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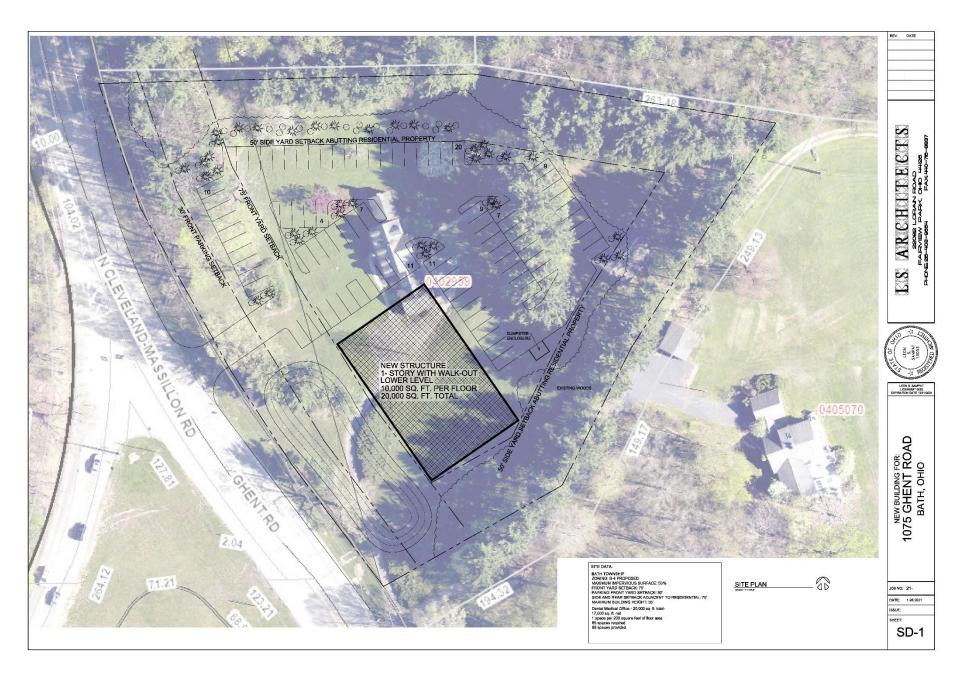
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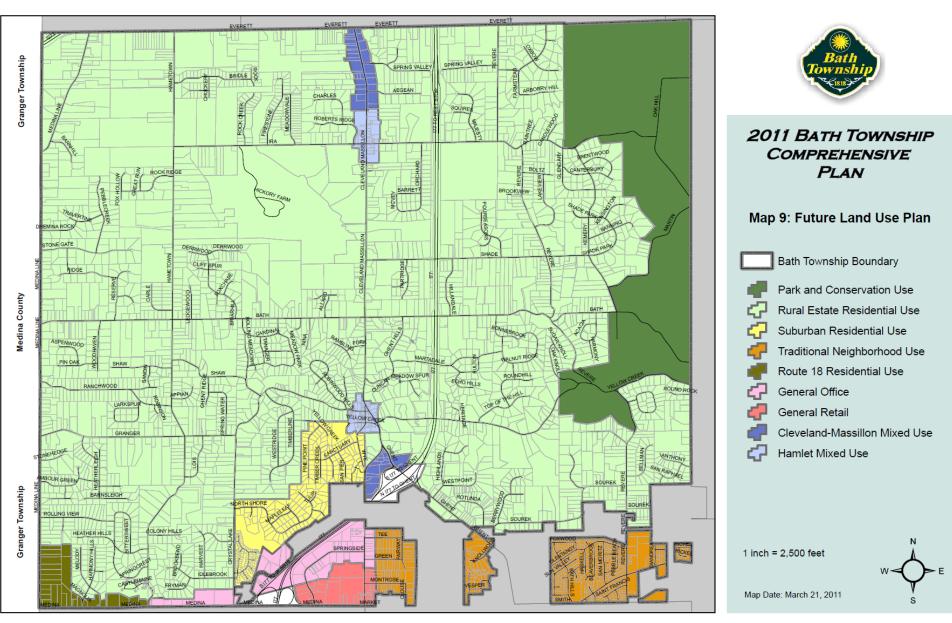
- Applicant: Timothy Pristas/Joyce Mork
- ▶ Property: 1075 Ghent Rd. (Parcel No. 0402959)
 - Applicant is requesting a map amendment for the property at 1075 Ghent Rd. The applicant is requesting the zoning classification be changed from the existing R-2 Residential District to B-4 Restricted Business District.
 - R-2 Residential District: The purpose of the R-2 Residential District is to establish areas for single-family dwelling units in portions of the township where there are limited public services and where there are concentrations of natural resources.
 - B-4 Restricted Business District: The purpose of the B-4 Restricted Business District is to provide for office and institutional uses in locations adjacent to retail areas and in areas easily accessible to the major arterial system of roads. Carefully controlled site development is necessary to encourage a functional and aesthetically pleasing office environment and to protect the residential character of adjacent areas.



