

City of Surrey PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT REPORT File: 7917-0497-00

Planning Report Date: January 22, 2018

PROPOSAL:

• Development Permit

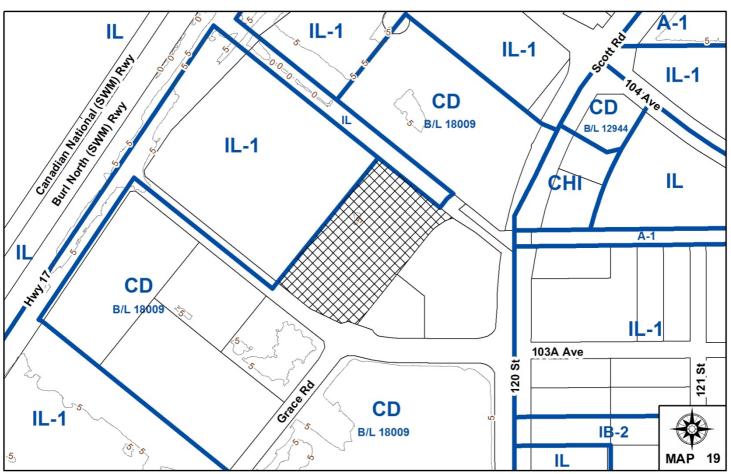
to permit the development of an industrial warehouse building in South Westminster.

LOCATION: 11897 - 103A Avenue

ZONING: CD (By-law No. 18009)

OCP DESIGNATION: Industrial

NCP DESIGNATION: Light Impact Industrial



RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

• Approval to draft Form and Character and Hazard Lands Development Permit.

DEVIATION FROM PLANS AND POLICIES

None.

RATIONALE OF RECOMMENDATION

- Complies with the OCP designation of Industrial.
- Complies with the South Westminster NCP designation of Light Impact Industrial.
- The proposed density and building form are contextually appropriate for South Westminster and the Pacific Link Industrial Park. The proposal makes efficient use of industrial land, consistent with Official Community Plan (OCP) policies and the City's Employment Lands Strategy.
- The proposed building incorporates high quality design features and materials that are appropriate in close proximity to a City gateway and the South Fraser Perimeter Road (SFPR).

RECOMMENDATION

The Planning & Development Department recommends that:

1. Council authorize staff to draft Form and Character and Hazard Lands Development Permit No. 7917-0497-00 generally in accordance with the attached drawings (Appendix II).

- 2. Council instruct staff to resolve the following issues prior to final approval:
 - (a) submission of a finalized tree survey and a statement regarding tree preservation to the satisfaction of the City Landscape Architect;
 - (b) submission of a finalized landscaping plan and landscaping cost estimate to the specifications and satisfaction of the Planning and Development Department;
 - (c) registration of a Section 219 Restrictive Covenant to indicate the development is situated within a floodplain and to ensure habitable building area meets the 200 year floodplain construction level;
 - (d) registration of a Section 219 Restrictive Covenant to require that the full parking requirements be satisfied should additions to the second storey floor area be proposed in the future; and
 - (e) final approval from Fire Services regarding the proposed development.

REFERRALS

Engineering: The Engineering Department has no comments as the servicing

requirements were completed as part of the original development

application.

Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure (MOTI):

No objections to the development proposal or approvals required.

Surrey Fire Department: Comments pending.

SITE CHARACTERISTICS

<u>Existing Land Use:</u> Undeveloped portion of serviced site with an existing industrial building.

Adjacent Area:

Direction	Existing Use	OCP/NCP	Existing Zone
		Designation	
North (Across Manson Canal):	Existing industrial	Mixed	IL
	development north	Employment/Light	
	of Manson Canal	Impact/Business	
		Park	
East (Across shared drive aisle):	Automotive service	Industrial/Highway	CD (By-law No.
	and drive-thru	Commercial	18009)
	restaurants		
South (Across 103A Avenue):	Serviced industrial	Industrial/Light	CD (By-law No.
	land with	Impact Industrial	18009)
	preliminary		
	approval for an		
	industrial building		
West:	Existing warehouse	Mixed	IL-1
	and distribution	Employment/Light	
	facility	Impact Industrial	

DEVELOPMENT CONSIDERATIONS

- The subject site is located on the north side of 103A Street at Grace Road and southeast of the South Fraser Perimeter Road. The property was created through subdivision application No. 7995-0143-00 as part of a 16-lot industrial subdivision.
- In 2013, the site, along with eight (8) other neighbouring properties owned by the same owner, were rezoned from CD Bylaw No. 16736 to CD By-law No. 18009. This provided for additional uses on the site including an increase in retail sales and display area for light impact industrial uses from 20% to 35%, eating establishments and community services. Light impact industry, warehouse uses, distribution centres, indoor recreational facilities and limited office uses remained as permitted uses.
- The site is designated Industrial in the OCP and Light Impact Industrial in the South Westminster Neighbourhood Concept Plan (NCP).
- All site servicing was completed as part of the original subdivision application No. 7995-0143-00.

