WELCOME TO YOUR PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING!

*Due to construction at City Hall, Planning Commission meetings have temporarily re-located to the Crown Valley Community Center Ballroom, located at 29751 Crown Valley Parkway, Laguna Niguel, CA. 92677.

Regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Any person wishing to address the Planning Commission on any matter, whether or not it appears on this agenda, is required to complete a “Request to Speak” form available on the counter near the door. Please submit the completed form to the Recording Secretary prior to being heard by the Commission. Each individual will be allowed three (3) minutes, unless extended by the Chair. For each separate agenda item, the Chairman may limit the total time for public testimony. No action will be taken on any items not on the agenda, unless the Planning Commission makes a determination that an emergency exists or that there is a need for immediate action and the need to take action came to the attention of the City subsequent to the agenda being posted.

If you challenge the proposed action of the Planning Commission in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

By Planning Commission policy, no new agenda items will be commenced after 11:00 p.m. If items remain after that time, they will be automatically continued to the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Planning Commission. Any documents that are provided to the Planning Commission regarding items on this agenda less than 72 hours prior to this meeting will be available for public inspection at the public review table that is located in the reception area on the first floor of City Hall at 30111 Crown Valley Parkway, Laguna Niguel, California 92677, until 5:00 p.m. on the date of the Planning Commission meeting. After 5:00 p.m., the documents will be available for public review at the table that is located inside the Ballroom at 29751 Crown Valley Parkway, Laguna Niguel, California 92677. Thank you for attending your Planning Commission meeting.
CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR THE PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING OF FEBRUARY 14, 2023

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

NOTICED PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS

1. General Plan Amendment GPA 21-01A01 (2021-2029 Draft Revised Housing Element) – PUBLIC HEARING - Updates to the City Council adopted 2021-2029 Housing Element in response to comments received from the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) received on January 19, 2022. The Housing Element serves as a guide for housing within Laguna Niguel in terms of affordability, availability, adequacy, and accessibility.

   **Recommended Action:** That the Planning Commission open the public hearing, take public testimony, close the public hearing, and then take the following actions:

   A. Adopt Resolution No. 23-03, recommending that the City Council approve General Plan Amendment GPA 21-01A01 (2021-2029 Draft Revised Housing Element Update) (Attachment A); and

   B. Find that General Plan Amendment GPA 21-01A01 is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requirements per Section 15061, Review for Exemption of the CEQA Guidelines. Specifically, Section 15061(b)(3) states, in part, that a project is exempt from CEQA if “the activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA.”

OTHER BUSINESS - None
REPORTS AND COMMENTS

1. Planning Commission
2. Director/Staff Reports

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I, Hannah Tamaddon, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY FOR THE CITY OF LAGUNA NIGUEL, hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that I caused the posting of this agenda by 5:00 p.m. on March 10, 2023, at City Hall, 30111 Crown Valley Parkway, Crown Valley Community Park, 29751 Crown Valley Parkway, and Sea Country Senior and Community Center, 24602 Aliso Creek Road.

POSTED BY:
Hannah Tamaddon, Administrative Secretary
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