

# DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING

## **APPEAL RECOMMENDATION REPORT**

City Planning Commission			Case No.:	DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP- VHCA-1A
Date: Time: Place:	14410 Šy	-	CEQA No.: Incidental Cases Council No.: Plan Area: Specific Plan:	ENV-2023-5090-CE
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Public H Appeal S Expiratio	Status:	Required Not further appealable April 2, 2024	Appellant: Appellant's Representative:	(1) Daniela Istrate; and (2) Podjanee Varee

Multiple Approval: Yes

#### **PROJECT LOCATION:** 1807 North Van Ness Avenue (1807 and 1809 North Van Ness Avenue)

- **PROPOSED PROJECT:** The proposed project includes the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan.
- **REQUESTED** A Partial Appeal by the Appellants of the January 3, 2024, Director of Planning's **ACTION:** determination which:
  - 1. **Determined** that based on the whole of the administrative record as supported by the justification prepared and found in the administrative case file, the project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15303 (New Construction Or Conversion Of Small Structures) Class 3 and Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Project) Class 32, and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that any exceptions contained in Section 15300.2 of the State CEQA Guidelines regarding location, cumulative impacts, significant effects or unusual circumstances, scenic highways, or hazardous waste sites, or historical resources applies;

- 2. **Approved with Conditions** the following project consistent with the provisions of the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program Tier 3, to permit a project consisting of five (5) residential units by reserving one (1) dwelling unit, equal to 20% of the total units, for one (1) Extremely Low Income Household Occupancy for a period of 55 years, with Base Incentives permitted pursuant to LAMC 12.21 A.31, in addition to the following two (2) Additional Incentives:
  - a. **Side Yards.** An up to 30% reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet; and
  - b. **Height.** An up to 22-foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height, in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone.
- 3. **Approved with Conditions** a Project Permit Compliance Review for the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:**

- 1. <u>Determine</u>, based on the whole of the administrative record, that the project is exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Statue and Guidelines, Article 19, Section 15332 (Urban In-Fill Development), and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a Categorical Exemption pursuant to State CEQA Statue and Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies;
- 2. **Deny** the appeals of DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA;
- 3. <u>Sustain</u> the action of the Director of Planning in approving DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA to conditionally approve a Transit Oriented Communities Affordable Housing Incentive Program and Project Permit Compliance Review to permit the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units, with one (1) dwelling unit reserved for Extremely Low Income Households, and,
- 4. <u>Adopt</u> the Director of Planning's <u>revised</u> Conditions of Approval and Findings for DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA.

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## PROJECT ANALYSIS

#### Project Summary

The proposed project is for the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units and measuring 43 feet and three (3) inches in height. The project provides 900 square feet of open space and six (6) residential parking spaces.

Pursuant to the TOC Guidelines, the project is eligible for Base Incentives and up to three (3) Additional Incentives for setting aside 10 percent of the total five (5) units and at least eleven (11) percent of the base six (6) units (maximum allowable density allowed by the zoning, prior to any density increase) for Extremely Low-Income Households.



Figure 1. Rendering of the proposed project.

The applicant is seeking a discretionary approval of the TOC Housing Incentive Program with the following incentives:

Base Incentives:

1. No density increase or other base incentive requested.

Additional Incentives:

- 1. An up to 30% reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet; and
- 2. An up to 22-foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height, in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone.

On January 3, 2024, the Director of Planning approved the Project, consistent with the provisions of the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program Tier 3 and a Project Permit Compliance Review for the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan.

#### Revised Floor Area Ratio and Height

On January 6, 2024, the Applicant team's representative notified City Planning staff of an error in the Floor Area Ratio (FAR) stated in Condition of Approval No. 7 and in the Height stated in Condition of Approval No. 8 of the Letter of Determination. The original Letter of Determination's Condition of Approval No. 7 inadvertently called out the approved FAR as 0.88:1, which does not correspond to the correct buildable floor area of the project site. As seen in Exhibit A, the correct buildable floor area of the project site. As seen in Exhibit A, the correct buildable floor area of the project site is 5,444 square feet, or a FAR of 1.38:1. Additionally, the original Letter of Determination's Condition of Approval No. 8 inadvertently cited an approved height of 43 feet and six (6) inches, in lieu of the actual height of 43 feet and three (3) inches. Therefore, Planning Staff has submitted revised conditions and findings under Exhibit "F" which reflects the correct FAR and height in the conditions and findings.

#### **Background**

The subject property consists of one lot with approximately 62 feet of frontage along the westerly side of North Van Ness Avenue. The subject lot has a total lot size of 8,412 square feet according to a topographic survey prepared by Ofer Shapira, Licensed Surveyor No. 7123. The project site is located within the Hollywood Community Plan and Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western SNAP. The site is zoned RD1.5-1XL, designated for Low Medium II Residential land uses, and is currently developed with a single-family dwelling and guest home.

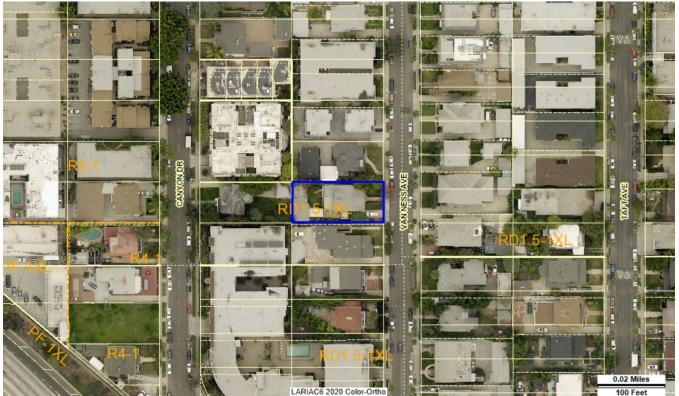


Figure 2. Aerial view of the subject property.

The surrounding area is characterized by improved streets and single- and multi-residential buildings. Properties to the north, south, east, and west are zoned RD1.5-1XL, located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western SNAP Specific Plan, and developed with one- to three-story residential buildings.

#### Summary of Appeal

On January 18, 2024, two Appellants filed a partial appeal of the Director's Determination issued on January 3, 2024. The following section provides a summary of the appellants' points and responses from Planning staff to each point. Given that the appellants' reasons for challenging the Director's Determination largely overlap, Planning staff has consolidated the appeals into two (2) separate points.

## Appeal Analysis

- **Appeal Point 1:** The TOC incentive to allow the Project up to a 22-foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone blocks sunlight and views from neighbors that will negatively affect neighbors' gardens and raise heating costs, and therefore not compatible with the existing properties.
- **Staff's Response:** The project site is zoned RD1.5-1XL which allows for a maximum building height of 30 feet by-right. Pursuant to the TOC Guidelines, the project is eligible for up to three (3) Additional Incentives for setting aside 10 percent of the total five (5) units and at least eleven (11) percent of the base six (6) units (maximum allowable density allowed by the zoning, prior to any density increase) for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant is not proposing to utilize any base incentives. The applicant is requesting two (2) Additional Incentives.

of the additional incentives is to permit an up to a 22-foot increase in height allowing up to 52 feet in overall height instead of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The proposed project is not utilizing the entire 22-foot increase that is allowed by the TOC Program. Instead, the proposed project is utilizing a 13-foot and 3 (3)-inch increase in height to permit 43 feet and three (3) inches of maximum building height.

The surrounding area is generally characterized by low to medium density with similar heights. The surrounding structures vary in height from one (1) to three (3) stories in height. Properties to the north, south, east, and west are zoned RD1.5-1XL, located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western SNAP Specific Plan, and developed with single-family and multi-family residential buildings. The proposed project includes a three (3) story residential level over one at grade level parking for a total of four (4) stories in height, which is similar in height to the multi-family residential development located in the vicinity of the project site. The project's massing and height are within the allowances permitted through the TOC Program.

Furthermore, the Director determined that the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15332, Class 32 (Exhibit D). On September 2013, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill (SB) 743 which establishes that projects located within Transit Priority Areas (TPA), are exempt from aesthetic character, shade and shadow, light and glare, or any other aesthetic impact as defined in the City's CEQA and shall not be considered an impact for infill projects within TPAs. Specifically, Section 1099(d)(1) of the Public Resources Code (PRC) states that a project's aesthetic and parking impacts shall not be considered a significant impact on the environment if: (1) the project is a residential, mixed-use residential, or employment center project; and (2) the project is located on an infill site within a transit priority area. Section 21099(a) of the PRC defines a TPA to mean an area within one-half mile of a major transit stop that is existing or planned. The project site is located within one-half mile (approximately 2,460 feet) of the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station, which qualifies the project as a TPA. The proposed project is subject to SB 743 as it is a residential project proposed on an infill site within a Transit Priority Area. Therefore, none of the potential aesthetic impacts associated with the project can be considered a significant impact on the environment. Therefore, the Director's decision was appropriate.

- Appeal Point 2: The TOC incentive to allow the Project up to a 30% reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet will negatively affect the neighboring properties possible future development, and negatively affect neighbor's privacy. Additionally, the reduced side yards will cause safety issues due to the proposed buildings proximity to the neighboring properties.
- **Staff's Response:** The project site is zoned RD1.5-1XL which requires seven (7)-foot side yard setbacks. Pursuant to the TOC Guidelines, the project is eligible for Base Incentives and up to three (3) incentives from the Additional Incentives category for setting aside 10 percent of the total five (5) units and at least eleven (11) percent of the base six (6) units (maximum allowable density allowed by the zoning, prior to any density increase) for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant is not proposing to utilize any base incentives. The applicant is requesting two (2) incentives in the Additional Incentives category. One of the incentives is to permit an up to 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and

southerly side yard of four, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet. Therefore, through the application of the TOC Program Incentives to the regulations established by Chapter 1 of the LAMC, the project complies with the setback regulations.

In terms of loss of privacy, on September 2013, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill (SB) 743 which establishes that projects located within Transit Priority Areas (TPA), are exempt from aesthetic character, shade and shadow, light and glare, or any other aesthetic impact as defined in the City's CEQA and shall not be considered an impact for infill projects within TPAs. Specifically, Section 1099(d)(1) of the Public Resources Code (PRC) states that a project's aesthetic and parking impacts shall not be considered a significant impact on the environment if: (1) the project is a residential, mixed-use residential, or employment center project; and (2) the project is located on an infill site within a transit priority area. Section 21099(a) of the PRC defines a TPA to mean an area within one-half mile of a major transit stop that is existing or planned. The project site is located within one-half mile (approximately 2,460 feet) of the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station, which gualifies the project as a TPA. The proposed project is subject to SB 743 as it is a residential project proposed on an infill site within a Transit Priority Area. The proposed project is subject to SB 743 as it is a residential project proposed on an infill site within a Transit Priority Area. Therefore, none of the potential aesthetic impacts associated with the project can be considered a significant impact on the environment.

Finally, there is no substantial evidence in the record that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact. A "specific adverse impact" is defined as, "a significant, quantifiable, direct and unavoidable impact, based on objective, identified written public health or safety standards, policies, or conditions as they existed on the date the application was deemed complete" (Chapter 1 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.22.A.25(b)). The appellants have not identified an objective public health or safety standard upon which to base this argument. Consequently, there is no substantial evidence to make the finding to deny the proposed project.

For the reasons explained above, the Director's decision was appropriate.

#### STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION:

In consideration of the foregoing, it is submitted that the Director of Planning acted reasonably in conditionally approving a Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program, and a Project Permit Compliance Review for the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of two (2) duplexes and one (1) single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan. Staff recommends that the Los Angeles City Planning Commission deny the appeal, determine that the project is categorically exempt from CEQA as a Class 32 In-fill Project, sustain the action of the Director of Planning in approving a Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program and a Project Permit Compliance Review, and adopt the Revised Conditions of Approval and Findings of the Director of Planning.

## A – APPEAL DOCUMENTS

A.1 - APPELLANT #1 APPLICATION AND JUSTIFICATION A.2 - APPELLANT #2 APPLICATION AND JUSTIFICATION

## A – APPEAL DOCUMENTS

A.1 - APPELLANT #1 APPLICATION AND JUSTIFICATION

## APPEAL APPLICATION Instructions and Checklist

## **RELATED CODE SECTION**

Refer to the Letter of Determination (LOD) for the subject case to identify the applicable Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section for the entitlement and the appeal procedures.

## PURPOSE

This application is for the appeal of Los Angeles City Planning determinations, as authorized by the LAMC, as well as first-level Building and Safety Appeals.

## APPELLATE BODY

Check only one. If unsure of the App	ellate Body, check with City Planning staff before
submission.	

Area Planning Commission (APC)	City Planning Commission (CPC)	City Council
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Zoning Administrator (ZA)

# ✗ Director of Planning (DIR)

## **CASE INFORMATION**

Case Number: DIR-202	23-5089-TOC-SPP-VI	HCA	
Project Address: 1807	NORTH VAN NESS	AVE.LOS ANGEL	ES,CA. 90028
Final Date to Appeal: <u>J</u>			
APPELLANT			
For main entitlement ca	ases, <u>except</u> for Buildin	g and Safety Appea	ls:
Check all that apply.			
Person, other than th	e Applicant, Owner or Op	erator claiming to be	aggrieved
Representative	X Property Owner	Applicant	Operator of the Use/Site
For Building and Safet	y Appeals <u>only</u> :		
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# APPELLANT INFORMATION

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Company/Organization:			
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City: LOS ANGELES	State: CA	Zip Code:	)28
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Is the appeal being filed on your behalf or Self Other:	on behalf of another party, org		any?
Is the appeal being filed to support the orig	ginal applicant's position?		× NO
REPRESENTATIVE / AGENT INF	ORMATION		
Representative/Agent Name (if applicat	ole):		
Company:			
Mailing Address:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Telephone:	E-mail:		
JUSTIFICATION / REASON FOR	APPEAL		
Is the decision being appealed in its entire	ty or in part?	Entire	× Part
Are specific Conditions of Approval being		× YES	
If Yes, list the Condition Number(s) here:	#8 Height. #10 Side Yards ( Additional incentives	(a) Side Yards and (b) Height (se	ee page 2 of 24)
On a separate sheet provide the following	:		
X Reason(s) for the appeal			
X Specific points at issue			
X How you are aggrieved by the decision	1		
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## **GENERAL NOTES**

A Certified Neighborhood Council (CNC) or a person identified as a member of a CNC or as representing the CNC may not file an appeal on behalf of the Neighborhood Council; persons affiliated with a CNC may only file as an individual on behalf of self.

The appellate body must act on the appeal within a time period specified in the LAMC Section(s) pertaining to the type of appeal being filed. Los Angeles City Planning will make its best efforts to have appeals scheduled prior to the appellate body's last day to act in order to provide due process to the appellant. If the appellate body is unable to come to a consensus or is unable to hear and consider the appeal prior to the last day to act, the appeal is automatically deemed denied, and the original decision will stand. The last day to act as defined in the LAMC may only be extended if formally agreed upon by the applicant.

THIS SECTION FOR CITY PLANNING STAFF USE ONLY \$166 Base Fee:
Reviewed & Accepted by (DSC Planner):
Receipt No.: 180124017-1AEEF789-55E3-42C5-A416-134A892F3BDD
X Determination authority notified I Original receipt and BTC receipt (if original applicant)

## GENERAL APPEAL FILING REQUIREMENTS

If dropping off an appeal at a Development Services Center (DSC), the following items are required. See also additional instructions for specific case types. To file online, visit our <u>Online Application</u> System (OAS).

## APPEAL DOCUMENTS

#### 1. Hard Copy

Provide three sets (one original, two duplicates) of the listed documents for each appeal filed.

- Appeal Application
- Justification/Reason for Appeal
- Copy of Letter of Determination (LOD) for the decision being appealed

#### 2. Electronic Copy

Provide an electronic copy of the appeal documents on a USB flash drive. The following items must be saved as <u>individual PDFs</u> and labeled accordingly (e.g., "Appeal Form", "Justification/ Reason Statement", or "Original Determination Letter"). No file should exceed 70 MB in size.

#### 3. Appeal Fee

Original Applicant. The fee charged shall be in accordance with LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a), or a fee equal to 85% of the original base application fee. Provide a copy of the original application receipt(s) to calculate the fee.

Aggrieved Party. The fee charged shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(b).

# 4. Noticing Requirements (Applicant Appeals or Building and Safety Appeals Only)

Copy of Mailing Labels. All appeals require noticing of the appeal hearing per the applicable LAMC Section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per the LAMC for all Applicant appeals. Appellants for BSAs are considered <u>Original Applicants</u>.

□ BTC Receipt. Proof of payment by way of a BTC Receipt must be submitted to verify that mailing fees for the appeal hearing notice have been paid by the <u>Applicant</u> to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC).

See the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP-2074) for applicable requirements.

## SPECIFIC CASE TYPES ADDITIONAL APPEAL FILING REQUIREMENTS AND / OR LIMITATIONS

# DENSITY BONUS (DB) / TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITES (TOC)

Appeal procedures for DB/TOC cases are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g).

- Off-Menu Incentives or Waiver of Development Standards are not appealable.
- Appeals of On-Menu Density Bonus or Additional Incentives for TOC cases can only be filed by adjacent owners or tenants and is appealable to the City Planning Commission.
  - Provide documentation confirming adjacent owner or tenant status is required (e.g., a lease agreement, rent receipt, utility bill, property tax bill, ZIMAS, driver's license, bill statement).

## WAIVER OF DEDICATION AND / OR IMPROVEMENT

Procedures for appeals of Waiver of Dedication and/or Improvements (WDIs) are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.37 I.

- WDIs for by-right projects can only be appealed by the Property Owner.
- If the WDI is part of a larger discretionary project, the applicant may appeal pursuant to the procedures which govern the main entitlement.

## [VESTING] TENTATIVE TRACT MAP

Procedures for appeals of [Vesting] Tentative Tract Maps are pursuant LAMC Section 17.54 A.

Appeals must be filed within 10 days of the date of the written determination of the decision-maker.

## **BUILDING AND SAFETY APPEAL**

### **First Level Appeal**

Procedures for an appeal of a determination by the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety (LADBS) (i.e., Building and Safety Appeal, or BSA) are pursuant LAMC Section 12.26 K.1.

- The Appellant is considered the Original Applicant and must provide noticing and pay mailing fees.
- 1. Appeal Fee
  - Appeal fee shall be in accordance with LAMC Section 19.01 B.2 (i.e., the fee specified in Table 4-A, Section 98.0403.2 of the City of Los Angeles Building Code, plus surcharges).
- 2. Noticing Requirement
  - Copy of Mailing Labels. All appeals require noticing of the appeal hearing per the applicable LAMC Section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per LAMC Section 12.26 K.3. Appellants for BSAs are considered <u>Original Applicants</u>.

□ BTC Receipt. Proof of payment by way of a BTC Receipt must be submitted to verify that mailing fees for the appeal hearing notice have been paid by the <u>Applicant</u> to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC).

See the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP-2074) for applicable requirements.

#### Second Level Appeal

Procedures for a appeal of the Director's Decision on a BSA Appeal are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.26 K.6. The original Appellant or any other aggrieved person may file an appeal to the APC or CPC, as noted in the LOD.

- 1. Appeal Fee
  - Original Applicant. Fees shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a).
- 2. Noticing Requirement
  - Copy of Mailing Labels. All appeals require noticing of the appeal hearing per the applicable LAMC Section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per LAMC Section 12.26 K.7. Appellants for BSAs are considered Original <u>Original Applicants</u>.
  - BTC Receipt. Proof of payment by way of a BTC Receipt must be submitted to verify that mailing fees for the appeal hearing notice have been paid by the Applicant to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC).

See the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP-2074) for applicable requirements.

## NUISANCE ABATEMENT / REVOCATIONS

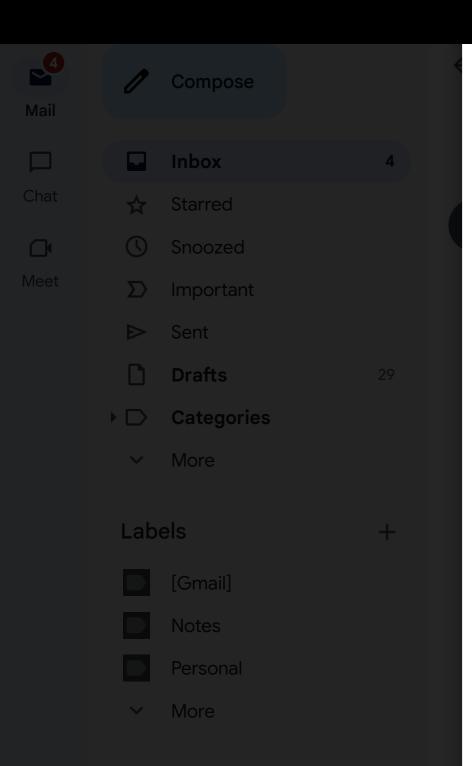
Appeal procedures for Nuisance Abatement/Revocations are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.27.1 C.4. Nuisance Abatement/Revocations cases are only appealable to the City Council.

1. Appeal Fee

Applicant (Owner/Operator). The fee charged shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a).

For appeals filed by the property owner and/or business owner/operator, or any individuals/ agents/representatives/associates affiliated with the property and business, who files the appeal on behalf of the property owner and/or business owner/operator, appeal application fees listed under LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a) shall be paid, at the time the appeal application is submitted, or the appeal application will not be accepted.

Aggrieved Party. The fee charged shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(b).



Subject: Justification / Reason for Appeal - Property Height and Side Yard Conditions

Case No: DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA

Dear Director of Planning,

I hope this letter finds you well. We are writing to formally appeal two specific conditions (Additional Incentives ) related to the construction project adjacent to our property, and we seek your understanding and consideration on the matter. Please see the two conditions/approved - Additional Incentives (a) and (b) listed on page #2 of 24 of the DIRECTOR'S DETERMINATION dated January 03,2024

## (a) \*Side Yard Condition:\*\*

The designated side yard conditions pose challenges that directly impact our property's functionality and enjoyment. There will be a 30% reduction in the required yard setback for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet. This will negatively affect for any future upgrades to our property should we choose to build. We would have a feeling of claustrophobia due to the proximity and in addition believe our privacy would be encroached upon. This could also cause safety issues with the property being so close. We propose a reconsideration of these conditions to ensure a balanced and fair outcome for all parties involved.

## (b) \*\*Height of the Property:\*\*

The proposed height of the neighboring property has raised concerns for our community. There will up to a 22 foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone. With our house being well below this, the sunlight coming into our home will be overshadowed and take away sunlight. Our home would also be obscured from sunlight impacting heat and warmth for our house, possibly increasing heating costs.

We believe that the overall height of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone would better align with the existing landscape and contribute to the harmonious coexistence of properties.

In summary, we kindly request a thorough review of our appeal, taking into account the specific points mentioned above. We believe that a modification of the mentioned conditions would contribute to the overall well-being and satisfaction of our community.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. We look forward to a fair and just resolution.

Sincerely,

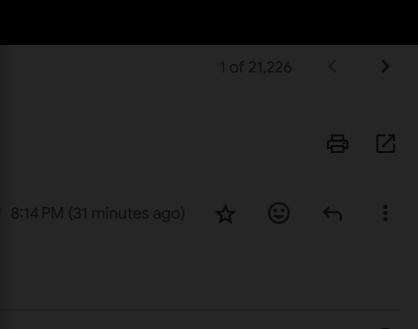
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## A – APPEAL DOCUMENTS

## A.2 - APPELLANT #2 APPLICATION AND JUSTIFICATION

## APPEAL APPLICATION Instructions and Checklist

## RELATED CODE SECTION

Refer to the Letter of Determination (LOD) for the subject case to identify the applicable Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section for the entitlement and the appeal procedures.

## PURPOSE

This application is for the appeal of Los Angeles City Planning determinations, as authorized by the LAMC, as well as first-level Building and Safety Appeals.

## APPELLATE BODY

Check only one.	If unsure of the Appellat	te Body, check w	ith City Planning staff be	efore
submission.		-		

Area Planning	Commission	(APC)	ity Planning	Commission	(CPC)	City Council	

Zoning Administrator (ZA)

Director of Planning (DIR)

## CASE INFORMATION

Case Number: DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA

Project Address: 1807 NORTH VAN NESS AVENUE LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

Final Date to Appeal: JANUARY 18, 2024

## APPELLANT

## For main entitlement cases, except for Building and Safety Appeals:

## Check all that apply.

Person, other than the Applicant, Owner or Operator claiming to be aggrieved

Representative	Property Owner	Applicant
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Operator of the Use/Site

## For Building and Safety Appeals only:

## Check all that apply.

Person claiming to be aggrieved by the determination made by Building and Safety<sup>1</sup>

Representative	Property Owne
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Applicant

Operator of the Use/Site

1	Appellants of a Building and Safety Appeal are considered the Applicant and must provide the Noticing Requirements identified on
	page 4 of this form at the time of filing. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.26 K, an appeal fee shall be required pursuant to LAMC
	Section 19.01 B.2.

APPELLANT INFORMATION Appellant Name: PODJANEE VAREE				
Mailing Address: 1815 NORTH VAN NESS AVENUE				
City: LOS ANGELES State: CA	_ Zip Code: 900	)28		
City:       LOS ANGELES       State:       CA         Telephone:       3235803662       E-mail:       PODJANEEVAREE	@GMAIL.COM	l		
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## **GENERAL NOTES**

A Certified Neighborhood Council (CNC) or a person identified as a member of a CNC or as representing the CNC may not file an appeal on behalf of the Neighborhood Council; persons affiliated with a CNC may only file as an individual on behalf of self.

The appellate body must act on the appeal within a time period specified in the LAMC Section(s) pertaining to the type of appeal being filed. Los Angeles City Planning will make its best efforts to have appeals scheduled prior to the appellate body's last day to act in order to provide due process to the appellant. If the appellate body is unable to come to a consensus or is unable to hear and consider the appeal prior to the last day to act, the appeal is automatically deemed denied, and the original decision will stand. The last day to act as defined in the LAMC may only be extended if formally agreed upon by the applicant.

# THIS SECTION FOR CITY PLANNING STAFF USE ONLY

Base Fee: \$166

Reviewed & Accepted by (DSC Planner):

Receipt No.: 180124C18-59D918BA-91DA-4C1F-8CCB-E2AD5C58DCF6 01/18/2024

Determination authority notified

Original receipt and BTC receipt (if original applicant)

## **GENERAL APPEAL FILING REQUIREMENTS**

If dropping off an appeal at a Development Services Center (DSC), the following items are required. See also additional instructions for specific case types. To file online, visit our <u>Online Application</u> <u>System (OAS)</u>.

## APPEAL DOCUMENTS

## 1. Hard Copy

Provide three sets (one original, two duplicates) of the listed documents for each appeal filed.

- Appeal Application
- Justification/Reason for Appeal
- Copy of Letter of Determination (LOD) for the decision being appealed

#### 2. Electronic Copy

Provide an electronic copy of the appeal documents on a USB flash drive. The following items must be saved as <u>individual PDFs</u> and labeled accordingly (e.g., "Appeal Form", "Justification/ Reason Statement", or "Original Determination Letter"). No file should exceed 70 MB in size.

#### 3. Appeal Fee

Original Applicant. The fee charged shall be in accordance with LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a), or a fee equal to 85% of the original base application fee. Provide a copy of the original application receipt(s) to calculate the fee.

Aggrieved Party. The fee charged shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(b).

## 4. Noticing Requirements (Applicant Appeals or Building and Safety Appeals Only)

- Copy of Mailing Labels. All appeals require noticing of the appeal hearing per the applicable LAMC Section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per the LAMC for all Applicant appeals. Appellants for BSAs are considered <u>Original Applicants</u>.
- BTC Receipt. Proof of payment by way of a BTC Receipt must be submitted to verify that mailing fees for the appeal hearing notice have been paid by the <u>Applicant</u> to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC).

See the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP-2074) for applicable requirements.

## SPECIFIC CASE TYPES ADDITIONAL APPEAL FILING REQUIREMENTS AND / OR LIMITATIONS

## DENSITY BONUS (DB) / TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITES (TOC)

Appeal procedures for DB/TOC cases are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g).

- Off-Menu Incentives or Waiver of Development Standards are not appealable.
- Appeals of On-Menu Density Bonus or Additional Incentives for TOC cases can only be filed by adjacent owners or tenants and is appealable to the City Planning Commission.
  - Provide documentation confirming adjacent owner or tenant status is required (e.g., a lease agreement, rent receipt, utility bill, property tax bill, ZIMAS, driver's license, bill statement).

## WAIVER OF DEDICATION AND / OR IMPROVEMENT

Procedures for appeals of Waiver of Dedication and/or Improvements (WDIs) are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.37 I.

- WDIs for by-right projects can only be appealed by the Property Owner.
- If the WDI is part of a larger discretionary project, the applicant may appeal pursuant to the procedures which govern the main entitlement.

## [VESTING] TENTATIVE TRACT MAP

Procedures for appeals of [Vesting] Tentative Tract Maps are pursuant LAMC Section 17.54 A.

Appeals must be filed within 10 days of the date of the written determination of the decision-maker.

## **BUILDING AND SAFETY APPEAL**

#### First Level Appeal

Procedures for an appeal of a determination by the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety (LADBS) (i.e., Building and Safety Appeal, or BSA) are pursuant LAMC Section 12.26 K.1.

- The Appellant is considered the Original Applicant and must provide noticing and pay mailing fees.
- 1. Appeal Fee
  - Appeal fee shall be in accordance with LAMC Section 19.01 B.2 (i.e., the fee specified in Table 4-A, Section 98.0403.2 of the City of Los Angeles Building Code, plus surcharges).
- 2. Noticing Requirement
  - Copy of Mailing Labels. All appeals require noticing of the appeal hearing per the applicable LAMC Section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per LAMC Section 12.26 K.3. Appellants for BSAs are considered <u>Original Applicants</u>.

BTC Receipt. Proof of payment by way of a BTC Receipt must be submitted to verify that mailing fees for the appeal hearing notice have been paid by the <u>Applicant</u> to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC).

See the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP-2074) for applicable requirements.

#### Second Level Appeal

Procedures for a appeal of the Director's Decision on a BSA Appeal are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.26 K.6. The original Appellant or any other aggrieved person may file an appeal to the APC or CPC, as noted in the LOD.

- 1. Appeal Fee
  - Original Applicant. Fees shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a).
- 2. Noticing Requirement
  - Copy of Mailing Labels. All appeals require noticing of the appeal hearing per the applicable LAMC Section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per LAMC Section 12.26 K.7. Appellants for BSAs are considered Original <u>Original Applicants</u>.
  - BTC Receipt. Proof of payment by way of a BTC Receipt must be submitted to verify that mailing fees for the appeal hearing notice have been paid by the Applicant to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC).

See the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP-2074) for applicable requirements.

## NUISANCE ABATEMENT / REVOCATIONS

Appeal procedures for Nuisance Abatement/Revocations are pursuant to LAMC Section 12.27.1 C.4. Nuisance Abatement/Revocations cases are only appealable to the City Council.

- 1. Appeal Fee
  - Applicant (Owner/Operator). The fee charged shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a).

For appeals filed by the property owner and/or business owner/operator, or any individuals/ agents/representatives/associates affiliated with the property and business, who files the appeal on behalf of the property owner and/or business owner/operator, appeal application fees listed under LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(a) shall be paid, at the time the appeal application is submitted, or the appeal application will not be accepted.

Aggrieved Party. The fee charged shall be in accordance with the LAMC Section 19.01 B.1(b).

Subject: Justification / Reason for Appeal - Property Height and Side Yard Conditions

Case No: DIR-2023-5089-TOX-SPP-VCHA

Dear Director of Planning,

I hope this letter finds you well. We are writing to formally appeal two specific conditions related to the construction project adjacent to our property, and we seek your understanding and consideration on the matter. Please see the two conditions/appoved incentives below:

#### 8. Refer to page 2 (b) \*\*Height of the Property:\*\*

The proposed height of the neighboring property has raised concerns for our community. There will up to a 22 foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone. With our house being well below this, the sunlight coming into our home will be overshadowed and take away important sunlight for our garden. Our home would also be obscured from sunlight impacting heat and warmth for our house, possibly increasing heating costs. This would also obstruct our beautiful view of Los Angeles from our window. We believe that a more moderate height would better align with the existing landscape and contribute to the harmonious coexistence of properties.

#### 10. Refer to page 2 (a) \*\*Side Yard Condition:\*\*

The designated side yard conditions pose challenges that directly impact our property's functionality and enjoyment. There will be a 30% reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four feet and 11 inches in lieu of the otherwise required seven feet. This will negatively affect for any future upgrades to our property should we choose to build. We would have a feeling of claustrophia due to the proximity and in addition believe our privacy would be encroached upon. This could also cause saftey issues with the property being so close. We propose a reconsideration of these conditions to ensure a balanced and fair outcome for all parties involved.

In summary, we kindly request a thorough review of our appeal, taking into account the specific points mentioned above. We believe that a modification of the mentioned conditions would contribute to the overall well-being and satisfaction of our community.

