RESOLUTION NO.: <u>06-0068</u>

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PASO ROBLES ADOPTING A NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR PLANNED DEVELOPMENT 06-005 PARCEL 2, DANLEY COURT, GOLDEN HILLS INDUSTRIAL PARK APN: 025-421-052 APPLICANT – SAFARI PROPERTIES, LLC

WHEREAS, Planned Development 06-005 has been filed by Safari Properties, LLC; and

WHEREAS, Planned Development 06-005 is a proposal to construct a 21,520 s.f. multi-tenant, commercial/light industrial; and

WHEREAS, the project is consistent with the General Plan land use designation BP (Business Park), the Zoning Ordinance district which is PM (Planned Manufacturing), and the Commercial/Industrial Design Guidelines; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Statutes and Guidelines of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), and the City's Procedures for Implementing CEQA, an Initial Study and a Draft Negative Declaration was prepared and circulated for public review and comment; and

WHEREAS, no public comments or responses were received in regard to the Draft Negative Declaration and Initial Study; and

WHEREAS, Public Notice of the proposed Draft Negative Declaration was posted as required by Section 21092 of the Public Resources Code; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was conducted by the Planning Commission on August 22, 2006 to consider the Initial Study, the proposed Negative Declaration prepared for the proposed project, and to accept public testimony on the Planned Development and environmental determination; and

WHEREAS, based on the information and analysis contained in the Initial Study prepared for this project and testimony received as a result of the public notice, the Planning Commission finds that there is no

substantial evidence that there would be a significant impact on the environment as a result of the development and operation of the proposed project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Planning Commission of the City of El Paso de Robles, based on its independent judgment, that it does hereby adopt a Negative Declaration for Planned Development 06-005 in accordance with the Statutes and Guidelines of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the City's Procedures for Implementing CEQA.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 22nd day of August, 2006, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Commissioners Menath, Johnson, Holestine, Steinbeck, Flynn, Withers and Chair Hamon
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None

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ATTEST:

RON-WHISENAND, PLANNING COMMISSION SECRETARY

Attachment 4 Initial Study

CITY OF PASO ROBLES – PL INITIAL STUL

1. GENERAL PROJECT INFORMATION

PROJECT TITLE:	Safari Center (PD 06-005)
LEAD AGENCY:	City of Paso Robles - 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
Contact: Telephone:	Susan DeCarli, AICP, City Planner (805) 237-3970
PROJECT LOCATION:	Parcel 2, PR 04-434, Danley Court (APN 025-421-052)
PROJECT PROPONENT:	Applicant: Safari Properties, LLC 9016 Lindante Drive, Whittier, CA 90603 Representative: Ryan Paine
LEAD AGENCY CONTACT/ INITIAL STUDY PREPARED BY:	Susan DeCarli AICP, City Planner
Telephone: Facsimile: E-Mail:	(805) 237-3970 (805) 237-3904 sdecarli@prcity.com
GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION:	Business Park (BP)
ZONING:	Planned Industrial (PM)

2. <u>PROJECT DESCRIPTION</u>

The proposed project is a request for a Planned Development and to construct a light manufacturing/warehouse building with up to 21,520 s.f. of space on a 1.79 acre site. It is proposed to be used for leasing to various types of commercial/light industrial uses. However, uses will be limited to those permitted or conditionally permitted in the PM zoning district

Based on current zoning requirements for parking the project requires 40 parking spaces (3,055 s.f. office, 9131 s.f. manufacturing, and 9,131 s.f. warehouse). The site plan includes 46 parking spaces.

The proposed development area is flat with no unique vegetation or other site development constraints or resources. The site is part of a previously approved Tract Map and Planned Development. These entitlements include development Conditions of Approval which will be incorporated into this project.

3. OTHER AGENCIES WHOSE APPROVAL MAY BE REQUIRED (For example, issuance of permits, financing approval, or participation agreement):

None.

4. EARLIER ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION:

This Initial Study incorporates by reference the City of El Paso de Robles General Plan Environmental Impact Report (EIR) (SCH#2003011123).

5. CONTEXT OF ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS FOR THE PROJECT:

This Initial Study relies on expert opinion supported by the facts, technical studies, and technical appendices of the City of El Paso de Robles General Plan EIR. These documents are incorporated herein by reference. They provide substantial evidence to document the basis upon which the City has arrived at its environmental determination regarding various resources.

