

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

County Government Center Covington Chambers 385 N. Arrowhead Avenue, 1st Floor San Bernardino, CA 92415

Agenda for Thursday, October 23, 2025

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First Supervisorial District

Chair Michael Stoffel
Third Supervisorial District

Commissioner Matthew Slowik Second Supervisorial District

Commissioner Suket Dayal Fourth Supervisorial District

Vice Chair Kareem Gongora Fifth Supervisorial District

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*Public comments may be submitted via U.S. Mail to: Land Use Services Department, Planning Commission Secretary 385 N. Arrowhead Ave, 1st Floor San Bernardino, CA 92415

Morning items begin at 9:00 A.M. – Afternoon items begin at 1:30 P.M. The agenda items are normally heard in their scheduled order; however, the Commission may choose to hear the items out of the scheduled order. Items scheduled for the morning session which cannot be heard before 12:00 noon, will be heard first after reconvening for the afternoon session at 1:30 P.M. Items scheduled for the afternoon session, which cannot be heard before 5:00 P.M. will be heard at the next available session.

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If you challenge any decision regarding any of the below proposals in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised during the public testimony period regarding that proposal or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to the public hearing. To address the Planning Commission regarding an item on the agenda, or an item within its jurisdiction but not on the agenda, complete and submit a request to speak by utilizing the speaker kiosk available at the meeting location. Requests must be submitted before the item is called for consideration. Speakers may address the Planning Commission for up to three (3) minutes total on each discussion item, and up to three (3) minutes total on Public Comment. Due to time constraints and the number of persons wishing to give testimony, time restrictions may be placed on oral testimony regarding the proposals on the agenda. You may wish to make your comments in writing to assure that you are able to express yourself adequately.

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9:00 A.M. – CONVENE MEETING OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

- 1. a. ADVANCE SCHEDULE
 - b. DIRECTOR'S REPORT
 - c. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

2. Public Hearing – Continued from Thursday, September 18, 2025, Item No. 3

APPLICANT: Geo-Cal, Inc.

COMMUNITY: Devore

PROJECT NO: PROJ-2022-00213

LOCATION: 18545 Cajon Boulevard, Devore

STAFF: Maryn Mineo-Wells

PROPOSAL: A Conditional Use Permit to construct a gas station with six (6)

automobile fueling stations with canopy, six (6) truck fueling stations with canopy, a 1,848-square-foot convenience store, and a 1,057-

square-foot drive-thru restaurant, on a 1.40-acre parcel.

CEQA RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of Mitigated Negative Declaration

EST. TIME: 30 minutes

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3. Public Hearing

APPLICANT: San Bernardino County

COMMUNITY: Countywide

PROJECT NO: PMISC-2024-00020

LOCATION: Countywide

STAFF: Lauren Miracle, Planner

Colin Drukker, PlaceWorks, Inc.

PROPOSAL: General Plan Amendment to amend Policies TM-5.5 (Countywide

truck routes), TM-5.6 (Unincorporated truck routes), and Policy Map

TM-5 (Goods Movement); and adding Table TM-2 (Weight-

Restricted Routes) to the Transportation and Mobility Element; and to add a definition for "Sensitive Receptor" to the Glossary of Terms section of the Policy Plan, all related to truck routes in response to

Assembly Bill 98.

CEQA RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of an Addendum to the San Bernardino Countywide

Plan Program Environmental Impact Report.

EST. TIME: 60 minutes

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4. Public Hearing

APPLICANT: General Atomics

COMMUNITY: El Mirage - 1st District PROJECT NO: PROJ-2025-00050

LOCATION: 73 El Mirage Airport Road, El Mirage, CA STAFF: Kumail Raza, AICP – Contract Planner III

PROPOSAL: Conditional Use Permit for the development of: 1) an 118,020-

square-foot hangar, 2) 19,512-square-foot ground control building, and 3) 20,000-square-foot stockroom across two phases for the manufacturing and testing of unmanned aerial vehicles and a Major Variance for the elimination of landscape requirements for parking

areas.

CEQA RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration.

EST. TIME: 30 minutes

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5. Public Hearing

APPLICANT: NV5

COMMUNITY: Joshua Tree

PROJECT NO: PROJ-2024-00017

LOCATION: 61500 Twentynine Palms Highway, Joshua Tree

STAFF: Amy Rossig, Contract Planner

PROPOSAL: A Policy Plan Amendment to amend the Land Use Category split-

designation of Medium Density Residential from 33 acres to 24 acres and Commercial from 7 acres to 16 acres, and Zoning

Amendment to amend the Land Use Zoning District split-designation

of Multiple Residential from 33 acres to 24 acres and General

Commercial-Sign Program from 7 acres to 16 acres on one 40-acre

parcel.

CEQA RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of a Negative Declaration.

EST. TIME: 30 minutes

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6. Public Hearing

APPLICANT: Avantus (Jennifer Jackson)

COMMUNITY: Lucerne Valley PROJECT NO: PROJ-2022-00013

LOCATION: Generally addressed at 33850 Granite Road,

Lucerne Valley, CA 92356

STAFF: David Mack, AICP, Planner

PROPOSAL: Conditional Use Permit to construct and operate a single-axis

tracker ground-mounted photovoltaic utility-scale solar facility generating up to 525 MW and battery energy storage system of up

to 525 MW on approximately 1,854 acres (27 parcels), with

associated gen-tie lines/towers ranging in 39-51.4 miles to the point of interconnection at the future Southern California Edison Calcite

substation.

CEQA RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of an Environmental Impact Report

EST. TIME: 60 minutes

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7. PUBLIC COMMENTS: This is an opportunity for the public to speak on issues that are not on the agenda but are within the jurisdiction of the Planning Commission. The chairman may limit the time allowed for such comments. No action will be taken at this meeting on comments. Any person wanting to address the Commission must submit a Request to Speak form to the Secretary.

8. ADJOURNMENT