West Adams – Baldwin Hills – Leimert Community Plan Implementation Overlay (CPIO) Venice/National TOD Subarea and Appendices Checklist

NOTE: This checklist is an attachment to the Community Plan Implementation Overlay, Administrative Clearance Application. Plan Sheet reference is to be completed by the **applicant** in accordance with plans submitted for review.

Related LAMC Code Sections: LAMC §13.14 authorizes Community Plan Implementation Overlays (CPIO). Ordinance No. 184,794 established the West Adams-Baldwin Hills-Leimert CPIO; refer to Chapter VI and Appendices A – B referenced below when completing this checklist.

This Venice/National TOD Subarea Checklist includes the following CPIO Sections:

- Venice/National TOD Subarea (Chapter VI), page 2
- Streetscape, Mobility and Open Space Provisions (Appendix A), page 9
- Environmental Standards (Appendix B), page 10

Eligible Historic Resource Evaluation (CPIO Subsection 6.C.5. (p. 12); Subsection 6.C.6. (p. 13))

A. Does the Project involve an Eligible Historic Resource or Designated Historic Resource as defined by the West Adams-Baldwin Hills-Leimert CPIO (CPIO, p. 8)?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
B. Does the Project involve the demolition of an Eligible Historic Resource or Designated Historic Resource?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

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CPIO Sta	ndard	See Plan Sheet	Standard Met? (For Staff Use)	Staff Comments
Land Us	e Regulations			
VI.1.A.	Any new use or Change of Use shall be subject to the use regulations set forth in Table VI-1(See Table VI-1 Venice/National TOD Subarea Use Regulations, CPIO, p. 67)		☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A	
VI.1.B.	Uses made non-conforming by this CPIO shall comply with LAMC Section 12.23.		☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A	
Develop	ment Standards			
Building	Height			
	Overall Height:	400		
VI.2.A.	Figure VI-2 (CPIO, p. 71) In Parcel Group A, the maximum building height is 150 feet and shall transition as provided in Section 2, below. (See Figures VI-3 - VI-6 below). In Parcel Group D, the maximum building height is 55 feet. In Parcel Group D, the maximum height is 45 feet. Architectural Features may exceed the maximum building height by up to 20%. Individual stories may not exceed 14 feet in height from finished floor to finished ceiling, except the ground floor, which shall have a maximum finished floor to finished ceiling height of 25 feet. The ground floor shall have a minimum finished floor to finished ceiling height of 11 feet. Parapet walls and guard rails utilized to exceed the maximum allowable building height by up to 42 inches or as required by the Building Code. Guard rails shall not be located within five feet of a lot line abutting a residential use. Rooftop equipment, structures, and improvements may exceed the maximum building height when authorized pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21.1.B.3(a) so long as it is screened from public view using non-reflective materials or		☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A	

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Parcel Group "A" - Required Tower Height Buffering Standards: Fig. VI -3



Parcel Group "A" - Building Height Standards: Fig. VI -4



Transition to Residential:

New construction Projects in Parcel Group A shall be subject to the following transitional height requirements. (See Figures VI-2 - VI-6).

- 55 Foot Height. Except as provided in Subsection 2, below, building frontages shall have a maximum building height of 55 feet.
- 75 Foot Height at Corners. Any building frontage located within 150 feet of an intersection (as measured from the corner lot line) shall have a maximum building height of 75-feet.
- 100 Foot Height. Any portion of a building that is set back at least 50 feet from any street-facing property line or a property line abutting the Helms Building shall have a maximum height of 100 feet provided 0.75 square feet of open space is provided on-site for every square foot of Building Footprint that is above 55 feet.
- 150 Foot Height. Portions of a building that are set back at least 100 feet from any street facing property line or a property line abutting the Helms Building shall have a maximum height of 150 feet provided 0.75 square feet of open space is provided on-site for every square foot of Building Footprint that is above 100 feet.
- Helms Building Step-back. Building elevations that are adjacent to or fronting the Helms Building shall feature a five-foot "step-back" at 30 feet above the sidewalk grade, or the prevailing height of the Helms Building, as determined by City Planning.
- For Projects within Parcel Groups C and E, new construction on a lot that is
 designated commercial or industrial in the Community Plan that directly abuts or is
 across an alley from a lot that is designated residential in the Community Plan shall
 transition in the following manner:
 - Where the rear or side yard property line is contiguous with the residential lot, or separated by an alley, the entire building shall be set back, or individual floors "stepped back," one foot for every one foot in building height as measured 15 feet above grade at the shared property line, or alley property line.
 - When the Project site is located across a local street from the front yard of a residential lot, the maximum building height shall not exceed 30 feet in height within 50 feet of the commercial or industrial lot line.

