

County of Santa Barbara and Montecito
PLANNING COMMISSIONS



NOTICE OF SPECIAL PUBLIC HEARING
Medical Marijuana Dispensary Storefronts (MMDS)

CASE NUMBERS: 11ORD-00000-00029
11ORD-00000-00030
11ORD-00000-00031

HEARING DATE: October 19, 2011

PLACE: PLANNING COMMISSION HEARING ROOM
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
105 EAST ANAPAMU STREET
SANTA BARBARA, CA 93101

SUBJECT: PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS TO THE
MONTECITO AND COUNTY LAND USE AND
DEVELOPMENT CODES AND ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 35
OF THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY CODE TO CREATE
NEW REGULATIONS PROHIBITING MEDICAL
MARIJUANA DISPENSARY STOREFRONTS (MMDS).

On Wednesday, October 19, 2011, the Montecito Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing to consider a recommendation on the following:

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and determine that the project is exempt from CEQA pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the State Guidelines for Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act.

The proposed ordinances are part of a County-wide project that proposes new regulations prohibiting Medical Marijuana Dispensary Storefronts.

The Montecito Planning Commission regular agenda will begin at 9:00 a.m., and the County Planning Commission regular agenda will begin at 9:30 a.m. or shortly thereafter. Please see the posted agenda for these hearings, available on Wednesday prior to the meeting, for a more specific time for this item. For additional information regarding Medical Marijuana Dispensary Storefronts (MMDS) Ordinances please visit the project web page located on the internet at:

<http://longrange.sbcountyplanning.org/programs/medicalmarijuana/medicalmarijuana.php>

Anyone interested in this matter is invited to appear and offer testimony in support of, or opposition to, the project. Written comments are also welcome. All letters can be sent to: either or both the Montecito and County of Santa Barbara Planning Commissions, 123 East Anapamu St., Santa Barbara, CA 93101, or you may provide verbal comments in person at the Montecito and County Planning Commissions hearings. Letters, with nine copies, should be filed with the secretary of the Planning Commissions no later than 12:00 P.M. on the Friday before the Planning Commission hearings.

If you challenge these projects in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearings described in this notice, or in written correspondence to the Planning Commissions prior to the public hearing.

For additional information, please contact Holly Bradbury, 123 East Anapamu St., 1st Floor, Santa Barbara, CA 93101

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