

Ordinance Fact Sheet

TO: CITY COUNCIL

DATE: JANUARY 13, 2014

FROM: CITY ATTORNEY

SUBJECT: AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE WOTKYNS-RICHLAND LANDMARK OVERLAY DISTRICT

TITLE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 17.20.020 OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE (WOTKYNS-RICHLAND LANDMARK OVERLAY DISTRICT)

PURPOSE OF ORDINANCE

This ordinance implements and codifies modifications to the boundaries of certain zoning districts approved by the City Council on December 9, 2013 to establish the Wotkyns-Richland Landmark Overlay District.

REASON WHY LEGISLATION IS NEEDED

This legislation is needed to amend the Zoning Map to allow for overlay zoning of certain properties for inclusion in the Wotkyns-Richland Landmark Overlay District, based on historical characteristics of the structures within the District.

PROGRAMS, DEPARTMENTS OR GROUPS AFFECTED

The Planning Department will implement the proposed ordinance through modifications to the Zoning Map and processing of subsequent building requests on the affected properties.

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FISCAL IMPACT

There will not be an immediate fiscal impact as a result of this amendment to the Zoning Code. Permitting fees will be collected from any future development proposed on the properties impacted.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

On December 9, 2013, the City Council found that the designation of the landmark district is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Class 8, Regulatory Actions to Protect the Environment.

Respectfully submitted,

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Concurred by:

Michael J. Beck City Manager

Introduced by: _____

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The People of the City of Pasadena ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. This ordinance, due to its length and corresponding cost of publication will be published by title and summary as permitted by Section 508 of the City Charter. The approved summary of this ordinance is as follows:

"SUMMARY

"Ordinance No. ______ will amend the official zoning map of the City of Pasadena, and modify the boundaries of certain zoning districts to establish the Wotkyns-Richland Landmark Overlay District. Maps showing these modifications are attached to the full text of the ordinance and are on file in the City Clerk's Office.

Ordinance No. ______ shall take effect 30 days from its publication."

SECTION 2. The official zoning map of the City of Pasadena as established by Section 17.20.020 is amended by modifying the boundaries of certain zoning districts established therein as follows:

By reclassifying from the RS-4 (Single-family Residential) to RS-4 LD-20 (Single-family Residential, Wotkyns-Richland Landmark District) as shown on the map entitled "Wotkyns-Richland Landmark District" attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference as if fully set forth herein, and on file in the City Clerk's Office of the City of Pasadena.

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding any provision of Title 17 to the contrary, all future construction, exterior alterations, relocations or demolitions initiated by application for a building permit, land-use entitlement or building plan check on or after the effective date of this ordinance will require a Certificate of Appropriateness prior to the issuance of any building permits according to the guidelines set forth in the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and the Illustrated Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings and the "Design Guidelines for Historic Districts" on file in the City Clerk's Office of the City of Pasadena. Views from the Arroyo Seco of the rear of the buildings within the landmark district boundaries shall be exempt from this review.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause this ordinance to be published by title and summary.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect 30 days from its publication.

Signed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2014.

Bill Bogaard Mayor of the City of Pasadena I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was adopted by the City Council of the City of Pasadena at its meeting held _____ day of _____, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Date Published:

MARK JOMSKY CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Theresa E. Fuentes Assistant City Attorney

EXHIBIT A

