

#### APPLICATIONS:

### DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING APPLICATION

	THIS BOX FOR CITY PLANNING STAFF USE ONLY
Ca	se Number
En	v. Case Number
	plication Type
Ca	se Filed With (Print Name) Date Filed
Арі	plication includes letter requesting:
	Waived hearing
1.	Provide all information requested. Missing, incomplete or inconsistent information will cause delays.  All terms in this document are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms.  Detailed filing instructions are found on form CP-7810  PROJECT LOCATION (SITUS ADDRESS - 1400 W 190TH ST 90501)  Street Address¹ 19100 HARBORGATE WAY TORRANCE, CA 90501 Unit/Space Number
	Legal Description <sup>2</sup> (Lot, Block, Tract) LOT:6,BLOCK:NONE, TR 52172-01
	Assessor Parcel Number 7351002020 Total Lot Area 120,057.568 sq ft
2.	PROJECT DESCRIPTION
	Present Use RETAIL
	Proposed Use GROCERY STORE
	Project Name (if applicable) 168 MARKET
	Describe in detail the characteristics, scope and/or operation of the proposed project A Conditional Use Permit to all
	ow the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption in conjunction with a 29,739 S
	Grocery Store with daily hours of operation of 8 am to 9 pm in the [Q]C2-1 Zone.
	Additional information attached
	Complete and check all that apply:
	Existing Site Conditions
	☐ Site is undeveloped or unimproved (i.e. vacant) ☐ Site is located within 500 feet of a freeway or railroad
	☑ Site has existing buildings (provide copies of building permits) ☐ Site is located within 500 feet of a sensitive use (e.g. school, park)
	☐ Site is/was developed with use that could release hazardous materials on soil and/or groundwater (e.g. dry cleaning, gas station, auto repair, industrial) ☐ Site has special designation (e.g. National Historic Register, Survey LA)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Street Addresses must include all addresses on the subject/application site (as identified in ZIMAS—http://zimas.lacity.org) <sup>2</sup> Legal Description must include all contiguously owned properties (even if they are not a part of the proposed project site)

Proposed Project Information			☐ Removal of protected trees on site or in the public right of way			te or in the
(Check all that apply or could app			,			aguero foot
☐ Demolition of existing building			New construction:square fee  Accessory use (fence, sign, wireless, carport, etc.			
☐ Relocation of existing building	s/structures					s, carport, etc.)
☐ Interior tenant improvement				ation or alteration		
☐ Additions to existing buildings		$\checkmark$	Change of us	e <u>and/or</u> hours of o	per	ation
☐ Grading			Haul Route			
☐ Removal of any on-site tree			☐ Uses or structures in public right-of-way			way
☐ Removal of any street tree			Phased proje	ct		
Housing Component Information	<u>on</u>					
Number of Residential Units:	Existing Dem	olisł	n(ed) <sup>3</sup>	+ Adding	_ =	Total
Number of Affordable Units <sup>4</sup>	Existing Dem	olisł	n(ed)	+ Adding	_ =	Total
Number of Market Rate Units	Existing Dem	olisł	n(ed)	+ Adding	_ =	Total
Mixed Use Projects, Amount of N	<u>Ion-Residential</u> Floor Area:	_				_square feet
Public Right-of-Way Information	<u>on</u>					
Have you submitted the Planning Is your project required to dedica If so, what is/are your dedication If you have dedication requireme	te land to the public right-of requirement(s)? N/A	f-way	y? □ YES	☑ NO		
ACTION(S) REQUESTED						
Provide the Los Angeles Municipa Section or the Specific Plan/Overla						
Does the project include Multiple A	Approval Requests per LAM	IC 12	2.36?	YES 🗹 N	0	
Authorizing Code Section LAM	C 12.24 W-1					
Code Section from which relief	is requested (if any):					
Action Requested, Narrative: A						
beverages for off-site consumption	n in conjunction with a 29,7	39 S	F Grocery Stor	re with daily hours	of o	peration of 8 am
to 9 pm in the [Q]C2-1 Zone Authorizing Code Section						
Code Section from which relief	is requested (if any):					
Action Requested, Narrative:						
Additional Requests Attached	☐ YES ☑ NO					

Number of units to be demolished and/or which have been demolished within the last five (5) years.
 As determined by the Housing and Community Investment Department

4.	RELATED DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING CASES  Are there previous or pending cases/decisions/environmental clearances on the <u>project site</u> ? ✓ YES ☐ NO  If YES, list all case number(s) ZA 97-0327(CUB)(CUZ)								
	If the <u>application/project</u> is directly related to one of the above cases, list the pertinent case numbers below and complete/check all that apply (provide copy).								
		ase No.	Ordinance No.:						
		Condition compliance review	☐ Clarification of Q (Qualified) classification						
		Modification of conditions	☐ Clarification of D (Development Limitations) classification						
		Revision of approved plans	☐ Amendment to T (Tentative) classification						
		Renewal of entitlement	2 / Wild Hallow to 1 (16 Haddy of state with the st						
		Plan Approval subsequent to Master Conditional U	92						
		for purposes of environmental (CEQA) analysis, is there intent to develop a larger project?							
		ve you filed, or is there intent to file, a Subdivision w	Te intent to develop a larger project.	Z NO					
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		f YES, to either of the above, describe the other parts of the projects or the larger project below, whether or not currently							
	N/A	d with the City: A							
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5.	То	RELATED DOCUMENTS / REFERRALS  To help assigned staff coordinate with other Departments that may have a role in the proposed project, please provide a copy of any applicable form and reference number if known.							
	a.	Specialized Requirement Form							
	b.								
	C.	Citywide Design Guidelines Compliance Review Form							
	d.	Affordable Housing Referral Form							
	e.								
	f.								
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	i.	Expedite Fee Agreement							
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	p.								
	q.		rm water Mitigation)						
	r.		mmunity Investment Department						
	•	Are there any recorded Covenants affidavite or ea	sements on this property? $\square$ YES (provide copy)	J NO					

