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1.0 INTRODUCTION

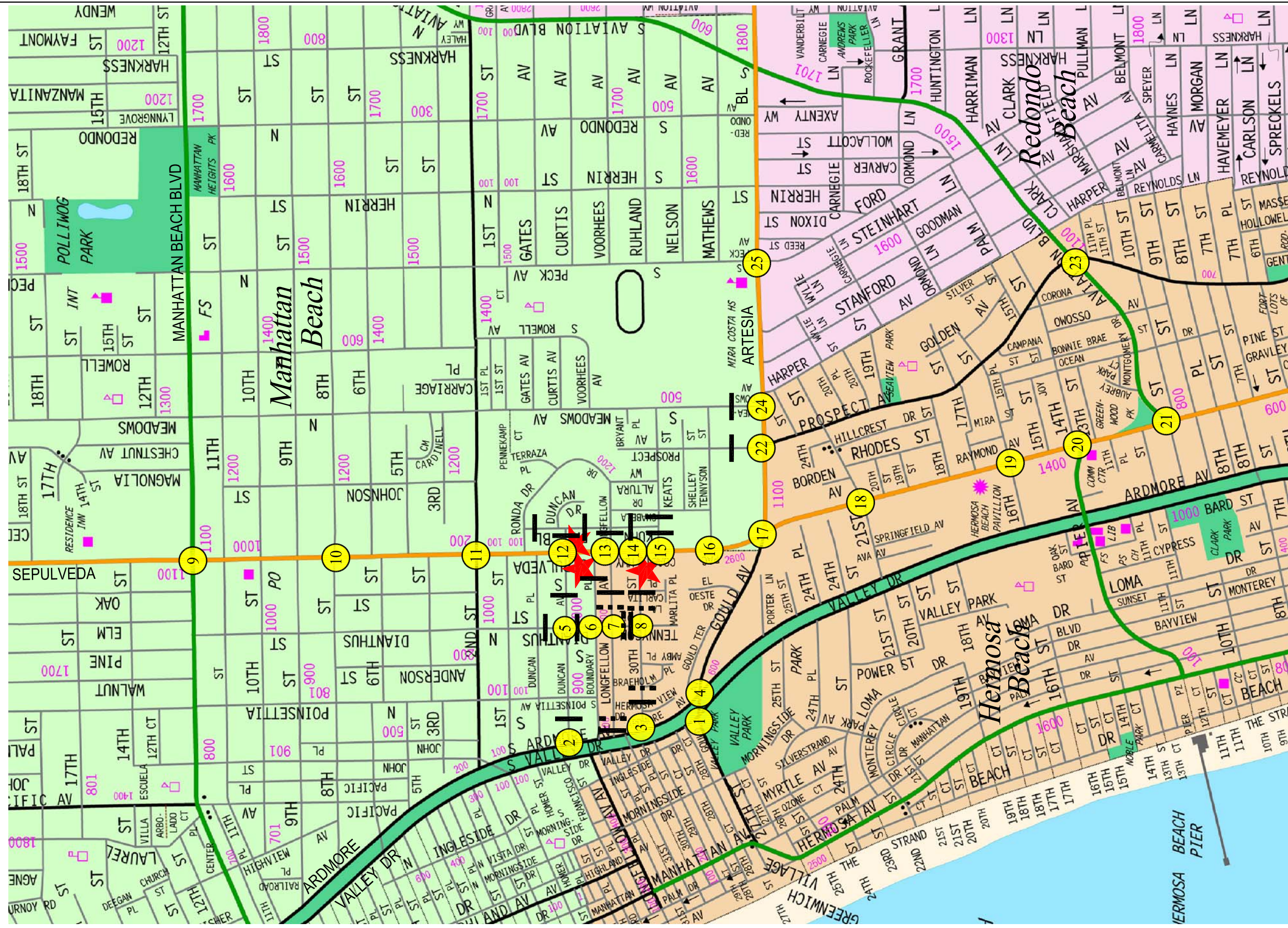
This traffic impact study addresses the potential traffic impacts and parking requirements associated with the proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project (“proposed project”). The proposed project consists of three discrete developments; one in Hermosa Beach (consisting of two buildings) and two in Manhattan Beach. Each of these projects are independent of each other and as such they are being analyzed for traffic impact purposes both on a combined basis as well as independently of each other in order to comply with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Both agencies, the City of Hermosa Beach and the City of Manhattan Beach, have discretionary approval for each of the projects in their jurisdiction. As proposed, the approval of the Hermosa Beach project is not dependent on approval of the Manhattan Beach projects and vice versa. Specifically, the project applicant proposes to develop the proposed project as follows:

- The proposed project consists of three new buildings and an addition to an existing building to be constructed along the Sepulveda Boulevard/Pacific Coast Highway corridor to accommodate Skechers growth and expansion into new product lines. Skechers started in Manhattan Beach and considers the local beach communities to be home.
- The buildings to be constructed include two new buildings in Hermosa Beach which are referred to as the Design Center and Executive Offices; one new building in Manhattan Beach; and an expansion of the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building in Manhattan Beach.



The proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project site locations and general vicinity are shown in *Figure 1-1*.

