



**REGULAR MEETING of the DESIGN COMMISSION
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2023, 6:00 PM
PERMITTING AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER, ROOM 1405
6310 WILHELMINA DELCO
AUSTIN, TEXAS**

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Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely via telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in-person or remotely and will be allowed up to three minutes to provide their comments. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation by telephone. To register to speak remotely, call or email Nicole Corona, at 512-974-3146 or nicole.corona@austintexas.gov.

CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS/COMMISSIONERS:

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Jessica Rollason
Aan Coleman
Bart Whatley
Ben Luckens*

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first five speakers signed up *prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approve the minutes of the Design Commission Regular Meeting on October 24, 2022.
2. Approve the minutes of the Design Commission Regular Meeting on January 23, 2023.

STAFF BRIEFINGS

3. Staff briefing regarding Congress Avenue Urban Design Initiative. Presented by Jana McCann, McCann Adams Studio, and Benedict Patrick, HDR Engineering, Inc.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

4. Discussion and possible action to determine whether the project Oertli Neighborhood Park, located at 1238 Pearl Retreat Lane, complies with City Design and Sustainability Standards and on a recommendation on requested Alternative Equivalent Compliance (AEC) in accordance with [Land Development Code Title 25 § 2.2.5 and 2.3.1](#). Presented by James Wheeler, Parks and Recreation Department.
5. Discussion and possible action on the Planning and Urban Design Working Group meeting structure.

WORKING GROUP/COMMITTEE UPDATES

6. Update from the Urban Design Guidelines Working Group regarding updates to the guidelines.
7. Update from representative on the Downtown Commission regarding last meeting.
8. Update from representative on the Joint Sustainability Committee regarding last meeting.
9. Update from representative on the South-Central Waterfront Advisory Board regarding last meeting.

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