

Conditional Rezoning Amendment Application Casco Heights Residential Condominium 202-828 Ocean Avenue Portland Maine

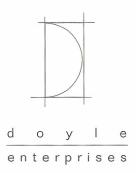
802- 828 Ocean Avenue Portland, Maine Tax Map 411, Block A, Lot 7 and Tax Map 416, Lots 6,7 and 21 Ridge Development, LLC / Applicant

April 4, 2014

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CASCO HEIGHTS

April 2014

Dear Members,

On October 18, 2004 the Portland City Council approved the Contract Zone Agreement to Graves Hill, LLC, which allowed the 18 acre vacant property, overlooking Casco Bay, located at 802 Ocean Avenue to be rezoned from R-3 to 8 acres of R-OS and 10 acres of R-5A. Working with Portland Trails, the open space was to be developed into a trail system that would connect with the Ocean Avenue Recreation Area. (At that time it was The Ocean Avenue Landfill.) The R-5A portion would allow two 100 foot buildings containing a total of 98 units. The 2004 project was called Graves Hill and was designed as large luxury condominiums. The Contract Zone Agreement specified that there would be two parking spaces per unit along with 28 visitor spaces and that each building would contain a community room, an office, a fitness and special events room and a cross country ski room.

The project got bogged down in stormwater issues and the final planning board approval was not received until 2006. Then 2007 came along and due to the instability of the economy, the project was not built. I own the property and was the developer for the Graves Hill project. I have entered into an agreement to sell the property to Ridge Development, LLC. They have hired me to advise them and present the new plan.

The new project will be called Casco Ridge and the buildings are an improvement over the approved 2006 project. The approved 100 foot height limit was controversial, Casco Heights will be no taller than 75 feet. Graves Hill was entirely large luxury units. Casco Heights is a mix of one, two and three bedroom, market rate condominums along with top floor penthouses.

Although the Graves Hill buildings may have been controversial, the preservation of open space and the careful consideration of the land to be developed, was always supported by the boards and neighbors. That concept has not changed. Eight Acres will still be rezoned as R-OS and Portland Trails will participate in the development of a trail system that will run from Ocean Avenue through the R5-A zone to the R-OS and then connect to the Ocean Avenue Recreation Area.

We are asking that the Planning Board recommend to the Portland City Council the following changes to the 2004 approved Conditional Rezoning Amendment:

- 1. The name shall be changed from Graves Hill Land Company, LLC to Ridge Development, LLC
- 2. The maximum number of total allowed units shall be reduced from 98 to 94
- 3. The R-5A zone shall be changed from 10.17 acres to 10.4 acres and the R-OS shall be changed from 8.15 acres to 7.92 acres
- 4. The requirement for each building to contain a community room, office, fitness room, special events room and cross country ski center shall be removed
- 5. The amount of required parking shall be changed from two spaces per unit to two spaces for multi bedroom units and one space per single bedroom unit. The 28 visitor spaces remain unchanged.

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to working with you on the new project.

Sincerely,

Diane Doyle

CHART/BLOCK/LOT: 411-A-1 and 416-A-6,7,2)			
DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED ZONE CHANGE AND PROJECT:			
Amendment to existing on	nditional rezoning agreement		
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	Applicant's Contact for electronic plans		
	Name: Scharo Technics		
CONTACT INFORMATION:	e-mail Address		
	work#		
Applicant – must be owner, Lessee or Buyer	Applicant Contact Information		
Name: Ridge Development UC	Work #		
Business Name, if applicable:	Home#		
Address: P.O. Box 535	Cell# 239 - 5000 Fax#		
City/State: Buxton ME Zip Code: 04093	e-mail: ptinsman @ maine. 17. com		
Owner – (if different from Applicant)	Owner Contact Information		
Name: Doyle Enter-prises	Work# 286 - 1151		
Name: Doyle Enter-prises Address: 110 Main Street; Soite 1214	Home#		
City/State: 500 ME Zip Code: 04072	Cell# 229 - 3530 Fax# 282 - 7970		
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Agent/ Representative	Agent/Representative Contact information		
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Name: Sebago technics	Work# 200 - 2062		
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PROJECT ADDRESS: 802 - 828 Ocean avenue

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Name: Mile Colombe	Work# 204 - 4521		
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City/State : Zip Code:	e-mail: dow car l & gui. net		
Architect RIII Hopkins	Architect Contact Information		
Architect Bill Hopkins Name: Archetype PA Address: Portline ME	Work# 772 6022		
Address: Fortain ME	Cell # Fax#		
City/State : Zip Code:	e-mail: hopkins @ archetype pa. com		
Attorney NA	Attorney Contact Information		
Name:	Work #		
Address:	Cell # Fax#		
City/State : Zip Code:	e-mail:		
Right, Title, or Interest: Please identify the status of the applicant's right, title, or interest in the subject property:			
See Attached			
Provide documentary evidence, attached to this ap subject property. (For example, a deed, option or o	plication, of applicant's right, title, or interest in the contract to purchase or lease the subject property.)		
Vicinity Map: Attach a map showing the subject parcel and abutting parcels, labeled as to ownership and/or current use. (Applicant may utilize the City Zoning Map or Parcel Map as a source.)			
Existing Use: Describe the existing use of the subject property:			
Undeveloped			

Current Zoning Designation(s):

PSA/ROS Conditional Zone

Proposed Use of Property:	Please describe the proposed use of the subject property.	If construction
or development is proposed, p	lease describe any changes to the physical condition of the	e property.

See Attached

Site Plan: On a separate sheet, please provide a site plan of the property showing existing and proposed improvements, including such features as buildings, parking, driveways, walkways, landscape and property boundaries. This may be a professionally drawn plan, or a carefully drawn plan, to scale, by the applicant. (Scale to suit, range from 1" = 10' to 1' = 50'.) Contract and conditional rezoning applications may require additional site plans and written material that address physical development and operation of the property to ensure that the rezoning and subsequent development are consistent with the comprehensive plan, meet applicable land use regulations, and compatible with the surrounding neighborhood.

See Attacked

APPLICATION FEE:

Check the type of zoning review that applies. Payment may be made in cash or check payable to the City of Portland.

Zoning Map Amendment \$2,000.00 (fromzone tozone) Zoning Text Amendment\$2,000.00 (to Section 14) (For a zoning text amendment, attach on a separate sheet the exact language being proposed, including existing relevant text, in which language to be deleted is depicted as crossed out (example) and language to be added is depicted as underline (example)	Fees Paid (office use)	 The City invoices separately for the following: Notices (\$.75 each) (notices are sent to neighbors upon receipt of an application, workshop and public hearing meetings for Planning Board and public hearing meeting for City Council) Legal Ad (% of total Ad) Planning Review (\$40.00 hour) Legal Review (\$75.00 hour) Third party review is assessed separately.
Combination Zoning Text Amendment and Zoning Map Amendment \$3,000.00 Conditional or Contract Zone \$3,000.00 (A conditional or contract rezoning map be requested by an applicant in cases where limitations, conditions, or special assurances related to the physical development and operation of the property are needed to ensure that the rezoning and subsequent development are consistent with the comprehensive plan, meet applicable land use regulations, and compatible with the surrounding neighborhood. Please refer to Division 1.5, Sections 14-60 to 62.)		

Signature of Applicant:	Date:
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Further Information

In the event of withdrawal of the zoning amendment application by the applicant, a refund of two-thirds of the amount of the zone change fee will be made to the applicant as long as the request is submitted to the Planning Division prior to the advertisement being submitted to the news paper.

PROJECT DATA

The following information is required where applicable, in order to complete the application.

Total Area of Site	18.32 Ac	s q. ft .
Proposed Total Disturbed Area of the Site	5.86 Ac	sqf+
If the proposed disturbance is greater than one acre, then the app	licant shall apply for a Maine Constru	uction General Permit
(MCGP) with DEP and a Stormwater Management Permit, Chapte	r 500, with the City of Portland	
Impervious Surface Area		
Impervious Area (Total Existing)		s q. f t.
Impervious Area (Total Proposed)	2,78 Ac	s q. f t.
Building Ground Floor Area and Total Floor Area		
Building Footprint (Total Existing)		
Building Footprint (Total Proposed)		sq. ft.
Building Floor Area (Total Existing)	46,698	sq. ft.
Building Floor Area (Total Proposed)	0 - 1120	sq. ft.
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Zoning		
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Proposed, if applicable	PSA/ ROS	
Land Use		
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Residential, If applicable		
# of Residential Units (Total Existing)	9	
# of Residential Units (Total Proposed)	94	
# of Lots (Total Proposed)		
# of Affordable Housing Units (Total Proposed)	<u> </u>	
Proposed Bedroom Mix		
# of Efficiency Units (Total Proposed)	0	
# of One-Bedroom Units (Total Proposed)	12	
# of Two-Bedroom Units (Total Proposed)	34	
# of Three-Bedroom Units (Total Proposed)	<u> </u>	
Parking Spaces		
# of Parking Spaces (Total Existing)		
# of Parking Spaces (Total Proposed)		
# of Handicapped Spaces (Total Proposed)	204	
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Bicycle Parking Spaces		
# of Bicycle Spaces (Total Existing)	0	
# of Bicycle Spaces (Total Proposed)	78	
Estimated Cost of Project		
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Updated: August 15, 2013

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Order 67 - 04/05

Given first reading 9/20/04

Postponed on 10/4/04

Public Hearing and Passage 10/18/04 7-1 (Smith abstaining, O'Donnell opposed)

NATHAN H. SMITH (MAYOR)(3) WILLIAM R. GORHAM (1) KAREN A. GERAGHTY (2) CHERYL A. LEEMAN (4) JAMES I. COHEN (5)

CITY OF PORTLAND

IN THE CITY COUNCIL

PETER E. O'DONNELL (A/L)
JAMES F. CLOUTIER(A/L)
JILL C. DUSON (A/L)
NICHOLAS M. MAVODONES (A/L)

amended

ORDER AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO CITY CODE SEC. 14-49 (ZONING MAP AMENDMENT) RE: CONDITIONAL REZONING FOR 802-828 OCEAN AVENUE

ORDERED, that the Zoning Map of the City of Portland, dated December 2000 as amended and on file in the Department of Planning & Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Sec. 14-49 of the Portland City Code, is hereby amended to reflect a conditional rezoning as detailed below;

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the conditional rezoning amendment authorized herein shall become effective thirty (30) days following this rezoning.

Ridge Development LLC wherever Graves Hill referred to

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CONDITIONAL ZONE AGREEMENT GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC

This Agreement made this ______ day of ______, 2004 by **GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY**, **LLC**, a Maine limited liability company with an office in Saco, Maine (hereinafter "GRAVES HILL").

or has an option

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, GRAVES HILL owns a parcel of land consisting of approximately 18.32 acres located at 802-828 Ocean Avenue in Portland, consisting of parcels shown on City of Portland Tax Map 411, Block A, Lot 7 and Tax Map 416, Block A, Lots 6, 7 and 21, and more particularly described in a deed recorded in Cumberland County Registry of Deeds in Book 21500, Page 269 (collectively the "Property"); and

whereas, Graves Hill proposes to construct upon a portion of the Property a maximum of 98 condominium units in two mid-rise buildings in a Planned Residential Unit Development ("PRUD") while preserving and protecting a portion of the Property as open space, by utilizing a pattern of development designed to minimize the clearing of natural vegetation, to minimize the area to be blasted, to provide a unique residential living experience with a high degree of natural site amenities, and to promote public recreational use of trails which integrate

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with a larger trail system; and

WHEREAS, GRAVES HILL has requested the rezoning of 10.167 acres of the Property from R-3 to R-5A Residential Zone and the simultaneous approval of a contract zone to implement a planned residential unit development (PRUD) for dwelling units on that portion of the property, and the rezoning of 8.155 acres of the Property from R-3 to Recreation and Open Space Zone (R-OS); and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board of the CITY OF PORTLAND (hereinafter "CITY"), pursuant to 30-A M.R.S.A. § 4352(8) and Portland City Land Use Code (the "Code") §§ 14-60 to 14-62 and 14-127, after notice and hearing and due deliberation thereon, recommended the rezoning of the Property as aforesaid, subject, however, to certain conditions; and

WHEREAS, the CITY, by and through its City Council has determined that because of the bold and innovative design which:

- promotes efficient land use and conservation of natural resources,
- protects the natural environment by locating the development so as to reduce the impact on environmentally sensitive areas,
- utilizes one of the last large undeveloped tracts of residentially-zoned land to provide housing of a type not currently available in Portland,
- reduces the impact on surrounding properties by minimizing the area to blasted, preserving natural site amenities, and providing substantial buffers, and
- enhances the recreational trail system in Portland,

it is necessary and appropriate to impose with GRAVES HILL's agreement the conditions and restrictions set forth herein, in order to insure that said rezoning is consistent with the CITY'S comprehensive land use plan; and

WHEREAS,	the City Council of the CITY	authorized the execution	of this Agreement
on,	200_, by City Council Order	No, a true copy of	which is attached
hereto as Attachment	1; and		

WHEREAS, GRAVES HILL has agreed to enter into this contract, with its concomitant terms and conditions, which shall hereinafter bind GRAVES HILL, its successors or assigns;

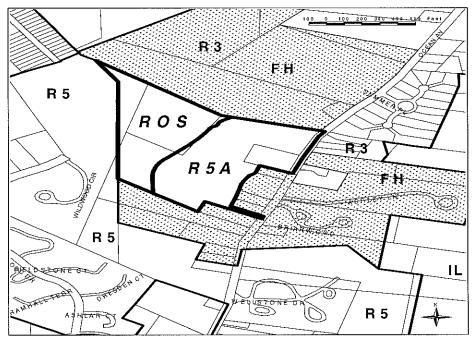
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the rezoning of the Property, GRAVES

HHLL contracts to be bound by the following terms and conditions:

1. The CITY hereby amends the Zoning Map of the City of Portland dated December 2000, as amended from time to time and on file in the Department of Planning and Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Section 14-49 of the Code, by adopting the map change amendment shown below (rezoning to R-5A and R-OS). If this Agreement is not recorded within thirty (30) days of the City Counsel's approval of said rezoning, then the rezoning shall become null and void and the zoning of the Property shall revert

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to the pre-existing R-3 zone.



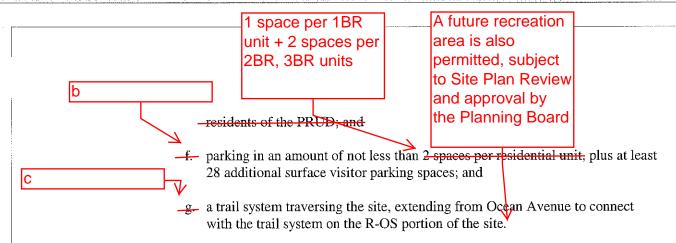
Proposed Rezoning for 802 Ocean Avenue from R3 and Flexible Housing Ovelay to R5A and ROS

Map prepared by the City of Portland's Department of Plainting & Development and the CIS Workgroup

2. **GRAVES HILL** is authorized to establish and maintain the following uses on the **R-5A** portion of the property: 94

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- a. Up to 98 residential units located in two buildings, each building containing up to 49 units, which may be sold as condominium units, resulting in a maximum total of ninety eight (98) residential units within the Property; and ninety four (94)
- a community room in each building available for use by the residents of the PRUD; and
- e. a small office in each building to be used by employees of the condominium owners' association, only for on site property management and concierge services for 802 Ocean Avenue, if determined necessary by the condominium owners' association; and
- d. a fitness and special events room in each building available for use by the residents of the PRUD; and
- e. a cross country ski center/locker room in each building available for use by the



The uses specified herein supersede the otherwise permitted uses contained within the underlying R-3 and R-5A zones.

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- 3. The use of the **R-5A** portion of the property, by virtue of this contract rezoning, shall be limited to that of a residential PRUD with the accessory uses described in paragraph 2. The Property may be developed in two phases, Phase I to consist of all necessary blasting for both buildings, one structure containing up to forty-nine (49) dwelling units plus all accessory uses associated with that structure, and the entire trail system in both the R-5A and R-OS portions of the Property (excluding only the portion of the trail accessing the building to be constructed in Phase II) and Phase II to consist of the second structure, containing up to forty-nine (49) dwelling units plus all accessory uses associated therewith and trail sections and roads serving only that structure, all as more fully set forth in the Site Plans.
- 4. Separate performance guarantees shall be issued for Phases I and II. The amounts and terms of such performance guarantees shall be determined by the Planning Authority at the time of Site Plan and Subdivision approval for each Phase, but each Phase must provide minimum financial guarantees such that each Phase constitutes a separate and complete project. Surface stabilization of any portions of the project area located in Phase II that have been affected by blasting performed during Phase I shall be shall be accomplished prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for Phase I, unless construction of Phase II has commenced. The intent of this condition is to ensure a complete site in the event Phase II is never built.
- 5. **GRAVES HILL** is authorized, and is hereby required pursuant to this Contract Zone Agreement, to establish and maintain the following use on the **R-OS** portion of the Property:

a trail system, for pedestrian, bicycle and/or other non-motorized use, together with associated benches, bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access.

future recreation

The R-OS portion of the Property not used as aforesaid shall be left in its natural state, and natural features, mature trees and natural surface drainageways, shall be preserved to the greatest possible extent consistent with the uses of the property.

6. **GRAVES HILL** shall grant to **Portland Trails**, a Maine nonprofit corporation, a recreational trail easement at least five feet in width for trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and ten feet in width for trails on the R-OS portion of the property, extending for a distance of not less than 3,207 linear feet, to allow for passive recreational use by the general public. The

easement may impose reasonable restrictions upon the trail use, including the following: Permitted uses are limited to low-impact recreational uses, including, without limitation, walking, hiking, nature viewing, photography, mountain biking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, walking dogs on leashes as long as dog owners pick up after their dogs, and educational programs. Prohibited uses include, but are not necessarily limited to, motorized vehicles (except for authorized trail construction, repair or maintenance), camping, fires, horses, removing, cutting, or otherwise altering trees, branches, and other vegetation (except for authorized trail construction, repair and maintenance, to restore native flora and fauna, or to remove invasive or dangerous flora and fauna), any filling, excavation or alteration of the surface of the earth other than for authorized trail construction, repair or maintenance purposes, any disposal of rubbish, garbage or other waste material, hunting, trapping, wildlife collecting, any loud activities which disturb others, all overnight uses, and other activities which have a high impact by degrading or destroying the natural resource values of the property or which conflict with the rights of other users for a quiet, peaceful and contemplative experience in a natural area. In no event shall any of the above prohibited uses interfere with the right to construct, repair and maintain a recreational trail and associated recreational structures. The hours of use may be strictly limited to daylight hours. The easement may authorize GRAVES HILL, its successors and assigns, Graves Hill Condominium Owners' Association, and Portland Trails to enforce those restrictions. In the alternative, instead of granting a trail easement on the R-OS portion of the Property, GRAVES HILL may opt to convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, with such conveyance made subject to use conditions and reserved rights of enforcement as aforesaid. The form of such easement and/or deeds shall be reviewed and approved by Corporation Counsel in connection with the Site Plan approval process for Phase I. If a conveyance, by easement or in fee, is to be made to Portland Trails, the certificate of occupancy for the residential units shall not be delayed due to the status of completion of the trail system on the R-OS portion of the site so long as **GRAVES HILL** has made the required conveyance, by easement and/or in fee, to Portland Trails and funds sufficient to complete construction the trails on the R-OS portion of the site have been placed in escrow. If, for any reason, Portland Trails declines to accept said trail easements and/or conveyances upon the terms offered, GRAVES HILL may satisfy this contract zone requirement by constructing the trails pursuant to the approved site plan and granting trail easements to the City of Portland, upon the same terms and conditions stated above, granting the City of Portland (rather than Portland Trails) the right to enforce the restrictions, with the form of the easement subject to review and approval by Corporation Counsel. Sebago Technics, Date TBD

Archetype PA, date TBD

7. The Property will be developed substantially in accordance with the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification and Phasing Identification submitted by Richardson and Associates (last revised August 16, 2004) and the Proposed Building Design site sections, building sections and floor plans submitted by Scott Simons Architects (last revised July 8, 2004) and the preliminary elevation from Mackworth Island (undated, submitted August 17, 2004), attached hereto. The Graves Hill entrance on Ocean Avenue shall be at the location shown on said Site Plan and the City hereby grants such waivers as may be necessary to permit the entrance in that proximity to adjacent driveways; provided, however, that at the request of GRAVES HILL, with the approval of the Planning Board, the location of the entrance may be moved up to 20 feet southerly of the location shown on the attached site plan without any further amendment to this

Contract Zone Agreement. So long as the two residential structures include an approved fire sprinkler system, the required fire access shall be satisfied by the provision of one access road, as shown on the site plan. **GRAVES HILL** shall provide sidewalk and granite curb along the property's frontage on Ocean Avenue and also as along the frontage of the four intervening residential parcels, or, at the option of the Planning Board, **GRAVES HILL** shall instead contribute funds equal to the cost of installing sidewalk and granite curbs as aforesaid to the **CITY** for the **CITY** to apply toward installing granite curbs and sidewalk in the vicinity of the **PROPERTY**.

