PLANNING COMMISSION RESOLUTION 2003-019 CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - FINAL TENTATIVE PARCEL MAP 31172 KLEINE BUILDING AND DEVELOPMENT, INC.

ADOPTED: APRIL 22, 2003

## **GENERAL**

 The applicant agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City of La Quinta ("City"), its agents, officers and employees from any claim, action or proceeding to attack, set aside, void, or annul the approval of this Tentative Parcel Map, or any Parcel Map recorded thereunder. The City shall have sole discretion in selecting its defense counsel.

The City shall promptly notify the applicant of any claim, action or proceeding and shall cooperate fully in the defense.

2. This Tentative Parcel Map, and any Parcel Map recorded thereunder, shall comply with the requirements and standards of Government Code §§ 66410 through 66499.58 (the "Subdivision Map Act"), and Chapter 13 of the La Quinta Municipal Code ("LQMC").

The City of La Quinta's Municipal Code can be accessed on the City's Web Site at www.la-quinta.org.

- 3. Prior to the issuance of any grading, construction, or building permit by the City, the applicant shall obtain the necessary clearances and/or permits from the following agencies:
  - Fire Marshal
  - Public Works Department (Grading Permit, Improvement Permit)
  - Community Development Department
  - Riverside Co. Environmental Health Department
  - Desert Sands Unified School District
  - Coachella Valley Water District (CVWD)
  - Imperial Irrigation District (IID)
  - California Water Quality Control Board (CWQCB)
  - SunLine Transit Agency

The applicant is responsible for all requirements of the permits and/or clearances from the above listed agencies. When the requirements include approval of improvement plans, the applicant shall furnish proof of such approvals when submitting those improvements plans for City approval.

- 4. The applicant shall comply with applicable provisions of the City's NPDES stormwater discharge permit, Sections 8.70.010 et seq. (Stormwater Management and Discharge Controls), and 13.24.170 (Clean Air/Clean Water), LQMC; Riverside County Ordinance No. 457; and the State Water Resources Control Board's Order No. 99-08-DWQ.
  - A. For construction activities including clearing, grading or excavation of land that disturbs five (5) acres or more of land, or that disturbs less than five (5) acres of land, but which is a part of a construction project that encompasses more than five (5) acres of land, the Permitee shall be required to submit a Storm Water Pollution Protection Plan ("SWPPP").
  - 2. The applicant's SWPPP shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to any on or off-site grading being done in relation to this project.
  - C. The applicant shall ensure that the required SWPPP is available for inspection at the project site at all times through and including acceptance of all improvements by the City.
  - D. The applicant's SWPPP shall include provisions for all of the following Best Management Practices ("BMPs") (8.70.020 (Definitions), LQMC):
    - 1) Temporary Soil Stabilization (erosion control).
    - 2) Temporary Sediment Control.
    - 3) Wind Erosion Control.
    - 4) Tracking Control.
    - 5) Non-Storm Water Management.
    - 6) Waste Management and Materials Pollution Control.
  - All erosion and sediment control BMPs proposed by the applicant shall be approved by the City Engineer prior to any onsite or offsite grading, pursuant to this project.
  - F. The approved SWPPP and BMPs shall remain in effect for the entire duration of project construction until all improvements are completed and accepted by the City.
- 5. Permits issued under this approval shall be subject to the provisions of the Infrastructure Fee Program and Development Impact Fee program in effect at the time of issuance of building permit(s).

