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HUMBOLDT BAY HARBOR, RECREATION AND CONSERVATION DISTRICT



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PERMIT APPLICATION

General Information	For District Use
1.) Name, Address, phone # and email of Developer, Project Sponsor and Legal Owner City of Eureka 531 K Street, Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 441-4160 rtopolewski@ci.eureka.ca.gov	A. Application No. 2021-05 Application Type: Franchise Permit Lease
2.) Address of Project and Assessor's block, lot and Parcel Number 4 C Street APNs: 001-011-013 and 001-011-015	B. Date Received by Harbor District 7-1-202 C. Date Accepted for filing by Commission
Contact person Name, Address, phone # Jordan Blough, Project Manager	D. Date of Public Notice E. Date of Environmental Compliance
LACO Associates 21 W. 4 th Street, Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 443-5054 bloughj@lacoassociates.com	F. Date of Public Notice
	G. Date of Public Hearings
4.) Attach list of names and addresses of all adjoining property owners – see attached	H. Date of Commission Action
5.) List and describe any other related Project Permits & Other Public Approvals required, including those required by City, Regional, State & Federal Agencies. -Coastal Development Permit (Coastal Commission) -401 Permit (NCRWQCB) -404 Permit (USACE)	Approval: Conditional Disapproval
6.) Existing City/County Zoning	I. Expiration Date
Coastal Dependent Industrial	Comments
7.) Proposed Site Use (Project Title) Eureka's Fisherman's Terminal Piling Replacement Project	

Describe proposed project

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The Project would not result in cumulative impacts or significant effects. Although the Site is located within Humboldt Bay, best management practices (BMPs) would be implemented to ensure any potential impacts are minimized. The total footprint for the project impacts to the bay floor is approximately 85 square feet or 0.002 acres. No waste is anticipated to enter the bay during or after construction. No eelgrass is known to occur within the project area. Temporary

impacts related to sediment disturbance during piling removal/replacement is minimized by project timing (low tide); use of a turbidity curtain, to installed and kept in place during project construction; and use of vibratory extraction and hammering.

PRE-PROJECT EELGRASS CHECKLIST

Please complete the Eelgrass Pre-project Checklist below. Note that the checklist questions relate to the Area of Potential Effect (APE) associated with your project, which incorporates a surrounding buffer inclusive of the limits of potential construction and/or maintenance-related activities that could affect eelgrass habitat. Provide a copy of the completed questionnaire along with your permit application and a map depicting the proposed project location, potential eelgrass depth range-10 to +4 feet, and benchmark eelgrass distribution in the vicinity of the proposed project. Maps should be of an appropriate scale to clearly depict the preliminary/proposed APE boundary in relation to both existing and potential eelgrass resources as provided in the Humboldt Bay Eelgrass Comprehensive Management Plan and associated webpage (humboldtbay.org/eelgrass-management-plan). Here you'll find information and links including eelgrass information for permit applicants, a baseline eelgrass distribution map, and the Humboldt Bay Eelgrass Comprehensive Management Plan. Contact the Harbor District office with questions (443-0801).

For New Projects:

		YES	NO
a)	Is the project located within 100 feet of previously mapped (known) eelgrass habitat?	Х	
b)	Will any construction or new operational traffic occur within the vicinity of existing eelgrass?		Х
c)	Is any portion of the project located in an area with depths ranging from -10 to +4 feet?	Х	
d)	Does the project result in new cover, shading or other form of light reduction of open water areas ranging in depth from -10 to +4 feet?		X
e)	Is the project anticipated to affect wind or tidal circulation patterns within the bay?		Χ
f)	Could the project affect ambient water temperature or clarity or result in new effluent (including stormwater) discharge point?		X
g)	Does the project result in any placement of fill, including shoreline armor?		Χ
h)	Is the project anticipated to lead to an increase in boat traffic that could affect nearby eelgrass habitat through grounding, prop scarring, wake, or shading impacts?		X

For Maintenance/Repair Projects and Construction Activities:

		YES	NO
i)	Is project construction likely to increase turbidity? To what extent and for what duration?		Х
j)	Will construction require the use of a barge or other vessel that may temporarily impact the bay floor (e.g. spud poles, anchoring, prop scarring, etc.) within known eelgrass habitat or within depths ranging from -10 to +4 feet?		Х
k)	Will construction require the use of turbidity curtains in proximity to eelgrass habitat?		Х
l)	Will project construction result in temporary shading from moored/anchored working vessel(s)?		Х

If you responded yes to any of the questions above, your project may have the potential to affect eelgrass habitat and you'll need to conduct a preliminary eelgrass survey. Please refer to the District's <u>Eelgrass</u>

<u>Management Plan webpage</u> for further guidance and a list of local agency contacts should you have additional questions.

