



Cochise County

Development Services
Planning Division

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APPLICATION FOR A ZONING AMENDMENT: REZONING

Applicant's Name: Mark Landwerlen

Name of All Property Owner(s): Mark & Amber Landwerlen

Applicant Mailing Address:

PO Box 313 Pearce AZ 85625
Street # Town State Zip code

Subject Property Address (if different than mailing address):

Orange st. & Palm rd. Pearce AZ 85625
Street # Town State Zip code

Email Address: mlandwerlen@gmail.com

Phone Number: 520-507-0232

Tax Parcel Number: 117-04-206A & 117-04-201 combination in process.

Current Zoning Designation: SR-43

Proposed Zoning Designation: RU-4

Comprehensive Plan Land Use Category/Growth Area: _____

Comprehensive Plan Land Use Designation: _____

Area Plan Designation (if applicable): _____

Is more than one parcel included in this request? (Select one) Yes No

If more than one property owner is involved, all property owners must sign the attached consent signature form.

Are you applying for more than one zoning district on a single parcel? Yes No

If property is a new split, or the rezoning request results in more than one zoning district on any tax parcel, then a copy of a survey and associated legal description stamped by a surveyor or engineer licensed by the State of Arizona must be attached.

Describe your relationship to this application. (Select one)

I am the property owner

I am an authorized agent for the property owner

If the applicant is not the property owner, please attach a notarized letter of authorization to this application.

The Purpose of Re-Zoning

The purpose of zoning is to guide the development of land in accordance with the County's Comprehensive Plan, and to promote the public health, safety and general welfare of the County's residents. Zoning districts specify permitted land uses, minimum lot sizes, and certain site development standards such as setbacks and screening. Because Cochise County encompasses a large and diverse area, there are 34 individual zoning districts, ranging from rural and residential districts to business and industrial districts. When property is rezoned, all uses permitted within the new district can be permitted on the rezoned parcel.

What is the Process?

1. Pre-application meeting with County planning staff.
2. Citizen Review Process – the applicant must send notice to all property owners within a radius of no less than 300 feet of the subject parcel(s), as shown on the most recent available records of the last property tax assessment. The County Zoning Inspector may expand the mailed notification area to greater than a 300-foot radius at time of application acceptance if there are compatibility concerns associated with the request. Note: this step is not required for rezonings to less intensive districts.
3. Application Submittal
4. Technical review by relevant internal staff and external agencies
5. Public Hearing – Planning and Zoning Commission (Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors)
6. Public Hearing – Board of Supervisors (Approval or Denial)

Required Submittals

1. This application
2. Citizen Review Report
3. Land use/concept plan -drawn to scale showing the existing and proposed District boundaries and an accurate legal description of the area being petitioned for amendment. See our website for an example plan: <https://www.cochise.az.gov/development-services/rezoning>
4. Letter of Authorization (for authorized agents, if applicable)
5. Copy of survey with an associated legal description (if more than one zoning district is requested on a single parcel, if applicable)
6. Processing Fee

Please state the reason for this request and why it should be supported.

This area is very rural and is much better utilized with a rural friendly zoning. I have plans of building a large weld up steel shop/garage. We also would like to build horse facility's and have horses. Shop/horse building is planned to be larger than the residents and I may build it first to have a place to store tools and materials. Home will be conventional construction.

Is this request consistent with all deed restrictions or private covenants in effect for this property?

Yes

No

Not applicable (no deed restrictions or covenants)

Describe all **existing** structures/uses present on the subject parcel. Note: the size and location of existing structures must be shown on the accompanying site plan.

20'x8' steel storage container. (temp)

1700 gallon water storage tank with distrabution pump.

Describe all **proposed** structures/uses on the parcel that to be placed on the parcel. Note: the size and location of proposed structures must be shown on the accompanying site plan.

(1) 2400 sq ft single family residents with two car garage, and 800' of covered porch.

(1) 3000 sq ft weld up steel workshop/garage/horse motel.