Building Density & Intensity

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VI.2. B.1.	maxir subje • For a - - • In Pa not e: • In Pa	pt for Affordab mum and mini ct to the follow Project in Par the maximum located below facility located or the baseline above grade the property parking. rcel Groups A xceed 75 perc rcel Groups B	mum building ving: cel Groups A, n FAR shall ap v grade on-site d within the To FAR applies to For off-site p owner shall re and C, the resent of the build	FAR shall be C, and E: pply where at e or within ar OD and no n o Projects wheatking, prior cord a cover sidential com ding's total fle sidential com	e as provided least 80 percent off-site share than 750 mere parking is to building percent committer aponent of Mixoor area.	o Section I-5, the in Table VI-2.1 and the rent of all parking struction feet from the Properties located on-site formits being issuing to the off-site sted-Use Projects and the Projects and th	g is ture or roject; e at or led,	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A			
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В	Not Permitted		2:1	2:1	1:1	2:1	2:1	:1	Not Permitt		
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VI.2. B.2.	If the Helms Bu of Historic Reso floor area rights	ilding in Parce ources, the pro that would be me of designa area shall be	I Group B is deperty owner(seallowed in the tion to any rec) in Parcel G e CPIO Distr ceptor site in	roup B may to ict for Parcel (Parcel Group	ransfer any unus Group B that are A, C, or E. An	sed e y	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A			
Buildir	ng Disposition										
VI.2. C.1.	shall proviProjects in shall proviProjects in a minimum	Parcel Group de a minimum Parcel Group de a minimum Parcel Group In lot coverage	s C, and E, th lot coverage of s A, B, and D lot coverage of A that involve of 30% when	at involve the of 30%. that involve of 50%, excee the construat least 20%	e construction the constructi ppt as required ction of a new of the lot is d	of a new buildir on of a new build d below. building shall p evoted to open selow the adjace	ding provide space.	☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ N/A			

sidewalk grade and shall be designed to enhance linkages from the Mass Transit Station to nearby public spaces and Pedestrian Amenities. A covenant shall be required to ensure that the open space remains accessible and open to the public at all

Lot coverage shall be the cumulative total of the Building Footprint of all buildings on the lot.

Tower footprints shall not exceed 10,000 square feet.

times the length of any adjacent lesser tower elevation.

Individual floor plates for portions of towers in excess of 75 feet in height shall be limited to the following separation, footprint, and elevation regulations. (See

Tower elevations that face onto other tower elevations of equal or greater height, for a length of 20 feet or more, shall be distanced from one another

one foot for every 2 feet in height as measured from 75 feet above grade to a

The longest elevation of any tower shall not exceed one and one third (1.33)

In all instances the maximum length of any tower elevation shall not exceed

times that mass transit service is available.

maximum separation of 30 feet.

figures VI-5 and VI-6).

100 feet.

Tower Coverage:

VI.2.

C.2.

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☐ Yes

□ No

□ N/A

Parcel Group "A" Tower Footprint Standards:



Towers 75 feet in height or greater that face onto other towers of equal or greater height for a length of 20 feet or more shall be distanced from one another one (1) foot for every two (2) feet in height.

Applies only to portions of towers above 55 feet in height

Fig. VI-5



Individual floor plates for buildings in excess of 75 feet in height shall be limited as follows:

- The longest elevation(s) of the tower shall not exceed one and one third (1-1/3) times the length of the adjacent lesser tower elevation.
- In all instances, the maximum length of any tower elevation shall not exceed 100 feet.

