

NORTH VALLEY AREA PLANNING COMMISSION
OFFICIAL MINUTES
THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 2022 MEETING
(VIA TELECONFERENCE)

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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 North Valley Area Planning Commission’s March 17, 2022 meeting was conducted via telephone and/or videoconferencing.

Commission President Eric Nam called the meeting to order at 4:33 p.m. with Commission Vice President Martina Diaz and Commissioners Araz Parseghian and Victor Sampson in attendance.

Commissioner Gerlie Collado was not in attendance.

Also in attendance were Parissh Knox, Deputy City Attorney, and Andy Rodriguez, Senior City Planner. Commission Office staff participation included Cecilia Lamas and Alice Inawat, Commission Executive Assistants and Denise Otero, Administrative Clerk.

At approximately 4:38 p.m. Commissioner Victor Sampson joined the Zoom webinar/teleconference meeting.

ITEM NO. 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.

MOTION:

Commissioner Parseghian moved to adopt the resolution under which the Commission finds that holding meetings in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Commissioner Sampson seconded the motion and the vote proceeded as follows:

Moved: Parseghian
Second: Sampson
Ayes: Diaz, Nam
Absent: Collado

Vote: 4 – 0

MOTION PASSED

ITEM NO. 2

DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND COMMISSION BUSINESS

- Andy Rodriguez, Senior City Planner, had no report.
- Pariss Knox, Deputy City Attorney, had no report.
- There were no Commission requests.
- The Meeting Minutes of March 3, 2022 were postponed.

ITEM NO. 2

Commission President Nam reopened Item No. 02 to allow public comment.

ITEM NO. 3

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL PRESENTATION

There were no Neighborhood Council presentations.

ITEM NO. 4

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

No speakers addressed the Commission during general public comment.

ITEM NO. 5

RECONSIDERATIONS

There were no requests for reconsiderations.

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There being no further business before the Commission President Nam adjourned the meeting at 4:48 p.m.

Eric Nam

Eric Nam, President
North Valley Area Planning Commission

Cecilia Lamas (Electronic Signature due to COVID-19)
Cecilia Lamas, Commission Executive Assistant
North Valley Area Planning Commission