CHARLOTTE. CHARLOTTE-MECKLENBURG PLANNING

Rezoning Petition 2013-012 ZONING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION March 27, 2013

| REQUEST | Current Zoning: B-2, general business Proposed Zoning: I-2(CD), general industrial, conditional |
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| LOCATION | Approximately 1.48 acres located on the east side of Statesville Road near the intersection of Interstate 85 and Statesville Road between Boxmeer Drive and Burch Drive. (Council District 4 - Barnes) |
| SUMMARY OF PETITION | The petition proposes rezone 1.48 acres to allow the reuse of an existing 16,138 square foot building with a possible area for future expansion for industrial and retail uses with accessory outdoor storage. |
| PROPERTY OWNER PETITIONER AGENT/REPRESENTATIVE | Kinsale Properties, LLC Kinsale Properties, LLC Terry Brennan |
| COMMUNITY MEETING STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY | Meeting is required and has been held. Report available online. This petition is found to be consistent with the <i>Central District</i> Plan and to be reasonable and in the public interest, by a unanimous vote of the Zoning Committee (motion by Commissioner Allen seconded by Commissioner Walker). |
| ZONING COMMITTEE ACTION | The Zoning Committee voted unanimously to recommend APPROVAL of this petition with the following modifications: An amended rezoning application has been submitted updating the requested zoning district to 1-2(CD). The square footage for the proposed future expansion areas has been listed on the site plan. The "at will" language has been removed from the landscaping note on the conditional site plan. A note has been added stating trees and shrubs will be planted for the screening of the outdoor storage area. A note stating accessory drive-thru windows will not be permitted has been added to the site plan. Conditional notes have been placed in the correct format. Charlotte Department of Transportation's comments have been addressed and added to the site plan. Possible areas for outdoor storage have been labeled on the site plan. |
| VOTE | Motion/Second:Allen/WalkerYeas:Allen, Eschert, Johnson, Labovitz, Nealon, and WalkerNays:NoneAbsent:LathropRecused:None |
| ZONING COMMITTEE DISCUSSION | Staff presented the petition to the Zoning Committee and indicated all outstanding site plan issues have been resolved. There was no further discussion of this petition. |

STAFF OPINION

Staff agrees with the recommendation of the Zoning Committee.

FINAL STAFF ANALYSIS (Pre-Hearing Analysis online at <u>www.rezoning.org</u>)

PLANNING STAFF REVIEW

Proposed Request Details

- The site plan accompanying this petition contains the following provisions:
- Existing 16,138 square foot building and associated parking.
- Possible areas for future building expansion.
- Possible area for outdoor storage.
- Landscaping and tree plantings to screen outdoor storage area.
- The removal of one existing driveway along Statesville Road.
- Proposed cross-access agreement between parcels for off-street traffic management.
- A conditional note prohibiting the following uses:
 - Abattoirs
 - Foundries
 - Junk yards
 - Power generation plant
 - Railroad freight yards
 - Marshaling yard
 - Truck Stop
 - Truck Terminal

• Public Plans and Policies

- The Northeast District Plan (1996) recommends industrial and retail uses at this location.
- The petition is consistent with the Northeast Area Plan.
- Staff Recommendation (Updated)
 - Staff agrees with the recommendation of the Zoning Committee.

DEPARTMENT COMMENTS (see full department reports online)

- Charlotte Area Transit System: No comments received.
- Charlotte Department of Neighborhood & Business Services: No issues.
- Transportation: No issues.
- Charlotte Fire Department: No issues.
- Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools: No issues.
- Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services: No issues.
- Engineering and Property Management: No issues.
- Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency: No issues.
- Mecklenburg County Parks and Recreation Department: No issues.
- Urban Forestry: No issues.

ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE SITE DESIGN (see full department reports online)

- **Site Design:** The following explains how the petition addresses the environmentally sensitive site design guidance in the *General Development Policies-Environment*.
 - This site meets minimum ordinance standards.

OUTSTANDING ISSUES

No issues.

Attachments Online at www.rezoning.org

- Application
- Pre-Hearing Staff Analysis
- Site Plan
- Community Meeting Report
- Charlotte Department of Neighborhood & Business Services Review
- Transportation Review
- Charlotte Fire Department Review
- Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services Review
- Engineering and Property Management Review
- Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency Review
- Mecklenburg County Parks and Recreation Review
- Urban Forestry Review

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