



City of Santa Barbara

Planning Division

SINGLE FAMILY DESIGN BOARD AGENDA

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

Monday, October 17, 2016 David Gebhard Public Meeting Room: 630 Garden Street 3:00 P.M.

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SINGLE FAMILY DESIGN BOARD OF REVIEW SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST (See SFDB Guidelines & Design Review Submittal Requirements for Details)		
CONCEPT REVIEW	Required	<p>Master Application & Submittal Fee - (Location: 630 Garden Street)</p> <p><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.</p> <p><u>Plans</u> - three sets of folded plans are required at the time of submittal & each time plans are revised.</p> <p><u>Vicinity Map and Project Tabulations</u> - (Include on first sheet)</p> <p><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.</p> <p><u>Exterior elevations</u> - showing existing & proposed grading where applicable.</p>
	Suggested	<p><u>Site Sections</u> - showing the relationship of the proposed building & grading where applicable.</p> <p><u>Plans</u> - floor, roof, etc.</p> <p><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.</p>
PROJECT DESIGN APPROVAL	Required	<p>Same as above with the following additions:</p> <p><u>Plans</u> - floor, roof, etc.</p> <p><u>Site Sections</u> - showing the relationship of the proposed building & grading where applicable.</p> <p><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.</p>
	Suggested	<p><u>Color & Material Samples</u> - to be mounted on a board no larger than 8.5" x 14" & detailed on all sets of plans.</p> <p><u>Exterior Details</u> - windows, doors, eaves, railings, chimney caps, flashing, etc.</p> <p>Materials submitted for Project Design Approval form the basis for working drawings & must be complete & accurate.</p>
FINAL & CONSENT	Required	<p>Same as above with the following additions:</p> <p><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.</p> <p><u>Cut Sheets</u> - exterior light fixtures and accessories where applicable.</p> <p><u>Exterior Details</u> - windows, doors, eaves, railings, chimney caps, flashing, etc.</p> <p><u>Final Landscape Plans</u> - landscape construction documents including planting, irrigation plan and water conservation compliance.</p> <p><u>Consultant/Engineer Plans</u> - electrical, mechanical, structural, & plumbing where applicable.</p>

PUBLIC HEARING PROCEDURES. The following review steps explain the sequence that all projects must undergo during a public hearing. 1. Introduction by the Chair; 2. Staff Comments (optional); 3. Applicant Presentation; 4. Public Comment (if any); 5. Questions from the Board/Commission; 6. Comments from the Board/Commission; 7. Board/Commission Action; and 8. Board/Commission Discussion.

AGENDAS, MINUTES, REPORTS, PLANS & PUBLIC RECORD WRITINGS. Copies of documents relating to agenda items are available for review in the Community Development Department at 630 Garden Street, and agendas and reports are also posted online at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/SFDB. If you have any questions or wish to review the plans, please contact Katie Mamulski, Single Family Design Board (SFDB) Planning Technician, at (805) 564-5470, extension 4532 or by email at KMamulski@SantaBarbaraCA.gov. 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. Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted to the SFDB 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. Letters received and staff reports that are a public record, relate to an agenda item, and are distributed to the SFDB during the meeting are available for public inspection in the David Gebhard Public Meeting Room, 630 Garden Street.

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 SFDB Secretary before the agenda item begins. Each speaker is allocated two minutes for public comment due to time constraints. Public comment submitted prior to the scheduled meeting can be submitted via email to SFDBSecretary@SantaBarbaraCA.gov or by mail to City of Santa Barbara, Community Development Department/Planning Division, P.O. Box 1990, Santa Barbara, CA 93102. Written public comment letters and emails received prior to the meeting are typically distributed to the SFDB at their meeting.

INTERESTED PARTIES. The City is required to give notice to property owners that may be directly affected by the proposed action (neighbors within 300 feet on certain projects per SBMC Section 22.68.040). This may be the only public notice sent out regarding the development application depending on the future discretionary review or public review process necessary for the project. Other methods to be informed of future scheduled hearings for a particular project or property include:

- a. Submit a request in writing to become an "Interested Party" for future notification purposes related to the development application so the City can mail or e-mail you future SFDB agendas when the particular project is scheduled on a future agenda. This type of notification is done as a courtesy and does not require 10-day advance notice.
- b. Join the City's SantaBarbaraCA.gov/MySB. This system allows you to manage subscriptions to City email lists that cover a wide range of City topics and services, including agendas sent for all Design Review Meetings. Since all agendas would be sent, users of this service would need to check each agenda for their particular project of interest.

