

Referral Early Consultation

Date: March 3, 2023

To:Distribution List (See Attachment A)From:Teresa McDonald, Associate Planner
Planning and Community DevelopmentSubject:PARCEL MAP APPLICATION NO. PLN2022-0125 – JOE RUDDY CORPRespond By:March 20, 2023

****PLEASE REVIEW REFERRAL PROCESS POLICY****

The Stanislaus County Department of Planning and Community Development is soliciting comments from responsible agencies under the Early Consultation process to determine: a) whether or not the project is subject to CEQA and b) if specific conditions should be placed upon project approval.

Therefore, please contact this office by the response date if you have any comments pertaining to the proposal. Comments made identifying potential impacts should be as specific as possible and should be based on supporting data (e.g., traffic counts, expected pollutant levels, etc.). Your comments should emphasize potential impacts in areas which your agency has expertise and/or jurisdictional responsibilities.

These comments will assist our Department in preparing a staff report to present to the Planning Commission. Those reports will contain our recommendations for approval or denial. They will also contain recommended conditions to be required should the project be approved. Therefore, please list any conditions that you wish to have included for presentation to the Commission as well as any other comments you may have. Please return all comments and/or conditions as soon as possible or no later than the response date referenced above.

Thank you for your cooperation. Please call (209) 525-6330 if you have any questions.

Applicant:	Joe Ruddy Corporation
Project Location:	448 Mitchell Road and 2101, 2203, and 2205 Tenaya Drive, between Hoover Avenue and Tenaya Drive, in the Modesto area.
APN:	036-001-086
Williamson Act Contract:	N/A
General Plan:	Industrial
Current Zoning:	Industrial

Project Description: Request to subdivide a 3.31± acre parcel in the Industrial (M) zoning district into two parcels of 2.14± and 1.17± acres in size. Proposed Parcel 1 is improved with a 45,000 square-foot building currently occupied by: Golden Valley Health Center, Motion Industries, Krazan Geotechnical, Rob Jones Cabinetry, and the owner's personal storage. Proposed Parcel 1 is also improved with a paved parking lot with 59 parking spaces, signage consisting of a 20-foot-tall pole sign, and signage affixed to the buildings. Proposed Parcel 2 is improved with a 15,000 square-foot building currently partially occupied by Airco Gas and Welding Supply. Proposed Parcel 2 is also improved with a paved parking lot with 24 parking spaces, signage consisting of an 18-foot-tall pole sign, and signage affixed to the buildings. The project site is not improved with any freestanding lighting. The site is located within the City of Modesto's Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) adopted Sphere of Influence (SOI) and receives public sewer and water services from the City of Modesto. If approved, Proposed Parcel 1 will have access to County-maintained Mitchell Road and Tenaya Drive via an existing driveway, and proposed Parcel 2 will have access to Countymaintained Tenaya Drive via an existing driveway. No changes to the existing uses or development are proposed as part of this request and the proposed parcels will maintain consistency with the development standards of the Industrial (M) zoning district.

Full document with attachments available for viewing at: http://www.stancounty.com/planning/pl/act-projects.shtm



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Х	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC	Х	TELEPHONE COMPANY: AT&T
	POSTMASTER:		TRIBAL CONTACTS (CA Government Code §65352.3)
Х	RAILROAD: MODESTO & EMPIRE TRACTION CO		US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
Х	SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY APCD		US FISH & WILDLIFE
Х	SCHOOL DIST 1: MODESTO UNION		US MILITARY (SB 1462) (7 agencies)
	SCHOOL DIST 2:		USDA NRCS
	WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT		
	STAN CO AG COMMISSIONER		
Х	TUOLUMNE RIVER TRUST		
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STANISLAUS COUNTY CEQA REFERRAL RESPONSE FORM

TO: Stanislaus County Planning & Community Development 1010 10th Street, Suite 3400 Modesto, CA 95354

FROM:

SUBJECT: PARCEL MAP APPLICATION NO. PLN2022-0125 – JOE RUDDY CORP

Based on this agency's particular field(s) of expertise, it is our position the above described project:

Will not have a significant effect on the environment. May have a significant effect on the environment.

No Comments.

Listed below are specific impacts which support our determination (e.g., traffic general, carrying capacity, soil types, air quality, etc.) – (attach additional sheet if necessary)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3. 4.

Listed below are possible mitigation measures for the above-listed impacts: *PLEASE BE SURE TO INCLUDE WHEN THE MITIGATION OR CONDITION NEEDS TO BE IMPLEMENTED* (*PRIOR TO RECORDING A MAP, PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A BUILDING PERMIT, ETC.*):

- 1. 2.
- 3. 4.

