

City of San Antonio



MINUTES

Planning Commission

Development and Business

Services Center

1901 S. Alamo

Wednesday, July 27, 2022

2:00 PM

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At any time during the meeting, the Planning Commission may meet in executive session for consultation with the City Attorney's Office concerning attorney-client matters under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

It is the intent of the City that the presiding officer will be in attendance at this location.

Planning Commission Members

A majority of appointive members, other than ex officio, shall constitute a quorum.

Matthew Proffitt Chair |

Julia Carrillo Haynes, Vice Chair | George Peck, Pro-Tem |

Michael Garcia Jr. | Meredith Siegel | Bryan Lopez | Camis

Milam |

Brittany Schindler | Samer Dessouky |

Ex-Officio Members

John Bustamante, Chair Zoning Commission | Donald Oroian, Chair Board of

Adjustment | John Courage, Councilmember | Erik Walsh, City Manager

1:00 PM Work Session: Briefing on 2021 UDC amendments, Staff briefing regarding case recommendations and other items for consideration on the posted agenda. Commissioners may direct questions to staff regarding items noticed on the posted agenda or regarding City of San Antonio policies or operations in order to elicit a response of specific factual information or a recitation of existing policy pursuant to Section 551.042 of the Texas Government Code.

2:02 PM – Call to Order

SeptoTec translators were present.

**Roll Call - Present: Garcia, Siegel, Dessouky, Lopez, Schindler, Milam, Oroian
Bustamante, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Absent: None**

Chairman Proffitt stated the following cases will be pulled from Consent Agenda:

- Item #3 21-11800051 – for recusal purposes
- Item # 4 21-11800070 – for recusal purposes
- Item #11 PA-2022-11600051 – Individual Consideration
- Item #12 PA-2022-11600044 – Individual Consideration
- Item #13 PA-2022-11600055 – Individual Consideration
- Item #14 PA-2022-11600061 – Individual Consideration
- Item #15 PA-2022-11600064 – Individual Consideration
- Item #17 All UDC Amendments except for:
 - 1-1, related to Qualified Transitional Housing
 - 29-1, related to neighborhood association registry
 - 23-6, related to accessory dwelling units
 - 26-1, related to required spacing for gas stations
 - 16-1, related to reducing the height limit to 1 ½ story for R-1 and R-2 and 2 ½ story for R-3
 - 16-5, related to modifying the half story definition
 - 15-2, related to not requiring a plat for electrical substations
 - 7-1, related to fees in lieu of parkland dedication
 - 20-6, related to the Historic and Design Review Commission and creation of the Compliance and Technical Advisory Board
 - 28-2, related to Public Right-of-Way Accessibility
 - 24-1, related to bicycle facilities
 - 27-3, related to storm water low impact development
 - 5-16, related to oversized vehicles
 - 5-26 related to the replacement value of nonconforming structures

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MAY BE CONSIDERED AT ANY TIME DURING THE REGULAR PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING:

Public Hearing and Consideration of the following Plats, Variances, Planned Unit Development (PUD) plans, Street Rename, Appeals, Land Transactions, Adoption and Amendments of the Neighborhood, Community and Sector Plans as Components of the Master Plan, and other items as identified below.

CONSENT ITEMS

Plats

Item #1

20-11800591: Request by Emiliano Guerrero, Forestar Group, Inc., for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Elizondo Subdivision, Unit 1, generally located southwest of the intersection of Interstate 10 East and FM 1518. Staff recommends Approval. (Nicole Salinas, Senior Planner, 210-207-8264, Nicole.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department).