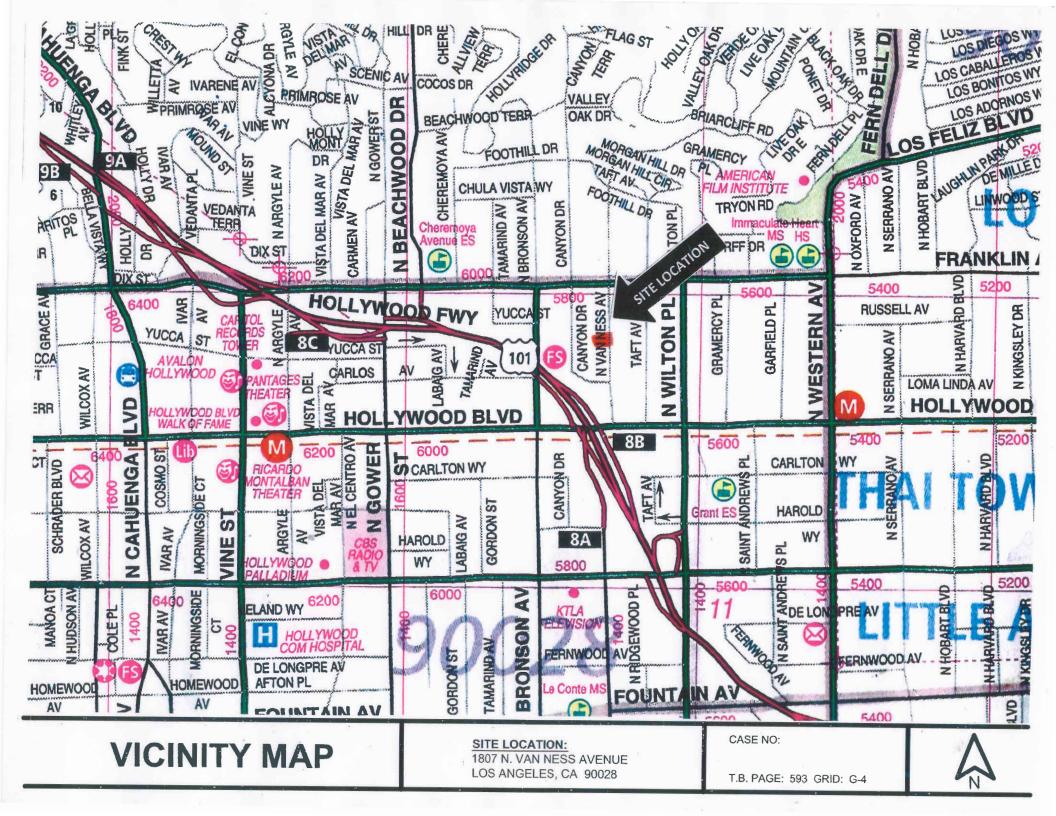
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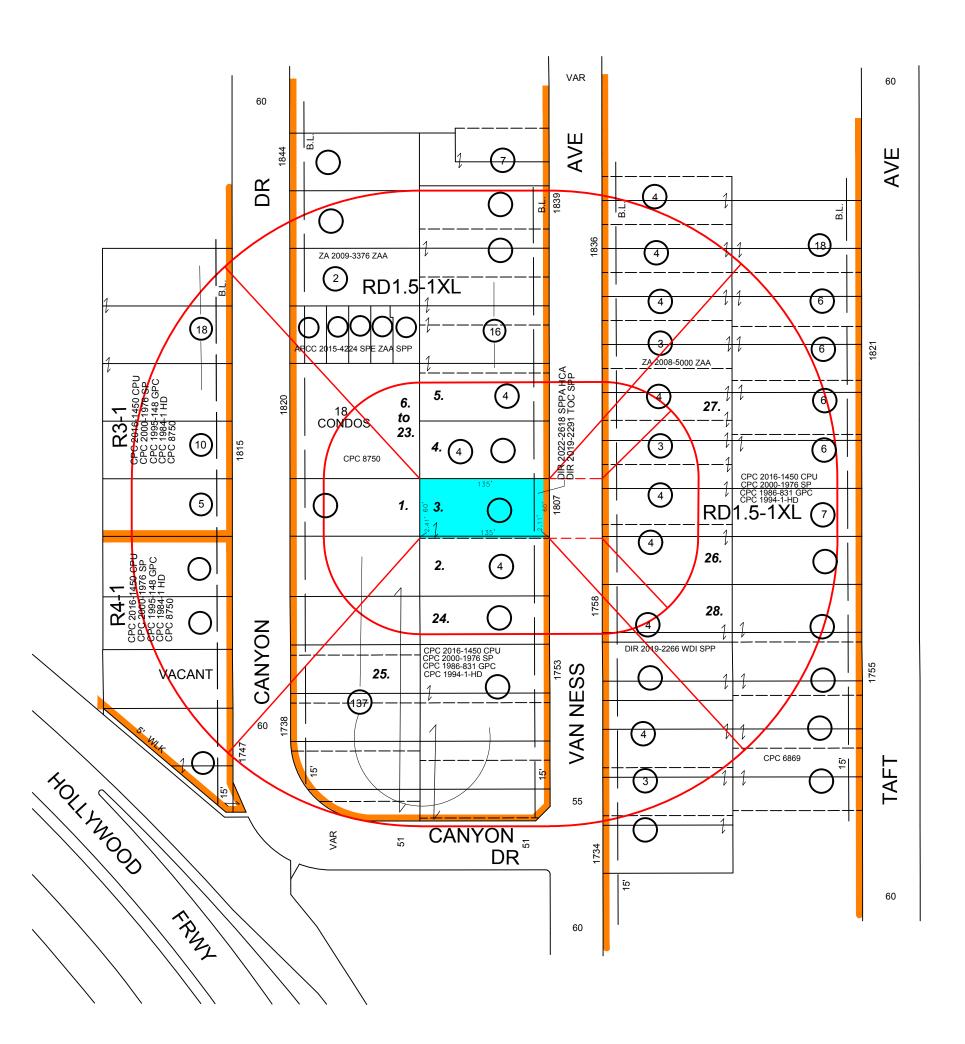
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- **B.1 VICINITY MAP**
- **B.2 RADIUS MAP**
- B.3 ZIMAS MAP

## **B.1 - VICINITY MAP**



## **B.2 - RADIUS MAP**



- C.D. 13
- C.T. 1903.01
- P.A. HOLLYWOOD
- N.C. HOLLYWOOD UNITED

# TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES & SPECIFIC PLAN PROJECT PERMIT COMPLIANCE



## RADIUS MAPS ETC

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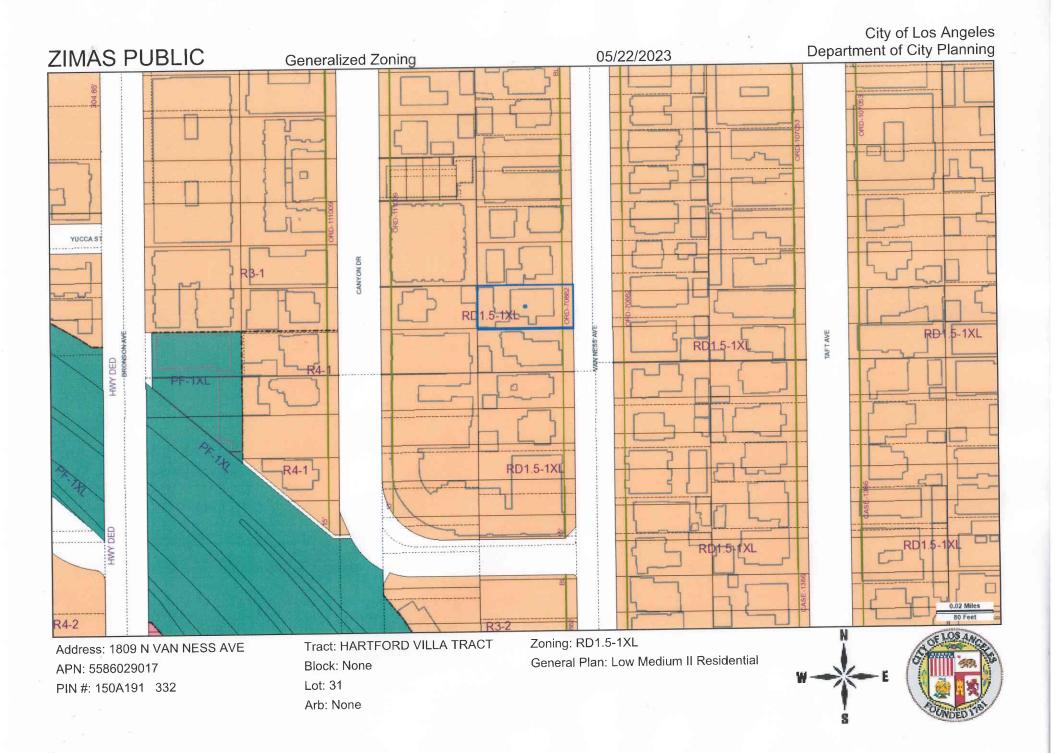
#### SITE LOCATION:

1807 N. VAN NESS AVENUE LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: LOT 31 AND POR. OF LOT 30 (ARB 2), TRACT NO. 1647, M.B. 20-56. (SEE APPLICATION) CASE NO.

DATE: 05 - 22 - 2023 SCALE: 1" = 100' D.M.: 150 A 191 T.B. PAGE: 593 GRID: G-4 APN: 5586-029-017

#### **B.3 - ZIMAS MAP**



## C – DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA LETTER OF DETERMINATION

#### DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING

COMMISSION OFFICE (213) 978-1300

#### CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

SAMANTHA MILLMAN PRESIDENT

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EXECUTIVE OFFICES 200 N. Spring Street, Room 525

Los Angeles, CA 90012-4801 (213) 978-1271

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#### DIRECTOR'S DETERMINATION TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM VERMONT/WESTERN SNAP PROJECT PERMIT COMPLIANCE REVIEW

January 03, 2024

Applicant/ Owner Leeor Maciborski The Leeor Macibroski Trust 6464 West Sunset Boulevard, Suite 610 Los Angeles, CA 90028	CEQA: Specific Plan Subarea:	DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA ENV-2023-5090-CE A – Neighborhood Conservation 1807 North Van Ness Avenue (1807 and 1809 North Van Ness
LUS Aligeles, CA 90020		Avenue)
	Council District:	13 – Soto-Martinez
Representative	Neighborhood Council:	Hollywood United
Gary Benjamin	Community Plan Area:	
Alchemy Planning + Land Use	Land Use Designation:	Low Medium II Residential
1110 North Virgil Avenue,	Zone:	RD1.5-1XL
Space 187 Los Angeles, CA 90029	Legal Description:	Lot 31, HARTFORD VILLA TRACT

Last Day to File an Appeal: January 18, 2024

#### DETERMINATION

Pursuant to the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC") Section 12.22 A.31, I have reviewed the proposed project and as the designee of the Director of Planning, I hereby:

**Determine** that based on the whole of the administrative record as supported by the justification prepared and found in the administrative case file, the project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15303 (New Construction Or Conversion Of Small Structures) Class 3 and Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Project) Class 32, and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that any exceptions contained in Section 15300.2 of the State CEQA Guidelines regarding location, cumulative impacts, significant effects or unusual circumstances, scenic highways, or hazardous waste sites, or historical resources applies.

**Approve with Conditions** the following project consistent with the provisions of the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program Tier 3, to permit a project consisting of five (5) residential units by reserving one (1) dwelling unit, equal to 20% of the total units, for one (1) Extremely-Low Income Household Occupancy for a period of 55 years, with Base Incentives permitted pursuant to LAMC 12.21 A.31, in addition to the following two (2) Additional Incentives:

- **a.** Side Yards. An up to 30% reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet; and
- **b.** Height. An up to 22-foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height, in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone.

Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 11.5.7 C and the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area (SNAP) Specific Plan Ordinance No. 186,735, I have reviewed the proposed project and as the designee of the Director of Planning, I hereby:

**Approve with Conditions** a Project Permit Compliance Review for the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan;

The project approval is based upon the attached Findings, and is subject to the attached Conditions of Approval:

# **TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Conditions**

- 1. **Residential Density.** The project shall be limited to a maximum density of five (5) dwelling units including On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.
- 2. **On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.** The project shall provide a minimum of one (1) On-Site Restricted Affordable unit, consisting of one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Households, as defined in California Health and Safety Code to the satisfaction of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD). In the event, that the SB 8 Replacement Unit condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
- 3. **SB 8 Replacement Units.** The project shall be required to comply with the Replacement Unit Determination (RUD) letter, dated May 19, 2023, to the satisfaction of LAHD. The most restrictive affordability levels shall be followed in the covenant. In the event, the Onsite Restricted Affordable Units condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
- 4. **Changes in On-Site Restricted Units**. Deviations that increase the number of restricted affordable units or that change the composition of units or change parking numbers shall be consistent with LAMC Section 12.22 A.31.
- 5. **Housing Requirements.** Prior to issuance of a building permit, the owner shall execute a covenant to the satisfaction of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) to make one (1) unit available to Extremely Low-Income Households or equal to 20 percent of the project's total proposed residential density allowed, for sale or rental as determined to be affordable to such households by LAHD for a period of 55 years. In the event the applicant reduces the proposed density of the project, the number of required set-aside affordable units may be adjusted, consistent with LAMC Section 12.22 A.31, to the satisfaction of LAHD, and in consideration of the project's Replacement Unit Determination.
- 6. **Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO).** Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the owner shall obtain approval from LAHD regarding the replacement of affordable units, provision of RSO Units, and qualification for the Exemption from the Rent Stabilization Ordinance with Replacement Affordable Units in compliance with Ordinance No. 184,873. In order for all the new units to be exempt from the Rent Stabilization Ordinance, the applicant will need to either replace all withdrawn RSO units with affordable units on a one-for-one basis or provide at least 20 percent of the total number of newly constructed rental units as affordable, whichever results in the greater number. The executed and recorded covenant and agreement submitted and approved by LAHD shall be provided.
- 7. **Floor Area Ratio (FAR).** The maximum FAR area shall be limited to 0.88:1 FAR, or 7,472 square feet.
- 8. **Height.** The project shall be limited to a maximum building height of 43 feet and six (6) inches, as measured from grade to the highest point of the roof pursuant to the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program.
- 9. **TOC Stepback.** The project shall require any height increases over 11 feet to be steppedback at least 15 feet from the exterior face of the ground floor of the building located along Van Ness Avenue at 41 feet in height, consistent with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area.

10. **Side Yards.** The project shall provide a side yard of four (4) feet and 11 inches along the northerly and southerly property lines.

# **SNAP Conditions**

- 11. **Site Development.** The project shall be in substantial conformance with the plans and materials submitted by the Applicant, including the proposed building design elements and materials, stamped Exhibit "A," attached to the subject case file. No change to the plans shall be made without prior review by the Department of City Planning, Project Planning Bureau, and written approval by the Director of Planning. Each change shall be identified and justified in writing. Minor deviations may be allowed in order to comply with the provisions of the LAMC or the project conditions.
- 12. **Parks First.** Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the applicant shall complete the following:
  - a. Make a payment to the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) for the required Park Fee pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12. Contact RAP staff by email at <u>rap.parkfees@lacity.org</u>, by phone at (213) 202-2682 or in person at the public counter at 221 N. Figueroa St., Suite 400 (4<sup>th</sup> Floor), Los Angeles, CA 90012 to arrange for payment.
  - b. Make a payment of \$17,200 to the Parks First Trust Fund for the net increase of four (4) residential dwelling units. The calculation of a Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid pursuant to the Vermont/Western SNAP shall be off-set by the Park Fee paid pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12 as a result of the project.
  - c. The applicant shall provide proof of payment for the Park Fee to the Department of City Planning (DCP), Central Project Planning Division staff to determine the resulting amount of Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid. DCP staff shall sign off on the Certificate of Occupancy in the event there are no resulting Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid.
  - d. In the event there are remaining Parks First Trust Fund Fees to be paid, the applicant shall make a payment to the Office of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), Parks First Trust Fund. Contact Melinda Gejer and Kristine Harutyunyan of the CAO to arrange for payment. Melinda Gejer may be reached at (213) 473-9758 or <u>Melinda.Gejer@lacity.org</u>. Kristine Harutyunyan may be reached at (213) 473-7573 or <u>Kristine.Harutyunyan@lacity.org</u>. The applicant shall submit proof of payment for the Parks First Trust Fund Fee to DCP staff, who will then sign off on the Certificate of Occupancy.
  - e. All residential units in a project containing units set aside as affordable for Very Low or Low-Income Households that are subsidized with public funds and/or Federal or State Tax Credits with affordability covenants of at least 30 years are exempt from the Parks First Trust Fund.
- 13. **Building Setback.** The exterior wall of the building frontage shall be located no closer to the street and no farther from the street than the exterior walls of the adjacent buildings within the same Subarea. As such, the exterior walls of the subject project shall have a minimum building setback of 14 feet, eight (8) inches and a maximum building setback of 30 feet, six (6) inches from the front property line.
- 14. **Open Space.** The project shall provide a minimum of 875 square feet of usable open space. At least 438 square feet must be located at grade or first habitable room level. The

common open space shall be open to the sky, must be at least 400 square feet in size, and have a minimum dimension of 20 feet when measured perpendicular from any point on each of the boundaries of the open space area. Balconies shall have a minimum dimension of six feet and patios shall have a minimum dimension of ten feet. Common open space areas or balconies not meeting the minimum dimension requirements when measured perpendicular from any point on each of the boundaries of the open space area cannot be counted towards the square footage allocated towards meeting the overall usable open space requirement.

- 15. **Required Trees per 12.21 G.2.** As conditioned herein, a final submitted landscape plan shall be reviewed to be in substantial conformance with Exhibit "A". There shall be a minimum of two (2) 24-inch box, or larger, trees onsite pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G.2. Any required trees pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G.2 shown in the public right-of-way in Exhibit "A" shall be preliminarily reviewed and approved by the Urban Forestry Division prior to building permit issuance. In-lieu fees pursuant to LAMC Section 62.177 shall be paid if placement of required trees in the public right-of-way is proven to be infeasible due to City-determined physical constraints.
- 16. Landscaping. The landscape plan shall indicate landscape points for the project equivalent to 10% more than otherwise required by LAMC 12.40 and Landscape Ordinance Guidelines "O". All open areas not used for buildings, driveways, parking areas, recreational facilities, or walks shall be attractively landscaped, including an automatic irrigation system, and maintained in accordance with a landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect or licensed architect, and submitted for approval to the Department of City Planning.
- 17. **Residential Automobile Parking**. The project shall be permitted to provide a minimum of zero parking space pursuant to California Government Code Section 65863.2 (AB 2097) and limited to no more than 10 residential parking spaces and one (1) guest parking space, for a total of 11 maximum parking spaces per the SNAP.
- 18. **Bicycle Parking.** The project shall provide a minimum of two (2) bicycle parking space onsite.
- 19. **Street Trees.** Street trees must be installed and maintained prior to issuance of the building permit or suitably guaranteed through a bond and all improvements must be completed prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
  - a. Four (4), 24-inch box shade trees shall be provided in the public right-of-way along Van Ness Avenue, subject to the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division requirements.
  - b. The project site currently includes existing trees within the 62.11 feet of frontage along Van Ness Avenue. Whether the street tree should remain or should be replaced is subject to the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division.
  - c. A tree well cover shall be provided for each new and existing tree in the public right-of-way adjacent to the subject property to the satisfaction of the Bureau of Street Services.
  - d. The applicant shall be responsible for new street tree planting and pay fees for clerical, inspection, and maintenance per the Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 62.176 for each tree.
  - e. An automatic irrigation system shall be provided.

Note: Contact the Urban Forestry Division, Subdivision staff, at (213) 847-3088 for site inspection prior to any street tree work.

- 20. **Utilities**. All new utility lines which directly service the lot or lots shall be installed underground. If underground service is not currently available, then provisions shall be made by the applicant for future underground service.
- 21. **Curb Cuts.** Only one curb cut that is 20 feet in width for every 100 feet of street frontage is allowed, unless otherwise required by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety. Approval by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety for a curb cut exceeding 20 feet in width must be provided to the Department of City Planning once received.
- 22. **Driveways.** The first 25 feet in length of the driveway shall be constructed of Portland cement concrete, pervious cement, grass-crete, or any other porous surface that reduces heat radiation and/or increases surface absorption, thereby reducing runoff.
- 23. **Trash**, **Service Equipment**, and **Satellite Dishes**. Trash, service equipment, and satellite dishes, including transformer areas, shall be located away from streets and enclosed or screened by landscaping, fencing, or other architectural means. The trash area shall be enclosed by a minimum six-foot-high decorative masonry wall. Each trash enclosure shall have a separate area for recyclables. Any transformer area within the front yard shall be enclosed or screened.
- 24. **Rooftop Appurtenances.** All rooftop equipment and building appurtenances shall be screened from any street, public right-of-way, or adjacent property with enclosures or parapet walls constructed of materials complementary to the materials and design of the main structure.
- 25. **Roof Lines.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', all roof lines greater than 40 feet in length shall be broken up with the use of gables, formers, plant-ons, cutouts, or other appropriate means.
- 26. **Privacy.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', the façade shall avoid placing windows facing windows across property lines or facing private outdoor spaces of other residential units.
- 27. **Façade Relief.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', all exterior elevations shall provide a break in the plane every 20 feet in horizontal length and every 15 feet in vertical length.
- 28. **Landscape Plan.** The applicant shall submit a final landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect showing enhanced paving such as stamped concrete, permeable paved surfaces, tile, and/or brick within paved areas in front, side, and rear yards.
- 29. Irrigation Plan. A final irrigation plan shall be prepared and included.

# Administrative Conditions

30. **Final Plans.** Prior to the issuance of any building permits for the project by the Department of Building and Safety, the applicant shall submit all final construction plans that are awaiting issuance of a building permit by the Department of Building and Safety for final review and approval by the Department of City Planning. All plans that are awaiting issuance of a building permit by the Department of Building and Safety shall be stamped by Department of City Planning staff "Plans Approved". A copy of the Plans Approved, supplied by the applicant, shall be retained in the subject case file.

- 31. **Notations on Plans.** Plans submitted to the Department of Building and Safety, for the purpose of processing a building permit application shall include all of the Conditions of Approval herein attached as a cover sheet and shall include any modifications or notations required herein.
- 32. **Approval, Verification and Submittals.** Copies of any approvals, guarantees or verification of consultations, review of approval, plans, etc., as may be required by the subject conditions, shall be provided to the Department of City Planning prior to clearance of any building permits, for placement in the subject file.
- 33. **Code Compliance.** Use, area, height, and yard regulations of the zone classification of the subject property shall be complied with, except where granted conditions differ herein.
- 34. **Department of Building and Safety**. The granting of this determination by the Director of Planning does not in any way indicate full compliance with applicable provisions of the Los Angeles Municipal Code Chapter IX (Building Code). Any corrections and/or modifications to plans made subsequent to this determination by a Department of Building and Safety Plan Check Engineer that affect any part of the exterior design or appearance of the project as approved by the Director, and which are deemed necessary by the Department of Building and Safety for Building Code compliance, shall require a referral of the revised plans back to the Department of City Planning for additional review and sign-off prior to the issuance of any permit in connection with those plans.
- 35. **Enforcement.** Compliance with these conditions and the intent of these conditions shall be to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning.
- 36. **Expiration.** In the event that this grant is not utilized within three years of its effective date (the day following the last day that an appeal may be filed), the grant shall be considered null and void. Issuance of a building permit, and the initiation of, and diligent continuation of, construction activity shall constitute utilization for the purposes of this grant.
- 37. **Recording Covenant.** Prior to the issuance of any permits relative to this matter, a covenant acknowledging and agreeing to comply with all the terms and conditions established herein shall be recorded in the County Recorder's Office. The agreement (standard master covenant and agreement form CP-6770) shall run with the land and shall be binding on any subsequent owners, heirs, or assigns. The agreement with the conditions attached must be submitted to the Development Services Center for approval before being recorded. After recordation, a certified copy bearing the Recorder's number and date shall be provided to the Development Services Center at the time of Condition Clearance for attachment to the subject case file.
- 38. **Indemnification and Reimbursement of Litigation Costs.** The applicant shall do all of the following:
  - (i) Defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City from any and all actions against the City relating to or arising out of, in whole or in part, the City's processing and approval of this entitlement, including <u>but not limited to</u>, an action to attack, challenge, set aside, void, or otherwise modify or annul the approval of the entitlement, the environmental review of the entitlement, or the approval of subsequent permit decisions, or to claim personal property damage, including from inverse condemnation or any other constitutional claim.
  - (ii) Reimburse the City for any and all costs incurred in defense of an action related to or arising out of, in whole or in part, the City's processing and approval of the entitlement, including but not limited to payment of all court costs and attorney's fees,

costs of any judgments or awards against the City (including an award of attorney's fees), damages, and/or settlement costs.

- (iii) Submit an initial deposit for the City's litigation costs to the City within 10 days' notice of the City tendering defense to the applicant and requesting a deposit. The initial deposit shall be in an amount set by the City Attorney's Office, in its sole discretion, based on the nature and scope of action, but in no event shall the initial deposit be less than \$50,000. The City's failure to notice or collect the deposit does not relieve the applicant from responsibility to reimburse the City pursuant to the requirement in paragraph (ii).
- (iv) Submit supplemental deposits upon notice by the City. Supplemental deposits may be required in an increased amount from the initial deposit if found necessary by the City to protect the City's interests. The City's failure to notice or collect the deposit does not relieve the applicant from responsibility to reimburse the City pursuant to the requirement in paragraph (ii).
- (v) If the City determines it necessary to protect the City's interest, execute an indemnity and reimbursement agreement with the City under terms consistent with the requirements of this condition.

The City shall notify the applicant within a reasonable period of time of its receipt of any action and the City shall cooperate in the defense. If the City fails to notify the applicant of any claim, action, or proceeding in a reasonable time, or if the City fails to reasonably cooperate in the defense, the applicant shall not thereafter be responsible to defend, indemnify or hold harmless the City.

The City shall have the sole right to choose its counsel, including the City Attorney's office or outside counsel. At its sole discretion, the City may participate at its own expense in the defense of any action, but such participation shall not relieve the applicant of any obligation imposed by this condition. In the event the applicant fails to comply with this condition, in whole or in part, the City may withdraw its defense of the action, void its approval of the entitlement, or take any other action. The City retains the right to make all decisions with respect to its representations in any legal proceeding, including its inherent right to abandon or settle litigation.

For purposes of this condition, the following definitions apply:

"City" shall be defined to include the City, its agents, officers, boards, commissions, committees, employees, and volunteers.

"Action" shall be defined to include suits, proceedings (including those held under alternative dispute resolution procedures), claims, or lawsuits. Actions includes actions, as defined herein, alleging failure to comply with <u>any</u> federal, state or local law.

Nothing in the definitions included in this paragraph are intended to limit the rights of the City or the obligations of the applicant otherwise created by this condition.

# PROJECT BACKGROUND

The subject property consists of one lot with approximately 62 feet of frontage along the westerly side of North Van Ness Avenue. The subject lot has a total lot size of 8,412 square feet according to a topographic survey prepared by Ofer Shapira, Licensed Surveyor No. 7123. The project site is located within the Hollywood Community Plan and Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western SNAP. The site is zoned RD1.5-1XL, designated for Low Medium II Residential land uses, and is currently developed with a single family dwelling and guest home.

The applicant requests a Project Permit Compliance to permit the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) dwelling units. The two (2) duplexes measure up to 43 feet and three (3) inches in overall height and the single-family residence measures 34 feet and eight (8) inches in overall height. The project site will include 900 square feet of usable open space and two (2) short-term bicycle parking spaces. The proposed project includes six (6) automobile spaces on-site; however, pursuant to Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, the applicant is proposing no minimum required automobile parking spaces. As the proposed project includes the construction of a residential building and the site is located within half a mile of a major transit stop, the project qualifies for the parking reduction under the provisions of AB 2097.

The applicant is seeking a discretionary approval of the TOC Housing Incentive Program with the following incentives:

Base Incentives:

1. Zero base incentive requested.

Additional Incentives:

- 1. An up to 30% reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet; and
- 2. An up to 22-foot increase in the height requirement, allowing up to 52 feet in overall height, in lieu of the 30 feet permitted per the RD1.5-1XL Zone.

The surrounding area is characterized by improved streets and single- and multi-residential buildings. Properties to the north, south, east, and west are zoned RD1.5-1XL, located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western SNAP Specific Plan, and developed with one- to three-story residential buildings.

# Urban Design Review

On August 9, 2023, the proposed project was taken to Urban Design Studio's (UDS) Office Hours for review. UDS' Office Hours function is to provide input directly to the project planner at meetings. The Studio's feedback focuses on ways a project can be improved to comply more fully with the Studio's three (3) design approaches which are: 1) Pedestrian First Design, 2) 360 Degree Design, and 3) Climate Adaptive Design. At this meeting, UDS had comments relating to the artificial turf, and recommended it be replaced by any other landscape surface that is not artificial turf since artificial turf gets to 175° or more in the sun. Based on these comments, the project team updated their plans in order to address all comments to the extent feasible. The project no longer proposed artificial turf.

# HOUSING REPLACEMENT (HOUSING CRISIS ACT OF 2021 – SB 8 DETERMINATION)

The Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) reviewed all of the existing structures at the subject site and has determined, per the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8) Replacement Unit Determination (RUD), dated May 19, 2023, that one (1) unit is subject to replacement pursuant to requirements of the HCA, including one (1) unit restricted to Very Low Income Households. The one (1) total unit required by the SB 8 RUD is satisfied by the one (1) unit set aside for habitation by Extremely Low-Income Households proposed through the Transit Oriented Communities Affordable Housing Incentive Project, and the project will be required to comply with all applicable regulations set forth by LAHD.

As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for providing replacement housing consistent with California Government Code Sections 65915(c)(3) (State Density Bonus Law) and 66300 (Housing Crisis Act of 2019).

# TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM BACKGROUND

Measure JJJ was adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on December 13, 2016. Section 6 of the Measure instructed the Department of City Planning to create the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program, a transit-based affordable housing incentive program. The measure required that the Department adopt a set of TOC Guidelines, which establish incentives for residential or mixed-use projects located within ½ mile of a major transit stop. Major transit stops are defined under existing State law.

The TOC Guidelines, adopted on September 22, 2017, establish a tier-based system with varying development bonuses and incentives based on a project's distance from different types of transit. The largest bonuses are reserved for those areas in the closest proximity to significant rail stops or the intersection of major bus rapid transit lines. Required affordability levels are increased incrementally in each higher tier. The incentives provided in the TOC Guidelines describe the range of bonuses from particular zoning standards that applicants may select.

The project site is located approximately 2,460 feet from the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station, which qualifies the site as Tier 3 of the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program (TOC Guidelines) according to the TOC Referral Form dated July 24, 2023.

Pursuant to the TOC Guidelines, the project is eligible for Base Incentives and up to three (3) Additional Incentives for setting aside 10 percent of the total five (5) units and at least eleven (11) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant is not proposing to utilize any base incentives. The applicant requests two (2) Additional Incentives as follows: (1) an up to 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and southerly side yard of four (4) feet and 11 inches in lieu of the minimum seven (7) feet otherwise required; and (2) an up to 13-foot and six (6)-inch increase in height to permit 43 feet and six (6) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone.

The project site is zoned RD1.5-1XL, which limits the residential density of the subject property to a maximum of one dwelling unit for each 1,500 square feet of lot area. The RD1.5 density allows a maximum base density of six (6) units on an 8,412 square-foot lot. The project proposes a total of five (5) units, which is within the maximum density permitted. The project will consist of 7,472 square feet of floor area, which results in a maximum .88:1 FAR. Per the TOC Guidelines, a project containing five (5) dwelling units within Tier 3 units is required to provide a minimum of three (3) residential automobile parking spaces based on a ratio of 0.5 spaces per unit. However, the applicant proposes to utilize Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, which is a California law that prohibits public agencies or cities from imposing a minimum automobile parking

requirement on most development projects located within a half-mile radius of a major transit stop. As the proposed project is a residential project and the site is located within half a mile of a major transit stop, the project qualifies for the parking reduction under the provisions of AB 2097. However, the project is still subject to the maximum parking requirement per the SNAP. The SNAP limits the maximum number of automobile parking spaces to 11, inclusive of guest parking spaces. AB 2097 replaces the parking requirement in the TOC Guidelines and SNAP Parking requirements for residential projects. The project proposes six (6) residential parking spaces which is within the TOC minimum requirement and SNAP maximum requirement, thereby satisfying this requirement.

# TRANSIT-ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be an eligible Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Housing Development, a project must meet the Eligibility criteria set forth in Section IV of the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Guidelines (TOC Guidelines). A Housing Development located within a TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area shall be eligible for TOC Incentives if it meets all of the following requirements, which it does:

- 1. **On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.** In each Tier, a Housing Development shall provide On-Site Restricted Affordable Units at a rate of at least the minimum percentages described below. The minimum number of On-Site Restricted Affordable Units shall be calculated based upon the total number of units in the final project.
  - a. Tier 1 8% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Extremely Low Income (ELI) Households, 11% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Very Low (VL) Income Households, or 20% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Lower Income Households.
  - b. Tier 2 9% ELI, 12% VL or 21% Lower.
  - c. Tier 3 10% ELI, 14% VL or 23% Lower.
  - d. Tier 4 11% ELI, 15% VL or 25% Lower.

The project site is located within a Tier 3 TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area according to the TOC Referral Form dated July 24, 2023. As part of the proposed development, the project is required to reserve at least 10 percent, or one (1) unit, of the total five (5) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The project proposes one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.

2. **Major Transit Stop.** A Housing Development shall be located on a lot, any portion of which must be located within 2,640 feet of a Major Transit Stop, as defined in Section II and according to the procedures in Section III.2 of the TOC Guidelines.

A Major Transit Stop is a site containing a retail station or the intersection of two (2) or more bus routes with a service interval of 15 minutes or less during the morning and afternoon peak commute periods. The project site is located approximately 2,460 feet from the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for proximity to a Major Transit Stop.

3. **Housing Replacement.** A Housing Development must meet any applicable housing replacement requirements of California Government Code Section 65915(c)(3), as verified by the Department of Housing and Community Investment (HCIDLA) prior to the issuance of any building permit. Replacement housing units required per this section may also count towards other On-Site Restricted Affordable Units requirements.

Pursuant to the Determination made by the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD), previously known as the Los Angeles Housing and Community Investment Department or HCIDLA, dated May 19, 2023, that there is one (1) unit subject to replacement pursuant to the requirements of the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8). The one (1) unit must be equivalent type, with one (1) unit restricted to Very Low Income household occupancy. The proposed project is reserving one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for providing replacement housing consistent with California Government Code Section 65915(c)(3).

4. Other Density or Development Bonus Provisions. A Housing Development shall not seek and receive a density or development bonus under the provisions of California Government Code Section 65915 (State Density Bonus law) or any other State or local program that provides development bonuses. This includes any development bonus or other incentive granting additional residential units or floor area provided through a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, Height District Change, or any affordable housing development bonus in a Transit Neighborhood Plan, Community Plan Implementation Overlay (CPIO), Specific Plan, or overlay district.

The project is not seeking any additional density or development bonuses under the provisions of the State Density Bonus Law or any other State or local program that provides development bonuses, including, but not limited to a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, Height District Change, or any affordable housing development bonus in a Transit Neighborhood Plan, CPIO, Specific Plan, or overlay district. As such, the project meets this eligibility requirement.

- 5. **Base Incentives and Additional Incentives.** All Eligible Housing Developments are eligible to receive the Base Incentives listed in Section VI of the TOC Guidelines. Up to three (3) Additional Incentives listed in Section VII of the TOC Guidelines may be granted based upon the affordability requirements described below. For the purposes of this section below, "base units" refers to the maximum allowable density allowed by the zoning, prior to any density increase provided through these Guidelines. The affordable housing units required per this section may also count towards the On-Site Restricted Affordable Units requirement in Eligibility Requirement No. 1 above (except Moderate Income units).
  - a. One Additional Incentive may be granted for projects that include at least 4% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 5% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 10% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 10% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.
  - b. Two Additional Incentives may be granted for projects that include at least 7% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 10% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 20% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 20% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.
  - c. Three Additional Incentives may be granted for projects that include at least 11% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 15% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 30% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 30% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.

The project is seeking two (2) Additional Incentives as follows: (1) a 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and southerly side yard of four (4) feet, 11 inches in lieu of the minimum seven (7) feet otherwise required; and (2) a 13-foot and six (6)-inch increase in height to permit 43 feet and six (6) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The project is required to set aside seven (7) percent, or one (1) unit, of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households to qualify for two incentives. The applicant is proposing to set aside one (1) unit for Extremely Low Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for Base and Additional Incentives.

6. **Projects Adhering to Labor Standards.** Projects that adhere to the labor standards required in LAMC 11.5.11 may be granted two (2) Additional Incentives from the menu in Section VII of these Guidelines (for a total of up to five (5) Additional Incentives).

The project is not seeking two (2) Additional Incentives beyond the two (2) permitted in exchange for reserving at least seven (7) percent, or one (1) unit, of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. As such, the project need not adhere to the labor standards required in LAMC Section 11.5.11 and this eligibility requirement does not apply.

7. **Multiple Lots.** A building that crosses one or more lots may request the TOC Incentives that correspond to the lot with the highest Tier permitted by Section III above.

The project site consists of one (1) lot, which is located within a Tier 3 TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

8. **Request for a Lower Tier.** Even though an applicant may be eligible for a certain Tier, they may choose to select a Lower Tier by providing the percentage of On-Site Restricted Affordable Housing units required for any Lower Tier and be limited to the Incentives available for the Lower Tier.

The applicant has not selected a lower Tier and is not providing the percentage of On-Site Restricted Affordable Housing units required for any Lower Tier. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

9. **100% Affordable Housing Projects.** Buildings that are Eligible Housing Developments that consist of 100% On-Site Restricted Affordable units, exclusive of a building manager's unit or units shall, for purposes of these Guidelines, be eligible for one increase in Tier than otherwise would be provided.

The project does not consist of 100% On-Site Restricted Affordable units. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

# TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM / AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVES COMPLIANCE FINDINGS

Pursuant to Section 12.22 A.31(e) of the LAMC, the Director shall review a Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program project application in accordance with the procedures outlined in LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g).

- 1. Pursuant to Section 12.22 A.25(g) of the LAMC, the Director shall approve a density bonus and requested incentives unless the Director finds that:
  - a. The incentives <u>are not</u> required to provide for affordable housing costs for rents for the affordable units.

The record does not contain substantial evidence that would allow the Director to make a finding that the requested incentives are not necessary to provide for affordable housing costs per State Law. Affordable housing costs are a calculation of residential rent or ownership pricing not to exceed a predetermined percentage of income based on area median income thresholds dependent on affordability levels.

The list of incentives in the TOC Guidelines were pre-evaluated at the time the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Ordinance was adopted to include types of relief that minimize restrictions on the size of the project. As such, the Director will always conclude that the base incentives are required to provide for affordable housing costs because the incentives by their nature increase the scale of the project. The following incentives allow the developer to reduce yard setbacks and increase the building height so that affordable housing units can be constructed, and the overall space dedicated to residential uses is increased. These incentives support the applicant's decision to reserve one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy.

**Yards:** The applicant requests an up to 30 percent reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet. These reductions are expressed in the Menu of Incentives in the TOC Guidelines which permit exceptions to zoning requirements that result in building design or construction efficiencies that facilitate affordable housing costs.

**Height:** The applicant requests a 13-foot increase in height to permit 43 feet and six (6) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The requested increase in height is expressed in the Menu of Incentives in the TOC Guidelines, which permit exceptions to zoning requirements that result in building design or construction efficiencies that provide for affordable housing costs.

b. The Incentive will not have a specific adverse impact upon public health and safety or the physical environment, or on any real property that is listed in the California Register of Historical Resources and for which there are no feasible method to satisfactorily mitigate or avoid the specific adverse Impact without rendering the development unaffordable to Very Low, Low and Moderate Income Households. Inconsistency with the zoning ordinance or the general plan land use designation shall not constitute a specific, adverse impact upon the public health or safety.