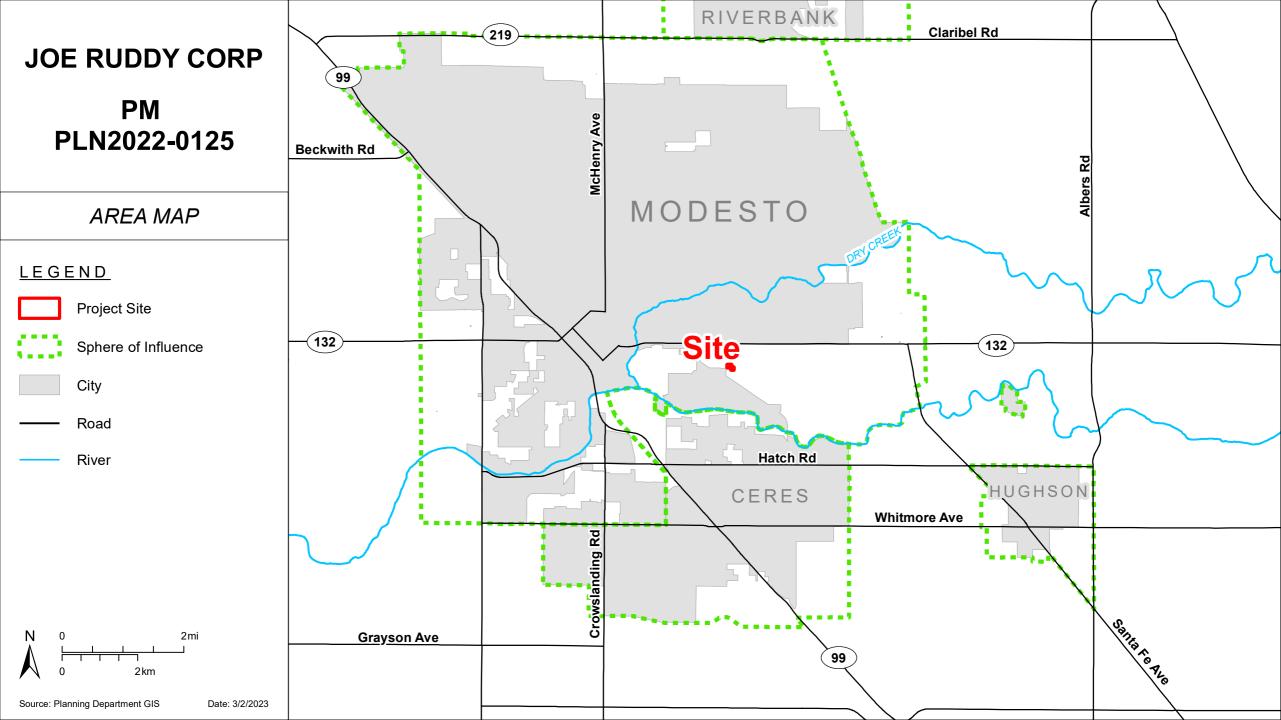
In addition, our agency has the following comments (attach additional sheets if necessary).