#### PROPERTY RIGHTS

- 6. Prior to issuance of any permit(s), the applicant shall acquire or confer easements and other property rights necessary for the construction or proper functioning of the proposed development. Conferred rights shall include irrevocable offers to dedicate or grant access easements to the City for emergency services and for maintenance, construction and reconstruction of essential improvements.
- 7. Street Right of Way for Highway 111, Dunes Palms Road, and Corporate Center Drive has been dedicated according to the recorded Grant of Easement, DOC# 2000-267425. No additional right of way is required to comply with General Plan street widths.
- 8. Dedications shall include additional widths as necessary for dedicated right and left turn lanes, bus turnouts, and other features contained in the approved construction plans.
- 9. The applicant shall create perimeter landscaping setbacks along all public right-of-ways as follows:
  - A. Highway 111 (Major Arterial) 50-foot from the R/W-P/L.
  - B. Dune Palms Road (Secondary Arterial) 10-foot from the R/W-P/L.
  - C. Corporate Center Drive (Local Street) 10-foot from the R/W-P/L.

The listed setback depth shall be the average depth where a meandering wall design is approved.

The setback requirements shall apply to all frontages including, but not limited to, remainder parcels and sites dedicated for utility purposes.

- 10. The applicant shall offer for dedication those easements necessary for the placement of, and access to, utility lines and structures, drainage basins, mailbox clusters, park lands, and common areas on the Parcel Map.
- 11. Direct vehicular access to and from Highway 111, Corporate Center Drive and Dune Palms Road from lots with frontage along said streets is restricted, except for those access points identified on the tentative parcel map, or as otherwise conditioned in these conditions of approval. The vehicular access restriction shall be shown on the recorded parcel map.

- 12. The applicant shall furnish proof of easements, or written permission, as appropriate, from those owners of all abutting properties on which grading, retaining wall construction, permanent slopes, or other encroachments will occur.
- 13. The applicant shall cause no easement to be granted, or recorded, over any portion of the subject property between the date of approval of the Tentative Parcel Map and the date of recording of any Parcel Map, unless such easement is approved by the City Engineer.

#### PARCEL MAPS

14. Prior to the City's approval of a Parcel Map, the applicant shall furnish accurate AutoCAD files of the Parcel Map that was approved by the City's map checker on a storage media acceptable to the City Engineer. Such files shall be in a standard AutoCAD format so as to be fully retrievable into a basic AutoCAD program.

Where a Parcel Map was not produced in an AutoCAD format, or produced in a file that can be converted to an AutoCAD format, the City Engineer will accept a raster-image file of such Parcel Map.

#### IMPROVEMENT PLANS

As used throughout these Conditions of Approval, professional titles such as "engineer," "surveyor," and "architect," refer to persons currently certified or licensed to practice their respective professions in the State of California.

- 15. Improvement plans shall be prepared by or under the direct supervision of qualified engineers and/or architects, as appropriate, and shall comply with the provisions of Section 13.24.040 (Improvement Plans), LQMC.
- 16. The following improvement plans shall be prepared and submitted for review and approval by the City. A separate set of plans for each line item specified below shall be prepared. The plans shall utilize the minimum scale specified, unless otherwise authorized by the City Engineer in writing. Plans may be prepared at a larger scale if additional detail or plan clarity is desired. Note, the applicant may be required to prepare other improvement plans not listed here pursuant to improvements required by other agencies and utility purveyors.

A. Site Development Plan: 1" = 40' Horizontal

B. Perimeter Landscape Plan: 1" = 20' Horizontal

C. On-Site Storm Drain Plan: 1" = 40' Horizontal 1" = 4' Vertical

Other engineered improvement plans prepared for City approval that are not listed above shall be prepared in formats approved by the City Engineer prior to commencing plan preparation.

"Site Development" plans shall normally include all on-site surface improvements including but not necessarily limited to finish grades for curbs & gutters, building floor elevations, parking lot improvements and ADA requirements. Landscaping plans shall normally include irrigation improvements, landscape lighting and entry monuments.

The applicant shall prepare an accessibility assessment on a marked up print of the building floor plan identifying every building egress and notes the 2001 California Building Code accessibility requirements associated with each door. The assessment must comply with submittal requirements of the Building & Safety Department. A copy of the reviewed assessment shall be submitted to the Engineering Department in conjunction with the Site Development Plan when it is submitted for plan checking.

