



## Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Community Planning & Economic Development – Planning Division

**Date:** June 23, 2011

**To:** Council Member Gary Schiff, Chair of Zoning and Planning Committee  
**Referral to:** Zoning and Planning Committee

**Subject:** Referral from the May 23, 2011 City Planning Commission Meeting

**Recommendation:** The City Planning Commission recommended that the City Council **approve** the Central Corridor Transit Station Area Comprehensive Plan Amendment and **amend** the City's comprehensive plan.

This approval and amendment are **subject to final review and approval by the Metropolitan Council.**

**Previous Directives:** None

### Department Information

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### Community Impact

- Other: See staff report from the City Planning Commission

### Background/Supporting Information Attached

The attached report summarizes the actions taken at the City Planning Commission meeting held on May 12, 2011. The findings and recommendations are respectfully submitted for the consideration of your Committee. Staff further requests that adoption and approval of this comprehensive plan amendment be made **subject to final review and approval by the Metropolitan Council.**

**REPORT  
of the  
CITY PLANNING COMMISSION  
of the City of Minneapolis**

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The Minneapolis City Planning Commission, at its meeting on May 12, 2011 took action to **submit the attached comment** on the following items:

**10. Plan Amendment (Ward: 2), ([Haila Maze](#)).**

**A. Plan Amendment:** Considering City Council amendment of *The Minneapolis Plan for Sustainable Growth*.

The purpose of this amendment is to modify the plan to include the names and mapped locations of Transit Station Areas along the Central Corridor Light Rail Transit (LRT) line, including: Prospect Park/29<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Stadium Village, East Bank, West Bank, and Target Field. The Prospect Park/29<sup>th</sup> Avenue location is already mapped in the adopted plan – but the name is being changed from its previous designation of just 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

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