



City of Santa Barbara

Planning Division

HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION AGENDA

AGENDA SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS CANCELLATIONS OCCUR.
STAFF WILL NOTIFY APPLICANTS OF TIME CHANGES.

Wednesday, August 14, 2013 David Gebhard Public Meeting Room: 630 Garden Street 1:30 P.M.

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HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST (See El Pueblo Viejo District Guidelines & Design Review Submittal Requirements for Details)		
CONCEPT REVIEW	Required	Master Application & Submittal Fee - (Location: 630 Garden Street) <u>Photographs</u> - of the existing building (if any), adjacent structures, composite panoramic view of the site, surrounding areas & neighborhood streetscape - mounted or folded to no larger than an 8.5" x 14" photo display board. <u>Plans</u> - three sets of <u>folded</u> plans are required at the time of submittal & each time plans are revised. <u>Vicinity Map and Project Tabulations</u> - (Include on first sheet) <u>Site Plan</u> - drawn to scale showing the property boundaries, existing & proposed structures, building & area square footages, building height, areas to be demolished, parking, site topography, conceptual grading & retaining walls, & existing landscaping. Include footprints of adjacent structures. <u>Exterior elevations</u> - showing existing & proposed grading where applicable.
	Suggested	<u>Site Sections</u> - showing the relationship of the proposed building & grading where applicable. <u>Plans</u> - floor, roof, etc. <u>Rough sketches</u> are encouraged early in the process for initial design review to avoid pursuing incompatible proposals. However, more complete & thorough information is recommended to facilitate an efficient review of the project.
PROJECT DESIGN APPROVAL	Required	Same as above with the following additions: <u>Plans</u> - floor, roof, etc. <u>Site Sections</u> - showing the relationship of the proposed building & grading where applicable. <u>Preliminary Landscape Plans</u> - required for commercial & multi-family; single family projects where grading occurs. Preliminary planting plan with proposed trees & shrubs & plant list with names. Plans to include street parkway strips.
	Suggested	<u>Color & Material Samples</u> - to be mounted on a board no larger than 8.5" x 14" & detailed on all sets of plans. <u>Exterior Details</u> - windows, doors, eaves, railings, chimney caps, flashing, etc. Materials submitted for Project Design Approval form the basis for working drawings & must be complete & accurate.
FINAL & CONSENT	Required	Same as above with the following additions: <u>Color & Material Samples</u> - to be mounted on a board no larger than 8.5" x 14" and detailed on all sets of plans. <u>Cut Sheets</u> - exterior light fixtures and accessories where applicable. <u>Exterior Details</u> - windows, doors, eaves, railings, chimney caps, flashing, etc. <u>Final Landscape Plans</u> - landscape construction documents including planting, irrigation plan and water conservation compliance. <u>Consultant/Engineer Plans</u> - electrical, mechanical, structural, & plumbing where applicable.

AGENDAS, MINUTES, REPORTS, PLANS & PUBLIC RECORD WRITINGS. Copies of all documents relating to agenda items are available for review at 630 Garden Street and agendas and minutes are posted online at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLC. If you have any questions or wish to review the plans, please contact Susan Gantz, Historic Landmarks Commission (HLC) Planning Technician, at (805) 564-5470, ext. 3311, or by email at SGantz@SantaBarbaraCA.gov. Office hours are 8:30 a. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and every other Friday. Please check our website under *City Calendar* to verify closure dates. **Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted to the HLC after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Community Development Department located at 630 Garden Street, during normal business hours.** Writings that are a public record under Government Code § 54957.5(a) and that relate to an agenda item for an open session of a regular meeting of the HLC and that are distributed to a majority of all of the members of the HLC during the meeting are available for public inspection by the door at the back of the David Gebhard Public Meeting Room, 630 Garden Street, Santa Barbara, CA.

PUBLIC COMMENT. The public has the opportunity to comment on any item on today's agenda. The Chair will announce when public testimony can be given for each item on the agenda. Speaker slips are available by the door and should be filled in and handed to the HLC Secretary (adjacent to the window) before the agenda item begins. Please indicate which item you would like to address on the speaker slip and, in your testimony, which portion of the project you will be addressing in your comments. Each speaker is allocated two minutes for public comment due to time constraints. Written public comment letters and emails received prior to the meeting are typically distributed to the HLC at their meeting.

STATE POLITICAL REFORM ACT SOLE PROPRIETOR ADVISORY. State law, in certain circumstances, allows an architect, engineer or a person in a related profession who is a "sole practitioner" to make informational presentation of drawings or submissions of an architectural, engineering, or similar nature to the same Board on which they are seated, if the practitioner does not advocate for the project. Full details regarding this exception are posted in the back of the David Gebhard Public Meeting Room and available at the Community Development Department located at 630 Garden Street, Santa Barbara, CA.

