

**CITY PLANNING COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2022 after 8:30 a.m.
(via TELECONFERENCE)**

**Meeting presentation will be made available here (<https://tinyurl.com/CPC5-26-22>) by Monday, May 23, 2022
Compliant Day of Submissions will be added to this drive.**

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POLICY FOR DESIGNATED PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS:

In accordance with Government Code Section 54953, subsections (e)(1) and (e)(3), and in light of the State of Emergency proclaimed by the Governor on March 4, 2020 relating to COVID-19 and ongoing concerns that meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees and/or that the State of Emergency continues to directly impact the ability of members to meet safely in person, the City Planning Commission's May 26, 2022 meeting will be conducted via telephone and/or videoconferencing.

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS CAN BE LISTENED TO BY DIALING (213) 621-2489 OR (818) 904-9450.

**YOU CAN ALSO VIEW THE MEETING ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT: (<https://planning-lacity-org.zoom.us/j/84640115518>)
AND USE MEETING ID: 846 4011 5518 AND MEETING PASSCODE: 572785.**

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 above or call **(213) 338-8477** or **(669) 900-9128** and use **Meeting ID No. 846 4011 5518** and then press #. Press # again when prompted for participant ID. You may use **Meeting Passcode: 572785**.

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. In all instances, however, equal time is allowed for presentation of pros and cons of matters to be acted upon.

Written submissions are governed by Rule 4.3 of the City Planning Commission Rules and Operating Procedures which are posted online at <https://planning.lacity.org>, by selecting "About", "Commissioners", "City Planning Commission", and "Operating Procedures". However, please see revised submission guidelines below which have been modified in order to accommodate the conduct of the meeting telephonically.

Initial Submissions, not limited as to volume, must be received by the Commission Executive Assistant no later than by 4:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to the week of the Commission meeting. Materials must be emailed to cpc@lacity.org. **Secondary Submissions** in response to a Staff Recommendation Report or additional comments must be received electronically no later than 48-hours before the Commission meeting. Submissions shall not exceed ten (10) pages, including exhibits, and must be submitted electronically to cpc@lacity.org. Photographs do not count toward the page limitation. **Day of Hearing Submissions** within 48 hours of the meeting, up to and including the day of the meeting are limited to 2 pages plus accompanying photographs and must be submitted electronically to cpc@lacity.org. Submissions that do not comply with these rules will be stamped "**File Copy. Non-Complying Submission.**" Non-complying submissions will be placed into the official case file, but they will not be delivered to or considered by the Commission, and will not be included in the official administrative record for the item at issue.

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 Rules and Operating Procedures and provided that the Commission retains jurisdiction over the case. If a Commission meeting is canceled or adjourned due to lack of quorum, all remaining agenda items shall be continued to the next regular meeting or beyond as long as the continuance is within the legal time limits of the case or cases.

Requests for reasonable modification or accommodation from individuals with disabilities, consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act can be made by contacting the Commission Executive Assistant at (213) 978-1299 or by email at cpc@lacity.org no later than three working days (72 hours) prior to the meeting. For Telecommunication Relay Services for the hearing impaired, please see the information located on the last page of this agenda.

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 agendized 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.

Agendas and Adopted Minutes are available on line at <http://planning.lacity.org>, by selecting "About", "Commissions, Boards & Hearings", filter by "City Planning Commission". For additional information regarding the format of this telephonic public meeting, please visit our website at <http://planning.lacity.org>.

If you would like to receive a determination letter for any item on today's agenda, please email your request to cpc@lacity.org. Please include your contact information (email or mailing address) and the case number associated with the item.

Información en español acerca de esta junta puede ser obtenida llamando al (213) 978-1300. Servicios de traducción al español están disponibles, de ser solicitados con un mínimo de 72 horas de anticipación, en todas las juntas de la comisión.

1. **DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE HOLDING MEETINGS VIA TELECONFERENCE**

Motion Required. Pursuant to Government Code Sections 54953(e)(1)(B)-(C), (e)(3)(A) and (e)(3)(B)(i), a determination that the COVID-19 State of Emergency continues to directly impact the ability of members to meet safely in person and possible Commission action.

2. **DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND COMMISSION BUSINESS**

- [Update on City Planning Commission Status Reports and Active Assignments](#)
- Other Items of Interest
- Advance Calendar
- Commission Requests
- Meeting Minutes – April 14, 2022; April 28, 2022

3. **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. At the Chair's discretion, presentations of Neighborhood Councils on any matter listed on the agenda for this Commission meeting may be taken at the time the agenda item is taken for consideration.

4. **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.

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5. **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.

6. **CONSENT CALENDAR (6a)**

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.

6a. **CPC-2021-8627-GPA-ZC**

CEQA: ENV-2021-8629-ND

Plan Area: Northeast Los Angeles

Council District: 14 – de León

**Last Day to Act: 08-01-22

PUBLIC HEARING – Completed February 15, 2022

PROJECT SITE: 5715 North Monterey Road; 5800 – 5814 North Monterey Road;
5321 East Via Marisol

PROPOSED PROJECT:

The City of Los Angeles is proposing: 1) a General Plan Amendment to amend the Northeast Los Angeles Community Plan to re-designate the subject properties from Low Medium II Residential General Plan Land Use to Neighborhood Commercial General Plan Land Use, and 2) a Zone Change from RD1.5-1 to [Q]C4-1VL. The proposed action is in response to Council Motion CF 20-1426, which requests that the General Plan Land Use and Zoning of these properties be corrected to better reflect existing built conditions and to facilitate the reuse of existing commercial buildings in the Hermon neighborhood. The proposed General Plan Amendment and Zone Change does not involve the demolition, remodel, construction, or alteration of any structures, public facilities, or land.

