

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION AGENDA July 20, 2016 CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 5:00 p.m. 50 Natoma Street Folsom, California 95630

CALL TO ORDER HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION: Chair Daron Bracht, Vice Chair Candy Miller, Commissioners: John Arnaz, Mary Asay, Jeffrey Rempfer, Mark Roberts, Ross Jackson

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: The Historic District Commission welcomes and encourages participation in City Historic District Commission meetings, and will allow up to five minutes for expression on a non-agenda item. Matters under the jurisdiction of the Commission, and not on the posted agenda, may be addressed by the general public; however, California law prohibits the Commission from taking action on any matter which is not on the posted agenda unless it is determined to be an emergency by the Commission.

MINUTES: The minutes of July 6, 2016 stand approved unless there are corrections.

Letter of Commendation to the be Presented to Susan Mehring

CONTINUED ITEM

1. PN 16-109, 409 Natoma Street – Remodel and Enclosure Commercial Design Review, Determination that the Project is Exempt from CEQA – Continued from the July 6, 2016 Historic District Commission Meeting

Request for Commercial Design Review Approval for an enclosure of a 712-square-foot covered patio area and remodel of an existing 4,296-square-foot restaurant at 409 Natoma Street. Zoning for this project is Neighborhood Business District/ Natoma-Riley-Bidwell Commercial Primary Area of the Historic District (C-1/NRB). The project is categorically exempt under Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). (Project Planner: Assistant Planner, Josh Kinkade / Applicant: Robert Lin & Brissa A. Galvanleon)

NEW BUSINESS

2. PN 14-395, 916 Figueroa Street – Tentative Parcel Map and Residential Design Review

Request for approval of a Tentative Parcel Map and Residential Design Review for development of a two-story, 2,457-square-foot single-family residence on a 14,000-square-foot parcel located at 916 Figueroa Street. Zoning for this project is the Figueroa Subarea of the Historic Residential Primary Area/Two-Family Residence District (FIG /R-2). This project is categorically exempt from environmental review

under Section 15303 (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures) of the CEQA Guidelines. (Project Planner: Principal Planner, Steve Banks / Applicant: Doug Scalzi)

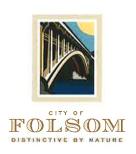
REPORTS

Historic District Commission/Principal Planner:

The next Historic District Commission meeting is scheduled for <u>August 3, 2016</u>. Additional non-public hearing items may be added to the agenda; any such additions will be posted on the bulletin board in the foyer at City Hall at least 72 hours prior to the meeting. Persons having questions on any of these items can visit the Community Development Department during normal business hours (8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) at City Hall, 2nd Floor, 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, California, prior to the meeting. The phone number is 355-7222 and FAX number is 355-7274.

NOTICE REGARDING CHALLENGES TO DECISIONS

The appeal period for Historic District Commission Action: Pursuant to all applicable laws and regulations, including without limitation, California Government Code, Section 65009 and/or California Public Resources Code, Section 21177, if you wish to challenge in court any of the above decisions (regarding planning, zoning, and/or environmental decisions), you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing(s) described in this notice/agenda, or in written correspondence delivered to the City at, or prior to, this public hearing. Any appeal of a Historic District Commission action must be filed, in writing with the City Clerk's Office no later than ten (10) days from the date of the action pursuant to Resolution No. 8081.



HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MINUTES July 6, 2016 CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 5:00 p.m. 50 Natoma Street Folsom, California 95630

<u>CALL TO ORDER HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</u>: Chair Daron Bracht, Vice Chair Candy Miller, Commissioners: John Arnaz, Mary Asay, Jeffrey Rempfer, Mark Roberts, Ross Jackson

ABSENT: John Arnaz, Daron Bracht, Mary Asay

CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: None

MINUTES: The minutes of June 1, 2016 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS

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COMMISSIONER MILLER MOVED TO CONTINUE COMMERCIAL DESIGN REVIEW FOR THE ENCLOSURE OF A 712-SQUARE-FOOT COVERED PATIO AREA AND REMODEL OF AN EXISTING 4,296-SQUARE-FOOT RESTAURANT AT 409 NATOMA STREET TO THE JULY 20, 2016 HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEETING.

COMMISSIONER JACKSON SECONDED THE MOTION WHICH CARRIED THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:

MILLER, ROBERTS, JACKSON, REMPFER

NOES:

NONE

ABSTAIN:

NONE

ABSENT:

BRACHT, ASAY, ARNAZ

Historic District Commission/Planning Manager:
None
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:05 p.m.
Respectfully Submitted,
Amanda Palmer, Administrative Assistant
APPROVED:

CHAIR, DARON BRACHT

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

PROJECT TITLE: 409 Natoma Street Remodel and Enclosure

Commercial Design Review

PROPOSAL: Request for Commercial Design Review

Approval for enclosure of a 712-square-foot

covered patio area and remodel of an

existing 4,296-square-foot restaurant at 409

Natoma Street

RECOMMENDATION: Approve, based upon findings and subject to

conditions of approval

OWNER/APPLICANT: Robert Lin/Brissa A. Galvanleon

LOCATION: 409 Natoma Street

ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NO.: 070-0166-009

ZONING: C-1/NRB (Neighborhood Business District/

Natoma-Riley-Bidwell Commercial Primary

Area of the Historic District)

GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: CC (Community Commercial)