Item #2

20-11800593: Request by Emiliano Z. Guerrero, Forestar (USA) Real Estate Group, INC., for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Stolte Ranch Unit 2 Subdivision, generally located southwest of the intersection of Wiseman Boulevard and Talley Road. Staff recommends Approval. (Kelsey Salinas, Planner, 210-207-7898, Kelsey.salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #5

21-11800291: Request by Joe Aycock, Brooks Retail Partners, LTD., for approval to replat a tract of land to establish Brooks 17A Subdivision, generally located southwest of the intersection of Southeast Military Drive (Loop 13) and US Highway 281. Staff recommends Approval. (Nicole Salinas, Senior Planner, 210-207-8264, Nicole.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #6

21-11800525: Request by Hugo A. Gutierrez, Vise Oaks I, LTD, for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Westpointe Multifamily Subdivision, generally located southwest of the intersection of West Loop 1604 and Wiseman Boulevard. Staff recommends Approval. (Nicole Salinas, Senior Planner, 210-207-8264, Nicole.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #7

21-11800543: Request by Harry Ben Adams IV, McCombs Family Partners, LTD, for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Potranco/Dugas Retail Center I, generally located on the corner of Potranco Road and Dugas Drive. Staff recommends Approval. (Tiffany Turner, Planner, 210-207-0259, Tiffany.Turner@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #8

21-11800548: Request by Lloyd A. Denton Jr., AGI Kinder Ranch Unit 1, Ltd., for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Kinder Ranch AGI, Unit 1C (Enclave) Subdivision, generally located northwest of the intersection of Bulverde Road and East Borgfeld Drive. Staff recommends Approval. (Kelsey Salinas, Planner, 210-207-7898, Kelsey.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #9

21-11800690: Request by Shannon Birt, LGI Homes – Texas, LLC, for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Savannah Place, Unit 3 Subdivision, generally located southeast of the intersection of Loop 1604 and Interstate 10 East. Staff recommends Approval. (Nicole Salinas, Senior Planner, 210-207-8264, Nicole.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #10

22-11800072: Request by Blake Harrington, Starlight Homes, for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Hooten Tract, Unit 2E Subdivision, generally located Southwest of the intersection of Talley Road and Culebra Road. Staff recommends Approval. (Elizabeth Neff, Planner, 210-207-0119, Elizabeth.Neff@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Comprehensive Master Plan Amendments

Item #16

PLAN AMENDMENT CASE PA-2022-11600066 (Council District 6): A request by Caylea Pogue, for Approval of a Resolution amending the West/Southwest Sector Plan, a component of the Comprehensive Master Plan of the City, by changing the future land use classification from "Suburban Tier" to "General Urban Tier" on 33.095 acres out of NCB 18083, located at 7127 Ingram Road. Staff recommends Approval. (Associated Zoning Case Z-2022-10700180) (Elizabeth Steward, Planner, (210) 207-5550, elizabeth.steward@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Other Items

Item # 17

Consideration and recommendation of amendments to Chapter 35 of the Municipal Code, the Unified Development Code, affecting all Articles and Appendices. These amendments are part of the 2021 UDC update program. (Logan Sparrow, Development Services Policy Administrator, (210) 207-8691, Logan.Sparrow@sanantonio.gov) with the exception of:

- 1-1, related to Qualified Transitional Housing
- 29-1, related to neighborhood association registry
- 23-6, related to accessory dwelling units
- 26-1, related to required spacing for gas stations
- 16-1, related to reducing the height limit to 1 ½ story for R-1 and R-2 and 2 ½ story for R-3
- 16-5, related to modifying the half story definition
- 15-2, related to not requiring a plat for electrical substations
- 7-1, related to fees in lieu of parkland dedication
- 20-6, related to the Historic and Design Review Commission and creation of the Compliance and Technical Advisory Board
- 28-2, related to Public Right-of-Way Accessibility
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Public Comments:

- Bianca Maldonado, 457 Club, in support of #17, 26-1, 16-20, opposed to 23-26.
- Anita Franklin, 4811 Dellcrest, opposed to #17, 29-1, 16-10.
- Fernando Diego, 8626 Tesoro, in support of all items on #17.
- Sylvia Alaniz, 830 Stutt Drive, opposed to #17, 29-1, 16-8, 16-10.
- Stella Ashley, 812 E. Carson, opposed to #17, 29-1, 16-8, 16-10.
- Oscar Hicks, 1214 Incarnate Drive, opposed to #17, 29-1, 16-8, 16-10.
- Jackie Rita, 319 Upland, opposed to #17, 29-1, 16-8, 16-10.
- Rose Hill, 2107 IH 35, opposed to #17, 29-1, 16-8, 16-10.
- Jim Bailey, 241 King William, in support if #17, 23-6.
- Cynthia Spelman, 900 W. Woodlawn, opposed to #17, 29-1.

Voicemails:

- George DeLaGarza, 443 Shadwell Drive, in support of #17, 16-1, 16-2, 16-5, 16-6, 16-10, 16-12.
- Aissa Bassler, 11 Sheringham, in support of #17, 26-5.
- Walker Dunn, 633 S. St. Mary’s, in support of #17, 23-6.
- Cameron Patterson, 906 Rigsby, in support of #17, 23-6.
- Garrett Jones, 813 E. Magnolia, in support of #17, 23-6.
- Gene Morales, 2200 Advil Lane, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Greg Smith, 918 W. Mulberry, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Jeff Schnieder, 905 N. Mesquite, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Martin Perez, 725 S. Meyers, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Monica Savino, 1120 E. Crockett, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Alejandro Lara, 315 B Street, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Ray Morales, 203 Medford, opposed to #17, 23-6.
- Staci Schwarz, 203 Radiant, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Valerie Reynolds, 443 West Hill, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Kathleen Washington, 3462 Blue Topaz, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Margaret Mitchell, 205 Blueberry Terrace, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Liz Guerrero, in support of #17, 26-1.
- Allison Hughes, 609 Hughes, in support of #17, 23-6.

Commissioner Siegel requested that 16.8 and 16.10 be put on the individual agenda.
 Commissioner Bustamante requested that 26-1 be put on the individual agenda.

- Motion:** Commissioner Carrillo Haynes to Approve all items as presented.
- Second:** Commissioner Peck
- In Favor:** Unanimous
- Opposed:** None

MOTION PASSES

Individual Items

Commissioner Bustamante left meeting at 3:13 pm for recusal purposes.

Item #3

21-11800051: Request by Richard Mott, Lennar Homes of Texas Land Construction, LTD., for approval to subdivide a tract of land to establish Ruby Crossing Subdivision, Unit 2, generally located southwest of the intersection of Loop 1604 and Interstate Highway 37. Staff recommends Approval. (Kelsey Salinas, Planner, 210-207-7898, Kelsey.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Item #4

21-11800070: Request by Leslie Ostrander, Continental homes of Texas, L.P., for approval to replat and subdivide a tract of land to establish Langdon Unit 6, 8, 9, 10 Subdivision, generally located northwest of the intersection of Evans Road and Cibolo Vista. Staff recommends Approval. (Nicole Salinas, Senior Planner, 210-207-8264, Nicole.Salinas@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

No public comment

Motion: Commissioner Peck to Approve items as presented.
Second: Commissioner Garcia
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

Commissioner Bustamante rejoined meeting at 3:14 pm

Item #12

PLAN AMENDMENT CASE PA-2022-11600044 (ETJ – Closest to Council District 8): A request to amend the Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Military Protection Area Land Use Plan land use classification from “Low Density Residential” to "Urban Low Density Residential" on 25.109 acres out of CB 4728, generally located at the northeast intersection of Hermosa Hill and Cielo Vista. Staff recommends Approval. (Chris McCollin, Planning Coordinator, (210) 207-5014, Christopher.Mccollin@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)
No Public Comment

Emily Weiss, applicant, requested a continuance to August 10, 2022.