GRAVES HILL shall provide a planted buffer as shown on the site plan in the vicinity of the rear lot lines of the abutters whose lots front on Ocean Avenue, with precise specifications subject to final site plan review. Such planted buffer, in addition to the areas on the site plan designated as "preserve existing trees" and "no cut area" shall remain in perpetuity and shall not be eliminated by GRAVES HILL or its successors, provided that, to the extent applicable, the planted buffer may be maintained according to standards contained within the National Arborist Association, Inc. Standards for Tree Care Operations. Furthermore, while GRAVES HILL shall provide at least 3,207 linear feet of pedestrian trails in the general configuration shown on the plans, it is stipulated that the pedestrian trails shown on the attached plans are for diagrammatic purposes only, and actual proposed trail locations will be submitted to and reviewed by the Planning Board as part of the site plan process.

- 8. The Planning Board shall review and approve Phase I and Phase II of this development according to the subdivision and site plan provisions of the Portland Land Use Code.
- 9. Any change in ownership shall be brought to the Planning Board for its review and approval, but this requirement shall not apply to the granting of mortgages by **GRAVES HILL** or any successor in interest, or to the enforcement by the mortgages of their rights under such mortgages, or to the assignment or conveyance of the ownership to an entity in which **GRAVES HILL** and/or Diane Doyle holds at least a 30% interest, nor shall this requirement apply to the conveyance of individual condominium units or to the granting of mortgages upon individual condominium units. Similarly, **GRAVES HILL** or any successor in interest may convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee simple and/or may grant trail easements and conservation easements to Portland Trails and/or to the City of Portland as provided above without any further review of the change in ownership by the Planning Board.
- 10. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-5A**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements for the Property shall be those of the underlying R-5A zone with respect to PRUDs except as follows:

Maximum number of units per building: 49	47
Maximum number of buildings containing residential dwelling units: 2	75

Maximum building height: —100 feet, as measured per zoning ordinance, and in accordance with the plans attached hereto and in accordance with the location on the site

plan

Parking:

Minimum of 2 spaces per unit plus 28 visitor

204 spaces

spaces, half in Phase I and half in Phase II

Minimum recreation open space area:

Outdoor passive recreation

in the form of

pedestrian trails of not less than 3,207 linear

feet shall be provided on the Property,

generally as shown on the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification. Such trails shall be composed of stone dust, asphalt or similar materials, and, if environmentally necessary or advisable, shall include bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access, together with a reasonable number of wooden benches. The non-trail portion of the Property located in the R-OS zone shall otherwise remain in its natural vegetative state. A public recreational trail easement over the trails on the Property shall be conveyed to Portland Trails or, in the alternative, to the City of Portland granting the public the right to use the trails subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. In the alternative, **CRAVES HILL** may convey an easement over the recreational trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, both subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. So long as at least the minimum passive recreational open space is provided as specified above, no additional active recreational open space is required. However, the developer may provide more than the minimum required, at its option, and subject to site plan review.

Except as set forth above, all provisions in Sections 14-126 through 14-131 of the CITY's zoning ordinance shall apply to the portion of the Property rezoned R-5A.

- 11. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-OS**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements of the R-OS zone shall apply, except as follows: despite any requirement to the contrary in § 14-158 (g), due to the linkage of the trail system to publicly-owned property which will provide public parking, no off-street parking need be provided on any portion of the Property for visitors projected to use the R-OS portion of the Property and **GRAVES HILL** need not submit any parking needs projections.
- 12. The above stated restrictions, provisions and conditions are an essential part of the rezoning, shall run with the Property, shall bind and benefit **GRAVES HILL**, its successors and assigns, and any party in possession or occupancy of said Property or any part thereof, and shall inure to the benefit and be enforceable by the **CITY**, by and through its duly authorized representatives.
- 13. If any of the restrictions, provisions, conditions, or portions thereof set forth herein is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portions shall be deemed as a separate, distinct and independent provision and such determinations shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

14. In the event **GRAVES HILL** or its successors should fail to utilize the **PROPERTY** in accordance with this Agreement, or in the event of **GRAVES HILL'S** breach of any condition(s) set forth in this Agreement which differs from the provisions of Portland's Land Use Code which would otherwise be applicable to property situated in the R-5A or ROS zone, the **CITY** may prosecute such violations in accordance with 30-A M.R.S.A. §4452, M.R.Civ.P. 80K, or in any other manner available by law.

In addition, if such an enforcement action should result in a finding that **GRAVES HILL** has breached the Agreement, then either the Portland Planning Board on its own initiative, or at the request of the Planning Authority, may make a recommendation to the City Council that the Conditional Rezoning be modified or the **PROPERTY** rezoned.

15. **GRAVES HHLL** shall file a counterpart original of this Agreement in the Cumberland County Registry of Deeds.

16. Except as expressly modified herein, the development, use and occupancy of the Property shall be governed by and comply with the applicable provisions of the Portland City Code and any applicable amendments thereto or replacements thereof.

Then personally appeared the above-named Diane Doyle, Manager of GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC as aforesaid, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be her

free act and deed in her said capacity and the free act and deed of said limited liability company.

Before me,

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November 12, 2004

HAND DELIVERED

Penny Littel, Esq. City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

Re: Conditional Zone Agreement, Graves Hill Land Company, LLC

Dear Penny:

Enclosed is a copy of the Conditional Zone Agreement which was executed by Graves Hill Land Company, LLC on November 8, 2004, together with the Council Order (Attachment 1) and reduced, black/white copies of Exhibits 1-4 which were attached to the Agreement when it was submitted to the City Council for public hearing on October 18, 2004. The original Conditional Zone Agreement (including Attachment and Exhibits) was recorded on November 10, 2004 at 2:02 p.m. in Cumberland County Registry of Deeds Book 21999, Page 113.

As agreed, also enclosed for your records are the full size, 11" x 17" and/or color pages which were submitted to the Council as Exhibits 1-4.

Please contact me if anything further is required at this time. Thank you for your assistance throughout this phase of the process.

Very truly yours,

Barbara A. Vestal

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BAV/om Enclosures

dc: Diane Doyle, Graves Hill Land Company, LLC

Official Receipt for Recording in:

Cumberland County Registry Of Deeds 142 Federal Street PORTLAND, MAINE 04101

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Thank You JOHN B OBRIEN - Register of Deeds

By - Monica Bouchie

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CONDITIONAL ZONE AGREEMENT GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC

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This Agreement made this ______ day of November, 2004 by GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC, a Maine limited liability company with an office in Saco, Maine (hereinafter "GRAVES HILL").

WITNESSETH:

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WHEREAS, GRAVES HILL proposes to construct upon a portion of the Property a maximum of 98 condominium units in two mid-rise buildings in a Planned Residential Unit Development ("PRUD") while preserving and protecting a portion of the Property as open space, by utilizing a pattern of development designed to minimize the clearing of natural vegetation, to minimize the area to be blasted, to provide a unique residential living experience with a high degree of natural site amenities, and to promote public recreational use of trails which integrate with a larger trail system; and

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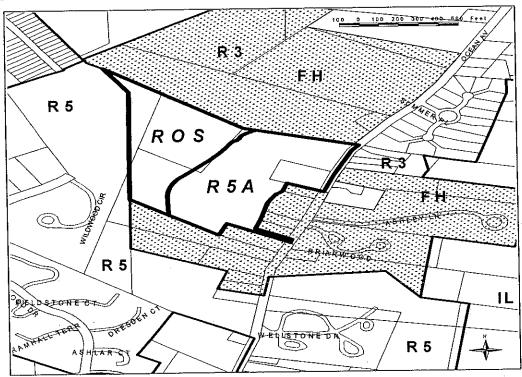
it is necessary and appropriate to impose with **GRAVES HILL's** agreement the conditions and restrictions set forth herein, in order to insure that said rezoning is consistent with the **CITY'S** comprehensive land use plan; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the CITY authorized the execution of this Agreement on October 18, 2004, by City Council Order No.67 – 04/05, a true copy of which is attached hereto as Attachment 1; and

WHEREAS, GRAVES HILL has agreed to enter into this contract, with its concomitant terms and conditions, which shall hereinafter bind GRAVES HILL, its successors or assigns;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the rezoning of the Property, GRAVES HILL contracts to be bound by the following terms and conditions:

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Map prepared by the City of Portland's Department of Planning & Development and the GIS Workgroup

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The uses specified herein supersede the otherwise permitted uses contained within the underlying R-3 and R-5A zones.

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blasting performed during Phase I shall be shall be accomplished prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for Phase I, unless construction of Phase II has commenced. The intent of this condition is to ensure a complete site in the event Phase II is never built.

5. **GRAVES HILL** is authorized, and is hereby required pursuant to this Contract Zone Agreement, to establish and maintain the following use on the **R-OS** portion of the Property:

a trail system, for pedestrian, bicycle and/or other non-motorized use, together with associated benches, bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access.

The R-OS portion of the Property not used as aforesaid shall be left in its natural state, and natural features, mature trees and natural surface drainageways, shall be preserved to the greatest possible extent consistent with the uses of the property.

6. GRAVES HILL shall grant to Portland Trails, a Maine nonprofit corporation, a recreational trail easement at least five feet in width for trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and ten feet in width for trails on the R-OS portion of the property, extending for a distance of not less than 3,207 linear feet, to allow for passive recreational use by the general public. The easement may impose reasonable restrictions upon the trail use, including the following: Permitted uses are limited to low-impact recreational uses, including, without limitation, walking, hiking, nature viewing, photography, mountain biking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, walking dogs on leashes as long as dog owners pick up after their dogs, and educational programs. Prohibited uses include, but are not necessarily limited to, motorized vehicles (except for authorized trail construction, repair or maintenance), camping, fires, horses, removing, cutting, or otherwise altering trees, branches, and other vegetation (except for authorized trail construction, repair and maintenance, to restore native flora and fauna, or to remove invasive or dangerous flora and fauna), any filling, excavation or alteration of the surface of the earth other than for authorized trail construction, repair or maintenance purposes, any disposal of rubbish, garbage or other waste material, hunting, trapping, wildlife collecting, any loud activities which disturb others, all overnight uses, and other activities which have a high impact by degrading or destroying the natural resource values of the property or which conflict with the rights of other users for a quiet, peaceful and contemplative experience in a natural area. In no event shall any of the above prohibited uses interfere with the right to construct, repair and maintain a recreational trail and associated recreational structures. The hours of use may be strictly limited to daylight hours. The easement may authorize GRAVES HILL, its successors and assigns, Graves Hill Condominium Owners' Association, and Portland Trails to enforce those restrictions. In the alternative, instead of granting a trail easement on the R-OS portion of the Property, GRAVES HILL may opt to convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, with such conveyance made subject to use conditions and reserved rights of enforcement as aforesaid. The form of such easement and/or deeds shall be reviewed and approved by Corporation Counsel in connection with the Site Plan approval process for Phase I. If a conveyance, by easement or in fee, is to be made to Portland Trails, the certificate of occupancy for the residential units shall not be delayed due to the status of completion of the trail system on the R-OS portion of the site so long as GRAVES HILL has made the required conveyance, by easement and/or in fee, to Portland Trails and funds sufficient to complete construction the trails on the R-OS portion of the site

have been placed in escrow. If, for any reason, Portland Trails declines to accept said trail easements and/or conveyances upon the terms offered, **GRAVES HILL** may satisfy this contract zone requirement by constructing the trails pursuant to the approved site plan and granting trail easements to the City of Portland, upon the same terms and conditions stated above, granting the City of Portland (rather than Portland Trails) the right to enforce the restrictions, with the form of the easement subject to review and approval by Corporation Counsel.

7. The Property will be developed substantially in accordance with the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification and Phasing Identification submitted by Richardson and Associates (last revised August 16, 2004) and the Proposed Building Design site sections, building sections and floor plans submitted by Scott Simons Architects (last revised July 8, 2004) and the preliminary elevation from Mackworth Island (undated, submitted August 17, 2004), attached hereto. The Graves Hill entrance on Ocean Avenue shall be at the location shown on said Site Plan and the City hereby grants such waivers as may be necessary to permit the entrance in that proximity to adjacent driveways; provided, however, that at the request of GRAVES HILL, with the approval of the Planning Board, the location of the entrance may be moved up to 20 feet southerly of the location shown on the attached site plan without any further amendment to this Contract Zone Agreement. So long as the two residential structures include an approved fire sprinkler system, the required fire access shall be satisfied by the provision of one access road, as shown on the site plan. GRAVES HILL shall provide sidewalk and granite curb along the property's frontage on Ocean Avenue and also as along the frontage of the four intervening residential parcels, or, at the option of the Planning Board, GRAVES HILL shall instead contribute funds equal to the cost of installing sidewalk and granite curbs as aforesaid to the CITY for the CITY to apply toward installing granite curbs and sidewalk in the vicinity of the PROPERTY.

GRAVES HILL shall provide a planted buffer as shown on the site plan in the vicinity of the rear lot lines of the abutters whose lots front on Ocean Avenue, with precise specifications subject to final site plan review. Such planted buffer, in addition to the areas on the site plan designated as "preserve existing trees" and "no cut area" shall remain in perpetuity and shall not be eliminated by GRAVES HILL or its successors, provided that, to the extent applicable, the planted buffer may be maintained according to standards contained within the National Arborist Association, Inc. Standards for Tree Care Operations. Furthermore, while GRAVES HILL shall provide at least 3,207 linear feet of pedestrian trails in the general configuration shown on the plans, it is stipulated that the pedestrian trails shown on the attached plans are for diagrammatic purposes only, and actual proposed trail locations will be submitted to and reviewed by the Planning Board as part of the site plan process.

- 8. The Planning Board shall review and approve Phase I and Phase II of this development according to the subdivision and site plan provisions of the Portland Land Use Code.
- 9. Any change in ownership shall be brought to the Planning Board for its review and approval, but this requirement shall not apply to the granting of mortgages by **GRAVES HILL** or any successor in interest, or to the enforcement by the mortgagees of their rights under such mortgages, or to the assignment or conveyance of the ownership to an entity in which GRAVES HILL and/or Diane Doyle holds at least a 30% interest, nor shall this requirement apply to the conveyance of individual condominium units or to the granting of mortgages upon individual

condominium units. Similarly, **GRAVES HILL** or any successor in interest may convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee simple and/or may grant trail easements and conservation easements to Portland Trails and/or to the City of Portland as provided above without any further review of the change in ownership by the Planning Board.

10. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-5A**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements for the Property shall be those of the underlying R-5A zone with respect to PRUDs except as follows:

Maximum number of units per building: 49

Maximum number of buildings containing residential dwelling units:

Maximum building height: 100 feet, as measured per zoning ordinance, and in accordance with the plans attached hereto and in accordance with the location of the site plan

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Parking: Minimum of 2 spaces per unit plus 28 visitor spaces, half in Phase I and half in Phase II

Outdoor passive recreation in the form of Minimum recreation open space area: pedestrian trails of not less than 3,207 linear feet shall be provided on the Property, generally as shown on the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification. Such trails shall be composed of stone dust, asphalt or similar materials, and, if environmentally necessary or advisable, shall include bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access, together with a reasonable number of wooden benches. The non-trail portion of the Property located in the R-OS zone shall otherwise remain in its natural vegetative state. An public recreational trail easement over the trails on the Property shall be conveyed to Portland Trails or, in the alternative, to the City of Portland granting the public the right to use the trails subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. In the alternative, GRAVES HILL may convey an easement over the recreational trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, both subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. So long as at least the minimum passive recreational open space is provided as specified above, no additional active recreational open space is required. However, the developer may provide more than the minimum required, at its option, and subject to site plan review.

Except as set forth above, all provisions in Sections 14-126 through 14-131 of the CITY's zoning ordinance shall apply to the portion of the Property rezoned R-5A.

11. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-OS**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements of the R-OS zone shall apply, except as follows: despite any requirement to the contrary in § 14-158 (g), due to the linkage of the trail system to publicly-owned property which will provide public parking, no off-street parking need be provided on any por-

tion of the Property for visitors projected to use the R-OS portion of the Property and GRAVES HILL need not submit any parking needs projections.

- 12. The above stated restrictions, provisions and conditions are an essential part of the rezoning, shall run with the Property, shall bind and benefit **GRAVES HILL**, its successors and assigns, and any party in possession or occupancy of said Property or any part thereof, and shall inure to the benefit and be enforceable by the **CITY**, by and through its duly authorized representatives.
- 13. If any of the restrictions, provisions, conditions, or portions thereof set forth herein is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portions shall be deemed as a separate, distinct and independent provision and such determinations shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.
- 14. In the event **GRAVES HILL** or its successors should fail to utilize the **PROPERTY** in accordance with this Agreement, or in the event of **GRAVES HILL'S** breach of any condition(s) set forth in this Agreement which differs from the provisions of Portland's Land Use Code which would otherwise be applicable to property situated in the R-5A or ROS zone, the **CITY** may prosecute such violations in accordance with 30-A M.R.S.A. §4452, M.R.Civ.P. 80K, or in any other manner available by law.

In addition, if such an enforcement action should result in a finding that **GRAVES HILL** has breached the Agreement, then either the Portland Planning Board on its own initiative, or at the request of the Planning Authority, may make a recommendation to the City Council that the Conditional Rezoning be modified or the **PROPERTY** rezoned.

- 15. **GRAVES HILL** shall file a counterpart original of this Agreement in the Cumberland County Registry of Deeds.
- 16. Except as expressly modified herein, the development, use and occupancy of the Property shall be governed by and comply with the applicable provisions of the Portland City Code and any applicable amendments thereto or replacements thereof.

WITNESS:

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By:

GRAVES HILL DAND COMPANY, LLC

Diane Doyle
Its Manager

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Then personally appeared the above-named Diane Doyle, Manager of GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC as aforesaid, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be her free act and deed in her said capacity and the free act and deed of said limited liability company.

Before me,

Barbara A. VC3 (2)

My Commission Expires:

ATTACHMENT 1

Order 67 – 04/05 Given first reading 9/20/04 Postponed on 10/4/04

Public Hearing and Passage 10/18/04 7-1 (Smith abstaining, O'Donnell opposed)

NATHAN H. SMITH (MAYOR)(3) WILLIAM R. GORHAM (1) KAREN A. GERAGHTY (2) CHERYL A. LEEMAN (4) JAMES I. COHEN (5)

CITY OF PORTLAND

IN THE CITY COUNCIL

PETER E. O'DONNELL (A/L)
JAMES F. CLOUTIER(A/L)
JILL C. DUSON (A/L)
NICHOLAS M. MAVODONES (A/L)

ORDER AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO CITY CODE SEC. 14-49 (ZONING MAP AMENDMENT) RE: CONDITIONAL REZONING FOR 802-828 OCEAN AVENUE

ORDERED, that the Zoning Map of the City of Portland, dated December 2000 as amended and on file in the Department of Planning & Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Sec. 14-49 of the Portland City Code, is hereby amended to reflect a conditional rezoning as detailed below;

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the conditional rezoning amendment authorized herein shall become effective thirty (30) days following this rezoning.

CONDITIONAL ZONE AGREEMENT GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC

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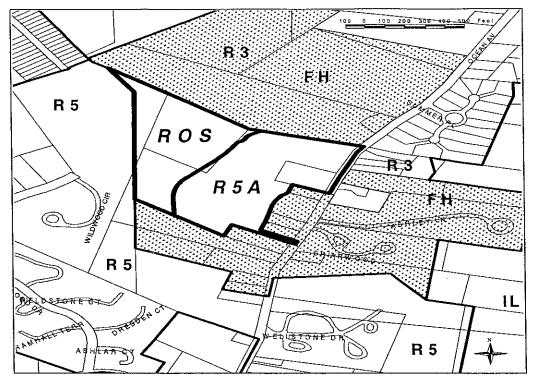
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equal to the cost of installing sidewalk and granite curbs as aforesaid to the CITY for the CITY to apply toward installing granite curbs and sidewalk in the vicinity of the **PROPERTY**.

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Maximum number of units per building: 49

Maximum number of buildings containing residential dwelling units: 2

Maximum building height: 100 feet, as measured per zoning ordinance, and in accordance with the plans attached hereto and in accordance with the location on the site plan

Parking:

Minimum of 2 spaces per unit plus 28 visitor

spaces, half in Phase I and half in Phase II

Minimum recreation open space area:

Outdoor passive recreation in the form of

pedestrian trails of not less than 3,207 linear feet shall be provided on the Property, generally as shown on the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification. Such trails shall be composed of stone dust, asphalt or similar materials, and, if environmentally necessary or advisable, shall include bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access, together with a reasonable number of wooden benches. The non-trail portion of the Property located in the R-OS zone shall otherwise remain in its natural vegetative state. A public recreational trail easement over the trails on the Property shall be conveyed to **Portland Trails** or, in the alternative, to the **City of Portland** granting the public the right to use the trails subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. In the alternative, **GRAVES HILL** may convey an easement over the recreational trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and convey the R-OS portion of the Property to **Portland Trails** in fee, both subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. So long as at least the minimum passive recreational open space is provided as specified above, no additional active recreational open space is required. However, the developer may provide more than the minimum required, at its option, and subject to site plan review.

Except as set forth above, all provisions in Sections 14-126 through 14-131 of the CITY's zoning ordinance shall apply to the portion of the Property rezoned R-5A.

- 11. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-OS**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements of the R-OS zone shall apply, except as follows: despite any requirement to the contrary in § 14-158 (g), due to the linkage of the trail system to publicly-owned property which will provide public parking, no off-street parking need be provided on any portion of the Property for visitors projected to use the R-OS portion of the Property and **GRAVES HILL** need not submit any parking needs projections.
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- 13. If any of the restrictions, provisions, conditions, or portions thereof set forth herein is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portions shall be deemed as a separate, distinct and independent provision and such determinations shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.
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In addition, if such an enforcement action should result in a finding that **GRAVES HILL** has breached the Agreement, then either the Portland Planning Board on its own initiative, or at the

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- 15. **GRAVES HILL** shall file a counterpart original of this Agreement in the Cumberland County Registry of Deeds.
- 16. Except as expressly modified herein, the development, use and occupancy of the Property shall be governed by and comply with the applicable provisions of the Portland City Code and any applicable amendments thereto or replacements thereof.

WITNESS:	GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC
	By: Diane Doyle Its Manager
STATE OF MAINE CUMBERLAND, SS.	
	e-named Diane Doyle, Manager of GRAVES HILL acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be her
free act and deed in her said capacity and th	e free act and deed of said limited liability company. Before me,
Printed name:	Notary Public/Attorney-at-Law
My Commiss	ion Expires:

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4. EXISTING AND PROPOSED CONDITIONS AND RELATIONSHIPS.
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Phase 2: 49
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Zone RSA: <u>1,170 lf</u>
Total Trail: <u>4,025 lf</u> Preliminary Site Plan: Zone Identification Developer: GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY 110 Main Street Saco, Mains tel 207.286.3151 **GRAVES HILL** Architect: Scott Simons Architects 75 York Street Portland, Maine 04101 Lei 207,772,6556 Portland, Maine Landscape Architect: Richardson & Associates PO Box 426 176 Main Street Saca, Maine 64872 (et 207, 286, 929) Civil Engineer: внам

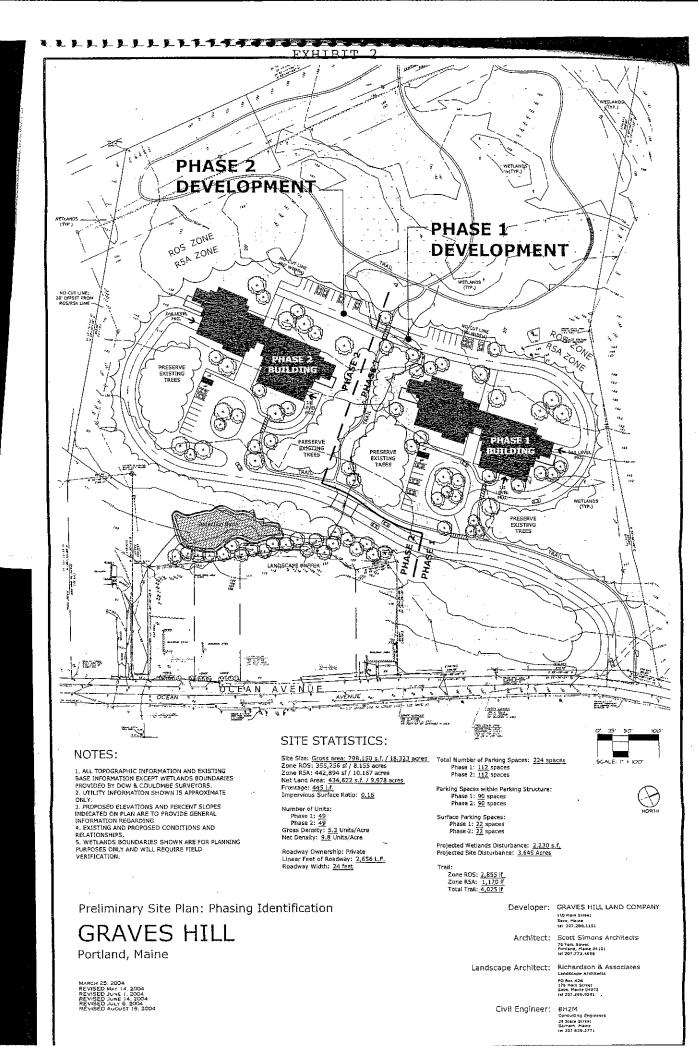
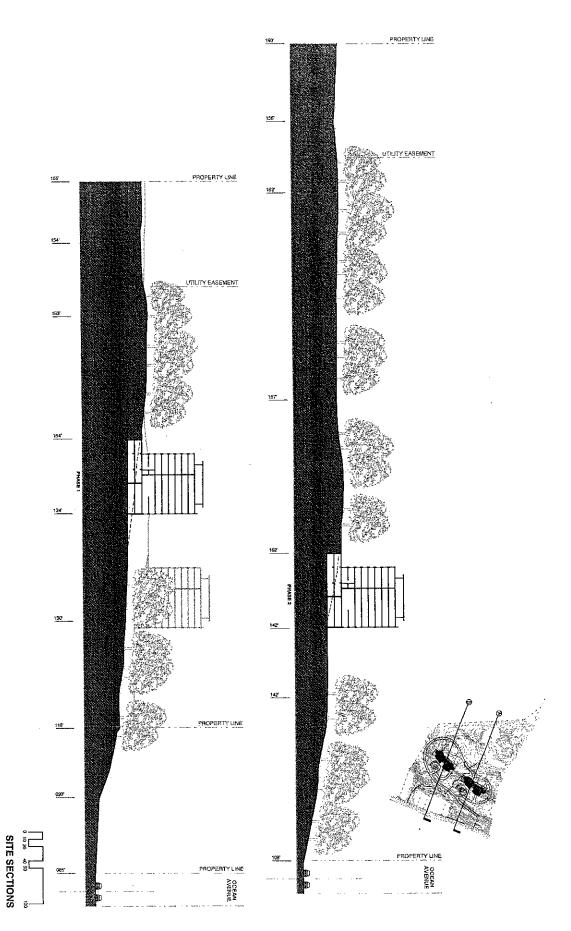
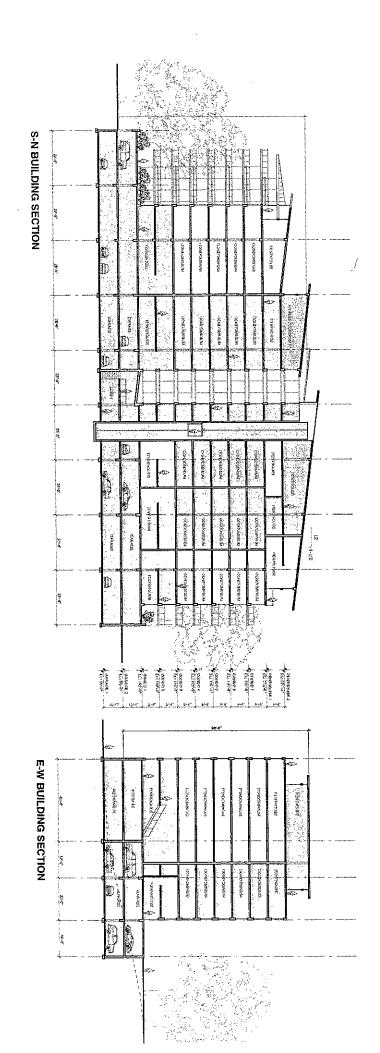


EXHIBIT 3





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BUILDING SECTIONS

Scott Simons Arch

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GRAVES HILL OCEAN AVENUE PORTLAND, ME

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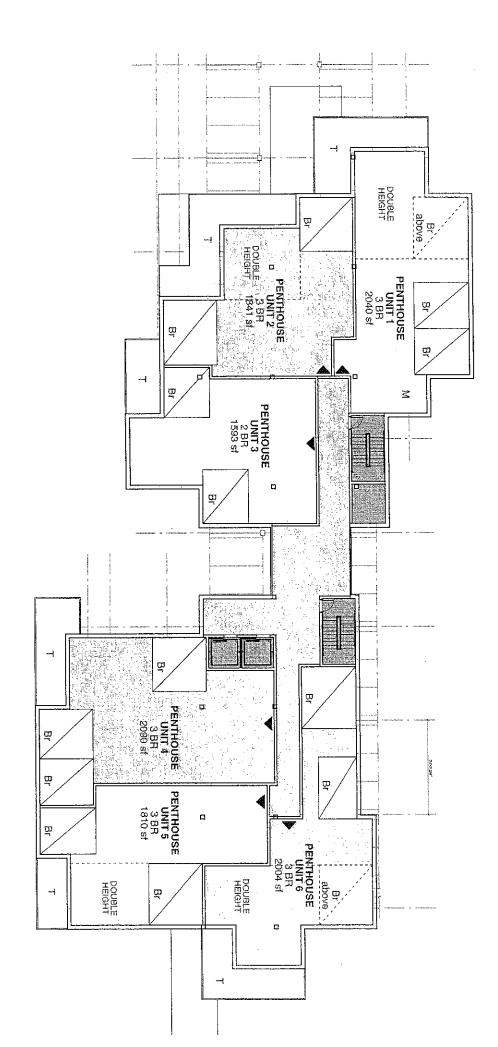
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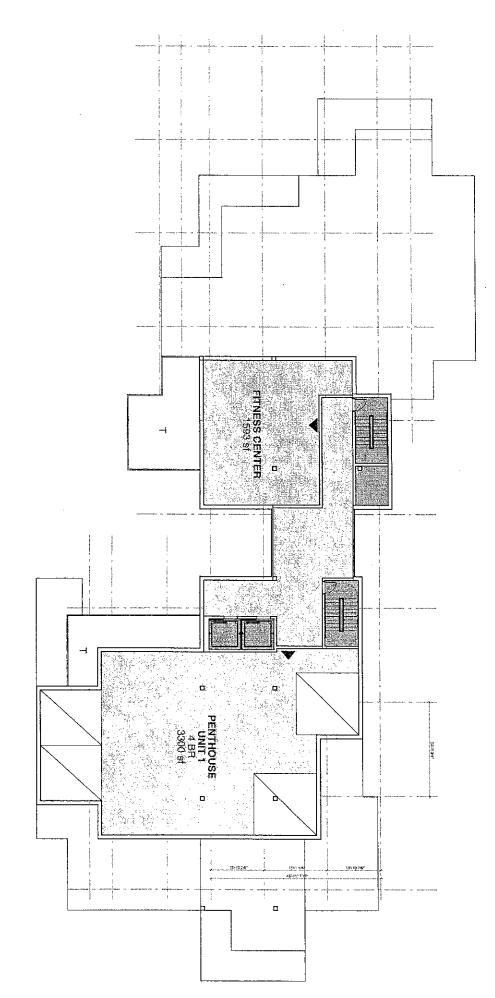
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FLOOR 10: PENTHOUSE 13,405 SF TOTAL





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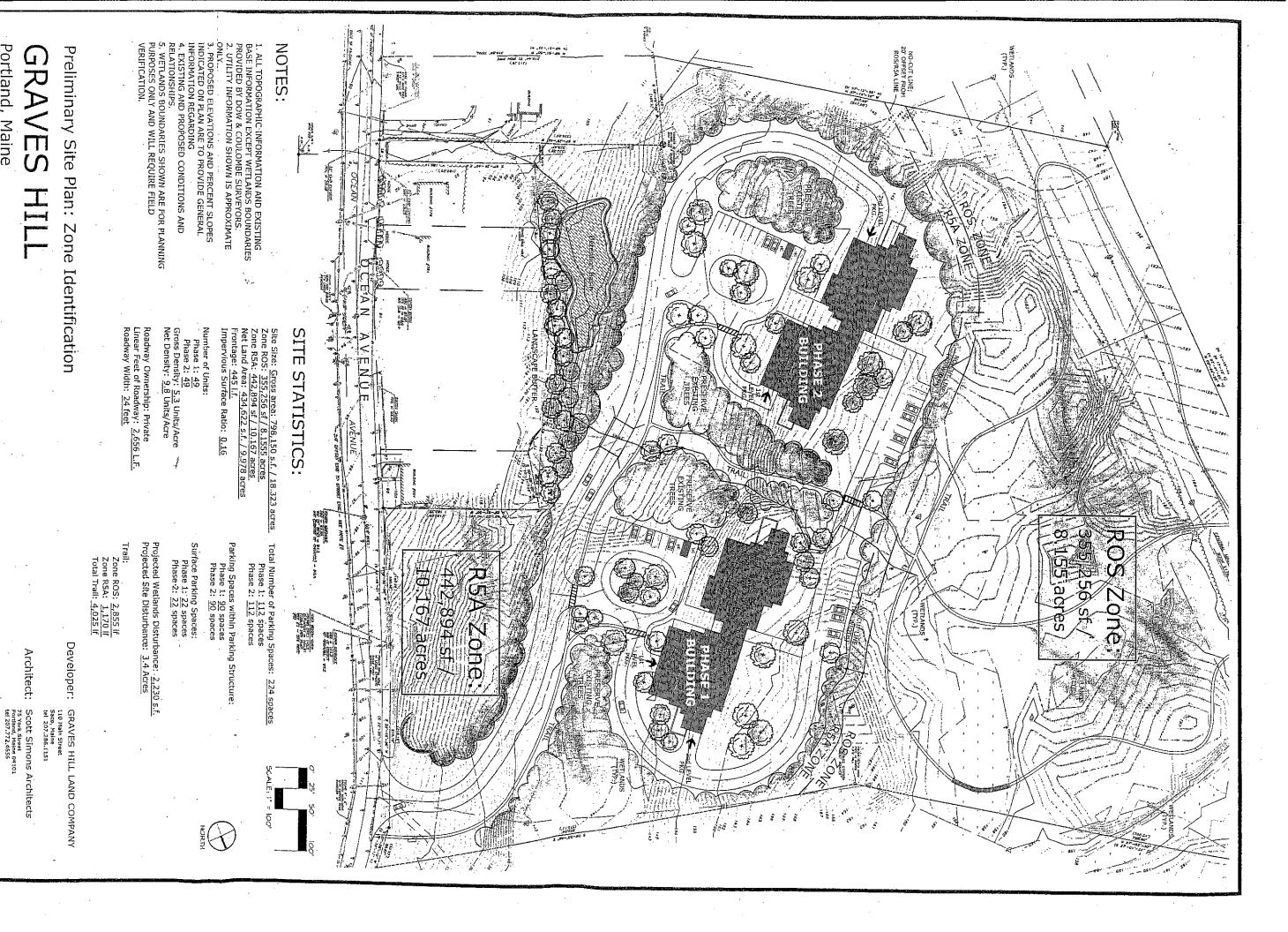
GRAVES HILL LAND COMPANY, LLC Diane Doyle 207.286.1151

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Scott Simons 207.772.4656

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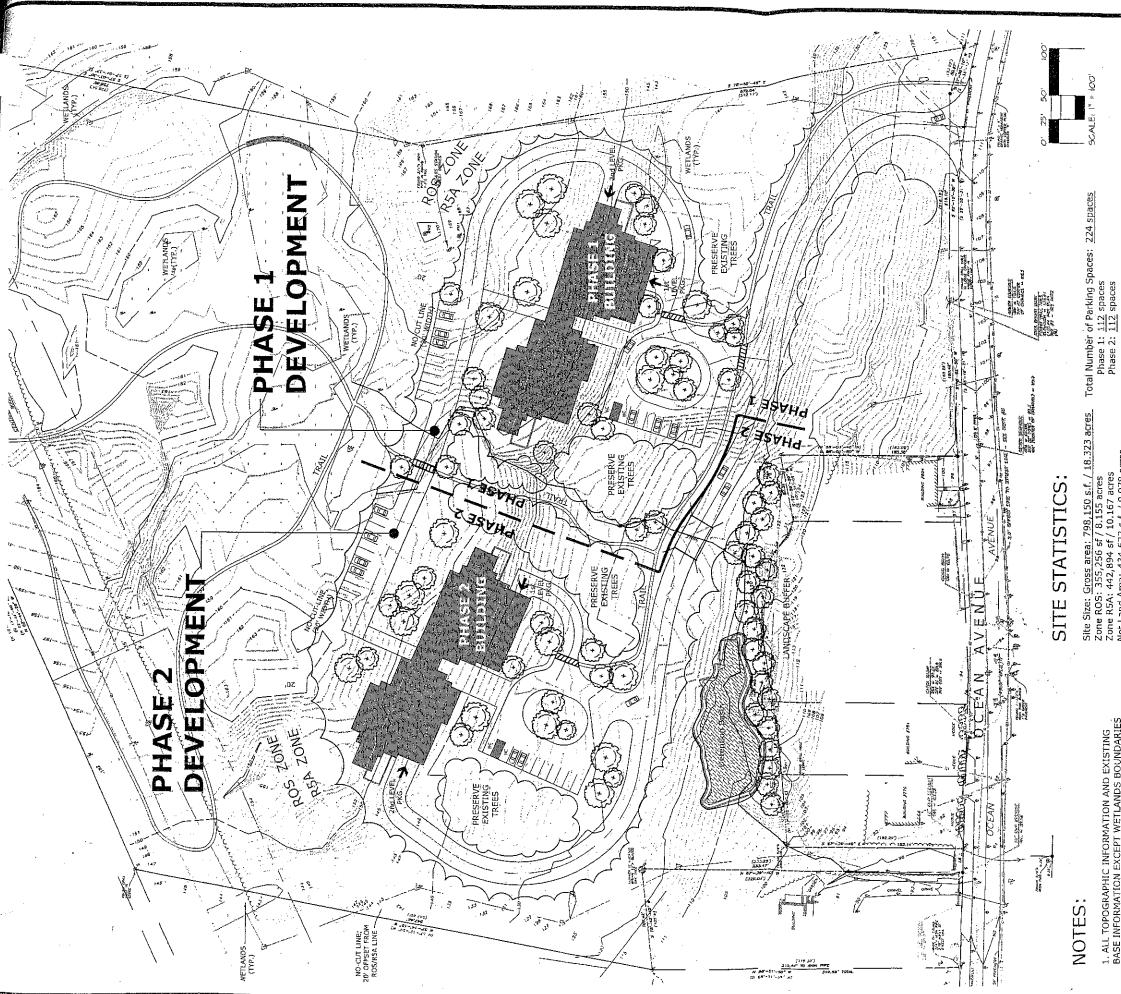


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Civil Engineer:

BH2M Consulting Engin 28 State Street Gorham, Maine tel 207.839,2771

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Site Size: <u>Gross area: 798,150 s.f. / 18.323 acres.</u>
Zone ROS: 355,256 sf / 8.155 acres.
Zone R54: 442,894 sf / 10.167 acres.
Net Land Area: <u>434,622 s.f. / 9.978 acres.</u>
Frontage: <u>445 l.f.</u>
Impervious Surface Ratio: <u>0.16</u>

Number of Units:
Phase 1: 49
Phase 2: 49
Gross Density: 5.3 Units/Acre
Net Density: 9.8 Units/Acre

Preliminary Site Plan: Phasing Identification

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Portland, Maine

Parking Spaces within Parking Phase 1: 90 spaces Phase 2: 90 spaces

Projected Wetlands Disturbance: 2,230 s.f. Projected Site Disturbance: 3,645 Acres Surface Parking Spaces: Phase 1: 22 spaces Phase 2: 22 spaces

Trail: Zone ROS: <u>2,855 if</u> Zone R54: <u>1,170 if</u> Total Trail: <u>4,025 if</u>