Answer all questions completely on a separate page. If the question does not apply to your project, so indicate by marking N.A. Contact Harbor District Office with questions.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

- 8. Site Size
- 9. Square Footage
- Number of floors of construction
- 11. Amount of off-street parking provided
- 12. Attach plans
- 13. Proposed scheduling
- 14. Associated projects
- 15. Anticipated incremental development
- 16. If residential, include the number of units, schedule of unit sizes, range of sale prices or rents, and type of household size expected.
- 17. If commercial, indicate the type, whether neighborhood, city or regionally oriented, square footage of sales area, and loading facilities
- 18. If industrial, indicate type, estimated per shift employment & loading facilities.
- 19. If institutional, indicate the major function, estimated per shift employment, occupancy, loading facilities, and community benefits derived from the project.
- 20. If the project involves a variance, conditional use or recognizing application, state this and indicate clearly why the application is required.

Are the following items applicable to the project or its effects? Answer yes or no. Discuss all items answered yes.

- 21. Change in existing features of any bays, tidelands, beaches, lakes or hills, or substantial alteration of ground contours.
- 22. Change in scenic views or vistas from existing residential areas or public lands or roads.
- 23. Change in pattern, scale or character of general area of project.
- 24. Significant amounts of solid waste or litter.
- 25. Change in dust, ash, smoke, fumes or odors in vicinity.
- 26. Change in ocean, bay, lake, stream or ground water quality or quantity, or alteration of existing drainage patterns.
- 27. Substantial change in existing noise or vibration levels in the vicinity.
 - A. During Construction
 - B. During Project Utilization

- 28. Site on filled land or on slope of 10% or more.
- 29. Use of disposal or potentially hazardous materials, such as toxic substances, flammable or explosives.
- 30. Substantial change in municipal services demand (police, fire, water, sewage, etc.)
- 31. Substantially increase fossil fuel consumption (electricity, oil, natural gas, etc.).
- 32. Relationship to larger project or series of projects

ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING:

- 33. Describe the project site as it exists before the project including information on topography, soil stability, plants and animals, and any cultural, historical, or scenic aspects. Describe any existing structures on the site and the use of the structures. Attach photographs of the site. Photos will be accepted.
- 34. Describe the surrounding properties, including information on plants and animals and any cultural, historical, or scenic aspects. Indicate the type of land use (residential, commercial, etc.) intensity of land use (one-family, apartment houses, shops, department stores, etc.) and the scale of development (height, frontage, set-back, rear yard, etc.) Attach photographs of the vicinity. Photos accepted.
- 36. How is the requested grant, permit, franchise, lease, right, or privilege required by the public convenience and necessity?
- 37. Financial statement:
 - A. Estimated project cost.
 - B. How will the project be financed?
- 38. Describe fully directions necessary to arrive at project site.
- 39. The Applicant agrees to as a condition of the permit being issued, to indemnify and hold harmless the Humboldt Bay, Harbor Recreation and Conservation District from any and all claims, demands, or liabilities for attorneys' fees obtained from or against demands for attorney's fees, costs of suit, and costs of administrative records made against District by any and all third parties as a result of third party environmental actions against District arising out of the subject matter of this application and permit, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, costs of suit, and costs of administrative records obtained by or awarded to third parties pursuant to the California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1021.5 or any other applicable local, state, or federal laws, whether such attorneys' fees, costs of suit, and costs of administrative records are direct or indirect, or incurred in the compromise, attempted compromise, trial, appeal, or arbitration of claims for

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NOTE

The District hereby advises the Applicant that, under California Public Resources Code (PRC) Section 21089, the District when a lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, as amended, pertaining to an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) or a Negative Declaration (MND/ND) may charge and collect from the Applicant a reasonable fee in order to recover the estimated costs incurred by the District in preparing an EIR or MND/ND for the project and the procedures necessary for PRC compliance on the Applicants project.

