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CITY OF ATASCADERO DESIGN REVIEW COMMITTEE AGENDA

Committee Meeting Thursday, July 15, 2021 2:00 P.M.

City Hall 6500 Palma Avenue Atascadero, California

CALL TO ORDER

Roll Call: Chairperson Heather Newsom Vice Chairperson Susan Funk Committee Member Emily Baranek Committee Member Dennis Schmidt Committee Member Jeff van den Eikhof

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENT

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. APPROVAL OF THE MAY 13, 2021 DRAFT MINUTES



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DEVELOPMENT PROJECT REVIEW

2. <u>DESIGN AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMPATIBILITY REVIEW OF AN ADDITION</u> <u>TO A MULTI-FAMILY COLONY HOME AT 7200 NAVAJOA AVE</u>

The request consists of design and neighborhood compatibility review of a new two-story 1,033 square foot addition to an existing multi-family Colony home.

<u>Recommendation</u>: Staff requests the DRC review the proposed revised design concept and direct the applicant to make any modifications to the site or building design as necessary (PRE21-0063).

COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS AND REPORTS

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

ADJOURNMENT

The next DRC meeting is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, August 12, 2021, at 2:00 p.m.

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CITY OF ATASCADERO DESIGN REVIEW COMMITTEE

DRAFT MINUTES

Regular Meeting – Thursday, May 13, 2021 – 2:00 P.M. City Hall (Teleconference) 6500 Palma Avenue, Atascadero, CA

CALL TO ORDER - 2:00 p.m.

Chairperson Newsom called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

- Present: By Teleconference Chairperson Heather Newsom Vice Chairperson Susan Funk Committee Member Emily Baranek Committee Member Dennis Schmidt Committee Member Jeff van den Eikhof
- Absent: None

Others Present: **By Teleconference** - Recording Secretary, Jessica Applegate

Staff Present: **By Teleconference** Community Development Director, Phil Dunsmore Senior Planner, Kelly Gleason Associate Planner, John Holder Assistant Planner, Mariah Gasch Associate Civil Engineer, Lori Azeem

Others Present: By Teleconference

Various members of the public



DATE: 7-15-21

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: By Vice Chairperson Funk and seconded by Committee Member Schmidt to approve the Agenda.

Motion passed by 5:0 by a roll call vote.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None Chairperson Newsom closed the Public Comment period.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. <u>APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 29, 2021 DRAFT MINUTES</u>

MOTION: By Committee Member Schmidt and seconded by Vice Chairperson Funk to approve the Consent Calendar with the following change:

"Applicant to work with the HOA on an agreement to have the applicant responsible for maintenance of the streets of Cashin and Bliss between their entrances off of Santa Barbara and the parking lot."

Motion passed by 5:0 by a roll call vote.

DEVELOPMENT PROJECT REVIEW

2. <u>DESIGN AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMPATABILITY REVIEW OF DEL RIO</u> <u>RANCH LOCATED (ON THE FORMER WALMART SITE) AT 2055 EL</u> <u>CAMINO REAL</u>

The request consists of design and neighborhood compatibility review of the Del Rio Ranch project located on the former Walmart site. The proposed project consists of a retail/commercial center, conference building, amphitheater, RV lodging site, hotel, and relocation of the residentially zoned portion of the site along Rio Rita Road. The Project is proposed as a tiered review project with more detailed architectural and site design plans submitted prior to construction of each phase. Exceptions to the current height regulations are contemplated for the commercial/entertainment portion of the project.

<u>Recommendation</u>: Staff requests the DRC review the proposed revised design concept and direct the applicant to make any modifications to the site or building design as necessary prior to Planning Commission and City Council review. (AMND21-0020)

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Ex Parte Communications

Planner Gleason presented the project, and she and Director Dunsmore answered questions from the Committee.

Ted Lawton with Cal Costal LLC also gave a presentation on the proposed project and answered questions from the Committee.

PUBLIC COMMENT

The following members of the public spoke during public comment: Mike Manchak.

Email from Scott Huffman was read by Recording Secretary Applegate and will be entered into the record by Recording Secretary Applegate (see Exhibit A)

Chairperson Newsom closed the Public Comment period.

Staff and the applicant answered questions raised during public comment.

The Committee agreed on the following recommendation:

1. The three-phase project is to come back to DRC for review in each phase for recommendations and approval but the project will move on to Planning Commission.

COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS AND REPORTS

None

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Director Dunsmore stated that there is no date set for the next DRC meeting. Director Dunsmore explained the difference between Entitlements and Appeals to clarify some questions that came up regarding those topics.

ADJOURNMENT – 4:17 p.m.

