



REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

 Date:
 9/14/2021

 Time:
 5:00 p.m.

 Location:
 Zoom

Closed Session

A. Call To Order

Mayor Combs called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.

B. Roll Call

Present:Combs, Mueller (arrived at 5:50 p.m.), Nash, Taylor, WolosinAbsent:NoneStaff:City Manager Starla Jerome-Robinson, City Attorney Nira F. Doherty, City Clerk JudiA. Herren

C. Agenda Review

None.

D. Closed Session

C1. Closed session conference with labor negotiators pursuant to Government Code §54957.6 regarding labor negotiations with the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees Local 829 (AFSCME) and Confidential employees; Service Employees International Union Local 521 (SEIU); Menlo Park Police Sergeants Association (PSA); Menlo Park Police Officers' Association (POA) and Confidential employees; unrepresented management; City Attorney and; City Manager

Attendees: City Manager Starla Jerome-Robinson, Assistant City Manager Nick Pegueros, City Attorney Nira F. Doherty, Legal Counsel Charles Sakai, Interim Human Resources Manager Kristen Strubbe

No reportable actions.

C2. Closed session conference pursuant to Government Code §54957(b)(1) regarding public employee performance evaluation of the City Attorney

No reportable actions.

C3. Closed session conference pursuant to Government Code §54957(b)(1) regarding public employee performance evaluation of the City Manager

No reportable actions.

E. Adjournment

Mayor Combs adjourned to the regular session at 6:04 p.m.

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Regular Session

F. Call To Order

Mayor Combs called the regular meeting to order at 6:08 p.m.

G. Roll Call

Present:Combs, Mueller, Nash, Taylor, WolosinAbsent:NoneStaff:City Manager Starla Jerome-Robinson, City Attorney Nira F. Doherty, City Clerk Judi
A. Herren

H. Report from Closed Session

None.

I. Presentations and Proclamations

11. Proclamation: Recognizing Ali and Bistro Vida Small Business of the Year (Attachment)

Mayor Combs read the proclamation.

Ali El Safy accepted the proclamation.

12. Proclamation: Recognizing the Suburban Park Association (Attachment)

Mayor Combs read the proclamation.

Renee Spooner and Raji Pillai accepted the proclamation.

13. Proclamation: Recognizing Linda Hubbard (Attachment)

Mayor Combs read the proclamation.

Linda Hubbard accepted the proclamation.

I4. Presentation: City manager recruitment (Presentation)

The Hawkins Company Executive Search Consultant Yonnine Hawkins Garr made the presentation (Attachment).

J. Public Comment

None.

K. Consent Calendar

- K1. Adopt Resolution No. 6664 accepting the revised joint exercise of powers agreement San Mateo County Operational Area Emergency Services Organization (Staff Report #21-174-CC)
- K2. Authorize the city manager to execute an agreement with Baker & Taylor for the purchasing and

processing of library materials in an amount not to exceed \$90,000 (Staff Report #21-175-CC)

ACTION: Motion and second (Taylor/ Nash), to approve the consent calendar, passed unanimously.

L. Public Hearing

L1. Consider two appeals of the Planning Commission certification of a final environmental impact report and approval of a use permit, architectural control, below market rate housing agreement, and community amenities operating covenant, and consider the Planning Commission recommendation to approve a vesting tentative map for a major subdivision for the proposed Menlo Uptown project with 483 multifamily dwelling units comprised of 441 rental units and 42 for-sale condominium units and approximately 2,940 square feet of commercial space at 141 Jefferson Drive and 180-186 Constitution Drive (Staff Report #21-169-CC) (Staff Presentation) (Applicant Presentation) – continued from August 31, 2021

Senior Planner Tom Smith made a presentation (Attachment).

Greystar Sr. Development Director Andrew Morcos made a presentation (Attachment).

Appellants Sequoia Union High School District Legal Counsel Harold Freiman and Sequoia Union High School District Board President Alan Sarver made a presentation.

Senior Planner Tom Smith made a presentation (Attachment).

Appellants Sequoia Union High School District Legal Counsel Harold Freiman and Sequoia Union High School District Board President Alan Sarver made their rebuttal.

Mayor Combs opened the public hearing.

- Kris Johnson spoke in support of the Sequoia Union High School District (SUHSD) appeal.
- Adina Levin provided issues discussed at the Complete Streets Commission.
- Victoria Robledo spoke in support of the SUHSD appeal.
- Lynne Bramlett spoke in support of the SUHSD appeal and in opposition of ConnectMenlo.
- Katie Behroozi spoke on concerns related to bicycle and pedestrian safety impacts.
- Pam Jones spoke in support of the City pursuing sole control of Willow Road and in support of increasing the below market rate requirement to 20 percent.

Mayor Combs closed the public hearing.

The City Council received clarification on student safety when crossing streets, student enrollment decline, number of public hearing limitations and ramifications under Senate Bill 330 (SB 330), implementation of fees and conditionals of approval related to the fiscal impact analysis, transportation impact analysis requirements, requirements for level of service (LOS) intersection improvements studied under the project's transportation impact analysis, the number of SB 330 projects currently in Menlo Park, and the Housing Crisis Act provisions related to this project.

The City Council discussed a payment in lieu of tax (PILOT) agreement proposal, SB 330 requirements, removal of non- transportation impact fee (TIF) LOS requirements, mitigation measures, exploring the inclusion of intersection improvements for Willow Road and Newbridge Street, Van Buren Road and Ringwood Avenue, Willow Road and Ivy Drive, considering a comprehensive sea level rise plan for District 1 including an evacuation plan, exploring the

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relinquishment of Willow Road, process to include bike and pedestrian safety, and reexamining TIF projects.

ACTION: Motion and second (Nash/ Wolosin), to adopt Resolution No. 6660 making the required findings per the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and certifying the final environmental impact report (EIR) that analyzes the potential environmental impacts of the proposed project, and adopt an associated Mitigation, Monitoring and Reporting Program (MMRP); and adopt Resolution No. 6662 approving a vesting tentative map for a major subdivision to create 42 condominium townhome units and adjust the lot lines of the three existing parcels on the site; and adopt and amend Resolution No. 6661 denying the appeal of the SUHSD, upholding the Planning Commission's approval of and approving a use permit, architectural control, below market rate (BMR) housing agreement, and community amenities operating covenant and denying the appeal of the City Council call up with two additional considerations of approval:

- 1) Regarding intersections to read all conditions of approval mandating improvements to the following intersections will remain as drafted in the conditions of approval, but may, at a time, determined by the City Council be analyzed and potentially removed from the approved conditions of approval if the City Council does not analyze and/or remove said conditions of approval, the applicant shall continue to be bound by the existing conditions of approval, regarding the following: intersections Willow Road and Coleman Avenue, Willow Road and Gilbert Avenue, those are the near term conditions. Cumulative scenario Chrysler Drive and Jefferson Drive, Chilco Street and Bayfront Expressway, and Chilco Street and Constitution Drive.
- 2) Prior to issuance of the first building permit, the applicant shall enter into a Payment In-Lieu of Taxes Agreement ("PILOT Agreement") with the City of Menlo Park and shall record the executed PILOT Agreement in the San Mateo County Recorder's office. The PILOT Agreement shall require that in the event Owner or any of its operators or lessees or its and their successors or assigns applies for and is granted a "welfare exemption" pursuant to Section 214 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code, or any successor provision, or any other exemption from the payment of real or personal property taxes of any nature, Owner shall pay annually to the City a payment in lieu of taxes in an amount equal to the portion of the real and personal property tax levy the City would have received but for the exemption as determined by the City and as increased annually by the amount permitted under the provisions of Article XIIIA, Section 2, of the California Constitution. The PILOT Agreement shall run with the land; and
- 3) a meeting to be scheduled between Greystar and SUHSD, passed 4-1 (Taylor dissenting).

The City Council took a recess at 10:00 p.m.

The City Council reconvened at 10:22 p.m.

L2. Consider an appeal of the Planning Commission certification of the final environmental impact report impact report and approval of a use permit, architectural control, below market rate housing agreement, and community amenities operating covenant, and consider the Planning Commission's recommendation to approve a public utilities easement abandonment for the proposed Menlo Portal project with 335 multifamily dwelling units and an approximately 34,499-square-foot office space which includes approximately 1,600 square feet of non-office commercial space located at 115 Independence Drive and 104 and 110 Constitution Drive (Staff Report #21-176-CC) (Staff Presentation) (Applicant Presentation)

Contract Principal Planner Payal Bhagat made a presentation (Attachment).

Greystar Sr. Development Director Andrew Morcos made a presentation (Attachment).

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Contract Principal Planner Payal Bhagat made a presentation (Attachment).

