

#### **COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK**

# AGENDA OF THE LAND USE COMMITTEE FOR THE MEETING OF JULY 28, 2010

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 16<sup>th</sup> Floor Hearing Room, 250 Broadway, New York City, New York 10007, commencing at **10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, July 28, 2010**, and will consider the following items and conduct such other business as may be necessary:

#### **L.U. Nos. 136-145 ARE RELATED**

### L.U. No. 136 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C 100206 PPQ

Application submitted by NYC Department of Citywide Administrative Services (DCAS), pursuant to Section 197-c of the New York City Charter, for the disposition of one (1) city-owned property located at 38-15 138<sup>th</sup> Street (Block 4978, p/o Lot 25), pursuant to zoning.

### L.U. No. 137 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C 100207 ZMQ

Application submitted by Flushing Commons LLC and the NYC Economic Development Corporation pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for an amendment of the Zoning Map, Section No. 10a, by changing from a C4-3 District to a C4-4 District property bounded by Congressman Rosenthal Place, Union Street, 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue, and 138<sup>th</sup> Street, as shown on a diagram (for illustrative purposes only) dated January 25, 2010, and subject to the conditions of CEQR Declaration E-247.

### L.U. No. 138 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C100208 ZSQ

Application submitted by Flushing Commons LLC and the NYC Economic Development Corporation 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)(2) to allow the location of buildings without regard for the height and setback requirements of Sections 23-632, 33-432 and 35-60, the rear yard requirements of Sections 23-532 and 35-53, the rear yard setback requirements of Section 23-663, the minimum distance between buildings and minimum distance between legally required windows and building walls regulations of Section 23-711;
- 2. Section 74-743(a)(4) to allow the maximum floor area ratio permitted pursuant to Section 23-142 without regard for height factor or open space ratio requirements;
- 3. Section 74-744(b) to allow residential and non-residential uses to be arranged within buildings without regard for the requirements of Section 32-42.

to facilitate a proposed mixed use development, on property located at 38-15 138<sup>th</sup> Street a.k.a. 37-10 Union Street (Block 4978, p/o Lot 25), in a C4-4 District, within a General Large Scale Development.

### L.U. No. 139 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB-7**

C 100209 ZSQ

Application submitted by Flushing Commons LLC and the NYC 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 74-512 of the Zoning Resolution to allow a public parking facility with a maximum capacity of 1600 spaces, including 908 self-park spaces and 692 attended parking spaces, on portions of the ground floor, 1<sup>st</sup> level cellar, 2<sup>nd</sup> level cellar and the 3<sup>rd</sup> level cellar, in connection with a proposed mixed use development, on property located at 38-15 138<sup>th</sup> Street a.k.a. 37-10 Union Street (Block 4978, p/o Lot 25), in a C4-4 District, within a General Large-Scale Development.

#### **FLUSHING COMMONS**

**QUEENS CB-7** 

N 100210 ZRQ

Application submitted by Flushing Commons 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 Section 74-743 (Special provisions for bulk modification), relating to open space, in General Large Scale Developments in C4-4 Districts in the Borough of Queens.

### L.U. No. 141 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB-7**

N 100211 ZRQ

Application submitted by Flushing Commons 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 the Downtown Flushing Waterfront Access Plan (WAP Q-2) to allow public parking lots as-of-right and to exempt such parking from requirements for public access and visual corridors pursuant to Section 62-952 of the Zoning Resolution in the Borough of Queens.

### L.U. No. 142 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C 100212 ZSQ

Application submitted by Fulton/Max International (Holdings) Inc. pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Section 74-512 of the Zoning Resolution to allow a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 647 spaces, including 201 self-park spaces and 446 attended parking spaces, on property located at 133-41 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue (Block 4972, Lots 8, 23 and 65), in a C4-2 District.

### L.U. No. 143 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C 100213 ZSQ

Application submitted by Fulton/Max International (Holdings) Inc. pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for the grant of a special permit pursuant to Sections 62-835 and 74-512 of the Zoning Resolution to allow a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 309 spaces, including 207 self-park spaces and 102 attended parking spaces, on property located at 37-02 College Point Boulevard (Block 4963, Lots 85), in a C4-2 District.

### L.U. No. 144 FLUSHING COMMONS

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C 100214 ZSQ

Application submitted by NYC Department of Transportation and the NYC 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 74-512 of the Zoning Resolution to allow a public parking lot with a maximum capacity of 275 spaces, on property located at 135-17 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue (Block 4975, Lot 15), in a C4-2 District.

#### L.U. No. 145 Macedonia Plaza

#### **QUEENS CB-7**

C 100216 HAQ

Application submitted by the Department of Housing Preservation and Development (HPD):

- 1) pursuant to Article 16 of the General Municipal Law of New York State for:
  - a) the designation of property located at 37-10 37<sup>th</sup> Avenue (Block 4978, part of Lot 25) as an Urban Development Action Area; and
  - b) an Urban Development Action Area Project for such area; and
- 2) pursuant to Section 197-c of the New York City Charter for the disposition of such property to a developer to be selected by HPD;

to facilitate development of a 14-story building, tentatively known as Macedonia Plaza with approximately 140 residential units.

L.U. No. 148

#### BATHGATE URBAN RENEWAL PLAN

BRONX CB - 3 C 100259 HUX

Application submitted by the Department of Housing Preservation and Development (HPD) pursuant to Section 505 of Article 15 of the General Municipal (Urban Renewal) Law of New York State and Section 197-c of the New York City Charter for the fourth amendment to the Bathgate Urban Renewal Plan for the Bathgate Renewal Area.

