



PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

7:00 PM - Thursday, August 3, 2023

*Telephone/Video Conference and In-Person
Community Meeting Chambers, Los Altos City Hall
1 North San Antonio Road, Los Altos, CA*

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

At 7:00 p.m. Chair Mensinger called the meeting to order.

ESTABLISH QUORUM

PRESENT: Chair Mensinger, Vice-Chair Ahi, Commissioners Doran, Roche, Beninato, Disney, and Steinle

ABSENT: None

STAFF: Development Services Director Zornes and Development Services Deputy Director Williams

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

None.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. **Planning Commission Minutes**

Approve the minutes of the Regular Planning Commission meeting of July 6, 2023.

Action: Upon motion by Commissioner Steinle, seconded by Commissioner Doran, the Commission recommended approval of the minutes of the Regular Planning Commission meeting of July 6, 2023, as written.

The motion was approved (7-0) by the following vote:

AYES: Doran, Ahi, Mensinger, Roche, Steinle, Beninato, and Disney

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

PUBLIC HEARING

2. **Zone Text Amendments Implementing the 6th Cycle Housing Element**

Consideration of Zoning Ordinance Text Amendments implementing programs identified in the adopted housing element, Program 4.C Allow Low Barrier Navigation Centers consistent with AB 101, Program 4.D Allow transitional and supportive housing consistent with State law, Program 4. E Allow employee/farmworker housing consistent with State law, Program 4.F Reasonably accommodate disabled persons' housing needs. The proposed amendments are exempt from environmental review pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the California

Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines since there would be no possibility of a significant effect on the environment. *Project Manager: Director Zornes*

Development Services Director Nick Zornes gave a presentation.

Chair Mensinger opened the public comment period.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

Chair Mensinger closed the public comment period and Commission discussion proceeded.

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Doran, seconded by Commissioner Steinle, the Commission recommended approval of the project.

The motion was approved (7-0) by the following vote:

AYES: Doran, Ahi, Mensinger, Roche, Steinle, Beninato, and Disney

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS AND COMMENTS

POTENTIAL FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Mensinger adjourned the meeting at 7:41 PM.

Stephanie Williams
Deputy Director