MONTEREY COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

Meeting: MAY 27, 2009 Time: A.M/P.M	Agenda Item No.:					
Project Description: Combined Development Pe	ermit consisting of: 1) Use Permit to allow					
development on slopes in excess of 30%; and 2) Us	e Permit for the removal of 5 Oak trees; and					
Design Approval for the construction of a 4,706 square	are foot two-story single family dwelling with					
attached three car garage and 142 linear foot driveway. Colors and materials to consist of						
"Sequin" exterior stucco walls; aluminum clad wood windows; "Beige" columns, window sills,						
and trim; "Jackson Valley" stone veneer; and mixed of	color slate roofing.					
Project Location: 704 Tesoro Road, Monterey APN: 173-074-020-000						
	Owner: HOLBROOK, Kenneth & Sally					
Planning File Number: PLN090017	Ann					
rianning the Number. 1 Livoy0017	Agent: Jerry Whitney, Western Sierra					
·	Design Group					
Planning Area: Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Flagged and staked: YES						
Plan						
Zoning Designation: "LDR/B-6-D" (Low Density Residential with Design Control and						
Building Site Zoning District Overlays)						
CEQA Action: Categorically Exempt per Section 15	303(a)					
Department: RMA - Planning Department						

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Planning Commission adopt a resolution (Exhibit B) to:

- 1) Categorically Exempt the project from the California Environmental Quality Act per Section 15303(a); and
- 2) Approve PLN090017, based on the findings and evidence and subject to the conditions of approval (Exhibit B):

PROJECT OVERVIEW:

The subject site is a 0.768-acre parcel (Lot 94) located at 704 Tesoro Road in the Pasadera Subdivision. The applicant requests approval of a Combined Development Permit consisting of: 1) Use Permit to allow development on slopes in excess of 30%; and 2) Use Permit for the removal of 5 Coast Live Oak trees; and Design Approval for the construction of a 4,706 square foot two-story single family dwelling with an attached three-car garage and including a 142 linear foot driveway. The primary issues with the project involve development on slopes in excess of 30% and removal of 5 of the 22 Oak trees on the property.

Tree Removal

The original subdivision permit and Environmental Impact Report (EIR) did not address tree removal on the subject parcel (Lot 94); however the EIR does mention "Approximately 115 additional trees are subject to removal as there are oak trees on many of the proposed building sites. Individual property owners will be required to make separate applications to the County for specific tree removal permits as each parcel is developed". For this application the property owner has requested the removal of 5 of the 22 Oak trees located on the subject parcel. The project has been designed to minimize and avoid tree removal to maximum extent feasible, however the topography of the particular lot, does not allow for development and installation of the driveway and associated retaining walls without compromising the health and vigor of approximately 5 Oak trees. A Forest Management Plan was prepared for the site by Barrie D. Coate & Associates to address construction related impact to all trees on the subject parcel. Pursuant to the requirements of the Monterey County Zoning Ordinance Section 21.64.260.D.4 (Title 21), the 5 trees being removed will need to be replaced onsite on a one-to-one (1:1) ratio. A condition of project approval, requiring the replacement/replanting of all removed tree has been included in Exhibit B, Attachment 1 (Condition 10).

Development on Slopes in Excess of 30%

The proposed single family dwelling and driveway have been carefully designed to avoid slopes in excess of 30% as much as possible, adhere to the site development standards of the zoning district, and blend with the architectural style of the neighborhood. The areas in the northeastern perimeter of the parcel contain slopes that range from 31% to 33%. (See site plan – Exhibit B.2) Access can only be obtained from Tesoro Road, located in this area of the property. This limitation and the configuration of the topography in this area of the parcel do not allow for the development of the driveway and associated retaining walls without some encroachment on slopes in excess of 30% and no feasible driveway alignment exists. Therefore, staff recommends that the Planning Commission approve the Use Permit to allow development on slopes in excess of 30%.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The following agencies and departments reviewed this project:

- √ RMA Public Works Department
- √ Environmental Health Division
- √ Water Resources Agency
- √ Salinas Rural Fire Protection District

Agencies that submitted comments are noted with a check mark (" $\sqrt{}$ "). Conditions recommended by RMA – Public Works, Environmental Health Department, Water Resources Agency, Salinas Rural Fire Protection District, and the RMA – Planning Department have been incorporated into the Condition Compliance/Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan attached as Exhibit 1 to the draft resolution (Exhibit B).

The project was scheduled for consideration by the Greater Monterey Peninsula Land Use Advisory Committee (LUAC) on April 15, 2009. Due to a lack of voting members, the project was continued to the next available date, May 20, 2009. The minutes and recommendation of the LUAC will be supplied to the Commission, at the Public Hearing on May 27, 2009.

Note: The decision on this project is appealable to the Board of Supervisors.

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April 13, 2009

cc: Front Counter Copy; Planning Commission; Salinas Rural Fire Protection District; Public Works Department; Environmental Health Division; Water Resources Agency; Luis A. Osorio, Planning Services Manager; David J. R. Mack, Project Planner; Carol Allen, Senior Secretary; Kenneth & Sally Ann Holbrook, Owner; Jerry Whitney, Agent; Planning File PLN090017

Attachments:

Exhibit A

Project Data Sheet

Exhibit B

Draft Resolution, including:

- 1. Conditions of Approval
- 2. Site Plan, Floor Plan and Elevations
- 3. Tree Removal Site Plan

Exhibit C

Vicinity Map

Exhibit D

Forest Management Plan

This report was reviewed by Luis A. Osorio, Planning Services Manager HOLBROOK (PLN090017)

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EXHIBIT – A

PROJECT DATA SHEET

EXHIBIT A

Project Information for PLN090017

Project Title: HOLBROOK K W & SALLY ANN TRS

Location: 704 TESORO RD MONTEREY

Primary APN: 173-074-020-000

Applicable Plan: Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan

Coastal Zone: No

Permit Type: Combined Development Permit

Zoning: LDR/B-6-D

Environmental Status: Exempt

Plan Designation: LOW DENSITY RES

Advisory Committee: Greater Monterey Peninsula

Final Action Deadline (884): 6/12/2009

Project Site Data:

Lot Size: 33,211

Coverage Allowed: 25%

Existing Structures (sf): ()

Coverage Proposed: 17%

Height Allowed: 30

Proposed Structures (sf): 5.642

Height Proposed: 29

Total Sq. Ft.: 5,642

FAR Allowed: N/A FAR Proposed: N/A

Resource Zones and Reports:

Environmentally Sensitive Habitat: No.

Erosion Hazard Zone: MODERATE

Biological Report #: N/A

Forest Management Rpt. #: LIB090148

Archaeological Sensitivity Zone: MODERATE

Geologic Hazard Zone: IV

Archaeological Report #: N/A

Geologic Report #: LIB090147

Soils Report #: LIB090147

Fire Hazard Zone: MODERATE

Traffic Report #: N/A

Other Information:

Water Source: CALIFORNIA-AMERICAN

Sewage Disposal (method): SEWER

Water Dist/Co: CALIFORNIA-AMERICAN

Sewer District Name: PASADERA SE

Fire District: SALINAS RURAL FIRE

Grading (cubic yds.): 440.0

Tree Removal: 5- OAK TREES

Exhibit A

Date Printed: 05/06/2009

EXHIBIT-B

DRAFT RESOLUTION, INCLUDING:

- 1. CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL
- 2. SITE PLAN, FLOOR PLAN AND ELEVATIONS
- 3. TREE REMOVAL SITE PLAN

EXHIBIT B DRAFT RESOLUTION

Before the Planning Commission in and for the County of Monterey, State of California

In the matter of the application of:

HOLBROOK, Kenneth and Sally Ann (PLN090017) RESOLUTION NO.

Resolution by the Monterey County Planning Commission

- 1) Categorically Exempt per 15303(a)
- 2) Approve a Combined Development Permit 1) Use Permit consisting of: development on slopes in excess of 30%; and 2) Use Permit for the removal of 5 Oak trees; and Design Approval for the construction of a 4,706 square foot two-story single family dwelling with attached three car garage and 142 linear foot driveway. Colors and materials to consist of "Sequin" exterior stucco walls; aluminum clad wood windows; "Beige" columns, window sills, and trim; "Jackson Valley" stone veneer; and mixed color slate roofing.

(PLN090017, HOLBROOK, Kenneth and Sally Ann, 704 Tesoro Road, Highway 68 area, Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan (APN: 173-074-020-000)

The Combined Development Permit and Design Approval application (PLN090017) came on for public hearing before the Monterey County Planning Commission on May 27, 2009. Having considered all the written and documentary evidence, the administrative record, the staff report, oral testimony, and other evidence presented, the Planning Commission finds and decides as follows:

FINDINGS

1. FINDING: **CONSISTENCY** – The Project, as conditioned, is consistent with the applicable plans and policies which designate this area as appropriate

for development.

