# ORDINANCE NO. 177349

An ordinance amending Section .12.04 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code by amending the zoning map.

#### THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 12.04 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is hereby amended by changing the zones and zone boundaries shown upon a portion of the zone map attached thereto and made a part of Article 2, Chapter 1 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code, so that such portion of the zoning map shall be as follows:



DATA SOURCES: DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING - DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING & SAFETY - BUREAU OF ENGINEERING

# (Q) QUALIFIED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Pursuant to Section 12.32.G of the Municipal Code, the following limitations are hereby imposed upon the use of the subject property, subject to the "Q" Qualified classification.

## A. Entitlement Conditions

- **1. Use.** The use and development of the subject property shall comply with all provisions of the RAS4 zone, pursuant to Municipal Code Section 12.11.5, except where conditions herein may be modified.
- **2. Site Plan.** The use and development of the property shall be in substantial conformance with the site plan, and floor plans, and elevation plans labeled "Exhibit-A" stamped and dated October 20, 2005, attached to the subject case file. Minor deviations may be allowed in order to comply with provisions of the Municipal Code, the subject conditions, and the intent of the subject permit authorization.
- **3. Floor Area.** The total floor area of non-residential uses on the subject property shall not exceed 6,800 square feet, as defined by Section 12.03 of the Municipal Code.
- **4. Height.** Buildings on the subject property shall not exceed 65-feet in height to the top of the parapet and 73-feet 3-inches to the top of the elevator core, as defined by Section 12.21.1 of the Municipal Code. The height of all structures shall be in substantial conformance with the elevation plan labeled "Exhibit-A" stamped and dated October 20, 2005, attached to the subject case file.
- 5. Density. Not more than 56 dwelling units may be constructed on the subject.
- **6.Parking**. All project related parking shall be provided in compliance with Section 12.21.A.4 of the Municipal Code.
  - a. Two parking spaces shall be required for each residential condominium unit. In addition, two parking spaces per 1,000 square feet, or major fraction thereof, shall be required for the commercial floor area as defined by the LAMC. Residential guest parking space at a minimum of one half space per dwelling unit, shall be provided in addition to Municipal Code required parking which shall be readily accessible, conveniently located and specifically reserved for guests
  - b. Separate parking areas shall be maintained for the residential tenants of the building and the commercial/guest parking areas. Signs shall be clearly posted at building entrances in large, easy to read lettering and shall indicate the general location of guest parking. Sign wording shall be to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning and shall indicate the number of reserved guest parking spaces.
  - c. Tandem parking may be used only for the spaces which are assigned and designated for a single residential unit.
  - d. If any residential guest parking is located behind security gates, the following shall be apply:
    - 1) A remote electronic gate opening system shall be installed so that the security gate can be opened from each residential unit served by the secured guest parking.
    - 2) An electronic intercommunication system shall be installed. The system shall be readily accessible to the drivers of guest vehicles and to the units served by the

secured guest parking.

- 3) Alternatives to the provisions of this condition may be approved by the Department of City Planning provided that the intent of readily accessible guest parking facilities and no interference with the public right-of-way is assured.
- e. Parking for non-residential uses shall be provided in accordance with applicable provisions of Section 12.21.A.4 of the Municipal Code.

#### B. Other Conditions

- **7. Screening.** Any structure on the roof, such as air conditioning units, antennae, and other equipment, except solar panels, shall be fully screened from view from any existing adjacent single-family properties, as seen from grade.
- **8.Parking Level Screening.** Above-grade parking levels shall be visually screened from abutting residential uses by landscaping and/or architectural features.
- **9. Loading.** Loading and unloading activities shall not interfere with traffic on any public street. Plans shall be submitted that demonstrate, to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning and the Department of Transportation, how loading and unloading will occur on-site.
- **10. Construction Related Parking.** Off-street parking shall be provided for all constructionrelated employees generated by the proposed project. No employees or subcontractor shall be allowed to park on the surrounding residential streets for the duration of all construction activities. There shall be no staging or parking of construction vehicles, including vehicles to transport workers on any residential street in the immediate area. All construction vehicles shall be stored on site unless returned to their owners base of operations.
- 11. Truck Traffic Restricted Hours. Truck traffic directed to the project site for the purpose of delivering materials or construction-machinery shall be limited to the hours beginning at 9:00 AM and ending at 3:00 PM, Monday through Friday. No truck deliveries shall occur outside of that time period. No truck queuing related to such deliveries to the project site shall occur on any local or collector street within the project vicinity outside of that time period.
- 12. Noise (Receiving, Trash, Storage Areas). Any activities associated with areas devoted to trash compacting, loading and unloading, and receiving, shall be limited as follows: Monday through Friday, 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM; Saturday, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM; no receiving, trash, or storage area use shall be allowed on Sunday or legal holidays.
- **13. Maintenance**. The subject property including associated parking facilities, sidewalks, outdoor pool areas, and landscaped planters adjacent to the exterior walls along the property lines shall be maintained in an attractive condition and shall be kept free of trash and debris. Trash receptacles shall be located throughout the site.