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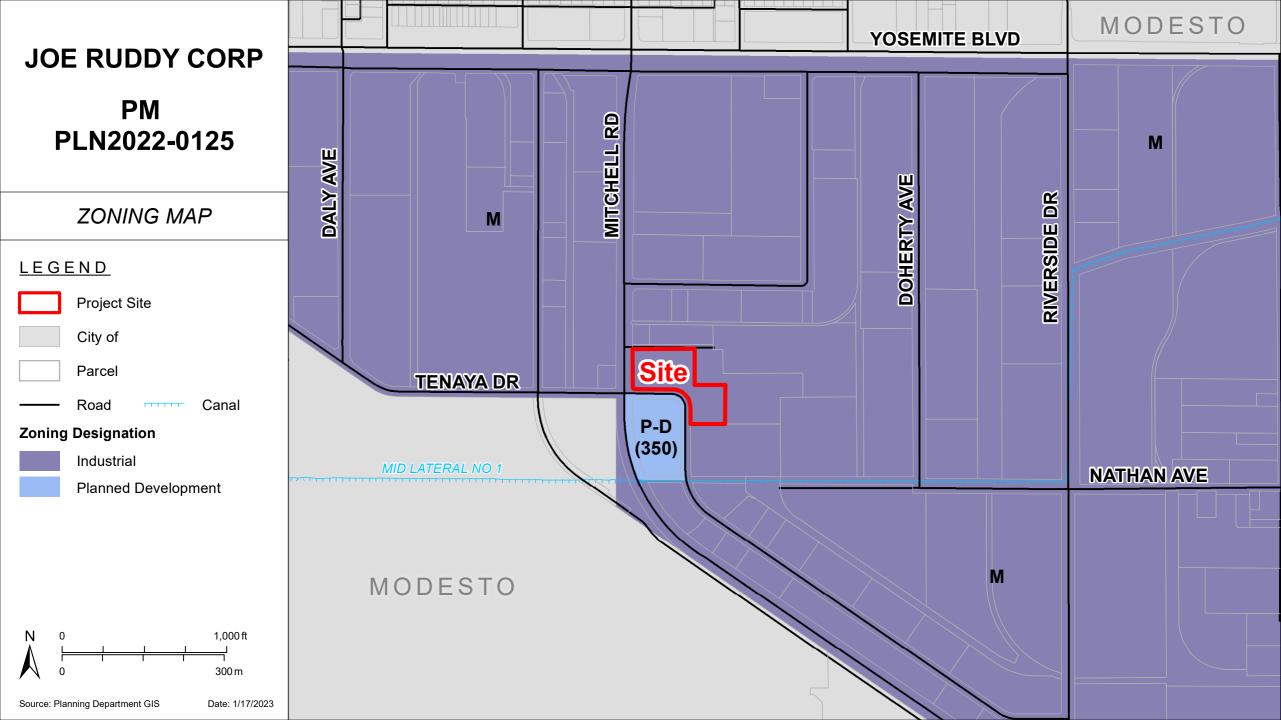
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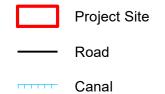


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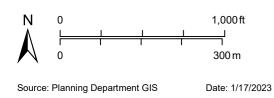
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2022 AERIAL AREA MAP

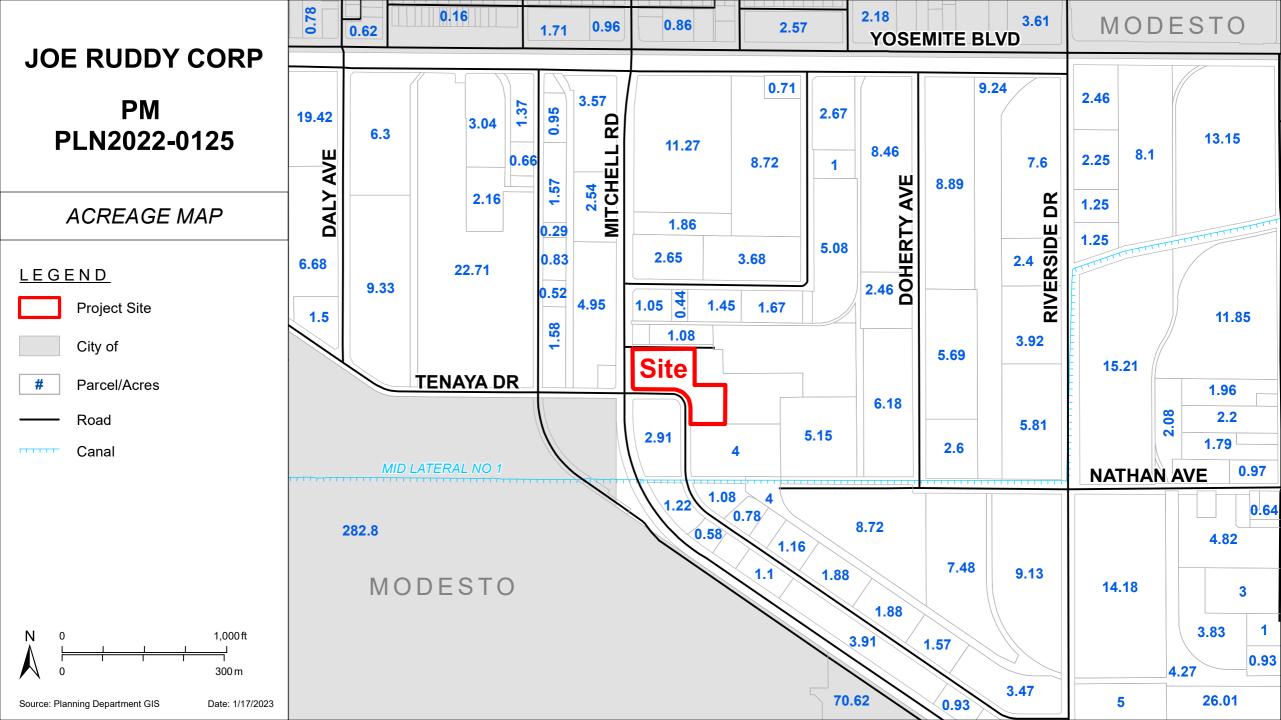
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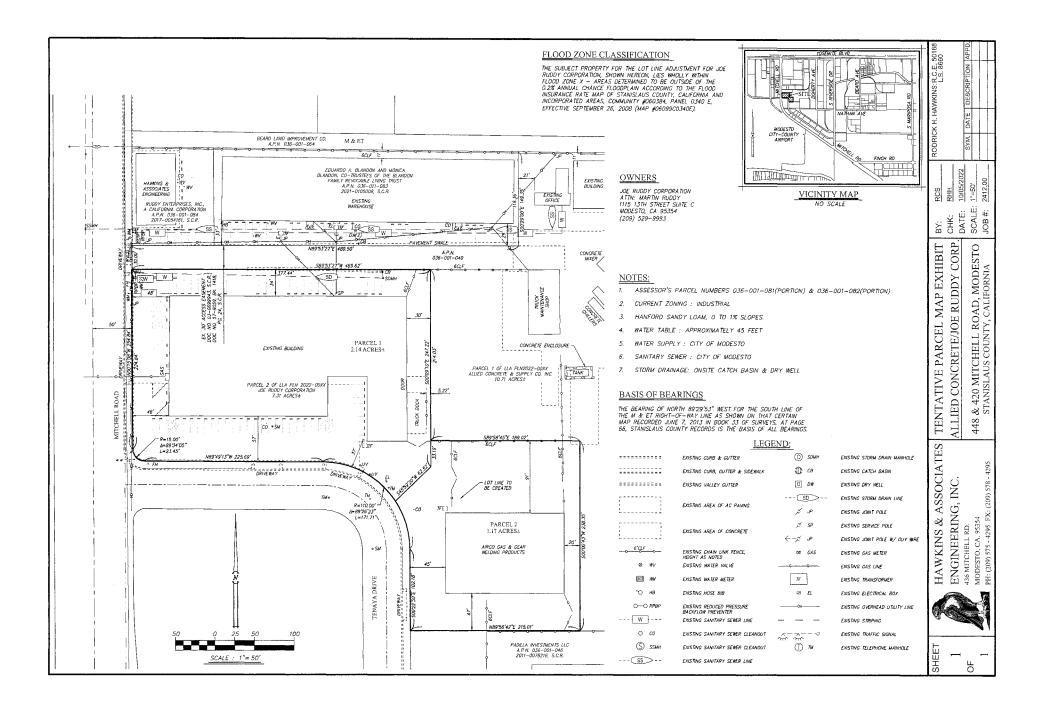














DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT 1010 10TH Street, Suite 3400, Modesto, CA 95354 Planning Phone: (209) 525-6330 Fax: (209) 525-5911 Building Phone: (209) 525-6557 Fax: (209) 525-7759 Form Available Online: http://www.stancounty.com/planning/applications.shtm

APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

 Check all applicable boxes	PLANNING STAFF USE ONLY:		
 s available to assist you with determi	Application No(s): <u>PM PLN2022-</u> Date: <u>1016122</u>		
General Plan Amendment		Subdivision Map	S <u>29-28</u> T <u>3</u> R <u>12</u> GP Designation: <u>INDUSTRIAL</u>
Rezone	\mathbf{X}	Parcel Map	Zoning: M-INDUSTRIAL
Use Permit		Exception	Fee: <u>\$4,649</u>
Variance		Williamson Act Cancellation	Receipt No. <u>508000</u> Received By: <u>KA</u>
Historic Site Permit		Other	Notes:

In order for your application to be considered COMPLETE, please answer all applicable questions on the following pages, and provide all applicable information listed on the checklist on pages i - v. Under State law, upon receipt of this application, staff has 30 days to determine if the application is complete. We typically do not take the full 30 days. It may be necessary for you to provide additional information and/or meet with staff to discuss the application. Pre-application meetings are not required, but are highly recommended. An incomplete application will be placed on hold until all the necessary information is provided to the satisfaction of the requesting agency. An application will not be accepted without all the information identified on the checklist.

Please contact staff at (209) 525-6330 to discuss any questions you may have. Staff will attempt to help you in any way we can.