Which streets or easements will be used for traffic entering or exiting the property? (Please label on the accompanying plan)

Palm rd. would be the main access point to the property. The property also borders Newland st. This access would only be used for over height vehicles or loads.

What impact will this have on the traffic volume of roads serving this subject property?

There will be very little new traffic increase with our development. Just standard coming and going to work a couple times a day.

How many driveway cuts are proposed along streets or easements to allow site access? State whether this is an increase/decrease and whether any existing cuts will need relocation.

Two cuts into the property. Main cut is off Palm rd. into the west end of property. Secondary cut is off Newland st. Cuts already exist and are just graded turnouts off dirt (unimproved) roads.

Will this rezoning encourage/result in the use of any residential street for through traffic to and from the proposed District? Note: this only applies to rezonings to GB, LI, or HI. Rezonings to any other district should select "not applicable."

Yes No Not applicable

Does the subject parcel have site access onto a major road?

Yes No

Please indicate whether the subject property occurs within the following:

- Within the Sierra Vista Sub-Watershed Overlay Zone
- Within two miles of the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area
- Within one mile of the Babocomari River
- None of the Above

If the subject property is within one of the previously mentioned zones, are you interested in a voluntary retirement of development rights in exchange for a concomitant density increases elsewhere in the County?

Yes No

Please describe your citizen review process (if applicable). Specifically, state whether you received any responses to your mailed notice or public meeting. Explain how your rezoning application has incorporated the feedback you received.

Not required in a down zone app.

Identify the utility company/service provider for each of the following services and state if additional provisions or future connections are required in the space below.

| Service Provider | Service Provider | Additional Provisions Required |
|------------------|---|--|
| Water/Well | On site storage tank | Future well will be drilled |
| Sewer/Septic | Septic system | I will install permitted septic system |
| Electricity | SSVEV | Already installed |
| Natural Gas | Propane tank/Cochise County Farmers asso. | LP gas delivery |
| Telephone | Valley Telephone | Will be installed after construction |
| Fire Protection | Sunsites/Pearce volunteer fire dept. | In force |
| Waste Disposal | Waste Management | Available |

Can the subject parcel accommodate typical uses within the proposed zoning district in full compliance with all applicable site development standards? Explain.

Yes, everything in my plan is permissible in RU-4 zone.

Will any adjacent parcels be reduced in size or altered in shape as a result of this amendment? If so, will they remain capable of reasonable future development in full compliance with the Zoning Regulations?

No.

Is there a significant amount of nonconforming uses in the area currently? Will this amendment result in additional nonconforming lots or uses in the area?

There is not a significant amount of nonconforming use in this area.

Is the proposed zoning adjacent to, or near, other parcels with the same zoning designation? Explain.
Yes, all the land directly across orange st to the south of my property is zoned RU-4. There
is a 4.5 acer block 1200' due east of my property that just received RU-4 approval through
this re zone process. The land directly north of my property on the other side of Newland st.
is zoned RU-4. So I am literally surrounded by RU-4 zoning.

Is the proposed zoning district more intense than the one in place currently? Please select one of the following statements:

- The proposed District is buffered by an intermediate District of sufficient size to provide a reasonable transition of intensity from the existing area.
- The proposed District is a reasonable extension of a similar density District within the area;
- The proposed District provides a transition between an existing less intense District and a more intensive District or an arterial street; or
- The proposed District is designed to provide adequate protection to the adjacent less intense development in the form of enhanced screening, landscaping, setbacks, large lot size, building orientation, or other design measures.
- Not applicable, this is not a request to a more intense zoning district.

