

AGENDA

NAPA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

1195 Third Street, Ste. 305
Napa, Ca. 94558

Wednesday, May 17, 2017
9:00 AM



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The Commission welcomes you to its meeting which is regularly scheduled the first and third Wednesday of the month. The Commission meets at 1195 Third Street, Ste. 305 Napa. The following information is provided to ensure your understanding and participation in the Commission's meeting and decision making process. Your comments and participation in the meeting are invited and would be welcomed. It is our desire to give everyone an opportunity to speak and be heard in a timely manner and within an atmosphere of respect and diplomacy. These procedures are meant to foster an atmosphere of respect. Assistive listening devices are available for the hearing impaired from the office of the Clerk of the Board. If an ASL interpreter or any other special arrangement is required, please provide the Clerk of the Commission with 24-hour notice by calling 253-4417.

ITEMS TO BE DECIDED WITHOUT ADDITIONAL TESTIMONY:

Items listed under this section on the agenda are regular items which are recommended for approval or continuance by staff with the applicant's consent concerning conditions of approval, when the applicant has signed any required project revision statement and when no member of the Commission or public indicates a desire to comment or ask questions about the item. These items regardless of their agenda assigned number will be acted upon by the Commission in one motion at the beginning of the meeting. Applicants having items so listed need not speak unless they disagree with the staff recommendation or wish to comment. If an Item requires discussion, it will be heard in the numerical order listed on the agenda.

PERSONS WISHING TO SPEAK CONCERNING AN AGENDA ITEM:

If you wish to speak on an item on the Agenda and under discussion by the Commission, you may do so upon receiving recognition from the Chairperson. After being recognized by the Chairperson, please step to one of the microphones and state your name and address and make your presentation. No comment or testimony shall be shouted from the audience. All comments are to be directed to the Commission, including inquiries requiring staff response. Time limitations shall be at the discretion of the Chair or Commission.

APPEAL PROCEDURE:

If you do not agree with the Commission's decision or the conditions that may have been imposed by the

Commission in approving an agenda item, you may appeal the Commission's action to the Napa County Board of Supervisors. Appeals may be limited to those issues raised at the public hearing relating to the agenda item or to written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at or prior to the public hearing. For additional information concerning the County's Ordinance requirements for filing an appeal or to obtain the required forms to file an appeal, please stop at the front counter in the County Executive Office/Clerk of the Board, 1195 Third Street, Suite 305 in Napa. If you have any question concerning the appeals procedure, please call (707) 253 4580 and request assistance.

All materials relating to an agenda item for an open session of a regular meeting of the Planning Commission which are provided to a majority or all of the members of the Commission by Commissioners, staff or the public within 72 hours of but prior to the meeting will be available for public inspection, at the time of such distribution, in the office of the Clerk of the Planning Commission, 1195 Third Street, Suite 210, Napa, California 94559, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., except for County holidays. Materials distributed to a majority or all of the members of the Commission at the meeting will be available for public inspection at the public meeting if prepared by the members of the Commission or County staff and after the public meeting if prepared by some other person. Availability of materials related to agenda items for public inspection does not include materials which are exempt from public disclosure under Government Code sections 6253.5, 6254, 6254.3, 6254.7, 6254.15, 6254.16, or 6254.22.

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1. CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL**2. CITIZEN COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Commission invites Citizen comments and recommendations concerning current issues and future prospects of a planning nature which are within the jurisdiction of the Planning Commission. Anyone who wishes to speak to the Commission on such a matter, if it is not on the agenda, may do so at this time.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - None**4. DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

- BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ACTIONS

- OTHER DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

5. AGENDA REVIEW**6. DISCLOSURES****7. PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS****A. AMALIA PALMAZ LIVING TRUST / PALMAZ PERSONAL USE HELIPORT / USE PERMIT #P14-00261 - UP**

CEQA Status: Consideration and possible certification of a Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR; State Clearinghouse No. 2015122030). According to the FEIR, the proposed Project would not have any significant environmental impacts after implementation of mitigation measures related to potential impacts to: (a) Land Use and Agricultural Resources; (b) Biological Resources; (c) Cultural Resources; and (d) Noise. This proposed Project site is not on any lists of hazardous waste sites enumerated under Government Code Section 65962.5.

