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Subject: Plot Plan for a 54-Unit Density Bonus Project (PL21-0304)
Location: 1401 South Escondido Blvd (236-172-14-00 and 236-172-15-00)
Applicant: Greg Drakos

Dear Mr. Drakos:

This letter serves to inform you that the City of Escondido has completed its review, and does hereby conditionally approve Planning Case No. PL21-0304, which is a Major Plot Plan for a 54-unit density bonus project, including six units that will be deed restricted for very-low income located at 1401 S. Escondido Blvd. The subject property is zoned S-P (Specific Plan) and is located in the Escondido Boulevard District of South Centre City Specific Plan. The property has a Mixed-Use Overlay designation, and allows multi-family development at a density of up to 30 dwelling units per acre. The General Plan land use designation for the property is SPA 15: South Centre City Specific Plan.

This approval is subject to the Conditions of Approval attached as Exhibit "A" hereto. Compliance with the Conditions of Approval must be demonstrated on subsequently submitted plans for the project (building plans, grading/improvement plans, landscape plans, etc.). Said plans shall be in substantial conformance with those attached as Exhibit "C" hereto and on file with the Planning Division, except as modified by the Conditions of Approval in Exhibit "B."

Please note that the Plot Plan was reviewed for consistency with current City ordinances and policies and in no way vests any rights to the developer to construct to these standards in the future if the City ordinances and policies change. Additionally, please be aware that the Plot Plan was reviewed based on the assumption that the legal description for the subject property furnished by you, the applicant, and attached as Exhibit "D" hereto, is accurate, and that all easements, covenants, conditions, and other encumbrances and restrictions relating to the property have been completely and accurately depicted, described, and disclosed. Neither the City of Escondido nor any of its officers or employees assumes responsibility for the accuracy of said information.

PLAN PROCESSING REQUIREMENTS:

One revised electronic copy of the Plot Plan reflecting the Conditions of Approval shall be submitted for review by the Planning Division. Said Plot Plan must be certified by the Planning Division prior to submittal of other plans (e.g., building, grading, landscape) for the Project.

Pursuant to Government Code section 66020(d)(1), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the project is subject to certain fees described in the City's Development Fee Inventory on file in both the Community Development and Engineering Services Departments. Said fees shall be paid prior to or concurrent with the issuance of building permits, in accordance with the prevailing fee schedule in effect at the time of building permit issuance. The project may also be subject to dedications, reservations, and exactions as specified in the conditions of approval. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the 90-day

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period to protest the imposition of any fee, dedication, reservation, or other exaction described in this letter begins on the date of this letter and any such protest must be in a manner that complies with Government Code section 66020.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

This project has been determined to be exempt from further environmental review, pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines section 15332 (Class 32, In-Fill Development). A Notice of Exemption has been prepared for the Project, a copy of which is attached to this letter as Exhibit "E." Approval of the subject project includes approval of the CEQA exemption.

The City of Escondido hereby notifies the applicant that the San Diego County Clerk's Office requires a documentary handling fee of \$50 in order to file a Notice of Exemption for the Project. The applicant shall remit to the City of Escondido Planning Division a check payable to the "San Diego County Clerk" in the amount of \$50 within two working days of the date of this letter. Per CEQA Guidelines section 15062, the filing of a Notice of Exemption and the posting with the San Diego County Clerk starts a 35-day statute of limitations period on legal challenges to the agency's determination that the project is exempt from CEQA. Failure to submit the required fee within the specified time noted above will result in the Notice of Exemption not being filed with the County Clerk, and a 180-day statute of limitations period will apply.

CONCLUSION

The owner, or his/her authorized agent, shall sign the Acknowledgement and Acceptance of Conditions of Approval form enclosed with this letter, and submit such form within 10 days of receipt of this letter. Approval of this Plot Plan, including the Conditions of Approval applied to it, may be appealed as prescribed in Section 33-1303 of the Escondido Zoning Code. If no appeal is filed, the approval shall become final on the 11th day following the date of this letter.

This Plot Plan approval will expire two years from the date of this letter. If no building permit is obtained during this period, the approval shall be considered null and void. A one-year extension of the conditional approval may be granted, after consideration of the Director of Development Services, upon written request and submittal of the required fee prior to the expiration date.

Please be advised that if you seek judicial review of the final decision in this matter pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 1094.5, the time within which judicial review must be sought is governed by California Code of Civil Procedure section 1094.6.

Please feel free to contact me at (760)-839-4546, or via email at snicholas@escondido.org, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "S. Nicholas".

Sean Nicholas, AICP
Principal Planner

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Exhibits:

- A. Findings of Fact
- B. Conditions of Approval
- C. Project Plans
- D. Legal Description
- E. CEQA Notice of Exemption

cc: Adam Finestone, City Planner

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EXHIBIT "A"

FINDINGS OF FACT

Environmental Determinations:

1. Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code section 21000 et. seq.) ("CEQA"), and its implementing regulations (14 C.C.R. § 15000 et seq.) ("CEQA Guidelines"), the City of Escondido ("City") is the Lead Agency for the project ("Project"), as the public agency with the principal responsibility for approving the Project.
2. The proposed project qualifies for an exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Section 15332, Class 32 In-fill Development Project.
3. The City Planner, or their designee, has independently considered the full administrative record before it, which includes but is not limited to materials and evidence submitted by the applicant and other interested parties, and input provided by other City departments and public agencies. No substantial evidence has been submitted that would support a finding that any above-described exemption is not applicable to the Project. The Project will not have a significant effect on the environment, and all of the requirements of CEQA have been met.

Plot Plan Findings

The City Planner, or their designee, has reviewed the record, including applicable CEQA findings, and makes the following findings for a Plot Plan Permit:

1. The proposed multi-family residential project is an allowed use within the Escondido Boulevard District of the South Centre City Specific Plan (SPA 15). The Project is consistent with the objectives of the General Plan, complies with applicable zoning regulations, Specific Planning Area provisions, and improvement standards adopted by the City.
2. The Plot Plan is granted subject to such conditions as deemed necessary to meet the standards of the use and zone in which it is located and to comply with applicable design standards.
3. The Plot Plan is granted subject to such additional conditions as deemed necessary and desirable to preserve the public health, safety and general welfare.

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EXHIBIT "B"

PLANNING CASE NO. PL21-0304

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

This Project is conditionally approved as set forth on the application received by the City of Escondido on June 28, 2021, and the Project drawings consisting of Site Plans, Floor Plans, Sections, Architectural Elevations, Civil Sheets/Grading, Landscape Plans and Colored Elevations; all designated as approved on August 23, 2022, and shall not be altered without express authorization by the Development Services Department.

For the purpose of these conditions, the term "Applicant" shall also include the Project proponent, owner, permittee, and the Applicant's successors in interest, as may be applicable.

A. General:

- 1. Acceptance of Permit.** If the Applicant fails to file a timely and valid appeal of this Permit within the applicable appeal period, such inaction by the Applicant shall be deemed to constitute all of the following on behalf of the Applicant:
 - a.** Acceptance of the Permit by the Applicant; and
 - b.** Agreement by the Applicant to be bound by, to comply with, and to do all things required of or by the Applicant pursuant to all of the terms, provisions, and conditions of this Project Permit or other approval and the provisions of the Escondido Municipal Code or Zoning Code applicable to such Permit.
- 2. Permit Expiration.** If the Permit was filed as or concurrent with a Tentative Map or Planned Development application, the Permit shall expire 24 months from the effective date of approval, unless additional time is granted pursuant to the Map Act or to the Escondido Municipal Code. If not filed as concurrent with a Tentative Map or Planned Development application, the Permit shall automatically expire after one year from the date of this approval, or the expiration date of any extension granted in accordance with the Escondido Municipal Code and Zoning Code.

The Permit shall be deemed expired if a building permit has not been obtained or work has been discontinued in the reliance of that building permit. If no building permits are required, the City may require a noticed hearing to be scheduled before the authorized

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agency to determine if there has been demonstrated a good faith intent to proceed, pursuant to and in accordance with the provision of this Permit.