"Storm Drain" plans shall normally include all hydrologic and hydraulic analysis including but not necessarily limited to hydraulic grade lines, Pipe flows, and inlet structure sizing.

- 17. The City maintains standard plans, detail sheets and/or construction notes for elements of construction. For a fee, established by City Resolution, the applicant may purchase such standard plans, detail sheets and/or construction notes from the City.
- 18. The applicant shall furnish a complete set of the AutoCAD files of all approved improvement plans on a storage media acceptable to the City Engineer. The files shall be saved in a standard AutoCAD format so they may be fully retrievable through a basic AutoCAD program.

At the completion of construction, and prior to the final acceptance of the improvements by the City, the applicant shall update the AutoCAD files in order to reflect the <u>as-built</u> conditions.

Where the improvement plans were not produced in a standard AutoCAD format, or a file format that can be converted to an AutoCAD format, the City Engineer will accept raster-image files of the plans.

#### IMPROVEMENT SECURITY AGREEMENTS

- 19. Improvements to be made, or agreed to be made, shall include the removal of any existing structures or other obstructions which are not a part of the proposed improvements; and shall provide for the setting of the final survey monumentation.
- 20. Should the applicant fail to construct the improvements for the development, or fail to satisfy its obligations for the development in a timely manner, the City shall have the right to halt issuance of building permits, and/or final building inspections, withhold other approvals related to the development of the project, or call upon the surety to complete the improvements.

## **GRADING**

- 21. The applicant shall comply with the provisions of Section 13.24.050 (Grading Improvements), LQMC.
- 22. Prior to occupancy of the project site for any construction, or other purposes, the applicant shall obtain a grading permit approved by the City Engineer.
- 23. To obtain an approved site development permit, the applicant shall submit and obtain approval of all of the following:
  - A. A site development plan prepared by a qualified engineer or architect,
  - B. A preliminary geotechnical ("soils") report prepared by a qualified engineer, and
  - A Fugitive Dust Control Plan prepared in accordance with Chapter 6.16, (Fugitive Dust Control), LQMC.
  - D. A Best Management Practices report prepared in accordance with Sections 8.70.010 and 13.24.170 (NPDES stormwater discharge permit and Storm Management and Discharge Controls), LQMC.

All grading shall conform to the recommendations contained in the Preliminary Soils Report, and shall be certified as being adequate by a soils engineer, or by an engineering geologist.

A statement shall appear on the Parcel Map that a soils report has been prepared in accordance with the California Health & Safety Code § 17953.

The applicant shall furnish security, in a form acceptable to the City, and in an amount sufficient to guarantee compliance with the approved Fugitive Dust Control Plan provisions as submitted with its application for a grading permit.

- 24. The applicant shall maintain all open graded, undeveloped land in order to prevent wind and/or water erosion of such land. All open graded, undeveloped land shall either be planted with interim landscaping, or stabilized with such other erosion control measures, as were approved in the Fugitive Dust Control Plan.
- 25. Grading within the perimeter setback and parkway areas shall have undulating terrain and shall conform with the requirements of LQMC Section 9.60.240(F) except as otherwise modified by this condition requirement. The maximum slope shall not exceed 3:1 anywhere in the landscape setback area, except for the backslope (i.e., the slope at the back of the landscape lot) which shall not exceed 2:1 if fully planted with ground cover. The maximum slope in the first six (6) feet adjacent to the curb shall not exceed 4:1 when the nearest edge of sidewalk is within six (6) of the curb, otherwise the maximum slope within the right of way shall not exceed 3:1. All unpaved parkway areas adjacent to the curb shall be depressed one and one-half inches (1.5") in the first eighteen inches (18") behind the curb.
- 26. Prior to any site grading or regrading that will raise or lower any portion of the site by more than plus or minus three tenths of a foot from the elevations shown on the approved Tentative Parcel Map, the applicant shall submit the proposed grading changes to the City staff for a substantial conformance finding review.
- 27. Prior to the issuance of a building permit for any parcel, the applicant shall provide a pad certification stamped and signed by a qualified engineer or surveyor.

