



CITY OF ATASCADERO CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES

Tuesday, February 13, 2024

City Hall Council Chambers, Fourth Floor
6500 Palma Avenue, Atascadero, California

<u>City Council Closed Session:</u>	5:30 P.M.
<u>City Council Regular Session:</u>	6:00 P.M.

CITY COUNCIL CLOSED SESSION:

Mayor Moreno called Closed Session to order at 5:30 p.m.

1. **CLOSED SESSION — PUBLIC COMMENT – None**
2. **COUNCIL LEAVES CHAMBERS TO BEGIN CLOSED SESSION**
3. **CLOSED SESSION — CALL TO ORDER**
 - a. **Conference with Legal Counsel – Existing Litigation**
Government Code Sec. 54956.9(d)(1)
Name of Case: Newton v. City of Atascadero
San Luis Obispo Superior Court Case No. 20CV-0046
4. **CLOSED SESSION — ADJOURNMENT**
5. **COUNCIL RETURNS**
6. **CLOSED SESSION — REPORT, if any**

City Attorney Fleishman reported that there was no reportable action from Closed Session.

REGULAR SESSION — CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 P.M.

Mayor Moreno called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m. and Mayor Pro Tem Funk led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Council Members Bourbeau, Dariz, Newsom, Mayor Pro Tem Funk, and Mayor Moreno

Absent: None

Others Present: None

Staff Present: City Manager Jim Lewis, Administrative Services Director Jeri Rangel, Community Development Director Phil Dunsmore, Community Services & Promotions Director Terrie Banish, Fire Chief Casey Bryson, Police Chief Dan Suttles, Public Works Director Nick DeBar, City Attorney Dave Fleishman, Deputy City Manager/City Clerk Lara Christensen, Deputy City Manager – IT Luke Knight, Deputy Public Works Director Ryan Hayes, and Assistant Planner Sam Mountain.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

MOTION BY: Bourbeau

SECOND BY: Funk

1. Approve this agenda.
2. Waive the reading in full of all ordinances appearing on this agenda; titles of the ordinances will be read aloud by the City Clerk at the first reading, after the motion and before the City Council votes.

AYES (5): Bourbeau, Dariz, Funk, Newsom, and Moreno

Passed 5-0

A. CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. City Council Draft Minutes – January 23, 2024

- Recommendation: Council approve the January 23, 2024, Draft City Council Regular Meeting Minutes. [City Clerk]

2. Proclamation of Existence of a Local Emergency Related to the Early February 2024 Storms

- Fiscal Impact: Proclaiming the existence of a local emergency due to the Early February 2024 Storms allows the City to pursue FHWA funding for the San Marcos landslide, which is estimated to cost between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 to repair.
- Recommendation: Council adopt Draft Resolution proclaiming the existence of a local emergency related to the Early February 2024 Storms. [City Manager & Public Works]

MOTION BY: Funk

SECOND BY: Newsom

1. Approve the consent calendar (#A-2: Resolution No. 2024-002).

AYES (5): Bourbeau, Dariz, Funk, Newsom, and Moreno

Passed 5-0

UPDATES FROM THE CITY MANAGER:

City Manager Lewis gave an update on projects and events within the City.

COMMUNITY FORUM:

The following persons spoke by telephone or through the webinar: Geoff Auslen.

B. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

1. Appeal of ARCO Canopy Signage Use Permit at 9590 El Camino Real

- Fiscal Impact: The proposed project is not estimated to have any notable fiscal impact.
- Recommendation: Council:
 1. Adopt Draft Resolution A, affirming the Planning Commission's approval of an Administrative Use Permit to allow increased signage at 9590 El Camino Real.

OR

2. Adopt Draft Resolution B, affirming in part the Planning Commission's approval of an Administrative Use Permit to allow increased signage at 9590 El Camino Real, with modifications to the conditions of approval.
[Community Development]

Ex-Parte: Council Members Newsom and Dariz reported being a part of the initial review of the project as part of the Design Review Committee. There was no additional ex-parte.

Community Development Director Dunsmore gave the report and answered questions from the Council.

David Bartle, representing the applicant team, made a presentation and answered questions from the Council. He also provided the Council with copies of photos used in his presentation (Exhibit A).

PUBLIC COMMENT:

The following persons spoke on this item: Zachary Delos Reyes

Mayor Moreno closed the Public Comment period.

