

NOTICE OF HEARING

You are hereby notified that a public hearing before the Planning Commission of the City of Columbus, NE, will be held on Monday, May 11, 2026, at 6 p.m. in the Columbus Community Building, Community Room, 2500 14 St, Columbus, NE, on the application to rezone a tract of land located in Lots 1 thru 32, Sock Pond Addition to the City of Columbus, Platte County, Nebraska (14th Street west of 48th Avenue) from "R-1" (Single Family Residential) to "R-2" (Two-Family Residential) and amend the Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Plan to reflect the same change in zoning for said real estate. At said time and place you may appear and be heard.

City of Columbus
Shuraya Choat, City Clerk

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 4, 2026
TO: Tara Vasicek, City Administrator
FROM: Andy Woehrer, Chief Building & Code Official
RE: Rezone Lots 1 thru 32, Sock Pond Addition from R-1 Single-Family Residential to R-2 Two-Family Residential.

RECOMMENDATION:

I recommend approval of the proposed rezoning from R-1 Single-Family Residential District to R-2 Two-Family Residential District and to amend the Future Land Use Map accordingly.

DISCUSSION:

We have received a rezoning application for Lots 1 thru 32, Sock Pond Addition from R-1 Single-Family Residential to R-2 Two-Family Residential. The owner intends to develop the site for residential use. This rezoning is consistent with the Columbus Land Development Ordinance and is suitable for the surrounding area.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

ALTERNATIVE:

Deny the request for rezoning.

SIGNATURE:

By: Andy J. Woehrer

Approved By: [Signature]

REZONING APPLICATION

An application for a rezoning may be filed with the Community Development Office. Any such application will not be deemed submitted until all of the stated information is included. It is the responsibility of the applicant to provide all of the requested information. Incomplete applications WILL NOT be placed on the Planning Commission Agenda until all such missing information is provided. Such completed application shall be submitted to the Community Development Office at least 21 calendar days (including holidays) before the Planning Commission meeting at which time the public hearing on the application will be held.

PROPERTY OWNER NAME: Keyes Development, LLC

APPLICANT: Landon Wietfeld

APPLICANT MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1588, Columbus, NE 68601

APPLICANT PHONE NUMBER: 402-750-7287

APPLICANT EMAIL ADDRESS: landon.wietfeld@gmail.com

ATTORNEY/FIRM: Katherine E. Sharp, Jarecki Sharp & Petersen P.C., L.L.O.

ATTORNEY PHONE NUMBER: 402-395-1010

ATTORNEY E-MAIL ADDRESS: katie@jsplawpc.com

ADDRESS OF PROPERTY TO BE REZONED: Lots 4-12, K&S Subdvision, Columbus, NE 68601

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:
Please see the attached legal description.

PRESENT ZONING CLASSIFICATION: Single Family Residential

REQUESTED ZONING CLASSIFICATION: Two-Family Residential

DESCRIPTION OF THE REASON FOR THE REZONING APPLICATION:
Applicant intends to develop duplexes on the real estate. Please see the attached preliminary plat.

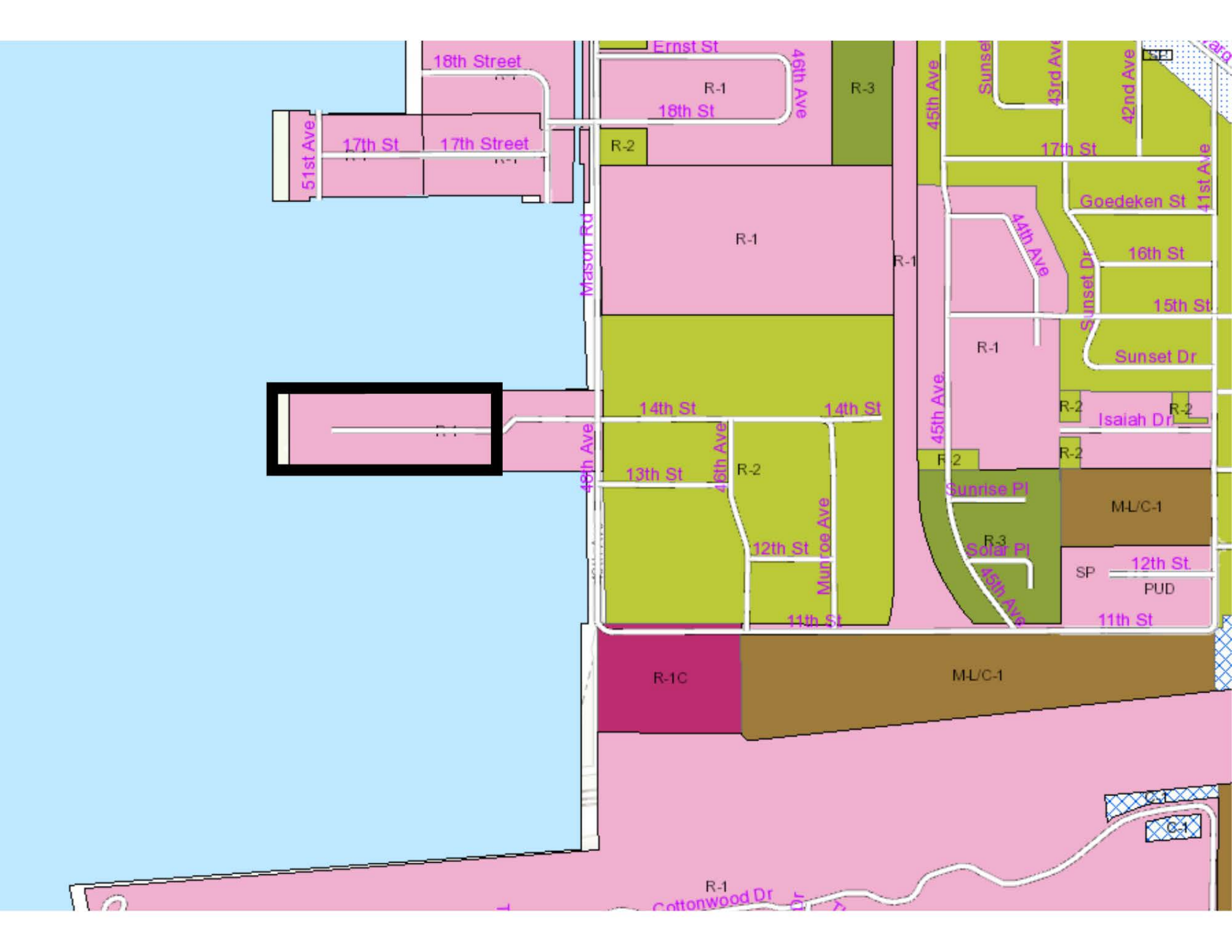
NATURE AND OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PROPOSED USE: (Include aerial image of proposed development on property and existing surrounding zoning classifications, any graphic information, including site plans, elevations or other drawings, necessary to describe the proposed use)

I hereby apply for a Rezoning Application and have paid the \$500 application fee.

DATED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, _____.

Signed by:
Landon J. Wietfeld
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Owner or Owner's Representative

Lots 1 thru 32, Sock Pond Addition to the City of Columbus, Platte County, Nebraska.



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