## City Planning Commission

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| Clan Area: | West Los Angeles |
| Plan Overlay: | Exposition Corridor Transit <br> Neighborhood Plan; <br> Westwood-Pico Pedestrian <br> Oriented District; West Los |
|  | Angeles Transportation <br> Improvement Mitigation |
| Certified NC: | Westside |
| GPLU: | Neighborhood Commercial |
| Zone: | NMU(EC)-POD |
| Applicant: | Pico Veteran Holdings LLC |
| Representative: | Dana Sayles, Three6ixty |

PROJECT 10942-10948 West Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90064
LOCATION: (legally described as Lots 76-77, Block None, Tract 6939)
PROPOSED The proposed project is the construction of a five-story, 65-foot tall residential apartment PROJECT: building with 30 dwelling units (including 4 Very Low Income units). The project will be approximately 22,375 square feet in floor area with a Floor Area Ratio ("FAR") of 2.7:1. The project will provide 16 parking spaces at-grade. The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building which will be demolished. No (0) protected trees will be removed from the subject site or adjacent public right-of-way; three (3) existing non-protected street trees will remain along the public right-of-way. The project involves the export of approximately 900 cubic yards of soil.

[^0]2. Pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") Guidelines Sections 15168 and 15162, the adequacy of the project being within the scope of the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Program EIR No. ENV-2013-622-EIR, SCH. No 2013031038 ("Program EIR").
3. Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC") Section 12.22 A.25(g)(2) and (3), a Density Bonus/Affordable Housing Incentive Program Compliance Review to permit the construction of a Housing Development Project totaling 30 units, reserving four (4) units for Very Low Income Household occupancy for a period of 55 years, with the following requested three (3) On- and Off-Menu Incentives:
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c. A height increase to 65 feet in lieu of the 45 feet otherwise allowed by Expo TNP Section 2.4.1 and Table G (Off-Menu).
4. Pursuant to LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g), the following two (2) Waivers of Development Standards:
a. An elimination of transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A.10.
b. Ground floor screening of 0 feet in lieu of 25 feet for a portion of the frontage for parking and loading areas along Veteran Avenue otherwise required by Expo TNP Section 4.2.5.C.1.

## RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:

1. Determine, that based on the whole of the administrative record, the project is exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Article 19, Section 15332 (Class 32), and that there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies.
2. Find, based on the independent judgement of the decision-maker, after consideration of the whole of the administrative record, that the project is within the scope of the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Program EIR No. ENV-2013-622-EIR, SCH. No. 2013031038 ("Program EIR"), pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15168 and 15162; the environmental effects of the Project were covered in the Program EIR and no new environmental effects not identified in the Program EIR will occur and no new mitigation is required; and the City has incorporated all feasible mitigation measures from the Program EIR on the Project.
3. Approve, pursuant to LAMC Section 12.22 A.25(g)(2) and (3), a Density Bonus/Affordable Housing Incentive Program Compliance Review to permit the construction of a Housing Development Project totaling 30 units, reserving four (4) units for Very Low Income Household occupancy for a period of 55 years, with the following requested three (3) On- and Off-Menu Incentives:
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a. An elimination of transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A.10.
b. Ground floor screening of 0 feet in lieu of 25 feet for a portion of the frontage for parking and loading areas along Veteran Avenue otherwise required by Expo TNP Section 4.2.5.C.1.
5. Adopt the attached Findings.

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## PROJECT ANALYSIS

## PROJECT SUMMARY

The proposed project is the construction of a five-story, 65-foot tall residential apartment building with 30 dwelling units (including 4 Very Low Income units). The project will be approximately 22,375 square feet in floor area with a Floor Area Ratio ("FAR") of 2.7:1.

The project provides a lobby at the building corner, with pedestrian entrances along both Pico Boulevard and Veteran Avenue street frontages. The project provides live/work units along Pico Boulevard each with individual entrances from the street. The project provides a unit mix comprised of 3 live/work units, 15 studios, 10 one-bedroom units, and 2 two-bedroom units. Residential amenities are provided in the form of a recreation room, courtyard, and rooftop deck, as well as individual private balconies.

The project will provide a total of 16 parking spaces at-grade, including 14 spaces in a stacked configuration, with vehicular access taken off of the rear alley. No curb cuts are proposed. The project will also provide 29 long-term and 3 short-term bicycle parking spaces.

The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building which will be demolished. No (0) protected trees will be removed from the subject site or adjacent public right-of-way; three (3) existing non-protected street trees will remain along the public right-of-way

## BACKGROUND

## Subject Property

The project site is located at the intersection of Pico Boulevard and Veteran Avenue in the West Los Angeles Community Plan. The property is a relatively flat and rectangular site comprised of two (2) lots totaling approximately 8,303 square feet of lot area, with approximately 83 feet of frontage along the south side of Pico Boulevard, 100 feet along the east side of Veteran Avenue, and a 16 -foot wide alley to the rear. The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building that will be demolished. The project site is located within 1.56 kilometers ( 0.97 miles) of the Santa Monica Fault, however it is not located within the Alquist-Priolo Fault Zone, Liquefaction Zone, Landslide Area, Methane Zone, or Very High Fire Severity Zone. The site is within a BOE Special Grading Area (BOE Basic Grid Map A-13372).

## Zoning and Land Use Designation

The project site is in the West Los Angeles Community Plan, and is designated for Neighborhood Commercial land uses, with corresponding zones of C1, C1.5, C2, C4, RAS3, RAS4, and P. The site is located within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Specific Plan ("Expo TNP") Subarea 10, and is zoned NMU(EC)-POD which was established by the Expo TNP as a commercial zoning designation for Neighborhood Mixed Use: Commercial/Residential, adopted by resolution under Council File No. 18-0437 and is therefore a corresponding zone. The Expo TNP allows a base height of 45 feet, base FAR of $2: 1$, and unlimited density. For a project that utilizes the density bonus program, the Expo TNP sets the base residential density in the NMU(EC) zone as one dwelling unit per 400 square feet for the purposes of calculating the required number of Restricted Affordable Units. Community Plan Map Footnote No. 1 restricts sites in the Low Residential, Low Medium Residential, Neighborhood Commercial, Community Commercial, Commercial Manufacturing, Limited Industrial, and Light Industrial land use designations to Height District No. 1, which does not apply to the NMU(EC)-POD Zone. The site
is also within the Westwood/Pico Pedestrian Oriented District ("POD"), however the project is exempt from the Westwood/Pico POD as a 100 percent residential project.

## Surrounding Uses

The subject site is in an urbanized area surrounded primarily by commercial and single-family residential uses. Neighboring properties to the east and across Veteran Avenue to the west are improved with one-and two-story commercial buildings in the NMU(EC)-POD zone including retail, barber shops, restaurant, offices, and salons; further east is the former Westside Pavilion site which is currently under redevelopment for the Google office campus. Across the alley to the south are one-story single-family dwellings in the R1-1-O zone.

## Streets and Circulation

Pico Boulevard, abutting the property to the north, is designated by the Mobility Plan as an Avenue I, with a designated right-of-way width of 100 feet and roadway width of 70 feet, and is currently dedicated to a 100 -foot right-of-way width and approximately 70 foot roadway width, with a central median, curb, gutter, sidewalk, and parkway.

Veteran Avenue, abutting the property to the west, is designated by the Mobility Plan as a Local Street - Standard, with a designated right-of-way width of 60 feet and roadway width of 36 feet, and is currently dedicated to a 60-foot right-of-way width and approximately 30 foot roadway width, with a curb, gutter, and sidewalk.

Alley, to the south is 16 feet in width.

## Public Transit

The subject site is within a half-mile of the Sepulveda Station of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority ("Metro") Exposition ("E") line, which constitutes as a Major Transit Stop. The site is also within 1,500 feet of bus stops served by the Santa Monica Big Blue Bus 7, Rapid 7, 8, and 17 bus lines, Metro 233 and 761 bus lines, and the Culver City 6 and 6R bus lines.

## Relevant Cases and Building Permits

Subject Site:
Building Permit No. 22010-10000-05269: On October 28, 2022, a Building Permit application was submitted for a new 5 -story 30 -unit affordable housing apartment to include 4 story Type VA apartment over 1 story Type IA apartment with additional incentives. The permit application is pending and the permit was not issued at the time of preparing this report.

Surrounding Sites:
The following relevant cases were identified to be within 1,000 feet of the subject site:
Case No. DIR-2018-3609-TOC-SPR: On November 22, 2019, the Director of Planning approved a Transit Oriented Communities ("TOC") Affordable Housing Incentive Program Review, for a five-story tall residential building comprised of 89 residential units, with TOC Additional Incentives for: 1) increased height by 10 feet, 2) reduced side yards to the RAS3 zone, and 3) reduced open space by 25 percent, for a project located at 11001 West Pico Boulevard.

## REQUESTED ACTIONS

Pursuant to the Expo TNP, for projects in the NMU(EC) zones, there is no minimum lot area per dwelling unit; however for the purposes of calculating the required number of Restricted Affordable Units within Density Bonus Projects, base residential densities in the NMU(EC)-POD zones are applied as one dwelling unit per 400 square feet, or approximately 23 dwelling units for the Project Site.

## Density Bonus / Affordable Housing Incentives Program

In accordance with California State Law (including Senate Bill 1818, and Assembly Bills 2280, 2222, and 2556), the applicant is proposing to utilize LAMC Section 12.22 A. 25 (Affordable Housing Incentives - Density Bonus) to set aside a minimum of four (4) dwelling units for Very Low Income household occupancy for a period of 55 years. Because the applicant is providing 15 percent (4 units) of base dwelling units (23 units) to be affordable for Very Low Income household occupancy, the project is eligible for three (3) Density Bonus Incentives.

## On- and Off-Menu Incentives

As a result of setting aside 15 percent ( 4 dwelling units) of the base 23 dwelling units as Restricted Affordable Units for Very Low Income Households, the applicant requests three (3) On- and OffMenu Density Bonus Incentives, as follows:
a. A Floor Area Ratio of 2.7:1 in lieu of 2:1 otherwise permitted by Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan ("Expo TNP") Section 2.3.1 and Table F (On-Menu);
b. A 20 percent reduction in the required open space, to allow 2,445 square feet in lieu of the 3,050 square feet otherwise required by LAMC Section 12.21 G (On-Menu).
c. A height increase to 65 feet in lieu of the 45 feet otherwise allowed by Expo TNP Section 2.4.1 and Table G (Off-Menu).

## Waivers of Development Standards

As mentioned above, a project that provides 15 percent of its base units for Very Low Income Households qualifies for three (3) Incentives, but may request other "waiver[s] or reduction[s] of development standards that will have the effect of physically precluding the construction of a development meeting the [affordable set-aside percentage] criteria of subdivision (b) at the densities or with the concessions or incentives permitted under [State Density Bonus Law]" (Government Code Section 65915(e)(1)), in conjunction with a Density Bonus Project. Given that the project is utilizing all three (3) Density Bonus Incentives, the applicant requests two (2) Waivers of Development Standards, as follows:
a. An elimination of transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A.10.
b. Ground floor screening of 0 feet in lieu of 25 feet for a portion of the frontage for parking and loading areas along Veteran Avenue otherwise required by Expo TNP Section 4.2.5.C.1.

## Housing Replacement

On October 9, 2019, the Governor signed into law the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 330). SB 330 creates new state laws regarding the production, preservation and planning for housing, and establishes a statewide housing emergency until January 1, 2025. During the duration of the statewide housing emergency, SB 330, among other things, creates new housing replacement requirements for Housing Development Projects by prohibiting the approval of any proposed
housing development project on a site that will require the demolition of existing residential dwelling units or occupied or vacant "Protected Units" unless the proposed housing development project replaces those units. The Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) has determined, per the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8) Determination, dated June 22, 2022, that the property has been used for commercial purposes, therefore the proposed housing development does not require the demolition of any prohibited types of housing; the provisions of SB 8 do not apply to commercial properties, therefore no SB 8 replacement affordable units are required.

## CEQA

The Department of City Planning determined, based on the whole of the administrative record, that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Article 19, Section 15332 (Class 32), and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies. The Notice of Exemption and Justification for Environmental Case No. ENV-2022-8061-CE is provided in the case file and attached as Exhibit D.

In addition, the City has determined based on the independent judgment of the decision-maker, after consideration of the whole of the administrative record, that the project is within the scope of the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Program EIR No. ENV-2013-622-EIR, SCH. No. 2013031038 ("Program EIR"), pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15168 and 15162; the environmental effects of the Project were covered in the Program EIR and no new environmental effects not identified in the Program EIR will occur and no new mitigation is required; and the City has incorporated all feasible mitigation measures from the Program EIR on the Project.

## ISSUES

## Public Hearing

The public hearing was held on July 20, 2023 at approximately 1:00 p.m. Due to concerns over COVID-19, the Public Hearing was conducted in a virtual format. The public hearing was attended by the applicant's representatives (Dana Sayles, Three6ixty) and approximately 20 other members from the community. There were seven (7) speakers who provided comments at the hearing, including a representative from Council District 5 (Dylan Sittig).

A second public hearing was noticed due to technical issues with the Hearing Officer hearing, and that second public hearing will be conducted by the City Planning Commission on August 24, 2023.

## Height / Transitional Height

Staff received several public comments expressing concerns the building height and requested waiver from transitional height requirements.

The subject site is in Subarea 10 of the Expo TNP, which allows a base height of 45 feet, as provided in Expo TNP Section 2.4.1 and Table G. The applicant has requested an increase in height of 20 feet to allow for 65 feet, through an Off-Menu Incentive as allowed by LAMC 12.22 A.25. The site is also subject to transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A.10, which requires portions of buildings in C or M zones within certain distances of RW1 or more restrictive zones to not exceed a building height of 25 feet within a distance of 0 to 49 feet, a building height of 33 feet within a distance of 50 to 99 feet, and a building height of 61 feet within a distance of 100 to 199 feet. The project is across the 15-foot wide alley from the R1-1-O Zone, and is therefore subject to the transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A.10. The applicant has requested an Off-Menu Incentive to eliminate transitional height requirements
of the LAMC. The project is not subject to the transitional height requirements of the Expo TNP as it is a 100 percent residential project, in accordance with Expo TNP Section 2.4.4.

While the height of the project is taller than the existing single-family residential uses immediately adjacent to the site, the increase in height is granted through the Density Bonus Ordinance. In addition, the project is designed with upper building stepbacks that are consistent with the transitional height requirements of the Expo TNP and TOC Guidelines. The upper building stepbacks are provided along the rear of the property to provide a buffer from the single-family residential neighbors to the south.

## Parking / Traffic

Staff received several public comments expressing concerns the proposed parking and puzzle stacker system.

However, state law under Assembly Bill 2097 ("AB" 2097) and Government Code Section 65863.2(a) 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 ${ }^{1}$. Therefore, AB 2097 prohibits the city from imposing parking requirements, and Density Bonus requests are not required for parking.

The project will provide a total of 16 parking spaces at-grade, including 14 spaces in a stacked configuration, with vehicular access taken off of the rear alley. No curb cuts are proposed. The project will also provide 29 long-term and 3 short-term bicycle parking spaces.

The Department of Transportation (LADOT) Referral Form dated June 1, 2022 and the Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) calculator indicated that the number of daily vehicle trips will be 131 which is under the threshold of 250 or more daily vehicles trips to require VMT analysis. Therefore, the project does not exceed the threshold criteria established by LADOT for preparing a traffic study and will not have any significant impacts related to traffic.

## Urban Design Studio

The proposed project was reviewed by the Department of City Planning's Urban Design Studio (UDS). The resulting comments and suggestions focus primarily on the pedestrian experience, 360-degree design, and climate adaptive design. The following includes a discussion of UDS comments and suggestions and the applicant's response.

## Pedestrian First Design

- Verify if project triggers pedestrian light requirements for Pico Boulevard frontage as required by Livable Boulevards Streetscape Plan.

In response to UDS comments, the applicant submitted updated plans showing a new pedestrian street light, and an existing street light be replaced, for King Luminaire Coachman street light per the Pico-Patricia segment of the Livable Boulevards Streetscape Plan.

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## 360 Degree Design

- Provide more details on elevations or materials sheet to keynote the proposed materials and colors, stucco finish, fins, balcony railings, gates/grilles. See Elevation Instructions for additional information.
- Provide screening of southwestern portion of the building near the electrical room and lobby entrance along (side street). Consider landscaped screening with tall shrubs and/or vines on some type of support to create a green wall to soften the parking wall façade.

In response to UDS comments, the applicant submitted updated plans with visual references of the proposed building materials showing articulation and fins will be made from aluminum profiles, and landscape screening of the electrical room.

## Climate Adapted Design

- Provide largest tree well widths possible within the approximately 15 -foot wide sidewalks, so that UFD may specify the largest-growing street tree species. See S-450-4 standard plans (large Type 1B $6 \times 10$ tree well or Type 1C $8 \times 8$ tree well) for additional information.
- Two tree wells appear to be within 45 feet from point of curb line intersect. Street tree species selection and spacing will be at discretion of UFD; normally every effort is made to retain and protect existing street trees but UFD will determine whether or not the two ornamental pears on the Pico frontage are better saved or replaced in larger new wells.
- One street tree per 30 feet of frontage may require 2 street trees each along Pico and Veteran.
- Verify if the accessible van EVCS space meets the minimum dimension and accessible clearance requirement at the head of the space needed to accommodate the charging equipment and access aisles (including for the future accessible standard space). See LADBS information bulletin for additional information.
- Identify where the solar reserve area is accommodated, or identify if any 2019 Title 24 exceptions would be utilized. Note that with 2022 Title 24, some exceptions may no longer be valid with building permit applications after January 1, 2023, with new exceptions limited to less than $3 \%$ of solar access roof area to conditioned floor area, less than 4 kW system or less than or less than 80 square feet contiguous roof area is available.
- Show compliance strategy for LID requirements.
- Consider alternatives to the invasive plant species nasella teuissimia which may affect nearby properties. Alternatives may include but are not limited to another variety of Muhlenbergia capillaris, 'White Cloud', Sesleria autumnalis (autumn moor grass) or Bouteloua gracilis 'Blond Ambition’ (blue grama grass).
- Consider incorporating plant species salvia spathacea which may perform well due to proximity to the coast; it may perform well in full sun but may be better in shaded areas with some shelter underneath trees or taller shrubs
- Consider permeable paving utilizing the S-1 standard plan, as long as the Livable Boulevards Streetscape Plan paving colors are retained.

In response to UDS comments, the applicant submitted updated landscaping plans showing a combination of $4 \times 6$ and $6 \times 10$ tree wells, an additional tree well along Veteran Avenue, Muhlenbergia capillaris and salvia spathacea plant materials, and permeable paving per the S-1 standard plans. The applicant responded that the LADBS Green Building Code Corrections Sheet for Newly Constructed Residential Buildings allow an 8 -foot wide aisle next to the 9 -foot wide EV space, and that the project is subject to the 2019 Building Energy Efficiency Standards which allows eliminating solar zones with certain requirements.

## CONCLUSION

Based on the information submitted to the record, and the surrounding uses and zones, staff recommends that the City Planning Commission approve the project, as recommended, subject to the Conditions of Approval. The project will redevelop an underutilized site with a new multifamily residential project resulting in a net increase of 30 dwelling units, including 4 Very Low Income units.

## CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

## Density Bonus Conditions

1. Site Development. Except as modified herein, 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," with a date of August 1, 2023, and attached to the subject case file. No change to the plans shall be made without prior review by the Department of City Planning, West/South/Coastal 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.
2. Residential Density. The project shall be limited to a maximum density of 30 residential units including On-Site Restricted Affordable Units.
3. On-Site Affordable Units. Four (4) units shall be reserved for Very Low Income household occupancy, as defined by the California Government Code Section 65915 and by the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD). In the event the SB 8 Replacement Unit condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
4. SB 8 Replacement Units (California Government Code Section 66300 et seq.) The project shall be required to comply with the Replacement Unit Determination (RUD) letter, dated June 22, 2022, to the satisfaction of LAHD. The most restrictive affordability levels shall be followed in the covenant. In the event the On-site Restricted Affordable Units condition requires additional affordable units or more restrictive affordability levels, the most restrictive requirements shall prevail.
5. Changes in 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. 25 .
6. 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 four (4) units available to Very Low Income Households, or equal to 15 percent of the project's 23 base residential density allowed, for sale or rental, as determined to be affordable to such households by LAHD for a period of 55 years. Enforcement of the terms of said covenant shall be the responsibility of LAHD. The Applicant shall submit a copy of the recorded covenant to the Department of City Planning for inclusion in this file. The project shall comply with the Guidelines for the Affordable Housing Incentives Program adopted by the City Planning Commission and with any monitoring requirements established by the LAHD.
7. Automobile Parking. Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65915(p)(3) and AB 2097, the project shall be allowed to provide a minimum of zero parking spaces. The project is allowed to provide 16 parking spaces, as shown in Exhibit " $A$ ".
8. Floor Area Ratio (FAR) (Incentive). The project total Floor Area shall be limited to 22,375 square feet or 2.7:1 FAR per Exhibit "A".
9. Height (Incentive). The project shall be limited to a maximum height of 65 feet per Exhibit "A".
10. Open Space (Incentive). A minimum of 2,445 square feet of open space shall be permitted per Exhibit "A" in lieu of the 3,050 square feet otherwise required.
11. Transitional Height (Waiver). The transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.C. 10 shall not apply. The project shall be designed with stepbacks on upper floors along the alley, as provided on Exhibit "A" Sheets A-05 through A-11.
12. Ground Floor Screening (Waiver). The Ground Floor Screening with habitable uses requirement of Expo TNP Section 4.2.5.C. 1 shall not apply to the Veteran Avenue frontage for a maximum of approximately 57 feet 9 inches of the parking area. The parking area shall be screened from view from the Veteran Avenue street frontage with a green wall as shown on Exhibit "A" Sheet L101.
13. Bicycle Parking. Bicycle parking shall be provided consistent with LAMC 12.21 A.16. The project shall provide a minimum of 29 long-term and 3 short-term bicycle parking spaces total, as shown in Exhibit " $A$ ".
14. Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan. Prior to the issuance of a building permit, the applicant shall demonstrate compliance with the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan pursuant to Ordinance No. 186,402, including but not limited to:
a. Primary pedestrian entrances shall be at grade level or a maximum of 3 feet above the adjacent finished grade and shall be visible from the public right-of-way. Entrances below grade level are prohibited per Expo TNP 4.2.2.A.3.
b. Where Projects include new landscaping, at least $80 \%$ of the landscaped area shall be planted with drought tolerant shrubs and groundcover. If turf is installed, a waterconserving species appropriate for the climate in Los Angeles shall be selected per Expo TNP 4.2.4.C.1.
c. The project shall provide transit benefits as set forth in Expo TNP Section 2.6.1.
15. Livable Boulevards Streetscape Plan. Prior to the issuance of a building permit, the applicant shall demonstrate compliance with the Livable Boulevards Streetscape Plan to the satisfaction of the Bureau of Engineering

## Conditional Use Conditions

16. Fire. Submit plot plans for Fire Department approval and review prior to issuance of building permits.
17. Mechanical Equipment. All exterior mechanical equipment, including heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) equipment, satellite dishes, and cellular antennas, shall be screened from public view through the use of architectural elements such as parapets.
18. Lighting. All outdoor and parking lighting shall be shielded and down-cast within the site in a manner that prevents the illumination of adjacent public rights-of-way, adjacent properties, and the night sky (unless otherwise required by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) or for other public safety purposes).
19. Lighting Design. Areas where nighttime uses are located shall be maintained to provide sufficient illumination of the immediate environment so as to render objects or persons clearly visible for the safety of the public and emergency response personnel. All pedestrian walkways, storefront entrances, and vehicular access ways shall be illuminated with lighting fixtures. Lighting fixtures shall be harmonious with the building design. Wall mounted lighting fixtures to accent and complement architectural details at night shall be installed on the building to provide illumination to pedestrians and motorists.
20. Heat Island Effect. To reduce the heat island effect, a minimum of 50 percent of the area of pathways, patios, driveways or other paved areas shall use materials with a minimum initial Solar Reflectance value of 0.35 in accordance with ASTM (American Society of Testing Materials) standards.
21. Electric Vehicle Parking. All electric vehicle charging spaces (EV Spaces) and electric vehicle charging stations (EVCS) shall comply with the regulations outlined in Sections 99.04.106 and 99.05.106 of Article 9, Chapter IX of the LAMC.
22. Unbundled Parking. Residential parking shall be unbundled from the cost of the rental units, with the exception of parking for Restricted Affordable Units.
23. Landscape Plan. Revised landscape plans shall be submitted to show the size and location of all plants. 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 landscaped, including an automatic irrigation system, and maintained in accordance with a final landscape plan prepared by a licensed landscape architect or licensed architect, and submitted for approval to the Department of City Planning. The final landscape plan shall be in substantial conformance with the submitted Landscape Plan, Exhibit "A," and shall incorporate any modifications required as a result of this grant.
24. Soil Depths. Shrubs, perennials, and groundcover shall require a minimum soil depth as follows:
a. A minimum depth with a height ranging from 15 to 40 feet shall be 42 inches.
b. A minimum depth with a height ranging from 1 to 15 feet shall be 24 to 36 inches.
c. A minimum depth with a height of less than 1 foot shall be 18 inches.
d. A minimum depth of an extensive green roof shall be 3 inches.

Trees shall require a 42 -inch minimum soil depth.
Further, the minimum amount of soil volume for tree wells on the rooftop or any above grade open spaces shall be based on the size of the tree at maturity:
e. 220 cubic feet for trees with a canopy diameter ranging from 15 to 19 feet.
f. 400 cubic feet for trees with a canopy diameter ranging from 20 to 24 feet.
g. 620 cubic feet for trees with a canopy diameter ranging from 25 to 29 feet.
h. 900 cubic feet for trees with a canopy diameter ranging from 30 to 34 feet.

## 25. Street Trees.

a. Street Trees. Street trees shall be provided to the satisfaction of the Urban Forestry Division. Street trees may be used to satisfy on-site tree requirements pursuant to LAMC Article Section 12.21.G. 3 (Chapter 1, Open Space Requirement for Six or More Residential Units). Per Exhibit A and 12.21.G.3, three (3) new Street trees shall be provided.
b. 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 eight (8) 24 -inch box, or larger, trees on site 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.
c. Project shall preserve all healthy mature street trees whenever possible. All feasible alternatives in project design should be considered and implemented to retain healthy mature street trees. A permit is required for the removal of any street tree and shall be replaced 2:1 as approved by the Board of Public Works and Urban Forestry Division.
d. When street dedications are required and to the extent possible, the project shall provide larger planting areas for existing street trees to allow for growth and planting of larger stature street trees. This includes and is not limited to parkway installation and/or enlargement of tree wells and parkways.
e. Plant street trees at all feasible planting locations within dedicated streets as directed and required by the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division. All tree plantings shall be installed to current tree planting standards when the City has previously been paid for tree plantings. The subdivider or contractor shall notify the Urban Forestry Division at: (213) 847-3077 upon completion of construction for tree planting direction and instructions.
26. Stormwater/irrigation. The project shall implement on-site stormwater infiltration as feasible based on the site soils conditions, the geotechnical recommendations, and the City of Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety Guidelines for Storm Water Infiltration. If on-site infiltration is deemed infeasible, the project shall analyze the potential for stormwater capture and reuse for irrigation purposes based on the City Low Impact Development (LID) guidelines.
27. Solar and Electric Generator. Generators used during the construction process shall be electric or solar powered. Solar generator and electric generator equipment shall be located as far away from sensitive uses as feasible.
28. Solar-ready Buildings. The Project shall comply with the Los Angeles Municipal Green Building Code, Section 99.05.211, to the satisfaction of the Department of Building and Safety.
29. Signage. There shall be no off-site commercial signage on construction fencing during construction.

## 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. Covenant. Prior to the issuance of any permits relative to this matter, an agreement concerning all the information contained in these conditions shall be recorded in the County Recorder's Office. The agreement shall run with the land and shall be binding on any subsequent property owners, heirs or assign. The agreement must be submitted to the Department of City Planning for approval before being recorded. After recordation, a copy bearing the Recorder's number and date shall be provided to the Department of City Planning for attachment to the file.

## 37. Indemnification and Reimbursement of Litigation Costs.

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 but not limited to, 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 any 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.

## FINDINGS

## DENSITY BONUS/AFFORDABLE HOUSING INCENTIVES COMPLIANCE FINDINGS

1. Government Code Section 65915 and LAMC Section 12.22 A. 25 state that the Commission shall approve a density bonus and requested incentive(s) unless the Commission finds that:
a. The incentives do not result in identifiable and actual cost reductions to provide for affordable housing costs as defined in California Health and Safety Code Section 50052.5 or Section 50053 for rents for the affordable units.

The record does not contain substantial evidence that would allow the City Planning Commission to make a finding that the requested on- and off-menu incentives do not result in actual and identifiable cost reductions to provide for affordable housing costs per State Law. The California Health \& Safety Code Sections 50052.5 and 50053 define formulas for calculating affordable housing costs for Very Low, Low, and Moderate Income Households. Section 50052.5 addresses owner-occupied housing and Section 50053 addresses rental households. Affordable housing costs are a calculation of residential rent or ownership pricing not to exceed 25 percent gross income based on area median income thresholds dependent on affordability levels.

Based on the set-aside of 15 percent of base units for Very Low Income households, the applicant is entitled to three (3) Incentives under both the Government Code and LAMC. Therefore, the three (3) On- and Off-Menu requests qualify as the proposed development's Incentives. The remaining requests must be processed as Waivers of Development Standards.

FAR: The subject site is zoned NMU(EC)-POD, which allows a base FAR of 2:1, as provided in Expo TNP Section 2.3.1 and Table F. The applicant has requested an FAR of 2.7:1 in lieu of the maximum 2:1 through an Off-Menu Density Bonus Incentive as allowed by LAMC 12.22 A.25, for a maximum floor area of 22,375 square feet. The additional floor area is requested to accommodate larger sized units, including twobedroom units. The project includes 3 live-work units, 15 studio units, 10 one-bedroom units, and 2 two-bedroom units. The requested increase in FAR will allow approximately 5,769 square feet of additional floor area and will enable the construction of affordable units. As set forth on Sheets TNP-01 and INFO-01 the project plans, the project's upper residential levels have floor plates of 4,175 square feet with 7 units at Level 5 , and 4,535 square feet with 7 units at Level 4 . These larger floor plates would not be achievable under the $2: 1$ base FAR and enable the project to construct the unit mix above. Without the incentive to permit additional floor area, the project would need to remove at least the uppermost one (1) floor containing seven (8) units, or the average unit size and bedroom count would have to be significantly smaller to construct the number of units that the requested density bonus allows. The ability to develop larger units will increase the revenues from the market-rate units, which will lower the marginal cost of developing the affordable units. The additional floor area will allow certain fixed costs involved in the construction of new residential units to be spread over more floor area thereby reducing the per square foot build cost of the development. The requested incentive will allow the developer to expand the building envelope so the additional units can be constructed, and the overall space dedicated to residential uses is increased. Therefore, the FAR incentive will result in identifiable and actual cost reductions to provide for affordable housing costs.

| FAR by-right | Buildable Lot Area (sf) | Base Floor Area (sf) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2: 1$ | 8,303 | $8,303 \times 2=16,606$ |


| FAR Requested | Requested Floor Area (sf) | Additional Floor Area (sf) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2.7: 1$ | $8,303 \times 2.7=22,375$ | $22,375-16,606=5,769$ |

Open Space: LAMC Section 12.21 G requires 100 square feet of usable open space per dwelling unit with less than 3 habitable rooms, and 125 square feet of usable open space per dwelling unit with 3 habitable rooms. For the proposed project with three (3) live/work units, 15 studio units, 10 one-bedroom units, and two (2) two-bedroom units, a total of 3,050 square feet of open space would be required. Strict compliance with the open space requirements would have the effect of limiting the development proposing 30 dwelling units, four (4) of which will be set aside for Very Low Income Households. The applicant has requested a 20 percent reduction to allow 2,445 square feet of qualifying usable open space through an Off-Menu Incentive. Without the incentive to reduce the minimum usable open space required to 2,445 square feet, the project would need to provide an additional 505 square feet of common or private open space on-site. As shown on Sheet TNP-01 of the project plans, the project provides a unit mix with unit sizes ranging from 447 square feet to 888 square feet. Compliance with the minimum usable open space provision would require the removal of floor area that could otherwise be dedicated to the number, configuration, and livability of the project's housing units. Specifically, the project would not only need to comply with the total amount of usable open space requirements, but also the design, dimension, and area requirements set forth in LAMC Section 12.21 G. Common open space would need to be at least 15 feet in width on all sides, have a minimum area of 400 square feet, and be open to sky. The requested incentive will allow the project to expand the floor plates so that additional units can be constructed, design efficiencies can reduce construction costs, and the overall space dedicated to residential and live/work uses can be increased on each floor. This incentive will result in cost reductions related to overall building design, and the construction of floor area whose rents will provide for affordable housing costs and supports the applicant's decision to set aside four (4) dwelling units for Very Low Income Households.

Height: The subject site is in Subarea 10 of the Expo TNP, which allows a base height of 45 feet, as provided in Expo TNP Section 2.4.1 and Table G. The applicant has requested an increase in height of 20 feet to allow for 65 feet, through an Off-Menu Incentive as allowed by LAMC 12.22 A.25. The request for an additional 20 feet is needed to construct the number of units that the requested density bonus allows. The limitation on the height would remove the uppermost two (2) stories from the proposed building, resulting in a loss of 14 total dwelling units across Levels 4 and 5 , in addition to the rents from those units and that floor area on those two stories. A limitation on the height will also limit the ability to construct at a sufficient marketable size, the proposed residential units. As proposed, the additional height will allow for the construction of the affordable residential units and floor area, whose rents will provide for the operational costs of the affordable units. The requested incentive will allow the project to expand the building envelope so that additional units can be constructed, provide for design efficiencies, and allow the overall space dedicated to residential uses to be increased.
b. The Incentive(s) will have a specific adverse impact upon public health and safety or on any real property that is listed in the California Register of Historical Resources and for which there is 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 (Government Code Section 65915(d)(1)(B) and 65589.5(d)).

There is no evidence in the record that the proposed density bonus incentive(s) 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)).

The project 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. The project is not located on a substandard street in a Hillside area or a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone. There is no evidence in the record which identifies a written objective health and safety standard that has been exceeded or violated. There is also no substantial evidence that the project's proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact on public health and safety, or on property listed in the California Register of Historic Resources. Based on the above, there is no basis to deny the requested incentives.

## c. The incentives are contrary to state or federal laws.

There is no evidence in the record that the proposed incentives are contrary to state or federal law.

Following is a delineation of the findings related to the request for three (3) Waivers of Development Standards, pursuant to Government Code Section 65915.
2. Government Code Section 65915 and LAMC Section 12.22 A. 25 state that the Commission shall approve a density bonus and requested Waiver of Development Standard(s) unless the Commission finds that:

## a. The waivers or reductions are contrary to state or federal laws.

There is no evidence in the record that the proposed incentives are contrary to state or federal law.

A project that provides 15 percent of base units for Very Low Income Households qualifies for three (3) Incentives, and may request other "waiver[s] or reduction[s] of development standards that will have the effect of physically precluding the construction of a development meeting the [affordable set-aside percentage] criteria of subdivision (b) at the densities or with the concessions or incentives permitted under [State Density Bonus Law]" (Government Code Section 65915(e)(1)).

Therefore, the requests for the following are recommended as Waivers of Development Standards. Without the below Waivers, the existing development standards would preclude development of the proposed density bonus units and project amenities:

Transitional Height: LAMC Section 12.21.1.A. 10 requires portions of buildings in C or M zones within certain distances of RW1 or more restrictive zones to not exceed a building height of 25 feet within a distance of 0 to 49 feet, a building height of 33 feet within a distance of 50 to 99 feet, and a building height of 61 feet within a distance of 100 to 199 feet. The project is across the 15-foot wide alley from the R1-1-O Zone, and is therefore subject to the transitional height requirements of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A.10. The applicant has requested an Off-Menu Incentive to eliminate
transitional height requirements of the LAMC. Strict compliance with the transitional height requirements would require the removal of approximately nine (9) units based on the average unit size, in order to provide sufficient stepbacks from the neighboring residential lot. Eliminating the transitional height requirements will allow the developer to dedicate more area towards residential units at the upper levels, so that the additional units can be constructed and the overall space dedicated to residential uses is increased within the height proposed.

Ground Floor Screening: Expo TNP Section 4.2.5.C. 1 requires parking and loading areas to be buffered with habitable floor area with a minimum depth of 25 feet, between the parking or loading area and any public street. The applicant has requested to eliminate the ground floor screening requirement of the Expo TNP through a Waiver of Development Standard as allowed by LAMC 12.22 A.25. The project proposes a partial at-grade parking level with 14 parking spaces. The parking level is screened along the Pico Boulevard frontage with the lobby and live/work units, however approximately 57 feet 9 inches along the Veteran Avenue frontage will not be screened with habitable uses. The project is required to provide a transformer pad that is clear-to-sky and located at the southwestern corner of the property, along the Veteran Avenue frontage and adjacent to the alley. Strict compliance with the ground floor screening requirement would require the relocation of the transformer pad which would then require a building design with smaller floor plates, and therefore reduce the size of the buildable area and result in a smaller project with fewer units. Therefore, eliminating the ground floor screening requirements will allow the developer to dedicate more area towards residential units, so that the additional units can be constructed and the overall space dedicated to residential uses is increased.

These waivers support the applicant's decision to set aside the specified number of dwelling units for Very Low or Low Income Households for 55 years.
b. The Waiver(s) will have a specific adverse impact upon public health and safety or on any real property that is listed in the California Register of Historical Resources and for which there is 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 evidence in the record that the proposed density bonus Waivers 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)).

The project 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. The project is not located on a substandard street in a Hillside area or a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone. There is no evidence in the record which identifies a written objective health and safety standard that has been exceeded or violated. There is also no substantial evidence that the project's proposed incentives will have a specific adverse impact on public health and safety, or on property listed in the California Register of Historic Resources. Based on the above, there is no basis to deny the requested incentives.

## CEQA FINDINGS

The Department of City Planning determined, based on the whole of the administrative record, that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Article 19, Section 15332 (Class 32), and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies. The Notice of Exemption and Justification for Environmental Case No. ENV-2022-8061-CE is provided in the case file and attached as Exhibit D.

In addition, the City has determined based on the independent judgment of the decision-maker, after consideration of the whole of the administrative record, that the project is within the scope of the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Program EIR No. ENV-2013-622-EIR, SCH. No. 2013031038 ("Program EIR"), pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15168 and 15162; the environmental effects of the Project were covered in the Program EIR and no new environmental effects not identified in the Program EIR will occur and no new mitigation is required; and the City has incorporated all feasible mitigation measures from the Program EIR on the Project.

The proposed project is the construction of a five-story, 65-foot tall residential apartment building with 30 dwelling units (including 4 Very Low Income units). The project will be approximately 22,375 square feet in floor area with a Floor Area Ratio ("FAR") of 2.7:1. The project will provide 16 parking spaces at-grade. The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building which will be demolished. No (0) protected trees will be removed from the subject site or adjacent public right-of-way; three (3) existing non-protected street trees will remain along the public right-of-way. The project involves the export of approximately 900 cubic yards of soil.

As a residential building, and a project which is characterized as in-fill development, the project qualifies for the Class 32 Categorical Exemption.

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 following criteria:
(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.

The project site is in the West Los Angeles Community Plan, and is designated for Neighborhood Commercial land uses, with corresponding zones of C1, C1.5, C2, C4, RAS3, RAS4, and P. The site is located within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Specific Plan ("Expo TNP") Subarea 10, and is zoned NMU(EC)-POD which was established by the Expo TNP as a commercial zoning designation for Neighborhood Mixed Use: Commercial/Residential, adopted by resolution under Council File No. 18-0437 and is therefore a corresponding zone. The Expo TNP allows a base height of 45 feet, base FAR of 2:1, and unlimited density. For a project that utilizes the density bonus program, the Expo TNP sets the base residential density in the $\operatorname{NMU}(E C)$ zone as one dwelling unit per 400 square feet for the purposes of calculating the required number of Restricted Affordable Units. Community Plan Map Footnote No. 1 restricts sites in the Low Residential, Low Medium Residential, Neighborhood Commercial, Community Commercial, Commercial Manufacturing, Limited Industrial, and Light Industrial land use designations to Height District No. 1, which does not apply to the $\operatorname{NMU}(E C)-P O D$ Zone. The site is also within the Westwood/Pico Pedestrian Oriented District ("POD"), however the project is exempt from the Westwood/Pico POD as a 100 percent residential project. As demonstrated in the case file, the project is consistent with the General Plan, the applicable West Los Angeles Community

Plan designation and policies, the Expo TNP, and all applicable zoning designations and regulations as permitted by Density Bonus law.
(b) The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site of 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 0.191 acres ( 8,303 square feet) and is surrounded primarily by commercial and single-family residential uses. Neighboring properties to the east and across Veteran Avenue to the west are improved with one-and two-story commercial buildings in the NMU(EC)-POD zone including retail, barber shops, restaurant, offices, and salons; further east is the former Westside Pavilion site which is currently under redevelopment for the Google office campus. Across the alley to the south are one-story single-family dwellings in the R1-1-O zone. The subject site is within a half-mile of the Sepulveda Station of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority ("Metro") Exposition ("E") line, which constitutes as a Major Transit Stop. The site is also within 1,500 feet of bus stops served by the Santa Monica Big Blue Bus 7, Rapid 7, 8, and 17 bus lines, Metro 233 and 761 bus lines, and the Culver City 6 and $6 R$ bus lines.
(c) The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species.

The site is previously disturbed and surrounded by development and therefore is not, and has no value as, a habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species. The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building which will be demolished. There are no protected trees or shrubs on the subject site or in the adjacent public right of way that would be removed as verified in the Tree Report prepared by JTL Consultants dated April 27, 2023.
(d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality.

Regulatory Compliance Measures - 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.

Traffic - The Project does not exceed the threshold criteria established by LADOT for preparing a traffic study. The Department of Transportation (LADOT) Referral Form dated June 1, 2022 and the Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) calculator indicated that the number of daily vehicle trips will be 131 which is under the threshold of 250 or more daily vehicles trips to require VMT analysis. Therefore, the project does not exceed the threshold criteria established by LADOT for preparing a traffic study and will not have any significant impacts related to traffic.

Noise - The Project must comply with the adopted City of Los Angeles Noise Ordinances No. 144,331 and 161,574 and LAMC Section 41.40 as indicated above in RC-NO-1, LAMC Section 112.05, as well as any subsequent Ordinances, which prohibit the emission or creation of noise beyond certain levels. These Ordinances cover both operational noise levels (i.e., post-construction), and any construction noise impacts. Furthermore, the Noise Impact Analysis prepared by Urban Crossroads dated June 19, 2023 confirmed that the Project would not result in operational noise impacts or construction-related noise impacts on the environment. The analysis took into account noise from operational stationary sources such as heat pump and air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings; construction activities during demolition, site preparation, grading, building
construction, paving, and architectural coating, as well as vibration, and impacts to sensitive receptors. The analysis concluded that the project would not result in any significant effects relating to noise.

Air Quality - The Project's potential air quality effects were evaluated by estimating the potential construction and operations emissions of criteria pollutants, and comparing those levels to significance thresholds provided by the Southern California Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD). The Project's emissions were estimated using the CalEEMod 2022.1 model (output January 9, 2023) for the purposes of evaluating air quality impacts of proposed projects and summarized in the Air Quality, Greenhouse Gas, and Energy Assessment prepared by Urban Crossroads dated January 13, 2023. The analysis took into account construction activity emissions during demolition, site preparation, grading, building construction, paving, and architectural coating, as well as operational emissions and effects to sensitive receptors. The analysis confirms that neither construction nor operation of the project would result in significant air quality impacts. In addition, there are several Regulatory Compliance Measures which regulate air quality-related impacts for projects citywide as noted above.

## (e) The site 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 multi-family building will be on a site which has been previously developed and is consistent with the General Plan. Further, the site was previously developed with a commercial building.

Therefore, the project meets all the Criteria for the Class 32 Categorical Exemption.
CEQA Section 15300.2: Exceptions to the Use of Categorical Exemptions
There are five (5) Exceptions which must be considered to find a project exempt under Class 32:
(a) 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.

There is one (1) other project approved within proximity to the site located at 11001 West Pico Boulevard for the construction of a new 5 -story 89 -unit apartment building.

While there could potentially be a succession of known projects of the same type and in the same place as the subject project, all projects are subject to the citywide Regulatory Compliance measures as noted above, which regulate impacts related to air quality, noise, and geology to a less than significant level. There is no evidence to conclude that significant impacts will occur based on past project approvals or that the proposed Project's impacts are cumulatively considerable when evaluating any cumulative impacts associates with construction noise and transportation/traffic in the surrounding area.

Therefore, in conjunction with citywide RCMs and compliance with other applicable regulations, no foreseeable cumulative impacts are expected.
(b) Significant Effect Due to Unusual Circumstances. 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.

The project proposes a residential building in an area zoned and designated for such development. All adjacent lots are developed primarily by commercial and single-family residential uses, and the subject site is of a similar size and slope to nearby properties. The project proposes a FAR of $2.7: 1$ on a site that is permitted to have an FAR of 2:1 by the Expo TNP. The project is eligible for the 2.7:1 FAR through an On-Menu Density Bonus Incentive. The project size and height is not unusual for the vicinity of the subject site, and is similar in scope to other proposed future projects in the area. Furthermore, there is no substantial evidence in the administrative record that this project will cause a significant impact. Thus, there are no unusual circumstances which may lead to a significant effect on the environment, and this exception does not apply.
(c) 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.

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 8.4 miles west of the subject site. Therefore, the subject site will not create any impacts within a designated state scenic highway, and this exception does not apply.
(d) Hazardous Waste Sites. A categorical exemption shall not be used for a project located on a site which is included on any list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code

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.

A Phase I Environmental Site Assessment ("ESA") prepared by Environmental Solutions dated August 1, 2007 conducted a review of historical data, governmental databases, and site reconnaissance, to identify any recognized environmental conditions pertaining to the site. The Phase I ESA identified previous uses as a restaurant and vacuum cleaner store. The Phase I ESA concluded that the subject property appears to be low to moderate environmental condition at this time, and no area of recognized environmental concern was identified at the site, therefore further investigation is not recommended at this time.

Therefore, the project is not identified as a hazardous waste site, or in the vicinity of a hazardous waste site, and this exception does not apply.
(e) Historical 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 is not listed 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. As such, the Project would have no impact on historical resources. Based on this, the project will not result in a substantial adverse change to the significance of a historic resource and this exception does not apply.

## PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMUNICATIONS

A public hearing was conducted on the matter by a Hearing Officer on July 20, 2023. A second public hearing was noticed due to technical issues with the Hearing Officer hearing, and that second public hearing will be conducted by the City Planning Commission on August 24, 2023.

## PUBLIC HEARING - July 20, 2023

The public hearing was held on July 20, 2023 at approximately 1:00 p.m. Due to concerns over COVID-19, the Public Hearing was conducted in a virtual format. The hearing was conducted by the Hearing Officer, Connie Chauv, on behalf of the City Planning Commission in taking testimony for Case No. CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA and ENV-2022-8061-CE. All interested parties were invited to attend the public hearing at which they could listen, ask questions, or present testimony regarding the project. The purpose of the hearing was to obtain testimony from affected and/or interested parties regarding this application. Interested parties are also invited to submit written comments regarding the request prior to the hearing. The environmental analysis was among the matters to be considered at the hearing. The hearing notice was mailed on June 21, 2023 and June 26, 2023, published in the newspaper on June 26, 2023, and was posted on-site on July 6, 2023, in accordance with LAMC noticing requirements.

The public hearing was attended by the applicant's representatives (Dana Sayles, Three6ixty) and approximately 20 other members from the community. There were seven (7) speakers who provided comments at the hearing, including a representative from Council District 5 (Dylan Sittig).

Applicant Presentation. The applicant's representative described the site location, project description, requested entitlements, and community outreach. Specifically, the applicant noted the following:

- The incentives and waivers are consistent with State Density Bonus Law. The city would need to make findings in the affirmative that without incentives, the only mitigation is to not build the project.
- Strict compliance with transitional height requirement would result in the loss of 9 dwelling units. The project would be by-right, with no density bonus, incentives, or affordable. The community is advocating for that type of project but it is not financially viable.
- The applicant did substantial community outreach with the Neighborhood Council and Homeowners Association and received significant feedback leading to project changes. The Neighborhood Council voted to not support the project due to the density and height, however it was a mixed vote. Despite no support from Neighborhood Council, the applicant made changes to the project.
- The project provides entrances on both streets.
- The property is small in size with limited frontage on Pico. Code requirements for commercial such as loading and trash make it physically impossible to accommodate the commercial and back of house residential spaces as well as Expo TNP screening requirements.
- The project will include three live-work units on Pico Boulevard for business entrepreneurs that are designed to activate the street frontage and have consistent window coverings and adequate transparency.
- The rear of the project will be buffered from the neighboring single-family residential by an alley that will be improved.
- The project provides 16 parking spaces with a puzzle stacker system at the rear of the site. All spaces are EV ready for future charging. The stacker system will keep one space empty at all times and maneuvers around. Users can pull into the system to have the car stacked and use electronic access information. The parking entrance is accessed from the alley near the interior side of the site away from Veteran Avenue.
- Additional 27 units are on upper levels. Each unit is designed to maximize light, air, and ease of access. Some units will have private balconies. The second and third floors have a mix of residential units with a recreation room on Level 3.
- The building is stepped back from the rear. It will be 3 stories where abutting 1-2 story single-family homes from the rear, and up to 5 stories along Pico Boulevard where it will be least impactful on the neighborhood. The project will have a roof terrace with significant landscaping, with additional stepbacks with landscaping to serve as a buffer. The roof deck is oriented towards Pico, away from residential neighbors to the south, and will be a passive area with no pool or jacuzzi.
- There is a 4 -foot grade change on-site that affects the overall height of the building. The perceived building height is 56 feet from the right-of-way.
- The project will comply with Expo TNP standards for drought tolerant landscaping and permeable paving.
- The existing two street trees along Pico Boulevard will be maintained; three more will be added along Veteran Avenue.
- The project will be of contemporary design with clean lines and stucco clad with warm wood paneling. Street-fronting units will activate the street, with glazing similar to ground floor retail, with appropriate interaction with the street per Neighborhood Council comments. The focal point will be at the ground floor.
- The Veteran Avenue frontage will emphasize the street corner, with a differentiated ground floor, and green wall at the rear of the site in response to UDS comments.
- They added warm accents to the rear façade as a buffer for the puzzle stacker parking system. The stepbacks contain landscaping at the edge for ample greenery as a buffer from the residential neighbors to the south.
- The project provides much needed multi-family housing in a predominantly single-family neighborhood. The project is critical to meeting the city's RHNA allocation and compliance with the Housing Accountability Act and will provide affordable units.
- They have heard comments about whether 30 units or 5 stories is appropriate for this location, but agree to disagree. The site is allowed unlimited base density. It is commonplace to have 7 -story buildings along a commercial boulevard.
- The project is consistent with Expo TNP to encourage density.
- The project is a stand-alone Density Bonus case that is completely consistent with state law.


## Public Comments in Opposition:

- The project is not consistent with the general area, will impact neighbors, and will set a precedent. The project will disturb the privacy of long-term residents.
- They do not support elimination of transitional height requirements.
- Veteran Avenue is very narrow. The street is not wide enough to accommodate the construction.
- They welcome the nicely designed project and beautiful building and working on the design, but do not support the project as presented. They are not sure if the concessions go far enough.
- They don't support any waivers for increases in height, density, or transitional setbacks.
- The project is too tall and dense and will not be a good neighbor. The project should be a floor lower and comply with transitional height requirement in Expo TNP.
- The project will be corporate housing with six-month leases for someone who is housed elsewhere. It will create a bubble of strangers with no stake or interest in the community. The person that signs the lease has to live there for one year, and should not be allowed to sublease. People will move in and out and use the community's resources.
- The project will actually provide 15 parking spaces because one space has to be empty for the stacker.
- Failure to provide retail space at the ground floor will lead to a decline along Pico Boulevard. The project should give back to local communities.
- The project takes no consideration of workforce housing.
- The project will destroy one of the most popular successful restaurants in the area.


## Council District 5:

- They thank the applicant for their outreach and hope ongoing dialogue will continue as the city's review progresses. They support the changes made to date to address community concerns. They are aware of the concerns made by community members today and in previous communications.
- They share some of the concerns including lack of designated retail space on the ground floor and the transitional height waiver.
- The Expo TNP site does not limit the number of dwelling units.
- The applicant is using the State Density Bonus program to seek certain incentives and waivers beyond the zoning. The applicant is not using the TOC program. Pursuant to state law, the applicant is allowed the waivers in exchange for certain amount of affordable housing on-site. Because of restrictions in state law including the Housing Accountability Act, the Council Office does not have input on those requests.
- They do not support corporate short-term rentals, and want to make sure they are leased to individuals who will use it for private residence.


## Applicant's Response to Public Comments and Staff Questions:

- The project will not be corporate housing; it will be traditional apartment housing with minimum one-year leases consistent with LAHD provisions. They are restricted by the city's homesharing ordinance from doing AirBnB. The applicant's business plan is to provide furnished apartments for residents who don't want to invest in furniture that find furnished apartments attractive. This is a specific business plan that has been successful in other projects. The live/work units will allow for people to bring their own office furniture if needed for the business portion of the unit.
- Pico Boulevard only has an 83 foot frontage. It is nearly impossible to get a viable retail space of substantial size plus the requisite lobby, ingress/egress, trash, loading, etc. in the 8,000 square foot lot.
- The Expo TNP does not require a retail component. 100\% residential is prohibited elsewhere in the Expo TNP but not here. They tried to acknowledge w retail presence on the street, provide an opportunity for businesses to exist with live/work units, that will have two-story glazing, storefronts, and will look and feel like retail. Live/work uses can include offices, retail, makers, jewelry stores, accountant offices, etc., but cannot do food service or café. Residents will hold business licenses consistent with the live/work provisions of the city.
- They agreed that residents will not be able to apply for permit parking within the neighborhood. This cannot be conditioned under Density Bonus because it is not an incentive, but the applicant has agreed to it.
- Veteran Avenue is slightly substandard. They will comply with the city's requirements for the 3 -foot dedication for their frontage, but cannot force the other property to improve.
- The alley will be widened, and will provide 8 feet for loading zone that is outside the alley to allow short-term deliveries like Amazon, small moving trucks, repair, etc.
- The restaurant vacated the site long before COVID and before this project came along; the restaurant was not displaced for this project. The applicant worked for 2 years to find another tenant but the structure is over 50 years old and is substandard and is cost prohibitive to retrofit.
- The project is not subject to transitional height requirements of Expo TNP because it is not a mixed-use project, but they are electing to provide transitional height consistent with the newer standards in the Expo TNP and TOC program which allow a 45-degree angle
when adjacent to residential. They are subject to transitional height of LAMC Section 12.21.1.A. 10 which limits height to 25 feet, 33 feet, and 61 feet, depending on distance from residential. Transitional height would limit 90 percent of their property to a building height of 33 feet, which is less than the base zoning height of 45 feet. It is impossible to do a project that complies with transitional height and zoning height without taking a property right. Strict compliance with transitional height would result in a loss of 9 units for a maximum 21-unit project based on the average unit size.
- The density bonus allowance of 35 percent would allow 32 units; they are requesting a 28 percent density increase in exchange for setting aside 15 percent of units for Very Low Income.
- A transformer and electrical room is required by the Department of Water and Power. The Expo TNP requires 25 feet of screening, which would remove the electrical room that is required by DWP.
- The project is required 0 parking spaces because they are in a Transit Priority Area under AB 2097. They are providing 16 spaces, including 14 in a puzzle system and 2 in the building. The stacker system has 15 slots but 14 spaces because one remains empty.
- The project is proposing 2,445 square feet of open space.
- The existing two street trees will remain on Pico Boulevard. Three new street trees will be planted on the right-of-way, and eight new trees will be planted on-site.


## PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED - August 24, 2023

A second public hearing was noticed due to technical issues with the Hearing Officer hearing, and that second public hearing will be conducted by the City Planning Commission on August 24, 2023. The hearing notice was mailed on July 31, 2023, published in the newspaper on July 31, 2023, and was posted on-site on August 9, 2023, in accordance with LAMC noticing requirements.

## WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE

The Westside Neighborhood Council submitted a letter dated June 9, 2023 in opposition of the proposed project indicating that although they recognized certain project characteristics and applicant's outreach efforts to incorporate project design changes, the project was too large for too small of a site.

The West of Westwood Homeowners Association ("WOWHOA") submitted letters dated February 23, March 22, April 13, May 4, May 31, and June 9, 2023, with the following comments:

- The project height and density is not consistent with the neighborhood profile. The height should be limited to 45 feet and not 65 feet.
- The project scope should be limited to 21 dwelling units instead of 30 dwelling units.
- The live/work units should be prevented from renting for short-term housing, provide uniform screening of glass facades, have annual verification that occupant-tenants have current business licenses from the city, and provide uniform tenant signage.
- Fully-furnished units for 6-month leases are targeted towards a demographic that is not intended to provide primary residential facilities; it will become corporate-style temporary housing and is inconsistent with goals of increasing housing supply.
- Tenant use of the loading dock will add to traffic concerns along the alley.
- The minimum lease term should be 12 months rather than short-term rentals.
- The lack of parking and stacked mechanical parking will be problematic. The alley is a dead-end one-way alley with no turnaround space.
- The current width of Veteran Avenue does not support a multi-family residential project of this density.
- The applicant has provided setbacks and Juliet balconies, but there are still concerns regarding privacy, noise, and traffic for the single-family residential neighbors along Ayres Avenue.
- The applicant has provided a modified exterior design scheme, but there are additional suggestions for including a more artistic approach to the exterior design.
- The density bonus and incentives/waivers are inappropriate for the project and site.
- The site has been vacant for 4.5 years and needs to be redeveloped. They hope for a rebirth of commercial redevelopment along Pico Boulevard and hope for a residential/commercial mixed-use project but only if single-family neighborhoods are able to share in the positive upsides of such a project.

The Westwood Gardens Civic Association submitted a letter dated June 5, 2023 in opposition of the project, indicating that although there is a need for more housing, the project as presented with incentives and density bonuses is not in keeping with the area, will affect quality of life, and will increase traffic safety issues. They support a three-level 21 -unit project but not the current proposal.

The California Country Club Homes Association submitted a letter dated June 6, 2023 in opposition of the project, indicating they support an alternative that would build 21 units on three levels unless underground parking can be built as part of the project.

