

# ACTION

## PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA



CHAIRPERSON: Adam Peck

VICE CHAIRPERSON: Roland Soltesz

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Adam Peck, Liz Wynn, Brett Taylor, Roland Soltesz

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT: Lawrence Segrue

MONDAY MAY 11, 2015; 7:00 P.M., COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 707 W. ACEQUIA, VISALIA CA

7:00 TO 7:00

1. THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE –

7:00 TO 7:01

No one spoke

2. CITIZEN’S COMMENTS – This is the time for citizens to comment on subject matters that are not on the agenda but are within the jurisdiction of the Visalia Planning Commission. The Commission requests that a 5-minute time limit be observed for comments. Please begin your comments by stating and spelling your name and providing your street name and city. Please note that issues raised under Citizen’s Comments are informational only and the Commission will not take action at this time.

7:01 TO 7:01

3. CHANGES OR COMMENTS TO THE AGENDA– Two late Correspondences for item 5.

7:01 TO 7:04

Consent Calendar approved (Taylor, Soltesz) 4-0 Segrue absent

4. CONSENT CALENDAR - All items under the consent calendar are to be considered routine and will be enacted by one motion. For any discussion of an item on the consent calendar, it will be removed at the request of the Commission and made a part of the regular agenda.

- Revised Resolution 2014-38

7:04 TO 8:07

Open: 7:10

Close: 7:33

Spoke:

1. Kent Welsh
2. Ben Heavrin
3. Erica McNight
4. Michael McCarthy
5. Brian Carroll
6. Noel Zuniga
7. Colette Quinley
8. Alva Gunn
9. Christine Wood
10. Jengi Freeman
11. Kevil Quinley
12. Myran Ditz
13. Lori Frost

5. PUBLIC HEARING- Paul Scheibel  
Municipal Code Amendment No. 2015-06: A request by the City of Visalia to Amend Titles 6 (Animals) and 17 (Zoning) to allow chicken keeping in the R-1-6 and R-1-4.5 Single-family Residential Zone Districts. The project is Categorical Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15305, Categorical Exemption No. 2015-29

Motion to Deny to the City (Soltesz Wynn) 3-1 Taylor voted no, Segrue absent

8:07 TO 8:10

## 6. DIRECTOR'S REPORT/PLANNING COMMISSION DISCUSSION-

Motion to Adjourn:  
(Soltesz, Taylor) 4-0  
Segrue absent

The Planning Commission meeting may end no later than 11:00 P.M. Any unfinished business may be continued to a future date and time to be determined by the Commission at this meeting. The Planning Commission routinely visits the project sites listed on the agenda.

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### **APPEAL PROCEDURE**

#### **THE LAST DAY TO FILE AN APPEAL IS THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2015 BEFORE 5 PM**

According to the City of Visalia Zoning Ordinance Section 17.02.145 and Subdivision Ordinance Section 16.04.040, an appeal to the City Council may be submitted within ten days following the date of a decision by the Planning Commission. An appeal form with applicable fees shall be filed with the City Clerk at 425 E. Oak Avenue, Suite 301, Visalia, CA 93291. The appeal shall specify errors or abuses of discretion by the Planning Commission, or decisions not supported by the evidence in the record. The appeal form can be found on the city's website [www.ci.visalia.ca.us](http://www.ci.visalia.ca.us) or from the City Clerk.

**THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY MAY 26, 2015**