Appellants Sequoia Union High School District Legal Counsel Harold Freiman and Sequoia Union High School District Board President Alan Sarver made their rebuttal.

ACTION: By acclamation, the City Council extended the meeting past 11 p.m.

Mayor Combs opened the public hearing

• Pam Jones clarified stance on childcare.

Mayor Combs closed the public hearing.

The City Council received clarification on SUHSD appeals in other cities to Greystar projects, childcare, community amenities, and in-lieu fee options, and non-TIF related modifications that could be further reviewed.

The City Council directed Menlo Park City Attorney's office meet with SUHSD.

ACTION: Motion and second (Combs/ Nash), to adopt Resolution No. 6665 and make the required findings for the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) certifying the final environmental impact report (EIR) that analyzes the potential environmental impacts of the proposed project, and adopt an associated Mitigation, Monitoring and Reporting Program (MMRP); and adopt Resolution No. 6667 approving the public utility easement abandonment, which would allow relocation of existing utilities outside the footprints of the proposed buildings and into a new easement within the project site; and adopt Resolution No. 6666 denying the appeal of SUHSD, upholding the Planning Commission's approval of and approving a use permit, architectural control, below market rate (BMR) housing agreement, and community amenities operating covenant with two additional considerations of approval:

 All conditions of approval mandating improvements to the following intersections will remain as drafted and the conditions of approval that may, at a time, determine by City Council be analyzed and potentially removed from the approved conditions of approval. If the City Council does not analyze and/or remove said conditions of approval, the applicant shall continue to be bound by the existing in our conditions of approval related to the following intersections:

Chrysler Drive and Independence Drive

Bayfront Expressway and Chrysler Drive

Turn pocket on Jefferson Drive

- 2) Prior to issuance of the first building permit, the applicant shall enter into a Payment In-Lieu of Taxes Agreement ("PILOT Agreement") with the City of Menlo Park and shall record the executed PILOT Agreement in the San Mateo County Recorder's office. The PILOT Agreement shall require that in the event Owner or any of its operators or lessees or its and their successors or assigns applies for and is granted a "welfare exemption" pursuant to Section 214 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code, or any successor provision, or any other exemption from the payment of real or personal property taxes of any nature, Owner shall pay annually to the City a payment in lieu of taxes in an amount equal to the portion of the real and personal property tax levy the City would have received but for the exemption as determined by the City and as increased annually by the amount permitted under the provisions of Article XIIIA, Section 2, of the California Constitution. The PILOT Agreement shall run with the land, and
- 3) A meeting to be scheduled between Greystar and SUHSD, passed 4-1 (Taylor dissenting).

M. Regular Business

M1. Adopt Resolution No. 6663 to approve permanent installation of the Belle Haven neighborhood traffic management plan (Staff Report #21-173-CC) (Presentation)

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This item was continued to a future meeting.

N. Informational Items

- N1. City Council agenda topics: September October 12, 2021 (Staff Report #21-171-CC)
- N2. Personnel activity report as of July and August 2021 (Staff Report #21-172-CC)

O. City Manager's Report

None.

P. City Councilmember Reports

None.

Q. Adjournment

Mayor Combs adjourned the meeting at 12:01 a.m.

Judi A. Herren, City Clerk

These minutes were approved at the City Council meeting of October 12, 2021.

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NOVEL CORONAVIRUS, COVID-19, EMERGENCY ADVISORY NOTICE

On March 19, 2020, the Governor ordered a statewide stay-at-home order calling on all individuals living in the State of California to stay at home or at their place of residence to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus. Additionally, the Governor has temporarily suspended certain requirements of the Brown Act. For the duration of the shelter in place order, the following public meeting protocols will apply.

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 - Submit a written comment online up to 1-hour before the meeting start time: menlopark.org/publiccommentSeptember14 *
 - Access the meeting real-time online at: Zoom.us/join – Meeting ID 998 8073 4930
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 Meeting ID 998 8073 4930
 Press *9 to raise hand to speak

*Written public comments are accepted up to 1-hour before the meeting start time. Written messages are provided to the City Council at the appropriate time in their meeting.

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 - Online: menlopark.org/streaming

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According to City Council policy, all meetings of the City Council are to end by midnight unless there is a super majority vote taken by 11:00 p.m. to extend the meeting and identify the items to be considered after 11:00 p.m.

I4-PRESENTATION

CITY OF MENLO PARK

CITY MANAGER EXECUTIVE SEARCH



Presented by Todd Hawkins, Vice President Yonnine Hawkins Garr, Vice President

The Hawkins Company: Experience

- 35 plus years of Talent Acquisition Consulting experience
- Proven track record in identifying, recruiting and placing transformational and high performing leaders with urban public agencies and meeting our clients' executive talent acquisition needs with a commitment to DEI.
- Over 800 executive searches

Stakeholder Engagement

- Individual meetings with members of the City Council
- Individual meetings with City's executive leadership.
- Conduct two community meetings and an online survey.

Purpose

 Assist in creating the recruitment profile and guiding the approach in recruiting and evaluating candidates. City Council Regular Meeting Minutes September 14, 2021 Page 11 of 83

Thank you for your time and the opportunity to speak with you.



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MENLO UPTOWN PROJECT

141 Jefferson Drive, 180-186 Constitution DriveAppeals and Tentative Map Public HearingSeptember 14, 2021 Staff Presentation to City Council

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MENLO UPTOWN PROJECT



- 483 residential units
 - 441 rentals and 42 for-sale townhomes
- 73 units for BMR households
- \$8.9 million in community amenities for bonus level development
- Subject to SB 330 requirements

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RECENT PROJECT HISTORY

- Planning Commission took following actions on June 21, 2021:
 - Certified final EIR and adopted required CEQA findings and MMRP
 - Approved use permit, architectural control, BMR housing agreement, and community amenities operating covenant
 - Recommended that Council approve vesting tentative map
- Two appeals of Commission's actions received on July 6, 2021
 - Sequoia Union High School District
 - City Council, written by Councilmember Taylor



RECOMMENDED MEETING FORMAT

- Appeal Public Hearing
 - Introduction by staff

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- Presentation by applicant
- Remarks from appellant, Sequoia Union High School District
- Response from City staff
- Rebuttal by appellant
- Clarifying questions from City Council
- Public comment
- Deliberation and vote by City Council









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RESPONSE TO APPEAL

- Full responses are included in the staff report
- In summary:

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- Planning Commission is acting body on use permits, architectural controls, BMR housing agreements, and community amenities based on the City's Municipal Code
- ConnectMenlo final EIR and the project final EIR did consider the TIDE Academy in the physical environmental setting and analyses
- SB 50 considers payment of school impact fees to be full and complete school facilities mitigation for CEQA
- Project final EIR did address indirect impacts to schools from transportation, air quality, noise, and other topic areas



RECOMMENDATION

- Recommended Actions
 - Deny the appeals and uphold Planning Commission actions
 - Adopt resolution:

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- Certifying the Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR);
- Adopting the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; and
- Adopting the CEQA Findings
- Adopt a resolution:
 - Approving the:
 - 1) Use Permit
 - 2) Architectural Control Permit
 - 3) Below Market Rate (BMR) Housing Agreement
 - 4) Community Amenities Operating Covenant
- Adopt a resolution:
 - Approving a Vesting Tentative Map for a Major Subdivision

The above actions are subject to Conditions of Approval (Attachment B, Exhibit I)