In the event your project contains an analysis of issues pertaining to CEQA, for which District staff is not competent to independently review, or District requires the same in preparation of an EIR or MND/ND for the project, the District may retain a reviewing consultant to evaluate the content of the Administrative-Draft EIR and Final EIR or MND/ND with respect to these issues. The cost of such reviewing consultant services shall be borne by the Applicant.

<u>CERTIFICATION:</u> I hereby certify that the statements furnished above and in the attached exhibits present the information required for this initial evaluation to the best of my ability, and that the facts, statements, and information presented are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. And I agree to indemnify the District as described in part 39 of this application.

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TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM

CEQA Exemption Fisherman's Terminal Piling Replacement Project City of Eureka

Date:

May 19, 2021

Project No.:

8247.18

Prepared For:

Riley Topolewski, Senior Planner

City of Eureka

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Attachments:

Figure 1

Figure 2

Figure 3

Location Map

Project Plans

Eelgrass Distribution Map

1.0 INTRODUCTION

The City of Eureka (Client) requested professional services from LACO Associates (LACO) related to identifying and preparing the necessary documentation in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) to support a Class 1 (Existing Facilities) CEQA exemption for the Fisherman's Terminal Piling Replacement Project (Project). The purpose of the Project is to repair the loading and unloading dock at the Fisherman's Terminal, located at 4 C Street in Eureka, California at 40.8057°N, 124.1703°W and identified as Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APNs) 001-011-013 and 0001-111-015 (Site; see Figure 1), by replacing failed and failing fender pilings. The Fisherman's Terminal serves as a hub for the local commercial fishing industry during all seasons and is a critical facility for supporting this segment of the local economy. The existing concrete dock was originally constructed with approximately 40, 14-inch diameter wooden pilings, spaced at approximately 10-foot intervals, affixed to the dock via 1-inch diameter galvanized wound collar guides and 12" by 12" wooden blocking.

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Per Section 15378 of the State CEQA Guidelines, the proposed project would be considered a "project" under CEQA (CEQA Guidelines §15378(a)(1)). However, per review of the Site and information provided by the Client and the State CEQA Guidelines, LACO believes the proposed project would be considered exempt under CEQA pursuant to a Class 1 (Existing Facilities) exemption (CEQA Guidelines §15301). The purpose of this technical memorandum is to provide justification in support of the Class 1 CEQA exemption.

1.1 Project Details

As noted above, the Project involves the replacement of 40 14-inch diameter wooden pilings that are severely degraded, rotted, and deteriorated, with 40 plastic composite pilings of the same size at the same location as the existing wooden pilings, at the existing Fisherman's Terminal located at the foot of C Street in Eureka (see Figure 2). The connections to the existing dock would also be repaired or replaced to ensure a strong connection between the pier and the pilings. The City has selected plastic pilings as an appropriate replacement for the failing wooden pilings as plastic pilings will have a longer useful lifespan than wood pilings and also do not require any chemical treatments to reach their maximum useful lifespan. Treated wooden pilings are likely to have a shorter useful lifespan, requiring more frequent future replacement, and may also leach chemical treatments into the bay. Existing pilings will be removed by using divers to excavate around each pile to expose enough of the pile to secure rigging to the piles, which will then be removed using an excavator located on the adjacent dock. Removed pilings will be placed in sealed bins and hauled to an appropriate hazardous waste disposal site such as the Humboldt Waste Management Authority's Hazardous Waste Facility in Eureka.

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Once the pilings are in place, non-structural plastic wales will be installed across the pilings to provide further protection to vessels using the facility.



Construction is anticipated to occur between May and June 2022 and would occur over a period of three weeks. All project work will be conducted at low tide. A turbidity curtain (a flexible, impermeable barrier used to trap sediment in water bodies) will be installed and kept in place during construction. No waste is anticipated to enter the bay during or after construction.

