Zoning Docket from August 15, 2022 Public Hearing

Docket Number	Applicant	CC DIST.	STAFF REC.	GCPC REC.	P&D REC.	COUNCIL ACTION
CZ-2022-071	Akash R. Patel for Jay Ambe 1, LLC 8811 Augusta Rd., Pelzer, SC 29669 0603030100600 C-3, Commercial District to C-2, Commercial District	26	Approval	Approval 8-24-22	Approval 9-19-22	
Public Comments	Some of the general comments made by Speakers at the Public Hearing on August 15, 2022 were: Speakers For: 1) Applicant • Already have a gas station and would like to provide a liquor store • Has had several customers asked to put in an ABC Liquor Store 2) Citizen • Works next door to the subject parcel • Community is building up in that area and agrees that this would serve the community 3) Citizen • Known the business owners for a long time • Believes that they have worked to build a reputation in this areas • This area is growing and does not see the proposed rezoning to be a detriment to the community 4) Citizen • Supports the business owner and the requested rezoning Speakers Against:: None					Petition/Letter For: Petition - 275 Against: None
Staff Report	 List of meetings with staff: None Below are the facts pertaining to this docket: The subject property is part of the <u>Plan Greenville County</u> Comprehensive Plan, where it is designated as <i>Rural Living</i>. The subject property is part of the <u>South Greenville Area Plan</u>, where it is designated as <i>Commercial</i> and <i>Transitional</i>. Augusta Road is a five-lane State-maintained arterial road. The parcel has approximately 156 feet of frontage along Augusta Road. The parcel is approximately 0.36 miles north of the intersection of Augusta Road and Garrison Road. The property is not along a bus route and there are no sidewalks in the area. Floodplain is not present on the site. There are no known historic or cultural resources on the site. There are no schools within one mile of the site. The applicant is requesting to rezone the property to C-2, Commercial District. The applicant is proposing a liquor store. CONCLUSION and RECOMMENDATION The subject parcel zoned C-3, Commercial District is located on Augusta Road, a five-lane Statemaintained arterial road. The <u>Plan Greenville County</u> Comprehensive Plan designates the future land 					

use of this parcel as <i>Rural Living</i> . The <u>South Greenville Area Plan</u> designates the future land use of this parcel as <i>Commercial</i> and <i>Transitional</i> . Staff is of the opinion that a successful rezoning aligns with existing plans and would not have an adverse impact on the area.
Based on these reasons, staff recommends approval of the requested rezoning to C-2, Commercial.