ZONING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION December 19, 2007

Rezoning Petition No. 2007-149

Property Owner:		James Griffin, et al
Petitioner:		The Boulevard Company
Location:		Approximately 1.13 acres located on the northeast corner of South Church Street and Lincoln Street.
Center, Corridor or Wedge:		Corridor
Request:		I-2 and TOD-MO, general industrial and transit oriented development optional to TOD-M, transit oriented development, mixed use.
Action:		The Zoning Committee voted unanimously to recommend APPROVAL of this petition
Vote:	Yeas:	Howard, Johnson, Lipton, Loflin, Randolph, and Rosenburgh
	Nays:	None
	Absent:	Sheild
	Recused:	None

Summary of Petition

This request would allow transit oriented development along the south rail line.

Zoning Committee Discussion/Rationale

Mr. Keith MacVean reviewed and discussed the petition.

Consistency Statement

A motion was made by Commissioner Lipton, seconded by Commissioner Loflin, to find this proposal to be consistent with the *South End Transit Station Area Plan* and to be reasonable and in the public interest. The motion passed unanimously.

<u>Vote</u>

Upon a motion by Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Loflin, the Zoning Committee voted unanimously to recommend APPROVAL of this petition.

Staff Opinion

Staff agrees with the recommendation of the Zoning Committee.