Planning Staff has received ten (10) additional written correspondences from adjacent neighbors expressing concerns about the project. Their comments are included in Exhibit E and summarized as follows:

- There is a need for retail space along the Westwood-Sepulveda corridor of Pico Boulevard.
- Live/work units with front doors opening onto the sidewalk will cause obstructions to the pedestrian thoroughfare.
- The building design with vertical shade panels cause a disordered threatening appearance that will deter pedestrian traffic.
- The project height is not consistent with the neighborhood profile.
- Veteran Avenue is too narrow to support the project density. A project with 21 units would be more appropriate for the site.
- Fully-furnished units for 6-month leases is corporate housing and is not housing for Angelenos. 6-month leases will lead to students, traffic, noise complaints, and moving vans.
- The project will increase traffic and parking congestion. Traffic has already increased with the addition of light-rail; adding a 30 unit building will add to traffic.
- The alley is extremely narrow; added traffic would be a detriment to the business nextdoor.
- Providing access to permit parking for the residents will make it impossible for others to park.
- Workforce housing should be provided.
- The project will overwhelm streets during construction.
- People are having problems accessing the hearing and hearing information.

EXHIBIT A
PROJECT PLANS

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## EXHIBIT B

## MAPS AND PHOTOS

B1 - Vicinity Map<br>B2 - Radius Map<br>B3 - ZIMAS Parcel Profile Report<br>B4 - Site Photos



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## 7/18/2023 PARCEL PROFILE REPORT

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| Lot/Parcel Area (Calculated) | 4,099.3 (sq ft) |
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| Jurisdictional Information |  |
| Community Plan Area | West Los Angeles |
| Area Planning Commission | West Los Angeles |
| Neighborhood Council | Westside |
| Council District | CD 5 - Katy Young Yaroslavsky |
| Census Tract \# | 2678.00 |
| LADBS District Office | West Los Angeles |
| Permitting and Zoning Compliance Information |  |
| Administrative Review | None |
| Planning and Zoning Information |  |
| Special Notes | None |
| Zoning | NMU (EC)-POD |
| Zoning Information (ZI) | ZI-2256 Neighborhood Overlay District: Westwood/Pico |
|  | ZI-2486 Streetscape Plan: Exposition Corridor/Livable Boulevards |
|  | Zl-2498 Local Emergency Temporary Regulations - Time Limits and Parking Relief - LAMC 16.02.1 |
|  | ZI-2192 Specific Plan: West Los Angeles Transportation Improvement and Mitigation |
|  | Zl-2490 Specific Plan: Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan |
|  | ZI-2512 Housing Element Inventory of Sites |
|  | ZI-2452 Transit Priority Area in the City of Los Angeles |
| General Plan Land Use | Neighborhood Commercial |
| General Plan Note(s) | Yes |
| Hillside Area (Zoning Code) | No |
| Specific Plan Area | EXPOSITION CORRIDOR TRANSIT NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN |
| Subarea | None |
| Specific Plan Area | WEST LOS ANGELES TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT AND MITIGATION |
| Subarea | None |
| Special Land Use / Zoning | None |
| Historic Preservation Review | No |
| Historic Preservation Overlay Zone | None |
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| HCR: Hillside Construction Regulation | No |
| NSO: Neighborhood Stabilization Overlay | No |
| POD: Pedestrian Oriented Districts | Westwood/Pico |
| RBP: Restaurant Beverage Program Eligible Area | None |
| RFA: Residential Floor Area District | None |
| RIO: River Implementation Overlay | No |
| SN: Sign District | No |
| AB 2334: Very Low VMT | Yes |
| AB 2097: Reduced Parking Areas | Yes |
| Streetscape | Livable Boulevards |
| Adaptive Reuse Incentive Area | None |
| Affordable Housing Linkage Fee |  |
| Residential Market Area | High |
| Non-Residential Market Area | High |
| Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) | Tier 3 |
| ED 1 Eligibility | Eligible Site |
| RPA: Redevelopment Project Area | None |
| Central City Parking | No |
| Downtown Parking | No |
| Building Line | None |
| 500 Ft School Zone | No |
| 500 Ft Park Zone | No |
| Assessor Information |  |
| Assessor Parcel No. (APN) | 4256001005 |
| APN Area (Co. Public Works)* | 0.191 (ac) |
| Use Code | 2100 - Commercial - Restaurant, Cocktail Lounge - Restaurant, Cocktail Lounge, Tavern - One Story |
| Assessed Land Val. | \$3,002,615 |
| Assessed Improvement Val. | \$504,998 |
| Last Owner Change | 09/25/2007 |
| Last Sale Amount | \$0 |
| Tax Rate Area | 67 |
| Deed Ref No. (City Clerk) | 895449 |
|  | 88439 |
|  | 545926 |
|  | 472151 |
|  | 359468 |
|  | 2208916 |
|  | 206816 |
|  | 1847054 |
|  | 1785720 |
| Building 1 |  |
| Year Built | 1949 |
| Building Class | D55A |
| Number of Units | 0 |
| Number of Bedrooms | 0 |
| Number of Bathrooms | 0 |
| Building Square Footage | 6,259.0 (sq ft) |
| Building 2 | No data for building 2 |
| Building 3 | No data for building 3 |
| Building 4 | No data for building 4 |
| Building 5 | No data for building 5 |


| Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO) | No [APN: 4256001005] |
| :---: | :---: |
| Additional Information |  |
| Airport Hazard | None |
| Coastal Zone | None |
| Santa Monica Mountains Zone | No |
| Farmland | Area Not Mapped |
| Urban Agriculture Incentive Zone | YES |
| Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone | No |
| Fire District No. 1 | No |
| Flood Zone | Outside Flood Zone |
| Watercourse | No |
| Hazardous Waste / Border Zone Properties | No |
| Methane Hazard Site | None |
| High Wind Velocity Areas | No |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Special Grading Area (BOE Basic Grid Map A- } \\ & \text { 13372) } \end{aligned}$ | Yes |
| Wells | None |
| Seismic Hazards |  |
| Active Fault Near-Source Zone |  |
| Nearest Fault (Distance in km) | 1.56929328 |
| Nearest Fault (Name) | Santa Monica Fault |
| Region | Transverse Ranges and Los Angeles Basin |
| Fault Type | B |
| Slip Rate (mm/year) | 1.00000000 |
| Slip Geometry | Left Lateral - Reverse - Oblique |
| Slip Type | Moderately / Poorly Constrained |
| Down Dip Width (km) | 13.00000000 |
| Rupture Top | 0.00000000 |
| Rupture Bottom | 13.00000000 |
| Dip Angle (degrees) | -75.00000000 |
| Maximum Magnitude | 6.60000000 |
| Alquist-Priolo Fault Zone | No |
| Landslide | No |
| Liquefaction | No |
| Preliminary Fault Rupture Study Area | No |
| Tsunami Inundation Zone | No |
| Economic Development Areas |  |
| Business Improvement District | None |
| Hubzone | Not Qualified |
| Jobs and Economic Development Incentive Zone (JEDI) | None |
| Opportunity Zone | No |
| Promise Zone | None |
| State Enterprise Zone | None |
| Housing |  |
| Direct all Inquiries to | Los Angeles Housing Department |
| Telephone | (866) 557-7368 |
| Website | https://housing.lacity.org |
| Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO) | No [APN: 4256001005] |
| Ellis Act Property | No |
| AB 1482: Tenant Protection Act | No |
| Housing Crisis Act Replacement Review | Yes |
| Housing Element Sites |  |
| HE Replacement Required | Yes |
| SB 166 Units | 0.03 Units, Lower |


| Housing Use within Prior 5 Years | No |
| :--- | :--- |
| Public Safety |  |
| Police Information | West |
| Bureau | West Los Angeles |
| Division / Station | 884 |
| $\quad$ Reporting District |  |
| Fire Information | South |
| Bureau | 18 |
| $\quad$ Battallion | 92 |
| $\quad$ District / Fire Station | No |

## CASE SUMMARIES

Note: Information for case summaries is retrieved from the Planning Department's Plan Case Tracking System (PCTS) database.

| Case Number: | CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA |
| :---: | :---: |
| Required Action(s): | DB-DENSITY BONUS |
|  | HCA-HOUSING CRISIS ACT |
| Project Descriptions(s): | PURSUANT TO LAMC SECTION 12.22.A.25, DENSITY BONUS WITH BASE INCENTIVES; ON-MENU INCENTIVES FOR (1) 35\% INCREASE IN ALLOWABLE FAR TO ALLOW 22,375 SF, (2) OPEN SPACE DECREASE OF 20\% TO ALLOW 2,445 SF. IN LIEU OF 3, 050 SF; OFF-MENU INCENTIVE FOR HEIGHT INCREASE OF 20 FT. FROM 45 FT. TO 65 FT; WAIVER OF DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS FOR (1) WAIVER FROM LAMC SECTION 12.21.A.10 TO DEVIATE FROM TRANSITIONAL HEIGHT REQUIREMENTS, (2) WAIVER FROM EXPO TNP STANDARD 4.2.5.C.1. |
| Case Number: | CPC-2018-7546-CPU |
| Required Action(s): | CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE |
| Project Descriptions(s): | ADOPT COMMUNITY PLAN POLICY DOCUMENT, GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENTS, AND ZONE CHANGES TO APPLY RE-CODE LA ZONING. |
| Case Number: | CPC-2014-1457-SP |
| Required Action(s): | SP-SPECIFIC PLAN (INCLUDING AMENDMENTS) |
| Project Descriptions(s): | SPECIFIC PLAN AMENDMENT |
| Case Number: | CPC-2013-621-ZC-GPA-SP |
| Required Action(s): | ZC-ZONE CHANGE |
|  | GPA-GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT |
|  | SP-SPECIFIC PLAN (INCLUDING AMENDMENTS) |
| Project Descriptions(s): | ZONE CHANGE AND PLAN AMENDMENT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXPOSITION CORRIDOR TRANSIT NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN. |
| Case Number: | CPC-2009-1536-CPU |
| Required Action(s): | CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE |
| Project Descriptions(s): | THE COMMUNITY PLAN WILL IMPLEMENT CHANGES TO ZONING, AMENDMENTS TO LAND USE PLAN DESIGNATIONS AND ESTABLISH OVERLAY ZONES, AS APPROPRIATE. PLAN AMENDMENTS WILL POTENTIALLY CHANGE OR REFINE PLAN DESIGNATIONS, FOOTNOTES OR STREET DESIGNATIONS AND MAKE CHANGES TO OTHER CITYWIDE ELEMENTS, AS NECESSARY. IN CONCERT WITH THE PROPOSED PLAN AMENDMENTS, NEW ZONES MAY BE NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN PLAN CONSISTENCY TO REGULATE DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS: HEIGHTS OF STRUCTURES, SETBACKS, LOT COVERAGE, DENSITY AND INTENSITY, OPEN SPACE, USE OF LAND, PARKING AND DESIGN. OVERLAY ZONES, DISTRICTS AND OTHER PLANS WOULD ADDITIONALLY BE ESTABLISHED TO REGULATE DEVELOPMENT THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE GENERAL PLAN, ENHANCE THE UNIQUE CHARACTER OF NEIGHBORHOODS AND ACCOMMODATE GROWTH. AREAS OF FOCUSED STUDY WILL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, PROTECTING ESTABLISHED SINGLE FAMILY NEIGHBORHOODS, PEDESTRIAN AND DESIGN IMPROVEMENTS TO COMMERCIAL CORRIDORS SUCH AS PICO BOULEVARD, WESTWOOD BOULEVARD, SAWTELLE BOULEVARD, SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD, AND WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, ENHANCEMENT OF THE WEST LOS ANGELES CIVIC CENTER, MIXED-USE NODES ALONG MAJOR TRANSPORTATION AND TRANSIT ROUTES, APPROPRIATE LAND USE AND STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS SURROUNDING FUTURE LIGHT-RAIL (EXPO LINE) TRANSIT STOPS, DESIGN AND USE PLANS FOR INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS, AND DESIGN STANDARDS FOR MULTIFAMILY RESIDENTIAL AREAS. <br> WITHIN THE PALMS STUDY AREA, THE CITY INTENDS TO EXTEND THE LIVABLE BOULEVARDS STUDY BEYOND THE WEST LOS ANGELES CPA TO CREATE VIABLE COMMERCIAL CENTERS AND RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS IN THE PALMS COMMUNITY AND IMPLEMENT GOALS AND POLICIES IN THE PALMS-MAR VISTA-DEL REY COMMUNITY PLAN AND FRAMEWORK ELEMENT. WITHIN THE PALMS AREA, IMPROVEMENTS TO THE LOCAL TRANSPORTATION NETWORK FOR PEDESTRIAN, BICYCLES, AND AUTOS WILL BE RECOMMENDED. ZONING TOOLS SUCH AS OVERLAY DISTRICTS MAY BE USED IN SELECTED AREAS TO COMPLEMENT STREET ENHANCEMENTS BY IMPROVING BUILDING DESIGN AND WALKABILITY, RESULTING IN ZONE CHANGES. |
| Case Number: | CPC-1992-41-HD |
| Required Action(s): | HD-HEIGHT DISTRICT |
| Project Descriptions(s): | HEIGHT DISTRICT CHANGE TO (Q)C4-2D-POD TO ENCOURAGE USE OF URBAN DESIGN TECHNIQUES IN NEW PROJECTS \& GRANTING OF MAXIMUM FLOOR-AREA RATIO OF $1.65: 1$ FOR PROPERTIES WHICH INCORPORATE SPECIFIED PEDESTRIANORIENTED EMENITIES BOTH SIDES WESTWOOD BET SANTA MONICA \& PICO BOTH SIDES OVERLAND FROM PICO TO ASHBY THE NLY/S PICO FROM BENTLEY TO FOX HILLS \& SLY/S PICO FROM MILITARY TO PATRICIA |
| Case Number: | CPC-1992-40-ZC |
| Required Action(s): | ZC-ZONE CHANGE |
| Project Descriptions(s): | ZONE CHANGE TO (Q)C4-2D-POD INCLUDING PROVISIONS TO ENCOURAGE USE OF URBAN DESIGN TECHNIQUES IN NEW PROJECTS \& GRANTING OF MAX FLOOR-AREA RATIO OF 1.65:1 FOR THOSE PROJECTS WHICH INCORPORATE SPECIFIED PEDESTRIAN-ORIENTED AMENITIES BOTH SIDES WESTWOOD BET SANTA MONICA \& PICO BOTH SIDES OVERLAND FROM PICO TO ASHBY THE NLY/S PICO FROM BENTLEY TO FOX HILLS DR \& SLY/S PICO FROM MILITARY TO PATRICIA |
| Case Number: | CPC-1992-39-SUD |
| Required Action(s): | SUD-SUPPLEMENTAL USE DISTRICT ("K" DIST., "O" DISTRICT, ETC.) |
| Project Descriptions(s): | AMENDMENT TO "WESTWOOD-PICO NOD" (PEDESTRIAN ORIENTED DISTRICT) TO PROHIBIT NEON SIGNS, IN THE WEST LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY PLAN AREA, BOTH SIDES WESTWOOD BL BETWEEN SANTA MONICA BL \& PICO BL, BOTH SIDES OFOVERLAND AV FROM PICO BL TO ASHBY AV., THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF PICO BL FROM BENTLEY AV TO FOX HILLS DR \& THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF PICO BL FROM MILITARY AV TO PATRICIA AV |
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| Case Number: | CPC-1974-25468 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Required Action(s): <br> Project Descriptions(s): | Data Not Available |
| Case Number: | ENV-2022-8061-EAF |
| Required Action(s): <br> Project Descriptions(s): | EAF-ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT <br> PURSUANT TO LAMC SECTION 12.22.A.25, DENSITY BONUS WITH BASE INCENTIVES; ON-MENU INCENTIVES FOR (1) 35\% INCREASE IN ALLOWABLE FAR TO ALLOW 22,375 SF, (2) OPEN SPACE DECREASE OF 20\% TO ALLOW 2,445 SF. IN LIEU OF 3,050 SF; OFF-MENU INCENTIVE FOR HEIGHT INCREASE OF 20 FT. FROM 45 FT. TO 65 FT; WAIVER OF DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS FOR (1) WAIVER FROM LAMC SECTION 12.21.A.10 TO DEVIATE FROM TRANSITIONAL HEIGHT REQUIREMENTS, (2) WAIVER FROM EXPO TNP STANDARD 4.2.5.C.1. |
| Case Number: | ENV-2014-1458-EIR-SE-CE |
| Required Action(s): | EIR-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT SE-STATUTORY EXEMPTIONS CE-CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION |
| Project Descriptions(s): | ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT |
| Case Number: | ENV-2013-622-EIR |
| Required Action(s): <br> Project Descriptions(s): | EIR-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT <br> ZONE CHANGE AND PLAN AMENDMENT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXPOSITION CORRIDOR TRANSIT NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN. |
| Case Number: | ENV-2009-1537-EIR |
| Required Action(s): | EIR-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT |
| Project Descriptions(s): | THE COMMUNITY PLAN WILL IMPLEMENT CHANGES TO ZONING, AMENDMENTS TO LAND USE PLAN DESIGNATIONS AND ESTABLISH OVERLAY ZONES, AS APPROPRIATE. PLAN AMENDMENTS WILL POTENTIALLY CHANGE OR REFINE PLAN DESIGNATIONS, FOOTNOTES OR STREET DESIGNATIONS AND MAKE CHANGES TO OTHER CITYWIDE ELEMENTS, AS NECESSARY. IN CONCERT WITH THE PROPOSED PLAN AMENDMENTS, NEW ZONES MAY BE NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN PLAN CONSISTENCY TO REGULATE DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS SUCH AS: HEIGHTS OF STRUCTURES, SETBACKS, LOT COVERAGE, DENSITY AND INTENSITY, OPEN SPACE, USE OF LAND, PARKING AND DESIGN. OVERLAY ZONES, DISTRICTS AND OTHER PLANS WOULD ADDITIONALLY BE ESTABLISHED TO REGULATE DEVELOPMENT THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE GENERAL PLAN, ENHANCE THE UNIQUE CHARACTER OF NEIGHBORHOODS AND ACCOMMODATE GROWTH. AREAS OF FOCUSED STUDY WILL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, PROTECTING ESTABLISHED SINGLE FAMILY NEIGHBORHOODS, PEDESTRIAN AND DESIGN IMPROVEMENTS TO COMMERCIAL CORRIDORS SUCH AS PICO BOULEVARD, WESTWOOD BOULEVARD, SAWTELLE BOULEVARD, SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD, AND WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, ENHANCEMENT OF THE WEST LOS ANGELES CIVIC CENTER, MIXED-USE NODES ALONG MAJOR TRANSPORTATION AND TRANSIT ROUTES, APPROPRIATE LAND USE AND STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS SURROUNDING FUTURE LIGHT-RAIL (EXPO LINE) TRANSIT STOPS, DESIGN AND USE PLANS FOR INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS, AND DESIGN STANDARDS FOR MULTIFAMILY RESIDENTIAL AREAS. <br> WITHIN THE PALMS STUDY AREA, THE CITY INTENDS TO EXTEND THE LIVABLE BOULEVARDS STUDY BEYOND THE WEST LOS ANGELES CPA TO CREATE VIABLE COMMERCIAL CENTERS AND RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS IN THE PALMS COMMUNITY AND IMPLEMENT GOALS AND POLICIES IN THE PALMS-MAR VISTA-DEL REY COMMUNITY PLAN AND FRAMEWORK ELEMENT. WITHIN THE PALMS AREA, IMPROVEMENTS TO THE LOCAL TRANSPORTATION NETWORK FOR PEDESTRIAN, BICYCLES, AND AUTOS WILL BE RECOMMENDED. ZONING TOOLS SUCH AS OVERLAY DISTRICTS MAY BE USED IN SELECTED AREAS TO COMPLEMENT STREET ENHANCEMENTS BY IMPROVING BUILDING DESIGN AND WALKABILITY, RESULTING IN ZONE CHANGES. |
| Case Number: | ENV-2005-8253-ND |
| Required Action(s): | ND-NEGATIVE DECLARATION |
| Project Descriptions(s): | AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PERMANENT REGULATIONS IMPLEMENTING THE MELLO ACT IN THE COASTAL ZONE. |
| Case Number: | ENV-2002-478-CE |
| Required Action(s): | CE-CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION |
| Project Descriptions(s): | AMENDMENT TO "WESTWOOD-PICO NOD" (PEDESTRIAN ORIENTED DISTRICT) TO PROHIBIT NEON SIGNS, IN THE WEST LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY PLAN AREA, BOTH SIDES WESTWOOD BL BETWEEN SANTA MONICA BL \& PICO BL, BOTH SIDES OFOVERLAND AV FROM PICO BL TO ASHBY AV., THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF PICO BL FROM BENTLEY AV TO FOX HILLS DR \& THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF PICO BL FROM MILITARY AV TO PATRICIA AV |
| Case Number: | ND-93-12-ZC |
| Required Action(s): | ZC-ZONE CHANGE |
| Project Descriptions(s): | Data Not Available |
| Case Number: | ED-75-154-ZC-HD |
| Required Action(s): | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZC-ZONE CHANGE } \\ & \text { HD-HEIGHT DISTRICT } \end{aligned}$ |
| Project Descriptions(s): | Data Not Available |

## DATA NOT AVAILABLE

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## LEGEND

## GENERALIZED ZONING

OS，GW
A，RA
RE，RS，R1，RU，RZ，RW1
R2，RD，RMP，RW2，R3，RAS，R4，R5，PVSP
CR，C1，C1．5，C2，C4，C5，CW，WC，ADP，LASED，CEC，USC，PPSP，MU，NMU
CM，MR，CCS，UV，UI，UC，M1，M2，LAX，M3，SL，HJ，HR，NI
P，PB
PF

## GENERAL PLAN LAND USE

## LAND USE

## RESIDENTIAL

| Minimum Residential |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Very Low／Very Low I Residential |
| ：$:$ ：$: 1:$ | Very Low II Residential |
|  | Low／Low I Residential |
| ： | Low II Residential |
|  | Low Medium／Low Medium I Residential |
| \％萛： | Low Medium II Residential |
|  | Medium Residential |
|  | High Medium Residential |
|  | High Density Residential |
|  | Very High Medium Residential |
| COM | MERCIAL |
| AMV | Limited Commercial |
| 哭 | Limited Commercial－Mixed Medium Residential |
|  | Highway Oriented Commercial |
|  | Highway Oriented and Limited Commercial |
| \％ | Highway Oriented Commercial－Mixed Medium Residential |
|  | Neighborhood Office Commercial |
|  | Community Commercial |
| 奴 | Community Commercial－Mixed High Residential |
| WILA | Regional Center Commercial |
| FRAMEWORK |  |
| COMMERCIAL |  |
|  | Neighborhood Commercial |
|  | General Commercial |
|  | Community Commercial |
| \％ | Regional Mixed Commercial |

## INDUSTRIAL

Commercial Manufacturing
Limited Manufacturing
Light Manufacturing
Heavy Manufacturing
Hybrid Industrial
PARKING
Parking Buffer
PORT OF LOS ANGELES

General／Bulk Cargo－Non Hazardous（Industrial／Commercial）
General／Bulk Cargo－Hazard
Commercial Fishing
Recreation and Commercial
Intermodal Container Transfer Facility Site

## LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Airport Landside／Airport Landside Support
Airport Airside
LAX Airport Northside
OPEN SPACE／PUBLIC FACILITIES
Open Space
Public／Open Space
Public／Quasi－Public Open Space
Other Public Open Space
Public Facilities

## INDUSTRIAL

Limited Industrial
Light Industrial

## CIRCULATION

## STREET

|  | Collector Scenic Street |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Collector Street |
|  | Collector Street（Hillside） |
|  | Collector Street（Modified） |
|  | Collector Street（Proposed） |
|  | Country Road |
|  | Divided Major Highway II |
| $\varlimsup$ ¢ $\varlimsup$ Divided Secondary Scenic Highway |  |
|  | Local Scenic Road |
|  | Local Street |
|  | Major Highway（Modified） |
|  | Major Highway I |
|  | Major Highway II |
|  | Major Highway II（Modified） |

## FREEWAYS

工＿Freeway<br>—— Interchange<br>—— On－Ramp／Off－Ramp<br>Railroad<br>$\ldots$ Scenic Freeway Highway

## MISC．LINES

| Airport Boundary |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| ．－．．．．．．－Bus Line |  |
|  | Coastal Zone Boundary |
| Coastline Boundary |  |
| $\ldots . . . . \cdots$ Collector Scenic Street（Proposed） |  |
| $\square \square \square$ Commercial Areas |  |
| －！－！－！Commercial Center |  |
| $\ldots$ Community Redevelopment Project Area |  |
| Country Road |  |
| $\times \times \times *$ DWP Power Lines |  |
| ム Desirable Open Space |  |
| －．Detached Single Family House |  |
| ．．．．．．Endangered Ridgeline |  |
|  |  |
| Hiking Trail |  |
| ．．．．．．Historical Preservation |  |
| $=$ Horsekeeping Area |  |
|  | Local Street |


－－・ー・• MSA Desirable Open Space
$0=$ Major Scenic Controls
Multi－Purpose Trail
பார Natural Resource Reserve
－－－－－Park Road
－－－Park Road（Proposed）
－Quasi－Public
＂＂＂＂＂＂＂＂＂＂＂＂Rapid Transit Line
＂．＂．＂．＂．＂！＂Residential Planned Development
－－－Scenic Highway（Obsolete）
－－Secondary Scenic Controls
－．．Secondary Scenic Highway（Proposed）
－－－－－－－－Site Boundary
$\otimes$ Southern California Edison Power
＂－＂－＝－Special Study Area
．．．．．Specific Plan Area
－•－• Stagecoach Line
Wildlife Corridor

## POINTS OF INTEREST

| （6） | Alternative Youth Hostel（Proposed） |  | Horticultural Center |  | Public Elementary School |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\bigcirc$ | Animal Shelter |  | Hospital | E | Public Elementary School（Proposed） |
| nim | Area Library |  | Hospital（Proposed） | 1 | Public Golf Course |
| 鹵 | Area Library（Proposed） |  | W House of Worship | 1. | Public Golf Course（Proposed） |
| 雨 | Bridge |  | Important Ecological Area | $\square$ | Public Housing |
| $\wedge$ | Campground | C | Important Ecological Area（Proposed） | （1） | Public Housing（Proposed Expansion） |
| \} | Campground（Proposed） | $\bigcirc$ | Interpretive Center（Proposed） | ${ }_{\text {J }} \mathrm{H}$ | Public Junior High School |
| （40） | Cemetery |  | Junior College | ${ }^{\text {JH }}$ | Public Junior High School（Proposed） |
| HW | Church |  | MTA／Metrolink Station | M ${ }_{\text {MS }}$ | Public Middle School |
| 1 | City Hall |  | MTA Station | St | Public Senior High School |
| 网 | Community Center |  | MTA Stop | SH | Public Senior High School（Proposed） |
| IIM | Community Library |  | D MWD Headquarters | 区 | Pumping Station |
| （11） | Community Library（Proposed Expansion） |  | －Maintenance Yard | 可 | Pumping Station（Proposed） |
| ［11 | Community Library（Proposed） |  | －Municipal Office Building |  | Refuse Collection Center |
| X ${ }^{*}$ | Community Park |  | Municipal Parking lot | Lut | Regional Library |
| （＊x） | Community Park（Proposed Expansion） |  | Neighborhood Park | （10） | Regional Library（Proposed Expansion） |
| X＊ | Community Park（Proposed） |  | Neighborhood Park（Proposed Expansion） | 100 | Regional Library（Proposed） |
| 空 | Community Transit Center | X | Neighborhood Park（Proposed） | 权 | Regional Park |
| $+$ | Convalescent Hospital |  | Oil Collection Center |  | Regional Park（Proposed） |
| ＊ | Correctional Facility | © | Parking Enforcement | RPD | Residential Plan Development |
| ＊ | Cultural／Historic Site（Proposed） |  | Police Headquarters | － | Scenic View Site |
| ＊ | Cultural／Historical Site |  | Police Station | － | Scenic View Site（Proposed） |
| ＊ | Cultural Arts Center |  | Police Station（Proposed Expansion） |  | School District Headquarters |
| DMv | DMV Office |  | Police Station（Proposed） | sc | School Unspecified Loc／Type（Proposed） |
| DWP | DWP |  | Police Training site | ＊ | Skill Center |
| ${ }_{17}^{14}$ | DWP Pumping Station | PO | Post Office | ss | Social Services |
| \％ | Equestrian Center | \％ | Power Distribution Station | ＊ | Special Feature |
|  | Fire Department Headquarters | 3 | Power Distribution Station（Proposed） | 脊 | Special Recreation（a） |
| $\stackrel{0}{9}$ | Fire Station | \％ | Power Receiving Station | SF | Special School Facility |
| $\theta$ | Fire Station（Proposed Expansion） | （ | Power Receiving Station（Proposed） | $\stackrel{\sim}{\text { SF }}$ | Special School Facility（Proposed） |
| \％ | Fire Station（Proposed） |  | Private College | $\pm$ | Steam Plant |
| A | Fire Supply \＆Maintenance | E | Private Elementary School |  | Surface Mining |
| 盛 | Fire Training Site |  | ）Private Golf Course | ＋ | Trail \＆Assembly Area |
| 2 | Fireboat Station | $\lambda$ | ］Private Golf Course（Proposed） |  | Trail \＆Assembly Area（Proposed） |
|  | Health Center／Medical Facility | JH | H Private Junior High School |  | Utility Yard |
| － | Helistop | PS | S Private Pre－School | － | Water Tank Reservoir |
| $\cdots$ | Historic Monument | （x） | （x）Private Recreation \＆Cultural Facility | 2 | Wildlife Migration Corridor |
| 侖 | Historical／Cultural Monument | SH | H Private Senior High School | $\sim$ | Wildlife Preserve Gate |
| 7 | Horsekeeping Area |  | F Private Special School |  |  |
| $\pi$ | Horsekeeping Area（Proposed） |  | Public Elementary（Proposed Expansion） |  |  |

## SCHOOLS/PARKS WITH 500 FT. BUFFER

Existing School/Park Site
Planned School/Park Site
-
Inside 500 Ft. Buffer
Sll

## COASTAL ZONE

Coastal Commission Permit Area
Dual Permit Jurisdiction Area
Single Permit Jurisdiction Area
Not in Coastal Zone

TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES (TOC)

| Tier 1 | $\square$ Tier 3 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ Tier 2 | $\square$ | Tier 4 |

## WAIVER OF DEDICATION OR IMPROVEMENT

Public Work Approval (PWA)
Waiver of Dedication or Improvement (WDI)

## OTHER SYMBOLS

| Lot Line |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| - Tract Line | Tract Line |
| - Lot Cut | Lot Cut |
| - Easement | Easement |
| --- Zone Boundary | Zone Boundary |
|  | Building Line |
|  | Lot Split |
|  | Community Driveway |
|  | Building Outlines 2020 |
| --.- Building Outlines 2017 | Building Outlines 2017 |


| $\square$ | Airport Hazard Zone |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ | Census Tract |
| $\square$ | Coastal Zone |
| $\square$ | Council District |
| $\square$ | LADBS District Office |
| $\square$ | Downtown Parking |
| $\square$ | Fault Zone |
| $\square$ | Fire District No. 1 |
| $\square$ | Tract Map |
| $\square$ | Parcel Map |


| $\square$ | Flood Zone |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ | Hazardous Waste |
| $\square$ | High Wind Zone |
| $\square$ | Hillside Grading |
| $\square$ | Historic Preservation Overlay Zone |
| $\square$ | Specific Plan Area |
| $\square$ | Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone |
| $\square$ | Wells - Acitive |
| Wells - Inactive |  |




## EXHIBIT C

## AGENCY CORRESPONDENCE

C1 - DCP Housing Services Unit - Affordable Housing Referral Form

C2 - Department of Building and Safety Preliminary Zoning Assessment

C3 - Los Angeles Housing Department Replacement Unit Determination

C4 - Los Angeles Fire Department
C5 - Urban Forestry Division
C6 - Bureau of Sanitation
C7 - Bureau of Engineering

This form is to serve as a referral to the Los Angeles City Planning's (LACP) Development Services Center (DSC) for Affordable Housing case filing purposes (in addition to the required Department of City Planning Application and any other necessary documentation); and to the City of Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD), Department of Building and Safety (LADBS), or other City agency for project status and entitlement need purposes. All Applicants are required to provide a complete set of architectural plans at the time that this form is submitted for review. Any application submitted that is missing any required materials will be considered incomplete and will not be reviewed until all materials are submitted.

This form shall be completed by the Applicant and reviewed and signed by LACP DSC Housing Services Unit (HSU) Staff prior to filing an application for an entitlement, administrative review, or building permit. Any modifications to the content(s) of this form after its authorization by HSU Staff is prohibited. LACP reserves the right to require an updated Referral Form for the project if more than 180 days have transpired since the referral date, or as necessary, to reflect project modifications, policy changes, bus route changes, bus schedule changes, and/or amendments to the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC), local laws, and State laws.

## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY HSU STAFF ONLY

Planning Staff Name \& Title: JasónHernández, City Planner
Planning Staff Signature:
Referral Date: 10/19/2022
Expiration Date: 4/17/2023
TRANSPORTATION QUALIFIERS (if applicable)
$\boxtimes$ Major Transit Stop $\quad \square$ Paratransit / Fixed Bus Route
$\square$ Other:
Location of Transit: Sepulveda Blvd \& Expositoin Blvd
Qualifier \#1: Metro E Line - Expo/Sepulveda Station
Service Interval \#1: Rail Level of Service Service Interval \#2: Rail Level of Service
Qualifier \#2: N/A
Service Interval \#1: N/A
Service Interval \#2: N/A

Service Intervals are calculated by dividing 420 (the total number of minutes during the peak hours of 6 am to 9 am and 3 pm to 7 pm by the number of eligible trips.

Referral To:
区 Planning DSC - Filing
AB 2162
$\square$ Other: $\qquad$
Notes:

## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Omid Bolour
Phone Number: 323.677.0550 Ext 134
Email: sahil@bolourassociates.com

## I. PROPOSED PROJECT

## 1. PROJECT LOCATION/ZONING

Project Address(es): 10942-10948 Pico Blvd, Los Angeles, CA, 90064

Assessor Parcel Number(s): 4256-001-005
Community Plan: West Los Angeles
Existing Zone: NMU(EC)-POD
Land Use Designation: Neighborhood Commercial
Number of Parcels: 2
Site Size (sf): $\underline{8,327.39 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft} \text { per Survey (see plans) }}$
$\boxtimes$ Specific Plan $\quad \square$ DRB/CDO $\quad \square$ HPOZ $\square$ Redevelopment Project Area
$\square$ Enterprise Zone $\quad \square$ Q Condition/D Limitation (Ordinance No.):
区 Other Pertinent Zoning Information (specify): Expo TNP

[^4]
## 2. DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROJECT

Project consists of a an approx. 22,375 sq ft apartment building consisting of 30 units with $15 \%$ of units set aside for Very Low Income households (4 units). The project includes $2,445 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft}$ of open space. The building is 65 ' in height and 5 -stories. Project requests include an off-menu Density Bonus and Site Plan Review.

## 3. DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF EXISTING SITE AND DEVELOPMENT

The existing site contains a vacant commercial restaurant building and no dwelling units.
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

| Existing Uses <br> Dwelling Unit (DU) <br> Square Footage (SF) | Existing No. of DUs <br> or Non-Residential SF | Existing No. of DUs <br> or Non-Residential SF <br> to be Demolished | Proposed ${ }^{2}$ No. of DUs <br> or Non-Residential SF |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Guest Rooms | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Studios | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| One Bedrooms | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Two Bedrooms | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Three Bedrooms | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bedrooms | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Non-Residential SF | approx. 6,259 | approx. 6,259 | 0 |
| Other | 0 | 0 | 0 |

[^5]
## 4．APPLICATION TYPE

区 Density Bonus（per LAMC Section 12．22 A． 25 or Government Code Section 65915）with only Base Incentives filed in conjunction with another discretionary approval．

区 Density Bonus with On－Menu Incentives（specify）：
1） $35 \%$ increase in allowable floor area ratio（equal to density bonus）to allow $22,375 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft}$
2）Open space decrease of $20 \%$ to allow $2,445 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft}$ in lieu of 3,050
3）
4）
区 Density Bonus with Off－Menu Incentives（specify）：
1）Height increase of $20^{\prime}$ from 45 ＇to $65^{\prime}$
2）
3）
4）
区 Density Bonus with Waivers of Development Standards（specify）：
1）Waiver from LAMC Section 12．21．A． 10 to deviate from transitional height requirements
2）Waiver from TNP Standard 4．2．5．C．1．
3） $\qquad$
4）
$\square$ Greater Downtown Housing Incentive Area per LAMC Section 12．22 A． 29
$\square$ Affordable Housing per LAMC Section 11．5．11（Measure JJJ）
$\square$ Public Benefit Project per LAMC Section 14．00 A． 2
$\square$ General Plan Amendment per LAMC Section 11．5．6
Request： $\qquad$
$\square$ Zone／Height District Change per LAMC Section 12.32
Request： $\qquad$
$\square$ Conditional Use per LAMC Section 12．24 U． 26
$\square$ Site Plan Review per LAMC Section 16.05
$\triangle$ Specific Plan Project Permit Compliance per LAMC Section 11．5．7 C
$\square$ Community Design Overlay per LAMC Section 13.08Coastal Development Permit per LAMC Section 12.20.2 or 12.20.2.1
$\square$ Tract or Parcel Map per LAMC Section 17.00 or 17.50
$\square$ Other (specify): $\qquad$

## 5. ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Project is Exempt ${ }^{3}$区 Not Yet Filed
Filed (Case No.):

## 6. HOUSING DEVELOPMENT PROJECT TYPE

## CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

For Rent

For Sale
Extremely Low Income $\mathbb{\square}$ Very Low Income
区 Market Rate
Supportive HousingMixed-Use ProjectResidential Hotel
Low Income
Moderate Income

Special Needs (describe): $\qquad$
$\square$ Other Category (describe): $\qquad$

## 7. DENSITY CALCULATION

A. Base Density: Maximum density allowable per zoning
Lot size (including any $1 / 2$ of alleys) ${ }^{4}$ $\qquad$ SF (a)
Density allowed by Zone
400
SF of lot area per DU (b)
No. of DUs allowed by right (per LAMC) 22 DUs (c) [ $c=a / b$, round down to whole number]
Base Density 23 DUs (d) [d=a/b, round up to whole number]
B. Maximum Allowable Density Bonus ${ }^{5} 32$ DUs (e) [ $\mathrm{e}=\mathrm{dx} 1.35$, round up to whole number]
Expo TNP does not set a base density; base density for calculating density bonus incentives is 1 du per 400 sq ft
${ }^{3}$ Project may be exempt from CEQA review if it qualifies for a CEQA Exemption or is a Ministerial Project (aka, "By Right").
${ }^{4}$ If there is a related subdivision case, the lot area shall be calculated based on the site area after a dedication of land has been provided.
${ }^{5}$ Per AB 2345, 100\% affordable housing developments may request an $80 \%$ density increase or unlimited density if the project site is within 0.5 miles of a Major Transit Stop.
C. Proposed Project: Please indicate total number of DUs requested and break down by levels of affordability set by each category (California Department of Housing and Community Development [HCD] or United States Department of Housing and Urban Development [HUD]). For information on HCD and HUD levels of affordability please contact LAHD at hcidla.landuse@lacity.org.

|  | Total | HCD (State) | HUD (TCAC) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Market Rate | 25 | N/A | N/A |
| Managers Unit(s) - Market Rate | 1 | N/A | N/A |
| Extremely Low Income (ELI) |  |  |  |
| Very Low Income (VLI) | 4 | 4 | N/A |
| Low Income (LI) |  |  |  |
| Moderate Income |  |  |  |
| Permanent Supportive Housing - ELI |  |  |  |
| Permanent Supportive Housing - VLI |  |  |  |
| Permanent Supportive Housing - LI |  |  |  |
| Seniors - Market Rate |  | N/A | N/A |
| Other |  |  |  |
| Other |  |  |  |
| Other |  |  |  |
| Other |  |  |  |

TOTAL No. of DUs Proposed
TOTAL No. of Affordable Housing DUs
No. of Density Bonus DUs
8
30
4
(f)
(g)
30
15
Percent of Density Bonus Requested
Percent of Affordable Set Aside

## 8. SITE PLAN REVIEW CALCULATION

An application for Site Plan Review (SPR) may be required for projects that meet any of the SPR thresholds as outlined in LAMC Section 16.05 C, unless otherwise exempted per LAMC Section 16.05 D. For Density Bonus projects involving bonus units, please use the formula provided below to determine if the project meets the SPR threshold for unit count. If the project meets the threshold(s) but qualifies under the exemption criteria per Section 16.05 D, please confirm the exemption with LACP's DSC HSU.

23 units allowed by right (permitted by LAMC) - $\underline{0}$ $\qquad$ existing units $=23$ $\qquad$ units Per the TNP, for purposes of calculating the required number of Restricted Affordable Units within Density Bonus Projects (SB 1818), a residential density of 1 dwelling unit per 400 SF. of lot area shall be used
YES, SPR is required
Proposed by-right units minus existing units is equal to or greater than $50^{6}$
区 NO, SPR is not required.
Base Density units minus existing units is less than 50
$\square$ Exempt.
Specify reason:

## II. DENSITY BONUS (LAMC SECTION 12.22 A.25, ORDINANCE NO. 179,681)

## 9. PARKING OPTIONS

## CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

Automobile Parking Reductions via Bicycle Parking for Residential Uses ${ }^{7}$. Choose only one of the options, if applicable:

10\%
$\square 15 \%$ (Only for residential projects or buildings located within 1,500 feet of a Major Transit Stop)
$\square 30 \%$ (If selecting the 30\% parking reduction, the project will be ineligible for any of the Parking Options listed below)

If selecting the 30\% parking reduction, provide the following information:

Required Parking per LAMC: $\qquad$
Required Parking after the 30\% reduction: $\qquad$

[^6]
## $\square$ Automobile Parking for Residential Uses (choose only one of the following options):

Note: Any fractional numbers are rounded up.
Parking Option 1. Based on \# of bedrooms, inclusive of Handicapped and Guest parking.

|  | \# of DUs | Spaces/DU | Parking Required | Parking Provided |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 0-1 Bedroom |  | 1 |  |  |
| 2-3 Bedrooms |  | 1.5 |  |  |
| 4 or more Bedrooms |  | 2.5 |  |  |
| Stalls Reduced via Bike Parking |  |  |  | Subtract: |
| TOTALS |  |  |  |  |

$\square$ Parking Option 2. Reduced only for Restricted Affordable Units and up to $40 \%$ of required parking for Restricted Affordable Units may be compact stalls.

|  | \# of DUs | Spaces/DU | Parking Required | Parking Provided |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| Market Rate <br> (Including Senior Market Rate) |  | Per Code |  |  |
| Restricted Affordable |  | 1 |  |  |
| VLI/LI Senior or Disabled |  | 0.5 |  |  |
| Restricted Affordable <br> in Residential Hotel |  | 2.5 |  | Subtract: |
| Stalls Reduced via Bike Parking |  |  |  |  |
| TOTALS |  |  |  |  |

区 Parking Option 3 [AB 2345 (2020)]. Applies to two types of projects:

- $100 \%$ affordable housing developments consisting solely of affordable units, exclusive of a manager's unit(s), with an affordable housing cost to lower income families; or
- Mixed-income developments consisting of $11 \%$ VLI or $20 \% \mathrm{LI}$ units.
$\square 100 \%$ Affordable Housing Developments. There is no minimum parking requirement for any of the following 100\% affordable housing developments described below. Check all that apply:
$\square$ A housing development located within 0.5 miles of a Major Transit Stop.
$\square$ A housing development for individuals who are 62 years of age or older with either paratransit service or unobstructed access, within 0.5 miles to a fixed bus route that operates at least eight times per day.

Special Needs Housing Development, as defined in Section 51312 of the Health and Safety Code (H\&SC), with either paratransit service or unobstructed access, within 0.5 miles to a fixed bus route that operates at least eight times per day.
$\square$ Supportive Housing Development, as defined in Section 50675.14 of the H\&SC.
$\boxtimes$ Mixed-Income Developments consisting of $11 \%$ VLI or 20\% LI units.

|  | Spaces/Unit | Parking Required | Parking Provided |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| Located within 0.5 miles of Major <br> Transit Stop with unobstructed <br> access to project | 0.5 | 15 | 15 |

Major Transit Stop is defined as a site containing an existing rail or bus rapid transit station, a ferry terminal served by either a bus or rail transit service, or the intersection of two or more major bus routes with a frequency of service interval of 15 minutes or less during the morning and afternoon peak commute periods. It also includes major transit stops that are included in the applicable regional transportation plan.

Bus Rapid Transit is defined as public mass transit service provided by a public agency or by a public-private partnership that includes all of the following features:

1) Full-time dedicated bus lanes or operation in a separate right-of-way dedicated for public transportation with a frequency of service interval of 15 minutes or less during the morning and afternoon peak commute periods.
2) Transit signal priority.
3) All-door boarding
4) Fare collection system that promotes efficiency.
5) Defined stations.

## 10. INCENTIVES

## A. Qualification for Incentives

Below is the minimum Required Restricted Affordable Housing Units, calculated as a percentage of the base density allowed on the date of the application. Check only one:

| Incentives | \% Very Low Income | \% Low Income | \% Moderate Income |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| One | $\square 5 \%$ to $<10 \%$ | $\square 10 \%$ to $<20 \%$ | $\square 10 \%$ to $<20 \%$ |
| Two | $\square 10 \%$ to $<15 \%$ | $\square 20 \%$ to $<30 \%$ | $\square 20 \%$ to $<30 \%$ |
| Three | $区 15 \%$ or greater | $\square 30 \%$ or greater | $\square 30 \%$ or greater |

100\% Affordable Housing Developments may request up to four (4) incentives and one (1) Waiver of Development Standard. Check this box if this applies to the project.

B．Project Zoning Compliance \＆Incentives（Only for projects requesting a Density Bonus with Incentives／Waivers）

| Permitted w／o | Proposed per |
| :---: | :---: |
| Incentives | Incentives |

$\square$ Yard／Setback（each yard counts as one incentive）Front（1）Front（2）Side（1）Side（2）Rear
$\square$ Lot CoverageLot Width
区 Floor Area Ratio ${ }^{8}$
区 Height／Stories ${ }^{9}$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\square$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
16，606
22，375
On－Menu
Off－Menu
（2）

区
$\square$ Overall HeightTransitional Height（s）
45 65


区 Open Space $\qquad$
$\square$ Density Calculation
$\square$ Averaging（all count as one incentive－check all that are needed）FARDensityParkingOpen SpaceVehicular Access
$\square$ Other Off－Menu Incentives（specify）： $\qquad$

区 Waiver of Development Standards（specify）：Waiver to deviate from LAMC Section 12．21．A． 10 to deviate from transitional height requirements；Waiver to deviate from TNP Standard Standard 4．2．5．C．1．
100\％Affordable Housing Development shall receive a height increase of three additional stories up to 33 additional feet．Check the box if this applies to your project．

TOTAL No．of Incentives Requested：On－Menu 2
Off－Menu 1
TOTAL No．of Waivers Requested： 2

[^7]${ }^{9}$ See LAMC Section 12．22 A．25（f）（5）for additional requirements．

## 11. COVENANT

All Density Bonus projects are required to prepare and record an Affordability Covenant to the satisfaction of the LAHD's Occupancy Monitoring Unit before a building permit can be issued. For more information, please contact the LAHD at hcidla.landuse@lacity.org.

## III. GREATER DOWNTOWN HOUSING INCENTIVE AREA (LAMC SEC. 12.22 A.29, ORDINANCE NO. 179,076)

## 12. GREATER DOWNTOWN HOUSING INCENTIVE AREA (GDHIA)

## A. Eligibility for Floor Area Bonus

NOTE: The affordability levels required are set by the HUD/TCAC. For information on HCD and HUD levels of affordability please contact the LAHD at hcidla.landuse@lacity.org.
$\square 5 \%$ of the total number of DUs provided for VLI households; and
$\square$ One of the following shall be provided:
$\square 10 \%$ of the total number of DUs for LI households; or
$\square 15 \%$ of the total number of DUs for Moderate Income households; or
$\square 20 \%$ of the total number of DUs for Workforce Income households, and
$\square$ Any DU or Guest Room occupied by a household earning less than $50 \%$ of the Area Median Income (AMI) that is demolished or otherwise eliminated shall be replaced on a one-for-one basis within the Community Plan area in which it is located

## B. Incentives

NOTE: Must meet all three (3) eligibility requirements from 12.A above and provide a Covenant \& Agreement (See \#11).

## CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

$\square$ A 35\% increase in total floor area
$\square$ Open Space requirement pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21 G reduced by one-half, provided that a fee equivalent to amount of the relevant park fee, pursuant to LAMC Section 19.17, shall be paid for all dwelling units. See LAMC Section 12.29 A.29(c) for exceptions
$\square$ No parking required for units for households earning less than 50\% AMINo more than one parking space required for each dwelling unit

## C. Additional Incentives to Produce Housing in the GDHIA

No yard requirements except as required by the Urban Design Standards and Guidelines
$\square$ Buildable area shall be the same as the lot area (for the purpose of calculating buildable area for residential and mixed-use)

Maximum number of dwelling units or guest rooms permitted shall not be limited by the lot area provisions, as long as the total floor area utilized by guest rooms does not exceed the total floor area utilized by dwelling units
No prescribed percentage of the required open space that must be provided as either common open space or private open space

## IV. MEASURE JJJ ${ }^{10}$ (LAMC Sec. 11.5.11, Ordinance No. 184, 745)

## 13. AFFORDABLE REQUIREMENTS

A certain percentage of affordable units is required based on the total number of units in the project. Fill out either A or B below:

## A. Rental Projects

$\square$ No less than the affordability percentage corresponding to the level of density increase requested or allowed:
$\qquad$ \% VLI OR $\qquad$ \% LI
$\square$ For projects requesting a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, and/or Height District Change that results in an increased allowable density greater than 35\%:
$\square$ 5\% ELI
AND
$\square$ 6\% VLI
OR
15\% LI
$\square$ For projects requesting a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, and/or Height District Change that results in an increased allowable density greater than 35\%:
$\square$ 5\% ELI
AND$11 \%$ VLI
OR
$\square 20 \% \mathrm{LI}$

## Required Number of Affordable Units

ELI $\qquad$ VLI $\qquad$ LI $\qquad$

## B. For Sale Projects

$\square$ No less than the affordability percentage corresponding to the level of density increase requested or allowed:
$\square \quad$ \% VLI OR
For projects requesting a General Plan Amendment, Zone Change, and/or Height District Change that results in an increased allowable density greater than $35 \%$ or allows a residential use where not previously allowed:
$\square 11 \%$ VLI
OR
20\% LI
OR40\% Moderate Income

## Required Number of Affordable Units

VLI $\qquad$ LI $\qquad$ Moderate Income $\qquad$

[^8]
## 14. ALTERNATIVE COMPLIANCE OPTIONS

In lieu of providing the affordable units on site, there are three (3) other options available to comply with Measure JJJ Affordable Requirements. Select one, if applicable; otherwise leave this section blank.
A. Off-Site Construction - Construction of affordable units at the following rate:
$\square$ Within 0.5 miles of the outer edge of the Project, Affordable Units in Section $13 \times 1.0$
$\square$ Within 2 miles of the outer edge of the Project, Affordable Units in Section $13 \times 1.25$
$\square$ Within 3 miles of the outer edge of the Project, Affordable Units in Section $13 \times 1.5$

## Updated Required Number of Affordable Units

ELI
VLI
LI $\qquad$ Moderate Income $\qquad$
B. Off-Site Acquisition - Acquisition of property that will provide affordable units at the following rate:
$\square$ Within 0.5 miles of the outer edge of the Project, Affordable Units in Section $13 \times 1.0$
$\square$ Within 1 mile of the outer edge of the Project, Affordable Units in Section $13 \times 1.25$
$\square$ Within 2 miles of the outer edge of the Project, Affordable Units in Section $13 \times 1.5$
Updated Required Number of Affordable Units
ELI _ VLI__ Moderate Income $\qquad$
C. In-Lieu Fee - From the Affordability Gaps Study published by the Los Angeles City Planning Total In-Lieu Fee $\qquad$ (Note: Final fee TBD if/when the project is approved)

## 15. DEVELOPER INCENTIVES

Please describe up to a maximum of three (3) incentives:

1) $\qquad$
$\qquad$
2) $\qquad$
$\qquad$
3) $\qquad$

Disclaimer: This review is based on the information and plans provided by the applicant at the time of submittal of this form. Applicants are advised to verify any zoning issues such as height, parking, setback, and any other applicable zoning requirements with LADBS.

This form is to serve as an inter-agency referral for City Planning applications associated with a project creating two or more residential units. As a part of a City Planning application, a completed Preliminary Zoning Assessment (PZA) form, accompanied by architectural plans, shall be submitted to Plan Check staff at the Department of Building and Safety (LADBS). LADBS Plan Check staff will sign the PZA form and the architectural plans once the informational Zoning Plan Check verifications are completed. Following the completion of the PZA process, a City Planning application may be filed along with all other applicable filing requirements.
Review of the referral form by City staff is intended to determine compliance with City zoning and land use requirements necessary to achieve the proposed project and to identify any zoning issues or necessary approvals that would need to be resolved through a City Planning application. The informational Zoning Plan Check done through the PZA process does not constitute a zoning approval and does not require compliance with development standards to be completed.
To check if a project type qualifies for and requires the PZA form, see the "Housing Development Project Applicability Matrix" available on the City Planning Forms webpage.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

## Department of Building and Safety, Affordable Housing Section

201 N. Figueroa St., Ste 830
Los Angeles, CA 90012
Phone: (213) 482-0455
Web: https://ladbs.org/services/special-assistance/
affordable-housing
Email: LADBS.AHS@lacity.org

## Department of City Planning, Development Services Center

For locations and hours:
https://planning.lacity.org/contact/locations-hours

## THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY LADBS PLAN CHECK STAFF ONLY

| LADBS Plan Check Staff Name and Title | LADBS PlăCheck Syaff Signature ${ }^{1}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| KEVIN MORALES SEA III |  |
| Plan Check Application No. ${ }^{2}$ <br> $22010-10000-05269$ | Date <br>  |

## Notes

CITY PLANNING TO VERIFY ALL REQUIREMENTS PER EXPOSITION CORRIDOR TRANSIT NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN

[^9]
## PROJECT INFORMATION THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETE BY THE APPLICANT³

## I．PROJECT LOCATION，ZONING \＆LAND USE JURISDICTION

Project Address：10942－19048 Pico Boulevard
Project Name（if applicable）： $\qquad$
Assessor Parcel Number（s）：
Legal Description（Lot，Block，Tract）：
Community Plan：
West Los Angeles
Current Zone（s）\＆Height District（s）：
NMU（EC）－POD
$\boxtimes$ YES $\square$ NO Alley in Rear
$\square$ YES 区 NO
Site Contains Historical Features
$\square$ YES $\boxtimes$ NO
Coastal Zone
$\square$ YES $\boxtimes$ NO
Downtown Design Guide Area
$\square$ YES $\boxtimes$ NO
Hillside Area（Zoning）
$\square$ YES $\mathbb{X}$ NO
Special Grading Area（BOE）Area
囚 YES $\square$ NO Enterprise Zone
$\square$ YES $\boxtimes$ NO Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone
$\square$ YES $\boxtimes$ NO
Greater Downtown
Housing Incentive Area
区 Specific Plan：
Expo TNP；Livable Boulevard Streetscape Plan
$\square$ Historic Preservation Overlay Zone（HPOZ）：
$\square$ Design Review Board（DRB）： $\qquad$
$\square$ Redevelopment Project Area： $\qquad$
$\square$ Overlay Zone（CPIO／CDO／POD／NSO／RIO／CUGU／etc．）：
$\square$ Q Condition／D Limitation／T Classification（Ordinance No．and Subarea）： $\qquad$
Description of Condition： $\qquad$
$\qquad$

Legal（Lot Cut Date）
$\square$ Related City Planning Cases
【 Z．I．（s）ZI－2192；ZI－2490；ZI－2256；ZI－2452；ZI－2498；ZI－2486；ZI－2512
$\square$ Affidavits
$\square$ Easements
$\square$ TOC Tier ${ }^{4}$（if applicable to project）
3 All fields in this form must be completed．If an item is not applicable，write N／A．
4 Must be verified by the City Planning Affordable Housing Services Section．A Tier Verification for projects using the TOC guidelines is required to initiate a Preliminary Zoning Assessment with LADBS．Contact Planning．PriorityHousing＠lacity．org．

## II. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project Description/Proposed Use
Proposed construction, use and maintenance of a new 30 dwelling unit residential project with 16 parking spaces.

| No. of Stories: 5 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Present Use/No. of Units: | No. of Dwelling Units:30 <br> Vacant one-story restaurant building |

## III. CITY PLANNING ACTION(S) REQUESTED

Provide the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section that authorizes the request to City Planning and (if applicable) the Section in the LAMC or the Specific Plan/Overlay from which relief is sought; follow with a description of the requested action.

