

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Los Angeles

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From: (Public Agency): City of Los Angeles

Department of Cannabis Regulation

221 N. Figueroa St., Suite 1245, Los Angeles, CA 90012

(Address)

Project Title: DCR CORE RECORD NO. 101802

Project Applicant: The Little Cottage Caregivers, LLC

Project Location - Specific:

979 N. La Brea Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90038 / La Brea Ave and Romaine St

Project Location - City: Los Angeles

Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Retail sales, cultivation, manufacturing and distribution of commercial cannabis products under State and local law.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Los Angeles, Department of Cannabis Regulation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: _____

Exempt Status: **(check one):**

☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);

☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));

☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));

☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: CEQA Sections 15301 & 15332/Class 1 & 32

☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Environmentally benign infill project consistent with the General Plan, Zoning requirements and consistent with the criteria for a Class 1 & Class 32 Categorical Exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 & 15332 and does not require further analysis based on the exceptions in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2, and thus, DCR finds that no further CEQA analysis is required.

Lead Agency

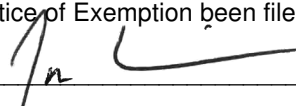
Contact Person: Jason Killeen

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (213) 978-0738

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.

2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? ■ Yes No

Signature:  Date: 12/19/2024 Title: Asst. Executive Director

■ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION
(PRC Section 21152; CEQA Guidelines Section 15062)

THIS NOTICE WAS POSTED

ON December 23 2024

UNTIL January 22 2025

REGISTRAR - RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

Pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21152(b) and CEQA Guidelines § 15062, the notice should be posted with the County Clerk by mailing the form and posting fee payment to the following address: Los Angeles County Clerk/Recorder, Environmental Notices, P.O. Box 1208, Norwalk, CA 90650. Pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21167 (d), the posting of this notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on court challenges to reliance on an exemption for the project. Failure to file this notice as provided above, results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

PARENT CASE NUMBER(S) / REQUESTED ANNUAL LICENSES

LA-R-24-101802-ANN, LA-C-24-101802-ANN / Retail with on-site sales (Type 10), Indoor Cultivation, Manufacturing (Type 6) & Distribution (Type 11)

LEAD CITY AGENCY

City of Los Angeles (Department of Cannabis Regulation)

CASE NUMBER

ENV- 101802-ANN

PROJECT TITLE

DCR CORE RECORD NO. 101802

COUNCIL DISTRICT

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PROJECT LOCATION (Street Address and Cross Streets and/or Attached Map)

979 N. La Brea Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90038 / La Brea Ave and Romaine St

☒ Map attached.**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:**

Retail sales, cultivation, manufacturing and distribution of commercial cannabis products under State and local law.

☐ Additional page(s) attached.**NAME OF APPLICANT / OWNER:**

The Little Cottage Caregivers, LLC

CONTACT PERSON (If different from Applicant/Owner above)

Jason Killeen

(AREA CODE) TELEPHONE NUMBER

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EXT.**EXEMPT STATUS:** (Check all boxes, and include all exemptions, that apply and provide relevant citations.)**STATE CEQA STATUTE & GUIDELINES**☐ **STATUTORY EXEMPTION(S)**

Public Resources Code Section(s) _____

☒ **CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION(S)** (State CEQA Guidelines Sec. 15301-15333 / Class 1-Class 33)CEQA Guideline Section(s) / Class(es) CEQA Sections 15301 & 15332/Class 1 & 32☐ **OTHER BASIS FOR EXEMPTION** (E.g., CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) or (b)(4) or Section 15378(b)) _____**JUSTIFICATION FOR PROJECT EXEMPTION:**☒ Additional page(s) attached

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☒ None of the exceptions in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 to the categorical exemption(s) apply to the Project.☐ The project is identified in one or more of the list of activities in the City of Los Angeles CEQA Guidelines as cited in the justification.

IF FILED BY APPLICANT, ATTACH CERTIFIED DOCUMENT ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CANNABIS REGULATION STATING THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAS FOUND THE PROJECT TO BE EXEMPT.

If different from the applicant, the identity of the person undertaking the project.

CITY STAFF USE ONLY:**CITY STAFF NAME AND SIGNATURE**

Jason Killeen

STAFF TITLE

Asst. Executive Director

COMMERCIAL CANNABIS ANNUAL LICENSE(S) APPROVED

Retail with on-site sales (Type 10), Indoor Cultivation, Manufacturing (Type 6) & Distribution (Type 11)

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RECOMMENDATION REPORT FOR RETAIL WITH ON-SITE SALES COMMERCIAL CANNABIS LICENSE

Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 104.06, the following application for commercial cannabis activity is complete and the Department of Cannabis Regulation (DCR) has determined the Applicant meets the requirements for the issuance of an Annual License for the commercial cannabis activity listed below. DCR recommends that the Cannabis Regulation Commission approve the issuance of an Annual License. DCR also has determined this project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the Class 1 and Class 32 categorical exemptions.

DCR Core Record No.:	101802
Applicant Name:	The Little Cottage Caregivers, LLC
DCR Record No. / Activities Requested:	LA-R-24-101802-ANN / Retail w/ on-site sales (Type 10)
Proposed Project:	The Applicant seeks an Annual License for the Type 10 Retail Storefront with on-site sales commercial cannabis activity pursuant to LAMC section 104.06 et. al.
Business Premises Address/ Project Location:	979 N. La Brea Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90038
Council District: Closest Neighborhood Council (NC): Business Improvement District: Community Plan Area: Zoning:	5 Mid City West Hollywood Media District Hollywood MR1-1
LAMC Section / "Phase":	104.07 Phase 1
Evidence of Offer to Meet with NC:	Yes
Complaint Portal Entry: Recent Compliance Inspection:	Yes Yes
Social Equity Applicant / Ownership %:	No
Environmental Analysis/Clearance: ENV-101802-ANN	Notice of Exemption pursuant to the Class 1 and Class 32 categorical exemptions (tit. 14, Cal. Code Regs., §§ 15301, 15332)

BACKGROUND:

The Business Premises is located at 979 N La Brea Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90038, a parcel zoned for Limited Manufacturing purposes. The Applicant was issued Temporary Approval by DCR with an effective date of March 19, 2019. Since that time, the Applicant has completed all requirements for the issuance of an Annual License in accordance with LAMC Section 104.06. The Applicant currently possesses a State provisional License, C10-0000339-LIC, to conduct Retail with on-site sales Commercial Cannabis Activity, which is active through June 27, 2025. The Applicant is not subject to the requirements of LAMC Section 104.20 for the Social Equity Program.

DEPARTMENT ANNUAL LICENSING RECOMMENDATION:

DCR recommends approving the Annual License for the Applicant based on the following factors:

- The Applicant has met the Application requirements under LAMC Section 104.03.
- The Business Premises location meets the requirements under LAMC Section 105.02.
- The Application does not contain any grounds for denial under LAMC Section 104.04.

COMMUNITY INPUT:

On or about October 17, 2024, DCR provided notice of the community meeting and Cannabis Regulation Commission meeting by mail to the owners and occupants of all property within 700 feet of the property line of the Business Premises. Notice was also provided to the nearest Neighborhood Council, Business Improvement District, and Council Office.

Virtual community meetings were held on November 14 and November 18, 2024. During the meetings, members of the public were afforded two minutes each to speak about the Application. DCR also accepted online written input through November 18, 2024. In general, the oral and written comments provided by a representative of the business were in favor of the Application.

Number of Comments In Favor of the Application	1
Number of Comments Against the Application	0
Total Number of Comments	1

The Applicant provided timely proof to DCR that it contacted the nearest Neighborhood Council and offered to appear before the Neighborhood Council in accordance with LAMC Section 104.06(b)(1)(ii).

COMPLAINT PORTAL REVIEW:

The Department of Cannabis Regulation (DCR) received two complaints for this location. In March 2021, a complaint was received alleging the operators are advertising on their delivery vehicles, are not checking ID's, selling to minors, having events and giving away free cannabis. In August 2023, a complaint was received alleging the sale of mushrooms (psilocybin) and illegal delivery operating out of the location.

