SOUTH VALLEY AREA PLANNING COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 2018, AFTER 4:30 P.M. MARVIN BRAUDE SAN FERNANDO VALLEY CONSTITUENT SERVICE CENTER 6262 VAN NUYS BOULEVARD, FIRST FLOOR VAN NUYS, CA 91401

Lydia Drew Mather, President Mark Dierking, Vice President Rebecca Beatty, Commissioner Raymond J. Bishop, Commissioner Anna Menedjian, Commissioner Vincent P. Bertoni, AICP, Director Kevin J. Keller, Executive Officer Lisa M. Webber, AICP, Deputy Director

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POLICY FOR DESIGNATED PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS

Pursuant to the Commission's general operating procedures, the Commission at times must necessarily limit the speaking times of those presenting testimony on either side of an issue that is <u>designated</u> as a public hearing item. In all instances, however, equal time is allowed for presentation of pros and cons of matters to be acted upon. All requests to address the Commission on public hearing items must be submitted <u>prior</u> to the Commission's consideration on the item. **EVERY PERSON WISHING TO ADDRESS THE COMMISSION MUST COMPLETE A SPEAKER'S REQUEST FORM AT THE MEETING AND SUBMIT IT TO THE COMMISSION EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT.**

Written submissions are governed by Rule 4.3 of the South Valley Area Planning Commission Rules and Operating Procedures. All submissions within 48 hours of the meeting, including the day of meeting are limited to two (2) pages plus accompanying photographs, and must include the case number and agenda item number on the first page. 12 hard copies must be submitted to the Commission Executive Assistant the day of the meeting. Electronic submissions will not be accepted within this time period.

Submissions that do not comply with these rules will be stamped "File Copy. Non-complying Submission." Non-complying submissions will be placed into the official case file, but they will not be delivered to or considered by the Commission, and will not be included in the official administrative record for the item at issue.

The Commission may RECONSIDER and alter its action taken on items listed herein at any time during this meeting or during the next regular meeting, in accordance with the Commission Policies and Procedures and provided that the Commission retains jurisdiction over the case. In the case of a Commission meeting cancellation, all items shall be continued to the next regular meeting date or beyond, as long as the continuance is within the legal time limits of the case or cases.

Sign language, interpreters, assistive listening devices, or other auxiliary aids and/or other services may be provided upon request. To ensure availability of services, please make your request no later than **seven (7)** days prior to the meeting by calling the Commission Executive Assistant at (213) 978-1134.

If you challenge these agenda items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing agenized here, or in written correspondence on these matters delivered to this agency at or prior to the public hearing. If you seek judicial review of any decision of the City pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.5, the petition for writ of mandate pursuant to that section must be filed no later than the 90th day following the date on which the City's decision became final pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6. There may be other time limits which also affect your ability to seek judicial review.

AGENDAS are posted for public review in the Main Street lobby of City Hall East, 200 N. Main Street, Los Angeles, California, and are online at http://planning.lacity.org.

1. DEPARTMENTAL REPORT AND COMMISSION BUSINESS

- Items of interest
- Advanced Calendar
- Commission Requests
- Approval of the Minutes February 8, 2018

2. **NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

Presentation by Neighborhood Council representatives on any neighborhood council resolution, or community impact statement filed with the City Clerk, which relates to any agenda item listed or being considered on this agenda.

3. **GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT**

The Commission shall provide an opportunity in open meetings for the public to address **on non-agenda items**, for a cumulative total of up to thirty (30) minutes, on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. This requirement is in addition to any other hearing required or imposed by law. Persons wishing to speak during Public Comment must complete and submit a speaker's request form to the Executive Assistant prior to the commencement of the Public Comment period.

Individual testimony within the public comment period shall be limited up to five (5) minutes per person and up to ten (10) minutes per subject.

4. **RECONSIDERATIONS**

- a. MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER The Commission may make a motion to reconsider a Commission Action on any agenda items from its previous meeting, consistently with the Commission Rule 8.3, provided the Commission retains jurisdiction over the matter.
- b. **MERITS OF ANY ITEM THE COMMISSION HAS VOTED TO RECONSIDER -** If a majority of the Commission has approved a motion to reconsider a Commission Action, the Commission may address the merits of the original Commission Action.

5. **APCSV-2017-894-ZC**

CEQA: ENV-2017-895-CE

Plan Area: Van Nuys – North Sherman Oaks

PUBLIC HEARING -Completed December 22, 2017

PROJECT SITE: 14719 – 14723 West Magnolia Street

PROPOSED PROJECT:

The construction of a three-story, nine-unit, residential apartment building over subterranean parking. The project will be a maximum height of 35 feet and will include 17 parking spaces, 15 bicycle spaces, plus an accessible disabled parking space at grade level (rear of site). The project includes the demolition of a one-story three-dwelling unit structure and detached carport. No tree removal is involved.

Council District: 4 - Ryu

Last Day to Act: 03-22-18

REQUESTED ACTIONS:

- Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15332 (Class 32 Infill Development), the Project is exempt from CEQA, and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies; and
- 2. Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 12.32, a Zone Change from [Q]RD1.5-1 to (T)[Q]R3-1 to permit the proposed three-story, 9-unit residential apartment over one level of subterranean parking.

Applicant: Adam and Simon Moloudi

Representative: Ken Stockton, Ken Stockton Architects Inc.

Staff: Marianne King, City Planning Associate

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6. <u>APCSV-2016-2960-SPE-SPP</u>

CEQA: ENV-2017-2961-MND

Plan Area: Sherman Oaks – Studio City – Toluca Lake – Cahuenga Pass

PUBLIC HEARING – Completed January 26, 2018

PROJECT SITE: 14239 - 14241 West Ventura Boulevard;

14228 West Moorpark Street;

APN 2265019020

PROPOSED PROJECT:

The substantial remodel and third story, 7,335 square-foot addition to an existing two-story, 9,635 square foot commercial building with one level of subterranean parking (new) and surface parking to the rear of the building and site (across the alley). The project is proposed to be a maximum height of 39 feet 6 inches, provide 56 parking spaces (including 7 vehicle lifts), 40 bicycle spaces (32 long term, 8 short term) and new landscaping.

Council District: 4 - Ryu

Last Day to Act: 04-02-18

REQUESTED ACTIONS:

- Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15074(b), consideration of the whole of the administrative record, including the Mitigated Negative Declaration, No. ENV-2017-2961-MND ("Mitigated Negative Declaration"), all comments received, the imposition of mitigation measures and the Mitigation Monitoring Program prepared for the Mitigated Negative Declaration;
- 2. Pursuant to Section 11.5.7 F of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) three Specific Plan Exceptions from the Ventura/Cahuenga Boulevard Corridor Specific Plan to permit the following:
 - a. A building height of 39 feet, 6 inches in lieu of 30 feet otherwise required;
 - b. Floor Area Ratio (FAR) of 1.66:1 in lieu of 1.0:1 otherwise required; and
 - c. Lot coverage of 70.7 percent in lieu of 60 percent otherwise required.
- 3. Pursuant to LAMC Section 11.5.7 C, a Project Permit Compliance with the Ventura/Cahuenga Boulevard Corridor Specific Plan.

Applicant: Mikayel Israyelyan; 14241 Ventura, LLC

Representative: Argineh Mailian, Mailian & Associates

Staff: Marianne King, City Planning Associate

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The next regular meeting of the South Valley Los Angeles Area Planning Commission will be held at **4:30 p.m.** on **Thursday**, **March 22**, **2018** at

Marvin Braude San Fernando Valley Constituent Service Center 6262 Van Nuys Boulevard Van Nuys, CA 91401

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