# CITY OF LOS ANGELES Office of Historic Resources/Cultural Heritage Commission HISTORIC-CULTURAL MONUMENT NOMINATION FORM



## **1. PROPERTY IDENTIFICATION**

Proposed Monument Name:								
Other Associated Names:								
Street Address: Zip:						Council District:		
Range of Addresses on Property:				Commu	Community Name:			
Assessor Parcel Number:		Tract:		Block:		Lot:		
Identification cont'd:								
Proposed Monument Property Type:	Building	Structure	Obje	ect	Site/Open	Space	Natural Feature	
Describe any additional resources located on the property to be included in the nomination, here:								

## 2. CONSTRUCTION HISTORY & CURRENT STATUS

Year built:	Factual	Estimated	Threatened?	
Architect/Designer:			Contractor:	
Original Use:			Present Use:	
Is the Proposed Monument on its Or	riginal Site?	Yes	No (explain in section 7)	Unknown (explain in section 7)

## 3. STYLE & MATERIALS

Architectural Style:			Stories:	Plan Shape:	
FEATURE	PRIMARY	SECONDARY			
CONSTRUCTION	Туре:	Туре:			
CLADDING	Material:	Material:			
POOL	Туре:	Туре:			
ROOF	Material:	Material:			
Туре:		Туре:			
WINDOWS Material:		Material:			
ENTRY	Style:	Style:			
DOOR	Туре:	Туре:			



## 4. ALTERATION HISTORY

d write a brief description of any major alterations or additions. This section may also be completed on a separate document of permits in the nomination packet. Make sure to list any major alterations for which there are no permits, as well.

#### 5. EXISTING HISTORIC RESOURCE IDENTIFICATION (if known)

Listed in the National Register of Historic Places			
Listed in the California Register of Historical Resources			
Formally determined eligible for the National and/or California Regist	ers		
Located in an Historic Preservation Overlay Zone (HPOZ)	Contributing feature Non-contributing feature		
Determined eligible for national, state, or local landmark	Survey Name(s):		

### 6. APPLICABLE HISTORIC-CULTURAL MONUMENT CRITERIA

The proposed monument exemplifies the following Cultural Heritage Ordinance Criteria (Section 22.171.7):

- 1. Is identified with important events of national, state, or local history, or exemplifies significant contributions to the broad cultural, economic or social history of the nation, state, city or community.
- 2. Is associated with the lives of historic personages important to national, state, city, or local history.

3. Embodies the distinctive characteristics of a style, type, period, or method of construction; or represents a notable work of a master designer, builder, or architect whose individual genius influenced his or her age.

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## 7. WRITTEN STATEMENTS

This section allows you to discuss at length the significance of the proposed monument and why it should be designated an Historic-Cultural Monument. Type your response on separate documents and attach them to this form.

**A. Proposed Monument Description** - Describe the proposed monument's physical characteristics and relationship to its surrounding environment. Expand on sections 2 and 3 with a more detailed description of the site. Expand on section 4 and discuss the construction/alteration history in detail if that is necessary to explain the proposed monument's current form. Identify and describe any character-defining elements, structures, interior spaces, or landscape features.

**B. Statement of Significance** - Address the proposed monument's historic, cultural, and/or architectural significance by discussing how it satisfies the HCM criteria you selected in Section 6. You must support your argument with substantial evidence and analysis. The Statement of Significance is your main argument for designation so it is important to substantiate any claims you make with supporting documentation and research.

### 8. CONTACT INFORMATION

#### Applicant

Name:		Company:			
Street Address:		City: State:			
Zip:	Phone Number:		Email:		

Property Owner Is the c		n support of the nomination? Yes No			Unknown	
Name:		Company:				
Street Address:		City:				State:
Zip:	Phone Number:		Email:			

#### Nomination Preparer/Applicant's Representative

Name:		Company:			
Street Address:		City: State:			
Zip:	Phone Number:		Email:		

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#### 9. SUBMITTAL

When you have completed preparing your nomination, compile all materials in the order specified below. Although the entire packet must not exceed 100 pages, you may send additional material on a CD or flash drive.

#### APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- 1. Nomination Form
- 2. Written Statements A and B
- 3. Bibliography
- Two Primary Photos of Exterior/Main Facade (8x10, the main photo of the proposed monument. Also email a digitial copy of the main photo to: planning.ohr@lacity.org)
- 5. Copies of Primary/Secondary Documentation
- 6. Copies of Building Permits for Major Alterations (include first construction permits)
- 7. Additional, Contemporary Photos
- 8. Historical Photos
- 9. Zimas Parcel Report for all Nominated Parcels (including map)

#### **10. RELEASE**

Please read each statement and check the corresponding boxes to indicate that you agree with the statement, then sign below in the provided space. Either the applicant or preparer may sign.

I acknowledge that all documents submitted will become public records under the California Public Records Act, and understand that the documents will be made available upon request to members of the public for inspection and copying.

I acknowledge that all photographs and images submitted as part of this application will become the property of the City of Los Angeles, and understand that permission is granted for use of the photographs and images by the City without any expectation of compensation.

I acknowledge that I have the right to submit or have obtained the appropriate permission to submit all information contained in this application.

Adrian Scott Fine

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Name:

Date:

Signature:

Mail your Historic-Cultural Monument Submittal to the Office of Historic Resources.

Office of Historic Resources Department of City Planning 221 N. Figueroa St., Ste. 1350 Los Angeles, CA 90012

Phone: 213-874-3679 Website: preservation.lacity.org

# 7. WRITTEN STATEMENTS

# A. Proposed Monument Description

# <u>Site</u>

Bank of America Chinatown branch (also referred to here as the "bank building") is located at 850 North Broadway at the southeast corner of North Broadway and West College Street in the heart of Los Angeles Chinatown.<sup>1</sup> The dense urban area predominantly contains commercial buildings, although a new four-story residential building is located across the street to the north at the northeast corner of North Broadway and West College Street. The bank building is located one block west of the Chinatown station Metro Gold Line.

Sidewalks line the west and north elevations of the bank building, with trees planted in tree wells along the street edge. The bank building is located at the northwest portion of the parcel with a surface parking lot along the east half of the parcel. Driveway entrances are located on the southwest corner, with a drive along the south elevation, and at the north side of the parcel. A small parking booth is situated in the north driveway. The booth is a rectangular, concrete structure with fixed windows on all sides of the upper portions of the walls. A door is located in the south elevation of the booth. Simple upturned eaves support a thick, flat, concrete roof.

The property is bordered by metal fencing primarily along the west elevation and a low concrete block wall primarily along the east side of the property. Landscaping along the west elevation consists of a meandering planting edge with small rocks near the sidewalk. Within the planting bed are small shrubs and dwarf palms interspersed with large decorative bounders. Landscaping at the north and south elevations consists of large decorative boulders and closely cropped low shrubs. A tall pine tree is planted at the northeast corner of the building. Two flagpoles are placed at the north elevation, flanking the secondary, emergency exit.

A pole sign is placed at the southwest corner of the parcel, on the south side of the driveway. The pole sign has two, tall, circular columns with a contemporary box sign atop. The beam supporting the box sign mimics the upturned eaves of the building.

# Exterior

Incorporated within the framework of Late Modern style, the Bank of America building is designed in an "Asian Eclectic" architectural style, which is nomenclature developed by SurveyLA to describe resources with Asian influence. The bank building is generally one story high with a smaller second story located along the east elevation, overhanging the north elevation. The plan is irregular. The roof is flat with a hipped parapet finished in decorative green glazed tiles and wide overhanging eaves. End tiles feature a stamped flower design. Ridges of the tile parapet have decorative upturned wood brackets.

The west elevation facing Broadway is the primary elevation, though the building entrances are located on the north and south elevations. The west facade is 8 bays wide. Alternating bays are slightly wider than adjoining bays; each bay is defined by tapered isosceles trapezoid pilasters, thicker at the base and thinner at the cornice. Pilasters align with overhanging rafter tails. Lighting consists of simple square fixtures mounted to the underside of the eave, with one fixture in each bay. The

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For purposes of this nomination and ease of description, it is assumed North Broadway runs north-south. See Map 1.

trapezoid pilasters are painted red with white trim. A circular medallion extending the width of and roughly centered within the height of each pilaster, is a stylized Chinese symbol representing prosperity. The central bays contain windows, while outer bays do not have openings. Fenestration consists of fixed aluminum sash windows with staggered mullions. The fixed windows are configured as three horizontal sections with a tall center section framed by narrower upper and lower sections. The narrower sections are further vertically divided. Small, gold mosaic tile runs along the base of each window bay. Signage is located at the north-most bay with a contemporary box sign above Chinese characters that read "Měi guó yín hang" ("United States Bank") applied directly to the wall surface. A metal depository box is located in the south-most bay, accessed by a concrete handicap-accessible ramp. The ramp is edged by a contemporary metal railing.

The south elevation is four bays wide. The two western bays are delineated by tapered pilasters that continue the pattern from the west elevation. These bays are also topped by the green tile hipped parapet. Lighting consists of simple square fixtures mounted to the underside of the eave, with one fixture in each bay. The main building entrance is located in the center-west bay where a glazed wall consists of double, aluminum and glass doors with glazed sidelights and transoms. The composition of the glass doors, sidelights and transoms creates the shape of an isosceles trapezoid. The two eastern bays step back from the plane of the two western bays. A thick rafter continues across the center-east bay from the west, with thinner, perpendicular beams creating a trellis above. The second bay from the east contains a bank of ATMs, topped by a canopy that mimics the roof of the building with green tiles, rafter tails capped by a decorative metal finish, and upturned wood brackets along the corners. A wing wall separates the east-most bay and contains a large, circular opening edged in red. The east-most bay is open at the ground floor; at the second floor, a blank wall is set in from the rest of the elevation.

The east elevation is two stories high and faces the surface parking lot. The second floor cantilevers far over the first floor and is supported by beams with upturned ends, similar to the rafter tails along the west elevation that extend beyond the wall plane. At the first floor, tapered isosceles trapezoid freestanding columns matching those on the west façade, including the circular medallions, align with each beam. The first floor is not clearly visible due to a contemporary metal fence and construction screen. Sketches accompanying building permits suggest that a driveway provides access to a loading dock in this location. The second floor is separated into bays by vertical stripes of green paint, aligning with first floor bays. A circular window is located toward the south side of the second floor. Mullions create a geometric pattern within the fixed glazing.

The north elevation is four bays wide. The two eastern bays step out from the western bays. The second floor, which overhangs the east elevation, is flush with the eastern portion of the north elevation. Widely overhanging wood beams extend from the roofline along the east two bays. The green tile hipped parapet, wraps from the west elevation and extends nearly the length of the north elevation, ending where the second floor is evident. In the center-east bay, an isosceles trapezoid panel is filled with gold, mosaic tile. A simple, contemporary box sign is located adjacent to the east of the mosaic tile wall. An ATM faces west, topped by a tile canopy with green tiles, rafter tails capped by a decorative metal finish, and upturned wood brackets along the corners. The center-west bay contains a secondary emergency exit with a glazed wall consisting of double, aluminum and glass doors with glazed sidelights and transoms; the composition is generally in the shape of an isosceles trapezoid. A ramp with contemporary railings provides access to the secondary emergency exit and ATM. Signage, consisting of vertically placed Chinese characters, are located in the otherwise blank western-most bay.

## Interior

Only the public banking area was accessed; private areas are not described. The public banking area extends the width of the west elevation. The open space has a grid of wood ceiling beams creating a coffered appearance. Some ceiling tiles within the coffers contain Chinese characters that read, "shou" ("longevity"). Flooring is contemporary wood composite. Temporary partitions create small offices along a portion of the west elevation. A small office at the northwest corner of the building breaks up the public portion of the interior, as does a small enclosure is at the southwest corner. Walk-up bank tellers are located behind a waist-height marble counter with a clear plexiglass screen above. Visible private areas behind the plexiglass screen contain suspended ceilings and contemporary fixtures.

## Alterations

The bank building was constructed in two phases, with the first phase in 1971 and a second phase in 1977 (see Figure 11). The first phase consisted of a new bank building with offices, approximately 99-feet by 92-feet and two-stories high. The building was designed by Gilbert L. Leong and Richard Layne Tom with engineering by Socoloske Zelner & Associates for a cost of \$190,000.<sup>2</sup> Separate permits were issued over the next three months for two freestanding light fixtures, a flag pole, a retaining wall along the east side of the parcel, and a pole sign.<sup>3</sup> A certificate of occupancy was issued in April of 1972.<sup>4</sup>

In 1977, a one-story addition designed by Richard Layne Tom with his firm Tom and Truskier seamlessly extended the bank building to the south, continuing the established rhythm of bays, green tile roof, and design themes, both outside and in.<sup>5</sup> The expansion allowed for an increase in the number of "teller stations from 8 to 14 and the merchants' special deposit section from one to two stations."<sup>6</sup> The 1977 extension replaced an earlier series of wood pylons along the south elevation that led to the main entrance. These pylons were evident in drawings, renderings, and a photograph in the *Los Angeles Times* (Historic Photos 1-4). Completed in 1979,<sup>7</sup> the expansion has taken on significance over time. Designed by Richard Layne Tom, one of the architects who designed the original 1971 portion of the building, the expansion appears as a second phase of the early plans, continuing the original design themes without introducing new elements.

In 1978, a bus stop shelter (no longer extant) was added to the site, also designed by the firm of Tom and Truskier, and featured a tile roof.<sup>8</sup> An "Automatic teller" was installed in 1981. It is not known if this ATM was installed along the north or south elevation as both elevations feature ATMs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and for Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #1971LA22978, February 8, 1971.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> City of Los Angeles, , Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and for Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #1971LA22979, February 8, 1971; City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and for Certificate of Occupancy," Permit 1971LA22980, February 8, 1971; City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and For Certificate of Occupancy," Permit 1971LA22980, February 8, 1971; City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and Safety," Application for Inspection of New Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and Safety, "Applica

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Certificate of Occupancy," April 26, 1972.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and for Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #1977LA52959, October 12, 1977.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> "Bank Branch Expanding," Los Angeles Times, December 25, 1977, 46.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Certificate of Occupancy," December 26, 1979.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of New Building and for Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #1978LA72001, October 23, 1978.

covered by tiled canopies, neither of which are featured in original renderings. A new sign was installed in 1982 on the existing supports.<sup>9</sup> The sign was "reface[d]" in 1984.<sup>10</sup> A gazebo at the southeast corner of the property was demolished in 1989,<sup>11</sup> although it is not known when it was installed. ADA upgrades in 2008 included removing and installing new ramps, as well as changes to the parking.<sup>12</sup> Finally, tenant improvements were completed in 2019 to "convert existing room to an ATM room and install a new ATM inside of the Bank." Work in 2019 also included accessibility upgrades,<sup>13</sup> as well as installation of EV charging stations in the parking lot.<sup>14</sup>

The Bank of America building at 850 North Broadway appears very much as it did in 1979, after completion of the expansion. While there have been relatively minor alterations, such as the face of the pole sign, contemporary fencing, new ramping, and new interior finishes, the building retains all of its character-defining features.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of Signs," Permit #1982LA40123, March 16, 1982.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection of Signs," Permit #1982LA40123, April 9, 1984.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Inspection to Add-Alter-Repair-Demolish," Permit #1989LA24582, February 22, 1989.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Building Permit and Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #08016-30000-11457, August 26, 2008.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Building Permit and Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #19016-10000-17052, October 4, 2019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety, "Application for Building Permit and Certificate of Occupancy," Permit #19020-10000-00782, August 29, 2019.

## **B.** Statement of Significance

The Chinatown branch of Bank of America, constructed from 1971-1979, located at 850 North Broadway, is significant under criterion 1 as the first national bank to open a branch in Chinatown, underscoring the growth and preeminence of the local Chinese community during an important period in its history. Chinese immigration to the United States exploded in the late 1960s after passage of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965. The Chinese American population in Los Angeles was approximately 20,000 in 1960 and by 1969 had grown to approximately 40,000.15 According to SurveyLA's historic context statement for Chinese Americans in Los Angeles, this post-1965 time period "reshaped the collective consciousness of communities of color."<sup>16</sup> Many new Chinese immigrants ultimately settled in the San Gabriel Valley, but throughout the 1970s and 1980s Los Angeles Chinatown was the geographical focus of the community, making it a critically important cultural and commercial center. Banking was an essential component of growth of the neighborhood, facilitating development of new Chinese and Chinese American-owned businesses. The local Chinese American population had historically been reliant on an informal banking system, and the emergence of new banks in Chinatown in the late 1960s and early 1970s aided financial investment in the community for a population that had previously been denied loans and credit. As the first national bank branch in Chinatown, the opening of the Chinatown branch of Bank of America solidified the increasing strength of the local Chinese American community and provided new financial opportunities. By 1974, the bank was the fastest growing branch of Bank of America in Los Angeles.<sup>17</sup> Over 250 credit cards were approved, which for many of the Chinese clients was the first time they had been approved for credit.<sup>18</sup> The Chinatown branch of Bank of America is only one of two extant banks in Chinatown that opened post-World War II still in its original location, situated in a neighborhood that, according to SurveyLA, "in particular, stands as a monument to the collective achievements of Los Angeles' Chinese American community."19

The Chinatown branch of Bank of America is also significant under criterion 3 for its unique design combining Asian Eclectic and Late Modern architectural style, designed by noted Chinese American architects Gilbert Leong and Richard Layne Tom.<sup>20</sup> According to SurveyLA, Asian Eclectic architecture evolved from the 1950s to 1980s and "adopted some of the design language of the Modern movement."<sup>21</sup> Utilizing features of the Late Modern style, the Chinatown branch of Bank of American includes horizontal orientation, flat roof, smooth stucco cladding, and unadorned wall surfaces with minimal ornamentation. These basic features serve as a framework for application of Asian Eclectic features incorporating "classical Chinese elements," including a "roof built from imported jade green tile over extended wood beams, and modern Asian-beamed ceilings with contemporary designs of the Chinese characters highlighting the interior of the bank."<sup>22</sup> While Bank

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Los Angeles Citywide Historic Context Statement: Chinese Americans in Los Angeles, 1850-1980," Survey LA, City of Los Angeles Department of City Planning, Office of Historic Resources, October 2018, 48, 50 (hereafter "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Terence Gates, "The Chinese Aura of L.A.'s Bank of America," *Bulletin of the China Society of Southern California*, 1974. <sup>18</sup> Gates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles,"54.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Both prominent Chinese American architects, it is not known what brought Gilbert Leong and Richard Layne Tom, Jr. together or why the bank made the unusual decision to hire both. Although Leong was sixteen years Tom's senior, it is well established that in the Chinese American community, "everyone knew everyone else." (Bonnie Tsui, *American Chinatown; A People's History of Five Neighborhoods* (New York: Free Press, 2009), 124. This sentiment was reiterated by Marilynn Tom, Richard Layne Tom's widow.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> "Sub-theme: East Asian Eclectic, 1920-1980, Context: Architecture and Engineering; Theme: Exotic Revival, 1900-1980," *SurveyLA Citywide Historic Context Statement,* prepared for City of Los Angeles, Department of City Planning, Office of Historic Resources, December 2015: 28.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Gates.

of America typically designed their banks at the time with uniform features described as "Early Modern Slab," the Chinatown Branch was considered distinctive at the time for its "distinctive architectural design" and "Chinese motif."<sup>23</sup> A deliberate modern interpretation of traditional Chinese architecture that resonated with the bank's Chinese American clients, the building reflects Los Angeles Chinatown of the early 1970s as the core of the growing Chinese American community. The reimagining of Asian Eclectic architecture by American architects, such as Gilbert Leong, for a Chinese American audience is especially noteworthy. Additionally, in 1973, the building won the Los Angeles Beautiful Committee Inc.'s award for best architectural design for a business structure.

The period of significance begins in 1972, when the building was initially constructed, and extends to 1989, when the San Gabriel Valley ethnoburb became the population and business center for the Chinese American community in southern California.<sup>24</sup>

## Historic Context

## Los Angeles Chinatown

The Chinatown branch of Bank of America is located in Los Angeles Chinatown, which is roughly bounded by Cesar Chavez Avenue to the south, North Almeda and North Spring streets to the east, I-110 Freeway to the west, and Bernard Street to the north. North Broadway and Hill Street run generally north-south as commercial spines.

What we now known as Chinatown was created by the Chinese community in 1938 after demolition of "Old" Chinatown to make way for Union Station in 1933 and later, the I-110 freeway in 1951. The first Chinese immigrants to Los Angeles came in the 1850s, many initially lured to California by the Gold Rush of 1848. Early Chinese immigrants frequently clustered together and worked in a number of occupations, including household service, restaurant work, clothing manufacture, laundries, truck farmers, and vegetable peddlers. Old Chinatown was "naturally the first destinations for Chinese new-comers…providing them with affordable housing, job opportunities, social services, and customary daily life."<sup>25</sup>

Following displacement of the Chinese population after the 1938 demolition of "Old" Chinatown, development of "New" Chinatown was spearheaded by Peter SooHoo, Sr., uncle of Richard Layne Tom, one of the architects of the Chinatown branch of Bank of America. Peter SooHoo founded the Los Angeles Chinatown Project Association in 1937. Funded by 25 Chinese American investors, the association bought land and developed New Chinatown, specifically what is now known as the Central Plaza with access via the West Gate on North Hill Street and the East Gate on North Broadway. New Chinatown is unique among American Chinatowns in that it was developed by Chinese Americans.<sup>26</sup> "Its founders envisioned a place that would serve and protect local Chinese American residents, as well as draw visitors to partake of its unique offerings."<sup>27</sup> At the time, Los

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Gates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Ethnoburb is a term coined in late 1990s by Wei Li, a professor at Arizona State University to indicate "surburban, ethnic residential and business clusters in large metropolitan areas."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Fanglan Chen, "Thrive or Survive: Evolution and Preservation of Chinatowns in the United States," Masters thesis, University of Georgia, 27.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> "New" Chinatown is often contrasted to China City, a neighborhood the locals did not feel particularly proud of as its development and design was a caricature conceived by Christine Sterling, the same woman who reconceived of nearby Olvera Street as a quaint Mexican marketplace with a carefully crafted 'authenticity'. China City was more of a tourist attraction populated by renters, rather than owners. The "old faction of Chinese did not think that China City was a credit to the Chinese as compared to the New Chinatown." (see Leong oral history, page 25-26.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> Los Angeles Conservancy, "Exploring Chinatown Past and Present," booklet produced in conjunction with a tour held on April 17, 2016, 3.

Angeles had the fourth largest Chinese community in California, with 3,000 Chinese and Chinese Americans. A master plan for the central plaza was developed by noted Los Angeles architects Erle Webster and Adrian Wilson. "The concept of New Chinatown as an idyllic destination complete with gateways and wishing wells was intentional. These features, along with the Asian Eclectic architecture of many buildings, played heavily into a romanticized stereotype of Asian people and Asian culture."<sup>28</sup>

Los Angeles Chinatown was "the traditional center of the Chinese community and business in Los Angeles"<sup>29</sup> even though the Chinese population of Chinatown was initially relatively low. In 1960, no more than 1,000 Chinese in Los Angeles County lived in Chinatown. Rather, the Chinese community was dispersed throughout the city, with a concentration in the South Central neighborhoods operating small grocery stores that served primarily African Americans. After the 1965 Watts Rebellion, many Chinese moved out of these areas to other areas, including Chinatown.<sup>30</sup> This was coupled with rapid rise in new immigrants from mainland China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, and Southeast Asia after passage of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965, which expanded quotas of immigration from non-European countries. The Chinese American community more than doubled in Los Angeles between 1950 and 1960, from 8,000 to 20,000; by 1969 had grown to approximately 40,000.<sup>31</sup> According to SurveyLA's historic context statement for Chinese Americans in Los Angeles, this post-1965 time period "reshaped the collective consciousness of communities of color."32 Although many new immigrants ultimately settled in the San Gabriel Valley, throughout the 1970s and 1980s Los Angeles Chinatown was the geographical focus for the Chinese American community, making it a critically important cultural center as well as a key node for commercial establishments catering to Chinese and Chinese Americans.

In the 1970s, affluent Chinese Americans began moving in large numbers to the San Gabriel Valley, particularly Monterey Park, which was "marketed as the Chinese Beverly Hills." Nevertheless, throughout the 1970s, Los Angeles Chinatown continued to be "a cultural touchstone" for both new Chinese immigrants in addition to well-established Chinese American families.

# Other Chinatown Banks and Chinese Banking

In the 1960s and early 1970s, several banks were formed in Los Angeles Chinatown to serve Chinese immigrants and their children including Cathay Bank (1962), Bank of America (1972), East-West Bank (1972), and Far East National Bank (1974). Of those four early banks, only two, Cathay Bank and Bank of America, remain in their original buildings. Bank of America, with its Chinese staff able to communicate with the clientele in Cantonese and Mandarin, stood out as the only national bank serving the Los Angeles Chinatown community. Bank of America first applied to the Federal Reserve Board for a charter in 1965 but the request was denied as the board not did think Chinatown needed more than one bank. After reapplying in 1969, Bank of America's request was granted.

Prior to the 1960s and establishment of formal banking institutions, the Los Angeles Chinese community was highly reliant on an informal banking system and was predominantly cash-based.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> Los Angeles Conservancy, 2016, 8-9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Wei Li, Gary Dymski, Yu Zhou, Maria Chee and Carolyn Aldana, "Chinese-American Banking and Community Development in Los Angeles County," *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, Vol. 92, No. 4 (Dec., 2002), 781.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Li, Dymski, Zhou, Chee and Aldana, 786.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," 48, 50.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," 3.

Chinese family associations (huis) and district associations typically provided financial assistance.<sup>33</sup> In addition, it was challenging for Chinese Americans to get loans and other banking services as they often had no established credit history and low English proficiency.<sup>34</sup> Cathay Bank opened in Los Angeles Chinatown in rented space in 1962,<sup>35</sup> moving in 1966 to its own building at 777 North Broadway. The flagship bank building was designed by Chinese American architect, Eugene Choy, in an Asian Eclectic style that blended with International style. Cathay Bank was the first bank in southern California to serve a Chinese American clientele. The bank was responsible for financing 80% of apartments built in Chinatown after it was established, aiding Chinatown's rapid population increase. Many of these apartments were built at the periphery of Chinatown, which helped to increase the geographical boundaries of the community.<sup>36</sup> East-West Bank opened in 1973 in the Kong Chow Benevolent Association Building, designed by Gilbert Leong. By 1996, the bank had moved its headquarters to San Marino and a new branch opened across the street at 942 North Broadway. Gilbert Leong, one of the two architects of the Bank of America Building, was a founding director of East-West Bank and he served on the bank's board of directors until his death in 1996.

Bank of America had a long history of serving ethnic communities. Founded in 1904 in San Francisco as the Bank of Italy by Amadeo Peter Giannini, Bank of America grew exponentially after the 1906 San Francisco earthquake and fire. Specifically, the bank opened branches in rural areas by acquiring existing banks and converting them to bank branches. Bank of America became the largest commercial bank in the world by serving members of the community such as the working class, immigrant populations, and small businesses that had not previously had access to financial institutions.<sup>37</sup> Giannini referred to his clients as "the little fellow'... the man of moderate means…because he felt that other banks…were not lending enough money to 'small borrowers,' particularly foreigners."<sup>38</sup> Given the history of Bank of America as the bank of immigrants, it seems fitting that it would be the first national bank branch in Los Angeles Chinatown, a bank branch geared toward serving an immigrant community.

Bank of America Chinatown branch opened for business on Monday, January 31, 1972 with a "weeklong public open house" that included drawings for color televisions, "souvenir Chinese gold luck key chains and refreshments, including special gold candy coins for youngsters."<sup>39</sup> The "Chinese emphasis" included not only its appearance, but also "extend[ed] to the more important aspects of the bank's service to the Chinese community."<sup>40</sup> The branch's first manager, George Woo, was born in Shanghai and raised in Hong Kong. After attending college in San Diego, he started working for Bank of America in San Diego in 1963 before transferring to Los Angeles.<sup>41</sup> All of the other sixteen people on staff were Chinese American who spoke Cantonese and several also

<sup>39</sup> Bank of America, pamphlet entitled, "Bank of America's New Los Angeles Chinatown Branch," from the files of Marilynn Tom, no date.

<sup>40</sup> Gates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> Chinese Historical Society of Southern California, "A History of Chinese American Banking in Los Angeles," *IMDiversity*, imdiversity.com/villages/asian/a-history-of-chinese-american-banking-in-los-angeles/.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Li, Dymski, Zhou, Chee and Aldana, 786.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> Li, Dymski, Zhou, Chee and Aldana, 785; Chinese Historical Society of Southern California, "A History of Chinese American Banking in Los Angeles," *IMDiversity*, indiversity.com/villages/asian/a-history-of-chinese-american-banking-in-los-angeles/.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> Li, Dymski, Zhou, Chee and Aldana, 786.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> Joseph Giovinco, "Democracy in Banking, The Bank of Italy and California's Italians," *California Historical Society Quarterly*, XLVIII, 195.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> O.G. Wilson, "Bank of America's Archival Program," The American Archivist, vol. 29, no. 1, January 1966, 43.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Gates.

spoke Mandarin. To aid their Chinese patrons, the bank installed abacuses to assist in computation.<sup>42</sup> By 1974, the bank was the fastest growing Bank of America branch in Los Angeles.<sup>43</sup> Over 250 credit cards were approved, which for many of the Chinese clients was the first time they had been approved for credit.<sup>44</sup>

# Asian Eclectic Architecture

The Bank of America Chinatown branch is significant for its unique design combining Asian Eclectic and Late Modern architectural style, designed and constructed in the 1970s. While Bank of America typically designed their banks at the time with uniform features described as "Early Modern Slab," the Chinatown Branch was considered at the time to be unique for its "distinctive architectural design" and "Chinese motif."<sup>45</sup> The Late Modern design incorporated "classical Chinese elements," including a "roof built from imported jade green tile over extended wood beams, and modern Asian-beamed ceilings with contemporary designs of the Chinese characters highlighting the interior of the bank."<sup>46</sup> The jade green tile roof was chosen by Richard Layne Tom, who traveled to Taipei in Taiwan with his wife Marilynn to pick out the tiles in person. The tiles were handmade in a "primitive oven," and the green color was chosen because of its well-known status as the color of prosperity in the Chinese culture.<sup>47</sup>

Asian Eclectic style of architecture is a reinterpretation of Asian architecture by both European American and later, Chinese American, architects. The term was coined by SurveyLA to refer to "a fusion of architectural influences from various Asian countries, particularly China and Japan, often assembled in fanciful combinations to create an atmosphere of exoticism or opulence."<sup>48</sup> The style has also been referred to as "pseudo-Oriental" for the Honolulu Chinatown Historic District.<sup>49</sup>

The style originated in San Francisco after the 1906 earthquake when Chinatown was rebuilt. A local Chinese businessman hired Anglo-American architect T. Paterson Ross and engineer A. W. Burgren, who "relied on centuries-old images, primarily of religious vernacular, to develop the look of new Chinatown." The architecture was drawn from "various Chinese traditions as well as American ideas of what China should look like" to create a tourist attraction intended for a white audience.<sup>50</sup> Chinatowns around the country copied the aesthetic of San Francisco, including Los Angeles' "New" Chinatown and China City. Pagoda roofs and dragon gates have come to signify Chinatown throughout American cities, including San Francisco, New York, and Boston.

Much of the attention on Asian Eclectic architectural style has been placed on symbolism of design features. However, by placing attention on specific design features, the underlying connotations of the style is lost. Grauman's Chinese Theater (6925 Hollywood Boulevard, HCM #55), constructed in 1927, perpetuated and disseminated a Hollywood idea of Chinese architecture as exotic and foreign. Designed by the architecture firm Meyer & Holler, the 90-foot, pagoda-shaped roof and columns are topped with wrought iron masks. Hollywood continued to reinforce a particular visual

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> Gates. Abacuses are no longer extant.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> Gates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> Gates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> Gates.<sup>46</sup> Gates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> Marilynn Tom, interview by Jenna Snow and Andrea Thabet, February 26, 2020, Huntington Harbour, California.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," 37.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> Dorothy Riconda, Hawaii Register of Historic Places, Division of State Parks, "National Register of Historic Places Nomination Form: Chinatown Historic District," form prepared May 2, 1972.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup> "Pagodas and Dragon Gates," 99% Invisible, https://99percentinvisible.org/episode/pagodas-dragon-gates/.

image of Chinatown. The Honolulu Historic District National Register nomination states that "the buildings cannot be defended as honest attempts to recreate oriental architecture."<sup>51</sup>

In the post-World War II era, Chinese American architects reinterpreted the Asian Eclectic style for Chinese American clients. A 2012 exhibition at the Chinese American Museum in Los Angeles featuring four Chinese American architectural pioneers noted they were "just as much a product of LA as they were of their Chinese ancestry."<sup>52</sup> Specifically, Gilbert Leong, one of the architects of the Chinatown branch of Bank of America, was "noted for blending elements of Mid-Century Modern architecture with Asian Eclectic style features."<sup>53</sup>

David Chuenyan Lai in his article entitled "The Visual Character of Chinatowns," notes that "It is the facades of the buildings in Chinatown that constitute the most striking visual component."<sup>54</sup> Common architectural features identified in SurveyLA include:<sup>55</sup>

- Sweeping roofs with flared gables or upturned rafter tails
- Carved brackets and rafter tails
- Flat roof with decorative post and beam supporting system
- Ornamented roof ridge
- Brightly colored tile roofs
- Elaborate surrounds on entryways and windows
- Decoratively distributed mullions on windows
- Recessed entryways
- Geometrical patterned window grilles

The Chinatown branch of Bank of America exhibits many character-defining features of Asian Eclectic style, albeit supported by a Late Modern framework. The heavy, overhanging beams have upturned ends finished with a metal cap, while the flat roof is obscured by the most noticeable feature of the building: a parapet finished with green glazed roof tiles with carved wood corner brackets. Restrained exterior ornamentation, typical of the Late Modern style, incorporates Chinese characters on pilasters and gold mosaic tile below windows. Decoratively distributed mullions on windows break up wide expanses of glazing.

## Late Modern Architecture

The Chinatown branch of Bank of America uses elements of Late Modern style, including its horizontal orientation, flat roof, smooth stucco cladding, and unadorned wall surfaces with minimal ornamentation as a framework for Asian Eclectic style. As noted above, Bank of America branch buildings in the late 1960s through 1980 were typically designed in a Late Modern style. Indeed, Bank of America embraced Late Modern style throughout the late 1960s through 1980, not only for their 52-story headquarters tower in San Francisco, designed by the architecture firms Wurster,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>51</sup> Dorothy Riconda, Hawaii Register of Historic Places, Division of State Parks, "National Register of Historic Places Nomination Form: Chinatown Historic District," form prepared May 2, 1972.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>52</sup> Danielle Rago, "Hidden in Plain Sight," *The Architect's Newspaper*, April 24, 2012 [https://archpaper.com/2012/04/hidden-in-plain-sight-2/ cited March 28, 2020].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup>"Los Angeles Citywide Historic Context Statement: Chinese Americans in Los Angeles, 1850-1980," Survey LA, City of Los Angeles Department of City Planning, Office of Historic Resources, October 2018, 44 (hereafter "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>'54</sup> David Chuenyan Lai, "The Visual Character of Chinatowns," *Places* vol. 7, 1990, 29.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>55</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," 76.

Bernardi and Emmons with Skidmore, Owings and Merrill, but also for the regional headquarters in the City of Orange, designed by Minoru Yamasaki, that opened in 1970.

Charles Jenks, in his 1980 book on the subject simply titled *Late-Modern Architecture*, defines the style as "tak[ing] the ideas and forms of the Modern Movement to an extreme, exaggerating the structure and technological image of the building in its attempt to provide amusement, or aesthetic pleasure."<sup>56</sup> The style is contrasted with the simple forms of Moderism, as well as historical reference of Post-Modernism. Alexandra Lang, in her essay on why Late Modern architecture is worthy of more critical attention, notes that "Late Modernism is a style without theory, practiced by architects who were trying to build their way out of the diminishing returns of Miesian copies."<sup>57</sup> Kazys Varnelis, making a case for Late Modernism in Los Angeles, writes that even though Late Modernism "worked to give physical form to big business and big government" the style became prevalent throughout southern California during this era, one in which "the Southern California landscape was reshaped more thoroughly…than during any previous or subsequent decades."<sup>58</sup>

Late Modern architecture was popularly, though by no means exclusively, used in large-scale commercial and civic buildings. The style displayed many different forms, both focused on structure and glass skins as well as sculptural forms, which were described in an exhibit at the Museum of Modern Art in 1980 entitled, "Transformations in modern architecture." With a period of significance of 1966-1980, SurveyLA's identifies the following character-defining features for Late Modern style commercial properties:

- absence of traditional ornamentation
- exteriors that display a variety of textures and finishes
- geometric volumes, often with triangular and cylindrical forms as well as rectangular
- integral landscape and hardscape elements such as planters, parking lots, trees, and water features
- prominent signs
- steel windows
- stucco, often with a heavily textured or raked finish
- wood siding, at times diagonal or vertical.

Little scholarly attention has been paid to the style, specifically its southern California varieties, and most has focused on large, corporate office buildings. However, like the Chinatown branch of Bank of America, the style was commonly used for smaller buildings. Unlike many Late Modern corporate high-rise buildings that feature a glass curtain wall of mirror skin,<sup>59</sup> these smaller branch banks can be characterized by a focus on massing and creating interplay between solids and voids. Many of the bank branches incorporate horizontally oriented and grouped windows. Unlike other large banks

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> Charles Jenks, Late-Modern Architecture, (New York: Rizzoli, 1980), 8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> Alexandra Lange, "What is Late Modernism?" Curbed, January 5, 2017,

https://www.curbed.com/2017/1/5/14165394/late-modernism-architecture-alexandra-lange.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>58</sup> Kazys Varnelis, "Embracing Late Modern," L.A. Forum, issue 7, http://laforum.org/article/embracing-late-modern/.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>59</sup> As described in the oft-used textbook for college classes on a survey of architectural history, the Late Modern style is depicted as "A cool, mirror-glass building of the 1970s is as forbidding, antisocial, and hostile as a person wearing mirror sunglasses. Ask it what it is or where to enter; and it tells you that the sky is blue and that you are on the sidewalk." (Marvin Trachtrenberg and Isabelle Hyman, *Architecture: From Prehistory to Post-Modern/The Western Tradition* (The Netherlands: Harry N. Abrams, 1986), 547).

with multiple branches that branded themselves through use of a specific palette,<sup>60</sup> Bank of America branches, designed by regional architects, displayed a variety of Late Modern features.

The Chinatown Bank of America branch was no different. Asian Eclectic features are applied to the framework of a Late Modern building. Elements of Late Modern style include its geometric volumes. Viewed from the street, the building appears as a low, horizontal mass with a prominent roofline defined by a thick cornice and widely overhanging eaves, a feature seen in several other Bank of America branches of the period (notably Berkeley branch (1965), San Bernardino branch (1965), and Bakersfield branch (1975)). The street-facing, west elevation of the Chinatown Bank of America branch creates an interplay of solid to void, with large, isosceles trapezoid window openings separated by tapered pilasters. Landscaping, sign, and parking lot, with its accompanying parking booth are integrated into the design of the site.

## Architects

## Gilbert Lester Leong (1911-1996)

Gilbert Lester Leong was born in Los Angeles to Chinese immigrant parents. Leong's family was initially in the produce business before switching to the restaurant business. His parents owned a "big dine and dance" restaurant in Hollywood, Chinese Garden Café, where Gilbert waited tables. Gilbert earned "enough tips on weekends to put himself through school," and he recalled earning "better tips if he spoke pidgin English instead of college English."<sup>61</sup>

Although the Leong family never lived in Chinatown (Old or New), they immersed themselves in the local Chinese community and culture. Gilbert Leong attended Chinese classes in Chinatown after school during his high school years, his mother taught Chinese on weekday afternoons at the Methodist Mission, and his father eventually became president of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association (est. 1889), and an active member in the Kong Chow Benevolent Association.<sup>62</sup> As a young man, Leong was "not interested in old Chinatown organizations and petty local politics," nor did he "enjoy the company of older people who did not know who Bing Crosby was." But Leong would eventually join the Association and come to care deeply about its activities and future.<sup>63</sup>

Leong graduated from Lincoln High School and attended the University of Southern California for a few years but suspended his education during the Depression and began working at the family restaurant. In between, he attended the Chouinard Art Institute (1933-34), studying sculpture and painting under renowned artists and teachers Millard Sheets and Merrell Gage. One of his sculptures, "The Good Earth," was featured in an exhibition at the Los Angeles County Fair in 1937. Although Leong was a skilled studio artist, painter, and sculptor, he sought a more practical career by pursuing a degree in architecture, which would combine his artistic and technical design skills. In 1936, Leong became the first Chinese American to graduate from the University of Southern California School of Architecture. After graduating from USC, Leong dated Florence

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>60</sup> Home Savings and Loan employed Millard Sheets to design all or portions of nearly 100 bank branches.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>61</sup> Gilbert Leong oral history, Southern California Chinese American Oral History Project, Mar 27, 1979 and April 5, 1979, interview by Emma Louie, pages 1-4 (hereafter Leong oral history). Quotation from page 3. Leong Jeong was from Sun Wei Village, his mother from Sun Da. The transcript spells Leong's father's name as Leung Geong (page 9).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>62</sup> Leong oral history, 4-10; "Breaking Ground: Chinese American Architects in Los Angeles (1945-1980)," Chinese American Museum Exhibition Catalogue, January 19, 2012 – June 3, 2012, pages 15-16.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>63</sup> Gilbert Leong, "History of the L.A. BCBA Kwan Gung Temple," Kong Chow Benevolent Association and the Kwan Gung Temple, n.d.

"Sissee" See for seven years before they married. See was the daughter of Fong See, a prominent businessman and member of the Chinatown community.

Leong began his career as an apprentice in a local architectural office for a few years before being drafted into the U.S. Army in 1943, serving for three years.<sup>64</sup> Upon his return to Los Angeles, Leong began working for the prominent Los Angeles architect Paul Revere Williams. Williams' commitment to African American community "inspired Leong to do the same for Chinese Americans in Los Angeles."<sup>65</sup> Leong also worked for a time with noted architect Harwell Hamilton Harris before opening "one of the nation's first Chinese American architecture firms" in 1950 with a partner, and in 1954, he established his own practice. Initially, Leong located his office in Los Feliz before moving his office to Chinatown in a building he designed for a client.<sup>66</sup>

Much of Leong's work showcased both his mid-century modern aesthetic and his artistic training, particularly with the incorporation of traditional Chinese adornments for projects commissioned by Chinese American clients.<sup>67</sup> He once recalled that when the opportunity arose to design "Chinese buildings," he used "Chinese styles in decoration...in a restrained way."<sup>68</sup> Leong designed a number of buildings in Chinatown, including three different buildings for benevolent associations: Kong Chow Benevolent Association (931 North Broadway, 1960, extant)<sup>69</sup> Jan Ying Benevolent Association (736 Yale Street, 1965, extant), and Kow Kong Benevolent Association (510 Bernard Street, 1956, extant). Leong designed the Kong Chow Benevolent Association building to incorporate contemporary "modern trends in architecture...with a temple and meeting hall on the top floor and commercial space on the lower floors." The first-floor fenestration at the Kong Chow Benevolent Association has a similar design of fixed aluminum sash windows with staggered mullions as the Bank of America building.

Leong also designed another easily recognized structure in Chinatown for the Phoenix Bakery (969 N. Broadway, 1976, extant), one of the longest standing family businesses in the community,<sup>70</sup> as well as the Chinese United Methodist Church (825 North Hill Street, 1947, extant).

Leong's career also focused on residential architecture, particularly for the Chinese American middle class in Los Angeles. In fact, his career, alongside contemporary architect Eugene Choy, contributed to "the early movement of Chinese Americans out of Chinatown," particularly after Supreme Court decision *Shelley v. Kraemer* (1948), which made racial restrictive covenants illegal. In Los Angeles, both Leong and Choy designed a number of Mid-Century Modern homes for local Chinese American families during the 1950s.<sup>71</sup> Many of Leong's designs "reflected a concern for affordable, practical, and accessible housing" in Silver Lake and nearby Echo Park. In the mid-1950s Leong also contributed to a suburban tract housing development in the San Fernando Valley, the Ponty-Vanowen project. Leong's designs for the project were "widely popular because he developed

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>64</sup> Leong oral history, 19.

<sup>65 &</sup>quot;Breaking Ground," 16.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>66</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," page 44; Leong oral history, 20-21, 28.

<sup>67 &</sup>quot;Breaking Ground," 24.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>68</sup> Leong oral history, 27.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>69</sup> The first floor of the Kong Chow Family Association building was the original home of the East West Federal Savings & Loan Association. ("Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," Appendix A, page 9.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>70</sup> The bakery and the Chan family hold a special place in the community as a multi-generational family business that provided traditional Chinese cookies and pastries, as well as a gathering place, for a growing Chinese-American community. Personal research indicates the strawberry cream cake, for which it has become known, is particularly delicious. Ohanesian, "How Phoenix Bakery"; "Exploring Chinatown: Past and Present," Los Angeles Conservancy (2016), page 10.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>71</sup> "Chinese Americans in Los Angeles," 48-49.

multiple housing variations from just four different floor plans," which reduced cost and time for the developers. His innovations made the homes appear distinctive despite using only four types of layouts, and 96 homes were built using Leong's designs.<sup>72</sup>

In 1987, Leong retired and closed his architectural office, however, he remained active in the Chinese American community, serving on the boards of the East West Bank and the Pacific Asia Museum in Pasadena where he redesigned the museum's garden and courtyard to look more authentically Chinese. He was also a longtime member of the Chinese Historical Society of Southern California. Near the end of his life, Leong served on the board of the Chinese American Museum, still in the planning stages at the time of his death, he participated in a documentary on the history of local Chinese Americans, and he was featured in a book published by his niece, Lisa See: "On Gold Mountain: The 100-Year Odyssey of My Chinese American Family" (1995). Leong passed away in 1996 at the age of 85.73

## Richard Layne Tom (1927-2015)

Richard Layne Tom, Jr. co-designed the flagship Bank of America building in the Chinatown district of downtown Los Angeles. Richard Tom was born June 29, 1927 in Los Angeles.<sup>74</sup> Tom's parents separated when he was young, and he grew up in Chinatown, living with his mother and maternal grandparents in a small apartment in Chinatown.<sup>75</sup>

Tom was a child actor, performing under the stage name Layne Tom Jr, starring most recognizably in the Charlie Chan series, playing three different sons: 13, 8, and 5.76 He also appeared in several movies, including "Lady of the Tropics" with Hedy Lamarr.<sup>77</sup> Tom attended three years of high school at J.H. Francis Polytechnic High in Los Angeles, graduating in 1945, and served in the United States Navy from 1944 through 1946, where he was stationed on the U.S.S. West Virginia.<sup>78</sup> Upon his release from the Navy, Tom attended college on the G.I. Bill,<sup>79</sup> graduating from the University of Southern California with a bachelor's degree in architecture in 1954.<sup>80</sup> Tom met his future wife Marilynn Chow (b. 1927) while in college-she attended the University of California, Los Angelesand they married in 1951.<sup>81</sup>

Licensed in both California and Hawaii, Tom worked in the architectural field for 30 years, joining five different local architectural firms in a variety of positions between 1945 and 1959 before establishing his own firm, Richard Layne Tom (1959-1961).<sup>82</sup> Beginning in 1961, Tom partnered with Jan Witold Truskier, whom he met while both were working for architect Kenneth Wing in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>72</sup> "Breaking Ground," 18, 20-22. Ponty-Vanowen was "one of the earliest of its kind" and "offered outdoor landscaping, privacy, and space."

<sup>73 &</sup>quot;Gilbert Lester Leong; Architect, Founder of East West Bank." The Chinese American Museum began as a collaboration between the Chinese Historical Society and El Pueblo de Los Angeles Historical Monument. See: "Mission and History," Chinese American Museum, cited March 29, 2020 [http://camla.org/mission-and-history/].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>74</sup> State of California. California Birth Index, 1905-1995. Sacramento, CA, USA: State of California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>75</sup> Marilynn Tom, interview by Jenna Snow and Andrea Thabet, February 26, 2020, Huntington Harbour, California.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>76</sup> As noted above, Charlie Chan movies played a pivotal role in shaping public perception of Chinatown.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>77</sup> "Tom, Richard Layne," Los Angeles Times, Obituaries, February 11, 2015.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>78</sup> "Application for Membership: Richard Layne Tom, Jr.," The American Institute of Architects, November 29, 1957.
 <sup>79</sup> Marilynn Tom, interview by Jenna Snow and Andrea Thabet, February 26, 2020, Huntington Harbour, California.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>80</sup> Obit; "Tom and Truskier Architects A.I.A," marketing brochure, records of Marilynn Tom, no date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>81</sup> "California, Marriage Index, 1949-1959," California Department of Health and Welfare. California Vital Records. 82 George S. Koyl, FAIA, ed., American Architects Directory, Second Edition (New York: R.R. Bowker Co., 1962). See also, AIA application, 1957.

Long Beach<sup>83</sup> to form Tom & Truskier based in Huntington Harbour in Huntington Beach.<sup>84</sup> Tom and Truskier practiced together for 25 years before Tom's retirement around 1986.<sup>85</sup>

Tom was responsible for the design of a number of public buildings, specifically several public buildings in Orange County, including the City of La Palma Civic Center along with the La Palma County Library (1968), Mission Viejo County Library (1970, not extant), and Central County Courthouse for County of Orange (1972), Seal Beach County Library at Leisure World (no date identified), Cypress Fire Station (no date identified), Laguna Niguel Fire Station, and a master plan for the City of Stanton Civic Center (no date identified). The firm was also "highly experienced in bank projects."<sup>86</sup> Tom's firm designed as well as altered, expanded, and re-designed a significant number of bank buildings, the majority for Bank of America. Among the other Bank of America branch buildings designed by the firm were in Fountain Valley (1966), Bishop (1971), Rancho Bernardo (1975), and Seal Beach (no date identified). With the exception of the Bank of America Branch in Seal Beach, which can be described as American Colonial Revival in style with a widow's walk at the gable peak, his other designs are in a Late Modern or Neo-Formalist style. Among the firm's other commercial work was a masterplan for Sunny Hills Village in Fullerton, along with the Sunny Hills Village Shops (1966) that were designed in "Spanish, old English, modern and Moorish stylings,"87 Anaheim Wax Museum (1965, not extant) for "the famous Walter's Wax Exhibit...structure of precast concrete with roof vaults and tee-columns"<sup>88</sup> in a Neo-Formalist design, and Vic's Place, a popular eatery in Huntington Beach with a "Polynesian design concept."<sup>89</sup> Most notably, Tom and Truskier designed a "recreation-commercial project on a 40-acre site near Disneyland" that was to known as "The Orient." The development, conceived in 1964 and never realized, was to be "Oriental in architecture and...operated mainly by Oriental merchants...Visitors will enter The Orient through a gate in a 25-ft.-high 'Great Wall of China.' Attractions will range from magic carpet rides over a 'Yellow Sea' to sales rooms and exhibits of export-import firms."<sup>90</sup> A rendering of the proposed project evokes a traditional Chinese watercolor. Among Tom's residential projects were his own home in Huntington Harbour in 1971,<sup>91</sup> as well as a \$70,000 renovation to his in-law's home in Laughlin Park in Los Angeles.

Tom was active in the architecture community, as well as with Rotary International and Girl Scouts of America.<sup>92</sup> He was a member of the Orange County Chapter of the American Institute of Architects (A.I.A.), serving as its Treasurer in 1961-1962, Vice President 1963, and President in 1964.<sup>93</sup> In addition, Tom was President of the Chinese American Architects and Engineers.<sup>94</sup> Tom

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>83</sup> It is interesting to note that one of Kenneth Wing's first jobs after graduating from University of Southern California in 1925, was designing the Chinese pagoda and preliminary sketches for one of the interior murals at Grauman's Chinese Theatre for Meyer and Holler. (Chris Marino, "Online Aid for the Kenneth Wing papers; Biographical/Historical note," oac.cdlib.org/findaid/ark:/13030/c89k49jk/entire\_text/.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>84</sup> The address for their first office: 16897 Algonquin St., Huntington Beach.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>85</sup> Tom, Richard Layne, "Letter to the American Institute of Architects," April 28, 1986, TS, Archives of the American Institute of Architects.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>86</sup> "Tom and Truskier Architects A.I.A," marketing brochure, records of Marilynn Tom, no date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>87</sup> "Design Blend," Los Angeles Times, February 6, 1966), 142.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>88</sup> "Tom and Truskier Architects A.I.A," marketing brochure, records of Marilynn Tom, no date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>89</sup> Kai Weisser, *Huntington Beach Lifeguards*, (Charleston, SC: Arcadia Publishing, 2008), 60; "Tom and Truskier Architects A.I.A," marketing brochure, records of Marilynn Tom, no date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>90</sup> "Business, Fun Center Planned for Anaheim," Los Angeles Times, February 2, 1964, 125.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>91</sup> Richard Layne Tom's widow continues to reside in the house.

<sup>92 &</sup>quot;Tom, Richard Layne," Los Angeles Times, February 11, 2015, 7.

<sup>93</sup> John F. Gane, AIA, ed., American Architects Directory, Third Edition (New York: R.R. Bowker Co., 1970).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>94</sup> "Tom, Richard Layne," Los Angeles Times, February 11, 2015, 7.

also served on Anaheim's Urban Renewal Commission and Health & Sanitation Commission.<sup>95</sup> He was a member of the Architectural Review Boards of both City of Huntington Beach and Huntington Harbour as well as the City Planning Commission in Huntington Beach (1965-1970).<sup>96</sup>

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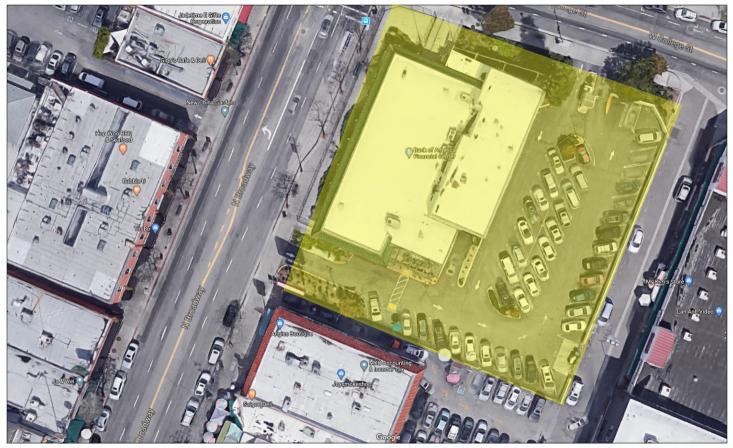
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Map 1: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway highlighted yellow (source: Los Angeles County Assessor, 2020)



Map 2: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway highlighted yellow (source: Google, 2020)



Map 3: Detail of previous map, Bank of America, 850 North Broadway highlighted yellow (source: Google, 2020)





Figure 2: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, west (right) and north (left) elevations, view southeast (Snow, 2020)

Attachment 2: Contemporary Photos



Figure 3: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, west elevations, view northeast (Snow, 2020)



**Figure 5:** Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, detail of pole sign, view southeast (Los Angeles Conservancy, 2020)



Figure 4: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, west (left) and south (right) elevations, view northeast (Los Angeles Conservancy, 2020)



Figure 7: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, south (left) and east (eight) elevations, view northwest (Snow, 2020)

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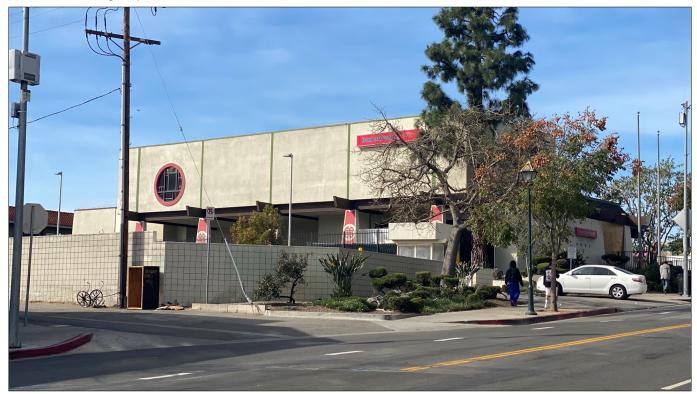


Figure 5: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, east (left) and north (right) elevations, view southwest (Snow, 2020)



Figure 6: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, north elevation, view south (Snow, 2020)



**Figure 7:** Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, detail of pylon (Snow, 2020)



Figure 8: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, interior, view northeast (Los Angeles Conservancy, 2020)



Figure 9: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, interior, view north (Los Angeles Conservancy, 2020)



**Figure 10:** Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, interior, view south (Snow, 2020)

Figure 15: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, (Snow, 2020)

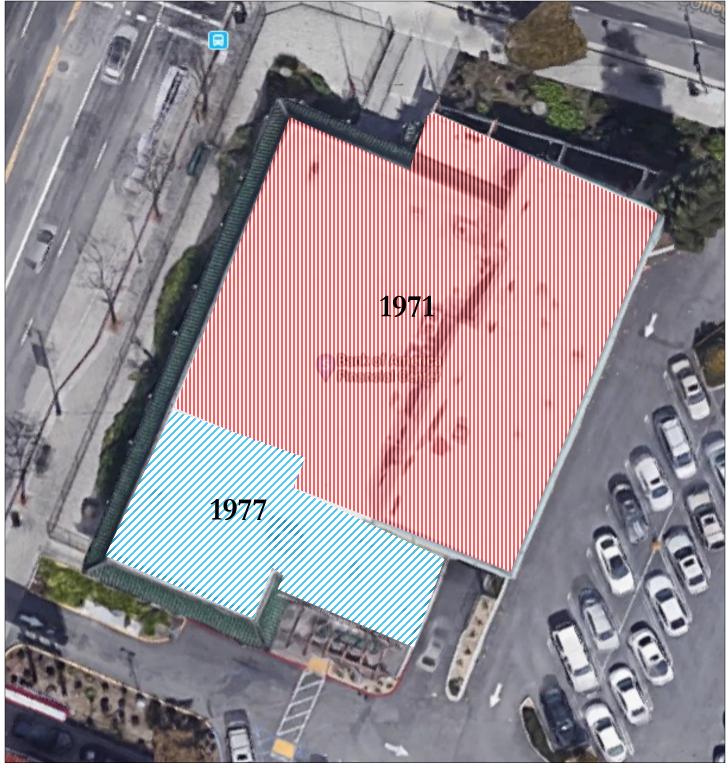
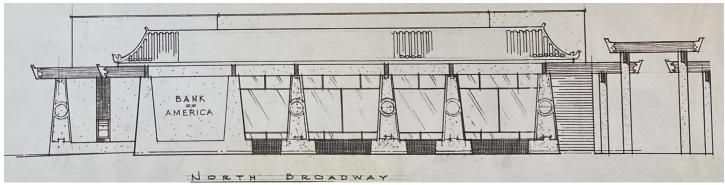
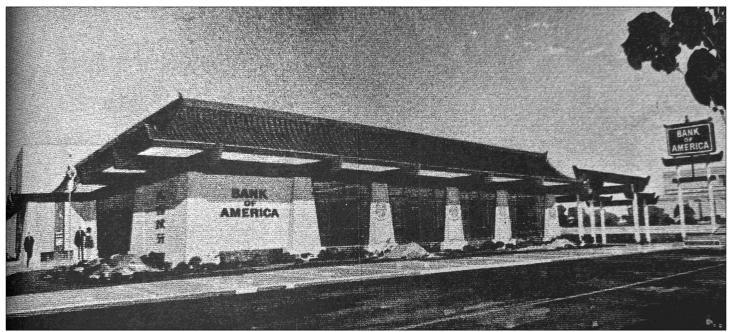


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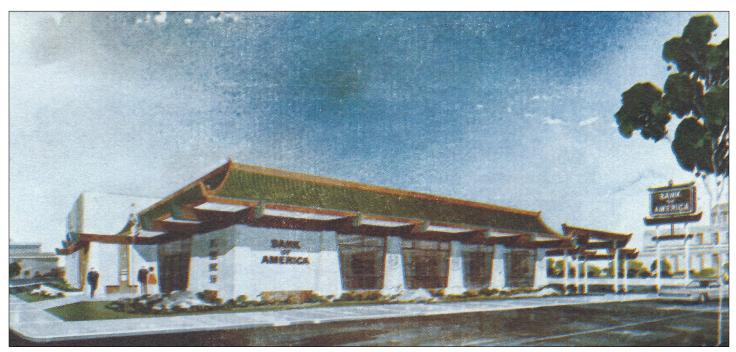


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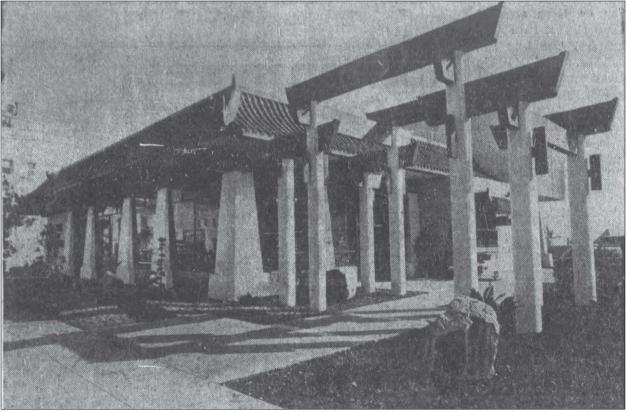
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Historic Photo 3: Bank of America, 850 North Broadway, rendering (source: Marilynn Tom, 1972)



Historic Photo 4: Bank of America, 850 N. Broadway, west and south elevations, view northeast (source: Los Angeles Times, 1972)

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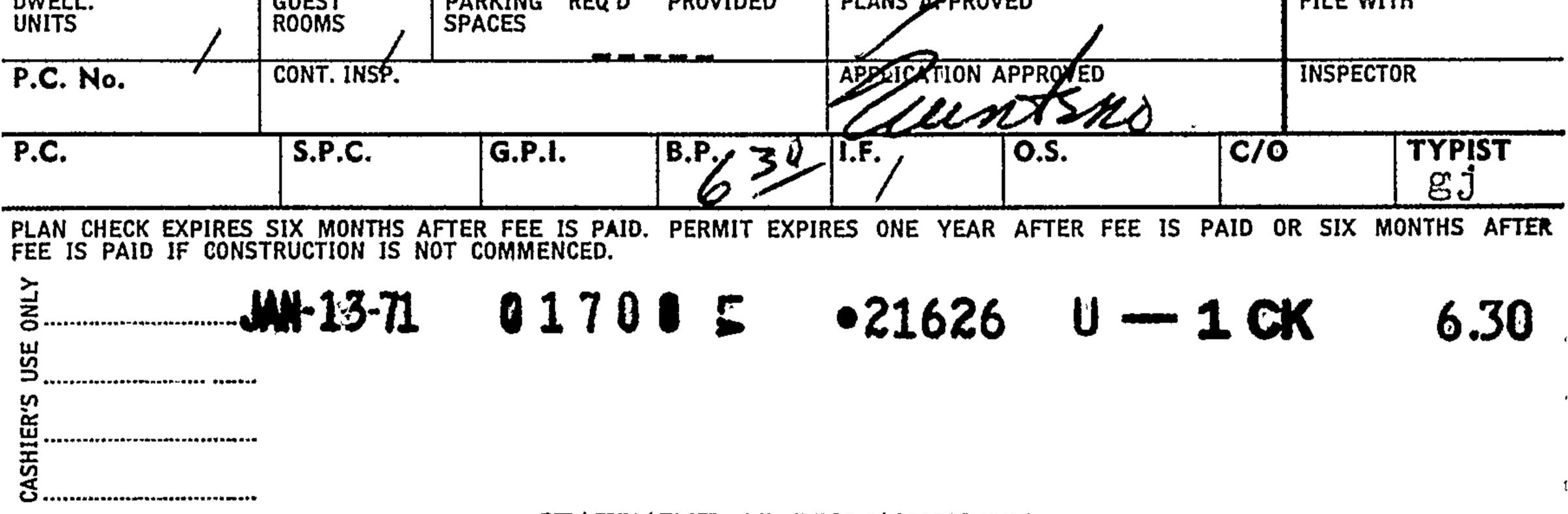
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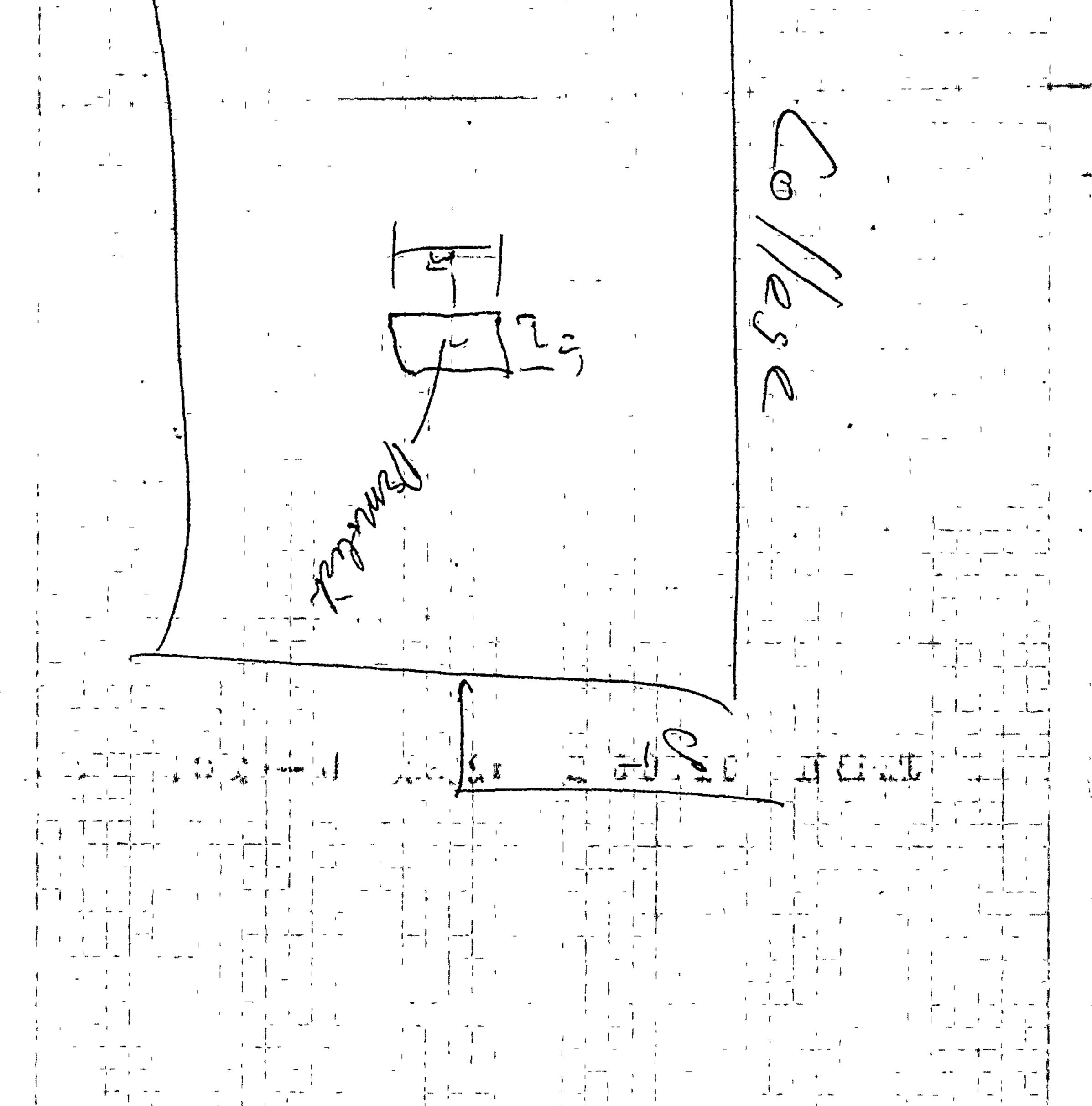
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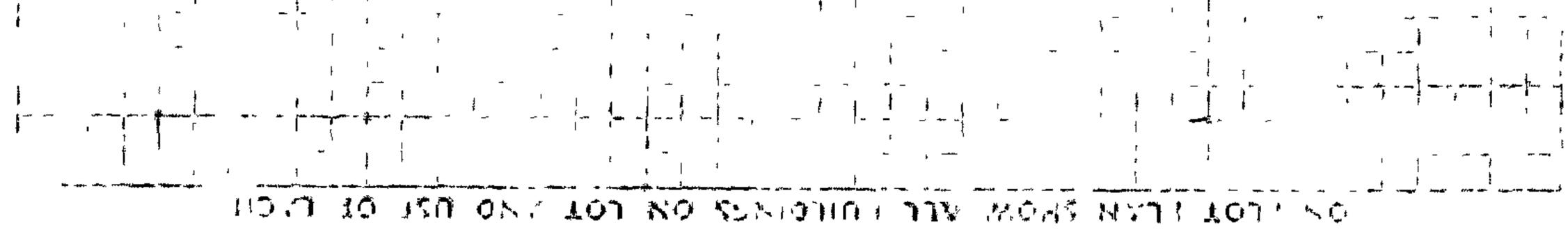
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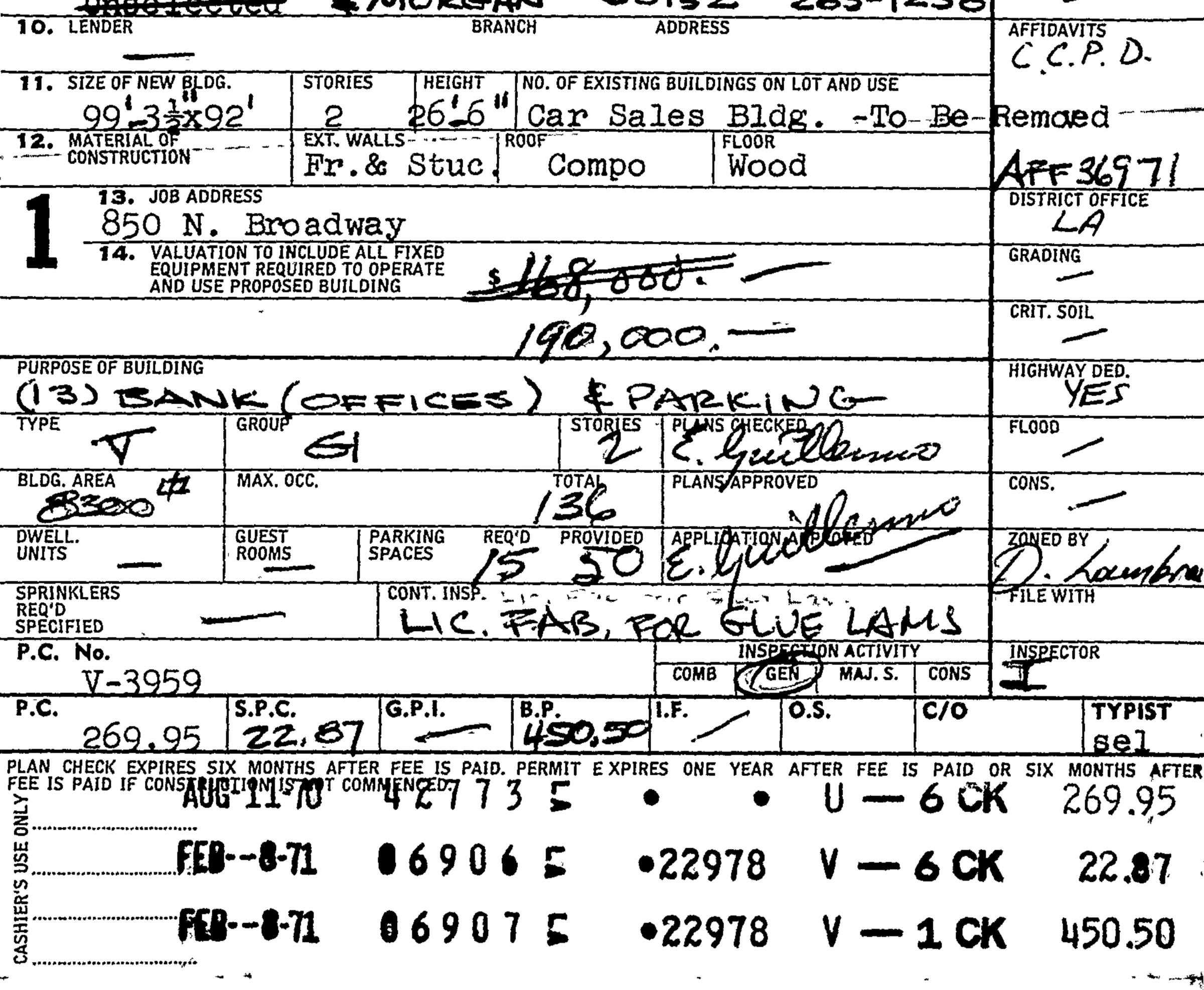
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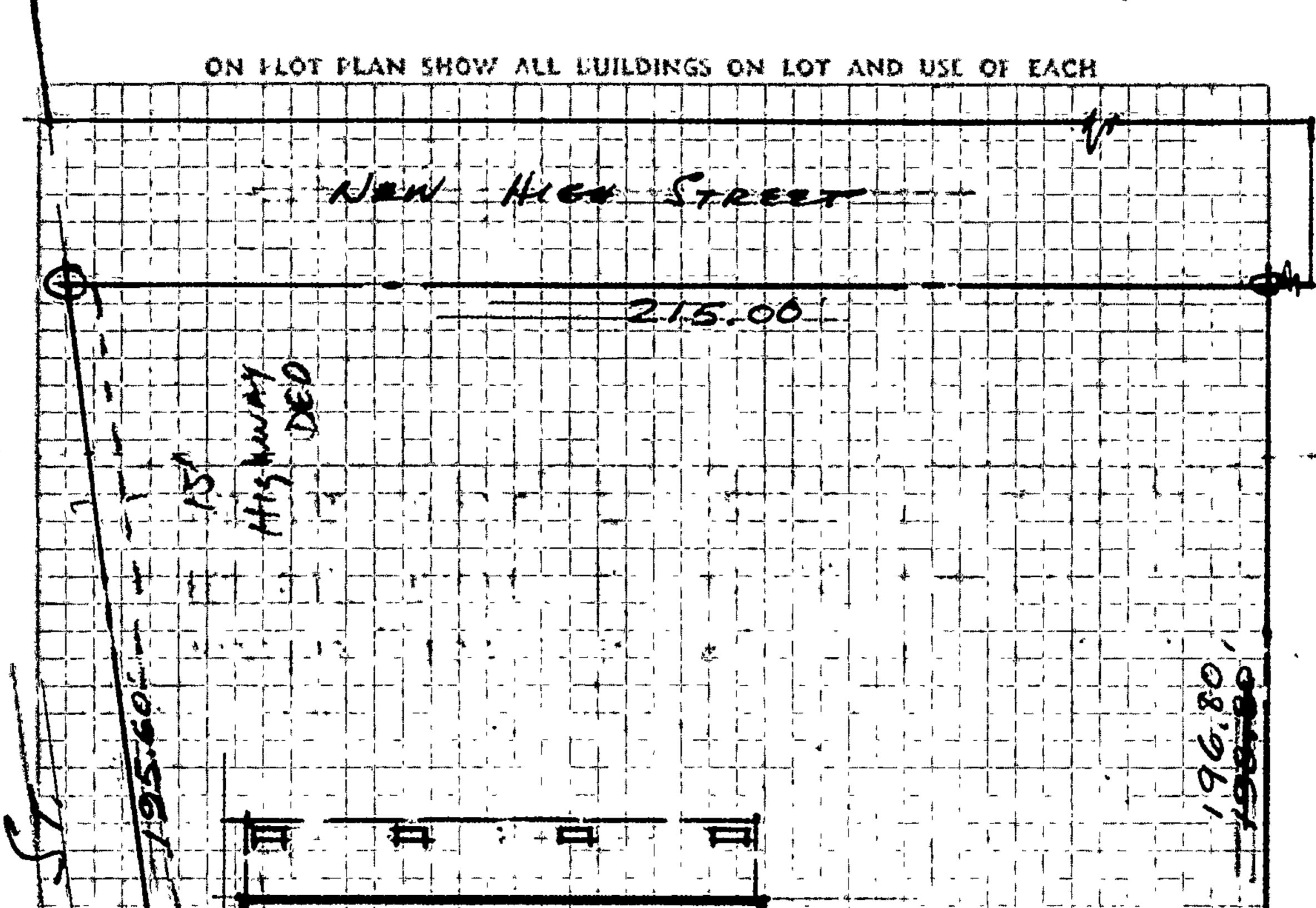
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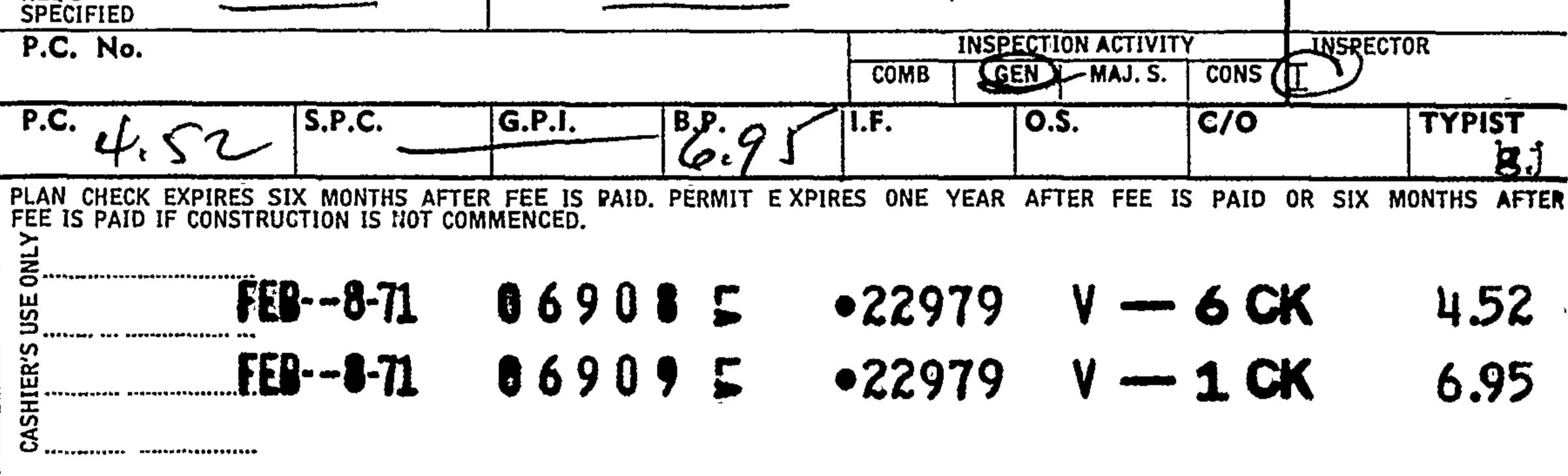
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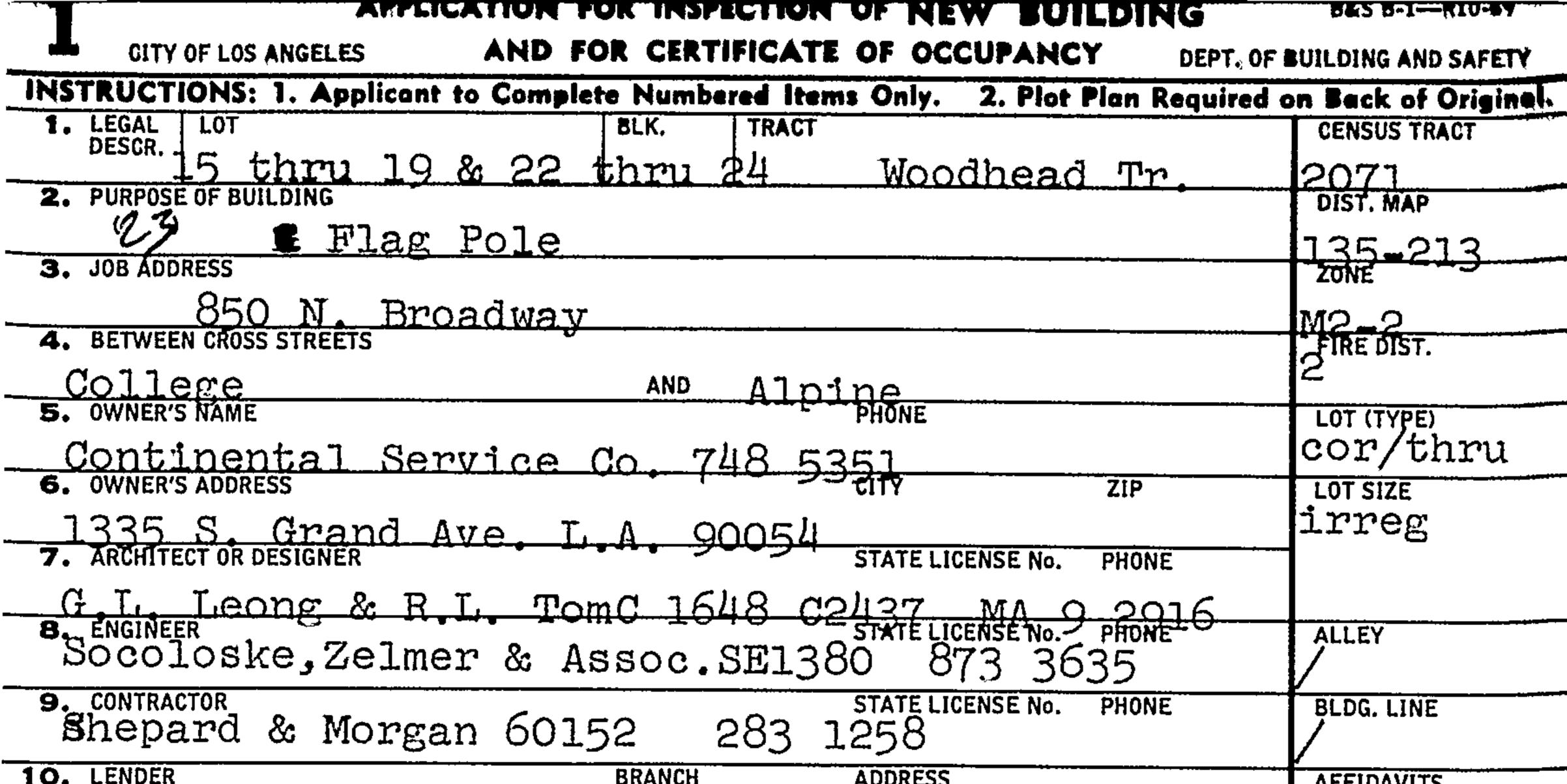
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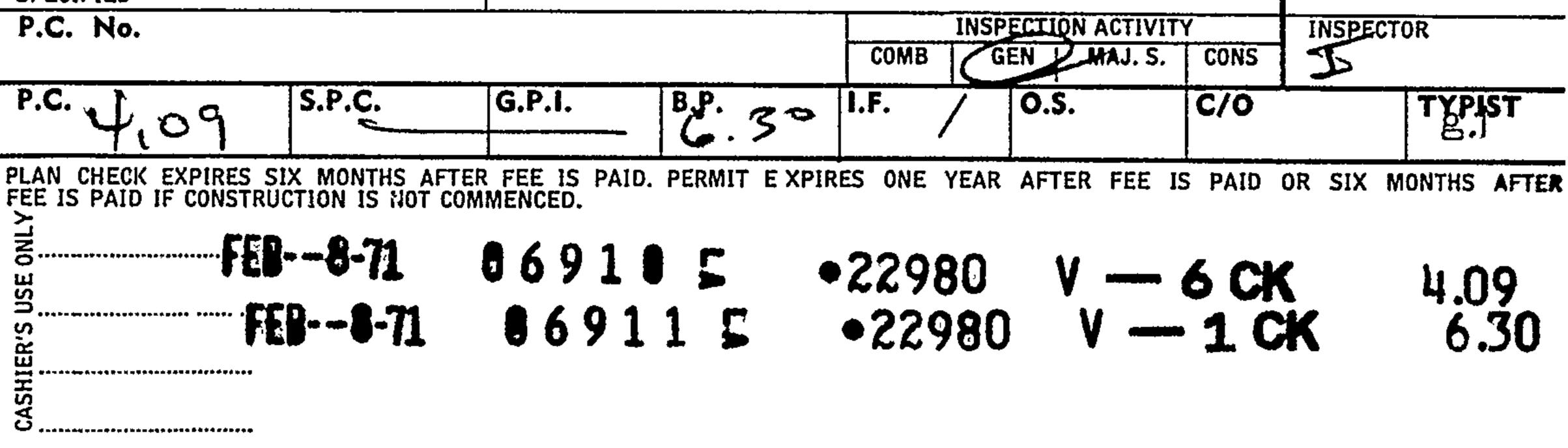
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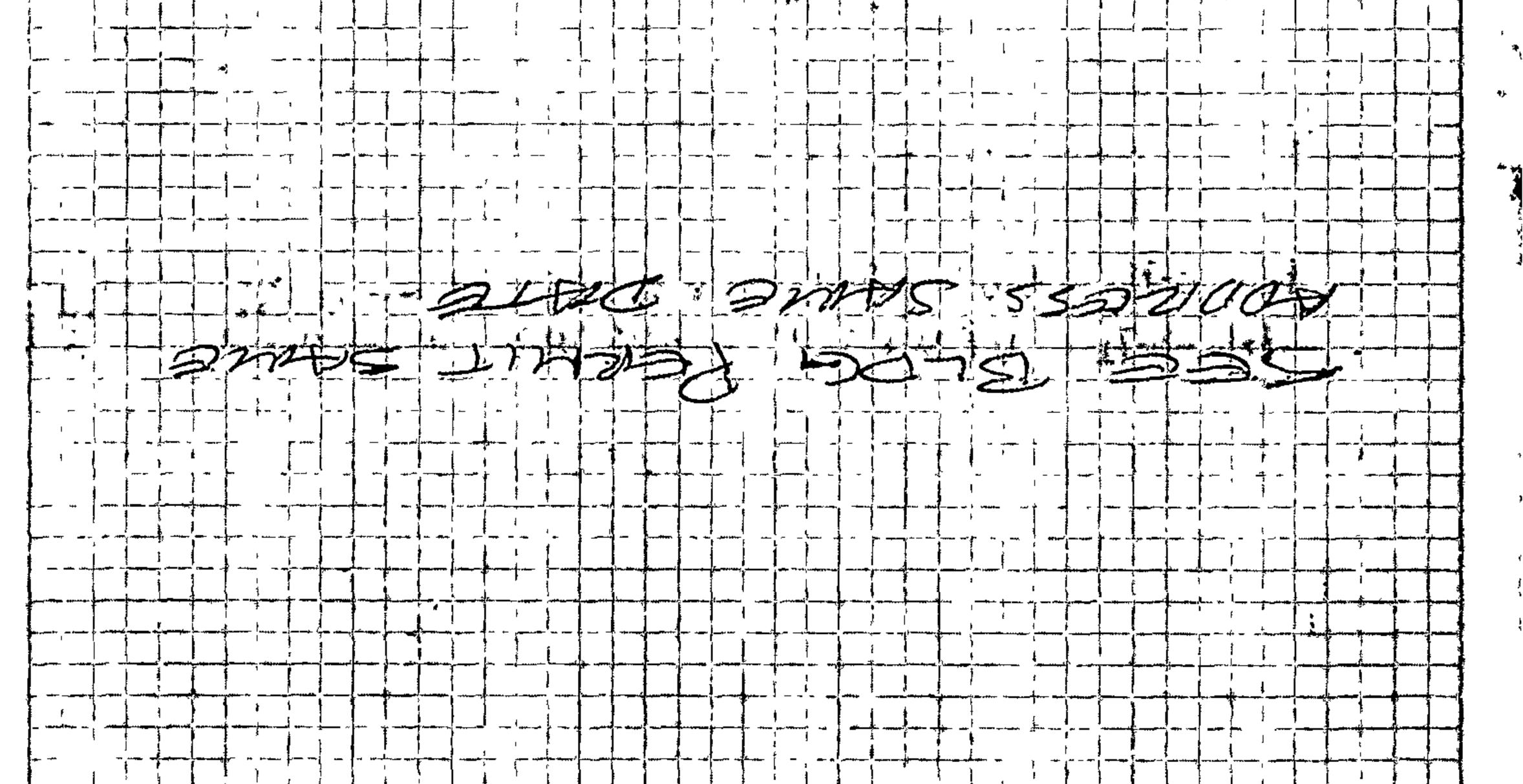
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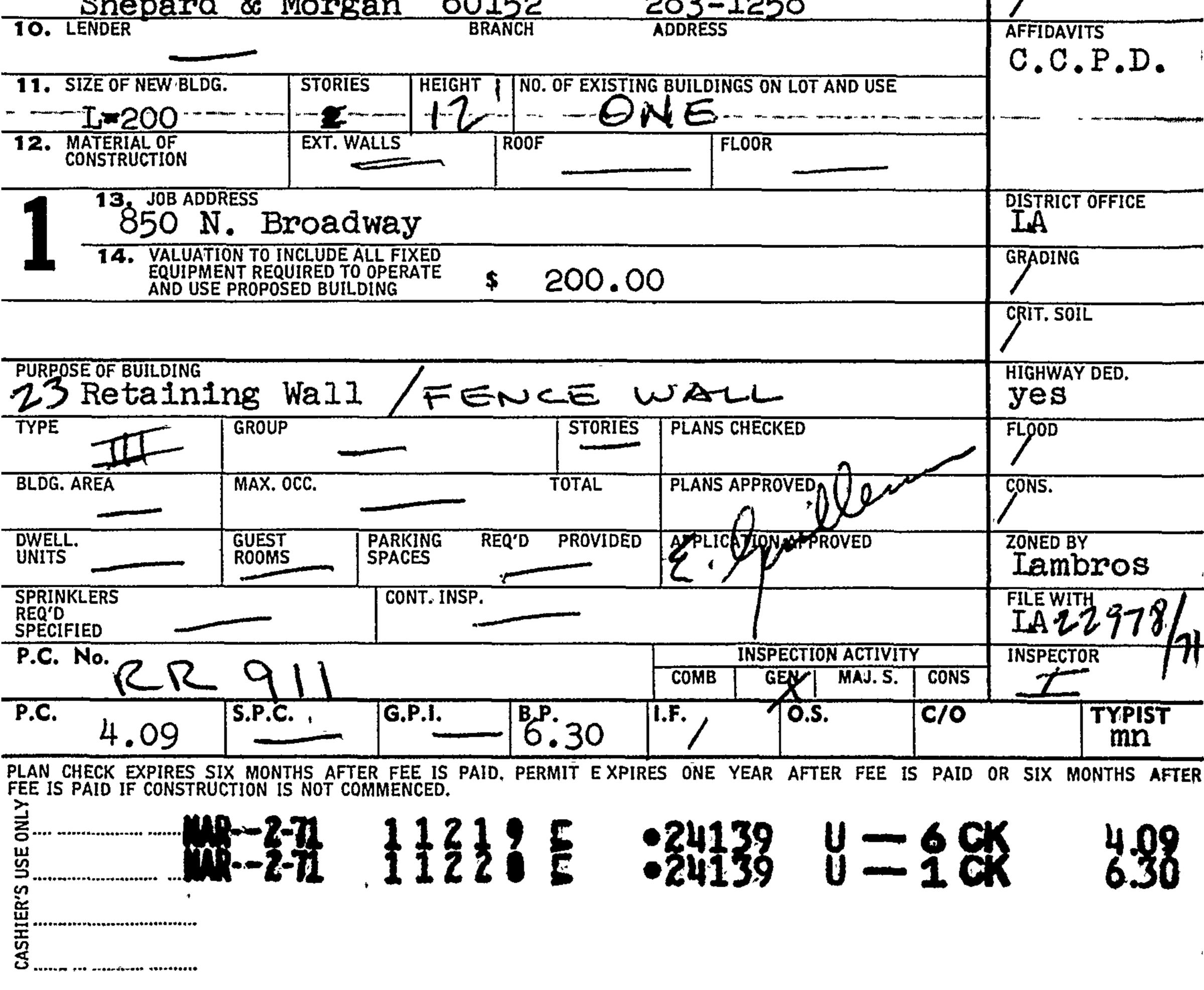


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2. PURPOSE OF BUILDING	DIST. MAP
23' Retaining Wall/Fence Wall	135-213
3. JOB ADDRESS	ZONE
<u>850 N. Broadway</u>	M2-2
4. BETWEEN CROSS STREETS	FIRE DIST.
<u>College</u> ANDAlpine	II
5. OWNER'S NAME	LOT (TYPE)
<u>Continental Service Co. 748-5351</u>	cor/thur
6. OWNER'S ADDRESS ZIP	LOT SIZE
<u>1335 S. Grand Ave.</u> L. A. 90054	Irreg.
7. ARCHITECT OR DESIGNER STATE LICENSE No. PHONE	
G. L. Leong & R.L. Tom C-1648 C2437 MA9291	6
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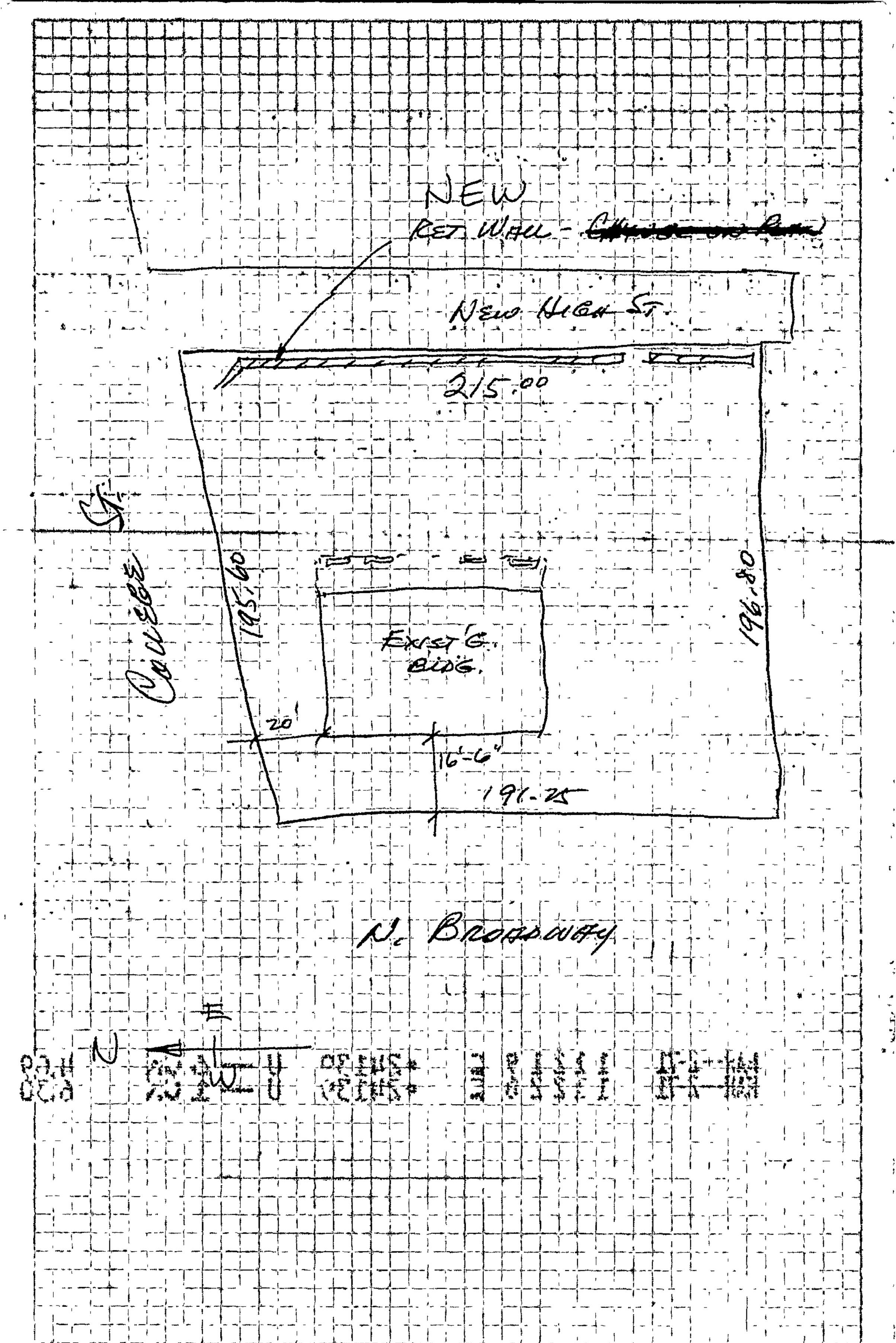


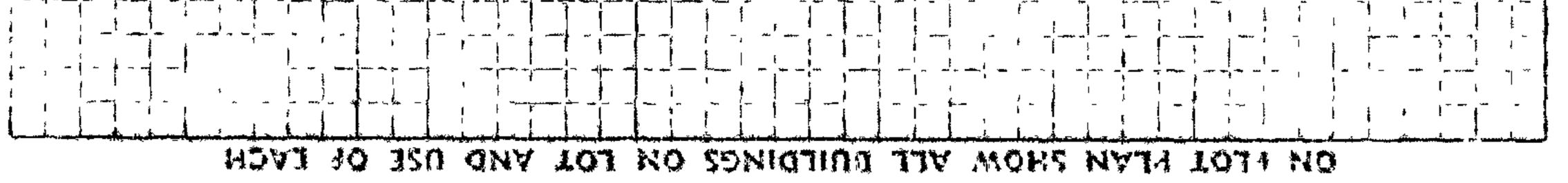
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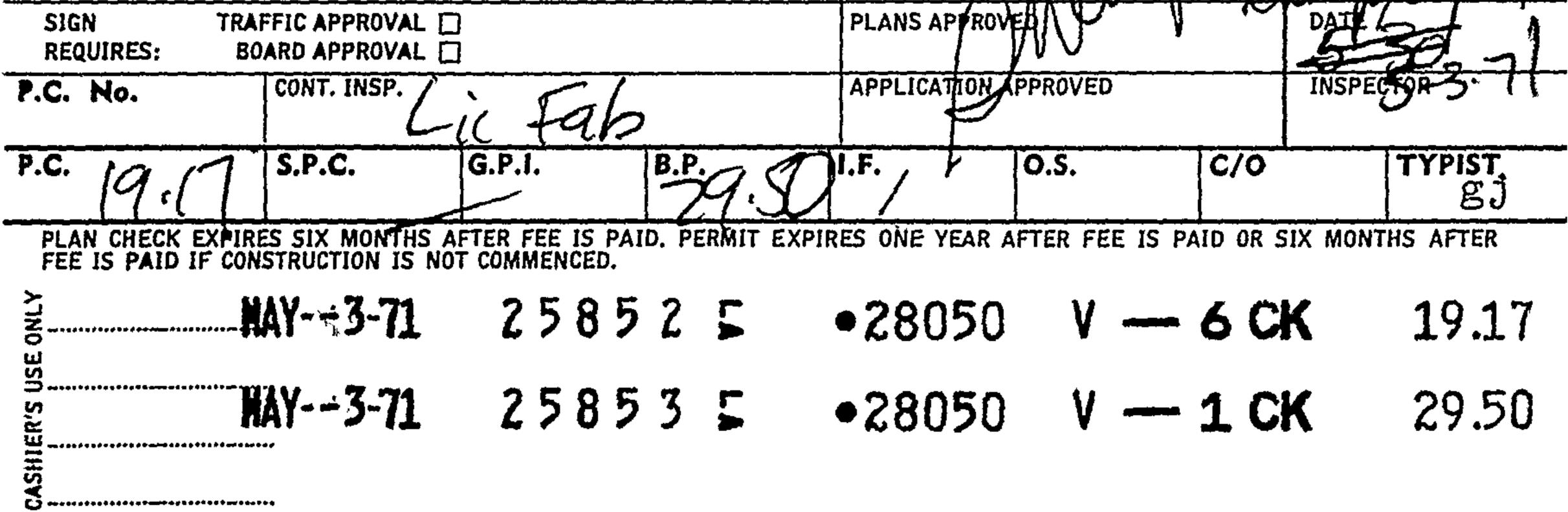
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1. LEGAL LOT BLK. TRAC DESCR. 24	Woodhead	CENSUS TRACT 2071
2. TYPE OF SIGN OR NEW WORK		DIST. MAP 135-213
<u> </u>		ZONE
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4. BETWEEN CROSS STREETS		FIRE DIST.
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5. OWNER'S NAME	PHONE	LOT (TYPE)
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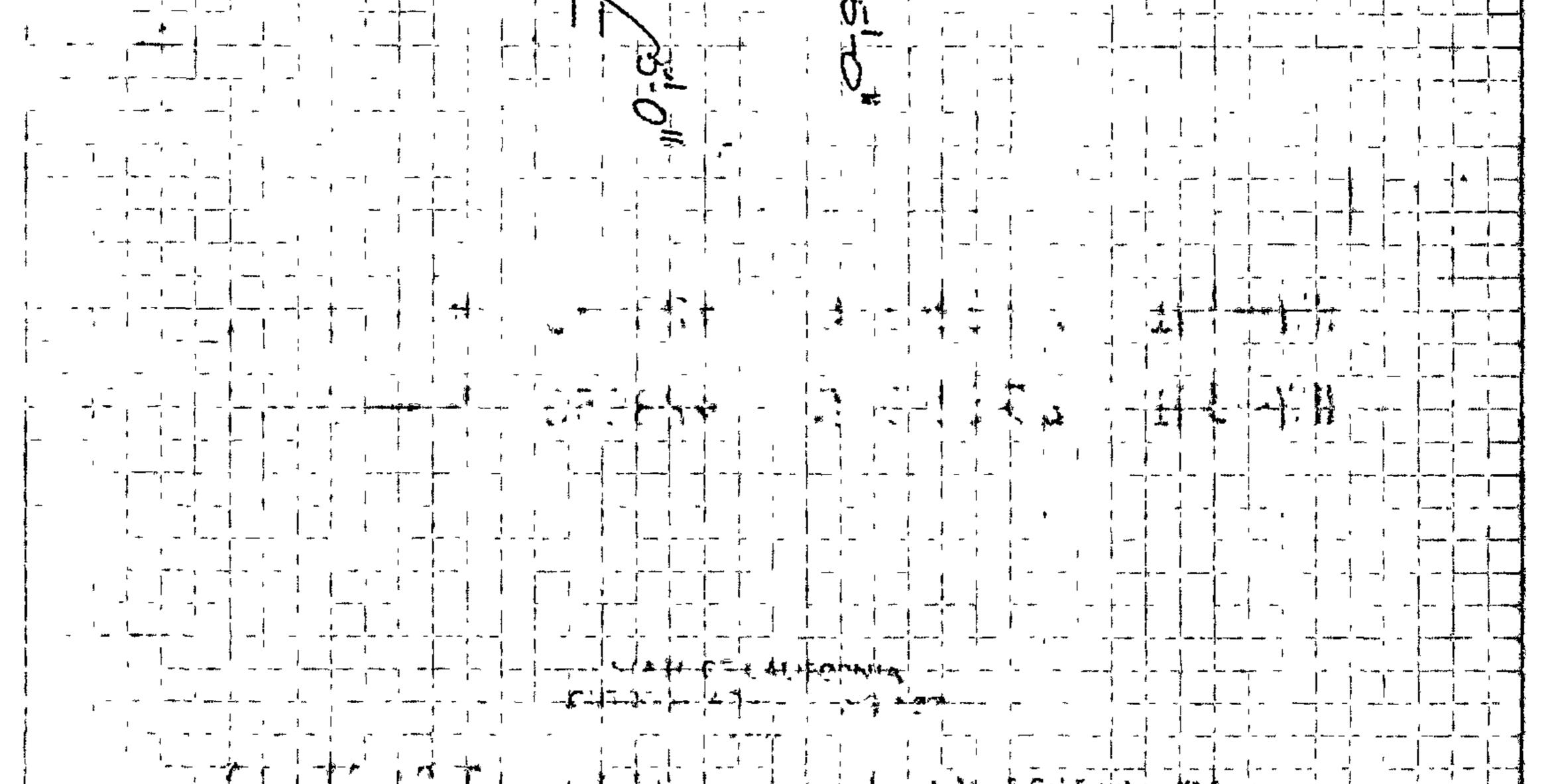
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Address of Building

## 850 North Broadway CITY OF LOS ANGELES CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY

NOTE: Any change of use or occupancy must be approved by the Department of Building and Safety. This certifies that, so far as ascertained by or made known to the undersigned, the building at the above address complies with the applicable requirements of the Municipal Code, as follows: Ch. 1, as to permitted uses, Ch. 9, Arts. 1, 3, 4, and 5; and with applicable requirements of State. Hinusing Law—for following occupancies:

Issued 4-26-72 Permit No. and Year IA 22978/71

Two story type V, 92' X 99'3" bank. 15 required parking spaces, 50 spaces provided. G-1 Occupancy.

Owner's Continental Service Company Owner's 850 North Broadway Address Los Angeles, California

Form B-95b-6M Sets-8-70 (C-10)

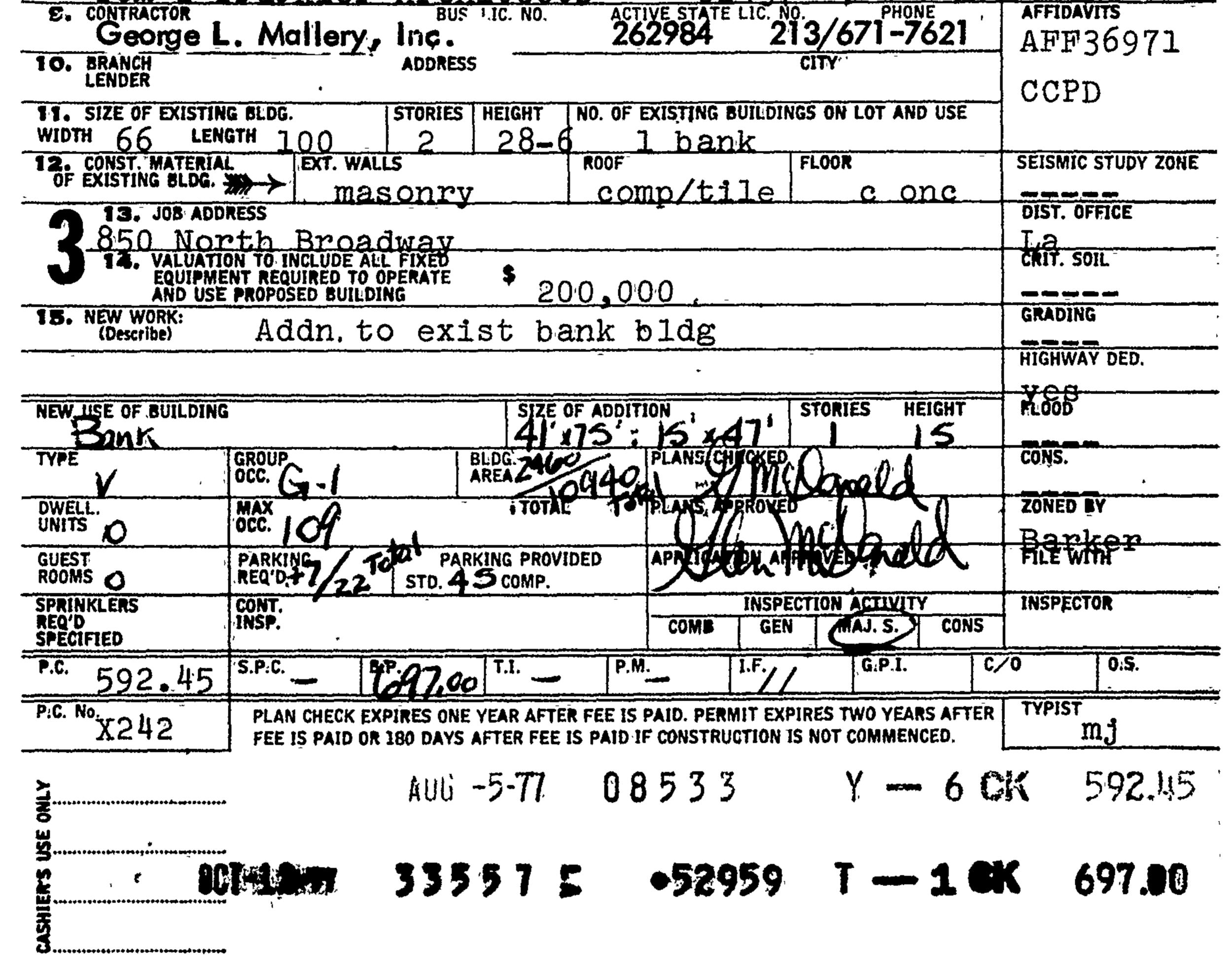






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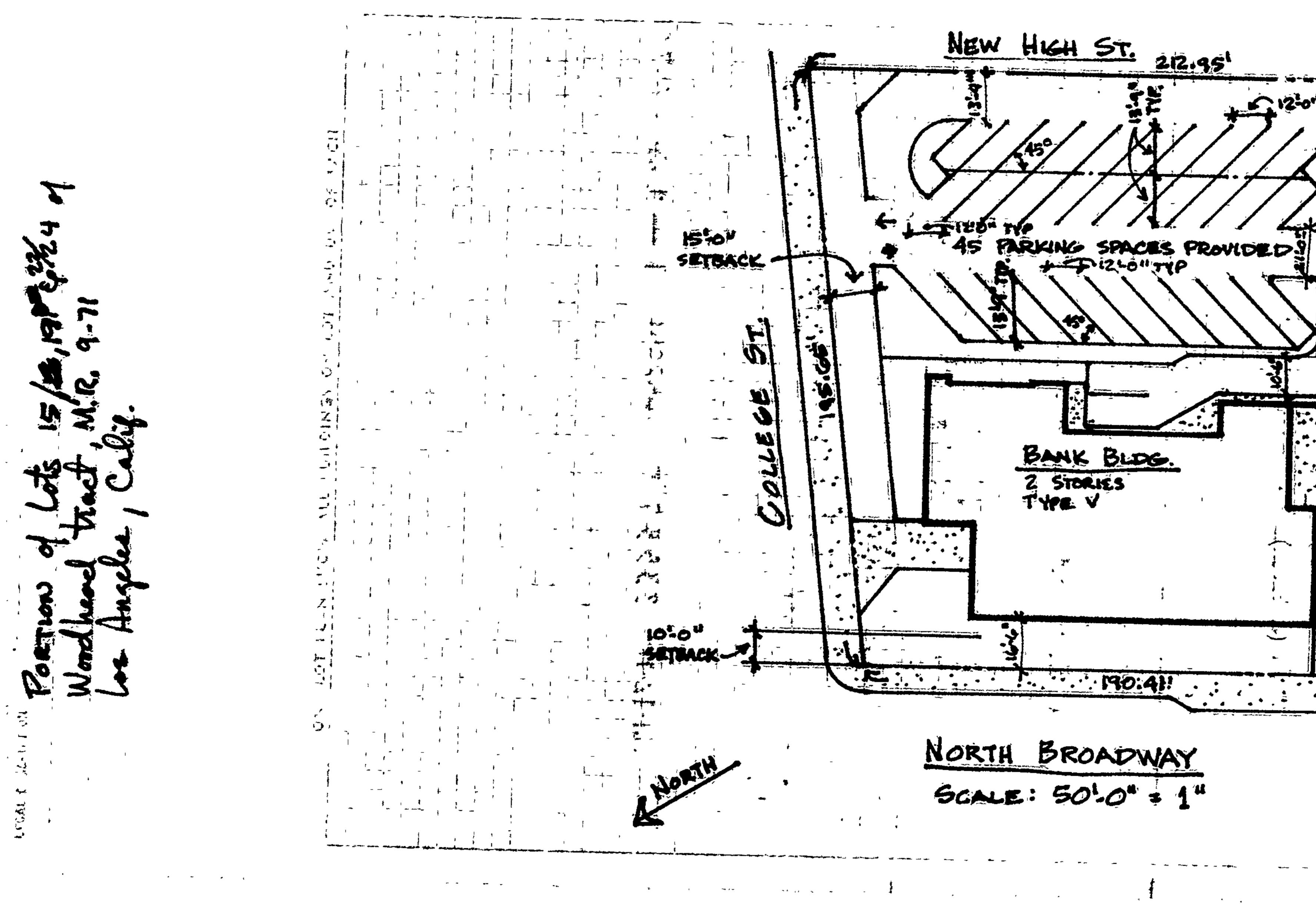
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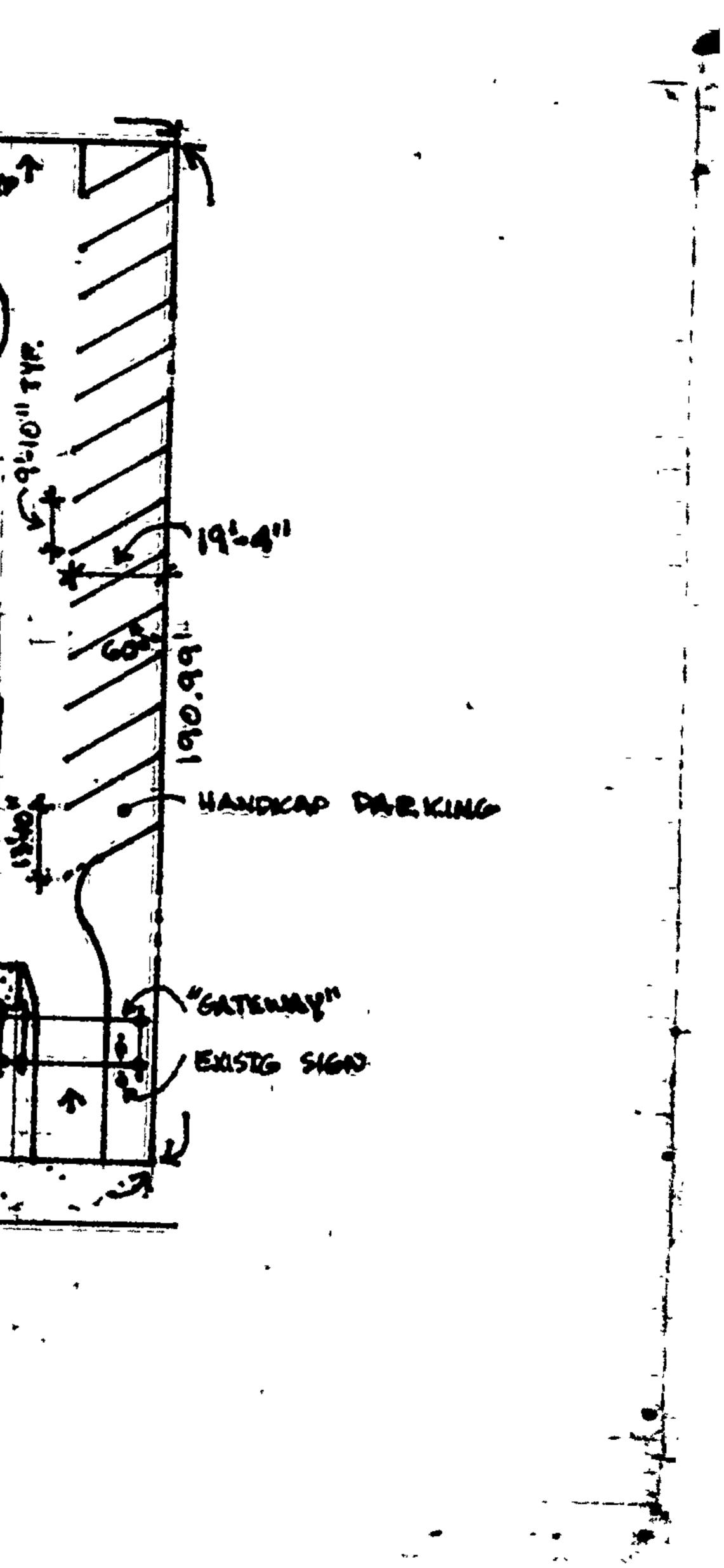
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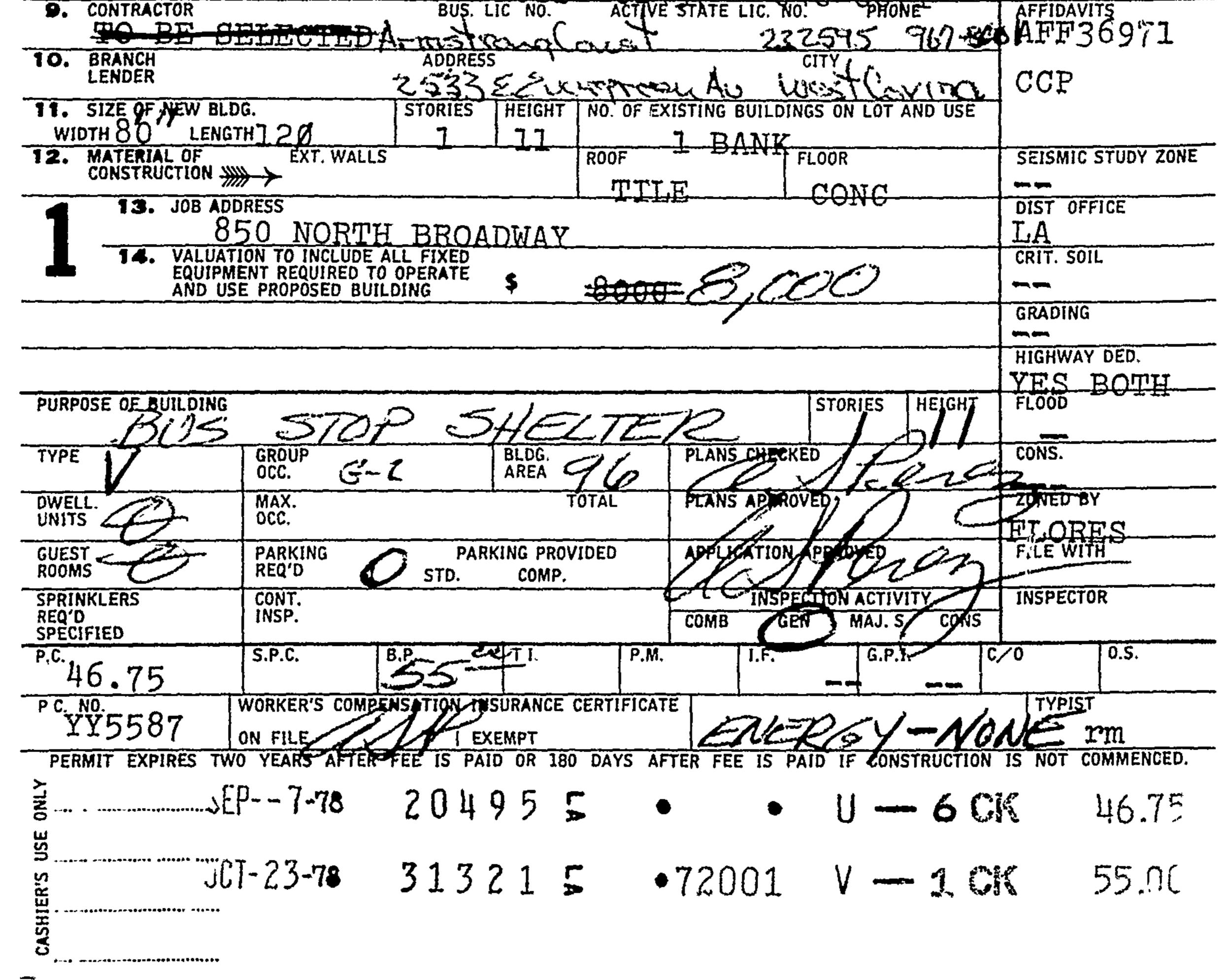
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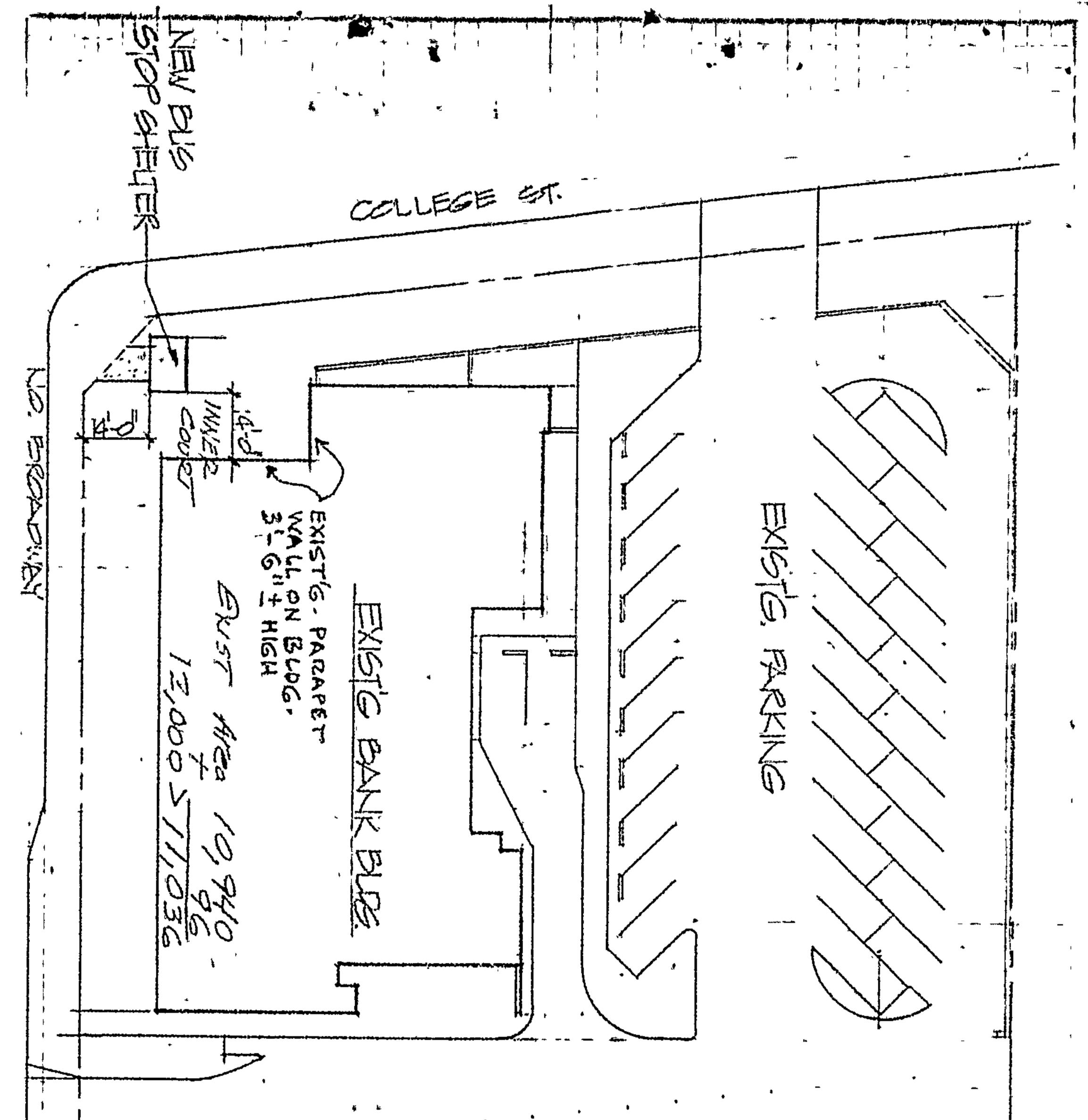
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### Address • of 850 N. Broadway Building CITY OF LOS ANGELES CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY

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5/9/79 Permit No. and Year LA 72001/78 Issued

1 story, type V, 8' x 12' bus stop shelter, G-1occupancy. No additional parking required.

Owner

Owner's Address Continental Service Company 1335 S. Grand Ave. Los Angeles, Ca. 90015 5000405200500001424

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1335 S. Grand Ave. Owner Los Angeles, Ca. 90012 ·Owner's Address

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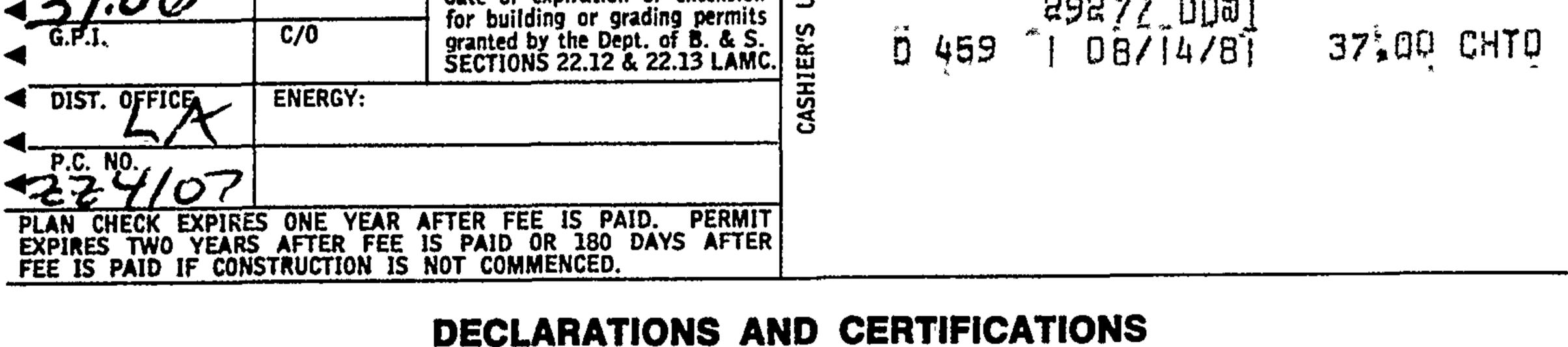
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(Signature)

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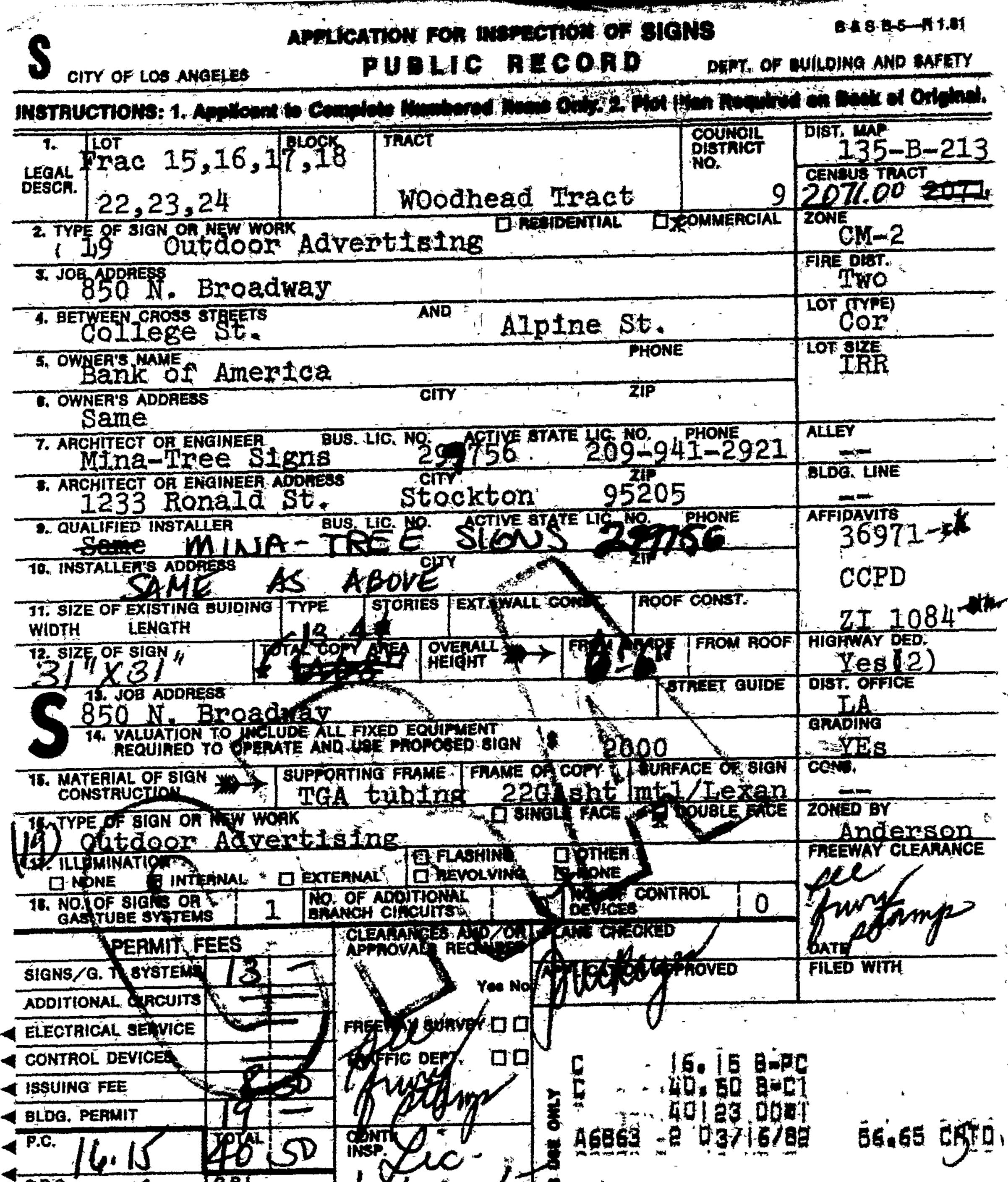
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I, as owner of the property, or my employees with wages as their sole compensation, will do the work, and the structure is not intended or offered for sale (Sec. 7044, Business and Professions Code: The Contractor's License Law does not apply to an owner of property who builds or improves thereon, and who does such work himself or through his own employees, provided that such improvements are not intended or offered for sale. If, however, the building or improvement is sold within one year of completion, the owner-builder will have the burden of proving that he did not build or improve for the purpose of sale.).