Applicant <sup>5</sup>	name TAWA RETAIL GROUP		
Company/F	irm		
Address:			Unit/Space Number
City			Zip Code: 90620
Telephone	(714) 521-8899	E-mail: <u>cristina</u>	c@tawa.com
Are you in 6	escrow to purchase the subject pro	perty?	☑ NO
		s applicant 🗵 Differe	
Name (if dif	fferent from applicant) Normandie	e 168, LLC. c/o Property Mana	agement Advisors
Address			Unit/Space Number
City			Zip Code: <u>92701</u>
Telephone	(657) 383-4200	E-mail: mmcgin	inis@ThePMACorp.com
Company/F Address:			Unit/Space Number
City			Zip: 90022
Telephone	(310) 614-8492	E-mail:_Lili@Lic	quorLicenseAgents.com
Name	Firm		
Address:			Unit/Space Number
City			Zip Code:
		E-mail:	
Telephone			

To ensure notification of any public hearing as well as decisions on the project, make sure to include an individual mailing label for each member of the project team in both the Property Owners List, and the Abutting Property Owners List.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> An applicant is a person with a lasting interest in the completed project such as the property owner or a lessee/user of a project. An applicant is not someone filing the case on behalf of a client (i.e. usually not the agent/representative).

#### **PROPERTY OWNER**

- 7. PROPERTY OWNER AFFIDAVIT. Before the application can be accepted, the owner of each property involved must provide a notarized signature to verify the application is being filed with their knowledge. Staff will confirm ownership based on the records of the City Engineer or County Assessor. In the case of partnerships, corporations, LLCs or trusts the agent for service of process or an officer of the ownership entity so authorized may sign as stipulated below.
  - Ownership Disclosure. If the property is owned by a partnership, corporation, LLC or trust, a disclosure identifying the agent for service or process or an officer of the ownership entity must be submitted. The disclosure must list the names and addresses of the principal owners (25% interest or greater). The signatory must appear in this list of names. A letter of authorization, as described below, may be submitted provided the signatory of the letter is included in the Ownership Disclosure. Include a copy of the current partnership agreement, corporate articles, or trust document as applicable.
  - Letter of Authorization (LOA). A LOA from a property owner granting someone else permission to sign the application form may be provided if the property is owned by a partnership, corporation, LLC or trust or in rare circumstances when an individual property owner is unable to sign the application form. To be considered for acceptance, the LOA must indicate the name of the person being authorized the file, their relationship to the owner or project, the site address, a general description of the type of application being filed and must also include the language in items A-D below. In the case of partnerships, corporations, LLCs or trusts the LOA must be signed and notarized by the authorized signatory as shown on the Ownership Disclosure or in the case of private ownership by the property owner. Proof of Ownership for the signatory of the LOA must be submitted with said letter.
  - Grant Deed. Provide a Copy of the Grant Deed If the ownership of the property does not match City Records and/or if the application is for a Coastal Development Permit. The Deed must correspond exactly with the ownership listed on the application.
  - Multiple Owners. If the property is owned by more than one individual (e.g. John and Jane Doe or Mary Smith and Mark Jones) notarized signatures are required of all owners.
  - a. I hereby certify that I am the owner of record of the herein previously described property located in the City of Los Angeles which is involved in this application or have been empowered to sign as the owner on behalf of a partnership, corporation, LLC or trust as evidenced by the documents attached hereto.
  - b. I hereby consent to the filing of this application on my property for processing by the Department of City Planning.
  - c. I understand if the application is approved, as a part of the process the City will apply conditions of approval which may be my responsibility to satisfy including, but not limited to, recording the decision and all conditions in the County Deed Records for the property.
  - d. By my signature below, I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing statements are true and correct.

Property Owner's signatures must be signed/notarized in the presence of a Notary Public.

The City requires an original signature from the property owner with the "wet" notary stamp.

A Notary Acknowledgement is available for your convenience on following page.

