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Plaza Saltillo survives near derailment

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The Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority's Plaza Saltillo development survived a harrowing journey at City Council on Thursday night, but just barely.

Council eventually voted early Friday morning to approve the zoning request sought by the developer, Endeavor Real Estate Group, after a protracted discussion that featured two impassioned and opposing monologues from Council members Ora Houston and Pio Renteria and Renteria's threat to scuttle the entire deal.

Previously, Council had supported the project moving forward, but only if Endeavor reduced from 125 feet to 70 feet the height of a proposed office building on the western edge of the 11-acre tract.

