

City of Rialto

Regular Meeting - Final

Planning Commission

Wednesday, November 10, 2021	6:00 PM	City Council Chambers,150 S. Palm Ave., Rialto,
		CA 92376

Public Participation Procedures

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIALTO HAS DECLARED A LOCAL EMERGENCY RELATED TO COVID-19, AND IN COMPLIANCE WITH SOCIAL DISTANCING PROTOCOLS REQUIRED BY GOVERNOR NEWSOM'S EXECUTIVE ORDER N-29-20 AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC WITH LIMITED SEATING INSIDE. THE PUBLIC WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK ON ANY ITEM USING THE PODIUM INSIDE THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE MEETING, YOU MAY SUBMIT COMMENTS ON ANY AGENDA ITEM AT LEAST TWO (2) HOURS BEFORE THE MEETING TIME, AS FOLLOWS:

- IN WRITING VIA MAIL TO: CITY OF RIALTO "ATTN: PLANNING COMMISSION, C/O COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT," 150 S PALM AVE, RIALTO, CA 92376; OR - BY EMAIL TO PLANNING@RIALTOCA.GOV.

Call To Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Chair Frank Gonzalez, Vice-Chair Jerry Gutierrez, Artist Gilbert, Al Twine, BarBara Chavez, Dale Estvander, John Peukert

Oral Communications from the Audience on items not on the Agenda

Planning Commission Minutes

PC-21-0820

Minutes from the September 29, 2021 Planning Commission meeting.

Attachments: PC MTG MINS 9-29-2021.docx

Public Hearings

<u>PC-21-0819</u> <u>Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0022</u>: A request to construct and operate a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan.

<u>Precise Plan of Design Permit No. 2021-0020</u>: A request to construct a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan.

Together, the above shall hereinafter be referred to as "Project" or "project". This Project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Projects) of the State CEQA Guidelines.

- Attachments:Exhibit A Location MapExhibit B Site PlanExhibit C Office Floor PlanExhibit D ElevationsExhibit F Traffic Scoping AgreementExhibit E Conceptual Landscape PlanExhibit G Draft Resolution for CDP No. 2021-0022Exhibit H Draft Resolution for PPD No. 2021-0020
- <u>PC-21-0817</u> <u>Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037</u>: A request to operate an outlet store within an existing 2,146 square foot tenant space located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue within the Central Commercial (C-2) Zone ("Project" or "project"). This project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15301 (Existing Facilities Projects) of the State CEQA Guidelines.

 Attachments:
 Exhibit A - Location Map

 Exhibit B - Site Plan

 Exhibit C - Floor Plan

 Exhibit D - Draft Resolution for CDP No. 2021-0037

Action Items

Planning Division Comments

<u>PC-21-0835</u> Planning Commission - Miscellaneous Items Tracking Report

 Attachments:
 PC Misc. Items Tracking Report - 11-10-2021

 Gas Station Car Washes - Map Exhibit

 Standalone Car Washes - Map Exhibit

Commissioner Reports

Adjournment



City of Rialto

Legislation Text

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CITY OF RIALTO THE REGULAR MEETING MINUTES OF PLANNING COMMISSION September 29, 2021 - 6:00 p.m.

The Regular meeting of the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto was held in the City of Rialto City Council Chambers located at 150 South Palm Avenue, Rialto, California 92376, on Wednesday, September 29, 2021.

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This meeting was called by the presiding officer of the City of Rialto Planning Commission in accordance with the provisions of **Government Code §54956** of the State of California.

000 CALL TO ORDER Chair Frank Gonzalez called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

> o0o Vice Chair Jerry Gutierrez led the pledge of allegiance.

ALLEGIANCE ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF

o0o Roll Call was taken by Senior Planner Daniel Casey.

Present:

Chair Frank Gonzalez Vice-Chair Jerry Gutierrez Commissioner John Peukert Commissioner Dale Estvander Commissioner Al Twine Commissioner BarBara Chavez Commissioner Artist Gilbert

Absent:

Staff Present: Senior Planner, Daniel Casey Senior Planner, Siri Champion Administrative Assistant. Adrianna Martinez

ORAL COMMUNICATION

Chair Frank Gonzalez asked if there were any oral communications from the public not on the agenda. Adrianna Martinez stated there were none.

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<u>PLANNING</u> <u>COMMISSION</u> <u>MEETING MINUTES</u>

Chair Gonzalez announced that the next item on the agenda is Planning Commission Meeting Minutes.

Motion by Commissioner Dale Estvander, second by Commissioner BarBara Chavez to move to approve the July 14, 2021, Planning Commission Special Meeting Minutes. All in favor, *motion carried* 7-0-0.

Motion by Commissioner Dale Estvander, second by Commissioner Artist Gilbert to move to approve the July 28, 2021, Planning Commission Meeting Minutes. All in favor, *motion carried* 7-0-0.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

Chair Gonzalez stated the next item on the agenda is Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0033.

Associate Planner Daniel Rosas presented a request to allow the establishment and operation of an undergraduate college within an existing church development located at 2759 North Ayala Drive.

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Chair Gonzalez opened the Public Hearing.

Mike Story, Applicant

Mike Story addressed the Commission and expressed the church entered into partnership with Oak Valley College who is looking to expand their admissions from 50 students to 200. The College is a faith-based college where students can earn a business degree in three years debt free.

Eric Blum, President of Oak Valley College

Eric Blum addressed the Commission and advised Oak Valley College is undergoing accreditation with the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC). The college currently has 80 advisory members who are in business related fields with whom students are paired with. Students graduate debt free as they

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Motion by Commissioner Dale Estvander to close the Public Hearing, second by Commissioner Al Twine. All in favor, *motion carried* 7-0-0.

Motion by Commissioner Artist Gilbert, second by Commissioner BarBara Chavez to approve Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0006. All in favor, *motion carried* 7-0-0.

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<u>PRESENTATION</u> Chair Gonzalez stated the next item on the agenda is the request to receive and file a status update on the Draft 6th Cycle Housing Element Update 2021-2029.

Senior Planner Siri Champion addressed the Commission and advised the next steps are to send the document to City Council and upon approval, send it to Housing Community Development (HCD) for their review and consider any edits. Lastly, the City will adopt the Housing Element with the agreed upon changes. Siri also stated the deadline for completing the update is February 2022.

Siri also advised shortly prior to the meeting staff received comments and have not had an opportunity to respond. A copy of each response was provided to the Commission.

The Commission asked how long it will take to make the changes stated in the response to which stated it is dependent upon HCD's review and comments. Once feedback is provided to the City, it will be brought before the Commission to discuss the strategy on how to address the comments.

Anthony Kim, Inland Counties Legal Services (ICLS)

Anthony Kim addressed the Commission and stated ICLS sees several deficiencies in the City's draft Housing Element including the inventory sites and housing programs. The draft does not identify adequate site with a realistic capacity to accommodate the lower income Regional Housing Needs Allocation (RHNA). The Housing Element must include an adequate rezoning program to rely on the proposed identified opportunity areas, analyze the sites to ensure the development will affirmatively further fair housing, and demonstrate a commitment to implement housing programs that will encourage and facilitate development of housing that meets the needs of all economic segments of the community.

Delshawn McClellon, Representative for Southwest Regional Council of Carpenters

Delshawn McClellon, on behalf of the Southwest Regional Council of Carpenters, is asking the City to consider utilizing skilled and trained workforce policies and requirements to benefit the local area's economy and mitigate greenhouse gas, and transportation impacts.

Jeff Green, Inland Equity Partnerships

Jeff Green stated Inland Equity Partnerships feels the draft will not meet HCD's requirements as it lacks a Zoning for Navigation Center, which is State law. In addition, the City does not have a plan should people be displaced who are located on Foothill Boulevard.

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Chair Gonzalez stated that the next item on the agenda is Planning Division Comments

Senior Planner Daniel Casey announced the next Planning Commission meeting scheduled for October 13, 2021.

Daniel Casey also provided updates on miscellaneous items.

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The Commission asked for an update on the Renaissance housing. Daniel Casey advised an application for 403 single-family residences has been submitted.

The Commission requested staff to prepare a map showing all car washes within the City, as well as all sites with alcohol sales.

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ADJOURNMENTMotion by Commissioner Dale Estvander, second by Vice Chair Jerry
Gutierrez to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor, *motion carried* 7-0-0.

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The Regular Planning Commission meeting on Wednesday, September 29, 2021, adjourned at 6:39p.m.

Minutes prepared by Adrianna Martinez, Administrative Assistant

Frank Gonzalez, Chair Planning Commission

<u>PLANNING</u> <u>COMMISSION</u> <u>COMMENTS</u>

<u>PLANNING</u> <u>DIVISION</u>

COMMENTS



Legislation Text

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For the Planning Commission Meeting of November 10, 2021
TO: Honorable Chairman and Planning Commissioners
APPROVAL: Daniel Casey, Acting Community Development Manager
FROM: Dionne Harris, Senior Planner

Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0022: A request to construct and operate a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan.

Precise Plan of Design Permit No. 2021-0020: A request to construct a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan.

Together, the above shall hereinafter be referred to as "Project" or "project". This Project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Projects) of the State CEQA Guidelines.

APPLICANT:

Lord Constructors, Inc., 1920 West Eleventh Street, Upland, CA 91786.

LOCATION:

The Project site (APN: 0258-111-37) is located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue and approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue, as shown on the attached Location Map (**Exhibit A**).

BACKGROUND:

Surrounding General Plan Land Use Designations

Location	General Plan Designation
Site	General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay
North	General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay
East	General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay
South	General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay

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West Light Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay

Surrounding Zoning Designations

Location	Zoning
Site	Agua Mansa Specific Plan (Heavy Industrial (H-IND))
North	Agua Mansa Specific Plan (Heavy Industrial (H-IND))
East	Agua Mansa Specific Plan (Heavy Industrial (H-IND))
South	Agua Mansa Specific Plan (Heavy Industrial (H-IND))
West	Agua Mansa Specific Plan (Heavy Industrial (H-IND))

Site Characteristics

The project site is a relatively flat, square-shaped piece of land comprised of one (1) parcel. Altogether, the project site is 2.00 acres in size with approximate dimensions of 305 feet (north-south) by 285 feet (east-west). The project site is bound on the north by Santa Ana Avenue. The project site is vacant and covered by natural grasses and shrubs.

Surrounding Area

To the north of the project site is vacant land, and to the east is an approximately 52,000 square foot industrial building occupied by Fresh Start Bakeries, which is a commercial baker. To the south is a truck terminal facility occupied by UPS Freight, and to the west is a 137,538 square foot industrial building occupied by Lineage Logistics Company.

ANALYSIS/DISCUSSION:

Project Proposal

Lord Constructors, Inc., the applicant, proposes to construct a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building with associated paving, landscaping, fencing, lighting, and drainage improvements. The proposed tenant for the new building is Access Partners, which is a distributor of food service, janitorial, and equipment supplies.

Entitlement Requirements

The following entitlements are required for the applicant's proposal:

- Conditional Development Permit: The development and operation of the Project within the H-IND zone of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan requires the approval of a Conditional Development Permit, pursuant to Section 18.112.030A(7) of the Rialto Municipal Code.
- Precise Plan of Design: The design of the development and the related site improvements (e.g. building exterior, landscaping, etc.) requires the approval of a Precise Plan of Design, pursuant to Section 18.65.010 of the Rialto Municipal Code.

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Site Design

According to the site plan (**Exhibit B**), the applicant will construct a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse on the west side of the project site. The proposed layout will place the truck court at the southeast end of the project site and passenger vehicle parking areas on the east and south sides of the building. A new thirty-three (33) foot wide driveway connected directly to Santa Ana Avenue on the east end of the project frontage will provide full access movements for both trucks and passenger vehicles. Other proposed on-site improvements include paving, lighting, landscape planters, 8-foot-tall split-face block screen walls, and an underground stormwater infiltration system.

Floor Plan

The floor plan for the proposed building (**Exhibit C**) indicates that the building will consist of 4,000 square feet of office space and 39,000 square feet of warehouse space. The office space will occupy the northeast corner of the building, with 2,000 square feet on the ground floor and another 2,000 square feet up above on a second floor. The east side of the building will have three (3) dock high loading doors and one (1) grade level roll-up door, and the south side of the building will have one (1) additional grade level roll-up door. The applicant will place the main entrance to the building on the east side of the office space for convenient access to the employee/customer parking lot, along with in the north side of the building, along with seven (7) secondary/emergency exits distributed amongst all four (4) sides of the building.

Architectural Design

The proposed building will feature vertical and horizontal wall plane articulation in the form of projected wall panels and/or panel height variations on all four (4) sides of the building. As shown on the elevations (**Exhibit D**), the building height ranges from 35.5 feet to 37.5 feet from the finished floor level. The exterior of the building will be of concrete tilt-up wall construction painted with a palette of three (3) different colors - various gray tones. Other architectural features of the building include reveals, metal brow accents, and glazing.

Parking

The development will have 41 auto-parking spaces, including two (2) ADA accessible parking spaces and three (3) electric/clean air vehicle parking spaces. This quantity exceeds the minimum parking requirement as shown in the parking calculation chart below and as required by Table 13 (Off-Street Parking Requirements) of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, which requires one (1) parking space for every 300 square feet of office space gross floor area, one (1) parking space for every 1,000 square feet of warehouse space gross floor area up to 10,000 square feet, and one (1) parking space for every 2,000 square feet of warehouse space gross floor area beyond 10,000 square feet:

Type of Use	Floor Area (square feet)	Parking Ratio	Number of spaces required
<u>Office</u> Office 1 st Floor Office 2 nd Floor <u>Warehouse</u>	2,000 2,000	1 / 300 1 / 300	77
Floor area up to 10,000 square feet Floor area 10,001 square feet or more	10,000 29,000	1 / 1,000 1 / 2,000	10 15

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Total Required/Total Provided

39/41

Landscaping

The landscape coverage for the project is 13.8 percent. This includes a thirty-four (34) foot deep landscape planter along Santa Ana Avenue, as well as planters around the perimeter of the building and the project site. The landscape planter along Santa Ana Avenue will feature a two (2) foot high berm along the frontage of the building. All the landscape planters will feature a variety of trees spaced every thirty (30) linear feet and an abundant number of shrubs and groundcover (**Exhibit E**).

Floor Area Ratio

Per Chapter 2 (Managing Our Land Supply) of the Rialto General Plan, the maximum allowable Floor Area Ratio (FAR) for parcels within the General Industrial land use designation is 100.0 percent. The FAR proposed for the project is 49.5 percent, which is well within the allowable limit.

Traffic

LSA Associates, Inc. prepared a Traffic Impact Analysis Scoping Agreement (TIASA), dated October 22, 2021, to assess the project's potential impacts to local streets and intersections (**Exhibit F**). The TIASA estimates that the project will generate up to approximately 74 actual daily vehicle trips (112 PCE daily vehicle trips) with 8 actual (13 PCE) trips in the AM peak hour and 9 actual (14 PCE) trips in the PM peak hour. Trucks will constitute up to 22 of the 74 actual daily vehicle trips. The TIASA concluded that the project will generate an insignificant amount of traffic and will not significantly impact any nearby intersections or roadway segments. However, the project traffic will contribute to existing delays at the intersections of Riverside Avenue and Slover Avenue and Riverside Avenue and Riverside Avenue and I-10 EB Ramps, and in response the applicant will contribute a "fair-share" payment in the amount of \$40,462 towards improvements to those intersections.

Land Use Compatibility

The project is consistent with the H-IND land use district, the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, and Chapter 18.112 (Indoor Storage Facilities) of the Rialto Municipal Code. The nearby area is predominantly designated for and developed with industrial uses, and as a result, there are no sensitive uses near the project site. Additionally, the Draft Resolutions of Approval contain conditions of approval requiring that the project not exceed the traffic estimates contained within the TIASA, thereby ensuring that the project will not significantly impact local streets and intersections. The project will be a benefit to the community and an improvement to the surrounding area.

GENERAL PLAN CONSISTENCY:

The General Plan land use designation of the site is General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay. According to Chapter 2 (Managing Our Land Supply) of the Rialto General Plan, warehouse uses, such as the project, are consistent with the General Industrial land use designation. Furthermore, the project is consistent with the following goals of the Land Use Element and Economic Development Element of the Rialto General Plan:

- **Goal 2-16**: Improve the architectural and design quality of development in Rialto.
- **Goal 3-1**: Strengthen and diversify the economic base and employment opportunities and maintain a positive business climate.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:

California Environmental Quality Act

The project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The project qualifies as a Class 32 exemption under CEQA Guidelines Section 15332 - In-Fill Development Projects - as the project is consistent with the Rialto General Plan and the H-IND designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, the project occurs on a site less than 5.0 acres in size that is substantially surrounded by development, the project site has no value as habitat for threatened or endangered species, the project will not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality, and the project site can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.

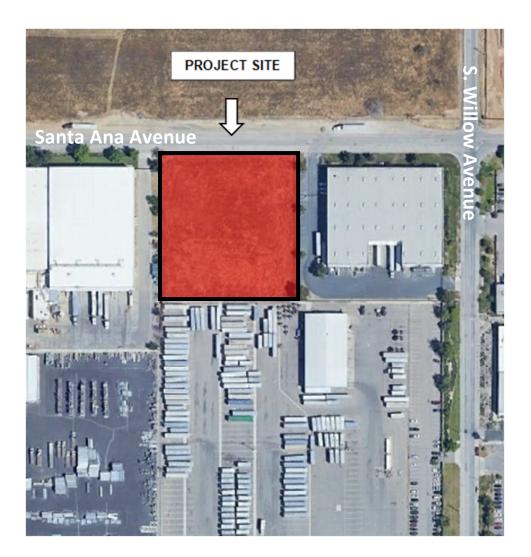
PUBLIC NOTICE:

The City published a public hearing notice for proposed project in the *San Bernardino Sun* newspaper, posted copies of the public hearing notice outside the Council Chambers and the City Clerk's Office, and mailed public hearing notices to all property owners within 1,000 feet of the project site, as required by State law.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Planning Division recommends that the Planning Commission:

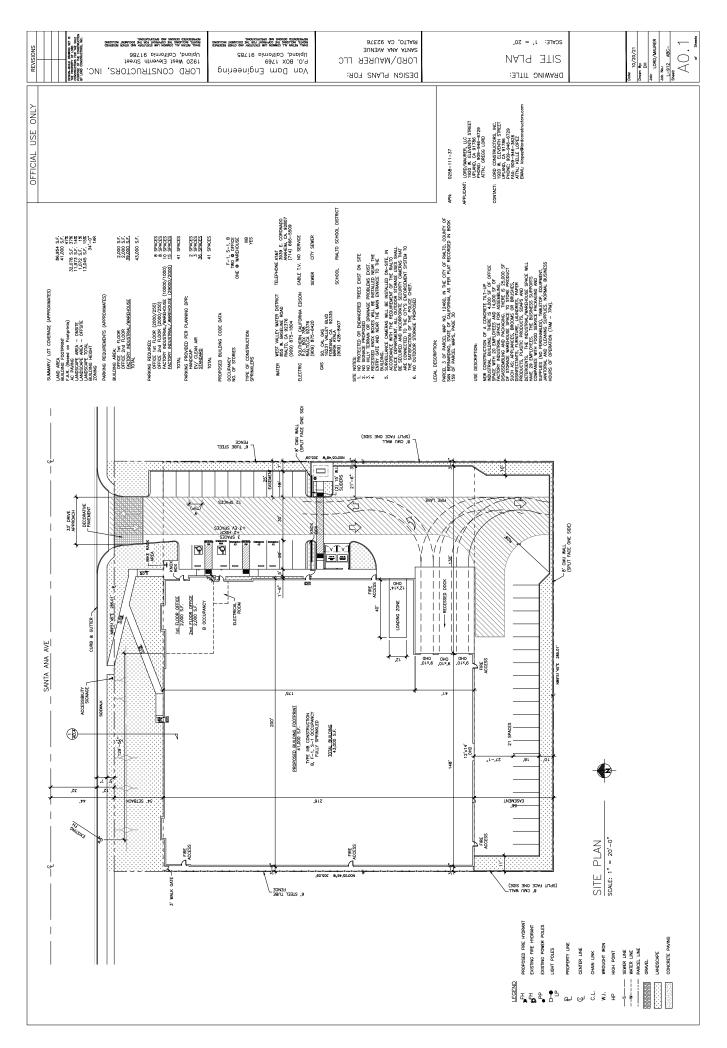
- Find that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15332 of the State CEQA Guidelines;
- Adopt the attached Resolution (Exhibit G) to approve Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0022 to allow the development and operation of a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue, within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, subject to the findings and conditions of approval therein; and
- Adopt the attached Resolution (Exhibit H) to approve Precise Plan of Design No. 2021-0020 to allow the development of a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, subject to the findings and conditions of approval therein.

