CITY OF MERCED Site Plan Review Committee

MINUTES

Planning Conference Room 2nd Floor Civic Center Thursday, July 18, 2019

Chairperson McBRIDE called the meeting to order at 1:32 p.m.

1. <u>ROLL CALL</u>

Committee Members Present:	Chief Building Official Frazier, Land Surveyor Cardoso (for Acting City Engineer Beltran), and Director of Development Services McBride
Committee Members Absent:	None
Staff Present:	Planning Manager Espinosa, and Associate Planner/Recording Secretary Mendoza- Gonzalez

2. MINUTES

M/S FRAZIER - CARDOSO, and carried by unanimous voice vote, to approve the Minutes of June 20, 2019, as submitted.

3. **<u>COMMUNICATIONS</u>**

None.

4. **<u>ITEMS</u>**

[Secretary's Note: Item 4.2 was moved ahead of Item 4.1]

4.2 <u>Site Plan Application #441, submitted by James Kinney, on behalf</u> of Nation Retail Properties, LP, property owner. The applicant is requesting approval to add a second queue line and install shade canopies with payment islands at the Prime Shine Car Wash located at 1800 West Olive Avenue within Planned Development (P-D) #16. Site Plan Review Committee Minutes July 18, 2019 Page 2

Associate Planner MENDOZA-GONZALEZ reviewed the application. Refer to Draft Site Plan Resolution #441 for further information.

M/S FRAZIER - CARDOSO, and carried by the following vote to adopt a Categorical Exemption regarding Environmental Review #19-16, and approve Site Plan Application #441, subject to the Findings and thirteen (13) conditions set forth in Draft Resolution #441:

 AYES: Committee Members Cardoso, Frazier, and Chairperson McBride
 NOES: None
 ABSENT: None

4.1 Site Plan Application #439, submitted by Shemoil Moradzadeh, property owner. The applicant is requesting approval to construct the Campus Parkway Plaza, consisting of 4 drive-thru restaurants (3 building pads totaling 9,200 square feet), 2 dine-in restaurants (2 building pads totaling 4,800 square feet), a gas station/24-hour food mart (4,000 square feet and separate 12-pump fuel canopy), and a 5-story hotel with 134 rooms and conference space (totaling 105,300 square feet) on an approximate 7.5-acre vacant lot, generally located at the southwest corner of Mission Avenue and Coffee Street within Planned Development (P-D) #35, with a General Plan designation of Thoroughfare Commercial (CT).

Associate Planner MENDOZA-GONZALEZ reviewed the application. Refer to Draft Site Plan Resolution #439 for further information.

The applicant and his engineer were in attendance to answer questions from the Committee.

Director of Development Services McBRIDE noted that Condition #7 should be modified to require the initiation of a Community Facilities District (CFD) prior to issuance of the first certificate of occupancy instead of the first building permit. This would be Site Plan Review Committee Minutes July 18, 2019 Page 3

> consistent with other projects within the City, and this would provide the developer additional time to form the CFD.

> The applicant's engineer asked if a condition could be added to reflect that this Site Plan Review Permit is being reviewed in lieu of a conditional use permit, as originally required when this parcel was rezoned in 2001 (shown at Exhibit E of Draft Resolution #439).

Planning Manager ESPINOSA explained that the City Council recently adopted a comprehensive Zoning Ordinance Amendment. The entitlement process for various developments is now different. The current Zoning Ordinance now requires a site plan review permit instead of a conditional use permit for the proposed project. Condition #33 could be added to reflect this.

M/S CARDOSO - FRAZIER, and carried by the following vote to adopt a Section 15162 Finding regarding Environmental Review #19-13, and approve Site Plan Application #439, subject to the Findings and thirty-two (32) conditions set forth in Draft Resolution #439, with a modification to Condition #7 and the addition of Condition #33:

- "7. Community Facilities District (CFD) formation is required for the entire Campus Parkway Plaza for annual operating costs for police and fire services as well as storm drainage, public landscaping, street trees, street lights, parks, and open space. CFD procedures shall be initiated before issuance of the first building permit certificate of occupancy. Developer/Owner shall submit a request agreeing to such a procedure, waiving right to protest and post deposit as determined by the City Engineer to be sufficient to cover procedure costs and maintenance costs expected prior to first assessments being received.
- "33. <u>The approval of this Site Plan Review Permit shall substitute for</u> <u>the conditional use permit referred to at Exhibit E under</u> <u>Mitigation R-1</u>."

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AYES:	Committee	Members	Cardoso,	Frazier,	and
	Chairperson 2			,	
NOES:	None				
ABSENT:	None				

5. **INFORMATION ITEMS**

5.1 Calendar of Meetings/Events

There was no discussion regarding the calendar of meetings/events.

6. **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Chairperson McBRIDE adjourned the meeting at 2:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kim Espinosa, Secretary Merced City Site Plan Review Committee

APPROVED;

Aor

Scott McBride, Chairperson/ Director of Development Services Merced City Site Plan Review Committee

CITY OF MERCED SITE PLAN REVIEW COMMITTEE RESOLUTION #439

	Request to construct the Campus Parkway Plaza consisting of 4 drive- thru restaurants, 2 dine-in restaurants, a
	gas station, and a hotel with ancillary
Shemoil Moradzadeh	uses/amenities.
APPLICANT	PROJECT
3070 M St., #8	Southwest Corner of Campus Parkway and Coffee Street
ADDRESS	PROJECT SITE
Merced, CA 95384	061-250-084
CITY/STATE/ZIP	APN
(209) 383-3370	Planned Development (P-D) #35
PHONE	ZONING

In accordance with Chapter 20.68 of the Merced City Zoning Ordinance, the Site Plan Review Committee reviewed and approved Site Plan Application #439 on July 18, 2019, submitted by Shemoil Moradzadeh, property owner. The applicant is requesting approval to construct the Campus Parkway Plaza, consisting of 4 drive-thru restaurants (3 building pads totaling 9,200 square feet), 2 dine-in restaurants (2 building pads totaling 9,100 square feet), a gas station/24-hour food mart (4,000 square feet and separate 12-pump fuel canopy), and a 5-story hotel with 134 rooms and conference space (totaling 105,300 square feet) on an approximately 7.5-acre lot, generally located at the southwest corner of Campus Parkway and Coffee Street within Planned Development (P-D) #35, with a General Plan designation of Thoroughfare Commercial (CT). Said property being described as Parcel 4 as shown on the map entitled "L.J. Steiner, LLC," recorded in Volume 99, Page 26 of Merced County Records, also known as Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 061-250-084.

WHEREAS, Planning staff has conducted an environmental review of the project in accordance with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), and concluded that Environmental Review #19-13 is a second tier environmental document, based upon the City's determination that the proposed development remains consistent with the current General Plan and provisions of CEQA Guidelines, Section 15162 [Environmental Review #00-05 (Expanded Initial Study for General Plan Amendment #00-01/Zone Change #370)]. A copy of the Section 15162 Findings can be found at Exhibit F; and,

WHEREAS, the Merced City Site Plan Review Committee makes the following Findings:

- A) The proposal complies with the General Plan designation Thoroughfare Commercial (CT) and the Zoning classification of Planned Development (P-D) #35.
- B) The applicant is proposing to construct 4 drive-thru restaurants (with 3 building pads totaling 9,200 square feet), 2 dine-in restaurants (2 building pads totaling 4,800 square feet), a gas station/24-hour food mart (4,000 square feet and separate 12-pump fuel canopy), and a 5-story hotel with 134 rooms and conference space (totaling 105,300 square feet) on an approximately 7.5-acre lot. Vehicle access will be provided from 3 driveways along Coffee Street (Exhibit B).
- C) The applicant will provide landscape plans during the building permit stage (see Conditions #8 and #19).
- D) All applicable Mitigation Measures contained in the Mitigation Monitoring Program previously approved for this site shall apply (see Exhibit E).
- E) The signage shown on the elevations (Exhibit C) is being provided for conceptual purposes only and is excluded from this request, and is specifically not approved with this request. Any new "Freeway" signs as defined by the City's Ordinance are subject to the Planning Commission approval as well. Sign permit applications for individual signs will be submitted to the Inspection Services Department. All signing shall comply with the City's Sign Ordinance, and a Master Sign Program shall be submitted to City staff for approval. Building permits shall be obtained prior to installing any permanent signing. A Temporary Sign Permit shall be obtained prior to installing any temporary signs or banners (see Condition #21).
- F) The proposed building pads are being reviewed and approved in concept with this Site Plan Review Permit. Exterior elevations have yet to be submitted for the building pads, except for the Hilton Hotel and Chevron gas station/food mart. The remaining exterior elevations shall be reviewed and approved by the Director of Development Services during the building permit stage (Condition #31). Said elevations shall match or compliment the architectural style (in design, material, and color) that is being approved for the Hilton Hotel and Chevron gas station/food mart. Significant modifications to this site plan may require referral to the Site Plan Review Committee, at the discretion of the Director of Development Services.
- G) The parking requirement for hotels is 1 parking space per 1 sleeping unit or suite up to 100 units, 1 per each 2 units for each unit thereafter. Hotel conference rooms and hotel restaurants are considered ancillary uses which do not require additional parking spaces. Therefore, the parking requirement for the hotel is 117 spaces. The parking requirement for a gas station is 3 spaces plus 1 per 250 square feet of retail space, thus requiring 19 parking spaces for the proposed Chevron/Food Mart. The parking requirements for drive-thru establishments is

1 space per 350 square feet of floor area, thus requiring 27 parking spaces for the proposed drive-thru restaurants. The parking requirement for full service restaurants is 1 parking space per 100 square feet of floor seating area or 1 per 2.5 seats, whichever is greater, thus requiring 91 parking spaces based on the floor areas of the proposed restaurants (information about seating could not be provided at this time). As proposed, the entire Campus Parkway Plaza requires a minimum of 254 parking spaces. The proposal exceeds those requirements by providing a total of 388 parking spaces.

