Government of the District of Columbia
OFFICE OF ZONING

MEMORANDUM

TO: Arnold R. Finlayson, Administrator
Office of Documents and Administrative Issuance

FROM: Alberto P. Bastida, AICP
Secretary to the Zoning Commission

DATE: April 28, 2003

SUBJECT: Publication for the Office of Zoning

Please publish the following in the D.C. Register on May 9, 2003:

1. Z.C. Notice of Public Hearing (Case No. 02-50);
2. Z.C. Notice of Public Hearing (Case No. 03-10); and
3. Z.C. Notice of Public Hearing (Case No. 03-15).

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Exhibit 21

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ZONING COMMISSION
District of Columbia
CASE NO.02-50
EXHIBIT NO.21

ZONING COMMISSION FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TIME AND PLACE: **Thursday, June 30, 2003, @ 6:30 P.M.**
Office of Zoning Hearing Room
441 4th Street, N.W., Suite 220
Washington, D.C. 20001

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING THE FOLLOWING:

CASE NO. 02-50 (PUD and Related Map Amendment @ Square 1935, Lot 815 - St. Luke's Condominiums)

THIS CASE IS OF INTEREST TO ANCs 3B and 3C

On December 10, 2002, the Office of Zoning received an application from St. Luke's Condominium, LLC, contract purchaser, on behalf of the owner, St. Luke's United Methodist Church (the "applicant"). The applicant is requesting approval of a consolidated PUD and Map Amendment for Lot 815 in Square 1935. This matter was referred to the Office of Planning (OP) on December 26, 2002; OP provided its report on February 14, 2003; the case was set down for hearing on February 24, 2003; and the applicant provided its prehearing statement on April 17, 2003.

The property that is the subject of this application consists of Square 1935, Lot 815. The site has a postal address of 3655 Calvert Street, N.W. and is generally situated at the northeast corner of Wisconsin Avenue and Calvert Street, N.W. The subject property is currently zoned Naval Observatory ("NO")/R-1-B and consists of approximately 78,000 square feet of land area.

The Applicant proposes to construct a residential building of approximately 85,000 square feet of gross floor area that will include a maximum of 44 residential units. The existing St. Luke's United Methodist Church building and parking lot will remain. The new residential building will be located on the portion of the property closer to the intersection of Wisconsin Avenue and Calvert Street.

The Applicant seeks a related amendment to the Zoning Map to rezone the entire site from NO/R-1-B to NO/R-5-B.

The R-1-B District permits matter-of-right development of single-family residential uses for detached dwellings with a minimum lot width of 50 feet, a minimum lot area of 5,000 square

feet, a maximum lot occupancy of 60% for a church or public school use and 40% for all other structures; and a maximum height of three (3) stories/forty (40) feet.

The R-5-B District permits matter-of-right development of moderate-density residential uses, including single-family dwellings, flats, and apartment buildings, to a maximum lot occupancy of 60%, a maximum density of 1.8 FAR, and a maximum height of fifty (50) feet.

This public hearing will be conducted in accordance with the contested case provisions of the Zoning Regulations 11 DCMR, § 3022.

Interested persons or representatives of organizations will be heard at the public hearing. **Any person who desires to participate as a party in this case must so request and must comply with the provisions of 11 DCMR 3022.3**. A party has the right to cross-examine witnesses, to submit proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law, to receive a copy of the written decision of the Zoning Commission, and to exercise the other rights of parties as specified in the Rules. Except for the applicant and the ANC, to participate as a party in a proceeding before the Commission, **any affected person shall file with the Commission, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for the hearing, a written statement containing the following information:**

(a) The person's name and address;

(b) A request to appear and participate as a party;

(c) Whether the person will appear as a proponent or opponent of the application;

(d) Whether the person will appear through legal counsel, and if so, the name and address of legal counsel;

(e) A list of witnesses who will testify on the person's behalf; and

(f) A written statement setting forth why the person should be granted party status, including reference to the following:

(1) The property owned or occupied by such person, or in which the person has an interest, that will be affected by the action requested of the Commission;

(2) The legal interest such person has in such property, such as owner, tenant, trustee, or mortgagee;

(3) The distance between the person's property and the property that is the subject of the application before the Commission;

(4) The environmental, economic, social, or other impacts likely to affect the person and/or the person's property if the action requested of the Commission is approved or denied;

(5) An explanation of how the person's interest as identified in response to paragraph (4) would likely be more significantly, distinctively, or uniquely affected in character or kind by the proposed zoning action that those of other persons in the general public.

The Commission shall determine who will be recognized as a party. In so determining, the Commission shall consider whether the provisions of § 3022.3 have been complied with and whether the specific information presented qualifies the person as a party. The Commission shall grant party status only if the person requesting party status has clearly demonstrated that the person's interests would likely be more significantly, distinctly, or uniquely affected by the proposed zoning action than other persons in the general public.

Any person wishing to be considered a party should clearly state the request, and should also provide a daytime telephone number should it be necessary for the Office of Zoning to obtain additional information or clarification prior to the hearing. Written statements, in lieu of personal appearances or oral presentations, may be submitted for inclusions in the record.

The Zoning Commission hereby gives notice of the following procedures applicable to this case. Any person requesting to appear as a party to this application shall submit the following additional information:

1. A summary of the testimony of each witness.

2. An indication of which witnesses will be offered as expert witnesses, the areas of expertise in which any experts will be offered, and the resumes of qualifications of the proposed experts.

3. The total amount of time being requested to present the case.

The information cited above shall also be submitted by the applicant. To the extent that the information is not contained in the applicant's prehearing submission required by 11 DCMR § 3013.1, the information shall be filed no later than fourteen (14) days before the date of the hearing.

If an affected Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC), pursuant to DCMR § 3012.5, intends to participate at the hearing, the ANC shall also submit the information cited above relating to the hearing procedures. The written report of the ANC shall be filed no later than seven (7) days before the date of the hearing.

The Zoning Commission gives further notice that it intends to establish time limits for oral presentations of both parties and persons. Accordingly, the following time limits shall apply:

1.	Applicant	60 minutes
2.	Other Parties	15 minutes
3.	Organizations	5 minutes
4.	Individuals	3 minutes

The Commission intends to adhere to the time limits as strictly as possible, in order to hear the case in a reasonable period of time. The Commission reserves the right to change the time limits for presentations if necessary and notes that no time shall be ceded. The Commission also requests that all witnesses prepare their testimony in writing, submit the written testimony prior to giving statements, and limit oral presentations to summaries of the most important points.

Information should be forwarded to the Director, Office of Zoning, Suite 210, 441 4th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001. Please include the number of this particular case and your daytime telephone number. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, YOU MAY CONTACT THE OFFICE OF ZONING AT (202) 727-6311.**

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