ADJACENT LAND USES AND ZONING: North: Natoma Street with office and

preschool in residential type

buildings; BP

South: Public alley with mortuary and

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R-2

East: Vacant land; C-1; and Coloma Street

West: Commercial salon/spa buildings; C-1

SITE CHARACTERISTICS: The 25,274-square-foot site is fully

developed with a 4,296-square-foot singlestory restaurant building and associated site

improvements including parking

PREVIOUS ACTION: Approval of a Conditional Use Permit to

expand an existing restaurant business (building addition and site improvements) (PN 98-577), Approval of a Design Review Application to replace two windows along

the front elevation, to add site lights and a

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APPLICABLE CODES:

<u>FMC</u> Section 17.52, Historic District Historic District Design and Development

Guidelines

ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION:

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Guidelines

ATTACHED REFERENCE MATERIAL:

1. Vicinity Map

2. Site Photographs

3. Site Plan, dated April 8, 2016 and Modified Building Elevations, dated July 12, 2016

4. Colors and Materials

5. 409 Natoma Street Remodel and Enclosure Commercial Design Review Staff Report (7/6/16)

6. Original Elevations, dated April 8, 2016

PROJECT PLANNER:

Josh Kinkade, Assistant Planner

BACKGROUND

At its July 6, 2016 meeting, the Historic District Commission reviewed the initial application for Design Review Approval for enclosure of a 712-square-foot covered patio area and remodel of an existing 4,296-square-foot restaurant at 409 Natoma Street. The staff report, including architectural analysis of the proposed modifications, has been included as Attachment 5, and the original elevations are included in Attachment 6. The aforementioned project included the following features:

- Enclosing the existing patio area with siding and roof to match existing and adding an array of windows with a five-sided window on top to the side elevation of the enclosed area;
- Adding arrays of new rectangular brown wood casement windows (replacing existing half-circular windows);
- Adding new single-pane windows, including an "L"-shaped window on the front elevation;
- Adding new doors, including a sliding glass door on the front, a glass door on the side and modifying the semi-circular wood double-door on the side by replacing the upper panels with glass;
- Adding blue and white tile trim around all existing and proposed windows and doors;
- Adding new skylights and an oven flue along the roof;

- Widening the small openings of the existing tower; and
- Adding decorative wood soffit brackets around the building.

After the staff report was published, the applicant proposed the following changes to the design of the building:

- Removal of the blue and white tile window and door trim;
- Painting the window frames dark cobalt blue;
- Increasing the height of the patio enclosure from 14.5 feet to 17.5 feet;
- The addition of several lights around the building; and
- The addition of fabric awnings around the building.

In evaluating the project at the July 6 2016 HDC meeting, the Commission generally supported the proposed design, including the changes proposed subsequent to publishing of the staff report. However, the Commission (as well at the Heritage Preservation League) expressed a desire to see additional changes to preserve and enhance the historic, small-town atmosphere of the historic district as it developed between the years 1850 and 1950, consisting of the following:

- Changing the proposed sliding glass door on the front of the building to a more historically appropriate glass or wood door that swings open;
- Modifying the "L"-shaped window on the front elevation to a rectangular shape, preferably like the long window on the other side of this elevation;
- Changing the five-sided window on the enclosed patio to a rectangular shape; and
- Breaking up the window arrays around the building to groups of one to three windows, symmetrically grouped, adding additional spacing between windows and centering the arrays under the rooflines and parapets

In order to provide the applicant with sufficient time to address the aforementioned concerns, the Commission voted (4-0, with 3 commissioners absent) to continue the project to the July 20th Historic District Commission meeting.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Subsequent to the July 6, 2016 meeting, the applicant submitted plans to staff. These updated plans are included in Attachment 3. The sliding glass door was changed to a glass swinging double-door with wood frames painted blue. The L-shaped window was replaced with two long rectangular windows. The five-sided window was changed to a rectangular window. The window arrays were broken up into groupings of two to three windows, symmetrically designed with more space between them, and they were centered under rooflines and parapets. The window array on the Natoma-facing elevation was broken up into two sets of two windows with another double door in the middle to match the other proposed wood and glass double door on this elevation. The window array on the south elevation was separated into two three-pane arrays. These arrays were not centered under the roofline because doing so would compromise a loadbearing wall. A single glass and wood door is also proposed to replace the glass door on the west elevation as well. An example of the type of door proposed and the hue of blue proposed has been included in Attachment 4. Finally, the applicant included awnings over each of the three doors described above.

GENERAL PLAN AND ZONING CONSISTENCY

The General Plan land use designation for the project site is CC (Community Commercial). The zoning designation for the project site is C-1 (Neighborhood Business District) and is located within the overlay zone of Natoma Riley Bidwell Commercial Primary Area. The zoning district corresponds with the General Plan land use designation. Pursuant to the Folsom Municipal Code (FMC) Section 17.52.530.A.1, restaurants are permitted uses in the Primary Area. As a result, the proposed project is consistent with the General Plan and overlay zoning.

LAND USE COMPATIBILITY

The proposed enclosure of the 712-square-foot covered patio area will not increase the footprint of the existing restaurant. Enclosing this patio area will not substantially change the physical characteristics of the site, nor will it have negative impacts on the project vicinity. Based on this, staff has determined that the proposed enclosure is consistent with the City of Folsom Historic District Design and Development Guidelines and appropriate in the Natoma Riley Bidwell Commercial Primary Area.

ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

With regards to remodeling projects, Section 4.11 of the Historic District Design and Development Guidelines (DDGs) states that in evaluating a remodeling request, the Historic District Commission shall consider:

- 1. The property owner's and community's benefit;
- 2. The structure's architectural and historical value; and
- 3. Resources available for historic authenticity purposes, such as historical and architectural documentation, materials availability, and financing.

Staff concluded that the updated design support both the owner's and community's benefit, enhance the structure's architectural and historical value and utilize historically appropriate materials and design. The building now has enhanced symmetry as well as historically and architecturally appropriate windows and doors. To address the proposed lighting and awnings, staff has added a condition that color, material and design of all awnings and exterior lighting shall be subject to Community Development Department review and final approval. Staff supports the modifications described in the project description and concludes that the new design adequately address the concerns of the Commission.

ROOFTOP EQUIPMENT

All existing rooftop equipment is screened from public view with an existing parapet. The applicant is not requesting to modify this design, and the equipment will continue to be screened from public view under the proposed redesign. Condition No. 3 is included to reflect this requirement.

PARKING

There are 27 existing parking stalls, including two ADA stalls, on the site. Parking requirements in the Natoma-Riley-Bidwell Commercial Primary Area are governed by FMC Section 17.52.530. FMC Section 17.52.530.J(2) requires 1 parking space for every 200 square feet of commercial building area. In this case, the restaurant has 4,888 square feet of net floor area, so 24 parking stalls are required. With 27 existing parking stall, the project exceeds the minimum

parking requirement.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

The project is categorically exempt under Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) of the Guidelines for California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

RECOMMENDATION / HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION ACTION:

MOVE TO APPROVE COMMERCIAL DESIGN REVIEW FOR THE ENCLOSURE OF A 712-SQUARE-FOOT COVERED PATIO AREA AND REMODEL OF AN EXISTING 4,296-SQUARE-FOOT RESTAURANT AT 409 NATOMA STREET AS ILLUSTRATED ON ATTACHMENT 3 WITH THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS AND CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (NOS. 1-8).

GENERAL PROJECT FINDINGS

- A. NOTICE OF HEARING HAS BEEN GIVEN AT THE TIME AND IN THE MANNER REQUIRED BY STATE LAW AND CITY CODE.
- B. THE PROJECT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE GENERAL PLAN AND ZONING CODE OF THE CITY.

DESIGN REVIEW FINDINGS

- C. THE PROJECT COMPLIES WITH THE DESIGN STANDARDS IDENTIFIED IN THE HISTORIC DISTRICT DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL.
- D. THE PROJECT'S BUILDING MATERIALS, TEXTURES, AND COLORS ARE COMPATIBLE WITH SURROUNDING DEVELOPMENT AND CONSISTENT WITH THE GENERAL DESIGN THEME OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

REMODELING FINDING

E. IN EVALUATING THIS REMODELING REQUEST, THE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION CONSIDERED THE PROPERTY OWNER'S AND COMMUNITY'S BENEFIT; THE STRUCTURE'S ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL VALUE; AND THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR HISTORIC AUTHENTICITY PURPOSES, SUCH AS HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL DOCUMENTATION, MATERIALS AVAILABILITY, AND FINANCING.

CEQA FINDING

F. THE PROJECT IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT UNDER SECTION 15301 EXISTING FACILITIES OF THE GUIDELINES FOR CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA).

Submitted,

DAVID E. MILLER, AICP

Community Development and Public Works Director

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

- 1. The applicant shall submit final site and building plans to the Community Development Department that substantially conform to the site plans dated April 8, 2016 and building elevations dated July 12, 2016.
- 2. A building permit shall be issued on the project within one year of the date of this approval (July 20, 2017).
- 3. All roof-mounted mechanical equipment and devices shall be screened from public view with an appropriately designed parapet or other methods of screening that are compatible with the existing building color, materials, and scale.
- 4. Color, material and design of all awnings and exterior lighting shall be subject to Community Development Department review and final approval.
- 5. All future signage associated with the project shall comply with the <u>FMC</u> Section 17.52.530.I, <u>FMC</u> Section 17.59 (City Sign Standards), and City of Folsom Historic District Design and Development Guidelines to the satisfaction of the Community Development Department.
- 6. The existing exterior automatic fire sprinkler system (AFSS) riser located on the west side of the building is not shown on the exterior drawings submitted. The AFSS shall be accessible from the exterior at its current location or shall be located within an approved fire control room per the City Fire Code. The existing AFSS shall be inspected, serviced and certified in accordance with California Code of Regulations Title 19 prior to occupancy permit approval.
- 7. The existing fire alarm system shall be inspected, serviced and certified in accordance with California Code of Regulations Title 19 prior to occupancy permit approval.
- 8. All existing fire lanes on the property shall be maintained and repainted red with 3" or larger stenciled markings that read "NO PARKING FIRE LANE" every 25' along the curb.

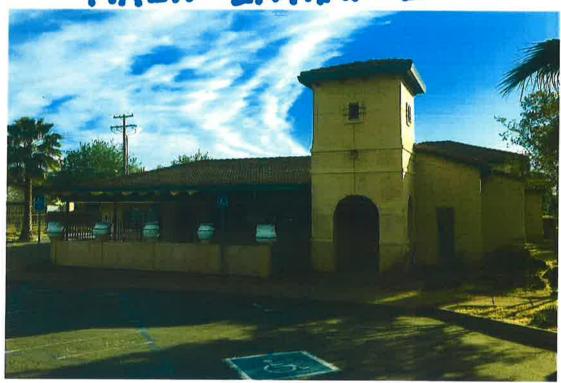
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Attachment 2
Site Photographs

