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TO: Office of the City Manager
ATTN: Deborah Edgerly, City Manager
FROM: Community and Economic Development Agency
DATE: May 25, 2004

RE: A RESOLUTION GRANTING JOHN TUNG LE, A CONDITIONAL REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR THE ENCROACHMENT OF SEVEN SOLDIER PILES OF A FOUNDATION SYSTEM TO A PROPOSED BUILDING INTO THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AREA OF 12TH STREET.

SUMMARY

A resolution has been prepared granting John Tung Le, owner of the property commonly known as 380-388 12th Street, a conditional revocable permit to encroach into the public right-of-way area of 12th Street. The encroachment consists of seven soldier piles of a foundation system to a proposed building. The subject encroachment does not interfere with the use of the public right-of-way.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact to the City. All costs associated with the construction, liability and maintenance of the encroachment will be at the owner's expense.

BACKGROUND

John Tung Le, owner of the property located at 380-388 12th Street, is applying for a revocable encroachment permit in order to formally authorize the proposed use of the right-of-way with seven soldier piles of a foundation system to a proposed building. The proposed building will be six stories in height with 63 residential condominiums and first-floor commercial space. The building permit for the foundation was issued on January 27, 2004 and work has commenced. The aforesaid encroachment is shown in Exhibit "B" of the attached resolution. The conditional revocable permit will formally authorize the encroachment of seven soldier piles of a foundation system to a proposed building into the public right-of-way of 12th Street.

SUSTAINABLE OPPORTUNITIES

The applicant will be required to adhere to Best Management Practices to minimize dust, noise and storm water contamination at all times.

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DISABILITY AND SENIOR CITIZEN ACCESS

The seven soldier piles of a foundation system to a proposed building do not affect accessibility for disabled community members or senior citizens.

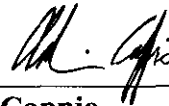
RECOMMENDATION AND RATIONALE

Since the encroachment will not interfere with the use of the roadway area by the public, staff recommends approval of the resolution.

ACTION REQUESTED OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Staff recommends that the City Council approve the resolution.

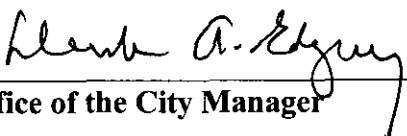
Respectfully submitted,



Claudia Cappio
Development Director

Prepared by:
Calvin N. Wong
Director of Building Services

APPROVED AND FORWARDED
TO THE COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC
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RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER _____

A RESOLUTION GRANTING JOHN TUNG LE, A CONDITIONAL REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR THE ENCROACHMENT OF SEVEN SOLDIER PILES OF A FOUNDATION SYSTEM TO A PROPOSED BUILDING INTO THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AREA OF 12TH STREET.

WHEREAS, John Tung Le, ("Permittee"), owner of that certain property described in the Grant Deed, recorded September 24, 2001, Series No. 2001363679, at the Office of the County Recorder, Alameda County, California, commonly known as 380-388 12th Street and more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof, has made application for a conditional revocable permit to the Council of the City of Oakland for the encroachment of seven soldier piles of a foundation system to a proposed building into the public right-of-way area of 12th Street, and

WHEREAS, the location of said encroachment to be granted by this resolution is delineated in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, said encroachment will not interfere with the public use of 12th Street, and

WHEREAS, the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, the Guidelines as prescribed by the Secretary of Resources, and the provisions of the Statement of Objectives, Criteria and Procedures for Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act: City of Oakland, have been satisfied, and that in accordance with Section 15332 (Class 32:Infill Projects) and Section 15301 (Minor alteration to existing structure) of the California Code of Regulations this project is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act;

BE IT RESOLVED: That this resolution complies with the California Environmental Quality Act, and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Permittee is hereby granted a conditional revocable permit for the encroachment of seven soldier piles of a foundation system to a proposed building within the public right-of-way area of 12th Street, and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Council of the City of Oakland, in granting this permission prescribes as special conditions thereof, the following:

1. That the Permittee is responsible for the relocation of all existing public utilities including but not limited to fire alarm cable, master signal cable, street lighting and intersection signal cable, as required.

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2. That, after notice to Permittee, this permit shall be revocable at the reasonable discretion of the Council of the City of Oakland, expressed by resolution of said Council.
3. That the Permittee, by the acceptance, either expressed or implied, of this conditional revocable permit hereby disclaims any right, title, or interest in or to any portion of the public right-of-way area, underlying the said encroachment or the air space above and agrees that said temporary use of said area does not constitute an abandonment on the part of the City of Oakland of any of its rights for street purposes and otherwise.
4. That the Permittee shall maintain in force and effect at all times that said encroachment occupies said public sidewalk area, good and sufficient public liability insurance in the amount of \$300,000 for each occurrence, and property damage insurance in the amount of \$50,000 for each occurrence both including contractual liability insuring the City of Oakland, its officers and employees, against any and all claims arising out of the existence of said encroachment in said right-of-way area, and that a certificate of such insurance and subsequent notices of the renewal thereof, shall be filed with the Director of Building Services of Community and Economic Development Agency of the City of Oakland and that such certificate shall state that said insurance coverage shall not be canceled or be permitted to lapse without thirty (30) days' written notice to said Director of Building Services. The Permittee also agrees that the City may review the type and amount of insurance required every five (5) years and may require the Permittee to increase the amount of and/or change the type of insurance coverage required, if such is reasonably necessary as determined by the City.
5. That the Permittee, by the acceptance, either expressed or implied of this conditional revocable permit agrees and promises to defend and hold harmless and indemnify the City of Oakland, its agents, officers, and employees, from any and all claim, demand, lawsuit and judgment for damages of any kind and nature whatsoever arising out of or caused by the existence, installation or maintenance of said encroachment to said right-of-way area and street area and regardless of responsibility for negligence. The liability insurance referred to in the preceding paragraph shall cover this contractual liability, provided that nothing herein shall be interpreted as limiting the Permittee's defense, hold harmless and indemnification obligations to the amount set forth in the preceding paragraph.
6. That the Permittee shall make no changes to the encroachment hereby allowed either structurally, with regard to dimension, or with respect to use, without the written consent of the Director of Building Services and understands that the City may impose reasonable fees and considerations for processing permits required for such proposed changes. Permittee also understands that the City is not obligated to grant any changes proposed by said Permittee.
7. That the Permittee, by the acceptance, either expressed or implied, of this conditional revocable permit shall be solely and fully responsible for the repair or replacement of any portion or all of said improvements in the event that said improvements shall have failed or have been damaged to the extent of creating a menace or of becoming a hazard to the safety

of the general public; and that the Permittee shall be liable for the expenses connected therewith.

8. That upon the termination of the permission herein granted, Permittee shall immediately remove said encroachment from the right-of-way area, and any damage resulting therefrom shall be repaired to the satisfaction of the Director of Building Services.
9. That the Permittee shall file with the City of Oakland for recordation, a disclaimer and agreement that Permittee accepts and shall comply with and shall be bound by each and all of the terms, conditions and provisions of this resolution. Said disclaimer and agreement shall be subject to the approval of the City Attorney and the Director of Building Services.
10. That the plans and exact location of said encroachment hereby granted are subject to the review and approval of the Community and Economic Development Agency, Building Services Division and that the Permittee shall obtain all necessary permits prior to commencing said work. Generally, said encroachment shall be located as set forth in Exhibit "B".
11. That the Permittee acknowledges that the City makes no representations or warranties as to the conditions beneath said encroachment. By accepting this revocable permit, Permittee agrees that he or she will use the encroachment area at his or her own risk, is responsible for the proper coordination of its activities with all other permittees, underground utilities, contractors, or workmen operating within the encroachment area and for the safety of himself or herself and any of his or her personnel in connection with its entry under this revocable permit.
12. That the Permittee acknowledges that the City is unaware of the existence of any hazardous substances beneath the encroachment area, and hereby waives and fully releases and forever discharges the City and its officers, directors, employees, agents, servants, representatives, assigns and successors from any and all claims, demands, liabilities, damages, actions, causes of action, penalties, fines, liens, judgments, costs, or expenses whatsoever (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and costs), whether direct or indirect, known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, that may arise out of or in any way connected with the physical condition, or required remediation of the excavation area or any law or regulation applicable thereto, including, without limitation, the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended (42 U.S.C. Sections 9601 et seq.), the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (42 U.S.C. Section 6901 et seq.), the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. Section 466 et seq.), the Safe Drinking Water Act (14 U.S.C. Sections 1401-1450), the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. Section 1801 et seq.), the Toxic Substance Control Act (15 U.S.C. Sections 2601-2629), the California Hazardous Waste Control Law (California Health and Safety Code Sections 25100 et seq.), the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act (California Health and Safety Code Section 13000 et seq.), the Hazardous Substance Account Act (California Health and Safety Code Section 25300 et seq.), and the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act (California Health

and Safety Code Section 25249.5 et seq.). Notwithstanding the above provisions of this Paragraph 12, Permittee shall not be liable to the City for any hazardous substances on, in or beneath the encroachment area that were not caused by the Permittee, his or her agents, employees, tenants or service providers.

13. That the Permittee further acknowledges that he or she understands and agrees that he or she hereby expressly waives all rights and benefits which he or she now have or in the future may have, under and by virtue of the terms of California Civil Code Section 1542, which reads as follows: "A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS WHICH THE CREDITOR DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM MUST HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR."
14. That the Permittee recognizes that by waiving the provisions of the Section 1542 indicated in the preceding paragraph, Permittee will not be able to make any claims for damages that may exist, and to which, if known, would materially affect his or her decision to execute this encroachment agreement, regardless of whether Permittee's lack of knowledge is the result of ignorance, oversight, error, negligence, or any other cause.
15. That the Permittee, by the acceptance of this revocable permit, agrees and promises to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City of Oakland, its officers, agents, and employees, to the maximum extent permitted by law, from any and all claims, demands, liabilities, damages, actions, causes of action, penalties, fines, liens, judgments, costs, or expenses whatsoever (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and costs), whether direct or indirect, known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, that may arise out of or be in any way connected with the Permittee's use, installation or maintenance of the encroachment, or required remediation of the excavation area or any law or regulation applicable thereto, including, without limitation, the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended (42 U.S.C. Sections 9601 et seq.), the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (42 U.S.C. Section 6901 et seq.), the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. Section 466 et seq.), the Safe Drinking Water Act (14 U.S.C. Sections 1401-1450), the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. Section 1801 et seq.), the Toxic Substance Control Act (15 U.S.C. Sections 2601-2629), the California Hazardous Waste Control Law (California Health and Safety Code Sections 25100 et seq.), the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act (California Health and Safety Code Section 13000 et seq.), the Hazardous Substance Account Act (California Health and Safety Code Section 25300 et seq.), and the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act (California Health and Safety Code Section 25249.5 et seq.).
16. That the hereinabove conditions shall be binding upon the Permittee and the successive owners and assigns thereof; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That this resolution shall take effect when all the conditions hereinabove set forth shall have been complied with to the satisfaction of the City Attorney and the Director

of Building Services of the City of Oakland and shall become null and void upon the failure of the Permittee to comply with the conditions hereinabove set forth after notice and failure to cure such conditions in a reasonable manner.

FURTHER RESOLVED: The City Clerk is hereby directed to have a certified copy of this resolution recorded at the Office of the Alameda County Recorder.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 2004.

