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# Industry General Plan Update Environmental Impact Report - Addendum

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The City of Industry adopted a General Plan Update in 2014 and certified the City of Industry General Plan Update EIR (SCH No. 2011031090) (2014 EIR). The update changed the land use designation for the Industry Business Center (IBC) from Industrial to Employment; the zoning designation did not change and remains Industrial.

The land uses assumed for the IBC in the General Plan Update remained the same as addressed in the original mixed-use plan approved in 2004 and addressed in the 2004 Industry Business Center Project EIR (SCH 2003121086) (2004 IBC EIR). The 2004 IBC EIR evaluated the development of approximately 4,146,000 net square feet of commercial and/or office space and 633,000 net square feet of industrial space on 597.4 acres (see breakdown in table below). The site consists of two large development areas, one east and one west of Grand Avenue, and the Pomona and Orange freeways (SR-60 and -57, respectively) border the south side of the project site (see Figure 1, *Regional Location* and Figure 2, *Local Vicinity*).

## Industry Business Park

LAND USE	IBC LAND USE (SQ FT)
Retail (Commercial Center, Regional Retail)	1,268,000
Office (Corporate Office, General Office, Business Park)	2,878,000
Industrial(M)	633,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,779,000</b>

In 2018 the Successor Agency to the Industry Urban-Development Agency proposed and the City of Industry approved Tentative Parcel Map No. 352, which subdivided the 597.4-acre parcel comprising IBC into five numbered and ten lettered parcels. The Parcel Map concentrated on subdividing the area east of Grand Avenue, with 5 numbered and 9 lettered lots, and created Parcel J containing all the land west of Grand Avenue. The map also included the dedication of "B" Street, which realigned the original road on the east side of Grand Avenue (see Figure 3, *Tentative Parcel Map 352*). The intersections of "B" Street and Grand Avenue remained in their original planned locations. An Addendum to the 2004 IBC EIR for TPM 252 was certified in 2018. This Parcel Map created Parcel 3, which is the subject of proposed Development Plan No. 19-03.

## 1.1 PROPOSED PROJECT

The project applicant, Majestic Realty, has submitted two development plans for three industrial buildings within the Industry Business Center for a total of 751,480 square feet. These include:

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- Development Plan No. 19-03, JN 9333, for one concrete tilt-up industrial building located at the southeast corner of Grand Avenue and Baker Parkway on Assessor’s Parcel number 8719-008-902. The building will be approximately 627,480 square feet, as shown in Figure 4, *Development Plan No. 19-03*. This property is subject to a proposed lease between Successor Agency to the Industry Urban Development Agency and Industry East Business Center, LLC.
- Development Plan No. 19-04, JN 9334, for two concrete tilt-up industrial buildings located at the southwest corner of Grand Avenue and Baker Parkway on Assessor’s Parcel number 8719-007-934. One building will be approximately 64,000 square feet and the other will be approximately 60,000 square feet, as shown in Figure 5, *Development Plan No. 19-04*. This property is subject to a proposed lease between Successor Agency to the Industry Urban Development Agency and Industry East Business Center, LLC.

The two development plans totaling 751,480 sq. ft. of industrial space represents an increase of 118,480 sq. ft. over what was addressed in the 2014 EIR (633,000 sq.ft.). However, the total amount of development would not increase as a corresponding amount of business park space would be eliminated from the IBC. As shown in the table below.

LAND USE	EXISTING IBC LAND USE	PROPOSED IBC LAND USE
Retail (Commercial Center, Regional Retail)	1,268,000	1,268,000
Office (Corporate Office, General Office, Business Park)	2,878,000	2,759,520
Industrial	633,000	751,480
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,779,000</b>	<b>4,779,000</b>

The proposed project is consistent with the General Plan and Zoning designations and no General Plan Amendment or Zone Change would be necessary.

## 1.2 PURPOSE OF AN EIR ADDENDUM

According to CEQA Guidelines Section 15164(a), an addendum shall be prepared if some changes or additions to a previously adopted EIR are necessary, but none of the conditions enumerated in CEQA Guidelines Sections 15162(a)(1)–(3) calling for the preparation of subsequent EIR have occurred. As stated in CEQA Guidelines Section 15162 (Subsequent EIRs and Negative Declarations):

When an EIR has been certified or negative declaration adopted for a project, no subsequent EIR shall be prepared for that project unless the lead agency determines, on the basis of substantial evidence in the light of the whole record, one or more of the following:

- (1) Substantial changes are proposed in the project which will require major revisions of the previous EIR or negative declaration due to the involvement of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects;
- (2) Substantial changes occur with respect to the circumstances under which the project is undertaken which will require major revisions of the previous EIR or negative declaration due

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to the involvement of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects; or

(3) New information of substantial importance, which was not known and could not have been known with the exercise of reasonable diligence at the time the previous EIR was certified as complete or negative declaration was adopted, shows any of the following:

- (a) The project will have one or more significant effects not discussed in the previous EIR or negative declaration;
- (b) Significant effects previously examined will be substantially more severe than shown in the previous EIR;
- (c) Mitigation measures or alternatives previously found not to be feasible would in fact be feasible and would substantially reduce one or more significant effects of the project, but the project proponents decline to adopt the mitigation measure or alternative; or
- (d) Mitigation measures or alternatives which are considerably different from those analyzed in the previous EIR would substantially reduce one or more significant effects on the environment, but the project proponents decline to adopt the mitigation measure or alternative.

The proposed project would fulfill none of the conditions outlined in CEQA Guidelines Sections 15162(a)(1)-(3) as these changes would not result in new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects requiring major revisions to the 2004 IBC EIR. Accordingly, this checklist provides the substantial evidence required by CEQA Guidelines Section 15164(e) to support the finding that a subsequent EIR is not required and an addendum to the 2004 IBC EIR is the appropriate environmental document to address changes to the project.

