GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Zoning Commission



September 15, 2016

ANC 7D 4058 Minnesota Avenue, NE – DOES Building First Floor Washington, DC 20019 Commissioner Claude B. McKay ANC/SMD 7D04 7D04@anc.dc.gov

Re: Z.C. Case No. 16-20 (3443 Benning, LLC – Consolidated PUD and Related Map Amendment @ Square 5017)

Dear ANC Chair & ANC/SMD Commissioner:

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 1-309.10(b), the Zoning Commission for the District of Columbia hereby gives you notice of the receipt of an application from 3443 Benning, LLC (the "Applicant") for approval of a consolidated planned unit development ("PUD") and related map amendment to property located in the northeast quadrant of the District at 3450 Eads Street, NE, also known as Square 5017, Lots 839-842 and a portion of the public alley abutting Lots 839 and 840 to be closed. Please note that this case was filed electronically through the Interactive Zoning Information System ("IZIS"). You can access and file your report for this case through IZIS at http://app.dcoz.dc.gov.

Pursuant to Subtitle Z § 400.7, the ANC has the opportunity to file the attached Form 130 - ANC Setdown Report to provide feedback on whether or not the Zoning Commission should set down the case for public hearing. You have 30 days to file the ANC Setdown Form from the date the application was referred (Subtitle Z § 400.8).

Further, you will also receive notice of the hearing date at least 40 calendar days in advance. Pursuant to Subtitle Z § 406.3, if your ANC wishes to participate in the hearing, then its written report must be received at least seven days in advance of the public hearing. The report must contain the information required by Subtitle Z § 406.2, which is included at the bottom of this letter. That information is also included in Form 129 – Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) Report, which is attached for your convenience and is the preferred mechanism to complete your report. Any written report received prior to the date of a Commission meeting to consider final action will be given "great weight."

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 1-309.10(d)(2), the Zoning Commission must wait 30 days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays before it can make its decision on this application. However, as a practical matter, the Commission cannot make a decision that soon, because it must first hold a public hearing and, for those cases that require proposed action to be taken, the National Capitol Planning Commission is thereafter given thirty days to review the application.

Great weight does not mean that the Zoning Commission must defer to an ANC's view, but instead requires acknowledgement of the ANC as the source of the recommendations and explicit reference to each of the ANC's issues and concerns. It is therefore important that the written report not only indicate whether the ANC supports or opposes the application, but that it also identify each issue and concern that led to the recommendation made.

ZONING COMMISSION District of Columbia CASE NO.16-20 EXHIBIT NO.7 If your ANC has not received a courtesy copy of the application from the Applicant, please notify us so we can assist you in obtaining a copy. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 727-6311.

Sincerely, ellen

Sharon S. Schellin Secretary to the Zoning Commission Attachment

Subtitle Z § 406.2

- 406.2 The Commission shall give "great weight" to the written report of the ANC, pursuant to § 3 of the Comprehensive Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Reform Amendment Act of 2000, as amended, that is received at any time prior to the date of a Commission meeting to consider final action including any continuation thereof on the application. All written reports shall contain the following:
 - (a) The case name and number;
 - (b) The date the public meeting of the ANC to consider the application occurred;
 - (c) A statement that proper notice of that public meeting was given by the ANC;
 - (d) The number of members of the ANC that constitute a quorum and the number of members present at the public meeting;
 - (e) The issues and concerns of the ANC about the application, as related to the standards against which the application shall be judged;
 - (f) The recommendation, if any, of the ANC as to the disposition of the application;
 - (g) The outcome of the vote on the motion to adopt the report to the Commission;
 - (h) The name of the person who is authorized by the ANC to present the report; and

ZONING COMMISSION FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NOTICE OF FILING Z.C. Case No. 16-20 (3443 Benning, LLC – Consolidated PUD and Related Map Amendment @ Square 5017, Lots 839-842 and a Portion of the Public Alley Abutting Lots 839 and 840) September 15, 2016

THIS CASE IS OF INTEREST TO ANC 7D

On September 15, 2016, the Office of Zoning received an application from a 3443 Benning, LLC (the "Applicant") for approval of a consolidated planned unit development ("PUD") and related map amendment for the above-referenced property.

The property that is the subject of this application consists of Lots 839-842 in Square 5017 and a portion of a public alley abutting Lots 839 and 840 to be closed in northeast Washington, D.C. (Ward 7), on property located at 3450 Eads Street, N.E. The property is currently zoned R-3. The Applicant is proposing a PUD-related map amendment to rezone the property, for the purposes of this project, to the MU-7 zone.

The Applicant proposes to construct an approximately 59-unit multifamily residential development with a maximum height of five stories (56 feet) and a maximum density of 5.76 floor area ratio ("FAR"). All of the units will be affordable at the 50% area median income ("AMI") level, and the building will have underground garage parking

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2.	ANC reports and any accompanying documents must be submitted to the record by using:
	a. The Interactive Zoning Information System (IZIS) at www.dcoz.dc.gov;
	b. By email to zcsubmissions@dc.gov for the ZC; or
	c. In person or by U.S. mail addressed to 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 200-S, Washington, DC 20001.
3.	Submission deadline is as follows; the ANC must file the ANC Setdown form no later than thirty (30 days) after the date the application is referred. No late filings or waivers requesting acceptance of late filings of this form will be accepted.
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INSTRUCTIONS

Pursuant to 11 DCMR Subtitle Z § 406.2 and Subtitle Y § 406.2, the Zoning Commission (ZC) and Board of Zoning Adjustment (BZA) shall give *"great weight"* to the written report of the affected Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC), as required by the Comprehensive Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Reform Amendment Act of 2000.

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