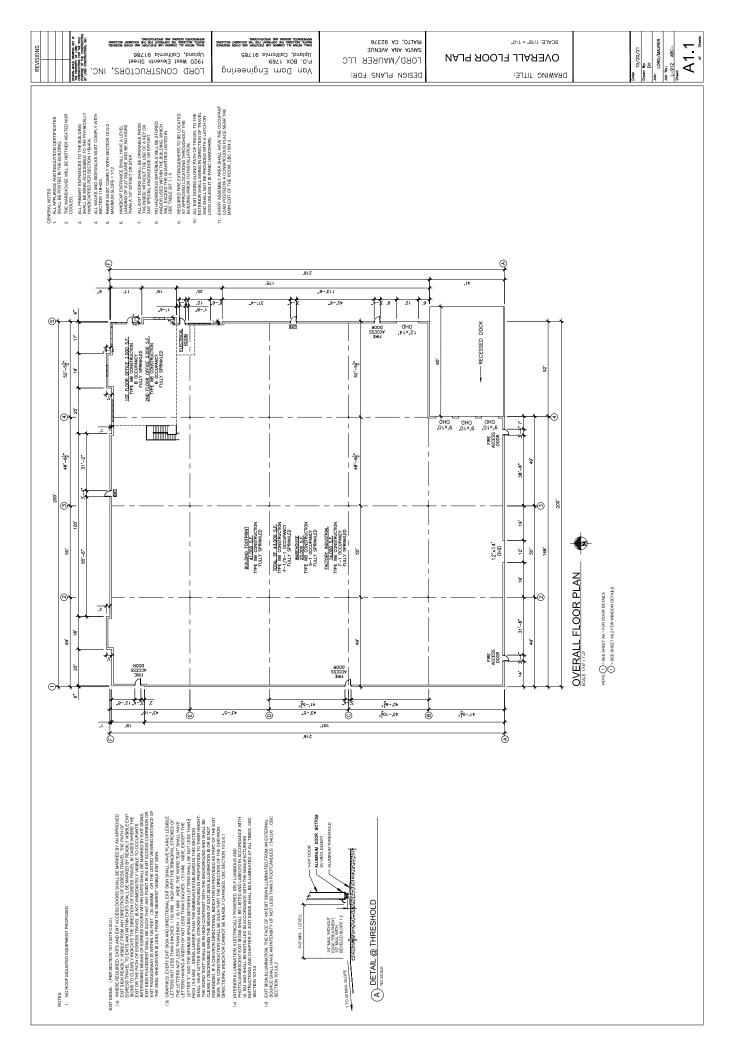


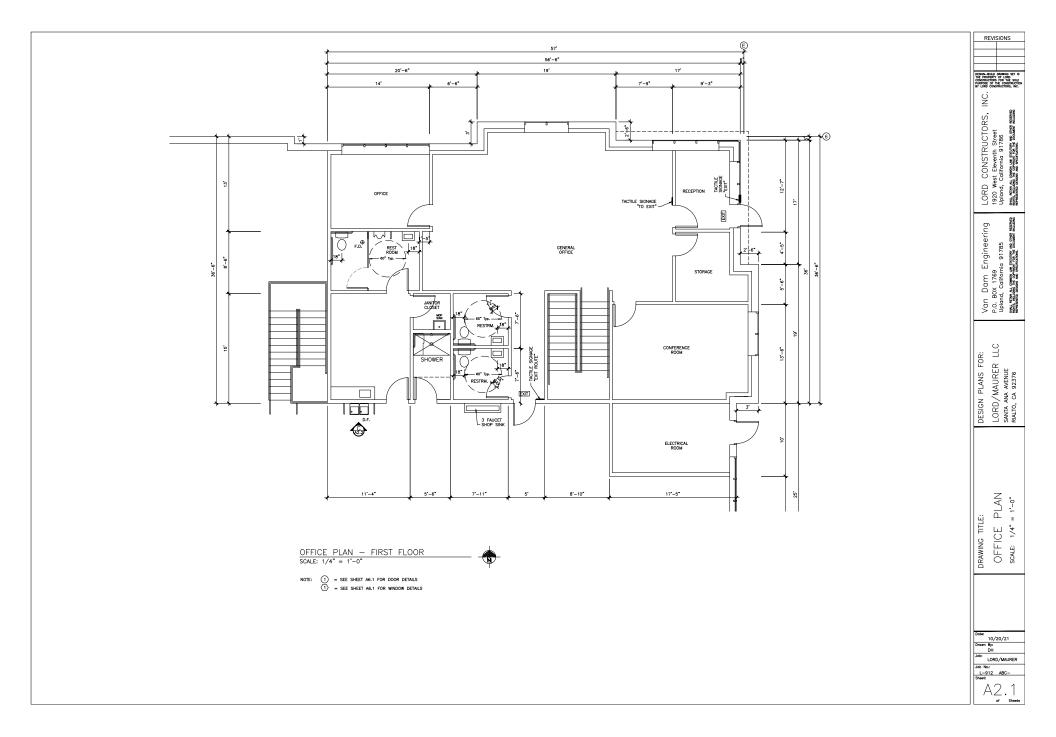
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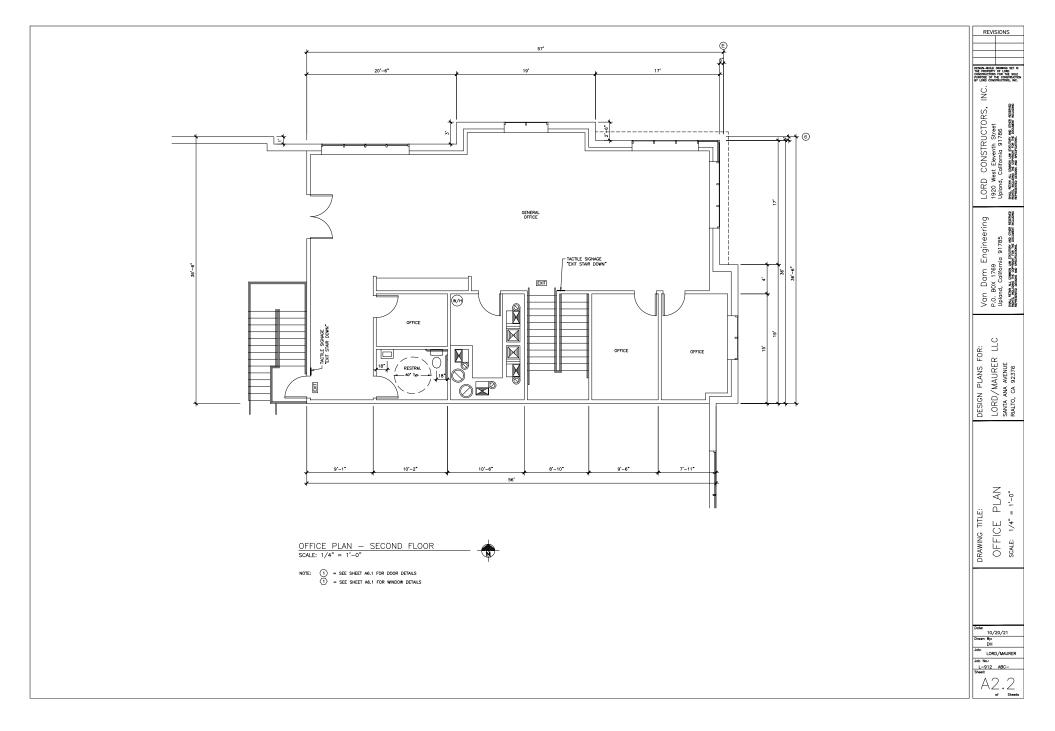
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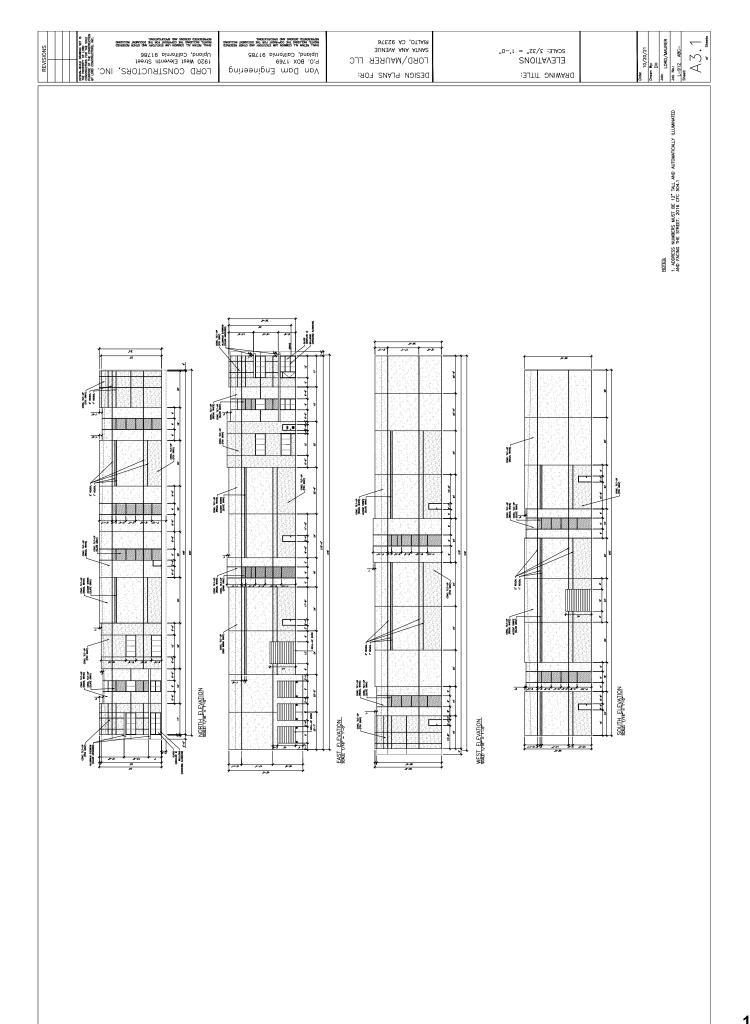
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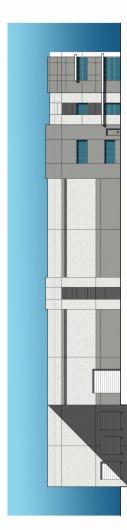




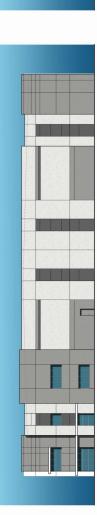






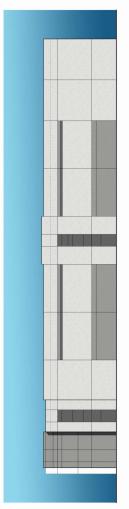


East Elevation





South Elevation



West Elevation

Lord Constructors

Lord / Maurer LLC Rialto Elevations

July 15, 2021

Exhibit B

SCOPING AGREEMENT FOR TRAFFIC IMPACT ANALYSIS

This following form shall be used to acknowledge preliminary approval of the scope for the traffic impact analysis (TIA) of the following project. The TIA must follow the City of Rialto Traffic Impact Analysis – Report Guidelines and Requirements, adopted by the City Council on _____.

City of Rialto

Traffic Impact Analysis

Scoping Agreement

Case No. MC2021-0023, CPD2021-0022, PPD2021-0020 ,and EAR2021-0023

Related Cases -

SP No. Agua Mansa Specific Plan

EIR No. Agua Mansa Specific Plan EIR

GPA No. N/A

ZC No. N/A

Project Name: Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project

Project Address: The project is located on Santa Ana Avenue between Willow Avenue and Lilac Avenue.

Project Description: The project will include a 43,000 square-foot industrial warehouse.

	<u>Consultant</u>	Developer
Name:	LSA Associates, Inc.	Lord Constructors, Inc.
Address:	1500 Iowa Avenue, Suite 200, Riverside, CA 92507	1920 W. 11th Street, Upland, California 91786
Telephone:	(951) 781-9310	(909) 946-6729
Fax:		(909) 946-3626

Traffic Impact Analysis – Report Guidelines and Requirements Exhibit B Scoping Agreement

1. Trip Generation Sour	rce: ITE	Trip Gene	ration Manual, 1	0th Edition	
Existing GP Land Use General Industrial Proposed Land Use Warehousing					
Current Zoning: Heavy-Ir	ndustrial (H-	IND) Pro	posed Zoning: 💾	leavy-Industria	al (H-IND)
Total Daily Project Trips:	112		-		
Current Trip	Generatio	'n	Prop	osed Trip Gen	eration
In	Out	Total	In	Out	Total
AM Trips		s 	9	4	13
PM Trips			2	12	
Internal Trip Allowance	Yes 🗌	No	(%	Trip Discount))
Pass-By Trip Allowance	Yes 🗌	No	(%	Trip Discount))
For appropriate land uses, a pass-by trip discount may be allowed not to exceed 25%. Discount trips shall be indicated on a report figure for intersections and access locations.					
2. Trip Geographic Dist	ribution:	<u>N %</u>	<u>6 S % E</u>	<u>%</u> <u>W</u>	%
(Detailed exhibits of trip dis	stribution mu	st be attache	d with Trucks as a se	eparate exhibit)	
3. Background Growth	Traffic				
Project Completion Year: 2022 Annual Background Growth Rate:%					
Other Phase Years					
Other area projects to be	considered	d:			
(Contact Planning for Lists. Contact Planning for Lists. Contact in study area forecast					s have been
Model/Forecast methodol	ogy:				
 Study Intersection generation and distributio 					
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Traffic Imp	act Analysis	- Report G	uidelines and Req	uirements	

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Exhibit B

Scoping Agreement

5. Study Roadway Segments: (NOTE: Subject to revision after other projects, trip generation and distribution are determined, or comments from other agencies received.)

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6. Other Jurisdictional Impacts

Is this project within any other Agency's Sphere of Influence or within one-mile of another jurisdictional boundary? Yes 🔽 No 🗌

If so, name of Jurisdiction: City of Colton, County of San Bernardino

7. Site Plan (please attach 11" x 17" legible copy) Provided with Trip Gen and VMT Memo

8. Specific issues to be addressed in the Study (in addition to the standard analysis described in the Guideline) (to be filled out by the City of Rialto Public Works Department) (NOTE: If the traffic study states that "a traffic signal is warranted" (or "a traffic signal appears to be warranted," or similar statement) at an existing un-signalized intersection under existing conditions, 8-hour approach traffic volume information must be submitted in addition to the peak hourly turning movement counts for that intersection.)

Vehicle Miles Traveled Analysis, Active Transportation and Public Transit Analysis, On-Site Parking Demand Using City Municipal Code, Sight Distance Analysis, General Plan Circulation Element Consistency

9. Existing Conditions

Traffic count data must be new or within one year. Provide traffic count dates if using other than new counts.

Date of counts:

NOTE Fees are due and must be submitted with, or prior to submittal of this form. The City will not process the Scoping Agreement prior to the receipt of the processing fee.

Fees Paid: \$_	Date
	Traffic Impact Analysis – Report Guidelines and Requirements
	Exhibit B
	Scoping Agreement

Recommended:			
Scoping Agreement Submittal date			
Scoping Agreement Resubmittal date			
Ambarish Mukherjee Digitally signed by A Date: 2021.10.22			
Applicant/Engineer	Date		
Land Use Concurrence:			
7	1205-92-01		
Development Services Department	Date		
Approved by:			
	10/26/21		
Public Works Department	Date 10-27-2021		

NOTE:

The Applicant/Engineer acknowledges that the Scoping Agreement is intended to assist in the preparation of any required TIA. It is preliminary in nature and the City does not have sufficient data to determine the ultimate conditions that may be imposed for the project. It does not provide nor limit the requirements imposed on the Project but is intended only to provide initial input into the parameters for review of the traffic generated by the Project and the initial areas to be considered and studied. Subsequent changes to scope of required analysis to be included in the TIA may be required by the Transportation Commission, Planning Commission, and/or the City Council upon Public Works Director/City Engineer review and approval.

> Traffic Impact Analysis – Report Guidelines and Requirements Exhibit B Scoping Agreement

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October 13, 2021

Justin Schlaefli Traffic Engineer City of Rialto 335 West Rialto Avenue Rialto, California 92376

Subject: Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project Trip Generation and Vehicle Miles Traveled Analysis Memorandum (LSA Project No. LCI2102)

Dear Justin:

LSA Associates, Inc. (LSA) is under contract to prepare a Trip Generation and Vehicle Miles Traveled Analysis Memorandum (Memo) for the proposed Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project (project) in the City of Rialto (City). The project will consist of a 43,000 square-foot (sf) industrial warehouse located on Santa Ana Avenue between Willow Avenue and Lilac Avenue. The project's assessor's parcel number (APN) is 0258-111-37. The project will be consistent with the City's General Plan land use and zoning designation. Figure 1 (all figures and tables attached) illustrates the regional and project location. Figure 2 illustrates the conceptual site plan for the project.

