

Item # MCPB 06-07-07

## **MEMORANDUM**

DATE:

May 23, 2007

TO:

Montgomery County Planning Board

VIA:

Rose Krasnow, Chief Karasnow, Chief

Robert Kronenberg, Acting Supervisor

**Development Review Division** 

FROM:

Elza Hisel-McCoy, Senior Planner

Development Review Division

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**REVIEW TYPE:** 

**Project Plan Review** 

CASE #:

920070010

PROJECT NAME:

Studio Plaza

APPLYING FOR:

Extension of the 90-day review period for a project plan for up to one

year, June 7, 2008

**REVIEW BASIS:** 

Div. 59-D-3 of Montgomery County Zoning Ordinance

**ZONE:** 

CBD-1/CBD-2

LOCATION:

The block bound by Thayer Avenue on the North, Silver Spring Avenue

on the South, Fenton Street on the East, and Georgia Avenue on the West.

MASTER PLAN:

Silver Spring CBD Sector Plan

APPLICANT:

Michael, LLC

FILING DATE:

July 25, 2006

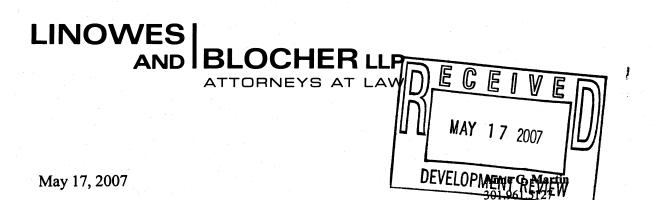
ACCEPTANCE:

March 12, 2007

**HEARING DATE:** 

June 7, 2007

Section D-2.2 of the Zoning Ordinance provides that the Planning Board shall hold a public hearing no later than 90 days after the filing of a project plan. The Planning Board, however, may extend this period. The applicant, in their letter dated May 17, 2007, requests the Board extend the review period for up to one year to June 7, 2008. The applicant requests the additional time to allow for further refinement of the Project Plan to incorporate additional properties and further address the recommendation and goals of the Silver Spring CBD Sector Plan.



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Re: Project Plan: No. 920070010 (the "Project Plan"); Studio Plaza - Request for Continuance

Mr. Hisel-McCoy:

The Project Plan is scheduled for review by the Montgomery County Planning Board at its regular meeting on June 7, 2007. As we have discussed, in order to allow for further development of the Project Plan to ideally incorporate additional properties and further address the recommendations and goals of the Silver Spring CBD Sector Plan, we will be asking the Planning Board on June 7 to defer its consideration of the Project Plan for a maximum of a year, until June 2008 (less than a year if feasible). The mailing notices and posted signs for the Project Plan would be revised and reissued well in advance of a rescheduled hearing. Please let me know if any additional actions are necessary on the part of the Applicant prior to the June 7 Planning Board meeting. Also, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions relating to this matter.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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