

# COMMISSION MEETING AUDIO

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**CITY PLANNING COMMISSION  
SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA  
THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2021 after 8:30 a.m.  
(via TELECONFERENCE)**

Meeting presentations will be made available here (<https://tinyurl.com/CPC3-18-21>) by Monday, March 15, 2021  
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1. **[DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND COMMISSION BUSINESS](#)**

- Update on City Planning Commission Status Reports and Active Assignments
- Legal actions and issues update
- Other Items of Interest
- Advance Calendar
- Commission Requests
- Meeting Minutes – February 18, 2021

2. **[NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL PRESENTATION](#)**

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. The Neighborhood Council representative shall provide the Board or Commission with a copy of the Neighborhood Council's resolution or community impact statement by email to [cpc@lacity.org](mailto:cpc@lacity.org). THESE PRESENTATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AT THE TIME THE AGENDA ITEM IS CALLED FOR CONSIDERATION.

3. **[GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT](#)**

The Commission shall provide an opportunity in open meetings for the public to address it **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.

Members of the public who wish to participate in the meeting and offer public comment to the City Planning Commission, can either access the link located at the top of this agenda or call **(213) 338-8477** or **(669) 900-9128** and use **Meeting ID No. 869 3203 9255** and then press #. Press # again when prompted for participant ID. You may use **Meeting Passcode: 399466**.

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. **CONSENT CALENDAR** (No Items)

Consent Calendar items are considered to be not controversial and will be treated as one agenda item. The Consent Calendar will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless the item is removed from the Consent Calendar, in which event the item will be considered as time allows on the regular agenda.

6. **CPC-2016-1450-CPU**  
CEQA: ENV-2016-1451-EIR  
Plan Area: Hollywood

Council District: 4 – Raman; 5 – Koretz; 13 – O’Farrell  
Last Day to Act: N/A  
Continued from: 02-18-21

**LIMITED PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED**

**PROJECT LOCATION:**

Hollywood Community Plan Area (CPA). The Hollywood Community Plan Area (CPA) is located within the incorporated City of Los Angeles and contains approximately 13,961 acres or 21.8 square miles. The CPA extends roughly south of the Cities of Burbank and Glendale and the Ventura Freeway (State Route 134), west of the Golden State Freeway (Interstate 5) and portions of Hyperion Avenue and Hoover Street, north of Melrose Avenue and south of Mulholland Drive and the Cities of West Hollywood and Beverly Hills, including land south of the City of West Hollywood, and north of Rosewood Avenue between La Cienega and June Street.

**PROPOSED PROJECT:**

The Project includes amending both the Policy Document and the Land Use Map of the Hollywood Community Plan (Proposed Plan). The Project will also adopt several zoning ordinances to implement the updates to the community plan, including changes for certain portions of the Community Plan Area to allow specific uses, development standards (including height, Floor Area Ratio, and massing) and design standards. These zoning ordinances will take a number of different forms, including amendments to the Zoning Map for zone and height district changes under LAMC Section 12.32, the adoption of a Community Plan Implementation Overlay (CPIO) District under LAMC Section 13.14, and the adoption of a Hillside Construction Regulation (HCR) District under LAMC Section 13.20. Also, to ensure consistency between the updated community plan and other City plans and ordinances, the Project will include amendments to the Western/Vermont Transit Oriented District Specific Plan, the Framework and Mobility (Mobility Plan 2035) Elements of the General Plan, and the Hollywood Redevelopment Plan, and others as necessary. All of the above actions are hereafter collectively referred to as “Proposed Project” unless otherwise specified.

**REQUESTED ACTIONS:**

- 1. Find that the City Planning Commission has reviewed the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) and the Recirculated Draft EIR (City EIR No. ENV-2016-1451-EIR and State Clearinghouse No. 2016041093).
- 2. Approve and Recommend that the City Council adopt the Findings in the Staff Recommendation Report, and direct staff to prepare EIR Findings, a Statement of Overriding Considerations and a Mitigation Monitoring Program for City Council consideration.
- 3. Recommend the City Council adopt the Resolution in Exhibit A to certify the EIR, adopt EIR Findings and a Statement of Overriding Considerations, and adopt a Mitigation Monitoring Program.
- 4. Pursuant to procedures set forth in Section 11.5.6 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC)

and City Charter Section 555 amend the Hollywood Community Plan as part of the General Plan of the City of Los Angeles, as modified in the attached Hollywood Community Plan Resolution, the Policy Document of the Community Plan, the Land Use and Zoning Change Matrices and Maps, the General Plan Land Use Map inclusive of changes in Community Plan Area boundaries, Symbols, Footnotes, Corresponding Zone and Land Use Nomenclature (Exhibits A, B and E);

5. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.32 and City Charter Section 558, adopt rezoning actions to effect changes of zone as identified on the Land Use and Zone Change Map, and Land Use and Zone Change Matrices (Exhibit E);
6. Pursuant to LAMC Sections 13.14.C, 12.32, and 12.04 and City Charter Section 558, adopt the Hollywood CPIO District, as shown in the proposed CPIO Ordinance (Exhibit D);
7. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.04 and LAMC Section 12.32 S and City Charter Section 558, adopt the Hillside Construction Regulation District, as shown in the proposed HCR Ordinance (Exhibit G);
8. Pursuant to LAMC Section 11.5.7 and City Charter Section 558, amend the Vermont/Western Transit Oriented District Specific Plan, as shown in the proposed Specific Plan Amendment (Exhibit F);
9. Pursuant to procedures set forth in LAMC Section 11.5.6 and City Charter Section 555, amend the Mobility Map of the Mobility Element (Mobility Plan 2035) of the General Plan to reclassify selected streets and networks within the Hollywood CPA as shown on the Street and Enhanced Network Reclassification Matrix (Exhibit E);
10. Pursuant to procedures set forth in LAMC Section 11.5.6 and City Charter Section 555, amend the Citywide General Plan Framework Element as shown on the proposed Long Range Land Use Diagram Framework Map and the proposed change to Chapter 1 (Exhibit C).
11. Pursuant to the procedures set forth in LAMC Sections 11.5.14 D.8 and 12.32, amend the Hollywood Redevelopment Plan to clarify its relationship to the Hollywood Community Plan and its implementing provisions and ordinances. (Exhibit I).

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The next meeting of the City Planning Commission  
will be held at **8:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 25, 2021**

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#### **Reasonable Accommodations Consistent with Federal and State Law and California Governor's Executive Order N-29-20**

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#### **Telecommunication Relay Services**

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