1.2 Site Characteristics

The Site is located within Humboldt Bay, within the City of Eureka and coastal zone, under state jurisdiction. Based on review of the Site, the Site is not known to contain any eelgrass adjacent to the pilings (Harbor District, 2020). While the Site is located within 100-year flood zone (Zone AE) under the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), is within a tsunami evacuation area, and has been identified as an area of potential liquefaction, the Site is classified as relatively stable and is not located within an earthquake fault hazard zone. Additionally, the Site is not located within the State Responsibility Area (SRA), has not been identified as having a Moderate, High, or Very High fire hazard severity rating, and is served by the City of Eureka Fire Department for fire protection services (WebGIS, n.d.). The Site is also not located along an established state scenic highway. Furthermore, the Site is not considered a hazardous waste site and is not included on a list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code, although two adjacent sites have been identified. While the adjacent Eureka Fishing Gear Facility (T0602393352), located on Waterfront Drive, was previously identified as a Cleanup Program Site with the potential contaminants of concern identified as solvents and oils (waste/oil/hydraulic/lubricating), the case has been completed and closed as of December 10, 2007. The John Lipscomb site (T0602393169), located at the foot of C and D Streets in Eureka, is listed due to contaminant concerns associated with diesel. This site is currently a vacant lot and notes on the State Water Resources Control Board's (SWRCB) GeoTracker website indicate limited soil sampling occurred and some metals (lead) and diesel were detected. It is further noted that if the site is redeveloped, this potential contamination will need to be investigated and addressed. The case is listed as open, but is inactive as of August 30, 2012 (DTSC and SWRCB, 2021).

2.0 CEQA EXEMPTION JUSTIFICATION

As discussed above, LACO's review of the proposed project indicates the proposed project would qualify for a Class 1 CEQA exemption, pursuant to Section 15301 of the State CEQA Guidelines, which states:

"Class 1 consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use."

Pursuant to Section 15300.2 (Exceptions) of the State CEQA Guidelines, there are certain exceptions in which a CEQA exemption would not apply to a project, including:

- A significant cumulative impact would result;
- 2. A significant effect on the environment would occur due to unusual circumstances;
- 3. The project may result in damage to scenic resources, including but not limited to trees, historic buildings, rock outcroppings, or similar resources within a state scenic highway;
- 4. The project is located on a hazardous waste site that is included on a list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code; or
- 5. The project may cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource.



The Project would not result in an expansion of use, but rather would repair the existing dock by replacing severely damaged pilings. Additionally, the Project would not result in cumulative impacts or significant effects. Although the Site is located within Humboldt Bay, best management practices (BMPs) would be implemented to ensure any potential impacts are minimized. As discussed above, no waste associated with the piling replacement would be allowed to enter the bay.

Additionally, the Project would not cause impacts to resources along a designated state scenic highway, as there are no designated state scenic highways in the vicinity of the Project or Site. As discussed above under Section 1.2, the Site is not included on a list of hazardous waste sites compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code. Further, the Project would not result in a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource.

Based on the information provided above and since BMPs would be implemented during Project construction, the potential does not exist for any significant impacts on the environment to occur. As a result, the project would be exempt from environmental review under CEQA under a Class 1 (Existing Facilities) exemption established under Section 15301 of the State CEQA Guidelines.



3.0 REFERENCES

- County of Humboldt. Not Dated. Web Mapping Applications. Humboldt GIS Portal. Web GIS 2.0. Accessed January 25, 2021. Available at: https://humboldtgov.org/1357/Web-GIS.
- Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation, and Conservation District (Harbor District). 2020. Eel Grass Distribution Map. Accessed January 19, 2021. Available at: http://humboldtbay.org/eelgrass-distribution-map.
- State of California. Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC). 2021. EnviroStor. Accessed January 25, 2021. Available at: https://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/.
- State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB). 2021. GeoTracker. Accessed January 25, 2021. Available at: https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/.



FIGURES

Figure 1 Location Map

Figure 2 Project Plans

Figure 3 Eelgrass Distribution Map





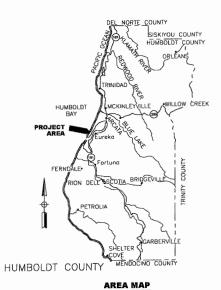
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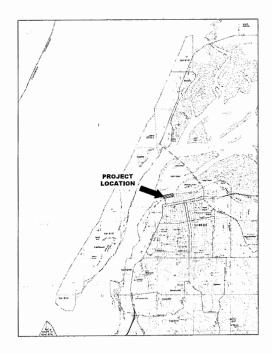
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FISHERMAN'S TERMINAL FENDER PILE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT, CITY OF EUREKA EUREKA, CA







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GENERAL NOTES:

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- GRADING AND CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS SHALL STOP WORK AND NOTFY THE OWNER AND THE ENGINEER IF CULTURAL RESOURCES ARE DISCOVERED DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 13. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL GIVE THE INSPECTOR 48 HOURS ADVANCE NOTICE OF ANY CONSTRUCTION OR REQUIRED TESTING.
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- 23. NO CONSTRUCTION SHALL COMMENCE WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL OF THE CITY OF LAKEPORT PUBLIC WORKS.