As stated in CEQA Guidelines Section 15164 (Addendum to an EIR):

- a) The lead agency or responsible agency shall prepare an addendum to a previously certified EIR if some changes or additions are necessary but none of the conditions described in Section 15162 calling for preparation of a subsequent EIR have occurred.
- b) An addendum to an adopted negative declaration may be prepared if only minor technical changes or additions are necessary or none of the conditions described in Section 15162 calling for the preparation of a subsequent EIR or negative declaration have occurred.
- c) An addendum need not be circulated for public review but can be included in or attached to the final EIR or adopted negative declaration.
- d) The decision making body shall consider the addendum with the final EIR or adopted negative declaration prior to making a decision on the project.
- e) A brief explanation of the decision not to prepare a subsequent EIR pursuant to Section 15162 should be included in an addendum to an EIR, the lead agency's findings on the project, or elsewhere in the record. The explanation must be supported by substantial evidence.

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### 1.3 ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

Section 15164(b) of the “CEQA Guidelines” (Title 14, Cal. Code of Regs., § 15000 et seq.) authorizes a lead agency to prepare an addendum to an EIR “if only minor technical changes or additions are necessary or none of the conditions described in Section 15162 calling for preparation of a subsequent EIR have occurred.”

The 2014 EIR found that development of the land uses considered with the General Plan Update would result in less than significant impacts with regard to Aesthetics, Land Use and Planning, Population and Housing, and Utilities and Service Systems. Additionally, impacts to Agricultural Resources, Mineral Resources, and Recreation were found to be less than significant during preparation of the Initial Study, and were not analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The following issue areas were found to be less than significant with the incorporation of mitigation measures: Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Geology and Soils, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, Hydrology and Water Quality, and Public Services and Utilities. Significant and unavoidable impacts were determined to occur with regard to Air Quality, Green House Gas Emissions, Noise, and Traffic and Circulation even with the incorporation of mitigation measures.

**Development Plan No. 19-03** proposes one concrete tilt-up industrial building located at the southeast corner of Grand Avenue and Baker Parkway on Assessor’s Parcel number 8719-008-902. The building will be approximately 627,480 square feet, as shown in Figure 4, *Development Plan No. 19-03*. This property is subject to a proposed lease between Successor Agency to the Industry Urban Development Agency and Industry East Business Center, LLC. The General Plan land use designation of the property was changed from Industrial to Employment in 2014; this General Plan designation allows the proposed industrial use. Tentative Tract Map No. 352 approved in 2018, created the 34.1-acre parcel, which is proposed to be developed with this plan.

**Development Plan No. 19-04** proposes two concrete tilt-up industrial buildings located at the southwest corner of Grand Avenue and Baker Parkway on Assessor’s Parcel number 8719-007-934. One building will be approximately 64,000 square feet and the other will be approximately 60,000 square feet, as shown in Figure 5, *Development Plan No. 19-04*. This property is subject to a proposed lease between Successor Agency to the Industry Urban Development Agency and Industry East Business Center, LLC. The General Plan land use designation of the site was changed from Industrial to Employment in 2014; this General Plan designation allows the proposed industrial use. The project site is a part of a larger parcel J created by Tentative Tract Map No. 352 approved in 2018.

#### 1.3.1 Aesthetics

There are no designated scenic highways within the vicinity of the project sites; the closest state eligible scenic highway is a portion of SR-57, south from Industry city limits through the Puente Hills (Caltrans 2010). The 2014 EIR found that portions of the IBC may be visible from surrounding communities and SR-57 and that the development of the vacant sites would alter the appearance of the site and create additional lighting. However, the EIR determined that, with adherence to Project Design Features, General Plan Policies, City Municipal Code, and other existing regulations, the aesthetic impacts of the development, including impacts to scenic vistas and resources, existing visual character and quality of the city, and light and glare, would be **less than significant**.

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The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project, and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. Historically, the project area has been characterized by gentle rolling hills. However, both project sites and the surrounding area have been graded for the development of industrial, manufacturing, and business center land uses. No land would be developed that had not been evaluated in the 2014 EIR.

The project will comply with all existing General Plan policies and City design regulations and guidelines, such as the placement of buildings and structures; the design of setback areas; landscaping and architectural design parameters, lighting standards, and sign standards. With adherence to General Plan Policies and regulatory requirements, the aesthetic impacts of the proposed project **would be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.2 Agricultural Resources.

The project area and nearby vicinity does not contain soils of statewide importance, and the area is not considered prime agricultural land. The project sites have been graded and do not support agricultural use. The project sites are zoned Industrial (M) which is consistent with the proposed development. The Initial Study found the 2014 EIR found impacts to Agricultural Resources to be **less than significant** and these impacts were not further analyzed in the 2014 EIR.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project, and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. Proposed project will not introduce any impacts beyond those addressed in the 2014 EIR. The impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.3 Air Quality Impacts.

The 2014 EIR determined that significant and unavoidable impacts could occur even with the incorporation of mitigation measures.

Development of the project does not introduce any impacts beyond those addressed in the EIR. The table below shows that the conversion of 118,480 sq. ft. of business park (contemplated by the 2004 Industry Business Center Project) to industrial will reduce vehicle miles travelled (VMT) and corresponding air pollution that both the 2004 EIR and 2014 EIR assumed would occur from the development of the project sites. The proposed development plans would also reduce the total number of daily trips generated, as well as AM and PM peak hour trips, when compared to the number of trips that both the 2004 EIR and 2014 EIR assumed would be generated by the future development of the project sites. As set forth in the Traffic and Circulation section herein, the proposed development plans would reduce average daily trips (ADTs) by 485, total AM peak hour trips by 82, and total PM peak hour trips by 69. The project will incorporate all relevant mitigation

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measures specified in the 2014 EIR. With incorporation of mitigation measures, the impacts **will be no more significant than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### VMT COMPARISON - IBC WAREHOUSE PROJECT (DP 19-03 AND DP 19-04 COMPARED TO 2014 GENERAL PLAN UPDATE /2004 IBC MIXED USE PROJECT

