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CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Chair Carroll and Members of the Planning Board

FROM:

Richard Knowland, Senior Planner

DATE:

March 10, 1998

SUBJECT:

Keenan Auction Property at 191 Riverside Street, Site Plan and Subdivision Review

Benchmark Group, Inc. requests workshop review for a commercial development at 191 Riverside Street on the site of the Keenan Auction Company property. The proposed development includes construction of the following new buildings:

Building	Footprint
Automotive Supply Office Supply Restaurant	25,149 sq. ft. 23,985 sq. ft. 8,917 sq. ft.

The existing Keenan Auction building will be removed from the site. Land area is 6.89 acres. Zoning is B-4 Business. The site borders Riverside Street, Riverside Court, Campbell Road and the Maine Turnpike. It is also adjacent to Howard Johnson/Verrillo's Restaurant. Background information, site plans and a vicinity aerial are shown on Attachments A, B and C.

Given the complexity of this project, particularly traffic issues, we would anticipate the need for a second workshop prior to scheduling a public hearing. The development is subject to site plan and subdivision review. It may also require review under the site location of development law.

Traffic /Circulation

Access is proposed off Riverside Court. The intersection of Riverside Court and Riverside Street is proposed to be reconfigured as shown on the site plan along with a traffic light. City Traffic, has requested a full traffic report for this project. This analysis would include the area from the Warren Avenue/Riverside Street intersection to the Riverside Street/Brighton Avenue intersection. The Riverside Street area has experienced considerable growth recently (Home Depot, among others). At the writing of this report, a traffic report has not been submitted, although a draft report is expected to be forwarded for this packet (see Attachment D.) Both the project traffic engineer and Larry Ash will be attending Tuesday's workshop.

As the Board may be aware, an off-track betting facility is proposed at Verrillo's Restaurant (Howard Johnson), which also has access off Riverside Court. Although this development is unlikely to trigger site plan review, the City Council did require a traffic impact study as part of their license review. Mr. Ash is requiring the same traffic analysis for the off-track betting facility as the Keenan property. (See Attachment E.)

A sidewalk will need to be constructed along the entire street frontage of the project (Riverside Street and Riverside Court.) Pedestrian circulation needs within the site should be addressed. Staff would suggest a sidewalk along the southerly property line from Riverside Court to the restaurant. Crosswalks should be added between buildings and logical pedestrian circulation and crossing points.

Parking

248 parking spaces are proposed. Under sec. 14-526(a)(2), the Board determines the appropriate number of parking spaces for the development since the floor area of buildings exceeds 50,00 sq. ft. The applicant needs to provide documentation on the parking demand for this development.

Stormwater

The applicant indicates that an existing detention pond on the property can be modified to accommodate the stormwater needs of the development. Stormwater calculations need to be submitted. Stormwater from the site flows into a 48-inch pipe under the turnpike that is part of the Capisic Brook watershed.

Given the large size of the parking lot, water quality issues need to be addressed. An existing drainage area on the northerly side of the property (near the office supply building) will be filled.

Building Facade

At the writing of this report, exterior facade elevations have not been submitted for the buildings.

Landscaping

A landscaping plan needs to be submitted addressing landscaping along the perimeter and within the parking lot. The site plan indicates that the restaurant and related parking lot area requires existing vegetation to be cut. Since the building (40 foot setback) and parking lot (5 foot setback) will be close to the turnpike right-of-way an appropriate landscaping treatment needs to be designed.

Lighting

The existing parking lot has a number of floodlights mounted on poles. A lighting plan needs to be submitted, indicating the proposed lighting fixtures, pole height and photometrics.

Attachments:

- A. Background Information
- B. Site Plan
- C. Vicinity Aerial
- D. Draft Traffic Report from Jack Murphy
- E. Memo from City Traffic Engineer



February 18, 1998 97622

Mr. Alexander Jaegerman Chief Planner City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

Request for Placement on Planning Board Workshop Agenda

Dear Alex:

On behalf of Benchmark Group, Inc., I am pleased to submit the attached Concept Plan for a proposed retail development on Riverside Street in Portland. The site of this proposal is currently occupied by Keenan Auction Company. The total area of the parcel is 6.89 acres. This proposal calls for approximately 49,000 square feet of retail in two separate buildings. In addition, an 8,900 square foot freestanding restaurant will be constructed as shown on the drawings.

The property is zoned B-4 and each of these uses is allowed. A total 248 parking is proposed. Public sewer and water are available to the site and the existing stormwater detention pond will be modified as necessary to accommodate the stormwater management needs of the project. The developer is currently conducting a traffic study of this area and, depending on the conclusions raised in that report, some modifications may be mandated at the project driveways. We have informally discussed this proposal with the City's Traffic Department and will continue that coordination as the more detailed traffic information becomes available.

We appreciate the opportunity present the project at an upcoming Workshop on March 10 and look forward to further discussion with the Planning Board at that time. In the interim, please contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

DEPT. OF BUILDING INSP

Sincerely,

SEBAGO TECHNICS, INC.

Walter P. Stinson, P.E.

President

WPS:dlf

Enc.

cc: Ronald Bronstein, Benchmark Group



March 6, 1998 97622

Mr. Richard Knowland Planning & Urban Development City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, ME 04101

Riverside Street Property, Benchmark Group

Dear Rick:

Thank you for meeting with Owens and me on Monday to discuss some preliminary site issues dealing with the retail center proposed by Benchmark Group on Riverside Street. It is our understanding that you envision two workshop sessions on this project to discuss the full breadth of the project plan, including landscaping, lighting, buffers, pedestrian access, drainage and wetlands. As we indicated, we feel that the threshold issue on this site is traffic and to date have focused on the traffic and access issues. We are currently working on the above site issues and will submit more detailed plans and narrative to support the site development as presently envisioned.

Enclosed herewith are fifteen (15) copies of a 1996 aerial photo showing the project site in relation to surrounding facilities, including the Exit 8 interchange and the major streets and buildings in the area. The scale on this photo is 1"=200'. I am also enclosing 11" x 17" plans (labeled as B-1 and B-2) of the site layout and the proposed driveway access to the project, and Traffic Engineer Jack Murphy's preliminary traffic study (labeled D-1 through D-11).

