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Wednesday, May 18, 2022
5:30 p.m.

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Open Session – 5:30 p.m.

Regular meeting called to order by Chair Valania at 5:32 p.m. Wednesday, May 18, 2022.

Commissioners Present: Daniel Herrick, Ryan Miller, Alice Valania, and Max Slavkin

Commissioners Absent: William Carter

William Carter joined the meeting at 5:35 p.m.

Consent Calendar
All items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered and acted upon by one Motion. Anyone may request an item be removed for separate consideration.

Action: Moved/Seconded: Commissioner Herrick / Commissioner Slavkin
Yes: Commissioners William Carter, Daniel Herrick, Ryan Miller, Alice Valania, and Max Slavkin

A motion passed to adopt the Consent Calendar in one motion.
1. **Approval of Preservation Commission Meeting Minutes**
   File ID: 2022-00956
   **Location:** Citywide
   **Action:** Passed a **Motion** approving the Preservation Commission Meeting Minutes of April 20, 2022.
   **Contact:** Blair Hongo, Deputy City Clerk, (916) 808-5929, bhongo@cityofsacramento.org; Alexis Allen, Deputy City Clerk, (916) 808-5928, aballen@cityofsacramento.org

**Public Hearing**

2. **Ordinance listing 420 4th Avenue (C.G. Hidden Farmhouse) as a Landmark on the Sacramento Register of Historic and Cultural Resources (M22-002) [Noticed 05/06/2022]**
   File ID: 2022-00952
   **Location:** 420 4th Avenue (C.G. Hidden Farmhouse) (012-0151-035-0000); District 7
   **Action:** Moved/Seconded: Commissioner Carter / Commissioner Miller
   **Yes:** Commissioners William Carter, Daniel Herrick, Ryan Miller, Alice Valania, and Max Slavkin

Conducted a public hearing and upon conclusion Passed a **Motion** recommending the City Council: **Item A:** Passed a **Motion** determining the listing of the C.G. Hidden Farmhouse at 420 4th Avenue as a landmark on the Sacramento Register of Historical and Cultural Resources exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15308, which exempts actions taken to assure the maintenance, restoration, enhancement, or protection of the environment and where the regulatory process involves procedures for the protection of the environment; and **Item B:** Adopt an Ordinance listing the C.G. Hidden Farmhouse at 420 4th Avenue as a landmark on the Sacramento Register of Historic and Cultural Resources.

   **Contact:** Sean de Courcy, Preservation Director, (916) 808-2796, sdecourcy@cityofsacramento.org, Community Development Department

3. **Grower’s District (P21-024) [Noticed 05/06/2022]**
   File ID: 2022-00566
   **Location:** 200, 211, and 215 North 16th Street; APNs 001-0151-001, -002, -005, 001-0153-001, 001-0152-001, -002, -003; District 4
   **Action:** Moved/Seconded: Commissioner Miller / Commissioner Slavkin
   **Yes:** Commissioners William Carter, Daniel Herrick, Ryan Miller, Alice Valania, and Max Slavkin
Conducted a public hearing and upon conclusion recommended the Planning and Design Commission recommend to the City Council approval of the following: **Item A.** Environmental Exemption pursuant to Public Resources Code (PRC) section 21155.4; **Item B:** Ordinance amending Title 17 of the Sacramento City Code to rezone three sites totaling ±5.23-acres from the Heavy Commercial (C-4-SPD) zone to the General Commercial (C-2-SPD) zone within the River District Special Planning District (SPD) (no action required by the Preservation Commission; this item will be acted on by the Planning and Design Commission, but is listed here for completeness); **Item C.** Site Plan and Design Review for demolition of one building and alterations to two buildings, the construction of four mixed-use buildings with 525 dwelling units and ±70,887 square feet of commercial space with deviations to building height and multi-unit open space standards within the C-2-SPD zone, River District SPD, and North 16th Street Historic District; and **Item D:** Tree Permit to remove three City trees.

**Contact:** Angel Anguiano, Assistant Planner, aanguiano@cityofsacramento.org, (916) 808-5519; Karlo Felix, Senior Planner, kfelix@cityofsacramento.org, (916) 808-7183, Community Development Department

**Discussion Calendar**

*Discussion calendar items include an oral presentation including those recommending “receive and file”.*

4. **African American Experience Support Ad Hoc Subcommittee**

File ID: 2021-01033

**Location:** Citywide

**Action:** Moved/Seconded: Commissioner Miller / Commissioner Herrick

**Yes:** Commissioners William Carter, Daniel Herrick, Ryan Miller, Alice Valania, and Max Slavkin

Passed a Motion **Item 1:** Determining the creation of an ad hoc subcommittee of the Preservation Commission to support the African American Experience Project is exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15060(c)(2), 15061(b)(3), and 15378(b)(5); and **Item 2:** Appointed commissioners Max Slavkin, and Daniel Herrick to serve on the ad hoc subcommittee along with city staff and members of the public to support the African American Experience Project.

**Contact:** Sean de Courcy, Preservation Director, (916) 808-2796, sdecourcy@cityofsacramento.org, Community Development Department

**Commission Comments-Ideas and Questions**

None.
Public Comments – Matters Not on the Agenda

None.

Director’s Report

Director deCourcy provided an update.

Adjournment - 6:41 p.m.

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of May 18, 2022, as approved by the Preservation Commission.

Alexis Allen, Deputy City Clerk

06/20/2022