

## THORNBERRY 176 LOMA ALTA AVENUE LOS GATOS, CA 95030

## REVISIONS TO PLANS PER PLANNING COMMISSION:

1. THE NOOK HAS BEEN MOVED AWAY FROM 118 BY 1'-0", GMING THE STRUCTURE A 5'-0" SETBACK FROM THE PROPERTY LINE.

THE NOOK HAS ALSO BEEN MOVED I'-O" BACK, INCREASING THE REAR YARD SETBACK.

- 2. THIS HAS RESULTED IN A SMALLER NOOK SPACE, REDUCING THE FLOOR AREA BY 23SF.
- 3. THE CHIMNEY HAS BEEN MOVED AWAY FROM 112 BY 6"
  AND ITS WIDTH REDUCED. THIS SMALL PORTION COMPRISES
  ONLY 10% OR LESS OF THE ENTIRE WALL LENGTH ADJACENT
  TO 112. WE BELIEVE THIS CHIMNEY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED
  AN ARCHITECTURAL ELEMENT AND BE ENTIRELY EXCLUDED
  FROM THE SETBACK MEASUREMENT.

IF THE COMMISSION BELIEVES THE CHIMNEY SHOULD BE ELIMINATED, WE WILL DO SO.

- 4. MEASUREMENTS OF THE NEIGHBORING BUIDING HEIGHTS WERE CHECKED FOR ACCURACY. 112 AND 162 WERE FOUND TO ACTUALLY BE HIGHER THAN THE ORIGINAL DEPICTION. THE STREETSCAPE HAS BEEN REVISED ACCORDINGLY. WE HAVE OFFERED TO REDUCE THE HOMES HEIGHT BY 6", BUT IN LIGHT OF THE NEW FINDINGS, WE BELIEVE A 6" REDUCTION IS NOT WARRANTED.
- 5. WE HAVE PROPOSED PRIVACY LANDSCAPE SCREENING AND APPRORIATE FENCING BETWEEN BOTH 112 AND 118 TO MITIGATE ANY PRIVACY CONCERNS. THIS SOLUTION HAS BEEN UTILIZED SUCCESSFULLY NUMEROUS TIME BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND OR STAFF ON PRIOR PROJECTS.
- 6. NEIGHBOR OUTREACH WAS CONDUCTED BETWEEN THE PARTIES - SEE THORNBERRY (116) RESPONSE.

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