



Chair Sheila Lodge
Commissioner Bruce Bartlett
Commissioner Stella Larson - *Absent*
Commissioner Addison Thompson

Vice Chair Mike Jordan
Commissioner John Campanella
Commissioner Deborah L. Schwartz

**PLANNING COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING FINISHED AGENDA**

**CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
CITY HALL – 735 ANACAPA STREET
THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2012
1:00 P.M.**

NOTICES:

- A. TUESDAY, MAY 29, 2012 **7:45 A.M.**
SITE VISIT 630 GARDEN STREET
Community Development Parking Lot
Highway 101 at Cabrillo interchange

The Planning Commission visited the project sites scheduled for review at the Thursday Planning Commission meeting. No public testimony was taken, and the public was invited to attend. Call 564-5470 for additional information.

**** Site visit held. ****

- B. Regular meetings of the Planning Commission can be viewed live on City TV-18, or on your computer via www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/Government/Video/ and then clicking City TV-18 Live Broadcast. Meeting rebroadcast schedule can be found at <http://www.citytv18.com/schedule.htm> An archived video copy of this meeting will be viewable, on computers with high speed internet access, the following Tuesday at www.santabarbaraca.gov and then clicking *Online Meetings*.
- C. The scope of a project may be modified under further review. If you have any questions, wish to review the plans, or wish to be placed on a mailing list for future agendas for an item, please contact the Case Planer as listed in the project description. Our office hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through

Thursday, and every other Friday. Please check our website under City Calendar to verify closure dates.

- D. AGENDAS, MINUTES and REPORTS: Copies of all documents relating to agenda items are available for review at 630 Garden St. and agendas and reports are posted online at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/pc. Please note that online Staff Reports may not include some exhibits. Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted to the Planning Commission after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Community Development Department located at 630 Garden St., during normal business hours.

I. ROLL CALL

**** Roll Call taken.**

Commissioner Jordan arrived at 1:09 P.M.**

II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS:

- A. Requests for continuances, withdrawals, postponements, or addition of ex-agenda items.

**** No Requests were made. ****

- B. Announcements and appeals.

****Announcements were made. ****

- C. Comments from members of the public pertaining to items not on this agenda. [Due to time constraints, each person is limited to two (2) minutes.]

**** No one wished to speak. ****

III. ENVIRONMENTAL HEARING:

ACTUAL TIME: 1:01 P.M.

SOUTH COAST 101 HOV LANES PROJECT DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT. Previously scheduled May 10, 2012.

The purpose of the environmental hearing is to receive comments from the Planning Commission on the adequacy and completeness of the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the South Coast 101 HOV Lanes Project. Caltrans proposes to modify Highway 101 to provide a new, part-time, continuous-access High Occupancy Vehicle lane in each direction on Highway 101 extending from Carpinteria Creek in the City of Carpinteria to Cabrillo Blvd. in the City of Santa Barbara. The portion of the project within the City of Santa Barbara's jurisdiction is between Sycamore Creek and the Olive

Mill Road bridge. Written comments on the Draft EIR, incorporating concerns raised by the Planning Commission will be prepared by City staff and submitted to Caltrans prior to the close of the comment period on Monday, July 9, 2012. **No action on the Draft EIR or the project will be taken at this hearing.**

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**** Discussion continued to June 14, 2012.
in the David Gebhard Public Meeting Room****

IV. ADJOURNMENT:

**** Meeting adjourned at 4:30 P.M. ****