Minutes of the Houston Planning Commission

(A recording of the full proceedings is on file in the Planning and Development Department)

April 30, 2020

Telephonic/Videoconference Meeting held via Microsoft Teams https://bit.ly/3cmQvEO 2:30 p.m.

Call to Order

Chair Martha L. Stein called the meeting to order at 2:39 p.m. with a roll call vote and a quorum present.

Martha L. Stein, Chair

M. Sonny Garza, Vice Chair

David Abraham

Susan Alleman

Bill Baldwin

Antoine Bryant

Lisa Clark

Rodney Heisch

Randall L. Jones

Lydia Mares

Paul R. Nelson

Linda Porras-Pirtle

Kevin Robins

Ileana Rodriguez

Ian Rosenberg

Megan R. Sigler

Zafar Tahir

Meera D. Victor

Scott Cain for

Commissioner James Noack

Maggie Dalton for

The Honorable KP George

Lovd Smith

Arrived 3:06 pm during item #92

Absent

Absent

Present

The Honorable Lina Hidalgo

EXOFFICIO MEMBERS

Carol A. Lewis

Carol Haddock

Yuhayna H. Mahmud

Executive Secretary

Margaret Wallace Brown, Director, Planning and Development

CHAIR'S REPORT

The Chair's Report was given by Martha L. Stein, Chair of the Houston Planning Commission.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The Director's Report was given by Margaret Wallace Brown, Director, Planning and Development Department.

APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 16, 2020 PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Commission action: Approved the April 16, 2020 Planning Commission meeting minutes.

Motion: Garza

Second: Nelson

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

I. PLATTING ACTIVITY (Consent and Replat items A and B, 1 – 87)

Items removed for separate consideration: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 77 and 87.

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendations for item(s) 1 - 87 subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved staff's recommendations for item(s) 1 - 87 subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Jones

Second: Porras-Pirtle Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendation for items **8**, **9**, **10**, **11**, **12**, **13**, **16**, **18**, **23**, **24**, **25**, **26**, **27**, **28**, **29**, **77** and **87**, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved staff's recommendations for items 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 77 and 87, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Recused: Alleman Heisch and Sigler

C PUBLIC HEARINGS

88 Blueridge Sec 2 partial replat no 1

C₃N

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per applicant's request.

Motion: **Bryant**

Second: Mares

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

89 Capital Greater Heights partial replat no 1 C3N

Approve

Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Alleman

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: **None**

90 Craig Woods partial replat no 26.

C3N

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per applicant's request.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Rodriguez

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: **None**

91 Crestmont Park Sec 1 partial replat no 1

C3N

Withdrawn

92 East End on the Bayou Sec 3

C₃N

Defer

replat no 1 and extension

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per applicant's request.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per applicant's request.

Motion: **Baldwin** Second: **Alleman**

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: Rosenberg

Speaker: Joseph Solis - supportive.

Laverne Springs partial replat no C₃N Defer 93 Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks for further study and review. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks for further study and review. Second: Clark Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Mares 94 Melody Oaks partial replat no 22 C₃N **Approve** Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Second: Victor Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: **Bryant** 95 Neuen Manor partial replat no 17 C3N **Approve** Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Motion: Jones Second: Alleman Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: Heisch 96 C3N **Approve** Pine Briar Addition replat no 1 partial replat no 1 and extension Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Motion: Garza Second: Alleman Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Saint Charles Quarter Defer 97 Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per applicant's request. Second: Sigler Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Baldwin 98 Stoneworks Mansfield Park C₃N **Approve** Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Motion: Abraham Second: Jones Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None C₃N **Approve** 99 Terraces on Texas Avenue replat no 1 Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Vote: Unanimous Motion: Clark Second: Garza Abstaining: None Westheimer Manor partial replat no 2 Defer C₃N Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per applicant's request. Second: Nelson Vote: Unanimous Motion: Tahir Abstaining: None Willow Trace Sec 1 partial replat C3N **Approve** 101 no 1 and extension Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Second: Jones Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Mares Speakers: Jolie Craft, applicant – supportive; Brian Krebs, Karen Windeman, Victor Pena, Kimberly

Carter, Jorge Garcia, Hali Zidiky, Al Adorno and Patrick Laskey – opposed.

102 Woodleigh partial replat no 2 and extension

C3N

Approve

Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Heisch

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

D VARIANCES

103 Bass Enclave

C2R

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks for further study and review. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks for further study and review.

