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Comprehensive Plan Issues

Character Area: Industrial Activity Center

<u>Description</u>: Area used in manufacturing, wholesale trade, distribution activities, assembly, and processing activities. Uses may or may not generate excessive noise, particulate matter, vibration, smoke, dust, gas, fumes, odors, radiation, or other nuisance characteristics.

<u>Development Strategy</u>: Development or, where possible, retrofitting should occur as part of planned industrial parks having adequate water, sewer, storm-water, and transportation infrastructure for all component uses at build-out. Incorporate landscaping and site design to soften or shield views of buildings and parking lots, loading docks, etc. Incorporate signage and lighting guidelines to enhance quality of development. Also incorporate measures to mitigate impacts of external impacts on the adjacent built or natural environments. Encourage greater mix of uses such as retail and services to serve industry employees to reduce automobile reliance/use on site..

Goals and Policies:

<u>GOAL 7: LAND USE</u> – To ensure the community's anticipated growth occurs in a well-integrated yet organized fashion, which protects our community resources, promotes efficient use of infrastructure and transportation facilities, and supports quality economic development.

POLICY 7.5 – Available land shall be utilized in the most efficient manner while focusing on redevelopment of land where feasible.

<u>GOAL 8: INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION</u> – To encourage coordination of planning efforts with other local service providers and authorities, neighboring communities and state and regional planning agencies.

Attachments:

Notification Letter to Lowndes County Annexation Petition Zoning Location Map Character Area Map Aerial Location Map Boundary survey