



PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

March 10, 2008

7:00 p.m.

City Council Chambers

701 Laurel Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025

CALL TO ORDER – 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL – Bims, Bressler, Deziel (Chair), Keith, O'Malley, Pagee, Riggs (Vice chair)

INTRODUCTION OF STAFF – Deanna Chow, Senior Planner; Megan Fisher, Associate Planner; Justin Murphy, Development Services Manager; Thomas Rogers, Associate Planner

A. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Under "Public Comments," the public may address the Commission on a consent calendar item or any subject not listed on the agenda within the jurisdiction of the Commission. When you do so, please state your name and city or political jurisdiction in which you live for the record. The Commission cannot respond to non-agendized items other than to receive testimony and/or provide general information.

B. CONSENT – None

Items on the consent calendar are considered routine in nature, require no further discussion by the Planning Commission, and may be acted on in one motion unless a member of the Planning Commission or staff requests a separate discussion on an item.

C. PUBLIC HEARING

1. [Use Permit/Axis LCP, Inc./550 Ravenswood Avenue:](#) Request to renew a use permit for a private recreational use (personal training) and for new associated massage services in the C-3 (Central Commercial) zoning district.
2. [Use Permit/Gerald Culas/657 Oak Grove Avenue:](#) Request for a use permit for wine tasting and retail sale of wine associated with an eating establishment (café and specialty market) in the C-3 (Central Commercial) zoning district.
3. [Use Permit/The Hagman Group/1010 Doyle Street:](#) Request for use permit approval to add 84 square feet to an existing building that currently exceeds 100 percent FAR in the C-3 (Central Commercial) zoning district, and to apply the use based parking guidelines to retain the nine existing off-street parking spaces where one additional parking space would otherwise be required for the additional floor area.

4. [Planned Development Permit Extension, Vesting Tentative Map Extension, and Planned Development Permit Amendment/Beltramo's Investment Co. Inc./1452 & 1460 El Camino Real and 1457 & 1473 San Antonio Street:](#) Request for the following: 1) a two-year extension of a Planned Development (PD) Permit for the construction of a new 26,800-square-foot, two-story commercial building with at-grade and subterranean parking and 16 two-story townhomes with partially submerged parking, 2) a two-year extension for a Vesting Tentative Map for the creation of 16 residential lots with associated common areas and one commercial lot for condominium purposes not to exceed 40 commercial units on an approximate 1.5-acre site, and 3) a Planned Development Permit Amendment to modify condition 6.30.1 regarding installation of a temporary 8 foot high plywood noise barrier around the perimeter of the project site. The applicant proposes to install a chain link fence around the construction site with black or green netting, and provide a solid plywood fence where the property abuts residential uses. The rezoning from C-4 (General Commercial, Applicable to El Camino Real) to P-D (Planned Development), the PD Permit, and the Vesting Tentative Map were previously approved by the City Council in August 2006.

D. REGULAR BUSINESS

1. [Consideration of minutes from the February 11, 2008, Planning Commission meeting.](#)
2. [Review of 2008-09 Project Priority Recommendations](#)

E. COMMISSION BUSINESS, REPORTS, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Review of upcoming planning items on the City Council agenda.

ADJOURNMENT

Future Planning Commission Meeting Schedule

Regular Meeting	March 24, 2008
Regular Meeting	April 7, 2008
Regular Meeting	April 21, 2008
Regular Meeting	May 5, 2008
Regular Meeting	May 19, 2008

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