# **Prince George's County Council**

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



# **Zoning Minutes - Final**

Monday, July 14, 2014

10:00 AM

## **Council Hearing Room**

# Sitting as the District Council

Mel Franklin, District 9, Chairman Will A. Campos, District 2, Vice Chair Derrick Leon Davis, District 6
Andrea C. Harrison, District 5
Mary A. Lehman, District 1
Eric C. Olson, District 3
Obie Patterson, District 8
Karen R. Toles, District 7
Ingrid M. Turner, District 4

Robert J. Williams, Jr., Council Administrator

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#### **EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS**

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## 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

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- 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

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#### THE USE OF CELLULAR PHONES IN THE HEARING ROOM IS PROHIBITED

#### 9:30 AM AGENDA BRIEFING

### 10:18 AM CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 10:18 a.m. with seven members present at roll call. Council Members Harrison and Toles were out on County business.

**Present:** 7 - Chairman Mel Franklin

Vice Chair Will Campos

Council Member Derrick Davis
Council Member Mary Lehman
Council Member Eric Olson
Council Member Obie Patterson
Council Member Ingrid Turner
Council Member Andrea Harriso

**Absent:** Council Member Andrea Harrison

Council Member Karen Toles

#### **INVOCATION - Johnie L. Higgs, County Employee**

Council Member Lehman requested prayer for Mark Melnyk (husband of Delegate Joseline Pena Melnyk) who was in a bicycle accident and is in Washington Hospital Center recovering from serious injuries.

#### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Member Olson.

#### APPROVAL OF DISTRICT COUNCIL MINUTES

#### MINDC 06022014 District Council Minutes dated June 2, 2014

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

Aye: 6 - Franklin, Campos, Davis, Olson, Patterson and Turner

**Absent:** Harrison, Lehman and Toles

### MINDC 06032014 District Council Minutes dated June 3, 2014

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

Aye: 6 - Franklin, Campos, Davis, Olson, Patterson and Turner

**Absent:** Harrison, Lehman and Toles

## MINDC 06172014 District Council Minutes dated June 17, 2014

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

Aye: 6 - Franklin, Campos, Davis, Olson, Patterson and Turner

**Absent:** Harrison, Lehman and Toles

## MINDC 06302014 District Council Minutes dated June 30, 2014

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

Aye: 6 - Franklin, Campos, Davis, Olson, Patterson and Turner

**Absent:** Harrison, Lehman and Toles

#### **ORAL ARGUMENTS**

<u>DSP-07073-01</u> <u>National Harbor, Beltway Parcel, MGM Lots 2-7</u>

**Companion Case(s)**: DDS-623

*Applicant(s):* MGM National Harbor, LLC

**Location:** Located approximately one mile north of the Woodrow Wilson Bridge, southwest

of the intersection of I-95/495 (Capital Beltway) and Indian Head Highway (MD

210) (49.47 Acres; M-X-T Zone).

**Request:** Requesting approval of a Detailed Site Plan for an entertainment establishment of

a commercial nature with a video lottery facility, retail, restaurants and a 300-room hotel for a total of approximately 1,078,237 square feet of

development.

**Council District**: 8

**Appeal by Date:** 6/9/2014 **Review by Date:** 6/9/2014 **Action by Date:** 10/14/2014

History:

Chairman Franklin announced that the Oral Argument Hearings for DSP-07073-01 National Harbor, Beltway Parcel, MGM Lots 2-7 and DDS-623 National Harbor, Beltway Parcel, MGM Lot 4 would be held in tandem. Susan Lareuse, M-NCPPC, provided an overview of the Detailed Site Plan application, Meika Fields, M-NCPPC, provided an overview of the Departure from Design Standards application and Tom Masog, M-NCPPC, provided an overview on the traffic analysis. William Nuckols and Karen Egloff spoke in opposition. Arthur Horne, Esq., attorney for the applicant, and Andre Gingles, Esq., spoke in support. Stan Brown, People's Zoning Counsel, provided an overview of the oral argument presented and spoke to the legalities of the case.

This Detailed Site Plan hearing was held and the case was taken under advisement.

#### **ORAL ARGUMENTS (Continued)**

DDS-623 National Harbor, Beltway Parcel, MGM Lot 4

**Companion Case(s)**: DSP-07073-01

*Applicant(s):* MGM National Harbor, LLC

**Location:** Located approximately one mile north of the Woodrow Wilson Bridge, southwest

of the intersection of I-95/495 (Capital Beltway) and Indian Head Highway (MD

210) (49.47 Acres; M-X-T Zone).

**Request:** Requesting approval of a Departure from Section 27-558(a) of the Zoning

Ordinance to allow a reduced standard, nonparallel parking space size to be used

for all of the provided parking spaces.

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This Departure from Design Standards hearing was held and the case was taken under advisement.