6. PURPOSES OF AN INITIAL STUDY

The purposes of an Initial Study for a Development Project Application are:

- A. To provide the City with sufficient information and analysis to use as the basis for deciding whether to prepare an Environmental Impact Report, a Mitigated Negative Declaration, or a Negative Declaration for a site specific development project proposal;
- B. To enable the Applicant of a site specific development project proposal or the City as the lead agency to modify a project, mitigating adverse impacts before an Environmental Impact Report is required to be prepared, thereby enabling the proposed Project to qualify for issuance of a Negative Declaration or a Mitigated Negative Declaration;
- C. To facilitate environmental assessment early in the design of a project;
- D. To eliminate unnecessary EIRs;
- E. To explain the reasons for determining that potentially significant effects would not be significant;
- F. To determine if a previously prepared EIR could be used for the project;
- G. To assist in the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report if one is required; and
- H. To provide documentation of the factual basis for the finding of no significant effect as set forth in a Negative Declaration or a Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for the a project.

7. EXPLANATION OF ANSWERS FOUND ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL CHECKLIST FORM

A. Scope of Environmental Review

This Initial Study evaluates potential impacts identified in the following checklist.

B. Evaluation of Environmental Impacts

1. A brief explanation is required for all answers to the questions presented on the following Environmental Checklist Form, except where the answer is that the proposed project will have "No Impact." The "No Impact" answers are to be adequately supported by the information sources cited in the parentheses following each question or as otherwise explained in the introductory remarks. A "No Impact" answer is adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to the project. A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors and/or general standards. The basis for the "No Impact" answers on the following Environmental Checklist Form is explained in further detail in this Initial Study in Section 9

(Earlier Environmental Analysis and Related Environmental Documentation) and Section 10 (Context of Environmental Analysis for the Project).

- 2. All answers on the following Environmental Checklist Form must take into account the whole action involved with the project, including implementation. Answers should address off-site as well as on-site, cumulative as well as project-level, indirect as well as direct, and construction as well as operational impacts.
- 3. "Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate, if an effect is significant or potentially significant, or if the lead agency lacks information to make a finding of insignificance. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, preparation of an Environmental Impact Report is warranted.
- 4. Potentially Significant Impact Unless Mitigated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less than Significant Impact." The lead agency must describe the mitigation measures, and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level. Mitigation Measures from Section 9 (Earlier Environmental Analysis and Related Environmental Documentation) may be cross-referenced).
- 5. Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063(c)(3)(D). See Section 4 (Earlier Environmental Analysis and Related Environmental Documentation) and Section 11 (Earlier Analysis and Background Materials) of this Initial Study.
- 6. References to the information sources for potential impacts (e.g., general plans, zoning ordinances) have been incorporated into the Environmental Checklist Form. See Section 11 (Earlier Analysis and Related Environmental Documentation). Other sources used or individuals contacted are cited where appropriate.
- 7. The following Environmental Checklist Form generally is the same as the one contained in Title 14, California Code of Regulations; with some modifications to reflect the City's needs and requirements.
- 8. Standard Conditions of Approval: The City imposes standard conditions of approval on Projects. These conditions are considered to be components of and/or modifications to the Project and some reduce or minimize environmental impacts to a level of insignificance. Because they are considered part of the Project, they have not been identified as mitigation measures. For the readers' information, the standard conditions identified in this Initial Study are available for review at the Community Development Department.
- 9. Certification Statement: The statements made in this Initial Study and those made in the documents referenced herein present the data and information that are required to satisfy the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Statutes and Guidelines, as well as the City's Procedures for Implementing CEQA. Further, the facts, statements, information, and analysis presented are true and correct in accordance with standard business practices of qualified professionals with expertise in the development review process, including building, planning, and engineering.

8. ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:

The proposed project may potentially affect the environmental factors checked below, and may involve at least one impact that is a "Potentially Significant Impact" or is "Potentially Significant Unless Mitigated," if so indicated on the following Environmental Checklist Form (Pages 8 to.15)

□ Land Use & Planning	□ Transportation/Circulation	Public Services
□ Population & Housing	□ Biological Resources	□ Utilities & Service Systems
Geological Problems	□ Energy & Mineral Resources	□ Aesthetics
□ Water	□ Hazards	□ Cultural Resources
□ Air Quality	□ Noise	□ Recreation
	Mandatory Findings of Significant	ice

9. ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: On the basis of this initial evaluation: I find that:

The proposed project could not have a significant effect on the environment; and, therefore, a **NEGATIVE DECLARATION** will be prepared.

Although the proposed project could have a significant effect on the environment, there will not be a significant effect in this case because the mitigation measures described on an attached sheet have been added to the project. Therefore, a **MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION** will be prepared.

The proposed project may have a significant effect on the environment; and, therefore an	
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required.	

The proposed project may have a significant effect(s) on the environment, but one or more effects (1) have been adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and (2) have been addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis as described on attached sheets, if the effect is a "potentially significant impact" or is "potentially significant unless mitigated."

Therefore, an ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required, but it will analyze only the effect or effects that remain to be addressed.