EVIDENCE: a) During the course of review of this application, the project has been reviewed for consistency with the text, policies, and regulations in:

- the Monterey County General Plan,
- Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan,
- Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan Inventory and Analysis,
- Monterey County Zoning Ordinance (Title 21)

No conflicts were found to exist. No communications were received during the course of review of the project indicating any inconsistencies with the text, policies, and regulations in these documents.

b) The property is located at 704 Tesoro Road, Highway 68 area

(Assessor's Parcel Number 173-074-020-000), Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan. The parcel is zoned LDR/B-6-D, or Low Density Residential with Building Site and Design Approval Overlays, which allows the construction of single family residences. The B-6 Building Site Overlay portion of the zoning restricts further subdivision of the subject parcel. The project proposal does not involve any proposed land division. A Design Approval application, as required by the "D" zoning overlay, has been incorporated and reviewed as part of the proposed project. Therefore, the project is an allowed land use for this site.

- c) The project planner conducted a site inspection on January 28, 2009 to verify that the project on the subject parcel conforms to the plans listed above.
- d) The project minimizes tree removal in accordance with applicable goals and policies of the Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan. (See Finding 7)
- e) Development on slopes that excess 30% is prohibited unless there is no feasible alternative that would allow development to occur on slopes of less than 30%. (See Finding 6)
- f) The project was referred to the Greater Monterey Peninsula Land Use Advisory Committee (LUAC) for review. Based on the LUAC Procedure guidelines adopted by the Monterey County Board of Supervisors per Resolution No. 08-338, this application did warrant referral to the LUAC because the development proposal involves a Design Approval subject for review by Planning Commission.
- g) The application, project plans, and related support materials submitted by the project applicant to the Monterey County RMA Planning Department for the proposed development found in Project File PLN090017.
- 2. **FINDING: SITE SUITABILITY** The site is physically suitable for the use proposed.
 - EVIDENCE: a) The project has been reviewed for site suitability by the following departments and agencies: RMA Planning Department, Salinas Rural Fire Protection District, Public Works, Environmental Health Division, and Water Resources Agency. There has been no indication from these departments/agencies that the site is not suitable for the proposed development. Conditions recommended have been incorporated.
 - b) Staff identified potential impacts to Slope Stability and Tree Removal. Technical reports by outside consultants indicated that there are no physical or environmental constraints that would indicate that the site is not suitable for the use proposed. County staff independently reviewed these reports and concurs with their conclusions. The following reports have been prepared:
 - "Geotechnical Investigation for Single Family Residence for Lot 94, Tesoro Road Within the Pasadera Subdivision" (LIB090147) prepared by Soil Surveys Inc., Salinas, California, February 14, 2002.
 - "Evaluation of Trees Holbrook Property 704 Tesoro Road, Monterey" (LIB090148) prepared by Michael L. Bench of Barrie D. Coate & Associates, Los Gatos, California, November 3, 2008.
 - c) Staff conducted a site inspection on January 28, 2009 to verify that the

- site is suitable for this use.
- d) The application, project plans, and related support materials submitted by the project applicant to the Monterey County RMA - Planning Department for the proposed development found in Project File PLN090017.

3. **FINDING:**

HEALTH AND SAFETY - The establishment, maintenance, or operation of the project applied for will not under the circumstances of this particular case be detrimental to the health, safety, peace, morals, comfort, and general welfare of persons residing or working in the neighborhood of such proposed use, or be detrimental or injurious to property and improvements in the neighborhood or to the general welfare of the County.

EVIDENCE: a)

- The project was reviewed by RMA Planning Department, Salinas Rural Fire Protection District, Public Works, Environmental Health Division, and Water Resources Agency. The respective departments/agencies have recommended conditions, where appropriate, to ensure that the project will not have an adverse effect on the health, safety, and welfare of persons either residing or working in the neighborhood. The applicant has agreed to these conditions as evidenced by the application and accompanying materials and conditions (Exhibit 1).
- b) Necessary public facilities are available on site. The site is located within the Pasadera (Bishop Ranch) subdivision. This development area is supplied water by California-American Water Company, and sewer service is provided through the Pasadera Community Services district.
- c) Preceding findings and supporting evidence for PLN090017.

4. **FINDING:**

NO VIOLATIONS - The subject property is in compliance with all rules and regulations pertaining to zoning uses, subdivision, and any other applicable provisions of the County's zoning ordinance. No violations exist on the property.

EVIDENCE: a)

- a) Staff reviewed Monterey County RMA Planning Department and Building Services Department Monterey County records and is not aware of any violations existing on subject property.
- b) Staff conducted a site inspection on January 28, 2009 and researched County records to assess if any violation exists on the subject property.
- c) There are no known violations on the subject parcel.
- d) The application, plans and supporting materials submitted by the project applicant to the Monterey County Planning Department for the proposed development are found in Project File PLN090017

5. FINDING:

CEQA (Exempt): - The project is categorically exempt from environmental review and no unusual circumstances were identified to exist for the proposed project.

EVIDENCE: a)

- California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15303(a) categorically exempts the construction of the first single-family residences in a residential zone.
- b) No adverse environmental effects were identified during staff review of the development application during a site visit on January 28, 2009.

- c) See preceding and following findings and supporting evidence.
- 6. **FINDING:**

DEVELOPMENT ON SLOPES IN EXCESS OF 30% – The project includes development on slopes exceeding 30% and there is no feasible alternative that would allow development to occur on slopes less than 30%. In accordance with the applicable policies of the Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan and the Monterey County Zoning Ordinance (Title 21), a Use Permit is required and the authority to grant said permit has been met.

EVIDENCE: a)

- Staff has reviewed the project plans and visited the site on January 28, 2009, to analyze possible development alternatives.
- b) The areas in the northeastern perimeter of the parcel contain slopes that range from 31% to 33%. (See site plan Exhibit B.2) Access can only be obtained from Tesoro Road, located in this area of the property. This limitation and the configuration of the topography in this area of the parcel do not allow for the development of the driveway and associated retaining walls without some encroachment on slopes in excess of 30% and no feasible driveway alignment exists.
- c) The application, plans and supporting materials submitted by the project applicant to the Monterey County Planning Department for the proposed development are found in Project File PLN090017.
- 7. **FINDING:**

TREE REMOVAL – The tree removal is the minimum required under the circumstances and the removal will not involve a risk of adverse environmental impacts.

- EVIDENCE: a)
- The project includes the removal of 5 Coast Live Oak trees. In accordance with the applicable policies of the Greater Monterey Peninsula Area Plan and the Monterey County Zoning Ordinance (Title 21), a Use Permit is required and the authority to grant said permit has been met.
 - b) Monterey County Zoning Ordinance Section 21.64.260(D)(3) requires a the submittal of a Forest Management Plan (FMP) and approval of a Use Permit for tree removal of more than three protected trees. The applicant has applied for and complied with these requirements.
 - c) Staff has reviewed the project plans and visited the site on January 28, 2009, to analyze possible environmental impacts from tree removal.
 - d) A Forest Management Plan was prepared by Michael L. Bench from Barrie D. Coate and Associates on November 3, 2008 (LIB090148).
 - e) The 0.768-acre parcel contains a total 22 Coast Live Oak trees (*Quercus agrifolia*), located in three separate areas: trees #1-19 are a single cluster, located on a north-west facing slope in the eastern portion of the property; tree #20 also located on a north-west facing slope is located near the center of the parcel; trees #21 and 22 are located on a west facing slope in the southern portion of the parcel. (Exhibit B.3 Tree Removal Site Plan)
 - f) The proposed single family dwelling and driveway have been carefully designed to limit tree removal. Due to the topographic features, slopes contained on the parcel, and the lack of an alternative site to construct a driveway and associated retaining walls, 5 of the 22 trees will be subject to construction related impacts. The Forest Management Plan identified trees numbers 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9, as being located in close proximity (0.5)

- feet to 5.0 feet) to the retaining walls needed for the installation of the driveway. According to the Forest Management Plan (Exhibit D), these trees are likely to sustain root damage from grading activities.
- g) Measures for tree protection during construction have been incorporated as conditions and include tree protection zones and fences. (Condition 9)
- h) The removal will not involve a risk of adverse environmental impacts. Seventeen of the 22 trees on the site will remain in place and will not be impacted by proposed construction and/or grading activities. A condition requiring that all removed trees be replaced using a 1:1 ratio, for a total of 5 replacement trees. (Condition 10)
- i) The application, plans and supporting materials submitted by the project applicant to the Monterey County Planning Department for the proposed development are found in Project File PLN090017.
- 8. **FINDING:** APPEALABILITY The decision on this project may be appealed to the Board of Supervisors.
 - **EVIDENCE:** a) Section 21.80.040.D Monterey County Zoning Ordinance (Title 21).