Signature			>	Date 4-11	-97
Print Name	Michael	H. MUBEL			
Signature				Date	
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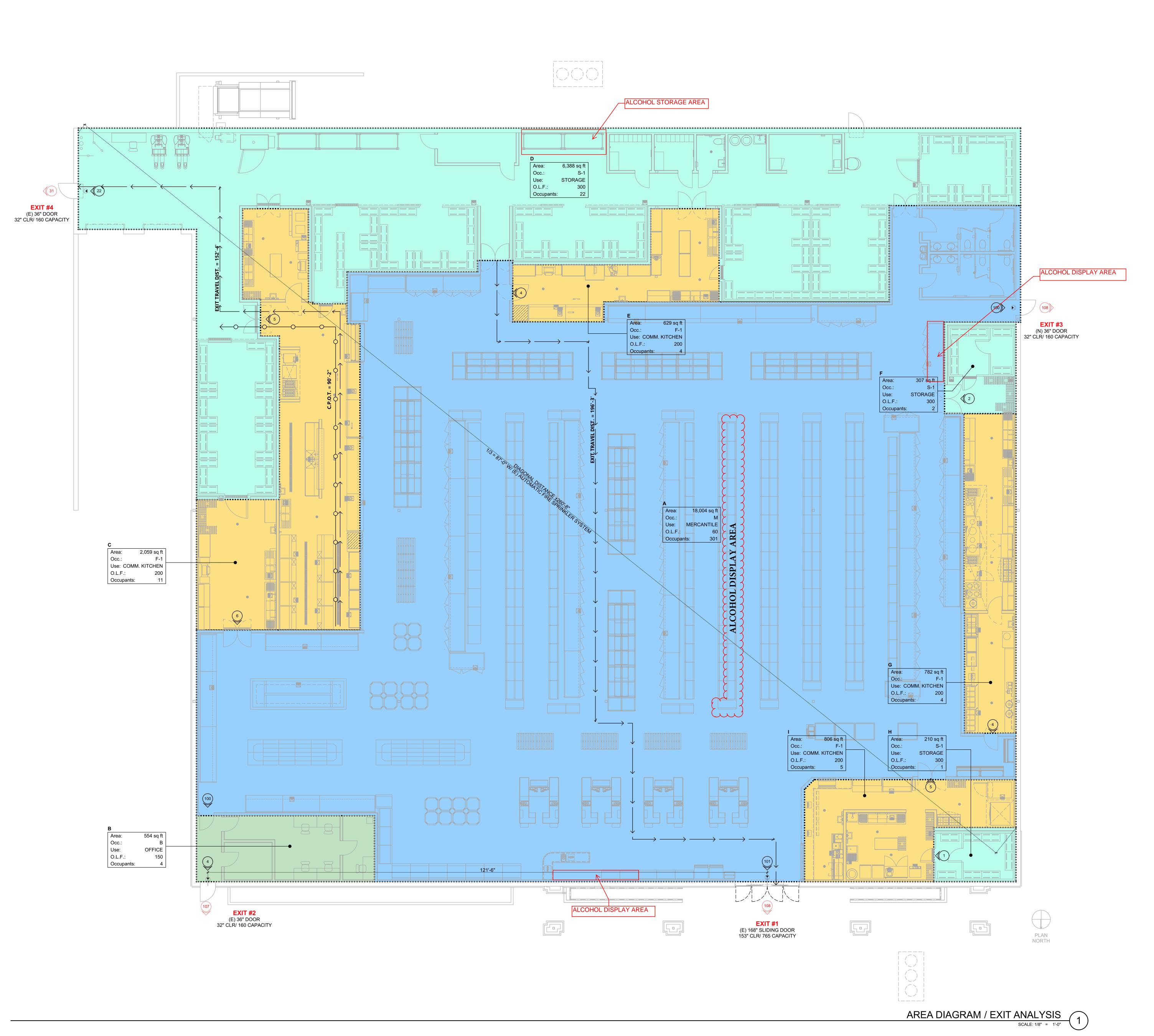
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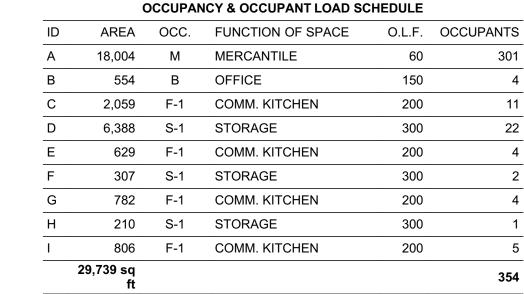
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A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individud document, to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document	ual who signed the locument.
State of California	
County of Ovange	
On April 11, 2022 before me, Nate Terry Moture (Insert Name of Notary Public and Title)	Public
personally appeared  proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are sub instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized c by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf on which executed the instrument.	apacity(ies), and that
I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing process.	paragraph is true and
WITNESS my hand and official seal.    Vicola   Comm. # Notary Public Orange   My comm. Expire	