- H) The applicant shall provide short-term bicycle parking spaces for the new building pads equivalent to 8% of required parking spaces and long-term bicycle parking spaces equivalent to 8% of required parking spaces (minimum of 2 spaces per building). In addition, the bicycle parking spaces should meet the City's design standards for bicycle racks, including those pertaining to installing covered shelters. Details to be worked out with Planning staff during the building permit stage. Gas Stations are exempt from providing bicycle parking spaces, however, the convenience market is not exempt. Therefore, bicycle parking spaces are required in compliance with Section 20.38.080 (Condition #9).
- Zoning Ordinance Section 20.44.160 prohibits tobacco sales within 1,000 feet of a school site. Pioneer Elementary School is located at the northwest corner of Parsons Avenue and Alfalfa Road, and is within 1,000 feet of the project site (Exhibit D). The applicant is considering submitting a minor subdivision application so that the gas station is located at least 1,000 feet away from Pioneer Elementary School. Once the parcel map is recorded, the parcel for the gas station may be outside the 1,000-foot buffer for tobacco sales. Refer to Condition #17 regarding tobacco sales.
- J) Alcohol sales are not proposed with this application. Alcohol sales for offsite consumption require approval of a conditional use permit from the Planning Commission (Condition #16).
- K) The City Council recently approved General Plan Amendment #19-01 to eliminate the portion of Mission Avenue, between Coffee Street and Highway 99, from the City's General Plan Transportation and Circulation Element (City Council Resolution #2019-25).
- L) The City Council recently approved Vacation #18-01 to vacate the portion of Mission Avenue, between Coffee Street and Highway 99, and to allow the City Manager to execute a quit claim or grant deed to transfer ownership of said land to the owner of the subject site, Shemoil Moradzadeh (City of Merced Resolution #2019-34). The applicant intends to submit a minor subdivision application to ensure that the added land meets the City's lot size/dimension requirements (Condition #32).

- M) The southernmost 40-foot-wide strip of land is owned by Merced County and located within their jurisdiction. The Merced Irrigation District (MID) currently has facilities within this area. The applicant is in the process of working with Merced County to develop on this strip of land. Approval of this specific site plan, does not give the applicant the right to develop on County property however. The approval of this permit is to develop on property within the City limits only. The applicant must obtain approval from Merced County to develop on their land (Condition #11).
- N) The storm drainage basin for this project will be located off-site on Assessor's Parcel Number 061-250-098 (a 13.25-acre parcel). See Condition #26.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Merced City Site Plan Review Committee does approve Site Plan Application #439 subject to the following conditions:

- 1) The site shall be constructed as shown on Exhibit B (site plan), Exhibit C (elevations), and as modified by the conditions of approval within this resolution.
- 2) All conditions contained in Site Plan Review #79-1 Amended ("Standard Conditions for Site Plan Review Application") shall apply.
- 3) All other applicable codes, ordinances, policies, etc., adopted by the City of Merced shall apply, including, but not limited to, the California Building Code and Fire Codes.
- 4) The developer/applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend (with counsel selected by the City), and hold harmless the City, and any agency or instrumentality thereof, and any officers, officials, employees, or agents thereof, from any and all claims, actions, suits, proceedings, or judgments against the City, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, and any officers, officials, employees, or agents thereof to attack, set aside, void, or annul, an approval of the City, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, advisory agency, appeal board, or legislative body, including actions approved by the voters of the City, concerning the project and the approvals granted herein. Furthermore, developer/applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend, and hold harmless the City, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, against any and all claims, actions, suits, proceedings, or judgments against any governmental entity in which developer/applicant's project is subject to that other governmental entity's approval and a condition of such approval is that the City indemnify and defend (with counsel selected by the City) such governmental entity. City shall promptly notify the developer/applicant of any claim, action, or proceeding. City shall further cooperate fully in the defense of the action. Should the City fail to either promptly notify or cooperate fully, the developer/applicant shall not thereafter be responsible to indemnify, defend, protect, or hold harmless the City, any agency or instrumentality thereof, or any of its officers, officials, employees, or agents.

- 5) The developer/applicant shall construct and operate the project in strict compliance with the approvals granted herein, City standards, laws, and ordinances, and in compliance with all State and Federal laws, regulations, and standards. In the event of a conflict between City laws and standards and a State or Federal law, regulation, or standard, the stricter or higher standard shall control.
- 6) Notwithstanding all other conditions, all construction and improvements shall be in strict accordance with Zoning, Building, and all other codes, ordinances, standards, and policies of the City of Merced.
- 7) Community Facilities District (CFD) formation is required for the entire Campus Parkway Plaza for annual operating costs for police and fire services as well as storm drainage, public landscaping, street trees, street lights, parks, and open space. CFD procedures shall be initiated before issuance of the first certificate of occupancy. Developer/Owner shall submit a request agreeing to such a procedure, waiving right to protest and post deposit as determined by the City Engineer to be sufficient to cover procedure costs and maintenance costs expected prior to first assessments being received.
- 8) The parking lot layout shall comply with all applicable City Standards. Parking lot trees shall be provided at a ratio of one tree for every six parking spaces within this site. These trees shall be installed per the City's Parking Lot Landscape Standards, shall be a minimum of 15 gallons, and be of a type that provides a 30-foot minimum canopy at maturity (trees shall be selected from the City's approved tree list).
- 9) Bicycle parking shall be provided as required by Zoning Ordinance Section 20.38.080. Short-term bicycle parking shall be equivalent to 8% of required automobile parking spaces. Long-term parking spaces are not required for this use. All bicycle parking spaces shall meet the City's design standards for bicycle racks.
- 10) The property owner shall contact MID and enter into all necessary agreements for all crossings over or under any MID facilities including utilities, bridges, driveways, and pipelines and for all work associated with MID facilities and for any construction within MID easements.
- 11) The property owner shall provide the City proof of approval from Merced County to develop the southernmost 40-foot-wide strip of land that belongs to Merced County and is located within their jurisdiction prior to issuance of a building permit for the hotel.
- 12) Appropriate turning radii shall be provided within the parking areas to allow for Fire Department and refuse truck access.
- 13) All improvements including, but not limited to, sidewalk, curb, gutter, street lights, and street trees, shall be installed along the project frontage on Coffee Street and Campus Parkway.

- 14) The design of the intersection of Campus Parkway and Coffee Street, including the northbound turn lanes and stacking distances, shall be subject to approval of the City Engineer.
- 15) The applicant shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the City Engineer that sufficient stacking room is provided for the turn lane on Coffee Street. If sufficient stacking room is not provided, an additional turn lane shall be provided.
- 16) Alcohol sales are not permitted with this approval. If alcoholic beverages are to be sold for off-site consumption at this location, approval of a conditional use permit shall be required. If the Census Tract for this location is over-concentrated as determined by the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC), a Finding of Public Convenience or Necessity by the City Council shall be required.
- 17) Tobacco sales are not permitted with this approval. However, if in the future, the parcel is determined to be more than 1,000 feet from a school, tobacco sales would be allowed.
- 18) Irrigation for all on-site landscaping shall be provided by a drip system or microspray system in accordance with the State's Emergency Regulation for Statewide Urban Water Conservation or any other state or City mandated water regulations.
- 19) The on-site landscape design shall include the use of xeriscape landscaping and avoid the use of turf as much as possible.
- 20) All landscaping shall be kept healthy and maintained, and any damaged or missing landscaping shall be replaced immediately.
- 21) The signage shown on the elevations (Exhibit C) is excluded from this request and shall be approved through the Master Sign Program process. A conditional use permit is required for freeway signs. Building permits shall be obtained prior to installing any permanent signing. A Temporary Sign Permit shall be obtained prior to installing any temporary signs or banners. Temporary freestanding or A-frame signs are not allowed.
- 22) A grease interceptor or other approved device shall be installed for the convenience market and any other restaurants or other uses that are required by City Standers.
- 23) All mechanical equipment shall be screened from public view, including hotel wallthrough air conditioners and roof/ground mounted equipment.
- 24) A backflow prevention device shall be provided for all water services (i.e., domestic, irrigation, and fire).
- 25) The applicant shall work with the City's Refuse Department to determine the best location for the refuse enclosures. Recycling containers would be required. A double trash enclosure may be required. All refuse containers shall be located within a refuse enclosure constructed per City Standards. The enclosures shall be designed to be "tamper proof," with lids or enclosure devices (designed as required by the City's Refuse Department).