- 3. Certification.** The Director of Development Services, or his/her designee, is authorized and directed to make, or require the Applicant to make, all corrections and modifications to the Project drawings and any other relevant document comprising the Project in its entirety, as necessary to make them internally consistent and in conformity with the final action on the Project. This includes amending the Project drawings as necessary to incorporate revisions made by the decision-making body and/or reflecting any modifications identified in these conditions of approval. A final Approved Plan set, shall be submitted to the Planning Division for certification electronically. Said plans must be certified by the Planning Division prior to submittal of any post-entitlement permit, including grading, public improvement, landscape, or building plans for the Project.

4. Conformance to Approved Plans.

- a.** The operation and use of the subject property shall be consistent with the Project Description and Details of Request, designated with the Approved Plan set.
- b.** Nothing in this Permit shall authorize the Applicant to intensify the authorized activity beyond that which is specifically described in this Permit.
- c.** Once a permit has been issued, the Applicant may request Permit modifications. "Minor" modifications may be granted if found by the Director of Development Services to be in substantial conformity with the Approved Plan set, including all exhibits and Permit conditions attached hereto. Modifications beyond the scope described in the Approved Plan set may require submittal of an amendment to the Permit and approval by the authorized agency.

- 5. Limitations on Use.** Prior to any use of the Project site pursuant to this Permit, all Conditions of Approval contained herein shall be completed or secured to the satisfaction of the Development Services Department.

6. Certificate of Occupancy.

- a.** No change in the character of occupancy or change to a different group of occupancies as described by the Building Code shall be made without first obtaining a Certificate of Occupancy from the Building Official, as required, and any such change in occupancy must comply with all other applicable local and state laws.

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- b. Prior to final occupancy, a Planning Final Inspection shall be completed to ensure that the property is in full compliance with the Permit terms and conditions. The findings of the inspection shall be documented on a form and content satisfactory to the Director of Community Development.

7. Availability of Permit Conditions.

- a. Prior to building permit issuance, the Applicant shall cause a covenant regarding real property to be recorded that sets forth the terms and conditions of this Permit approval and shall be of a form and content satisfactory to the Director of Development Services.
- b. The Applicant shall make a copy of the terms conditions of this Permit readily available to any member of the public or City staff upon request. Said terms and conditions shall be printed on any construction plans that are submitted to the Building Division for plan check processing.

- 8. Right to Entry.** The holder of this Permit shall make the premises available for inspection by City staff during construction or operating hours and allow the investigations of property necessary to ensure that minimum codes, regulations, local ordinances and safety requirements are properly followed. The Applicant shall provide such business records, licenses, and other materials necessary upon request to provide evidence of compliance with the conditions of approval, as well as federal, state, or laws.

- 9. Compliance with Federal, State, and Local Laws.** Nothing in this Permit shall relieve the Applicant from complying with conditions, performance standards, and regulations generally imposed upon activities similar in nature to the activity authorized by this permit. (Permits from other agencies may be required as specified in the Permit's Details of Request.) This Permit does not relieve the Applicant of the obligation to comply with all applicable statutes, regulations, and procedures in effect at the time that any engineering permits or building permits are issued unless specifically waived herein.

No part of this Permit's approval shall be construed to permit a violation of any part of the Escondido Municipal or Zoning Code. **During** Project construction and after Project completion, the Applicant shall ensure the subject land use activities covered by this Permit is conducted in full compliance with all local and state laws.

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10. Fees. The appropriate development fees and Citywide Facility fees shall be paid in accordance with the prevailing fee schedule in effect at the time of building permit issuance, to the satisfaction of the Director of Development Services. Through plan check processing, the Applicant shall pay development fees at the established rate. Such fees may include, but not be limited to: Permit and Plan Checking Fees, Water and Sewer Service Fees, School Fees, Traffic Mitigation Fees, Flood Control Mitigation Fees, Park Mitigation Fees, Fire Mitigation/Cost Recovery Fees, and other fees listed in the Fee Schedule, which may be amended. Arrangements to pay these fees shall be made prior to building permit issuance to the satisfaction of the Development Services Department.

Approval of this development project is conditioned upon payment of all applicable development fees and connection fees in the manner provided in Chapter 6 of the Escondido Municipal Code.

11. Costs of Municipal Services. Costs of Municipal Services. In accordance with the General Plan, the Developer shall fund all on-going operational costs of providing municipal services required for the Project, the amount of such funding shall be in accordance with the special tax levy adopted annually by the City Council based on the project density, unless another amount is approved by the City Council at the time of Project approval. Such funding shall occur through either an agreement to form or annex into a Community Facilities District ("CFD") or the establishment of another lawful funding mechanism reasonably acceptable to the City ("Public Services Funding Agreement"). Projects that elect to annex into the Services CFD shall submit consent forms prior to the first permit issuance if they have not done so already. The provisions of the Public Services Funding Agreement shall specify any terms and limitations necessary to implement the CFD or other funding mechanism to offset the impacts to public services associated with the project. The City Manager, or City Manager's designee, shall be authorized to approve and execute the Public Services Funding Agreement, and the Public Services Funding Agreement shall be finalized prior to the City's issuance of any permit for the Project.

12. Public Art Partnership Program. All requirements of the Public Art Partnership Program as applicable, Ordinance No. 86-70 shall be satisfied prior to any building permit issuance. The ordinance requires that a public art fee be added at the time of the building permit issuance for the purpose of participating in the City Public Art Program.

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13. Clerk Recording.

- a. **Exemption.** If the environmental determination prepared for the Project is a categorical exemption, the City of Escondido hereby notifies the Applicant that the County Clerk's Office requires a documentary handling fee of \$50 in order to file a Notice of Exemption. In order to file the Notice of Exemption with the County Clerk, in conformance with California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines section 15062, the Applicant should remit to the City of Escondido Planning Division, within two working days of the final approval of the Project (the final approval being the date of this letter) a certified check payable to the "County Clerk" in the amount of \$50. The filing of a Notice of Exemption and the posting with the County Clerk starts a 35-day statute of limitations period on legal challenges to the agency's decision that the Project is exempt from CEQA. Failure to submit the required fee within the specified time noted above will result in the Notice of Exemption not being filed with the County Clerk, and a 180-day statute of limitations period will apply.
- b. For more information on filing fees, please refer to the County Clerk's Office and/or the California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 753.5.

14. Legal Description Adequacy. The legal description attached to the application has been provided by the Applicant and neither the City of Escondido nor any of its employees assume responsibility for the accuracy of said legal description.

15. Application Accuracy. The information contained in the application and all attached materials are assumed to be correct, true, and complete. The City of Escondido is relying on the accuracy of this information and Project-related representations in order to process this application. Any permits issued by the City may be rescinded if it is determined that the information and materials submitted are not true and correct. The Applicant may be liable for any costs associated with rescission of such permits.

16. Enforcement. If any of the terms, covenants, or conditions contained herein shall fail to occur or if they are, by their terms, to be implemented and maintained over time, the City of Escondido shall have the right to deny or withhold subsequent permit approvals or permit inspections that are derived from the application entitlements herein granted; issue stop work orders; pursue abatement orders, penalties, or other administrative remedies as set forth in state and local laws; or institute and prosecute litigation to compel compliance with such terms, covenants, or conditions or seek damages for their violation. The Applicant shall be notified in advance prior to any of the above actions being taken

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by the City and shall be given the opportunity to remedy any deficiencies identified by the City.