Motion: Commissioner Peck for Continuance to August 10, 2022.
Second: Commissioner Siegel
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

Item #14

PLAN AMENDMENT CASE PA-2022-11600061 (Council District 8): A request by Amir Namakforoosh, representative, for Approval of a Resolution amending the Huebner/ Leon Creeks Community Plan, a component of the Comprehensive Master Plan of the City, by changing the future land use classification from "Low-Density Residential Estate" to "Neighborhood Commercial" on Lot 41, NCB 18294 located at 8390 North Verde Drive. Staff recommends Denial. (Associated Zoning Case Z-2022-10700176) (Ann Benavidez, Planner, (210) 207-8208, ann.benavidez@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Applicant was not in appearance but was requesting a continuance to September 14, 2022.

Public Comment

Karen Twiefel, 8310 N. Verde, spoke in opposition.

Tracy Cowden, 10190 Belga, spoke in opposition.

Andy Lopez, 8305 N. Verde, spoke in opposition.

Terrell Fredrick, 10440 Belga, spoke in opposition.

Juanita Salinas, 7970 S. Verde, spoke in opposition.

Noe Lopez, 8305 N. Verde, spoke in opposition.

Lanny Moore, 7901 S. Verde, spoke in opposition.

Motion: Commissioner Oroian for Denial.

Second: Commissioner Milam

In Favor: Siegel, Lopez, Schindler, Milam, Oroian, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt

Opposed: Garcia, Bustamante

MOTION PASSES

Item #13

PLAN AMENDMENT CASE PA-2022-11600055 (Council District 3):A request by Patrick Christensen, representative, for Approval of a Resolution amending the Brooks Area Regional Plan, a component of the Comprehensive Master Plan of the City, by changing the future land use classification from “Business/Innovation Mixed Use” to "Urban Mixed Use" on 34.19 acres of CB 5160 located at 9613 US Highway 181 North. Staff recommends Denial. (Associated Zoning Case Z-2022-10700149) (Ann Benavidez, Zoning Planner, (210) 207-8208, ann.benavidez@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Patrick Christianson, representative, gave presentation on proposed project with 200 manufactured homes and answered Commissioner’s questions.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Peck for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Carrillo Haynes
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

Item #15

PLAN AMENDMENT CASE PA-2022-11600064 (Council District 1): A request by Jose Corchado, representative, for Approval of a Resolution amending the Near Northwest Community Plan, a component of the Comprehensive Master Plan of the City, by changing the future land use classification from “Urban Low Density Residential” to "Community Commercial" on Lot 13, Block 2, NCB 8417, located at 232 Sherwood Drive. Staff recommends Denial. (Associated Zoning Case Z-2022-10700171 CD) (Ann Benavidez, Zoning Planner, (210) 207-8208, ann.benavidez@sanantonio.gov, Development Services Department)

Jose Corchado, representative, gave presentation on proposed project and answered Commissioner’s questions.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Carrillo Haynes for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Dessouky
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

Item # 18

Consideration and Approval of July 13, 2022 Planning Commission Minutes,

Motion: Commissioner Proffitt asked for a voice vote Approval.
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

Commissioner Proffitt called a ten-minute recess at 4:00.

Commissioner Proffitt called the meeting back to order at 4:10.

Councilman Courage arrives.

Item #17

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Logan Sparrow, Policy Administrator, city of San Antonio, gave presentation on all proposed UDC Amendments.

Proposed UDC Amendments

1-1 Related to Qualified Transitional Housing

No Public Comment.

Motion: Commissioner Bustamante for Denial.
Second: Commissioner Oroian
In Favor: Siegel, Dessouky, Lopez, Schindler, Oroian, Bustamante, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Opposed: Garcia, Milam

MOTION PASSES

Director's Report – No report

29-1 Related to Neighborhood Association Registry

Ms. Hawkins, applicant, gave presentation on proposed amendment.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Bustamante for Denial.
Second: Commissioner Oroian
In Favor: Siegel, Dessouky, Lopez, Schindler, Oroian, Bustamante, Garcia, Milam, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Opposed: Courage

MOTION PASSES

16-8 Related to Notice Provisions.

