## **Provo City Planning Commission**

# Report of Action

May 13, 2020

Item 6

Brent Tippets requests Project Plan approval for the Provo City Center Building, to be located at 495 W Center Street in the General Downtown (DT1) zone. Downtown Neighborhood. Brian Maxfield (801) 852-6429 bmaxfield@provo.org PLPPA20200106

The following action was taken by the Planning Commission on the above described item at its regular meeting of May 13, 2020:

### APPROVED with CONDITIONS

On a vote of 7:0, the Planning Commission approved the above noted application, with the following conditions:

- 1. All requirements of the Coordinator's Review Committee (CRC) are met.
- 2. Allow staff approval of a Final Landscaping Plan after further review by the City's Design Review Committee (DRC)

Motion By: Maria Winden Second By: Russ Phillips

Votes in Favor of Motion: Andrew Howard; Maria Winden; Laurie Urquiaga; Lisa Jensen; Russ Phillips; Dave

Anderson: Deborah Jensen.

Deborah Jensen was present as Chair.

#### STAFF PRESENTATION

The Staff Report to the Planning Commission provides details of the facts of the case and the Staff's analysis, conclusions, and recommendations. Key points addressed in the Staff's presentation to the Planning Commission included the following: Staff gave a brief introduction to the project and stated that with 336 proposed parking spaces, the project met the minimum requirement of 313 parking spaces. For security reasons, floor plans for the buildings were not included in the staff report. The presentation was then turned over to the architect, Brent Tippets.

#### CITY DEPARTMENTAL ISSUES

None

#### NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING DATE

Due to open houses being held regarding this project, the Neighborhood Chair determined that a neighborhood meeting would not be required.

#### NEIGHBORHOOD AND PUBLIC COMMENT

No neighborhood comments were received by staff prior to the meeting, or were expressed by the public during the meeting.

#### **CONCERNS RAISED BY PUBLIC**

None

#### APPLICANT PRESENTATION AND RESPONSE

Key points addressed in the applicant's presentation to the Planning Commission included the following:

- The design elements and the exterior materials to be used
- The design of the plaza areas
- A description of the parking areas

#### PLANNING COMMISSION DISCUSSION

Key points discussed by the Planning Commission included the following:

- The belief that the building design and building materials are well done.
- Assurance that the eastern parking area will be properly landscaped if it does not otherwise develop.



Director of Development Services

See <u>Key Land Use Policies of the Provo City General Plan</u>, applicable <u>Titles of the Provo City Code</u>, and the <u>Staff Report to the Planning Commission</u> for further detailed information. The Staff Report is a part of the record of the decision of this item. Where findings of the Planning Commission differ from findings of Staff, those will be noted in this Report of Action.

<u>Legislative items</u> are noted with an asterisk (\*) and require legislative action by the Municipal Council following a public hearing; the Planning Commission provides an advisory recommendation to the Municipal Council following a public hearing.

<u>Administrative decisions</u> of the Planning Commission (items not marked with an asterisk) **may be appealed** by submitting an application/notice of appeal, with the required application and noticing fees, to the Community Development Department, 330 West 100 South, Provo, Utah, **within fourteen (14) calendar days of the Planning Commission's decision** (Provo City office hours are Monday through Thursday, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.).

BUILDING PERMITS MUST BE OBTAINED BEFORE CONSTRUCTION BEGINS