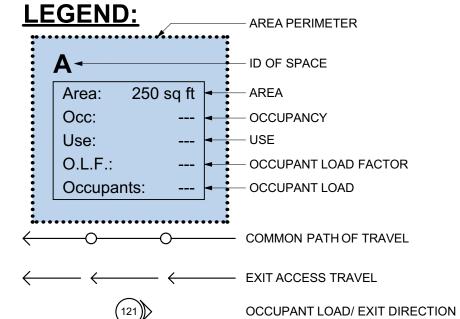
#### **APPLICANT**

- **8. APPLICANT DECLARATION.** A separate signature from the applicant, whether they are the property owner or not, attesting to the following, is required before the application can be accepted.
  - a. I hereby certify that the information provided in this application, including plans and other attachments, is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, should the stated information be found false or insufficient to fulfill the requirements of the Department of City Planning, I agree to revise the information as appropriate.
  - b. I hereby certify that I have fully informed the City of the nature of the project for purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and have not submitted this application with the intention of segmenting a larger project in violation of CEQA. I understand that should the City determine that the project is part of a larger project for purposes of CEQA, the City may revoke any approvals and/or stay any subsequent entitlements or permits (including certificates of occupancy) until a full and complete CEQA analysis is reviewed and appropriate CEQA clearance is adopted or certified.
  - c. I understand that the environmental review associated with this application is preliminary, and that after further evaluation, additional reports, studies, applications and/or fees may be required. .
  - d. I understand and agree that any report, study, map or other information submitted to the City in furtherance of this application will be treated by the City as public records which may be reviewed by any person and if requested, that a copy will be provided by the City to any person upon the payment of its direct costs of duplication.
  - e. I understand that the burden of proof to substantiate the request is the responsibility of the applicant. Additionally, I understand that planning staff are not permitted to assist the applicant or opponents of the project in preparing arguments for or against a request.
  - f. I understand that there is no guarantee, expressed or implied, that any permit or application will be granted. I understand that each matter must be carefully evaluated and that the resulting recommendation or decision may be contrary to a position taken or implied in any preliminary discussions.
  - g. I understand that if this application is denied, there is no refund of fees paid.
  - i. I understand and agree to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless, the City, its officers, agents, employees, and volunteers (collectively "City), from any and all legal actions, claims, or proceedings (including administrative or alternative dispute resolution (collectively "actions"), arising out of any City process or approval prompted by this Action, either in whole or in part. Such actions include but are not limited to: actions to attack, set aside, void, or otherwise modify, an entitlement approval, environmental review, or subsequent permit decision; actions for personal or property damage; actions based on an allegation of an unlawful pattern and practice; inverse condemnation actions; and civil rights or an action based on the protected status of the petitioner or claimant under state or federal law (e.g. ADA or Unruh Act). I understand and agree to reimburse the City for any and all costs incurred in defense of such actions. This includes, but it not limited to, the payment of all court costs and attorneys' fees, all judgments or awards, damages, and settlement costs. The indemnity language in this paragraph is intended to be interpreted to the broadest extent permitted by law and shall be in addition to any other indemnification language agreed to by the applicant.
  - i. By my signature below, I declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that all statements contained in this application and any accompanying documents are true and correct, with full knowledge that all statements made in this application are subject to investigation and that any false or dishonest answer to any question may be grounds for denial or subsequent revocation of license or permit.

The City requires an original signature from the applicant.	The applicant's signature below does no	ot need to be notarized.
Signature:	Date:	4/12/22
Print Name: Jonson Chen	<del></del>	







### **EXIT ANALYSIS:**

CONSTRUCTION TYPE: V-B
SPRINKLERED: YES
NUMBER OF STORIES: 1

OCCUPANCY: M, F-1, B, S-1 (NON-SEPARATED)
OCCUPANT LOAD: 354

### EXIT REQUIREMENTS:

FLOOR AREA:

# OF EXITS RQUIRED:

EXIT WIDTH REQUIRED: 354 x 0.2 IN / OCCUPANT =

MAX. TRAVEL DISTANCE:

MAX. COMMON PATH OF TRAVEL:
75 FEET (M OCC.)
100 FEET (B, F-1, S-1 OCC.)
EXIT PROVIDED:

71" REQUIRED

250 FEET (M, F-1, S-1 OCC.)

EXIT #1 153" BREAKAWAY DOOR 153" CLR
EXIT #2 36" SWING DOOR 32" CLR
EXIT #3 36" SWING DOOR 32" CLR
EXIT #4 36" SWING DOOR 32" CLR

# OF EXITS: 4 (2 REQ., O.K.)
TOTAL EXIT WIDTH: 249" (71" REQ., O.K.)

50% CAPACITY: LOSS OF ANY ONE MEANS OF EGRESS SHALL NOT REDUCE THE AVAILABLE CAPACITY TO LESS THAN 50 PERCENT OF THE REQUIRED CAPACITY. REQUIRED: 71"/2 = 35.5" PROVIDED: 249" - 153" = 96" > 35.5", OK

# 168 MARKET TENANT IMPROVEMENT

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Dennis J. Lee, Architect dennisl@coardesign.com

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REUSE OF THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

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DEFEND THE ARCHITECT AGAINST ALL DAMAGES, CLAIMS AND LOSSES, INCLUDING

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19100 HARBORGATE WAY
TORRANCE, CA 90501

TAWA RETAIL GROUP 6338 REGIO AVE., BUENA PARK, CA 90620

1	SCHEMATIC DESIGN	9/3/21
2	SCHEMATIC DESIGN	9/9/21
3	PROGRESS REVIEW	9/20/21
4	PROGRESS REVIEW	10/20/21
5	LANDLORD REVIEW SET	11/18/21
6	1ST PLAN CHECK SUBMITTAL	11/22/21

