

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
PLANNING COMMISSION
MINUTES**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2015
333 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD
COUNCIL CHAMBER, 5:00 PM**

Alan Fox, Chair
Mark Christoffels, Vice Chair



Molly Campbell, Commissioner
Donita Van Horik, Commissioner
Jane Templin, Commissioner
Andy Perez, Commissioner
Erick Verduzco-Vega, Commissioner

FINISHED AGENDA AND DRAFT MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER (5:05 PM)

At 5:05 p.m., Chair Fox called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (5:05 PM)

Commissioners Andy Perez, Donita Van Horik, Erick Verduzco-Vega, Jane
Present: Templin, Mark Christoffels, Molly Campbell and Alan Fox

Also present: Amy Bodek, Director of Development Services; Jeff Winklepleck, Acting Planning Administrator; Michael Mais, Assistant City Attorney; Scott Kinsey, Planner; Heidi Eidson, Bureau Secretary.

FLAG SALUTE (5:05 PM)

Commissioner Van Horik led the flag salute.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT ((5:05 PM)

Amy Bodek, Director of Development Services, provided the Director's Report.

SWEARING OF WITNESSES (5:08 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 (5:08 PM)

1. 15-007PL Recommendation to approve a Conditional Use Permit for the establishment of a new Verizon Wireless wireless telecommunications facility on the rooftop of a commercial data center building located at 3980 E. 7th Street in the Community Automobile-Oriented (CCA) zoning district, and receive Categorical Exemption 14-062. (District 3) (Application No. 1406-19)

Jeff Winklepleck, Acting Planning Administrator, introduced Scott Kinsey, Project Planner, who presented the staff report.

Commissioner Christoffels spoke.

Scott Kinsey responded to queries from Commissioner Christoffels.

Commissioner Van Horik spoke.

Scott Kinsey responded to queries from Commissioner Van Horik.

Commissioner Campbell spoke.

Scott Kinsey responded to queries from Commissioner Campbell.

Commissioner Templin spoke.

Michael Mais, Assistant City Attorney, responded to queries from Commissioner Templin.

Commissioner Verduzco-Vega spoke.

Scott Kinsey responded to a query from Commissioner Verduzco-Vega.

Marilyn Warren, representing the applicant, spoke.

Commissioner Van Horik spoke.

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

Yes: 7 - Andy Perez, Donita Van Horik, Erick Verduzco-Vega, Jane Templin, Mark Christoffels, Molly Campbell and Alan Fox

2. 15-008PL Recommendation to find the proposed vacation of a 69.5-square-foot portion of public sidewalk on the west side of

Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue south of 6th Street (adjacent to 854 E. 6th Street) for street realignment purposes in conformance with the adopted goals and policies of the City's General Plan and accept Categorical Exemption 15-018. (District 1) (Application No. 1501-51)

Jeff Winklepleck, Acting Planning Administrator, presented the staff report.

Chair Fox swore in a City staff member wishing to speak.

Meredith Elguira, Department of Public Works, spoke.

Commissioner Christoffels spoke.

Commissioner Templin spoke.

A motion was made by Commissioner Van Horik, seconded by Commissioner Campbell, to approve the recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Andy Perez, Donita Van Horik, Erick Verduzco-Vega, Jane Templin, Mark Christoffels, Molly Campbell and Alan Fox

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (5:30 PM)

There was no public comment.

COMMENTS FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION (5:30 PM)

Commissioner Templin spoke.

Commissioner Verduzco-Vega spoke.

Chair Fox spoke.

Commissioner Christoffels spoke.

Amy Bodek, Director of Development Services, responded to comments made by Commissioner Christoffels.

Michael Mais, Assistant City Attorney, spoke.

Commissioner Christoffels spoke.

Amy Bodek responded to a query from Chair Fox.

Chair Fox spoke.

ADJOURNMENT (5:41 PM)

At 5:41 p.m., Chair Fox adjourned the meeting.

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