- 26) The project shall comply with all City Standards for storm drainage. The developer shall work with the City Engineer to determine the requirements for storm drainage on the site. The developer shall provide all necessary documentation for the City Engineer to evaluate the storm drain system. All storm drain systems shall be installed to meet City Standards and State regulations.
- 27) The project shall comply with all the Post Construction Standards required to comply with state requirements for the City's Phase II MS-4 Permit (Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System).
- 28) The premises shall remain clean and free of debris at all times. All graffiti shall be removed within 48 hours.
- 29) The proposed driveways along Coffee Street shall line-up with driveways approved for the Gateway Shopping Center across Coffee Street, or be located as otherwise required by the City Engineer.
- 30) The developer shall contribute their fair share (12.5% of cost) towards installing a traffic signal at the intersection of Coffee Street and Campus Parkway. Estimate costs for the traffic signal shall be determined by the City Engineer.
- 31) The proposed building pads are being reviewed and approved in concept with this Site Plan Review Permit. Exterior elevations have yet to be submitted for the building pads, except for the Hilton Hotel and Chevron gas station/food mart. The remaining exterior elevations shall be reviewed and approved by the Director of Development Services during the building permit stage. Said elevations shall match or compliment the architectural style (in design, material, and color) that is being approved for the Hilton Hotel and Chevron gas station/mini mart. Significant changes to this site plan may require referral to the Site Plan Review Committee, at the discretion of the Director of Development Services.
- 32) The applicant shall submit a minor subdivision application to ensure that the land added by Vacation #18-01 meets City lot size/dimension requirements.
- 33) The approval of this Site Plan Review Permit shall substitute the conditional use permit refereed to at Exhibit E under Mitigation R-1.

If there are any questions concerning these conditions and recommendations, please contact Francisco Mendoza-Gonzalez at (209) 385-6858.

7/18/19

DATE

Francisco Mendoza-Gonzalez

Associate Planner TITLE

Exhibits

- A) Location Map
- B) Site Plan
- C) Elevations
- D) Map of 1,000-foot radius from a School
- E) Mitigation Measures and Mitigation Monitoring Program
- F) CEQA Section 15162 Findings

