## Petition 2018-085 The Spectrum Companies

## To Approve:

This petition is found to be consistent with the with the land use recommendation of the *South End Vision Plan* because:

• The plan recommends transit supportive development.

(<u>Therefore</u>, <u>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:

- The subject site is within a ¼ mile walk of the Carson Boulevard Transit Station on the LYNX Blue Line, which allows underutilized sites to convert to intensities appropriate for transit supportive development; and
- The petition will include a mixture of uses, a minimum of at least two land uses permitted by ordinance standards, which is consistent with the *South End Vision Plan* recommendation to expand the mix of uses in the district; and
- The 250-foot building height optional request in Development Area A is 130 feet greater than what is allowed by ordinance standards. However, the site is separated from single family neighborhoods by some distance and will not have a negative impact on established neighborhoods. Furthermore, the site is located within a ½ mile walk of Uptown; and
- The petition includes a central plaza which will be accessible from Carson Boulevard; ground floor active uses on all public streets; and sidewalk/streetscape improvements on all streets.
  Together, these improvements will significantly enhance the pedestrian environment for the subject site; and
- The proposed development is providing design standards and regulations consistent with the new TOD language under development.

## To Deny:

This petition is found to be consistent with the with the land use recommendation of the *South End Vision Plan* because:

• The plan recommends transit supportive development.

(<u>However</u>, we find) 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:

• (To be explained by the Zoning Committee)

Motion: Approve or Deny Maker: 2<sup>ND</sup>:

Vote: Dissenting: Recused: