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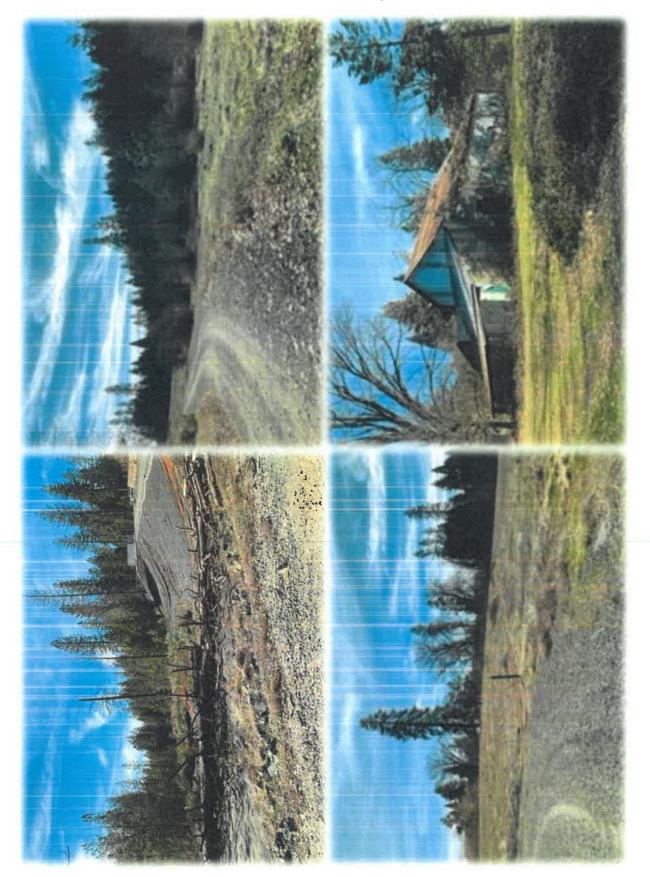
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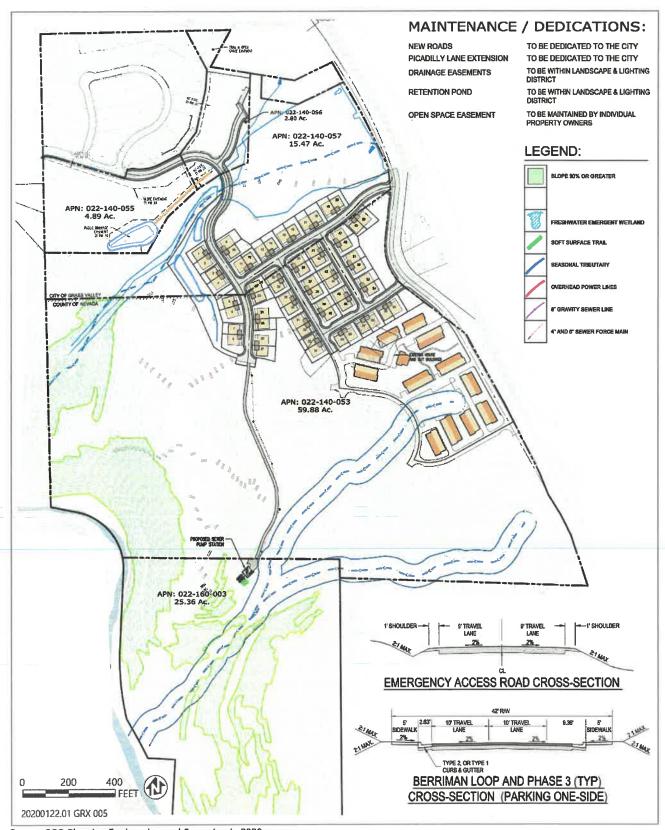
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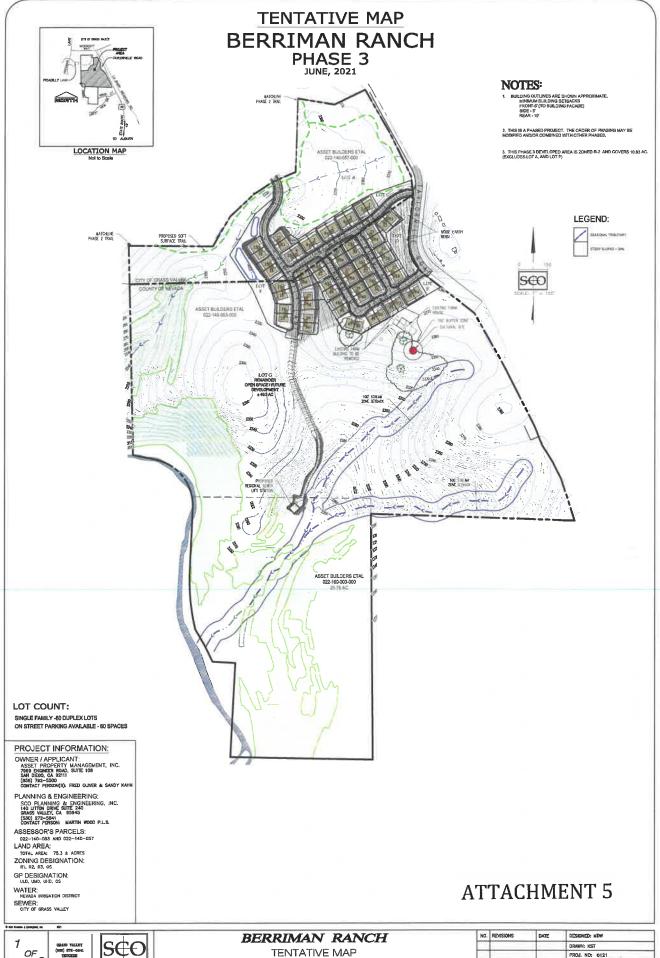
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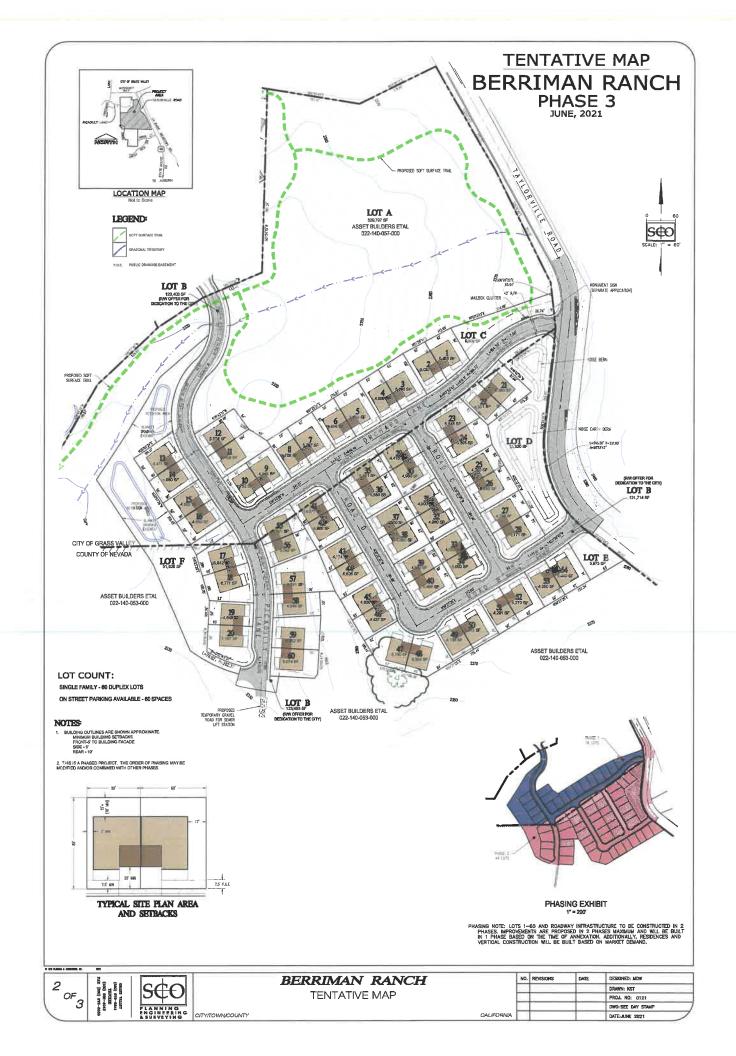


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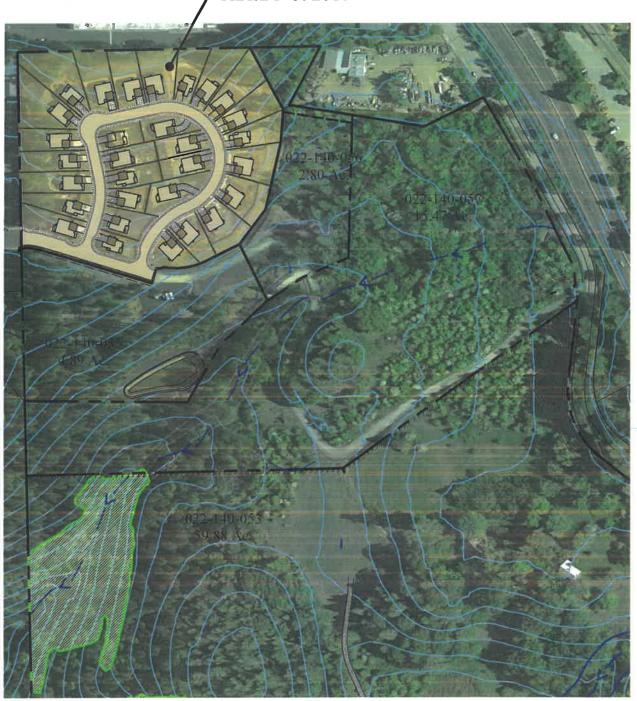
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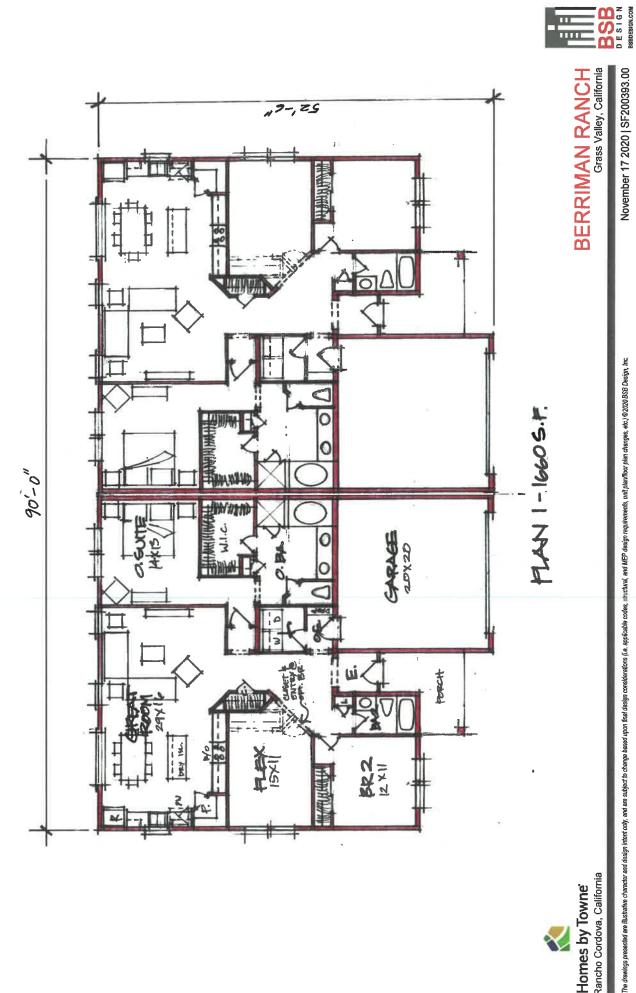
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PHASE 2 12 LOTS Duplex Homes



PHASE 3 60 LOTS Duplex Homes





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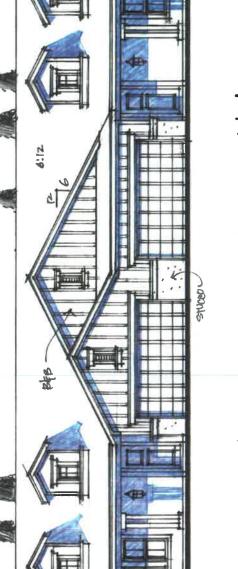
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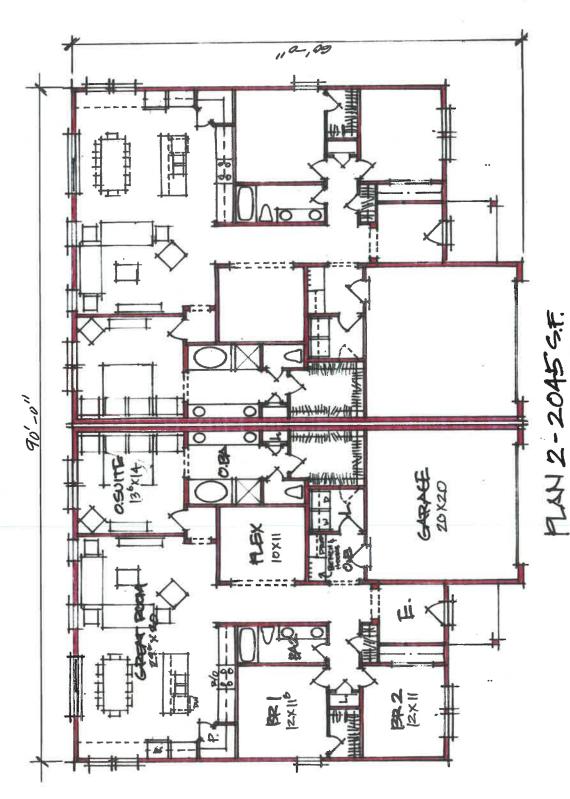
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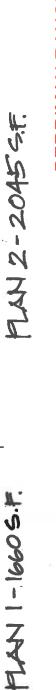
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Summary of Impacts and Mitigation Measures Table ES-1

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Air Quality							
Impact 3.1-1: Violate Air Quality Standard or Contribute Substantially to an Air Quality Violation: Short-Term Construction Emissions	S	Adopted MM 3.2.1a: Future develop Southern Sphere of Influence Plann project area shall submit to the NS/Off-Road Construction Equipment prior to groundbreaking demonstrate equipment (portable and mobile) in Tier 2 engine emission specification approval for any exceptions is obta Note that all off-road equipment in state and federal requirements. Construction contracts shall stipulate Emissions from on-site construction contracts shall stipulate Emissions. The primary contractor shall be that all construction equipment maintained. Idling times shall be minimized equipment off when not in use of idling times to 5 minutes when in California airborne toxics control 2485 of California Code of Regulshall be provided for construction points. All construction equipment shall properly tuned in accordance we specifications. All equipment shall certified mechanic and determing proper condition prior to operate	and Annexation AQMD for approval an Emission Reduction Plan ating that all off-road neets or is cleaner than is unless prior written ined from the NSAQMD. Instruction Plan aust meet all applicable te the following: tion equipment shall on II, Rule 202, Visible responsible to ensure is properly tuned and either by shutting or reducing the maximum of in use (as required by all measure Title 13, Section allations). Clear signage on workers at all access I be maintained and and tith manufacturers' all be checked by a need to be running in	Future development of Influence Planning submit to the NSAQ Construction Equipn groundbreaking der (portable and mobile engine emission spe for any exceptions is that all off-road equ and federal requiren Construction contract Emissions from o comply with NSA Emissions. The primary cont that all construction maintained. Idling times shall equipment off who maximum idling to required by Califo Title 13, Section 2 Clear signage sha at all access point. All construction eproperly tuned in specifications. All certified mechanical construction experience in specifications.	cts shall stipulate the following: n-site construction equipment shall QMD Regulation II, Rule 202, Visible ractor shall be responsible to ensure on equipment is properly tuned and be minimized either by shutting nen not in use or reducing the time to 5 minutes when not in use (as omia airborne toxics control measure 485 of California Code of Regulations). Ill be provided for construction workers	SU	SU

