

# PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2025– 6:00 PM  
City of Turlock, Yosemite Community Room  
156 South Broadway  
Turlock, California

Commission Chair  
**Matthew Davis**

Commission Members  
**Ray Souza**  
**Sukhminder Deol**  
**Patrick Johnson**  
Vice Chair

**Jim Reape**  
**Mark Reese**  
**Constance Anderson**

Development Services Director  
**Adrienne Werner**

Alternate Members  
**Bryan Saint**  
**Bryan Tribble**

**NOTICE REGARDING NON-ENGLISH SPEAKERS:** The Turlock Planning Commission meetings are conducted in English and translation to other languages is not provided. Please make arrangements for an interpreter if necessary.

**EQUAL ACCESS POLICY:** If you have a disability which affects your access to public facilities or services, please contact the Planning Division at (209) 668-5640. The City is committed to taking all reasonable measures to provide access to its facilities and services. Please allow sufficient time for the City to process and respond to your request.

**NOTICE:** Pursuant to California Government Code Section § 54954.3, any member of the public may directly address the Planning Commission on any item appearing on the agenda, including Consent Calendar and Public Hearing items, before or during the Planning Commission's consideration of the item.

**AGENDA PACKETS:** Prior to the Planning Commission meeting, a complete Agenda Packet is available for review on the City's website at [www.cityofturlock.org](http://www.cityofturlock.org) and at the Planning Division office at 156 S. Broadway, Suite 120, Turlock, CA during normal business hours. Materials related to an item on this Agenda submitted to the Commission after distribution of the Agenda Packet are also available for public inspection in the Planning Division Office. Such documents may be available on the City's website subject to staff's ability to post the documents before the meeting.

## A. 1. CALL TO ORDER

### 2. SALUTE TO THE FLAG

### 3. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

## B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Regular Meeting of September 5, 2024 [View Item](#)
2. Special Meeting of January 16, 2025 [View Item](#)

## C. ANNOUNCEMENTS

## D. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

*This is the time set aside for members of the public to directly address the Planning Commission concerning any item that has been described in the notice for this meeting, including Consent Calendar items. You will be allowed five (5)*

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*minutes for your comments. If you wish to speak regarding an item on the agenda, you may be asked to defer your remarks until the Commission addresses the matter.*

## **E. 1. DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AND DISQUALIFICATIONS**

### **2. DISCLOSURE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS**

*Planning Commission should disclose the following information for each item listed below:*

- *State, for the public record, the nature of the communication;*
- *Identify with whom the ex parte communication was made; and*
- *Provide a brief statement as to the substance of the communication.*

The following agenda items are subject to the requirement for disclosure of Ex Parte Communications:

*Planning Commissioners will disclose Ex Parte Communications immediately following the introduction of each of these items by the Planning Commission Chair, as they appear on the agenda below.*

- **G.1 VARIANCE 2024-02 (UNDERGROUNDING UTILITIES)**
- **G.2 CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT 2024-07 (STORAGE BUILDING)**
- **G.3 CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT 2024-08 (PLAY LAUGH ALWAYS YOUNG, INC)**
- **G.4 GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT 2024-01, REZONE 2024-02 (PLANNED DEVELOPMENT 284), AND VESTING TENTATIVE SUBDIVISION MAP 2024-02 (VERANO)**

## **F. CONSENT CALENDAR**

*Information concerning the consent items listed herein below has been forwarded to each Commissioner prior to this meeting for study. Unless the Chair, a Commissioner or member of the audience has questions concerning the Consent Calendar, the items are approved at one time by the Commission. The action taken by the Commission in approving the consent items is set forth in the explanation of the individual items.*

### **1. WAIVING READING OF ALL ORDINANCES ON THE AGENDA, EXCEPT BY TITLE**

## **G. PUBLIC HEARINGS**

*These items will be individually discussed and reviewed in detail.*

- 1. VARIANCE 2024-02 (UNDERGROUNDING UTILITIES):** *This item has been continued to the March 6, 2025 Planning Commission meeting.*

The applicant requested a waiver from the requirement to underground the existing overhead utility lines along the N. Tully Road and Fulkerth Road frontages because undergrounding the utility lines exceeds 25% of the overall cost of the project would require the applicant to bore under Fulkerth Road. The City Engineer denied the waiver request. The item going before the Planning Commission is the applicant's appeal of the City Engineer's denial of the waiver request. (Werner)

- 2. CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT 2024-07 (STORAGE BUILDING):** The applicant is requesting approval to build a 2,400-square-foot storage structure at 506 Dianne Drive, Stanislaus County APN: 089-013-003. (Foster) [View Item](#)

- a. Planning Commission determination that the project is Categorically Exempt from CEQA, based on Section 15303(d) [New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures].

