

July 9, 2015

PUBLIC NOTICE
PEAFOWL MANAGEMENT PLAN AND
PROPOSED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, August 4, 2015, at 7:00 PM at Hesse Park Community Building, 29301 Hawthorne Boulevard, Rancho Palos Verdes, to consider:

Case No. ZON2015-00326 (Rancho Palos Verdes Peafowl Management Plan & Environmental Assessment): A City initiated plan to humanely manage the Peafowl population within the boundary limits of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes. This will be achieved with the adoption and implementation of a Peafowl Management Plan (PMP) that intends to reduce and maintain the Peafowl population within the City to the levels identified in the 2000 Peafowl Census Report. The PMP will support the coexistence of peafowl within the semi-rural character of the City by using the following methods:

- **Public Education & Deterrent Measures; and,**
- **Humane Trapping & Relocation of up to 150 birds per year in order to maintain the 2000 peafowl population.**

Location: City of Rancho Palos Verdes

Applicant: City of Rancho Palos Verdes

After reviewing the Initial Study, the Community Development Director determined that this request will not have a significant effect on the environment, and accordingly, a Negative Declaration was prepared and circulated for 23 days, beginning on July 9, 2015 and ending on August 4, 2015 (the City Council public hearing date).

All interested parties are invited to submit written comments and to attend and give testimony. The City requests that all written comments concerning the project be submitted by 5:30pm on Monday, July 27, 2015 in order to be included within the Staff Report to the City Council. All comments submitted after the Monday deadline will be hand delivered to the City Council at the August 4th meeting.

Written materials, including emails, submitted to the City are public records and may be posted on the City's website. In addition, City meetings may be televised and may be accessed through the City's website. Accordingly, you may wish to omit personal information from your oral presentation or written materials as it may become part of the public record regarding an agenda item. Only those who have submitted written comments and/or given testimony at or prior to, the public hearing will receive notification of the decision. The City Council's decision may be appealed to the California Coastal Commission.

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A copy of all relevant material, including the project application and specifications, Initial Study, and the Negative Declaration, is on file in the offices of the Community Development Department, 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275, and are available for review from 7:30 am to 5:30 pm Monday through Thursday, and from 7:30 am to 4:30 pm on Friday. Please contact Ara Mihranian, Deputy Community Development Director, at (310) 544-5228 or via email at aram@rpvca.gov for further information.

Sincerely,



Joel Rojas, AICP
Community Development Director

NOTE: STATE GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 65009: If you challenge this application in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised in written correspondence delivered to the City of Rancho Palos Verdes during the public review period described in this notice.

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