REQUESTED ACTIONS:

1. Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15074(b), consideration of the whole of the administrative record, including the Negative Declaration, No. ENV-2021-8629-ND (“Negative Declaration”), and all comments received, that there is no substantial evidence that the Project will have a significant effect on the environment;
2. Pursuant to City Charter Section 555 and Section 11.5.6 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC), a General Plan Amendment to the Northeast Los Angeles Community Plan to change the land use designation of the subject properties from Low Medium II Residential to Neighborhood Commercial; and
3. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.32, a Zone Change from RD1.5-1 to [Q]C4-1VL.

Applicant: City of Los Angeles

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PUBLIC HEARING – Completed March 2, 2022

PROJECT SITE: 1820 – 2120 East 8th Street; 820 – 840 South Alameda Street;
2150 East Damon Street; 1301 South Lemon Street;
1121 – 1143 Lawrence Street; 2015 – 2101 East Olympic Boulevard

PROPOSED PROJECT:

Renovation and change of use of the existing Los Angeles Times printing plant with the construction of eight new structures for the use and maintenance of an 832,750 square-foot film production studio with a Floor Area Ratio (FAR) of 0.74:1. The Project will require a haul route for grading and export of 20,000 cubic yards of soil.

REQUESTED ACTIONS:

1. Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15162 and 15164, in consideration of the whole of the administrative record, that the project was assessed in Mitigated Negative Declaration Case No. ENV-2021-4260-MND, as adopted on April 25, 2022, ("Mitigated Negative Declaration"), and no subsequent EIR, negative declaration, or addendum is required for approval of the Project;
2. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.24 U.14, a Conditional Use to permit a Major Development Project to allow the renovation and change of use of the existing 558,918 square-foot printing plant and 23,005 square-foot maintenance building to 582,400 square feet of sound stage, production support, office, and ancillary uses, and the construction of new buildings to provide approximately 249,790 square feet of sound stage, production support, office, and ancillary uses;
3. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.24 W.1, a Main Conditional Use Permit to allow the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for on-site consumption in conjunction with three dining establishments with hours of operation from 7:00 a.m. and 2:00 a.m. daily; and
4. Pursuant to LAMC Section 16.05, a Site Plan Review for a project that results in 50,000 gross square feet or more of non-residential floor area.

Applicant: Alameda & 8th Owner, LLC
Representative: Kyndra Casper, DLA Piper LLP

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The next meeting of the City Planning Commission
will be held at **8:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 9, 2022**

**Pursuant to Mayor Garcetti's Emergency Order issued on March 21, 2020, which was subsequently extended on April 17, 2020, the time to act on this item has been tolled for the duration of the local emergency period. Please note that other State law provisions may also apply.

Notice to Paid Representatives:

If you are compensated to monitor, attend, or speak at this meeting, City law may require you to register as a lobbyist and report your activity. See Los Angeles Municipal Code §§ 48.01 et seq. More information is available at ethics.lacity.org/lobbying. For assistance, please contact the Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960.

Reasonable Accommodations Consistent with Federal and State Law

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 and, upon request, will provide reasonable accommodations to ensure equal access to its programs, services and activities. Sign language interpreters, assistive listening devices, or other auxiliary aids and/or services may be provided upon request. To ensure availability, your request should be received no later than three working days (72 hours) in advance of the need. For more information please call the Commission Executive Assistant at (213) 978-1299 or by e-mail at cpc@lacity.org.

Telecommunication Relay Services

Telephone communication is one of the most important forms of communication in society today. Due to advancements in technology, telephone devices have evolved with new services and capabilities. Individuals who are deaf and hard of hearing, and individuals with a speech disability are following these trends and are rapidly migrating to more advanced telecommunications methods, both for peer-to-peer and third-party telecommunications relay service (TRS) communications.

Telecommunications Relay Service is a telephone service that allows persons with hearing or speech disabilities to place and receive telephone calls. TRS is available in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and the U.S. territories for local and/or long distance calls. TRS providers - generally telephone companies - are compensated for the costs of providing TRS from either a state or a federal fund. There is no cost to the TRS user.

What forms of TRS are available? There are several forms of TRS, depending on the particular needs of the user and the equipment available: TRS includes: Text to Voice TIY-Based TRS; Speech-to-Speech Relay Service; Shared Non-English Language Relay Service; Captioned Telephone Relay Service; Internet Protocol Relay Service; and Video Relay Service. Please visit this site for detail descriptions, <https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/telecommunications-relay-service-trs>.

Don't hang up! Some people hang up on TRS calls because they think the CA is a telemarketer. If you hear, "Hello. This is the relay service..." when you pick up the phone, please don't hang up! You are about to talk, through a TRS provider, to a person who is deaf, hard-of-hearing, or has a speech disability.

For more information about FCC programs to promote access to telecommunications services for people with disabilities, visit the FCC's Disability Rights Office website.