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**PLANNING COMMISSION
AGENDA**

**CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
CITY HALL – 735 ANACAPA STREET
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2016
1:00 P.M.**

Website: www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov

NOTICES:

- A. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2016
SITE VISITS

7:45 A.M.

Depart 630 Garden Street
Community Development Parking Lot

800 E. Cabrillo Boulevard

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1547 Shoreline Drive

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The Planning Commission will visit the project sites scheduled for review at the Thursday Planning Commission meeting. No public testimony will be taken, but the public is invited to attend. Please call the Case Planner for additional information.

- B. This regular meeting of the Planning Commission can be viewed live on City TV-18, or on your computer at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTV. You can also click on www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTVProgramGuide for a rebroadcast schedule. An archived video copy of this meeting will be viewable, on computers with high speed internet access, the next business day at <http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/PCVideos>.

- C. **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** If you need auxiliary aids or services or staff assistance to attend or participate in this meeting, please contact the City Administrator's Office at (805) 564-5305. If possible, notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will usually enable the City to make reasonable arrangements. Specialized services, such as sign language interpretation or documents in Braille, may require additional lead time to arrange.
- D. This agenda schedule is subject to change. It is recommended that applicants and interested persons plan to arrive at 1:00 P.M. However, for longer agendas, all parties are encouraged to monitor Channel 18 and, when the item prior to the application of interest begins, come to the Commission hearing.
- E. The scope of a project may be modified as it proceeds through the planning process. 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 Planner 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.
- F. **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

II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS:

- A. Requests for continuances, withdrawals, postponements, or addition of ex-agenda items.
- B. Announcements and appeals.
- 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.]

III. CONSENT ITEM:

APPLICATION OF JUSTIN VAN MULLEM, PLANNER FOR CITY OF SANTA BARBARA PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT, 800 E. CABRILLO BLVD., APN 017-311-001, PARKS AND RECREATION (PR) AND COASTAL OVERLAY (S-D-3) ZONES, GENERAL PLAN: PARK/OPEN SPACE, LOCAL COASTAL PLAN LAND USE DESIGNATION: RECREATION/OPEN SPACE (MST2016-00144)

The Cabrillo Ball Park Renovation Project (Project) includes redesigned park entries, outdoor fitness equipment stations, and a new pathway. Also proposed are new landscaping improvements, accessibility improvements, renovation of the ball field turf and irrigation, exterior lighting at the existing restrooms, and pedestrian lighting. Approximately nine (9)

trees will be removed and 12 new trees installed. The primary objectives of the Project are to maintain and enhance the function of the park as a waterfront ball field, enhance active recreation opportunities, promote and maintain park safety, improve pedestrian access and accessibility, enhance park entries, open views to the park, upgrade park infrastructure, and enhance park aesthetics.

The five acre Cabrillo Ball Park is located at the intersections of Milpas Street, Cabrillo Boulevard and Calle Puerto Vallarta in the City's East Beach Neighborhood. The park currently serves both adult and youth recreational and competitive sport programs as well as unscheduled drop-in use activities such as soccer, softball, and ultimate frisbee. The Cabrillo Ball Park has a park category of Sports Facility per City Council Resolution 97-140.

The discretionary application required for this project is a Coastal Development Permit to allow the proposed development in the Appealable and Non-Appealable Jurisdictions of the City's Coastal Zone (SBMC §28.44.060).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Sections 15301-Existing Facilities, 15303-New Construction, and 15304-Minor Alterations to Land.

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IV. **STAFF HEARING OFFICER APPEAL:**

APPLICATION OF TOM OCHSNER, ARCHITECT FOR DANNY AND SUSAN DUNCAN, 1547 SHORELINE DRIVE, APN 045-173-041, E-3/SD-3 ZONES, GENERAL PLAN AND LOCAL COASTAL LAND USE PLAN DESIGNATION: RESIDENTIAL 5 UNITS PER ACRE (MST2016-00110)

On October 12, 2016, the Staff Hearing Officer approved a Front Setback Modification to allow the proposed garage to encroach two feet into the front setback. The decision of the Staff Hearing Officer has been appealed by the applicant and this hearing is for the Planning Commission to consider the appeal. The 22,795 square foot site is located in the appealable jurisdiction of the Coastal Zone and is currently developed with a 4,083 square foot, two-story single-family dwelling with a 564 square foot rear deck; a bluff-top deck with a 364 square foot accessory structure below; and a 516 square foot attached garage. The proposed project involves an exterior remodel of the existing residence, expansion of the existing rear deck by 220 square feet, and a 92 square foot expansion of the garage. The improvements to the existing residence are exempt from requiring a Coastal Development Permit.

The discretionary application for this project is a Front Setback Modification to allow the garage to expand into the required front setback (SBMC §28.15.060 and SBMC §28.92.110).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15301 and 15305 (Existing Facilities and Minor Alterations to Land Use Limitations).

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V. ADMINISTRATIVE AGENDA:

A. Committee and Liaison Reports

1. Staff Hearing Officer Liaison Report
2. Other Committee and Liaison Reports

VI. ADJOURNMENT

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA PLANNING COMMISSION

MEETING PROCEDURES

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 Chair, 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 Chair 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, 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 Chair.

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 (805) 564-5470.

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