DECISION

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the above findings and evidence, the Planning Commission does hereby:

- A. Find the project to be Categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to Section 15303(a).
- B. Approve the Combined Development Permit and Design Approval for the construction of a 4,706 square foot two story ingle family dwelling with attached 3 car garage and 142 linear foot driveway; Use Permit to allow for development on slopes in excess of 30%; and Use Permit for the removal of 5 oak trees, in general conformance with the attached sketch (Exhibit 2) and subject to the conditions (Exhibit 1), both exhibits being attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this day of	, 2009.
	Mike Novo, Secretary, Planning Commission
COPY OF THIS DECISION MAILED TO APPLICANT	T ON
THIS APPLICATION IS APPEALABLE TO THE BOA	RD OF SUPERVISORS.
	, AN APPEAL FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND ONG WITH THE APPROPRIATE FILING FEE ON OR
This decision, if this is the final administrative decision.	is subject to judicial review pursuant to California Code of

Civil Procedure Sections 1094.5 and 1094.6. Any Petition for Writ of Mandate must be filed with the Court no later

NOTES

than the 90th day following the date on which this decision becomes final.

1. You will need a building permit and must comply with the Monterey County Building Ordinance in every respect.

Additionally, the Zoning Ordinance provides that no building permit shall be issued, nor any use conducted, otherwise than in accordance with the conditions and terms of the permit granted or until ten days after the mailing of notice of the granting of the permit by the appropriate authority, or after granting of the permit by the Board of Supervisors in the event of appeal.

Do not start any construction or occupy any building until you have obtained the necessary permits and use clearances from the Monterey County Planning Department and Building Services Department office in Salinas.

2. This permit expires 4 years after the above date of granting thereof unless construction or use is started within this period.

Approved by: HEARING BODY File No: PLN090017 Condition Compliance and/or Mitigation Monitoring Monterey County Resource Management Agency - EXHIBIT 1 Planning Department RESOLUTION

Project Name: HOLBROOK, Kenneth and Sally Ann

APNs: 173-074-020-000

Date: May 27, 2009

Reporting Plan

*Monitoring or Reporting refers to projects with an EIR or adopted Mitigated Negative Declaration per Section 21081.6 of the Public Resources Code. to be performed. Where applicable, a certified professional is required for Compliance or Monitoring Actions Conditions of Approval and or Mitigation Measures and Responsible Land Use Department Number Number Permit Cond.

action to be accepted.

Party for Compliance Responsible

Compliance (name/date) Timing

otherwise

stated

Ongoing unless

Verification

RMA - Planning Department

	Owner/	Applicant		RMA -	Planning					WRA	;	RMA -	Planning							`
	Adhere to conditions and uses specified	in the permit.		Neither the uses nor the construction	allowed by this permit shall commence	unless and until all of the conditions of	this permit are met to the satisfaction of	The partment		To the extent that the County has	delegated any condition compliance or	mitigation monitoring to the Monterey	County Water Resources Agency, the	Water Resources Agency shall provide	all information requested by the County	and the County shall bear ultimate	responsibility to ensure that conditions	and initigation measures are properly	fulfilled.	
1966年,1967年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,1968年,19	1. PD001 - SPECIFIC USES ONLY	This Combined Development Permit and Design	Approval (PLN090017) allows the construction of a	4,706 square foot two story ingle family dwelling	with attached 3 car garage and 142 linear foot	driveway; Use Permit to allow for development on	slopes in excess of 30%; and Use Permit for the	removal of 5 oak trees. The property is located at 704	Tesoro Road, Monterey (Assessor's Parcel Number 173-	074-020-000), Greater Monterey Peninsula Area	Plan. This permit was approved in accordance with	County ordinances and land use regulations subject to the	following terms and conditions. Any use or construction	not in substantial conformance with the terms and	conditions of this permit is a violation of County	regulations and may result in modification or revocation	of this permit and subsequent legal action. No use or	construction other than that specified by this permit is	allowed unless additional permits are approved by the	appropriate authorities. (RMA - Planning Department)

Verification of Compliance (name/date)			
Timing	Prior to the issuance of grading and building permits or commence -ment of use.	As stated in the conditions of approval	Ongoing
Responsible Party for Compliance	Owner/ Applicant RMA- Planning	Owner/ Applicant	Owner/ Applicant/ Archaeo- logist
Compliance or Monitoring Actions to be performed. Where applicable, a certified professional is required for action to be accepted.	Obtain appropriate form from the RMA-Planning Department. The applicant shall complete the form and furnish proof of recordation of this notice to the RMA - Planning Department.	The applicant shall obtain a valid grading or building permit and/or commence the authorized use to the satisfaction of the Director of Planning. Any request for extension must be received by the Planning Department at least 30 days prior to the expiration date.	Stop work within 50 meters (165 feet) of uncovered resource and contact the Monterey County RMA - Planning Department and a qualified archaeologist immediately if cultural, archaeological, historical or paleontological resources are uncovered. When contacted, the project planner and the archaeologist shall immediately visit the site to determine the extent of the resources and to develop proper mitigation measures required for the discovery.
Permit Mitig. Conditions of Approval and or Mitigation Measures and Cond. Number Responsible Land Use Department	The applicant shall record a notice which states: "A permit (Resolution) was approved by the Planning Commission for Assessor's Parcel Number 173-074-020-000 on May 27, 2009. The permit was granted subject to 28 conditions of approval which run with the land. A copy of the permit is on file with the Monterey County RMA - Planning Department." (RMA - Planning Department)	3. PD032 - PERMIT TIME/YEAR & DATE The permit shall be granted for a time period of 4 years, to expire on (RMA - Planning Department)	PD003(A) – CULTURAL RESOURCES – NEGATIVE ARCHAEOLOGICAL REPORT If, during the course of construction, cultural, archaeological, historical or paleontological resources are uncovered at the site (surface or subsurface resources) work shall be halted immediately within 50 meters (165 feet) of the find until a qualified professional archaeologist can evaluate it. The Monterey County RMA - Planning Department and a qualified archaeologist (i.e., an archaeologist registered with the Society of Professional Archaeologists) shall be immediately contacted by the responsible individual present on-site. When contacted, the project planner and the archaeologist shall immediately visit the site to determine the extent of the resources and to develop proper mitigation measures required for the discovery. (RMA - Planning Department)

Permii Miig. Cond: Number	Conditions of Approval and or Wingation Measures and Responsible Land Use Department	Compliance or Monitoring Actions to be performed. Where applicable, a certified professional is required for action to be accepted.	Responsible Party for Compliance.	Timing	Verification of Compliance (name date)
5.	PD004 - INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT The property owner agrees as a condition and in consideration of the approval of this discretionary development permit that it will, pursuant to agreement and/or statutory provisions as applicable, including but not limited to Government Code Section 66474.9, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County of Monterey or its agents, officers and employees from any claim, action or proceeding against the County or its agents, officers or employees to attack, set aside, void or annul this approval, which action is brought within the time period provided for under law, including but not limited to, Government Code Section 66499.37, as applicable. The property owner will reimburse the county for any court costs and attorney's fees which the County may be required by a court to pay as a result of such action. County may, at its sole discretion, participate in the defense of such action; but such participation shall not relieve applicant of his effect shall be recorded upon demand of County Counsel or concurrent with the issuance of building permits, use of the property owner of any such claim, action or proceeding and the County shall cooperate fully in the defense thereof. If the County fails to promptly notify the property owner of any such claim, action or proceeding or fails to cooperate fully in the defense thereof, the property owner shall not thereafter be responsible to defend, indemnify or honar mental parameters. (RMA - Planning	Submit signed and notarized Indemnification Agreement to the Director of RMA – Planning Department for review and signature by the County. Proof of recordation of the Indemnification Agreement, as outlined, shall be submitted to the RMA – Planning Department.	Owner/ Applicant	Upon demand of County Counsel or concurrent with the issuance of building permits.	
. 6	PD007 - GRADING-WINTER RESTRICTION No land clearing or grading shall occur on the subject parcel between October 15 and April 15 unless authorized by the Director of RMA - Building Services Department. (RMA - Planning Department and Building Services	Obtain authorization from the Director of RMA - Building Services Department to conduct land clearing or grading between October 15 and April 15.	Owner/ Applicant	Ongoing	