Signature:

Date:

August 2, 2006

Susan DeCarli, AICP, City Planner

10	Environmental Checklist Form		Potentially Significant			
ISS	UES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No I mpact	
I.	LAND USE AND PLANNING. Would the Proposal:					
	 Conflict with general plan designation or zoning? (Sources: 1 & 8) 				\checkmark	
	Discussion: The proposed project is consistent with the PM Zo Plan Land Use Element, and the Airport Land Use Plan (2 development standards.	oning District o ALUP), and th	and BP land use 1ey are in comp	designation is pliance with d	n the General 111 applicable	
1	 Conflict with applicable environmental plans or policies adopted by agencies with jurisdiction over the project? (Sources: 1 & 3) 					
	Discussion: The proposed project complies with the EIR recent	ly certified for	the City Genera	ıl Plan Update	2, 2003.	
C) Be incompatible with existing land uses in the vicinity? (Sources: 1 & 3)					
	Discussion: The project is proposed for light industrial uses. be incompatible with proposed uses. Other uses in the area inc.				ty that would	
đ	Affect agricultural resources or operations (e.g., impacts to soils or farmlands, or impacts from incompatible uses)?			V		
	Discussion: This is an industrial infill site. The previously appr evaluated impacts that may result from development of this trac- installed for this project. In addition, the General Plan EIR also the underlying soil on this property is not prime, of statewide im agricultural purposes. Thus, there would not be significant imp	t. The roads a o evaluated ag portance, or u	nd other public (ricultural soils, c nique farmland.	improvements and it is detern The site is no	are already nined that	
e)	Disrupt or divide the physical arrangement of an established community (including a low-income or minority community)? (Sources: 1 & 3)				Ø	
	Discussion: The project is proposed in an industrial infill locati community.	on and will no	t disrupt or divid	de the establis	hed	
П. Р	II. POPULATION AND HOUSING. Would the proposal:					
a)	Cumulatively exceed official regional or local population projections? (Sources: 1 & 3)					

Discussion: The proposed project does not include a residential component nor is it large enough to result in creating a significant number of new jobs that could affect cumulative population projections.

10	Environmental Checklist Form		Potentially Significant		
ISS	UES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
ł	b) Induce substantial growth in an area either directly or indirectly (e.g., through projects in an undeveloped area or extension of major infrastructure)? (Sources: 1 & 3)				V
	Discussion: This is an existing industrial infill site and will b infrastructure that would induce growth.	e served by all ci	ity services. The	e project will n	ot extend
С	 Displace existing housing, especially affordable housing? (Sources: 1, 3, & 5) 				
	Discussion: There is no housing currently existing on the prohousing.	ject site, thus the	e project will not	t displace any o	existing
	GEOLOGIC PROBLEMS. Would the proposal result in r expose people to potential impacts involving:				
a) Fault rupture? (Sources: 1, 2, & 3)			\checkmark	
	Discussion: The potential for and mitigation of impacts that a identified and addressed in the General Plan EIR, pg. 4.5-8. valley. The Rinconada Fault system runs on the west side of t valley and runs through the community of Parkfield east of Pa geologic influences in the application of the Uniform Building available information and examinations indicate that neither of Paso Robles. Soils reports and structural engineering in accor conjunction with any new development proposal. Based on su rupture and exposure of persons or property to seismic hazard requirements of the Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zones, of minimum of 50 feet of a known active trace fault. The propose	There are two ki he valley. The Si iso Robles. The Code to all new of these faults is i ordance with loca tandard conditio. Is is not consider nly structures for	nown fault zones an Andreas Fau City of Paso Rol development wi active with resp al seismic influen ns of approval, to red significant. human habitati	t on either side It is on the eas bles recognizes ithin the City. I tect to ground r tecs would be the potential for In addition, pe fon need to be	of this t side of the t these Review of upture in applied in or fault er setback a
b)	Seismic ground shaking? (Sources:1, 2, & 3)				
	Discussion: The City is located within an active earthquake a Rinconada and San Andreas Faults. The proposed structure v Plan EIR identified impacts resulting from ground shaking as will be incorporated into the design of this project including a or potentially active faults.	vill be constructe less than signific	ed to current UB cant and provide	C codes. The d mitigation m	General easures that
c)	Seismic ground failure, including liquefaction? (Sources: 1, 2 & 3)				\square
	Discussion: Per the General Plan EIR, the project site is locate liquefaction or other type of ground failure due to seismic event reduce this potential impact, which will be incorporated into the specific analysis of liquefaction potential. Based on analysis re specific design requirements to reduce the potential impacts on level.	ts due to soil con is project. This i sults, the project	ditions. The Ell ncludes a requin design and con	R identifies me rement to cond struction will i	asures to uct a site- nclude