There is no substantial evidence in the record that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact. A "specific adverse impact" is defined as, "a significant, quantifiable, direct and unavoidable impact, based on objective, identified written public health or safety standards, policies, or conditions as they existed on the date the application was deemed complete" (LAMC Section 12.22.A.25(b)). As required by Section 12.22 A.25 (e)(2), the project meets the eligibility criterion that is required for density bonus projects. The project also does not involve a contributing structure in a designated Historic Preservation Overlay Zone or on the City of Los Angeles list of Historical-Cultural Monuments. Therefore, there is no substantial evidence that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact on public health and safety.

# **VERMONT/WESTERN SNAP FINDINGS**

- 2. The project substantially complies with the applicable regulations, findings, standards, and provisions of the specific plan.
  - **A. Parks First.** Section 6.F of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan requires the applicant to pay a Parks First Trust Fund of \$4,300 for each new residential unit, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. The project includes the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) units. The project is therefore required to pay a total of \$17,200 into the Parks First Trust Fund. The calculation of a Parks First Trust Fund fee to be paid or actual park space to be provided pursuant to the Parks First Ordinance shall be off-set by the amount of any fee pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12 or dwelling unit construction tax pursuant to LAMC Section 21.10.1, et seq. This requirement is reflected in the Condition of Approval. As conditioned, the project complies with Section 6.F of the Specific Plan.
  - **B. Residentially Zoned Properties.** Section 7.A of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan states that residential uses allowed by the existing residential zoning classification of any lot located within Subarea A shall be permitted, provided that no more than two (2) lots have a total combined lot area of 15,000 square feet may be tied together to form a single building site. Furthermore, parking shall be prohibited in the required front yard areas. The proposed project is located within the RD1.5 Zone, which permits one dwelling unit for every 1,500 square feet of lot area. The subject site is composed of one (1) lot measuring 8,412 square feet in size, allowing a maximum of six (6) dwelling units. The applicant is proposing five (5) units on-site which is within the allowed maximum. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with Section 7.A of the Specific Plan.
  - **C. Commercially Zoned Properties.** Section 7.B of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan states that commercial uses on commercially zoned properties are limited to those uses defined as "Neighborhood Retail" and "Neighborhood Serving" in LAMC Section 13.07 and limited to the ground floor only. The project site is not commercially zoned and does not propose commercial uses. Therefore, Section 7.B of the Specific Plan does not apply.
  - **D.** Schools, Child Care and Community Facilities. Section 7.C of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan states that public or private schools, child care facilities, parks, community gardens, community facilities, shall be permitted on any lot or lots provided that the building site for those uses has no more than two (2) acres of combined lot area. The project does not include any school, child care or community facilities uses. Therefore, Section 7.C of the Specific Plan does not apply.
  - E. Transitional Height. Section 7.D of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan states that the maximum height of any new building within Subarea A shall not exceed a height that is within 15 feet of the height of the shortest adjacent building on any adjacent lot within the same Subarea. However, in no circumstance can the project exceed the 30-foot height limit of the underlying RD1.5-1XL Zone. The Specific Plan further stipulates that roofs and roof structures for the purposes specified in the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 12.21.1 B.3 of the Code and architectural rooftop features may be erected up to 10 feet above the transitional height limit, if the structures and features are set back a minimum of 10 feet from the roof perimeter and screened from view at street level.

However, the applicant is seeking up to a 13-foot and three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and three (3) inches of maximum transitional building height in exchange for setting aside seven (7) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant has agreed to reserve one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy.

Height Increase				
Limit With TOC Proposed				
Transitional Height	30'4" + 15' = <b>45' 4''</b>	N/A	43' 3"	
Underlying Zone Height	30	30' + 13'3" = <b>43' 3</b> "	43' 3"	

The project has a maximum overall height limitation of 43 feet and three (3) inches, which is within the maximum transitional height of 45 feet and within the maximum underlying zone height limit of 43 feet and three (3) inches when applying the 13 foot and three (3) inches TOC height incentive. Therefore, as conditioned and in conjunction with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program, the project complies with Section 7.D of the Specific Plan.

- F. Building Setback. Section 7.E of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan states that all buildings shall face a public street. The proposed development fronts along Van Ness Avenue with a main pedestrian entrance located along the street frontage. Section 7.E. of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan also states that the exterior wall of the building frontage shall be located no closer to the street and no farther from the street than the exterior walls of the adjacent buildings within the same Subarea. The adjacent property to the north (1815 North Van Ness Avenue) is located approximately 33 feet and 6 inches from the front property line and the adjacent property to the south (1801 North Van Ness Avenue) is located 14 feet and eight (8) inches from the front property line. The proposed development will be located 14 feet and nine (9) inches from the front property line. Therefore, the project complies with Section 7.E of the Specific Plan.
- **G. Usable Open Space**. Section 7.F of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan states that residential Projects with two (2) or more dwelling units must provide specified amounts of common and private open space pursuant to the standards set forth in LAMC 12.21 G.2. The Specific Plan further stipulates that 50 percent of the total open space must be provided at ground level or first habitable room level of the project, and that roof decks may be used in their entirety as common or private open space, excluding that portion of the roof within 20 feet of the roof perimeter. Units containing less than three (3) habitable rooms require 100 square feet of open space per unit. Units containing more than three (3) habitable rooms require 175 square feet of open space per unit. The Vermont/Western SNAP sets forth the minimum usable open space requirement, as shown in the table below:

SNAP Minimum Usable Open Space			
Units Sq. Ft. Usable Oper Required Space (sq. ft			
Dwelling Units with Less than 3 Habitable Rooms	0	100	0

Dwelling Units with 3 Habitable Rooms	0	125	0
Dwelling Units with More than 3 Habitable Rooms	5	175	875
Total Minimum Usable Open Space			875
50% located at grade or first habitable room level		438	

The project proposes a total of 900 square feet of usable open space that meets the dimension criteria and is located at the rear yard. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with Section 7.F of the Specific Plan.

**H. Project Parking Requirements.** Section 7.G.1 of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan sets forth a minimum and maximum parking standard for residential projects, as shown in the tables below:

SNAP Minimum Parking Spaces			
	Parking Space Per Square Feet / Unit	Units	Parking Spaces
Dwelling Units with Less than 3 Habitable Rooms	0	0	0
Dwelling Units with 3 Habitable Rooms	1	0	0
Dwelling Units with More than 3 Habitable Rooms	1.5	5	7
Total Residential Required Spaces			7
Guest	.25	5	1
Total Minimum Required Spaces (inclusive of guest parking)			8

SNAP Maximum Parking Spaces			
	Parking Space Per Square Feet / Unit	Units	Parking Spaces
Dwelling Units with Less than 3 Habitable Rooms	1	0	0
Dwelling Units with 3 Habitable Rooms	1.5	0	0
Dwelling Units with More than 3 Habitable Rooms	2	5	10
Total <u>Residential</u> Allowed Spaces			10
Guest	.25	5	1
Total Maximum Allowed Spaces (inclusive of guest parking)			11

The applicant proposes to utilize Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, which is a California law that prohibits public agencies or cities from imposing a minimum automobile parking

requirement on most development projects located within a half-mile radius of a major transit stop. As the proposed project is a residential project and the site is located within half a mile of a major transit stop, the project qualifies for the parking reduction under the provisions of AB 2097. However, the project is still subject to the maximum parking requirement per the SNAP. The SNAP limits the maximum number of automobile parking spaces to 11, inclusive of guest parking spaces. AB 2097 replaces the parking requirement in the TOC Guidelines and SNAP Parking requirements for residential projects. The Applicant is providing six (6) residential parking spaces and zero guest parking spaces, thereby satisfying the TOC Guidelines and the maximum SNAP parking requirements. Therefore, as conditioned and in conjunction with the reduced residential parking spaces per TOC, the project complies with Section 7.G.1 of the Specific Plan.

**Bicycles.** 7.G.2 of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan requires any residential project with two (2) or more dwelling units to provide one-half (0.5) bicycle parking space per residential unit. The proposed development consists of five (5) residential dwelling units, thus, requiring two (2) bicycle parking spaces. The proposed project includes two (2) bicycle spaces on-site along Van Ness Avenue. Therefore, the project complies with Section 7.G.2 of the Specific Plan.

- I. Conversion Requirements. Section 7.H of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan sets forth requirements pertaining to the conversion of existing structures to residential condominium uses. The project proposes the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) units. The project does not include the conversion of existing structures to residential condominium uses. Therefore, Section 7.H of the Specific Plan does not apply.
- J. Development Standards. Section 7.1 of the Vermont/Western Specific Plan requires that all Projects be in substantial conformance with the following Development Standards and Design Guidelines.

# **Development Standards**

- (1) Landscaped Focal Point. This Development Standard requires all new development projects to be designed around a landscaped focal point or courtyard. The applicant has submitted a Landscape Plan showing landscaped areas within the front and rear yards of the project site. The front yard and rear yard will be landscaped with trees and shrubbery such as Crape Myrtle tree, Compact Southern Magnolia tree, Upright Rosemary shrub, Dwarf Pink Indian Hawthorn shrub, Blue fox perennial, Fortnight Lily perennial, and Fox Tail Agave succulents. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (2) Landscape Plan. This Development Standard requires that all open areas not used for buildings, driveways, parking, recreational facilities, or pedestrian amenities shall be landscaped by lawns and other ground coverings. The applicant has submitted a Landscape Plan which includes a landscaped front yard and rear yard as described above. In addition, a Condition of Approval has been included requiring the applicant to provide a final landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (3) Usable Open Space. This Development Standard requires that common usable open space must have a dimension of 20 feet and a minimum common open space area of 400 square feet for projects with less than 10 dwelling units and 600 square

feet for projects with 10 dwelling units or more. The Development Standard further stipulates that private usable open space, such as balconies with a minimum dimension of six feet may reduce the required usable open space directly commensurate with the amount of private open space provided. The applicant proposes a common open space area that measures 30 feet by 30 feet with a total area of 900 square feet located at the rear yard. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

- (4) Street Trees. This Development Standard requires one, 24-inch box shade tree to be planted and maintained in the public right-of-way for every 20 feet of street frontage. The subject site occupies approximately 62 feet of street frontage along North Van Ness Avenue, requiring four (4) street trees in the public right-of-way. The Specific Plan requires the preservation of any existing Palm trees in the right of way and the project will be permitted to count any existing Palm trees towards the Specific Plan street tree requirement. As seen in Exhibit A Sheet A-100 and L-1, the proposed project includes one (1) existing street tree which will not be removed and three (3) new street trees for a total of four (4) street trees along North Van Ness Avenue. The Development Standard further requires that an automatic irrigation system be provided within the tree well. The project is conditioned herein to provide a total of three (3) street trees and an automatic irrigation system to the satisfaction of Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (5) Utilities. The Development Standards require that when new utility service is installed in conjunction with new development or extensive remodeling, all proposed utilities on the project site shall be placed underground. The project does not propose any installation of new utility service at this time. However, in the event new utility lines are to be installed on the site, the Conditions of Approval require all new utility lines which directly service the lot, or lots shall be installed underground. If underground service is not currently available, then provisions shall be made for future underground service. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (6) **Pedestrian Access.** This Development Standard requires that pedestrian access shall be in the form of walks provided from the public street to the main building entrance and that they provide a view into any existing interior courtyard or landscaped open area. The proposed development offers pedestrian access via a direct path to the building entrance along North Van Ness Avenue. The front yard and pathway are landscaped with shrubbery, trees, and groundcover. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (7) Alley Access. This Development Standard requires vehicle and pedestrian access from existing alleys or side streets to be preserved and enhanced. The subject site is not accessible via an alley. Therefore, this Development Standard does not apply.
- (8) Curb Cuts. This Development Standard allows no more than one curb cut per lot or 100 feet of lot frontage and further requires curb cuts to be a maximum of 20 feet in width unless more is required by the Department of Transportation (DOT) or the Department of Building and Safety (DBS). The proposed project includes the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) units. The applicant is proposing a 15-foot, one (1)-inch curb cut for ingress and egress purposes. A Condition of Approval has been included to require only one curb cut that is 20 feet in width for every 100 feet of street frontage is

allowed, unless otherwise required by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

- (9) Driveways. This Development Standard requires that the first 25 feet in length of driveways to be constructed of Portland cement concrete, pervious cement, grass-crete, or any other porous surface that reduces heat radiation and/or increases surface absorption, thereby reducing runoff. The proposed development is accessible from North Van Ness Avenue. A Condition of Approval has been included requiring the first 25 feet in length of the driveway to be constructed of Portland cement concrete, pervious cement, grass-crete, or any other porous surface that reduces heat radiation and/or increases surface absorption, thereby reducing runoff. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (10) Parking Lots and Structures. This Development Standard requires surface parking lots, structures, garages and carports to be located at the rear of buildings. Furthermore, surface parking lots shall be paved with Portland cement concrete, pervious cement, grass-crete, or any other porous surface that will reduce the heat radiation and/or increase the surface absorption. The proposed project includes its residential parking spaces within carport structures located at grade-level below each proposed duplex. The proposed parking spaces are not located within the front yard setback area. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (11) Trash, Service Equipment and Satellite Dishes. This Development Standard requires that trash, service equipment and satellite dishes to be located away from streets and enclosed or screened by landscaping, fencing or other architectural means. Additionally, the trash area shall be enclosed by a minimum six (6)-foot high decorative masonry wall. The applicant proposes a recycling and trash located at ground-level to the rear of Duplex #2. However, the plans submitted as part of this application do not indicate the location of service equipment and satellite dishes. In the event that any service equipment or satellite dishes are installed in the future, a Condition of Approval has been included requiring that they be located away from North Van Ness Avenue. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (12) Roofs and Rooftop Appurtenances. This Development Standard requires that all rooftop equipment be screened from public view or architecturally integrated into the design of the building. In the event that additional rooftop mechanical equipment is proposed in the future, a Condition of Approval has been included requiring said equipment and ducts be screened from view from any street, public right-of-way, or adjacent property and the screening wall be solid and match the exterior materials, design, and color of the building. Therefore, as conditioned, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (13) Roof Lines. This Development Standard requires that all roof lines in excess of 40 feet in horizontal length must be broken up through the use of gables, dormers, plant-ons, cutouts or other appropriate means. As seen in Exhibit A, Sheets A-112, A-122, A-131, A-200, A-210, A-220, and A-230, all roof lines are continuously broken up, through the use of cutouts, to not exceed a horizontal roof line of 40 feet or greater. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (14) **Privacy.** This Development Standard requires that buildings be arranged to avoid windows facing windows across property lines, or the private open space of other residential units. As seen in Exhibit A, Sheet A-201, the project abuts residential uses to the north and south. The applicant has provided elevations which depict the

windows of existing adjacent structures to the east and west superimposed onto the proposed project. The elevations show that some of the windows of adjacent residential properties will be marginally affected by the new construction. Given the constraints as an infill development located in an urbanized area, the applicant has demonstrated efforts to arrange windows to avoid directly facing windows across property lines or private open space of other residential units. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

(15) Façade Relief. This Development Standard requires that all exterior building elevations, walls, or fences provide a break in the plane for every 20 feet in horizontal length, and every 15 feet in vertical length created by an architectural detail or a change in material. The Specific Plan further requires architectural treatments on the building front elevation to be continued on the sides and back of buildings. All facades of the proposed building comply with the requirement by providing breaks in the plane through the use of varied building material, recessed windows, façade line treatments, and modulation along the elevations as seen in Exhibit A, A-200, A-210, A-220, and A-230. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

# Design Guidelines

- (16) General Building Design. This Design Guideline recommends that buildings should be compatible in form with the existing neighborhood atmosphere. The surrounding area is currently developed with one- to three-story single- and multifamily residential buildings. Through an additional TOC incentive, the project will receive 13-foot and six (6) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and six (6) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone for setting aside seven (7) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant has agreed to set aside a total of one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. The building massing of multiple existing buildings along the block has a lot of coverage that takes up the majority of their subject lot(s). The proposed project will have a similar lot coverage as those found along the northerly and southerly sides of Van Ness Avenue. Therefore, as conditioned and in conjunction with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.
- (17) Architectural Features. The Design Guidelines encourage courtyards, balconies, arbors, roof gardens, water features, and trellises. Appropriate visual references to historic building forms are encouraged in new construction. The proposed project provides balconies and other architectural features similar to the nearby single-family and multi-family dwellings surrounding the site. Furthermore, the street-facing elevation employs a variety of building materials and articulation by way of changes in building plane and materials. Therefore, the project complies with this Design Guideline.
- (18) Shade. This Design Guideline recommends that canopies, building overhangs and arbors be incorporated into the design of new structures to provide shade. The building includes projections along the facades such as overhangs, thus providing shade. Therefore, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.
- (19) Building Color. The Design Guidelines encourage buildings be painted three colors: a dominant color, a subordinate color and a "grace note" color. The project proposes Belgian Cream (off-white) as its dominant color, More than a Week (gray) as its subordinate color, and Autumn Bark (light brown) as its grace note. Therefore, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.

# 3. The project incorporates mitigation measures, monitoring measures when necessary, or alternatives identified in the environmental review, which would mitigate the negative environmental effects of the project, to the extent physically feasible.

The Department of City Planning determined that the City of Los Angeles Guidelines for the implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970 and the State CEQA Guidelines designate the subject Project as Categorically Exempt under Section 15303 (Class 3(b), New Construction) and Section 15332 (Class 32, In-Fill Development Project), and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies.

See Justification for Categorical Exemption Case No. ENV-2023-5090-CE in the case file for the narrative demonstrating that exceptions do not apply.

# **OBSERVANCE OF CONDITIONS - TIME LIMIT - LAPSE OF PRIVILEGES**

All terms and conditions of the Director's Determination shall be fulfilled before the use may be established. The instant authorization is further conditioned upon the privileges being utilized within **three years** after the effective date of this determination and, if such privileges are not utilized, building permits are not issued, or substantial physical construction work is not begun within said time and carried on diligently so that building permits do not lapse, the authorization shall terminate and become void.

# TRANSFERABILITY

This determination runs with the land. In the event the property is to be sold, leased, rented or occupied by any person or corporation other than yourself, it is incumbent that you advise them regarding the conditions of this grant. If any portion of this approval is utilized, then all other conditions and requirements set forth herein become immediately operative and must be strictly observed.

# VIOLATIONS OF THESE CONDITIONS, A MISDEMEANOR

Section 11.00 of the LAMC states in part (m): "It shall be unlawful for any person to violate any provision or fail to comply with any of the requirements of this Code. Any person violating any of the provisions or failing to comply with any of the mandatory requirements of this Code shall be guilty of a misdemeanor unless that violation or failure is declared in that section to be an infraction. An infraction shall be tried and be punishable as provided in Section 19.6 of the Penal Code and the provisions of this section. Any violation of this Code that is designated as a misdemeanor may be charged by the City Attorney as either a misdemeanor or an infraction.

Every violation of this determination is punishable as a misdemeanor unless provision is otherwise made and shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a period of not more than six months, or by both a fine and imprisonment."

# APPEAL PERIOD - EFFECTIVE DATE

This grant is not a permit or license and any permits and/or licenses required by law must be obtained from the proper public agency. If any Condition of this grant is violated or not complied with, then the applicant or their successor in interest may be prosecuted for violating these Conditions the same as for any violation of the requirements contained in the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC).

This determination will become effective after the end of appeal period date on the first page of this document, unless an appeal is filed with the Department of City Planning. An appeal application must be submitted and paid for before 4:30 PM (PST) on the final day to appeal the determination. Should the final day fall on a weekend or legal City holiday, the time for filing an appeal shall be extended to 4:30 PM (PST) on the next succeeding working day. Appeals should be filed <u>early</u> to ensure the Development Services Center (DSC) staff has adequate time to review and accept the documents, and to allow appellants time to submit payment.

An appeal may be filed utilizing the following options:

**Online Application System (OAS)**: The OAS (<u>https://planning.lacity.org/oas</u>) allows entitlement appeals to be submitted entirely electronically by allowing an appellant to fill out and submit an appeal application online directly to City Planning's DSC, and submit fee payment by credit card or e-check.

**Drop off at DSC.** Appeals of this determination can be submitted in-person at the Metro or Van Nuys DSC locations, and payment can be made by credit card or check. City Planning has established drop-off areas at the DSCs with physical boxes where appellants can drop off appeal applications; alternatively, appeal applications can be filed with staff at DSC public counters. Appeal applications must be on the prescribed forms, and accompanied by the required fee and a copy of the determination letter. Appeal applications shall be received by the DSC public counter and paid for on or before the above date or the appeal will not be accepted.

Forms are available online at <u>http://planning.lacity.org/development-services/forms</u>. Public offices are located at:

Metro DSC (213) 482-7077 201 N. Figueroa Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 planning.figcounter@lacity.org Van Nuys DSC (818) 374-5050 6262 Van Nuys Boulevard Van Nuys, CA 91401 planning.mbc2@lacity.org

West Los Angeles DSC (CURRENTLY CLOSED) (310) 231-2901 1828 Sawtelle Boulevard West Los Angeles, CA 90025 planning.westla@lacity.org

City Planning staff may follow up with the appellant via email and/or phone if there are any questions or missing materials in the appeal submission, to ensure that the appeal package is complete and meets the applicable LAMC provisions.

If you seek judicial review of any decision of the City pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.5, the petition for writ of mandate pursuant to that section must be filed no later than the 90th day following the date on which the City's decision became final pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6. There may be other time limits which also affect your ability to seek judicial review.

Verification of condition compliance with building plans and/or building permit applications are done at the City Planning Metro or Valley DSC locations. An in-person or virtual appointment for Condition Clearance can be made through the City's <u>BuildLA</u> portal (<u>appointments.lacity.org</u>). The applicant is further advised to notify any consultant representing you of this requirement as well.







QR Code to Online Appeal Filing QR Code to Forms for In-Person Appeal Filing QR Code to BuildLA Appointment Portal for Condition Clearance

Only an applicant or any owner or tenant of a property abutting, across the street or alley from, or having a common corner with the subject property can appeal the Transit Oriented Communities/Density Bonus Compliance Review Determination. Per the Density Bonus Provision of State Law (Government Code Section 65915), the Density Bonus increase in units above the base density limits per the underlying zone(s) and the appurtenant parking reductions are not a discretionary action and therefore cannot be appealed. Only the requested incentives are appealable. Per LAMC Sections 12.22 A.25 and 12.22 A.31, appeals of Density Bonus Compliance Review and Transit Oriented Communities cases with the Director of Planning or Zoning Administrator as the initial decision maker are heard by the City Planning Commission.

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# D – "EXHIBIT A" PROJECT PLANS DIR-2023-5089-TOC-SPP-VHCA

VICINITY MAP

## DRAWIN

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# **VAN NESS APARTMENTS**

1807 N. VAN NESS AVE LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

# **REVISED PLANNING SET 06** 10/06/2023



RENDERS



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Company Address City, State xxx-xxx-xxxx STRUCTURAL ENGINEER Thang Le Thang Le and Associates 319 E. Foothill Blvd. Arcadia, CA 91006 626-538-2702

# PARKING

NO MINIMUM PARKING REQUIRED. Per AB 2097; project is within a half-mile of transit.

SNAP	MAXIMUM

Max per unit (1,5) x Units (5):	7 Spaces
Max guest parking (0.25) x Units (5):	1 Space
SNAP MAX PARKING	8 Spaces

PROVIDED PARKING: 4 Spaces Standard Parking Stalls: Compact Parking Stalls: Total Provided Parking: 2 Spaces 6 SPACES

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# **PROJECT SCOPE**

NEW CONSTRUCTION OF TWO DUPLEX BUILDINGS; AND NEW CONSTRUCTION OF ONE SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE. ONE AFFORDABLE UNIT PROVIDED, TOC PROJECT.

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N	TOC INCENTIVES	
RD1.5-1XL		
Low Medium II Residential	INCENTIVE AREA TIER:	TIER 3
stern TOD SNAP, Subarea A	BASE DENSITY: 8,412/1,50	0 = 6 (round up)
12'-0" to 14'-0' (12.21.C.2b)	ELIGIBILITY: 10	0% EL INCOME
14-8" (SNAP)	EL INCOME UNITS:	1
15'-0"	EL INCOME PROVIDED:	1/6 = 16.67%
'-0" to 7'-0" (12.09.1.B.2(a))		
): 4'-11" (TOC)	BASE INCENTIVES REQUES	STED
5,444 sf (see G-110)	NONE	
30'-0"		
52 ' Max. (TOC Incentive)		
43'-3"		
34'-8"		7'-0"
No Limit (12.21.1.A.1)		30%
3.0 (12.21.1.A.1)	REQ. SIDE YARD	4'-11"
REA): 16,332 sf		
8,412 /1,500 = 5.6 DU		
5 DU		30'-0"
6 DU		22'-0"
40%	ALLOWED MAX HEIGHT	52'-0"
6 * 1.4 = 8.4		-
9		
5 D.U.s	APPLIES TO BUILDINGS A	
34'-4"(SNAP)		43'-3"
30'-4" (SNAP)		43'-3" 34'-8"
45'-4" (30'-4" + 15')	BUILDING C:	34'-8"
	N RD1.5-1XL Low Medium II Residential tern TOD SNAP, Subarea A 12'-0" to 14'-0' (12.21.C.2b) 14-8" (SNAP) 15'-0" '-0" to 7'-0" (12.09.1.B.2(a)) :: 4'-11" (TOC) 5.444 sf (see G-110) 30'-0" 52' Max. (TOC Incentive) 43'-3" 34'-8" No Limit (12.21.1.A.1) 3.0 (12.21.1.A.1) REA): 16,332 sf 8,412/1,500 = 5.6 DU 5 DU 6 DU 40% 6* 1.4 = 8.4 9 5 D.U.s 34'-4" (SNAP) 30'-4" (SNAP)	NRD1.5-1XL Low Medium II Residential tem TOD SNAP, Subara A $12'-0"$ to 14-0' (12.21.2.2) $14-8"$ (SNAP) $15'-0"$ TOC INCENTIVES BASE DENSITY: 8,412/1,50 ELIGBILITY: 11 ELINCOME UNITS: ELINCOME UNITS: 

# **PROJECT DATA**

DNE		PROJECT NAME	VAN NESS	APARTMENTS
		PROJECT ADDRESS		'AN NESS AVE, geles, CA 90027
		APN		5586-029-017
С		LOT SIZE		8,412 fl <sup>2</sup>
<u> </u>		ZONING		RD1.5-1XL
ES		SPECIFIC PLAN VERM	IONT/WEST	ERN TOD SNAP
		DENSITY ANALYSIS		
	TIER 3	MIN LOT AREA PER D	WELLLING	1,500 SF/D.U
1,500 = 6 (ro 10% EL II		LOT AREA		8,412 SF
1070 LL II	1	ALLOWABLE DENSITY	Y	5.6 D.U
1/6 =	16.67%	PROPOSED DENSITY		5 D.U
QUESTED		LEGAL DESCRIPTION		
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(MILLO	7'-0"	BLOCK:		NONE
N	30%	TRACT:	HARTFORI	VILLA TRACT
	4'-11"	ARB:		NONE AND 2
		BUILDING TYPE	V-A,	SPRINKLERED
	30'-0"			
нт	22'-0" 52'-0"	EARTHWORK QUAN	TTIES	22.07
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LAMC FLOOR AREAS	
BUILDING A:	
LEVEL 01	423 SF
LEVEL 02	999 SF
LEVEL 03	851 SF
LEVEL 04	812 SF
BUILDING A TOTAL	3,085 SF
BUILDING B	
LEVEL 01	420 SF
LEVEL 02	1,127 SF
LEVEL 03	840 SF
LEVEL 04	919 SF
BUILDING B TOTAL	3,308 SF
BUILDING C	
LEVEL 01	396 SF
LEVEL 02	404 SF
LEVEL 03	279 SF
BUILDING C TOTAL	1,079 SF
SITE TOTAL FLOOR AREA	7,472 SF
CBC BUILDING AREAS	
BUILDING A (DUPLEX):	
LEVEL 01	1,117 SF
LEVEL 02	1,111 SF
LEVEL 03	1,111 SF
LEVEL 04	935 SF
BUILDING A TOTAL	4,274 SF
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BUILDING B (DUPLEX):	
LEVEL 01	1.311 SF
LEVEL 02	1,236 SF

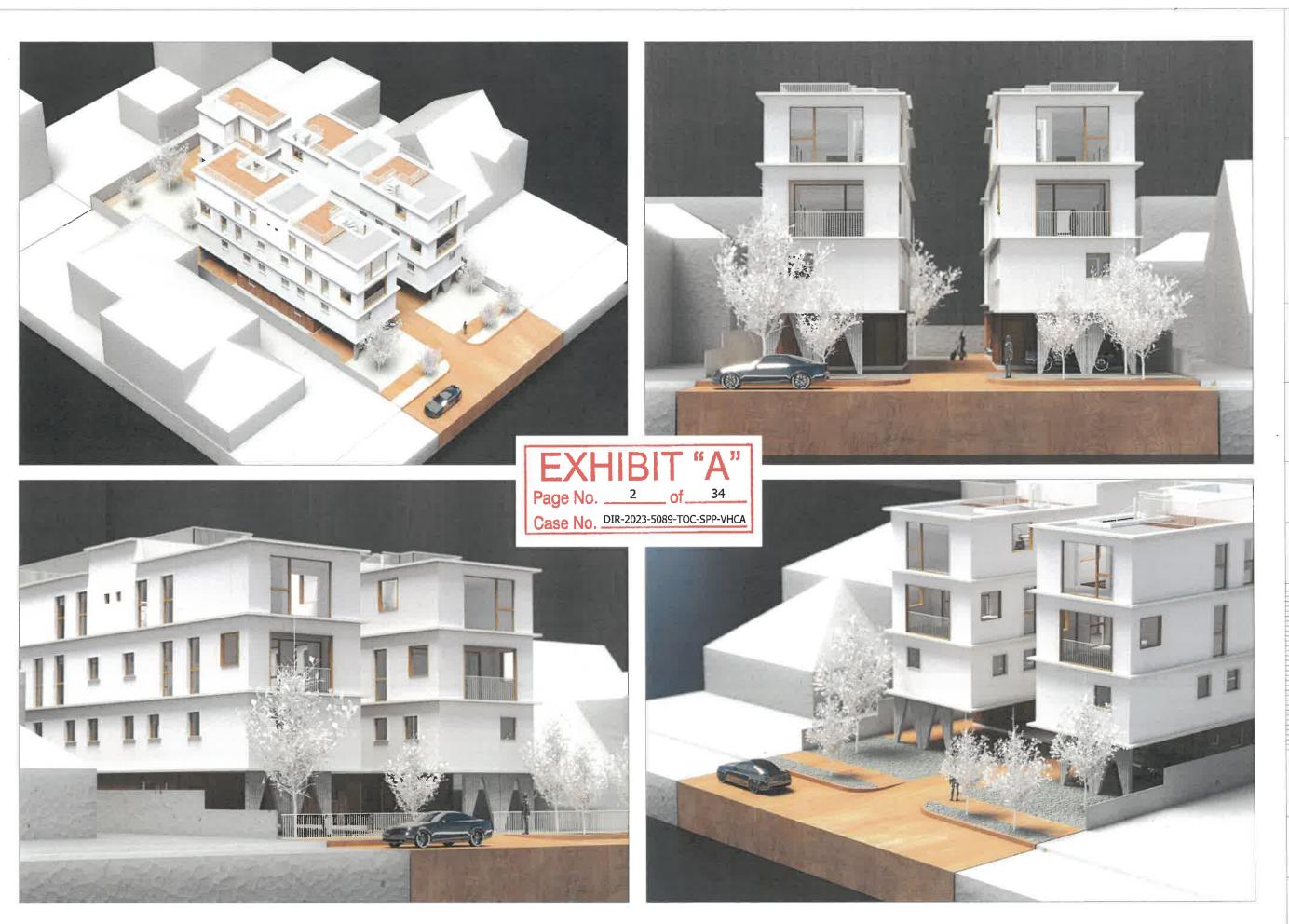
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LEVEL 01	1,311 SF
LEVEL 02	1,236 SF
LEVEL 03	1.236 SF
LEVEL 04	1.040 SF
BUILDING B TOTAL	4,823 SF
BUILDING C (SFR):	
LEVEL 01	462 SF
LEVEL 02	456 SF
LEVEL 03	318 SF
BUILDING C TOTAL	1,236 SF
SITE TOTAL CBC BUILDING AREA	10,333 SF
GROSS FOOTPRINT AREAS	

BUILDING A:	
LEVEL 01	1,218 SF
LEVEL 02	1,218 SF
LEVEL 03	1,218 SF
LEVEL 04	1,063 SF
BUILDING A TOTAL	4,717 SF
BUILDING B	
LEVEL 01	1,355 SF
LEVEL 02	1,355 SF
LEVEL 03	1,355 SF
LEVEL 04	1,165 SF
BUILDING B TOTAL	5,420 SF
BUILDING C	
LEVEL 01	512 SF
LEVEL 02	512 SF
LEVEL 03	512 SF
BUILDING C TOTAL	1,536 SF
SITE TOTAL GROSS FA	11,493 SF

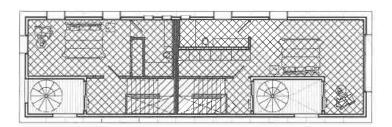


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-	OVERVIEW SITE PLAN LEVEL 02	· · · · ·
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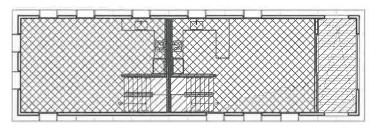
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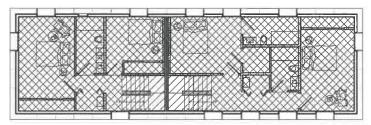
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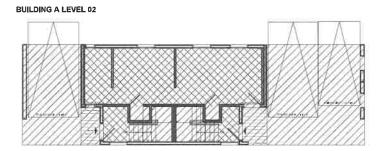


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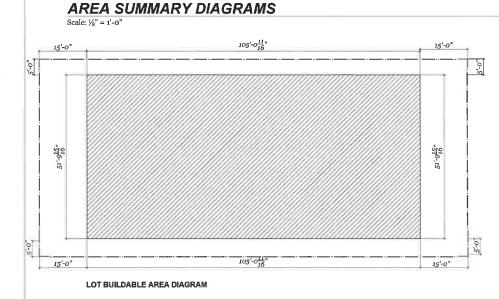


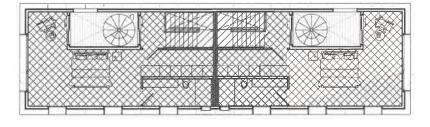
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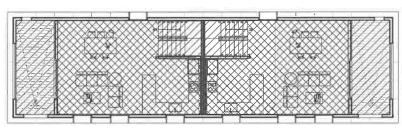


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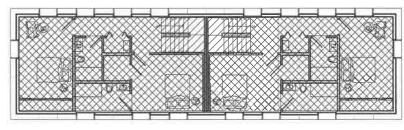




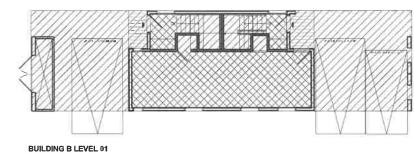
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# **GROSS FOOTPRINT AREAS** BUILDING A: LEVEL 01 LEVEL 02 LEVEL 03 1,218 SF 1,218 SF 1,218 SF 1,063 SF 4,717 SF LEVEL 04 BUILDING A TOTAL BUILDING B LEVEL 01 LEVEL 02 LEVEL 03 1,355 SF 1,355 SF 1,355 SF 1,175 SF **5,240 SF** LEVEL 04 BUILDING B TOTAL

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BUILDING C	
LEVEL 01	512 SF
LEVEL 02	512 SF
LEVEL 03	512 SF
BUILDING C TOTAL	1,536 SF

#### SITE TOTAL GROSS FA 11,493 SF

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BUILDING A:	
LEVEL 01	423 SF
LEVEL 02	999 SF
LEVEL 03	851 SF
LEVEL 04	812 SF
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BUILDING B	
LEVEL 01	420 SF
LEVEL 02	1,127 SF
LEVEL 03	840 SF
LEVEL 04	919 SF
BUILDING B TOTAL	3,308 SF
BUILDING C	
LEVEL 01	396 SF
LEVEL 02	404 SF
LEVEL 03	279 \$F
BUILDING C TOTAL	1,079 SF

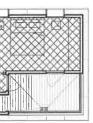
#### SITE TOTAL FLOOR AREA 7,472 SF

# ALLOWABLE AREAS

LOT AREA	8,412 sq
BUILDABLE AREA (SEE DIAGRAM)	5,444 sq
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ALLOWABLE FLOOR AREA FOR SITE	16,332 so







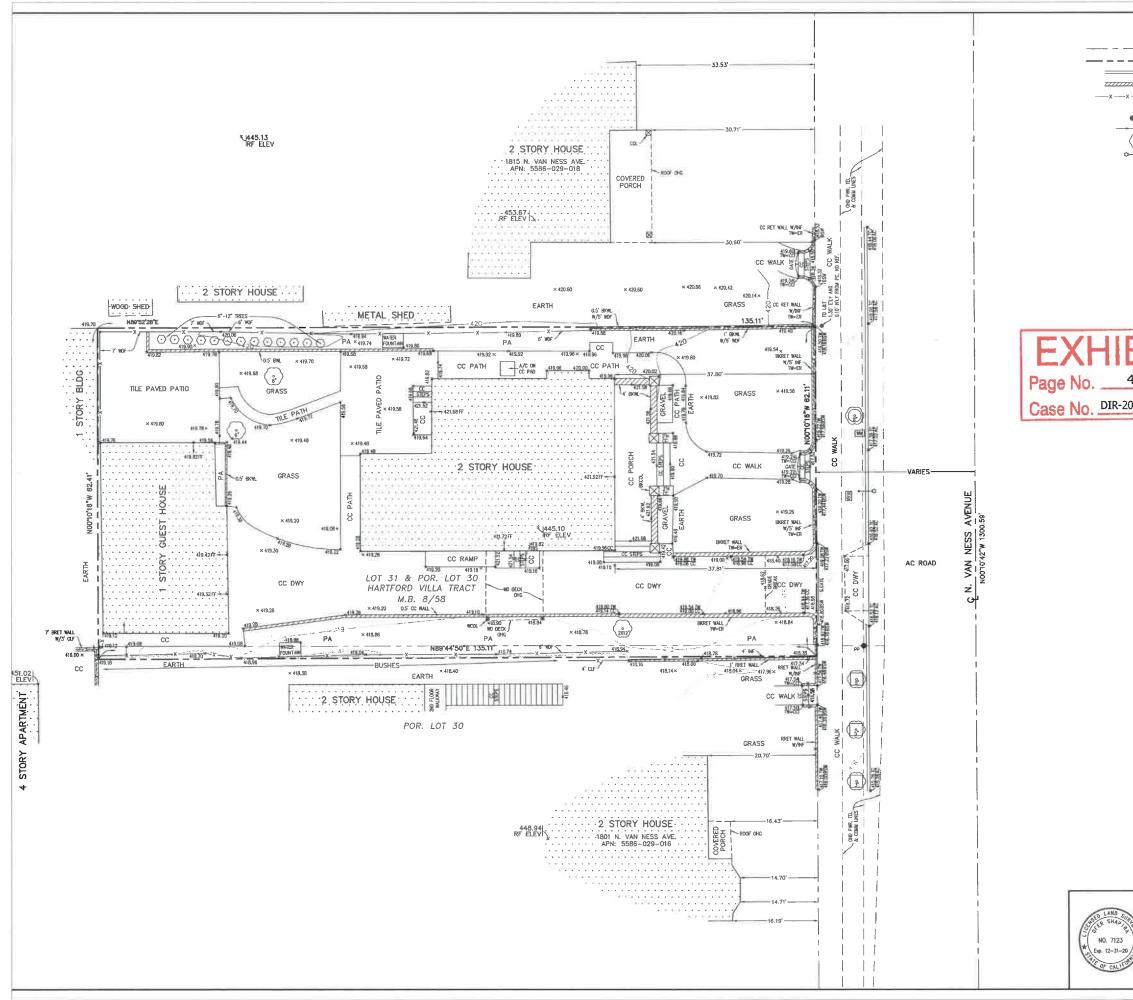




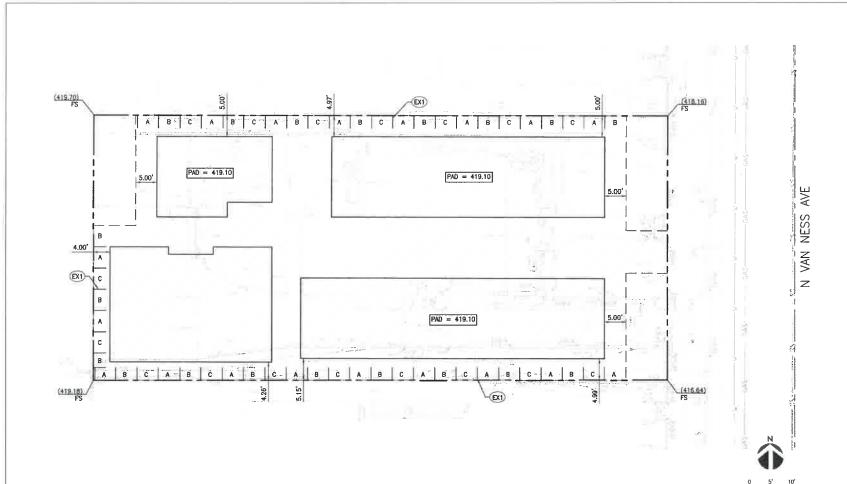
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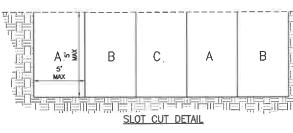
#### EXCAVATION NOTES

EX1) A-B-C SLOT CUT PER DETAIL 1, HEREON.

