

Minutes of the Regular Workshop and Meeting of the Harker Heights Planning & Zoning Commission held at the City Hall Building, July 26, 2017

Present: Larry Robison Chairman

Jeffery Petzke
Jan Anderson
Stephen Watford
Darrel Charlton
Noel Webster
David Kingsley

Vice Chairman
Commissioner
Commissioner
Commissioner
Commissioner
Commissioner

Jeff Orlando Secretary

Absent:

Dustin King Alternate Commissioner

Austin Ruiz Commissioner

Daniel Northington
Kendall Cox
Klint Dailey
Ty Hendrick

Alternate-Commissioner
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Planning and Development

Administrative Assistant

Staff: Joseph Molis Director of Planning & Development

Leo Mantey City Planner
Brad Alley Fire Marshal

Courtney Peres City Planner/GIS Coordinator
Yvonne Spell Customer Relations Supervisor
Wilson Everett Building Official Secretary

A quorum was established and the meeting was called to order at 6:30 P.M.

The First item on the agenda was the approval of the minutes from the June 28, 2017 meeting. Mr. Petzke made the motion to approve the minutes and Mr. Kingsley seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously (8-0).

The next item on the agenda was to recognize affidavits for Conflict-of-Interest. Mr. Molis informed the Commission that Commissioner Orlando had conflicts of interes with case numbers Z17-09, Z17-10, Z17-11 and Z17-12, and he would be recused from voting on those agenda items

Next was the report on City Council action regarding recomendations resulting from the June 28, 2017 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting.

Next, Ms. Peres presented the update on development activity for the City. She stated the City issued (1) one commercial construction permits for the month of July 1st to July 26. Eleven (11) single-family residential construction permits, zero (0) permits for mobile home additions and four (4) duplex permit have been issued for the month of July.

Under Public Hearings, Mr. Molis presented Z17-04; conduct a public hearing to discuss and consider a rezoning request from R-1 (One-Family Dwelling District) to PD-M (Planned Development Mixed Use), on properties described as A0179BC J M CROSS, 3-3-1, ACRES

1.504, with Property ID# 127920, A0179BC J M CROSS, ACRES 2.097, with Property ID# 198358, A0179BC J M CROSS, 3-3, ACRES 9.469, with Property ID# 38947, A0179BC J M CROSS, 3-3-2, ACRES 6.949 with Property ID# 127921, generally located at 12590 E. Knights Way (E. FM 2410), Harker Heights, Bell County, Texas. The applicant, Bobby Whitson from 12590 E. Knights Way answered questions from the commissioners.

Chairman Robison then opened the public meeting and asked if there was anyone to speak in favor or against the agenda item. Dinna Hamilton from 12411 E. FM 2410 voiced concerns about water pressure but was not against the rezone request.

Steve Costa at 12680 E. FM 2410 expressed concern of flooding at the rear of the property and recommended the applicant helps to mitigate the flooding before putting more houses in the area.

Chairman Robison then closed the public meeting. Members of the commission then discussed the conditional use permit with Mr. Molis. Chairman Robison asked for a motion to approve or disapprove agenda item Z17-06. Commissioner Anderson made a motion for approval based upon staff's recommendations. Commissioner Kingsley seconded the motion. The motion passed in favor (8-0).

Ms. Molis then presented Z17-12; conduct a public hearing to discuss and consider a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) to allow a real estate office on property described as Forest Hills, Block 015, Lot 0008, with Property ID# 92864, generally located at 105 E. Knights Way (E. FM 2410) Harker Heights, Bell County, Texas. The representative, Raymond Hamden from 1118 Preswick Dr., answered questions from the commissioners.

Chairman Robison then opened the public meeting and asked if there was anyone to speak in favor or against the agenda item. Chairman Robison then closed the public meeting. Members of the commission then discussed the conditional use permit with Mr. Molis.

Chairman Robison asked for a motion to approve or disapprove agenda item Z17-12. Commissioner Petzke made a motion for approval based upon staff's recommendations. Commissioner Kingsley seconded the motion but added an additional condition, stating that he wanted the drainage on site issue to be corrected. The motion passed in favor (7-0) with Commisioner Orlando recused from voting.

Ms. Peres presented Z17-10; conduct a public hearing to discuss and consider a rezoning request from R-1 (One-Family Dwelling District) to R-2 (Two-Family Dwelling District), on property described as Kern Acres 1st Extension & Revision, Block 001, Lot 0009, with Property ID# 122966, generally located at 308 Bonnie Drive, Harker Heights, Bell County, Texas.

The representative, Raymond Hamden from 1118 Preswick Dr. answered questions from the commissioners.

Chairman Robison then opened the public meeting and asked if there was anyone to speak in favor or against the agenda item. There was no one to speak for or against the agenda item. Chairman Robison closed the public hearing. Members of the commission then discussed the rezoning with Ms. Peres.

Chairman Robison asked for a motion to approve or disapprove agenda item Z17-10. Commissioner Webster made a motion for approval based upon staff's recommendations. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion. The motion passed in favor (7-0) with Commisioner Orlando recused from voting.

Ms. Peres presented Z17-11 Conduct a public hearing to discuss and consider a rezoning request from R-1 (One-Family Dwelling District) to R-2 (Two-Family Dwelling District), on property described as Kern Acres 1st Extension & Revision, Block 001, Lot 0008, with Property ID# 80146, generally located at 402 Bonnie Drive, Harker Heights, Bell County, Texas. The representative, Raymond Hamden from 1118 Preswick Dr. answered questions from the commissioners.

Chairman Robison then opened the public meeting and asked if there was anyone to speak in favor or against the agenda item. There was no one to speak for or against the agenda item. Chairman Robison closed the public hearing. Members of the commission then discussed the rezoning with Ms. Peres.

Chairman Robison asked for a motion to approve or disapprove agenda item Z17-11. Commissioner Kingsley made a motion for approval based upon staff's recommendations. Commissioner Watford seconded the motion. The motion passed in favor (7-0) with Commisioner Orlando recused from voting.

Mr. Mantey presented Z17-09; conduct a public hearing to discuss and consider a rezoning request from R-1(M) (One-Family Manufactured Home Dwelling District) to R-2 (Two-Family Dwelling District), on property described as Wildewood Acres, Block 008, Lot 8, 9, & 10' Strip Adjacent on South, with Property ID# 124750, generally located at 914 Maplewood Drive, Harker Heights, Bell County, Texas. The applicant, Raymond Hamden from 1118 Preswick Dr. answered questions from the commissioners.

Chairman Robison then opened the public meeting and asked if there was anyone to speak in favor or against the agenda item. There was no one to speak for or against the agenda item. Chairman Robison closed the public hearing. Members of the commission then discussed the rezoning with Mr. Mantey.

Chairman Robison asked for a motion to approve or disapprove agenda item Z17-09. Commissioner Anderson made a motion for approval based upon staff's recommendations. Commissioner Kingsley seconded the motion. The motion passed in favor (7-0) with Commisioner Orlando recused from voting.

In the absence of any Staff comments and citizens to be heard, Chairman Robison then adjourned the meeting at 8:00 pm.

Chairman

ATTEST: