3575 Mendocino Avenue



City Council Hearing

Introduction of the Project Team

Development Partners

- Affordable Housing Developer BRJE Communities, LLC
 - Larry Florin, CEO, Burbank Housing
 - Ann Silverberg, CEO, Related California
 - Efren Carrillo, Director, Burbank Housing
 - Karen Massey, Project Manager, Burbank Housing

Property Owner

- 3575 Mendocino Avenue Associates, LLC
 - Ramsey Shuayto, Owner

Consultant Team

- Master Planner & Architect
 Rick Williams & Kushal Modi, VMWP
- Civil Engineer
 Rick Carlile, BKF Engineers
- Landscape Architect
 Christine Talbot, Quadriga
- Traffic Engineer
 Dalene Whitlock, W-Trans

Community & Outreach Partners







































SONOMA INTERSECTIONS



The Road to Recovery (Est.)

Q4'17-Q1'18 Q1'18-Q3'18 Q3'18-Q4'18	Secured resources & housing for prior residents Secured Tipping Point grant Determined rebuilding economically infeasible Initiated park closure discussions Secured Kaiser grant
Q1'19-Q2'19 Q3'19-Q4'19	Assisted households with coaches remaining City initiated review of Mobile Home Conversion Ordinance City adopted revised Ordinance Submitted Relocation Impact Report to City
Q1'20-Q2'20	City approved Report Assisted households with coaches destroyed

Q3'20-Q4'20

CEQA document prepared & circulated

Redevelopment plans submitted to City

Planning Commission recommended unanimous approval

Lives Restabilized



Key Project Objectives

- Advance the City's goals & priorities
- Rebuild a more resilient community
- Create a healthy, sustainable community
- Maximize existing infrastructure investments

Advances Council's Top Priorities: Housing/Recovery

- Rebuilds 17% of units lost in 2017 wildfires
- Locates high-density housing in Mendocino Avenue Corridor Priority Development Area
- Creates walkable, pedestrian-oriented transit village near high-quality transit
- Locates housing near major employers
 - Kaiser, Medtronic, Keysight, SRJC, Sonoma County



Aligns with General Plan Goals & Objectives

- "Foster a compact...development pattern in order to reduce travel, energy, land, and materials consumption..." (Land Use Element, LUL-A)
- "Facilitate **higher-density and affordable housing** development in **Priority Development Areas** (PDA), which include sites...on regional/arterial streets for convenient access to bus and rail transit." (Housing Element, H-C-6)
- "Ensure adequate sites are available for development of a variety of housing types for all income levels..." (Housing Element, H-A-1)
- "Locate higher density residential uses **adjacent to transit facilities, shopping, and employment centers**, and link these areas with bicycle and pedestrian paths." (Urban Design Element, UD-G-2)
- "Promote...higher density uses **along the city's regional/arterial corridors**." (Economic Vitality Element, EV-C)
- "Ensure that regulations...provide development standards, parking requirements, and use allowances which facilitate the development of housing for all income groups." (Housing Element, H-A-1)

Achieves Housing Action Plan Objectives

- Increases affordable housing production
 - 30% affordable senior rental units
 - 119 units more than required by Code
- Provides 'Housing for All'
 - Serves households across income spectrum
 - Creates multi-generational community
- Expands City's housing stock
 - 14.5% of City's market rate housing goal
 - 9.8% of City's low/very low housing goal
- Rehouses prior Journey's End residents







Leverages Existing Investments

- Maximizes transit opportunities
 - < 1/2 mile from Bicentennial Way Transit Corridor
 - 6 bus stops
 - Connections to SMART
 - Class II bike lanes
- Optimizes existing utility & street infrastructure investments
- Synergizes with existing amenities
 - 2-mile radius: medical services, grocery store, commercial services, restaurants, regional open space, schools, community center & library



Located near high-quality transportation

Rebuilds a More Resilient Community

- Ensures adequate ingress/egress
 - 3 points of access
 - Adjacent to 3 City-identified evacuation routes
- Improves site & building safety
 - City water connections & fire hydrants
 - Certified alarm systems & fire sprinklers
 - Back-up power source
 - Fire resistant building materials
 - Fire resistant landscape design & materials



