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TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: April 16, 2019

TITLE: Resolution Modifying the Planning and Zoning Board Regular Meeting

Time – Case No. T19002

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a resolution to modify the rules and regulations of the Planning and Zoning Board, changing the regular meeting time from 6:30 PM to 6:00 PM.

Background

The Planning and Zoning Board (PZB) meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month, except when meetings are cancelled or rescheduled in accordance with Section 47-30.4 of the Unified Land Development Regulations (ULDR).

On February 20, 2019, PZB made a motion for Communication to the City Commission. The motion was made by Mr. Weymouth, seconded by Mr. Elfman for the City Commission to direct the City Manager to direct staff to modify the time of PZB meetings, which currently commence at 6:30 PM, to begin at 6:00 PM since they often run later into the evening. In a roll call vote, the motion passed 9-0.

To review the proposed resolution, please refer to Exhibit 2.

Public Outreach

Communication was sent to the Council of Fort Lauderdale Civic Association (CFLCA) on March 22, 2019, to inform the Council of the proposed time change for PZB.

To review the communication, please refer to Exhibit 1.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the City associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan* initiative, included within the Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 6: Be an inclusive community made up of distinct, complementary, and diverse neighborhoods.
- Objective 1: Evolve and update the land development code to balance neighborhood quality, character, and livability through sustainable development.
- Initiative 5: Ordinance Updates for Various Master Plans.

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We are Connected.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 - March 22, 2019, Communication to CFLCA

Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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