Planning Department Workflow for Typical Projects

That Require Intake, Neighborhood Notice, Entitlements and/or California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Review



Key

	Project review meeting	Project sponsor deliverable
	Planning document issued	Hearing
Đ	Planning analysis	Project approval

- Relevant Permit Streamlining Act (PSA) Timelines
- 1. Comprehensive checklist of all submittal materials required is available to sponsor (Cal. Gov. Code § 65940).
- 2. Determination whether application is complete or not must occur within 30 days of application submittal (Cal. Gov. Code § 65943).
- 3. If a project is determined to be exempt from CEQA, it must be approved (at a hearing or through a Project Approval Letter) deliverable within 30 days (Cal. Gov. Code § 65950); other CEQA document timelines as indicated in § 65950.

For projects with more than 150 dwelling units. PSA allows up to 60 days for some PSA timelines; however, Planning Department applies a 30 day timeline to all projects





PRJ Application Types

Residential Project: small-scale residential projects (6 Dwelling Units or less), decks, remodels, additional, facade alterations, etc.

Commercial Project: small-scale commercial-only projects

Mixed-Use Project: all other projects (more than 6 Dwelling Units, buildings over 10,000 sf, etc.)

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