An investigation was conducted. A special investigator assisted with this inspection and reviewed the business premises and confirmed that the operator is not currently engaged in delivery and that all regulations were being followed properly. The complaints have been closed as none of the violations were observed.

COMPLIANCE REVIEW:

As part of its progressive enforcement strategy, DCR performs compliance checks and/or inspections of Applicants and Licensees for operational compliance under the Rules and Regulations for Cannabis Procedures ("Regulations"). There are at least 85 potential violations in the Regulations. For most of these violations, DCR's compliance program aims to provide Licensees with the opportunity to cure before facing significant penalties, denial, suspension, or revocation. DCR's discovery of violations of the Regulations may result in a Notice to Correct ("NTC"), Notice of Violation ("NOV") with administrative penalties, Notice of Suspension ("NOS"), Notice of Revocation ("NOR"), or Notice of Administrative Hold, depending on the severity of the findings. (LAMC § 104.13.)

In most circumstances, when a violation is discovered, DCR's first step is to issue a NTC. If, after the issuance of a NTC, an applicant does not correct violations, DCR may issue a NOV with significant administrative penalties. (LAMC § 104.013(c)(2).) Failure to comply with a NOV may result in a second escalating NOV, denial of a License

renewal, imposition of more restrictive License conditions or suspension or revocation of a license. (LAMC §§ 104.13(d)(5), 104.13(e)(2).) DCR may also immediately suspend a business without a hearing if there is an imminent threat to life or public safety, the Applicant operates without all necessary permits or clearances from another agency, or the Applicant does not have an active State license for that Commercial Cannabis Activity.

For this Applicant, DCR performed a compliance check of the Business Premises on or about October 17, 2024. During the compliance check, DCR discovered a number of violations, including:

1. **Regulation 5(A)(1)(viii) - Use of DBA.** The use of "Herbarium" as a Fictitious Business Name (FBN) or DBA, is not registered with DCR. (VT Minor)
2. **Regulation 5(A)(2)(i) - Display of License.** The Neighborhood Liaison contact information and DCR License (Temporary Approval) were not posted for public viewing. (VT Minor)
3. **Regulation 5(A)(4)(i)(C) - Security Measures.** Video surveillance footage was not maintained for 90 days. (VT Moderate)
4. **Regulation 5(A)(4)(vi) - Access to Limited-Access Areas.** Non-employee (vendor) signed the Limited-Access Area Log, but was not escorted by an employee and was able to walk in the space freely. (VT Moderate)
5. **Regulation 5(A)(6)(iv) - Loitering.** The "No Loitering, Public Drinking, or Public Smoking/Consumption of Cannabis" sign was not posted on the inside of the business premises. (VT Minor)
6. **Regulation 5(C)(9) - Product Inventory and Sales.** An inventory discrepancy was found in the Metrc Track and Trace System; there was a total of three 'Hit It OG 5 gram' flower on-site versus the actual number tracked in Metrc of four. (VT Minor)

The Licensee's representative was debriefed by DCR following the inspection and was informed of the deficiencies found.

The Applicant has 30 days to correct the violations and/or deficiencies listed in the NTC. DCR anticipates the Applicant will continue to be forthcoming and cooperative, but reserves the right to take escalating enforcement action, if necessary. The Licensee's representative was debriefed by DCR following the inspection and was informed of the deficiencies found.

Therefore, it is DCR's position that this compliance check did not reveal any serious concerns that impacted DCR's ability to recommend this Applicant for licensure. The violations may be remedied within 30 days without jeopardizing public safety. Moreover, this Applicant shall be subject to multiple, further inspections by DCR and other agencies prior to the receipt of an Operating Permit.

THERE ARE NO EXISTING REASONS TO DENY AN ANNUAL LICENSE:

DCR or the Cannabis Regulation Commission may deny an Annual Application for the reasons stated in LAMC section 104.04. These denial reasons include, but are not limited, to:

- The Business Premises is substantially different from the diagram of the Business Premises submitted by the Applicant or Licensee;
- Denying DCR employees or agents access to the Business Premises;
- Procuring a License by fraud or deceit, making a material misrepresentation, false statement, or knowingly failing to disclose a material fact;
- Failing to timely provide DCR with requested information, forms or documents;
- Denial of a license, permit or other authorization to engage in Commercial Cannabis Activity by any state or other local licensing authority;
- Creation of a significant public safety problem as documented by a law enforcement agency;
- Failure to adhere to the requirements of this article or the Rules and Regulations;
- Engaging in unlicensed Commercial Cannabis Activity in violation of Section 104.15;
- Revocation of Temporary Approval;
- Failing a Business Premises inspection by DCR, another City agency, or the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health; or

- The Business Premises was the site of a utility disconnect, padlocking or certain criminal convictions for a period of 5 years from the date of the conviction, padlock or disconnect;
- Improper zoning or distancing of the Business Premises from Sensitive Uses under LAMC Section 105.00 *et seq.*;
- An Owner is an individual who holds office in, is employed by any agency of the State of California and any of its political subdivisions when the individual's duties include the enforcement or regulation of Commercial Cannabis Activity or any other penal provisions of law of the State of California prohibiting or regulating Commercial Cannabis Activity; and,
- An Owner is an entity incorporated outside of the United States.

At present, DCR is not aware of any existing facts or circumstances to deny this Annual License for the reasons in LAMC Section 104.04. Thus, DCR recommends the Commission approve the issuance of this Annual License.

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA) PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The Applicant seeks conversion of an existing Retail Storefront (Type 10) Temporary Approval to an Annual License to be located on an existing site zoned for Limited Manufacturing, MR1-1 at 979 N La Brea Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90038 (Assessor's Parcel Number 5531-016-016). The Project-Specific Information (LIC-4013-FORM) submitted by the Applicant states that existing structures will remain with no expansion proposed (Exhibit A). Existing City sewer service is provided to the project site, and water and electricity are provided by the City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power. Operations would be seven days per week from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Pre-application review has found the project to be consistent with planning and zoning. Further project site information is provided in the Project Parcel Profile Report from the City's Zone Information and Map Access System (ZIMAS) (Exhibit A). Compliance with Los Angeles Municipal Code Sections 104.00 *et seq.* and 105.00 *et seq.*, as well as DCR's Rules and Regulations, does not waive or otherwise circumvent any other City or State requirements or necessary permits from the City, State, or other public agencies, such as the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety, the Los Angeles Fire Department, or the Los Angeles County Public Health Department. Full compliance with all applicable regulations for the proposed cannabis use(s) are assumed in this analysis.

CEQA PROJECT ANALYSIS & FINDINGS:

Land Use/Zoning Designations

Limited Manufacturing/MR1-1

Surrounding Land Use/Zoning Designations

Limited Manufacturing / (T)M1-2D

Neighborhood Commercial / [T][Q]C2-2D

Neighborhood Commercial / [T][Q]RAS4-1

Transit Priority Area / ZI-2452

Subject Property

The subject site is a fully developed lot within the Hollywood Community Plan Area. The lot is approximately 229 feet deep and a width of 130 feet along La Brea Avenue. The site is currently developed with a Industrial - Light Manufacturing- One Story building, built in 1960 proposed to be maintained.

The site has a Limited Manufacturing land-use designation and is zoned MR1-1. The site is located within Council District 5, Mid City West Neighborhood Council, and the lot is flat and contains a pre-existing building to be used by the Applicant.

Abutting Properties

Abutting uses include auto repair, retail, and parking uses within 200 feet of the site. The immediate area along La Brea Avenue is predominantly developed with Limited Manufacturing uses, zoned (T)M1-2D, Neighborhood Commercial, zoned [T][Q]C2-2D and [T][Q]RAS4-1, and Transit Priority Area uses, zoned ZI-2452. (See Exhibit A)

CEQA Findings

CEQA Guidelines, Sections 15301 & 15332, Class 1 & Class 32, consists of projects characterized as in-fill development meeting the following 5 conditions: (a) The project is consistent with the applicable general plan

designation and all applicable general plan policies as well as with the applicable zoning designation and regulations; (b) The proposed development occurs within city limits on a project site of no more than five acres substantially surrounded by urban uses; (c) The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species; (d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality; and (e) The site can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.

