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CITY OF ATWATER PLANNING COMMISSION

AGENDA

Council Chambers
750 Bellevue Road
Atwater, California

September 16, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

REGULAR SESSION: (Council Chambers)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL: (City Council)

Gomez___, Mokha___, Borgwardt___, Conour___, Sanchez-Garcia___

SUBSEQUENT NEED ITEMS: (The Planning Secretary shall announce any requests for items requiring immediate action subsequent to the posting of the agenda. Subsequent need items require a two-thirds vote of the members of the Commission present at the meeting.)

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MINUTES: (Planning Commission)

RESOLUTIONS

PUBLIC HEARINGS

1. Public Hearing To Consider Adopting Resolution No. 0280-26 Approving Conditional Use Permit No. 26-7-0100 For Use Of An Existing Vacant Building Into An Event Center Located At 1025 Bellevue Rd, Atwater Town Center, Atwater (APN: 150-190-044).

Staff's Recommendation: It is recommended that Planning Commission:

Open the public hearing and receive any testimony from the public;
and,

Close the public hearing; and,

Make a finding that the project is categorically exempt under California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) guideline section 15301 (c), "Existing Facilities" and adopt Resolution No. 0280-26, Conditional Use Permit No. 26-7-0100 for use of an existing vacant building into an event center located at 1025 Bellevue Rd, Atwater Town Center, Atwater (APN 150-190-044).

REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS FROM STAFF:

2. Recommending Approval of Public Access to Municipal Tennis Courts

Staff's Recommendation: It is recommended that Planning Commission:

Staff recommends that the Planning Commission recommend approval of a one-year pilot program, opening the City's public tennis courts for free open public use during established park hours on a first come, first serve access with the exception of when there is internal programming, starting October 1, 2026.

It is recommended that the Planning Commission forward its

recommendation to the City Council for final consideration.

ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION:

I, Lisa Baladad, Planning Commission Recording Secretary, do hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing agenda was posted at Council Chambers a minimum of 72 hours prior to the meeting.



Lisa Baladad, Recording Secretary

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