Land Use	Size SF	VMT
<b>Development Plans 19-03 and 19-04</b>		
Building 2 (ITE 150)	623,480	18,564
Buildings 11&12 (ITE 150)	124,000	3,692
<b>Total</b>	<b>751,480</b>	<b>22,256</b>
<b>2004 IBC Mixed Use/2014 General Plan Update</b>		
Area E-5 Warehouse (ITE 150)	633,000	18,832
Business Park*(ITE 110)	118,480	10,171
<b>Total</b>	<b>751,480</b>	<b>29,003</b>
<b>Difference</b>		<b>-6,747</b>

Land use category applied to IBC Industrial Project: 150 Warehousing; 110 Business Park

## Biological Impacts

The two project sites and their surroundings have been graded and do not contain riparian habitat. Diamond Bar Creek is located along the southeast boundary of the IBC, approximately 0.32 mile from the closest portion of the project sites. An unnamed drainage is located along the northeast corner of the IBC, approximately 0.52 mile from the closest portion of the project site. The 2003 Biological Impact Analysis identified riparian vegetation in the vicinity of these areas, along the southeast boundary and in the north east corner of IBC. The project will not result in additional impacts to these areas because of the distance.

The 2014 EIR evaluated biological impacts of development within IBC under the approved 2004 IBC mixed use plan. The Initial Study prepared for the 2014 EIR found that the proposed development would have **no impact** on any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources or on any adopted habitat conservation plan, natural community conservation plan, or other approved plans, so these impacts were not analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The 2014 EIR also concluded that impacts to sensitive species, sensitive natural communities, riparian habitat, federally protected wetlands, and wildlife movement would be **less than significant after implementation of** mitigation measures specified in the 2004 IBC EIR.

The proposed project will not result in the development of any land that was not evaluated in the 2014 EIR, and any development of that same land would result in the same impacts on biological resources (or lack thereof), regardless of the ultimate use. The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project, and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. Regulatory requirements and mitigation

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measures specified in the 2014 EIR would continue to apply to IBC development. Development of the project sites would not introduce any impacts beyond those addressed in the 2014 EIR. The impacts **will be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.4 Cultural Resources

The 2014 EIR found the impacts to identified historic resources to be less than significant. The 2014 EIR found the impacts to archeological and paleontological resources within IBC to be **less than significant after implementation of mitigation measures** outlined in the 2004 IBC EIR and adherence to regulatory requirements.

The proposed changes would not result in the development of any land that has not been previously analyzed in the 2014 EIR, and any development of that same land would result in the same impacts on biological resources (or lack thereof), regardless of the ultimate use. The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project, and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The changes would not cause any additional environmental impact to the significance of an historical, archaeological, or paleontological resource or to human remains. The impacts **would be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.5 Geology and Soils

The following impacts were found to be **less than significant** in the preparation of the Initial Study for the 2014 EIR: rupture of a known earthquake fault and soils incapable of adequately supporting the use of septic tanks or alternative wastewater disposal systems. The following impacts were analyzed in the 2014 EIR and found to be to be **less than significant** with compliance with regulatory requirements, standard conditions, and General Plan policies: exposure of people to seismic related hazards, such as strong ground shaking, ground failure including liquefaction, and landslides; substantial soil erosion and loss of top soil; and unstable soils that could result in landslide, lateral spreading, subsidence, liquefaction, or collapse. However, the 2014 EIR assumed development of the IBC in compliance with the 2004 IBC mixed use plan and related 2004 IBC EIR, and compliance of any development with all applicable Project Features and Mitigation Measures from the 2004 IBC EIR. The 2004 IBC EIR found that impacts from exposure of people, structures, or property to major geologic hazards, such as earthquakes, landslides, mudslides, or ground failure could have a significant impact and imposed Mitigation Measures 5.5-1 through 5.5-5, including slope stability analysis prior to grading, evaluation of excavations by a geologist and geotechnical engineer, and compliance with specific excavation requirements. The 2004 IBC EIR found that these impacts would be **less than significant with mitigation**. These mitigation measures still apply to any development within IBC.

Geologic investigations prepared in association with the IBC 2004 mixed use plan concluded that portions of the IBC, including the Grand/Baker site, would be susceptible to varying degrees of impacts related to unstable soils. In response to the geologic constraints, a remedial mass grading plan was prepared and implemented. As

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concluded in the 2014 EIR, as a result of grading, the underlying geologic constraints of the project sites have been reduced to a level that is less than significant.

Development under the proposed project would be required to adhere to General Plan policies, regulatory requirements, standard conditions, Project Features and mitigation measures specified in the 2014 EIR and 2004 IBC EIR. These include preparation and approval of site-specific geotechnical studies, grading plans, soils and geotechnical reports, and hydrology studies by the City and county prior to the commencement of any grading activities, to ensure that hazards arising from liquefaction and other seismic ground failure would not occur. Also, preparation of a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) is required as part of National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permitting measures to reduce erosion potential within the limits of grading area during construction.

The proposed project will have no additional geological impacts. The general placement of structures resulting from the proposed changes does not vary substantially from the plan for structure placement in the 2014 EIR. Therefore, the impact analysis of soil stability presented in the 2014 EIR would still be applicable. No additional environmental impacts beyond those addressed in the 2014 EIR would result from approval of the proposed changes. The impacts **would be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.6 Greenhouse Gas Emissions.

The 2014 EIR determined that significant and unavoidable GHG impacts could occur even with the incorporation of mitigation measures. Development of the project does not introduce any impacts beyond those addressed in the 2014 EIR. As explained in the Air Quality section above, the proposed project would reduce VMT and trip generation when compared to the development of the project sites assumed and analyzed in the 2014 EIR, which in turn will reduce GHG emissions. The project will incorporate all relevant mitigation measures specified in the 2014 EIR. With incorporation of mitigation measures, the impacts **will be no more substantial** than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR.