The objectives of this Memo are as follows:

- To estimate the trip generation for the proposed project and determine whether a Traffic Impact Analysis (TIA) will be required for the project; and
- To determine whether a VMT analysis will be required for the proposed project.

TRIP GENERATION ANALYSIS

Trip generation for the warehouse use was developed using rates from the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) *Trip Generation Manual* (10th Edition) for Land Use 150 – "Warehousing". Project trips were converted to trucks and passenger vehicles based on the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) recommendations for warehousing projects. As such, 31 percent of project traffic will be trucks. The SCAQMD truck and passenger vehicle mix recommendations are attached in Appendix A. Based on vehicle mix from the City's Public Works Department *Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines and Requirements*, dated December 2013, the truck mix was considered as 70% 4- and more axle, 28% 3-axle, and 2% 2-axle trucks. Additionally, based on the City's TIA guidelines, all truck trips were converted to passenger car equivalents (PCEs) using a 1.5 PCE factor for 2-axle trucks, 2.0 for 3-axle trucks, and 3.0 for 4- and more axle trucks.

Table A summarizes the project trip generation and shows that the proposed project is anticipated to generate 8 trips in the a.m. peak hour, 9 trips in the p.m. peak hour, and 74 daily trips. The PCE trips are 13 PCE trips in the a.m. peak hour, 14 PCE trips in the p.m. peak hour, and 112 daily PCE trips.

As per the City's TIA Guidelines, a TIA may not be required for a project if it generates less than 50 peak hour PCE vehicle trips. Since the anticipated number of peak hour trips generated by the proposed project is lower than the 50-trip threshold established by the City's TIA Guidelines, a TIA may not be required for this project.

VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED ANALYSIS

On December 28, 2018, the California Office of Administrative Law cleared the revised California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines for use. Among the changes to the guidelines was the removal of vehicle delay and level of service as the sole basis of determining CEQA impacts. With the implementation of the adopted guidelines, transportation impacts are to be evaluated based on a project's effect on vehicle miles traveled (VMT).

The City of Rialto currently uses the San Bernardino County's (County) *Transportation Impact Study Guidelines* (dated July 9, 2019) for VMT analyses. Per the County's VMT guidelines, a project generating less than 110 daily vehicle trips can be considered as a low VMT generator and can be considered to have a less than significant VMT impact. The 110 vehicle trip threshold in the County's VMT guidelines was obtained from the Governor's Office of Planning and Research (OPR) *Technical Advisory on Evaluating Transportation Impacts in CEQA (TA)* (dated December 2018). Additionally, Section C1 (page 4) of the OPR TA states the following:

"vehicle miles traveled' refers to the amount and distance of automobile travel attributable to a project." Here, the term "automobile" refers to on-road passenger vehicles, specifically cars and light trucks."

As such, the OPR TA advises that to prepare "an apples-to-apples comparison" the project's VMT and the regional threshold should be consistent. The County's VMT guidelines recommend using VMT/Employee as the metric for evaluating VMT impacts for industrial projects. The VMT/Employee is calculated for only the home-based work trip purpose which does not include any truck trips. Therefore, consistent with guidance provided by OPR TA and the County's guidelines, only passenger vehicles have been considered for this analysis.

As shown in Table A, the project will generate 52 daily passenger vehicle trips. Since the proposed project is forecasted to generate less than 110 daily passenger vehicle trips, it can be presumed that the project is anticipated to have a less than significant VMT impact and is screened out from a VMT assessment.

ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC TRANSIT ANALYSIS

According to the County Guidelines, a significant impact occurs when a project conflicts with adopted plans, policies, or programs regarding public transit, bicycle, or pedestrian facilities, or otherwise decreases the performance or safety of such facilities.

Based on the Circulation Chapter of the City's General Plan, adopted December 2010, at present, there is a Class II bicycle facility planned on Santa Ana Avenue within the study area. There is currently no existing bicycle facility along the project frontage. The project is not anticipated to

affect the operations of the proposed bike lane. As such, the project will not decrease the performance or safety of any existing or proposed bicycle facility.

According to the Circulation Chapter of the City's General Plan, adopted December 2010, pedestrian facilities such as sidewalks create additional means of access to service; improves the quality of life for those without access to motorized vehicles; can be conducive to healthier lifestyles and exercise; and may help foster a sense of community and social connection in residential neighborhoods by improving the interaction and chance encounters of neighbors. Within the project study area, there are no existing paved sidewalks on Santa Ana Avenue. The project will provide sidewalk along the South side of Santa Ana Avenue adjacent to the project site, thus providing direct and convenient access for visitors arriving project site on foot. Additionally, the project will not affect any existing sidewalks. As such, the project will not decrease the performance or safety of any existing or proposed pedestrian facility.

The nearest bus stop from the project site is approximately 0.6 miles. Omnitrans bus route 329 serves this bus stop. Omnitrans bus route 329 connects Rialto to communities in adjacent jurisdictions such as Fontana and Bloomington. At present, there are no proposed service changes in Omnitrans's transit network. As such, the project will not decrease the performance or safety of any existing or proposed public transit facility.

The project does not conflict with existing or proposed bicycle, pedestrian, and public transit facilities. Therefore, the project will conform to all adopted policies, plans, or programs concerning these facilities and will not have a significant impact.

ON-SITE PARKING DEMAND USING CITY MUNICIPAL CODE

A parking demand analysis for the proposed project was prepared using rates from the City of Rialto Municipal Code Chapter 18.58 – "Off-Street Parking" Section 18.58.050 – "Office, commercial and industrial parking requirements." As per the City's Municipal Code, the following required parking spaces rates were used in this analysis:

- Office (1st Floor): 1 space per 250 sf;
- Office (2nd Floor): 1 space per 500 sf;
- Factory Industrial/Warehouse (first 10,000 sf): 1 space per 1,000 sf; and
- Factory Industrial/Warehouse (every additional 10,000 sf): 1 space per 2,000 sf.

Table B summarizes the project site parking requirements. As summarized in Table B, the minimum parking requirement using the City's municipal code is 37 parking spaces. The total parking provided on site is 41 parking spaces. Therefore, the proposed project is providing a surplus of 4 parking spaces.

Additionally, the City municipal code requires handicapped parking spaces on site for industrial uses. As per the City's municipal code, 2 handicapped parking spaces are required out of the total available parking spaces if the project site provides a total number of 41 to 80 parking spaces. As illustrated in previously referenced Figure 2, the project site provides 2 handicapped parking spaces and 3 electric vehicle/clean air vehicle parking spaces out of the 41 parking spaces on site.

SIGHT DISTANCE ANALYSIS

A sight distance analysis was requested by City staff for the ingress/egress project traffic and traffic along Santa Ana Avenue with respect to the proposed project driveway. Sight distance is the length of the visible roadway a driver can see approaching vehicles before their line of sight (i.e. length, width, and height from the driver's eye) is blocked by any object. For purposes of this memorandum, only the stopping sight distance and corner sight distance have been evaluated.

According to the *Caltrans Highway Design Manual (HDM)* (dated July 2020), the stopping sight distance is the minimum sight distance along a roadway required to allow a driver to decrease their speed from the design speed to a complete stop. The corner sight distance is the minimum sight distance in which a driver at a stop controlled approach can see oncoming traffic on the major street to safely maneuver onto the roadway.

The stopping sight distance was evaluated on the major arterial abutting the project, i.e. Santa Ana Avenue. The posted speed limit on Santa Ana Avenue is 40 miles per hour (mph). For purposes of this analysis, the posted speed limit has been considered as the design speed. As stated in Table 201.1 of the HDM, the minimum stopping sight distance is 300 feet (ft) for a design speed of 40 mph. However, according to the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) A Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets Table 3-1, the minimum stopping sight distance is 305 feet for a design speed of 40 mph. Therefore, as a conservative approach, the minimum stopping sight distance for this analysis has been considered as 305 feet. Figure 3 illustrates the stopping sight distance triangles on Santa Ana Avenue. Additionally, based on recommendations from the AASHTO manual, the height of driver's eye was considered to be approximately 3.54 feet. The project sight triangle will require to have no sight distance obstructions due to project landscaping to provide a clear sight distance to project egress traffic. Figure 4 illustrates the proposed project landscaping influencing the stopping sight distance triangles along the project frontage. As illustrated in Figure 4, the proposed landscaping along the project frontage will not block the sight distance for drivers on Santa Ana Avenue. As such, the project will avoid implementing landscaping taller than 3.54 feet that falls within the sight triangle.

As for corner sight distance, Section 405.1 of the HDM states that corner sight distance requirements are not applicable for urban driveways unless signalized. Therefore, corner sight distance was not evaluated for the project driveway.

As illustrated in Figure 3, to achieve the adequate sight distances and have clear sight triangles for the drivers, it is required to remove some of the existing on-street parking spaces along the southern side of Santa Ana Avenue. Specifically, on-street parking spaces need to be removed along the width of the project driveway and along the entire length of the project frontage on the southern side of Santa Ana Avenue. Since the total length of the project frontage on Santa Ana Avenue is approximately 300 ft, 12 on-street parking spaces (parking spaces measured for cars at 25 ft per vehicle) may be required to be removed with the implementation of the project to provide adequate stopping sight distance.

GENERAL PLAN CIRCULATION ELEMENT CONSISTENCY

According to the City's General Plan (GP) Chapter 4 (adopted December 2010), Santa Ana Avenue is classified as a Secondary Arterial within the project vicinity. Per GP Chapter 4, a Secondary Arterial has a cross section of 88 ft that consists of two 12-ft lanes of travel in each direction with a 8-ft width of permitted parking and 12-ft sidewalks along both sides of the street upon full buildout. The half width cross section is 32 ft from street centerline to the curb. Additionally, Santa Ana Avenue is designated as a bikeway route within the City's Bikeway Master Plan network. Within the project vicinity, Santa Ana Avenue is designated as a Class II Bikeway, which consists of a 4 ft minimum bike lane.

Within the project vicinity, Santa Ana Avenue is currently a two lane roadway with no sidewalks on both sides between Lilac Avenue and Willow Avenue. This segment of Santa Ana Avenue is currently not built out to its ultimate width as identified in the City's General Plan. It should be noted that the existing industrial buildings adjacent on both sides of the proposed project also currently do not have a sidewalk or a bike lane along the respective building frontages. Santa Ana Avenue will have an ultimate right-of-way (ROW) of 88 ft along the project frontage, which may accommodate two lanes of travel in each direction and sidewalks as proposed in the City's Circulation Chapter. Figure 5 illustrates the cross-section of Santa Ana Avenue along the project frontage, which will be developed consistent with the City's General Plan. The project will be developing the 44 ft half width cross section from the street centerline to the project boundary, consistent with the City's General Plan. As such, Santa Ana Avenue will remain a two lane roadway with a sidewalk along the project frontage as the project is built.

Santa Ana Avenue along the project frontage will remain as a two lane roadway until the segment is developed to the ultimate ROW. When built out to the ultimate ROW, it will be up to the City's discretion to modify the roadway segment from a two lane roadway to a four lane roadway. It should also be noted that there is insufficient width to accommodate both on-street parking and a bike lane as outlined in the City's Circulation Chapter and Bikeway Master Plan. As illustrated in Figure 5, upon completion of widening of Santa Ana Avenue, there will be 8 ft remaining between the lanes and the sidewalk. The City will have the discretion to decide whether to assign the remaining 8 ft width on both sides of the street as on-street parking or as a Class II Bikeway as outlined in the City's Bikeway Master Plan network.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (951) 781-9310 or Ambarish.Mukherjee@lsa.net.

Sincerely,

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Ambarish Mukherjee, AICP, PE Principal

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Attachments:

Figure 1: Regional and Project Location

Figure 2: Conceptual Site Plan

Figure 3: Sight Distance Analysis

Figure 4: Project Landscaping Influence on Sight Distance

Figure 5: Cross Section Along Project Frontage

Table A: Project Trip Generation

Table B: Project Site Parking Requirements Based on City Parking Code

Appendix A: SCAQMD Warehouse Truck Trip Study Data Results and Usage

FIGURES



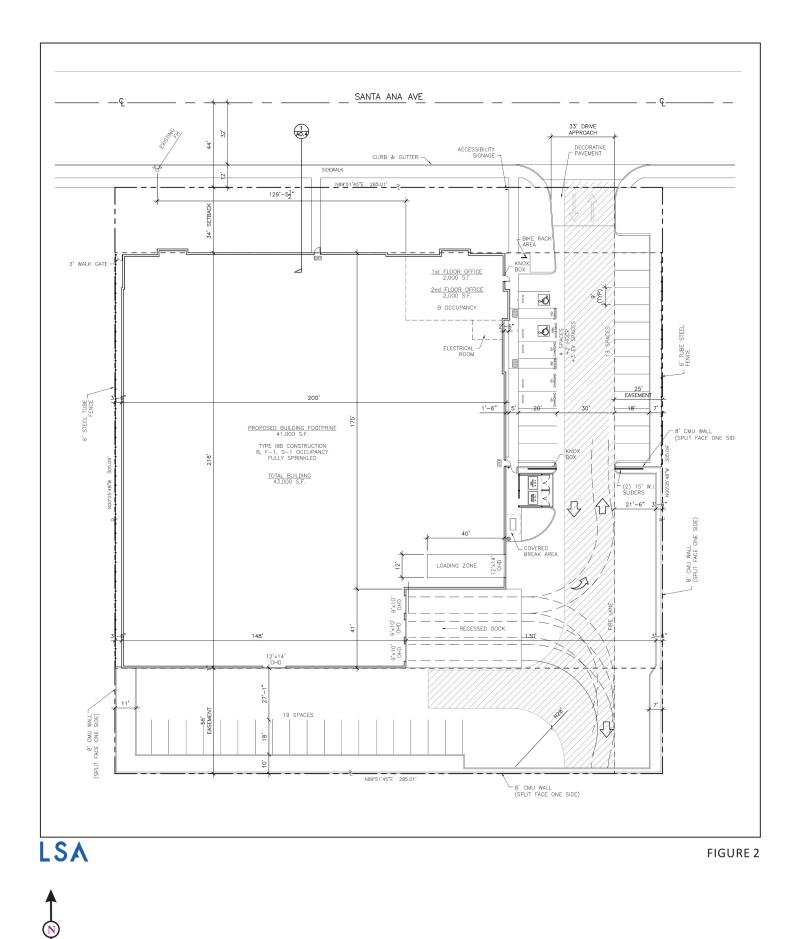
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Regional and Project Location

SOURCE: ESRI Streetmap, 2013; Google Earth, 2020.



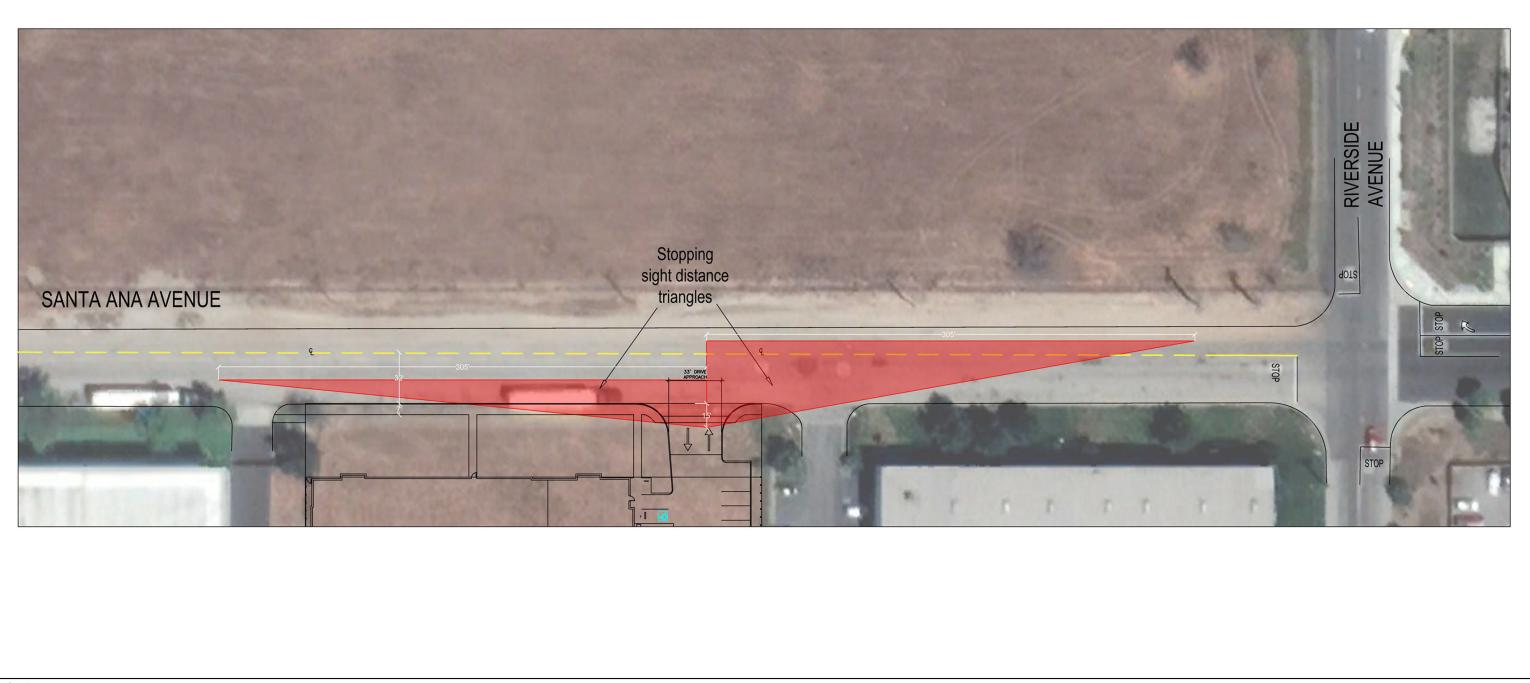
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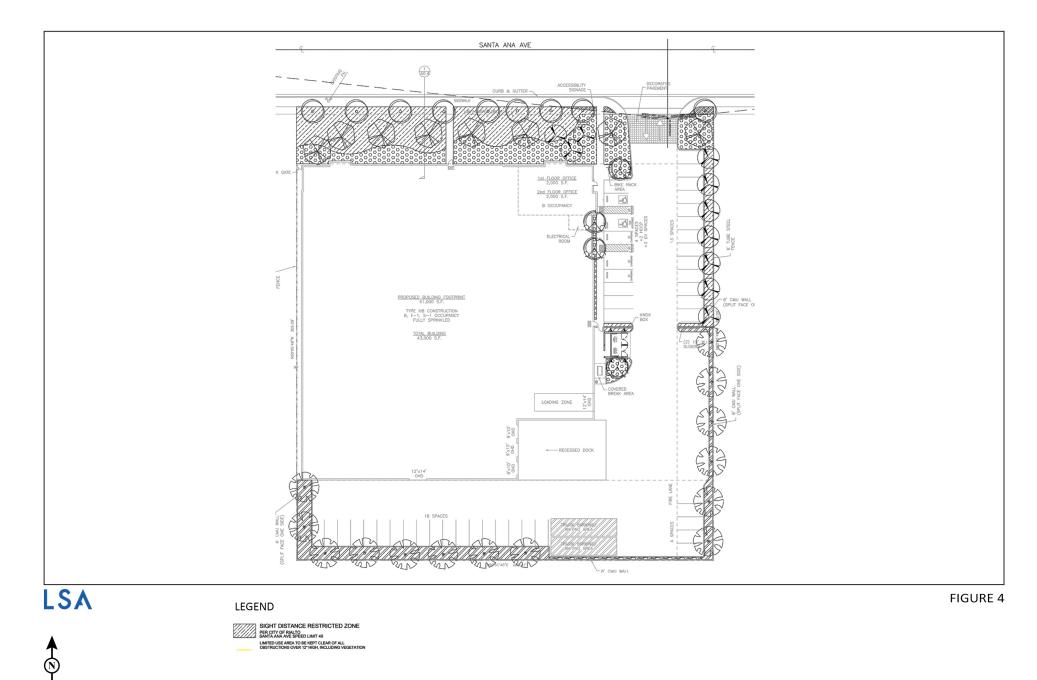
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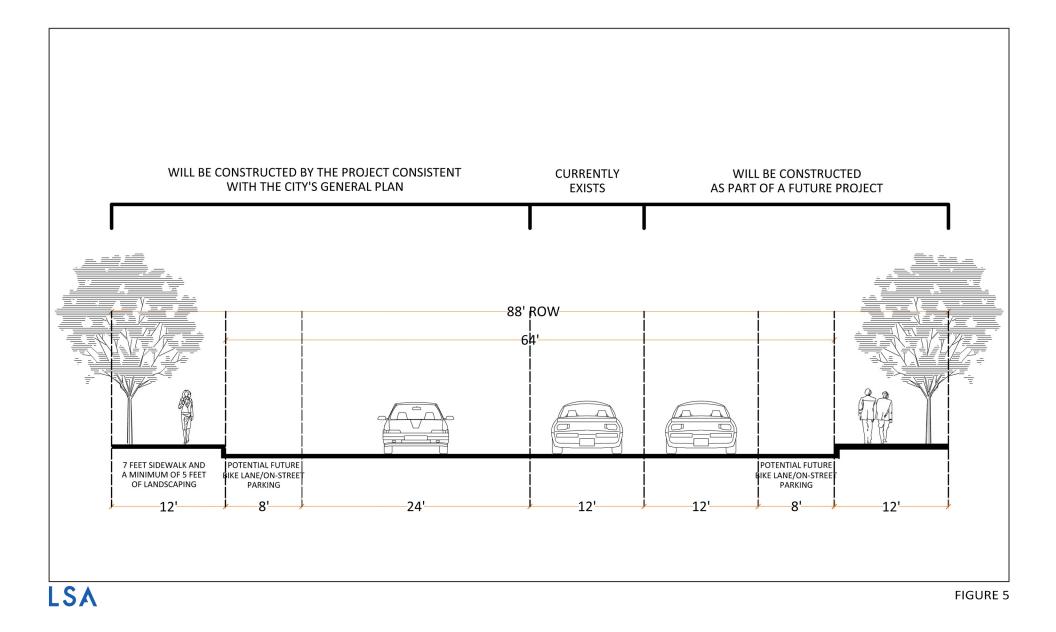
FIGURE 3

Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project Trip Generation and Vehicle Miles Traveled Analysis Memorandum Sight Distance Analysis



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Project Landscaping Influence on Sight Distance



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Proposed Santa Ana Avenue Cross Section along Project Frontage

TABLES

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Trips/Unit (3-Axle Trucks)			0.012	0.003	0.015	0.004	0.012	0.016	0.151
Trips/Unit (4+ Axle Trucks)			0.028	0.009	0.037	0.011	0.031	0.042	0.377
Trips/Unit (Total)			0.130	0.040	0.170	0.050	0.140	0.190	1.740
Trip Generation (Cars)			4	1	5	2	4	6	52
Trip Generation (2-Axle Trucks)			0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trip Generation (3-Axle Trucks)			1	0	1	0	1	1	6
Trip Generation (4+ Axle Trucks)			1	1	2	0	2	2	16
Trip Generation (Total)			6	2	8	2	7	9	74
Trip Generation (Cars)			4	1	5	2	4	6	52
PCE Trip Generation (2-Axle Trucks)			0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PCE Trip Generation (3-Axle Trucks)			2	0	2	0	2	2	12
PCE Trip Generation (4+ Axle Trucks)			3	3	6	0	6	6	48
PCE Trip Generation (Total)			9	4	13	2	12	14	112

Table A - Warehousing Trip Generation

Notes:

TSF = thousand square-feet

¹ The trip generation was developed based on the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) *Trip Generation Manual* (10th Edition) rates for Land Use 150 – "Warehousing." The resulting trips were converted to trucks and passenger vehicles based on the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) recommendations for warehousing projects. As such, 31 percent of project traffic will be trucks. Based on Vehicle Mix from the City of Rialto's *Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines and Requirements*, dated February 2014, the truck mix was considered as 2% 2-axle trucks, 28% 3-axle trucks, and 70% 4-and-more axle trucks. Based on the City's TIA guidelines, all truck trips were converted to passenger car equivalents (PCEs) using a 1.5 PCE factor for 2-axle trucks, 2.0 for 3-axle trucks, and 3.0 for 4-and-more axle trucks.

Table B - Project Site Parking Requirements Based on City Parking Code

Building Area Land Use	Size	Parking Rate ¹	Parking Spaces Required as per Code
Office (1st Floor)	2.00 TSF	1 space/250 sf	8
Office (2nd Floor)	2.00 TSF	1 space/500 sf	4
	20.00 765	1 space/1,000 sf (up to the first 10 TSF)	10
Factory Industrial/Warehouse	39.00 TSF	1 space/2,000 sf (per additional 10 TSF)	15
	Тс	otal Parking Required as per Parking Code	37
		Total Parking Provided On-Site	41
	Тс	otal Parking Required as per Parking Code	37
		Surplus / (Deficit)	4

Notes:

TSF = Thousand Square Feet; sf = square feet

¹ Parking rates based on Section 18.58.050 (Off-Street Parking) of the *City of Rialto Municipal Code* for "Office, commercial and industrial parking requirements".

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APPENDIX A:

SCAQMD WAREHOUSE TRUCK TRIP STUDY DATA RESULTS AND USAGE

SCAQMD Warehouse Truck Study Truck Fleet Mix

Grouping	All Trucks		Actual %	
Grouping		2-Axle	3-Axle	4+ Axle
SCAQMD Composite	31.0%	6.8%	5.5%	18.7%
With Cold Storage	44.7%	15.5%	4.9%	24.3%
Without Cold Storage	27.5%	4.6%	5.7%	17.2%
Fontana Study	20.4%	3.5%	4.6%	12.3%
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Fontana Study

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RESOLUTION NO. 2021-XX

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF RIALTO, CALIFORNIA APPROVING CONDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 2021-0022 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A 43,000 SQUARE FOOT INDUSTRIAL STORAGE WAREHOUSE BUILDING ON 2.00 ACRES OF LAND (APN: 0258-111-37) LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SANTA ANA AVENUE APPROXIMATELY 355 FEET WEST OF WILLOW AVENUE WITHIN THE HEAVY INDUSTRIAL (H-IND) LAND USE DESIGNATION OF THE AGUA MANSA SPECIFIC PLAN.

WHEREAS, the applicant, Lord Constructors, Inc., proposes to develop and operate a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse/distribution center building ("Project") on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan ("Site"); and

WHEREAS, the Project will consist of 2,000 square feet of office space on the ground floor, 2,000 square feet of office space on the second floor, and 39,000 square feet of warehouse space with three (3) dock-high loading doors, which will be located on the east side of the building; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Section 18.112.040A(7) of the Rialto Municipal Code, the Project requires a Conditional Development Permit, and the applicant has submitted an application for Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0022 ("CDP No. 2021-0022"); and

WHEREAS, in conjunction with the Project, the applicant has applied for Precise Plan of Design No. 2021-0020 ("PPD No. 2021-0020") to facilitate the development of a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on the Site; and

WHEREAS, on November 10, 2021, the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto considered CDP No. 2021-0022 and PPD No. 2021-0020 during a regularly scheduled and duly noticed public meeting. During the public hearing, the Planning Commission considered public testimony, discussed the proposed CDP No. 2021-0022 and PPD No. 2021-0020; and closed the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, all legal prerequisites to the adoption of this Resolution have occurred.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto as follows:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The Planning Commission hereby specifically finds that all of the facts set forth in the recitals above of this Resolution are true and correct and incorporated herein.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> Based on substantial evidence presented to the Planning Commission during the public hearing conducted with regard to CDP No. 2021-0022, including written staff reports, verbal testimony, site plans, other documents, and the conditions of approval stated herein, the Planning Commission hereby determines that CDP No. 2021-0022 satisfies the requirements of Section 18.66.020 of the Rialto Municipal Code pertaining to the findings that must be made precedent to granting a conditional development permit, which findings are as follows:

1. The proposed use is deemed essential or desirable to provide a service or facility which will contribute to the convenience or general well-being of the neighborhood or community; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Project site is a square-shaped piece of land, 2.00 acres in size, vacant, and covered only by natural grasses and shrubs. The Project will develop the highest and best use for the site, in accordance with the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan. Additionally, the Project will provide employment opportunities within the City and reduce blight by implementing a use on vacant, unimproved land.

2. The proposed use will not be detrimental or injurious to health, safety, or general welfare of persons residing or working in the vicinity; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The development of an industrial storage warehouse building on the Site is consistent with the H-IND land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, which conditionally permits the development and operation of storage warehouse buildings. To the north, across Santa Ana Avenue, is vacant land, and to the east is an approximately 52,000 square foot industrial building occupied by Fresh Start Bakeries, which is a commercial baker. To the south is a truck terminal facility occupied by UPS Freight, and to the west is 137,538 square foot industrial building occupied by Lineage Logistics Company. The Site and all of the surrounding properties are within the H-IND land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan. The Project is consistent with the H-IND designation and the surrounding land uses. The nearby area is predominantly zoned for and developed with industrial uses, and as a result, there are no sensitive land uses near the project site. The project is not expected to negatively impact any uses with the successful implementation of measures

such as landscape buffering, the installation of solid screen walls, and aesthetic building enhancements.

3. The site for the proposed use is adequate in size, shape, topography, accessibility and other physical characteristics to accommodate the proposed use in a manner compatible with existing land uses; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site is square-shaped, 2.00 acres in size, fairly level, and adjacent to one (1) public street which will be able to accommodate the Project. The Project will have one (1) access point via Santa Ana Avenue, which will provide full access movements for both trucks and passenger vehicles. In addition, the Project will have 41 parking spaces, which exceed the amount required by Table 13 (Off-Street Parking Requirements) of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan.

4. The site has adequate access to those utilities and other services required for the proposed use; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site will have adequate access to all utilities and services required through main water, electric, sewer, and other utility lines that will be hooked up to the Site.

5. The proposed use will be arranged, designed, constructed, and maintained so as it will not be injurious to property or improvements in the vicinity or otherwise be inharmonious with the General Plan and its objectives, the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, or any zoning ordinances, and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

As previously stated, the Project is consistent with the H-IND land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan and the General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay General Plan land use designation. The building will be oriented such that none of the dock doors will front or face the public right-of-way, the building will have forty-one (41) parking spaces, and the parking will have a Floor Area Ratio (FAR) of 49.5 percent, all of which comply with the General Plan, the H-IND land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, and the City's Design Guidelines. Landscaping will be abundantly incorporated into the Site, as the landscape coverage for the project is 13.8 percent, which exceeds the minimum required amount of 10.0 percent.

6. Any potential adverse effects upon the surrounding properties will be minimized to every extent practical and any remaining adverse effects shall be outweighed by the benefits conferred upon the community or neighborhood as a whole.

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Project's effects will be minimized through the implementation of the Conditions of Approval contained herein, and through the implementation of Conditions of Approval imposed by the Planning Commission on the Precise Plan of Design, such as extensive landscaping, solid screen walls, decorative paving, and enhanced architectural features. The development of a high-quality industrial development will provide additional employment opportunities for residents and visitors to the City. The Project will also serve to develop a piece of land, which has remained undeveloped. The Project is consistent with the H-IND designation and the surrounding land uses. The nearby area is predominantly zoned for and developed with industrial uses, and as a result, there are no sensitive land uses near the project site. The project is not expected to negatively impact any uses with the successful implementation of measures such as landscape buffering, the installation of solid screen walls, and aesthetic building enhancements. Moreover, any potential adverse effects are outweighed by the benefits conferred upon the community and neighborhood as a whole.

SECTION 3. Lord Constructors, Inc., is hereby granted CDP No. 2021-0022 to allow the development and operation of a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use district of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> The Project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to Section 15332, In-Fill Development Projects. The Planning Commission directs the Planning Division to file the necessary documentation with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors for San Bernardino County.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> CDP No. 2021-0022 is granted to Lord Constructors, Inc, in accordance with the plans and application on file with the Planning Division, subject to the following conditions:

1. The approval is granted allowing the development and operation of a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south side Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue, as shown on the plans submitted to the Planning Division on October 21, 2021, and as approved by the Planning Commission. If the Conditions of Approval specified herein are not satisfied or otherwise completed, the project shall be subject to revocation.

2. City inspectors shall have access to the site to reasonably inspect the site during normal working hours to assure compliance with these conditions and other codes.

3. The applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend, and hold harmless, the City of Rialto, and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof (collectively, the "City Parties"), from any and all claims, demands, law suits, writs of mandamus, and other actions and proceedings (whether legal, equitable, declaratory, administrative or adjudicatory in nature), and alternative dispute resolutions procedures (including, but not limited to arbitrations, mediations, and other such procedures), (collectively "Actions"), brought against the City, and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof, that challenge, attack, or seek to modify, set aside, void, or annul, the any action of, or any permit or approval issued by, the City and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof (including actions approved by the voters of the City), for or concerning the Project (collectively, the "Entitlements"), whether such Actions are brought under the California Environmental Quality Act, the Planning and Zoning Law, the Subdivision Map Act, Code of Civil Procedure Chapter 1085 or 1094.5, the California Public Records Act, or any other state, federal, or local statute, law, ordinance, rule, regulation, or any decision of a court of competent jurisdiction. This condition to indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the City harmless shall include, but not limited to (i) damages, fees and/or costs awarded against the City, if any, and (ii) cost of suit, attorneys' fees and other costs, liabilities and expenses incurred in connection with such proceeding whether incurred by applicant, Property owner, or the City and/or other parties initiating or bringing such proceeding (collectively, subparts (i) and (ii) are the "Damages"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the Applicant shall not be liable to the City Parties under this indemnity to the extent the Damages incurred by any of the City Parties in such Action(s) are a result of the City Parties' fraud, intentional misconduct or gross negligence in connection with issuing the Entitlements. The applicant shall execute an agreement to indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the City harmless as stated herein within five (5) days of approval of CDP No. 2021-0022.

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- 4. The Project shall be limited to a maximum of fifty-two (52) actual passenger car trips and twenty-two (22) actual truck trips daily, in accordance with the Traffic Impact Analysis Scoping Agreement prepared for the Project by LSA Associates, Inc. and dated October 22, 2021, which is attached as Exhibit A.
- 5. The applicant, landlord, and/or tenant(s) shall not park any trucks or trailers within any drive-aisles or passenger vehicle parking areas at any time.
- 6. The landlord and/or tenant(s) shall not store any product, goods, materials, etc. outside of the building at any time, except for trucks, trailers, and vehicles associated with the operation(s) conducted within the building, without prior approval of a separate Conditional Development Permit in accordance with Chapter 18.104 (Outdoor Storage Uses) of the Rialto Municipal Code.

- 7. The privileges granted by the Planning Commission pursuant to approval of this Conditional Development Permit are valid for one (1) year from the effective date of approval. If the applicant fails to commence the project within one year of said effective date, this conditional development permit shall be null and void and any privileges granted hereunder shall terminate automatically. If the applicant or his or her successor in interest commence the project within one year of the effective date of approval, the privileges granted hereunder will continue inured to the property as long as the property is used for the purpose for which the conditional development permit was granted, and such use remains compatible with adjacent property uses.
- 8. Approval of CDP No. 2021-0022 will not become effective until the applicant has signed a statement acknowledging awareness and acceptance of the required conditions of approval contained herein.
- 9. In the event, that any operation on the Site is found to be objectionable or incompatible with the character of the City and its environs due to excessive noise, excessive traffic, loitering, criminal activity or other undesirable characteristics including, but not strictly limited to, uses which are or have become offensive to neighboring property or the goals and objectives of the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan and the City's General Plan, the applicant shall address the issues within forty-eight (48) hours of being notified by the City.
- 10. If the applicant fails to comply with any of the conditions of approval placed upon CDP No. 2021-0022, and PPD No. 2021-0020, the Planning Commission may initiate proceedings to revoke the conditional development permit in accordance with the provisions of Sections 18.66.070 through 18.66.090, inclusive, of the Rialto Municipal Code. Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0022 may be revoked, suspended or modified in accordance with Section 18.66.070 of the Zoning Ordinance at the discretion of the Planning Commission if:
 - a) The use for which such approval was granted has ceased to exist, been subsequently modified, or has been suspended for six (6) months or more;
 - b) Any of the express conditions or terms of such permit are violated;
 - c) The use for which such approval was granted becomes or is found to be objectionable or incompatible with the character of the City and its environs due to excessive noise, excessive traffic, loitering, criminal activity or other undesirable characteristics including, but not strictly limited to uses which are or have become offensive to neighboring property or the goals and objectives of the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, and the City's General Plan.

