

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Special Council Meeting

Lexington, Kentucky March 5, 2013

The Council of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, Kentucky convened in special session on March 5, 2013 at 6:00 P.M. Present were Council Member Chuck Ellinger in the chair presiding in the absence of Mayor Gray and Vice-Mayor Gorton, and the following members of the Council: Council Members Henson, Kay, Clarke, Ellinger, Farmer, and Ford. Absent were Council Members Lane, Lawless, Mossotti, Myers, Scutchfield, Stinnett, Akers, and Beard.

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An Ordinance creating a Neighborhood Design Character Overlay (ND-1) zone for 52.68± net (59.72± gross) acres, to preserve existing neighborhood character for properties located at 1200-1280 Colonial Dr.; 4009-4021 John Alden Ln.; 4004-4025 Mayflower Ln.; 1228-1273 and 1290 Standish Way; and 2492-2516 Versailles Rd. (even addresses only) (Urban County Planning Commission; Council District 11) was on the docket for second reading with a public hearing being held.

There being only 6 Council Members present, Mr. Ellinger declared that the Council was in recess for ten minutes to determine if quorum requirements would be met (Pursuant to Section 4.102 of the Rules and Procedures of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Council, a quorum of the Council shall not consist of fewer than ten members of the Council.).

At 6:10 p.m., Mr. Ellinger stated that since there was no quorum, the Council Meeting could not be held. Mr. Ellinger explained the other Council Members' absences, and apologized on their behalf. He also stated the reasons for the Council's inability to schedule another hearing before the due date for hearing the item.

Mr. Ellinger asked Ms. Tracy Jones, Dept. of Law, to explain in further detail. Ms. Jones spoke about the process for the Council to hear an item referred or recommended by the Planning Commission. Mr. Bill Sallee, Div. of Planning, also spoke about the process and the recommendation of the Planning Commission.

Ms. Henson asked Ms. Jones if there was any appeal process available to the Neighborhood Association members should they want to pursue such an action. Ms. Jones responded.

Mr. Ellinger stated that the meeting was closed.

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Clerk of the Urban County Council