

Agricultural Commission Staff Report

Date:

October 6, 2022

To:

El Dorado County Agricultural Commission

From:

LeeAnne Mila; Deputy Agricultural Commissioner

Subject: CUP21-0009 Microbrewery Use to Existing Winery Conditional Use Permit. Agricultural Commission Review of Proposed Brewery Use at

Winery Assessor's Parcel Number: 078-240-021-000

Planning Request and Project Description:

The Planning Division is seeking the Agricultural Commission review of this discretionary action pursuant to General Plan Policy 8.1.4.1. whereby the applicant is proposing a 400 square microbrewery use within an existing winery area to start brewing 30 barrels of beer to serve at the existing wine tasting room. There are plans to expand beer production depending on the success of the beer but not beyond the current production facility or beyond the maximum of 15,000 barrels of beer per Microbrewery use definition.

The applicant's parcel, APN 078-240-021-000, is 10.52 acres and zoned Planned Agriculture -20 acre (PA-20) and one of two parcels associated with Ag Preserve #278. The parcel located to the north is 078-250-021-000 is zoned Limited Agriculture 20-acre (LA-20); The parcel to the southeast is 078-240-003-000 and zoned Limited Agriculture 10-acre minimum LA-10; the parcel to the west is 078-240-022-000 is zoned PA-20 and is parcel two of two of Ag Preserve #278. The remaining neighboring properties are zoned Rural Lands 10 acre minimum (RL-10) or Residential Estates five acre minimum (RE-5). All parcels are in Supervisor District 3 and are within agricultural districts.

Parcel Description:

Parcel Number and Acreage: 078-240-021, 10.52 acres

Agricultural District: Yes

Land Use Designation: RR, Rural Residential

Zoning: LA-20, Limited Agriculture 20 acres

Discussion:

A site visit was conducted on September 28, 2022, to assess the placement of the microbrewery.

Staff Findings:

Staff is recommending support of the Conditional Use Permit for a 400 square microbrewery use within an existing winery area. This use will not interfere with the ability to comply with the conditions of Williamson Act Contract (Ag. Preserve) #278. The proposed use is not taking out any crop, nor will it affect winery production.



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MEETING NOTIFICATION

The El Dorado County Agricultural Commission has been requested to review a project application for a parcel that is located in the proximity of your property. It is the customary business practice for this Commission to notify all parcels located within 500 feet of the subject parcel's boundary lines. <u>Please</u> note that the requested project may or may not affect your property.

The project listed below will be heard by the El Dorado County Agricultural Commission on October 12, 2022. This meeting is a public hearing that will begin at 6:30 pm in the Building A Board of Supervisors Hearing Room 330 Fair Lane, Placerville, California. This will also be a Zoom meeting. The link information to join the zoom meeting will be available on the county Legistar calendar at this website: https://eldorado.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx under Ag Commission Meetings for 10/12/2022 and will be posted with the Agenda on October 7, 2022.

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The Agricultural Commission is an <u>advisory</u> body to and for the Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission on all matters pertaining to agriculture. The Agricultural Commission reviews and makes recommendations only on the <u>agricultural element</u> of the project. **Please note that the exception to this is a "Request for Administrative Relief

from an Agricultural Setback" which is processed solely through the El Dorado County Department of Agriculture with the Agricultural Commission's decision being able to be appealed to the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors.

All interested parties for the above-mentioned project are encouraged to attend this meeting. Public testimony will be received on each agenda item as it is called. Individual comments are limited to 3 minutes; and individuals representing a group are allocated 5 minutes.

If you wish to view the meeting agenda in its entirety, please go to following website: https://eldorado.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx The agenda is also posted in the lobby of the Bethell-Delfino Agriculture Building located at 311 Fair Lane, Placerville, California. A copy of the project's submitted documents may also be reviewed at this location.

If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact the Clerk to the Agricultural Commission at (530) 621-6647. All questions relating to specific details of the project should be addressed to the Planner John Mijat Assistant Planner at Planning Services, (530) 621-5355.

Andersson Greta L & Randolph Gerald R 4685 Cabernet Way Placerville Ca 95667-8410 Bendick Joshua M & Carrie E 4664 Cabernet Way Placerville Ca 95667-8410 Carnahan John M Tr & Peggy A Tr 4690 Cabernet Way Placerville Ca 95667-8410

Clanton Keith W 1504 Hanchett Ave San Jose Ca 95126-2510 Johnston David Michael 3690 Springer Rd Placerville Ca 95667-7844 Stinson Stephen John Tr & Sj 2010 Liv Rev Tr 3701 Springer Rd Placerville Ca 95667-9210