These conditions are met as follows: The project is consistent with the applicable general plan designation and all applicable general plan policies as well as with the applicable zoning designation and regulations for the requested commercial cannabis activities.

a) The site is comprised of one lot totaling approximately 14,643 gross square feet, zoned MR1-1 with a Industrial -Light Manufacturing- One Story building originally constructed in 1960. No relief has been requested from any applicable provision or requirement of the Los Angeles Municipal Code.

b) The subject site is wholly within the City of Los Angeles, on an approximately 14,643 gross square foot property (i.e., less than five acres), and is substantially surrounded by urban uses. The surrounding area is zoned Limited Manufacturing, Neighborhood Commercial; and, Transit Priority Area, and developed with a mix of auto repair, retail, and parking buildings, along La Brea Avenue between Romaine Street and Willoughby Avenue.

c) The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species. The project is located within an established, fully developed, neighborhood. The project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species. The project does not propose the removal of any trees on-site and/or within the adjacent public right-of-way.

d) Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality.

e) The site can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services. The project site will be adequately served by all required public utilities and services, given that the site is currently served by the City's Department of Water and Power, the City's Bureau of Sanitation, the Southern California (SoCal) Gas Company, the Los Angeles Police Department, the Los Angeles Fire Department, Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles Public Library, and other public services. Compliance with Regulatory Compliance Measures as enforced through the Department of Building and Safety permitting process will ensure that any needed improvements are made in order to provide adequate delivery of utilities and services to the proposed project.

CEQA Section 15300.2: Exceptions to the Use of Categorical Exemptions. The City has further considered whether the proposed project is subject to any of the exceptions set forth in State CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2, that would prohibit the use and reliance on the categorical exemptions. None of the exceptions are triggered. As the proposed project will result in no physical changes to the site, the project would not have physical impacts to the environment. As such, it would not have a combined impact with other projects in the area that would result in cumulative impacts. There are no unusual circumstances associated with the project, which is proposed in general plan designation and zoning classification that allow the proposed use. The project will not physically change the site or the existing structures. Therefore, the project would have no impact on scenic resources, historic building(s), and the site is not on the lists that satisfy Government Code Section 65962.5, commonly referred to as the "Cortese List," as being affected by hazardous wastes or clean-up problems.

Based on the analysis above, the proposed project is consistent with the criteria for Class 1 and Class 32 categorical exemptions (tit. 14, Cal. Code Regs., §§ 15301, 15332) and does not require further analysis based on the exceptions in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2, and thus, DCR finds that no further CEQA analysis is required.

In conclusion, since the project meets all of the requirements for categorical exemption as set forth at CEQA Guidelines, Sections 15301 & 15332, and none of the applicable exceptions to the use of an exemption apply to the project, it is appropriate to determine this project is categorically exempt from the requirements of CEQA.

DEPARTMENT OF CANNABIS REGULATION RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:

That the Cannabis Regulation Commission:

1. Determine, based on the whole of the administrative record, that the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Article 19, Section 15301, Class 1, and Article 19, Section 15332, Class 32 of the State CEQA Guidelines (tit. 14, Cal. Code Regs., §§ 15301, 15332), and there is no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 applies;
2. Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 104.06(b)(2), approve the Annual License for Type 10 Storefront Retail Commercial Cannabis Activity at the Business Premises location; and,
3. Adopt DCR's Project Analysis & Findings as the Commission's report on the subject.



Jason Killeen
Assistant Executive Director, Department of Cannabis Regulation

December 1, 2024

Date

EXHIBITS:

A – Project Specific Information Form (LIC-4013-FORM) and Materials



CITY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF™

**CANNABIS
REGULATION****PROJECT-SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORM**

LIC-4013-FORM

Instructions: Before the Department of Cannabis Regulation (DCR) can grant an Annual License, DCR must independently evaluate the document prepared for the project in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), or documentation provided by the Applicant or Licensee as evidence of exemption from CEQA. To conduct this evaluation, DCR must have a complete description of the proposed project that provides information about the project site, including existing conditions and facilities, proposed facilities and improvements, and the construction methods and operations practices of the proposed project.

Please provide detailed responses with as much information as possible. If more space is needed, additional pages may be added. Missing, incomplete, or inconsistent information may delay the processing of your Annual License Application.

Date (MM/DD/YYYY): 05/01/2024Lead Agency: City of Los Angeles - Department of Cannabis RegulationDCR Record No.: LA-C-24-101802-ANN / LA-R-24-101802-ANNApplicant Entity Name: The Little Cottage Caregivers, LLCLicense Type(s): Retailer, Distributor, Cultivation, ManufacturerBusiness Premises Location: 979 N La Brea Ave, West Hollywood, CA 90038County: Los Angeles Assessor's Parcel Number (APN): 5531016016Council District: CD 5 Neighborhood Council: Mid City WestCommunity Plan Area: HollywoodZoning: MR1-1 Specific Plan Area: NoneGeneral Plan Land Use: Limited Manufacturing Redevelopment Project Area: Limited ManufacturingBusiness Improvement District: HOLLYWOOD MEDIA DISTRICT Promise Zone: NoneState Enterprise Zone: None Historic Preservation Review: NoLAPD Division/Station: Wilshire LAFD District/Fire Station: 41

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Please provide detailed responses. If more space is needed, additional pages may be added. Missing, incomplete, or inconsistent information may delay the processing of your Annual License Application.

Project Description: *Insert project description information or reference where this information is located.*

The project consists of an existing commercial cannabis business that has been engaged in commercial cannabis activity at the premises since March 1, 2018. The project involves minor modifications to an existing building and site, consisting of interior tenant improvements, installation of security features (lighting, cameras), ministerial changes required to meet local building, fire, and/or public health permit requirements in order to operate a commercial cannabis storefront retail and non-retail business. No demolition of buildings or other features is proposed. The project is consistent with the general plan designation and zoning designation and distance requirements from sensitive uses for commercial cannabis retail activity at the site. The site is entirely developed with buildings and hardscape features within the limits of the City of Los Angeles and is substantially surrounded by urban uses.

Categorical Exemption Evaluation Form

Class 1: Existing Facilities

1. Is the project site currently operating as a cannabis activity site or a similar use, or has it recently operated for this purpose? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Provide details of current or prior operation(s). Cite source(s) of information.

Operations comprise of commercial cannabis retail, distribution, cultivation and manufacturing.

2. Does the project involve an expansion of existing structures that would be considered negligible or no expansion of existing or former use? (If no, skip to Question 6) ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide expansion details, if applicable. Cite source(s) of information.

3. Project Expansion: _____
Size of expansion in square feet: _____

Cite source(s) of information.

- a. Would the expansion be less than or equal to 2,500 square feet or 50 percent of the floor area before expansion? (If yes, skip to Question 6.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

Cite source(s) of information.

- b. Would the expansion be more than 2,500 square feet or 50 percent of the floor area before expansion? (If yes, skip to Question 4.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

Cite source(s) of information.

- c. Would the expansion be greater than 10,000 square feet? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Cite source(s) of information.

4. Is the project site served by all public services sufficient to serve the project (e.g., water, sewer, electricity, gas)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Describe which public services serve the project site. Cite source(s) of information.

5. Is there evidence that the project site is located in an environmentally sensitive area?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Describe the environmentally sensitive area (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information, if available.



6. Does the project require a water right permit or another environmental permit that could result in physical changes to the environment? (If yes, see instructions.)

☐ Yes ☒ No

List permits required and any potential physical changes that could occur. Cite source(s) of information.



7. Does the project require demolition and removal of individual small structures (e.g., one single-family residence, a duplex or similar multifamily structure, a store, motel or restaurant or accessory structures)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe size of structure to be demolished and location.



Categorical Exemption Evaluation Form

Class 2: Replacement or Reconstruction

1. Does the project involve the replacement or reconstruction of an existing structure on the same site as the structure being replaced or reconstructed? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe both the existing structure and replacement structure, including the location on the site. Cite source(s) of information.