We look forward to meeting with the Board at its March 10th workshop session to discuss the project in more detail. In the interim, please contact me if you have additional questions. Thank you for your continuing assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

SEBAGO, TECHNICS, INC.

Walter P. Stinson, P.E.

President

WPS:jc Enc.

Mr. Joseph Gray, Jr.
Director of Planning & Urban Development
City Hall, 4th Floor
389 Congress St
Portland, Me. 04101

Re. Site Plan for Portland Commons Shopping Center Keenan Property, Riverside Street

Dear Mr. Gray:

Once again, we as residents of Campbell Rd., are faced with another proposal from Keenan for development of his property for a shopping center. After attending the workshop meeting on Feb. 9, 1999 and viewing the revised site plans that were presented to the planning board by the developer, we are most concerned about the proposed storm water drainage system and the traffic issues. Also, how this development in our front yard will effect our property values as well as our privacy and daily life styles. We see no indication that the developer is giving any consideration to the residents of Campbell Rd. We will try to address these issues as briefly as possible for your consideration.

STORM WATER

If you would refer to Watershed Map D-3, you will note that no basement drains are shown other than the one at the end of Campbell St. The property at 4 Campbell Rd and 11 Campbell Rd. Have basement drains that drain into this drainage ditch. At the time Mr. Keenan bought and extended the back of the property, the drain at 4 Campbell Rd. was crushed and blocked and nothing was done to correct this situation. On plan "B" the developer is showing a detention pond directly on top of the outlet of the basement drain to the property of 11 Campbell Rd. The drainage ditch also takes care of the storm water from Riverside St down Campbell Rd. to a detention basin at the back of Keenan property. This drainage ditch and basement drains are grandfather under drainage rights. Please refer to General Notes #19C and #20B. on site plan D3, which describe these rights as deeded by the original owner Charles Grant. A copy of this plan is enclosed with highlighted notes. I find it amusing to note that " the existing pond treats the storm water before it leaves the site and enters the CMP turnpike culvert." This detention pond will be only about 30 feet from my driveway. This will be breeding grounds for mosquitoes and other health hazards. Any kind of a detention pond in this corner cannot be allowed. I cannot imagine the DEP would allow such a catch basin so close to a residential area

TRAFFIC

At the workshop meeting Mr. Caron suggested possible use of Campbell Rd as an exit or entrance to this development. This would be a disaster as Campbell Rd is not capable of handling this amount of traffic. Our homes and lives would be in danger if this were the case. Campbell Rd is a private dead end street with deeded right of way to our properties. It is not built to handle heavy truck traffic that would be generated with this type of a development. Access to and from this development should stay on Riverside St and Riverside Court. The location of another traffic light on Riverside St in front of this development will make little difference as far as entering or exiting Campbell Rd. There will be bumper to bumper traffic all the way from Exit 8 of the Maine Turnpike to Warren Ave and beyond. It is very difficult at times to exit Campbell Rd now and make a left turn. Also coming from Warren Ave towards Me Turnpike and try to make left turn onto Campbell Rd is dangerous.

LANDSCAPING:

Mention is made to the mature trees and forest undergrowth which runs along Campbell Rd. There are mature pine, hemlock, oak and maple trees that act as a natural buffer for the residents of Campbell Rd. They also act as a sound barrier to traffic as well as blocking the bright lights from the parking lot. We find it unnecessary to cut these trees and leave us sitting as though we were in a fish bowl. Yes, they say plant trees in parking area but we have seen what happens with this plan. Plant 4 or 5 foot trees and 75% die within 2 months. What of our rights as residents? We need our privacy also.

The types of businesses that are proposed will be in operation 7 days a week and also nights. Most businesses in this area close by 6 p.m. Will there be any restrictions as far as hours of operation and noise level from this development? What kind of security is there for protection of our property from vandalism with this shopping center on our front doorstep? What happens to the value of our property? We certainly will have a very difficult time trying to sell and get a fair price for our property. Is this really a good plan for the city when this whole area could be developed for a more valuable development? Is this just a short term fix and not look at the long range advantages of a more economically developed plan for the area?

Also we feel there is a definite "Conflict of Interest" issue with this development. Mark Malone, a member of the planning board, is also the owner of Malone Commercial Real Estate and Brokerage firm who is the broker for Keenan and this development. Mr Malone's firm stands to gain a substantial commission on this transaction. We feel that any input Mr Malone makes to the board in respect to this development, would be influential to seeing this plan accepted by the planning board members.

We suggest that the planning board members take a field trip to Campbell Rd and the area being discussed. Our homes are the last of what was a nice residental area. How would you like to be living in the parking lot of a commercial development of this size on a small parcel of land? This parcel will certainly be over developed if all of the proposed site plans are accepted.

Your attention to these issues will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely;

Donald & Marilyn Quincy Duncy

Copies to:

Mr. Alexander Jaegerman, Chief Planner

Mr. William Needleman, Planner

Mr. John Carroll, Chair, Planning Board & members

Attachments:

Site plan D3 and D4 Notations



General Notes:

BROWN REALTY INC. 183 Foreside R Falmouth, MB 04105

Applicant:

Main Street Kingsfield, Maine 04947

Deed References

Cumberland County Registry of Deeds Book 3191, Page 350

Assessor's Reference:

Map No. 268 Lot No. A-2

The boundary lines shown hereon are based on a retracement survey of a plan by Robert P. Tilcomb Inc. Land Serveyors dated September B, 1980, made for ARKO Properties, Inc. and an cartier plan by Robert P. Tilcomb dated June 1970 made for Chryster Realty Corp. along with a plan for TAL Associates Inc. by Over Hashell Inc., dated April 26, 1974. Bearings and distances shown hereon, are the result of an actual field survey loculing existing monomentation and utilizing the above described plans.

Zoning District: Dusiness 2 (D-2)

Space and Bulk Requirements:

Misligum rear yards;

Not required except where the rear line abuts a residence zone, in which case they shall be twenty (20) feet,

Minimum side yards:

34"I PIPE

OUTLET PIPE 24° CMF

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Not required except where the side fine abuts a residence zone in which case they must be ten (10) feet in width. If provided, side yards must be not less than three (3) feet in width.