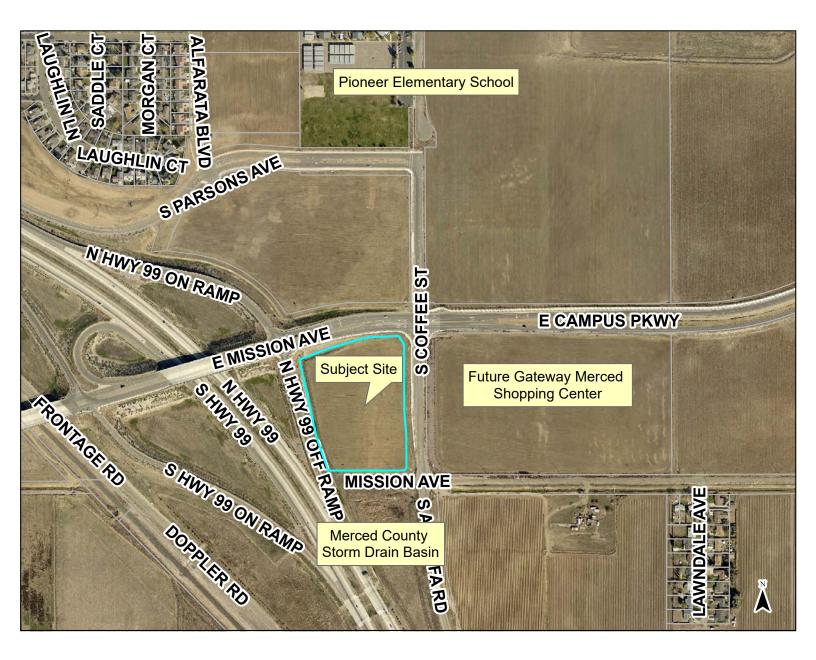


EXHIBIT A

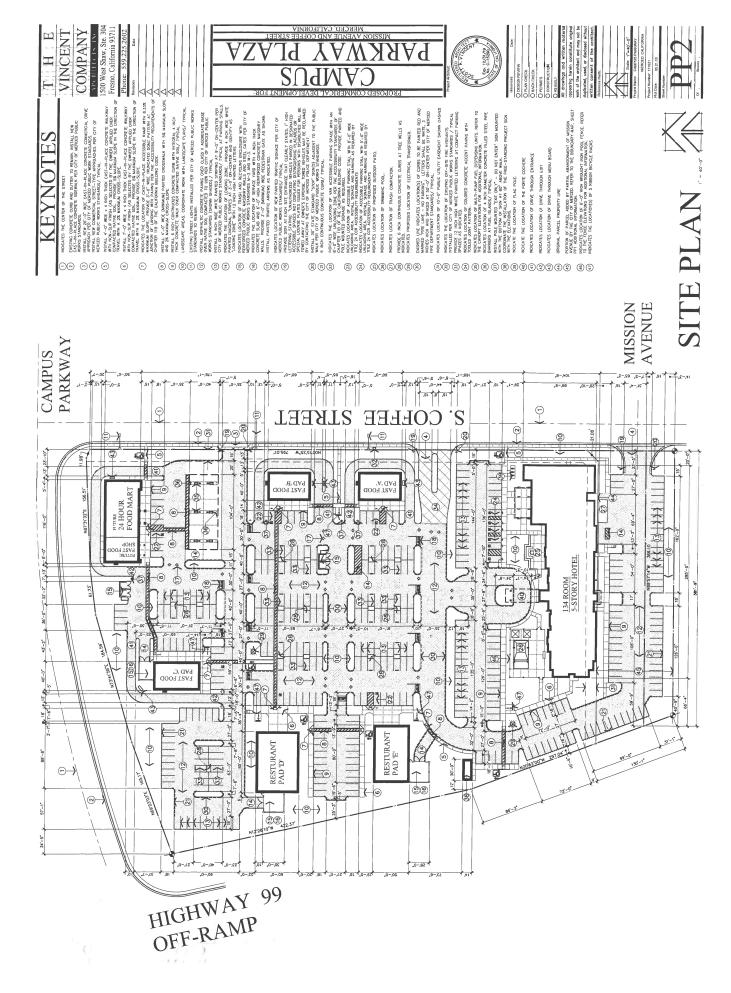
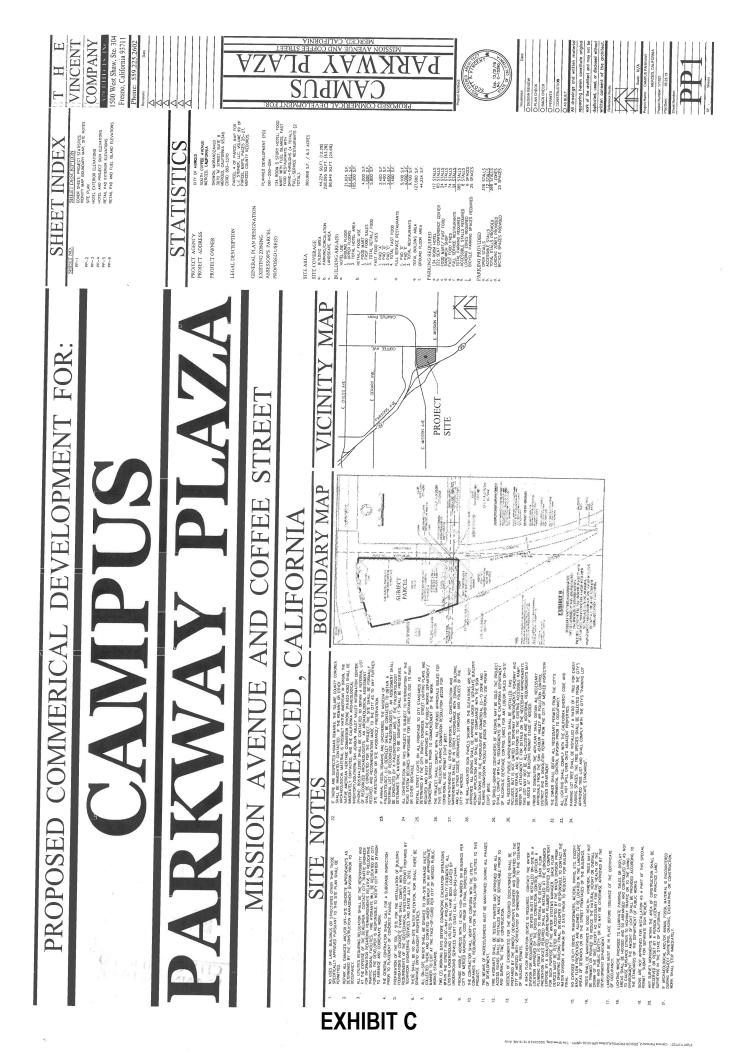
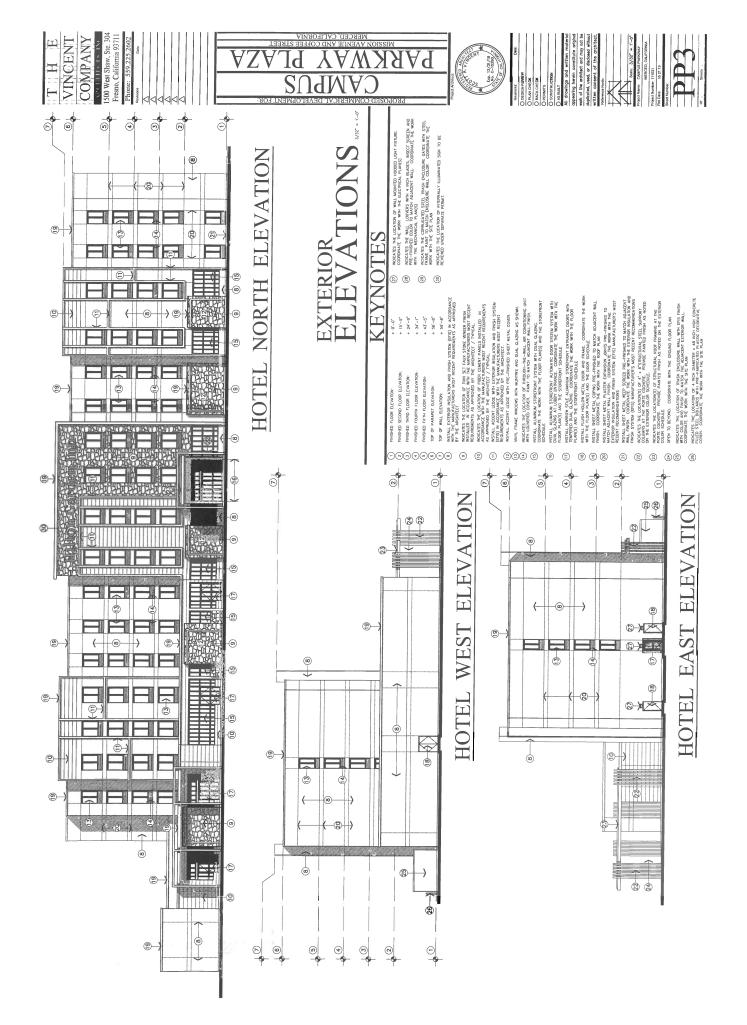
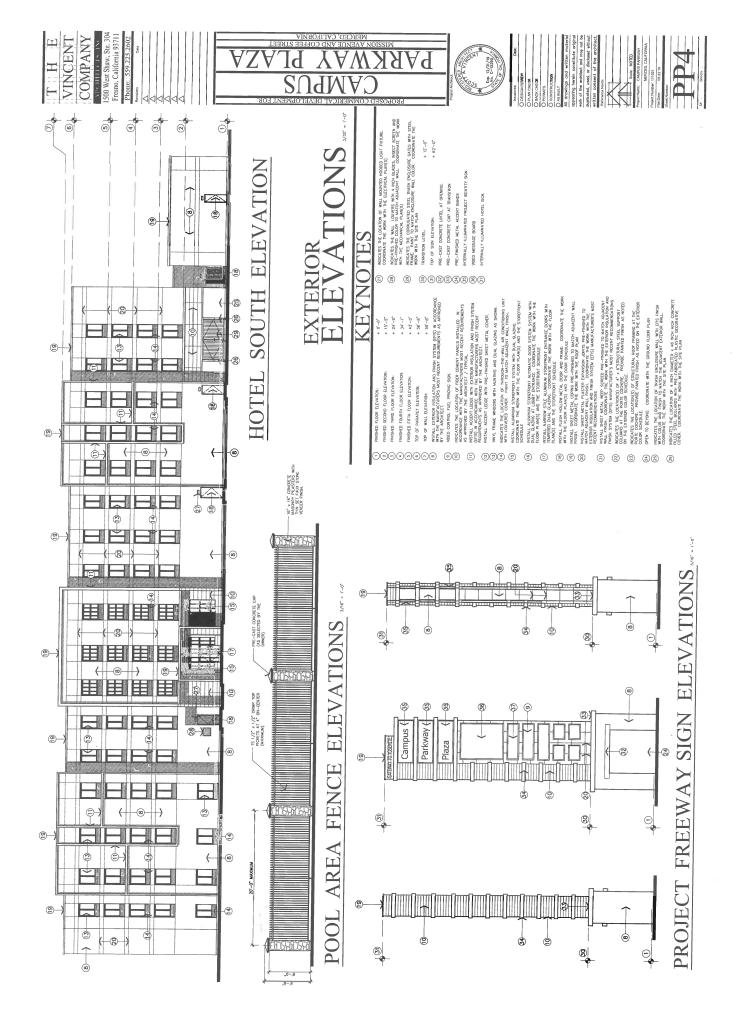
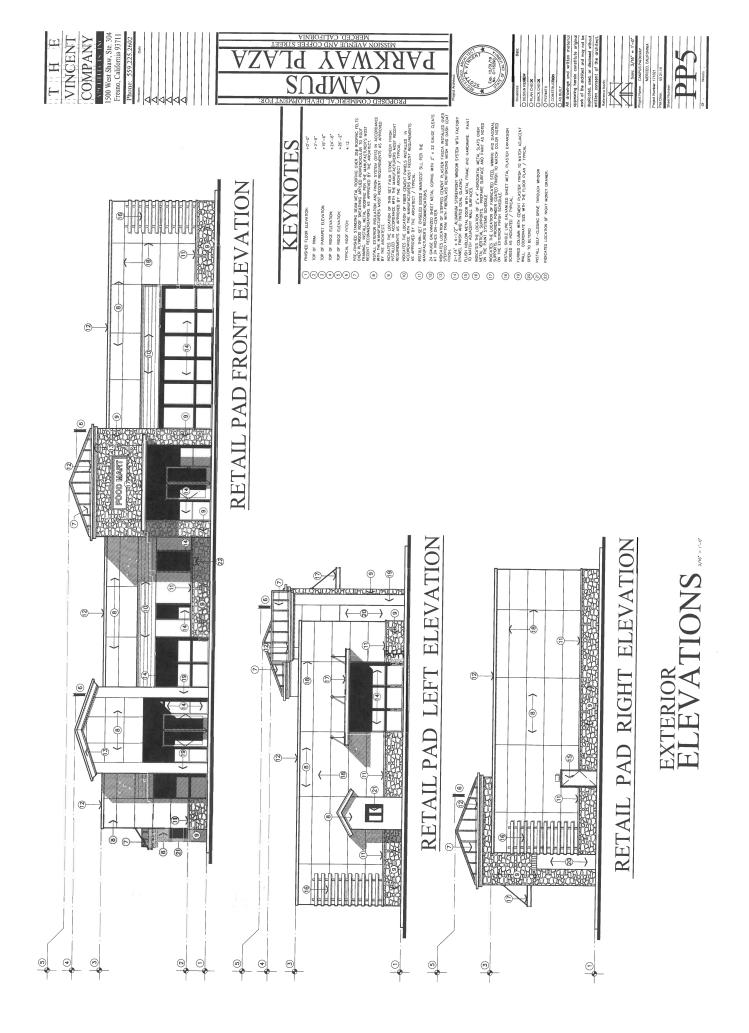


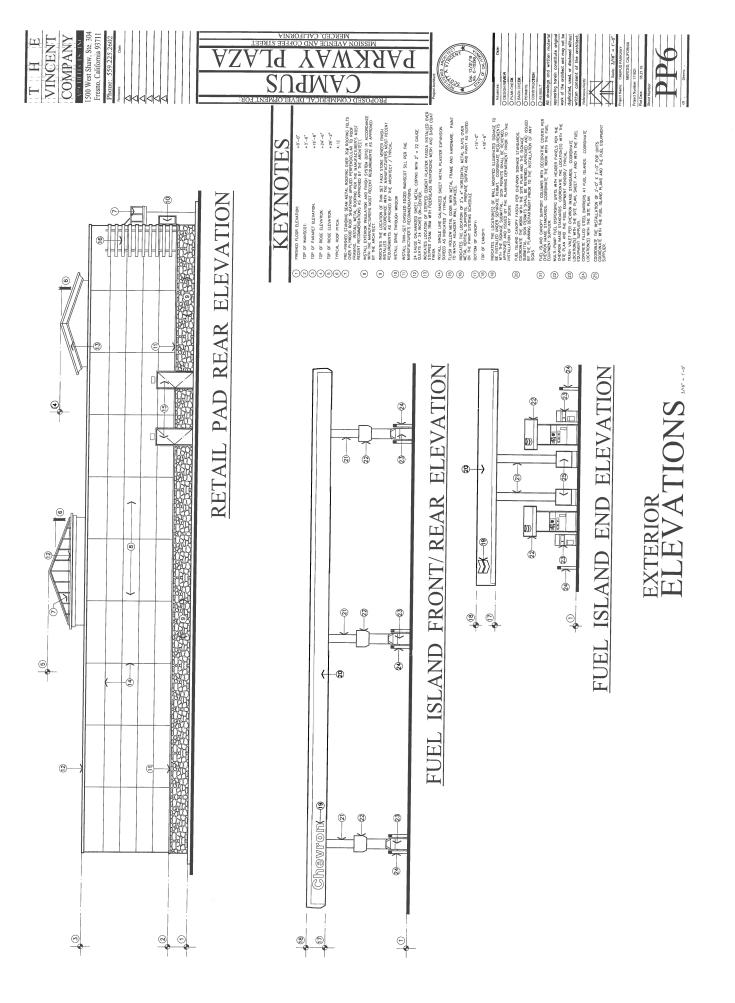
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EXHIBIT C

