



# County of El Dorado

## Minutes - Final Planning Commission

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*Jeff Hansen, District 3*  
*James Williams, District 4*

*Char Tim, Clerk of the Planning Commission*

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Thursday, November 10, 2016

8:30 AM

Building C Hearing Room

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For purposes of the Brown Act, Section 54954.2(a), the numbered items on this agenda give a brief description of each item to be discussed. Recommendations of the staff, as shown, do not prevent the Commission from taking other action.

**8:30 A.M.**

## **CALL TO ORDER**

**Meeting was called to order at 8:30 A.M. by Commissioner Stewart.**

## **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Hansen, to Approve the agenda as presented.**

**Yes:** 5 - Commissioner Stewart, Commissioner Miller, Commissioner Shinault, Commissioner Williams and Commissioner Hansen

## **PLEDGE OF ALLIEGANCE TO THE FLAG**

**CONSENT CALENDAR (All items on the Consent Calendar are to be approved by one motion unless a Commission member requests separate action on a specific item.)**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Hansen, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to Approve the Consent Calendar.**

**Yes:** 5 - Commissioner Stewart, Commissioner Miller, Commissioner Shinault, Commissioner Williams and Commissioner Hansen

**1. [16-1039](#)**

Clerk of the Planning Commission recommending the Commission approve the MINUTES of the regular meeting of October 27, 2016.

**Item was Approved on the Consent Calendar.**

- 2. [16-1040](#) Clerk of the Planning Commission recommending the Commission approve the 2017 Planning Commission Meeting Schedule.

Item was Approved on the Consent Calendar.

**END OF CONSENT CALENDAR**

**DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS (Development Services, Transportation, County Counsel)**

Tiffany Schmid reported that she had accepted a position as a Principal Analyst in the CAO's office effective November 28, 2016.

**COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS**

Commissioner Shinault reported that building in the Tahoe area is now on a week-to-week extension with TRPA since the annual October 15 deadline.

Commissioner Stewart reported that John Hidal was the Supervisor-Elect for District 1.

**PUBLIC FORUM / PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

**AGENDA ITEMS**

- 3. [09-1167](#) Hearing to consider a time extension request for the Blackhawk Estates project (Tentative Subdivision Map Time Extension TM08-1466-E) for 3 one-year time extensions to the approved tentative map creating nine residential lots, resulting in a new expiration date of October 20, 2019 on property identified by Assessor's Parcel Number 078-200-71, consisting of 74.38 acres, in the Pleasant Valley area, submitted by Bruce and Diane Wirtanen; and staff recommending the Planning Commission take the following actions:

- 1) Find that pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Sections 15162 and 15164, there is no substantial evidence requiring the preparation of a Subsequent Mitigated Negative Declaration or an Addendum to the existing Mitigated Negative Declaration, adopted by the Board of Supervisors on October 20, 2009, as described in the CEQA Findings; and
- 2) Approve TM08-1466-E extending the expiration of the approved tentative subdivision map for three years to October 20, 2019 based on the Findings and subject to the Conditions of Approval as presented. (Supervisory District 2)

**A motion was made by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Hansen, to Approve staff's recommended actions.**

**Yes:** 5 - Commissioner Stewart, Commissioner Miller, Commissioner Shinault, Commissioner Williams and Commissioner Hansen

4. [16-1122](#) HEARING - To consider the recommendation of the Planning Commission on the Hermosa Vista Ranch Project (Rezone Z16-0003/Williamson Act Contract WAC16-0002) to establish a new Williamson Act Contract (Agricultural Preserve) and rezone from Rural Lands-40 Acres to Limited Agriculture on property identified by Assessor's Parcel Number 041-031-04, consisting of 154.04 acres, in the Somerset area, submitted by John and Maria Taylor; and recommending the Board take the following actions:
- 1) Find that the Project is Categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Sections 15305 and 15317;
  - 2) Approve Williamson Act Contract WAC16-0002 establishing a new Agricultural Preserve of approximately 154.04 acres based on the Findings (Attachment B) and subject to the Conditions of Approval (Attachment C);
  - 3) Approve Z16-0003 rezoning Assessor's Parcel Number 041-031-04 from Rural Lands-40 Acres to Limited Agriculture based on the Findings (Attachment B);
  - 4) Approve and authorize the Chair to sign said Williamson Act Contract (Attachment E);
  - 5) Adopt and authorize the Chair to sign Resolution 207-2016 for said Williamson Act Contract (Attachment 2A); and
  - 6) Adopt and authorize the Chair to sign Ordinance 5046 for said Rezone (Attachment 2B). (Supervisory District 2) (Est. Time: 30 Min.)

**A motion was made by Commissioner Shinault, seconded by Commissioner Hansen, to recommend Approval to the Board of Supervisors of staff's recommended actions.**

**Yes:** 3 - Commissioner Shinault, Commissioner Williams and Commissioner Hansen

**Noes:** 2 - Commissioner Stewart and Commissioner Miller

5. [16-0660](#) Community Development Agency, Long Range Planning, providing an update on a public workshop with the Board of Supervisors on August 16, 2016 for development of a Cultural Resources Ordinance; and staff recommending the Planning Commission take the following actions:
- 1) Receive and file staff's presentation;
  - 2) Discuss and provide comments on updates to the 1999 Guidelines for Cultural Resources Studies; and
  - 3) Discuss options for proposed amendments to General Plan Policy 7.5.1.5 for the Board to consider.

*Public Comment: K. Payne, L. Parlin, S. Taylor*

**No Action Taken.**

6. [16-0760](#) Community Development Agency, Long Range Planning, providing an update on a public workshop with the Board of Supervisors on August 16, 2016 for development of a Scenic Corridor Ordinance; and staff recommending the Planning Commission take the following actions:
- 1) Receive and file staff's presentation; and
  - 2) Review and consider key questions for implementing the Board's direction regarding development of a Scenic Corridor Ordinance.

*Public Comment: S. Taylor*

**No Action Taken.**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

**Meeting was adjourned at 12:33 P.M. by Commissioner Stewart.**

All persons interested are invited to attend and be heard or to write their comments to the Planning Commission. If you challenge the application in court, you may be limited to raising only those items you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing. Any written correspondence should be directed to Planning Services; 2850 Fairlane Court; Placerville, CA 95667.

\*A negative declaration has been prepared for this project and may be reviewed and/or obtained in Planning Services, 2850 Fairlane Court, Placerville, CA 95667, during normal business hours. A negative declaration is a document filed to satisfy CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act). This document states that there are no significant environmental effects resulting from the project, or that conditions have been proposed which would mitigate or reduce potential negative effects to an insignificant level.

\*\*This project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the above referenced section, and it is not subject to any further environmental review.