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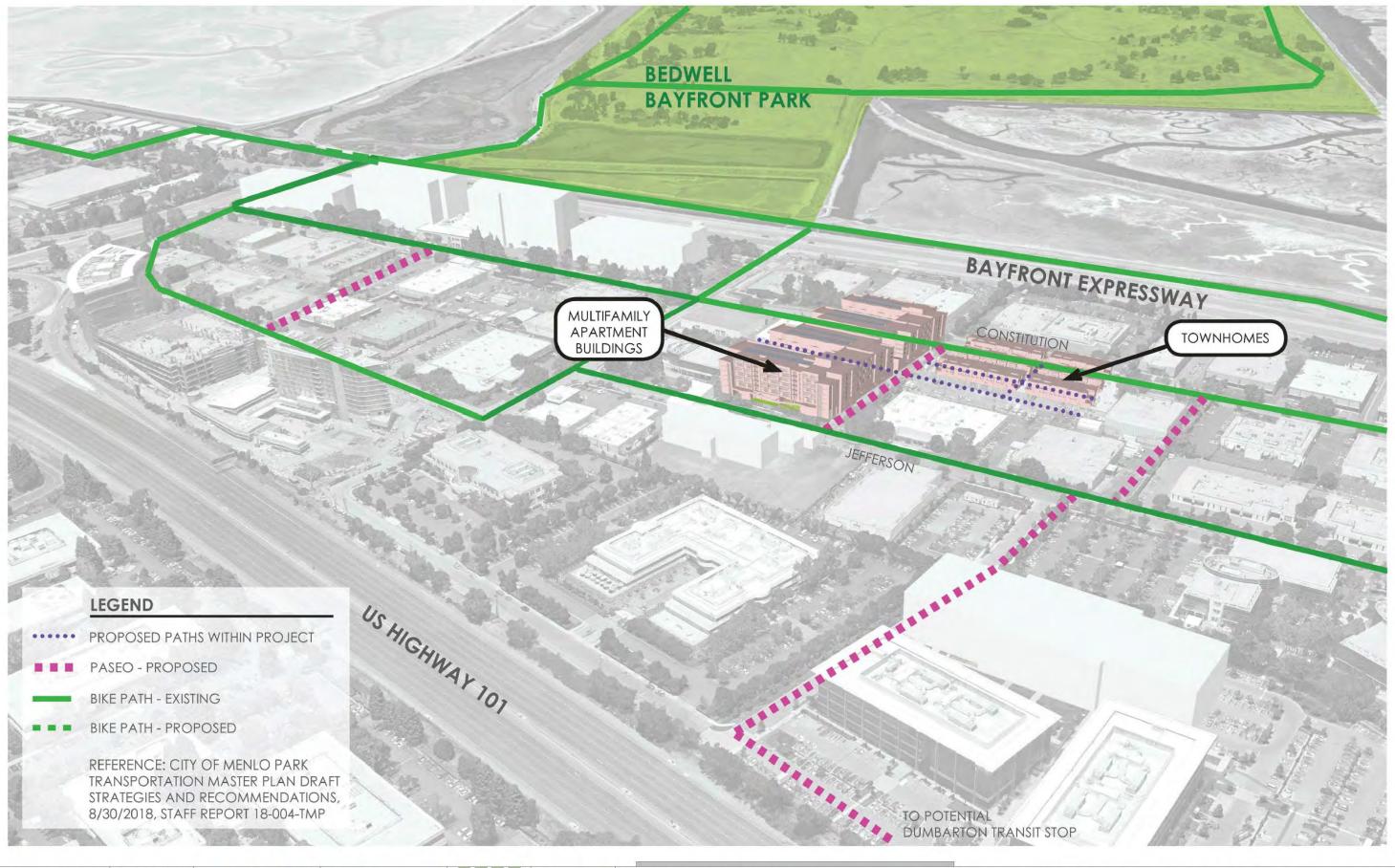
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MENLO UPTOWN CITY COUNCIL ENTITLEMENT APPROVAL HEARING SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

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L1-APPLICANT PRESENTATION







MENLO UPTOWN HOUSING 141 JEFFERSON DR AND 172,180,186 CONSTITUTION DR, MENLO PARK, CA 03-05-2021 URBAN CONTEXT - INTEGRATION WITH CONNECT MENLO MOBILITY NETWORK



Overview of Key Project Features

	General Project Info	 483 units: 441 rental apartments, 42 for-sale townhomes (4.8 Project is 100% housing, will replace ~110K sf existing office
	Affordability	 15% units or 73 units to be below market rate, located onsite
	Community Amenity	 Option 1: building space + build-out costs for Samaritan Holocommunity land trust (VCLT) Option 2: Ravenswood Family Health Network (RFHN) Urgen Operating Funds
	Open Space	 Approximately 24K sq. ft. of publicly accessible open space
	Connectivity	 Paseo open space designed to connect site to walking and I Walkable or bikeable to some of the largest employers in Me
	Environmental	 LEED Gold design standard (apartments), EV charging, all-e

PROJECT IS 100% COMPLIANT WITH ALL OBJECTIVE STANDARDS



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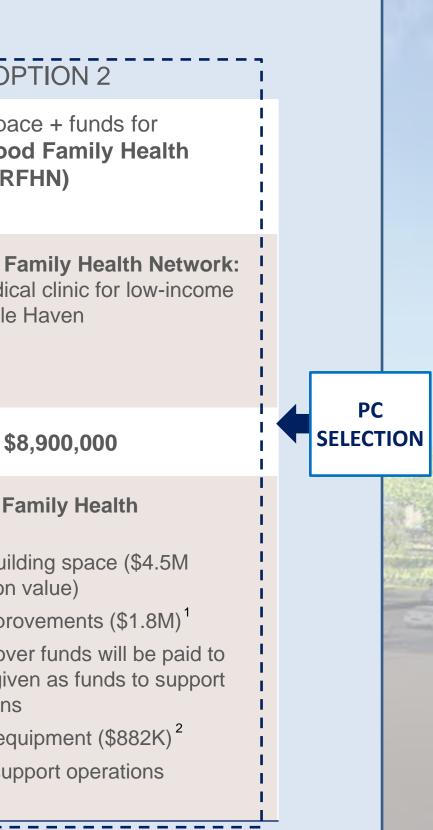




Community Amenity

	OPTION 1	
DESCRIPTION	 Building space + funds for Samaritan House Funds for Valley Community Land Trust (VCLT) 	 Building spat Ravenswood Network (R
PROPOSED PARTNER DETAIL	Samaritan House: non-profit supporting Belle Haven community VCLT: community land trust for affordable housing in Belle Haven	Ravenswood F non-profit medic patients in Belle
TOTAL AMENITY VALUE	\$8,900,000	\$
	 Samaritan House 2,940 sf building space (\$4.5M construction value) Build-out costs (\$975K) Community land trust (VCLT) Affordable housing in Belle Haven (\$3.5M) 	 Ravenswood F Network > 2,940 sf buil construction > Tenant improvement of the second second

¹ Includes warm shell build-out for healthcare-grade space; ² Includes required specialty medical equipment including x-ray or imaging equipment



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BMR Proposal

- The proposed BMR unit mix will mirror the overall unit breakdown for the project
- Based on request from Housing Commission, we added an Equivalent Alternative with mix of affordability levels to BMR proposal

BMR Alternatives

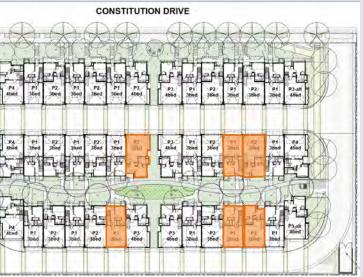
- Alternative 1:
- **Alternative 2 (Equivalent Alternative):**
 - **Very Low Income Units: 7**
- PC SELECTION

- Low Income Units: 23
- Moderate Income Units: 37
- Note: BMR rents capped at 75% comparable market rents
- Townhome for-sale BMR units: 6 units at Moderate Income





Townhome



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Summary of Response to City Council Appeal

Concern

Water shortages due to drought

Extreme heat and climate crisis

Naming rights for urgent care

Transportation improvements In Belle Haven

Community involvement in amenity process

BMR policy not addressing community needs

Menlo Uptown Project Response

- Water budget informs City about project's water use and keeps it in check
- Water efficient design such as low-flow plumbing fixtures and future recycled water use
- Apartment buildings will be LEED Gold certified
- 100% renewable energy will be used to power the project
- Net reduction of pervious surface area reduces "heat island effect"
- Ravenswood Family Health Network (RFHN) is pleased to work with community on a name but does require the RFHN logo/name to be included
- **RFHN** can discuss its naming policy during community outreach
- Transportation impacts studied by City consultant under the project Final EIR
- No intersections internal to the Belle Haven neighborhood were identified as meeting the criteria for study in the TIA guidelines, and less than 10 trips per travel lane would be estimated to pass through intersections within the Belle Haven neighborhood to the project site
- 3 in-person community meetings and 50+ one-on-one phone calls with the community
- Received and incorporated feedback on the community amenity
- **Proposed community amenity is from the City's Community Amenity List**
- Menlo Uptown complies with the BMR policy by providing 73 inclusionary BMR units
- The HNA further explains that by reducing on-site jobs, the project actually increases housing availability by 498 units thereby moderating or counteracting displacement



Summary of Response to Sequoia Union High School District (SUHSD)

	<u>Concern</u>	Menlo Uptown Project Response		
	Project CEQA was inadequate	•	Final EIR Response A2-2 through A2-24 explains how the l impacts	
	TIDE Academy not considered in "environmental setting"	•	EIR recognizes the proximity of the TIDE Academy as it re EIR concludes that environmental impacts would be less t Final EIR Response A2-3)	
	Project EIR improperly tiered from ConnectMenIo EIR		Project EIR outlines ConnectMenlo as a programmatic leve Menlo Uptown fits within the scope of the ConnectMenlo E	
	EIR does not consider cumulative impacts to public services	-	Cumulative impact on public services and on SHUSD facil (see Final EIR Response A2-7)	
til.	Project will increase harmful traffic	•	EIR concludes that transportation impacts are less than si TIDE Academy was included in the study area and no circu	
	Project will cause SUHSD to lose money	·	SUHSD FY2020-2021 budget indicates that enrollment will years presumably due to high housing costs resulting from Increased property tax over time will create greater revenu	

