CITY OF LONG BEACH PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2011 333 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD COUNCIL CHAMBER, 5:00 PM

Charles Durnin, Chair Donita Van Horik, Vice-Chair



Becky Blair, Commissioner Alan Fox, Commissioner Leslie Gentile, Commissioner Phil Saumur, Commissioner Melani Smith, Commissioner

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

FLAG SALUTE

MINUTES

11-056PL Recommendation to receive and file the Planning Commission minutes

of October 6, 2011.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

Attachments: 10-6-11 pc mins.pdf

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

SWEARING OF WITNESS

Do you solemnly swear or affirm that the evidence you shall give in this Planning Commission Meeting shall be the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. <u>11-059PL</u>

Recommendation to recommend that the City Council adopt the amendment to the Zoning Ordinance and Local Coastal Program and modify Section 21.51.235 (Home Occupations) of the Municipal Code to clarify the operational requirements for home occupation uses and establish new parameters for acceptable uses. (Citywide)

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

Attachments: home occs staff report.pdf

2. 11-058PL

Recommendation to recommend that the City Council approve the pre-zoning of the three areas at the east Long Beach city limit along the San Gabriel River to be annexed as part of the proposed boundary adjustment between the Cities of Long Beach, Seal Beach, and Los Alamitos and Los Angeles and Orange Counties. (Districts 3 and 5)

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

Attachments: boundary adjustment staff report.pdf

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3. <u>11-057PL</u>

Recommendation to receive and file a report on proposed zoning amendments related to the City's regulation of billboards (off-site advertising) and recommend approval of proposed zoning amendments to the City Council. (Citywide) (Application No. 0911-03)

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

Attachments: billboard amendment staff report.pdf

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Members of the public are invited to address the Planning Commission on items of interest to the public within the Commission's jurisdiction. Each speaker will be limited to three minutes unless that time is extended by the Chair.

COMMENTS FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION

ADJOURNMENT

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: November 3, 2011 - 5:00 PM

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GUIDE FOR PERSONS INTENDING TO SPEAK

This guide has been prepared as an aid so that you will be able to express your opinions briefly and clearly before the Commission and thus increase the effectiveness of your presentation. Remarks are generally limited to 3 minutes.

- 1. State your name and address.
- 2. Organization you represent, if any.
- 3. State whether for or against the proposal.
- 4. Your statement should include all pertinent facts within your knowledge; avoid gossip, emotion and repetition. It is important to discuss only those matters relating to the hearing and to tie your discussion of the facts directly to the decision you wish the Commission to reach. A clear, concise and non-repetitive argument is impressive.

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