PROJECT INFORMATION

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: (Describe the project in detail, including physical features of the site, proposed improvements, proposed uses or business, operating hours, number of employees, anticipated customers, etc. – Attach additional sheets as necessary)

*Please note: A detailed project description is essential to the reviewing process of this request. In order to approve a project, the Planning Commission or the Board of Supervisors must decide whether there is enough information available to be able to make very specific statements about the project. These statements are called "Findings". It is your responsibility as an applicant to provide enough information about the proposed project, so that staff can recommend that the Commission or the Board make the required Findings. Specific project Findings are shown on pages 17 – 19 and can be used as a guide for preparing your project description. (If you are applying for a Variance or Exception, please contact staff to discuss special requirements).

Tentative Parcel Map to subdivide Parcel 2 of Lot Line Adjustment PLN2022-00XX into two separate parcels in order to

have each warehouse building on its own lot.

PROJECT SITE INFORMATION

Complete and accurate information saves time and is vital to project review and assessment. Please complete each section entirely. If a question is not applicable to your project, please indicated this to show that each question has been carefully considered. Contact the Planning & Community Development Department Staff, 1010 10th Street – 3rd Floor. (209) 525-6330, if you have any guestions. Pre-application meetings are highly recommended. 001 Parcel___ O36 Page 081 ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NUMBER(S): Book 036-001-082 Additional parcel numbers: **Project Site Address** 448 & 420 Mitchell Road, Modesto, CA 95354 or Physical Location: Acres: 7.31 or Square feet: **Property Area:** Current and Previous Land Use: (Explain existing and previous land use(s) of site for the last ten years) Industrial with 2 warehouses List any known previous projects approved for this site, such as a Use Permit, Parcel Map, etc.: (Please identify project name, type of project, and date of approval) Lot line adjustment PLN2022-00XX Existing General Plan & Zoning: Industrial & Industrial Proposed General Plan & Zoning: N/A (if applicable) ADJACENT LAND USE: (Describe adjacent land uses within 1,320 feet (1/4 mile) and/or two parcels in each direction of the project site) East: Industrial (Allied Concrete) West: Industrial (Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Station 21, Diamond Almond Growers, Modesto Municipal Airport) North: industrial (Pacific Material Handling Solutions, Fabricated Extrusion Company) South: Industrial (Krazan & Associates, Modesto-Airco Gas & Gear) WILLIAMSON ACT CONTRACT: Yes 🛛 No 🗵 Is the property currently under a Williamson Act Contract? Contract Number:

If yes, has a Notice of Non-Renewal been filed?

Date Filed:

Yes 🛛 No 🗍	Do you propose to cancel any portion of the Contract?
Yes 🗋 No 🖾	Are there any agriculture, conservation, open space or similar easements affecting the use of the project site. (Such easements do not include Williamson Act Contracts)
	If yes, please list and provide a recorded copy:
SITE CHARACTER	RISTICS: (Check one or more) Flat 🗷 Rolling 🛛 Steep 🗍
VEGETATION: Wh	at kind of plants are growing on your property? (Check one or more)
Field crops	Orchard D Pasture/Grassland D Scattered trees D
Shrubs	Woodland D River/Riparian D Other D
Explain Other: planter	shrubs
Yes 🗋 No 🗵	Do you plan to remove any trees? (If yes, please show location of trees planned for removal on plot plan and provide information regarding transplanting or replanting.)
GRADING:	
Yes 🗌 No 🗵	Do you plan to do any grading? (If yes, please indicate how many cubic yards and acres to be disturbed. Please show areas to be graded on plot plan.)
STREAMS, LAKES	S, & PONDS:
Yes 🗋 No 🗵	Are there any streams, lakes, ponds or other watercourses on the property? (If yes, please show on plot plan)
Yes 🗌 No 🗷	Will the project change any drainage patterns? (If yes, please explain – provide additional sheet if needed)
Yes 🗋 No 🗵	Are there any gullies or areas of soil erosion? (If yes, please show on plot plan)
Yes 🛛 No 🗷	Do you plan to grade, disturb, or in any way change swales, drainages, ditches, gullies, ponds, low lying areas, seeps, springs, streams, creeks, river banks, or other area on the site that carries or holds water for any amount of time during the year? (If yes, please show areas to be graded on plot plan)
	Please note: If the answer above is yes, you may be required to obtain authorization from other agencies such as the Corps of Engineers or California Department of Fish and Game.

STRUCTURES:

Yes 🗷	No		Are there structures on the site? (If yes, please show on plot plan. Show a relationship to property lines and other features of the site.
Yes 🛛	No	X	Will structures be moved or demolished? (If yes, indicate on plot plan.)
Yes 🛛	No	X	Do you plan to build new structures? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.)
Yes 🛛	No	X	Are there buildings of possible Historical significance? (If yes, please explain and show location and size on plot plan.)

