

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION ADOPTING CCW (CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPON) PERMIT PROCESSING FEES WITHIN THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the preparation of a nexus fee study and the California Penal Code, the City Council of the City of Bell Gardens will conduct a public hearing to consider adoption of a resolution to adopt a resolution processing fees for Carry Concealed Weapons (CCW) licenses city-wide.

The Bell Gardens Police Department has the legal responsibility to comply with state law to enact and maintain a license and permitting program for carrying concealed weapons licenses to issue to qualifying residents of the City of Bell Gardens that the City Council of the City of Bell Gardens will conduct a public hearing to consider adoption of a resolution processing fees for CCW (Carrying Concealed Weapons) permits city-wide. The Bell Gardens Police Department has the legal responsibility to comply with state law to enact and maintain a license and permitting program for carrying concealed weapons to issue to qualifying residents of the City of Bell Gardens.

DATE OF HEARING: December 12, 2022

TIME OF HEARING: 6:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as possible

LOCATION: City Council Chambers, 7100 Garfield Avenue, Bell Gardens, CA 90201

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATIONS: City Council adoption of this resolution is not subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15378(b)(4), since the creation of government funding mechanisms which involve no commitment to any specific project which may cause a significant effect on the environment is not defined as a "project."

INVITATION TO BE HEARD/PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: The public hearing will be held before the City of Bell Gardens City Council on Monday December 12, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. Pursuant to AB 361, please be advised that members of the Bell Gardens City Council may participate in meetings telephonically. The public may attend the meeting in person or may view the meeting online. The meeting will be recorded and live streamed on the City's website at https://www.bellgardens.org/i-want-to/watch-city-council-meetings. Public comments for the public hearing are limited to three (3) minutes per person. Members of the public can access and participate in the meetings as follows:

IN-PERSON: Members of the public can provide in-person comments at the podium in the Council Chamber. The Council Chamber will have seating available for members of the public to attend the meeting in-person. For your safety, space is currently limited to

50 members of the public. Masking is required for all in attendance. Public comments for the public hearing are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker unless a different time is announced by the presiding chair. Speakers who wish to address the Council should do so by submitting a "Public Comment Card" card by 6:00 p.m. for each designated public comment period(s) as listed.

BY TELEPHONE: Phone Number:(669)900-9128 **Webinar ID:** 813 3236 4343# **Passcode:** *2021# to address the City Council press *9 to raise your hand then *6 to unmute yourself when instructed.

VIRTUALLY LIVE: Members of the public may participate via Zoom by clicking here and entering the **Zoom Meeting ID:** 813 3236 4343 **Passcode:** 2021 Comments may also be made via the Zoom app by using the "Raise Hand" feature when it is your turn to speak the host will unmute you. Comments will not be accepted in the QandA Chat function of the zoom app.

WRITTEN COMMENTS: Public comments me be emailed to PublicComments@bellgardens.org or mailed to the City Clerk's Office. To ensure distribution to the members of the City Council prior to consideration of the agenda, please submit comments no later than one (1) hour prior to the meeting. Those comments, as well as any comments received after, will be distributed to the members of the City Council and will be part of the official public record of this meeting.

Any person who requires a disability-related modification or accommodation, in order to observe and/or offer public comment may request such service by contacting the City Clerk's Office no later than 72-hours before the scheduled meeting.

The City Council staff report will be available in the City Clerk's Office and posted on the City's website at https://www.bellgardens.org/i-want-to/view-agendas 72-hours prior to the meeting.

Pursuant to Government Code Section 6062a, this notice was published twice on December 1, 2022, and December 8, 2022.

For more information, you may contact the City Clerk's Office located at 7100 Garfield Avenue, Bell Gardens, CA 90201 during regular business hours 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday at (562) 806-7704 or via email to CityClerkDesk@bellgardens.org.

Daisy Gomez
City Clerk

Posted: December 1, 2022 and December 8, 2022

Bell Gardens City Hall

Bell Gardens John Anson Ford Park

Bell Gardens Veterans Park - Ross Hall Auditorium

Bell Gardens Department of Public Works