Not required but every property having frontage on Brighton Avenue, Riverside Street and Warren Aven

Maximum beight:

Brighton Avenue, Riverside Street and Warren Avenue shall have a minimum front yard of twenty (20) feet.

Five (5) stories but not to exceed sixty-five (65) feet. (Code 1968 Section 602.9.e: Ord. No. 274-77, 5-16-77).

Existing Use:

Auto Dealership/Auto Repair Shop

Intended Use:

Auction Contri Retail Store/Offices

Building Summary:

Footpriet: No. of Stories:

19,285 Sq. Ft.

12. Parking Space Requirements

7,600 S.F. + 150 S.F./Sp = 50 spaces 4,000 S.F. + 400 S.F./Sp = 10 spaces 7,685 S.F. + 100 S.F./Sp = 77 spaces Office Auction Correct

Total Required

Total Striped Total Unstripped

Total Available

The site is currently serviced by city sewer and water. Electric and telep is overhead and underground.

Sidewalks and main building entrances shall be handicapped accessible.

Existing utility locations are approximate based on utility owners' records. Contra-shall varify horizontal and vertical locations of all utilities prior to continuction:

- Site lighting is mounted on building and pole mounted,
- All disturbed areas shall be losmed and seeded.
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- The property is also subject to the following:
 - Central Maine Power Co. and New England Tel. & Tel. Co. pole line easement from pole #19.1 Riversida Street easterly to pole #19.2 recorded in Book 3346, Page 322.
 - Central Maina Power Co. and New England Tel. & Tel. Co. pole line easement from pole #19.01 Riveraide Street easerfy to pole #19.03 there a authorly to pole 19.04 recorded in Sook 3770, Page 137.
 - Drainage rights for basement drain outflows into existing drainage ditches. (See Note 20b).
 - Lease agreement between Fletcher Brown and Chrysler Realty Corporation dated July 31, 1973, recorded in Book 3628, Page 116 and subsequent

The property is benefited by the following: 20.

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- A right of way in common with others for the use of a proposed street known as Campbell Road as assed in a deed from Muriel B. Holmas to Olivier W. Holmas dated June 12, 1957, recorded in Book 2344, Page 132.
- Drainage rights described in a deed from Stephen I, Nicoth to Fixet Bank of Malans dated September 18, 1992 and recorded in Book 10288, Pager 75 as follows; "the right-of-draining land more belonging to Charles F. Clans, and bying northerly and southerly of the above described, access the rear of the above described land, by surface drains emptying into the gully, which starts at the southerly one of the above described property." These rights include property on both sides of Campbell Road formerly owned by Charles Grant.
- Record doed calls indicate the boundary here is the centerline of the brook known as Capital Brook, however, field conditions show evidence of possible site work which easy have changed the location of the brook. The line shown bereen is a reconstruction of the Brook and the line shown on the plans referenced in Note 18.

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To: Members of the Planning Board, Joseph Gary

CC: Louis Verrillo, Michael Verrillo, William Needleman

Penny Littell

April 22, 1999

Re: Riverside Court

I have reviewed the City's records to ascertain the status of Riverside Court. In 1973 a <u>portion</u> of Riverside Court was <u>discontinued</u> by City Council Order. The attached diagram depicts that portion of the street that has been discontinued.

State law provides that interest in a discontinued street shall pass to the abutters to the center of the way. (See attached 23 MRSA section 3026)

Finally, I checked with Portland Public Works Department relative to the plowing of the upper, nondiscontinued portion of Riverside Court. Jim Pritchard informed me that when he was plowing (about 7 years ago) he would plow the first 200 or so feet of that street. However, he also acknowledged that it was often the case that by the time the City trucks arrived to plow that street (which they considered a residential street) it had already been plowed.

Today, the non-discontinued portion of Riverside Court is still on the City's list of streets to plow. However, like any other residential street, it is only plowed after the major thoroughfares throughout the City have been cleared.

*37526 23 M.R.S.A. § 3026

MAINE REVISED STATUTES
ANNOTATED
TITLE 23. HIGHWAYS
PART 3. LOCAL HIGHWAY LAW
CHAPTER 304. ACQUISITION OF
PROPERTY FOR HIGHWAY
PURPOSES

Current through End of 1997 Second Sp. Sess.

§ 3026. Discontinuance of town ways

1. General procedures. A municipality may terminate in whole or in part any interests held by it for highway purposes. A municipality may discontinue a town way or public easement after the municipal officers have given best practicable notice to all abutting property owners and the municipal planning board or office and have filed an order of discontinuance with the municipal clerk that specifies the location of the way, the names of abutting property owners and the amount of damages, if any, determined by the municipal officers to be paid to each abutter.

Upon approval of the discontinuance order by the legislative body, and unless otherwise stated in the order, a public easement shall, in the case of town ways, be retained and all remaining interests of the municipality shall pass to the abutting property owners to the center of the way. For purposes of this section, the words "public easement" shall

include, without limitation, an easement for public utility facilities necessary to provide service.

2. Definition of best practicable notice. "Best practicable notice" means, at minimum, the mailing by the United States Postal Service, postage prepaid, first class, of notice to abutting property owners whose addresses appear in the assessment records of the municipality.

CREDIT(S)

1992 Main Volume

1975, c. 711, § 8; 1977, c. 301, § 1; 1981, c. 683, § 1, eff. April 15, 1982.

