



2026 REZONING APPLICATION

TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF FAYETTE COUNTY, GA

SUBMITTAL DEADLINE: A COMPLETE REZONING APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE PLANNING AND ZONING DEPARTMENT **BY 12:00 PM (NOON)** ON THE TENTH (10th) DAY OF THE MONTH 2 MONTHS PRIOR TO HEARING DATE.

If the tenth day of the month is on a weekend or holiday, the application filing deadline is extended to the next business day (see Hearing Schedule on page 2).

Yield Plan: The Conservation Subdivision (C-S) and Estate Residential District (EST) zoning districts require a Yield Plan to be submitted prior to the Rezoning Application. It is submitted via a separate application and must be reviewed and approved by staff before a rezoning application will be accepted. Please request a Yield Plan checklist if you require one.

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Fayetteville, GA 30214
Phone: 770- 305-5421
E-mail: zoning@fayettecountyga.gov

REZONING APPLICATION FILING FEES (per parcel being rezoned)

(based on number of acres to be rezoned)

0 to 5 Acres	\$250.00*
6 to 20 Acres	\$350.00*
21 to 100 Acres	\$450.00*
101 or more Acres	\$550.00*

*An additional \$20.00 deposit is required (per public hearing sign posted on property). If the sign frame(s) is returned to the Planning and Zoning Department within five (5) working days of the last applicable public hearing, the sign deposit will be reimbursed to the applicant. **The application filing fee and sign deposit may be combined on one (1) check made payable to Fayette County.** Application filing fees may be refunded ONLY when an application request is withdrawn in writing by the applicant PRIOR TO placement of the legal advertisement for said public hearing request (at least 30 days before scheduled Planning Commission public hearing).

A submittal that is missing any required documents, or that has inaccurate or out-of-date documents, is not considered a complete application, and may be moved to a later meeting date. Please refer to the checklist on page 10 for a list of required documents.

HEARING SCHEDULE FOR 2026 REZONING APPLICATIONS

(Dates are subject to change with notice. If a hearing falls on a holiday, a different hearing date will be scheduled.)

Deadline for application is the tenth (10th) of the 2nd month before the meeting, by noon (12:00 PM). If the tenth day of the month is on a weekend or holiday, the application filing deadline is extended to the next business day. Rezoning applications require a total of two (2) public hearings: one by the Planning Commission (first Thursday of the month) and another public hearing by the Board of Commissioners (fourth Thursday of the month). The Meeting Schedule reflects adjustments for holidays.

Both public hearings are held at the Fayette County Administrative Complex at Stonewall (located at the southwest corner of SR 54 and SR 85 in downtown Fayetteville) on the first floor in the Public Meeting Room (near the fountain). Planning Commission hearings begin at 7:00 p.m., and Board of Commissioners hearings begin at 5:00 p.m., unless otherwise noted.

APPLICATION FILING DEADLINE – 12:00 PM Noon	PLANNING COMMISSION HEARING DATE – 7:00 PM	BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HEARING DATE – 5:00 PM*
November 10, 2025	January 15, 2026*	February 26, 2026*
December 10, 2025	February 5, 2026	February 26, 2026
January 9, 2026	March 5, 2026	March 26, 2026
February 10, 2026	April 2, 2026	April 23, 2026++
March 10, 2026	May 7, 2026	May 28, 2026
April 10, 2026	June 4, 2026	June 25, 2026
May 12, 2026	July 16, 2026*	August 27, 2026
June 10, 2026	August 6, 2026	August 27, 2026
July 10, 2026	September 3, 2026	September 24, 2026
August 10, 2026	October 1, 2026	October 22, 2026
September 10, 2026	November 5, 2026	December 10, 2026, 2:00 PM*
October 9, 2026	December 3, 2026	January 28, 2027*
November 10, 2026	January 7, 2027	January 28, 2027
December 10, 2026	February 4, 2027	February 25, 2027

++ BOC meeting is on Thursday, April 23 due to the ACCG Conference.

