

# Oakland City Planning Commission

**REVISED\*AGENDA** 

Chris Pattillo, Chair Jim Moore, Vice Chair Jahaziel Bonilla Michael Coleman Adhi Nagraj Emily Weinstein February 19, 2014
Regular Meeting

Revised 2-11-14\* (See End of Agenda)

# **MEAL GATHERING**

5:15 P.M.

### Saigon Restaurant, 326 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Oakland

Open to the public (Members of the public may purchase their own meals if desired. Consumption of food is not required to attend.)

## **BUSINESS MEETING**

6:00 P.M.

# Sgnt. Mark Dunakin Hearing Room 1, City Hall, One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza

Persons wishing to address the Commission on any item on the agenda, including Open Forum and Director's Report, should fill out a speaker card and give it to the Secretary "Agenda items will be called at the discretion of the Chair not necessarily in the order they are listed on the Agenda". Speakers are generally limited to two minutes at the discretion of the Chair. Applicants and appellants are generally limited to five minutes.

The order of items will be determined under "Agenda Discussion" at the beginning of the meeting. With the exception of Open Forum, a new item will not be called after 10:15 p.m., and the meeting will adjourn no later than 10:30 p.m. unless the meeting is extended by the Chair with the consent of a majority of Commissioners present.

Please check with the Department prior to the meeting regarding items that may be continued. Any agenda item may be continued, without the hearing on the matter being opened or public testimony taken, at the discretion of the Chair. Persons wishing to address the continued item may do so under Open Forum.

Staff reports for items listed on this agenda will be available by 3:00 p.m. the Friday before the meeting, to any interested party, at the Planning and Zoning Division, 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Oakland, California 94612. Reports are also available at the Strategic Planning Division on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor (Suite 3315), which closes at 5:00 p.m.

For further information on any case listed on this agenda, please contact the case planner indicated for that item. For further information on Historic Status, please contact the Oakland Cultural Heritage Survey at 510-238-6879. For other questions or general information on the Oakland City Planning Commission, please contact the Community and Economic Development Agency, Planning and Zoning Division, at 510-238-3941.

This meeting is wheelchair accessible. To request materials in alternative formats, or to request an ASL interpreter, or assistive listening devise, please call the *Planning Department at 510-238-3941* or TDD 510-238-3254 at least three working days before the meeting. Please refrain from wearing scented products to this meeting so attendees who may experience chemical sensitivities may attend. Thank you.

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New web-site staff report download instructions

Staff reports are also available on-line, by 3:00 p.m. the Friday before the meeting, at <a href="https://www.oaklandnet.com">www.oaklandnet.com</a>. Select the "Government" tab, scroll down and click on "Planning & Zoning" click on "visit the Boards and Commissions page" under "Planning Commission". You will need to ensure that your computer will accept pop-ups from the host site (oaklandnet.com) and that your computer has a later version of Adobe Acrobat Reader installed. For further information, please call <a href="mailto:510-238-3941">510-238-3941</a>.

If you challenge a Commission decision in court, you will be limited to issues raised at the hearing or in correspondence delivered to the Zoning Division, at, or prior to, the hearing. Any party seeking to challenge in court those decisions that are final and not administratively appealable to the City Council must do so within ninety (90) days of the date of the announcement of the final decision, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section1094.6, unless a shorter period applies.

Please note that the descriptions of the applications found below are preliminary in nature and that the projects and/or descriptions may change prior to a decision being made.

Applicants or members of the public that plan power point presentations: Please contact Cheryl Dunaway at <a href="mailto:cdunaway@oaklandnet.com">cdunaway@oaklandnet.com</a> or 510-238-2912 or Gwen Brown at <a href="mailto:gbrown@oaklandnet.com">gbrown@oaklandnet.com</a> or 510-238-6194 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

Interested parties are encouraged to submit written material on agenda items in advance of the meeting and prior to the close of the public hearing on the item. To allow for distribution to the Commission, staff, and the public, 25 copies of all material should be submitted. Material submitted at least ten days prior to the meeting may be included as part of the agenda packet; material submitted later will be distributed at or prior to the meeting. To ensure that material is distributed to Commissioners, a minimum of twenty-five (25) copies should be submitted to Planning staff no later than the time is scheduled to be considered by the Commission.