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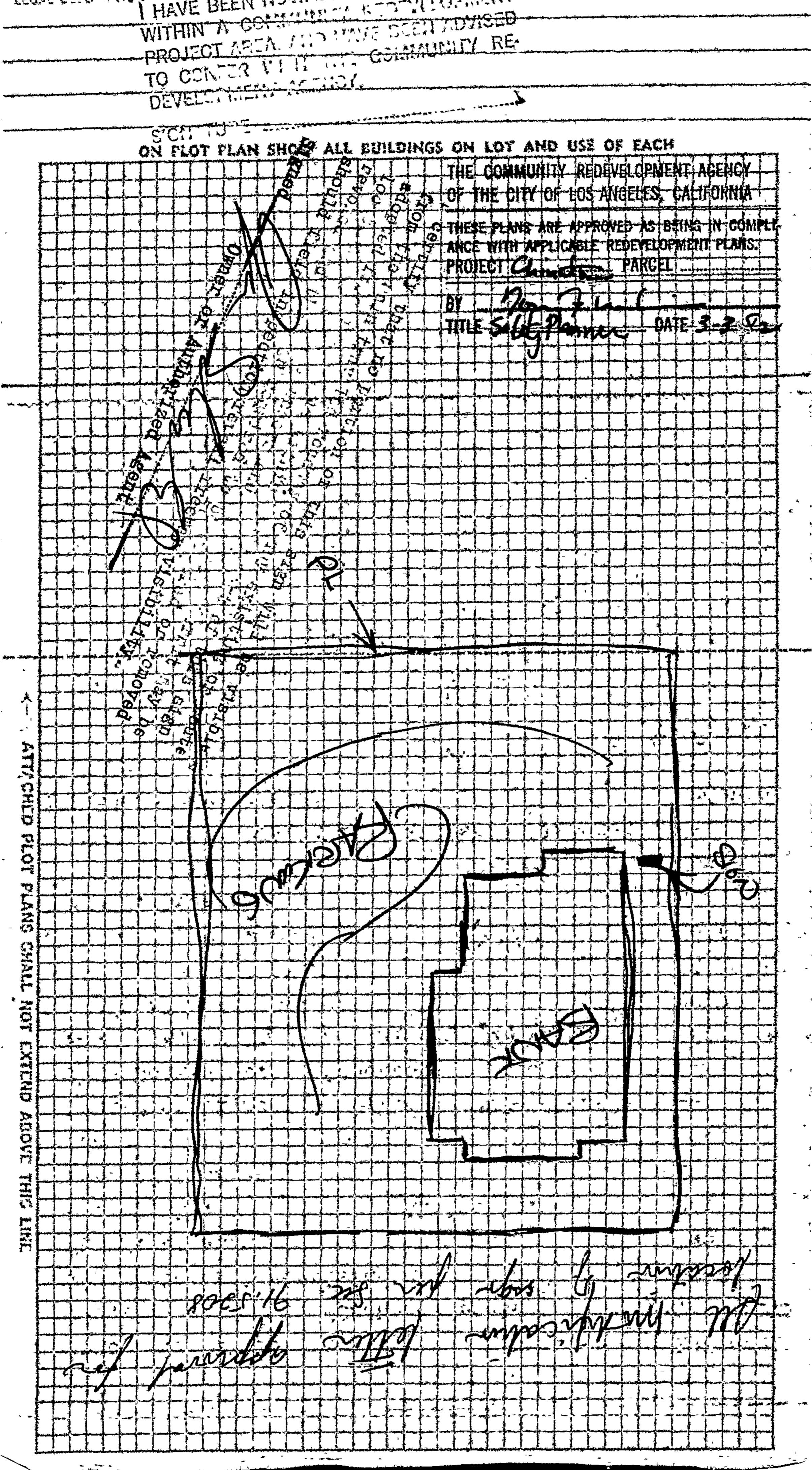
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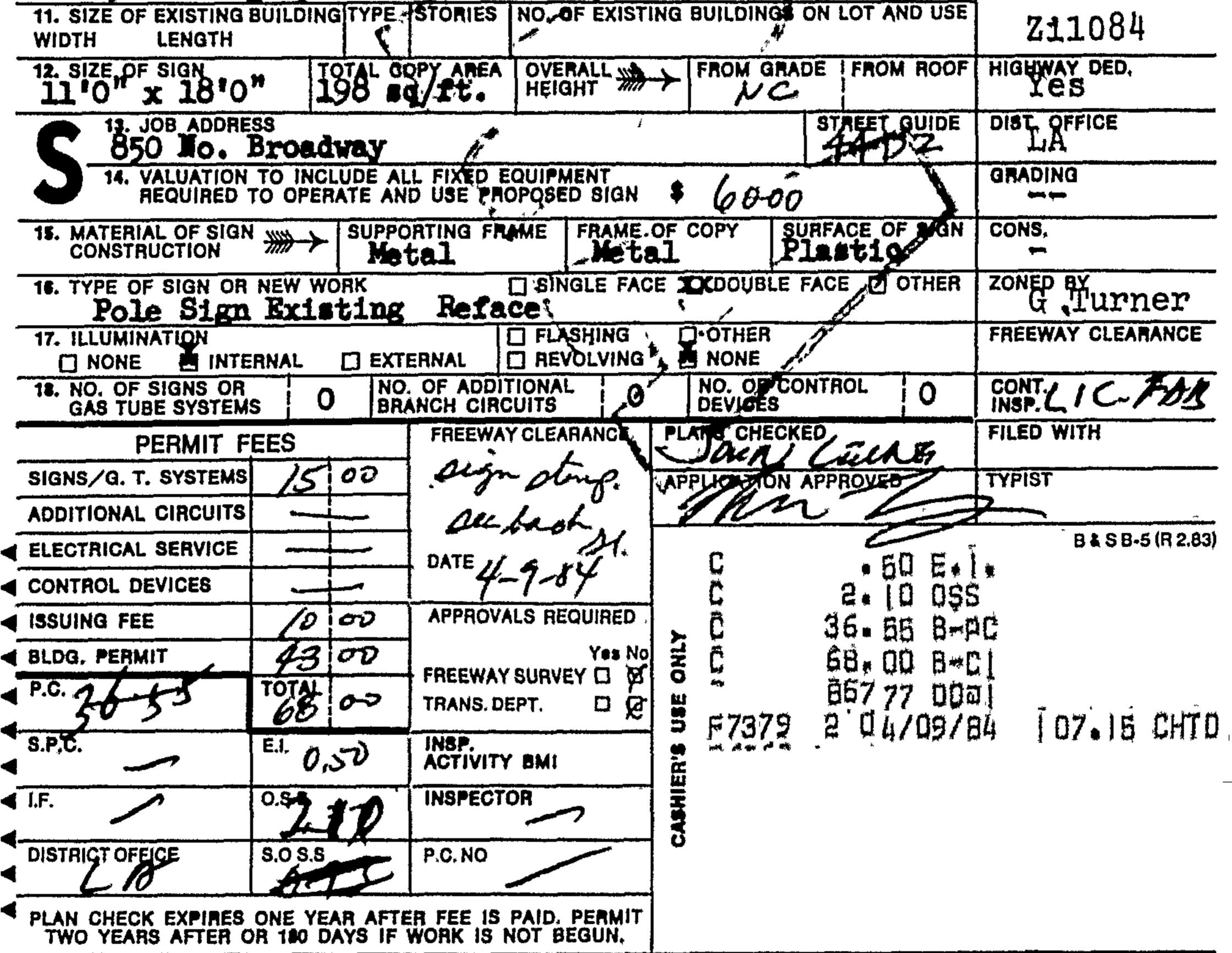


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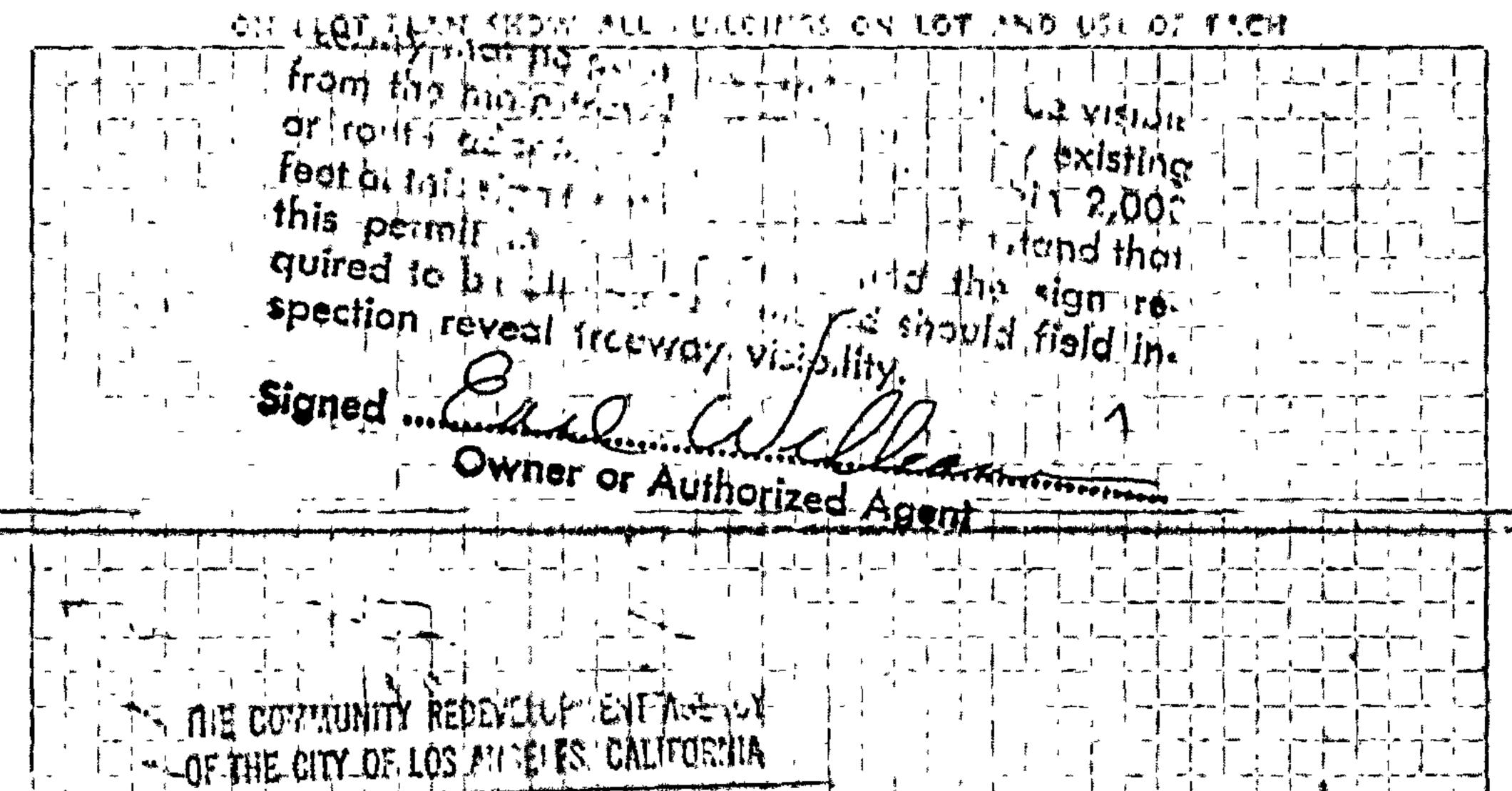
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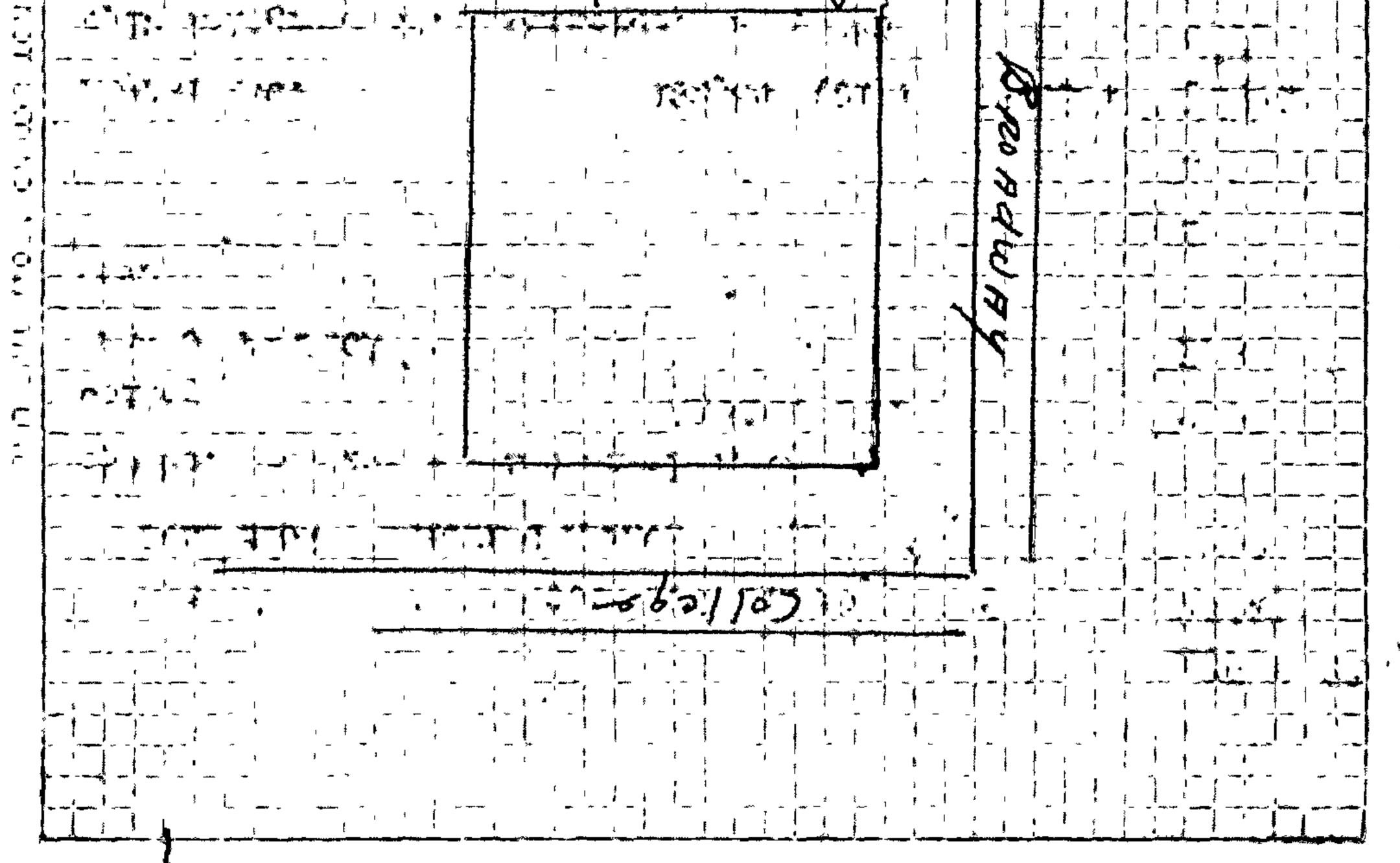
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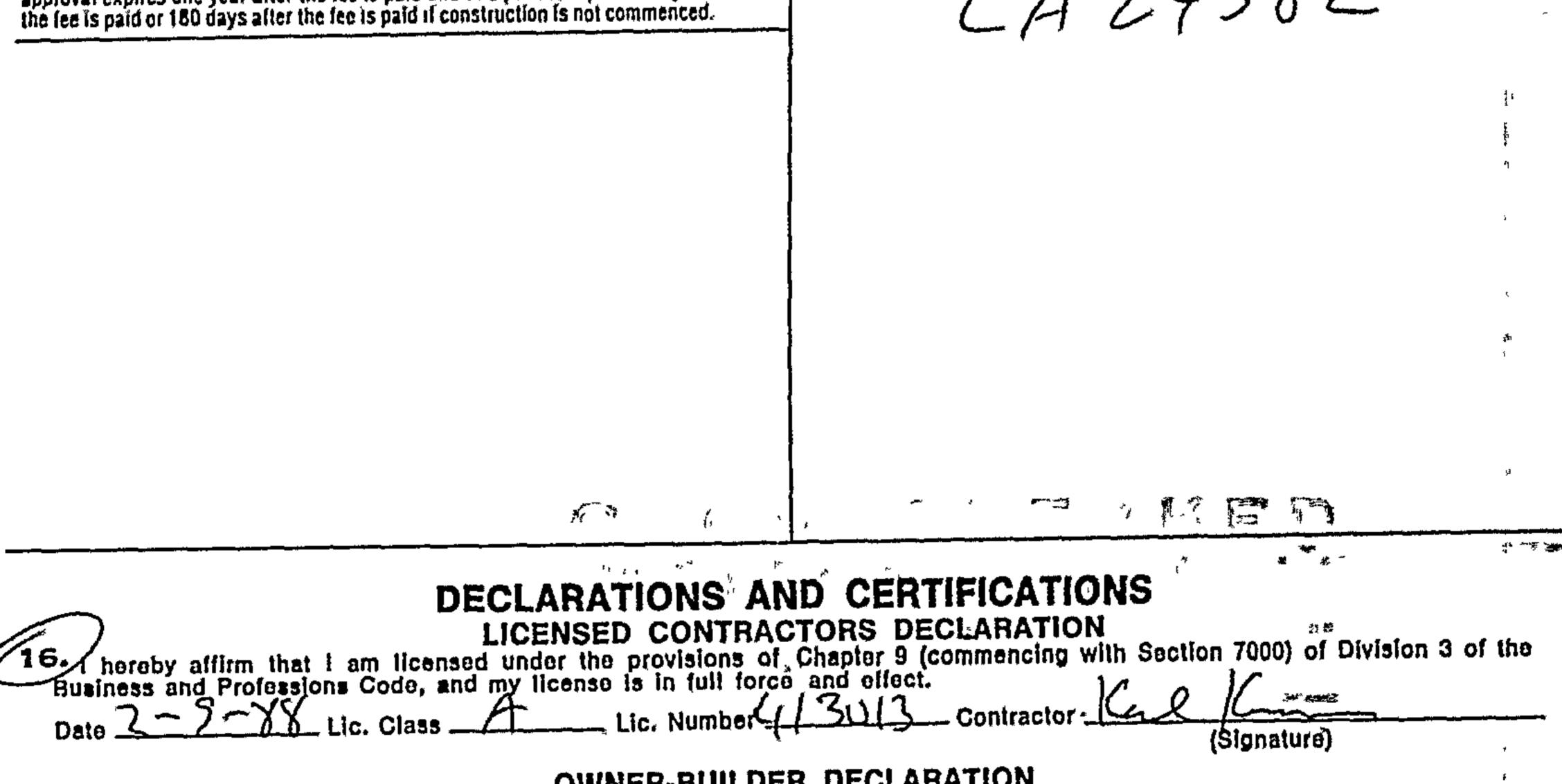
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<u>850 N. Broadway</u> 7. ENGINEER	Chinatown BUS, LIC, NO.	ACTIVE STATE LIC.	304 NO. PHONE	ALLEY
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### **OWNER-BUILDER DECLARATION**

17. I hereby affirm that I am exempt from the Contractor's License Law for the following reason (Sec. 7031.5, Business and Professions Code: Any city or county which requires a permit to construct, alter, improve, demotish, or repair any structure, prior to its issuance, also requires the applicant for such permit to file a signed statement that he is licensed pursuant to the provisions of the Contractor's License Law (Chapter 9 (commencing with Section 7000) of Division 3 of the Business and Pro-provisions Code) or that he is exempt therefrom and the basis for the alleged exemption. Any violation of Section 7031.5 by any applicant for a permit subjects the applicant to a civil penalty of not more than five hundred dollars (S500)...):

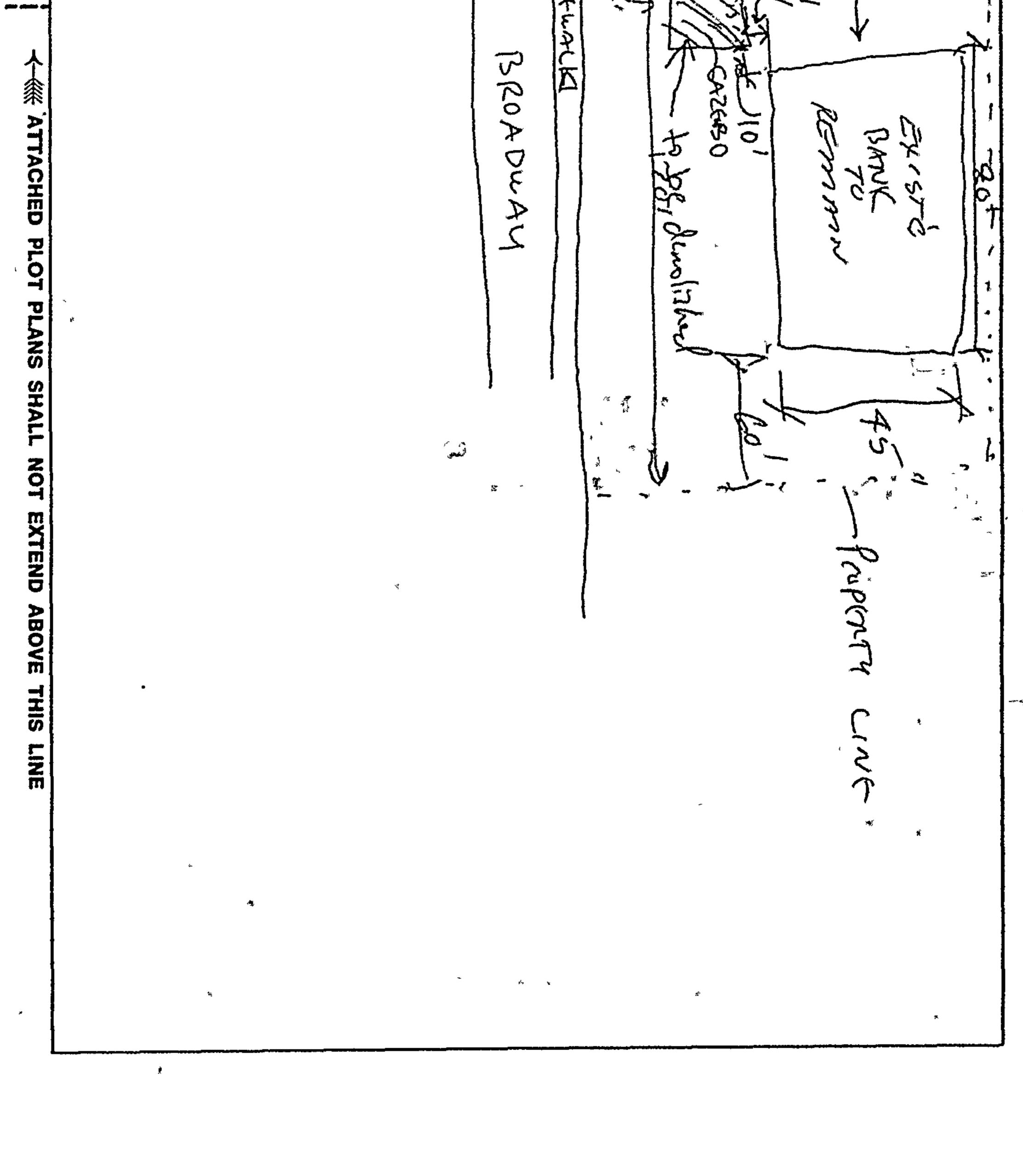
I I, as owner of the property, or my employees with wages as their sole compensation, will do the work, and the structure is not intended or offered for sale (Sec. 7044, Business and Professions Code: The Contractor's License Law does not apply to an owner of property who builds or improves thereon, and who does such work himself or through his own employees, provided that such improvements are not intended or offered for sale. If, however, the building or improvement is sold within one year of completion, the owner-builder will have the burden of proving that he did not build or improve for the purpose of sole ) of sale.). etrust the project (Sec. 7044)