Verification of Compliance (name/date)		·				
Timing		Prior to final inspection	Prior to the issuance of grading and building permits	Ongoing	Prior to final inspection	Prior to the issuance of grading and/or building permits
Responsible Party for Compliance		Owner/ Applicant/ Geotech- nical Consultant	Owner/ Applicant	Owner/ Applicant	Owner/ Applicant	Owner/ Applicant
Compliance or Monitoring Actions to be performed. Where applicable, a certified professional is required for action to be accepted.		Submit certification by the geotechnical consultant to the RMA – Building Services Department showing project's compliance with the geotechnical report.	An Erosion Control Plan shall be submitted to the RMA - Planning Department and the RMA - Building Services Department prior to issuance of building and grading permits.	Comply with the recommendations of the Erosion Control Plan during the course of construction until project completion as approved by the Director of RMA - Planning and Director of RMA - Building Services.	Evidence of compliance with the Implementation Schedule shall be submitted to the RMA - Planning Department and the RMA - Building Services Department	Submit evidence of tree protection to the RMA - Planning Department for review and approval.
	Department)	PD009 - GEOTECHNICAL CERTIFICATION Prior to final inspection, the geotechnical consultant shall provide certification that all development has been constructed in accordance with the geotechnical report. (RMA - Planning Department and Building Services Department)	SCHEDULE The approved development shall incorporate the recommendations of the Erosion Control Plan as reviewed by the Director of RMA – Planning and Director of Building Services. All cut and/or fill slopes exposed	during the course of construction be covered, seeded, or otherwise treated to control erosion during the course of construction, subject to the approval of the Director of RMA - Planning and Director of RMA - Building Services. The improvement and grading plans shall include an implementation schedule of measures for the prevention and control of erosion, siltation and dust during	and immediately following construction and until erosion control planting becomes established. This program shall be approved by the Director of RMA - Planning and Director of RMA - Building Services. (RMA - Planning Department and RMA - Building Services	SPPD001 – TREE AND ROOT PROTECTION (NON-STANDARD) Trees which are located close to the construction site(s) shall be protected from inadvertent damage from construction equipment by fencing off the canopy driplines and/or critical root zones (whichever is greater)
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Verification of Compliance (name/date)				
Timing	During Construc- tion	Prior to final inspection	Prior to final inspection	Prior to issuance of Building Permits
Responsible Party for Compliance	Owner/ Applicant/ Arborist	Owner/ Applicant	Owner/ Applicant/ Arborist	Owner/ Applicant/ Licensed Landscape Contractor/ Licensed Landscape Architect
Compliance or Monitoring Actions to be performed. Where applicable, a certified professional is required for action to be accepted.	Submit on-going evidence that tree protection measures are in place through out grading and construction phases. If damage is possible, submit an interim report prepared by a certified arborist.	Submit photos of the trees on the property to the RMA – Planning Department after construction to document that tree protection has been successful or if follow-up remediation or additional permits are required.	Submit evidence of tree replacement to the Director of RMA- Planning Department after construction to document that tree replacement has been successful.	Submit landscape plans and contractor's estimate to the RMA - Planning Department for review and approval. Landscaping plans shall include the recommendations from the Forest Management Plan. The Landscape plan shall clearly identify the location of the 5 Oak trees to be replaced per Condition 10, in an area deemed appropriate by a Certified Arborist and/or Forester,
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			All landscaped areas and fences shall be continuously maintained by the applicant; all plant material shall be continuously maintained in a litter-free, weed-free, healthy, growing condition.	Owner/ Applicant	Ongoing	
12.		PD014(A) – LIGHTING – EXTERIOR LIGHTING PLAN All exterior lighting shall be unobtrusive, down-lit, harmonious with the local area, and constructed or located so that only the intended area is illuminated and off-site	Submit three copies of the lighting plans to the RMA - Planning Department for review and approval. Approved lighting plans shall be incorporated into final building plans.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to the issuance of building permits.	
		glare is fully controlled. The applicant shall submit 3 copies of an exterior lighting plan which shall indicate the location, type, and wattage of all light fixtures and include catalog sheets for each fixture. The lighting shall comply with the requirements of the California Energy Code set forth in California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 6. The exterior lighting plan shall be subject to approval by the Director of the RMA - Planning Department, prior to the issuance of building permits. (RMA - Planning Department)	The lighting shall be installed and maintained in accordance with the approved plan.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to Occupancy / Ongoing	
13.		PD016 – NOTICE OF REPORT Prior to issuance of building or grading permits, a notice shall be recorded with the Monterey County Recorder which states: "A Geotechnical report has been prepared for this parcel by Soil Surveys, Inc., dated February 14, 2002 and is on record in the Monterey County RMA -	Proof of recordation of this notice shall be furnished to the RMA - Planning Department.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to the issuance of grading and building permits.	
		Planning Department, Library No. LIB090147. All development shall be in accordance with this report." (RMA – Planning Department)	Submit proof that all development has been implemented in accordance with the report to the RMA - Planning Department for review and approval.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to Occupancy	

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Conditions of Approval and or Mitigation Measures and Responsible Land Use Department	PD016 – NOTICE OF REPORT Prior to issuance of building or grading permits, a notice shall be recorded with the Monterey County Recorder which states: "A Evaluation of Trees report has been prepared for this parcel by Michael L. Bench of Barrie D. Coate & Associates, dated November 3, 2008 and is on	record in the Monterey County RMA - Planning Department, Library No. LIB090148. All development shall be in accordance with this report." (RMA – Planning Department)	PD041 – HEIGHT VERIFICATION The applicant shall have a benchmark placed upon the property and identify the benchmark on the building plans. The benchmark shall remain visible onsite until final building inspection. The applicant shall provide	evidence from a licensed civil engineer or surveyor, to the Director of the RMA- Building Services Department for review and approval, that the height of the structure(s) from the benchmark is consistent with what was approved on the building permit associated with this project. (RMA – Planning Department and Building Services Department)	RWA - Public	PW0037 – ROUTE 68 IMPROVEMENT FEE Contribute \$4875.00 to County of Monterey for future improvements to State Route 68. (Public Works)
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17.		PWSP001 – TAMC FEES (NON-STANDARD) Prior to issuance of building permits, applicant shall pay the Regional Development Impact Fee (RDIF) pursuant to Monterey Code Chapter 12.90. The fee amount shall be determined based on the parameters adopted in the applicable fee schedule. (Public Works)	Applicant shall pay to County of Monterey required Regional Development Impact Fees (RDIF).	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to issuance of Building Permits.	
18.		PWSP002 – CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT PLAN (NON-STANDARD) Prior to issuance of Grading Permits or Building Permits, applicant shall submit a Construction Management Plan (CMP) to the RMA – Planning Department and the Department of Public Works for review and approval. The CMP shall include measures to minimize traffic impacts during the construction/grading phase of the project and shall provide the following information: Duration of the construction, hours of operation, an estimate of the number of truck trips that will be generated, truck routes, number of construction workers, parking areas for both equipment and workers, and locations of truck staging areas. Approved measures included in the CMP shall be implemented by the applicant during the construction/grading phase of the project. (Public Works)	A Construction Management Plan (CMP) shall be submitted to the RMA – Planning Department and the Department of Public Works.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to Issuance of Grading Permits and/or Building Permits.	
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19.		WR40 - WATER CONSERVATION MEASURES The applicant shall comply with Ordinance No. 3932, or as subsequently amended, of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency pertaining to mandatory water conservation regulations. The regulations for new construction require, but are not limited to: a. All toilets shall be ultra-low flush toilets with a maximum tank size or flush capacity of 1.6 gallons, all	Compliance to be verified by building inspector at final inspection.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to final building inspection/	