Draft EIR adequately analyzed

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vel environmental document EIR (see Final EIR Response A2-4)

ilities was studied in ConnectMenlo

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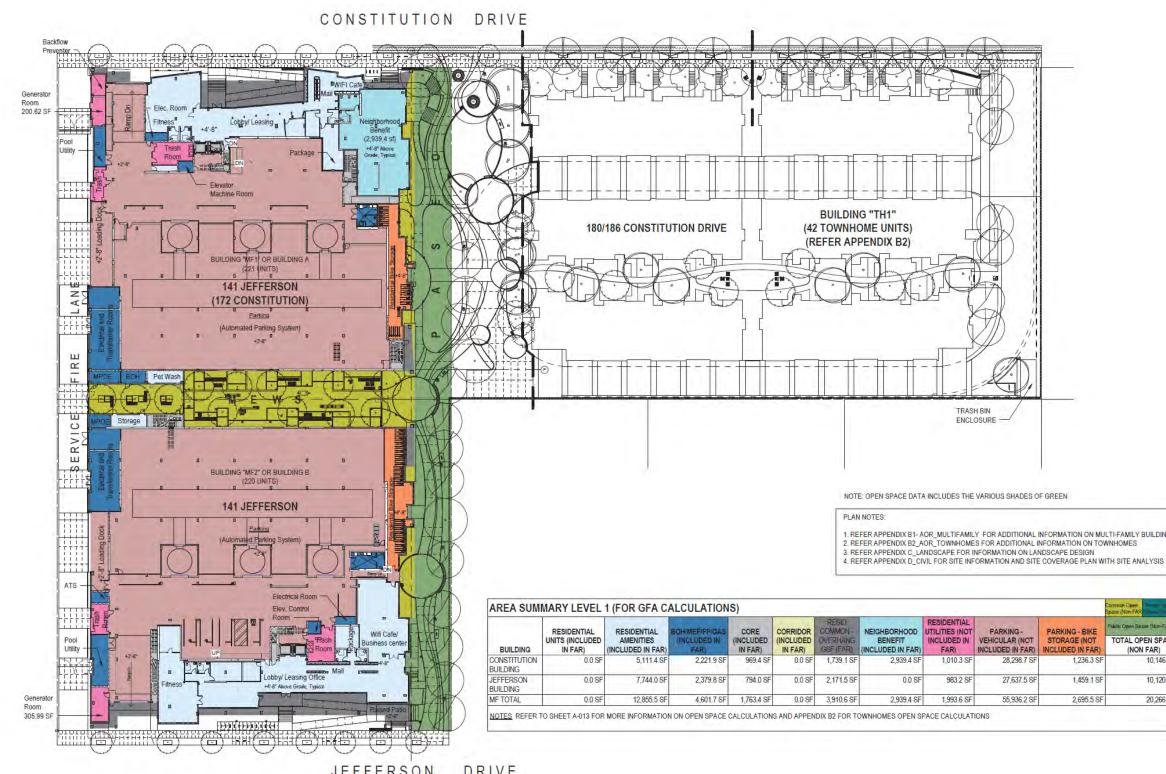
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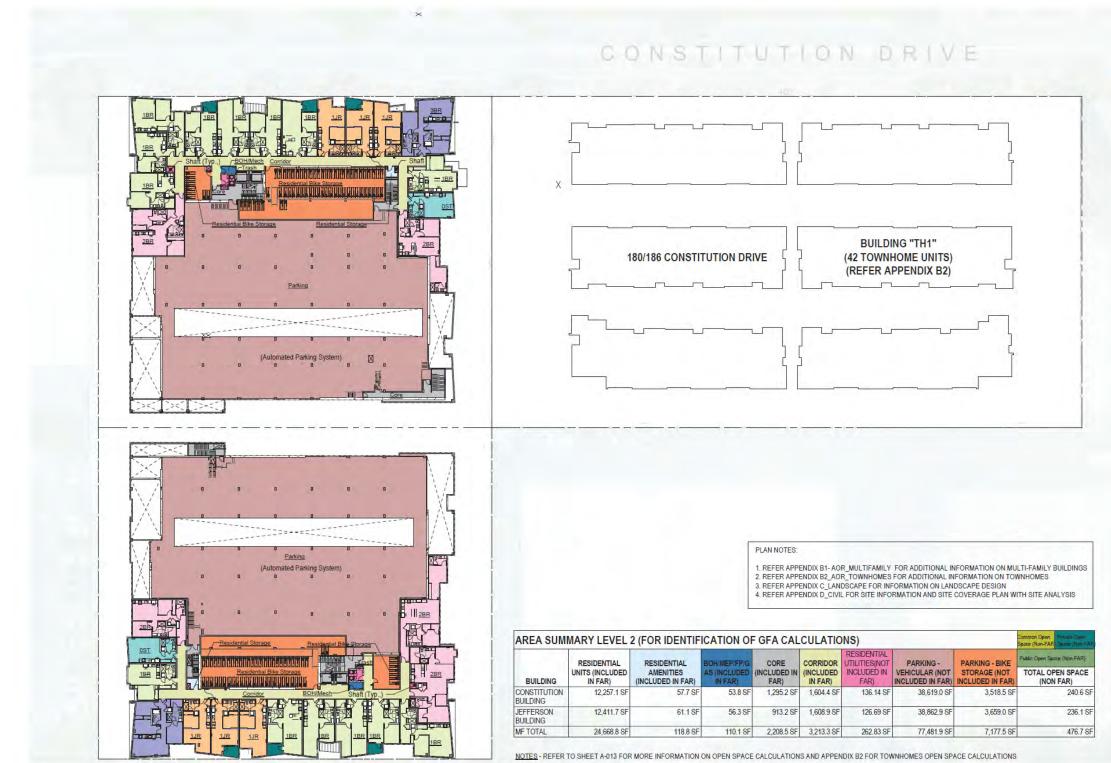
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PLAN LEVEL 01/ P1 - MULTI-FAMILY



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UNIT TYPES - PLAN LEGEND

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2 Bedroom (FAR)

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1 Junior Bedroom (FAR)



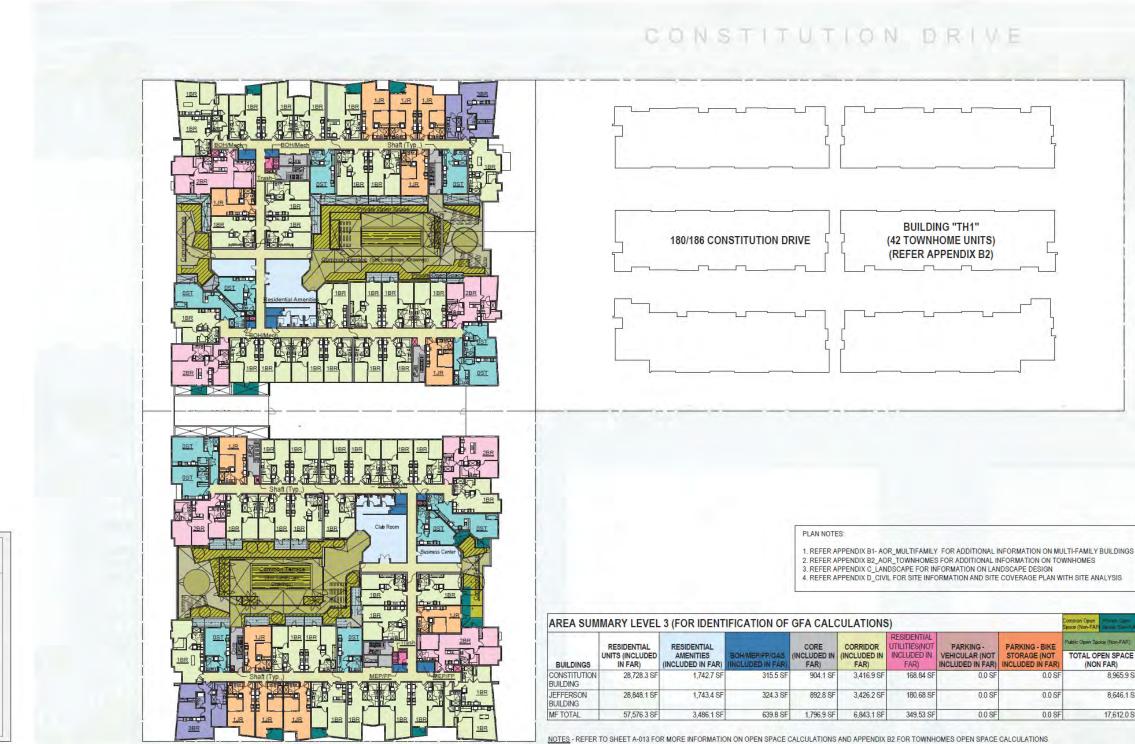
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SF	38,862.9 SF	3,659.0 SF		236.1 SF
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UNIT TYPES - PLAN LEGEND