1.1 Traffic Study Overview

This report documents the findings and recommendations of a traffic impact analysis, as well as a parking analysis, prepared by Linscott, Law & Greenspan, Engineers (LLG Engineers) to determine the potential impacts associated with the proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project. The traffic analysis evaluates the existing operating conditions at a total of 44 study locations consisting of 25 study intersections and 19 study street segments within the project vicinity, estimates the trip generation potential of the proposed project, and forecasts future operating conditions without and with the proposed projects. Where necessary, demand management, intersection improvements



MAP SOURCE: RAND MCNALLY & COMPANY

-  PROPOSED SITE
 -  STUDY INTERSECTION
 -  STUDY STREET SEGMENT
 -  ADT - CONSTRUCTION RELATED
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FIGURE 1-1
VICINITY MAP

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and/or other mitigation measures are identified. The Scope of Work for this traffic study report has been prepared in consultation with City of Hermosa Beach staff and the City of Manhattan Beach's Traffic Engineer.

This traffic report complies with the traffic impact study requirements of the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach, and is consistent with the *2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County*.¹ In addition to the above analyses, this traffic report also includes a State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) analysis for locations that are under joint jurisdiction between Caltrans and the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach.

The project sites have been visited and an inventory of adjacent area roadways and intersections was performed. Existing peak hour traffic information has been collected at the 25 key study intersections on a typical weekday while school was in session (i.e., Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday) for use in the preparation of intersection Level of Service calculations. Information concerning cumulative projects (planned and/or approved) in the vicinity of the proposed project has been researched at the Cities of Hermosa Beach, Manhattan Beach and Redondo Beach. Based on this research, a total of 29 related projects have been included in the traffic impact study. These 29 planned and/or approved related projects were therefore considered in the cumulative traffic analysis for this project.

This traffic report analyzes existing and future weekday AM peak hour and PM peak hour traffic conditions for a future-term (year 2020) traffic setting upon completion of the proposed Skechers projects. Peak hour traffic forecasts for the year 2020 horizon year have been projected by increasing existing traffic volumes by an annual growth rate of one percent (1.0%) per year and adding traffic volumes generated by 29 related projects. In addition, the planned project parking supply is compared with the City of Hermosa Beach and City of Manhattan Beach off-street Code parking requirements for the respective project buildings.

1.2 Study Area

A total of 44 study locations, including 25 study intersections and 19 study street segments, have been identified for evaluation during the weekday morning and afternoon peak hours based upon coordination with City of Hermosa Beach staff and the City of Manhattan Beach's Traffic Engineer. The study intersections provide local access to the study area and define the extent of the boundaries for this traffic impact analysis. Further discussion of the existing street system and study area is provided in Section 4.0. Additionally, it is noted that six street segments within the City of Hermosa Beach and 13 street segments within the City of Manhattan Beach were also reviewed for potential construction-related traffic impacts.

The general location of the projects in relation to the study locations and surrounding street system is presented in *Figure 1-1*. The traffic analysis study area is generally comprised of those locations

¹ *2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County*, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, 2010.

which have the greatest potential to experience significant traffic impacts due to the proposed projects as defined by the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach. In the traffic engineering practice, the study area generally includes those intersections that are:

- a. Immediately adjacent or in close proximity to the project site(s);
- b. In the vicinity of the project site(s) that are documented to have current or projected future adverse operational issues; and
- c. In the vicinity of the project site(s) that are forecast to experience a relatively greater percentage of project-related vehicular turning movements (e.g., at freeway ramp intersections).

The locations selected for analysis were based on the above criteria, proposed Skechers projects peak hour vehicle trip generation, anticipated distribution of project vehicular trips and existing intersection/corridor operations. As mentioned previously, a total of 44 study locations define the extent of the boundaries for this traffic impact investigation.

The Volume-to-Capacity and Level of Service investigations at the key study intersections were used to evaluate the potential traffic-related impacts associated with area growth, cumulative projects and the proposed projects. When necessary, this report recommends intersection improvements that may be required to accommodate future traffic volumes and restore/maintain an acceptable Level of Service, and/or to mitigate the impact of the proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project.

Included in this traffic and parking analysis are:

- Existing traffic counts,
- Estimated project traffic generation/distribution/assignment,
- Estimated cumulative project traffic generation/distribution/assignment,
- Weekday AM and PM peak hour capacity analyses for existing conditions (year 2016 without and with project traffic),
- Weekday AM and PM peak hour capacity analyses for future (year 2020) conditions without and with project traffic,
- Project-specific improvements, where necessary,
- Congestion Management Program traffic impact assessment, and
- Parking analysis evaluation.

1.3 Overview of Senate Bill 743²

On September 27, 2013, Governor Brown signed Senate Bill (SB) 743 (Steinberg, 2013). Among other things, SB 743 creates a process to change analysis of transportation impacts under the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code section 21000 and following) (CEQA), which could include analysis based on project vehicle miles traveled (VMT) rather than impacts to intersection Level of Service. On December 30, 2013, the State of California Governor's Office of Planning and Research (OPR) released a preliminary evaluation of alternative methods of transportation analysis. The intent of the original guidance documentation was geared towards projects within areas that are designated as transit priority areas first, to be followed by other areas of the State. OPR issued another draft discussion document last March, 2015, suggesting some new revisions to the formal CEQA guidelines. OPR has recently issued another guidance document (January 2016) and is requesting additional input. Therefore, these requirements are not binding at this time as the earliest adoption of formal changes to the CEQA guidelines is not expected until 2017 at the earliest.

² *An act to amend Sections 21181, 21186, 21187, 21189.1, and 21189.3 of, to repeal and add Section 21185 of, and to add and repeal Section 21186.6.6 of, the Public Resources Code, relating to environmental quality.*

2.0 PROJECT DESCRIPTION

2.1 Hermosa Beach Project Description

2.1.1 *Hermosa Beach Site Locations*

The project applicant proposes to develop two new buildings (i.e., a Design Center and an Executive Office building) with subterranean parking located at 2851, 2901, 3001 and 3125 East PCH in the City of Hermosa Beach, California. The proposed project site is situated along the west side of Pacific Coast Highway, extending from Longfellow Avenue to the north to approximately mid-way between Keats Street and Tennyson Street to the south. The proposed Hermosa Beach project site location and general vicinity are shown in *Figure 1-1*.

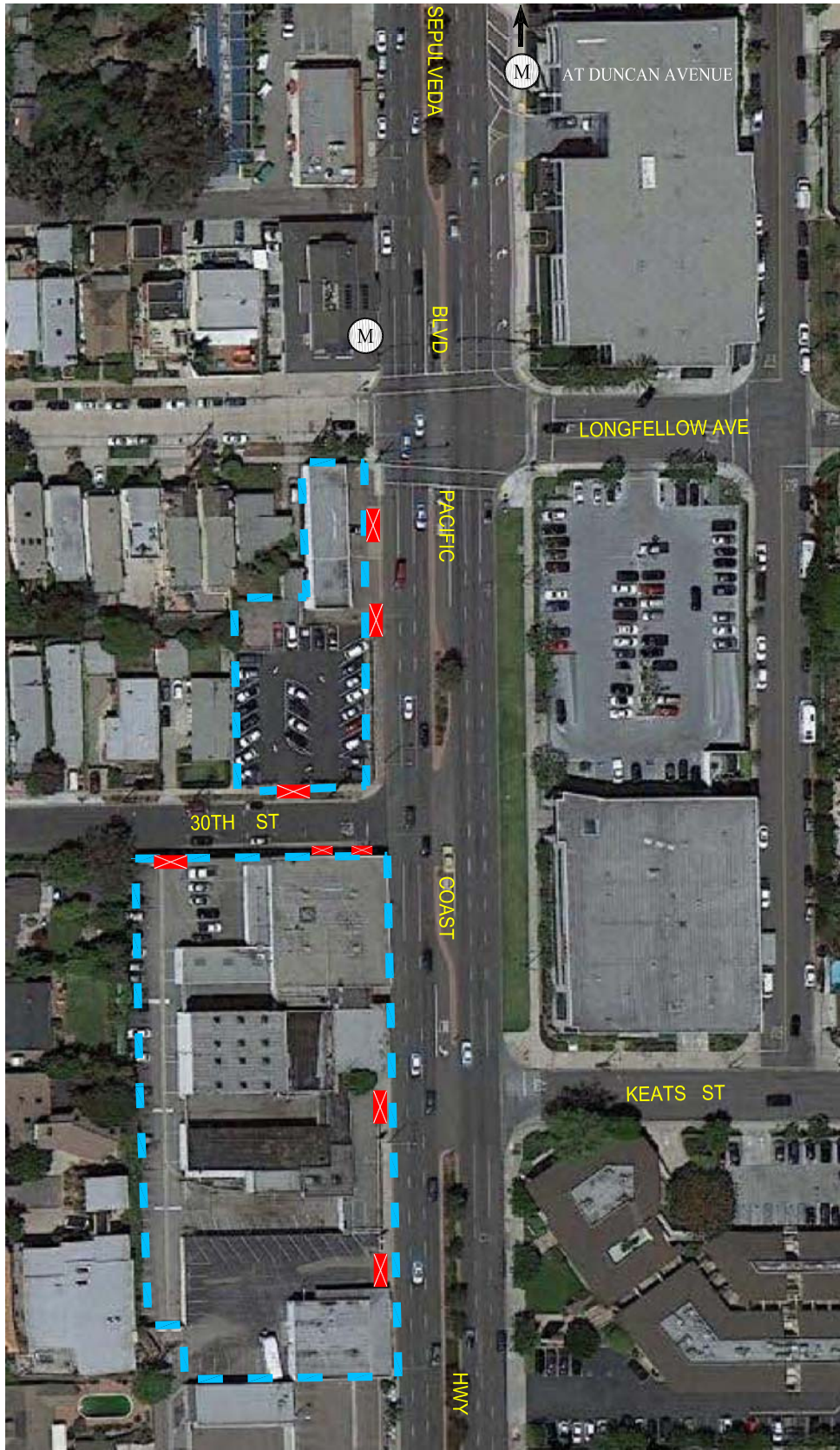
The existing Hermosa Beach project site currently contains vacant buildings and surface parking lots disbursed throughout the project site. The above properties are the former locations for Midas Muffler, Vasek Polak BMW dealership and South Bay Lotus dealership. All of the existing buildings and surface parking lots on the Hermosa Beach project sites will be razed to accommodate development of the proposed project. Vehicular access to the existing Hermosa Beach project site is provided via a total of nine driveways including one driveway on Longfellow Avenue, four driveways on 30th Street (one driveway on the north side of the roadway and three driveways on the south side of the roadway), and four driveways on PCH (two driveways north and two driveways south of 30th Street). It should be noted that two of the existing driveways on the south side of 30th Street were used only sparingly (i.e., for the staging of new vehicles in the showroom). An aerial photograph of the existing Hermosa Beach project sites is contained in *Figure 2-1*.

2.1.2 *Hermosa Beach Project Description*

The buildings at 2851 and 2901 Pacific Coast Highway, just south of 30th Street, will be replaced with a new Design Center and the buildings at 3001 and 3125 Pacific Coast Highway, just north of 30th Street, will be replaced with the new Executive Offices building. Each building will have a maximum building height of 35 feet. A pedestrian tunnel is proposed under 30th Street to serve as a connection between the Design Center and Executive Offices buildings. The tunnel is not only for the convenience of the employees, but also to assist in running communication lines between the two buildings so they may operate in tandem. Each building will have a subterranean parking structure approximately three levels deep.

The Design Center building (2901 Pacific Coast Highway) will be approximately 100,296 square feet of floor area and will contain: 35 to 40 showrooms with an average size of 1,000 square feet, and 35 to 40 product development rooms with an average size of 500 square feet, general offices, a private-company cafeteria (where employees pay for their food); product designer offices, conference rooms, shoe libraries, storage areas and other ancillary uses. There will be amenities such as a terrace, a water feature, and a lobby. The Design Center building could eventually accommodate 250 to 350 employees.

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PROJECT SITE



EXISTING DRIVEWAY



METROPOLITAN
TRANSPORTATION
AUTHORITY (METRO)
BUS STOP

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FIGURE 2-1 AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH OF EXISTING HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT SITE

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The Executive Offices building (3001 Pacific Coast Highway) will contain approximately 20,207 square feet of floor area, including 19,209 square feet of office and 998 square feet of ancillary commercial space. In addition to the office space, there will be product development rooms, a management dining area, a lobby and reception area, a WiFi lounge and a patio. It is projected that 80 Skechers employees will occupy this building. On the bottom floor of the Executive Offices (i.e., at the northern portion of the building), a 998 square-foot ancillary commercial space will be leased to a third party business for a local serving coffee house for the public which will include a 200 square-foot outdoor patio. It is anticipated that the greatest number of people in the coffee house at one time, including employees, will be 25 persons. The Executive Office building has been set back approximately 40 to 60 feet from the northern property line to create an open space area in addition to the 200 square-foot outdoor patio. A “Welcome to Hermosa Beach” sign will be installed in this location to mark the northern entrance to the City.

The existing Skechers building at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard currently contains showrooms which are planned to be relocated to the Skechers Design Center. The existing showrooms are utilized by buyers from all over the world. Approximately twice a year, Skechers invites between 500 – 1,000 people to attend its Global Sales Conference (GSC) which last for three days and is traditionally held at the Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center. After lunch on the first day, approximately 450 to 500 of those attendees are transported via eight (8) buses with a 60-seat capacity to the existing Skechers building at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard, which is just north of the project site and on the opposite side of PCH. The numbers drop on the second and third day of the conference. The buses drop off and then are held offsite until they are needed for transportation to deliver the attendees back to their hotels. Most attendees generally stay at the Manhattan Beach Marriott, but with the move to the Design Center within Hermosa Beach, will expand into Hermosa Beach hotels. With completion of the Design Center, the attendees will visit the new showrooms in Hermosa Beach instead of the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building. Use of buses minimizes the amount of traffic that could otherwise be generated by buyer visits to preview shoe lines. Therefore, while the existing bus generation and circulation will shift slightly and occurs under existing conditions, the bus trip generation has been treated as new trips in order to provide a conservative traffic analysis. In addition, it is noted that the proposed project will be an addition to, not a replacement of Skechers’ 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building. While the showrooms at the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building will remain, they will no longer be used for the GSC.

Each building contains sufficient parking for its size. The Design Center building requires 401 spaces and will contain a total of 520 spaces, including 93 tandem spaces; the Executive Offices building requires 87 spaces and will contain 89 parking spaces, including two tandem spaces. The Design Center building exceeds the required parking without counting any of the planned 93 tandem parking spaces. Historically, Skechers has utilized tandem spaces in its current parking structures without negative effects. The Executive Offices building exceeds the required parking by one space, but two of the spaces are tandem spaces. However, the parking count was based on the conservative use of one (1.0) space per 100 square feet for the coffee house without any adjustment for internal capture (i.e., patronage from the Skechers’ Design Center and Executive Offices buildings).

Skechers has not sought any parking reductions for this expected synergy which does not create any additional need for parking spaces.

The vehicular entrance to the Design Center building will be from a new driveway on the west side of Pacific Coast Highway across from Keats Street. The proposed project design includes a modification to the existing raised median south of Keats Street to install a left-turn lane for vehicles traveling northbound on Pacific Coast Highway. Deliveries would be made to the Design Center off of Pacific Coast Highway and trash and recycling operations would be located within the subterranean parking structure. Further discussion of the proposed Hermosa Beach project site access and circulation scheme is provided in Section 3.0. The entrance to the Executive Offices building will be at the southwest corner of the site on 30th Street.

Construction of the proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project is planned to begin in year 2017 with occupancy in year 2020. The ground floor level site plan for the proposed Hermosa Beach project site is illustrated in *Figure 2-2*.