Contact City Planning staff at 564-5578 for questions on case status or visit the Planning/Zoning counter located at 630 Garden Street to review the most current plans proposed for the development application.

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 an 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 Single Family Design Board General Design Guidelines and Meeting Procedures (SFDB Guidelines). The specific SFDB Guideline number related to each advisory is listed in parenthesis after each advisory. Applicants are encouraged to review the full version of the SFDB 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 SFDB 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 SBMC 22.69.090, 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 SFDB approval does not constitute a Zoning clearance or a Building and Safety Permit.
- All approvals made by the SFDB are based on compliance with Municipal Code Chapter 22.69 and with adopted SFDB guidelines. Decisions of the SFDB 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 at which the Board took action or rendered its decision. (3.2.9)
- CEQA Guidelines § 15183 Exemptions (Projects Consistent with General Plan). Under this California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines section, projects with new development (new nonresidential square footage or new residential units) qualify for an exemption from further environmental review documents if (1) they are consistent with the General Plan development density evaluated in the 2011 General Plan Program Environmental Impact Report, and (2) any potentially significant project-specific impacts are addressed through existing development standards. Section 15183 exemptions are determined by staff based on a preliminary environmental review process. A decision-maker CEQA finding is required for a Section 15183 exemption. City Council General Plan environmental findings remain applicable for the project.
- **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** If you need auxiliary aids or services or staff assistance to attend or participate in this meeting, please contact the SFDB Secretary at (805) 564-5470, extension 3308 or by email at SFDBSecretary@SantaBarbaraCA.gov. 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.

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 SFDB Guidelines 2.12 and 3.1.2C for specific information.

NOTICE:

- A. On Thursday, October 13, 2016, this Agenda was posted on the outdoor bulletin board at the Community Development Department, 630 Garden Street and online at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/SFDB.
- B. This regular meeting of the Single Family Design Board will be broadcast live on City TV-18, or on your computer at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTV. A rebroadcast guide can be found at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTVProgramGuide. An archived video copy of this meeting will be viewable on computers with high speed internet access the next business day at www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/SFDBVideos.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- A. Public Comment: Any member of the public may address the Single Family Design Board for up to two minutes on any subject within its jurisdiction that is not scheduled for a public discussion before the Board on that day. 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 Single Family Design Board meeting of **October 3, 2016**.
- C. Consent Agenda of **October 10, 2016**; and **October 17 2016**.
- D. Announcements, requests by applicants for continuances and withdrawals, future agenda items, and appeals.

E. Subcommittee Reports.

REVIEW AFTER FINAL**1. 3435 MARINA DR****A-1/SD-3 Zone**

(3:10) Assessor's Parcel Number: 047-022-005
 Application Number: MST2013-00281
 Owner: Charles Rudd
 Architect: Paul Zink

(Proposal to construct a 5,990 square foot, three-level, single-family residence, comprised of two-stories and a basement, and a 440 square foot two-car garage, located on a vacant 1.12 acre lot in the Hillside Design District and within the appealable jurisdiction of the Coastal Zone. The proposal includes new site walls and gates, new site landscaping and hardscape, a new pool. 3,854 cubic yards of cut and fill grading are proposed, with 10 cubic yards to be exported off site. The proposed total of 6,430 square feet (of which 5,210 is above grade) is 103% of the guideline floor-to-lot area ratio (FAR). The project includes Planning Commission review for a Coastal Development Permit.)

(Review After Final is requested for changes in fence material from metal to CMU block with plaster and an alteration of the existing site fence/CMU wall location at the East/South property line; Project must comply with Planning Commission Resolution No. 024-14, and was last reviewed August 8, 2016.)

FINAL REVIEW**2. 1807 LIGHTHOUSE WAY**

(3:30) Assessor's Parcel Number: 045-400-005
 Application Number: MST2015-00607
 Owner: Lighthouse Builders LLC
 Applicant: Bruce Blodorn
 Architect: Richard Thorne, Architect

(Lot 5: Proposal for a new 2,281 square foot, two-story, single-family residence with a 525 square foot, attached two-car garage with storage. The project includes new landscaping, site walls, and 30 cubic yards of cut and fill grading, of which 20 cubic yards will be outside of the building footprint. The proposed total of 2,806 square feet on a newly created 11,334 square foot lot in the non-appealable jurisdiction of the Coastal Zone is 73% of the required maximum floor-to-lot area ratio (FAR). This project is Lot 5 of a five-lot subdivision approved under MST2006-00476.)

