Olympia Planning Commission

July 24, 2017

Olympia City Council 601 – 4th Avenue East PO Box 1967 Olympia, WA 98507

Dear Mayor Selby and City Councilmembers:

The Olympia Planning Commission is pleased to provide its recommendation on the Comprehensive Plan Amendment proposed by the South Capitol Neighborhood Association to reduce the street designation of Major Collector for Maple Park Avenue between Capitol Way S and Jefferson Street SE (File # 17-1238).

The Planning Commission held a public hearing on July 10, 2017 and July 24, 2017. The Commission completed its deliberation on July 24th. The Commission finds that the proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendment is consistent with the goals and policies of the Comprehensive Plan. The Commission recommends approval of the proposal, as modified:

The Transportation 2030 Maps be amended to change the street classification for Maple Park Avenue between Capitol Way S and Jefferson Street SE from Major Collector to Neighborhood Collector and that a new set of engineering standards be developed for Neighborhood Collectors in the South Capitol Historic District. The engineering standards should be developed in collaboration with the South Capitol Neighborhood Association through a public process and brought forward to the City Council for a final decision.

Sincerely.

Brian Mark, CHAIR

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c: File #17-1238