

Statement of Justification

Rezoning of Portion of 5036 Walls Cove Lane (PIN: 1758494277)

Date Submitted: 9/2/25

WakeMed is seeking the rezoning of this Property to facilitate the development of a Emergency Department facility. The Future Land Use Map in the proposed 2050 Comprehensive Plan designates this property as both Commercial Center and Civic. The proposed CH zoning is consistent with the Commercial Center designation, and the planned Emergency Department facility is consistent with the Civic designation.

The rezoning allows uses with the surrounding land, including the General Commercial and General Industrial zoning districts to the south. The proposed rezoning will result in significant public benefit to the Town.

The proposed zoning conditions prohibit many of the uses otherwise allowed in the CH district that may have negative impacts on the surrounding area, while permitting orderly development in and around the property.