

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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Referral Early Consultation

Date: November 17, 2023

To: Distribution List (See Attachment A)

From: Kristen Anaya, Associate Planner

Planning and Community Development

Subject: ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW FOR APPLICATION NO. PLN2023-0098 –

SIERRA VISTA FAMILY AND CHILD SERVICES

Respond By: December 04, 2023

****PLEASE REVIEW REFERRAL PROCESS POLICY****

The Stanislaus County Department of Planning and Community Development is soliciting comments from responsible agencies under the Early Consultation process to determine: a) whether or not the project is subject to CEQA, b) if there are any potential environmental impacts, and c) if specific mitigation measures should be applied to the project to mitigate potentially significant impacts.

Therefore, please contact this office by the response date if you have any comments pertaining to the proposal. Comments made identifying potential impacts should be as specific as possible and should be based on supporting data (e.g., traffic counts, expected pollutant levels, etc.). Your comments should emphasize potential impacts in areas which your agency has expertise and/or jurisdictional responsibilities.

These comments will assist our Department in evaluating the project for the purposes of CEQA. Therefore, please identify any potential project-related or cumulative impacts for which the project must be studied and mitigated. Please return all comments as soon as possible or no later than the response date referenced above.

Thank you for your cooperation. Please call (209) 525-6330 if you have any questions.

Applicant: Sierra Vista Child & Family Services

Project Location: 902, 906, & 908 Imperial Avenue, between Frazier and Guthrie Street, in the

Modesto area

APN: 056-043-035

Williamson Act

Contract: N/A

General Plan: Low Density Residential

Current Zoning: Single-Family Residential (R-1)

Project Description: Request to develop a social services facility on a 16,278± square-foot parcel, in the Single-Family Residential (R-1) zoning district. The parcel is currently improved with three structures totaling 3,800± square feet and a paved parking lot providing 13 unstriped parking stalls. The project site was previously used as a church, daycare facility, with related offices. The current project proposes demolish the existing structures, and replace it with a single-story, 22-foot-tall, 5,124-square-foot structure which will include: 1,950 square-foot multipurpose room; 728 square-foot open offices; men's and women's restroom facilities; three closed offices; a kitchenette for on-site employees; three family meeting rooms; and a lobby with reception desk. The project also proposed to reorganize the parking lot to provide 17-stalls, and landscaping along the site perimeter and building footprint.

The new facility is proposed to be used as a family and child services facility, offering the following services on an appointment-basis: mental health counseling and consultation, parent education, child abuse prevention and intervention, domestic violence counseling, anger management services, perinatal substance abuse services, foster care services, and community engagement activities. Case management will be both appointment based and on a walk-in basis. Once a week, the multi-purpose room will be used for community engagement events hosted by the applicant. Group sessions and classes will be held up to three times per-week, up to three hours each occurrence. Mental health counseling groups, comprising of 3 to 12 individuals will occur up to two times per-week. Parent education classes of 3 to 12 individuals will occur up to three times a week. A maximum of 50 individuals will be on-site at any given time and up to 16 vehicle trips will occur at any peak time. Up to eight employees will work on-site, in one shift daily from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Access is proposed off County-maintained Imperial Avenue via a new paved driveway. The project site is located within the Sphere of Influence of the City of Modesto and is served by the City for water and wastewater.

Although the requested use is not identified as a permitted use in the R-1 Zoning District Ordinance, the proposed development is funded by a Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) Behavioral Health Continuum Infrastructure Project (BHCIP) grant and, pursuant to California Health and Safety Code §5960.3, the request is considered exempt from zoning requirements. However, due to the expanding building footprint, this request is considered a project for the purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Accordingly, the project is permitted ministerially with a building permit but is being circulated for environmental comments in order to comply with CEQA.

