# Minutes of the Houston Planning Commission

# March 17, 2022

Meeting held in Council Chambers, Public Level, City Hall Annex, with telephonic/video conference via Microsoft Teams <a href="https://bit.ly/3JqIsrK">https://bit.ly/3JqIsrK</a> 2:30 p.m.

# **CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Martha L. Stein called the meeting to order at 2:30 p.m. with a roll call vote and a quorum present.

Martha L. Stein, Chair Present M. Sonny Garza, Vice Chair Present

David Abraham Present virtually

Susan Alleman Present
Bill Baldwin Present
Lisa Clark Absent
Rodney Heisch Present
Daimian S. Hines Present
Randall L. Jones Present
Lydia Mares Absent

Paul R. Nelson Present virtually, arrived 2:39 p.m. during A & B,

left 5:08 p.m. during III

Linda Porras-Pirtle Present virtually

Kevin Robins Absent Ileana Rodriguez Absent

Ian Rosenberg Present virtually

Megan R. Sigler Present

Zafar Tahir Present virtually

Meera D. Victor Absent Scott Cain for Absent

Commissioner James Noack

Maggie Dalton for Absent

The Honorable KP George

Loyd Smith for Absent

The Honorable Lina Hidalgo

## **Ex Officio Members**

Carol A. Lewis Carol Haddock Yuhayna H. Mahmud Alan R. Black

# **Executive Secretary**

Margaret Wallace Brown, Director, Planning and Development Department

## CHAIR'S REPORT

Chair Martha L. Stein reported on meeting procedures and stated that some items are withdrawn. Commissioner Tahir was given a point of personal privilege to recognize his intern.

## **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

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

APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 3, 2022 PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES No action taken.

### PLATTING ACTIVITY (Consent and Replat items A and B, 1 – 152) I.

130 **Old Spanish Trails Lofts**  C2R

Vote: Carried

Defer

Abstaining: Heisch

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: Alleman Motion: Garza Speaker: Gerald Grissom, Applicant - supportive.

Items removed for separate consideration: 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 26, 34, 36, 38, 39, 40, 41, 69, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76 and 78.

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendations for item(s) 1 - 152, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved staff's recommendations for item(s) 1 - 152, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions, except items removed for separate consideration.

Motion: Porras-Pirtle

Second: Jones

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendation for items 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 26, 34, 36, 38, 39, 40, 41, 69, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76 and 78, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved staff's recommendation for items 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 26, 34, 36, 38, 39, 40, 41, 69, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76 and 78, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Second: Jones Vote: Carried Abstaining: Heisch and Sigler Motion: Alleman

#### C PUBLIC HEARINGS REQUIRING NOTIFICATION

Azul Homes partial replat no 2

C<sub>3</sub>N

**Disapprove** 

Staff recommendation: Disapprove the plat. Commission action: Disapproved the plat.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Nelson

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speaker(s): Jimmy Davis, Barbara Brady and Candice Qualls - opposed.

**Commons of Lake Houston Sec 1** 154

C3N

Defer

partial replat no 1

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for further study and legal review and to give the applicant time to submit revised information.

Commission action: Deferred the application for further study and legal review and to give the applicant time to submit revised information.

Motion: Heisch

Second: Hines

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Craig Woods partial replat no 37 155

C<sub>3</sub>N

**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: Heisch

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

C3N Approve Foster Place partial replat no 25 156 Staff recommendation: Approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Abstaining: None Second: Tahir Vote: Unanimous Motion: Alleman Withdrawn 157 Hester Tract partial replat no 1 C3N **Approve** C<sub>3</sub>N Idylwood partial replat no 2 158 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 Abstaining: None Second: Garza Motion: Baldwin **Approve** C<sub>3</sub>N Neuen Manor partial replat no 25 159 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: Sigler Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Garza C<sub>3</sub>N **Approve** Neuen Manor partial replat no 26 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 Abstaining: None Second: Jones Motion: Heisch C<sub>3</sub>N **Approve** 161 Rosewood Estates Sec 2 partial replat no 4 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 Abstaining: None Second: Jones Motion: Alleman C3N Defer 162 **Shadow Creek South Sec 2** partial replat no 3 and extension Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks for Legal review. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks for Legal review. Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Second: Alleman Motion: Baldwin Speaker(s): Reed Durfey and Scott Frankel – opposed; Jim Grishom, applicant – supportive. Defer C<sub>3</sub>N Timmerman Place partial replat no 1 Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per the applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request. Abstaining: None Motion: Heisch Second: Porras-Pirtle Vote: Unanimous C<sub>3</sub>N **Disapprove Usener Addition partial replat** 164 no 3 and extension Staff recommendation: Deny the variance(s) and disapprove the plat. Commission action: Denied the variance and disapproved the plat. Second: Hines Vote: Carried Opposed: Baldwin and Jones Motion: Garza Speaker: Emily Trout, applicant - supportive. Usener Addition partial replat no 4 C<sub>3</sub>N **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: Alleman Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Jones

#### D **VARIANCES**

AM 2920 Reserve Sec 2

Approve C2

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.

Second: Alleman Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Heisch

**Bronze Bar Mixed Use** 

C2R Defer

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

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

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

168 Candela South GP

GP Approve 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.

