

### **CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS**

Room 280A 455 North Rexford Drive Beverly Hills, CA 90210

### **DESIGN REVIEW COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING**

## **MINUTES**

December 6, 2018 1:30 PM

### **MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

Date/Time:

December 6, 2018 / 1:31 PM

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**ROLL CALL** 

Commissioners Present:

Commissioners Pressman, Spann, Sharifi, Vice Chair Bernstein,

Chair Sherman

Commissioners Absent:

None

Staff Present:

Mark Odell, Georgana Millican, Karen Myron, Zuzanna Sinai

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Members of the public may address the Commission regarding any items not on the Agenda that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. By State law, the Commission may not discuss or vote on items not on the Agenda.

Speakers:

None

### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

By Order of the Chair, the agenda was approved as presented.

## **CONSENT CALENDAR**

### 1. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES

Consideration of Minutes of the Design Review Commission regular meeting of October 4, 2018.

### 2. 901 WHITTIER DRIVE (PL1820274)

A request for an R-1 Design Review Permit to allow the construction of a new two-story single-family residence located in the Central Area of the City, north of Santa Monica Boulevard. Pursuant to the provisions set forth in the California Environmental Quality Act, the Design Review Commission will also consider adoption of a Categorical Exemption for this project. (Continued from the August 2, 2018 Design Review Commission meeting and will be continued to the January 8, 2019 Design Review Commission special meeting.)

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Motion: MOVED by Commissioner Pressman, SECONDED by

Commissioner Sharifi to adopt the Consent Calendar as amended

(5-0).

AYES: Commissioners Pressman, Spann, Sharifi, Vice Chair Bernstein,

Chair Sherman

NOES: None

**CARRIED** 

### **REPORTS FROM PRIORITY AGENCIES**

#### WATER RATE NOTICES

Staff from the Public Works Department will provide information regarding water rate notices.

Assistant Director of Public Works Gil Borboa presented information to the Commission regarding recently distributed water rate notices.

### **CONTINUED BUSINESS**

No items

### **NEW BUSINESS**

# 3. 229 SOUTH LA PEER DRIVE (PL1820496)

A request for an R-1 Design Review Permit to allow the construction of a new two-story single-family residence located in the Central Area of the City, south of Santa Monica Boulevard. Pursuant to the provisions set forth in the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Design Review Commission will also consider adoption of a Categorical Exemption for this project.

Project Planner:

Georgana Millican, Associate Planner

**Project Applicant:** 

Siavash Jazaveri

Public Input:

None

Motion:

MOVED by Vice Chair Bernstein, seconded by Commissioner Sharifi to continue the item to the January 8, 2019 Design Review Commission special meeting, requesting a redesign of the project

(4-1).

AYES:

Commissioners Pressman, Sharifi, Vice Chair Bernstein, Chair

Sherman

NOES:

Commissioner Spann

CARRIED

## 4. 211 NORTH OAKHURST DRIVE (PL1820497)

A request for an R-1 Design Review Permit to allow the construction of a new two-story single-family residence located in the Central Area of the City, south of Santa Monica Boulevard.

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Pursuant to the provisions set forth in the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Design Review Commission will also consider adoption of a Categorical Exemption for this project.

Project Planner:

Georgana Millican, Associate Planner

Project Applicant:

Zaven Ayvazian

Public Input:

None

Motion:

MOVED by Vice Chair Bernstein, SECONDED by Commissioner

Sharifi to continue the item to the January 8, 2019 Design Review

Commission special meeting (5-0).

AYES:

Commissioners Pressman, Spann, Sharifi, Vice Chair Bernstein,

Chair Sherman

NOES:

None

**CARRIED** 

## STUDY SESSION

No items

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COMMISSION

# Mayor's Cabinet Meeting

- o Meeting video is available online
- Commissioner Pressman inquired about the common comment of "box-like" houses coming before the Commission. Chair Sherman noted that she has requested that the Commission have a discussion that covers this and related topics. Staff advised that further discussion will need to be agendized at a future meeting.

### **COMMUNICATIONS FROM STAFF**

## Urban Designer Updates

- Urban Designer Mark Odell advised the Commission of the following:
  - The Architectural Commission will be reviewing eight projects at its upcoming meeting on Wednesday, December 12, including a preview of the proposed new Chanel building.
  - An exact replica of the Doheny Fountain is currently being manufactured
  - Staff has provided the Commission's Rules of Procedure for the Commission's reference; Commissioners are welcome to contact staff if they have any questions.
  - Staff noted Commissioner Pressman's recent recognition from the Health and Safety Commission for her dedication to many community service and philanthropy-based groups

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# 5. 2019 Meeting Schedule

o Received and filed

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Date / Time:

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PASSED AND APPROVED THIS TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2019

Ilona Sherman, Chair