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County Seeks Public Input as it Incorporates Sustainable Policies in "Orange is the New Green" Zoning Code Update

Santa Ana, Calif. – The County of Orange has embarked on a comprehensive update to its Zoning Code to incorporate sustainable policies and best management practices. The Zoning Code update project, known as "Orange is the New Green," aims to achieve a new standard of sustainability and flexibility to accommodate future technological advances.

OC Public Works, through its OC Development Services service area, is seeking input from residents, business owners, community groups, advocates and other stakeholders on the County's proposed updates to the Zoning Code during the two-month public review and comment period, which concludes June 26, 2018. OC Development Services will host a series of Planning Commission and Advisory Board Community Workshops where staff will provide a brief presentation and an opportunity for attendees to ask questions:

May 9, 2018, 1:30p.m. OC Planning Commission - Workshop

333 W. Santa Ana Blvd. Santa Ana, California 92701

May 9, 2018, 7 p.m. Foothill Trabuco Specific Plan Review Board

O'Neill Park Community Center Room

30892 Trabuco Canyon Road Trabuco Canyon, CA 92678

May 16, 2018, 7 p.m. North Tustin Advisory Committee

Tustin Unified School District Board Chamber Room

300 S. C Street Tustin, CA 92780

May 23, 2018, 1:30p.m. OC Planning Commission – Workshop

333 W. Santa Ana Blvd. Santa Ana, California 92701

June 5, 2018, 7 p.m. Inter-Canyon League Meeting

Silverado Community Center 27641 Silverado Canyon Road

Silverado, CA 92676

June 6, 2018, 6 p.m. Coto de Caza Planning Advisory Committee

Bell Tower Regional Community Center

22232 El Paseo

Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688

June 13, 2018, 1:30p.m. OC Planning Commission - Workshop

333 W. Santa Ana Blvd. Santa Ana, California 92701

June 27, 2018, 1:30p.m. OC Planning Commission - Workshop

333 W. Santa Ana Blvd. Santa Ana, California 92701

Those who wish to comment on the proposed revisions are encouraged to submit their input by email to OCZoningCode@ocpw.ocgov.com or by mailing written comments to OC Development Services/Planning, Attn: Joanna Chang, P.O. Box 4048, Santa Ana, CA 92702.

For additional information, visit the "Orange is the New Green" Zoning Code Update webpage at http://www.ocpublicworks.com/ds/planning/projects/all districts projects/orange is the new green or contact Steven Giang at Steven-Giang@ocpw.ocgov.com.

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