# C. Environmental Conditions

**14.** Landscape Plan. All open areas not used for buildings, driveways, parking areas, recreational facilities or walks shall be attractively landscaped and maintained in accordance with a landscape plan, including an automatic irrigation plan, prepared by a licensed landscape architect to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning.

- **15. Graffiti.** Every building, structure, or portion thereof shall be maintained in a safe and sanitary condition and good repair. The premises of every building or structure shall be maintained in good repair and free from graffiti, debris, rubbish, garbage, trash, overgrown vegetation or other similar material, pursuant to Municipal Code Section 91.8104. The exterior of all privately owned buildings and fences shall be free from graffiti when such graffiti is visible from a public street or alley, pursuant to Municipal Code Section 91.8104.15.
- **16. Lighting.** Outdoor lighting shall be designed and installed with shielding, so that the light source cannot be seen from adjacent residential properties.
- **17. Air Pollution (Stationary).** The applicant shall install an air filtration system to reduce the diminished air quality effects on occupants of the project.
- **18. Tree Removal (Non-Oaks).** Prior to the issuance of a grading permit, a plot plan shall be prepared by a reputable tree expert, indicating the location, size, type, and condition of all existing trees on the site, and shall be submitted for approval to the Department of City Planning and the Street Tree Division of the Bureau of Street Services. All trees in the public right-of-way shall comply with the current standards of the Street Tree Division. The plan shall contain measures recommended by the tree expert for the preservation of as many trees as possible. Tree replacement by 24-inch box trees in the parkway and on the site, on a 1:1 basis, shall be required for the unavoidable loss of desirable trees on the site, and to the satisfaction of the Street Tree Division of the Bureau of Street Services and the City Planning Department. (Note: Removal of all trees in the public right-of-way shall require approval of the Board of Public Works. Contact the Street Tree Division at 213-485-5675).
- **19. Seismic.** The design and construction of the project shall conform to the Uniform Building Code seismic standards as approved by the Department of Building and Safety.

#### 20. Construction (Air Quality).

- a. All unpaved demolition and construction areas shall be wetted at least twice daily during excavation and construction, and temporary dust covers shall be used to reduce dust emissions and meet SCAQMD District Rule 403.
- b. The owner or contractor shall maintain the construction area sufficiently dampened to control dust caused by grading, construction and hauling, and at all times provide reasonable control of dust caused by wind.
- c. All loads shall be secured by trimming, watering or other appropriate means to prevent spillage and dust.
- d. All materials transported off-site shall be either sufficiently watered or securely covered to prevent the generation of excessive amounts of dust.
- e. All clearing, grading, earth moving, or excavation activities shall be discontinued during periods of high winds (i.e., greater than 15 mph), so as to prevent the generation of excessive amounts of dust.
- f. General contractors shall maintain and operate construction equipment so as to minimize exhaust emissions.

- **21. Construction (Noise).** The project shall comply with the City of Los Angeles Noise Ordinance Nos. 144,331 and 161,574, and any subsequent ordinances, which prohibit the emission or creation of noise beyond certain levels at adjacent uses unless technically infeasible.
  - a. Construction shall be restricted to the hours of 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM Monday through Friday, and 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM on Saturday.
  - b. Construction activities shall be scheduled so as to avoid operating several pieces of equipment simultaneously that causes high noise levels.
  - c. The project contractor shall use power construction equipment with state-of-the-art noise shielding and muffling devices.
  - d. The project sponsor shall comply with the Noise Insulation Standards of Title 24 of the California Code Regulations, to insure an acceptable interior noise environment.

