



City of Sunnyvale

Notice and Agenda

Planning Commission

Monday, April 27, 2026

6:00 PM

Online and Council Chambers, City Hall,
456 W. Olive Ave., Sunnyvale, CA 94086

Special Meeting: Study Session - 6:00 PM | Public Hearing - 7:00 PM

Meeting Online Link: <https://sunnyvale-ca-gov.zoom.us/j/91827390357>

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6 P.M. SPECIAL PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING (Study Session)

Call to Order

Call to Order in the Council Chambers.

Roll Call

Study Session

The public may provide comments regarding the Study Session item(s). To address the Planning Commission, refer to the notice at the end of this agenda.

A. [26-0488](#)

Proposed Project: Related applications on a 4.22-acre site

SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT: to construct a mixed-use project consisting of 67 residential units (55 townhomes and 12 flats) and 18,535 square feet of retail (maintain 2,900 square foot Speedy's Tacos building and construct new 15,635 square foot two-story retail building), for a total of 10% commercial FAR.

TENTATIVE MAP: to subdivide one parcel into 17 lots and two common lots.

Location: 911 Duane Avenue (APNs: 205-12-001, 205-12-002, 205-12-003 and 205-12-004)

File #: PLNG-2024-0083

Zoning: C-1 (Commercial)

Applicant / Owner: Paul Meuser (applicant) / Nicholas Gera (owner)

Environmental Review: Environmental impacts of the project are addressed in the Land Use and Transportation Element (LUTE) Environmental Impact Report (EIR): no additional review required per California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15183.

Project Planner: Margaret Netto, (408) 730-7628,
mnetto@sunnyvale.ca.gov

Adjourn Special Meeting

7 P.M. PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

Call to Order in the Council Chambers.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

ROLL CALL

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Prior to opening public comment on Oral Communications, the Chair may determine it would be impractical to include remote public comment for the purpose of timeliness of the meeting or conducting an orderly meeting.

Oral Communications is the opportunity for the public to address the Planning Commission on items not listed on the agenda and is limited to 15 minutes with a maximum of up to three minutes per speaker (one appearance per speaker). Note the Brown Act does not allow the Commission to take action on an item not listed on the agenda. To address the Commission, refer to the notice at the end of this agenda.

CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed on the consent calendar will be acted upon by one motion unless discussion is requested by a Commissioner or the public. To address the Planning Commission, refer to the notice at the end of this agenda.

1. [26-0483](#) Approve Planning Commission Meeting Minutes of April 13, 2026

Recommendation: Approve Planning Commission Meeting Minutes of April 13, 2026, as submitted.

PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS

To speak on a public hearing/general business item, refer to notice at the end of this agenda. Each speaker is limited to three minutes. For land use items, applicants are limited to 10 minutes for opening comments and five minutes for closing comments.

2. [26-0451](#) **Proposed Project:** Recommend to City Council to Adopt an Urgency Interim Ordinance pursuant to Government Code Section 65858 adopting a Temporary Moratorium on the establishment and operation of "Smoke Shops," as defined, within the City of Sunnyvale.
Location: Citywide
File #: PLNG-2026-0232
Environmental Review: Exempt CEQA Government Code 15061(b) (3)), would not result in a significant impact.
Staff: Rebecca Moon, (408) 730-2700, rmoon@sunnyvale.ca.gov

Recommendation: Recommend to City Council:
Alternative 1: Recommend that City Council Adopt the Urgency Interim Ordinance pursuant to Government Code Section 65858 adopting a Temporary Moratorium on the establishment and operation of "Smoke Shops," as defined, within the City of Sunnyvale found in Attachment 2.

3. [26-0376](#) **Proposed Project:** Forward a Recommendation to the City Council to take the following Actions:
- a. Find that the Proposed Actions are Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15308;
 - b. Adopt a Resolution to Establish Lower Density Residential Objective Design Standards for Single-family Dwellings, Two-family Dwellings and Dual Urban Opportunity (DUO) Housing Developments, and Repeal the Single-Family Home Design Techniques;
 - c. Introduce an Ordinance to Amend Sunnyvale Municipal Code Title 19 (Zoning) to Amend Chapter 19.32 (Building Heights, Lot Coverages and Floor Area Ratios) and Repeal and Replace Chapter 19.80 (Design Review) to Implement the Lower Density Residential Design Standards, and to Amend Chapter 19.79 (Accessory Dwelling Units) to Conform with New State ADU Laws;
 - d. Adopt a Resolution to Update and Adopt the Green Building Tables for 2026; and
 - e. Repeal City Council Policy 1.1.12 Maximum Standards for Small Lot Single-Family Residential Developments.
- Location:** Citywide
File #: PLNG-2024-0517

Project Planner: Aastha Vashist, (408) 730-7458,
avashist@sunnyvale.ca.gov

Recommendation: Recommend to City Council:

Alternative 1: Take the following actions:

- a. Find that the Proposed Actions are Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15061(b)(3) and 15308;
- b. Adopt a Resolution to Establish Lower Density Residential Objective Design Standards for Single-family Dwellings, Two-family Dwellings and Dual Urban Opportunity (DUO) Housing Developments, and Repeal the Single-Family Home Design Techniques;
- c. Introduce an Ordinance to Amend Sunnyvale Municipal Code Title 19 (Zoning) to Amend Chapter 19.32 (Building Heights, Lot Coverages and Floor Area Ratios) and Repeal and Replace Chapter 19.80 (Design Review) to Implement the Lower Density Residential Design Standards, and to Amend Chapter 19.79 (Accessory Dwelling Units) to Conform with New State ADU Laws;
- d. Adopt a Resolution to Update and Adopt the Green Building Tables for 2026; and
- e. Repeal City Council Policy 1.1.12 Maximum Standards for Small Lot Single-Family Residential Developments.

NON-AGENDA ITEMS AND COMMENTS

-Commissioner Comments

-Staff Comments

ADJOURNMENT

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Meeting call-in telephone number: 833-548-0276 | Meeting ID: 918 2739 0357
(*9 to request to speak | *6 to unmute/mute)

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Sunnyvale Planning Division, 456 W. Olive Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94086-3707

Public review of items:

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Spanish and Chinese, Simplified

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408-730-7483 o cityclerk@sunnyvale.ca.gov

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408-730-7483 或发送电子邮件至 cityclerk@sunnyvale.ca.gov

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