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Solano County Zoning Administrator

Staff Report MU-23-06

	tion No. MU-23-06 Planner: Abi Pipkin, Assista		Meeting of April Agenda Item No.	•		
Frank A	nt / Property Owner bles sure Town Rd, Vacaville, CA	A 95687				
Conside (40'x60' at 6089	x16') open storage structure A Street in Elmira, in the Re	e & installation of a s	910 sq. ft. (15.17'x	manufactured steel 2400 sq. ft. 60') overnight security quarters, ked Use zoning district.		
	Property Information					
Size: .3			Location: 6089			
APN: 0142-035-010		SRA Designation: LRA				
Zoning: RTC-MU			Land Use: Business Office			
General Plan: RTC-MU Utilities: Solano Irrigation District, City of Vacaville		Ag. Contract: n/a				
	n District	, City of Vacaville	Access: A St.			
Adjacer	Adjacent General Plan Designation, Zoning District, and Existing Land Use					
	General Plan	Zon	ing	Existing Land Use		
North	Traditional Community – Mixed Use	Residential Tradit Mixed Use	ional Community	Union Railroad Storage		
South	Traditional Community – Mixed Use	Residential-Traditional Mixed Use		Residential		
East	Traditional Community – Mixed Use	Residential Tradit Mixed Use	ional Community	Commercial and Residential		
West	Traditional Community -	Industrial Manufac	cturing	Railroad tracks		

Environmental Analysis

Mixed Use

The project qualifies for a Categorical Exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15303, Class 3, New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures.

Motion to Approve

The Zoning Administrator does hereby **ADOPT** the attached resolution and **APPROVE** Use Permit No. MU-23-06 is based on the enumerated findings and subject to the recommended conditions of approval.

BACKGROUND /SETTING

The subject property consists of 0.32 acres of land, fronting on A Street in Elmira. The surrounding parcels are developed with a mix of residential dwellings, commercial and manufacturing buildings adjacent to the railroad tracks. The property is currently developed with a 2,000 sq. ft. building that operates as a storage and office for the business, Solano Seamless, a mobile rain gutter service. There is also a shipping container and heavy machinery on-site.



6089 A Street, Elmira CA 95625

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The applicant is proposing to construct a 2,400 square foot engineered steel building and 910 square foot modular residence for an on-site caretaker. Due to the increased theft and loss of property and equipment, the applicant proposes to secure his equipment within the storage building and add on-site security personnel.

Development Standards:

The proposed warehouse and caretaker unit are subject to setback and height requirements pursuant to County Zoning Regulations Table 28-32C, Development Standards for Main Building and Accessory Dwelling Unit. The proposed project complies with the requirements.

Access:

The applicant proposes to utilize the existing access driveway of A Street and install two new 16-foot wide gates connected to the existing security fence. Public Works Division recommends that the project comply with commercial driveway standards in accordance with the Solano County Improvement Standards. Encroachment and grading permits shall be required as well.

Water Supply and Sewage Disposal:

The property currently receives public water service from the City of Vacaville and sewer service from the City of Vacaville Sanitation District.

Contamination Plume:

Environmental Health Division expressed concerns due to the proximity of the proposed caretaker residence and the contamination plume from the Kinder Morgan Energy Partners pipeline release from the 1996 Central Valley-Regional Water Quality Control Board (CVRWQB) case #SL 185572925. Specifically, the concerns are related to indoor air quality and other human health risks due to the residual contamination release.

According to CVRWQCB, remediation efforts are underway; however, in order to add assurances, Environmental Health recommends the installation of a vapor barrier and deed restriction on the property prohibiting the construction of any water wells for domestic or agricultural use.

ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

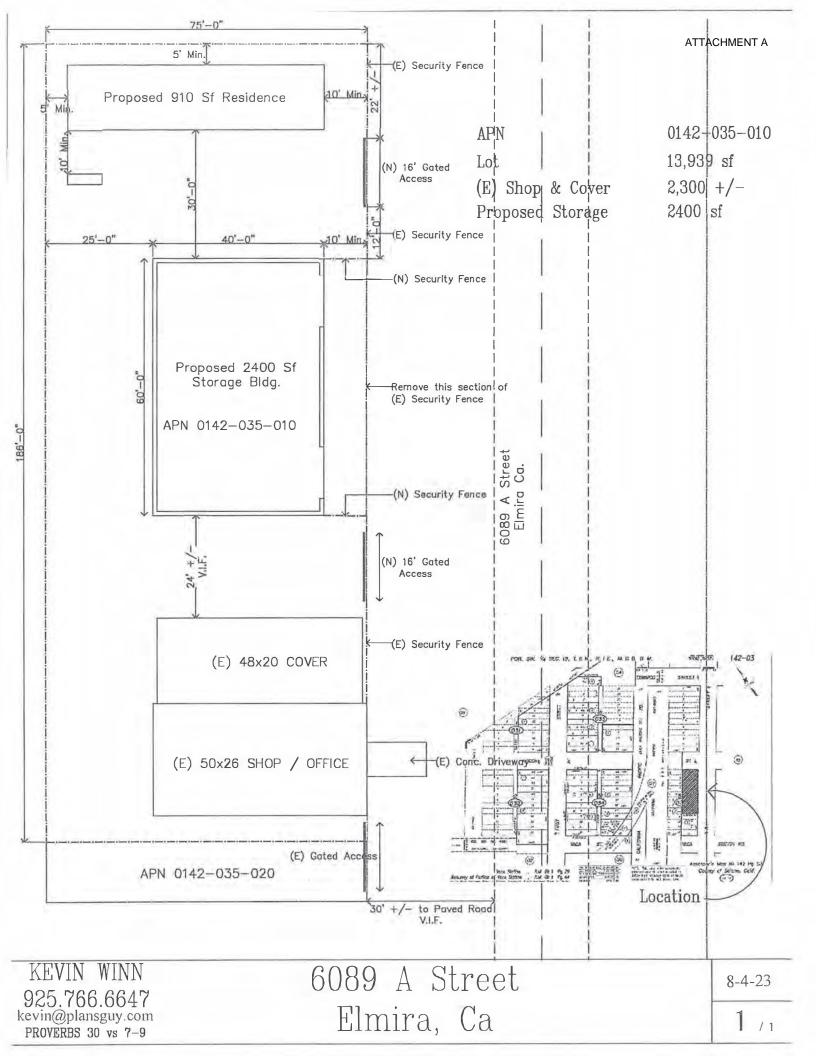
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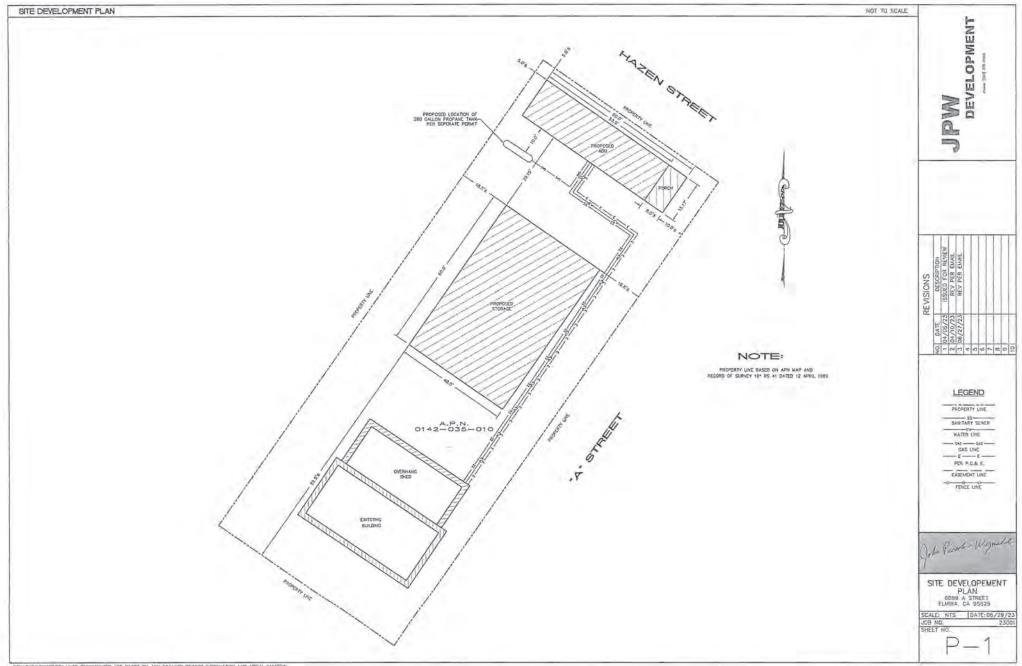
RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Zoning Administrator **ADOPT** the mandatory and suggested findings and **APPROVE** Use Permit No. MU-23-06, subject to the recommended conditions of approval.

