El Dorado Senior Resort APN: 331-221-30, 32 Wildland Fire Safe Plan

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El Dorado Senior Resort

Purpose:

This Wildland Fire Safe Plan is for the development of parcels APN:331-221-30 and 32 consisting of 8.2+/- acres into a senior living complex. There will be 9 single family residential units, senior independent apartments, assisted and memory care facility, community center, and two commercial buildings. There will also be a community garden area, recreation area and a native woodland open space. The property is located at 6362 Pleasant Valley Road in El Dorado. This property is on the south side of Pleasant Valley Road. The entrance is off of Koki Lane and ends in a cul-de-sac with a 60' turning radius. The single-family residence all have off street parking at each residence. The other facilities all have designated parking garages or spaces.

There are 2 Emergency Evacuation Access (EVA) roads, one will be 26'wide, leading around the independent apartment building. Another, 20' wide EVA, providing access to the rear of the assisted/memory care facility. There is another 20' wide EVA, which can also be used for emergency evacuation, connecting the cul-de-sac to Pleasant Valley Road.

All roadways and cul-de-sac will meet Department of Transportation (DOT) requirements. The project will be served by El Dorado Irrigation District (EID). Fire hydrants will be installed as determined by the Fire District. The project area is a Moderate Fire Severity zone.

Incorporation of the fire hazard reduction measures into the design and maintenance of the project area will reduce the size and intensity of wildfires and help prevent catastrophic fire losses. State and County regulations provide the basic guidelines and requirements for fire safe mitigation measures and defensible space around dwellings. This plan builds on these basic rules and provides additional fire hazard reduction measures customized to the topography and vegetation of the development with special emphases on the interface of homes and wildland fuels.

The scope of the Wildland Fire Safe Plan (Plan) recognizes the extraordinary natural features of the area and designs wildfire safety measures which are meant to compliment and become part of the community design. The Plan contains measures for providing and maintaining defensible space around future homes and open space. Plan implementation measures must be maintained in order to assure adequate wildfire protection.

Homeowners who live in and adjacent to the wildfire environment must take primary responsibility along with the fire services for ensuring their homes have sufficient low ignitability and surrounding fuel reduction treatment. The fire services should become a community partner providing homeowners with technical assistance as well as fire

response. For this to succeed it must be shared and implemented equally by homeowners and the fire services.

El Dorado County Oak Tree Ordinance applies to the removal of any oak tree on any of the project area. The ordinance does not prevent the pruning of any oak tree that interferes with fire safe maintenance.

FIRE PLAN LIMITATIONS:

The Wildland Fire Safe Plan for the El Dorado Senior Resort does not guarantee that wildfire will not threaten, damage or destroy natural resources, homes or endanger residents. However, the full implementation of the mitigation measures will greatly reduce the exposure of structures to potential loss from wildfire and provide defensible space for firefighters and residents as well as protect the native vegetation. Specific items are listed for the facility operators' attention to aid in community wildfire safety.

EL DORADO SENIOR RESORT WILDLAND FIRE SAFE PLAN:

The wildfire potential will be greatly reduced once this community is developed. Yards and common areas will need to be landscaped and regularly maintained. The native woodland open space will be required to have a one-time cleanup of all dead and down limbs of the trees in the area. Trees must be limbed up 8' from the ground. The understory vegetation must be treated annually to maintain the dry grass to a 2" stubble by June 1. All bushes need to be kept free of dead limbs. All slash and brush piles created during the clearing and construction of the project must have 30' clearance around all piles and the piles must be disposed of within 30 days of their creation.

The community garden area shall be kept free of dry grass at all times. All trees within the garden will need to be pruned up to 8' above the ground. Perimeter fencing shall be non-combustible and have a Fuel Hazard Reduction Zone of 5' along the exterior perimeter.

The EVA's may be gated with openers. A gate shall be 2' wider than the roadway. If installed, it shall comply with an automatic opener. The opener must meet the requirements of the Fire District (DSEDFPD).

Ladder fuels need to be eliminated and tree canopy pruned up 8' from the surface of the ground. Irrigated landscaping and specimen trees are acceptable within this area. All flashy fuels (grass) shall be cut to a 2" stubble or disked. It is essential that the fuel reduction be done annually and maintained throughout the declared fire season.

