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Vol. 79 Page 29375 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONE

KLAMATH COUNTY, OREGON

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) FOR ZONE CHANGE NO. 79-36 BY HOWARD MCGEE

ORDER

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THIS MATTER having come on for hearing upon the applica-7 tion of Howard McGee for a zone change from AF (Agricultural-Forestry) to A (Agricultural) by the Klamath County Planning Commission, on real property described as Township 38, Range 112, SE% NE% of Section 33. Public hearings having been heard by the Klamath County Planning Commission on September 11, 1979, wherefrom the testimony, reports, and information produced at the hear-13 | ing by the applicant, members of the Planning Department Staff and other persons in attendance, the Planning Commission recommended approval to the Board of County Commissioners. Following action by the Planning Commission, a public hearing before the Board of County Commissioners was regularly held on November 6, 1979, wherefrom the testimony at said hearing it appeared that the record below was accurate and complete and it appeared from the testimony, reports and exhibits introduced at the hearing before the Planning Commission that the application for a zone change for the subject property, should be granted.

The Board of County Commissioners makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law as required by Ordinance No. 17, the Klamath County Zoning Ordinance:

## FINDINGS OF FACT FOR ZONE CHANGE:

1. The Board of County Commissioners found the proposed site for change in zone to be approximately 25 acres in size and

the shape to be rectangle.

2. The Board of County Commissioners found the existing Comprehensive Land Use Plan to be Forestry, and, therefore, only a zone change was needed as the use of the land was in connection with the existing Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

- 3. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone to be abutting Highway No. 140 to the north, and approximately one-half mile west of the community of Dairy, Oregon.
- 4. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone to have adequate access to Highway No. 140, and Highway No. 140 is adequate to accept the traffic volume.
- 5. The Board of County Commissioners found that site for change in zone would not have an adverse effect on surrounding properties, as the existing uses, that being houses, were there prior to zoning.
- 6. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone to meet land use trends in the area as there are agriculture and housing uses near site.
- 7. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone would remain in agricultural use and also would allow applicant to utilize parcel for such use.
- 8. The Board of County Commissioners found notification had been sent to the Herald and News and to surrounding property owners as well as the Bonanza Area Committee, therefore addressing L. C. D. C. Goal No. 1.
- 9. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in land use was for a change in zone, and that site was in 2C 79-36 Page -2-

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conformance with existing land use plans, therefore addressing L. C. D. C. Goal No. 2.

- 10. The Board of County Commissioners found site was to be maintained as an agriculture unit and use to be in conjunction with agricultural uses, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal
- 11. The Board of County Commissioners found site for No. 3. change in zone to have no timber of commercial value, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 4.
- 12. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone to be in a wilderness area, but due to the existing residence use, the proposed change would not affect the wildlife habitats, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 5.
- 13. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone to have well site for water and also a septic tank, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 6.
- 14. The Board of County Commissioners found existing  $18 \parallel$  house used on subject parcel is used in conjunction with uses allowed within the agriculture zone, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 10.
  - 15. The Board of County Commissioners found site for change in zone to have public facilities, with facilities being electricity, and telephone. Also site is within the Bonanza School District, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 11.
  - 16. The Board of County Commissioners found site to have access to the Klamath Falls-Lakeview Highway, and also such highway allows transportation to site, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 12.

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17. The Board of County Commissioners found site to be close to the community of Dairy, Oregon, where there is gas which possibly would help concerve energy, therefore addressing L.C.D.C.

The Board of County Commissioners found site for Goal No. 13. change in zone was in an area where urban development has taken place, therefore addressing L.C.D.C. Goal No. 14.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR ZONE CHANGE:

- 1. The property affected by the change of zone is adequate in size and shape to facilitate those uses normally allowed in conjunction with such zoning.
- 2. The property affected by the proposed change of zone is properly related to streets and highways to adequately serve the type of traffic generated by such uses that may be permitted therein.
- 3. The proposed change of zone will have no adverse effect or only limited adverse effect on any property or the permitted uses thereof within the affected area.
- 4. The proposed change of zone is in keeping with land uses and improvements, trends in land development, density of land development and prospective needs for development in the affected
- 5. The proposed change of zone is in keeping with any area. land use plans duly adopted and does, in effect, represent the highest, best and most appropriate use of the land affected.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ordered that the application for the zone change from AF (Agricultural Forestry) to A (Agricultural) for Howard McGee on the subject property, is

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