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CITY OF LOS ANGELES
South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission Minutes
Tuesday, May 16, 2017
Constituent Service Center
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The meeting was called to order at 4:40 p.m. with Commissioners Bates, Anderson, Orozco, and Stern present. President Willis Arrived at 5:25 pm. .

Also present were, Conni Pallini-Tipton, Senior City Planner, representing the Director of Planning, Ernesto Velasquez representing the Office of the City Attorney and Renee Glasco, Commission Executive Assistant.

# ITEM NO. 1

#### **DEPARTMENTAL REPORT**

Senior City Planner, Conni Pallini-Tipton, announced that an informational presentation would be given to the Commission regarding the updates to the South Los Angeles and Southeast Los Angeles Community Plans at the next South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission meeting.

#### ITEM NO. 2

## **COMMISSION BUSINESS**

- A. Advance Calendar Commissioner Antoinette Anderson stated she will not be available on June 8, 2017.
- B. Commission Requests
  There were no requests made by the South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission.

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#### ITEM NO. 3

## **NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

There were no presentations given by any Neighborhood Council representative on any item listed on the May 16, 2017 agenda.

ITEM NO. 4

DIR-2016-1374-CCMP-1A

CEQA: ENV-2016-1375-CE Plan Site: South Los Angeles

**PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED** 

PROJECT SITE: 2051 South La Salle Avenue

# IN ATTENDANCE:

Blair Smith, City Planner Associate representing the Department, Vivian Moreno, and Elizabeth Fuller, Appellant; Sean Nguyen, Applicant's Representative, Seth Phillips, Applicant

#### **MOTION:**

Commissioner Willis put forth the actions below in conjunction with the approval of the following project with a modification to one of the conditions of approval:

The construction of three, (3) three-story duplex residential buildings with attached four-car garages on a vacant lot within the Harvard Heights HPOZ.

- Determine that the project is Categorically Exempt pursuant to Section 15300, Class 32 of the State CEQA Guidelines. A Categorical Exemption, ENV-2016-1375-CE, was filed pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and Section 15300.2 of the California Public Resources Code;
- 2. **Deny** the Appeal and **Sustain** the Planning Director's approving a Certificate of Compatibility for the construction of three new three-story duplex residential buildings with attached four-car garages on a vacant lot in the Harvard Heights Historic Preservation Overlay Zone (HPOZ); and
- 3. Adopt the attached modified conditions. and
- 4. **Adopt** the attached findings.

Commission Orozco seconded the motion and the vote proceeded as follows:

#### **Commission Vote:**

Moved: Willis Seconded: Orozco

Ayes: Anderson, Bates, Stern

Vote: 5 - 0

**MOTION PASSED** 

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# **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

There were no members of the public who requested to address the Commission at the meeting.

There being no further business to come before the South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission, the meeting adjourned 6:05 p.m.

Gail Willis, Commission President

South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission

Renee Glasco, Commission Executive Assistant I South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission

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