I, as owner of the property, am exclusively contracting Business and Professions Code: The Contractor's License Law thereon, and who contracts for such projects with a contrac	tor(s) licensed pursuant to the G	
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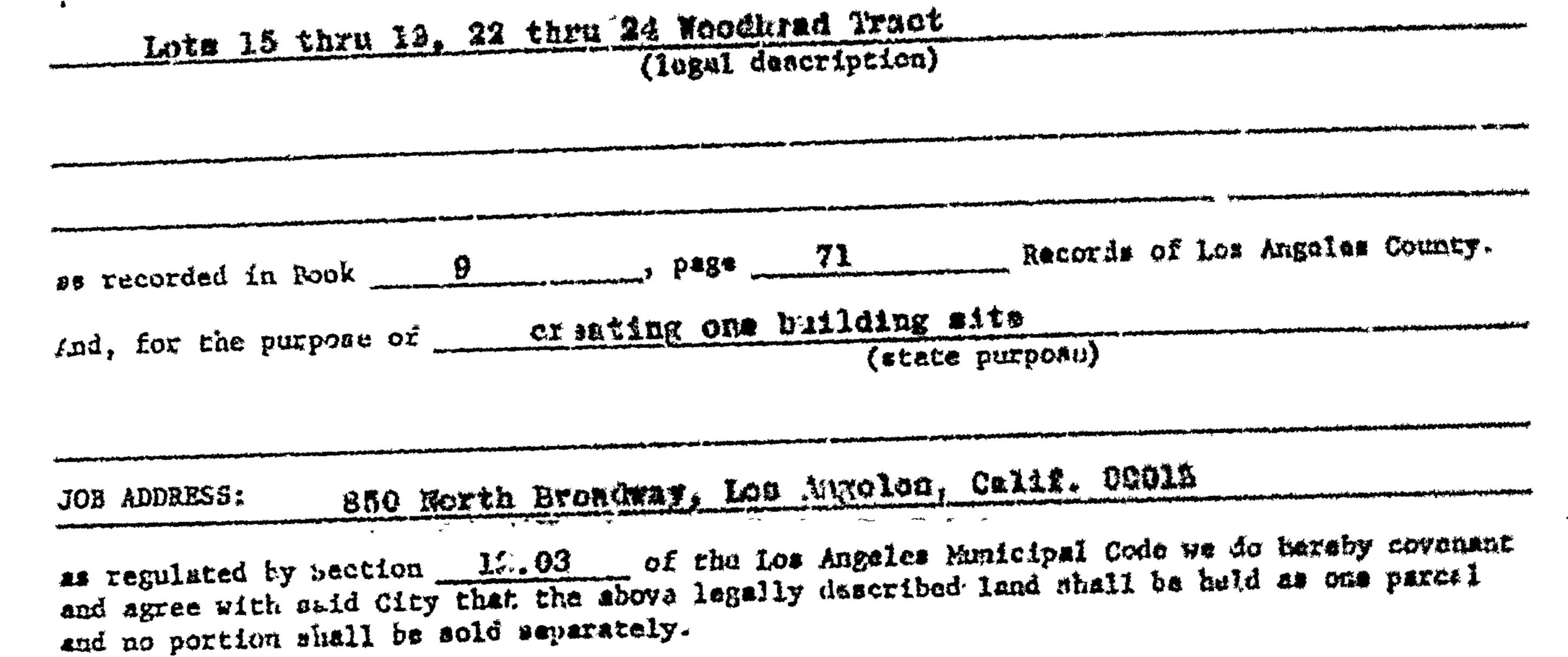
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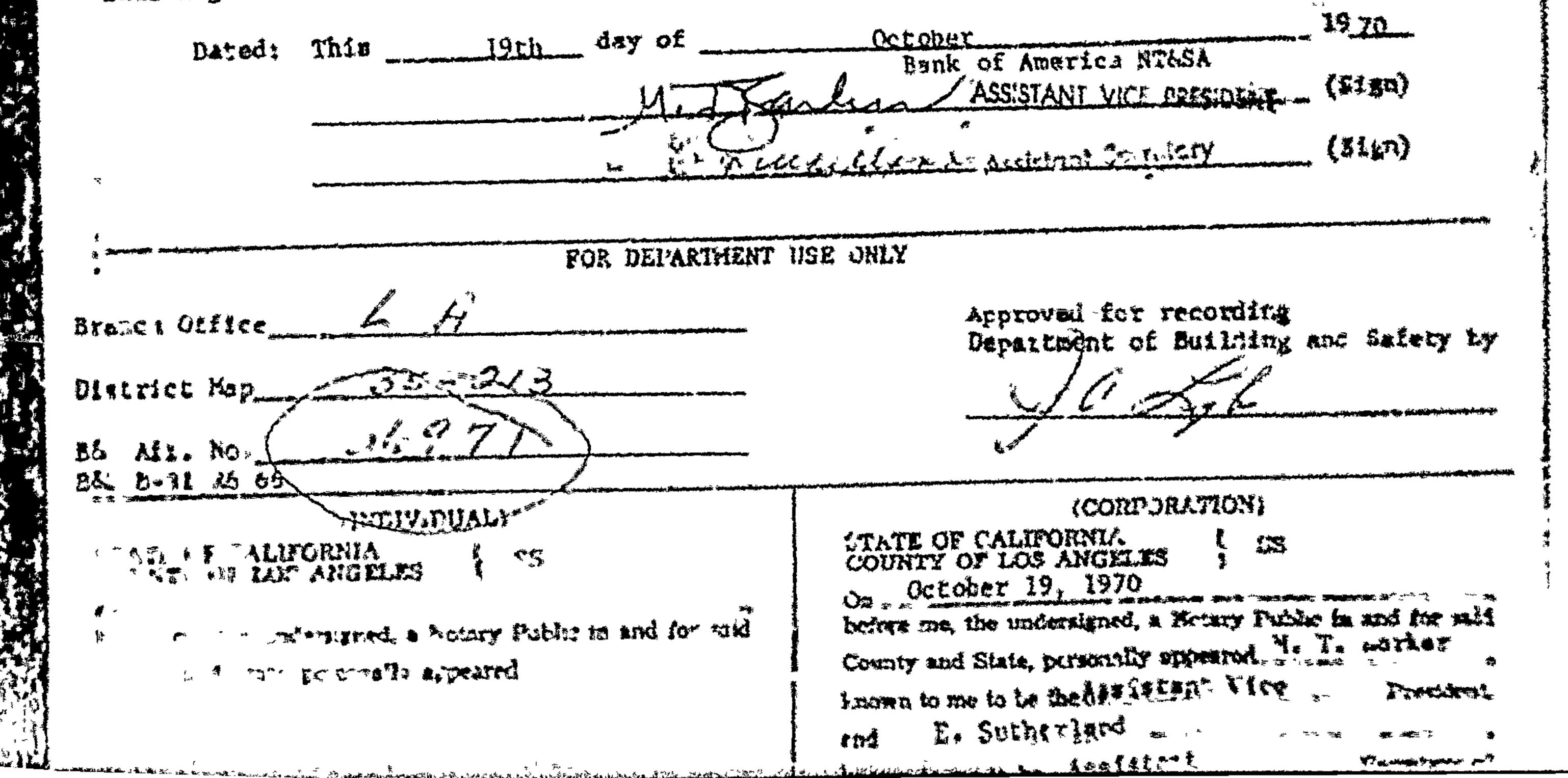
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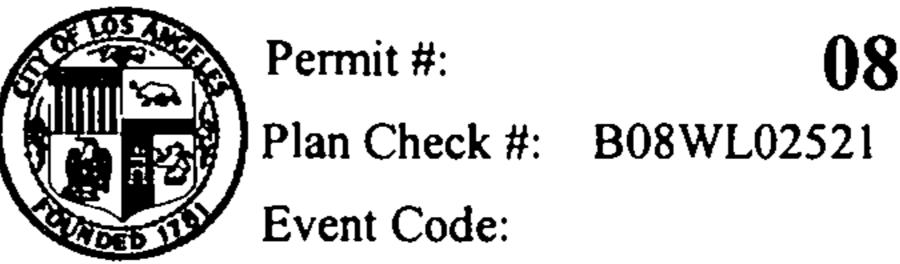
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This covenant and agreement shall run with the land and shall be binding upon curselves, and future owners, oncumbrancers, their successors, heirs, assigness and shall continue in effect until such time that the Los Angeles Municipa, Code unconditionally remains the use or purpose herein above referred to or unless otherwise released by authority of the Superintendent of Building of the City of Los Angeles.



## 850 N Broadway



## 08016 - 30000 - 11457

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Bldg-Alter/Repair Commercial Appointment Plan Check Plan Check		API	ty of Los Angeles - Department of E PLICATION FOR BUILI ND CERTIFICATE OF C	DING PERMIT		dy to Issue 6/2008
<u>1. TRACT</u> TR 10936	BLOCK	<u>LOT(s)</u> 22	<u>ARB</u> 1	<u>COUNTY MAP REF #</u> M B 251-33/34	<u>PARCEL ID # (PIN #)</u> 135A215 25	<u>2. A\$\$E\$\$0R PARCEL #</u> 5414 - 005 - 068
3. PARCEL INFORMATION Area Planning Commission - C LADBS Branch Office - LA Council District - 1	entral		Census Tract - 2071.00 District Map - 135A215 Energy Zone - 9	Earthqu	e Ordinance - YES Jake-Induced Liquefaction A t Date - 03/03/1948	Area - Yes

Certified Neighborhood Council - Historic Cultural Community Plan Area - Central City North

Fire District - 2 Hillside Grading Area - YES Methane Hazard Site - Methane Zone Near Source Zone Distance - 5.8

ZONE(S): C2-2/

#### 4. DOCUMENTS

ZI - ZI-1084 Chinatown Redevelopment CPC - CPC-1986-607-GPC ORD - ORD-142350 CPC - CPC-1995-352-CPU ORD - ORD-164855-SA330 CPC - CPC-2001-2386-CRA CRA - ZI 1084 CHINATOWN CPC - CPC-20918

CPC - CPC-7188 CDBG - BID-Chinatown CDBG - LARC-Yes CDBG - LARZ-Central City

#### 5. CHECKLIST ITEMS

6. PROPERTY OWNER, TENANT, APPLICANT INFORMATION

Owner(s):

Gee, Robert And Lottie Q Trs Robert And Loi 2305 Montecito Dr

Tenant:

Applicant: (Relationship: Agent for Owner)

Paresh Amare -

1440 Veteran Ave #205

SAN MARINO CA 91108

LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

(310) 271-1128

7.EXISTING USE (13) Office	8. DESCRIPTION OF WORK ADA UPGRADES: - REMOVE (E) & INSTALL NEW H.C ACCESSIBLE RAMP - REPAVE & RESTRIPE ACCESSIBLE PARKING & PATHOP TRAVEL (NOICH ANGEIN NUMBER OF PARKING SPACES) WL 10 37 088792 08/26/08 03:43PM
9. # Bldgs on Site & Use:         10. APPLICATION PROCESSING INFORMATION         BLDG. PC By:       Samuel Ahn         DAS PC         OK for Cashier:       Somkiat Supanyachoteku Coord.         Signature:       JI. PROJECT VALUATION & FEE INFORMATION Final Fee Period         Permit Valuation:       \$10,000	OK: Date: 08-26-08 Date: 08-26-08 Da
FINAL TOTAL Bldg-Alter/Repair218.88Permit Fee Subtotal Bldg-Alter/Reps185.63Handicapped Access185.63Plan Check Subtotal Bldg-Alter/Rep0.00Fire Hydrant Refuse-To-Pay2.10C.S. Surcharge3.75Sys. Surcharge11.26Planning Surcharge11.14Planning Surcharge Misc Fee5.00Permit Issuing Fee0.00	Subtotal: \$218. Carry Over FROM Tran# 088791 \$178. Total Due: \$397. Check: \$397. 2008WL 26320
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STRUCTURE INVENTORY (Note: Numeric measurement data in the format "number / number"	08016 - 30000 - 1145		
) Parking Req'd for Bldg (Auto+Bicycle): 0 Stalls / 22 : ) Total Provided Parking for Site: 0 Stalls / 41 Stalls			
APPLICATION COMMENTS			

ONTRACTOR, ARCHITECT, & ENGINEER NAME	ADDRESS		<u>CLASS</u>	LICENSE#	PHONE #
Peteris, Gidas Viktor	1440 Veteran Avenue #205,	Los Angeles, CA 90024		C24006	
Excel Construction Services Inc	14241 East Firestone #400,	La Mirada, CA 90638	B	852879	
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PERMIT EXPIRATION/REFUNDS: This period of 180 days (Sec. 98.0602 LAMC). LAMC). The permittee may be entitled to response to the permittee may be entitled to the p	Claims for refund of fees paid must be filed	I within one year from the date of expiration	on for permits g	ranted by LADE	S (Sec. 22.12 & 22.13
I hereby affirm under penalty of perjury that my license is in full force and effect. The f ability to take prime contracts or subcontra	t I am licensed under the provisions of Cha ollowing applies to B contractors only: I ur	ONTRACTOR'S DECLARATION opter 9 (commencing with Section 7000) o iderstand the limitations of Section 7057 o	f Division 3 of of the Business	the Business and and Professional	Professions Code, and Code related to my
	Contractor: EX	<b>CEL CONSTRUCTION SERVIO</b>	CES INC		
License Class: B Lic. No.: 8	Contractor: EA			· · · · ·	

VI have and will maintain workers' compensation insurance, as required by Section 3700 of the Labor Code, for the performance of the work for which this permit is issued. My workers' compensation insurance carrier and policy number are:

Carrier: Redwood Fire & Cslty. Ins. Co.

Policy Number: 4403008470081

Date:

Contractor LAuthorized Agent

(\_) I certify that in the performance of the work for which this permit is issued, I shall not employ any person in any manner so as to become subject to the workers' compensation laws of California, and agree that if I should become subject to the workers' compensation provisions of Section 3700 of the Labor Code, I shall forthwith comply with those provisions.

WARNING: FAILURE TO SECURE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE IS UNLAWFUL, AND SHALL SUBJECT AN EMPLOYER TO CRIMINAL PENALTIES AND CIVIL FINES UP TO ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000), IN ADDITION TO THE COST OF COMPENSATION, DAMAGES AS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 3706 OF THE LABOR CODE, INTEREST, AND ATTORNEY'S FEES.

#### 19. ASBESTOS REMOVAL DECLARATION / LEAD HAZARD WARNING

I certify that notification of asbestos removal is either not applicable or has been submitted to the AQMD or EPA as per section 19827.5 of the Health and Safety Code. Information is available at (909) 396-2336 and the notification form at <u>www.aqmd.gov</u>. Lead safe construction practices are required when doing repairs that disturb paint in pre-1978 buildings due to the presence of lead per section 6716 and 6717 of the Labor Code. Information is available at Health Services for LA County at (800) 524-5323 or the State of California at (800) 597-5323 or <u>www.dhs.ca.gov/childlead</u>.

## 20. CONSTRUCTION LENDING AGENCY DECLARATION

#### **21. FINAL DECLARATION**

I certify that I have read this application INCLUDING THE ABOVE DECLARATIONS and state that the above information INCLUDING THE ABOVE DECLARATIONS is correct. I agree to comply with all city and county ordinances and state laws relating to building construction, and hereby authorize representatives of this city to enter upon the above-mentioned property for inspection purposes. I realize that this permit is an application for inspection and that it does not approve or authorize the work specified herein, and it does not authorize or permit any violation or failure to comply with any applicable law. Furthermore, neither the City of Los Angeles nor any board, department officer, or employee thereof, make any warranty, nor shall be responsible for the performance or results of any work described herein, nor the condition of the property nor the soil upon which such work is performed. I further affirm under penalty of perjury, that the proposed work will not destroy or unreasonably interfere with any access or utility easement belonging to others and located on my property, but in the event such work does destroy or unreasonably interfere with such easement, a substitute easement(s) satisfactory to the holder(s) of the easement will be provided (Sec. 91.0106.4.3.4 LAMC).

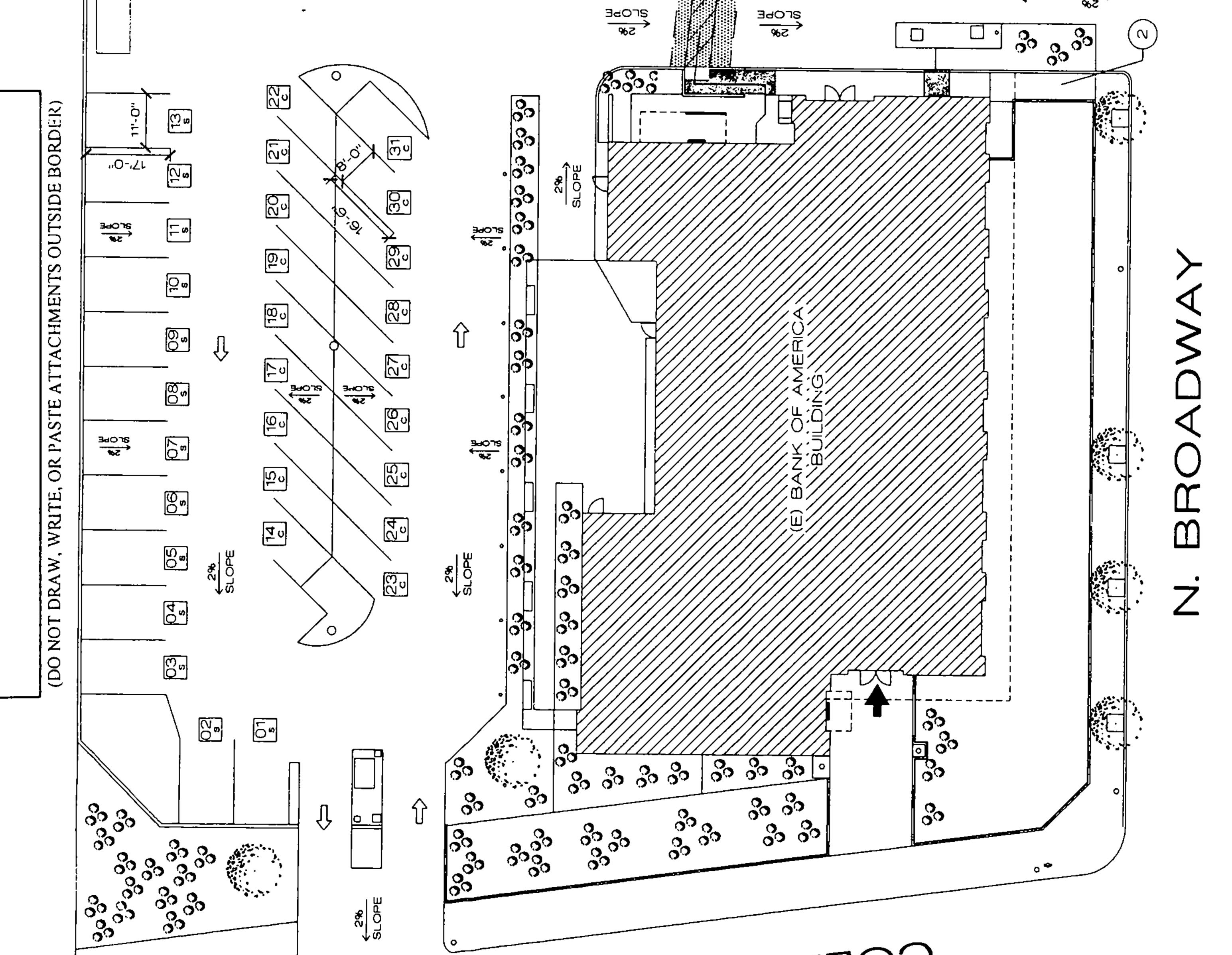
## By signing below, I certify that:

Print Name:

(1) I accept all the declarations above namely the Licensed Contractor's Declaration, Workers' Compensation Declaration, Asbestos Removal Declaration / Lead Hazard Warning,

Construction Lending Agency Declaration and Final Declaration; and
 (2) This permit is being obtained with the consent of the legal owner of the property

850 N Broadway	Permit Applicatio	n #: 08016 - 30000 - 11457
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## PLOT PLAN ATTACHMENT

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COLLEGE AVE.

850 N Broadway				Permit #: Plan Check #: B19LA057. Event Code:		- 10000 - 0078 inted: 08/29/19 09:02 A
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Regular Plan Check Plan Check		AND CERTIFIC	ATE OF O	CCUPANCY	Status Date: 08	
I. TRACT WOODHEAD TRACT	<u>оск Lot(s)</u> 19		<u>ARB</u>	<u>County map ref #</u> M R 9-71	<u>PARCEL ID # (PIN #)</u> 135A215 254	<u>2. ASSESSOR PARCEL#</u> 5408 - 031 - 013
3. PARCEL INFORMATION Area Planning Commission - Central LADBS Branch Office - LA Council District - 1 Certified Neighborhood Council - Los Angel Community Plan Area - Central City North ZONES(S): C2-2	es Historic Cultur	Census Tract - 2071.03 District Map - 135A215 Energy Zone - 9 Fire District - 2 Earthquake-Induced Liquefac	tion Area - Yes	Near Sourc	azard Site - Methane Zone e Zone Distance - 0 others Map Grid - 634-G2	
4. DOCUMENTS         ZI - ZI-1084 Chinatown Redevelopme         ZI - ZI-2129 EAST LOS ANGELES S         ZI - ZI-2452 Transit Priority Area in th         ORD - ORD-142350         5. CHECKLIST ITEMS         Special Inspect - Epoxy Bolts	TATE E CRA - ZI e Cit CPC - CP	1084 CHINATOWN			CPC - CPC-2017-432-0 CPC - CPC-20918 CDBG - BID-GREATE CDBG - LARC-Los An	RCHINATOWN
Special Inspect - H/S Bolt						
6. PROPERTY OWNER, TENANT, APPLICAN Owner(s): BANK OF AMERICA 101 TRYON ST, CHARLOTTE NC 28				For Cashier's Use Only		W/O #: 920007

CHRISTOPHER J. ARROYO -

5 PETERS CANYON, IRVNE, CA 92606 -- (917) 710-8612

#### 7. EXISTING USE

PROPOSED USE

(23) Miscellaneous Bldg/Structure

DAS PC By: Elizabeth Toms

Date: 08/29/2019

Coord. OK:

#### 8. DESCRIPTION OF WORK

PROPOSED TO RE-STRIPEA PORTION OF PARKING LOT WHERE EV CHARGING STAITIONS ARE TO BE INSTALLED.

9, # Bldgs on Site & Use:	COMMERCIAL BANK
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#### 10, APPLICATION PROCESSING INFORMATION

Stanley Raap BLDG. PC By:

Stella Sargsyan

Signature:

OK for Cashier:

11. PROJECT VALUATION

Permit Valuation:

Final Fee Period \$75,000 PC Valuation:

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#### LA ESTE 104164197 8/29/2019 9:02:32 AM BUILDING PERMIT COMM \$607.50 BUILDING PLAN CHECK \$0.00 \$0.00 BUILDING PLAN CHECK PLAN MAINTENANCE \$12.15 EI COMMERCIAL \$21.00 DEV SERV CENTER SURCH \$19.22

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Sewer Cap ID:	Total Bond(s) Due:	SYSTEMS DEVT FEE	\$38.44
12. ATTACHMENTS Plot Plan		CITY PLANNING SURCH MISCELLANEOUS PLANNING GEN PLAN MAINT SURCH	\$37.18 \$10.00 \$43.38
For inspection requests, call toll-free (888) LA4 www.ladbs.org. To speak to a Call Center agen		CA BLDG STD COMMISSION SURCHARGE BUILDING PLAN CHECK	\$3.00 \$0.00
Outside LA County, call (213) 473-3231.	$0  0  0  0  0  7  8  2  F  N  \star$	Sub Total: Permit #: 190201000000782 Building Card #: 2019LA31981 Receipt #: 0104084997	\$791.87

13. STRUCTURE INVENTORY (Note: Numeric measurement data in the format "number / number" implies "change in numeric v	alue / total resulting numeric value") 19020 - 10000 - 00782
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(P) Type V-B Construction	
4. APPLICATION COMMENTS:	In the event that any box (i.e. 1-16) is filled to capacity, it is
	possible that additional information has been captured
	electronically and could not be printed due to space
	restrictions. Nevertheless the information printed exceeds
	that required by section 19825 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California.

#### <u>15, BUILDING RELOCATED FROM:</u>

<ul> <li><u>16. CONTRACTOR, ARCHITECT &amp; ENGINEER NAME</u></li> <li>(C) ALLEGIANCE GLOBAL CONSTRUCTION L</li> <li>(E) HERRERA,, NOEL ZAGALA</li> <li>(E) SOMMERFELD,, GARY DEAN</li> </ul>	ADDRESS 445 S FIGUEROA ST STE 3100, 10571 HAUSER STREET, 19307 W 63RD TERRACE,	LOS ANGELES, CA 90071 OVERLAND PARK, KS 66215 SHAWNEE, KS 66218	<u>CLASS</u> B	<u>LICENSE #</u> 995925 S6199 C81566	<u>PHONE #</u>	
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PERMIT EXPIRATION/REFUNDS: This permit expires two years after the date of the permit issuance. This permit will also expire if no construction work is performed for a continuous period of 180 days (Sec. 98.0602 LAMC). Claims for refund of fees paid must be filed within one year from the date of expiration for permits granted by LADBS (Sec. 22.12 & 22.13) LAMC). The permittee may be entitled to reimbursement of permit fees if the Department fails to conduct an inspection within 60 days of receiving a request for final inspection (HS 17951).

#### **17. LICENSED CONTRACTOR'S DECLARATION**

I hereby affirm under penalty of perjury that I am licensed under the provisions of Chapter 9 (commencing with Section 7000) of Division 3 of the Business and Professions Code, and my license is in full force and effect. The following applies to B contractors only: I understand the limitations of Section 7057 of the Business and Professional Code related to my ability to take prime contracts or subcontracts involving specialty trades.

License Class:	<u>B</u> I	License No.:
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995925

Contractor:

**ALLEGIANCE GLOBAL CONSTRUCTION LLC** 

Date: 08/29/2019

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Contractor

Authorized Agent

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compensation insurance carrier and policy number are:

Carrier: THE WOODITCH CO	Policy Number:	C66017515
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Lender's Address :

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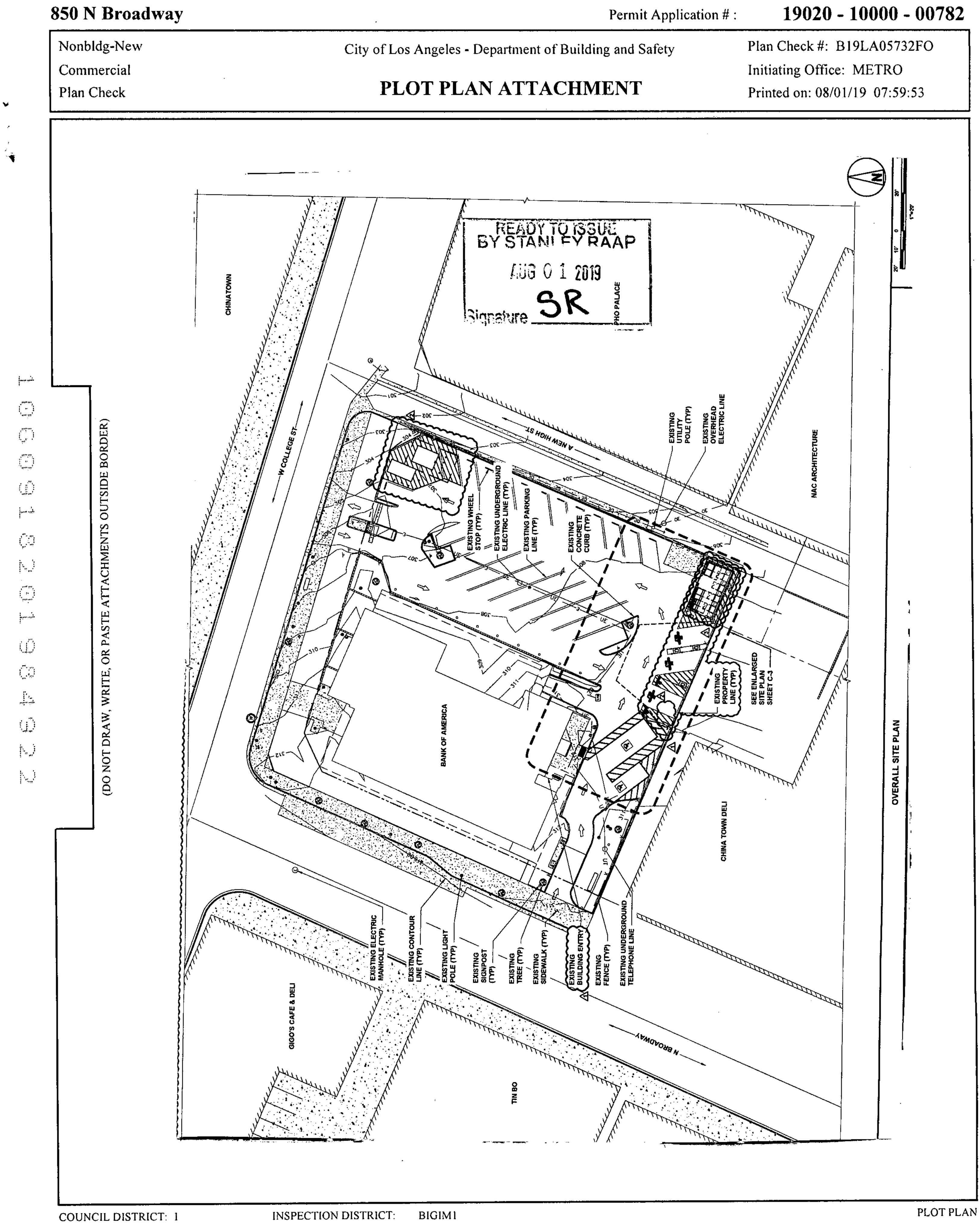
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Print Name: ELISHA ELDER

Sign:





850 N Broadway				Permit #: Plan Check #: B19LA1170 Event Code:		- 10000 - 17052 nted: 10/04/19 08:54 AN
Bldg-Alter/Repair		City of Los Angeles - D	epartment of B	uilding and Safety	Issued on: 10	/04/2019
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Area Planning Commission - Central LADBS Branch Office - LA Council District - 1 Certified Neighborhood Council - Historic Cultural N Community Plan Area - Central City North ZONES(S): C2-2	North	Census Tract - 2071.03 District Map - 135A215 Energy Zone - 9 Fire District - 2 Earthquake-Induced Liquefac	ction Area - Yes	Near Source School With	zard Site - Methane Zone Zone Distance - 0 in 500 Foot Radius - YES thers Map Grid - 634-G2	
4. DOCUMENTS         ZI - ZI-1084 Chinatown Redevelopment Proje         ZI - ZI-2129 EAST LOS ANGELES STATE E         ZI - ZI-2452 Transit Priority Area in the Cit         ORD - ORD-142350         5. CHECKLIST ITEMS         Std. Work Descr - Interior Non-struct. Remo         Permit Flag - Not a Fire Life Safety Project         Std. Work Descr - Seismic Gas Shut Off Valve	CRA - ZI CPC - CP CPC - CP	1084 CHINATOWN			CPC - CPC-2017-432-C CPC - CPC-20918 CDBG - BID-GREATE CDBG - LARC-Los An	R CHINATOWN
6. PROPERTY OWNER, TENANT, APPLICANT INFOR Owner(s): BANK OF AMERICA 101 TRYON ST, CHARLOTTE NC 28255 Tenant:	MATION			For Cashier's Use Only		W/O #: 9161705

#### JUDY YAM -

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### 392 N LE MAY CT, ORANGE, CA 92867 -- (626) 625-9882

7. EXISTING USE

PROPOSED USE

(13) Office

#### 8. DESCRIPTION OF WORK

INTERIOR TENANT IMPROVEMENT TO CONVERT EXISTING ROOM TO AN ATM ROOM AND INSTALL A NEW ATM INSIDE OF THE BANK.

