

HISTORIC LANDMARK COMMISSION WEDNESDAY, October 5, 2022 – 6:00 PM CITY HALL - Council Chambers 301 W. 2nd Street Austin, TX 78701

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CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first (10) speakers who register to speak no later than noon the day before the meeting will be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

AGENDA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. September 7, 2022 – Offered for consent approval

BRIEFINGS

2. 308-314/316 Congress Avenue

Presenter: Michael Whellan

PUBLIC HEARINGS/DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

Historic Landmark and Local Historic District Applications

3. HR-2022-084104 – 6301 Bluff Springs Rd. – Applicant requested postponement Council District 2

Proposal: New construction (Postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Christi Mueck

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends extending the applicant postponement for 3 months to the January 2023 HLC meeting to allow time for the applicant to bring the requested materials from the August HLC meeting of a Preservation Plan containing the following elements: a professional engineering report with stabilization recommendations and implementation program, a professional archaeological assessment/report, including an acceptable plan for monitoring of the ruins, a field study of the Site with the likelihood of adverse effects on known or possible unknown resources on the site, including any need for exploratory testing, monitoring, or mitigation if historic resources or remains may be unearthed during construction.

4. HR-2022-060641 – 800 Edgecliff Ter. – Applicant requested postponement Helena and Robert Ziller House

Council District 9

Proposal: New construction of a therapy pool house (Postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Pam Kostas

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Grant the Applicant's request and postpone the public hearing to

November 2, 2022.

5. HR-2022-119336 – 900 Blanco St./1202 W. 9th St./901 Shelley Ave. – Applicant requested postponement

Castle Hill Local Historic District

Council District 9

Proposal: Addition/remodel (Postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Tyler Rush

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Grant the Applicant's request and postpone the public hearing to

November 2, 2022.

6. HR-2022-122453 – 115 E. 5th St. – Consent

Heierman House Council District 9 Proposal: Addition/demolition/alteration (Postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Richard Garrod

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Approve the application with the following conditions: the top addition be of a lighter color that resembles the Frost tower parking structure behind it and

that any recommendations advised by the THC due to the RTHL status be followed.

7. HR-2022-096727 – 606 E. 3rd St./1005 Lydia St. – Discussion

Robertson-Stuart Mair Local Historic District

Council District 1

Proposal: Relocation of home into historic district

Applicant: Travis Young

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Consider initiating historic landmark zoning. If the Commission chooses not to initiate landmark zoning, encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, but approve the relocation, and release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin

Documentation Package

8. HR-2022-135906 – 404 Atlanta St. – Consent

Charles Johnson House/American Legion Building

Council District 10

Proposal: Partial demolition/addition

Applicant: Peter Dick

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Approve the plans with the following conditions in accordance with the Texas Historic Commission's Project Review letter dated September 11, 2022: the elevator addition shall be structurally independent and not tied into the historic structure, for application directly in contact with the historic building's limestone masonry, use a type N mortar mix (see THC letter for specific mix ratios), provide for the installation of expansion/control joint material to separate the new elevation addition from the historic building to allow the greatest level of reversibility possible. Additionally, the owner is encouraged to salvage and store appropriately the two 6:6 double-hung wood sash windows planned for removal to allow for future re-use.

9. HR-2022-137075 – 3952 Berkman Dr. – Consent

Mueller Control Tower

Council District 9

Proposal: Addition/landscape project

Applicant: Ilse Frank

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Approve the application, concurring with Committee feedback.

10. HR-2022-137402 – 609 Baylor St. – Consent

Castle Hill Local Historic District

Council District 9

Proposal: New construction ADU and pool

Applicant: Sydney Steadman

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Approve the application, concurring with Committee feedback. The applicant has amended the design to implement Committee feedback.

11. HR-2022-137410 – 4001 Avenue C – Discussion

Mary Lowry House

Council District 9

Proposal: Demolish a garage and construct new ADU

Applicant: Sergey Belov

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Approve the pre-revision design or refer to the Architectural

Review Committee for more feedback on the new design.

12. HR-2022-137425 – 3909 Avenue G – Consent

Flanagan-Heierman House

Council District 9

Proposal: Window replacement Applicant: Charles Melanson

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Approve the application, concurring with Committee feedback.

National Register District Permit Applications

13. PR-2021-200516 – 512 E. Monroe St. – Applicant-Requested Postponement Travis Heights – Fairview Park National Register District Council District 9

Proposal: Demolish a contributing house and build new construction (postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Linda Sullivan

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Grant the Applicant's request and postpone the public hearing to

November 2, 2022.

14. PR-2022-002404 – 1315 & 1317 Newning Ave. – Applicant requested Postponement Travis Heights – Fairview Park National Register District Council District 9

Proposal: Demolish a contributing building. (postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Natalie Roper

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Grant the Applicant's request and postpone the public hearing to

November 2, 2022.