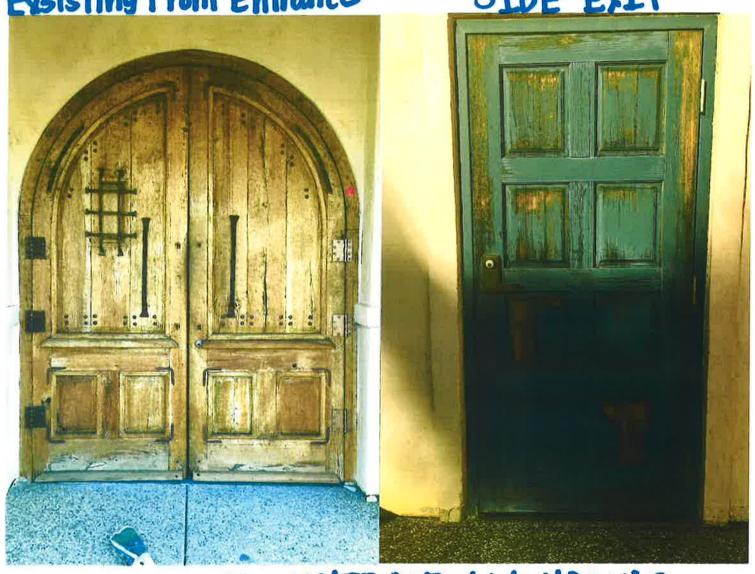
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Existing Front Entrance SIDE EXIT



PATIO ENTRACE / WINDOWS



Existing Windows



Existing Natoma St. side Windows



Existing Side Walk view



Existing Windows



Corner Street View

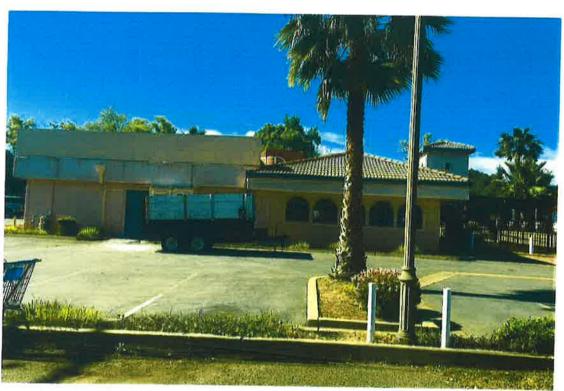




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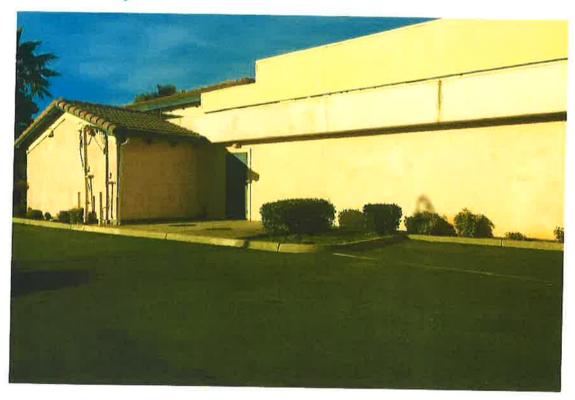
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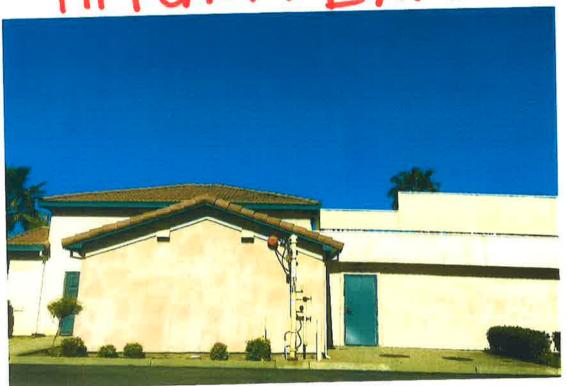
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Attachment 3

Site Plan, dated April 8, 2016 and Modified Building Elevations, dated July 12, 2016