PLEASE BE ADVISED

The following advisories are generally also contained in the City's Historic Landmarks Commission General Design Guidelines and Meeting Procedures (HLC Guidelines). The specific HLC Guideline number related to each advisory is listed in parenthesis after each advisory. Applicants are encouraged to review the full version of the HLC Guidelines.

- The approximate time the project will be reviewed is listed to the left of each item. **It is suggested that applicants arrive 15 minutes early.** The agenda schedule is subject to change as cancellations occur. Staff will notify applicants of time changes. (3.2.2)
- The applicant's presence is required. If an applicant is not present, the item will be postponed indefinitely. If an applicant cancels or postpones an item without providing advance notice, the item will be postponed indefinitely and will not be placed on the following HLC agenda. In order to reschedule the item for review, a rescheduling fee will be paid and the applicant must fill out and file a Supplemental Application Form at 630 Garden Street (Community Development Department) in addition to submitting appropriate plans. (3.2.4)
- Substitution of plans is not allowed. If revised plans differing from the submittal sets are brought to the meeting, motions for Project Design Approval or Final Approval will be contingent upon staff review for code compliance. (3.2.4)
- Concept review comments are generally valid for one year. Per SMBC 22.22.180, a project design approval is valid for three years from the date of the approval unless a time extension has been granted or a building permit has been issued. Projects with a valid land use approval will also automatically extend the project design approval expiration date. (3.2.9) An HLC approval does not constitute a Zoning clearance or a Building and Safety Permit.
- All approvals made by the HLC are based on compliance with Municipal Code Chapter 22.22 and with adopted HLC guidelines. Decisions of the HLC may be appealed to the City Council. For further information on appeals, contact the Planning Division Staff or the City Clerk's office. Appeals must be in writing and must be filed with the City Clerk at City Hall, 735 Anacapa Street, within ten (10) calendar days of the meeting and which the Board took action or rendered its decision. (3.2.9)
- **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to gain access to, comment at, or participate in this meeting, please contact the Planning Division at (805) 564-5470, ext. 3310. If possible, notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements in most cases.

LICENSING ADVISORY:

The Business and Professions Code of the State of California and the Municipal Code of the City of Santa Barbara restrict preparation of plans for certain project types to licensed professionals. See HLC Guidelines 2.12 and 3.1.2C for specific information.

NOTICE:

- A. On Friday, August 9, 2013, at 4:00 P.M., this Agenda was duly posted on the indoor and outdoor bulletin boards at the Community Development Department, 630 Garden Street, and online at www.SantaBarbaraCa.gov/hlc.
- B. This regular meeting of the Historic Landmarks Commission will be broadcast live on TV Channel 18, or on your computer, via <http://www.citytv18.com/schedule.htm>. City TV-18 will also rebroadcast this meeting in its entirety on Friday at 1:00 p.m. An archived video copy of this meeting will be viewable on computers with high speed internet access the following Monday at www.SantaBarbaraCa.gov/hlc and then clicking Videos under Explore.

GENERAL BUSINESS:**A. Public Comment:**

Any member of the public may address the Historic Landmarks Commission for up to two minutes on any subject within their jurisdiction that is not scheduled on this agenda for a public discussion. The total time for this item is ten minutes. (Public comment for items scheduled on today's agenda will be taken at the time the item is heard.)

- B. Approval of the minutes of the Historic Landmarks Commission meeting of July 31, 2013.
- C. Consent Calendar.
- D. Announcements, requests by applicants for continuances and withdrawals, future agenda items, and appeals.
- E. Subcommittee Reports.

FINAL REVIEW**1. 0 BLK W MASON ST**

(1:45) Assessor's Parcel Number: ROW-002-096
 Application Number: MST2010-00261
 Owner: City of Santa Barbara
 Applicant: John Ewasiuk

(Proposal to replace the structurally deficient Mason Street Bridge over Mission Creek and increase channel capacity in accordance with the approved 2001 Lower Mission Creek Flood Control Project Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement. The existing bridge span is 35 feet and the new bridge span will be 55 feet; the existing road bed width is 24.4 feet and the new road bed width will be 28 feet. Overall existing bridge width is 33.4 feet and is proposed to be 49.5 feet.)

(Requires compliance with City Council Resolution No. 01-137. Project was last reviewed on July 31, 2013.)

CONCEPT REVIEW - NEW**2. 11 GARDEN ST**

HRC-2/SD-3 Zone

(2:00) Assessor's Parcel Number: 033-113-017
 Application Number: MST2013-00301
 Owner: City of Santa Barbara
 Applicant: Theresa Lawler, Engineering Technician II

(Proposal to slurry seal and restripe the public parking lot at Garden Street and E. Cabrillo Blvd. Also included is to provide three additional accessible parking spaces, an ADA path of travel, and the removal of 350 square feet of planting area. The project will decrease the number of total parking spaces by 10, from 207 to 197 spaces in this 73,343 square foot parking lot.)

(Action may be taken if sufficient information is provided.)