#### L.U. No. 149 35<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE REZONING

#### **QUEENS CB - 7**

C 030223 ZMQ

Application submitted by C&G Empire Realty LLC pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for an amendment of the Zoning Map, Section No. 10a:

- 1. Changing from an M1-1 district to an R6 District property bounded by Farrington Street, 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Prince Street, and a line 250 feet northwesterly of 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue; and
- 2. Establishing within the proposed R6 District a C2-2 District bounded by Farrington Street, 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Prince Street, and a line 250 feet northwesterly of 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue;

as shown on a diagram (for illustrative purposes only) dated January 25, 2010 and subject to the conditions of CEQR Declaration E-246.

#### L.U. No. 150 94<sup>TH</sup> STREET - CORONA AVENUE REZONING

#### **QUEENS CB - 4**

C 050522 ZMQ

Application submitted by 45-10 94<sup>th</sup> Street, LLC and 91<sup>st</sup> Place Realty, LLC pursuant to Sections 197-c and 201 of the New York City Charter for an amendment of the Zoning Map, Section No. 9d:

1. changing from an M1-1 District to an R7B District property bounded by the southerly boundary line of the Long Island Rail Road right-of-way (North side Division), 94<sup>th</sup> Street, Corona Avenue, a line perpendicular to the northerly street line of Corona Avenue distant 200 feet easterly (as measured along the street line)

from the point of intersection of the northerly street line of Corona Avenue and northeasterly street line of 91<sup>st</sup> Place, a line 100 feet northerly of Corona Avenue, and a line 100 feet northeasterly of 91<sup>st</sup> Place; and

2. establishing within the proposed R7B District a C2-3 District bounded by a line 100 feet northerly of Corona Avenue, 94<sup>th</sup> Street, Corona Avenue, and a line perpendicular to the northerly street line of Corona Avenue distant 200 feet easterly (as measured along the street line) from the point of intersection of the northerly street line of Corona Avenue and northeasterly street line of 91<sup>st</sup> Place;

as shown in a diagram (for illustrative purposes only) dated February 22, 2010 and subject to the conditions of CECR Declaration E-248.

#### L.U. No. 151 HIGH LINE

#### **MANHATTAN CB-4**

C 100180 PCM

Application submitted by the Department of Parks and Recreation and the Department of Citywide Administrative Services, pursuant to Section 197-c of the New York City Charter for the site selection and acquisition of the High Line rail structure and easements (Blocks 676, 679, and 702), generally bounded by West 30th Street, Tenth and Twelfth avenues, and West 34th Street, for use as public open space.

### L.U. No. 153 SPRINGS MILLS BUILDING

#### MANHATTAN CB - 5

20105584 HKM (N 100318 HKM)

Designation (List No. 428/LP-No. 2385) by the Landmarks Preservation Commission pursuant to Section 3020 of the New York City Charter regarding the landmark designation of the Springs Mills Building, located at 104 West 40<sup>th</sup> Street (aka 102-106 West 40<sup>th</sup> Street, 107-115 West 39<sup>th</sup> Street), (Block 815, Lot 21), as an historic landmark.

#### L.U. No. 135 Mamajuana

#### **MANHATTAN CB - 12**

20085322 TCM

Application pursuant to Section 20-226 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York, concerning the petition of Vida Café Inc., d/b/a Mamajuana, for a revocable consent to establish, maintain and operate an unenclosed sidewalk café located at 247 Dyckman Street.

#### L.U. No. 154 PICANTE

#### **MANHATTAN CB - 9**

20105450 TCM

Application pursuant to Section 20-226 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York, concerning the petition of Picante Inc., d/b/a Picante, for a revocable consent to establish, maintain and operate an unenclosed sidewalk café located at 3424 Broadway.

#### L.U. No. 155 Café Select

#### **MANHATTAN CB - 2**

20105580 TCM

Application pursuant to Section 20-226 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York, concerning the petition of 212 Lafayette Associates, LLC, d/b/a Café Select, for a revocable consent to establish, maintain and operate an unenclosed small sidewalk café located at 212 Lafayette Street.

#### L.U. Nos. 71-73, 75, 76, AND 106

Proposals subject to Council review and action pursuant to the Urban Development Action Area Act, Article 16 of the New York General Municipal Law, at the request of the Department of Housing Preservation and Development ("HPD"), which requests that the Council:

- 1. Find that the present status of the listed areas tends to impair or arrest the sound growth and development of the municipality and that the proposed Urban Development Action Area Project is consistent with the policy and purposes of Section 691 of the General Municipal Law;
- 2. Waive the area designation requirement of Section 693 of the General

Municipal Law pursuant to said Section;

- 3. Waive the requirements of Sections 197-c and 197-d of the New York City Charter pursuant to Section 694 of the General Municipal Law;
- 4. Approve the projects as Urban Development Action Area Projects pursuant to Section 694 of the General Municipal Law; and
- 5. Approve an exemption of the projects from real property taxes pursuant to Section 577 of the Private Housing Finance Law for L.U. Nos. 75 and 76; and pursuant to Section 696 of the General Municipal Law for L.U. No. 106.

L.U. No.	Non- ULURP No.	Address	Block/Lot	Program	СВ	Tax Exemption
71	20105417 HAX	100 West 163 <sup>rd</sup> Street 954 Anderson Avenue Bronx	2511/64 2504/59	NRP	04	
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72	20105418 HAX	783 East 168 <sup>th</sup> Street Bronx	2673/1	NRP	03	
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73	20105419 HAX	190 Brown Place Bronx	2264/1	NRP	01	
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