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**July 2, 2008
Regular Meeting**

REVISED* 6-25-08 (See End of Agenda)

MEAL GATHERING 5:00P.M.

Saigon Restaurant, 326 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Oakland. Open to the public. (Members of the public may purchase their own meal if desired. Consumption of food is not required to attend.)

BUSINESS MEETING 6:00 P.M.

Hearing Room One, City Hall, One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza

Persons wishing to address the Commission on any item on the agenda, including Open Forum and Director's Report, should fill out a speaker card and give it to the Secretary "*Agenda items will be called at the discretion of the Chair not necessarily in the order they are listed on the Agenda*". Speakers are generally limited to two minutes at the discretion of the Chair. Applicants and appellants are generally limited to five minutes.

The order of items will be determined under "Agenda Discussion" at the beginning of the meeting. With the exception of Open Forum, a new item will not be called after **10:15 p.m.**, and the meeting will adjourn no later than **10:30 p.m.** unless the meeting is extended by the Chair with the consent of a majority of Commissioners present.

Please check with the Planning Department prior to the meeting regarding items that may be continued. Any agenda item may be continued, without the hearing on the matter being opened or public testimony taken, at the discretion of the Chair. Persons wishing to address the continued item may do so under Open Forum.

For further information on any case listed on this agenda, please contact the case planner indicated for that item. For further information on Historic Status, please contact the Oakland Cultural Heritage Survey at 510-238-6879. For other questions or general information on the Oakland City Planning Commission, please contact the Community and Economic Development Agency, Planning and Zoning Division, at 510-238-3941.

♿ This meeting is wheelchair accessible. To request materials in alternative formats, or to request an ASL interpreter, or assistive listening device, please call the ***Planning Department at 510-238-3941*** or ***TDD 510-238-3254*** at least three working days before the meeting. Please refrain from wearing scented products to this meeting so attendees who may experience chemical sensitivities may attend. Thank you.



Staff reports for items listed on this agenda will be available by 3:00 p.m. the Friday before the meeting, to any interested party, at the Community and Economic Development Agency, Planning and Zoning Division, 250 Frank

H. Ogawa Plaza, Oakland, California 94612. **Reports are available at the Strategic Planning Division on the 3rd floor (Suite 3315), which closes at 5:00 p.m.**

**New web-site staff report
download instructions**

Staff reports are also available on-line, by 3:00 p.m. the Friday before the meeting, at www.oaklandnet.com by searching “Frequently Visited Pages” located on the City of Oakland Homepage. Clicking on “Planning Commission Meetings” will open a menu of Planning Commission and Committee Agendas. Staff reports are available on the selected agenda by clicking on the highlighted case file number. You will need to ensure that your computer will accept pop-ups from the host site (oaklandnet.com) and that your computer has a later version of Adobe Acrobat Reader installed. For further information, please call **510-238-3941**.

If you challenge a Commission decision in court, you will be limited to issues raised at the hearing or in correspondence delivered to the Zoning Division, Community and Economic Development Agency, at, or prior to, the hearing. Any party seeking to challenge in court those decisions that are final and not administratively appealable to the City Council must do so within ninety (90) days of the date of the announcement of the final decision, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6, unless a shorter period applies.

Please note that the descriptions of the applications found below are preliminary in nature and that the projects and/or descriptions may change prior to a decision being made.

While attending Planning Commission Meetings, parking in the Clay Street Garage is free. Attendees should write “Planning Commission” on the back of the parking ticket.

ROLL CALL

WELCOME BY THE CHAIR

COMMISSION BUSINESS

Agenda Discussion

Director’s Report

Committee Reports



Commission Matters

City Attorney's Report

OPEN FORUM

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CONSENT CALENDAR

The Commission will take a single roll call vote on all of the items listed below in this section. The vote will be on approval of the staff report in each case. Members of the Commission may request that any item on the Consent Calendar be singled out for separate discussion and vote.