17. Indemnification, Hold Harmless, Duty to Defend.

- a.** The Applicant shall indemnify, hold harmless, and defend (with counsel reasonably acceptable to the City) the City, its Councilmembers, Planning Commissioners, boards, commissions, departments, officials, officers, agents, employees, and volunteers (collectively, "Indemnified Parties") from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, causes of action, proceedings (including but not limited to legal and administrative proceedings of any kind), suits, fines, penalties, judgments, orders, levies, costs, expenses, liabilities, losses, damages, or injuries, at law or in equity, including without limitation the payment of all consequential damages and attorney's fees and other related litigation costs and expenses (collectively, "Claims"), of every nature caused by, arising out of, or in connection with (i) any business, work, conduct, act, omission, or negligence of the Applicant or the owner of the Property (including the Applicant's or the owner of the Property's contractors, subcontractors, licensees, sublessees, invitees, agents, consultants, employees, or volunteers), or such activity of any other person that is permitted by the Applicant or owner of the Property, occurring in, on, about, or adjacent to the Property; (ii) any use of the Property, or any accident, injury, death, or damage to any person or property occurring in, on, or about the Property; or (iii) any default in the performance of any obligation of the Applicant or the owner of the Property to be performed pursuant to any condition of approval for the Project or agreement related to the Project, or any such claim, action, or proceeding brought thereon. Provided, however, that the Applicant shall have no obligation to indemnify, hold harmless, or defend the City as to any Claims that arise from the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the City. In the event any such Claims are brought against the City, the Applicant, upon receiving notice from the City, shall defend the same at its sole expense by counsel reasonably acceptable to the City and shall indemnify the City for any and all administrative and litigation costs incurred by the City itself, the costs for staff time expended, and reasonable attorney's fees (including the full reimbursement of any such fees incurred by the City's outside counsel, who may be selected by the City at its sole and absolute discretion and who may defend the City against any Claims in the manner the City deems to be in the best interests of the City).
- b.** The Applicant further and separately agrees to and shall indemnify, hold harmless, and defend the City (including all Indemnified Parties) from and against any and

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all Claims brought by any third party to challenge the Project or its approval by the City, including but not limited to any Claims related to the Project's environmental determinations or environmental review documents, or any other action taken by the City regarding environmental clearance for the Project or any of the Project approvals. Such indemnification shall include the Applicant's payment for any and all administrative and litigation costs and expenses incurred by the City in defending against any such Claims, including payment for all administrative and litigation costs incurred by the City itself, the costs for staff time expended, and reasonable attorney's fees (including the full reimbursement of any such fees incurred by the City's outside counsel, who may be selected by the City at its sole and absolute discretion and who may defend the City against any Claims in the manner the City deems to be in the best interests of the City and the Project).

- c. The City, in its sole discretion and upon providing notice to the Applicant, may require the Applicant to deposit with the City an amount estimated to cover costs, expenses, and fees (including attorney's fees) required to be paid by the Applicant in relation to any Claims referenced herein, which shall be placed into a deposit account from which the City may draw as such costs, expenses, and fees are incurred. Within 14 days after receiving written notice from the City, the Applicant shall replenish the deposit account in the amount the City determines is necessary in the context of the further defense of such Claims. To the extent such deposit is required by the City, the amount of such deposit and related terms and obligations shall be expressed in a written Deposit Account Agreement, subject to the City Attorney's approval as to form. The City, in its sole and reasonable discretion, shall determine the amount of any initial deposits or subsequent deposits of funds, and the Applicant may provide documentation or information for the City to consider in making its determinations. Nothing within this subsection shall be construed as to relieve the Applicant's obligations to indemnify, hold harmless, or defend the City as otherwise stated herein.

B. Construction, Maintenance, and Operation Obligations:

1. **Code Requirements.** All construction shall comply with the applicable requirements of the Escondido Municipal Code, Escondido Zoning Code, California Building Code; and the requirements of the Planning Division, Engineering Services Department, Director of Community Development, Building Official, City Engineer, and the Fire Chief in carrying out the administration of said codes. Approval of this Permit request shall not waive compliance with any City regulations in effect at the time of Building Permit issuance unless specifically waived herein.

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As a condition of receiving the land use approvals specified herein, Applicant shall maintain the property subject to the approvals in compliance with all applicable city codes governing the condition or appearance of property. In addition to compliance with such basic standards, the property subject to these approvals shall also be maintained free of trash, plant debris, weeds, and concrete (other than existing foundations and permanent structures). Any signs placed on the property advertising such property for sale or rent shall be in accordance with applicable laws, and be kept clean, in like-new condition, and free from fading and graffiti at all times. This condition shall be applicable from the date the land use is approved. The failure to comply with this condition shall subject the approvals specified herein to revocation for failure to comply.

2. **Agency License and Permitting.** In order to make certain on- or off-site improvements associated with the Approved Plan set, the Permit request may require review and clearance from other agencies. Nothing in these Conditions of Approval shall be construed as to waive compliance with other government agency regulations or to obtain permits from other agencies to make certain on- or off-site improvements prior to Final Map recordation, grading permit issuance, building permit issuance, or certificate of occupancy as required. This review may result in conditions determined by the reviewing agency.

At all times during the effective period of this Permit, the Applicant and any affiliated responsible party shall obtain and maintain in valid force and effect, each and every license and permit required by a governmental agency for the construction, maintenance, and operation of the authorized activity.

3. **Utilities.** All new utilities and utility runs shall be underground, or fee payment in-lieu subject to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.
4. **Signage.** All proposed signage associated with the Project must comply with Article 66 (Sign Ordinance) of the Escondido Zoning Code. Separate sign permits will be required for Project signage. All non-conforming signs shall be removed. The Applicant shall submit with any sign permit graphic/list of all signs to be removed and retained, along with any new signage proposed.
5. **Noise.** All Project generated noise shall conform to the City's Noise Ordinance (Ordinance 90-08).

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- 6. Lighting.** All exterior lighting shall conform to the requirements of Article 35 (Outdoor Lighting Ordinance) of the Escondido Zoning Code.
- 7. General Property Maintenance.** The property owner or management company shall maintain the property in good visual and functional condition. This shall include, but not be limited to, all exterior elements of the buildings such as paint, roof, paving, signs, lighting and landscaping. The Applicant shall paint and re-paint all building exteriors, accessory equipment, and utility boxes servicing the Project, as necessary to maintain clean, safe, and efficient appearances.
- 8. Anti-Graffiti.** The Applicant shall remove all graffiti from buildings and wall surfaces within 48 hours of defacement, including all areas of the job site for when the Project is under construction.
- 9. Anti-Litter.** The site and surrounding area shall be maintained free of litter, refuse, and debris. Cleaning shall include keeping all publicly used areas free of litter, trash, and garbage.
- 10. Roof, Wall, and Ground Level Equipment.** All mechanical equipment shall be screened and concealed from view in accordance with Section 33-1085 of the Escondido Zoning Code.
- 11. Trash Enclosures.** All appropriate trash enclosures or other approved trash systems shall be approved by the Planning and Engineering Division. The property owner or management company shall be responsible for ensuring that enclosures are easily assessable for garbage and recyclables collection; and that the area is managed in a clean, safe, and efficient manner. Trash enclosure covers shall be closed when not in use. Trash enclosures shall be regularly emptied. There shall be the prompt removal of visible signs of overflow of garbage, smells emanating from enclosure, graffiti, pests, and vermin.
- 12. Staging Construction Areas.** All staging areas shall be conducted on the subject property, subject to approval of the Engineering Department. Off-site staging areas, if any, shall be approved through the issuance of an off-site staging area permit/agreement.
- 13. Disturbance Coordinator.** The Applicant shall designate and provide a point-of-contact whose responsibilities shall include overseeing the implementation of Project, compliance with Permit terms and conditions, and responding to neighborhood concerns.

