## Etcheverry LLC. Serge Etcheverry

I am the owner of 3030 Larkin street in regards to these plans I am opposed To the plans because there is no need for parking and there is variance in place From 1970 already in place. As of 2019 no parking was required for new units Why is there parking required for these units?

A copy of the variance is included it requires open space.

This was included in my sales report.

Also 898 Northpoint has been running a illegal ARB and reports are in the city records.

Look forward to hearing back.

Variance #VZ70-61

Issued on Dec. 18,1970

My family purchased this property in 2002 ,from the Imperiale family. Our building was built in 1934 by the imperiale's so there have been 2 owners for 86 years .

Serge Etcheverry

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Street Use and Mapping 1155 Market St., 3rd floor San Francisco, CA 94103 tel 415-554-5827

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PID: 10332

## THIS IS NOT A BILL.

This is a notice regarding the tentative approval of a subdivision of real property at the following location:

Address: 3000-3012 Larkin & 898 North Point Street

APN: 0025-024

Public Works hereby approves Tentative Final Map 10332, being a BEING A 4 LOT VERTICAL SUBDIVISION. PROPOSED LOT 1 BEING 5 NEW RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM UNITS, PROPOSED LOT 2 BEING 1 NEW COMMERCIAL SPACE, PROPOSED LOT 3 BEING 3 NEW COMMERCIAL CONDOMINIUM UNITS, AND PROPOSED LOT 4 COMPRISED OF 2 EXISTING RESIDENTIAL APARTMENTS project on stated parcel.

This notification letter is to inform you of your right to appeal this tentative approval. If you would like to file an appeal of this approval, you must do so in writing with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors within ten (10) days of the date of this letter along with a check in the amount of \$351.00, payable to SF Public Works.

The Clerk of the Board is located at:

City Hall of San Francisco

1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244

San Francisco, CA 94102

(415) 554-5184 http://sfbos.org/

Additional information for filing an appeal may be found at the Board of Supervisor's website, under the "Tentative Subdivision Map" link: http://sfbos.org/appeal-information

For specific information about property history, zoning, planning applications, building permits, and more, please visit the Department of City Planning's website: <a href="http://propertymap.sfplanning.org/">http://propertymap.sfplanning.org/</a>

If you have any further questions on this matter, our email address is: Subdivision.Mapping@sfdpw.org.

Sincerely,

Adrian VerHagen Digitally signed by Adrian VerHagen Date: 2020.05.05 13:08:12 -07'00'

Bruce R. Storrs, P.L.S.

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Date of This Letter: December 18, 1970

Last Date for Filing Appeal: December 28, 1970

Mr. George Imperiale 655 Pine Street San Francisco, California

Re: VZ70.61

3020 Larkin Street, east side 50 feet north of North Point Street; Lot 11 in Assessor's Block 25, in a C-2 (Community Business) zoning district.

Dear Mr. Imperiale:

This is to notify you and other interested parties that your application under the City Planning Code for a variance pertaining to the above property and described as follows:

COVERAGE, USABLE OPEN SPACE AND DENSITY VARIANCES SOUGHT:
The proposal is to split lot 11 into 2 parcels: the southernmost vacant portion of the lot which has 30 feet of frontage on Larkin to be transferred to the abutting corner lot and the northern most portion which has 57.5 feet of frontage on Larkin and is developed with an apartment house. As a result of the proposed resubdivision, the apartment house lot would not meet City Planning Code standards for permitted lot coverage, usable OPEN space or density.

which application was considered by the Zoning Administrator at a public hearing on November 18, 1970, has been decided as follows:

GRANTED, for the transfer of the southernmost vacant portion of lot 11, having 30 feet of frontage on Larkin Street and a depth of 43.75 feet, to lot 10 prior to the construction on lot 10 of a commercial building in general conformity with the land use indicated on the Schematic Site Plan by R. E. Onorato and Associates, marked "Exhibit A" and on file with this application. This variance shall be considered granted on the additional CONDITION that:

- 1. The transferred portion of the lot remain as open space in perpetuity and
- A deed restriction to this effect approved as to form by the Zoning Administrator be filed with the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco prior to the approval of any building permits on the resulting enlarged lot, and

3. The variance on the resulting reduced lot 11 shall apply only to the existing development, and upon demolition of the existing apartment building, any new construction must meet Planning Code standards.

