

# WHEAT RIDGE CLEARVALE URA

Proposed Project

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**County Impacts** 

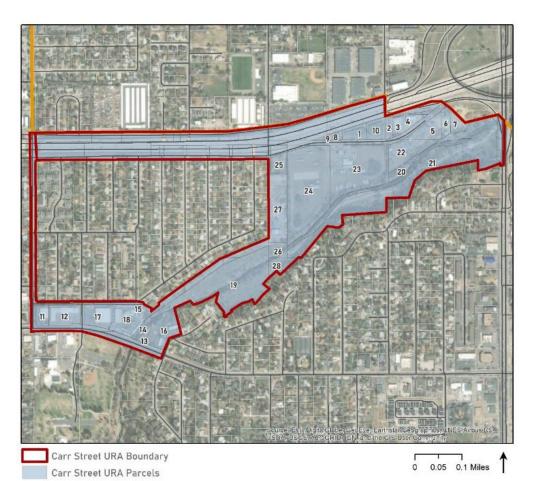
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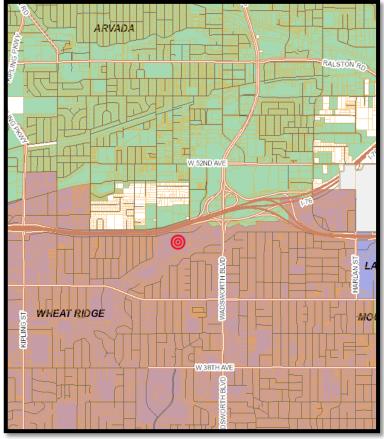
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# WHAT IS PROPOSED

28 Parcels, 109 acres, 2 Development Scenarios, start time of 2024 (25 year URA) Buyer has been identified for development of properties (Prologis)

#### Scenario 1

- 4 years for buildout completion 2028
- Low development program
  - 19,900 sq. ft. retail
  - 239,000 industrial
  - 258,900 total
- Four parcels identified for development

#### Scenario 2

- Builds upon scenario 1
- 5 year buildout for industrial development
- 10 year retail buildout completion 2034
- High development program
  - 70,000 retail
  - 272,000 industrial
- Same parcels as #1 with 3 additional parcels.



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# ESTIMATED COST OF COUNTY SERVICE

County Wide Average Cost 2022-24					
Department/Agency	Avg. Annual Budget				
Assessor	\$7,434,623				
District Attorney	\$27,705,158				
Human Services*	\$54,443,210				
Library*	\$32,182,038				
Public Health	\$24,339,424				
Treasurer	\$3,333,437				
Sheriff/Detention*	\$23,283,693				
Clerk & Recorder	\$15,214,867				
Total	\$187,936,449				

County wide total structures per land use and total square footage					
Land Use Category	# of Structures	Square Footage			
Agricultural	28	190,949			
Commercial	2684	34,883,405			
High Denisity Residential	14698	41,563,979			
Industrial	2039	22,601,783			
Institutional	689	20,743,963			
Office	1588	24,976,355			
Recreational	142	1,557,209			
Residential	185036	337,250,290			
Total	206904	483,767,933			

<sup>\*50%</sup> of total cost due to non-residential nature of project

Estimated service cost per year after bu	uildout based on proposed square foo	tage.	
Carr Street Scenario 1 - buildout projec	ted in 4 years Sq. Feet	Cost/sqft.	SVC cost/year
Commercial	258,90	0	
industrial	239,00	0	
Total	497,90	0	\$0.39 \$193,426.54
Carr Street Scenario 2 - 10 Years	Sq. Feet	Cost/sqft.	SVC cost/year
Commercial	342,00	0	
Industrial	272,00	0	
Total	614,00	0	\$0.39 \$238,529.62
Existing Development	Sq. Feet	Cost/sqft.	SVC cost/year
Residential	6,41	9	
Commercial/Industrial	149,38	6	
Total	155,80	5	\$0.39 \$60,527.86

# WHAT ARE URA'S IMPACTS TO UNINCORPORATED JEFFCO



## **Positive Impacts**

- Eliminate blight in URA area
  - Address factors that contribute to blight (ie. Unsanitary conditions, inadequate public improvements, poor street layout)
- Increase employment opportunity 400 job potential
- Infrastructure improvements
- Long term tax revenue including sales tax benefits
- Remediation of Clear Creek Floodplain and Floodway.
  - Properties could be out of floodplain

## **Negative Impacts**

- Uncertain economic development outlook
- Costs for County services
- Unknown tenants/impacts
  - Traffic
  - Noise
  - Infrastructure
- TABOR TIF amount may not count toward revenue limit



# WHAT ARE URA'S IMPACTS TO UNINC

#### Base Tax, Increment and Service cost for each scenario and no build. Cost =

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Year		Tax Increment		Estimated Cost*					
	Base Tax	Scenario 1	Scenario 2	Base Cost	Scenario 1	Scenario 2			
2028	\$141,810	\$33,465	\$32,108	\$68,125	\$217,703	\$268,467			
2038	\$164,396	\$242,431	\$458,060	\$91,554	\$292,575	\$360,797			
2048	\$190,580	\$281,559	\$531,806	\$123,041	\$393,196	\$484,882			
25 year total	\$4,041,567	\$4,816,857	\$8,452,107	\$2,206,801	\$7,052,189	\$8,696,614			

## Tax Revenue/Cost comparison with County keeping 35% of

<u>increment</u> **Tax Increment** Estimated Cost\* **Base Plus County Tax Increment** Estimated Cost\* Base Plus County Year Revenue Share Scenario 2 Scenario 1 **County Share** Scenario 1 County Share Scenario 2 Base Tax Revenue Share 2028 \$141,810 \$33,465 \$11,713 \$217,703 \$153,523 \$11,238 \$268,467 \$153,048 \$32,108 2038 \$242,431 \$292,575 \$164,396 \$84.851 \$249,247 \$458,060 \$160,321 \$360,797 \$324,717 2048 \$190,580 \$281.559 \$98,546 \$393,196 \$289,126 \$531.806 \$186,132 \$484,882 \$376,712 \$6,999,800 25 year total \$4.041.567 \$4,816,857 \$1,685,900 \$7,052,189 \$5,727,467 \$8,452,107 \$2,958,237 \$8,696,614 2053 \$208,253 \$316,897 \$455.822 \$525,150 \$806,805 \$562,111 \$806,805 \$5,046,789 \$11,348,146 \$10,828,452 30 year total \$4.816.857 \$3,180,735 \$9,202,348 \$8,227,524 \$8,452,107 \$6,786,889 County would keep entire increment after 2048.



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# WHEAT RIDGE CLEAR VALE PROPOSAL

## Types of things you could consider

- The proposed use of incremental tax revenue could significantly impact effective County delivery of public services.
- The public infrastructure components associated with the proposed project may not be economically feasible without use of County TIF.
- Are the benefits to the County greater than the costs to County government?
- Typical project life is 30 years After year 25 (2048) Jeffco keep 100% of property tax. Tax vs. cost looks more favorable after 30 year time frame.
- Keeping 35% of increment nearly covers Scenario 1 after 30 years and nearly covers Scenario 2 after 25 years.

## **Recommendation**

 Enter into IGA with Wheat Ridge splitting the tax increment with 65% for Wheat Ridge and 35% for Jefferson County



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