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**PLANNING COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING FINISHED AGENDA**

**CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
CITY HALL – 735 ANACAPA STREET
THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 2017
4:00 P.M.**

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I. ROLL CALL

**** Roll Call taken. All Commissioners were present****

II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS:

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

**** No requests were made. ****

- B. Announcements and appeals.

**** No announcements were made. ****

- C. Review, consideration and action on the following draft Planning Commission Minutes and Resolutions:

1. February 9, 2017
2. PC Resolution No. 003-17
City Right of Way Along Modoc Road and Las Positas Road

**** Approve as submitted.**

Lodge/Jordan Vote: 7/0

Abstain: 0

Absent: 0**

3. February 16, 2017
4. PC Resolution No. 004-17
Recommendation to City Council: Capital Improvements Project

Approve as submitted.

Lodge/Jordan Vote: 6/0

Abstain: 1 (Thompson)

Absent: 0**

- D. 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. NEW ITEM:

ACTUAL TIME: 4:01 P.M.

NEW ZONING ORDINANCE

The Draft New Zoning Ordinance (NZO) proposes updates and new formatting for the Zoning Ordinance, which is Title 28 of the City's Municipal Code. The Zoning Ordinance establishes the zone classifications, permitted uses in each zone, development standards

and regulations, and the development review process for the City. Development standards related to growth, such as residential density, and amount of nonresidential growth allowed remain unchanged. The majority of the proposed changes consist of reformatting and modernizing language, and clarifying existing regulations; however, a number of changes to zoning regulations are proposed. The legislative actions required include:

1. General Plan Map Amendment to re-designate Veronica Meadows Specific Plan Area A (APN 047-010-064) from Low Density Residential (Maximum 2 dwelling units/acre) to Open Space;
2. Amendment to the Certified Local Coastal Program Implementation Ordinances (SBMC §28.44.250.D); and
3. Amendment to Title 28 (Zoning Ordinance & Zoning Map), Title 29 (Airport Zoning Ordinance & Airport Zoning Map), Specific Plan 9-Veronica Meadows, Title 9 (Public Peace and Safety), Title 22 (Environmental Policy and Construction), Title 27 (Subdivisions), and related Titles of the Santa Barbara Municipal Code (SBMC §28.92.020). The Planning Commission will make a recommendation to City Council for changes to Tiles 27, 28 and 29.

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the proposed amendments are implementing actions of the 2011 General Plan and within the scope of the Certified Final Program Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the General Plan. An Addendum to the Certified Final General Plan Program EIR provides documentation of environmental analysis of the proposed amendments under California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

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**** Discussion continued to meeting of March 9, 2017. ****

IV. ADJOURNMENT

**** Meeting adjourned to March 9, 2017 at 9:05 P.M. ****