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	Environmental Checklist Form UES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Lumpact
C	d) Seiche, tsunami, or volcanic hazard? (Sources: 1, 2, & 3)				V
e	E) Landslides or Mudflows? (Sources: 1, 2, & 3)				N
	Discussion: d. and e. The project site is not located near bodie an area subject to landslides or mudflows.	rs of water or v	volcanic hazards,	nor is the site	e locate d in
f)	Erosion, changes in topography or unstable soil conditions from excavation, grading, or fill? (Sources: 1, 2, 3, & 4)				
	Discussion: Per the General Plan EIR and previous environmen not erosive or otherwise unstable. As such, no significant impac	ntal review for ets are anticipa	the tract subdiv ated.	ision, the soil o	condition is
g)	Subsidence of the land? (Sources: 1, 2, & 3)				\square
	Discussion: See Item c.				
h)	Expansive soils? (Sources: 4)			\square	
	Discussion: Per the General Plan EIR, Paso Robles is an area t addressed through implementation of appropriate soil preparation specific soils report. Therefore, impacts related to expansive soi	on as determin	ed necessarv bv	soils. This issi recommendat	ie will be ions of site
i)	Unique geologic or physical features? (Sources:1 & 3)				V
	Discussion: There are no unique geologic or physical features o	n or near the p	project site.		
IV.W	ATER. Would the proposal result in:				
a)	Changes in absorption rates, drainage patterns, or the rate and amount of surface runoff? (Sources:1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The project includes structures and parking lots whi decrease absorption rates. However, site drainage will be conve- significant surface runoff.	ch will increas ved to an on-si	se the amount of ite retention basi	surface runoff in, and will no	^c and t result in
b)	Exposure of people or property to water related hazards such as flooding? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				

Discussion: There is no potential to expose people or property to water related hazards due to this project since it is not in or near a flood zone.

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ISS	U	ES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Significant Impact	Mitigation Incorporated	Significant Impact	No Impact
	c)	Discharge into surface waters or other alteration of surface water quality (e.g., temperature, dissolved oxygen or turbidity)? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
		Discussion: The project will utilize an on-site retention basin. could not be of a quantity to alter water quality in terms of temp	The volume of perature, disso	discharge that I lved oxygen or c	nay result fron create significa	1 this project nt turbidity.
	d)	Changes in the amount of surface water in any water body? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\square
		Discussion: There is no water body on or near the project site.				
(e)	Changes in currents, or the course or direction of water movement? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
		Discussion: This project could not result in changes in currents significantly affect changes in currents, or the course or direction			not large enoi	igh to
f)	Change in the quantity of ground waters, either through direct additions or withdrawals, or through interception of an aquifer by cuts or excavations or through substantial loss of groundwater recharge capability? (Sources: 1,3, & 7)			V	
		Discussion Build-out of the City is anticipated in the General Pl compliance with build-out scenario and anticipated impacts to v conservation measures through use of water conservation lands development impact fees which will help pay for the City to obta direct additions or withdrawals or result in substantial loss of gr amount of water.	vater demand. cape and irrig iin new water r	The project wil ation measures, resources. The p	l implement we building fixtur project will not	iter es, and make any
g		Altered direction or rate of flow of groundwater? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\checkmark
		Discussion: This project could not result in alterations to the di does not directly extract groundwater or otherwise affect these r		of groundwater	flow since this	s project
h))]	Impacts to groundwater quality? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The project will not affect groundwater quality since this project does not directly extract groundwater or otherwise affect these resources, and the proposed uses do not utilize construction materials or methods that would result in reduced groundwater quality. This project will not change existing water quality from discharging in surface waters with implementation of standard storm water discharge infrastructure that is in compliance with the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) requirements.					
i)		Substantial reduction in the amount of groundwater otherwise available for public water supplies?			V	

10 F	Environmental Checklist Form	Potentially	Potentially Significant Unless	Less Than	
ISSU	IES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Significant Impact	Mitigation Incorporated	Significant Impact	No Irmpact
c	Discharge into surface waters or other alteration of surface water quality (e.g., temperature, dissolved oxygen or turbidity)? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\checkmark
	Discussion: The project will utilize an on-site retention basin. could not be of a quantity to alter water quality in terms of tem				
d)	Changes in the amount of surface water in any water body? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: There is no water body on or near the project site.				
e)	Changes in currents, or the course or direction of water movement? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: This project could not result in changes in current. significantly affect changes in currents, or the course or direction			not large enot	ıgh to
f)	Change in the quantity of ground waters, either through direct additions or withdrawals, or through interception of an aquifer by cuts or excavations or through substantial loss of groundwater recharge capability? (Sources: 1,3, & 7)			V	
	Discussion: Build-out of the City is anticipated in the General compliance with build-out scenario and anticipated impacts to conservation measures through use of water conservation lands development impact fees which will help pay for the City to obte direct additions or withdrawals or result in substantial loss of g amount of water.	water demand. scape and irrig ain new water a	The project wi ation measures, resources. The p	ll implement w building fixtur project will not	ater es, and make any
g)	Altered direction or rate of flow of groundwater? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: This project could not result in alterations to the d does not directly extract groundwater or otherwise affect these		e of groundwater	r flow since thi	s project
h)	Impacts to groundwater quality? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\checkmark
	Discussion: The project will not affect groundwater quality sind otherwise affect these resources, and the proposed uses do not u in reduced groundwater quality. This project will not change ex with implementation of standard storm water discharge infrastr Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) requirements.	ıtilize construc xisting water q	tion materials o uality from discl	r methods that harging in surf	would result ace waters
i)	Substantial reduction in the amount of groundwater otherwise available for public water supplies?			M	

