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APPROVED ACTION MINUTES

PLANNING COMMISSION CITY OF SEBASTOPOL MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 13, 2024

PLANNING COMMISSION:

The notice of the meeting was posted on February 8th, 2024.

1. CALL TO ORDER: Chair Fernandez called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL:

Present: Chair Fernandez,

Vice-Chair Fritz,

Commissioner Oetinger,

Commissioner Burnes (online participant),

Absent: Commissioner Hanley,

Staff: Kari Svanstrom, Planning Director; Nzuzi Mahungu, Planning Technician

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Vice-Chair Fritz made a motion to approve the minutes of January 23rd, 2024, as submitted.

Commissioner Oetinger seconded the motion.

VOTE: 4-0-1

Ayes: Chair Fernandez, Vice-Chair Fritz, Member Oetinger, Member Burnes

Noes: Abstain:

Absent: Member Hanley

4. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA:

5. STATEMENTS OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST: Vice Chair Fritz noted a conflict due to proximity for Item 6.a, 494 High Street Use Permit

6. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

A. 494 HIGH STREET – TED LUTHIN USE PERMIT

This item was continued to the February 27th, 2024, Planning Commission meeting as there was not a quorum present for this item.

B. 7950 Bodega Avenue - Huntley Square Time Extension

Vice-Chair Fritz made a motion to approve with amendment to the Conditions of Approval, condition #10.

Member Oetinger seconded the motion.

VOTE: 4-0-1

Ayes: Chair Fernandez, Vice-Chair Fritz, Commissioner Oetinger, Commissioner

Burnes

Noes: None Abstain: None

Absent: Commissioner Hanley

7. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS:

A. VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED THRESHOLDS was discussed.

Commissioner Burnes left the meeting at 07:55 p.m. due to illness.

Commissioner Oetinger made a motion to recommend the VMT threshold project to City Council with noted corrections, and for staff to craft a resolution for formal adoption with the recommendation based on the Commissions deliberations at the February 27, 2024, meeting.

Vice-Chair Fritz seconded the motion.

VOTE: 3-0-2

Ayes: Chair Fernandez, Vice-Chair Fritz, Commissioner Oetinger

Noes: None Abstain: None

Absent: Commissioner Hanley, Commissioner Burnes

7. SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATES

8. PLANNING DEPARTMENT REPORT was given by staff.

9. ADJOURNMENT: Chair Fernandez adjourned the meeting of the Sebastopol Planning Commission at 08:15 p.m. The next regular Planning Commission meeting will be held on February 27th, 2024, at 06:00 p.m.