



CITY OF COCOA
Planning & Zoning Board /
Local Planning Agency
City Council Chambers

Cocoa City Hall
65 Stone Street
Cocoa, FL 32922

AGENDA
Regular Meeting
October 7, 2020
6:00 p.m.

I. OPENING MATTERS:

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND MINUTES:

1. AGENDA: Meeting of October 7, 2020
2. MINUTES: Meeting of September 2, 2020

III. OLD BUSINESS: None

IV. NEW BUSINESS:

A. 20-661 – Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment (Residential use in Commercial FLU)

CONSIDERATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TEXT AMENDMENT (Ordinance 17-2020)
consistent with Florida Statute Chapter 163: a City initiated request to change the Future Land Use Element related to allowable uses in the Commercial Future Land Use designation.

B. 20-669 – Zoning Text Amendment (Building Height)

CONSIDERATION OF AN ORDINANCE 16-2020 of the City Council of the City of Cocoa, Brevard County, Florida; amending Appendix A, Zoning, Article V, the definition of Building Height.

V. OTHER BUSINESS:

1. Open Discussion by Board members

VI. NEXT MEETING DATE:

Wednesday, October 14, 2020 – Special Meeting

VII. ADJOURNMENT

(Over)

Public Participation and Special COVID-19 Information:

Members of the public may view the meeting agenda, ordinances, project applications, supporting documents, and staff reports on the City's website at the following link prior to attending or commenting:

- City of Cocoa meeting calendar at <https://cocoa.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>

These documents and information pertaining to the above may also be inspected at the Community Services Department, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, or by phoning (321) 433-8535.

Members of the public have several options to participate in the public hearings.

- (1) In-person attendance. Due to the COVID-19 Emergency and the need to maintain social distancing, meetings in the City Hall Council Chambers are limited to eighteen (18) members in the audience at any one time. Members of the public may utilize the contact information provided below to contact the City Clerk and determine if restrictions on physical attendance at the City Council Chambers have been lifted prior to the date of the public hearings.
- (2) Commenting in advance of the meeting. Interested persons are encouraged to provide written comments in advance of the hearings by emailing meetings@cocoafl.org or mailing to the following address:

City of Cocoa
Attn: Dodie Selig, Planning and Zoning Manager
65 Stone Street
Cocoa, FL 32922

Mailed comments must be received prior to 4:00 p.m. on the date of the hearing to be read into the record.

- (3) Viewing and Commenting In Real Time. Interested persons are encouraged to view and listen to the hearings live by accessing the meetings at the following internet addresses:
- City of Cocoa meeting calendar at <https://cocoa.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>
- Interested persons may submit their written comments or questions during the hearings by email at: meetings@cocoafl.org. Interested persons who wish to provide public input during the meeting will also be able to do so by calling 321-433-8446 or by accessing the e-comment link for this meeting using the Legistar calendar link above. For more information about this CMT meeting or to provide information to be considered at this meeting, contact the City Clerk as provided below.

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General Notice Information:

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