Each pad certification shall list the pad elevation as shown on the approved site development plan, the actual pad elevation and the difference between the two, if any. Such pad certification shall also list the relative compaction of the pad soil.

#### DRAINAGE

28. Storm water handling shall conform with the approved hydrology and drainage plan for Specific Plan 99-036. Nuisance water shall be retained on site and disposed of in a manner acceptable to the City Engineer.

- 29. The applicant shall comply with the provisions of Section 13.24.120 (Drainage), LQMC, Engineering Bulletin No. 97.03. More specifically, stormwater falling on site during the 100 year storm shall be retained within the development, unless otherwise approved by the City Engineer. The tributary drainage area shall extend to the centerline of adjacent public streets. The design storm shall be either the 3 hour, 6 hour or 24 hour event producing the greatest total run off.
- 30. Stormwater may not be retained in landscaped parkways or landscaped setback lots. Only incidental storm water (precipitation which directly falls onto the setback) will be permitted to be retained in the landscape setback areas. The perimeter setback and parkway areas in the street right-of-way shall be shaped with berms and mounds, pursuant to Section 9.100.040(B)(7), LQMC.
- 31. The design of the development shall not cause any increase in flood boundaries, levels or frequencies in any area outside the development.
- 32. Storm drainage historically received from adjoining property shall be received and retained or passed through into the historic downstream drainage relief route.
- 33. The applicant shall indemnify the City from the costs of any sampling and testing of the development's drainage discharge into the Coachella Valley Stormwater Channel, which may be required under the City's NPDES Permit or other City- or area-wide pollution prevention program, and for any other obligations and/or expenses which may arise from such discharge. The indemnification shall be executed and furnished to the City prior to the issuance of any grading, construction or building permit, and shall be binding on all heirs, executors, administrators, assigns, and successors in interest in the land within this tentative parcel map excepting therefrom those portions required to be dedicated or deeded for public use. The form of the indemnification shall be acceptable to the City Attorney.

## **UTILITIES**

- 34. The applicant shall comply with the provisions of Section 13.24.110 (Utilities), LQMC.
- 35. The applicant shall obtain the approval of the City Engineer for the location of all utility lines within any right-of-way, and all above-ground utility structures including, but not limited to, traffic signal cabinets, electric vaults, water valves, and telephone stands, to ensure optimum placement for practical and aesthetic purposes.

36. Underground utilities shall be installed prior to overlying hardscape. For installation of utilities in existing improved streets, the applicant shall comply with trench restoration requirements maintained, or required by the City Engineer.

The applicant shall provide certified reports of all utility trench compaction for approval by the City Engineer.

#### STREET AND TRAFFIC IMPROVEMENTS

- 37. Improvements shall be designed and constructed in accordance with City adopted standards, supplemental drawings and specifications, or as approved by the City Engineer. Improvement plans for streets, access gates and parking areas shall be stamped and signed by qualified engineers.
- 38. The applicant shall redesign existing driveway access within the City right of way to comply with current ADA requirements.

# PARKING LOTS and ACCESS POINTS

39. The design of parking facilities shall conform to LQMC Chapter 9.150 (Parking).

Entry drives, main interior circulation routes, corner cutbacks, bus turnouts, dedicated turn lanes and other features shown on the approved construction plans, may require additional street widths as may be determined by the City Engineer.

- 40. General access points and turning movements of traffic are limited to the following:
  - A. Primary Entry on Highway 111: Joint access at the existing entrance, right turn out, right turn in.
  - B. Secondary Entry on Corporate Centre Drive Joint access at the existing entrance, full turn movement is allowed.
  - C. Secondary Entry on Corporate Centre Drive access at the entrance west of Building 6, full turn movement is allowed.
  - D. Secondary Entry on Dune Palms Road Joint access at the existing entrance, full turn movement is allowed

NOTE: Reasonable cooperation by the adjacent landowner does include granting of reciprocal cross-access easements between the two landowners that facilitate construction of improvements necessary to implement the shared access concept on both properties in a manner that precludes unnecessary reconstruction of the improvements in the future. The developer/owner shall grant cross-access easement(s) to the property to the west as required by the City of La Quinta.

