



City of Los Angeles  
Department of City Planning



# Truck Gardening Clarification



Silverlake NC Meeting  
March 10, 2010



# Proposed Solution # 1

Simplify and define ambiguous uses.

PROPOSED									
	A1	A2	RA	RE	RS	R1, R2, R3	RMP	MR1, M1, MR2, M2, M3	PF
Truck gardening			x	x	x	x	x		
Farming	x	x						x	x

*Truck gardening: The cultivation of berries, flowers, fruits, herbs, mushrooms, nuts, ornamental plants, seedlings or vegetables for use on-site or sale or distribution off-site.*



# Obstacle & Proposed Solution #2

## 2. Modify prohibitive home occupation standards.

“The use shall be conducted within the main dwelling unit, except for truck gardening...”

“...activities associated with the home occupation are not visible from the outside of the dwelling unit, except for truck gardening.”



# Clarifications

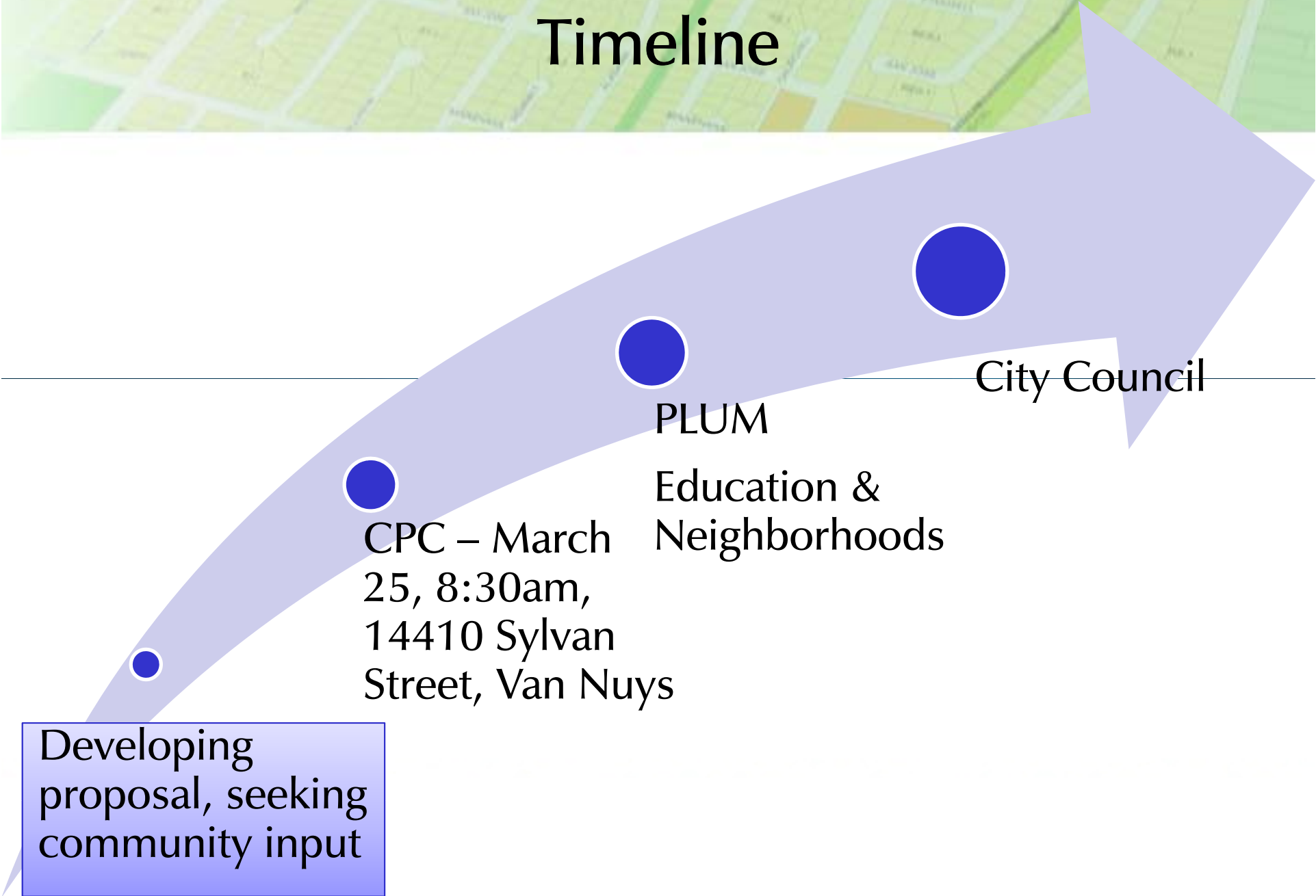
1. No further changes to home occupations conditions and standards are proposed. All other existing restrictions remain, including restrictions to the numbers of employees and increasing traffic.

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2. This is a land use ordinance that merely clarifies which produce can be cultivated for sale; it does not propose to expand or limit what a homeowner can grow today.
3. Issues related to composting, pest control and enforcement are outside the purview of this ordinance and Department.



# Timeline



Developing proposal, seeking community input

CPC – March 25, 8:30am, 14410 Sylvan Street, Van Nuys

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