**Charlotte-Mecklenburg Zoning Committee Recommendation Planning Commission Rezoning Petition 2020-039** August 4, 2020 **Zoning Committee** REQUEST Current Zoning: R-22MF (multifamily residential) Proposed Zoning: UR-2(CD) (urban residential, conditional) Approximately 0.44 acres located north of Firefighter Place, east LOCATION of 7<sup>th</sup> Street, and west of Weddington Avenue. (Council District 1 - Egleston) PETITIONER Hinshaw Properties, LLC **ZONING COMMITTEE** The Zoning Committee voted 7-0 to recommend APPROVAL of this petition and adopt the consistency statement as follows: **ACTION/ STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY** This petition is found to be inconsistent with the *Elizabeth Area* Plan, based on the information from the staff analysis and the public hearing and because: The Elizabeth Area Plan recommends residential land uses up to 22 units per acre. However we find this petition to Choose an item. public interest based on information from the staff analysis and the public hearing and because: The site is an infill parcel with frontage on 7th Street. The proposed density is slightly over the recommended • density at 22.61 units per acre. The site is generally surrounded by existing attached and • multi-family residential developments. The plan provides buffer/ screening abutting single family • homes. The plan limits the height of the buildings to 48 feet which is • compatible with surrounding development. The request provides a 10-foot vegetated area along the • property line abutting the single family residence. The plan provides architectural standards related to building ٠ materials, limitations on blank walls, and treatment of corner/end units. The development enhances walkability via streetscape • improvements along abutting frontages. The approval of this petition will revise the adopted future land use as specified by the *Elizabeth Area Plan*, from residential up to 22 units per acre to residential over 22 units per acre for the site.

Motion/Second:	Barbee / Welton
Yeas:	Barbee, Blumenthal, Kelly, McMillian, Nwasike,
	Samuel, and Welton
Nays:	None
Absent:	None
Recused:	None

**ZONING COMMITTEE DISCUSSION** Staff provided a summary of the petition and noted that it is inconsistent with the adopted area plan. There was no discussion of this petition.

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