PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

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HEARING DATE: OCTOBER 28, 2020 at 9:00 A.M.

HEARING LOCATION 940 MAIN STREET, BOARD ROOM, EL CENTRO, CALIFORNIA

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ITEM	TIME	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	DI	DECISION		
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I.	9:00 a.m.	CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL				
II.		PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE				
III.		APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR SEPTEMBER 23, 2020 MEETING.				
IV.		PUBLIC HEARINGS: (Please read and complete a speakers form at the podium prior to the start of the meeting. The Chairperson will call on you to speak when your item is called.)				
1.		Consideration of General Plan Amendment #19-0002, Zone Change #19-0003 & Conditional Use Permit #19-0013 as submitted by West Wind Parking Storage, Inc. The applicant has applied for General Plan Amendment #19-0002 proposing to designate Assessor Parcel Numbers 054-240-022-000, 054-240-023-000, 054-240-024-000 and 054-240-025-000 from an Agriculture designation to a Specific Plan Area designation under Land Use Map of the Land Use Element of the Imperial County General Plan. Concurrently, Zone Change #19-0003 proposes to convert an existing 20-acre parcel (054-24-023-000) from A-2 (General Agriculture) to M-1 (Light Industrial) zone to allow for the expansion of an existing truck parking facility. The project also proposes to correct the existing two established industrial uses under Parcels 054-240-022-000 and 054-240-025-000 from C-2 (General Commercial) to M-1 (Light Industrial) zone. The two parcels consist of existing truck storage facilities. Parcel 054-240-023-000 is currently vacant. No changes to the existing overlay designation for Parcel 054-240-023-000; Assessor Parcel Numbers 054-240-022-000, 054-240-023-000, 054-240-024-000 & 054-240-025-000 (429 E. Heber Road, Heber, CA), (Supervisorial District #5) [Joe Hernandez, Planner IV at 442-265-1736, extension 1748 or by email at joehernandez@co.imperial.ca.us]. Actions: a. Recommend to the Board of Supervisors to Adopt the "Mitigated Negative Declaration, with Mitigations Monitoring and Reporting Program" by finding that the proposed project with the proposed Mitigation Measures will not have a significant effect on the environment as recommended at the Environmental Evaluation Committee (EEC) meeting held on August 27, 2020; b. Recommend to the Board of Supervisors to make the De Minimus Finding as determined at the August 27, 2020 EEC hearing that the project will not individually or cumulatively have an adverse effect on Fish and Wildlife Resources, as defined in Section 711.2 of the Fish and Game Codes; and				

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	 c. Recommend to Board of Supervisors to approve the attached Resolutions with Findings for General Plan Amendment #19-0002. d. Recommend to Board of Supervisors to approve Zone Change #19-0003. e. Recommend to the Board of Supervisors to Adopt the attached Resolution and Findings, approving Conditional Use Permits 19-0013, subject to all of the Conditions of Approval and authorize the Planning and Development Services Director to sign the CUP upon receipt from the applicant. 	
2.	Consideration of Similarity of Use as submitted by Diamond Environmental Services proposing an equipment rental business, which include renting portable restrooms (various types), shower trailers, fencing, barricades, and temporary power. On property identified as Assessor Parcel Number(s) 051-420-101 & 0102-000, this proposed site is zoned M-1 (Light Industrial) (1702 W. Evan Hewes Highway, Seeley, CA). (Supervisorial District #1), [Joe Hernandez, Planner IV at 442-265-1736 or by email at joehernandez@co.imperial.ca.us] Actions: a. Make the Finding that this "Similarity of Use" Determination is Statutorily Exempt from CEQA per Article 18, Section 15268 (a) and (c), Ministerial Projects, of CEQA and Section 90203.10 (F.) of the Imperial County Land Use Ordinance, Title 9, and that no further environmental documentation is necessary; and b. Approve of the Resolution and make the attached Findings to allow the requested use; and c. Determine that Equipment – (Small Rental Facility) associated with a portable restrooms and shower trailer are a similar use for the Light Industrial (M-1) Zone (Uses Permitted).	
V.	Public Comments.	
VI.	Planning Commissioner Comments.	
VII.	Director Comments.	
VIII.	Adjournment.	

For questions regarding these projects contact the above-mentioned Planner following the project. Si usted requiere esta información en español, favor de llamar al (442) 265-1736 GR\S:\Clerical\AGENDAS\2020\PC\10 28 2020 - REVISE PC AGENDA REG .docx