There is no date set for the next regular meeting of the DRC.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:

Jessica Applegate, Recording Secretary Administrative Support Assistant

The following Exhibit is available in the Community Development Department: Huffman, Scott (Exhibit A)

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Atascadero Design Review Committee

Staff Report – Community Development Department

MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DESIGN REVIEW, 7200 NAVAJOA

MEETING DATE	PROJECT PLANNER		APPLICANT CONTACT		PLN NO.
7/15/2021	Mariah Gasch, Assistant Planner		Jerry Dawson, owner		PRE21-0063
RECOMMENDATION					
Staff recommends DRC: Review the conceptual site plan and building designs for a 2-story, 1,053 square foot addition to an existing historic colony home in the Residential Multi-Family zone and provide recommendations for any potential design modifications.					
PROJECT ADDRESS		GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION	ZONING DISTRICT	ASSESOR PARCEL NUMBER(S)	SITE AREA
7200 Navajoa Ave.		Medium Density Residential (MDR)	Residential Multi-family - 10 (RMF-10)	031-043-030	0.37 acres
PROJECT DESCRIPTION					
The proposed project includes a new 1,053 square foot two story addition onto the back of an existing colony home. Appearance review (DRC) is required for all new structures in the multi-family zone.					
ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION					
The City of Atascadero's environmental review process incorporates the requirements in implementing the California Environmental Quality Act. Persons, agencies, or organizations interested in obtaining more information regarding the environmental should contact the Community Development Department.					
□ EIR / MND / ND / □ Statutory Exemption to be circulated		Prior CEQA Reviev	v: Exemption	152	lo Project - § 68 isterial Project

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DISCUSSION:

Background

The subject site is a multi-family residential lot (RMF-10) with an existing Colony home. Colony homes are considered historic resources in the City and General Plan policies guide the treatment of such properties In January 2018, the Design Review Committee reviewed the design of two new multi-family units built above a garage as well as new parking and landscaping on this site adjacent to the Colony hime. These improvements are still under construction.

Project Description

The proposed project includes a 1,053 square foot addition to the back of the existing Colony house. The first floor addition is 392 square feet and includes a kitchen and pantry. This will connect to a 344 square foot covered porch. The second floor addition is 661 square feet and includes a new master bedroom.

Analysis

1. Architectural Design

The existing Colony Home on the subject site is identified on the Historical Society's list of historical structures built between 1913 and 1927. The structure's integrity has been preserved over the years and still has many key historic features, including the deep porch, front dormer, wide window trim, groupings of double and triple hung windows, and horizontal siding. With development of any lot that includes a historic structure, it is important that new additions compliment and do not distract from the historic building consistent with the Secretary of Interiors standards for historic structures. The following General Plan policy speaks to historic resources:

Policy 6.4: Encourage conservation and preservation of structures and houses that have historical and architectural significance.

Applicable Programs:

1. Protect historic buildings and sites. Atascadero's historic buildings and features shall be preserved and protected in recognition of the role the community's past plays in its present and future. Historic overlay zoning shall be utilized to protect appropriate historic districts.

2. Utilize the State Historic Building Code to encourage rehabilitation, preservation, restoration or relocation of historic buildings listed or deemed on the local, State or Federal register.

4. Utilize the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Properties to assess proposed improvements to historic properties.





Existing Colony Home at 7200 Navajoa

In accordance with the Secretary of Interior standards, significant historic features of a building shall be preserved. Additions may be added, however the addition should be differentiated from the original structure, while still complementing the architecture.

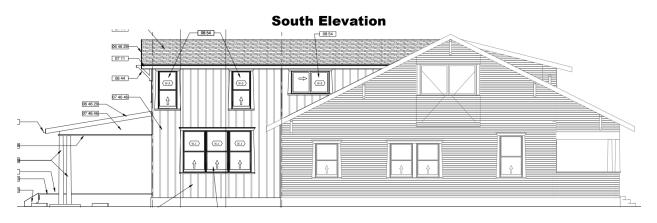
The proposed addition replaces an existing rear patio with pavers and incorporates details of the Colony home. These include groupings of hung windows, wide window trim and a consistent color scheme of green siding with white trim. The elevation drawing notes vertical fiber-cement siding and trim for the new addition. The elevation drawing also notes ornamental woodwork along the roofline to match what is existing on the Colony home. The new covered porch on the back includes an overhang above the first story with painted wood fascia and additional siding. The remainder of the porch includes wood patio decking, wood stairs and wood posts.

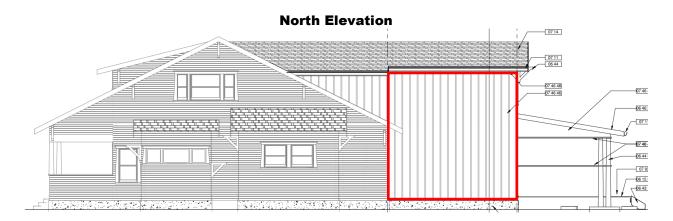
The addition is proposed to match the existing building's height at approximately 23 feet. The setbacks for the new addition are five feet from the southern (side) property line and twenty-five feet from the western (rear) property line. Staff is looking for input from the DRC regarding the blank wall facing the north. The wall faces internally into the property and will be largely hidden from view offsite. However, staff is recommending an architectural feature or additional landscaping to break up the large blank wall.