## Authorizing Code Section: <br> 12.22 A.25(g)(3)

Code Section from which relief is requested (if any):
Action Requested, Narrative: Density Bonus re quest

## Authorizing Code Section: <br> 13.08

Code Section from which relief is requested (if any):
Action Requested, Narrative: Specific plan project permit compliance for Expo TNP
Additional Requests Attached
V. APPLICANT INFORMATION

## Name:

Omit Bolour; Pico Veteran Holdings LLC
Phone:
323.677.0550 Ext 103

Email:
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V. REPRESENTATIVE INFORMATION

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5 An applicant is a person with a lasting interest in the completed project such as the property owner or a lessee/user of a project. An applicant is not someone filing a case on behalf of a client (i.e. usually not the agent/representative).
VI. PRELIMINARY ZONING ASSESSMENT SUMMARY

THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY LADBS PLAN CHECK STAFF ${ }^{6}$

| Item <br> No. | Zoning <br> Standard | Proposed | Required/ <br> Allowed | Standard <br> Met | Applicable LAMC <br> Section No. | Comments and Additional Information |
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| $\mathbf{1}$ | Use | APARTMENT <br> WITH <br> ATTACHED <br> GARAGE | APARTMENT <br> WITH <br> ATTACHED <br> GARAGE | $\square$ NO |  |  |

6 LADBS Plan Check staff will sign Section IV of the Preliminary Zoning Assessment (PZA) form and provide signed architectural plans once the Zoning Plan Check verifications are complete.
7 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition

| Item No. | Zoning Standard | Proposed | Required/ Allowed | Standard Met | Applicable Section No. ${ }^{8}$ | Comments and Additional Information |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 | No. of Stories | 5 | N/A | $\begin{aligned} & \square \text { YES } \\ & \square \text { NO } \\ & \boxtimes \text { N/A } \end{aligned}$ | LAMC Section 12.21.1 (if code prevails) |  |
| 4 | FAR <br> (Floor Area Ratio) | 2.7:1 | 2:1 | $\begin{aligned} & \square \text { YES } \\ & \boxtimes \text { NO } \\ & \square \text { N/A } \end{aligned}$ | EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN | AN OFF MENU INCENTIVE TO ALLOW A FLOOR AREA RATIO INCREASE OF UP TO 2.7:1 |

8 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition.

| Item <br> No. | Zoning <br> Standard | Proposed | Required/ <br> Allowed | Standard <br> Met | Applicable <br> Section No. ${ }^{9}$ | Comments and Additional Information <br> $\mathbf{5}$ |
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|  | RFAR <br> (Residential Floor <br> Area Ratio) |  |  | $\square$ YES <br> $\square$ NO <br> 区 N/A |  |  |
| $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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9 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition.

| Item No. | Zoning Standard | Proposed | Required/ Allowed | Standard <br> Met | Applicable Section No. ${ }^{10}$ | Comments and Additional Information |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | Setback (Front) | 0 FT | 0 FT | $\begin{aligned} & \boxtimes \text { YES } \\ & \square \text { NO } \end{aligned}$ | EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN | Lot Line Location (Street Name): <br> PICO BLVD <br> Lot Line Location (Street Name): <br> EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN TO VERIFY. |
| 8 | Setback (Side) | 5 FT | 5 FT | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 区 YES } \\ & \square \text { NO } \end{aligned}$ | EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN | ```Offset/plane break met: \square YES``` <br> ```NO \(\square\) N/A EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN TO VERIFY. ``` |

10 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overiay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition.


| Item No. | Zoning Standard | Proposed | Required/ Allowed | Standard Met | Applicable Section No. ${ }^{11}$ | Comments and Additional Information |
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| 9 | Setback <br> (Rear) | 5 FT | 5 FT | $\begin{aligned} & \boxtimes \text { YES } \\ & \square \text { NO } \\ & \square \text { N/A } \end{aligned}$ | EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN | EXPO SPECIFIC PLAN TO VERIFY. |
| 10 | Building Line |  |  | YES NO N/A | Ordinance No.: |  |

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12 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition.

| Item No． | Zoning Standard | Proposed | Required／ Allowed | Standard Met | Applicable Section No．${ }^{13}$ | Comments and Additional Information |
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| 13 | Bicycle Parking （non－residential） | Long－term： <br> Short－term： | Long－term： <br> Short－term： | $\square$ YES NO区 N／A | LAMC Section 12．21 A． 16 （if code prevails） | Facility standards met： YES NO <br> Design standards met： YES NO |
| 14 | Open Space | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Total (sq. ft.): } \\ & 2445 \\ & \text { Common (sq. } \\ & \text { ft.): } \\ & 2045 \\ & \text { Private } \\ & \text { (sq. ft.): } \\ & 400 \end{aligned}$ | Total： 3050 <br> Common： <br> Private： | $\begin{aligned} & \square \text { YES } \\ & 区 \text { NO } \\ & \square \text { N/A } \end{aligned}$ | LAMC Section 12.21 G （if code prevails） | Units／Habitable Room $\begin{aligned} & <3: 28 \\ & =3: 2 \\ & >3: 0 \end{aligned}$ <br> Dimensions met： <br> 区 YES NO <br> PER 12．22．A．25，A 20\％REDUCTION IS REQUESTED． |

13 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code，Specific Plan，Zoning Overlay，Ordinance，Bonus Program，Planning Case Condition．




| Item <br> No. | Zoning <br> Standard | Proposed | Required/ <br> Allowed | Standard <br> Met | Applicable <br> Section No.17 | Comments and Additional Information |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{2 1}$ | Location of <br> Accessory <br> Buildings |  |  | $\square$ YES <br> $\square$ NO <br> 区 N/A | LAMC Section <br> 12.21 C.5 <br> (if code prevails) |  |
| $\mathbf{2 2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |

17 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition.


| Item <br> No. | Zoning <br> Standard | Proposed | Required/ <br> Allowed | Standard <br> Met | Applicable <br> Section No. ${ }^{18}$ | Comments and Additional Information |
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| $\mathbf{2 3}$ |  <br> Recycling | YES | YES | 区 YES <br> $\square$ NO <br> $\square$ N/A | 12.21.A.19 |  |
| $\mathbf{2 4}$ | Landscape | Conformance determined by Los Angeles City <br> Planning |  |  |  |  |


| Item No. | Zoning Standard | Proposed | Required/ Allowed | Standard Met | Applicable Section No. ${ }^{19}$ | Comments and Additional Information |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 25 | Private Street | YES NO N/A | YES NO N/A | YES NO N/A |  |  |
|  | Other <br> (e.g., ground floor transparency, lighting, utilities, signage, walls, lot area, minimum frontage, etc.) | See additional sheets, if applicable |  |  |  | Additional Sheet(s) attached: YES <br> 区 NO |

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## ADDITIONAL ZONING AND LAND USE STANDARDS REVIEWED to be completed by LADBS Plan Check Staff

| Item <br> No. | Zoning <br> Standard | Proposed | Required/ <br> Allowed | Standard <br> Met | Applicable <br> Section No. | Comments and Additional Information |
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|  |  |  |  | $\square$ YES <br> $\square$ NO |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\square$ YES <br> $\square$ NO |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\square$ YES <br> $\square$ NO |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\square$ YES |  |  |
| $\square$ NO |  |  |  |  |  |  |$\quad$|  |
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Eric Garcetti, Mayor
DATE: June 22, 2022
TO: PICO-VETERAN HOLDINGS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, Owner
FROM: Marites Cunanan, Senior Management Analyst II
Los Angeles Housing Department
SUBJECT: Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8)
(DB) Replacement Unit Determination RE: 10942 - 10948 West Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90064

Based on the SB 8 Application for a Replacement Unit Determination (RUD) submitted by PICO-VETERAN HOLDINGS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (Owner), for the above referenced property located at 10942 -10948 W. Pico Blvd. (APN 4256-001-005, Lot 77) (Property) the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) has determined that no units are subject to replacement pursuant to the requirements of the Housing Crisis Act of 2019 (SB 8). No unit(s) exist/existed on the property during the five (5) year lookback period.

## PROJECT SITE REQUIREMENTS:

The Housing Crisis Act of 2019, as amended by SB 8 (California Government Code Section 66300 et seq.), prohibits the approval of any proposed housing development project ("Project") on a site ("Property") that will require demolition of existing dwelling units or occupied or vacant "Protected Units" unless the Project replaces those units as specified below. The replacement requirements below apply to the following projects:

- Discretionary Housing Development Projects that receive a final approval from Los Angeles City Planning (LACP) on or after January 1, 2022,
- Ministerial On-Menu Density Bonus, SB 35 and AB 2162 Housing Development Projects that submit an application to LACP on or after January 1, 2022, and
- Ministerial Housing Development Projects that submit a complete set of plans to the Los Angeles Department of Building \& Safety (LADBS) for Plan Check and permit on or after January 1, 2022.


## Replacement of Existing Dwelling Units

The Project shall provide at least as many residential dwelling units as the greatest number of residential dwelling units that existed on the Property within the past 5 years.

## Replacement of Existing or Demolished Protected Units

The Project must also replace all existing or demolished "Protected Units". Protected Units are those residential dwelling units on the Property that are, or were, within the 5 years prior to the owner's application for a SB 8 Replacement Unit Determination (SB 8 RUD): (1) subject to a recorded covenant, ordinance, or law that restricts rents to levels affordable to persons and families of lower or very low income, (2) subject to any form of rent or price control through a public entity's valid exercise of its police power within the 5 past years (3) occupied by lower or very low income households (an affordable Protected Unit), or (4) that were withdrawn from rent or lease per the Ellis Act, within the past 10 years.

Whether a unit qualifies as an affordable Protected Unit, is primarily measured by the INCOME level of the occupants (i.e. W-2 forms, tax return, pay stubs, etc.). The Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) will send requests for information to each occupant of the existing project. Requests for information can take two (2) or more
weeks to be returned. It is the owner's responsibility to work with the occupants to ensure that the requested information is timely produced.

- In the absence of occupant income documentation: Affordability will default to the percentage of extremely low, very low or low income renters in the jurisdiction as shown in the latest HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) database, which as of October 1, 2021, is at 28\% extremely low income, $18 \%$ very low income and $18 \%$ low income for Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) projects and $46 \%$ very low income and $18 \%$ low income for Density Bonus projects. In the absence of specific entitlements, the affordability will default to $46 \%$ very low income and $18 \%$ low income. The remaining $36 \%$ of the units are presumed above-low income. All replacement calculations resulting in fractional units shall be rounded up to the next whole number.

Replacement of Protected Units Subject to the Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO), Last Occupied by Persons or Families at Moderate Income or Above
The City has the option to require that the Project provide: (1) replacement units affordable to low income households for a period of 55 years (rental units subject to a recorded covenant), OR (2) require the units to be replaced in compliance with the RSO.

## Relocation, Right to Return, Right to Remain:

All occupants of Protected Units (as defined in California Government Code Section 66300(d)(2)(F)(vi)) being displaced by the Project have the right to remain in their units until six (6) months before the start of construction activities with proper notice subject to Chapter 16 (Relocation Assistance) of Division 7, Title I of the California Government Code ("Chapter 16"). However, all Lower Income Household (as defined in California Health and Safety Code Section 50079.5) occupants of Protected Units are also entitled to: (a) Relocation benefits also subject to Chapter 16, and (b) the right of first refusal ("Right to Return") to a comparable unit (same bedroom type) at the completed Project. If at the time of lease up or sale (if applicable) of a comparable unit, a returning occupant remains income eligible for an "affordable rent" (as defined in California Health and Safety Code Section 50053) or if for sale, an "affordable housing cost" (as defined in California Health and Safety Code Section 50052.5), owner must also provide the comparable unit at the "affordable rent" or "affordable housing cost", as applicable. This provision does not apply to: (1) a Project that consists of a Single Family Dwelling Unit on a site where a Single Family Dwelling unit is demolished, and (2) a Project that consists of $100 \%$ lower income units except Manager's Unit.

## THE PROPOSED HOUSING DEVELOPMENT PROJECT:

Per the statement received by LAHD on February 23, 2022, the Owner plans to demolish the existing structure and construct a new thirty-two (32)-unit project on the Property pursuant to additional incentives under Density Bonus (DB) Guidelines from the Department of City Planning (DCP).

## PROPERTY STATUS (AKA THE "PROJECT SITE"):

Owner submitted an Application for a RUD for the Property on February 23, 2022. In order to comply with the required five (5)-vear lookback period, LAHD collected and reviewed data from February 2017 to February 2022.

## Review of Documents:

Pursuant to the Quitclaim Deed, the Owner acquired the Property on September 25, 2007.
Department of City Planning (ZIMAS), County Assessor Parcel Information (LUPAMS), DataTree database, Billing Information Management System (BIMS) database, and the Code, Compliance, and Rent Information System (CRIS) database, indicates a use code of "2100-Commercial - Restaurant, Cocktail Lounge - Restaurant, Cocktail Lounge, Tavern - One Story" for the Property (APN 4256-001-005).

Google Earth, Google Street View, and an Internet Search confirm that the Property contains a single-story commercial property.

The Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety (LADBS) database indicates that the Owner has not applied for a Demolition Permit or a Building Permit Application.

## REPLACEMENT UNIT DETERMINATION:

LAHD has determined that since at least February 2017, the Property has been used for commercial purposes. The replacement provisions of SB 8 do not apply to commercial properties if there are no residential dwelling unit(s) that exist or have existed on the property for the past five (5) years. Further, this development does not require the demolition of any prohibited types of housing, therefore, no SB 8 replacement affordable units are required.

Please note that this SB 8 determination will also apply if the proposed project is changed to a Transit Oriented Communities (TOC) project.

## NOTE: This determination is provisional and is subject to verification by LAHD's Rent Division.

If you have any questions about this RUD, please contact Jessica Wang at jessica.wang@lacity.org.
cc: Los Angeles Housing Department File
PICO-VETERAN HOLDINGS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, Owner
Planning.PARP@lacity.org, Department of City Planning

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INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

December 16, 2022
TO: Vincent Bertoni, AICP, Director of Planning
Department of City Planning
Attention: connie.chauv@lacity.org
FROM: Los Angeles Fire Department

## SUBJECT: CPC-2022-8060.:10942 Pico

Submit plot plans for Fire Department approval and review prior to recordation of City Planning Case.

## RECOMMENDATIONS:

Access for Fire Department apparatus and personnel to and into all structures shall be required.
Address identification. New and existing buildings shall have approved building identification placed in a position that is plainly legible and visible from the street or road fronting the property.

One or more Knox Boxes will be required to be installed for LAFD access to project.
Location and number to be determined by LAFD Field Inspector. (Refer to FPB Req \# 75).
The entrance or exit of all ground dwelling units shall not be more than 150 feet from the edge of a roadway of an improved street, access road, or designated fire lane.

No building or portion of a building shall be constructed more than 150 feet from the edge of a roadway of an improved street, access road, or designated fire lane.

Fire Lane Requirements:

1) Fire lane width shall not be less than 20 feet. When a fire lane must accommodate the operation of Fire Department aerial ladder apparatus or where fire hydrants are installed, those portions shall not be less than 28 feet in width.
2) The width of private roadways for general access use and fire lanes shall not be less than 20 feet, and the fire lane must be clear to the sky.
3) Fire lanes, where required and dead ending streets shall terminate in a cul-de-sac or other approved turning area. No dead ending street or fire lane shall be greater than 700 feet in length or secondary access shall be required.
4) Submit plot plans indicating access road and turning area for Fire Department approval.
5) All parking restrictions for fire lanes shall be posted and/or painted prior to any

Temporary Certificate of Occupancy being issued.
6) Plans showing areas to be posted and/or painted, "FIRE LANE NO PARKING" shall be submitted and approved by the Fire Department prior to building permit application sign-off. 7) Electric Gates approved by the Fire Department shall be tested by the Fire Department prior to Building and Safety granting a Certificate of Occupancy.
8) All public street and fire lane cul-de-sacs shall have the curbs painted red and/or be posted "No Parking at Any Time" prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy or Temporary Certificate of Occupancy for any structures adjacent to the cul-de-sac.
9) No framing shall be allowed until the roadway is installed to the satisfaction of the Fire Department.

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Construction of public or private roadway in the proposed development shall not exceed 10 percent in grade.

On small lot subdivisions, any lots used for access purposes shall be recorded on the final map as a "Fire Lane".

Private development shall conform to the standard street dimensions shown on Department of Public Works Standard Plan S-470-0.

Standard cut-corners will be used on all turns.
The Fire Department may require additional vehicular access where buildings exceed 28 feet in height.

Smoke Vents may be required where roof access is not possible; location and number of vents to be determined at Plan Review.

Where above ground floors are used for residential purposes, the access requirement shall be interpreted as being the horizontal travel distance from the street, driveway, alley, or designated fire lane to the main entrance of individual units.

The following recommendations of the Fire Department relative to fire safety shall be incorporated into the building plans, which includes the submittal of a plot plan for approval by the Fire Department either prior to the recordation of a final map or the approval of a building permit. The plot plan shall include the following minimum design features: fire lanes, where required, shall be a minimum of 20 feet in width; all structures must be within 300 feet of an approved fire hydrant, and entrances to any dwelling unit or guest room shall not be more than 150 feet in distance in horizontal travel from the edge of the roadway of an improved street or approved fire lane.

## 2014 CITY OF LOS ANGELES FIRE CODE, SECTION 503.1.4 (EXCEPTION)

a. When this exception is applied to a fully fire sprinklered residential building equipped with a wet standpipe outlet inside an exit stairway with at least a 2 hour rating the distance from the wet standpipe outlet in the stairway to the entry door of any dwelling unit or guest room shall not exceed 150 feet of horizontal travel AND the distance from the edge of the roadway of an improved street or approved fire lane to the door into the same exit stairway directly from outside the building shall not exceed 150 feet of horizontal travel.
b. It is the intent of this policy that in no case will the maximum travel distance exceed 150 feet inside the structure and 150 feet outside the structure. The term "horizontal travel" refers to the actual path of travel to be taken by a person responding to an emergency in the building.
c. This policy does not apply to single-family dwellings or to non-residential buildings.

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Site plans shall include all overhead utility lines adjacent to the site.
Where access for a given development requires accommodation of Fire Department apparatus, overhead clearance shall not be less than 14 feet.

## FPB \#105

5101.1 Emergency responder radio coverage in new buildings. All new buildings shall have approved radio coverage for emergency responders within the building based upon the existing coverage levels of the public safety communication systems of the jurisdiction at the exterior of the building. This section shall not require improvement of the existing public safety communication systems.

That in order to provide assurance that the proposed common fire lane and fire protection facilities, for the project, not maintained by the City, are properly and adequately maintained, the sub-divider shall record with the County Recorder, prior to the recordation of the final map, a covenant and agreement (Planning Department General Form CP-6770) to assure the following:
A. The establishment of a property owners association, which shall cause a yearly inspection to be, made by a registered civil engineer of all common fire lanes and fire protection facilities. The association will undertake any necessary maintenance and corrective measures. Each future property owner shall automatically become a member of the association or organization required above and is automatically subject to a proportionate share of the cost.
B. The future owners of affected lots with common fire lanes and fire protection facilities shall be informed or their responsibility for the maintenance of the devices on their lots. The future owner and all successors will be presented with a copy of the maintenance program for their lot. Any amendment or modification that would defeat the obligation of said association as the Advisory Agency must approve required hereinabove in writing after consultation with the Fire Department.
C. In the event that the property owners association fails to maintain the common property and easements as required by the CC and R's, the individual property owners shall be responsible for their proportional share of the maintenance.
D. Prior to any building permits being issued, the applicant shall improve, to the satisfaction of the Fire Department, all common fire lanes and install all private fire hydrants to be required.
E. That the Common Fire Lanes and Fire Protection facilities be shown on the Final Map.

The plot plans shall be approved by the Fire Department showing fire hydrants and access for each phase of the project prior to the recording of the final map for that phase. Each phase shall comply independently with code requirements.

Building designs for multi-storied residential buildings shall incorporate at least one access stairwell off the main lobby of the building; But, in no case greater than 150 ft horizontal travel distance from the edge of the public street, Private Street or Fire Lane. This stairwell shall extend onto the roof.

Entrance to the main lobby shall be located off the address side of the building.

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Any required Fire Annunciator panel or Fire Control Room shall be located within 20 ft visual line of site of the main entrance stairwell or to the satisfaction of the Fire Department.

Where rescue window access is required, provide conditions and improvements necessary to meet accessibility standards as determined by the Los Angeles Fire Department.

Adequate off-site public and on-site private fire hydrants may be required. Their number and location to be determined after the Fire Department's review of the plot plan.

Any required fire hydrants to be installed shall be fully operational and accepted by the Fire Department prior to any building construction.

The applicant is further advised that all subsequent contact regarding these conditions must be with the Hydrant and Access Unit. This would include clarification, verification of condition compliance and plans or building permit applications, etc., and shall be accomplished BY APPOINTMENT ONLY, in order to assure that you receive service with a minimum amount of waiting please call (213) 482-6543. You should advise any consultant representing you of this requirement as well.

Kristin M. Crowley
Fire Chief

Orin Saunders, Fire Marshal
Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety
OS:MRC:mrc
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DATE: May 16, 2023
TO: Connie Chauv, City Planner
Department of City Planning

FROM: Bryan Ramuez, Street Tree Superintendent I
Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division
SUBJECT: CPC-2022-8060-DB- HCA - 10942 W. PICO BLVD.

In regard to your request for review of this case regarding Urban Forestry requirements, it is our recommendation that:

## 1. STREET TREES

a. Project shall preserve all healthy mature street trees whenever possible. All feasible alternatives in project design should be considered and implemented to retain healthy mature street trees. A permit is required for the removal of any street tree and shall be replaced $2: 1$ as approved by the Board of Public Works and Urban Forestry Division.
b. When street dedications are required and to the extent possible, the project shall provide larger planting areas for existing street trees to allow for growth and planting of larger stature street trees. This includes and is not limited to parkway installation and/or enlargement of tree wells and parkways.
c. Plant street trees at all feasible planting locations within dedicated streets as directed and required by the Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division. All tree plantings shall be installed to current tree planting standards when the City has previously been paid for tree plantings. The sub divider or contractor shall notify the Urban Forestry Division at: (213) 8473077 upon completion of construction for tree planting direction and instructions.

Note: Removal of street trees requires approval from the Board of Public Works. All projects must have environmental (CEQA) documents that appropriately address any removal and replacement of street trees. Contact Urban Forestry Division at: (213) 847-3077 for tree removal permit information.

BR:djm

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## INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: February 14, 2023
TO: Vincent P.Bertoni, Director of Planning Department of City Planning

Attn: Connie Chauv, City Planner
Department of City Planning
FROM: Rowena Lau, Division Manager
Wastewater Engineering Services Division
LA Sanitation and Environment

## SUBJECT: 10942 W PICO BLVD - FILING NOTIFICATION AND DISTRIBUTION

This is in response to your December 12, 2022 letter requesting a review of the proposed residential project located at 10942-10948 Pico Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90064. The project will consist of a 30 -unit residential building. LA Sanitation has conducted a preliminary evaluation of the potential impacts to the wastewater and stormwater systems for the proposed project.

## WASTEWATER REQUIREMENT

LA Sanitation, Wastewater Engineering Services Division (WESD) is charged with the task of evaluating the local sewer conditions and to determine if available wastewater capacity exists for future developments. The evaluation will determine cumulative cumulative capacity impacts and guide the planning process for any future sewer improvement projects needed to provide future capacity as the City grows and develops.

## Projected Wastewater Discharges for the Proposed Project:

| Type Description | Average Daily Flow <br> per Type Description <br> (GPD/UNIT) | Proposed No. of <br> Units | Average Daily Flow <br> (GPD) |
| ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| Proposed |  |  |  |
| Residential: APT- Studio | $75 \mathrm{GPD} / \mathrm{DU}$ | 15 DU | 1,125 |
| Residential: APT- 1 BDRM | $110 \mathrm{GPD} / \mathrm{DU}$ | 13 DU | 1,430 |
| Residential: APT- 2 BDRM | $150 \mathrm{GPD} / \mathrm{DU}$ | 2 DU | 300 |
| Total |  |  |  |

## SEWER AVAILABILITY

The sewer infrastructure in the vicinity of the proposed project includes an existing 8-inch line on Veteran Ave Alley. The sewage from the existing 8-inch line feeds into a 57 -inch line on Northvale Rd before discharging into a 48 -inch sewer line on Jasmine Ave. Figure 1 shows the details of the
sewer system within the vicinity of the project. The current flow level (d/D) in the 8-inch line, 12inch line and 57-inch line cannot be determined at this time without additional gauging.

The current approximate flow level (d/D) and the design capacities at $\mathrm{d} / \mathrm{D}$ of $50 \%$ in the sewer system are as follows:

| Pipe Diameter <br> (in) | Pipe Location | Current Gauging d/D (\%) | $50 \%$ Design Capacity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | Veteran Ave Alley | $*$ | 229,323 GPD |
| 12 | Military Ave. | $*$ | $931,967 \mathrm{GPD}$ |
| 57 | Northvale Rd. | $*$ | 37.33 MGD |
| 48 | Jasmine Ave. | 27 | 34.48 MGD |

* No gauging available

Based on estimated flows it appears the sewer system might be able to accommodate the total flow for your proposed project. Further detailed gauging and evaluation will be needed as part of the permit process to identify a specific sewer connection point. If the public sewer lacks sufficient capacity, then the developer will be required to build sewer lines to a point in the sewer system with sufficient capacity. A final approval for sewer capacity and connection permit will be made at the time. Ultimately, this sewage flow will be conveyed to the Hyperion Water Reclamation Plant, which has sufficient capacity for the project.

All sanitary wastewater ejectors and fire tank overflow ejectors shall be designed, operated, and maintained as separate systems. All sanitary wastewater ejectors with ejection rates greater than 25 GPM shall be reviewed and must be approved by LASAN WESD staff prior to other City plan check approvals. Lateral connection of development shall adhere to Bureau of Engineering Sewer Design Manual Section F 480.

This response letter is not intended to address any potential utility conflicts associated with the wastewater or stormwater conveyance systems. Construction of any type near any wastewater or stormwater conveyance infrastructure in the public right of way, or in/near any conveyance easement must be evaluated separately.

If you have any questions, please call Christopher DeMonbrun at (323) 342-1567 or email at chris.demonbrun@lacity.org.

## STORMWATER REQUIREMENTS

LA Sanitation, Stormwater Program is charged with the task of ensuring the implementation of the Municipal Stormwater Permit requirements within the City of Los Angeles. We anticipate the following requirements would apply for this project.

## POST-CONSTRUCTION MITIGATION REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer (MS4) National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit (Order No. R4-2012-0175, NPDES No. CAS004001) and the City of Los Angeles Stormwater and Urban Runoff Pollution Control requirements (Chapter VI, Article 4.4, of the Los Angeles Municipal Code), the Project shall comply with all mandatory provisions to the Stormwater Pollution Control Measures for Development Planning (also known
as Low Impact Development [LID] Ordinance). Prior to issuance of grading or building permits, the applicant shall submit a LID Plan to the City of Los Angeles, Public Works, LA Sanitation, Stormwater Program for review and approval. The LID Plan shall be prepared consistent with the requirements of the Planning and Land Development Handbook for Low Impact Development.

Current regulations prioritize infiltration, capture/use, and then biofiltration as the preferred stormwater control measures. The relevant documents can be found at: www.lacitysan.org. It is advised that input regarding LID requirements be received in the preliminary design phases of the project from plan-checking staff. Additional information regarding LID requirements can be found at: www.lacitysan.org or by visiting the stormwater public counter at 201 N . Figueroa, $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{Fl}$, Suite 280.

## GREEN STREETS

The City is developing a Green Street Initiative that will require projects to implement Green Street elements in the parkway areas between the roadway and sidewalk of the public right-of-way to capture and retain stormwater and urban runoff to mitigate the impact of stormwater runoff and other environmental concerns. The goals of the Green Street elements are to improve the water quality of stormwater runoff, recharge local groundwater basins, improve air quality, reduce the heat island effect of street pavement, enhance pedestrian use of sidewalks, and encourage alternate means of transportation. The Green Street elements may include infiltration systems, biofiltration swales, and permeable pavements where stormwater can be easily directed from the streets into the parkways and can be implemented in conjunction with the LID requirements. Green Street standard plans can be found at: https://eng2.lacity.org/techdocs/stdplans/index.htm

## CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

All construction sites are required to implement a minimum set of BMPs for erosion control, sediment control, non-stormwater management, and waste management. In addition, construction sites with active grading permits are required to prepare and implement a Wet Weather Erosion Control Plan during the rainy season between October 1 and April 15. Construction sites that disturb more than one-acre of land are subject to the NPDES Construction General Permit issued by the State of California, and are required to prepare, submit, and implement the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP).

If there are questions regarding the stormwater requirements, please call WPP's plan-checking counter at (213) 482-7066. WPD's plan-checking counter can also be visited at 201 N. Figueroa, $2^{\text {nd }} \mathrm{Fl}$, Suite 280.

## GROUNDWATER DEWATERING REUSE OPTIONS

The Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) is charged with the task of supplying water and power to the residents and businesses in the City of Los Angeles. One of the sources of water includes groundwater. The majority of groundwater in the City of Los Angeles is adjudicated, and the rights of which are owned and managed by various parties. Extraction of groundwater within the City from any depth by law requires metering and regular reporting to the appropriate Court-appointed Watermaster. LADWP facilitates this reporting process, and may
assess and collect associated fees for the usage of the City's water rights. The party performing the dewatering should inform the property owners about the reporting requirement and associated usage fees.

On April 22, 2016 the City of Los Angeles Council passed Ordinance 184248 amending the City of Los Angeles Building Code, requiring developers to consider beneficial reuse of groundwater as a conservation measure and alternative to the common practice of discharging groundwater to the storm drain (SEC. 99.04.305.4). It reads as follows: "Where groundwater is being extracted and discharged, a system for onsite reuse of the groundwater, shall be developed and constructed. Alternatively, the groundwater may be discharged to the sewer."

Groundwater may be beneficially used as landscape irrigation, cooling tower make-up, and construction (dust control, concrete mixing, soil compaction, etc.). Different applications may require various levels of treatment ranging from chemical additives to filtration systems. When onsite reuse is not available the groundwater may be discharged to the sewer system. This allows the water to be potentially reused as recycled water once it has been treated at a water reclamation plant. If groundwater is discharged into the storm drain it offers no potential for reuse. The onsite beneficial reuse of groundwater can reduce or eliminate costs associated with sewer and storm drain permitting and monitoring. Opting for onsite reuse or discharge to the sewer system are the preferred methods for disposing of groundwater.

To help offset costs of water conservation and reuse systems, LADWP offers a Technical Assistance Program (TAP), which provides engineering and technical assistance for qualified projects. Financial incentives are also available. Currently, LADWP provides an incentive of $\$ 1.75$ for every 1,000 gallons of water saved during the first two years of a five-year conservation project. Conservation projects that last 10 years are eligible to receive the incentive during the first four years. Other water conservation assistance programs may be available from the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California. To learn more about available water conservation assistance programs, please contact LADWP Rebate Programs 1-888-376-3314 and LADWP TAP 1-800-$544-4498$, selection " 3 ".

For more information, related to beneficial reuse of groundwater, please contact Greg Reed, Manager of Water Rights and Groundwater Management, at (213)367-2117 or greg.reed@ladwp.com.

## SOLID RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS

The City has a standard requirement that applies to all proposed residential developments of four or more units or where the addition of floor areas is 25 percent or more, and all other development projects where the addition of floor area is 30 percent or more. Such developments must set aside a recycling area or room for onsite recycling activities. For more details of this requirement, please contact LA Sanitation Solid Resources Recycling hotline 213-922-8300.

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## Attachment: Figure 1 - Sewer Map

10942 W Pico Blvd - Filing Notification and Distribution
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City of Los Angeles

Figure 1
10942 W Pico Blvd Sewer Map

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## PLANNING CASE REFERRAL FORM (PCRF)

City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Engineering (BOE) / Department of City Planning (DCP)
Reference Number: 202100690

| Part I. To be Completed by Applicant | DCP Case Number |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Applicant | Zachary Andrews | Address |

## Part II. To be Completed by BOE Staff

What is/are the street classification(s) for the adjacent streets (list all)?
Pico Blvd - Avenue I Alley - Alley Veteran Ave - Local Standard Street

Does the project front an intersection of two major or secondary highways? [ ] Yes [ X ] No
If yes, additional dedication may be required for dual left-turn pockets. If no, how far is the project from the nearest major/secondary intersection? Additional dedication may be required if within the standard flare section. Dedication and improvements are to be consistent with Standard Street Dimensions. See Standard Plan S-470-1.

Apparent width of existing half right of way (street centerline to property line):
Standard dimension for half right of way (from S-470-1), (street centerline to property line):
Apparent width of existing half roadway (street centerline to curb face):
Standard street dimension for half roadway (street centerline to curb face):

Is the lot connected to the sewer?

Distance from subject lot to nearest main line sewer

Is the subject lot(s) within the hillside ordinance boundary?

## Preliminary Required Improvements:

## Planning Case Referral Form Recommendation:

Dedication Required:
Street Widening Required:
Other Improvements Required:
If yes, please list preliminary required improvements:

Pico Blvd - 50' Alley - 8' Veteran Ave - 30' ft
Pico Blvd - 50' Alley - 10' Veteran Ave - 30' ft
Pico Blvd - 35' Alley - 8'
Veteran Ave - 15' ft
Pico Blvd - 35' Alley - 10'
Veteran Ave - 18' ft
[X]Yes [ ]No
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| [X]Yes | [ ] No |
| $[\mathbf{X}]$ Yes | [ ]No |

No dedication is required along Pico Blvd and Veteran Ave. Dedicate 2 ft along the property street frontage to complete the 10-ft half alley right-of-way. Dedicate a $20-\mathrm{ft}$ corner radius or a $15-\mathrm{ft}$ by 15 -ft corner cut at the intersection of Pico Blvd and Veteran Ave. Widen and improve the existing $15-\mathrm{ft}$ half roadway to $18-\mathrm{ft}$ along property frontage along Veteran Ave with construction of new asphalt pavement, new integral concrete curb and 2-ft gutter, and full width concrete sidewalk (ADA) to abut the new property line. Construct a pedestrian access ramp at the intersection of Pico Blvd
and Veteran Ave to current ADA standards. For the
Alley construct new asphalt pavement to extend to new property line with 2 -ft longitudinal gutter. Close all unused driveways (with full width sidewalk, new integral concrete curb and 2-ft gutter). Repair and/or replace any broken or off-grade asphalt, sidewalk (to ADA standards) or curb and gutter along Pico Blvd. Construct a half alley intersection where the alley meets Veteran Ave. Comply with all the BOE requirements of Livable Boulevards Streetscape Plan. Comply with all the LADOT requirements ZI-2192 Specific Plan: West Los Angeles Transportation Improvement and Mitigation. All non-standard improvements and encroachments located in the public right-of-way must be removed or permitted under a Revocable permit. Install street trees to the satisfaction of the Urban Forestry Division of the Bureau of Street Services. Install street lights as required by the Bureau of Street Lighting. All improvements shall be to the satisfaction of the City Engineer. This planning case referral form is only a preliminary recommendation by Bureau of Engineering and is not to be used as official requirements of Bureau of Engineering.

NOTE: The information on this PCRF is only a "preliminary recommendation" by BOE, which provides the applicant with a general understanding of what may be required by BOE. If the PCRF Recommendations for Dedication or Street Widening is marked "Yes", a formal investigation and engineering report will be required. The engineering report will be provided after submittal of all documentation and payment of fees. Measurements and statements contained herein may be adjusted in the engineering report.

Street Trees: If the PCRF Recommendation for Street Widening is marked "Yes", Street tree removals may be required. All street tree removals must be approved by the Board of Public Works. Applicant shall contact the Urban Forestry Division at (213) 847-3077 before proceeding with the Master Land Use Application.

In all cases, the Applicant will be required to close any unused driveways; remove and reconstruct broken, off-grade, or bad order concrete curb, gutter, driveways or sidewalk,; and install/replace public improvements, such as driveway aprons and access ramps, to meet ADA requirements.

Applicants with PCRF Recommendation of "Yes" for Dedication or Street Widening are advised to submit the following documents and pay the BOE investigation fee.

1. BOE investigation fee.
2. Two (2) copies of the Planning Master Land Use Application.
3. Two (2) copies of the project site plan.
4. Two (2) copies of the radius map.
5. Picture of the existing building, sidewalk, curb, and gutter.

Due to the possible implications that dedications and improvements may have on the development of a project, applicants that do not pay the BOE investigation fee for the preparation of a detailed engineering report may have their application placed on hold until such information is provided. Questions and concerns regarding the engineering report may be presented at the hearing.

Prepared by: Vladimir Arutyunyan
Date: 02/16/2022

## EXHIBIT D

## ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE

 ENV-2022-8061-CED1 - Notice of Exemption \& Justification for Categorical Exemption

D2 - Tree Report
D3 - DOT Referral Form \& VMT Calculator

D4 - Air Quality and GHG Analysis
D5 - Noise Analysis
D6 - Phase I Environmental Site Assessment

## CITY OF LOS ANGELES

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK
200 NORTH SPRING STREET, ROOM 395 LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

## CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(PRC Section 21152; CEQA Guidelines Section 15062)
Pursuant to Public Resources Code $\S 21152(b)$ and CEQA Guidelines $\S 15062$, the notice should be posted with the County Clerk by mailing the form and posting fee payment to the following address: Los Angeles County Clerk/Recorder, Environmental Notices, P.O. Box 1208, Norwalk, CA 90650 . Pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21167 (d), the posting of this notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on court challenges to reliance on an exemption for the project. Failure to file this notice as provided above, results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.
PARENT CASE NUMBER(S) / REQUESTED ENTITLEMENTS
CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA

| $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { LEAD CITY AGENCY } \\ \text { City of Los Angeles (Department of City Planning) } \end{array}$ | CASE NUMBER ENV-2022-8061-CE |
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| PROJECT TITLE 10942 West Pico Boulevard | COUNCIL DISTRICT 5 - Yaroslavsky |
| PROJECT LOCATION (Street Address and Cross Streets and/or Attached Map) 10942-10948 West Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90064 | $\square$ Map attached. |
| PROJECT DESCRIPTION: | $\square$ Additional page(s) a |

The project is the construction of a five-story, 65 -foot tall residential apartment building with 30 dwelling units (including 4 Very Low Income units). The project will be approximately 22,375 square feet in floor area with a Floor Area Ratio ("FAR") of 2.7:1. The project will provide 16 parking spaces at-grade. The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building which will be demolished. No (0) protected trees will be removed from the subject site or adjacent public right-of-way; three (3) existing non-protected street trees will remain along the public right-of-way. The project involves the export of approximately 900 cubic yards of soil.
NAME OF APPLICANT / OWNER:

## Pico Veteran Holdings LLC / Three6ixty

CONTACT PERSON (If different from Applicant/Owner above)
(AREA CODE) TELEPHONE NUMBER | EXT. Connie Chauv

EXEMPT STATUS: (Check all boxes, and include all exemptions, that apply and provide relevant citations.)
STATE CEQA STATUTE \& GUIDELINES
$\square \quad$ STATUTORY EXEMPTION(S)
Public Resources Code Section(s)
】 CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION(S) (State CEQA Guidelines Sec. 15301-15333 / Class 1-Class 33)
CEQA Guideline Section(s) / Class(es) _ Section 15332 (Class 32)
$\square \quad$ OTHER BASIS FOR EXEMPTION (E.g., CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) or (b)(4) or Section 15378(b) )

## JUSTIFICATION FOR PROJECT EXEMPTION:

Additional page(s) attached
Class 32: 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.
$\square$ None of the exceptions in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 to the categorical exemption(s) apply to the Project.
$\square$ 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.

## CITY STAFF USE ONLY:

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City Planner
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KAREN BASS
MAYOR

## JUSTIFICATION FOR PROJECT EXEMPTION ENV-2022-8061-CE

The Planning Department determined that the City of Los Angeles Guidelines for the implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970 and the CEQA Guidelines designate the subject project as Categorically Exempt under CEQA Guidelines, Article 19, Section 15332 (Class 32), Case No. ENV-2022-8061-CE.

In addition, the City has determined based on the independent judgment of the decision-maker, after consideration of the whole of the administrative record, that the project is within the scope of the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Program EIR No. ENV-2013-622-EIR, SCH. No. 2013031038 ("Program EIR"), pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15168 and 15162; the environmental effects of the Project were covered in the Program EIR and no new environmental effects not identified in the Program EIR will occur and no new mitigation is required; and the City has incorporated all feasible mitigation measures from the Program EIR on the Project.

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As a residential building, and a project which is characterized as in-fill development, the project qualifies for the Class 32 Categorical Exemption.

## 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 following criteria:
(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.

The project site is in the West Los Angeles Community Plan, and is designated for Neighborhood Commercial land uses, with corresponding zones of C1, C1.5, C2, C4, RAS3, RAS4, and P. The site is located within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Specific Plan ("Expo TNP") Subarea 10, and is zoned NMU(EC)-POD which was established by the Expo TNP as a commercial zoning designation for Neighborhood Mixed Use: Commercial/Residential, adopted by resolution under Council

File No. 18-0437 and is therefore a corresponding zone. The Expo TNP allows a base height of 45 feet, base FAR of $2: 1$, and unlimited density. For a project that utilizes the density bonus program, the Expo TNP sets the base residential density in the NMU(EC) zone as one dwelling unit per 400 square feet for the purposes of calculating the required number of Restricted Affordable Units. Community Plan Map Footnote No. 1 restricts sites in the Low Residential, Low Medium Residential, Neighborhood Commercial, Community Commercial, Commercial Manufacturing, Limited Industrial, and Light Industrial land use designations to Height District No. 1, which does not apply to the NMU(EC)-POD Zone. The site is also within the Westwood/Pico Pedestrian Oriented District ("POD"), however the project is exempt from the Westwood/Pico POD as a 100 percent residential project. As demonstrated in the case file, the project is consistent with the General Plan, the applicable West Los Angeles Community Plan designation and policies, the Expo TNP, and all applicable zoning designations and regulations as permitted by Density Bonus law.
(b) The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site of 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 0.191 acres ( 8,303 square feet) and is surrounded primarily by commercial and singlefamily residential uses. Neighboring properties to the east and across Veteran Avenue to the west are improved with one-and two-story commercial buildings in the NMU(EC)-POD zone including retail, barber shops, restaurant, offices, and salons; further east is the former Westside Pavilion site which is currently under redevelopment for the Google office campus. Across the alley to the south are one-story single-family dwellings in the R1-1-O zone. The subject site is within a half-mile of the Sepulveda Station of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority ("Metro") Exposition ("E") line, which constitutes as a Major Transit Stop. The site is also within 1,500 feet of bus stops served by the Santa Monica Big Blue Bus 7, Rapid 7, 8, and 17 bus lines, Metro 233 and 761 bus lines, and the Culver City 6 and 6 R bus lines.
(c) The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species.

The site is previously disturbed and surrounded by development and therefore is not, and has no value as, a habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species. The site is currently improved with a one-story commercial building which will be demolished. There are no protected trees or shrubs on the subject site or in the adjacent public right of way that would be removed as verified in the Tree Report prepared by JTL Consultants dated April 27, 2023.
(d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality.

Regulatory Compliance Measures - 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.

Traffic - The Project does not exceed the threshold criteria established by LADOT for preparing a traffic study. The Department of Transportation (LADOT) Referral Form dated June 1, 2022 and the Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) calculator indicated that the number
of daily vehicle trips will be 131 which is under the threshold of 250 or more daily vehicles trips to require VMT analysis. Therefore, the project does not exceed the threshold criteria established by LADOT for preparing a traffic study and will not have any significant impacts related to traffic.

Noise - The Project must comply with the adopted City of Los Angeles Noise Ordinances No. 144,331 and 161,574 and LAMC Section 41.40 as indicated above in RC-NO-1, LAMC Section 112.05, as well as any subsequent Ordinances, which prohibit the emission or creation of noise beyond certain levels. These Ordinances cover both operational noise levels (i.e., post-construction), and any construction noise impacts. Furthermore, the Noise Impact Analysis prepared by Urban Crossroads dated June 19, 2023 confirmed that the Project would not result in operational noise impacts or construction-related noise impacts on the environment. The analysis took into account noise from operational stationary sources such as heat pump and air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings; construction activities during demolition, site preparation, grading, building construction, paving, and architectural coating, as well as vibration, and impacts to sensitive receptors. The analysis concluded that the project would not result in any significant effects relating to noise.

Air Quality - The Project's potential air quality effects were evaluated by estimating the potential construction and operations emissions of criteria pollutants, and comparing those levels to significance thresholds provided by the Southern California Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD). The Project's emissions were estimated using the CalEEMod 2022.1 model (output January 9, 2023) for the purposes of evaluating air quality impacts of proposed projects and summarized in the Air Quality, Greenhouse Gas, and Energy Assessment prepared by Urban Crossroads dated January 13, 2023. The analysis took into account construction activity emissions during demolition, site preparation, grading, building construction, paving, and architectural coating, as well as operational emissions and effects to sensitive receptors. The analysis confirms that neither construction nor operation of the project would result in significant air quality impacts. In addition, there are several Regulatory Compliance Measures which regulate air quality-related impacts for projects citywide as noted above.
(e) The site 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 multi-family building will be on a site which has been previously developed and is consistent with the General Plan. Further, the site was previously developed with a commercial building.

Therefore, the project meets all of the Criteria for the Class 32 Categorical Exemption.

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

There are five (5) Exceptions which must be considered in order to find a project exempt under Class 32:
(a) 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.

There is one (1) other project approved within proximity to the site located at 11001 West Pico Boulevard for the construction of a new 5 -story 89 -unit apartment building

While there could potentially be a succession of known projects of the same type and in the same place as the subject project, all projects are subject to the citywide Regulatory Compliance measures as noted above, which regulate impacts related to air quality, noise, and geology to a less than significant level. There is no evidence to conclude that significant impacts will occur based on past project approvals or that the proposed Project's impacts are cumulatively considerable when evaluating any cumulative impacts associates with construction noise and transportation/traffic in the surrounding area.

Therefore, in conjunction with citywide RCMs and compliance with other applicable regulations, no foreseeable cumulative impacts are expected.
(b) Significant Effect Due to Unusual Circumstances. 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.

The project proposes a residential building in an area zoned and designated for such development. All adjacent lots are developed primarily by commercial and single-family residential uses, and the subject site is of a similar size and slope to nearby properties. The project proposes a FAR of 2.7:1 on a site that is permitted to have an FAR of 2:1 by the Expo TNP. The project is eligible for the 2.7:1 FAR through an On-Menu Density Bonus Incentive. The project size and height is not unusual for the vicinity of the subject site, and is similar in scope to other proposed future projects in the area. Furthermore, there is no substantial evidence in the administrative record that this project will cause a significant impact. Thus, there are no unusual circumstances which may lead to a significant effect on the environment, and this exception does not apply.
(c) 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.

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 8.4 miles west of the subject site. Therefore, the subject site will not create any impacts within a designated state scenic highway, and this exception does not apply.
(d) Hazardous Waste Sites. 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

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.

A Phase I Environmental Site Assessment ("ESA") prepared by Environmental Solutions dated August 1, 2007 conducted a review of historical data, governmental databases, and site reconnaissance, to identify any recognized environmental conditions pertaining to the site. The Phase I ESA identified previous uses as a restaurant and vacuum cleaner store. The Phase I ESA concluded that the subject property appears to be low to moderate
environmental condition at this time, and no area of recognized environmental concern was identified at the site, therefore further investigation is not recommended at this time.

Therefore, the project is not identified as a hazardous waste site, or in the vicinity of a hazardous waste site, and this exception does not apply.
(e) Historical 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 is not listed 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. As such, the Project would have no impact on historical resources. Based on this, the project will not result in a substantial adverse change to the significance of a historic resource and this exception does not apply.

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## Protected Tree Report

10948 W. Pico Boulevard
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April 27, 2023

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## Summary

Bolour Associates Real Estate Development plans to demolish two vacant buildings at 10942 and 10948 W. Pico Boulevard in Los Angeles and construct a five-story, 65-foot-tall, 30-unit residential building, which will include four very-low-income residential units. The project is seeking entitlement requests as part of the City of Los Angeles Planning Department's Density Bonus ${ }^{1}$ incentive program including an open space and floor area size reduction and a maximum building height increase. Street trees in the City of Los Angeles are protected by Los Angeles Municipal Code Chapter VI, Article 2, Section 62.161. The City of Los Angeles Preservation of Protected Trees Ordinance 186,873 requires a Protected Tree Report be submitted outlining how street trees will be protected during development projects. Markie Anderie from Three Sixty Real Estate Consultants asked JTL Consultants to write a Protected Tree Report for this project.

JTL Consultants conducted a site inspection of the project site on April 24, 2023 and inventoried three street trees: one windmill palm (Trachycarpus fortunei), one Bradford pear (Pyrus calleryana 'Bradford'), and one evergreen pear (Pyrus kawakamii).

The three street trees will be protected during the project by installing tree protection fencing around the trees. The project arborist will be on-site when the tree protection fencing is installed and if any work takes place within the fenced enclosures.

## Introduction

## Background

Bolour Associates proposes to demolish two existing buildings located at 10942 and 10948 W. Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90064 and build a five-story, 65 -foot-tall residential building with 30 units. Four of the units will be for very low-income households. The lot is 8,320 square feet, the existing buildings are 6,615 square feet, and the proposed building will be 22,375 square feet. The City of Los Angeles Planning Department's Density Bonus is a local incentive program designed to encourage the production of on-site affordable housing. Density Bonus Project Entitlement Requests include On-Menu Incentives for the reduction in the required open space size and floor area ratio and an Off-Menu Incentive for an increase in the maximum building height. There are three street trees on the property that are protected by Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 62.162. Los Angeles Ordinance 186,873 requires a Protected Tree Report be submitted explaining how the street trees will be protected during construction. Markie Anderie from Three Sixty Real Estate Consultants requested JTL Consultants write a Protected Tree Report for this project. JTL Consultants inventoried the three trees on April 24, 2023.

## Assignment

JTL Consultants' assignment was to write a Protected Tree Report showing how three City of Los Angeles Street Trees will be protected during construction. This report will comply with the City of Los Angeles Protected Tree Ordinance 186,873.

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## Limits of Assignment

This report is based solely on a visual inspection of the site and trees on April 24, 2023 and a review of the project plans provided by Three Sixty Real Estate Consultants. The tree inspections were limited to ground level visual observations. Root crown inspections, aerial inspections, Tree Risk Assessments, and Tree Appraisals were not included in this assignment.

## Purpose and Use of the Report

The purpose of this report is outline how three City of Los Angeles Street Trees will be protected during the construction project. This report is intended to be used by Bolour Associates and Three Sixty Real Estate Consultants to implement the recommendations outlined in it. Upon submission, this report will become the property of Bolour Associates and Three Sixty Real Estate Consultants and its use will be at their discretion.

## Observations

## Site Description

The project site is located at 10948 W. Pico Boulevard in Los Angeles on the corner of Veteran Avenue, south of Santa Monica Boulevard, east of Interstate 405, north of Interstate 10, and west of Overland Avenue. Pico Boulevard has a southwest to northeast orientation. There are mixed commercial and retail business along Pico Boulevard. The building to be demolished is vacant. There is a vacuum sales and repair store in an adjacent building at 10940 W . Pico Boulevard which is not part of this development project. The neighborhoods south and north of Pico Boulevard are comprised of single-family residences. (Appendix A - Tree Location Map, Appendix B - Photos, and Attachment - Site Plan Plan)

## Tree Descriptions

In the following table, the tree numbers correspond to an aluminum number tag attached to the trunk of each tree and referenced on the Tree Location Map, Photos, and Site Plan. The photo letters correspond to those shown in Photos.

|  | Tree \# | Scientific Name <br> Common Name | Photo | Size | Condition | Comments |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | 655 | Trachycarpus fortunei <br> Windmill palm | A, B | DBH: 8" <br> Height: 15, <br> Width: 5' | Fair | Slight lean in trunk. <br> Upper trunk is wider than <br> lower trunk. |
| 2 | 656 | Pyrus calleryana 'Bradford' <br> Bradford pear | A, C | DBH: 8'" <br> Height: 12, <br> Width: 10' | Fair | Topped. <br> Multiple crossed branches. <br> Poor branch structure. |
| 3 | 657 | Pyrus kawakamii <br> Evergreen pear | A, D | DBH: 6" <br> Height: 10, <br> Width: 6' | Poor | Severely topped. <br> Lacks branch structure. |

## Discussion

## Mechanical Damage

Mechanical damage could occur to the three street trees during the construction of the project.
Wounds to tree branches and trunks caused by mechanical damage may reduce tree stability by decreasing the wood strength, the internal movement of water and nutrients, and the ability to defend against decay. Protecting the trees with fencing will help prevent damage from construction. (Matheny, et al, 1998 and Fite, Kelby, and Smiley, 2008)

## Change in Grade

The grade will not be lowered within the dripline of the three street trees during construction.
The lowering or raising of the grade within the dripline can damage or kill a tree. The normal exchange of moisture and gases within the dripline is disrupted with the change in grade. The original grade should be maintained as far out from the trunk as possible. The change in grade can have immediate or long-term adverse effects on the tree. (Matheny and Clark, 1998)

## Trenching

Trenching within the dripline of the three street trees will not occur during construction.

Trenching within the dripline can damage the root system of a tree and lead to tree decline or death. Ninety percent of the fine roots that absorb water and minerals are found in the upper few inches of soil. Roots require space, air, and water, and grow best where these requirements are met, which is usually at or near the soil surface. When roots are cut due to trenching, the cut should be clean, leaving no torn edges. Tunneling and bridging should be used to preserve roots wherever possible, underground lines should occupy common trenches. (Matheny, et al, 1998)

## Soil Compaction

Soil compaction will not occur within the dripline of the three street trees during construction.
Soil compaction occurs when the pore space between soil particles is greatly reduced. This causes the reduction of oxygen available to the roots and can lead to decline in trees. Use of equipment, grading, digging, and heavily used walking paths can cause soil compaction in a construction area. Use of protective fencing, mulching within the protective fencing, and limiting the amount of access routes will minimize soil compaction. (Fite, et al, 2008)

## Conclusion

Bolour Associates plans to demolish two existing buildings and construct a five-story, 65-foottall residential building with 30 units. There are three street trees on the property that are protected according to the Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 62.162. Markie Anderie from Three Sixty Real Estate Consultants contacted JTL Consultants to write a Protected Tree Report for this project. JTL Consultants inventoried the three street trees on April 24, 2023. The following recommendations will be followed to minimize the impacts of construction on the street trees.

## Recommendations

1. Install tree protection fencing around the street trees at locations shown on the Site Plan.
a. Chain-link fencing will be at least five-feet tall. This fencing will remain in place throughout the duration of the construction. Orange flexible fencing will not be used.
b. The fencing will not be moved at any time for construction work unless the work is supervised by the project arborist.
c. Within the fenced enclosures, no digging, trenching, soil compaction, or other soil disturbance will be allowed, and the fenced enclosures will be kept clear of building materials, waste, and excess soil.
2. The project arborist will be on-site when the tree protection fencing is installed and if any excavation, drilling, demolition, or backfilling takes place within the fenced enclosures of the three street trees. The project arborist will also make periodic site visits to ensure the tree protection fencing is in place and to monitor the condition of the trees.
3. Any roots encountered will be cleanly cut using a hand saw, leaving no rough edges.

## Glossary

Condition: one of four possible ratings:
Good - no apparent defects or structural problems
Fair - minor defects or structural problems
Poor - major defects or structural problems
Dead - extreme defects or structural problems
DBH: diameter of a tree trunk measured at $41 / 2$ feet above ground.
Defect: an internal or external point of weakness which can reduce the stability of the tree and include cracks, splits, cankers, galls, girdling, codominant limbs, and wounds.

Density Bonus: a Los Angeles City Planning local incentive program designed to encourage the production of on-site affordable housing in neighborhoods where multi-family zoning is allowed. Along with the City's Transit Oriented Communities Incentive Program, the Density Bonus Program is Los Angeles's biggest driver in producing mixed-income and $100 \%$ affordable housing.

Qualifying Density Bonus projects can select from a number of pre-vetted "on-menu" incentives or request the approval of "off-menu" waivers of development standards, in addition to a density increase of up to $35 \%$ and a reduction in parking requirements. These incentives apply to projects that seek a limited increase in allowed height, floor area, and lot coverage, along with reductions to yard/setback, open space, and lot width requirements. Developers can request off-menu incentives and waivers of development standards beyond the incentives of State Density Bonus Law.

Dripline: imaginary line defined by the branch spread of a single plant or group of plants, projected onto the ground. Roots are usually found within the dripline but can extend beyond the edge of the dripline.

## Los Angeles Municipal Code Chapter VI, Article 2, Section 62.161

Chapter VI, Public Safety and Protection
Article 2, Streets and Sidewalks
Section 62.161, Planting, Maintenance, and Care of Plants in City Streets -Jurisdiction of the Board
The Board of Public Works, through its authorized officers and employees, shall exercise jurisdiction and control over the planting, maintenance and care of trees, plants, and shrubs in all streets of the City.

## Bibliography

Fite, Kelby, and Smiley, Thomas E., Best Management Practices, Managing Trees During Construction, International Society of Arboriculture, Champaign, IL 2008.

Matheny, Nelda and Clark, James R., Trees and Development: A Technical Guide to Preservation of Trees during Land Development, International Society of Arboriculture, Champaign, IL 1998.

## Appendix A - Tree Location Map



## Appendix B - Photos



Photo A, facing southeast, showing overview of the 10942 and 10948 W. Pico Boulevard properties and the location of the three City of Los Angeles street trees. The 10940 W. Pico Boulevard property is not part of this development project.


Photo B, facing northwest, showing Tree 655, a windmill palm.

Photo C, facing northwest, showing Tree 656, a Bradford pear.

Photo D, facing northwest, showing Tree 657, and evergreen pear.


## Appendix C - Assumptions and Limiting Conditions

1. Any legal description provided to the consultant/appraiser is assumed to be correct. Any titles and ownerships to any property are assumed to be good and marketable.
2. Care has been taken to obtain all information from reliable sources. All data has been verified insofar as possible for the accuracy of information provided by others.
3. The consultant/appraiser shall not be required to give testimony or attend court by reason of this report unless subsequent contractual arrangements are made, including payment of an additional fee for such services as described in the fee schedule and contract of engagement.
4. Loss or alteration of any part of this report invalidates the entire report.
5. Possession of this report or a copy thereof does not imply right of publication or use for any purpose by any other than the person to whom it is addressed, without the prior expressed written consent of the consultant/appraiser.
6. This report and values expressed herein represent the opinion of the consultant/appraiser, and the consultant's/appraiser's fee is in no way contingent upon the reporting of a specified value, a stipulated result, the occurrence of a subsequent event, nor upon any finding to be reported.
7. Sketches, diagrams, graphs, and photographs in this report, being intended as visual aids, are not necessarily to scale and should not be construed as engineering or architectural reports or surveys.
8. The tree locations in this report are not represented to be of survey quality but are sufficient to allow locating the tree in the field.
9. Unless expressed otherwise: 1) information contained in this report covers only those items that were examined and reflects the condition of those items at the time of inspection; and 2) the inspection is limited to visual examination of accessible items without dissection, excavation, probing, or coring. There is no warranty or guarantee, expressed or implied, that problems or deficiencies of the trees or property in question may not arise in the future.
10. Unless specifically stated, Tree Risk Assessments were not conducted on the trees described in this report and JTL Consultants is not responsible for the consequences of any risk associated with the trees, either inferred or implied.

## Appendix D - Certificate of Performance

I, Ted Lubeshkoff, certify:
$\checkmark$ That I have personally inspected the tree(s) referred to in the report and have stated my findings accurately. The extent of the evaluation is stated in the attached report;
$\checkmark$ That I have no current or prospective interest in the vegetation or the property that is the subject of this report and have no personal interest or bias with respect to the parties involved;
$\checkmark$ That the analysis, opinions and conclusions stated herein are my own and are based on current scientific procedures and facts;
$\checkmark$ That my analysis, opinions and conclusions were developed, and this report has been prepared according to commonly accepted arboriculture practices;
$\checkmark$ That no one provided significant professional assistance to me, except as indicated within the report;
$\checkmark$ That my compensation is not contingent upon the reporting of a predetermined conclusion that favors the cause of the client or any other party nor upon the results if the assignment, the attainment of stipulated results, or the occurrence of any subsequent events.

I further certify that I, Ted Lubeshkoff, am Registered Consulting Arborist \#513 with the American Society of Consulting Arborists, and Certified Arborist WE-8446A with the International Society of Arboriculture. I have been involved in the practice of arboriculture and the care and study of trees for over 25 years.


## Appendix E - Professional Certification




SITE PLAN

This Site Plan is an attachment to a
Protected Tree Report, dated April 17,2023


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## AFCO Design, Inc.

## 10635 Santa Monica Blvi. \#1 190 Los Angales, Cailformina $\# 025$



GRADE PLANE CALCULATIONS:


## REFERRAL FORMS:

## TRANSPORTATION STUDY ASSESSMENT

## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION - REFERRAL FORM

RELATED CODE SECTION: Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 16.05 and various code sections.
PURPOSE: The Department of Transportation (LADOT) Referral Form serves as an initial assessment to determine whether a project requires a Transportation Assessment.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

$\Rightarrow$ Administrative: Prior to the submittal of a referral form with LADOT, a Planning case must have been filed with the Department of City Planning.
$>$ All new school projects, including by-right projects, must contact LADOT for an assessment of the school's proposed drop-off/pick-up scheme and to determine if any traffic controls, school warning and speed limit signs, school crosswalk and pavement markings, passenger loading zones and school bus loading zones are needed.
> Unless exempted, projects located within a transportation specific plan area may be required to pay a traffic impact assessment fee regardless of the need to prepare a transportation assessment.
> Pursuant to LAMC Section 19.15, a review fee payable to LADOT may be required to process this form. The applicant should contact the appropriate LADOT Development Services Office to arrange payment.
> LADOT's Transportation Assessment Guidelines, VMT Calculator, and VMT Calculator User Guide can be found at http://ladot.lacity.org.
$>$ A transportation study is not needed for the following project applications:

- Ministerial / by-right projects
- Discretionary projects limited to a request for change in hours of operation
- Tenant improvement within an existing shopping center for change of tenants
- Any project only installing a parking lot or parking structure
- Time extension


## SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

When submitting this referral form to LADOT, include the completed documents listed below.Copy of Department of City Planning Application (CP-7771.1).
Copy of a fully dimensioned site plan showing all existing and proposed structures, parking and loading areas, driveways, as well as on-site and off-site circulation.
$\square$ If filing for purposes of Site Plan Review, a copy of the Site Plan Review Supplemental Application.
[- Copy of project-specific VMT Calculator ${ }^{1}$ analysis results

LADOT DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DIVISION OFFICES: Please route this form for processing to the appropriate LADOT Office as follows:

| Metro | West LA | Valley |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 213-972-8482 | 213-485-1062 | 818-374-4699 |
| 100 S. Main St, $9^{\text {th }}$ Floor | 7166 W. Manchester Blvd | 6262 Van Nuys Blvd, $3^{\text {rd }}$ Floor |
| Los Angeles, CA 90012 | Los Angeles, CA 90045 | Van Nuys, CA 91401 |

## TO BE VERIFIED BY PLANNING STAFF PRIOR TO LADOT REVIEW

## 1. PROJECT INFORMATION

Case Number: WLA22-113246 (53525)
Project Name: Pico/ Veteran Apartment
Address: 10942-10948 Pico Blvd Los Angeles CA
Project Description
Demo existing structure. Construct 30 multi-family apartment units, 26 market rate units and 4 affordable housing units
Seeking Existing Use Credit (will be calculated by LADOT): Yes $\qquad$ No $\qquad$ Not sure $\qquad$
Applicant Name: Pico Veteran Holdings, Traffic Consultant Liz Fleming, Overland Traffic Consultants
Applicant E-mail: liz@overlandtraffic.com
Applicant Phone: (310) 545-1235
2. PROJECT REFERRAL TABLE


If YES to $\mathbf{a}$. and $\mathbf{b}$. or $\mathbf{c}$., or to all of the above, the Project must be referred to LADOT for further assessment.
${ }^{1}$ To calculate the project's total daily trips, use the VMT Calculator. Under 'Project Information', enter the project address, land use type, and intensity of all proposed land uses. Select the ' t ' icon to enter each land use. After you enter the information, copy the 'Daily Vehicle Trips' number into the total trips in this table. Do not consider any existing use information for screening purposes. For additional questions, consult LADOT's VMT Calculator User Guide and the LADOT Transportation Assessment Guidelines (available on the LADOT website).
${ }^{2}$ Relevant transit lines include: Metro Red, Purple, Blue, Green, Gold, Expo, Orange, and Silver line stations; and Metrolink stations.

Verified by: Planning Staff Name: $\qquad$
Signature: $\qquad$ Date: $\qquad$

TO BE COMPLETED BY LADOT

## 3. PROJECT INFORMATION

| Land Use (list all) |  | Size / Unit | Daily Trips |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Proposed | Apartment | 26 DU | 131 |
|  | Affordable Housing | 4 DU |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total new trips: | +131 |
| Existing | Vacant | N/A | N/A |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total existing trips: | N/A |
|  |  | Net Increase / Decrease (+ or -) | +131 |

a. Is the project a single retail use that is less than 50,000 square feet?
b. Would the project generate a net increase of 250 or more daily vehicle trips?
c. Would the project result in a net increase in daily VMT?
d. If the project is replacing an existing number of residential units with a smaller
number of residential units, is the proposed project located within one-half mile of a heavy rail, light rail, or bus rapid transit station?

Yes [ No - ${ }^{-1}$
e. Does the project include the construction, or addition of 50 or more dwelling units or guest rooms or combination thereof, and/or 50,000 or more square feet of non-residential? Yes $\quad$ No $『$
f. Project size:
i. Does the project contain a lot that is 0.5 -acre or more in total gross area?
ii. Is the project's frontage 250 linear feet or more along a street classified as an Avenue or Boulevard per the City's General Plan?
iii. Is the project's building frontage encompassing an entire block along a street classified as an Avenue or Boulevard per the City's General Plan?

Yes $\square$ No -

## VMT Analysis

If YES to $a$. and NO to d. a VMT analysis is NOT required.
If YES to both $\mathbf{b}$. and $\mathbf{c}$.; or to $\mathbf{d .}$. a VMT analysis is required.

## Access, Safety, and Circulation Assessment

If YES to b., a project access, safety, and circulation evaluation may be required.
If YES to b. and e. and either f.i., f.ii., or f.iii., an access assessment may be required.

LADOT Comments:
Please contact LABOE for anv potential street rioht-of-wav dedication and/or improvement requirements for the proiect. Also submit dimensioned site/drivewav/parkina plans ( $1^{\prime}=40^{\prime \prime}$ ) to the vvestcnester Development Review omice tor final driveway review ana recommendation.

Please note that this form is not intended to address the project's site access plan, driveway dimensions and location, internal circulation elements, dedication and widening, etc. These items require separate review and approval by LADOT. Qualifying Existing Use to be determined per LADOT's Transportation Assessment Guidelines.
4. Specific Plan with Trip Fee or TDM Requirements: Yes ${ }^{-1}$ Noㅁ

Fee Calculation Estimate: $\$ 144,924.00$ (Fee Ordinance No.186105)
VMT Analysis Required (Question b. satisfied):
Access, Safety, and Circulation Evaluation Required (Question b. satisfied):
Access Assessment Required (Question b., e., and either f.i., f.ii. or f.iii satisfied):


Prepared by DOT Staff Name: Valeria Ceja
Phone: (213)485-1062
Signature:


Date: June 1st,2022

## CITY OF LOS ANGELES VMT CALCULATOR Version 1.3

## Project Screening Criteria: Is this project required to conduct a vehicle miles traveled analysis?

## Project Information



Is the project replacing an existing number of residential units with a smaller number of residential units AND is located within one-half mile of a fixed-rail or fixed-guideway transit

Existing Land Use


Project Screening Summary

| Existing |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Land Use | Proposed |
| 0 | 131 |
| Daily Vehicle Trips |  |
| 0 |  |
| Daily VMT | 970 <br> Daily Vehicle Trips <br> Daily VMT |

Tier 1 Screening Criteria
Project will have less residential units compared
to existing residential units $\&$ is within one-half mile of a fixed-rail station.

## Tier 2 Screening Criteria

The net increase in daily trips < 250 trips

The net increase in daily VMT $\leq 0$
131 Net Daily Trips

970 Net Daily VMT

The proposed project consists of only retail 0.000 land uses $\leq 50,000$ square feet total.

The proposed project is not required to perform VMT analysis.

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DATE: January 13, 2023
TO: Markie Anderle, Bolour Associates, Inc.
FROM: Haseeb Qureshi
Shannon Wong
JOB NO: $14645-02$ AQ, GHG \& EA Assessment

## PICO HOUSING PROJECT AIR QUALITY, GREENHOUSE GAS \& ENERGY ASSESSMENT

Markie Anderle,
Urban Crossroads, Inc. is pleased to provide the following Air Quality, Greenhouse Gas \& Energy Assessment for the Pico Housing Project (Project), which is located at 10944-10948 West Pico Boulevard between Veteran Avenue and Kelton Avenue in the City of Los Angeles. Los Angeles International Airport is located approximately 6 miles to the southwest.

## PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Project proposes to construct a multiple-family residential building with 30 residential dwelling units (see Exhibit 1). The Project would include a gym and lobby, as well as 16 parking spaces within a five-story structure. The proposed Project is anticipated to have an opening year of 2023.

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Results of the assessment indicate that the Project would result in a less than significant impact with respect to air quality, greenhouse gases and energy and no mitigation is required.

## EXHIBIT 1: PROJECT'S TENTATIVE TRACT MAP



## PROJECT AIR QUALITY IMPACTS

## AIR QUALITY SETTING

## SOUTH COAST AIR BASIN (SCAB)

The Project site is located in the SCAB within the jurisdiction of South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) (3). The SCAQMD was created by the 1977 Lewis-Presley Air Quality Management Act, which merged four county air pollution control bodies into one regional district. Under the Act, the SCAQMD is responsible for bringing air quality in areas under its jurisdiction into conformity with federal and state air quality standards. As previously stated, the Project site is located within the SCAB, a 6,745-square mile subregion of the SCAQMD, which includes portions of Los Angeles, Riverside, and San Bernardino Counties, and all of Orange County.

The SCAB is bounded by the Pacific Ocean to the west and the San Gabriel, San Bernardino, and San Jacinto Mountains to the north and east. The Los Angeles County portion of the Mojave Desert Air Basin is bounded by the San Gabriel Mountains to the south and west, the Los Angeles / Kern County border to the north, and the Los Angeles / San Bernardino County border to the east. The Riverside County portion of the Salton Sea Air Basin is bounded by the San Jacinto Mountains in the west and spans eastward up to the Palo Verde Valley.

## Regional Climate

The regional climate has a substantial influence on air quality in the SCAB. In addition, the temperature, wind, humidity, precipitation, and amount of sunshine influence the air quality.

The annual average temperatures throughout the SCAB vary from the low to middle 60s degrees Fahrenheit ( ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ ). Due to a decreased marine influence, the eastern portion of the SCAB shows greater variability in average annual minimum and maximum temperatures. January is the coldest month throughout the SCAB, with average minimum temperatures of $47^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ in downtown Los Angeles and $36^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ in San Bernardino. All portions of the SCAB have recorded maximum temperatures above $100^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$.

Although the climate of the SCAB can be characterized as semi-arid, the air near the land surface is quite moist on most days because of the presence of a marine layer. This shallow layer of sea air is an important modifier of SCAB climate. Humidity restricts visibility in the SCAB, and the conversion of sulfur dioxide $\left(\mathrm{SO}_{2}\right)$ to sulfates $\left(\mathrm{SO}_{4}\right)$ is heightened in air with high relative humidity. The marine layer provides an environment for that conversion process, especially during the spring and summer months. The annual average relative humidity within the SCAB is 71 percent (\%) along the coast and $59 \%$ inland. Since the ocean effect is dominant, periods of heavy early morning fog are frequent and low stratus clouds are a characteristic feature. These effects decrease with distance from the coast.

More than $90 \%$ of the SCAB's rainfall occurs from November through April. The annual average rainfall varies from approximately nine inches in Riverside to fourteen inches in downtown Los Angeles. Monthly and yearly rainfall totals are extremely variable. Summer rainfall usually consists of widely scattered thunderstorms near the coast and slightly heavier shower activity in the eastern portion of the SCAB with frequency being higher near the coast.

Due to its generally clear weather, about three-quarters of available sunshine is received in the SCAB. The remaining one-quarter is absorbed by clouds. The ultraviolet portion of this abundant radiation is a key factor in photochemical reactions. On the shortest day of the year there are approximately 10 hours of possible sunshine, and on the longest day of the year there are approximately $141 / 2$ hours of possible sunshine.

The importance of wind to air pollution is considerable. The direction and speed of the wind determines the horizontal dispersion and transport of the air pollutants. During the late autumn to early spring rainy season, the SCAB is subjected to wind flows associated with the traveling storms moving through the region from the northwest. This period also brings five to ten periods of strong, dry offshore winds, locally termed "Santa Anas" each year. During the dry season, which coincides with the months of maximum photochemical smog concentrations, the wind flow is bimodal, typified by a daytime onshore sea breeze and a nighttime offshore drainage wind. Summer wind flows are created by the pressure differences between the relatively cold ocean and the unevenly heated and cooled land surfaces that modify the general northwesterly wind circulation over southern California. Nighttime drainage begins with the radiational cooling of the mountain slopes. Heavy, cool air descends the slopes and flows through the mountain passes and canyons as it follows the lowering terrain toward the ocean. Another characteristic wind regime in the SCAB is the "Catalina Eddy," a low level cyclonic (counterclockwise) flow centered over Santa Catalina Island which results in an offshore flow to the southwest. On most spring and summer days, some indication of an eddy is apparent in coastal sections.

In the SCAB, there are two distinct temperature inversion structures that control vertical mixing of air pollution. During the summer, warm high-pressure descending (subsiding) air is undercut by a shallow layer of cool marine air. The boundary between these two layers of air is a persistent marine subsidence/inversion. This boundary prevents vertical mixing which effectively acts as an impervious lid to pollutants over the entire SCAB. The mixing height for the inversion structure is normally situated 1,000 to 1,500 feet above mean sea level.

A second inversion-type forms in conjunction with the drainage of cool air off the surrounding mountains at night followed by the seaward drift of this pool of cool air. The top of this layer forms a sharp boundary with the warmer air aloft and creates nocturnal radiation inversions. These inversions occur primarily in the winter when nights are longer and onshore flow is weakest. They are typically only a few hundred feet above mean sea level. These inversions effectively trap pollutants, such as nitrogen oxides $\left(\mathrm{NO}_{x}\right)$ and carbon monoxide (CO) from vehicles, as the pool of cool air drifts seaward. Winter is therefore a period of high levels of primary pollutants along the coastline.

## Wind Patterns and Project Location

The distinctive climate of the Project area and the SCAB is determined by its terrain and geographical location. The SCAB is located in a coastal plain with connecting broad valleys and low hills, bounded by the Pacific Ocean in the southwest quadrant with high mountains forming the remainder of the perimeter.

Wind patterns across the south coastal region are characterized by westerly and southwesterly onshore winds during the day and easterly or northeasterly breezes at night. Winds are characteristically light although the speed is somewhat greater during the dry summer months than during the rainy winter season.

## Criteria Pollutants

Both the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the California Air Resources Board (CARB) have established ambient air quality standards for common pollutants. These ambient air quality standards are levels of contaminants representing safe levels that avoid specific adverse health effects associated with each pollutant. The ambient air quality standards cover what are called "criteria" pollutants because the health and other effects of each pollutant are described in criteria documents. The six criteria pollutants are ozone ( $\mathrm{O}_{3}$ ) (precursor emissions include $\mathrm{NO}_{x}$ and reactive organic gases (ROG), CO, particulate matter (PM), nitrogen dioxide $\left(\mathrm{NO}_{2}\right)$, sulfur dioxide $\left(\mathrm{SO}_{2}\right)$, and lead. Areas that meet ambient air quality standards are classified as attainment areas, while areas that do not meet these standards are classified as nonattainment areas. The Riverside County portion of the SCAB is designated as a nonattainment area for the federal $\mathrm{O}_{3}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ standards and is also a nonattainment area for the state standards for $\mathrm{O}_{3}, \mathrm{PM}_{10}$, and PM 2.5 .

## Sensitive Receptor Locations

Some people are especially sensitive to air pollution and are given special consideration when evaluating air quality impacts from projects. These groups of people include children, the elderly, and individuals with pre-existing respiratory or cardiovascular illness. Structures that house these persons or places where they gather are defined as "sensitive receptors". These structures typically include uses such as residences, hotels, and hospitals where an individual can remain for 24 hours. Consistent with the LST Methodology, the nearest land use where an individual could remain for 24 hours to the Project site has been used to determine construction and operational air quality impacts for emissions of $P M_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$, since $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ thresholds are based on a 24-hour averaging time.

Receptors in the Project study area are described below. All distances are measured from the Project site boundary to the outdoor living areas (e.g., backyards) or at the building façade, whichever is closer to the Project site. Receptors in the Project study area are shown on Exhibit 2 under the Localized Construction Emissions section later in the report.

- Receptor R1 represents Pico Veteran Senior Housing at 10961 West Pico Boulevard, approximately 226 feet northwest of the Project site.
- Receptor R2 represents the existing residence at 2370 Kelton Avenue, approximately 280 feet northeast of the Project site.
- Receptor R3 represents the existing residence at 10949 Ayres Avenue, approximately 19 feet south of the Project site.
- Receptor R4 represents the existing residence at 2415 Veteran Avenue, approximately 69 feet southwest of the Project site.
- Receptor R5 represents George's Vacuum at 10938 West Pico Boulevard, approximately 3 feet east of the Project site.


## REGULATORY BACKGROUND

## FEDERAL REGULATIONS

The EPA is responsible for setting and enforcing the national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) for $\mathrm{O}_{3}, \mathrm{CO}, \mathrm{NO}_{x}, \mathrm{SO}_{2}, \mathrm{PM}_{10}$, and lead (Pb) (5). The EPA has jurisdiction over emissions sources that are under the authority of the federal government including aircraft, locomotives, and emissions sources outside state waters (Outer Continental Shelf). The EPA also establishes emission standards for vehicles sold in states other than California. Automobiles sold in California must meet the stricter emission requirements of CARB.

The Federal Clean Air Act (CAA) was first enacted in 1955 and has been amended numerous times in subsequent years (1963, 1965, 1967, 1970, 1977, and 1990). The CAA establishes the federal air quality standards, the NAAQS, and specifies future dates for achieving compliance (6). The CAA also mandates that each state submit and implement state implementation plans (SIPs) for local areas not meeting these standards. These plans must include pollution control measures that demonstrate how the standards will be met.

The 1990 amendments to the CAA that identify specific emission reduction goals for areas not meeting the NAAQS require a demonstration of reasonable further progress toward attainment and incorporate additional sanctions for failure to attain or to meet interim milestones. The sections of the CAA most directly applicable to the development of the Project site include Title I (Non-Attainment Provisions) and Title II (Mobile Source Provisions) (7) (8). Title I provisions were established with the goal of attaining the NAAQS for the following criteria pollutants $\mathrm{O}_{3}, \mathrm{NO}_{2}, \mathrm{SO}_{2}$, $\mathrm{PM}_{10}, \mathrm{CO}, \mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$, and Pb . The NAAQS were amended in July 1997 to include an additional standard for $\mathrm{O}_{3}$ and to adopt a NAAQS for $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$.

Mobile source emissions are regulated in accordance with Title II provisions. These provisions require the use of cleaner burning gasoline and other cleaner burning fuels such as methanol and natural gas. Automobile manufacturers are also required to reduce tailpipe emissions of hydrocarbons and $\mathrm{NO}_{x} . \mathrm{NO}_{x}$ is a collective term that includes all forms of $\mathrm{NO}_{x}$ which are emitted as byproducts of the combustion process.

## CALIFORNIA REGULATIONS

## CARB

The CARB, which became part of the California EPA (CaIEPA) in 1991, is responsible for ensuring implementation of the California Clean Air Act (AB 2595), responding to the federal CAA, and for regulating emissions from consumer products and motor vehicles. AB 2595 mandates achievement of the maximum degree of emissions reductions possible from vehicular and other mobile sources in order to attain the state ambient air quality standards by the earliest practical date. The CARB established the California ambient air quality standards (CAAQS) for all pollutants for which the federal government has NAAQS and, in addition, establishes standards for $\mathrm{SO}_{4}$, visibility, hydrogen sulfide $\left(\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~S}\right)$, and vinyl chloride $\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{Cl}\right)$. However, at this time, $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~S}$ and $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{Cl}$ are not measured at any monitoring stations in the SCAB because they are not considered to be a regional air quality problem. Generally, the CAAQS are more stringent than the NAAQS (1) (2).

Local air quality management districts, such as the SCAQMD, regulate air emissions from stationary sources such as commercial and industrial facilities. All air pollution control districts have been formally designated as attainment or non-attainment for each CAAQS.

Serious non-attainment areas are required to prepare Air Quality Management Plans (AQMP) that include specified emission reduction strategies in an effort to meet clean air goals. These plans are required to include:

- Application of Best Available Retrofit Control Technology to existing sources;
- Developing control programs for area sources (e.g., architectural coatings and solvents) and indirect sources (e.g. motor vehicle use generated by residential and commercial development);
- A District permitting system designed to allow no net increase in emissions from any new or modified permitted sources of emissions;
- Implementing reasonably available transportation control measures and assuring a substantial reduction in growth rate of vehicle trips and miles traveled;
- Significant use of low emissions vehicles by fleet operators;
- Sufficient control strategies to achieve a $5 \%$ or more annual reduction in emissions or $15 \%$ or more in a period of three years for ROGs, $\mathrm{NO}_{\mathrm{x}}, \mathrm{CO}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$. However, air basins may use alternative emission reduction strategy that achieves a reduction of less than $5 \%$ per year under certain circumstances.


## AQMP

Currently, the NAAQS and CAAQS are exceeded in most parts of the SCAB. In response, the SCAQMD has adopted a series of AQMP to meet the state and federal ambient air quality standards (10). AQMPs are updated regularly in order to more effectively reduce emissions, accommodate growth, and to minimize any negative fiscal impacts of air pollution control on the economy.

## APPLICABLE REGULATORY REQUIRMENTS

SCAQMD Rules that are currently applicable during construction activity for this Project include but are not limited to Rule 403 (Fugitive Dust), Rule 445 (Wood Burning Devices), and Rule 1113 (Architectural Coatings) (3) (4) (5).

## SCAQMD Rule 403

This rule is intended to reduce the amount of particulate matter entrained in the ambient air as a result of anthropogenic (human-made) fugitive dust sources by requiring actions to prevent and reduce fugitive dust emissions. Rule 403 applies to any activity or human-made condition capable of generating fugitive dust and requires best available control measures to be applied to earth moving and grading activities. This rule is intended to reduce $\mathrm{PM} \mathrm{M}_{10}$ emissions from any transportation, handling, construction, or storage activity that has the potential to generate fugitive dust. $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$ suppression techniques are summarized below.

- Portions of a construction site to remain inactive longer than a period of three months will be seeded and watered until grass cover is grown or otherwise stabilized.
- All onsite roads will be paved as soon as feasible or watered periodically or chemically stabilized.
- All material transported offsite will be either sufficiently watered or securely covered to prevent excessive amounts of dust.
- The area disturbed by clearing, grading, earthmoving, or excavation operations will be minimized at all times.
- Where vehicles leave a construction site and enter adjacent public streets, the streets will be swept daily or washed down at the end of the workday to remove soil tracked onto the paved surface.


## SCAQMD Rule 445

This rule is intended to reduce the emission of particulate matter from wood-burning devices. The Project is required to comply with SCAQMD Rule 445, which prohibits the use of wood burning stoves and fireplaces in new development.

## SCAQMD Rule 1113

This rule serves to limit the volatile organic compound (VOC) content of architectural coatings used on projects in the SCAQMD. Any person who supplies, sells, offers for sale, or manufactures any architectural coating for use on projects in the SCAQMD must comply with the current VOC standards set in this rule.

## METHODOLOGY

In May 2022, the California Air Pollution Control Officers Association (CAPCOA) in conjunction with other California air districts, including SCAQMD, released the latest version of the CaIEEMod Version 2022.1. The purpose of this model is to calculate construction-source and operationalsource criteria pollutant (VOCs, NOx, SOx, CO, PM 10 , and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ ) and GHG emissions from direct and indirect sources; and quantify applicable air quality and GHG reductions achieved from mitigation measures (6). Accordingly, the latest version of CalEEMod has been used for this Project to determine construction and operational air quality and greenhouse gas emissions.

## Standards of Significance

The criteria used to determine the significance of potential Project-related air quality impacts are taken from the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines (CEQA Guidelines) (14 CCR §§15000, et seq.). Based on these thresholds, a project would result in a significant impact related to air quality if it would (7):

- Threshold 1: Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan.
- Threshold 2: Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is in non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard.
- Threshold 3: Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations.
- Threshold 4: Result in other emissions (such as those leading to odors) adversely affecting a substantial number of people.


## AIR QUALITY REGIONAL EMISSIONS THRESHOLDS

The SCAQMD has developed regional significance thresholds for criteria pollutants, as summarized at Table 1 (8). The SCAQMD's CEQA Air Quality Significance Thresholds (April 2019) indicate that any projects in the South Coast Air Basin (SCAB) with daily emissions that exceed any of the indicated thresholds should be considered as having an individually and cumulatively significant air quality impact.

## TABLE 1: MAXIMUM DAILY REGIONAL EMISSIONS THRESHOLDS

| Pollutant | Construction | Operations |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NOx | $100 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day | $55 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day |
| VOC | $75 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day | $55 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day |
| PM 10 | $150 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day | $150 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day |
| PM 2.5 | $55 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day | $55 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day |
| SOx | $150 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $150 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ |
| CO | $550 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day | $550 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day |

lbs/day - Pounds Per Day

## AIR QUALITY LOCALIZED EMISSIONS THRESHOLDS

For this Project, the appropriate SRA for the LST analysis is the SCAQMD Northwest Los Angeles County Coastal monitoring station (SRA 2). LSTs apply to $\mathrm{CO}, \mathrm{NO}_{2}, \mathrm{PM}_{10}$, and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$. The SCAQMD produced look-up tables for projects less than or equal to 5 acres in size. The SCAQMD's screening look-up tables are utilized in determining localized impacts. It should be noted that since the lookup tables identify thresholds at only 1 acre, 2 acres, and 5 acres, linear regression has been utilized to determine localized significance thresholds. Consistent with SCAQMD guidance, the thresholds presented in Table 2 were calculated by interpolating the threshold values for the Project's disturbed acreage.

The acres disturbed is based on the equipment list and days in the demolition, site preparation, and grading phase according to the anticipated maximum number of acres a given piece of equipment can pass over in an 8 -hour workday. The equipment-specific grading rates are summarized in the CalEEMod user's guide, Appendix A: Calculation Details for CalEEMod (9). It should be noted that the disturbed area per day is representative of a piece of equipment making multiple passes over the same land area. In other words, one Rubber Tired Dozer can make multiple passes over the same land area totaling 0.5 acres in a given 8 -hour day. Appendix A of the CalEEMod User Manual only identifies equipment-specific grading rates for Crawler Tractors, Graders, Rubber Tired Dozers, and Scrapers; therefore, Tractors/Loaders/Backhoes equipment that was included in the site preparation and grading phase was replaced with crawler tractors. For analytical purposes, emissions associated with peak demolition, site preparation, and grading activities are considered for purposes of localized significance thresholds (LSTs) since this phase
represents the maximum localized emissions that would occur. The Project's construction activities could disturb a maximum of approximately 0.5 acres per day for demolition, 1 acre per day for site preparation, and 1.5 acres per day for grading activities. Any other construction phases of development would result in lesser emissions and consequently lesser impacts than what is disclosed herein. As such, Table 2 presents thresholds for localized construction and operational emissions.

TABLE 2: MAXIMUM DAILY LOCALIZED EMISSIONS THRESHOLDS

| Source | Activity | Emissions (lbs/day) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | NOx | CO | PM 10 | PM 2.5 |
| Construction | Demolition | $81 \mathrm{lbs} /$ day | $430 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $3 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $3 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ |
|  | Site Preparation | $103 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $562 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $4 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $3 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ |
|  | Grading | $125 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $695 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $5 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ | $4 \mathrm{lbs} / \mathrm{day}$ |

${ }^{1}$ Source of localized significance threshold (LSTs) is provided on page 8.

## REGIONAL CONSTRUCTION EMISSIONS SUMMARY

The estimated maximum daily construction emissions without mitigation are summarized on Table 3. Detailed construction model outputs are presented in Attachment A. Under the assumed scenarios, emissions resulting from the Project construction will not exceed thresholds established by the SCAQMD for emissions of any criteria pollutant and no mitigation is required.

## REGIONAL OPERATIONAL EMISSIONS

Operational activities associated with the Project would result in emissions of $\mathrm{CO}, \mathrm{VOCs}, \mathrm{NO}_{x}, \mathrm{SO}_{\mathrm{x}}$, $P M_{10}$, and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$. Operational related emissions are expected from the following primary sources: area source emissions, energy source emissions, and mobile source emissions,

The Project related operational air quality impacts derive primarily from vehicle trips generated by the Project.

The estimated operation-source emissions from the Project are summarized on Table 4. Detailed operation model outputs are presented in Attachment A. As shown on Table 4, operationalsource emissions would not exceed the applicable SCAQMD regional thresholds for emissions of any criteria pollutant and no mitigation is required.

TABLE 3: OVERALL REGIONAL CONSTRUCTION EMISSIONS SUMMARY

| Source | Emissions (lbs/day) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | VOC | NOx | CO | SOx | PM 10 | PM 2.5 |
| Summer |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2023 | 25.90 | 15.60 | 20.50 | 0.03 | 1.30 | 0.79 |
| Winter |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2023 | 1.96 | 18.40 | 16.00 | 0.02 | 3.05 | 1.82 |
| Maximum Daily Emissions | 25.90 | 18.40 | 20.50 | 0.03 | 3.05 | 1.82 |
| SCAQMD Regional Threshold | 75 | 100 | 550 | 150 | 150 | 55 |
| Threshold Exceeded? | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO |

${ }^{1}{ }^{1} M_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ source emissions reflect $3 x$ daily watering per SCAQMD Rule 403 for fugitive dust.
TABLE 4: TOTAL PROJECT REGIONAL OPERATIONAL EMISSIONS

| Source | Emissions (lbs/day) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | VOC | NOx | CO | SOx | PM 10 | PM2.5 |
| Summer |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mobile Source | 0.52 | 0.43 | 4.69 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.07 |
| Area Source | 0.63 | 0.47 | 1.88 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | 0.04 |
| Energy Source | < 0.005 | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 |
| Total Maximum Daily Emissions | 1.15 | 0.98 | 6.60 | 0.01 | 0.39 | 0.12 |
| SCAQMD Regional Threshold | 55 | 55 | 550 | 150 | 150 | 55 |
| Threshold Exceeded? | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO |
| Winter |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mobile Source | 0.52 | 0.47 | 4.31 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.07 |
| Area Source | 0.47 | 0.45 | 0.19 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | 0.04 |
| Energy Source | < 0.005 | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 |
| Total Maximum Daily Emissions | 0.99 | 1.00 | 4.53 | 0.01 | 0.39 | 0.12 |
| SCAQMD Regional Threshold | 55 | 55 | 550 | 150 | 150 | 55 |
| Threshold Exceeded? | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO | NO |

## SENSITIVE RECEPTORS

The analysis uses the methodology included in the SCAQMD Final Localized Significance Threshold Methodology (LST Methodology) (10). The SCAQMD has established that impacts to air quality are significant if there is a potential to contribute or cause localized exceedances of the federal and/or state ambient air quality standards (NAAQS/CAAQS). Collectively, these are referred to as Localized Significance Thresholds (LSTs). The SCAQMD established LSTs in response to the SCAQMD Governing Board's Environmental Justice Initiative I-41. LSTs represent the maximum emissions from a project that will not cause or contribute to an exceedance of the most stringent applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard at the sensitive receptor. The SCAQMD states that lead agencies can use the LSTs as another indicator of significance in its air quality impact analyses. It should be noted that SCAQMD also states that projects that are statutorily or categorically exempt under CEQA would not be subject to LST analyses. Projects exempt from CEQA also include infill projects that meet the H\&S Code provisions. As such, although not required for this Project, LST analysis is presented to further underscore that there are in fact no significant impacts associated with the Project.

The SCAQMD recommends that the nearest sensitive receptor be considered when determining the Project's potential to cause an individual or cumulatively significant impact. The nearest land use where an individual could remain for 24 hours to the Project site has been used to determine localized construction and operational air quality impacts for emissions of $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ (since $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ thresholds are based on a 24 -hour averaging time). The nearest receptor used for evaluation of localized impacts of $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ is location R3 represented by the existing residence at 10949 Ayres Avenue, approximately 19 feet ( 6 meters) south of the Project site. As such, for evaluation of localized $\mathrm{PM}_{10}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$, a 25 -meter distance will be used. Receptors in the Project study area shown on Exhibit 2.

As previously stated, and consistent with LST Methodology, the nearest industrial/commercial use to the Project site is used to determine construction and operational LST air impacts for emissions of $\mathrm{NO}_{x}$ and CO as the averaging periods for these pollutants are shorter (8 hours or less) and it is reasonable to assume that an individual could be present at these sites for periods of one to 8 hours. The nearest receptor used for evaluation of localized impacts of $\mathrm{NO}_{x}$ and CO is location R5 represented by George's Vacuum at 10938 West Pico Boulevard, approximately 3 feet ( 1 meters) east of the Project site. As such, for evaluation of localized $\mathrm{NO}_{x}$ and CO, a 25 -meter distance will be used.

[^13]EXHIBIT 2: SENSITIVE RECEPTOR LOCATIONS


## LOCALIZED CONSTRUCTION EMISSIONS

Table 5 identifies the localized impacts at the nearest receptor location in the vicinity of the Project. Outputs from the model runs for construction LSTs are provided in Attachment A. For analytical purposes, emissions associated with peak site preparation and grading activities are considered for purposes of LSTs since these phases represents the maximum localized emissions that would occur. Any other construction phases of development that overlap would result in lesser emissions and consequently lesser impacts than what is disclosed herein. As shown in Table 5, emissions resulting from the construction will not exceed the numerical thresholds of significance established by the SCAQMD for any criteria pollutant. Thus, a less than significant impact would occur for localized Project-related construction-source emissions and no mitigation is required.

TABLE 5: PROJECT LOCALIZED CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS

| On-Site Emissions | Emissions (lbs/day) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | NOx | CO | PM 10 | PM 2.5 |
| Demolition |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Daily Emissions | 15.70 | 15.00 | 1.36 | 0.74 |
| SCAQMD Localized Threshold | 81 | 430 | 3 | 3 |
| Threshold Exceeded? | NO | NO | NO | NO |
| Site Preparation |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Daily Emissions | 6.84 | 6.20 | 0.73 | 0.44 |
| SCAQMD Localized Threshold | 103 | 562 | 4 | 3 |
| Threshold Exceeded? | NO | NO | NO | NO |
| Grading |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum Daily Emissions | 18.40 | 15.50 | 2.95 | 1.80 |
| SCAQMD Localized Threshold | 125 | 695 | 5 | 4 |
| Threshold Exceeded? | NO | NO | NO | NO |

## LOCALIZED OPERATIONAL EMISSIONS

The proposed project is located on approximately 0.19 acres, and the total development is proposed to consist of a multiple-family residential building with 30 residential dwelling units. The Project would include a gym and lobby, as well as 16 parking spaces within a five-story structure. According to SCAQMD LST methodology, LSTs would apply to the operational phase of a proposed project, if the project includes stationary sources, or attracts mobile sources that may spend long periods queuing and idling at the site (e.g., transfer facilities and warehouse buildings). The proposed project does not include such uses, and thus, due to the lack of significant stationary source emissions, no LST analysis is needed for operations.

## AIR QUALITY IMPACTS - CONSISTENCY WITH THRESHOLD NO. 1

Would the Project conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan?
The Project site is located within the SCAB, which is characterized by relatively poor air quality. The SCAQMD has jurisdiction over an approximately 10,743 square-mile area consisting of the four-county Basin and the Los Angeles County and Riverside County portions of what use to be referred to as the Southeast Desert Air Basin. In these areas, the SCAQMD is principally responsible for air pollution control, and works directly with the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG), county transportation commissions, local governments, as well as state and federal agencies to reduce emissions from stationary, mobile, and indirect sources to meet state and federal ambient air quality standards.

Currently, these state and federal air quality standards are exceeded in most parts of the SCAB. In response, the SCAQMD has adopted a series of AQMPs to meet the state and federal ambient air quality standards. AQMPs are updated regularly in order to more effectively reduce emissions, accommodate growth, and to minimize any negative fiscal impacts of air pollution control on the economy.

In March 2017, the SCAQMD released the Final 2016 AQMP (2016 AQMP). The 2016 AQMP continues to evaluate current integrated strategies and control measures to meet the NAAQS, as well as explore new and innovative methods to reach its goals. Some of these approaches include utilizing incentive programs, recognizing existing co-benefit programs from other sectors, and developing a strategy with fair-share reductions at the federal, state, and local levels (17). Similar to the 2012 AQMP, the 2016 AQMP incorporates scientific and technological information and planning assumptions, including the 2016-2040 Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy (2016-2040 RTP/SCS), a planning document that supports the integration of land use and transportation to help the region meet the federal CAA requirements (10). The Project's consistency with the AQMP will be determined using the 2016 AQMP as discussed below.

It should be noted that the draft 2022 AQMP has been prepared by SCAQMD to address the EPA's strengthened ozone standard. The draft 2022 AQMP was released in August 2022 and public comment closed on October 18, 2022. The SCAQMD Governing Board adopted the draft 2022 AQMP at its December 2, 2022, meeting. The draft 2022 AQMP requires CARB's adoption before submittal for U.S. EPA's final approval, which is expected to occur sometime in 2023.

Criteria for determining consistency with the AQMP are defined in Chapter 12, Section 12.2 and Section 12.3 of the 1993 CEQA Handbook (18). These indicators are discussed below.

The proposed Project will not result in an increase in the frequency or severity of existing air quality violations or cause or contribute to new violations or delay the timely attainment of air quality standards or the interim emissions reductions specified in the AQMP.

The violations under this criterion refer to the CAAQS and NAAQS. CAAQS and NAAQS violations would occur if regional or localized significance thresholds were exceeded.

CAAQS and NAAQS violations would occur if regional or localized significance thresholds were exceeded. As evaluated, the Project's regional and localized construction and operational-source emissions would not exceed applicable regional significance thresholds. As such, a less than significant impact is expected.

On the basis of the preceding discussion, the Project is determined to be consistent with the first criterion.

## The Project will not exceed the assumptions in the AQMP based on the years of Project buildout phase.

The 2016 AQMP demonstrates that the applicable ambient air quality standards can be achieved within the timeframes required under federal law. Growth projections from local general plans adopted by cities in the district are provided to the SCAG, which develops regional growth forecasts, which are then used to develop future air quality forecasts for the AQMP. Development consistent with the growth projections in City of Los Angeles General Plan is considered to be consistent with the AQMP.

Peak day emissions generated by construction activities are largely independent of land use assignments, but rather are a function of development scope and maximum area of disturbance. Irrespective of the site's land use designation, development of the site to its maximum potential would likely occur, with disturbance of the entire site occurring during construction activities. As such, when considering that no emissions thresholds will be exceeded, a less than significant impact would result.

The City of Los Angeles designates the Project site located within the West Los Angeles Community Plan as Neighborhood Commercial. The frontage along Westwood Boulevard north to Missouri Avenue, and Pico Boulevard generally between Patricia Avenue and Military Avenue is designated as a Neighborhood District on the Community Plan Land Use Diagram. The "Neighborhood Commercial" land use designation allows for one to four story retail and office uses, with a mix of residential units (11).

The Project includes the development of a multiple-family residential building with 30 residential dwelling units consisting of a gym and lobby, as well as 16 parking spaces within a five-story structure. The Project's proposed uses are consistent with the site's land use designations, and a general plan amendment will not be required.

On the basis of the preceding discussion, the Project is determined to be consistent with the second criterion.

As the proposed Project is consistent with site's land use designation, would not exceed any applicable regional or local thresholds, and would not result in or cause NAAQS or CAAQS violations, the Project is therefore considered to be consistent with the AQMP and a less than significant impact is expected.

## AIR QUALITY IMPACTS - CONSISTENCY WITH THRESHOLD NO. 2

## Would the Project result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is in non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard?

The CAAQS designate the Project site as nonattainment for $\mathrm{O}_{3}, \mathrm{PM}_{10}$, and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$ while the NAAQS designates the Project site as nonattainment for $\mathrm{O}_{3}$ and $\mathrm{PM}_{2.5}$.

The SCAQMD has published a report on how to address cumulative impacts from air pollution: White Paper on Potential Control Strategies to Address Cumulative Impacts from Air Pollution (12). In this report the SCAQMD clearly states (Page D-3):
"...the SCAQMD uses the same significance thresholds for project specific and cumulative impacts for all environmental topics analyzed in an Environmental Assessment or EIR. The only case where the significance thresholds for project specific and cumulative impacts differ is the Hazard Index (HI) significance threshold for TAC emissions. The project specific (project increment) significance threshold is $\mathrm{HI}>1.0$ while the cumulative (facility-wide) is $\mathrm{HI}>3.0$. It should be noted that the HI is only one of three TAC emission significance thresholds considered (when applicable) in a CEQA analysis. The other two are the maximum individual cancer risk (MICR) and the cancer burden, both of which use the same significance thresholds (MICR of 10 in 1 million and cancer burden of 0.5) for project specific and cumulative impacts.

Projects that exceed the project-specific significance thresholds are considered by the SCAQMD to be cumulatively considerable. This is the reason project-specific and cumulative significance thresholds are the same. Conversely, projects that do not exceed the project-specific thresholds are generally not considered to be cumulatively significant."
Therefore, this analysis assumes that individual projects that do not generate operational or construction emissions that exceed the SCAQMD's recommended daily thresholds for projectspecific impacts would also not cause a cumulatively considerable increase in emissions for those pollutants for which SCAB is in nonattainment, and, therefore, would not be considered to have a significant, adverse air quality impact. Alternatively, individual project-related construction and operational emissions that exceed SCAQMD thresholds for project-specific impacts would be considered cumulatively considerable.

## Construction Impacts

The Project-specific evaluation of emissions presented in the preceding analysis demonstrates that proposed Project construction-source air pollutant emissions would not result in exceedances of regional thresholds. Therefore, the proposed Project construction-source emissions would be considered less than significant on a project-specific and cumulative basis.

## Operational Impacts

The Project-specific evaluation of emissions presented in the preceding analysis demonstrates that proposed Project operational-source air pollutant emissions would not result in exceedances of regional thresholds. Therefore, the proposed Project operational-source emissions would be considered less than significant on a project-specific and cumulative basis.

## AIR QUALITY IMPACTS - CONSISTENCY WITH THRESHOLD NO. 3

## Would the expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?

The potential impact of Project-generated air pollutant emissions at sensitive receptors has also been considered. Results of the LST analysis indicate that the Project will not exceed the SCAQMD localized significance thresholds during construction. Therefore, sensitive receptors would not be exposed to substantial pollutant concentrations during Project construction.

Additionally, the Project will not exceed the SCAQMD localized significance thresholds during operational activity. Therefore, sensitive receptors would not be exposed to substantial pollutant concentrations as the result of Project operations.

## CO "HOT SPOT" ANALYSIS

As discussed below, the Project would not result in potentially adverse CO concentrations or "hot spots." Further, detailed modeling of Project-specific CO "hot spots" is not needed to reach this conclusion. An adverse CO concentration, known as a "hot spot", would occur if an exceedance of the state one-hour standard of 20 parts per million ( ppm ) or the eight-hour standard of 9 ppm were to occur.

It has long been recognized that CO hotspots are caused by vehicular emissions, primarily when idling at congested intersections. In response, vehicle emissions standards have become increasingly stringent in the last twenty years. Currently, the allowable CO emissions standard in California is a maximum of 3.4 grams/mile for passenger cars (there are requirements for certain vehicles that are more stringent). With the turnover of older vehicles, introduction of cleaner fuels, and implementation of increasingly sophisticated and efficient emissions control technologies, CO concentration in the SCAB is now designated as attainment. To establish a more accurate record of baseline CO concentrations affecting the SCAB, a CO "hot spot" analysis was conducted in 2003 for four busy intersections in Los Angeles at the peak morning and afternoon time periods. This "hot spot" analysis did not predict any violation of CO standards, as shown on Table 6.

TABLE 6: CO MODEL RESULTS

| Intersection Location | CO Concentrations (ppm) |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Wilshire Boulevard/Veteran Avenue | Morning 1-hour | Afternoon 1-hour | 8-hour |
| Sunset Boulevard/Highland Avenue | 4.6 | 3.5 | 3.7 |
| La Cienega Boulevard/Century Boulevard | 3.7 | 4.5 | 3.5 |
| Long Beach Boulevard/Imperial Highway | 3 | 3.1 | 5.2 |

Notes: Federal 1 -hour standard is 35 ppm and the deferral 8 -hour standard is 9.0 ppm .
Based on the SCAQMD's 2003 AQMP and the 1992 Federal Attainment Plan for Carbon Monoxide (1992 CO Plan), peak carbon monoxide concentrations in the SCAB were a result of unusual meteorological and topographical conditions and not a result of traffic volumes and congestion at a particular intersection. As evidence of this, for example, $8.4 \mathrm{ppm} 8-\mathrm{hr} \mathrm{CO}$ concentration measured at the Long Beach Blvd. and Imperial Hwy. intersection (highest CO generating intersection within the "hot spot" analysis), only 0.7 ppm was attributable to the traffic volumes and congestion at this intersection; the remaining 7.7 ppm were due to the ambient air measurements at the time the 2003 AQMP was prepared (20). In contrast, an adverse CO concentration, known as a "hot spot", would occur if an exceedance of the state one-hour standard of 20 parts per million (ppm) or the eight-hour standard of 9 ppm were to occur.

Similar considerations are also employed by other Air Districts when evaluating potential CO concentration impacts. More specifically, the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD) concludes that under existing and future vehicle emission rates, a given project would have to increase traffic volumes at a single intersection by more than 44,000 vehicles per hour (vph)—or 24,000 vph where vertical and/or horizontal air does not mix-in order to generate a significant CO impact (21). Traffic volumes generating the CO concentrations for the "hot spot" analysis is shown on Table 7. The busiest intersection evaluated was that at Wilshire Boulevard and Veteran Avenue, which has a daily traffic volume of approximately 100,000 vph and AM/PM traffic volumes of $8,062 \mathrm{vph}$ and $7,719 \mathrm{vph}$ respectively (20). The 2003 AQMP estimated that the 1-hour concentration for this intersection was 4.6 ppm ; this indicates that, should the daily traffic volume increase four times to 400,000 vehicles per day, CO concentrations ( $4.6 \mathrm{ppm} \times 4=18.4$ ppm) would still not likely exceed the most stringent 1-hour CO standard (20.0 ppm).

TABLE 7: CO MODEL RESULTS

| Intersection Location | Peak Traffic Volumes (vph) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Eastbound (AM/PM) | Westbound <br> (AM/PM) | Southbound <br> (AM/PM) | Northbound <br> (AM/PM) | Total (AM/PM) |
| Wilshire Boulevard/Veteran Avenue | 4,954/2,069 | 1,830/3,317 | 721/1,400 | 560/933 | 8,062/7,719 |
| Sunset Boulevard/Highland Avenue | 1,417/1,764 | 1,342/1,540 | 2,304/1,832 | 1,551/2,238 | 6,614/5,374 |
| La Cienega Boulevard/Century Boulevard | 2,540/2,243 | 1,890/2,728 | 1,384/2,029 | 821/1,674 | 6,634/8,674 |
| Long Beach Boulevard/Imperial Highway | 1,217/2,020 | 1,760/1,400 | 479/944 | 756/1,150 | 4,212/5,514 |

## AIR QUALITY IMPACTS - CONSISTENCY WITH THRESHOLD NO. 4

## Would the Project result in other emissions (such as those leading to odors) adversely affecting a substantial number of people?

The potential for the Project to generate objectionable odors has also been considered. Land uses generally associated with odor complaints include:

- Agricultural uses (livestock and farming)
- Wastewater treatment plants
- Food processing plants
- Chemical plants
- Composting operations
- Refineries
- Landfills
- Dairies
- Fiberglass molding facilities

The Project does not contain land uses typically associated with emitting objectionable odors. Potential odor sources associated with the proposed Project may result from construction
equipment exhaust and the application of asphalt and architectural coatings during construction activities and the temporary storage of typical solid waste (refuse) associated with the proposed Project's (long-term operational) uses. Standard construction requirements would minimize odor impacts from construct ion. The construction odor emissions would be temporary, short-term, and intermittent in nature and would cease upon completion of the respective phase of construction and is thus considered less than significant. It is expected that Project-generated refuse would be stored in covered containers and removed at regular intervals in compliance with the solid waste regulations. The proposed Project would also be required to comply with SCAQMD Rule 402 to prevent occurrences of public nuisances. Therefore, odors associated with the proposed Project construction and operations would be less than significant and no mitigation is required (13).

## PROJECT GHG ANALYSIS

## CLIMATE CHANGE SETTING

Global climate change (GCC) is the change in average meteorological conditions on the earth with respect to temperature, precipitation, and storms. The majority of scientists believe that the climate shift taking place since the Industrial Revolution is occurring at a quicker rate and magnitude than in the past. Scientific evidence suggests that GCC is the result of increased concentrations of GHGs in the earth's atmosphere, including carbon dioxide $\left(\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right)$, methane $\left(\mathrm{CH}_{4}\right)$, nitrous oxide ( $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ ), and fluorinated gases. The majority of scientists believe that this increased rate of climate change is the result of GHGs resulting from human activity and industrialization over the past 200 years.

An individual project like the proposed Project evaluated in this memo cannot generate enough GHG emissions to affect a discernible change in global climate. However, the proposed Project may participate in the potential for GCC by its incremental contribution of GHGs combined with the cumulative increase of all other sources of GHGs, which when taken together constitute potential influences on GCC. Because these changes may have serious environmental consequences, this memo will evaluate the potential for the proposed Project to have a significant effect upon the environment as a result of its potential contribution to the greenhouse effect.

GCC refers to the change in average meteorological conditions on the earth with respect to temperature, wind patterns, precipitation and storms. Global temperatures are regulated by naturally occurring atmospheric gases such as water vapor, $\mathrm{CO}_{2}, \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}, \mathrm{CH}_{4}$, hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), and sulfur hexafluoride ( $\mathrm{SF}_{6}$ ). These particular gases are important due to their residence time (duration they stay) in the atmosphere, which ranges from 10 years to more than 100 years. These gases allow solar radiation into the earth's atmosphere, but prevent radioactive heat from escaping, thus warming the earth's atmosphere. GCC can occur naturally as it has in the past with the previous ice ages.

Gases that trap heat in the atmosphere are often referred to as GHGs. GHGs are released into the atmosphere by both natural and anthropogenic activity. Without the natural GHG effect, the earth's average temperature would be approximately 61 degrees Fahrenheit ( ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ ) cooler than it is currently. The cumulative accumulation of these gases in the earth's atmosphere is considered to be the cause for the observed increase in the earth's temperature.

For the purposes of this analysis, emissions of $\mathrm{CO}_{2}, \mathrm{CH}_{4}$, and $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ were evaluated because these gases are the primary contributors to GCC from development projects. Although there are other substances such as fluorinated gases that also contribute to GCC, these fluorinated gases were not evaluated as their sources are not well-defined and do not contain accepted emissions factors or methodology to accurately calculate these gases.

## REGULATORY SETTING

## Executive Order S-3-05

Former California Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger announced on June 1, 2005, through Executive Order S-3-05, the following reduction targets for GHG emissions:

- By 2010, reduce GHG emissions to 2000 levels.
- By 2020, reduce GHG emissions to 1990 levels.
- By 2050, reduce GHG emissions to 80\% below 1990 levels.

The 2050 reduction goal represents what some scientists believe is necessary to reach levels that will stabilize the climate. The 2020 goal was established to be a mid-term target. Because this is an executive order, the goals are not legally enforceable for local governments or the private sector.

## Assembly Bill (AB) 32

The California State Legislature enacted AB 32, which requires that GHGs emitted in California be reduced to 1990 levels by the year 2020. "GHGs" as defined under AB 32 include $\mathrm{CO}_{2}, \mathrm{CH}_{4}, \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), and sulfur hexafluoride ( $\mathrm{SF}_{6}$ ). Since AB 32 was enacted, a seventh chemical, nitrogen trifluoride, has also been added to the list of GHGs. CARB is the state agency charged with monitoring and regulating sources of GHGs. Pursuant to AB 32, CARB adopted regulations to achieve the maximum technologically feasible and costeffective GHG emission reductions. AB 32 states the following:
"Global warming poses a serious threat to the economic well-being, public health, natural resources, and the environment of California. The potential adverse impacts of global warming include the exacerbation of air quality problems, a reduction in the quality and supply of water to the state from the Sierra snowpack, a rise in sea levels resulting in the displacement of thousands of coastal businesses and residences, damage to marine ecosystems and the natural environment, and an increase in the incidences of infectious diseases, asthma, and other human health-related problems."

CARB approved the 1990 GHG emissions level of 427 million metric ton of $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ equivalent per year ( $\mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ ) on December 6, 2007 (14). Therefore, emissions generated in California in 2020 are required to be equal to or less than $427 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$. Emissions in 2020 in a "business as usual" (BAU) scenario were estimated to be $596 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$, which do not account for reductions from AB 32 regulations (15). At that level, a 28.4\% reduction was required to achieve the 427 MMTCO2e 1990 inventory. In October 2010, CARB prepared an updated BAU 2020 forecast to account for the recession and slower forecasted growth. The forecasted inventory without the benefits of adopted regulation is now estimated at $545 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$. Therefore, under the updated forecast, a $21.7 \%$ reduction from BAU is required to achieve 1990 levels (16).

## Progress in Achieving AB 32 Targets and Remaining Reductions Required

The State has made steady progress in implementing AB 32 and achieving targets included in Executive Order S-3-05. The progress is shown in updated emission inventories prepared by CARB for 2000 through 2012 (17). The State has achieved the Executive Order S-3-05 target for 2010 of reducing GHG emissions to 2000 levels. As shown below, the 2010 emission inventory achieved this target.

- 1990: $427 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ (AB 322020 target)
- 2000: $463 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ (an average 8\% reduction needed to achieve 1990 base)
- 2010: $450 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ (an average 5\% reduction needed to achieve 1990 base)

CARB has also made substantial progress in achieving its goal of achieving 1990 emissions levels by 2020. As described earlier in this section, CARB revised the 2020 BAU inventory forecast to account for new lower growth projections, which resulted in a new lower reduction from BAU to achieve the 1990 base. The previous reduction from 2020 BAU needed to achieve 1990 levels was $28.4 \%$ and the latest reduction from 2020 BAU is $21.7 \%$.

- 2020: $545 \mathrm{MMTCO}_{2} \mathrm{~B}$ BAU (an average 21.7\% reduction from BAU needed to achieve 1990 base)


## Senate Bill (SB) 32

On September 8, 2016, Governor Jerry Brown signed the SB 32 and its companion bill, AB 197. SB 32 requires the state to reduce statewide GHG emissions to $40 \%$ below 1990 levels by 2030, a reduction target that was first introduced in Executive Order B-30-15. The new legislation builds upon the AB 32 goal of 1990 levels by 2020 and provides an intermediate goal to achieving S-305, which sets a statewide GHG reduction target of $80 \%$ below 1990 levels by 2050. AB 197 creates a legislative committee to oversee regulators to ensure that CARB not only responds to the Governor, but also the Legislature (18).

## AB 197

A condition of approval for SB 32 was the passage of AB 197. AB 197 requires that CARB consider the social costs of GHG emissions and prioritize direct reductions in GHG emissions at mobile sources and large stationary sources. AB 197 also gives the California legislature more oversight over CARB through the addition of two legislatively appointed members to the CARB Board and the establishment a legislative committee to make recommendations about CARB programs to the legislature.

## Executive Order B-55-18 and SB 100

Executive Order B-55-18 and SB 100. SB 100 and Executive Order B-55-18 were signed by Governor Brown on September 10, 2018. Under the existing RPS, $25 \%$ of retail sales are required to be from renewable sources by December 31, 2016, 33\% by December 31, 2020, 40\% by December 31, 2024, 45\% by December 31, 2027, and 50\% by December 31, 2030. SB 100 raises California's RPS requirement to $50 \%$ renewable resources target by December 31, 2026, and to achieve a $60 \%$ target by December 31, 2030. SB 100 also requires that retail sellers and local publicly owned electric utilities procure a minimum quantity of electricity products from eligible renewable energy resources so that the total kilowatt hours of those products sold to their retail end-use customers achieve $44 \%$ of retail sales by December 31, 2024, $52 \%$ by December 31, 2027, and $60 \%$ by December 31, 2030. In addition to targets under AB 32 and SB 32, Executive Order B-55-18 establishes a carbon neutrality goal for the state of California by 2045; and sets a goal to maintain net negative emissions thereafter. The Executive Order directs the California Natural Resources Agency (CNRA), California Environmental Protection Agency (CaIEPA), the Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA), and CARB to include sequestration targets in the Natural and Working Lands Climate Change Implementation Plan consistent with the carbon neutrality goal.

## Title 24 California Code of Regulations (CCR)

California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 24 Part 6: The California Energy Code was first adopted in 1978 in response to a legislative mandate to reduce California's energy consumption.

The standards are updated periodically to allow consideration and possible incorporation of new energy efficient technologies and methods. CCR, Title 24, Part 11: California Green Building Standards Code (CALGreen) is a comprehensive and uniform regulatory code for all residential, commercial, and school buildings that went in effect on August 1, 2009, and is administered by the California Building Standards Commission.

CALGreen is updated on a regular basis, with the most recent approved update consisting of the 2022 California Green Building Code Standards that will be effective on January 1, 2023². As construction of the Project is anticipated to be completed in 2023, it is presumed that the Project would be required to comply with the Title 24 standards in place at that time.

## SCAQMD

SCAQMD is the agency responsible for air quality planning and regulation in the SCAB. The SCAQMD addresses the impacts to climate change of projects subject to SCAQMD permit as a lead agency if they are the only agency having discretionary approval for the project and acts as a responsible agency when a land use agency must also approve discretionary permits for the project. The SCAQMD acts as an expert commenting agency for impacts to air quality. This expertise carries over to GHG emissions, so the agency helps local land use agencies through the development of models and emission thresholds that can be used to address GHG emissions.

In 2008, SCAQMD formed a Working Group to identify GHG emissions thresholds for land use projects that could be used by local lead agencies in the SCAB. The Working Group developed several different options that are contained in the SCAQMD Draft Guidance Document - Interim CEQA GHG Significance Threshold, that could be applied by lead agencies. The working group has not provided additional guidance since release of the interim guidance in 2008. The SCAQMD Board has not approved the thresholds; however, the Guidance Document provides substantial evidence supporting the approaches to significance of GHG emissions that can be considered by the lead agency in adopting its own threshold. The current interim thresholds consist of the following tiered approach:

- Tier 1 consists of evaluating whether or not the project qualifies for any applicable exemption under CEQA.
- Tier 2 consists of determining whether the project is consistent with a GHG reduction plan. If a project is consistent with a qualifying local GHG reduction plan, it does not have significant GHG emissions.
- Tier 3 consists of screening values, which the lead agency can choose, but must be consistent with all projects within its jurisdiction. A project's construction emissions are averaged over 30 years and are added to the project's operational emissions. If a project's emissions are below one of the following screening thresholds, then the project is less than significant:
- Residential and commercial land use: 3,000 metric ton of $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ equivalent ( $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$ )

[^14]- Industrial land use: $10,000 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$
- Based on land use type: residential: 3,500 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$; commercial: 1,400 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$; or mixed use: 3,000 MTCO2e/yr
- Tier 4 has the following options:
- Option 1: Reduce Business-as-Usual (BAU) emissions by a certain percentage; this percentage is currently undefined.
- Option 2: Early implementation of applicable AB 32 Scoping Plan measures
- Option 3: 2020 target for service populations (SP), which includes residents and employees: $4.8 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per SP per year for projects and $6.6 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per SP per year for plans;
- Option 3, 2035 target: 3.0 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per SP per year for projects and $4.1 \mathrm{MTCO} \mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per SP per year for plans
- Tier 5 involves mitigation offsets to achieve target significance threshold.

