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In addition to complying with all applicable codes, regulations, ordinances and resolutions, the following **conditions of approval** are recommended:

### **GENERAL**

- G1. If relocation of an existing public facility becomes necessary due to a conflict with the developer's new improvements, then the cost of said relocation shall be borne by the developer.
- G2. Comply with all applicable codes, regulations, ordinances and resolutions.

## **ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

A1. The Developer agrees to defend and indemnify and hold City, its officers, agents, employees, officials and representatives free and harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, attorneys' fees, injuries, costs, and liabilities arising from any suit for damages or for equitable or injunctive relief which is filed by a third party against the City by reason of its approval of developer's project.

## **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

- C1. Obtain required permits and inspections from the Building Official and comply with the conditions thereof.
- C2. The 2016 California Residential Building Code, Section R313.2, requires the installation of an automatic sprinkler system in a new or rebuild single family home. The definition of "rebuild" used by the City of Santa Clara Building Division is:
  - 1. More than 50% of the existing exterior walls or existing roof are demolished, OR,
  - 2. Greater than 75% of the interior space is being reconfigured.
  - Note: it is important to note that the existing walls to remain shall have existing exterior or interior finishes remaining on one side of walls. Existing walls without finishes on both sides will be considered as new walls.
- C3. Submit plans to the Planning Division for final architectural review and approval prior to application for building permits.
- C4. The existing on-site driveway pad in the front yard shall be widened by nine feet toward the interior as indicated on the project site plan to accommodate one additional on-site parking space, for an overall width of approximately 24 feet allowing for the addition of a few feet of landscaping along the south side property line. The attached one-car garage shall remain accessible and unobstructed for vehicle parking.

## **ENGINEERING**

- E1. Obtain site clearance through Engineering Department prior to issuance of Building Permit. Site clearance will require payment of applicable development fees. Other requirements may be identified for compliance during the site clearance process. Contact Engineering Department at (408) 615-3000 for further information.
- E2. All work within the public right-of-way and/or public easement, which is to be performed by the Developer/Owner, the general contractor, and all subcontractors shall be included within a Single Encroachment Permit issued by the City Engineering Department.

  Issuance of the Encroachment Permit and payment of all appropriate fees shall be completed prior to commencement of work, and all work under the permit shall be completed prior to issuance of occupancy permit.
- E3. Existing shed shall be removed from public utility easement.
- E4. Reconstruct driveway approach to current City standards, ST-4 (modified).

