Prince George's County Council

County Administration Building 14741 Governor Oden Bowie Drive Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772-3050



Zoning Minutes - Draft

Monday, October 5, 2015

1:30 PM

Council Hearing Room

Sitting as the District Council

Mel Franklin, District 9, Chairman
Derrick Leon Davis, District 6, Vice Chair
Dannielle M. Glaros, District 3
Andrea C. Harrison, District 5
Mary A. Lehman, District 1
Obie Patterson, District 8
Deni L. Taveras, District 2
Karen R. Toles, District 7
Todd M.Turner, District 4

Robert J. Williams, Jr., Council Administrator

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ORAL ARGUMENT HEARINGS

Testimony at Oral Argument Hearings is limited to thirty (30) minutes for each side, including questions from the Council Members, unless extended by the Chairman of the Council. Persons wishing to give oral argument on a specific case should sign the forms provided in the front of the hearing room. Testimony at Oral Argument Hearings must be based on the record, and no new evidence will be permitted. Only persons of record may testify.

EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS

A verbatim transcript is prepared for all Evidentiary Hearings. Testimony and evidence are presented and exhibits introduced. Transcripts of these hearings along with any exhibits, constitute the record in the case.

ORDER OF PRESENTATION AT HEARINGS

- 1. Orientation by the Planning Staff or appropriate staff person
- 2. Testimony from the side requesting the hearing
- 3. Testimony from the side favoring the decision
- 4. Comments by the People's Zoning Counsel
- 5. Five (5) minute rebuttal from the side requesting hearing
- 6. Five (5) minute rebuttal from the side favoring decision

PARTICIPATION IN ZONING MEETINGS

Meetings of the District Council are formal proceedings and are recorded. If you are eligible to participate, register with the Clerk, and when called by the presiding officer, follow the following steps:

- 1. Come forward to the speaker's podium and state your name and address for the record.
- 2. Present comments as succinctly as possible.
- 3. Confine remarks to information contained in the record, except for Evidentiary Hearings.
- 4. Observe time limitations as directed by the presiding officer.
- 5. Give any written statements to the Clerk of the Council

In accordance with ADA Requirements, accommodations for hearing impaired, disabled persons and visually impaired can be provided upon reasonable notice to the Clerk of the Council. Sign language interpreters are available with advance notice by calling 301-952-3600. In the event of inclement weather, please call 301-952-4810 to confirm the status of County Business.

THE USE OF CELLULAR PHONES IN THE HEARING ROOM IS PROHIBITED

1:00 PM AGENDA BRIEFING - (ROOM 2027)

1:45 PM CALL TO ORDER - (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 27-132(a) of the Zoning Ordinance, the meeting was called to order at 1:45 p.m. with seven members present at roll call. Council Member Taveras arrived at 1:48 p.m. and Council Member Toles arrived at 2:08 p.m.

Present:

9 - Chairman Mel Franklin

Vice Chair Derrick Davis

Council Member Dannielle Glaros Council Member Andrea Harrison Council Member Mary Lehman Council Member Obie Patterson Council Member Deni Taveras Council Member Karen Toles Council Member Todd Turner

Also Present: Rajesh Kumar, Principal Counsel to the District Council

Stan Brown, People's Zoning Counsel

Robert J. Williams, Jr., Council Administrator William M. Hunt, Deputy Council Administrator

Redis C. Floyd, Clerk of the Council

Donna J. Brown, Deputy Clerk of the Council

Karen Zavakos, Legislative Officer Colette Gresham, Legislative Officer Mirinda Jackson, MBE Coordinator

Ellis Watson, Legislative Aide

Keith Timmons, Independent Auditor

M-NCPPC

Jimi Jones, Supervisor, Development Review Division

DPIE

Tony Best

INVOCATION

Reverend Barry N. Wade, Sr., Pastor, The Body of Christ Church Capitol Heights, MD. Chair Franklin asked for prayers for the County Council, County Executive, and the entire community.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman Franklin.

APPROVAL OF DISTRICT COUNCIL MINUTES

MINDC 09282015 District Council Minutes dated September 28, 2015

A motion was made by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Council Member Patterson, that these Minutes be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 7 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson and Turner

Absent: Taveras and Toles

NEW CASES

ERR-249 Candlewood Apartments/Trace Associates, Ltd

Validation of Multi-Family Rental Housing License No. M-577

Applicant(s): Candlewood Apartments/Trace Associates, Ltd

Location: Located at 5009 Quincy Street, Bladensburg, Maryland (0.494 Acres; R-18

Zone).

Request: Requesting approval for validation of Prince George's County's Multi-Family

Rental Housing License No. M-577, issued in error on January 6, 2015 for 12

apartment units, on approximately 21,526 square feet of land.

Council District: 5

Appeal by Date: 9/23/2015

Municipality: Town of Bladensburg

Opposition: None

History:

Council referred item to staff for preparation of an approving document (Vote: 8-0; Absent: Council Member Toles).