Full document with attachments available for viewing at: http://www.stancounty.com/planning/pl/act-projects.shtm



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Attachment A

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POSTMASTER:	Х	TELEPHONE COMPANY: AT&T
RAILROAD:		TRIBAL CONTACTS (CA Government Code §65352.3)
SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY APCD		US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
SCHOOL DIST 1: MODESTO UNION / CITY-SCHOOLS		US FISH & WILDLIFE
SCHOOL DIST 2:		US MILITARY (SB 1462) (7 agencies)
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT		USDA NRCS
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STANISLAUS COUNTY CEQA REFERRAL RESPONSE FORM

TO:	Stanislaus County Planning & Community Development 1010 10 th Street, Suite 3400 Modesto, CA 95354					
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SIERRA VISTA CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES

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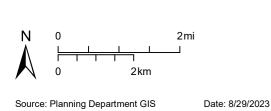
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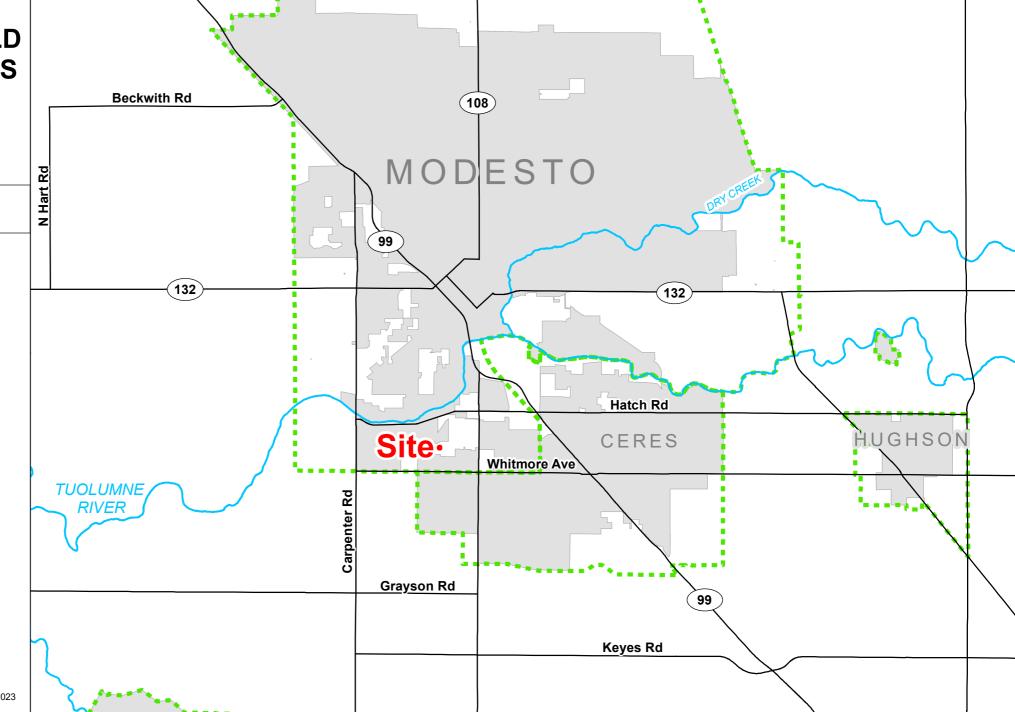
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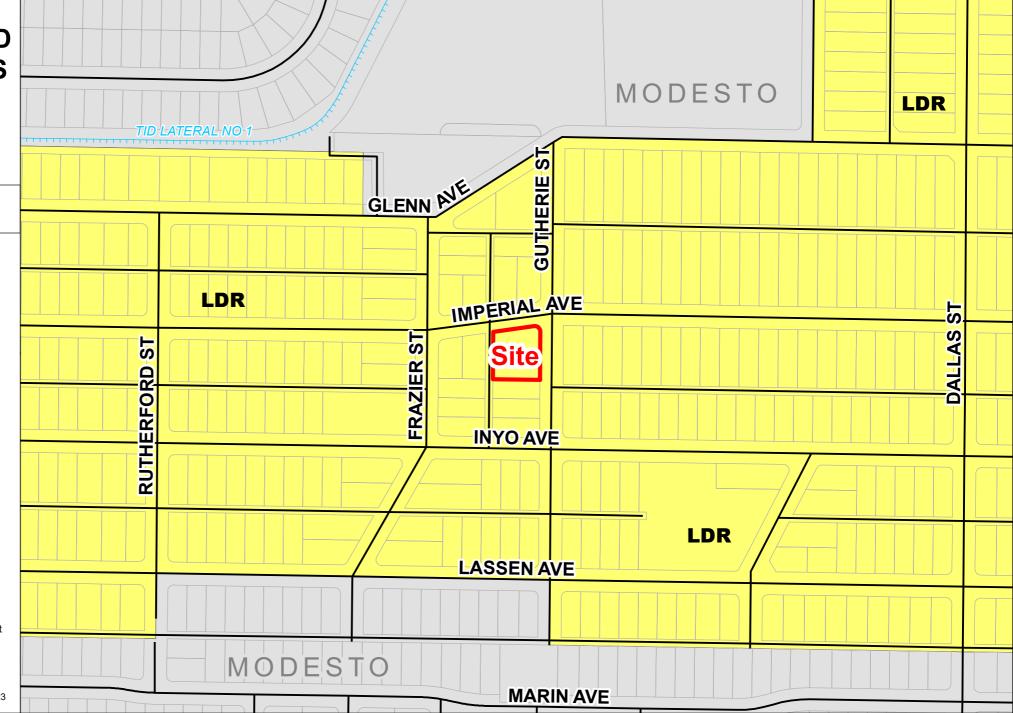