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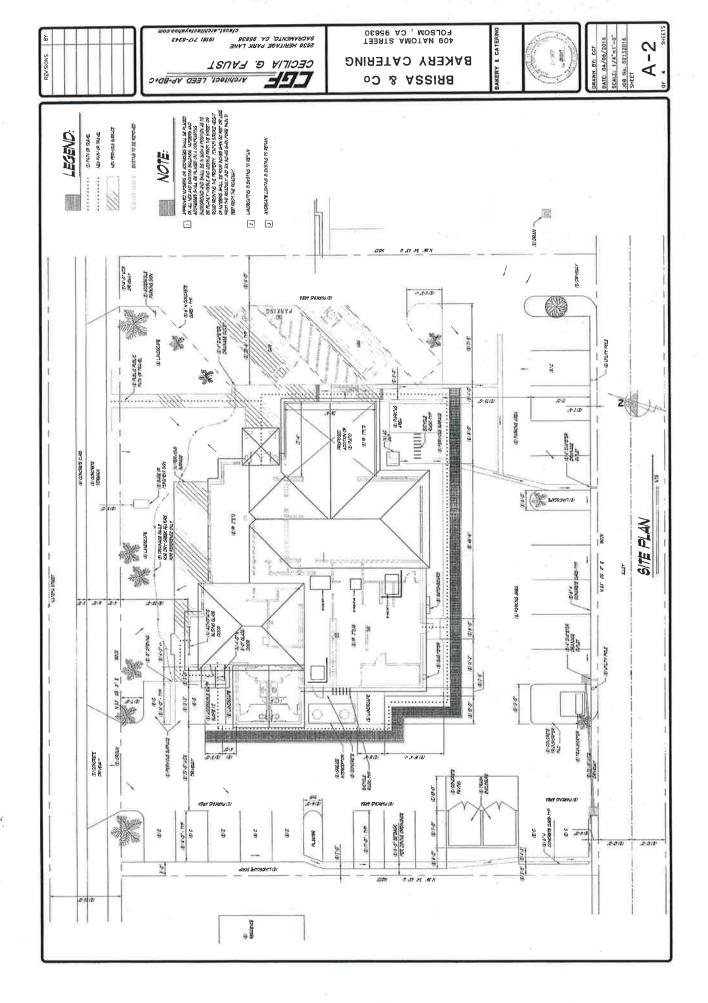
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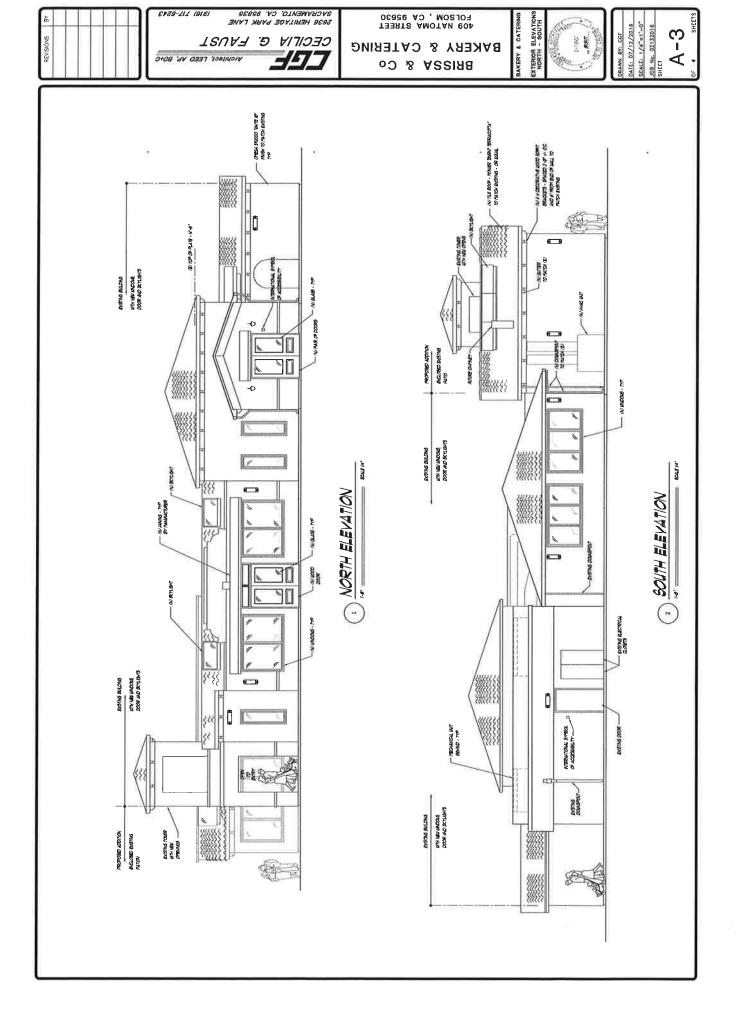
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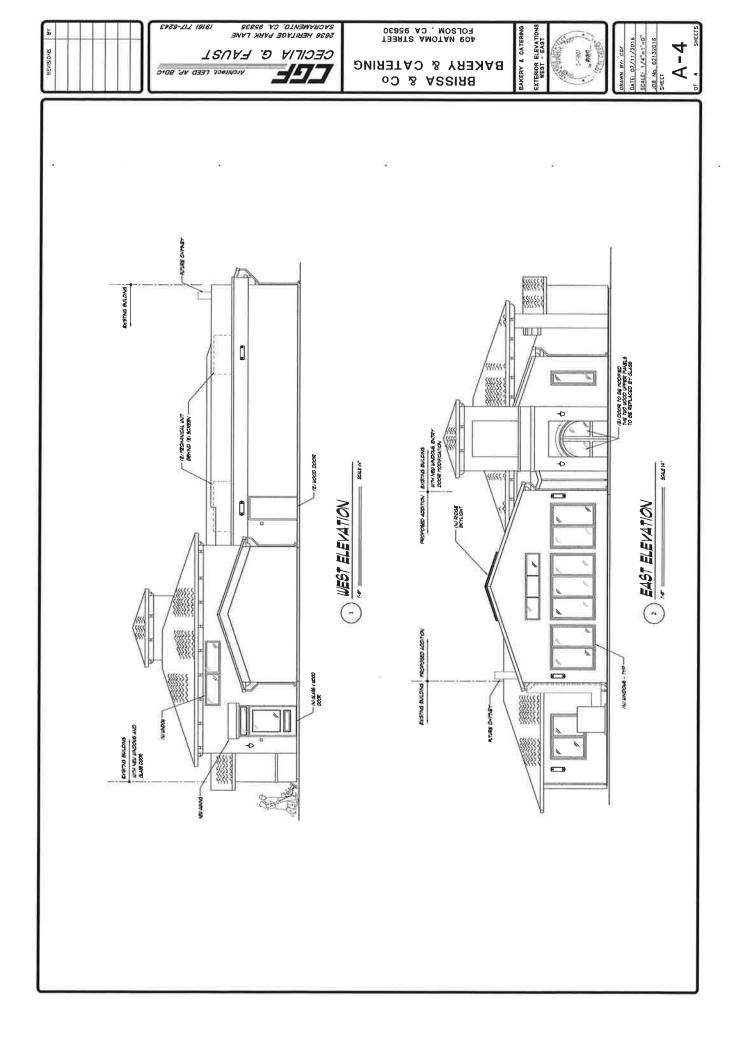
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Attachment 4 Colors and Materials