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Impact 3.1-2: Violate Air Quality Standard or Contribute Substantially to an Air Quality Violation: Long-Term Operational Emissions	Adopted MM 3.4.1: Subsequent development projects within the Southern Sphere of Influence Planning and Annexation project area shall submit to the City of Grass Valley and receive approval for a GHG Emissions Reduction Plan prior to issuance of building permits for the development project in question. The GHG Emissions Reduction Plan shall demonstrate adherence to the following measures or alternative measures equaling the same or greater emission reduction values.		Mitigation Measure 3.1-2: Modified 2014 SOI MM 3.4.1 Subsequent development projects within the Southern Sphere of Influence Planning and Annexation project area shall submit to the City of Grass Valley and receive approval for a GHG Emissions Reduction Plan prior to issuance of building permits for the development project in question. The GHG Emissions Reduction Plan shall demonstrate adherence to the following measures or alternative measures equaling the same or greater emission reduction values to reduce GHG emissions. Prior to the issuance of building permits for residential and commercial development the project developer or its designee shall submit a Zero Net Energy Confirmation Report (ZNE Report) prepared by a qualified building energy efficiency and design consultant to the City for review and approval. For residential and commercial development within the project area the ZNE Report shall demonstrate that the	SU	SU

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Impact 3.1-3: Expose Sensitive Receptors to Substantial Carbon Monoxide Pollutant Concentrations	LTS	_		-	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.1-4: Expose Sensitive Receptors to Toxic Air Contaminant Pollutant Concentrations that Exceed the NSAQMD Health Risk Public Notification Thresholds	PS	_		Mitigation Measure 3.1-4: Incorporation of Design Features at Truck Loading/Unloading Areas to Reduce Health-Risk Exposure at Sensitive Receptors As part subsequent development project submittals to the City, project applicants shall design developments so that truck loading/unloading facilities and sensitive receptors	LTS	LTS

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			Officers Association (CAPCOA) guide Quantifying Greenhouse Gas Mitigation Measures (CAPCOA 2010:300–303). Use electric-powered "yard trucks" or forklifts to move truck trailers around a truck yard or truck loading/unloading facility. Use buildings or walls to shield commercial activity from nearby residences or other sensitive land uses. Plant and maintain a vegetative buffer between the truck loading/unloading facility and nearby sensitive residences, schools, and daycare facilities.		
Impact 3.1-5: Expose Sensitive Receptors to Odorous Emissions	LTS	_		LTS	LTS
Biological Resources					
Impact 3.2-1: Result in a Substantial Adverse Effect on Special-Status Plant Species	LTS	Adopted MM 3.3.1: The project applicant for each future development project proposed within the project area shall retain a qualified biologist to perform focused surveys to determine the presence/absence of special-status plant species with potential to occur in and adjacent to (within 100 feet, where appropriate) the proposed impact area, including construction access routes. These surveys shall be conducted in accordance with the Guidelines for Assessing Effects of Proposed Developments on Rare Plants and Plant Communities (Nelson 1994). These guidelines require that rare plant surveys be conducted at the proper time of year when rare or endangered species are both evident and identifiable. Field surveys shall be scheduled to coincide with known flowering periods and/or during appropriate developmental periods that are necessary to identify the plant species of concern.		LTS	LTS

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N	I = No impact	If any state- or federally listed C plant species are found in or ac proposed impact area during the species shall be avoided to the following mitigation measures: 1. In some cases involving state necessary to obtain an incite and Game Code Section 20 consult with the CDFW to opermit is required, and obtigation of graunt is really activity within the shall submit a mitigation plant breaking activity affected. Possible include mitigation measure directly affected. Possible of a program to transplant, establish the species at suft through the purchase of crimitigation bank, or through available. The actual level of depending on the sensitivity prevalence in the area, and knowledge about overall pto its survival. The final mitigated plant species sha CDFW and the USFWS through rocess. 3. Any special-status plant species.	ENPS List 1 or CNPS List 2 ljacent to (within 100 feet) the ne surveys, these plant extent possible and the shall be implemented: te-listed plants, it may be dental take permit under Fish 181. The applicant shall letermine whether a 2081 ain all required authorizations l-breaking activities. ding plans or any ground- study area, the applicant an concurrently to the CDFW and comment. The plan shall is for the population(s) to be nitigation for impacts to can include implementation salvage, cultivate, or re- able sites (if feasible), edits from an approved in an in-lieu fee program, if if mitigation may vary y of the species, its the current state of opulation trends and threats gation strategy for directly Il be determined by the ugh the mitigation plan	S = Significant	SU = Significant and unavoidable		
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		material stockpiles do not plant species. These avoid on project plans.	impact any special-status ance areas shall be identified				
Impact 3.2-2: Result in a Substantial Adverse Effect on Coast Horned Lizard	LTS	this species occurs within 250 area, including construction ac submittals of tentative maps at suitable habitat exists, develop preconstruction surveys to be biologist in a manner to maxin lizards (i.e., during warm weatl any grading activity. If any coadiscovered within the work are moved or passively encourage Workers shall drive slowly whe	d within the project area shall etermine if suitable habitat for feet of the proposed impact access routes, as part of and /or improvement plans. If we will require performed by a qualified nize detection of coast horned are, walking slowly) prior to st horned lizards are as, they shall be actively d to leave the work area.		_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.2-3: Result in Loss of Populations or Essential Habitat for California Black Rail, Other Special-Status Birds, and Raptors	LTS	for future development project occur during the migratory bir August 15), reconstruction sumigratory bird nests shall be a biologist within 14 days of consurveys must be performed by purposes of determining pressites within the proposed impaccess routes and a 200-foot liffactive nest sites are identified activities, the applicant shall imperiod (LOP) for all active nests.	d nesting season (April 15— reys to identify active onducted by a qualified struction initiation. Focused a qualified biologist for the ence/absence of active nest act area, including construction ouffer (if feasible). d within 200 feet of project			LTS	LTS

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Impact 3.2-4: Result in Disturbance, Degradation, or Removal of Riparian Habitat or Other Sensitive Natural Communities	LTS	Adopted MM 3.3.4: The project development project proposed ensure that the there is no net Mitigation can include on-site r mitigation credits at a USACE-a Mitigation as required in regula	within the project area shall oss of riparian vegetation. estoration or purchase of pproved mitigation bank.		_	LTS	LTS

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		the CDFW, the USACE, or the RWQCB may be applied to satisfy this measure. Evidence of compliance with this mitigation measure shall be provided to the appropriate agencies prior to construction and grading activities for future development in the project area.			
Impact 3.2-5: Result in Loss, Disturbance, or Degradation of Jurisdictional Waters of the United States, and Waters of the State, Including Wetlands	PS	Adopted MM 3.3.5: The City shall ensure that the project will result in no net loss of federally protected waters through impact avoidance, impact minimization, and/or compensatory mitigation, as determined in CWA Section 404 and 401 permits and/or 1602 Streambed Alteration Agreement. Evidence of compliance with this mitigation measure shall be provided prior to construction and grading activities for the proposed project.	If aquatic resources will be affected that are disclaimed by USACE (i.e., are not within federal jurisdiction), the City shall require the project applicants to submit a delineation of these aquatic resources to the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) along with an		LTS

