

Rezoning Petition 2012-019 PRE-HEARING STAFF ANALYSIS March 19, 2012

REQUEST Current Zoning: B-1, neighborhood business

Proposed Zoning: TOD-M, transit oriented development, mixed use

LOCATION Approximately 0.47 acres located on the south side of West Kingston

Avenue between Camden Road and Hawkins Street.

SUMMARY OF PETITION The petition proposes to rezone the subject site to allow mixed use

transit oriented development along the south rail corridor.

STAFF Staff recommends approval of this petition. The proposed rezoning is

RECOMMENDATION consistent with the *South End Transit Station Area Plan*.

PROPERTY OWNER Shutter Shop Inc.

PETITIONER Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Department

AGENT/REPRESENTATIVE N/A

COMMUNITY MEETING Meeting is not required.

PLANNING STAFF REVIEW

· Proposed Request Details

This is a conventional rezoning petition with no associated site plan.

· Existing Zoning and Land Use

The subject property is currently occupied with a commercial warehouse facility. The surrounding properties are zoned TOD-M and are either vacant or occupied with commercial, warehouse, office, and residential land uses.

Rezoning History in Area

There have been numerous rezonings in this area to the TOD-M zoning designation to allow for transit oriented developments.

Public Plans and Policies

- The South End Transit Station Area Plan (2005) recommends mixed use transit supportive land uses on this site.
- This petition is consistent with the South End Transit Station Area Plan.

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.
 - **Vehicle Trip Generation:** The petition will allow a wide range of trip generation based on the existing and proposed zoning classification.
 - Connectivity: No issues.
- Charlotte Fire Department: No issues.
- Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools: The conventional district allows a variety of uses, therefore, the impact on local schools cannot be determined.
- Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services: No issues.

- Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency: No issues.
- Mecklenburg County Parks and Recreation Department: No comments received.

ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE SITE DESIGN (see full department reports online)

- Site Design:
 - There is no site plan associated with this conventional rezoning request.

OUTSTANDING ISSUES

No issues.

Attachments Online at www.rezoning.org

- Application
- Charlotte Department of Neighborhood & Business Services Review
- Charlotte Department of Transportation Review
- Charlotte Fire Department Review
- Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services Review
- Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency Review

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