0 Studio (FAR)

1 Junior Bedroom (FAR)

1 Bedroom (FAR)

2 Bedroom (FAR)

3 Bedroom (FAR)

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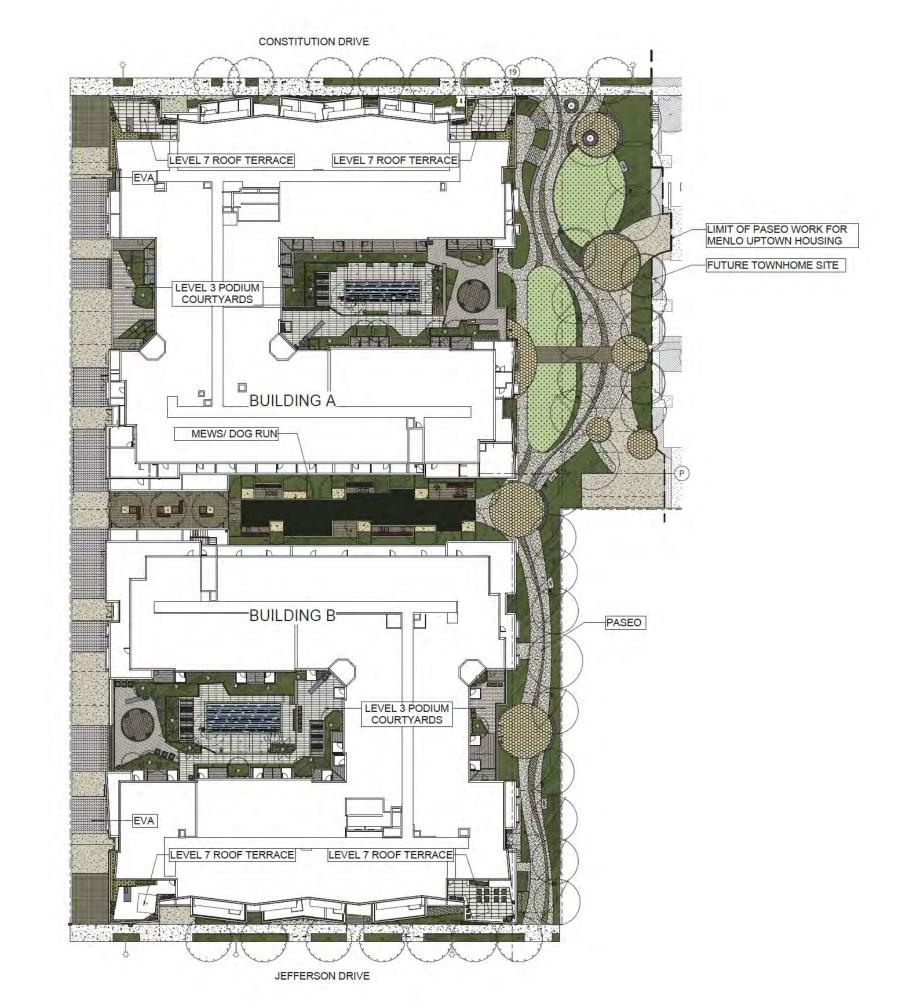
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2. REFER APPENDIX B1-AOL_MOLTHAMILT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON MOLTHAMILT BOLDIN
2. REFER APPENDIX B2_AOR_TOWNHOMES FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON TOWNHOMES
3. REFER APPENDIX O_LANDSCAPE FOR INFORMATION ON LANDSCAPE DESIGN
4. REFER APPENDIX D_CIVIL FOR SITE INFORMATION AND SITE COVERAGE PLAN WITH SITE ANALYSIS

BUILDING "TH1" (42 TOWNHOME UNITS) (REFER APPENDIX B2)

CONSTITUTION DRIVE





GENERAL SYMBOLS & ABBREVIATIONS

	PROPERTY LINE
	LIMIT OF WORK
	CENTERLINE
	SCORELINE
	EXPANSION JOINT
•	POINT OF BEGINNING
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MENLO PORTAL PROJECT

115 Independence Drive and 104 and 110 Constitution Drive Appeal and Public Utilities Easement Abandonment Public Hearing September 14, 2021 Staff Presentation to City Council

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MENLO PORTAL PROJECT



- 335 multifamily apartment units + 34,499 square-foot office
- 48 units affordable to lower income households (BMR units)
- 1,609 square-foot childcare facility with \$2.0M in tuition subsidies and \$3.77M in-lieu fee
- Subject to SB 330 requirements

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RECENT PROJECT HISTORY

- Planning Commission took following actions on August 9, 2021:
 - Certified final EIR and adopted required CEQA findings and MMRP
 - Approved use permit, architectural control, BMR housing agreement, and community amenities operating covenant
 - Recommended that Council approve public utilities easement abandonment request
- An appeal of Commission's actions received on August 24, 2021
 - Sequoia Union High School District



RECOMMENDED MEETING FORMAT

- Appeal Public Hearing
 - Introduction by staff

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- Presentation by applicant
- Remarks from appellant, Sequoia Union High School District
- Response from City staff
- Rebuttal by appellant
- Clarifying questions from City Council
- Public comment
- Deliberation and vote by City Council





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RESPONSE TO APPEAL

- Full responses are included in the staff report
- In summary:
 - Planning Commission is acting body on use permits, architectural controls, BMR housing agreements, and community amenities based on the City's Municipal Code
 - ConnectMenlo final EIR and the project final EIR did consider the TIDE Academy in the physical environmental setting and analyses
 - SB 50 considers payment of school impact fees to be full and complete school facilities mitigation for CEQA
 - Project final EIR did address indirect impacts to schools from transportation, air quality, noise, and other topic areas
 - FIA conducted for the project is not a requirement under CEQA and its results are not related to physical impacts on the environment that require mitigation



RECOMMENDATION

- Recommended Actions
 - Deny the appeal and uphold Planning Commission actions
 - Adopt resolutions:

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- Certifying the Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR);
- Adopting the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; and
- Adopting the CEQA Findings
- Adopt a resolution:
 - Approving the:
 - 1) Use Permit
 - 2) Architectural Control Permit
 - 3) Below Market Rate (BMR) Housing Agreement
 - 4) Community Amenities Operating Covenant
- Adopt a resolution:
 - Approving the Public Utilities Easement Abandonment

The above actions are subject to Conditions of Approval (Attachment B, Exhibit H)