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		(Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
		Discussion: Refer to response f.				r.
V. 4	4I	R QUALITY. Would the proposal:				
a	1)	Violate any air quality standard or contribute to an existing or projected air quality violation? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)			\checkmark	
	Discussion: The proposed project is consistent with the growth projections and projected air quality impacts antic ip ated in the recent General Plan Update and EIR. An air quality emissions evaluation was conducted using the air quality threshold criteria in the San Luis Obispo County Air Pollution Control District Handbook. The scale of the proposed project will result in less than significant impacts to air quality. Standard on-site construction mitigations will be employed during construction to control dust and emissions.					ir quality proposed
b)	Expose sensitive receptors to pollutants? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\square
		Discussion: There are no sensitive receptors such as schools, h impacted by this project.	ospitals, etc. v	vithin the near v	icinity that cou	ıld be
c	:)	Alter air movement, moisture, or temperature? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)			\checkmark	
		Discussion: This project does not have the potential to significate the project is a small scale development.	antly alter air i	movement, mois	ture, or tempe	rature since
d)	Create objectionable odors?				\checkmark
		Discussion: This project does not have the potential to create o and light manufacturing) do not generally create odors.	bjectionable o	odors since the f	uture uses (off	ices, storage
100/022234	199-223	ANSPORTATION/CIRCULATION. Would the posal result in:				
a)	Increased vehicle trips or traffic congestion? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)			V	
		Discussion. A twin convertion analysis was conducted using t	he ITE Manu	al 6 th Edition d	and results ind	licate that the

Discussion: A trip generation analysis was conducted using the ITE Manual, 6" Edition, and results indicate that the proposed project of this scope may result in generation of approximately 70 average weekday trips, and approximately 10 A.M. peak hour and 10 P.M. peak hour trips. The level of service (LOS) on Golden Hill Road and the intersection of Golden Hill and Hwy. 46 is currently LOS C. The addition of this project on the roadway system will not result in increased impacts that will exceed LOS C. The General Plan Environmental Impact Report (EIR) analysis on circulation at build-out included infill development of future commercial development, including this property/tract.

10 E	nvironmental Checklist Form	D 4 4 11	Potentially Significant	X TU	
ISSU	ES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
b)	Hazards to safety from design features (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The proposed project does not include road incompatible uses.	improvements	that may resu	lt in safety h	azards or in
c)	Inadequate emergency access or inadequate access to nearby uses? (Sources:1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The project is adequately served by public streets.	for emergency	services.		
d)	Insufficient parking capacity on-site or off-site? (Sources: 1, 3, 7, & 8)				
	Discussion: The Site Plan indicates 46 parking spaces which is Ordinance requirements for the proposed uses. Therefore, the				er Zoning
e)	Hazards or barriers for pedestrians or bicyclists? (Source: 7)				
	Discussion: The subdivision includes curb, gutter and sidewall have hazards or barriers for pedestrians or bicyclists.	k which extends	s along the prop	erty frontage,	and does not
f)	Conflicts with adopted policies supporting alternative transportation (e.g., bus turnouts, bicycle racks)? (Sources: 1 & 8)				M
	Discussion: The project would not conflict with or otherwise a transportation.	ffect adopted p	olicies supportin	ag alternative	
g)	Rail, waterborne or air traffic impacts?				\square
	Discussion: The project will not result in impacts to rail, water Planning Area, and is within Zone 3 of the ALUP. The project not conflict with or result in impacts to the airport and flight pa	complies with t			
BIOL impacts	OGICAL RESOURCES. Would the proposal result in to:				
	langered, threatened or rare species or their habitats (including not limited to: plants, fish, insects, animals, and birds)?				
	Discussion: Previous environmental studies prepared for the su threatened or rare species or their habitats located on the prop	ubdivision indi osed project sit	cate that there a 'e.	re no endange	red,