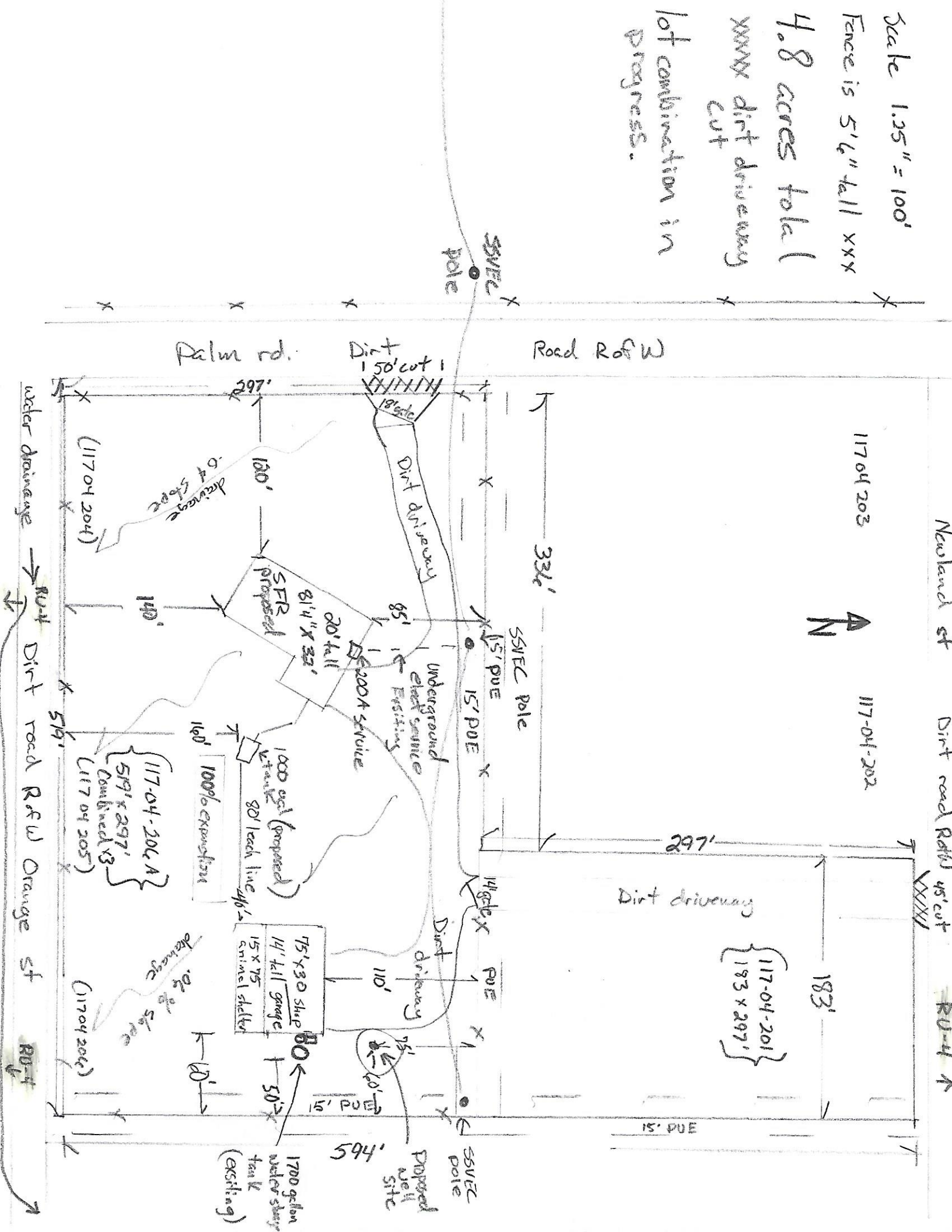
Are there any areas of unstable soils, steep slopes, severe washes, floodplains on the subject parcel? If so, please indicate their location on the concept plan. Indicate how these areas will be protected from future development.

No, land is generally flat with a slight slope down to the southeast corner.

Do you anticipate the use of any hazardous or dangerous materials? If yes, please complete a "Hazardous or Polluting Materials Attachment" and attach it to this application.

- Yes No

Scale 1.25" = 100'
 Fence is 5' 1/4" tall XXX
 4.8 acres total
 XXXX dirt driveway
 cut
 lot combination in
 progress.



Scale 1.25" = 100'
 Fence is 5' 6" tall XXX
 4.8 acres total
 XXXX dirt driveway
 cut
 lot combination in
 progress.

