



**TO: Butte County Board of Supervisors**

**FROM: Tim Snellings, Development Services Director**

**SUBJECT: September 29, 2009 Progress Report #62 on Butte County General Plan 2030**

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This memo is the 62<sup>nd</sup> in a series of updates provided to the Board of Supervisors at the beginning of each meeting to assist Board members in staying apprised of the progress on the Butte County General Plan 2030 process. I have the following developments to report:

**1. September 17, 2009 Public Workshops on Draft General Plan 2030**



September 17, 2009 Public Workshop on Draft General Plan 2030

The first Public Workshop of Meeting Series #7, which was devoted to the review of the Draft General Plan 2030 document, was held on September 17, 2009, from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Energy Farm in Oroville. The Public Workshop was provided for members of the public to become familiar with the Butte County General Plan 2030 Public Draft document and provide input to staff and decision-makers. The meeting was attended by approximately 55 members of the public, including 9 members of the Citizens Advisory Committee.

The workshop included presentations on the Butte County General Plan 2030 process and an overview of the Butte County General Plan 2030 document, which included a detailed look at all of the Butte County General Plan 2030 goals. A time was provided for questions and answers, including an informal period when members of the public provided written comment cards and asked questions of staff. A facilitated discussion took place with those present during which individual comments from participants were recorded, and questions were answered by staff.

Public comments gathered at this meeting will be provided to the Citizens Advisory Committee as well as the Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission. A more detailed summary of comments provided at the meeting will be provided to the Board of Supervisors and posted to the Butte County General Plan 2030 website soon.

## **2. Citizens Advisory Committee Meeting Agendas**

Development Services staff has finalized all three Agendas for the three Citizens Advisory Committee meetings devoted to the review of the Draft Butte County General Plan 2030 (Meeting Series #7). All three meetings will take place from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Butte College Main Campus Cafeteria, 3536 Butte Campus Drive, Oroville. Each meeting will be devoted to separate sections of the Draft General Plan 2030 document as follows (see also attached agendas):

### **October 22, 2009**

- ◆ Introductory Chapters and Glossary
- ◆ Land Use Element and Land Use Map
- ◆ Circulation Element

### **October 29, 2009**

- ◆ Agriculture Element
- ◆ Water Resources Element
- ◆ Conservation and Open Space Element

### **November 5, 2009**

- ◆ Economic Development Element
- ◆ Health and Safety Element (Including the Noise Element)
- ◆ Public Facilities and Services Element

There will be time on each meeting's agenda to review public input received at the Public Workshop, as well as to receive public comment. The majority of each evening will be devoted to the Citizens Advisory Committee's recommendations on the Draft General Plan 2030 document's Elements and Chapters. The Citizens Advisory Committee's recommendations will be provided to the Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission for their consideration at the Special Study Sessions scheduled for Tuesday, January 19 and Thursday, January 21, 2010.

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## General Plan 2030

**Butte County General Plan 2030  
Meeting Series #7 – CAC Meeting #1  
Draft General Plan 2030**

**Thursday, October 22, 2009, 5:00-9:00 pm**

Butte College Main Campus Cafeteria, 3536 Butte Campus Drive, Oroville, CA

- 5:00 pm Welcome, Introductions and Overview of Tonight's Meeting (Tim Snellings)
- 5:05 pm Overview of Public Workshop Input on Land Use and Circulation Elements (DC&E)
- 5:15 pm Questions and Answers
- 5:25 pm Public Comment
- 5:45 pm CAC Review of Introductory Chapters and Glossary (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 6:00 pm CAC Review of Land Use Element and Land Use Map (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 7:00 pm Break
- 7:10 pm CAC Review of Land Use Element and Land Use Map, continued (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 8:00 pm CAC Review of Circulation Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 9:00 pm Adjournment

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## General Plan 2030

**Butte County General Plan 2030**  
**Meeting Series #7 – CAC Meeting #2**  
**Draft General Plan 2030**

**Thursday, October 29, 2009, 5:00-9:00 pm**

Butte College Main Campus Cafeteria, 3536 Butte Campus Drive, Oroville, CA

- 5:00 pm Welcome, Introductions and Overview of Tonight's Meeting (Tim Snellings)
- 5:05 pm Overview of Public Workshop Input on Agriculture, Water Resources, and Conservation and Open Space Elements (DC&E)
- 5:15 pm Questions and Answers
- 5:25 pm Public Comment
- 5:45 pm CAC Review of Agriculture Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 6:40 pm Break
- 6:50 pm CAC Review of Water Resources Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 7:45 pm CAC Review of Conservation and Open Space Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 9:00 pm Adjournment

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## General Plan 2030

**Butte County General Plan 2030  
Meeting Series #7 – CAC Meeting #3  
Draft General Plan 2030**

**Thursday, November 5, 2009, 5:00-9:00 pm**

Butte College Main Campus Cafeteria, 3536 Butte Campus Drive, Oroville, CA

- 5:00 pm Welcome, Introductions and Overview of Tonight's Meeting (Tim Snellings)
- 5:05 pm Overview of Public Workshop Input on Economic Development, Health and Safety, and Public Facilities and Services Elements (DC&E)
- 5:15 pm Questions and Answers
- 5:25 pm Public Comment
- 5:45 pm CAC Review of Economic Development Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 6:15 pm CAC Review of Public Facilities and Services Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 7:00 pm Break
- 7:10 pm CAC Review of Public Facilities and Services Element, continued (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 7:35 pm CAC Review of Health and Safety Element (Facilitated by DC&E)
- 9:00 pm Adjournment