

Meeting Minutes

Planning Commission

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Monday, November 2, 2020

6:30 PM

Online and via phone

Register to attend:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_XQXqP0FsRFOT1c1_oj_LSA

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Millar called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

1.A ROLL CALL

Present: 7 - Chair Candi Millar, Vice Chair Paula Ehlers, Commissioner Tammy

Adams, Commissioner Rad Cunningham, Commissioner Yen Huynh, Commissioner Carole Richmond and Commissioner Aaron Sauerhoff

Excused: 1 - Commissioner Kento Azegami

1.B OTHERS PRESENT

Community Planner & Development Staff: Senior Planner Cari Hornbein Senior Planner Joyce Phillips

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

3.A 20-0889 Approval of August 24, 2020 Planning Commission Retreat Planning

Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

The minutes were approved.

3.B 20-0890 Approval of October 13, 2020 Planning Commission Retreat Planning

Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

The minutes were approved.

3.C 20-0891 Approval of October 19, 2020 Planning Commission Meeting Minutes

The minutes were approved.

4. PUBLIC COMMENT - None

5. STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ms. Hornbein made announcements.

6. BUSINESS ITEMS

6.A 20-0707 Housing Options Code Amendments - Recommendation

Commissioner Cunningham moved, seconded by Commissioner Huynh, to approve the recommendation with the following modifications:

- 1. Increase the maximum size of accessory dwelling units (ADU's) to 850 square feet.
- 2. Recommend the City review its use of the term multifamily and make changes, if necessary, to the Unified Development Code (OMC Title 18).
- 3. Allow triplexes in the R 4-8 zone.
- 4. Allow fourplexes in the R 4-8 and R 6-12 zones.
- 5. Allow sixplexes in the R 6-12 zone.

The motion passed by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Chair Millar, Commissioner Adams, Commissioner Cunningham,

Commissioner Huynh and Commissioner Sauerhoff

Nay: 2 - Vice Chair Ehlers and Commissioner Richmond

Excused: 1 - Commissioner Azegami

6.B 20-0872 Housing Options Code Amendments - Draft Recommendation Letter

Commissioner Richmond moved, seconded by Commissioner Ehlers, to authorize the Chair and Vice-Chair to sign a recommendation letter to the City Council.

The motion passed unanimously.

6.C Shoreline Master Program Periodic Review - Briefing

Ms. Phillips briefed the Commissioners.

The information was received.

7. REPORTS - None

8. OTHER TOPICS - None

9. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 9:18 p.m.

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