#### **NEW CASE**

**ERR-234 Temnit and Fitwi Tekeste** 

Validation of Multi-Family Rental License No. 3933/(Project ID # M-798)

**Applicant(s):** Temnit and Fitwi Tekeste

**Location:** Located at 6112 41st Avenue, Hyattsville, Maryland (0.128 Acres; R-18 Zone). **Request:** Requesting approval for validation of Prince George's County Multi-Family

Rental License No. 3933 (Project ID# M-798) issued in error on May 25, 1990, to

operate a three unit multifamily dwelling.

**Council District**: 2

 Appeal by Date:
 7/3/2014

 Review by Date:
 7/3/2014

 Action by Date:
 11/3/2014

**Municipality:** City of Hyattsville

*Opposition:* None

History:

Council adopted the prepared Zoning Ordinance No. 10-2014 in accordance with the Zoning Hearing Examiner's decision.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Campos, seconded by Council Member Turner, that this Permit issued in error be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 6 - Franklin, Campos, Davis, Lehman, Patterson and Turner

**Absent:** Harrison, Olson and Toles

#### **ITEM FOR DISCUSSION**

DSP-99006-01 McDonald's- Hyattsville

*Applicant(s)*: McDonald's Corp.

**Location:** Located on the south side of East-West Highway (MD 410) at its intersection

with Toledo Terrace (13.21 Acres; C-S-C/T-D-O-Z Zones)

**Request:** Requesting approval of a Detailed Site Plan to amend the Table of Uses of the

1998 Approved Transit District Development Plan for the Prince George's Plaza Transit District Overlay Zone (TDDP), to permit a 4,197-square-foot restaurant freestanding eating and drinking establishment with drive-through in the C-S-C

and T-D-O Zones

**Council District**: 2

**Appeal by Date:** 6/20/2013 **Review by Date:** 6/20/2013

**Comment(s):** District Council review of this case is required by Section 27-548.09.01 (b) of the

Zoning Ordinance.

#### History:

Council referred this item to staff for preparation of an approving document in accordance with the Planning Board's decision (Vote: 6-0; Absent: Council Members Harrison, Olson and Toles).

A motion was made by Vice Chair Campos, seconded by Council Member Davis, that this Detailed Site Plan be referred for document. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 6 - Franklin, Campos, Davis, Lehman, Patterson and Turner

**Absent:** Harrison, Olson and Toles

## **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.

#### (a) ZONING HEARING EXAMINER

SE-4716 Bazz and Crue

Applicant(s): CD #15CL2001, Inc. d/b/a Bazz and Crue Group Hall

**Location:** Located at the northeast corner of Forestville Road and Marlboro Pike also

identified as 7752 and 7754 Forestville Road (18.17 Acres; I-1/D-D-O Zones).

**Request:** Requesting approval of a Special Exception for an Adult Entertainment in

approximately 4000 square feet of an 18.17 acre Shopping Center in the C-S-C

/D-D-O Zone.

**Council District**: 6

Appeal by Date: 8/7/2014
Review by Date: 9/8/2014
Municipality: None

**Opposition:** Mr. Johnson, Ms. Taylor and Ms. White.

History:

Council took no action on this item.

Council did not elect to make the final decision on this Special Exception.

In the event the District Council elects to make the final decision in this case, the Council should consider whether it wants an oral argument pursuant to CB-61-1997.

#### **PENDING FINALITY (Continued)**

#### (b) PLANNING BOARD

CSP-07001-01 Westphalia Row

**Applicant(s):** Westphalia Row Partners, LLC.

**Location:** Located southwest corner of the intersection of Ritchie-Marlboro Road and

Sansbury Road (20.67 Acres; M-X-T Zone).

**Request:** Requesting approval of a Conceptual Site Plan for a revision of the previously

approved Conceptual Site Plan for Westphalia Row, by replacing the previously

approved triplex residential units with townhouses.

Council District: 6

**Appeal by Date:** 7/31/2014 **Review by Date:** 7/31/2014

History:

Council took no action on this item.

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

<u>CSP-13008</u> <u>Tidler/Wardlaw Property</u>

*Applicant(s)*: Migus, LLC

**Location:** The subject property is located in the northwest quadrant of the intersection of

Powder Mill Road (MD 212) and Old Gunpowder Road (7.08 Acres; M-X-T

Zone).

**Request:** Requesting approval of a Conceptual Site Plan to develop the suject property with

a mixed-use development, including 314 multifamily dwelling units and 8,000

square feet of commercial office space, in a single multi-story building.

**Council District:** 1

**Appeal by Date:** 7/24/2014 **Review by Date:** 7/24/2014

History:

Council deferred this item to July 21, 2014.

This Conceptual Site Plan was deferred to July 21, 2014.

## 1:34 PM ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 1:34 p.m.

2:00 PM BRIEFING - (ROOM 2027)

## **CONGRESSWOMAN DONNA F. EDWARDS**

The Briefing was held.

Prepared by:
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Submitted by:
Redis C. Floyd, Clerk of the Council