

## Historic District Revisions Committee - Committee Comments

Jerry Lominack, October 13, 2008

Why were we - the Committee - not told ahead of time that we could only address the height and mass. We spent a great deal of time on the entire ordinance.

Why can't the Committee present the draft on which it worked so hard and for so many hours to City Council? They might actually think its better than the cobbled together version now before us.

The "development community" was represented on the Committee. The meetings were open to the public. Why should the development community receive any special treatment? Or, is each stake holder group - residents, business owners, institutions, et al - going to get special treatment, too? I think consensus was reached. Consensus does not mean 100% agreement with 100% of content. I think most, if not all, of the committee members felt the ordinance as drafted by the Committee was a big improvement over the existing one.

If the ordinance as proposed by the Committee is adopted by Council, tiering should not be necessary.

The dictionary clearly defines compatible/compatibility. I'm not sure why this is a problem.

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