MOTION BY: Moreno

SECOND BY: Dariz

1. **Adopt Resolution No. 2024-003, affirming the Planning Commission's approval of an Administrative Use Permit to allow increased signage at 9590 El Camino Real.**

AYES (4): Dariz, Funk, Newsom, and Moreno

NOES (1): Bourbeau

Passed 4-1

C. MANAGEMENT REPORTS: None

D. COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

The following Council Members gave brief update reports on their committees since their last Council meeting:

Mayor Moreno

1. City Selection Committee
2. SLO Council of Governments (SLOCOG)

Mayor Pro Tem Funk

1. Design Review Committee
2. Homeless Services Oversight Council

Council Member Bourbeau

1. Integrated Waste Management Authority (IWMA)

Council Member Dariz

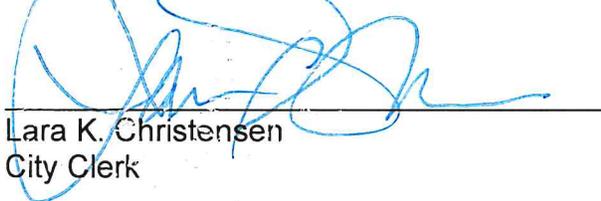
3. Community Action Partnership of San Luis Obispo (CAPSLO)
4. Design Review Committee

E. INDIVIDUAL DETERMINATION AND / OR ACTION: None

F. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Moreno adjourned the meeting at 7:13 p.m.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:



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City Clerk

Exhibit A: Photos

APPROVED: February 27, 2024



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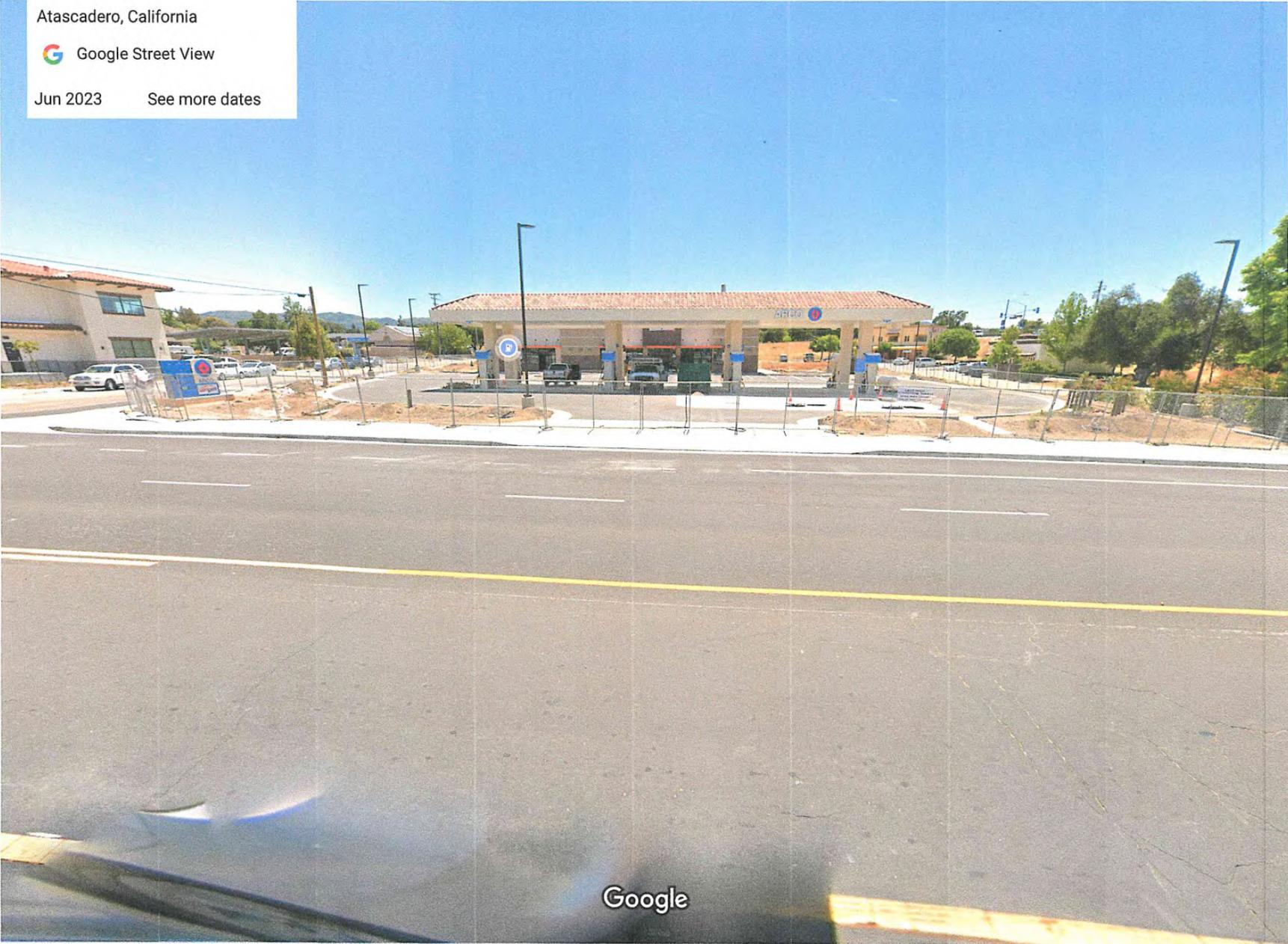
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