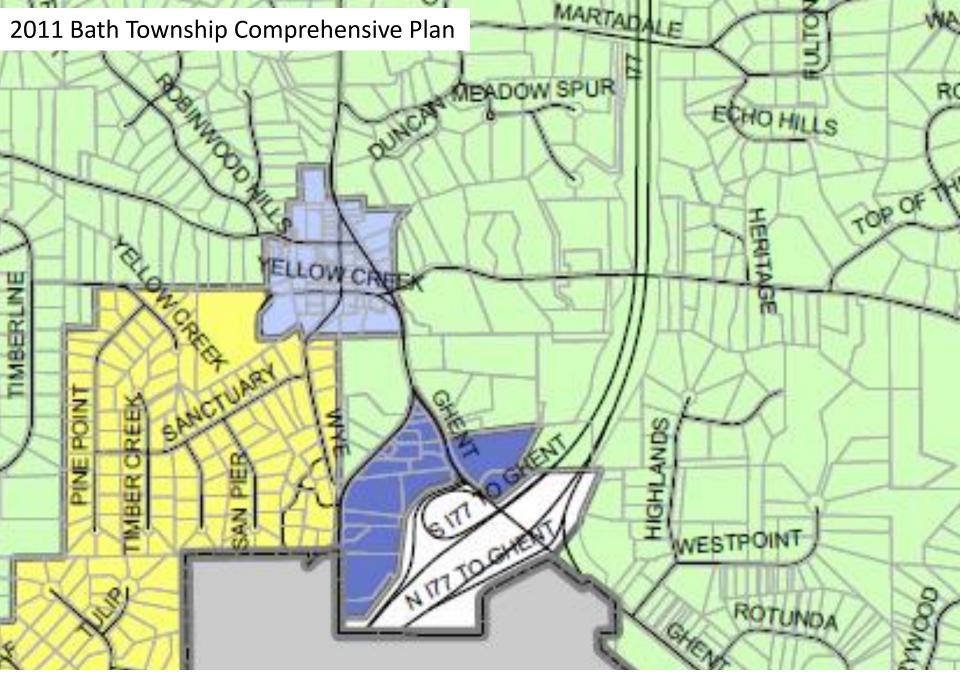




2011 Bath Township Comprehensive Plan



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Site Development Standards for Residential and Business Zoning Districts

TABLE 504-1: SITE DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS FOR RESIDENTIAL ZONING DISTRICTS									
RESIDENTIAL ZONING DISTRICT		MINIMUM LOT	MINIMUM LOT	Mi	Max.				
	MINIMUM LOT AREA [1]	WIDTH AT BUILDING SETBACK LINE (FEET)	WIDTH AT STREET RIGHT- OF-WAY (FEET)	Front Yard (feet)	SIDE YARD Each Side (feet)	Rear Yard (feet)	BUILDING HEIGHT (FEET) [2]		
R-1 Residential District	5 acres	300	250	60	20	50	35		
R-2 Residential District	2.5 acres	150	100	60	20	50	35		
R-3 Residential District	1.0 acre	150	100	60	20	50	35		
R-4 Residential District	10,890 sq. ft.	60	50	60	10	50	35		

NOTES:

sq. ft. = square feet

[1] The minimum lot area requirement shall be for each single-family dwelling unit. The minimum lot area for other uses allowed in the district may be larger, as defined in any applicable use-specific standards, but in no case shall it be reduced below this requirement.

[2] The maximum building height is given in feet but in no case shall a residential building exceed 2.5 stories in height. Building heights are maximum heights except as provided in Sec. 504-A(5): Height Measurement and Exceptions.