2.1.3 *Hermosa Beach Project Parking*

The City of Hermosa Beach's Code parking requirements (i.e., Section 17.44.030 Off-Street Parking – Commercial and Business Uses) for the proposed land uses associated with the proposed project are as follows:

- Offices, general: One space for each two hundred fifty (250) square feet of gross floor area.
- Restaurants (other than walk-up, drive-through and drive-in): One space for each one-hundred (100) square feet of gross floor area.

A summary of the City of Hermosa Beach vehicular Code parking requirements for the proposed Hermosa Beach project is presented in *Table 2-1*. As indicated in *Table 2-1*, a total of 401 parking spaces is required for the Design Center building and a total of 87 parking spaces is required for the Executive Offices building. Please refer to *Appendix A* for a summary of the Code requirements for vehicular spaces, carpool/vanpool parking spaces, low-emitting/fuel efficient parking spaces, and bicycle parking spaces for each of the project buildings.

Based on information provided on the site plan prepared by the project architect, a total of 427 parking spaces is planned to be provided for the proposed Design Center building (not counting the spaces in tandem configuration). This planned parking supply satisfies the Code parking requirement of 401 spaces. It is noted that 93 tandem parking spaces (i.e., 186 total spaces) are planned to be provided within the Design Center parking supply for use by Skechers employees. However, the tandem spaces have been counted as a single space for purposes of addressing the Code parking requirement. Also, the parking supply provided within the Design Center site will be self-contained and not interconnected with parking provided for the Executive Offices building.

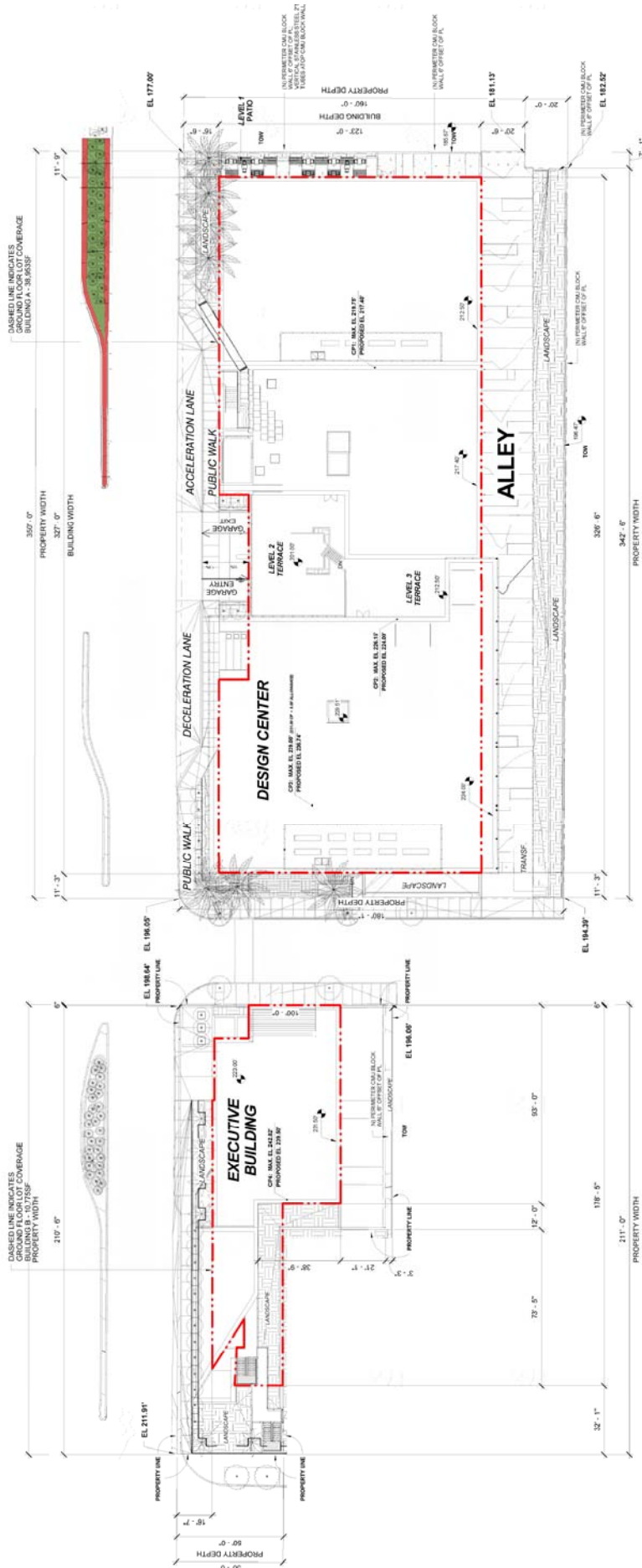


FIGURE 2-2
HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT SITE PLAN

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Table 2-1
SUMMARY OF VEHICULAR CODE PARKING REQUIREMENTS [1]

LAND USE	SIZE	CODE PARKING RATE [1]	NUMBER OF CODE SPACES REQUIRED	PROPOSED SUPPLY WITHOUT TANDEM	PROPOSED SUPPLY TANDEM SPACES	TOTAL PARKING SUPPLY
<u>Hermosa Beach</u>						
▪ Design Center Building	100,296 SF	4.0 /1,000 SF	401	427	93	520
▪ Executive Offices Building	19,209 SF	4.0 /1,000 SF	77	87	2	89
Ancillary Coffee Shop	998 SF	1.0 /100 SF	10			
Total Executive Offices Building			87			
<u>Manhattan Beach</u>						
▪ 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard	37,174 SF	1.0 /300 SF	124	199	0	199
▪ 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion	20,328 SF	1.0 /300 SF	68	[2] 389	0	389

[1] Sources: City of Hermosa Beach Municipal Code Section 17.44.030 Off-Street Parking - Commercial and Business Uses; and City of Manhattan Beach Municipal Code Chapter 10.64 - Off-Street Parking and Loading Regulations.

