Attachment A

Legal Description for ZTA 201800005- Fees

ZTA 201800005 - Fees The Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on September 25, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the County Office Building, 401 McIntire Road, Charlottesville, Virginia 22902, to receive comments on its intent to recommend adoption of the following ordinance to amend Chapter 18, Zoning, of the Albemarle County Code: (1) Amend Section 18-35.1 (Fees) in order: (i) to delete the fee for a citizen-initiated zoning text amendment; (ii) to delete the fee to defer scheduled public hearings at the applicant's request, but to extend existing notice fees to the re-advertisement and notification of a public hearing after advertisement of a public hearing and a deferral is made at the applicant's request; (iii) to require applicants to pay calculated notification and legal advertisement costs for citizen-initiated zoning map amendments solely pertaining to proffers that do not affect use or density, when the board of supervisors authorizes alternative application and procedural requirements under Section 18-33; (iv) to add a fee of \$1,770 to reapply for a zoning map amendment or a special use permit that is substantially the same as a withdrawn application, when authorized by the Board of Supervisors; (v) to add an Initial notice fee of \$435, to be provided in conjunction with application, for preparing and mailing notices and published notice, except for uses under Sections 18-5.1.47 and 18-5.2A, or applications submitted under Section 18-30.7.6, for which there would be no fee; and (vi) to add a notice fee of \$220 for farmers' markets for published notice under Section 35.1(c)(7); (2) Amend Section 18-35.2 (Calculation of Fees in Special Circumstances) to limit the availability of the reduced fee when there is a simultaneous review of an application for a zoning map amendment or a special use permit and a site plan or subdivision plat to only when an application for a special use permit for outdoor display and sales is reviewed simultaneously with a site plan; (3) Amend Section 18-35.3 (Mode and Timing for Paying Fees) to allow zoning application fees to be paid by credit or debit card; (4) Amend Section 18-35.4 (Fee Refunds) to allow initial notice fees to be refunded if a zoning application is withdrawn within 70 days after the date the application is officially submitted; and (5) Amend Section 18-35.5 (Pre-Existing Use Fee Waiver) to eliminate pre-existing use fee waivers for zoning text amendments. The proposed fees and fee increases are authorized by Virginia Code §§ 15.2-2241(9) and 15.2-2286(A)(6). A copy of the full text of the proposed ordinance amendments is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Department of Community Development, County Office Building, 401 McIntire Road, Charlottesville, Virginia.