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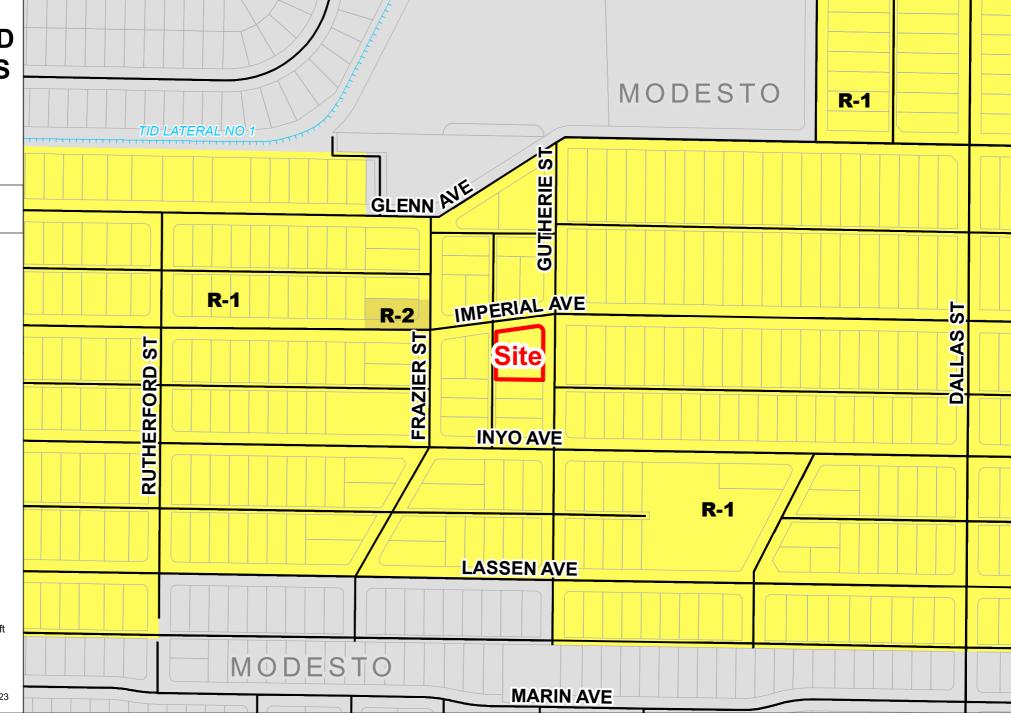




