To Approve:

(<u>I move that the</u>) Zoning Committee finds petition 2017-167 to be *inconsistent* with the *Independence Boulevard Area Plan*, based on information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• The plan recommends transit oriented residential development.

(<u>However, we find</u>) this petition to be reasonable and in the public interest based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• (To be explained by the Zoning Committee)

Consistency: Maker: 2ND: Approve or Deny Recommendation: Maker: 2ND: Approve or Deny

Vote: Dissenting: Recused: Vote: Dissenting: Recused:

To Deny:

(<u>I move that the</u>) Zoning Committee finds petition 2017-167 to be *inconsistent* with the *Independence Boulevard Area Plan*, based on information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• The plan recommends transit oriented residential development.

(<u>Therfore, we find</u>) this petition to not be reasonable and in the public interest, based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

- The subject property is currently developed with the seven story Varnadore building and a one-story retail building; and
- Both buildings are in a deteriorated condition and reuse/redevelopment of this site is a priority;
- However, the redevelopment proposal includes the following significant issues:
 - The digital signage proposed to be located at the top of the Varnadore building is equivalent to approximately six digital outdoor advertising (billboard) faces in a location where this amount and type of signage is not generally allowed and adjacent to single family residential uses; and
 - In addition, the increase in height of the existing building and the proposed height of the second new building exceed transit oriented development guidelines for properties adjacent to single family neighborhoods.