41. Pursuant to Section 9.150.080(A)(8)(b) (Parking), LQMC, the applicant shall provide 50-foot uninterrupted driveway throats into the parking lot.

# **LANDSCAPING**

- 42. The applicant shall comply with Sections 13.24.130 (Landscaping Setbacks) & 13.24.140 (Landscaping Plans), LQMC.
- 43. The applicant shall provide landscaping in the required setbacks, retention basins, common lots and park areas.
- 44. Landscape and irrigation plans for landscaped lots and setbacks, medians, retention basins, and parks shall be signed and stamped by a licensed landscape architect.

The applicant shall submit the landscape plans for approval by the Community Development Department (CDD), prior to plan checking by the Public Works Department. When plan checking has been completed by CDD, the applicant shall obtain the signatures of CVWD and the Riverside County Agricultural Commissioner, prior to submittal for signature by the City Engineer.

NOTE: Plans are not approved for construction until signed by the City Engineer.

45. Landscape areas shall have permanent irrigation improvements meeting the requirements of the City Engineer. Use of lawn areas shall be minimized with no lawn, or spray irrigation, being placed within 18 inches of curbs along public streets.

The trees used throughout the site shall be eight to ten feet in height with a minimum container size of 24" box and a minimum trunk caliper of 1.5 inch per Specific Plan 99-036. Palm trees shall have a minimum 10 foot brown trunk height. Planting along Highway 111 shall comply with adopted Highway 111 design theme.

Parking lot surfaces shall be screened from view of the streets with landscaping and/or a short decorative wall to the satisfaction of the Community Development Department.

Once the trees have been delivered to the site for installation, a field inspection by the Community Development Department is required before planting to insure they meet minimum size and caliper requirements.

# QUALITY ASSURANCE

- 46. The applicant shall employ construction quality-assurance measures that meet with the approval of the City Engineer.
- 47. The applicant shall employ, or retain, qualified engineers, surveyors, and such other appropriate professionals as are required to provide the expertise with which to prepare and sign accurate record drawings, and to provide adequate construction supervision.
- 48. The applicant shall arrange for, and bear the cost of, all measurements, sampling and testing procedures not included in the City's inspection program, but which may be required by the City, as evidence that the construction materials and methods employed comply with the plans, specifications and other applicable regulations.
- 49. Upon completion of construction, the applicant shall furnish the City with reproducible record drawings of all improvement plans which were approved by the City. Each sheet shall be clearly marked "Record Drawing," "As-Built" or "As-Constructed" and shall be stamped and signed by the engineer or surveyor certifying to the accuracy and completeness of the drawings. The applicant shall have all AutoCAD or raster-image files previously submitted to the City, revised to reflect the as-built conditions.

#### **MAINTENANCE**

- 50. The applicant shall comply with the provisions of Section 13.24.160 (Maintenance), LQMC.
- 51. The applicant shall make provisions for the continuous and perpetual maintenance of all private on-site improvements, perimeter landscaping, access drives, and sidewalks.

## FEES AND DEPOSITS

- 52. The applicant shall comply with the provisions of Section 13.24.180 (Fees and Deposits), LQMC. These fees include all deposits and fees required by the City for plan checking and construction inspection. Deposits and fee amounts shall be those in effect when the applicant makes application for plan check and permits.
- 53. Permits issued under this approval shall be subject to the provisions of the Development Impact Fee program in effect at the time of issuance of building permit(s).

# **MISCELLANEOUS**

54. Applicant shall comply with the approved Conditions of Approval for Specific Plan 99-036.