PROJECT NO: 202113

SCALE: AS SHOWN

DATE: 11/18/2021

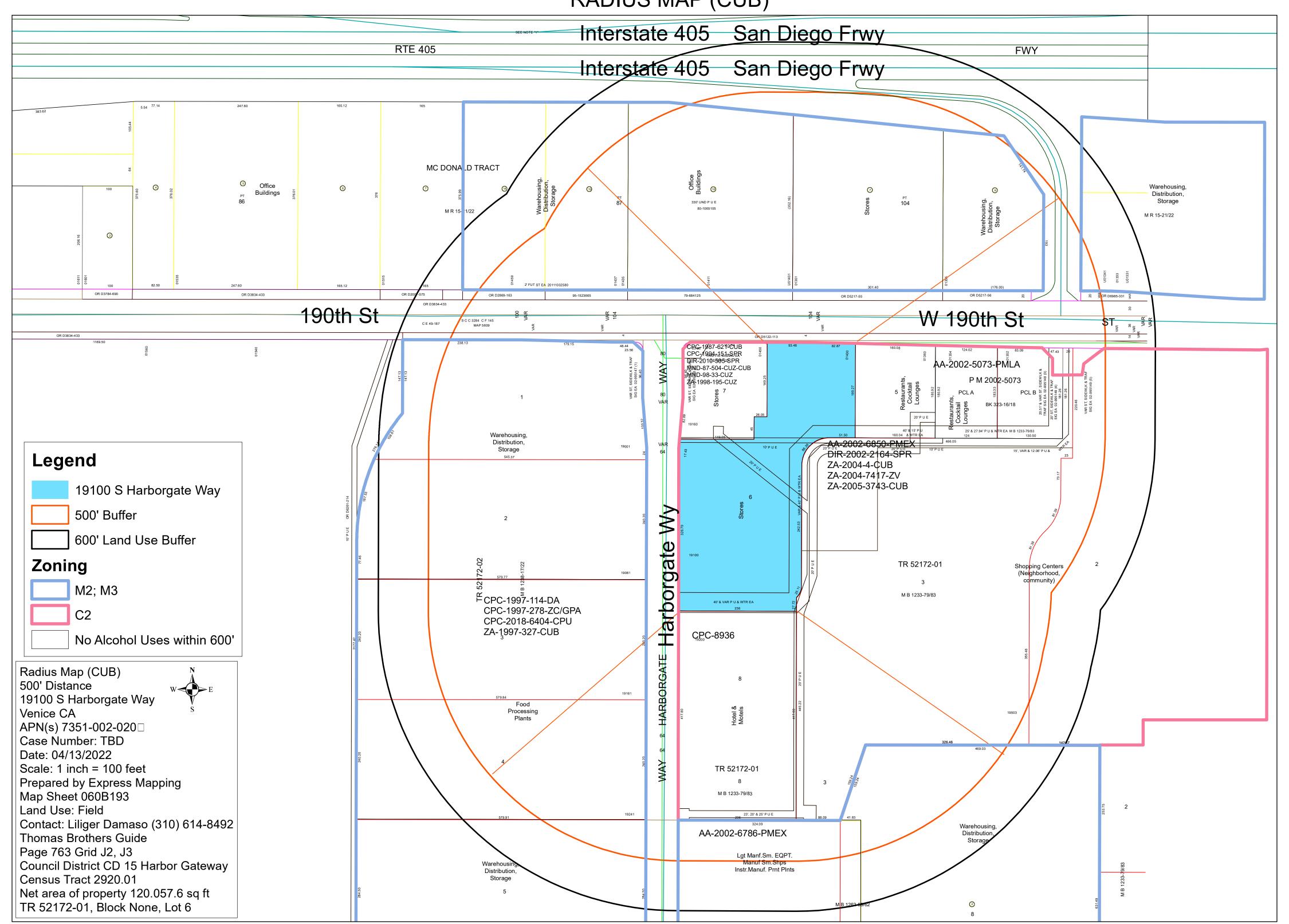
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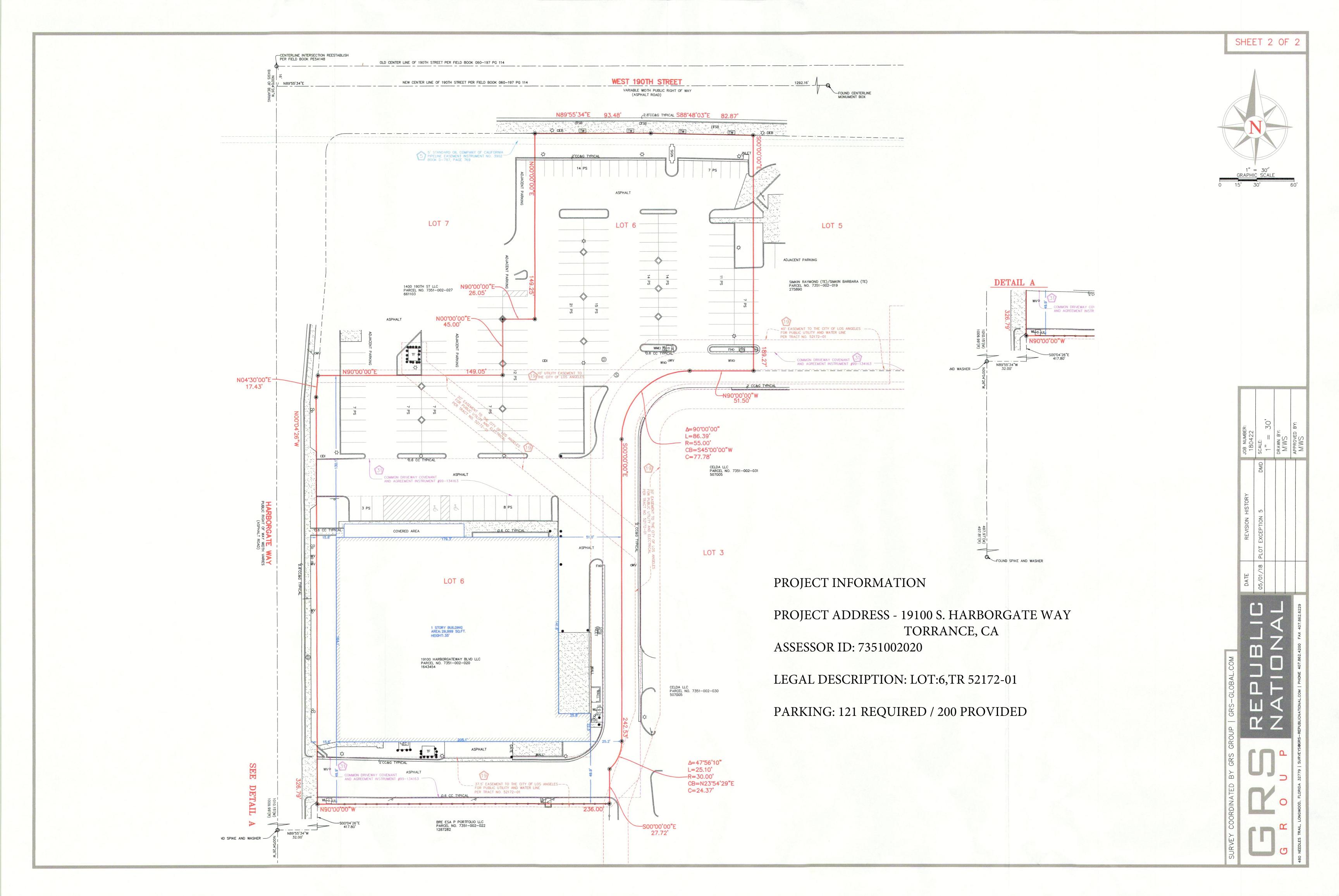
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AREA DIAGRAMS/ EXIT ANALYSIS

