NOTICE OF PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

The Royal Oak Planning Commission will hold a regular meeting on **Tuesday, June 9, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.**

On March 10, 2020, Governor Whitmer issued Executive Order 2020-04, which declared a state-wide state of emergency due to the spread of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). COVID-19 is a new strain of coronavirus that had not been previously identified in humans, can spread easily from person to person, and can result in serious illness or death. To mitigate the spread of COVID-19, to protect the public health, and provide essential protections to vulnerable Michiganders, it is crucial that all Michiganders take steps to limit in-person contact. The critical mitigation measures include social distancing and limiting the number of people interacting at public gatherings. Therefore, the June 9, 2020 Royal Oak Planning Commission meeting will be held electronically, in compliance with the Michigan Open Meetings Act and Executive Order 2020-75, as issued by Governor Whitmer on May 6, 2020.

Members of the public may watch the meeting in either of the following ways: on WROK, the city’s municipal access cable channel (Wide Open West channel 10 or Comcast / Xfinity channel 17); or at WROK’s live web stream [https://www.romi.gov/523/Live-Stream-and-Video-on-Demand](https://www.romi.gov/523/Live-Stream-and-Video-on-Demand).

Members of the public may participate in the meeting electronically by providing public comment on any planning-related matter, whether on the agenda or not. To participate in public comment please call **(248) 246-3411** between the hours of **12:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.** on **Monday, June 8, 2020**, and leave a recorded comment. Please give your name along with the case number and street address of the agenda item on which you are commenting, or the non-agenda subject on which you are commenting. The chairperson will open the public comment portion of the meeting on non-agenda items, or the public hearing for individual agenda items, and your recorded message will be played as part of the meeting broadcast. Public comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person. If you exceed the three-minute limit only the first three minutes will be played for meeting broadcast. If you call multiple times only your first comment will be played.

Members of the public may also contact staff to provide input or ask questions on any business that will come before the Planning Commission at the meeting via e-mail at [https://www.romi.gov/formcenter/Planning-20/Contact-Us-Planning-118](https://www.romi.gov/formcenter/Planning-20/Contact-Us-Planning-118) no later than **Monday, June 8, 2020, at 12:00 p.m.**. When sending an e-mail message, please list within the subject line of the message the case number and street address of the agenda item on which you are commenting, or the non-agenda subject on which you are commenting.

Anyone wishing to participate in the meeting who needs special assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is asked to contact Carol Schwanger, City Manager’s Executive Assistant, at **(248) 246-3203** by **Friday, June 5, 4:30 p.m.** so that appropriate arrangements can be made.
AGENDA

PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF ROYAL OAK

Tuesday, June 9, 2020
7:00 p.m.

Royal Oak City Hall
211 S. Williams St.
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Broadcasting from City Commission Room 315
https://www.romi.gov/523/Live-Stream-and-Video-on-Demand
WROK Comcast/Xfinity Channel 17 and WOW Channel 10

[Click on the links highlighted in blue for staff reports, plans, and other documents.]

A. Call to Order

B. Roll Call

C. Approval of Agenda

D. Approval of Minutes for February 11, 2020

E. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items

F. New Business

1. SP 20-03-05 – Site Plan to convert veterinary hospital into physical therapy office (Team Rehabilitation) at 32934 Woodward Ave. (parcel nos. 25-22-154-001 & 25-22-155-004)
   RO Investments, LLC, Petitioner & Owner
   Stonefield Engineering & Design, LLC, Engineer

2. SP 20-06-09 – Site Plan to reconstruct off-street parking lots for senior housing residences (Royal Oak Manor) at 606 S. Williams St. (parcel no. 25-15-357-032)
   CSI Support & Development Services, Petitioner & Owner

3. Public Hearing – Conditional Rezoning from Neighborhood Business to Mixed Use 2 & Site Plan (SP 20-03-03) to construct eight multiple-family dwelling units in three four-story buildings (Pella-Dar Townhomes) at 1006 E. 11 Mile Rd. (parcel no. 25-22-201-011)
   Nowak & Fruas Engineers, PLLC, Engineer
   VIX Management Flats, LLC, Owner

4. Public Hearing – Special Land Use & Site Plan (SP 20-03-04) to construct 2,808-sq. ft. regulation building and other equipment for natural gas utility (Consumers Energy) at 4600 Coolidge Hwy. (parcel no. 25-05-103-001)
   ROWE Professional Services Co., Petitioner & Engineer
   Consumers Energy, Owner

5. Public Hearing – Special Land Use & Site Plan (SP 20-04-06) to construct residential accessory off-street parking lot at 217 Knowles St. (parcel no. 25-22-126-027)
   Dr. James Keillor, Petitioner & Owner
6. **Public Hearing – Special Land Use & Site Plan (SP 20-06-08)** to establish retail jewelry store and pawnbroker and/or pawnshop (Zeidman's Jewelry & Loan) at **32302 Woodward Ave.** (parcel no. 25-06-180-011)  
Zeidman’s Jewelry & Loan, Petitioner  
Schafer Development, LLC, Owner

7. **Public Hearing – RZ 20-03-01 – Rezoning** from **General Industrial** to **Mixed Use 1 Overlay District** of 322 to 332 E. Lincoln Ave. (parcel no. 25-22-302-032), 309 E. Hudson Ave. (parcel no. 25-22-302-007), **414 E. Hudson Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-304-014), **424 E. Hudson Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-304-004), **404 E. Harrison Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-377-025), **408 E. Harrison Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-377-032), **416 E. Harrison Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-377-004), **420 E. Harrison Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-377-005), and **424 E. Harrison Ave.** (parcel no. 25-22-377-006), and from **General Industrial and One-Family Residential** to **Mixed Use 1 Overlay District** of 313 to 409 E. Hudson Ave. (parcel no. 25-22-302-035)  
City of Royal Oak, Petitioner


9. **Public Hearing – Capital Improvements Program for 2020-21 Fiscal Year**

G. **Other Business**

1. **SV 20-06-03 – Sign Variance** request to install wall signs and freestanding signs with electronic message centers for medical offices and outpatient medical clinics (Henry Ford Health System / Henry Ford Medical Center) at **110 E. 2nd St.** (parcel no. 25-22-103-006) with following variances:  
   a. Waive 194 sq. ft. from maximum permitted wall sign area of 100 sq. ft. for one wall sign on north side façade;  
   b. Allow two (2) wall signs on south side façade;  
   c. Waive 291.92 sq. ft. from maximum permitted wall sign area of 100 sq. ft. for two (2) wall signs on south side façade;  
   d. Allow three (3) wall signs on east front façade;  
   e. Waive 393.92 sq. ft. from maximum permitted wall sign area of 100 sq. ft. for three (3) wall signs on east front façade;  
   f. Allow three (3) wall signs on west rear façade;  
   g. Waive 1,482.92 sq. ft. from maximum permitted wall sign area of 100 sq. ft. for three (3) wall signs on west rear façade;  
   h. Allow two (2) prohibited sign types (freestanding signs with electronic message centers in Sign Area 3).  
Allied Signs, Inc., Petitioner & Contractor  
Central Park Development Group, LLC, Owner

H. **Adjournment**