



# AGENDA

## Los Angeles City Planning Virtual Public Hearing

**Wednesday, May 21, 2025**

### Associate Zoning Administrator Christina Toy-Lee

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Item	Approximate Time and Staff Contact	Case Information
1	9:30 AM  Staff Contact: David Woon 213-978-1368	<b>ZA-2024-7911-CUB</b> <b>ENV-2024-7912-CE</b>  Applicant: Bernard James, Taste of Caribbean Express Inc. Representative: Kevin Franklin Plan Area: Hollywood Council District: 13 - Hugo Soto-Martinez Project Address: 5920 West Santa Monica Boulevard

**Abbreviations:** **AA** - Advisory Agency; **ADJ** - Adjustment; **APC** - Area Planning Commission; **CC** - Condominium Conversion; **CD** - Council District; **CN** - Condominium; **CPC** - City Planning Commission; **DAA** - Deputy Advisory Agency; **DB** - Density Bonus; **ENV** - Environmental Assessment Case; **GPA** - General Plan Amendment; **HD** - Height District Change; **PM, PMLA** - Parcel Map; **SL** - Small Lot; **PR** - Project Review; **TOC** - Transit Oriented Communities; **TT** - Tentative Tract; **VTT** - Vesting Tentative Tract; **WDI** - Waiver of Dedication and Improvements; **ZA** - Zoning Administrator; **CU#** - Class # Conditional Use; **ZC** - Zone Change; **ZV** - Zone Variance; **EIR** - Environmental Impact Report; **MND** - Mitigated Negative Declaration; **ND** - Negative Declaration; **SCEA** - Sustainable Communities Environmental Assessment; **SCPE** - Sustainable Communities Project Exemption; **SE** - Statutory Exemption; **CE** - Categorical Exemption;



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