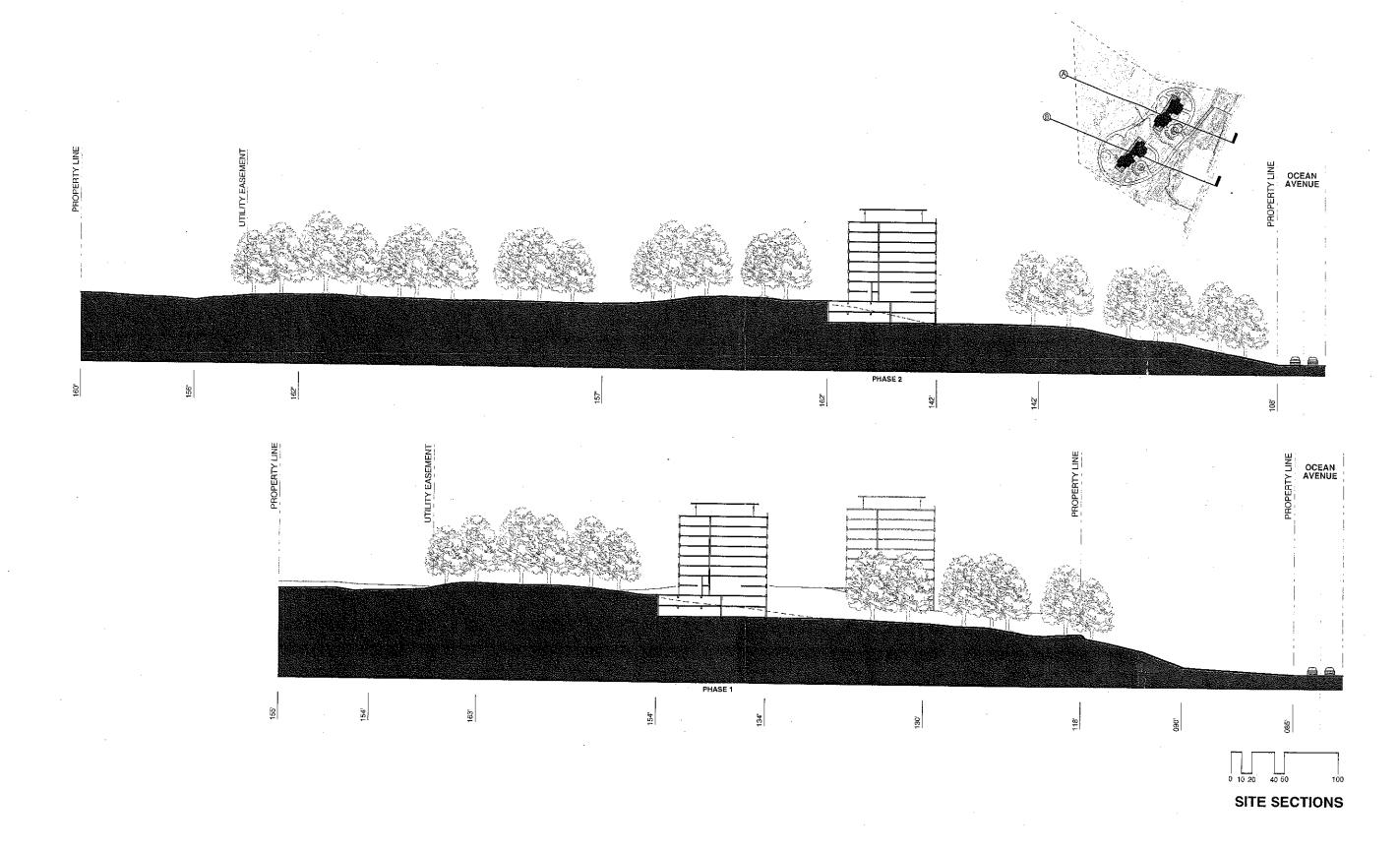
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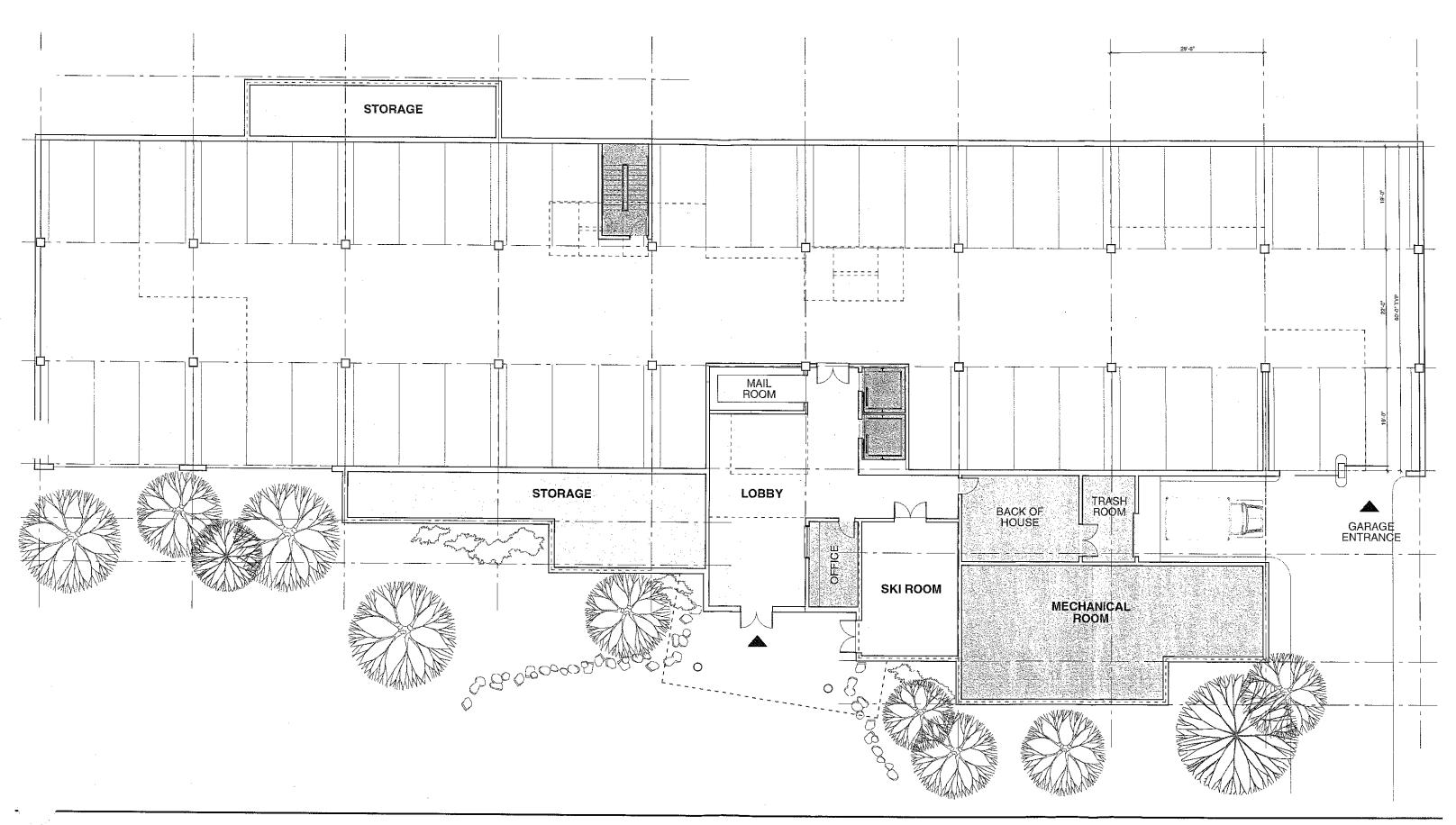
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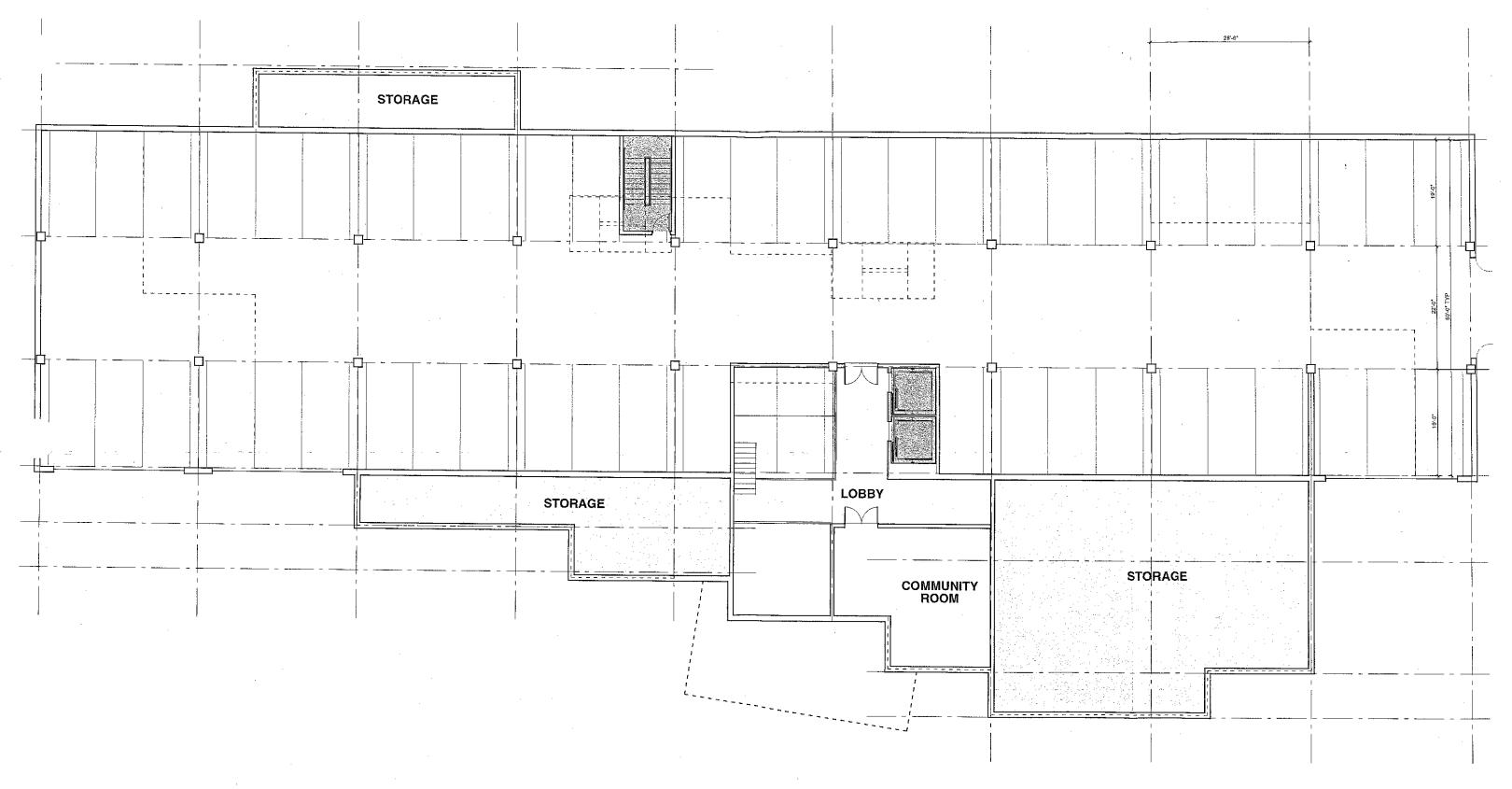






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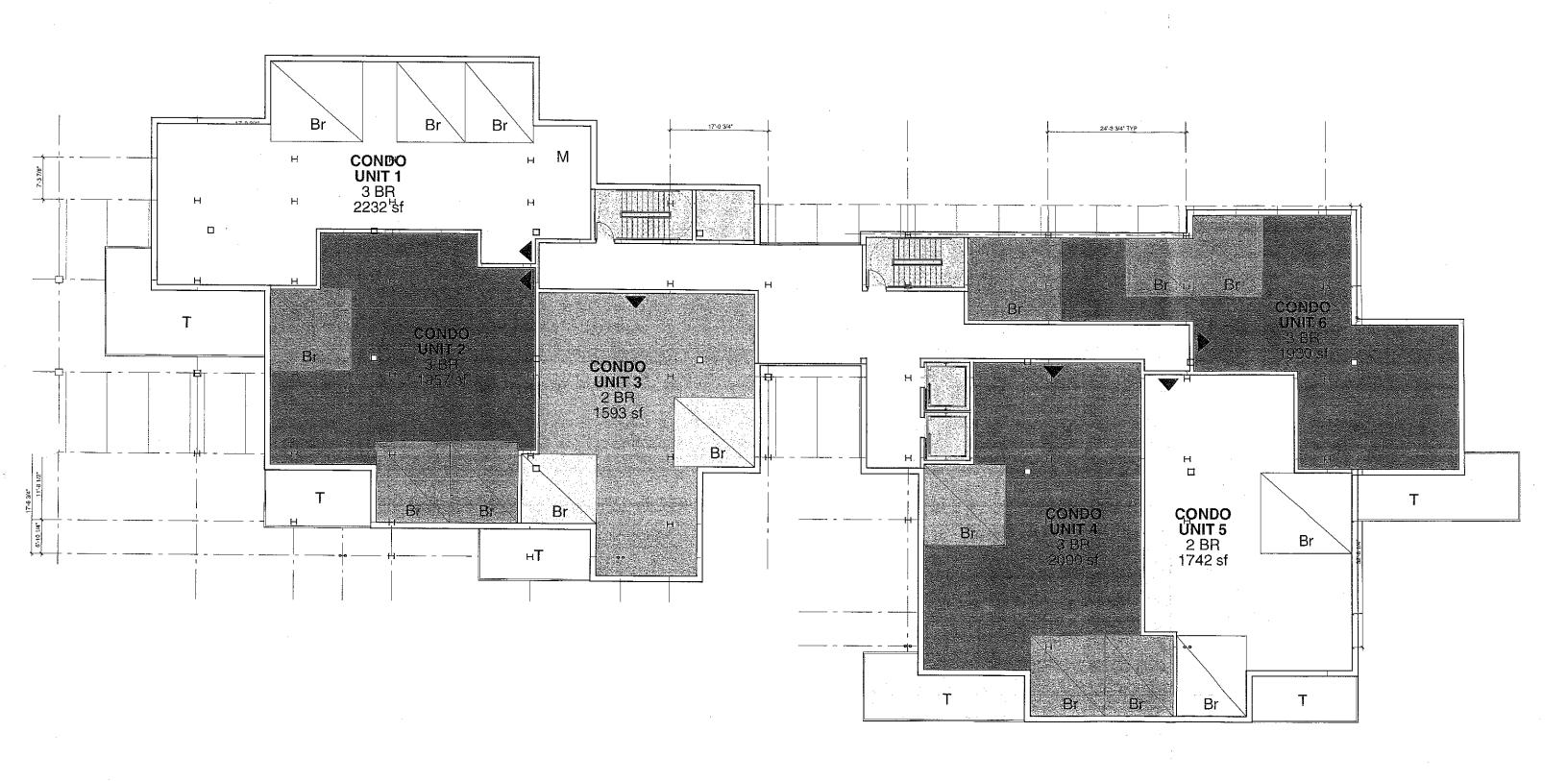




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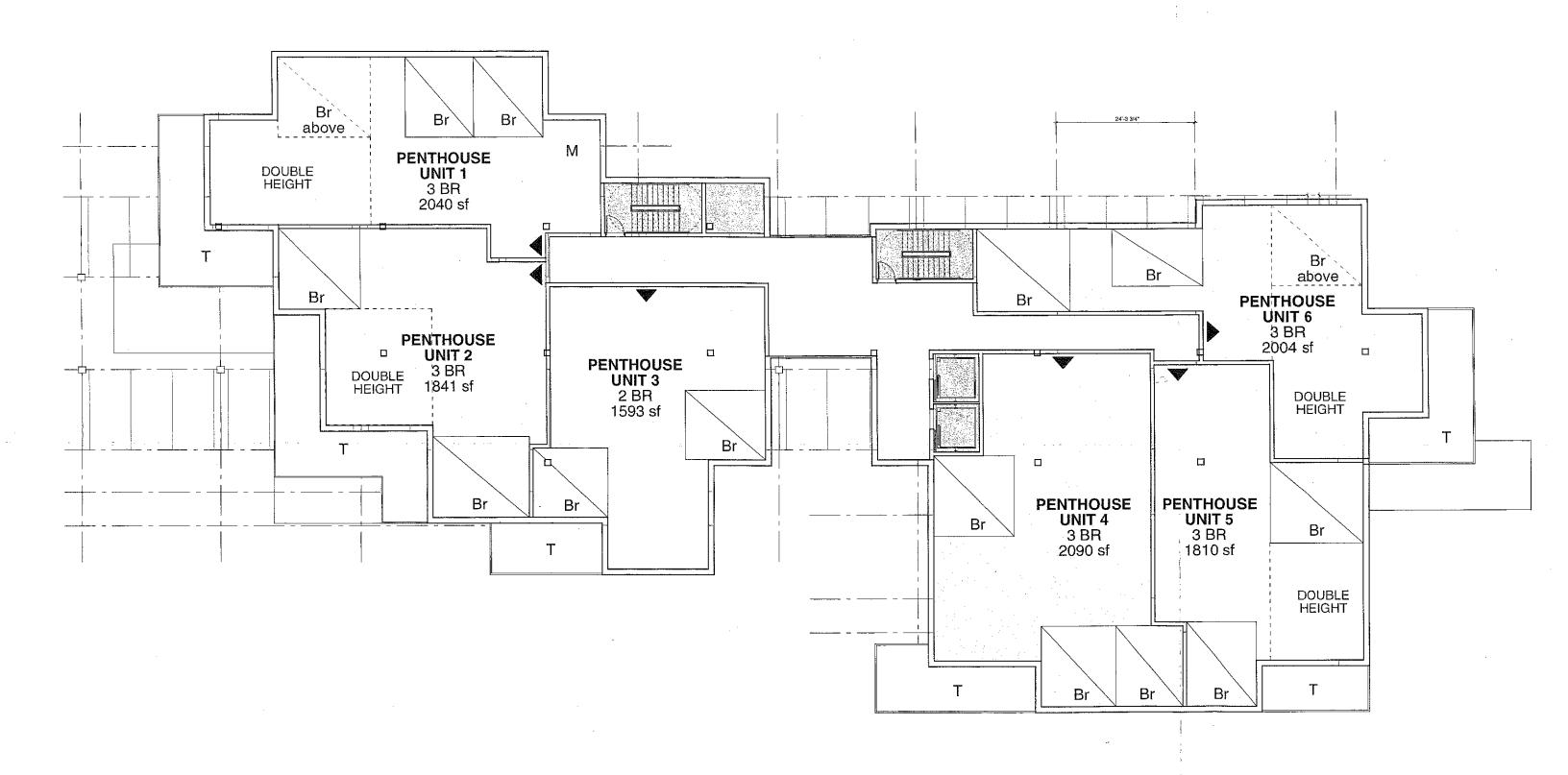




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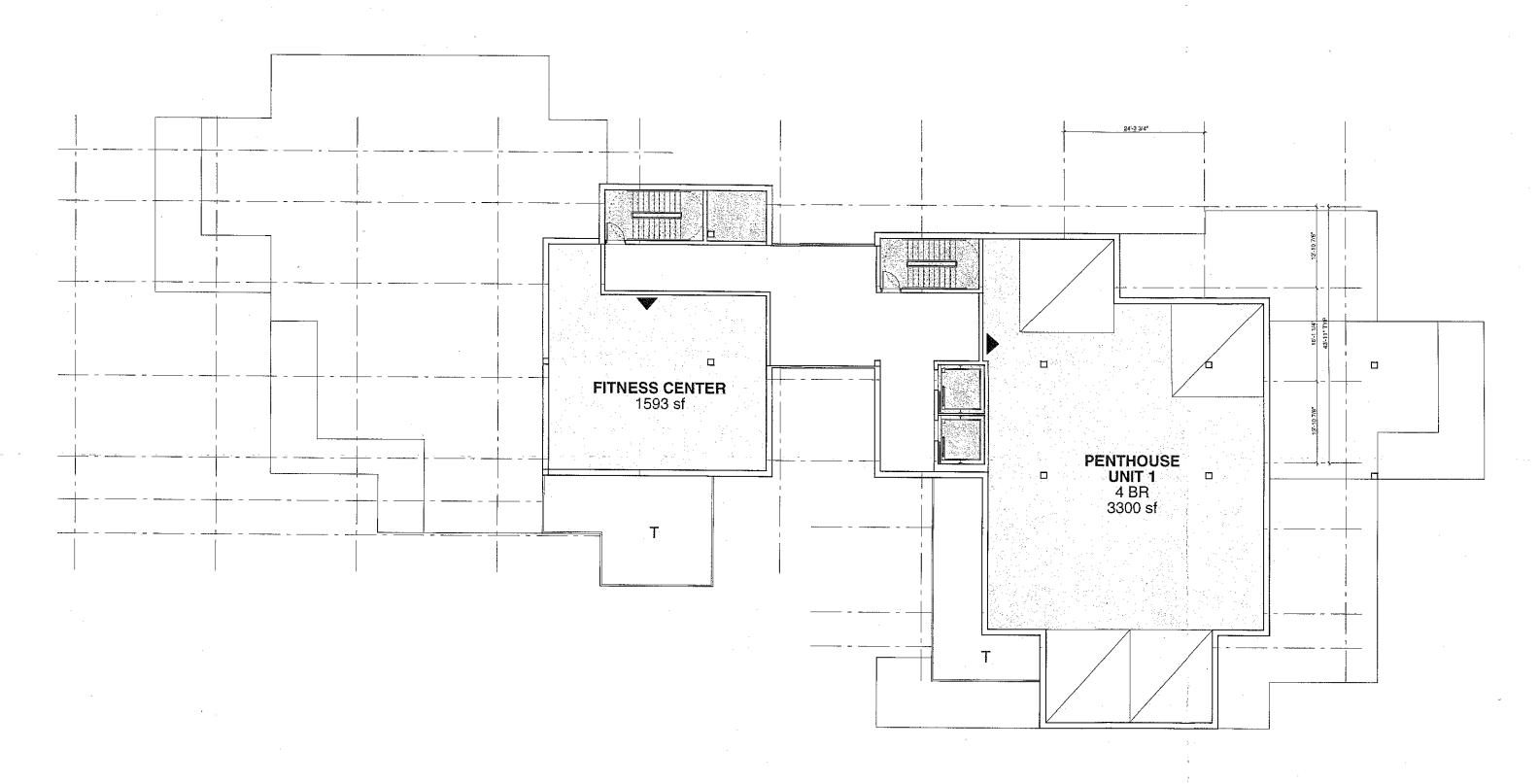


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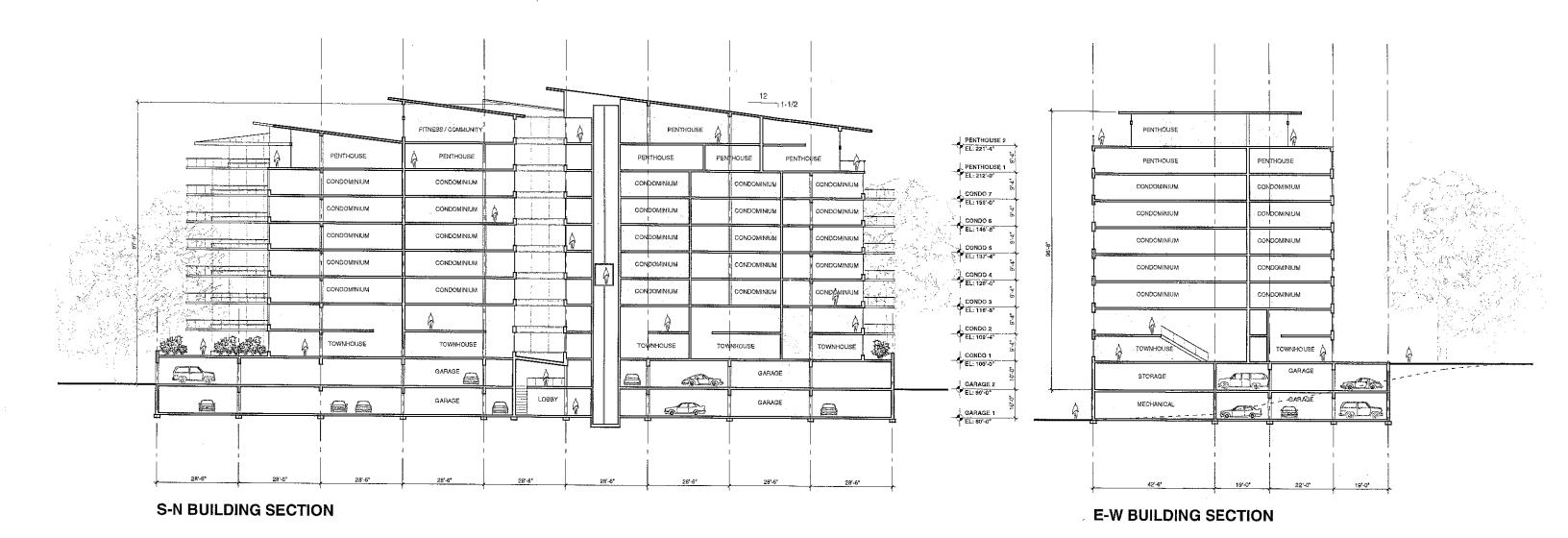


FLOOR 11: PENTHOUSE

6,653 SF TOTAL

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BUILDING SECTIONS

Michael F. Brennan Kevin J. Donoghue David A. Marshall Cheryl A. Leeman Edward J. Suslovic

CITY OF PORTLAND

IN THE CITY COUNCIL

John R. Coyne John Hinck JILL C. DUSON NICHOLAS M. MAVODONES

ORDER AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO CITY CODE SEC. 14-49 (ZONING MAP AMENDMENT)
RE: CONDITIONAL REZONING FOR 802-828 OCEAN AVENUE RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC

ORDERED, that the Zoning Map of the City of Portland, dated 2012 as amended and on file in the Department of Planning & Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Sec. 14-49 of the Portland City Code, is hereby amended to reflect a conditional rezoning as detailed below;

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the conditional rezoning amendment authorized herein shall become effective thirty (30) days following this rezoning.