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, QUAN, REID, WAN, AND
PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

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ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: _____

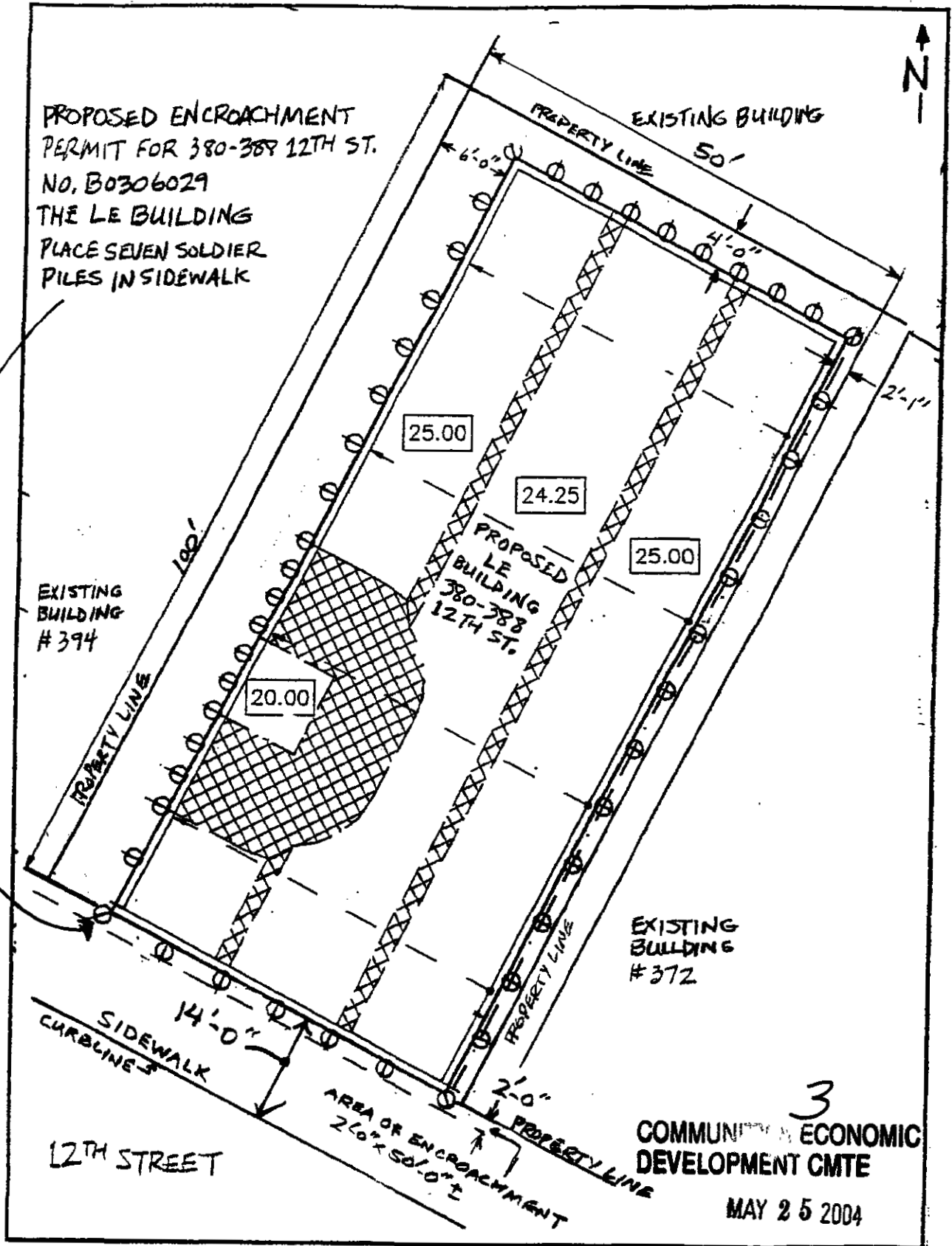
CEDA FLOYD
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
Of the City of Oakland, California

EXHIBIT A

Description of Property

The real property referred to above is located in the County of ALAMEDA, State of California, and is specifically described as follows:

LOTS 26 AND 27, BLOCK 173, KELLERSBERGER'S MAP OF OAKLAND,
ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF ALAMEDA
COUNTY.



<p>SITE EXCAVATION PLAN ALEXANDER ORTIZ CONSULTING ENGINEER</p>	<p>Proposed Building Property at 380 and 388 Twelfth Street Oakland, California</p>	<p>Project: D441A Date: October 2003 Figure: 1</p>
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