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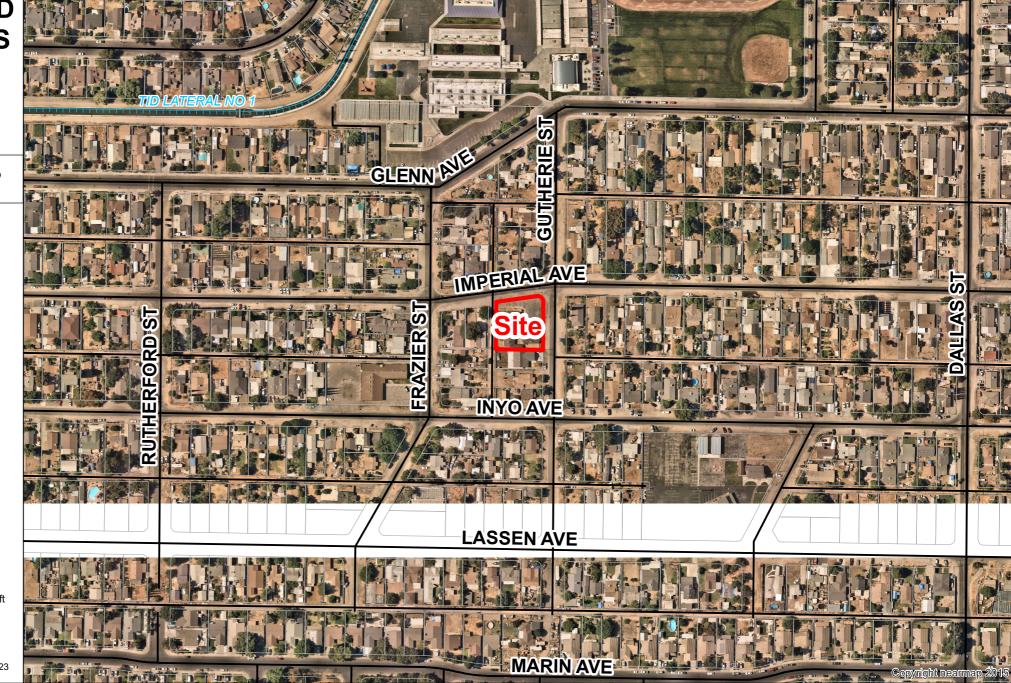
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Project Site