The SCAQMD's interim thresholds used the Executive Order S-3-05-year 2050 goal as the basis for the Tier 3 screening level. Achieving the Executive Order's objective would contribute to worldwide efforts to cap $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ concentrations at 450 ppm , thus stabilizing global climate.

SCAQMD only has authority over GHG emissions from development projects that include air quality permits. At this time, it is unknown if the project would include stationary sources of emissions subject to SCAQMD permits. Notwithstanding, if the Project requires a stationary permit, it would be subject to the applicable SCAQMD regulations.

SCAQMD Regulation XXVII, adopted in 2009 includes the following rules:

- Rule 2700 defines terms and post global warming potentials.
- Rule 2701, Southern California (SoCal) Climate Solutions Exchange, establishes a voluntary program to encourage, quantify, and certify voluntary, high quality certified GHG emission reductions in the SCAQMD.
- Rule 2702, GHG Reduction Program created a program to produce GHG emission reductions within the SCAQMD. The SCAQMD will fund projects through contracts in response to requests for proposals or purchase reductions from other parties.

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## GHG IMPACTS

## Standards of Significance

According to the CEQA Guidelines Appendix $G$ thresholds, to determine whether impacts from GHG emissions are significant. Would the project:

- Threshold 1: Generate GHG emissions, either directly or indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?
- Threshold 2: Conflict with an applicable plan, policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of GHGs?

The evaluation of an impact under CEQA requires measuring data from a project against both existing conditions and a "threshold of significance." For establishing significance thresholds, the Office of Planning and Research's amendments to the CEQA Guidelines Section 15064.7(c) state "[w]hen adopting thresholds of significance, a lead agency may consider thresholds of significance previously adopted or recommended by other public agencies, or recommended by experts, provided the decision of the lead agency to adopt such thresholds is supported by substantial evidence."

CEQA Guidelines Section 15064.4(a) further states, ". . . A lead agency shall have discretion to determine, in the context of a particular project, whether to: (1) Use a model or methodology to quantify greenhouse gas emissions resulting from a project, and which model or methodology to use . . .; or (2) Rely on a qualitative analysis or performance-based standards."

CEQA Guidelines Section 15064.4 provides that a lead agency should consider the following factors, among others, in assessing the significance of impacts from greenhouse gas emissions:

- Consideration \#1: The extent to which the project may increase or reduce greenhouse gas emissions as compared to the existing environmental setting.
- Consideration \#2: Whether the project emissions exceed a threshold of significance that the lead agency determines applies to the project.
- Consideration \#3: The extent to which the project complies with regulations or requirements adopted to implement a statewide, regional, or local plan for the reduction or mitigation of greenhouse gas emissions. Such regulations or requirements must be adopted by the relevant public agency through a public review process and must reduce or mitigate the project's incremental contribution of greenhouse gas emissions. In determining the significance of impacts, the lead agency may consider a project's consistency with the State's long-term climate goals or strategies, provided that substantial evidence supports the agency's analysis of how those goals or strategies address the project's incremental contribution to climate change and its conclusion that the project's incremental contribution is not cumulatively considerable.


## Discussion on Establishment of Significance Thresholds

Based on the foregoing guidance, the City of Los Angeles has elected to rely on compliance with a local air district threshold in the determination of significance of Project-related GHG emissions.

Specifically, the City has selected the interim 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2}$ e per year threshold recommended by SCAQMD staff for residential and commercial sector projects against which to compare Projectrelated GHG emissions.

The 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per year threshold is based on a 90 percent emission "capture" rate methodology. Prior to its use by the SCAQMD, the 90 percent emissions capture approach was one of the options suggested by the California Air Pollution Control Officers Association (CAPCOA) in their CEQA \& Climate Change white paper (2008). A 90 percent emission capture rate means that unmitigated GHG emissions from the top 90 percent of all GHG-producing projects within a geographic area - the SCAB in this instance - would be subject to a detailed analysis of potential environmental impacts from GHG emissions, while the bottom 10 percent of all GHG-producing projects would be excluded from detailed analysis. A GHG significance threshold based on a 90 percent emission capture rate is appropriate to address the long-term adverse impacts associated with global climate change because medium and large projects will be required to implement measures to reduce GHG emissions, while small projects, which are generally infill development projects that are not the focus of the State's GHG reduction targets, are allowed to proceed. Further, a 90 percent emission capture rate sets the emission threshold low enough to capture a substantial proportion of future development projects and demonstrate that cumulative emissions reductions are being achieved while setting the emission threshold high enough to exclude small projects that will, in aggregate, contribute approximate 1 percent of projected statewide GHG emissions in the Year 2050 (19).

In setting the threshold at 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per year, SCAQMD researched a database of projects kept by the Governor's Office of Planning and Research (OPR). That database contained 798 projects, 87 of which were removed because they were very large projects and/or outliers that would skew emissions values too high, leaving 711 as the sample population to use in determining the 90th percentile capture rate. The SCAQMD analysis of the 711 projects within the sample population combined commercial, residential, and mixed-use projects. Emissions from each of these projects were calculated by SCAQMD to provide a consistent method of emissions calculations across the sample population and from projects within the sample population. In calculating the emissions, the SCAQMD analysis determined that the 90th percentile ranged between 2,983 to $3,143 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2} e$ per year. The SCAQMD set their significance threshold at the low-end value of the range when rounded to the nearest hundred tons of emissions (i.e., $3,000 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per year) to define small projects that are considered less than significant and do not need to provide further analysis.

The City understands that the 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per year threshold for residential/commercial uses was proposed by SCAQMD a decade ago and was adopted as an interim policy; however, no permanent, superseding policy or threshold has since been adopted. The 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per year threshold was developed and recommended by SCAQMD, an expert agency, based on substantial evidence as provided in the Draft Guidance Document - Interim CEQA Greenhouse Gas Significance Threshold (2008) document and subsequent Working Group meetings (latest of which occurred in 2010). SCAQMD has not withdrawn its support of the interim threshold and all documentation supporting the interim threshold remains on the SCAQMD website on a page that provides guidance to CEQA practitioners for air quality analysis (and where all SCAQMD significance thresholds for regional and local criteria pollutants and toxic air contaminants also are listed). Further, as stated by SCAQMD, this threshold "uses the Executive Order S-3-05 goal
[80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050] as the basis for deriving the screening level" and, thus, remains valid for use in 2022 (19). Lastly, this threshold has been used for hundreds, if not thousands of GHG analyses performed for projects located within the SCAQMD jurisdiction.

Thus, for purposes of analysis in this analysis, if Project-related GHG emissions do not exceed the 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e}$ per year threshold, then Project-related GHG emissions would clearly have a less-than-significant impact pursuant to Threshold GHG-1. On the other hand, if Project-related GHG emissions exceed $3,000 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2}$ e per year, the Project would be considered a substantial source of GHG emissions.

## GHG IMPACTS - CONSISTENCY WITH THRESHOLD NO. 1

Would the Project have the potential to generate direct or indirect GHG emissions that would result in a significant impact on the environment?

## PROJECT GHG EMISSIONS

The estimated GHG emissions for the Project are summarized on Table 9. The estimated GHG emission include emissions from Carbon Dioxide $\left(\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right)$, Methane $\left(\mathrm{CH}_{4}\right)$, Nitrous Oxide $\left(\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right)$, and Refrigerants (R). As shown on Table 9, the Project would generate a total of approximately 229.17 MTCO ${ }_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$.

TABLE 9: TOTAL PROJECT GHG EMISSIONS

| Source | Emission (lbs/day) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ | $\mathrm{CH}_{4}$ | $\mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ | R | $\mathrm{Total} \mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{E}$ |
| Annual construction-related emissions | 4.07 | $3.33 \mathrm{E}-04$ | $0.00 \mathrm{E}+00$ | $1.33 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 4.10 |
| amortized over 30 years | 158.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.30 | 160.00 |
| Mobile Source | 6.96 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 6.97 |
| Area Source | 47.00 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 47.20 |
| Energy Source | 2.77 | 0.04 | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 3.94 |
| Water | 1.98 | 0.20 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 6.94 |
| Waste | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| Refrigerants |  |  | 229.17 |  |  |
| Total CO2E (All Sources) |  |  |  |  |  |

A numerical threshold for determining the significance of GHG emissions in the SCAB has not been established by the SCAQMD for projects where it is not the lead agency. As an interim threshold based on guidance provided in the CAPCOA CEQA and Climate Change handbook, the City has opted to use a non-zero threshold approach based on Approach 2 of the handbook. Threshold 2.5 (Unit-Based Thresholds Based on Market Capture) establishes a numerical threshold based on capture of approximately $90 \%$ of emissions from future development. The latest threshold developed by SCAQMD using this method is $3,000 \mathrm{MTCO} 2 \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$ for all projects (20).

The Project would result in approximately $229.17 \mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$; the proposed Project would not exceed the SCAQMD's numeric threshold of 3,000 $\mathrm{MTCO}_{2} \mathrm{e} / \mathrm{yr}$. Thus, the Project would result in a less than significant impact with respect to GHG emissions.

## GHG IMPACTS - CONSISTENCY WITH THRESHOLD NO. 2

Would the Project have the potential to conflict with any applicable plan, policy or regulation of an agency adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of GHGs?

Pursuant to 15604.4 of the CEQA Guidelines, a lead agency may rely on qualitative analysis or performance-based standards to determine the significance of impacts from GHG emissions (21).

In November 2022, CARB released the Final 2022 Scoping Plan Update, which identifies the State's progress towards the statutory 2030 target, while providing a path towards carbon neutrality and reduce greenhouse gases emissions by $85 \%$ below 1990 levels by 2045. Recent studies show that the State's existing and proposed regulatory framework will allow the State to reduce its GHG emissions level to $40 \%$ below 1990 levels by 2030 (22). The Project would not conflict with any of the 2022 Scoping Plan elements as any regulations adopted would apply directly or indirectly to the Project.

Finally, the Project is consistent with the general plan land use designation, density, building intensity, and applicable policies specified for the Project area in SCAG's Sustainable Community Strategy/Regional Transportation Plan, which pursuant to SB 375 calls for the integration of transportation, land-use and housing policies to plan for achievement of the GHG-emissions target for the region. Thus, a less than significant impact related to GHG emissions from Project construction and operation would occur and no mitigation is required.

## PROJECT ENERGY ANALYSIS

## Standards of Significance

Appendix F of the State CEQA Guidelines (23), states that the means of achieving the goal of energy conservation includes the following:

- Decreasing overall per capita energy consumption;
- Decreasing reliance on fossil fuels such as coal, natural gas, and oil; and
- Increasing reliance on renewable energy sources.

According to Appendix F, the analysis should include a description of energy conservation measures included as part of the project and should consider whether a project would result in inefficient, wasteful and unnecessary consumption of energy. In compliance with Appendix F and Appendix G of the State CEQA Guidelines (24), this report analyzes the project's anticipated energy use during construction and operations to determine if the Project would:

- Result in potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy resources, during project construction or operation; or
- Conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency


## Emission Factors Model

Vehicle fuel efficiencies for light-duty-auto vehicles (LDA), light-duty-trucks (LDT1), and light-dutytrucks (LDT2) were estimated using information generated within the 2021 version of the EMFAC developed by the California Air Resources Board (CARB). EMFAC2021 is a mathematical model that was developed to calculate emission rates, fuel consumption, and VMT from motor vehicles that operate on highways, freeways, and local roads in California and is commonly used by CARB to project changes in future emissions from on-road mobile sources (25). EMFAC2021 was run for the LDA, LDT1, and LDT2 vehicle class within the California Los Angeles South-Coast sub-area for the 2023 calendar year. Data from EMFAC2021 is shown in Attachment B.

## CONSTRUCTION ENERGY DEMANDS

## CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT ELECTRICITY USAGE ESTIMATES

The 2022 National Construction Estimator identifies a typical power cost per 1,000 sf of construction per month of $\$ 2.41$, which was used to calculate the Project's total construction power cost (26).

Based on Table 10, the total power cost of the on-site electricity usage during the construction of the Project is estimated to be approximately $\$ 246.05$. As shown on Table 11 , the total electricity usage from on-site Project construction related activities is estimated to be approximately 1,868 kWh.

TABLE 10: PROJECT CONSTRUCTION POWER COST

| Land Use | Power Cost <br> (per 1,000 SF of <br> building per <br> month of <br> construction) | Total <br> Building <br> Size <br> $(1,000$ SF) | Construction <br> Duration <br> (months) | Project <br> Construction <br> Power Cost |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartment Midrise | $\$ 2.41$ | 19.14 | 5 | $\$ 230.58$ |
| Parking Lot | $\$ 2.41$ | 1.28 | 5 | $\$ 15.47$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL PROJECT CONSTRUCTION POWER COST | $\mathbf{\$ 2 4 6 . 0 5}$ |  |  |  |

TABLE 11: PROJECT CONSTRUCTION ELECTRICITY USAGE

| Land Use | Cost per kWh |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Multi-Family Residential | Project Construction <br> Electricity Usage $(\mathbf{k W h})$ |  |
| Parking Lot | $\$ 0.13$ | 1,751 |
| TOTAL PROJECT CONSTURCTION ELECTRICTY USAGE (kWh) | 117 |  |

${ }^{1}$ Assumes the Project will be under the GS-1 General Service Rate under Southern California Edison

## CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT FUEL ESTIMATES

As presented in Table 12, Project construction activities would consume an estimated 10,288 gallons of diesel fuel. Project construction would represent a "single-event" diesel fuel demand and would not require on-going or permanent commitment of diesel fuel resources for this purpose.

## CONSTRUCTION WORKER FUEL ESTIMATES

With respect to estimated VMT, the construction worker trips would generate an estimated 47,416 VMT. Based on CalEEM od methodology, it is assumed that $50 \%$ of all vendor trips are from LDA, $25 \%$ are from LDT1, and $25 \%$ are from LDT2. Data regarding Project related construction worker trips were based on CalEEMod defaults for the land use type and project location which are also utilized within the air quality assessment and CalEEMod outputs contained herein.

As shown on Table 13, it is estimated that 1,800 gallons of fuel will be consumed related to construction worker trips during full construction of the proposed Project. Project construction worker trips would represent a "single-event" gasoline fuel demand and would not require ongoing or permanent commitment of fuel resources for this purpose.

TABLE 12: PROJECT CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT FUEL CONSUMPTIONS ESTIMATES

| Activity/Duration | Duration (Days) | Equipment | HP Rating | Quantity | Usage Hours | Load Factor | HP-hrs/day | Total Fuel Consumption (gal. diesel fuel) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demolition | 10 | Tractors/Loaders/Backhoes <br> Rubber Tired Dozers <br> Concrete/Industrial Saws | 2 | 8 | 84 | 0.37 | 497 | 269 |
|  |  |  | 1 | 8 | 367 | 0.4 | 1,174 | 635 |
|  |  |  | 1 | 8 | 33 | 0.73 | 193 | 104 |
| Site Preparation | 1 | Graders | 1 | 8 | 148 | 0.41 | 485 | 26 |
|  |  | Crawler Tractors | 1 | 8 | 87 | 0.43 | 299 | 16 |
|  |  | Graders | 1 | 8 | 148 | 0.41 | 485 | 52 |
| Grading | 2 | Rubber Tired Dozers | 1 | 8 | 367 | 0.4 | 1,174 | 127 |
|  |  | Crawler Tractors | 1 | 8 | 87 | 0.43 | 299 | 32 |
| Building Construction | 100 | Cranes | 1 | 8 | 367 | 0.29 | 851 | 4,602 |
|  |  | Forklifts | 2 | 8 | 82 | 0.2 | 262 | 1,418 |
|  |  | Tractors/Loaders/Backhoes | 2 | 8 | 84 | 0.37 | 497 | 2,688 |
|  |  | Tractors/Loaders/Backhoes | 1 | 8 | 84 | 0.37 | 249 | 67 |
| Paving | 5 | Cement and Mortar Mixers | 4 | 8 | 10 | 0.56 | 179 | 48 |
|  |  | Pavers | 1 | 8 | 81 | 0.42 | 272 | 74 |
| Architectural Coating | 5 | Rollers | 1 | 8 | 36 | 0.38 | 109 | 30 |
|  |  | Air Compressors | 1 | 8 | 37 | 0.48 | 142 | 38 |
|  |  |  |  |  | CONSTRUCTIO | UEL DEMAND ( | NS DIESEL FUEL) | 10,288 |

TABLE 13: CONSTRUCTION WORKER FUEL CONSUMPTION ESTIMATES

| Year | Construction Activity | Duration (Days) | Worker Trips/Day | Trip Length (miles) | VMT | Average Vehicle Fuel Economy (mpg) | Estimated Fuel Consumption |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2023 | LDA |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Demolition | 10 | 5 | 18.5 | 925 | 30.27 | 31 |
|  | Site Preparation | 1 | 3 | 18.5 | 56 | 30.27 | 2 |
|  | Grading | 2 | 4 | 18.5 | 148 | 30.27 | 5 |
|  | Building Construction | 100 | 11 | 18.5 | 20,350 | 30.27 | 672 |
|  | Paving | 5 | 9 | 18.5 | 833 | 30.27 | 27 |
|  | Architectural Coating | 5 | 3 | 18.5 | 278 | 30.27 | 9 |
|  | LDT1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Demolition | 10 | 3 | 18.5 | 555 | 23.81 | 23 |
|  | Site Preparation | 1 | 2 | 18.5 | 37 | 23.81 | 2 |
|  | Grading | 2 | 2 | 18.5 | 74 | 23.81 | 3 |
|  | Building Construction | 100 | 6 | 18.5 | 11,100 | 23.81 | 466 |
|  | Paving | 5 | 5 | 18.5 | 463 | 23.81 | 19 |
|  | Architectural Coating | 5 | 2 | 18.5 | 185 | 23.81 | 8 |
|  | LDT2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Demolition | 10 | 3 | 18.5 | 555 | 23.33 | 24 |
|  | Site Preparation | 1 | 2 | 18.5 | 37 | 23.33 | 2 |
|  | Grading | 2 | 2 | 18.5 | 74 | 23.33 | 3 |
|  | Building Construction | 100 | 6 | 18.5 | 11,100 | 23.33 | 476 |
|  | Paving | 5 | 5 | 18.5 | 463 | 23.33 | 20 |
|  | Architectural Coating | 5 | 2 | 18.5 | 185 | 23.33 | 8 |
|  | TOTAL CONSTRUCTION WORKER FUEL CONSUMPTION |  |  |  |  |  | 1,800 |

## CONSTRUCTION VENDOR/HAULING FUEL ESTIMATES

With respect to estimated VMT, the construction vendor trips would generate an estimated 5,680 VMT. It is assumed that $50 \%$ of all vendor trips are from medium-heavy duty trucks (MHDT) and $50 \%$ of vendor trips are from heavy-heavy duty trucks (HHDT). As shown on Table 14, it is estimated that 884 gallons of fuel will be consumed related to construction vendor trips (medium duty trucks) during full construction of the Project. Project construction vendor trips would represent a "single- event" diesel fuel demand and would not require on-going or permanent commitment of diesel fuel resources for this purpose.

Table 14: Construction Vendor Fuel Consumption Estimates

| Year | Construction Activity | Duration (Days) | Worker Trips/Day | Trip Length (miles) | VMT | Average Vehicle Fuel Economy | Estimated Fuel Consumptio |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2023 | MHDT |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Building Construction | 100 | 2 | 10.2 | 2,040 | 7.50 | 272 |
|  | HHDT (Vendor) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Building Construction | 100 | 2 | 10.2 | 2,040 | 5.95 | 343 |
|  | HHDT (Hauling) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Demolition | 10 | 8 | 20 | 1,600 | 5.95 | 269 |
|  | TOTAL CONSTRUCTION WORKER FUEL CONSUMPTION |  |  |  |  |  | 884 |

## CONSTRUCTION ENERGY DEMANDS SUMMARY

Construction equipment use of fuel would not be atypical for the type of construction proposed because there are no aspects of the Project's proposed construction process that are unusual or energy-intensive, and Project construction equipment would conform to the applicable CARB emissions standards, acting to promote equipment fuel efficiencies.
CCR Title 13, Title 13, Motor Vehicles, section 2449(d)(3) Idling, limits idling times of construction vehicles to no more than 5 minutes, thereby precluding unnecessary and wasteful consumption of fuel due to unproductive idling of construction equipment. Best Available Control Measures (BACMs) inform construction equipment operators of this requirement.

With regard to construction worker trips, the 2021 IEPR released by the CEC has shown that fuel efficiencies are getting better within on and off-road vehicle engines due to more stringent government requirements. As supported by the preceding discussions, Project construction energy consumption would not be considered inefficient, wasteful, or otherwise unnecessary.

## OPERATIONAL ENERGY DEMANDS

## Transportation Energy Demands

Energy that would be consumed by Project-generated traffic is a function of total VMT and estimated vehicle fuel economies of vehicles accessing the Project site. The VMT per vehicle class can be determined by the vehicle fleet mix and the total VMT. As with worker and vendors trips,
operational vehicle fuel efficiencies were estimated using information generated within EMFAC2021 developed by CARB (25). As summarized on Table 15 the Project will result in a 427,862 annual VMT and an estimated annual fuel consumption of 18,045 gallons of fuel.

## OPERATIONAL ENERGY DEMANDS SUMMARY

The Project proposes conventional residential uses reflecting contemporary energy efficient/energy conserving designs and operational programs. The Project does not propose uses that are inherently energy intensive and the energy demands in total would be comparable to other residential land use projects of similar scale and configuration.

The Project will comply with the applicable Title 24 standards which will ensure that the Project energy demands would not be inefficient, wasteful, or otherwise unnecessary.
The Project would not cause or result in the need for additional energy producing or transmission facilities. The Project would not engage in wasteful or inefficient uses of energy and aims to achieve energy conservations goals within the State of California. As supported by the preceding analyses, Project operations would not result in the inefficient, wasteful, or unnecessary consumption of energy.

TABLE 15: PROJECT-GENERATED VEHICLE TRAFFIC ANNUAL FUEL CONSUMPTION

| Vehicle Type | Average Vehicle Fuel <br> Economy (mpg) | Annual VMT | Estimated Annual Fuel <br> Consumption (gallons) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LDA | 30.27 | 221,615 | 7,320 |
| LDT1 | 23.81 | 19,523 | 820 |
| LDT2 | 23.33 | 95,662 | 4,101 |
| MDV | 19.10 | 58,649 | 3,070 |
| LHDT1 | 14.80 | 10,809 | 730 |
| LHDT2 | 14.22 | 2,603 | 183 |
| MHDT | 7.50 | 4,570 | 609 |
| HHDT | 5.95 | 3,432 | 577 |
| OBUS | 5.93 | 380 | 64 |
| UBUS | 3.14 | 269 | 86 |
| MCY | 40.95 | 8,804 | 215 |
| SBUS | 6.46 | 272 | 42 |
| MH | 5.60 | 1,273 | 227 |

## Project Energy Demands

As shown on Table 16, the Project operational energy demands are estimated to result in a $297,761 \mathrm{kBTU} / \mathrm{year}$ of natural gas; and $99,630 \mathrm{kWh} /$ year of electricity. Natural gas would be supplied to the Project by Southern California Gas; electricity would be supplied by Southern California Edison.

TABLE 16: PROJECT ANNUAL OPERATIONAL ENERGY DEMAND SUMMARY

|  | Land Use | Natural Gas Demand <br> $(\mathrm{kBTU} / \mathrm{year})$ | Electricity Demand <br> $(\mathrm{kWh} / \mathrm{year})$ |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Apartment Midrise | 297,761 | 98,505 |  |
| Parking Lot | 0 | 1,125 |  |
|  | TOTAL PROJECT ENERGY DEMAND | 297,761 | $\mathbf{9 9 , 6 3 0}$ |

## ENERGY IMPACT 1

Would the Project result in potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy resources, during project construction or operation?

As supported by the preceding analyses, Project construction and operations would not result in the inefficient, wasteful, or unnecessary consumption of energy. In fact, the Project proposes to develop one warehouse building and associated parking and landscaping, consistent with the land use designation and zoning identified for the project site. Project facility operational energy demands are estimated to result in 297,761 kBTU/year of natural gas; and 99,630 kWh/year of electricity. The total electricity usage from on-site project construction activities is estimated to be approximately $1,868 \mathrm{kWh}$. Electrical energy would be available for use during construction from existing power lines and connections, precluding the use of less-efficient generators. The Project would therefore not cause or result in the need for additional energy producing or transmission facilities. The Project would not engage in wasteful or inefficient uses of energy and aims to achieve energy conservations goals within the State of California.

## ENERGY IMPACT 2

## Would the Project conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency?

The Project will not conflict with any applicable state or local plans. The Project proposes conventional residential uses reflecting contemporary energy efficient/energy conserving designs and operational programs. The Project does not propose uses that are inherently energy intensive and the energy demands in total would be comparable to other residential land use projects of similar scale and configuration.

The Project will comply with the applicable Title 24 standards which will ensure that the Project energy demands would not be inefficient, wasteful, or otherwise unnecessary.

The existing buildings use electricity for uses including heating, cooling, and ventilation of buildings; water heating; operation of electrical systems; lighting; and on-site equipment and appliances. The proposed project would comply with the most current Building Energy Efficiency Standards, including the California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 24, Part 11: California Green Building Standards. The project would not result in wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy resources and would not conflict with or obstruct a State or local plan for energy efficiency. Impacts would be less than significant.

## AIR QUALITY, GREENHOUSE GAS, ENERGY CONCLUSION

Results of the assessment indicate that the Project is not anticipated to result in a significant impact during construction or operational activities associated with air quality, greenhouse gas and energy and no mitigation is required.

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## ATTACHMENT A <br> CALEEMOD PROPOSED PROJECT EMISSIONS MODEL OUTPUTS

## 14645 - Pico Residential Detailed Report

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## 1. Basic Project Information

### 1.1. Basic Project Information

| Data Field | Value |
| :--- | :--- |
| Project Name | 14645 - Pico Residential |
| Lead Agency | - |
| Land Use Scale | Project/site |
| Analysis Level for Defaults | County |
| Windspeed (m/s) | 2.70 |
| Precipitation (days) | 20.2 |
| Location | 10948 W Pico Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90064, USA |
| County | Los Angeles-South Coast |
| City | Los Angeles |
| Air District | South Coast AQMD |
| Air Basin | South Coast |
| TAZ | 4470 |
| EDFZ | 16 |
| Electric Utility | Los Angeles Department of Water \& Power |
| Gas Utility | Southern California Gas |

### 1.2. Land Use Types

| Land Use Subtype | Size | Unit | Lot Acreage | Building Area (sq ft) | Landscape Area (sq ft) | Special Landscape Area (sq ft) | Population | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartments Mid Rise | 30.0 | Dwelling Unit | 0.16 | 19,135 | 962 | - | 89.0 | - |
| Parking Lot | 16.0 | Space | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | - | - |

### 1.3. User-Selected Emission Reduction Measures by Emissions Sector

## No measures selected

## 2. Emissions Summary

### 2.1. Construction Emissions Compared Against Thresholds

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Un/Mit. | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 2.24 | 25.9 | 15.6 | 20.5 | 0.03 | 0.70 | 0.59 | 1.30 | 0.65 | 0.14 | 0.79 | - | 3,759 | 3,759 | 0.15 | 0.06 | 2.94 | 3,783 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 2.33 | 1.96 | 18.4 | 16.0 | 0.02 | 0.97 | 2.08 | 3.05 | 0.89 | 0.93 | 1.82 | - | 2,892 | 2,892 | 0.13 | 0.11 | 0.05 | 2,928 |
| Average Daily <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 0.39 | 0.66 | 3.06 | 3.62 | 0.01 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.26 | 0.13 | 0.03 | 0.16 | - | 740 | 740 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.22 | 745 |
| Annual (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 0.07 | 0.12 | 0.56 | 0.66 | < 0.005 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.03 | - | 122 | 122 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | 123 |

### 2.2. Construction Emissions by Year, Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Year | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |


| 2023 | 2.24 | 25.9 | 15.6 | 20.5 | 0.03 | 0.70 | 0.59 | 1.30 | 0.65 | 0.14 | 0.79 | - | 3,759 | 3,759 | 0.15 | 0.06 | 2.94 | 3,783 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2023 | 2.33 | 1.96 | 18.4 | 16.0 | 0.02 | 0.97 | 2.08 | 3.05 | 0.89 | 0.93 | 1.82 | - | 2,892 | 2,892 | 0.13 | 0.11 | 0.05 | 2,928 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2023 | 0.39 | 0.66 | 3.06 | 3.62 | 0.01 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.26 | 0.13 | 0.03 | 0.16 | - | 740 | 740 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.22 | 745 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2023 | 0.07 | 0.12 | 0.56 | 0.66 | $<0.005$ | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.03 | - | 122 | 122 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | 0.04 | 123 |

### 2.4. Operations Emissions Compared Against Thresholds

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Un/Mit. | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 0.81 | 1.16 | 0.97 | 6.60 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.34 | 0.39 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 14.1 | 1,884 | 1,898 | 1.50 | 0.05 | 4.41 | 1,955 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 0.63 | 0.99 | 0.99 | 4.53 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.34 | 0.39 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 14.1 | 1,836 | 1,851 | 1.51 | 0.05 | 0.25 | 1,904 |
| Average Daily <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 0.68 | 1.05 | 0.58 | 5.50 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.33 | 0.34 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 14.1 | 1,292 | 1,307 | 1.49 | 0.05 | 1.93 | 1,361 |
| Annual <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unmit. | 0.12 | 0.19 | 0.11 | 1.00 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.06 | 0.06 | $<0.005$ | 0.01 | 0.01 | 2.34 | 214 | 216 | 0.25 | 0.01 | 0.32 | 225 |

### 2.5. Operations Emissions by Sector, Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Sector | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mobile | 0.58 | 0.52 | 0.43 | 4.69 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.07 | - | 1,013 | 1,013 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 4.27 | 1,030 |
| Area | 0.22 | 0.63 | 0.47 | 1.88 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.00 | 573 | 573 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 574 |
| Energy | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 284 | 284 | 0.02 | $<0.005$ | - | 285 |
| Water | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |
| Waste | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| Refrig. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Total | 0.81 | 1.16 | 0.97 | 6.60 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.34 | 0.39 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 14.1 | 1,884 | 1,898 | 1.50 | 0.05 | 4.41 | 1,955 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mobile | 0.57 | 0.52 | 0.47 | 4.31 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.07 | - | 969 | 969 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.11 | 984 |
| Area | 0.05 | 0.47 | 0.45 | 0.19 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.00 | 569 | 569 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 569 |
| Energy | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 284 | 284 | 0.02 | < 0.005 | - | 285 |
| Water | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |
| Waste | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| Refrig. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Total | 0.63 | 0.99 | 0.99 | 4.53 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.34 | 0.39 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 14.1 | 1,836 | 1,851 | 1.51 | 0.05 | 0.25 | 1,904 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mobile | 0.55 | 0.50 | 0.46 | 4.29 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.33 | 0.33 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.06 | - | 952 | 952 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 1.79 | 968 |
| Area | 0.12 | 0.55 | 0.04 | 1.17 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 42.1 | 42.1 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 42.1 |
| Energy | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 284 | 284 | 0.02 | < 0.005 | - | 285 |
| Water | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |


| Waste | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Refrig. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Total | 0.68 | 1.05 | 0.58 | 5.50 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.33 | 0.34 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 14.1 | 1,292 | 1,307 | 1.49 | 0.05 | 1.93 | 1,361 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mobile | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.78 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.06 | 0.06 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 158 | 158 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.30 | 160 |
| Area | 0.02 | 0.10 | 0.01 | 0.21 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 6.96 | 6.96 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | 6.97 |
| Energy | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 47.0 | 47.0 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 47.2 |
| Water | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.35 | 2.41 | 2.77 | 0.04 | < 0.005 | - | 3.94 |
| Waste | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1.98 | 0.00 | 1.98 | 0.20 | 0.00 | - | 6.94 |
| Refrig. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| Total | 0.12 | 0.19 | 0.11 | 1.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.06 | 0.06 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 2.34 | 214 | 216 | 0.25 | 0.01 | 0.32 | 225 |

## 3. Construction Emissions Details

### 3.1. Demolition (2023) - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Location | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Onsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $1.92$ | 1.61 | 15.7 | 15.0 | 0.02 | 0.70 | - | 0.70 | 0.64 | - | 0.64 | - | 2,203 | 2,203 | 0.09 | 0.02 | - | 2,211 |
| Demolitio <br> n | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.66 | 0.66 | - | 0.10 | 0.10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |


| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Off-Road Equipmen | $0.05$ | 0.04 | 0.43 | 0.41 | < 0.005 | 0.02 | - | 0.02 | 0.02 | - | 0.02 | - | 60.4 | 60.4 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | 60.6 |
| Demolitio <br> n | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.02 | 0.02 | - | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipmen | $0.01$ | 0.01 | 0.08 | 0.07 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 9.99 | 9.99 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 10.0 |
| Demolitio <br> n | - | - | - | - | - | - | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | $<0.005$ | <0.005 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Offsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.69 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 137 | 137 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | 0.02 | 138 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.04 | 0.01 | 0.74 | 0.27 | $<0.005$ | 0.01 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.02 | - | 552 | 552 | 0.03 | 0.09 | 0.03 | 579 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 3.80 | 3.80 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 3.86 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.02 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 15.1 | 15.1 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 15.9 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.63 | 0.63 | <0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.64 |


| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hauling | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | 2.50 | 2.50 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 2.63 |

### 3.3. Site Preparation (2023) - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Location | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Onsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $0.92$ | 0.77 | 6.84 | 6.20 | 0.01 | 0.45 | - | 0.45 | 0.41 | - | 0.41 | - | 916 | 916 | 0.04 | 0.01 | - | 919 |
| Dust <br> From <br> Material <br> Movemen: | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.28 | 0.28 | - | 0.03 | 0.03 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.02 | 0.02 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | - | 2.51 | 2.51 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 2.52 |
| Dust <br> From <br> Material <br> Movemen: | - | - | - | - | - | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |


| Off-Road Equipmen | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | < 0.005 | - | 0.42 | 0.42 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 0.42 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dust <br> From <br> Material <br> Movemen | - | - | - | - | - | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | < 0.005 | <0.005 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Offsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.35 | 0.00 | 0.00 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 68.4 | 68.4 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 69.2 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.19 | 0.19 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.19 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.03 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.03 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 3.5. Grading (2023) - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)


| Onsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $2.29$ | 1.92 | 18.4 | 15.5 | 0.02 | 0.97 | - | 0.97 | 0.89 | - | 0.89 | - | 2,294 | 2,294 | 0.09 | 0.02 | - | 2,302 |
| Dust <br> From <br> Material <br> Movemen: | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1.98 | 1.98 | - | 0.91 | 0.91 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $0.01$ | 0.01 | 0.10 | 0.08 | $<0.005$ | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | $<0.005$ | - | 12.6 | 12.6 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 12.6 |
| Dust <br> From <br> Material <br> Movemen: | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.02 | 0.02 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 2.08 | 2.08 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 2.09 |
| Dust <br> From <br> Material <br> Movemen: | - | - | - | - | - | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Offsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |


| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.05 | 0.52 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 103 | 103 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 104 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.57 | 0.57 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.58 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | <0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.09 | 0.09 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.10 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 3.7. Building Construction (2023) - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Location | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Onsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, <br> Summer <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipmen | $0.99$ | 0.83 | 8.45 | 9.12 | 0.02 | 0.39 | - | 0.39 | 0.36 | - | 0.36 | - | 1,876 | 1,876 | 0.08 | 0.02 | - | 1,882 |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |


| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Off-Road Equipmen |  | 0.83 | 8.45 | 9.12 | 0.02 | 0.39 | - | 0.39 | 0.36 | - | 0.36 | - | 1,876 | 1,876 | 0.08 | 0.02 | - | 1,882 |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipmen | $0.27$ | 0.23 | 2.32 | 2.50 | $<0.005$ | 0.11 | - | 0.11 | 0.10 | - | 0.10 | - | 514 | 514 | 0.02 | $<0.005$ | - | 516 |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipmen | $0.05$ | 0.04 | 0.42 | 0.46 | $<0.005$ | 0.02 | - | 0.02 | 0.02 | - | 0.02 | - | 85.1 | 85.1 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | 85.4 |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Offsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, <br> Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.11 | 1.77 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 312 | 312 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 1.32 | 317 |
| Vendor | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.13 | 0.06 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 105 | 105 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.28 | 110 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.13 | 1.50 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 295 | 295 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 299 |
| Vendor | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.13 | 0.07 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | 105 | 105 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 109 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |


| Worker | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 82.2 | 82.2 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.16 | 83.3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Vendor | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.04 | 0.02 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 28.8 | 28.8 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.03 | 30.0 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.01 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 13.6 | 13.6 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.03 | 13.8 |
| Vendor | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 4.76 | 4.76 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 4.96 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 3.9. Paving (2023) - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (Ib/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Location | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Onsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $0.77$ | 0.64 | 5.50 | 6.26 | 0.01 | 0.26 | - | 0.26 | 0.24 | - | 0.24 | - | 973 | 973 | 0.04 | 0.01 | - | 976 |
| Paving | - | 0.02 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $0.01$ | 0.01 | 0.08 | 0.09 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | - | 13.3 | 13.3 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 13.4 |
| Paving | - | $<0.005$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |


| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Off-Road Equipmen | $<0.005$ | <0.005 | 0.01 | 0.02 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 2.21 | 2.21 | $<0.005$ | <0.005 | - | 2.21 |
| Paving | - | < 0.005 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Offsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.10 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 1.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 253 | 253 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 1.07 | 257 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | <0.005 | <0.005 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 3.33 | 3.33 | $<0.005$ | <0.005 | 0.01 | 3.37 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | <0.005 | <0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.55 | 0.55 | $<0.005$ | <0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.56 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 3.11. Architectural Coating (2023) - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Location | TOG | ROG | Nox | co | so2 | PM10E | Pmiod | PM10т | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2t | CH4 | N20 | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Onsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |


| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Off-Road Equipment | $0.24$ | 0.20 | 1.25 | 1.54 | < 0.005 | 0.05 | - | 0.05 | 0.05 | - | 0.05 | - | 178 | 178 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | 179 |
| Architect ural Coatings | - | 24.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite <br> truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.02 | 0.02 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 2.44 | 2.44 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 2.45 |
| Architect ural Coatings | - | 0.33 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Off-Road Equipment | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 0.40 | 0.40 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 0.41 |
| Architect ural Coatings | - | 0.06 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Onsite truck | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Offsite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.35 | 0.00 | 0.00 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 62.4 | 62.4 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.26 | 63.3 |


| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
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| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Average Daily | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.82 | 0.82 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.83 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Worker | < 0.005 | <0.005 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.00 | 0.00 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.14 | 0.14 | <0.005 | <0.005 | < 0.005 | 0.14 |
| Vendor | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Hauling | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

## 4. Operations Emissions Details

### 4.1. Mobile Emissions by Land Use

### 4.1.1. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (Ib/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (Ib/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Land Use | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO 2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | 0.58 | 0.52 | 0.43 | 4.69 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.07 | - | 1,013 | 1,013 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 4.27 | 1,030 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |


| Total | 0.58 | 0.52 | 0.43 | 4.69 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.07 | - | 1,013 | 1,013 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 4.27 | 1,030 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | 0.57 | 0.52 | 0.47 | 4.31 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.07 | - | 969 | 969 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.11 | 984 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Total | 0.57 | 0.52 | 0.47 | 4.31 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.07 | - | 969 | 969 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.11 | 984 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.78 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.06 | 0.06 | $<0.005$ | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 158 | 158 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.30 | 160 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Total | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.78 | $<0.005$ | <0.005 | 0.06 | 0.06 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 158 | 158 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.30 | 160 |

### 4.2. Energy

### 4.2.1. Electricity Emissions By Land Use - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Land Use | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, <br> Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts <br> Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 186 | 186 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 187 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.13 | 2.13 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 2.14 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 188 | 188 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 189 |


| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 186 | 186 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | 187 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.13 | 2.13 | < 0.005 | <0.005 | - | 2.14 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 188 | 188 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 189 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 30.8 | 30.8 | < 0.005 | <0.005 | - | 31.0 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.35 | 0.35 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 0.35 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 31.2 | 31.2 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | 31.3 |

4.2.3. Natural Gas Emissions By Land Use - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Land Use | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO 2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, <br> Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 95.4 | 95.4 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 95.7 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 95.4 | 95.4 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 95.7 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

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| Apartme Mid Rise | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 95.4 | 95.4 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | 95.7 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | 0.08 | 0.03 | < 0.005 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | 0.01 | - | 0.01 | - | 95.4 | 95.4 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 95.7 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | 0.01 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | $<0.005$ | - | 15.8 | 15.8 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | - | 15.8 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | 0.01 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | - | 15.8 | 15.8 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | 15.8 |

### 4.3. Area Emissions by Source

4.3.2. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Source | TOG | Rog | Nox | co | so2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10т | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | Bco2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | СН4 | N2O | R | coze |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Hearths | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.45 | 0.19 | <0.005 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.00 | 569 | 569 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | 569 |
| Consum <br> er <br> Products | - | 0.41 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Architect <br> ural <br> Coatings | - | 0.03 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Landsca <br> pe <br> Equipme <br> nt | 0.17 | 0.16 | 0.02 | 1.69 | < 0.005 | <0.005 | - | <0.005 | <0.005 | - | < 0.005 | - | 4.55 | 4.55 | < 0.005 | <0.005 | - | 4.57 |
| Total | 0.22 | 0.63 | 0.47 | 1.88 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.00 | 573 | 573 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | 574 |


| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hearths | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.45 | 0.19 | < 0.005 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.00 | 569 | 569 | 0.01 | < 0.005 | - | 569 |
| Consum er Products | - | 0.41 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Architect ural Coatings | - | 0.03 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 0.05 | 0.47 | 0.45 | 0.19 | $<0.005$ | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.04 | - | 0.04 | 0.00 | 569 | 569 | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | - | 569 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Hearths | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | 0.01 | $<0.005$ | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 6.45 | 6.45 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | 6.45 |
| Consum er Products | - | 0.07 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Architect ural Coatings | - | 0.01 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Landsca pe Equipme nt | 0.02 | 0.02 | < 0.005 | 0.21 | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | - | 0.52 | 0.52 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | 0.52 |
| Total | 0.02 | 0.10 | 0.01 | 0.21 | < 0.005 | < 0.005 | - | $<0.005$ | $<0.005$ | - | $<0.005$ | 0.00 | 6.96 | 6.96 | < 0.005 | $<0.005$ | - | 6.97 |

### 4.4. Water Emissions by Land Use

4.4.2. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Land Use | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| Daily, <br> Summer <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.14 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 0.22 | 0.01 | - | 23.8 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.35 | 2.41 | 2.77 | 0.04 | $<0.005$ | - | 3.94 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.35 | 2.41 | 2.77 | 0.04 | < 0.005 | - | 3.94 |

### 4.5. Waste Emissions by Land Use

4.5.2. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Land <br> Use | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| Daily, <br> Summer <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| Daily, Winter <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12.0 | 0.00 | 12.0 | 1.20 | 0.00 | - | 41.9 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1.98 | 0.00 | 1.98 | 0.20 | 0.00 | - | 6.94 |
| Parking Lot | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1.98 | 0.00 | 1.98 | 0.20 | 0.00 | - | 6.94 |

### 4.6. Refrigerant Emissions by Land Use

4.6.1. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Land } \\ & \text { Use } \end{aligned}$ | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| Daily, <br> Summer <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.14 | 0.14 |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Apartme nts Mid Rise | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.02 | 0.02 |

### 4.7. Offroad Emissions By Equipment Type

### 4.7.1. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Equipme <br> nt <br> Type | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, <br> Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |


| Daily, <br> Winter <br> (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

### 4.8. Stationary Emissions By Equipment Type

### 4.8.1. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (Ib/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (Ib/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Equipme nt Type | TOG | ROG | NOx | CO | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

### 4.9. User Defined Emissions By Equipment Type

4.9.1. Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Equipme } \\ & \text { nt } \\ & \text { Type } \end{aligned}$ | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, <br> Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

### 4.10. Soil Carbon Accumulation By Vegetation Type

### 4.10.1. Soil Carbon Accumulation By Vegetation Type - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Vegetatio <br> n | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | so2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | co2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

4.10.2. Above and Belowground Carbon Accumulation by Land Use Type - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Land Use | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Daily, Winter (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Annual | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

4.10.3. Avoided and Sequestered Emissions by Species - Unmitigated

Criteria Pollutants (lb/day for daily, ton/yr for annual) and GHGs (lb/day for daily, MT/yr for annual)

| Species | TOG | ROG | NOx | co | SO2 | PM10E | PM10D | PM10T | PM2.5E | PM2.5D | PM2.5T | BCO2 | NBCO2 | CO2T | CH 4 | N2O | R | CO2e |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daily, Summer (Max) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Avoided | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Sequest ered | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Remove d | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |



## 5. Activity Data

### 5.1. Construction Schedule

| Phase Name | Phase Type | Start Date | End Date | Days Per Week | Work Days per Phase | Phase Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demolition | Demolition | 3/1/2023 | 3/15/2023 | 5.00 | 10.0 | 10 |
| Site Preparation | Site Preparation | 3/16/2023 | 3/17/2023 | 5.00 | 1.00 | 1 |


| Grading | Grading | 3/18/2023 | 3/20/2023 | 5.00 | 2.00 | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Building Construction | Building Construction | 3/21/2023 | 8/8/2023 | 5.00 | 100 | 100 |
| Paving | Paving | 8/2/2023 | 8/8/2023 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5 |
| Architectural Coating | Architectural Coating | 8/2/2023 | 8/8/2023 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5 |

### 5.2. Off-Road Equipment

### 5.2.1. Unmitigated

| Phase Name | Equipment Type | Fuel Type | Engine Tier | Number per Day | Hours Per Day | Horsepower | Load Factor |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demolition | Concrete/Industrial Saws | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 33.0 | 0.73 |
| Demolition | Rubber Tired Dozers | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 367 | 0.40 |
| Demolition | Tractors/Loaders/Backh oes | Diesel | Average | 2.00 | 8.00 | 84.0 | 0.37 |
| Site Preparation | Graders | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 148 | 0.41 |
| Site Preparation | Crawler Tractors | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 87.0 | 0.43 |
| Grading | Graders | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 148 | 0.41 |
| Grading | Rubber Tired Dozers | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 367 | 0.40 |
| Grading | Crawler Tractors | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 87.0 | 0.43 |
| Building Construction | Cranes | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 367 | 0.29 |
| Building Construction | Forklifts | Diesel | Average | 2.00 | 8.00 | 82.0 | 0.20 |
| Building Construction | Tractors/Loaders/Backh oes | Diesel | Average | 2.00 | 8.00 | 84.0 | 0.37 |
| Paving | Cement and Mortar Mixers | Diesel | Average | 4.00 | 8.00 | 10.0 | 0.56 |
| Paving | Pavers | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 81.0 | 0.42 |
| Paving | Rollers | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 36.0 | 0.38 |
| Paving | Tractors/Loaders/Backh oes | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 84.0 | 0.37 |


| Architectural Coating | Air Compressors | Diesel | Average | 1.00 | 8.00 | 37.0 | 0.48 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

### 5.3. Construction Vehicles

### 5.3.1. Unmitigated

| Phase Name | Trip Type | One-Way Trips per Day | Miles per Trip | Vehicle Mix |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demolition | - | - | - | - |
| Demolition | Worker | 10.0 | 18.5 | LDA,LDT1,LDT2 |
| Demolition | Vendor | - | 10.2 | HHDT,MHDT |
| Demolition | Hauling | 7.70 | 20.0 | HHDT |
| Demolition | Onsite truck | - | - | HHDT |
| Site Preparation | - | - | - | - |
| Site Preparation | Worker | 5.00 | 18.5 | LDA,LDT1,LDT2 |
| Site Preparation | Vendor | - | 10.2 | HHDT,MHDT |
| Site Preparation | Hauling | 0.00 | 20.0 | HHDT |
| Site Preparation | Onsite truck | - | - | HHDT |
| Grading | - | - | - | - |
| Grading | Worker | 7.50 | 18.5 | LDA,LDT1,LDT2 |
| Grading | Vendor | - | 10.2 | HHDT,MHDT |
| Grading | Hauling | 0.00 | 20.0 | HHDT |
| Grading | Onsite truck | - | - | HHDT |
| Building Construction | - | - | - | - |
| Building Construction | Worker | 21.6 | 18.5 | LDA,LDT1,LDT2 |
| Building Construction | Vendor | 3.21 | 10.2 | HHDT,MHDT |
| Building Construction | Hauling | 0.00 | 20.0 | HHDT |
| Building Construction | Onsite truck | - | - | HHDT |
| Paving | - | - | - | - |

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| Paving | Worker | 17.5 | 18.5 | LDA,LDT1,LDT2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Paving | Vendor | - | 10.2 | HHDT,MHDT |
| Paving | Hauling | 0.00 | 20.0 | HHDT |
| Paving | Onsite truck | - | - | HHDT |
| Architectural Coating | - | - | - | - |
| Architectural Coating | Worker | 4.32 | 18.5 | LDA,LDT1,LDT2 |
| Architectural Coating | Vendor | - | 10.2 | HHDT,MHDT |
| Architectural Coating | Hauling | 0.00 | 20.0 | HHDT |
| Architectural Coating | Onsite truck | - | - | HHDT |

### 5.4. Vehicles

### 5.4.1. Construction Vehicle Control Strategies

Non-applicable. No control strategies activated by user.

### 5.5. Architectural Coatings

| Phase Name | Residential Interior Area Coated (sq ft) | Residential Exterior Area Coated (sq ft) | Non-Residential Interior Area Coated (sq ft) | Non-Residential Exterior Area Coated (sq ft) | Parking Area Coated (sq ft) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Architectural Coating | 38,748 | 12,916 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 77.1 |

### 5.6. Dust Mitigation

### 5.6.1. Construction Earthmoving Activities

| Phase Name | Material Imported (cy) | Material Exported (cy) | Acres Graded (acres) | Material Demolished (Building Square Footage) | Acres Paved (acres) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demolition | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 6,615 | - |
| Site Preparation | - | - | 1.00 | 0.00 | - |
| Grading | - | - | 3.00 | 0.00 | - |
| Paving | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.03 |

5.6.2. Construction Earthmoving Control Strategies


### 5.8. Construction Electricity Consumption and Emissions Factors

kWh per Year and Emission Factor ( $\mathrm{lb} / \mathrm{MWh}$ )

| Year | kWh per Year | CO2 | CH4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2023 | 0.00 | 690 | 0.05 |

### 5.9. Operational Mobile Sources

5.9.1. Unmitigated

| Land Use Type | Trips/Weekday | Trips/Saturday | Trips/Sunday | Trips/Year | VMT/Weekday | VMT/Saturday | VMT/Sunday | VMT/Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartments Mid Rise | 136 | 137 | 113 | 48,555 | 1,200 | 1,208 | 997 | 427,862 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 5.10. Operational Area Sources

5.10.1. Hearths
5.10.1.1. Unmitigated

| Hearth Type | Unmitigated (number) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Apartments Mid Rise | - |
| Wood Fireplaces | 0 |
| Gas Fireplaces | 27 |
| Propane Fireplaces | 0 |
| Electric Fireplaces | 0 |
| No Fireplaces | 3 |

### 5.10.2. Architectural Coatings

| Residential Interior Area Coated (sq ft) | Residential Exterior Area Coated (sq ft) | Non-Residential Interior Area Coated <br> $(\mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft})$ | Non-Residential Exterior Area Coated <br> $(\mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft})$ | Parking Area Coated (sq ft) <br> 38748.375 | 12,916 | 0.00 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

### 5.10.3. Landscape Equipment

| Season | Unit | Value |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Snow Days | day/yr | 0.00 |
| Summer Days | day/yr | 250 |

### 5.11. Operational Energy Consumption

### 5.11.1. Unmitigated

Electricity (kWh/yr) and CO2 and CH4 and N2O and Natural Gas (kBTU/yr)

| Land Use | Electricity (kWh/yr) | CO2 | CH4 | N2O | Natural Gas (kBTU/yr) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartments Mid Rise | 98,505 | 690 | 0.0489 | 0.0069 | 297,761 |
| Parking Lot | 1,125 | 690 | 0.0489 | 0.0069 | 0.00 |

### 5.12. Operational Water and Wastewater Consumption

### 5.12.1. Unmitigated

| Land Use | Indoor Water (gal/year) |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Apartments Mid Rise | $1,118,214$ | Outdoor Water (gal/year) |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 16,490 |

### 5.13. Operational Waste Generation

5.13.1. Unmitigated

| Land Use | Waste (ton/year) | Cogeneration (kWh/year) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Apartments Mid Rise | 7.49 | 0.00 |
| Parking Lot | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 5.14. Operational Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Equipment

### 5.14.1. Unmitigated

| Land Use Type | Equipment Type | Refrigerant | GWP | Quantity (kg) | Operations Leak Rate | Service Leak Rate | Times Serviced |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Apartments Mid Rise | Average room A/C \& Other residential A/C and heat pumps | R-410A | 2,088 | < 0.005 | 2.50 | 2.50 | 10.0 |
| Apartments Mid Rise | Household refrigerators and/or freezers | R-134a | 1,430 | 0.12 | 0.60 | 0.00 | 1.00 |

### 5.15. Operational Off-Road Equipment

5.15.1. Unmitigated

| Equipment Type | Fuel Type | Engine Tier | Number per Day | Hours Per Day | Horsepower | Load Factor |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

### 5.16. Stationary Sources

5.16.1. Emergency Generators and Fire Pumps

| Equipment Type | Fuel Type | Number per Day | Hours per Day | Hours per Year | Horsepower | Load Factor |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

5.16.2. Process Boilers

| Equipment Type | Fuel Type | Number | Boiler Rating (MMBtu/hr) | Daily Heat Input (MMBtu/day) | Annual Heat Input (MMBtu/yr) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

### 5.17. User Defined

| Equipment Type | Fuel Type |
| :--- | :--- |
| - | - |

### 5.18. Vegetation

5.18.1. Land Use Change
5.18.1.1. Unmitigated

| Vegelaion Land Use Type | Vegetaion Soil Type | Finitial Acres Acres |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

5.18.1. Biomass Cover Type
5.18.1.1. Unmitigated

### 5.18.2.1. Unmitigated

## Tree Type <br> 6. Climate Risk Detailed Report

### 6.1. Climate Risk Summary

 emissions will continue to rise strongly through 2050 and then plateau around 2100

| Climate Hazard | Result for Project Location | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Temperature and Extreme Heat | 5.68 | annual days of extreme heat |
| Extreme Precipitation | 5.50 | annual days with precipitation above 20 mm |
| Sea Level Rise | 0.00 | meters of inundation depth |
| Wildfire | 0.00 | annual hectares burned |

Temperature and Extreme Heat data are for grid cell in which your project are located. The projection is based on the 98th historical percentile of daily maximum/minimum temperatures from observed historical data ( 32 climate model ensemble from Cal-Adapt, 2040-2059 average under RCP 8.5). Each grid cell is 6 kilometers (km) by 6 km , or 3.7 miles (mi) by 3.7 mi .
Extreme Precipitation data are for the grid cell in which your project are located. The threshold of 20 mm is equivalent to about $3 / 4$ an inch of rain, which would be light to moderate rainfall if received over a full day or heavy rain if received over a period of 2 to 4 hours. Each grid cell is 6 kilometers (km) by 6 km , or 3.7 miles (mi) by 3.7 mi .
Sea Level Rise data are for the grid cell in which your project are located. The projections are from Radke et al. (2017), as reported in Cal-Adapt (2040-2059 average under RCP 8.5), and consider different increments of sea level rise coupled with extreme storm events. Users may select from four model simulations to view the range in potential inundation depth for the grid cell. The four simulations make different assumptions about expected rainfall and temperature are: Warmer/drier (HadGEM2-ES), Cooler/wetter (CNRM-CM5), Average conditions (CanESM2), Range of different rainfall and temperature possibilities (MIROC5). Each grid cell is 50 meters (m) by 50 m , or about 164 feet (ft) by 164 ft .
Wildfire data are for the grid cell in which your project are located. The projections are from UC Davis, as reported in Cal-Adapt (2040-2059 average under RCP 8.5), and consider historical data of climate, vegetation, population density, and large (> 400 ha ) fire history. Users may select from four model simulations to view the range in potential wildfire probabilities for the grid cell. The four simulations make different assumptions about expected rainfall and temperature are: Warmer/drier (HadGEM2-ES), Cooler/wetter (CNRM-CM5), Average conditions (CanESM2), Range of different rainfall and temperature possibilities (MIROC5). Each grid cell is 6 kilometers (km) by 6 km , or 3.7 miles (mi) by 3.7 mi .

### 6.2. Initial Climate Risk Scores

| Climate Hazard | Exposure Score | Sensitivity Score | Adaptive Capacity Score | Vulnerability Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Temperature and Extreme Heat | 1 | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Extreme Precipitation | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Sea Level Rise | 1 | 0 | 0 | N/A |


| Wildfire | 1 | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Flooding | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Drought | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Snowpack Reduction | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Air Quality Degradation | 0 | 0 | 0 | N/A |

 exposure.
 greatest ability to adapt.


### 6.3. Adjusted Climate Risk Scores

| Climate Hazard | Exposure Score | Sensitivity Score | Adaptive Capacity Score | Vulnerability Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Temperature and Extreme Heat | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Extreme Precipitation | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Sea Level Rise | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Wildfire | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Flooding | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Drought | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Snowpack Reduction | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Air Quality Degradation | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |

 exposure.
 greatest ability to adapt.