• The proposed Development Permit is to allow for a second industrial warehouse building on the south portion of the subject site. There is an existing industrial building on the north portion of the site, approved under development application No. 7913-0104-00. The total site area is 2.2 hectares (5.46 acres).

- The proposed industrial warehouse building is for a single tenant and includes a showroom, which is permitted under the CD Zone (By-law No. 18009).
- The proposed building is 3,242 sq.m (34,898 sq.ft) in area, which includes the 429 square metres (4,621 sq. ft) area of showroom. The proposed floor area ratio (FAR) of 0.40 and lot coverage of 40% is based on the combined floor area and site coverage of both the existing and proposed buildings and is permitted under the CD Zone (By-law No. 10889).

PRE-NOTIFICATION

 A Development Proposal Sign was installed on the subject site on November 12, 2017 to inform adjacent owners about the proposed development. No phone calls or correspondence have been received in response.

DESIGN PROPOSAL AND REVIEW

- The proposed building is currently intended to accommodate a single tenant industrial warehouse and distribution facility, and includes a small showroom area. The building is a two (2) storey building at 12.8 metres (42 ft.) in height.
- The subject site contains an existing warehouse building on the north portion of the site, approved under project No. 7913-0104-00. The proposed building will be situated on the south portion of the site and will not impact the existing building or north portion of the site.
- The proposed building has been designed to complement the architectural design character of the existing building.
- The proposed building is to be constructed at 4.40 metres (14.43 ft.) geodetic elevation, which is above the 200 year flood level, as determined by the Ministry of Environment. A Section 219 Restrictive Covenant is required in order to ensure that the building is constructed above the minimum flood elevation.
- The majority of the building floor area is warehouse use with a small showroom and office area at the southeast corner of the building. The proposed showroom area of 429 sq.m

(4,621 sq. ft) is approximately 8% of the total floor area and less than the permissible 35% under the CD Zone (By-law No. 18009)

- There are six (6) loading bays located on the west portion of the building.
- There is currently no second storey floor area proposed.

Development Permit -Hazard Lands, Steep Slopes

- The subject site is situated within the Fraser River floodplain, and is therefore within a Hazard Lands Development Permit Area for Flood Prone Areas.
- The proposed building is to be constructed at 4.40 metres (14.43 ft.) geodetic elevation, which is above the 200 year flood level, as determined by the Ministry of Environment. Illustrations confirming the minimum building elevation are incorporated into the Development Permit drawings.
- A Section 219 Restrictive Covenant is required in order to acknowledge the development is situated within a floodplain and to ensure habitable building area meets the 200 year floodplain construction level.

Building Design

- The building incorporates high quality architectural design features and building materials reflective of the existing standards in the area.
- The building is primarily constructed of concrete tilt up panel. Glazing reliefs are
 incorporated within the concrete panels to provide for articulation. The primary colour
 scheme is light grey with dark grey accents.
- The main visitor entrance to the building is located at the southeast corner of the building where the showroom and offices are situated. The entrance design incorporates strong corner feature elements to create a sense of arrival and consists of a variety of materials including extensive low 'E' glazing, decorative composite metal paneling and vertical concrete panels.

Access, Parking and Circulation

- There are two (2) vehicular accesses to the site; one along 103A Avenue at the southwest corner of the site and one along a shared drive-aisle located along the southeast property line, out to 103A Avenue.
- The access along the southeast property line is shared with the development site to the south east.

