

Certificate of Appropriateness

902 London Street, Castroville, TX 78009

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RE: 902 London Street –Alteration

The above-referenced report and plans were reviewed by the City of Castroville’s Historic Preservation Officer for compliance with the City Ordinance No. 2017-004, Ordinance No. 2017-005, Exhibit A, Article IV, Section 2, Subsection A “Special Historic District and Landmark Regulations” and the Castroville Zoning Ordinance Article IV, Section 2B, Overlay Design Guidelines for Historic Properties. We are providing the following comments based on a cursory review of the submittal; additional comments may be generated upon the re-submittal:

DESIGNATIONS		OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION	
Historic Zoning (HE/CG)	HE	Build Date	
THC 1969 Survey	X	Architectural Style	
THC 2002 Resource			
Other Historical Designation			

Please provide a comment response letter with subsequent submittals.

COA APPLICATION

Per Castroville City Ordinance No. 2017-005 Exhibit, A(VII)(3), the applicant HAS met all COA application requirements. Please submit the following items:



ALTERATIONS

Per Castroville City Ordinance No. 2017-005 Exhibit, A(II)(1), alteration means any construction or change to the exterior of a building site, or structure. Alterations shall include, but not be limited to, the changing to a different type, style, or size of roofing or siding materials; changing, eliminating or adding doors, door frames, windows, window frames,

shutters, fences, railings, porches, columns, balconies, walls, steps, signs, or other ornamentation; the changing of paint color; regarding; dismantling, removing or moving of any exterior features or demolition. Alteration does not include routine maintenance.

Therefore, per Castroville City Ordinance No. 2017-005 Exhibit A(II)(22)(b), reconstruction, alteration, addition, stabilization, restoration or rehabilitation of a site or structure designated or pending designation as a historic landmark or district shall be reviewed by the Historic Landmark Commission. Also, per Castroville City Ordinance No. 2017-005 Exhibit A(VII)(4), material changes in any doors, roofs, windows, stonework, woodwork, light fixtures, signs, sidewalks, fences, steps, paving and/or other exterior elements visible from a public right-of-way which affect the appearance and compatibility of any structure or property designated or pending designation as a historic landmark or district shall be reviewed by the Historic Landmark Commission.

GENERAL COMMENTS

1. If the erosion prevention wall is designed to match the existing stone retaining walls on the property, the recommendation is approved. If it will not match, please provide additional details, including the proposed height and materials for the new erosion prevention wall near the garage.

All submittals should be submitted to the City of Castroville. A comment response letter shall be provided. Please contact Breana Soto at breana.soto@castrovilletx.gov if you have any further questions.

Regards,



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