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	Environmental Checklist Form JES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Empact
b	b) Locally designated species (e.g., heritage trees)?				
	Discussion: There are no locally designated species on this sit	2.			
c) Locally designated natural communities (e.g., oak forest, coastal habitat, etc.)?				
	Discussion: There are no locally designated natural communit	ies on this site.			
d)) Wetland habitat (e.g., marsh, riparian and vernal pool)?				
	Discussion: There are no wetland habitats on the project site.				
e)	Wildlife dispersal or migration corridors?				
	Discussion: The property is not located within a wildlife disper-	al or migratio	n corridor.		
	ENERGY AND MINERAL RESOURCES. Would the proposal:				
a)	Conflict with adopted energy conservation plans? (Sources: 1 & 7)				
	Discussion: The structures will be designed and constructed ac conservation requirements, thus it will not conflict with adopted			les and Title 2	4 energy
b)	Use non-renewable resources in a wasteful and inefficient manner? (Sources: 1 & 7)				$\mathbf{\nabla}$
	Discussion: The project will not use non-renewable resource in	a wasteful and	l inefficient man	ner.	
c)	Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource that would be of future value to the region and the residents of the State? (Sources: 1 & 7)			Π	
	Discussion: The project is not located in an area of a known mi region and the residents of the State.	neral resource	s that would be	of future value	to the
IX,HA	ZARDS. Would the proposal involve:				
a)	A risk of accidental explosion or release of hazardous substances (including, but not limited to: oil, pesticides, chemicals or radiation)?				$\overline{\mathbf{M}}$

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		Environmental Checklist Form JES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Imapact
		Discussion: The project will not result in a risk of accidental e do not generally uses these types of substances.	xplosion or rel	ease of hazardo	us substances s	since the uses
	b)) Possible interference with an emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan? (Sources: 1 & 7)				
		Discussion: The project will not interfere with an emergency re a designated emergency response location to be used for stagin	esponse plan of g or other uses	r emergency eva in an emergenc	cuation plan s ry.	ince it is not
	c)	The creation of any health hazard or potential hazards?				
		Discussion: The project and future uses will not likely result in	creating any h	ealth or other h	azards.	
	d)	Increased fire hazard in areas with flammable brush, grass, or trees?				
		Discussion: The project site is currently cleared and grubbed, o hazards.	and is not with	in an area that v	vould result in	increase fire
X	. NO	OISE. Would the proposal result in:				
	a)	Increases in existing noise levels? (Sources: 1, 7, & 8)			\checkmark	
		Discussion: The project will not likely result in a significant inc term construction noise. However, construction noise will be lin	rease in opera nited to specifi	tional noise leve c daytime hours	ls. It may rest per city reguld	ult in short- utions.
	b)	Exposure of people to severe noise levels? (Source: 3)				\square
		The proposed project would not result in exposure of people to s	evere noise lev	vels.		
XI	upo	JBLIC SERVICES. Would the proposal have an effect n, or result in a need for new or altered government services in of the following areas:				
	a)	Fire protection? (Sources: 1, 3, 6, & 7)				\checkmark
	b)	Police Protection? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\square
	c)	Schools? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				V
		Maintenance of public facilities, including roads? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	e)	Other governmental services? (Sources: 1,3, & 7)				\checkmark

10 Environmental Checklist Form		Potentially		
		Significant		
	Potentially	Unless	Less Than	
ISSUES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Significant	Mitigation	Significant	
(a supposed and mathematical bounded).	Impact	Incorporated	Impact	No Impact

Discussion: a.-e. The project applicant will be required to pay development impact fees as established by the city per AB 1600 to mitigate impacts to public services.

	UTILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS. Would the proposal result in a need for new systems or supplies, or substantial alterations to the following utilities:		
a)	Power or natural gas? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)		
b)	Communication systems? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)		\checkmark
c)	Local or regional water treatment or distribution facilities? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)		
d)	Sewer or septic tanks? (Sources: 1, 3, 7, & 8)		\square
e)	Storm water drainage? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)		\square
f)	Solid waste disposal? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)		\square
g)	Local or regional water supplies? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)		

Discussion: a.-g. The project will not result in the need for new systems or supplies, or result in substantial alterations to utilities and service systems. Utilities were installed upon acceptance of the Final Map.