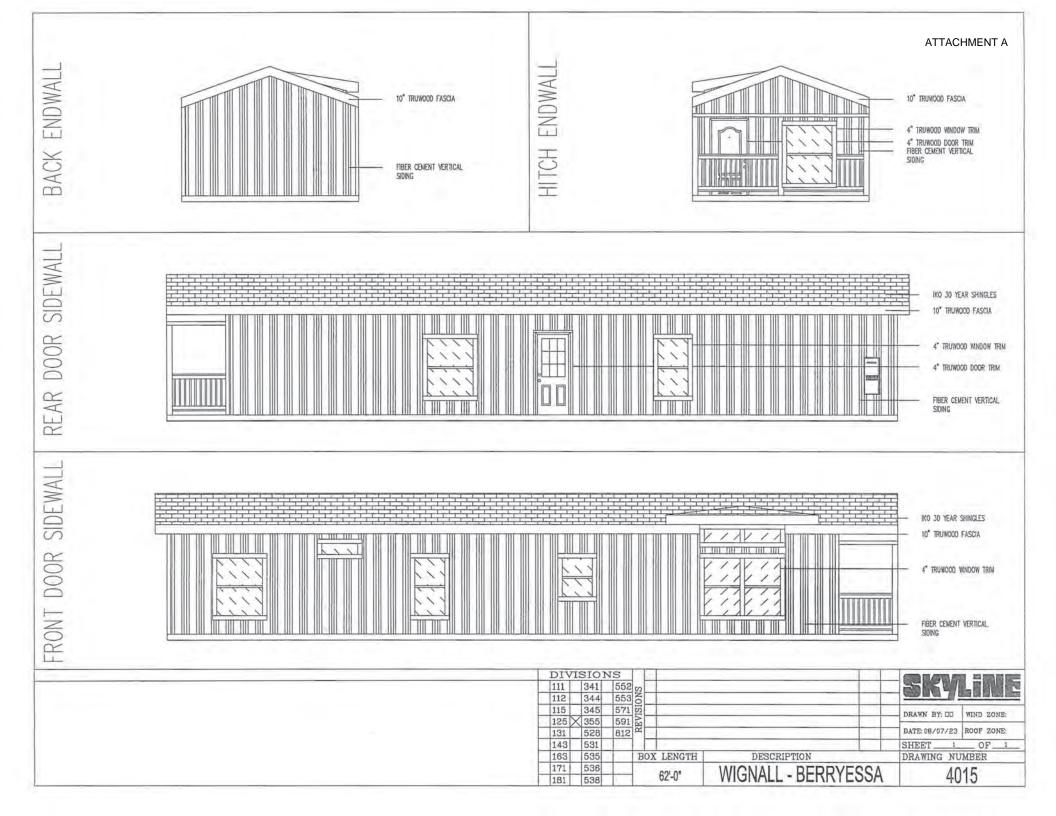
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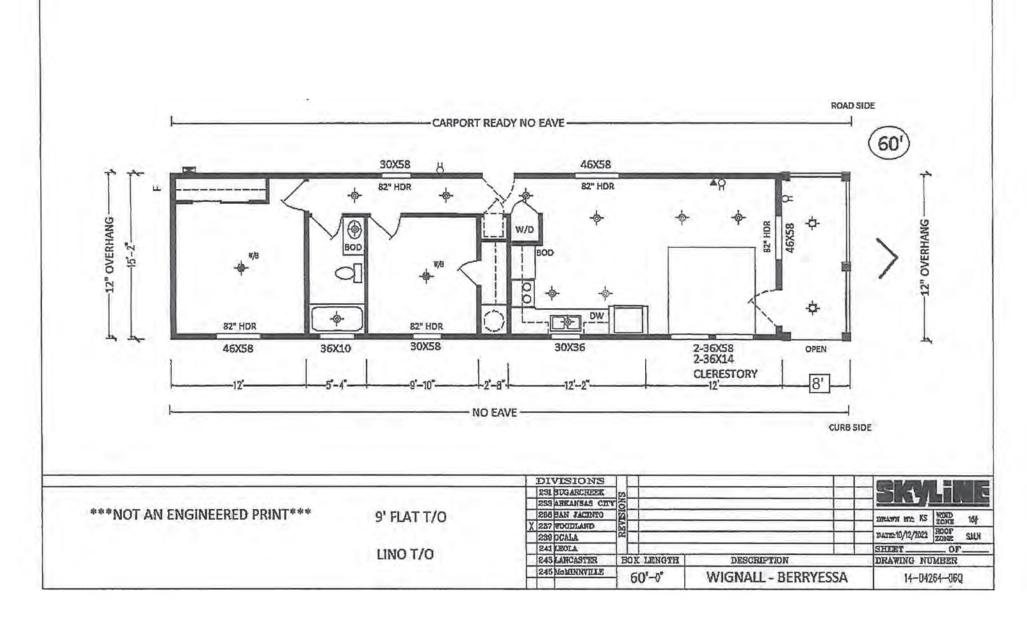
- A Development Plans
- B Draft Resolution and Conditions of Approval
- C Notice of Exemption
- **D** Public Hearing Notice