Road

Canal



500 ft 125 m

Source: Planning Department GIS

Date: 8/29/2023

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2023 AERIAL SITE MAP

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Project Site

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Parcel/Acres

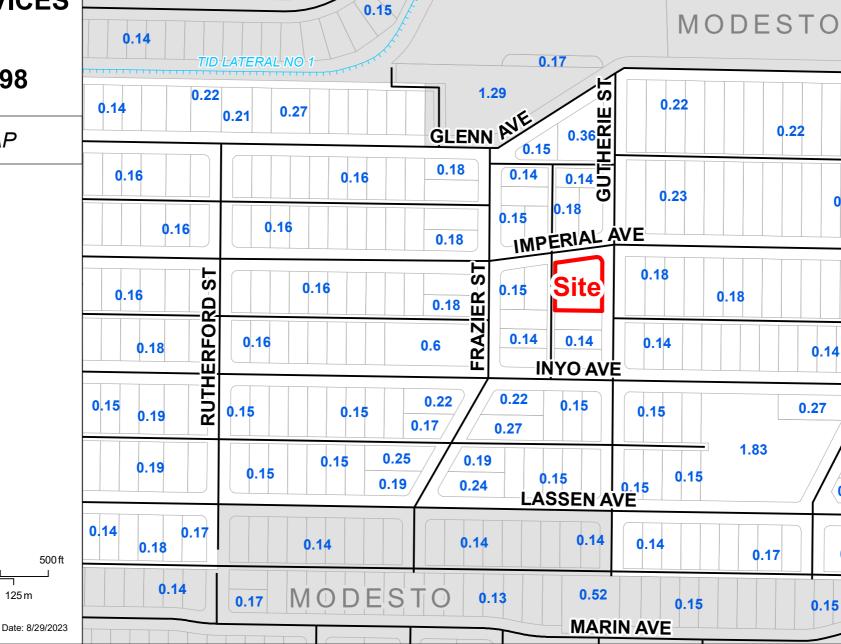
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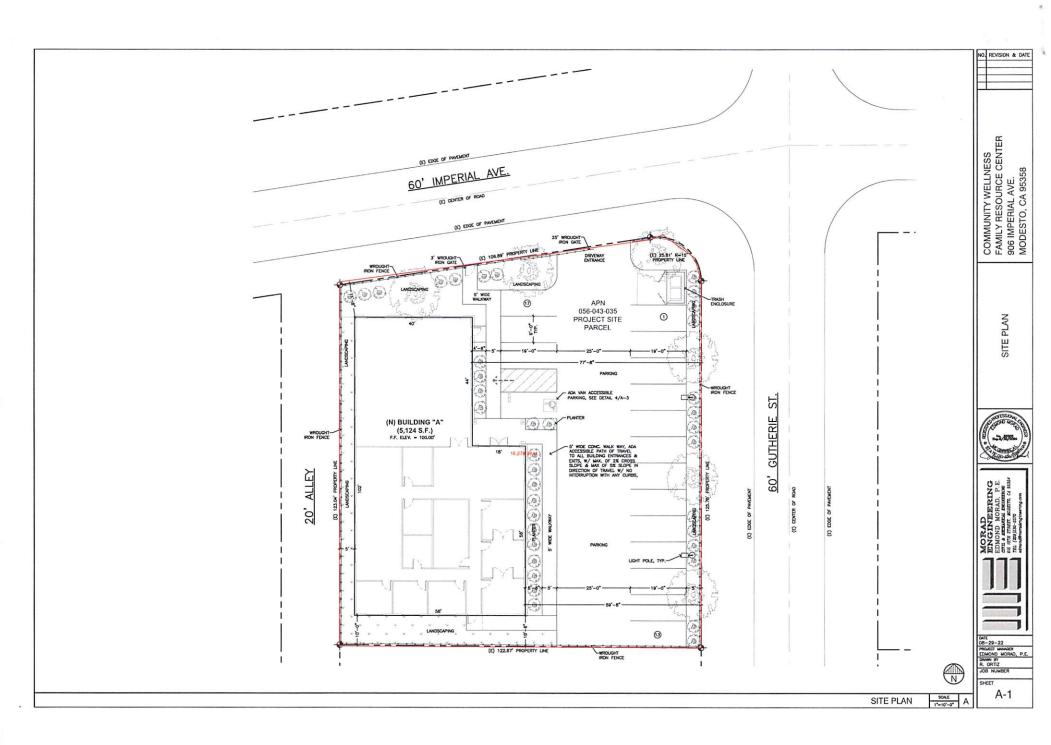
