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TO: James L. App, City Manager

FROM: Bob Lata, Community Development Director *Bob Lata*

SUBJECT: Advisory Body Communication for February 16, 1999 Council Agenda;  
Planning Commission Recommendation to the City Council Regarding  
City Entrance Signage

DATE: February 16, 1999

At their meeting of January 26, 1999, the Planning Commission unanimously recommended that the City consider inclusion of City Entrance Signage at the intersection of First and Spring Streets as a part of the Measure D Funding for the Niblick Bridge Expansion project.

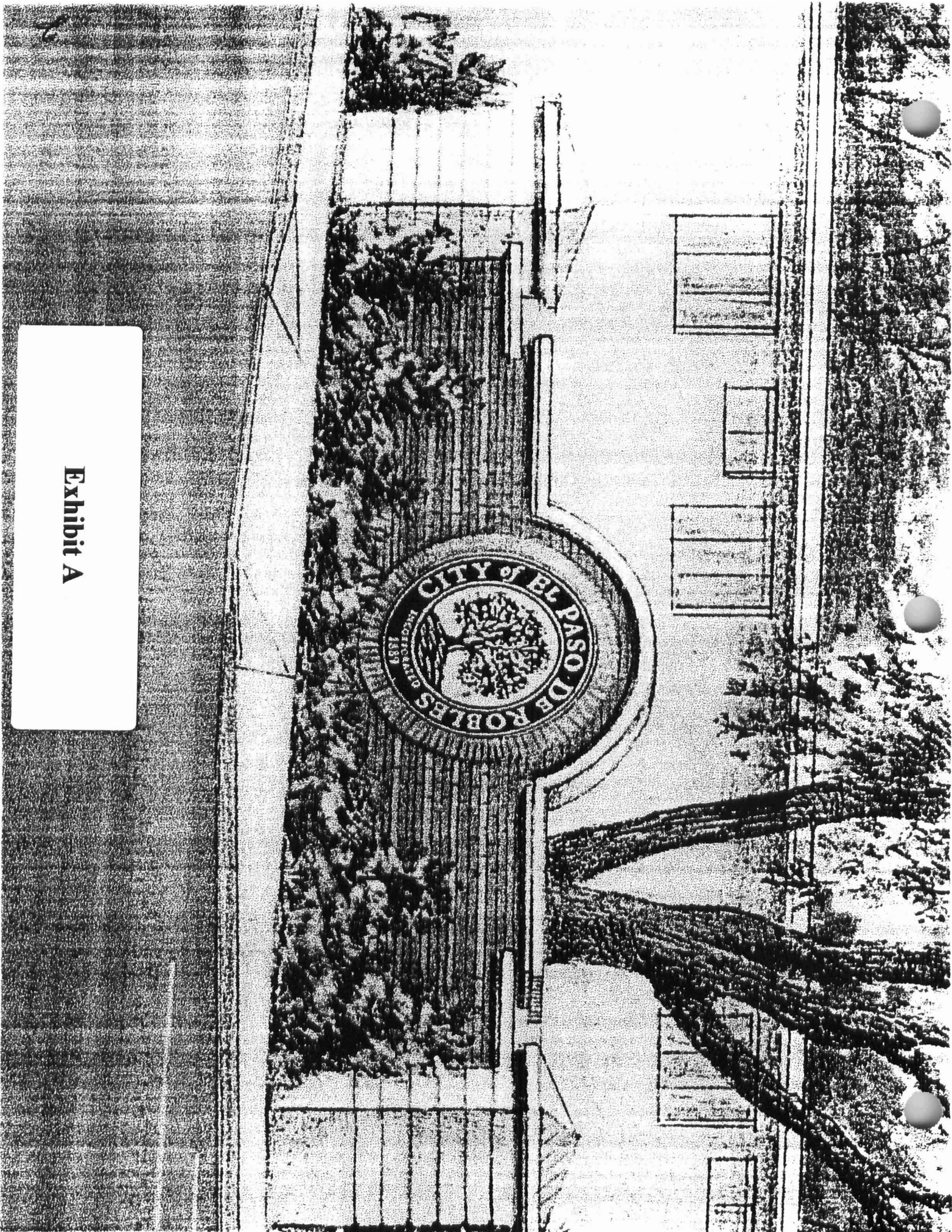
The Planning Commission noted that the City Council has an adopted City signage design program, and that considerable progress has been made with installation of the standardized green directional signs. The Commission also observed, however, that the City has not yet budgeted for or installed any of the approved City Entrance signs.