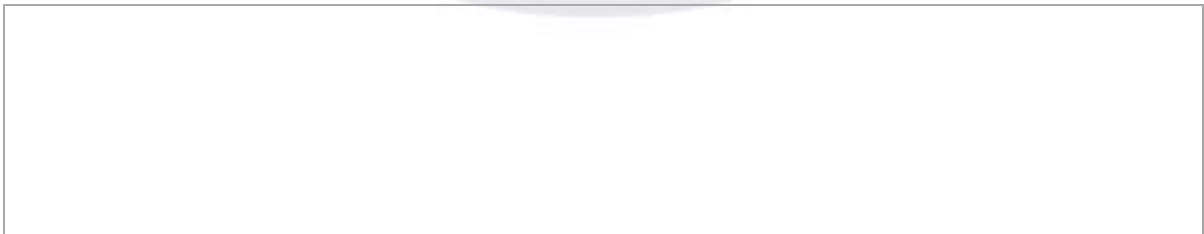
2. Would the new structure have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the existing structure? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide information on the purpose of both the existing and replacement structures to ensure they are the same. Cite source(s) of information.



3. Does the project require a water right permit or another environmental permit that could result in physical changes to the environment? (If yes, see instructions.) ☐ Yes ☒ No

List permits required and any potential physical changes that could occur. Cite source(s) of information.



Categorical Exemption Evaluation Form

Class 3: New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures

1. Does the project involve the conversion of existing small structures including only minor modifications, or the installation of small equipment and facilities in small structures?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide information regarding the nature of modifications to existing small structures, if applicable. Cite source(s) of information.

2. Does the project involve the construction of new small structures?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide information regarding the size and purpose of the proposed new structures, if applicable. Cite source(s) of information.

Please check instructions for directions on how to proceed, based on answers to Questions 1 and 2.

3. Is the project within an urbanized area? (If no, skip to Question 9.)

☒ Yes ☐ No

Cite source(s) of information.

City of Los Angeles Zone Information and Map Access System (ZIMAS).

FOR SITES IN URBANIZED AREAS

4. Does the project involve the construction of four or fewer structures totaling 10,000 square feet or less? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide information regarding size of new structure(s), if applicable. Cite source(s) of information.

5. Is the parcel zoned for the proposed use? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Cite source(s) of information.

ZIMAS

6. Does the project involve the use of significant amounts of hazardous substances? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide details of any hazardous substances used including amount of product(s), if applicable. Cite source(s) of information.

No hazardous substances are currently being used at the project site.

7. Are all necessary public services and facilities available to the project? ☒ Yes ☐ No

List all services and facilities provided. Cite source(s) of information.

Water and power are provided by the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power. Wastewater services are provided by LA Sanitation.

8. Do either the project site or the surrounding lands contain a sensitive environmental area? (If no, skip to [Question 11](#).) ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide information on the nature of any sensitive environmental areas. Cite source(s) of information, if available.

FOR SITES NOT IN URBANIZED AREAS

9. Does the project involve the construction of a single structure totaling 2,500 square feet or less?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide information regarding size of new structure, if applicable. Cite source(s) of information.



10. Does the project involve the use of significant amounts of hazardous substances?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide list of any hazardous substances used, including amount of product(s), if applicable and available. Cite source(s) of information.

FOR ALL SITES

11. Does the project require a water right permit or another environmental permit that could result in physical changes to the environment? (If yes, see instructions.)

☐ Yes ☒ No

List permits required and any potential physical changes that could occur. Cite source(s) of information.

Categorical Exemption Evaluation Form

Class 4: Minor Alterations to Land

1. Does the project involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (except for forestry and agricultural purposes)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide details, if needed. Cite source(s) of information.



2. Does the project involve alterations to land, water, or vegetation that would be considered minor? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide details, if needed. Cite source(s) of information.



3. Would the alterations consist of grading on lands of 10 percent slope or steeper? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide details, if needed. Cite source(s) of information.



4. Would the alterations consist of grading in an area determined to be a wetland? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Cite source(s) of information.



5. Would the alterations consist of grading in a scenic area officially designated by a federal, state, or local agency? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide name of scenic area (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.



6. Would the alterations consist of grading in an officially mapped area of severe geologic hazard, such as an Alquist- Priolo Earthquake Fault Zone, or within an official Seismic Hazard Zone designated by the State Geologist? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide the name of the zone (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.

7. Does the project require a water right permit or another environmental permit that could result in physical changes to the environment? (If yes, see instructions.) ☐ Yes ☒ No

List permits required and any potential physical changes that could occur. Cite source(s) of information.

Categorical Exemption Evaluation Form

Class 11: Accessory Structures

1. Does the project include the construction or placement of accessory structures? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe new and/or replacement accessory structures. Cite source(s) of information.



2. Does the project require a water right permit or another environmental permit that could result in physical changes to the environment? (If yes, see instructions.) ☐ Yes ☒ No

List permits required and any potential physical changes that could occur. Cite source(s) of information.



Categorical Exemption Evaluation Form**Class 32: Infill Development Projects**

1. Is the project consistent with the general plan designation, all applicable general plan policies, and zoning designation and regulations for the site? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Cite source(s) of information.

ZIMAS; Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Article 5

2. Project Size and Location

- a. Is the project site 5 acres in size or less? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Indicate the size of the project site, in acres. Cite source(s) of information.

The project site is approximately 0.18 acres. This calculation is based on the total size of the project site of 7,500 sq. ft. situated on parcel of approximately 14,653 sq. ft.

- b. Is the project site substantially surrounded by urban uses? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Describe the uses of the surrounding properties. Cite source(s) of information.

ZIMAS shows the following surrounding uses:

Industrial (MR1, M1), Commercial (C2, C4), Residential (R2, R3, RA), Public Facility (PF)

3. Does the project site have value as habitat for endangered, rare, or threatened species? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe any habitat for endangered, rare, or threatened species identified on or near the project site (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.

4. Would the project have significant impacts related to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe potential impact(s) and evidence (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.



5. Can the project site be adequately served by all required utilities and public services? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Describe which utilities and public services serve the project site. Cite source(s) of information.

Water and power - Los Angeles Department of Waster and Power

Wastewater - LA Sanitation

6. Does the project require a water right permit or another environmental permit that could result in physical changes to the environment? (If yes, see instructions.) ☐ Yes ☒ No

List permits required and any potential physical changes that could occur. Cite source(s) of information.

Exceptions to Exemptions**1. Scenic Highways**

- a. Is the project visible from an official State Scenic Highway? ☐ Yes ☒ No

*List State Scenic Highway(s) from which the project is visible (if applicable).
Cite source(s) of information.*



- b. If yes, would the project result in damage to scenic resources? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe scenic resources and potential damage (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.




2. Is the project located on a site included on any list compiled pursuant to Government Code § 65962.5 (Cortese List)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe the type of hazardous site (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.



3. Would the project result in a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource? ☐ Yes ☒ No

List the historic resource(s) potentially affected and describe the potential effects (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.



4. **Is there evidence of the potential for the project to contribute to a significant cumulative impact?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe the potential cumulative impact(s) and evidence (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.



5. **Is there evidence of a reasonable possibility of a significant environmental impact due to unusual circumstances?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

Describe the potential impact(s), circumstances, and evidence (if applicable). Cite source(s) of information.



6. **Would the project impact an environmental resource of hazardous or critical concern?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

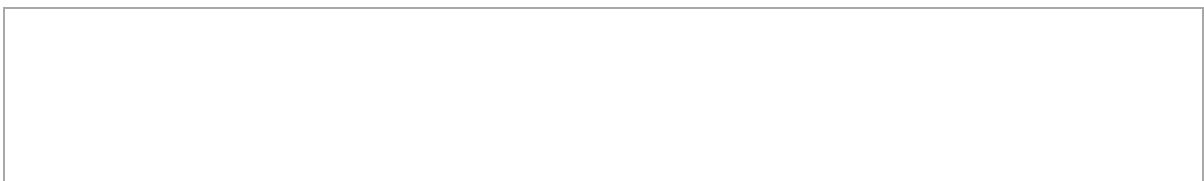
Provide details, if needed. Cite source(s) of information.