**A-0.3** 

### RADIUS MAP (CUB)







#### **CONDITIONAL USE FINDINGS**

#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION/REQUEST:

The Applicant, **Tawa Retail Group** (DBA 168 Market), is seeking a new CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, pursuant to LAMC Section 12.24 W.1, to allow the following the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages (Type 21 ABC Liquor License) for off-site consumption, in conjunction with a new approx. 29,739 sq ft supermarket.

The proposed hours of operation inclusive of alcohol serving hours are 8:00 am to 9:00 pm daily. The site is located within the [Q]C2-1 Zone at 19100 S HARBORGATE WAY within the Harbor Gateway Community Plan area.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The project property is in an irregular shaped parcel of land, consisting of approximately 120,057.56 square-foot developed site, having a frontage of approximately 355 ft on Harborgate Way, and 187 ft on 190<sup>th</sup> Street. The site is a corner lot which is bound by industrially zoned properties to the north, east and west. The site is zoned [Q]C2-1 with a general plan designation of Neighborhood Office Commercial. The subject site is located within the ZI-2130 State Enterprise Zone: Harbor Gateway; ZI-2498 Local Emergency Temporary Regulations - Time Limits and Parking Relief - LAMC 16.02.1; ZI-2427 Freeway Adjacent Advisory Notice for Sensitive Uses, and the ZI-1192 Border Zone Property: 2000 ft. Buffer Zone (19200 South Western Avenue).

#### **168 MARKET:**

Since 2006, 168 Supermarket has provided the American people with a variety of fresh ingredients from Asia. They provide California and Nevada residents with a wider variety of Asian products at the cheapest and most reasonable prices to meet clients' needs and add a touch of color to our life. With 6 store locations throughout Southern California and Nevada, 168 Market serves communities across all ethnicities to provide an assortment of international and Asian items all at the lowest prices.

168 market strives to be a unique Asian marketplace serving quality ingredients at great prices. They aim to deliver tasty ingredients to fulfill taste buds and serve their thriving multi-ethnic



communities. From fresh produce, live seafood, fresh-cut meats to tons of grocery items, they provide top ingredients at unbeatable prices.

#### **RELATED PRIOR CASES:**

CASE NO. ZA 97-0327(CUB)(CUZ) CONDITIONAL USE: On June 25th,1997, the Zoning administrator approved Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Sections 12.24-C,33 and 38 - A conditional use to permit the sale and dispensing of all full line of alcoholic beverages for on-site consumption for a maximum of four establishments with two establishments having live entertainment and dancing with hours of operation from 7 a.m. to 2 a.m., and Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.24-C,42 - a conditional use to permit the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption for a maximum of three establishments operating 24 hours per day, seven days per week and Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.24-C- a conditional use to permit floor area ratio averaging for the office and industrial portions of a unified development project, all of the above in conjunction with the development of a 170-acre site with approximately 3 million square feet of retail, office and industrial park uses (approximately 450,000 square feet of retail, 507,000 square feet of office and 2,010,700 square feet of industrial), in the M3-1 Zone

#### **GENERAL FINDINGS:**

That the project will enhance the built environment in the surrounding neighborhood or will perform a function or provide a service that is essential or beneficial to the community, city, or region.

The applicant is requesting a conditional use permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages for offsite consumption in conjunction with a new 168supermarket. The issuance of a Conditional Use Permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages enhances the services that the project brings to the community. The supermarket will continue to activate both the building and the sidewalk, as well as to provide the commercial community with much-desired services and goods. In a dense urban area, it is important for the street to be as diverse as possible, and for several establishments to stay active and vital along a commercial corridor, such as 190<sup>th</sup> Street.

The proposed grocery store promotes pedestrian activity as employees from the surrounding commercial areas will have a variety of food choices and services within walking distance from their jobs. The proposed project's aim is to improve the function, design and economic vitality of the commercial corridors that is in line with the Community Plan's goals. The proposed project would also boost the built environment in the surrounding area. Obtaining a Conditional Use



Permit for the project is a reasonable way to contribute to the Community Plan's objectives. The project will provide greater opportunities for quality food and a key meeting place for the community could be the new market.