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20.	WR43 - WATER AVAILABILITY CERTIFICATION The applicant shall obtain from the Monterey County Water Resources Agency, proof of water availability on the property, in the form of an approved Monterey Peninsula Water Management District Water Release Form. (Water Resources Agency)	Submit the Water Release Form to the Water Resources Agency for review and approval.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to issuance of any building permits	
21.	WRASP001 – DRAINAGE PLAN (NON-STANDARD) The applicant shall provide the Water Resources Agency a drainage plan prepared by the a registered civil engineer or architect addressing on-site and off-site impacts. Impervious surface stormwater runoff shall be directed to the existing stormwater drainage system for the Pasadera Subdivision. Drainage improvements shall be constructed in accordance with plans approved by the Water Resources Agency. (Water Resources Agency)	Submit 3 copies of the drainage plan to the Water Resources Agency for review and approval.	Owner/ Applicant	Prior to issuance of any grading or building permits.	
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22.		FIRE007 - DRIVEWAYS Driveways shall not be less than 12 feet wide unobstructed, with an unobstructed vertical clearance of not less than 15 feet. The grade for all driveways shall not exceed 15 percent. Where the grade exceeds 8	Applicant shall incorporate specification into design and enumerate as "Fire Dept. Notes" on plans.	Applicant or owner	Prior to issuance of grading and/or building	
·		percent, a minimum structural roadway surface of 0.7.7 feet of asphaltic concrete on 0.34 feet of aggregate base shall be required. The driveway surface shall be capable of supporting the imposed load of fire apparatus (22 tons), and be accessible by conventional-drive vehicles, including sedans. For driveways with turns 90 degrees	Applicant shall schedule fire dept. clearance inspection	Applicant or owner	Prior to final building inspection.	
		and less, the minimum horizontal inside radius of curvature shall be 25 feet. For driveways with turns greater than 90 degrees, the minimum horizontal inside radius curvature shall be 28 feet. For all driveway turns, an additional surface of 4 feet shall be added. All driveways exceeding 150 feet in length, but less than 800 feet in length, shall provide a turnout near the				
•		midpoint of the driveway. Where the driveway exceeds 800 feet, turnouts shall be provided at no greater than 400-foot intervals. Turnouts shall be a minimum of 12 feet wide and 30 feet long with a minimum of 25-foot taper at both ends. Turnarounds shall be required on driveways in excess of 150 feet of surface length and				
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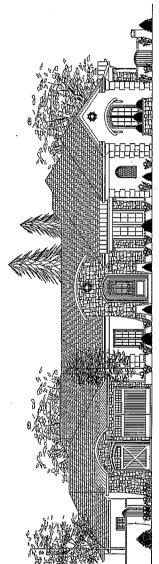
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	wide. Where a one-way road with a single traffic lane provides access to a gated entrance, a 40-foot turning radius shall be used. Where gates are to be locked, the installation of a key box or other acceptable means for immediate access by emergency equipment may be required. (Salinas Rural Fire Protection District)	Applicant shall schedule fire dept. clearance inspection	Applicant or owner	Prior to final building inspection.	
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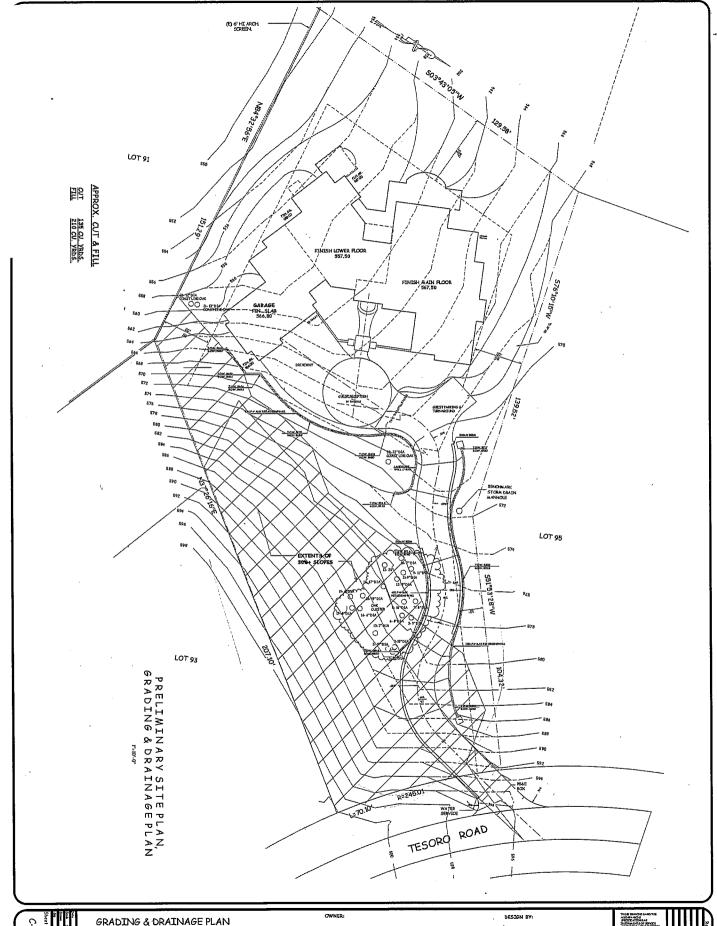
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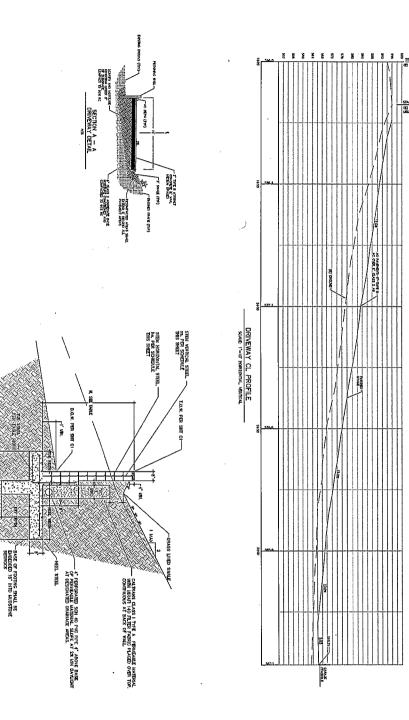
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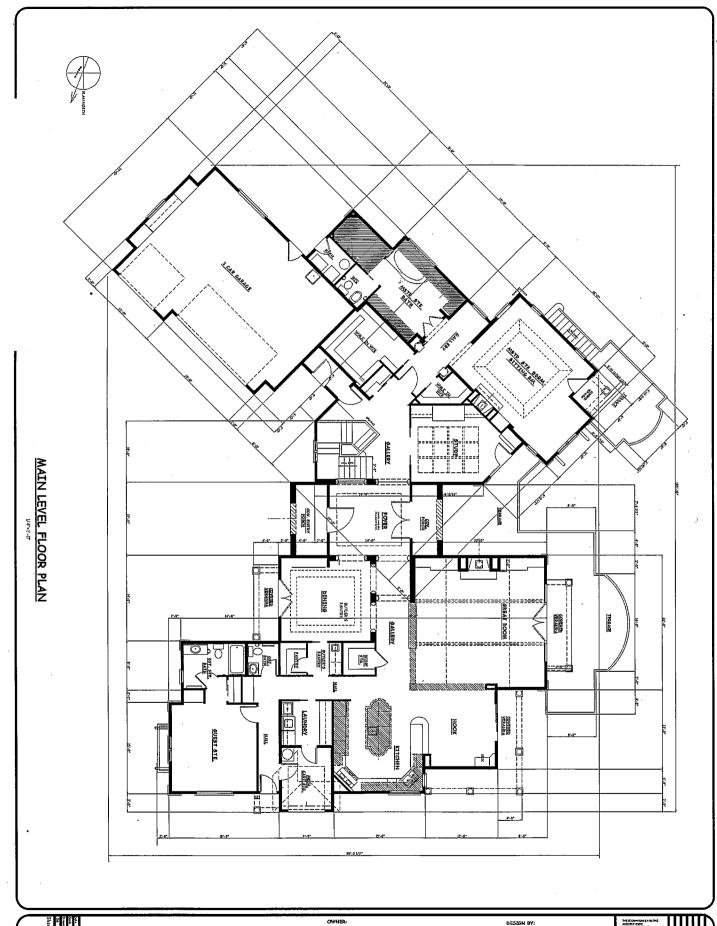
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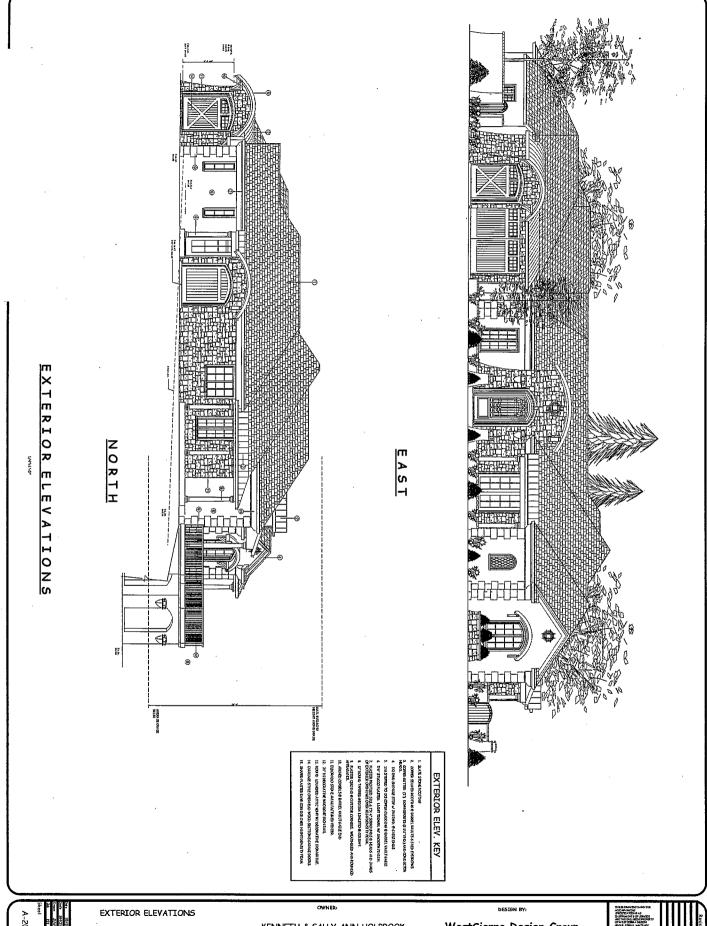
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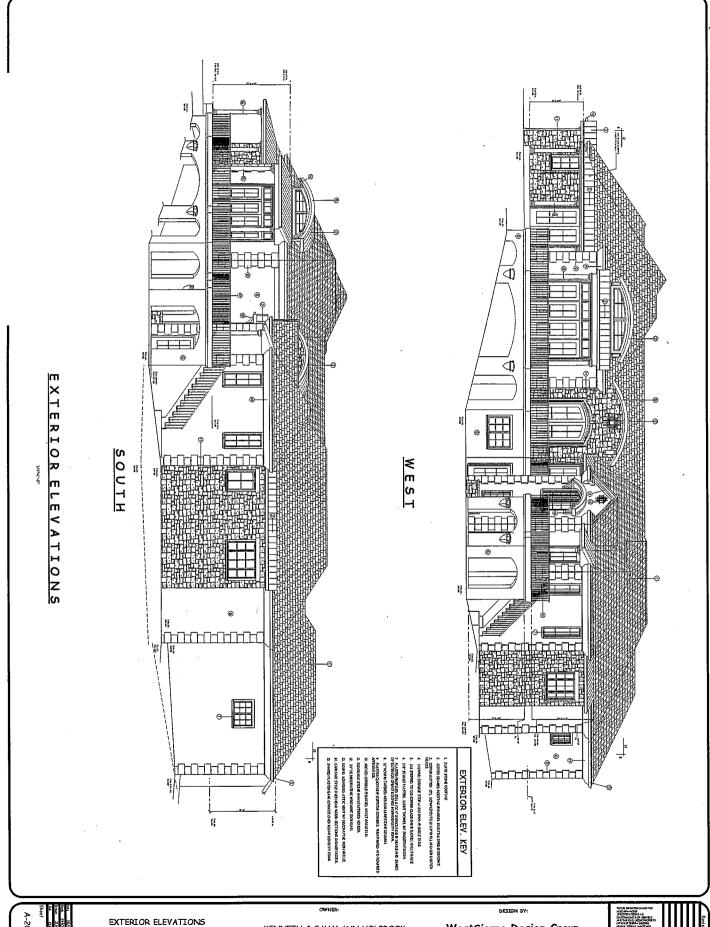
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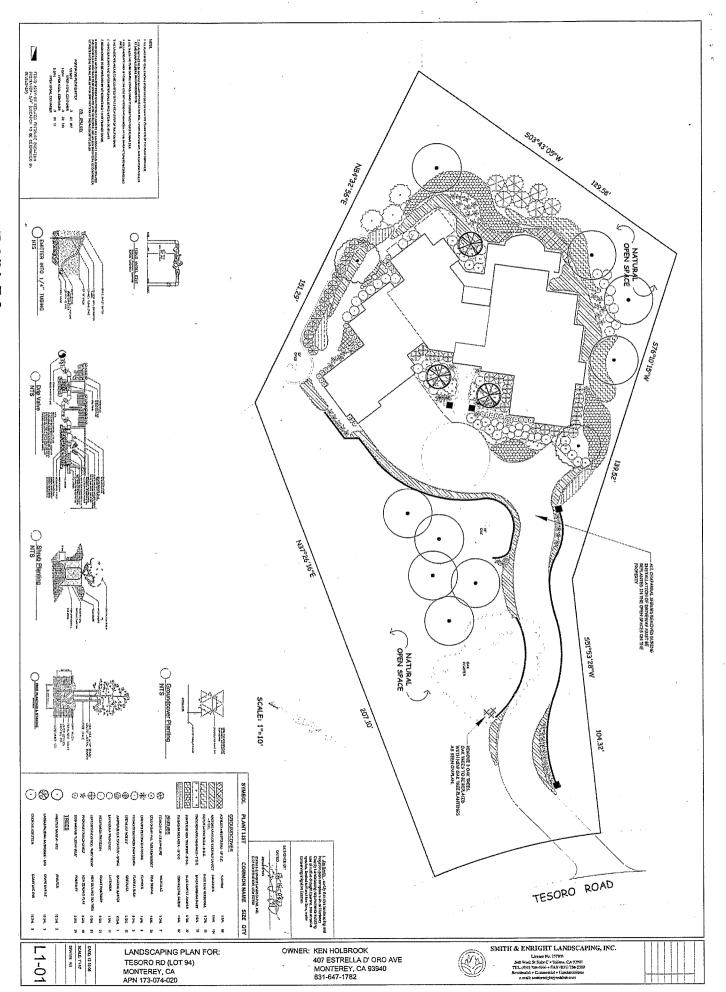