- The applicant has demonstrated sufficient truck turning radius for site circulation.
- The width of the proposed drive-aisle between the existing and proposed buildings on the site is 4.0 metres (13 ft.), which is sufficient for one-way traffic. A Do Not Enter sign will be posted at the north entrance.
- Fifty-two (52) new parking stalls are proposed as part of the proposed development on the southern portion of the site and there are 58 parking stalls currently existing on the northern portion of the site for a total of 110 stalls.
- In order to ensure full parking requirements are satisfied should additions to the second storey floor area be proposed, a Section 219 Restrictive Covenant is required.
- Currently, there are seven (7) surplus parking stalls based on the Zoning By-law requirements, which would allow for a second storey floor area of 280 square metres (3,013 sq. ft).

Landscaping

- Protected trees planted and secured as part of Development Permit No. 7913-0104-00 currently exist on the site and have been indicated for retention in the arborist report.
- A continuous 6 metre (20 ft.) wide landscape strip is proposed along 103A Avenue, which will extend around the corner at Grace Road. Landscaping will continue along the west side of the shared drive-aisle with the property to the southeast on either side of the internal sidewalk.
- In addition to proposed frontage landscaping, landscaped islands are proposed within the surface area parking and will be planted with trees and shrubs.
- The driveway entrances and walkway to the main entrance of the building are proposed to be constructed of natural grey sawcut concrete.
- In response to the grade change between 103A Avenue and the site, there is a raised walkway, steps and ramp, which provides wheelchair access, to the main entrance. This entrance and interface has been well designed with both hard and soft landscape treatments.

Signage

• The building design includes two (2) second storey fascia signs, one on the west and one on the south elevation of the building. No free-standing signage is proposed. Both fascia signs are comprised of individual channel letters and comply with the Sign By-law.

TREES

• Glen Murray, ISA Certified Arborist of Froggers Creek Tree Consultants Ltd., prepared an Arborist Assessment for the subject property. The table below provides a summary of the tree retention and removal by tree species:

Table 1: Summary of Tree Preservation by Tree Species:

Tree Species	Exis	ting	Remove	Retain			
Deciduous Trees							
(excluding	Alder and	l Cotton	wood Trees)				
Oak	3	}	0	3			
Red Maple	13	3	0	13			
Zelcovia	3	}	0	3			
	Conifero	us Tree	s				
Black Pine	3	•	0	3			
Total (excluding Alder and Cottonwood Trees)	2.	2	o	22			
Total Replacement Trees Prop (excluding Boulevard Street Trees		20					

- The Arborist Assessment states that there are a total of 22 protected trees on the site. These trees were planted and protected as part of Development Permit No. 7913-0104-00 for the existing building and will be protected as part of the proposed development.
- A total of 20 additional trees are proposed as part of the landscaping plan for the proposed development on the southern portion of the site.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT CHECKLIST

The applicant prepared and submitted a sustainable development checklist for the subject site on October 3, 2017. The table below summarizes the applicable development features of the proposal based on the seven (7) criteria listed in the Surrey Sustainable Development Checklist.

Sustainability	Sustainable Development Features Summary
Criteria	
1. Site Context &	Complies with the South Westminster NCP designation of Light
Location	Impact Industrial and the OCP designation of Industrial
(A1-A2)	
2. Density & Diversity	• The proposal makes efficient use of industrial land.
(B1-B7)	
3. Ecology &	Drought tolerant landscaping is provided
Stewardship	Recycling facilities on-site
(C1-C4)	
4. Sustainable	Shared parking
Transport &	Bike racks
Mobility	Continuous sidewalk and pedestrian connections
(D1-D2)	
5. Accessibility &	CPTED has been incorporated into the site design
Safety	All areas are well lit
(E1-E3)	Clear points of entry and exits are provided
6. Green Certification	• NA
(F ₁)	
7. Education &	•
Awareness	
(G1-G4)	

INFORMATION ATTACHED TO THIS REPORT

The following information is attached to this Report:

Appendix I.	Lot Owners, Action Summary (Confidential) and Project Data Sheets
Appendix II	Proposed Site Plan, Building Elevations, Landscape Plans and Perspectives
Appendix III	Summary of Tree Survey and Tree Preservation

INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON FILE

• Complete Set of Architectural and Landscape Plans prepared by Taylor Kurtz Architecture and Design and Landspace Design Inc., respectively, dated January 16 and January 11, 2018.

