RESOLUTION NO.	
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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE ADOPTING THE 1212-1224 SOUTH WINCHESTER BOULEVARD HOTEL MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION, FOR WHICH AN INITIAL STUDY WAS PREPARED, ALL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT, AS AMENDED, AND ADOPTING A RELATED MITIGATION MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, prior to the adoption of this Resolution, the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement of the City of San José prepared an Initial Study and approved for circulation a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the 1212-1224 South Winchester Boulevard Hotel Project under Planning File Nos. C19-031, and SP20-016 (the "Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration"), all in accordance with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, together with state and local guidelines implementing said Act, all as amended to date (collectively "CEQA"); and

WHEREAS, the 1212-1224 South Winchester Boulevard Hotel Project (the "Project") analyzed under the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration consists of a rezoning from the R-1-8 Single-Family Residence Zoning District to the CP Commercial Pedestrian Zoning District and a Special Use Permit to demolish existing residential buildings, and remove all associated pavement, landscaping, and removal of nine trees, including four ordinance-size trees, to construct an approximately 107,079-square foot, six-story high, 119-room hotel with an approximately 49% parking reduction and an alternative parking arrangement on an approximately 0.69-gross acre site located on the east side of South Winchester Boulevard, approximately 270 feet south of Fireside Drive (1212-1224 South Winchester Boulevard) (Assessor's Parcel Numbers 279-17-020, 279-17-021), San José, California; and

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WHEREAS, the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration concluded that

implementation of the Project could result in certain significant effects on the

environment and identified mitigation measures that would reduce each of those

significant effects to a less-than-significant level; and

WHEREAS, in connection with the approval of a project involving the preparation of an

initial study/mitigated negative declaration that identifies one or more significant

environmental effects, CEQA requires the decision-making body of the lead agency to

incorporate feasible mitigation measures that would reduce those significant

environmental effects to a less-than-significant level; and

WHEREAS, whenever a lead agency approves a project requiring the implementation

of measures to mitigate or avoid significant effects on the environment, CEQA also

requires a lead agency to adopt a mitigation monitoring and reporting program to ensure

compliance with the mitigation measures during project implementation, and such a

mitigation monitoring and reporting program has been prepared for the Project for

consideration by the decision-maker of the City of San José as lead agency for the

Project (the "Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program"); and

WHEREAS, the City of San José is the lead agency on the Project, and the City Council

is the decision-making body for the proposed approval to undertake the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed and considered the Initial Study/Mitigated

Negative Declaration and related Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program for the

Project and intends to take actions on the Project in compliance with CEQA and state

and local guidelines implementing CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and related Mitigation

Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Project are on file in the Office of the Director

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of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, located at 200 East Santa Clara Street,

3rd Floor Tower, San José, California, 95113, are available for inspection by any

interested person at that location and on-line and are, by this reference, incorporated

into this Resolution as if fully set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF

SAN JOSE:

THAT THE CITY COUNCIL does hereby make the following findings: (1) it has

independently reviewed and analyzed the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration

and other information in the record and has considered the information contained

therein, prior to acting upon or approving the Project, (2) the Initial Study/Mitigated

Negative Declaration prepared for the Project has been completed in compliance with

CEQA and is consistent with state and local guidelines implementing CEQA, and (3) the

Initial Study/ Mitigated Negative Declaration represents the independent judgment and

analysis of the City of San José, as lead agency for the Project. The City Council

designates the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement at the Director's

Office at 200 East Santa Clara Street, 3rd Floor Tower, San José, California, 95113, as

the custodian of documents and records of proceedings on which this decision is based.