EXPANDED INITIAL STUDY #00-05 for GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT #00-01 FOR STEINER DEVELOPMENT

Mitigation Measures

- A-1 The Project applicants shall prepare grading plans for individual projects for review and approval by the City of Merced Inspection Services, Engineering, and Public Works Departments prior to approval of building permits. The grading plans shall include the nature and extent of work proposed, phasing, and minimize the effects of disruptions, displacement, compaction, and over-covering of soils.
- A-2 Prior to approval of a parcel map or conditional use permit, the City shall review plans for drainage and stormwater run-off control systems and their component facilities to ensure that these systems are non-erosive in design.
- A-3 Upon completion of construction, subsequent Projects shall re-vegetate all exposed soil surfaces within 30 days, or as otherwise approved by the City, to minimize potential topsoil erosion. Reasonable alternatives to re-vegetation may be employed, especially during peak high temperature periods, subject to the approval of the City.
- A-4 Projects under review shall be required to submit temporary erosion control plans for construction activities.
 A-5 Prior to the issuance of a building of
- A-5 Prior to the issuance of a building permit, the applicant shall design all structures according to the Uniform Building Code Seismic Section 3.
 A-6 Prior to issuance of building and its relationship.
- A-6 Prior to issuance of building permits, the applicant shall retain a qualified geologist to conduct soil samples throughout the Project area to identify expansive soils, and those areas shall be identified on a map for the City.
 A-7 Building plans shall be reviewed 1
- A-7 Building plans shall be reviewed by a registered engineer specializing in geotechnical assessments to ensure that the soils can support the load.

<u>B. AIR</u>

- B-1 All active portions of construction sites, earthen access roads, and material excavated or graded shall be sufficiently watered to prevent excessive amounts of dust. Watering shall occur at least twice a day with complete coverage, preferably in the late morning and after work is done for the day. Where feasible, reclaimed water shall be used.
 B-2 All clearing grading and an end of the day.
- B-2 All clearing, grading, earth moving, or excavation activities shall cease during periods of winds greater than 20 miles per hour averaged over one hour.
 B-3 All material transported off site shall be identified over one hour.
- B-3 All material transported off site shall be either sufficiently watered or securely covered to prevent excessive amounts of dust.

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The area disturbed by clearing, earth moving, or excavation activities shall be minimized at all times. This can be accomplished by mowing instead of disking **B-4** for weed control and seeding and watering inactive portions of the construction site until grass is evident, if construction time frames warrant.

Construction site vehicle speeds shall be limited to 15 miles per hour.

- If used, petroleum-based dust palliatives shall meet the road oil requirements of B-5
- the District's rule regarding Cutback Asphalt Paving Materials. **B-6**
- Streets adjacent to the Project site shall be swept as needed to remove silt and/or mud that may have accumulated from construction activities. The streets are B-7 required to be wet prior to or in conjunction with rotary sweeping.
- All internal combustion engine-driven equipment shall be properly maintained **B-8**
- and well tuned according to the manufacturer's specifications. When reasonably available and economically feasible, diesel powered or electric equipment shall be utilized in lieu of gasoline powered engines. **B-9**
- Construction activities shall minimize obstruction of through traffic lanes adjacent to the site and a flag person shall be retained to maintain safety adjacent to B-10 existing roadways.
- Prior to issuance of a grading permit, the project will be required to comply with District Regulation VIII. Specifically, the rules that apply to this project are: B-11 Rule 8010 (Administrative Requirements) and Rule 8020 (Construction, Demolition, Excavation, and Extraction Activities). Additional rules that may apply to this project depending on construction practices employed are: Rule 8030 (Handling and Storage of Bulk Materials), Rule 8060 (Paved and Unpaved Roads), and Rule 8070 (Parking, Shipping, Receiving, Transfer, Fueling, and Service Areas).
- If public transit is available in the Southeast Merced area, a public transit stop shall be located within safe walking distance from the Project site or included as B-12 part of the Project. The parking lot(s) shall be designed to provide maximum traffic flow, thus reducing the number of times necessary for a vehicle to stop and start again while in the parking lot. Adequate bicycle parking shall be provided for both patrons and employees.

WATER С.

- Prior to approval of parcel maps or conditional use permits, the applicant shall demonstrate to the City that storm drainage facilities are adequate to meet Project C-1 demands and that improvements are consistent with the Merced County Critical Area Flooding and Drainage Plan and any updates.
- Prior to approval of building permits, the applicants shall demonstrate to the City that temporary erosion control measures will be followed during construction. C-2
- Prior to development, individual projects within Flood Zone "AO" will be required to comply with all pertinent provisions of the City's Flood Damage C-3 Prevention Ordinance (MMC 17.48) and all updates.

ANIMAL LIFE *E*.____

The Initial Study and Environmental Assessment Mission Avenue Interchange and Route 99 Freeway Conversion in Merced (Caltrans, October 2000) includes E-1

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"Mitigation Measures for the loss of the roosting and maternity roost habitat and impacts to the species" for one or more species of bats located in the abandoned grain silo in the Alfarata Ranch headquarters complex. In the event construction of the Project involves impacting the subject silo (i.e., precedes actions relating to construction of the pending Interchange that were to impact the silo and trigger the above Mitigation Measures), the Mitigation Measures described in the above document may need to be tied to this Project.

E-2 Prior to approval of the first conditional use permit, the applicants shall submit a site-specific biological resource survey for special status species, prepared by a qualified biologist, to the City for review and possible mitigation. The survey shall include a review of existing literature relating to the occurrence and distribution of any special status species and habitats. The applicants shall consult with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Department and/or California Department of Fish and Game to ensure adequacy and completeness. However, nothing in this condition shall be construed (expressly or implied) to provide or vest additional authority to U.S. Fish and Wildlife or the California Department of Fish and Game concerning the Project's approval. If a master biological survey is prepared and approved by the City for the entire site, then no further assessments will be needed for individual projects within the site boundaries.

<u>F. NOISE</u>

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- F-1 Grading and construction activity shall be limited to daylight hours (between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.) in areas where noise sensitive receptors (i.e. Pioneer Elementary school and adjacent single-family development) are located.
- F-2 In noise sensitive areas, construction equipment, compressors, and generators shall be fitted with heavy duty mufflers specifically designed to reduce noise impacts.

G. LIGHT AND GLARE

G-1 The applicants shall utilize lighting fixtures of minimal wattage necessary to provide adequate lighting for security, commercial operations, and circulation. Light spill shall be controlled by baffles, cut-off lenses, and fixture height necessary to minimize spill-over onto adjacent properties. Prior to building permit approvals, lighting plans shall be submitted for review by the City which specifies lighting type, location, and methods for minimizing spill.

J. RISK OF UPSET

J-1 Prior to safety certification of the gasoline stations, the applicant will be required to install double-wall storage tanks, breakaway valves, an emergency shut-off device, a leak detection device, and other safety measures as required by federal, state, and local codes regarding gasoline storage facilities. In addition, the applicant must submit a hazardous material management plan to the City Fire Department, Environmental Health Division, and Public Works Department for evaluation and conformance with Federal, State, and local hazardous material requirements and standards.

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M. TRANSPORTATION /CIRCULATION

- M-1 The Project shall pay all fees as required under the City's Public Facilities Impact Fees (Chapter 17.62 of the Merced Municipal Code) prior to building permit issuance.
- M-2 "F-3 Mission Interchange Frontage Road":
 - a) The alignment of the "F-3 Mission Interchange Frontage Road" through the Project site shall be generally as shown in Figure 4 of this Expanded Initial Study. All improvements, final design, and ultimate right-of-way are subject to, and contingent upon, City approval and permitting prior to construction. (The City will consult with Caltrans on relevant matters.) The final design shall be coordinated with the design of the section of the frontage road from Gerard Avenue to the western property line of the Project site.
 - b) The property owner has agreed to dedicate a 74-foot minimum right-of-way for the frontage road and to accept full responsibility for construction costs of the frontage road within the Project site. Preparation of final engineered design plans and construction cost estimates are the responsibility of the property owner, subject to City approval. (The City will consult with Caltrans on relevant matters.) Security shall be posted in a form, and in an amount, acceptable to the City Engineer and City Attorney for funding of the roadway improvements prior to issuance of the first building permit for the Project site. Additional right-of-way may be required (for turn lanes, turning radii, etc.), subject to agreement between the City, Caltrans, and the property owner.
 - c) The roadway shall be constructed by Caltrans as part of the Mission Interchange project or by the property owner whichever is sooner. It is the City's and the property owner's desire that construction of the frontage road shall occur in the early phases of interchange construction by Caltrans if possible. In any event, construction of the frontage road shall be completed no later than the completion of construction of the interchange and the property owner reserves the right to complete the improvements prior to Caltrans if he so chooses.
 - construction of the frontage road through the Project site shall be to City standards and shall include full improvements as defined in MMC 17.58.070, including but not limited to, sidewalk, curb and gutter, park strip, street lights, etc. If the frontage road is constructed by Caltrans without these frontage improvements, the Property Owner shall be responsible for installing these improvements concurrent with development of the Project.
 - e) In no case shall the frontage road be constructed without the appropriate utilities, including but not limited to, water, sewer, electric, telephone, cable TV, and gas being installed first.
 - M-3 *Traffic Signal at Coffee Street and Mission Avenue:* Owner shall provide financial security acceptable to the City equivalent to a 25 percent share of the cost of a traffic signal at the intersection of Coffee Street and Mission Avenue. Scope of improvements includes a traffic signal and related intersection

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improvements to City standards and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer. The final cost and form of security shall be determined at the time of the first conditional use permit or other discretionary action.