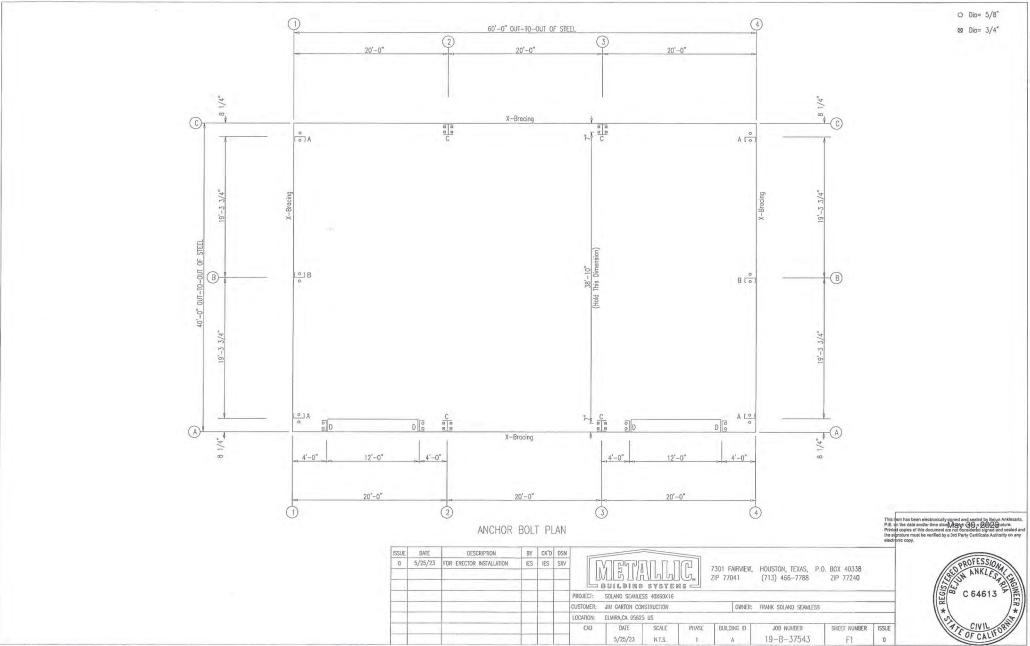




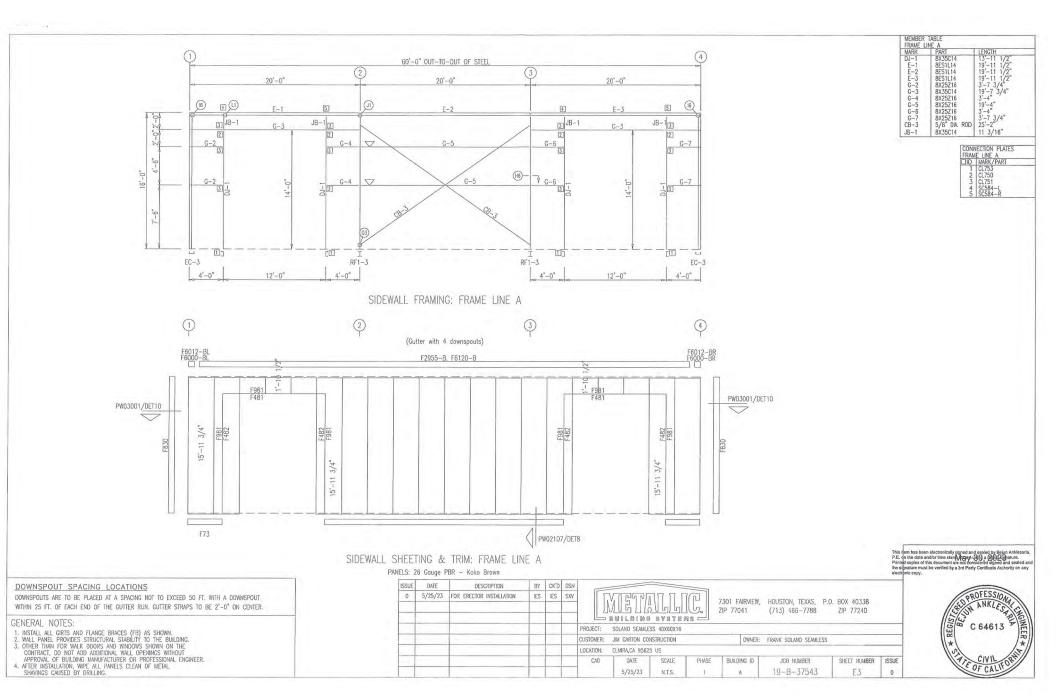