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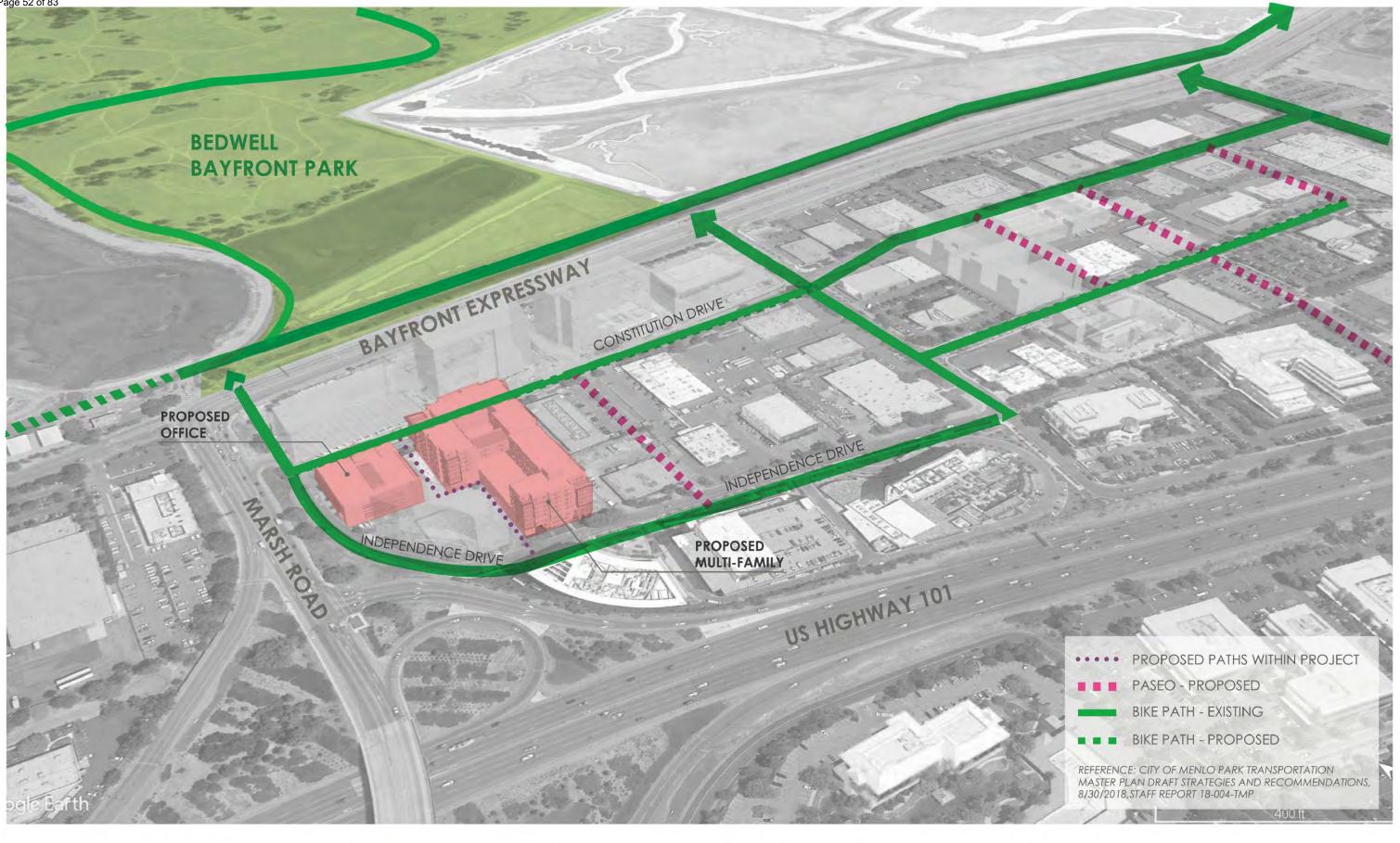
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MENLO PORTAL CITY COUNCIL ENTITLEMENT APPROVAL HEARING SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

L2-APPLICANT PRESENTATION

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URBAN CONTEXT - INTEGRATION WITH CONNECT MENLO MOBILITY NETWORK

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Overview of Key Project Features

1	General Project Info	 335 apartment units + ~35K sq. ft. commercial office (3.20-acre Project replaces ~65K sq. ft. existing office buildings, net reduced
1 / H	Affordability	 48 units to be below market rate, located onsite
	Community Amenity	 Childcare space + build-out costs for All Five + \$2.0M tuition s lieu fund inclusive of 10% administrative fee
	Open Space	 Approximately 10K sq. ft. of publicly accessible open space exchildcare space (10% more than required)
	Connectivity	 Central Plaza open space designed to connect site to walking Walkable or bikeable to some of the largest employers in Menl
	Environmental	 LEED Gold design standard (apartments), EV charging, all-ele (solar PV)
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PROJECT IS 100% COMPLIANT WITH ALL OBJECTIVE STANDARDS



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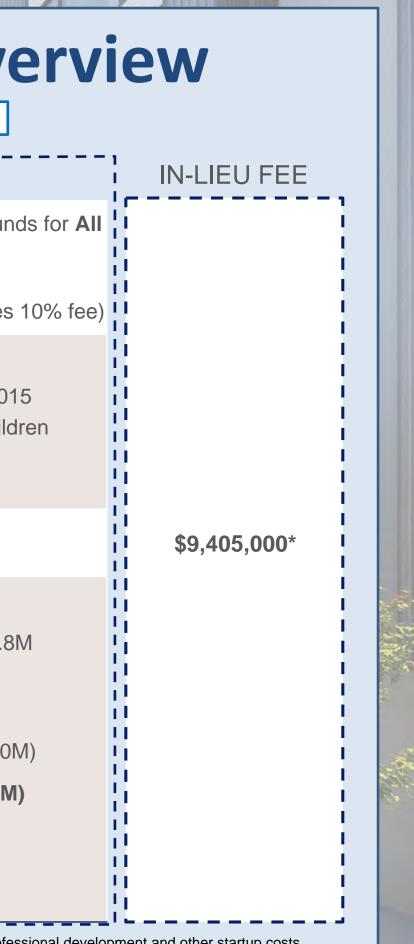
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Updated Community Amenity: Overview

	OPTION 1	OPTION 2
DESCRIPTION	Building space + build-out funds for All Five	Building space + build-out fun Five
	Student tuition subsidy	Student tuition subsidy
		City in-lieu payment (includes
PROPOSED PARTNER DETAIL	All Five:	
	 Non-profit provider of early childhood e All Five program is accredited by the N (NAEYC) 	
	Priority for tuition subsidies would be g	iven to Belle Haven families
TOTAL AMENITY VALUE	\$8,550,000	\$8,892,783*
VALUE BREAKDOWN	All Five	All Five
	 3,790 sf building space (\$2.8M real estate value) 	 3,790 sf building space (\$2.8 real estate value)
	Build-out costs (\$360K)**	Build-out costs (\$360K)**
	Student tuition subsidy (\$5.4M)	Student tuition subsidy (\$2.0)
		City in-lieu payment (\$3.8M)

* City in-lieu payment includes 10% administrative fee as required by code ** Includes funds to cover interior / exterior fit-out, furniture, play yard equipment, technology, professional development and other startup costs



PC SELECTION

Proposed BMR Unit Mix

- The proposed BMR unit mix will mirror the overall unit breakdown for the project
- Based on request from Housing Commission on Menlo Uptown, we added an Equivalent Alternative with mix of affordability levels to BMR proposal

BMR Alternatives

- Alternative 1:
 - Low Income Units: 48
- Alternative 2 (Equivalent Alternative):
 - Very Low Income Units: 3
- PC/HC SELECTION

- Low Income Units: 14
- Moderate Income Units: 31
- Note: BMR rents capped at 75% comparable market rents





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Sample building floorplan shown

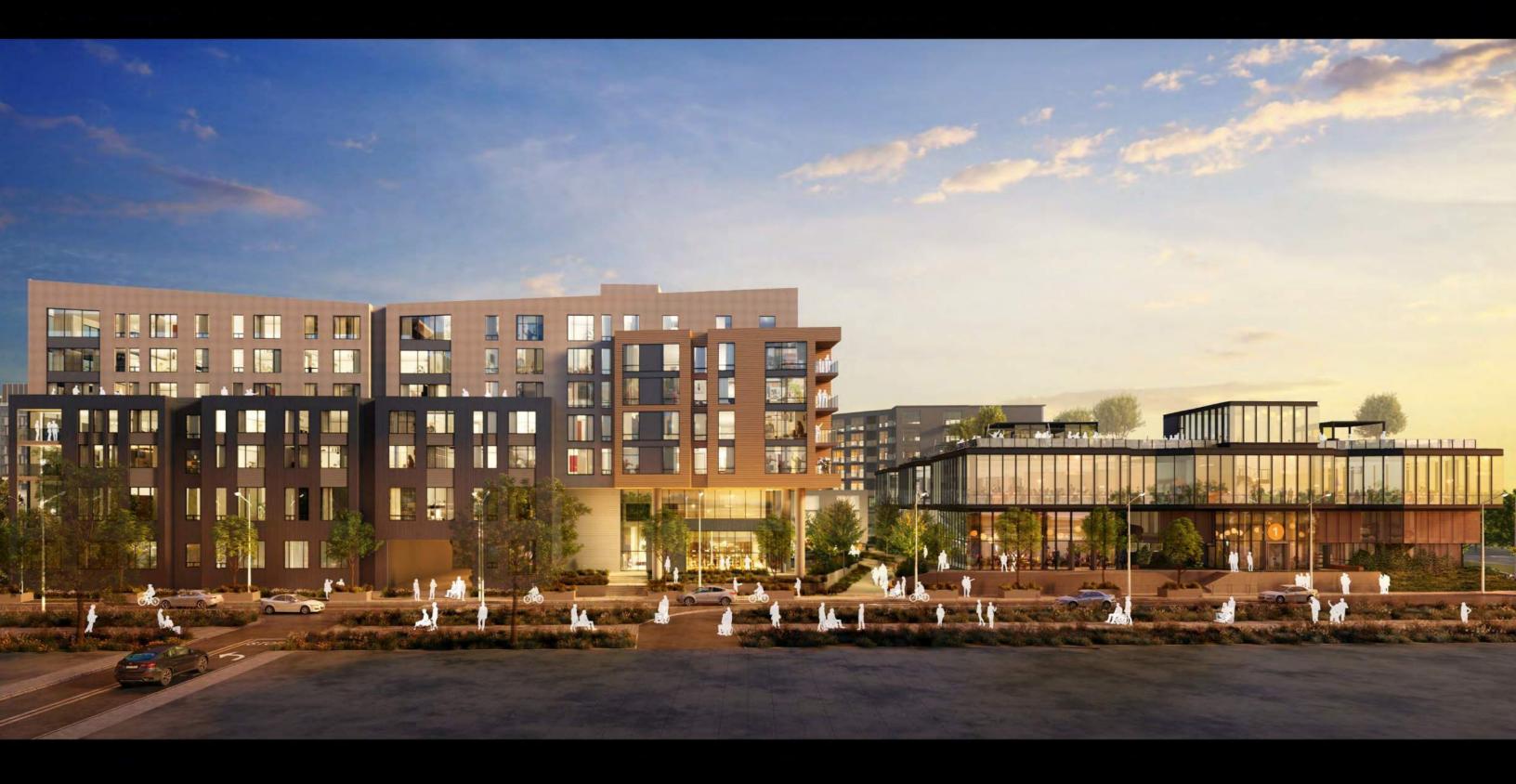
Units will be distributed throughout the project, indistinguishable from market-rate units

