MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



<u>21.2</u> (MT 15570)

10:00 a.m. being the time set for public hearing on the recommendation from Transportation and Land Management Agency/Planning regarding the Public Hearing on Conditional Use Permit No. 190033, Adopt Ordinance No. 664.82 and Development Agreement No. 1900021 – CEQA EXEMPT – Applicant: Catalyst Hemet, LLC – Third Supervisorial District – Ramona Area – San Jacinto Area Plan: Commercial Retail: (CR) (0.20 – 0.35 FAR) – Location: south of East Florida Avenue/SH-74 and east of Columbia Street – 0.67 Acres – Zoning: Scenic Highway Commercial (C-P-S) – REQUEST: Development Agreement No. 1900021 is associated with the proposed Conditional Use Permit and grants the applicant vesting rights to develop the Project in accordance with the terms of Development Agreement No. 1900021 and Conditional Use Permit No. 190033. The Development Agreement will provide community benefits to the San Jacinto Valley Area and has a term of 10 years. Conditional Use Permit No. 190033 is a proposal to utilize an existing building to establish and operate a 4,080 square foot cannabis retail facility with delivery on an 0.67-acre lot with parking and landscaping. – APN: 438-230-042, District 3.

On motion of Supervisor Washington, seconded by Supervisor Jeffries and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is continued to Tuesday, August 24, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. or as soon as possible thereafter.

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Ayes:

Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt

Nays:

None

Absent:

None

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full true, and correct copy of an order made and entered on August 17, 2021 of Supervisors Minutes.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Board of Supervisors

Dated: August 17, 2021

Kecia R. Harper, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in and for the County of Riverside, State of California.

(seal)

AGENDA NO.

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xc: Planning, COB



RIVERSIDE COUNTY

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

WP 190033 DA 1900021

John Hildebrand Planning Director

Hearing Date: August 17, 2021

To: Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

From: Planning Department - Riverside (Planner: Russell Brady)

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Project Description:

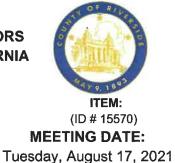
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FROM: TLMA-PLANNING:

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RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

- FIND that the project is EXEMPT from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15061 (b) (3) (Common Sense), Section 15301 (Existing Facilities), and Section 15303 (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures) based on the findings and conclusions in the staff report;
- 2. <u>APPROVE</u> Conditional Use Permit No. 190033, subject to the attached Advisory Notification Document, Conditions of Approval, and based upon the findings and conclusions provided in this staff report, subject to adoption of Ordinance No. 664.82; and
- 3. <u>INTRODUCE, READ TITLE and WAIVE FURTHER READING OF, and ADOPT</u> on successive weeks **ORDINANCE NO. 664.82** an ordinance of the County of Riverside approving Development Agreement No. 1900021, based upon the findings in the staff report.

ACTION:

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fisca	al Year:	Next Fisc	al Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$	N/A	\$	N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A
NET COUNTY COST	\$	N/A	\$	N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A
SOURCE OF FUNDS: Applicant Funded 100%					Budget Adjus	tment: No
					For Fiscal Yea	ar: N/A

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: [CEO use]

BACKGROUND:

Project Details

The proposed project will occupy an approximately 4,080 square-foot tenant space to be used as a storefront for a retail cannabis business within an existing building on a 0.67 acre lot with parking and landscaping. The project includes thirty seven (37) off-street parking spaces which consists of thirty four (34) standard parking spaces, and three (3) accessible parking spaces, exceeding the off-street requirement for retail cannabis at 1 stall per 200 square-feet that requires a minimum of twenty one (21) parking spaces pursuant to Ordinance No. 348 Section 18.12. The site also includes a trash enclosure at the southeast corner of the property. Furthermore, landscaping and internal walkways are existing throughout the site. The property is accessed from Columbia Street and Florida Avenue/SH-74.

The existing structure is a single story 9,505 square foot commercial building with multiple tenant spaces in it. The structure has a flat roof with stucco siding, stone veneer finish and glass doors and windows.

The interior of the proposed suite area consists of areas for retail sales, reception and waiting area, and other spaces that include restrooms, break room, and storage area.

The business will operate between the hours of 6am to 10pm daily in accordance with the County of Riverside Ordinance No. 348 Section 19.505 (I). Deliveries will operate daily during normal business hours, seven days per week.

As part of the approval process for cannabis retail facilities, a development agreement between the County of Riverside and the applicant was applied for under Development Agreement No. 1900021 ("DA1900021").

General Plan Consistency

The project site has a General Plan Foundation Component of Community Development (CD) and Land Use Designation of Commercial Retail (CR). The Community Development General

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Plan Foundation Component depicts areas where urban and suburban development is appropriate. It is the intent of this General Plan Foundation Component to provide a breadth of land uses that foster variety and choice, accommodate a range of life styles, living and working conditions, and accommodate diverse community settings. The goal is to accommodate a balance of jobs, housing, and services within communities to help achieve other aspects of the RCIP Vision, such as mobility, open space, and air quality goals.

