## Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission

## **Zoning Committee Recommendation**

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Rezoning Petition 2017-157

January 4, 2018

**Zoning Committee** 

REQUEST Current Zoning: R-3 (single family residential)

Proposed Zoning: R-4 (single family residential)

LOCATION Approximately 28.4 acres located on the west side of Old Concord

Road, south of Torrence Grove Church Road.

(Council District 4 - Phipps)

**PETITIONER** Essex Homes Southeast, Inc.

ZONING COMMITTEE ACTION VOTE The Zoning Committee vote 7-0 to recommend APPROVAL of this

petition.

Motion/Second: Nelson / Spencer

Yeas: Fryday, Majeed, McClung, McMillan, Nelson,

Spencer, and Sullivan

Nays: None Absent: None Recused: None

ZONING COMMITTEE DISCUSSION

Staff provided a summary of the petition and noted that it is consistent with the adopted area plan.

A committee member questioned the Charlotte Water memo, which indicated that sewer system capacity could not be determined. Staff responded that some questions cannot be answered due to the limited amount of engineering that is done during the rezoning but can be answered later during permitting. Staff added that land use entitlements must be obtained before permitting.

There was no further discussion of this petition.

ZONING COMMITTEE STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY

The Zoning Committee voted 7-0 (motion by Nelson seconded by Spencer) to adopt the following statement of consistency:

The proposed rezoning is consistent with the *Newell Small Area Plan*, based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• The plan recommends single family uses up to four dwelling units per acre.

Therefore this petition was found to be reasonable and in the public interest based on information from the staff analysis and the public hearing and because:

• The surrounding area located on the west side of Old Concord Road is developed with single family detached and attached

- dwelling units recommended for residential uses ranging in densities from four to 12 dwelling units per acre; and
- The proposed R-4 (single family residential) zoning district is consistent with the surrounding single family zoning districts in the area, which include R-3 (single family residential), R-17MF (multi-family residential), and MX-1 (mixed use) zoning districts; and
- Improvements to Old Concord Road will be achieved through the land development permitting process; and
- The proposed zoning will help to maintain the low to moderate density residential character of the area.

**Planner** 

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