# **City of Fontana**

8353 Sierra Avenue Fontana, CA 92335



# Regular Agenda

Resolution No. PC 2025-029

Tuesday, September 16, 2025 6:00 PM

**Grover W. Taylor Council Chambers** 

# **Planning Commission**

Idilio Sanchez, Chair Ricardo Quintana, Vice Chair Joe Armendarez, Secretary Dylan Keetle, Commissioner Torrie Lozano, Commissioner

# Welcome to a meeting of the Fontana Planning Commission.

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# **CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL:**

A. Call To Order/Roll Call:

## INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

A. Invocation/Pledge of Allegiance:

#### **PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS:**

This is an opportunity for citizens to speak to the Planning Commission for up to three minutes on items not on the Agenda, but within the Planning Commission's jurisdiction. The Planning Commission is prohibited by law from discussing or taking immediate action on non-agendized items.

#### A. Public Communications:

# **CONSENT CALENDAR:**

All matters listed under CONSENT CALENDAR will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will be no separate discussion on these items prior to the time Planning

Commission votes on them, unless a member of the Planning Commission requests a specific item be removed from the Consent Calendar for discussion.

# A. Approval of Minutes

Approve the Regular Planning Commission Meeting Minutes of August 19, 2025.

CC-A Approval of Minutes of August 19, 2025.

25-0509

25-0461

Attachments: Draft Planning Commission Minutes of August 19, 2025.

Approve Consent Calendar Item as recommended by staff.

#### **PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

To comment on Public Hearing Items, you may submit comments via e-mail at planning@fontanaca.gov. In the subject of your e-mail please indicate whether you are in favor or opposition of the item. Comments must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting. You may also fill out a card at the meeting and give it to the City Clerk. Public Comments should be no longer than three (3) minutes. If you challenge in court any action taken concerning a Public Hearing item, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the Public Hearing.

# All Public Hearings will be conducted following this format:

(a) hearing opened

(e) oral - favor

(b) written communication

(f) oral - opposition

(c) council/staff comments

(g) hearing closed

(d) applicant comments

PH-A Master Case No. (MCN) 23-0104: Tentative Parcel Map No. 23-0017 (TPM No. 20664), and Design Review (DR) No. 23-0027; A request to consolidate five (5) parcels into one (1) parcel for the development of a 166,985 square foot warehouse facility, and a request for site and architectural approval of the new warehouse building, and associated site improvements, on 9.19 acres, located on the northwest corner of Santa Ana Avenue and Banana Avenue, (APNs: 0236-081-03, 0236-081-04, 0236-081-32, 0236-081-37 and 0236-081-45), pursuant to an Addendum to the Southwest Industrial Park Specific Plan Final Environmental Impact Report (SCH No. 2009091089) prepared for the Project.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

This item will be re-noticed for the October 7, 2025 meeting.

No action is required.

APPLICANT: LBA Realty/LBA Logistics 3347 Michelson Drive Irvine, CA 92612

#### LOCATION:

The project site is located on the northwest corner of Santa Ana Avenue and Banana Avenue, (APNs: 0236-081-03, 0236-081-04, 0236-081-32, 0236-081-37 and 0236-081-45)

#### PROJECT PLANNER:

Alejandro Rico, Associate Planner

PH-B Master Case No. 25-0047 and Municipal Code Amendment No. 25-0008: Fontana Municipal Code amendments to Chapter 30 to modify multiple sections of the Zoning and Development Code, including modifications to the definition of and operating standards for restaurants, development standards for the Multi-Family Medium/High Density Residential (R-4) zone, administrative procedures pertaining to administrative site plan and design review entitlements; modification to Chapter 26 pertaining to time extensions for tentative maps; and modification to Chapter 33 to provide additional delivery standards for cannabis retail storefront businesses. (Continued from August 19, 2025)

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

Based on the information in the staff report, staff recommends that the Planning Commission approve Resolution No. PC 2025 -\_\_\_\_; and,

- 1. Determine that the proposed Ordinance is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15060(c), 15061(B)(3) (the common-sense exemption), and 15378 and Sections No. 3.01, 3.22, and 10.59 of the 2019 Local Guidelines for Implementing CEQA, in that the activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment where it can be with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA; and,
- 2. Approve a resolution recommending that the City Council adopt an Ordinance for Municipal Code Amendment (MCA) No.