## NOTES

1. ROUGH GRADE ASSUMES PAD IS 6" BELOW FINISH FLOOR. SEE ARCHITECTURAL PLANS AND STRUCTURAL PLANS FOR FINAL ELEVATIONS AND FOUNDATION DETAILS.

 ALL OVEREXCAVATION PROCEDURES SHALL ADHERE TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS PROVIDED IN THE PROJECT GEOTECHNICAL REPORT.



## NOTES:

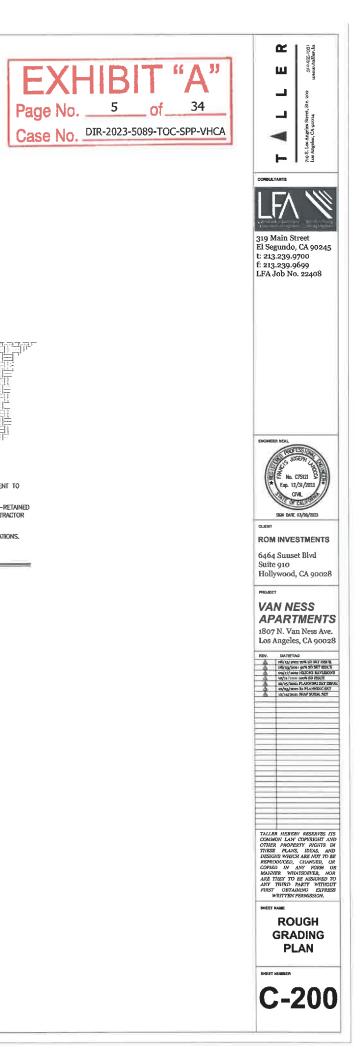
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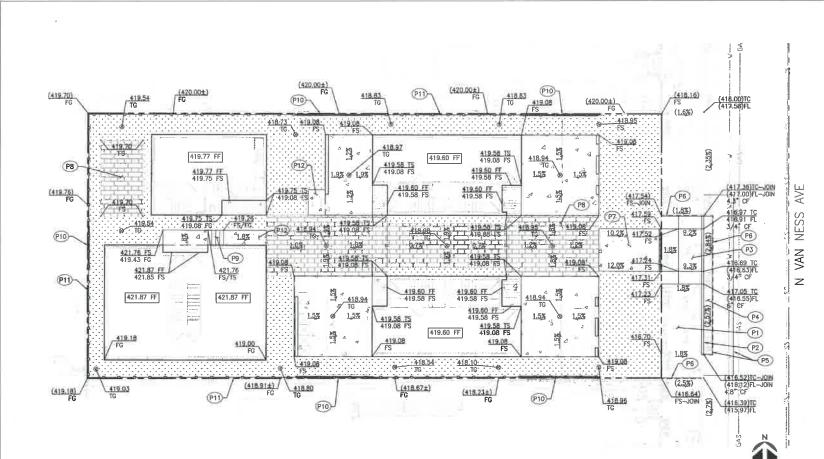
1. TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC PLEASE PROVIDE PROTECTIVE MEASURES ALONG THE ROW ADJACENE TO SLOT CUTS AND TEMPORARY EXCAVATIONS.

 IF ANY ADJACENT ROW STRUCTURES AND SUB-STRUCTURES ARE DAMAGED DO TO THE UN-RETAINED SOILS FROM THE SLOT CUTS AND TEMPORARY EXCAVATIONS, THE DEVELOPING OWNER/CONTRACTOR WILL NEED TO REPAIR IT AT NO COST TO THE CITY.

3. STOCKPILING OF EXCAVATED MATERIAL SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED ADJACENT TO OPEN EXCAVATIONS.

A-B-C SLOT CUT





# LEGEND

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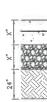
## CONSTRUCTION NOTES

- (P1) CONCRETE WALK PER CITY OF LA. STD. PLAN NO. S-444-0 UNDER SEPARATE
- (P2) TYPE A CONCRETE CURB PER CITY OF LA. STD. PLAN NO. S-410-2 UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT.
- (P4) FULL DEPTH AC PAVEMENT REPLACEMENT UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT. 1=4\*.
- (P5) COLDPLANE (WILL) EXISTING AC PAVEMENT AND INFILL WITH NEW AC PAVEMENT UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT, t=2" MIN.
- (P6) SAWCUT UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT.
- (P7) CONCRETE PAVEMENT PER DETAIL 1, HEREON.
- (PB) PERMEABLE PAVERS PER LANDSCAPE PLANS.
- (P9) STARS PER ARCHITECTURAL PLANS. 5 RISERS AT 6".
- (P10) WALL PER ARCHITECTURAL PLANS.
- (P11) FENCE PER ARCHITECTURAL PLANS.
- (P12) CONCRETE WALK PER DETAIL 2, HEREON.

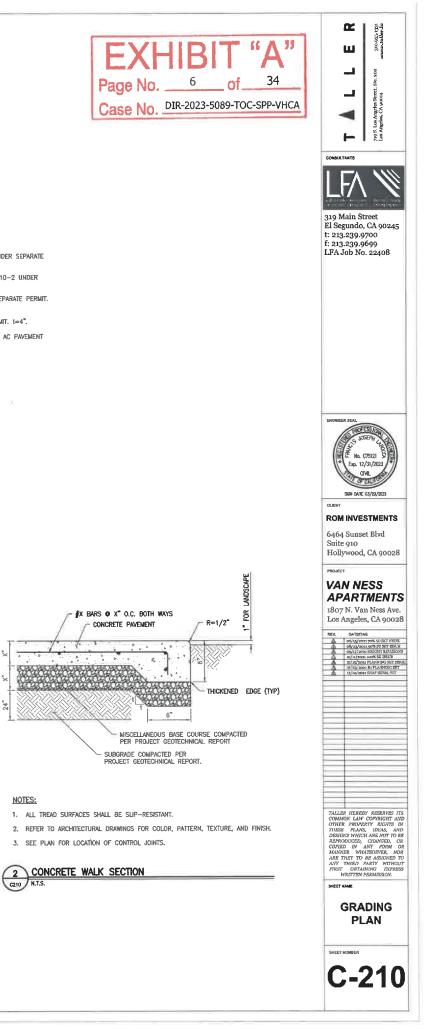
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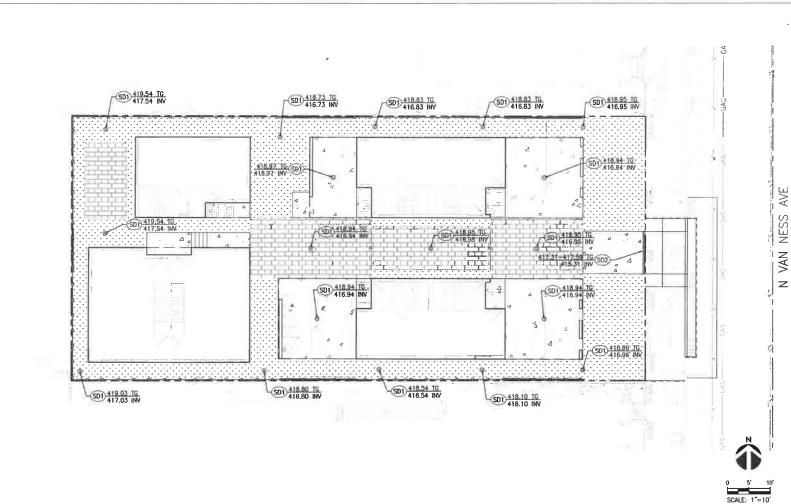
- 3. SEE PLAN FOR LOCATION OF CONTROL JOINTS.
- 1 REINFORCED CONCRETE PAVEMENT C210 N.T.S.

SCALE: 1"=10



# NOTES:





#### Low Impact Development (LID) Post Construction Stormwater Mitigation Best Management Practices (BMPs)



#### STORMWATER BMP(s) VERIFICATION

Upon installation of the approved stormwater BMPs, a Stormwater Observation Report (SOR) Form shall be submitted to Department of Public Works, Bureau of Sanitation. 201 N. Figueroa, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, station 18. The SOR Form must be with filed and approved by the Bureau of Sanitation prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.

Project Address: 1807 N. VAN NESS AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

ltem #	Stormwater BMP	Description (Units, tot		Reference Sheet(s)* (Sheet #)
1.	Rain Tank(s) - 55 to 130 gal each			
2	Rain Tank(s) - > 130 gal min			
3	Shade Tree - min 15 gal			
4	Flow thru Planter(s)			
6	Permeable pavers / Porous concrete	Incidental;	total SF	
3	(min 10% open space)	Infiltration;	total SF	
6 Rain Garden	[] # Lined;	total SF		
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7	Dry Well			
8	SUMP Putting (modification was not implified)			

#### ALL OTHER DEVELOPMENT

	ltem #	Stormwater BMP	Description (Units, total)	Reference Sheet(s)* (Sheet #)
5	1	Infiltration Basin / Trench		
Infiltration	2	Dry Well		
Inal	3	Permeable pavers / Porous concrete (min 10% open space)	□ Incidental;total SF □ Infiltration:total SF	
2.	4	Rain Tank(s) ~ 530 gal min		1
Capture & Use	5	Cistem	Above Grade Below Grade	
ę.	6	Flow thru Planter(s)		
Discharge	7	Biofiltration	□ # Lined; total SF □ # Unlined; total SF	
	8	Vegetative Swate / Filter Strip		
1	9	Catch Basin Filter(s)		
Treat &	10	Trench Drain Filter(s)		
	11	Down Spout Filter(s)		
	12	SUMP Pump (modification was not required)		

\* At a minimum: Site Plan, Architectural Elevations, Roof Plan, Civil Sheets and Detail

#### STORMWATER OBSERVATION REPORT FORM - LANDER DO (Residential ≥ 5 units & All other Development)

#### LOW IMPACT DEVELOPMENT

IN THE EVENT THAT THE APPROVED STORMWATER BMP CANNOT BE BUILT PER PLANS (OR ANY MODIFICATION, CONSULT WITH BUREAU OF SANITATION STAFF PRIOR TO ANY PLAN MODIFICATIONS. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY DELAY OBTAINING A FINAL APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY (C OF 0).

STORMWATER OBSERVATION means the visual observation of the stormwater related Best Management Practices (BMPs) for conformance with the approved IJD Plan at significant construction stages and at completion of the project. Stormwater observation does not include or waive the responsibility for the inspections required by Section 108 or other sections of the City of Los Angeles Building Code,

STORMWATER OBSERVATION <u>must</u> be performed by the engineer or architect responsible for the approved LID Plan or designated staff in their employment. <u>As part of the observation, provide photos of the</u> <u>BMPs taken during various construction phases.</u>

STORMWATER OBSERVATION REPORT must be signed and stamped (see below) by the engineer or architect responsible for the approved LID Plan and submitted to the city <u>prior</u> to the issuance to the certificate of occupancy. <u>PRIOR TO CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY (C of 0)</u>, SOR FORM, PRINTED PHOTOS OF THE BMPS TAKEN DURING VARIOUS CONSTRUCTION PHASES AND APPROVED STAMPED PLANS BY THE BUREAU OF SANITATION MUST BE SUMMITTED TO THE PUBLIC COUNTER FOR STAFF APPROVAL.

Project Address:		Building Permit No.:						
1807 N. VAN LOS ANGELES		XXXX-XXXXX-XXXXX						
Name of Engineer/Architect res	ponsible for the approved	Phone Number:						
LTD Plan: FRANK LARO	CA. P.F.	213.239.9700 X150						
List all BMPs installed as par		tes of the most significant	(or typical) BMPs:					
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I DECLARE THAT THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE:

1.1 am the engineer or architect responsible for the approved LID Plan,

and; 2. I, or designated staff under my responsible charge, has preformed the required site visits at each significant construction stage and at the completion to verify that the Best Management Practices (BMPs) as shown on approved plans have been constructed and installed in accordance with the approved LID Plan.

Date

Signature

# **LEGEND**

\_\_\_\_ PROPERTY LINE CONCRETE PAVEMENT 4 ONGRADE PAD PER STRUCTURAL PLANS OFFSITE CONCRETE UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT OFFSIDE AC PAVEMENT UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT LANDSCAPE PER LANDSCAPE PLANS ririri) PERMEARLE PAVERS PER LANDSCAPE PLANS € AREA DRAIN, SEE SHEET C-300

## STORM DRAIN CONSTRUCTION NOTES

- (SD1) 6" AREA DRAIN BY NDS OR APPROVED FOULAL.
- (SD2) 3" TRENCH DRAIN BY NDS (PRO SERIES CHANNEL DRAIN) OR APPROVED EQUAL.
- (SD3) PVC STORM DRAIN PIPE.
- (SD4) PVC STORM DRAIN OVERFLOW PIPE.

(SD5) CURB DRAIN PER APWA STD. PLAN 150-4.

### BMP NOTES

1. ANY CHANGES (TYPE, SIZE, LOCATION) TO APPROVED STORMWATER BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE(S) (BMPS) MUST OBTAIN WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, BUREAU OF SANITATION PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OF BMP(S).

PROJECT SITE CHARACTERISTICS					
	QUANTITIES				
TOTAL SITE AREA (S.F.)	6,412				
total tributary area (s.f.)	8,412				
IMPERVIOUS AREA (S.F.)	4,406				
PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	52%				
85TH PERCENTILE RAINFALL (IN.)	1.0				
SWQDy (C.F.)	359				

## LID OPTIONS

1. INFILTRATION NO INFILTRATION RATE PROVIDED IN SOILS REPORT.

- CAPTURE AND USE CISTERN 2,685 GAL CISTERN. 4,000 UNL CUSTEME. 880 SO-FT OF LANDSCAPE WITH A PLANT FACTOR (PP) OF AT LEAST 0.3 WILL REQUIRE IRRIGATION. THE IRRIGATION CROSS CONNECTION WILL REQUIRE PUBLIC HEALTH APPROVAL.
- 3. CAPTURE AND USE PERMAVOID 470 SQ-FT OF PLANTING AREA REQUIRED WITH A PF OF AT LEAST 0.34 OR 365 SQ-FT OF PLANTING AREA REQUIRED WITH A PF OF AT LEAST 0.44.

Wet Stamp of Engineer or Architect

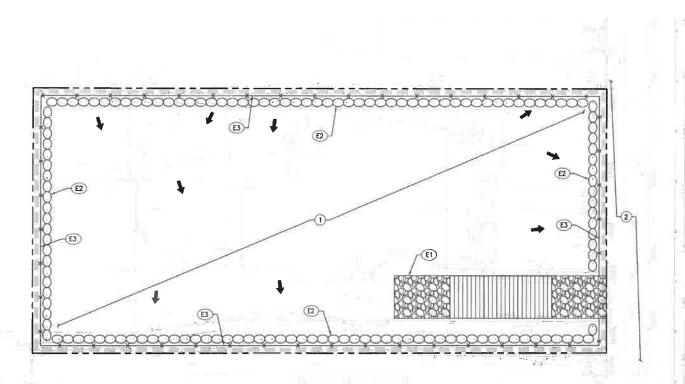
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\_ F 719.2 CONSULTANTS 319 Main Street El Segundo, CA 90245 t: 213.239.9700 f: 213.239.9699 LFA Job No. 22408 12/31/2 SIGN DATE 03/20/202 ROM INVESTMENTS 6464 Sunset Blvd Suite 910 Hollywood, CA 90028 PROJECT VAN NESS **APARTMENTS** 1807 N. Van Ness Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90028 08/10/2013 YOK SD SET 1381 D6/20/2003 YOK SD SET 1381 06/20/2003 YOK SD SEU 00/17/2023 HERVISE 00/15/2003 PLANNING SET 10/15/2003 PLANNING SET 12/14/2003 SPLAP SUBM. SET 12/14/2003 SPLAP SUBM. SET LAW COI CEPRODUCED, CHANGED, COPIED IN ANY FORM THEY TO BE ASS WRITTEN LOW IMPACT DEVELOPMENT PLAN SHEET MUMBER **C-300** 

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#### EROSION CONTROL NOTES

- 1. TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL DEVICES SHOWN ON THE GRADING PLAN WHICH INTERFERE WITH THE WORK SHALL BE RELOCATED OR MODIFIED AS AND WHEN THE INSPECTOR SO DIRECTS AS THE WORK PROGRESSES TO MEET "AS GRADED" CONDITIONS.
- ALL LOOSE SOIL AND DEBRIS SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE STREET AREAS UPON STARTING OPERATIONS AND PERIODICALLY THEREAFTER AS DIRECTED BY THE INSPECTOR
- 3. WHEN THE INSPECTOR SO DIRECTS, A 12-INCH BERM SHALL BE MAINTAINED ALONG THE TOP OF THE SLOPE OF THOSE FILLS ON WHICH GRADING IS NOT IN PROGRESS.
- 4. STORM AND SEWER DRAIN TRENCHES THAT ARE CUT THROUGH BASIN DIKES OR BASIN INLET DIKES SHALL BE PLUGGED WITH SANDBAGS.
- 5. EXCEPT WHEN THE INSPECTOR DIRECTS OTHERWISE, ALL DEVICES SHOWN SHALL BE IN PLACE AT THE END OF EACH WORKING DAY WHEN RAIN IS FORECAST, AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED DURING THE RAINY SEASON (OCTOBER 15 TO APRIL 15).
- SANDBAGS SHALL BE STOCKPILED ON SITE, READY TO BE PLACED IN POSITION WHEN RAIN IS FORECAST, OR WHEN THE INSPECTOR SO DIRECTS.
- 7. A "STANDBY EMERGENCY CREW" SHALL BE ALERTED BY THE PERMITTEE OR THE CONTRACTOR TO PERFORM EMERGENCY WORK DURING RAINSTORMS. THE PARTY TO BE CONTACTED IS: \_\_\_\_ (TO BE FILLED IN BY CONTRACTOR) NAME: PHONE NUMBER:

#### BMP NOTES

THE FOLLOWING BMPS AS OUTLINED IN, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE HANDBOOK, CALIFORNIA STORMMATER OUALITY TASK FORCE, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, JULY 2012, MAY APPLY DURING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS PROJECT (ADDITIONAL MEASURES MAY BE REQUIRED IF DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY CITY INSPECTORS): EROSION CONTROL WIND EROSION CONTROL

WE1-WIND EROSION CONTROL

NON-STORNWATER MANAGEMENT

NS5-CLEAR WATER DIVERSION

NS1-WATER CONSERVATION PRACTICES

NS2-DEWATERING OPERATIONS NS3-PAVING AND GRINDING OPERATIONS NS4-TEMPORARY STREAM CROSSING

NSB-LLICHT CONINECTION/DISCHARGE NST-POTABLE WATER/IRRIGATION NSB-VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT CLEANING NSI-VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT NUTURE NSIO-VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT NUTURENANCE NSIO-VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT NUTURENANCE NSIO-CONCRETE CURING NSIO-CONCRETE CURING NSIO-CONCRETE FINISHING NSIO-CONCRETE FINISHING NSIO-CONCRETE FINISHING NSIO-CONCRETE CURICALENT O WATER NSIO-CONCRETE AUTOR

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WASTE MANAGEMENT & MATERIALS POLLUTION CONTROL

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#### TEMPORARY SEDIMENT CONTROL

IEMPORATE SECONDARY CONTINUE SEI-SILT FENCE SE2-SEDMENT BASIN SE3-SEDMENT TRAP SE4-CHECK DAM SE5-FIBER ROLLS SE6-GRAVEL BAG BERM SE7-STREET SWEEPING AND VACUUMING SE7-SITREET SWEEPING AND VACUUMING SE3-SITRAW BALE BARRIER SE3-SITRAW BALE BARRIER SE10-SITRAW DRAIN INLET PROTECTION SE11-ACTIVE TREATMENT SYSTEMS SE12-MANUFACTURED LINEAR SEDIMENT CONTROLS SE13-COMPOST SOCKS AND BERMS SE14-BIOFILTER BAGS

EQUIPMENT TRACKING CONTROL

TC1-STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE/EXIT TC2-STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ROADWAY TC3-ENTRANCE/OUTLET TIRE WASH

#### DUST CONTROL NOTES

- DUST SHALL BE CONTROLLED BY WATERING AND/OR APPLYING A DUST PALLIATIVE THE DUST PALLIATIVE SHALL BE APPLIED IN THE AMOUNT AT THE LOCATIONS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 2. WATER FOR DUST CONTROL SHALL BE APPLIED BY MEANS OF PRESSURE TYPE DISTRIBUTORS OR PIPE LINES EQUIPPED WITH A SPRAY SYSTEM OR HOSES WITH NOZZLES THAT WILL INSURE A UNFORM APPLICATION OF WATER.
- 3. UNLESS WATER IS APPLIED BY MEANS OF PIPE LINES, AT LEAST ONE WOBLE UNIT WITH A MINIMUM CAPACITY OF 100 GALLONS SHALL BE AVAILABLE FOR APPLYING
- ALL SOIL MATERIALS OR DEBRIS TRUCKED FROM THE SITE SHALL BE COVERED AND SPRINKLED PRIOR TO ENTERING PUBLIC STREETS.
- 5. PROVIDE FOR WET SUPPRESSION OR CHEMICAL STABILIZING OF EXPOSED SOILS.
- 6. PROVIDE FOR RAPID CLEAN-UP OF SEDIMENTS DEPOSITED ON THE PAVED ROADS
- LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF AREAS DISTURBED BY CLEARING & EARTH MOVING OPERATIONS BY SCHEDULING THESE ACTIVITIES IN PHASES.

### GENERAL DEMOLITION NOTES

- 1. CONTRACTOR TO CLEAR PROJECT SITE AREA WITHIN THE CONFINES OF THE DEMOLTION LIMIT LINE THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DEMOLTION LIMIT RECOMMENSION THE DEMOLTION LIMIT LINE THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DEMOLSH AND REMOVE FROM THE SITE ALL EXISTING UTILITIES, STRUCTURES, PLANTERS, TREES, AND ALL OTHER SITE FEATURES, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON THE PLAN.
- 2. REMOVAL OF LANDSCAPING SHALL INCLUDE ROOTS AND ORGANIC MATERIALS.
- 3. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING ANY AND ALL PERMITS AND SHALL PAY ALL FEES NECESSARY FOR ENCROACHMENT, GRADING, DEMOLITION AND DISPOSAL OF SAID MATERIALS AS REQUIRED BY PRIVATE, LOCAL AND STATE INDERCEMPS. JURISDICTIONS
- 4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR A SITE INSPECTION TO FULLY ACKNOWLEDGE THE EXTENT OF THE DEMOLITION WORK.
- 5. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY AND LOCATE ALL EXISTING ABOVE AND INDERGRAUND UTLITTES. LOCATIONS SHOWN ON THE PLANS ARE APPROXIMATE AND ARE SHOWN FOR GENERAL INFORMATION ONLY.
- 6. DAMAGE TO ANY EXISTING UTILITIES AND SERVICES TO REMAIN SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR SHALL REPAIR AND/OR REPLACE IN KIND.
- EROSION CONTROL MEASURES SHALL BE IMPLEMENTED TO PREVENT DEBRIS AND UNSUIT/BLE MATERIALS FROM ENTERING STORM DRAINS, SANITARY SEWERS AND STREETS.
- 8. DUST CONTROL SHALL BE IMPLEMENTED DURING DEMOLITION.
- 9. DEMOLITION IS LIMITED TO WITHIN DEMOLITION LIMIT LINE UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
- 10. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THE LOCATION AND QUANTITY OF EXISTING SURFACE STRUCTURES AND SHALL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY UNDENTIFIED UTILITIES, IMPROVEMENTS, TREES, ETC. TO BE DEMOLSHED AND REMOVED WITHIN THE DEMOLITION LIMIT LINE, INCLUDING APPURTEMANT FOUNDATIONS OR SUPPORTS.
- 11. DEMOLITION CALLOUTS IN THIS SECTION ARE REPRESENTATIVE OF WHAT IS TO BE DONE, NOT AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING FOR EACH PIPE, ACTCH BASIN, MANHOLE, VAULT, ETC. THAT IS TO BE DEMOLSHED, REMOVED AND DISPOSED OF.

## **LEGEND**

LIMIT LINE OF EROSION CONTROL ----- PROPERTY LINE 000000 GRAVEL BAGS CONSTRUCTION FENCE

#### EROSION CONTROL NOTES

- E1 POSSIBLE STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE LOCATIONS PER DETAIL 1, HEREON.
- E2 PLACE GRAVEL BAG BARRIER, TRIPLE ROW PER DETAIL 2, HEREON.
- E3 INSTALL TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION FENCE PER PLAN.

#### DEMOLITION NOTES

- REMOVE & DEMOLISH
- (1) SEE GENERAL DEMOLITION NOTES HEREON.
- (2) WORK WITHIN THE PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY TO BE PERFORMED UNDER SEPARATE PERMIT.

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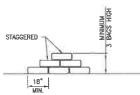
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#### NOTES:

# STREET MAINTENANCE NOTES



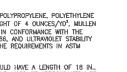


NOTES:

- 1. BAG MATERIAL: BAGS SHOULD BE WOVEN POLYPROPYLENE, POLYETHYLENE HAG MATERIAL BASS SHOULD BE WOVEN POLTPROPTIENE, POLTFINTLENE OC POLYMANDE FABRIC, MINIMUM UNIT WEIGHT OF 4 UNICES/VP. MULLEN BURST STRENGTH EXCEEDING 300 LB/N° IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS IN ASTN DESIGNATION D3788, AND ULTRAMOLET STABILTY EXCEEDING 70% IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS IN ASTM DESIGNATION D4355.
- BAG SIZE: EACH GRAVEL-FILLED BAG SHOULD HAVE A LENGTH OF 18 IN., WIDTH OF 12 IN., THICKNESS OF 3 IN., AND MASS OF APPROXIMATELY 33 LBS, BAG DIMENSIONS ARE NOMINAL, AND MAY VARY BASED ON LOCALLY WHILE LATERIAL LATERIAL. AVAILABLE MATERIALS
- FILL MATERIAL: FILL, MATERIAL SHALL, BE 0.5 TO 1.0 INCH CRUSHED ROCK, CLEAN AND FREE OF CLAY, ORGANIC MATTER, AND OTHER DELETERIOUS MATERIAL, OR OTHER SUITABLE OPEN-GRADED, NON-COHESIVE, POROUS OTHER
- 4. TURN THE ENDS OF GRAVEL BAG BARRIER UP SLOPE TO PREVENT RUNOFF FROM GOING AROUND BARRIER.
- 5. USE PYRAMID APPROACH WHEN STACKING BAGS.

SCALE: 1"=10





#### STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE

PAVEMENT WASHING WITH WATER IS PROHIBITED IF IT RESULTS IN A DISCHARGE TO THE STORM DRAIN SYSTEM

SWEEP PAVED AREAS THAT RECEIVE CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC WHENEVER SEDIMENT BECOMES VISIBLE.

1. REMOVE ALL SEDIMENT DEPOSITED ON PAVED ROADWAYS IMMEDIATELY.

ALL VEHICLES ACCESSING THE CONSTRUCTION SITE SHALL UTILIZE THE STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE.

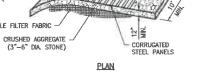
3. IF A WASH RACK IS INCLUDED, A SEDIMENT TRAP OF SOME KIND MUST ALSO BE PROVIDED TO COLLECT WASH WATER RUNOFF.

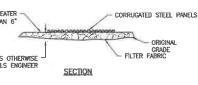
STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE SHALL BE LOCATED AT ANY POINT WHERE TRAFFIC WILL BE ENTERING OR LEAVING A CONSTRUCTION SITE OR FROM A PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY, STREET, ALLEY, AND SIDEWALK OR PARKING AREA.

THE CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE ROADWAYS SHALL BE STABILIZED SO AS TO PREVENT SEDMENTS FROM BEING DEPOSITED INTO THE PUBLIC ROADS, DEPOSITIONS MUST BE SWEPT UP IMMEDIATELY AND MAY NOT BE WASHED DOWN BY KAIN OR OTHER MEMON INTO THE STORM DRAIN SYSTEM.