1	SECTION 6. The Chairman of the Planning Commission shall sign the passage and
2	adoption of this resolution and thereupon the same shall take effect and be in force.
3	PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this <u>10th</u> day of <u>November, 2021.</u>
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6	FRANK GONZALEZ, CHAIR
7	CITY OF RIALTO PLANNING COMMISSION
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1	STATE OF CALIFORNIA)			
2	COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO) ss			
3	CITY OF RIALTO)			
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5	I, Adrianna Martinez, Administrative Assistant of the City of Rialto, do hereby certify that			
6	the foregoing Resolution No was duly passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Planning			
7	Commission of the City of Rialto held on the <u>th</u> day of <u></u> , 2021.			
8	Upon motion of Planning Commissioner, seconded by Planning Commissioner			
9	, the foregoing Resolution Nowas duly passed and adopted.			
10	Vote on the motion:			
11	AYES:			
12	NOES:			
13	ABSENT:			
14	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the Official Seal of the City of			
15	Rialto this <u>th</u> day of <u>,</u> 2021.			
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20	ADRIANNA MARTINEZ, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT			
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1	Exhibit "A"					
2	Traffic Impact Analysis Scoping Agreement					
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5	Exhibit B					
6	SCOPING AGREEMENT FOR TRAFFIC IMPACT ANALYSIS					
7	This following form shall be used to acknowledge preliminary approval of the scope for the traffic impact analysis (TIA) of the following project. The TIA must follow the City of					
-	Rialto Traffic Impact Analysis – Report Guidelines and Requirements, adopted by the City Council on <u>February 2021</u> .					
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9	City of Rialto					
10	Traffic Impact Analysis					
11	Scoping Agreement					
12	Case No. MC2021-0023, CPD2021-0022, PPD2021-0020 ,and EAR2021-0023 Related Cases -					
13	SP No. Agua Mansa Specific Plan					
14	EIR No. Agua Mansa Specific Plan EIR					
15	GPA No. N/A					
16	ZC No. N/A					
17	Project Name: Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project					
	Project Address: The project is located on Santa Ana Avenue between Willow Avenue and Lilac Avenue. Project Description: The project will include a 43,000 square-foot industrial warehouse.					
18	Consultant Developer					
19	Name: LSA Associates, Inc. Lord Constructors, Inc.					
20	Address: 1500 Iowa Avenue, Suite 200, Riverside, CA 92507 1920 W. 11th Street, Upland, California 91786					
21	Telephone: (951) 781-9310 (909) 946-6729					
22	Fax: (909) 946-3626					
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4	1. Trip Generation Source: ITE Trip Generation Manual, 10th Edition
5	Existing GP Land Use General Industrial Proposed Land Use Warehousing
6	Current Zoning: Heavy-Industrial (H-IND) Proposed Zoning: Heavy-Industrial (H-IND)
-	Total Daily Project Trips: 112
7	Current Trip Generation Proposed Trip Generation
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9	AM Trips 9 4 13
10	PM Trips 2 12 14
11	Internal Trip Allowance Yes No (% Trip Discount)
	Pass-By Trip Allowance Yes No V (% Trip Discount)
12 13	For appropriate land uses, a pass-by trip discount may be allowed not to exceed 25%. Discount trips shall be indicated on a report figure for intersections and access locations.
14	2. Trip Geographic Distribution: N % S % E % W %
	(Detailed exhibits of trip distribution must be attached with Trucks as a separate exhibit)
15	3. Background Growth Traffic
16	Project Completion Year: 2022 Annual Background Growth Rate:%
17	Other Phase Years
18	Other area projects to be considered:
19	(Contact Planning for Lists. Correlate projects to exhibit map and also indicate which projects have been included in study area forecasts for existing + background growth + project + cumulative)
20	Model/Forecast methodology:
21	 Study Intersections: (NOTE: Subject to revision after other projects, trip generation and distribution are determined, or comments from other agencies received.)
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4	5. Study Roadway Segments: (NOTE: Subject to revision after other projects, trip
5	generation and distribution are determined, or comments from other agencies received.)
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9	6. Other Jurisdictional Impacts
10	Is this project within any other Agency's Sphere of Influence or within one-mile of
11	another jurisdictional boundary? Yes 🗹 No 🗌
12	If so, name of Jurisdiction: City of Colton, County of San Bernardino
13	 Site Plan (please attach 11" x 17" legible copy) Provided with Trip Gen and VMT Memo Specific issues to be addressed in the Study (in addition to the standard
14	analysis described in the Guideline) (to be filled out by the City of Rialto Public Works
	Department) (NOTE: If the traffic study states that "a traffic signal is warranted" (or "a traffic signal appears to be warranted," or similar statement) at an existing un-signalized
15	intersection under existing conditions, 8-hour approach traffic volume information must be submitted in addition to the peak hourly turning movement counts for that
16	intersection.)
17	Vehicle Miles Traveled Analysis, Active Transportation and Public Transit Analysis, On Site Parking Demand Using City Municipal Code, Sight Distance Analysis, General
18	Plan Circulation Element Consistency
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20	9. Existing Conditions
21	Traffic count data must be new or within one year. Provide traffic count dates if using
22	other than new counts.
23	Date of counts:
	NOTE Fees are due and must be submitted with, or prior to submittal of this form. The City will not process the Scoping Agreement prior to the receipt of the
24	processing fee.
25	Fees Paid: \$ Date
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27	Exhibit B Scoping Agreement
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4	Recommended:					
5	Scoping Agreement Submittal date 10/22/2021					
6	Scoping Agreement Resubmittal date					
7	Ambarish Mukherjee Digitally signed by Ambarish Mukherjee Date: 2021.10.22 15:27:37 -07'00'	10/22/2021				
3	Applicant/Engineer	Date				
»	Land Use Concurrence:					
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;	Public Works Department	Date 10-27-2021				
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,	The Applicant/Engineer acknowledges that the Scoping Agreeme					
3	in the preparation of any required TIA. It is preliminary in nature and the City does not have sufficient data to determine the ultimate conditions that may be imposed for the					
,	project. It does not provide nor limit the requirements imposed intended only to provide initial input into the parameters for					
	generated by the Project and the initial areas to be con Subsequent changes to scope of required analysis to be include	sidered and studied.				
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335 West	Rialto Avenue
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Subject:	Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project Trip Generation and Vehicle Miles Traveled Analysis Memorandum (LSA Project No. LCI2102)
Dear Justi	n:
Analysis N the City of located or parcel nur use and zo	iates, Inc. (LSA) is under contract to prepare a Trip Generation and Vehicle Miles Traveled Memorandum (Memo) for the proposed Santa Ana Avenue Warehouse Project (project) in Rialto (City). The project will consist of a 43,000 square-foot (sf) industrial warehouse Santa Ana Avenue between Willow Avenue and Lilac Avenue. The project's assessor's nber (APN) is 0258-111-37. The project will be consistent with the City's General Plan land oning designation. Figure 1 (all figures and tables attached) illustrates the regional and cation. Figure 2 illustrates the conceptual site plan for the project.
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As per the City's TIA Guidelines, a TIA may not be required for a project if it generates less than 50 peak hour PCE vehicle trips. Since the anticipated number of peak hour trips generated by the proposed project is lower than the 50-trip threshold established by the City's TIA Guidelines, a TIA may not be required for this project.

VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED ANALYSIS

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On December 28, 2018, the California Office of Administrative Law cleared the revised California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines for use. Among the changes to the guidelines was the removal of vehicle delay and level of service as the sole basis of determining CEQA impacts. With the implementation of the adopted guidelines, transportation impacts are to be evaluated based on a project's effect on vehicle miles traveled (VMT).

The City of Rialto currently uses the San Bernardino County's (County) *Transportation Impact Study Guidelines* (dated July 9, 2019) for VMT analyses. Per the County's VMT guidelines, a project generating less than 110 daily vehicle trips can be considered as a low VMT generator and can be considered to have a less than significant VMT impact. The 110 vehicle trip threshold in the County's VMT guidelines was obtained from the Governor's Office of Planning and Research (OPR) *Technical Advisory on Evaluating Transportation Impacts in CEQA (TA)* (dated December 2018). Additionally, Section C1 (page 4) of the OPR TA states the following:

> "vehicle miles traveled" refers to the amount and distance of automobile travel attributable to a project." Here, the term "automobile" refers to on-road passenger vehicles, specifically cars and light trucks."

As such, the OPR TA advises that to prepare "an apples-to-apples comparison" the project's VMT and the regional threshold should be consistent. The County's VMT guidelines recommend using VMT/Employee as the metric for evaluating VMT impacts for industrial projects. The VMT/Employee is calculated for only the home-based work trip purpose which does not include any truck trips. Therefore, consistent with guidance provided by OPR TA and the County's guidelines, only passenger vehicles have been considered for this analysis.

As shown in Table A, the project will generate 52 daily passenger vehicle trips. Since the proposed project is forecasted to generate less than 110 daily passenger vehicle trips, it can be presumed that the project is anticipated to have a less than significant VMT impact and is screened out from a VMT assessment.

ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC TRANSIT ANALYSIS

According to the County Guidelines, a significant impact occurs when a project conflicts with adopted plans, policies, or programs regarding public transit, bicycle, or pedestrian facilities, or otherwise decreases the performance or safety of such facilities.

Based on the Circulation Chapter of the City's General Plan, adopted December 2010, at present, there is a Class II bicycle facility planned on Santa Ana Avenue within the study area. There is currently no existing bicycle facility along the project frontage. The project is not anticipated to

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affect the operations of the proposed bike lane. As such, the project will not decrease the performance or safety of any existing or proposed bicycle facility.

According to the Circulation Chapter of the City's General Plan, adopted December 2010, pedestrian facilities such as sidewalks create additional means of access to service; improves the quality of life for those without access to motorized vehicles; can be conducive to healthier lifestyles and exercise; and may help foster a sense of community and social connection in residential neighborhoods by improving the interaction and chance encounters of neighbors. Within the project study area, there are no existing paved sidewalks on Santa Ana Avenue. The project will provide sidewalk along the South side of Santa Ana Avenue adjacent to the project site, thus providing direct and convenient access for visitors arriving project site on foot. Additionally, the project will not affect any existing sidewalks. As such, the project will not decrease the performance or safety of any existing or proposed pedestrian facility.

The nearest bus stop from the project site is approximately 0.6 miles. Omnitrans bus route 329 serves this bus stop. Omnitrans bus route 329 connects Rialto to communities in adjacent jurisdictions such as Fontana and Bloomington. At present, there are no proposed service changes in Omnitrans's transit network. As such, the project will not decrease the performance or safety of any existing or proposed public transit facility.

The project does not conflict with existing or proposed bicycle, pedestrian, and public transit facilities. Therefore, the project will conform to all adopted policies, plans, or programs concerning these facilities and will not have a significant impact.

ON-SITE PARKING DEMAND USING CITY MUNICIPAL CODE

A parking demand analysis for the proposed project was prepared using rates from the City of Rialto Municipal Code Chapter 18.58 – "Off-Street Parking" Section 18.58.050 – "Office, commercial and industrial parking requirements." As per the City's Municipal Code, the following required parking spaces rates were used in this analysis:

Office (1st Floor): 1 space per 250 sf;

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- Office (2nd Floor): 1 space per 500 sf;
- Factory Industrial/Warehouse (first 10,000 sf): 1 space per 1,000 sf; and
- Factory Industrial/Warehouse (every additional 10,000 sf): 1 space per 2,000 sf.

Table B summarizes the project site parking requirements. As summarized in Table B, the minimum parking requirement using the City's municipal code is 37 parking spaces. The total parking provided on site is 41 parking spaces. Therefore, the proposed project is providing a surplus of 4 parking spaces.

Additionally, the City municipal code requires handicapped parking spaces on site for industrial uses. As per the City's municipal code, 2 handicapped parking spaces are required out of the total available parking spaces if the project site provides a total number of 41 to 80 parking spaces. As

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illustrated in previously referenced Figure 2, the project site provides 2 handicapped parking spaces and 3 electric vehicle/clean air vehicle parking spaces out of the 41 parking spaces on site.

SIGHT DISTANCE ANALYSIS

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A sight distance analysis was requested by City staff for the ingress/egress project traffic and traffic along Santa Ana Avenue with respect to the proposed project driveway. Sight distance is the length of the visible roadway a driver can see approaching vehicles before their line of sight (i.e. length, width, and height from the driver's eye) is blocked by any object. For purposes of this memorandum, only the stopping sight distance and corner sight distance have been evaluated.

According to the *Caltrans Highway Design Manual (HDM)* (dated July 2020), the stopping sight distance is the minimum sight distance along a roadway required to allow a driver to decrease their speed from the design speed to a complete stop. The corner sight distance is the minimum sight distance in which a driver at a stop controlled approach can see oncoming traffic on the major street to safely maneuver onto the roadway.

The stopping sight distance was evaluated on the major arterial abutting the project, i.e. Santa Ana Avenue. The posted speed limit on Santa Ana Avenue is 40 miles per hour (mph). For purposes of this analysis, the posted speed limit has been considered as the design speed. As stated in Table 201.1 of the HDM, the minimum stopping sight distance is 300 feet (ft) for a design speed of 40 mph. However, according to the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) A Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets Table 3-1, the minimum stopping sight distance is 305 feet for a design speed of 40 mph. Therefore, as a conservative approach, the minimum stopping sight distance for this analysis has been considered as 305 feet. Figure 3 illustrates the stopping sight distance triangles on Santa Ana Avenue. Additionally, based on recommendations from the AASHTO manual, the height of driver's eye was considered to be approximately 3.54 feet. The project sight triangle will require to have no sight distance obstructions due to project landscaping to provide a clear sight distance to project egress traffic. Figure 4 illustrates the proposed project landscaping influencing the stopping sight distance triangles along the project frontage. As illustrated in Figure 4, the proposed landscaping along the project frontage will not block the sight distance for drivers on Santa Ana Avenue. As such, the project will avoid implementing landscaping taller than 3.54 feet that falls within the sight triangle.

As for corner sight distance, Section 405.1 of the HDM states that corner sight distance requirements are not applicable for urban driveways unless signalized. Therefore, corner sight distance was not evaluated for the project driveway.

As illustrated in Figure 3, to achieve the adequate sight distances and have clear sight triangles for the drivers, it is required to remove some of the existing on-street parking spaces along the southern side of Santa Ana Avenue. Specifically, on-street parking spaces need to be removed along the width of the project driveway and along the entire length of the project frontage on the southern side of Santa Ana Avenue. Since the total length of the project frontage on Santa Ana Avenue is approximately 300 ft, 12 on-street parking spaces (parking spaces measured for cars at 25 ft per vehicle) may be required to be removed with the implementation of the project to provide adequate stopping sight distance.

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GENERAL PLAN CIRCULATION ELEMENT CONSISTENCY

According to the City's General Plan (GP) Chapter 4 (adopted December 2010), Santa Ana Avenue is classified as a Secondary Arterial within the project vicinity. Per GP Chapter 4, a Secondary Arterial has a cross section of 88 ft that consists of two 12-ft lanes of travel in each direction with a 8-ft width of permitted parking and 12-ft sidewalks along both sides of the street upon full buildout. The half width cross section is 32 ft from street centerline to the curb. Additionally, Santa Ana Avenue is designated as a bikeway route within the City's Bikeway Master Plan network. Within the project vicinity, Santa Ana Avenue is designated as a Class II Bikeway, which consists of a 4 ft minimum bike lane.

Within the project vicinity, Santa Ana Avenue is currently a two lane roadway with no sidewalks on both sides between Lilac Avenue and Willow Avenue. This segment of Santa Ana Avenue is currently not built out to its ultimate width as identified in the City's General Plan. It should be noted that the existing industrial buildings adjacent on both sides of the proposed project also currently do not have a sidewalk or a bike lane along the respective building frontages. Santa Ana Avenue will have an ultimate right-of-way (ROW) of 88 ft along the project frontage, which may accommodate two lanes of travel in each direction and sidewalks as proposed in the City's Circulation Chapter. Figure 5 illustrates the cross-section of Santa Ana Avenue along the project frontage, which will be developed consistent with the City's General Plan. The project will be developing the 44 ft half width cross section from the street centerline to the project boundary, consistent with the City's General Plan. As such, Santa Ana Avenue will remain a two lane roadway with a sidewalk along the project frontage as the project is built.

Santa Ana Avenue along the project frontage will remain as a two lane roadway until the segment is developed to the ultimate ROW. When built out to the ultimate ROW, it will be up to the City's discretion to modify the roadway segment from a two lane roadway to a four lane roadway. It should also be noted that there is insufficient width to accommodate both on-street parking and a bike lane as outlined in the City's Circulation Chapter and Bikeway Master Plan. As illustrated in Figure 5, upon completion of widening of Santa Ana Avenue, there will be 8 ft remaining between the lanes and the sidewalk. The City will have the discretion to decide whether to assign the remaining 8 ft width on both sides of the street as on-street parking or as a Class II Bikeway as outlined in the City's Bikeway Master Plan network.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (951) 781-9310 or Ambarish.Mukherjee@lsa.net.

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Table A - Warehousing Trip Generation

			A.M. Peak Hour		P.M. Peak Hour				
Land Uses	Units		In	Out	Total	In	Out	Total	Daily
Warehouse ¹									
	43.00	TSF							
Trips/Unit (Cars)			0.089	0.028	0.117	0.035	0.096	0.131	1.201
Trips/Unit (2-Axle Trucks)			0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.011
Trips/Unit (3-Axle Trucks)			0.012	0.003	0.015	0.004	0.012	0.016	0.151
Trips/Unit (4+ Axle Trucks)			0.028	0.009	0.037	0.011	0.031	0.042	0.377
Trips/Unit (Total)			0.130	0.040	0.170	0.050	0.140	0.190	1.740
Trip Generation (Cars)			4	1	5	2	4	6	52
Trip Generation (2-Axle Trucks)			0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trip Generation (3-Axle Trucks)			1	0	1	0	1	1	6
Trip Generation (4+ Axle Trucks)			1	1	2	0	2	2	16
Trip Generation (Total)			6	2	8	2	7	9	74
Trip Generation (Cars)			4	1	5	2	4	6	52
PCE Trip Generation (2-Axle Trucks)			0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PCE Trip Generation (3-Axle Trucks)			2	0	2	0	2	2	12
PCE Trip Generation (4+ Axle Trucks)			3	3	6	0	6	6	48
PCE Trip Generation (Total)			9	4	13	2	12	14	112

Notes:

TSF = thousand square-feet

⁵ The trip generation was developed based on the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) Trip Generation Manual (10th Edition) rates for Land Use 150 – "Warehousing." The resulting trips were converted to trucks and passenger vehicles based on the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) recommendations for warehousing projects. As such, 31 percent of project traffic will be trucks. Based on Vehicle Mix from the City of Rialto's Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines and Requirements, dated February 2014, the truck mix was considered as 2% 2-axle trucks, 28% 3-axle trucks, and 70% 4-and-more axle trucks, Based on the City's TIA guidelines, all truck trips were converted to passenger car equivalents (PCEs) using a 1.5 PCE factor for 2-axle trucks, 2.0 for 3-axle trucks, ad 3.0 for 4-and-more axle trucks.

