# CITY OF LONG BEACH PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 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

#### FINISHED AGENDA AND DRAFT MINUTES

# CALL TO ORDER (5:09 PM)

At 5:09 p.m., Vice Chair Van Horik called the meeting to order.

## ROLL CALL (5:09 PM)

**Boardmembers** Alan L. Fox, Leslie Fernald Gentile, Donita Van Horik and Becky **Present:** Blair

**Boardmembers** Charles Durnin, Phillip Joseph Saumur and Melani Smith Absent:

Also present: Derek Burnham, Planning Administrator; Jill Griffith, Planning Officer; Michael Mais, Assistant City Attorney; Cuentin Jackson, Planner; Heidi Eidson, Bureau Secretary.

#### FLAG SALUTE (5:10 PM)

Commissioner Gentile led the flag salute.

#### MINUTES (5:10 PM)

11-063PL

Recommendation to recieve and file the Planning Commission minutes of October 12, 2011.

A motion was made by Commissioner Gentile, seconded by Commissioner Blair, to approve the recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 4 - Alan L. Fox, Leslie Fernald Gentile, Donita Van Horik and Becky Blair

Absent: 3 - Phillip Joseph Saumur, Charles Durnin and Melani Smith

#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT (5:11 PM)**

Derek Burnham, Planning Administrator, presented the Director's Report.

## **SWEARING OF WITNESSES (5:11 PM)**

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 (5:12 PM)**

#### **1.** 11-064PL

Recommendation to recommend City Council approve an amendment to the Douglas Aircraft Planned Development District (PD-19) to replace the allowance of interim uses to permanent use. (District 5) (Application No. 1105-12)

Derek Burnham, Planning Administrator, introduced Cuentin Jackson, Project Planner, who presented the staff report.

Derek Burnham responded to a query from Commissioner Fox.

Gene Warden, applicant, spoke.

Vice Chair Van Horik spoke.

Derek Burnham responded to a query from Commissioner Blair.

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Yes: 4 - Alan L. Fox, Leslie Fernald Gentile, Donita Van Horik and Becky Blair

Absent: 3 - Phillip Joseph Saumur, Charles Durnin and Melani Smith

#### COMMENTS FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION (5:20 PM)

There were no comments from the Planning Commission.

# PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (5:20 PM)

There were no comments from the public.

# **ADJOURNMENT (5:21 PM)**

At 5:21 p.m., Vice Chair Van Horik adjourned the meeting.

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- 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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