CONCEPT REVIEW - NEW**3. 224 CHAPALA ST**

HRC-2/SD-3 Zone

(2:30) Assessor's Parcel Number: 033-042-012
 Application Number: MST2013-00314
 Owner: City of Santa Barbara
 Applicant: Alelia Parenteau

(Proposal for an electric vehicle charging station to be installed in the railroad station parking lot. The "Southern Pacific Railroad Station" located on this parcel is a City Landmark and is listed on the National Register. The proposed project area is to the north of the former "Railroad Express Agency Building" which is on the City's List of Potential Historic Resources.)

(Requires Historic Resource Findings and Findings for Alterations to a City Landmark.)

PROJECT DESIGN REVIEW**4. 35 STATE ST**

HRC-2/SD-3 Zone

(3:00) Assessor's Parcel Number: 033-102-004
 Application Number: MST97-00357
 Owner: 35 State Street Hotel Partners, LLC
 Applicant: Michael Rosenfeld
 Agent: Ken Marshall
 Architect: DesignARC, Inc.
 Landscape Architect: Suding Design
 Engineer: Penfield & Smith Engineers, Inc.
 Business Name: Entrada de Santa Bárbara

(Proposal for a mixed-use development, Entrada de Santa Bárbara, involving the private redevelopment of portions of three blocks of properties located at 35, 36, and 118 State Street. The proposal includes construction of 123 hotel rooms, 22,326 square feet of commercial floor area and approximately 264 parking spaces. Area A (35 State Street) includes 64 hotel rooms and approximately 4,584 square feet of commercial space. Area B (36 State Street) includes 59 hotel rooms and approximately 6,437 square feet of commercial space. Area C (118 State Street) includes approximately 11,305 square feet of commercial space.)

(Project Design Approval of the revised project is requested for Areas A, B, and C. The City Council approved the project on December 11, 2001, and a Substantial Conformance Determination was issued by the City Administrator on June 27, 2013. Project requires compliance with City Council Resolution No. 01-103. The last review was on July 31, 2013.)

PROJECT DESIGN REVIEW**5. 1936 STATE ST**

C-2 Zone

(4:00) Assessor's Parcel Number: 025-372-001
 Application Number: MST2011-00167
 Owner: Mobil Oil Corporation
 Applicant: Cadence Development
 Agent: Lucy Dinneen
 Architect: Kirk Gradin

(Proposal to construct a new 3,500 square foot, approximate 21 foot tall, one-story, non-residential building on a 22,466 square foot lot. The entry tower portion of the building is proposed at 32 feet. A new parking lot behind the building will provide 18 parking spaces, one space more than required. Grading outside of the building footprint will be balanced on site at 120 cubic yards. Development Plan Approval findings are required by the Historic Landmarks Commission to allow the development of 2,449 square feet of new non-residential floor area. The site has retained an 851 square foot demolition credit.)

(Project Design Approval is requested. Project requires Compatibility Criteria Analysis and Development Plan Approval findings. Project was last reviewed on December 19, 2012.)

CONCEPT REVIEW - CONTINUED**6. 1330 CHAPALA ST**

C-2 Zone

(4:45)

Assessor's Parcel Number: 039-131-001
Application Number: MST2013-00169
Owner: Metropolitan Theatres Corporation
Architect: Peikert Group Architects, LLP

(This is a revised project description. Proposal for a new, three-story, 40'-2" tall mixed-use development on a 91,000 square foot parcel located at the corner of W. Sola and Chapala Streets. The project will comprise 33 residential apartments (totaling 28,302 square feet) and two commercial units (931 net square foot). The new building will total 52,945 square feet, including a 534 square foot exercise room and a 13,400 square foot partially below-grade parking garage. The parking garage will contain 42 spaces, and a surface lot will contain 49 spaces for a total of 91 spaces, with 33 spaces allocated to the residential units, two spaces allocated to the commercial units and 56 spaces allocated to the Arlington Theatre. Also proposed is the removal of eight mature trees including four grevillea, two pittosporum, one solanum and one ficus, with 6 mature palm trees to be relocated on site. Grading excavation will total 3,400 cubic yards. A detached trash enclosure for the theater is proposed to replace an existing trash enclosure and will be constructed near the northwest corner of the Arlington Theatre. A waiver of parking lot interior planter requirements is requested. This parcel is within the 10% Parking Zone of Benefit and *contains a designated Structure of Merit: "Arlington Hotel Garden Arch."*)

(Third Concept Review. Action may be taken if sufficient information is provided. Project requires a waiver of parking lot landscape standards, Development Plan Approval findings, Compatibility Criteria Analysis, and Historic Resource Findings. Project was last reviewed on June 19, 2013. Note: the project activity is within the scope of the 2011 General Plan and the Program EIR analysis for the General Plan. No further environmental document is required for this project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code section 21083.3 and Code of Regulations section 15183). City Council environmental findings adopted for the General Plan remain applicable for this project.)

CONSENT CALENDAR – SEE SEPARATE AGENDA