XIII. AESTHETICS. Would the proposal:	State State
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a)	Affect a scenic vista or scenic highway? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\square	
	Discussion: The project is not located in a scenic vista or scenic	: highway are	<i>a</i> .			
b)	Have a demonstrable negative aesthetic effect? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)					
	Discussion: The project is proposed to be designed with contem, designed for this site. Thus, it will not likely have a demonstrabl	porary busine e negative ae:	ess park architec sthetic effect.	ture that is app	propriately	
c)	Create light or glare? (Sources: 1, 3, 7, & 8)				\checkmark	
Discussion: All light fixtures will be shielded and downcast as required per city regulations.						
XIV. Q	CULTURAL RESOURCES. Would the proposal:	e				
a)	Disturb paleontological resources? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				\square	

b) Disturb archaeological resources? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)

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	Environmental Checklist Form ES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Immpact
Discussion: ab. The project site is not located in an area with know paleontological or archaeological resources. If these types of resources are found during grading and excavation, appropriate procedures will be followed including halting activities and contacting the County Coroner, and follow standard mitigation procedures.					
c)	Affect historical resources? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: There are no existing historical resources on the pr	oject site.			
d)	Have the potential to cause a physical change which would affect unique ethnic cultural values? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The project is not proposed in a location where it c	ould affect un	ique ethnic cultu	ural values.	
e)	Restrict existing religious or sacred uses within the potential impact area? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: Discussion: There are no known religious or sacre	d uses on or n	ear the project s	site.	
XV.R	ECREATION. Would the proposal:				
a)	Increase the demand for neighborhood or regional parks or other recreational facilities? (Sources: 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The project is non-residential and will not affect the	e demand for p	oarks and recrea	tional facilitie	25.
b)	Affect existing recreational opportunities? (Sources 1, 3, & 7)				
	Discussion: The project will not affect existing recreational opp	ortunities.			
XVI.N a)	IANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE. Does the project have the potential to degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory? (Sources: 1 & 3)				

Discussion: The proposed project does not have any existing natural resources located on it except for one oak tree and oak woodland area beyond the project site in the open space area that will not be impacted by this project. The site is not located near any other plant, animal or habitat resources or historical resources that could be negatively affected by this project.

b) Does the project have the potential to achieve short-term, to the disadvantage of long-term environmental goals?

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10 Environmental Checklist Form		Potentially Significant		
ISSUES (and Supporting Information Sources):	Potentially Significant Impact	Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Innpact

(Sources: 1 & 3)

Discussion: The project will likely have a beneficial long-term environmental impact since it will result in increase *d* jobs which aid the jobs/housing balance.

c) Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, but cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of a project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.) (Sources: 1 & 3)

Discussion: With mitigations incorporated for traffic impacts and building design to current UBC code standards the project will not result in significant cumulative impacts.

d) Does the project have environmental effects that will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly? (Sources: 1 & 3)

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Discussion: The project will not result in substantial adverse environmental impacts on human beings, either directly or indirectly.

11. EARLIER ANALYSIS AND BACKGROUND MATERIALS

Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, one or more effects have been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063 (c)(3)(D). The earlier documents that have been used in this Initial Study are listed below.

Reference	Document Title	Available for Review At
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I	City of Paso Robles General Plan	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
2	Seismic Safety Element for City of Paso Robles	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
3	Final Environmental Impact Report City of Paso Robles General Plan	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
4	Soil Survey of San Luis Obispo County, California Paso Robles Area	USDA-NRCS, 65 Main Street-Suite 108 Templeton, CA 93465
5	Uniform Building Code	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
6	City of Paso Robles Standard Conditions of Approval For New Development	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
7	City of Paso Robles Zoning Code	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
8	City of Paso Robles, Water Master Plan	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
9	City of Paso Robles, Sewer Master Plan	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446
10	Federal Emergency Management Agency Flood Insurance Rate Map	City of Paso Robles Community Development Department 1000 Spring Street, Paso Robles, CA 93446

