ZONE CHANGE AND PRE-ZONE APPLICATION

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Case No.: ___________________  
Date: ___________________  
Received By: ___________________  
Print Name

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANT

The following application form is provided for all applicants requesting a change of zoning or pre-zoning with the City of Palmdale.

The applicant must complete the attached form as prescribed and submit the following information before the application can be accepted by the Planning Division.

ZONE CHANGE SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

_____ The completed Application

_____ A copy of the Development Advisory Board (DAB) letter (if applicable)

_____ Three copies of the Title Report for the subject property prepared within the last six months which includes a declaration of all easements of record and copies of all easement/declaration instruments referenced. Note: Preliminary Subdivision Reports are not acceptable.

_____ Two sets of property owner (including APN) and occupant mailing labels (self-sticking) for all properties within 500 / 700 / 1,000 feet of the subject property (see attached requirements)

_____ One copy of the mailing list in tabular form containing all the information on the above labels (see attached requirements)

_____ One radius map (see attached requirements)

_____ The original Mailing Label Certification

_____ The original and two copies of the Owner Authorization Letter
The original and two copies of the Hazardous Materials/Waste Products Certification

The original Public Hearing Sign Removal Authorization

A vicinity map at a scale clearly indicating the subject parcel(s) and showing the existing major street patterns, adjoining zoning, projects, subdivision(s), creeks, railroads and other significant landmarks within a minimum of one mile of the exterior boundaries of the site on 8½” by 11” paper. **Note: Thomas Guide maps are not acceptable.**

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act, the Planning Department will review the project and determine areas of potential environmental impact. Special studies including, but not limited to, traffic, biological, noise and archaeological may be required. This information may also be obtained through preliminary project review by the Development Advisory Board (DAB).

**FEE CALCULATIONS**

Base fee: $3,000 (A)

__________________ @ $50/acre: ____ (B)

# of acres to 200 acres

__________________ @ $25/acre: ____ (C)

# of acres over 200 acres

Initial Environmental Study: $950

City of Palmdale Fish and Wildlife Processing Fee: $25

__________________ @ $1.65/label: ________

# of labels

Public Hearing Notice: $300

GIS Fee 5% of (A)+(B)+(C): ________

**TOTAL FEE RECEIVED: $_______**

**Additional State and/or County fees will be required prior to project approval.**

If you have any questions regarding this application packet or required materials, please call the Planning Division.
APPLICATION FOR ZONE CHANGE/PRE-ZONE

Pre-Zone No.: _______________          Zone Change No.  _______________

Request to Change Zone From: __________ to __________ on __________ acres.

Was a Pre-application filed? Yes ____ No ____     If yes, Ref.: DAB- ______________

Project Location:
Assessor’s Parcel Number(s): ___________________________________________

Approximately ______________ feet N or S of __________________________
(Circle) ______________________ (Street)

Approximately ______________ feet E or W of __________________________
(Circle) ______________________ (Street)

Is this part of an existing tract? Yes ____ No ____

If yes, indicate Tract and Lot/Parcel Nos.: _______________________________

List all related applications being filed with this project:

List case number(s) of all previous applications filed on the site:

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APPLICANT:
Name and Email: ________________________________
Address: _______________________________________
City: _________________________________ State: _______ Zip: _______
Telephone No.: (____)_______________________

OWNER:
Name and Email: ________________________________
Address: _______________________________________
City: _________________________________ State: _______ Zip: _______
Telephone No.: (____)_______________________

ENGINEER/REPRESENTATIVE:
Name and Email: ________________________________
Address: _______________________________________
City: _________________________________ State: _______ Zip: _______
Telephone No.: (____)_______________________

Use additional sheets in the case of multiple parcel numbers, owners, etc.
Please include in mailing list all other persons to be notified regarding this application.
MAILING LABEL CERTIFICATION

Case Number(s): 

I certify under the penalty of perjury that on the ______ day of ___________, 20____, the attached property owners list contains the names and addresses of persons to whom property is assessed as they appear on the latest available equalized assessment roll of the County of Los Angeles within the subject property and for the parcels within 500 feet of the boundary of the subject property.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION EXCEPT SIGNATURE.

Name: 

Title: 

Company: 

Address: 

Phone: (____)__________

Signature: ________________ Date: ________________
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<th>Applicant’s Name</th>
<th>Address</th>
<th>City, State, Zip Code</th>
<th>THIS FORM MUST BE USED TO CREATE MAILING LABELS. Use the following format:</th>
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OWNER AUTHORIZATION LETTER

Case Number(s):  

Assessor’s Parcel Number(s):  

If the applicant is not the owner of record, then a letter authorizing the applicant to represent the owner(s) must be submitted. Note: All owners must sign as their names appear on the deed to the land.

This letter shall serve to notify and verify that I/we am/are the legal owners of the property described and attached hereto and do hereby authorize the applicant to file and represent my/our interest in the above referenced applications(s). I/we have read this Letter of Authorization and know the contents thereof; and so hereby certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information contained in the above referenced application(s) is true and correct.

