

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 25-1-46 OF THE CITY CODE DESIGNATING THE PLANNING COMMISSION AS THE LAND USE COMMISSION FOR THE OLD ENFIELD NEIGHBORHOOD PLANNING AREA.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1.** City Code Section 25-1-46 (*Land Use Commission*) is amended as follows:

**§ 25-1-46 LAND USE COMMISSION.**

- (A) The Planning Commission or the Zoning and Platting Commission may act as the Land Use Commission, as prescribed by this section.
- (B) A determination of which commission shall act as the land use commission to consider a particular application is made on the date that the application is filed. After the determination is made, the designated commission continues to act as the land use commission until the application is approved or denied.
- (C) The Zoning and Platting Commission shall act as the Land Use Commission for all applications, except as provided in Subsection (D).
- (D) The Planning Commission shall act as the land use commission for property that is wholly or partly within:
  - (1) the boundaries of a neighborhood plan that the council has adopted as a component of the comprehensive plan;
  - (2) the former Robert Mueller Municipal Airport site;
  - (3) a transit oriented development (TOD) district; [ø£]
  - (4) the Old Enfield neighborhood planning area; or
  - (5)[(4)] the boundaries of a proposed neighborhood plan that the Planning Commission is considering as an amendment to the comprehensive plan. In this subsection, Planning Commission consideration of a proposed neighborhood plan:
    - (a) begins on the effective date of a council resolution or ordinance directing the Planning Commission to consider a neighborhood plan for an identified area; and

- (b) ends on the date that the council adopts or rejects the proposed neighborhood plan or withdraws its directive to the Planning Commission to consider a neighborhood plan for the area.
- (E) A liaison committee of the Planning Commission and the Zoning and Platting Commission is established. The chair of each commission shall appoint two commission members to serve on the committee. The committee shall meet regularly to exchange information relating to the commissions and make recommendations to the commissions on common policies, objectives, issues, and activities.

**PART 5.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

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Mayor

**APPROVED:**

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