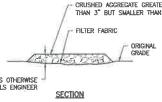


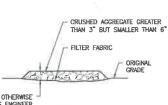




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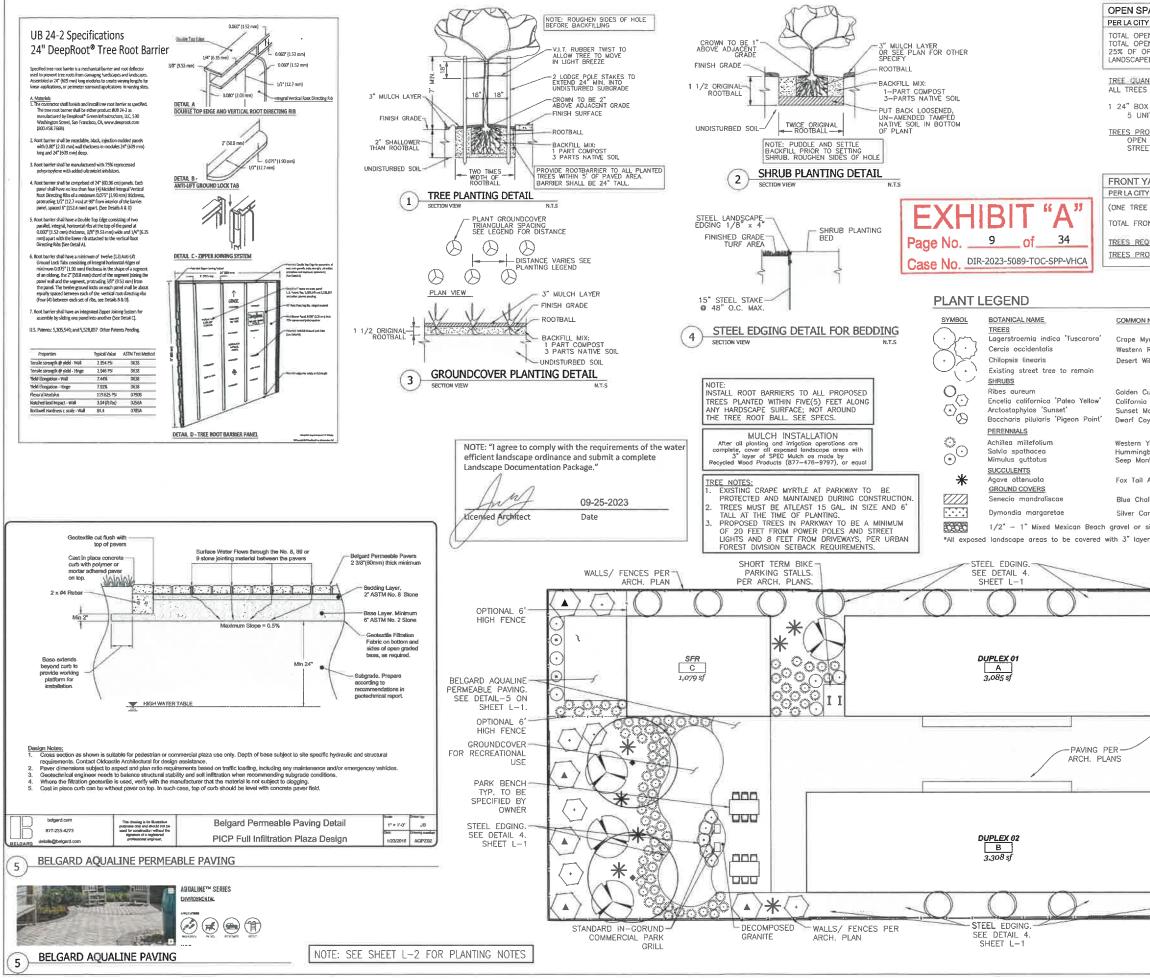
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#### GENERAL IRRIGATION NOTES

- It is the responsibility of the irrigation Contractor to familiarize himself with all grade differences, location of wall, retaining walls, structures and utilities. The Contractor shall repair or replace, at no additional cost to the owner, all items damaged by his work. The Contractor shall coordinate his work with other contractors for the location and installation of pipe sleeves and laterals through walls, under roadways and paving, etc.
- The Contractor shall not willfully install the irrigation system can be a shown on the drawings when it is obvious in the field that unknown obstructions, grade differences, or differences in the area dimension exist that might not have been addressed in the design of the irrigation system. Such obstructions or differences shall be brought to the attention of the Owner's authorized representative. In the event this notification is not performed, the Contractor shall assume full responsibility for any necessary alterations to the work.
- The Contractor shall obtain, coordinate, and pay for any and all inspections as required
- The Contractor shall be responsible and liable for any encroachment into adjacent property, R.O.W.'s easements setbacks or any other legal property restrictions either marked or unmarked.
- 5. The irrigation system design is based on a minimum operation pressure of 40 PSI and a maximum flow demand of 10.0 GPM. The Contractor shall verify water pressure prior to construction. Report any difference between the water pressure indicated on the drowings and the actual pressure reading at the irrigation point of connection to the Landscope Architect.
- This design is diagrammatic. All piping, valves, etc., shown within paved areas is for design clarification only and shall be installed in planting areas wherever possible. The Contractor shall locate all valves in shrub or groundcover
- . Tranching within the dripline of large existing trees shall be performed by hand, and with extreme care not to sever roots  $1-1/2^n$  in diameter and larger are encountered, the Contractor shall tunnel under said roots. Exposed roots that have been tunneled under shall be wropped in wet buriap and kept moist while the trench is open.
- 8. All Main line piping, lateral line piping, and control wires under all paving shall be installed in Schedule 40 PVC sleeves at a minimum depth of 18". Sleeves shall be installed before paving is in place. All sleeve sized shall be a minimum of twice the diameter of the pipe to be sleeved. Cantrol wire sleeves shall be a sufficient size for the required number of wires under paving. wires under pavina.
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  9. Pipe sizes shall conform to those shown on the drawings. No substitutions of smaller pipe sizes shall be permitted, but substitutions of larger sizes may be approved. All damaged and rejected pipe shall be removed from the site at the time of said rejection.
  10. The Contractor shall flush and adjust all drip tubing, and valves for optimum coverage with minimal misting and/or over spray and walks, streats, walls, etc. Substitution of nozzle pottern or radius as required to achieve optimum coverage is responsibility of contractor.
- All irrigation equipment not otherwise detailed or specified shall be installed as per manufacturer's recommendations and specifications.
- 12. Drip tubing shall be installed in parallel rows (wherever possible) 18" apart on top the finish grade (unless stated otherwise on plan OR irrigation legend) and covered with 3" of specify groundcover material- see planting plan. Emitter spacing of adjacent rows staggered. Tubing shall be firmly staked in place with U-staples at 5' on center (24" on center around tight curves). In steeply sloped areas, install tubing rows perpendicular to the direction of the slope. Install flush valves at the circuit's major low points (verify in field). Install flush valves in 6° volve boxes. Drip irrigation tubing shall be connected to Schedule 40 PVC supply line and exhaust manifolds where indicated on the plans.
- 13. 120 VAC electrical power source at controller location shall be provided by Electrician or General Contractor. The Contractor shall make the final connection from the electrical source to the controller.
- 14. Pressure test Mainline at 150 PSI per three(3) hours constant.

#### PLANTING NOTES

- 7. Contractor shall review plans, verify site conditions and plant quantities prior to installation. Contractor shall take sole responsibility for any cost incurred due to damage of existing utilities. Plant material quantities are listed for the convenience of the Contractor. Actual number of symbols shall have priority over quantity designated. Conflicts between the Owner and these plans or within these plans shall be brought to the attention of the Landscape Architect prior to landscape installation. Any deviation(s) from the plans or coefficience will exercise unities encound from the plans or coefficience will exercise the device plant. Architect prior to langscape installation. Any deviation(s) from the plans of specifications will require written approval from the Owner and/or Landscape Architect. The Contractor shall assume full responsibility for all necessary revisions due to failure to give such notification. The Contractor shall maintain a qualified supervisor on the site at all limes during construction through completion of pick-up work. The Contractor shall receive site graded within 0.10 foot of finish grade.
- 2.
- Commencement of work indicates Contractor's acceptance of existing grades and conditions. Final grades shall be adjusted by Contractor as directed by Owner's representative. All grading shall be completed prior to commencement
- of planting operation. The Contractor shall furnish and pay for all container grown trees, shrubs, nice conductor in the pay to an obstance grown because a single vines, seeded sodded turf, hydromulches, and flatted groundcovers. The Cantractor shall also be responsible for and pay for planting, statisfing, and guarantee of all plant materials. See planting details for planting and

- guarantee of all plant materials. See planting attalis for planting and staking/guying requirements.
  5. The Landscope Architect and/or Owner shall approve plant material placement by Contractor prior to installation.
  6. Fertilizer for all planting areas shall be a slow-release, high-mitrogen fertilizer incorporated into the soil during planting.
  7. For areas to be landscaped and irrigated, the following amendments shall be uniformly broadcast and thoroughly incorporated 6° deep by means of a rotatiller or equal.
- rototiller or equal.
  mount per 1000 square feet
  4 cu, yds. nitragen stabilized organic compost
  50 pounds agricultural gypsum
  8. The planting pits for tress shall be dug twice the diameter of the root ball and two inches shallower than the rootball. Planting pits for strubs and perennials shall be dug twice the original root ball width, and one--ond--an-half times as deep as the rootball. Planting pits for groundcovers shall be dug one--and-a-half times the original root ball size in all directions.
- in all directions. 9. The Landscape Contractor shall maintain all planted areas shown on the plans, including (but not limited to) watering, pruning, edging, and mowing, for a period of thirty  $\left( 30\right)$  days after completion of project and acceptance by
- Owner. 10. The Landscape Contractor shall warranty and replace any plant material that shows signs of lack of vigor ar other unhealthful appearance within ninety (30) days of completion of contract. Trees that have been tapped or otherwise improperly pruned by the Contractor shall be removed and replaced by the Contractor at no cost to the Owner.

GENERAL NOTES

- A minimum 3-inch layer of mulch shall be applied on all exposed soil surfaces of planting areas except turf areas, creeping or rooting ground covers, or direct seeding optications where mulch is contrainfacted.<sup>4</sup>
- 2. A Certificate of Completion shall be filled out and certified by either the designer of the landscape plans, irrigation plans, or the licensed landscape architect for the project".
- 3. For soil amendments see 'Planting Notes', #7.
- HOLD HARMLESS & INDEMNIFICATION CLAUSE

CONTRACTOR AGREES TO ASSUME SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR JOB SITE CONDITIONS DURING THE COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION OF THIS PROJECT, INCLUDING SAFETY OF ALL PERSONS AND PROPERTY, THAT THIS REQUIREMENT SHALL APPLY CONTINUOUSLY AND NOT BE LIMITED TO NORMAL WORKING HOURS, AND THAT THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIEY, AND HOLD THE OWNER/DEVELOPER, THE CSA, COUNTY OF LOCAL JURISDICTION, AND THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT HARMLESS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABULITY REAL OR ALLEGED, IN CONNECTION WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF WORK ON THIS PROJECT, EXCEPTING FOR LIABILITY ARISING FROM THE SOLE NEGLIGENCE OF THE OWNER/DEVELOPER, THE CSA, COUNTY OF LOCAL JURISDICTION, OR THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT.

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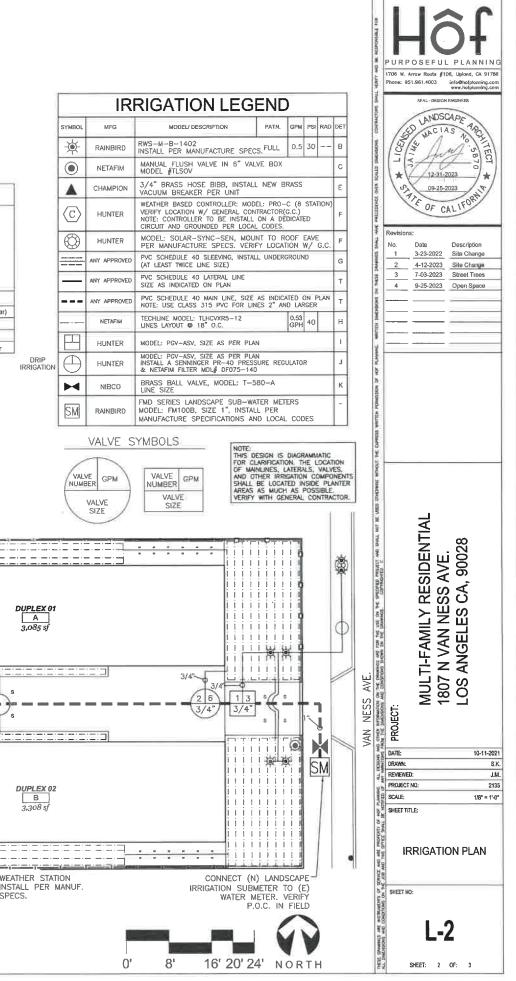
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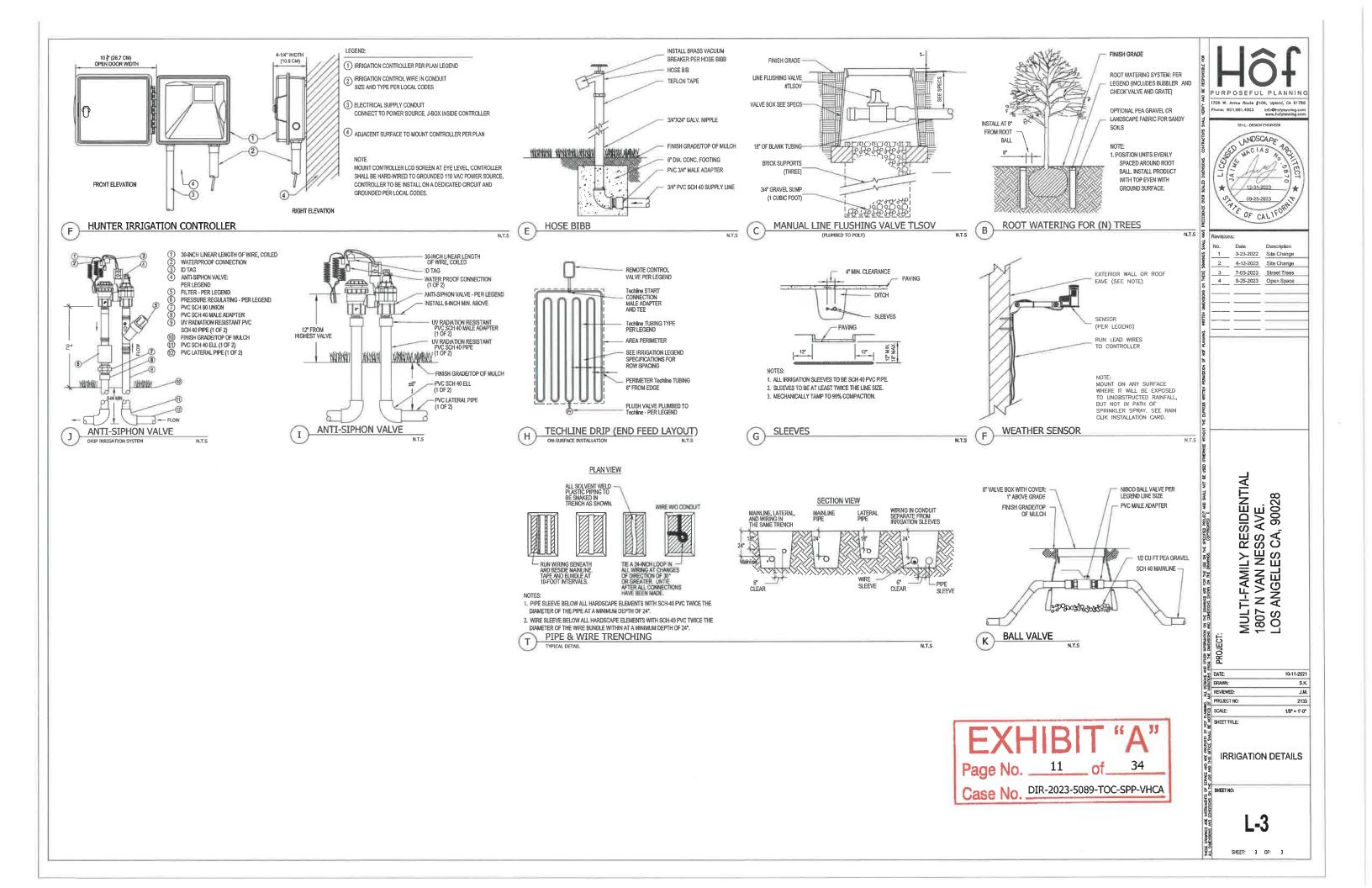
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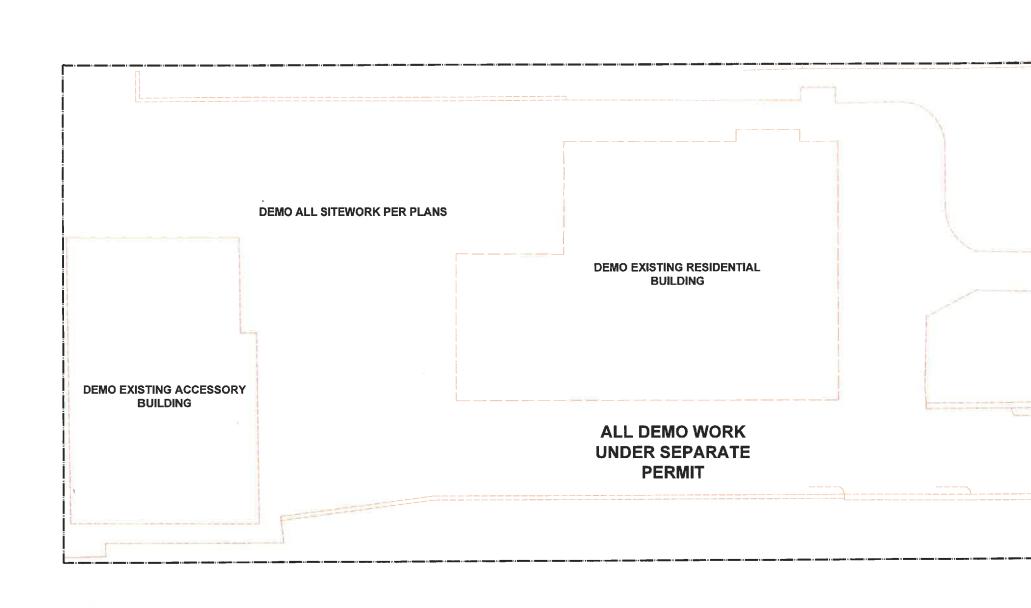
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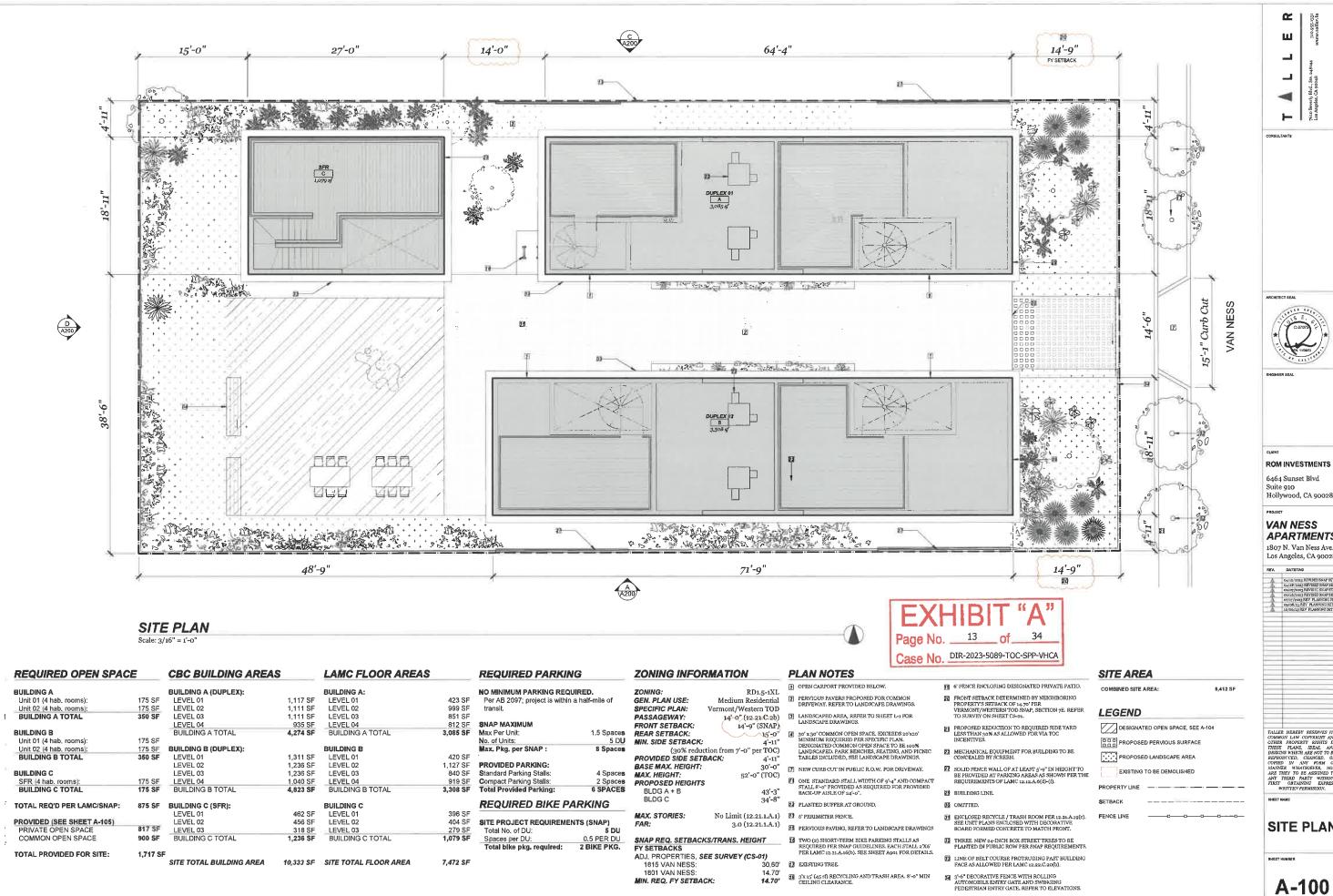




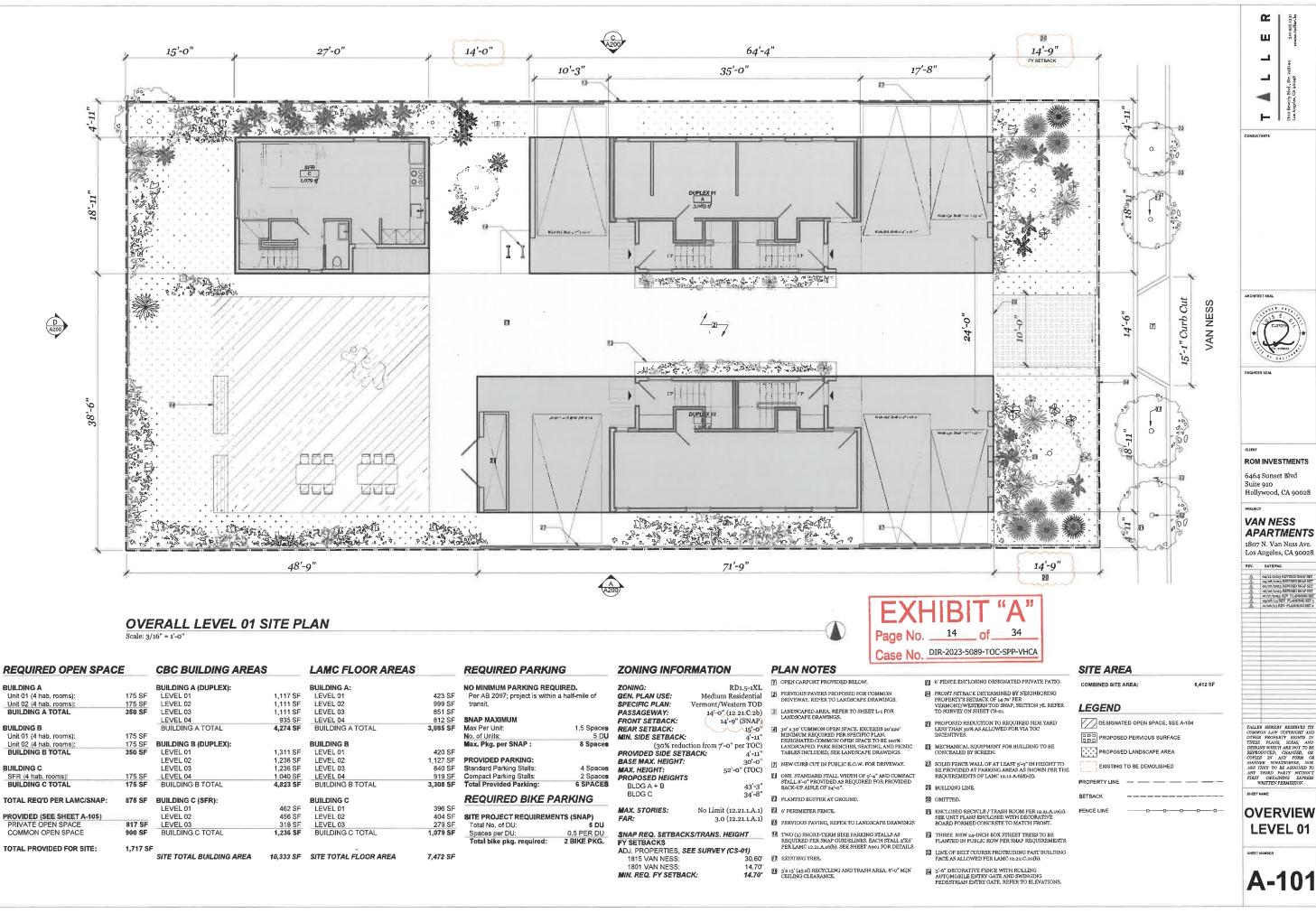


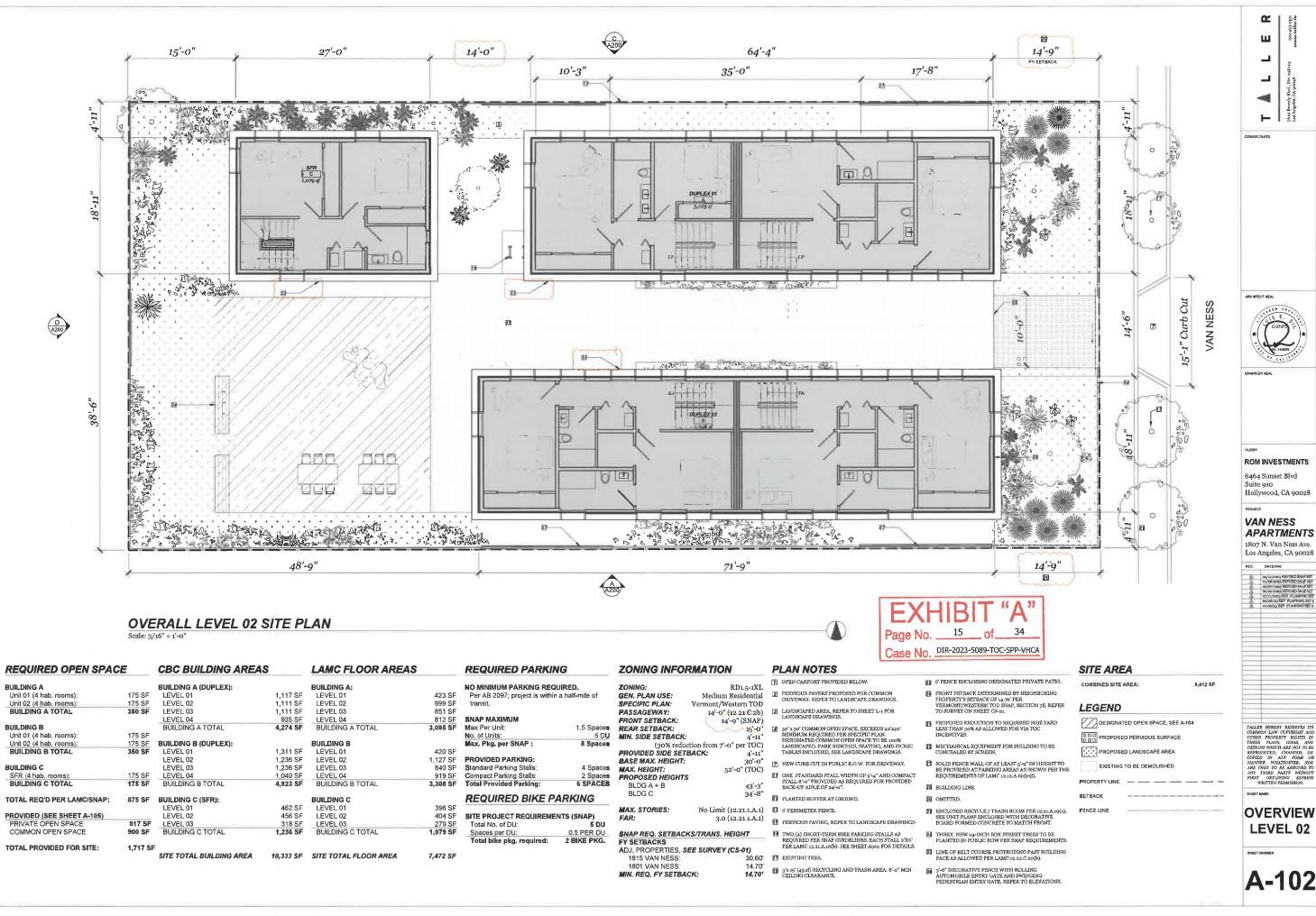


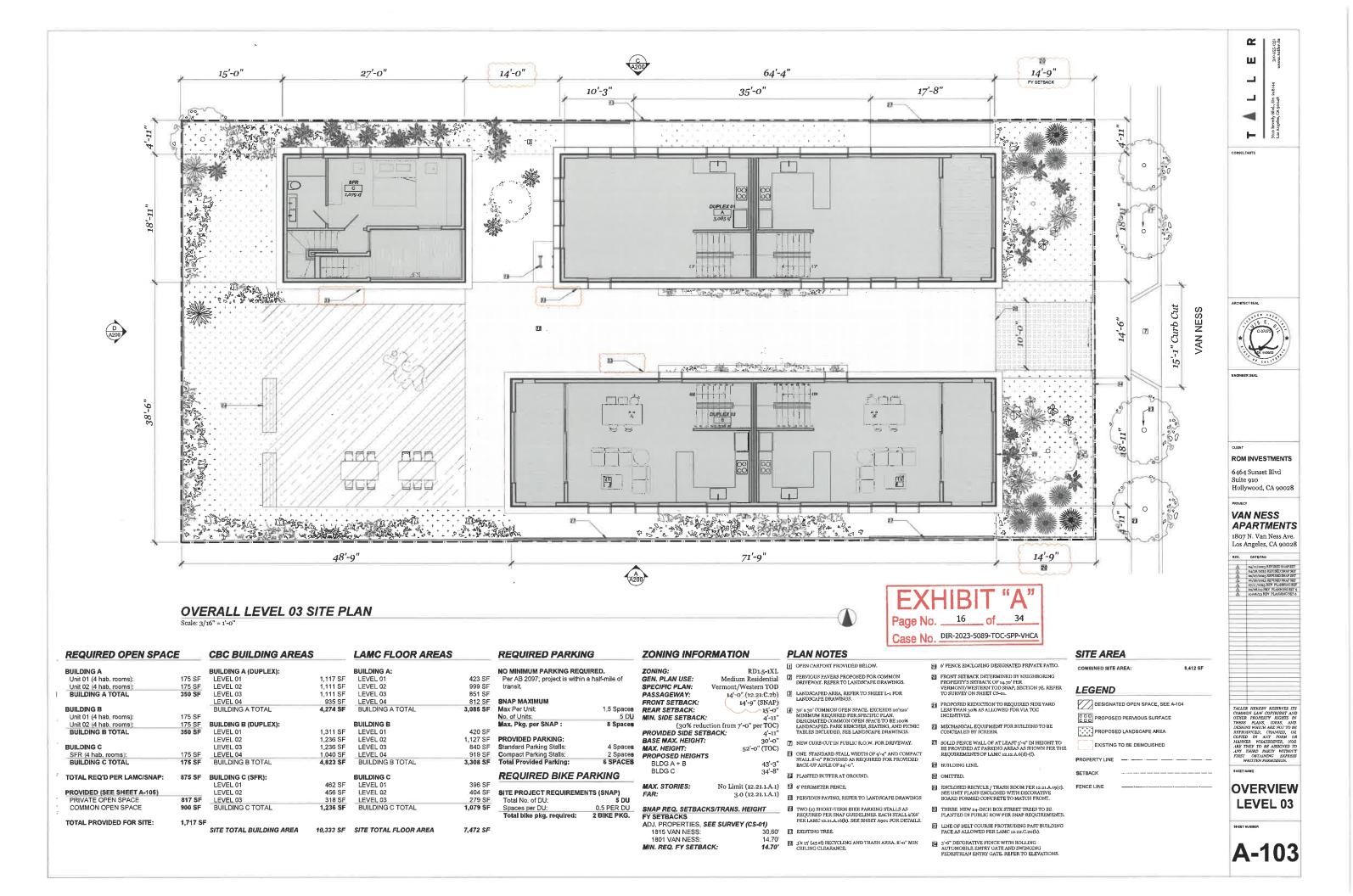
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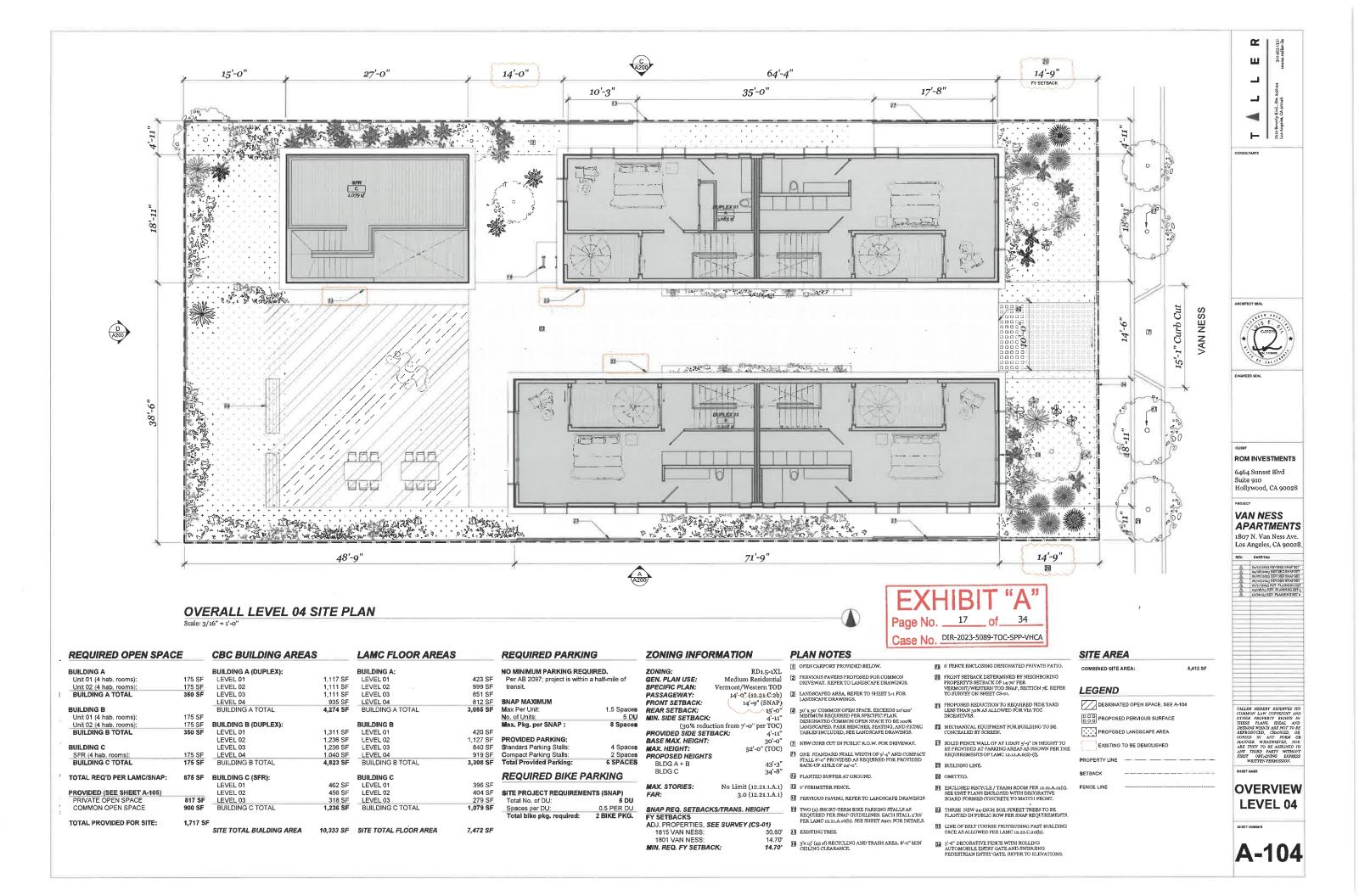


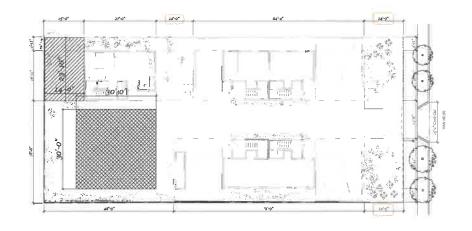
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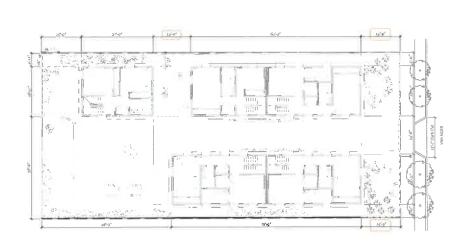




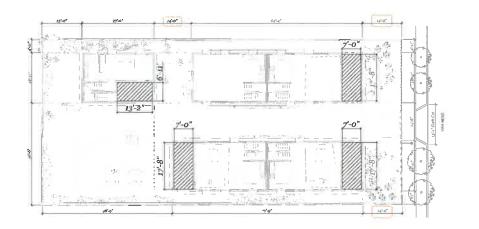




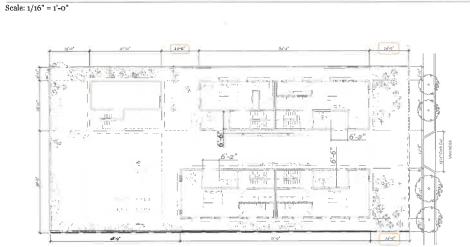




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LEVEL 02 SITE PLAN



## LEVEL 03 SITE PLAN Scale: 1/16" = 1'-0"

PEN SPACE AREAS					
	COMMON	PRIVATE	TOTAL		
LEVEL 01	900 SF	350 SF	1,250 SF		
LEVEL 02	-	-	-		
LEVEL 03	-	467 SF	467 SF		
LEVEL 04	•	-	-		
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TOTAL	900 SF	817 SF	1,717 SF		