- 14. Construction Waste Reduction, Disposal, and Recycling.** Applicant shall recycle or salvage for reuse a minimum of 65% of the non-hazardous construction and demolition waste for residential projects or portions thereof in accordance with either Section 4.408.2, 4.408.3, or 4.408.4 of the California Green Building Standards Code; and/or for non-residential projects or portions thereof in accordance with either Section 5.408.1.1, 5.408.1.2, or 5.408.1.3 of the California Green Building Standards Code. In order to ensure compliance with the waste diversion goals for all residential and non-residential construction projects, the Applicant must submit appropriate documentation as described in Section 4.408.5 of the California Green Building Standards Code for residential projects or portions thereof, or Section 5.408.1.4 for non-residential projects or portions thereof, demonstrating compliance with the California Green Building Standards Code sections cited above.
- 15. Construction Equipment Emissions.** Applicant shall incorporate measures that reduce construction and operational emissions. Prior to the City's issuance of the demolition and grading permits for the Project, the Applicant shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Planning Division that its construction contractor will use a construction fleet wherein all 50-horsepower or greater diesel-powered equipment is powered with California Air Resources Board ("CARB") certified Tier 4 Interim engines or equipment outfitted with CARB-verified diesel particulate filters. An exemption from this requirement may be granted if (i) the Applicant provides documentation demonstrating that equipment with Tier 4 Interim engines are not reasonably available, and (ii) functionally equivalent diesel PM emission totals can be achieved for the Project from other combinations of construction equipment. Before an exemption may be granted, the Applicant's construction contractor shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Director of Community Development that (i) at least two construction fleet owners/operators in San Diego County were contacted and those owners/operators confirmed Tier 4 Interim equipment could not be located within San Diego County during the desired construction schedule, and (ii) the proposed replacement equipment has been evaluated using the California Emissions Estimator Model ("CalEEMod") or other industry standard emission estimation method, and documentation provided to the Planning Division confirms that necessary project-generated functional equivalencies in the diesel PM emissions level are achieved.
- 16. Phasing.** A phasing plan shall be submitted for all projects which include more than one building. The phasing plan shall identify the order in which all on- and off-site improvements will be installed, including triggers for improvements resulting from mitigation measures placed on the project through the environmental review process or required for General Plan conformance. The plan shall also identify the order in which structures will be built and occupied, the location of construction fencing at each phase of

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construction, and any other means necessary to prevent conflicts between construction traffic and users of the occupied buildings. The phasing plan shall be approved by the City Planner, Building Official, City Engineer and Fire Marshal prior to the issuance of a grading permit for the project. The phasing plan shall not be modified without written consent from the City of Escondido.

C. Parking and Loading/Unloading.

1. A minimum of 73 parking spaces shall be provided at all times. Said parking spaces provided by the Applicant, and any additional parking spaces provided above the required, minimum amount, shall be dimensioned per City standards and be maintained in a clean, well-marked condition. The striping shall be drawn on the plans or a note shall be included indicating double-striping per City standards.
2. Parking for disabled persons shall be provided (including "Van Accessible" spaces) in full compliance with the State Building Code.
3. In accordance with the California Green Building Standard Code, at least eight (8%) percent of the total number of required spaces shall be designated for clean air vehicles (CAV), and shall be shown on the revised site plan to the satisfaction of the Planning and Building divisions.
4. No contractor or employee may store, or permit to be stored, a commercial or construction vehicle/truck; or personal vehicle, truck, or other personal property on public-right-of-way or other public property without permission of the City Engineer.
5. A parking and garage management plan shall be submitted to the City for review. Said plan shall address parking lot access, space assignment(s), gate hours, general maintenance, signage and striping, delivery and other short-term parking allowances/requirements, guest parking, utility access and trash/recycling staging, and any other issues which affect the use and maintenance of the parking garage.

D. Landscaping: The property owner or management company assumes all responsibility for maintaining all on-site landscaping; any landscaping in the public right-of-way adjacent to the property, including potted plants; and any retaining and freestanding walls in a manner that satisfies the conditions contained herein.

1. Landscaped areas shall be maintained in a flourishing manner. Appropriate irrigation shall be provided for all landscape areas and be maintained in a fully operational condition.
2. All existing planting and planter areas, including areas within the public right-of-way, shall be repaired and landscaping brought into compliance with current standards. All dead

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plant material shall be removed and replaced by the property owner or management company.

3. If at the time of planning final inspection that it is determined that sufficient screening is not provided, the Applicant shall be required to provide additional landscaping improvements to the satisfaction of the Planning Division.
4. The landscaped areas shall be free of all foreign matter, weeds and plant material not approved as part of the landscape plan.
5. Failure to maintain landscaping and the site in general may result in the setting of a public hearing to revoke or modify the Permit approval.
6. **Landscaping Plans.** Applicant shall install all required improvements including screening walls, retaining walls, storm improvements, and landscaping in substantial conformance to the planting and irrigation schedule as shown on the final Approved Plan set.
 - a. A final landscape and irrigation plan shall be submitted to the Engineering Services Department for review and approval, if meeting any of the criteria listed under Section 33-1323 of the Zoning Code. Five copies of detailed landscape and irrigation plans shall be submitted to the Engineering Services Department with the second submittal of the grading plan. The initial submittal of the landscape plans shall include the required plan check fees, paid in accordance with the prevailing fee schedule in effect at the time of submittal. Details of Project fencing and walls, including materials and colors, shall be provided on the landscape plans. (Building permits may also be required.) The landscape and irrigation plans shall be reviewed and approved by the Planning Division and Engineering Services Department prior to issuance of grading permits, and shall be equivalent or superior to the conceptual landscape plans included as part of the Approved Plan set, to the satisfaction of the Planning Division. The required landscape and irrigation plans(s) shall comply with the provisions, requirements and standards outlined in Article 62 (Landscape Standards) of the Escondido Zoning Code, except where stricter requirements are imposed by the State of California.
 - b. Screening walls, retaining walls, storm improvements, and landscaping (i.e. planting and irrigation) is to be provided prior to final occupancy.
 - c. The installation of the landscaping and irrigation shall be inspected by the Project landscape architect upon completion. He/she shall complete a Certificate of Landscape Compliance certifying that the installation is in substantial compliance

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with the approved landscape and irrigation plans and City standards. The Applicant shall submit the Certificate of Compliance to the Planning Division and request a final inspection.

- d. Any new freestanding walls and/or retaining walls shall incorporate decorative materials or finishes, and shall be indicated on the landscaping plans. (Building permits may also be required.) All freestanding walls visible from points beyond the Project site shall be treated with a protective sealant coating to facilitate graffiti removal. The sealant shall be a type satisfactory to the Director of Development Services.
- e. New or retrofitted trash enclosures shall accommodate vertical climbing plants, vines with support trellis panels, clinging non-deciduous or fast growing shrubbery that will screen the enclosures wall surface. The Director of Development Services shall find that the proposed landscaping design, material, or method provides approximate equivalence to the specific requirements of this condition or is otherwise satisfactory and complies with the intent of these provisions.

E. Housing and Neighborhood Services Conditions:

1. The Project shall provide a minimum of six (6) dwelling units for very-low income households (those earning less than 50 percent of the Area Median Income for the San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos MSA). Prior to issuance of a building permit, the developer shall sign a binding affordable housing agreement with the City, which will set forth the conditions and guidelines to be met in the implementation of Density Bonus Law requirements and any other applicable requirements (Within the affordable housing agreement, the developer will be responsible for annual recertification of household income qualifications and compliance with rent limits). The agreement will also establish specific compliance standards and remedies available to the City upon failure by the developer to restrict units to target households for the prescribed time period (55 years for all target units as described in Government Code section 65915(c)). Income qualified households will be monitored by the City of Escondido Housing and Neighborhood Services Division for the duration of the affordability period. Monitoring fees will be applied per the affordable housing agreement.
2. All affordability agreements shall run with the land and be binding on the applicant and its heirs, transferees, assigns, successors, administrators, executors, and other representatives, and recorded on the applicable property for the requisite period of time.