15. HR-2022-119952 – 1618 Palma Plz. – Consent

Old West Austin National Register District (noncontributing)

Council District 9

Proposal: Revised new construction of previously approved project

Applicant: Randy Chupik

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Comment on and release the plans.

16. HR-2022-130288 – 1205 Bickler Rd. – Consent

Travis Heights - Fairview Park National Register District

Council District 9

Proposal: Addition/remodel Applicant: Christopher Clifton

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Comment on and release the plans

17. HR-2022-130284 – 2112 Clifton St. – Consent

Travis Heights – Fairview Park National Register District

Council District 9

Proposal: Addition/remodel Applicant: Nick Mehl

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Comment on and release the plans.

18. PR-2022-117676 – 2706 Wooldridge Dr. – Discussion

Old West Austin National Register District

Council District 10

Proposal: Demolition of a contributing property

Applicant: DAR Construction

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: If the Commission feels that the historical associations with the Joseph family are sufficient for designation, consider initiation of historic zoning. Otherwise, strongly encourage adaptive reuse, but release the demolition permit upon receipt of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

19. HR-2022-136135 – 1515 Mohle Dr. – Consent

Old West Austin National Register District

Council District 10

Proposal: Demolish a contributing structure circa 1938 and build new construction

Applicant: Rodney Bennett

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over

demolition, comment on the new construction plans, and release the permit upon

completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

20. HR-2022-132714 – 1810 Mohle Dr. – Consent

Old West Austin National Register District

Council District 10

Proposal: New construction Applicant: Todd Chessher

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Comment on and release the plans.

21. HR-2022-133067 – 1201 Canterbury St. – Consent

Willow-Spence National Register District

Council District 3

Proposal: New construction ADU

Applicant: Jessica Braun

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Comment on and release the plans.

22. SB-2022-135187 – 900 Congress Ave. – Discussion

Congress Avenue National Register District

Council District 9

Proposal: Signage

Applicant: Danny Woods

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Consider the proposed new sign's visual impact when compared with the existing non-compliant signage. Should the Commission allow the second sign, approve the application upon the condition that that the proposed sign's size be reduced.

Demolition and Relocation Permit Applications

23. PR-2022-092566 – 4008 N. Lamar Blvd. – Discussion

Council District 10

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1926 house (postponed September 7, 2022)

Applicant: Todd Cruz

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: No action.

24. PR-2022-102410 – 1721 E. 38th St. – Administratively Approved

Council District 9

25. DA-2022-122913 – 1800 Guadalupe St. – Applicant-Requested Postponement Council District 9

Proposal: Demolition of a residential structure.

Applicant: Augustine Verrengia

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Grant the Applicant's request and postpone the public hearing to

November 2, 2022.

26. PR-2022-118744 – 1905 Tillotson Ave. – Consent

Council District 1

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1918 house.

Applicant: Lisa Vela

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Strongly encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin

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27. PR-2022-129297 – 4513 Avenue B – Unit 2 – Consent

Council District 9

Proposal: Demolition of a rear ADUs.

Applicant: Jeremy Vincik

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, specifically of the two story ADU, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a

City of Austin Documentation Package.

28. PR-2022-130978 – 2711 Manor Rd. – Consent

Council District 1

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1930 house and detached garage.

Applicant: DAR Construction

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

29. PR-2022-130994 - 2713 Manor Rd. - Consent

Council District 1

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1947 house.

Applicant: DAR Construction

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

30. PR-2022-130934 – 2715 Manor Rd. – Consent

Council District 1

Proposal: Demolish a duplex moved onto the lot in 1959 from 1401 Congress Ave.

Applicant: DAR Construction

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727

Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

31. PR-2022-123716 – 608 E. 3rd St. – Discussion

Council District 9

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1880 house.

Applicant: Travis Young

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Consider initiating historic landmark zoning. If the Commission chooses not to initiate landmark zoning, encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

32. PR-2022-129227 - 2106 Matthews Dr. - Consent

Council District 10

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1946 house.

Applicant: Tisha Ritta

City Staff: Kalan Contreras, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-2727 Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

33. PR-2022-134255 – 605 E. 47th St. – Consent Council District 9

Proposal: Demolition of a ca. 1942 house.

Applicant: Ricca Keepers

City Staff: Kimberly Collins, Historic Preservation Office, 512-974-1801

Staff Recommendation: Encourage rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, then relocation over demolition, but release the permit upon completion of a City of Austin Documentation Package.

34. PR-2022-134604 – 118 Lightsey Rd. – Administratively Approved Council District 9

STAFF DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

35. 2023 Historic Landmark Commission Meeting Schedule

COMMITTEE UPDATES

- **36.** Architectural Review Committee Updates from previous meeting.
- **37.** Operations Committee Future meeting to be scheduled.
- **38.** Grants Committee Future meeting to be scheduled.
- **39.** Preservation Plan Committee Updates from previous meeting.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

No items.

ADJOURNMENT

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