

3,348 SF Office in East Austin

1709 E Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Austin, TX 78748

FOR SALE



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Executive Summary

Positioned on one of East Austin's primary arterial roads and surrounded by numerous dense infill developments, 1709 E MLK sits at the heart of one of Austin's most youthful, vibrant, and rapidly growing submarkets. The property is within walking distance of the University of Texas and just a short drive to Downtown Austin's CBD, with immediate proximity to East Austin's The Saltillo development, Mueller District, and the Historic Hancock neighborhood. This coveted Central East Austin location offers outstanding commuter access and is surrounded by an abundance of dining, retail, and entertainment amenities.

Given this location, the property offers the next buyer several attractive options: an investor interested in site redevelopment, a renovation play, or an owner-user seeking office space in a great location. The site benefits from high visibility near the signalized intersection of E MLK and Chicon St, one of East Austin's most heavily trafficked corners, and represents a compelling opportunity to invest in one of East Austin's fastest-growing areas.

The property also carries a strong connectivity advantage - just 0.6 miles from I-35, roughly 1.0 mile from Airport Blvd, and 3.5 miles from Hwy 183. The immediate area is anchored by some of Austin's most sought-after amenities, including Juice Land and Sour Duck Market, plus East Austin's acclaimed restaurant row featuring Este, Haymaker, Vortex, Salty Sow, and School House Pub.

Highlights

- Rare commercial opportunity in one of Austin's fastest-growing neighborhoods
- Prime user or redevelopment opportunity on a flexible LO-MU-zoned site
- High-visibility frontage on E MLK, one of East Austin's main arterial corridors
- Signalized, highly trafficked intersection at E MLK and Chicon St
- Exceptional parking ratio of 5.07/1,000 SF - a scarce amenity in East Austin
- Dense, walkable location near UT Austin, Downtown, and Mueller/Salttillo districts
- Strong connectivity via I-35, Airport Blvd, and Hwy 183
- Surrounded by top-tier East Austin dining, retail, and entertainment

