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### **PRESS RELEASE**

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## **TOWN HALL MEETING ON KENNER'S NEW ZONING CODE TO BE HELD TUESDAY**

**Kenner, LA.** – A fifth town hall meeting to get input for Kenner's new zoning code will be held at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in the City Council Chambers, 1801 Williams Blvd.

Tuesday's meeting is informal and allows residents and business owners to share their opinions and concerns with elected officials and the Kenner administration on zoning matters. Also present will be a representative from the University of New Orleans Planning Division, which has worked with the city's Planning Department on a new Unified Development Code.

Kenner has a comprehensive zoning ordinance, but it was adopted in 1978 and has been revised more than 130 times over the years, according to Kenner Planning Director Jay Hebert.

The goal of a new zoning code is to reduce unnecessary zoning procedures and address land uses that may not have existed in the 1970s.

Hebert said his department, in conjunction with UNO, will write the new document and then two additional town hall meetings will be scheduled, perhaps in the fall, for the public to give input on the proposed changes.

"The more input we get from the public the better," Hebert said. "That way, we can address any important zoning issues that may now be creating issues for homeowners or business owners."

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