- Emphasizes readiness & preparedness
 - Emergency Response & Preparedness Plan for future residents

Supports Community Health & Wellness

- Creates diverse, inclusive community
 - All ages, all incomes
- Encourages outdoor activities
 - 1-acre public park
 - 0.8 acre private open space
 - Walkable, pedestrian friendly design
- Promotes socialization & engagement
 - Indoor & outdoor gathering spaces
- Prepares Health Action Plan
 - Addresses isolation, access to preventative care/transportation









Next Steps

Affordable Component

Director Level Final Design Review
 December 2020

Apply for State/Federal Funds
 Underway

Design Development/Construction Documents
 Underway

Construction Start
 September 2021

Market Rate Component

Identify Market Rate Developer Early 2021

Questions?



Project Overview

- High-density residential transit village
 - Up to 532 multifamily rental units
 - 30% affordable units
 - 1-acre central park
 - Play area, dog park, sports court & passive area
 - 3 points of access
 - Primary entrance: full-access public street
 - Secondary entrances: 2 private driveways
 - 25% parking reduction
 - 719 parking spaces + 160 bicycle spaces



Project Master Plan

Project Overview - Modified

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 - 16.2% parking reduction
 - 803 parking spaces + 160 bicycle spaces



Project Master Plan – Additional 84 Parking Spaces

Affordable Senior Housing

- 162 units
- 2.5-acre parcel
- 3 buildings, 3-4 stories
- 1 & 2 bedrooms, ~530-800 sf
- Multi-purpose rooms, health & wellness room, media room, laundry rooms, bike storage, walking paths, outdoor courtyards & community gardens
- 114 parking spaces + 60 bicycle spaces



Affordability Overview

Affordable to lower income seniors

	Area Median Income				
	Extremely Low	Very Low	Low		
# Units*	20	99	41		

^{*2} Manager's Units Not Included Above

Monthly Rent

	Monthly Rent
1 Bedroom	~\$587 - \$1,026
2 Bedroom	~\$698 - \$1,209



Market Rate Rental Housing

- Up to 370 units
- 9-acre parcel
- TV-R Development Standards
- 3-4 stories, up to 510,531 gsf

Unit Mix	# Units	Unit Size (gsf)
3 bed (15%)	56	1,300
2 bed (50%)	185	950
1 bed (30%)	111	725
Studio (5%)	18	500
Total	370	

• 689 parking spaces + 100 bicycle spaces



Market Rate Design Features

- Shared design principles
 - Multiple buildings
 - Similar articulation
 - Variety of materials
 - Oriented onto street/central park
 - Parking to rear
 - Connections to open space & transit
- Massing/height reduced toward Fountaingrove Parkway
- Further design review/approval later date



Secondary Entry: Mendocino Avenue & Fountaingrove Parkway



Looking northwest from Central Park toward market rate units

Parking: Proposed Project

Code Analysis

Total Spaces	719 spaces
Concession (25%)	- 239 spaces
Code Required Spaces	958 spaces

Concession based on:

- Transit Priority Project
- Location in *Priority Development Area*
- Pedestrian Friendly Environment
- Ample Access to Transit (routes 1, 10, 44, 48, 54, 60, & 62)
- Improved Transit Facilities

- Direct Access to Class II Bicycle Lanes
- 160 Secure Bicycle Parking Spaces
- Walking Distance Transit, Major Employers & Services
- 15% fewer Vehicle Miles Traveled than County Average

Parking: Modified Project

	Proposed Project: 25% Concession		Modified Project: 16.2% Concession				
# Spaces	958		958				
Concession	(239)		(155)				
Total	719		803				



Project Master Plan - Additional 84 parking spaces

Parking Demand Analysis

Parking Supply Exceeds Parking Demand:

		Parking Demand Analysis		Proposed Project: 25% Concession		Modified Project: 16.2% Concession		
	# Units	Space/DU	# Spaces	Space/DU	# Spaces	Space/DU	# Spaces	
Multifamily	370	1.47	544	1.64	605	1.86	689	
Senior	162	0.72	117	0.7	114	0.7	114	
Total	532		661		719		803	





