



City of Ann Arbor

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Ann Arbor, MI 48104
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Meeting Agenda City Planning Commission

Tuesday, October 3, 2023

7:00 PM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Second floor,
City Council Chambers

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

[23-1647](#)

September 19, 2023 City Planning Commission Meeting Minutes

Attachments: 9-19-2023 CPC DRAFT Minutes.pdf

5. REPORTS FROM CITY ADMINISTRATION, CITY COUNCIL, PLANNING MANAGER, PLANNING COMMISSION OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES, WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS

5-a. City Council

5-b. Planning Manager

5-c. Planning Commission Officers and Committees**5-d. Written Communications and Petitions**

[23-1648](#) Various Communications to the Planning Commission

Attachments: 2023 9-28 Strassman Letter - 228 Packard.pdf, A2 Capacity for Increased Housing.pdf, Chambers.pdf

6. PUBLIC COMMENT (Persons may speak for three minutes about an item that is NOT listed as a public hearing on this agenda. Please state your name and address for the record.)

7. PUBLIC HEARINGS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT REGULAR MEETING

[23-1649](#) Public Hearings Scheduled for Tuesday, October 17, 2023 Planning Commission Meeting

Attachments: 10-17-2023 CPC Notice of Public Hearing-Tue.pdf

8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

9. REGULAR BUSINESS – Project Presentation, Staff Report, Public Hearing, and Commission Discussion of Each Item

9-a. [23-1638](#) 900 Briarwood Circle Site Plan and Rezoning for City Council Approval - Developer proposes to replace the existing Sears store with a two-level grocery (57,649 sq. ft.) and a two-level sporting goods store (100,000 sq. ft.) with an adjacent playing field. The proposal also includes 354 multi-family residential units in four-story buildings, a parking garage, and redesigned parking with added landscaping. A new connector roadway will intersect with Briarwood Circle, east of Mall Drive. The 18.2-acre site will undergo rezoning from P - Parking District to C2B - Commercial, affecting 8.29 acres. Staff Recommendation: Approval.

Attachments: 900 Briarwood Staff Report 10-3-23.pdf, 900 Briarwood Site Plan, 900 Briarwood Cir Zoning Map.pdf, 900 Briarwood Cir Aerial Map Zoom.pdf, 900 Briarwood Cir Aerial Map.pdf, 2023-07-07_900 Briarwood_DA.pdf, 900-Briarwood-Citizen Participation Meeting report, Briarwood Sustainability Narrative

9-b. [23-1641](#) 1655 Plymouth Road (Taco Bell) - A Planned Unit Development (PUD) zoned parcel Site Plan for City Planning Commission Approval - A proposal to demolish the existing structure (formerly Wendy's Restaurant) and construct an approximately 2,500 square foot Taco Bell restaurant with single drive-through lane. Site access to remain off Plymouth Rd and Osage Drive with 35 parking spaces located in front of the restaurant. 0.98-acre site. Staff Recommendation: Approval with condition.

Attachments: Staff Report 1655 Plymouth Rd Taco Bell.pdf, 1655 Plymouth Rd Site Plan Elevations.pdf, 1655 Plymouth Rd Zoning Map.pdf, 1655 Plymouth Rd Aerial Map Zoom.pdf, Plymouth Road PUD Supplemental Regs.pdf

10. OTHER BUSINESS

10-a. **23-1540** Planning Commission By-Laws Amendments

Attachments: 2023 9-19 CPC ByLaws Update - Staff Report.pdf, 2023 8-10 Proposed CPC Bylaws.pdf

11. PUBLIC COMMENT (Persons may speak for three minutes on any item.)

12. COMMISSION PROPOSED BUSINESS

13. ADJOURNMENT

Wonwoo Lee, Chairperson

/mia gale

/courtney manor

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