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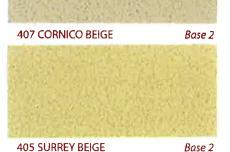
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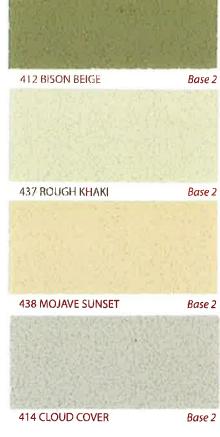
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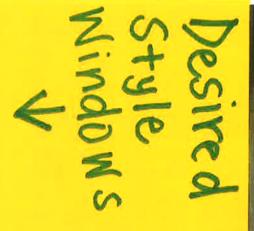








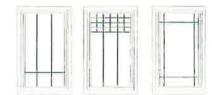












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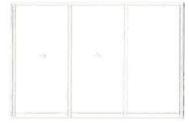


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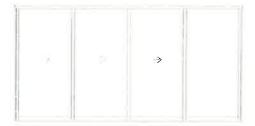
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3-Panel Doors



4-Panel Doors



Doors can be ordered with a left or right sliding direction

Attachment 5

409 Natoma Street Remodel and Enclosure Commercial Design Review Staff Report (7/6/16)

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

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Commercial Design Review

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PROJECT PLANNER:

Josh Kinkade, Assistant Planner

BACKGROUND

The project site is located in the Natoma-Riley-Bidwell Commercial Primary Area. This area represents a mixture of residences and commercial development, coordinated through residential design in the 1850 to 1950 timeframe. The existing restaurant represents many non-residential architectural styles that have been merged over the years. Restaurants that have been operated from this property include the original 'A&W Root Beer', 'Under Dog's Café USA', 'Tio Pepe Mexican Restaurant' and the 'Sol Azteca Mexican Restaurant'.

In 1999, the Historic District Commission approved the remodel and expansion of the Sol Azteca restaurant building to an overall size of 4,290 square feet, with an approximately 700-square-foot covered outdoor seating area. In 2001, the Historic District Commission approved a decrease in the size of two windows along the north elevation, the installation of 8 parking lot light poles and a 12-square-foot monument sign accented by spotlights. Sol Azteca closed in 2011, and the building has been vacant since that time.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The applicant is requesting approval of a Commercial Design Review Application to enclose the 712-square foot covered outdoor seating area and remodel the existing restaurant building located on a 0.58-acre site at 409 Natoma Street. The proposed remodel includes new rectangular casement windows (replacing existing half-circular windows), a new sliding glass door (on the north elevation), and a new glass door (replacing an existing wooden door on the west elevation). All existing and proposed lower-level windows and doors are proposed to be trimmed with blue and white tiles with a bird design. The semi-circular wood double-door on the east elevation is proposed to be modified to replace the upper panels with glass. The roof remodel includes new skylights along the north and south elevations and a flue for a proposed pizza oven. The small openings of the existing tower are proposed to be widened. The proposed enclosure of the existing patio area would include stucco siding colored "omega white", a new tile roof colored "burnt terracotta" and decorative wood soffit brackets, all to match the existing building's colors

and materials.

GENERAL PLAN AND ZONING CONSISTENCY

The General Plan land use designation for the project site is CC (Community Commercial). The zoning designation for the project site is C-1 (Neighborhood Business District) and is located within the overlay zone of Natoma Riley Bidwell Commercial Primary Area. The zoning district corresponds with the General Plan land use designation. Pursuant to the <u>Folsom Municipal Code</u> (<u>FMC</u>) Section 17.52.530.A.1, restaurants are permitted uses in the Primary Area. As a result, the proposed project is consistent with the General Plan and overlay zoning.

LAND USE COMPATIBILITY

The proposed enclosure of the 712-square-foot covered patio area will not increase the footprint of the existing restaurant. Enclosing this patio area will not substantially change the physical characteristics of the site, nor will it have negative impacts on the project vicinity. Based on this, staff has determined that the proposed enclosure is consistent with the City of Folsom Historic District Design and Development Guidelines and appropriate in the Natoma Riley Bidwell Commercial Primary Area.

ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

Pursuant to the <u>FMC</u> Section 17.52.530.B, the Natoma Riley Bidwell Commercial Primary Area is intended to include a mixture of residential and commercial development and utilize "residential architectural design," which should be interpreted broadly to include 1850 to 1950 designs of homes, inns, boarding houses or other uses of a residential area. As described in the Project Description above, the proposed remodel of the existing building includes new rectangular casement windows, two new glass doors, adding glass panels to an existing door, new window and door tile trim, new skylights and a flue on the roof, widening the openings of the existing tower, and enclosing the existing patio area.

With regards to remodeling projects, Section 4.11 of the Historic District Design and Development Guidelines (DDGs) states that in evaluating a remodeling request, the Historic District Commission shall consider:

- 1. The property owner's and community's benefit;
- 2. The structure's architectural and historical value; and
- 3. Resources available for historic authenticity purposes, such as historical and architectural documentation, materials availability, and financing.

The DDGs express a preference for returning a building to its original, pre-1950 appearance. As a second preference, or when the previous section is not applicable, the DDGs recommend remodeling a building to a good design of the "right" era for the Subarea where the building is located. The DDGs also allow a remodel that is a good design of a building's existing style.

In this case, the restaurant building was designed to reflect the Spanish Eclectic residential building style that is represented in historic Folsom. The proposed modifications generally adhere to the elements of the existing style. The structure itself does not have any historic value, as it was built after the 1850-1950 Historic era. The redesign and enclosure would not have a negative effect on the property owner's or the community's benefit, as the elements of the project, as discussed below, consist of good design of the 1850-1950 era.