*Holiday Schedule

PETITION No (s): _____

SAGES REFERENCE No.: _____

STAFF USE ONLY

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name_____

Address_____

City_____

State_____ Zip_____

Email_____

Phone_____

PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION

Name_____

Address_____

City_____

State_____ Zip_____

Email_____

Phone_____

AGENT(S) (if applicable)

Name_____

Address_____

City_____

State_____ Zip_____

Email_____

Phone_____

Name_____

Address_____

City_____

State_____ Zip_____

Email_____

Phone_____

(THIS AREA TO BE COMPLETED BY STAFF)

[] Application Insufficient due to lack of:

Staff: _____ Date: _____

[] Application and all required supporting documentation is Sufficient and Complete

Staff: _____ Date: _____

DATE OF PLANNING COMMISSION HEARING: _____

DATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HEARING: _____

Received from _____ a check in the amount of \$ _____ for
application filing fee, and \$ _____ for deposit on frame for public hearing sign(s).

Date Paid: _____ Receipt Number: _____

PETITION No.: _____ **Fees Due:** _____ **Sign Deposit Due:** _____

STAFF USE ONLY

PROPERTY INFORMATION *(please provide information for each parcel)*

Parcel # (Tax ID): _____ Acreage: _____
Land District(s): _____ Land Lot(s): _____
Road Name/Frontage L.F.: _____ Road Classification: _____
Existing Use: _____ Proposed Use: _____
Structure(s): _____ Type: _____ Size in SF: _____
Existing Zoning: _____ Proposed Zoning: _____
Existing Land Use: _____ Proposed Land Use: _____
Water Availability: _____ Distance to Water Line: _____ Distance to Hydrant: _____

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PROPERTY OWNER CONSENT AND AGENT AUTHORIZATION FORM
(Applications require authorization by ALL property owners of subject property).

Name(s) of All Property Owners of Record found on the latest recorded deed for the subject property:

(Please Print)

Property Tax Identification Number(s) of Subject Property: _____

(I am) (we are) the sole owner(s) of the above-referenced property requested to be rezoned. Subject property is located in Land Lot(s) _____ of the _____ District, and (if applicable to more than one land district) Land Lot(s) _____ of the _____ District, and said property consists of a total of _____ acres (legal description corresponding to most recent recorded plat for the subject property is attached herewith).

(I) (We) hereby delegate authority to _____ to act as (my) (our) Agent in this rezoning. As Agent, they have the authority to agree to any and all conditions of zoning which may be imposed by the Board.

(I) (We) certify that all of the information filed with this application including written statements or showings made in any paper or plans submitted herewith are true and correct to the best of (my) (our) knowledge and belief. Further, (I) (We) understand that this application, attachments and fees become part of the official records of the Fayette County Zoning Department and may not be refundable. (I) (We) understand that any knowingly false information given herein by me/us will result in the denial, revocation or administrative withdrawal of the application or permit. (I) (We) further acknowledge that additional information may be required by Fayette County in order to process this application.

(II) _____ Signature of Property Owner 1 _____ Address _____ Signature of Property Owner 2 _____ Address _____ Signature of Property Owner 3 _____ Address _____ Signature of Authorized Agent _____ Address	_____ Signature of Notary Public _____ Date _____ Signature of Notary Public _____ Date _____ Signature of Notary Public _____ Date _____ Signature of Notary Public _____ Date
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PETITION No.: _____

OWNER'S AFFIDAVIT

(Please complete an affidavit for each parcel being rezoned; ALL property owners must sign.)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PETITION FOR REZONING CERTAIN PROPERTY IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF FAYETTE COUNTY, GEORGIA.

_____ affirms that he is the owner or the specifically authorized agent of the property described below. Said property is located in a(n) Zoning District. He/She respectfully petitions the County to rezone the property from its present classification and tenders herewith the sum of \$_____ to cover all expenses of public hearing. He/She petitions the above named to change its classification to _____.

This property includes: (check one of the following)

☐ See attached legal description on recorded deed for subject property or

☐ Legal description for subject property is as follows:

PUBLIC HEARING to be held by the Planning Commission of Fayette County on the day of _____, 20_____ at 7:00 P.M.

PUBLIC HEARING to be held by the Board of Commissioners of Fayette County on the day of _____, 20_____ at 5:00 P.M.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20____.

SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER

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NOTARY PUBLIC

AGREEMENT TO DEDICATE PROPERTY FOR FUTURE RIGHT-OF-WAY

I/We, _____, said property owner(s) of subject property requested to be rezoned, hereby agree to dedicate, at no cost to Fayette County, feet of right-of-way along _____ as measured from the centerline of the road.

