



# City of Santa Rosa

City Hall, Council  
Chamber  
100 Santa Rosa Ave  
Santa Rosa, CA

## PLANNING COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA AND SUMMARY REPORT - FINAL-REVISED MARCH 28, 2024

**EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY ALL PUBLIC COMMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED IN PERSON OR VIA EMAIL IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETINGS.**

**MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING BY ATTENDING IN-PERSON FROM THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 100 SANTA ROSA AVENUE (IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT SOCIAL DISTANCING BE OBSERVED).**

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**1. [HTTPS://SANTA-ROSA.LEGISTAR.COM/CALENDAR](https://santa-rosa.legistar.com/calendar). CLICK ON THE "IN PROGRESS" LINK TO VIEW;**

**2. VIA ZOOM BY VISITING [HTTPS://SRCITY-ORG.ZOOM.US/J/84924548870](https://srcity-org.zoom.us/j/84924548870), OR BY DIALING 877-853-5257 AND ENTERING WEBINAR ID: 849 2454 8870;**

**3. COMCAST CHANNEL 28, AT&T U-VERSE CHANNEL 99; AND**

**4. VIA YOUTUBE AT [HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/CITYOFSANTAROSA](https://www.youtube.com/cityofsantarosa)**

### **4:30 P.M. - REGULAR SESSION**

**1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

**2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**2.1 February 22, 2024 - Draft Minutes**

**Attachments:** [February 22, 2024 - Draft Minutes](#)

**3. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

This is the time when any person may address matters not listed on this

agenda, but which are within the subject matter of the jurisdiction. The public may comment on agenda items when the item is called. Each speaker is allowed three minutes.

#### **4. COMMISSION BUSINESS**

##### **4.1 STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

The Planning Commission is charged with carrying out the California Planning and Zoning Laws in the City of Santa Rosa. Duties include implementing of plans, ordinances and policies relating to land use matters; assisting in writing and implementing the General Plan and area plans; holding public hearings and acting on proposed changes to the Zoning Code, Zoning Map, General Plan, tentative subdivision maps, and undertaking special planning studies as needed.

##### **4.2 COMMISSIONER REPORTS**

##### **4.3 OTHER (i.e. VICE CHAIR ELECTION, NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS)**

Vice Chair Election

#### **5. DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

#### **6. STATEMENTS OF ABSTENTION BY COMMISSIONERS**

#### **7. CONSENT ITEMS**

None.

#### **8. REPORT ITEMS**

None.

#### **9. PUBLIC HEARINGS**

##### **9.1 PUBLIC HEARING - OAKMONT VILLAGE ASSOCIATION PLANNED DEVELOPMENT TEXT AMENDMENT TO MODIFY THE LANGUAGE OF THE EXISTING POLICY STATEMENT - REZ23-002**

BACKGROUND: Oakmont Village Association (OVA) is requesting an amendment to the existing Policy Statement for Planned Development

63-001, which includes most properties in Oakmont. This project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act.

PRESENTED BY: Sheila Wolski, City Planner

**Attachments:** [Staff Report](#)  
[Attachment 1 - Application](#)  
[Attachment 2 - Location Map](#)  
[Attachment 3 - General Plan Map of Area](#)  
[Attachment 4 - Public Correspondence Resolution](#)  
[Exhibit A](#)  
[Exhibit B](#)  
[Presentation](#)  
[Late Correspondence as of March 27, 2024](#)  
[Late Correspondence as of March 27, 2024](#)

**9.2\*** REQUEST TO CONTINUE THE ITEM TO A DATE CERTAIN OF APRIL 11, 2024.

PUBLIC HEARING - CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR A NEW TELECOMMUNICATION TOWER - AT 2715 GIFFEN AVENUE - FILE NO. CUP23-004

BACKGROUND: The applicant is requesting approval of a Conditional Use Permit for the construction of an 80-foot-tall telecommunication tower with ground equipment and fencing. The project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

PRESENTED BY: Suzanne Hartman, City Planner

**Attachments:** [Staff Report](#)  
[Attachment 1 - Disclosure Form](#)  
[Attachment 2 - Location Map](#)  
[Attachment 3 - Project Narrative](#)  
[Attachment 4 - Plan Set](#)  
[Attachment 5 - Biological Assessment](#)  
[Attachment 6 - EME Report](#)  
[Attachment 7 - Coverage Map](#)  
[Attachment 8 - Photo Simulations](#)  
[ADDED Attachment 9 - Alternative Site Analysis](#)  
[ADDED Attachment 10 - Applicant Presentation](#)  
[Resolution](#)  
[Exhibit A](#)  
[REVISED Presentation](#)  
[Public Correspondence received as of March 27, 2024](#)  
[Late Correspondence as of March 27, 2024](#)

## 10. ADJOURNMENT

\*Ex parte communication disclosure required.

*In compliance with Zoning Code Section 20-62, the decision of the Planning Commission is final unless an appeal is filed on a City Appeal Form (<https://srcity.org/DocumentCenter/Index/173>) and associated fees, as noted on the City's Fee Schedule (<https://srcity.org/DocumentCenter/View/16129/Planning--Economic-Development-Department-Fee-Schedule?bidId=>), are paid within 10 calendar days of the action. The time limit will extend to the following business day where the last day falls on a day that the City is not open for business.*

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*Any writings or documents provided to a majority of the Planning Commission prior to this meeting regarding any item on this agenda are available for public review at <https://santa-rosa.legistar.com/calendar.aspx> or in person at the Planning and Economic Development Department, Room 3, City Hall, 100 Santa Rosa Ave, during normal business hours.*