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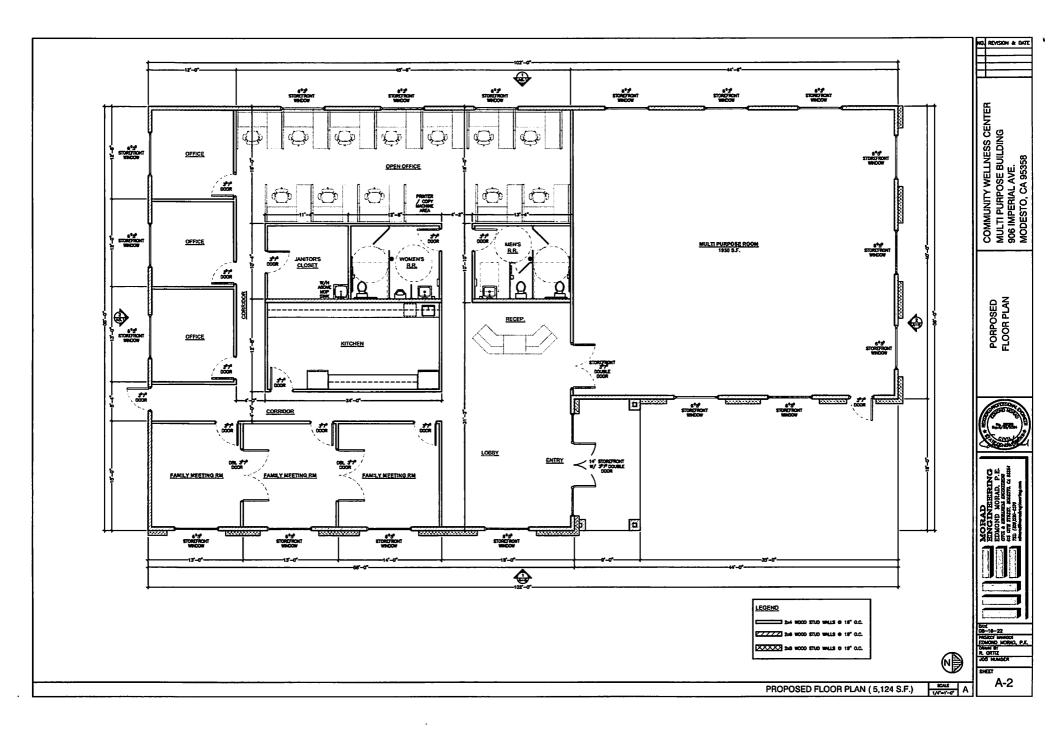
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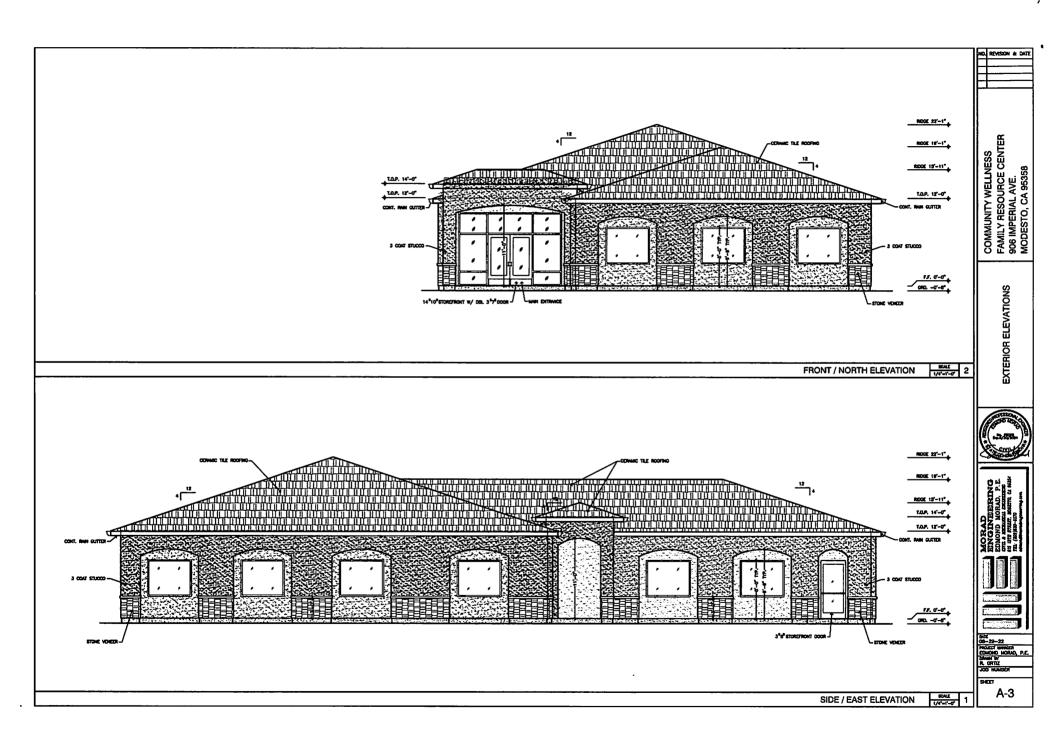
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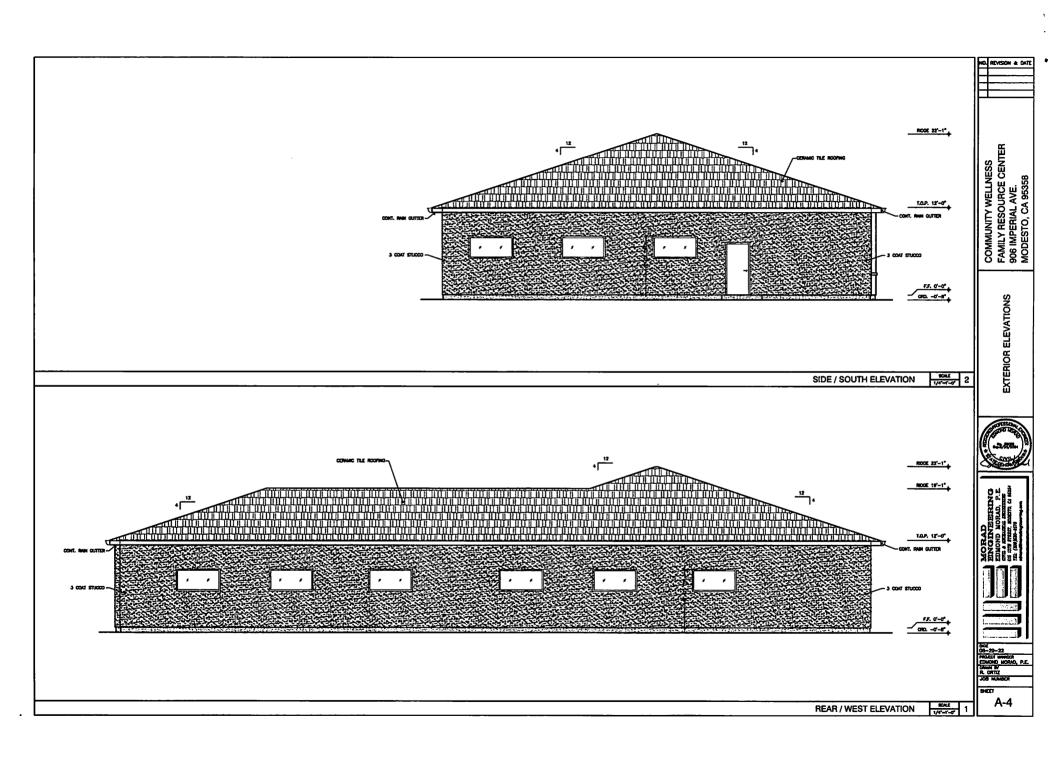
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Form Available Online: http://www.stancounty.com/planning/applications.shtm

APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

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	LICATION FOR:	Application No(s): PLN 2023 - 0098				
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PROJECT SITE INFORMATION

Complete and accurate information saves time and is vital to project review and assessment. Please complete each section entirely. If a question is not applicable to your project, please indicated this to show that each question has been carefully considered. Contact the Planning & Community Development Department Staff, 1010 10th Street – 3rd Floor, (209) 525-6330, if you have any questions. Pre-application meetings are highly recommended.

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Yes 🗵	No		Do you plan to build new structures? (If yes, show	location and size on plot p	ılan.)
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Who provi	des, (or will pro	rovide the following services to the property?		
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Community Services District, etc. **Please Note: A "will serve" letter is required if the water source is a City. Irrigation District. Water District, etc.. and the water purveyor may be required to provide verification through an Urban Water Management Plan that an adequate water supply exists to service your proposed development. Will any special or unique sewage wastes be generated by this development other than that normally associated with resident or employee restrooms? Industrial, chemical, manufacturing, animal wastes? (Please describe:) No. Please Note: Should any waste be generated by the proposed project other than that normally associated with a single family residence, it is likely that Waste Discharge Requirements will be required by the Regional Water Quality Control Board. Detailed descriptions of quantities, quality, treatment, and disposal may be required. Yes D No 🛛 Are there existing irrigation, telephone, or power company easements on the property? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.) No □ Yes 🔲 Do the existing utilities, including irrigation facilities, need to be moved? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.) Yes X No 🗵 Does the project require extension of utilities? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.) AFFORDABLE HOUSING/SENIOR: Yes I No 🗵 Will the project include affordable or senior housing provisions? (If yes, please explain) RESIDENTIAL PROJECTS: (Please complete if applicable – Attach additional sheets if necessary) Total Dwelling Units: Total No. Lots:____ Total Acreage: Gross Density per Acre: Net Density per Acre: Single Two Family Multi-Family **Multi-Family** Condominium/ (complete if applicable) Family Duplex **Apartments** Townhouse Number of Units: Acreage: COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, MANUFACTURING, RETAIL, USE PERMIT, OR OTHER PROJECTS: (Please complete if applicable – Attach additional sheets if necessary) Square footage of each existing or proposed building(s): **3700** Type of use(s): Church

