Rezoning Petition 2009-084



ZONING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

January 6, 2010

REQUEST	Current Zoning: CC, commercial center Proposed Zoning: CC SPA, commercial center, site plan amendment
LOCATION	Approximately 1.72 acres located on the south side of Smith Corners Boulevard near the intersection of West W. T. Harris Boulevard and Statesville Road.
CENTER, CORRIDOR OR WEDGE	Corridor
SUMMARY OF PETITION	This petition proposes a site plan amendment to one parcel within a unified development to allow a 52,500 square foot hotel. The maximum 150,000 square feet previously approved for the remainder of the unified development will remain unchanged.
Property Owner Petitioner Agent/Representative	CentDev Northlake, LLC YM Management Group, LLC Teresa Hawkins
Community Meeting	Meeting is required and has been held. Report available online.
ZONING COMMITTEE ACTION	The Zoning Committee voted unanimously to recommend APPROVAL of this petition with the following modifications:
	 Amended Part II (B) to state that the site plan amendment applies only to Parcel D and proposes a maximum of 52,500 square feet. Specified that the remainder of the unified development will have a maximum of 150,000 square feet. Specified the meeting room capacity as 24 seats in two meeting rooms. Solid waste and recycling area shown and labeled. Provided information on the number of meeting rooms, which negated the need for a parking count and shared parking agreement. Labeled Parcel D/Envelope 5. Removed the note that storm water runoff will be managed by an existing off-site shared regional detention facility.
νοτε	Motion/Second:Allen/DodsonYeas:Allen, Dodson, Griffith, Randolph, and WalkerNays:NoneAbsent:Rosenburgh and SimmonsRecused:None
ZONING COMMITTEE DISCUSSION	Staff provided an overview of the petition and noted that all outstanding issues have been addressed.
STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY	This petition is found to be consistent with the <i>Northlake Area Plan</i> and to be reasonable and in the public interest, by a unanimous vote of the Zoning Committee (motion by Commissioner Walker seconded by Commissioner Allen).
STAFF OPINION	Staff agrees with the recommendation of the Zoning Committee.

PLANNING STAFF REVIEW

• Proposed Request Details

The site plan accompanying this petition contains the following provisions:

- A maximum of 52,500 square feet permitted on Parcel D. The remainder of the development will maintain a maximum of 150,000 square feet.
- A four-story hotel consisting of 82 rooms, with a meeting room capacity of 24 seats in two meeting rooms.
- An eight-foot planting strip and six-foot sidewalk along Smith Corners Boulevard.
- A six-foot planting strip and five-foot sidewalk along the abutting internal driveway.
- A five-foot internal sidewalk that connects to the public sidewalk.

• Public Plans and Policies

- The *Northlake Area Plan* (2008) recognizes the existing CC zoning on the site and recommends retail uses for the property.
- This petition is consistent with the Northlake Area Plan.
- STAFF RECOMMENDATION (Updated)
 - Staff agrees with the recommendation of the Zoning Committee.

PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE UPDATES (see full department reports online)

- **CDOT:** No issues.
- Charlotte Fire Department: No issues.
- CATS: No issues.
- Connectivity: No issues.
- Neighborhood and Business Services: No issues.
- Schools: CMS does not comment on non-residential petitions.
- Park and Recreation: No comments received.

ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE SITE DESIGN (see full department reports online)

- Storm Water: No issues.
- LUESA: No issues.
- Site Design: No issues.

OUTSTANDING ISSUES

No issues.

Attachments Online at www.rezoning.org

- Application
 - CATS Review
 - CDOT Review
 - Charlotte Fire Department Review
- CMU Review
- Community Meeting Report
- LUESA Review
- Neighborhood and Business Services
- Pre-Hearing Staff Analysis
- Site Plan
- Solid Waste
- Storm Water Review