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F. Engineering Conditions:

GENERAL

1. The Developer shall provide the City Engineer with a current Preliminary Title Report covering subject property.
2. The location of all existing on-site and adjacent utilities shall be determined by the Developer's engineer. If a conflict occurs with the proposed project or improvements, these utilities shall be relocated subject to approval of the owner of the utility/facility prior to approval of Grading plans and issuance of Building Permits.
3. Improvement plans prepared by a Civil Engineer, required for all public street, utility, and storm drain improvements, and Grading/Private Improvement plans prepared by Civil Engineer, required for all grading, drainage and private onsite improvement design, shall be submitted for review through the virtual plan review portal as a single package containing all items on the Engineering Initial Submittal Checklists. Landscaping Plans shall be prepared by a Landscape Architect.
4. The Developer shall post securities in accordance with the City prepared Bond and Fee Letter based on a final Engineer's Estimate of Grading and Improvements Cost prepared by the project engineer. The Developer is required to provide a Cash Clean Up deposit for all grading, landscaping, private Improvements and onsite drainage improvements prior to approval of Grading Plans and issuance of Grading Permit. This Cash Clean Up Deposit amount shall be 10% of the total cost of the project private improvements, drainage and landscaping. The Developer is required to provide Performance (100% of total public improvement cost estimate), Labor and Material (50% of total public improvement cost estimate) and Guarantee and Warranty (10 % of total public improvement cost estimate) bonds for all public improvements prior to approval of the Improvement Plans and issuance of Building Permits. All improvements shall be completed prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
5. As surety for the construction of required off-site and/or on-site improvements, bonds and agreements in a form acceptable to the City Attorney shall be posted by the Developer with the City of Escondido prior to the approval of any building permit.
6. If site conditions change adjacent to the proposed development prior to completion of the project, the Developer will be responsible to modify his/her improvements to accommodate these changes. The determination and extent of the modification shall be to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.
7. All public improvements shall be constructed in a manner that does not damage existing public improvements. Any damage shall be corrected by the Developer to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.

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8. The Developer's engineer shall submit to the Planning Department 3 copies of the Plot Plan as conditionally approved. These copies shall be signed by the Planning Department verifying that they are an accurate reproduction of the approved Plot Plan and one of these copies must be included with the first Final Engineering submittal for plan check to the Engineering Department.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS AND TRAFFIC

1. All driveways shall be alley-type in accordance with Escondido Standard Drawing No. G-5-E, with a minimum throat width of 24'. The driveway apron off Escondido Blvd. is allowed to have a reduced return radius of 12 feet on the south side to accommodate the existing SDG&E equipment. All other driveway apron returns shall be the standard 20' radius.
2. The existing substandard radius curb return at the northwest corner of 15th Avenue and Escondido Blvd. (SE cor. of project frontage) shall be reconstructed to the City Standard minimum radius of 30 feet together with a new pedestrian ramp. This curb return reconstruction shall include the relocation and/or adjustment to grade of various utility and traffic signal equipment including 2 waterline air valves, a 1A traffic signal pole, pull boxes, etc.
3. The Developer will be required to modify the existing traffic signal poles & equipment, signing, and striping as needed to accommodate the curb return reconstruction in Condition 2 above. The Developer shall submit separate traffic signal and signing and striping modification improvement plans prepared by a Traffic Engineer for review and approval by the City Engineer. These traffic signal modifications shall be per current City, Caltrans, and MUTCD Standards and shall include video detection and APS as needed. The Developer's Traffic Engineer will also be responsible for any required signal timing and coordinating traffic signal modification work with the Developer's Contractor(s) and Equipment Suppliers and City staff.
4. The developer will be responsible for removal of all existing and the furnish and installation of all new signing and striping in compliance with the current CA MUTCD standards and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.
5. The Developer shall repaint all pavement striping and markings adjacent to the project that have been damaged and prematurely faded due to project construction traffic to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.
6. All unused driveways shall be removed and replaced with full height curb and gutter and sidewalk in accordance with City standards.
7. A new LED street light shall be installed per Escondido Standard Drawing E-1-E on the west side of the new project entrance off 15th Avenue.

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8. The existing street light on Escondido Blvd. shall be relocated to the south side of the project's proposed new Escondido Blvd. driveway and it shall be retrofitted with an LED light head in accordance with Escondido Standard Drawing No. E-1-E.
9. Adequate horizontal sight distance shall be provided at all street intersections and driveway entrances. Increased parkway widths, open space easements, and restrictions on landscaping may be required at the discretion of the City Engineer.
10. The Developer shall remove and replace all damaged sidewalk, curb and gutter, along all project frontages to the satisfaction of the City Engineer prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
11. The Developer may be responsible for an overlay of portions of Escondido Blvd. and 15th Avenue due to utility trenches necessary to serve this project. The determination of the extent of any required overlay shall be to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.
12. Pedestrian access routes meeting current ADA requirements shall be provided into the project to the satisfaction of the City Engineer and City Building Official.
13. All gated entrances shall be approved by the City Engineer, Building Official, and the Fire Marshal.
14. The Developer will be required to provide a detailed detour and traffic control plan, for all construction and staging activities within the Escondido Blvd. right-of-way to the satisfaction of the City Engineer. This plan shall include any proposed sidewalk closures and provide for alternate pedestrian access around the project site. This plan shall be approved prior to the issuance of an Encroachment Permit for construction or other project activities within the public right-of-way.

GRADING

1. A site grading and erosion control plan prepared by a registered Civil Engineer shall be approved by the Engineering Department prior to issuance of building permits. The first submittal of the grading plan shall be accompanied by a copy of the preliminary soils and geotechnical report. The Soils Engineer will be required to indicate in the soils report that he/she has reviewed the grading design and found it to be in conformance with his/her recommendations.
2. All private access drives and parking areas shall be paved with a minimum of 3" asphalt concrete over 6" of aggregate base or 7" Portland cement concrete over 6" aggregate base. All paved areas exceeding 15% slope or less than 1.0% shall be paved with Portland cement concrete.
3. Any proposed retaining walls not a part of the building foundations or stem walls shall be shown on and permitted as part of the site grading plan. Profiles and structural details shall be shown on the site grading plan and the Soils Engineer shall state on the plans that the

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proposed retaining wall design is in conformance with the recommendations and specifications as outlined in the Geotechnical report. Structural calculations shall be submitted for review by a Consulting Engineer for all walls not covered by Regional or City Standard Drawings. The Developer will be required to pay for all required third party structural engineering review of these structural calculations and details. Stem walls, foundation structures, or deepened footings that are to be constructed as part of a building structure will be permitted as part of the Building Department plan review and Building Permit process.

4. All retaining walls and screen walls, stairs and raised landings shall be constructed completely within the Project property and shall not encroach into the public R/W.
5. The Developer will be required to obtain permission from adjoining property owners for any off-site grading or other work necessary to construct the project and/or the required improvements, or the Developer shall modify the project design so the construction in question is contained within the project's property lines.
6. Erosion control, including riprap, interim slope planting, sandbags, or other erosion control measures shall be provided to control sediment and silt from the project. The Developer shall be responsible for maintaining all erosion control facilities throughout the project.
7. The Developer shall be responsible for the recycling of all excavated materials designated as Industrial Recyclables (soil, asphalt, sand, concrete, land clearing brush and rock) at a recycling center or other location(s) approved by the City Engineer.
8. All blasting operations performed in connection with the improvement of the project shall conform to the City of Escondido Blasting Operations Ordinance.
9. All existing foundations, structures, trees not otherwise designated "to remain" on the Plot plan, shall be removed or demolished from the site.
10. All driveway grades shall conform to current Escondido Design Standards and Escondido Standard Drawings.

DRAINAGE

1. Final on-site and off-site storm drain improvements shall be determined to the satisfaction of the City Engineer and shall be based on a Final Drainage Study to be prepared by the Engineer of Work. The drainage study shall be in conformance with the City of Escondido Design Standards.
2. All on-site storm drains are private. The responsibility for maintenance of these storm drains shall be that of the Property Owner.
3. The project shall limit drainage flows to their pre-construction rates. Details and calculations for any detention vaults shall be submitted and approved as part of the grading plan check.

