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AGENDA - Final

Monday, June 13, 2022

9:00 AM

Special Meeting - Hybrid

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A. ROLL CALL

B. SALUTE TO THE FLAG

C. PUBLIC HEARINGS

Planning and Building Department

1. Two separate appeals of the Planning Commission's approval of a Special Permit to allow 24,300 square feet of new mixed-light commercial cannabis cultivation.

Appeal 1: LaDonna Haga, Gary Haga, & Maureen Catalina ("opposing appellant") appeal the Planning Commission approval of Nava Ranch, LLC Special Permit PLN-2021-17162 for 24,300 square feet of mixed light commercial cannabis and 2,500 square feet of commercial indoor cannabis cultivation.

Appeal 2: Nava Ranch, LLC ("proposing appellant") appeal of the Planning Commission's approval of PLN-2021-17162 reducing the project's mixed light square footage from 43,560 square feet to 24,300 square feet.

Recommendation:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- a. Open the public hearing and receive the staff report, testimony by the opposing appellant, testimony from the proposing appellant, and testimony from the public; and
- b. Close the public hearing; and
- c. Adopt the resolution (Resolution 22-__). (Attachment 1) which does the following:
- a. Finds that the Board of Supervisors has considered the Addendum to the Environmental Impact Report for the Commercial Cannabis Land Use Ordinance prepared for the Nava Ranch, LLC project); and
- b. Finds that the proposed project complies with the General Plan and Zoning Ordinance; and
- c. Denies the Opposing Appeal submitted by LaDonna Haga, Gary Haga, & Maureen Catalina; and
- d. Approves the proposing Appeal submitted by Nava Ranch, LLC; and
- e. Approves the Special Permit for 43,560 square feet of mixed light cultivation and 2,500 square feet of indoor cultivation subject to the recommended conditions

of approval.

d. Direct the Clerk of the Board to give notice of the decision to the opposing appellant, the proposing appellant, the Planning and Building Department, and any other interested party.

Attachments:

Staff Report

Attachment 2 Appeal 1.pdf

Attachment 1 Draft Resolution - if edits.docx

Attachment 3 Appeal 2.pdf

Attachment 4 Nava Ranch Staff Report 05.05.22.pdf

Attachment 5 PC Resolution 22-054 Nava Ranch.pdf

Attachment 6 - Public Comments submitted to PC.pdf

Attachment 7 - Public Comment from Haga 06.03.2022.pdf

Resolution No. 22-76.pdf

2. Appeal of the Planning Commission actions to Approve the Blocksburg Family Farms, LLC (PLN- 12265-CUP) Conditional Use Permit and to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration, for 6.39 acres of outdoor cultivation including 16,800 sf of existing cannabis cultivation authorized under interim permit, on a parcel of approximately 1,221 acres

Recommendation:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Open the public hearing and receive the staff report, testimony by the appellant, applicant, and public; and
- 2. Close the public hearing; and
- 3. Adopt the resolution (Resolution 22-__). (Attachment 1) which does the following:
- a. Adopts the Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration, State Clearinghouse No. 2021110058;
- b. Makes the findings required to deny the appeal and approve the Conditional Use Permits;
- c. Denies the Appeal;
- d. Adopts the mitigation monitoring and reporting plan; and
- e. Approves the Conditional Use Permits subject to the conditions of approval (Attachment 1A); and
- 4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to give notice of the decision to the appellant, the project applicant, the property owner, the Planning and Building Department, and any other interested party; and
- 5. Direct the Planning and Building Department to file a Notice of Determination with the Humboldt County Recorder's Office, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act.

Attachments: Staff Report

Attachment 2 - Appeal Application.pdf

Attachment 1 - BOS Resolution.docx

Attachment 3 - PC Resolution 22-055 Blocksburg Family Farm 12265.pdf

Attachment 4 - PC Staff Report 5.5.22

Attachment 5a - 12265 MND BlocksburgFamilyFarmsLLC 3.9.2022

Attachment 5b - 12265 Appendixes AtoO CEQA ISMND 3.09.222

Attachment 6 - 12265 Blocksburg Watershed Map

Attachment 7 - Project Maps.pdf

Attachment 8 - PC 5-05-22 Public Comment Combined.pdf

Attachment 9 - 12265 MMRP April 2022 Update.pdf

Resolution No. 22-79.pdf

3. Appeal 1: MDRV Realty Holdings, LLC appeal of the Planning Commission's conditional approval of a Conditional Use Permit to allow 14,450 square feet of existing outdoor and 3,600 square feet of existing mixed-light commercial cannabis cultivation.

Appeal 2: MDRV Realty Holdings, LLC appeal of the Planning Commission's conditional approval of a Special Permit to allow 2,000 square feet of existing outdoor and 4,850 square feet of existing mixed-light commercial cannabis cultivation.

Recommendation: Th

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Open the public hearing and receive the staff report, testimony by the appellant (applicant), and public; and
- 2. Close the public hearing; and
- 3. Adopt the resolution (Resolution 22-__). (Attachment 1) which does the following:
- a. Finds that the Board of Supervisors has considered the Addendum to the Environmental Impact Report for the Commercial Cannabis Land Use Ordinance that was prepared for the MDRV Realty Holdings, LLC project; and
- b. Finds that the proposed project complies with the General Plan and Zoning Ordinance; and
- c. Approves the Appeal submitted by MDRV Realty Holdings, LLC; and
- d. Approves the Conditional Use Permit and Special Permit subject to the recommended conditions of approval.
- 4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to give notice of the decision to the appellant, the Planning and Building Department, and any other interested party.

Attachments: Staff Report

Attachment 1 BOS Resolution 11212.docx
Attachment 2 BOS Resolution 11214.docx
Attachment 3 Grounds for Appeal.pdf

Attachment 4 11212 MDRV Staff Report with Revised COA.pdf
Attachment 5 PC Resolution 22-056 MDRV Realty 11212.pdf
Attachment 6 11214 MDRV Staff Report with Revised COA.pdf
Attachment 7 PC Resolution 22-057 MDRV Realty 11214.pdf

Attachment 8 - 11214 Road Evaluation Report 12.8.2021.pdf

Attachment 9 Public Comment - Combined -11212 MDRV Realty.pdf

Attachment 10 11212 Applicant's Statement in response to Public Comment 3.21.20

D. MATTERS SET FOR TIME CERTAIN

Closed Session

- 12:00 PM Conference with Legal Counsel Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)

 (1) to discuss existing litigation in the case People of the State of California, et al. v. Karen Paz Dominguez, et al./County of Humboldt v. Karen Paz Dominguez, Humboldt County Superior Court Case No. CV2200584
- 2. 12:00 PM Conference with Legal Counsel Anticipated Litigation: Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9 subd. (d)(2) and (e)(3) to discuss exposure to litigation in one potential case: Eureka City Council Authorization to Initiate Litigation Against the County of Humboldt and Auditor-Controller Karen Paz Dominguez

Attachments: City of Eureka- Report out of Closed Session.pdf

- 12:00 PM Conference with Legal Counsel Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)
 (1) to discuss existing litigation in the case of White Circle Commerce, LLC, et al. v. County of Humboldt, Humboldt County Superior Court Case Nos. CV2000513 and CV2000623
- **4.** 12:00 PM Conference with Legal Counsel Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.5 and 54957 to consider Public Employee Appointment for the position of Director of Planning & Building.

E. ADJOURNMENT

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