View from Mendocino Ave: Entry Lobby of Affordable Senior Housing - Building 3



View from Central Park: Main Entry & Courtyard for Affordable Senior Housing - Building 1



View from Public Street: Entry Plaza & Arbor for Affordable Senior Housing - Building 1

AFFORDABLE SENIOR HOUSING COMMON SPACE & UNIT INTERIORS CHARACTER IMAGES

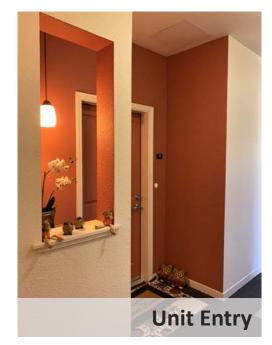
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COMMON SPACE













WATER CONSERVATION



LOW FLOW PLUMBING FIXTURES



DROUGHT TOLERANT LANDSCAPE

INDOOR AIR QUALITY



NATURAL VENTILATION LOW OR NO VOC PAINTS & FINISHES FORMALDEHYDE FREE

STORMWATER CONTROL BEST PRACTICES



STORMWATER FILTRATION & RETENTION THROUGH



PERVIOUS HARDSCAPE SURFACES TO MINIMIZE RUNOFF

ENERGY EFFICIENCY



SOLAR HOT



ENERGY STAR
APPLIANCES
BUILDING ENVELOPE



RENEWABLE ENERGY GENERATION

COMMUNITY GARDEN



COMMUNITY & QUALITY OF LIFE



SECURE INDOOR



GATHERING PLACES



LEED FOR HOMES



BUILD IT GREEN CHECKLIST

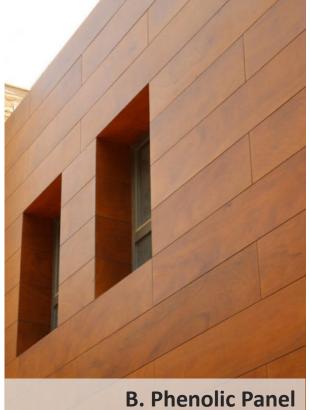


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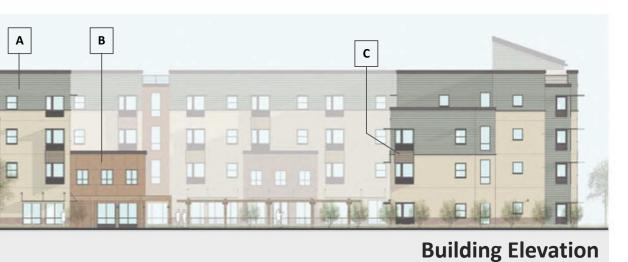
A. Building Top defined by Siding

