

LEGISLATIVE #

110786H



Planning and Development Services

PB-11-150 TCH CCD District - Add R&D as Permitted Use

**April 19, 2012
Presentation to City Commission
Dean Mimms, AICP**

(Legislative No. 110786)

Add R&D in Physical, Engineering & Life Sciences to list of permitted uses in 190.2-ac Central City District (CCD)

- From LDC def'ns: R&D in physical, eng'g or life sciences, such as ag, electronics, biology...physics, veterinary, & other allied subjects
- Request related to MOU of 12/15/11 betw. City, GRU & CRA
- MOU re: redevel't of "Power District"

- **“Power District” proposed for redevl’t & reuse to ‘transform area by placing vacated properties into new, productive use, thereby eliminating slum & blight...growing overall economy of City by promoting gainful employment, bus. retention, econ’c devel’t...’ (from MOU)**
- **Priority Robotics, Inc.’s intended use fits add’l use proposed for CCD**

- **Consistent w/FLUE Goal 2 & Obj. 2.2 regarding redevelopment**
- **Consistent w/Mixed-Use High-Intensity land use category's allowance of 'a mixture of res'l, office, business & light industrial uses'**
- **Consistent w/CCD district's purpose: 'provide means to improve the phys., ec., social & cult'l character of downtown Gainesville'**

Recommendation

**City Plan Board to City Commission:
Approve Petition PB-11-150 TCH
Plan Board voted 7:0**

**Staff to City Commission: Approve Petition
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