The Planning Commission perceives that installation of City Entrance Signage is a logical part of the full Measure D-funded intersection improvements for the expansion of the Niblick Bridge. The two signage elements that have been under discussion at that location are:

1. Incorporating a City Seal within the design of the wall that would be constructed along the south side of the Grandview Apartments (where the existing garage entrances are located). A copy of the schematic design is attached (Exhibit A); and
2. Construction of the first of a series of City Entrance Signs on the existing median, located just north of the intersection of First and Spring Streets. A copy of the signage design approved by the City Council on October 1, 1996 is attached for reference purposes. (Exhibit B).

Please contact Bob Lata if you have questions or need further information regarding the Planning Commission's recommendation on this topic.

**Exhibit A**



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LIMESTONE, BRONZE  
SIGN.

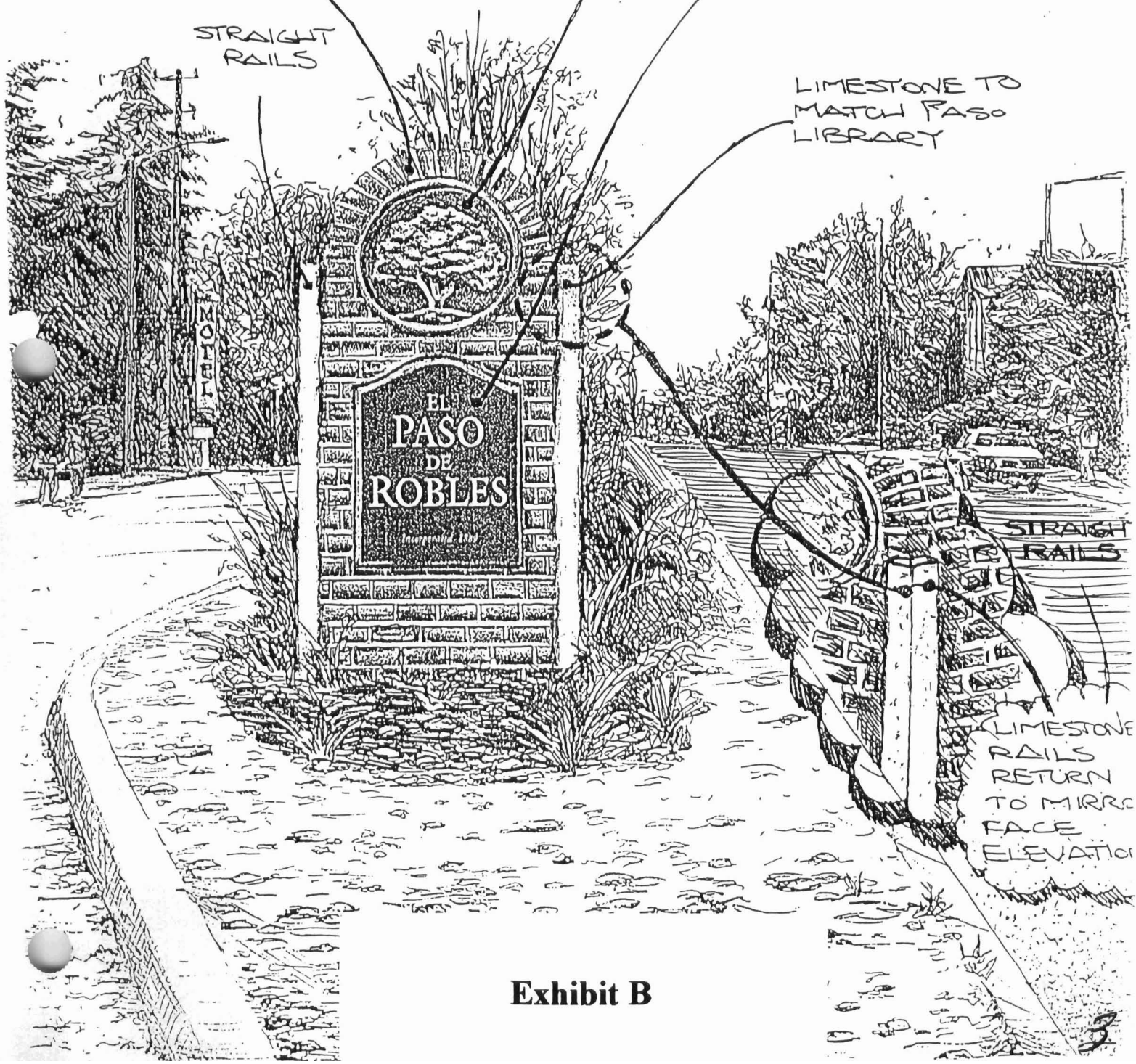
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ANTIQUED  
BRICK TO MATCH  
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APPROX:  
4'6" X 4'  
CAST BRONZE  
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STRAIGHT  
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LIMESTONE TO  
MATCH PASO  
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STRAIGHT  
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Exhibit B