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# **ELECTRICAL**

- EL1. Prior to submitting any project for Electric Department review, applicant shall provide a site plan showing all existing utilities, structures, easements and trees. Applicant shall also include a "Load Survey" form showing all current and proposed electric loads. A new customer with a load of 500KVA or greater or 100 residential units will have to fill out a "Service Investigation Form" and submit this form to the Electric Planning Department for review by the Electric Planning Engineer. Silicon Valley Power will do exact design of required substructures after plans are submitted for building permits.
- EL2. The Developer shall provide and install electric facilities per Santa Clara City Code chapter 17.15.210.
- EL3. Electric service shall be overhead. See Electric Department Rules and Regulations for available services.
- EL4. Installation of underground facilities shall be in accordance with City of Santa Clara Electric Department standard UG-1000, latest version, and Santa Clara City Code chapter 17.15.050.
- EL5. Overhead services shall be installed per City of Santa Clara Electric Department standard OH-550, MS-G6, and MS-G7 latest revision.
- EL6. The developer shall grant to the City, without cost, all easements and/or right of way necessary for serving the property of the developer and for the installation of utilities (Santa Clara City Code chapter 17.15.110).
- EL7. All trees, existing and proposed, shall be a minimum of five (5) feet from any existing or proposed Electric Department facilities. Existing trees in conflict will have to be removed. Trees shall not be planted in PUE's or electric easements.
- EL8. Any relocation of existing electric facilities shall be at Developer's expense.
- EL9. The developer shall provide the City, in accordance with current City standards and specifications, all trenching, backfill, resurfacing, landscaping, conduit, junction boxes, vaults, street light foundations, equipment pads and subsurface housings required for power distribution, street lighting, and signal communication systems, as required by the City in the development of frontage and on-site property. Upon completion of improvements satisfactory to the City, the City shall accept the work. Developer shall further install at his cost the service facilities, consisting of service wires, cables, conductors, and associated equipment necessary to connect a customer to the electrical supply system of and by the City. After completion of the facilities installed by developer, the City shall furnish and install all cable, switches, street lighting poles, luminaries, transformers, meters, and other equipment that it deems necessary for the betterment of the system (Santa Clara City Code chapter 17.15.210 (2)).
- EL10. Electrical improvements (including underground electrical conduits along frontage of properties) may be required if any single non-residential private improvement valued at \$200,000 or more or any series of non-residential private improvements made within a three-year period valued at \$200,000 or more (Santa Clara City Code Title 17 Appendix A (Table III)).
- EL11. Encroachment permits will not be signed off by Silicon Valley Power until Developers Work substructure construction drawing has been completed.
- EL12. All SVP-owned equipment is to be covered by an Underground Electric Easement (U.G.E.E.) This is different than a PUE. Only publically-owned dry utilities can be in a UGEE. Other facilities can be in a joint trench configuration with SVP, separated by a 1' clearance, providing that they are constructed simultaneously with SVP facilities. See UG 1000 for details.
- EL13. Proper clearance must be maintained from all SVP facilities, including a 5' clearance from the outer wall of all conduits. This is in addition to any UGEE specified for the

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- facilities. Contact SVP before making assumptions on any clearances for electric facilities.
- EL14. All existing SVP facilities, onsite or offsite, are to remain unless specifically addressed by SVP personnel by separate document. It is the Developers responsibility to maintain all clearances from equipment and easements. Developer to contact SVP outside of the PCC process for clear definitions of these clearance requirements. Developer should not assume that SVP will be removing any existing facilities without detailed design drawings from SVP indicating potential removals. Simply indicating that SVP facilities are to be removed or relocated on conceptual plans does not imply that this action has been approved by SVP.
- EL15. Applicant is advised to contact SVP (CSC Electric Department) to obtain specific design and utility requirements that are required for building permit review/approval submittal. Please provide a site plan to Leonard Buttitta at 408-615-6620 to facilitate plan review.

### **WATER**

- W1. If fire sprinkler is required, the applicant shall abandon existing 5/8" water service and install new 1" water service to meeting the fire sprinkler water usage demand.
- W2. If fire flow information is needed, applicant shall coordinate with Water Department at (408) 615-2000.
- W3. The applicant must indicate the disposition of all existing water and sewer services and mains on the plans.
- W4. Applicant shall adhere to and provide a note indicating all horizontal and vertical clearances. The applicant shall maintain a minimum 12" of vertical clearance at water service crossing with other utilities, and all required minimum horizontal clearances from water services: 10' from sanitary sewer utilities, 10' from recycled water utilities, 8' from storm drain utilities, 5' from fire and other water utilities, 3' from abandoned water services, 5' from gas utilities, and 5' from the edge of the propose or existing driveway. For sanitary sewer, water, and recycled water utilities, the applicant shall maintain a minimum horizontal clearance (edge to edge) of 10' from existing and proposed trees. If applicant installs tree root barriers, clearance from tree reduces to 5' (clearance must be from the edge of tree root barrier to edge of water facilities).

### PARKS AND RECREATION

- PR1. A dwelling unit tax (DUT) is due based on the number of additional bedrooms per City Code Chapter 3.15. The Project includes an addition resulting in a four bedroom residence (two additional bedrooms) for a total DUT of \$10.
- PR2. Calculations may change if the project scope changes or does not conform to City Code Chapter 17.35 or Chapter 3.15.