## City of Jacksonville, Florida

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October 3, 2019

The Honorable Scott Wilson, President The Honorable Danny Becton, LUZ Chair And Members of the City Council City Hall 117 West Duval Street Jacksonville, Florida 32202

RE: Planning Commission Advisory Report

**Ordinance No.: 2019-276** 

Dear Honorable Council President Wilson, Honorable Council Member and LUZ Chairperson Becton and Honorable Members of the City Council:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 30.204 and Section 656.129, *Ordinance Code*, the Planning Commission respectfully offers this report for consideration by the Land Use and Zoning Committee.

Planning and Development Department Recommendation: Approve

Planning Commission Recommendation: Approve

Planning Commission Commentary: There were several speakers in opposition. Their concerns were with existing and potential flooding and drainage. They want a PUD to guarantee the proposed site plan. The Commissioners were divided. Some felt the issue before them was only is the zoning and density appropriate for the area. Drainage will be reviewed by Development Services. Others felt that drainage and flooding has been an ongoing issue and needs to resolved before approving the Ordinance.

Planning Commission Vote: 5-1

Nicole Padgett, Chair Absent Joshua Garrison, Vice Chair Aye Dawn Motes, Secretary Aye Marshall Adkison Nay **Daniel Blanchard** Aye David Hacker Aye Alex Moldovan Aye David Ward Absent Planning Commission Report 3 October 2019 Page 2

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

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