1	RESOLUTION NO. <u>2021-XX</u>
2	A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE
3	CITY OF RIALTO, CALIFORNIA APPROVING PRECISE PLAN OF DESIGN NO. 2021-0020 ALLOWING THE DEVELOPMENT
4	OF A 43,000 SQUARE FOOT INDUSTRIAL STORAGE WAREHOUSE BUILDING ON 2.00 ACRES OF LAND (APN:
5	0258-111-37) LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SANTA ANA
6	AVENUE APPROXIMATELY 355 FEET WEST OF WILLOW AVENUE, WITHIN THE HEAVY INDUSTRIAL (H-IND) LAND
7	USE DESIGNATION OF THE AGUA MANSA SPECIFIC PLAN.
8	WHEREAS, the applicant, Lord Constructors, Inc., proposes to develop a 43,000 square
9	foot industrial storage warehouse building ("Project") on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37)
10	located on the south side of Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue
11	within the Heavy Industrial (H-IND) land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan
12	("Site"); and
13	WHEREAS, the Project will consist of 2,000 square feet of office space on the ground
14	floor, 2,000 square feet of office space on the second floor, and 39,000 square feet of warehouse
15	space with three (3) dock-high loading doors, which will be located on the east side of the building;
16	and
17	WHEREAS, Pursuant to Section 18.65.010 of the Rialto Municipal Code, the Project requires
18	a Precise Plan of Design, and the applicant has agreed to apply for Precise Plan of Design No. 2021-
19	0020 ("PPD No. 2021-0020"); and
20	WHEREAS, in conjunction with the Project, the applicant submitted Conditional
21	Development Permit No. 2021-0022 ("CDP No. 2021-0022") to facilitate the development and
22	operation of a 43,000 square foot industrial storage warehouse building on the Site, and CDP No.
23	2021-0022 is necessary to facilitate the Project; and
24	WHEREAS, on November 10, 2021, the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto
25	conducted a duly noticed public hearing, as required by law, on PPD No. 2021-0020 and CDP No.
26	2021-0022, took testimony, at which time it received input from staff, the city attorney, and the
27	applicant; heard public testimony; discussed the proposed PPD No. 2021-0020 and CDP No. 2021-
28	0022; and closed the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, all legal prerequisites to the adoption of this Resolution have occurred.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto as follows:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The Planning Commission hereby specifically finds that all of the facts set forth in the recitals above of this Resolution are true and correct and incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. Based on substantial evidence presented to the Planning Commission during the public hearing conducted with regard to PPD No. 2021-0020, including written staff reports, verbal testimony, site plans, other documents, and the conditions of approval stated herein, the Planning Commission hereby determines that PPD No. 2021-0020 satisfies the requirements of Section 18.65.020e of the Rialto Municipal Code pertaining to the findings which must be made precedent to granting a Precise Plan of Design. The findings are as follows:

1. The proposed development is in compliance with all city ordinances and regulations, unless in accordance with an approved variance; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site has a General Plan land use designation of General Industrial with a Specific Plan Overlay and a zoning designation of Agua Mansa Specific Plan. Furthermore, the Agua Mansa Specific Plan designates the site as Heavy Industrial (H-IND). The H-IND designation allows for the development and operation of industrial storage warehouse building, such as is proposed by the Project. The Project, as conditioned herein, will comply with all City ordinances and regulations, including those required by the Agua Mansa Specific Plan and the City's Design Guidelines. Additionally, the Project meets all the required development standards of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan and Chapter 18.112 (Indoor Storage Facilities) of the Rialto Municipal Code including, but not limited to, required building setbacks, parking, landscaping, building height, floor area ratio, etc.

2. The site is physically suitable for the proposed development, and the proposed development will be arranged, designed, constructed, and maintained so that it will not be unreasonably detrimental or injurious to property, improvements, or the health, safety or general welfare of the general public in the vicinity, or otherwise be inharmonious with the city's general plan and its objectives, zoning ordinances or any applicable specific plan and its objectives; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site contains 2.00 acres, is square-shaped, fairly level, and bound by one (1) public street. To the north, across Santa Ana Avenue, is vacant land, and to the east is an approximately 52,000 square foot industrial building occupied by Fresh Start Bakeries, which is a

commercial baker. To the south is a truck terminal facility occupied by UPS Freight, and to the west is 137,538 square foot industrial building occupied by Lineage Logistics Company. The Site and all of the surrounding properties are within the H-IND land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan. The Project is consistent with the H-IND designation and the surrounding land uses. The nearby area is predominantly zoned for and developed with industrial uses, and as a result, there are no sensitive land uses near the project site. The project is not expected to negatively impact any uses with the successful implementation of measures such as landscape buffering, the installation of solid screen walls, and aesthetic building enhancements.

3. The proposed development will not unreasonably interfere with the use or enjoyment of neighboring property rights or endanger the peace, health, safety or welfare of the general public; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Project's effects will be minimized through the implementation of the Conditions of Approval contained herein, such as extensive landscaping, concrete screen walls, decorative paving, and enhanced architectural features. To the north, across Santa Ana Avenue, is vacant land, and to the east is an approximately 52,000 square foot industrial building occupied by Fresh Start Bakeries, which is a commercial baker. To the south is a truck terminal facility occupied by UPS Freight, and to the west is 137,538 square foot industrial building occupied by Lineage Logistics Company. The Site and all of the surrounding properties are within the H-IND land use designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan. The Project is consistent with the H-IND designation and the surrounding land uses. The nearby area is predominantly zoned for and developed with industrial uses, and as a result, there are no sensitive land uses near the project site. The project is not expected to negatively impact any uses with the successful implementation of measures such as landscape buffering, the installation of solid screen walls, and aesthetic building enhancements.

4. The proposed development will not substantially interfere with the orderly or planned development of the City of Rialto.

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Project is consistent with the H-IND designation of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan and is a logical addition to the existing industrial developments surrounding the Site and throughout most of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan area. The design of the Project will ensure a continuation of the public improvements and aesthetics present in the surrounding area. The City staff have reviewed the design of the Project to ensure compliance with all health, safety, and design requirements to ensure the Project will enhance the infrastructure and aesthetics of the local community.

1	SEC	<u>CTION 3.</u> The Project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California					
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	Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to Section 15332, In-Fill Development Projects. The						
3	Planning Commission directs the Planning Division to file the necessary documentation with the						
4	Clerk of the Board of Supervisors for San Bernardino County.						
5	SECTION 4. PPD No. 2021-0020 is granted to Lord Constructors, Inc., in accordance with						
6 7	the plans and application on file with the Planning Division, subject to the following Conditions of						
, 8	Approval:						
9	1.	PPD No. 2021-0020 is approved allowing the development of a 43,000-foot industrial					
10		storage warehouse building and associated paving, landscaping, fencing, lighting, and drainage improvements on 2.00 acres of land (APN: 0258-111-37) located on the south					
11		side Santa Ana Avenue approximately 355 feet west of Willow Avenue, as shown on the plans submitted to the Planning Division on October 21, 2021, and as approved by the					
12		Planning Commission. If the Conditions of Approval specified herein.					
13	2.	The approval of PPD No. 2021-0020 is granted for a one (1) year period from the date of					
14		approval. Approval of PPD No. 2021-0020 will not become effective until the applicant has signed a Statement of Acceptance acknowledging awareness and acceptance of the					
15		required Conditions of Approval contained herein. Any request for an extension shall be reviewed by the Community Development Director and shall be based on the progress					
16		that has taken place toward the development of the project.					
17		The development associated with PPD No. 2021-0020 shall conform to the site plan, floor					
18		plans, exterior elevations, conceptual grading plan, and conceptual landscape plan attached hereto as Exhibit A, except as may be required to be modified based on the					
19		Conditions of Approval contained herein.					
20	4.	The development associated with PPD No. 2021-0020 shall comply with all Conditions					
21		of Approval contained within CDP No. 2021-0022.					
22	5.	The development associated with PPD No. 2021-0020 shall comply with all applicable					
23		sections of the Agua Mansa Specific Plan, the Rialto Municipal Code, and all other applicable State and local laws and ordinances.					
24	6.	City inspectors shall have access to the site to reasonably inspect the site during normal					
25		working hours to assure compliance with these conditions and other codes.					
26	7.	The applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend, and hold harmless, the City of Rialto,					
27		and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof (collectively, the "City Parties"), from any and all claims,					
28		demands, law suits, writs of mandamus, and other actions and proceedings (whether legal, equitable, declaratory, administrative or adjudicatory in nature), and alternative					

dispute resolutions procedures (including, but not limited to arbitrations, mediations, and other such procedures), (collectively "Actions"), brought against the City, and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof, that challenge, attack, or seek to modify, set aside, void, or annul, the any action of, or any permit or approval issued by, the City and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof (including actions approved by the voters of the City), for or concerning the Project (collectively, the "Entitlements"), whether such Actions are brought under the California Environmental Quality Act, the Planning and Zoning Law, the Subdivision Map Act, Code of Civil Procedure Chapter 1085 or 1094.5, the California Public Records Act, or any other state, federal, or local statute, law, ordinance, rule, regulation, or any decision of a court of competent jurisdiction. This condition to indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the City harmless shall include, but not limited to (i) damages, fees and/or costs awarded against the City, if any, and (ii) cost of suit, attorneys' fees and other costs, liabilities and expenses incurred in connection with such proceeding whether incurred by applicant, Property owner, or the City and/or other parties initiating or bringing such proceeding (collectively, subparts (i) and (ii) are the "Damages"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the Applicant shall not be liable to the City Parties under this indemnity to the extent the Damages incurred by any of the City Parties in such Action(s) are a result of the City Parties' fraud, intentional misconduct or gross negligence in connection with issuing the Entitlements. The applicant shall execute an agreement to indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the City harmless as stated herein within five (5) days of approval of PPD No. 2021-0020.

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- 8. In accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 66020(d)(1), the imposition of fees, dedications, reservations, or exactions for this Project, if any, are subject to protest by the applicant at the time of approval or conditional approval of the Project or within 90 days after the date of the imposition of the fees, dedications, reservations, or exactions imposed on the Project.
- 9. Approval of PPD No. 2021-0020 will not be valid until such time that the Planning Commission has approved CDP No. 2021-0022, which was prepared in conjunction with the Project.
- 10. In accordance with Chapter 18.112 (Indoor Storage Facilities) of the Rialto Municipal Code, the applicant shall provide a continuous upward slope within the landscape setback along Santa Ana Avenue. The slope shall lead from the property line along Santa Avenue up to the edge of the building. The slope shall ensure that no more than thirty-four (34) feet in height of the building is exposed above the finished grade of the slope. This will ensure that the Project provides at least one (1) foot of landscape setback for every one (1) foot of building height as measured for the finished grade at the edge of the building, in accordance with Section 18.112.050C(1) of the Rialto Municipal Code. The slope within the landscape setback along Santa Ana Avenue shall be identified on the Precise Grading Plan prior to the issuance of a grading permit.

11. The applicant shall install decorative pavement within the driveway connected to Santa Ana Avenue, in accordance with the conceptual landscape plan included within Exhibit A attached hereto. The location of the decorative pavement shall be identified on the Precise Grading Plan prior to the issuance of a grading permit. Additionally, the location and type of decorative pavement shall be identified on the formal Landscape Plan submittal, and other on-site improvement plans, prior to the issuance of building permits.

- 12. In order to provide enhanced building design in accordance with Chapter 18.61 (Design Guidelines) of the Rialto Municipal Code, the applicant shall route all drainage downspouts through the interior of the building. The internal downspouts shall be identified within the formal building plan check submittal prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 13. In order to provide enhanced building design in accordance with Chapter 18.61 (Design Guidelines) of the Rialto Municipal Code, the applicant shall construct parapet returns, at least three (3) feet in depth from the main wall plane, at all height variations on all four (4) sides of the building. The parapet returns shall be demonstrated on the roof plans within the formal building plan check submittal prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 14. In order to provide enhanced building design in accordance with Chapter 18.61 (Design Guidelines) of the Rialto Municipal Code, the applicant shall provide internal roof access only for the building. The internal roof access shall be identified within the formal building plan check submittal prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 15. Any new walls, including any retaining walls, shall be comprised of decorative masonry block or decorative concrete. Decorative masonry block means tan-colored slumpstone block, tan-colored split-face block, or precision block with a stucco, plaster, or cultured stone finish. Decorative concrete means painted concrete with patterns, reveals, and/or trim lines. Pilasters shall be incorporated within all new walls visible from the public right-of-way. The pilasters shall be spaced a maximum of fifty (50) feet on-center and shall be placed at all corners and ends of the wall. All pilasters shall protrude a minimum of six (6) inches above and to the side of the wall. All decorative masonry walls and pilasters, including retaining walls, shall include a decorative masonry cap. All walls and pilasters shall be included in the formal building plan check submittal prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 16. Any new fencing installed on site shall be comprised of tubular steel. Decorative masonry or decorative concrete pilasters, with a minimum dimension of sixteen (16) inch square, shall be incorporated within all new fencing visible from any public right-of-way. Decorative masonry block means tan slumpstone block, tan split-face block, or precision block with a stucco, plaster, or cultured stone finish. Decorative concrete means painted concrete with patterns, reveals, and/or trim lines. The pilasters shall be spaced a maximum of fifty (50) feet on-center and shall be placed at all corners and ends of the fencing. All decorative masonry pilasters shall include a decorative masonry cap. All fencing and pilasters shall be identified on the site plan, and an elevation detail for the fencing and

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- 17. The applicant shall construct one (1) ADA accessible trash enclosure on the project site. The trash enclosure shall provide room for one (1) commercial waste container and one (1) commercial recycling container. The exterior of each trash enclosure shall match the material and base color of the building. Additionally, the trash enclosure shall contain solid steel doors and a flat solid cover. Corrugated metal and chain-link are not acceptable materials to use as a part of the trash enclosure. The location of the trash enclosure shall be identified on the site plan within the formal building plan check prior to the issuance of building permits. An elevation detail for the trash enclosure shall be provided within formal building plan check submittal prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 18. All light standards installed on site, shall have a maximum height of twenty-five (25) feet, as measured from the finished surface, including the base. Lighting shall be shielded and/or directed toward the site so as not to produce direct glare or "stray light" onto adjacent properties. All light standards shall be identified on the site plan and a note indicating the height restriction shall be included within the formal building plan check submittal prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 19. The applicant shall submit a formal Landscape Plan to the Planning Division prior to the issuance of building permits. The submittal shall include three (3) sets of planting and irrigation plans, a completed Landscape Plan Review application, and the applicable review fee.
- 20. The applicant shall plant one (1) tree every thirty (30) feet on-center within the on-site landscape setback along Santa Ana Avenue. All trees within the landscape setback shall be a minimum of twenty-four (24) inch box in size, upon initial planting. Thereafter, the trees within the landscape setback shall be permanently irrigated and maintained by the property owner. At least fifty (50) percent of the trees within the setback shall consist of evergreen broadleaf trees, while the remaining percentage may consist of broadleaf deciduous trees and/or palm trees. The trees shall be identified on the formal Landscape Plan submittal prior to the issuance of a landscape permit.
 - 21. The applicant shall plant one (1) tree every thirty (30) feet on-center within the public right-of-way parkway along Santa Ana Avenue. All trees within the public right-of-way parkway shall be a minimum of twenty-four (24) inch box in size, upon initial planting. Thereafter, the trees within the public right-of-way parking shall be permanently irrigated and maintained, as required by the Public Works Department. The street tree species along Santa Ana Avenue shall be the Pistachia Chinensis "Chinese Pistache". The street trees shall be identified on the formal Landscape Plan submittal prior to the issuance of a landscape permit.

22. The applicant shall plant shrubs that surround all ground mounted equipment and utility boxes, including transformers, fire-department connections, backflow devices, etc. for the purpose of providing screening of said equipment and utility boxes. All equipment and

utility box screen shrubs shall be a minimum of five (5) gallons in size upon initial planting, and the shrubs shall be spaced no more than three (3) feet on-center. Thereafter, the equipment and utility box screen shrubs shall be permanently irrigated and maintained into a continuous box-shape with a height of no less than three and one-half (3.5) feet above the finished grade. The shrubs shall be identified on the formal Landscape Plan submittal prior to the issuance of a landscape permit.

- 23. The applicant shall plant a substantial amount of trees, shrubs, and groundcover throughout all land on-site and off-site (adjacent to the project site) that is not covered by structures, walkways, parking areas, and driveways. Trees shall be planted a minimum of thirty (30) feet on-center, and all shrubs and groundcover shall be planted an average of three (3) feet on-center or less. All trees shall be minimum of fifteen (15) gallons in size upon initial planting, unless otherwise specified herein. At least fifty (50) percent of the trees shall consist of evergreen broadleaf trees, while the remaining percentage may consist of broadleaf deciduous trees and/or palm trees. All shrubs shall be a minimum of one (1) gallon in size, unless otherwise specified herein. All planter areas shall receive a minimum two (2) inch thick layer of brown bark, organic mulch, and/or decorative rock upon initial planting. Pea gravel and decomposed granite are not acceptable materials to use within planter areas. All planter areas on-site shall be permanently irrigated and maintained. The planting and irrigation shall be identified on the formal Landscape Plan submittal prior to the issuance of a landscape permit.
- 24. All planting and irrigation shall be installed on-site in accordance with the approved landscape plans and permit prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. The installation of the planting and irrigation shall be certified in writing by the landscape architect responsible for preparing the landscape plans prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 25. Any tubular steel fencing and/or sliding gates shall be painted black prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, unless specified otherwise herein.
- 26. All non-glass doors shall be painted to match the color of the adjacent wall prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 27. All signage on the building shall comply with Chapter 18.102 (Regulation of Signs and Advertising Structures) of the Rialto Municipal Code.
- 28. The applicant shall comply with all conditions of approval for PPD No. 2021-0020 to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 29. The applicant shall pay all applicable development impact fees in accordance with the current City of Rialto fee ordinance, including any Transportation and Traffic Fair Share Contribution fees, prior to the issuance of any building permit related to the Project.

- 30. The applicant shall apply and complete the Special District Annexation for the public street lighting and the public landscape and irrigation, including applicable easement areas, parkway areas, and raised medians along the property frontage, as determined by the City Engineer, prior to the issuance of the Grading/On-site Construction Permit.
- 31. The applicant is responsible for requesting from the Public Works Department any addresses needed for any building(s) and/or any electrical single/dual irrigation meter pedestal(s). The main building address shall be included on Precise Grading Plans and Building Plan set along with the PPD number. The electrical meter pedestal addresses (single or dual) shall be included in the public improvement plans.
- 32. The applicant shall submit street improvement plans by a registered California civil engineer to the Public Works Engineering Division for review. The plans shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 33. The applicant shall submit streetlight improvement plans by a registered California civil engineer to the Public Works Engineering Division for review. The plans shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 34. The applicant shall submit sewer improvement plans by a registered California civil engineer to the Public Works Engineering Division for review. The plans shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 35. The applicant shall submit traffic and signage improvement plans by a registered California civil engineer to the Public Works Engineering Division for review. The plans shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 36. The applicant shall submit copies of approved water improvement plans prepared by a registered California civil engineer to the Public Works Engineering Division for record purposes. The plans shall be approved by West Valley Water District, the water purveyor, prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 37. The applicant shall submit a Precise Grading/Paving Plan prepared by a California registered civil engineer to the Public Works Engineering Division for review and approval. The Grading Plan shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 38. The applicant shall submit a wet-signed and stamped Earthwork Cut and Fill Certification Letter prepared by a Civil Engineer registered in the State of California to the Public Works Engineering Division for review.
- 39. The applicant shall provide pad elevation certification for all building pads, in conformance with the approved Precise Grading Plan, to the Engineering Division prior to construction of any building foundation.

