



COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

**AGENDA
OF
THE LAND USE COMMITTEE
FOR THE MEETING OF OCTOBER 09, 2013**

LEROY G. COMRIE, *Chair*, Land Use Committee

MARK WEPRIN, *Chair*, Subcommittee on Zoning and Franchises

BRAD LANDER, *Chair*, Subcommittee on Landmarks, Public Siting
and Maritime Uses

STEPHEN LEVIN, *Chair*, Subcommittee on Planning, Dispositions
and Concessions

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**AGENDA
OF THE
LAND USE COMMITTEE**

The Land Use Committee will hold a meeting in the **Council Chambers, City Hall**, New York City, New York 10007, commencing at **10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, October 9, 2013**, and will consider the following items and conduct such other business as may be necessary:

L.U. NOS. 876 THROUGH 881 ARE RELATED

L.U. No. 876

SPECIAL WILLETS POINT DISTRICT TEXT AMENDMENT

QUEENS CB - 7

N 130220 ZRQ

Application by the Queens Development Group, LLC and the New York City Economic Development Corporation pursuant to Section 201 of the New York City Charter for an amendment of the Zoning Resolution relating to Article XII Chapter 4 to allow the City Planning Commission to permit transitional uses as part of a phased development where such uses are reasonably necessary to assist in achievement of the goals of the Special District.

L.U. No. 877

SPECIAL WILLETS POINT DISTRICT TEXT AMENDMENT

QUEENS CB - 7

C 130222 ZSQ

Application submitted by Queens Development Group, LLC and New York City Economic Development Corporation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Section 124-60* of the Zoning Resolution to modify applicable the use and bulk requirements to facilitate the development of a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 2,650 spaces and active recreational uses on property (Zoning Lot 1) located easterly of 126th Street

generally between proposed to be demapped 35th Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue (Block 1823, Lots 19, 20, 21, 23, 26, 28, 33, 40, 44, 47, 52, & 55; Block 1825, Lots 26, 28, 30, 37, 46, 48, 53, p/o 21 & p/o 55; Block 1826, Lots 1, 5, 14, 18, 20, 31, & 35; Block 1827, Lot 1; Block 1833, Lots 103, 111, 117, 120, 141, 151, 155, 158 & 172; p/o bed of proposed to be demapped 37th Avenue; p/o bed of proposed to be demapped 38th Avenue; bed of proposed to be demapped 39th Avenue; p/o bed of proposed to be demapped Willets Point Boulevard; and optional property to include Block 1823, Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 12, 14, 58, 59, & 60; and p/o bed of proposed to be demapped 36th Avenue), in a C4-4 District, within the Special Willets Point District.

*Note: A zoning text amendment is proposed to modify Section 124-60 (SPECIAL PERMIT TO MODIFY USE OR BULK REGULATIONS) of the Zoning Resolution under a concurrent related application N 130220 ZRQ.

L.U. No. 878

SPECIAL WILLETS POINT DISTRICT TEXT AMENDMENT

QUEENS CB - 7

C 130223 ZSQ

Application submitted by Queens Development Group, LLC and New York City Economic Development Corporation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Section 124-60* of the Zoning Resolution to modify applicable the use and bulk requirements to facilitate the development of a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 83 spaces, in conjunction with a commercial development on property (Zoning Lot 2) located easterly of 126th Street generally between proposed to be demapped 37th Avenue and proposed to be demapped 38th Avenue (Block 1825, Lots 1, 19, 58, p/o 21, p/o 55, p/o bed of proposed to be demapped 37th Avenue and p/o bed of proposed to be demapped 38th Avenue), in a C4-4 District, within the Special Willets Point District.

*Note: A zoning text amendment is proposed to modify Section 124-60 (SPECIAL PERMIT TO MODIFY USE OR BULK REGULATIONS) of the Zoning Resolution under a concurrent related application N 130220 ZRQ.

L.U. No. 879

SPECIAL WILLETS POINT DISTRICT TEXT AMENDMENT

QUEENS CB - 7

C 130224 ZSQ

Application submitted by Queens Development Group, LLC and New York City Economic Development Corporation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Section 124-60* of the Zoning Resolution to modify the applicable use and bulk requirements to facilitate the development of a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 98 spaces and active recreational uses on property (Zoning Lot 3) located easterly of 126th Street generally between proposed to be demapped 34th Avenue and proposed to be demapped 35th Avenue (Block 1822, Lot 17), in a C4-4 District, within the Special Willets Point District.

*Note: A zoning text amendment is proposed to modify Section 124-60 (SPECIAL PERMIT TO MODIFY USE OR BULK REGULATIONS) of the Zoning Resolution under a concurrent related application N 130220 ZRQ.

L.U. No. 880

SPECIAL WILLETS POINT DISTRICT TEXT AMENDMENT

QUEENS CB - 7

C 130225 ZSQ

Application submitted by Queens Development Group, LLC and New York City Economic Development Corporation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Section 124-60* of the Zoning Resolution to modify applicable the use and bulk requirements to facilitate the development of a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 181 spaces and active recreational uses on property (Zoning Lot 4) located westerly of 126th Place generally between Northern Boulevard and proposed to be demapped 34th Avenue (Block 1821, Lots 9 and 18), in a C4-4 District, within the Special Willets Point District.

