GREENBELT COMMISSION MINUTES OF December 15, 2014

The Greenbelt Commission of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, met for the Regulation Meeting on December 15, 2014, at 6:00 p.m. Notice and Agenda of the meeting were posted at 201 W Gray Building A, the Norman Municipal Building and at www.normanok.gov twenty-four hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

ITEM NO. 1 BEING: CALL TO ORDER.

Chair Mark Nanny called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

ITEM NO. 2 BEING: ROLL CALL.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Donna Brown

Bob Bruce George Dotson Richard McKown Jim McCampbell

Mark Nanny Karl Rambo Lindsay Vidrine Colin Zink

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Susan Connors, Director of Planning &

Community Development

Wayne Stenis, Planner II

Jolana McCart, Admin Tech IV Drew Norlin, Subdivision Coordinator

GUESTS: Tom McCaleb

Joey Wishnuck

ITEM NO. 3 BEING: Approval of the Minutes from the November 17, 2014 Regular Meeting.

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Motion by D Brown for approval; **Second** by G Dotson. All approve.

ITEM NO. 4 BEING: Review of Greenbelt Enhancement Statement Applications.

a. CONSENT DOCKET

There were no Consent items.

b. NON-CONSENT DOCKET

i. GBC 14-29

Applicant: Aria Development, LLC Project: Vintage Creek Addition

Location: On the north side of Tecumseh Road and

approximately ½ mile west of Porter Avenue

Request: La

Land Use Amendment and Preliminary Plat

Land Use: Low Density Residential

The applicant is requesting to use the presented 83 acres for a single family residential development. The proposal preserves the existing flood plain and WQPI on the property. The Greenways Master Plan does show trails within the project area.

Wayne Stenis gave the staff report. Tom McCaleb, project engineer, and Joey Wishnuck, owner, were present to answer questions. Richard McKown had also worked on the project and recused himself from this item, but did serve as a presenter.

A more detailed drawing was submitted that shows a trail through the development in compliance with the Greenbelt Master Plan recommendations. An exception provides for a drainage way trail and path around the detention pond on the north side and connecting at approximately the same location as shown on the Plan.

Motion by K Rambo to send Consent Docket Item 14-29 forward with the following comments:

The Commission would like to acknowledge the following positive items:

- The streets are designed to connect with the East and West developments;
- The hydrology plan to restore the stream is very positive and progressive;
- The inclusion of a trail system which will connect to the Little River and the Green Leaf development and
- The street design allows for pleasant living spaces and vistas.
- The Commission would also like to applaud the developers and City staff for working together to find creative solutions and for Public Works staff being willing to go along with the plan.

Second by D Brown. All approve with Richard McKown recusing himself.

ITEM NO. 5: Miscellaneous Comments.

S Connors stated that the election of officers will be held at the next meeting. Chair Nanny reminded the Commission that the next meeting will be held on January 26th due to the 19th being a City holiday.

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ITEM NO. 6: Adjournment.

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The meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Passed and approved this <u>2loth</u> day of <u>Amuary</u>, 2014.

Mark Nanny, Chair