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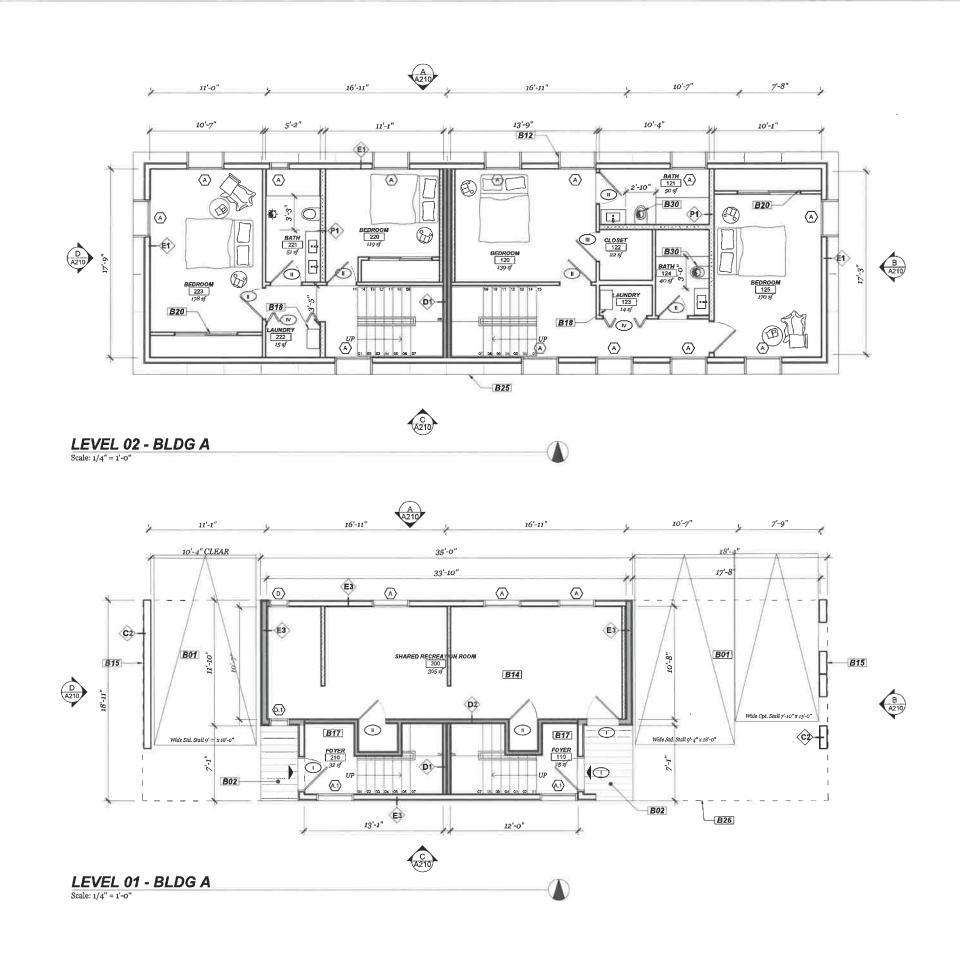
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BUILDING A (DUPLEX):		BUILDING A:		1 -
LEVEL 01	1,117 SF	LEVEL 01	423 SF	
LEVEL 02	1,111 SF		999 SF	
LEVEL 03		LEVEL 03	851 SF	
LEVEL 04	935 SF	LEVEL 04	812 SF	
BUILDING A TOTAL	4,274 SF	BUILDING A TOTAL	3,085 SF	
BUILDING B (DUPLEX):		BUILDING B		
LEVEL 01	1,311 SF	LEVEL 01	420 SF	
LEVEL 02	1,236 SF	LEVEL 02	1,127 SF	1
LEVEL 03	1,236 SF	LEVEL 03	840 SF	1
LEVEL 04	1,040 SF	LEVEL 04	919 SF	
BUILDING B TOTAL	4,823 SF	BUILDING B TOTAL	3,308 SF	
BUILDING C (SFR):		BUILDING C		
LEVEL 01	462 SF	LEVEL 01	396 SF	
LEVEL 02	456 SF	LEVEL 02	404 SF	
LEVEL 03	318 SF	LEVEL 03	279 SF	
BUILDING C TOTAL	1,236 SF	BUILDING C TOTAL	1,079 SF	
BUILDING D (2 ADUs):		BUILDING D (ADUs)		
LEVEL 01	943 SF	LEVEL 01	827 SF	
LEVEL 02	936 SF	LEVEL 03	862 SF	
BUILDING D TOTAL	1,879 SF	BUILDING C TOTAL	1,689 SF	
SITE TOTAL BUILDING AREA	12,212 SF	SITE TOTAL FLOOR AREA	9,161 SF	



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B1	6 -	TRASH ENCLOSURE FOR WASTE BINS.	
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B1	8 -	TANKLESS WATER HEATER FOR UNIT.	ARCHITECT SEAL
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<u></u>	5) -	BELT COURSE, REFER TO ELEVATIONS.	
B2	6 -	LINE OF FLOOR / STRUCTURE ABOVE	
B2	7 -	SHORT TERM BICYCLE PARKING RACK.	
B2	8	HANDRAIL TO BE 34" - 38" ABOVE NOSE TREADING. REFER SECTIONS AND ELEVATIONS.	CLIENT
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		SYSTEM THROUGH CONCEALED DRAIN.	6464 Sunset Blvd
<u>B3</u>		EXHAUST FAN ENERGY STAR RATED, 50 CFM EXHAUSTED TO THE OUTSIDE.	Suite 910 Hollywood, CA 90028
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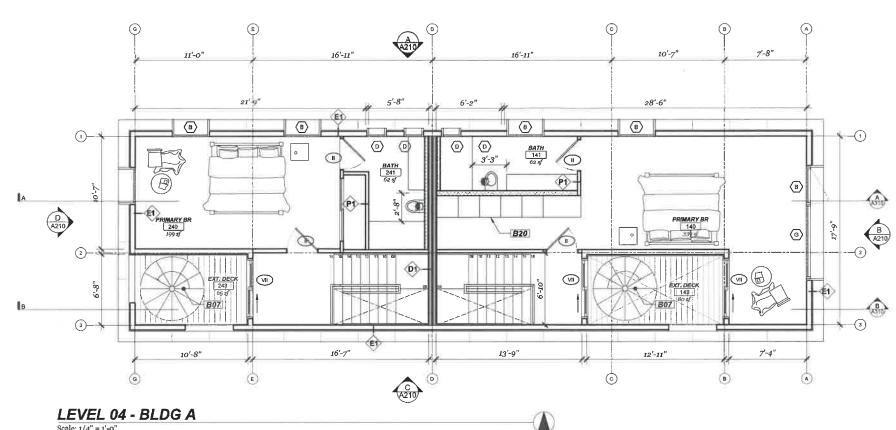
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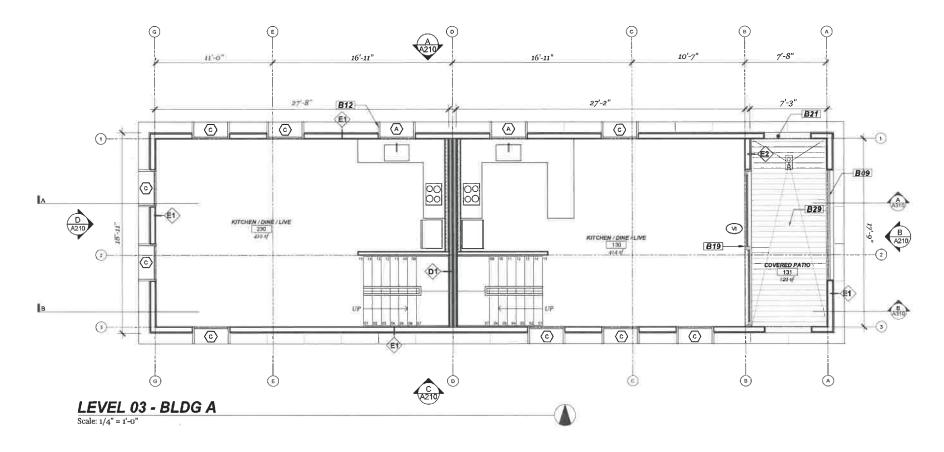
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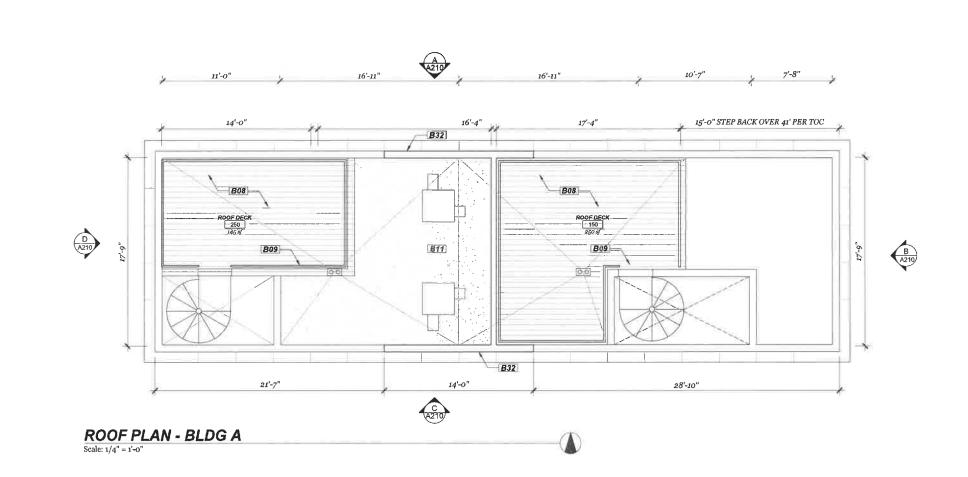
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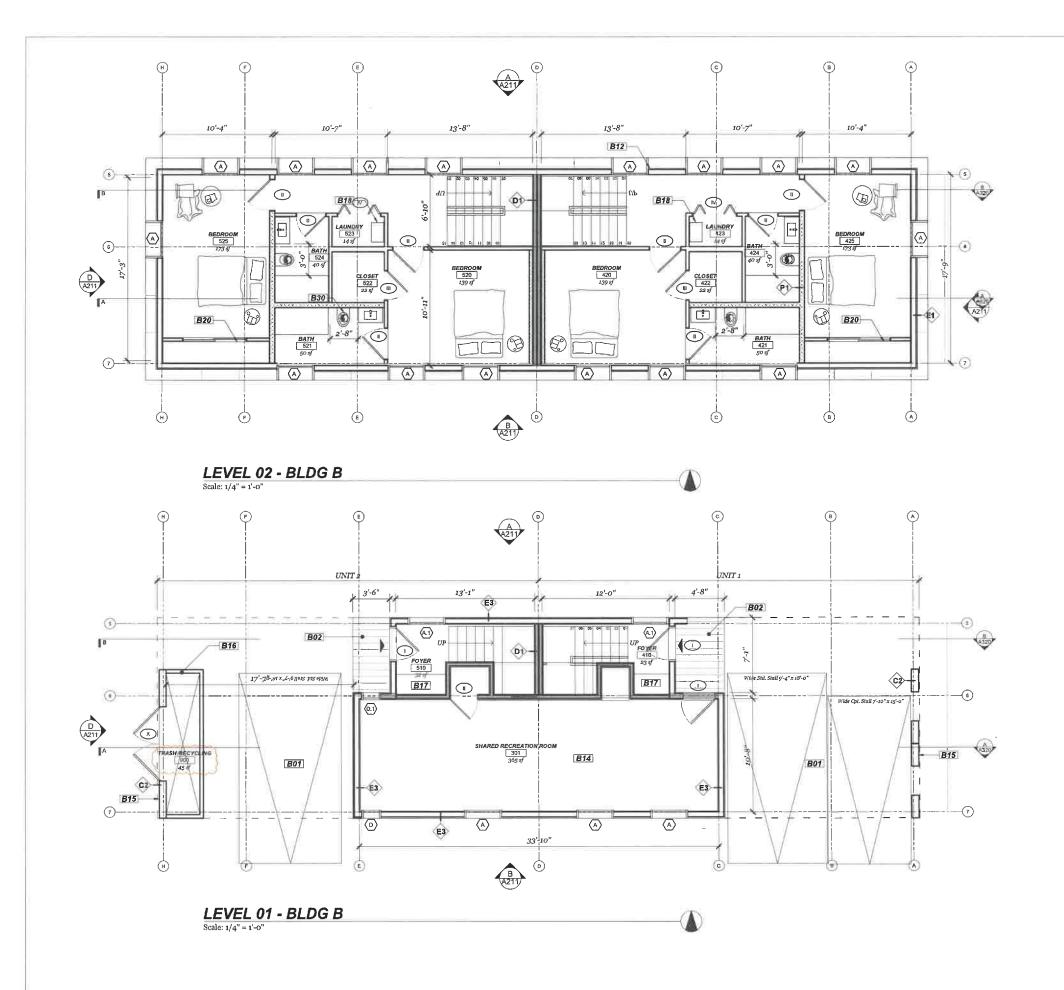
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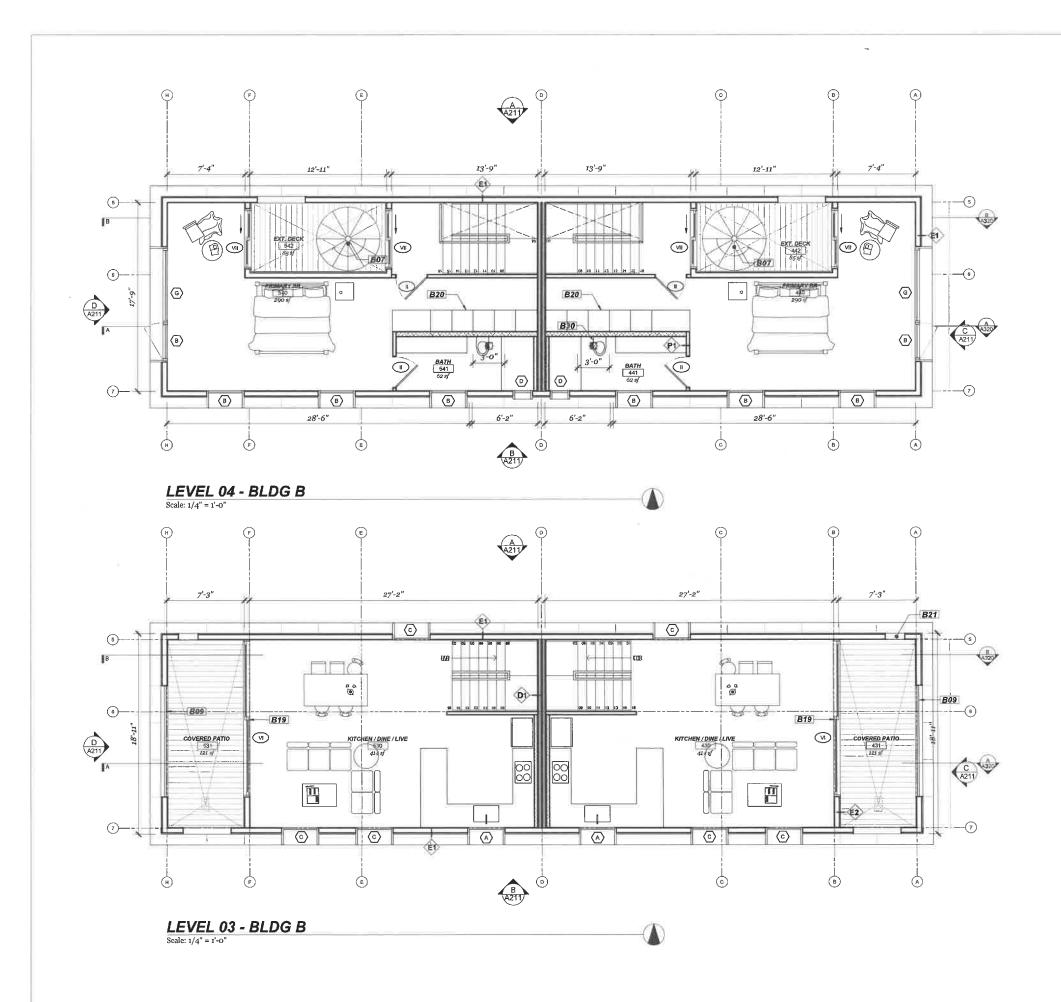
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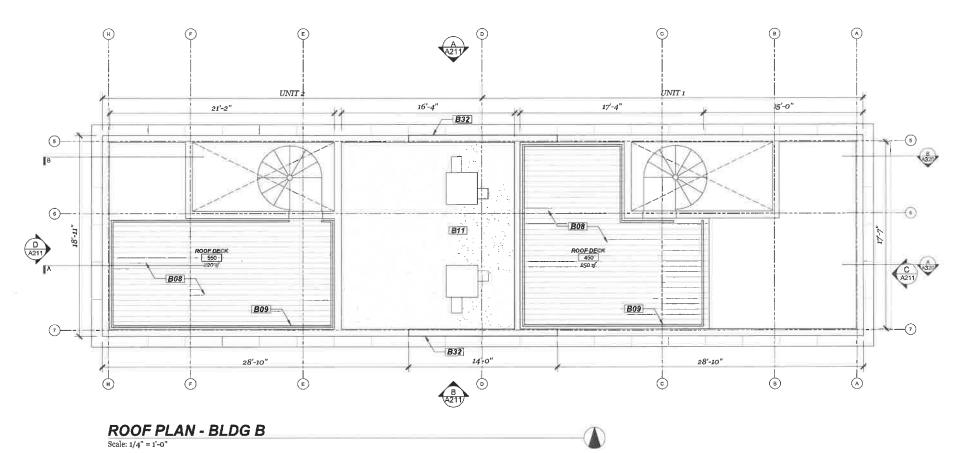
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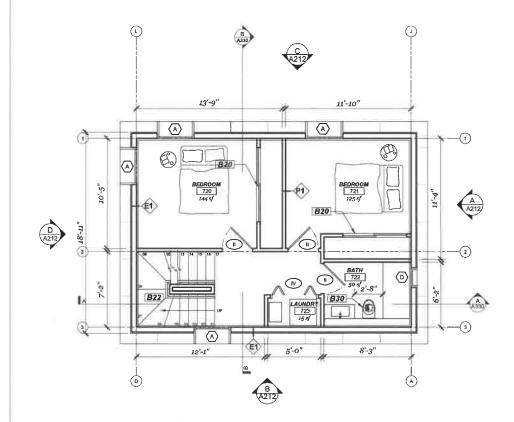


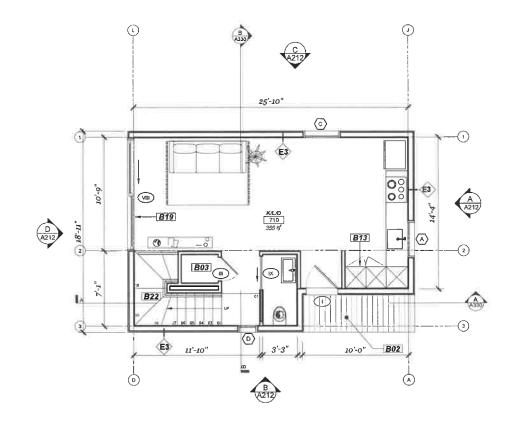
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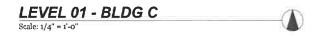
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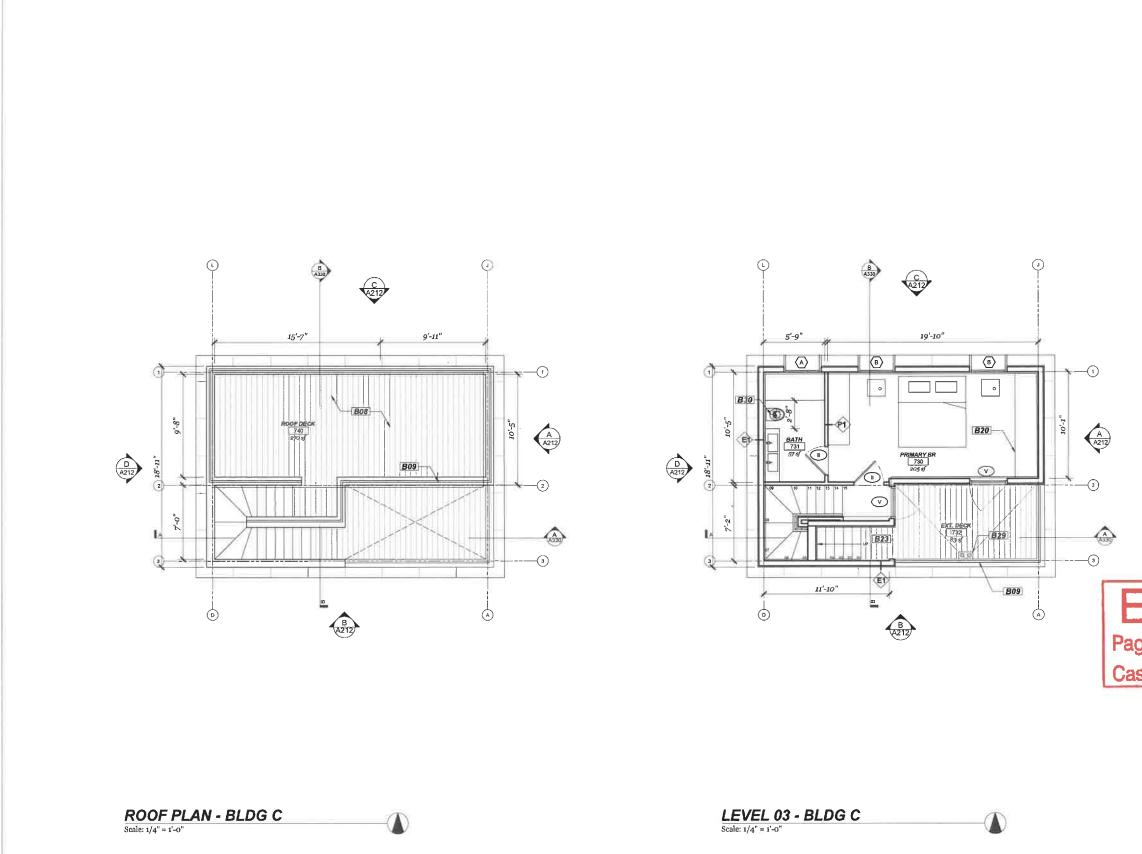




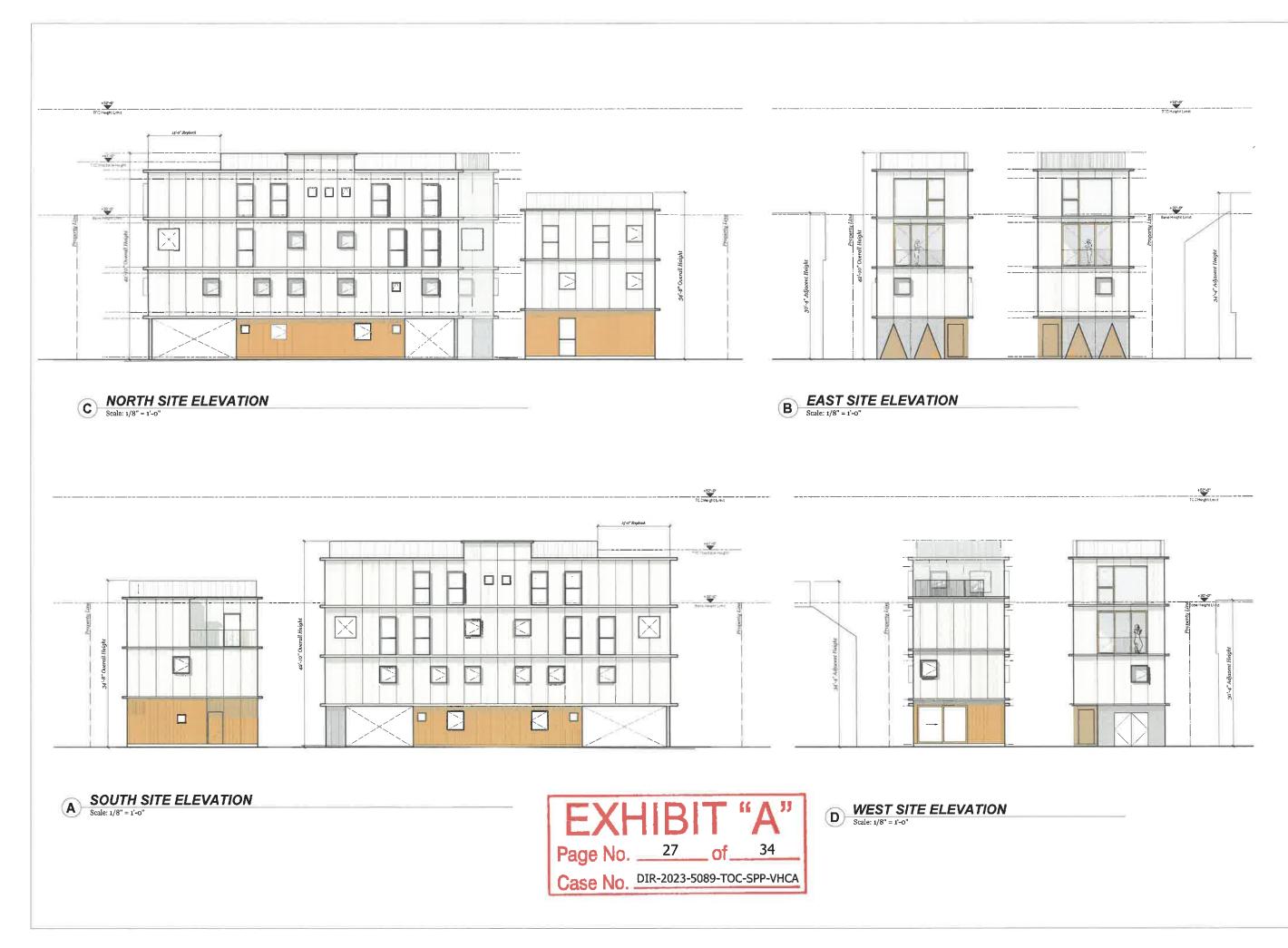
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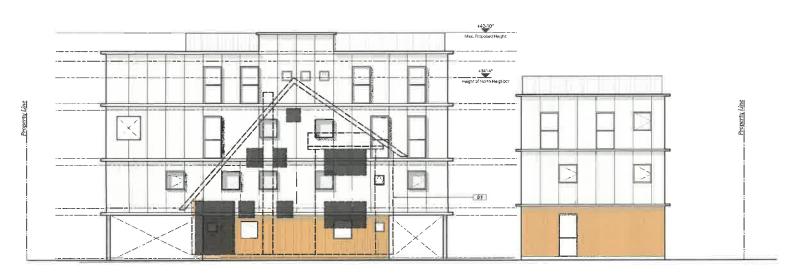
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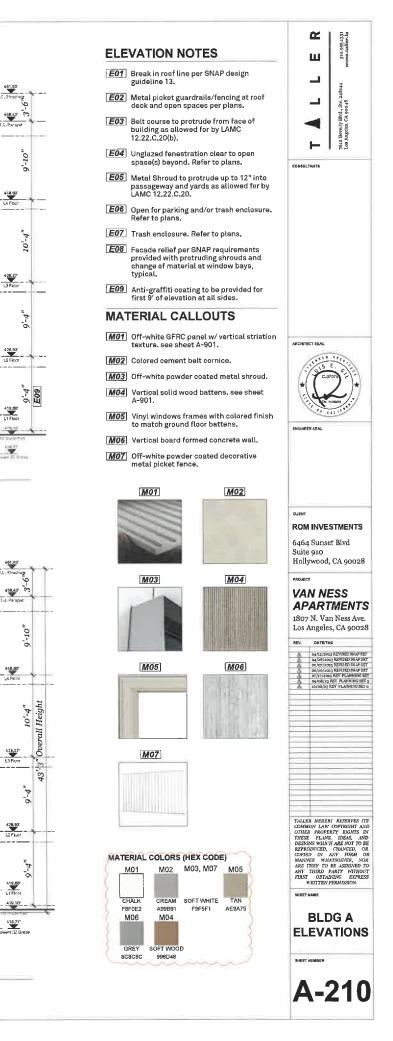
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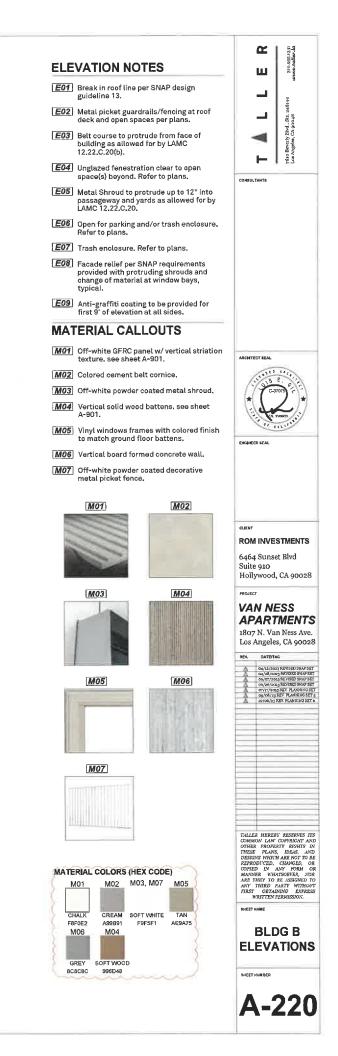
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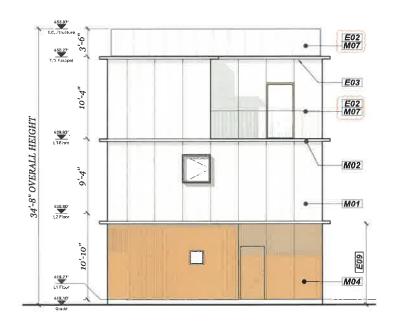
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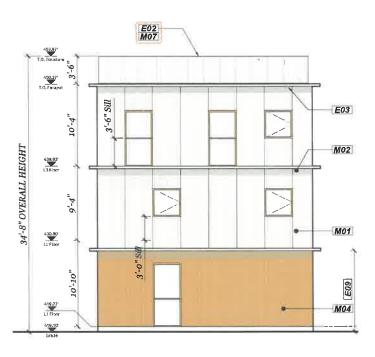






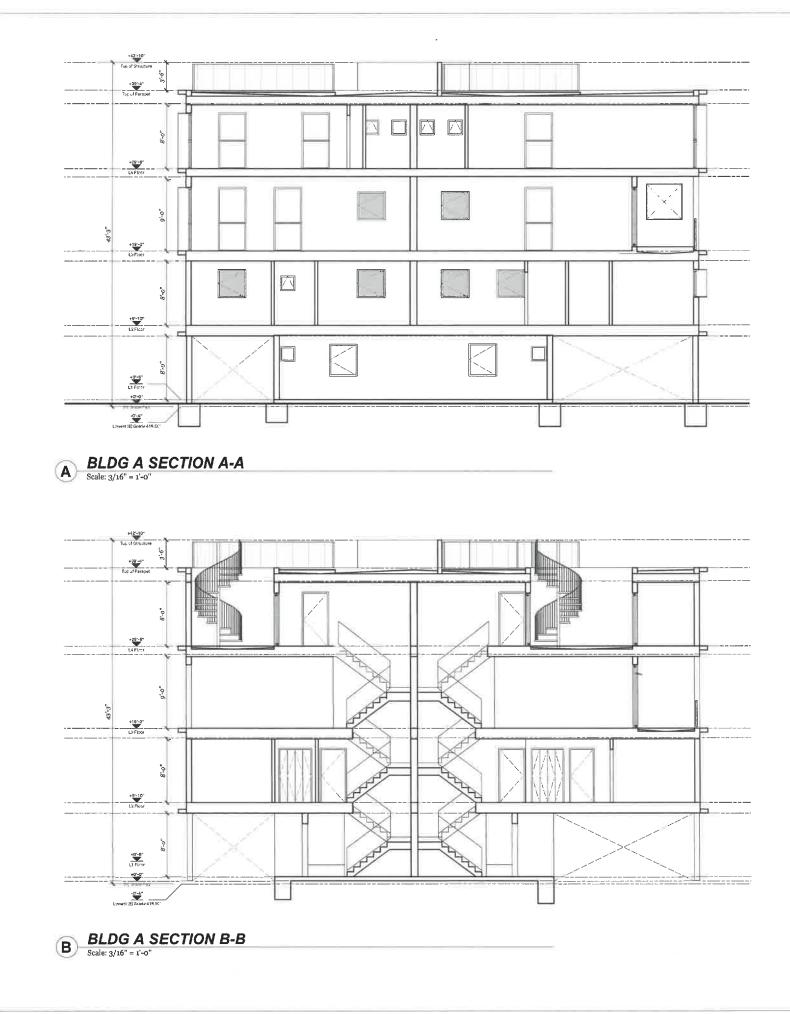


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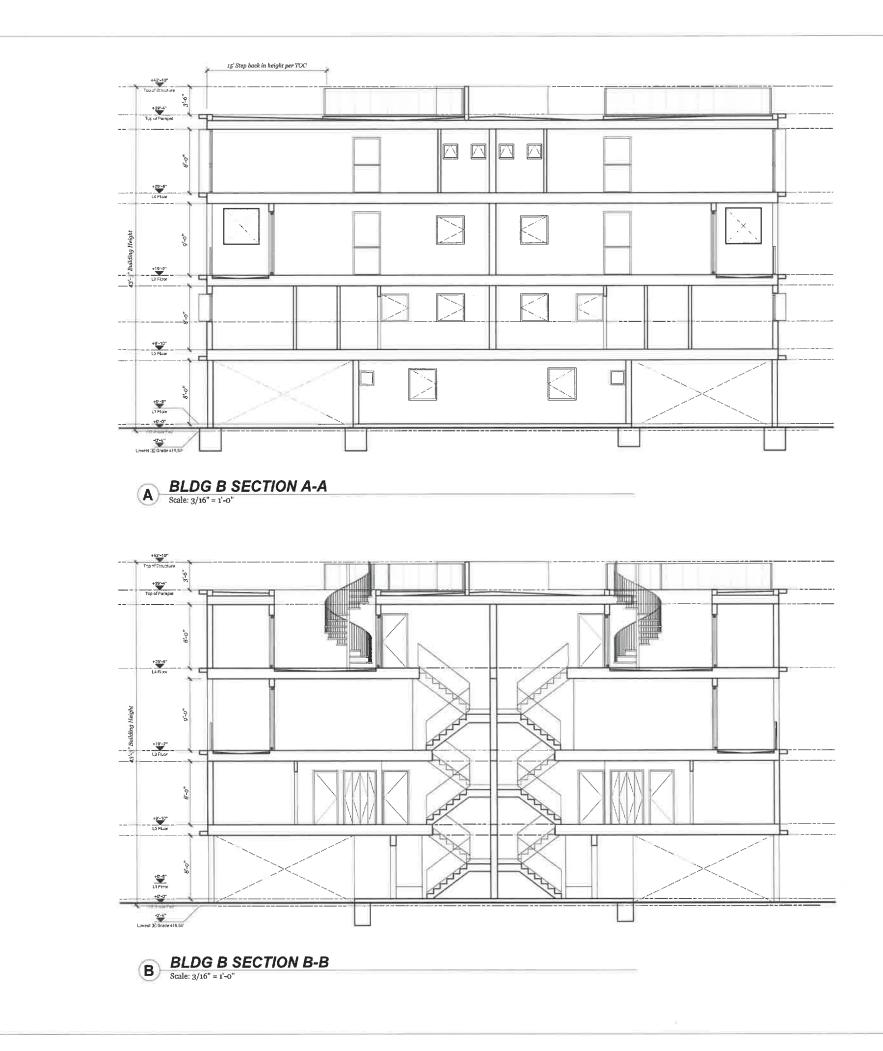




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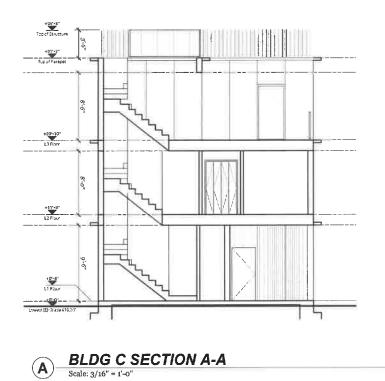


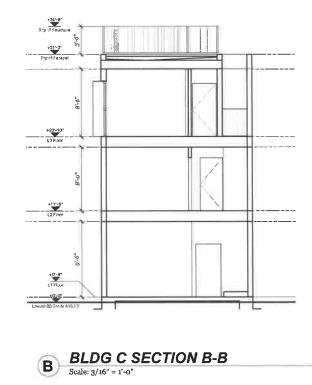


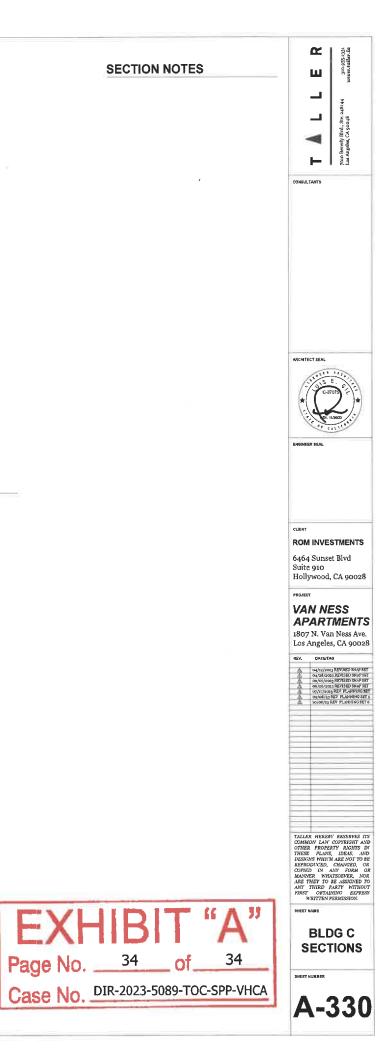
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### **E – CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION**

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### **E – CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION**

E.1 – NOTICE OF EXEMPTION (ENV-2023-5090-CE)

COUNTY CLERK'S USE CITY OF LOS ANGELES OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK 200 NORTH SPRING STREET, ROOM 395 LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012 CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT				
(PRC Section 21152; CEQA Guidelines Section 15062)				
mailing Box 120 limitation statute o	the form and posting fee payment 08, Norwalk, CA 90650. Pursuant	to the following address: Los to Public Resources Code § on an exemption for the proj 0 days.	Angeles County Clerk/F 21167 (d), the posting c	Ild be posted with the County Clerk by Recorder, Environmental Notices, P.O. of this notice starts a 35-day statute of potice as provided above, results in the
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PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Additional page(s) attached. The demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home; and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units. The proposed project includes the grading of less than 500 cubic yards of earth. NAME OF APPLICANT / OWNER: Leor Macibroski, The Leeor Macibroski Trust (Applicant / Owner)				
	CT PERSON (If different from App		(AREA CODE) TELE	PHONE NUMBER   EXT.
Gary B	enjamin (Representative)		(213) 479-7521	
EXEMF	PT STATUS: (Check all boxes, and	-		int citations.)
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<b>Class 32.</b> In-fill development meeting the conditions described in CEQA Guidelines 15332: (a) The project is consistent with the applicable general plan designation and all applicable general plan policies as well as with the applicable zoning designation and regulations. (b) The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site of no more than five acres substantially surrounded by urban uses. (c) The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species. (d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality. (e) The site can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.				
None of the exceptions in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 to the categorical exemption(s) apply to the Project.				
The project is identified in one or more of the list of activities in the City of Los Angeles CEQA Guidelines as cited in the justification. IF FILED BY APPLICANT, ATTACH CERTIFIED DOCUMENT ISSUED BY THE CITY PLANNING DEPARTMENT STATING THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAS FOUND THE PROJECT TO BE EXEMPT. If different from the applicant, the identity of the person undertaking the project.				
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E.2 - CLASS 32 JUSTIFICATIONS (ENV-2023-5090-CE)

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### JUSTIFICATION FOR CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION CASE NO. ENV-2023-5090-CE

The Department of City Planning determined that the City of Los Angeles Guidelines for the implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970 and the State CEQA Guidelines designate the subject Project as Categorically Exempt under Section 15303 (Class 3), and Section 15332 (Class 32), Case No. ENV-2023-5090-CE, and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies.