7. **Does the project involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (except for forestry and agricultural purposes)?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide details, if needed. Cite source(s) of information.



CEQA Exemption PetitionClass: 1 & 32 Category: Existing Facilities & In-fill Development Projects

Explanation of how the project fits the CEQA exemption indicated above:

The project is an existing commercial cannabis business that has been operating at the project site since March 2018. The project is consistent with the general plan designation, all applicable general plan policies, and zoning designation and regulations for commercial cannabis activity at the site. The project site is less than 5 acres in size and is substantially surrounded by urban uses within the limits of the City of Los Angeles. The project involves minor modifications to an existing building and site, consisting of interior tenant improvements, installation of security features (lighting, cameras), ministerial changes required to meet local building, fire, and/or public health permit requirements to operate a commercial cannabis business. No demolition of buildings or other features is proposed.

1. **Source(s) of Information:** Identify Sources: *Indicate the document(s) or other sources of information reviewed to complete this form.*

ZIMAS (City of Los Angeles Zone Information and Map Access System); property records; premises diagram and site plan; Department of Cannabis Regulation application for a commercial cannabis license; Department of Cannabis Regulation's draft Notice of Exemption; google maps.

2. **Project Location and Surrounding Land Use.**

- (a) Describe Project Location: *Provide detailed information about the project location and any other physical description that clearly indicates the project site location.*

The project is located at 979 N La Brea Ave, in between Romaine St and Willoughby Ave in a free-standing building. The project is located in an industrial area surrounded by other industrial businesses including Sit 'n Sleep (mattress store), Rod's Auto Tech & Marine (auto repair shop), HEIMAT (gym), and Burke Williams (spa).

- (b) Existing Land Uses/Zoning: *Describe the current land uses on the project site and any existing buildings and structures. Describe the surrounding land uses and zoning designations within a one-half mile radius of the project and list all abutting land uses.*

Current land uses on the project site: Industrial (MR1)
Immediately abutting land uses: Industrial (MR1, M1)
Surrounding land uses: Industrial (MR1, M1), Commercial (C2, C4), Residential (R2, R3), Public Facility (PF)

- (c) Previous Use: Describe the previous use of the Project site or facility, if known. Include an estimate of the time such previous operations ceased, if such information is available.

The project site was previously used for cannabis retail and manufacturing activities. The applicant was not able to ascertain the date previous operations ceased.

- (d) Was the site previously used for a similar use? The key consideration is whether the project involves negligible or no expansion of an existing use.

Yes and the project involves negligible or no expansion of an existing use.

- (e) Maps to be Included: *Provide a vicinity map and aerial image to show the project location. Include photographs, not larger than 8½ by 11 inches, of existing visual conditions as observed from publicly accessible vantage point(s).*

3. Project Operations/Description. Provide the following information about project operation and maintenance activities. If more than one type of cannabis activity is occurring on-site, provide a description of the project operations for each activity. This should include the following relevant information.

- (a) Activities Occurring Onsite: *Describe the activities included in the project application and identify any other commercial cannabis activity or activities occurring at the proposed premises, including other proposed cannabis activities occurring on the property. Describe the cannabis business operation methods and activities (e.g. cultivation methods, manufacturing and/or distribution operations).*

The commercial cannabis activities authorized at the premises include retail, distribution, cultivation and manufacturing.

Retail: sale and delivery of cannabis and cannabis products to retail customers.
Distribution: arranging for testing, packaging, labeling, storing, and transporting cannabis and cannabis products.

Cultivation: growing, drying, trimming, processing and harvesting cannabis.

Manufacturing: non-volatile extraction, infusion and packaging of infused cannabis products.

Currently, only retail is operational at the project site.

- (b) Cannabis Operation Activities Owned by the Same or Different Businesses: *Describe any additional cannabis operation activities existing or proposed either owned by the same or different businesses on the property.*

There are no additional cannabis activities at the project site.

- (c) Project Size: *Quantify the project size (total floor area of the project), and the lot size on which the project is located, in square feet.*

Total premises size = 8,000 sq. ft. Lot size = 14,643.4 sq. ft.
Retail size = 2,500 sq. ft.; Distribution size = 1,274 sq. ft.; Cultivation size = 584 sq. ft.; Manufacturing size = 2,131 sq. ft.

- (d) State License: *Identify whether the applicant is licensed by, or has applied for licensure from, the California Department of Cannabis Control to engage in commercial cannabis activity at the proposed premises.*

Applicant holds Type 10 storefront retail, Type 11 distributor, Specialty Cottage cultivation and Type 6 Non-Volatile Solvent Extraction provisional licenses issued by the Department of Cannabis Control.

- (e) Hours of Operation/Work Shifts: *Identify the hours of operation/work shifts for the project.*

Hours of operation are Monday-Sunday from 9am to 10pm.

There are 2 work shifts at the retail premises: the opening shift is from 8:30am to 4pm and the closing shift is from 4pm to 10:30pm.

- (f) Number of employees (total and by shift): *Estimate the number of anticipated employees onsite and occupancy during operating hours.*

Applicant has a total of 8 employees and estimates 3-4 employees per shift.
The estimated occupancy at any given time during business hours is 10 people.

- (g) Estimated Daily Trip Generation: *Estimate the frequency of deliveries or shipments originating from and/or arriving to the project site. Identify the approximate number of vehicle trips per day to be generated by the project and information regarding the days and times most trips are expected to occur.*

Frequency of deliveries and transportation activity at the site will be typical of any retail and distribution use. Applicant receives approximately 5 shipments of inventory from vendors per week, during weekday business hours. The Applicant does not currently conduct a delivery operation from the project site to retail customers.

- (h) Source(s) of Water: *Name all sources of water, and indicate whether a new or amended water right must be obtained from the State Water Resources Control Board.*

The water source for the project site is the Los Angeles Department of water and power. No new or amended water right needs to be obtained from the State Water Resources Control Board.

- (i) Wastewater Treatment Facilities: *Describe the facilities for treatment of wastewater (e.g., leach field, City wastewater collection facilities).*

Los Angeles Department of Sanitation. The facility does not utilize any other wastewater treatment system.

4. Environmental Setting:

- (a) Describe natural characteristics on the project site:

Industrial area on flat land.

- (b) General Topographic Features (slopes and other features):

The premises is located on flat land in an industrial setting.

- (c) Natural characteristics (general vegetation types, drainage, soil stability, habitat, etc.):

No notable natural characteristics

- (d) Identify whether there are any watercourses and riparian habitats within 150- feet of the proposed premises (e.g., drainage swales, stream courses, springs, ponds, lakes, creeks, tributary of creeks, wetlands):

There are no watercourses or riparian habitats within 150 feet of the premises.

- (e) Identify whether the property contains natural features of scenic value of rare or unique characteristics (e.g., rock outcroppings, mature trees):

None

- (f) Identify whether the property has any historic designations or archeological remains onsite:

None

- (g) Identify whether the property contains habitat for special status species:

None

- (h) Identify the location, type, and quantity of hazardous materials, as defined by Health and Safety Code section 25260, that are stored, used, or disposed of at the project site and a copy of the Hazardous Material Business Plan (HMBP) prepared for the proposed premises, if any:

None

- (i) Discuss whether the project will increase the quantity and type of solid waste, as defined by Public Resources Code section 40191, or hazardous waste, as defined by Health and Safety Code section 25117, that is generated or stored onsite:

The project will not increase the quantity and type of solid waste or hazardous waste generated or stored on-site. All cannabis waste shall be disposed of in accordance with all applicable waste management laws.

- ④ Describe the project's anticipated operational energy needs, identify the source of energy supplied for the project and the anticipated amount of energy per day, and explain whether the project will require an increase in energy demand and the need for additional energy resource:

Energy for the project is supplied by the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power. The anticipated amount of energy used per day is approximately 380 kWh. Applicant does not expect an increase in energy demand or the need for additional energy resources.

5. Explain whether any of the project activities will expand the existing footprint of the proposed facility beyond the current structural or parcel boundaries, increase the amount of impervious surface, or reduce any natural habitat. If the project is part of a larger project, attach a separate sheet to briefly describe the larger project.

