CITY OF LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN CITY PLAN COMMISSION REPORT March 4, 2019

> AGENDA ITEM - 19-0192 (Lewis Kuhlman)

Resolution approving project to acquire property at 3503 Lakeshore Drive for Airport approach protection and appropriation of funds.

ROUTING: Aviation Board, F&P 3/7/19

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Airport Layout Plan identified 3503 Lakeshore Drive for acquisition and it is for sale. The City petitioned the Department of Transportation for the purchase and would be reimbursed in the future. The intention is to demolish structures on the property and restore the land. The property is assessed at \$82,300. If purchased, 80% of the cost would be reimbursed by the Department of Transportation and the remaining 20% would be paid by the airport. This property is not located within the City of La Crosse. It is located within the Town of Campbell. If purchased by the airport this property would be annexed to the City.

GENERAL LOCATION:

French Island, northwest corner along Lakeshore Dr. as depicted in MAP 19-0192.

RECOMMENDATION OF OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:

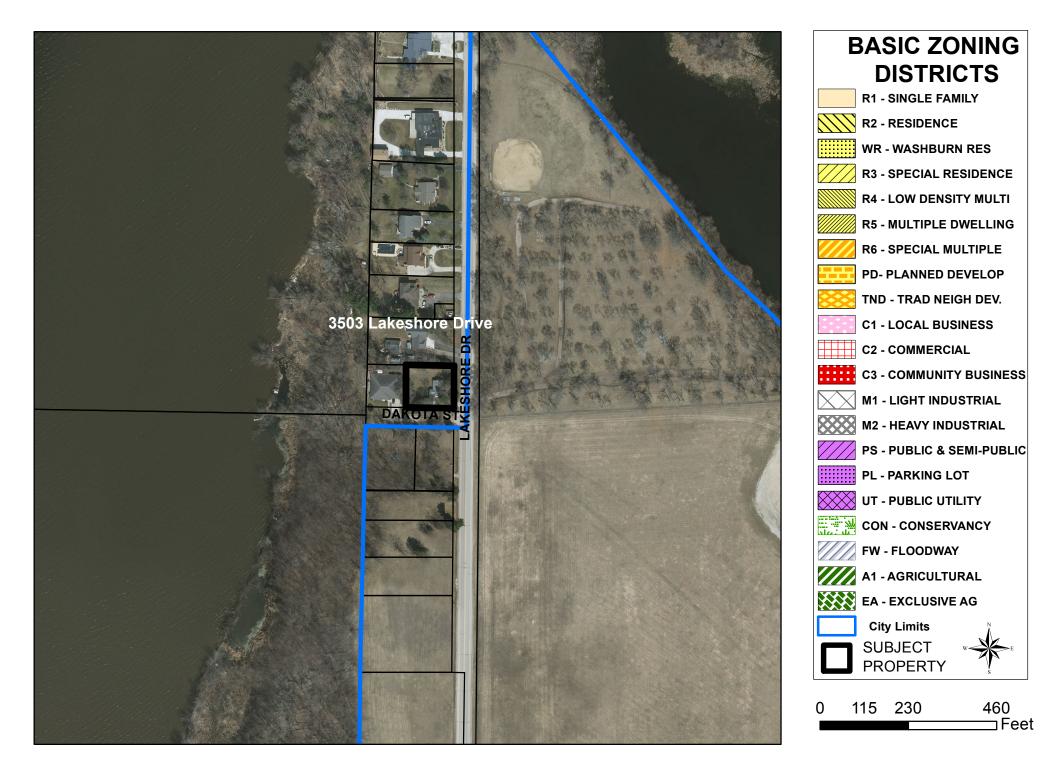
2/18/2019 - Aviation Board recommends not adopting the Resolution, as they did not want to make this a non-taxable property.

CONSISTENCY WITH ADOPTED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:

The Future Land Use Map has identified this parcel as Single Family Housing – though predominately single family housing, it may include public and institutional uses such as parks. Land Use Objective 7 is to improve land use compatibility, minimizing or eliminating conflicts or enhancing buffering. Land Use Objective 9 on major institutions is to provide for growth while protecting surrounding neighborhoods. Transportation Objective 13 is to improve air service while minimizing impacts on surrounding neighborhoods.

This property is located in the Runway Protection Zone of the Airport Layout Plan. This zone is intended to provide a clear area that is free of above ground obstructions and structures. The plan recommends that properties should be purchased and removed in this zone should they become available. See Attached Map from the plan.

➤ PLANNING RECOMMENDATION:
This property is identified in the Airport Mater plan for removal for runway safety and there is a willing seller of the property. This Resolution is recommended for approval.



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