TABLE 504-2: SITE DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS FOR BUSINESS AND MIXED USE ZONING DISTRICTS

	MAXIMUM	Setbacks					
DISTRICT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE COVERAGE	Front Yard (feet)	SIDE AND REAR YARD Adjacent to a Residential District (feet)	SIDE AND REAR YARD Adjacent to a Business or Mixed Use District (feet)	BUILDING HEIGHT (FEET) [1]		
B-1	50%	75	50	25	35		
B-2	50%	75	75	25	35		
B-3	50%	75	50	25	35		
B-4	50%	75	50	25	35		
B-5	50%	60	50	10	35		
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Permitted Use Table

		Tat	ole 502-1: I	Permitted U	Jse Table					
Permitted Uses		Residenti	al Zoning		Business Zoning					Use-Specific Standards
P - Permitted Use										Standards
P = Permitted Use	Districts				Districts					
PS = Permitted with Additional Use-Specific Standards										See Section:
C = Conditional Use										
Blank Cell = Prohibited	R-1	R-2	R-3	R-4	B-1	B-2	B-3	B-4	B-5	1
		•	Agric	ultural Uses	•		•			
Agricultural uses on lots of five acres or more Exempt pursuant to Sec. 302-A: Agricultural Use Exemption.										
Agricultural uses on lots between one and five acres	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	Sec. 503-A
Residential Uses										
Adult family homes or small residential facilities	Р	Р	Р	Р						
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Adult group homes or large residential facilities Attached dwellings				C C	С				С	Sec. 503-B Sec. 503-C
Conventional residential subdivisions	С	с	С	P	C				с —	Sec. 503-D
Open space residential subdivisions	PS	PS	PS	C						Sec. 503-E
Permanently sited manufactured housing	PS	PS	PS	PS						Sec. 503-F
Single-family dwellings- on lots of record	Р	Р	Р	Р					Р	
Skilled Nursing or Personal Care Facility				С				С		Sec. 503-G
Public and Institutional Uses										
Cemeteries	C	С	С	C	~	~			~	Sec. 503-H
Churches and places of worship	C C	C C	C	C	C C	C	Р	Р	C C	Sec. 503-I
Cultural institutions Educational institutions (public or private)	C C	c c	C C	C C	C	С			C	Sec. 503-J Sec. 503-J
Government offices and buildings	C C	c c	c	C C	С	С	С	Р	С	Sec. 503-K
Institutions for human medical care		-	-	-			C	C		Sec. 503-L
Institutions for higher education						С	С	С		Sec. 503-M
Parks, playgrounds, and golf courses (except	С	С	С	С	С					Sec. 503-N
miniature) Passive parks and open space	Р	Р	P	P	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	000000000000000000000000000000000000000
Quasi-public, fraternal or service facilities	C F	F C	r C	r C	F C	r C	r C	r C	r C	Sec. 503-0
Urgent care clinics			-			C	C	C	-	500.505.0
			Commercia	and Office	Uses					
Automotive service (minor) uses					С	С				
Banks and financial institutions					Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Bed and breakfast establishments	С								Р	Sec. 503-P
Commercial entertainment or recreation uses (indoors)	С	С	С	С	С	Р	Р	Р	С	Sec. 503-Q
Day care centers (adult or child)					Р	Р	Р		Р	
Funeral homes					С			С	С	Sec. 503-R
Gasoline stations (fueling only)					С	С			С	Sec. 503-S
General offices (administrative, professional, business)					Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Hotels and motels		<u> </u>				Р	Р			
Medical and dental offices					Р	P	P	Р	PS	
Mixed use buildings					PS				PS	Sec. 503-T
Outdoor retail sales of plant materials and garden or						С				Sec. 503-U
lawn supplies Personal service establishments	-	-		<u> </u>	Р	P	PS	PS	Р	Sec. 503-V
Private recreational uses (outdoors)					C	C	C IS	C	C	Sec. 503-W
Research and development facilities							C	C		
Restaurants and taverns					С	С	С	C	С	Sec. 503-X
Retail commercial uses					Р	Р			Р	
Sales offices and showrooms						Р	PS			Sec. 503-Y
Service commercial uses					PS	Р			PS	
Sexually oriented businesses						С				Sec. 503-Z
Theaters and assembly halls		l				C				
Veterinarian offices (no boarding) P P P										
Other Uses Gas and oil wells PS PS PS PS PS PS PS Sec. 503-AA										
Wireless telecommunication facilities	C F3	C F3	C F3	F3 C	C F3	P	P	P	C	Sec. 503-AA Sec. 503-BB

Staff Comments:

- The site can be used as currently zoned.
- The Bath township future land use plan calls for these parcels to Rural Estate Residential Use.
- Although the Cleveland-Massillon Mixed Use area is adjacent to the Bath township future land use plan states "The township does not envision the expansion of this area outside of the boundaries illustrated on Map 9: Future Land Use Plan.
- There are no adjoining B-4 zoned parcels, this would be an island of B-4 surrounded primarily by residential use.
- The proposed change may have an adverse affect on traffic nor the neighborhood.
- Recommendation: Staff recommends DISAPPROVAL.

Planning Commission action:

On January 28, 2021 the Summit County Planning Commission approved the proposed amendments after in-depth discussions.

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