CITY OF RIVERBANK
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City of Riverbank Planning Commission will conduct a special public hearing to consider the project described below at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 13, 2019 in Council Chambers located at 6707 Third Street, Riverbank, California.

Project Location: The Crossroads West Specific Plan (Project) is located within the unincorporated area of Stanislaus County. The approximately 380-acre Plan Area is adjacent to the City of Riverbank city limits to the north and east and is owned by nine (9) separate ownership groups. The Plan Area is within the Riverbank Sphere of Influence (SOI). An Environmental Impact Report (EIR) has been prepared by the City of Riverbank, as the lead agency over this Project.

Project Description: The proposed Project includes development of up to 1,872 Low Density Residential (LDR) units, up to 192 Medium Density Residential (MDR) units, and up to 388 High Density Residential (HDR) units. The Project also includes up to 550,000 square feet (sf) of Mixed Use 1 (MU-1) uses, and up to 27,000 sf of Mixed Use 2 (MU-2) uses. It is noted that development in MU-1 could consist of a maximum of 550,000 sf of retail uses and no residential uses, or up to 350 units of residential uses and 360,000 sf of retail uses. The CWSP is designed to provide flexibility, so there are various other hypothetical combinations of retail and residential development, but not more than the maximum density presented would be allowed without an amendment approved by the City. Additionally, the proposed Project would increase the size of the existing 11-acre Regional Park, the Riverbank Sports Complex, to about 22 acres. A 10 to 12-acre elementary school and 20-acre middle school are also possible within the Plan Area as well as a location for a 1-2 acre west Riverbank fire station. The proposed Project would provide approximately 42 acres of park, open space, and Regional Sports Park uses.

The Project also includes a request for approval of General Plan Amendments, Specific Plan, pre-zoning, certification of the EIR, and submission of an annexation application to LAFCO for the entire Project site, Development Agreement, Tentative Parcel Map, and Preliminary Development Plan. The Tentative Map and Preliminary Development Plan have been submitted by developers and will be considered by the City of Riverbank as part of the approval action.

The proposed land use designations are shown in Figures 2.0-7a and 2.0-7b of the Specific Plan, respectively. The CWSP land use plan proposes three categories of residential land uses: LDR, Low Density Residential; MDR, Medium Density Residential; and HDR, High Density Residential. These residential designations provide varying densities that will ensure a mix of housing types and styles across the Plan Area. All future development within the residential land use categories will be subject to Design Review Approval to ensure consistency with the Design Guidelines and Development Standards set forth in the Crossroads West Specific Plan. The Conceptual Land Use Plan for the Specific Plan may be found in Figure 2.0-8. The project would expand the existing vehicular and non-vehicular circulation systems and utility improvements which exist easterly of Oakdale Road.
The City of Riverbank will hold a Special Public Hearing as follows:

Special Planning Commission Meeting
February 13, 2019 at 6:00 pm
City Hall Council Chambers - 6707 Third Street - Riverbank, California

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend the public hearing on February 13, 2019 at the time and place specified above to express opinions or submit evidence for or against the subject matter being considered. Written comments via e-mail to dkenney@riverbank.org by postal service, or hand delivered to 6707 Third Street, Suite A, Riverbank, California, 95367, will be accepted by the Development Services Department up to 5:00 p.m. on said date. All written comments received by said time will be distributed to the Planning Commission for consideration. Oral comments will be received by the Planning Commission prior to the close of the Public Hearing on the subject matter being considered. The Planning Commission will receive all testimony prior to taking action. Testimony cannot be given over the telephone. If you challenge the City’s action on these matters in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Meeting facilities are accessible to persons with disabilities. Any person requiring special assistance to participate in the meeting should notify the Administration Dept. at (209) 863-7122 or cityclerk@riverbank.org at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the meeting. For questions regarding the public hearing matter contact Donna Kenney, Planning & Building Manager, at (209) 863-7124; dkenney@riverbank.org.

Any public record materials pertaining to the presentation of the subject matter being considered will be made available for review at the Development Services Counter at 6717 Third Street, Riverbank, and (if technologically possible) at http://www.riverbank.org/Depts/planning/default.aspx upon distribution to a majority of the Planning Commission (typically 72 hours prior to the meeting).