HISTORICAL NOTES

HISTORICAL AND STATUTORY NOTES

1992 Main Volume

Amendments

1977 Amendment. Laws 1977, c. 301, § 1, added the second sentence of the second paragraph.

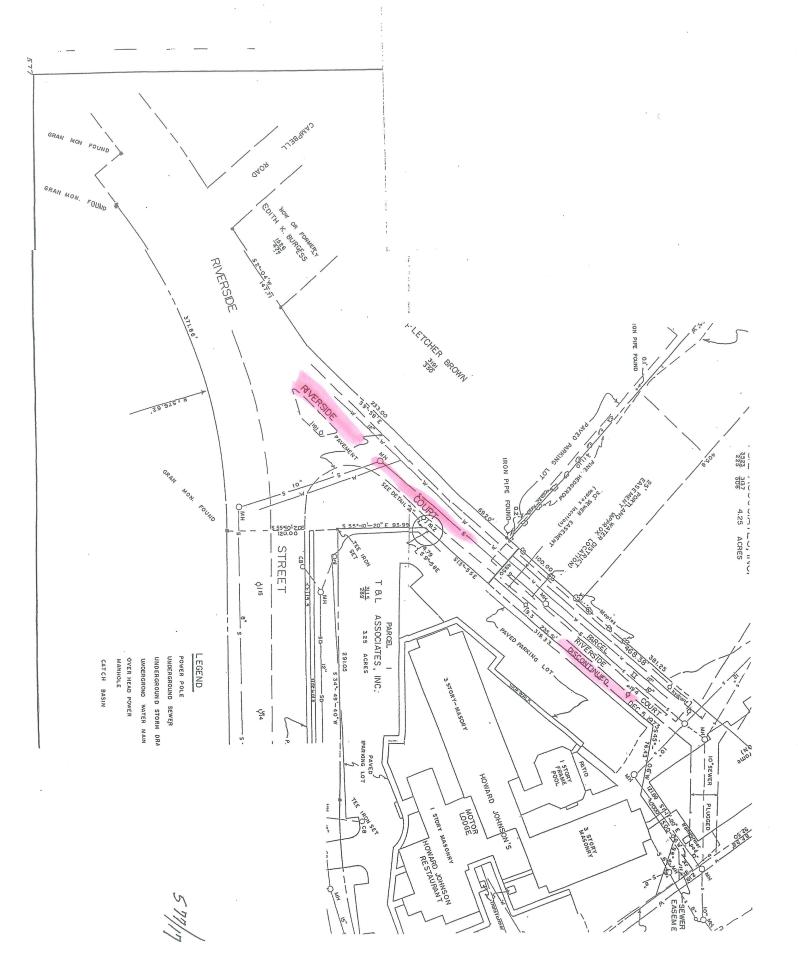
1981 Amendment. Laws 1981, c. 683, § 1, repealed and replaced this section.

Derivation:

R.S.1954, c 96, § 33; Laws 1965, c. 270, § 1; Laws 1973, c. 456; Laws 1973, c. 625, § 133-A; Laws 1975, c. 711, § 7; former 23 M.R.S.A. § 3004.

REFERENCES

CROSS REFERENCES



SITE PLAN REVIEW 191 RIVERSIDE STREET, PORTLAND COMMONS SHOPPING CENTER THE WATERFORD GROUP

Submitted to:

Portland Planning Board Portland, Maine

May 25, 1999

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEVELOPMENT REVIEW APPLICATION PLANNING DEPARTMENT PROCESSING FORM

19980012	
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Benchmark Group			2/18/98
Applicant			Application Date
4053 Maple Rd, Amherst, NY 14226			Exit 8 Development
Applicant's Mailing Address			Project Name/Description
Sebago Tech/Walt Stinson		191- 193 Riverside St	
Consultant/Agent		Address of Proposed Site	
	6-2206	268-A-002	-1-1-A
Applicant or Agent Daytime Telephone, I	-ax	Assessor's Reference: Chart-Blo	CK-LOI
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JOHN L. MURPHY, P.E.



Civil Engineer Traffic Engineer RR1, BOX 6300 WEST BALDWIN, MAINE 04091-9745 207-625-8222

March 4, 1998

Larry Ash City of Portland Traffic Engineer 55 Hanover Street Portland, Maine 04101

Re: Benchmark Group retail development on Keenan site, Riverside Street, Portland.

Dear Larry:

Based upon our meeting of March 2, 1998, I have attached my preliminary analysis data and intersection design for the project site at Riverside Street. I hope this will help better prepare everyone for the March 10, 1998 workshop session with the Portland Planning Board. I used the 1997 Edition of the report Trip Generation published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) for calculation of my trip generation data (worksheet attached). Pass-by trips are based upon data collected for the ITE to accompany the 1997 Edition. Trip distribution is based upon the raw count data at both Exit 8 and Warren Avenue intersections with Riverside Street. Study area is based upon current DEP requirements. However, I will expand the study area to the recently reconstructed Riverside Street/Brighton Avenue intersection prior to the next Planning Board meeting.

The base counts were from the recent PACTS study of a Connector Road between Larrabee Road and Warren Avenue in Westbrook compiled at Exit 8 and at Warren Avenue and Riverside Street. These July 1997 counts were supplemented by a July 1997 count at Home Depot provided by Bill Eaton and a January 1998 count done by me.

The counts were balanced to the higher of either Riverside Street/Exit 8 or Riverside Street/Warren Avenue as a no build base. The retail development traffic was added for a build design hour volume. Each signalized intersection was analyzed using the latest revision of highway capacity software. All four signalized intersections operated at level of service D or better with project impact (see printouts). The proposed design for the access to the new project operated at the best level of service B due to added left turn lanes on Riverside Street. Thus this design has spare capacity to accommodate additional traffic, if required. (All driveway trips counted on 1/28/98 were added back to establish the design hour volumes for this new intersection.)

Conclusions

- 1. The new design for the Riverside Street intersection with the project driveway including signals and left turn lanes on Riverside Street has excess capacity to accommodate existing plus new project traffic plus added future traffic, if necessary.
- 2. The proposed retail development traffic will not cause any existing nearby intersection to operate at level of service lower than D, which is acceptable for design in urban areas.
- 3. A final traffic impact study and intersection design will be prepared after the 3/10/98 Planning Board workshop.

Sincerely,

John L. Murphy, P.E.

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TRIP GENERATION DATA - HEENAN SITE

TRIP GENERATION HANDBOOK 6TH EDITION
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BY INSTITUTE OF TRANSPORTATION
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John L. Murphy P. E. Traffic Engineer

Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST.

(E-W) EXIT 8

Analyst: JLM

File Name: EXIT8E.HC9

Area Type: Other

2-26-98 PM PK.

