



City of Ann Arbor

Formal Minutes

City Planning Commission

301 E. Huron St.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
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Tuesday, September 21, 2021

7:00 PM

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1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Mills called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM

2. ROLL CALL

Staff Present:

Brett Lenart, City of Ann Arbor Planning Manager

Chris Cheng, City of Ann Arbor City Planner

Matt Kowalski, City of Ann Arbor City Planner

All commission members attended the meeting electronically from Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Present 8 - Mills, Gibb-Randall, Sauve, Hammerschmidt, Disch, Lee, Clarke, and Wyche

Absent 1 - Abrons

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Lee, seconded by Disch, approved unanimously as presented.

4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

- 4-a. [21-1679](#) September 8, 2021 City Planning Commission Meeting Minutes

Attachments: 9-8-2021 City Planning Commission Minutes.pdf

Moved by Gibb-Randall, seconded by Hammerschmidt, approved as presented and forwarded to the City Council.

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

- [21-1680](#) Various Communication to the City Planning Commission

Attachments: COMM 1 from 9-14 CPC Working Session Mtg.pdf

Received and Filed

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.)

Seeing no callers, Chair Mills closed Public Comment.

7. PUBLIC HEARINGS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT REGULAR MEETING

- 7-a. [21-1681](#) Public Hearings Scheduled for Tuesday, October 5, 2021 Planning Commission Meeting

Attachments: 10-5-2021 Notice of Public Hearing.pdf

Received and Filed

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

- 8-a. [21-1682](#) 2040 - 2060 West Stadium Boulevard - Site Plan for City Council Approval - A proposed 2-story commercial building, with approximately 12,711 square feet, with 52 vehicular parking space, and a drive-through, which requires Special Exception Use Permit by the Planning Commission. 2.32-acre site zoned C2B (Business Service) and P (Parking). Staff Recommendation: Postponement

Attachments: 2060 W. Stadium Memo 9-21-21.pdf, 2060 W. Stadium Working Session Memo.pdf, Revised Drive Thru Layout.pdf

Sean Havera, project petitioner, was present.

PUBLIC HEARING

Seeing no callers, Chair Mills closed the Public Hearing.

Moved by Sauve, seconded by Lee to postpone decision on 2040-2060 W Stadium Blvd Site Plan for City Council Approval to the November 16, 2021 meeting.

On a roll call vote, the vote as follows with the Chair declaring the motion to postpone approved.

Yeas: 8 - Sarah Mills, Shannan Gibb-Randall, Elizabeth Sauve, Sara Hammerschmidt, Lisa Disch, Wonwoo Lee, Sadira Clarke, and Donnell Wyche

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 - Ellie Abrons

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

- 9-a. [21-1683](#) 1300 S Maple Road - Grace Bible Church Site Plan for City Council Approval - A proposed building addition of approximately 34,045 square feet and a parking lot, expansion of 107 spaces (339 parking spaces in total). The proposed building addition is located in two separate areas. The first is the proposed expansion of the sanctuary into the courtyards within the existing church. The second is a large expansion towards the south that will contain a gymnasium, youth ministry, child ministry, and office space.

Site improvements will include new landscape plantings, new storm water infrastructure for building expansion and new parking lot and bioretention swales. Zoned R4B (Multi-Family Dwelling District) 15.46-acre site. Staff Recommendation: Approval

Attachments: Grace Bible Staff Report w Maps.pdf, 1300 S Maple Rd-Grace Bible Church Site Plan3.pdf

Project Team present: Jason Van Ryn, Reagan Sims, and Brandon Chaney.

PUBLIC HEARING

Seeing no callers, Chair Mills closed the Public Hearing.

Moved by Sauve, seconded by Lee, that the Ann Arbor City Planning Commission hereby recommends that the Mayor and City Council approve the Grace Bible Church Site (1300 South Maple Rd) Plan subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Submission of a revised code compliant Photometric Plan; and**
- 2. Submission of a revised Site Plan reflecting either the provision of 23 EV-Installed vehicle parking spaces, 23 EV-Ready vehicle parking spaces, and 34 EV-Capable space; or the number of EV parking spaces required if any variance is granted by the Zoning Board of Appeals.**

On a roll call vote the vote was as follows with the Chair declaring the motion unanimously approved.

Yeas: 8 - Sarah Mills, Shannan Gibb-Randall, Elizabeth Sauve, Sara Hammerschmidt, Lisa Disch, Wonwoo Lee, Sadira Clarke, and Donnell Wyche

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 - Ellie Abrons

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

Seeing no callers, Chair Mills closed Public Comment.

11. COMMISSION PROPOSED BUSINESS

The Commission discussed potential parking related amendments or ordinance changes.

12. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Lee, seconded by Hammerschmidt, to adjourn the meeting at 9:03 PM.

Adjourned Unanimously.

Sarah Mills, Chairperson
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