### 22. General Construction.

- a. All waste shall be disposed of properly. Use appropriately labeled recycling bins to recycle construction materials, including solvents, water-based paints, vehicle fluids, broken asphalt and concrete, wood, and vegetation. Non recyclable materials and wastes shall be removed to an appropriate landfill. Toxic wastes shall be discarded at a licensed regulated disposal site.
- b. Clean up leaks, drips and spills immediately to prevent contaminated soil on paved surfaces that can be washed away into the storm drains.
- c. Do not hose down pavement at material spills. Use dry cleanup methods whenever possible.
- d. Cover and maintain dumpsters. Place uncovered dumpsters under a roof or cover with tarps or plastic sheeting.
- e. Use gravel approaches where truck traffic is frequent to reduce soil compaction and limit the tracking of sediment into streets.
- f. Conduct all vehicle/equipment maintenance, repair, and washing away from storm drains. All major repairs are to be conducted off-site. Use drip pans or drop clothes to catch drips and spills.
- **23. Stormwater and Urban Runoff Pollution Control**. The project shall comply with the following:
  - a. Ordinance Nos. 172,176 and 173,494 (Stormwater and Urban Runoff Pollution Control), which require the application of Best Management Practices (BMPs).
  - b. Chapter IX, Division 70 of the Municipal Code, which addresses grading, excavations, and fills.
  - c. The Standard Urban Stormwater Mitigation Plan (SUSMP) approved by the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (A copy of the SUSMP can be downloaded at <u>http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb4/</u>).

- d. Applicable requirements associated with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit regulations. The developer shall file a Notice of Intent (NOI) with the State Water Resources Control Board prior to the issuance of any building or grading permits. A General Permit for Stormwater Discharge shall be obtained from the Southern California Regional Water Quality Board, in accordance with NOI instructions.
- e. Stormwater BMPs shall be incorporated to retain or treat the runoff from a storm event producing 3/4 inch of rainfall in a 24 hour period. The design of structural BMPs shall be in accordance with the *Development Best Management Practices Handbook Part B Planning Activities*. A signed certificate shall be required from a California licensed civil engineer or licensed architect that the proposed BMPs comply with this numerical threshold standard.
- f. A Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan shall be prepared by a California licensed civil engineer or licensed architect, to the satisfaction of the Stormwater Management Division of the Bureau of Sanitation, that shall include the following:
  - 1) Identifies the sources of sediments and other pollutants that affect the quality of storm water discharge;
  - 2) A monitoring program and reporting plan for the construction period.

The Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan shall be retained at the construction site.

- g. Appropriate erosion control and drainage devices shall be incorporated, such as interceptor terraces, berms, vee-channels, and inlet and outlet structures, as specified by Section 91.7013 of the Building Code.
- h. Any connection to the sanitary sewer shall be required to receive authorization by the Bureau of Sanitation.
- i. All storm drain inlets and catch basins within the project area shall be stenciled with prohibitive language (such as "NO DUMPING DRAINS TO OCEAN") and/or graphical icons to discourage illegal dumping.
- j. The owner shall record a covenant and agreement satisfactory to the Planning Department binding the owners to post construction maintenance on the structural BMPs in accordance with the Standard Urban Stormwater Mitigation Plan and/or per manufacturer's instructions.
- k. Design an efficient irrigation system to minimize runoff including: (1) drip irrigation for shrubs to limit excessive spray; (2) shutoff devices to prevent irrigation after significant precipitation; and (3) flow reducers.
- 24. Asbestos Containing Materials. Prior to the issuance of the demolition permit, the applicant shall provide a letter to the Department of Building and Safety from a qualified asbestos abatement consultant that no asbestos containing materials are present in the building. If asbestos containing materials are found to be present, it will need to be abated in compliance with the South Coast Air Quality Management District's Rule 1403 as well as all other state and federal rules and regulations.
- **25. Parking Wall.** A 6-foot in height solid decorative masonry wall shall be constructed adjacent to residential properties if no such wall exists.