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Impact 3.3-1: Generate Greenhouse Gas Emissions That May Have a Significant Impact on the Environment	S	24 Standards) as directed by California Green Building St measure helps to reduce en energy consumption. Low-water-use landscaping	ce Planning and Annexation city of Grass Valley and issions Reduction Plan prior for the development project s Reduction Plan shall following measures or the same or greater emission measures shall be f low-flow toilets, showers, throom), in each residential be designed to exceed state by 15 percent (to Tier 1 Title y Appendix A5 of the 2010 andards (CBSC 2011). This nissions associated with (i.e., drought-tolerant plants installed. At least 75 percent all be drought-tolerant as ndscape architect or rning fireplaces shall be	Subsequent develor Sphere of Influence shall submit to the C for a GHG Emissions building permits for The GHG Emissions adherence to the fol equaling the same of reduce GHG emission Prior to the issue and commercial its designee shall Confirmation Re, qualified building consultant to the residential and of project area, the most recent vers been applied. Re shall be designee ZNE, as defined Policy Report, or of energy efficier GHG emissions s that attainment of substantiate this maximum building All buildings sha systems to supplied.	3.3-1: Modified 2014 SOI MM 3.4.1: oment projects within the Southern Planning and Annexation project area city of Grass Valley and receive approval a Reduction Plan prior to issuance of the development project in question. Reduction Plan shall demonstrate llowing measures or alternative measures or greater emission reduction values to one. ance of building permits for residential development the project developer or a submit a Zero Net Energy port (ZNE Report) prepared by a genergy efficiency and design a genergy efficiency and development develo		SU

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			with any update iterations of the oproject construct Project construct enhanced Tier 2	CALGreen Code), or in accordance to these requirements in future CALGreen Code in place at the time of ion. ion shall achieve or exceed the targets for recycling or reusing te of 75 percent for residential land		
				in Sections A4.408 and A5.408 of the		
			shall meet EPA's in 40 Code of Fe comply with the provisions of 40 can also be achie	ed, off-road construction equipment Tier 4 emissions standards as defined deral Regulation (CFR) 1039 and exhaust emission test procedures and CFR Parts 1065 and 1068. This measure eved by using battery-electric off-road decomes available.		
			incentivizes cons	cant shall implement a program that truction workers to carpool, use public commute to and from the project site.		
			Permanent, Verifiab Offsets If, following the app reduction measures and 3.3-2, the South to generate GHG en MTCO ₂ e/year/SP, th development in the	3.3-3: Purchase Real, Quantifiable, le, Enforceable, and Additional Carbon lication of all feasible on-site GHG listed under Mitigation Measures 3.3-1 lern SOI Amendment would continue nissions exceeding 2.74 e project applicant for subsequent project area shall offset the remaining		
			funding activities the emissions or by pure To the degree that a	neet 2.74 MTCO ₂ e/year/SP in 2040 by at directly reduce or sequester GHG chasing and retiring carbon credits. a project relies on GHG mitigation of Grass Valley, NSAQMD, and CARB		

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			features, such as tho 3.3-1 and 3.3-2, and within the vicinity of quality and economi of GHGs and their coglobal problem, emisadverse localized eff activities that genera and area sources). Fobuilding retrofit propanels, solar water highting, energy effic windows, insulation, subsequent develop the Southern SOI Andirect investments in electric vehicle chargof public school bust These investments who the would also direct air quality. However, to 2.74 MTCO2e/yea investments in action criteria of being real, enforceable, and add set forth in Health at subdivisions (d)(1) ar on protocols approv Board (CARB), consist the California Code to the extent to guide the subdivisions (d) and the subdivisions (d)(1) are on protocols approved to the extent to th	d agencies prioritize on-site design se listed under Mitigation Measures direct investments in GHG reductions the project site to provide potential air c co-benefits locally. While emissions ontribution to climate change is a sisions of air pollutants, which have an ect, are often emitted from similar ite GHG emissions (i.e., mobile, energy, or example, direct investment in a local gram could pay for cool roofs, solar eaters, smart meters, energy efficient and water conservation measures for ment within the geographic area of nendment. Other examples of local clude financing installation of regional ging stations, paying for electrification es, and investing in local urban forests. rould not only achieve GHG reductions, thy improve regional and local ambient to adequately mitigate GHG emissions ry'SP, it is critical that any such as to reduce GHG emissions meet the quantifiable, permanent, verifiable, ditional, consistent with the standards and Safety Code section 38562, and (d)(2). Such credits shall be based ed by the California Air Resources stent with Section 95972 of Title 17 of fregulations. Project applicants shall ts originating outside of California, that the quality of the offsets, and er the standards set forth herein, can		

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			CARB. Si following Climate the Verit CARB to Trade pi Control	uch credits g: (i) a CAF Action Res fied Carbo act as a re rogram; or Officers As	City of Grass Valley, NSAQMD, or s must be purchased through one of the RB-approved registry, such as the serve, the American Carbon Registry, an in Standard; (ii) any registry approved by egistry under the California Cap and (iii) through the California Air Pollution ssociation's GHG Rx and NSAQMD. ilding permits for subsequent	d	
			area, the designer impleme Mitigatio relying u	e City shall e has fully entation of on Measur	ects in the Southern SOI Amendment I confirm that the project applicant or its offset the project's remaining (i.e., post f GHG reduction measures pursuant to re 3.3-1 and 3.3-2) GHG emissions by of the following compliance options, or sect:		
			unde GHG redu retire	rtaken or emissions ction credi such GHO	nat the project applicant has directly funded activities that reduce or sequeste that are estimated to result in GHG its (if such programs are available), and G reduction credits in a quantity equal to emaining GHG emissions;		
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			programs do not exist, the project applicant or its designee may purchase and retire carbon credits that have been issued by a recognized and reputable, accredited carbon registry in a quantity equal to the subsequent project's remaining GHG Emissions.		
Cultural and Paleontological Resources					
Impact 3.4-1: Cause a Substantial Adverse Change in the Significance of a Historical Resource	LTS	Adopted MM 3.5.1b: When a proposal affects a previously undeveloped parcel in an area identified as having high or moderate cultural sensitivity in the General Plan, a cultural resource study shall be prepared as part of the CEQA analysis. If the proposal affects an area addressed in previous cultural studies, the City shall review the report(s) to confirm whether conditions documented in the previously prepared study have changed and if the recommendations (if any) required by the study are still applicable and appropriate for the future proposed project. If the City determines that conditions have changed from the previous study, the City will require that an appropriate updated to the analysis or a new analysis be prepared.	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.4-2: Cause a Substantial Adverse Change in the Significance of Unique Archaeological Resources	LTS	Adopted MM 3.5.1b: When a proposal affects a previously undeveloped parcel in an area identified as having high or moderate cultural sensitivity in the General Plan, a cultural resource study shall be prepared as part of the CEQA analysis. If the proposal affects an area addressed in previous cultural studies, the City shall review the report(s) to confirm whether conditions documented in the previously prepared study have changed and if the recommendations (if any) required by the study are still applicable and appropriate for the future proposed project. If the City determines that conditions have changed from the previous study, the City will require that an appropriate updated to the analysis or a new analysis be prepared.	_	LTS	LTS

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		Adopted MM 3.5.1c: if, during the future projects within the project prehistoric sites, historic sites, a features) are discovered, work within 50 feet of the discovery. Community Development Depugualified archaeologist (that multimore professional Qualifica or historical archaeology) shall significance of the discovery. But the discovery, the professional options to the City and project resources. The City and the project application for any unanticipate the project applicant shall consimplementation of a measure of the project applicant deem features may include avoidant excavation, documentation, culappropriate measures. The progrequired to implement any mit protection of cultural resources.	ct area, cultural resources (i.e., and isolated artifacts and shall be halted immediately and the City of Grass Valley artment shall be notified. A eets the Secretary of the tions Standards in prehistoric be retained to determine the assed on the significance of archaeologist shall present applicant for protecting the ant shall consider mitigation y a qualified archaeologist (as discoveries. The City and sult and agree upon or measures that the City and sible and appropriate. Such ce, preservation in place, ration, data recovery, or other ject applicant shall be igation necessary for the				
Impact 3.4-3: Cause a Substantial Adverse Change in the Significance of a Tribal Cultural Resource	LTS	Adopted MM 3.5.1d: The Nativ notified of any unanticipated a prehistoric or historic Native Ai will monitor activities associate significance of any discoveries Grass Valley in consultation wit community.	nd accidental discoveries of merican cultural resources and d with determining the as agreed to by the City of		_	LTS	LTS

