

**CENTRAL AREA PLANNING COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2010, After 4:30 P.M.
CITY HALL, 10TH FLOOR
200 NORTH SPRING STREET
LOS ANGELES, CA 90012**

Franklin Acevedo, President
Chanchanit Martorell, Vice President
Justin Kim, Commissioner
Young Kim, Commissioner
Daniel Suh, Commissioner

James K. Williams, Commission Executive Assistant I

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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.

POLICY FOR DESIGNATED PUBLIC HEARING ITEM Nos.3, 4 and 5.

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 designated as a public hearing item. All requests to address the Commission on public hearing items must be submitted prior to the Commission's consideration on the item.

TIME SEGMENTS noted * herein are approximate. Some items may be delayed due to length of discussion of previous items.

To ensure that the Commission has ample opportunity to review written materials, members of the public who wish to submit written materials on agenda items should submit them to the Commission office, 200 North Spring Street, Room 272, Los Angeles, CA 900152, at least 10 days prior to the meeting at which the item is to be heard in order to meet the mailing deadline.

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.

AGENDAS are posted for public review in the Main Street lobby of City Hall East, 200 N. Main Street, Los Angeles, California, and are accessible through the internet World Wide Web at <http://www.lacity.org/pln/index.htm>.

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.

If you challenge these agenda items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at this public hearing, 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.

GLOSSARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL TERMS:

CEQA – California Environmental Quality Act
CE – Categorical Exemption
EIR – Environmental Impact Report

MND – Mitigated Negative Declaration
ND – Negative Declaration

1. **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

A. Items of interest

2. **COMMISSION BUSINESS**

A. Advanced Calendar

B. Commission Requests

3. **DIR-2009-3706-BSA-1A**

CEQA: N/A

Plan Area: Hollywood

Council District: 4 – LaBonge

Expiration Date: 12-22-10

Appeal Status: Not further appealable

PUBLIC HEARING

LOCATION: 1841 N. HIGHLAND AVENUE

REQUESTED ACTION:

An appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision pursuant to the provisions of Section 12.26-K of the Municipal Code, for the denial of an appeal from the action of the Department of Building and Safety of its issuance of a Notice of Intent to Revoke Building Permit Application (No. 09048-10000-00807) as it relates to the posting of temporary signs.

The Zoning Administrator found that the Department of Building and Safety did not err in its issuance of said Notice of Intent to Revoke in connection with its determination that the original permit allowing temporary signs on a vacant lot in the R4 Zone was issued in error, and thereby affirmed the action of the Department of Building Safety, and found the Department of Building and Safety environmental clearance adequate.

Applicant: Bryann Elms, Elevue, Inc.

Appellant: Elevue, Inc,

Representative: Gary S. Mobley

RECOMMENDATION:

Deny the appeal; Sustain the Zoning Administrator's decision pursuant to the provisions of Section 12.26-K of the Municipal Code, for the denial of an appeal from the action of the Department of Building and Safety of its issuance of a Notice of Intent to Revoke Building Permit Application (No. 09048-10000-00807) as it relates to the posting of temporary signs.

And find that the Department of Building and Safety did not err in its issuance of said Notice of Intent to Revoke in connection with its determination that the original permit allowing temporary signs on a vacant lot in the R4 Zone was issued in error, and hereby affirm the action of the Department of Safety, and find the Department of Building and Safety environmental clearance adequate.

Staff: Lourdes Green (213) 978-1318

4. **ZA-2008-3851-ZV-ZAA-1A**

CEQA: ENV-2007-1123-MND

Plan: Wilshire

Council District: 10 – Wesson

Expiration Date: 12-18-10

Appeal Status: Not further appealable

PUBLIC HEARING

LOCATION: 1534-1536 S. SIERRA BONITA AVENUE

REQUESTED ACTION:

An appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision pursuant to Charter Section 562 and Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.27-B, for the denial of 1) a Variance from Section 12.09-A,2 to permit the legalization of two dwelling units, which were illegally added without a permit, and from Section 12.21-A,4(a) to permit zero additional parking spaces in lieu of the two covered and one uncovered parking spaces that are otherwise required for the additional two dwelling units and, pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.28, and for the denial of 2) a Zoning Administrator's Adjustment to permit a reduced passageway of 4 feet to access the two dwelling units in the rear of the property in lieu of the 10 feet otherwise required in Section 12.21-C,2(b), all in conjunction with the legalization of two illegal units resulting in a total of four dwelling units on a lot in an R2-1 Zone, and for the denial of the environmental clearance Mitigated Negative Declaration ENV-2007-1123-MND.

Applicant: Barbara Appleberry
Representative: Debbi and John Morris
Appellant: Same

RECOMMENDATION:

Deny the appeal; Sustain the Zoning Administrator's decision for the denial of 1) a Variance to permit the legalization of two dwelling units, which were illegally added without a permit, and to permit zero additional parking spaces in lieu of the two covered and one uncovered parking spaces that are otherwise required for the additional two dwelling units, and for the denial of 2) a Zoning Administrator's Adjustment to permit a reduced passageway of 4 feet to access the two dwelling units in the rear of the property in lieu of the 10 feet otherwise required in conjunction with the legalization of two illegal units resulting in a total of four dwelling units on a lot in an R2-1 Zone, and consider the environmental clearance Mitigated Negative Declaration ENV-2007-1123-MND.

Staff: Sue Chang (213) 978-1318

5. ZA-2010-480-CUW-1A

CEQA: ENV-2009-3855-MND-REC1
Plan: Wilshire

Council District: 10 – Wesson
Expiration Date: 12-1-10
Appeal Status: Not further appealable

PUBLIC HEARING

LOCATION: 5413-5431 W. PICO BOULEVARD & 1374-1380 S. HAUSER BOULEVARD

REQUESTED ACTION:

An appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.24-W,49, for the denial of a Conditional Use Permit to authorize the installation, use, and maintenance of a rooftop wireless telecommunications facility in the C4-1-O Zone, and denial of the environmental clearance Mitigated Negative Declaration ENV-2009-3855-MND-REC1.

Applicant: AT&T Mobility
Representative: Kyle Sutherland
Appellant: AT&T Mobility
Representative: Jim Jagers

RECOMMENDATION:

Deny the appeal; Sustain the Zoning Administrator's decision for the denial of a Conditional Use Permit to authorize the installation, use, and maintenance of a rooftop wireless telecommunications facility in the C4-1-O Zone, and deny the environmental clearance Mitigated Negative Declaration ENV-2009-3855-MND-REC1.

Staff: Maya Zaitzevsky (213) 978-1416

6. **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

The Area Planning Commission shall provide an opportunity in open meetings for the public to address it, on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Area Planning Commission. (This requirement is in addition to any other hearing required or imposed by law.) Persons making requests are encouraged to do so in writing and should submit 10 copies to the Area Planning Commission for its consideration.

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 **Central, Area Planning Commission** will be held at **4:30 p.m.** on **Tuesday, December 14, 2010** at

City Hall
200 North Spring Street, 10th Floor
Los Angeles, California 90012

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