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- 24, CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT SHALL BE NEW AND OF A QUALITY EQUAL TO THAT SPECIFIED OR APPROVED, WORK SHALL BE DONE AND COMPLETED IN A THOROUGH AND WORKMANLKE MAINER.
- 25. CONTRACTOR SHALL CONFINE HOURS OF CONSTRUCTION OPERATION TO 7 A.M. TO 7 P.M. MONDAY THRU FRIDAY, UNLESS OTHERWISE APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER.
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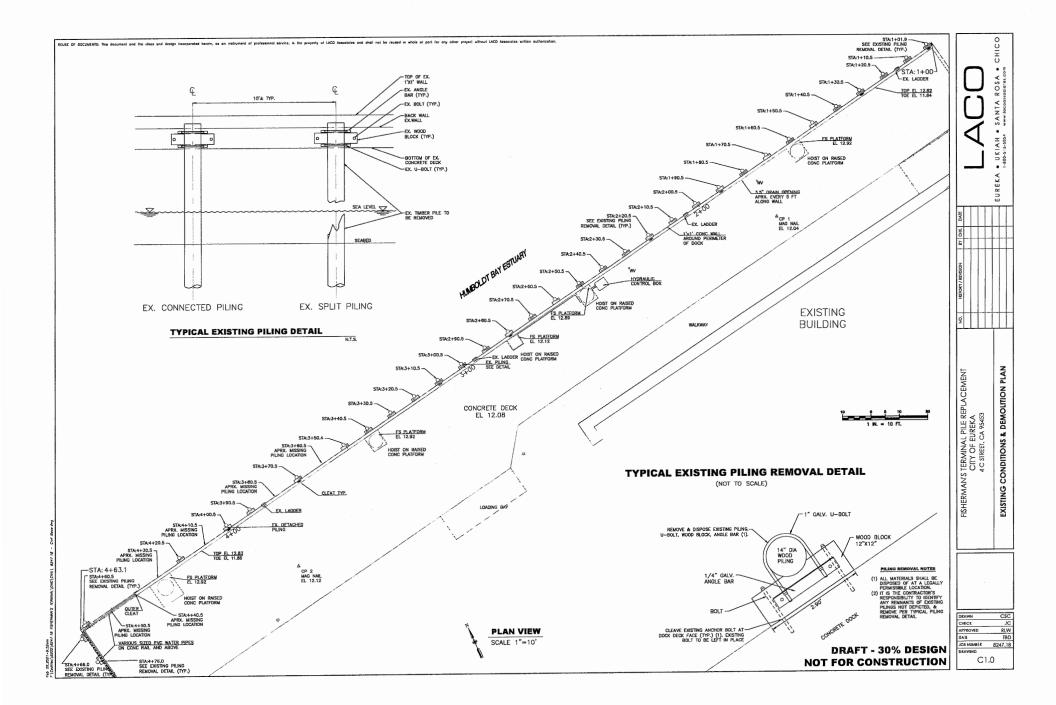