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Impact 3.4-4: Disturb Human Remains	PS	Adopted MM 3.5.1e: If human remains are discovered, all work shall be halted immediately within 50 feet of the discovery, the City of Grass Valley Community Development Department shall be notified, and the Nevada County Coroner must be notified, according to Public Resources Code Section 5097.98 and Health and Safety Code Section 7050.5. If the remains are determined to be Native American, the coroner will notify the Native American Heritage Commission, and the procedures outlined in CEQA Section 15064.5(d) and (e) shall be followed.	_	LTS	LTS
Hazards and Hazardous Materials					
Impact 3.5-1: Create a Significant Hazard through the Routine Transport, Use, Disposal, or Release of Hazardous Materials	nificant Hazard through the utine Transport, Use, posal, or Release of		_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.5-2: Conflict with Known Hazardous Materials Sites	Adopted MM 3.7.2a: Prior to issuance of any grading plans or improvement permits for construction of roads, structures, or infrastructure on the Bear River Mill Site portion of the project area (APNs 22-160-04, -05, -06, -07, -09, -12, and -33), a certification of cleanup shall be obtained. Adopted MM 3.7.2b: Prior to issuance of any grading permit or improvement permits for construction of roads, structures, or infrastructure on the La Barr Meadows Road property portion of the project area (APNs 09-620-10 and -12, 22-150-23 and -30, and 29-290-09), a certification of cleanup shall be obtained. Adopted MM 3.7.2c: All recommendations contained in the Phase I Environmental Site Assessment prepared for the Berriman Ranch property (APNs 22-140-03 and 22-160-03) dated August 7. 2007, shall be implemented prior to		Mitigation Measure 3.5-2a: Modified 2014 SOI MM 3.7.2a Prior to issuance of any grading plans or improvement permits for construction of roads, structures, or infrastructure on the former Bear River Mill Site portion of the project area_including the Hansen Bros. La Barr Meadows property (APNs 022-200-036037066; 022-230-010052: and 022-160-005] and the Rare Earth Landscape Materials property (APNs 022-160-004, -006_ and -033), a certification of cleanup shall be obtained. Mitigation Measure 3.5-2b: Modified 2014 SOI MM 3.7.2b Prior to issuance of any grading permit or improvement permits for construction of roads, structures, or infrastructure on the Chrisetta Corp. La Barr Meadows Road property portion of the project area (APNs 009-620-010 and -012, 022-150-023 and -030, and 29-290-09029-350-012), a certification of cleanup shall be obtained.	LTS	LTS

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		construction of roads, structures, or infrastructure in this portion of the project area.	Mitigation Measure 3.5-2c: Modified 2014 SOI MM 3.7.2c All recommendations contained in the Phase I Environmental Site Assessment prepared for the Berriman Ranch property (APNs 22-140-03022-140-053, 022-140- 057, and 022-160-003) dated August 7, 2007, shall be implemented prior to issuance of grading permits or improvement permits for construction of roads, structures, or infrastructure in this portion of the project area. Additionally, all recommendations and required actions identified in the DTSC's RAW shall be implemented prior to site development.		
Impact 3.5-3: Interfere with Emergency Plans	LTS		_	LTS	LTS
Hydrology and Water Quality					
Impact 3.6-1: Substantially Degrade Surface Water Quality	LTS	_	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.6-2: Substantially Degrade Groundwater Quality	LTS	Adopted MM 3.8.2: As part of the final design of specific future development projects, soil borings shall be taken at representative locations within the future project footprint to analyze the subsurface soils that are present and the elevation of the subsurface water table. If these soil borings identify shallow groundwater within 2 feet of the proposed bottom elevation of underground utilities, detention ponds, and/or structure foundations, a liner and/or best available water quality control features (i.e., leachate management system) shall be incorporated into the design of proposed underground utilities, detention ponds, and foundations, subject to City drainage standards and approval.	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.6-3: Substantially Alter the Existing Drainage Pattern of Project Area	LTS	_	_	LTS	LTS

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Impact 3.6-4: Risk Release of Pollutants Due to Inundation of a Flood Hazard, Tsunami Zone, or Seiche Zone	LTS	_	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.6-5: Conflict With or Obstruct Implementation of a Water Quality Control Plan or Sustainable Groundwater Management Plan	LTS		_		LTS
Noise					
Impact 3.7-1: Construction- Generated Noise	LTS	_	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.7-2: Increases in Traffic Noise that Exceed City Standards		Adopted MM 3.9.2: For any residential development proposed within 600 feet of State Route 49 or 100 feet of La Barr Meadows Road, an applicant shall submit an acoustical analysis for any tentative map. If the acoustic analysis shows any proposed outdoor activity area within the 60 dB Ldn or greater noise contour, the applicant shall mitigate the impact to a level that is less than 60 dB Ldn. Specific mitigation measures include, but are not limited to, (1) a redesign or reorientation of the lots (which allows the home to create a barrier between the outdoor area and noise source); (2) the addition of solid fencing or wall; (3) an increased setback; or (4) a redesign of the project to utilize the existing development or topography and vegetation to reduce the impact to an acceptable level.	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.7-3: Groundborne Vibration	LTS	_	_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.7-4: Operational (Stationary) Noise Sources	LTS	_	_	LTS	LTS

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Public Utilities and Energy							
Impact 3.8-1: Environmental Effects due to Construction of New or Expanded Infrastructure	LTS	_			_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.8-2: Insufficient Water Supply in Normal, Dry, and Multiple Dry Years	LTS		-		_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.8-3: Wastewater Treatment Capacity	LTS	_				LTS	LTS
Transportation and Circulation							
Impact 3.9-1: Conflict or be Inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines Section 15064.3, Subdivision (b)	S			Improvements Subsequent develop Amendment area sh destinations by make	ovide Bicycle and Pedestrian Network oment projects within the Southern SOI all ensure adequate access to ing walking and biking feasible and ments shall include, but are not limited	SU	Not evaluated
		_		throughout the e	us Class II bicycle facilities for intirety of the Southern SOI i and provide connections to any bicycle facilities;		
				provision of off-s designated bicyc with an adopted Provide bicycle a Empire Mine Sta	ribute to, or dedicate land for the ite bicycle trails linking the project to le commuting routes in accordance citywide or countywide bikeway plan; and pedestrian connections to the the Park trail network north and east of Amendment area;		

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					us pedestrian facilities (i.e., sidewalks, ss, etc.) along all roadways within the nendment area;		
				planned external contiguous with Amendment area measure could in	an access connecting to all existing or streets and pedestrian facilities the within the Southern SOI a. If present, the implementation of this solude elimination of barriers (e.g., g, slopes) to pedestrian access and		
				calming measure jurisdictional req vehicle speeds at trips with traffic of features may incl signal timers, cur crosswalks, raised corner radii, rour	an and bicycle safety and traffic is in excess of any applicable uirements designed to reduce motor and encourage pedestrian and bicycle calming features. Traffic calming ude: marked crosswalks, count-down be extensions, speed tables, raised d intersections, median islands, tight adabouts or mini-circles, on-street strips with street trees, and others.		
				Subsequent develop Amendment area sh bicycle parking at al	rovision of Bicycle Parking oment projects within the Southern SOI hall provide secure and convenient I nonresidential land uses. The arking shall include, but are not limited		
				buildings that me	arking facilities at all non-residential eet or exceed bicycle parking juired under the 2016 California Green ds Code;		
					provision of long-term bicycle parking ities (i.e., shower/changing space,		

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City of Grass Valley Southern Sphere of Influence Planning and Annexation Project Subsequent Draft EIR

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Wildfire							
Impact 3.10-1: Exacerbate Wildfire Risks and Thereby Expose Project Occupants to Pollutant Concentrations from a Wildfire or the Uncontrolled Spread of a Wildfire	LTS	_	-		_	LTS	LTS
Impact 3.10-2: Expose People or Structures to Significant Risks as a Result of Runoff, Post-Fire Slope Instability, or Drainage Changes	LTS	-			<u>-</u>	LTS	LTS

FINDINGS:

In accordance with Sections 17.81.060, 17.72.030, and 17.72.050 of the Development Code, the Planning Commission is required to make the following specific findings before it approves a Tentative Subdivision Map, Development Review and Planned Development.