Original signed by Ron Gill

Jean Lamontagne General Manager Planning and Development

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APPENDIX I HAS BEEN

REMOVED AS IT CONTAINS

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

DEVELOPMENT DATA SHEET

Existing Zoning: CD By-law No 18009

Required Development Data	Minimum Required /	Proposed
LOTE A DELA	Maximum Allowed	
LOT AREA* (in square metres)		
Gross Total		22,086 sq.m
Road Widening area		
Undevelopable area		
Net Total		22,086 sq. m
LOT COVERAGE (in % of net lot area)		
Buildings & Structures		
Paved & Hard Surfaced Areas		
Total Site Coverage		40%
SETBACKS (in metres)		
Front – North	7.5m	
Rear - South	6.om	
Side #1 East	7.5m	
Side #2 –West	6.om	
BUILDING HEIGHT (in metres/storeys)		
Principal	14m	12.8m
Accessory		
NUMBER OF RESIDENTIAL UNITS		
Total		
FLOOR AREA: Residential		
FLOOR AREA: Commercial		
Retail Showroom		429 sq. m
Office		-
Total		429 sq. m
FLOOR AREA: Industrial		2,785 sq. m
FLOOR AREA: Institutional		
TOTAL BUILDING FLOOR AREA		3,242 sq. m

^{*} If the development site consists of more than one lot, lot dimensions pertain to the entire site.

Development Data Sheet cont'd

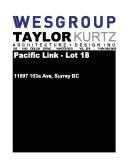
Required Development Data	Minimum Required / Maximum Allowed	Proposed
DENSITY		
# of units/ha /# units/acre (gross)		
# of units/ha /# units/acre (net)		
FAR (gross)	1.0	
FAR (net)	1.0	0.40
AMENITY SPACE (area in square metres)		
Indoor		
Outdoor		
PARKING (number of stalls)		
Commercial	13	13
Industrial	28	39
Residential Bachelor + 1 Bedroom		
2-Bed		
3-Bed		
Residential Visitors		
Institutional		
Total Number of Parking Spaces	41	52
Number of accessible stalls	2	
Number of small cars		
Tandem Parking Spaces: Number / % of Total Number of Units		
Size of Tandem Parking Spaces width/length		

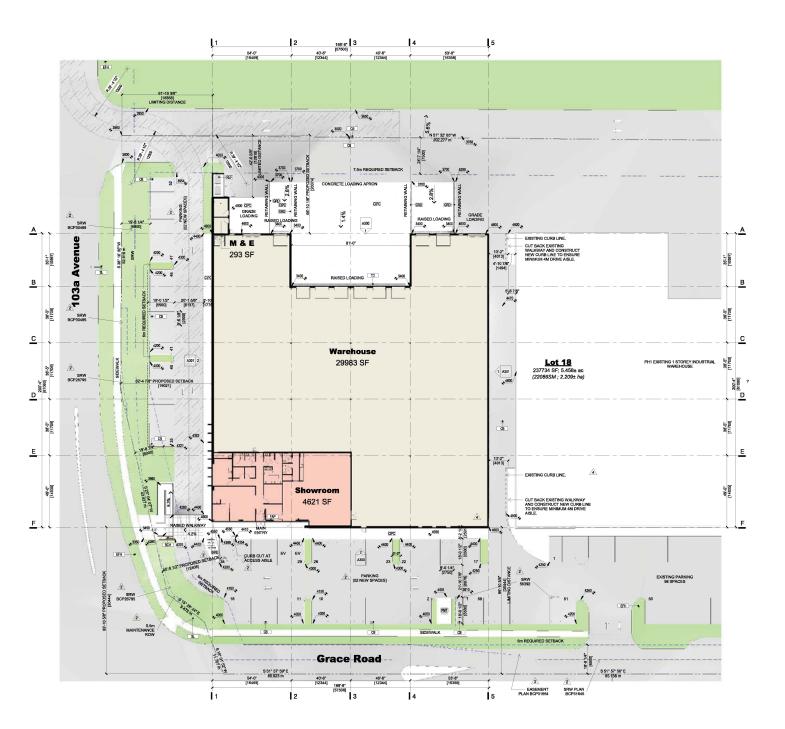
Heritage Site	NO	Tree Survey/Assessment Provided	YES





Pacific Link - Lot 18





ZONING SUMMARY:

Pacific Link - Lot 18 PROJECT NAME:

PROJECT ADDRESS: 11897 103a Ave, Surrey BC LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Lot 18 District Lot 9&10 Block 5N Section 25 Range 3W Plan BCP40313 NWD Group 2

City of Surrey Zoning Bylaw #12000 AUTHORITY: ZONE: CD - Comprehensive Development USES: Principal: Light Impact Industrial Warehouse

EASEMENTS: TBA

SETBACKS: Required Proposed - West Yard: 6m 18.9m - South Yard: 6m 30.4m East Yard: 7.5m 23.3m North Yard: 7.5m 12.7m 103A Avenue - West Yard: Grace Road - South Yard:

FLOOR AREA RATIO: 0.40 1.0 LOT COVERAGE: Proposed: 0.40

237734 SF

5.458 acres

SITE AREA:

Site area calculations include Existing Building PH1 and Proposed Building PH2.

