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Agenda

Planning & Land Use Management (PLUM) with the Board of
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Monday, October 02, 2023 From 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Public Welcome

Windward School, 11350 Palms Blvd, Los Angeles, Ca 90066

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1. **CALL TO ORDER 6:36 pm**
2. **ROLL CALL AND EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS/CONFLICTS-OF-INTEREST** - *roll call shall include each attending board member declaring any ex parte communications outside of their duties and conflicts of interest pertaining to items on or related to this agenda.*
Present: Wheeler, Samiley, Paddock, Curry, Ruesch, Honda, Kopelow, Rafeedie, & Peterson. Greenwald present at 6:41pm.
No ex parte or conflicts declared by any board member or committee member.
3. **WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**
4. **APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES - SEE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR DETAILS**
 - 4.1. Approval of the August 03, 2023 Minutes
Moved by Paddock. Seconded by Wheeler. Approved with no objections.
5. **CHAIR REPORTS**
 - a) CHAIR – Kevin Wheeler
 - b) VICE-CHAIR – Charlene Samiley
 - c) VICE-CHAIR – Shaia Greenwald
 - d) MEMBER – Stephen Paddock
 - e) MEMBER – Chris Curry
6. **SPECIAL ORDERS – NONE**

7. **STANDARD ORDER OF BUSINESS - NEW - *SEE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR DETAILS***

- 7.1. **[POLICY] [PLUM]** Discussion and potential action regarding a project at the Mar Vista Rec Center (11655 Palms Blvd, 90066) to replace the existing swimming pool and bathhouse. The current swimming pool is 60'x120' and is to be demolished and replaced with an upgraded Olympic-size pool (50Mx25yards). The existing bathhouse will also be demolished and replaced with a current city standard Rec and Parks bathhouse facility (6,000 sf)

Motion passed with vote of 16-Y, 0-N, 6-A

- 7.2. **[POLICY] [PLUM]** Discussion and potential action regarding a new development at 2662 S Barrington Ave. Demolition of existing structures and construction of a new 5 story 21-unit multifamily building utilizing density bonus on menu and off menu incentives.

Mar Vista Stakeholders would like the following questions addressed by the developer:

- *Would the developer be willing to match the articulation at the front elevation of the building to the back elevation facing the alley?*
- *Can more articulation with balconies or massing be added to the side elevations?*
- *With an extra floor, the developer benefits with extra units, so the community should be able to get some of that back for affordable, or eliminate the two units at the top floor facing the alley, so that the residences are looking at 4-stories instead of 5.*
- *Consideration #1: Would the developer be willing to add one additional very low income (VLI) unit on top of the 3 units already planned?*
- *Consideration #2: Would the developer entertain adding additional moderate or low income units in addition to the VLI units?*
- *Reduce the rooftop deck and set it back so it doesn't overlook the R1 residences or confirm the lines of sight to the single family homes are not intrusive.*
- *Would the developer be willing to re-pave the alley in the back?*
- *Provide information on parking flow for proposed project.*
- *Please clarify the backyard setback distance from the property line.*
- *Please send the mailing list and the notice that went out to the neighbors.*

Motion to table until after Public hearing and Planning Commission meeting with feedback from the developer regarding the above requests. Motion to table moved by Wheeler. Seconded by Samiley. Approved with no objections.

- 7.3. **[POLICY] [PLUM]** Discussion and potential Action regarding the Mar Vista Community Plan Update Stakeholder Summary of comments.

[8:31 pm – Motion made by Wheeler to extend meeting to 9:00 pm. Seconded by Ruesch. Approved w/ no objection.]

[8:59 pm – Motion made by Wheeler to extend meeting to 9:30 pm. Seconded by Samiley. Approved w/ no objection.]

Motion to send Mar Vista Stakeholder summary of comments with adjustments made at tonight's meeting in a letter to Councilwoman Traci Park moved by Ruesch. Seconded by Wheeler. Approved w/ no objections.

- 7.4. **[POLICY] [PLUM] [Policy]** Discussion and potential Action regarding the approval of an eight foot maximum height wall and fence to enclose a front yard swimming pool in lieu of the maximum three feet six inches. *Motion to write a letter to LA City to address the inconsistencies in discretionary Zoning Administrator Determinations.*

Motion moved by Ruesch. Seconded by Wheeler.

Motion passed with vote of 5-Y, 0-N, 6-A

8. **STANDARD ORDER OF BUSINESS - OLD – [SEE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR DETAILS](#)**
9. **PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THIS AGENDA** - *The Brown Act provides for a “part of the meeting where the public can comment on any item of interest that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the local agency.” The MVCC is an advisory board to the Los Angeles City Council and, as such, its jurisdiction is restricted within Los Angeles and most importantly, the Mar Vista Community. Therefore, please keep public comments within the MVCC jurisdiction. Thank you.*

Public comment made.

10. **ADJOURNMENT 9:20 pm**

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