Motion: Abraham

Second: Mares

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

104 Deville Landing

C3R

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Clark

Second: Tahir

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

105 Engelke Place

C2R

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to submit additional information.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to submit additional information.

Motion: Alleman

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

106 Houston Heights partial replat no 27

C2R

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to submit additional information.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to submit additional information.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Nelson

Vote: **Unanimous**

Abstaining: None

Speaker: John Blackburn - opposed.

107 Houston Texas Fire Fighters Federal Credit Union North

C2R

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to submit additional information.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to submit additional information.

Motion: Clark

Second: Jones

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speakers: Carlos Espinoza Y Sanchez, applicant – supportive; Emely Baruque – opposed.

Items 108 and 109 were taken together at this time and voted on separately.

108 Katy Legacy GP

GP

Defer

Staff recommendation: Deny the variance(s) to exceed intersection spacing along Peek Road and along the western boundary and grant the Variance to exceed intersection spacing along Stockdick School Road and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give the applicant time to meet with Harris County regarding a pedestrian circulation plan.

Motion: Nelson Second: Baldwin Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None

Speaker: Shawn Massock, applicant – supportive.

109 Katy Legacy Sec 1

C₃P Defer Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give applicant time to meet with Harris

County regarding a pedestrian circulation plan.

Motion: Garza

Second: Tahir

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Approve

110 **North Harris County Regional Water** C2 **Authority Regional Pump Station**

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Nelson

Second: Jones

Vote: Unanimous

Recused: Victor

C₃P 111 Pinecrest Sec 5 Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Alleman

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speaker: Kent Marsh, applicant – supportive.

112 **SLD and HJK Investments** C3R

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Garza

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

TC Jester Place C₁ Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

E SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS

Breckenridge West Sec 10

C₃P

Approve

Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Jones

Vote: Unanimous

Recused: Heisch

Speaker: Daniel Valdez, applicant - supportive.

F RECONSIDERATION OF REQUIREMENTS 115 East Heights at Airline

C₃P

Approve

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks for further study and review. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks for further study and review.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Items G, H, and I were taken together at this time.

G	EXTENSIONS OF APPROVAL		
116	Avenue J Development	EOA	Approve
117	BTS Capital Inc	EOA	Approve
118	Melrose Place Reserve	EOA	Approve
119	Springwoods Village District Sec 5	EOA	Approve
120	Springwoods Village District Sec 6	EOA	Approve
121	Springwoods Village Parkway Street Dedication Sec 4	EOA	Approve
122	Springwoods Village Parkway Street Dedication Sec 5	EOA	Approve
123	Steeplechase Sec 1 partial replat no 1 and extension	EOA	Approve
124	Windrow Sec 2	EOA	Approve
Н	NAME CHANGES NONE		
I	CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE		
125	10026 Gaines Road	COC	Approve
126	25324 Ravencrest Drive	COC	Approve

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendation for items 116-126. Commission action: Approved staff's recommendation for items 116-126.

Motion: Victor Second: Heisch Vote: Unanimous

J ADMINISTRATIVE NONE

K DEVELOPMENT PLATS WITH VARIANCE REQUESTS NONE

II. ESTABLISH A PUBLIC HEARING DATE OF MAY 14, 2020 FOR:

- a. Brundage Woods replat no 2 and extension
- b. Cypress Creek Plaza partial replat no 1
- c. Melbourne Place Sec 1 partial replat no 2
- d. Melbourne Place Sec 1 partial replat no 3
- e. Neuen Manor partial replat no 18
- f. Oak Forest of La Sierra partial replat no 1
- g. South Main Estates Sec 2 partial replat no 1
- h. Spring Oaks replat no 1 partial replat no 4
- i. Washington Terrace partial replat no 5

Staff recommendation: Establish a public hearing date of May 28, 2020 for item II a-i. Commission action: Established a public hearing date of May 28, 2020 for item II a-i.

Motion: **Bryant**

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Abstaining: None

III. CONSIDERATION OF A HOTEL/MOTEL VARIANCE FOR STUDIO 6 LOCATED AT 14150 FAYRIDGE DRIVE

Staff recommendation: Approve the Hotel/Motel variance. Commission action: Approved the Hotel/Motel variance.

Motion: Porras-Pirtle

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT NONE

V. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business brought before the Commission, Chair Martha L. Stein adjourned the meeting at 5:04 p.m.

Motion: Garza

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Martha L. Stein. Chair

Margaret Wallace Brown, Secretary