Listing Details

Sale Price: Contact for Price

Property Type: Office

Total Building SF: 3,348 SF

Floors: 2

Land Area: .29 AC

Parking: 17 Spaces

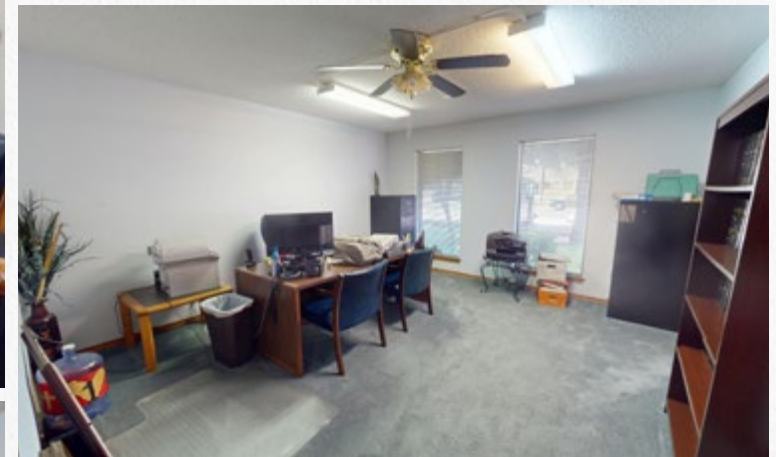
