

# **Staff Report**

Design Review Board

File Number: 10-A-24-DT

Meeting: 10/16/2024

**Project:** 111 E. Jackson Ave sign **Applicant:** Baker Jones Signco Inc.

# **Property Information**

Location: 111 E. Jackson Ave. Parcel ID 95 H A 026

**Zoning:** DK-W (Downtown Knoxville)

**Description:** Brick masonry commercial building with a three-bay storefront.

## **Description of Work**

Level I Sign

New illuminated sign. Rectangular sign measures 4' wide by 2'-2" tall (8.67 sq. ft.), featuring a black aluminum sign cabinet with white letters. Internal illumination is limited to white letters. Sign is centered over central bay and will project out from center signboard area; the bottom of the sign will be 14' above the sidewalk level.

### **Applicable Design Guidelines**

**Downtown Design Guidelines** 

- C. Historic Resources
- 7. Recommended Signs
- 7a. Locate signs above storefront windows, below second-story signs on the sign board, or on the storefront windows themselves (30% is maximum coverage), or off the front of the building as a projecting sign (maximum size: 9 square feet).
- 7b. Create signs that are proportional to the building where they are located.
- 7c. Do not light signs internally.

#### **Comments**

111 E. Jackson Avenue is within the Southern Terminal and Warehouse Historic District, so the Historic Resources section of the design guidelines applies. The proposed projecting sign meets the design guidelines as it measures below 9 square feet. While internally illuminated signs are discouraged within the guidelines, internal illumination has been approved when it is limited to push through letters and logos instead of the entire sign background. The sign will project out from the signboard area, at a height slightly above the other two projecting signs on the building; however, the center bay of the building is open with a metal gate, so the sign could not be located at the same height of the others.

#### Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of Certificate 10-A-24-DT as submitted.



#### DOWNTOWN DESIGN REVIEW BOARD

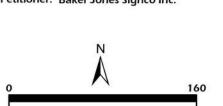
# APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS



111 E. Jackson Ave.

Level 1: Sign

Original Print Date: 10/2/2024 Revised: Knoxville/Knox County Planning · Downtown Design Review Board



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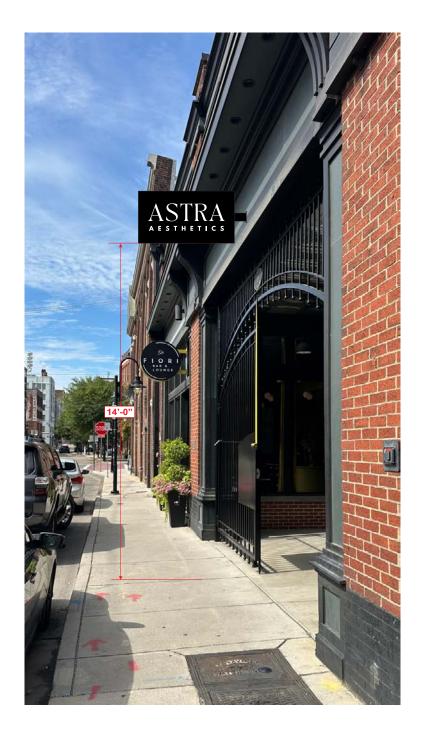


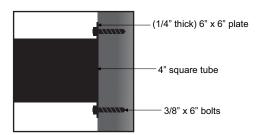
# DESIGN REVIEW REQUEST

DOWNTOWN DESIGN (DK) HISTORIC ZONING (H) INFILL HOUSING (IH) Baker Jones Applicant 9/16/24 Date Filed Meeting Date (if applicable) File Number(s) CORRESPONDENCE All correspondence related to this application should be directed to the approved contact listed below. ☐ Owner ☐ Contractor ☐ Engineer ☐ Architect/Landscape Architect Baker Jones Signco Inc. Name Company 37921 Knoxville TN 3101 NW Park Dr. Address City State Zip info@signco-inc.com (865)947-2086 Phone Email **CURRENT PROPERTY INFO** LYKE HOLDINGS GP 1620 ROBERT C JACKSON DR Owner Phone Owner Name (if different from applicant) Owner Address 111 E. Jackson Ave. 095HA026 Property Address Parcel ID Patrick Sullivan DK-W Neighborhood Zoning **AUTHORIZATION** Please Print Date Baker Jones 9/16/24

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Date





- aluminum sign cabinet with routed faces- backed with white plastic- internally illuminated with LEDs