THAT THE CITY COUNCIL does hereby find that based upon the entire record of

proceedings before it and all information received that there is no substantial evidence

that the Project will have a significant effect on the environment and does hereby adopt

the Mitigated Negative Declaration and related Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting

Program prepared for the Project (Planning File Nos. C19-031 and SP20-016). The

Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Project is attached hereto as

Exhibit "A" and fully incorporated herein. The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative

Declaration and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program are: (1) on file in the

Office of the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, located at 200 East

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Santa Clara Street, 3rd Floor	Tower, San José, California, 95113 and (2) available for
inspection by any interested po	erson.
ADOPTED this day of	, 2021, by the following vote:
AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
DISQUALIFIED:	
ATTEST:	SAM LICCARDO Mayor
TONI J. TABER, CMC City Clerk	_

#### MITIGATION MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM

# 1073-1087 S. Winchester Boulevard Mixed-Use Project

File Nos.: SP20-002 and T20-003

August 2021



#### **PREFACE**

Section 21081.6 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requires a Lead Agency to adopt a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program whenever it approves a project for which measures have been required to mitigate or avoid significant effects on the environment. The purpose of the monitoring and reporting program is to ensure compliance with the mitigation measures during project implementation.

The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for the 1073-1087 South Winchester Boulevard Mixed-Use Project concluded that the implementation of the project could result in significant effects on the environment and mitigation measures were incorporated into the proposed project or are required as a condition of project approval. This Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program addresses those measures in terms of how and when they will be implemented.

This document does *not* discuss those subjects for which the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration concluded that the impacts from implementation of the project would be less than significant.

I, <u>Henry Cord</u>, the applicant, on the behalf of <u>Adam Askari</u>, the property owner, hereby agree to fully implement the mitigation measures described below which have been developed in conjunction with the preparation of an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration for my proposed project. I understand that these mitigation measures or substantially similar measures will be adopted as conditions of approval with my development permit request to avoid or significantly reduce potential environmental impacts to a less than significant level.

Project Appli	icant's Signature	Henry	W. Cord	 
Date	August 14, 2021			 



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AIR QUALITY					
Impact: The project could expose the sensitive receptors	to substantial pollutant conc	entrations.			
MM AQ-1: Prior to the issuance of any demolition, grading, or building permits (whichever occurs earliest), the project applicant shall submit a construction operation plan to the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement or Director's designee, demonstrating that the off-road equipment used for construction of the project achieve a fleet-wide average of at least 94 percent reduction in particulate matter exhaust emissions.  All mobile diesel-powered off-road equipment operating on-site for more than two days and larger than 50 horsepower shall, at a minimum, meet U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) particulate matter emissions standards for Tier 4 engines or equivalent. Prior to the issuance of any demolition permits, the project applicant shall submit a construction operation plan to the Supervising Planner of the Environmental Review Division of the Department of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, which includes specifications of the equipment to be used during construction and confirmation this requirement is met.	Prepare and submit a construction operation plan to Supervising Planner of the Department of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement.  Implement all measures in the construction operation plan.	Prior to the issuance of any demolition, grading, or building permits (whichever occurs earliest).  During construction activities.	Supervising Planner of the Department of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement.	Receive and approve Construction Operations Plan	Prior to the issuance of any demolition, grading, or building permits (whichever occurs earliest).





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Other measures may be implemented to minimize construction period Diesel Particulate Matter (DPM) emissions to reduce the estimated cancer risk below the thresholds. The use of equipment that includes CARB-certified Level 4 Diesel Particulate Filters or alternatively-fueled equipment (i.e., non-diesel), added exhaust devices, or a combination of these measures could meet this requirement. If any of these alternative measures are proposed, the construction operations plans must include specifications of the equipment to be used during construction prior to the issuance of any demolition permits. The plan shall be accompanied by a letter signed by a qualified air quality specialist, verifying the equipment included in the plan meets the standards set forth in this mitigation measure.					
BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES					
Impact: The project may have a substantial adverse effectstatus species in local or regional plans, policies, regulation					sensitive, or special
MM BIO-1: Initial site disturbance activities, including vegetation removal, shall not occur during the general avian nesting season (February 1 through August 31, inclusive). If construction activities cannot be scheduled to avoid nesting season, the project applicant shall retain a qualified biologist to conduct a preconstruction nesting bird survey to determine the presence/absence, location,	Schedule construction activities outside of nesting season (September 1st through January 31st). If construction activities cannot be scheduled between September 1st and	Prior to any site disturbance such as tree removal, or approval of grading, building or demolition permits	Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement or Director's designee	Review report of the results of the Nesting Bird Survey report and any designated buffer zones.	Prior to any tree removal, or approval of any grading, building or demolition permits (whichever occurs first).