The project activities will not expand the existing footprint of the proposed facility beyond the current structural or parcel boundaries, increase the amount of impervious surface, or reduce any natural habitat.

6. Environmental Commitments: *List any environmental commitments agreed to by the applicant to the protection of biological or cultural resources, energy efficiency, water efficiency, noise abatement, lighting, or other aspects of the project that may reduce impacts on the environment.*

Applicant will develop and implement an Odor Management Plan ("OMP") to mitigate any potential odors. The OMP shall include odor mitigation practices, procedure for logging and addressing odor complaints and maintenance of records relating to odor management.

7. Other Relevant CEQA Information: *Submit any other relevant CEQA documentation or information that will assist the Department in determining CEQA compliance (e.g., any environmental impact analysis prepared by a consultant).*

None

8. Permits Required: *List all other required federal, state, and local permits required, including, but not limited to, all entitlements required for this project by a planning commission, local air district, or regional water board. Identify whether the commercial cannabis business(es) is licensed by or has applied for licensure from the Department, or one of the prior state cannabis licensing authorities:*

- ☒ California Department of Cannabis Control
- ☒ Los Angeles Fire Department
- ☒ Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety
- ☒ California Department of Fish and Wildlife
- ☒ State Water Resources Control Board / Regional Water Quality Control Board
- ☒ County of Los Angeles Public Health Permit
- ☐ Local Air District
- ☐ Streambed Alteration Agreement
- ☐ Water quality protection program
- ☒ Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
- ☒ Los Angeles Department of Public Works, Bureau of Sanitation

Partial List of Categorical Exemptions under CEQA

Certain commercial cannabis activities (projects) may be exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because they fall within a class of projects determined not to have significant effect on the environment. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15300 et seq.) Common exemptions that may apply have been identified below.

Class	Category	Description
Class 1	Existing Facilities	Consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §15301.)
Class 2	Replacement or Reconstruction	Consists of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced with a new structure of substantially the same size, purpose, and capacity. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15302.)
Class 3	New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures	Consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; installation of small new equipment and facilities in small structures; and the conversion of existing small structures from one use to another where only minor modifications are made in the exterior of the structure. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15303.)
Class 4	Minor Alterations to Land	Consists of minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry and agricultural purposes. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15304.)
Class 11	Accessory Structures	Consists of construction, or placement of minor structures accessory to (appurtenant to) existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15311.)
Class 32	In-Fill Development Projects	Consists of projects characterized as in-fill development meeting the conditions described in Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15332.



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11/19/2024 PARCEL PROFILE REPORT

PROPERTY ADDRESSES

7120 W ROMAINE ST
979 N LA BREA AVE

ZIP CODES

90038
90046

RECENT ACTIVITY

None

CASE NUMBERS

CPC-2016-1450-CPU
CPC-2014-669-CPU
CPC-2005-6082
CPC-1997-43-CPU
CPC-1984-1-HD
CPC-18473-B
ORD-183497
ORD-182960
ORD-182173-SA39:4
ORD-161687
ORD-161116-SA19
ENV-2016-1451-EIR
ENV-2014-670-SE
ENV-2005-2158-EIR
ED-75-48-SUB

Address/Legal Information

PIN Number	144B181 628
Lot/Parcel Area (Calculated)	14,643.4 (sq ft)
Thomas Brothers Grid	PAGE 593 - GRID D6
Assessor Parcel No. (APN)	5531016016
Tract	P M 2979
Map Reference	BK 66-63/65
Block	None
Lot	B
Arb (Lot Cut Reference)	None
Map Sheet	144B181

Jurisdictional Information

Community Plan Area	Hollywood
Area Planning Commission	Central
Neighborhood Council	Mid City West
Council District	CD 5 - Katy Young Yaroslavsky
Census Tract #	1920.01
LADBS District Office	Los Angeles Metro

Permitting and Zoning Compliance Information

Administrative Review	None
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Planning and Zoning Information

Special Notes	None
Zoning	MR1-1
Zoning Information (ZI)	ZI-2452 Transit Priority Area in the City of Los Angeles ZI-2433 Revised Hollywood Community Plan Injunction ZI-2498 Local Emergency Temporary Regulations - Time Limits and Parking Relief - LAMC 16.02.1
General Plan Land Use	Limited Manufacturing
General Plan Note(s)	Yes
Hillside Area (Zoning Code)	No
Specific Plan Area	None
Subarea	None
Special Land Use / Zoning	None
Historic Preservation Review	No
Historic Preservation Overlay Zone	None
Other Historic Designations	None
Mills Act Contract	None
CDO: Community Design Overlay	None
CPIO: Community Plan Imp. Overlay	None
Subarea	None
CUGU: Clean Up-Green Up	None
HCR: Hillside Construction Regulation	No
NSO: Neighborhood Stabilization Overlay	No
POD: Pedestrian Oriented Districts	None
RBP: Restaurant Beverage Program Eligible Area	None
RFA: Residential Floor Area District	None
RIO: River Implementation Overlay	No

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SN: Sign District	No
AB 2334: Very Low VMT	Yes
AB 2097: Reduced Parking Areas	Yes
Streetscape	No
Adaptive Reuse Incentive Area	None
Affordable Housing Linkage Fee	
Residential Market Area	Medium-High
Non-Residential Market Area	High
Transit Oriented Communities (TOC)	Tier 4
ED 1 Eligibility	Not Eligible
RPA: Redevelopment Project Area	None
Central City Parking	No
Downtown Parking	No
Building Line	None
500 Ft School Zone	None
500 Ft Park Zone	None

Assessor Information

Assessor Parcel No. (APN)	5531016016
APN Area (Co. Public Works)*	0.337 (ac)
Use Code	3100 - Industrial - Light Manufacturing - One Story
Assessed Land Val.	\$205,973
Assessed Improvement Val.	\$252,933
Last Owner Change	09/30/2021
Last Sale Amount	\$9
Tax Rate Area	67
Deed Ref No. (City Clerk)	7-638

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Building 1

Year Built	1960
Building Class	C55B
Number of Units	0
Number of Bedrooms	0
Number of Bathrooms	0
Building Square Footage	7,500.0 (sq ft)

Building 2 No data for building 2

Building 3 No data for building 3

Building 4 No data for building 4

Building 5 No data for building 5

Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO) No [APN: 5531016016]

Additional Information

Airport Hazard	None
Coastal Zone	None
Farmland	Area Not Mapped
Urban Agriculture Incentive Zone	YES
Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone	No
Fire District No. 1	No
Flood Zone	Outside Flood Zone
Watercourse	No
Methane Hazard Site	Methane Buffer Zone
High Wind Velocity Areas	No
Special Grading Area (BOE Basic Grid Map A-13372)	No

Wells	None
Environmental	
Santa Monica Mountains Zone	No
Biological Resource Potential	None
Mountain Lion Potential	None
Monarch Butterfly Potential	No
Seismic Hazards	
Active Fault Near-Source Zone	
Nearest Fault (Distance in km)	1.70974512
Nearest Fault (Name)	Hollywood Fault
Region	Transverse Ranges and Los Angeles Basin
Fault Type	B
Slip Rate (mm/year)	1.00000000
Slip Geometry	Left Lateral - Reverse - Oblique
Slip Type	Poorly Constrained
Down Dip Width (km)	14.00000000
Rupture Top	0.00000000
Rupture Bottom	13.00000000
Dip Angle (degrees)	70.00000000
Maximum Magnitude	6.40000000
Alquist-Priolo Fault Zone	No
Landslide	No
Liquefaction	No
Preliminary Fault Rupture Study Area	None
Tsunami Hazard Area	No
Economic Development Areas	
Business Improvement District	HOLLYWOOD MEDIA DISTRICT
Hubzone	Not Qualified
Jobs and Economic Development Incentive Zone (JEDI)	None
Opportunity Zone	No
Promise Zone	None
State Enterprise Zone	None
Housing	
Direct all Inquiries to	Los Angeles Housing Department
Telephone	(866) 557-7368
Website	https://housing.lacity.org
Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO)	No [APN: 5531016016]
Ellis Act Property	No
AB 1482: Tenant Protection Act	No
Housing Crisis Act Replacement Review	Yes
Housing Element Sites	
HE Replacement Required	N/A
SB 166 Units	N/A
Housing Use within Prior 5 Years	No
Public Safety	
Police Information	
Bureau	West
Division / Station	Wilshire
Reporting District	705
Fire Information	
Bureau	West
Battallion	5
District / Fire Station	41
Red Flag Restricted Parking	No

