



MEMORANDUM

Community Development Department

DATE: May 20, 2020

TO: Environmental Planning Commission

FROM: Eric Anderson, Principal Planner

SUBJECT: COVID-19 Path to Resiliency Opportunities and Challenges

BACKGROUND

City staff, Council and community members are actively working to limit the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on Mountain View businesses and residents. [This website](#) includes a timeline and links to information about some of these actions.

The following are some of the City initiatives addressing local land use issues, including housing and business needs, during this crisis:

- Eviction Moratorium
- Funds for rent relief
- Safe Parking Lots and Services for the Homeless/Unstably Housed
 - Showers, Distribution of Food and Necessities
- Small Landlord Loan Program
- Small Business Resiliency Program
- Small Business Call Center and Outreach

In addition, the Community Development Department continues to review applications, provide inspections and hold public meetings through the Shelter-in-Place orders.

QUESTIONS FOR EPC

Mayor Margaret Abe-Koga will attend the May 20, 2020 meeting to hear EPC input on the City's path to resiliency as it recovers from the COVID-19 pandemic. Specifically, the EPC is being asked to consider and discuss the following two questions:

- 1) What challenges and opportunities do you see for our community?
- 2) Where could our collective efforts be focused?