The DDGs state that the use of same or like materials is preferred for remodels and that materials predominant in the Historic District are the most appropriate. The proposed enclosure of the existing patio includes stucco siding colored "omega white", a new tile roof colored "burnt terracotta" and decorative wood soffit brackets. The enclosure has been designed to match the design, color, material and scale of the existing restaurant building.

For openings, the DDGs state that the original proportions of wall openings should be retained. Regarding doors, the DDGs state that doors are to have glass to increase transparency, with wood-frame, commercial-grade glazed doors being acceptable. The proposed revisions include new rectangular casement windows (replacing existing half-circular windows), a new sliding glass door (on the north elevation), and a new glass door (replacing an existing wooden door on the west elevation). All existing and proposed windows and doors are proposed to be trimmed with blue and white tiles with a bird design. The semi-circular wood double-door on the east elevation is proposed to be modified to replace the upper panels with glass. Finally, the small openings on the existing tower are proposed to be widened. Staff concludes that these modified openings are complimentary to the existing building's architecture.

The applicant also proposes adding new skylights along the north and south elevations and a flue for a proposed pizza oven. It is important to note that the DDGs do not provide guidelines regarding existing roofs on buildings built after the 1850-1950 Historic Era (the structure was built in 1959). However, staff has determined that the proposed skylights and flue complement the existing building's architecture.

The applicant is not proposing any signage with this particular Commercial Design Review application. All future signs for the project comply with the <u>FMC</u> Section 17.52.530.I, <u>FMC</u> Section 17.59 (City Sign Standards), and City of Folsom Historic District Design and Development Guidelines. Condition No. 4 is included to reflect this requirement.

ROOFTOP EQUIPMENT

All existing rooftop equipment is screened from public view with an existing parapet. The applicant is not requesting to modify this design, and the equipment will continue to be screened from public view under the proposed redesign. Condition No. 3 is included to reflect this requirement.

PARKING

There are 27 existing parking stalls, including two ADA stalls, on the site. Parking requirements in the Natoma-Riley-Bidwell Commercial Primary Area are governed by FMC Section 17.52.530. FMC Section 17.52.530.J(2) requires 1 parking space for every 200 square feet of commercial building area. In this case, the restaurant has 4,888 square feet of net floor area, so 24 parking stalls are required. Therefore, the project exceeds the minimum parking requirement.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

The project is categorically exempt under Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) of the Guidelines for California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

RECOMMENDATION / HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION ACTION:

MOVE TO APPROVE COMMERCIAL DESIGN REVIEW FOR THE ENCLOSURE OF A 712-SQUARE-FOOT COVERED PATIO AREA AND REMODEL OF AN EXISTING 4,296-SQUARE-FOOT RESTAURANT AT 409 NATOMA STREET AS ILLUSTRATED ON ATTACHMENT 3 WITH THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS AND CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (NOS. 1-7).

GENERAL PROJECT FINDINGS

- A. NOTICE OF HEARING HAS BEEN GIVEN AT THE TIME AND IN THE MANNER REQUIRED BY STATE LAW AND CITY CODE.
- B. THE PROJECT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE GENERAL PLAN AND ZONING CODE OF THE CITY.

DESIGN REVIEW FINDINGS

- C. THE PROJECT COMPLIES WITH THE DESIGN STANDARDS IDENTIFIED IN THE HISTORIC DISTRICT DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINES ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL.
- D. THE PROJECT'S BUILDING MATERIALS, TEXTURES, AND COLORS ARE COMPATIBLE WITH SURROUNDING DEVELOPMENT AND CONSISTENT WITH THE GENERAL DESIGN THEME OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

REMODELING FINDING

E. IN EVALUATING THIS REMODELING REQUEST, THE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION CONSIDERED THE PROPERTY OWNER'S AND COMMUNITY'S BENEFIT; THE STRUCTURE'S ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL VALUE; AND THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR HISTORIC AUTHENTICITY PURPOSES, SUCH AS HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL DOCUMENTATION, MATERIALS AVAILABILITY, AND FINANCING.

CEQA FINDING

F. THE PROJECT IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT UNDER SECTION 15301 EXISTING FACILITIES OF THE GUIDELINES FOR CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA).