ROLL CALL

WELCOME BY THE CHAIR

**COMMISSION BUSINESS** 

**Agenda Discussion** 

**Director's Report** 

Informational Report on the update to the 2015-2023 Housing Element

**Committee Reports** 

**Commission Matters** 

City Attorney's Report

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#### **OPEN FORUM**

At this time members of the public may speak on any item of interest within the Commission's jurisdiction. Speakers are generally limited to two minutes or less if there are six or less speakers on an item, and one minute or less if there are more than six speakers.

#### CONSENT CALENDAR

The Commission will take a single roll call vote on all of the items listed below in this section. The vote will be on approval of the staff report in each case. Members of the Commission may request that any item on the Consent Calendar be singled out for separate discussion and vote.

#### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

The hearing provides opportunity for all concerned persons to speak; the hearing will normally be closed after all testimony has been heard. If you challenge a Commission decision in court, you will be limited to issues raised at the public hearing or in correspondence delivered to the Zoning Division at, or prior to, the public hearing.

The Commission will then vote on the matter based on the staff report and recommendation. If the Commission does not follow the staff recommendation and no alternate findings have been prepared, then the vote on the matter will be considered a "straw" vote, which essentially is a non-binding vote directing staff to return to the Commission at a later date with appropriate findings and, as applicable, conditions of approval that the Commission will consider in making a final decision.

If you wish to be notified on the decision of an agenda item, please indicate the case number and submit a self-addressed stamped envelope, for each case.

Planning Commission decisions that involve "major" cases (i.e., major variances, major conditional use permits) are usually appealable to the City Council. If any interested party seeks to challenge such decision in court, an appeal <u>must be filed</u> within ten (10) calendar days of the date of the announcement of the Planning Commission decision and by 4:00 p.m. An appeal shall be on a form provided by the Planning and Zoning Division, and submitted to the same at 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Suite 2114, to the attention of the Case Planner. The appeal shall state specifically wherein it is claimed there was error or abuse of discretion by the Planning Commission or wherein their decision is not supported by substantial evidence and must include payment in accordance with the City of Oakland Master Fee Schedule. Failure to timely appeal will preclude you from challenging the City's decision in court. The appeal itself must raise each and every issue that is contested, along with all the arguments and evidence in the record which supports the basis of the appeal; failure to do so will preclude you from raising such issues during your appeal and/or in court. However, the appeal will be limited to issues and/or evidence presented to the City Planning Commission prior to the close of the City Planning Commission's public hearing on the matter.

Any party seeking to challenge a final decision in court must do so within ninety (90) days of the date of the announcement of a final decision, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 1094.6, unless a shorter period applies.

# PLEASE NOTE: ITEM NO.1, BELOW, IS REMOVED FROM THIS AGENDA

1. Project Name: Leo's Club

Location: 5447 Telegraph Avenue APN014-1221-027-001

Proposal: Group Assembly (nightclub) and Alcoholic Beverage Service

Contact Person/Phone Number: Jason Perkins or Michael O'Connor (888) 477-9288

Owner: Jason Perkins and Michael O'Connor

Case File Number: CMVM14-005

Planning Permits Required: Major Conditional Use Permit to allow Alcoholic Beverage Service and

Group Assembly for a musical nightclub; and Variance for proximity within 1000 feet of other Alcoholic Beverage Service and other sensitive activities

General Plan: Community Commercial

**Zoning:** CC-2 Community Commercial Zoning District

Environmental Determination: Categorically Exempt under California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

Guidelines Section 15301

Historic Status: Potential Designated Historic Property, rating Fc3, potentially secondary

importance

Service Delivery District:

City Council District: 1

Commission Action to Be Taken: Approve Staff Recommendation

Appeal: Appealable to City Council within 10 calendar days

For Further Information: Contact David Valeska at (510) 238-2075 or dvaleska@oaklandnet.com

2. Location: Citywide

Recommendation to the City Council to adopt amendments to the City's

**Proposal:** Planning Code for a proposed new Reasonable Accommodations

Ordinance.

**Applicant:** City Planning Commission

Case File Number: ZT14006

Planning Permits Required: Oakland Planning Code Amendment

General Plan: All General Plan Categories

Zoning: All Zoning Categories

Environmental Determination: The proposed Reasonable Accommodations Ordinance would be an

amendment to the Oakland Planning Code and relies on the previously

certified 2007-2014 Housing Element Final EIR (2010)

Service Delivery District: All

City Council District: All

Status: A meeting of the City Planning Commission Zoning Update Committee

was held on January 22, 2014.

Action to be Taken:

Discuss and make recommendation to the City Council

Finality of Decision:

Recommendation to City Council

For Further Information:

Contact case planner Alicia Parker at (510) 238-3362,

aparker@oaklandnet.com

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3. Location: Citywide

Proposal: Recommendation to the City Council to adopt amendments to the City's

Planning Code Density Bonus Ordinance.