6.4. Climate Risk Reduction Measures

## 7. Health and Equity Details

### 7.1. CalEnviroScreen 4.0 Scores

The maximum CalEnviroScreen score is 100. A high score (i.e., greater than 50 ) reflects a higher pollution burden compared to other census tracts in the state.

| Indicator | Result for Project Census Tract |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Exposure Indicators | - |  |
| AQ-Ozone | 50.5 |  |
| AQ-PM | 69.4 |  |
| AQ-DPM | 68.0 |  |
| Drinking Water | 52.7 |  |
| Lead Risk Housing | 60.3 |  |
| Pesticides | 0.00 |  |
| Toxic Releases | 75.8 |  |
| Traffic | 92.3 |  |
| Effect Indicators | - |  |
| CleanUp Sites | 11.8 |  |
| Groundwater | 75.2 |  |
| Haz Waste Facilities/Generators | 62.5 |  |
| Impaired Water Bodies | 0.00 |  |
| Solid Waste | 59.2 |  |
| Sensitive Population | - |  |
| Asthma | 27.1 |  |
| Cardio-vascular | 50.9 |  |
| Low Birth Weights | 51.8 |  |
| Socioeconomic Factor Indicators | - |  |
| Education | 29.7 |  |
| Housing | 17.2 |  |
| Linguistic | 77.8 |  |
| Poverty | - |  |
|  | 42 |  |


| Unemployment | 17.1 |
| :--- | :--- |

### 7.2. Healthy Places Index Scores

The maximum Health Places Index score is 100. A high score (i.e., greater than 50 ) reflects healthier community conditions compared to other census tracts in the state.

| Indicator | Result for Project Census Tract |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Economic | - |
| Above Poverty | 83.52367509 |
| Employed | 92.6344155 |
| Median HI | 85.06351854 |
| Education | - |
| Bachelor's or higher | 94.19992301 |
| High school enrollment | 7.442576671 |
| Preschool enrollment | 95.7141024 |
| Transportation | - |
| Auto Access | 20.53124599 |
| Active commuting | 60.74682407 |
| Social | - |
| 2-parent households | 85.19183883 |
| Voting | 66.58539715 |
| Neighborhood | - |
| Alcohol availability | 41.01116387 |
| Park access | 59.60477351 |
| Retail density | 99.76902348 |
| Supermarket access | 58.09059412 |
| Tree canopy | 75.18285641 |
| Housing | - |
| Homeownership | 50.73784165 |
|  |  |


| Housing habitability | 39.44565636 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Low-inc homeowner severe housing cost burden | 31.93891954 |  |
| Low-inc renter severe housing cost burden | 68.25356089 |  |
| Uncrowded housing | 60.05389452 |  |
| Health Outcomes | - |  |
| Insured adults | 89.88836135 |  |
| Arthritis | 47.0 |  |
| Asthma ER Admissions | 89.9 |  |
| High Blood Pressure | 38.5 |  |
| Cancer (excluding skin) | 12.2 |  |
| Asthma | 91.1 |  |
| Coronary Heart Disease | 54.4 |  |
| Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease | 81.8 |  |
| Diagnosed Diabetes | 84.4 |  |
| Life Expectancy at Birth | 67.7 |  |
| Cognitively Disabled | 28.0 |  |
| Physically Disabled | 13.7 |  |
| Heart Attack ER Admissions | 67.4 |  |
| Mental Health Not Good | 93.4 |  |
| Chronic Kidney Disease | 64.9 |  |
| Obesity | 88.4 |  |
| Pedestrian Injuries | 66.3 |  |
| Physical Health Not Good | 88.1 |  |
| Stroke | 70.4 |  |
| Health Risk Behaviors | -93.7 |  |
| Binge Drinking |  |  |
| Current Smoker |  |  |
|  |  |  |


| No Leisure Time for Physical Activity | 94.0 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Climate Change Exposures | - |
| Wildfire Risk | 0.0 |
| SLR Inundation Area | 0.0 |
| Children | 61.0 |
| Elderly | 21.1 |
| English Speaking | 59.2 |
| Foreign-born | 57.0 |
| Outdoor Workers | 98.2 |
| Climate Change Adaptive Capacity | - |
| Impervious Surface Cover | 32.9 |
| Traffic Density | 94.4 |
| Traffic Access | 87.4 |
| Other Indices | - |
| Hardship | 13.5 |
| Other Decision Support | - |
| 2016 Voting | 30.4 |

### 7.3. Overall Health \& Equity Scores

| Metric | Result for Project Census Tract |
| :--- | :--- |
| CalEnviroScreen 4.0 Score for Project Location (a) | 52.0 |
| Healthy Places Index Score for Project Location (b) | 88.0 |
| Project Located in a Designated Disadvantaged Community (Senate Bill 535) | No |
| Project Located in a Low-Income Community (Assembly Bill 1550) | No |
| Project Located in a Community Air Protection Program Community (Assembly Bill 617) | No |

a: The maximum CalEnviroScreen score is 100. A high score (i.e., greater than 50 ) reflects a higher pollution burden compared to other census tracts in the state.
b: The maximum Health Places Index score is 100 . A high score (i.e., greater than 50 ) reflects healthier community conditions compared to other census tracts in the state.

### 7.4. Health \& Equity Measures

## No Health \& Equity Measures selected.

### 7.5. Evaluation Scorecard

## Health \& Equity Evaluation Scorecard not completed.

### 7.6. Health \& Equity Custom Measures

## No Health \& Equity Custom Measures created.

## 8. User Changes to Default Data

| Screen | Justification |
| :--- | :--- |
| Land Use | Taken from site plan. |
| Construction: Off-Road Equipment | T/L/B replaced with Crawler Tractor to accurately calculate disturbance for Site Preparation and <br> Grading phases. <br> Standard 8 hour working day. |
| Operations: Vehicle Data | Trip characteristics based on information from ITE. |
| Operations: Hearths | SCAQMD Rule 445 no wood burning devices. Wood burning devices added to gas devices. |
| Construction: Construction Phases | Building, Paving, and Architectural Coating overlap to present a conservative analysis. |

## ATTACHMENT B <br> EMFAC2021

Region: Los Angeles (SC
Calendar Year: 2023
Season: Annual
Vehicle Classification: EMFAC2007 Categories
Units: miles/day for CVMT and EVMT, trips/day for Trips, kWh/day for Energy Consumption, tons/day for Emissions, 1000 gallons/day for Fuel Consumption

| Region | endar \hicle Categc | Model Year | Speed | Fuel | Population | Total VMT | Fuel_Consumption | Fuel_Consumption | Total Fuel | VmT | Total VMT | Miles per Gallon | Vehicle Class |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 HHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 52.44057302 | 3231.284725 | 0.817685124 | 817.6851245 | 1150708.95 | 3231.284725 | 6848031.632 | 5.95 | HHDT |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 HHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 50357.2616 | 6491636.944 | 1088.941632 | 1088941.632 |  | 6491636.944 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 HHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 39.63669411 | 2558.522067 | 0 | 0 |  | 2558.522067 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 HHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Natural Gas | 5415.869699 | 350604.881 | 60.94963363 | 60949.63363 |  | 350604.881 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDA | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 3363325.814 | 133132108 | 4688.007701 | 4688007.701 | 4768519.72 | 133132108 | 144363168.6 | 30.27 | LDA |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDA | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 9465.936918 | 279606.0153 | 7.064261604 | 7064.261604 |  | 279606.0153 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDA | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 149786.3595 | 6967760.765 | 0 | 0 |  | 6967760.765 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDA | Aggregate | Aggregate | Plug-in Hybric | 84855.73206 | 3983693.819 | 73.44775691 | 73447.75691 |  | 3983693.819 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT1 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 316618.4734 | 11498860.94 | 484.4224711 | 484422.4711 | 484804.7214 | 11498860.94 | 11544356.08 | 23.81 | LDT1 |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT1 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 130.6972397 | 2649.862279 | 0.115446626 | 115.4466257 |  | 2649.862279 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT1 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 737.9430578 | 27045.91094 | 0 | 0 |  | 27045.91094 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT1 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Plug-in Hybric | 305.3619056 | 15799.36792 | 0.266803592 | 266.8035922 |  | 15799.36792 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT2 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 1534013.272 | 63204640.7 | 2737.584197 | 2737584.197 | 2754064.351 | 63204640.7 | 64239939.88 | 23.33 | LDT2 |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT2 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 4672.025415 | 203904.1794 | 6.6400753 | 6640.0753 |  | 203904.1794 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT2 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 7316.504913 | 271839.3938 | 0 | 0 |  | 271839.3938 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LDT2 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Plug-in Hybric | 11176.08817 | 559555.6037 | 9.840078762 | 9840.078762 |  | 559555.6037 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LHDT1 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 123582.2629 | 4875651.462 | 371.233764 | 371233.764 | 485349.2734 | 4875651.462 | 7185536.732 | 14.80 | LHDT1 |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LHDT1 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 52370.85258 | 2309885.271 | 114.1155095 | 114115.5095 |  | 2309885.271 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LHDT2 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 18992.20879 | 707424.2091 | 61.52516871 | 61525.16871 | 121294.4754 | 707424.2091 | 1724518.347 | 14.22 | LHDT2 |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 LHDT2 | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 23383.97043 | 1017094.138 | 59.76930672 | 59769.30672 |  | 1017094.138 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MCY | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 143314.4155 | 942493.4885 | 23.0171675 | 23017.1675 | 23017.1675 | 942493.4885 | 942493.4885 | 40.95 | MCY |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MDV | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 930000.0312 | 35296866.04 | 1876.436347 | 1876436.347 | 1899685.574 | 35296866.04 | 36287658.57 | 19.10 | MDV |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MDV | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 10587.09868 | 417108.5847 | 18.09042921 | 18090.42921 |  | 417108.5847 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MDV | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 7870.579333 | 292645.8028 | 0 | 0 |  | 292645.8028 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MDV | Aggregate | Aggregate | Plug-in Hybric | 6232.488765 | 281038.1518 | 5.15879783 | 5158.79783 |  | 281038.1518 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MH | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 15543.05122 | 150959.242 | 31.21883005 | 31218.83005 | 36654.06903 | 150959.242 | 205080.7056 | 5.60 | MH |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MH | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 5175.528798 | 54121.46359 | 5.43523898 | 5435.23898 |  | 54121.46359 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 15094.86549 | 818409.0416 | 160.6355235 | 160635.5235 | 445539.4114 | 818409.0416 | 3341721.571 | 7.50 | MHDT |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 58440.26148 | 2482452.845 | 279.9263592 | 279926.3592 |  | 2482452.845 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 27.28254751 | 586.3876593 | 0 | 0 |  | 586.3876593 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 MHDT | Aggregate | Aggregate | Natural Gas | 827.5429567 | 40273.29738 | 4.977528644 | 4977.528644 |  | 40273.29738 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 OBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 3808.788003 | 153201.689 | 30.6795829 | 30679.5829 | 57181.99164 | 153201.689 | 339364.9385 | 5.93 | obus |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 OBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 2064.030181 | 166622.2233 | 24.23158559 | 24231.58559 |  | 166622.2233 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 OBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Natural Gas | 319.8885181 | 19541.02621 | 2.270823151 | 2270.823151 |  | 19541.02621 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 SBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 1333.830023 | 59008.65529 | 6.626552175 | 6626.552175 | 19862.29055 | 59008.65529 | 128377.3642 | 6.46 | SBUS |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 SBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 1641.865076 | 33210.41415 | 4.550703273 | 4550.703273 |  | 33210.41415 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 SBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 1.644084418 | 19.09632517 | 0 | 0 |  | 19.09632517 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 SBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Natural Gas | 1447.068317 | 36139.19841 | 8.685035105 | 8685.035105 |  | 36139.19841 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 UBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Gasoline | 438.7257597 | 31153.4128 | 6.805144169 | 6805.144169 | 144152.2499 | 31153.4128 | 452461.5787 | 3.14 | UBUS |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 UBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Diesel | 9.742965344 | 1269.074735 | 0.216797099 | 216.7970986 |  | 1269.074735 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 UBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Electricity | 53.5307883 | 2415.769471 | 0 | 0 |  | 2415.769471 |  |  |  |
| Los Angeles (SC) | 2023 UBUS | Aggregate | Aggregate | Natural Gas | 3880.598718 | 417623.3217 | 137.1303086 | 137130.3086 |  | 417623.3217 |  |  |  |

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## LIST OF ABBREVIATED TERMS

(1)

ADT
ANSI
Calveno
CEQA
CNEL
dBA

## EPA

FHWA
FTA
INCE
Leq
$L_{\text {max }}$

$$
\mathrm{L}_{\min }
$$

mph
NIOSH
OSHA
PPV
Project
REMEL
VdB

## Reference

Average Daily Traffic
American National Standards Institute
California Vehicle Noise
California Environmental Quality Act
Community Noise Equivalent Level
A-weighted decibels
Environmental Protection Agency
Federal Highway Administration
Federal Transit Administration
Institute of Noise Control Engineering
Equivalent continuous (average) sound level
Maximum level measured over the time interval
Minimum level measured over the time interval
Miles per hour
National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Peak Particle Velocity
Pico Housing Project
Reference Energy Mean Emission Level
Vibration Decibels

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Urban Crossroads, Inc. has prepared this noise study to determine the potential noise impacts for the proposed Pico Housing Project ("Project"). The Project site is located at 10944 West Pico Boulevard in the City of Los Angeles and within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan. The Project is proposed to consist of a five-story, 30-unit residential dwelling unit residential building.

The results of this Pico Housing Project Noise Impact Analysis are summarized below based on the significance criteria in Section 4 of this report consistent with Appendix G of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines. (1). Table ES-1 shows the findings of significance for each potential noise and/or vibration impact under CEQA. All impacts are considered less than significant.

TABLE ES-1: SUMMARY OF CEQA SIGNIFICANCE FINDINGS

| Analysis | Report <br> Section | Significance Findings |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Off-Site Traffic Noise | 6 | Less Than Significant |
| Operational Noise | 8 | Less Than Significant |
| Construction Noise | 9 | Less Than Significant |
| Construction Vibration |  | Less Than Significant |

## Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan Construction Noise Abatement and Control

The Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan includes mandatory environmental standards with which the Project must comply. As related to noise, these include:

- Haul Routes. Construction haul truck and materials delivery traffic shall avoid residential areas whenever feasible. If no alternatives are available, truck traffic shall be routed on streets with the fewest residences.
- Construction Staging Areas. The construction contractor shall locate construction staging areas away from Sensitive Land Uses.
- Construction Noise Barriers. When construction activities are located within 500 feet of Sensitive Land Uses, noise barriers (e.g., temporary walls or piles of excavated material) shall be constructed between activities and Sensitive Land Uses. During the demolition, site preparation and grading/excavation phases of Project construction, the contractor shall install a temporary 8 -foot noise control barrier at the southwestern Project site boundary and a temporary 16 -foot noise control barrier at the southeastern Project site boundary for the duration of the activities, as shown on Exhibit ES-A. During the building construction, paving, and architectural coating phases of Project construction, the contractor shall install a temporary 8 -foot noise control barrier at the southeastern Project site boundary for the duration of the activities, as shown on Exhibit ES-B. The noise control barrier shall include the following:
o The noise control barrier must present a solid face from top to bottom.

0 The noise control barrier shall be maintained, and any damage promptly repaired. Gaps, holes, or weaknesses in the barrier or openings between the barrier and the ground shall be promptly repaired.

0 The temporary noise control barrier shall be constructed using an acoustical blanket (e.g. vinyl acoustic curtains, quilted blankets, or equivalent) with no decorative cutouts or line-of-sight openings between shielded areas and the noise source.
o The temporary noise control barrier shall be attached to the construction site perimeter fence or equivalent temporary fence posts.

- Vibrations. The construction contractor shall manage construction phasing (scheduling demolition, earthmoving, and ground-impacting operations so as not to occur in the same time period), use low-impact construction technologies, and shall avoid the use of vibrating equipment where possible to avoid construction vibration impacts.

As shown in the subsequent analysis, shows that the Project-related construction noise level increases will satisfy the L.A. CEQA Thresholds Guide 5 dBA noise level increase significance criteria. Therefore, the incremental Project construction noise level increase is considered less than significant at all receiver locations.

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Exhibit ES-A: Summary of Recommendations for Demolition, Site Preparation, and Grading Activities


Exhibit ES-B: Summary of Recommendations for Building Construction, Paving, and Architectural Coating Activities


## 1 INTRODUCTION

This noise analysis has been completed to determine the noise impacts associated with the development of the proposed Pico Housing Project ("Project"). This noise study describes the proposed Project, provides information regarding noise fundamentals, outlines the local regulatory setting, provides the study methods and procedures for traffic noise analysis, and evaluates the future exterior noise environment. In addition, this study includes an analysis of the potential Project-related long-term operational noise and short-term construction noise impacts.

### 1.1 Site Location

The proposed Project is located at 10944-10948 West Pico Boulevard between Veteran Avenue and Kelton Avenue, in the City of Los Angeles, as shown on Exhibit 1-A. The Project is also located within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan. The Project site is located approximately 2,350 feet east of Interstate 405 (I-400), 2,500 feet north of Interstate 10 (I-10), and 4,300 feet south of Highway 101. Los Angeles International Airport is located approximately 6 miles to the southwest.

### 1.2 Project Description

The Project proposes to construct a multiple-family residential building with 30 residential dwelling units, as shown on Exhibit 1-B. The Project would include a gym and lobby, as well as 16 stacked parking spaces within a five-story structure. Primary noise sources associated with operation of the Project include heat pump air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings. During construction the Project will comply with the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan, which includes mandatory environmental standards with which the Project must comply. As related to noise, these include:

- Haul Routes. Construction haul truck and materials delivery traffic shall avoid residential areas whenever feasible. If no alternatives are available, truck traffic shall be routed on streets with the fewest residences.
- Construction Staging Areas. The construction contractor shall locate construction staging areas away from Sensitive Land Uses.
- Construction Noise Barriers. When construction activities are located within 500 feet of Sensitive Land Uses, noise barriers (e.g., temporary walls or piles of excavated material) shall be constructed between activities and Sensitive Land Uses. During the demolition, site preparation and grading/excavation phases of Project construction, the contractor shall install a temporary 8 -foot noise control barrier at the southwestern Project site boundary and a temporary 16 -foot noise control barrier at the southeastern Project site boundary for the duration of the activities, as shown on Exhibit ES-A. During the building construction, paving, and architectural coating phases of Project construction, the contractor shall install a temporary 8 -foot noise control barrier at the southeastern Project site boundary for the duration of the activities, as shown on Exhibit ES-B. The noise control barrier shall include the following:
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- Vibrations. The construction contractor shall manage construction phasing (scheduling demolition, earthmoving, and ground-impacting operations so as not to occur in the same time period), use low-impact construction technologies, and shall avoid the use of vibrating equipment where possible to avoid construction vibration impacts.

Exhibit 1-A: Location Map


## Exhibit 1-B: Site Plan


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## 2 FUNDAMENTALS

Noise is simply defined as "unwanted sound." Sound becomes unwanted when it interferes with normal activities, when it causes actual physical harm or when it has adverse effects on health. Noise is measured on a logarithmic scale of sound pressure level known as a decibel (dB). Aweighted decibels ( dBA ) approximate the subjective response of the human ear to broad frequency noise source by discriminating against very low and very high frequencies of the audible spectrum. They are adjusted to reflect only those frequencies which are audible to the human ear. Exhibit 2-A presents a summary of the typical noise levels and their subjective loudness and effects that are described in more detail below.

Exhibit 2-A: Typical Noise Levels

| COMMON OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES | COMMON INDOOR ACTIVITIES | A - WEIGHTED SOUND LEVEL dBA | SUBJECTIVE LOUDNESS | EFFECTS OF NOISE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| THRESHOLD OF PAIN |  | 140 | INTDEERABLEOR DEAFENINTI | HEARENG LIVY |
| NEAR JET ENGINE |  | 130 |  |  |
|  |  | 120 |  |  |
| JET FLY-OVER AT 300 m ( 1000 ft ) | ROCK BAND | 110 |  |  |
| LOUD AUTO HORN |  | 100 | VERY NOISY |  |
| GAS LAWN MOWER AT 1m (3 ft) |  | 90 |  |  |
| DIESEL TRUCK AT 15 m ( 50 ft ), at $80 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{hr}$ ( 50 mph ) | FOOD BLENDER AT 1m (3 ft) | 80 |  | SPEECH INTERFERENCE |
| NOISY URBAN AREA, DAYTIME | VACUUM CLEANER AT 3 m ( 10 ft ) | 70 | LOUD |  |
| HEAVY TRAFFIC AT 90 m ( 300 ft ) | NORMAL SPEECH AT 1 m (3 ft ) | 60 |  |  |
| QUIET URBAN DAYTIME | LARGE BUSINESS OFFICE | 50 | MODERATE |  |
| QUIET URBAN NIGHTTIME | THEATER, LARGE CONFERENCE ROOM (BACKGROUND) | 40 |  | SLEEP DISTURBANCE |
| QUIET SUBURBAN NIGHTTIME | LIBRARY | 30 | FAINT | NO EFFECT |
| QUIET RURAL NIGHTTIME | BEDROOM AT NIGHT, CONCERT HALL (BACKGROUND) | 20 |  |  |
|  | BROADCAST/RECORDING STUDIO | 10 | VERY FAINT |  |
| LOWEST THRESHOLD OF HUMAN HEARING | LOWEST THRESHOLD OF HUMAN HEARING | 0 |  |  |

### 2.1 Range of Noise

Since the range of intensities that the human ear can detect is so large, the scale frequently used to measure intensity is a scale based on multiples of 10 , the logarithmic scale. The scale for measuring intensity is the decibel scale. Each interval of 10 decibels indicates a sound energy ten times greater than before, which is perceived by the human ear as being roughly twice as loud. (2) The most common sounds vary between 40 dBA (very quiet) to 100 dBA (very loud). Normal conversation at three feet is roughly at 60 dBA , while loud jet engine noises equate to 110 dBA at approximately 100 feet, which can cause serious discomfort. (3) Another important aspect of noise is the duration of the sound and the way it is described and distributed in time.

### 2.2 Noise Descriptors

Environmental noise descriptors are generally based on averages, rather than instantaneous, noise levels. The most used figure is the equivalent level (Leq). Equivalent sound levels are not measured directly but are calculated from sound pressure levels typically measured in Aweighted decibels (dBA). The equivalent sound level (Leq) represents a steady state sound level containing the same total energy as a time varying signal over a given sample period (typically one hour) and is commonly used to describe the "average" noise levels within the environment.

To describe the time-varying character of environmental noise, the statistical or percentile noise descriptors $\mathrm{L}_{50}, \mathrm{~L}_{25}, \mathrm{~L}_{8}$ and $\mathrm{L}_{2}$, are commonly used. The percentile noise descriptors are the noise levels equaled or exceeded during 50 percent, 25 percent, 8 percent and 2 percent of a stated time. Sound levels associated with the $L_{2}$ and $L_{8}$ typically describe transient or short-term events, while levels associated with the $L_{50}$ describe the steady state (or median) noise conditions. The relies on the percentile noise levels to describe the stationary source noise level limits. While the $\mathrm{L}_{50}$ describes the noise levels occurring 50 percent of the time, the Leq accounts for the total energy (average) observed for the entire hour.

Peak hour or average noise levels, while useful, do not completely describe a given noise environment. Noise levels lower than peak hour may be disturbing if they occur during times when quiet is most desirable, namely evening and nighttime (sleeping) hours. To account for this, the Community Noise Equivalent Level (CNEL), representing a composite 24-hour noise level is utilized. The CNEL is the weighted average of the intensity of a sound, with corrections for time of day, and averaged over 24 hours. The time-of-day corrections require the addition of 5 decibels to dBA Leq sound levels in the evening from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., and the addition of 10 decibels to dBA Leq sound levels at night between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. These additions are made to account for the noise sensitive time periods during the evening and night hours when sound appears louder. CNEL does not represent the actual sound level heard at any time, but rather represents the total sound exposure. The City of Los Angeles relies on the 24 -hour CNEL level to assess land use compatibility with transportation related noise sources.

### 2.3 Sound Propagation

When sound propagates over a distance, it changes in level and frequency content. The way noise reduces with distance depends on the following factors.

### 2.3.1 Geometric Spreading

Sound from a localized source (i.e., a stationary point source) propagates uniformly outward in a spherical pattern. The sound level attenuates (or decreases) at a rate of 6 dB for each doubling of distance from a point source. Highways consist of several localized noise sources on a defined path and hence can be treated as a line source, which approximates the effect of several point sources. Noise from a line source propagates outward in a cylindrical pattern, often referred to as cylindrical spreading. Sound levels attenuate at a rate of 3 dB for each doubling of distance from a line source. (2)

### 2.3.2 Ground Absorption

The propagation path of noise from a highway to a receiver is usually very close to the ground. Noise attenuation from ground absorption and reflective wave canceling adds to the attenuation associated with geometric spreading. Traditionally, the excess attenuation has also been expressed in terms of attenuation per doubling of distance. This approximation is usually sufficiently accurate for distances of less than 200 ft . For acoustically hard sites (i.e., sites with a reflective surface between the source and the receiver, such as a parking lot or body of water), no excess ground attenuation is assumed. For acoustically absorptive or soft sites (i.e., those sites with an absorptive ground surface between the source and the receiver such as soft dirt, grass, or scattered bushes and trees), an excess ground attenuation value of 1.5 dB per doubling of distance is normally assumed. When added to the cylindrical spreading, the excess ground attenuation results in an overall drop-off rate of 4.5 dB per doubling of distance from a line source. (4)

### 2.3.3 ATMOSPHERIC EfFECTS

Receivers located downwind from a source can be exposed to increased noise levels relative to calm conditions, whereas locations upwind can have lowered noise levels. Sound levels can be increased at large distances (e.g., more than 500 feet) due to atmospheric temperature inversion (i.e., increasing temperature with elevation). Other factors such as air temperature, humidity, and turbulence can also have significant effects. (2)

### 2.3.4 Shielding

A large object or barrier in the path between a noise source and a receiver can substantially attenuate noise levels at the receiver. The amount of attenuation provided by shielding depends on the size of the object and the frequency content of the noise source. Shielding by trees and other such vegetation typically only has an "out of sight, out of mind" effect. That is, the perception of noise impact tends to decrease when vegetation blocks the line-of-sight to nearest residents. However, for vegetation to provide a substantial, or even noticeable, noise reduction, the vegetation area must be at least 15 feet in height, 100 feet wide and dense enough to completely obstruct the line-of sight between the source and the receiver. This size of vegetation may provide up to 5 dBA of noise reduction. The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) does not consider the planting of vegetation to be a noise abatement measure. (4)

### 2.3.5 Reflection

Field studies conducted by the FHWA have shown that the reflection from barriers and buildings does not substantially increase noise levels. (4) If all the noise striking a structure was reflected back to a given receiving point, the increase would be theoretically limited to 3 dBA . Further, not all the acoustical energy is reflected back to same point. Some of the energy would go over the structure, some is reflected to points other than the given receiving point, some is scattered by ground coverings (e.g., grass and other plants), and some is blocked by intervening structures and/or obstacles (e.g., the noise source itself). Additionally, some of the reflected energy is lost due to the longer path that the noise must travel. FHWA measurements made to quantify
reflective increases in traffic noise have not shown an increase of greater than 1-2 dBA; an increase that is not perceptible to the average human ear.

### 2.4 Noise Control

Noise control is the process of obtaining an acceptable noise environment for an observation point or receiver by controlling the noise source, transmission path, receiver, or all three. This concept is known as the source-path-receiver concept. In general, noise control measures can be applied to these three elements.

### 2.5 Noise Barrier Attenuation

Effective noise barriers can reduce noise levels by up to 10 to 15 dBA , cutting the loudness of traffic noise in half. A noise barrier is most effective when placed close to the noise source or receiver. Noise barriers, however, do have limitations. For a noise barrier to work, it must be high enough and long enough to block the path of the noise source. (4)

### 2.6 Land Use Compatibility With Noise

Some land uses are more tolerant of noise than others. For example, schools, hospitals, churches, and residences are more sensitive to noise intrusion than are commercial or industrial developments and related activities. As ambient noise levels affect the perceived amenity or livability of a development, so too can the mismanagement of noise impacts impair the economic health and growth potential of a community by reducing the area's desirability as a place to live, shop and work. For this reason, land use compatibility with the noise environment is an important consideration in the planning and design process. The FHWA encourages State and Local government to regulate land development in such a way that noise-sensitive land uses are either prohibited from being located adjacent to a highway, or that the developments are planned, designed, and constructed in such a way that noise impacts are minimized. (5)

### 2.7 COMMUNITY ReSPONSE TO NOISE

Community responses to noise may range from registering a complaint by telephone or letter, to initiating court action, depending upon everyone's susceptibility to noise and personal attitudes about noise. Several factors are related to the level of community annoyance including:

- Fear associated with noise producing activities;
- Socio-economic status and educational level;
- Perception that those affected are being unfairly treated;
- Attitudes regarding the usefulness of the noise-producing activity;
- Belief that the noise source can be controlled.

Approximately ten percent of the population has a very low tolerance for noise and will object to any noise not of their making. Consequently, even in the quietest environment, some complaints will occur. Twenty-five percent of the population will not complain even in very severe noise environments. Thus, a variety of reactions can be expected from people exposed to any given noise environment. (6) Surveys have shown that about ten percent of the people exposed to

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traffic noise of 60 dBA will report being highly annoyed with the noise, and each increase of one dBA is associated with approximately two percent more people being highly annoyed. When traffic noise exceeds 60 dBA or aircraft noise exceeds 55 dBA , people may begin to complain. (6) Despite this variability in behavior on an individual level, the population can be expected to exhibit the following responses to changes in noise levels as shown on Exhibit 2-B. A change of 3 dBA are considered barely perceptible, and changes of 5 dBA are considered readily perceptible.
(4)

Exhibit 2-B: Noise Level Increase Perception


### 2.8 Vibration

As defined in the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual (7) and the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) Transportation and Construction Vibration Guidance Manual (8), vibration is the periodic oscillation of a medium or object. The rumbling sound caused by the vibration of room surfaces is called structure-borne noise. Sources of ground-borne vibrations include natural phenomena (e.g., earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, sea waves, landslides) or human-generated sources (e.g., explosions, machinery, traffic, trains, construction equipment). Vibration sources may be continuous, such as factory machinery, or transient, such as explosions or train pass-byes. As is the case with airborne sound, ground-borne vibrations may be described by amplitude and frequency. Groundborne vibration is primarily a concern inside structures, and is almost never a problem outside of structures (7)(8). Additionally, ground-borne vibration generated by manmade activities typically attenuates rapidly with distance from the source of the vibration. Sensitive receivers for vibration include older stone, adobe, and masonry structures, places where people reside (especially residents, the elderly, and sick), and vibration-sensitive equipment and/or activities.

There are several different methods that are used to quantify vibrations. The peak particle velocity (PPV) in inches per second (in/sec) is the most common and is defined as the maximum instantaneous peak of the vibration signal. The PPV is the was developed primarily to describe vibration impacts to buildings and is not always the most suitable for evaluating human response to vibration because it takes some time for the human body to respond to vibration signals. Instead, the human body responds to average vibration amplitude often described as the root mean square (RMS) amplitude in in/sec. The RMS amplitude is defined as the average of the squared amplitude of the signal and may be more appropriate for describing the effect of

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vibration on the human body. However, the RMS amplitude and PPV are related mathematically, and the RMS amplitude can be calculated from the PPV. The RMS amplitude is approximately $70 \%$ of the PPV (8).

While not universally accepted, vibration decibel notation (VdB) is used by the FTA in their guidance manual to describe vibration levels and provide a background of common vibration levels (9). As stated in the FTA guidance manual, the background vibration-velocity level in residential areas is generally 50 VdB . Ground-borne vibration is normally perceptible to humans at approximately 65 VdB . For most people, a vibration-velocity level of 75 VdB is the approximate dividing line between barely perceptible and distinctly perceptible levels. Typical outdoor sources of perceptible ground-borne vibration are construction equipment, steel-wheeled trains, and traffic on rough roads. If a roadway is smooth, the ground-borne vibration is rarely perceptible. The range of interest is from approximately 50 VdB , which is the typical background vibration-velocity level, to 100 VdB , which is the general threshold where minor damage can occur in fragile buildings. Exhibit 2-C illustrates common vibration sources and the human and structural response to ground-borne vibration.

Exhibit 2-C: Typical Levels of Ground-Borne Vibration

| Human/Structural Response |  |
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Source: Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual.

## 3 REGULATORY SETTING

To limit population exposure to physically and/or psychologically damaging as well as intrusive noise levels, the federal government, the State of California, various county governments, and most municipalities in the state have established standards and ordinances to control noise. In most areas, automobile and truck traffic is the major source of environmental noise. Traffic activity generally produces an average sound level that remains constant with time. Air and rail traffic, and commercial and industrial activities are also major sources of noise in some areas. Federal, state, and local agencies regulate different aspects of environmental noise. Federal and state agencies generally set noise standards for mobile sources such as aircraft and motor vehicles, while regulation of stationary sources is left to local agencies.

### 3.1 State of Callfornia Noise Requirements

The State of California regulates freeway noise, sets standards for sound transmission, provides occupational noise control criteria, identifies noise standards, and provides guidance for local land use compatibility. State law requires that each county and city adopt a General Plan that includes a Noise Element which is to be prepared per guidelines adopted by the Governor's Office of Planning and Research (OPR). (10) The purpose of the Noise Element is to limit the exposure of the community to excessive noise levels. In addition, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requires that all known environmental effects of a project be analyzed, including environmental noise impacts.

### 3.2 State of Callfornia Building Code

The State of California's noise insulation standards are codified in the California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Building Standards Administrative Code, Part 2, and the California Building Code. These noise standards are applied to new construction in California for controlling interior noise levels resulting from exterior noise sources. The regulations specify that acoustical studies must be prepared when noise-sensitive structures, such as residential buildings, schools, or hospitals, are developed near major transportation noise sources, and where such noise sources create an exterior noise level of 60 dBA CNEL or higher. Acoustical studies that accompany building plans for noise-sensitive land uses must demonstrate that the structure has been designed to limit interior noise in habitable rooms to acceptable noise levels. For new residential buildings, schools, and hospitals, the acceptable interior noise limit for new construction is 45 dBA CNEL. Title 24 standards are typically enforced by local jurisdictions through the building permit application process.

### 3.3 City of Los Angeles General Plan Noise Element

The City of Los Angeles has adopted a Noise Element of the General Plan to identify goals, objectives, and policies for managing noise issues within the City. (11) The following goal and objectives are identified in the General Plan Noise Element:

Goal A city where noise does not reduce the quality of urban life.
Objective 1 Reduce airport and harbor related noise impacts.

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\text { Objective } 2 & \begin{array}{l}
\text { Reduce or eliminate nonairport related intrusive noise, especially relative to noise } \\
\text { sensitive uses. }
\end{array} \\
\text { Objective } 3 & \begin{array}{l}
\text { Reduce or eliminate noise impacts associated with proposed development of land } \\
\text { and changes in land use. }
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Exhibit I of the City of Los Angeles General Plan Noise Element identifies Guidelines for Noise Compatible Land Use to evaluate the potential impacts of transportation-related noise. Multifamily residential land use, such as the Project, is considered conditionally acceptable with unmitigated exterior noise levels of less than 65 dBA CNEL. For conditionally acceptable exterior noise levels, new construction or development only after a detailed analysis of noise mitigation is made and needed noise insulation features are included in project design. Conventional construction, but with closed windows and fresh air supply systems or air conditioning normally will suffice. (11)

### 3.4 City of Los Angeles Operational Noise Standards

To analyze noise impacts originating from a designated fixed location or private property such as Pico Housing Project, stationary-source (operational) noise such as the expected heat pump air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings are typically evaluated against standards established under a jurisdiction's Municipal Code or General Plan.

The City of Los Angeles Municipal Code, Chapter XI Noise Regulation, has set exterior noise limits to control community noise impacts from non-transportation noise sources (such as airconditioning units, refrigeration, heating, pumping, and filtering equipment). Section 112.02 indicates that stationary noise sources shall not operate in such a manner as to cause the noise level at any sensitive use to exceed the existing ambient noise level by 5 dBA . (12) The City of Los Angeles Municipal Code, Chapter XI, is provided in Appendix 3.1.

### 3.5 City of Los Angeles Construction Noise Standards

Section 112.05 of the City's Municipal Code identifies exterior noise level limits for construction equipment and states: in any residential zone or within 500 feet thereof, no person shall operate or cause to be operated any powered equipment or powered hand tool that produces a maximum noise level exceeding the following noise limits at a distance of 50 feet therefrom: (12)

- $75 \mathrm{~dB}(A)$ for construction, industrial, and agricultural machinery including crawler-tractors, dozers, rotary drills and augers, loaders, power shovels, cranes, derricks, motor graders, paving machines, off-highway trucks, ditchers, trenchers, compactors, scrapers, wagons, pavement breakers, compressors and pneumatic or other powered equipment.

Therefore, for the purpose of this noise study, the City of Los Angeles Municipal Code 75 dBA Leq threshold is used to determine potential Project-related construction noise level impacts at nearby sensitive receiver locations.

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### 3.6 City of Los Angeles Construction Vibration Standards

Construction activity can result in varying degrees of ground-borne vibration, depending on the equipment and methods used, distance to the affected structures and soil type. Construction vibration is generally associated with pile driving and rock blasting. Other construction equipment such as air compressors, light trucks, hydraulic loaders, etc., generates little or no ground vibration. (13)

To analyze vibration impacts originating from the operation and construction of the Pico Housing Project, vibration-generating activities are appropriately evaluated against standards established under a City's Municipal Code, if such standards exist. However, the City of Los Angeles does not identify specific vibration level limits. Therefore, for analysis purposes, the Caltrans Transportation and Construction Vibration Guidance Manual, (14 p. 38) Table 19, vibration damage are used in this noise study to assess potential temporary construction-related impacts at adjacent building locations.

The construction vibration damage potential criteria include consideration of the building conditions. ( 3 p .182 ) Table 3-1 describes the maximum acceptable transient and continuous vibration building damage potential levels by structure type and condition. The existing buildings adjacent to the Project site can best be described as "older residential structures" with a maximum acceptable continuous vibration threshold of 0.3 PPV (in/sec).

TABLE 3-1: BUILDING DAMAGE VIBRATION CRITERIA

| Structure and Condition | Maximum Transient <br> Vibration Levels PPV (in/sec) | Maximum Continuous <br> Vibration Levels PPV (in/sec) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Extremely fragile historic buildings | 0.12 | 0.08 |
| Fragile buildings | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Historic and some old buildings | 0.5 | 0.25 |
| Older residential structures | 0.5 | 0.3 |
| New residential structures | 1.0 | 0.5 |
| Modern industrial/commercial buildings | 2.0 | 0.5 |

Caltrans Transportation and Construction Vibration Guidance Manual, April 2020, Tables 19, p. 38.

### 3.7 City of Los Angeles Thresholds of Significance

In 2006, the City of Los Angeles adopted the L.A. CEQA Thresholds Guide that outlines significance thresholds to assist in determining whether a project's impacts would be presumed to be significant under normal circumstances. According to Section I of the CEQA Thresholds Guide, a project would normally have a significant impact on noise levels from construction if:

- Construction activities lasting more than one day would exceed existing ambient exterior noise levels by 10 dBA or more at a noise sensitive use;
- Construction activities lasting more than 10 days in a three-month period would exceed existing ambient exterior noise levels by 5 dBA or more at a noise sensitive use; or
- Construction activities would exceed the ambient noise level by 5 dBA at a noise sensitive use between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. Monday through Friday, before 8:00 a.m. or after 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, or at anytime on Sunday.


## 4 SIGNIFICANCE CRITERIA

The following significance criteria are based on currently adopted guidance provided by Appendix G of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines. (1) For the purposes of this report, impacts would be potentially significant if the Project results in or causes:
A. Generation of a substantial temporary or permanent increase in ambient noise levels in the vicinity of the project in excess of standards established in the local general plan or noise ordinance, or applicable standards of other agencies?
B. Generation of excessive ground-borne vibration or ground-borne noise levels?
C. For a project located within the vicinity of a private airstrip or an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project expose people residing or working in the project area to excessive noise levels?

### 4.1 Noise Level Increases (Threshold A)

Noise level increases resulting from the Project are evaluated based on the Appendix G CEQA Guidelines described above at the closest sensitive receiver locations. Under CEQA, consideration must be given to the magnitude of the increase, the existing ambient noise levels, and the location of noise-sensitive receivers to determine if a noise increase represents a significant adverse environmental impact. This approach recognizes that there is no single noise increase that renders the noise impact significant. (15) This is primarily because of the wide variation in individual thresholds of annoyance and differing individual experiences with noise. Thus, an important way of determining a person's subjective reaction to a new noise is the comparison of it to the existing environment to which one has adapted-the so-called ambient environment. Based on the L.A. CEQA Thresholds Guide previously outlined in Section 3.7, the Project would normally have a significant impact on noise levels from construction if construction activities would exceed the ambient noise level by 5 dBA at a noise sensitive use between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. Monday through Friday, before 8:00 a.m. or after 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, or at any time on Sunday.

### 4.2 Vibration (Threshold B)

As described in Section 3.6, the vibration impacts originating from the construction of the Pico Housing Project, vibration-generating activities are considered significant if the Project-related construction activities create vibration levels which exceed the maximum acceptable continuous vibration threshold of 0.30 PPV (in/sec).

### 4.3 CEQA Guidelines Not Further Analyzed (Threshold C)

CEQA Noise Threshold C applies when there are nearby public and private airports and/or air strips and focuses on land use compatibility of the Project to nearby airports and airstrips. The Project site is not located within two miles of an airport or airstrip. As such, the Project site would not be exposed to excessive noise levels from airport operations, and therefore, impacts are

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considered less than significant, and no further noise analysis is conducted in relation to Appendix G to the CEQA Guidelines, Noise Threshold C.

### 4.4 Significance Criteria Summary

Noise impacts shall be considered significant if any of the following occur as a direct result of the proposed development. Table 4-1 shows the significance criteria summary matrix.

TABLE 4-1: SIGNIFICANCE CRITERIA SUMMARY

| Analysis | Receiving Land Use | Condition(s) | Significance Criteria |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Daytime | Nighttime |
| Off-Site Traffic | NoiseSensitive ${ }^{1}$ | If ambient is < 60 dBA CNEL | $\geq 5 \mathrm{dBA}$ CNEL Project increase |  |
|  |  | If ambient is $60-65 \mathrm{dBA}$ CNEL | $\geq 3$ dBA CNEL Project increase |  |
|  |  | If ambient is > 65 dBA CNEL | $\geq 1$ dBA CNEL Project increase |  |
|  | Non-Noise Sensitive ${ }^{2}$ | if ambient is > 75 dBA CNEL | $\geq 3 \mathrm{dBA}$ Leq Project increase |  |
| Operational | NoiseSensitive ${ }^{1}$ | Exterior Noise Level Standards | Existing Ambient Noise Level plus $5 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{L}_{\text {eq }}$ |  |
| Construction | NoiseSensitive | Exterior Noise Level Standards | $75 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{Leq}^{2}$ | n/a |
|  |  |  | Existing Ambient Noise Level plus $5 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{Leq}^{3}$ |  |
|  |  | Vibration Level Threshold ${ }^{4}$ | 78 VdB | n/a |

${ }^{1}$ City of Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 112.02 (Appendix 3.1).
${ }^{2}$ City of Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 112.05 (Appendix 3.1).
${ }^{3}$ L.A. CEQA Thresholds Guide 2006.
${ }^{4}$ Federal Transit Administration, Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual.
"Daytime" = 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; "Nighttime" = 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

## 5 EXISTING NOISE LEVEL MEASUREMENTS

To assess the existing noise level environment, 24-hour noise level measurements were taken at four locations in the Project study area. The receiver locations were selected to describe and document the existing noise environment within the Project study area. Exhibit 5-A provides the boundaries of the Project study area and the noise level measurement locations. To fully describe the existing noise conditions, noise level measurements were collected by Urban Crossroads, Inc. on Monday April $25^{\text {th }}, 2022$. Appendix 5.1 includes study area photos.

### 5.1 Measurement Procedure and Criteria

To describe the existing noise environment, the hourly noise levels were measured during typical weekday conditions over a 24 -hour period. By collecting individual hourly noise level measurements, it is possible to describe the daytime and nighttime hourly noise levels and calculate the 24 -hour CNEL. The long-term noise readings were recorded using Piccolo Type 2 integrating sound level meter and dataloggers. The Piccolo sound level meters were calibrated using a Larson-Davis calibrator, Model CAL 150. All noise meters were programmed in "slow" mode to record noise levels in "A" weighted form. The sound level meters and microphones were equipped with a windscreen during all measurements. All noise level measurement equipment satisfies the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) standard specifications for sound level meters ANSI S1.4-2014/IEC 61672-1:2013. (16)

### 5.2 Noise Measurement Locations

The long-term noise level measurements were positioned as close to the nearest sensitive receiver locations as possible to assess the existing ambient hourly noise levels surrounding the Project site. Both Caltrans and the FTA recognize that it is not reasonable to collect noise level measurements that can fully represent every part of a private yard, patio, deck, or balcony normally used for human activity when estimating impacts for new development projects. This is demonstrated in the Caltrans general site location guidelines which indicate that, sites must be free of noise contamination by sources other than sources of interest. Avoid sites located near sources such as barking dogs, lawnmowers, pool pumps, and air conditioners unless it is the express intent of the analyst to measure these sources. (2) Further, FTA guidance states, that it is not necessary nor recommended that existing noise exposure be determined by measuring at every noise-sensitive location in the project area. Rather, the recommended approach is to characterize the noise environment for clusters of sites based on measurements or estimates at representative locations in the community. (17)

Based on recommendations of Caltrans and the FTA, it is not necessary to collect measurements at each individual building or residence, because each receiver measurement represents a group of buildings that share acoustical equivalence. (17) In other words, the area represented by the receiver shares similar shielding, terrain, and geometric relationship to the reference noise source. Receivers represent a location of noise sensitive areas and are used to estimate the future noise level impacts. Collecting reference ambient noise level measurements at the nearby sensitive receiver locations allows for a comparison of the before and after Project noise levels

Exhibit 5-A: Noise Measurement Locations


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Measurement Locations
and is necessary to assess potential noise impacts due to the Project's contribution to the ambient noise levels.

### 5.3 Noise Measurement Results

The noise measurements presented below focus on the average or equivalent sound levels (Leq). The equivalent sound level ( $L_{\text {eq }}$ ) represents a steady state sound level containing the same total energy as a time varying signal over a given sample period. Table 5-1 identifies the highest hourly daytime (7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.) and nighttime (10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.) noise levels at each noise level measurement location.

TABLE 5-1: 24-HOUR AMBIENT NOISE LEVEL MEASUREMENTS

| Location ${ }^{1}$ | Description | Energy Average <br> Noise Level <br> (dBA Leq) |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Located northwest of the Project site near Pico Veteran <br> Senior Housing at 10961 West Pico Boulevard. | 71.5 |
| L2 | Located northeast of the Project site near single-family <br> residence at 2370 Kelton Avenue. | 59.8 | 56.6 |
| L3 | Located south of the Project site near single-family <br> residence at 10949 Ayres Avenue. | 61.4 | 56.2 |
| L4 | Located southwest of the Project site near single-family <br> residence at 10963 Ayres Avenue. | 59.5 | 55.1 |

${ }^{1}$ See Exhibit 5-A for the noise level measurement locations.
${ }^{2}$ Energy (logarithmic) average levels. The long-term 24-hour measurement worksheets are included in Appendix 5.2.
"Daytime" = 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; "Nighttime" = 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.
The background ambient noise levels in the Project study area are dominated by the transportation-related noise associated with surface streets. This includes the auto and heavy truck activities on study area roadway segments near the noise level measurement locations. Appendix 5.2 provides summary worksheets of the noise levels for each hour as well as the minimum, maximum, $L_{1}, L_{2}, L_{5}, L_{8}, L_{25}, L_{50}, L_{90}, L_{95}$, and $L_{99}$ percentile noise levels observed during the daytime and nighttime periods.

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## 6 OFF-SITE TRAFFIC NOISE

Based on a comparison of existing and existing plus project traffic volumes, daily traffic volumes would increase by approximately 0.4 percent on Pico Boulevard, between Veteran Avenue and Midvale Avenue, and by 4 percent on Veteran Avenue. Consequently, resultant increases in traffic noise levels along area roadways is estimated at less than $1 \mathrm{~dB}(\mathrm{~A}) \mathrm{CNEL}$, or less. Typically, a doubling of vehicle traffic is required for a noticeable increase (i.e., 3 dBA or greater) in roadway traffic noise levels. Because the Project would not result in a noticeable increase in traffic noise levels on roadways in the vicinity of the Project, this impact would be considered less than significant and will no longer be discussed in this report.

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## 7 RECEIVER LOCATIONS

To assess the potential for long-term operational and short-term construction noise impacts, the following sensitive receiver locations, as shown on Exhibit 7-A, were identified as representative locations for analysis. Sensitive receivers are generally defined as locations where people reside or where the presence of unwanted sound could otherwise adversely affect the use of the land. Noise-sensitive land uses are generally considered to include schools, hospitals, single-family dwellings, mobile home parks, churches, libraries, and recreation areas. Moderately noisesensitive land uses typically include multi-family dwellings, hotels, motels, dormitories, outpatient clinics, cemeteries, golf courses, country clubs, athletic/tennis clubs, and equestrian clubs. Land uses that are considered relatively insensitive to noise include business, commercial, and professional developments. Land uses that are typically not affected by noise include: industrial, manufacturing, utilities, agriculture, undeveloped land, parking lots, warehousing, liquid and solid waste facilities, salvage yards, and transit terminals.

To describe the potential off-site Project noise levels, four receiver locations in the vicinity of the Project site were identified. All distances are measured from the Project site boundary to the outdoor living areas (e.g., private backyards) or at the building façade, whichever is closer to the Project site. The selection of receiver locations is based on FHWA guidelines and is consistent with additional guidance provided by Caltrans and the FTA, as previously described in Section 5.2. Other sensitive land uses in the Project study area that are located at greater distances than those identified in this noise study will experience lower noise levels than those presented in this report due to the additional attenuation from distance and the shielding of intervening structures. Distance is measured in a straight line from the project boundary to each receiver location.

R1: Location R1 represents existing noise sensitive Pico Veteran Senior Housing at 10961 West Pico Boulevard, approximately 226 feet northwest of the Project site. Since there are no private outdoor living areas (backyards) facing the Project site, receiver R1 is placed at the building façade. A 24 -hour noise measurement was taken near this location, L1, to describe the existing ambient noise environment.
R2: Location R2 represents the existing noise sensitive residence at 2370 Kelton Avenue, approximately 280 feet southeast of the Project site. Since there are no private outdoor living areas (backyards) facing the Project site, receiver R2 is placed at the building façade. A 24-hour noise measurement was taken near this location, L 2 , to describe the existing ambient noise environment.

R3: Location R3 represents the existing noise sensitive residence at 10949 Ayres Avenue, approximately 19 feet south of the Project site. Receiver R3 is placed in the private outdoor living areas (backyards) facing the Project site. A 24 -hour noise measurement was taken near this location, L3, to describe the existing ambient noise environment.
R4: Location R4 represents the existing noise sensitive residence at 2415 Veteran Avenue, approximately 69 feet southwest of the Project site. Since there are no private outdoor living areas (backyards) facing the Project site, receiver R4 is placed at the building façade. A 24-hour noise measurement was taken near this location, $L 4$, to describe the existing ambient noise environment.

Exhibit 7-A: Receiver Locations


## 8 OPERATIONAL NOISE IMPACTS

This section analyzes the potential stationary-source operational noise impacts due to the Project's stationary noise sources on the off-site sensitive receiver locations identified in Section 7. Exhibit 8-A identifies the noise source locations used to assess the Project-related operational noise levels.

### 8.1 Operational Noise Sources

Project-related stationary-source (operational) noise sources are expected to include: heat pump air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings. Further, the proposed residential land uses are considered noise-sensitive receiving land uses and are not expected to include any specific type of operational noise levels beyond the typical noise sources associated with existing residential land use in the Project study area.

### 8.2 Reference Noise Levels

To estimate the Project operational noise impacts, reference noise level measurements were collected from similar types of activities to represent the noise levels expected with the development of the proposed Project. Table 8-1 presents a summary of the reference noise level measurements used in this analysis to describe the Project operational noise levels. It is important to note that the following projected noise levels assume the worst-case noise environment with the heat pump air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings all operating continuously. These sources of noise activity will likely vary throughout the day.

TABLE 8-1: REFERENCE NOISE LEVELS

| Noise Source | Noise Source Height (Feet) | Min./Hour ${ }^{1}$ |  | Reference Noise Level @ 50' (dBA Leq) | Sound Power Level (dBA) ${ }^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Day | Night |  |  |
| Stacked Parking | 5' | 60 | 30 | 33.6 | 65.2 |
| Heat Pump/Air Conditioning Unit | 3' | 45 | 30 | 44.4 | 76.0 |
| Outdoor Activity | 5' | 60 | 0 | 59.9 | 91.5 |
| Trash Enclosure Activity | 8' | 10 | 10 | 57.3 | 88.9 |

${ }^{1}$ Anticipated duration (minutes within the hour) of noise activity during typical hourly conditions expected at the Project site. "Daytime" = 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; "Nighttime" = 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.
${ }^{2}$ Sound power level represents the total amount of acoustical energy (noise level) produced by a sound source independent of distance or surroundings. Sound power levels calculated using the CadnaA noise model at the reference distance to the noise source.

Each of the roof-top lounge areas and the ventilation exhaust vent are represented by individual point sources as shown in Exhibit 8-A. The Heat Pump Air Conditioning (HPAC) units do not have exterior components other than venting. These are modeled as vertical area sources at the building façade.

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Exhibit 8-A: Operational Noise Source Locations


### 8.3 CadnaA Noise Prediction Model

To fully describe the exterior operational noise levels from the Project, Urban Crossroads, Inc. developed a noise prediction model using the CadnaA (Computer Aided Noise Abatement) computer program. CadnaA can analyze multiple types of noise sources using the spatially accurate Project site plan, georeferenced Nearmap aerial imagery, topography, buildings, and barriers in its calculations to predict outdoor noise levels. This includes the additional noise attenuation provided by the existing intervening building structures and noise barriers located between the Project and the nearest receiver locations. Using the ISO 9613 protocol, CadnaA will calculate the distance from each noise source to the noise receiver locations, using the ground absorption, distance, and barrier/building attenuation inputs to provide a summary of noise level at each receiver and the partial noise level contributions by noise source. Consistent with the ISO 9613 protocol, the CadnaA noise prediction model relies on the reference sound power level ( $L_{w}$ ) to describe individual noise sources.

While sound pressure levels (e.g. Leq) quantify in decibels the intensity of given sound sources at a reference distance, sound power levels ( $L_{w}$ ) are connected to the sound source and are independent of distance. Sound pressure levels vary substantially with distance from the source and diminish as a result of intervening obstacles and barriers, air absorption, wind, and other factors. Sound power is the acoustical energy emitted by the sound source and is an absolute value that is not affected by the environment.

The operational noise level calculations provided in this noise study account for the distance attenuation provided due to geometric spreading, when sound from a localized stationary source (i.e., a point source) propagates uniformly outward in a spherical pattern. A default ground attenuation factor of 0.5 was used in the CadnaA noise analysis to account for semi-hard site conditions. Appendix 8.1 includes the detailed noise model inputs used to estimate the Project operational noise levels presented in this section.

### 8.4 Project Operational Noise Levels

Using the reference noise levels to represent the proposed Project operations that include heat pump air conditioning units, trash enclosure activity, stacked parking, and outdoor gatherings, Urban Crossroads, Inc. calculated the operational source noise levels that are expected to be generated at the Project site and the Project-related noise level increases that would be experienced at each of the sensitive receiver locations. Tables $8-2$ shows the Project operational noise levels during the daytime hours of 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. The daytime hourly noise levels at the off-site receiver locations are expected to range from 41.4 to 42.9 dBA Leq.

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TABLE 8-2: DAYTIME PROJECT OPERATIONAL NOISE LEVELS

| $\boldsymbol{N}^{*}$ Noise Source $^{\mathbf{1}}$ | Operational Noise Levels by Receiver Location (dBA Leq) |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | R1 | R2 | R3 | R4 |
| Stacked Parking | 26.6 | 0.0 | 39.3 | 0.0 |
| Heat Pump/Air Conditioning Unit | 37.2 | 32.3 | 35.9 | 33.9 |
| Outdoor Activity | 39.0 | 41.2 | 36.4 | 42.3 |
| Trash Enclosure Activity | 44.1 | 7.2 | 48.4 | 31.5 |
| Total (All Noise Sources) | $\mathbf{4 5 . 9}$ | $\mathbf{4 1 . 7}$ | $\mathbf{4 9 . 3}$ | $\mathbf{4 3 . 2}$ |

${ }^{1}$ See Exhibit 8-A for the noise source locations. CadnaA noise model calculations are included in Appendix 8.1.

Table 8-3 shows the Project operational noise levels during the nighttime hours of 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. The nighttime hourly noise levels that include roof-top lounge areas and roof-top spa activity at the off-site receiver locations are expected to range from 38.5 to 40.5 dBA Leq. The differences between the daytime and nighttime noise levels are largely related to the duration of noise activity (Table 8-1).
table 8-3: NIGHTTIME PROJECT OPERATIONAL NOISE LEVELS

| Noise Source $^{\mathbf{1}}$ | Operational Noise Levels by Receiver Location (dBA Leq) |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | R1 | $\mathbf{R 2}$ | R3 | R4 |
| Heat Pump/Air Conditioning Unit | 24.8 | 0.0 | 37.2 | 0.0 |
| Trash Enclosure Activity | 37.5 | 32.6 | 36.2 | 34.2 |
| Stacked Parking | 35.1 | 37.2 | 32.4 | 38.3 |
| Outdoor Activity | 43.2 | 6.2 | 47.4 | 30.6 |
| Total (All Noise Sources) | $\mathbf{4 4 . 8}$ | $\mathbf{3 8 . 5}$ | $\mathbf{4 8 . 2}$ | $\mathbf{4 0 . 2}$ |

${ }^{1}$ See Exhibit 8-A for the noise source locations. CadnaA noise model calculations are included in Appendix 8.1.

### 8.5 Project Operational Noise Level Compliance

To demonstrate compliance with local noise regulations, the Project-only operational noise levels are evaluated against exterior noise level thresholds based on the City of Los Angeles exterior noise level standards at nearby noise-sensitive receiver locations. Table 8-4 shows the operational noise levels associated with Project will satisfy the City of Los Angeles daytime and nighttime exterior noise level standards at all nearby receiver locations. Therefore, the operational noise impacts are considered less than significant at the nearby noise-sensitive receiver locations.

TABLE 8-4: OPERATIONAL NOISE LEVEL COMPLIANCE

| Receiver <br> Location $^{\mathbf{1}}$ | Project Operational <br> Noise Levels (dBA <br> Leq) |  | Reference Ambient <br> Noise Levels (dBA <br> Leq) $^{\mathbf{3}}$ |  | Noise Level <br> Standards <br> (dBA Leq) |  | Noise Level <br> Standards <br> Exceeded? |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Daytime | Nighttime | Daytime | Nighttime | Daytime | Nighttime | Daytime | Nighttime |
| R1 | 45.9 | 44.8 | 71.5 | 66.6 | 77 | 72 | No | No |
| R2 | 41.7 | 38.5 | 59.8 | 55.1 | 65 | 60 | No | No |
| R3 | 49.3 | 48.2 | 61.4 | 56.2 | 66 | 61 | No | No |
| R4 | 43.2 | 40.2 | 59.5 | 55.1 | 65 | 60 | No | No |

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## 9 CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS

This section analyzes potential impacts resulting from the short-term construction activities associated with the development of the Project. Exhibit 9-A shows the construction activity boundaries in relation to the nearby sensitive receiver locations previously described in Section 6.

