



PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

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The Planning Commission welcomes you to this meeting.

March 5, 2014

Wednesday

6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

City Hall, Second Floor, COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2600 Fresno Street

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- I. **ROLL CALL**
- II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

III. PROCEDURES

For each matter considered by the Commission, there will first be a staff presentation, followed by a presentation from the project applicant. Testimony from supporters of the project will then be taken, followed by testimony from those in opposition. The applicant will have the right to a final rebuttal presentation prior to closing the public hearing.

In accordance with Section 13 of Article 2 of the Planning Commission Rules and Regulations governing length of public debate, all public testimony from those in support and in opposition of the project will be limited to three minutes per person. The three lights on the podium next to the microphone will indicate the amount of time remaining for the speaker. The green light will be turned on when the speaker begins. The yellow light will come on with a soft bell ring when one minute is remaining. The speaker should be completing the testimony by the time the red light comes on with a final bell indicating time has expired. All public testimony must be presented to the Commission at the podium.

If you challenge these land use matters in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised in oral or written testimony at or before the close of the hearing.

IV. AGENDA APPROVAL

- A. Consent Calendar Requests
- B. Continuance Requests
- C. Other Agenda Changes

V. CONSENT CALENDAR

All Consent Calendar items are considered by the Planning Commission to be routine and will be enacted in one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless requested, in which event the items will be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered prior to approval of the Consent Calendar. If any member of the public wishes to have a specific item removed for discussion, be present when the meeting is called to order and the Chair announces the Consent Calendar. Commission approval of Consent Calendar items for which there is no discussion shall constitute adoption of the staff recommendation.

- A. Minutes – Meeting Minutes of February 5 and February 19, 2014
- B. Communications
- C. Entitlements

VI. REPORTS BY COMMISSIONERS

VII. CONTINUED MATTERS

VIII. NEW MATTERS

A. [Consideration of Rezone Application No. R-13-003 and environmental findings, filed by Stericycle Inc., pertaining to approximately 0.60 acre of property located on West Swift Avenue, between North Golden State Blvd and State Highway Route 99.](#)

1. **RECOMMEND APPROVAL TO THE CITY COUNCIL** of Environmental Assessment No. R-13-003/C-13-020, dated January 31, 2014, determination of initial study to file a Finding of Conformity to the 2025 Fresno General Plan Master Environmental Impact Report (MEIR No. 10130) and Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for Plan Amendment No. A-09-002 (Air Quality MND).

2. **RECOMMEND APPROVAL TO THE CITY COUNCIL** of Rezone Application No. R-13-003 to reclassify approximately 0.60 acre of property from the C-6/UGM (*Heavy Commercial District/Urban Growth Management*) zone district to the C-M/UGM (*Commercial & Light Manufacturing District/Urban Growth Management*) zone district.

- West Area Community Plan
- Council District 1 (Councilmember Xiong)
- Staff Recommendation: Recommend Approval
- Staff Member: Israel Trejo
- Will be considered by the City Council

B. [Consider Site Plan Review Application No. S-13-047 and related environmental findings filed by Sean Odom of GMA Consulting Engineers and Architects on behalf of McCall Pacific, LLC, which pertains to an 11.63 acre property located on the west side of North Hughes Avenue between West Nielson and West Belmont Avenues.](#)

1. **APPROVE** for adoption the Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for Environmental Assessment No. S-13-047, filed February 14, 2014;

2. **APPROVE** Site Plan Review Application No. S-13-047 requesting authorization to construct a 50,605 square foot metal building to be used as a chemical warehouse, a 3,000 square foot metal building to be used as a shipping office, a 181 square foot front entry canopy, and two detached storage canopies (2,000 and 2,500 square feet). The applicant also proposes to install ten (10) external storage tanks with their appropriate containment slabs.

- Edison Community Plan
- Council District 3 (Councilmember Baines)
- Staff Recommendation: Recommend Approval of the Environmental Assessment and Site Plan Review applications
- Staff Member: Nathan Bouvet
- May be considered by the City Council

IX. REPORT BY SECRETARY

X. SCHEDULED ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

XI. UNSCHEDULED ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

You may address the Planning Commission at the conclusion of the Commission meeting regarding matters of public interest that are not listed on the agenda and that are within the Commission's jurisdiction. Please be present at the conclusion of the meeting if you wish to

be heard. Anyone wishing to be placed on the Planning Commission agenda should contact the Development and Resource Management Department (telephone: 559-621-8277) at least 10 days before the desired appearance date.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

UPCOMING MATTERS

(Dates subject to change)