### 9. # Bldgs on Site & Use:

10. APPLICATION PROCESSING INFORMATION	
BLDG. PC By: Shangqin Xie	DAS PC By:
OK for Cashier: Shine Lin	Coord. OK:
Signature: 1	Date: 10/04/2019
11. PROJECT VALUATION Final Fee Period	
Permit Valuation: \$90,000	PC Valuation:

## LA ESTE 104166985 10/4/2019 8:54:27 AM

Signature: 1 Shine Lin	Coord. UK: Date: 10/04/2019	BUILDING PERMIT-RES BUILDING PLAN CHECK	\$690.00 \$74.25
11. PROJECT VALUATION Final Fee Period		DEV SERV CENTER SURCH	\$22.93
Permit Valuation: \$90,000	PC Valuation:	SYSTEMS DEVT FEE	\$45.86
Sewer Cap ID:	Total Bond(s) Due:	CITY PLANNING SURCH	\$45.86
		MISCELLANEOUS	\$10.00
12. ATTACHMENTS		PLANNING GEN PLAN MAINT SURCH	\$53.50
D.A. Accessibility Upgrades Plot Plan		CA BLDG STD COMMISSION SURCHARGE	\$4.00
		BUILDING PLAN CHECK	\$0.00
For inspection requests, call toll-free (888) www.ladbs.org. To speak to a Call Center	LA4BUILD (524-2845), or request inspections via agent, call 311.	LINKAGE FEE	\$0.00
Outside LA County, call (213) 473-3231.		Sub Total:	\$946.40
		Permit #: 190161000017052	
		Building Card #: 2019LA34481	
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<u>3. STRUCTURE INVENTORY</u>	(Note: Numeric measurement data in the format "number / number" implies "change in numeric v	value / total resulting numeric value") 19016 - 10000 - 1
APPLICATION COMMENTS:		In the event that any box (i.e. 1-16) is filled to capacity, it is possible that additional information has been captured

15. BUILDING RELOCATED FROM:					
<u>16. CONTRACTOR, ARCHITECT &amp; ENGINEER NAME</u> (C) SUMMER SYSTEMS INC	<u>Address</u> 28942 Hancock Parkway,	VALENCIA, CA 91355	<u>Class</u> B	<u>LICENSE #</u> 560229	<u>PHONE #</u> (661) 257-4419
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Print Name: ANTHONY ROMERO Sign: Date: 10/04/2019 П Χ Contractor Authorized Agent



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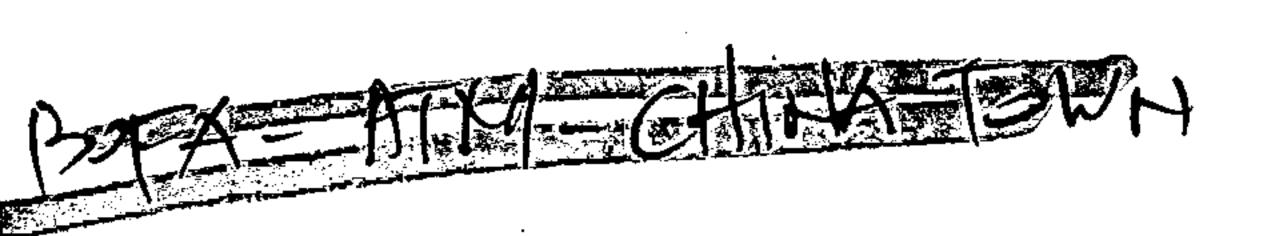
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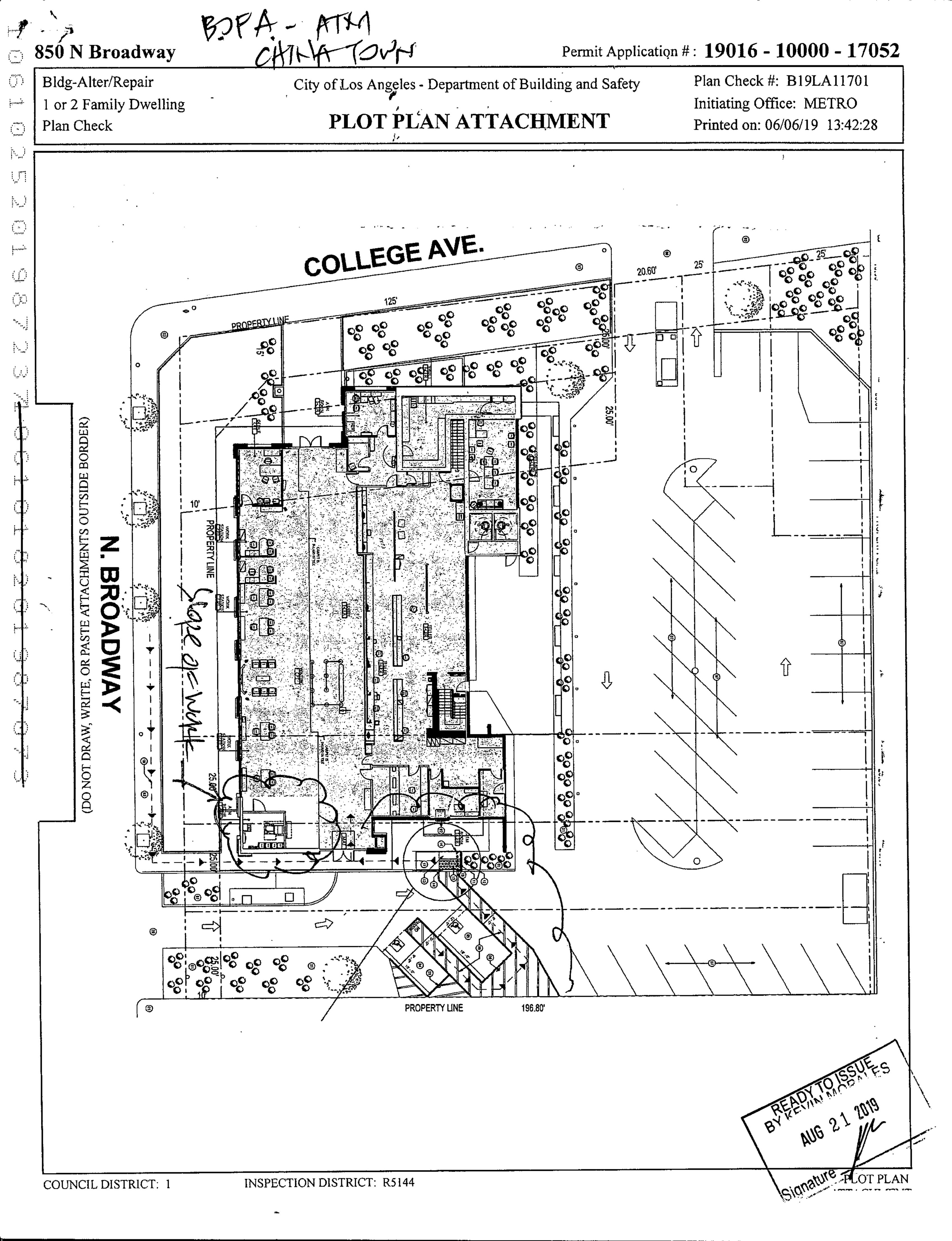


# Summary of Accessibility Upgrades for Commercial Projects

(For existing buildings where the adjusted construction cost is less than or equal to \$147,863.00 (rev. 1/2015) Sec. 11B-202.4 Exception 8)

Project Address: 850 N Broadway	Application No. 19016-10000 - 17052
Project Description/Location: New interior walk-up ATM	Permit Valuation: $$75,000$
Type: X Alteration I Structural Repair Addition	*Adjusted Cost of Proposed Construction: \$90,000

Accessible Features	Does existing feature meet accessibility standards of Chapter 11B of the current CBC?		ture be replaced or eet Chapter 11B of CBC?	If so, how much will be spent to make this feature accessible?
1. Accessible entrance	No	Yes		15,000.00
2. Accessible route to the altered area	Yes			
3. Accessible restroom for each sex or a unisex restroom	No	No		
4. Accessible telephones	N/A	·		
5. Accessible drinking fountains	N/A			
6. Other (Any of the below)			<u> </u>	
A. Accessible parking spaces	Yes			
B. Signs	Yes		,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
C. Alarms	N/A			
D. Other:	N/A		····	
Cost of All Features Provided (A)	Summary of costs of Accessible F	Features Nos. 1-6	provided above.	15,000.00
Adjusted cost of Proposed Construction (B)	Construction cost for all proposed work on this permit application except Accessible Features Nos 1-6 provided above		75,000.00	
Percentage Upgrades Provided (A / B)			0.2	
oo short. Remove existing bottom la y extending landing as required. Ins	stall new handrails and new tru	ncated domes	to work with ne	w landing configuration.
Applicant Certification certify that the above information is true and	correct to the best of my knowledge a	nd belief.		
Signature:		Company:	Gensler	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Name: (print) Nicholas Acevedo		Address:	4675 Mac Arthur Court, Suite 100	
Title: Architect		City, State Zip:	Newport Beach, CA 92660	
Agent for: Sowner Architect Engineer Contractor		Phone No.:	(949) 863-9434	
For Building Official Use Only		··· _·· _ · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Approved by:	Title: S.E.A	I	Date	: 08/21/1EG
	an accessible path of travel to that are	ea, and subseque	ent alterations of that	area or a difference area on the
If an area has been altered without providing ame path of travel are undertaken within thre receding three-year period shall be consider	e years of the original alteration, the t	otal cost of altera making that path	tions to the areas or of travel accessible	that path of travel during the is disproportionate.



#### Zimas Report



#### **City of Los Angeles Department of City Planning**

#### 4/8/2021 PARCEL PROFILE REPORT

PROPERTY ADDRESSES	Address/Legal Information	
852 N NORTH BROADWAY	PIN Number	135A215 258
850 N NORTH BROADWAY	Lot/Parcel Area (Calculated)	13,750.9 (sq ft)
850 1/2 N NORTH BROADWAY	Thomas Brothers Grid	PAGE 634 - GRID G2
222 W COLLEGE ST	Assessor Parcel No. (APN)	5408031013
850 1/2 N BROADWAY	Tract	WOODHEAD TRACT
852 N BROADWAY	Map Reference	M R 9-71
850 N BROADWAY	Block	None
	Lot	FR 24
ZIP CODES	Arb (Lot Cut Reference)	None
90012	Map Sheet	135A215
	Jurisdictional Information	
RECENT ACTIVITY	Community Plan Area	Central City North
None	Area Planning Commission	Central
	Neighborhood Council	Historic Cultural North
CASE NUMBERS	Council District	CD 1 - Gilbert Cedillo
CPC-2018-6005-CA	Census Tract #	2071.03
CPC-2017-432-CPU	LADBS District Office	Los Angeles Metro
CPC-2014-5000-CA-GPA	Planning and Zoning Information	
CPC-2014-2415-GPA-CA	Special Notes	None
CPC-2013-3169	Zoning	C2-2
CPC-2012-1504-ICO	Zoning Information (ZI)	ZI-2452 Transit Priority Area in the City of Los Angeles
CPC-2008-3125-CA		ZI-2488 Redevelopment Project Area: Chinatown
CPC-2002-1128-CA		ZI-2129 State Enterprise Zone: East Los Angeles
CPC-2001-2386	General Plan Land Use	Regional Commercial
CPC-19XX-20918	General Plan Note(s)	Yes
CPC-1995-352-CPU	Hillside Area (Zoning Code)	No
CPC-1986-607-GPC	Specific Plan Area	None
ORD-175038	Subarea	None
ORD-164855-SA690	Special Land Use / Zoning	None
ORD-142350	Historic Preservation Review	No
ENV-2019-4121-ND	Historic Preservation Overlay Zone	None
ENV-2018-6006-CE	Other Historic Designations	None
ENV-2017-433-EIR	Other Historic Survey Information	None
ENV-2014-4000-MND	Mills Act Contract	None
ENV-2014-2416-MND	CDO: Community Design Overlay	None
ENV-2013-3392-CE	CPIO: Community Plan Imp. Overlay	None
ENV-2013-3170-CE	Subarea	None
ENV-2012-1505-CE	CUGU: Clean Up-Green Up	None
ENV-2002-1131-ND	HCR: Hillside Construction Regulation	No
ENV-2002-1130-ND	NSO: Neighborhood Stabilization Overlay	No
ENV-1995-328-MND	POD: Pedestrian Oriented Districts	None
AFF-36971	RFA: Residential Floor Area District	None
	RIO: River Implementation Overlay	No
	SN: Sign District	No
	Streetscape	No
	Adaptive Reuse Incentive Area	Adaptive Reuse Incentive Area

Affordable Housing Linkage Fee	
Residential Market Area	Medium-High
Non-Residential Market Area	Medium
Transit Oriented Communities (TOC)	Tier 3
RPA: Redevelopment Project Area	Chinatown
Central City Parking	No
Downtown Parking	No
Building Line	None
500 Ft School Zone	Active: Castelar Street Elementary School
	Active: Castelar Street Elementary School (Dual Language Mandarin)
500 Ft Park Zone	No
Assessor Information	
Assessor Parcel No. (APN)	5408031013
APN Area (Co. Public Works)*	0.810 (ac)
Use Code	2300 - Commercial - Bank, Savings and Loan - One Story
Assessed Land Val.	\$2,121,556
Assessed Improvement Val.	\$289,658
Last Owner Change	09/30/1998
Last Sale Amount	\$0
Tax Rate Area	46
Deed Ref No. (City Clerk)	6666699
	5-189
	0-623
Building 1	
Year Built	1971
Number of Units	0
Number of Bedrooms	0
Number of Bathrooms	0
Building Square Footage	25,000.0 (sq ft)
Building 2	
Year Built	1971
Building Class	C45A
Number of Units	0
Number of Bedrooms	0
Number of Bathrooms	0
Building Square Footage	8,858.0 (sq ft)
Building 3	No data for building 3
Building 4	No data for building 4
Building 5	No data for building 5
Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO)	No [APN: 5408031013]
Additional Information	
Airport Hazard	None
Coastal Zone	None
Farmland	Area Not Mapped
Urban Agriculture Incentive Zone	YES
Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone	No
Fire District No. 1	No
Flood Zone	Outside Flood Zone
Watercourse	No
	No
Hazardous Waste / Border Zone Properties	No Methane Zone
Methane Hazard Site	
High Wind Velocity Areas Special Grading Area (BOE Basic Grid Map A- 13372)	No No
Wells	None

Seismic Hazards	
Active Fault Near-Source Zone	
	Within Fault Zone
Nearest Fault (Distance in km)	
Nearest Fault (Name)	Upper Elysian Park
	Los Angeles Blind Thrusts
Fault Type	B
Slip Rate (mm/year)	1.3000000
Slip Geometry	Reverse
Slip Type	Poorly Constrained
Down Dip Width (km)	13.0000000
Rupture Top	3.0000000
Rupture Bottom	13.0000000
Dip Angle (degrees)	50.0000000
Maximum Magnitude	6.4000000
Alquist-Priolo Fault Zone	No
Landslide	No
Liquefaction	Yes
Preliminary Fault Rupture Study Area	No
Tsunami Inundation Zone	No
Economic Development Areas	
Business Improvement District	GREATER CHINATOWN
Hubzone	Qualified
Opportunity Zone	No
Promise Zone	None
State Enterprise Zone	EAST LOS ANGELES STATE ENTERPRISE ZONE
Housing	
Direct all Inquiries to	Housing+Community Investment Department
Telephone	(866) 557-7368
Website	http://hcidla.lacity.org
Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO)	No [APN: 5408031013]
Ellis Act Property	No
AB 1482: Tenant Protection Act	No
Public Safety	
Police Information	
Bureau	Central
Division / Station	Central
Reporting District	111
Fire Information	
Bureau	Central
Batallion	1
District / Fire Station	4
Red Flag Restricted Parking	No
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#### **CASE SUMMARIES**

Note: Information for case summaries is retrieved from the Planning Department's Plan Case Tracking System (PCTS) database.

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Case Number:	CPC-2018-6005-CA
Required Action(s):	CA-CODE AMENDMENT
Project Descriptions(s):	RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER THE LAND USE AUTHORITY FROM THE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, DESIGNATED LOCAL AUTHORITY (CRA/LA-DLA) TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES AND CODE AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF UNEXPIRED REDEVELOPMENT PLANS AND UPDATE OTHER RELEVANT CODE PROVISIONS IN THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE TO FACILITATE THE TRANSFER OF LAND USE AUTHROITY FROM THE CRA/LA-DLA TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES.
Case Number:	CPC-2017-432-CPU
Required Action(s):	CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Project Descriptions(s):	COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Case Number:	CPC-2014-5000-CA-GPA
Required Action(s):	CA-CODE AMENDMENT
	GPA-GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT
Project Descriptions(s):	CODE AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH ARTS DISTRICT LIVE/WORK ZONE AND GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT TO THE CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN MAP TO ADD SPECIAL STUDY BOUNDARY, UPDATE CORRESPONDING ZONES, AND ADD NEW FOOTNOTES.
Case Number:	CPC-2014-2415-GPA-CA
Required Action(s):	GPA-GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT
	CA-CODE AMENDMENT
Project Descriptions(s):	PROPOSED ORDINANCE TO CREATE NEW LIVE/WORK ZONE AND PROPOSED GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT TO THE CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN TO ADD POLICY DIRECTION FOR NEW LIVE/WORK PROJECTS IN THE ARTS DISTRICT.
Case Number:	CPC-2013-3169
Required Action(s):	Data Not Available
Project Descriptions(s):	THE PROPOSED PROJECT CONSISTS OF: (1) A TECHNICAL MODIFICATION TO SECTIONS 12.03, 12.04, 12.21, 12.22, 12.24, 13.11, 14.5, 16.05 AND 16.11 OF THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE (LAMC) TO REMOVE OR AMEND REFERENCES TO THE FORMER COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY (CRA); (2) TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO CLARIFY EXISTING REGULATIONS IN THE LAMC THAT ARE IMPACTED BY THE TRANSFER OF LAND USE AUTHORITY; AND (3) A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT ALL LAND USE RELATED PLANS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE CRA/LA BE TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING
Case Number:	CPC-2012-1504-ICO
Required Action(s):	ICO-INTERIM CONTROL ORDINANCE
Project Descriptions(s):	DESIGNATION OF A NEW ICO
Case Number:	CPC-2008-3125-CA
Required Action(s):	CA-CODE AMENDMENT
Project Descriptions(s):	THE ADDITION OF A RIVER IMPROVEMENT OVERLAY (RIO) DISTRICT AS SECTION 13.12 OF THE L.A.M.C. IN RESPONSE TO THE LOS ANGELES RIVER REVITALIZATION MASTER PLAN (LARRMP) THAT WAS ADOPTED IN MAY 2007. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL USE DISTRICT WOULD ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR NEW DEVELOPMENT ALONG WATERWAYS
Case Number:	CPC-2002-1128-CA
Required Action(s):	CA-CODE AMENDMENT
Project Descriptions(s):	
Case Number:	CPC-2001-2386
Required Action(s):	Data Not Available
Project Descriptions(s):	AMENDMENT TO THE CHINATOWN REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE CHINATOWN REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT AREA (CF#: 77-4650)
Case Number:	CPC-19XX-20918
Required Action(s):	Data Not Available
Project Descriptions(s):	
Case Number:	CPC-1995-352-CPU
Required Action(s):	CPU-COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Project Descriptions(s):	CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE PROGRAM (CPU) - THE CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN IS ONE OF TEN COMMUNITY PLANS THAT ARE PART OF THE COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE PROGRAM PHASE II (7-1-95 TO 12-31-96)
Case Number:	CPC-1986-607-GPC
Required Action(s):	GPC-GENERAL PLAN/ZONING CONSISTENCY (AB283)
Project Descriptions(s):	AB-283 PROGRAM - GENERAL PLAN/ZONE CONSISTENCY - CENTRAL CITYNORTH NORTH AREA - COMMUNITY WIDE ZONE CHANGES AND COMMUNITY PLAN CHANGES TO BRING THE ZONING INTO CONSISTENCY WITH THE COMMUNITY PLAN. INCLUDES CHANGES OF HEIGHT AS NEEDED. REQUIRED BY COURT AS PART OF SETTLEMENT IN THE HILLSIDE FEDERATION LAWSUIT (G/GREEN/BOWMAN)\
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Case Number:	ENV-2019-4121-ND
Required Action(s):	ND-NEGATIVE DECLARATION
Project Descriptions(s):	RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER THE LAND USE AUTHORITY FROM THE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, DESIGNATED LOCAL AUTHORITY (CRA/LA-DLA) TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES AND CODE AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF UNEXPIRED REDEVELOPMENT PLANS AND UPDATE OTHER RELEVANT CODE PROVISIONS IN THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE TO FACILITATE THE TRANSFER OF LAND USE AUTHROITY FROM THE CRA/LA-DLA TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES.
Case Number:	ENV-2018-6006-CE
Required Action(s):	CE-CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION
Project Descriptions(s):	RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER THE LAND USE AUTHORITY FROM THE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, DESIGNATED LOCAL AUTHORITY (CRA/LA-DLA) TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES AND CODE AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF UNEXPIRED REDEVELOPMENT PLANS AND UPDATE OTHER RELEVANT CODE PROVISIONS IN THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE TO FACILITATE THE TRANSFER OF LAND USE AUTHROITY FROM THE CRA/LA-DLA TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES.
Case Number:	ENV-2017-433-EIR
Required Action(s):	EIR-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT
Project Descriptions(s):	COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE
Case Number:	ENV-2014-4000-MND
Required Action(s):	MND-MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
Project Descriptions(s):	CODE AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH ARTS DISTRICT LIVE/WORK ZONE AND GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT TO THE CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN MAP TO ADD SPECIAL STUDY BOUNDARY, UPDATE CORRESPONDING ZONES, AND ADD NEW FOOTNOTES.
Case Number:	ENV-2014-2416-MND
Required Action(s):	MND-MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
Project Descriptions(s):	PROPOSED ORDINANCE TO CREATE NEW LIVE/WORK ZONE AND PROPOSED GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT TO THE CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN TO ADD POLICY DIRECTION FOR NEW LIVE/WORK PROJECTS IN THE ARTS DISTRICT.
Case Number:	ENV-2013-3392-CE
Required Action(s):	CE-CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION
Project Descriptions(s):	THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE MODIFIES SECTION 22.119 OF THE LOS ANGELES ADMINISTRATIVE CODE TO ALLOW ORIGINAL ART MURALS ON LOTS DEVELOPED WITH ONLY ONE SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE AND THAT ARE LOCATED WITHIN COUNCIL DISTRICTS 1, 9, AND 14.
Case Number:	ENV-2013-3170-CE
Required Action(s):	CE-CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION
Project Descriptions(s):	THE PROPOSED PROJECT CONSISTS OF: (1) A TECHNICAL MODIFICATION TO SECTIONS 12.03, 12.04, 12.21, 12.22, 12.24, 13.11, 14.5, 16.05 AND 16.11 OF THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE (LAMC) TO REMOVE OR AMEND REFERENCES TO THE FORMER COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY (CRA); (2) TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO CLARIFY EXISTING REGULATIONS IN THE LAMC THAT ARE IMPACTED BY THE TRANSFER OF LAND USE AUTHORITY; AND (3) A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT ALL LAND USE RELATED PLANS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE CRA/LA BE TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING
Case Number:	ENV-2012-1505-CE
Required Action(s):	CE-CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION
Project Descriptions(s):	DESIGNATION OF A NEW ICO
Case Number:	ENV-2002-1131-ND
Required Action(s):	ND-NEGATIVE DECLARATION
Project Descriptions(s):	
Case Number:	ENV-2002-1130-ND
Required Action(s):	ND-NEGATIVE DECLARATION
Project Descriptions(s):	
Case Number:	ENV-1995-328-MND
Required Action(s):	MND-MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
Project Descriptions(s):	CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE PROGRAM (CPU) - THE CENTRAL CITY NORTH COMMUNITY PLAN IS ONE OF TEN COMMUNITY PLANS THAT ARE PART OF THE COMMUNITY PLAN UPDATE PROGRAM PHASE II (7-1-95 TO 12- 31-96)

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