40. The public street improvements outlined in these Conditions of Approval are intended to convey to the developer an accurate scope of required improvements, however, the City Engineer reserves the right to require reasonable additional improvements as may be determined in the course of the review and approval of street improvement plans required by these conditions.

- 41. The applicant shall install underground all existing electrical distribution lines of sixteen thousand volts or less and overhead service drop conductors, and all telephone, television cable service, and similar service wires or lines, which are on-site, abutting, and/or transecting the site, in accordance with Chapter 15.32 of the Rialto Municipal Code. Utility undergrounding shall extend to the nearest off-site power pole. Unless City Engineer approved, no new power poles shall be installed. A letter from the owners of the affected utilities shall be submitted to the City Engineer prior to approval of the Precise Grading/Paving Plan, informing the City that they have been notified of the City's utility undergrounding plans. When available, the utility undergrounding plan shall be submitted to the City Engineer approved to be undergrounding all above ground facilities in the area of the project to be undergrounded.
- 42. The applicant shall replace all damaged, destroyed, or modified pavement legends, traffic control devices, signing, striping, and streetlights, associated with the proposed Project shall be replaced as required by the City Engineer prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 43. The applicant shall reconstruct any broken, chipped, or unsatisfactory sidewalks or curbs along the entire project frontage, in accordance with the General Plan and the City of Rialto Standard Drawings, as required by the City Engineer, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 44. The applicant shall provide construction signage, lighting and barricading shall be provided during all phases of construction as required by City Standards or as directed by the City Engineer. As a minimum, all construction signing, lighting and barricading shall be in accordance with Part 6 "Temporary Traffic Control" of the 2014 California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, or subsequent editions in force at the time of construction.
- 45. Upon approval of any improvement plan by the City Engineer, the applicant shall provide the improvement plan to the City in digital format, consisting of a DWG (AutoCAD drawing file), DXF (AutoCAD ASCII drawing exchange file), and PDF (Adobe Acrobat) formats. Variation of the type and format of the digital data to be submitted to the City may be authorized, upon prior approval by the City Engineer.
- 46. The applicant shall construct 4-inch conduit within the parkway area along the entire project frontage of Santa Ana Avenue for future use, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.

- 47. The applicant shall dedicate additional right-of-way along the entire frontage of Santa Ana Avenue, as necessary, to provide the ultimate half-width of 44 feet, as required by the City Engineer.
- 48. The applicant shall construct one (1) new thirty-three (33) foot wide commercial driveway approach connected to Santa Ana Avenue, in accordance with City of Rialto Standard Drawings, or as otherwise approved by the City Engineer. Nothing shall be constructed or planted in the corner cut-off area which does exceed or will exceed 30 inches in height in order to maintain an appropriate corner sight distance, as required by the City Engineer.
- 49. The applicant shall construct a curb ramp meeting current California State Accessibility standards on both sides of the new commercial driveway connected to Santa Ana Avenue, in accordance with the City of Rialto Standard Drawings. The developer shall ensure that an appropriate path of travel, meeting ADA guidelines, is provided across the driveways, and shall adjust the location of the access ramps, if necessary, to meet ADA guidelines, subject to the approval of the City Engineer. If necessary, additional pedestrian and sidewalk easements shall be provided on-site to construct a path of travel meeting ADA guidelines.
- 50. The applicant shall construct a 5-foot-wide sidewalk located adjacent to the curb along the entire project frontage of Santa Ana Avenue, in accordance with City of Rialto Standard Drawings.
- 51. The applicant shall construct an 8-inch curb and gutter located 32 feet south of the centerline along the entire frontage of Santa Ana Avenue, in accordance with City of Rialto Standard Drawings.
- 52. At the discretion of the City Engineer, the applicant shall remove existing pavement and construct new pavement with a minimum pavement section of 5 inches asphalt concrete pavement over 6 inches crushed aggregate base with a minimum subgrade of 24 inches at 95% relative compaction, or equal, along the entire frontages of Santa Ana Avenue in accordance with City of Rialto Standard Drawings. The pavement section shall be determined using a Traffic Index ("TI") of 10. The pavement section shall be designed by a California registered Geotechnical Engineer using "R" values from the project site and submitted to the City Engineer for approval. Pavement shall extend from clean sawcut edge of pavement at centerline of each street.
- 53. The applicant shall install "No Stopping Anytime" R26A(S)(CA) signage along the entire project frontage of Santa Ana Avenue, as required by the City Engineer.
- 54. The minimum pavement section for all on-site pavements shall be two (2) inches asphalt concrete pavement over 4 inches crushed aggregate base with a minimum subgrade of 24 inches at 95% relative compaction, or equal. If an alternative pavement section is proposed, the proposed pavement section shall be designed by a California registered Geotechnical Engineer using "R" values from the project site and submitted to the City Engineer for approval.

- 55. The applicant shall connect the project to the City of Rialto sewer system and apply for a sewer connection account with Rialto Water Services.
- 56. Domestic water service to the underlying property is provided by West Valley Water District. The applicant shall be responsible for coordinating with West Valley Water District and complying with all requirements for establishing domestic water service to the property. The design must include fire hydrants along Santa Ana Avenue.
- 57. The applicant shall install a new domestic water line lateral connection to the main water line within Santa Ana Avenue, pursuant to the West Valley Water District requirements. A water line plan shall be approved by Rialto Water Services prior to the issuance of building permits.
- 58. The applicant shall provide certification from Rialto Water Services and West Valley Water District that demonstrates that all water and/or wastewater service accounts for the project are documented, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy or final inspection approval from the Public Works Engineering Division.
- 59. The applicant shall submit a Water Quality Management Plan identifying site specific Best Management Practices ("BMPs") in accordance with the Model Water Quality Management Plan ("WQMP") approved for use for the Santa Ana River Watershed. The site specific WQMP shall be submitted to the City Engineer for review and approval with the Precise Grading Plan. A WOMP Maintenance Agreement shall be required, obligating the property owner(s) to appropriate operation and maintenance obligations of on-site BMPs constructed pursuant to the approved WQMP. The WQMP and Maintenance Agreement shall be approved prior to issuance of a building permit, unless otherwise allowed by the City Engineer. The development of the Site is subject to the requirements of the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit for the City of Rialto, issued by the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board, Board Order No. R8-2010-0036. Pursuant to the NPDES Permit, the Applicant shall ensure development of the site incorporates post-construction Best Management Practices ("BMPs") in accordance with the Model Water Quality Management Plan ("WQMP") approved for use for the Santa Ana River Watershed. The Applicant is advised that applicable Site Design BMPs will be required to be incorporated into the final site design, pursuant to a site specific WQMP submitted to the City Engineer for review and approval.
- 60. Prior to issuance of a certificate of occupancy or final City approvals, the applicant shall demonstrate that all structural BMP's have been constructed and installed in conformance with approved plans and specifications, and as identified in the approved WQMP.
- 61. Direct release of on-site nuisance water or stormwater runoff shall not be permitted to the adjacent public streets. Provisions for the interception of nuisance water from entering adjacent public streets from the project site shall be provided through the use of a minor storm drain system that collects and conveys nuisance water to landscape or parkway areas, and in only a stormwater runoff condition, pass runoff directly to the streets through

	parkway or under sidewalk drains. All on-site and off-site designs must comply with NPDES stormwater regulations.
62.	The original improvement plans prepared for the proposed development and approved by the City Engineer (if required) shall be documented with record drawing "as-built" information and returned to the Engineering Division prior to issuance of a final certificate of occupancy. Any modifications or changes to approved improvement plans shall be submitted to the City Engineer for approval prior to construction.
63.	The applicant shall adhere to the City Council approved franchise agreements and disposal requirements during all construction activities, in accordance with Section 8.08 (Refuse Collection of the City of Rialto Municipal Code).
64.	Prior to commencing with any grading, the applicant shall implement the required erosion and dust control measures shall be in place. In addition, the following shall be included if not already identified:
	a. 6-foot-high tan colored perimeter screened fencing
	b. Contractor information signage including contact information along the street frontages of Santa Ana Avenue.
	c. Post dust control signage with the following verbiage: "Project Name, WDID No., IF YOU SEE DUST COMING FROM THIS PROJECT CALL: NAME (XXX) XXX-XXX, If you do not receive a response, please call the AQMD at 1-800- CUT-SMOG/1-800-228-7664"
65.	The applicant shall remove any graffiti within 24 hours, before, during, and post construction.
66.	The applicant shall submit full architectural and structural plans with all mechanical, electrical, and plumbing plans, structural calculations, truss calculations and layout, rough grading plans approved by Public Works Engineering, Water Quality Management Plan, Erosion Control Plan, Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan, and Title 24 Energy Calculations to the Building Division for plan check and review, prior to the issuance of building permits.
67.	The applicant shall provide a Scope of Work on the title page of the architectural plan set. The Scope of Work shall call out all work to be permitted (ex. Main structure, perimeter walls, trash enclosure, etc.).
68.	The applicant shall design the structures in accordance with the 2019 California Building Code, 2019 California Mechanical Code, 2019 California Plumbing Code, and the 2019 California Electrical Code, 2019 Residential Code and the 2019 California Green Buildings Standards adopted by the State of California.

- 69. The applicant shall design the structures to withstand ultimate wind speed of 130 miles per hour, exposure C and seismic zone D.
- 70. The applicant shall submit fire sprinkler, fire alarm systems, and fire hydrant plans to the Building Division for plan review concurrently with building plans and shall be approved prior to the issuance of a building permit.
- 71. The applicant shall obtain an Electrical Permit from the Building Division for any temporary electrical power required during construction. No temporary electrical power will be granted to a project unless one of the following items is in place and approved by the Building Division: (A) Installation of a construction trailer, or, (B) Security fencing around the area where the electrical power will be located.
- 72. The applicant shall install temporary construction fencing and screening around the perimeter of the project site. The fencing and screening shall be maintained at all times during construction to protect pedestrians.
- 73. The applicant shall install any required temporary construction trailer on private property. No trailers are allowed to be located within the public right-of-way. The trailer shall be removed prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 74. The applicant shall design and construct accessible paths of travel from the building's accessible entrances to the public right-of-way, accessible parking, and the trash enclosure. Paths of travel shall incorporate (but not limited to) exterior stairs, landings, walks and sidewalks, pedestrian ramps, curb ramps, warning curbs, detectable warning, signage, gates, lifts and walking surface materials, as necessary. The accessible route(s) of travel shall be the most practical direct route between accessible building entrances, site facilities, accessible parking, public sidewalks, and the accessible entrance(s) to the site, California Building Code, (CBC) Chapter 11, Sec, 11A and 11B.
- 75. Prior to issuance of a Building Permit all of the following must be in place on the Site: a portable toilet with hand wash station, temporary construction fencing, and signage on each adjacent street saying "If there is any dust or debris coming from this site please contact (superintendent number here) or the AQMD if the problem is not being resolved" or something similar to this.
- 76. The applicant shall provide temporary toilet facilities for the construction workers. The toilet facilities shall always be maintained in a sanitary condition. The construction toilet facilities of the non-sewer type shall conform to ANSI ZA.3.
- 77. The applicant shall underground all on site utilities to the new proposed structures, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, unless prior approval has been obtained by the utility company or the City.

78. Prior to issuance of Building Permits, site grading final and pad certifications shall be submitted to the Building Division, which include elevation, orientation, and compaction. The certifications are required to be signed by the engineer of record. 79. The applicant shall provide proof of payment to the Colton Joint Unified School District for all required school fees, prior to the issuance of a building permit. 80. Site facilities such as parking open or covered, recreation facilities, and trash dumpster areas, and common use areas shall be accessible per the California Building Code, Chapter 11. 81. The applicant shall place a copy of the Conditions of Approval herein on within the building plan check submittal set and include the PPD number on the right bottom corner cover page in 20 point bold, prior to the issuance of a building permit. 82. The applicant shall ensure that a minimum of 65% of all construction and demo debris shall be recycled using an approved City of Rialto recycling facility during construction. Copies of receipts for recycling shall be provided to the City Inspector and a copy shall be placed in the office of the construction site. 83. Prior to issuance of Building Permits, on site water service shall be installed and approved by the responsible agency. On site fire hydrants shall be approved by the Fire Department. No flammable materials will be allowed on the site until the fire hydrants are established and approved. 84. The applicant shall comply with all applicable requirements of the California Fire Code and Chapter 15.28 (Fire Code) of the Rialto Municipal Code. 85. At the discretion of the Rialto Police Department, the applicant shall illuminate all walkways, passageways, and locations where pedestrians are likely to travel with a minimum of 1.5-foot candles (at surface level) of light during the hours of darkness. Lighting shall be designed/constructed in such a manner as to automatically turn on at dusk and turn off at dawn. 86. At the discretion of the Rialto Police Department, the applicant shall illuminate all alleyways, driveways, and uncovered parking areas with a minimum of 1.5-foot candles (at surface level) of light during the hours of darkness. Lighting shall be designed/constructed in such a manner as to automatically turn on at dusk and turn off at dawn. 87. At the discretion of the Rialto Police Department, the applicant shall illuminate all loading dock areas, truck well areas, and delivery areas with a minimum of 1.5 foot-candles (at surface level) of light during the hours of darkness. Lighting shall be designed/constructed in such a manner as to automatically turn on at dusk and turn off at dawn.

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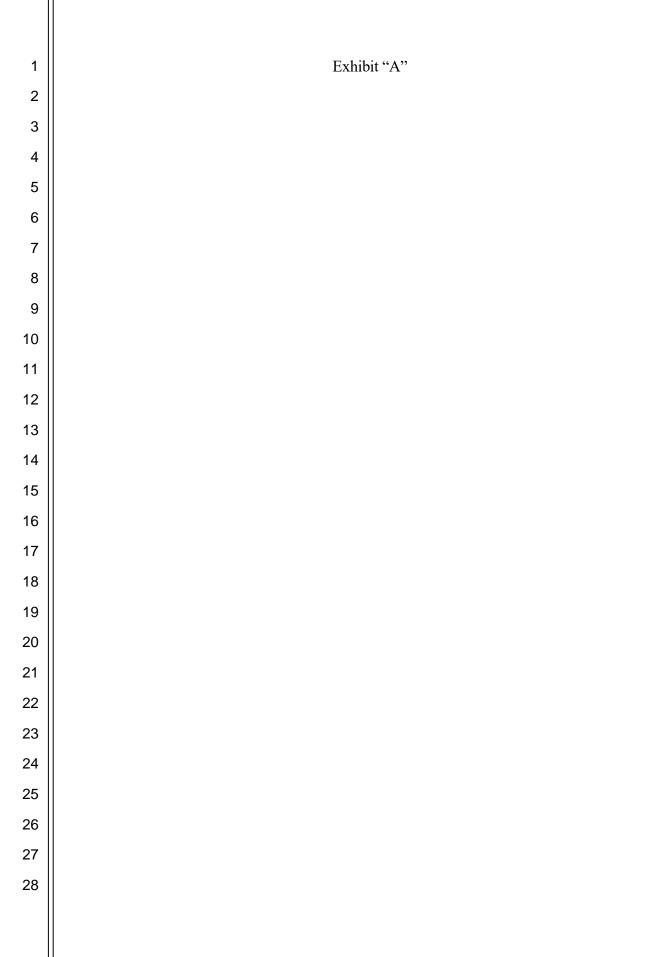
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- 88. The applicant shall design/construct all lighting fixtures and luminaries, including supports, poles and brackets, in such a manner as to resist vandalism and/or destruction by hand.
- 89. The applicant shall provide an illuminated channel letter address prominently placed on the building to be visible to the front of the location, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 90. At the discretion of the Rialto Police Department, the applicant shall install exterior security cameras at the location that cover the entire Site, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. The security cameras shall be accessible to the Rialto Police Department via FusionONE web application.
- 91. The applicant shall install Knox boxes immediately adjacent to all vehicle gates as well as the main entrance of the building and at least one (1) rear entrance on the building to facilitate the entry of safety personnel. The Knox boxes shall be installed in such a manner as to be alarmed, resist vandalism, removal, or destruction by hand, and be fully recessed into the building. The Knox boxes shall be equipped with the appropriate keys, for each required location, prior to the first day of business. The Knox-Box placement shall be shown on the formal building plan review submittal prior to the issuance of a building permit.
- 92. The applicant shall prominently display the address on the building rooftop to be visible to aerial law enforcement or fire aircraft. Specifications to be followed for alphanumeric characters are as follows: Three (3) foot tall and six (6) inches thick alphanumeric characters. The alphanumeric characters shall be constructed in such a way that they are in stark contrast to the background to which they are attached (e.g. white numbers and letters on a black background), and resistant weathering that would cause a degradation of the contrast.
- 93. The applicant shall provide an audible alarm within the building, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. The building shall be alarmed in such a way as to emit a continuous audible notification until reset by responsible personnel (e.g. alarmed exit device / crash bar.
- 94. The applicant or General Contractor shall identify each contractor and subcontractor hired to work at the job site on a Contractor Sublist form and return it to the Business License Division with a Business License application and the Business License tax fee based on the Contractors tax rate for each contractor.
- 95. Prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the applicant shall pay a business license tax based on the applicable tax rate pertaining to the proposed use.

1	SECTION 5. The Chairman of the Planning Commission shall sign the passage and
2	adoption of this resolution and thereupon the same shall take effect and be in force.
3	PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this <u>10th</u> day of <u>November, 2021.</u>
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7	FRANK GONZALEZ, CHAIR CITY OF RIALTO PLANNING COMMISSION
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1	STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
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5	I, Adrianna Martinez, Administrative Assistant of the City of Rialto, do hereby certify that	
6	the foregoing Resolution No was duly passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Planning	
7	Commission of the City of Rialto held on the <u>th</u> day of <u>,</u> 2021.	
8	Upon motion of Planning Commissioner, seconded by Planning Commissioner	
9	, the foregoing Resolution Nowas duly passed and adopted.	
10	Vote on the motion:	
11	AYES:	
12	NOES:	
13	ABSENT:	
14	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the Official Seal of the City of	
15	Rialto this <u>th</u> day of <u>,</u> 2021.	
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For the Planning Commission Meeting of November 10, 2021
TO: Honorable Chairman and Planning Commissioners
APPROVAL: Daniel Casey, Acting Community Development Manager
FROM: Dionne Harris, Senior Planner

Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037: A request to operate an outlet store within an existing 2,146 square foot tenant space located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue within the Central Commercial (C-2) Zone ("Project" or "project"). This project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15301 (Existing Facilities Projects) of the State CEQA Guidelines.

<u>APPLICANT:</u>

Adam Awwad, 986 South Teawood Avenue, Bloomington, CA 92316.

LOCATION:

The project site is located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue within the Five Points Plaza commercial center, which is located at the southeast corner of Riverside Avenue and Merrill Avenue (Refer to the attached Location Map (**Exhibit A**)).

