

CITY OF VENTURA
DIRECTOR'S HEARING AGENDA

Peter Gilli, Hearing Officer
Neda Zayer, Hearing Officer

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**REGULAR MEETING:
THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 2022 – 6:00 P.M.
WEBEX EVENT**

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SUBMIT PUBLIC COMMENT VIA EMAIL:

Submit your comments via email by **4:00 pm** on the Administrative Public Hearing date of **March 10, 2022**. Please submit your comment using this form, www.cityofventura.ca.gov/publicinput or send an email to permits@cityofventura.ca.gov (up to 1000 characters). When sending an email, please indicate in the Subject Line, the Agenda item number (i.e., Item No. 8A). Your form/email will be read by Administrative Hearing Officer and placed into the item's record at the meeting.

You may also scan the QR Code below to access the form to submit public comments or comments related to a specific agenda item via email before the meeting or during the meeting.



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PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS – Public Communications is the time set-aside during the hearing for members of the public to address the Hearing Officer on planning related business other than scheduled agenda items.

CONSENT ITEM

1. **Approval of the Administrative Public Hearing February 10, 2022 and February 24, 2022 Meeting Minutes.**

Recommendation: Approve, as presented.

Materials: [Feb 10 minutes](#), [Feb 24 minutes](#)

FORMAL ITEMS

2. **PROJ-15368 – Buddy’s Wine Bar Alcohol Use Permit located at 1786 E. Main Street.**

Request for an Alcohol Use Permit for a Type 42 Alcohol License (on-sale beer & wine- public premises) for on-site and off-site sale of beer and wine in a 1,573 square-foot tenant space on a 25,007 square foot site in the General Urban (T4.5) zone with a land use designation of Commerce

Recommendation: Approve the Alcohol Use Permit, as conditioned.

California Environmental Quality Act

The project is categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15301 Class 01, Existing Facilities.

Case Planner: Gene Burse, Senior Planner

Applicant: Alexis Wade

Materials: [staff report](#), [resolution](#), [project plans](#), public comment

3. **PROJ-15357 – Urbane Café Alcohol Use Permit located at 811 E. Thompson Blvd.**

Request for an Alcohol Use Permit for a Type 41 Alcohol License (on sale beer & wine- eating place) on-site and off-site sale of beer and wine within a 1,367 square-foot tenant space and outdoor patio area on a 13,200 square foot site in the Thompson Corridor (T4.4) zone within the Downtown Specific Plan.

Recommendation: Approve the Alcohol Use Permit, as conditioned.

California Environmental Quality Act

The project is categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15301 Class 01, Existing Facilities.

Case Planner: Gene Burse, Senior Planner
Applicant: Marissa Rogers, Urbane Café

Materials: [staff report](#), [resolution](#), [project plans](#), public comment

4. PROJ-15384 – Stout Burger Alcohol Use Permit located at 328 E Main Street.

Request for an Alcohol Use Permit for a Type 47 License (on-sale general – eating place) for full alcohol sales for a proposed 4,725 square-foot restaurant on 0.27-acre site in the Urban Core (T6.1) zone within the Downtown Specific Plan.

Recommendation: Approve the Alcohol Use Permit, as conditioned.

California Environmental Quality Act

The project is categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15301 Class 01, Existing Facilities.

Case Planner: Jamie Peltier, Senior Planner
Applicant: Stout Ventura, LLC

Materials: [staff report](#), [resolution](#), [project plans](#), public comment

STAFF COMMUNICATION

ADJOURNMENT

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