CONDITIONAL ZONE AGREEMENT RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC

This Agreement made this day of , 2014 by Ridge Development, LLC, a Maine limited liability company with an office in Portland, Maine (hereinafter "RIDGE DEVELOPMENT").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT owns or has an option to buy a parcel of land consisting of approximately 18.32 acres located at 802-828 Ocean Avenue in Portland, consisting of parcels shown on City of Portland Tax Map 411, Block A, Lot 7 and Tax Map 416, Block A, Lots 6, 7 and 21, and more particularly described in a deed recorded in Cumberland County Registry of Deeds in Book 21500, Page 269 (collectively the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT proposes to construct upon a portion of the Property a maximum of 94 condominium units in two mid-rise buildings in a Planned Residential Unit Development ("PRUD") while preserving and protecting a portion of the Property as open space, by utilizing a pattern of development designed to minimize the clearing of natural vegetation, to minimize the area to be blasted, to provide a unique residential living experience with a high degree of natural site amenities, and to promote public recreational use of trails which integrate with a larger trail system; and

WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT has requested the rezoning of 10.4 acres of the Property from R-3 to R-5A Residential Zone and the simultaneous approval of a contract zone to implement a planned residential unit development (PRUD) for dwelling units on that portion of the property, and the rezoning of 7.92 acres of the Property from R-3 to Recreation and Open Space Zone (R-OS); and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board of the CITY OF PORTLAND (hereinafter "CITY"), pursuant to 30-A M.R.S.A. § 4352(8) and Portland City Land Use Code (the "Code")§§ 14-60 to 14-62 and 14-127, after notice and hearing and due deliberation thereon, recommended the rezoning of the Property as aforesaid, subject, however, to certain conditions; and

WHEREAS, the **CITY**, by and through its City Council has determined that because of the bold and innovative design which:

- promotes efficient land use and conservation of natural resources,
- protects the natural environment by locating the development so as to reduce the impact on environmentally sensitive areas,
- utilizes one of the last large undeveloped tracts of residentially-zoned land to provide housing of a type not currently available in Portland,
- reduces the impact on surrounding properties by minimizing the area to blasted, preserving natural site amenities, and providing substantial buffers, and
- enhances the recreational trail system in Portland,

it is necessary and appropriate to impose with **RIDGE DEVELOPMENTS** agreement the conditions and restrictions set forth herein, in order to insure that said rezoning is consistent with the **CITY'S** comprehensive land use plan; and

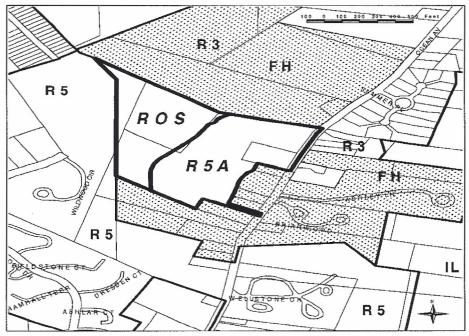
WHEREAS, the City Council of the CITY authorized the execution of this Agreement on , 2014_, by City Council Order No.____, a true copy of which is attached hereto as Attachment 1; and

WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT has agreed to enter into this contract, with its concomitant terms and conditions, which shall hereinafter bind RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, its successors or assigns;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the rezoning of the Property, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT contracts to be bound by the following terms and conditions:

1. The **CITY** hereby amends the Zoning Map of the City of Portland dated 2012, as amended from time to time and on file in the Department of Planning and Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Section 14-49 of the Code, by adopting the map change amendment shown below (rezoning *to R5-A* and R-OS). If this Agreement is not recorded within thirty (30) days of the City Council's approval of said rezoning, then the rezoning shall become null and void and the zoning of the Property shall revert

to the pre-existing R-3 zone.



Proposed Rezoning for 802 Ocean Avenue from R3 and Flexible Housing Overlay to R5A and ROS

- 2. **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** is authorized to establish and maintain the following uses on the **R-5A** portion of the property:
 - a. up to 94 residential units located in two buildings, each building containing up to 47 units, which may be sold as condominium units, resulting in a maximum total of ninety-four (94) residential units within the Property; and
 - b. parking in an amount of not less than 1 space per 1BR unit and 2 spaces per 2BR and 3BR units per residential unit, plus at least 28 additional surface visitor parking spaces; and
 - c. a trail system traversing the site, extending from Ocean Avenue to connect with the trail system on the R-OS portion of the site.

The uses specified herein supersede the otherwise permitted uses contained within the underlying R-3 and R-5A zones.

- 3. The use of the **R-5A** portion of the property, by virtue of this contract rezoning, shall be limited to that of a residential PRUD with the accessory uses described in paragraph 2. The Property may be developed in two phases, Phase I to consist of all necessary blasting for both buildings, one structure containing up to forty-seven (47) dwelling units plus all accessory uses associated with that structure, and the entire trail system in both the R-5A and R-OS portions of the Property (excluding only the portion of the trail accessing the building to be constructed in Phase II) and Phase II to consist of the second structure, containing up to forty-seven (47) dwelling units plus all accessory uses associated therewith and trail sections and roads serving only that structure, all as more fully set forth in the Site Plans.
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- 5. **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** is authorized, and is hereby required pursuant to this Contract Zone Agreement, to establish and maintain the following use on the **R-OS** portion of the Property:

a trail system, for pedestrian, bicycle and/or other non-motorized use, together with associated benches, bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access. Additionally, a future recreation area subject to Planning Board approval may be created.

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RIDGE DEVELOPMENT shall provide a planted buffer as shown on the site plan in the vicinity of the rear lot lines of the abutters whose lots front on Ocean Avenue, with precise specifications subject to final site plan review. Such planted buffer, in addition to the areas on the site plan designated as "preserve existing trees" and "no cut area" shall remain in perpetuity and shall not be eliminated by RIDGE DEVELOPMENT or its successors, provided that, to the extent applicable, the planted buffer may be maintained according to standards contained within the National Arborist Association, Inc. Standards for Tree Care Operations. Furthermore, while RIDGE DEVELOPMENT shall provide at least 3,207 linear feet of pedestrian trails in the general configuration shown on the plans, it is stipulated that the pedestrian trails shown on the attached plans are for diagrammatic purposes only, and actual proposed trail locations will be submitted to and reviewed by the Planning Board as part of the site plan process.

- 8. The Planning Board shall review and approve Phase I and Phase II of this development according to the subdivision and site plan provisions of the Portland Land Use Code.
- 9. Any change in ownership shall be brought to the Planning Board for its review and approval, but this requirement shall not apply to the granting of mortgages by **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** or any successor in interest, or to the enforcement by the mortgages of their rights under such mortgages, or to the assignment or conveyance of the ownership to an entity in which RIDGE DEVELOPMENT holds at least a 30% interest, nor shall this requirement apply to the conveyance of individual condominium units or to the granting of mortgages upon individual condominium units. Similarly, **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** or any successor in interest may convey the R- OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee simple and/or may grant trail easements and conservation easements to Portland Trails and/or to the City of Portland as provided above without any further review of the change in ownership by the Planning Board.
- 10. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-5A**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements for the Property shall be those of the underlying R-5A zone with respect to PRUDs except as follows:

Maximum number of units per building: 47

Maximum number of buildings containing residential dwelling units: 2

Maximum building height: 75 feet, as measured per zoning ordinance, and in accordance with the plans attached hereto and in accordance with the location on the site plan

Parking: 204 Spaces, half in Phase I and half in Phase II.

Minimum recreation open space area:

Outdoor passive recreation in the form of pedestrian trails of not less than 3,207 linear feet shall be provided on the Property, generally as shown on the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification. Such trails shall be composed of stone dust, asphalt or similar materials, and, if environmentally necessary or advisable, shall include bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access, together with a reasonable number of wooden benches. The nontrail portion of the Property located in the R-OS zone shall otherwise remain in its natural vegetative state. A public recreational trail easement over the trails on the Property shall be conveyed to Portland Trails or, in the alternative, to the City of Portland granting the public the right to use the trails subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. In the alternative, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT may convey an easement over the recreational trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, both subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. So long as at least the minimum passive recreational open space is provided as specified above, no additional active recreational open space is required. However, the developer may provide more than the minimum required, at its option, and subject to site plan review.

Except as set forth above, all provisions in Sections 14-126 through 14-131 of the CITY's zoning ordinance shall apply to the portion of the Property rezoned R-5A.

- 11. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-OS**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements of the R-OS zone shall apply, except as follows: despite any requirement to the contrary in § 14-158 (g), due to the linkage of the trail system to publicly-owned property which will provide public parking, no off-street parking need be provided on any portion of the Property for visitors projected to use the R-OS portion of the Property and **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** need not submit any parking needs projections.
- 12. The above stated restrictions, provisions and conditions are an essential part of the rezoning, shall run with the Property, shall bind and benefit **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT**, its successors and assigns, and any party in possession or occupancy of said Property or any part thereof, and shall inure to the benefit and be enforceable by the **CITY**, by and through its duly authorized **representatives**.
- 13. If any of the restrictions, provisions, conditions, or portions thereof set forth herein is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portions shall be deemed as a separate, distinct and independent provision and such determinations shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

14. In the event RIDGE DEVELOPMENT or its successors should fail to utilize the PROPERTY in accordance with this Agreement, or in the event of RIDGE DEVELOPMENT'S breach of any condition(s) set forth in this Agreement which differs from the provisions of Portland's Land Use Code which would otherwise be applicable to property situated in the R-5A or ROS zone, the CITY may prosecute such violations in accordance with 30-A M.R.S.A. §4452, M.R.Civ.P. 80K, or in any other manner available by law.

In addition, if such an enforcement action should result in a finding that **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** has breached the Agreement, then either the Portland Planning Board on its own initiative, or at the request of the Planning Authority, may make a recommendation to the City Council that the Conditional Rezoning be modified or the **PROPERTY** rezoned.

- 15. **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** shall file a counterpart original of this Agreement in the Cumberland County Registry of Deeds.
- 16. Except as expressly modified herein, the development, use and occupancy of the Property shall be governed by and comply with the applicable provisions of the Portland City Code and any applicable amendments thereto or replacements thereof.

WITNESS:	RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC	
	By:	
	Patrick Tinsman Its Manager	
STATE OF MAINE CUMBERLAND, SS.		, 2014_

Then personally appeared the above-named Patrick Tinsman, Manager of Ridge Development, LLC as aforesaid, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed in his said capacity and the free act and deed of said limited liability company.

Before	me:	

	Notary	Public/Attorney-at-Law
Printedname	:	
My Commission	n Expir	es:

Consistency of Casco Heights with Portland's Comprehensive Plan

1. Introduction: Portland's Comprehensive Plan attempts to safeguard Portland's status as a "truly remarkable city" by identifying its distinctive features and then creating a multi-faceted strategy to value, preserve and build upon those features. The Plan seeks to enhance Portland's best qualities and characteristics partially through incremental growth, but also through "bold initiatives tempered by careful consideration and foresight in planning." (Housing Component, p. 9). In some respects, Casco Heights might be viewed as a "bold initiative" due to its imaginative design, the balance it strikes between scale and massing and environmental protection. However, in many other ways, it is consistent with an incremental pattern of development; it is a residential use in a residential zone which preserves open space. This type of development is already anticipated in the R-5A zoning text.

To protect Portland's premier status as a vibrant, small city the Comprehensive Plan adopts the target of increasing the number of housing units so that Portland grows at the same pace as the region, maintaining a 25% share of Cumberland County's population (Housing, p. 20). Other components of the community vision seek to: capitalize on Portland's economic assets; support and encourage the creation of an adequate supply of quality housing for all; create a sustainable community while keeping municipal taxes affordable; and protect valued community attributes including a welcoming and people-scaled built environment, coastal amenities, parks, trails and natural resources, and distinctive sense of place. (Housing, p. 8-9)

As the Casco Heights site is one of the largest remaining parcels of undeveloped land in Portland, it is important for it to be developed in a way that furthers the community vision. The proposal for this site is consistent with that community vision and furthers the Comprehensive Plan's goals and objectives for housing and economic development, open space and recreation, environmental protection and urban design, as further outlined below.

2. Housing and Economic Development: The housing component of the Comprehensive Plan (Housing: Sustaining Portland's Future, November 18, 2002) endeavors to build upon Portland's: (1) identity as the regional center for jobs, economic activity and institutional services (social, educational, and medical); (2) unique combination of a welcoming "small town feel" with bigger city amenities; and (3) appreciation of its heritage, including coastal environment, natural resources, and architectural character (p. 8). The Casco Heights developer values and, in turn seeks to attract residents who value these same community attributes. In keeping with the community vision, Casco Heights will be accessible and welcoming, designed to complement the architectural and coastal heritage, and positioned to contribute to maintaining Portland's position as the economic engine of the region.

Accessible/Welcoming

Casco Heights will be welcoming not only to its own residents, but also to the community at large. Public access will be granted over trails which cross the entire site. While the primary trailhead will be located on the former landfill site (where parking will be available), neighborhood walkers from Summer Place, Ocean Ridge, and other nearby residences will be able to access the trail system from Ocean Avenue by walking through the R-5A portion of the site. Similarly, the open space will not be reserved for owners only. A number of neighborhood residents and others already use an informal trail system on the back portion of the site for running, walking, mountain biking, riding ATVs and hunting. While use by motorized vehicles and hunters will no longer be permitted, use by the general public for the remaining low impact uses will be encouraged and facilitated through improvements to be made in cooperation with Portland Trails.

Appreciation of Coastal Heritage

The Housing Plan encourages Portland to build upon the fact that it is a geographically varied and dynamic coastal community with "spectacular views of Casco Bay and the Islands, Back Cove, and Maine's Mountains from the City's promontories," and the fact that residents have ready access to natural features through trails, parks, and scenic viewpoints. Casco Heights is designed to provide water views from most of the units. Similarly, the trails and open space on the R-OS portion of the site will provide residents and the general public with access to wooded land and interesting natural features such as dramatic rock outcroppings.

Need for Higher Density to Maintain Regional Share

The Housing Plan recognizes that, given the limited amount of vacant land, in order for Portland achieve its target of maintaining a 25% share of the County's population, the City will have to allow higher residential density in areas that can support it. The Plan states:

[1]locations along arterials, near services, or adjoining public amenities may be appropriate for a medium or high-rise apartment building given appropriate controls, high quality design and neighborhood compatibility. The intent is to identify areas suitable for higher density without adversely impacting the character of Portland's neighborhoods. (Housing Plan, p. 27)

Casco Heights is one of those sites that is suitable for development at a density higher than the existing R-3 zone. It is located on a collector street with capacity to accommodate additional traffic, and it is not too far from Washington Avenue, a principal arterial.

. It is served by public water and sewer, adjoins land which will be dedicated to public open space, is on a site of sufficient size to provide substantial buffers from its neighbors, and, due to the nature of the units to be built, should impact the character of the neighborhood in a positive way.

Need for Continuum of Options for All Income Levels

The Housing Plan also states that Portland needs to encourage a full range of housing types, including private market rate development:

Although there has been much emphasis on affordable assisted housing, the need for market rate housing for mid and higher income households is also critically important to Portland's future. Eliminating barriers to housing development and supporting market rate projects through the approval process can assist in this. (Housing Plan, "Early Achievable Actions, Production, #8, p. 64)

This market rate housing should "provide a continuum of options across all income levels" and should include all types of quality housing including condominium and townhouse units (Housing Plan, p. 29). The goal is to allow households to "move up" in the real estate market within Portland (or be attracted back into Portland from outlying communities) so that Portland can remain competitive with suburban communities (Housing Plan, p. 15-16). Casco Heights will supply needed housing options at market rate and penthouses at the higher cost end of the continuum.

Integrate Housing and Economic Goals

The Comprehensive Plan recognizes that Portland is sliding into an unbalanced situation where the City provides much of the employment, educational, medical and social services, and arts and cultural opportunities for the region, but many of the higher income individuals who work in Portland and enjoy these services and amenities live in, and pay real estate taxes to, outlying communities. The Comprehensive Plan recognizes the need to improve the balance between where jobs are located and where housing is located by pursuing strategies to entice these individuals not to leave and/or to return to Portland (Comprehensive Plan, VoL I, p. 22).

The Casco Heights units can make a significant contribution to recapturing real estate tax dollars that would, most likely, otherwise flow to suburban communities. In addition, the net real estate tax benefit may be even greater because the high assessed value per unit may very well be coupled with relatively low service demands as a majority of the residents are expected to be older and/or without children in City schools, and some of them may only be in residence for part of each year.

Similarly, while there is no guarantee, it is very possible that one or more of the households attracted by Graves Hill may make a significant contribution to Portland's economic base. As technology makes it increasingly possible for certain types of businesses to relocate almost anywhere, a prime factor in deciding where to locate a business is often where top management would prefer to live. Allowing the creation of very high quality, innovative housing in our high-amenity community (with coastal resources, spectacular views, diverse recreational opportunities, arts and cultural offerings, historic resources, an authentic sense of place, and easy access to all amenities) may very well attract one or more residents who want to relocate their businesses to Portland, thus serving as an economic development tool.

3. Open Space and Recreation: The component of the Comprehensive Plan addressing open space and recreation (based on *Green Spaces*, *Blue Edges*, 1995, updated 2001), recommends that neighborhoods have open space focal points within walking distance.

The adjacent Ocean Avenue Landfill has been developed into The Ocean Avenue Recreation Area. The addition of 7.92 acres in the R-OS portion of the Casco Heights development will significantly increase the amount of forested open space and expand the length and quality of pedestrian trails available in the immediate vicinity for public recreational use.

In addition, Green Spaces, Blue Edges makes a city-wide recommendation to "develop High Point Parks, open spaces located on the higher elevations of the city, in neighborhoods throughout the city such as the Ocean Avenue landfill, hilltop on Ocean Avenue by rock shop, Rocky Hill, and hills in Stroudwater" (Comp. Plan Vol. I, p. 56). The second highest listed site is located on the Casco Height's property and will be part of the RO-S property.

Ridge Development will be working in conjunction with Portland Trails to develop the trail system on the site. The Comprehensive Plan lauds Portland Trails for its diligent work in creating at least 50 miles of public trails in Portland. Assuming final agreement by Ridge Development and Portland Trails, Ridge Development will convey a trail easement to Portland Trails over all of the trails on the R-5A portion of the site, and will convey all of the land to be rezoned R-OS to Portland Trails in fee, both subject to use restrictions. Between the two zones, at least 3,207 linear feet of trails will be constructed for public use. This is consistent with the strategies contained in the Comprehensive Plan to foster partnerships with nonprofits with similar goals and to continue to attract private funding to enhance recreation and open space goals (Comp. Plan, Vol. I, p. R-5).

4. Environmental Protection: Encouraging growth and development in appropriate areas, and discouraging or prohibiting development where it is hazardous or threatens natural resources is another goal of the Comprehensive Plan. Specifically, it states: "Iocate and design housing to reduce impacts on environmentally sensitive areas" (Camp. Plan, Vol. I, p. 22). The Casco Heights proposal has done this, both within its own site and within the context of Greater Portland.