- 1. The City received a complete application for Tentative Subdivision Map, Development Review and Planned Development Applications 21PLN-43.
- 2. The Community Development Department prepared a Subsequent Environmental Impact Report (SEIR) (SCH#013052057) as the appropriate environmental review in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Mitigation Measures were incorporated into the project to fully mitigate all potentially significant impacts on the environment.
- 3. The Planning Commission has independently reviewed, analyzed, and considered the SEIR prior to making its decision on the project. The SEIR reflects the independent judgement of the City of Grass Valley, as lead agency.
- 4. The Southern Sphere of Influence and Annexation Project designates the project site as Urban Medium Density Residential. The proposed map, and/or subdivision design or improvements are consistent with the General Plan or any applicable Specific Plan.
- 5. The site is physically suitable for the type or proposed density of development.
- 6. The design of the subdivision or the proposed improvements are not likely to cause substantial environmental damage or substantially and avoidably injure fish or wildlife or their habitat.
- 7. The design of the subdivision or type of improvements is not likely to cause public health or safety problems.
- 8. The design of the subdivision or the type of improvements will not conflict with easements, acquired by the public at large for access through or use of property within the proposed subdivision. This finding may not be made if the Review Authority finds that alternate easements for access or use will be provided, and that they will be substantially equivalent to ones previously acquired by the public. This finding shall apply only to easements of record, or to easements established by judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, and no authority is hereby granted to the Review Authority to determine that the public at large has acquired easements of access through or use of property within the proposed subdivision.

- 9. The discharge of sewage from the proposed subdivision into the community sewer system would not result in violation of existing requirements prescribed by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board.
- 10. The approval appropriately balances the housing needs of the region against the public service needs of City residents and available fiscal and environmental resources.
- 11. The design of the subdivision provides, to the extent feasible, for future passive or natural heating or cooling opportunities in the subdivision.
- 12. The project is consistent with the applicable sections and development standards in the Development Code.
- 13. The proposed use is allowed within the applicable zone and complies with all other applicable provisions of this Development Code and Municipal Code.
- 14. The design, location, size, and operating characteristics of the proposed activity are compatible with the existing and future land uses in the vicinity.
- 15. The location, size, planning concepts, design features, and operating characteristics of the project are and will be compatible with the character of the site, and the land uses, and development intended for the surrounding neighborhood by the General Plan.

A. GENERAL/DESIGN CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

- 1. The approval date for this project is February 15, 2022. This project is approved for a period of three (3) years and shall expire on February 15, 2025, unless the project has been effectuated (i.e., a building permit has been issued) or the applicant requests a time extension that is approved pursuant to the Development Code.
- 2. The project shall be constructed in accordance with the Tentative Subdivision Map, Development Review and Planned Development (21PLN-43) approved by the Planning Commission. Minor design changes may be approved by the Community Development Director when determined to be substantially compliant with the Planning Commission's Approval. Major design changes not in substantial compliance shall be approved by the Planning Commission as determined by the Community Development Director.

- 3. Other than lot size and setbacks as outlined in the project description, the Berriman Ranch Phase III Duet Project shall comply with the standards for the Two-Family Residential (R-2) Zone.
- 4. The maximum exposed height of retaining walls shall be 6 feet. Retaining walls shall be stepped, with a minimum separation of 5 feet between walls. The design for any retaining walls abutting the public right-of-way shall be shown on the improvement plans. All exposed portions of the retaining wall shall be constructed of split face, slump stone or other decorative block. Colors and materials shall be subject to the approval of the Director of Public Works and the Community Development Director.
- 5. Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for each residence, 6-foot black metal fencing shall be installed in the rear and side yards of lots facing open space. Interior lots shall be constructed with wood fencing around the perimeter. Fencing shall not exceed three (3) feet in height in the front yard. Fencing shall be constructed of cedar or redwood and shall not exceed six (6) feet in height in the side and rear yards.
- 6. The established Berriman Ranch Phase III Homeowners Association shall be responsible for the common areas.
- 7. In order to achieve architectural diversity within the development, consistent with the City's Design Guidelines, the proposed elevations shall be modified to include:
 - a. An additional floor plan and elevation shall be submitted consistent with square footage and elevations presented.
 - b. The porch shall be extended/enlarged so that it is useable (i.e., 6 by 8) with wall line extending beyond the garage a minimum of five feet.
 - c. Natural materials such as horizontal lap siding and board and batt siding should be the predominate material on the front elevations. An additional material such as veneer is also recommended. The front elevation materials should wrap around the side elevation to the fence line.
 - d. Garages shall be setback from the living area a minimum of 5 feet and shall be setback from the property line a minimum of 20 feet.
- 8. Parcels C, D, E, F and the noise berms shall be designed with the following elements to the satisfaction of the Public Works and Community Development Director:
 - a. Natural vegetation, landscaping and trees shall be installed;
 - b. The connection to Lot F shall include trees and bushes on both sides adjoining Lots 16 and 17; and,
 - c. All common lots shall be maintained by a Homeowners Association or other private entity.

- 9. To delineate pedestrian pathways for the connection of sidewalks, decorative paving shall be installed at all pedestrian crossings within the development. Decorative paving and pedestrian striping shall be to the satisfaction of the Public Works and Community Development Directors.
- 10. Prior to the issuance of a building permit, the applicant shall submit 3 typical front yard landscaping plans to the satisfaction of the Community Development Department. The landscaping plans shall include at least one tree on each of the lots, preferably in the front yard. If over 500 square feet of irrigated landscaping is proposed, the applicant shall submit a landscape permit in accordance with the City's Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance.
- 11. The applicant shall file a Notice of Exemption, in the office of the County Clerk within (5) days after the approval date of the project. The applicant shall provide a copy of the notice to the City.
- 12. A demolition permit shall be obtained prior to the removal of the agricultural barn.
- 13. The applicant agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City in any action or proceeding brought against the City to void or annul this discretionary land use approval.

B. PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A GRADING PERMIT, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL BE SATISFIED:

- 1. The applicant shall submit to the Building Department for review and approval, an improvements and grading plan prepared by a Registered Civil Engineer; shall obtain a Grading Permit; and shall pay all appropriate fees for plan check and inspection. The grading and improvement plans shall include but not be limited to roadway/driveway slopes and elevations, curb, gutters, sidewalks, striping and signing, paving, water and sewer pipelines, storm drains, street/parking lot lights, accessible access from the sidewalk to the building and from the accessible parking spaces to the building, retaining walls, any necessary alteration of existing utilities, and all easements, in accordance with City Improvement Standards.
- 2. The project plans shall include the following note:

All trees to be saved shall be enclosed by a construction barrier placed around the dripline zone of the tree. The construction barrier shall consist of four-foot-tall mesh safety fencing in a bright color. The fencing shall be tied to six-foot tall metal poles spaced a maximum of twenty feet apart. Each pole shall be placed with two feet below the surface of the ground.