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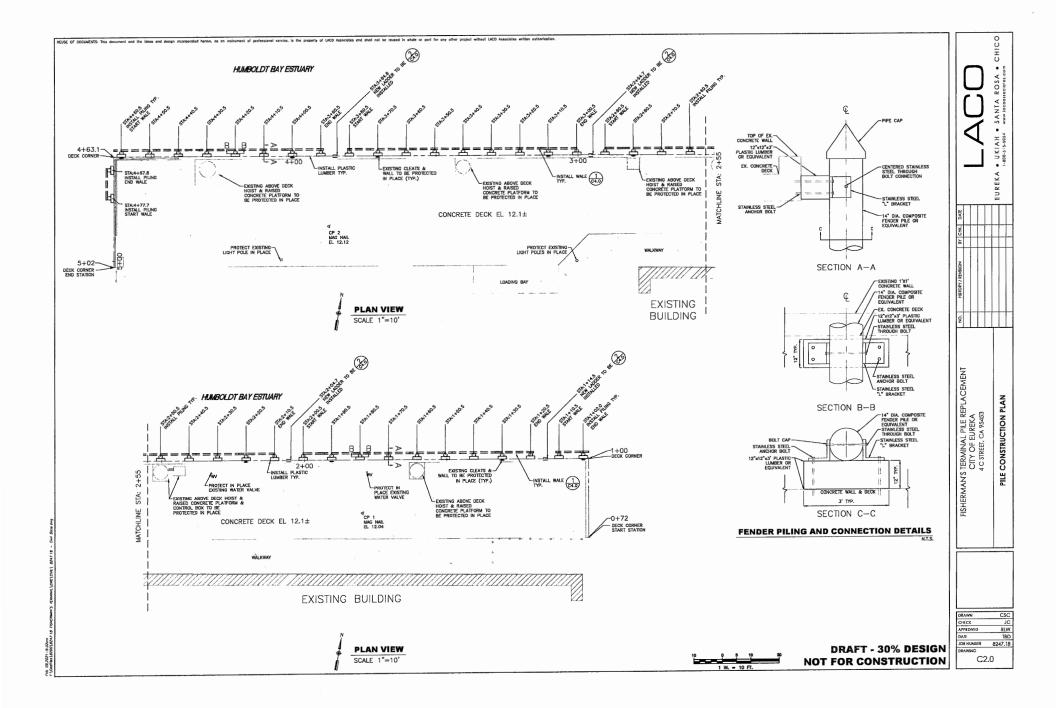
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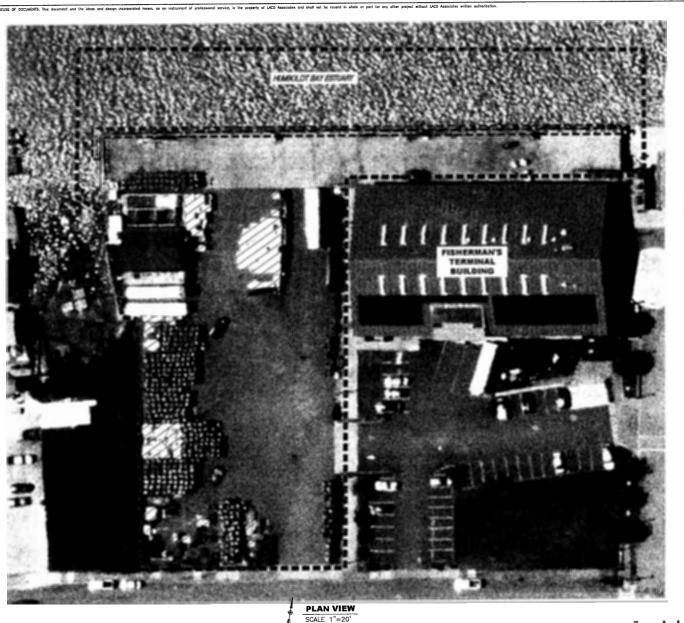
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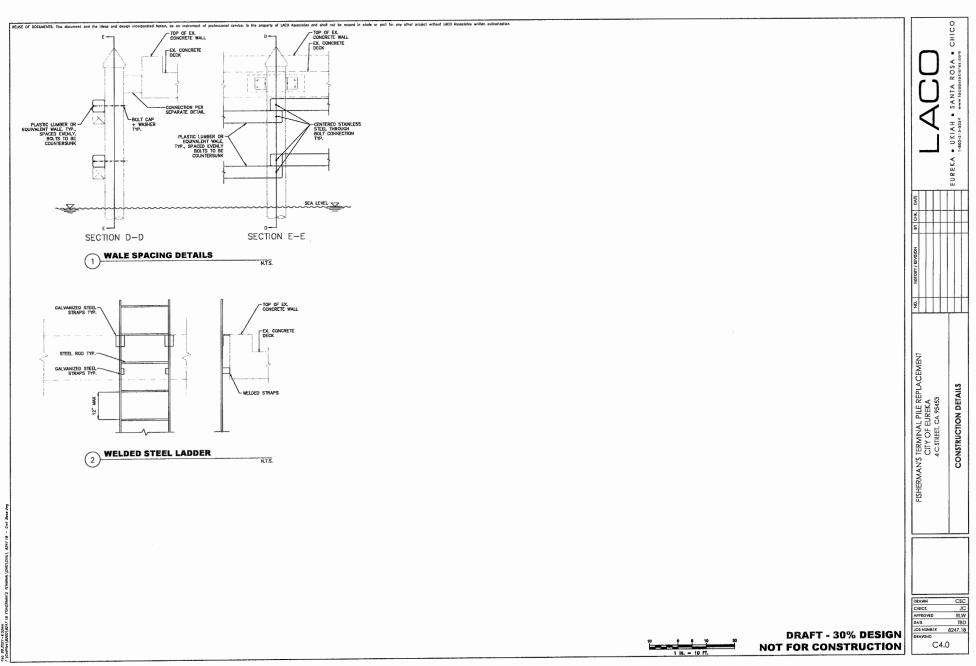
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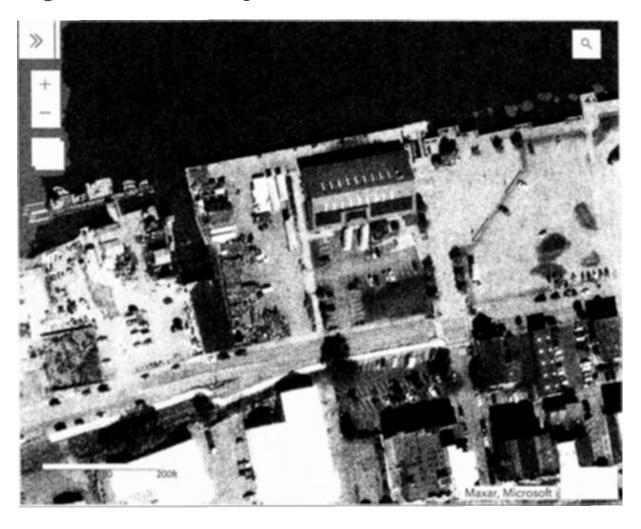
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Supplemental Information