Fire Safe Requirements

- All open space natural areas shall be fully treated annually by June 1 so the flashy fuels (grass) are cut to a 2" stubble.
- All brush and slash piles shall have 30' of clearance around the piles.
- All brush and slash piles shall be disposed of within 30' days of their creation.
- All trees within those areas shall be pruned up to 8' above the ground.
- A one-time cleanup of native trees to remain on the project site must have all the dead limbs removed.
- All fencing within the project area shall be non-combustible.
- All roads and EVA's shall meet DOT and Fire District requirements.
- Any gate shall comply with specifications of the Fire District.

Approval of the Wildland Fire Safe Plan does not guarantee approval of the project.

Appendix







APPENDIX A

EL DORADO SENIOR RESORT FIRE SAFE

FUEL TREATMENT SPECIFICATIONS

For

OAK WOODLAND

Within The Designated Fuel Treatment Areas

1. Leave live trees where possible.

2. Remove all dead trees.

3. Remove all brush.

4. Prune all live trees of dead branches and green branches 8 feet from the ground as measured on the uphill side of the tree, except no more than 1/3 of the live crown is removed. All slash created by pruning must be disposed of by chipping, burning or hauling off site. Trees adjacent to the road shall be pruned up 15'.

5. Annually by June 1, reduce the grass or weeds to a 2 inch stubble by mowing, chemical treatment, disking or a combination of treatments.

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Mitigation Measure(s) Agreement Project: CUP18-0009: El Dorado Senior Housing

As the applicant, owner, or their legal agent, I hereby agree to incorporate all required mitigation measures, as identified in the related Environmental Checklist, which are necessary in order to avoid or reduce any potentially significant environmental effect to a point where clearly no significant adverse impacts would occur as a result of project implementation.

I understand that by agreeing to incorporate the identified mitigation measures, all potentially adverse environmental impacts will be reduced to an acceptable level and a "Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration" will be prepared and circulated in accordance with County procedures for implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). I also underestand that additional mitigation measures may be required following the review of the "Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration" by the public, affected agencies, and by the applicable advisory and final decision making bodies.

I understand the required mitigation measures incorporated into the project will be subject to the El Dorado County Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program adopted in conjunction with the Mitigated Negative Declaration.

This agreement shall be binding on the applicant/property owner and on any successors or assigns in interest.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Planning Director or his assign, representing the County of El Dorado, and the applicant/owner or his legal agent have executed this agreement on this 15th day of pril, 2019.

El Dorado County Planning Services

By:

Efren Sanchez, Associate Planner Print name and title above

Signature of Applicant/Owner/Agent:

Aim Canics, Project Mgr. Print name and address below: Im Davies Project Manager Eddorado Senior Housing, UC 854 Diablo Rd Danville, CA. 94526

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	MONITORING				VERIFICATION		
MITIGATION MEASURES	Implementing RP ¹	Type of Monitoring Action	Timing Require ments ³	Monitoring/ Verification Entity ⁴	Signature	Date	Comments
A. Noise							
 Mitigation Measure NOI- 1: Ensure that all rooftop mounted HVAC equipment associated with air heating and cooling requirements of Commercial Buildings #1 and #2 be completely shielded from view of nearby existing residences by building rooftop parapets (as proposed). AND (one of the following) NOI-2 or NOI-3 	Appl.	PC, CPI	PGP	EDCPD			
Mitigation Measure NOI-2: When building plans are available that identify specific HVAC equipment model information and installation locations, the project developer shall review and confirm that the equipment will not exceed 45 dB Leq at 50 feet (Commercial Building #1) and 45 dB Leq at 30 feet (Commercial Building #2).	Appl.	PC, CPI	PGP	EDCPD			
Mitigation Measure NOI-3: Should the project developer choose to install rooftop-mounted HVAC equipment that exceeds 45 dB Leq at 50 feet (Commercial Building #1) or 45 dB Leq at 30 feet (Commercial Building #2), the construction of a 6-foot tall localized barrier that encompasses the equipment would be required. Should a barrier be constructed on the rooftop of Commercial Building #1, the barrier shall encompass the equipment around the north, east and west sides. Should a barrier be constructed on the rooftop of Commercial Building #2, the barrier shall encompass the equipment on the south, west and east sides.	Appl.	СРІ	PGP	EDCPD			

