

DeKalb County Government

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Application of Phoenix City Holdings, LLC c/o Battle Law P.C. to rezone property from R-100 (Residential Medium Lot-100) District to RSM (Small Lot Residential Mix) District to develop sixty-one

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Attachments: 1. 2020 02.11 Item 2019-4356, 2. 2020 01.28 Item 2019-4356, 3. D1 Phoenix City Holdings Z 19

1243522, 4. Recommended Conditions Z 19 1243522

| Date | Ver. | Action By | Action | Result |
|------------|------|--|---|--------|
| 3/10/2020 | 1 | Board of Commissioners | approved with conditions | Pass |
| 2/11/2020 | 1 | Board of Commissioners | deferred substitute | Pass |
| 1/28/2020 | 1 | Board of Commissioners - Zoning Meeting | deferred substitute | Pass |
| 1/7/2020 | 1 | Planning Commission | approval with modified conditions to read as follows: | Pass |
| 11/21/2019 | 1 | Board of Commissioners - Zoning Meeting | | |
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| 11/7/2019 | 1 | Planning Commission | approved with conditions per staff recommendation | Pass |

Substitute

Public Hearing: YES ⊠ NO □ Department: Planning & Sustainability

SUBJECT:

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PETITION NO: D1. Z-19-1243522

PROPOSED USE: Townhomes

LOCATION: 3792 Harvest Drive, Decatur GA, 30034

PARCEL NO.: 15-060-01-191

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PURPOSE:

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RECOMMENDATION:

COMMUNITY COUNCIL: (12/11/19) Denial. (10/14/19) No quorum, no recommendation.

PLANNING COMMISSION: (1/7/20) Approval w/modified conditions. (11/7/19) Approval with added conditions.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: (1/7/20) Approval with conditions (11/21/19) Approval with conditions.

PLANNING STAFF ANALYSIS: The proposed request to rezone property from R-100 (Residential Medium Lot-100) District to RSM (Small Lot Residential Mix) District to construct sixty one single attached townhomes is compatible with the Suburban (SUB) Character Area in the 2035 Comprehensive Land Use Plan and the following policies: density increases, infill development and residential protection. Therefore, it is the recommendation of the Planning and Sustainability Department that the rezoning from R-100 (Residential Medium Lot-100) District to RSM (Small Lot Residential Mix) District be approved with Staff's recommended conditions.

PLANNING COMMISSION VOTE: (1/7/20) Approval with modified conditions 8-1-0. L. Osler moved, V. Moore seconded for approval with conditions, per Staff's recommendation with a modification to condition #2 to add the word "frontage" to Harvest Drive; and, an added condition #7 to read: "Applicant shall provide for relocation of bus stop during and after construction. T. Snipes opposed. (11/7/19) Approval 7-1-0; V. Moore moved, E. Patton seconded for approval with Staff's conditions, with two added conditions: 1) There shall be a 35% rental cap; and 2) Establish an HOA. T. Snipes opposed.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL VOTE/RECOMMENDATION: (12/11/19) Denial 9-1-0. A concerned resident made the following comments: 1) The property is in an environmental hazard area; 2) Not all community members were properly notified; and 3) There have been fair housing complaints. He did not explain the relation of the latter to the rezoning application. There was no discussion by Board members of the reason(s) for their recommendation. (10/14/19) No quorum. No recommendation.