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Susan Anderson
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Planning & Sustainability Commission
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Re: Comprehensive Plan Update

Dear Susan and commissioners:

Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc. (SWNI) Board met on August 27th and unanimously supported the recent letter from the Multnomah Neighborhood Association to the Planning & Sustainability Commission (see attached letter). The Multnomah neighborhood letter calls for publication of details regarding new zoning designations, especially for the new mixed-use zoning designations and the new campus institutional zoning, and at least a 90 day period after publication for the public to respond to those details, either through public testimony or submission of comment to an open record.

The SWNI Board also made it clear that the publication and review of zoning definitions and possible impacts, plus the opportunity for comment should not be just for Multnomah Neighborhood Association and member neighborhood associations of Southwest Neighborhoods, Inc, but should apply citywide.

Sincerely,

Sam Pearson
President, Southwest Neighborhoods

1 Attachment: Multnomah NA Letter

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Land Use Chair
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Planning and Sustainability Commission
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Re: Request PCS Hearings

The Multnomah Neighborhood Association requests that the Bureau of Planning and Sustainability provide the details for the new mixed-use zoning designations and the new campus institutional zoning and that Planning and Sustainability Commission extend the hearings of the Comprehensive Plan or that the record of the hearings left open for at least 90 days following the release of the provisions of these definitions to give the Neighborhood a chance to understand the impact of the definitions and time to respond.

Please add this to the record

Thank you,

James F Peterson
Land Use Chair
Multnomah

cc: City Council
Bureau of Planning and Sustainability