

ORDINANCE NO. 28841

AN ORDINANCE relating to zoning; changing the zoning classification of an approximately seven-acre parcel, located at 4901 South 25th Street, from an R2-STGPD, to a C2-STGPD, to allow for the development of 133 senior affordable housing units.

WHEREAS Applicant DPS, LLC ("Applicant") requested the rezone of an approximately seven-acre parcel of real property located at 4901 South 25th Street in Tacoma, from an R2-STGPD Single-Family South Tacoma Groundwater Protection District, to a C2-STGPD General Community Commercial South Tacoma Groundwater Protection District, to allow for the development of 133 senior affordable housing units, and

WHEREAS a public hearing was held on September 29, 2022, which allowed members of the community to voice concerns and/or express support for the proposed rezone, no members of the public elected to be at the hearing; one member of the public submitted written comments prior to the



hearing voicing concern with the rezone's impact to vegetation and wildlife, and

WHEREAS the Hearing Examiner determined that the rezone appears to meet applicable criteria and standards for rezones in the Tacoma Municipal Code, promotes multiple Comprehensive Plan goals and policies, as set forth in the Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendations, and

WHEREAS the addition of 133 units of affordable senior housing in Tacoma is potentially hugely impactful for the housing market and particularly the senior community, as set forth in the Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendation, and in the hearing record; Now, Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the City Council hereby adopts the Hearing Examiner's Findings, Conclusions, and Recommendations contained in the Hearing Examiner's Report dated October 24, 2022, bearing File No. HEX2022-012 (LU22-0155), which Report is substantially on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 2. That the approximately seven-acre parcel of real property, located at 4901 South 25th Street, shall be hereafter included in the

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housing units.

PARCEL NO. 0220126002

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C2-STGPD General Community Commercial South Tacoma Groundwater

Section 12 Township 20 Range 02 Quarter 23 L 2 OF S P 2022-06-16-5004 EASE OF RECORD OUT OF 02-20-12-2-017 & 2-018 SEG

Protection District, to allow for the development of 133 senior affordable

2023-0026 6/27/2022 BB, records of Pierce County Auditor

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Section 3. That the above-described property shall hereafter no longer be governed by Tacoma Municipal Code 13.06.020.C.3, R2-STGPD,

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9		Mayor
10	Attest:	Mayor
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13	City Clerk	
14	Approved as to form:	Property description approved:
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17	Deputy City Attorney	Chief Surveyor
18		Public Works Department

Location: 4901 South 25th Street Tacoma, Washington.

Petitioner: DPS LLC Request No.: LU22-0155