B









D. Wood Arbor at Main Entries

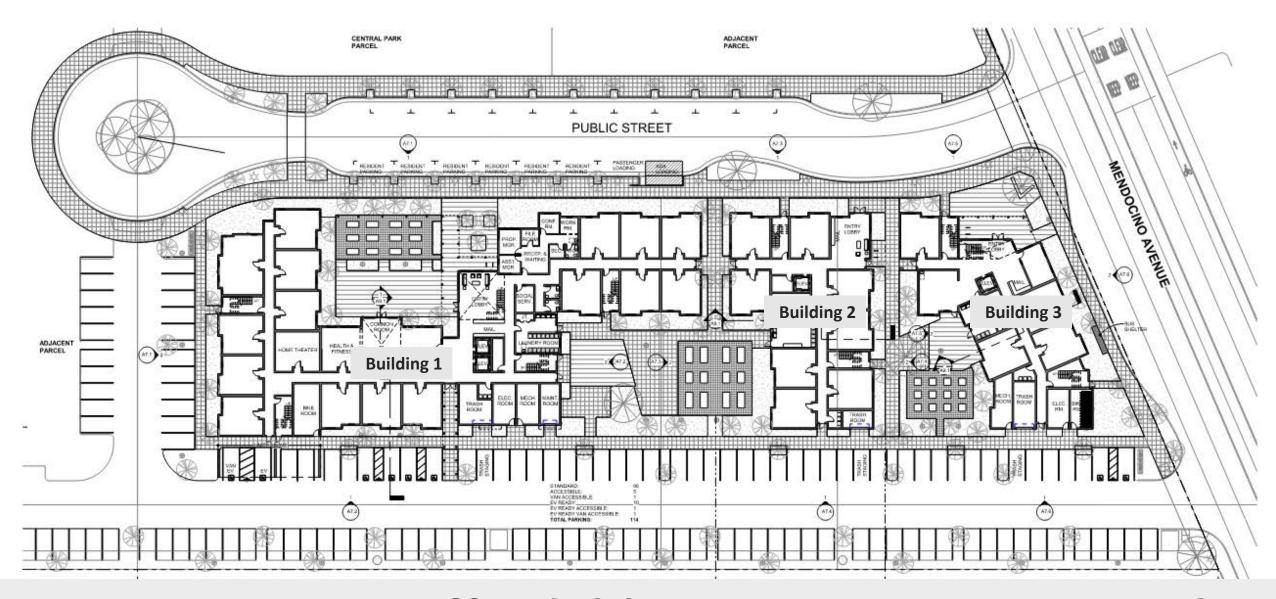






F. Concrete Planters





Affordable Senior Housing Site Plan

MARKET RATE RENTAL HOUSING

OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN SONOMA COUNTY CTURAL CHARACTER STUDY













Public Space Character Images



Sculptural Berms



Dog Park



Central Park



Playground

Landscape Design

- Holistic, Neighborhood Approach
 - Central park offers engaging open space opportunities for all ages & incomes
 - Tree-lined, shaded streets create enhanced pedestrian-friendly environment
 - Ample pedestrian amenities
 - Sculptural park serves as neighborhood identifier
 - Private outdoor space
 - Drought tolerant & fire-resistant landscape design/pallete



Landscape Design

SCULPTURAL BERMS WITH RETAINING WALLS



VARIES PLANTING AREA PER PLAN

A-A: TYPICAL SECTION ALONG MENDOCINO AVE







DOUBLE ROW STREET TREES

FENCING - 6'-0" METAL FENCE



MODEL: MONTAGE II OR

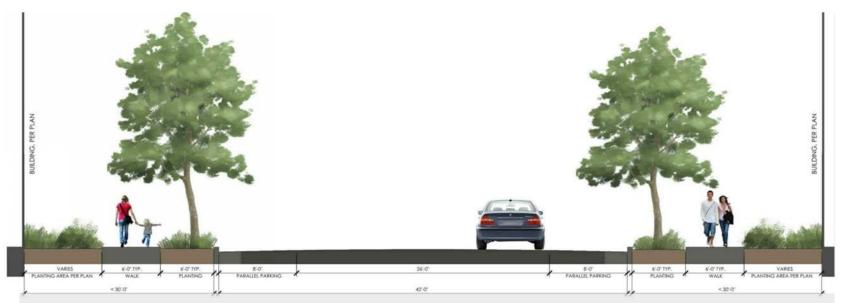
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HEIGHT: 6'-0" NOMINAL

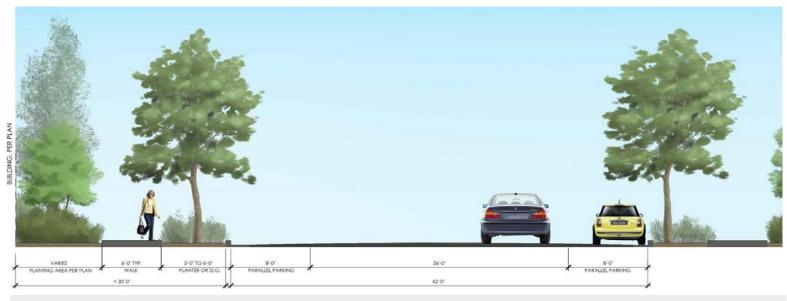
MANUFACTURER: AMERISTAR

OR EQUAL

FINISH: POWDERCOAT BLACK



C-C: Typical Private Drive Street Section with Parallel Parking



B-B: Public Right of Way Street Section



Detached Sidewalk with Street Trees





Affordable Senior Housing Landscape Plan

