

# City of San José Historic Landmarks Commission

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#### **AMENDED**

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA November 6, 2019

San José City Hall Wing Room 120

6:30 p.m.

#### I. Deferrals

a. MA19-004. Historical Property Contract (California Mills Act contract) for Smith House between the City of San José and the owners of the subject property. Council District 3. CEQA: Exempt pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15331 for Historical Resource Restoration/Rehabilitation.

PROJECT MANAGER, Rina Shah

**Recommendation:** Deferred to the December 4, 2019 Historic Landmarks Commission meeting per staff request.

b. <u>H19-019.</u> Site Development Permit for the "Kelsey Ayer" project including demolition of a non-historic commercial buildings and construction of a new six-story, 115-unit multi-family development on an approximately 0.47-gross acre site at 447 North First Street and surrounded by many historic resources. Council District 3.

PROJECT MANAGER, Stefanie Farmer

**Recommendation:** Dropped per Staff request.

### II. Consent Calendar

# III. Public Hearing

a. <u>H16-042 & HP17-003.</u> Site Development Permit and Historic Preservation Permit to allow the construction of a 24-story, 274-room hotel, integrated with the Montgomery Hotel, a designated City Landmark, with off-site parking on an approximately 0.58-gross acre site property located on the westerly side of South 1st Street approximately 340 northerly of West San Carlos Street (211 South 1st Street) (Khanna Enterprises LTD III LP, Owner). Council District: 3. CEQA: Supplemental Environmental Impact Report to the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Downtown Strategy 2040 (Resolution No. 78942), for San Jose Tribute Hotel. Deferred from 10/2/19. *PROJECT MANAGER*, *John Tu* 

**Recommendation:** Recommend that the Planning Director approve the Site Development Permit and Historic Preservation Permit.

b. HL19-004 & MA19-002. Historic Landmark Nomination to designate "Filice House" built in 1939 in the English Tudor Revival style as a City Landmark and Historical Property Contract (California Mills Act contract) between the City of San José and the owners of the subject property on an approximately 0.15-gross acre site located at 1651 Hanchett Avenue (Taylor and Justin Buzzard, Owners). Council District 6. CEQA: Exempt pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15331 for Historical Resource Restoration/Rehabilitation.

PROJECT MANAGER, Rina Shah

**Recommendation:** Recommend that the City Council approve the Historic Landmark Designation and Mills Act Contract.

c. <u>MA19-005</u>. Historical Property Contract (California Mills Act contract) between the City of San José and the owners of the subject properties (12 S First Street, LLC) for the preservation, restoration, and rehabilitation of the designated "Bank of Italy" City Landmark (HS84-27). Council District 3. CEQA: Exempt pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15331 for Historical Resource Restoration/Rehabilitation. *PROJECT MANAGER*, *Rina Shah* 

**Recommendation:** Recommend that the City Council approve the Mills Act Contract.

## IV. Referrals from City Council, Boards, Commissions, or other Agencies

V. Open Forum (Members of the Public are invited to speak on any item that does not appear on today's Agenda and that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. Meeting attendees are usually given two (2) minutes to speak on any discussion item and/or during open forum; the time limit is in the discretion of the Chair of the meeting and may be limited when appropriate. Speakers using a translator will be given twice the time allotted to ensure non-English speakers receive the same opportunity to directly address the Committee, Board or Commission.)

### VI. Good and Welfare

- a. Report from Secretary, Planning Commission, and City Council
  - i. Past Agenda Items: No items.
  - ii. Future Potential Agenda Items: Sobrato Block 8 (H19-033), Fountain Alley Building (HP19-007), Google Project.
  - iii. Summary of communications received by the Historic Landmarks Commission.

## b. Report from Committees

i. Design Review Subcommittee: Meeting held on October 16 to review the Saint James Park Improvement Plan and the Our Lady of La Vang Parish Church project.

# c. Approval of Action Minutes

i. **Recommendation:** Approval of Action Minutes for the Historic Landmarks Commission Meeting of October 2, 2019.

# d. Status of Circulating Environmental Documents

Notice of Preparation of an Environmental Impact Report for GP19-009, PDC19-039, and PD19-029, the Downtown West Mixed-Use Plan (Google Project). EIR Scoping comments due November 22, 2019 and Scoping Meeting on November 7, 2019. <a href="http://www.sanjoseca.gov/index.aspx?nid=6468">http://www.sanjoseca.gov/index.aspx?nid=6468</a>.

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