*Note: A zoning text amendment is proposed to modify Section 124-60 (SPECIAL PERMIT TO MODIFY USE OR BULK REGULATIONS) of the Zoning Resolution under a concurrent related application N 130220 ZRQ.

L.U. No. 881

SPECIAL WILLETS POINT DISTRICT TEXT AMENDMENT

QUEENS CB - 7

M 080221(A) MMQ

Application submitted by New York City Economic Development Corporation for a modification of the resolution adopted by the City Planning Commission on September 24, 2008 (Calendar No. 12) approving an application (C 080221 MMQ) for an amendment to the City Map involving, inter alia, the elimination of streets within an area bounded by 126th Street, Northern Boulevard, Van Wyck Expressway Extension and Roosevelt Avenue, in accordance with Map Nos. 5000A, 5000B, 5001 and 5002, dated March 13, 2013, and signed by the Borough President.

L.U. No. 902

203/205 EAST 92ND STREET

MANHATTAN CB - 8

N 130263 ZRM

Application submitted by Carnegie Park Land Holding LLC pursuant to Section 201 of the New York City Charter for an amendment of the Zoning Resolution of the City of New York, concerning Article VII, Chapter 8 to amend the ownership provisions of ZR Sec. 78-06 to allow application for modification of a Residential Large Scale authorizations and special permits granted in connection within an urban renewal area that has expired.

L.U. No. 903

22-44 JACKSON AVENUE

QUEENS CB - 2

C 130191 ZSQ

Application submitted by G&M Realty, L.P. pursuant to Section 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Section 117-56 of the Zoning Resolution to allow an increase in the permitted floor area ratio of Section 117-522, from 5.0 to a maximum of 8.0, and to modify the street wall requirements of Section 117-531 (Street wall location) and the setback requirements of Section 117-532 (Setback regulations for buildings that exceed the maximum base height), in connection with a proposed mixed-use development on property located at 22-44 Jackson Avenue (Block 86, Lots 1, 6, 7, 8, 22, and Block 72, p/o Lot 80) in an M1-5/R7-3 District, within the Special Long Island City Mixed Use District (Queens Plaza Subdistrict, Area C).

L.U. NOS. 904 THROUGH 909 ARE RELATED

L.U. No. 904

HALLETTS POINT

QUEENS CB - 1

N 090485 ZRQ

Application submitted by Halletts A Development Company, LLC and New York City Housing Authority pursuant to Section 201 of the New York City Charter for an amendment of the Zoning Resolution of the City of New York, modifying Article II, Chapter 3, and Appendix F relating to Inclusionary Housing, Article VI, Chapter 2 (SPECIAL REGULATIONS APPLYING IN WATERFRONT AREAS), Article VI, Chapter III (SPECIAL REGULATIONS APPLYING TO FRESH FOOD STORES) and Article VII, Chapter 4 relating to large scale general development.

L.U. No. 905

HALLETTS POINT

QUEENS CB - 1

C 090484 ZMQ

Application submitted by Halletts A Development Company, LLC and New York City Housing Authority pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the amendment of the Zoning Map, Section No. 9a:

1. changing from an R6 District to an M1-1 District property bounded by the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line, 2nd Street, 26th Avenue, and the easterly boundary line of a Park (Astoria Athletic Field) and its southerly prolongation;
2. changing from an R6 District to an R7-3 District property bounded by the southerly boundary line of a Park (Astoria Athletic Field), the southerly prolongation of the easterly boundary line of a Park (Astoria Athletic Field), 26th Avenue and its westerly centerline prolongation, and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line;
3. changing from an M1-1 District to an R7-3 District property bounded by 26th Avenue and its westerly centerline prolongation, 2nd Street, a line 275 feet southerly of 26th Avenue, 1st Street, the northerly boundary line of a Park and its easterly prolongation, and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line;

4. establishing within a former Park an R6 District property bounded by the westerly street line of 1st Street, the southerly street line of Astoria Boulevard, the northeasterly prolongation of a southeasterly boundary line of a Park, the easterly boundary line of a Park, and the easterly prolongation of a northerly boundary line of a Park;
5. establishing within an R6 District a C1-4 District bounded by:
 - a. 27th Avenue, 8th Street, a line 150 feet southerly of 27th Avenue, and 1st Street; and
 - b. Astoria Boulevard, the terminus of the Astoria Boulevard (westerly portion), the easterly prolongation of the southerly street line of Astoria Boulevard (westerly portion), the terminus of the of Astoria Boulevard (easterly portion), Astoria Boulevard, Vernon Boulevard, a line 150 feet southerly of Astoria Boulevard (easterly portion) and its westerly prolongation, a line 150 feet southerly of Astoria Boulevard (westerly portion) and its easterly prolongation, and the southerly centerline prolongation of 1st Street (straight line portion); and
6. establishing within a proposed R7-3 District a C1-4 District bounded by the southerly boundary line of a Park, the northerly centerline prolongation of 1st Street, 26th Avenue, 2nd Street, a line 275 feet southerly of 26th Avenue, 1st Street, the northerly boundary line of a Park and its easterly prolongation, and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line;

as shown on a diagram (for illustrative purposes only) dated April 22, 2013, and subject to the conditions of CEQR Declaration E-309.

