

REVIEW FOR APPLICABILITY OF/COMPLIANCE WITH ORDINANCES/POLICIES

FOR PURPOSES OF CONSIDERATION OF THE
HIDDEN CANYON GRADING PROJECT
PDS2016-LDGRMJ-30097
APN: 223-081-48; 223-081-49; 223-081-50

February 6, 2020

I. HABITAT LOSS PERMIT ORDINANCE – Does the proposed project conform to the Habitat Loss Permit/Coastal Sage Scrub Ordinance findings?

YES
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NO
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NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT
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Discussion:

While the proposed project and off-site improvements are located outside of the boundaries of the Multiple Species Conservation Program, and the project site and locations of any off-site improvements do contain habitats subject to the Habitat Loss Permit/Coastal Sage Scrub Ordinance, a grading plan, improvement plan or clearing permit will be required as a result of this application. Thus, a Habitat Loss Permit is required (Section 86.102).

II. MSCP/BMO - Does the proposed project conform to the Multiple Species Conservation Program and Biological Mitigation Ordinance?

YES
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NO
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NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT
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Discussion:

The proposed project and any off-site improvements related to the proposed project are located outside of the boundaries of the Multiple Species Conservation Program. Therefore, conformance with the Multiple Species Conservation Program and the Biological Mitigation Ordinance is not required.

III. GROUNDWATER ORDINANCE - Does the project comply with the requirements of the San Diego County Groundwater Ordinance?

YES
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NO
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NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT
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Discussion:

The project will obtain its water supply from the Olivenhain Water District which obtains water from surface reservoirs and/or imported sources. The project will not use any groundwater for any purpose, including irrigation or domestic supply.

IV. RESOURCE PROTECTION ORDINANCE - Does the project comply with:

The wetland and wetland buffer regulations (Sections 86.604(a) and (b)) of the Resource Protection Ordinance?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
The Floodways and Floodplain Fringe section (Sections 86.604(c) and (d)) of the Resource Protection Ordinance?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
The Steep Slope section (Section 86.604(e))?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
The Sensitive Habitat Lands section (Section 86.604(f)) of the Resource Protection Ordinance?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
The Significant Prehistoric and Historic Sites section (Section 86.604(g)) of the Resource Protection Ordinance?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	NOT APPLICABLE/EXEMPT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Discussion:

Pursuant to Section 86.603 of the Resource Protection Ordinance (RPO), the RPO is not applicable to grading or improvement plans.

V. STORMWATER ORDINANCE (WPO) - Does the project comply with the County of San Diego Watershed Protection, Stormwater Management and Discharge Control Ordinance (WPO)?

YES	NO	NOT APPLICABLE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Discussion:

The project Storm Water Management Plan has been reviewed and is found to be complete and in compliance with the WPO.

VI. NOISE ORDINANCE – Does the project comply with the County of San Diego Noise Element of the General Plan and the County of San Diego Noise Ordinance?

YES	NO	NOT APPLICABLE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Discussion:

The proposal would not expose people to nor generate potentially significant noise levels which exceed the allowable limits of the County of San Diego Noise Element of the General Plan, County of San Diego Noise Ordinance, and other applicable local, State, and Federal noise control regulations.

Transportation (traffic, railroad, aircraft) noise levels at the project site are not expected to exceed Community Noise Equivalent Level (CNEL)=60 decibels (dB) limit because review of the project indicates that the project is not in close proximity to a railroad and/or airport. Additionally, the County of San Diego GIS noise model does not indicate that the project would be subject to potential excessive noise levels from circulation element roads either now or at General Plan buildout.

Noise impacts to the proposed project from adjacent land uses are not expected to exceed the property line sound level limits of the County of San Diego Noise Ordinance.