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4. A Final Storm Water Quality Management Plan (SWQMP) in compliance with the City's latest adopted Storm Water Design Manual shall be prepared for all newly created or replaced onsite impervious areas, impervious frontage, and required offsite improvements. The SWQMP shall be submitted for approval with the final improvement and grading plans. The SWQMP shall include calculations for treatment, hydromodification, pump, and storage volumes. The SWQMP shall include detailed maintenance requirements and responsibilities for all onsite conveyance, treatment, detention, and pump facilities. The SWQMP shall demonstrate how any proposed proprietary best management practices like modular wetlands meet bio-filtration treatment requirements in accordance with the City's Storm Water Design Manual.
5. Trash enclosures shall be covered and be constructed to comply with storm water quality management requirements to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.
6. The Developer will be required to have the current owner of the property sign, notarize, and record a Storm Water Control Facility Maintenance Agreement.
7. All onsite and offsite storm water treatment and retention facilities and their drains including modular wetlands, underground storage and pumps, any permeable paver areas shall be considered private. The responsibility for maintenance and repair of all project constructed/installed post construction storm water treatment facilities both onsite and in the adjacent public right-of-way shall be that of the Property Owner.

WATER SUPPLY

1. Fire hydrants together with an adequate water supply shall be installed at locations approved by the Fire Marshall. Fire hydrants shall connect to a minimum 8-inch water main.
2. The final locations and sizing of all required water mains, water services, fire hydrants, detector check assemblies, and other water appurtenances shall be designed and installed to the satisfaction of the Utilities Engineer and Fire Marshal.
3. Fire suppression and sprinkler systems beyond the Detector Check Valves are private and shall be designed and constructed per current Building, Plumbing, and Fire Code Standards, and per the requirements of the City Fire Marshal and City Building Official and shall be approved by a separate submittal to the Building Department. Although private and approved by separate plans and permit, all fire suppression lines shall be shown for reference and review on the various final engineering plan sets.
4. All on-site water lines and backflow prevention devices beyond the City water meter or DDCA shall be considered a private water system. The Property Owner shall be responsible for all maintenance of these water lines and appurtenances.

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5. A 1-inch minimum water service, 1-inch water meter, and backflow prevention device shall be required for domestic water supply per City of Escondido Design Standards and Standard Drawings. Water meters and backflow prevention devices shall not be installed within a driveway apron or on private drive areas.
6. No trees or deep-rooted bushes shall be planted within 10-feet of any water mains or services.
7. There shall be no permanent private structures located within the City's Public Utility Easements.
8. Backflow prevention assemblies are private and should be located on private property. Backflows shall be located directly behind the public meter.
9. Any water services to be replaced, reconnected or relocated as a part of this project shall be replaced in entirety from the public water main to the public water meter to the satisfaction of the Utilities Engineer and Water Distribution Department.
10. Any fire hydrants to be replaced, reconnected or relocated as a part of this project shall be replaced in entirety from the public water main to the fire hydrant per the satisfaction of the Utilities Engineer and Water Distribution.
11. The Developer shall disconnect at the public main, all water services and fire hydrants laterals to be abandoned, to the satisfaction of the Utilities Engineer and Water Distribution Department.

SEWER

1. A private 6-inch minimum PVC sewer lateral with a standard clean-out within 18-inches of the Public Utility Easement or ROW shall be constructed for the project and shown on the Improvement and Grading plans. Sewer laterals less than 8-inches in diameter shall connect to the sewer main with a wye or Inserta-Tee.
2. All sewer laterals shall be constructed per current City of Escondido Design Standards and Standard Drawings and per the current Uniform Plumbing Code.
3. No trees or deep-rooted bushes shall be planted within 15-feet of any sewer main or within 10-feet of any sewer lateral. Sewer laterals shall be 5-feet horizontally clear from other utilities.
4. All sewer laterals shall be considered a private sewer system. The Property Owner shall be responsible for all maintenance of sewer laterals to the public sewer main.
5. The Developer shall cap and plug at the public sewer main all sewer lines and laterals to be abandoned, to the satisfaction of the Utilities Engineer and the City Inspector.

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6. The location of all sewer laterals shall be shown on the grading and improvement plans.

LANDSCAPING

1. Site landscaping and irrigation plan for the project and for all right-of-way areas along the project frontages shall be prepared by a Licensed Landscape Architect and submitted to the Engineering Department with the second submittal of the grading plans for review and approval by Engineering and Planning Departments. The initial submittal of the landscape plans shall include the required plan check fees.

EASEMENTS AND DEDICATIONS

1. The developer shall dedicate to the public a 20-foot radius corner rounding at the northwest corner of 15th Ave. and Escondido Blvd.
2. All private and public easements affecting subject property both proposed and existing to remain shall be shown, delineated, dimensioned, and clearly labeled on the Final Map and all plan sets.
3. The Developer shall grant to the public two (2) feet of public utility easement beyond the public right-of-way along the project's entire 15th Avenue frontage.
4. The Developer shall grant to the public additional areas of public utility easement as needed in various locations for the placement of water meters, DDCAs, and air valves to the satisfaction of the City Engineer and Utilities Engineer.
5. The Developer is responsible for making the arrangements to quitclaim all easements of record which conflict with the proposed project prior to issuance of Building Permits. If an easement of record contains an existing utility that must remain in service, proof of arrangements to quitclaim the easement once new utilities are constructed must be submitted to the City Engineer prior to approval of the Grading plans. Building permits will not be issued for structures in which construction will conflict with existing easements or utilities, nor will any securities be released until the existing easements are quitclaimed.

Material necessary for processing a dedication or easement shall include: a current grant deed or title report, a legal description and plat of the dedication or easement signed and sealed by a person authorized to practice land surveying (document size) and traverse closure tapes. The City will prepare all final documents.

SURVEYING AND MONUMENTATION

1. All property corners shall be monumented by a person authorized to practice land surveying and a Record of Survey Map (or Corner Record if appropriate) shall be recorded.

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REPAYMENTS AND FEES

1. A cash security shall be posted to pay any costs incurred by the City to clean-up eroded soils and debris, repair damage to public or private property and improvements, install Best Management Practices devices and materials, and stabilize and/or close-up a non-responsive or abandoned project. Any moneys used by the City for cleanup or damage will be drawn from this security and the grading permit will be revoked by written notice to the Developer until the required cash security is replaced. The cleanup cash security shall be released upon final acceptance of the grading and improvements for this project. The amount of the cash security shall be 10% of the total estimated cost of the grading, retaining walls, walls, drainage facilities, landscaping and irrigation, and best management practices items of work up to a maximum of \$50,000, unless a higher amount is deemed necessary by the City Engineer.
2. The Developer shall be required to pay all development fees of the City then in effect at the time, and in such amounts as may prevail when Building Permits are issued.

UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING AND RELOCATION

1. Any existing overhead utilities within the project boundary or along fronting streets shall be relocated underground as required by the City's Undergrounding Ordinance.
2. The Developer shall sign a written agreement stating that they have made all such arrangements as may be necessary to coordinate and provide utility construction, relocation and undergrounding. All new utilities shall be constructed underground.