Fig. VI-6

Building Design In addition to any regulations set forth by the underlying zone and the LAMC, the following design regulations shall apply to Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E: Sidewalk Frontage: The maximum setback for the Primary Frontage from the sidewalk shall be 2 feet. If the street facing facade is accessible to the public, the maximum Primary Frontage setback from the sidewalk may be exceeded by up to 20 feet along any ☐ Yes portion of a lot line that abut any Pedestrian Amenities incorporated into the VI.2. □ No Project. D 1 The maximum Primary Frontage setback shall not apply to those portions of the □ N/A Primary Frontage where driveways are required. The maximum Primary Frontage setback shall be waived to the extent necessary to preserve a Designated or Eligible Historic Resource, or a Character Defining Element of the façade consistent with CPIO Subsection I-6.C.6. Corner Building Frontages: All street facing facades for a building on a corner lot shall comply with the Primary Frontage requirements listed in Building Design. Sidewalk Frontage, ☐ Yes VI.2. □ No above. D.2. For Mixed-Use buildings on a corner lot, no setback requirements, other than □ N/A those in Subsection 1, above, shall apply to any portion of a building frontage used for residential uses. **Building Façade Articulation:** ☐ Yes VI.2. Building façades of large projects shall be broken into a series of appropriately scaled □ No buildings or recessed Pedestrian Amenities areas such that Ground Floor elevations do not D.3. □ N/A exceed more than 250 feet in length. ☐ Yes Pedestrian-Oriented Ground Floor: VI.2. □ No For Projects with new construction or a change of use, the ground floor of the D.4. Primary Frontage shall incorporate public interior spaces (such as public access □ N/A

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D.5.	Subdivisions, as auth with abutting or share	norized by LAMC	Section 12.22 C.2	7, shall have 0 sid			□ No			
Parkin	ng									
VI.2. E.1.	Resource Yes - e include an than 10% No N/A B. Does the F or Eligible the limits it the Charace 6.C.6.? Yes - n No N/A C. Does the F Store use Yes - F Projects of coverant g	hall apply: ired On-site Parki ect a Restoration or Eligible Historic exempt from all off addition of more of the original b Restoration or Rel Historic Resource sted in the precede cter Defining Elem hay reduce the re Project include a re or Community Fa Full-Service Groce betaining parking re guaranteeing the use in connection	or Rehabilitation For Resource? f-street parking redithan 500 square fuilding envelope. The habilitation Project is include a demolified bullet point about the façade quired parking by the wase or change	Project of a Design quirements provide reet or involve a design at the constant of a Designated Hamilton or addition that prove, or involves the consistent with Constant with Constant with Constant of the consistent with Constant with Const	ed that it does not emolition more Historic Resource it is in excess of the preservation of PIO Subsection I- ervice Grocery parking by 25%. If record a community		☐ Ye☐ No☐ N/A			
Table	VI-2.2 Summary of Vehic	cular Parking Stan	dards							
	Permitted Parking Hybrid Industrial		Parking Maximums*		Mixed Use			100% Residentia		
Parce	Reduction (%)	Maximum (%)	Reduction (%)	Maximum (%)	Reduction (%)	Maximu	m (%)	Reduction (%)	Maximum (%	6)
Group	N/A	N/A	50	90	50	90		N/A	N/A	
В	N/A	N/A	50	90	50	90		N/A	N/A	
С	N/A	N/A	50	90	50	90		N/A	N/A	
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	building faça A minimum of the shall have	ed but not require c C or D, as applic rojects shall comp king areas shall n ade facing a stree of 10% of the tota at least one shac	cable, and the Con ly with the followir ot be located betw	nmunity Plan Com ng parking design veen the property I ce parking lot shal our uncovered park	mercial Area regulations: ine and any I be landscaped. sing spaces		☐ Ye ☐ No ☐ N/#			