[1] The parking supply of 389 spaces satisfies the original requirement of a minimum of 270 spaces for the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building and the 68 spaces required for the building addition (i.e., a total requirement of 338 spaces).

A total of 89 parking spaces is planned to be provided for the proposed Executive Offices building. This planned parking supply satisfies the Code parking requirement of 87 spaces. It is noted that 2 tandem parking spaces (i.e., 2 total spaces) are planned to be provided within the Executive Offices building parking supply for use by Skechers employees. However, the tandem spaces have been counted as a single space for purposes of addressing the Code parking requirement. Also, as noted previously, the parking supply provided within the Executive Offices site will be self-contained and not interconnected with parking provided for the Design Center building.

The proposed project will be dedicated as the Skechers Design Center and Executive Offices and will also contain a coffee house. The tandem parking spaces in the parking facilities will be reserved for Skechers' employee parking. The use of the tandem spaces within the parking facility will be operated by Skechers and its employees. No valet attendant parking will be provided as part of the proposed project. Skechers has successfully used this system in its Manhattan Beach buildings.

It is noted that the proposed project is unique due to the nature of the Design Center project configurations (e.g., showroom space and shoe libraries) and Skecher's use of bussing to bring buyers to/from the project site twice a year as part of its GSC. Further, as discussed above, the buses are only at the existing Skechers building during drop-off and pick-up periods, and are staged off-site until needed to transport the people to their hotels. With the completion of the Design Center, the attendees will visit the new showrooms in Hermosa Beach instead of the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building.

As the GSC is an atypical event (i.e., not weekly occurrences) and Skechers arranges for transport of attendees by bus, it is concluded that the appropriate City Code parking ratio for the proposed project is the general office rate as cited above. The proposed project will function as the Skechers product design center and executive offices on a typical daily basis. For the GSC, it is understood that Skechers will arrange for bus transport of attendees.

No access control equipment (e.g., control gates and card readers) is planned to be provided at either of the entrances or exits for the parking facilities during normal business hours. Rolling gates will be provided at both of the entry/exit points to close access to the parking facilities. Uncontrolled access into and out of the parking facilities will occur during typical weekday business hours (e.g., 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM). However, Skechers security personnel will monitor the parking facilities during typical business hours to ensure that parking intrusion does not occur. Additionally, during off-peak hours and weekends, access to and from the parking facilities will be controlled by key fob; each Skechers' employee will have a key fob for access.

Skechers will not require employees to pay a monthly parking fee, nor will it require visitors to pay for parking on-site. Should Skechers request to do so in the future, appropriate access control equipment would be required and would need to be installed such that no vehicle queuing would extend into the public right-of-way.

As part of the parking supply, the project must include a minimum of American With Disabilities Act (ADA) handicap accessible spaces. As indicated in the summary worksheet provided in *Appendix A*, the number of handicap accessible spaces provided in each parking facility will comply with the requirements set forth in the ADA guidelines, including those required for van accessible spaces. Also, the handicap accessible spaces will be provided according to ADA and City of Hermosa Beach Code requirements and will be located as near as practical to the primary entrances to the two project buildings.

As required by City Code (refer to Section 17.48, Trip Reduction and Travel Management, specifically Section 17.48.030), a minimal total of “ten percent of employee parking shall be located as close as is practical to the employee entrance(s), and shall be reserved for use by potential carpool/vanpool vehicles, without displacing handicapped and customer needs.” Also, electric vehicle charging stations will be required to meet City Code and Assembly Bill 1092 (electric vehicle charging infrastructure) requirements.