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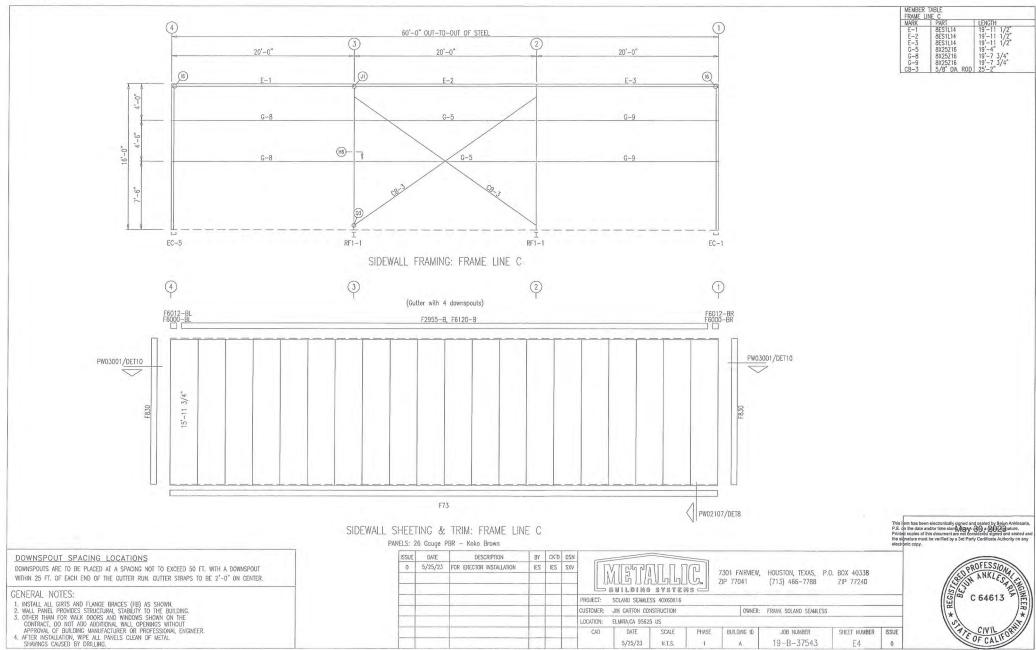






