Calgary Planning Commission Member Comments



For CPC2023-0677 / LOC2023-0065 heard at Calgary Planning Commission Meeting 2023 August 03



Member	Reasons for Decision or Comments
Commissioner Tiedemann	Reasons for Approval This application seeks to redesignate from R-C2 to R-CG, on a corner lot in close proximity to 5 parks, and 2 schools. The site is also within walking distance to Ogden Road SE. This is logical location to allow R-CG.
Commissioner Hawryluk	Peasons for Approval The R-CG Land Use District is a low-density residential district with specific rules for height and setbacks along property lines that are shared with other low-density residential districts (LUB, Section 541). Council has approved these rules to make the R-CG Land Use District appropriate in low-density settings and respect adjacent residents. Consequently, for years the Calgary Planning Commission has consistently recommended R-CG Land Use Amendments for approval. Due to lower construction costs and more flexible forms, rowhouses and other missing middle housing forms are more effective at producing larger three- and four-bedroom homes than taller buildings. Allowing smaller units, like secondary suites, allows smaller households to live in established areas too.