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PLANNING COMMISSION COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

825 Fifth Street
Board of Supervisors Chambers
Eureka, California

ACTION SUMMARY

Thursday, November 16, 2017

5:30 PM

Special Meeting

CALL TO ORDER / SALUTE TO FLAG

Chair Morris called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT

Present

 7 - Commissioner Robert E. Morris, Commissioner David Edmonds, Commissioner Alan Bongio, Commissioner Noah Levy, Commissioner Kevin McKenny, Commissioner Ben Shepherd, and Commissioner Brian Mitchell

AGENDA MODIFICATIONS

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PUBLIC COMMENTS

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1 Zoning Ordinance Amendments

Commercial Cannabis Land Use Ordinance (CCLUO)

Case NumberOR-17-002

Assessor Parcel Number (APN): 000-000-000 [countywide]

Staff report to include information for the Cannabis Ordinance and Draft Environmental Impact Report.

Meeting went into Recess

Meeting Reconvened

A motion was made by Commissioner Edmonds, seconded by Commissioner Shepherd, that this Zoning Ordinance item be continued to November 30, 2017. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye:

 7 - Commissioner Morris, Commissioner Edmonds, Commissioner Bongio, Commissioner Levy, Commissioner McKenny, Commissioner Shepherd, and Commissioner Mitchell

PUBLIC HEARINGS

2 County of Humboldt OR 17-005 County Wide

This item involves amendments to the Zoning Ordinance to allow improved floors and footpaths in greenhouses on prime agricultural soils where certain conditions are met to ensure the long-term protection of the underlying soil for future agricultural use. The current Zoning Ordinance prohibits improved floors and footpaths in greenhouses on prime agricultural soils. This limits the types of greenhouses for new commercial cannabis cultivation, which can only occur on prime agricultural soils. The amendments would modify sections 314-43.1.3.2 and 314-69.1.1.2 of Title III, Division 1, Chapter 4 (Inland Zoning Regulations); and section 313-69.1.5 to Title III, Division I, Chapter 3 (Coastal Zoning Regulations) of the Humboldt County Code.

A motion was made by Commissioner McKenny, seconded by Commissioner Levy, that this Zoning Ordinance be continued to the December 7, 2017 meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye:

 7 - Commissioner Morris, Commissioner Edmonds, Commissioner Bongio, Commissioner Levy, Commissioner McKenny, Commissioner Shepherd, and Commissioner Mitchell

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Morris adjourned the meeting at 9:42 p.m.

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NEXT MEETINGS

November 30, 2017 Special Meeting December 7, 2017 Regular Meeting

I, SUZANNE LIPPRE, Planning Commission Clerk, County of Humboldt, State of California, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true, and correct original record of the above entitled meeting of the Humboldt County Planning Commission held in Eureka, California.

SUZANNE LIPPRE

Planning Commission Clerk of the County of Humboldt, State of California.

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