The Commercial Retail (CR) land use designation provides for the emphasis on general uses such as grocery stores, drug stores, and other retail outlets at a neighborhood, community, and regional level. The project is consistent with the Community Development General Plan Foundation Component and Commercial Retail Land Use Designation as it would provide retail, community services and job opportunities within the surrounding community.

Zoning Consistency

The project site is currently zoned Scenic Highway Commercial (C-P-S). Pursuant to Ordinance No. 348, Article XIXh, Section 19.518, Cannabis Retailers are allowed in the C-P-S Zone with an approved conditional use permit. The applicant has submitted this CUP application to ensure compliance with all applicable development standards and regulations. As further described in the findings section, the project meets all the applicable development standards for the C-P-S Zone and those set forth in Section 19.519 of Ordinance No. 348, including design, height, setbacks, and parking requirements.

The project site includes a proposed landscape plan in accordance with the County of Riverside Ordinance No. 348 and Ordinance No. 859.

Development Agreement

The applicant has proposed entering into the attached Development Agreement No. 1900021 (DA) with the County for the Project. The DA is consistent with the General Plan and with Board Policy B-9. Additionally, the Advisory Notification Document, Conditions of Approval, and entitlement approvals are incorporated in the exhibits of the DA and will ensure that the Project is developed in a way that would not conflict with the public's health, safety, or general welfare. The DA has a term of 10 years (with the option for a 5-year extension subject to mutual approval) and will grant the applicant vesting rights to develop the Project in accordance with the terms of the DA. In exchange, the DA provides certain public benefits that go beyond the basic requirements of the County including annual public benefit payments, which will be used for additional public safety services, infrastructure improvements or community enhancement programs.

Development Agreement No. 1900021 requires the applicant to make the following payments:

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- 1) An initial deposit-based fee of \$5,000 for annual inspections and the administration of the development agreement program.
- 2) A baseline Public Benefits payment of \$73,440.00, which will be increased 2% per year. The baseline payment amount shall be allocated 45% to the Code Enforcement Department, and the remaining 55% will be transferred to the Executive Office for deposit into the General Fund, to be allocated as part of the annual budget process and generally spent on cannabis regulatory activity performed by the District Attorney's Cannabis Regulation Task Force, the Sheriff's Office, Public Health, County Counsel, and the Agricultural Commissioner's office. The percentages above are based on the expected regulatory costs that were used to establish the baseline Public Benefits fee, as approved by the Board on January 29, 2019. The Code Enforcement Department will serve as the main regulatory arm of the County in monitoring that the businesses will comply with their conditions of approval and respond to public concerns.
- 3) An annual Additional Public Benefit payment of \$165,000.00, which will increase 3% per year for the initial 5 years of the DA and then 4% for the remaining term of the DA. This payment shall be held by TLMA in an account specifically for the Winchester area, to be allocated by the Board of Supervisors to projects and services that benefit the community.

Per state law, a development agreement is a legislative act that must be approved by ordinance. Proposed Ordinance No. 664.82, an Ordinance of the County of Riverside Approving Development Agreement No. 1900021, incorporates by reference DA No. 1900021 consistent with Government Code section 65867.5.

Development Agreement No. 1900021 and Conditional Use Permit No. 190033 were submitted to the County of Riverside on October 15, 2019.

Planning Commission

The Conditional Use Permit and Development Agreement went to public hearing for the Planning Commission on April 7, 2021. At that hearing, concerns were noted regarding the height of the wall along the southern boundary to deter people from climbing over the wall onto the adjacent property to the site. The Planning Commission directed the applicant and staff to include a condition of approval and update plans as appropriate for a minimum height of six feet. The applicant has updated the project plans and a condition of approval is in the attachments that reflect this request from the Planning Commission.

On April 7, 2021, the Planning Commission voted 4-0 (Commissioner Leonard recused himself) in favor of recommending approval to the Board of Supervisors.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

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The impacts of this project have been evaluated through the environmental review and public hearing process by the Planning Department and at the Planning Commission Hearing.

SUPPLEMENTAL:

Additional Fiscal Information

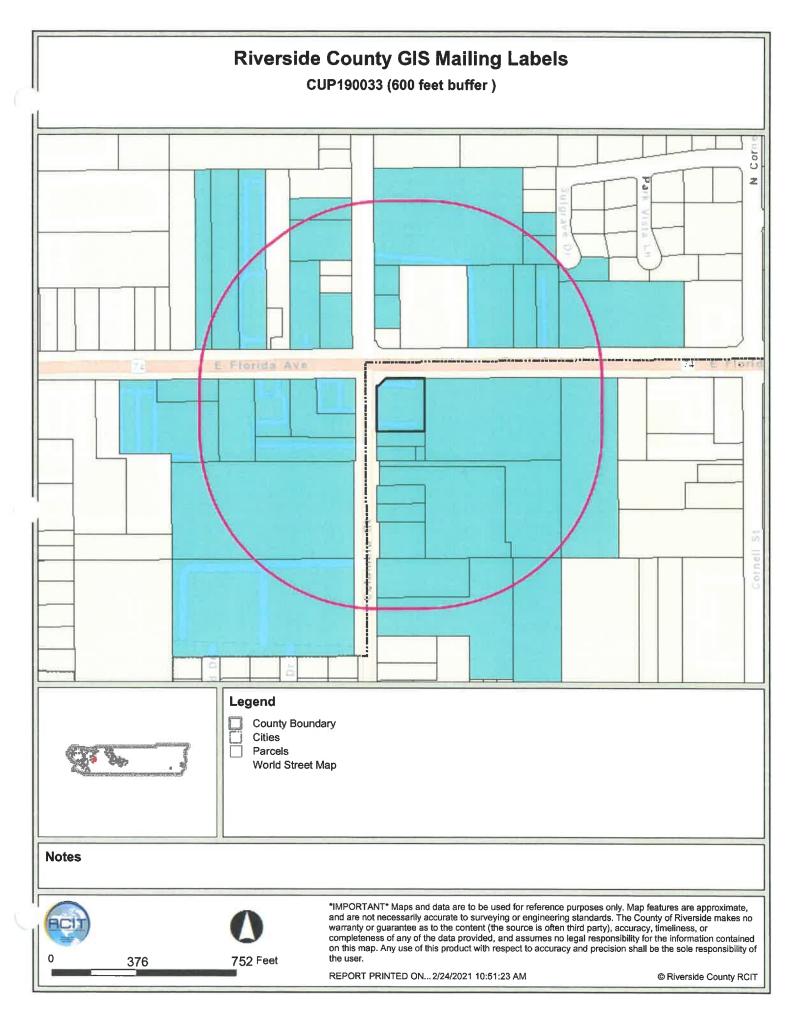
All fees are paid by the applicant; there is no General Fund obligation.

ATTACHMENTS:

- A. PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES
- B. PLANNING COMMISSION MEMO
- C. PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT
- D. ORDINANCE NO. 664.82
- E. <u>DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT NO. 1900021</u>

PROPERTY OWNERS CERTIFICATION FORM

Ι,	VINNIE NGUYE	EN	_ certify that on	February 25, 2021
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The attached	property owners list wa	s prepared by	Riverside	e County GIS ,
APN (s) or c	ase numbers	CUP19	0033	for
Company or	Individual's Name	RCIT -	GIS	
Distance buf	fered	600	,	
Pursuant to	application requirement	s furnished by	the Riverside Cour	nty Planning Department.
Said list is a	complete and true com	pilation of the	owners of the subj	ect property and all other
property ow	ners within 600 feet of	f the property i	nvolved, or if that	area yields less than 25
different own	ners, all property owner	s within a notifi	cation area expand	ed to yield a minimum of
25 different	owners, to a maximum	notification are	ea of 2,400 feet fro	m the project boundaries,
based upon	the latest equalized asse	essment rolls. I	f the project is a s	ubdivision with identified
off-site acces	ss/improvements, said li	st includes a cor	nplete and true con	npilation of the names and
mailing add	resses of the owners	of all property	that is adjacent	to the proposed off-site
improvemen	t/alignment.			
I further cer	tify that the information	n filed is true a	and correct to the b	pest of my knowledge. I
understand th	hat incorrect or incompl	ete information	may be grounds for	r rejection or denial of the
application.				
TITLE:	GIS	Analyst		
ADDRESS:	4080	O Lemon Str	eet 9 TH Floor	
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TELEPHON	E NUMBER (8 a.m. – 5	i p.m.):	(951) 955-815	8



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY ON A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT AND DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT IN THE SAN JACINTO AREA PLAN. THIRD SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing at which all interested persons will be heard, will be held before the Board of Supervisors of Riverside County, California, on the 1st Floor Board Chambers, County Administrative Center, 4080 Lemon Street, Riverside, on Tuesday, August 17, 2021 at 10:00 A.M. or as soon as possible thereafter, to consider the Planning Department's recommended approval of Conditional Use Permit No. 190033 (CUP190033) and Development Agreement No. 1900021. The Conditional Use Permit proposes to utilize an existing building to establish and operate a 4,080 square foot cannabis retail facility with delivery on an 0.67-acre lot with parking and landscaping. Development Agreement No. 1900021 is associated with the proposed Conditional Use Permit and grants the applicant vesting rights to develop the Project in accordance with the terms of Development Agreement No. 1900021 and Conditional Use Permit No. 190033. The Development Agreement will provide community benefits to the San Jacinto Valley Area and has a term of 10 years. The project is located south of East Florida Avenue/SH-74 and east of Columbia Street in the Third Supervisorial District.

The Planning Commission recommends that the Board of Supervisors find that the project is **EXEMPT** from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); approve **Conditional Use Permit No. 190033**; introduce, read title, and waive further reading of, and adopt on successive weeks **Ordinance No. 664.82** approving **DA1900021**.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THIS PROJECT, PLEASE CONTACT RUSSELL BRADY, PRICIPAL PLANNER, AT (951) 955-3025 OR EMAIL RBRADY@RIVCO.ORG.

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Dated: August 7, 2021 Kecia Harper, Clerk of the Board

By: Zuly Martinez, Board Assistant

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ATTN: Russell Brady

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