Proposed: 42'-0" (12.8m) Permitted: 45'-0" (14m) HEIGHT:

AREA SUMMARY (GBA by Use) Area (SF) Name/Use Proposed PH2 4621 429.4 Showroom 29983 2785.5 M & E 293 27.2 3242.1 Existing PH1 Warehouse

59380 5516.6 94274 8758.3

PARKING: Stall Proposed
PH1 Regular (5.5m x 2.75m) 57
PH2 Regular (5.5m x 2.75m) 50
PH1 HC (5.5m x 4.0m) 1
PH2 HC (5.5m x 4.0m) 2
Total 110

Required Warehouse (1/100sm) Retail (3/100sm) Total

PH1 - 9 Bays PH2 - 11 Bays TOTAL - 20 Bays



BENCH BIKE RACK CATCH BASIN CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE CAST INFORME CONCRETE
EXISTING FIRE PHORANT
FIRE ALANA PANIEL, SEE ELECTRICAL
GUARD RAIL; PANIEL SEE ELECTRICAL
GUARD RAIL; PANIEL STEEL PIPE
PAD MOUNT INFORD TRANSPORMER
CONCRETE REFUSE ENDLOSURE WITH
CHANKINK GATES TO MR. 2.5m ABOVE
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View from South West



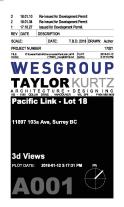
View from South East



View from South West - Close Up



View from North West



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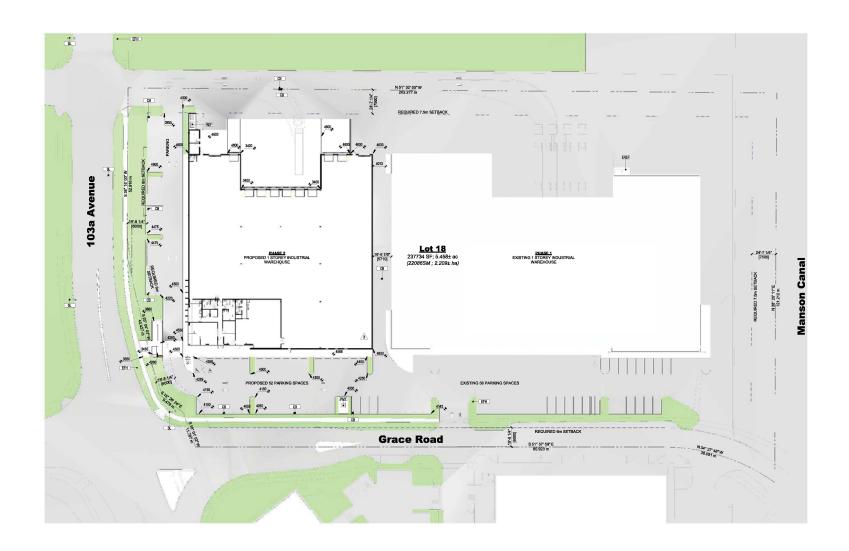


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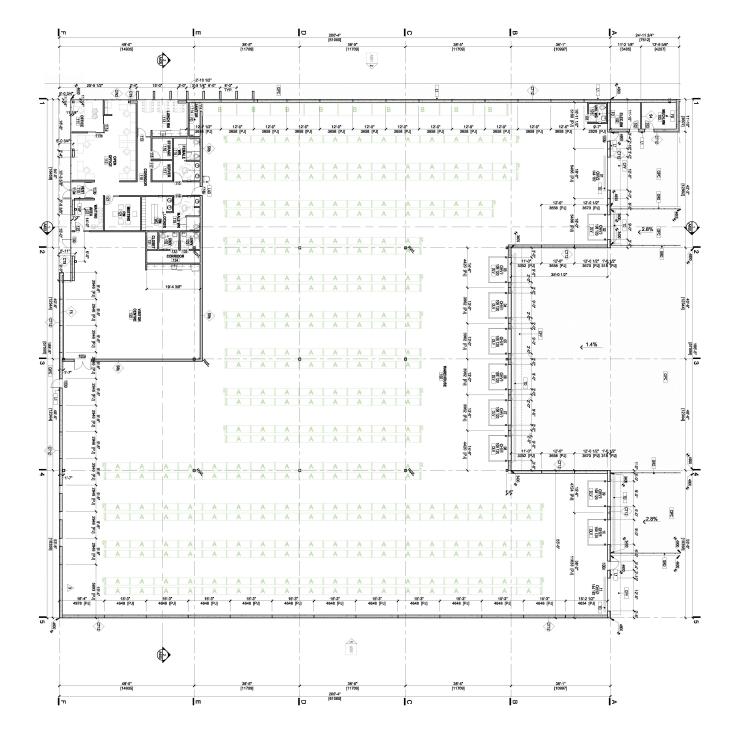




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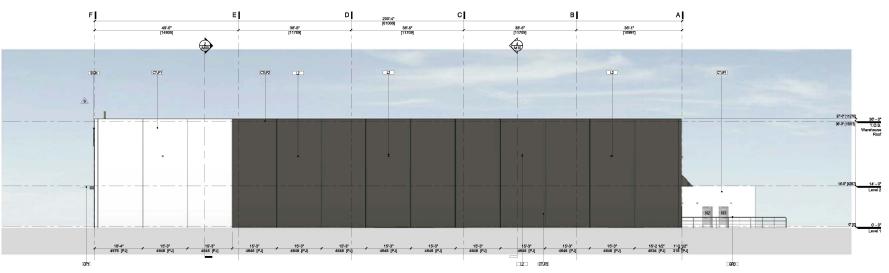












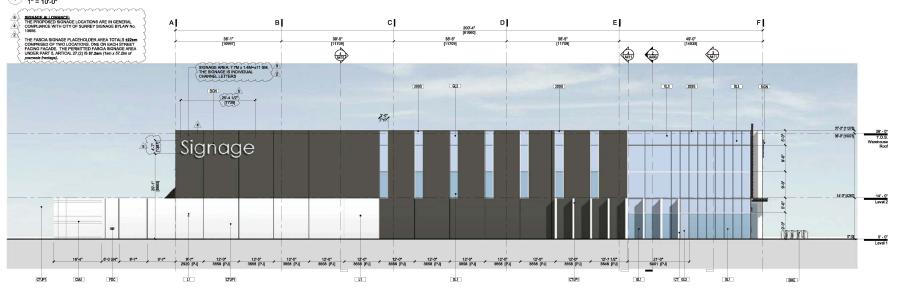
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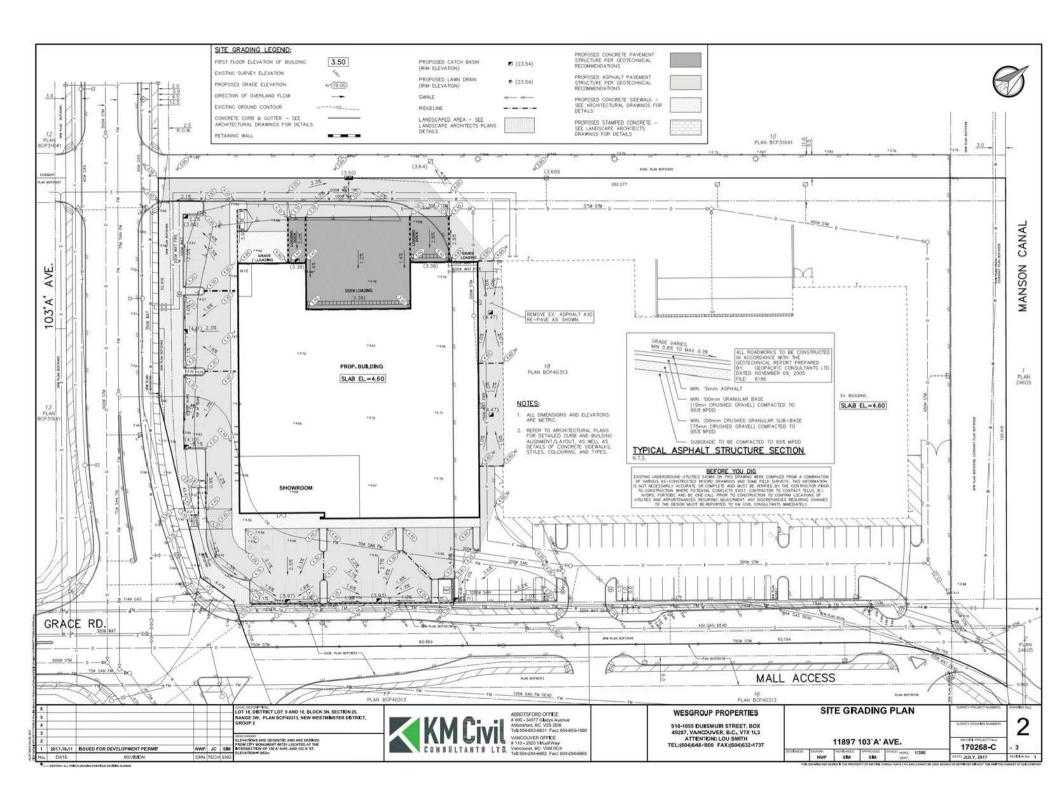
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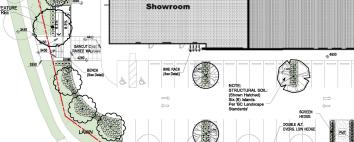
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SYM	QTY	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	SIZE
	`	Trees		
T.	3 i	Acer plataniodes 'Schwedleri' alt: selection by L.A. at nurs.	Schwedler Norway Maple	7cm cal. / 1.8m stnd
1	3 کم	Fraxinus americana 'Autumn Blaze'	Ash	6cm cal. / 1.8m stnd
+	8	Quecus palustris	Pin Oak	6cm cal. / 1.8m stnd
. 3	2	Magnolia grandiflora *	Southern Magnolia	6cm cal. / 1.8m stnd
w	3	Prunus serrulata 'Pink Perfection'	Flowering Cherry Var.	5cm cal. / 1.8m stnd