### 9.1 Construction Noise Levels

Noise generated by the Project construction equipment will include a combination of trucks, power tools, concrete mixers, and portable generators operating simultaneously that when combined can reach high levels. The number and mix of construction equipment are expected to occur in the following stages:

- Demolition
- Site Preparation
- Grading
- Building Construction
- Paving
- Architectural Coating

This construction noise analysis was prepared using reference noise level measurements taken by Urban Crossroads, Inc. to describe the typical construction activity noise levels for each stage of Project construction. The construction reference noise level measurements represent a list of typical construction activity noise levels with multiple pieces of equipment operating simultaneously to conservatively estimate Project construction noise levels.

### 9.2 Typical Construction Reference Noise Levels

To describe construction noise activities, this construction noise analysis was prepared using reference construction equipment noise levels from the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) published the Roadway Construction Noise Model (RCNM), which includes a national database of construction equipment reference noise emission levels, shown in Table 9-1. (18) The RCNM equipment database, provides a comprehensive list of the noise generating characteristics for specific types of construction equipment. In addition, the database provides an acoustical usage factor to estimate the fraction of time each piece of construction equipment is operating at full power (i.e., its loudest condition) during a construction operation.

Exhibit 9-A: Construction Noise Source and Receiver Locations


TABLE 9-1: TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION REFERENCE NOISE LEVELS

| Construction Stage | Reference Construction Equipmnet ${ }^{1}$ | Reference Noise Level @ 50 Feet (dBA Leq) | Composite Reference Noise Level (dBA Leq) | Reference Power Level (dBA $\mathrm{L}_{\mathrm{w}}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demolition | Backhoe | 74.0 | 82.6 | 114.3 |
|  | Jack Hammer | 82.0 |  |  |
| Site <br> Preparation | Backhoe | 74.0 | 81.4 | 113.1 |
|  | Excavator | 77.0 |  |  |
| Grading | Dozer | 78.0 | 79.8 | 111.4 |
|  | Front End Loader | 75.0 |  |  |
| Building Construction | Crane | 73.0 | 80.0 | 110.6 |
|  | Gradall | 79.0 |  |  |
| Paving | Paver | 74.0 | 76.1 | 105.6 |
|  | Dump Truck | 72.0 |  |  |
| Architectural Coating | Man Lift | 68.0 | 75.0 | 105.6 |
|  | Compressor (air) | 74.0 |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ FHWA Road Construction Noise Model.

### 9.3 Typical Construction Noise Analysis

Using the reference construction equipment noise levels and the CadnaA noise prediction model, calculations of the Project construction noise level impacts at the nearest sensitive receiver locations were completed. To assess a reasonable worst-case construction scenario and account for the dynamic nature of construction activities, the Project construction noise analysis models the equipment combination with the highest reference level as a moving point source within the construction area (Project site boundary). This is simulated by modeling multiple pieces of construction as moving point sources. The modeling includes the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan includes mandatory environmental standards and recommended barriers along the southern and southern property lines to shield the adjacent residential land uses, as shown in Exhibit ES-A and Exhibit ES-B. As shown on Table 9-2, the construction noise levels are expected to range from 53.4 to $67.4 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{L}_{\mathrm{eq}}$, and the highest construction levels are expected to range from 60.8 to $67.4 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{L}_{\text {eq }}$ at the nearest receiver locations. Appendix 9.1 includes the detailed CadnaA construction noise model inputs.

The construction noise analysis presents a conservative approach with the highest noise-levelproducing equipment for each stage of Project construction operating at the closest point from primary construction activity to the nearest sensitive receiver locations. This scenario is unlikely to occur during typical construction activities and likely overstates the construction noise levels which will be experienced at each receiver location.

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TABLE 9-2: TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT NOISE LEVEL SUMMARY

| Receiver <br> Location $^{1}$ | Construction Noise Levels (dBA Leq $)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Demolition | Site <br> Preparation | Grading | Building <br> Construction | Paving | Architectural <br> Coating | Highest <br> Levels $^{2}$ |
| R1 | 67.3 | 66.1 | 64.4 | 66.9 | 63.1 | 61.9 | 67.3 |
| R2 | 62.4 | 61.2 | 59.5 | 62.0 | 58.2 | 57.0 | 62.4 |
| R3 | 64.6 | 63.4 | 61.7 | 64.2 | 60.4 | 59.2 | 64.6 |
| R4 | 60.7 | 59.5 | 57.8 | 60.3 | 56.5 | 55.3 | 60.7 |

${ }^{1}$ Noise receiver locations are shown on Exhibit 7-A.
${ }^{2}$ Construction noise level calculations based on distance from the construction activity, which is measured from the Project site boundary to the nearest receiver locations. CadnaA construction noise model inputs are included in Appendix 9.1.

### 9.4 Typical Construction Noise Level Compliance

To evaluate whether the Project will generate potentially significant short-term noise levels at nearest receiver locations, a construction-related daytime noise level threshold of $75 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{L}_{\mathrm{eq}}$ is used as a reasonable threshold to assess the daytime construction noise level impacts at residential receivers. The construction noise analysis shows that the nearest residential receiver location, R3, will satisfy the reasonable daytime 75 dBA Leq significance threshold during Project construction activities as shown on Table 9-3. Therefore, the noise impacts due to Project construction noise is considered less than significant at all receiver locations.

TABLE 9-3: TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION NOISE LEVEL COMPLIANCE

| Receiver <br> Location $^{1}$ | Construction Noise Levels (dBA Leq) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Highest Construction <br> Noise Levels $^{2}$ | Threshold $^{\mathbf{3}}$ | Threshold <br> Exceeded? |
| R1 | 67.3 | 75 | No |
| R2 | 62.4 | 75 | No |
| R3 | 64.6 | 75 | No |
| R4 | 60.7 | 75 | No |

${ }^{1}$ Noise receiver locations are shown on Exhibit 7-A.
${ }^{2}$ Highest construction noise level calculations based on distance from the construction noise source activity to nearby receiver locations as shown on Table 9-2.
${ }^{3}$ City of Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 112.05 (Appendix 3.1).
${ }^{4}$ Do the estimated Project construction noise levels exceed the construction noise level threshold?

### 9.5 Temporary Construction Noise Level Increases

To describe the temporary Project construction noise level increases to the existing ambient noise environment, the Project construction noise levels were combined with the existing ambient noise levels measurements at the off-site receiver locations. The difference between the combined Project-construction and ambient noise levels are used to describe the construction noise level increases.

Temporary noise level increases that would be experienced at sensitive receiver locations when Project construction-source noise is added to the ambient daytime are presented on Table 9-4. A temporary noise level increase of 5 dBA is considered a potentially significant impact if construction activities would exceed the ambient noise level by 5 dBA at a noise sensitive use between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. Monday through Friday, before 8:00 a.m. or after 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, or at any time on Sunday.

TABLE 9-4: TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION NOISE LEVEL INCREASES (LEQ)

| Receiver <br> Location $^{\mathbf{1}}$ | Total <br> Construction <br> Noise Level $^{\mathbf{2}}$ | Measurement <br> Location $^{3}$ | Reference <br> Ambient <br> Noise <br> Levels $^{4}$ | Combined <br> Project and $^{\text {Ambient }^{5}}$ | Project <br> Increase $^{6}$ | Increase <br> Criteria $^{7}$ | Increase <br> Criteria <br> Exceeded? $^{7}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R1 | 67.3 | L1 | 71.5 | 72.9 | 1.4 | 5 | No |
| R2 | 62.4 | L2 | 59.8 | 64.3 | 4.5 | 5 | No |
| R3 | 64.6 | L3 | 61.4 | 66.3 | 4.9 | 5 | No |
| R4 | 60.7 | L4 | 59.5 | 63.2 | 3.7 | 5 | No |

${ }^{1}$ See Exhibit 7-A for the receiver locations.
${ }^{2}$ Highest construction noise levels as shown on Table 9-2.
${ }^{3}$ Reference noise level measurement locations as shown on Exhibit 5-A.
${ }^{4}$ Highest hourly equivalent daytime ambient noise levels as shown on Table 5-1.
${ }^{5}$ Represents the combined ambient conditions plus the Project construction activities.
${ }^{6}$ The noise level increase expected with the addition of the proposed Project construction activities.
${ }^{7}$ Significance increase criteria as shown on Table 4-1.
As indicated in Table 9-4, the Project will contribute, construction noise level increases ranging from 1.4 to $4.9 \mathrm{dBA} \mathrm{L}_{\text {eq }}$ at the nearest sensitive receiver locations. The construction noise analysis shows that the Project-related construction noise level increases will satisfy the L.A. CEQA Thresholds Guide 5 dBA noise level increase significance criteria. Therefore, the incremental Project construction noise level increase is considered less than significant at all receiver locations.

### 9.6 Typical Construction Vibration Impacts

Construction activity can result in varying degrees of ground vibration, depending on the equipment and methods employed. Operation of construction equipment causes ground vibrations that spread through the ground and diminish in strength with distance. Ground vibration levels associated with various types of construction equipment are summarized on Table 9-5. Based on the representative vibration levels presented for various construction equipment types, it is possible to estimate the potential for building damage using the following

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vibration assessment methods defined by the FTA. To describe the vibration impacts the FTA provides the following equation: $P P V_{\text {equip }}=P P V_{\text {ref }} \times(25 / D)^{1.5}$

TABLE 9-5: VIBRATION SOURCE LEVELS FOR CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT

| Equipment | Vibration Decibels (VdB) <br> at 25 feet |
| :---: | :---: |
| Small bulldozer | 0.003 |
| Jackhammer | 0.035 |
| Loaded Trucks | 0.076 |
| Large bulldozer | 0.089 |

Federal Transit Administration, Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual 2018.

Table 9-6 presents the expected Project related vibration levels at the nearby receiver locations. At distances ranging from 19 to 280 feet from Project construction activities, construction vibration velocity levels are estimated to range from 0.000 to $0.13 \mathrm{in} / \mathrm{sec}$ PPV. The Project vibration levels associated with the construction activity will satisfy the City of Los Angeles vibration threshold of $0.30 \mathrm{in} / \mathrm{sec}$ PPV. Therefore, impacts with the construction vibration will be less than significant.

TABLE 9-6: TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT VIBRATION LEVELS

| Receiver Location ${ }^{1}$ | Distance to Construction Activity (Feet) | Receiver Vibration Levels (VdB) ${ }^{\mathbf{2}}$ |  |  |  |  | Threshold$\mathrm{VdB}^{3}$ | Threshold Exceeded? ${ }^{4}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Small Bulldozer | Jackhammer | Loaded Trucks | Large Bulldozer | Highest <br> Vibration Levels |  |  |
| R1 | 226' | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.30 | No |
| R2 | 280' | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.30 | No |
| R3 | 19' | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.11 | 0.13 | 0.13 | 0.30 | No |
| R4 | 69' | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.30 | No |

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## 11 CERTIFICATION

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## APPENDIX 3.1:

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## ARTICLE 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section

Declaration of Policy.
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Sound Level Measurement Procedure and Criteria.
Minimum Ambient Noise Level.
Violations: Additional Remedies, Injunctions.
Enforcement, Citations.

## SEC. 111.00. DECLARATION OF POLICY.

It is hereby declared to be the policy of the City to prohibit unnecessary, excessive and annoying noises from all sources subject to its police power. At certain levels noises are detrimental to the health and welfare of the citizenry and in the public interests shall be systematically proscribed.

## SEC. 111.01. DEFINITIONS.

Unless the context otherwise clearly indicates, the words and phrases used in this chapter are defined as follows:
(a) "Ambient Noise" is the composite of noise from all sources near and far in a given environment, exclusive of occasional and transient intrusive noise sources and of the particular noise source or sources to be measured. Ambient noise shall be averaged over a period of at least 15 minutes at a location and time of day comparable to that during which the measurement is taken of the particular noise source being measured. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(b) "Commercial Purpose" is the use, operation, or maintenance of any sound amplifying equipment for the purpose of advertising any business, goods, or services, or for the purpose of attracting the attention of the public to, advertising for, or soliciting patronage or customers to or for any performance, show, entertainment, exhibition, or event, or for the purpose of demonstrating such sound equipment. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(c) "Decibel" (dB) is a unit of level which denotes the ratio between two (2) quantities which are proportional to power; the number of decibels corresponding to the ratio of two (2) amounts of power is ten (10) times the logarithm to the base (10) of this ratio. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(d) "Emergency Work" is work made necessary to restore property to a safe condition following a public calamity or work required to protect persons or property from an imminent exposure to danger, or work by private or public utilities when restoring utility service. (Amended by Ord. No.
(e) "Impulsive Sound" is sound of short duration, usually less than one second, with an abrupt onset and rapid decay. By way of example "impulsive sound" shall include, but shall not be limited to, explosions, musical base drum beats, or the discharge of firearms. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(f) "Motor Vehicle" includes, but shall not be limited to, automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, minibikes and go-carts. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(g) "Noncommercial Purpose" is the use, operation, or maintenance of any sound equipment for other than a "commercial purpose".
"Noncommercial purpose" shall mean and include, but shall not be limited to, philanthropic, political, patriotic, and charitable purposes. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(h) "Octave Band Noise Analyzer" is an instrument for measurement of sound levels in octave frequency bands which satisfies the pertinent requirements for Class II octave band analyzers of the American National Standard Specifications for Octave, Half-Octave, and Third-Octave Band Filters, S1.11-1966 or the most recent revision thereof. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(i) "Person" is a person, firm, association, co-partnership, joint venture, corporation, or any entity, private or public in nature. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(j) "Sound Amplifying Equipment" (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.) is any machine or device for the amplification of the human voice, music or any other sound, but shall not include:

1. Automobile radios, stereo players or television receivers when used and heard only by the occupants of the vehicle in which the same is installed.
2. Radio, stereo players, phonographs or television receivers used in any house or apartment within any residential zone or within 500 feet thereof.
3. Warning devices on emergency vehicles.
4. Horns or other warning devices authorized by law on any vehicle when used for traffic purposes.
(k) "Sound Level" (Noise level) in decibels (dB) is the sound measured with the "A" weighting and slow responses by a sound level meter; except for impulsive or rapidly varying sounds, the fast response shall be used. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(l) "Sound Level Meter" is an instrument including a microphone, an amplifier, an output meter, and "A" frequency weighting network for the measurement of sound levels which satisfies the pertinent requirements for Type S2A meters in American Standard Specifications for sound level meters in S1.4-1971 or the most recent revision thereof. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(m) "Sound Truck" is any motor vehicle, or any other vehicle regardless of motive power, whether in motion or stationary, which carries, is equipped with, or which has mounted thereon, or attached thereto, any sound amplifying equipment. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(n) Supplementary Definitions of Technical Terms. Definitions of technical terms not defined herein shall be obtained from American Standard Acoustical Terminology S1-1-1971 or the most recent revision thereof. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

## SEC. 111.02. SOUND LEVEL MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE AND CRITERIA.

(Title amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(a) (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.) Any sound level measurement made pursuant to the provisions of this chapter shall be measured with a sound level meter using the "A" weighting and response as indicated in Section 111.01(k) of this article.

Except when impractical, the microphone shall be located four to five feet above the ground and ten feet or more from the nearest reflective surface. However, in those cases where another elevation is deemed appropriated, the latter shall be utilized.

Interior sound level measurements shall be made at a point at least four feet from the wall, ceiling, or floor nearest the noise source.
Calibration of the sound level meter, utilizing an acoustic calibrator shall be performed immediately prior to recording any sound level data. The ambient noise level and the level of a particular noise being measured shall be the numerical average of noise measurements taken at a given location during a given time period.
(b) (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.) Where the sound alleged to be offending is of a type or character set forth below, the following values shall be added to the sound level measurement of the offending noise:

1. Except for noise emanating from any electrical transformer or gas metering and pressure control equipment existing and installed prior to the
2. Repeated impulsive noise +5
3. Noise occurring more than 5 but less than 15 minutes in any period of 60 consecutive minutes between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. of any day -5
4. Noise occurring five minutes or less in any period of 60 consecutive minutes, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. of any day
(Amended by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff. 9/8/86.)
(c) For those cases where an objectionable noise is clearly audible, but where the level of ambient noise does not permit direct quantative sound level "A" measurements of the objectionable noise, sound measurements may be performed utilizing an octave band sound analyzer to determine sound level "A" limits as indicated in the Table I below. This table is used to convert the sound pressure level meter readings in dB for each band to SPL in $\mathrm{dB}(\mathrm{A})$ for each band.

TABLE I
OCTAVE BAND NOISE VALUES CORRESPONDING TO SOUND LEVEL "A" VALUES

| Sound <br> Level | Octave Band Sound Pressure <br> Level, dB re .0002 dyne/cm <br> 2ctave Band Center <br> Frequency in Hz |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| "A" | 31.5 | 63 | 125 | 250 | 500 | 1000 | 2000 | 4000 | 8000 |
| 35 | 58 | 50 | 42 | 35 | 32 | 29 | 26 | 23 | 20 |
| 40 | 61 | 54 | 46 | 40 | 37 | 34 | 31 | 28 | 25 |
| 45 | 64 | 58 | 51 | 45 | 42 | 39 | 36 | 33 | 30 |
| 50 | 67 | 61 | 55 | 50 | 47 | 44 | 41 | 38 | 35 |
| 55 | 70 | 64 | 60 | 55 | 52 | 49 | 46 | 43 | 40 |
| 60 | 73 | 68 | 64 | 60 | 57 | 54 | 51 | 48 | 45 |
| 65 | 76 | 72 | 68 | 65 | 62 | 59 | 56 | 53 | 50 |
| 70 | 79 | 76 | 73 | 70 | 67 | 64 | 61 | 58 | 55 |
| 75 | 84 | 81 | 78 | 75 | 72 | 69 | 66 | 63 | 60 |

(d) For those cases where a sound level measurement has been made pursuant to the provisions of this chapter and two or more provisions of this chapter apply, the provision establishing the lower or lowest noise level, respectively, shall be used. (Added by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

## SEC. 111.03. MINIMUM AMBIENT NOISE LEVEL.

## (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

Where the ambient noise level is less than the presumed ambient noise level designated in this section, the presumed ambient noise level in this section shall be deemed to be the minimum ambient noise level for purposes of this chapter.

TABLE II
SOUND LEVEL "A" DECIBELS
(In this chart, daytime levels are to be used from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. and nighttime levels from 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.)

|  | PRESUMED AMBIENT NOISE LEVEL (dB(A)) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZONE | DAY | NIGHT |
| A1, A2, RA, RE, RS, RD, RW1, RW2, R1, R2, R3, R4, and R5 | 50 | 40 |
| P, PB, CR, C1, C1.5, C2, C4, C5, and CM | 60 | 55 |
| M1, MR1, and MR2 | 60 | 55 |
| M2 and M3 | 65 | 65 |

At the boundary line between two zones, the presumed ambient noise level of the quieter zone shall be used.

## SEC. 111.04. VIOLATIONS: ADDITIONAL REMEDIES, INJUNCTIONS.

As an additional remedy, the operation or maintenance of any device, instrument, vehicle, or machinery in violation of any provision of this chapter, which
operation or maintenance causes discomfort or annoyance to reasonable persons or which endangers the comfort, repose, health, or peace of residents in the area, shall be deemed and is declared to be.a public nuisance and may be subject to abatement summarily by a restraining order or injunction issued by a court order of competent jurisdiction. (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

## SEC. 111.05. ENFORCEMENT, CITATIONS.

(Added by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(a) The Department of Building and Safety shall have the power and duty to enforce the following noise control provisions of this Code: Section 12.14A6(h), Section 12.19A-4(b)(1), Section 112.02 and Section 112.04(c). (Amended by Ord. No. 172,086, Eff. 7/30/98.)
(b) The Police Department shall have the power and duty to enforce the following noise control provisions of this Code: Section 41.32, Section 41.40, Section 41.42, Section 41.44, Section 41.57, Section 63.51(m), Section 112.01, Section 112.04, Section 112.05, Section 112.06, Section 113.01, Section 114.01 through Section 114.05, inclusive, Section 115.02, and Section 116.01. (Amended by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff. 9/8/86.)
(c) Any Building Mechanical Inspector assigned to noise enforcement inspection shall have the power, authority and immunity of a public officer and employee, as set forth in the Penal Code of the State of California, Section 836.5, to make arrests without a warrant whenever such employee has reasonable cause to believe that the person to be arrested has committed a misdemeanor in his presence which is a violation of any provision set forth in Section 111.05(a) of this chapter. The provisions of said Penal Code section regarding issuance of a written promise to appear shall be applicable to arrests authorized herein.

## ARTICLE 2 SPECIAL NOISE SOURCES

Radios, Television Sets, and Similar Devices.
Air Conditioning, Refrigeration, Heating, Pumping, Filtering Equipment.
Construction Noise.
Powered Equipment Intended for Repetitive Use in Residential Areas and Other Machinery, Equipment, and Devices. Maximum Noise Level of Powered Equipment or Powered Hand Tools.
Places of Public Entertainment.

## SEC. 112.01. RADIOS, TELEVISION SETS, AND SIMILAR DEVICES. <br> (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person within any zone of the City to use or operate any radio, musical instrument, phonograph, television receiver, or other machine or device for the producing, reproducing or amplification of the human voice, music, or any other sound, in such a manner, as to disturb the peace, quiet, and comfort of neighbor occupants or any reasonable person residing or working in the area.
(b) Any noise level caused by such use or operation which is audible to the human ear at a distance in excess of 150 feet from the property line of the noise source, within any residential zone of the City or within 500 feet thereof, shall be a violation of the provisions of this section.
(c) Any noise level caused by such use or operation which exceeds the ambient noise level on the premises of any other occupied property, or if a condominium, apartment house, duplex, or attached business, within any adjoining unit, by more than five (5) decibels shall be a violation of the provisions of this section.

## SEC. 112.02. AIR CONDITIONING, REFRIGERATION, HEATING, PUMPING, FILTERING EQUIPMENT. <br> (Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person, within any zone of the city to operate any air conditioning, refrigeration or heating equipment for any residence or other structure or to operate any pumping, filtering or heating equipment for any pool or reservoir in such manner as to create any noise which would cause the noise level on the premises of any other occupied property or if a condominium, apartment house, duplex, or attached business, within any adjoining unit.to exceed the ambient noise level by more than five (5) decibels
(b) This section shall not be applicable to emergency work as defined in Section 111.01(c) of this chapter, or to periodic maintenance or testing of such equipment reasonably necessary to maintain such equipment in good working order.

Noise due to construction or repair work shall be regulated as provided by Section 41.40 of this Code. (Amended by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff. 9/8/86.)

## SEC. 112.04. POWERED EQUIPMENT INTENDED FOR REPETITIVE USE IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS AND OTHER MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT, AND DEVICES.

## (Title and Section Amended by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff 9/8/86.)

(a) Between the hours of 10:00 p.m and. 7:00 a.m. of the following day, no person shall operate any lawn mower, backpack blower, lawn edger, riding tractor, or any other machinery, equipment, or other mechanical or electrical device, or any hand tool which creates a loud, raucous or impulsive sound, within any residential zone or within 500 feet of a residence.
(b) Except as to the equipment and operations specifically mentioned and related elsewhere in this Chapter or for emergency work as that term is defined in Section 111.01(d), and except as to aircraft, tow tractors, aircraft auxiliary power units, trains and motor vehicles in their respective operations governed by State or federal regulations, no person shall operate or cause to be operated any machinery, equipment, tools, or other mechanical or electrical device, or engage in any other activity in such manner as to create any noise which would cause the noise level on the premises of any other occupied property, or, if a condominium, apartment house, duplex, or attached business, within any adjoining unit, to exceed the ambient noise level by more than five (5) decibels.
(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection (a) above, no gas powered blower shall be used within 500 feet of a residence at anytime. Both the user of such a blower as well as the individual who contracted for the services of the user, if any, shall be subject to the requirements of and penalty provisions for this ordinance. Violation of the provisions of this subsection shall be punishable as an infraction in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Dollars ( $\$ 100.00$ ), notwithstanding the graduated fines set forth in L.A.M.C. § 11.00(m). (Amended by Ord. No. 171,890, Eff. 2/13/98.)

## SEC. 112.05. MAXIMUM NOISE LEVEL OF POWERED EQUIPMENT OR POWERED HAND TOOLS. (Amended by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff. 9/8/86.)

Between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m., in any residential zone of the City or within 500 feet thereof, no person shall operate or cause to be operated any powered equipment or powered hand tool that produces a maximum noise level exceeding the following noise limits at a distance of 50 feet therefrom:
(a) $\quad 75 \mathrm{~dB}(\mathrm{~A})$ for construction, industrial, and agricultural machinery including crawler-tractors, dozers, rotary drills and augers, loaders, power shovels, cranes, derricks, motor graders, paving machines, off-highway trucks, ditchers, trenchers, compactors, scrapers, wagons, pavement breakers, compressors and pneumatic or other powered equipment;
(b) $\quad 75 \mathrm{~dB}(\mathrm{~A})$ for powered equipment of 20 HP or less intended for infrequent use in residential areas, including chain saws, log chippers and powered hand tools;
(c) $65 \mathrm{~dB}(\mathrm{~A})$ for powered equipment intended for repetitive use in residential areas, including lawn mowers, backpack blowers, small lawn and garden tools and riding tractors;

The noise limits for particular equipment listed above in (a), (b) and (c) shall be deemed to be superseded and replaced by noise limits for such equipment from and after their establishment by final regulations adopted by the Federal Environmental Protection Agency and published in the Federal Register.

Said noise limitations shall not apply where compliance therewith is technically infeasible The burden of proving that compliance is technically infeasible shall be upon the person or persons charged with a violation of this section. Technical infeasibility shall mean that said noise limitations cannot be complied with despite the use of mufflers, shields, sound barriers and/or other noise reduction device or techniques during the operation of the equipment.

## SEC. 112.06. PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.

It shall be unlawful for any person to operate, play, or to permit the operation or playing of any radio, television receiver, phonograph, musical instrument, sound amplifying equipment, or similar device which produces, reproduces, or amplifies sound in any place of public entertainment at a sound level greater than $95 \mathrm{~dB}(\mathrm{~A})$ at any point that is normally occupied by a customer, unless a conspicuous and legible sign is located outside such place, near each public entrance, stating:

## "WARNING: SOUND LEVELS WITHIN MAY CAUSE HEARING IMPAIRMENT."

(Added by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)

## SEC. 113.01. RUBBISH AND GARBAGE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL.

(Amended by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff. 9/8/86.)
It shall be unlawful for any person engaged in the business of collecting or disposing of rubbish or garbage to operate any refuse disposal truck, parking lot sweeper, or vacuum truck, or to collect, load, pick up, transfer, unload, dump, discard, sweep, vacuum, or dispose of any rubbish or garbage, as such terms are defined in Section 66.00 of this Code, within 200 feet of any residential building between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. of the following day, unless a permit therefore has been duly obtained beforehand from the Board of Police Commissioners.

The standards which shall be considered in determining whether a permit shall be granted are the following:
(a) Whether the work to be done is in the public interest, or
(b) Whether the applicant would suffer hardship, injustice or delay if the permit were not granted, or
(c) Whether fuel conservation would result if the permit were issued.

No permit shall be required to perform emergency work as defined in Sec. 111.01(c) of this chapter.

## ARTICLE 4 <br> VEHICLES

## Section

114.03 Vehicles - Loading and Unloading.
114.04 Audible Signaling Devices.
114.05 Audible Advertising Devices - Commercial Food Vendors.
114.06 Vehicle Theft Alarm Systems.
114.07

## SEC. 114.01. VEHICLE REPAIRS.

(Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
It shall be unlawful for any person, within any residential property located within any residential zone of the City or within 500 feet thereof, to repair, rebuild, reconstruct or dismantle any motor vehicle between the hours of 8:00 p.m. of one day and 8:00 a.m. of the next day in such manner:
(a) That a reasonable person residing in the area is caused discomfort or annoyance;
(d) That such activity is audible to the human ear at a distance in excess of 150 feet from the property line of the noise source;
(c) As to create any noise which would cause the noise level on the premises of any occupied residential property, or if a condominium, apartment house or duplex, within any adjoining unit, to exceed the ambient noise level by more than five (5) decibels.

## SEC. 114.02. MOTOR DRIVEN VEHICLES.

(Amended by Ord. No. 156,363, Eff. 3/29/82.)
(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to unreasonably operate any motor driven vehicle upon any property within the City or to unreasonably accelerate the engine of any vehicle, or unreasonably sound, blow or operate the horn or other warning device of such vehicle in such manner:

1. As to disturb the peace, quiet and comfort of any neighborhood or of any reasonable person residing in such area
2. That such activity is audible to the human ear at a distance in excess of 150 feet from the property line of the noise source;
3. As to create any noise which would cause the noise level on the premises of any occupied residential property, or if a condominium, apartment house or duplex, within any adjoining unit, to exceed the ambient noise level by more than five (5) decibels.
(b) This section shall not be applicable to any vehicle which is operated upon any public highway, street or right-of-way or to the operation of any offhighway vehicle to the extent it is regulated in the Vehicle Code.

## SEC. 114.03. VEHICLES - LOADING AND UNLOADING.

## (Amended by Ord. No. 166,514, Eff. 1/24/91.)

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person, between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. of the following day, to load or unload any vehicle, or operate any dollies, carts, forklifts, or other wheeled equipment, which causes any impulsive sound, raucous or unnecessary noise within 200 feet of any residential building.
(b) Irrespective of the provisions of Subsection (a), loading or unloading of vehicles of the type of activity referred to in Subsection (a) may occur between the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. of the same day pursuant to a permit issued by the Department of Transportation in accordance with a business program as defined by said department. This permit program would be limited to the area bounded by Western Avenue, Santa Monica Freeway, Central Avenue, and the San Diego Freeway, within the limits of the City of Los Angeles. Such permits will not be issued to high-noise businesses such as trash pickup.

## SEC. 114.04. AUDIBLE SIGNALING DEVICES.

(Added by Ord. No. 161,574, Eff. 9/8/86.)
It shall be unlawful for any person, within any residential zone of the City or within 500 feet thereof, to sound, blow, or operate any audible signaling device, including sequential airhorns or electronically operated vehicular loud speaker music devices, which can be heard for a distance greater than 200 feet for any purpose. Violation of this section shall constitute an infraction This section does not address horn or warning devices regulated in Article 1 of Chapter 5 of Division 12 of the Vehicle Code of the State of California, commencing at Section 27000. (Last sentence amended by Ord. No. 165.191, Eff. 10/23/89.)

## SEC. 114.05. AUDIBLE ADVERTISING DEVICES - COMMERCIAL FOOD VENDORS. <br> (Added by Ord. No. 164,532, Eff. 4/20/89.)

Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 114.04, it shall be unlawful for any person, to sound, blow or operate any music, chimes or bells, or any similar sound device, amplified or otherwise, within 200 feet of any residential building between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. the next day while operating a catering truck, as that term is defined in Section 80.73 of the Municipal Code.

## SEC. 114.06. VEHICLE THEFT ALARM SYSTEMS.

(Former Sec. 114.05, Renumbered by Ord. No. 164,532, Eff. 4/20/89.)
It shall be unlawful for any person to install, operate or use any vehicle theft alarm system that emits or causes the emission of an audible sound, which is not, or does not become, automatically and completely silenced within five minutes. The time period shall be calculated based upon the emission of the first audible sound and shall end five minutes thereafter notwithstanding any variation or stoppage in the emissions of audible sound. Violation of this section shall constitute an infraction.

## SEC. 114.07. AUDIBLE STATUS INDICATOR.

(Added by Ord. No. 169,785, Eff. 6/9/94.)
It shall be unlawful for any person to install, operate, use or maintain any vehicle theft alarm system which utilizes an audible status indicator emitting or causing the emission of an audible sound for a duration of more than one minute. The time period shall be calculated from the point in time of the emission of the first audible sound used in calculation and shall end one minute thereafter, notwithstanding any variation or temporary stoppage in the emission of audible sound.

As used in this section, an audible status indicator is a component of a vehicle theft alarm system which emits sound audible outside the vehicle for the purpose of warning that a vehicle theft alarm system is installed and armed or operational. The term "audible status indicator" shall include any device which emits a chirp, voice message or other sound when an approaching person is within a certain distance of the vehicle in which the device is installed.

In the event enforcement of a violation occurs under this section, no enforcement shall be taken under Section 80.75 .1 of the Municipal Code for the same violation.

Violation of any provision of this section shall constitute an infraction.

# ARTICLE 5 <br> AMPLIFIED SOUND 

Purpose.
Prohibition and Regulations.

## SEC. 115.01. PURPOSE.

The Council enacts this legislation for the sole purpose of securing and promoting the public health, comfort, safety, and welfare of its citizenry. While recognizing that certain uses of sound amplifying equipment are protected by the constitutional rights of freedom of speech and assembly, the Council nevertheless feels obligated to reasonably regulate the use of sound amplifying equipment in order to protect the correlative constitutional rights of the citizens of this community to privacy and freedom from public nuisance of loud and unnecessary noise.

## SEC. 115.02. PROHIBITION AND REGULATIONS.

It shall be unlawful for any person, other than personnel of law enforcement or governmental agencies, or permittees duly authorized to use the same pursuant to Sec. 103.111 of this Code, to install, use, or operate within the City a loudspeaker or sound amplifying equipment in a fixed or movable position or mounted upon any sound truck for the purposes of giving instructions, directions, talks, addresses, lectures, or transmitting music to any persons or assemblages of persons in or upon any public street, alley, sidewalk, park or place, or other public property except when installed, used or operated in compliance with the following provisions:
(a) In all residential zones and within 500 feet thereof, no sound amplifying equipment shall be installed, operated or used for commercial purposes at any time.
(b) The operation or use of sound amplifying equipment for noncommercial purposes in all residential zones and within 500 feet thereof, except when used for regularly scheduled operative functions by any school or for the usual and customary purposes of any church, is prohibited between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 9:00 a.m. of the following day.
(c) In all other zones, except such portions thereof as may be included within 500 feet of any residential zone, the operation or use of sound amplifying equipment for commercial purposes is prohibited between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. of the following day.
(d) In all other zones, except such portions thereof as may be included within 500 feet of any residential zone, the operation or use of sound amplifying equipment for noncommercial purposes is prohibited between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. of the following day.
(e) The only sounds permitted shall be either music, human speech, or both.
(f) Sound emanating from sound amplifying equipment shall be limited in volume, tone and intensity as follows:

1. The sound shall not be audible at a distance in excess of 200 feet from the sound equipment.
2. In no event shall the sound be loud and raucous or unreasonably jarring, disturbing, annoying or a nuisance to reasonable persons of normal sensitiveness within the area of audibility.
(g) Except as provided in (b) above, no sound amplifying equipment shall be operated upon any property adjacent to and within 200 feet of any hospital grounds or any school or church building while in use.
(h) (Amended by Ord. No. 145,691, Eff. 5/2/74.) The operation or use of any sound amplifying equipment installed, mounted, attached or carried in or by any sound truck is further prohibited:
3. Within the Central Traffic district at any time;
4. Upon Hollywood Boulevard between Vermont Avenue and La Brea at any time;
5. Upon Wilshire Boulevard at any time;
6. Upon Sunset Boulevard at any time;
7. Upon Vine Street at any time;
8. Upon any street between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 9:00 a.m. of the following day;
9. Upon any street on any Sunday.

## ARTICLE 6 GENERAL NOISE

## SEC. 116.01. LOUD, UNNECESSARY AND UNUSUAL NOISE.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter and in addition thereto, it shall be unlawful for any person to willfully make or continue, or cause to be made or continued, any loud, unnecessary, and unusual noise which disturbs the peace or quiet of any neighborhood or which causes discomfort or annoyance to any reasonable person of normal sensitiveness residing in the area. The standard which may be considered in determining whether a violation of the provisions of this section exists may include, but not be limited to, the following:
(a) The level of noise;
(b) Whether the nature of the noise is usual or unusual;
(c) Whether the origin of the noise is natural or unnatural;
(d) The level and intensity of the background noise, if any;
(e) The proximity of the noise to residential sleeping facilities;
(f) The nature and zoning of the area within which the noise emanates;
(g) The density of the inhabitation of the area within which the noise emanates;
(h) The time of the day and night the noise occurs;
(i) The duration of the noise;
(j) Whether the noise is recurrent, intermittent, or constant; and
(k) Whether the noise is produced by a commercial or noncommercial activity.

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## APPENDIX 5.1:

## Study Area Рhotos

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JN: 14645 Study Area Photos


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JN: 14645 Study Area Photos



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## APPENDIX 5.2:

Noise Level Measurement Worksheets

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## APPENDIX 8.1:

## CadnaA Operational Noise Model Inputs

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## 14645 - Pico Residential - Operation

CadnaA Noise Prediction Model: 14645-02_Opearation.cna
Date: 16.12.22
Analyst: B. Maddux
Calculation Configuration

| Configuration |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Parameter | Value |
| General |  |
| Max. Error (dB) | 0.00 |
| Max. Search Radius (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 2000.01 |
| Min. Dist Src to Rcvr | 0.00 |
| Partition |  |
| Raster Factor | 0.50 |
| Max. Length of Section (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 999.99 |
| Min. Length of Section (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 1.01 |
| Min. Length of Section (\%) | 0.00 |
| Proj. Line Sources | On |
| Proj. Area Sources | On |
| Ref. Time |  |
| Reference Time Day (min) | 960.00 |
| Reference Time Night (min) | 480.00 |
| Daytime Penalty (dB) | 0.00 |
| Recr. Time Penalty (dB) | 5.00 |
| Night-time Penalty (dB) | 10.00 |
| DTM |  |
| Standard Height (m) | 0.00 |
| Model of Terrain | Triangulation |
| Reflection |  |
| max. Order of Reflection | 2 |
| Search Radius Src | 100.00 |
| Search Radius Rcvr | 100.00 |
| Max. Distance Source - Rcvr | 1000.001000 .00 |
| Min. Distance Rvcr - Reflector | 1.001 .00 |
| Min. Distance Source - Reflector | 0.10 |
| Industrial (ISO 9613) |  |
| Lateral Diffraction | some Obj |
| Obst. within Area Src do not shield | On |
| Screening | Incl. Ground Att. over Barrier |
|  | Dz with limit (20/25) |
| Barrier Coefficients C1,2,3 | 3.020 .00 .0 |
| Temperature (\#(Unit,TEMP)) | 10 |
| rel. Humidity (\%) | 70 |
| Ground Absorption G | 0.50 |
| Wind Speed for Dir. (\#(Unit,SPEED)) | 3.0 |
| Roads (TNM) |  |
| Railways (FTA/FRA) |  |
| Aircraft (???) |  |
| Strictly acc. to AzB |  |

## Receiver Noise Levels

| Name | M. | ID | Level Lr |  |  | Limit. Value |  |  | Land Use |  |  | Height | Coordinates |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Night | CNEL | Day | Night | CNEL | Type | Auto | Noise Type |  | X | Y | z |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  |  | (ft) | (ft) | (ft) | (ft) |
| R1 |  | R1 | 48.0 | 47.0 | 53.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | 5900967.77 | 2328404.54 | 5.00 |
| R2 |  | R2 | 29.7 | 27.2 | 33.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | 5901058.34 | 2328856.40 | 5.00 |
| R3 |  | R3 | 57.8 | 56.8 | 63.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | $x$ | Total | 5.00 | 5901061.22 | 2328455.25 | 5.00 |
| R4 |  | R4 | 31.3 | 29.1 | 35.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | 5900746.12 | 2328541.81 | 5.00 |

Area Source(s)

| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Result. PWL" |  |  | Lw / Li |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Height |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |
|  |  |  | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ |  |  | $\mathrm{dB}(\mathrm{A})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ |  |


| Name | ID | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Begin |  | End | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ |  |
| Ground |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |

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## APPENDIX 9.1:

## CadnaA Construction Noise Model Inputs

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## 14645 - Pico Residential

CadnaA Noise Prediction Model: 14645-02_Demolition.cna
Date: 18.06.23
Analyst: B. Maddux

## Calculation Configuration

| Configuration |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Parameter | Value |
| General |  |
| Max. Error (dB) | 0.00 |
| Max. Search Radius (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 2000.01 |
| Min. Dist Src to Rcvr | 0.00 |
| Partition |  |
| Raster Factor | 0.50 |
| Max. Length of Section (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 999.99 |
| Min. Length of Section (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 1.01 |
| Min. Length of Section (\%) | 0.00 |
| Proj. Line Sources | On |
| Proj. Area Sources | On |
| Ref. Time |  |
| Daytime Penalty (dB) | 0.00 |
| Recr. Time Penalty (dB) | 5.00 |
| Night-time Penalty (dB) | 10.00 |
| DTM |  |
| Standard Height (m) | 0.00 |
| Model of Terrain | Triangulation |
| Reflection |  |
| max. Order of Reflection | 2 |
| Search Radius Src | 100.00 |
| Search Radius Rcvr | 100.00 |
| Max. Distance Source - Rcvr | 1000.001000 .00 |
| Min. Distance Rvcr - Reflector | 1.001 .00 |
| Min. Distance Source - Reflector | 0.10 |
| Industrial (ISO 9613) |  |
| Lateral Diffraction | some Obj |
| Obst. within Area Src do not shield | On |
| Screening | Incl. Ground Att. over Barrier |
|  | Dz with limit (20/25) |
| Barrier Coefficients C1,2,3 | 3.020 .00 .0 |
| Temperature (\#(Unit,TEMP)) | 10 |
| rel. Humidity (\%) | 70 |
| Ground Absorption G | 0.50 |
| Wind Speed for Dir. (\#(Unit,SPEED)) | 3.0 |
| Roads (TNM) |  |
| Railways (FTA/FRA) |  |
| Aircraft (???) |  |
| Strictly acc. to AzB |  |

## Receiver Noise Levels

| Name | M. | ID | Level Lr |  |  | Limit. Value |  |  | Land Use |  |  | Height |  | Coordinates |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Night | CNEL | Day | Night | CNEL | Type | Auto | Noise Type |  |  | X | Y | Z |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  |  | (ft) |  | (ft) | (ft) | (ft) |
| R1 |  | R1 | 67.3 | -32.7 | 64.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5900967.77 | 2328404.54 | 5.00 |
| R2 |  | R2 | 62.4 | -37.6 | 59.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5901058.34 | 2328856.40 | 5.00 |
| R3 |  | R3 | 64.6 | -35.4 | 61.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5901061.22 | 2328455.25 | 5.00 |
| R4 |  | R4 | 60.7 | -39.3 | 57.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5900746.12 | 2328541.81 | 5.00 |

Point Source(s)

| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Lw $/ \mathrm{Li}$ |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night |  | X | Y | Z |  |  |
|  |  |  | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ |  |  | $\mathrm{dB}(\mathrm{A})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  |

## Line Source(s)

| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Result. PWL' |  |  | Lw / Li |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Moving Pt. Src |  |  |  | Height |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night |  | Number |  | Speed |  |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  | dB(A) | (min) | (min) | (min) | Day | Evening | Night | (mph) | (ft) |


| Name | ID | Height |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Begin |  | End | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ |
| Ground |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |


| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Result. PWL" |  |  | Lw / Li |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Height |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night | (ft) |  |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  | $\mathrm{dB}(\mathrm{A})$ | (min) | (min) | (min) |  |  |
| Construction |  | CA001 | 114.3 | 14.3 | 14.3 | 85.5 | -14.5 | -14.5 | PWL-Pt | 114.3 |  |  |  |  | 8 | a |


| Name | ID | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Begin |  | End | x | y | z | Ground |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |
|  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Construction | CA001 | 8.00 | a |  | 5901017.02 | 2328452.59 | 8.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5900971.78 | 2328524.55 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5900976.74 | 2328544.49 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5901036.67 | 2328577.07 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  | 5901089.99 | 2328492.25 | 8.00 | 0.00 |  |

## Barrier(s)

| Name | Sel. | M. | ID | Absorption | Z-Ext. | Cantilever |  | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | left | right |  | horz. | vert. | Begin |  | End | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | Ground |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 16.00 | r |  | 5901016.89 | 2328452.29 | 16.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5901089.99 | 2328491.80 | 16.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8.00 | r |  | 5900976.53 | 2328544.62 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5900971.56 | 2328524.51 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5901016.94 | 2328452.32 | 8.00 | 0.00 |

Building(s)

| Name | Sel. | M. | ID | RB | Residents | Absorption | Height | Coordinates |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Begin | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | Ground |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |
| $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Ground Absorption(s)



## 14645 - Pico Residential

CadnaA Noise Prediction Model: 14645-02_Building-Pave.cna
Date: 18.06.23
Analyst: B. Maddux

## Calculation Configuration

| Configuration |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Parameter | Value |
| General |  |
| Max. Error (dB) | 0.00 |
| Max. Search Radius (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 2000.01 |
| Min. Dist Src to Rcvr | 0.00 |
| Partition |  |
| Raster Factor | 0.50 |
| Max. Length of Section (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 999.99 |
| Min. Length of Section (\#(Unit,LEN)) | 1.01 |
| Min. Length of Section (\%) | 0.00 |
| Proj. Line Sources | On |
| Proj. Area Sources | On |
| Ref. Time |  |
| Daytime Penalty (dB) | 0.00 |
| Recr. Time Penalty (dB) | 5.00 |
| Night-time Penalty (dB) | 10.00 |
| DTM |  |
| Standard Height (m) | 0.00 |
| Model of Terrain | Triangulation |
| Reflection |  |
| max. Order of Reflection | 2 |
| Search Radius Src | 100.00 |
| Search Radius Rcvr | 100.00 |
| Max. Distance Source - Rcvr | 1000.001000 .00 |
| Min. Distance Rvcr - Reflector | 1.001 .00 |
| Min. Distance Source - Reflector | 0.10 |
| Industrial (ISO 9613) |  |
| Lateral Diffraction | some Obj |
| Obst. within Area Src do not shield | On |
| Screening | Incl. Ground Att. over Barrier |
|  | Dz with limit (20/25) |
| Barrier Coefficients C1,2,3 | 3.020 .00 .0 |
| Temperature (\#(Unit,TEMP)) | 10 |
| rel. Humidity (\%) | 70 |
| Ground Absorption G | 0.50 |
| Wind Speed for Dir. (\#(Unit,SPEED)) | 3.0 |
| Roads (TNM) |  |
| Railways (FTA/FRA) |  |
| Aircraft (???) |  |
| Strictly acc. to AzB |  |

## Receiver Noise Levels

| Name | M. | ID | Level Lr |  |  | Limit. Value |  |  | Land Use |  |  | Height |  | Coordinates |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Night | CNEL | Day | Night | CNEL | Type | Auto | Noise Type |  |  | X | Y | Z |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  |  | (ft) |  | (ft) | (ft) | (ft) |
| R1 |  | R1 | 66.9 | -33.1 | 63.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5900967.77 | 2328404.54 | 5.00 |
| R2 |  | R2 | 62.0 | -38.0 | 59.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5901058.34 | 2328856.40 | 5.00 |
| R3 |  | R3 | 64.2 | -35.8 | 61.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5901061.22 | 2328455.25 | 5.00 |
| R4 |  | R4 | 60.3 | -39.7 | 57.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  | x | Total | 5.00 | a | 5900746.12 | 2328541.81 | 5.00 |

Point Source(s)

| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Lw $/ \mathrm{Li}$ |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night |  | X | Y | Z |  |  |
|  |  |  | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ | $(\mathrm{dBA})$ |  |  | $\mathrm{dB}(\mathrm{A})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{min})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  |

## Line Source(s)

| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Result. PWL' |  |  | Lw / Li |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Moving Pt. Src |  |  |  | Height |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night |  | Number |  | Speed |  |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  | dB(A) | (min) | (min) | (min) | Day | Evening | Night | (mph) | (ft) |


| Name | ID | Height |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Begin |  | End | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ |
| Ground |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |


| Name | M. | ID | Result. PWL |  |  | Result. PWL" |  |  | Lw / Li |  |  | Operating Time |  |  | Height |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Day | Evening | Night | Day | Evening | Night | Type | Value | norm. | Day | Special | Night | (ft) |  |
|  |  |  | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) | (dBA) |  |  | $\mathrm{dB}(\mathrm{A})$ | (min) | (min) | (min) |  |  |
| Construction |  | CA001 | 110.6 | 10.6 | 10.6 | 81.8 | -18.2 | -18.2 | PWL-Pt | 110.6 |  |  |  |  | 8 | a |


| Name | ID | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Begin |  | End | x | y | z | Ground |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |
|  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Construction | CA001 | 8.00 | a |  |  | 5901017.02 | 2328452.59 | 8.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5900971.78 | 2328524.55 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5900976.74 | 2328544.49 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  | 5901036.67 | 2328577.07 | 8.00 | 0.00 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5901089.99 | 2328492.25 | 8.00 | 0.00 |

## Barrier(s)

| Name | Sel. | M. | ID | Absorption | Z-Ext. | Cantilever |  | Height |  |  | Coordinates |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | left | right |  | horz. | vert. | Begin |  | End | x | y | z | Ground |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8.00 | r |  | 5901016.89 | 2328452.29 | 16.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5901089.99 | 2328491.80 | 16.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.00 | r |  | 5900976.53 | 2328544.62 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5900971.56 | 2328524.51 | 8.00 | 0.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5901016.94 | 2328452.32 | 8.00 | 0.00 |

Building(s)

| Name | Sel. | M. | ID | RB | Residents | Absorption | Height | Coordinates |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Begin | x | y | z | Ground |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |
| $(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Ground Absorption(s)

| Name | Sel. | M. | ID | G | Coordinates |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | x | y |
|  |  |  |  |  | $(\mathrm{ft})$ | $(\mathrm{ft})$ |

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### 1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

DESCRIPTION: On July 31, 2007, Environmental Solutions performed a phase I environmental site assessment of a property known by Bolour \& Associates as "The Pico Property". The subject is a complex of two adjacent rectangular single story retail \& restaurant buildings built circa 1949. The building which covers an area of approximately $6,200 \mathrm{ft} 2$, are located on the south side of Pico Blvd., at the Southeast corner of Pico and Veteran Avenue in the City of West Los Angeles. The western space is an "Islands" restaurant and the eastern space is "George's Hoovers Vacuum Store". We have assumed the 10948 West Pico Blvd. address as the reference point for obtaining environmental data from EDR, Inc. According to available records, the property coordinates are;

Latitude (North ) of 34.038900-34 deg 2' 20.0'", and
Longitude (West) of 118.431000-118 deg 25' 51.6".
The elevation of site is recorded at 177 ft above sea level. The land is generally flat with a slight slope toward the South/Southwest. Our observation of the subject site is discussed in the following sections;

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS: There were no indication of presence of hazardous materials at the subject's stores during the time of our observations. According to our field observation, no explosive materials were observed or identified on site. Also, according to our on-site investigation, no explosive materials were used on-site.

PCB EQUIPMENT: No transformers or sign of PCB containing transformers were observed on-site. There is always a possibility that a site's soil may contain PCB containing oil through unauthorized dumping, accidents or other historical uses. There was no indication of leaking PCB containing transformer oils or equipment at the site.

ASBESTOS: According to the ASTM standards, asbestos survey is not a part of a phase I report. Although it is reasonable to assume that due to the age of the buildings (1949), some asbestos containing materials may have been used during the construction of the building. The subject buildings use brick, mortar, plaster and stucco as a common construction material for the exterior and mostly drywall and plaster for the interior partitions and structural members. Plaster has been found in some cases during PLM microscopic analysis to contain traces of asbestos fibers $(<1 \%)$. Furthermore, due to the age of the subject building, and in accordance with our field observation, we have assumed the roofing materials, ie; penetration mastic used around the roof's equipment penetrations to be ACM.

LEAD: Due to the age of the building (1926), it is reasonable to assume that lead-base paint has been used on the building's structural members in the past. Furthermore, our observation of the building indicates use of suspected lead-glazed ceramic tiles in the buildings.

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HISTORICAL USES OF PROPERTY: In order to obtain this information, we have reviewed, copies of Sanborn maps and the aerial photos. Based on our review of the aerial photos and the Sanborn maps of 1969, 1950 and 1938, the subject site (both buildings) appears to have been used as commercial/retail property, specifically the vacuum cleaner store which has been operating since 1952. The aerial photos do not indicate the use of the land or the buildings used for agricultural, industrial or adverse land-use.

Certain interior renovation and modification is evident in the Islands space which was renovated completely in 1998 (see photo). Our review of the records and aerial photos does not indicate use of the property for any industrial or manufacturing uses.

GOVERNMENTAL LISTS REVIEW: The subject site was not listed in any of the databases searched by EDR. No mapped sites were found in EDR's search of available government records either on the subject property/site or within the ASTM E-1527-05 search radius around the subject property for those databases as indicated on the attached EDR Executive Summary. More information about the identified surrounding sites is discussed as following;

RCRA: A review of the RCRA-SQG list, as provided by EDR, and dated, 06/13/2006 has revealed that there are 6 RCRA-SQG sites within approximately 0.25 miles of the subject property.

LUST: A review of the LUST list as provided by EDR and dated, 4/10/2007, has revealed that there are 4 LUST sites within 0.5 miles of the subject property.

HIST UST: A review of the HIST UST list provided by EDR and, dated 10/15/1990 has revealed that there are 2 HIST UST site within 0.25 miles of the subject property.

DRYCLEANERS: A review of the Cleaners list, as provided by EDR, and dated, 04/18/2005 has revealed that there are 3 Cleaners site within approximately 0.25 miles of the target property.

Further information regarding the governmental data base should be reviewed in the EDR's report included in the Appendix II of this report.

GEOLOGY / HYDROLOGY: The geologic information obtained by EDR indicate the geologic age category of the soil of the subject site is "Stratified Sequence" from a Cenozoic era. The dominant soil composition in the general area of the target property in accordance with our review of the Soil Conservation Service STATSGO data indicate; the soil component name as "Urban Land". The surface texture is best categorized as "variable". The Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Hydrologic Records Division (communication, November 16, 1996) was contacted to provide groundwater information in the active wells closest to the subject site. The groundwater flow direction is recorded to be in a southerly and westerly direction following general topography toward the Los Angeles River.

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A search radius of 1.25 miles indicated no recorded status of the hydrogeological information. The aquaflow information was obtained by EDR for a search radius of one mile around the property and the data indicates a general SW direction in four different well locations.

CONCLUSIONS: Environmental Solutions finds that according to the review of the available data and our visual observations of the site and its immediate surroundings, the subject property appears to be low to moderate environmental condition at this time. No area of recognized environmental concern was identified at this site.

FURTHER INVESTIGATION: Further investigation is not recommended at this time.

### 2.0 INTRODUCTION

### 2.1 Purpose

A Phase I environmental assessment was conducted on July 31, 2007 at the subject property located at 10948 West Pico Blvd., in the City of Los Angeles, California for Bolour \& Associates. The purpose of this environmental assessment was to identify and discuss areas of recognized environmental conditions both on-site, adjacent to the site and its vicinity. We have therefore, prepared this report containing our opinion on the general environmental condition of the property at this time. Our opinion is primarily derived from the review of available EDR data and ascertained information gathered during our field observation and investigation as well as information given by the City of Los Angeles.

### 2.2 Special Terms and Conditions

There are no known special terms and conditions to the extent of our knowledge of the property.

### 2.3 Limitations and Exceptions of Assessment

The ASTM standard does not include a physical assessment of the sub-surface soil. Furthermore, assessment and/or survey for asbestos containing materials or lead containing materials are not included in the ASTM E-1527-05. However, we will disclose information regarding those materials that visually and according to age of the property can be categorized as suspected or presumed asbestos containing materials (ACM) or lead containing materials. We recommend performance of asbestos and lead survey during a phase II investigation, if deemed necessary, and according to conditions.

### 2.4 Limiting Conditions

It should be noted that when an environmental assessment is completed without adequate subsurface exploration or chemical screening of soil and ground water beneath the site, as in this study, no statement of scientific certainty or fact can be made regarding latent subsurface conditions which may be the result of on-site or off-site sources. The findings and conclusions of this report are not scientific certainties, but rather, probabilities based on professional judgement in regards to the significance or insignificance of the data gathered during the course of this environmental investigation.

Environmental Solutions is not able to ascertain that the site or adjoining land/properties contain no hazardous waste, oil or other latent condition beyond that which was visible or detectable during field observations of our Phase I investigation. The possibility always exists for contaminants to migrate through surface water, air or groundwater. The ability to accurately address the environmental risk associated with such phenomena is beyond the scope of standards of this investigation.

### 3.0 SITE DESCRIPTION

The property under phase I investigation is a complex of two adjacent and rectangular shaped single story brick/plaster/stucco buildings built circa 1949. The building is located on the south side of Pico Blvd. The two spaces of the building are and have been used for retail since the early 1950s. The exterior of the buildings consist of the original brick and mortar, later, covered by plaster and stucco. The interior partitions are all drywall. The roofs in both buildings are flat and inaccessible from inside. The property is located in a busy commercial/retail district of Pico Blvd., which is surrounded by residential homes to the south and north of Pico Blvd. corridor.

The site can be described and characterized as "commercial/retail property". There are furniture shops/stores, commercial/office buildings, restaurants and retail shops on both, the south and the north of the Pico corridor.

### 3.1 Location and Legal Description

Legal description of this property has not been provided by Bolour \& Associates and is not part of this report.

### 3.2 Site Vicinity Characteristics

The vicinity of the site is best described as commercial/retail and residential. In general, the subject site is surrounded by a combination of residential/rental properties mostly to the north and south of the site along Veteran Avenue, and commercial/retail shops to its west and east along Pico Corridor.

### 3.3 Descriptions of Structures, Roads, other improvements, including heating/cooling system, sewage disposal, source of potable water.

Structures: There is only one structure on the site which includes the subject of this phase I assessment. The subject building is a single story wood-framed brick and mortar structures built on-slab with plaster/stucco exterior surface finish which appears to have been built circa 1949. The aerial photos confirm the building and title documents. The "Islands" restaurant building appears to have gone through several face-lifts and renovations. The roof of the buildings are flat and contain the HVAC equipment.

Roads: There is no road going through the subject site. There is an access alley on the south side of the property used for additional parking (see photos).

Heating and Cooling: The heating and cooling systems for both buildings were observed to be by gasforced air and the HVAC or cooling system was by forced-air system and located on the roof.

Sewage: The site uses standard City of Los Angeles sewer system. The presence of an underground sewage system could not be confirmed at the time of our observation of the site.

Water \& Power: Water and Power is provided by City of Los Angeles.

### 3.4 Information regarding Environmental Lien or Specialized Knowledge or Experience.

Environmental Solutions has no information that would indicate an environmental lien or any specialized knowledge of the subject property.

### 3.5 Current Uses of Property

Currently the property is fully occupied by Hoover vacuum cleaner retailer and "Islands" restaurant. The use of the building can be best described as $100 \%$ retail rental.

