City of Racine

Room 103, City Hall



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, March 8, 2006

4:15 PM

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City Plan Commission

Mayor Gary Becker, Alderman John M. Engel, John Dickert, Elaine Sutton Ekes, Vincent Esqueda, Joseph Muratore, Jr., Jud Wyant

Mayor Becker called the meeting to order at 4:16 p.m.

PRESENT: 6 - Gary Becker, John M. Engel, John Dickert, Elaine Sutton Ekes, Vincent

Esqueda andJud Wyant

EXCUSED: 1 - Joseph Muratore Jr.

OTHERS PRESENT: Brian O'Connell, Director of City Development Rick Heller, Chief Building Inspector

Matthew Sadowski, Principal Planner

Approval of Minutes for the February 22, 2006 Meeting

Subject: Consideration of an ordinance amendment to alter the area defined as the "downtown area" to facilitate the implementation of the

updated Downtown Plan.

Recommendation: Pending.

Subject: Consideration of an ordinance amendment referencing design documents cited in the updated Downtown Plan as resources to be

consulted when considering a project in the downtown area.

Recommendation: Pending.

Subject: Item of 03-07-06 being an Ordinance to rezone 2333 & 2405

Northwestern from O/I to O/I FD.

Recommendation: That the ordinance be adopted.

Subject: Direct Referral. Consideration of an use supplement for a Flex

Development Overlay District at 2333 & 2405 Northwestern Avenue.

Recommendation: That the supplement be adopted by a resolution of the

Common Council.

Subject: Direct Referral. Consideration of an ordinance amendment to

create the "Uptown Corridor District" to facilitate the implementation of the

Uptown Improvement Plan.

Recommendation: That an ordinance be created.

Subject: Direct Referral. Consideration of design guidelines based on

the recommendations of the Uptown Improvement Plan as a resource to be

consulted when consideraing a project in the Uptown area.

Recommendation: That the guidelines be adopted by a resolution of the

Common Council.

Public Hearings at 4:30 p.m.

Subject: Direct Referral. Consideration of a request from David R.

Opahle seeking a conditional use permit for a painting contractor's storage facility at 2024 N. Memorial Drive. The property is zoned I-1 Restricted

Industrial District.

Recommendation: Approve with conditions.

Subject: Direct Referral. Consideration of a request by Steven Jensen

seeking a conditional use permit for an automobile repair, restoration, storage, and accessories sales facility at 1626-1628 Douglas Avenue.

The property is zoned B-2 Community Shopping district.

Recommendation: Approve with conditions.

Adjournment

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