Motion: Jones Second: Garza Vote: Carried Abstaining: Heisch and Sigler

Cavalcade Crossing

C2R **Approve** 

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

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

Vote: Unanimous Motion: Garza Second: Baldwin Abstaining: **None** Speaker(s): Ted Wood and Thomas Miller - opposed; Marc Flores and Jake Patrick, applicant supportive.

170 **Eastwood Landing**  C2R **Approve** 

Defer

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 Second: Alleman Abstaining: None Motion: Jones

C<sub>3</sub>P

171 **Eight Hundred Middle** 

Staff recommendation: Changed recommendation from Approve to 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: Baldwin Vote: Carried Abstaining: Sigler Motion: Garza Speaker(s); Deborah Guerrero, Joyce Owens and Mr. Gillian applicants – supportive; Alan J. Atkinson, Ricky Cardenas Jr. and Rex Pettingill - opposed.

**Houston West AAA Cooper** 172

Defer C2

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

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

Second: Jones Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Alleman

173 Lyons Immersive

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: Heisch

Second: Abraham

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

174 Schiel Road Tract

C<sub>3</sub>P

Withdrawn

175 Villas at Elysian

C2R

Defer

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

Motion: Sigler

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

E SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS

NONE

# F RECONSIDERATION OF REQUIREMENTS

176 Anderson Villas

C3R

Approve

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

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

Motion: Alleman

Second: Jones

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

177 First Outreach

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: Garza

Second: Heisch

Vote: **Unanimous** 

Abstaining: None

178 Palmetto Place

C3R

**Approve** 

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

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

Motion: Garza

Second: Sigler

Vote: Carried

Abstaining: Heisch

Speaker(s): Richard Smith, Public Works; Andrew Lang, applicant – supportive.

G	EXT	ENS	IONS	OF A	APP	RO	VAL

179	Cordoba Estates	EOA	Approve
180	Hannoun Plazas	EOA	Approve
181	Harris County MUD no 434	EOA	Approve
	Detention Pond no 2		
182	Harris County MUD No 559	EOA	Approve
	Wastewater Treatment Plant	·	
183	Harris County MUD No 559 Water Plant	EOA	Approve
184	Harris Fort Bend Counties MUD No 3	EOA	Approve
	Water Plant no 2		
185	Mason Road and Cypress	EOA	Approve
	West Boulevard Street Dedication		

186	Park on Mansfield	EOA	Approve
187	Parker Hobby	EOA	Approve
188	Plum Grove Property LLC	EOA	Approve
189	Preserve at Martindale	EOA	Approve
190	QuikTrip Addition	EOA	Approve
191	UG Waterworks Highline South	EOA	Approve
192	West Lake Grove Drive and	EOA	Approve
400	Williams Gully Trail Street Dedication	EOA	Approve
193	West Little York Estates	EOA	Approve
Н	NAME CHANGES NONE		
I	CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE		
101	20009 Payanwood Driva	COC	Annrove

194 20009 Ravenwood Drive COC Approve COC **Approve** 19812 Deer Run 195

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendation for items 179-195. Commission Action: Approved staff's recommendation for items 179-195.

Second: Alleman Vote: Carried Motion: Jones

Abstaining: Heisch 181, 182, 183, 185, 189, 192

Abstaining: None

**ADMINISTRATIVE** J NONE

#### DEVELOPMENT PLATS WITH VARIANCE REQUESTS K

DPV **Approve** 8410 Lockwood Drive

Staff recommendation: Deny the variance(s) to allow a reduced building line of 5' instead of ordinance required 25' for a carport.

Vote: Unanimous

Commission action: Approved the variance(s) to allow a reduced building line of 5' instead of ordinance required 25' for a carport with the conditions that the carport is never enclosed and to retain the existing transparent fence and curb cut.

Motion: Baldwin Second: Sigler Speaker: Cynthia Robles, applicant – supportive.

DPV Defer 6202 North Main Street

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.

Vote: Unanimous Second: Alleman Abstaining: None Motion: Garza

### **ESTABLISH A PUBLIC HEARING DATE OF APRIL 14, 2022** II.

- Clairmont Place partial replat no 5 a.
- Dunvale Village partial replat no 1 b.
- Foster Place partial replat no 27
- Goodhope Terrace replat no 1 d.
- Haight Meadows replat no 1 e.
- RB Gaut partial replat no 1 f.
- Subeam Estates partial replat no 1

Staff recommendation: Establish a public hearing date of April 14, 2022 for item II a-g. Commission action: Established a public hearing date of April 14, 2022 for item II a-g.

Second: Porras-Pirtle Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Garza

### CONSIDERATION OF A STUDIO 6 HOTEL/MOTEL LOCATED AT 14402 OLD III. CHOCOLATE BAYOU ROAD

Staff recommendation: Deny the Hotel/Motel variance(s).

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks for further study and coordination with the applicant.

Second: Jones Vote: **Unanimous** Abstaining: None Motion: Baldwin Speaker(s): Juan Martinez, applicant – supportive; Chasity Christian, Shannon Winton and Tiffany Morgan - opposed.

#### IV. EXCUSE THE ABSENCES OF COMMISSIONER ILEANA RODRIGUEZ

Commissioner Rodriguez's absences were excused.

### ٧. **PUBLIC COMMENT** NONE

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business brought before the Commission, Chair Martha L. Stein adjourned the meeting at 5:21 p.m.

Motion: Heisch

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None