## I FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Assessor's lot 11 is an interior lot with 87.5 feet frontage on Larkin Street and a depth variously of 43.75 feet and 68.75 feet with an area of 5140.625 square feet.
- 2. Lot 11 is presently occupied by an 11 unit apartment building. Uncovered open space on the existing lot amounts to 2318.75 square feet. The apartment building covers approximately 55 per cent of the lot. Assessor's lot 10, adjacent to the south of lot 11 is vacant.
- 3. The proposal is to transfer the southernmost 30 feet of present lot 11 to lot 10, in order to provide additional open plaza area for a proposed commercial building on lot 10, leaving lot 11 with a total area of 3828.125 square feet far larger than the 2500 square foot minimum required by the City Planning Code.
- 4. The transferred area would remain as open space under the applicant's proposal.
- 5. Lot 11 is zoned C-2 and since 1964 has been subject to the density standard of one dwelling unit for each 600 square feet of lot area; the existing building, built prior to current zoning Code standards, exceeds the maximum density now permitted, with a ratio of lot area to dwelling units of approximately 467 square feet per unit. The proposed reduction in the size of lot 11 would reduce this figure to 348 square feet per dwelling unit, considerably less than required by the Code.
- 6. After transfer of the subject portion of lot 11, 1006.25 square feet of open space would remain on lot 11, or approximately 91.5 square feet per dwelling unit. The Code now requires at least 150 square feet of open space for each dwelling unit.
- 7. After transfer of the subject portion of lot 11, the apartment building would cover 73.7 per cent of the remaining lot. The Code limits lot coverage to a maximum of 65 per cent for an interior lot.
- 8. The apartment building on lot 11 is not developed in a manner using open space that would be transferred to 1ot 10 other than as light and air to windows on the south side of the building. This window exposure would be retained under the applicant's proposal to retain the subject area that would be transferred to 1ot 10 as open plaza area.

- 9. The Ghirardelli Square area is developing rapidly as an intense commercial area whic attracts residents of the area and tourists.
- 10. The applicant proposes to include the open area in a development of open courtyards emphasizing the natural environment which is intended to link together with the open access Aquatic Park and Ghirardelli Square to the north and west.
- 11. The lots on the east side of Larkin Street, directly opposite
  Ghirardelli Square such as the subject lots 10 and 11 are logical sites
  for immediate and future expansion of the commercial area. Thus, a
  commercial development on lot 11 may be expected in the future.
- 12. In a C-2 district the rear yard, lot coverage and usable open space requirements of the Planning Code apply only from the window sill level of the lower story, if any, occupied as a dwelling.
- 13. No one appeared in opposition to the application at the public hearing.

## II CONCLUSIONS BASED UPON THESE FINDINGS

The Charter and Section 305(c) of the Planning Code specify five requirements that must all be met if a variance is to be granted, and the Charter and Code also specify that this variance decision must set forth the findings upon which these requirements are deemed to be, or not to be, met in each case. The five requirements, therefore, are listed below and, on the basis of the findings herein set forth, they are deemed to be, or not to be, met in this case as indicated.

Requirement 1. That there are exceptional or extraordinary circumstances applying to the property involved or to the intended use of the property that do not apply generally to other property or uses in the same class of district:

REQUIREMENT MET because, as shown in the Findings, the intended use of the subject portion of Assessor's lot 11 that would be transferred to lot 10 will not change its basic nature as open space and will, indeed, guarantee that it remains as such when such a guarantee could not otherwise be made in a C-2 zoning district. It will do so in a manner which will benefit residents of the City as a whole and increase the usability and attractiveness of the existing area for tenants of the residential building.

Requirement 2. That owing to such exceptional or extraordinary circumstances the literal enforcement of specified provisions of the City Planning Code would result in practical difficulty or unnecessary hardship not created by or attributable to the applicant or the owner of the property:

REQUIREMENT MET because the strict enforcement of the City Planning Code provisions in this case would call for the impractical and unreasonable alteration or destruction of the existing apartment building or prevent the applicant from realizing a well-conceived concept of open space development which will serve the tenants and visitors of lots 11 and 10 without any compensating public benefit.

Requirement 3. That such variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of a substantial property right of the subject property possessed by other property in the same class of district:

REQUIREMENT MET because the same class of district permits 100 per cent coverage of lots for commercial purposes, and other such lots in the area are so developed, adding none of the open space amenities to neighboring residences which granting a variance under the stated condition will guarantee. The applicant proposes to develop the rest of the newly enlarged corner lot to less than the maximum permitted coverage in the zoning district, and less than that of neighboring properties, in order to provide even more open area for the enjoyment of the public as well as commercial tenants.

Requirement 4. That the granting of such variance will not be materially detrimental to the public welfare or materially injurious to the property or improvements in the vicinity.

REQUIREMENT METbecause granting the variance will allow a development of lots 11 and 10 that will add to the open space amenities now available to those two C-2 zoned lots in keeping with similar amenities available at Ghirardelli Square and Aquatic Park in this area of the City which is changing rapidly from an earlier industrial character to uses conducive to shopping, recreation and tourist attractions. The proposed development, including the open court on the portion of lot 11 under discussion, is designed to tie in with other development in the area and should be at the same time an attraction in itself for the public. Thus, the proposal actually adds to and strengthens existing amenities of neighboring properties.

Requirement 5. That the granting of such variance will be in harmony with the general purposes and intent of the City Planning Code and will not adversely affect the Master Plan.

REQUIREMENT MET because in considering the nature of this area and the purposes of open space provisions of the Planning Code and of the Master Plan in general, that open space may be considered even more desirable which can serve not only the needs of the tenants on one particular lot but in addition other citizens and neighbors. The proposed development.

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