### 1.3.7 Hazards and Hazardous Materials

The 2014 EIR found that, upon implementation of regulatory requirements and compliance with the General Plan policies, impacts related to hazards and hazardous materials would be **less than significant**. The 2014 EIR assumed that development in IBC will occur per approved 2004 mixed use IBC Plan and in conformance with all requirements and Mitigation Measures specified in the 2004 IBC EIR. The 2004 IBC EIR found potentially significant impacts related to location on a site included on a list of hazardous materials compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and imposed Project Design Features and Mitigation Measure 6.6-1; the 2004 IBC EIR concluded that these impacts would be **less than significant with mitigation**. These mitigation measures would continue to apply to the project site.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed



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in the 2014 EIR. The proposed changes would not result in additional impacts related to hazards or hazardous materials. The Project Design Features and mitigation measures specified in the 2004 IBC EIR would continue to apply to the proposed project. The impacts **will be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures or alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.8 Hydrology and Water Quality

The 2014 EIR found that, upon implementation of regulatory requirements and compliance with the General Plan policies, impacts related to hydrology and water quality would be **less than significant**. The 2014 EIR specifically provides that development within the IBC would also be controlled by mitigation measures outlined in the 2004 IBC EIR, including those related to water quality and drainage, if and when the development plans for the IBC get implemented. The 2004 IBC EIR found the following impacts to be **less than significant**: violation of water quality standards or waste discharge requirements; substantially deplete groundwater supplies or interfere substantially with groundwater recharge; substantially alter the existing drainage pattern or increase surface runoff causing flooding; and otherwise substantially degrade water quality. The 2004 IBC EIR found the following impacts to be **less than significant with mitigation**: Substantially alter the existing drainage pattern causing substantial erosion or siltation (MM 5.7-1 – 5.7-4); contribute runoff water exceeding the capacity of storm water drainage systems or providing increase polluted runoff (MM 5.7-5 – 5.7-19); and exposure of people or structures to significant risk from flooding (MM 5.7-20).

The proposed project sites are not in a 100-year flood hazard area and no structures would be placed within a 100-year floodplain as a result of the proposed changes. There are no significant water bodies identified within the project vicinity.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and does not propose development of any land not considered under the 2014 EIR, increase overall square footage or intensity of development, or increase population or employment. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The project will conform to all regulatory requirements, conditions of approval, project design features, and mitigation measures specified in the 2014 EIR and 2004 IBC EIR. The impacts **will be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures or alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.9 Land Use and Planning

The Initial Study prepared for the 2014 EIR determined that no impacts would occur physically dividing an established community or conflict with any habitat conservation plan and impacts would be **less than significant** and these impacts were not analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The EIR found that impacts to any applicable land use plan, policy, or regulation of an agency with jurisdiction over the project would be **less than significant**.

The 2014 General Plan Update changed the general plan land use designation of IBC from Industrial to Employment. The project sites as well as the remainder of the IBC remain zoned Industrial (M).

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The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The proposed industrial land use is permitted by and would not otherwise conflict with the zoning or general plan designation of the site. The proposed changes would not result in the development of any land not considered in the 2004 IBC EIR or 2014 EIR. The impacts **will be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.10 Mineral Resources

Impacts to Mineral Resources were found to be **less than significant** during preparation of the Initial Study and were not analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The proposed project does not result in the development of any land not considered in the 2014 EIR. The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The impacts **will be no more substantial than the impacts evaluated under the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.11 Noise

The 2014 EIR determined that significant and unavoidable impacts could occur even with the incorporation of mitigation measures. Development of the project does not introduce any impacts beyond those addressed in the 2014 EIR.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development or allow any uses not permitted by the project sites' General Plan land use designation or Industrial (M) zoning. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The noise generated during operation of the proposed industrial buildings will not be greater than, and will likely be less than, the noise levels assumed and analyzed in the 2014 EIR. Vehicle related noise would decrease as the number of trips and VMT would decrease. The project will incorporate all relevant mitigation measures specified in the 2014 EIR.

The impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

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### 1.3.12 Population and Housing

The 2014 EIR found that development of the land uses considered with the General Plan Update would result in **less than significant impacts** to population and housing, including population growth, displacement of housing or people.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any increase in development net square footage or land use intensity. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The project would not induce population growth in the area or displace housing or people beyond that analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The proposed changes would not result in the development of any land not considered in the 2014 EIR. Therefore, the impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.13 Public Services and Utilities

The 2014 EIR found that development of the land uses considered with the General Plan Update would result in **less than significant impacts** to public services and utilities, including fire, police, schools, parks and other public facilities. Any potential impacts to the provision of public services and utilities, including fire, police, schools, parks and other public facilities, resulting from IBC development were addressed and mitigated to less than significant levels in the 2014 EIR and 2004 IBC EIR.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The project would not result in the development of any land not considered in the 2014 EIR, and the proposed changes would not substantially affect the population or employment growth, and therefore demand for public services and utilities, in any way not considered in the 2014 EIR. Therefore, the impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**, which assumed the full development of the entire IBC site, specifically including the project sites. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.14 Recreation

Impacts to Recreational Resources were found to be **less than significant** during preparation of the Initial Study and were not analyzed in the 2014 EIR.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. The project would not induce population or employment growth beyond that analyzed in the

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2014 EIR and therefore would not increase demand for or use of parks. Therefore, the proposed changes would not require or otherwise cause the construction or expansion of recreational facilities. Because there would be no increase in use, no deterioration of facilities would occur as a result of the proposed changes. The impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.15 Traffic and Circulation

The 2014 EIR determined that significant and unavoidable impacts could occur even with the incorporation of mitigation measures.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. As also explained in the Air Quality section of this Addendum, the table below shows that the conversion of 118,480 sq. ft. of business park (contemplated by the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and analyzed in both the 2004 EIR and 2014 EIR) to industrial would reduce the number of vehicle trips and VMT generated by the development of the project sites, and no impact would occur beyond the impacts already fully analyzed by the 2014 EIR and no impact would occur.