M-4 *Coffee Street:* The developer shall construct and dedicate half of the 74-foot right-of-way for Coffee Street (north and south of the Mission interchange) along the Project boundaries. In addition, the developer shall construct full frontage improvements on that half of Coffee adjacent to the Project boundaries. In addition, the developer shall construct two southbound travel lanes and one northbound travel lane and shoulder for Coffee. If the developer cannot acquire the necessary right-of-way for the northbound lane, the City may assist the developer in obtaining the necessary off-site right-of-way or easements at the developer's expense. The timing of construction of the improvements are to be determined at the conditional use permit stage. Any off-site construction is subject to reimbursement per Merced Municipal Code (MMC) section 17.58.

M-5 Coffee Street Cul-de-sac: Coffee Street will become a cul-de-sac at some point south of Pioneer Elementary School to protect the school and Coffee Street residents from regional traffic impacts from the Mission Interchange. Non-vehicular (pedestrian/bicycle) access between Coffee Street and the Project site shall be maintained. It is expected that these improvements will be made by Caltrans in association with construction of the Interchange. However, the Project applicants will be responsible for integrating bicycle/pedestrian access to and within the Project site and for providing traffic barriers and a temporary vehicle turnaround if the frontage road is built prior to the Caltrans project. (Details to be worked out with City staff at the first conditional use permit stage.

- M-6 Alfarata Blvd: The applicant shall be responsible for extending Alfarata Blvd from Gerard Avenue to the frontage road. Timing of construction and level of improvements to be determined at the time of the first conditional use permit. If the developer cannot acquire the necessary right-of-way, the City may assist the developer in obtaining the necessary off-site right-of-way or easements at the developer's expense. These improvements shall be subject to reimbursement from adjacent property owners when development of those properties occur per MMC 17.58.
- M-7 Access to Pluim Property and Driveway Locations: Driveway access to the frontage road and Coffee Street are subject to City (in consultation with Caltrans if deemed relevant) review and approval with each conditional use permit. To the extent possible, driveway access should be shared between properties to minimize the number of curbcuts. Joint access and parking agreements shall be maintained. (Details to be addressed at the conditional use permit stage.) Street and/or driveway access to the Pluim property (APN #61-250-013) shall also be addressed at that time with the aim of establishing a 3-way intersection at the intersection of the frontage road and Coffee Street.

N. PUBLIC SERVICES

N-1 Development of the Project site will be closely coordinated with the Merced City Fire Department, particularly in connection with the projected future location/construction of a new fire station in the immediate area and access to and

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from the fire station site to the Project site and adjacent residential and commercial areas.

N-2 Prior to the issuance of building permits, the applicant shall be responsible for the payment of school facility impact fees as adopted by the Weaver Union School District and Merced Union High School District.

P. UTILITIES

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- P-1 Prior to approval of subsequent individual commercial projects, the City shall review the Project application to ensure that wastewater facilities are adequate to meet Project service demands and are consistent with wastewater master plans.
- P-2 Prior to approval of conditional use permits or parcel maps, the applicant shall demonstrate to the City that storm drainage facilities are adequate to meet Project demands and/or the applicants shall provide improvements, consistent with master plans, necessary to meet Project demands.

R. AESTHETICS

R-1 All subsequent commercial development on the Project site will require conditional use permits. The Project shall be developed as a "Planned Development" with standards for landscaping, screening, buffering, compatible architecture, signing, etc. Particular emphasis shall be paid to the visual appearance along perimeter and interior roadways.

T. CULTURAL RESOURCES

- T-1 If evidence of archaeological artifacts is discovered during construction, all operations within an area at and adjacent to the discovered site shall halt until a qualified archaeologist determines the extent of significance of the site.
- T-2 On-site preservation of a resource is the preferred alternative. Preserving a cultural deposit maintains the artifacts in context and may prevent inadvertent discovery of, or damage to, human burials. Preservation may be accomplished through a number of means such as capping or covering the site with a layer of soil, fencing the site area, and/or incorporation of the resource in a park area.

APPLICABLE MITIGATION MEASURES QUOTED FROM THE GENERAL PLAN EIR:

Plant/Animal Life

- 3-a) When site-specific development proposals are submitted to the City for review and action, surveys should be conducted for special-status species prior to the disturbance of potentially suitable habitat. All surveys will be conducted in accordance with applicable state and federal guidelines.
- 3-b) Habitat losses for burrowing owls could be mitigated by preservation of open space and rangeland. When a development proposal is likely to disturb suitable burrowing owl habitat, the California Department of Fish and Game should be consulted.

Traffic/Circulation

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- 7-a) Appropriate traffic studies shall be prepared for all development projects which can be expected to reduce a road segment or intersection levels of service below "D."
- 7-b) The City shall require all development proposals to contribute, based on their proportionate share of impact, to circulation system improvements necessary to maintain at least a level of service "D" on all road segments and intersections impacted by the development project.

Public Facilities/Services

8-d) Development projects will be required to pay public facilities impact fees as established by the City in accordance with the requirements of State law.

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT #00-01/ZONE CHANGE #370

On June 6, 2001, the Merced City Planning Commission recommended (by a 7-0 vote):

- A) Approval of Environmental Review #00-05 (Mitigated Negative Declaration) as outlined in Expanded Initial Study #00-05 and subject to the Mitigation Measures as outlined in Attachment E and the Mitigation Monitoring Program as outlined in Appendix A of Expanded Initial Study #00-05;
- B) Approval of General Plan Amendment #00-01; and,
- C) Approval of Zone Change #370, subject to the following conditions:
 - *1) Approval of the General Plan Amendment/Zone Change is subject to the applicant's entering into a written (development) agreement that they agree to all the conditions and shall pay all City and school district fees, taxes, and/or assessments, in effect on the date of any subsequent subdivision and/or permit approval, any increase in those fees, taxes, or assessments, and any new fees, taxes, or assessments, which are in effect at the time the building permits are issued, which may include traffic impact fees, a Parsons Avenue impact fee, Mello-Roos, etc.; said agreement to be approved by the City Council prior to the adoption of the ordinance, resolution, or minute action.
 - *2) The proposed project shall comply with all standard Municipal Code and Subdivision Map Act requirements as applied by the Engineering Department.
 - *3) All other applicable codes, ordinances, policies, etc. adopted by the City of Merced shall apply.
 - 4) "No parking" shall be posted on both sides the frontage road and Coffee Street within and adjacent to the Project boundaries. (Details to be worked out with City staff prior to construction.)
 - 5) A six-foot masonry wall and landscaping shall be installed along the north side of the frontage road for that portion of the roadway adjacent to Pioneer Elementary School. (Details and timing to be worked out with City staff prior to approval of the first conditional use permit.)

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In instances where mitigation requires on-going monitoring, the Mitigation Monitoring Checklist will be used until monitoring is no longer necessary. The Development Services Department will be required to file periodic reports on how the implementation of various mitigation measures is progressing or is being maintained. Department staff may be required to conduct periodic inspections to assure compliance. In some instances, outside agencies and/or consultants may be required to conduct necessary periodic inspections as part of the mitigation monitoring program. Fees may be imposed per MMC 19.28.070 for the cost of implementing the monitoring program.

GENERAL PLAN MITIGATION MEASURES

As a second tier environmental document, the Expanded Initial Study for General Plan Amendment #00-01 for Steiner Development incorporates some mitigation measures adopted as part of the Merced Vision 2015 General Plan Program Environmental Impact Report (SCH# 95082050), as mitigation for potential impacts of the Project. Therefore, following the Steiner Development Mitigation Monitoring Checklist (starting on page A-15) is a list of these relevant General Plan mitigation measures along with the General Plan Mitigation Monitoring Checklists (Forms A and B) to be used to verify that the General Plan mitigation measures have been met.

NONCOMPLIANCE COMPLAINTS

Any person or agency may file a complaint asserting noncompliance with the mitigation measures associated with the project. The complaint shall be directed to the City Planner in written form providing specific information on the asserted violation. The City Planner shall cause an investigation and determine the validity of the complaint. If noncompliance with a mitigation measure has occurred, the City Planner shall cause appropriate actions to remedy any violation. The complainant shall receive written confirmation indicating the results of the investigation or the final action corresponding to the particular noncompliance issue. Merced Municipal Code (MMC) Sections 19.28.080 and 19.28.090 outline the criminal penalties and civil and administrative remedies which may be incurred in the event of noncompliance. MMC 19.28.100 spells out the appeals procedures.

MONITORING MATRIX

The following pages provide a series of tables identifying the mitigation measures proposed specifically for the Steiner Development. The columns within the tables are defined as follows: sure (referenced by number)

Mitigation Measure:	Summarizes the Mitigation Measure (referenced by hamour) identified in Expanded Initial Study #00-05.
Timing:	Identifies at what point in time or phase of the project that the mitigation measure will be completed.
Agency/Department Consultation: Verification:	This column references any public agency or City department with which coordination is required to satisfy the identified mitigation. These columns will be initialed and dated by the individual designated to verify adherence to the project specific mitigation.