Zoning: LO-MU-NP

Year Built: 1980

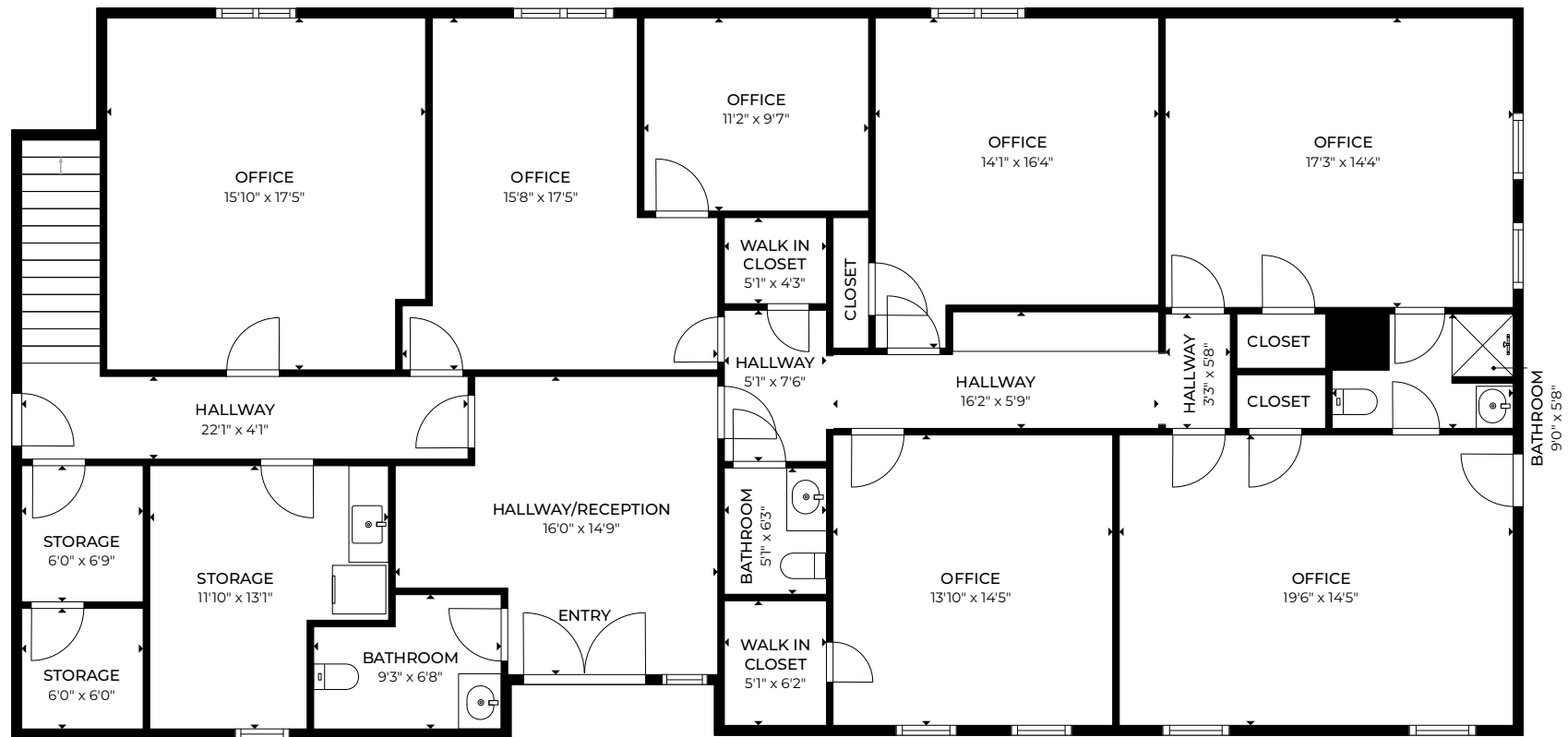
Neighborhood: Cherrywood



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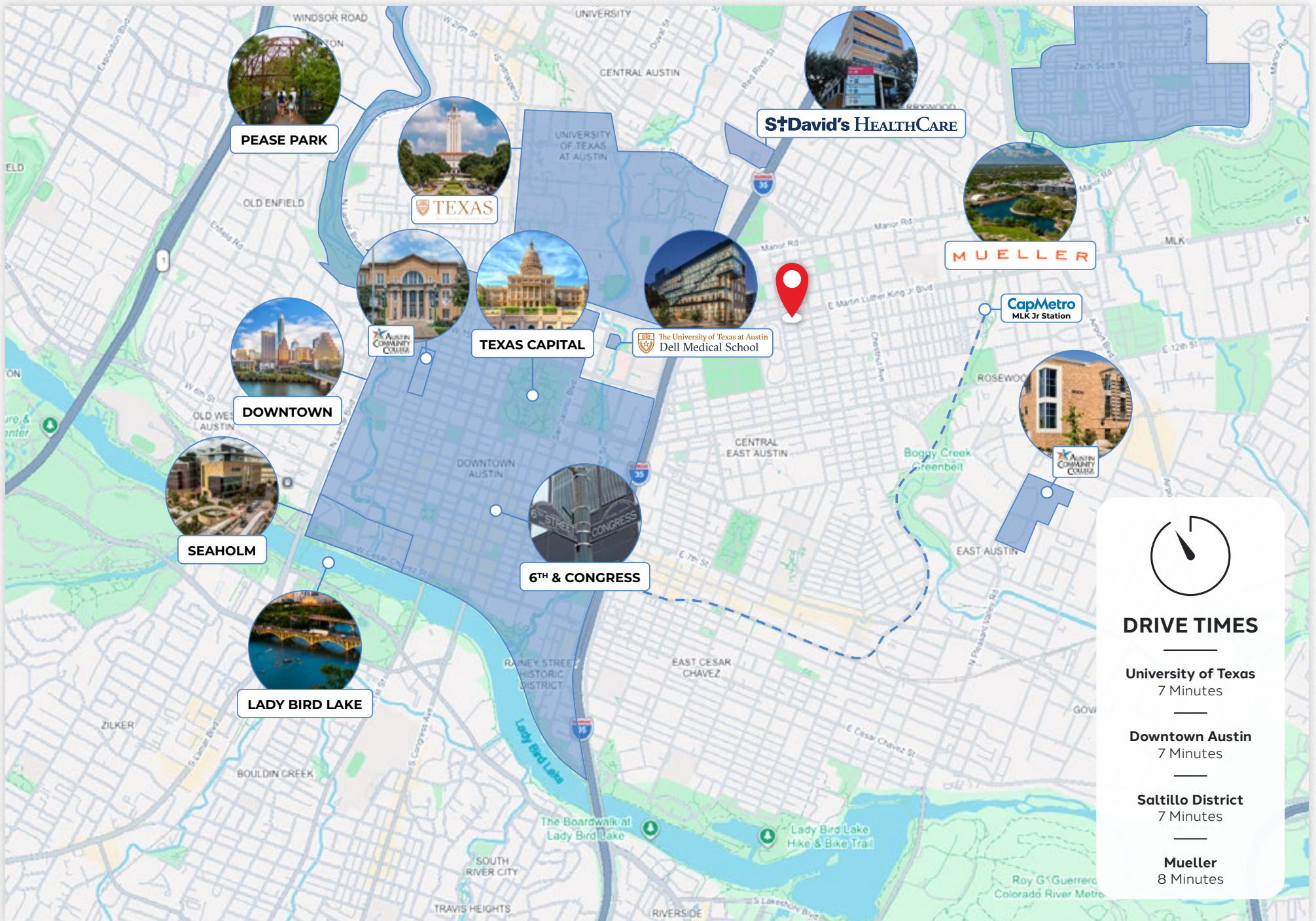


