

City of Racine

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Meeting Agenda - Final Planning Heritage and Design Commission

Wednesday, May 12, 2021 4:45 PM Virtual

Call To Order

Approval of Minutes for the April 28, 2021 Meeting.

0399-21 Subject: A request by Innovative Signs, representing Stephanie

Shumanova, for review and approval of signage at 403 Main Street.

(PHDC-21)

Attachments: Recommendation

Design Review Checklist

Applicant Submittal

Staff Summary:

Being zoned B-4 Central Business, the property at 403 Main Street falls within the Downtown Area Design Review district and is subject to the Downtown Area Design Guidelines. The proposed signage is a wall sign. Subject to the conditions outlined in the

resolution, the Commission should consider approval of the proposed signage.

5:00 Public Hearings

<u>0400-21</u> **Subject:** Request by Elizabeth Brown, for consideration of a conditional

use permit to operate a candy store at 1615 Grove Avenue, classified as a "retail use in an existing commercial building", in a residential district, as

allowed by Sec. 114-293 of the Municipal Code. (PHDC-21)

Attachments: Review and Recommendation

Public Hearing Notice

Applicant Submittal

Staff Summary:

Being zoned R3 Limited General Residence District, certain commercial uses are permitted to continue with a conditional use permit if the commercial building and use existed prior to 1976 (114-293). The existing commercial space addressed as 1615 Grove Avenue would be re-purposed into use as a candy store which will also offer daily items such as clothing, toothbrushes, and similar products. Three employees are expected to work in the proposed establishment which would have hours of 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM Sunday thru Saturday. Subject to conditions outlined in the staff report, the Commission should consider recommending approval of this request to the Common Council.

<u>0401-21</u> **Subject:** Request by CCM-Porters LLC, authorized agent for Cardinal

Capital Management Inc., for consideration of a conditional use permit to build and operate a mixed use development at 301 6th Street and 608

Wisconsin Avenue as allowed by Sec. 114-508 of the Municipal Code. (PHDC-21)

Attachments: Review and Recommendation

Public Hearing Notice

Applicant Submittal

Staff Summary:

Being zoned B-4 Central Business District and being located in the downtown Design Review area, the proposed mixed use building requires the approval of a conditional use permit (Sec. 114-508) and downtown area design review prior to construction. The application seeks to construct a seven (7) story mixed use building with basement. The basement, first floor, and second floor contain 245 parking spaces; the first floor parking is concealed by two commercial spaces at street level. The upper five (5) floors are proposed to contain 141 market rate dwelling units consisting of studio and one, two, and three bedroom units. The overall building area is 247,891 square feet on the 1.02-acre site. The building features a rooftop green area, dog run, and open space on the third floor, flanked by the building's upper floors 3-7 to the north and east, and is open to the south and west. The request seeks an exception to the zoning ordinance regarding signage - approximately 800 square feet of signage requested where 400 square feet is allowed. Subject to conditions outlined in the staff report, the Commission should consider recommending approval of this request to the Common Council.

End of Public Hearings

Adjournment

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Topic: Planning, Heritage, and Design Commission

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