



TOWN OF LOS GATOS
PARKS AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
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SERVICE CENTER
41 MILES AVENUE
LOS GATOS, CA 95030

July 17, 2023

RE: NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AUGUST 1, 2023, AT 7:00 P.M. TO CONSIDER THE 2023 WEED ABATEMENT PROGRAM ASSESSMENT REPORT AND ADOPT A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REPORT AND AUTHORIZING COLLECTION OF THE ASSESSMENT CHARGES

You are receiving this letter because you own a parcel that is included in the 2023 Weed Abatement program. On December 6, 2022, the Town Council authorized the initiation of the annual Weed Abatement program.

The Town Council of the Town of Los Gatos has scheduled a public hearing on August 1, 2023 to consider the 2023 Weed Abatement Assessment Report and Adopt a Resolution Confirming the Report and Authorizing the Collection of the Assessment Charges.

The attached Assessment Report reflects the charges that will be assessed on your tax roll. A copy of the letter you received in December 2022 describing the charges is attached for your reference.

If you have questions about the program or proposed charges, we encourage you to contact the Santa Clara County Weed Abatement Department **PRIOR** to the public hearing at 408-282-3145. By contacting the County (who manages the program for the Town), you will be able to discuss any concerns you may have, with the intent of achieving resolution prior to the public hearing procedure.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: This is a hybrid meeting and will be held in person at the location listed on the agenda and virtually through the Zoom webinar application. Members of the public may provide public comments during the public hearing in person or virtually through the Zoom webinar, by following the instructions listed on the meeting agenda. The live stream of the meeting may be viewed on television and/or online at www.LosGatosCA.gov/TownYouTube.

When the meeting agenda is posted, it will include instructions for the participation in the public process. The live stream of the meeting may be viewed on television and/or online at www.LosGatosCA.gov/TownYouTube

Town Council reports related to the Weed Abatement program may be viewed on the Town's website at www.LosgatosCA.gov – under the Agenda & Minutes page. The Council dates that contain these reports are December 6, 2022, January 17, 2023, and August 1, 2023 (8/1 will be available for public review three days prior to the meeting).

Persons wishing to protest the proposed assessment report and/or collection of assessment charges may do so by mailing the protest to the Town Clerk 110 E. Main Street, Los Gatos, CA 95030; emailing to the Town Clerk - Clerk@LosGatosCA.gov, or attending the public hearing by teleconference and speaking. Any written protest must be received by the Town Clerk no later than 11:00 a.m. on August 1, 2023, as described above. Protests must identify the grounds for the protest, the person filing the protest, and the property owned by the person filing the protest.

All INTERESTED PERSONS are encouraged to appear at the Public Hearing and be heard. If anyone wishes to challenge the action on the above application in court, they may be limited to raising only those issues they or anyone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Town Council at, or prior to, the Public Hearing. **Deadline for all written correspondence is 11:00 a.m. the day of the meeting.**

Sincerely,



Meredith Johnston

Administrative Technician, Parks and Public Works