Rezoning Petition 2015-074 Pre-Hearing Staff Analysis



REQUEST	Current Zoning: B-1 (neighborhood business) Proposed Zoning: TOD-M (transit oriented development - mixed-use)
LOCATION	Approximately 0.26 acres located on the west side of South Boulevard between East Boulevard and East Kingston Avenue. (Council District 3 - Mayfield)
SUMMARY OF PETITION	The petition proposes to allow all uses in the TOD-M (transit oriented development – mixed-use) district.
STAFF RECOMMENDATION	Staff recommends approval of this petition. This petition is consistent with the <i>South End Transit Station Area Plan</i> .
PROPERTY OWNER PETITIONER AGENT/REPRESENTATIVE	1700 South, LLC 1700 South, LLC Jim Plyler
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 zoned B-1 (neighborhood business) and developed with office and retail uses. Surrounding properties are zoned B-1 (neighborhood business), and MUDD(CD) (mixed use development, conditional) and developed with commercial uses.
- Rezoning History in Area
 - A number of rezonings have taken place to accommodate non-residential and transit supportive uses in the immediate area.
- Public Plans and Policies
 - The *South End Transit Station Area Plan* (2005) recommends mixed use transit supportive development for the property.
 - This petition is consistent with the *South End Transit Station Area Plan*.

DEPARTMENT COMMENTS (see full department reports online)

- Charlotte Area Transit System: No issues.
- Charlotte Department of Neighborhood & Business Services: No issues.
- Transportation: No issues.
 - Vehicle Trip Generation: Current Zoning: 1,100 trips per day. Proposed Zoning: A wide range of trip generation is possible for the proposed zoning district.
- Charlotte Fire Department: No comments received.
- **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.
- Engineering and Property Management: No issues.
- Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency: No issues.
- Mecklenburg County Parks and Recreation Department: 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*.
 - There is no site plan associated with this conventional rezoning request.

OUTSTANDING ISSUES

No issues.

Attachments Online at www.rezoning.org

- Application
- Locator Map
- Charlotte Area Transit System Review
- Charlotte Department of Neighborhood & Business Services Review
- Transportation 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

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