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BUTTE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

December 14, 2017

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Board of Supervisors' Room

County Administration Center 25 County Center Drive Oroville, CA 95965

- I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- **II. ROLL CALL** Commissioners Chase, Donati, Grundmann, Kennedy, and Chair John.
- **III. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA** Commission members and staff may request additions, deletions or changes in the Agenda order.
- IV. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR ON ITEMS NOT ALREADY ON THE AGENDA (Presentations will be limited to five minutes. The Planning Commission is prohibited by State Law from taking action on any item presented if it is not listed on the Agenda).
- V. PUBLIC HEARINGS AND OTHER MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION The Chair will call for a presentation of the report of staff. The hearing will then be opened to the public for proponents, opponents, comments, and rebuttals. The hearing will be then be closed to the public and discussion confined to the members of the Planning Commission and staff. The Commission will then make a motion and vote on the item. It is requested that individual public comments be addressed to the Chair and limited to a maximum of 5 minutes so that all interested parties will have an opportunity to address the Commission. Following your presentation, please print your name and address on the speakers sheet so that the record will be accurate.
 - A. Modification or Revocation of Conditional Use Permit UP14-0002 and UP15-0005 - Continued from the meetings of September 28, 2017 and October 26, 2017

Applicant: Old Durham Wood Inc.

Planner: Rowland Hickel APN: 040-120-033

General Plan: Agriculture (AG)

Zoning: AG-40 (Agriculture, 40-acre minimum parcel size)

Location: 1156 Oroville-Chico Highway, approximately five miles southeast of Chico, west of Highway 99 and 1.8 miles north of the Durham-Pentz Road exit to

Highway 99.

Request: Consideration of the County-initiated revocation or modification of Conditional Use Permits UP14-0002 and UP15-0005 for failure to comply with or fulfill permit conditions of approval, the alteration of site conditions beyond the scope of the approved permit to a degree that one or more of the findings required to grant the original permits can no longer be made, and for unauthorized improvements resulting in the violation of state and federal regulations on an 87.76 acre property situated in the AG-40 (Agriculture – 40-acre minimum parcel size) zone.

CEQA Determination: Staff recommends this action be found to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under section 15321 (Class 21 – Enforcement Actions by Regulatory Agencies) of the CEQA Guidelines.

Recommendation: Direct the applicant to amend the draft compliance plan and Gantt chart to include the following by February 1, 2018:

- Completion of all the necessary improvements to the 12,000 square foot building used as a warehouse and request a pre-final inspection as soon as possible. The applicant may request a final inspection of the building when the parking area and the permanent restroom facility is completed;
- Submittal of an application to amend Conditional Use Permit UP14-0002 to address the unauthorized expansion and site disturbance within the required 150-foot setback area shown on the approved site plan, and including an acceptable timeframe to staff in order for the applicant to remediate the violations of State and federal law;
- 3. Obtain the amended permit for the fire suppression system and water line (B16-0840), and complete the installation of the water lines and all four remaining fire hydrants by January 28, 2018;
- 4. Completion of the two encroachments linking the subject property to Oroville-Chico Highway to the County's standards. Completion of the northern encroachment as shown on the approved site plan to County standards shall be completed by February 1, 2018. Both access encroachments shall be completed by June 1, 2018; and

continue the hearing to March 8, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

Staff Report

B. Commission Workshop to Review the Preliminary Draft Butte County Oak Woodland Mitigation Ordinance

Applicant: Butte County

Planner: Pete Calarco APN: Various (Countywide)

General Plan: Various (Countywide)

Zoning: Various (Countywide)

Location: County Wide: the proposed ordinance would be applicable to all lands

within the unincorporated portions of Butte County.

Request: The Draft Ordinance would be applicable to discretionary projects setting thresholds for removal and replacement of oak woodlands on development projects.

CEQA Determination: Not applicable for a workshop

Recommendation: Receive public comment and provide direction to staff on the draft ordinance.

Staff Report

PowerPoint Presentation

- VI. GENERAL BUSINESS This section of the agenda is to be utilized by the Planning Commission and Director of Development Services on items of interest, general discussion, or items for which staff have been directed to do research and bring back to the Commission. Items may not always be addressed at every hearing, but will always be listed as part of the agenda.
 - A. Directors' Report
 - Rescheduling February 22, 2017 Planning Commission Meeting to February 8, 2018
 - B. General Plan Follow-up and Implementation Program
 - C. Update on Recent Board of Supervisors' Actions
 - D. Legislative Case Law Update
 - E. Planning Commission Concerns
- VI. COMMUNICATIONS Communications received and referred. (Copies of all communications are available in the Planning Division Office.)
- VII. MINUTES:
 - A. May 11, 2017
 - B. June 29, 2017
- IX. ADJOURNMENT