#### **Project Description**

The proposed project includes the demolition of an existing single-family dwelling and guest home: and the construction, use, and maintenance of one (1) 3,085 square-foot duplex, one (1) 3,308 square-foot duplex, and one (1) 1,079 square-foot single-family residence, for a total of five (5) residential dwelling units located within Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation) of the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan. The two (2) duplexes measure up to 43 feet and three (3) inches in overall height and the single-family residence measures 34 feet and eight (8) inches in overall height. The project site will include 900 square feet of usable open space and two (2) short-term bicycle parking spaces. The proposed project includes six (6) automobile spaces on-site; however, pursuant to Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, the applicant is proposing no minimum required automobile parking spaces. As the proposed project includes the construction of a residential building and the site is located within half a mile of a major transit stop, the project qualifies for the parking reduction under the provisions of AB 2097. The number of units and size is not unusual for the vicinity of the subject site and is similar in scope in scope to other existing multi-family dwellings in the area. Thus, there are no unusual circumstances that may lead to a significant effect on the environment.

#### CEQA Section 15300.2: Exceptions to the Use of Categorical Exemptions

The City has considered whether the Proposed Project is subject any of the six (6) exceptions that would prohibit the use of a categorical exemption as set forth in State CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2. There are six (6) Exceptions which must be considered in order to find a project exempt under CEQA: (a) Location; (b) Cumulative Impacts; (c) Significant Effect; (d) Scenic Highways; (e) Hazardous Waste Sites; and (f) Historical Resources.

(a) Location. Classes 3, 4, 5, 6, and 11 are qualified by consideration of where the project is to be located – a project that is ordinarily insignificant in its impact on the environment may in a particularly sensitive environment be significant. Therefore, these classes are considered to apply in all instances, except where the project may impact on an environmental resource of hazardous or critical concern where designated, precisely mapped, and officially adopted pursuant to law by federal, state, or local agencies.

The subject site is located within the Hollywood Community Plan area, the Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan, the Urban Agriculture Incentive Zone, and a Special Grading Area (BOE Basic Grid Map A-133752). The subject site is not located on or near an environmental resource that is precisely mapped, and officially adopted pursuant to federal, state, or local law.

Specific Regulatory Compliance Measures (RCMs) in the City of Los Angeles regulate the grading and construction of projects and will reduce any potential impacts to less than significant. In addition, roof and site drainage as well as sewer availability must comply with Bureau of Engineering and Bureau of Sanitation standards; and hydrants, Fire Department Access, and Fire Safety must be reviewed and approved by the Los Angeles Fire Department before permits can be issued. Thus, in conjunction with Regulatory Compliance Measures and compliance with other applicable regulations, the location of the Project will not result in a significant impact based on its location.

(b) Cumulative Impacts. All exemptions for these classes are inapplicable when the cumulative impact of successive projects of the same type in the same place, over time is significant.

The project is located at 1808 North Canyon Drive within the Hollywood Community Plan and Vermont/Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Subarea A (Neighborhood Conservation). There are currently seven (7) projects dating back to September 26, 2014, which are either currently filed with the Department of City Planning or have received a Letter of Determination from the Department of City Planning but have yet to receive a Certificate of Occupancy from the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety (LADBS). As such, there are projects within a quarter-mile of the same type and in the same place as the subject project at the time of filing.

PROJECTS WITHIN A QUARTER-MILE FROM THE SUBJECT SITE			
Address	Case Number	Date Filed	Scope of Work
1715-1739 North Bronson Avenue	DIR-2014-3609-SPR	09/26/2014	New 89-unit residential building
1755 North Canyon Drive	DIR-2020-3837-TOC-SPP-HCA	06/24/2020	New 14-unit residential building
5717 – 5719 ½ West Carlton Way	DIR-2015-622-SPP-DB	02/10/2015	New 14-unit residential building with subterranean parking
1755 North Canyon Drive	DIR-2017-2680-SPP	07/10/2017	New 20-unit residential building
1750 North Van Ness Avenue	DIR-2019-2266-WDI-SPP	04/16/2019	New 4-unit residential building

1807-1809 North Van Ness Avenue	DIR-2019-2291-TOC-SPP	04/17/2019	New 9-unit residential building
1808 North Canyon Drive	DIR-2022-5587-TOC-SPP-HCA	08/04/2022	New 9-unit residential building

According to SCAQMD, individual construction projects that do not exceed the SCAQMD's recommended daily thresholds for project-specific impacts would not cause a cumulatively considerable increase in emissions for those pollutants for which the Air Basin is in non-attainment. Interim thresholds were developed by DCP staff based on CalEEMod model runs relying on reasonable assumptions, consulting with AQMD staff, and surveying published air quality studies for which criteria air pollutants did not exceed the established SCAQMD construction and operational thresholds. Construction-related daily emissions at the project site would not exceed SCAQMD's regional or localized significance thresholds. Therefore, the project's contribution to cumulative construction-related regional emissions would not be cumulatively considerable and therefore would be less than significant. Construction of the project also would have a less-than-significant impact with regard to localized emissions.

As noise is a localized phenomenon and decreases in magnitude as the distance from the source increases, only projects and ambient growth in the nearby area could combine with the proposed project to result in cumulatively considerable noise impacts. These above-noted projects will begin construction and end construction at different timelines, with minor overlap between projects. Thus, the construction of these known projects will be staggered and therefore do not have the potential to cumulatively contribute to air quality, construction traffic, and noise levels.

(c) Significant Effect. A categorical exemption shall not be used for an activity where there is a reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances.

As mentioned, the proposed project includes the construction of two (2) new duplexes and one (1) single-family residential building. All surrounding lots are developed with single- and multi-family buildings. The project proposes a FAR of 0.88:1 which is within the maximum 3:1 FAR otherwise permitted by Subarea A of the SNAP. The proposed duplexes will be four (4)-stories, and one three (3)-stories single-family residence in an area that is currently developed with buildings that range in height from one (1)- to four (4)-stories. In conjunction with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program, the proposed building will not be unusual for the vicinity of the subject site and will be similar in scope to future residential buildings in the area that use the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program in exchange for affordable housing. Thus, there are no unusual circumstances which may lead to a significant effect on the environment.

(d) Scenic Highways. A categorical exemption shall not be used for a project which may result in damage to scenic resources, including but not limited to, trees, historic buildings, rock outcroppings, or similar resources, within a highway officially designated as a state scenic highway.

As it relates to development along a Scenic Highway, the only State Scenic Highway within the City of Los Angeles is the Topanga Canyon State Scenic Highway, State Route 27, which travels through a portion of Topanga State Park. State Route 27 is located approximately 15 miles to the west of the subject property. Therefore, the subject site will not create any impacts within a designated state scenic highway.

(e) Hazardous Waste. A categorical exemption shall not be used for a project located on a site which is included on any list complied pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code.

In regards to Hazardous Waste sites, according to Envirostor, the State of California's database of Hazardous Waste Sites, neither the subject site nor any site in the vicinity, is identified as a hazardous waste site. As such, the project would not be developed on a site identified as a hazardous site pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code.

(f) Historic Resources. A categorical exemption shall not be used for a project which may cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource.

The project site has not been identified as a historic resource by local or state agencies, and the project site has not been determined to be eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places, California Register of Historical Resources, the Los Angeles Historic-Cultural Monuments Register, and/or any local register; and was not found to be a potential historic resource based on the City's HistoricPlacesLA website or SurveyLA, the citywide survey of Los Angeles. The Department of City Planning, Office of Historic Resources confirmed that the existing single-family dwelling and detached garage are not considered historic resources for the purposes of CEQA per an email dated August 15, 2023.

#### CEQA Determination – Class 32 Categorical Exemption Applies

A project qualifies for a Class 32 Categorical Exemption if it is developed on an infill site and meets the conditions as follows: (a) The project is consistent with the applicable general plan designation and all applicable general plan policies as well as with the applicable zoning designation and regulations; (b) The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site of no more than five acres substantially surrounded by urban uses; (c) The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species; (d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality; and (e) The site can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.

(a) The project is consistent with applicable general plan designation, applicable policies, and applicable zoning designations.

The subject site is located within the Hollywood Community Plan and the Vermont-Western Station Neighborhood Area Plan (SNAP) Specific Plan. The site is zoned RD1.5-1XL and has a General Plan Land Use Designation of Low Medium II Residential. As shown in the case file, the project is consistent with the applicable Hollywood Community Plan designation and policies and all applicable zoning designations and regulations in conjunction with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program.

## (b) The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site no more than five acres substantially surrounded by urban uses.

The subject site is wholly within the City of Los Angeles, on a site that is approximately 0.19 acres. The surrounding area is characterized by level topography, improved streets, and residential uses. Surrounding properties located to the north, east, and south are improved with single-family and multi-family uses and zoned RD1.5-1XL. All of the surrounding properties are developed with single- and multi-family uses and are zoned RD1.5-1XL. Additionally, all of the surrounding properties are located within Subarea A of the Vermont/Western SNAP Specific Plan.

## (c) The project has no value as a habitat for endangered species, rare, or threatened species.

The site was previously disturbed and surrounded by development and therefore is not, and has no value as, a habitat for endangered, rare, or threatened species. Moreover, a Tree Report, prepared by William R. McKinley, Certified Arborist #WE-4578A and dated November 17, 2021, concluded that there are no protected trees or shrubs on-site.

# (d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality.

The project will be subject to Regulatory Compliance Measures (RCMs), which require compliance with the City of Los Angeles Noise Ordinance, pollutant discharge, dewatering, stormwater mitigations, and Best Management Practices for stormwater runoff. These RCMs will ensure the project will not have significant impacts on noise and water. Furthermore, the City of Los Angeles Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) Calculator resulted in the proposed project having a net increase of 24 daily vehicle trips and a net increase of 155 daily VMT. Based on the VMT Calculator, the project is not required to perform VMT analysis under the VMT standards. Therefore, no foreseeable cumulative impacts are expected. Interim thresholds were developed by DCP staff based on CalEEMod model runs relying on reasonable assumptions, consulting with AQMD staff, and surveying published air quality studies for which criteria air pollutants did not exceed the established SCAQMD construction and operational thresholds. Therefore, the project would not result in any significant effects related to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality.

#### (e) The proposed project has been reviewed by City staff and can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.

The project site will be adequately served by all public utilities and services given that the construction of a residential building will be on a site that has been previously developed and is consistent with the General Plan. Therefore, the project meets all of the Criteria for the Class 32. As the project has been found to be categorically exempt from CEQA, the project is not anticipated to have a negative effect on the environment and no mitigation measures are required.

#### F – REVISED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL AND FINDINGS

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#### **REVISED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

#### **Revised TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Conditions**

- 1. **Residential Density.** The project shall be limited to a maximum density of five (5) dwelling units including On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.
- 2. **On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.** The project shall provide a minimum of one (1) On-Site Restricted Affordable unit, consisting of one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Households, as defined in California Health and Safety Code to the satisfaction of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD). In the event, that the SB 8 Replacement Unit condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
- 3. **SB 8 Replacement Units.** The project shall be required to comply with the Replacement Unit Determination (RUD) letter, dated May 19, 2023, to the satisfaction of LAHD. The most restrictive affordability levels shall be followed in the covenant. In the event, the Onsite Restricted Affordable Units condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
- 4. **Changes in On-Site Restricted Units**. Deviations that increase the number of restricted affordable units or that change the composition of units or change parking numbers shall be consistent with LAMC Section 12.22 A.31.
- 5. **Housing Requirements.** Prior to issuance of a building permit, the owner shall execute a covenant to the satisfaction of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) to make one (1) unit available to Extremely Low-Income Households or equal to 20 percent of the project's total proposed residential density allowed, for sale or rental as determined to be affordable to such households by LAHD for a period of 55 years. In the event the applicant reduces the proposed density of the project, the number of required set-aside affordable units may be adjusted, consistent with LAMC Section 12.22 A.31, to the satisfaction of LAHD, and in consideration of the project's Replacement Unit Determination.
- 6. **Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO).** Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the owner shall obtain approval from LAHD regarding the replacement of affordable units, provision of RSO Units, and qualification for the Exemption from the Rent Stabilization Ordinance with Replacement Affordable Units in compliance with Ordinance No. 184,873. In order for all the new units to be exempt from the Rent Stabilization Ordinance, the applicant will need to either replace all withdrawn RSO units with affordable units on a one-for-one basis or provide at least 20 percent of the total number of newly constructed rental units as affordable, whichever results in the greater number. The executed and recorded covenant and agreement submitted and approved by LAHD shall be provided.
- 7. **Floor Area Ratio (FAR).** The maximum FAR area shall be limited to1.38:1 FAR, or 7,472 square feet.
- 8. **Height.** The project shall be limited to a maximum building height of 43 feet and three (3) inches, as measured from grade to the highest point of the roof pursuant to the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program.
- 9. **TOC Stepback.** The project shall require any height increases over 11 feet to be steppedback at least 15 feet from the exterior face of the ground floor of the building located along Van Ness Avenue at 41 feet in height, consistent with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area.

10. **Side Yards.** The project shall provide a side yard of four (4) feet and 11 inches along the northerly and southerly property lines.

#### **SNAP Conditions**

- 11. **Site Development.** The project shall be in substantial conformance with the plans and materials submitted by the Applicant, including the proposed building design elements and materials, stamped Exhibit "A," attached to the subject case file. No change to the plans shall be made without prior review by the Department of City Planning, Project Planning Bureau, and written approval by the Director of Planning. Each change shall be identified and justified in writing. Minor deviations may be allowed in order to comply with the provisions of the LAMC or the project conditions.
- 12. **Parks First.** Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the applicant shall complete the following:
  - a. Make a payment to the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) for the required Park Fee pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12. Contact RAP staff by email at <u>rap.parkfees@lacity.org</u>, by phone at (213) 202-2682 or in person at the public counter at 221 N. Figueroa St., Suite 400 (4<sup>th</sup> Floor), Los Angeles, CA 90012 to arrange for payment.
  - b. Make a payment of \$17,200 to the Parks First Trust Fund for the net increase of four (4) residential dwelling units. The calculation of a Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid pursuant to the Vermont/Western SNAP shall be off-set by the Park Fee paid pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12 as a result of the project.
  - c. The applicant shall provide proof of payment for the Park Fee to the Department of City Planning (DCP), Central Project Planning Division staff to determine the resulting amount of Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid. DCP staff shall sign off on the Certificate of Occupancy in the event there are no resulting Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid.
  - d. In the event there are remaining Parks First Trust Fund Fees to be paid, the applicant shall make a payment to the Office of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), Parks First Trust Fund. Contact Melinda Gejer and Kristine Harutyunyan of the CAO to arrange for payment. Melinda Gejer may be reached at (213) 473-9758 or <u>Melinda.Gejer@lacity.org</u>. Kristine Harutyunyan may be reached at (213) 473-7573 or <u>Kristine.Harutyunyan@lacity.org</u>. The applicant shall submit proof of payment for the Parks First Trust Fund Fee to DCP staff, who will then sign off on the Certificate of Occupancy.
  - e. All residential units in a project containing units set aside as affordable for Very Low or Low-Income Households that are subsidized with public funds and/or Federal or State Tax Credits with affordability covenants of at least 30 years are exempt from the Parks First Trust Fund.
- 13. **Building Setback.** The exterior wall of the building frontage shall be located no closer to the street and no farther from the street than the exterior walls of the adjacent buildings within the same Subarea. As such, the exterior walls of the subject project shall have a minimum building setback of 14 feet, eight (8) inches and a maximum building setback of 30 feet, six (6) inches from the front property line.
- 14. **Open Space.** The project shall provide a minimum of 875 square feet of usable open space. At least 438 square feet must be located at grade or first habitable room level. The

common open space shall be open to the sky, must be at least 400 square feet in size, and have a minimum dimension of 20 feet when measured perpendicular from any point on each of the boundaries of the open space area. Balconies shall have a minimum dimension of six feet and patios shall have a minimum dimension of ten feet. Common open space areas or balconies not meeting the minimum dimension requirements when measured perpendicular from any point on each of the boundaries of the open space area cannot be counted towards the square footage allocated towards meeting the overall usable open space requirement.

- 15. **Required Trees per 12.21 G.2.** As conditioned herein, a final submitted landscape plan shall be reviewed to be in substantial conformance with Exhibit "A". There shall be a minimum of two (2) 24-inch box, or larger, trees onsite pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G.2. Any required trees pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G.2 shown in the public right-of-way in Exhibit "A" shall be preliminarily reviewed and approved by the Urban Forestry Division prior to building permit issuance. In-lieu fees pursuant to LAMC Section 62.177 shall be paid if placement of required trees in the public right-of-way is proven to be infeasible due to City-determined physical constraints.
- 16. Landscaping. The landscape plan shall indicate landscape points for the project equivalent to 10% more than otherwise required by LAMC 12.40 and Landscape Ordinance Guidelines "O". All open areas not used for buildings, driveways, parking areas, recreational facilities, or walks shall be attractively landscaped, including an automatic irrigation system, and maintained in accordance with a landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect or licensed architect, and submitted for approval to the Department of City Planning.
- 17. **Residential Automobile Parking**. The project shall be permitted to provide a minimum of zero parking space pursuant to California Government Code Section 65863.2 (AB 2097) and limited to no more than 10 residential parking spaces and one (1) guest parking space, for a total of 11 maximum parking spaces per the SNAP.
- 18. **Bicycle Parking.** The project shall provide a minimum of two (2) bicycle parking space onsite.
- 19. **Street Trees.** Street trees must be installed and maintained prior to issuance of the building permit or suitably guaranteed through a bond and all improvements must be completed prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
  - a. Four (4), 24-inch box shade trees shall be provided in the public right-of-way along Van Ness Avenue, subject to the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division requirements.
  - b. The project site currently includes existing trees within the 62.11 feet of frontage along Van Ness Avenue. Whether the street tree should remain or should be replaced is subject to the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division.
  - c. A tree well cover shall be provided for each new and existing tree in the public right-of-way adjacent to the subject property to the satisfaction of the Bureau of Street Services.
  - d. The applicant shall be responsible for new street tree planting and pay fees for clerical, inspection, and maintenance per the Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 62.176 for each tree.
  - e. An automatic irrigation system shall be provided.

Note: Contact the Urban Forestry Division, Subdivision staff, at (213) 847-3088 for site inspection prior to any street tree work.

- 20. **Utilities**. All new utility lines which directly service the lot or lots shall be installed underground. If underground service is not currently available, then provisions shall be made by the applicant for future underground service.
- 21. **Curb Cuts.** Only one curb cut that is 20 feet in width for every 100 feet of street frontage is allowed, unless otherwise required by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety. Approval by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety for a curb cut exceeding 20 feet in width must be provided to the Department of City Planning once received.
- 22. **Driveways.** The first 25 feet in length of the driveway shall be constructed of Portland cement concrete, pervious cement, grass-crete, or any other porous surface that reduces heat radiation and/or increases surface absorption, thereby reducing runoff.
- 23. **Trash**, **Service Equipment**, and **Satellite Dishes**. Trash, service equipment, and satellite dishes, including transformer areas, shall be located away from streets and enclosed or screened by landscaping, fencing, or other architectural means. The trash area shall be enclosed by a minimum six-foot-high decorative masonry wall. Each trash enclosure shall have a separate area for recyclables. Any transformer area within the front yard shall be enclosed or screened.
- 24. **Rooftop Appurtenances.** All rooftop equipment and building appurtenances shall be screened from any street, public right-of-way, or adjacent property with enclosures or parapet walls constructed of materials complementary to the materials and design of the main structure.
- 25. **Roof Lines.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', all roof lines greater than 40 feet in length shall be broken up with the use of gables, formers, plant-ons, cutouts, or other appropriate means.
- 26. **Privacy.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', the façade shall avoid placing windows facing windows across property lines or facing private outdoor spaces of other residential units.
- 27. **Façade Relief.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', all exterior elevations shall provide a break in the plane every 20 feet in horizontal length and every 15 feet in vertical length.
- 28. **Landscape Plan.** The applicant shall submit a final landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect showing enhanced paving such as stamped concrete, permeable paved surfaces, tile, and/or brick within paved areas in front, side, and rear yards.
- 29. Irrigation Plan. A final irrigation plan shall be prepared and included.

## Administrative Conditions

30. **Final Plans.** Prior to the issuance of any building permits for the project by the Department of Building and Safety, the applicant shall submit all final construction plans that are awaiting issuance of a building permit by the Department of Building and Safety for final review and approval by the Department of City Planning. All plans that are awaiting issuance of a building permit by the Department of Building and Safety shall be stamped by Department of City Planning staff "Plans Approved". A copy of the Plans Approved, supplied by the applicant, shall be retained in the subject case file.

- 31. **Notations on Plans.** Plans submitted to the Department of Building and Safety, for the purpose of processing a building permit application shall include all of the Conditions of Approval herein attached as a cover sheet and shall include any modifications or notations required herein.
- 32. **Approval, Verification and Submittals.** Copies of any approvals, guarantees or verification of consultations, review of approval, plans, etc., as may be required by the subject conditions, shall be provided to the Department of City Planning prior to clearance of any building permits, for placement in the subject file.
- 33. **Code Compliance.** Use, area, height, and yard regulations of the zone classification of the subject property shall be complied with, except where granted conditions differ herein.
- 34. **Department of Building and Safety**. The granting of this determination by the Director of Planning does not in any way indicate full compliance with applicable provisions of the Los Angeles Municipal Code Chapter IX (Building Code). Any corrections and/or modifications to plans made subsequent to this determination by a Department of Building and Safety Plan Check Engineer that affect any part of the exterior design or appearance of the project as approved by the Director, and which are deemed necessary by the Department of Building and Safety for Building Code compliance, shall require a referral of the revised plans back to the Department of City Planning for additional review and sign-off prior to the issuance of any permit in connection with those plans.
- 35. **Enforcement.** Compliance with these conditions and the intent of these conditions shall be to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning.
- 36. **Expiration.** In the event that this grant is not utilized within three years of its effective date (the day following the last day that an appeal may be filed), the grant shall be considered null and void. Issuance of a building permit, and the initiation of, and diligent continuation of, construction activity shall constitute utilization for the purposes of this grant.
- 37. **Recording Covenant.** Prior to the issuance of any permits relative to this matter, a covenant acknowledging and agreeing to comply with all the terms and conditions established herein shall be recorded in the County Recorder's Office. The agreement (standard master covenant and agreement form CP-6770) shall run with the land and shall be binding on any subsequent owners, heirs, or assigns. The agreement with the conditions attached must be submitted to the Development Services Center for approval before being recorded. After recordation, a certified copy bearing the Recorder's number and date shall be provided to the Development Services Center at the time of Condition Clearance for attachment to the subject case file.
- 38. **Indemnification and Reimbursement of Litigation Costs.** The applicant shall do all of the following:
  - (i) Defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City from any and all actions against the City relating to or arising out of, in whole or in part, the City's processing and approval of this entitlement, including <u>but not limited to</u>, an action to attack, challenge, set aside, void, or otherwise modify or annul the approval of the entitlement, the environmental review of the entitlement, or the approval of subsequent permit decisions, or to claim personal property damage, including from inverse condemnation or any other constitutional claim.
  - (ii) Reimburse the City for any and all costs incurred in defense of an action related to or arising out of, in whole or in part, the City's processing and approval of the entitlement, including but not limited to payment of all court costs and attorney's fees,

costs of any judgments or awards against the City (including an award of attorney's fees), damages, and/or settlement costs.

- (iii) Submit an initial deposit for the City's litigation costs to the City within 10 days' notice of the City tendering defense to the applicant and requesting a deposit. The initial deposit shall be in an amount set by the City Attorney's Office, in its sole discretion, based on the nature and scope of action, but in no event shall the initial deposit be less than \$50,000. The City's failure to notice or collect the deposit does not relieve the applicant from responsibility to reimburse the City pursuant to the requirement in paragraph (ii).
- (iv) Submit supplemental deposits upon notice by the City. Supplemental deposits may be required in an increased amount from the initial deposit if found necessary by the City to protect the City's interests. The City's failure to notice or collect the deposit does not relieve the applicant from responsibility to reimburse the City pursuant to the requirement in paragraph (ii).
- (v) If the City determines it necessary to protect the City's interest, execute an indemnity and reimbursement agreement with the City under terms consistent with the requirements of this condition.

The City shall notify the applicant within a reasonable period of time of its receipt of any action and the City shall cooperate in the defense. If the City fails to notify the applicant of any claim, action, or proceeding in a reasonable time, or if the City fails to reasonably cooperate in the defense, the applicant shall not thereafter be responsible to defend, indemnify or hold harmless the City.

The City shall have the sole right to choose its counsel, including the City Attorney's office or outside counsel. At its sole discretion, the City may participate at its own expense in the defense of any action, but such participation shall not relieve the applicant of any obligation imposed by this condition. In the event the applicant fails to comply with this condition, in whole or in part, the City may withdraw its defense of the action, void its approval of the entitlement, or take any other action. The City retains the right to make all decisions with respect to its representations in any legal proceeding, including its inherent right to abandon or settle litigation.

For purposes of this condition, the following definitions apply:

"City" shall be defined to include the City, its agents, officers, boards, commissions, committees, employees, and volunteers.

"Action" shall be defined to include suits, proceedings (including those held under alternative dispute resolution procedures), claims, or lawsuits. Actions includes actions, as defined herein, alleging failure to comply with <u>any</u> federal, state or local law.

Nothing in the definitions included in this paragraph are intended to limit the rights of the City or the obligations of the applicant otherwise created by this condition.

### HOUSING REPLACEMENT (HOUSING CRISIS ACT OF 2021 – SB 8 DETERMINATION)

The Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) reviewed all of the existing structures at the subject site and has determined, per the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8) Replacement Unit Determination (RUD), dated May 19, 2023, that one (1) unit is subject to replacement pursuant to requirements of the HCA, including one (1) unit restricted to Very Low Income Households. The one (1) total unit required by the SB 8 RUD is satisfied by the one (1) unit set aside for habitation by Extremely Low-Income Households proposed through the Transit Oriented Communities Affordable Housing Incentive Project, and the project will be required to comply with all applicable regulations set forth by LAHD.

As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for providing replacement housing consistent with California Government Code Sections 65915(c)(3) (State Density Bonus Law) and 66300 (Housing Crisis Act of 2019).

# REVISED TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM BACKGROUND

Measure JJJ was adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on December 13, 2016. Section 6 of the Measure instructed the Department of City Planning to create the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program, a transit-based affordable housing incentive program. The measure required that the Department adopt a set of TOC Guidelines, which establish incentives for residential or mixed-use projects located within ½ mile of a major transit stop. Major transit stops are defined under existing State law.

The TOC Guidelines, adopted on September 22, 2017, establish a tier-based system with varying development bonuses and incentives based on a project's distance from different types of transit. The largest bonuses are reserved for those areas in the closest proximity to significant rail stops or the intersection of major bus rapid transit lines. Required affordability levels are increased incrementally in each higher tier. The incentives provided in the TOC Guidelines describe the range of bonuses from particular zoning standards that applicants may select.

The project site is located approximately 2,460 feet from the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station, which qualifies the site as Tier 3 of the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program (TOC Guidelines) according to the TOC Referral Form dated July 24, 2023.

Pursuant to the TOC Guidelines, the project is eligible for Base Incentives and up to three (3) Additional Incentives for setting aside 10 percent of the total five (5) units and at least eleven (11) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant is not proposing to utilize any base incentives. The applicant requests two (2) Additional Incentives as follows: (1) an up to 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and southerly side yard of four (4) feet and 11 inches in lieu of the minimum seven (7) feet otherwise required; and (2) an up to 13-foot and three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and three (3) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone.

The project site is zoned RD1.5-1XL, which limits the residential density of the subject property to a maximum of one dwelling unit for each 1,500 square feet of lot area. The RD1.5 density allows a maximum base density of six (6) units on an 8,412 square-foot lot. The project proposes a total of five (5) units, which is within the maximum density permitted. The project will consist of 7,472 square feet of floor area, which results in a maximum 1.38:1 FAR. Per the TOC Guidelines, a project containing five (5) dwelling units within Tier 3 units is required to provide a minimum of three (3) residential automobile parking spaces based on a ratio of 0.5 spaces per unit. However, the applicant proposes to utilize Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, which is a California

law that prohibits public agencies or cities from imposing a minimum automobile parking requirement on most development projects located within a half-mile radius of a major transit stop. As the proposed project is a residential project and the site is located within half a mile of a major transit stop, the project qualifies for the parking reduction under the provisions of AB 2097. However, the project is still subject to the maximum parking requirement per the SNAP. The SNAP limits the maximum number of automobile parking spaces to 11, inclusive of guest parking spaces. AB 2097 replaces the parking requirement in the TOC Guidelines and SNAP Parking requirements for residential projects. The project proposes six (6) residential parking spaces which is within the TOC minimum requirement and SNAP maximum requirement, thereby satisfying this requirement.

### REVISED TRANSIT-ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be an eligible Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Housing Development, a project must meet the Eligibility criteria set forth in Section IV of the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Guidelines (TOC Guidelines). A Housing Development located within a TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area shall be eligible for TOC Incentives if it meets all of the following requirements, which it does:

- 1. **On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.** In each Tier, a Housing Development shall provide On-Site Restricted Affordable Units at a rate of at least the minimum percentages described below. The minimum number of On-Site Restricted Affordable Units shall be calculated based upon the total number of units in the final project.
  - a. Tier 1 8% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Extremely Low Income (ELI) Households, 11% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Very Low (VL) Income Households, or 20% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Lower Income Households.
  - b. Tier 2 9% ELI, 12% VL or 21% Lower.
  - c. Tier 3 10% ELI, 14% VL or 23% Lower.
  - d. Tier 4 11% ELI, 15% VL or 25% Lower.

The project site is located within a Tier 3 TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area according to the TOC Referral Form dated July 24, 2023. As part of the proposed development, the project is required to reserve at least 10 percent, or one (1) unit, of the total five (5) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The project proposes one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.

2. **Major Transit Stop.** A Housing Development shall be located on a lot, any portion of which must be located within 2,640 feet of a Major Transit Stop, as defined in Section II and according to the procedures in Section III.2 of the TOC Guidelines.

A Major Transit Stop is a site containing a retail station or the intersection of two (2) or more bus routes with a service interval of 15 minutes or less during the morning and afternoon peak commute periods. The project site is located approximately 2,460 feet from the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for proximity to a Major Transit Stop.

3. **Housing Replacement.** A Housing Development must meet any applicable housing replacement requirements of California Government Code Section 65915(c)(3), as verified by the Department of Housing and Community Investment (HCIDLA) prior to the issuance of any building permit. Replacement housing units required per this section may also count towards other On-Site Restricted Affordable Units requirements.

Pursuant to the Determination made by the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD), previously known as the Los Angeles Housing and Community Investment Department or HCIDLA, dated May 19, 2023, that there is one (1) unit subject to replacement pursuant to the requirements of the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8). The one (1) unit must be equivalent type, with one (1) unit restricted to Very Low Income household occupancy. The proposed project is reserving one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for providing replacement housing consistent with California Government Code Section 65915(c)(3).

4. Other Density or Development Bonus Provisions. A Housing Development shall not seek and receive a density or development bonus under the provisions of California Government Code Section 65915 (State Density Bonus law) or any other State or local program that provides development bonuses. This includes any development bonus or other incentive granting additional residential units or floor area provided through a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, Height District Change, or any affordable housing development bonus in a Transit Neighborhood Plan, Community Plan Implementation Overlay (CPIO), Specific Plan, or overlay district.

The project is not seeking any additional density or development bonuses under the provisions of the State Density Bonus Law or any other State or local program that provides development bonuses, including, but not limited to a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, Height District Change, or any affordable housing development bonus in a Transit Neighborhood Plan, CPIO, Specific Plan, or overlay district. As such, the project meets this eligibility requirement.

- 5. **Base Incentives and Additional Incentives.** All Eligible Housing Developments are eligible to receive the Base Incentives listed in Section VI of the TOC Guidelines. Up to three (3) Additional Incentives listed in Section VII of the TOC Guidelines may be granted based upon the affordability requirements described below. For the purposes of this section below, "base units" refers to the maximum allowable density allowed by the zoning, prior to any density increase provided through these Guidelines. The affordable housing units required per this section may also count towards the On-Site Restricted Affordable Units requirement in Eligibility Requirement No. 1 above (except Moderate Income units).
  - a. One Additional Incentive may be granted for projects that include at least 4% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 5% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 10% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 10% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.
  - b. Two Additional Incentives may be granted for projects that include at least 7% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 10% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 20% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 20% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.
  - c. Three Additional Incentives may be granted for projects that include at least 11% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 15% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 30% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 30% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.

The project is seeking two (2) Additional Incentives as follows: (1) a 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and southerly side yard of four (4) feet, 11 inches in lieu of the minimum seven (7) feet otherwise required; and (2) a 13-foot and three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and three (3) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The project is required to set aside seven (7) percent, or one (1) unit, of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households to qualify for two incentives. The applicant is proposing to set aside one (1) unit for Extremely Low Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for Base and Additional Incentives.