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Land Use	Size SF	ADT	AM Peak Hour			PM Peak Hour		
			In	Out	Total	In	Out	Total
<b>Development Plans 19-03 and 19-04</b>								
Building 2 (ITE 150)	623,480	1,421	107	31	138	42	112	154
Buildings 11&12 (ITE 150)	124,000	283	21	6	27	8	23	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>751,480</b>	<b>1,704</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>185</b>
<b>2004 IBC Mixed Use/2014 General Plan Update</b>								
Area E-5 Warehouse (ITE 150)	633,000	1,442	109	32	141	42	116	158
Business Park* (ITE 110)	118,480	747	93	13	106	13	83	96
<b>Total</b>	<b>751,480</b>	<b>2,189</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>254</b>
<b>Difference</b>		<b>-485</b>	<b>-74</b>	<b>-8</b>	<b>-82</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>-64</b>	<b>-69</b>

Land use category applied to IBC Industrial Project: 150 Warehousing; 110 Business Park  
PCE: passenger car equivalent.

Development of the project does not introduce any impacts beyond those addressed in the 2014 EIR. The project will incorporate all relevant mitigation measures specified in the 2014 EIR. With incorporation of

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mitigation measures, the impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.16 Utilities and Service Systems

The 2014 EIR, found that development considered with the General Plan Update would result in **less than significant** impacts to utilities and service systems.

The proposed development plans include minor conversion of land uses within IBC when compared to the 2004 Industry Business Center Project and do not propose any substantial change in intensity or scale of approved development. The proposed development plans are consistent with, and permitted by, the project sites' existing Employment General Plan land use designation and Industrial (M) zoning, which were analyzed in the 2014 EIR. It would not change the total square footage or employment levels of the project area and would therefore not have an effect on demand for utilities and services. The proposed changes would not require that utilities and service be supplied to any location that had not been previously considered in the 2014 EIR. The impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures are necessary, and no alternatives analyses are required.

### 1.3.17 Mandatory Findings of Significance

- a) 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?

No land would be developed as a result of the proposed changes that was not evaluated for development in the 2014 EIR. There would be no additional construction in the project area as a result of the approval of the development plans. There would be no net increase in industrial square footage. The proposed changes would not lead to increases in population and employment. The impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures or alternatives analyses would be required.

- b) 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.)

No land would be developed as a result of the proposed changes that was not evaluated for development in the 2014 EIR. There would be no net increase in industrial square footage. The impacts of the proposed project **will be no more substantial than analyzed in the 2014 EIR**. No new mitigation measures or alternatives analyses would be required.

- c) Does the project have environmental effects, which will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?

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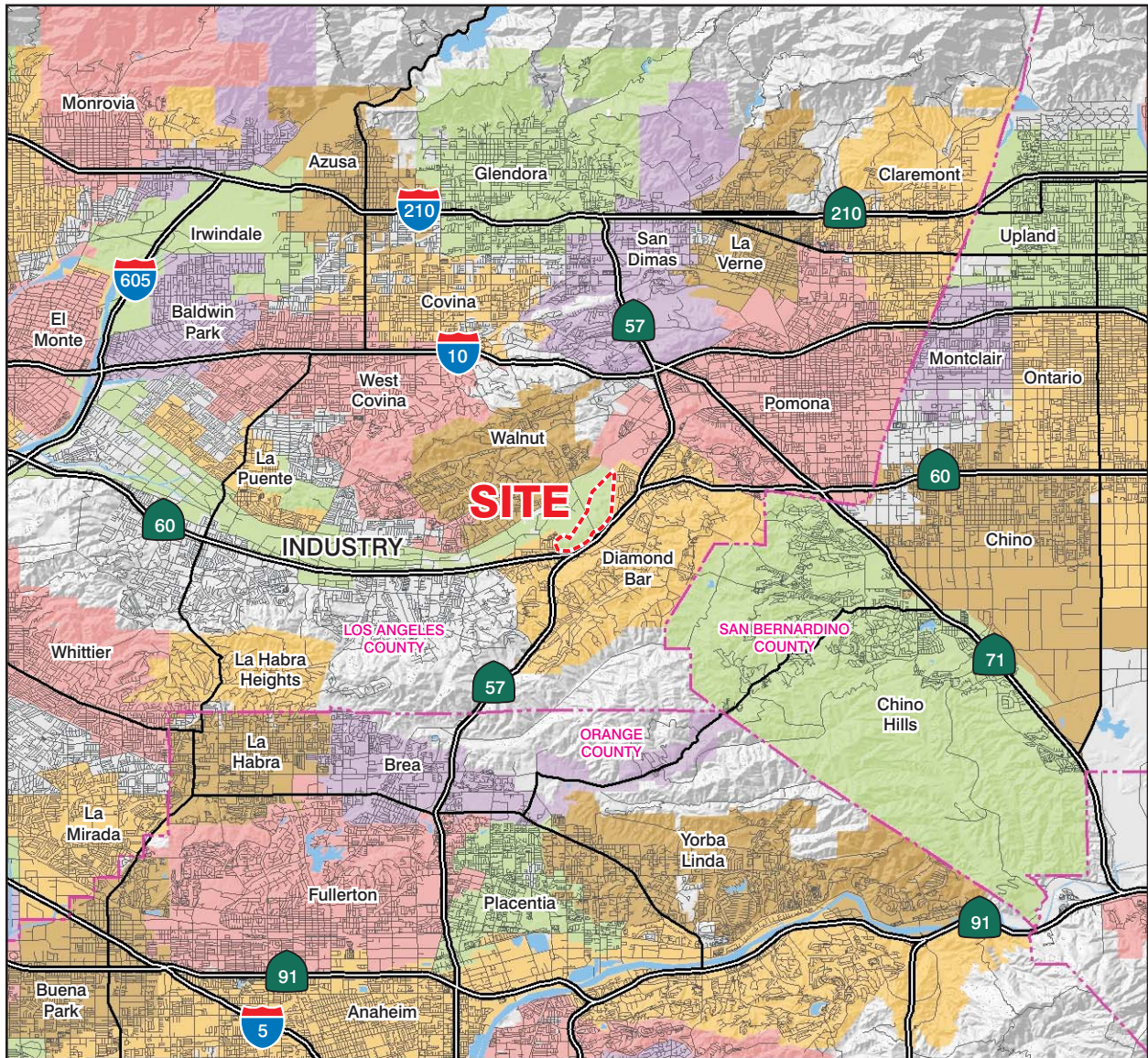
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### 1.3.18 Conclusion

There are no substantial changes in the circumstances or new information that was not known and could not have been known at the time of the adoption of the 2014 Certified EIR. The previously adopted mitigation measures would be required to be implemented, and no new or previously considered mitigation measures would be required to be adopted.