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VIEW OF MULTIFAMILY + OFFICE BUILDINGS FROM CONSTITUTION DR.



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CENTRAL PLAZA ENTRY

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Summary of Response to Sequoia Union High School District (SUHSD)

Concern

Project CEQA was inadequate

TIDE Academy not considered in "environmental setting"

Project EIR improperly tiered from ConnectMenIo EIR

EIR does not consider cumulative impacts to public services

> **Project will increase** harmful traffic

Project will cause SUHSD to lose money

Menlo Portal Project Response

- Final EIR Response A2-2 through A2-24 explains how the Draft EIR adequately analyzed impacts
- EIR recognizes the proximity of the TIDE Academy as it relates to project impacts
- EIR concludes that environmental impacts would be less than significant with mitigation (see Final EIR Response A2-3)
- Project EIR outlines ConnectMenIo as a programmatic level environmental document
- Menlo Uptown fits within the scope of the ConnectMenlo EIR (see Final EIR Response A2-4)
- Cumulative impact on public services and on SHUSD facilities was studied in ConnectMenlo (see Final EIR Response A2-7)
- EIR concludes that transportation impacts are less than significant
- TIDE Academy was included in the study area and no circulation conflicts were found
- SUHSD FY2020-2021 budget indicates that enrollment will decline 46% (i.e. 1,165 students) over 5 years presumably due to high housing costs resulting from the lack of housing development
- Increased property tax over time will create greater revenue sources

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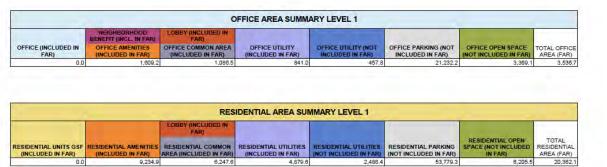


PARKING SUMMARY* (NOTE: Additional 15 units are not included in Vehicular parking calculation)

OFFICE - PARKING		
Vehicular Parking Bike Parking Motorcycle Parking	94 spaces 12 spaces (10 long term and 2 short term) 4	
MULTIFAMILY - PARKI	NG REQUIREMENTS & PROVISIONS	
Vehicular Parking Bike Parking	320 spaces 503 Long Term spaces: Level 1 (424 spaces) & Level 2 (79 spaces) 65 Short Term spaces at entries/ plaza	

PLAN NOTES:

1. REFER APPENDIX A - OWNER FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON EXISTING BUILDINGS 2. REFER APPENDIX B - AOR_MULTIFAMILY FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON MULTI-FAMILY BUILDINGS 3. REFER APPENDIX C - LANDSCAPE FOR INFORMATION ON EXISTING TREES AND LANDSCAPE DESIGN 4. REFER APPENDIX D - CIVIL FOR DETAILED SITE INFORMATION AND SITE COVERAGE PLAN WITH SITE ANALYSIS 5. REFER APPENDIX I - PARKING FOR INFORMATION ON PARKING DESIGN



LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

NOTES:

REFER TO SHEET A-0026 AND A-014 FOR DETAILED OPEN SPACE CALCULATIONS RESIDENTIAL LOBBY AREA INCLUDES AREA UNDER OVERHANG AND INCLUDES THE COLUMN LINE. REFER TO A-0349 SF AREA CALCULATIONS FOR MORE DETAILED OVERHANG AREA EXTENTS. OPEN SPACE AREA INCLUDED IN THE AREA SUMMARY INCLUDES PUBLIC OPEN SPACE IN THE CENTRAL PLAZA ONLY. OTHER SITE LANDSCAPE FEATURES ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE OPEN SPACE CALCULATIONS.

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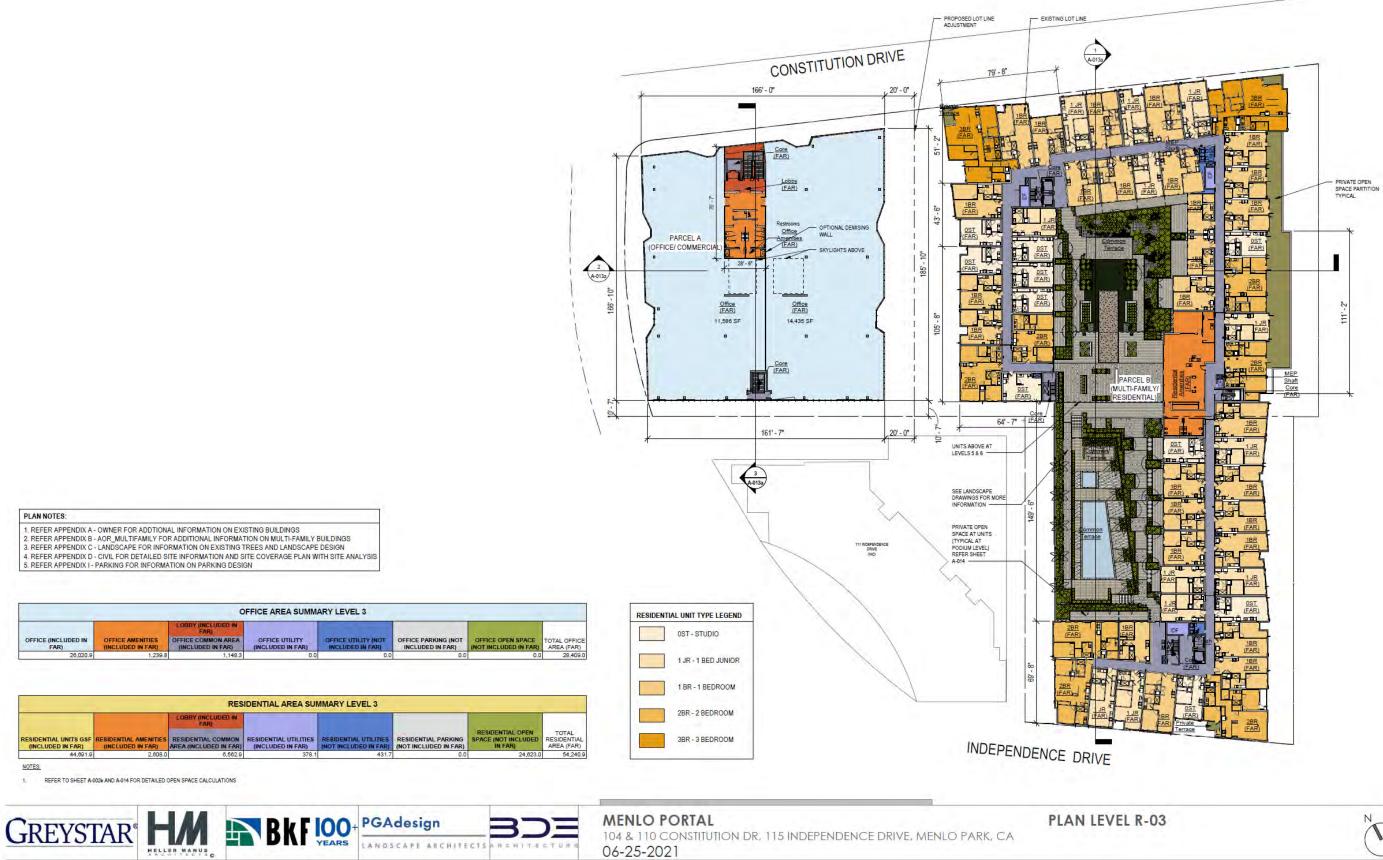
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PLAN LEVEL R-02



