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RECOMMENDATION OF THE URBAN COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION OF LEXINGTON-FAYETTE COUNTY, KENTUCKY

IN RE: ZOTA 2012-8: AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 2 FOR GIS-BASED ZONING MAP

<u>ATLAS</u> – petition for a Zoning Ordinance text amendment to change the zoning atlas from the historical series of 81 maps, to use a system that would allow the LFUCG GIS system to serve as the official zoning map for the community.

Having considered the above matter on June 28, 2012, at a Public Hearing and having voted 10-0 that this

Recommendation be submitted to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Council, the Urban County

Planning Commission does hereby recommend APPROVAL, for the following reason:

1. This is a timely and appropriate amendment to Article 2 of the Zoning Ordinance in order to make the official zoning map atlas a part of the government's digital geographic information system (GIS), rather than a series of 81 black and white, static maps. This text amendment will make it easier and more efficient to update the official zoning map, because the information is held in one location and shared digitally, rather than the historical practice of updating multiple hard copy maps in different divisions throughout the government.

ATTEST: This 1st day of August, 2012.

Secretary, Christopher D. King COK CHAIR

At the Public Hearing before the Urban County Planning Commission, this text amendment was presented by Ms. Traci Wade, Senior Planner.

<u>OBJECTIONS</u>

None

None

VOTES WERE AS FOLLOWS:

AYES:

Blanton, Berkley, Brewer, Copeland, Cravens, Owens, Penn, Plumlee, (10)

Roche-Phillips, Wilson

NAYS:

(0)

ABSENT:

(1) Beatty

ABSTAINED:

(0)

DISQUALIFIED:

(0)

Motion for Approval of ZOTA 2012-8 carried.

Enclosures: Minutes of PC meeting initiating this request

PC Recommended Text

Staff Report

Applicable excerpts of minutes of above public hearing

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