



## County of Santa Cruz

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BRUCE DAU, Chairperson  
KEN KIMES, Vice Chairperson  
Ken Corbishley, Ex officio

### SANTA CRUZ COUNTY AGRICULTURAL POLICY ADVISORY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

MINUTES – March 20, 2008

Members Present

Bruce Dau  
Frank "Lud" McCrary  
Ken Kimes  
Mike Manfre  
Sam Earnshaw  
Ken Corbishley (ex-officio)

Staff Present

Steven Guiney  
Alice Daly  
Lisa LeCoup

Others Present

1. The meeting was called to order by Bruce Dau at 1:30 p.m.
2. (a) Approval of October 18, 2007 Minutes  

M/S/P to approve the minutes.

(b) Additions/Corrections to Agenda  

None.
3. Review of APAC correspondence:  

None.
4. Commissioner's Presentations:

None

5. Oral Communications:

None.

CONSENT AGENDA:

6. **AMENDMENT TO COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 16.50**

Review revisions recommended by APAC to the ordinance amending Chapter 16.50 of the County Code to streamline the review process for minor residential additions in agricultural buffers.

APPLICANT: COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT: COUNTY WIDE

PROJECT PLANNER: ANNIE MURPHY, PHONE 454-3111

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(Continued from 10/18/07, item 9)

M/S/P to accept the consent agenda.

REGULAR AGENDA:

7. **07-0732 85 MARINE VIEW AVENUE, DAVENPORT APN(S): 058-084-01**

Proposal to demolish an existing Single Family Dwelling (SFD) with detached garage and construct a new 2-story 2 bedroom, 3 bathroom SFD with a detached 548 square foot 2-car garage with a 548 square foot accessory dwelling unit on the second floor of the garage structure. Requires an Agricultural Buffer Setback Reduction.

OWNER: MARY MCCARTHY

APPLICANT: JANET DOWS

SUPRVISORIAL DISTRICT: 3

PROJECT PLANNER: ALICE DALY, 454-3259

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Steven Guiney gave the staff report. Staff is recommending approval of the agricultural buffer reduction from 200 feet to about 15 feet to the single-family dwelling from the adjacent CA zoned property known as APN 099-111-03 & 05, proposed under Application # 07-0732.

M/S/P to approve the project with staff's recommendations.

**8. DISCUSSION OF PAJARO VALLEY WATER MANAGEMENT AGENCY AND SALT WATER INTRUSION.**

PROJECT PLANNER: STEVEN GUINEY, PHONE 454-3172,  
PLN950@CO.SANTA-CRUZ.CA.US

Steven Guiney gave the staff a report on the issue.

The commissioners discussed the salt water intrusion issue, and various proposed solutions to the problem, at length.

**9. DISCUSSION OF LIGHT BROWN APPLE MOTH ISSUES**

PROJECT PLANNER: STEVEN GUINEY, PHONE 454-3172,  
PLN950@CO.SANTA-CRUZ.CA.US

Ken Corbishley gave a summary to the commissioners on LBAM issues.

The commissioners discussed the LBAM situation at length. M/S/P to write a letter to the Board of Supervisors expressing their concern on the economic impact of LBAM and the LBAM control program on growers in the county.

**10. DISCUSSION OF AGRICULTURAL FENCING**

PROJECT PLANNER: STEVEN GUINEY, PHONE 454-3172,  
PLN950@CO.SANTA-CRUZ.CA.US

Steven Guiney clarified for the commissioners that the county currently allows 8 foot fencing by permit. The commissioners discussed the issue of food safety involving wildlife, and control using 8 foot fencing.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Corbishley, Agricultural Commissioner, Executive Secretary

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