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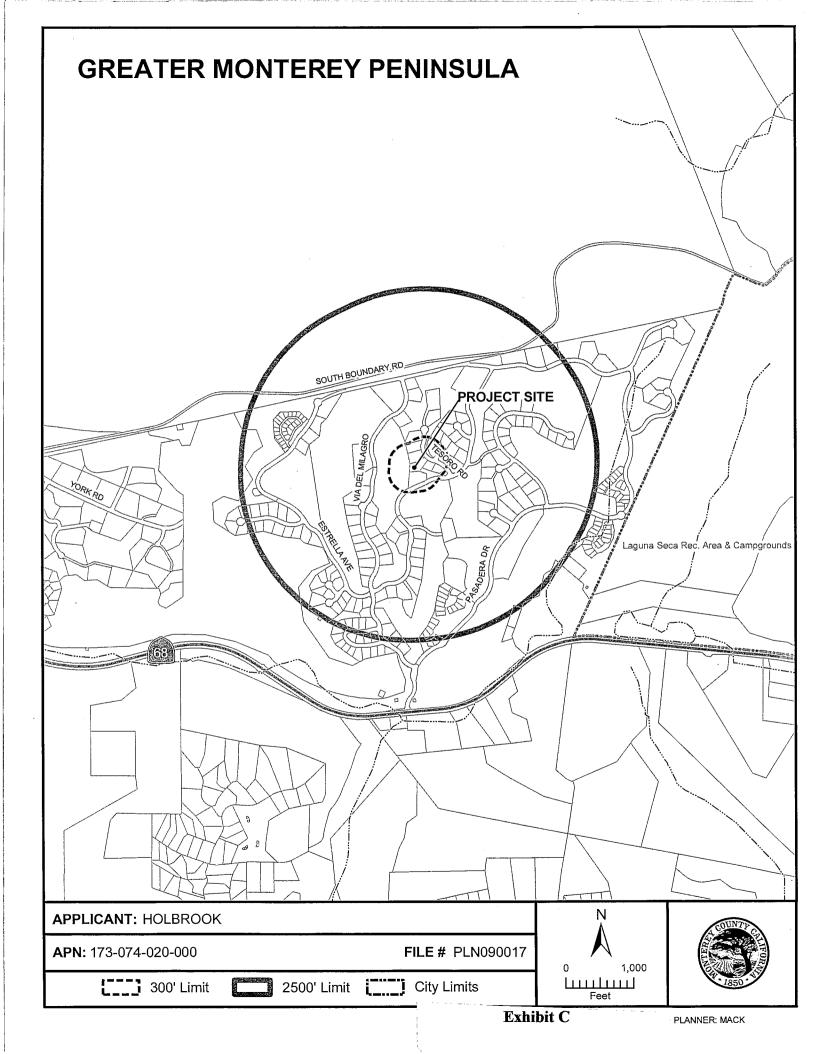


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> EVALUATION OF TREES HOLBROOK PROPERTY 704 TESORO ROAD MONTEREY

Prepared at the request of:
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Prepared by: Michael L. Bench Consulting Arborist November 3, 2008

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Trees # 1-19 on a west facing slope seen here from the northwest. Individually the canopies are sparse. Trees # 1 and 2 in the center forground have significant branch tip die back giving a grey appearance across the top of the canopies.



Trees # 5, 6, 7, and 8 in the center forground seen from the west.

Trees # 9, 10, 11, and 12 in the right forground.

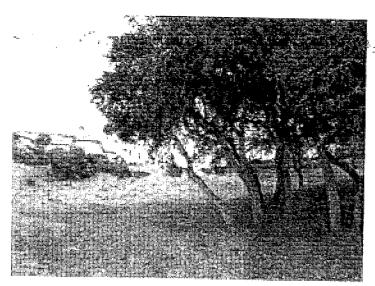
Trees # 13 and 14 in the background (difficult to see here).

Again the canopies are relatively sparse and there is branch tip die back resulting in pockets of grey across the top of the canopies.



Trees # 1-19 seen here from the southeast.

The quantity of die-back on individual trees is impossible to see in this photo with the overlapping of canopies.



Tree # 7 seen on the left of this cruster. This tree leans significantly toward the west and appears to be in conflict with canopy clearance requirements, especially emergency fire vehicles.



Tree # 20 seen here in the center of the photo. There is some die-back of the canopy on the northeast side (left side here). The majority of the canopy is relatively dense. I believe that this tree would improve if irrigated for a few years and if its root zone were adequately protected, both during and after constuction.