FLOOR 1



FLOOR 2

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Location Demographics



Population

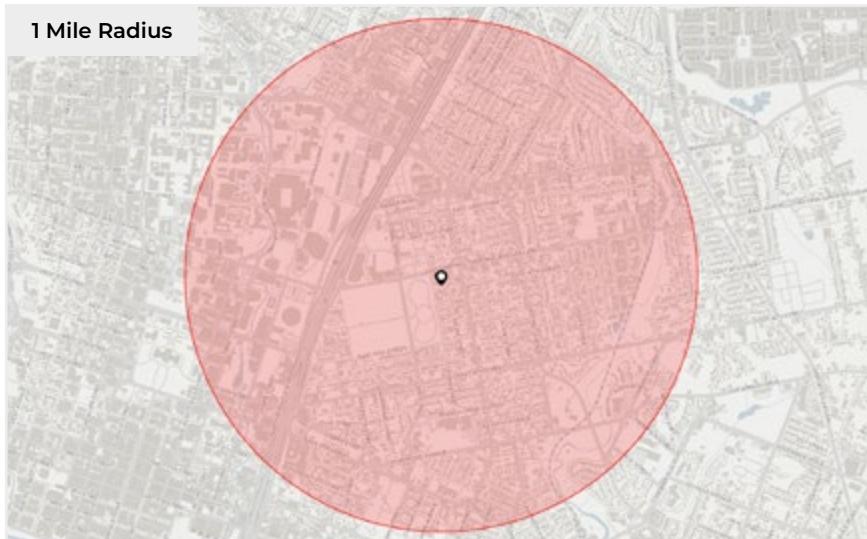
	1 Mile	3 Miles	5 Miles
	20,091	186,709	379,231



Avg Household
Income

	1 Mile	3 Miles	5 Miles
	\$118,187	\$125,925	\$122,824

1 Mile Radius



Information obtained from third-party resource, subject to change.

Radius	1 Mile	3 Miles	5 Miles
Households	9,253	87,998	173,022
Households by Marital Status			
Married	2,081	19,531	44,304
Married No Children	1,350	13,079	27,183
Married w/Children	731	6,452	17,121
Education			
Some High School	6.71%	6.46%	8.98%
High School Grad	10.29%	10.12%	12.26%
Some College	18.59%	15.39%	16.59%
Associate Degree	6.28%	7.77%	8.38%
Bachelor Degree	37.48%	35.52%	32.75%
Advanced Degree	20.65%	24.75%	21.06%
Annual Consumer Spending (\$000)			
Apparel	\$14,328	\$140,908	\$277,792
Entertainment	\$41,367	\$401,381	\$779,151
Food & Alcohol	\$76,845	\$748,752	\$1,473,757
Household	\$48,479	\$463,459	\$900,565
Transportation	\$67,767	\$663,931	\$1,309,729
Health Care	\$11,664	\$114,723	\$228,006
Education/Day Care	\$21,251	\$215,952	\$408,396

Market Overview

AUSTIN

The Central Texas MSA, currently the 26th largest in the United States, is home to a dynamic and growing population of approximately 1.73 million residents. Spanning an expansive area of over 4,219 square miles (10,928 km²), this region includes five pivotal counties: Bastrop, Caldwell, Hays, Travis, and Williamson. Anchored by Austin, the vibrant state capital, the MSA serves as a hub of cultural, economic, and educational activities. Notably, it hosts the University of Texas at Austin, a cornerstone of academic excellence and innovation. This area seamlessly combines the advantages of a major metropolitan center with a rich educational environment, making it a premier destination for residents and businesses alike.

Economy

The Austin-Round Rock region, known as 'Silicon Hills,' is experiencing significant growth, fueled by a robust technology sector with major companies like Tesla, Dell, IBM, Apple, Google, and Meta. This surge is bolstered by a strong job market and business-friendly policies that have attracted over 66 corporate relocations to Austin in the past five years, highlighting Texas as a prime destination for business expansion.

With over 90% of residents holding at least a high school diploma and nearly 60% possessing higher education degrees, the local workforce is well-equipped to meet the high demands of the tech industry. The region's rapid growth in tech employment and high salary averages further underscore its economic vitality, making it an attractive hub for both living and business opportunities in a dynamic and innovative setting.

Real Estate

Austin's real estate market continues to thrive, driven by robust demand across both residential and commercial sectors. The city's rapid population growth has fueled a competitive market environment, with significant influxes of major tech companies and startups elevating the demand for office spaces. These tech giants not only enhance the city's economic landscape but also significantly influence the commercial real estate market, increasing the need for modern office environments.