- 3. If trees to be removed are 6" or greater in diameter, are classified to be in Group A or B per the California Forest Practice Rules, and are on timberland, the applicant shall obtain on the following harvest document(s) from the California of Forestry and Fire Protection and submit a copy of the approved document to the City.
 - a. Less Than 3 Acre Conversion Exemption. Any project with less than 3 acres of land disturbance may qualify (see 14 CCR 1104.1 (a)(2) for conditions).
 - b. Timberland Conversion (PRC4621) and Timber Harvest Plan (PRC.4581). Any project with 3 acres or greater or that do not meet the conditions in 14 CCR 1104.1 (a)(2).
- 4. The applicant shall obtain a tree removal permit from the Grass Valley Public Works Department.
- 5. The applicant shall submit to the Building Department for review and approval two copies of a detailed Soils Engineering Report and Engineering Geology Report certified by a Civil Engineer registered in the State of California. In addition to the California Building Code requirements, the report shall specify the pavement structural sections for the proposed roadways in relation to the proposed traffic indexes. The improvements and grading plans shall incorporate the recommendations of the approved Soils Engineering Report and Engineering Geology Report. The project developer shall retain a civil engineer, soils engineer, and engineering geologist to provide professional inspection of the grading operations. If work is observed as not being in compliance with the California Building Code and the approved improvements and grading plans, the discrepancies shall be reported immediately in writing to the permittee, the Building Official, and the Engineering Division.
- 6. If any retaining walls or other wall structures equal to or greater than four feet in height (from the base of the footing to the top of the wall) are identified on the grading/improvement plans, the applicant shall:
 - a. Place a note on the grading/improvement plans stating that any walls equal to or greater than four feet in height will require a Building Permit prior to being constructed.
 - b. Submit design calculations for the wall(s) for review and acceptance.
 - c. If the proposed wall(s) are to be constructed against a cut slope, in a manner of which will not meet minimum OSHA requirements, submit:
 - 1. A signed and stamped letter from a Licensed Civil Engineer or Geotechnical Engineer identifying a temporary shoring plan and how the cut slopes for the walls will be protected from the weather during construction.
 - 2. A signed and stamped letter from a Licensed Civil Engineer or Geotechnical Engineer stating that a copy of the required OSHA Permit will be supplied to the City prior to any excavation on the site_and that a qualified OSHA Approved Inspector or Professional Civil Engineer will: 1) be onsite

during excavation and construction of the retaining walls; 2) be onsite at least once a day during inclement weather; and 3) will submit daily reports to the City.

- 7. The applicant shall submit a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) to the City for acceptance, file a Notice of Intent with the California Water Quality Control Board and comply with all provisions of the Clean Water Act. The applicant shall submit the Waste Discharge Identification number, issued by the state, to the Engineering Division.
- 8. If a streambed crossing, new connection, or disturbance to a creek is proposed, the applicant shall obtain a Streambed Alteration Permit from the California Department of Fish and Game or obtain a letter of exemption. A copy of the approved Streambed Alteration Permit and associated documents, or letter of exemption shall be submitted to the Engineering Division.
- 9. The applicant shall submit to the City Engineer for review and approval, drainage plans and hydrologic and hydraulic calculations in accordance with the City of Grass Valley Improvement Standards and Storm Drainage Master Plan & Criteria.
- 10. (If the project creates and/or replaces 5,000 sf. or more of impervious surfaces) measures must be implemented for site design, source control, runoff reduction, storm water treatment, and baseline hydromodification management measures per the City of Grass Valley Design Standards.
- 11. An Improvement Performance Security shall be submitted (if a subdivision improvement agreement is not in place). The amount of the security shall be for the sum of: 1) 100% of the cost of public improvements necessary to restore the public right of way back to existing conditions or the cost of the public improvements, whichever is less; 2) 10% of the cost of erosion and sedimentation control necessary to stabilize the site; 3) 10% of the cost of tree replacement; and 4) 100% of the cost to address any features which could cause a hazard to the public or neighboring property owners if left in an incomplete state. The minimum-security amount shall be \$500.00. The cost estimate shall be provided to the Engineering Division for review and approval as part of plan submittal. All costs shall include a ten (10) percent contingency.
- 12. A detailed grading, permanent erosion control plan shall be submitted for review and approval by the Engineering Division prior to commencing grading. Erosion control measures shall be implemented in accordance with the approved plans. Any expenses made by the City to enforce the required erosion control measures will be paid by the deposit.

- 13. The applicant shall submit sewer calculations for the proposed development and any calculations necessary to verify the existing sewer system's ability to carry the additional flow created by the development.
- 14. The improvements and grading plans shall be signed by all other jurisdictional agencies involved (i.e., NID), prior to receiving City Engineer approval.
- 15. Per the Development Code, the Grading Permit shall expire one (1) year from the effective date of the permit unless an extension is granted by the City Engineer (for up to 180 days).
- 16. If any of the improvements which the applicant is required to construct or install is to be constructed or installed upon land in which the applicant does not have title interest sufficient for such purposes, the applicant shall do all of the following at least 60 days prior to filing of the final map or approval of the building permit(s) for approval pursuant to Government Code Section 66457:
 - a. Notify the City of Grass Valley in writing that the applicant wishes the City to acquire an interest in the land which is sufficient for such purposes as provided in Government Code Section 66452.5;
 - b. Supply the City with (i) a legal description of the interest to be acquired, (ii) a map or diagram of the interest to be acquired sufficient to satisfy the requirements of subdivision (e) of Section 1250.310 of the Code of Civil Procedure, (iii) a current appraisal report prepared by an appraiser approved by the City which expresses an opinion as to the current fair market value of the interest to be acquired, and (iv) a current Litigation Guarantee Report;
 - c. Enter into an agreement with the City, guaranteed by such cash deposits or other security as the City may require, pursuant to which the applicant will pay all of the City's cost (including, without limitation, attorney's fees, and overhead expenses) of acquiring such an interest in the land.
- 17. The applicant shall submit to the City Engineer for review and approval, a traffic report identifying the traffic indexes proposed for the development's roadways.
- 18. For the new street connecting to Taylorville Road, the applicant shall submit to the City Engineer for review, a separate sight distance exhibit showing that minimum sight distance requirements are achieved in accordance with City of Grass Valley design standards. The exhibit shall indicate the roadway design speed, sight distance design speed, sight distance in both directions, and delineate any areas of vegetation removal/easements and no parking areas, recommended for optimal sight distance and/or vehicle movements.

C. PRIOR TO INITIATING GRADING AND/OR CONSTRUCTION OF THE SITE IMPROVEMENTS, THE DEVELOPER SHALL INITIATE THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. That prior to any work being conducted within the State, County or City right-ofway, the applicant shall obtain an Encroachment Permit from the appropriate Agency.
- 2. A minimum of forty-eight (48) hours prior to commencement of grading activities, the developer's contractor shall notify both the Planning and Engineering Divisions of the intent to begin grading operations. Prior to notification, all grade stakes shall be in place identifying limits of all cut and fill activities. After notification, Planning and Engineering staff shall be provided the opportunity to field review the grading limits to ensure conformity with the approved improvement and grading plans. If differences are noted in the field, grading activities shall be delayed until the issues are resolved.
- 3. Placement of construction fencing around all trees designated to be preserved in the project shall be completed.
- 4. Submit for review and approval by the Fire Department, a Fire Safety Plan.
- 5. Submittal of two copies to the Engineering Division of the signed improvement/grading plans.

