# AGENDA



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## NAPA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

# 1195 Third Street, Ste. 305 Napa, Ca. 94558 Wednesday, September 02, 2015 9:00 AM

		<b>COMMISSION MEMBERS</b>		
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COMMISSION COUNSEL		SECRETARY-DIRECTOR	COMMISSION CLERK	
Laura Anderson		David Morrison	Melissa Frost	

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, Ste 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. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### 3. CITIZEN COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Commission invites Citizen comments and recommendations concerning current problems 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.

#### 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - None

#### 5. DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ACTIONS
- OTHER DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES
- 6. AGENDA REVIEW
- 7. DISCLOSURES

#### 8. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

#### A. PRESENTATION OF PRELIMINARY AGRICULTURAL PROTECTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

**CEQA Status:** Feasibility and planning studies for possible future actions are Statutorily Exempt under 14 California Code of Regulations 15262 (State CEQA Guidelines) and CEQA is not applicable. These recommendations, in and of themselves, do not have a potential for resulting in a direct, physical change in the environment or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change, and therefore are not considered to be a project under 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines). Also, it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility the proposed action may have a significant effect on the environment and therefore CEQA is not applicable pursuant to the General Rule contained in the Guidelines For the Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act, 14 CCR 15061(b)(3).

**Request:** The Resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors that formed the Agricultural Advisory Committee (APAC) directed the Committee to report its final recommendations to the Planning Commission by September 2, 2015. A subcommittee of the APAC is working with staff to edit the Committee's Final Report to the Planning Commission. Ted Hall, the Chair of the APAC, is unable to attend the September 2 Planning Commission meeting, as he will be out of state. He will present the Final Report to the Commission on September 16, 2015 and will be available at that time to answer any questions about the APAC's work and recommendations.

**Staff Recommendation:** Ask any clarifying questions, take public comment, and continue the presentation to September 16, 2015.

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#### B. PROPOSED METHOD FOR EVALUATING FUTURE WINERY VISITATION PROPOSALS

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**Request:** The Planning Commission has previously requested that staff provide a framework that would allow a more informed and detailed discussion of comparing applications for winery visitation.

**Staff Recommendation:** Take public comment on and provide direction regarding the preparation of draft guidelines that would do the following:

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#### <u>CONTINUED DISCUSSION FROM THE MAY 15, JUNE 17, 2015, and JULY 1, 2015 REGULAR</u> <u>MEETINGS</u>

#### C. GENERAL PLAN IMPLEMENTATION ANNUAL REPORT - INFORMATIONAL ITEM

**CEQA Status:** The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

**Request:** Presentation about the status of General Plan Implementation and the annual report required by State law.

**Staff Recommendation:** Receive an informational presentation about the status of General Plan implementation and the annual report required by State law. This report was forwarded to the Governor's Office of Planning and Research (OPR) and the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) back on April 1, 2015. The Commission may accept public comments, engage in discussion, and provide direction to staff as desired. No action is requested.

Staff Contact: Nancy Johnson, Housing & Community Development Program Manager at (707) 299-1352; <u>nancy.johnson@countyofnapa.org</u> and Shaveta Sharma, Planner III at (707) 299-1358; <u>shaveta.sharma@countyofnapa.org</u>

#### 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- DISCUSSION OF ITEMS FOR THE SEPTEMBER 16, 2015 REGULAR MEETING

- CODE COMPLIANCE REPORT

#### - ZONING ADMINISTRATOR ACTIONS

- OTHER PENDING PROJECTS' STATUS

#### **10. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS / COMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### 11. PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS TO BE DECIDED WITHOUT ADDITIONAL TESTIMONY

#### **12. PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS**

#### A. SYAR NAPA QUARRY EXPANSION PROJECT - SURFACE MINING PERMIT (P08-00337-SMP)

**California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Status:** Consideration and possible certification of the Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) prepared for the proposed project. A Final Environmental Report (EIR) has been prepared and circulated. Prior to consideration of the associated Surface Mining Permit, the Planning Commission is required to review and consider the Final EIR and to certify that the Final EIR has been prepared in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the State CEQA Guidelines, and local procedures for implementing CEQA, and that the Final EIR reflects the County's independent judgment and analysis. The project site is not on any of the lists of hazardous waste sites enumerated under Government Code Section 65962.5.

**Request:** Approval of request for a Surface Mining Permit (SMP) P08-00337-SMP to modify the mining and reclamation plan and associated aggregate processing, production and sales as currently permitted under UP-128182, UP-27374, and County Agreement No. 2225 to allow: a) an approximate 110-acre expansion of the current surfacing mining and reclamation plan for a 35 year term; b) an increase in mining depth from approximately 300 feet and 150 feet above mean sea level (msl) to no greater than 50 feet above msl; c) an increase in production of aggregate materials from approximately 1 million tons per year to 1.3 million tons per year; and d) add Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement (RAP) handling equipment to the existing asphalt batch plant and an increase in asphalt production up to 300,000 tons per year (inclusive of total annual production). This SMP would replace UP-128182, UP-27374, and County Agreement No. 2225, and bring existing and expanded mining and reclamation areas and associated aggregate processing, production and sales under one permit.

The project site is located on the east side of State Highway 221 (Napa-Vallejo Highway) at its intersection with Basalt Road and 2301 Napa-Vallejo Highway, within the unincorporated portion of Napa County within both the Industrial and Agricultural Watershed zoning districts. Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APNs) 045-360-005,046-370-012, -013, -015, -022, -025, 046-390-002, -003, and 046-450-071.

**Staff Recommendation:** Open public hearing, take testimony, provide direction to Staff, and continue item to a date certain. As of the date this agenda report was printed, Staff and the consultant were still determining the next meeting date. Staff will have a recommended date for the Commission to consider at the hearing.

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Applicant Contact: Jennifer Gomez, 707-259-5728 or jgomez@syar.com

#### CONTINUED FROM THE AUGUST 12, 2015 SPECIAL PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

### (THIS ITEM IS SET TO BE DISCUSSED AT 1:30 P.M.)

#### 13. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS - ITEMS REQUIRED TO RETURN TO 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

#### 14. 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 8-27-15 BY 5:30 PM. A HARDCOPY SIGNED VERSION OF THE CERTIFICATE IS ON FILE WITH THE CLERK OF THE COMMISSION AND AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.

<u>Melissa Frost (By e-signature)</u> Melissa Frost, Clerk of the Commission