GENERAL BUSINESS:

PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES

Receive and amend or approve the minutes from the Planning Commission meeting of December 12, 2011.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Receive reports from any committees that met over the past month.

COMMUNICATIONS

a) Receive written communications from the public.
b) Receive written communications from staff, Planning Commissioners, or other commissioners.
   • Communication from the Historic Resources Administrator pertaining to the Landmark nomination of the Joseph Savage House located at 1734 Kent Terrace.
c) Receive written action of any waiver requests/determinations made by the City Engineer.
d) Disclosure of ex parte communications.
e) Declaration of abstentions from specific agenda items by commissioners.

AGENDA ITEMS MAY BE TAKEN OUT OF ORDER AT THE COMMISSION’S DISCRETION

REGULAR AGENDA (JANUARY 23, 2012) MEETING

PUBLIC HEARING ITEM:

Recess LDCMPC
Convene Joint Meeting with Lecompton Planning Commission

ITEM NO. 1 CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR FRED’S BOAT STORAGE; 568 N 1800 RD (MKM)

CUP-11-7-11: Consider a revised Conditional Use Permit for Fred’s Boat Storage, located at 568 N 1800 Road. The request amends CUP-8-7-06 to specifically include the covered storage of recreational vehicles, trailers and campers, as well as boats as currently permitted. Submitted by George Roll, Property owner of record. Joint meeting with Lecompton Planning Commission.

Adjourn Joint Meeting
Reconvene LDCMPC

NON-PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS:
ITEM NO. 2 ANNEXATION; 17.4 ACRES; YANKEE TANK (MJL)

A-8-3-11: Consider annexation of approximately 17.4 acres for Yankee Tank, located south of Bob Billings Pkwy, north of Clinton Parkway, east of Villa Drive, and west of Burning Tree Drive. Submitted by North Tank LC and Burning Tree LLC, property owners of record.

ITEM NO. 3 ANNEXATION; 109 ACRES; YANKEE TANK/LAKE ALVAMAR (MJL)

A-8-4-11: Consider annexation of approximately 109 acres for Yankee Tank (commonly known as Lake Alvamar), located north of Clinton Parkway, south & west of Lake Alvamar Drive, and east of E. 920 Road. Submitted by Alvamar Inc, and Kansas Athletics, Inc. property owners of record.

RESUME PUBLIC HEARING:

ITEM NO. 4 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT TO H2020 - CHP 14; NORTHEAST SECTOR PLAN (DDW)

CPA-6-5-09: Reconsider Comprehensive Plan Amendment to Horizon 2020 – Chapter 14 to include the Northeast Sector Plan. Approved by Planning Commission 5-4 on 9/20/10. Referred to Planning Commission by the Board of County Commission and City Commission for consideration of specific issues. Deferred by Planning Commission on 12/12/11.

ITEM NO. 5 TEXT AMENDMENT TO CITY OF LAWRENCE DEVELOPMENT CODE; INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS (MJL)

TA-10-16-11: Consider a text amendment to Chapter 20 of the City Code, Land Development Code, to review the uses of the existing industrial districts and explore creating a new district that permits uses with intensities between the IL (Limited Industrial) district and IG (General Industrial) district. Deferred by Planning Commission on 11/14/11.

**DEFERRED**

ITEM NO. 6 TEXT AMENDMENT TO THE DOUGLAS COUNTY ZONING REGULATIONS; AGRITOURISM (MKM)

TA-8-11-11: Consider a Text Amendment to the Douglas County Zoning Regulations for the Unincorporated Territory of Douglas County to establish Agritourism as a use in the A (Agriculture) District.

MISCELLANEOUS NEW OR OLD BUSINESS

Consideration of any other business to come before the Commission.

Recess until 6:30pm on January 25, 2012.
BEGIN PUBLIC HEARING (JANUARY 25, 2012):

COMMUNICATIONS

a) Receive written communications from staff, Planning Commissioners, or other commissioners.
b) Disclosure of ex parte communications.
c) Declaration of abstentions from specific agenda items by commissioners.