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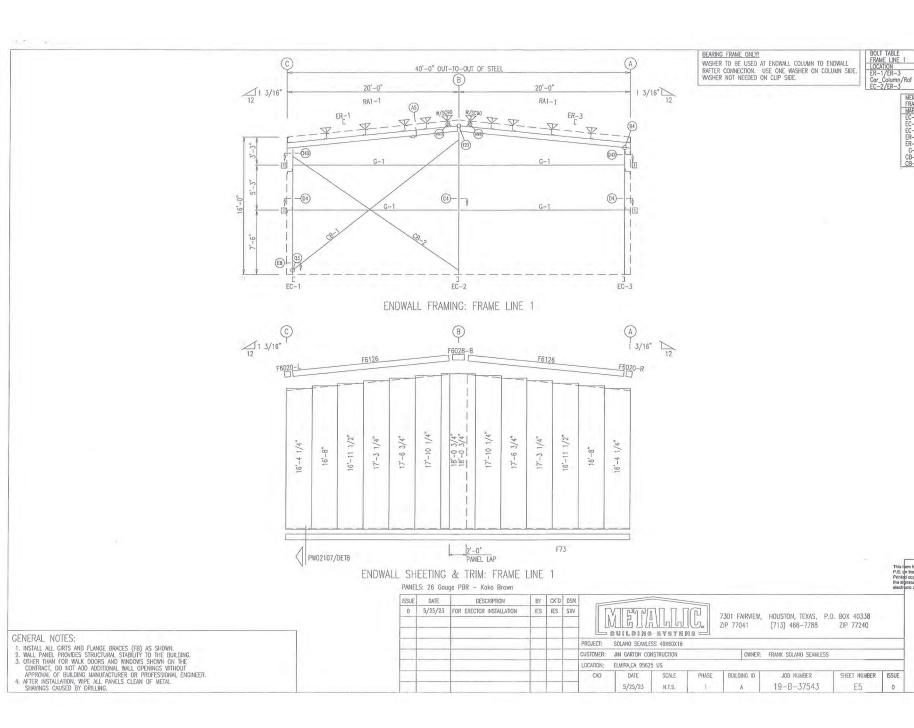
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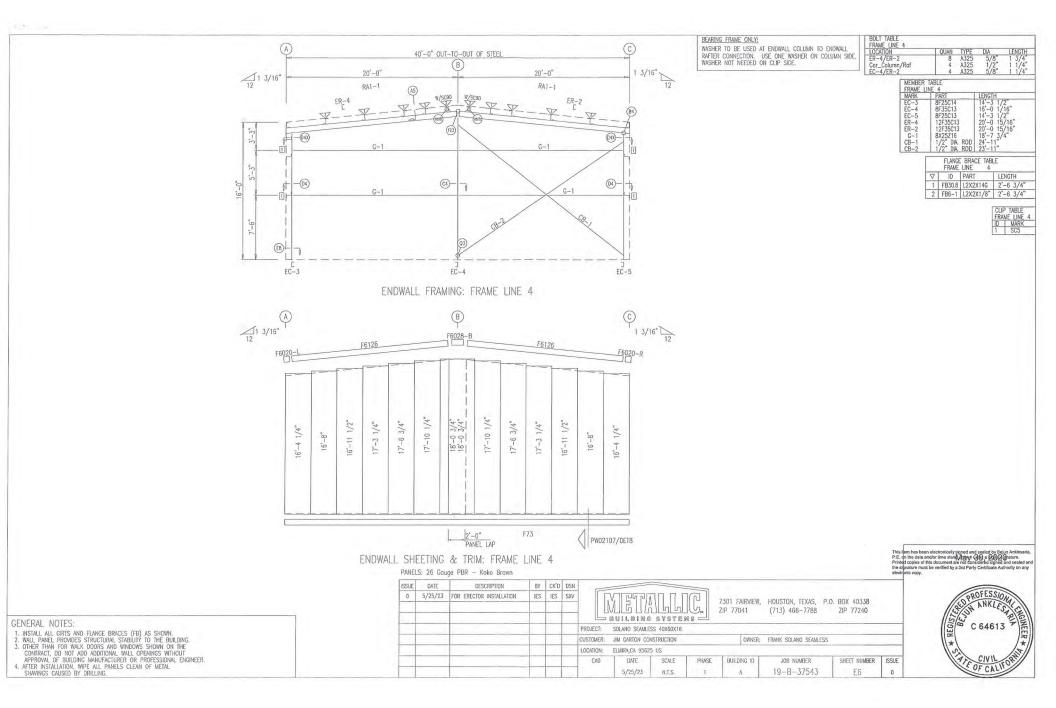
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SOLANO COUNTY ZONING ADMINISTRATOR RESOLUTION NO. XX-XX

WHEREAS, the Solano County Zoning Administrator has considered Minor Use permit application MU-23-06 of Frank Ables for the construction of a 2,400 sq. ft. (40'x60') accessory building to be used for storage and to install a 910 sq. ft. (15.17' x 60') overnight security quarters, located at 6089 A St. Elmira CA 95625, approximately 0.2 miles east of the City of Vacaville in the Residential-Traditional Community, Mixed Use (RTC-MU) Zoning District, APN# 0142-035-010, and;

WHEREAS, said Zoning Administrator has reviewed the report of the Department of Resource Management and heard testimony relative to the subject application at the duly noticed public hearing held on April 18, 2024, and;

WHEREAS, after due consideration, the Zoning Administrator has made the following findings in regard to said proposal:

1. That the establishment, maintenance or operation of the use or building is in conformity to the General Plan for the County with regard to traffic circulation, population densities and distribution, and other aspects of the General Plan considered by the Zoning Administrator to be pertinent.