Furthermore, the rise of e-commerce has transformed Austin's industrial real estate sector, with a growing demand for distribution centers and warehouses to support logistical operations. The city's landscape is continually evolving with ongoing development projects, prominently featuring mixed-use developments that integrate residential, commercial, and retail spaces. These projects are designed to cater to the dynamic lifestyle of Austin's diverse population, providing convenience and accessibility in vibrant, community-focused settings.

Market Drivers

AUSTIN

Regional Economic Rankings & Demand Anchors

Austin anchors one of the country's most visible Sunbelt growth markets, combining state-capital stability, a deep employer base, a highly educated workforce, major university and research institutions, expanding air connectivity, and nationally recognized business and talent rankings. These fundamentals support broad-based tenant, investor, workforce and consumer demand across Austin-area commercial property types.

1.0M+

AUSTIN CITY POPULATION
2025 CENSUS ESTIMATE

2.55M

AUSTIN MSA POPULATION
2024 ACS / METRO UPDATE

\$268B

AUSTIN REGION GDP
2024 | +3.7% REAL GDP

\$7.94B

VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENT
2025 RECORD FUNDING

21.7M

AUS PASSENGER ACTIVITY
2025 ANNUAL PASSENGERS

59.6%

BACHELOR'S DEGREE OR HIGHER
CITY RESIDENTS AGE 25+

55,000

UT AUSTIN ENROLLMENT
FALL 2025

\$1.37B

UT AUSTIN RESEARCH
FY25 EXPENDITURES

#9

BEST-PERFORMING LARGE METRO
MILKEN INSTITUTE | 2026

#5

BEST METRO FOR STEM PROS
WALLETHUB | 2026

#3

BEST CITY TO START A CAREER
WALLETHUB | 2026

#1

BEST CITY TO START A BUSINESS
USA TODAY / MCCOMBS | 2025

Regional Demand Story

- Population scale, GDP growth and capital-market visibility expand Austin's consumer, workforce, tenant and investor base.
- State government, UT Austin, health care, technology, semiconductors, advanced manufacturing and professional services diversify the demand profile.
- Talent, research, venture capital and entrepreneurship reinforce Austin's long-term innovation brand.
- AUS passenger activity, major events, music, dining, outdoor recreation and cultural identity strengthen visitor and lifestyle demand.

Commercial Real Estate Relevance

- The Austin story supports a broad backdrop for office, medical, industrial/flex, retail, restaurant, hospitality, multifamily, land and mixed-use assets.
- Employer depth and institutional anchors help sustain recurring activity across Austin's urban core, established suburban nodes and high-growth corridors.
- The strongest positioning pairs regional momentum with asset-level fundamentals: access, visibility, utility, submarket fit, basis and execution.
- Performance remains property-specific and varies by product type, location, pricing, supply, capital costs and market timing.

SOURCES: U.S. Census Bureau QuickFacts; City of Austin / U.S. Census Bureau metro update; Census Reporter ACS 2024; Opportunity Austin Economic Indicators; The University of Texas at Austin; Austin-Bergstrom International Airport; Milken Institute; WalletHub; USA Today / Texas McCombs. Data and rankings are for general market context only and are subject to change.