Within the 18-acre site, the buildings and road infrastructure have been moved down the slope to stay away from environmentally sensitive wetland areas. The roads

have been designed to avoid going up steep inclines where possible, to minimize erosion. Structures have been massed to minimize the need for blasting and to reduce the amount of impervious surface. The developer will place 7.92 acres under the control of Portland Trails; all of the land in that portion of the site not used for pedestrian trails will be left in its natural state. On the R-5A portion of the site, Casco Heights has made a commitment to carefully evaluate construction options relative to the existing vegetation, and has identified tree preservation areas where it will actively work to save mature trees to the extent possible. There is also a 20' "no cut" strip of land in the R-5A zone abutting the R-OS zone for its entire length. These efforts to reduce negative environmental impact are all consistent with the goals of the Comprehensive Plan.

This environmental goal may also be viewed in a broader context, intended to direct coastal development to sites that can accommodate it. The State Coastal Management Policies, the Mandatory Shoreland Zoning Act (as implemented by City zoning), and the City's Islands Land Use and Zoning Study all recognize that absent regulation, there will be a very high demand to build residences in locations with views of coastal waters. Yet unless properly sited, building near coastal waters can pose an environmental threat to coastal resources, place residences in hazardous locations, and reduce the scarce supply of land suitable for water-dependent uses. Portland has adopted shoreland zoning and waterfront zoning to regulate setbacks and establish allowable uses along waterbodies. Similarly, Portland has zoned its islands for very low density development, based in part upon a groundwater carrying capacity analysis which sets limits based upon an assumption that each island might need to be self-supporting with regard to fresh water at some point in the future (Comp. Plan, Vol. I, p. 53).

Thus, if Portland wants to capitalize upon the high demand for views of coastal waters, that demand will have to be satisfied by non-harbor, non-island locations. Allowing 94 units on the Casco Heights site, approximately most of which will have spectacular views of Casco Bay, may take some pressure off more hazardous or environmentally fragile locations. This is very much in keeping with state and local policies and with the Comprehensive Plan (Comp. Plan, Vol. I, p. 59).

5. Urban Design: The Comprehensive Plan notes that Portland's topography plays an important role in shaping perceptions of and views from the City. The high bluffs of the Western and Eastern Promenades are said to help accentuate a sense of Portland as a "city of stature." Similarly, the Plan notes: "off the peninsula, the topography of the city includes several high points that provide scenic vistas or are appealing objects for viewing themselves. For example, Graves Hill offers a majestic view of the Presumpscot River Sanctuary and the islands." (Comp. Plan., Vol. I, p. N-15). At an elevation of 174 feet, Graves Hill is the second highest off-peninsula point of land, six feet lower than Summit Hill and one foot lower than the Western Promenade. Graves Hill is the site on which Casco Heights will be built.

The interplay of the natural topography with the built environment can further accentuate the distinctive sense of place. *Green Spaces, Blue Edges* challenges the City to:

[d]evelop a vision of the natural environment that enhances the full range of dy-namic contrasts between the landscapes and built forms found in Portland, which will enrich the appearance and enliven the use of our City. (Comp. Plan, Vol. I, p. 24)

The building design proposed for Casco Heights embodies dynamic contrasts between natural features and the built forms. Siting relatively tall, built upon one of the higher hills in Portland emphasizes the natural topography. The buildings themselves will be surrounded by mostly-forested open space. Due to the vegetation, they will be only minimally visible to their immediate neighbors

Even though it addressed primarily non-residential uses, the Downtown Height Study, a component of the Comprehensive Plan, provides important guidance for approaching height issues at Graves Hill (Comp. Plan, Vol. I, p. N-17). Based on an extensive process lead by a skilled consultant, in 1989 the City adopted height overlay zones for the entire peninsula. The process examined the contextual relationship, the underly-ing topography, the skyline, view corridors, architectural massing, the resulting pedestrian environment, open space, transportation capacity, and build out scenarios.

One of the primary recommendations was that the tallest structures should be located on the high points already established by the natural topography. This meant the tallest buildings should be located along the raised spine of the peninsula (along Congress Street/Cumberland Avenue), and that heights should step down as the topography fell off toward Back Cove and Commercial Street. The rationale for this design was that it would produce the most visually interesting, graceful skyline, reflective of the underlying place, and it would also preserve views from multiple locations.

By analogy, the Downtown Height Study component of the Comprehensive Plan suggests that Casco Heights is located at precisely the right location, on one of the points of high natural topography, to create visual interest and avoid blocking views. It also suggests that heights in excess of 150 feet have been determined to be compatible with Portland's sense of a human scale and in keeping with the local context. Casco Heights, at a maximum height of 75 feet, is well under that height. Finally, consistent with the study's conclusion that architects needed to pay much more additional attention to the tops of buildings, the Casco Heights structures are already designed for maximum visual interest.

Policy Underlying R-SA Zone and Contract Zone Standards

HISTORY OF R-5A:

The R-5A zone was developed in 1988 as part of a multi-year, comprehensive review of all of the residential zones. It is unique in that when it was first enacted, it was the only residential zone which was not accompanied by any designation of corresponding land on a map. The Planning Board and City Council decided not to designate any specific land as R-5A, but rather to wait until individual applicants expressed an interest in having their land rezoned to that classification. As the zone requires a unique confluence of site characteristics coupled with an owner's desire to develop a particular type unit, the City determined it had an insufficient basis for 'reducing the zone to the ground" in advance. Thus, the City made the zone available as a matter of policy, but opted to wait for specific rezoning requests to determine whether it was appropriate to change the map to R-SA in a particular location.

PURPOSE OF R-5A:

The R-5A zone was created to allow for moderate density in off-peninsula locations. It was designed to help maintain a strong residential tax base, to accommodate a diverse range of housing within Portland (both affordable and high end), and to allow developers to take advantage of unique development opportunities offering high site amenities.

The purpose statement anticipates use of the R-5A zone in three different situations:

- 1) To provide a unique residential living experience with a high degree of natural site amenities;
- 2) To provide areas in the general proximity of the peninsula that have the capability for adequate municipal services, including traffic corridors with adequate traffic capacity, that can appropriately accommodate a more intensive use of land than other lower-density zoned land and be compatible with surrounding neighborhoods;
- 3) To increase affordable housing opportunities in off-peninsula locations by providing a moderate-density zone.

Casco Ridge development is clearly consistent with the first purpose. As a large, undeveloped parcel with wooded hills, recreational trails, and magnificent views of Casco Bay, the City, and points west, the site amenities are unsurpassed. As proposed it would provide a residential living experience unique to Portland: a mix of market rate and high end penthouse units in mid-rise buildings in a natural, non-urban setting.

Casco Ridge is also consistent with the second purpose. Due to the easy proximity to the peninsula via Ocean Avenue/Washington Avenue, its access to the full range of municipal services, the size of the site, the ability to provide substantial buffering from its neighbors, and its intent to provide significant recreational open space for use by its

residents and the public, it can appropriately accommodate a more intensive use of the land.

COMPARISON OF DENSITY:

Land in the R-1 and R-2 zones, designated as "low" density, is probably unlikely to be rezoned to R-5A because that land is located in outlying areas and/or in areas with limited additional traffic capacity. Thus, it is most likely that R-5A rezoning request will involve land zoned R-3 or R-5. The ordinance describes R-3 and R-5 as "medium" density, requiring a minimum net land area of 6,500 and 3,000 square feet per dwelling unit, respectively. R-6, applicable to most peninsula residential neighborhoods, is designated as "high" density, requiring a minimum of 1,000 square feet per dwelling unit. R-5A, designated as a "moderate" density, falls in the middle, requiring a minimum of 1,600 square feet of net land area per dwelling unit.

Zone	Density Designation	Minimum Lot Area Per Dwelling Unit (sq. ft.)
R-1	Lower	15,000 (gross)
R-2	Low	10,000 (gross)
R-3	Medium	6,500 (net)*
R-5	Medium	3,000 _(net)*
R-SA	Moderate	1,600 (net)*
R-6	High	1,000 (gross)

*Net land area, as defined in Sec. 14-47 deducts all unbuildable and "inaccessible" areas plus 20% of the remaining area, per formula.

Casco Heights significantly exceeds these lot area minimum requirements. Looking at the entire parcel, the gross area per dwelling unit is 8,144 sq. ft. and the net area is 4,435 sq. ft., almost triple the R-5A required minimum of 1,600 square feet. If Graves Hill Land Company conveys the R-OS portion of the site to Portland Trails in fee, the remaining R-5A portion of the site continues to meet the density requirements by itself, with a gross area of 4,519 sq. ft. and a net area of 3,249 sq. ft. per unit, still double the required 1,600 sq. ft. minimum.

Casco Heights Density Calculations

Land Area	Lot Area Per	Lot Area Per
	Dwelling	Dwelling
	Unit, Gross, Sq. Ft.	Unit, Net, Sq. Ft.
Entire parcel (R-5A and R-OS)	8,144	4,435
R-5A only	4,519	3,249

CONTRACT/CONDITIONAL ZONE IN R-5A:

The R-5A zone allows multiple-family attached dwelling units ("planned residential unit developments" or PRUDs) as a permitted use. However, rather than attempting to impose fixed requirements for what may be very divergent types of housing, it provides for each proposed PRUD to be reviewed and implemented through conditional or contract zoning (hereinafter "contract zoning").

The Planning Board and the City Council have significant discretion in recommending and/or approving a contract zone. The state enabling legislation requires that a contract zone be consistent with the municipality's growth management program, establish rezoned areas that are consistent with the existing and permitted uses within the original zones; and only include conditions and restrictions that relate to the physical development or operation of the property. (30A M.R.S.A Sec. 4352) Portland's Land Use Ordinance directs that a contract zone may be granted where the City Council finds it necessary or appropriate to impose, by agreement with the property owner, certain conditions or restrictions to ensure that the rezoning is consistent with the city's comprehensive plan. The conditions imposed must relate only to the physical development and operation of the property, and may address the number of units and types of uses permitted, the scale and density of development, the design and layout of buildings, schedules for completion, performance guarantees, open space, buffers, protection of natural areas, and contributions toward the provision of municipal services. (Division 1.5, Conditional or Contract Zoning, Sec. 14-60 to -62)

In addition to these general principals, some of Portland's zones anticipate contract zone requests and incorporate more specific guidance into that section of the ordinance. For example, there are very detailed standards for the review of any proposed contract zone in the Waterfront Central Zone. Similarly, the R-5A zone sets some minimum standards for PRUDs applying for a contract zone, as follows:

- Minimum lot size: three acres gross area;
- Minimum land area per dwelling unit: 1,600 square feet of net land area;
- Minimum street frontage: Fifty (50) feet;
- Minimum building setback from external property lines: 35 feet if building length is greater than 100 feet;
- Minimum recreation open space area (PRUD): Two hundred (200) square feet per dwelling unit of common area designated on the site for recreational purposes, with additional standards addressing features of the area;
- No open outside stairways or fire escapes above the ground floor; and
- All land shall be owned and used in common and governed and maintained through condominium documents or similar instruments.

However, none of the other dimensional requirements contained in Sec. 14-130 (e.g., minimum yard dimensions, maximum lot coverage) or height limits apply to PRUDs, so the Planning Board and City Council retain discretion to determine appropriate limits for

those components, informed by the comprehensive plan, site plan and subdivision standards.

Casco Heights clearly meets or exceeds all of the minimum standards for PRUDs established in the R-5A zone. The applicant is requesting that those ordinance minima be supplemented by establishing the density and dimensional requirements listed in Paragraph 10 of the proposed contract zone (e.g., maximum units per building,49; maximum number of buildings, 2; maximum building height, 100 feet (per ordinance definition); minimum parking of2 spaces per unit plus 28 visitor spaces; recreation open space of not less than 3,207linear feet of pedestrian trails). Similarly, consistent with City Code, the proposed contract zone addresses map changes, number and types of uses, protection of natural areas, design and layout of buildings, phasing, performance guarantees, and enforcement.

PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT - LAND ONLY

October	, 2013Effective Date		
1	e is defined in Paragraph 20 of	this Agreement.	

October 3, 2013

1. PARTIES: This Agreement is made between	V&E Enterprises ("Buyer") and Graves Hil	ll Land Trust ("Seller").
2. DESCRIPTION: Subject to the terms and co part of; If "part of" see paragraph 26 for exp County of Cumberland, State of Maine, located Book(s) 21500, Page(s) 269.	lanation) the property situated in municipal	ity of Portland,
	y within 2 days of the date of this offer, a d sion of this offer and is not delivered by the n the deposit being delivered will not resu	leposit of earnest money in the amount \$10,000.00. above deadline, this offer shall be void and any
This Purchase and Sale Agreement is subject to th	e following conditions:	
4. EARNEST MONEY/ACCEPTANCE: Malone closing; this offer shall be valid until October shall be returned promptly to Buyer. In the eve Agency shall be entitled to recover reasonable at	AM 5:00 ⊠PM; and, in the ent that the Agency is made a party to any l	event of non-acceptance, this earnest money
necessary papers the later of March 7, 2014 or	yer and this transaction shall be closed an 14 days following receipt of the Amended before, if agreed in writing by both parties Il have a reasonable time period, not to exc in writing by both Buyer and Seller, to resuch period. If, at the later of the closing of the title, Buyer may close and accept the	d Buyer shall pay the balance due and execute all d Contract zone and site Plan approvals per so If Seller is unable to convey in accordance with seed 30 calendar days, from the time Seller is medy the title. Seller hereby agrees to make a date set forth above or the expiration of such a deed with the title defect or this Agreement
6. DEED: The property shall be conveyed by a legion of record conditions, easements and restrictions of record		and clear of all encumbrances except covenants, fect the continued current use of the property.
7. POSSESSION: Possession of premises shall be	e given to Buyer immediately at closing unl	less otherwise agreed in writing.
8. RISK OF LOSS: Until the closing, the risk of have the right to view the property within 24 hother same condition as on the date of this Agreement.	ours prior to closing for the purpose of de	or otherwise, is assumed by Seller. Buyer shall stermining that the premises are in substantially
9. PRORATIONS: The following items, where a shall be prorated as of the date of closing (based of the amount of said taxes is not known at the time year with a reapportionment as soon as the new its Buyer and Seller will each pay their transfer tax	on municipality's fiscal year). Seller is resp e of closing, they shall be apportioned on t tax rate and valuation can be ascertained,	onsible for any unpaid taxes for prior years. If the basis of the taxes assessed for the preceding
Mark Malone Licensee	Malone Commercial Brokers is the Agency	Seller Agent
<u>N/A</u> Licensee	N/A is a Agency	☐ Seller Agent ☐ Buyer Agent ☐ Disc Dual Agent ☐ Transaction Broker

If this transaction involves Disclosed Dual Agency, the Buyer and Seller acknowledge the limited fiduciary duties of the agents and hereby consent to this arrangement. In addition, the Buyer and Seller acknowledge prior receipt and signing of a Disclosed Dual Agency

Consent Agreement.

- 10. PROPERTY DISCLOSURE FORM: Buyer acknowledges receipt of Seller's Property Disclosure Form.
- 11. MEDIATION: Earnest money disputes subject to the jurisdiction of small claims court will be handled in that forum. For all other disputes or claims arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the property addressed in this Agreement shall be submitted to mediation in accordance with the Maine Residential Real Estate Mediation Rules. Buyer and Seller are bound to mediate in good faith and pay their respective mediation fees. If a party does not agree first to go to mediation, then that party will be liable for the other party's legal fees in any subsequent litigation regarding that same matter in which the party who refused to go to mediation loses in that subsequent litigation. This clause shall survive the closing of the transaction.
- 12. DEFAULT: In the event of default by the Buyer, Seller may employ all legal and equitable remedies, including without limitation, termination of this Agreement and forfeiture by Buyer of the earnest money. In the event of a default by Seller, Buyer may employ all legal and equitable remedies, including without limitation, termination of this Agreement and return to Buyer of the earnest money. Agency acting as escrow agent has the option to require written releases from both parties prior to disbursing the earnest money to either Buyer or Seller.
- 13. PRIOR STATEMENTS: Any representations, statements and agreements are not valid unless contained herein. This Agreement completely expresses the obligations of the parties.
- 14. HEIRS/ASSIGNS: This Agreement shall extend to and be obligatory upon heirs, personal representatives, successors, and assigns of the Seller and the assigns of the Buyer.
- 15. COUNTERPARTS: This Agreement may be signed on any number of identical counterparts, such as a faxed copy, with the same binding effect as if the signatures were on one instrument. Original or faxed signatures are binding.
- 16. ADDENDA: ☐ Yes Explain: ____ No
- 17. EFFECTIVE DATE/NOTICE: Any notice, communication or document delivery requirements hereunder may be satisfied by providing the required notice, communication or documentation to the party or their licensee. Withdrawals of offers and counteroffers will be effective upon communication, verbally or in writing. This Agreement is a binding contract when signed by both Buyer and Seller and when that fact has been communicated which shall be the Effective Date. Licensee is authorized to fill in the Effective Date on Page 1 hereof. Except as expressly set forth to the contrary, the use of the term "days" in this Agreement, including all addenda made a part hereof, shall mean business days defined as excluding Saturdays, Sundays and any State/Federal holidays (including but not limited to Patriots Day, Columbus Day, Martin Luther King Holiday, etc.) Deadlines in this Agreement, including all addenda, expressed as "within x days" shall be counted from the Effective Date, unless another starting date is expressly set forth, beginning with the first day after the Effective Date, or such other established starting date, and ending at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the last day counted. Unless expressly stated to the contrary, deadlines in this Agreement, including all addenda, expressed as a specific date shall end at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on
- 18. CONFIDENTIALITY: Buyer and Seller authorize the disclosure of the information herein to the real estate licensees, attorneys, lenders, appraisers, inspectors, investigators and others involved in the transaction necessary for the purpose of closing this transaction. Buyer and Seller authorize the lender and/or closing agent preparing the entire closing statement to release a copy of the closing statement to the parties and their licensees prior to, at and after the closing.
- 19. ZONING CONTINGENCY: This contract is contingent upon the City of Portland amending the Contract Zone to allow 98 units in 2 or more buildings, in a configuration mutually satisfactory to both the City and the Buyer. 2) The Buyer receives site plan approval for its intended project and 3) The Seller authorize Sebago Technics and any other professional service providers it has used for the evaluation of the Property, to use any and all data and material the Seller previously obtained while conducting the zone change and site plan approvals.
- 20. PERMITS AND APPROVALS: Purchase is subject to Buyer being able to obtain all necessary permits, approvals, and municipal zone changes within one hundred and fifty (150) days of the executed Purchase and Sale Agreement. Buyer shall submit applications to City and State agencies within thirty (45) days of the executed Purchase and Sale Agreement. Buyer shall have one (30) day extension to this contingency if it has diligently pursued its permits and approvals and the City of Portland has caused delays to make this deadline impossible without the extension.
- 21. DUE DILIGENCE: Buyer is encouraged to seek information from professionals regarding any specific issue or concern.

 Neither Seller nor Licensee makes any warranties regarding the condition, permitted use or value of Sellers' real property. This Agreement is subject to the following contingencies, with results being satisfactory to Buyer:

CONTINGENCY	YES	NO	DAYS FOR COMPETION
1. SURVEY	\boxtimes	П	<u>30</u>
Purpose:			
2. SOILS TEST	\boxtimes	П	<u>30</u>
Purpose: 3. SEPTIC SYSTEM DESIGN Purpose:		Ø	0
4. HAZARDOUS WASTE REPORTS Purpose:	×		<u>30</u>
5. UTILITIES Purpose:	×		<u>30</u>
6. WATER Purpose:	×	П	<u>30</u>
7. SUB-DIVISION APPROVAL Purpose:	×		<u>30</u>
8. HABITAT REVIEW/ WATERFOWL Purpose:	×	П	<u>30</u>
9. MDOT DRIVEWAY/ ENTRANCE PERMIT Purpose:		П	<u>30</u>
10. DEED RESTRICTION Purpose:	×		<u>30</u>

Further specifications regarding any of the above:

Unless otherwise specified above, all of the above will be obtained and paid for by Buyer. If the result of any investigation or other condition specified herein is unsatisfactory to Buyer, Buyer will declare the Agreement null and void by notifying Seller in writing within the specified number of days, and any earnest money shall be returned to Buyer. If the result of any investigation or other condition specified herein is unsatisfactory to Buyer, and Buyer wishes to pursue remedies other than voiding the Agreement, Buyer must do so to full resolution within the time period set forth above; otherwise this contingency is waived. If Buyer does not notify Seller that an investigation is unsatisfactory within the time period set forth above, this contingency is waived by Buyer. In the absence of inspection(s) mentioned above, Buyer is relying completely upon Buyer's own opinion as to the condition of the property.

22. FINANCING: None

A copy of this Agreement is to be received by all parties and, by signature, receipt of a copy is hereby acknowledged. If not fully understood, contact an attorney. This is a Maine contract and shall be construed according to the laws of Maine. Seller acknowledges that State of Maine law requires buyers of property owned by non-resident sellers to withhold a prepayment of capital gains tax unless a waiver has been obtained by Seller from the State of Maine Revenue Services. Buyer acknowledges that Maine law requires continuing interest in the property and any back up offers to be communicated by the listing agent to the Seller.

Buyer's Mailing address is 199 Elderberry Drive, So. Portland, ME.