Trees # 21 and 22. The backlighting here gives the impression that there is grey dieback across the top of the canopies, which is not he case. These trees are in good condition. There are additional trees on the adjoining property making the canopies appear larger than they are.

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Assignment

I was asked by Mr. Jerry Whitney, Architect, to evaluate the existing trees located at Lot # 94, 704 Tesoro Road (Pasadero Development), Monterey, California.

The plan provided for this evaluation is the Site Plan and Preliminary Grading Plan prepared by Jerry Whitney, WestSierra Design Group, Santa Cruz, California, Sheet C-101, dated 10-08.

Summary

It appears that 22 total trees are located on the property at 704 Tesoro Road, Monterey, California. All of these trees are included in this inventory.

All of the 22 trees have trunks measuring 4 inches in diameter or larger and, therefore, are all protected by the County of Monterey regulation.

These 22 trees are identified by species, briefly described (trunk diameter, height, spread, health, structural integrity) and given an overall condition rating of Excellent, Good, Fair, Poor, Extremely Poor.

Many trees are described in greater detail to include disease, structural defects, or site conditions which may affect their potential for survival.

The risks to these trees indicated by the proposed plan are described here. It appears that Tree # 7 could not be preserved, but there may be two other trees, possibly more, that would be lost because of conflicts with engineering or code restrictions.

A Tree Protection Plan is enclosed in order to facilitate preservation of the existing trees in their present condition.

Methods

The trunks of the 22 trees are measured using a standard measuring tape at 4 ½ feet above soil grade (referred to as DBH or Diameter at Breast Height), except those specimens whose form does not allow for a representative measurement at this height. When possible, the trunk measurement is taken below the lowest fork on the trunk of a multistem specimen. The canopy height and spread are estimated using visual reference only.

Observations

It appears that there are only 22 trees located on the property at 704 Tesoro Road, Monterey, California. All of these 22 trees are included in this tree survey. The attached map shows the locations of all 22 trees and their approximate canopy dimensions. The canopies of Trees # 1-19 are shown as a single cluster. Metallic labels have been affixed to all of these trees for field reference.

All of the 22 trees are coast live oak (Quercus agrifolia) specimens. These trees are located on a west and southwest facing slope near the top of the ridge.

The particulars about each of these 22 trees (trunk diameter, height, spread) are included in the attachments that follow this text. The data sheets indicate the health and structure of each specimen on a scale of 1-5 as follows: (1) Excellent, (2) Good, (3) Fair, (4) Poor, (5) Extremely Poor, which provides the basis for the following overall-condition rating of each tree.

Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Extremely Poor	Dead
Specimens	Specimens	Specimens	Specimens	Specimens	Specimens
21, 22	20	2, 5, 6, 7, 8,	1, 3, 12, 15,	4, 17	
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Comments about Specific Trees

As previously noted these trees are located on a west and southwest facing slope near the top of the ridge. The soil at this elevation is typically relatively shallow and low in nutrients. The southwest exposure is a harsh dry environment resulting in annual drought stress, even in years of higher than average rainfall. During years of drought, trees in this environment usually suffer drought stress. Limbs are occasionally sacrificed for the survival of the remainder of the tree. This describes the cluster of Trees # 1-19 located adjacent to the proposed new driveway. Virtually all of these trees have suffered apical branch tip die-back or whole branch die-back. The leaves are in tight clusters on short stems close to the primary leaders. The leaf color is dark green on most stems, but the annual branch tip growth is minimal. Several of these trees have one or more branch cavities, resulting from the die-back of old branches.

Tree # 20 has a slightly sparse canopy, but could improve if irrigated monthly for a few years.

Trees # 21 and 22 have dense canopies, likely having benefited from the irrigation of the adjacent landscape for a few years.

Protected Trees

All of the 22 trees are of an indigenous species (*Quercus agrifolia*) and have trunks 4 inches in diameter or larger. This makes all 22 trees protected specimens by the County of Monterey regulation.

Risks to Trees by Proposed Construction

The plan proposes to construct a new driveway on the west side of the cluster of Trees # 1-19. The same driveway would are around the west and southwest sides of Tree # 20. A soil cut of approximately 4 feet in depth would be made in the root zones of some of these trees to achieve the grading requirements. Retaining walls are proposed in those areas where the deep cuts would be made to help maintain the integrity of the new driveway. The retaining walls are shown at the following distances from the trunks of the nearest trees:

- Tree # 1 approximately 1.5 inches from the trunk and extending across an estimated 1/4 of the root zone.
- Tree # 2 approximately 4 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately \(^1\)/4 of the root zone.
- Tree #3 approximately 2 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately ½ of the root zone.
- Tree # 5 approximately 3 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately ½ of the root zone.
- Tree # 7 approximately 3 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately ½ of the root zone.
- Tree # 9 approximately 3.5 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately ½ of the root zone.
- Tree # 10 approximately 5 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately 1/4 of the root zone.
- Tree # 20 approximately 7.5 feet from the trunk and extending across approximately 2/3 of the root zone.

The actual soil cut would be closer than the back side of the retaining wall as shown on the plan and, therefore, more severe than noted here. If these distances are accurate in relation to the trunks, it is unlikely that Trees # 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9 would survive the root loss.

The lean of Tree # 7 toward the west over the new driveway appears to place the trunk of this tree in conflict with the height requirement, especially for the emergency fire access. It appears that Tree # 7 would require removal to meet this requirement.

The risk to Tree # 20, resulting from the driveway cut, would be severe because of the distance from the wall and because a high percentage of the root zone would be damaged as currently proposed.

No soil cuts or fills are proposed in the root zone of Trees # 21 and 22. The trenching for the footing of the residence would be approximately 11 feet from the Tree # 21, but the angle of this trenching in relation to the trunk should result in only minor root loss.

If the canopy of Tree # 21 would require pruning to clear the corner of the garage, it would be essential that the pruning be limited to 25% of the total canopy. This quantity of canopy loss is accepted by the ISA (International Society of Arboriculture) Western Chapter Standards, 1998. It appears that the actual canopy loss of Tree # 21 would be less than 25%.

The management of materials and equipment, often as part of the staging area(s), commonly poses a risk to existing trees. Protective fencing is the primary defense for existing trees in this circumstance. Prevention is key to tree protection, because repair or remediation is usually ineffective in restoration of a damaged tree.

If any underground utilities are to be constructed at this site, it will be essential that the location of trenches be planned prior to construction and those locations are shown on plans, and that the trenches are dug at the locations shown on the plans.

Tree Protection Plan

1. If the following distances between the actual soil cut and the nearest side of the trunks of the individual trees, it is likely that they would survive in good condition provided these trees are irrigated throughout the entire construction project. These recommended distances allow for a fairly significant root loss which would result in survival only if these trees are irrigated monthly and without interruption for a minimum of 2 years, but up to 5 years preferred.

The recommended distances are as follows:

Tree #1-6 feet from the trunk

Tree #2 - 8 feet from the trunk

Tree #3 - 5 feet from the trunk

Tree #5-6 feet from the trunk

Tree # 7 - 5 feet from the trunk

Tree #9-7 feet from the trunk

Tree #10 - 5 feet from the trunk

Tree # 20 - 10 feet from the trunk (at the nearest point - west and south sides)

2. It would be essential to protect the existing trees from parked vehicles or stockpiled materials within the root zones. The risks would be broken branches, bark injuries, and soil compaction of the root zones. For this reason, I recommend that protective fencing be provided during the construction period to protect those trees that are to be preserved. This fencing must protect a sufficient portion of the root zone to be effective. In most cases, it would be essential to locate the fencing a minimum radius distance of 10 times the trunk diameter in all directions from the trunk. For example, a tree with a trunk diameter of 15 inches dbh (Diameter at Breast Height = 54 inches above grade) would require that protective fencing be at least 13 feet from the trunk. If hardscape (i.e., curbing, paving, etc.) exists inside this 13 foot radius, the protective fencing must be erected at the edge of the hardscape feature and be located at least 13 feet from the trunk on all other sides.

