AGENDA STAMFORD PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

VIA THE INTERNET & CONFERENCE CALL

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2024 7:00 P.M.

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Web Meeting Ground Rules:

- The meeting shall be recorded and the video shall be posted on the City of Stamford website http://cityofstamford.granicus.com/ViewPublisher.php?view_id=8
- The Planning Board shall moderate the audio for attendees.
- Attendees shall be on mute and will be unmuted when called to speak by the Planning Board members.
- Applicants will have 20 minutes to make their presentation.
- Public testimony on Public Hearing agenda items will be limited to 3 minutes per speaker.
- Any applicant/public speaker wishing to submit written testimony on Public Hearing agenda items can send it prior to the meeting to lcapp@stamfordct.gov.

PLANNING BOARD MEETING MINUTES:

November 28, 2023 (*Tabled from the December 12, 2023 Meeting*) January 9, 2024

PUBLIC HEARING WILL BEGIN AT 7:00 P.M.

<u>INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PUBLIC TO SPEAK ON THE 2024-2025 CAPITAL BUDGET & CITY OF STAMFORD CITY-WIDE PARKING STUDY</u>

- Speakers from the public will have 5 minutes each to speak.
- Any public speaker wishing to submit written testimony prior to the meeting can send it to Lindsey Cohen, Associate Planner at looken@stamfordct.gov or to Theresa Dell, Planning Board Chair at tdell@stamfordct.gov or submit the request through a Chat message to the Planning Board Chair during the meeting.
- During the meeting, please do not send Chat messages to "Everyone" as it is distracting for all attendees.
- All public speakers wishing to speak at the Public Hearing shall send a Chat message to the Moderator/Planning Board Chair with their name and address to sign-up to speak.
- All public speakers shall announce their name and address clearly for the record prior to speaking.

CAPITAL BUDGET:

In accordance with Section C-611.3 of the Stamford Charter, the Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing to hear public comments on the recommended Capital Budget for 2024-2025 and Capital Plan for 2025-2031.

CITY OF STAMFORD CITY-WIDE PARKING STUDY:

The Stamford City-Wide Parking Study was initiated in February 2020, just prior to the start of the COVID-19 pandemic. Whereas the pandemic affected some of the original work tasks and the study schedule, the overall goals of the Parking Study remained as initially planned: [a] undertake a City-wide parking assessment with a focus on key neighborhoods - Downtown, South End, West Side, Glenbrook and Springdale; and [b] develop a set of data-based recommendations and implementation strategies to strengthen the City's parking resources and requirements. As the study evolved over the 3-year period an additional need became apparent which was to assist the City of Stamford in dealing with the consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic on its parking system usage.

Next regularly scheduled Planning Board meetings are:

- January 30, 2024 (Regular Meeting)
- February 13, 2024 (Regular Meeting)
- February 27, 2024 (Regular Meeting)

All items on this agenda are noticed for discussion and possible action.