## OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION NOVEMBER 5, 2019 AGENDA

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
An Ordinance establishing a Planned Zoning District titled East Village Revised Long-Form PCD, located at 1319 East 6 <sup>th</sup> Street (Z-9150-B).	√ <b>Ordinance</b> Resolution	
Submitted By:		
Planning & Development Department		Bruce T. Moore City Manager
SYNOPSIS	The applicant is requesting approval of a revised PCD, Planned Commercial District, for the expansion of a parking lot and installation of landscaping.	
FISCAL IMPACT	None.	
RECOMMENDATION	Staff recommends approval of the POD zoning. The Planning Commission voted 9 ayes, 0 nays and 2 absent to recommend approval.	
BACKGROUND	In 2016 the Board of Directors approved the East Village PCD, Planned Commercial Development, allowing for the redevelopment of properties as a mixed-use development. The intent of the development was to create a walkable community with sidewalks along the street edge, tree wells at regular intervals, and on-street parking along the north side of East 6 <sup>th</sup> Street. The existing buildings would be renovated for office, commercial and residential uses. The East Village has taken shape over the past few years to become a mixed-use community on the east side of Interstate 30.	

## BACKGROUND CONTINUED

The existing parking lot has been repaved. The subject parcel had an industrial building that was removed in 2017. The slab was left in place and will be striped for parking and the adjacent asphalt apron will be repaved to allow for parking and an exit drive onto 6<sup>th</sup> Street.

The Planning Commission reviewed this request at their October 10, 2019, meeting and there were no objectors present. Please see the attached Planning Commission minutes for Staff's Analysis and the Commission's action.