2.2 Manhattan Beach Project Description

2.2.1 *Manhattan Beach Site Locations*

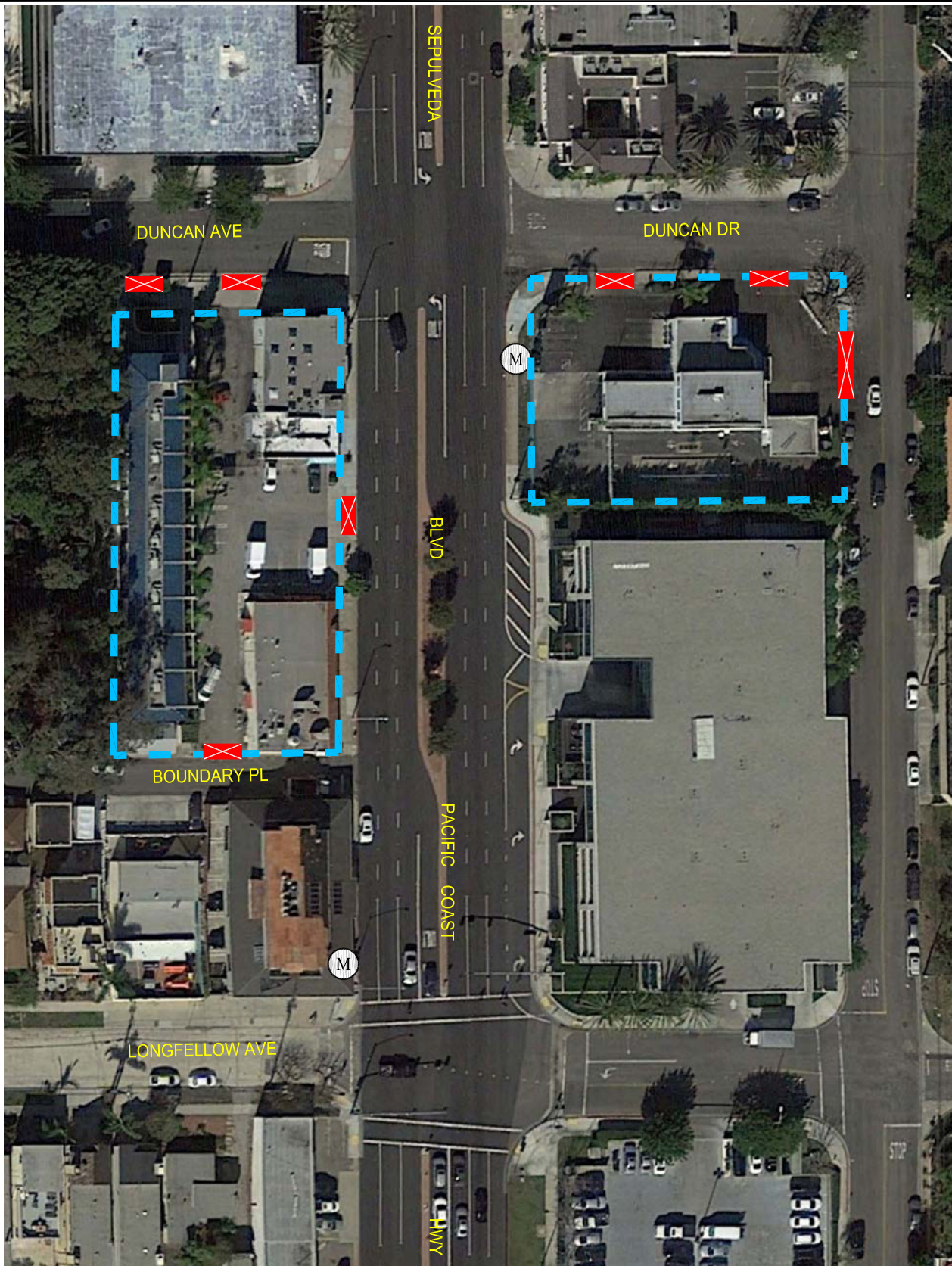
The first Manhattan Beach site (i.e., 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard) is located on the west side of Sepulveda Boulevard between Duncan Avenue and Boundary Place. It is comprised of three parcels and consists of an approximate 7,500 square foot office building at 1050 Duncan Avenue, Debonair Cleaners (317 S. Sepulveda Boulevard), the relocated Auto Werxstatt Auto Repair (305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard) and a now vacant copy shop (309 S. Sepulveda Boulevard). The existing development is 15,237 square feet (including the 7,500 square feet mentioned above). The buildings on Sepulveda Boulevard are directly on the sidewalk and have no cohesive design element, and will be demolished in order to accommodate development of the proposed project.

The second Manhattan Beach site is located on the east side of Sepulveda Boulevard between Duncan Drive and Longfellow Drive and will be an expansion of the existing Skechers office building at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard. The expansion site was formerly occupied by a vacant car wash building located at 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard. Demolition of the car wash site occurred as it was an attractive nuisance, had already been broken into, had been used by homeless people as shelter and had become a harborage for rodents. An aerial photograph of the existing Manhattan Beach project sites is contained in *Figure 2-3*.

2.2.2 *Manhattan Beach Project Description*

The first Manhattan Beach site (i.e., 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard) is planned to be a modern 37,174 square-foot Skechers office building that would match the design of the Skechers building at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard as well as the Hermosa Beach components. The building would be a 2-story, approximately 30-foot tall building over a 3-story subterranean parking garage. This height is within the height restrictions of the City of Manhattan Beach Sepulveda Boulevard Development Guide. The building would also comply with all other development standards of the General Commercial zone and the Sepulveda Boulevard Development Guide. The three existing parcels would be merged

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PROJECT SITE



EXISTING DRIVEWAY



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FIGURE 2-3 AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH OF EXISTING MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECT SITES

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into one. The office space would be designed to house an additional 150 office workers. The building would provide office space for back office corporate functions. The building is completely independent of the new Design Center and Executive Offices that comprise the Hermosa Beach component of the project and the building expansion at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard. The ground floor level site plan for the proposed 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is illustrated in **Figure 2-4**.

The parking garage entrance for the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building would be on Duncan Avenue, opposite the entrance to Skechers' existing building at 225 S. Sepulveda Boulevard. Although only 124 parking spaces are required, the building would provide parking for 199 vehicles. One loading space is proposed along Boundary Place. The transformer, cooling towers, and refuse/recycling areas are all also along Boundary Place and would be screened by walls with a height that would be in accordance with the Manhattan Beach Municipal Code.