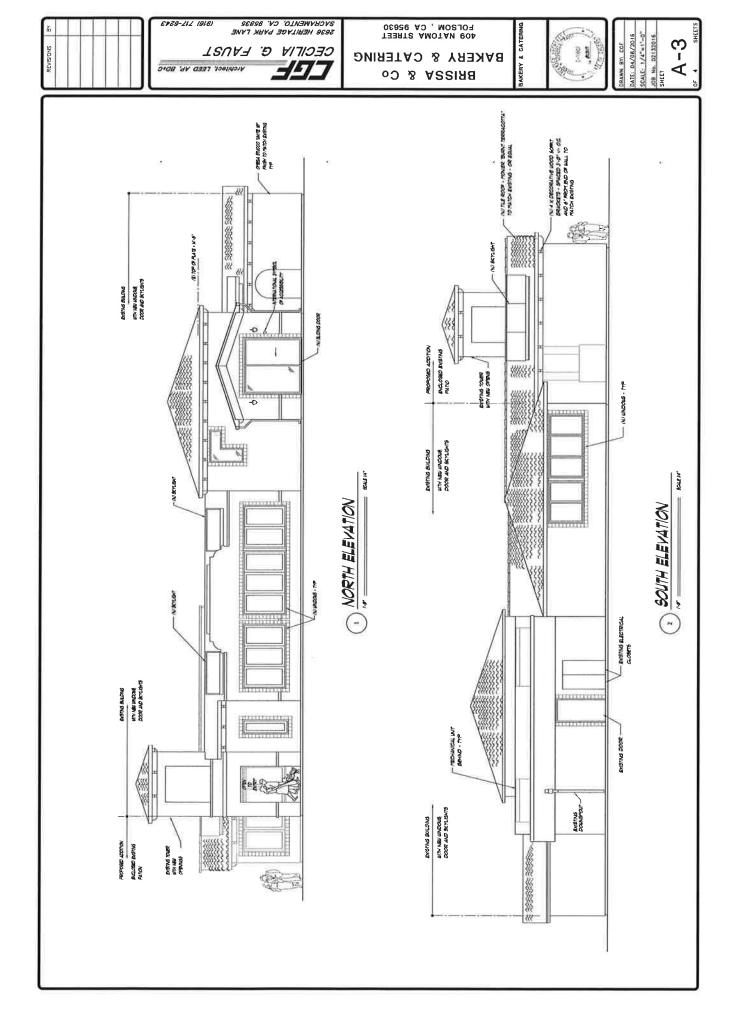
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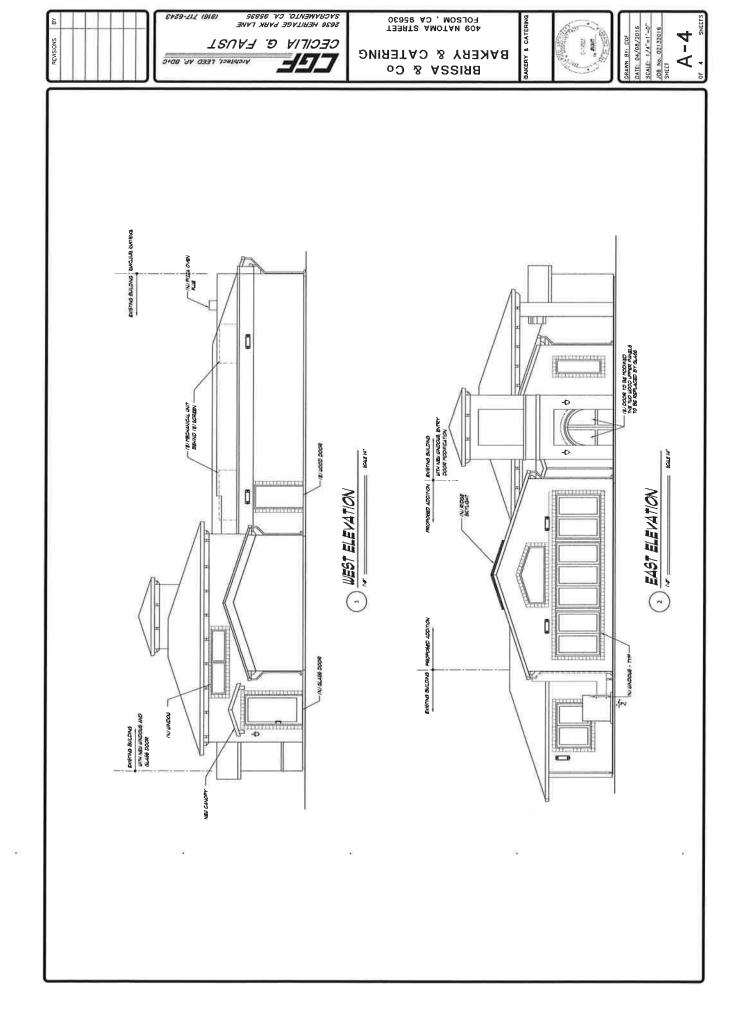
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Community Development and Public Works Director

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

- 1. The applicant shall submit final site and building plans to the Community Development Department that substantially conform to the site and building elevations dated April 8, 2016.
- 2. A building permit shall be issued on the project within one year of the date of this approval (July 6, 2017).
- 3. All roof-mounted mechanical equipment and devices shall be screened from public view with an appropriately designed parapet or other methods of screening that are compatible with the existing building color, materials, and scale.
- 4. All future signage associated with the project shall comply with the <u>FMC</u> Section 17.52.530.I, <u>FMC</u> Section 17.59 (City Sign Standards), and City of Folsom Historic District Design and Development Guidelines to the satisfaction of the Community Development Director.
- 5. The existing exterior automatic fire sprinkler system (AFSS) riser located on the west side of the building is not shown on the exterior drawings submitted. The AFSS shall be accessible from the exterior at its current location or shall be located within an approved fire control room per the City Fire Code. The existing AFSS shall be inspected, serviced and certified in accordance with California Code of Regulations Title 19 prior to occupancy permit approval.
- 6. The existing fire alarm system shall be inspected, serviced and certified in accordance with California Code of Regulations Title 19 prior to occupancy permit approval.
- 7. All existing fire lanes on the property shall be maintained and repainted red with 3" or larger stenciled markings that read "NO PARKING FIRE LANE" every 25' along the curb.

Attachment 6 Original Elevations, dated April 8, 2016





HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

PROJECT TITLE

916 Figueroa Street Custom Home

PROPOSAL

Request for approval of a Tentative Parcel Map and Residential Design Review for development of a two-story, 2,457-square-foot single-family residence on a 14,000-square-foot parcel located at 916 Figueroa Street

<u>Please Note:</u> There is no staff report for this item. City staff will offer a recommendation on this agenda item to the Historic District Commission during open session.