



# City of Mountain View

## Agenda

### Environmental Planning Commission

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Wednesday, January 4, 2023

7:00 PM

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## 1. CALL TO ORDER

## 2. ROLL CALL

## 3. MINUTES APPROVAL

### 3.1 Approve Meeting Minutes

**Recommendation:** Approve the Environmental Planning Commission meeting minutes of December 7, 2022.

**Attachments:** [December 7, 2022 EPC Minutes](#)

## 4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

*This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons wishing to address the Commission on any matter not on the agenda. Speakers are allowed to speak on any topic for up to three minutes during this section. If there appears to be a large number of speakers, speaking time may be reduced to no less than 1.5 minutes. State law prohibits the Commission from acting on nonagenda items.*

## 5. PUBLIC HEARING

### 5.1 2023-2031 Housing Element

**Recommendation:** That the Environmental Planning Commission recommend the City Council adopt A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Mountain View Amending the General Plan to Update the Housing Element of the General Plan for the Period of 2023-2031 in Substantial Compliance with State Housing Element Law (Government Code Sections 65580 through 65589.11) (Exhibit 1 to the EPC Staff Report).

**Attachments:** [Staff Report](#)  
[Exhibit 1 - Resolution for 2023-2031 Housing Element](#)  
[Exhibit 2 - Public Comments and Staff Responses](#)  
[Exhibit 3 - Redlined 2023-2031 Housing Element](#)

## 6. NEW BUSINESS

### 6.1 Election of Environmental Planning Commission (EPC) Chair and Vice Chair for 2023

- Recommendation:**
1. Nominate and elect the Chair
  2. Nominate and elect the Vice Chair

## 7. COMMISSION/STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS, UPDATES, REQUESTS, AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

*No action will be taken on any questions raised by the Commission at this time.*

## 8. ADJOURNMENT

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