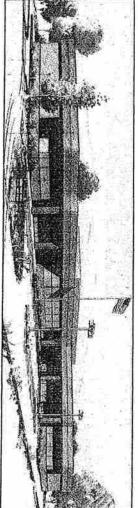
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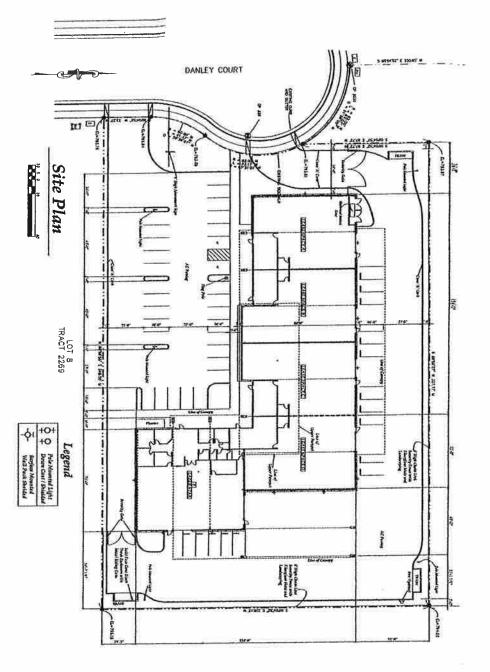
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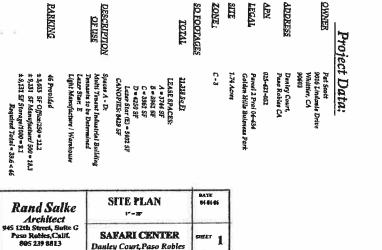
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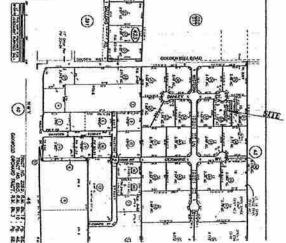
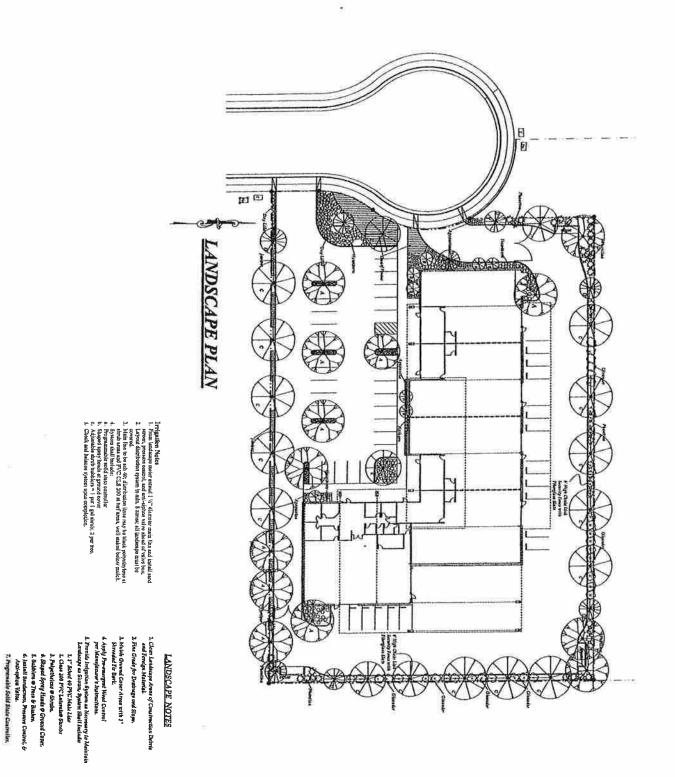


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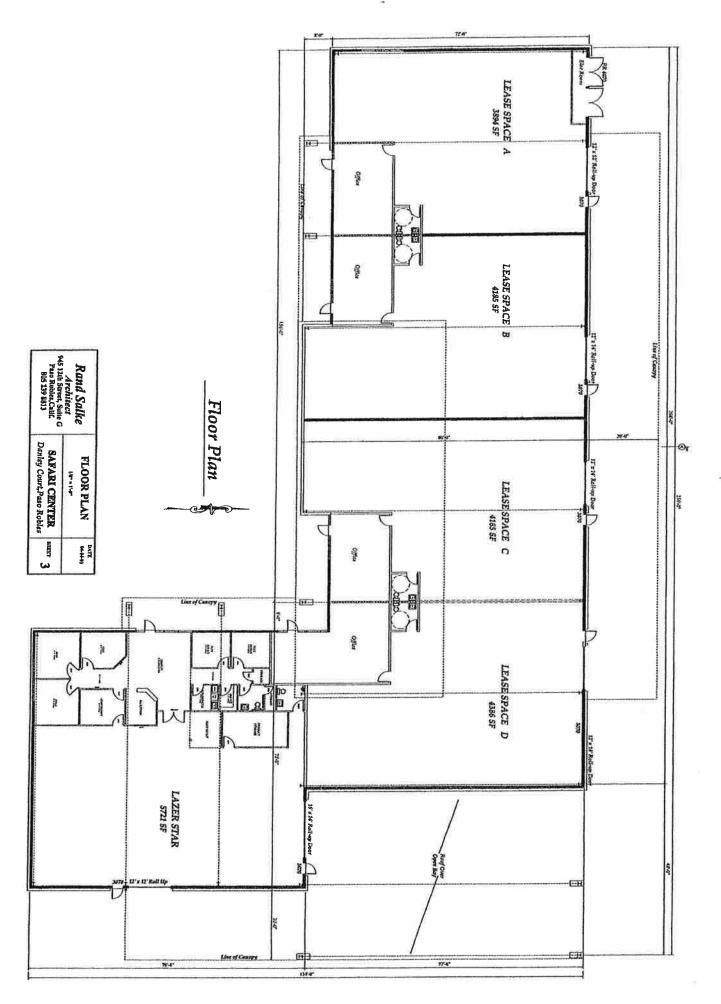
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