Eureka's Fisherman's Terminal Piling Replacement Project City of Eureka

Project Description

8. Site Size

The total project area, including staging areas, is approximately 0.25 acres.

9. Square Footage

No new construction is proposed. The project involves replacement of existing degraded wooden pilings with plastic composite pilings of the same size in the same location of the existing wooden pilings to be replaced.

10. Number of floors of construction

N/A

11. Amount of off-street parking provided

N/A

12. Attach plans

Please see attached.

13. Proposed scheduling

The project is proposed take approximately 3 weeks to complete and will occur between May and June 2022, during a seasonally appropriate window (i.e., outside of the rainy season).

14. Associated projects

N/A

15. Anticipated incremental development

N/A

16. If residential, include the number of units, schedule of unit sizes, range of sale prices or rents, and type of household size expected

N/A

17. If commercial, indicate the type, whether neighborhood, city or regionally oriented, square footage of sales area, and loading facilities.

The project would repair the loading and unloading dock at the Fisherman's Terminal, located at the terminus of C Street in Eureka. The Fisherman's Terminal serves as a hub for the local commercial fishing industry during all seasons and is a critical facility for supporting this segment of the local economy. The deterioration of the existing pilings has caused serious complications for users, including safety concerns, damage to vessels, and lost productivity.

The existing pier allows fishermen to moor their boats and load and unload. It is also accessible to the general public and connects to the pedestrian path along the waterfront.

18. If industrial, indicate type, estimated per shift employment & loading facilities.

N/A

19. If institutional, indicate the major function, estimated per shift employment, occupancy, loading facilities, and community benefits derived from the project.

N/A

20. If the project involves a variance, conditional use or recognizing application, state this and indicate clearly why the application is required.

N/A

Are the following items applicable to the project or its effects? Answer yes or no. Discuss all items answered yes.

21. Change in existing features of any bays, tidelands, beaches, lakes or hills, or substantial alteration of ground contours.

No

22. Change in scenic views or vistas from existing residential areas or public lands or roads.

No

(The final elevations will be consistent with the original design elevation of the pilings)

23. Change in pattern, scale or character of general area of project.

No

24. Significant amounts of solid waste or litter.

No

25. Change in dust, ash, smoke, fumes or odors in vicinity.

No

26.	Change in drainage No	ocean, bay, lake, stream or ground water quality or quantity, or alteration of existing patterns.
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31.	Substantia No	ally increase fossil fuel consumption (electricity, oil, natural gas, etc.).
32.	Relation	onship to larger project or series of projects.

