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Minutes - Final Pollock Pines Design Review Committee

Lauralee Green, Member, Chair
Charles Ferris, Member, Vice Chair
Susan Cross, Member, Secretary
Tooraj Agahi, Member
Hope Falczy, Member

Thursday, July 27, 2023

6:00 PM

<https://edcgov-us.zoom.us/j/89799360419>

Pollock Pines Community Center
2675 Sanders Drive
Pollock Pines, CA 95726

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Public comment will be received at designated periods as called by the Committee Chair.

Individuals will have three minutes to address the Committee. Except with the consent of the Committee, individuals shall be allowed to speak to an item only once.

Individual Committee members may ask clarifying questions but will not engage in substantive dialogue with persons providing input to the Committee.

If a person providing input to the Committee creates a disruption by refusing to follow Committee guidelines, the Committee Chair may take the following actions:

Step 1. Request the person adhere to Committee guidelines. If the person refuses, the Committee Chair may turn off the speaker's microphone.

Step 2. If the disruption continues, the Committee Chair may order a recess of the Committee meeting.

Step 3. If the disruption continues, the Committee Chair may order the removal of the person from the Committee meeting.

CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

Member Cross joined the meeting at 6:04 P.M, after Adoption of the Agenda and Approval of the Consent Calendar.

Present: 4 - Member Cross, Member Green, Member Ferris and Member Falcy

Absent: 1 - Member Agahi

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND APPROVAL OF CONSENT CALENDAR

A motion was made by Member Green, seconded by Member Ferris to Adopt the Agenda and Approve the Consent Calendar.

Yes: 3 - Member Green, Member Ferris and Member Falcy

Absent: 1 - Member Agahi

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. [23-1388](#) Approval of the Minutes from the regular meeting on January 5, 2023.

Attachments: [1-5-2023 Draft Minutes](#)
[1-5-2023 Final Minutes](#)

This matter was Approved on the Consent Calendar.

Yes: 3 - Member Green, Member Ferris and Member Falcy

Absent: 1 - Member Agahi

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

AGENDA ITEMS

2. [23-1330](#) Pollock Pines Design Review Committee to review and make recommendations regarding the following project: CUP22-0010 - Stella Battery Storage (Apex Energy Solutions, LLC/Tooraj & Adorea Agahi/Herve Pare): A Conditional Use Permit for the development and ongoing operation of an up to 5.0-megawatt (MW)/20.0-megawatt hour (MWh) battery energy storage facility on an undeveloped portion of a parcel. The property, identified by Assessor's Parcel Number 009-330-0641, consists of 1.87-acres, and is located on the north side of Pony Express Trail, approximately 750-feet east of the intersection with Forebay Road, in the Pollock Pines Rural Center area Supervisorial District 5.

Attachments: [A - Initial Consultation Letter CUP22-0010 \(003\)](#)

[B - Application Packet CUP22-0010](#)

[C - CUP22-0010 Stella DRC Presentation](#)

A motion was made by Member Ferris, seconded by Member Green to approve the project as presented.

Yes: 4 - Member Cross, Member Green, Member Ferris and Member Falcy

Absent: 1 - Member Agahi

ADJOURNED AT 6:20 P.M.