## Petition 2018-151 by EBA Crystal Real Estate, LLC

## **To Approve:**

This petition is found to be **consistent** with the Blue Line Extension – University City Area Plan based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• The plan recommends residential/office/retail uses for the site.

(<u>Therefore, 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 petition is proposing to convert an existing, auto-oriented retail center into a mixed-use pedestrian oriented center.
- The proposed development would provide the range of uses and density desired in this area of University City and within close proximity to the JW Clay Blvd. Station.
- The proposed development will better activate the area along the lakefront with pedestrian connections, and plaza/public open space amenities.
- The proposed project will help facilitate the continued transition of the University City area to a more urban, walkable community.

## To Deny:

This petition is found to be **consistent** with the Blue Line Extension – University City Area Plan based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing, and because:

• The plan recommends residential/office/retail uses for the site.

(<u>However, 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:

• (To be explained by the Zoning Committee)

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

Vote: Dissenting: Recused: