



Zoning Committee

REQUEST

Current Zoning: B-2 PED(O) (General Business, Optional)
Proposed Zoning: NC (Neighborhood Center)

LOCATION

Approximately 0.241 acres located along the west side of The Plaza, north of Commonwealth Avenue, and south of Central Avenue.
(Council District 1 - Anderson)

PETITIONER

Rhyno Partners Coffee LLC

**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:

To Approve:

This petition is found to be **consistent** with the *2040 Policy Map (2022)* based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

- The *2040 Policy Map (2022)* calls for Community Activity Center.

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

- The site is located within the Plaza Midwood business district.
- This zoning supports a pedestrian-friendly, mixed-use neighborhood environment, allowing access to daily shopping needs and services within walking distance of nearby residential neighborhoods.
- The NC Zoning District provides for a mix of commercial and service uses, closely integrated within the surrounding residential neighborhood fabric to support the concept of a complete neighborhood.
- Vertical and horizontal mixed-use development is encouraged.
- The site is less than .5 mile from Central Ave & Nandina St bus stop.
- The Gold Line streetcar is proposed to run along Central Avenue, north of this site, which will provide an alternative mode of transportation.

- The petition could facilitate the following 2040 Comprehensive Plan Goals:
 - 1: 10 Minute Neighborhoods
 - 5: Safe & Equitable Mobility

Motion/Second: Whilden / Sealey

Yeas: Lansdell, Neeley, Russell, Welton, Winiker

Nays: None

Absent: None

Recused: None

**ZONING COMMITTEE
DISCUSSION**

Staff provided a summary of the petition and noted that it is consistent with the *2040 Policy Map*.

There was no further discussion of this petition.

PLANNER

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