



County of San Diego

DPLU Update

March/April 2011

IMPORTANT DATES:

Apr.13 Board of Supervisors:
Continued General Plan
Update Hearing

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Board Takes Action Related to the Guiding Principles and EIR, Provides Direction on Property Requests, and Continues Hearing to April 13

The Board of Supervisors received a staff presentation at its March 16 hearing that summarized revisions made to the staff report since the Board's February 9 hearing. The staff report had been available for a three-week public review from January 28 to February 18. In summary, only minimal revisions were necessary as a result of comments received.

The Board also received presentations from a General Plan Update economics consultant (Keyser Marston Associates), the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) and the County's groundwater geologist. After receiving the presentations and discussing the General Plan Update, the Board took the following action:

- Reaffirmed the guiding principles (project objectives) of the General Plan Update;
- Agreed not to re-open the Environmental Impact Report (certain changes to the General Plan Update could require re-opening or recirculation of the EIR);
- Directed staff to review the "moderate" and "major" property requests to determine if staff could identify recommendations that would reduce them to "minor" changes;
- Decided to discuss any of the previously raised 27 issues at the next hearing; and
- Continued the hearing to April 13.

Staff is now working on reviewing the moderate and major property requests and will be preparing a report with any identified minor compromises prior to the April 13 hearing. Public testimony on the General Plan Update remains closed; however staff continues to work with the public on comments, concerns, and questions. Staff can be contacted at gpupdate@sdcounty.ca.gov or 858-694-2488.

The Board of Supervisors has held five days of public hearings on the General Plan Update on October 20, November 10, and December 8 of 2010, and February 9 and March 16 of 2011. Video replays of all of the meetings are available for public viewing at the County's [Board Meeting Video](#) page. In addition, all of the General Plan Update materials that have been presented to the Board of Supervisors are available for review at the Department of Planning and Land Use's (DPLU) General Plan Update web site at: <http://www.sdcounty.ca.gov/dplu/gpupdate/hearing.html>.

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