

PLANNING COMMISSION – January 28, 2026
REQUIRED FINDINGS FOR:

647 N. Santa Cruz Avenue
Request for Review PHST-25-022

**Consider an Appeal of a Community Development Director Decision to Deny a Request to Remove a Pre-1941 Property from the Historic Resources Inventory for Property Zoned C-1. APN 410-14-015. Exempt Pursuant to CEQA Section 15061(b)(3).
Property Owner/Appellant: 647 N. Santa Cruz Ave, LLC.
Applicant: Lance Tate.**

FINDINGS

Required finding for CEQA:

- The project is not subject to the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to the adopted Guidelines for the Implementation of CEQA, Section 15061(b)(3): A project is exempt from CEQA when the activity is covered by the commonsense exemption that CEQA only applies to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment.

Required findings to determine that a pre-1941 structure has no significant or architectural merit:

- As required for a determination that a pre-1941 primary structure has no historic significance or architectural merit:
 1. The structure is not associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the Town;
 2. No Significant persons are associated with the site;
 3. There are no distinctive characteristics of type, period or method of construction or representation of work of a master;
 4. The structure does not yield information to Town history; or
 5. The integrity has been compromised such that the structure no longer has the potential to convey significance.

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