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agrees to pay agency a commission for	deliver the above-described pro services as specified in the list	perty at the price and upon the terms and agreement.	and conditions set forth and
Seller's Mailing address is 16 Tiffany	Lane, Saco, ME 04072.		
SELLER	DATE	SELLER	DATE
,	COUNTE	R-OFFER	
Seller agrees to sell on the terms and o	onditions as detailed herein with	the following changes and/or condition	ons:
The parties acknowledge that until sign expire unless accepted by Buyer's sign			
BUYER	DATE	BUYER	DATE
The Buyer hereby accepts the counter	offer set forth above.		
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2nd AMENDMENT TO PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT - LAND ONLY

The Contract For Sale of Real Estate for property located at 802 Ocean Ave. Portland, Maine between Graves Hill Land Company, LLC ("Seller") and V&E Enterprises (the original Buyer), with an effective date of October 7, 2013, for valuable consideration, is hereby amended as follows effective as of January 7, 2014:

1. Paragraph 1 Parties: The identity of the parties is hereby amended as follows:

The name of the Seller is hereby corrected to Graves Hill Land Company, LLC instead of Graves Hill Land Trust, and Seller hereby represents that it is duly authorized to enter into the Contract.

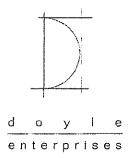
The identity of the Buyer is hereby changed to Ridge Development LLC and the original buyer, V&E Enterprises, hereby assigns its entire interest in the Contract to Ridge Development LLC, which hereby assumes and agrees to perform the Contract.

2. Paragraph 21, PERMITS AND APPROVALS: Paragraph 21 is hereby amended and restated as follows:

"Buyer's obligations under this Contract are subject to receipt of all necessary governmental permits and approvals satisfactory to Buyer, including without limitation City Council approval of a replacement/amended Contract Zone, which Buyer agrees to seek with due diligence and continuity of effort. Buyer shall have until 1/20/2014 to submit applications to the City of Portland and shall have until 5/5/2014 to receive approvals, provided that Buyer shall be entitled to 15 business days written notice of default and opportunity to cure."

This Amendment may be signed on any number of identical counterparts, including telefax or scanned copies, with the same binding effect as if all of the signatures were on one instrument. All other terms and conditions of the Contract as amended to date remain in full force and effect.

SEEN AND AGREED TO:	
SELLER:	ASSIGNING BUYER
Graves Hill Land Company LLC	V&E Enterprises
By:	Ву:
Its Manager, duly authorized	Its
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·	Ridge Development LLC
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	Its Manager duly authorized



CASCO HEIGHTS

Dear Members,

On May 6, 2014 we presented to you Casco Heights and the proposed amendment to the underlying 2004 approved Conditional Rezoning Amendment. That 2004 amendment rezoned the R-3 parcel into 8.15 acres of R-OS, improved with trails and 10.17 acres of R-5A developed with two 100 foot buildings containing a total of 98 luxury condominiums.

Based on the input from the neighbors, the Planning Board and advisors, we have slightly adjusted the proposed revision to the contract zone.

The factor most upsetting to the neighbors at the adjacent Ocean Ridge Condominium complex was the proximity of the north building to their units and the lack of a substantial buffer. In our previous submission, the building was 32 feet from the property line. We have increased that to 65 feet and included a buffer plan.

The site plan submitted in May divided the property into more or less the same amount of R-OS and R5-A as the contract zone, however the shape was different and included a rounded parking lot that would require blasting the second highest point in Portland. Our current plan's zoning division is within a hundredth of an acre of the existing contract zone, more in line with the contract zone's shape and preserves the second highest point.

Staff suggested that rather than requiring a sidewalk on Ocean Avenue in front of Casco Heights, the sidewalk should go on the opposite side of Ocean Ave. and connect the existing pieces. This is now shown with a crosswalk connecting it to the Casco Heights Trail/sidewalk. The only other change to the site plan is the location of the detention pond. The pond has been moved to the front of the north building, away from the Ocean Avenue neighbors.

The approved contract zone allowed 98 units. On May 6, 2014 we asked that that be reduced to 94 units. After talking to local real estate agents, we determined that we needed a few more one bedroom units so we are asking that the maximum number of units be changed to 96 units, 48 per building. In each building we have taken a top floor two bedroom and converted it into two one bedroom units. The required parking spaces remain the same.

The final change to the amended contract zone regards the effective date of the conditional rezoning amendment. The approved contract zone orders the rezoning to become effective within 30 days of approval by City Council. We have asked that the zone amendment become effective upon sale of the property to Ridge Development.

We look forward to meeting with you on June 10th.

Sincerely,

Diane Dovle

Michael F. Brennan Kevin J. Donoghue David A. Marshall Cheryl A. Leeman Edward J. Suslovic

CITY OF PORTLAND

IN THE CITY COUNCIL

John R. Coyne John Hinck JILL C. DUSON NICHOLAS M. MAVODONES

ORDER AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO CITY CODE SEC. 14-49 (ZONING MAP AMENDMENT) RE: CONDITIONAL REZONING FOR 802-828 OCEAN AVENUE RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC

ORDERED, that the Zoning Map of the City of Portland, dated 2012 as amended and on file in the Department of Planning & Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Sec. 14-49 of the Portland City Code, is hereby amended to reflect a conditional rezoning as detailed below;

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that the conditional rezoning amendment authorized herein shall become effective thirty (30) days following this rezoning.

CONDITIONAL ZONE AGREEMENT RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC

upon sale to ridge development llc

This Agreement made this day of , 2014 by Ridge Development, LLC, a Maine limited liability company with an office in Portland, Maine (hereinafter "RIDGE DEVELOPMENT").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT owns or has an option to buy a parcel of land consisting of approximately 18.32 acres located at 802-828 Ocean Avenue in Portland, consisting of parcels shown on City of Portland Tax Map 411, Block A, Lot 7 and Tax Map 416, Block A, Lots 6, 7 and 21, and more particularly described in a deed recorded in Cumberland County Registry of Deeds in Book 21500, Page 269 (collectively the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT proposes to construct upon a portion of the Property a maximum of 94 condominium units in two mid-rise buildings in a Planned Residential Unit Development ("PRUD") while preserving and protecting a portion of the Property as open space, by utilizing a pattern of development designed to minimize the clearing of natural vegetation, to minimize the area to be blasted, to provide a unique residential living experience with a high degree of natural site amenities, and to promote public recreational use of trails which integrate with a larger trail system; and

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WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT has requested the rezoning of 10.4 acres of the Property from R-3 to R-5A Residential Zone and the simultaneous approval of a contract zone to implement a planned residential unit development (PRUD) for dwelling units on that portion of the property, and the rezoning of 7.92 acres of the Property from R-3 to Recreation and Open Space Zone (R-OS); and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board of the CITY OF PORTLAND (hereinafter "CITY"), pursuant to 30-A M.R.S.A. § 4352(8) and Portland City Land Use Code (the "Code")§§ 14-60 to 14-62 and 14-127, after notice and hearing and due deliberation thereon, recommended the rezoning of the Property as aforesaid, subject, however, to certain conditions; and

WHEREAS, the **CITY**, by and through its City Council has determined that because of the bold and innovative design which:

- promotes efficient land use and conservation of natural resources,
- protects the natural environment by locating the development so as to reduce the impact on environmentally sensitive areas,
- utilizes one of the last large undeveloped tracts of residentially-zoned land to provide housing of a type not currently available in Portland,
- reduces the impact on surrounding properties by minimizing the area to blasted, preserving natural site amenities, and providing substantial buffers, and
- · enhances the recreational trail system in Portland,

it is necessary and appropriate to impose with **RIDGE DEVELOPMENTS** agreement the conditions and restrictions set forth herein, in order to insure that said rezoning is consistent with the **CITY'S** comprehensive land use plan; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the CITY authorized the execution of this Agreement on , 2014_, by City Council Order No.____, a true copy of which is attached hereto as Attachment 1; and

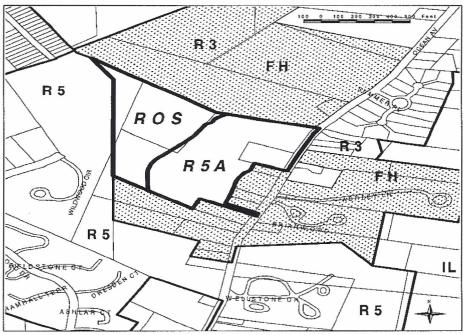
WHEREAS, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT has agreed to enter into this contract, with its concomitant terms and conditions, which shall hereinafter bind RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, its successors or assigns;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the rezoning of the Property, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT contracts to be bound by the following terms and conditions:

1. The **CITY** hereby amends the Zoning Map of the City of Portland dated 2012, as amended from time to time and on file in the Department of Planning and Development, and incorporated by reference into the Zoning Ordinance by Section 14-49 of the Code, by adopting the map change amendment shown below (rezoning to R5-A and R-OS). If this Agreement is not recorded within thirty (30) days of the City Council's approval of said rezoning, then the rezoning shall become null and void and the zoning of the Property shall revert

sale of the property to ridge development

to the pre-existing R-3 zone.



Proposed Rezoning for 802 Ocean Avenue from R3 and Flexible Housing Overlay to R5A and ROS

2. **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** is authorized to establish and maintain the following uses on the **R-5A** portion of the property:

a. up to 94 residential units located in two buildings, each building containing up to 47 units, which may be sold as condominium units, resulting in a maximum total of ninety-four (94) residential units within the Property; and

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- b. parking in an amount of not less than 1 space per 1BR unit and 2 spaces per 2BR and 3BR units per residential unit, plus at least 28 additional surface visitor parking spaces; and
- c. a trail system traversing the site, extending from Ocean Avenue to connect with the trail system on the R-OS portion of the site.

The uses specified herein supersede the otherwise permitted uses contained within the underlying R-3 and R-5A zones.

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- 3. The use of the **R-5A** portion of the property, by virtue of this contract rezoning, shall be limited to that of a residential PRUD with the accessory uses described in paragraph 2. The Property may be developed in two phases, Phase 1 to consist of all necessary blasting for both buildings, one structure containing up to forty seven (47) dwelling units plus all accessory uses associated with that structure, and the entire trail system in both the R-5A and R-OS portions of the Property (excluding only the portion of the trail accessing the building to be constructed in Phase II) and Phase II to consist of the second structure, containing up to forty seven (47) dwelling units plus all accessory uses associated therewith and trail sections and roads serving only that structure, all as more fully set forth in the Site Plans.
- 4. Separate performance guarantees shall be issued for Phases I and II. The amounts and terms of such performance guarantees shall be determined by the Planning Authority at the time of Site Plan and Subdivision approval for each Phase, but each Phase must provide minimum financial guarantees such that each Phase constitutes a separate and complete project. Surface stabilization of any portions of the project area located in Phase II that have been affected by blasting performed during Phase I shall be shall be accomplished prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for Phase I, unless construction of Phase II has commenced. The intent of this condition is to ensure a complete site in the event Phase II is never built.
- 5. **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** is authorized, and is hereby required pursuant to this Contract Zone Agreement, to establish and maintain the following use on the **R-OS** portion of the Property:

a trail system, for pedestrian, bicycle and/or other non-motorized use, together with associated benches, bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access. Additionally, a future recreation area subject to Planning Board approval may be created.

The R-OS portion of the Property not used as aforesaid shall be left in its natural state, and natural features, mature trees and natural surface drainageways, shall be preserved to the greatest possible extent consistent with the uses of the property.

6. **Ridge DEVELOPMENT** shall grant to **Portland Trails**, a Maine nonprofit corporation, a recreational trail easement at least five feet in width for trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and ten feet in width for trails on the R-OS portion of the property, extending for a distance of not less than 3,207 linear feet, to allow for passive recreational use by the general public.

The easement may impose reasonable restrictions upon the trail use, including the following: Permitted uses are limited to low-impact recreational uses, including, without limitation, walking, hiking, nature viewing, photography, mountain biking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, walking dogs on leashes as long as dog owners pick up after their dogs, and educational programs. Prohibited uses include, but are not necessarily limited to, motorized vehicles (except for authorized trail construction, repair or maintenance), camping, fires, horses, removing, cutting, or otherwise altering trees, branches, and other vegetation (except for authorized trail construction, repair and maintenance, to restore native flora and fauna, or to remove invasive or dangerous flora and fauna), any filling, excavation or alteration of the surface of the earth other than for authorized trail construction, repair or maintenance purposes, any disposal of rubbish, garbage or other waste material, hunting, trapping, wildlife collecting, any loud activities which disturb others, all overnight uses, and other activities which have a high impact by degrading or destroying the natural resource values of the property or which conflict with the rights of other users for a quiet, peaceful and contemplative experience in a natural area. In no event shall any of the above prohibited uses interfere with the right to construct, repair and maintain a recreational trail and associated recreational structures. The hours of use may be strictly limited to daylight hours. The easement may authorize RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, its successors and assigns, Casco Heights Condominium Owners' Association, and Portland Trails to enforce those restrictions. In the alternative, instead of granting a trail easement on the R-OS portion of the Property, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT may opt to convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, with such conveyance made subject to use conditions and reserved rights of enforcement as aforesaid . The form of such easement and/or deeds shall be reviewed and approved by Corporation Counsel in connection with the Site Plan approval process for Phase I.

If a conveyance, by easement or in fee, is to be made to **Portland Trails**, the certificate of occupancy for the residential units shall not be delayed due to the status of completion of the trail system on the R-OS portion of the site so long as **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** has made the required conveyance, by easement and/or in fee, to Portland Trails and funds sufficient to complete construction the trails on the R-OS portion of the site have been placed in escrow. If, for any reason, Portland Trails declines to accept said trail easements and/or conveyances upon the terms offered, **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** may satisfy this contract zone requirement by constructing the trails pursuant to the approved site plan and granting trail easements to the City of Portland, upon the same terms and conditions stated above, granting the City of Portland (rather than Portland Trails) the right to enforce the restrictions, with the form of the easement subject to review and approval by Corporation Counsel.

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7. The Property will be developed substantially in accordance with the Preliminary Site Plans Zone Identification and Phasing Identification submitted by Sebago Technics (last revised March, 2014) and the Proposed Building Design site sections, building sections and floor plans submitted by Archetype (last revised March, 2014). The Casco Heights entrance on Ocean Avenue shall be at the location shown on said Site Plan and the City hereby grants such waivers as may be necessary to permit the entrance in that proximity to adjacent driveways; provided, however, that at the request of RIDGE DEVELOPMET, with the approval of the Planning Board, the location of the entrance may be moved up to 20 feet southerly of the location shown on the attached site plan without any further amendment

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r amendment to this Contract Zone Agreement. So long as the approved fire sprinkler system, the required fire access shall

be satisfied by the provision of one access road, as shown on the site plan. RIDGE

DEVE LOPMENT shall provide sidewalk and granite curb along the property's frontage on Ocean Avenue and also as along the frontage of the four intervening residential parcels, or, at the option of the Planning Board, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT shall instead contribute funds equal to the cost of installing sidewalk and granite curbs as aforesaid to the CITY for the CITY to apply toward installing granite curbs and sidewalk in the vicinity of the PROPERTY.

→ RIDGE DEVELOPMENT shall provide a planted buffer as shown on the site plan in the vicinity of the rear let lines of the abutters whose lots front on Ocean Avenue, with precise specifications subject to final site plan review. Such planted buffer, in addition to the areas on the site plan designated as "preserve existing trees" and "no cut area" shall remain in perpetuity and shall not be eliminated by RIDGE DEVELOPMENT or its successors, provided that, to the extent applicable, the planted buffer may be maintained according to standards contained within the National Arborist Association, Inc. Standards for Tree Care Operations. Furthermore, while RIDGE DEVELOPMENT shall provide at least 3,207 linear feet of pedestrian trails in the general configuration shown on the plans, it is stipulated that the pedestrian trails shown on the attached plans are for diagrammatic purposes only, and actual proposed trail locations will be submitted to and reviewed by the Planning Board as part of the site plan process.

- 8. The Planning Board shall review and approve Phase I and Phase II of this development according to the subdivision and site plan provisions of the Portland Land Use Code.
- 9. Any change in ownership shall be brought to the Planning Board for its review and approval, but this requirement shall not apply to the granting of mortgages by RIDGE DEVELOPMENT or any successor in interest, or to the enforcement by the mortgages of their rights under such mortgages, or to the assignment or conveyance of the ownership to an entity in which RIDGE DEVELOPMENT holds at least a 30% interest, nor shall this requirement apply to the conveyance of individual condominium units or to the granting of mortgages upon individual condominium units. Similarly, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT or any successor in interest may convey the R- OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee simple and/or may grant trail easements and conservation easements to Portland Trails and/or to the City of Portland as provided above without any further review of the change in ownership by the Planning Board.
- 10. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-5A**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements for the Property shall be those of the underlying R-5A zone with respect to PRUDs except as follows:

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Maximum	number	or units p	er building	: 4/	\leftarrow	 48

Maximum number of buildings containing residential dwelling units: 2

Maximum building height: 75 feet, as measured per zoning ordinance, and in accordance with the plans attached hereto and in accordance with the location on the site plan

Parking: 204 Spaces, half in Phase I and half in Phase II.

Minimum recreation open space area:

Outdoor passive recreation in the form of pedestrian trails of not less than 3,207 linear feet shall be provided on the Property, generally as shown on the Preliminary Site Plans, Zone Identification. Such trails shall be composed of stone dust, asphalt or similar materials, and, if environmentally necessary or advisable, shall include bridges, raised walkways, or similar improvements as necessary to facilitate access, together with a reasonable number of wooden benches. The nontrail portion of the Property located in the R-OS zone shall otherwise remain in its natural vegetative state. A public recreational trail easement over the trails on the Property shall be conveyed to Portland Trails or, in the alternative, to the City of Portland granting the public the right to use the trails subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. In the alternative, RIDGE DEVELOPMENT may convey an easement over the recreational trails on the R-5A portion of the Property and convey the R-OS portion of the Property to Portland Trails in fee, both subject to such restrictions on hours, manner and intensity of use outlined in Paragraph 6, above. So long as at least the minimum passive recreational open space is provided as specified above, no additional active recreational open space is required. However, the developer may provide more than the minimum required, at its option, and subject to site plan review.

Except as set forth above, all provisions in Sections 14-126 through 14-131 of the CITY's zoning ordinance shall apply to the portion of the Property rezoned R-5A.

- 11. For the portion of the Property rezoned **R-OS**, the dimensional requirements and other zoning requirements of the R-OS zone shall apply, except as follows: despite any requirement to the contrary in § 14-158 (g), due to the linkage of the trail system to publicly-owned property which will provide public parking, no off-street parking need be provided on any portion of the Property for visitors projected to use the R-OS portion of the Property and **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** need not submit any parking needs projections.
- 12. The above stated restrictions, provisions and conditions are an essential part of the rezoning, shall run with the Property, shall bind and benefit **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT**, its successors and assigns, and any party in possession or occupancy of said Property or any part thereof, and shall inure to the benefit and be enforceable by the **CITY**, by and through its duly authorized **representatives**.
- 13. If any of the restrictions, provisions, conditions, or portions thereof set forth herein is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portions shall be deemed as a separate, distinct and independent provision and such determinations shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

14. In the event RIDGE DEVELOPMENT or its successors should fail to utilize the PROPERTY in accordance with this Agreement, or in the event of RIDGE DEVELOPMENT'S breach of any condition(s) set forth in this Agreement which differs from the provisions of Portland's Land Use Code which would otherwise be applicable to property situated in the R-5A or ROS zone, the CITY may prosecute such violations in accordance with 30-A M.R.S.A. §4452, M.R.Civ.P. 80K, or in any other manner available by law.

In addition, if such an enforcement action should result in a finding that **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** has breached the Agreement, then either the Portland Planning Board on its own initiative, or at the request of the Planning Authority, may make a recommendation to the City Council that the Conditional Rezoning be modified or the **PROPERTY** rezoned.