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		Action	ments	Entity			
B. Transportation							
Mitigation Measure M1: SR 49 @ Pleasant Valley Road, Existing (2018) plus	Appl.	PC, CPI	PGP	EDCPD,			
Proposed Project Conditions				EDCDOT,			
The impact can be mitigated with a traffic signal; however, the subject intersection				and			
is under the jurisdiction of Caltrans who will need to approve the timing for				CALIKANS			
implementing a traffic signal.							
The County's methods for identifying the timing for an intersection are based on							
both the Capital Improvement Program and Intersection Needs Prioritization							
Process. The County's 10-year Capital Improvement Program (CIP) includes a line							
item for un-programmed traffic signal installation and operational and safety							
improvements at intersections, including improvements such as construction of new							
traffic signals, construction of turn pockets, and the upgrade of existing traffic							
signal systems. The County annually monitors intersections with potential need for							

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3 DPC = During Project Construction; PBP = Prior to Issuance of Building Permit; PGP = Prior to Issuance of Grading Permit; PPO = Prior to Project Occupancy; STR = Specialized Timing Requirement

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improvement through the <i>Intersection Needs Prioritization Process</i> . This process is utilized to inform the annual update to the CIP, and the Board of Supervisors can add potential intersection improvements to the CIP, as funding becomes available.							
In the absence of identifying timing for implementing a traffic signal, the Community Development Services-Transportation Division has determined that the appropriate mitigation includes payment of traffic mitigation fees to satisfy the project's fair share obligation towards the traffic signal improvement. The project proportional share of growth of traffic entering the intersection is about 0.7% in the AM peak hour under Existing plus Proposed Project conditions.							
<u>OR</u>							
Construction of the improvement (traffic signal) with reimbursement for costs that exceed the project's proportional share, if the improvement is needed but not included in future updates to the CIP. The improvement will need to consistent with General Plan Goal TC-X and supporting Policy TC-Xf.							
Mitigation Measure M2: : SR 49 @ Pleasant Valley Road, Near-Term (2028) plus Proposed Project Conditions The impact can be mitigated with a traffic signal; however, the subject intersection is under the jurisdiction of Caltrans who will need to approve the timing for	Appl.	PC, CPI	PGP	EDCPD, EDCDOT, and CALTRANS			
The County's methods for identifying the timing for an intersection are based on both the Capital Improvement Program and Intersection Needs Prioritization Process. The County's 10-year Capital Improvement Program (CIP) includes a line item for un-programmed traffic signal installation and operational and safety improvements at intersections, including improvements such as construction of new traffic signals, construction of turn pockets, and the upgrade of existing traffic signal systems. The County annually monitors intersections with potential need for improvement through the <i>Intersection Needs Prioritization Process</i> . This process is utilized to inform the annual update to the CIP, and the Board of Supervisors can add potential intersection improvements to the CIP, as funding becomes available.							
In the absence of identifying timing for implementing a traffic signal, The Community Development Services-Transportation Division has determined that the appropriate mitigation includes payment of traffic mitigation fees to satisfy the project's fair share obligation towards the traffic signal improvement. The project proportional share of growth of traffic entering the intersection is about 9.6% in the AM peak hour under Near Term (2028) plus Proposed Project conditions.							

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Construction of the improvement (traffic signal) with reimbursement for costs that exceed the project's proportional share, if the improvement is needed but not included in future updates to the CIP or constructed by others. The improvement will need to consistent with General Plan Goal TC-X and supporting Policy TC-Xf.							
Mitigation Measure M3: SR 49 @ Pleasant Valley Road, Cumulative (2035) plus Proposed Project Conditions	Appl.	СРІ	PGP	EDCPD, EDCDOT, and			
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In the absence of identifying timing for implementing a traffic signal, The Community Development Services-Transportation Division has determined that the appropriate mitigation includes payment of traffic mitigation fees to satisfy the project's fair share obligation towards the traffic signal improvement. The project proportional share of growth of traffic entering the intersection is about 4.2% in the AM peak hour and 6.3% in the PM peak hour under Cumulative (2035) plus Proposed Project conditions.							
Should the project developer choose to install rooftop-mounted HVAC equipment that exceeds 45 dB Leq at 50 feet (Commercial Building #1) or 45 dB Leq at 30 feet (Commercial Building #2), the construction of a 6-foot tall localized barrier that encompasses the equipment would be required. Should a barrier be constructed on the rooftop of Commercial Building #1, the barrier shall encompass the equipment around the north, east and west sides. Should a barrier be constructed on the rooftop of Commercial Building #2, the barrier shall encompass the equipment on the south, west and east sides.							
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