

PLANNING COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 2019-25

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE VESTING TENTATIVE PARCEL MAP OF
PROPERTY LOCATED AT 500 KANSAS AVENUE (HEMENT K. KHATRI)

WHEREAS, Suresh Chandra on behalf of Hement K. Khatri has filed an application for a Vesting Tentative Parcel Map to divide 1.75 acres located at 500 Kansas Avenue into two parcels; and

WHEREAS, said Vesting Tentative Parcel Map was received in the office of the Secretary of the Planning Commission on June 20, 2019, and was accepted for filing and deemed complete on July 10, 2019, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-4.502 of the Modesto Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, copies of said Vesting Tentative Parcel Map have been sent to the Modesto City Elementary School and Modesto High School Districts, Modesto Irrigation District, the local utility companies, and the City Engineering and Transportation Department; and

WHEREAS, City services, including sewer and water facilities, are available; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by the Planning Commission on September 9, 2019, in Chambers, 1010 Tenth Street, Modesto, California, at which hearing evidence both oral and documentary was received and considered; and

WHEREAS, this parcel map is exempt from CEQA, pursuant to Section 15315 of the CEQA Guidelines, which exempts parcel maps of four or fewer parcels which are consistent with the General Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Planning Commission that it hereby finds and determines as follows:

1. The proposed vesting tentative parcel map is consistent with the General Plan of the City of Modesto.
2. The proposed vesting tentative parcel map will not be materially detrimental to the public welfare or injurious to other property or improvements in the vicinity or zone in which the property is located and will not nullify the intent and purpose of the General Plan or regulations within the City of Modesto Municipal Code.
3. The discharge of waste as a result of the proposed vesting tentative parcel map into the existing sewer system will not result in a violation of existing requirements by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board pursuant to Division 7 (commencing with Section 13000) of the Water Code of the State of California.
4. The proposed vesting tentative parcel map is exempt from CEQA, pursuant to Section 15315 of the CEQA Guidelines, which exempts parcel maps of four or fewer parcels which are consistent with the General Plan.

5. The proposed vesting tentative parcel map complies with all applicable requirements of the Subdivision Map Act and of Title 4 of the Modesto Municipal Code regarding the subdivision of land.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Planning Commission that the Vesting Tentative Parcel Map of property located at 500 Kansas Avenue accepted for filing in the office of the Secretary of the Planning Commission on July 10, 2019, be and it is hereby approved as submitted and as shown in red on the face of the map and subject to the following conditions:

1. At the time of development, any public improvements that are missing damaged or not to current City standards shall be designed and constructed per City standards in accordance with City Code (Article 7-1.701). Such improvements may include, but not be limited to curb & gutter, drive approach, sidewalk, ADA access ramps, fire hydrants and street lights. All public improvement plans shall be designed by a Registered Engineer, reviewed and approved by the City Engineer prior to issuance of an Encroachment permit. A certificate giving notice of this requirement shall be placed on the Parcel Map.
2. Prior to or concurrent with Parcel Map recordation, the applicant shall execute an access agreement to allow for reciprocal vehicular and pedestrian access and vehicular parking between the two parcels, and the common usage and maintenance of all utilities and parking areas between the two parcels, to the satisfaction of the Director of Community and Economic Development and in a form provided and approved by the City Attorney.
3. Prior to or concurrent with Parcel Map recordation, ten-foot-wide public utility easements shall be dedicated along the Kansas Avenue frontage.
4. Prior to Parcel Map recordation, separate water meters shall be established for each parcel.
5. All existing underground and aboveground utilities, irrigation, and electrical lines shall be protected, relocated, or removed as required by the City Engineer or designee. Easements for utilities, irrigation, and electrical lines to remain shall be reserved as required.
6. The property owner and developer shall, at their sole expense, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City of Modesto, its agents, officers, directors and employees, from and against all claims, actions, damages, losses, or expenses of every type and description, including but not limited to payment of attorneys' fees and costs, by reason of, or arising out of, this development approval. The obligation to defend, indemnify and hold harmless shall include but is not limited to any action to arbitrate, attack, review, set aside, void or annul this development approval on any grounds whatsoever. The City of Modesto shall promptly notify the developer of any such claim, action, or proceeding and shall cooperate fully in the defense.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the conditions of project approval set forth herein include certain fees, dedication requirements, reservations requirements, and other exactions, and that pursuant to Government Code Section 66020(d)(1), these conditions constitute written notice of a statement of the amount of such fees, and a description of the dedications, reservations, and other exactions.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the applicant is hereby further notified that the ninety (90) days approval period in which a protest of these fees, dedications, reservations, and other exactions, pursuant to Government Code Section 66020(a) can be filed, begins on September 9, 2019, and that if a protest is not filed within this ninety (90)-day period complying with all of the requirements of Section 66020, the applicant will be legally barred from later challenging such exactions.

The foregoing resolution was introduced at the regular meeting of the Planning Commission held on September 9, 2019, by Commissioner Smith, who moved its adoption, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Lucas, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	Lucas, Pollard, Smith, Morad
Noes:	None
Absent:	Escutia-Braaton, Vohra
Recused:	Birring

BY ORDER OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MODESTO.

Original, signed copy on file in CEDD

Paul Liu, Acting Secretary