For a large well-known specialty grocery retailer such as 168 Market, the public has come to expect it to carry a specific set of Asian and American products, including alcoholic beverages. 168 Market intends to offer a wide selection of Asian and American alcoholic beverages on shelves. The stores' ability to offer its customers beer, wine and distilled spirits for off-site consumption is an important part of its success.

As such, the location can be deemed to be desirable to the public convenience and welfare and is proper in relation to the surrounding uses. The request does not represent the introduction of a new use to the area. This request is consistent with other similar facilities that combine a mixture of retail and office use. Restaurants and markets are frequently used by shoppers and office workers. The location is within an area which is developed with a range of commercial uses which also include retail and restaurant locations. The proposal remains in keeping with the nature of the development in the area. As such, the use will continue to serve a function and provide a service that will be beneficial to the community, which in conjunction with the imposition of a number of conditions addressing operational measures will result in the enhancement of the built environment.

That the project's location, size, height, operations and other significant features will be compatible with and will not adversely affect or further degrade adjacent properties, the surrounding neighborhood, or the public health, welfare, and safety.

The site currently hosts a variety of service and retail uses, and restaurants all which do not create negative impact to the surrounding area. The existing space is compatible with the adjacent properties and will not have an adverse impact on the surrounding neighborhood. The location is desirable to the public convenience and welfare.

A high-quality Supermarket and restaurant will not be materially detrimental to the character of the neighborhood or the building in which it is situated. The commercial development is going to keep the building active and leased. The use is complementary to the visitors and workers from the office developments of the surrounding area.



The commercial use increases the use of the land, gives visitors and employees the opportunity to enjoy services, food and drink without having to drive elsewhere, offers a unique, high-quality shopping and eating experience and adds to the mix of use in the

building and in the immediate vicinity. Finally, 168 Market will generate revenue and jobs, thus enhancing the economic vitality of this commercial area, especially during these times.

Provision of a quality establishment that is effectively maintained and operated, with ample lighting and trained staff, enhances neighborhood aesthetics, convenience, livability and security. With hours of operation from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. daily, the project will help improve the safety, lighting and attractiveness of the nighttime location.

The supermarket with ancillary alcohol uses will provide the community with an economically viable and respected commercial establishment as part of its neighborhood-serving retail.

### That the project substantially conforms with the purpose, intent and provisions of the General Plan, the applicable community plan, and any applicable specific plan.

The property is located in The Harbor-Gateway Community Plan and designated for Neighborhood Office Commercial uses. Neither the General Plan nor the Community Plan text specifically addresses the sale of alcoholic beverages. However, the Los Angeles Municipal Code authorizes the Zoning Administrator to grant the requested Conditional Use Permit in the [Q]C2-1 Zone.

The requested entitlement is consistent with a number of the General Plan's objectives and policies land uses such as:

- √ Improving the function, design, and economic vitality of commercial areas.
- Preserving and enhancing the positive characteristics of existing uses which provide the foundation for community identity, such as scale, height, bulk, setbacks, and appearance.
- ✓ Maximizing development opportunities around future transit systems while minimizing any adverse impacts on residential neighborhoods.
- ✓ Preserving and strengthening commercial developments to provide a diverse job producing economic base and through design guidelines and physical improvements, enhancing the appearance of these areas.

The proposed use appears to be consistent with several Harbor Gateway Community Plan's objectives and policies including the following:



The commercial lands designated by this Plan are adequate in quantity to serve the projected population into the future, for neighborhood and community shopping and business uses

The Plan proposes that most commercially zoned land be retained for commercial purposes. The Plan provides approximately 86 acres (3 percent of total area) for commercial and related parking uses. Commercial areas in the community along Gardena Boulevard between Vermont and Hoover Avenues and along Carson Street between Western and Normandie Avenues are proposed to be further developed for neighborhood shopping to provide daily convenience services to people living nearby.

Retail uses are permitted by the plan designation and C2-1 Zone classification of the property. At the proposed location, the proposed use will promote beer, wine and distilled spirits options for area's commercial business community as well as for the nearby residents and visitors.

The request to sell alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption in conjunction with a proposed supermarket is consistent with the Neighborhood Office Commercial land use designation and therefore in harmony with the General Plan.

#### **ADDITIONAL CUB FINDINGS:**

#### The proposed use will not adversely affect the welfare of the pertinent community.

The sale of alcoholic beverages is expected to accompany most of the grocery stores. The subject property is zoned for commercial uses and will be utilized as such with the proposed alcohol sales in conjunction with a grocery store. The use will not adversely affect the economic welfare of the community because the establishment will positively impact the financial health of the property and improve the economic vitality of the area via increases in taxable revenue and local employment. The sale of beer, wine and distilled spirits in this location for off-site consumption will not represent the introduction of a new use to the area. The approval of the conditional use will not adversely affect the welfare of the pertinent community as the request does not include public dancing, a cocktail lounge, or Live entertainment. This assures a use which is both convenient to patrons, respects the welfare of the community and furthers the goals of the Community Plan.

### Explain how the approval of the application will not result in or contribute to an undue concentration of such establishments.

According to the California State Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control licensing criteria, 5 on-site and 2 off-site licenses are allocated to the subject Census Tract No. 2920.01. There are



currently 7 existing on-site and 5 existing off-site active licenses within this census tract; thus, resulting in a continued undue concentration of alcohol establishments in the area. However, considering how the surrounding area is a mixture of commercial, retail, restaurant and residential uses, the thresholds are unrealistically low.