PROJECT SITE COVERAGE:

Existing Building Coverage:	59,338Sq. Ft.	Landscaped Area:	Sq. Ft.
Proposed Building Coverage:	N/ASq. Ft.	Paved Surface Area:	<u> 52,131 </u> Sq. Ft.

BUILDING CHARACTERISTICS:

Size of new structure(s) or building addition(s) in gross sq. ft.: (Provide additional sheets if necessary) N/A

Number of floors for each building: <u>N/A</u>

Building height in feet (measured from ground to highest point): (Provide additional sheets if necessary) N/A

Height of other appurtenances, excluding buildings, measured from ground to highest point (i.e., antennas, mechanical equipment, light poles, etc.): (Provide additional sheets if necessary) N/A

Proposed surface material for parking area: (Provide information addressing dust control measures if non-asphalt/concrete material to be used) N/A

UTILITIES AND IRRIGATION FACILITIES:

Yes X No Are there existing public or private utilities on the site? Includes telephone, power, water, etc. (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)

Who provides, or will provide the following services to the property?

Electrical:	Modesto Irrigation District	Sewer*:	City of Modesto	
Telephone:	Comcast	Gas/Propane:	PG&E	
Water**:	City of Modesto	Irrigation:	N/A	

*Please Note: A "will serve" letter is required if the sewer service will be provided by City, Sanitary District, Community Services District, etc.

**Please Note: A "will serve" letter is required if the water source is a City, Irrigation District, Water District, etc., and the water purveyor may be required to provide verification through an Urban Water Management Plan that an adequate water supply exists to service your proposed development.

Will any special or unique sewage wastes be generated by this development other than that normally associated with resident or employee restrooms? Industrial, chemical, manufacturing, animal wastes? (Please describe:)

No special or unigue sewage wastes

Please Note: Should any waste be generated by the proposed project other than that normally associated with a single family residence, it is likely that Waste Discharge Requirements will be required by the Regional Water Quality Control Board. Detailed descriptions of quantities, quality, treatment, and disposal may be required.

Yes 🛛	No	X	Are there existing irrigation, telephone, or power company easements on the property? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.)
Yes 🛛	No	X	Do the existing utilities, including irrigation facilities, need to be moved? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.)
Yes 🛛	No	X	Does the project require extension of utilities? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan.)

AFFORDABLE HOUSING/SENIOR:

Yes **No W** Will the project include affordable or senior housing provisions? (If yes, please explain)

RESIDENTIAL PROJECTS: (Please complete if applicable – Attach additional sheets if necessary)

Total No. Lots:	Total Dwelling	Jnits:	Total Acreag	e:		
Net Density per Acre:	Gross Density per Acre:					
(complete if applicable)	Single Family	Two Family Duplex	Multi-Family Apartments	Multi-Family Condominium/ Townhouse		
Number of Units:			,			
Acreage:						

COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, MANUFACTURING, RETAIL, USE PERMIT, OR OTHER

PROJECTS: (Please complete if applicable – Attach additional sheets if necessary)

Square footage of each existing or proposed building(s): 44,232 and 15,106

Type of use(s): <u>Industrial warehouse</u>

Days	and	hours	of	operation:	8am to	5ţ	эm
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Seasonal operation (i.e., packing shed, huller, etc.) mo	onths and hours of operation: <u>N/A</u>
Occupancy/capacity of building: <u>小つ C</u> HAハ	IGE IN 4SE OR OCCHPINNCY
Number of employees: (Maximum Shift)://o_a	CHANNE (Minimum Shift):
Estimated number of daily customers/visitors on site a	t peak time:
Other occupants:	
Estimated number of truck deliveries/loadings per day:	NO CHANGE
Estimated hours of truck deliveries/loadings per day:	10 10
Estimated percentage of traffic to be generated by truc	
Estimated number of railroad deliveries/loadings per d	lay:
Square footage of: NOCHANGES	
Office area:	Warehouse area:
Sales area:	Storage area:
Loading area:	Manufacturing area:
Other: (explain type of area)	
Yes No 🛛 Will the proposed use involve	toxic or hazardous materials or waste? (Please explain)
ROAD AND ACCESS INFORMATION:	
What County road(s) will provide the project's main ac	cess? (Please show all existing and proposed driveways on the plot plan)

Mitchell Road, Tenaya Drive

Yes 🛛	No	X	Are there private or public road or access easements on the property now? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)
Yes 🛛	No	X	Do you require a private road or easement to access the property? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)
Yes 🛛	No	X	Do you require security gates and fencing on the access? (If yes, show location and size on plot plan)

Please Note: Parcels that do not front on a County-maintained road or require special access may require approval of an Exception to the Subdivision Ordinance. Please contact staff to determine if an exception is needed and to discuss the necessary Findings.

