

**AGENDA  
NORWALK PLANNING COMMISSION  
MAY 23, 2012**



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**STUDY SESSION MEETING  
7:00 P.M.  
Open to the Public  
CITY HALL - U.S. CONSTITUTION ROOM #4**

**1. REVIEW PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA**

**REGULAR MEETING  
7:30 P.M.  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**CALL TO ORDER  
FLAG SALUTE  
ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS**

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION**

1. Presentation of gavel and plaque to Scott D. Collins for his year of service as Chair.
2. **MEETING MINUTES** - Staff recommends that the Planning Commission approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of May 9, 2012.

**CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARING**

3. **CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 942  
PRECISE DEVELOPMENT PLAN NO. 1879**  
Shiv Talwar, Design Concepts, for Hindu Matiya Patidar Samaj (HMPS) Foundation; 15311 Pioneer Boulevard; a request to:

- 1) Construct additions, approximately 8,485 square feet, consisting of a ceremony room, storage rooms, lobby area, restrooms, and enclose an existing courtyard;
- 2) Remodel the façade of an existing religious facility, including adding an approximately 343 square foot entry porch, multi-leveled roof lines, and architectural features such as domes, arches and columns;
- 3) Enhance front yard by adding a water fountain which will be surrounded by benches and will be accessible by a new walkway;
- 4) Conduct an interior remodel to expand the existing kitchen and bathrooms, and reconfigure the janitor room, laundry room and storage areas;
- 5) Legalize two (2) patio covers which total approximately 1,805 square feet; and
- 6) Make minor modifications to the parking lot, including eliminating loading areas and removing an existing trash enclosure and add two (2) new trash enclosures.

**Staff Recommendation:** That the Planning Commission table the public hearing for Conditional Use Permit No. 942 and Precise Development Plan No. 1879 as requested by the applicant.

#### **UNCLASSIFIED USE NO. 15**

4. Michael Kerwin, National Tooling and Machining Association (NTMA) Training Centers of Southern California; a request to determine that a machining, tooling, and manufacturing training center is substantially similar to, and not more obnoxious or detrimental to the public health, safety and welfare than, a business college, and shall be subject to the same requirements and process.

**Staff Recommendation:** That the Planning Commission adopt Resolution No. 12-17, approving Unclassified Use No. 15.

#### **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

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#### **ADJOURNMENT**

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing agenda was posted on the City Hall bulletin board not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting. Dated this 18th day of May 2012.

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Kurt H. Anderson, Secretary  
Norwalk Planning Commission