



AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF THE DESIGN REVIEW BOARD

October 1, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

City Council Chambers, City Hall
10890 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito, CA 94530

Staff Liaison

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7:00 p.m. CONVENE REGULAR MEETING

1. **ROLL CALL** – Chair Andrea Lucas, Vice Chair Gyan Singh and Member Ben Chuaqui.
2. **COUNCIL/STAFF LIAISON ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REPORTS**
The City Council Liaison or City staff may report on matters of general interest to the Design Review Board, Council policies, priorities and significant actions taken by the City Council.
3. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**
Remarks are typically limited to three minutes per person, and may be on anything within the subject matter jurisdiction of the body. Remarks on non-agenda items will be heard first, remarks on agenda items will be heard at the time the item is discussed.
4. **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**
Adoption of the September 3, 2025 meeting minutes
5. **PUBLIC HEARING – 1735 Liberty Street Design Review**
Application: PL25-0049
Applicant: Gabriela Marks, Marks Architects
Location: 11575 San Pablo Avenue
APN: 513-362-003
Zoning: TOHIMU (Transit Oriented Higher Intensity Mixed Use)
General Plan: TOHIMU (Transit Oriented Higher Intensity Mixed Use)
Request: Design Review Board consideration of a Tier III Design Review application for proposed modifications to the exterior of the existing 1,135 square foot building, a 145 square foot addition to the building, and other exterior site improvements.
CEQA: This project is categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA pursuant to Section 15301 of the CEQA Guidelines, Class 1: Existing Facilities.
6. **STAFF COMMUNICATIONS**
Informational reports on matters of general interest, presented by City staff.

7. ADJOURNMENT

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