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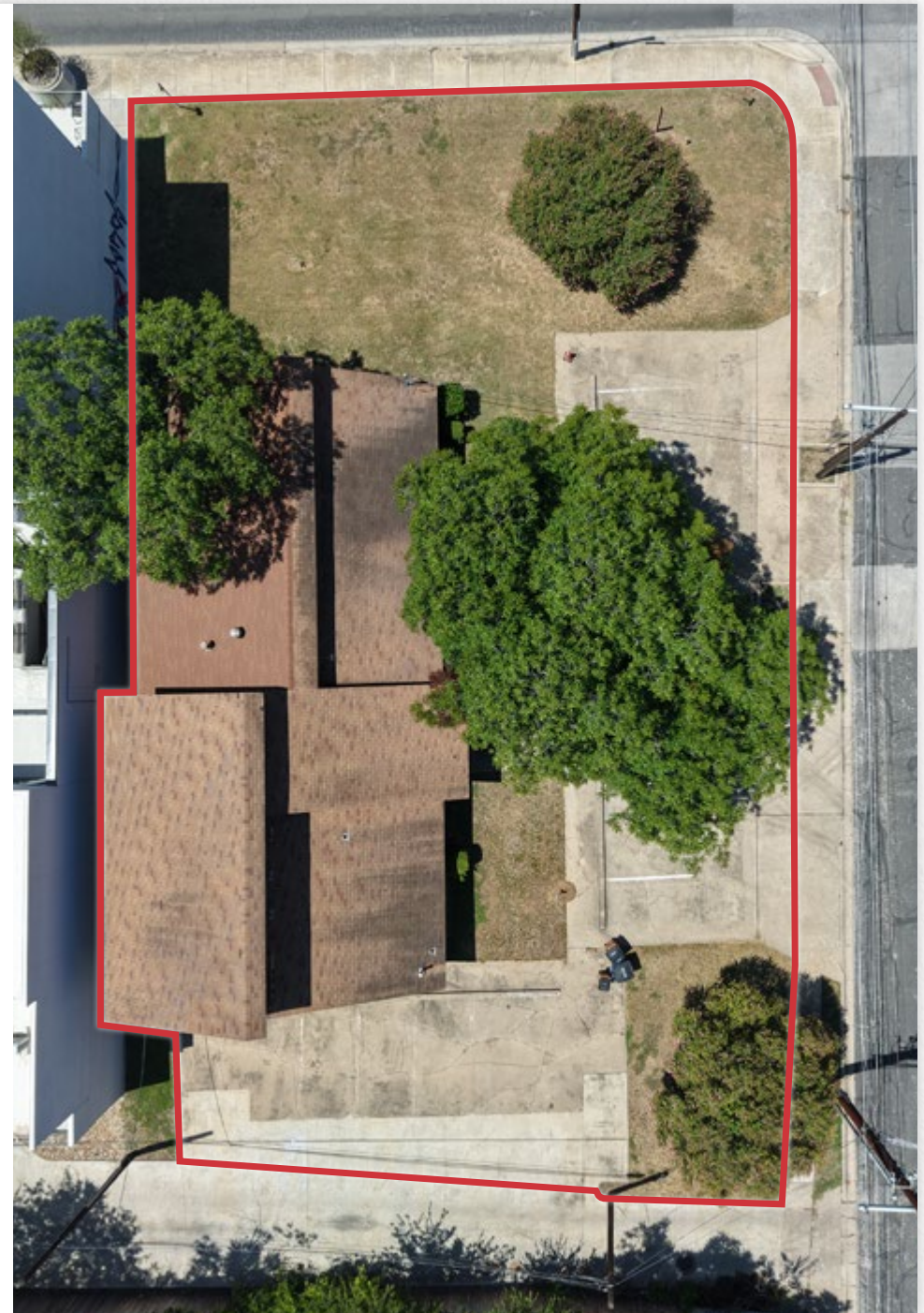
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- Answer the client's questions and present any offer to or counter-offer from the client; and
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- May, with the parties' consent, appoint a different license holder associated with the broker to each party (owner and buyer) to communicate with, provide opinions and advice to, and carry out the instructions of each party to the transaction.
- Must not, unless specifically authorized in writing to do so by the party, disclose:
 - that the owner will accept a price less than the written asking price;
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 - any confidential information or any other information that a party specifically instructs the broker in writing not to disclose, unless required to do so by law.

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- The broker does not provide the buyer/tenant opinions or advice regarding the property or real estate transactions generally; and
- The broker does not perform any other act of real estate brokerage for the buyer/tenant.

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