Comment: BUILD PROJECT @ KEENAN SITE

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John L. Murphy P. E. Traffic Engineer

Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST

(E-W) SITE

Analyst: JLM

File Name: MARK.HC9

Area Type: Other

3-2-98 PM

Comment: BUILD PROJECT

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John L. Wurphy P. E. Traffic Engineer

Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST

(E-W) HOME DEPOT File Name: HOME.HC9

Analyst: JLM

3-2-98 PM

Area Type: Other

Comment: BUILD PROJECT

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HCM: SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION SUMMARY Version 2.4e 03-02-1998

John L. Murphy P. E. Traffic Engineer

Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST

(E-W) WARREN AVE

Analyst: JLM

File Name: RIVWAR.HC9

Area Type: Other

3-2-98 PM

Comment: BUILD PROJECT

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SB	LTR	1030	2797	0.971	0.368	35.0	D	35.0	70
EB	L	344	1719	0.256	0.200	20.8	С	30.8	D
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WB	L	434	1719	0.843	0.253	31.5	D	28.4	D
	TR	438	1735	0.718	0.253	24.8	C		

Intersection Delay = 28.7 sec/veh Intersection LOS = D Lost Time/Cycle, L = 12.0 sec Critical v/c(x) = 0.878

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OPERATIONS/ENGINEERING - INSPECTIONS MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

Larry Ash, Traffic Engineer

DATE:

January 26, 1998

SUBJECT:

Scope of Services Report for Proposed Off-Track Betting

To assist the City Council in analyzing and evaluating the effects of traffic generated by the proposed off-track betting facility at the Howard Johnson/Verrillo Restaurant immediately adjacent to Exit 8, Traffic Engineering recommends that a traffic impact study be provided.

A traffic impact study will project, describe and suggest ways of off-setting the traffic effects of the development of new activities. This study should quantify changes in traffic levels and translate these changes into transportation impacts in the vicinity affected by the project. The study should then identify on-site and off-site transportation system improvements needed to accommodate additional traffic associated with the new development.

At a minimum, the study area should include: the intersections of Riverside/Warren, Brighton/Riverside and the entire corridor between these intersections. Further, the traffic study must address all applicable requirements of the Maine Department of Environmental Protection (MDEP).

Accordingly, the following outline would provide the Council and staff with the necessary data and information required for an assessment of this proposed facility.

- I. Introduction and Summary:
 - A. Purpose of Report and Study Objectives
 - B. Executive Summary
 - 1. Site location and study area
 - 2. Development description
 - Principal findings
 - 4. Conclusions
 - 5. Recommendations

II. Proposed Development

Summary of Development

- 1. Use and intensity
- 2. Location
- 3. Site plan
- 4. Phasing/timing

III. Area Conditions

- A. Study Area
 - 1. Area of influence
 - 2. Area of significant traffic impact
- B. Study Area Land Use
 - 1. Existing land uses
 - 2. Anticipated future developments
- C. Site Accessibility
- 1. Area roadway system
 - a. existing
 - b. future
- 2. Traffic volumes and conditions
- 3. Existing relevant Transportation System Management (TSM) or Transportation Demand Management (TDM) programs
- 4. Others as applicable

IV. Projected Traffic

- A. Site Traffic for full development
 - 1. Trip generation
 - 2. Trip distribution
 - 3. Trip assignment
 - 4. Comparison with facilities for like size and use
- B. Through traffic for full development
 - 1. Method of projection
 - 2. Non-site traffic for in-study area
 - a. Method of projection
 - b. Trip generation
 - c. Trip distribution
 - d. Trip assignment
 - 3. Through traffic
 - 4. Estimated volumes
- C. Total traffic for full development

V. Traffic Analysis

- A. Site access
- B. Capacity and level of service
- C. Traffic safety
- D. Traffic signals
- E. Site circulation and parking

VI. Improvement Analysis

- A. Improvements to accommodate existing and future traffic
- B. Alternative improvements
- C. Status of Improvements/Projects already funded, programmed or planned
- D. Evaluation

VII. Findings

- A. Site Accessibility
- B. Traffic Impacts
- C. Need for any improvements
- D. Compliance with Applicable Local Codes, State Law

VIII. Recommendations

- A. Site Access/Circulation Plan
- B. Roadway improvements
 - 1. On-site
 - 2. Off-site
 - 3. Phasing, if appropriate
- C. Transportation Management Actions
 - 1. On-site
 - 2. Off-site
- D. Other

IX. Conclusions

cc: Robert B. Ganley, City Manager
Nadeen M. Daniels, Assistant City Manager
William J. Bray, P.E., Director of Public Works
Joseph E. Gray, Director of Planning and Economic Development
Bruce A. Bell, Operations Manager

From:

ANTHONY LOMBARDO

To:

RWK

Date:

3/3/98 5:27pm

Subject:

Benchmark Group, Inc......Keenan Auction Site on Riverside St.

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Rick,

Since this is only a conceptual plan, I don't really have specific comments. General comment are as follows:

- 1. This plan will need a thorough "Erosion and Sediment Control Plan"
- 2. Does the increase in impervious area exceed one (1) acre, if so this application
- will require "Site Location of Develoment Review" by DEP.

 3. This site discharges runoff that eventually reaches the Capisic Brook. Therefore, the Stormwater Management Plan will require the treatment of runoff as well as detention.

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Chair Carroll and Members of the Planning Board

FROM:

Richard Knowland, Senior Planner

DATE:

March 10, 1998

SUBJECT:

Keenan Auction Property at 191 Riverside Street, Site Plan and Subdivision Review

Benchmark Group, Inc. requests workshop review for a commercial development at 191 Riverside Street on the site of the Keenan Auction Company property. The proposed development includes construction of the following new buildings:

Building	<u>Footprint</u>
Automotive Supply Office Supply	25,149 sq. ft. 23,985 sq. ft.
Restaurant	8,917 sq. ft.

The existing Keenan Auction building will be removed from the site. Land area is 6.89 acres. Zoning is B-4 Business. The site borders Riverside Street, Riverside Court, Campbell Road and the Maine Turnpike. It is also adjacent to Howard Johnson/Verrillo's Restaurant. Background information, site plans and a vicinity aerial are shown on Attachments A, B and C.

Given the complexity of this project, particularly traffic issues, we would anticipate the need for a second workshop prior to scheduling a public hearing. The development is subject to site plan and subdivision review. It may also require review under the site location of development law.

