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COMMISSION MEETING AUDIO

WEST LOS ANGELES AREA PLANNING COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 2016, after 4:30 P.M. HENRY MEDINA WEST L.A. PARKING ENFORCEMENT FACILITY 11214 W. EXPOSITION BOULEVARD, SECOND FLOOR, ROLL CALL ROOM LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, 90064

Thomas Donovan, President Esther Margulies, Vice President Joseph W. Halper, Commissioner Marian Merritt, Commissioner Lisa Waltz Morocco, Commissioner

CORRECTED AGENDA (ITEM 4 - ENV#**)

James K. Williams, Commission Executive Assistant II

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<u>GLOSSARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL TERMS:</u> CEQA - Calif. Environmental Quality Act EIR - Environmental Impact Report

ND - Negative Declaration MND - Mitigated Negative Declaration CE - Categorical Exemption

1. DEPARTMENTAL REPORT

A. Items of interest

2. <u>COMMISSION BUSINESS</u>

- A. Advance Calendar
- B. Commission Requests
- C. Minutes of Meeting February 3, 2016 and February 17, 2016

3. ZA-2014-4332-CUB-1A CEQA: ENV-2014-4333-CE

Council District:5 – KoretzPlan:West Los AngelesExpiration Date:3-2-16 (Extended)Appeal Status:Not further appealable

PUBLIC HEARING

Location: 10972 - 10998 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD

Requested Action:

An appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision to approve a Conditional Use Permit to allow the continued sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption, and the on-site instructional tastings of beer and wine only, and consideration of Categorical Exemption No. **ENV-2014-4333-CE** as the environmental clearance for the request.

APPLICANT: Beverages and More, Inc. Representative: Liz Darrington

APPELLANT: Martin Wassell

Recommended Action:

- 1. Deny the appeal.
- 2. Sustain the decision of the Zoning Administrator to approve a Conditional Use Permit to allow the continued sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption, and the on-site instructional tastings of beer and wine only.
- 3. Adopt the Findings of the Zoning Administrator.
- 4. Affirm that Categorical Exemption No. **ENV-2014-4333-CE** is adequate environmental clearance for the project.

Staff: Theodore Irving (213) 978-1366

4. ZA-2013-3376-CDP-CUB-SPP-1A CEQA: ENV-2013-3377-MND-REC1 Council District: 11 – Bonin Plan: Venice Expiration Date: 3-2-16 Extended Appeal Status: Not further appealable

PUBLIC HEARING – Continued from the October 21, 2015, November 15, 2015 and January 20, 2016 meetings

Location: 320 (318-326) E. SUNSET AVENUE

Requested Action:

An appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision to approve: pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.20.2, a Coastal Development Permit authorizing a change of use of a tenant space from a 4,116 net square-foot bakery with 559 net square feet of retail floor area to a 4,675 square-foot sit-down restaurant with a maximum Service Floor Area of 717 square feet and 559 square feet of retail space located in the single permit jurisdiction area of the Coastal Zone; pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.24-W-1, a Conditional Use authorizing the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for onsite consumption in a proposed restaurant in the M1-1-O Zone, and; pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 11.5.7-C and the Venice Coastal Zone Specific Plan, a Specific Plan Project Permit Compliance to allow the change of use from bakery and retail use to a sit-down restaurant and retail use with an approved Service Floor Area not to exceed 717 square feet (contained within the restaurant's interior and the new outdoor dining area). Consideration of Mitigated Negative Declaration No. *ENV-2013-3377-MND-REC1***.

APPLICANT: Fran Camaj

Representative: Stephen Vitalich Architects, Laurette Healey

APPELLANT #1: James Murez APPELLANT #2: Ilana Marosi et al.

Recommended Action:

- **1.** Deny the appeal.
- 2. Sustain the action of the Zoning Administrator to approve pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.20.2, a Coastal Development Permit authorizing a change of use of a tenant space from a 4,116 net square-foot bakery with 559 net square feet of retail floor area to a 4,675 square-foot sit-down restaurant with a maximum Service Floor Area of 717 square feet and 559 square feet of retail space located in the single permit jurisdiction area of the Coastal Zone; pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.24-W-1, a Conditional Use authorizing the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for onsite consumption in a proposed restaurant in the M1-1-O Zone, and; pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 11.5.7-C and the Venice Coastal Zone Specific Plan, a Specific Plan Project Permit Compliance to allow the change of use from bakery and retail use to a sit-down restaurant and retail use with an approved Service Floor Area not to exceed 717 square feet (contained within the restaurant's interior and the new outdoor dining area).
- **3.** Adopt the Conditions of Approval.
- **4.** Adopt the Findings.
- 5. Adopt Mitigated Negative Declaration No. *ENV-2013-3377-MND-REC1***. The previously adopted MND was revised and recirculated on January 7, 2016.

Staff: Maya Zaitzevsky (213) 978-1416

5. ZA-2014-4191-ZAA-1A CEQA: ENV-2014-4192-ND Council District: 11 – Bonin Plan: Brentwood-Pacific Palisades Expiration Date: 3-19-16 Appeal Status: Not further appealable

PUBLIC HEARING – Request for Continuance dated February 18, 2016

Location: 11810 W. MAYFIELD AVENUE

Requested Action:

An appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision to deny a Zone Variance to permit the conversion of a recreation room into a 20th dwelling unit in lieu of the otherwise permitted 19 dwelling units, a Zone Variance to permit a reduced lot area of 550 square feet per dwelling unit in lieu of the otherwise required 800 square feet in conjunction with the 20th dwelling unit, a Zoning Administrator's Adjustment to permit a 6-foot 3-inch reduced passageway in lieu of the otherwise required 14 feet, and consideration of Negative Declaration No. **ENV-2014-4192-ND** as the environmental clearance for the project, all in conjunction with the conversion of a recreation room into a dwelling unit within an existing apartment building on a lot in the R3-1 Zone.

 APPLICANT: Poinsettia Properties, LLC Representative: Alicia Ley, Michael Pauls Associates
APPELLANT #1: Devin Bunten
APPELLANT #2: Cynthia Perez-Brown

Recommended Action:

- 1. Deny the appeals.
- 2. Sustain the Zoning Administrator's decision to deny a Zone Variance to permit the conversion of a recreation room into a 20th dwelling unit in lieu of the otherwise permitted 19 dwelling units, a Zone Variance to permit a reduced lot area of 550 square feet per dwelling unit in lieu of the otherwise required 800 square feet in conjunction with the 20th dwelling unit, a Zoning Administrator's Adjustment to permit a 6-foot 3-inch reduced passageway in lieu of the otherwise required 14 feet.
- 3. Do not adopt Negative Declaration No. **ENV-2014-4192-ND** as the environmental clearance for the project.

Staff: Theodore Irving (213) 978-1366

6. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

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Persons wishing to speak must submit a speaker's request form prior to the commencement of the public comment period. Individual testimony within the public comment period shall be limited to five (5) minutes per person and up to ten (10) minutes per subject.

The next regular meeting of the West Los Angeles Area Planning Commission will be held at **4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 16, 2016** at:

HENRY MEDINA WEST L.A. PARKING ENFORCEMENT FACILITY 11214 W. EXPOSITION BOULEVARD, SECOND FLOOR, ROLL CALL ROOM LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, 90064

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