(Final Approval is requested; Project was last reviewed January 5, 2016.)

PROJECT DESIGN REVIEW**3. 45 LAS ALTURAS CIR****A-1 Zone**

(3:50) Assessor's Parcel Number: 019-130-014
Application Number: MST2015-00520
Owner: Pan Hsiao-Li and Dru Finley
Architect: Chris Cottrell

(Proposal to construct a new 468 square foot second-floor addition with 290 square feet of upper level decks to an existing 2,936 square foot, one-story, single-family residence. The project includes enclosure of the existing attached 550 square foot carport to become a 507 square foot, two-car garage. A pool with adjacent flatwork and a fire pit were approved separately under MST2015-00190. The proposed total of 3,918 square feet on a 1.1 acre lot in the Hillside Design District is 77% of the guideline maximum floor-to-lot area ratio (FAR).)

(Project Design Approval is requested; Project was last reviewed May 16, 2016.)

CONCEPT REVIEW - NEW ITEM: PUBLIC HEARING**4. 704 SAN ROQUE RD****E-1/SD-2 Zone**

(4:20) Assessor's Parcel Number: 053-062-017
Application Number: MST2016-00432
Owner: Myrna L. Smith,
Architect: Keven Strasburg

(Proposal for a second story addition of 798 square feet to an existing 1,759 square foot one-story single family residence. The proposal will also include a new front deck with steps down to the driveway. The proposed total of 2,570 square feet on a 14,778 square foot lot is 60% of the maximum allowable floor to-lot-area ratio (FAR).)

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

CONCEPT REVIEW - NEW ITEM: PUBLIC HEARING**5. 940 ALSTON RD****A-2 Zone**

(4:50) Assessor's Parcel Number: 015-173-028
Application Number: MST2016-00444
Owner: Inken H. Gerlach and Charles R. Rudd
Agent: Kas Seefeld

(Proposal to construct a new 5,455 square foot two-story single family residence with 1,913 square foot basement and 440 square foot detached garage on a previously undeveloped site. Proposed site improvements include 891 square feet of decks, a 22'x12' swimming pool, spa and new site landscaping to include the removal of one palm tree. The proposed total of 5,455 square feet on a 75,000 square foot lot located in the Hillside Design District is 101% of the guideline maximum floor to-lot-area ratio (FAR).)

(Comments Only; Project must address plan check corrections and comply with Tier 3 SWMP requirements.)

CONCEPT REVIEW - NEW ITEM: PUBLIC HEARING**6. 1531 W VALERIO ST****A-2 Zone**

(5:20) Assessor's Parcel Number: 041-071-041
Application Number: MST2016-00450
Owner: Jeffrey Alan Sears, Living Trust 11
Architect: W. David Winitzky

(Proposal to construct a new three-story 2,590 square foot single-family residence with an attached 474 square foot two-car garage and a detached 244 square foot one-car garage on a previously vacant lot. The proposal includes a total of 250 cubic yards of grading, 162 cubic yards cut and 27.8 cubic yards fill under the building and 167 cubic yards of cut and 52.8 cubic yards of fill on site. Also proposed is 1,148 square feet of roof decks, 619 square feet of decks at grade, site walls, new driveway and two uncovered parking spaces. The proposed total of 3,310 square feet located on a 74,790 square foot lot located in the Hillside Design District, is 61% of the guideline maximum floor-to-lot area ratio (FAR).)

(Action may be taken if sufficient information is provided; Project must comply with Planning Commission Resolution No. 007-07 and Tier 3 SWMP requirements; Project was last reviewed at Planning Commission on February 8, 2007.)

PROJECT DESIGN REVIEW**7. 406 N ONTARE RD****E-2/SD-2 Zone**

(5:50) Assessor's Parcel Number: 053-151-012
Application Number: MST2015-00471
Owner: Christina Pizarro
Architect: Koffka- Phakos Design

(Proposal to demolish an existing 1,291 square foot, one-story single-family residence with an attached garage and construct a new 3,601 square foot, two-story residence with an attached 567 square foot three-car garage. Also proposed are a swimming pool, patios, site walls, landscaping, and a total of 187 cubic yards of cut grading, of which 179 cubic yards will be under the residence and 8 cubic yards will be under the pool. The proposed total of 4,169 square feet on a 21,524 square foot lot is 89% of the guideline maximum floor-to-lot area ratio (FAR).)

(Project Design Approval is requested; Project was last reviewed on May 2, 2016.)

SEE SEPARATE AGENDA FOR CONSENT ITEMS