L.U. No. 906
HALLETTS POINT

QUEENS CB - 1

C 130244 ZSQ

Application submitted by Halletts A Development Company LLC pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of special permits pursuant to Section 62-836 of the Zoning Resolution to modify initial setback distance, the maximum base height, the maximum building height, the floor area distribution, the maximum residential tower size, and the maximum width of walls facing shoreline requirements of Section 62-341₆(Developments on land and platforms),

and to modify the distance between buildings requirements of Section 23-711 (Standard minimum distance between buildings), in connection with a proposed mixed use development on property generally bounded by 26th Avenue and its westerly prolongation, 2nd Street, 27th Avenue, 8th Street, the northerly boundary of a Park, and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line, (Block 913, Lot 1; Block 915, Lot 6; Block 916, Lots 1 & 10; Block 490, Lots 1, 11, p/o 100, & 101; portions of lands underwater westerly of Blocks 916 and 490; and the beds of the proposed to be demapped portions of 26th Avenue, 27th Avenue, Astoria Boulevard, & Park), in R6, R6/C1-4 and R7-3/C1-4 Districts, in a large-scale general development, within the Halletts Point Peninsula.

L.U. No. 907
HALLETTS POINT

QUEENS CB - 1

C 090486 ZSQ

Application submitted by The Halletts A Development Company, LLC pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of special permits pursuant to the following sections of the Zoning Resolution:

1. Section 74-743(a) (1) - to allow the distribution of total allowable floor area and lot coverage under the applicable district regulations without regard for zoning lot lines;
2. Section 74-743(a) (2) - to allow the location of buildings without regard for the rear yard requirements of Sections 23-532 and 35-53, and to modify initial setback distance, the maximum base height, the maximum building height, the maximum residential tower size, and the maximum width of walls facing shoreline requirements of Section 62-341 (Developments on land and platforms); and
3. Section 74-743(a)(11) - to allow the distribution of floor area from a zoning lot containing existing public housing buildings;

in connection with a proposed mixed-use development on property generally bounded by 26th Avenue and its westerly prolongation, 2nd Street, 27th Avenue, 8th Street, the northerly boundary of a Park, and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line, (Block 913, Lot 1; Block 915, Lot 6; Block 916, Lots 1 & 10; Block 490, Lots 1, 11, p/o 100 & 101; portions of lands underwater westerly of Blocks 916 and 490; and the beds of the proposed to be demapped portions of 26th Avenue, 27th Avenue, Astoria Boulevard

& Park), in R6, R6/C1-4 and R7-3/C1-4 Districts, in a large-scale general development, within the Halletts Point Peninsula.

L.U. No. 908
HALLETTS POINT

QUEENS CB - 1

N 090487 ZAQ

Application submitted by Halletts A Development Company, LLC and New York City Housing Authority for the grant of an authorization pursuant to Section 62-822(a) of the Zoning Resolution to modify the location, area and minimum dimensions requirements of Section 62-50 (GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VISUAL CORRIDORS AND WATERFRONT PUBLIC ACCESS AREAS) in connection with a proposed mixed use development on property generally bounded by 26th Avenue and its westerly prolongation, 2nd Street, 27th Avenue, 8th Street, the northerly boundary of a Park, and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line, (Block 913, Lot 1; Block 915, Lot 6; Block 916, Lots 1 & 10; Block 490, Lots 1, 11, p/o 100, & 101; portions of lands underwater westerly of Blocks 916 and 490; and the beds of the proposed to be demapped portions of 26th Avenue, 27th Avenue, Astoria Boulevard & Park), in R6, R6/C1-4 and R7-3/C1-4 Districts, in a large-scale general development, within the Halletts Point Peninsula.

L.U. No. 909
HALLETTS POINT

QUEENS CB - 1

C 130068 MMQ

Application submitted by Halletts A Development Company, LLC, New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA), and the New York City Department of Parks and Recreation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 199 of the New York City Charter and Section 5-430 *et seq.* of the New York City Administrative Code for an amendment to the City Map involving:

- the elimination, discontinuance and closing of portions of two cul-de-sacs in Astoria Boulevard between 1st Street and 8th Street;
- the establishment of a park between 2nd Street, 26th Avenue and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line;
- the elimination of a portion of park west of 1st Street and south of 27th Avenue;
- the elimination, discontinuance and closing of 26th Avenue and 27th

- Avenue between 1st Street and the U.S. Pierhead and Bulkhead Line;
- the delineation of a street easement; and
- the adjustment of grades and block dimensions necessitated thereby,

including authorization for any acquisition or disposition of real property related thereto, in accordance with Map No. 5019 dated February 5, 2013.