Based on the Future Thoroughfare Plan Map, streets have one of the following designations and the Fayette County Development Regulations require a minimum street width as specified below:

- Local Street (Minor Thoroughfare) 60-foot right-of-way (30' measured from each side of road centerline)
- Collector Street (Major Thoroughfare) 80-foot right-of-way (40' measured from each side of road centerline)
- Arterial Street (Major Thoroughfare) 100-foot right-of-way (50' measured from each side of road centerline)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER

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NOTARY PUBLIC

DEVELOPMENTS OF REGIONAL IMPACT (DRI)

Rezoning Applicant:

- A. Please review the attached "Developments of Regional Impact Tiers and Development Thresholds" established by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) to determine if the proposed project meets or exceeds these thresholds. If the proposed project does not meet the established thresholds (is less than those listed) then skip to section C. below and complete.
- B. If the project does meet or exceed the established thresholds for the type of development proposed, the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) "Developments of Regional Impact: Request for Review Form" is available online at the following website address: www.dca.state.ga.us/DRI/.
- C. I have reviewed and understand the attached "Thresholds: Developments of Regional Impact".
- [] The proposed project related to this rezoning request DOES NOT meet or exceed the established DRI thresholds .
- [] The proposed project related to this rezoning request DOES meet or exceed the established DRI thresholds and documentation regarding the required DRI Request for Review Form is attached.

Signed this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

Developments of Regional Impact - Tiers and Development Thresholds

Type of Development	Metropolitan Regions	Non-metropolitan Regions
(1) Office	Greater than 400,000 gross square feet	Greater than 125,000 gross square feet
(2) Commercial	Greater than 300 000 gross square feet	Greater than 175,000 gross square feet
(3) Wholesale & Distribution	Greater than 500 000 gross square feet	Greater than 175,000 gross square feet
(4) Hospitals and Health Care Facilities	Greater than 300 new beds; or generating more than 375 peak hour vehicle trips per day	Greater than 200 new beds; or generating more than 250 peak hour vehicle trips per day
(5) Housing	Greater than 400 new lots or units	Greater than 125 new lots or units
(6) Industrial	Greater than 500,000 gross square feet; or employing more than 1, 600 workers; or covering more than 400 acres	Greater than 175,000 gross square feet; or employing more than 500 workers; or covering more than 125 acres
(7) Hotels	Greater than 400 rooms	Greater than 250 rooms
(8) Mixed Use	Gross square feet greater than 400,000 (with residential units calculated at 1800 square feet per unit toward the total gross square footage); or covering more than 120 acres; or if any of the individual uses meets or exceeds a threshold as identified herein	Gross square feet greater than 125,000 (with residential units calculated at 1800 square feet per unit toward the total gross square footage); or covering more than 40 acres; or if any of the individual uses meets or exceeds a threshold as identified herein
(9) Airports	All new airports runways and runway extensions	Any new airport with a paved runway; or runway additions of more than 25% of existing runway length
(10) Attractions & Recreational Facilities	Greater than 1, 500 parking spaces or a seating capacity of more than 6, 000	Greater than 1, 500 parking spaces or a seating capacity of more than 6, 000
(11) Post-Secondary School	New school with a capacity of more than 2,400 students or expansion by at least 25 percent of capacity	New school with a capacity of more than 750 students or expansion by at least 25 percent of capacity
(12) Waste Handling Facilities	New facility or expansion of use of an existing facility by 50 percent or more	New facility or expansion of use of an existing facility by 50 percent or more
(13) Quarries, Asphalt &, Cement Plants	New facility or expansion of existing facility by more than 50 percent	New facility or expansion of existing facility by more than 50 percent
(14) Wastewater Treatment Facilities	New facility or expansion of existing facility by more than 50 percent	New facility or expansion of existing facility by more than 50 percent
(15) Petroleum Storage Facilities	Storage greater than 50, 000 barrels if within 1, 000 feet of any water supply; otherwise storage capacity greater than 200, 000 barrels	Storage greater than 50, 000 barrels if within 1, 000 feet of any water supply; otherwise storage capacity greater than 200, 000 barrels
(16) Water Supply, Intakes/Reservoirs	New Facilities	New Facilities
(17) Intermodal Terminals	New Facilities	New Facilities
(18) Truck Stops	A new facility with more than three diesel fuel pumps; or spaces.	A new facility with more than three diesel fuel pumps; or containing a half acre of truck parking or 10 truck parking spaces.
(19) Any other development types not identified above (includes parking facilities)	1000 parking spaces	1000 parking spaces

