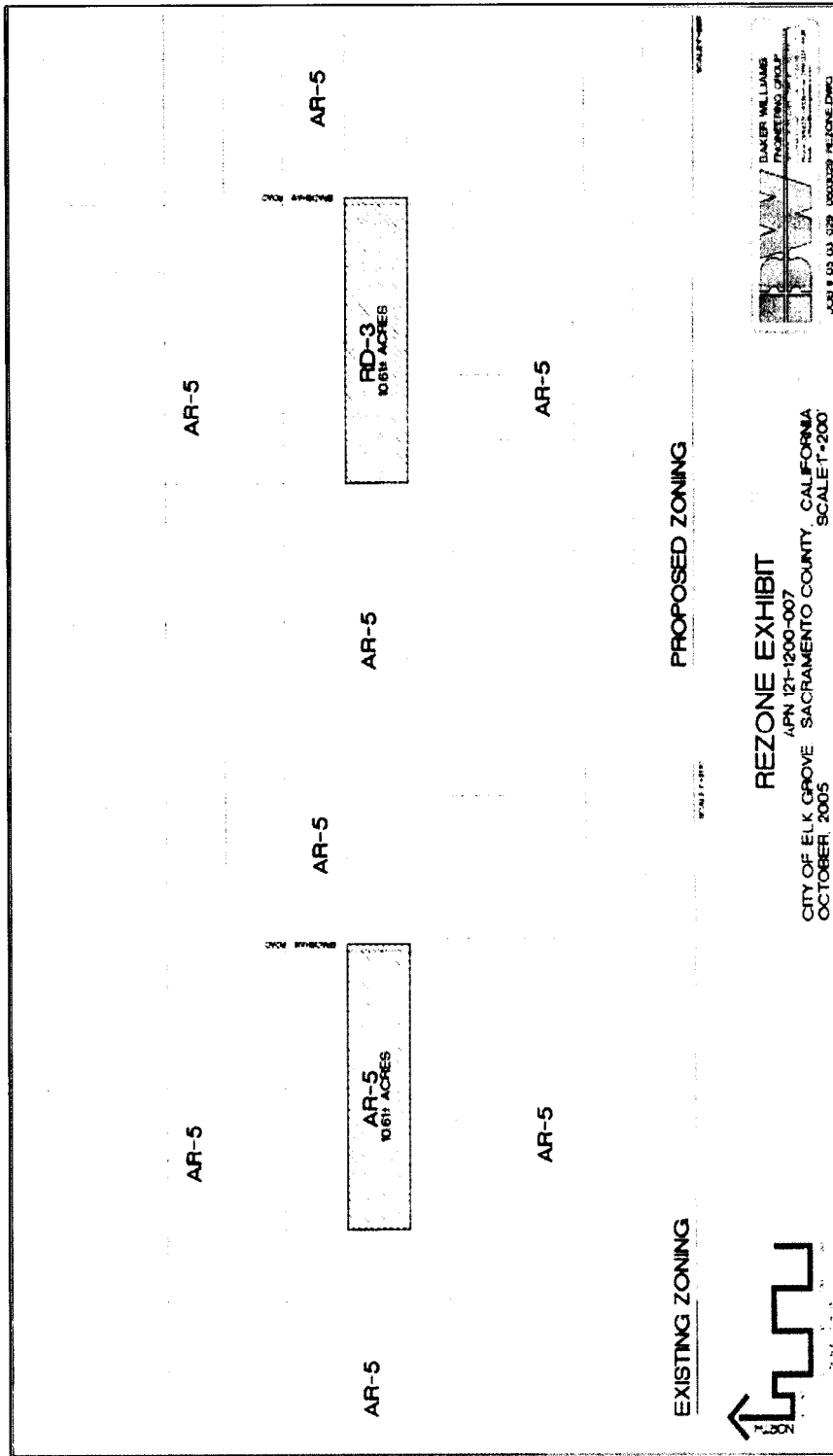
SUSAN J. BLACKSTON, CITY CLERK



SUSAN COCHRAN, CITY ATTORNEY

Date signed: June 9, 2008

EXHIBIT A



CERTIFICATION
ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 14-2008

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO) **ss**
CITY OF ELK GROVE)

I, Susan J. Blackston, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance, published and posted in compliance with State law, was duly introduced on May 14, 2008 and approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on May 28, 2008 by the following vote:

AYES : COUNCILMEMBERS: Hume, Scherman, Davis, Leary, Cooper

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

A summary of the ordinance was published pursuant to GC 36933(c) (1).

Susan J. Blackston, City Clerk
City of Elk Grove, California