OWNER(S) OF RECORD (Include extra sheets if necessary):

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I certify under penalty of perjury that I am the applicant and that the foregoing statements and answers herein contained and the information herein submitted, are in all respects true and correct.

APPLICANT / APPLICANT’S REPRESENTATIVE:

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this ____ day of ________________, 20____

NOTARY PUBLIC

NOTE: ATTACH LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY TO THIS DOCUMENT.
Pursuant to Section 65962.5(F) of State Government Code, project applicants must identify whether a project site contains any hazardous materials and/or wastes included on any list compiled by the State Department of Health Services, the State Water Resources Control Board or the California Integrated Waste Management Board or are known by the owner or applicant. These lists generally identify sites that have pending corrective action regarding leaks or migration of hazardous materials.

CERTIFICATION

I have consulted the list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code and hereby certify that the project site and any alternatives to the project

☐ are
☐ are not

identified on any of these lists. I further certify that, to the best of my knowledge, there

☐ are
☐ are not

such hazardous materials on this site.

Assessor’s Parcel Number(s): ________________________________

Case Number(s): ________________________________

Project Location (address if available): ________________________________

Approximately ________________ Feet N or S of ________________________________
(Circle) (Street Name)

Approximately ________________ Feet E or W of ________________________________
(Circle) (Street Name)

Use additional sheets if necessary.

________________________________________________________
Date Owner’s Signature

________________________________________________________
Date Owner’s Signature

________________________________________________________
Date Applicant’s Signature

If the site is listed, which listing agency has identified the site?

________________________________________________________________________

If the site is listed, what is the Regulatory Identification Number associated with the site?

________________________________________________________________________

NOTE: Before the Lead Agency can accept the application as complete, this certification must be reviewed and signed by the project owner(s) and applicant.
PROCEDURES FOR PROJECT SITE SIGN POSTING

In order to increase public awareness of pending development proposals requiring public hearings, the City of Palmdale has included “Project Site Sign Posting” in its public hearing notice procedures. The applicant of a proposed project scheduled for a public hearing before the City Council, Planning Commission, or Planning Manager is required to post a sign with public hearing information, which will be visible to the public right-of-way from the subject site. Late or inaccurate sign posting will cause postponement of the public hearing for the case.

CASES REQUIRING SITE PLAN POSTING:
- Annexations
- Appeals
- Amendments, Revisions or Extensions of Time
- Conditional Use Permits
- General Plan Amendments
- Prezone Changes
- Site Plan Reviews
- Specific Plans
- Subdivisions
- Tentative Maps
- Variances
- Zone Changes

SIGN SPECIFICATIONS:

1. SIZE: Dimensions shall be four feet by eight feet (see Figure 1).

2. HEIGHT: Sign shall be six feet in height (see Figure 1).

3. MATERIALS: ½ inch plywood (minimum). Sign shall be constructed with 4” x 4” supporting posts placed at a minimum depth of two feet with 2” x 4” cross supports as shown in the diagram (see Figure 1).

4. LOCATION: A minimum of feet inside the property line in residential zones, and a minimum of one foot inside the property line in commercial and industrial zones. Shall be located in the area most visible to the public on the project site.

5. COLOR: Green background with black letters (see Figure 2).

6. LETTERING: Shall be block style with 4” major letters and 2” minor letters.

7. LIGHTING: Shall NOT be illuminated.

8. Sign shall include ONLY the information provided by the assigned planner. If it becomes necessary to revise the information required on the sign, such as a change in the number of lots or square footage of buildings, it shall be the
responsibility of the applicant to obtain approval of such revision(s) from the assigned planner.

SIGN SCHEDULE:

1. Sign shall be posted a minimum of 10 days prior to the hearing date. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to contact the Planning Division to obtain the appropriate date and time.

2. Hearing date on the sign shall be changed for Commission items which are continued or are to be heard by the City Council including, but not limited to, Zone Changes, General Plan Amendments, Specific Plans, and appealed items. Said date shall be changed a minimum of 11 days prior to the hearing.

3. Sign shall be removed within 14 days following the Planning Commission hearing date or **IMMEDIATELY** following final City Council action. It is recommended that the cost of sign removal be included in a sign contract with the sign company.
PUBLIC HEARING SIGN REMOVAL AUTHORIZATION

Case Number(s): 

Assessor’s Parcel Number(s): 

Location (address if available): 

Approximately _______ Feet N or S of __________________________ (Circle) __________________________ (Street Name)

Approximately _______ Feet E or W of __________________________ (Circle) __________________________

By this signature, I acknowledge that I understand the requirements for posting the subject property for public hearing and do agree to pay all costs for the removal and storage of said public hearing sign if it is not removed within 14 days of the final hearing for this/these case(s).

Applicant/Agent: __________________________ Date: ________________

Owner: __________________________ Date: ________________