Cynthia Speelman, applicant, gave presentation on proposed amendment,

Motion: Commissioner Siegel for **Approval**.
Second: Commissioner Milam
In Favor: Garcia, Siegel, Lopez, Schindler, Milam, Oroian, Bustamante, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Opposed: Dessouky

MOTION PASSES

16-10 Related to Neighborhood Registration

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Siegel for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Milam
In Favor: Garcia, Siegel, Lopez, Schindler, Milam, Oroian, Bustamante, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Opposed: Dessouky

26-1 Related to Required Spacing for Gas Stations

Dia Coleman, applicant, spoke about proposed amendment.

Motion: Commissioner Bustamante for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Garcia
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

23-6 Related to Accessory Dwelling Units

Sarah Estrada, Neighborhood of Housing and Development, City of San Antonio, gave presentation on proposed amendment.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Milam for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Peck
In Favor: Garcia, Siegel, Dessouky, Lopez, Schindler, Milam, Bustamante, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Opposed: Oroian

MOTION PASSES

Chair Proffitt called a thirty-minute break at 5:38.

Commissioner Lopez left them meeting at 6:05.

Chair Proffitt called the meeting back to order at 6:05.

Commissioner Carrillo Haynes recused herself at 6:05.

15-2 Related to not Requiring a Plat for Electrical Substations

No Public comment

Motion: Commissioner Oroian for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Garcia
In Favor: Unanimous
Recused: Commissioner Carrillo Haynes
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

22-21 Related to Comprehensive Planning Program

Micah Diaz, Planning Coordinator, City of San Antonio, gave presentation on proposed amendment.

Public Comment

Ross Laughlin, 5975 Lockhill Road, spoke in favor.

Motion: Commissioner Carrillo Haynes for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Milam
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

16-5 Related to Modifying the Half Story Definition

Ray Morales, Applicant, gave presentation on proposed amendment,

Motion: Councilman Courage for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Carrillo Haynes
In Favor: Garcia, Dessouky, Schindler, Oroian, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt
Opposed: Siegel, Milam

MOTION PASSES

16-1 Related to Reducing the Height Limit to 1 ½ Story for R-1 and R-2 and 2 ½ Story for R-3

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Bustamante for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Peck
In Favor: Garcia, Dessouky, Schindler, Oroian, Courage, Peck, Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt, Milam
Opposed: Siegel

MOTION PASSES

7-1 Related to Fees In Lieu of Parkland Dedication

Roque Duque De Estrada, Parks Department, City of San Antonio, gave presentation on proposed amendment.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Peck for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Milam
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

20-6 Related to the Historic and Design Review Commission and Creation of the Compliance and Technical Advisory Board

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Siegel for Approval.
Second: Councilman Courage
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

28-2 Related to Public Right-Of-Way Accessibility

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Peck for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Oroian
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

24-1 Related to Bicycle Facilities

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Milam for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Bustamante
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

27-3 Related to Storm Water Low Impact Development

Sabrina Santiago, Storm Water Department, City of San Antonio, gave presentation of proposed amendment.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Peck for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Bustamante
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

5-16 Related to Oversized Vehicles

Michael Uresti, Code Enforcement Manager, City of San Antonio, gave presentation on proposed amendment.

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Bustamante for Approval.
Second: Commissioner Milam
In Favor: Unanimous
Opposed: None

MOTION PASSES

5-26 Related to the Placement Value of Nonconforming Structures

No Public Comment

Motion: Commissioner Peck for Approval.

Second: Commissioner Siegel

In Favor: Garcia, Siegel, Dessouky, Schindler, Milam, Bustamante, Courage, Peck,
Carrillo Haynes, Proffitt

Opposed: Oroian

MOTION PASSES

Adjournment.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:38 PM.

APPROVED:

Matthew Proffitt, Chair

ATTEST:

Melissa Ramirez, Secretary