The proposed project consists entirely of land uses permitted by project sites' existing General Plan land use designation and zoning and represents a minor change from the "worst case scenario" future development of the project sites that was assumed and analyzed by the 2014 EIR. As a result and for the reasons explained in this Addendum, the project would not cause any new significant environmental impacts or substantially increase the severity of significant environmental impacts disclosed in the 2014 EIR. In fact, the proposed project would result in less impacts than analyzed in the 2014 EIR in numerous important respects, including impacts relating to air quality and traffic. Thus, the proposed project does not trigger any of the conditions in CEQA Guidelines Section 15162 allowing the preparation of a subsequent EIR, and the appropriate environmental document as authorized by CEQA Guidelines Section 15164(b) is an addendum. Accordingly, this EIR Addendum has been prepared. The Addendum describes the changed components of the proposed tentative parcel map, analyzes impact changes, and demonstrates that the project will not create any new significant environmental impacts or substantially increase the severity of those significant environmental impacts disclosed in the 2014 Certified EIR.

Figure 1 - Regional Location

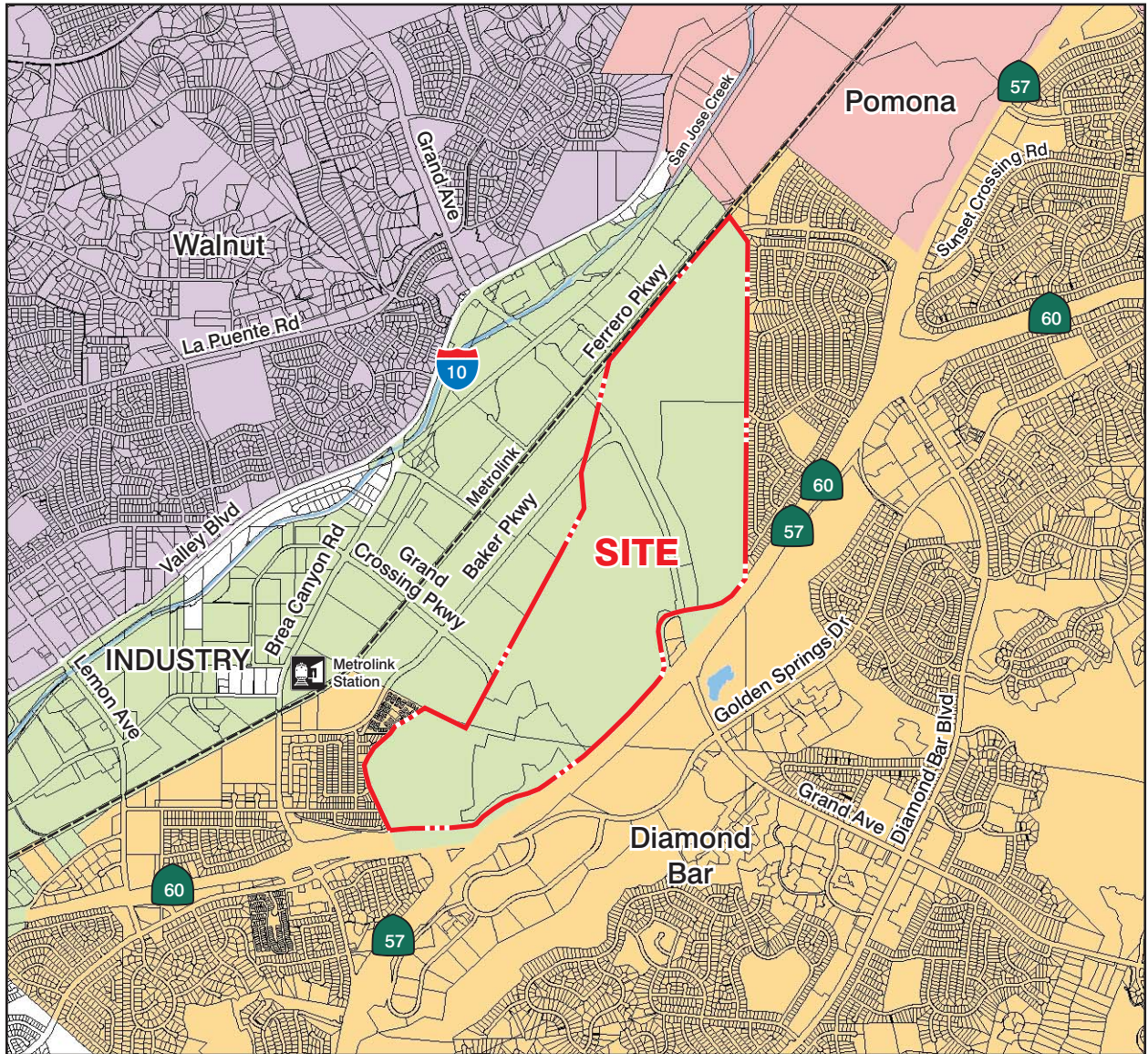


----- Project Boundary



Source: ESRI, 2004

Figure 2 - Local Vicinity



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Source: ESRI, 2004



Figure 3 - Tentative Parcel Map 352

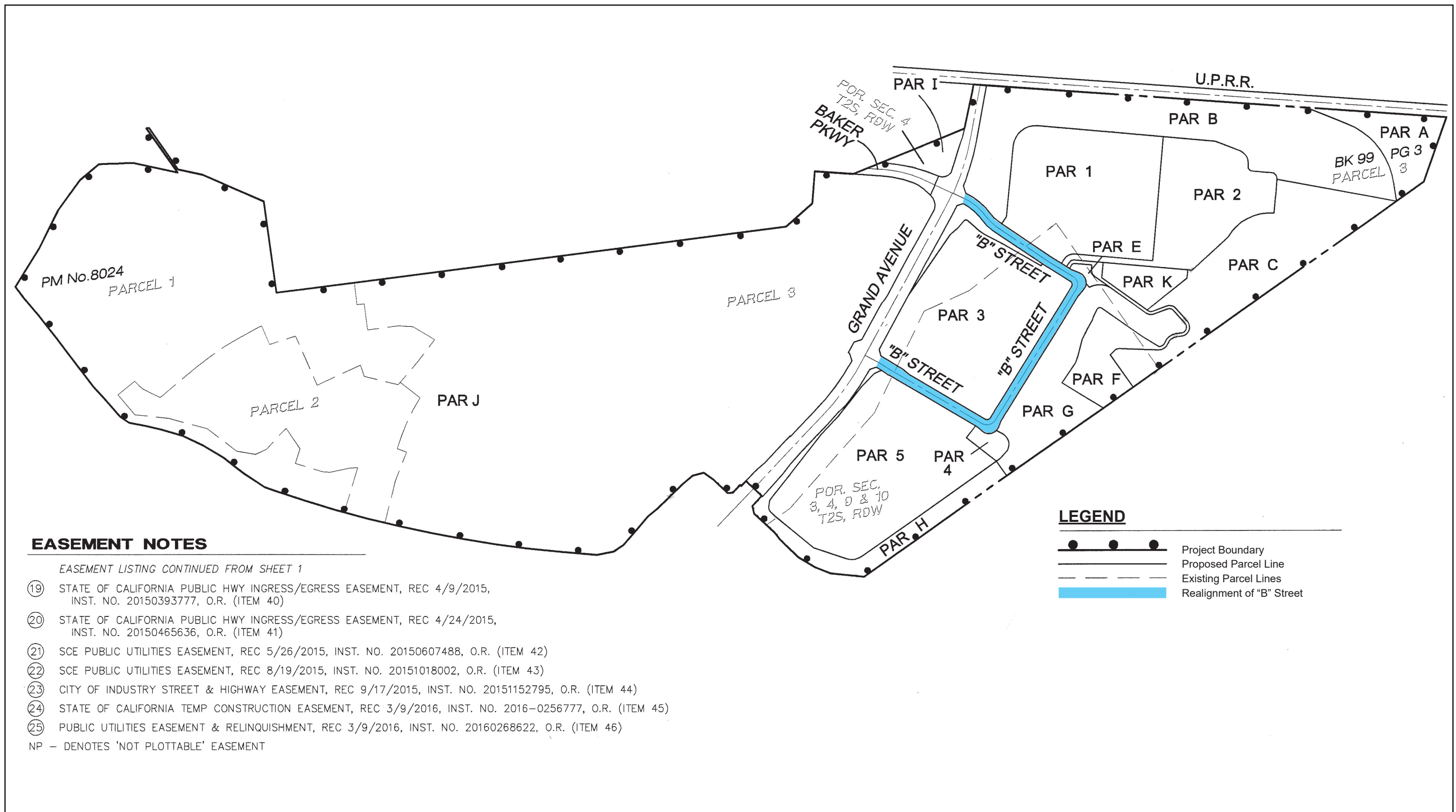
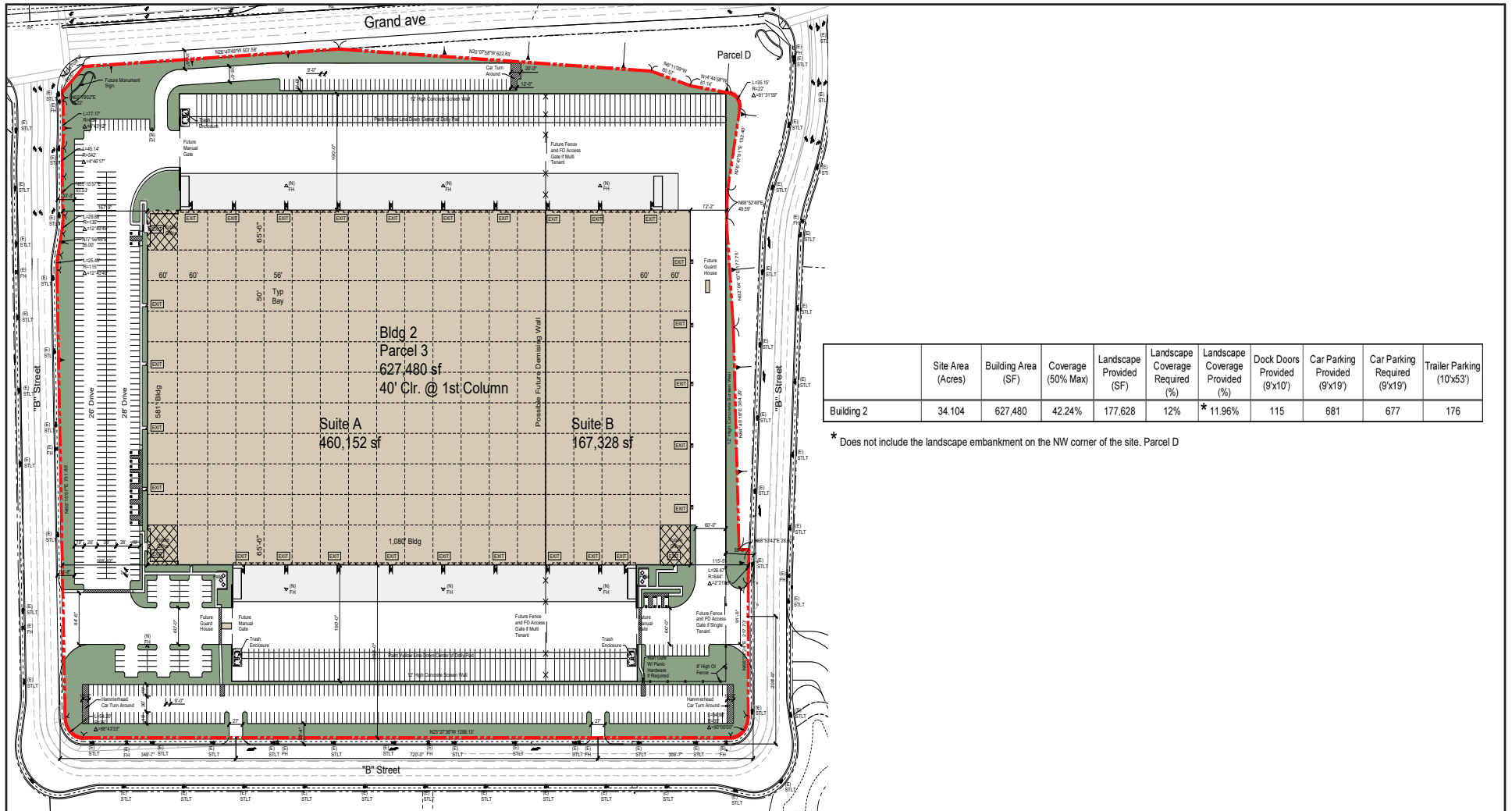


