

**CITY OF OAKLAND**  
**Agenda Report**

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TO: Office of the City Administrator  
ATTN: Deborah Edgerly, City Administrator  
FROM: Community and Economic Development Agency  
DATE: July 13, 2004

**RE: A RESOLUTION GRANTING PSAI OLD OAKLAND ASSOCIATES, LLC, A CALIFORNIA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, A CONDITIONAL REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR THE ENCROACHMENTS OF EXISTING BUILDING STRUCTURAL SUPPORTS, SIDEWALK BASEMENT TO BE CONVERTED INTO COMMERCIAL SPACE AND SIDEWALK BASEMENT STAIRS INTO THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AREA OF 9<sup>TH</sup> STREET AND SIDEWALK BASEMENT INTO THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AREA OF BROADWAY LOCATED AT 901 BROADWAY.**

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**SUMMARY**

A resolution has been prepared granting PSAI Old Oakland Associates, LLC, owner of the property commonly known as 901 Broadway, a conditional revocable permit to encroach into the public right-of-way area of Broadway and 9<sup>th</sup> Street. The encroachments on 9<sup>th</sup> Street consist of the building structural supports, sidewalk basement to be converted into commercial space and sidewalk basement stairs of an existing building and the encroachments on Broadway consist of sidewalk basement of an existing building. The subject encroachments do not interfere with the use of right-of-way by the public.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

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

**BACKGROUND**

PSAI Old Oakland Associates, LLC, owner of the property located at 901 Broadway, is applying for a revocable encroachment permit in order to formally legalize the building structural supports, sidewalk basement to be converted into commercial space and sidewalk basement stairs of an existing building. The building was constructed in 1900 with its sidewalk basement and sidewalk basement stairs in its current location. The existing building structural supports were added in at a later time. The owner was granted a Design Review permit for work in the basement and repairs to the basement stairs. The owner is developing the building for future commercial use. The aforesaid encroachments are shown in Exhibits "B" and "C" of the attached resolution. The conditional revocable permit will formally

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legalize the encroachments on 9<sup>th</sup> Street consisting of the building structural supports, sidewalk basement to be converted into commercial space and sidewalk basement stairs of an existing building and the encroachments on Broadway consisting of sidewalk basement of an existing building.

### **SUSTAINABLE OPPORTUNITIES**

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

### **DISABILITY AND SENIOR CITIZEN ACCESS**

The existing building structural supports, sidewalk basement and sidewalk basement stairs do not affect accessibility for disabled community members or senior citizens. Accessibility to all areas renovated and altered will be required when building permits are applied.

### **RECOMMENDATION AND RATIONALE**

Since the encroachments 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,



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**Claudia Cappio**  
**Development Director**

Prepared by:  
Calvin N. Wong  
Director of Building Services

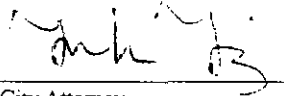
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Approved to Form and Legality

  
City Attorney

## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_ C.M.S.

INTRODUCED BY COUNCILMEMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING PSAI OLD OAKLAND ASSOCIATES, LLC, A CALIFORNIA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, A CONDITIONAL REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR THE ENCROACHMENTS OF EXISTING BUILDING STRUCTURAL SUPPORTS, SIDEWALK BASEMENT TO BE CONVERTED INTO COMMERCIAL SPACE AND SIDEWALK BASEMENT STAIRS INTO THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AREA OF 9<sup>TH</sup> STREET AND SIDEWALK BASEMENT INTO THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AREA OF BROADWAY LOCATED AT 901 BROADWAY.**

**WHEREAS, PSAI OLD OAKLAND ASSOCIATES, LLC, A CALIFORNIA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ("Permittee"), owner of that certain property described in the Grant Deed, recorded December 7, 2001, Series No. 2001475896, at the Office of the County Recorder, Alameda County, California, commonly known as 901 Broadway 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 encroachments of existing building structural supports, sidewalk basement to be converted into commercial space and sidewalk basement stairs into the public right-of-way area of 9<sup>th</sup> Street and sidewalk basement into the public right-of-way area of Broadway of a existing building, and**

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

**WHEREAS, said encroachments will not interfere with the use of Broadway and 9<sup>th</sup> Street by the public, 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

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**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the Permittee is hereby granted a conditional revocable permit for the encroachments of existing building structural supports, sidewalk basement to be converted into commercial space and sidewalk basement stairs into the public right-of-way area of 9<sup>th</sup> Street and sidewalk basement into the public right-of-way area of Broadway of a existing building, 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.
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 encroachments 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 encroachments occupy said public sidewalk area, good and sufficient commercial general insurance in the amount of \$2,000,000 for each occurrence, and property damage insurance in the amount of \$250,000 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 encroachments 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 one (1) 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 encroachments 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 encroachments 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 encroachments from the right-of-way area, and shall repair any damage resulting therefrom 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 encroachments hereby granted are subject to the review and approval of the Director of Building Services and that the Permittee shall obtain all necessary permits prior to commencing said work. Generally, said encroachments shall be located as set forth in Exhibits "B" and "C".
11. That the Permittee acknowledges that the City makes no representations or warranties as to the conditions beneath said encroachments. By accepting this conditional 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 conditional 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 has 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 Section 1542 mentioned in the preceding paragraph, he or she 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-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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EXHIBIT 'A'

(Being APN 001-0201-008)

PARCEL NINETEEN:

PORTION OF BLOCK 118, KELLERSBERGER'S, FILED AUGUST 15, 1853, BOOK 7, PAGE 3 OF MAPS, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS.

BEGINNING AT THE POINT OF INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF 10TH STREET, WITH THE WESTERN LINE OF BROADWAY; RUNNING THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE SAID SOUTHERLY LINE OF 10TH STREET 100.29 FEET; THENCE AT RIGHT ANGLES SOUTHERLY 100.00 FEET; THENCE AT RIGHT ANGLES EASTERLY 100.29 FEET TO A POINT ON THE SAID WESTERN LINE OF BROADWAY; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE SAID LAST MENTIONED LINE 100.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

(Being APN 002-0047-007)

PARCEL TWENTY:

BEGINNING AT A POINT FORMED BY THE INTERSECTION OF THE WESTERN LINE OF BROADWAY WITH THE NORTHERN LINE OF 9TH STREET; AND RUNNING THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG SAID LINE OF BROADWAY 100 FEET; THENCE AT RIGHT ANGLES WESTERLY 99 FEET; 8 INCHES; THENCE AT RIGHT ANGLES SOUTHERLY 100 FEET TO THE NORTHERN LINE OF 9TH STREET; AND THENCE EASTERLY ALONG SAID LAST NAMED LINE 99 FEET 8 INCHES, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

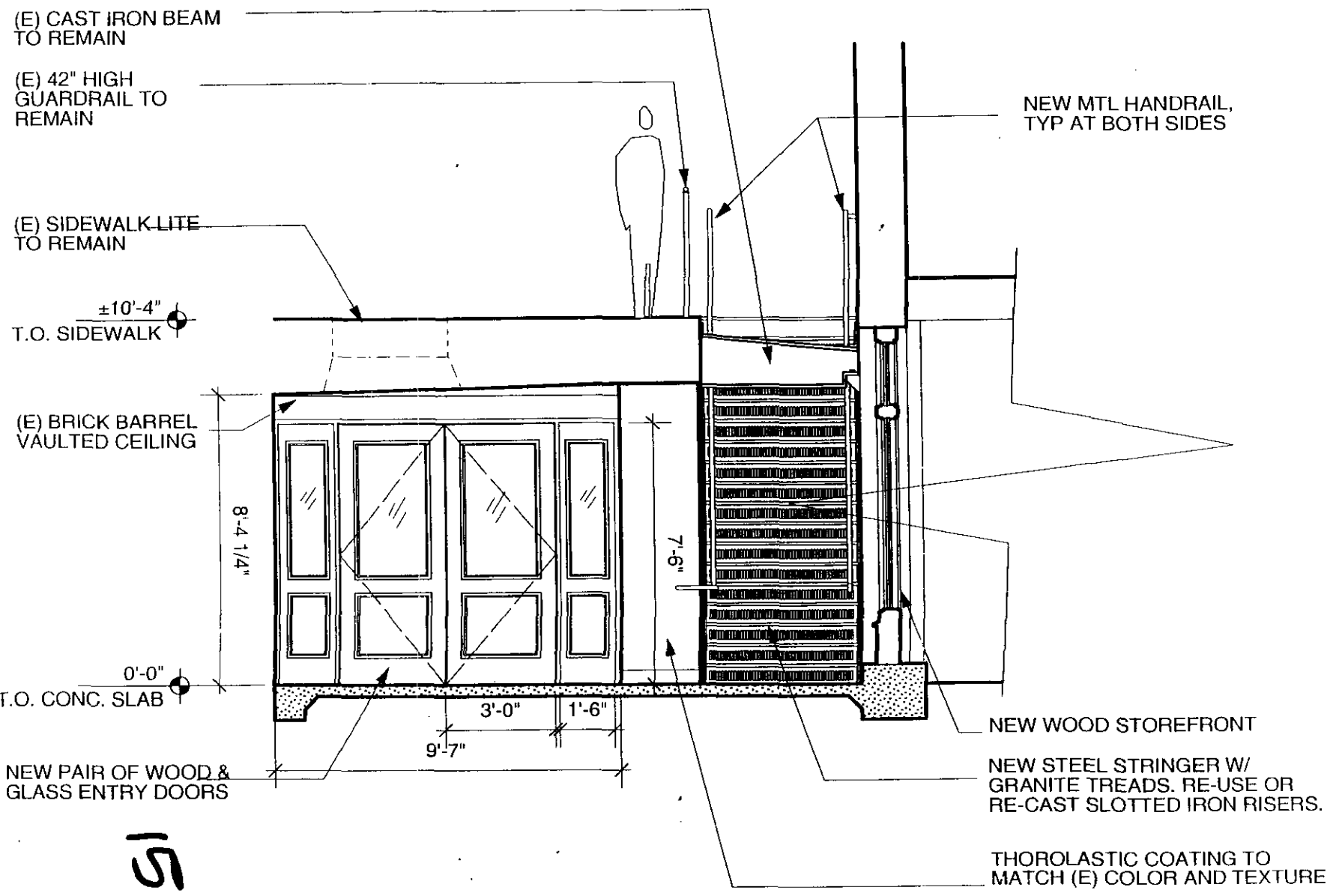
BEING LOTS 19, 20, 21, 22 AND THE EASTERN 24 FEET 8 INCHES OF LOT 23, BLOCK 118, KELLERSBERGER'S, FILED AUGUST 15, 1853, BOOK 7, PAGE 3 OF MAPS, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS.

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EXHIBIT 'C'



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