City of Gainesville

City Hall 200 East University Avenue Gainesville, Florida 32601



Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, October 25, 2011

5:15 PM

City Hall, Room 16

Community Development Committee

Commissioner Thomas Hawkins, Chair Commissioner Susan Bottcher, Member Commissioner Scherwin Henry, Member

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CALL TO ORDER - 5:17 PM

Present: Scherwin Henry, Thomas Hawkins and Susan Bottcher

ROLL CALL

NOTE: Commissioner Henry entered the meeting room at approximately 5:29 PM.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The Agenda was adopted by consensus, as presented.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

These minutes are a summary of the meeting, not a verbatim discussion. A copy of the meeting recording may be provided upon request.

100922. Review of Pending Referrals (B)

RECOMMENDATION

The Community Development Committee review and approve the pending referral list and proposed action schedule prepared by staff.

Discussed

100922A_Memo_20110426.pdf 100922B_Pending Referrals_20110426.pdf 100922_Pending Referrals_20110524.pdf 100922_Pending Referrals_20110615.pdf 100922_Pending Referral List_20110726.pdf 100922_Pending Referral List_20110823.pdf 100922_Pending Referral List_20110927.pdf 100922_Pending Referral List_20110925.pdf

110019. Outdoor "Doggie Dining" (B)

Planning Manager Ralph Hilliard presented the committee with Florida Statute rules and regulations on outdoor doggie dining." Warehouse Restaurant Manager Ryan Premdas addressed the Committee on this issue.

MOTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Susan Bottcher and seconded by Commissioner Scherwin Henry to: 1) direct staff to move forward in presenting a model ordinance with any appropriate modifications to the City Commission.

RECOMMENDATION The Community Development Committee hear a presentation from staff on this issue and provide direction as appropriate.

Approved as shown above (See Motion)

110019_Public Food Service-Dogs_20111025.pdf 110019A_FL Statues Public Food Service-Dogs_20120405.pdf 110019B Public Food Service Establishment 20120405.pdf

110259. Historic Structure Protection (B)

Planning & Development Services Director Erik Bredfeldt introduced the item. Planner Darlene Henrichs provided a presentation on the current process for historic structure preservations, and the potential of establishing an ordinance and operating procedures which would enforce a proactive process that would ensure that historic resources are not demolished by neglect.

MOTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scherwin Henry and seconded by Commissioner Susan Bottcher to: 1) coordinate an interdepartmental process that would identify and manage the potential neglect and code problems for historic structures; 2) pursue paths of financing for properties found to be in code violation, at risk of demolition, and can be rehabilitated; 3) identify historic or significant structures in the central city core, and notify the property owners to determine their interest in designating it a historic or significant structure; 4) designate Code Enforcement staff to review and compare the list provided by Planner Darlene Henrichs; 5) analyze whether manpower is significant, or determine an effective method for identifying the structural deficiencies in buildings.

RECOMMENDATION

The Community Development Committee hear a presentation from staff on this issue and provide direction as appropriate.

Approved as shown above (See Motion)

110259A Memo to CDC 20111025.pdf

110259B_August 4 2011 CC Minutes_20111025.pdf

110259C_PPT on Demo By Neglect_20111025.pdf

110259D_NTHP Info_20111025.pdf

110259E_Final Dem by Neglect and Min Maintenance Ordinance_20111025.pdf

110259F_Ordinance Flow Chart_20111025.pdf

110259G_A Model for Other Cities_20111025.pdf

110259H Tallahassee HPGL 20111025.pdf

ADJOURNMENT - 6:49 PM