Over-concentration is not undue when the approval of a license does not negatively impact an area, but rather such license benefits the public welfare and convenience. The project will not adversely affect community welfare because retail uses are a desirable use in this area which will continue to develop in the coming years and must accommodate the denser, pedestrian-oriented populations. Further, the conditions imposed herein by the Zoning Administrator will ensure that the additional establishment selling alcohol does not have a negative effect on the pertinent community.

Grocery stores offer a convenient service to the population working and visiting the area as well as to the customers and residents. It's important to note that the commercial strength of the development in the immediate area logically results in the presence of many and new restaurants and retail establishments some of which involve the serving of alcoholic beverages.

### Explain how the approval of the application will not detrimentally affect nearby residential zones or uses.

The following sensitive uses are located within a 1,000-foot radius of the project site:

• Single Family Residential (60 parcels)

The applicant understands the character of the neighborhood and is committed to help preserve such character through responsible service of alcohol as an ancillary use. This project will contribute to this neighborhood by serving the neighboring residents, local employees as well as visitors. Therefore, the project will not detrimentally affect residentially zoned properties or any other sensitive uses in the area.

The applicant is fully aware of the responsibility of serving alcoholic beverages and will take all necessary measures to ensure it is cohesive with its neighboring establishments that also serve beer, wine, and distilled spirits as an ancillary service. No detrimental effects should be expected from approval of this request.



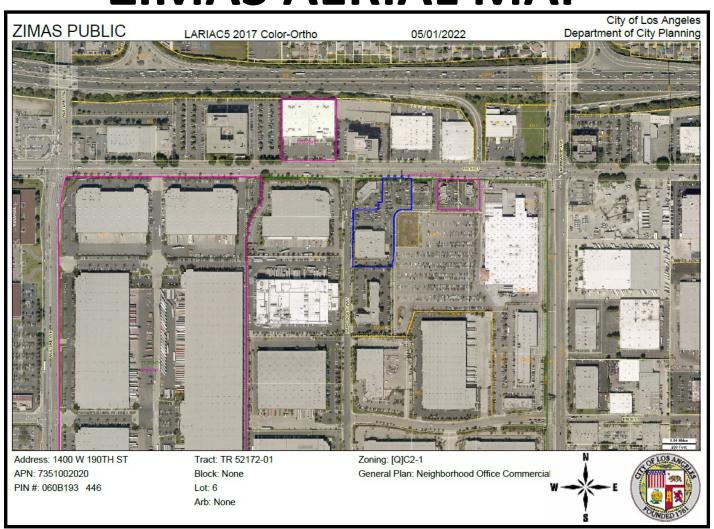
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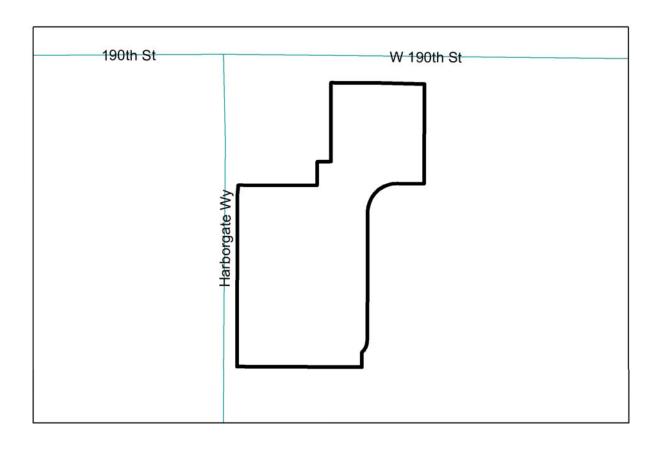
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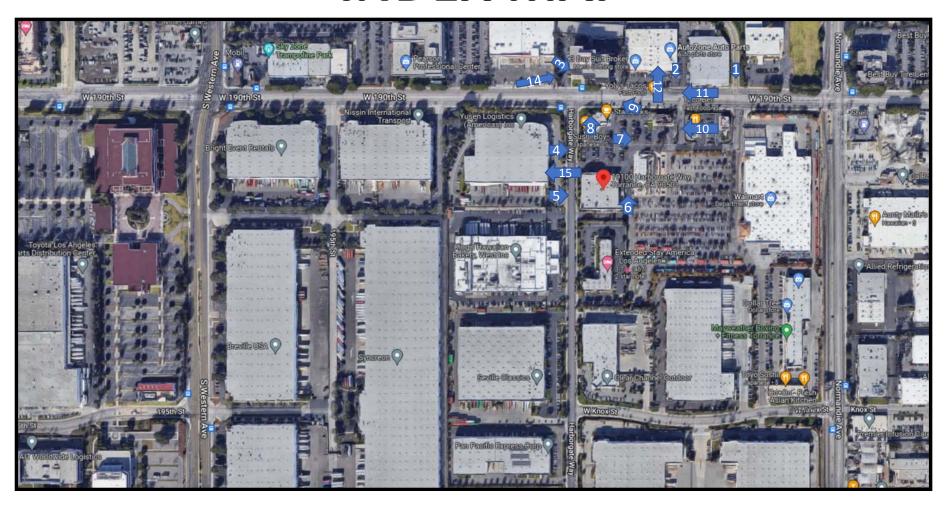
### **ZIMAS AERIAL MAP**



### **SUBJECT SITE MAP**



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