

## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to you that the Planning Commission of the City of Carlsbad will hold a public hearing at the Council Chamber, 1200 Carlsbad Village Drive, Carlsbad, California, at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, **February 21, 2024**, to consider a request for the following:

## CASE NAME: CDP 2023-0016/V 2023-0002 (DEV 2020-0134) - BEGONIA COURT RETAINING WALL

- PUBLISH DATE: February 9, 2024
- **DESCRIPTION:** Request for a coastal development permit and variance to allow a series of retaining walls, which are currently built but unpermitted, to be kept in place with necessary structural retrofitting. The retaining walls step up the rear-yard manufactured slope, which has an inclination over 40% and has an elevation change of over 15 feet. The variance requested would allow the retaining walls to be permitted beyond the six-foot elevation limit set by the Hillside Development Ordinance (Carlsbad Municipal Code Chapter 21.95).

Those persons wishing to speak on this proposal are cordially invited to attend the public hearing and provide the decision makers with any oral or written comments they may have regarding the project. Copies of the staff report will be available online at <u>https://www.carlsbadca.gov/city-hall/meetings-agendas/boards-commissions/planning-commission</u> on or after the Thursday prior to the hearing date.

VISUAL MATERIALS FOR PLANNING COMMISSION: Visual materials should be submitted to the Planning Division at 1635 Faraday Avenue no later than noon on the day of a Regular Planning Commission Meeting. Digital materials will be placed on a computer in Council Chambers for public presentations. Please label all materials with the agenda item number you are representing. Items submitted for viewing, including presentations/digital materials, will be included in the time limit maximum for speakers. All materials exhibited to the Planning Commission during the meeting (slides, maps, photos, etc.) are part of the public record and must be kept by the Planning Division for at least 60 days after final action on the matter. Your materials will be returned upon written request. Video clips cannot be accommodated.

If you have any questions, or would like to be notified of the decision, please contact Kyle Van Leeuwen in the Planning Division at 442-339-2911 or kyle.vanleeuwen@carlsbadca.gov, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 1635 Faraday Avenue, Carlsbad, California 92008.

## APPEALS

The time within which you may judicially challenge these projects, if approved, is established by State law and/or city ordinance and is very short. If you challenge this project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Carlsbad at or prior to the public hearing.

- Appeals to the City Council: Where the decision is appealable to the City Council, appeals must be filed in writing within ten (10) calendar days after a decision by the Planning Commission.
- Coastal Commission Appealable Project:
  - This site is located within the Coastal Zone Appealable Area.
  - This site is not located within the Coastal Zone Appealable Area.
  - Application deemed complete: June 30, 2023

Where the decision is appealable to the Coastal Commission, appeals must be filed with the Coastal Commission within ten (10) working days after the Coastal Commission has received a Notice of Final Action from the City of Carlsbad. Applicants will be notified by the Coastal Commission of the date that their appeal period will conclude. The San Diego office of the Coastal Commission is located at 7575 Metropolitan Drive, Suite 103, San Diego, California 92108-4421.

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SITE MAP





