AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
OF THE
PLANNING COMMISSION

7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, February 17, 2010
El Cerrito City Hall
Council Chambers
10890 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito

This Meeting Place Is Wheelchair Accessible

Roll Call - Chair Margaret Kavanaugh-Lynch; Commissioners: Michael Albrecht, Amy Coty, Bill Kuhlman, Lisa Motoyama, Tim Pine, and Sojeila Maria Silva.

1. Council / Staff Liaison Report

2. Comments from the Public
(Each speaker is limited to a maximum of 3 minutes.)

3. Approval of Minutes
Approval of the January 20, 2010 meeting minutes.

4. Commissioner Communication/Conflict of Interest Disclosure
This time on the agenda is reserved for Commissioners to disclose communications from individuals regarding specific agenda items or to state a potential conflict of interest in relation to a specific agenda item.

5. Public Hearing – 1739 Elm Street, Use Permit
Application: PL09-0187
Applicant: Joseph Dao
Location: 1739 Elm Street
APN: 502-112-043
Zoning: RM (Multi-family Residential)
General Plan: High Density Residential
Request: Planning Commission consideration of a use permit to allow a legal nonconforming accessory structure to be converted into a habitable unit (19.27.060 C.) that is one foot from the rear property line, and for a fence to exceed the required height of 3’ within the front setback (19.06.030.U of the El Cerrito Municipal Code).

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CEQA: Categorically Exempt, Class 1: Existing Facilities

6. Public Hearing – 6823 Moeser Lane, Use Permit
   Application: PL10-0007
   Applicant: Y. Min Chung
   Location: 6823 Moeser Lane
   APN: 503-202-012
   Zoning: RS-5 (Single Family Residential)
   General Plan: Low Density Residential
   Request: Planning Commission consideration of a use permit to allow a second unit (629 sq. ft.) that is larger than what is allowed (582 sq. ft.) by the zoning ordinance (19.20.190.D of the El Cerrito Municipal Code).
   CEQA: Categorically Exempt, Class 3: New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures

7. Staff Communications
   Upcoming agenda items

8. Adjournment

Appeals:
A decision of the Planning Commission may be appealed to the City Council, by the applicant or any El Cerrito resident or property owner, through the filing of a written statement and the payment of an appeal fee of $264 with the City Clerk within ten calendar days after the decision date. (The applicant may file an appeal for the cost of half the original permit fee.)

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