Noticing Requirements for Planning and Zoning Cases - City of Santa Clara

Item	Whom	When	Where	Contents
Notice of Planning Commission's public hearing to change	General public	At least ten (10) days	Publish in newspaper of general	Date, time, and location of hearing; identification of hearing body or officer;
the zoning ordinance		before the hearing	circulation in the city	general explanation of the matter; general description of location of property at hand
Notice of Planning Commission's public hearing to change	Persons who file a written	At least ten (10) days	Mail	Date, time, and location of hearing; identification of hearing body or officer;
the zoning ordinance	request for notice	before the hearing		general explanation of the matter; general description of location of property at hand
If an applicant's proposal changes the permitted uses (for	Property owner or agent and	At least ten (10) days	Mail or deliver	Date, time, and location of hearing; identification of hearing body or officer;
example: using residential property for commercial	project applicant	before the hearing		general explanation of the matter; general description of location of property
purposes) or intensity of uses (for example: the number				at hand
of dwelling units per acre, or for non-residential sites, the				
floor area ratio).				
If an applicant's proposal changes the permitted uses (for	Property owners within 300	At least ten (10) days	Mail or deliver	Date, time, and location of hearing; identification of hearing body or officer;
example: using residential property for commercial	feet of the property, as	before the hearing		general explanation of the matter; general description of location of property
purposes) or intensity of uses (for example: the number	indicated by the most recent			at hand
of dwelling units per acre, or for non-residential sites, the County of Santa Clara				
floor area ratio).	assessment records.			

Source: California Government Code 65853, 65854, 65090, 65091, 65092, 65094

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