**Applicant:** City Planning Commission

Case File Number: ZT14007

Planning Permits Required: Oakland Planning Code Amendment

General Plan: All General Plan Categories

Zoning: All Zoning Categories

Environmental Determination: The proposed density bonus amendments to the Planning Code rely on the

previously certified 2007-2014 Housing Element Final EIR (2010)

Service Delivery District: All City Council District: All

Status: A meeting of the City Planning Commission Zoning Update Committee was

held on January 22, 2014.

Action to be Taken: Discuss and make recommendation to the City Council

Finality of Decision: Recommendation to City Council

For Further Information: Contact case planner Alicia Parker at (510) 238-3362,

aparker@oaklandnet.com

#### **APPEALS**

The Commission will take testimony on each appeal. If you challenge a Commission decision in court, you will be limited to issues raised at the public hearing or in correspondence delivered to the Zoning Division, Community and Economic Development Agency, at, or prior to, to the public hearing; provided, however, such issues were previously raised in the appeal itself.

Following testimony, the Commission will vote on the report prepared by staff. If the Commission reverses/overturns the staff decision and no alternate findings have been prepared, then the vote on the matter will be considered a "straw" vote, which essentially is a non-binding vote directing staff to return to the Commission at a later date with appropriate findings and, as applicable, conditions of approval that the Commission will consider in making a final decision.

Unless otherwise noted, the decisions in the following matters are final and not administratively appealable. Any party seeking to challenge these decisions in court must do so within ninety (90) days of the date of the announcement of the final decision, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 1094.6, unless a shorter period applies.

4.	Location:	Corner of Piedmont Avenue & W. MacArthur Boulevard – a portion of the Kaiser Permanente Oakland Medical Center, Phase 2 site, which is
		located on the full block between Broadway and Piedmont Ave., and between I-580 and West MacArthur Blvd. (APN: 012-0940-001-03)
	Proposal:	Revised Plans pursuant to an Appeal of a Zoning Approval of an Interim
,		Landscape Plan, including landscape, streetscape enhancements and lighting, and temporary façade improvements, in accordance with Condition of
		Approval #25 for the original hospital renovations project approved under Case #DR07-496).
	Status:	The Appeal of the original Zoning Approval was presented to the Planning
·		Commission at a public hearing on November 20, 2013; the item was
		continued with direction to Kaiser to work with the Appellants to develop a
		revised plan providing greater public access to the site. This hearing is to
		consider the plan revisions submitted on January 31, 2014 resulting from those
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Contact Person/Phone Number: Sarah Cohen, et al - Appellant, Representing Richmond Blvd. (Oak Glen

Park) Neighbors

(510)414-6005

Owner: Kaiser Foundation Hospitals

Case File Number: A13273 (related to DR13177 and DR07496)

Planning Permits Required: Regular Design Review under D-KP Zone for Interim Landscape Plan

General Plan: Institutional

Zoning: D-KP-2 - Kaiser Permanente Oakland Medical Center

Environmental Determination: An EIR for the Kaiser Permanente OMC Master Plan was prepared by the

City of Oakland. That EIR was certified by the Oakland Planning Commission on June 6, 2006. The current project is generally consistent with that analyzed in the previously certified EIR. No additional environmental review is required. As a further separate and independent basis, this action is also exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines 15301 and 15183.

Historic Status: Not a Potential Designated Historic Property; Survey Rating: F3

Service Delivery District: 2 City Council District: 3

Date Filed: September 23, 2013

Staff Recommendation: Deny the Appeal, but in doing so approve the revised project based on the

revised Interim Landscape Plan.

Action to be Taken: Decision regarding Appeal

Finality of Decision: Final, not administratively appealable

For More Information: Contact Case Planner, Ann Clevenger, at (510)238-6980 or

aclevenger@oaklandnet.com

#### **COMMISSION BUSINESS**

**Approval of Minutes** 

January 29, 2014

Correspondence

**City Council Actions** 

**ADJOURNMENT** By 10:30 P.M. unless a later time is agreed upon by a majority of Commissioners present.

**SCOTT MILLER** 

Zoning Manager Planning and Zoning

Division

**NEXT MEETING:** February 24, 2014

\*Revised February 11, 2014 to remove Item #1 (5447 Telegraph Avenue) from this agenda. It will be placed on the March 5, 2014 agenda