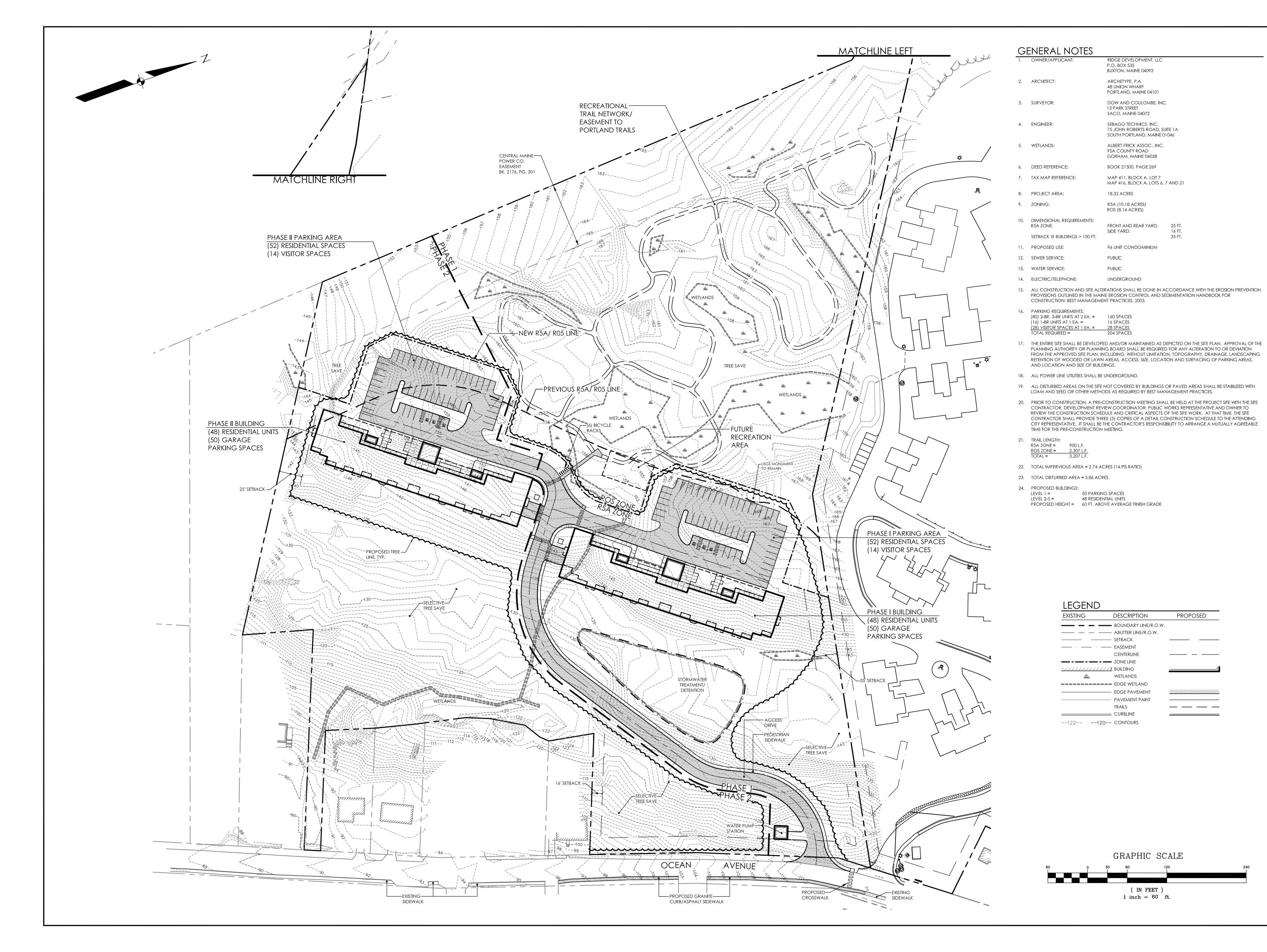
- 15. **RIDGE DEVELOPMENT** shall file a counterpart original of this Agreement in the Cumberland County Registry of Deeds.
- 16. Except as expressly modified herein, the development, use and occupancy of the Property shall be governed by and comply with the applicable provisions of the Portland City Code and any applicable amendments thereto or replacements thereof.

WITNESS:	RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC		
	By:		
	Patrick Tinsman Its Manager		
STATE OF MAINE CUMBERLAND, SS.		, 2014_	

Then personally appeared the above-named Patrick Tinsman, Manager of Ridge Development, LLC as aforesaid, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed in his said capacity and the free act and deed of said limited liability company.

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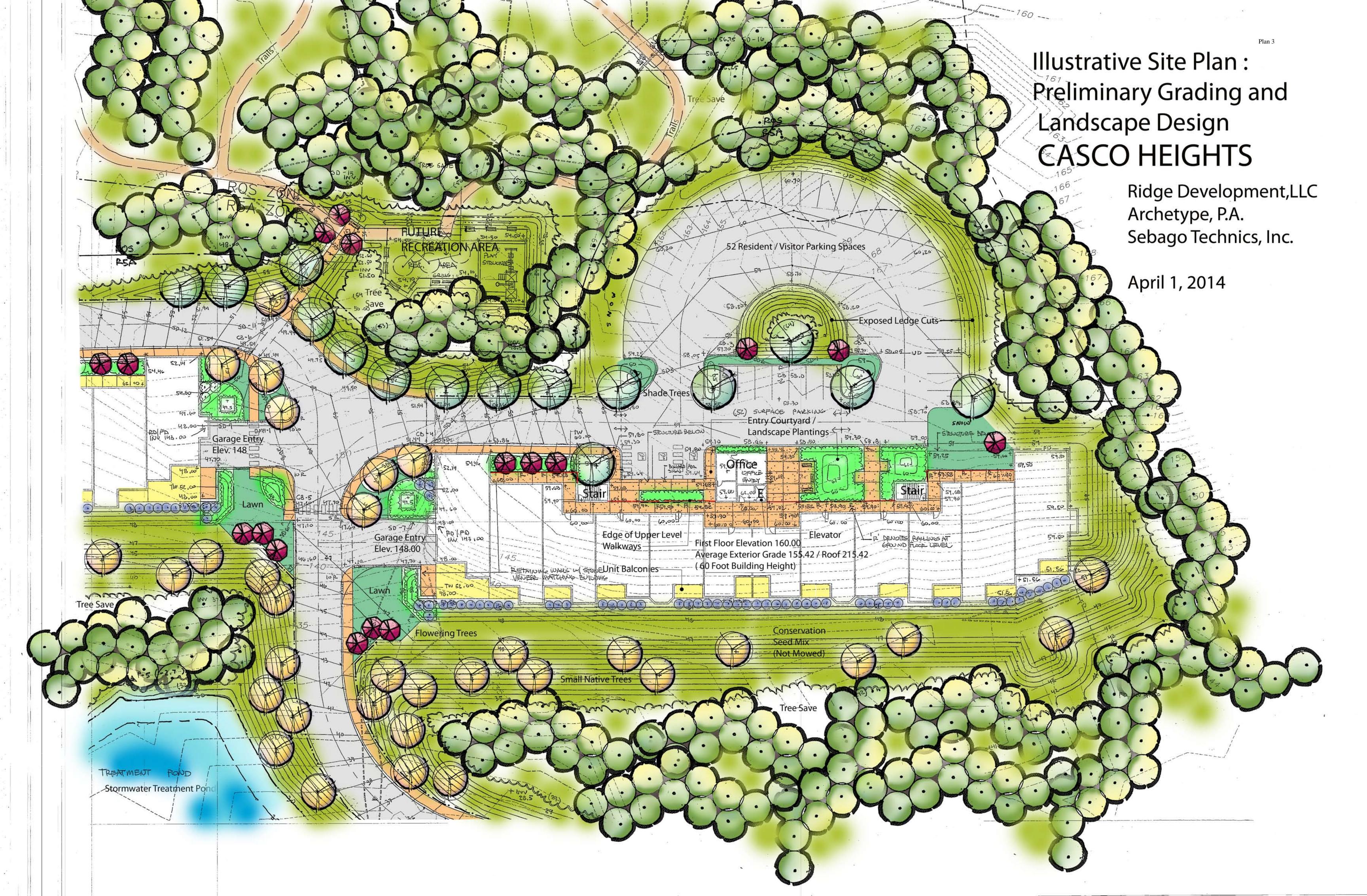


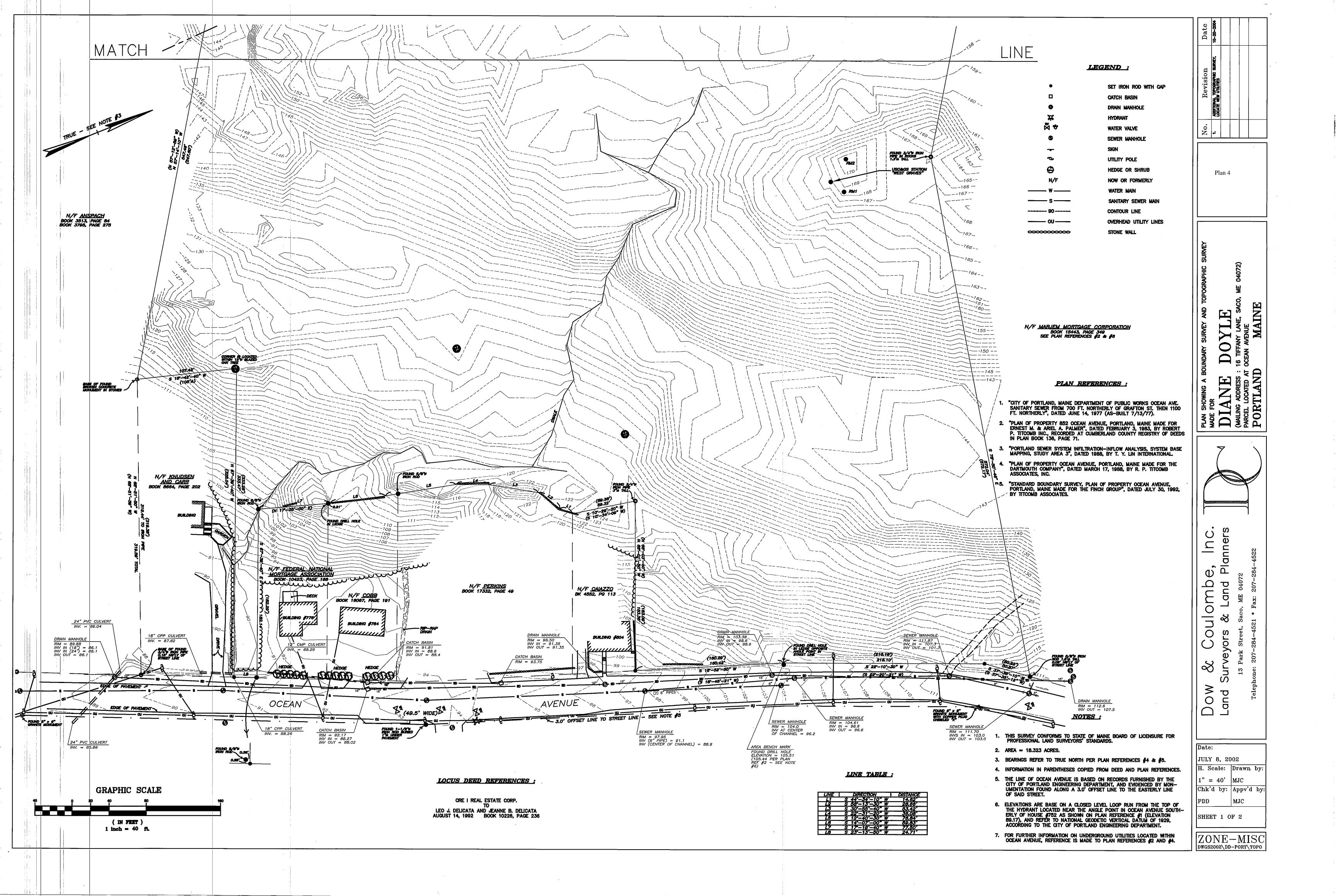
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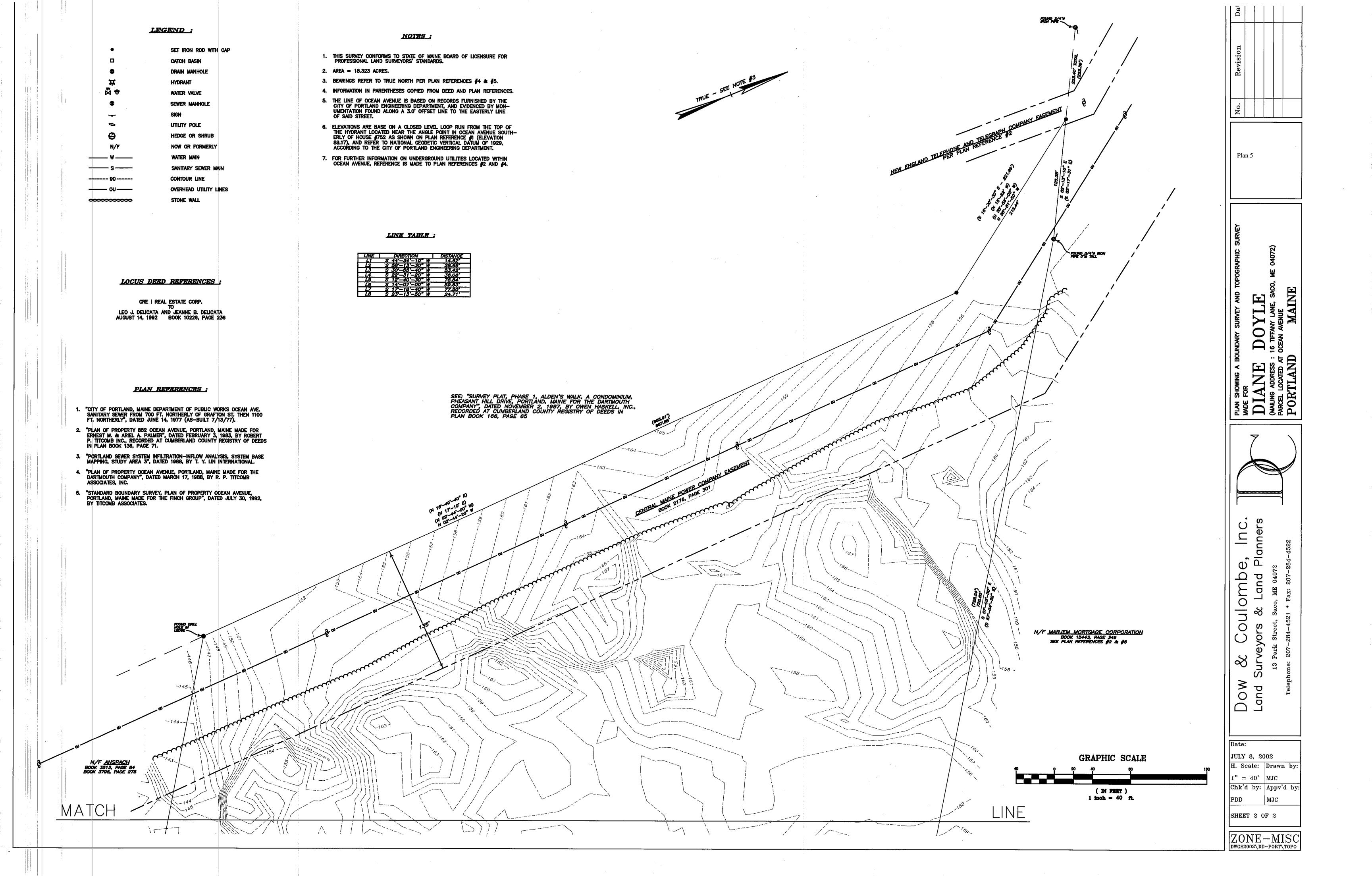
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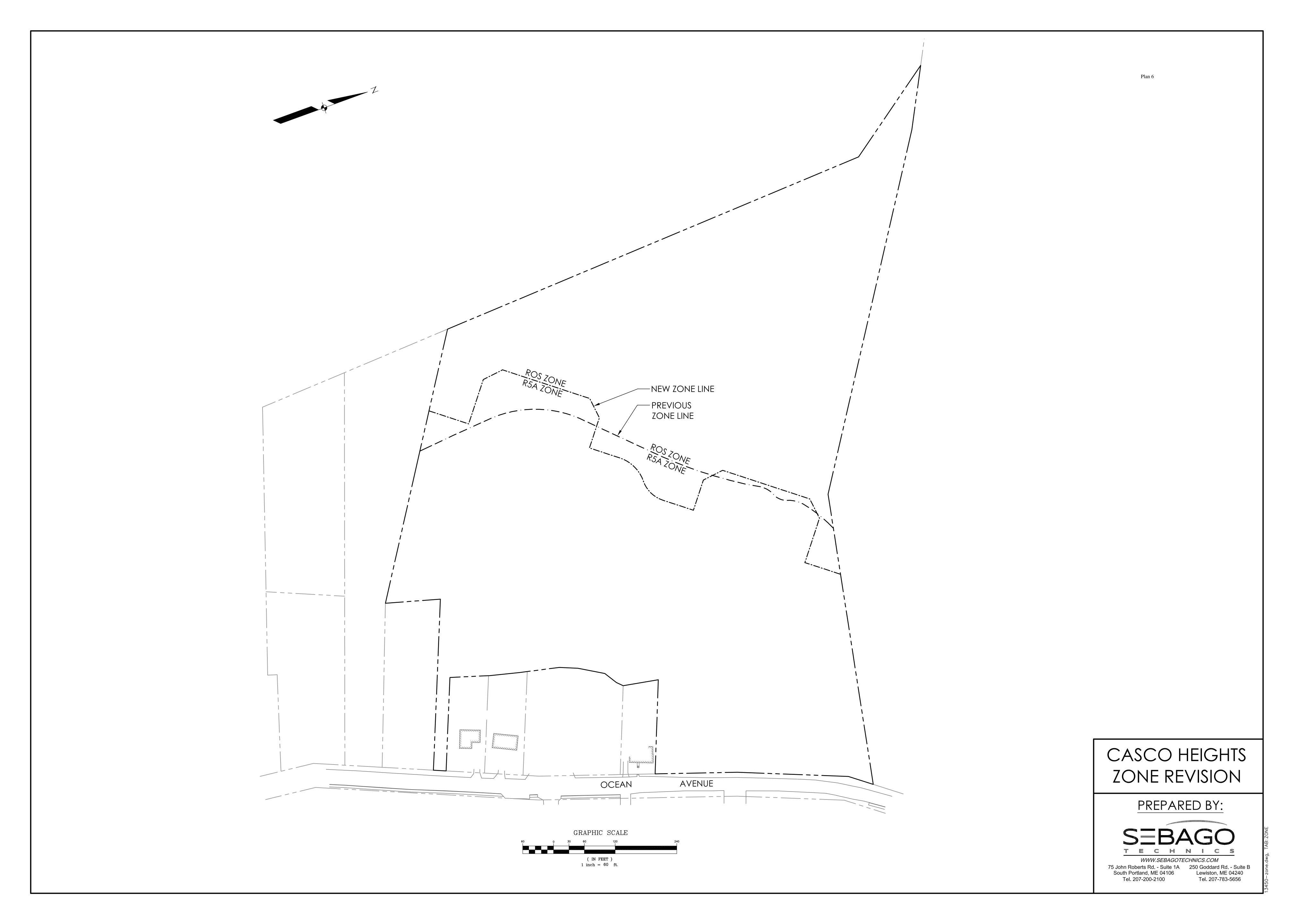
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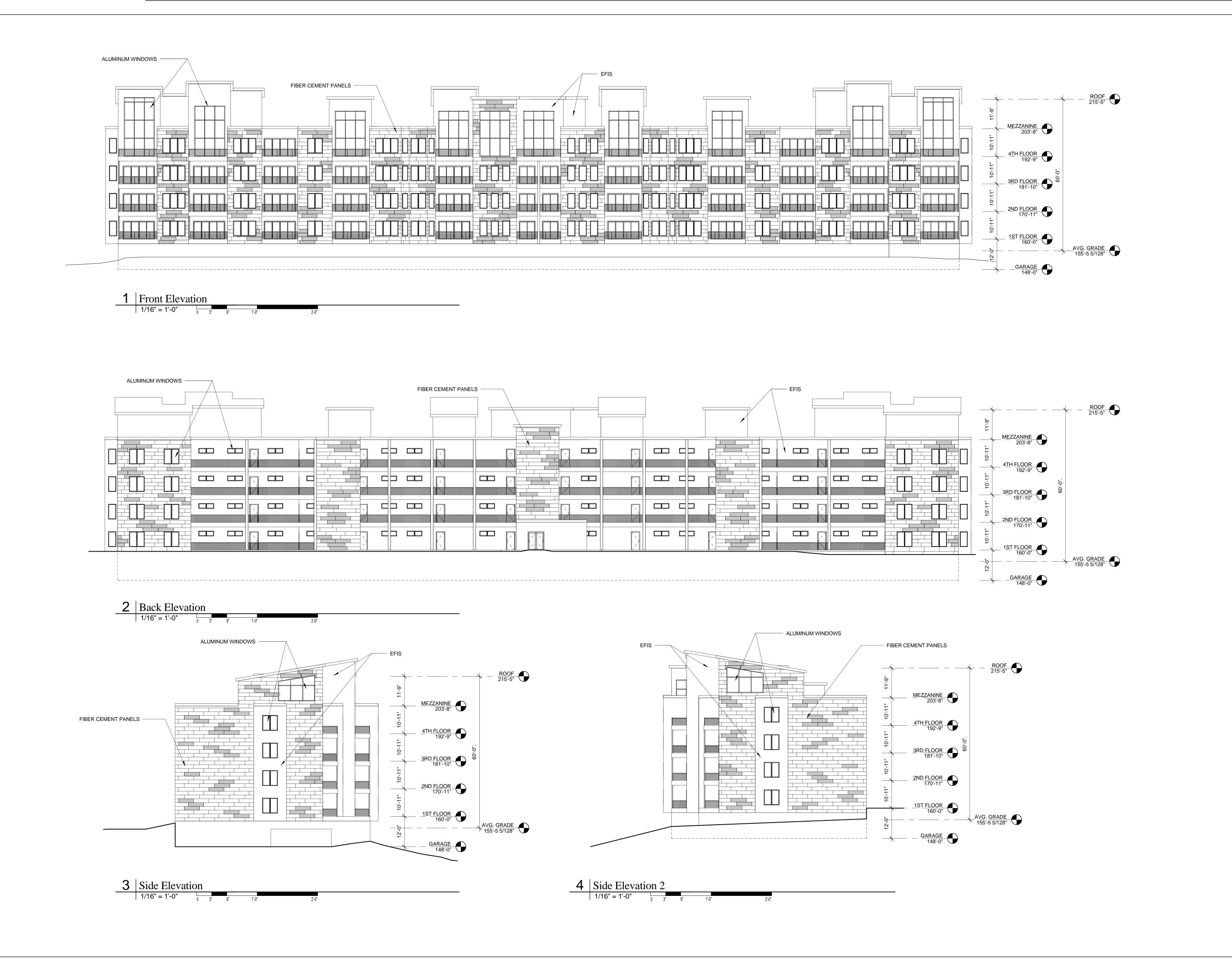
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