- 26. Parking Structure Ramps. Concrete, not metal, shall be used for construction of parking ramps. The interior ramps shall be textured to prevent tire squeal at turning areas. Parking lots located adjacent to residential buildings shall have a solid decorative wall adjacent to the residential.
- 27. Solid Waste. The developer shall institute a recycling program to the satisfaction of the Planning Department to reduce the volume of solid waste going to landfills. Recycling bins shall be provided at appropriate locations to promote recycling of paper, metal, glass, and other recyclable material. These bins shall be picked up no less than once a week as a part of the project's regular trash pick-up program.

# D. Administrative Conditions

- 28. Approval, Verification and Submittals. Copies of any approvals, guarantees or verification of consultations, review or approval, plans, etc., as may be required by the subject conditions, shall be provided to the Department of City Planning for placement in the subject file.
- **29. Code Compliance.** Area, height and use regulations of the zone classification of the subject property shall be complied with, except where herein conditions are more restrictive.
- **30. Covenant.** Prior to the issuance of any permits relative to this matter, an agreement concerning all the information contained in these conditions shall be recorded in the County Recorder's Office. The agreement shall run with the land and shall be binding on any subsequent property owners, heirs or assigns. The agreement shall be submitted to the Department of City Planning for approval before being recorded. After recordation, a copy bearing the Recorder's number and date shall be provided to the Department of City Planning for attachment to the file.
- **31. Definition.** Any agencies, public officials or legislation referenced in these conditions shall mean those agencies, public offices, legislation or their successors, designees or amendment to any legislation.
- **32. Enforcement.** Compliance with these conditions and the intent of these conditions shall be to the satisfaction of the Department of City Planning and any designated agency, or the agency's successor and in accordance with any stated laws or regulations, or any amendments thereto.
- **33. Building Plans.** Page 1 of the grant and all the conditions of approval shall be printed on the building plans submitted to the Department of City Planning and the Department of Building and Safety.
- **34. Corrective Conditions.** The authorized use shall be conducted at all times with due regard for the character of the surrounding district, and the right is reserved to the City Planning Commission, or the Director pursuant to Section 12.27.1 of the Municipal Code, to impose additional corrective conditions, if, in the Commission's or Director's opinion, such conditions are proven necessary for the protection of persons in the neighborhood or occupants of adjacent property.

Sec.  $\square$ . The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board at the Main Street entrance to Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board at the Main Street entrance to Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

I hereby certify that this ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles, at its meeting of \_\_\_\_\_\_  $FEB \ 0 \ 1 \ 2006$  \_\_\_\_\_\_.

FRANK T. MARTINEZ, City Clerk

Deputy FEB 1 3 2006 Approved Mayor Approved as to Form and Legality

ROCKARD J. DELGADILLO, City Attorney

By\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City Attorney

File No. 05-26

Pursuant to Section 558 of the City Charter, the City Planning Commission on October 20, 2005, recommended that this ordinance be adopted by the City Council.

Gabriele Williams Commission Executive Assistant II

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#### DECLARATION OF POSTING ORDINANCE

I, MARIA C. RICO, state as follows: I am, and was at all times hereinafter mentioned, a resident of the State of California, over the age of eighteen years, and a Deputy City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, California.

Ordinance No. <u>177349</u> - <u>Zone change for property at 1411 North Highland Avenue</u> - <u>CPC 2005-3417 VZC</u> - a copy of which is hereto attached, was finally adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on <u>Feb. 1, 2006</u>, and under the direction of said City Council and the City Clerk, pursuant to Section 251 of the Charter of the City of Los Angeles and Ordinance No. 172959, on <u>Feb. 15, 2006</u>, I posted a true copy of said ordinance at each of three public places located in the City of Los Angeles, California, as follows: 1) One copy on the bulletin board at the Main Street entrance to Los Angeles City Hall; 2) one copy on the bulletin board at the Main Street entrance to Los Angeles City Hall East; 3) one copy on the bulletin board at the Temple Street entrance to the Hall of Records of the County of Los Angeles.

Copies of said ordinance were posted conspicuously beginning on <u>Feb. 15</u>, <u>2006</u> and will be continuously posted for ten or more days.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed this 15th day of February 2006 at Los Angeles, California.

Maria C. Rico, Deputy City Clerk

Ordinance Effective Date: <u>March 27, 2006</u> Council File No. <u>05-2628</u> (Rev. 8/05)