

# STANISLAUS COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

## AGENDA

MARCH 21, 2013

6:00 P.M.

CHAMBERS – BASEMENT LEVEL  
TENTH STREET PLACE  
1010 10<sup>TH</sup> STREET, MODESTO  
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The Planning Commission welcomes you to its meetings which are regularly scheduled the first and third Thursday of each month, and your interest is encouraged and appreciated.

The agenda is divided into two sections:

**CONSENT CALENDAR:** These are items on this agenda designated by an asterisk (\*) next to the item number, requiring a Planning Commission public hearing but which, following an initial evaluation by staff, have been found to be consistent with existing County policy and the County General Plan and are, therefore, recommended for “routine” approval. Prior to actual Planning Commission consideration, the Chair will open the public hearing and ask if anyone present wishes to discuss any of the items. If you want a particular agenda item removed from “Consent”, please speak up and advise the Chair. That item will then be withdrawn from “Consent” and reviewed in detail as scheduled. The remaining “Consent” items for which there are no voice objections will be handled by a single action of the Commission.

**NON-CONSENT CALENDAR:** These items will be individually discussed and reviewed in detail.

**ANY MEMBER OF THE AUDIENCE DESIRING TO ADDRESS THE PLANNING COMMISSION REGARDING A MATTER ON THE AGENDA:** While the Planning Commission welcomes and encourages participation in the Commission meetings, it would be appreciated if comments are limited to five minutes so that everyone may be heard.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIODS:** Matters under the jurisdiction of the Commission, and not on the posted agenda, may be addressed by the general public at the beginning of the regular agenda and any off-agenda matters before the Planning Commission for consideration; however, California law prohibits the Commission from taking any action on any matter which is not on the posted agenda unless it is determined to be an emergency by the Board of Supervisors. Any member of the public wishing to address the Commission during the “Citizen’s Forum” period will be limited to a maximum of 5 minutes.

New agenda items will not be heard after 11:00 p.m. If agenda item is not fully discussed by 12:30 a.m., it will be continued at the discretion of the Chair.

**PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDAS AND MINUTES:** Commission Agendas, Minutes, and copies of items to be considered by the Planning Commission are typically posted on the internet on Friday afternoons preceding the meeting at the following website: <http://www.stancounty.com/planning/>. All materials, including materials related to an item on this Agenda, submitted to the Commission after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Planning Department at 1010 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 3400, Modesto, during normal business hours.

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- I. **ROLL CALL:** Chair John Ramos, Steve Boyd, Kenneth Buehner, Robert Crabtree, Marc Etchebarne, Richard Gibson, Ron Peterson, Greg Pires
- II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- III. **CITIZEN’S FORUM**

**IV. MINUTES**

- A. March 7, 2013, Workshop [\[View Item\]](#)
- B. February 7, 2013 [\[View Item\]](#)
- C. February 7, 2013, Workshop [\[View Item\]](#)
- D. September 6, 2012, Workshop [\[View Item\]](#)
- E. June 21, 2012, Workshop [\[View Item\]](#)

**V. CORRESPONDENCE**

**VI. CONFLICT OF INTEREST DECLARATION**

**VII. PUBLIC HEARINGS (\*Consent Items)**

**\*CONSENT ITEMS** - None

**NON-CONSENT ITEMS**

- A. **GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT AND REZONE APPLICATION NO. PLN2012-0037 - GALLO GLASS** - Request to amend the General Plan from Industrial Transition to Industrial and zoning designations from R-1 (Single-Family Residential), R-2 (Medium Density Residential), and R-3 (Multiple-Family Residential) to M (Industrial) of 12.2± acres to expand the existing Gallo Glass plant by adding a concrete and asphalt paved outdoor storage and parking area. The project site is south of Tenaya Drive, north of Oregon Drive, east of Santa Rita Avenue, and west of S. Santa Cruz Avenue, including 504 S. Santa Cruz Avenue on the east side of S. Santa Cruz Avenue, in the Modesto area. The Planning Commission will consider a CEQA Negative Declaration on this project. APN: 035-015-002 thru 008, 018 thru 023; 035-014-001, 002, 005, 006, 017 thru 028; 035-013-001, 002, 009 thru 012, 014, 017, 018; 035-012-016 thru 033; 035-037-030 [\[View Item\]](#)
- B. **GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT APPLICATION NO. PLN2012-0044 - AGRICULTURAL ELEMENT UPDATE** - Consider a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors for adoption of a five year update of the Agricultural Element of the Stanislaus County General Plan. The update focuses on objectives, policies, and implementation measures relating to food safety, alternative energy sources, agricultural land mitigation, use of tertiary water, and ground water protection. The Planning Commission will consider a CEQA Negative Declaration on this project. APN: Countywide [\[View Item\]](#)

**VIII. OTHER MATTERS (Not Public Hearings)**

IX. REPORT OF DIRECTOR

X. ADDITIONAL MATTERS AT DISCRETION OF CHAIR

XI. ADJOURNMENT

***ALL ACTIONS OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION CAN BE APPEALED TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BY 5 P.M., APRIL 1, 2013. THE FEE FOR APPEAL IS \$622.00.***