Figure 4 - Development Plan 19-03

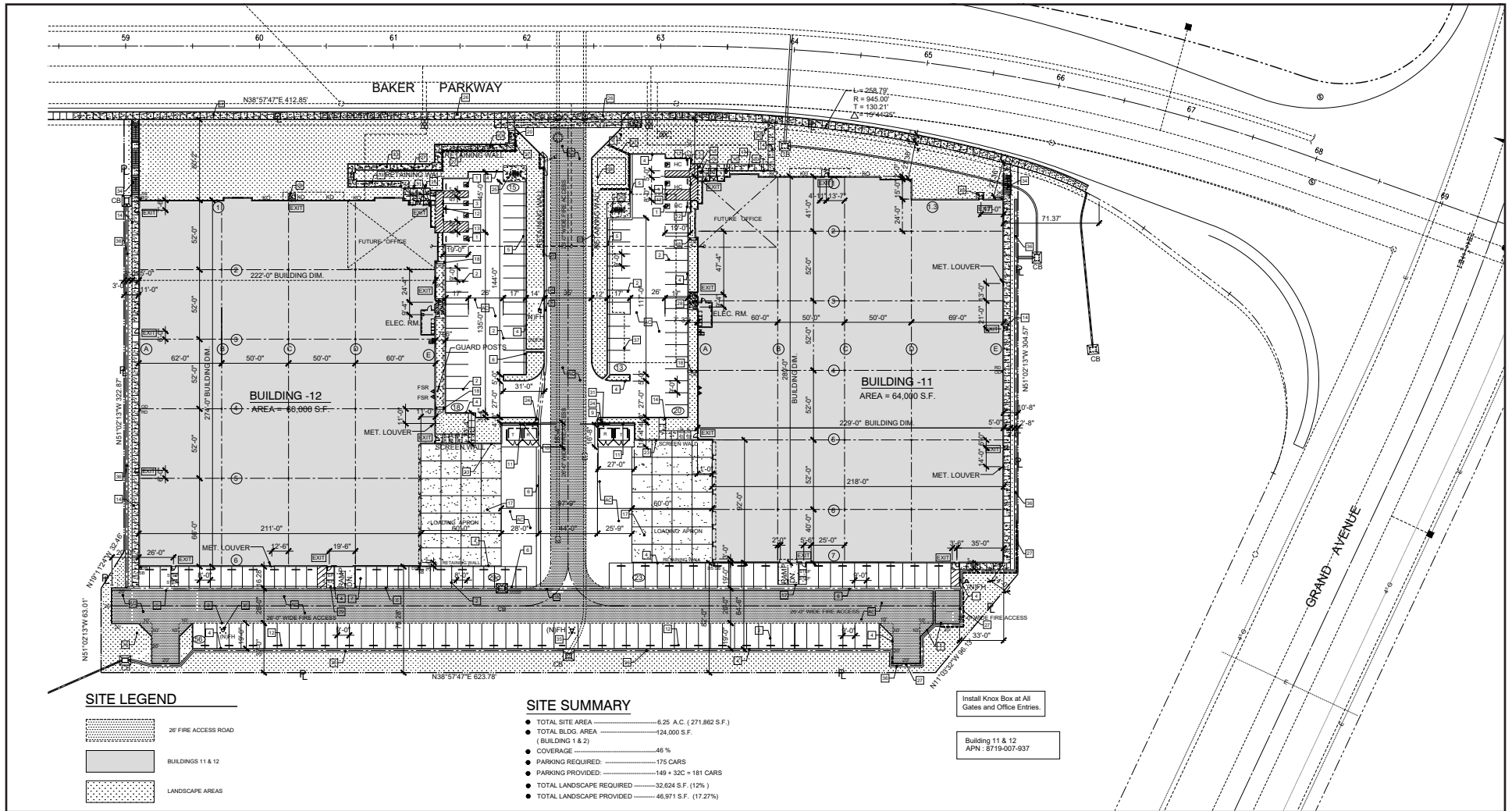


	Site Area (Acres)	Building Area (SF)	Coverage (50% Max)	Landscape Provided (SF)	Landscape Coverage Required (%)	Landscape Coverage Provided (%)	Dock Doors Provided (9'x10')	Car Parking Provided (9'x19')	Car Parking Required (9'x19')	Trailer Parking (10'x53')
Building 2	34.104	627,480	42.24%	177,628	12%	* 11.96%	115	681	677	176

\* Does not include the landscape embankment on the NW corner of the site, Parcel D



Figure 5 - Development Plan 19-04



Source: Commerce Construction Co., 2019