

AGENDA



Thursday, September 23, 2010

**Zoning Ordinances / Restrictive Covenants
(HEARINGS CLOSED)
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION**

Item No. 103

Subject: C14-2010-0051 – Windsor Road Neighborhood Planning Area Rezoning – Approve second/third readings of an ordinance amending Chapter 25-2 of the Austin City Code by rezoning property locally known as the Windsor Road Neighborhood Planning Area, generally bounded by West 35th Street and West 38th Street to the north, North Lamar Boulevard to the east, Windsor Road to the south and MoPac Expressway to the west (Johnson Creek, Shoal Creek Watersheds). The proposed zoning changes will create a Neighborhood Plan Combining District (NPCD) covering the entire area. The proposed zoning changes also implement the land use recommendations of the Central West Austin Combined Neighborhood Plan, NP-2010-0027, on two tracts of land (1.775 acres). Under the proposed Windsor Road NPCD, the following design tools are proposed to be applied area-wide: “parking placement and impervious cover restrictions” and “garage placement”. Another design tool that could be approved by City Council is the “front porch setback” design tool. The following special use option is proposed to be applied area-wide: “small-lot amnesty”. Other special use options that could be approved by City Council on a neighborhood-wide basis include: “cottage”, “urban home”, “secondary apartment”, and “corner store”. Other special use options that could be approved by City Council on a parcel-specific basis include “residential infill”, “neighborhood urban center”, and “neighborhood mixed-use building”. There is also a proposal to create more restrictions on front and side yard parking, and mobile food vending. The City Council may approve a zoning change to any of the following: rural residence (RR) district zoning; single family residence large lot (SF-1) district zoning; single family residence standard lot (SF-2) district zoning; family residence (SF-3) district zoning; single family residence small lot (SF-4A) district zoning; single family residence condominium site (SF-4B) district zoning; urban family residence (SF-5) district zoning; townhouse & condominium residence (SF-6) district zoning; multifamily residence limited density (MF-1) district zoning; multifamily residence low density (MF-2) district zoning; multifamily residence medium density (MF-3) district zoning; multifamily residence moderate-high density (MF-4) district zoning; multifamily residence high density (MF-5) district zoning; multifamily residence highest density (MF-6) district zoning; neighborhood office (NO) district zoning; limited office (LO) district zoning; general office (GO) district zoning; community recreation (CR) district zoning; neighborhood commercial (LR) district zoning; community commercial (GR) district zoning; warehouse/limited office (W/LO) district zoning; general commercial services (CS) district zoning; commercial-liquor sales (CS-1) district zoning; and public (P) district zoning. A conditional overlay (CO), historic landmark combining district (H), historic area combining district (HD), mixed use combining district overlay (MU), vertical mixed use building (V), or neighborhood plan combining district (NP) may also be added to these zoning base districts. First reading approved on August 19, 2010. Applicant: City of Austin. Agent: Planning and Development Review Department. City Staff: Paul DiGiuseppe, 974-2865. A valid petition has been filed on Tract 1 in opposition to the request.