#### CITY OF LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN CITY PLAN COMMISSION REPORT November 29, 2021

## AGENDA ITEM – 21-1587 (Lewis Kuhlman)

AN ORDINANCE to amend Subsection 115-110 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of La Crosse transferring certain property from the Single-Family Residence District to the Residence District allowing for the creation of a duplex at 719 Losey Blvd. N.

## > **<u>ROUTING</u>**: J&A 11.30.21

# **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The structure was originally built as a side-by-side duplex, but was converted to a single unit years ago. It had two three-bedroom units and is now one six-bedroom unit. The rezoning would allow the new owner to convert it back to a duplex with two three-bedroom units. The internal remodeling would likely not require design review. Applicant suggests a duplex would result in fewer nuisance complaints. It would have a positive effect on housing by increasing the number of units without impacting the neighborhood's physical character.

### **GENERAL LOCATION:**

District 3, Grandview Emerson Neighborhood, at the end of Losey Blvd. off of Park Dr. as depicted in Map 21-1587. It is adjacent to a car stereo installer, a park, and both single-unit and multi-unit residences.

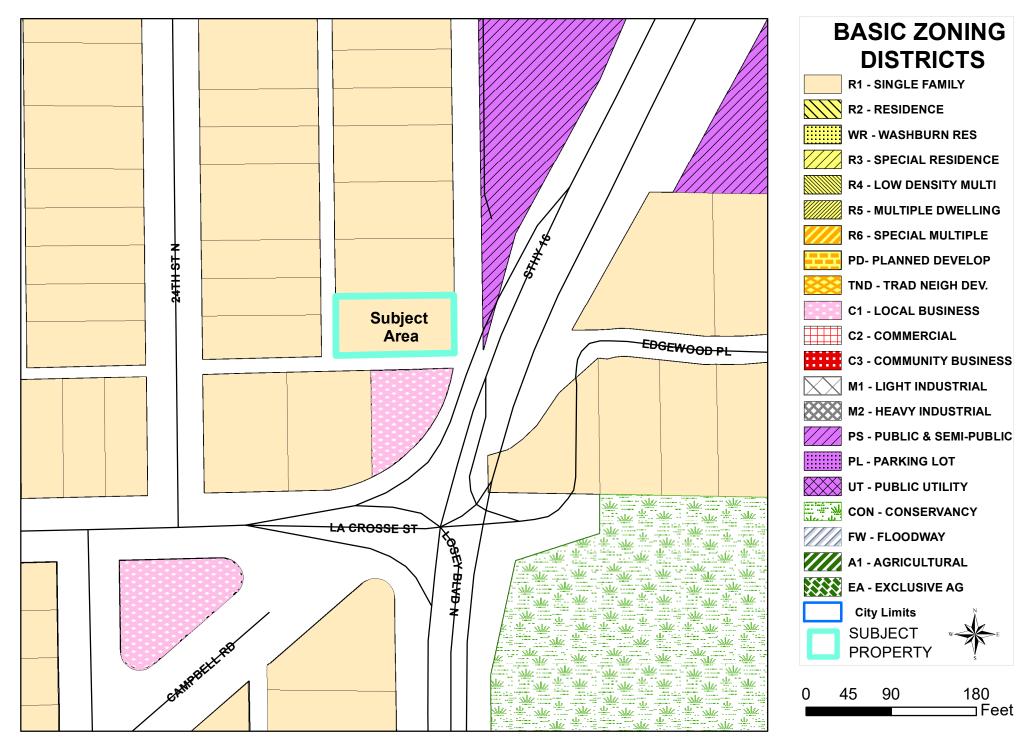
### RECOMMENDATION OF OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS: None

### **CONSISTENCY WITH ADOPTED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:**

The Future Land Use Map identifies this parcel as Single-Family Housing, which is an area predominantly of single unit residences. One duplex would not change this predominance.

### > <u>PLANNING RECOMMENDATION:</u>

**Approval** – This rezoning would allow the restoration of a duplex and add housing units without impacting the neighborhood's aesthetics.



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