## Planning Application

PJR-001
Application Type(s):
$\square$ Admin Cert. Compliance
$\square$ Ag. Or Timber Preserve/Contract
$\square$ Conditional Cert. of Compliance
$\square$ Cert. of Modification
$\square$ Coastal Permit
$\square$ Zoning Permit for:
$\square$ Design Review Admin.
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$\square$ General Plan Amendment
$\square$ Lot Line Adjustment
$\square$ Major Subdivision

| File $\# \quad$ DRH22-0004 |  |
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| $\square$ Minor Subdivision | $\square$ Use Permit |
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| $\square$ Ordinance Interpretation | $\square$ Zone Change |
| $\square$ Second Unit Permit | $\square$ other: |

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# HENDERSON ARCHITECT, INC. 

## Design Review Project Summary - Sebastopol Hardware Center

Date: $\quad 3 / 17 / 2022$<br>Project: Sebastopol Hardware Center<br>Project Address: A.P.N: 063-040-035 \& 063-040-034<br>1798 Gravenstein Hwy, Sebastopol CA<br>26 Bloomfield Road, Sebastopol, CA

The Sebastopol Hardware Center currently has a retail location at 660 Gravenstein Hwy. N. in Sebastopol. This proposed development will provide the same functions and operate the same as the existing retail location but will be at this new location South of Sebastopol to better serve this region of the County. The hours of operation will be 7 am to 7 pm Monday through Saturday and 8 am to 6 pm on Sunday. The anticipated trip generation is 180 trips/day. There will be 8 to 10 employees during business hours.

The site of the proposed development is currently two parcels; 1798 Gravenstein Hwy S. a 1.5 acre parcel and 26 Bloomfield Road a 1.26 acre parcel. These parcels will be merged in to one parcel. The parces are located at the corner of the intersection of Gravenstein Hwy and Bloomfield Road. Both parcels are zoned LC, SR with a current land use of RR3.

The proposed development will consist of a retail building of 15,102 gross square feet with an adjacent open air roofed garden supply/nursery structure of 3,116 square feet, and a separate warehouse building of 4,000 gross square feet. In addition to the two building structures there will be a trash enclosure and two fire suppression water tanks located above ground. Both buildings are located outside of the Scenic Corridor setback. A new mound septic system is planned to be located to the North of the retail building. Water will be provided by an existing on-site well.

The buildings will be metal buildings with a four-foothigh board formed concrete wainscot with metal panels for walls and metal panel roofing. The windows will be bronze anodized frames with non-reflective glazing.

The site will be accessed from two driveways: one on Gravenstein Hwy approximately 300 feet West of Bloomfield Road and one on Bloomfield Road approximately 150 feet South of the intersection with Gravenstein Hwy. Parking will be provided onsite in the amount of 80 parking spaces to meet the required parking. Eighteen bicycle parking spaces will be located near the retail building. Parking psaces and drive aisles will be asphalt with concrete walks for pedestrian circulation.

The site will be fully landscaped. There will be a split rail fence located along the site and Gravenstein Hwy and along Bloomfield Road. There will be gates at both entrances that will be locked when the Hardware Center is closed.

The following environmental studies are included with this application:

1. Arborist Report
2. Biological Assessment
3. Draft Traffic Study
4. Geotechnical Report.








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sebastopol, california
February 25, 2022



## SEBASTOPOL HARDWARE CENTER SOUTH ARBORIST REPORT FOR PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The owners of Sebastopol Hardware Center, Doug Bishop \& Dan Allingham approached the owner regarding building a second store at 1794 Gravenstein Hwy South to compliment their main store on the north end of town. Their suggestion was immediately appealing for a variety of reasons from a complete turn around of a derelict property to a reduced carbon footprint and traffic in the area. As the use matched the zoning and the tenant was solid, the plan has moved forward.

This then is the arborist report for that project describing the number, names, locations $\&$ conditions of the protected trees (all of which are indigenous native species larger than $9^{\prime \prime}$ diameter @ 4.5 feet above ground), which is to remain and what methods are to be used to minimize the effects of construction on it, as well as mitigation for the trees to be removed. Additionally described will be the protected trees to be removed, reasons why \& mitigation measures to be taken for that removal.

The site which composes 2 adjoining lots, 1794 Gravenstein Hwy South (APN 063-040-035) and 30 Bloomfield Road (APN 063-040-034), comprise 2.75 acres and are proposed to be merged to one lot. All of the protected trees are located on the 1794 Gravenstein South lot. Nearly the entire combined acreage is necessary to grade and develop due to the requirements of the tenants and county for Scenic Corridor

Setback, septic systems, parking etc. On the plans there is a proposed 15,000 square foot store, a 4,000 square foot storage building, 80 parking spaces, a mound septic system and expansion area of 4,800 square feet. There is also a well, driveways and water storage, all to be included while maintaining the required 200 foot scenic corridor setback as well as others from wells, septic systems, property lines and the like. Consequently, this requires the removal of 4 protected trees which have been tagged with numbered metal tags.

Tree \#1 is to be retained. It is a $16 . \mathbf{2}^{\prime \prime}$ DBH Valley Oak (Quercus lobata) $25^{\prime}$ tall with good vigor and good form rooted 1'east of the property line and 10 'north of the southwest lot corner. It will have an excellent chance of survival as less than $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ of its available root area will be impacted by construction.

