



City of Fort Bragg

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Meeting Agenda Planning Commission

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

6:00 PM

Town Hall, 363 N. Main Street and Via Video
Conference

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

PLANNING COMMISSIONERS PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

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ZOOM WEBINAR INVITATION

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Hi there,*

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Oct 11, 2023 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Planning Commission

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1. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON: (1) NON-AGENDA & (2) CONSENT CALENDAR**ITEMS**

MANNER OF ADDRESSING THE COMMISSION: All remarks and questions shall be addressed to the Planning Commission; no discussion or action will be taken pursuant to the Brown Act. No person shall speak without being recognized by the Chair or Acting Chair. Public comments are restricted to three (3) minutes per speaker.

TIME ALLOTMENT FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS: Thirty (30) minutes shall be allotted to receiving public comments. If necessary, the Chair or Acting Chair may allot an additional 30 minutes to public comments after Conduct of Business to allow those who have not yet spoken to do so. Any citizen, after being recognized by the Chair or Acting Chair, may speak on any topic that may be a proper subject for discussion before the Planning Commission for such period of time as the Chair or Acting Chair may determine is appropriate under the circumstances of the particular meeting, including number of persons wishing to speak or the complexity of a particular topic. Time limitations shall be set without regard to a speaker's point of view or the content of the speech, as long as the speaker's comments are not disruptive of the meeting.

BROWN ACT REQUIREMENTS: The Brown Act does not allow action or discussion on items not on the agenda (subject to narrow exceptions). This will limit the Commissioners' response to questions and requests made during this comment period.

WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENTS: Written public comments received after agenda publication are forwarded to the Commissioners as soon as possible after receipt and are available for inspection at City Hall, 416 N. Franklin Street, Fort Bragg, during normal business hours. All comments will become a permanent part of the agenda packet on the day after the meeting or as soon thereafter as possible, except comments that are in an unrecognized file type or too large to be uploaded to the City's agenda software application. Public comments may be emailed to CDD@fortbragg.com.

2. STAFF COMMENTS**3. MATTERS FROM COMMISSIONERS****4. CONSENT CALENDAR**

All items under the Consent Calendar will be acted upon in one motion unless a Commissioner requests that an individual item be taken up under Conduct of Business.

5. DISCLOSURE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS ON AGENDA ITEMS**6. PUBLIC HEARINGS**

- 6A. [23-276](#) Receive Report, Hold a Public Hearing, and Adopt a Resolution Recommending City Council Amend the Inland Land Use and Development Codes to Comply with Changes to California Housing Law Relating to Urban Lot Splits and Urban Unit Development; and Adopt a Resolution Recommending that the City Council Submit a Local Coastal Program Amendment Application to Affirm Similar Coastal Land Use and Development Code Amendments and Associated CEQA Determinations are Consistent with the Coastal Act

Attachments: [Staff Report - ZON 23-1](#)
[Att. 1 ZON 23-1 Resolution Title 17 Amend](#)
[Att. 2 ZON 23-1 Resolution Title 18 Amend](#)
[Att. 3 ZON 23-1 Consistency Analysis](#)
[Att. 4 Public Comment](#)
[Att. 5 Public Hearing Notices](#)

- 6B. [23-338](#) Receive Report, Hold a Public Hearing, Deliberate, and Approve Use Permit 1-23, Cannabis Business Permit 1-23 and Variance 2-23 for Emerald Triangle Cannabis at 546 S. Main Street, and Ensure Associated CEQA Determination is Consistent with the Coastal Act

Attachments: [Staff Report UP 1-23, CBP 1-23, VAR 2-23](#)
[Att. 1 Site Plan](#)
[Att. 2 PC Resolution](#)
[Att. 3 Public Comments](#)
[Att. 4 Public Hearing Notice English - UP 1-23](#)
[Att. 5 Public Hearing Notice Espanol - UP 1-23](#)

7. CONDUCT OF BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

The adjournment time for all Planning Commission meetings is no later than 9:00 p.m. If the Commission is still in session at 9:00 p.m., the Commission may continue the meeting upon majority vote.

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I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am employed by the City of Fort Bragg and that I caused this agenda to be posted in the City Hall notice case on Friday, October 6, 2023.

Juliana von Hacht Cherry, Community Development Director

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