In my experience, the protective fencing must:

- Consist of chain link fencing and having a minimum height of 6 feet.
- Be mounted on steel posts driven approximately 2 feet into the soil.
- Fencing posts must be located a maximum of 10 feet on center.
- Protective fencing must be installed prior to the arrival of materials, vehicles, or equipment.
- Protective fencing must not be moved, even temporarily, and must remain in place until all construction is completed, unless approved be a certified arborist.
- 3. There must be no grading, trenching, or surface scraping inside the driplines of

- protected trees, except specifically provided for on the approved plans or approved by a certified arborist.
- 4. Trenching for any underground utilities must be a minimum distance of 10 times the trunk diameter from the trunk of any tree, unless approved and supervised by a certified arborist.
- 5. I recommend that Trees # 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 20, 21 and 22 (or those in this group that would all be preserved) be irrigated throughout the entire construction period during the dry months (any month receiving less than 1 inch of rainfall). Irrigate a minimum of 10 gallons for each inch of trunk diameter every two weeks. A soaker hose or a drip line is preferred for this purpose, but the soaker hose(s) must be located near the dripline to be effective. If Trees # 1-20 are irrigated for up to 5 years, they may recover sufficiently that no irrigation would be required after that time.
- 6. I recommend that the entire area inside the driplines of the trees to be preserved nearest construction (Trees # 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 20, and 21) must be mulched to the extent feasible. Mulching consists of a protective material (wood chips, gravel) being spread over the root zone inside the dripline. This material must be 4 inches in depth after spreading, which must be done by hand. I prefer course wood chips because it is organic, and degrades naturally over time. Wood chips must be ½ to ¾ inch in diameter primarily. One supplier is Reuser, Inc., 370 Santana Dr., Cloverdale, CA 95425, (707)894-4224.
- 7. Materials must not be stored, stockpiled, dumped, or buried inside the driplines of protected trees.
- 8. Excavated soil must not be piled or dumped, even temporarily, inside the driplines of protected trees.
- 9. Loose soil must not be allowed to slide down slope to cover the root zones or the root collars of protected trees.
- 10. Any pruning must be done by an arborist certified by the ISA (International Society of Arboriculture) and according to ISA, Western Chapter Standards, 1998.
- 11. Any pathways or other hardscape planned for landscape construction inside the driplines of protected trees must be constructed completely on top of the existing soil grade without excavation. Fill soil may be added to the edge of finished hardscape for a maximum distance of approximately 2 feet from the edges to integrate the new hardscape to the natural grade.
- 12. The plants that are planted inside the driplines of oak trees must be of species that are compatible with the environmental and cultural requirements of oaks trees. A

publication about plants compatible with California native oaks can be obtained from the California Oak Foundation, 1212 Broadway, Suite 810, Oakland, 94612.

Respectfully submitted,

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MLB/sh Enclosures: Assumptions and Limiting Conditions Photos Tree Chart

Definition of Tree Chart Map

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DEFINITION OF TERMS ON TREE EVALUATION CHARTS

DBH I

Diameter in inches at breast height, or 4 1/2 feet.

MULTI-STEM TREE

Check mark if the tree has more than one stem.

DBH 2 and DBH 3

Diameter at breast height for the multi-stem trunks, if any.

HEIGHT

As explained, listed by feet, approximately.

CANOPY DIAMETER

Canopy diameter listed by feet, approximately.

HEALTH

A judgment of relative health for the species in the subject area and soil. Number 1 signifies excellent health. A rating of number 5

represents specimens which are dead or actively dying.

STRUCTURE

Judgement of relative structure: 1= perfect structure; 2= good to average structure; 3= potentially hazardous and repairable; 4= actively hazardous, but

repairable; 5= actively hazardous and not repairable.

HAZARD RATING

A proportionate degree of hazard, based on 3 factors, failure potential, size of part which would fail, and a

target rating potential 4-12.

CONDITION RATING

A composite of Health and Structure ratings.

CROWN CLEANING

Crown cleaning is the removal of dead, dying, diseased,

crowded, weakly attached, and low-vigor branches and watersprouts from a tree

crown.

CROWN THINNING

Includes crown cleaning and the selective removal of branches to increase light penetration and air movement into the crown. Increased light and air stimulates and maintains interior foliage, which in turn improves branch taper and strength. Thinning reduces the wind-sail effect of the crown and the weight of heavy limbs. Thinning the crown can emphasize the structural beauty of trunk and branches as well as improve the growth of plants beneath the tree by increasing light penetration. When thinning the crown of mature trees, more than one-third of the live foliage should never be removed.

CROWN REDUCTION

Used to reduce the height and/or spread of a tree. Thinning cuts are most effective in maintaining the structural integrity and natural form of a tree and in delaying the time when it will need to be pruned again. The lateral to which a branch or trunk is cut should be at least one-half the diameter of the cut being made.

CROWN RESTORATION

Can improve the structure and appearance of trees that have been topped or severely pruned using heading cuts. One to three sprouts on main branch stubs should be selected to reform a more natural appearing crown. Selected vigorous sprouts may need to be thinned to a lateral, or even headed, to control length of growth in order to ensure adequate attachment for the size of the sprout. Restoration may require several prunings over a number of years.

CROWN RAISING

Removes the lower branches of a tree in order to provide clearance for buildings, vehicles, pedestrians, and vistas. It is important that a tree have at least one-half of its foliage on branches that originate in the lower two-thirds of its crown to ensure a well-formed, tapered structure and to uniformly distribute stress within a tree.

When pruning for view, it is preferable to develop "windows". through the foliage of the tree, rather than to severely raise or reduce the crown.

PRUNING PRIORITY

The relative importance of the recommended pruning based on the danger created by the unpruned portions.

REMOVE END-WEIGHT

Defined as requiring the removal of the ends of major limbs or major branches in sufficient quantity to prevent the breakage of the limb in question. This is done by thinning. Different species will require different amounts of end-weight removal depending on the inherent structure of the tree. As an example, Elm trees must not be allowed to develop heavy end-weights, where the same amount of end-weight on Magnolia may not be dangerous. Possible entries in that column would be 1 through 5. Number 1 meaning no attention is needed, 5 meaning immediate attention is needed.

CABLES NEEDED

If support cables are needed, the quantity needed would be noted here.

INSECTS

This would define the proportion of insect presence and damage to a tree. A separate list might accompany this to show what insects might be found in each different species of tree. The potential numbers listed under this column would be 1 through 5 showing the proportionate severity of the infestation of insects. Number 1 being no presence visible at the time the survey was taken, 5 being a very severe case that should be treated immediately.

TREE CROWN DISEASES

Defined as the proportion of diseases present in the specimen at the time the survey was taken. Potential entries in this column would be 1 through 5. Number 1 signifying very severe disease presence that should be treated. For this column a high rating may only serve to provide warning for the following year that treatment for the diseases in question should be planned in advance. Examples are Anthracnose disease on Modesto Ash. They would have to be sprayed before foliage is developed far enough for the disease to damage the foliage, usually in early March.

DEAD WOOD

Self-explanatory. Defines the proportion of dead wood that is in the crown of a tree. Entries possible in that column would be 1 through 5. Number 1 meaning none present, 5 meaning a significant quantity of dead parts present. This would usually be reflected in the health rating for this tree, but not always if the species typically accumulates dead twigs in the tree, as does Albizia julibrissin.

TRUNK DECAY

Trunk decay would signify the proportionate amount of decay in the trunk of the tree. This is usually a result of removal of large limbs or branches from which decay travels and is a far more serious problem in some species than in others. Significant amounts of trunk decay in Elms would be a very serious potential problem, where the same amount of trunk decay in a Magnolia might not be nearly so dangerous. Potential entries in that column would be 1 through 5. Number 1 signifying no decay, 5 signifying so much decay that the tree should be immediately removed.

Exhibit D

ROOT COLLAR COVERED When the root collar of many species is covered, Armillaria mellea, Phytophthora cactorum, or other diseases, may kill vascular tissue, implying that this condition



ASSUMPTIONS AND LIMITING CONDITIONS

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reporting of a specified value nor upon any finding to be reported.

7 Sketches, diagrams, graphs, photos, etc., in this report, being intended as visual aids, are not necessarily to scale and should not be construed as engineering reports or surveys.

8 This report has been made in conformity with acceptable appraisal/evaluation/diagnostic reporting techniques and procedures, as recommended by the International Society of Arboriculture.

9. When applying any pesticide, fungicide, or herbicide, always follow label instructions.

10. No tree described in this report was climbed, unless otherwise stated. We cannot take responsibility for any defects which could only have been discovered by climbing. A full root collar inspection, consisting of excavating the soil around the tree to uncover the root collar and major buttress roots, was not performed, unless otherwise stated. We cannot take responsibility for any root defects which could only have been discovered by such an inspection.

CONSULTING ARBORIST DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Arborists are tree specialists who use their education, knowledge, training, and experience to examine trees, recommend measures to enhance the beauty and health of trees, and attempt to reduce risk of living near trees. Clients may choose to accept or disregard the recommendations of the arborist, or to seek additional advice.

Arborists cannot detect every condition that could possibly lead to the structural failure of a tree. Trees are living organisms that fail in ways we do not fully understand. Conditions are often hidden within trees and below ground. Arborists cannot guarantee that a tree will be healthy or safe under all circumstances, or for a specified period of time. Likewise, remedial treatments, like medicine, cannot be guaranteed.

Trees can be managed, but they cannot be controlled. To live near trees is to accept some degree of risk. The only way to eliminate all risk associated with trees is to eliminate all trees.

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