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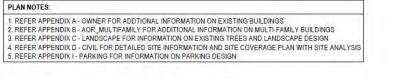


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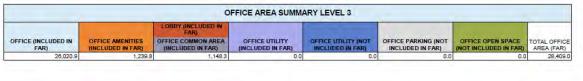
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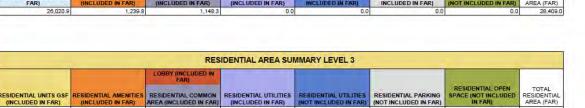


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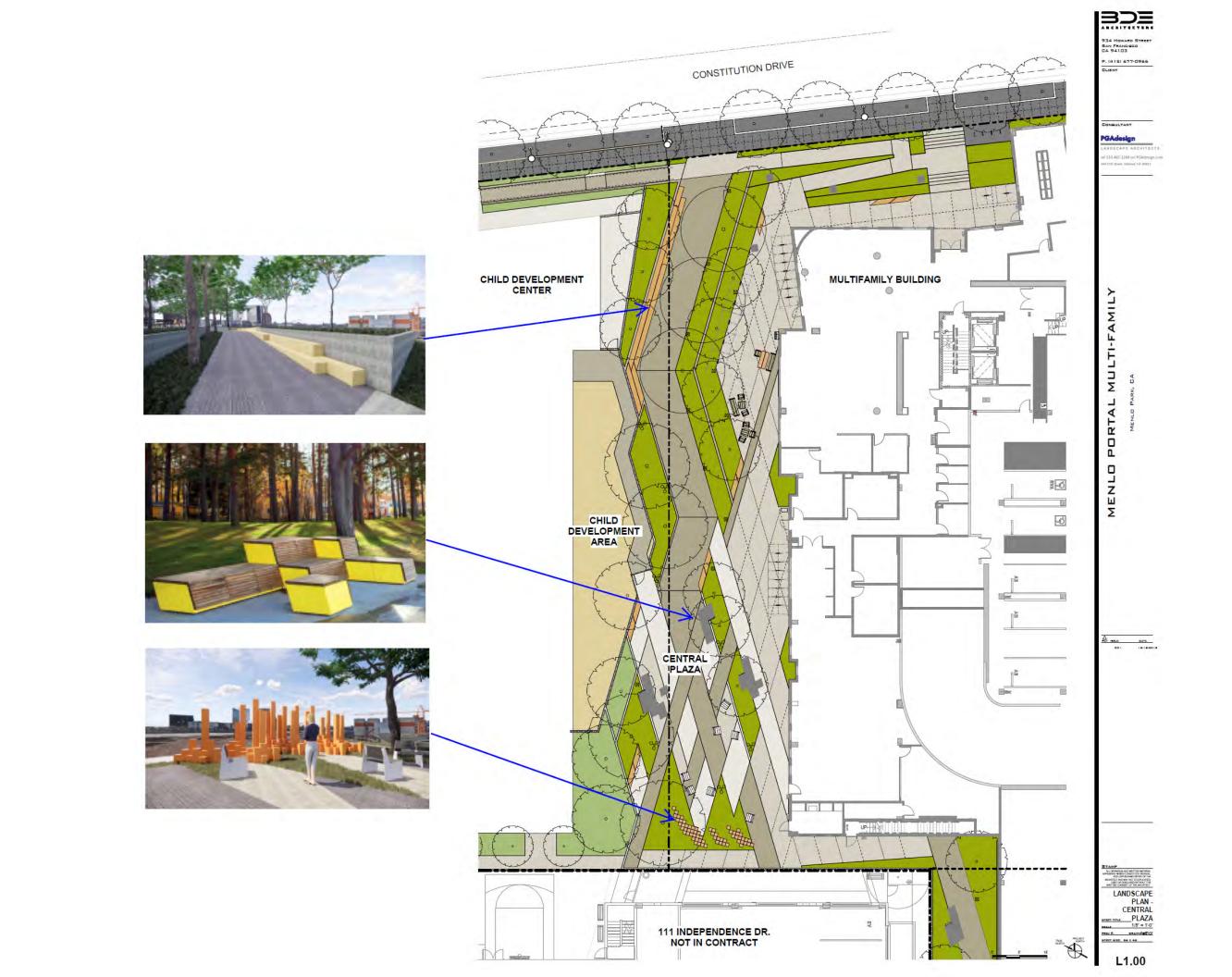
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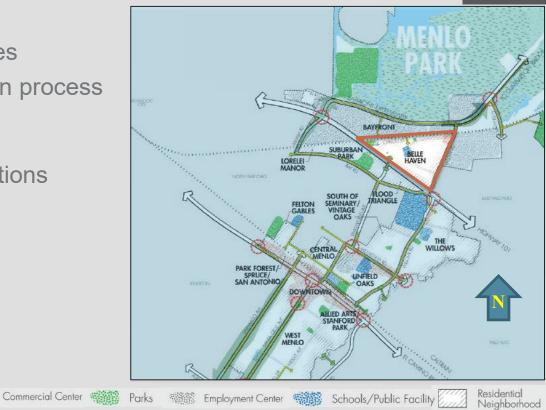
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AGENDA

- Plan milestones
- Implementation process
 - Data collection
 - Survey results
- Recommendations
- Next steps



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PLAN MILESTONES

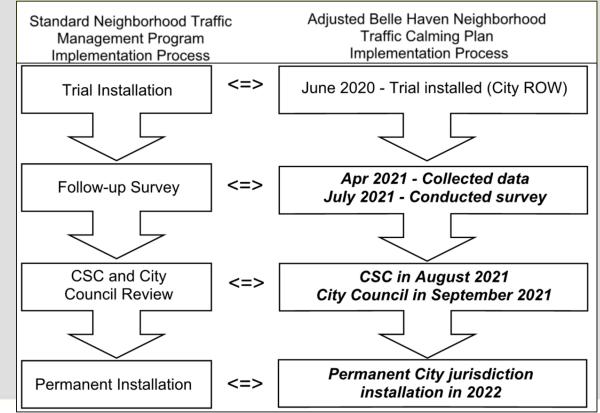
- Aug. 2019
 - City Council approved Plan
- June 2020
 - Trial measures installed
- Mar. 2021
 - Permanent installation implementation process revised
- Aug. 2021
 - Complete Streets Commissions (CSC) recommended permanent installation



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REVISED IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS



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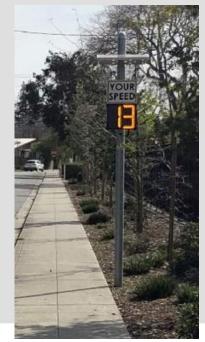
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SURVEY RESULTS – SPEED LIMIT SIGNS

- Speed reduction effectiveness (83)
 - increase: 4%, decrease: 24%, no change: 72%





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SURVEY RESULTS – BULBOUTS (CITY ROW)

- Permanent installation (82)
 - Support: 52%, oppose: 32%, neutral: 16%
- Designs should focus on (89):
 - Pedestrian access/safety: 57%, vehicular access/maneuverability: 22%, neutral: 21%
- Bulbout design style: traditional vs. detached



Traditional

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Detached

SURVEY RESULTS – WILLOW RD. / NEWBRIDGE ST. (CALTRANS)



- a. Reverse Newbridge St. signal phase sequence
- b. Convert Newbridge St. left turn to a protected phase
- c. Prohibit Newbridge St. right turn when Willow Rd. eastbound left is activated (84): weekdays from 4 to 6 p.m.
 - Modification awareness: 33% yes, 67% no
 - Concern: longer congestion on Newbridge St. during the morning peak hours





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SURVEY RESULTS – IVY DRIVE (SFPUC)

Bulbouts, crosswalks/nose medians (84)

Support: 49%, Oppose: 26%, Neutral: 25%



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NEWBRIDGE ST. BULBOUTS

- Slow down right turning vehicles
- Shorten crossing distance
- Less confident bicyclists may experience discomfort sharing space with vehicles at intersections



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PLAN COMPARISON





RECOMMENDATIONS

Permanent installation

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- Chilco St.: speed feedback signs
- Newbridge St. and Hamilton Ave: gateways
- Terminal Ave. and Newbridge St. cross streets: bulbouts
- Willow Rd. / Newbridge St.: signal improvements
 - c. No right turn blank out sign: weekdays 4 6 p.m.
- Newbridge St.: bulbouts
- lvy Dr.: substitute bulbouts/raised intersections with median noses

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RECOMMENDED PLAN



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NEXT STEPS

- Incorporate City Council direction
- Commence steps for final design and implementation

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