25-0440

25-0450

25-0008 to amend Chapters 26, 30, and 33 of the Municipal Code.

APPLICANT: City of Fontana 8353 Sierra Ave. Fontana, CA 92335

LOCATION: Citywide

**PROJECT PLANNER:** 

**Cecily Session-Goins, Associate Planner** 

Attachments: Attachment No. 1 - Planning Commission Resolution

Attachment No. 2 - Notice of Exemption
Attachment No. 3 - Public Hearing Notice

PH-C Master Case No. 23-0103: Design Review (DRP) No. 23-0025 - A request for site and architectural approval of two approximately 104,000 square foot, four-story medical office buildings on approximately 16.4 acres in Planning Area 27 of the West Gate Specific Plan (Assessor Parcel Number 0228-021-47), pursuant to an Addendum to the Final Environmental Impact Report for the West Gate Specific Plan (State Clearinghouse No. 1995052002).

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Based on the information contained in this staff report and subject to the attached Findings and Conditions of Approval. staff recommends that the Planning Commission adopt Resolution No. PC 2025 - ; and,

- 1. Find that the project has been reviewed under a previously certified Final Environmental Impact Report (State Clearinghouse [SCH] No. 1995052002) and adopt an Addendum, pursuant to Sections 15162 and 15164 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines finding that no further analysis is required, and direct staff to file a Notice of Determination; and,
- 2. Approve Design Review No. 23-0025.

APPLICANT: Caren Cupp c|a ARCHITECTS 3738 Bayer Ave., Suite 104 Long Beach, CA 90808

#### LOCATION:

The project site is located east at the northwest corner of South Highland Avenue and San Sevaine Road (APN:0228-021-47).

#### PROJECT PLANNER:

**Cecily Session-Goins, Associate Planner** 

Attachments: Attachment No. 1 - Vicinity Map

Attachment No. 2 - Project Plans

Attachment No. 3 - Planning Commission Resolution

Attachment No. 4 - Notice of Determination
Attachment No. 5 - Public Hearing Notice

PH-D Master Case No. (MCN) 25-0009: Conditional Use Permit (CUP) No. 05-00005-R1 - A request to modify an existing Conditional Use Permit (CUP No. 05-00005) to allow an increase in the floor area in an existing ABC License Type 20 (Off-Sale, Beer and Wine) 7-Eleven convenience store, pursuant to a categorical exemption in accordance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15301.

25-0460

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

Based on the information contained in this staff report and subject to the attached Findings and Conditions of Approval; staff recommends that the Planning Commission adopt Resolution No. PC 2025 - \_\_\_\_; and,

- 1. Determine that the project is categorically exempt pursuant to Section No. 15301 (Class 1, Existing Facilities), and Section No. 3.22 (Categorical Exemption) of the Local 2019 Guidelines for Implementing CEQA, and direct staff to file a Notice of Exemption; and,
- 2. Approve Conditional Use Permit (CUP) No. 05-00005-R1.

APPLICANT: Sherrie Olson 7-Eleven, Inc. 1030 N. Mountain Avenue Ontario, CA. 91762

LOCATION:

The project site is located at 15264 Summit Avenue (APN: 1108-021-02).

**PROJECT PLANNER:** 

Mai Thao, Assistant Planner

Attachments: Attachment No. 1 - Vicinity Map

Attachment No. 2 - Project Plans

Attachment No. 3 - Census Tract 23.15

Attachment No. 4 - Planning Commission Resolution and

**Condition of Approval** 

Attachment No. 5 - Notice of Exemption
Attachment No. 6 - Public Hearing Notice

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

A. None

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

A. None

# **DIRECTOR COMMUNICATIONS:**

A. Director Communications:

DC-A Upcoming cases scheduled for City Council and Planning 25-0510 Commission.

An update of future City Council agenda items for September 23, 2025 for the Planning Commission's information.

An update of future Planning Commission agenda items for October 7, 2025 for the Planning Commission's information.

Attachments: Upcoming City Council Items Memo

**Upcoming Planning Commission Items Memo** 

## **COMMISSION COMMENTS:**

A. Planning Commission Remarks:

#### **WORKSHOP:**

A. None

# **ADJOURNMENT:**

# A. Adjournment

Adjourn to the next Regular Planning Commission Meeting on Tuesday, October 7, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in the Grover W. Taylor Council Chambers located at 8353 Sierra Avenue, Fontana, California.