STORM DRAINAGE:

How will your project handle storm water runoff?	(Check one)	Drainage Basin	🗴 Direct Discharge	Overland

Other: (please explain)

If direct discharge is proposed, what specific waterway are you proposing to discharge to? _______existing City Of Modesto______

system

Please Note: If direct discharge is proposed, you will be required to obtain a NPDES permit from the Regional Water Quality Control Board, and must provide evidence that you have contacted them regarding this proposal with your application.

EROSION CONTROL:

If you plan on grading any portion of the site, please provide a description of erosion control measures you propose to implement.

N/A

Please note: You may be required to obtain an NPDES Storm Water Permit from the Regional Water Quality Control Board and prepare a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Please use this space to provide any other information you feel is appropriate for the County to consider during review of your application. (Attach extra sheets if necessary)

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD - STORM WATER PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

Storm water discharges associated with construction activity are a potentially significant source of pollutants. The most common pollutant associated with construction is sediment. Sediment and other construction related wastes can degrade water quality in creeks, rivers, lakes, and other water bodies. In 1992, the State Water Resources Control Board adopted a statewide General Permit for all storm water discharges associated with construction activity that disturbs five or more acres of land. Effective March 10, 2003, all construction sites disturbing one or more acres of land will be required to obtain permit coverage. The General Permit is intended to ensure that construction activity does not impact water guality.

You need to obtain General Permit coverage if storm water discharges from your site and either of the following apply:

- Construction activities result in one or more acres of land disturbance, including clearing, grading, excavating, staging areas, and stockpiles or;
- . The project is part of a larger common plan of development or sale (e.g., subdivisions, group of lots with or without a homeowner's association, some lot line adjustments) that result in one or more acres of land disturbance.

It is the applicants responsibility to obtain any necessary permit directly from the California Regional Water Quality Control Board. The applicant(s) signature on this application form signifies an acknowledgment that this statement has been read and understood.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA HAZARDOUS WASTE AND SUBSTANCES SITES LIST (C.G.C. § 65962.5)

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 65962.5(e), before a local agency accepts as complete an application for any development project, the applicant shall consult the latest State of California Hazardous Waste and Substances Sites List on file with the Planning Department and submit a signed statement indicating whether the project is located on a site which is included on the List. The List may be obtained on the California State Department of Toxic Substances Control web site (http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public).

The applicant(s) signature on this application form signifies that they have consulted the latest State of California Hazardous Waste and Substances List on file with the Planning Department, and have determined that the project site \Box is or \Box is not included on the List.

October 5, 2022 Date of List consulted:

Source of the listing:

(To be completed only if the site is included on the List)

ASSESSOR'S INFORMATION WAIVER

The property owner(s) signature on this application authorizes the Stanislaus County Assessor's Office to make any information relating to the current owners assessed value and pursuant to R&T Code Sec. 408, available to the Stanislaus County Department of Planning and Community Development.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA INFORMATION CENTER

California Historical Resources Information System Department of Anthropology – California State University, Stanislaus One University Circle, Turlock, California 95382 (209) 667-3307



Alpine, Calaveras, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislans & Tuolumne Counties

Date: 10/7/2022

Records Search File #: 12331N Project: Tentative Parcel Map Allied Concrete 448 & 420 Mitchell Road, Modesto, CA 95354

Rod Hawkins Hawkins & Associates Engineering, Inc. 436 Mitchell Road, Suite A Modesto, CA 95354 209-575-4295 rha

rhawkins@hawkins-eng.com

Dear Mr. Hawkins

We have conducted a non-confidential extended records search as per your request for the abovereferenced project area located on the Riverbank USGS 7.5-minute quadrangle map in Stanislaus County.

Search of our files includes review of our maps for the specific project area and the immediate vicinity of the project area, and review of the following:

National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) California Register of Historical Resources (CRHR) *California Inventory of Historic Resources* (1976) *California Historical Landmarks* California Points of Historical Interest listing Office of Historic Preservation Built Environment Resource Directory (BERD) and the Archaeological Determinations of Eligibility (ADOE) *Survey of Surveys* (1989) Caltrans State and Local Bridges Inventory General Land Office Plats Other pertinent historic data available at the CCaIC for each specific county

The following details the results of the records search:

Prehistoric or historic resources within the project area:

- There are no formally recorded prehistoric or historic archaeological resources or historic buildings and structures within the project area.
- The General Land Office Survey Plat for T3S R9E (dated 1854) does not show any historic features within the NW ¹/₄ of Section 35.

