

PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

October 8, 2018

*Pre-Meeting Agenda Review begins at **5:30 p.m.** in Conference Room 1A **Planning Commission Meeting begins at **6:00 p.m.** in the Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG.

ROLL CALL: Chair Stephan Andranian

Vice Chair Byron de Arakal

Commissioners: Jeffrey Harlan, Carla Navarro Woods, Jon Zich

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRESENTATIONS:

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

To ensure fair and equal treatment of all who appear before the Planning Commission, and to expedite City business, speakers may be limited to three minutes during Public Comments to speak on any item within the Planning Commission's jurisdiction, which is not listed on the Agenda. This time may be extended for good cause by the Chair or by majority vote of the Planning Commission. In accordance with Costa Mesa Municipal Code, Sec. 2-64 (1): No person in the audience shall engage in disorderly, disruptive, disturbing, delaying or boisterous conduct.

PLANNING COMMISSIONER COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS:

CONSENT CALENDAR:

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and will be acted upon in one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless members of the Planning Commission, staff, or the public request specific items to be discussed and/or removed from the Consent Calendar for discussion. Items removed from the Consent Calendar will be discussed and voted upon immediately following Planning Commission action on the remainder

of the Consent Calendar. Members of the public who wish to discuss Consent Calendar items should come forward to the microphone upon invitation by the Chair, state their name (optional), and item number to be addressed.

CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF AUGUST 27, 2018

Recommended Action: Approve the minutes of a meeting of the Planning Commission held on August 27, 2018.

2. MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF AUGUST 13, 2018

Recommended Action: Approve the minutes of a meeting of the Planning Commission held on August 13, 2018.

3. RESOLUTION NO. PC-18-XX DESIGNATING THE COSTA MESA SENIOR CENTER
AS THE TEMPORARY LOCATION FOR PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS
DURING CONSTRUCTION OF THE CITY HALL FIRST FLOOR AND CITY COUNCIL
CHAMBERS IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Recommended Action: Staff recommends that the Planning Commission adopt Resolution No. PC-18-XX temporarily moving the meeting location for Planning Commission meetings to the Costa Mesa Senior Center during construction of the City Hall First Floor and City Council Chambers Improvement Project.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

PROCEDURE: Announcement of Public Hearing Item, Report of Ex Parte Communications, Staff Report Presentation, Commission Questions for Staff, Open Public Hearing, Close Public Hearing, Motion

1. PLANNING APPLICATION 17-11, A MASTER PLAN FOR THE FUTURE EXPANSION OF VANGUARD UNIVERSITY AT 55 FAIR DRIVE

Project Description: Planning Application 17-11 is a request for a Master Plan for the future expansion of the Vanguard University Campus. The proposed Master Plan establishes a comprehensive plan for future development at the University and is intended to supersede previous Master Plan approvals. It is anticipated that the Master Plan will accommodate up to 2,700 enrolled students (2,098 students are currently enrolled) and is comprised of at least 12 separate projects that involve the removal and/or reconstruction of buildings on the campus. The Master Plan would establish Development Areas and Development Guidelines for future buildings and related site improvements within a Master Plan framework. It is intended that the Development Areas and Development Guidelines remain fixed while allowing for the future development of buildings of various types, size and heights within these Areas, consistent with the Guidelines.

This item was continued from the April 23, 2018 and the May 14, 2018 Planning Commission meetings. On June 25, 2018, the Planning Commission adopted the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the Master Plan and approved Project B for the Student Center, and continued the remainder of the Master Plan to the August 27, 2018 meeting. At the request of the Applicant, the item was continued from the August 27, 2018 meeting to the October 8, 2018 meeting.

Environmental Determination: An Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) was prepared by the City in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The IS/MND was adopted by the Planning Commission on June 25, 2018 and the Notice of Determination (NOD) was filed with the County and the State Office of Planning and Research in accordance with the CEQA Guidelines. No further action on the IS/MND is required.

Recommended Action: Staff recommends that the Planning Commission adopt a Resolution approving the balance of the Master Plan project as presented, subject to conditions of approval and mitigation measures.

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:

1. Public Services Report

Recommended Action: Receive and file

2. Development Services Report

Recommended Action: Receive and file

CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE REPORT:

1. City Attorney

Recommended Action: Receive and file

ADJOURNMENT

Next Meeting: Planning Commission regular meeting, October 22, 2018, 6 PM, City of Costa Mesa Council Chambers, 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, California.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS:

Costa Mesa Planning Commission meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 77 Fair Drive. All Planning Commission meetings are open to the public.

The Planning Commission and staff hold an Agenda Review Study Session at 5:30 p.m., prior to the regular meeting, in Conference Room 1A. This session is open to the public. Each member of the public will be given the opportunity to speak for one (1) minute on study session items.

PUBLIC COMMENTS - MATTER LISTED ON THE AGENDA:

Members of the public desiring to speak during the Public Comments period on a matter listed on the agenda are not required to submit a speaker card but may choose to voluntarily complete a card for facilitation of the minutes and possible follow-up to their comments. Each speaker is limited to three minutes.

- 1. Any written communications, photos, or other material for copying and distribution to the Planning Commission must be submitted to the Planning Division staff NO LATER THAN 3:00 P.M. If the public wishes to submit written communication, photos, or other material for distribution to the Planning Commission at the meeting AFTER 3:00 p.m., 10 copies will need to be provided for distribution. Please note that NO copies of written communication will be made AFTER 3:00 p.m. Any materials to be displayed on the overhead projector at the Planning Commission Meeting must be submitted to the Planning Department NO LATER THAN 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE START OF THE MEETING.
- All cell phones and other electronic devices are to be turned off or set to vibrate.
 Members of the audience are requested to step outside the Council Chambers to conduct a phone conversation.
- In accordance with City Council Policy 000-11, and among other requirements, any video submitted for display at a public meeting must have been previously reviewed by staff to verify appropriateness for general audiences. A copy of this policy is available at City Hall during normal office hours.
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APPEAL PROCEDURE:

Unless otherwise indicated, the decision of the Planning Commission is final at 5:00 p.m., seven (7) days following the action, unless an aggrieved party files: (1) an application for rehearing by the Planning Commission, or (2) an appeal to the City Council, or (3) a member of City Council requests a review of the action. Applications for appeals or re-hearings are available in the Planning Division and in the City Clerk's office.

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