Tree \#2 is a 29.9" DBH Coast Live Oak (Quercus agrifolia) with a height of $30^{\prime}$. It has good vitality and structure and is located $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$ west of the proposed storage building. It would not be likeiy to survive the impacts of construction as 40-50\% of its root zone would be damaged and haif of its crown would need to be removed on the eastside to accommodate the building. It will be removed to allow for construction.

Tree \#3 is a Valley Oak with two forks below $4.5^{\prime}$ high measuring 6.0 inches \& 9.3 inches at $4.5^{\prime}$ above ground. It is located on the west edge of the drive $5^{\prime}$ north of the proposed trash enclosure. It would not be expected to survive the impacts of construction as its trunk and $70 \%$ of its root system would be destroyed.

Tree \#4 is a 14.2" DBH Vailey Oak $30^{\prime}$ tall. It has good vigor (vitality) and structure. It is rooted $10^{\prime}$ west of the proposed store
and in the middle of the proposed access road around the westside of the building. It will be removed to accommodate construction.

Tree \#5 is a Valley Oak with two large forks $29.0^{\prime \prime}$ and $41.6^{\prime \prime}$ at 4.5' above grade. It has good vigor and poor structure. It is rooted 5' south of the proposed store in a paved traffic area. As nearly 50\% of its root zone would be removed by construction of the foundation and the balance paved over, it could not be expected to survive the impacts of construction and will therefore be removed.

Tree protection for Tree \#1 shall include installation of a T post and barbed wire over field fence or the equivalent 10 from its trunk to the building constructed in an arch to enclose the maximum amount of its rootzone possible while accommodating construction practices to the greatest degree practical. The arborist will communicate both verbally and in writing to the contractor that there is to be no grading, storage of equipment or supplies including paint solvents chemicals, no cleanout of concrete trucks or other equipment, no fueling or maintenance of equipment, no activities that might cause soil compaction, fire or any such thing within the fenced area. This fence is to be constructed prior to start of construction. Prior to construction of tree protection fencing, the area to be fenced will be mulched with a 4-6" layer of woody mulch. The arborist will make periodic inspections throughout the time of construction in order to ensure these measures are maintained.

Mitigation is calculated by using Arboreal Value Chart \#2 where the A.V. of Existing Trees is 14 \& Removed Trees is 12. 14-12=2, $12>50 \%$ (14) ie, 12>7, 12-7=5 5 Points AV $\times \$ 200$ in lieu fee $=\$ 1,000$ which 1 recommend be mitigated as the landscape plans include the
planting of 7 Valley Oaks, 24 " box size.

Schedule of Inspection of Tree Retained
TREE \# COMMON NAME SCIENTIFIC NAME DBH CONDITION
1 Valley Oak Quercus Lobata 16.2 Good
**SITE MAP (see attached)
**ARBOREAL VALUATIONS CHART (see attached)


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| d.b.h. (inches) | Removed Trees | Weighted Value | Arboreal Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $9-15$ |  | 1 | 1 |
| over $15-21$ |  | 2 | 2 |
| over $21-27$ |  | 3 |  |
| over $27-33$ |  | 4 | 4 |
| over 33 |  | 5 | 5 |

Total 12
This value (the A.V.) is used to
calculate the replacement number.
Chart No. 2 Complete Site Analysis.
a. To Be Used For Measuring Existing Trees On The Entire Site.

| d.b.h." (inches) | Existing Trees | Weighted Value | Existing Arboreal Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $9-15$ | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| over 15-21 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| over 21-27 |  | 3 |  |
| over 27-33 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| over 33 | 1 | 5 | 5 |

Total 14
b. To Be Used For Measuring Trees To Be Removed.

| d.b.h.* (inches) | Removed Trees | Weighted Value | Removed Arboreal Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $9-15$ | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| over $15-21$ | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| over 21-27 |  | 3 |  |
| over $27-33$ | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| over 33 | 1 | 5 | 5 |

* d.b.h. (diameter at breast height, four and one-half ( $41 / 2$ ) feet above ground) can be calculated by measuring the circumference of the tree and dividing by 3.14 or pi.

Total 12

Subtract the removed arboreal value from the existing arboreal value. If the removed arboreal value is more than fifty percent ( $50 \%$ ) of the existing arboreal value, the developer must replace the difference between removed arboreal value and fifty percent $(50 \%$ ) of existing arboreal value using the arboreal valuations. $R=2 ; 30$ (14)

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Arboreal Valuations. All trees to be replaced shall be the same native species as that removed unless specific approval has been granted by the planning director.

| 1 <br> point <br> A.V. | $=$ six 5 -gallon trees (can be existing trees on site that are below $9^{n}$ d.b.h. if preservation methods are part of the development permit) |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | = two 15-gallon trees** |
| 5 | Points A.V. $=\$ 200$ in-lieu fee** $\times 5=\$ 1000=$ |
| 2 points A.V. | $=24^{\prime \prime}$ Box Tree** |
|  | $=\$ 400$ in-lieu fee*** |

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[^0]:    ** The large trees must come from nurseries where they have been irrigated.
    They must have on-site irrigation to insure their survival.
    *** Annual average retail cost can be changed to reflect cost increases.