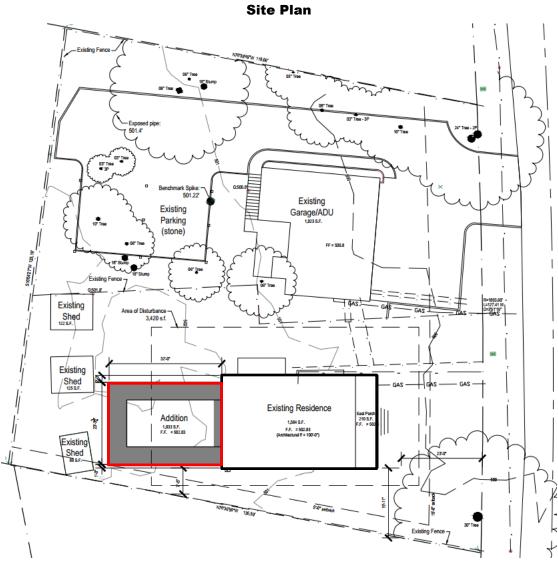
Proposed Concept











DRC DISCUSSION ITEMS:

• Architectural design of proposed addition and compatibility with Colony home including the blank wall facing the north.

Recommended conditions:

• Color scheme shall be compatible with existing Colony home, subject to staff approval.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment 1: Aerial Photo

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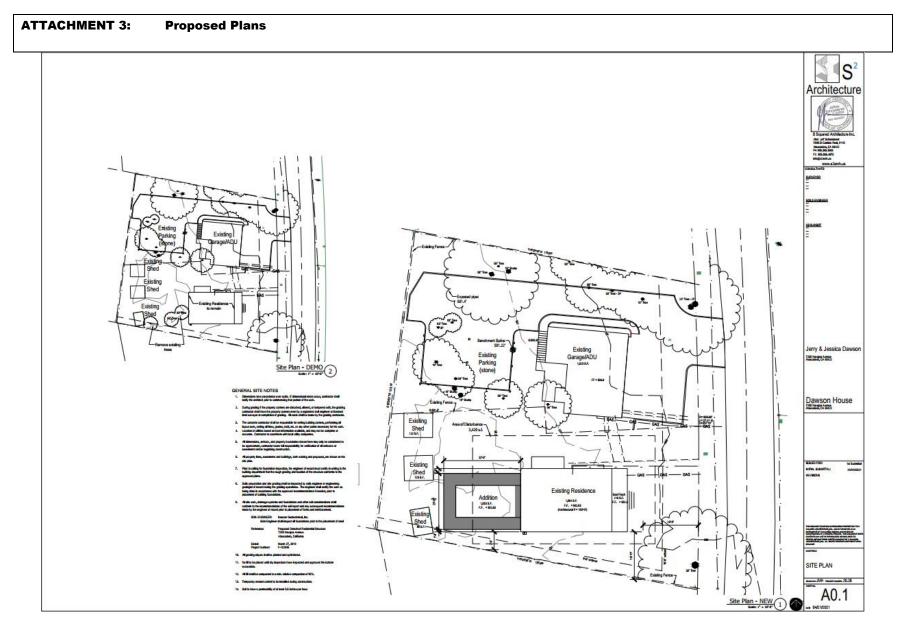




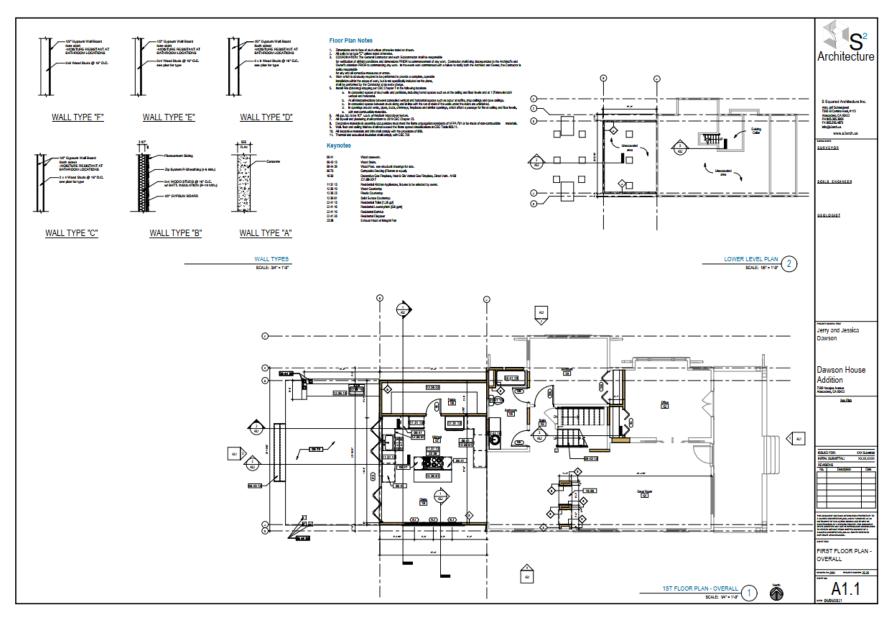
Existing Colony Home







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