- b. Planning Commission action on Conditional Use Permit 2024-07.
- 3. CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT 2024-08 (PLAY LAUGH ALWAYS YOUNG, INC):** The applicant is seeking approval to construct and operate an indoor playground in an existing 11,500 square foot suite at 749 N Golden State Blvd, Stanislaus County APN 061-041-003. (Bailey) [View Item](#)
- a. Planning Commission determination that the project is Categorically Exempt from CEQA, based on Section 15301 [Existing Facilities].
  - b. Planning Commission action on Conditional Use Permit 2024-08.
- 4. GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT 2024-01, REZONE 2024-02 (PLANNED DEVELOPMENT 284), AND VESTING TENTATIVE SUBDIVISION MAP 2024-02 (VERANO):** The applicant is proposing to subdivide two parcels totaling 13.61 acres, into 114 single-family residential lots. The subject properties are located at 1601 W. Monte Vista Avenue and 3201 Four Seasons Drive, Stanislaus County APNs 087-012-053 and 087-008-085. (Werner) [View Item](#)
- a. Planning Commission determination on the adoption of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration of environmental effect and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program.
  - b. Planning Commission recommendation to City Council on General Plan Amendment 2024-01 and Rezone 2024-02.
  - c. Planning Commission action on VTSM 2024-02.

## H. OTHER MATTERS

- 1. PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDAS:** Staff has revised the procedures for the order of business of the Turlock Planning Commission. The changes in the order of business will align the Planning Commission agendas with the City Council's, remove redundancy, allow for a more streamlined process, and provide consistency for the City's public meetings. (Werner) [View Item](#)
- a. Planning Commission recommendation to City Council on adopting an amendment to the Planning Commission Business Procedures.

## I. COMMISSIONER'S CONSIDERATION

## J. STANISLAUS COUNTY PLANNING REFERRAL ITEMS

*This section allows staff to update the Commission on proposed projects in the unincorporated area within or surrounding the City of Turlock. These items are presented for information only. No action will be taken on these items. Members of the public interested in these projects should contact the County Planning and Community Development Department at (209) 525-6330 to obtain information or provide comments.*

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**K. COMMISSIONERS COMMENTS**

*Commissioners may provide a brief report on notable topics of interest. The Brown Act does not allow discussion or action by the Commission.*

**L. STAFF UPDATES**

**M. ADJOURNMENT**

AT THE ABOVE TIME AND PLACE ALL INTERESTED PARTIES WILL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD. ANYONE MAY PRESENT HIS OR HER VIEWS ON THESE MATTERS IN PERSON, BY WRITING, OR BY REPRESENTATIVE. CHALLENGES IN COURT TO ANY OF THE ITEMS LISTED ABOVE MAY BE LIMITED TO ONLY THOSE ISSUES RAISED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE, OR IN WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE DELIVERED TO THE TURLOCK PLANNING COMMISSION AT, OR PRIOR TO, THE PUBLIC HEARING. ANY MATERIALS SUBMITTED TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR CONSIDERATION (PHOTOGRAPHS, SLIDES, PETITIONS, LETTERS, ETC.) BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE CITY OF TURLOCK AND WILL BE RETAINED AS PART OF THE PUBLIC RECORD AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION AT THE CITY OF TURLOCK PLANNING DIVISION, CITY HALL, 156 SOUTH BROADWAY, TURLOCK. INFORMATION MAY ALSO BE OBTAINED BY CALLING THE CITY OF TURLOCK PLANNING DIVISION AT (209) 668-5640. WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE MAY BE MAILED TO THE CITY OF TURLOCK PLANNING DIVISION, 156 SOUTH BROADWAY, SUITE 120, TURLOCK, CA 95380-5456.

**--APPEAL--**

Anyone who is dissatisfied with the action(s) of the Planning Commission may file an appeal within **TEN (10) DAYS** following the decision of the Planning Commission. The appeal must be written and filed with the Turlock City Clerk. Appeal Application Forms are available in both the City Clerk and Planning Division Offices, 156 South Broadway, Turlock. There is a \$550.00 filing fee for the Appeal Application. If an Appeal Application is filed, a Public Hearing will be scheduled by the City Council to consider the appeal.

**-- CONTINUANCE--**

**-- APPLICANT REQUESTS--**

**-- EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 27, 1989--**

An applicant may request the continuance of a pending application or scheduled matter set for consideration by the Planning Commission by filing a request for a continuance not less than three (3) hours prior to the scheduled consideration of the application pursuant to City Council Resolution No. 89-248. The request must be written and filed with the City of Turlock Planning Division. Continuance Request Application Forms are available in both the City Clerk and Planning Division Offices, 156 South Broadway, Turlock. There is a \$390.00 Filing Fee Deposit for the Continuance Request Application. **The granting of a request for a continuance of a pending application is discretionary on the part of the City of Turlock. The applicant's compliance with the regulations does not imply, guarantee, or otherwise supersede the City of Turlock's authority to deny the request.**