

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

PLANNING BOARD

CITY HALL ANNEX, 344 BROADWAY, CAMBRIDGE

AGENDA

Tuesday, November 18, 2008
at 7:30 p.m.
Second Floor Meeting Room, 344 Broadway, McCusker Building
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Update by Beth Rubenstein, Assistant City Manager for Community Development.

PUBLIC HEARING

7:30 p.m. Alexandria, II Petition to amend the zoning map and ordinance to create a new PUD-3A and PUD-4C in the area of Binney, First, Bent and Sixth Streets. These changes would permit larger scale development along Binney St corridor; create an area of contiguous public open space; and allow greater heights in some areas of the revised PUDs.

GENERAL BUSINESS

9:00 p.m. PB#237, 1924 Massachusetts Avenue by Kaya-Ka Inc., 50 room hotel with a restaurant, and underground parking for 40 cars. This application requires Special Permits for development lots located in both the Business C zoning district and an abutting Residence B District (Section 20.104.3); Accessory Parking and Vehicle Access for Hotel Use (Section 20.106.1); modification of the parking space layout for a valet parking arrangement off street (Section 6.43.5); to establish a common driveway of adjacent properties through mutual easements (Section 6.43.6); and to allow a driveway within 5 feet of a side property line (Section 6.44.1.g). Deliberation and possible decision.

9:30 p.m. PB#179, North Point, Minor Amendment to reduce the multiuse pathway width from 14 feet.

Board of Zoning Appeal Cases

Other.

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