



CITY OF LOS ANGELES
DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING
City Hall 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles CA 90012
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

This notice is sent to you because you own property or are an occupant residing near a site for which an application was filed with the Department of City Planning. All interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing where you may listen, ask questions, and/or present testimony regarding the project. The environmental document will be among the matters considered at the hearing. The hearing officer or decision-maker may consider all the testimony presented at the hearing, written communications received prior to or at the hearing, and the merits of the project as it relates to existing environmental and land use regulations. **Please note that your participation in the hearing is optional.**

The meeting's agenda will be provided no later than 72 hours before the meeting at <https://planning.lacity.org/about/commissions-boards-hearings> and/or by contacting the staff contact at the phone number or email listed below. Please note that virtual meeting instructions will be provided on the meeting agenda.

Project Site: 5750-5756 West Melrose Avenue (657 Lucerne Boulevard)

Case No.: ZA-2019-2253-ZAA-WDI

CEQA No.: ENV-2019-2254-CE

Hearing Held By: Zoning Administrator

Date: June 3, 2021

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: In conformity with the Governor's Executive Order N-29-20 (March 17, 2020) and due to concerns over COVID-19, the Office of Zoning Administration Public Hearing will be conducted remotely at the following link:

<https://planning-lacity-org.zoom.us/j/82678350804>

Meeting ID: 826 7835 0804

Passcode: 798755

Participants may also dial by phone:

(213) 338-8477 or (669) 900-9128

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Council No: 4 – Raman

Related Cases: N/A

Plan Area Wilshire Community Plan

Zone: C1-1VL

Plan Overlay: N/A

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PROPOSED PROJECT:

The legalization of an existing nonconforming 672 square-foot outdoor patio, an existing 6-foot-tall wood fence on top of a 3-foot 6-inches tall concrete wall, and an existing 6-foot-tall chain link fence along the eastern property line to encroach into the 10-foot building line along Melrose Avenue, established by Ordinance Number 74,207, for an existing 2,200 square-foot restaurant.

REQUESTED ACTION(S):

1. The Zoning Administrator shall consider an Exemption from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 and that there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies.
2. Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.28, a Zoning Administrator Adjustment to allow the continued maintenance and use of an existing, approximately 672 square-foot patio and associated stairs, a 6-foot-tall wood fence on top of a 3-foot, 6 inches tall concrete wall, and a 6-foot tall chain link fence along the east property line within the 10-foot building line established by Ordinance Number 74,207.

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3. Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.37, approval of the Waiver of Dedication and Improvement requirements for the portion of 5750 West Melrose Avenue which adjoins the project site to include an 11-foot dedication requirement to complete a 43-foot half right-of-way and 2-foot widening to provide half roadway of 28 feet along Melrose Avenue.
4. Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.37, approval of the Waiver of Dedication and Improvement requirements for the 15x15-foot chamfer cut or 20-foot radius cut on the southwest intersection of Melrose Avenue and Lucerne Boulevard.

GENERAL INFORMATION

FILE REVIEW - The complete file will be available for public inspection by appointment only. Please email the staff identified on the front page, at least three (3) days in advance, to arrange for an appointment. **Files are not available for review the day of or day before the hearing.**

TESTIMONY AND CORRESPONDENCE - Your attendance is optional; oral testimony can only be given at the public hearing and may be limited due to time constraints. Written testimony or evidentiary documentation may be submitted prior to, or at the hearing. Any materials submitted to the Department become City property and will not be returned. This includes any correspondence or exhibits used as part of your testimony.

REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMISSION OF MATERIALS - Written materials may be submitted prior to or during the hearing via email or by U.S. mail to the staff identified on the front of this notice. The case number must be written on all communications, plans and exhibits.

EXHAUSTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES AND JUDICIAL REVIEW - 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 agenzized 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.

ACCOMMODATIONS - As a covered entity under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability. Sign language interpreters, assistive listening devices, or other services, such as translation between English and other languages, may also be provided upon written request submitted a minimum of seven (7) working days in advance to: per.planning@lacity.org. Be sure to identify the language you need English to be translated into, and indicate if the request is for oral or written translation services. If translation of a written document is requested, please include the document to be translated as an attachment to your email.

NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT

TO OWNERS:	AND OCCUPANTS:	AND INTERESTED PARTIES
Abutting a Proposed Development Site	Choose an item.	<input type="checkbox"/>

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