This project is located within an area designated Traditional Community – Mixed Use (RTC-MU) by the Solano County General Plan Land Use Diagram. The proposed use of a storage building and overnight security quarters, for a neighborhood commercial business, is conditionally allowed within the RTC-MU zoning district.

2. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage and other necessary facilities have been or are being provided.

The site is provided with water through Solano Irrigation District and sewer services by the City of Vacaville Sanitation District. Access is via encroachment off the northern side of A street and Hazen Street.

3. The subject use will not, under the circumstances of this particular case, constitute a nuisance or be detrimental to the health, safety, peace, morals, comfort or general welfare of persons residing or working in or passing through the neighborhood of such proposed use or be detrimental or injurious to property and improvements in the neighborhood or to the general welfare of the County.

As conditioned, the proposed accessory storage structure and the overnight security quarters will not constitute a nuisance to surrounding properties, nor will it be detrimental to the health, safety, or welfare of County residents.

4. The project qualifies for a Class 3 Categorical Exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15303, minor alterations of existing public or private structures and new construction or conversion of small structures. **BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED** that the Zoning Administrator has approved Minor Use permit MU-23-06 subject to the recommended conditions of approval contained below:

General

- 1. The aforementioned accessory structure and the overnight security quarters shall be established in accordance with the application materials and development plans as submitted with MU-23-06, and as approved by the Solano County Zoning Administrator.
- 2. The proposed 910 square foot modular unit is limited to security quarters for the overnight caretaker. If the use of the modular unit changes to a primary dwelling, then the unit shall be replaced by a 1,000 square foot unit or larger in order to meet the minimum size requirement of a primary dwelling in the zoning district.
- 3. Any construction or expansion of the neighborhood commercial business on the existing parcel or adjacent parcel of all additional structures not described by the following will require a Minor Revision or Amendment to this permit unless determined to be in substantial compliance with the approval by the Department of Resource Management.
- 4. Pursuant to Solano County Code 14-10, it is unlawful for any person or persons to engage in, conduct, maintain or carry on outside the limits of incorporated cities in the county, any business or occupation for the sale of any goods, wares, merchandise, foods, drinks, commodities or any services of any nature whatsoever, including short-term rentals, without first having, upon written application, procured a license to do so from the business licensing officer in accordance with the provisions of this chapter or any other ordinance of the county. This provision requires Frank Ables, owner of Solano Seamless, to obtain and comply with Solano County Business License standards as a condition to Minor Use approval.

Action Required	When	Date Completed	Verified by
Obtain a Business License	Within 30 days of Use Permit Issuance		
Address shall be assigned to overnight security quarter	With approval of building permit		

Permit Term

5. As provided for in Section 28.106.N of the County Code, the Department of Resource Management shall verify ongoing compliance with the terms and conditions of this permit through a program of periodic renewals occurring at five (5) year intervals from the date of granting this permit. The cost associated with the periodic reviews shall be charged at that time.

Environmental Health

- 6. Applicant shall record a deed restriction prohibiting the construction of any water wells for domestic or agricultural use shall be executed and recorded prior to issuance of the first building permit.
- 7. A vapor barrier shall be constructed for any habitable structure built on grade.

- 8. Any damage caused during construction for the proposed 40-foot x 60-foot storage building and residence by the applicant or their contractors to the existing monitoring and mitigation system presently being used for case SL185572925 shall be repaired at the applicant's expense.
- 9. The applicant shall create a Hazardous Materials Business Plan (HMBP) on the online California Environmental Reporting System (CERS) if the location stores, manages, and/or uses reportable quantities of hazardous materials in quantities greater than 55 gallons liquid, 200 cubic feet of gas, and/or 500 pounds of solids. The HMBP must be created on CERS within 30 days of bringing the reportable quantities of hazardous materials on site.

Action Required	When	Date Completed	Verified by
A Deed restriction shall be executed prohibiting construction of water wells	Prior to Building Permit Issuance		
Construction of a vapor barrier for security quarters	Prior to installation of security quarters		
Provide a Hazardous Materials Business Plan	Within 30 days of bringing materials on-site.		