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DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

(Please check one)

Campaign contributions: ☐ No ☐ Yes (see attached disclosure report)

TITLE 36. LOCAL GOVERNMENT
PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO COUNTIES AND MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS
CHAPTER 67A. CONFLICT OF INTEREST IN ZONING ACTIONS

O.C.G.A. § 36-67A-3 (2011)

§ 36-67A-3. Disclosure of campaign contributions

(a) When any applicant for rezoning action has made, within two years immediately preceding the filing of that applicant's application for the rezoning action, campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official who will consider the application, it shall be the duty of the applicant to file a disclosure report with the governing authority of the respective local government showing:

(1) The name and official position of the local government official to whom the campaign contribution was made;
and

(2) The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the applicant to the local government official during the two years immediately preceding the filing of the application for the rezoning action and the date of each such contribution.

(b) The disclosures required by subsection (a) of this Code section shall be filed within ten days after the application for the rezoning action is first filed.

(c) When any opponent of a rezoning action has made, within two years immediately preceding the filing of the rezoning action being opposed, campaign contributions aggregating \$250.00 or more to a local government official of the local government which will consider the application, it shall be the duty of the opponent to file a disclosure with the governing authority of the respective local government showing:

(1) The name and official position of the local government official to whom the campaign contribution was made;
and

(2) The dollar amount and description of each campaign contribution made by the opponent to the local government official during the two years immediately preceding the filing of the application for the rezoning action and the date of each such contribution.

(d) The disclosure required by subsection (c) of this Code section shall be filed at least five calendar days prior to the first hearing by the local government or any of its agencies on the rezoning application.

HISTORY: Code 1981, § 36-67A-3, enacted by Ga. L. 1986, p. 1269, § 1; Ga. L. 1991, p. 1365, § 1; Ga. L. 1993, p. 91, § 36.

CHECKLIST OF ITEMS REQUIRED FOR REZONING REQUEST

(All applications/documentation must be complete at the time of application submittal or the application will not be accepted)

- ☐ Application form and all required attachments completed, signed, and notarized, as applicable.
- ☐ Copy of latest recorded deed, including legal description of the boundaries of the subject property to be rezoned.
- ☐ Boundary Survey (Separate from Conceptual Plan; 1 paper copy and 1 electronic copy in .pdf format), drawn to scale, showing north arrow, land lot and district, dimensions, and street location of the property, prepared (signed & sealed) by a land surveyor.
- ☐ Legal Description (must have metes and bounds) – 1 paper copy and 1 electronic copy in Microsoft Word .docx format
- ☐ A letter from the ownership of the homeowners' association (HOA) in a residential subdivision, or a property owner's association (POA) or developer/property management entity in a nonresidential subdivision, granting this application
- ☐ Conceptual Plan (1 paper copy and 1 electronic file in .pdf format). The Conceptual Plan is not required to be signed and sealed by a registered surveyor, engineer or architect. The Conceptual Plan may be prepared on the boundary line survey; however it is required to be drawn to scale, and include all applicable items below:
 - _____ a. The total area of the subject property to be rezoned (to the nearest one-hundredth of an acre), the existing zoning district(s) of the subject property, and the area within each zoning district if more than one district.
 - _____ b. Approximate location and size of proposed structures, use areas and improvements (parking spaces, and aisles, drives, etc.) on the subject property for non-residential rezoning requests, including labeling the proposed use of each proposed structure/use area.
 - _____ c. General layout of a proposed subdivision (residential or non-residential) including the delineation of streets and lots. The items of b. above are not required in this instance but may be included if known.
 - _____ d. Approximate location and size of existing structures and improvements on the parcel, if such are to remain. Structures to be removed must be indicated and labeled as such.
 - _____ e. Minimum zoning setbacks and buffers, as applicable.
 - _____ f. Location of all existing and proposed easements and streets on or adjacent to the subject property, indicating type and width of existing and proposed easements and centerline of streets including width of right-of-way.
 - _____ g. Location and dimensions of exits/entrances to the subject property.
 - _____ h. Approximate location and elevation of the 100-year flood plain and Watershed Protection Ordinance requirements, as applicable.
 - _____ i. Approximate location of proposed on-site stormwater facilities, including detention or retention facilities.
- ☐ A letter of intent for a non-residential rezoning request, including the proposed use(s).