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- or, Tipu. The trees shall be distributed throughout the parking lot to shade the parking area at maturity.
- Those surface parking areas that are not located to the rear of the lot behind a
 building shall provide a 3 foot landscaped buffer, and a 3 ½ foot high solid
 decorative wall along the property line facing the street or alley, and shall contain a
 24" box tree or 15 gallon tree every 20 lineal feet. Trees provided within the
 landscape buffer may also be applied toward the tree requirements of this
 subsection.
- Structured or podium parking located at the ground floor level of Commercial and Mixed-Use buildings shall be buffered from view, including through the use of public interior spaces pursuant to the Pedestrian-Oriented Ground Floor subsection in Building Design.
- Structured or podium parking located at the ground floor level that is not buffered from view through Commercial, Mixed-Use uses or other public interior spaces, shall be screened by a minimum 3 foot wide landscaped buffer that conforms to the following standards:
 - The buffer shall be landscaped with one of the following:
 - 24" box trees or 15 gallon trees, not less than 10 feet in height at the time of planting, planted at a ratio of one for every 20 lineal feet; or
 - Ground cover with a minimum height of 3 feet at maturity planted over the entire landscaped setback; or
 - Clinging vines, oleander trees or similar vegetation planted over in the landscaped setback and capable of covering or screening the length of the wall of the podium parking up to a height of at least 9 feet.
- An automatic irrigation system shall be installed within the landscaped buffer.
- Parking structures located below grade may occupy the entire footprint of the site.
- Access driveways shall be taken from alleys or side-streets when present. Driveway widths shall not exceed 30 feet, or the minimum allowed by the Los Angeles Department of Transportation, whichever is less. Multiple driveways providing access to the same project shall be a minimum of 200 feet apart from each other.

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Table VI-1 Venice/Nati	onal TOD Subarea Use Regula	tions	
Use	Regulation	Applicable Location	Exemptions/ Clarifications
Off-Site Alcohol Sales	In addition to compliance with the South Los Angeles Alcohol Sales Specific Plan, not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a ½ mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Off-Site Alcohol Sales use. ¹	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	Full Service Grocery Stores shall be exempt. Convenience Food Stores and other Off-Site Alcohol Sales establishments shall be exempt provided that they maintain the following dedicated sales floor area percentages enforceable by a covenant: No more than 5% devoted to alcoholic beverage products; and More than 20% devoted to the sale of fresh produce, meat, cheese, or other perishable food. Sales floor area, includes, but is not limited to, shelving, refrigerators, and display cases.
	Prohibited	Parcel Group D	
Automotive Uses	Not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a ½ mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Automotive use.1	Parcel Groups C & E	Multiple Automotive Uses or accessory automotive uses are allowed when combined within the same lot or parcel of an existing Automotive Use.
	Prohibited	Parcel Groups A, B, & D	
Free-Standing Fast- Food Establishment	Except where prohibited, not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a 1/2 mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Free-Standing Fast-Food Establishment use.1	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	 Applies only to Free-Standing Fast-Food Establishments, with or without drive-through service. Expansion or replacement of existing uses shall be exempt.
	Prohibited	Parcel Group D and when located directly adjacent, across a street, alley or intersection from a public school.	'Public school' shall include any elementary, middle or high school, whether a public, a charter, or a magnet school.
Gun and Pawn Shops	Prohibited	All Parcel Groups	Includes storage of guns or pawned items to be sold, rented or otherwise relocated for sale.
Hybrid Industrial	Prohibited	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and D	
Mixed-Use	Prohibited	Parcel Group D	
Motels	Not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a ½ mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Motels use.1	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	
	Prohibited	Parcel Group D	
100% Residential	Prohibited	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	
Recycling Collection or Buyback Centers	Not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a ½ mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Recycling Collection or Buyback Centers use.1	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	
	Prohibited	Parcel Group D	
Storage Building for Household Goods	Not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a ½ mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Storage Building for Household Goods use.1	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	Expansion of existing uses shall be limited to a total FAR of 1.5:1.
	Prohibited	Parcel Group D	
Swap Meets	Not more than one (1) establishment is permitted within a ½ mile (2640 linear foot) radius of another Swap Meet use.1	Parcel Groups A, B, C, and E	Applies to indoor and outdoor swap meets.
	Prohibited	Parcel Group D	el to the nearest property line of any parcel containing the same use.

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Appendix A

Streetscape, Mobility and Open Space Provisions (CPIO, p. 99 - 106)

The following open space and streetscape guidelines meet the intent of the West Adams-Baldwin Hills-Leimert Park Community Plan and the Mobility Element of the General Plan. None of the individual guidelines included in this Appendix A are mandatory or required in and of themselves as part of a CPIO Administrative Clearance. These guidelines should be used by decisionmakers in the review and approval of discretionary zoning approvals within the CPIO District boundaries that require findings related to neighborhood compatibility, the degradation or benefit of the project to surrounding properties and the community, and conformity with the intent and purpose of the Community Plan (including, but not limited to, CPIO Adjustments, CPIO Exceptions, and a CUP under LAMC Section 12.24). These guidelines are in addition to any other applicable design guidelines.

