
From: William Schmidt
Sent: Wednesday, December 4, 2024 4:46 PM
To: Estrada, Nancy <Nancy.Estrada@austintexas.gov>
Subject: Public Hearing, Dec 12th, Case Number C14-72-204(RCA6)

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Hi Nancy,

I am responding to a notice that was sent about Public Hearing Case Number C14-72-204(RCA6) on December 12th.

I object and my comments are that the space is not big enough for the proposed project. It would displace all of the low-income families currently living there and cause stress to the surrounding communities as well. It seems too ambitious a project for such a small space and one that is already too crowded. I hope that the city will reconsider.

Best regards,
William Schmidt

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However, in order to allow for mixed use development, the Council may add the MIXED USE (MU) COMBINING DISTRICT to certain commercial districts. The MU Combining District simply allows residential uses in addition to those uses already allowed in the seven commercial zoning districts. As a result, the MU Combining District allows the combination of office, retail, commercial, and residential uses within a single development.

For additional information on the City of Austin's land development process, visit our website: www.austintexas.gov/planning.

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Case Number: C14-72-204(RCA6)
Contact: Nancy Estrada, 512-974-7617
Public Hearing: December 12, 2024, City Council

William Schmidt
Your Name (please print)

I am in favor
 I object

Your address(es) affected by this application (optional)

W. Schmidt 12/11/24
Signature Date

Daytime Telephone (Optional): _____

Comments: I live in the area across from where the proposed changes are being made (the River Crossing Apartments). This area is not big enough for the proposed changes. It is crowded enough as is, and is not well suited for tall buildings. Many low income families live there now, and they would be displaced by these changes. I know there is money to be made, but this is not a good area for the proposed changes. Thank you.

If you use this form to comment, it may be returned to:
City of Austin, Planning Department
Nancy Estrada
P. O. Box 1088, Austin, TX 78767
Or email to:
nancy.estrada@austintexas.gov

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Contact: Nancy Estrada, 512-974-7617
Public Hearing: November 12, 2024, Planning Commission

Fabian Aguirre
Your Name (please print)

I am in favor
 I object

Your address(es) affected by this application (optional)
[Signature] 11/11/24
Signature Date

Daytime Telephone (Optional): _____

Comments: _____

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