Public Works

- 10. Applicant shall apply for, secure, and abide by the conditions of a Grading Permit for any grading or drainage improvements on the property including, but not limited to, building site preparation, private access improvements, parking areas and walkways, as well as any onsite grading exceeding a total of 5,000 sq. ft. Agricultural soil cultivation does not require a Grading Permit.
- 11. Applicant shall apply for, secure, and abide by the conditions of an Encroachment Permit for any work within the public right-of-way. Driveways must be maintained in such a manner as to prevent soil, rocks, and debris from tracking onto A Street and Hazen Street.
- 12. Applicant must ensure that the proposed changes do not have any effect on existing stormwater drainage pattern and the excess flow created by the proposed impervious area is properly mitigated. The applicant shall furnish a Stormwater Management Plan to address both quantity and quality of stormwater and provide measures to mitigate any potential excess flow from the project site.
- 13. Applicant shall furnish a preliminary hydraulic and hydrologic report and grading plan signed and sealed by a registered California Civil Engineer.

Action Required	When	Date Completed	Verified by
Obtain a grading permit for any new structure	Prior to construction		
Applicant shall furnish a Stormwater Management Plan	Prior to construction		

Building

- 14. Applicant shall complete a code analysis for the accessory storage structure, inclusive of fixture count.
- 15. Applicant shall provide a geotechnical report that is required for the accessory storage structure.
- 16. Applicant shall provide accessible parking spaces per Building code 11B-208 and an accessible path of travel through the site to all elements used by the public or by employees.
- 17. Applicant shall provide an automatic fire sprinkler in the manufactured security quarters per county code.
- 18. All drawings (structural & architectural) provided by the applicant shall be signed and sealed by a CA registered architect or engineer.
- 19. Applicant shall provide a solar PV system for the overnight security residence.

Action Required	When	Date Completed	Verified by
Applicant shall file a building permit for both structures	Within one (1) year of use permit issuance		

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted at the regular meeting of the Solano County Zoning Administrator on **April 18, 2024**.

JAMES BEZEK, DIRECTOR RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Allan Calder Planning Program Manager **To:** Office of Planning and Research P.O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento CA 95812-3044

County Clerk County of Solano 675 Texas Street, 6th Floor Fairfield CA 94533 From: (Public Agency): Solano County Department of Resource Management

675 Texas Street, Suite 5500, Fairfield, CA 94533

(Address)

Project Title: _____
Project Applicant: _____
Project Location - Specific:

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: _____ Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Solano County

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Solano County Department of Resource Management

Exempt Status: (check one):

- □ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- □ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- □ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: ______
- □ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Lead Agency

Contact Person:	Area Code/Telep	hone/Extension: (707)	784-3112	
If filed by applicant:				
 Attach certified document of exemption finding. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? □ Yes □ No 				
Signature: Abigail Pipkin	Date:	Title:		

 \blacksquare Signed by Lead Agency \square Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR:

DEPARTMENT OF RESOURCE MANAGEMENT



Planning Services Division

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Zoning Administrator

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Solano County Zoning Administrator will hold a PUBLIC HEARING to consider Minor Use Permit application MU-23-06 by Frank Ables to establish a 40'x60' storage building & a modular unit for overnight security lodging. The project qualifies for a Categorical Exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15303, Class 3, New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures. The project is located at 6089 A St, Elmira in the Residential Traditional Community Mixed Use zoning district, APN: 0142-035-010 (Project Planner: Abi Pipkin, 707-784-6765).

The hearing will be held on **Thursday, April 18, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Department of Resource Management Conference Room, 5th Floor, County Administration Center, 675 Texas Street, Fairfield, California.

The County of Solano does not discriminate against persons with disabilities. If you wish to participate in this meeting and you will require assistance in order to do so, please call 707-784-6765 at least 24 hours in advance of the event to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

<u>In-Person</u>: You may attend the public hearing at the time and location listed above and provide comments during the public speaking period. <u>Phone</u>: You may provide comments verbally from your phone by dialing **1-323-457-3408** and entering Conference ID number **293118721#**. Once entered in the meeting, you will be able to hear the meeting and will be called upon to speak during the public speaking period. <u>Email/Mail</u>: Written comments can be emailed to <u>Planning@SolanoCounty.com</u> or mailed to Resource Management, Zoning Administrator, 675 Texas Street, Suite 5500, Fairfield, CA 94533 and must be received by 8:00 a.m. the day of the meeting. Copies of written comments received will be provided to the Zoning Administrator and will become a part of the official record but will not be read aloud at the meeting.

Staff reports and associated materials will be available to the public approximately one week prior to the meeting at <u>www.solanocounty.com</u> under Departments; Resource Management; Boards, Commissions & Special Districts; Solano County Zoning Administrator.

If you challenge the proposed consideration in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Zoning Administrator at, or prior to, the public hearing.