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To: Planning Commission

From: Comprehensive and Neighborhood Planning Committee

Re: Initiate Zoning Code Chapter 64 Signs Text Amendments Study

Background

The Planning Commission periodically reviews and reevaluates the Zoning Code to bring it up to date and to address circumstances not contemplated by current code language. There are a few amendments to Zoning Code Chapter 64 Signs suggested by the Zoning Administrator to consider as well as circumstances to address regarding temporary signs. In addition, the study will consider amendments for advertising signs at professional sports facilities for Treasure Island Center and sports facility sponsorship signs for gate entrances and wayfinding kiosks at Allianz Field soccer stadium.

The Comprehensive and Neighborhood Planning Committee met on February 21, 2018 to discuss plans for the study. Attached is a resolution initiating a study of Zoning Code Chapter 64 Signs Text Amendments.

Committee Recommendation

Adopt the attached resolution to initiate Zoning Code Chapter 64 Signs Text Amendments Study.

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ZONING CODE CHAPTER 64 SIGNS TEXT AMENDMENTS STUDY INITIATION

WHEREAS, Zoning Code § 61.801 requires periodic review and reevaluation of the Zoning Code, and provides for the Planning Commission to initiate amendments to the Zoning Code; and

WHEREAS, in March 2017 the Zoning Administrator recommended corrections and minor amendments to clarify language in Zoning Code Chapter 64 and bring it up-to-date; and

WHEREAS, amendments to Chapter 64 are also needed to clarify provisions of the code and address circumstances not contemplated by current code language, related to sports facility sponsorship signs, advertising signs at professional sports facilities, and temporary signs; and

WHEREAS, the Comprehensive and Neighborhood Planning Committee discussed the need for the study on February 21, 2018 and recommended the Planning Commission initiate the study;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, under provisions of Legislative Code §61.801, that the Planning Commission hereby initiates a zoning study to consider possible amendments to Zoning Code Chapter 64 Signs.

moved by _____
seconded by _____
in favor _____
against _____