

# **Development Review Hearing**

Item 4 : PLN25-00266 2495 Painted Rock

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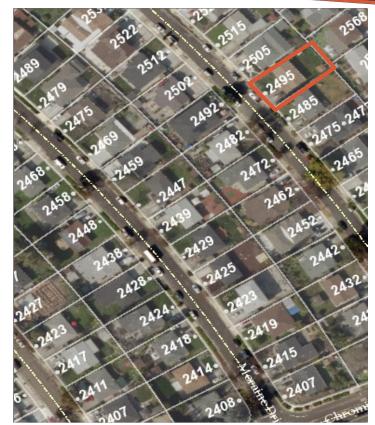
### **Request**

- Architectural Review for the demolition of an existing residential building to construct a 1,645 square foot three-bedroom, two and a half-bathroom single-family residence with a 475 square foot attached garage.
- Architectural Review required under Santa Clara City Code ("SCCC") 18.120.020 (E) due to the complete demolition of the existing structure.

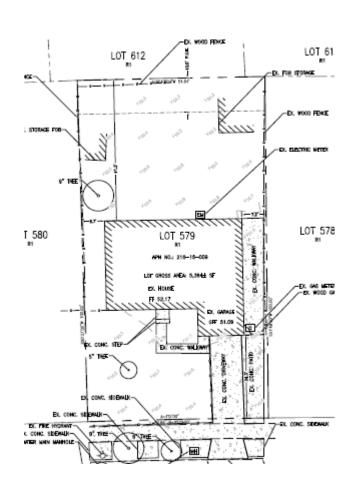


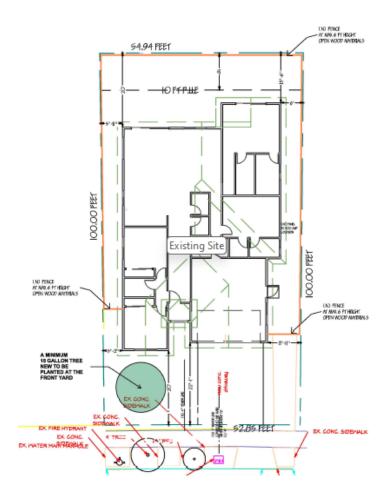
#### **Existing Site**

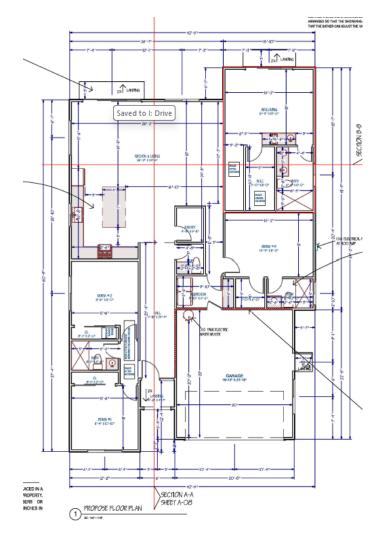
- **Lot Size:** 5,384 SF
- Surrounding Uses:
  - **N:** Single Family Residential (R1-6L)
  - **S:** Single Family Residential (R1-6L)
  - E: Single Family Residential (R1-6L)
  - W: Single Family Residential (R1-6L)
- **Zoning:** R1-6L
- General Plan Designation: Very Low Density Residential













## **Consistency with Zoning Code**

- The site currently consists of an 897 square-foot one-story, three-bedroom, one-bathroom single family residence built in 1954. The property has an existing non-conforming attached one-car garage.
- The existing single-family residence is a non-conforming structure as it does not have a required two car garage per the R1-6L Zoning District regulations. All new construction is required to conform to the R1-6L Zoning District regulations and provide a two-car garage.



# **Consistency with Design Guidelines / Objective Standards**

The proposed project complies with the City's Single-Family and Duplex Residential Design Guidelines (2014), in that:

- Building height and bulk is appropriate relative to the neighborhood.
- Roof materials, building materials, and finishes work in conjunction with one another and consistent with the architectural style of the building.
- Architectural features of the proposed design are true to the architectural form and appropriate for the neighborhood.



#### **CEQA** Evaluation

• The project is found to be Categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15332 (Class 32 - Infill Development Projects), in that the project site is less than five acres, served by utilities, and complies with the General Plan.



#### **Recommendation**

- **Determine** the project to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) formal pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15332 (Class 32 -- Infill Development Projects, and
- **Approve** the Architectural Review for the demolition of an existing residential building to construct a 1,645 square foot three-bedroom, two and a half-bathroom single-family residence with a 475 square foot attached garage on a 5,384 square foot lot at 2495 Painted Rock Drive, subject to findings and conditions of approval

