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**SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**JOINT SESSION WITH PLANNING COMMISSION**  
**AGENDA**

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**DAVID GEBHARD PUBLIC MEETING ROOM**  
**630 GARDEN STREET**  
**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2009**  
**9:30 A.M.**

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**I. NOTICES:**

- A. This special joint meeting of the Planning Commission will be broadcast live and rebroadcast in its entirety on Thursday at 9:30 A.M., Saturday at 5:00 P.M., and again the following Tuesday at 9:30 A.M. on Channel 18.
- B. **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. If possible, notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements in most cases.

**II. CALL TO ORDER**

**III. ROLL CALL**

**IV. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**V. WORK SESSION**

**Subject: Semi-Annual Joint Work Session with the Planning Commission (650.01)**

That Council hold a joint work session with the Planning Commission to receive status reports and discuss major work program activities in the Planning Division, including the *Plan Santa Barbara* Phase III Work Program, the Alternative Building Height Charter Amendment, and Highway 101 Operational Improvements.

**VI. ADJOURNMENT:**

Planning Commission will adjourn to the regularly scheduled Planning Commission Hearing at 1:00 p.m. City Council Chambers, 735 Anacapa Street.

# CITY OF SANTA BARBARA PLANNING COMMISSION

## MEETING PROCEDURES

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**PUBLIC COMMENT PROCEDURE:** You are welcome to attend this hearing. The public is invited to speak on any item on the Planning Commission Agenda. After receiving recognition from the Chairman, please approach the podium and speak into the microphone. State your name and purpose for appearing. Your name and comments will be entered into the public record.

The order of presentation after the Chairman introduces the item is as follows:

1. Presentation by Staff (15 minutes)\*.
2. Presentation by Applicant (15 minutes)\*.
3. Public Hearing\*.
4. Additional response by Applicant/Staff (5 minutes each)\*.
5. Questions and comments by the commission.
6. Commission consideration of Findings and Conditions of Approval.
7. Motion, discussion of motion, decision, and vote by the Commission.

**\*Time may be extended or limited by the Chair of the Planning Commission.**

Items that generate a large amount of citizen interest may be taken out of their scheduled order on the agenda as a courtesy to the public in attendance. Where there are a large number of people wishing to speak on an item, the Chairman may limit time allotted to each speaker.

**WRITTEN COMMENT PROCEDURE:** Written comments are welcome and will be entered into the public record. Written information should be submitted prior to the meeting at the Planning Division Office, 630 Garden St; by mail attention Planning Commission Secretary, P.O. Box 1990, Santa Barbara, CA 93102-1990; or by email at [PCSecretary@SantaBarbaraCa.gov](mailto:PCSecretary@SantaBarbaraCa.gov), and received no later than 4:30 P.M. on the Monday before the Planning Commission hearing. Please submit 12 copies of any written materials over 2 pages. Written comments are accepted at and up to the time of the hearing; however, the Planning Commission may not have time to consider materials submitted after the Monday deadline.

It is not possible to determine the precise time an item will be heard. The Planning Commission sessions are broadcast live on the Government Access Television Channel 18. Monitoring will assist in determining when the item will come up. Any continued items are announced at the beginning of the meeting and repeated throughout the meeting by the Chairman.

**APPEALS AND SUSPENSIONS:** Many of the items before the Commission may be appealed to the City Council. For further information on appeals, contact the Planning Division Staff or the City Clerk's Office. Any further information on the Planning Commission meeting procedures or agenda items may be obtained by calling the Planning Division at Phone 564-5470.

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