



**URBAN RENEWAL BOARD OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN**

**Monday, September 16, 2019**

**Street – Jones Building**

**1000 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 400A**

**6:00 p.m.**

**Current Board Members:**

**Maegan Ellis, Chair**

**Manuel Escobar, Vice Chair**

**Nicole Sunstrum**

**Roxanne Evans**

**Joe Babb**

**Nathaniel Bradford**

**Jacqueline Watson**

**PURPOSE:** The Board of Commissioners primary responsibility is to oversee the implementation and compliance of approved Urban Renewal Plans that are adopted by the Austin City Council. An Urban Renewal Plan's primary purpose is to eliminate slum and blighting influence within a designated area of the city.

**CALL TO ORDER – Monday, September 16, 2019, at 6:00 p.m.**

1. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES** – Approval of the August 19, 2019, Regular Meeting Minutes
2. **CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL** (Speakers signed up prior to the meeting will be called in order and will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns. This is the opportunity for visitors and guests to address the Urban Renewal Board of the City of Austin (URB) on any issue. The URB may not debate any non-agenda issue, nor may any action be taken on any non-agenda issue at this time however the URB may present any factual response to items brought up by citizens. (Attorney General Opinion – JC-0169) (Limit of three minutes each).
3. **NEW BUSINESS**
  - a. Review and discuss Urban Renewal Board budgets from prior three fiscal years.
  - b. Update, discussion and possible action regarding the Agreement Concerning Implementation of the East 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Streets Urban Renewal Plan with the City of Austin, negotiation authorization at Council on September 19, 2019.
  - c. Discussion and possible action authorizing the negotiation and execution of a 30-day amendment extending the expiration date to October 31, 2019, to the License Agreement with Diverse Arts Culture Works for the properties located at 1106, 1112 and 1114 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 1109 Juniper Street.

#### **4. STAFF BRIEFING**

- a. Discussion of the reappointment / appointments of Urban Renewal Board commissioner's processes and timeline.

#### **5. OLD BUSINESS**

- a. Update, discussion and possible action regarding development plans for property owned by Eureka/Gilfillan Group within the East 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Street's Urban Renewal Plan boundaries.
- b. Discussion and possible action regarding the Urban Renewal Board's existing request for proposal scoring criteria and matrix to ensure consistency with the goals of the Urban Renewal Plan and how enforcement provisions may be implemented.
- c. Discussion and possible action on recommended modifications to the East 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Street Urban Renewal Plan and the East 11<sup>th</sup> Street Neighborhood Conservation Combining District (NCCD) to parallel the structure of the current East 12<sup>th</sup> Street NCCD.
- d. Update, discussion and possible action regarding the developments at 1120 East 12th Street and 1322-1336 East 12th Street.

#### **6. UPDATE FROM URBAN RENEWAL BOARD COMMITTEES, WORKING GROUPS AND APPOINTMENTS**

Discussion and possible action on the following:

- a. Urban Renewal Plan Implementation Committee
- b. Stakeholder Engagement Working Group

#### **NEXT MEETING/FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 21, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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The Urban Renewal Board reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Governmental Code §§ 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberation about Security Devices), 551.086 (Economic Development), and any other provision under Texas law that permits a governmental body to discuss a matter in a closed executive session.

For more information on the Urban Renewal Board, please contact Sandra Harkins at 512.974.3128 or at [Sandra.harkins@austintexas.gov](mailto:Sandra.harkins@austintexas.gov).