6. **Projects Adhering to Labor Standards.** Projects that adhere to the labor standards required in LAMC 11.5.11 may be granted two (2) Additional Incentives from the menu in Section VII of these Guidelines (for a total of up to five (5) Additional Incentives).

The project is not seeking two (2) Additional Incentives beyond the two (2) permitted in exchange for reserving at least seven (7) percent, or one (1) unit, of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. As such, the project need not adhere to the labor standards required in LAMC Section 11.5.11 and this eligibility requirement does not apply.

7. *Multiple Lots.* A building that crosses one or more lots may request the TOC Incentives that correspond to the lot with the highest Tier permitted by Section III above.

The project site consists of one (1) lot, which is located within a Tier 3 TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

8. **Request for a Lower Tier.** Even though an applicant may be eligible for a certain Tier, they may choose to select a Lower Tier by providing the percentage of On-Site Restricted Affordable Housing units required for any Lower Tier and be limited to the Incentives available for the Lower Tier.

The applicant has not selected a lower Tier and is not providing the percentage of On-Site Restricted Affordable Housing units required for any Lower Tier. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

9. **100% Affordable Housing Projects.** Buildings that are Eligible Housing Developments that consist of 100% On-Site Restricted Affordable units, exclusive of a building manager's unit or units shall, for purposes of these Guidelines, be eligible for one increase in Tier than otherwise would be provided.

The project does not consist of 100% On-Site Restricted Affordable units. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

## REVISED TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM / AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVES COMPLIANCE FINDINGS

Pursuant to Section 12.22 A.31(e) of the LAMC, the Director shall review a Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program project application in accordance with the procedures outlined in LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g).

- 1. Pursuant to Section 12.22 A.25(g) of the LAMC, the Director shall approve a density bonus and requested incentives unless the Director finds that:
  - a. The incentives <u>are not</u> required to provide for affordable housing costs for rents for the affordable units.

The record does not contain substantial evidence that would allow the Director to make a finding that the requested incentives are not necessary to provide for affordable housing costs per State Law. Affordable housing costs are a calculation of residential rent or ownership pricing not to exceed a predetermined percentage of income based on area median income thresholds dependent on affordability levels.

The list of incentives in the TOC Guidelines were pre-evaluated at the time the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Ordinance was adopted to include types of relief that minimize restrictions on the size of the project. As such, the Director will always conclude that the base incentives are required to provide for affordable housing costs because the incentives by their nature increase the scale of the project. The following incentives allow the developer to reduce yard setbacks and increase the building height so that affordable housing units can be constructed, and the overall space dedicated to residential uses is increased. These incentives support the applicant's decision to reserve one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy.

**Yards:** The applicant requests an up to 30 percent reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet. These reductions are expressed in the Menu of Incentives in the TOC Guidelines which permit exceptions to zoning requirements that result in building design or construction efficiencies that facilitate affordable housing costs.

**Height:** The applicant requests a 13-foot and three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and three (3) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The requested increase in height is expressed in the Menu of Incentives in the TOC Guidelines, which permit exceptions to zoning requirements that result in building design or construction efficiencies that provide for affordable housing costs.

b. The Incentive will not have a specific adverse impact upon public health and safety or the physical environment, or on any real property that is listed in the California Register of Historical Resources and for which there are no feasible method to satisfactorily mitigate or avoid the specific adverse Impact without rendering the development unaffordable to Very Low, Low and Moderate Income Households. Inconsistency with the zoning ordinance or the general plan land use designation shall not constitute a specific, adverse impact upon the public health or safety.

There is no substantial evidence in the record that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact. A "specific adverse impact" is defined as, "a significant, quantifiable, direct and unavoidable impact, based on objective, identified written public health or safety standards, policies, or conditions as they existed on the date the application was deemed complete" (LAMC Section 12.22.A.25(b)). As required by Section 12.22 A.25 (e)(2), the project meets the eligibility criterion that is required for density bonus projects. The project also does not involve a contributing structure in a designated Historic Preservation Overlay Zone or on the City of Los Angeles list of Historical-Cultural Monuments. Therefore, there is no substantial evidence that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact on public health and safety. windows of existing adjacent structures to the east and west superimposed onto the proposed project. The elevations show that some of the windows of adjacent residential properties will be marginally affected by the new construction. Given the constraints as an infill development located in an urbanized area, the applicant has demonstrated efforts to arrange windows to avoid directly facing windows across property lines or private open space of other residential units. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

(15) Façade Relief. This Development Standard requires that all exterior building elevations, walls, or fences provide a break in the plane for every 20 feet in horizontal length, and every 15 feet in vertical length created by an architectural detail or a change in material. The Specific Plan further requires architectural treatments on the building front elevation to be continued on the sides and back of buildings. All facades of the proposed building comply with the requirement by providing breaks in the plane through the use of varied building material, recessed windows, façade line treatments, and modulation along the elevations as seen in Exhibit A, A-200, A-210, A-220, and A-230. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

## Revised Design Guidelines

- (16) General Building Design. This Design Guideline recommends that buildings should be compatible in form with the existing neighborhood atmosphere. The surrounding area is currently developed with one- to three-story single- and multifamily residential buildings. Through an additional TOC incentive, the project will receive 13-foot and three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and three (3) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone for setting aside seven (7) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant has agreed to set aside a total of one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. The building massing of multiple existing buildings along the block has a lot of coverage that takes up the majority of their subject lot(s). The proposed project will have a similar lot coverage as those found along the northerly and southerly sides of Van Ness Avenue. Therefore, as conditioned and in conjunction with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.
- (17) Architectural Features. The Design Guidelines encourage courtyards, balconies, arbors, roof gardens, water features, and trellises. Appropriate visual references to historic building forms are encouraged in new construction. The proposed project provides balconies and other architectural features similar to the nearby single-family and multi-family dwellings surrounding the site. Furthermore, the street-facing elevation employs a variety of building materials and articulation by way of changes in building plane and materials. Therefore, the project complies with this Design Guideline.
- (18) Shade. This Design Guideline recommends that canopies, building overhangs and arbors be incorporated into the design of new structures to provide shade. The building includes projections along the facades such as overhangs, thus providing shade. Therefore, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.
- (19) Building Color. The Design Guidelines encourage buildings be painted three colors: a dominant color, a subordinate color and a "grace note" color. The project proposes Belgian Cream (off-white) as its dominant color, More than a Week (gray) as its subordinate color, and Autumn Bark (light brown) as its grace note. Therefore, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.

## F – REVISED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL AND FINDINGS

F.2- REDLINED REVISED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL AND FINDINGS

#### **<u>Revised</u>** TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Conditions

- 1. **Residential Density.** The project shall be limited to a maximum density of five (5) dwelling units including On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.
- 2. **On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.** The project shall provide a minimum of one (1) On-Site Restricted Affordable unit, consisting of one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Households, as defined in California Health and Safety Code to the satisfaction of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD). In the event, that the SB 8 Replacement Unit condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
- 3. **SB 8 Replacement Units.** The project shall be required to comply with the Replacement Unit Determination (RUD) letter, dated May 19, 2023, to the satisfaction of LAHD. The most restrictive affordability levels shall be followed in the covenant. In the event, the Onsite Restricted Affordable Units condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
- 4. **Changes in On-Site Restricted Units**. Deviations that increase the number of restricted affordable units or that change the composition of units or change parking numbers shall be consistent with LAMC Section 12.22 A.31.
- 5. **Housing Requirements.** Prior to issuance of a building permit, the owner shall execute a covenant to the satisfaction of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) to make one (1) unit available to Extremely Low-Income Households or equal to 20 percent of the project's total proposed residential density allowed, for sale or rental as determined to be affordable to such households by LAHD for a period of 55 years. In the event the applicant reduces the proposed density of the project, the number of required set-aside affordable units may be adjusted, consistent with LAMC Section 12.22 A.31, to the satisfaction of LAHD, and in consideration of the project's Replacement Unit Determination.
- 6. **Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO).** Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the owner shall obtain approval from LAHD regarding the replacement of affordable units, provision of RSO Units, and qualification for the Exemption from the Rent Stabilization Ordinance with Replacement Affordable Units in compliance with Ordinance No. 184,873. In order for all the new units to be exempt from the Rent Stabilization Ordinance, the applicant will need to either replace all withdrawn RSO units with affordable units on a one-for-one basis or provide at least 20 percent of the total number of newly constructed rental units as affordable, whichever results in the greater number. The executed and recorded covenant and agreement submitted and approved by LAHD shall be provided.
- 7. **Floor Area Ratio (FAR).** The maximum FAR area shall be limited to <u>0.881.38</u>:1 FAR, or 7,472 square feet.
- 8. **Height.** The project shall be limited to a maximum building height of 43 feet and six (6) <u>three (3)</u> inches, as measured from grade to the highest point of the roof pursuant to the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program.
- 9. **TOC Stepback.** The project shall require any height increases over 11 feet to be steppedback at least 15 feet from the exterior face of the ground floor of the building located along Van Ness Avenue at 41 feet in height, consistent with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area.

10. **Side Yards.** The project shall provide a side yard of four (4) feet and 11 inches along the northerly and southerly property lines.

## **SNAP Conditions**

- 11. **Site Development.** The project shall be in substantial conformance with the plans and materials submitted by the Applicant, including the proposed building design elements and materials, stamped Exhibit "A," attached to the subject case file. No change to the plans shall be made without prior review by the Department of City Planning, Project Planning Bureau, and written approval by the Director of Planning. Each change shall be identified and justified in writing. Minor deviations may be allowed in order to comply with the provisions of the LAMC or the project conditions.
- 12. **Parks First.** Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the applicant shall complete the following:
  - a. Make a payment to the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) for the required Park Fee pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12. Contact RAP staff by email at <u>rap.parkfees@lacity.org</u>, by phone at (213) 202-2682 or in person at the public counter at 221 N. Figueroa St., Suite 400 (4<sup>th</sup> Floor), Los Angeles, CA 90012 to arrange for payment.
  - b. Make a payment of \$17,200 to the Parks First Trust Fund for the net increase of four (4) residential dwelling units. The calculation of a Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid pursuant to the Vermont/Western SNAP shall be off-set by the Park Fee paid pursuant to LAMC Section 17.12 as a result of the project.
  - c. The applicant shall provide proof of payment for the Park Fee to the Department of City Planning (DCP), Central Project Planning Division staff to determine the resulting amount of Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid. DCP staff shall sign off on the Certificate of Occupancy in the event there are no resulting Parks First Trust Fund Fee to be paid.
  - d. In the event there are remaining Parks First Trust Fund Fees to be paid, the applicant shall make a payment to the Office of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), Parks First Trust Fund. Contact Melinda Gejer and Kristine Harutyunyan of the CAO to arrange for payment. Melinda Gejer may be reached at (213) 473-9758 or <u>Melinda.Gejer@lacity.org</u>. Kristine Harutyunyan may be reached at (213) 473-7573 or <u>Kristine.Harutyunyan@lacity.org</u>. The applicant shall submit proof of payment for the Parks First Trust Fund Fee to DCP staff, who will then sign off on the Certificate of Occupancy.
  - e. All residential units in a project containing units set aside as affordable for Very Low or Low-Income Households that are subsidized with public funds and/or Federal or State Tax Credits with affordability covenants of at least 30 years are exempt from the Parks First Trust Fund.
- 13. **Building Setback.** The exterior wall of the building frontage shall be located no closer to the street and no farther from the street than the exterior walls of the adjacent buildings within the same Subarea. As such, the exterior walls of the subject project shall have a minimum building setback of 14 feet, eight (8) inches and a maximum building setback of 30 feet, six (6) inches from the front property line.
- 14. **Open Space.** The project shall provide a minimum of 875 square feet of usable open space. At least 438 square feet must be located at grade or first habitable room level. The

common open space shall be open to the sky, must be at least 400 square feet in size, and have a minimum dimension of 20 feet when measured perpendicular from any point on each of the boundaries of the open space area. Balconies shall have a minimum dimension of six feet and patios shall have a minimum dimension of ten feet. Common open space areas or balconies not meeting the minimum dimension requirements when measured perpendicular from any point on each of the boundaries of the open space area cannot be counted towards the square footage allocated towards meeting the overall usable open space requirement.

- 15. **Required Trees per 12.21 G.2.** As conditioned herein, a final submitted landscape plan shall be reviewed to be in substantial conformance with Exhibit "A". There shall be a minimum of two (2) 24-inch box, or larger, trees onsite pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G.2. Any required trees pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G.2 shown in the public right-of-way in Exhibit "A" shall be preliminarily reviewed and approved by the Urban Forestry Division prior to building permit issuance. In-lieu fees pursuant to LAMC Section 62.177 shall be paid if placement of required trees in the public right-of-way is proven to be infeasible due to City-determined physical constraints.
- 16. Landscaping. The landscape plan shall indicate landscape points for the project equivalent to 10% more than otherwise required by LAMC 12.40 and Landscape Ordinance Guidelines "O". All open areas not used for buildings, driveways, parking areas, recreational facilities, or walks shall be attractively landscaped, including an automatic irrigation system, and maintained in accordance with a landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect or licensed architect, and submitted for approval to the Department of City Planning.
- 17. **Residential Automobile Parking**. The project shall be permitted to provide a minimum of zero parking space pursuant to California Government Code Section 65863.2 (AB 2097) and limited to no more than 10 residential parking spaces and one (1) guest parking space, for a total of 11 maximum parking spaces per the SNAP.
- 18. **Bicycle Parking.** The project shall provide a minimum of two (2) bicycle parking space onsite.
- 19. **Street Trees.** Street trees must be installed and maintained prior to issuance of the building permit or suitably guaranteed through a bond and all improvements must be completed prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
  - a. Four (4), 24-inch box shade trees shall be provided in the public right-of-way along Van Ness Avenue, subject to the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division requirements.
  - b. The project site currently includes existing trees within the 62.11 feet of frontage along Van Ness Avenue. Whether the street tree should remain or should be replaced is subject to the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division.
  - c. A tree well cover shall be provided for each new and existing tree in the public right-of-way adjacent to the subject property to the satisfaction of the Bureau of Street Services.
  - d. The applicant shall be responsible for new street tree planting and pay fees for clerical, inspection, and maintenance per the Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 62.176 for each tree.
  - e. An automatic irrigation system shall be provided.

Note: Contact the Urban Forestry Division, Subdivision staff, at (213) 847-3088 for site inspection prior to any street tree work.

- 20. **Utilities**. All new utility lines which directly service the lot or lots shall be installed underground. If underground service is not currently available, then provisions shall be made by the applicant for future underground service.
- 21. **Curb Cuts.** Only one curb cut that is 20 feet in width for every 100 feet of street frontage is allowed, unless otherwise required by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety. Approval by the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, or Building and Safety for a curb cut exceeding 20 feet in width must be provided to the Department of City Planning once received.
- 22. **Driveways.** The first 25 feet in length of the driveway shall be constructed of Portland cement concrete, pervious cement, grass-crete, or any other porous surface that reduces heat radiation and/or increases surface absorption, thereby reducing runoff.
- 23. **Trash**, **Service Equipment**, and **Satellite Dishes**. Trash, service equipment, and satellite dishes, including transformer areas, shall be located away from streets and enclosed or screened by landscaping, fencing, or other architectural means. The trash area shall be enclosed by a minimum six-foot-high decorative masonry wall. Each trash enclosure shall have a separate area for recyclables. Any transformer area within the front yard shall be enclosed or screened.
- 24. **Rooftop Appurtenances.** All rooftop equipment and building appurtenances shall be screened from any street, public right-of-way, or adjacent property with enclosures or parapet walls constructed of materials complementary to the materials and design of the main structure.
- 25. **Roof Lines.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', all roof lines greater than 40 feet in length shall be broken up with the use of gables, formers, plant-ons, cutouts, or other appropriate means.
- 26. **Privacy.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', the façade shall avoid placing windows facing windows across property lines or facing private outdoor spaces of other residential units.
- 27. **Façade Relief.** As illustrated in 'Exhibit A', all exterior elevations shall provide a break in the plane every 20 feet in horizontal length and every 15 feet in vertical length.
- 28. **Landscape Plan.** The applicant shall submit a final landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect showing enhanced paving such as stamped concrete, permeable paved surfaces, tile, and/or brick within paved areas in front, side, and rear yards.
- 29. **Irrigation Plan.** A final irrigation plan shall be prepared and included.

## Administrative Conditions

30. **Final Plans.** Prior to the issuance of any building permits for the project by the Department of Building and Safety, the applicant shall submit all final construction plans that are awaiting issuance of a building permit by the Department of Building and Safety for final review and approval by the Department of City Planning. All plans that are awaiting issuance of a building permit by the Department of Building and Safety shall be stamped by Department of City Planning staff "Plans Approved". A copy of the Plans Approved, supplied by the applicant, shall be retained in the subject case file.

- 31. **Notations on Plans.** Plans submitted to the Department of Building and Safety, for the purpose of processing a building permit application shall include all of the Conditions of Approval herein attached as a cover sheet and shall include any modifications or notations required herein.
- 32. **Approval, Verification and Submittals.** Copies of any approvals, guarantees or verification of consultations, review of approval, plans, etc., as may be required by the subject conditions, shall be provided to the Department of City Planning prior to clearance of any building permits, for placement in the subject file.
- 33. **Code Compliance.** Use, area, height, and yard regulations of the zone classification of the subject property shall be complied with, except where granted conditions differ herein.
- 34. **Department of Building and Safety**. The granting of this determination by the Director of Planning does not in any way indicate full compliance with applicable provisions of the Los Angeles Municipal Code Chapter IX (Building Code). Any corrections and/or modifications to plans made subsequent to this determination by a Department of Building and Safety Plan Check Engineer that affect any part of the exterior design or appearance of the project as approved by the Director, and which are deemed necessary by the Department of Building and Safety for Building Code compliance, shall require a referral of the revised plans back to the Department of City Planning for additional review and sign-off prior to the issuance of any permit in connection with those plans.
- 35. **Enforcement.** Compliance with these conditions and the intent of these conditions shall be to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning.
- 36. **Expiration.** In the event that this grant is not utilized within three years of its effective date (the day following the last day that an appeal may be filed), the grant shall be considered null and void. Issuance of a building permit, and the initiation of, and diligent continuation of, construction activity shall constitute utilization for the purposes of this grant.
- 37. **Recording Covenant.** Prior to the issuance of any permits relative to this matter, a covenant acknowledging and agreeing to comply with all the terms and conditions established herein shall be recorded in the County Recorder's Office. The agreement (standard master covenant and agreement form CP-6770) shall run with the land and shall be binding on any subsequent owners, heirs, or assigns. The agreement with the conditions attached must be submitted to the Development Services Center for approval before being recorded. After recordation, a certified copy bearing the Recorder's number and date shall be provided to the Development Services Center at the time of Condition Clearance for attachment to the subject case file.
- 38. **Indemnification and Reimbursement of Litigation Costs.** The applicant shall do all of the following:
  - (i) Defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City from any and all actions against the City relating to or arising out of, in whole or in part, the City's processing and approval of this entitlement, including <u>but not limited to</u>, an action to attack, challenge, set aside, void, or otherwise modify or annul the approval of the entitlement, the environmental review of the entitlement, or the approval of subsequent permit decisions, or to claim personal property damage, including from inverse condemnation or any other constitutional claim.
  - (ii) Reimburse the City for any and all costs incurred in defense of an action related to or arising out of, in whole or in part, the City's processing and approval of the entitlement, including but not limited to payment of all court costs and attorney's fees,

costs of any judgments or awards against the City (including an award of attorney's fees), damages, and/or settlement costs.

- (iii) Submit an initial deposit for the City's litigation costs to the City within 10 days' notice of the City tendering defense to the applicant and requesting a deposit. The initial deposit shall be in an amount set by the City Attorney's Office, in its sole discretion, based on the nature and scope of action, but in no event shall the initial deposit be less than \$50,000. The City's failure to notice or collect the deposit does not relieve the applicant from responsibility to reimburse the City pursuant to the requirement in paragraph (ii).
- (iv) Submit supplemental deposits upon notice by the City. Supplemental deposits may be required in an increased amount from the initial deposit if found necessary by the City to protect the City's interests. The City's failure to notice or collect the deposit does not relieve the applicant from responsibility to reimburse the City pursuant to the requirement in paragraph (ii).
- (v) If the City determines it necessary to protect the City's interest, execute an indemnity and reimbursement agreement with the City under terms consistent with the requirements of this condition.

The City shall notify the applicant within a reasonable period of time of its receipt of any action and the City shall cooperate in the defense. If the City fails to notify the applicant of any claim, action, or proceeding in a reasonable time, or if the City fails to reasonably cooperate in the defense, the applicant shall not thereafter be responsible to defend, indemnify or hold harmless the City.

The City shall have the sole right to choose its counsel, including the City Attorney's office or outside counsel. At its sole discretion, the City may participate at its own expense in the defense of any action, but such participation shall not relieve the applicant of any obligation imposed by this condition. In the event the applicant fails to comply with this condition, in whole or in part, the City may withdraw its defense of the action, void its approval of the entitlement, or take any other action. The City retains the right to make all decisions with respect to its representations in any legal proceeding, including its inherent right to abandon or settle litigation.

For purposes of this condition, the following definitions apply:

"City" shall be defined to include the City, its agents, officers, boards, commissions, committees, employees, and volunteers.

"Action" shall be defined to include suits, proceedings (including those held under alternative dispute resolution procedures), claims, or lawsuits. Actions includes actions, as defined herein, alleging failure to comply with <u>any</u> federal, state or local law.

Nothing in the definitions included in this paragraph are intended to limit the rights of the City or the obligations of the applicant otherwise created by this condition.

#### HOUSING REPLACEMENT (HOUSING CRISIS ACT OF 2021 – SB 8 DETERMINATION)

The Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) reviewed all of the existing structures at the subject site and has determined, per the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8) Replacement Unit Determination (RUD), dated May 19, 2023, that one (1) unit is subject to replacement pursuant to requirements of the HCA, including one (1) unit restricted to Very Low Income Households. The one (1) total unit required by the SB 8 RUD is satisfied by the one (1) unit set aside for habitation by Extremely Low-Income Households proposed through the Transit Oriented Communities Affordable Housing Incentive Project, and the project will be required to comply with all applicable regulations set forth by LAHD.

As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for providing replacement housing consistent with California Government Code Sections 65915(c)(3) (State Density Bonus Law) and 66300 (Housing Crisis Act of 2019).

# **<u>REVISED</u>** TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM BACKGROUND

Measure JJJ was adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on December 13, 2016. Section 6 of the Measure instructed the Department of City Planning to create the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program, a transit-based affordable housing incentive program. The measure required that the Department adopt a set of TOC Guidelines, which establish incentives for residential or mixed-use projects located within ½ mile of a major transit stop. Major transit stops are defined under existing State law.

The TOC Guidelines, adopted on September 22, 2017, establish a tier-based system with varying development bonuses and incentives based on a project's distance from different types of transit. The largest bonuses are reserved for those areas in the closest proximity to significant rail stops or the intersection of major bus rapid transit lines. Required affordability levels are increased incrementally in each higher tier. The incentives provided in the TOC Guidelines describe the range of bonuses from particular zoning standards that applicants may select.

The project site is located approximately 2,460 feet from the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station, which qualifies the site as Tier 3 of the Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program (TOC Guidelines) according to the TOC Referral Form dated July 24, 2023.

Pursuant to the TOC Guidelines, the project is eligible for Base Incentives and up to three (3) Additional Incentives for setting aside 10 percent of the total five (5) units and at least eleven (11) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant is not proposing to utilize any base incentives. The applicant requests two (2) Additional Incentives as follows: (1) an up to 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and southerly side yard of four (4) feet and 11 inches in lieu of the minimum seven (7) feet otherwise required; and (2) an up to 13-foot and six (6) inch-three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and -six (6) three (3) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone.

The project site is zoned RD1.5-1XL, which limits the residential density of the subject property to a maximum of one dwelling unit for each 1,500 square feet of lot area. The RD1.5 density allows a maximum base density of six (6) units on an 8,412 square-foot lot. The project proposes a total of five (5) units, which is within the maximum density permitted. The project will consist of 7,472 square feet of floor area, which results in a maximum <u>.881.38</u>:1 FAR. Per the TOC Guidelines, a project containing five (5) dwelling units within Tier 3 units is required to provide a minimum of three (3) residential automobile parking spaces based on a ratio of 0.5 spaces per unit. However, the applicant proposes to utilize Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, which is a

California law that prohibits public agencies or cities from imposing a minimum automobile parking requirement on most development projects located within a half-mile radius of a major transit stop. As the proposed project is a residential project and the site is located within half a mile of a major transit stop, the project qualifies for the parking reduction under the provisions of AB 2097. However, the project is still subject to the maximum parking requirement per the SNAP. The SNAP limits the maximum number of automobile parking spaces to 11, inclusive of guest parking spaces. AB 2097 replaces the parking requirement in the TOC Guidelines and SNAP Parking requirements for residential projects. The project proposes six (6) residential parking spaces which is within the TOC minimum requirement and SNAP maximum requirement, thereby satisfying this requirement.

#### <u>REVISED</u> TRANSIT-ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be an eligible Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Housing Development, a project must meet the Eligibility criteria set forth in Section IV of the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Guidelines (TOC Guidelines). A Housing Development located within a TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area shall be eligible for TOC Incentives if it meets all of the following requirements, which it does:

- 1. **On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.** In each Tier, a Housing Development shall provide On-Site Restricted Affordable Units at a rate of at least the minimum percentages described below. The minimum number of On-Site Restricted Affordable Units shall be calculated based upon the total number of units in the final project.
  - a. Tier 1 8% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Extremely Low Income (ELI) Households, 11% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Very Low (VL) Income Households, or 20% of the total number of dwelling units shall be affordable to Lower Income Households.
  - b. Tier 2 9% ELI, 12% VL or 21% Lower.
  - c. Tier 3 10% ELI, 14% VL or 23% Lower.
  - d. Tier 4 11% ELI, 15% VL or 25% Lower.

The project site is located within a Tier 3 TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area according to the TOC Referral Form dated July 24, 2023. As part of the proposed development, the project is required to reserve at least 10 percent, or one (1) unit, of the total five (5) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The project proposes one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.

2. **Major Transit Stop.** A Housing Development shall be located on a lot, any portion of which must be located within 2,640 feet of a Major Transit Stop, as defined in Section II and according to the procedures in Section III.2 of the TOC Guidelines.

A Major Transit Stop is a site containing a retail station or the intersection of two (2) or more bus routes with a service interval of 15 minutes or less during the morning and afternoon peak commute periods. The project site is located approximately 2,460 feet from the Hollywood/Western Metro Red Line Station. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for proximity to a Major Transit Stop.

3. **Housing Replacement.** A Housing Development must meet any applicable housing replacement requirements of California Government Code Section 65915(c)(3), as verified by the Department of Housing and Community Investment (HCIDLA) prior to the issuance of any building permit. Replacement housing units required per this section may also count towards other On-Site Restricted Affordable Units requirements.

Pursuant to the Determination made by the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD), previously known as the Los Angeles Housing and Community Investment Department or HCIDLA, dated May 19, 2023, that there is one (1) unit subject to replacement pursuant to the requirements of the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8). The one (1) unit must be equivalent type, with one (1) unit restricted to Very Low Income household occupancy. The proposed project is reserving one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for providing replacement housing consistent with California Government Code Section 65915(c)(3).

4. Other Density or Development Bonus Provisions. A Housing Development shall not seek and receive a density or development bonus under the provisions of California Government Code Section 65915 (State Density Bonus law) or any other State or local program that provides development bonuses. This includes any development bonus or other incentive granting additional residential units or floor area provided through a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, Height District Change, or any affordable housing development bonus in a Transit Neighborhood Plan, Community Plan Implementation Overlay (CPIO), Specific Plan, or overlay district.

The project is not seeking any additional density or development bonuses under the provisions of the State Density Bonus Law or any other State or local program that provides development bonuses, including, but not limited to a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, Height District Change, or any affordable housing development bonus in a Transit Neighborhood Plan, CPIO, Specific Plan, or overlay district. As such, the project meets this eligibility requirement.

- 5. **Base Incentives and Additional Incentives.** All Eligible Housing Developments are eligible to receive the Base Incentives listed in Section VI of the TOC Guidelines. Up to three (3) Additional Incentives listed in Section VII of the TOC Guidelines may be granted based upon the affordability requirements described below. For the purposes of this section below, "base units" refers to the maximum allowable density allowed by the zoning, prior to any density increase provided through these Guidelines. The affordable housing units required per this section may also count towards the On-Site Restricted Affordable Units requirement in Eligibility Requirement No. 1 above (except Moderate Income units).
  - a. One Additional Incentive may be granted for projects that include at least 4% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 5% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 10% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 10% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.
  - b. Two Additional Incentives may be granted for projects that include at least 7% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 10% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 20% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 20% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.
  - c. Three Additional Incentives may be granted for projects that include at least 11% of the base units for Extremely Low-Income Households, at least 15% of the base units for Very Low-Income Households, at least 30% of the base units for Lower Income Households, or at least 30% of the base units for persons and families of Moderate Income in a common interest development.

The project is seeking two (2) Additional Incentives as follows: (1) a 30 percent reduction to permit a northerly and southerly side yard of four (4) feet, 11 inches in lieu of the minimum seven (7) feet otherwise required; and (2) a 13-foot and <u>six (6)-inch\_three (3)</u> inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and <u>six (6)\_three (3)</u> inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The project is required to set aside seven (7) percent, or one (1) unit, of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households to qualify for two incentives. The applicant is proposing to set aside one (1) unit for Extremely Low Income Household occupancy. As such, the project meets the eligibility requirement for Base and Additional Incentives.

6. **Projects Adhering to Labor Standards.** Projects that adhere to the labor standards required in LAMC 11.5.11 may be granted two (2) Additional Incentives from the menu in Section VII of these Guidelines (for a total of up to five (5) Additional Incentives).

The project is not seeking two (2) Additional Incentives beyond the two (2) permitted in exchange for reserving at least seven (7) percent, or one (1) unit, of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. As such, the project need not adhere to the labor standards required in LAMC Section 11.5.11 and this eligibility requirement does not apply.

7. *Multiple Lots.* A building that crosses one or more lots may request the TOC Incentives that correspond to the lot with the highest Tier permitted by Section III above.

The project site consists of one (1) lot, which is located within a Tier 3 TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Area. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

8. **Request for a Lower Tier.** Even though an applicant may be eligible for a certain Tier, they may choose to select a Lower Tier by providing the percentage of On-Site Restricted Affordable Housing units required for any Lower Tier and be limited to the Incentives available for the Lower Tier.

The applicant has not selected a lower Tier and is not providing the percentage of On-Site Restricted Affordable Housing units required for any Lower Tier. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

9. **100% Affordable Housing Projects.** Buildings that are Eligible Housing Developments that consist of 100% On-Site Restricted Affordable units, exclusive of a building manager's unit or units shall, for purposes of these Guidelines, be eligible for one increase in Tier than otherwise would be provided.

The project does not consist of 100% On-Site Restricted Affordable units. As such, this eligibility requirement does not apply.

# **<u>REVISED</u>** TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVE PROGRAM / AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVES COMPLIANCE FINDINGS

Pursuant to Section 12.22 A.31(e) of the LAMC, the Director shall review a Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) Affordable Housing Incentive Program project application in accordance with the procedures outlined in LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g).

1. Pursuant to Section 12.22 A.25(g) of the LAMC, the Director shall approve a density bonus and requested incentives unless the Director finds that:

## a. The incentives <u>are not</u> required to provide for affordable housing costs for rents for the affordable units.

The record does not contain substantial evidence that would allow the Director to make a finding that the requested incentives are not necessary to provide for affordable housing costs per State Law. Affordable housing costs are a calculation of residential rent or ownership pricing not to exceed a predetermined percentage of income based on area median income thresholds dependent on affordability levels.

The list of incentives in the TOC Guidelines were pre-evaluated at the time the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program Ordinance was adopted to include types of relief that minimize restrictions on the size of the project. As such, the Director will always conclude that the base incentives are required to provide for affordable housing costs because the incentives by their nature increase the scale of the project. The following incentives allow the developer to reduce yard setbacks and increase the building height so that affordable housing units can be constructed, and the overall space dedicated to residential uses is increased. These incentives support the applicant's decision to reserve one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy.

**Yards:** The applicant requests an up to 30 percent reduction in the required yard setback, for a minimum of four (4) feet and 11 inches for the northerly and southerly side yards, in lieu of the otherwise required seven (7) feet. These reductions are expressed in the Menu of Incentives in the TOC Guidelines which permit exceptions to zoning requirements that result in building design or construction efficiencies that facilitate affordable housing costs.

**Height:** The applicant requests a 13-foot<u>and three (3) inches</u> increase in height to permit 43 feet and <u>six (6)-three (3)</u> inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone. The requested increase in height is expressed in the Menu of Incentives in the TOC Guidelines, which permit exceptions to zoning requirements that result in building design or construction efficiencies that provide for affordable housing costs.

b. The Incentive will not have a specific adverse impact upon public health and safety or the physical environment, or on any real property that is listed in the California Register of Historical Resources and for which there are no feasible method to satisfactorily mitigate or avoid the specific adverse Impact without rendering the development unaffordable to Very Low, Low and Moderate Income Households. Inconsistency with the zoning ordinance or the general plan land use designation shall not constitute a specific, adverse impact upon the public health or safety.

There is no substantial evidence in the record that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact. A "specific adverse impact" is defined as, "a significant, quantifiable, direct and unavoidable impact, based on objective, identified written public health or safety standards, policies, or conditions as they existed on the date the application was deemed complete" (LAMC Section 12.22.A.25(b)). As required by Section 12.22 A.25 (e)(2), the project meets the eligibility criterion that is required for density bonus projects. The project also does not involve a contributing structure in a designated Historic Preservation Overlay Zone or on the City of Los Angeles list of Historical-Cultural Monuments. Therefore, there is no substantial evidence that the proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact on public health and safety.

- (14) **Privacy.** This Development Standard requires that buildings be arranged to avoid windows facing windows across property lines, or the private open space of other residential units. As seen in Exhibit A, Sheet A-201, the project abuts residential uses to the north and south. The applicant has provided elevations which depict the windows of existing adjacent structures to the east and west superimposed onto the proposed project. The elevations show that some of the windows of adjacent residential properties will be marginally affected by the new construction. Given the constraints as an infill development located in an urbanized area, the applicant has demonstrated efforts to arrange windows to avoid directly facing windows across property lines or private open space of other residential units. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.
- (15) Façade Relief. This Development Standard requires that all exterior building elevations, walls, or fences provide a break in the plane for every 20 feet in horizontal length, and every 15 feet in vertical length created by an architectural detail or a change in material. The Specific Plan further requires architectural treatments on the building front elevation to be continued on the sides and back of buildings. All facades of the proposed building comply with the requirement by providing breaks in the plane through the use of varied building material, recessed windows, façade line treatments, and modulation along the elevations as seen in Exhibit A, A-200, A-210, A-220, and A-230. Therefore, the project complies with this Development Standard.

## Revised Design Guidelines

- General Building Design. This Design Guideline recommends that buildings (16) should be compatible in form with the existing neighborhood atmosphere. The surrounding area is currently developed with one- to three-story single- and multifamily residential buildings. Through an additional TOC incentive, the project will receive 13-foot and six (6)-three (3) inches increase in height to permit 43 feet and six (6) three (3) inches of maximum building height in lieu of the maximum 30 feet otherwise permitted in the RD1.5-1XL Zone for setting aside seven (7) percent of the base six (6) units for Extremely Low-Income Households. The applicant has agreed to set aside a total of one (1) unit for Extremely Low-Income Household occupancy. The building massing of multiple existing buildings along the block has a lot of coverage that takes up the majority of their subject lot(s). The proposed project will have a similar lot coverage as those found along the northerly and southerly sides of Van Ness Avenue. Therefore, as conditioned and in conjunction with the TOC Affordable Housing Incentive Program, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.
- (17) Architectural Features. The Design Guidelines encourage courtyards, balconies, arbors, roof gardens, water features, and trellises. Appropriate visual references to historic building forms are encouraged in new construction. The proposed project provides balconies and other architectural features similar to the nearby single-family and multi-family dwellings surrounding the site. Furthermore, the street-facing elevation employs a variety of building materials and articulation by way of changes in building plane and materials. Therefore, the project complies with this Design Guideline.
- (18) Shade. This Design Guideline recommends that canopies, building overhangs and arbors be incorporated into the design of new structures to provide shade. The building includes projections along the facades such as overhangs, thus providing shade. Therefore, the project satisfies this Design Guideline.