D. DURING CONSTRUCTION, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL APPLY:

- 1. Prior to final preparation of the subgrade and placement of pavement base materials, all underground utilities shall be installed, and service connections stubbed out behind the hardscape improvement. Public utilities, Cable TV, sanitary sewers, and water lines, shall be installed in a manner which will not disturb the street pavement, curb, gutter, and sidewalk, when future service connections or extensions are made.
- 2. The developer shall keep adjoining public streets free and clean of project dirt, mud. materials, and debris during the construction period.
- 3. Where soil or geologic conditions encountered in grading operations are different from that anticipated in the solid and/or geologic investigation report, or where such conditions warrant changes to the recommendations contained in the original soil investigation, a revised soil or geologic report shall be submitted by the applicant, for approval by the City Engineer. It shall be accompanied by an engineering and geological opinion as to the safety of the site from hazards of land slippage, erosion, settlement, and seismic activity.

- 4. Prior to placing the initial lift of asphalt and after all aggregate base is placed, all public sewer pipelines and storm drain pipelines shall be video inspected at the expense of the contractor/developer. All videotapes shall be submitted to the City. In any inadequacies are found, they shall be repaired prior to the placement of the final lift of asphalt.
- 5. No trucks may transport excavated material off-site unless the loads are adequately wetted and either covered with tarps or loaded such that the material does not touch the front, back, or sides of the cargo compartment at any point less than six inches to the top of the cargo compartment. Also, all excavated material must be properly disposed of in accordance with the City's Standards Specifications.
- 6. The contractor shall comply with all Occupational Safety & Health administration (OSHA) requirements.
- 7. For any public work, the contractor shall comply with all Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) requirements including complying with prevailing wage requirements.
- 8. Except for personal use vehicles, all commercial heavy equipment construction vehicular traffic shall access the project site by Taylorville Road. No commercial heavy equipment vehicular construction traffic shall utilize Picadilly Lane for access to the site unless prior notice is given to the City of Grass Valley. This condition shall be observed during all phases of site development.

E. PRIOR TO FILING THE FINAL MAP, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL BE SATISFIED:

- 1. The applicant shall submit to the City Engineer for review and approval a Final Map prepared by a Licensed Surveyor, or Registered Civil Engineer licensed to survey in the State of California, in accordance with the City's Subdivision Ordinance and the California Subdivision Map Act; and shall pay all appropriate fees for map check and recording.
- 2. The applicant shall provide to the Engineering Division an acceptable method, such as a homeowner's association, tenant agreement, and/or CC&R's to maintain the common areas for the residential areas, private drainage facilities and the open space. This shall include the funding mechanism for the maintenance of the emergency access road and vegetative fuels. The sub-divider shall provide the appropriate documentation for review by the Community Development Director, Fire Department, and City Engineer (and City Attorney if determined necessary by the Community Development Director and/or City Engineer). CC&R's must include a statement that they cannot be modified without the approval of the City.

- 3. The applicant shall dedicate land, or pay a fee in-lieu of dedication, for park and recreation purposes in accordance with Section 17.86.030 of the City's Development Code.
- 4. If the applicant desires to record the Final Map prior to completion of the grading and improvements as shown on the approved grading and improvement plans, the applicant shall enter into an agreement to complete the grading and public improvements; and shall post sufficient surety guaranteeing the construction of all of the improvements, in accordance with the City's Development Code and the California Subdivision Map Act. The applicant must supply the City with a cost estimate, prepared by a licensed Civil Engineer, for all improvements shown on the grading/improvement plans. The cost estimate must be approved by the Engineering Division.

The City will then prepare an agreement which will require City Council approval and will be required to be recorded prior to Final Map approval.

- 5. If no homeowner's association, the applicant shall sign and record a covenant and agreement to ensure that the on-site detention facilities will be maintained by the property owner(s).
- 6. The applicant shall coordinate the final trail route and design with the property owner, City and Bear Yuba Land Trust or other entity that will assume responsibility for the trail maintenance.
- 7. A Lighting and Landscaping Assessment District shall be formed and recorded concurrently with the final/parcel map to fund maintenance costs for landscaping and/or street lighting accepted by the City.
- F. PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND EXONERATION OF BONDS, OR OTHER FORM OF SECURITY, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS SHALL BE SATISFIED:
- 1. A Warranty and Guarantee security guaranteeing the public improvements for a period of one year in the amount of 10% of the total improvement costs.
- 2. The applicant shall offer to dedicate to the City for public use, all the public streets right-of-way or easements necessary to install, maintain, and re-install all public improvements described on the improvements and grading plans. All offers of dedication must be recorded and a copy provided to the Engineering Division.
- 3. An acceptable method, such as a tenant agreement and/or CC&R's must be provided to maintain the common areas, roadways, utilities, detention facilities and

the open space. The developer shall provide the appropriate documentation for review by the Community Development Director and City Engineer (and City Attorney if determined necessary by the Community Development Director and/or City Engineer). CC&R's must include a statement that they cannot be modified without the approval of the City of Grass Valley.

- 4. Submit "As-built" plans, signed by the Engineer of Record, to the Engineering Division on Mylar and a CD with an AutoCAD (or equivalent) drawing of the public improvements.
- 5. Submit a final report prepared by the soils engineer, in accordance with the California Building Code, to the Engineering Division.
- 6. Submit a final report prepared by the geologist, in accordance with the California Building Code, to the Engineering Division.
- 7. The grading contractor shall submit a statement of conformance to the as-built plans and specifications. Statement must meet intent of the California Building Code. An example follows: "As the grading contractor, I confirm that all improvements were constructed as shown on these improvement plans. Include the signature, company, and date.

G. PRIOR TO THE CITY ISSUING A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FOR ANY HOUSING UNIT:

- 1. Prior to the acceptance of public improvements by the City, the applicant shall install and dedicate the trail system within Lot "A" to the Bear Yuba Land Trust or public easement acceptable to the City. Documentation shall be provided to the satisfaction of the City Engineer and Community Development Director.
- 2. The applicant's landscape architect shall submit a letter specifying that the landscaping and irrigation has been installed in accordance with the approved landscape plans.
- If required, the applicant shall conduct an irrigation audit pursuant to the requirements of the MWELO. This shall be conducted by a third-party certified landscape irrigation auditor that did not install or design the landscape and irrigation. Prior to the audit City must confirm the selected auditor complies with MWELO requirements.
- 4. The applicant shall obtain final approval from the City of Grass Valley, fire, planning, engineering, and building divisions.

I. MITIGATION MEASURES:

1. The applicant shall comply with the applicable Mitigation Measures identified in the Southern Sphere of Influence and Annexation Project to the satisfaction of the Community Development Department in accordance with the adopted Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan.

J. FIRE DEPARTMENT CONDITIONS:

- 1. The fire hydrant system shall support a minimum fire flow of 1,500 gallons per minute for a duration of two hours with a residual pressure of 20 psi.
- 2. The location and spacing of fire hydrants shall be in accordance with the 2019 CFC, Appendix C, Table C102.1;
 - a. Average spacing between hydrants is 500 feet;
 - b. Minimum distance from any point on street or road frontage to a hydrant is 250 feet;
- 3. All access road/streets shall be constructed in accordance with 2019 CFC Appendix D, including but not limited to the following:
 - a. Constructed of an all-weather surface;
 - b. Capable of supporting fire apparatus weighing up to 75,000 lbs.
 - c. Minimum width of twenty-six (26) feet where a fire hydrant is located;
 - d. Grade shall not exceed 10% unless approved by the City of Grass Valley Fire Department;
 - e. Any device(s) installed to restrict access shall be in accordance with CFC Appendix D and approved by the City of Grass Valley Fire Department.
- 4. Submit for review and approval a Fire Safety Plan approved by the City of Grass Valley Fire Department.
- 5. On-site fire suppression equipment shall be present prior to commencement of any work.

K. NEVADA IRRIGATION DISTRICT:

- 1. NID water for Phase III shall be in accordance with Water Supply Amendment No. 1 between the NID and the City. Developer is responsible for design/installation of extending necessary infrastructure from existing NID system. Upon further review of improvement plans, there may be a requirement to upsize the pipe, which would include NID approval.
- 2. Developer shall provide necessary right-of-way for all future NID facilities, as well as any existing NID facilities needed.