*Please Note: A "will serve" letter is required if the sewer service will be provided by City, Sanitary District,

Seasonal operation (i.e., packing	Seasonal operation (i.e., packing shed, huller, etc.) months and hours of operation:						
Occupancy/capacity of building							
Number of employees: (Maxim	m Shift): (Minimum Shift):						
Estimated number of daily custo	ners/visitors on site at peak time:						
Other occupants:	,						
Estimated number of truck deliv	ries/loadings per day:						
Estimated hours of truck deliver	s/loadings per day:						
Estimated percentage of traffic	be generated by trucks:						
Estimated number of railroad de	veries/loadings per day:						
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Office area:	Warehouse area:						
Sales area:	Storage area:						
Loading area:	Manufacturing area:						
Other: (explain type of	rea)						
Yes No Will the	proposed use involve toxic or hazardous materials or waste? (Please explain)						
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Yes		No	X	Are there private or public road or access easements on the property now? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)
Yes		No	X	Do you require a private road or easement to access the property? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)
Yes		No	X	Do you require security gates and fencing on the access? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)
app	roval	of ar	n Except	that do not front on a County-maintained road or require special access may require tion to the Subdivision Ordinance. Please contact staff to determine if an exception is the necessary Findings.
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CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD - STORM WATER PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

Storm water discharges associated with construction activity are a potentially significant source of pollutants. The most common pollutant associated with construction is sediment. Sediment and other construction related wastes can degrade water quality in creeks, rivers, lakes, and other water bodies. In 1992, the State Water Resources Control Board adopted a statewide General Permit for all storm water discharges associated with construction activity that disturbs five or more acres of land. Effective March 10, 2003, all construction sites disturbing one or more acres of land will be required to obtain permit coverage. The General Permit is intended to ensure that construction activity does not impact water quality.

You need to obtain General Permit coverage if storm water discharges from your site and either of the following apply:

- Construction activities result in one or more acres of land disturbance, including clearing, grading, excavating, staging areas, and stockpiles or;
- The project is part of a larger common plan of development or sale (e.g., subdivisions, group of lots with or without a homeowner's association, some lot line adjustments) that result in one or more acres of land disturbance.

It is the applicants responsibility to obtain any necessary permit directly from the California Regional Water Quality Control Board. The applicant(s) signature on this application form signifies an acknowledgment that this statement has been read and understood.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA HAZARDOUS WASTE AND SUBSTANCES SITES LIST (C.G.C. § 65962.5)

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65962.5(e), before a local agency accepts as complete an application for any development project, the applicant shall consult the latest State of California Hazardous Waste and Substances Sites List on file with the Planning Department and submit a signed statement indicating whether the project is located on a site which is included on the List. The List may be obtained on the California State Department of Toxic Substances Control web site (http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public).

The applicant(s) signature on this application form signifies that they have consulted the latest State of California Hazardous Waste and Substances List on file with the Planning Department, and have determined that the project site \square is or \square is not included on the List.

Date of List consulted:	
Source of the listing:	
	(To be completed only if the site is included on the List)

ASSESSOR'S INFORMATION WAIVER

The property owner(s) signature on this application authorizes the Stanislaus County Assessor's Office to make any information relating to the current owners assessed value and pursuant to R&T Code Sec. 408, available to the Stanislaus County Department of Planning and Community Development.