

CITY OF SAUSALITO

REGULAR PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA in the City Hall COUNCIL CHAMBERS at 420 Litho Street, SAUSALITO, CA 94965 Wednesday, July 12, 2023 6:30 PM

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1. CALL TO ORDER

Commissioners: Chair Jeffery Luxenberg Vice Chair Andrew Junius Kristina Feller Richard Graef Nastassya Saad

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4. APPROVAL OF PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES

4.A. Draft Planning Commission Minutes 6/14/2023

5. COMMUNICATIONS

Planning Commission / City Staff

Report out from Planning Commissioners (including but not limited to):
Ferry Landside Working Group (Feller / Junius)
Housing Element Working Group (Feller / Saad)
Parklets (Feller / Chair Luxenberg)
Master Plan Working Group (Feller / Saad)
Landslide Task Force (Feller)

6. PUBLIC HEARING

6.A. 426 Pine Street I Design Review Permit, ADU I Project ID: 2023-00013 I APN: 065-054-11 I Magda Gonzalez, Contract Planner

RECOMMENDATION: Continue to date uncertain

Public Comment as of July 6, 2023

Late Mail Public Comment as of July 11, 2023

Late Mail Public Comment as of July, 12, 2023

Late Mail Public Comment Gann, July 12, 2023

Late Mail Public Comment K.Green, July 10, 2023

6.B. 2650 Bridgeway Boulevard I Tree Removal Permit I Project ID: 2023-00070 I APN: 063-140-18 I Matthew Mandich, Assistant Planner

SUMMARY: A Tree Removal Permit to allow the removal of two Deodar Cedar Trees measuring 15 inches DBH (diameter at breast height) and 17 inches DBH, respectively. The trees are located in the front (SW) of the property adjacent to the public right-of way on Bridgeway Boulevard.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends the Planning Commission deny the removal of two deodar cedars due to failure to meet Findings in SMC 11.12.030 (B).

Staff Report

Attachment 1 - Vicinity Map

Attachment 2 - Arborist Report

Attachment 3 - Public Comment as of July 6, 2023

Attachment 4 - Draft Resolution

Late Mail Public Comment, M. Pierce, July 12, 2023

- 6.C. ADU/JADU Municipal Code Edits Amendments to Title 10 (Zoning) of the Sausalito Municipal Code of the following sections:
 - Table 10.22-1 Land Uses Allowed in Residential Districts
 - Sections 10.44.080 Accessory Dwelling Unit Regulations
 - Section 10.44.085 Junior Accessory Dwelling Unit Regulations

SUMMARY: Conduct a public hearing on proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendments and forward a recommendation to the City Council for their consideration during a regularly scheduled City Council meeting in September, 2023. The amendments are proposed to establish conformity with updated State laws (Gov't Code Section 65852.2) regulating Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) and Junior Accessory Dwelling Units (JADUs) which went into effect on January 1, 2023. Amendments also respond to the April 6, 2023, written review of the City's current zoning regulations by the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD).

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends the Planning Commission take the following actions:

- 1. Conduct a public hearing on the proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendments.
- 2. Provide direction as appropriate for additional modifications of proposed Amendments to Staff. Modifications must remain in compliance with State ADU & JADU law.
- 3. Adopt the attached Resolution recommending City Council adoption of the proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendments.

Staff Report

Attachment 1 - Senate Bill No. 897 (ADU/JADU State Update)

Attachment 2 - April 6, 2023, Review Letter from Housing and Community Development (HCD)

Attachment 3 - Table 10.22-1 Amended

Attachment 4 - Redlined Amendments to Sections 10.44.080 and 10.44.085

Attachment 5 - Clean Version of Amended Sections 10.44.080 and 10.44.085

Attachment 6 - Draft Ordinance

Draft Resolution

7. ADJOURNMENT

LEAD DEPARTMENT

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