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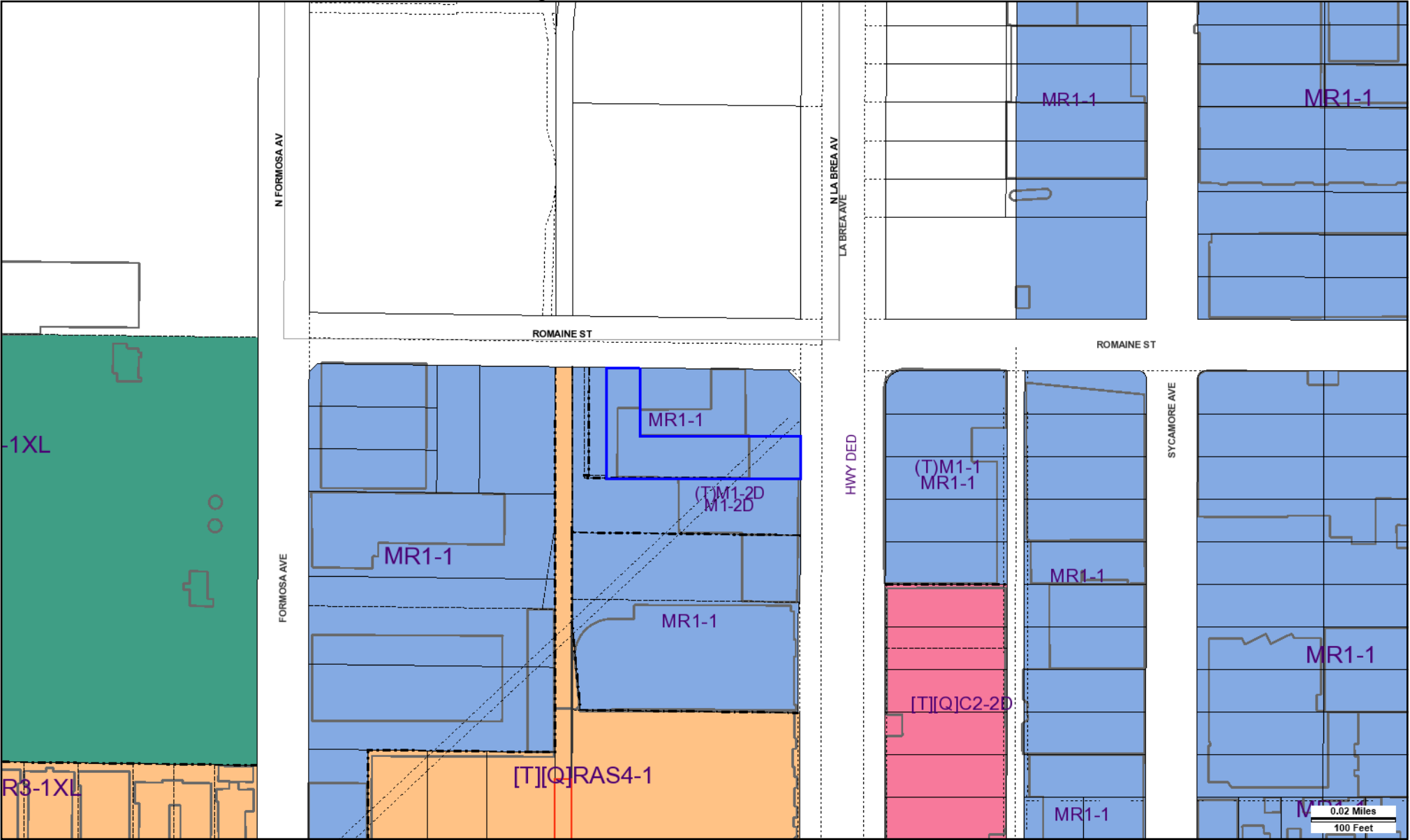
CASE SUMMARIES

Note: Information for case summaries is retrieved from the Planning Department's Plan Case Tracking System (PCTS) database.

Case Number:	CPC-2016-1450-CPU
Required Action(s):	CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Project Descriptions(s):	UPDATE TO THE HOLLYWOOD COMMUNITY PLAN
Case Number:	CPC-2014-669-CPU
Required Action(s):	CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Project Descriptions(s):	COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE/GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT
Case Number:	CPC-2005-6082
Required Action(s):	Data Not Available
Project Descriptions(s):	HOLLYWOOD COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Case Number:	CPC-1997-43-CPU
Required Action(s):	CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Project Descriptions(s):	COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE FOR HOLLYWOOD WHICH IDENTIFIES AND REDEFINES OUTDATED LAND USE ISSUES AND INCONSISTENT ZONING, REVIEWS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS, AS WELL AS REVISING AND UPDATING THE PLAN MAP AND TEXT
Case Number:	CPC-1984-1-HD
Required Action(s):	HD-HEIGHT DISTRICT
Project Descriptions(s):	CHANGE OF HEIGHT DISTRICT WITHIN THE "CORE AREA OF L.A."- GENERAL PLAN ZONE CONSISTENCY PROGRAM.
Case Number:	CPC-18473-B
Required Action(s):	B-PRIVATE STREET MODIFICATIONS (2ND REQUEST)
Project Descriptions(s):	CONTINUATION OF CPC-18473-A. SEE GENERAL COMMENTS FOR CONTINUATION.
Case Number:	ENV-2016-1451-EIR
Required Action(s):	EIR-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT
Project Descriptions(s):	UPDATE TO THE HOLLYWOOD COMMUNITY PLAN
Case Number:	ENV-2014-670-SE
Required Action(s):	SE-STATUTORY EXEMPTIONS
Project Descriptions(s):	COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE/GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT
Case Number:	ENV-2005-2158-EIR
Required Action(s):	EIR-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT
Project Descriptions(s):	COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE FOR HOLLYWOOD WHICH IDENTIFIES AND REDEFINES OUTDATED LAND USE ISSUES AND INCONSISTENT ZONING, REVIEWS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS, AS WELL AS REVISING AND UPDATING THE PLAN MAP AND TEXT
Case Number:	ED-75-48-SUB
Required Action(s):	SUB-SUBDIVISIONS
Project Descriptions(s):	Data Not Available

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

ORD-183497
ORD-182960
ORD-182173-SA39:4
ORD-161687
ORD-161116-SA19



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Tract: P M 2979
Block: None
Lot: B
Arb: None

Zoning: MR1-1
General Plan: Limited Manufacturing



LEGEND

GENERALIZED ZONING

	OS, GW
	A, RA
	RE, RS, R1, RU, RZ, RW1
	R2, RD, RMP, RW2, R3, RAS, R4, R5, PVSP
	CR, C1, C1.5, C2, C4, C5, CW, WC, ADP, LASED, CEC, USC, PPSP, MU, NMU
	CM, MR, CCS, UV, UI, UC, M1, M2, LAX, M3, SL, HJ, HR, NI
	P, PB
	PF



GENERAL PLAN LAND USE

LAND USE

RESIDENTIAL





	Minimum Residential
	Very Low / Very Low I Residential
	Very Low II Residential
	Low / Low I Residential
	Low II Residential
	Low Medium / Low Medium I Residential
	Low Medium II Residential
	Medium Residential
	High Medium Residential
	High Density Residential
	Very High Medium Residential

COMMERCIAL






	Limited Commercial
	Limited Commercial - Mixed Medium Residential
	Highway Oriented Commercial
	Highway Oriented and Limited Commercial
	Highway Oriented Commercial - Mixed Medium Residential
	Neighborhood Office Commercial
	Community Commercial
	Community Commercial - Mixed High Residential
	Regional Center Commercial

FRAMEWORK

COMMERCIAL

	Neighborhood Commercial
	General Commercial
	Community Commercial
	Regional Mixed Commercial