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| <p>1.</p> | <p>Location:</p> <p>Proposal:</p> <p>Applicant:</p> <p>Contact Person/</p> <p>Phone Number:</p> <p>Owner:</p> <p>Case File Number:</p> <p>Planning Permits Required:</p> <p>General Plan:</p> <p>Zoning:</p> | <p>Mountain Boulevard (east side, between Park Blvd. & Ascot Dr.)
(No A.P.N.)</p> <p>To alter a wireless telecommunications facility (<i>previous permit nos. B0401486 & ENMI05074</i>) located in the public right-of-way by expanding the ground level equipment cabinet enclosure, adding 2 new equipment cabinets to total 3, and enclosing the open front; 3 pole-mounted antennas located across the street from the enclosure would be painted as camouflaging; the facility would not encroach into a planned City pedestrian path that will pass the site paved 5-feet in width alongside Mountain Blvd.</p> <p><i>At its March 19, 2008 hearing the Planning Commission continued the item to a date certain of April 18th for design considerations to be addressed; at the April 18th hearing the item was continued to a date uncertain</i></p> <p>Liz Johnson / Kukulica & Associates (for AT&T)</p> <p>Liz Johnson /</p> <p>(559) 658-0569</p> <p>City of Oakland</p> <p>REV 07-024</p> <p>Major Conditional Use Permit for a wireless telecommunications facility within a Residential Zone (OMC Sec. 17.14.070(B), 17.134.020(A)(3)(i); Regular Design Review for a wireless telecommunications facility (OMC Sec. 17.14.040, 17.16.030, 17.90.030, 17.136.090(A)(10))</p> <p>Institutional (equipment cabinets); Hillside Residential (antennas)</p> <p>R-20 Low Density Residential Zone/
S-10 Scenic Route Combining Zone (equipment cabinets);
R-30 One-Family Residential Zone (antennas)</p> |
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Environmental Determination:	Exempt, Section 15301(e) of the State CEQA Guidelines: Existing Facilities (Additions to existing structures); Section 15183 of the State CEQA Guidelines: Projects consistent with a community plan, general plan or zoning
Historic Status:	Not a Potential Designated Historic Property; Survey Ratings: *3
Service Delivery District:	IV – San Antonio/Fruitvale
City Council District:	4 - Quan
Date Filed:	November 15, 2007
Status:	Pending
Action to be Taken:	Decision based on staff report
Finality of Decision:	<i>Appealable to City Council</i>
For Further Information:	Contact case planner Aubrey Rose at (510) 238-2071 or by email: arose@oaklandnet.com

PUBLIC HEARINGS

The hearing provides opportunity for all concerned persons to speak; the hearing will normally be closed after all testimony has been heard. If you challenge a Commission decision in court, you will be limited to issues raised at the public hearing or in correspondence delivered to the Zoning Division, Community and Economic Development Agency, at, or prior to, the public hearing.

The Commission will then vote on the matter based on the staff report and recommendation. If the Commission does not follow the staff recommendation and no alternate findings have been prepared, then the vote on the matter will be considered a “straw” vote, which essentially is a non-binding vote directing staff to return to the Commission at a later date with appropriate findings and, as applicable, conditions of approval that the Commission will consider in making a final decision.

If you wish to be notified on the decision of an agenda item, please indicate the case number and submit a self-addressed stamped envelope, for each case.

Planning Commission decisions that involve “major” cases (i.e., major variances, major conditional use permits) are usually appealable to the City Council. Such appeals must be filed within ten (10) calendar days of the date of the announcement of the Planning Commission decision and by 4:00 p.m. An appeal shall be on a form provided by the Planning and Zoning Division of the Community and Economic Development Agency, and submitted to the same at 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Suite 2114, to the attention of the Case Planner. The appeal shall state specifically wherein it is claimed there was error or abuse of discretion by the Planning Commission or wherein their decision is not supported by substantial evidence and must include payment in accordance with the City of Oakland Master Fee Schedule. Failure to timely appeal will preclude you from challenging the City's decision in court. The appeal itself must raise each and every issue that is contested, along with all the arguments and evidence in the record which supports the basis of the appeal; failure to do so will preclude you from raising such issues during your appeal and/or in court.

Any party seeking to challenge a final decision in court must do so within ninety (90) days of the date of the announcement of a final decision, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 1094.6, unless a shorter period applies.



Interested parties are encouraged to submit written material on agenda items in advance of the meeting and prior to the close of the public hearing on the item. To allow for distribution to the Commission, staff, and the public, 25 copies of all material should be submitted. Material submitted at least ten days prior to the meeting may be included as part of the agenda packet; material submitted later will be distributed at or prior to the meeting. To ensure that material is distributed to Commissioners, it should be received by the Commission.

2.	Location:	185 98th Ave(APN # 044-5020-002-30)
	Proposal:	Major Conditional Use Permit for the addition off sale alcoholic beverage sales commercial activity at an existing gas station.
	Applicant:	Ali Amidy
	Contact Person/Phone Number:	Ali Amidy 1-408-497-4137
	Owner:	Ratto Investment Co.
	Case File Number:	CM07-036
	Planning Permits Required:	Major Conditional Use Permit
	General Plan:	Regional Commercial
	Zoning:	C-36
	Environmental Determination:	Exempt, CEQA Guidelines (Existing Facilities) Section 15301, and Section 15183, Projects consistent with a Community Plan, general plan, or zoning.
	Historic Status:	Non-historic property
	Service Delivery District:	6
	City Council District:	7
	Status:	Pending Approve application with attached conditions.
	Action to be Taken:	
	Finality of Decision:	<i>Appealable to City Council</i>
	For Further Information:	Contact case planner Jacob Graef at (510) 777-8672 or by email at jgraef@oaklandnet.com .

