MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING – VIDEO CONFERENCE

AGOURA HILLS PLANNING COMMISSION
Civic Center – Council Chambers
30001 Ladyface Court, Agoura Hills, California 91301
Thursday, July 16, 2020
6:30 p.m.

The Planning Commission meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chair Asuncion.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice Chair Mogri.

Present were: Chair John R. Asuncion, Vice Chair Murtaza Mogri, and

Commissioners Kate Anderson, Michael Justice, and Jeremy

Wolf.

Also Present were: Planning Director Doug Hooper, Assistant City Attorney Nick

Ghirelli, Engineering Aide Robert Cortes, Assistant City Manager Nathan Hamburger, Deputy City Manager Louis Celaya, and City Clerk/Recording Secretary Kimberly

Rodrigues.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

ACTION: Commissioner Wolf moved to approve the Agenda, as presented.

Commissioner Justice seconded. The motion carried 5-0, by the

following roll call vote:

AYES: Chair Asuncion, Vice Chair Mogri, and Commissioners

Anderson, Justice, and Wolf.

NOES: None. ABSENT: None.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

There were no public comments.

1. Minutes – June 18, 2020 Regular Planning Commission Meeting

ACTION: Commissioner Justice moved to adopt the minutes, as presented.

Vice Chair Mogri seconded. The motion carried 5-0, by the following

roll call vote:

AYES: Chair Asuncion, Vice Chair Mogri, and Commissioners

Anderson, Justice, and Wolf.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

SITE PLAN / ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

2. REQUEST: Request for 1) approval of a Site Plan/Architectural

Review to construct a new 2,446 square-foot, two story, single-family residence and a 647 square-foot attached garage; and 2) to make a finding of exemption under the

California Environmental Quality Act.

APPLICANT: Eli Lugasi

30831 Oakrim Drive

Westlake Village, CA 91362

CASE NO.: SPR-01730-2020

LOCATION: 28623 Acacia Glen Street

ENVIRONMENTAL

DETERMINATION: Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act

(CEQA) per Section 15303 of the CEQA Guidelines.

ZONING

DESIGNATION: Single Family Residential - maximum five (5) dwelling

units per acre - 7,000 square-foot minimum lot size (RS-

(5)-7,000

GENERAL PLAN

DESIGNATION: Residential Single Family (RS)

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommended the Planning Commission approve

Site Plan/Architectural Review Case No. SPR-01730-2020, subject to conditions, based on the findings of the

Resolution.

Following presentation of the staff report, Chair Asuncion opened the floor for public comments.

Public comments were received by email and forwarded to the Planning Commission prior to the meeting by the following person(s):

Rik Zelman, Agoura Hills, Board of Directors, Fountainwood Homeowners Association

Sue Talley and Steve Greenberg, Agoura Hills

Diane Huddleston, Agoura Hills

John O'Malley, Agoura Hills

Fountainwood Neighbors, Agoura Hills: Sue Talley, Steve Greenberg, Diane Huddleston, John and Viveka O'Malley, Bob Sexton, David and Melissa Mellman, and Ying Ying Wu

Robert Sexton, Agoura Hills (2) Ying Ying Wu, Agoura Hills

The following person(s) spoke (remote live testimony):

Eli Lugasi, Westlake Village, Applicant Hadas Lugasi, Westlake Village Sue Talley, Westlake Village, former Acacia Glen Street resident Stephen Greenberg, Westlake Village, former Acacia Glen Street resident Sam Greenberg, Los Angeles, former Acacia Glen Street resident Ying Ying Wu, Agoura Hills, former Acacia Glen Street resident

There were no further public speakers.

The Applicant provided a rebuttal:

Eli Lugasi, Westlake Village Hadas Lugasi, Westlake Village

Following further deliberation, the Planning Commission commented as follows:

ACTION:

Commissioner Anderson moved to adopt Resolution No. 20-1246; A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY AGOURA HILLS, CALIFORNIA, **APPROVING** PLAN/ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW CASE NO. SPR-01730-2020 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCE LOCATED AT 28623 ACACIA GLEN STREET: AND MAKING A FINDING OF EXEMPTION UNDER THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT. Commissioner **Justice** seconded. The motion carried 3-2, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Commissioners Anderson, Justice, and Wolf

NOES: Chair Asuncion and Vice Chair Mogri

ABSENT: None.

PLANNING COMMISSION / STAFF COMMENTS

Commissioner Wolf spoke about the project and expressed his appreciation for the discussion by the Planning Commission and for the residents voicing their concerns.

Vice Chair Mogri thanked staff, the Commissioners, the applicant, and the neighbors who spoke on the item and wished everyone well during COVID-19.

Commissioner Wolf congratulated Nathan Hamburger on his appointment as City Manager and the Commissioners also expressed their congratulations.

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Chair Asuncion thanked staff and the Commissioners and spoke about mixing up the order of the roll call in the script to give the Commissioners an equal opportunity to start and noted he does the same for the pledge of allegiance.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Asuncion announced the next Regular Meeting of the Planning Commission would be held at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, August 6, 2020, in the Council Chambers. The meeting will be held by video conference and in-person attendance by the public in the Council Chambers will not be permitted.

ACTION: At 7:58 p.m., Vice Chair Mogri moved to adjourn the meeting.

Commissioner Justice seconded. The motion carried 5-0, by the

following roll call vote:

AYES: Chair Asuncion, Vice Chair Mogri, and Commissioners

Anderson, Justice, and Wolf.

NOES: None. ABSENT: None.

Kimberly M. Rodrigues, MMC City Clerk/Recording Secretary