



Meeting Minutes

Planning and Zoning Commission

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Wednesday, October 5, 2022

7:00 PM

Council Chambers

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TO SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS OR MATERIALS:

1. You may submit written comments to [planning@naperville.il.us](mailto:planning@naperville.il.us) in advance of the meeting. (Please note, because emailed written comments are available for advance review by the PZC, they will not be read into the record during the PZC hearing). Below are the deadlines for written comments provided in advance of the meeting:

- Written comments received by 5 p.m. the Wednesday before the meeting will be included in the meeting packet sent to the PZC. This meeting packet is also posted on the City's website.
- Written comments received after 5 p.m. the Wednesday before the meeting through 5 p.m. the day before the meeting will be emailed directly to the PZC, but will not be included in the PZC packet or posted online.
- Written comments received after 5 p.m. the day before the meeting will be added to the case file.

PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION:

Any individual who may require an accommodation to listen to or participate in the meeting should contact the Community Services Department at (630) 305-5300 as soon as possible, but no later than by 5 p.m. on the day of the meeting.

**PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES:**

The citizen participation guidelines are outlined in 1-5-6-6: - CITIZEN PARTICIPATION of the Naperville Municipal Code.

- **ALL VIEWPOINTS AND OPINIONS WELCOME:** All viewpoints are welcome, positive comments and constructive criticism are encouraged. Speakers must refrain from harassing or directing threats or personal attacks at Commission members, staff, other speakers or members of the public. Comments made to intentionally disrupt the meeting may be managed as necessary to maintain appropriate decorum and allow for city business to be accomplished.
- **IF YOU SIGNED UP TO SPEAK,** the PZC will call your name at the appropriate time during the Planning and Zoning Commission meeting. Once your name is called you may identify yourself for the public record. Once you have been sworn in, then you may address remarks to the Planning and Zoning Commission as a whole. Speak clearly and try to limit remarks directly to the matter under discussion. Speakers are called in the order they sign up.

**A. CALL TO ORDER:****B. ROLL CALL:**

- Present** 6 - Manas Athanikar, Tom Castagnoli, Stasha King, Derek McDaniel, Carl Richelia, and Whitney Robbins
- Absent** 2 - Anthony Losurdo, and Oriana Van Someren

**C. PUBLIC FORUM:****D. PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

1. Conduct the public hearing to consider a variance related to the proposed ground sign at 1661 Aurora Avenue (Gerald Kia) - PZC 22-1-086

Adam Beaver, City of Naperville Planning Services Team, provided an overview of the request.

Zach Blair, Rosanova and Whitaker Ltd, attorney for the petitioner, provided additional details on the request.

Public Testimony: None

Commissioner McDaniel asked if all other signage that is 20' in height required approval of a variance. Gabrielle Mattingly, City of Naperville Planning Service Team, clarified that existing signage of that height either sought approval of a variance or may be nonconforming with City's current sign code regulations.

Commissioner Castagnoli asked if staff was in support of the request. Beaver confirmed staff is in support.

The PZC closed the public hearing.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Richelia, seconded by Commissioner McDaniel to adopt the findings of fact as presented by the petitioner and approve PZC 22-1-086, a variance to Section 6-16-5:2.2 to allow for the installation of a 20-foot-tall ground sign with an area of 130 square feet for the property located at 1661 Aurora Avenue (Gerald Kia).**

**Aye:** 6 - Athanikar, Castagnoli, King, McDaniel, Richelia, and Robbins

**Absent:** 2 - Losurdo, and Van Someren

**E. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. Approve the minutes of the September 21, 2022 Planning and Zoning Commission meeting

The PZC approved the meeting minutes.

**A motion was made approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.**

**F. OLD BUSINESS:**

**G. NEW BUSINESS:**

**H. ADJOURNMENT:**

7:10 PM

**This was approved.**