AGENDA ITEMS MAY BE TAKEN OUT OF ORDER AT THE COMMISSION’S DISCRETION

REGULAR AGENDA (JANUARY 25, 2012) MEETING
PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS:

ITEM NO. 7  IG TO H; 12.4 ACRES; 138 ALABAMA ST (SLD)

Z-11-27-11: Consider a request to rezone approximately 12.40 acres from IG (General Industrial) to H (Hospital), located at 138 Alabama Street. Submitted by Trenor Architects, for Alford-Clarke Post #852 VFW, property owner of record and Bert Nash Community Mental Health Center, contract purchaser.

ITEM NO. 8A  IG TO IL; .20 ACRES; 920 & 920 ½ DELAWARE ST (SLD)

Z-11-26-11: Consider a request to rezone approximately .20 acres from IG (General Industrial) to IL (Limited Industrial), located at 920 and 920 ½ Delaware Street. Submitted by Struct/Restruct, LLC, property owner of record.

PUBLIC HEARING on Variances Only:

ITEM NO. 8B  PRELIMINARY PLAT FOR EVEN LOWER EAST SIDE ADDITION; 920 & 920 ½ DELAWARE ST (SLD)

PP-11-11-11: Consider a Preliminary Plat for Even Lower East Side Addition, a one lot subdivision containing approximately .20 acres, located at 920 and 920 ½ Delaware Street. The request includes a variance request from the Subdivision Design Standards, specifically 20-809(d) regarding the minimum area of the proposed lot. Submitted by Struct/Restruct, LLC, property owner of record.

RESUME PUBLIC HEARING:

ITEM NO. 9  CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR US 59 HWY BORROW PIT (SLD)

CUP-11-6-11: Consider a Conditional Use Permit for US 59 Hwy Borrow Pit located west of US 59 between N 1100 and N 1000 Roads. The property address is 1297 N 1056 Road. The applicant proposes to sell soil for the nearby US 59 construction project. Submitted by Landplan Engineering, for Evelyn M. Johnston Trustee, property owner of record.

ITEM NO. 10A  RS10 TO RM12; 41.15 ACRES; 1900 W 31ST ST (SLD)

Z-11-28-11: Consider a request to rezone approximately 41.15 acres from RS10 (Single-Dwelling Residential) to RM12 (Multi-Dwelling Residential), located at 1900 W. 31st Street. Submitted by Landplan Engineering, for Mid-America Manufactured Housing Communities, Inc., property owner of record.

PUBLIC HEARING on Variances Only:
ITEM NO. 10B  PRELIMINARY PLAT FOR ASPEN HEIGHTS ADDITION; 1900 W 31ST ST (SLD)

PP-11-12-11: Consider a Preliminary Plat for Aspen Heights Addition, approximately 41.15 acres, located at 1900 W. 31st Street. The request includes variance requests from the Subdivision Design Standards, specifically 20-810(d) regarding the dedication of additional r-o-w for the adjacent arterial street; connection of at least one street connection to each adjacent subdivision; and the dedication of the remainder of r-o-w for Ousdahl Road (extended). Submitted by Landplan Engineering for Mid-America Manufactured Housing Communities, Inc., property owner of record.

RESUME PUBLIC HEARING:

ITEM NO. 10C  SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR ASPEN HEIGHTS; 1900 W 31ST ST (SLD)

SUP-11-5-11: Consider a Special Use Permit for Aspen Heights for the development of multiple detached dwelling structures on a single lot in an RM District as required by Section 20-402 of the Land Development Code. The property is located at 1900 W. 31st Street. Submitted by Landplan Engineering, for Mid-America Manufactured Housing Communities, Inc., property owner of record.

ITEM NO. 11  COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT TO H2020 - CHP 6; NORTH MASS DEVELOPMENT (AAM)

CPA-11-8-11: Consider a Comprehensive Plan Amendment to Chapter 6 of Horizon 2020 to expand the identified boundaries of Downtown Lawrence to accommodate a proposed mixed use project known as the North Mass Development. The request includes a proposal to exempt the proposed North Mass Development from the current requirement that individual stores in the Downtown Commercial Center have a maximum footprint of no more than 25,000 square feet. Proposed by Paul Werner Architects.

MISCELLANEOUS NEW OR OLD BUSINESS

Consideration of any other business to come before the Commission.

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