

# SITE PLAN REVIEW AND APPEARANCE BOARD STAFF REPORT

#### **DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

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Meeting: November 13, 2019 File No.: (2020-020) Application Type: Amendment to Master Sign Program

**General Data:** 

Agent: Fourth and Fifth Delray Avenue LLC

**Applicant**: Fourth and Fifth

Owner: Delray Beach 4th & 5th Avenue, LLC

Location: 53 SE 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue PCN: 12-43-46-16-N9-001-0000 Property Size: 1.59 Acres FLUM: CC (Central Core)

Zoning: CBD (Central Business District)

Adjacent Zoning:

o CBD (North)

o CBD (West)
o CBD (South)

o CBD (East)

Existing Land Use: Movie theater and Retail



## Item before the Board:

The action before the Board is for the approval of an amendment to the Master Sign Program for the IPIC and Fourth and Fifth building.

### **Optional Board Motions for Action Items:**

- Move to continue with direction.
- B. Move approval of the Amendment to the Master Sign Program (2020-020) for IPC/4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> located at 53 SE 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue based upon positive findings to LDR Section 4.6.7(F)(2)(b).
- C. Move denial of the Amendment to the Master Sign Program (2020-020) for IPIC/4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> located at 53 SE 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue based upon failure positive findings to LDR Section 4.6.7(F)(2)(b).

### Assessment and Summary:

The property measures 1.6 acres and is zoned (CBD) Central Business District and is located on the west side of SE 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue in between Atlantic Avenue and SE 1<sup>st</sup> Street.

When a Master Sign Program exist, any new signage introduced to the site requires an amendment to the sign program.

The applicant is requesting a change to their retail signs and the addition of a valet and parking sign.

## Background:

The project area consists of portions of Lots 7 and 10, and all of Lots 8 & 9, and 14 through 18, Block 101 Town of Linton, together with a portion of the north/south alley (subsequently abandoned) that has been approved and is subject to conditions. The

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properties contain the IPIC Movie Theatre and retail space.

In 2015, a Class V Site Plan, Landscape Plan and Architectural elevations were approved to demolish all existing buildings on site and construct a commercial development that includes a movie theater, retail, and office space, located between SE 5th Avenue and SE 4th Avenue

At its meeting of September 26, 2018, the Site Plan Review and Appearance Board approved a Master Sign Program as presented.

At its meeting of January 9, 2018, the Site Plan Review and Appearance Board approved an amendment to the Master Sign Program which consisted of the removal of the blade signs and the addition of a new blade sign on the north elevation that is illuminated; 32 SF aluminum cube with routed push thru IPIC logo letters, a new 33 SF parking sign and a 25 SF IPIC logo wall sign located internal to the site in the valet area..

Now before the board is a change in the retail signs and the addition of Valet and Parking signs.

Master Sign Analysis LDR SECTION 4.6.7(F)((2)(b) Master Sign Program

A Master Sign Program is to be used when the development of a project is of such a scale or character that the normal application of the design and/or aesthetic standards of Subsections (D) and (E), respectfully, will not result in an effective sign program and signing more permissive than said standards is necessary. Approval of a Master Sign Program may include the automatic granting of waivers and or adjustments to the provisions of Subsections (D) and (E) provided the intent of the sign code is maintained and the character of the community and neighborhood is not diminished.

The proposed signage is for the retail bays along SE 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue which are under canopy signs that measure 36" x 48" with a black background and white push through copy. The applicant is also proposing one valet sign from the parking garage entry (north elevation) 48" x 70" projecting sign. The sign is double sided for a total of 46.6 SF. There are four color options the applicant Is proposing. (see attached) The Parking sign is also a projecting sign (east elevation) proposed at 48" x 78"; double sided for a total of 46.6 SF. The sign is Tangerine with white copy and a dark brown bracket. The parking signs are necessary to help navigate the public to the correct areas of the parking garage.