

1040-1060 East El Camino Real PLNG-2023-0880

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Overview

- Special Development Permit (SDP) demolition of existing commercial center and the construction of 46 three-story condominium units;
- Tentative Parcel Map create seven lots and four parcels, and 46 condominium units

Neighborhood Context





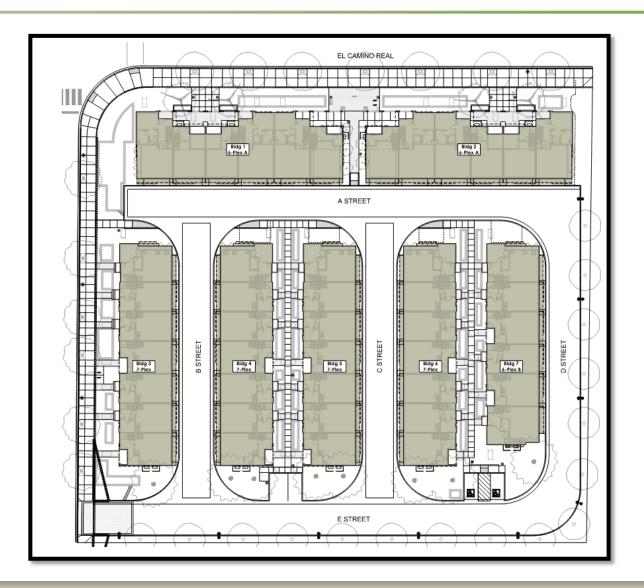
Existing Commercial Center



Background

- Zoning: ECR-MU24 (El Camino Real Specific Plan Mixed Use 24)
- Residential: 24 du/ac (proposes 21.2 du/ac)

Site Plan





Streetscape Image – East El Camino Real



Streetscape Image – Henderson Avenue



Concessions and Waivers

| | PROPOSED | REQUIRED | NOTES |
|---|------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | |
| Mixed Use & Multi- family Dwelling (CONCESSION) | Residential only | Residential only not permitted | SMC 19.36.060 Footnote 7 |
| Min. Ground Floor Commercial | None | 12,300 sq. ft. | SMC 19.36.090 |
| Distance Between Buildings | 14' to 25' | 26'-0" | SMC 19.48.030 |

Waivers

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| | | | |
| Parking Shading | 22% | 50% | SMC 19.46.120 |
| Min. Ground Floor Plate Height | 8'-0" | 10'-0" | SMC 19.3.100B |
| Loading Space | None | Required | SMC 19.46.160 |
| Min. Garage Size | 405 & 417 sq. ft. | 450 sq. ft. | Solid Waste Guidelines |
| Min. Landscape Buffer | 4'-0" | 10'-0" | SMC 19.48.030 |
| 8' Pole Height | 12'-0" | 8'-0" | ECRSP 4.6.2.a |

Density Bonus Law

7 Below Market Rate units proposed to comply with the City's Below Market Rate Ownership Ordinance (SMC Chapter 19.76)

Applicant is entitled to one Concession/Incentive and any number of Waivers or reductions of developments standards that would physically prevent the project from being built at the permitted density (1 Concession and 8 Waivers requested).

Community Outreach Meeting

- October 3, 2024 onsite meeting
- 21 participants
- Concerns:
 - Privacy for south facing windows on 2nd and 3rd floor
 - Parking
 - Traffic on Henderson Ave and one point of ingress/egress
- Support:
 - Ownership instead of Rental
 - Removal of Eucalyptus trees on the south property line

Feedback Requested:

- Project Design and Site Planning
- Design details
- Concession and Waivers Requested