PLEASE NOTE: ITEMS #3 AND #4, BELOW, HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM THIS AGENDA.

3.	Location:	4183 Piedmont Ave(APN # 012-0994-004-00)
	Proposal:	Major Conditional Use Permit for the addition on and off sale alcoholic beverage sales commercial activity at a new wine store.
	Applicant:	Brian Goehry
	Contact Person/Phone Number:	Brian Goehry 510-595-8007
	Owner:	JLO-PA, LLC
	Case File Number:	CM08-134
	Planning Permits Required:	Major Conditional Use Permit
	General Plan:	Neighborhood Center
	Zoning:	C-31
	Environmental Determination:	Exempt, CEQA Guidelines (Existing Facilities) Section 15301 and Section 15183, Projects consistent with a community plan, general plan, or zoning.
	Historic Status:	NHP
	Service Delivery District:	2
	City Council District:	4
	Status:	Approve application with attached conditions.
	Action to be Taken:	Pending
	Finality of Decision:	<i>Appealable to City Council</i>
	For Further Information:	Contact case planner Jacob Graef at (510) 777-8672 or by email at jgraef@oaklandnet.com.



4.	Location:	912 61st Street (APN: 016-1436-003-01)
	Proposal:	To convert an existing one family residential dwelling into a Residential Care Facility for the elderly, serving up to 12 ambulatory and non-ambulatory residents. Includes a 1,669 sq.-ft. two-story addition plus remodels to the existing one-story 1,582 sq.-ft. structure.
	Applicant (Contact):	Ramon Aoanan
	Phone Number:	(510) 582-8776
	Owner:	Ramon Aoanan
	Case File Number:	CMD07-378
	Planning Permits Required:	Major Conditional Use Permit to allow a Residential Care Facility for up to 12 residents
	General Plan:	Mixed Housing Type Residential
	Zoning:	R-50 Medium Density Residential Zone
	Environmental Determination:	Exempt, Section 15301(a), (d) of the State CEQA Guidelines: Existing Facilities (Interior or exterior alterations); Section 15183 of the State CEQA Guidelines: Projects consistent with a community plan, general plan or zoning
	Historic Status:	Not a Potential Designated Historic Property
	Service Delivery District:	2—North Hills
	City Council District:	1—Brunner
	Date Filed:	August 27, 2007 (Note: Subsequent revisions filed through June, 2008).
	Status:	Pending
	Action to be Taken:	Decision based on staff report
	Finality of Decision:	<i>Appealable to City Council</i>
	For Further Information:	Contact case planner Ann Clevenger at (510) 238-6980 or aclevenger@oaklandnet.com

APPEALS

The Commission will take testimony on each appeal. If you challenge a Commission decision in court, you will be limited to issues raised at the public hearing or in correspondence delivered to the Zoning Division, Community and Economic Development Agency, at, or prior to, the public hearing; provided, however, such issues were previously raised in the appeal itself.

Following testimony, the Commission will vote on the report prepared by staff. If the Commission reverses/overturns the staff decision and no alternate findings have been prepared, then the vote on the matter will be considered a “straw” vote, which essentially is a non-binding vote directing staff to return to the Commission at a later date with appropriate findings and, as applicable, conditions of approval that the Commission will consider in making a final decision.

Unless otherwise noted, the decisions in the following matters are final and not administratively appealable. Any party seeking to challenge these decisions in court must do so within ninety (90) days of the date of the announcement of the final decision, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 1094.6, unless a shorter period applies.



(There are no Appeals on this Agenda)

COMMISSION BUSINESS

Approval of Minutes:

Correspondence

City Council Actions

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ADJOURNMENT By **10:30 P.M.** unless a later time is agreed upon by a majority of Commissioners present.

**SCOTT MILLER
Zoning Manager
Planning and Zoning Division**

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: July 16, 2008

* Revised 6-25-08 to indicate Items #3 and #4 being removed from this agenda, and to reflect the new Chair and Vice-Chair positions as determined at the June 18, 2008 meeting.

** Commission Lee's term as Commissioner has expired and she will be replaced upon the swearing in of a successor commissioner, currently anticipated to occur in July.