- The Official Map of the County of Stanislaus, California (1906) shows J. E. Ward as the landowner in the NW ¼ of Section 35 at that time, as well depicting an unnamed lateral alignment to the south.
- The 1916 edition of the Riverbank USGS quadrangle shows an unnamed road alignment on the west side of the project and the Modesto Lateral No. 2 to the south.
- The 1953 edition of the Riverbank quadrangle references the same lateral mentioned above as No. 1, and shows several buildings (69 years in age or older) along "Snowden Road" on the west. We have no further information on file regarding these possible historical resources.
- The 1969 edition shows the current alignment of Mitchell Road (aka East Modesto Road) and several buildings (53 years in age or older) within the NW ¼ of Section 35, T3S R9E. We have no further information on file regarding these possible historical resources.

Prehistoric or historic resources within the immediate vicinity of the project area: None has been formally reported to the Information Center.

Resources that are known to have value to local cultural groups: None has been formally reported to the Information Center.

Previous investigations within the project area: Two investigations have been conducted on portions of the project area, referenced as follows:

Hatoff, B., B. Voss, S. Waechter, S. Wee, and V. Bente (Woodward-Clyde Consultants; for Mojave Pipeline Company)

 1995 Cultural Resources Inventory Report for the Proposed Mojave Northward Expansion Project.
CCaIC Report ST-02759

 Penner, S. (Golden Valley Health Centers)
2009 Section 106 Consultation for Dental Facility Expansion, 2101 Tenaya Drive, Modesto, CA.
CCaIC Report ST-07079

Recommendations/Comments:

Please be advised that a historical resource is defined as a building, structure, object, prehistoric or historic archaeological site, or district possessing physical evidence of human activities over 45 years old. Since project-specific investigations have not been conducted within the area, there may be unidentified features involved in your project that are 45 years or older and considered as

historical resources requiring further study and evaluation by a qualified professional of the appropriate discipline.

If the current project does not include ground disturbance, further study for archaeological resources is not recommended at this time. If ground disturbance is considered a part of the current project, we recommend further review for the possibility of identifying prehistoric or historic-era archaeological resources.

If the proposed project contains buildings or structures that meet the minimum age requirement (45 years in age or older) it is recommended that the resource/s be assessed by a professional familiar with architecture and history of the county. Review of the available historic building/structure data has included only those sources listed above and should not be considered comprehensive.

If at any time you might require the services of a qualified professional the Statewide Referral List for Historical Resources Consultants is posted for your use on the internet at <u>http://chrisinfo.org</u>

If archaeological resources are encountered during project-related activities, work should be temporarily halted in the vicinity of the discovered materials and workers should avoid altering the materials and their context until a qualified professional archaeologist has evaluated the situation and provided appropriate recommendations. Project personnel should not collect cultural resources.

If human remains are discovered, California Health and Safety Code Section 7050.5 requires you to protect the discovery and notify the county coroner, who will determine if the find is Native American. If the remains are recognized as Native American, the coroner shall then notify the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC). California Public Resources Code Section 5097.98 authorizes the NAHC to appoint a Most Likely Descendant (MLD) who will make recommendations for the treatment of the discovery.

Due to processing delays and other factors, not all of the historical resource reports and resource records that have been submitted to the State Office of Historic Preservation are available via this records search. Additional information may be available through the federal, state, and local agencies that produced or paid for historical resource management work in the search area. Additionally, Native American tribes have historical resource information not in the CHRIS Inventory, and you should contact the California Native American Heritage Commission for information on local/regional tribal contacts.

The California Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) contracts with the California Historical Resources Information System's (CHRIS) regional Information Centers (ICs) to maintain information in the CHRIS inventory and make it available to local, state, and federal agencies, cultural resource professionals, Native American tribes, researchers, and the public. Recommendations made by IC coordinators or their staff regarding the interpretation and application of this information are advisory only. Such recommendations do not necessarily

represent the evaluation or opinion of the State Historic Preservation Officer in carrying out the OHP's regulatory authority under federal and state law.

We thank you for contacting this office regarding historical resource preservation. Please let us know when we can be of further service. Thank you for providing the signed Access Agreement Short Form.

Note: Billing will be transmitted separately via email from the Financial Services office (\$150.00), payable within 60 days of receipt of the invoice.

If you wish to include payment by Credit Card, you must wait to receive the official invoice from Financial Services so that you can reference the CMP # (Invoice Number), and then contact the link below:

https://commerce.cashnet.com/ANTHROPOLOGY

Sincerely,

E. H. Greathouse

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