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	Mitigation Measure	Timing	Agency or Department Consultation	City Verification (date and initials)
B-5	be limited to 15 miles per	Building Permits	City Inspection Services	
B-6		Building Permits	SJVUAPCD	
B-7		Building Permits	City Inspection Services	
B-8		Building Permits	City Inspection Services	
B-9	and economically feasible, diesel at shall be utilized in lieu of gasoline	Building Permits	City Inspection Services	
B-10	powered engines. Construction activities shall minimize obstruction of through traffic lanes adjacent to the site and a flag person shall be retained	Building Permits	City Inspection Services	
B-11	to maintain safety adjacent to existing roadways. Prior to issuance of a building permit, the project will be required to comply with District Regulation VIII. Specifically, the rules	Building Permits	SJVUAPCD	
	that apply to this project are: Kule 8010 (Administration, Requirements) and Rule 8020 (Construction, Demolition, Excavation, and Extraction Activities). Additional rules that may			
	apply to this project depending on Storage of Bulk employed are: Rule 8030 (Handling and Storage of Bulk Materials), Rule 8060 (Paved and Unpaved Roads), and Rule 8070 (Parking , Shipping, Receiving, Transfer, Fueling, and			
	Service Areas).			

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Mitigation Measure	F. NOISE	Grading and construction activity shall be limited to daylight hours (betweett 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.) in areas where noise sensitive receptors (i.e. Pioneer Elementary school and adjacent single- family development) are located.	In noise sensitive areas, construction equipment, compressors, and generators shall be fitted with heavy duty mufflers specifically designed to reduce noise impacts.	G. LIGHT AND GLARE	The applicants shall utilize lighting fixtures of minimal wattage necessary to provide adequate lighting for security, commercial operations, and circulation. Light spill shall be controlled by baffles, cut-off lenses, and fixture height necessary to minimize spill-over onto adjacent properties. Prior to building permit approvals, lighting plans shall be submitted for review by the City which specifies lighting type, location, and methods for minimizing spill.	J. RISK OF UPSET	Prior to safety certification of the gasoline stations, the applicant will be required to install double-wall storage tanks, breakaway valves, an emergency shut-off device, a leak detection device, and other safety measures as required by federal, state, and local codes regarding gasoline storage facilities. In addition, the applicant must submit a hazardous material management plan to the City Fire Dept, Environmental Health Division, and Public Works Dept for evaluation and conformance with Federal, State, and local hazardous material management, State,

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Mitigation Measure	<i>Traffic Signal at Coffee Street and Mission Avenue:</i> Owner shall provide financial security acceptable to the City equivalent to a 25 percent share of the cost of a traffic signal at the intersection of Coffee Street and Mission Avenue. Scope of improvements includes a traffic signal and related intersection improvements to City standards and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer. The final cost and form of security shall be determined at the time of the first conditional use permit or other discretionary action.
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R-1	All subsequent commercial development on the Project site will require conditional use permits. The Project shall be developed as a "Planned Development" with standards for landscaping, screening, buffering, compatible architecture, signing, etc. Particular emphasis shall be paid to the visual appearance along perimeter and interior roadways.	Conditional Use Permits	City Planning	
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T-1	If evidence of archaeological artifacts is discovered during construction, all operations within an area at and adjacent to the discovered site shall halt until a qualified archaeologist determines the extent of significance of the site.	Building Permits	City Inspection Services	
T-2	On-site preservation of a resource is the preferred alternative. Preserving a cultural deposit maintains the artifacts in context and may prevent inadvertent discovery of, or damage to, human burials. Preservation may be accomplished through a number of means such as capping or covering the site with a layer of soil, fencing the site area, and/or incorporation of the resource in a park area.	Building Permits	City Inspection Services	

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Subsequent EIR/ND Section 15162 Findings The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Section 15162 Findings:

Project: Site Plan Review #439 – Environmental Review #19-13

Assessor Parcel Number or Location: Assessor's Parcel Number (APN): 061-250-084

Previous Initial Study/EIR Reference: The site was previously reviewed through Environmental Review/Expanded Initial Study #00-05 for Zone Change #370/General Plan Amendment #00-01

Original Project Date: The Expanded Initial Study was approved on June 11, 2001, by the Merced City Council.

Section A--Previous Studies

1. Substantial changes are proposed in the project that will require major revisions of the previous project EIR or Negative Declaration due to the involvement of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects?

Comment/Finding:

There have been no changes to the project that was evaluated under the certified EIR. Thus, there is no need for revisions to the Project EIR due to new environmental effects or increase in the severity of previously identified effects.

2. Substantial changes have occurred with respect to the circumstances under which the project is undertaken that will require major revisions of the previous EIR or Negative Declaration due to the involvement of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects?

Comment/Finding:

There have been no changes in the circumstances under which the project is undertaken that would require major revisions in the previous Environmental Impact Report. There are no new significant environmental effects of substantial increases in the severity of previously identified environmental effects.

3. New information of substantial importance, which was not known and could not have been know with the exercise of reasonable diligence at the time the previous EIR was certified as complete or the Negative Declaration



Yes No

Yes

No

X

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was adopted, has been revealed? (If "Yes" is checked, go to Section "B" below)

Comment/Finding:

There is no new information of substantial importance, that was not known and could not have been known with the reasonable diligence at the time the previous Initial Study was adopted.

Section B--New Information

A) The project will have one or more significant effects not discussed in the previous EIR or negative declaration.

Comment/Finding:

The project will not any significant effects not discussed in the previous EIR.

B) Significant effects previously examined will be substantially more severe than shown in the previous EIR;

Comment/Finding:

No significant effects previously examined will be substantially more severe than shown in the previous EIR.

C) Mitigation measures or alternatives previously found not to be feasible would in fact be feasible, and would substantially reduce one or more significant effects of the project, but the project proponents decline to adopt the mitigation measure or alternative.

Comment/Finding:

No new information of substantial importance has become available since certification of the EIR. The EIR assessed the impacts of the widened roadway; the design of the current Project is the same as described in the EIR.

D) Mitigation measures or alternatives which are considerably different from those analyzed in the previous EIR would substantially reduce one or more significant effects on the environment, but the project proponents decline to adopt the mitigation measure or alternative.



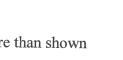
Comment/Finding: As indicated in C) directly above, this situation does not exist.

On the basis of this evaluation, in accordance with the requirements of Section 15162 of the CEQA Guidelines:

Yes No

Yes	No
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Subsequent EIR/ND Section 15162 Findings July 18, 2019 Page 3 of 3

- X
 - 1. It is found that subsequent negative declaration will need to be prepared.
 - 2. It is found that an addendum Negative Declaration will need to be prepared.
 - 3. That a subsequent EIR will need to be prepared.
 - 4. No further documentation is required.

Date: July 11, 2019

Prepared By:

Francisco Mendoza-Gonzalez, Associate Planner

CITY OF MERCED SITE PLAN REVIEW COMMITTEE RESOLUTION #441

	Add second queueing line and install		
James Kinney	shade canopies for existing car wash.		
APPLICANT	PROJECT		
222 E. 5 th Street	1800 West Olive Avenue		
ADDRESS	PROJECT SITE		
Tucson, AZ 85705	058-220-027		
CITY/STATE/ZIP	APN		
(520) 241-3688	Planned Development (P-D) #16		
PHONE	ZONING		

In accordance with Chapter 20.68 of the Merced City Zoning Ordinance, the Site Plan Review Committee reviewed and approved Site Plan Application #441 on July 18, 2019, submitted by James Kinney, on behalf of Nation Retail Properties, LP, property owner. The applicant is requesting approval to add a second queueing line and install shade canopies with payment islands on an existing car wash located at 1800 West Olive Avenue within Planned Development (P-D) #16. Said property being described as a portion of Lot 2 as described as shown on the map entitled "Parcel Map for Norm Porges," filed August 13, 2001, Volume 88, Page 47 of Merced County Records, also known as Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 058-220-027.

WHEREAS, the proposal is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), and is in accordance with Section 15301 (Exhibit D); and,

WHEREAS, the Merced City Site Plan Review Committee makes the following Findings:

- A) The proposal complies with the City of Merced Zoning designation of Planned Development (P-D) #16 and the General Plan designation of Regional/ Community Commercial (RC).
- B) The Site Plan Review Committee recognizes the proposed design is an effort to alleviate the stacking that occurs on Loughborough Drive due to queueing for the car wash.
- C) The proposed site plan modifications include removing 6 vacuum stalls on the eastern portion of the parcel to create space for a second queuing line. In addition, a 100-square-foot metal canopy with a payment equipment island would be installed for each queuing line.
- D) The applicant is not proposing to make any modifications to the interior or exterior of the existing building.