BACKGROUND:

Surrounding General Plan Land Use Designations

Location	General Plan Designation	
Site	e General Commercial	
North	Downtown Mixed Use / Residential 12	
East	Residential 6	
South Residential 21 / General Commercial		
West General Commercial		

Surrounding Zoning Designations

Location	Zoning	
Site	Central Commercial (C-2)	

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North	Support Facilities (S-F) / Multi-Family Residential (MFR)	
East	Single Family Residential (R-1C)	
South	Central Commercial (C-2) / Multi-Family Residential (R-3)	
West Central Commercial (C-2)		

Site Characteristics

The project site consists of a 2,146 square foot tenant space within the Five Points Plaza commercial center located at the southeast corner of Riverside Avenue and Merrill Avenue. The Five Points Plaza is currently developed with parking, lighting, landscaping, and several commercial structures. The commercial center is occupied by El Super grocery store, Planet Fitness, Del Taco, and many other supporting commercial uses.

Surrounding Area

The Five Points Plaza is bound on the west by Riverside Avenue and on the north by Merrill Avenue. To the north, across Merrill Avenue, is an AT&T telecommunications center and a residential townhome development, and to the east is a single-family residential subdivision built in 1957. To the south are several residential triplexes and the Plaza Rialto commercial center comprised of three (3) buildings totaling approximately 23,000 square feet in size, and to the west, across Riverside Avenue, is a Walgreens drug store.

ANALYSIS/DISCUSSION:

Project Proposal

Adam Awwad, the applicant, proposes to establish an outlet store within a 2,146 square foot inline tenant space located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue (Exhibit B). The proposed business name is City Outlet. The outlet store operation will consist of sales of an assortment of products, including small and large kitchen appliances, dinnerware collections, toys, small bikes and scooters, patio furniture and indoor furniture (sofas beds, drawers, dining tables and chairs), coffee tables, and home décor. The Project will operate from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. seven (7) days a week and will have six (6) employees.

Entitlement Requirements

Per Section 18.66.030Q of the Rialto Municipal Code, the establishment and operation of an outlet store is subject to the approval of a Conditional Development Permit by the Planning Commission. The applicant has complied with this requirement and filed a complete application with the Planning Division on October 19, 2021.

Floor Plan Layout

As shown on the floor plan (**Exhibit C**), the proposed outlet store will have a cashier counter near the front of the store, a show room area for appliances and furniture in the center of the store, and shelving for smaller goods around the perimeter of the store.

Land Use Compatibility

The Five Points Plaza was developed to accommodate various retail uses. Retail outlet stores are generally compatible with other retail uses and services typically found in commercial centers, including the existing businesses within the Five Points Plaza. As such, the Planning Division

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considers the City Outlet operation to be compatible with the area in which it will locate. With the approval of the Conditional Development Permit, City Outlet will be subject to a Planning Commission review within six (6) months from the date of approval to ensure compliance with all Conditions of Approval, and to ensure that the establishment has not become a nuisance. Thereafter, the establishment will be subject to annual review.

GENERAL PLAN CONSISTENCY:

The project is consistent with the following goals of the Economic Development Element of the Rialto General Plan:

Goal 3-1: Strengthen and diversify the economic base and employment opportunities, and maintain a positive business climate.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT:

California Environmental Quality Act

The project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15301, Existing Facilities, Class 1, which allows for the exemption of a project consisting of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures.

PUBLIC NOTICE:

The City mailed a public hearing notice for the proposed project to all property owners within 660 feet of the project site and published the public hearing notice in the *San Bernardino Sun* newspaper as required by State law.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Planning Division recommends that the Planning Commission:

- Find that the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15301, Existing Facilities, of the State CEQA Guidelines; and
- Adopt the attached Resolution (Exhibit D) to approve Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037 to allow the establishment and operation of an outlet store within an existing 2,146 square foot tenant space located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue within the Central Commercial (C -2) Zone, subject to the findings and conditions therein.

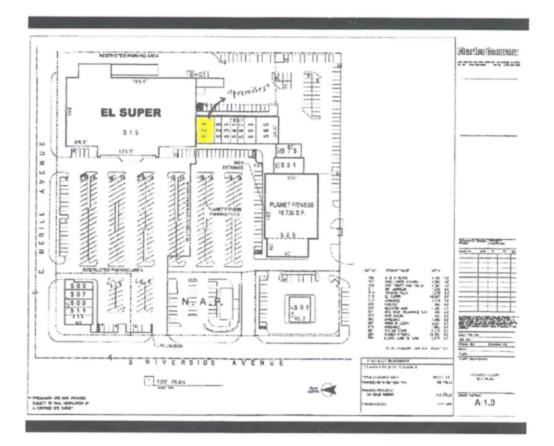


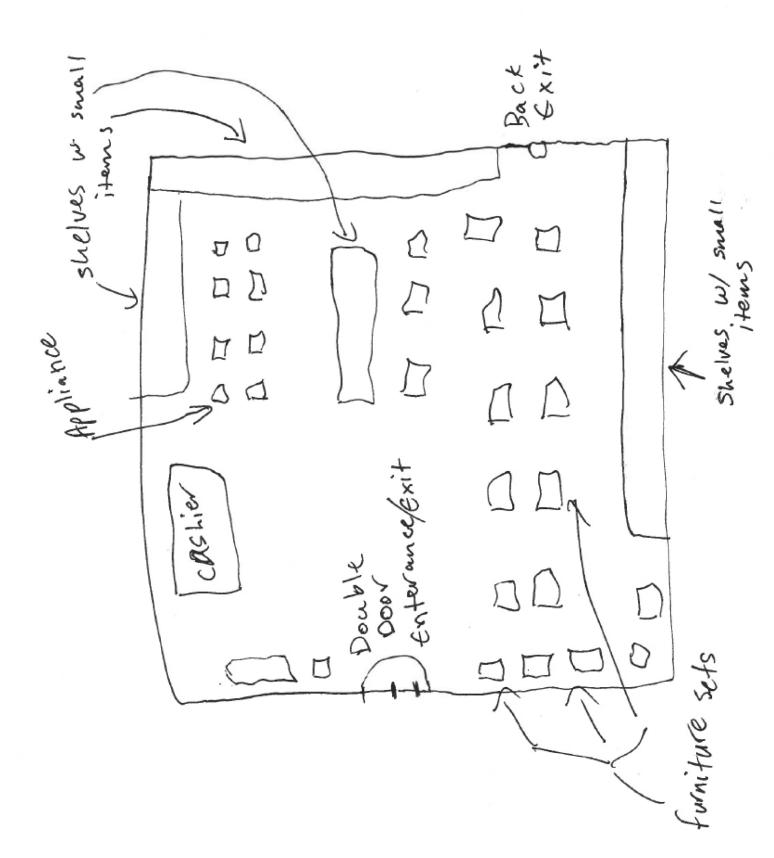
Project Location Map

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EXHIBIT A SITE PLAN OF SHOPPING CENTER





RESOLUTION NO. 2021-XX

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF RIALTO, CALIFORNIA APPROVING CONDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 2021-0037 ALLOWING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF AN OUTLET STORE WITHIN A 2,146 SQUARE FOOT TENANT SPACE LOCATED AT 523 S. RIVERSIDE AVENUE WITHIN THE CENTRAL COMMERCIAL (C-2) ZONE.

WHEREAS, the applicant, Adam Awwad, proposes to establish and operate an outlet store ("Project") within a 2,146 square foot tenant space located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue (APN:1133-110-57) within the Central Commercial (C-2) Zone ("Site"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 18.66.030Q of the Rialto Municipal Code, the establishment and operation of an outlet store, such as the Project, within the C-2 zone requires the approval of a conditional development permit by the Planning Commission, and the applicant has applied for Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037 ("CDP No. 2021-0037"); and

WHEREAS, on November 10, 2021, the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto conducted a duly noticed public hearing, as required by law, on CDP No. 2021-0037, took testimony, at which time it received input from staff, the city attorney, and the applicant; heard public testimony; discussed the proposed CDP No. 2021-0037; and closed the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, all legal prerequisites to the adoption of this Resolution have occurred.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Planning Commission of the City of Rialto as follows:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The Planning Commission hereby specifically finds that all of the facts set forth in the recitals above of this Resolution are true and correct and incorporated herein.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> Based on substantial evidence presented to the Planning Commission during the public hearing conducted with regard to CDP No. 2021-0037, including written staff reports, verbal testimony, site plans, other documents, and the conditions of approval stated herein, the Planning Commission hereby determines that CDP No. 2021-0037 satisfies the requirements of Section 18.66.020 of the Rialto Municipal Code pertaining to the findings which must be made precedent to granting a conditional development permit. The findings are as follows:

1. The proposed use is deemed essential or desirable to provide a service or facility which will contribute to the convenience or general well-being of the neighborhood or community; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Project will provide a benefit to the community and customers within the vicinity by providing an assortment of products: small and large kitchen appliances, dinnerware collections, toys, small bikes and scooters, patio furniture and indoor furniture (sofas beds, drawers, dining tables and chairs), coffee tables, and home décor. Additionally, the Conditions of Approval imposed on the establishment will ensure that establishment contributes to the well-being of the community and that it doesn't become a nuisance or hazard to the public.

2. The proposed use will not be detrimental or injurious to health, safety, or general welfare of persons residing or working in the vicinity; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site consists of a 2,146 square foot tenant space within the Five Points Plaza commercial center located at the southeast corner of Riverside Avenue and Merrill Avenue. To the north, across Merrill Avenue, is an AT&T telecommunications center and a residential townhome development, and to the east is a single-family residential subdivision built in 1957. To the south are several residential triplexes and the Plaza Rialto commercial center comprised of three (3) buildings totaling approximately 23,000 square feet in size, and to the west, across Riverside Avenue, is a Walgreens drug store.

The Project is consistent with the Central Commercial (C-2) land use district of the, the commercial uses within the Five Points Plaza commercial center, and the commercial uses to the south of the Site. Retail outlet stores are generally compatible with other retail uses and services typically found in commercial centers, including the businesses that currently exist within the center. These sensitive uses are not expected to be negatively impacted by the Project since the applicant is required by the conditions of approval contained herein to implement.

3. The site for the proposed use is adequate in size, shape, topography, accessibility and other physical characteristics to accommodate the proposed use in a manner compatible with existing land uses; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site is within the Five Point Plaza commercial center. The commercial center consists of five (5) parcels of land, approximately 103,113 square feet or 12.69 acres in size, located at the southeast corner of Merrill Avenue and Riverside Avenue. The applicant proposes to operate an outlet store within a 2,146 square foot tenant space within one (1) of the four (4) buildings on the commercial center. The applicant's tenant space and the Five Point Plaza commercial center have adequate physical characteristics to accommodate the addition of a new product for sale within the tenant space.

4. The site has adequate access to those utilities and other services required for the proposed use; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The existing tenant space has adequate access to all utilities and services required through main water, electric, sewer, and other utility lines that are already hooked up to the Site. The Project will not require any additional utilities or services.

5. The proposed use will be arranged, designed, and maintained so as it will not be injurious to property or improvements in the vicinity or otherwise be inharmonious with the General Plan and its objectives, or any zoning ordinances; and

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Site consists of an existing tenant space within an existing commercial center that has been developed and maintained in a manner that is consistent with the C-2 zone. The operation of the proposed outlet store within the Site is also consistent with the General Commercial general plan land use district. If all Conditions of Approval contained herein are satisfied, the Project will not negatively impact any land uses within the vicinity.

Furthermore, the Project is consistent with Goal 3-1 of the General Plan by contributing to the strengthening of an economic base and employment opportunities.

6. Any potential adverse effects upon the surrounding properties will be minimized to every extent practical and any remaining adverse effects shall be outweighed by the benefits conferred upon the community or neighborhood as a whole.

This finding is supported by the following facts:

The Conditions of Approval contained herein will minimize the Project's impacts. The granting of CDP No. 2021-0037, allowing the establishment and operation of an outlet store within an existing tenant space, will potentially maintain a viable tenant within a commercial building that has historically suffered from high turnover. Furthermore, the use will continue to offer residents and visitors seeking assortment of products for the

1 community. Therefore, the adverse effects are outweighed by the benefits conferred upon the community and neighborhood as a whole. 2 SECTION 3. The Project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California 3 Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15301, Existing Facilities. No new 4 construction or physical alterations are proposed as a part of the Project. The Planning Commission 5 6 directs the Planning Division to file the necessary documentation with the Clerk of the Board of 7 Supervisors for San Bernardino County. 8 SECTION 4. CDP No. 2021-0037 is granted to Adam Awwad, in accordance with the 9 plans and application on file with the Planning Division, subject to the following conditions: 10 1. CDP No. 2021-0037 is granted allowing the establishment and operation of an outlet store within a 2,146 square foot tenant space located at 523 S. Riverside Avenue, and as 11 approved by the Planning Commission. If the Conditions of Approval specified herein 12 are not satisfied or otherwise completed, the Project shall be subject to revocation. 13 2. City inspectors shall have access to the site to reasonably inspect the site during normal working hours to assure compliance with these conditions and other codes. 14 15 3. The applicant shall indemnify, protect, defend, and hold harmless, the City of Rialto, and/or any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and 16 instrumentalities thereof (collectively, the "City Parties"), from any and all claims, demands, law suits, writs of mandamus, and other actions and proceedings (whether 17 legal, equitable, declaratory, administrative or adjudicatory in nature), and alternative 18 dispute resolutions procedures (including, but not limited to arbitrations, mediations, and other such procedures), (collectively "Actions"), brought against the City, and/or 19 any of its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof, that challenge, attack, or seek to modify, set aside, void, or 20 annul, the any action of, or any permit or approval issued by, the City and/or any of 21 its officials, officers, employees, agents, departments, agencies, and instrumentalities thereof (including actions approved by the voters of the City), for or concerning the 22 Project (collectively, the "Entitlements"), whether such Actions are brought under the California Environmental Quality Act, the Planning and Zoning Law, the Subdivision 23 Map Act, Code of Civil Procedure Chapter 1085 or 1094.5, the California Public 24 Records Act, or any other state, federal, or local statute, law, ordinance, rule, regulation, or any decision of a court of competent jurisdiction. This condition to 25 indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the City harmless shall include, but not limited to (i) damages, fees and/or costs awarded against the City, if any, and (ii) cost of suit, 26 attorneys' fees and other costs, liabilities and expenses incurred in connection with 27 such proceeding whether incurred by applicant, Property owner, or the City and/or other parties initiating or bringing such proceeding (collectively, subparts (i) and (ii) 28

are the "Damages"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the Applicant shall not be liable to the City Parties under this indemnity to the extent the Damages incurred by any of the City Parties in such Action(s) are a result of the City Parties' fraud, intentional misconduct or gross negligence in connection with issuing the Entitlements. The applicant shall execute an agreement to indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the City harmless as stated herein within five (5) days of approval of CDP No. 2021-0037.

- 4. In accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 66020(d)(1), the imposition of fees, dedications, reservations, or exactions for this Project, if any, are subject to protest by the applicant at the time of approval or conditional approval of the Project or within 90 days after the date of the imposition of the fees, dedications, reservations, or exactions imposed on the Project.
- 5. Outdoor display and storage of any kind is prohibited at all times.
- 6. All items for sale shall be displayed in an orderly manner on the show room floor, shelves, and racks.
- 7. All signage shall comply with Section 18.102 (Regulation of Signs) of the Rialto Municipal Code.
- 8. A City business license shall be required prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy (C of O) or final permits.
- 9. Six (6) months after the date of approval, the Planning Commission may review Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037 to determine if the operator has complied with all of the required conditions of approval. Thereafter, the Planning Commission may review the approved facility on an annual or as needed basis.
- 10. The privileges granted by the Planning Commission pursuant to approval of this Conditional Development Permit are valid for one (1) year from the effective date of approval. If the applicant fails to commence the project within one year of said effective date, this conditional development permit shall be null and void and any privileges granted hereunder shall terminate automatically. If the applicant or his or her successor in interest commences the project within one year of the effective date of approval, the privileges granted hereunder will continue inured to the property as long as the property is used for the purpose for which the conditional development permit was granted, and such use remains compatible with adjacent property uses.
- 11. If the applicant fails to comply with any of the Conditions of Approval placed upon Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037, the Planning Commission may initiate proceedings to revoke the Conditional Development Permit in accordance with the provisions of sections 18.66.070 through 18.66.090, inclusive, of the Rialto Municipal Code. Conditional Development Permit No. 2021-0037 shall be revoked,

1 2		I or modified in accordance with Section 18.66.070 of the Zoning e at the discretion of the Planning Commission if:
3	a)	The use for which such approval was granted has ceased to exist, been subsequently modified or have been suspended for six (6) months or more;
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5	b)	Any of the express conditions or terms of such permit are violated;
6	c)	The use for which such approval was granted becomes or is found to be
7		objectionable or incompatible with the character of the City and its environs due to noise, loitering, criminal activity or other undesirable
8 9		characteristics including, but not strictly limited to uses which are or have become offensive to neighboring property or the goals and objectives of the Central Commercial (C-2) zone, and the City's General Plan.
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10	<u>SECTION 6</u> .	The Chairman of the Planning Commission shall sign this resolution
11	evidencing it's the part	ssage and adoption of this resolution and thereupon the same shall take effect
12	and be in force.	
13	PASSED, AP	PROVED AND ADOPTED this <u>10th</u> day of <u>November, 2021.</u>
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17		FRANK GONZALEZ, CHAIR
18		CITY OF RIALTO PLANNING COMMISSION
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1	STATE OF CALIFORNIA)		
2	COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO) ss		
3	CITY OF RIALTO)		
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5	I, Adrianna Martinez, Administrative Assistant of the City of Rialto, do hereby certify that		
6	the foregoing Resolution No was duly passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the		
7	Planning Commission of the City of Rialto held on the <u>th</u> day of <u></u> , 2021.		
8	Upon motion of Planning Commissioner, seconded by Planning Commissioner		
9	, the foregoing Resolution Nowas duly passed and adopted.		
10	Vote on the motion:		
11	AYES:		
12	NOES:		
13	ABSENT:		
14	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the Official Seal of the City		
15	of Rialto this <u>th</u> day of <u>,</u> 2021.		
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20	ADRIANNA MARTINEZ, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT		
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Planning Commission - Miscellaneous Items Tracking Report

PLANNING COMMISSION – NOVEMBER 10, 2021 MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS TRACKING REPORT

Item Description	Status
Frisbee Park	Ongoing
	 Police is coordinating with Public Works to reinstall the cameras
	Public Works to install proper power connections
	Police working to recruit camera vendor
	Cameras to be installed Summer 2022 at the latest
Car Wash Location Maps	Completed
	Gas Station Car Wash map completed
	Standalone Car Wash map completed
Sales of Alcohol for Off-Site Consumption	Ongoing
	 Staff preparing exhibits to show locations of alcohol selling establishments
	 Exhibits anticipated to be ready 12/8