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and status of nests on or adjacent to the project site. The extent of the survey buffer area surrounding the site shall be established by the qualified biologist to avoid direct and indirect impacts to nesting birds. To avoid the destruction of active nests and protect the reproductive success of birds protected by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act and California Fish and Game Code, nesting bird surveys shall be performed not more than 14 days prior to vegetation clearance and structure demolition.  Following commencement of construction activities, no additional nesting bird surveys would be required. If active nests are discovered, an avoidance buffer for raptors, typically 250 feet, shall be established around such active nests and no construction shall be allowed within the buffer areas until a qualified biologist has determined the nest is no longer active (e.g., the nestlings have fledged and are no longer reliant on the nest). No ground disturbing activities shall occur within this buffer until the qualified biologist has confirmed breeding/nesting is complete and the young have fledged the nest. Nesting bird surveys are not required for construction activities occurring between September 1 and January 31, inclusive.  Prior to any site disturbance, such as tree removal, or the issuance of any grading, building or demolition permits	January 31st (inclusive), a qualified ornithologist/biologist shall conduct preconstruction surveys and establish construction-free buffer zones.  The ornithologist/biologist shall submit a report indicating the results of the survey and any designated buffer zones to the Director of Planning, Building, and Code Enforcement or Director's designee.	(whichever occurs first).			





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(whichever occurs first), the ornithologist/biologist shall submit a report indicating the results of the survey and any designated buffer zones to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, or the Director's designee.					
NOISE					
Impact: The project could result in generation of a temp	orary increase in ambient no	ise levels in the vicinit	y of the project in exc	ess of standards esta	blished in the local
general plan or noise ordinance during construction of the				1	1
MM N-1: Construction Noise Logistics Plan: Prior to	Submit and implement	Prior to issuance of	Director of	Receive	Prior to issuance of
the issuance of any grading or demolition permits, the	Construction Noise	any grading or	Planning, Building	Construction	any grading or
project applicant shall submit and implement a	Logistics Plan to the	demolition permits	and Code	noise logistics	demolition
construction noise logistics plan that specifies hours of	Director of Planning,		Enforcement or	plan	permits.
construction, noise and vibration minimization measures,	Building and Code		Director's designee		
posting and notification of construction schedules,	Enforcement or Director's				
equipment to be used, and designation of a noise	designee.				
disturbance coordinator. The noise disturbance coordinator					
shall respond to neighborhood complaints and shall be in					
place prior to the start of construction and implemented					
during construction to reduce noise impacts on					
neighboring residents and other uses. The noise logistic					
plan shall be submitted to the Director of Planning or					
Director's designee of the Department of Planning,					
Building, and Code Enforcement prior to the issuance of					
any grading or demolition permits.					



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As a part of the noise logistic plan and project, construction activities for the proposed project shall include, but is not limited to, the following best management practices:  • In accordance with Policy EC-1.7 of the City's General Plan, utilize the best available noise suppression devices and techniques during construction activities.  • Limit construction hours to between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, unless permission is granted with a development permit or other planning approval. No construction activities are permitted on the weekends at sites within 500 feet of a residence.  • Construct solid plywood fences around ground level construction sites adjacent to operational businesses, residences, or other noise-sensitive land uses.  • Equip all internal combustion engine-driven equipment with intake and exhaust mufflers that are in good condition and appropriate for the equipment.  • Prohibit unnecessary idling of internal combustion engines.  • Locate stationary noise-generating equipment such as air compressors or portable power generators as far as possible from sensitive receptors. Construct					



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temporary noise barriers to screen stationary noise-					
generating equipment when located near adjoining					
sensitive land uses.					
• Utilize "quiet" air compressors and other					
stationary noise sources where technology exists.					
Control noise from construction workers' radios					
to a point where they are not audible at existing residences					
bordering the project site.					
• Notify all adjacent business, residences, and other					
noise-sensitive land uses of the construction schedule, in					
writing, and provide a written schedule of "noisy"					
construction activities to the adjacent land uses and nearby					
residences.					
• If complaints are received or excessive noise					
levels cannot be reduced using the measures above, erect a					
temporary noise control blanket barrier along surrounding					
building facades that face the construction sites.					
• Designate a "disturbance coordinator" who shall					
be responsible for responding to any complaints about					
construction noise. The disturbance coordinator shall					
determine the cause of the noise complaint (e.g., bad					
muffler, etc.) and shall require that reasonable measures be					
implemented to correct the problem. Conspicuously post a					