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> E) The Zoning Ordinance does not provide parking requirements for a car wash. However, because this is not a self-serve car wash and there would be employees at the site, parking spaces are needed for the employees. Staff has traditionally required one parking space for every employee working during the largest shift. Based on the four employees working during the largest shift, Prime Shine Car Wash is required to have a minimum of four parking spaces. Prime Shine Car Wash exceeds this requirement by providing 9 parking spaces. The vacuum parking stalls are not required parking, but they may be converted into employee parking stalls in the future to comply with parking requirements if necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Merced City Site Plan Review Committee does approve Site Plan Application #441 subject to the following conditions:

- 1) The site shall be constructed as shown on Exhibit B (site plan), and Exhibit C (elevations) except as modified by the conditions of approval within this resolution.
- 2) All conditions contained in Site Plan Review #79-1 Amended ("Standard Conditions for Site Plan Review Application") shall apply.
- 3) All other applicable codes, ordinances, policies, etc., adopted by the City of Merced shall apply, including, but not limited to, the California Building Code and Fire Codes.
- The developer/applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend (with counsel selected by 4) the City), and hold harmless the City, and any agency or instrumentality thereof, and any officers, officials, employees, or agents thereof, from any and all claims, actions, suits, proceedings, or judgments against the City, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, and any officers, officials, employees, or agents thereof to attack, set aside, void, or annul, an approval of the City, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, advisory agency, appeal board, or legislative body, including actions approved by the voters of the City, concerning the project and the approvals granted herein. Furthermore, developer/applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend, and hold harmless the City, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, against any and all claims, actions, suits, proceedings, or judgments against any governmental entity in which developer/applicant's project is subject to that other governmental entity's approval and a condition of such approval is that the City indemnify and defend (with counsel selected by the City) such governmental entity. City shall promptly notify the developer/applicant of any claim, action, or proceeding. City shall further cooperate fully in the defense of the action. Should the City fail to either promptly notify or cooperate fully, the developer/applicant shall not thereafter be responsible to indemnify, defend, protect, or hold harmless the City, any agency or instrumentality thereof, or any of its officers, officials, employees, or agents.
- 5) The developer/applicant shall construct and operate the project in strict compliance with the approvals granted herein, City standards, laws, and ordinances, and in compliance with all State and Federal laws, regulations, and standards. In the event

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of a conflict between City laws and standards and a State or Federal law, regulation, or standard, the stricter or higher standard shall control.

- 6) Notwithstanding all other conditions, all construction and improvements shall be in strict accordance with Zoning, Building, and all other codes, ordinances, standards, and policies of the City of Merced.
- 7) Appropriate turning radii shall be provided within the parking areas to allow for Fire Department and refuse truck access.
- 8) Signs shall be posted advising that vehicles exiting the vacuum area will be merging into the queue line and advising motorists to allow these vehicles to merge. If congestion results as motorists trying to merge into the queue line, a Prime Shine employee shall direct traffic to allow vehicles to merge.
- 9) The developer shall use proper dust control procedures during site development in accordance with San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District rules.
- 10) As required by Merced Municipal Code Section 17.04.050 and 17.04.060, full public improvements shall be installed/repaired if the permit value of the project exceeds \$100,000.00. Public improvements may include, but not be limited to, repairing/replacing the sidewalk, curb, gutter, and street corner ramp(s), so that they comply with ADA standards and other relevant City of Merced/State/Federal standards and regulations.
- 11) The color of the shade canopies shall match or compliment the colors used for the carwash.
- 12) The premises shall remain clean and free of debris and graffiti at all times.
- 13) All landscaping shall be kept healthy and maintained, and any damaged or missing landscaping shall be replaced immediately.

If there are any questions concerning these conditions and recommendations, please contact Francisco Mendoza-Gonzalez at (209) 385-6858.

7-18-19 DATE

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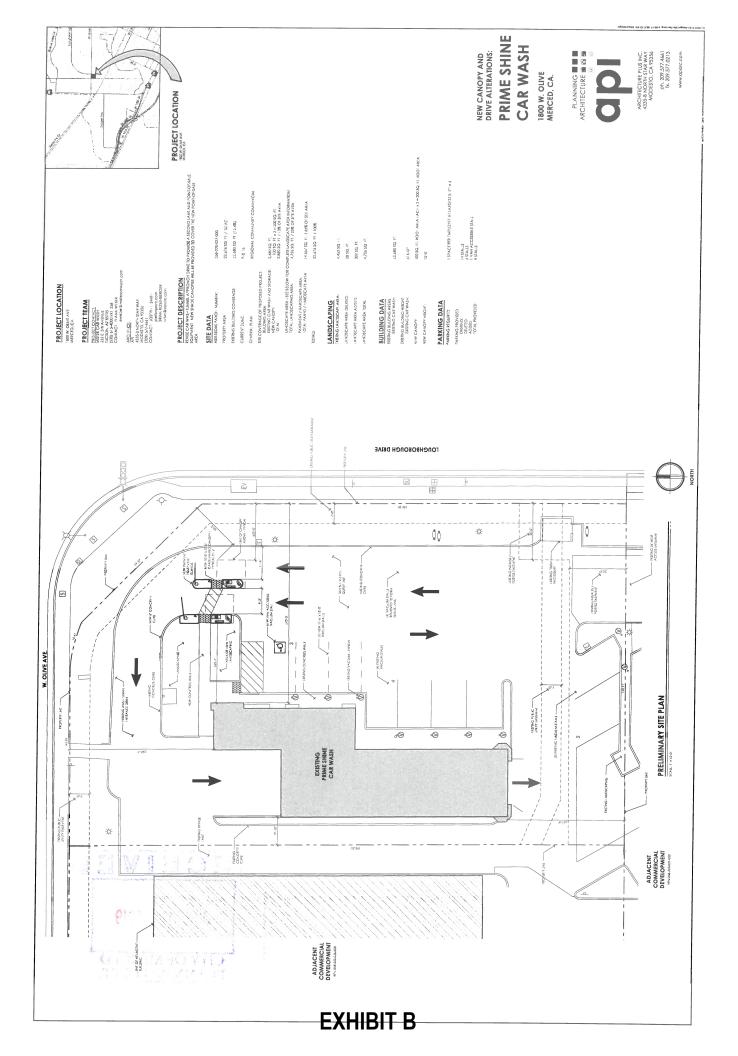
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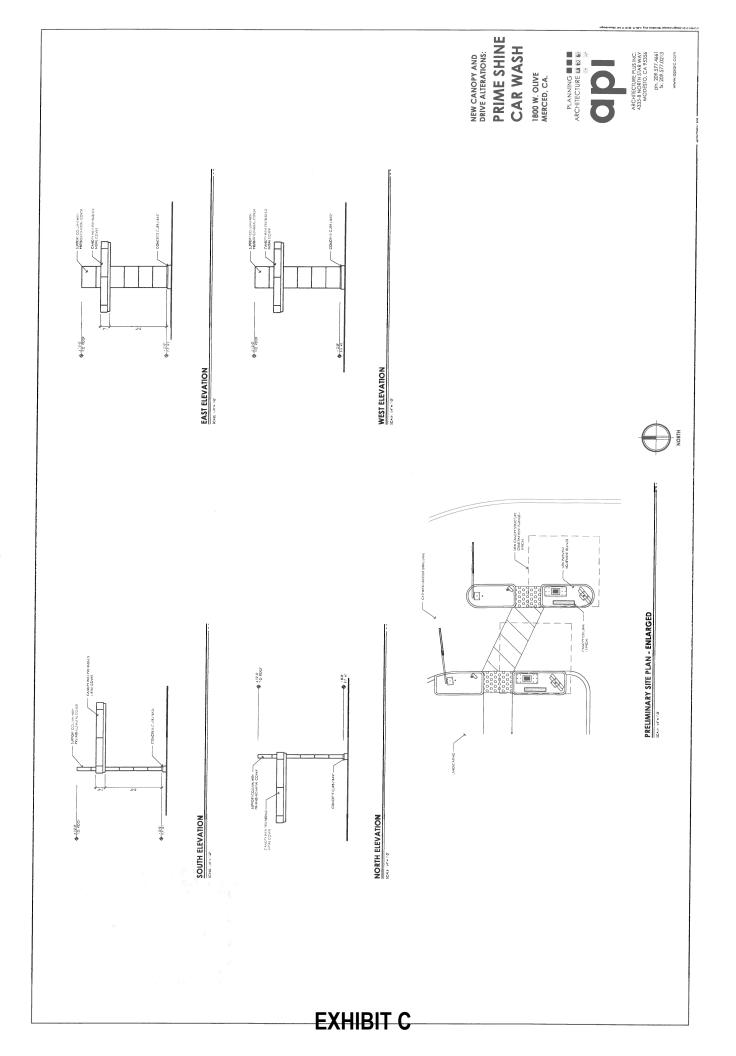
Exhibits

- A) Location Map
- B) Site Plan
- C) Elevations
- D) Categorical Exemption



EXHIBIT A





NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To:X	Office of Planning an P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 958 County Clerk County of Merced 2222 M Street Merced, CA 95340		From: (Public Agency) City of Merced 678 West 18th St. Merced, CA 95340		
Project Title:	Site Plan Re	view #441	(Environmental	Review #19-16)		
Project Applicant: James Kinney, for Nation Retail Properties, LP						
Project Location (Specific): 1800 W. Olive Ave. APN: 058-220-027						
Project Locat	ion - City: Merce	d	Project Location	n - County: Merced		
Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The applicant is requesting approval to add a second queueing line and install shade canopies with payment islands on an existing car wash						
Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Merced						
Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: James Kinney, for Nation Retail Properties, LP						
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