Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission

Zoning Committee Recommendation

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Rezoning Petition 2018-110

July 2, 2019

Zoning Committee

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

Proposed Zoning: R-8MF(CD) (multi-family residential,

conditional) with 5-year vested rights

LOCATION Approximately 38.4 acres located on the east side of Shopton

Road West north of South Tryon Street.

(Outside City Limits)

PETITIONER Mattamy Homes

ZONING COMMITTEE ACTION/ STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY

The Zoning Committee voted 7-0 to recommend APPROVAL of this petition and adopt the consistency statement as follows:

The petition is found to conform to the Steele Creek Area Plan residential land use recommendation but to be **inconsistent** with the recommended density, based on information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• The plan recommends residential land uses at a density of up to 4 dwelling units per acre.

However we find this petition to be reasonable and in the public interest based on information from the staff analysis and the public hearing and because:

- While the proposed density of 6.25 dwelling units per acre exceeds the recommended density of four dwelling units per acre, the project is compatible with existing development in the area.
- The site is adjacent to an existing townhome development zoned R-8MF(CD), at a density of 6.7 dwelling units per acre.
- The proposed site plan includes the required road connections, along Shopton Road West and connects to Tamarack Drive providing 4 points of ingress/egress to the development.
- The proposed development is compatible with the surrounding residential uses in the area.

The approval of this petition will revise the adopted future land use as specified by the *Steele Creek Area Plan*, from residential up to 4 dwelling units per acre to residential up to 8 dwelling units per acre.

Motion/Second: Wiggins / McClung

Yeas: Gussman, Ham, McClung, Spencer, Nwasike,

Watkins, and Wiggins

Nays: None Absent: None Recused: None

ZONING COMMITTEE

DISCUSSION

PLANNER

Staff provided a summary of the petition, noting the remaining outstanding transportation issues had been addressed. Staff stated the request is consistent with the Steele Creek Area Plan with respect to proposed use, but inconsistent with regard to density. Staff recommended approval of the request. There was no discussion of this item.

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