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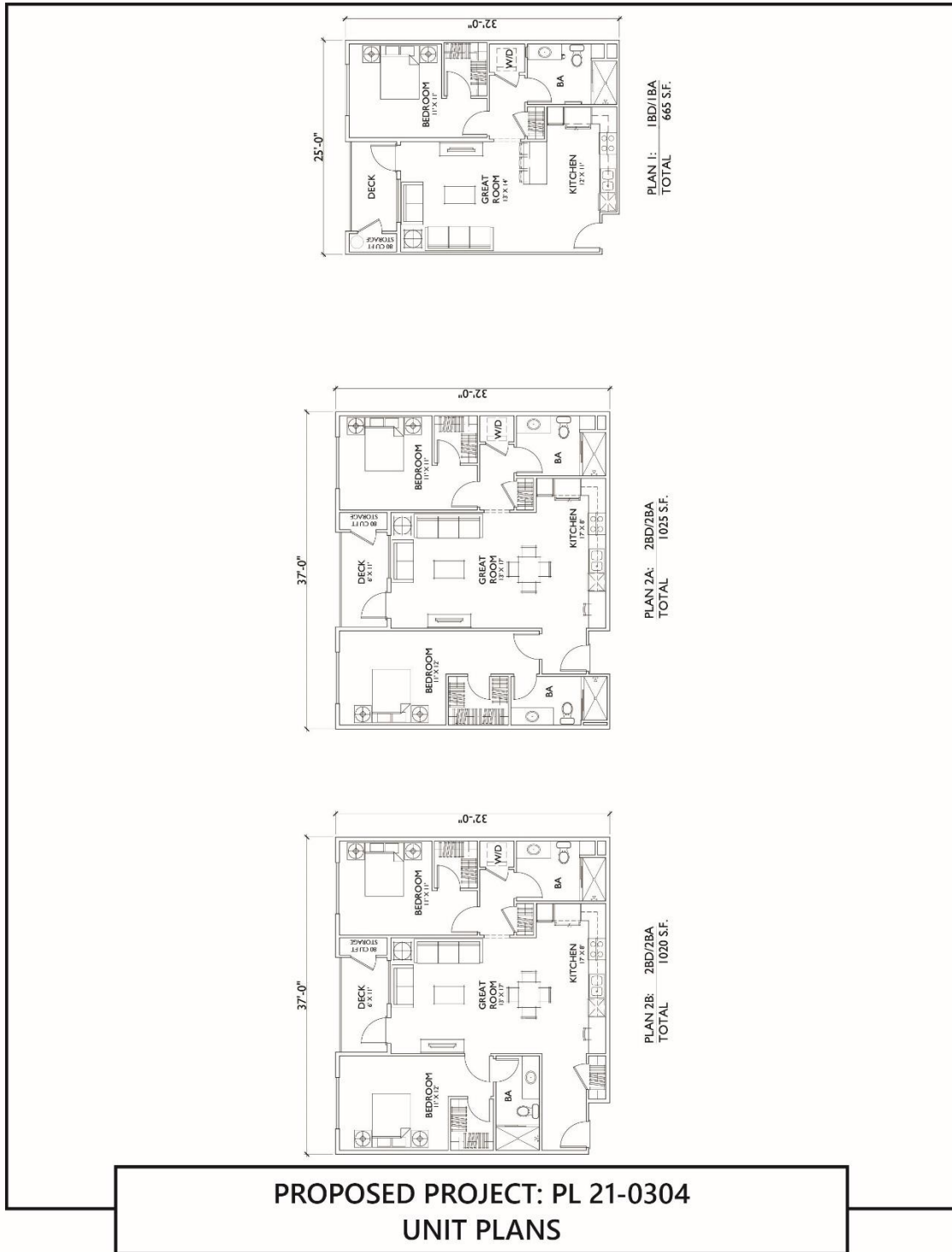


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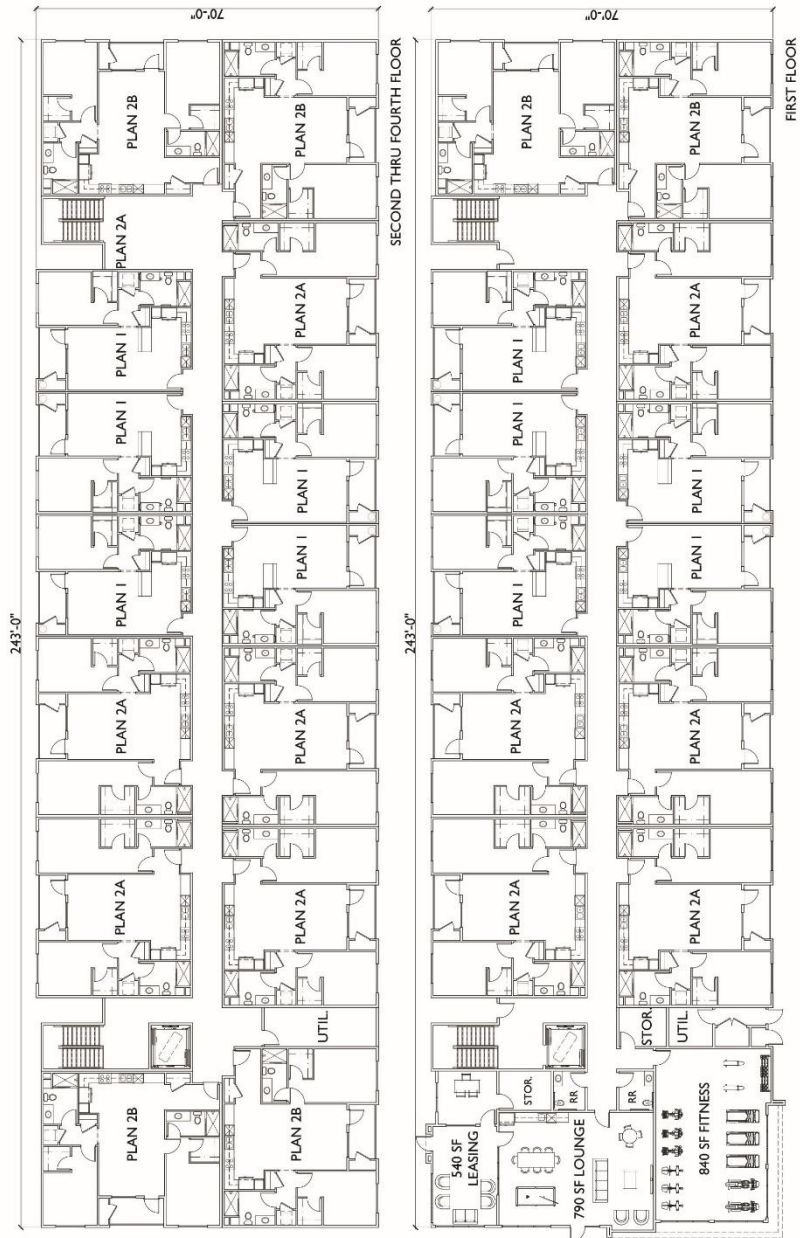
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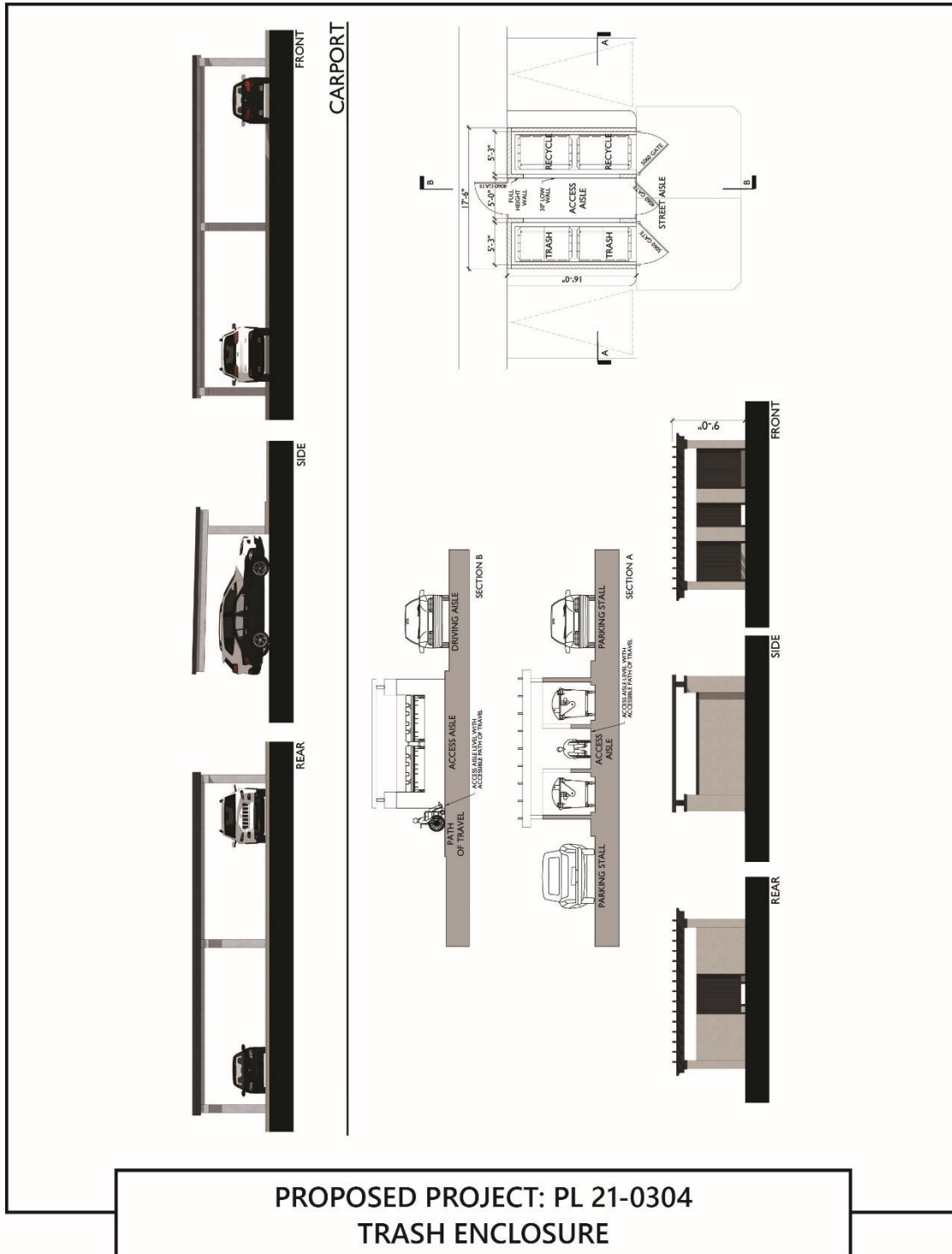


