

CITY OF HOUSTON - CITY COUNCIL

Meeting Date: District C Item Creation Date: 7/7/2021

PLN - Special Minimum Lot Size Block Application No. 783 (500 block of Welch Street, south side, between Whitney Street and Hopkins Street)

Agenda Item#:

Background:

In accordance with Section 42-197 of the Code of Ordinances, the property owner of 503 Welch, Lot 1, Block 6, in the Weston subdivision initiated an application for the designation of a Special Minimum Lot Size Block (SMLSB). The application includes written evidence of support from the owners of 63% of the block. The Planning and Development Department mailed notifications to eight (8) property owners indicating that the SMLSB application had been submitted. The notification further stated that written protest must be filed with the Planning and Development Department within thirty days of mailing.

One protest was filed, in accordance with the code and was referred to the Houston Planning Commission for review and consideration. The Houston Planning Commission considered the application on June 24, 2021 and voted to recommend that the City Council establish the SMLSB with a modified boundary by removing the north blockface of the 500 block of Welch Street.

The Planning and Development Department recommends that City Council adopt an ordinance establishing a Special Minimum Lot Size of 5,000 square feet for the 500 block of Welch Street, south side, between Whitney Street and Hopkins Street.

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