AGENDA

PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS

MARCH 26, 2015, 7:30 P.M.

FARMINGTON HILLS CITY HALL – COUNCIL CHAMBERS 31555 W. ELEVEN MILE ROAD, FARMINGTON HILLS MI 48336

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- 1. Call Meeting to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Approval of Agenda

4. Public Hearing

A. SPECIAL APPROVAL 53-2-2015

LOCATION: Vacant lot north of 24233 Orchard Lake Rd.

PARCEL I.D.: 22-23-22-476-043

PROPOSAL: Flower Sales in a B-3, General Business District ACTION REQUESTED: Special Land Use Approval by Planning Commission

APPLICANT: Scott Saxton

OWNER: Raphael Oraha, Maroraha, LLC

B. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PLAN 2015/2016 THROUGH 2020/2021

ACTION REQUESTED: Adoption of Plan

C. ZONING TEXT AMENDMENT 1, 2015

REQUEST: Amend Chapter 34, Zoning, to revise or add the below sections

ACTION REQUESTED: Recommend to City Council

CHAPTER OF CODE: 34, Zoning Chapter

SECTIONS:

34-5.2.14, 34-5.2.14.I: Amend drive-through lane and vehicle stacking space requirements

34-4.40: Amend the section title to Vehicle Wash

34-4.40.8: Amend to permit vehicle washes as a principal permitted use in LI-1 districts

34-3.1.29.B.x.o: Amend to permit indoor motor vehicle sales

34-3.1.29.B.xi.: Amend to permit accessory buildings and uses customarily incidental to uses permitted in the LI-1 districts

34-3.1.29.C.viii: Amend to permit vehicle washes as a special approval use in LI-1 districts

34-4.46.2: Amend to require B-3 uses permitted in LI-1 districts to be subject to the minimum LI-1 yard setbacks.

34-3.1.24.B.xxi: Amend to permit indoor health, fitness and dance studios as a principal permitted use in B-2 districts

34-3.1.24.C.i: Amend to permit indoor recreation facilities over 3,300 square feet as special approval use in B-2 districts

34-3.1.25.B.o: Amend to permit indoor health, fitness, and dance studios as principal permitted uses in B-3 districts

34-3.1.25.C.k: Amend to permit indoor recreation facilities over 3,300 square feet as a special approval use in B-3 districts

34-3.1.29.B.x.p: Amend to permit indoor health, fitness, and dance studios as principal permitted uses in LI-1 districts

34-3.1.29.C.vi: Amend to permit indoor recreation facilities over 5,000 square feet as special approval uses in LI-1 districts

34-4.58: Amend to establish regulations for indoor recreation facilities and dance studios in B-2, B-3, and LI-1 districts

- **34-4.58.1:** Indoor commercial recreation facilities and dance studios within enclosed buildings in B-2 and B-3 districts shall not exceed 3,300 square feet of gross floor area
- **34-4.58.2:** Indoor recreation facilities and dance studios within completely enclosed buildings in LI-1 districts shall not exceed 5,000 square feet of gross floor area
- **34-4.52**: Amend to include indoor recreation facilities in section title and to be subject to use regulations of the section
- **34-5.19**: Design standards for pedestrian access from public rights-of-way to building entrances
- **34-5.2.2**: Set standards and give approval authority to the Planning Commission for shared off-street parking arrangements between buildings and uses
- **34-6.1.3**: Amend to require concurrent submission and review of landscape and site plans.
- **34-5.14.**C.ii: Amend to permit small shrubs, groundcovers, and perennials/annuals to be within 4 feet of property lines
- **34-5.15.D:** Amend to set standards to allow Planning Department approval when site plan approval by planning commission is not required for screen walls and berms less than 6 feet in height
- **34-5.15.E:** Amend to allow for Planning Department approval of screen wall design and plant materials for required walls generally parallel to a public street right-of-way and within 50 feet of the right-of-way
- **34-5.15.3:** Amend to allow for Planning Department approval of alternate location, and/or waiver of screen walls or deciduous tree planting requirements
- **34-5.15.4:** Amend to allow for Planning Commission approval of screen walls located on the residential side of an alley right-of-way
- **34-5.15.8:** Amend to allow for Planning Department approval for openings for vehicular traffic or other purposes in required screen walls
- **34-5.10**: Amend to require intersections of private drives with public streets to comply with corner clearance requirements
- **34-5.16.2**: Amend to allow Planning Commission to determine when existing developed sites are required to bring all lighting into compliance with ordinance requirements
- **34-7.13.A & B:** Violations of zoning ordinances are punishable as civil infractions
- **34-3.20.2.A**: Amend to allow the Planned Unit Development Option to be permitted in any zoning district
- 5. Public Comment
- 6. Commissioner's Comments
- 7. Adjournment

Respectfully Submitted,

Steven Schwartz Planning Commission Secretary

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