		Shrubs		
8	111	Azalea japonica 'Coral Bells'	Evergreen Japanese Aza	alea #2 pot
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\odot	54	Lonicera pileata	Evergreen Honeysuckle	#2 pot
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3	16	Rhododendron 'Christmas Cheer'	Rhododendron (med. var.)	#3 pot
(8)	1	Rhododendron 'Anna Rose Whitney'	Rhododendron (tall var.)	#3 pot
0	18	Rosa meldiland (various var's.) *	Hardy French Rose var.	#3 pot
•	92	Viburnum davidii	David's Vibernum	#3 pot
\oplus	18	Spirea x bumalda 'Froebelii'	Spirea Var.	#3 pot
(*)	46	Thuja occidentalis 'Smaragd'	Hedge Cedar	1.2m ht
•	4	Sarcococca humilus	Sweet Box	#3 pot



SAWCUT CONC TO CURRENT CITY STND





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WESGROUP



LANDSCAPE PLAN
PLOT: Oct 13'17
SCALE: 1"=20'-0"

EXISTING STAMP CONC.

GRACE ROAD

EXISTING SHRUBS

SIDEWALK

PROPERY LINE

PROPERY LINE

Warehouse

Lot 18





Tree Preservation Summary

Surrey Project No:

Address: 11897 103A Avenue, Surrey

Registered Arborist: Glenn Murray

On-Site Trees	Number of Trees
Protected Trees Identified (on-site and shared trees, including trees within boulevards and proposed streets	22
and lanes, but excluding trees in proposed open space or riparian areas)	
Protected Trees to be Removed	0
Protected Trees to be Retained (excluding trees within proposed open space or riparian areas)	22
- Alder & Cottonwood Trees Requiring 1 to 1 Replacement Ratio X one (1) = 0 - All other Trees Requiring 2 to 1 Replacement Ratio X two (2) = 0	0
Replacement Trees Proposed	
Replacement Trees in Deficit	0
Protected Trees to be Retained in Proposed [Open Space / Riparian Areas]	

Off-Site Trees	Number of Trees
Protected Off-Site Trees to be Removed	0
Total Replacement Trees Required:	
- Alder & Cottonwood Trees Requiring 1 to 1 Replacement RatioX one (1) = 0	0
- All other Trees Requiring 2 to 1 Replacement RatioX two (2) = 0	
Replacement Trees Proposed	
Replacement Trees in Deficit	0

Summary, report and plan prepared and	a submitted by:	
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(Signature of Arborist)	Date	