ADMINISTRATIVE – AMENDING PLAT CITY OF NATALIA, TEXAS

Amended plats are intended to correct minor errors as noted in the Texas Local Government Code, Section 212.016, that do not attempt to remove or amend recorded covenants or restriction or involve extension of municipal utilities, including drainage and streets. The City Administrator may approve and issue an amending plat which may be recorded, and is controlling over the preceding plat without vacation of that plat if the amending plat is signed by the applicants only, and conforms to state statute. Additionally, amending plats do not require the issuance of a public notice, a hearing, or the approval from other lot owners for City Administrator to approve the plat.

Amending Plat Filing Fee: \$100.00

Amending Plat Requirement:

An amending plat shall be prepared by a surveyor, engineer or land planner, and shall conform to the city's subdivision and zoning ordinances.

- Submit three (3) blue or black line copies of the amending plat drawn on 24"x36" at a preferred scale of 1" = 100' to the City Administrator. For large developments, the City Administrator may approve a scale no smaller than 1"=200' to be permitted. Plats shall affix the appropriate certifications and acknowledgements, as applicable, for Surveyor, Engineer, Owner, P&Z, City Council, City Secretary, and County Recordation.
- 2. ____ Submit one (1) copy of an original tax certificate from each taxing unit within the jurisdiction of the real property that no delinquent ad valorem taxes are owed on the real property, in accordance with Texas Property Code, Section 12.002.
- **3. Qualifying Criteria:** In order to determine conformance to state statute, applicant is required to complete the following criteria questionnaire. The City Administrator may contact applicant anytime during period of review for additional information to support or clarify responses provided.

Yes	No	Criteria
		To correct an error in a course or distance shown on the preceding plat
		To add a course or distance that was omitted on the preceding plat;
		To correct an error in a real property description shown on the preceding plat;
		To indicate monuments set after the death, disability, or retirement from practice of the
		engineer or surveyor responsible for setting monuments;
		To show the location or character of a monument that has been changed in location or
		character or that is shown incorrectly as to location or character on the preceding plat;
		To correct any clerical error or omission previously approved by the municipal authority
		responsible for approving plats, including lot numbers, acreage, street names, and
		identification of adjacent recorded plats;
		To correct an error in courses and distances of lot lines between two adjacent lots if:
		 Both owners join in the application for amending the plat;
		ii. Neither lot is abolished;
		iii. The amendment does not attempt to remove recorded covenants or restrictions; and
		iv. The amendment does not have a material adverse effect on the property rights of the
		others owners in the plat;

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			To relocate a lot line to eliminate an inadvertent encroachment of a building or other
			improvement on a lot line or easement;
			To relocate one or more lot lines between one or more adjacent lots if:
			i. The owners of all those lots join in the application for amending the plat;
			ii. The amendment does not attempt to remove recorded covenants or restrictions; and
			iii. The amendment does not increase the number of lots;
			To make necessary changes to the preceding plat to create six or fewer lots in the subdivision
			or a part of the subdivision covered by the preceding plat if:
			i. The changes do not affect applicable zoning and other regulations of the City;
			ii. The changes do not attempt to amend or remove any covenants or restrictions; and
			iii. The area covered by the changes is located in an area that the City's plannin
			commission or other appropriate governing body of the City has approved, after a publi
			hearing, as a residential improvement area; or
			To replat one or more lots fronting an existing street if:
			i. The owners of all those lots join in the application for amending the plat;
			ii. The amendment does not attempt to remove recorded covenants or restrictions;
			iii. The amendment does not increase the number of lots; and
			iv. The amendment does not create or require the creation of a new street or mak
			necessary the extension of municipal facilities.
4.	Receip	ot and P	rocessing a Complete Final Plat with the Planning & Zoning Commission:
			ter than thirty (30) days after receipt of completed application, the City Administrator, an
			oriate staff will review the amended plat, and either consider approval or disapproval of th led plat.
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			eration of Disapproval by City Administrator shall be provided to the Subdivider in writing withi (7) days from the respective consideration date. The applicant may, on his/her own writte
			t, appeal the City Administrators decision with the P&Z Commission within fifteen (15) days from
		-	te of letter. A request to appeal before the P&Z Commission cannot remove any reasons for
		disapp	roval made by the City Administrator that does not conform to Texas Local Government Code
		Section	n 212.016.
			er than thirty (30) days after receipt of written appeal, the P&Z shall schedule a meeting to hold
			Hearing, and to consider approval or disapproval of the amended plat. The City Administrator wi t Subdivider of the time and date of the next Planning & Zoning Commission meeting.
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