TOD Subarea Open Space Guidelines	Yes	No	N/A	Plan Sheet Reference (To be completed by <u>APPLICANT</u>)
The following open space guidelines are applicable to the La Brea/Farmdale TOD Subarea, the Jefferson/La Cienega TOD Subarea, and the Venice/National TOD Subarea:				
a. Projects on a lot size equal or greater than 15,000 square feet should be developed to maintain at least 20 percent open space areas as publicly accessible open space.				
b. In addition to any open space requirements of the LAMC, Projects on lot sizes less than 15,000 square feet should develop and maintain open space areas as usable outdoor space accessible to the general public as well as to the residents and employees of a property.				
c. Public alleyways, paseos, plazas, or new streets that are added to a project site may contribute to the minimum 20 percent open space requirement.				
d. Paseos should be designed to be at least 20 feet wide or as required by LAMC to accommodate fire truck and emergency vehicle access.				
e. Open space generated pursuant to La Brea/Farmdale TOD Subarea (CPIO, Chapter IV), Jefferson/La Cienega TOD Subarea (CPIO, Chapter V), and Hyde Park Industrial Corridor Subarea (CPIO, Chapter VI) contribute to the minimum 20 percent open space requirement.				
f. Open space should generally be located internal to sites, accessible from corridors via mid-block passages or paseos, located no more than three feet above or below the adjacent sidewalk grade, and designed to facilitate linkage from the Mass Transit Station to nearby public spaces and Pedestrian Amenities.				
g. Create mid-block connections through the length and width of the block to connect the Light Rail Transit to adjacent streets and destinations.				
h. Design commercial, retail or existing buildings to incorporate parking above or below the ground floor in order to ensure a pedestrian friendly public realm at ground level.				
i. Provide a clear hierarchy of common open spaces distinguished by design and function to create a connected public realm conducive to both active and passive uses.				
j. Plant trees in paseos to emphasize their visual impact and provide wider paseos, up to 30 feet, to provide ample light for trees to grow.				
TOD Subarea Open Space Access and Linkages Concepts, refer to Appendix A-1;				
Hyde Park Industrial Corridor Open Space Guidelines, refer to Appendix A-2;				
TOD Subarea Streetscape and Mobility Plan Provisions, refer to Appendix A-3;				
Hyde Park Industrial Corridor Streetscape and Mobility Provisions, refer to Appendix A-4				

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	Арре	endix	B*		
	ental Standards (CPIO, pp. 107 – 113) nstruction or Major Remodels Only	(For Yes	Staff U No	se) N/A	Plan Sheet Reference (To be completed by <u>APPLICANT</u>)
Aesthetics	AE1: Setbacks/Stepbacks AE2: Lighting AE3: Glare				
Air Quality	AQ1: Emission Control During Construction				
Biological Resources	BR1: Bird Nesting BR2: LA City Tree Preservation Ordinance				
Cultural Resources	CR1: HCM Review CR2: HPOZ Review CR3: SurveyLA Review CR4: Cultural Resource Record Search CR5: On-Site Cultural Resource Removal CR6: Archeologist Inspection/Examination CR7: Archeologist Course of Action CR8: Cultural Materials Scientific Analysis CR9: Paleontologist Inspection/Examination CR10: Human Remains Notifications				
Greenhouse Gas Emissions	GHG1: GHG Reduction Measures				
Hazards and Hazardous Materials	HM1: Phase 1 ESA				
Noise and Vibration	N1: Haul Route Management N2: HCM Adjacent Vibration Control Plan N3: Noise Study				
Public Services	PS1: LAPD Crime Prevention				

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Administrative Clearance Review Comments Page
Please insert checklist standard item number and comments, as needed.

Example:

16	No above-grade parking structures present
35	Project site is not within 500 feet of I-210

#	Comment on Checklist Standard
Review	ed By Date
Signatu	ire

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