Traffic /Circulation

Access is proposed off Riverside Court. The intersection of Riverside Court and Riverside Street is proposed to be reconfigured as shown on the site plan along with a traffic light. City Traffic, has requested a full traffic report for this project. This analysis would include the area from the Warren Avenue/Riverside Street intersection to the Riverside Street/Brighton Avenue intersection. The Riverside Street area has experienced considerable growth recently (Home Depot, among others). At the writing of this report, a traffic report has not been submitted, although a draft report is expected to be forwarded for this packet (see Attachment D.) Both the project traffic engineer and Larry Ash will be attending Tuesday's workshop.

As the Board may be aware, an off-track betting facility is proposed at Verrillo's Restaurant (Howard Johnson), which also has access off Riverside Court. Although this development is unlikely to trigger site plan review, the City Council did require a traffic impact study as part of their license review. Mr. Ash is requiring the same traffic analysis for the off-track betting facility as the Keenan property. (See Attachment E.)

A sidewalk will need to be constructed along the entire street frontage of the project (Riverside Street and Riverside Court.) Pedestrian circulation needs within the site should be addressed. Staff would suggest a sidewalk along the southerly property line from Riverside Court to the restaurant. Crosswalks should be added between buildings and logical pedestrian circulation and crossing points.

Parking

248 parking spaces are proposed. Under sec. 14-526(a)(2), the Board determines the appropriate number of parking spaces for the development since the floor area of buildings exceeds 50,00 sq. ft. The applicant needs to provide documentation on the parking demand for this development.

Stormwater

The applicant indicates that an existing detention pond on the property can be modified to accommodate the stormwater needs of the development. Stormwater calculations need to be submitted. Stormwater from the site flows into a 48-inch pipe under the turnpike that is part of the Capisic Brook watershed.

Given the large size of the parking lot, water quality issues need to be addressed. An existing drainage area on the northerly side of the property (near the office supply building) will be filled.

Building Facade

At the writing of this report, exterior facade elevations have not been submitted for the buildings.

Landscaping

A landscaping plan needs to be submitted addressing landscaping along the perimeter and within the parking lot. The site plan indicates that the restaurant and related parking lot area requires existing vegetation to be cut. Since the building (40 foot setback) and parking lot (5 foot setback) will be close to the turnpike right-of-way an appropriate landscaping treatment needs to be designed.

Lighting

The existing parking lot has a number of floodlights mounted on poles. A lighting plan needs to be submitted, indicating the proposed lighting fixtures, pole height and photometrics.

Attachments:

- A. Background Information
- B. Site Plan
- C. Vicinity Aerial
- D. Draft Traffic Report from Jack Murphy
- E. Memo from City Traffic Engineer



February 18, 1998 97622

Mr. Alexander Jaegerman Chief Planner City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

Request for Placement on Planning Board Workshop Agenda

Dear Alex:

On behalf of Benchmark Group, Inc., I am pleased to submit the attached Concept Plan for a proposed retail development on Riverside Street in Portland. The site of this proposal is currently occupied by Keenan Auction Company. The total area of the parcel is 6.89 acres. This proposal calls for approximately 49,000 square feet of retail in two separate buildings. In addition, an 8,900 square foot freestanding restaurant will be constructed as shown on the drawings.

The property is zoned B-4 and each of these uses is allowed. A total 248 parking is proposed. Public sewer and water are available to the site and the existing stormwater detention pond will be modified as necessary to accommodate the stormwater management needs of the project. The developer is currently conducting a traffic study of this area and, depending on the conclusions raised in that report, some modifications may be mandated at the project driveways. We have informally discussed this proposal with the City's Traffic Department and will continue that coordination as the more detailed traffic information becomes available.

We appreciate the opportunity present the project at an upcoming Workshop on March 10 and look forward to further discussion with the Planning Board at that time. In the interim, please contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

SEBAGO TECHNICS, INC.

Walter P. Stinson, P.E.

President

WPS:dlf

Enc.

cc: Ronald Bronstein, Benchmark Group



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March 6, 1998 97622

Mr. Richard Knowland Planning & Urban Development City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, ME 04101

Riverside Street Property, Benchmark Group

Dear Rick:

Thank you for meeting with Owens and me on Monday to discuss some preliminary site issues dealing with the retail center proposed by Benchmark Group on Riverside Street. It is our understanding that you envision two workshop sessions on this project to discuss the full breadth of the project plan, including landscaping, lighting, buffers, pedestrian access, drainage and wetlands. As we indicated, we feel that the threshold issue on this site is traffic and to date have focused on the traffic and access issues. We are currently working on the above site issues and will submit more detailed plans and narrative to support the site development as presently envisioned.

Enclosed herewith are fifteen (15) copies of a 1996 aerial photo showing the project site in relation to surrounding facilities, including the Exit 8 interchange and the major streets and buildings in the area. The scale on this photo is 1"=200'. I am also enclosing 11" x 17" plans (labeled as B-1 and B-2) of the site layout and the proposed driveway access to the project, and Traffic Engineer Jack Murphy's preliminary traffic study (labeled D-1 through D-11).

We look forward to meeting with the Board at its March 10th workshop session to discuss the project in more detail. In the interim, please contact me if you have additional questions. Thank you for your continuing assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

SEBAGO, TECHNICS, INC.

Walter P. Stinson, P.E.

President

WPS:jc Enc. JOHN L. MURPHY, P.E.



Civil Engineer Traffic Engineer RR1, BOX 6300 WEST BALDWIN, MAINE 04091-9745 207-625-8222

March 4, 1998

Larry Ash City of Portland Traffic Engineer 55 Hanover Street Portland, Maine 04101

Re: Benchmark Group retail development on Keenan site, Riverside Street, Portland.

Dear Larry:

Based upon our meeting of March 2, 1998, I have attached my preliminary analysis data and intersection design for the project site at Riverside Street. I hope this will help better prepare everyone for the March 10, 1998 workshop session with the Portland Planning Board. I used the 1997 Edition of the report Trip Generation published by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) for calculation of my trip generation data (worksheet attached). Pass-by trips are based upon data collected for the ITE to accompany the 1997 Edition. Trip distribution is based upon the raw count data at both Exit 8 and Warren Avenue intersections with Riverside Street. Study area is based upon current DEP requirements. However, I will expand the study area to the recently reconstructed Riverside Street/Brighton Avenue intersection prior to the next Planning Board meeting.

