

## IMPORTANT NOTICE AND GUIDANCE REGARDING COVID-19 & PUBLIC HEARINGS

Based on guidance from the California Department of Public Health and the California Governor's Office, in order to minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus, please comply with the following:

1. Meeting location(s) will be unavailable to the public in order to limit potential transmission of COVID-19.
2. You are strongly encouraged to observe the live stream of the Planning Commission meetings remotely by visiting <https://www.co.merced.ca.us/2229/Planning-Commission-Meetings>
3. If you wish to make a comment on a specific agenda item, please submit your comment via email by 5:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to the Planning Commission meeting. Please submit your comment to the Planning Department at [planning@countyofmerced.com](mailto:planning@countyofmerced.com). Your comment will be placed into the record at the meeting.
4. If you are watching the live stream of the Planning Commission meeting and wish to make either a general public comment or to comment on a specific agenda item as it is being heard, please submit your comment, limited to 250 words or less, to [planning@countyofmerced.com](mailto:planning@countyofmerced.com). Every effort will be made to read your comment into the record, but some comments may not be read due to time limitations. Comments received after an agenda item is heard will be made part of the record if received prior to the end of the meeting.