INDUSTRIAL

	Commercial Manufacturing
	Limited Manufacturing
	Light Manufacturing
	Heavy Manufacturing
	Hybrid Industrial




PARKING

	Parking Buffer
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PORT OF LOS ANGELES

	General / Bulk Cargo - Non Hazardous (Industrial / Commercial)
	General / Bulk Cargo - Hazard
	Commercial Fishing
	Recreation and Commercial
	Intermodal Container Transfer Facility Site



LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

	Airport Landside / Airport Landside Support
	Airport Airside
	LAX Airport Northside

OPEN SPACE / PUBLIC FACILITIES

	Open Space
	Public / Open Space
	Public / Quasi-Public Open Space
	Other Public Open Space
	Public Facilities

INDUSTRIAL

	Limited Industrial
	Light Industrial

CIRCULATION

STREET

- Arterial Mountain Road
- Collector Scenic Street
- Collector Street
- Collector Street (Hillside)
- Collector Street (Modified)
- Collector Street (Proposed)
- Country Road
- Divided Major Highway II
- Divided Secondary Scenic Highway
- Local Scenic Road
- Local Street
- Major Highway (Modified)
- Major Highway I
- Major Highway II
- Major Highway II (Modified)

- Major Scenic Highway
- Major Scenic Highway (Modified)
- Major Scenic Highway II
- Mountain Collector Street
- Park Road
- Parkway
- Principal Major Highway
- Private Street
- Scenic Divided Major Highway II
- Scenic Park
- Scenic Parkway
- Secondary Highway
- Secondary Highway (Modified)
- Secondary Scenic Highway
- Special Collector Street
- Super Major Highway

FREEWAYS

- Freeway
- Interchange
- On-Ramp / Off- Ramp
- Railroad
- Scenic Freeway Highway




MISC. LINES























- Airport Boundary
- Bus Line
- Coastal Zone Boundary
- Coastline Boundary
- Collector Scenic Street (Proposed)
- Commercial Areas
- Commercial Center
- Community Redevelopment Project Area
- Country Road
- DWP Power Lines
- Desirable Open Space
- Detached Single Family House
- Endangered Ridgeline
- Equestrian and/or Hiking Trail
- Hiking Trail
- Historical Preservation
- Horsekeeping Area
- Local Street
- MSA Desirable Open Space
- Major Scenic Controls
- Multi-Purpose Trail
- Natural Resource Reserve
- Park Road
- Park Road (Proposed)
- Quasi-Public
- Rapid Transit Line
- Residential Planned Development
- Scenic Highway (Obsolete)
- Secondary Scenic Controls
- Secondary Scenic Highway (Proposed)
- Site Boundary
- Southern California Edison Power
- Special Study Area
- Specific Plan Area
- Stagecoach Line
- Wildlife Corridor

POINTS OF INTEREST





 Alternative Youth Hostel (Proposed)	 Horticultural Center	 Public Elementary School
 Animal Shelter	 Hospital	 Public Elementary School (Proposed)
 Area Library	 Hospital (Proposed)	 Public Golf Course
 Area Library (Proposed)	HW House of Worship	 Public Golf Course (Proposed)
 Bridge	e Important Ecological Area	 Public Housing
 Campground	 Important Ecological Area (Proposed)	 Public Housing (Proposed Expansion)
 Campground (Proposed)	 Interpretive Center (Proposed)	 Public Junior High School
 Cemetery	 Junior College	 Public Junior High School (Proposed)
HW Church	 MTA / Metrolink Station	 Public Middle School
 City Hall	 MTA Station	 Public Senior High School
 Community Center	 MTA Stop	 Public Senior High School (Proposed)
 Community Library	MWD MWD Headquarters	 Pumping Station
 Community Library (Proposed Expansion)	 Maintenance Yard	 Pumping Station (Proposed)
 Community Library (Proposed)	 Municipal Office Building	 Refuse Collection Center
 Community Park	P Municipal Parking lot	 Regional Library
 Community Park (Proposed Expansion)	 Neighborhood Park	 Regional Library (Proposed Expansion)
 Community Park (Proposed)	 Neighborhood Park (Proposed Expansion)	 Regional Library (Proposed)
 Community Transit Center	 Neighborhood Park (Proposed)	 Regional Park
 Convalescent Hospital	 Oil Collection Center	 Regional Park (Proposed)
 Correctional Facility	 Parking Enforcement	RPD Residential Plan Development
 Cultural / Historic Site (Proposed)	 Police Headquarters	 Scenic View Site
 Cultural / Historical Site	 Police Station	 Scenic View Site (Proposed)
 Cultural Arts Center	 Police Station (Proposed Expansion)	 School District Headquarters
DMV DMV Office	 Police Station (Proposed)	 School Unspecified Loc/Type (Proposed)
DWP DWP	 Police Training site	 Skill Center
 DWP Pumping Station	PO Post Office	 Social Services
 Equestrian Center	 Power Distribution Station	 Special Feature
 Fire Department Headquarters	 Power Distribution Station (Proposed)	 Special Recreation (a)
 Fire Station	 Power Receiving Station	 Special School Facility
 Fire Station (Proposed Expansion)	 Power Receiving Station (Proposed)	 Special School Facility (Proposed)
 Fire Station (Proposed)	C Private College	 Steam Plant
 Fire Supply & Maintenance	E Private Elementary School	 Surface Mining
 Fire Training Site	 Private Golf Course	 Trail & Assembly Area
 Fireboat Station	 Private Golf Course (Proposed)	 Trail & Assembly Area (Proposed)
 Health Center / Medical Facility	JH Private Junior High School	UTL Utility Yard
 Helistop	PS Private Pre-School	 Water Tank Reservoir
 Historic Monument	 Private Recreation & Cultural Facility	 Wildlife Migration Corridor
 Historical / Cultural Monument	SH Private Senior High School	 Wildlife Preserve Gate
 Horsekeeping Area	SF Private Special School	
 Horsekeeping Area (Proposed)	 Public Elementary (Proposed Expansion)	

SCHOOLS/PARKS WITH 500 FT. BUFFER

-  Existing School/Park Site
-  Planned School/Park Site
-  Inside 500 Ft. Buffer

-  Aquatic Facilities
-  Other Facilities
-  Opportunity School
-  Beaches
-  Park / Recreation Centers
-  Charter School
-  Child Care Centers
-  Parks
-  Elementary School
-  Dog Parks
-  Performing / Visual Arts Centers
-  Span School
-  Golf Course
-  Recreation Centers
-  Special Education School
-  Historic Sites
-  Senior Citizen Centers
-  High School
-  Horticulture/Gardens
-  Middle School
-  Skate Parks
-  Early Education Center

COASTAL ZONE



-  Coastal Commission Permit Area
-  Dual Permit Jurisdiction Area
-  Single Permit Jurisdiction Area
-  Not in Coastal Zone

TRANSIT ORIENTED COMMUNITIES (TOC)







-  Tier 1
-  Tier 3
-  Tier 2
-  Tier 4

Note: TOC Tier designation and map layers are for reference purposes only. Eligible projects shall demonstrate compliance with Tier eligibility standards prior to the issuance of any permits or approvals. As transit service changes, eligible TOC Incentive Areas will be updated.

WAIVER OF DEDICATION OR IMPROVEMENT

-  Public Work Approval (PWA)
-  Waiver of Dedication or Improvement (WDI)

OTHER SYMBOLS

-  Lot Line
-  Tract Line
-  Lot Cut
-  Easement
-  Zone Boundary
-  Building Line
-  Lot Split
-  Community Driveway
-  Building Outlines 2020
-  Building Outlines 2017
-  Airport Hazard Zone
-  Census Tract
-  Coastal Zone
-  Council District
-  LADBS District Office
-  Downtown Parking
-  Fault Zone
-  Fire District No. 1
-  Tract Map
-  Parcel Map
-  Flood Zone
-  Hazardous Waste
-  High Wind Zone
-  Hillside Grading
-  Historic Preservation Overlay Zone
-  Specific Plan Area
-  Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone
-  Wells - Active
-  Wells - Inactive