The base counts were from the recent PACTS study of a Connector Road between Larrabee Road and Warren Avenue in Westbrook compiled at Exit 8 and at Warren Avenue and Riverside Street. These July 1997 counts were supplemented by a July 1997 count at Home Depot provided by Bill Eaton and a January 1998 count done by me.

The counts were balanced to the higher of either Riverside Street/Exit 8 or Riverside Street/Warren Avenue as a no build base. The retail development traffic was added for a build design hour volume. Each signalized intersection was analyzed using the latest revision of highway capacity software. All four signalized intersections operated at level of service D or better with project impact (see printouts). The proposed design for the access to the new project operated at the best level of service B due to added left turn lanes on Riverside Street. Thus this design has spare capacity to accommodate additional traffic, if required. (All driveway trips counted on 1/28/98 were added back to establish the design hour volumes for this new intersection.)

Conclusions

- 1. The new design for the Riverside Street intersection with the project driveway including signals and left turn lanes on Riverside Street has excess capacity to accommodate existing plus new project traffic plus added future traffic, if necessary.
- 2. The proposed retail development traffic will not cause any existing nearby intersection to operate at level of service lower than D, which is acceptable for design in urban areas.
- 3. A final traffic impact study and intersection design will be prepared after the 3/10/98 Planning Board workshop.

Sincerely,

John L. Murphy, P.E.

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TRIP GENERATION DATA - MEENAN SITE

TRIP GENERATION HANDBOOK 6TH EDITION
PUBLISHED IN 1997
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DESIGN: HOUR VOLUMES BUILD PROJECT HCM: SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION SUMMARY Version 2.4e 03-02-1998
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Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST.

(E-W) EXIT 8

Analyst: JLM

File Name: EXIT8E.HC9

Area Type: Other

2-26-98 PM PK.

Comment: BUILD PROJECT & KEENAN SITE

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	T	369	1810	0.880	0.204	39.1	D		
	R	314	1538	0.274	0.204	21.4	C		
WB	L	351	1719	0.872	0.204	38.8	D	23.0	С
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Intersection Delay = 27.4 sec/veh Intersection LOS = D Lost Time/Cycle, L = 12.0 sec Critical v/c(x) = 0.905

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Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST

(E-W) SITE

Analyst: JLM

File Name: MARK.HC9

Area Type: Other

3-2-98 PM

Comment: BUILD PROJECT

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EB	L	181	1220	0.044	0.149	17.4	C	17.9	C
	TR	238	1604	0.218	0.149	18.0	С		
WB	L	225	1511	0.467	0.149	19.8	C	19.5	C
	TR	238	1602	0.428	0.149	19.3	C		
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Lost Time/Cycle, L = 9.0 sec Critical V/c(x) = 0.594

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Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST (E-W) HOME DEPOT

Analyst: JLM

File Name: HOME.HC9

Area Type: Other

3-2-98 PM

Comment: BUILD PROJECT

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EB	LTR	89	1551	0.327	0.057	21.3	C	21.3	E			
WB	L	284	1805	0.437	0.157	18.0	C	17.7	C			
	TR	257	1638	0.097	0.157	16.3	C					
	Intersection Delay = 5.8 sec/veh Intersection LOS = 8											

Lost Time/Cycle, L = 9.0 sec Critical v/c(x) = 0.616

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John L. Murphy P. E. Traffic Engineer

Streets: (N-S) RIVERSIDE ST

(E-W) WARREN AVE

Analyst: JLM

File Name: RIVWAR.HC9

Area Type: Other

3-2-98 PM

Comment: BUILD PROJECT

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	R	939	1538	0.492	0.611	7.0	B		
SB	LTR	1030	2797	0.971	0.368	35.0	D	35.0	D
EB	L	344	1719	0.256	0.200	20.8	С	30.8	D
	TR	345	1727	0.825	0.200	33.8	D		
WB	L	434	1719	0.843	0.253	31.5	D	28.4	D
	TR	438	1735	0.718	0.253	24.8	C		

Intersection Delay = 28.7 sec/veh Intersection LOS = D

Lost Time/Cycle, L = 12.0 sec Critical v/c(x) = 0.878

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OPERATIONS/ENGINEERING - INSPECTIONS MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

Larry Ash, Traffic Engineer

DATE:

January 26, 1998

SUBJECT:

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IX. Conclusions

cc: Robert B. Ganley, City Manager
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From:

ANTHONY LOMBARDO

To:

RWK

Date:

3/3/98 5:27pm

Subject:

Benchmark Group, Inc......Keenan Auction Site on Riverside St.

3/398

Rick,

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3-10-98 NNGNOIBEST

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Ownership

Copy of last approved



February 18, 1998 97622

Mr. Alexander Jaegerman Chief Planner City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

Request for Placement on Planning Board Workshop Agenda

Dear Alex:

On behalf of Benchmark Group, Inc., I am pleased to submit the attached Concept Plan for a proposed retail development on Riverside Street in Portland. The site of this proposal is currently occupied by Keenan Auction Company. The total area of the parcel is 6.89 acres. This proposal calls for approximately 49,000 square feet of retail in two separate buildings. In addition, an 8,900 square foot freestanding restaurant will be constructed as shown on the drawings.

The property is zoned B-4 and each of these uses is allowed. A total 248 parking is proposed. Public sewer and water are available to the site and the existing stormwater detention pond will be modified as necessary to accommodate the stormwater management needs of the project. The developer is currently conducting a traffic study of this area and, depending on the conclusions raised in that report, some modifications may be mandated at the project driveways. We have informally discussed this proposal with the City's Traffic Department and will continue that coordination as the more detailed traffic information becomes available.

We appreciate the opportunity present the project at an upcoming Workshop on March 10 and look forward to further discussion with the Planning Board at that time. In the interim, please contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

SEBAGO TECHNICS, INC.

