

SAN DIEGO PLANNING COMMISSION

**DOCKET FOR PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING
9:00 A.M., OCTOBER 21, 2010
CITY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
202 C STREET, 12TH FLOOR**

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When it is determined that the Planning Commission will adjourn for lunch, the Planning Commission will adjourn @ 12:30 to Conference Room A, located on the 12th floor next to the Council Chambers, and reconvene @ 1:30.

ITEM-1: ANNOUNCEMENTS/PUBLIC COMMENT - ISSUES WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE COMMISSION NOT PREVIOUSLY HEARD. REQUEST TO SPEAK SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO THE COMMISSION SECRETARY AT THE TIME OF THE MEETING.

NOTE: 3 MINUTE TIME PER SPEAKER.

ITEM-2: REQUESTS FOR ITEMS TO BE CONTINUED AND/OR WITHDRAWN.

ITEM-3: REQUESTS FOR ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON CONSENT AGENDA.
The Chair may entertain a motion by a Commissioner to approve certain non-controversial agenda items as consent agenda items at the beginning of the meeting. Items approved on consent are in accordance with the Manager's recommendation as stated in the Report to Planning Commission.

ITEM-4: DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

ITEM-5: COMMISSION COMMENT.

ITEM – 6: **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 2, 2010 AND SEPTEMBER 23, 2010**

ITEM – 7: **INITIATION OF AMENDMENTS TO THE BALBOA PARK MASTER PLAN AND CENTRAL MESA PRECISE PLAN**

City Council District: 3

Plan Area: Balboa Park

Staff: Charles Daniels

Balboa Park Plaza de Panama, Circulation and Parking Structure Project Initiation of plan amendments to the Balboa Park Master Plan and Central Mesa Precise Plan to analyze vehicular and pedestrian circulation in the central area of Balboa Park. The primary goal is to remove daily vehicular traffic from the Plaza de Panama, El Prado (between the Plaza de Panama and the Museum of Man) and Pan American Road (between the Plaza de Panama and the Organ Pavilion). Construction of a bypass road and bridge connecting the east end of the Cabrillo Bridge to the Alcazar parking lot would reroute daily vehicular traffic south of the Museum of Man and away from the core of the Park. Plan amendments will be prepared under the purview of the Balboa Park Committee. Final plan amendments will require action by the Balboa Park Committee, the Park and Recreation Board's Design Review Committee, the Park and Recreation Board, the Historical Resources Board, the Planning Commission and City Council. Additional review may be required by the State Historic Preservation Office and the National Park Service, Initiation of a plan amendment by the Planning commission is not a "project" pursuant to CEQA Section 15060 (c) (2); therefore, this action is exempt. Report No. – PC-10-099

TODAY'S ACTION IS:

Process 4. Approve or deny the project.

DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the project.