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2. ESCONDIDO BLVD AND 15TH AVE



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3. ESCONDIDO BLVD

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4. ESCONDIDO BLVD



5. ESCONDIDO BLVD AND 15TH AVE



6. 15TH AVE



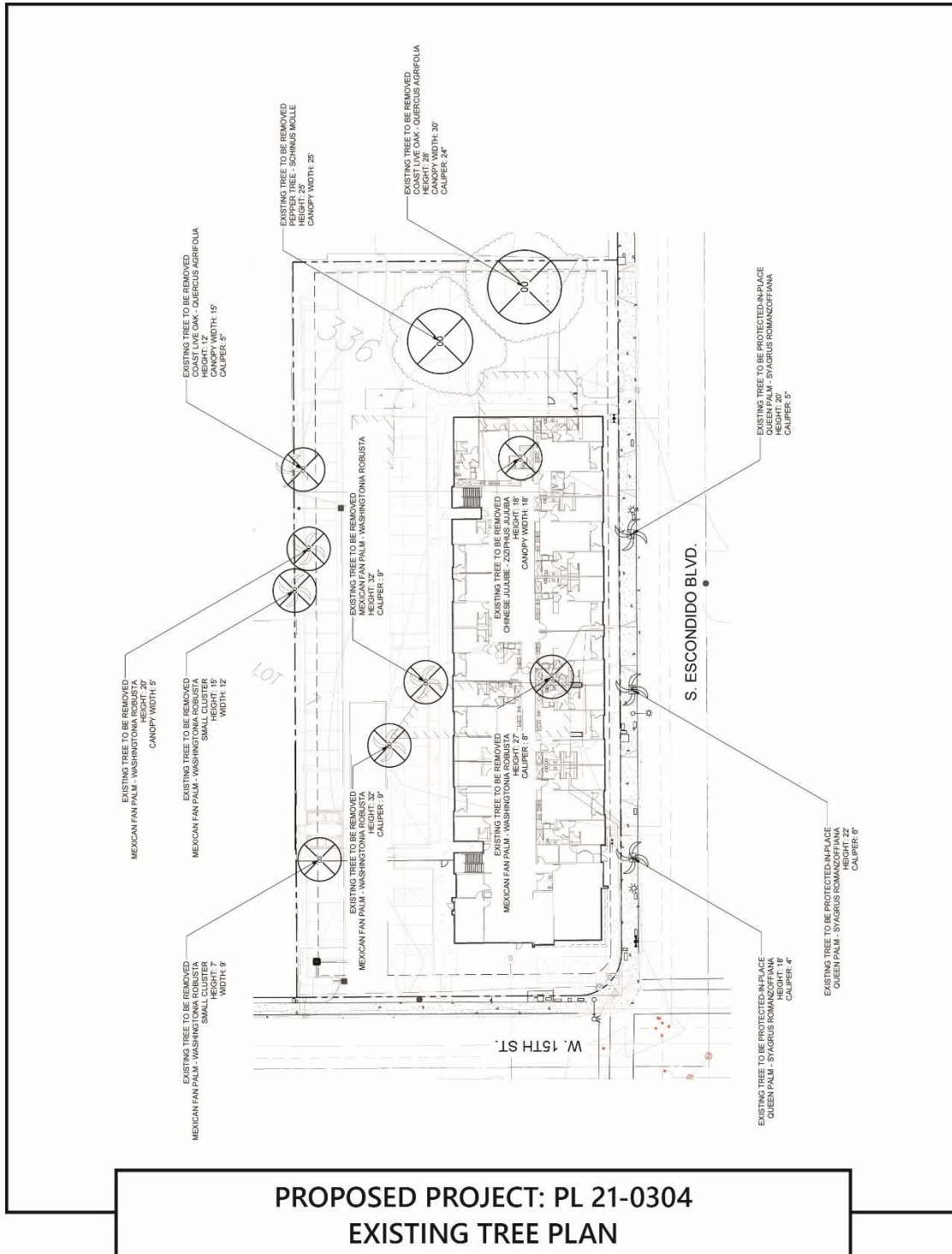
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Legal Description

THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO, IN THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

LOT 8 AND THE EASTERLY ONE-HALF (1/2) OF LOT 7 IN BLOCK 219 OF ESCONDIDO, IN THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO, COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS PER [MAP THEREOF NO. 336](#), FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID SAN DIEGO COUNTY, JULY 10, 1886.

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Exhibit "E"
CITY OF ESCONDIDO
PLANNING DIVISION
201 NORTH BROADWAY
ESCONDIDO, CA 92025-2798
760-839-4671

Notice of Exemption

To: Assessor/Recorder/County Clerk
Attn: Fish and Wildlife Notices
1600 Pacific Hwy, Room 260
San Diego, CA 92101
MS: A-33

From: City of Escondido
Planning Division
201 North Broadway
Escondido, CA 92025

Project Title/Case No: PL21-0304

Project Location - Specific:

1401 South Escondido Blvd (APNs 236-172-14-00 and 236-172-15-00)

Project Location - City: Escondido **Project Location - County:** San Diego

Description of Project:

A Major Plot Plan Approval for a 54-unit density bonus project, including six units that will be deed restricted for very-low income.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Escondido

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:

Name: Greg Drakos

Address: 1783 Crest Drive, Encinitas, CA, 92024

Telephone: 858-525-2195

☒ Private entity ☐ School district ☐ Local public Agency ☐ State agency ☐ Other special district

Exempt Status:

The project is categorically exempt pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15332, In-Fill Development (Class 32).

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Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is consistent with the applicable general plan designation, zoning designation, and applicable policies and provides additional affordable housing through the use of the Density Bonus provisions. The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site of no more than five acres substantially surrounded by urban uses. The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare, or threatened species. The project will not create significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality. The site is adequately serviced with all applicable utilities and public services. There is also no unusual circumstances that occur on-site.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Sean Nicholas **Area Code/Telephone/Extension:**
760-839-4546

Signature: _____
Sean Nicholas
Principal Planner

Date

☐ Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR:

☐ Signed by Applicant