MOTION

San Saba, LLC, proposes the new construction of a multi-family residential development at 742-748 South Hartford Avenue in the Central City West Specific Plan area. The project includes the development of 24 apartment units with 42 underground parking spaces on a 12,475 square-foot parcel. On June 17, 2015, the Director of Planning granted approval of a Central City West Specific Plan Project Permit Compliance determination (Case No. DIR-2012-2306-SPP-SPPA).

The Bureau of Engineering has established a requirement to provide a 37-foot half roadway widening improvement on Hartford Avenue based on the Specific Plan's street system improvements to bring the street to comply with "Modified Secondary Highway" standards or a 74-foot roadway in a 94-foot right-of-way. The applicant shall comply with the Bureau of Engineering requirement for a public street dedication of 17-feet along the property's Hartford Avenue frontage. However, the requirement to provide a 37-foot half roadway widening improvement on Hartford Avenue is not feasible.

If held to the existing standards for Hartford Avenue, the proposed development would be significantly impacted. The above-referenced widening requirement ought not to be made an impediment to attracting investment and housing development in the Central City West Specific Plan area, specifically the residential project at 742-748 South Hartford Avenue, and should be deferred at this time.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council instruct the Bureau of Engineering to defer the requirements for a 37-foot half roadway widening on Hartford Avenue and limit the street improvements to repair and replacement of any broken or offgrade street improvements and construction of additional sidewalk over the areas to be dedicated or issuance of a Revocable Permit for any landscaping in connection with land development permits associated with 742-748 South Hartford

Avenue.

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