Environmental Setting

33. Describe the project site as it exists before the project including information on topography, soil stability, plants and animals, and any cultural, historical, or scenic aspects. Describe any existing structures on the site and the use of the structures. Attach photographs of the site. Photos will be accepted.

The project site is the location of the existing Fisherman's Terminal, located at the terminus of C Street in Eureka. As previously discussed, the project involves the replacement of existing deteriorated/damaged wooden pilings with plastic composite pilings of the same size and in the same location of the existing wooden pilings. The City has selected plastic pilings as an appropriate replacement for the failing wooden pilings as plastic pilings will have a longer useful lifespan than wood pilings and also do not require any chemical treatments to reach their maximum useful lifespan. Treated wooden pilings are likely to have a shorter useful lifespan, requiring more frequent future replacement, and may also leach chemical treatments into the bay.

34. Describe the surrounding properties, including information on plants and animals and any cultural, historical, or scenic aspects. Indicate the type of land use (residential, commercial, etc.) intensity of land use (one-family, apartment houses, shops, department stores, etc.) and the scale of development (height, frontage, set-back, rear yard, etc.) Attach photographs of the vicinity. Photos accepted.

Surrounding properties include the bayfront Eureka Boardwalk, the existing Fisherman's Terminal and Jack's Seafood restaurant, Coast Seafoods, Madaket Harbor Cruises, and an unpaved City-owned lot frequently utilized for parking.

35. How will the proposed use or activity <u>promote</u> the public health, safety, comfort, and convenience?

The proposed project would address safety concerns by replacing existing deteriorated/degraded wooden pilings with plastic composite pilings of the same size in the same location, which are expected to have a longer useful lifespan and also do not require any chemical treatments.

Since installation over a decade ago, the existing wooden pilings have severely degraded, with 5 pilings missing entirely while 35 other pilings have severely deteriorated, with approximately 28 of those pilings having rotted to the point that they no longer appear to be anchored in the subsurface. The deterioration of these existing pilings has caused serious complications for users of the facility, as they now lack a complete set of secure pilings upon which to secure their vessels, and vessels which are secured to the remaining pilings are subject to drifting under the dock when the tide is low. This can result in safety concerns, damage to vessels, and lost productivity. In addition, the existing wooden pilings are unprotected and can cause damage to vessels which contact the pilings.

36. How is the requested grant, permit, franchise, lease, right, or privilege <u>required</u> by the public convenience and necessity?

The proposed project was determined necessary by the City of Eureka to address safety concerns and ensure persons utilizing the facility are not injured and property is not damaged.

37. Financial statement:

A. Estimated project cost.

\$475,000

B. How will the project be financed?

United States Department of Commerce Economic Development Administration Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Program, alongside City matching funds.

38. Describe fully directions necessary to arrive at project site.

The project is located at the terminus of C Street in Eureka, between Waterfront Drive/1st Street and Humboldt Bay.

39. The Applicant agrees to as a condition of the permit being issued, to indemnify and hold harmless the Humboldt Bay, Harbor Recreation and Conservation District from any and all claims, demands, or liabilities for attorneys' fees obtained from or against demands for attorney's fees, costs of suit, and costs of administrative records made against District by any and all third parties as a result of third party environmental actions against District arising out of the subject matter of this application and permit, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, costs of suit, and costs of administrative records obtained by or awarded to third parties pursuant to the California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1021.5 or any other applicable local, state, or federal laws, whether such attorneys' fees, costs of suit, and costs of administrative records are direct or indirect, or incurred in the compromise, attempted compromise, trial, appeal, or arbitration of claims for attorneys' fees and costs of administrative records in connection with the subject matter of this application and permit

Yes, the City of Eureka agrees to this condition.

List of Adjoining Property Owners

Eureka Fisherman's Terminal Piling Replacement Project City of Eureka

- Coast Seafoods Company 25 Waterfront Drive Eureka, CA 95501
- Coast Seafoods Company 16797 SE 130th Avenue Clackamas, OR 97015

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

531 K Street
Eureka, California 95501
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Replacement Project
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