

LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE ADVISORY GROUP RECOMMENDATION 20160502-005

Date:

May 2, 2016

Subject:

CodeNEXT

Motioned By:

Eleanor McKinney

Seconded By: Jim Duncan

Recommendation

Work on the new Land Development Code by CodeNEXT staff, consultant and Citizens Advisory Group (CAG) members are of great importance to the future of Austin. The CodeNEXT project is at least a year behind schedule, and there are several vacant CodeNEXT staff positions. The consultant is considered a critical partner in the CodeNEXT project.

Description of Recommendation to Council

- 1. Fill existing vacant CodeNEXT staff positions as soon as possible.
- 2. Allow consultant to participate more frequently with CAG.
- 3. Fund a public engagement consultant for our final phases.

Rationale:

Vote

For:

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Against:

Abstain: (

Absent: 3

Attest: [Staff or board member can sign]

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CodeNEXT Resolution

Whereas, work on the new Land Development Code by CodeNEXT staff, consultant and Citizens Advisory Group (CAG) members is of great importance to the future of Austin, and

Whereas, the CodeNEXT project is at least a year behind schedule, and

Whereas, there are apparently several existing vacant CodeNEXT staff positions, and;

Whereas, the consultant is considered a critical partner in the CodeNEXT project.

Now therefore be it resolved that the CodeNEXT Citizens Advisory Group respectfully asks Mayor and City Council to authorize and encourage the City Manager to:

1. fill existing vacant CodeNEXT staff positions as soon as possible,

2. allow our consultant to participate more frequently with CAG, and

3. fund a public engagement consultant for our final phases.

Passed unanimously by the CodeNEXT Citizens Advisory Group at its meeting of 2 May 2016.

Signed:

James B. Duncan, FAICP

Chair, CodeNEXT Citizens Advisory Group