



ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD AGENDA

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Thursday March 19, 2009
REGULAR MEETING - 8:30 AM
City Council Chambers, Civic Center, 1st Floor
250 Hamilton Avenue
Palo Alto, CA 94301

ROLL CALL:

Board members:

Grace Lee (Chair)
Alexander Lew (Vice Chair)
Clare Malone Prichard
David Solnick
Judith Wasserman

Staff Liaison:

Russ Reich, Senior Planner

Staff:

Amy French, Manager of Current Planning
Alicia Spotwood, Admin. Associate

PROCEDURES FOR PUBLIC HEARINGS

Please be advised the normal order of public hearings of agenda items is as follows:

- *Announce agenda item*
- *Open public hearing*
- *Staff recommendation*
- *Applicant presentation – Ten (10) minutes limitation or at the discretion of the Board.*
- *Public comment – Five (5) minutes limitation per speaker or limitation to three (3) minutes depending on large number of speakers per item.*
- *Architectural Review Board questions of the applicant/staff, and comments*
- *Applicant closing comments - Three (3) minutes*
- *Close public hearing*
- *Motions/recommendations by the Board*
- *Final vote*

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ORAL COMMUNICATIONS. Members of the public may speak to any item not on the agenda with a limitation of three (3) minutes per speaker. Those who desire to speak must

complete a speaker request card available from the secretary of the Board. The Architectural Review Board reserves the right to limit the oral communications period to 15 minutes.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

None

AGENDA CHANGES, ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS. The agenda may have additional items added to it up until 72 hours prior to meeting time.

BOARD MEMBER BUSINESS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS.

REPORTS FROM OFFICIALS.

Amy French will report on the High Speed Rail Project.

SUBCOMMITTEE:

Review conditions of approval for the following projects

Alma Plaza 3401-3445 Alma
425 High St (PA Hotel)
Elks Lodge 4249 ECR

STAFF ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW:

Project Description: Request for minor staff level review of one replacement wall sign and new lettering on an existing freestanding sign.

Applicant: David Ford

Address: 855 El Camino Real 09PLN-00014

Approval Date: March 12, 2009

Project Description: Request for minor staff level review of a new non-illuminated wall sign.

Applicant: Kevin Holley

Address: 116 Hamilton Avenue 09PLN-00020

Approval Date: March 12, 2009

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