### 3.6 Past Uses of the Property, to the extent identified:

Based on our conversation with the Hoovers store manager, the review of aerial photos and other pertinent documents, ie; Sanborn Maps, it is our opinion that the property has been used as combination of restaurant and the vacuum cleaner repair shop since the 1950s.

### 3.7 Current and Past Uses of Adjoining Properties, to the extent identified:

Current Uses: The adjoining property is "Eclectic Avenue Furniture to the east of the Hoover store. No other adjacent property is at the site. No other sue of this property is indicated. There is a Midas auto mechanic shop on the west side of the property across Veteran Ave. This shop was built in the 1980s.

Past Uses: According to the available records and photos, the adjoining property has also being used for furniture sales and/or service. The Midas shop was previously a vacant land.

## SANBORN FIRE INSURANCE MAPS

Sanborn fire insurance maps for the subject property was obtained by EDR and reviewed. The maps are from 1938, 1950 and 1969. one copy of each given year was obtained through Environmental Data Resources (EDR) and is made a part of this report under separate cover for your review.

The maps show a progressive concentration of both commercial/retail and residential buildings and development around the subject property since 1938. The 1938 map indicates the subject site and its adjacent to be vacant land.

## AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS

Aerial photographs were obtained from EDR and reviewed for photographs that would provide some indication of the past uses of the site. Photographs were viewed from 1928, 1938, 1947, 1956, 1965, 1976, 1989, 1994 and 2002.

1928 Aerial Photo indicates the site as flat vacant land. Low concentration of mostly residential and rental apartment buildings is evident to the north of the site.

1938 Aerial Photo indicates slightly more dense concentration of residential homes and apartments to the north of the site. The subject site is indicated as vacant land on this photo. There are no indications of industrial activities and or discoloration of land.

1947 Aerial Photo indicates greater concentration of commercial and residential properties in the vicinity of the site. No building is indicated at the site.

1956 Aerial photo indicates much greater development of residential buildings to the north and the south side of Pico Blvd. The construction of the freeway 10 is indicated to the south of this photo.

1965 Aerial Photo indicates a denser concentration of commercial buildings. No adverse indication of environmental condition is indicated on this photo.

1976 \& 1989 Aerial Photos indicate the subject site and the surrounding areas to be very similar in nature as they are today. Greater traffic density is evident. No evidence of adverse environmental concern is indicated on these photos.

1994 Aerial Photo indicate the site and the surroundings as being much the same as the late 1980 's.
2002 Aerial Photo indicate the building and its surrounding as it appears today. No indication of adverse environmental concern is evident.

### 4.0 RECORDS REVIEW

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the most current databases and specific lists are reviewed for currency. The information has been specified for a one mile radius around the site as per ASTM E-1527-05. More recent information or additional information may be requested from the California Department of Toxic Substances Control, the Regional Water Quality Control Board, and the EPA if deemed necessary for a specific site as per environmental professionals judgement.

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### 4.1 Standard Environmental Record Sources, Federal and State

Governmental Databases were reviewed for properties that may possibly impact the subject site. Properties that are of concern, will be reviewed in the following text and will be listed by proximity to the site. For a completed listing and related maps please see the attached appendix containing the database information. The information regarding the RCRA, LUST and UST Sites, and DRYCLEANERS sites are presented in the EDR's executive summary section on pages 6 and 7 of the EDR's executive summary.

### 4.2 Physical Setting Source(s)

## Topography

The subject property is located within the Beverly Hills, California Quadrangle Map, 7.5 Minute Series (topography) published by the U.S. Geological Survey (U.S.G.S.) in 1999. The average elevation of the site is approximately 177 feet above mean sea level. The subject site is relatively flat with a slight slope to the South \& Southwest. Surface topography in the area slopes gently to the southwest, with a local surface gradient of roughly 0.0125 or about 1.42 vertical foot per 80 feet horizontally. The site is located immediately south of the western flank of the Santa Monica Mountains in a fluvial valley. Surface drainage consists of the channel of the Los Angeles River and the Santa Monica Bay.

## Hydrology

The site is located in the central-west part of the Los Angeles - Beverly Hills Groundwater Basin. Surface drainage in the vicinity is mainly to local storm sewers. The man-made improvements hinder infiltration of rainwater and therefore recharge of local groundwater aquifers. Locally, landscape irrigation and leaking improvements and drainage systems make some contribution to groundwater replenishment. The groundwater flow is inferred to be regionally in a southerly and westerly direction following general topography toward the beach. Groundwater locations and/or depths are not available at this time.

### 4.3 Additional Record Sources

The City of Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety: Building permits and Certificates of Occupancy for the site were reviewed but have not been made part of this report. Our review of the data on the subject building from the Buildings Department did not indicate any environmental related violations on file. The 10948 building was renovated in 1998 and the records indicate that. Our inquiry to the LA Fire-Department in that area did not indicate presence or history of adverse environmental condition at the site.

### 5.0 INFORMATION FROM SITE RECONNAISSANCE

### 5.1 Hazardous Substances in Connection with Identified Uses (including storage, handling, disposal)

There are no indications of such information. No hazardous substance was identified.

### 5.2 Hazardous Substance Containers and Unidentified Substance Containers (including storage, handling, disposal)

According to our observations and our conversation with the store manager no hazardous substance or containers as such are on site.

### 5.3 Storage Tanks (including how contained and assessment of leakage or potential for leakage)

No storage tanks were observed at the site. No indication of UST was observed.

### 5.4 Indications of PCB's (including forms of containment and assessment of leakage or potential

 for leakage)There were no indications of older type transformers on-site. Older transformers contain PCB containing oils. There were no indications of PCB oil leakage on-site.

### 5.5 Indications of Solid Waste

There were no indications of Solid Hazardous Waste or Solid Waste at the site.

### 5.6 Physical Setting Analysis (If migrating Hazardous Substances are an issue).

There is always the potential for migration of hazardous materials along groundwater aquifers (gradient flow is to the south/southwest).

The hydrology of the area creates the potential for contaminants to migrate but at a depth of 100 plus feet below ground surface. At this time, there are no information regarding the ground water contamination. No environmental data regarding the condition of the subsurface soil is available for the subject site.

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### 5.7 Radon

Sixty three sites around the subject site in the Los Angeles County have been regularly tested for radon gas. In general ( $98 \%$ of the studied buildings) the first floors of the buildings have a level of $<4 \mathrm{pCi} / \mathrm{lit}$ $@$ near $0.711 \mathrm{pCi} / \mathrm{L}$. The second floors are not reported in the EDR's report. The basements are @ $0.933 \mathrm{pCi} /$ lit. 5 sites around the subject property were tested for Radon and the results indicated none detected levels.

### 5.8 Any other Conditions of Concern

During the site investigation no significant areas of environmental concern was observed. No unusual vapor smells or odors were discernable in or around the site. The possibility always exists for contaminants to migrate through surface water, air or groundwater. The ability to accurately address the environmental risk associated with transport in these media is beyond the scope of this investigation.

### 6.0 FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

It is our opinion that based on our visual observation of the conditions and review of the available data presented in this report, the subject property is of low environmental risk. No recognized environmental condition was present at this site.

### 7.0 SIGNATURES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONAL



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Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps, EDR,.
City of Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety
City of Los Angeles Hazardous Material Department, Fire Division

## APPENDICES

## 1) Aerial Photos

## 2) Site Photos

## 3) Radius Map Check <br> Governmental Lists (EDR)

## 4) Sanborn Maps

| TO | Connie Chauv, City Planner <br> Department of City Planning <br> City of Los Angeles |
| :--- | :--- |
| FROM | Dana Sayles, AICP <br> three6ixty |
| DATE | May 3, 2023 |
| RE | Phase I ESA Verification |

To Connie Chauv, and the Department of City Planning:
The Department of City Planning has asked the Applicant team for the project located at 10948 West Piso Boulevard (Case Number CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA) to verify no changes have occurred since the completion of the Phase I ESA report in 2007.

This letter constitutes verification by the Applicant team that no changes have occurred onsite since the conclusion of this report in 2007. The site has remained a one-story restaurant building with no other modifications. As such, the Phase I ESA report is still an accurate document for the purposes of the entitlement application under Case Number CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact us at (310) 204-3500.

Sincerely,
three6ixty


Dana A. Sayles, AICP

## EXHIBIT E

## PUBLIC CORRESPONDENCE

## CPC22-8060 DB HCA

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Attached is letter from Westside Neighborhood Council to be submitted to the file for CPC22-8060 DB HCA

Barbara Broide, WNC LUC Chair

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June 9, 2023

## Transmitted via email: connie.chauv@lacity.org

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FROM: Barbara Broide, Land Use Committee (LUC) Chair Westside Neighborhood Council (WNC)

RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project 10942-10948 Pico Blvd.
CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA
The Westside Neighborhood Council (WNC) held its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, June 8.

This letter reports on the decision of the WNC Board adopted at that meeting to oppose the above-referenced project, as currently proposed.

On the advice of the Office of the City Attorney, Board Chair Terri Tippit recused herself from the discussion regarding this item (number 4 on the agenda) as her home is within a 500 -foot radius of the subject property. Consequently, the WNC Land Use Committee presided over the discussion and the subsequent vote on agenda item number 4.b.

Please note that the following HOAs within the WNC area previously submitted letters of opposition to the proposed project:

- West of Westwood HOA
- Westwood Gardens Civic Association
- Century Glen HOA
- Country Club Estates HOA

In addition, the Westwood South of Santa Monica Blvd. (WSSM) HOA raised concerns about this project and voiced opposition to the entitlements requested by the project applicant.

The discussion at the June 8 meeting of the WNC Board included a presentation by representatives of the project applicant addressing the different program elements permitted by current zoning and those being requested as well as a review of questions submitted to them earlier. There was a question-and-answer period that followed the presentation, followed by a formal public comment period (of one minute/speaker). The applicant was able to respond to any comments made during the public comment period following that period.

The public comments expressed clear opposition to the project.
The Board then entered into discussion and deliberation. Although most members of the Board appreciated and recognized as positive certain characteristics of the project as well as the developer's earlier efforts to meet with neighbors and incorporate some project design changes, in the process of crafting a Board motion, a consensus emerged concluding that the project was simply too large of a building for too small of a site. Thus, a majority of those board members in attendance voted to reject the project as presented.

We continue to welcome opportunities to increase the affordability and availability of housing in our area. We acknowledge our responsibility to welcome new housing in our community and especially housing on our commercial corridors in order to preserve our existing residential single family and multi-family housing.

We trust that future developments will be respectful of and will honor the previously agreed-upon and adopted NMU standards governing development in the EXPO TNP corridor.

## cc: Members of the WNC Board <br> City Councilmember Katy Yaroslavsky, District 5

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The West Of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA) is submitting the attached letter to be included in the file for CPC2022-8060-DB-HCA.

We are also requesting that BOE and DOT do an on-site review of the proposed project as outlined in the attached letter.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.
Terri Tippit
WOWHOA, President

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Homeowners Association

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RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

The above-referenced application received by the Planning Department in November 2022 proposes construction of a bonus density multi-level residential facility at 10942-10948 Pico Blvd., at the southeast corner of Veteran Avenue and Pico Blvd. The R-1 residential street immediately abutting the site to the south is Ayres Avenue, which is part of the West of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA) and the Westside Neighborhood Council.

Following discussion with various members of the Board of Directors of the WOWHA, I am submitting this letter to your office in my capacity as President of WOWHOA; for full disclosure, my residential property is located on Ayres Avenue.

The WOWHOA is in receipt of the list of Entitlement Requests which have been submitted to the City of Los Angeles for this project.

Please know that, on February 16, various members of the WOWHOA Board joined me in a $2+$ hour review session of the project with the architect for the project (Wil Carson, 64 North) and with the land use consultant (Dana Sayles, three6xty) retained by the principal owner/developer, Bolour Associates (CEO: Mark Bolour) through Pico-Veteran Holdings LLC. Mr. Bolour did not attend our February 16 meeting due to a schedule conflict.

The cordial session on February 16 resulted in agreement to continue our discussions on the following timetable over the next two months:

| March 8 | Submittal of new modifications by Mr. Carson to WOWHOA |
| :--- | :--- |
| March 22 or 23 | Consideration of final WOWHOA comments by the Land Use <br> Committee of the Westside Neighborhood Council (WNC) |
| April 13 | Consideration of the project by the Westside Neighborhood <br> Council (WNC) at its regular monthly meeting. |
| After April 13 | Submittal of WNC comments to the City of Los Angeles |

We also informed Ms. Sayles and Mr. Carson that this letter would be submitted to the City of Los Angeles to ensure that the WOWHOA is on record with its initial set of comments about this project, with the caveat that the final set of comments from the WOWHOA may be different, based on the continuing discussions with the owner/developer.

For background, the property at 10948 Pico Blvd. was occupied for 36 years by the popular restaurant chain, Islands. This location was the first one established by that company, opening in May 1982. From that first restaurant at Pico-Veteran, the company has expanded to more than 50 locations in California and four other states. In 2018, the Islands Restaurant company decided to close permanently its "birthplace" location at Pico-Veteran due to disagreements regarding the cost and responsibility for property improvements and associated rent increases.

Sadly, the property and one-level building have now been vacant for more than four years, with no replacement restaurant operator identified. Fortunately, the current owner of the property, Bolour Associates, has been cooperative and responsive to
periodic concerns of the WOWHOA regarding the physical condition of the vacant property, but the property has remained unused since late 2018.

A major concern of the WOWHOA is that, since 2018, four of the seven restaurants located on the south side of Pico Blvd. between Westwood Blvd. and Veteran Ave. have permanently closed (plus the closure/demolition of the Norm's Restaurant building at Pico Blvd. and Greenfield Ave. on the north side of Pico Blvd., nearby). These closures, along with other business closures such as the Landmark Theaters, have resulted in an obvious dilution of the neighborhood profile of this specific community area on Pico Blvd., between Westwood Blvd. and Military Ave.

This will be the first project to be constructed on Pico Blvd. under the provisions of the Expo Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan's NMU Zone.

The change in land use of this property from a neighborhood-oriented retail business (restaurant) to a high-density residential facility may be inevitable. Nonetheless, for the WOWHOA, this particular project is precedential as the first major residential facility along this portion of Pico Blvd. other than the three-level Menorah Housing Foundation/Zev Yaroslavsky Senior Apartment building at 10961 Pico Blvd. (between Greenfield Avenue and Veteran Avenue) on the north side of Pico Blvd.

Consequently, the WOWHOA is evaluating this one specific project with the contextual concern that its construction and use - abutting an $\mathrm{R}-1$ residential neighborhood -- could easily and quickly be replicated at other locations in this neighborhood-oriented section of Pico Blvd. (We are aware of the multi-year efforts for residential development projects on other major roadways in the City of Los Angeles, such as Overland Ave. south of Pico Blvd. to the Culver City border).

The points of discussion and our continuing concerns that we expressed at our February 16 meeting are summarized as follows:
A. Height and Density: The WOWHOA believes that, for a property parcel of slightly less than 8,350 sf, not only the height of this project - as a five-level facility with roof top as common space - but also the density of this project - with 30 units (a mixture of studio, 1-bedroom and 2-bedroom units) - is not consistent with the neighborhood profile of this community. We understand that the outcome of our discussions may well be "an agreement to disagree" on these concerns. We also understand that the financial feasibility of developing this project, with all of its physical constraints as discussed below, may argue - in the perspective of any developer - for the need of such density. On the other hand,
we simply point to the aforementioned Menorah Housing Foundation/Zev Yaroslavsky apartments, with its three levels across the street, as our example of what should be built - a facility with a maximum of 21 units.
B. Residential Characteristic \#1 - Work-Live Units: We were informed that the three ground-level units facing Pico Blvd. will be work-live, loft-style units for which at least the front portion of the lower (ground) level will be workspace, with entry onto the Pico Blvd. sidewalk - but not meant for retail businesses such as a café, salon, barber shop, etc. Examples of appropriate categories of tenants were provided, such as, photographers, architects, fashion designers, etc. We spent considerable time discussing: (i) prevention of any renting or subletting of the lower level for short-term housing; (ii) the need for uniformity in terms of screening of the glass facades of the lower level (both for uniformity and privacy); (iii) the desirability of annual verification that the occupant-tenant has a current business license from the City of Los Angeles, as a condition of the lease agreement for the unit; and (iv) a requirement for uniform design/size of any Pico Blvd. tenant signage.
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## CPC 22-8060DB HCA

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RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

The above-referenced application received by the Planning Department in November 2022 proposes construction of a bonus density multi-level residential facility at 10942-10948 Pico Blvd., at the southeast corner of Veteran Avenue and Pico Blvd. The R-1 residential street immediately abutting the site to the south is Ayres Avenue, which is part of the West of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA) and the Westside Neighborhood Council.

Following discussion with various members of the Board of Directors of the WOWHA, I am submitting this letter to your office in my capacity as President of WOWHOA; for full disclosure, my residential property is located on Ayres Avenue.

The WOWHOA is in receipt of the list of Entitlement Requests which have been submitted to the City of Los Angeles for this project.

Please know that, on February 16, various members of the WOWHOA Board joined me in a $2+$ hour review session of the project with the architect for the project (Wil Carson, 64 North) and with the land use consultant (Dana Sayles, three6xty) retained by the principal owner/developer, Bolour Associates (CEO: Mark Bolour) through Pico-Veteran Holdings LLC. Mr. Bolour did not attend our February 16 meeting due to a schedule conflict.

The cordial session on February 16 resulted in agreement to continue our discussions on the following timetable over the next two months:

| March 8 | Submittal of new modifications by Mr. Carson to WOWHOA |
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We also informed Ms. Sayles and Mr. Carson that this letter would be submitted to the City of Los Angeles to ensure that the WOWHOA is on record with its initial set of comments about this project, with the caveat that the final set of comments from the WOWHOA may be different, based on the continuing discussions with the owner/developer.

For background, the property at 10948 Pico Blvd. was occupied for 36 years by the popular restaurant chain, Islands. This location was the first one established by that company, opening in May 1982. From that first restaurant at Pico-Veteran, the company has expanded to more than 50 locations in California and four other states. In 2018, the Islands Restaurant company decided to close permanently its "birthplace" location at Pico-Veteran due to disagreements regarding the cost and responsibility for property improvements and associated rent increases.

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periodic concerns of the WOWHOA regarding the physical condition of the vacant property, but the property has remained unused since late 2018.

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This will be the first project to be constructed on Pico Blvd. under the provisions of the Expo Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan's NMU Zone.

The change in land use of this property from a neighborhood-oriented retail business (restaurant) to a high-density residential facility may be inevitable. Nonetheless, for the WOWHOA, this particular project is precedential as the first major residential facility along this portion of Pico Blvd. other than the three-level Menorah Housing Foundation/Zev Yaroslavsky Senior Apartment building at 10961 Pico Blvd. (between Greenfield Avenue and Veteran Avenue) on the north side of Pico Blvd.

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The points of discussion and our continuing concerns that we expressed at our February 16 meeting are summarized as follows:
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Homeowners Association
March 22, 2023
TO: Westside Neighborhood Council - Land Use Committee (WNC-LUC)
FROM: John R. Sandbrook
Secretary, Board of Directors, West of Westwood HOA
RE: $\quad$ March 22, 2023 Meeting
Agenda Item No. 2
CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA
Proposed Project for 10942-10948 Pico Blvd.
This is to provide comments regarding the aforementioned project on behalf of the Board of Directors of West of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA), which is the HOA most directly impacted by the project.

For the record:

- Attached with this submittal are three letters dated January 30, 2023; February 6, 2023 and February 23, 2023 regarding this project. Both the January 30 letter and the detail descriptive package about the project provided by the developer, were posted on the WOWHOA website (http://www.wowhoa.org/development-projects-in-our-area) to inform all residents within the WOWHOA about this project.
- Two meetings were held by members of the WOWHOA Board with the project's representatives on February 16, 2023 (2.5 hours) and March 8, 2023 (1.0 hour). Both meetings were cordial and constructive.

WNC-LUC agenda item \# 2 lists the entitlement requests from the developer for this project. This letter repeats the concerns that the WOWHOA has already indicated to the developer about each of the requests.

Of most particular concern is the height increase/density bonus requested by the developer:

* First, the WOWHOA believes that the height of the proposed building should be limited to 45 feet and not the 65 feet requested by the developer.
* Second, the WOWHOA believes that the proposed scope of 30 dwelling units should be rejected and, instead, limited to 21 dwelling units.

Additional concerns of the WOWHOA relate to: (i) the open space reduction requested by the developer; (ii) the waivers requested for development standards; and (iii) the increase in Floor Area Ratio (FAR), from 2.0 to 2.7, requested by the developer.

Other concerns relate to: (a) the proposed allowance of 14 parking spaces for the 30 dwelling units; and (b) the assumption that the alley that separates the Ayres Avenue residences and the proposed project can adequately be a 2-way alley (even with the widening proposed) can be safely operated since this alley has only one entrance (on Veteran Avenue), with a dead-end on the eastern terminus.

The WOWHOA has offered the above observations directly to the developer in the aforementioned two meetings.

The WOWHOA also offered to the developer its comments on specific design elements of the proposed 30 -unit project. These specific design comments have been addressed by the developer and integrated into a revised design. The WOWHOA is grateful for the responsive approach on these design details that has been forthcoming to date.

That being said, the WOWHOA continues to believe that this project, based on the entitlements and waivers that have been requested, would establish a potentially harmful precedent for the future development of Pico Blvd. No one questions the need for a revitalization of Pico Blvd. from Sepulveda Blvd. to Westwood Blvd., incorporating a mixture of residential, retail and commercial solutions. Nonetheless, the revitalization needs to enhance the adjoining neighborhoods on the south and north sides of Pico Blvd., and, most importantly, not be intrusive or damaging to the quality of life of the single-family homes in these neighborhoods.

For the WOWHOA, "an agreement to disagree" as to the scope of the project and the acceptability of the entitlement requests inherent in this proposal falls short of the basic decisions that, in our opinion, need to be made by the City of Los Angeles Planning Department as to the most appropriate future and vision for this section of Pico Blvd.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide these comments.

## Attachments:

Letter of January 30, 2023
Letter of February 6, 2023
Letter of February 23, 2023

## Copies to:

WOWHOA Board of Directors
Ms. Marilyn Tusher, President, Westwood Gardens Civic Association

## WESTSIDE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL GOVERNING BOARD (WNC)

## RE: CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA <br> Proposed Project for 10942-10948 Pico Blvd. <br> Pico-Veteran Apartments

In my capacity as Secretary of the Board of Directors of the West of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA) and on behalf of the Board, I am submitting this letter about the abovereferenced proposed project. As you are aware, the WOWHOA represents approximately 1,200 households in the Westwood-Rancho Park area.

At the March 22, 2023 meeting of the WNC Land-Use Committee, I submitted the attached letter.

The applicant requests the following Entitlements:
A. Density Bonus, pursuant to LAMC Section 12.22.A 25, for a project with 30 dwelling units including 4 units ( $15 \%$ of by-right density) for Very LowIncome Households for a period of 55 years with the following On and Off Menu Incentives:

1. One Menu Incentives:

- Open Space: A reduction in the required open space of up to $20 \%$, to allow 2,440 in lieu of the otherwise required 3,050 square feet; and,
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2. Off Menu Incentives:

- Height: An increase in the maximum height requirement to allow 65 feet in lieu of the 45 feet otherwise allowed by the NMU(EC) zone.

3. Waivers:

- Waiver of Development Standard, for relief from Transitional Height requirements pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21.1 A. 10 to permit 65 feet within 0-99 feet of an R1 zone instead of a maximum 33 feet; and,
- Waiver of Development Standard, for relief from Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan (TNP) Standard 4.2.5.C.1, to allow 0 feet in lieu of 25 feet for a portion ( $28 \%$ ) of parking and loading areas.
B. Specific Plan Project Permit Compliance, pursuant to LAMC Section 11.5.7, for a project located within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan (TNP).
C. Class 32 Categorical Exemption, pursuant to the State of California Environmental Quality Act and CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.

The WOWHOA Board of Directors continues to maintain the same position as set forth in the March 22 statement. Notwithstanding the two cordial meetings held with the representatives of the developer applicant, this project, as currently proposed, should not be approved by the City of Los Angeles for three primary reasons.
I. The scope of the project -30 residential units - is too large for the very constrained and limited footprint ( $8,350 \mathrm{sf}$ ) of the property. Only 14 parking spaces for 30 units - all in a stacked mechanical system at grade -- is an unrealistic allocation. By the developer's admission, underground parking could not be provided due to the small footprint.

The developer should be instructed by the City of Los Angeles that approval of the project cannot be provided unless and until the developer acquires a larger footprint of property to construct the 30 residential units and an adequate amount of underground parking.
II. The concept that the residential units would be fully-furnished units for 6 -month, by the developer's own statements, targeted towards a demographic that is not intended to provide primary residential facilities. Rather, this facility would
effectively, if not actually, become corporate-style temporary housing not for residents of the City of Los Angeles but for others conducting short-term business in the city. This is fully inconsistent with the publicly-stated goals of the City of Los Angeles to increase the housing supply.
III. The exclusion of any neighborhood-oriented retail commercial space on the ground level does a disservice to the neighborhoods on the south and north side of Piso Blvd. The inclusion of live-work spaces not intended to provide retail services for the adjoining residential communities is a slap in the face for the long-term residents of the single-family homes in our neighborhoods that have seen over the past decade the deterioration and closure of so many retail establishments that allow neighborhoods to utilize and enjoy their communities.

The WOWHOA would be negatively impacted if approval of this project, as proposed, is approved. The WOWHOA very much hopes for a rebirth of commercial redevelopment along Piso Blvd.; a residential/commercial mixed-use project would be welcomed, but only if the single-family neighborhoods - and their quality of life are able to share in the positive upsides of such a project.

As proposed, the WOWHOA foresees only negative impacts and, respectfully, urge the WNC to forego any approval or statement of positive support for this project as currently proposed.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.


John Sandbrook
Secretary
WOWHOA Board of Directors

## Enclosure: Statement of March 22 to WNC-Land Use Committee

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May 4, 2023

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This letter supplements my earlier letter dated April 13, 2023 that was presented to you on that date.

Please know that the annual meeting of the WOWHOA was held on April 26, 2023, with approximately 90 in attendance. Representatives of the applicant were invited to attend the meeting and make a presentation; due to scheduling conflicts, no representatives of the applicant attended the WOWHOA annual meeting.

Instead, in order for the attendees to have the ability to have an in-person opportunity to learn more about the project, the WOWHOA Board displayed all of the descriptive material previously submitted by the applicant; as has been previously reported to you, the material had already been posted on the WOWHOA website since late January.

This is to inform you that at the meeting of April 26:
I. Members of the WOWHOA Board led a 25 -minute discussion about the referenced proposed project and answered questions from the attendees.
II. The upshot of the discussion and comments from attendees were that:
(a) redevelopment of the project site - now vacant for more than $41 / 2$ years since the former (beloved) restaurant was unable to renew its lease in October 2018 with the property owner after 36 years of operation - is greatly desired;
(b) the density bonus and other incentives/waivers (described in my letter of April 13 and repeated in the attachment to this letter) are inappropriate for the proposed project on that site; and
(c) the project should be limited to 21 units, as allowed, on three [3] levels (not five [5] levels), without any bonus or other accommodations for expansion as a result of manipulation of spreadsheet data regarding housing statistics.
III. Upon the conclusion of that discussion, the WOWHOA Board asked for a show of hands among the estimated 90 attendees as to:
(a) those who supported (a), (b) and (c) above (i.e., 21 units, three levels), and
(b) those who were supportive of the project as proposed by the applicant (i.e., 30 units, five levels).

Please know that the unanimous view of the attendees was agreement with (a), (b) and (c) in II. above ..... and in complete opposition to any proposal for a number of more than 21 units and three levels on this site.

The comments from the attendees can best be summarized that the quality of life impacts on the surrounding R-1 neighborhood - and the vehicle safety issues at the Pico-Veteran corner -- need to have a higher importance than - or, at a minimum, not be subordinated to -- arbitrary housing goals set from afar in forums not close to this neighborhood and simply calculated on spreadsheets.

The attendees at the WOWHOA annual meeting on April 26 also explicitly rejected the attempt by any third-party to characterize such a position as a NIMBY (Not-In-My-Back Yard) position; the attendees were emphatic that housing redevelopment on the Pico-Veteran site is indeed welcome, but only to the degree and in a manner that is appropriate for all. The attendees simply concurred with the statement expressed in my letter of April 13, i.e., the project as proposed is incompatible with the $8,350 \mathrm{sf}$ footprint of the project.....either the footprint needs to be increased (to allow for underground parking) or the scope of the project decreased.

I believe it is accurate to state that the members of the WOWHOA wish to ask their elected representatives in and the City of Los Angeles planning department administrative staff - and the WNC -- to consider the totality of
this 30-unit proposal, particularly the negative quality-of-life impacts on the adjacent residential neighborhood and the vehicle safety impacts at the PicoVeteran corner, even with its proposed widening.

To repeat, the WOWHOA supports a 21-unit, three-level proposal, but not the current 30-unit, five-level proposal. The 30-unit proposal should only be approved if the applicant is able to increase the footprint of the project by the amount needed to allow for underground parking.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.
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John Sandbrook
Secretary
WOWHOA Board of Directors
Cc: Members, WOWHOA Board of Directors
Ms. Barbara Broide, Chair, WNC-LUC
Mr. Fernando Morales, CD-5
Mr. Dylan Sittig, CD-5

## CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

Proposed Project for 10942-10948 Pico Blvd. -- Pico-Veteran Apartments

The applicant for the above-referenced proposed project has requested the following Entitlements:
A. Density Bonus, pursuant to LAMC Section 12.22.A 25, for a project with 30 dwelling units including 4 units (15\% of by-right density) for Very LowIncome Households for a period of 55 years with the following On and Off Menu Incentives:

## 1. On Menu Incentives:

- Open Space: A reduction in the required open space of up to $20 \%$, to allow 2,440 in lieu of the otherwise required 3,050 square feet; and
- Floor Area Ratio: An increase in Floor Area Ratio (FAR) to 2.7:1 in lieu of an FAR of 2.0:1 otherwise permitted by the NMU(EC)-POD zone.

2. Off Menu Incentives:

- Height: An increase in the maximum height requirement to allow 65 feet in lieu of the 45 feet otherwise allowed by the $\mathrm{NMU}(\mathrm{EC})$ zone.

3. Waivers:

- Waiver of Development Standard, for relief from Transitional Height requirements pursuant to LAMC Section 12.21.1 A. 10 to permit 65 feet within 0-99 feet of an R1 zone instead of a maximum 33 feet; and
- Waiver of Development Standard, for relief from Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan (TNP) Standard 4.2.5.C.1, to allow 0 feet in lieu of 25 feet for a portion (28\%) of parking and loading areas.
B. Specific Plan Project Permit Compliance, pursuant to LAMC Section 11.5.7, for a project located within the Exposition Corridor Transit Neighborhood Plan (TNP).
c. Class 32 Categorical Exemption, pursuant to the State of California Environmental Quality Act and CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.

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May 31, 2023

## WESTSIDE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL GOVERNING BOARD (WNC)

## RE: CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA Proposed Project--10942-10948 Pico Blvd. (Pico-Veteran Apartments)

In my capacity as Secretary of the Board of Directors of the West of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA) and on behalf of the Board, I am submitting this letter about the above-referenced proposed project. As you are aware, the WOWHOA represents approximately 1,200 households in the Westwood-Rancho Park area.

It has come to my attention that the Westside Neighborhood Council (WNC) Board may have further discussion of this project at its next meeting on June 8.

This letter reiterates the information provided in my letters of April 13 and May 4 that were previously submitted to you; copies of those letters are attached with this letter again. As you recall, I appeared before the WNC Board at both its meetings of April 13 and May 11 to ensure that the contents of those letters - specifically, the opposition of the WOWHOA to the current scope of the proposed project -- were fully understood.

I wish to restate again that the unanimous view of the WOWHOA homeowners that attended the April 26 annual meeting of the HOA was:

- The Pico-Veterans site, now vacant for 4.5 years, needs to be redeveloped.
- The current proposal for a residential facility of $\mathbf{3 0}$ units on five levels needs to be limited to 21 units and three levels.
- The density bonus and other incentives/waivers are inappropriate for the proposed project on that 8,350sf site (see my letter of May 4).

The comments from the attendees can best be summarized that the quality of life impacts on the surrounding R-1 neighborhood - and the vehicle safety issues at the Pico-Veteran corner -- need to have a higher importance than - or, at a minimum, not be subordinated to -- arbitrary housing goals set from afar in forums not close to this neighborhood and simply calculated on spreadsheets.

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I believe it is accurate to state that the members of the WOWHOA wish to ask their elected representatives and the City of Los Angeles planning department administrative staff -- AS INFORMED BY THE WNC -- to consider the totality of this 30 -unit proposal, particularly the negative quality-of-life impacts on the adjacent residential neighborhood and the vehicle safety impacts at the Pico-Veteran corner, even with its proposed widening.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

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John Sandbrook
Secretary
WOWHOA Board of Directors

## Attachments (2)

Letter of April 13, 2023
Letter of May 4, 2023

Cc: Members, WOWHOA Board of Directors
Ms. Barbara Broide, Chair, WNC-LUC
Mr. Fernando Morales, CD-5
Mr. Dylan Sittig, CD-5

Homeowners Association

June 9, 2023

TO: Ms. Connie Chauv (connie.chauv@lacity.org)
City of Los Angeles
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Los Angeles, CA 90025
FROM: Terri M. Tippit
President, West of Westwood Homeowners Association (WOWHOA)


RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project 10942-10948 Pico Blvd.

## CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

This letter about the above-referenced project submitted by Bolour Associates is being submitted in my capacity as President of the West of Westwood HOA (WOWHOA), representing approximately 1,200 households in the WestwoodRancho Park area.

This letter documents the fact that, at the annual meeting of the WOWHOA held on April 26, approximately 90 homeowners attended. While they were invited to make a presentation, representatives of Bolour Associates were unable to attend due to other commitments.

The WOWHOA Board had previously posted the details of the proposed project on the WOWHOA website. Printed copies were displayed at the meeting.

Please know that, after a 30-minute discussion of the project, a vote was taken about the scope of the proposed project. The unanimous view of the homeowners was:

1. The site at 10948 Pico Blvd., which has been vacant since October 2018 since the closure of the (beloved) Islands restaurant after more than 30 years of operation, needs to be redeveloped.
2. Redevelopment as a residential facility is acceptable to the WOWHOA members.
3. The scope of the proposed project --30 units, five levels -- on a footprint of 8,350 sf needs to be reduced to not more than 21 units and three levels. The manipulation of spreadsheet calculations to justify a scope of 30 units is inconsistent with the real-life impacts that such a project would bring.

I also understand that several other HOAs in the neighborhoods of the Westside Neighborhood Council have submitted similar letter.

To document the good-faith efforts that the WOWHOA undertook for communications with Bolour Associates:

- February 16 - A meeting was held between a subset of the Board of Directors of the WOWHOA and representatives of Bolour Associates. This was documented in a letter sent on February 23 to you and other City of Los Angeles officials. A second meeting was held on March 8.
(The upshot of those meetings was a basic disagreement as to the size/scope of the project -- "an agreement to disagree" -- so the discussions focused solely on certain design elements of the project in the event that the City of Los Angeles decides to proceed with the project as proposed, contrary to the wishes of the WOWHOA and the other neighborhood HOAs.)
- March 22 - The Secretary of the WOWHOA, Mr. John Sandbrook, sent a letter to the WNC Land-Use Committee reiterating the objections of the WOWHOA Board of Directors.
- April 13, May 4 and May 31 - Mr. Sandbrook submitted letters to the Westside Neighborhood Council (WNC) Board of Directors to advise the WNC Board of the position of the WOWHOA.

Also, the WNC Land Use Committee discussed this project on January 19 and March 22 and the WNC Board discussed this projection at its meeting of April 13, May 11 and June 8 . I serve as Chair of the WNC Board, but my home is located within a 500feet radius of the project at 10948 Blvd. As a result, upon the advice of the office of the City Attorney, I recused myself from the discussion at the WNC Board meetings on each of the three occasions at which the proposed project was discussed.
(I was subsequently informed that at the WNC Board Meeting of June 8 the board voted to oppose the project.)

This letter to you reiterates the Board of Directors of the WOWHOA believes it important to communicate to the City of Los Angeles Planning Department and to City Councilmember Katy Yaroslavsky (copied here) that the WOWHOA continues to be in opposition to this project, as presently proposed.

The WOWHOA would be negatively impacted if approval of this project, as proposed, is approved. The WOWHOA very much hopes for a rebirth of commercial redevelopment along Pico Blvd.; a residential/commercial mixed-use project would be welcomed, but only if the single-family neighborhoods - and their quality of life are able to share in the positive upsides of such a project. As proposed, the WOWHOA foresees only negative impacts and, respectfully, urge the City of Los Angeles to reject the project as proposed.

Thank you for your consideration of the concerns of the WOWHOA. We hope to be able to work constructively with the developer of this proposed project - as well as other possible developers - to have a win-win for the renaissance of Pico Blvd.

## Enclosures (5):

February 23, 2023 Letter
March 22, 2023 Letter
April 13, 2023 Letter
May 4, 2023 Letter
May 31, 2023 Letter
cc: Members of the Board of Directors, WOWHOA
Marilyn Tusher, President, Westwood Gardens Civic Association
The Honorable Katy Yaroslavsky, City Councilmember for District No. 5

## response to proposed develepment, CPC2022-8060-DB-HCA

Paul Humphreys [pwhumphreys@gmail.com](mailto:pwhumphreys@gmail.com)
Mon, Feb 27, 2023 at 3:48 PM
To: connie.chauv@lacity.org
Cc: Terri Tippit [tmtippit@ca.rr.com](mailto:tmtippit@ca.rr.com)
Dear Ms. Chauv:
I write on behalf of my wife Susan and myself in response to the proposed development at Pico Boulevard and Veteran Avenues by Pico/Veteran Holdings LLC. We are members of the West of Westwood HOA and residents within 420' of the project. Our concerns are summarized in the letter included here as a PDF attachment.

Many thanks for your kind attention.
Yours sincerely,

Paul Humphreys

TO Connie Chauv (City Planner, City of LA), 27 February 2023; FROM Paul Humphreys (WOWHOA
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Re: CPC2022-8060-DB-HCA

Dear Ms. Chauv:

I write on behalf of my wife Susan and myself in response to the proposed development at Pico Boulevard and Veteran Avenues by Pico/Veteran Holdings LLC. We are members of the West of Westwood HOA and residents within 420' of the project (by Google Maps reckoning). Our concerns are summarized under the four headings that appear below:

1. The need for retail space along the Westwood - Sepulveda (WW/SPV) corridor of Pico Boulevard. Before March 2020, the corridor between Westwood and Sepulveda Boulevards hosted a variety of shops, restaurants and stores serving the residents of neighborhoods within walking or easy driving distance, especially, though not limited to, those living directly north (as far as Olympic) and south (as far as Exposition). As we know, the pandemic saw many of these businesses close their doors, beginning a cycle of decline for what had previously been a thriving retail environment. With the COVID emergency now largely behind us, it would be a long-term mistake to "repurpose" retail space that became shuttered during the pandemic. New businesses should be encouraged to start up, take hold, and contribute to a revival of commerce within the WW/SPV corridor of Pico Boulevard.
2. Obstructions to pedestrian thoroughfare. With three living units on the ground floor with front doors that open (with no setback) onto the sidewalk of Pico Boulevard, it is not hard to imagine that the living areas of these units would extend informally beyond the front doors and onto the sidewalk. This poses a likely risk of both physical and 'territorial' obstruction to pedestrian throughfare.
3. Appearance. The architect's diagrams for the project show vertical shade panels that are mounted on the exterior walls of the building. In the case of the upper floors these panels overhang the sidewalk. The disordered, even threatening appearance of these panels presents yet another deterrent to the pedestrian traffic that is essential to the revival of commerce along the Pico WW/SPV corridor.
4. Additional concerns. The height of this property is not consistent with the neighborhood profile. There are other Transit Oriented Community (TOC) projects that have been approved within our community that stay within the revised height limit for
developer has requested a waiver that would allow for an increase in the number of overall units beyond an already granted "bonus" waiver for density.

The concerns we voice here do not stand in contradiction to the efforts of Mayor Karen Bass and many others to address the crisis of unhoused individuals finding refuge on the streets and sidewalks of our city. This crisis is, in fact, readily apparent along the Westwood-Sepulveda corridor of Pico Boulevard. Well-considered proposals for development in mixed-zone areas that encourage small businesses, which in turn create jobs and stimulate commerce, have the potential to make substantial contributions to that effort. It is unfortunately the case that the proposal submitted by Pico/Veteran LLC fails to qualify as such a proposal.

Many thanks for your kind attention.

Yours sincerely,


Paul Humphreys
11003 Ayres Ave., LA 90064
pwhumphreys@gmail.com
copy: Terri Tippit, Chair, Westside Neighborhood Council (WNC)

## FW: CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

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April 11, 2023

Connie Chauv
City of Los Angeles
Planning Department
200 N. Spring
Los Angeles, CA 90012
RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project
CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA
The above-referenced application is for construction of a multi-level residential facility at 1094210948 Pico Blvd., at the southeast corner of Veteran Avenue and Pico Blvd. I live at 2525 Veteran Avenue within 500' of the project.

This project, at 8327.09sf in size with 4 floors and a roof top deck common area, is not consistent with the neighborhood profile of this community. The footprint of the project is too big for the site. Thirty units are proposed but twenty-one units is more appropriate for the site. An example of what should be built is the Zev Yeoslavsky Menorah Foundation Senior Apartment Building across the street that has 3 levels and a maximum of 21 units.

Veteran Avenue is too narrow to support a multi-unit residential facility of this density on the east side of Veteran. The "No Parking" restriction on this portion of Veteran Avenue would need to be enhanced and frequently enforced, particularly given there are only 14 spaces for 30 units. Further, the fact that a full-service automotive service repair facility is on the other side of Veteran Avenue, with the frequent and constant presence of tow trucks, etc., increases my concern.

All units will be 6-month lease and fully furnished for the tenants by the develop. This is an abuse of our laws to build second homes - call it corporate housing - it is not housing for Angelenos. TOC and Density Bonus are designed to help those who already live here and need housing - at all levels. Frequently we get so wrapped up in our need for affordable housing that we forget, we do not even have enough housing at market levels. Will the 4 low-income units turn over every 6 months and displace those who need housing?

When asked why they couldn't address more of the community's concerned they answered "because the lot is too small". The developer is trying to fit a square peg in a round hole.

I urge you to deny the proposed project as presented.
Sincerely,

Gina Kruger

## CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

Cindy Clark [cindyclark01@gmail.com](mailto:cindyclark01@gmail.com)
Wed, Apr 12, 2023 at 9:39 AM
To: connie.chauv@lacity.org
See below and attached:
April 10, 2023
Connie Chauv
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Planning Department
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Los Angeles, CA 90012

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Finally, all units will be 6-month lease and fully furnished for the tenants. Will the 4 low-income units turn over every 6 months and displace those who need housing?

A 8327.09sf construction with 4 floors and a rooftop deck is far too large for this small site on this narrow street. I urge you to deny the proposed project as presented.

Sincerely,


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April 10, 2023

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CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

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Sincerely,

## Cindy Clare

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## From a resident RE:Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project CPC 2022-8060-DBHCA

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Cc: Chris Kaye [ckaye9630@gmail.com](mailto:ckaye9630@gmail.com), Melissa Kaye [galaga68@mac.com](mailto:galaga68@mac.com)
April 12, 2023

Connie Chauv (sent via email)
City of Los Angeles
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200 N. Spring
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## RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

Dear Ms Chauv,
I am writing to you as a resident at 10937 Ayres (owner for over 20 years) which is the street behind the proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project CPC 2002-8060-DB-HCA. I strongly oppose the construction of this building as it's currently proposed ( 5 stories - 30 units - 15 parking spaces).

Traffic on Veteran has already increased with addition of light rail with more and more people cutting through my neighborhood all throughout the day and night because of the increase in traffic. Adding a 30 unit building will add to that as the developer said the exit and entrance would be via the alley to Veteran. That alley is extremely narrow and the added traffic would be a determent to the business that is right next door, Georges Vacuum which is been in that spot for decades.

The developer said they would be giving residents of the proposed building access to permit parking 26 which will make it nearly impossible for me to park in front of my house which on some days is already an issue. 30 units means 60 parking permits plus two visitors permits. I did hear the developer said that they would perhaps put a addendum to whoever purchased said unit that they are not to apply for permit parking. Who is going to enforce that? Allowing said residents access to permit parking will drastically affect my neighborhood of over 20 years. This is a neighborhood of HOUSES not apartments.

What the developer is proposing is TOO BIG for the current space. Just take a look at the Senior Apartment Building between Pico and Greenfield. That takes up an entire block and has 21 units much less than the 30 units the developer is proposing.

Why not build on site of old Norms which has been a dirt lot for a few years now? Please deny this project as currently presented and stop this developer from building this behemoth on such a small area. It's insane what the developer is proposing on this small property not to mention building it practically on top of a well established decade long thriving business. The site the developer wants to build on is too small for what you are proposing and will negatively affect my neighborhood.

Sincerely,
Melissa and Chris Kaye
Owners of 10937 Ayres Avenue

## Pico/Veteran project

Terri Tippit [tmtippit@ca.rr.com](mailto:tmtippit@ca.rr.com)
Fri, May 12, 2023 at 4:11 PM
To: Connie Chauv [connie.chauv@lacity.org](mailto:connie.chauv@lacity.org)

Any idea when the hearing might be?
The WNC just made quorum last night and did not get answers to questions abt on off menu, waivers, TOC vs TNP from developer so they voted No Position but will do reconsideration next month once they have more detailed info on questions that weren't answered.

Our next WNC is June $8^{\text {th }}$ do you think hearing is before then?
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## RE: CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA Proposed Project 10942-10948 Pico Blvd.

Marilyn Tusher [mltusher@att.net](mailto:mltusher@att.net)
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Dearn Ms. Chauv,
Attached please find out letterr regarding the above listed proposed project at the corner of Pico and Veteran Ave. in West Los Angeles.

Please enter this letter into the files for the proposed project.
Thank you,
Marilyn Tusher, President
Westwood Gardens Civic Association, Inc.
PO Box 642001, LA 90064

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Westwood Gardens Civic Association

Westside Neighborhood Council Governing Board (WNC)
RE: CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA
Proposed Project - 10942-10948 Pico Blvd. (Pico -Veteran Apartments)
I am writing on behalf of our Board of Directors, and as President of Westwood Gardens Civic Association, Inc., a non-profit Homeowner's Association, which is comprised of over 620 single family homes. Our boundaries run from Midvale Avenue on the West to Overland Avenue and Dunleer Place on the East, from Ayres Avenue on the North to National Blvd. on the South. This proposed project is one block to the west of our Association.

As the immediate neighbors of WOWHOA to the east, we too feel that although there is a need for more housing within the city, this project as presented with the incentives and density bonuses, is not in keeping with this area, and will affect the quality of life and increase the traffic safety issues for our entire neighborhood.

WOWHOA supports an alternative of a 21-unit, three level proposal, but not the current 30 unit, five-level proposal. We, Westwood Gardens (WGCA), support the WOWHOA's 30 -unit proposal only if the applicant is able to increase the footprint of the project by the amount needed to allow for underground parking.

Westwood Gardens supports our neighbors West of Westwood and their letter of May 4, 2023 to you.

Thank you,
Marilyn Tusher, President
c.c: Dylan Sittig, CD5 Planning Deputy

Fernando Morales, CD 5
Vanessa Saldana, CD 5
Transmitted electronically

## Re CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA Proposed Project - 10942-10948 Pico Blvd.

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June 6, 2023

To: Westside Neighborhood Council

Re: CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA
Proposed Project - 10942-10948 Pico Blvd.

The California Country Club Homes Association Board has voted to oppose the project as presented to the Westside Neighborhood Council in April 2023 and May 2023. We support an alternative project that would build 21 units on three levels unless underground parking can be built as part of the project.

As the HOA that lies just east of the Westwood Gardens Civic Association and the West of Westwood HOA we further support our neighbors in their letters of May 4, 2023, and June 5, 2023.

Thank you,

Jane Wishon
Vice President
cc: Connie Chauv
Dillon Sittig
Allyson Saunders, President
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## CALIFORNIA COUNTRY CLUB HOMES ASSOCIATION

June 6, 2023
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Thank you,
Jane Wishon
Vice President
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## Public Hearing - 10942 Pico (CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA)

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I cannot get the agenda or document info to be able to call in for this meeting.
Can you send me a list of phones numbers I can try. problems with my 'server' or yours?
Thanks, Marilyn Tusher
Westwood Gardens
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people having problems signing in to hearing today
Terri Tippit [tmtippit@ca.rr.com](mailto:tmtippit@ca.rr.com)
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## request to offer comments during 20 July meeting

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Cc: WOWHOA [wowhoa@ca.rr.com](mailto:wowhoa@ca.rr.com)
Dear Ms. Chauv,
Included here are comments that I would like to offer during the meeting.
I will appreciate your acknowledgement of having received this communication.
Many thanks,
Paul Humphreys
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[^18]Three points in relation to the proposed project at Pico and Veteran Submitted by Paul and Susan Humphreys, West Los Angeles

20 July 2023

1. Allowing the project to go forward as 'corporation housing' sacrifices an opportunity for strengthening Westside community. This allowance would create a bubble of strangers, individuals with no stake or interest in the quality of life of members of the Westside community. In a recent LA Times op-ed piece, film producer Robert Lawrence calls attention to the sense of community that has taken root in a West Los Angeles apartment building (Barrington Plaza, the residents of which are now sadly threatened by eviction). Shared concerns that shape a healthy community cannot be expected to grow from a 'bedroom community' in our midst.
2. Allowing the project to go forward with no provision for retail space sacrifices the opportunity to build a stronger network of commerce along the Pico corridor between Westwood and Sepulveda. This allowance takes us in the direction of decline rather than growth of merchants and restaurants that contribute to a lively business community. In a report published online by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce in December of last year, a Senior Writer and Editor outlines four ways in which small businesses give back to local communities, even in the face of post-pandemic economic realities. These kinds of interaction are off the radar screen of the proposed project.
3. Allowing the project to go forward with no consideration of Work Force housing is a symptom of thinking about homelessness that fails to match up with real solutions. In the absence of new awards for Work Force projects, the Housing and Community Development appear to have turned developers loose on the problem with no motivation but their own profit.

## References for items cited above

1. LINK for LA Times op-ed piece by Robert Lawrence (July 2023): < https://www.latimes.com/opinion/story/2023-07-17/barrington-plaza-los-angeles-housing-eviction>
2. LINK for "New Survey Shows Most Small Businesses Prioritize Giving Back to Local Communities" (December 2022): [https://www.uschamber.com/small-business/new-survey-shows-most-small-businesses-prioritize-giving-back-to-their-local-communities](https://www.uschamber.com/small-business/new-survey-shows-most-small-businesses-prioritize-giving-back-to-their-local-communities)
3. LINK for Workforce Housing Reward Program Update (2023): < https://www.hcd.ca.gov/grants-and-funding/programs-archived/workforce-housingreward>

## CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

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Thu, Jul 20, 2023 at 1:41 PM
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[^19]July 20, 2023
Connie Chauv
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Los Angeles, CA 90012

## RE: Proposed Pico-Veteran Apartments Project CPC 2022-8060-DB-HCA

Dear Ms. Chauv,
I reside several houses away from the above-referenced application, at 10960 Ayres Ave.
This project not only will overwhelm the streets while undergoing construction but also will also increase traffic and parking congestion on the already overtaxed several streets surrounding it. On street-cleaning days, I already cannot find parking next to my house. On workday mornings, there are times when I need to wait a green light or two to pull away from my house.

Additionally, during construction, the already-choked street will be further clogged. The corner at Ayres and Veteran is a mere one lane in each direction, already giving slow ingress and egress to the neighborhood.

The project has termed itself "low-income housing," yet it proposes to offer leases at a minimum of six-months. What will stop the units from being packed with students using them for a quarter or two at UCLA, adding not only to daily traffic but increasing the likelihood of noise complaints on evenings and weekends? Additionally, the presence of moving vans for these units, rotating through six-month periods, will cause further congestion on the barely-two-lane Veteran Avenue.

I urge you to deny the proposed project as presented.
Sincerely,
Dany Margolies

## Confusion at July 20th hearing

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Fri, Jul 21, 2023 at 12:09 PM
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Cc: Dylan Sittig [dylan.sittig@lacity.org](mailto:dylan.sittig@lacity.org), Connie Chauv [connie.chauv@lacity.org](mailto:connie.chauv@lacity.org)

Dana:
Several stakeholders are taking issue with your statement from the hearing in which you stated "never, never, never was it going to be Corp Housing".

Please see the attached letter.
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Homeowners Association

July 21, 2023

Dana Sayles Via Email
Three6ixty
11287 W. Washington Boulevard
Culver City, CA 90230
Re: Public Hearing for CPC-2022-8060-DB-HCA July 20, 2023
Dana:
On behalf of the community, I want to thank you and your team for meeting with West Of Westwood HOA and Westside Neighborhood Council. Working together we improved the design and addresses some, but not all, concerns and issues raised.

After the July $20^{\text {th }}$ Public Hearing, I received many emails from WOWHOA Board Members and stakeholders who attended the meeting.

There seems to be some confusion as to you comment - "it was never, never, never said it was going to be Corp Housing. That was misinformation".

Perhaps you do not recall the following:
WOWHOA LUC met with you and your team at my house February $16^{\text {th }}$. We learned that the units would be furnished. When asked if going to be short-term rentals your response was "more like a second home for business people that targeted clients coming to LA for business". Then Joanne asked if like Corp Housing, your reply was "yes". That's when the term began to be used. We asked that the tenants sign a year lease and your reply was "my client will do 6 months but not a year". We had a follow up meeting at my house March $22^{\text {nd }}$ with the design changes.

We contacted CD5 and asked how this would address the housing issues if tenants have a permanent home elsewhere and only have a 6-month lease. We later learned that the lease was now one year.

The WNC board could not take action at the April 13th meeting because of your equipment problems. The agenda item was carried over to the May 11th meeting. However, many questions were raised and answered. Notes were being taken during the board discussion and you once again made reference to Corp Housing:

Joanne: These won't have Air BnB?
Dana: No. That is not legal in new buildings. Really, these are fully furnished apartments for corporate users.

At the May $11^{\text {th }}$ WNC meeting, the presentation by your team was confusing. Again, your team stated that it would be a six-month lease not one-year. The WNC voted to take no position until questions that were raised were answered.

The WNC June $8^{\text {th }}$ meeting provided the answers and were told it would be one-year lease and It was not Corp Housing. The board voted to oppose the project as presented.

We acknowledge that your team did correct the length of the lease and type of tenant but for you to say Corp Housing was never, never, never said by your team needs to be corrected.

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A new apartment building on Westwood has tenants who are experiencing other tenants using their unit as short-term rentals. What safeguards are in place that would prevent the tenants (whoever they are) to sublease or rent their unit or a room in their unit? Who will be monitoring this?

As far as Islands Restaurant. This was the first and the one nearest and dearest to the founder Tony DeGraizer's, heart. They tried to work with your client. But when your rent is raised, no long-term lease, and owner won't help with Tenant Improvements it is very difficult to stay. And also, very difficult to find a new tenant.

Once again, we thank you and your team for making yourselves available to the community. We were disappointed that we were unable to meet the developer. Please thank him for finally removing all the poster that were plastered all over his building.

Warm Regards,

Terri

Terri Tippit, President
Cc: Councilwoman Katy Yaroslavsky Hearing Officer Connie Chauv

## Pico/Veteran

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Thanks for a very nice hearing. No loud voices or rudeness but then that's how my people tend to be.

Barbara Broide was unable to attend (fam problem) but wanted to know due date for submitting comments. Sorry I don't recall by then I was too upset with "never, never, never". T


[^0]:    REQUESTED 1. Pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") Guidelines, an Exemption from ACTION: CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Article 19, Section 15332 (Class 32), and that there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies.

[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ Pursuant to Assembly Bill (AB) 2097, the City of Los Angeles is prohibited from imposing or enforcing minimum parking requirements on any residential, commercial or other development project (excluding event centers, hotels and similar transient lodging) that are within a one-half mile radius of a Major Transit Stop. The Department of City Planning issued a memorandum on December 31, 2022 which serves as guidance for project applicants and staff on the implementation of AB 2097.

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[^4]:    ${ }^{1} A B 1763$ incentives were amended by $A B 2345$.

[^5]:    ${ }^{2} \operatorname{Per} A B 2556$, replacement units shall be equivalent to the number of units and number of bedrooms of the existing development.

[^6]:    ${ }^{6}$ Site Plan Review may also be required if other characteristics of the project exceeds the thresholds listed in LAMC Section 16.05.
    ${ }^{7}$ Any project utilizing Parking Option 3 may not further reduce automobile parking via bicycle parking.

[^7]:    ${ }^{8}$ See LAMC Section 12．22 A．25（f）（4）for additional requirements．

[^8]:    ${ }^{10}$ All fractional amounts in Sections 13 and 14 shall be rounded up to the next whole number.

[^9]:    1 LADBS Plan Check staff will sign the Preliminary Zoning Assessment Form once the Zoning Plan Check verifications are complete.
    2 This completed form shall be accompanied by plans signed by a DBS Plan Check staff following the completion of a Zoning Plan Check.

[^10]:    11 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition.

[^11]:    19 Per the applicable section of the Zoning Code, Specific Plan, Zoning Overlay, Ordinance, Bonus Program, Planning Case Condition

[^12]:    ${ }^{1}$ Terms appearing in boldface type are defined in the Glossary

[^13]:    1 The purpose of SCAQMD's Environmental Justice program is to ensure that everyone has the right to equal protection from air pollution and fair access to the decision-making process that works to improve the quality of air within their communities. Further, the SCAQMD defines Environmental Justice as "...equitable environmental policymaking and enforcement to protect the health of all residents, regardless of age, culture, ethnicity, gender, race, socioeconomic status, or geographic location, from the health effects of air pollution."

[^14]:    2 The 2022 California Green Building Standard Code will be published July 1, 2022.

[^15]:    ${ }^{1}$ See Exhibit 7-A for the receiver locations.
    ${ }^{2}$ Proposed Project operational noise levels as shown on Tables 8-2 and 8-3.
    ${ }^{3}$ Observed ambient noise levels as shown on Table 5-1.
    ${ }^{4}$ Ambient plus 5 dBA per the Municipal Code Section 112.02(a).
    ${ }^{5}$ Do the estimated Project operational noise source activities exceed the noise level standards?
    "Daytime" = 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; "Nighttime" = 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

[^16]:    ${ }^{1}$ Noise receiver locations are shown on Exhibit 7-A.
    ${ }^{2}$ Based on the Vibration Source Levels of Construction Equipment included on Table 9-5.
    ${ }^{3}$ FTA Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual maximum acceptable vibration criteria as shown on Table 4.1.
    ${ }^{4}$ Does the vibration level exceed the maximum acceptable vibration threshold?

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