



# SARATOGA PLANNING COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING

APRIL 10, 2018

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## 3:30 PM SITE VISIT

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City Hall | 13777 Fruitvale Avenue, Saratoga, CA 95070

*Meeting will begin at Saratoga City Hall and proceed to site visit locations in the order noted on the agenda.*

### ORAL COMMUNICATIONS ON NON-AGENDIZED ITEMS

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### SITE VISIT AGENDA:

**Application PDR17-0015/ARB17-0049/GEO17-0015; Cordwood Court (APN 397-05-103); Lands of Warda.** The applicant requests Design Review approval to construct a new two-story residence (maximum height 21'1") with partial basement and a detached accessory dwelling unit. No protected trees are requested for removal. The property is zoned R-1-40,000 and the lot size is approximately 40,001 square feet. Staff Contact: Nicole Johnson (408) 868-1209 or [njohnson@saratoga.ca.us](mailto:njohnson@saratoga.ca.us).

**Application PDR17-0009/ARB17-0039; 20200 La Paloma Ave (APN 397-24-071); Lands of Balakrishnan Family 2014 Trust.** The applicant requests Design Review approval to construct a new two story residence (maximum height 24') with a partial basement and attached accessory dwelling unit. No protected trees are requested for removal. The property is zoned R1-20,000 and the lot size is approximately 40,467 square feet. Staff Contact: Nicole Johnson (408) 868-1209 or [njohnson@saratoga.ca.us](mailto:njohnson@saratoga.ca.us).

### ADJOURNMENT

The Site Visit Committee is comprised of interested Planning Commission Members. The committee conducts site visits to properties that are new items on the Planning Commission Agenda. The site visits are held on the Tuesday preceding the Wednesday hearing, between 3:30 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

It is encouraged that the applicant and/or owner to be present to answer any questions that may arise. Site visits are generally short (10 to 20 minutes) because of time constraints. Any presentations and testimony you may wish to give should be saved for the Public Hearing.

During the Site Visit, the Planning Commission may only discuss items related to the project. The agenda does not allow any formal votes or motions on the proposed project or other matters. The Site Visit is a fact-finding meeting where the Commission may discuss the item and ask questions from or hear statements from members of the public attending the Visit.

No comments made during the Site Visit by the Planning Commission are binding or required to be carried through to the formal public hearing where actions will be taken on the proposed project.

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Signed this 5th day of April 2018 at Saratoga, California.

Janet Costa, Administrative Assistant

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