Proposed Project (Project): The Amalia Palmaz Living Trust (applicant) requests approval of a Use Permit (P14- 00261 - UP) to allow construction and operation of a personal use heliport on approximately 0.5 acres of the 220.4-acre property located at 4031 Hagen Road, Napa (the property). The heliport would include construction of a 60-foot long by 60-foot wide helicopter landing pad (helipad) and an approximately 4,000 square foot hangar and storage building on the property. The heliport is proposed for the private use of the resident owners of the property for up to a maximum of four arrival and four departure flights per week, and it is proposed to be located on a hillside area that is currently occupied by terraced vineyards. Structures and facilities proposed as accessory to the proposed heliport include: (a) a new fire hydrant; (b) a new water line connecting to the existing water line; (c) a stormwater quality bioretention basin; and (d) two 5,000-gallon water tanks for fire suppression. Additionally, the existing, private vineyard road providing access to the proposed heliport would be improved, widened and paved to comply with Napa County Road and Street Standards (RSS). The property at 4031 Hagen Road, Napa, is located approximately two miles east of the City of Napa municipal boundary, has a General Plan land use designation of Agriculture, Watershed and Open Space (AWOS), and is located in the Agricultural Watershed (AW) zoning district (Assessor's Parcel No. 033-110-080).

Staff Recommendation: Accept additional public comments on the Project and adequacy of the FEIR, including any recommendations or comments from the Airport Land Use Commission (ALUC). Close the public hearing and make a tentative decision on certification of the FEIR and Use Permit request. Direct staff to return to a future meeting with findings consistent with the Planning Commission's tentative decision.

Staff Contact: Dana Ayers, Planner III, phone 707-253-4388 or email dana.ayers@countyofnapa.org

Applicant's Representative: Brian Russell, Abbott & Kindermann, LLP, phone 707-294-2775 or email brussell@aklandlaw.com

ITEM CONTINUED FROM MARCH 1, 2017, REGULAR MEETING

8. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- DISCUSSION OF ITEMS FOR THE ***JUNE 7, 2017 REGULAR MEETING***
- CODE COMPLIANCE REPORT
- ZONING ADMINISTRATOR ACTIONS
- OTHER PENDING PROJECTS' STATUS

10. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS / COMMITTEE REPORTS

11. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ITEMS REQUIRED TO RETURN TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR DISCUSSION BASED ON FUTURE PRIVATE CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

- #03457-UP, 1 year after occupancy - Kendall Jackson (formerly Pecota) Winery
- #P12-00347-UP, 1 year after occupancy - Diogenes Ridge Winery
- #P09-00185-UP, 1 year after occupancy - Ca' Nani Winery
- #P10-00206-UP, 1 year after occupancy for visitation - Caravan Serai Winery
- #P10- 00123-MOD, 1 year after occupancy - MJA Vineyards
- #P11-00464-MOD, 1 year after occupancy - Oakville Grocery
- #P13-00055-UP, 3 years after approval date for reporting on visitation and marketing - Bell Wine Cellars

12. ADJOURNMENT

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE AGENDA FOR THE ABOVE STATED MEETING WAS POSTED AT A LOCATION FREELY ACCESSIBLE TO MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AT THE NAPA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING, 1195 THIRD STREET, NAPA, CALIFORNIA ON (5-10-17 BY 5:00. A HARDCOPY SIGNED VERSION OF THE CERTIFICATE IS ON FILE WITH THE CLERK OF THE COMMISSION AND AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.

Melissa Frost (By e-signature)
Melissa Frost, Clerk of the Commission