A motion was made by Council Member Harrison, seconded by Council Member Turner, that this Permit issued in error be referred for document. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 8 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and

Turner

Absent: Toles

NEW CASES (Continued)

ERR-250 Kennedy House Apartments

Validation of Multi-Family Rental Housing License No. M-172

Applicant(s): Kennedy House Apartments

Location: Located at 5651 Kennedy Street, Riverdale, Maryland (0.298 Acres; R-18 Zone).

Request: Requesting approval for validation of Prince George's County's Multi-Family

Rental Housing License No. M-172, issued in error on March 2, 2013 for 16

apartment units.

Council District: 3

Appeal by Date: 9/25/2015
Opposition: None

History:

Council referred item to staff for preparation of an approving document (Vote: 8-0; Absent: Council Member Toles).

A motion was made by Council Member Glaros, seconded by Vice Chair Davis, that this Permit issued in error be referred for document. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 8 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and

Turner

Absent: Toles

ERR-252 Shadyside Properties Shopping Center, LLC/Allen Su

Validation of Use and Occupancy Permit No. 44936-2013-00

Applicant(s): Shadyside Properties Shopping Center, LLC / Allen Su

Location: Located within a small strip shopping center at 2323 Shadyside Avenue, Suitland,

Maryland (0.398 Acres; R-T Zone).

Request: Requesting approval for validation of Prince George's County Use and

Occupancy Permit No. 44936-2013-00 issued in error for a new tenant (Barber

Shop/Beauty Salon, t/a Lillie's Barbershop Unisex).

Council District: 7

Appeal by Date: 9/28/2015 *Opposition*: None

History:

Council deferred this item to October 19, 2015.

This Permit issued in error was deferred to October 19, 2015.

Attachment(s): ERR-252 Zoning AIS

ERR-252 Zoning Hearing Examiner Decision

ERR-252 PORL

PENDING FINALITY

The following decisions will become final unless the District Council elects, BY MAJORITY VOTE, to make the final decision or an appeal is filed.

PLANNING BOARD

<u>CSP-13001</u> <u>Cabin Branch Village</u>

Applicant(s): Mark Vogel, VP, LLP

Location: Located in the northwestern quadrant of the intersection of Armstrong Lane and

Ryon Road (24.58 Acres; M-X-T Z / R-R Zones).

Request: Requesting approval of a Conceptual Site Plan for a mixed-use development,

including 206 single-family attached units and two commercial retail pad sites.

Council District: 6

Appeal by Date: 10/15/2015 **Review by Date:** 10/15/2015

History:

Council took no action on this item.

This Conceptual Site Plan was not elected to review by Council.

Attachment(s): CSP-13001 Zoning AIS

CSP-13001 Planning Board Resolution 15-85

CSP-13001 PORL

CSP-13001 Technical Staff Report resized

<u>1:54 PM RECESS</u>

The meeting was recessed at 1:54 p.m.

1:58 PM RECONVENE

The meeting was reconvened at 1:58 p.m.

1:58 PM BRIEFING (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

BR 10052015 MGM NATIONAL HARBOR - COMPLIANCE ISSUES

Facilitator:

Mr. Roland L. Jones, Director, Office of Central Services

History:

The briefing was convened at 1:58 p.m. Mr. Roland Jones, Director, Office of Central Services facilitated a briefing on compliance issues related to the MGM National Harbor Community Benefits Agreement. The Independent Auditor, Keith Timmons, assisted in responding to questions posed by the Council. Mirinda Jackson, Compliance Manager, spoke to her new roles and responsibilities in the process. Michael Little, business owner, provided comments regarding business information that should not be publicly released. Bruce Branch, Executive Director of the Maryland Business Clergy Partnership, spoke regarding the need for better contracts for minorities that reflect the community and public release of information about contracts and job opportunities. The briefing concluded at 3:33 p.m.

This Briefing was held.

3:33 PM ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 3:33 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION (1ST FLOOR EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE ROOM)

EX 10052015 Consult with Counsel to obtain legal advice in accordance with Maryland Annotated Code,

State Government, Section 10-508 (a)(7).

A motion was made by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Council Member Patterson, that this Executive Session be convened. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 8 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and

Turner

Absent: Toles

A motion was made by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Council Member Lehman, that this Executive Session be reconsidered. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 8 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and

Turner

Absent: Toles

After receiving suggested language from Zoning and Legislative Counsel, Karen Zavakos, Council revised the Executive Session citation as follows:

Motion to convene in executive session, in accordance with Section 3-305(b), (4, 7) General Provisions Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, as follows: 1. to consider a matter that concerns the proposal for a business to locate, expand, or remain in the State; and 2. to consult with legal counsel to seek legal advice.

Topics Discussed:

- (1.) Update on compliance as to status and compliance concerning the Community Benefit Agreement between the County and MGM International.
- (2.) Discussion of appointment and procedural steps concerning representation for the Council on the MGM Oversight Committee.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Council Member Harrison, that this Executive Session be convened. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ave: 8 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and

Turner

Absent: Toles

Council Member Toles was not present for the vote to convene in Executive Session but was present and attended when the Executive Session was convened.