

## Housing Redevelopment Alignments: City-Owned Lots

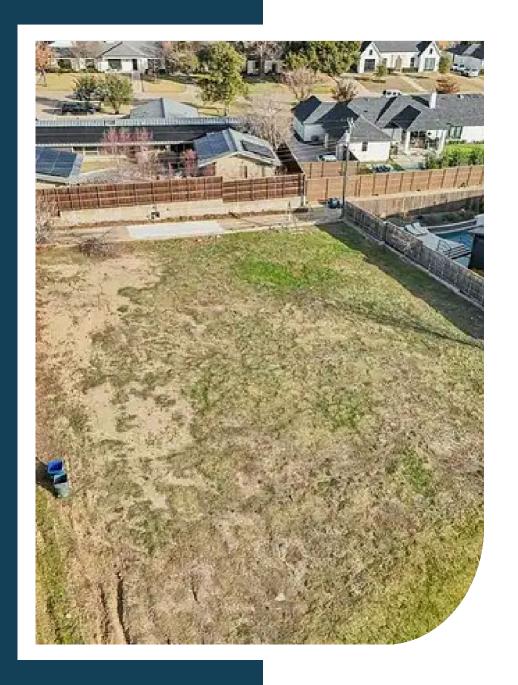
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### Transforming City-Owned Lots into Sustainable, Equitable Communities

- Establishing how a unified, long-term housing strategy looks
- 2 Maximizing the impact from Cityowned lots
- 3 Aligning with the Council's strategic goals
- 4 Delivering sustainable and complete revitalization



#### Neighborhood Renaissance Program

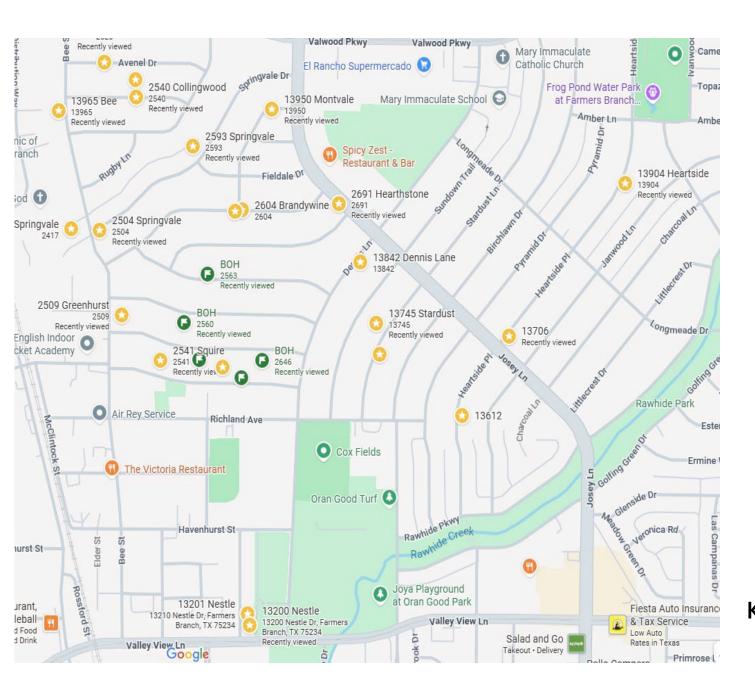
#### **Background**

Created in 1999 for the city to purchase old homes, demolish them, and sell

2009-2014 program rebooted to focus on distressed structures in Branch Crossing and Valwood Park

2017 residents voted for \$4MM Neighborhood Revitalization Bond

2019–2023 City Council decided to work with Builders of Hope and sold five parcels for attainable housing



#### Discussion

22 City-owned residential lots

Possibility 1: Transfer to Community Developer

Possibility 2: List lots on the market

Possibility 3: Combo of the two

Possibility 4: New idea/no action

Key:
City-Owned Lot
Builders of Hope Completed Home

## Direction



Farmers Branch Housing Redevelopment Strategy

# Resetting the clock after the lots are sold

Defining a comprehensive housing redevelopment strategy

Setting affordability or workforce housing goals

Creating a developer selection process

Identifying metrics to guide policy