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telephone number for the disturbance coordinator at the construction site and include it in the notice sent to neighbors regarding the construction schedule.  • Limit construction to the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday for any on-site or offsite work within 500 feet of any residential unit.  Construction outside of these hours may be approved through a development permit based on a site-specific "construction noise mitigation plan" and a finding by the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement that the construction noise mitigation plan is adequate to prevent noise disturbance of affected residential uses					
TRANSPORTATION/TRAFFIC					
Impact: The project exceeds the City's Vehicle Miles Tra	` ′		e.	_	
MM TR-1 Prior to the issuance of any building permits, the project applicant shall implement a Transportation Demand Management (TDM). The plan shall include an annual monitoring requirement establishing an average daily trip (ADT) cap of 36 AM peak-hour trips and 41 PM peak-hour trips. The annual monitoring report must demonstrate the project is within 10 percent of the ADT cap and must be prepared by a traffic engineer. If the	Prepare and implement a TDM plan. Submit a copy of the TDM plan to the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, or Director's designee and the Director of the City of San José	Prior to issuance of any building permits	Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, or Director's designee and the Director of the City of San José Department of Public Works	Receive copy of TDM plan. Review compliance with one of the recommended measure options within the	Prior to issuance of any building permits



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project is not in conformance with the trip cap, the project may add additional TDM measures to meet this trip cap. A follow-up report shall be required within six months. If the project is still out of conformance, penalties shall be	Department of Public Works.			transportation analysis	Within 10 days	
assessed per Council Policy 5-1. A copy of the TDM plan shall be submitted to the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, or Director's designee and the Director of the City of San José Department of Public Works prior to issuance of any building permits. The annual monitoring report shall be submitted to the Director of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, or Director's designee and the Director of the City of San José Department of Public Works within 10 days from anniversary of building occupancy.				Receive annual monitoring report and any follow-up reports	from anniversary of building occupancy.	
The project applicant shall implement one of the following mitigation measures:  Option A: Telecommuting and Alternative Work Schedules: Encourage 100% of the employees to telecommute, shift work schedules, or commute outside of peak congestion periods on a 9/80 schedule or 9 of 80						



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hours on alternative work schedule. This measure reduces commute vehicle trips; or  Option B: Operate a Free Direct Shuttle: Provide shuttle service for at least 15 percent of the project employees that would serve the project site and areas with high concentrations of employed residents. This measure reduces drive-alone commute trips; or  Option C: Provide Ride-Sharing Programs: Organize a program to match individuals interested in carpooling who have similar commutes for at least 15 percent of the project employees. This measure promotes the use of carpooling and reduces the number of drive-alone trips; or Option D:  1. Car Sharing Program: Provide subsidies and promotions, as well as dedicated parking spaces, for carsharing services such as ZipCar, Car2Go, and GetAround, etc for 100 percent of the project employees.					
Supporting a carsharing program gives people on-demand access to shared fleets of vehicles. Car-sharing reduces personal motorized vehicle dependence, which supports more walking, biking, carpooling, and transit use. Subject to negotiations with the City and possible negotiations with Car Share companies; and					



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2. Commute Trip Reduction Marketing/Education:					
Implement marketing/educational campaigns that promote					
the use of transit, shared rides, and travel through active					
modes for 100 percent of the project employees. Strategies					
may include incorporation of alternative commute options					
into new employee orientations, event promotions, and					
publications; and					
3. Employee Parking "Cash Out" and on-site TDM					
coordinator: Require Project employers to offer parking					
"cash-out" for 60 percent of the project employees.					
Providing a "cash-out" incentives gives employees the					
choice to forgo subsidized/free parking for a cash payment					
equivalent to the cost that the employer would otherwise					
pay for the parking space. Providing an alternative to subsidized/free parking encourages commuters to travel by					
walking, biking, carpooling, and transit.					

Source: 1073-1087 S. Winchester Boulevard Mixed-Use Project Initial Study, 2021