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Walter P. Stinson, P.E.

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cc: Ronald Bronstein, Benchmark Group

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Addendum To Contract For Sale Of Real Estate

This addendum is made an integral part to the Contract For Sale Of Real Estate for property located at, 191 Riverside Street, Portland, Maine between Richard T. Kredhu or 1455 9115 (Known as Seller) and Benchmark Development Corporation, Inc. (known as Purchaser) for the contract dated July 3, 1997.

The following terms and conditions are noted:

1) Timing and Performance:



<u>Due Diligence:</u> The Purchaser shall have 60 days to conduct its "due diligence" on the property for an intended retail development. Purchaser's due diligence may include, but, not be limited to: title review, survey, environmental, geotechnical, traffic, existing zoning review and obtaining a Letter(s) of Intent from a prospective tenant(s). Seller agrees to turn over all existing reports, plans and studies, it has in its possession, to the Purchaser within five (5) business days of the effective date of this Contract.

If the Purchaser is not satisfied with its findings during the due-diligence period it may terminate this Contract and receive a full refund of its deposit with no further obligation due from either party. If the Purchaser is satisfied with its finding it may close on the property or extend this Contract according to the terms outlined below.

Malone Commercial Brokers shall hold in a non-interest bearing account and act as escrow agent until the expiration of the initial sixty-day due diligence period. Thereafter, if a closing date does not take place upon the expiration of sixty days, and the contract is extended as provided herein, payment shall be paid to Seller, and all subsequent payments on extensions of the time for closing, shall be paid by the Purchaser directly to the Seller, which amounts shall be credited against the total purchase price payable at closing.

Extension Periods: At the conclusion of the initial 60 day period the Purchaser may extend this Contract as follows: A) At the conclusion of the sixty day "due diligence" period the Purchaser shall have the right to extend this Contract for one (1) sixty (60) day period by allowing the initial escrow deposit funds of and providing an additional non-refundable payment to the Seller of B) At the conclusion of the sixty day extension the Purchaser shall have the right to further extend this Contract for four (4), thirty (30) day periods by making

payments to the Seller on or before the commencement of each 30 day extension, and <u>C</u>) At the conclusion of the four, thirty day extensions, the Purchaser shall have the right to extend this Contract for two (2), final thirty day periods by making additional to the Seller on or before the commencement of each 30 day extension.

If the Purchaser fails to make any of the required extension payments, as outlined above, this Contract shall terminate, with no further obligation due

from either party. Should the Purchaser close on the property, all deposit payments made will credited toward the purchase price, at the time of closing.

2) Salvage Rights:

Purchaser agrees to provide the Seller with salvage rights. The Seller's salvage rights to include the reclamation of: the front sign, exterior chain link fence, Office Partitions, Office Furniture, Trade Fixtures, Projection Screen, Warehouse Shelving, Air Compressors, Security System, telephone System, Wall Board Displays, Oil Tank, Carpets, Ceiling Tile and Grid, Interior Doors and Frames, Exterior Doors and Frames, Exterior Casement Windows, Lighting Fixtures, Railings Air Conditioning Units, Duct Work, and Shower & Bath Fixtures.

3) Broker:

The sole Broker in this transaction is Malone Commercial Brokers, Inc.(MCB). MCB represents the Seller, as a Seller's Agent.

It is acknowledged by both parties that MCB has previously been retained by the Purchaser, in other transactions, and ,at the commencement of the negotiation phase of this transaction. It is further acknowledged that the Purchaser hereby agrees to release MCB from any fiduciary responsibilities it may have for this transaction, in order that MCB may adequately represent only the Seller's interests for the sale of this property.

4) Information Exchange:

If the Purchaser does not close on the property according the terms of this Contract, It agrees to provide the Seller with copies of any due diligence information and materials it may generate from any tests, reports or studies it may have conducted on the property. Purchaser also agrees to provide the names and telephone numbers of any prospective users who expressed any serious interest in the property.

5) Seller's Holdover:

The Seller shall have the right to occupy the building and that portion of the Property identified as the hatched portion on Exhibit "A" hereto (the "Occupied Property") for a period of sixty (60) days from the date of closing.

Seller's holdover occupancy shall be subject to the following terms and conditions:

- A. Seller's holdover occupancy hereunder is not intended and shall not constitute a tenancy.
- B- Seller shall pay all fuel and utility charges and the cost of maintaining personal property insurance, shall pay for any damage to the Occupied Property that may occur during said Occupancy Period caused by the negligence or willful act of Seller and not covered by Purchaser's insurance,

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6) Like-Kind Exchange:

At Seller's election, Purchaser shall cooperate with Seller in effecting a so-called Section 1031 Like-Kind Exchange provided that: (i) all costs and liabilities associated with such exchange shall be borne by Seller; (ii) such cooperation shall not require Purchaser to take title to any real estate which is not the subject of this Agreement; (iii) such exchange shall not affect Seller's obligation to deliver title in accordance with the terms hereof, and (iv) Seller shall indemnify Purchaser from and against any and all liability arising out of such cooperation. The provisions of this paragraph shall survive the closing hereunder.

7) Riverside Street Improvements

In the event that Purchaser exercises the option hereunder, Purchaser agrees that at the closing, Purchaser shall assume the Landlord's obligations to the City of Portland to undertake improvements to Riverside Street as specifically set forth in a letter from the Planning Board of the City of Portland to Keenan Auction Company dated June 21, 1993, a letter from the Planning and Urban Development Office of the City of Portland to Sebago Technics dated April 12, 1994, a letter from the Acting Development Review Coordinator of the City of Portland dated August 29, 1994, a letter from Curtis, Thaxter to Planning Department of the City of Portland dated June 6, 1995 and Performance Guaranty Letter of Credit dated June 6, 1995 and as further described in a site plan submitted to the City of Portland (all of which are attached hereto as Exhibit B, provided that Purchaser may seek to have such road improvement obligations modified in accordance with Purchaser's intended development of the Property.

Seen and Agreed to by;

Seller:

7/28/97

Date

7/23/97

Purchaser:

City of Portland, Maine Planning Department

City Hall 389 Congress Street, 4th Floor Portland, Maine 04101 Fax Number: 756-8258

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