



# COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

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### Open House Meetings on ADU Regulations

The Santa Cruz County Housing Advisory Commission is hosting two public open houses to provide county residents with an opportunity to learn about recent changes to the regulations governing Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) in the unincorporated county, hear the results of a recent public survey regarding ADUs, and learn about the County's efforts to simplify getting permits and support applicants as they move through the process of design and financing ADUs.

The meeting will also provide an opportunity for discussion about the use of ADUs as a source of long-term rental housing in both the urban and the rural parts of the county, and an opportunity for participants to ask questions of staff and provide focused feedback regarding ADUs.

The meeting dates, times and locations are as follows:

April 17, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Ss. Peter and Paul  
Orthodox Church, 9980 Hwy 9, Ben Lomond

April 26, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Simpkins Family Swim  
Center Community Room, 979 17th Ave., Live Oak