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SYLMAR NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL PLANNING & LAND USE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, February 9th, 2022 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Zoom Meeting Online or By Telephone

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Peter Postlmayr, Chairperson**

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The Neighborhood Council system enables meaningful civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, comprised of stakeholder volunteers who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities.

- 1. Call to Order (1) @6:30**
- 2. Roll Call (1) All present**
- 3. Housekeeping:** Sign-in Sheets, Speaker Cards for public comments, Recording and Timekeeper, facilities information. (2) **Online meeting with recordings to Leah Blöse doing**

minutes for PLUC; SNC as original host recording.

4. **Public Comment on matters not appearing on the agenda.** (10) None
5. **Discussion and Possible Action to approve Meeting Minutes:** January 12th, 2022 Planning & Land Use Committee Meeting.
George corrects wording for item #3 to be change – ‘for’ into ‘to’ of who is getting to recording and to correct the spelling of words within the agenda on items #8 & #9. Peter making within the meeting.
Cheri moves to accept the minutes with the 3 presented corrections. Patty 2nds. All present vote to approve with Lucille unavailable.
Passed.
6. **Public Official and Community Representative Announcements & Presentations followed by Public Announcements**
N/A
7. **Continued Discussion and Possible Action: 12744 San Fernando Road [ZA-2021-4570-ZAA](#)** Demolition of two existing buildings (110,940 SQFT) and construction of a new 146,746 SQFT warehouse containing 6,600 SQSF of office space, 27 loading docks, and 121 parking spaces. Height, Yard, and Building Line Adjustments 20% Slight Modifications. Applicant Josh Kreger 310-838-2400 josh@craiglawson.com
Josh Kreger presenting with the builders with outreach being met with little feedback. Peter questions the above ground easements on the property with property line barriers. Leah questions solar panels for new building with the answer the panels will be installed the availability for the lease holders to utilize.
Motion: Patty moves to accept the project as accepted with support for buffering and possible planting on available easements Lucille 2nd.
George questions feasibility of planting with no argument.
All present vote to approve the proposed project.
Action: None
8. **Continued Discussion and Possible Action: 13260 Maclay Street APCNV-2021-10623-CPIOE-CU-SRP** – Demolition of an existing apartment building and construction of mixed-use project of 25 dwelling units, 163,455 square feet of self-storage and ground floor office/art studios <https://therealdeal.com/la/2021/12/29/investor-plans-apartments-to-go-with-self-storage-at-200k-complex/> Nick Leathers 310-994-6657 (20)
Nick Leathers with Crest Real Estate presenting for Trojan Storage – returning with planning adjustments from previous presentation. To include parking for residents and guests with more available after hour parking and color building inclusions to blend with the community. Cheri questions the 4 story height. Answer is none but it is within the new City Guideline.
Motion: Patty moves approve the building as accepted with current rendering & budget approved for it as rendering proposed. Cheri 2nd. All present vote to approve.
Passed.
Action: Letter of support to be proposed for SNC April '22 meeting.
9. **Discussion and Possible Action: 14360 Bledsoe Street ZA-2022-315-CUW** – The installation, use, and maintenance of a wireless telecommunication facility in the PF-1VL-K

Zone on an existing 163' electrical structure. Applicant: Eukon Group Monica 661-621-5083
No representative available.
Continue to next meeting

- 10. Update:** City of San Fernando's Reservoir Replacement Project. It's been a while since we reached out as there were some delays in the San Fernando Reservoir Replacement Project (13655 Foothill Blvd., Sylmar, near the intersection with Hubbard Street) once the construction/demolition bidding phase began last year. The construction bidding process is moving forward again so we wanted to update you accordingly. We are also reaching out at this time to the LAPD, Senator Hertzberg's office, and affected and neighboring businesses, to advise them. We're happy to reach out further to other individuals or groups you might advise.

Here are our latest estimates for the project timeline:

- a. Potential contractors are bidding on the project now and until mid-February 2022
- b. The San Fernando City Council may award a construction contract about the 3rd week of March 2022
- c. The City of San Fernando may issue a Notice to Proceed to the successful contractor in early May 2022
- d. 12-15 months of demolition and construction will ensue from approximately May 2022 to July 2023

A new development is that as demolition and construction occur later this year, LADOT will require driveway closure (two driveways) on Foothill Blvd. for the Shell gas station and business strip mall located at the corner of Foothill and Hubbard, along with a lane closure and suspension of street parking along Foothill near the Reservoir property. That means customers and employees of those businesses will have to use the two driveways along Hubbard to access that property and those businesses, and traffic near that intersection will be impacted to an extent. Current plans are to retain the pedestrian sidewalk and bike lane access along Foothill Blvd. You may view the affected location by connecting to this link:

<https://goo.gl/maps/1kk1Ax1hpAJcnKaDA> Applicant representative David DePinto 310-502-7928

Many questions asked with concerns of traffic.

No Motion.

Action: Request of representative making themselves available

- 11. Discussion and Possible Action: 15827 Roxford Street – ENV-2021-8928-EAF – DIR-2021-8927-SPR.** Ms. Sophia Kim emailed “The applicant is currently updating the application to include a Major Development Permit Conditional Use and due to this change the case will be converted to a CPC level case which will have a hearing officer hearing followed by a CPC hearing and decision.” Received plans from Shean Kim, VP of Dev. Management for XEBEC 562-546-0252 SheanK@xebecrealty.com

Applicant to take community comments and questions to present again in March 2020.

Action: March agenda

12. Follow Up on Past Discussions: Past Projects

NA

13. Committee Member Comments on subject matters within Committee's jurisdiction.

Movement of current items to be moved to March meeting

14. Future Agenda Items: Please e-mail the PLUC Chair at Peter.Postlmayr@SylmarNC.org by the first of the month for that months' meeting.

NA

15. Closing Remarks, Announcements, Acknowledgements and Adjournment:

Adjourned @8:50

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