

Motion Sheet for Item Z-1 Central Austin Combined Neighborhood Plan

Item Z-1 Neighborhood Plan

Motion	Central Austin Combined Neighborhood Plan	Votes Required for Plan	Votes	Comments
1	Approve the Neighborhood Plan as recommended by Planning Commission	4		

Motion Sheet for Item Z-2 University Overlay District (UNO)

Item Z-2 UNO

Motion	Code Amendment to create the University Neighborhood Overlay	Votes Required for Plan	Votes	Requirements
1	Approve the Code Amendment to Create the UNO Overlay District as recommended by Staff	4		<p>To take advantage of the UNO, developments will have to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Make improvements to the sidewalk such as widening it and plant street trees. Street trees provide a shaded walkway and can act as a barrier between pedestrians and automobiles; <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure that 10% of the units are affordable (80% of local median income as defined by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development) for 15-20 years (this time frame is currently under discussion), <input type="checkbox"/> Construct buildings so that the street-level is not dominated by parking structures, <input type="checkbox"/> Provide a minimum of 80% residential uses allowing up to 20% of a project to be commercial, <input type="checkbox"/> Require taller buildings to step back when they reach 60 feet (approximately 5 stories) to allow sunlight to reach adjacent properties and to avoid creating a canyon-like effect, <input type="checkbox"/> Provide pedestrian-scaled lighting, <input type="checkbox"/> Require screening of trash receptacles, recycling pick-up spots, and mechanical equipment from the street, <input type="checkbox"/> Require specific design guidelines that are being developed by Cotera+Reed Architects who were hired by members of the University Area Partners (a stakeholder group in the Central Austin Combined Neighborhood Plan process); the guidelines are being vetted by City of Austin staff, <input type="checkbox"/> Limit or prohibit new curb cuts along pedestrian-oriented east/west streets.

2	<p>Approve the Code Amendment to Create the UNO Overlay District as recommended by Planning Commission</p>	4	<p>Planning Commission added the following recommendations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> To allow for a parking permit system that would reduce the current parking requirement by 40% through a car sharing program; <input type="checkbox"/> Request that the Community Development Officer recommend additional measures to increase the amount of affordable housing to 10% of units at 80% of Austin median family income (MFI) and 10% of units at 60% of Austin median family income in the Affordability Impact Statement for the CACNP and UNO district; <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce the parking requirements to 60% of the current requirements; <input type="checkbox"/> Require within the UNO district that residential units and parking spaces are leased separately.
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