The second Manhattan Beach site would be an expansion of the existing Skechers office building at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard and is planned to match its design. The building would have an exposed concrete frame with clear and colored spandrel glass. The expansion would add a total of 20,328 square feet to the existing 54,875 square-foot office building for a total Skechers office building of 75,373 square feet. A deck is proposed on the 3rd floor for employee use, which would face Sepulveda Boulevard. Pedestrian walkways on the 2nd and 3rd floors would connect to the existing Skechers building, allowing access between the two buildings. The pedestrian entrance to the building expansion would be at the northwest corner of the building at Sepulveda Boulevard, near Duncan Drive. The ground floor level site plan for the proposed 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project is illustrated in **Figure 2-5**.

The office space would be designed to use for real estate, retail and construction office functions of Skechers. The existing building is currently occupied by 217 employees and with the expansion is expected to only nominally increase occupancy by 8 employees. The proposed occupancy of the new/expanded office building is expected to total 225 persons. The building is completely independent of the new Design Center and Executive Offices that comprise the Hermosa Beach component of the project and the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Manhattan Beach component.

The entrance to the new parking garage would be via the existing driveways on Sepulveda Boulevard and Longfellow Avenue which provide access to the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building. The new subterranean parking garage would provide 119 parking spaces and with the 270 parking spaces in the existing building for a total of 389 parking spaces (i.e., 51 spaces over the Code required amount). The new garage beneath the new building would connect to the existing garage at all levels.

2.2.3 Manhattan Beach Project Parking

The City of Manhattan Beach's Code parking requirements (i.e., Chapter 10.64 - Off-Street Parking and Loading Regulations) for the proposed land use associated with the proposed Manhattan Beach project are as follows:

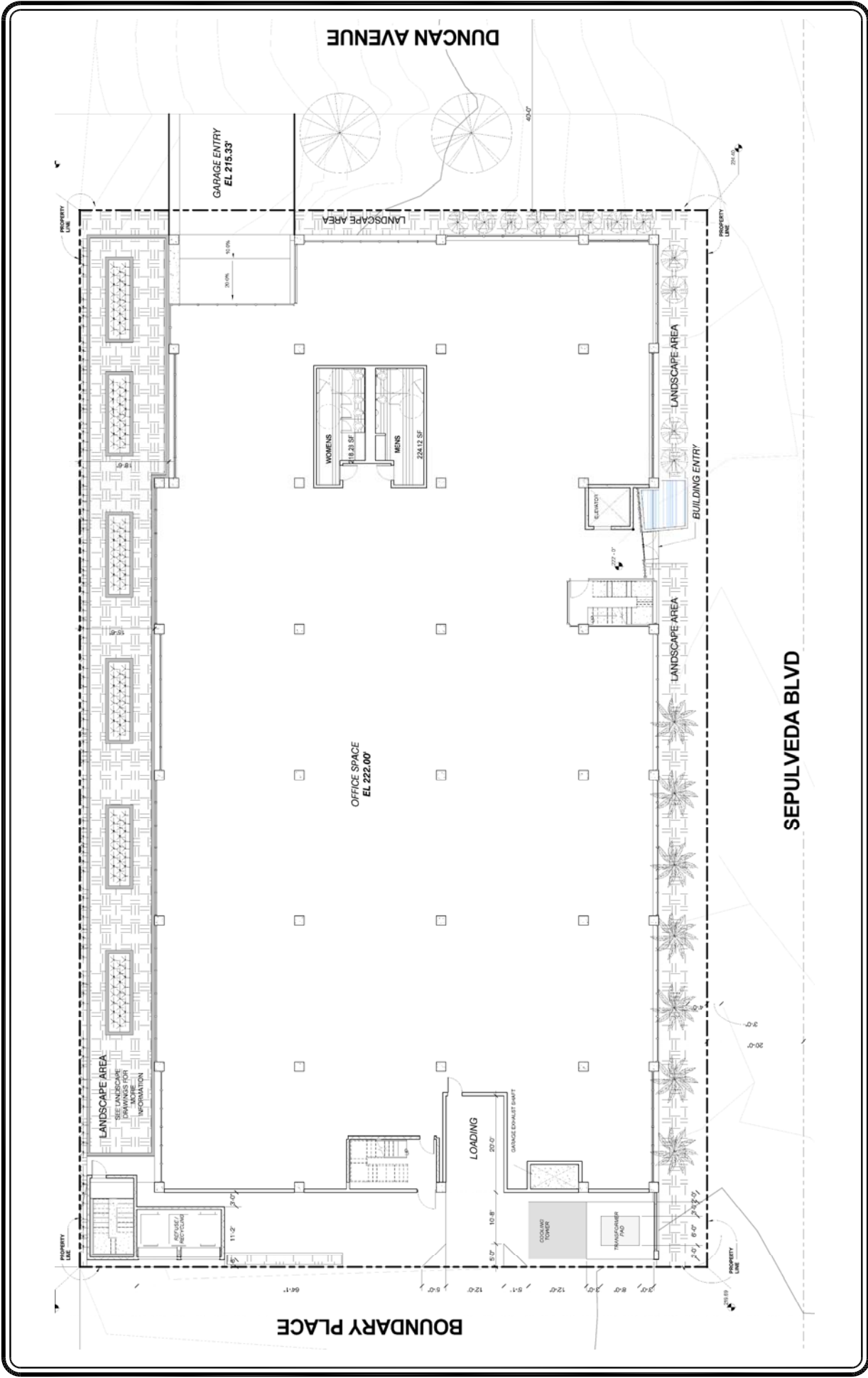


FIGURE 2-4
MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECT SITE PLAN
 305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD SITE
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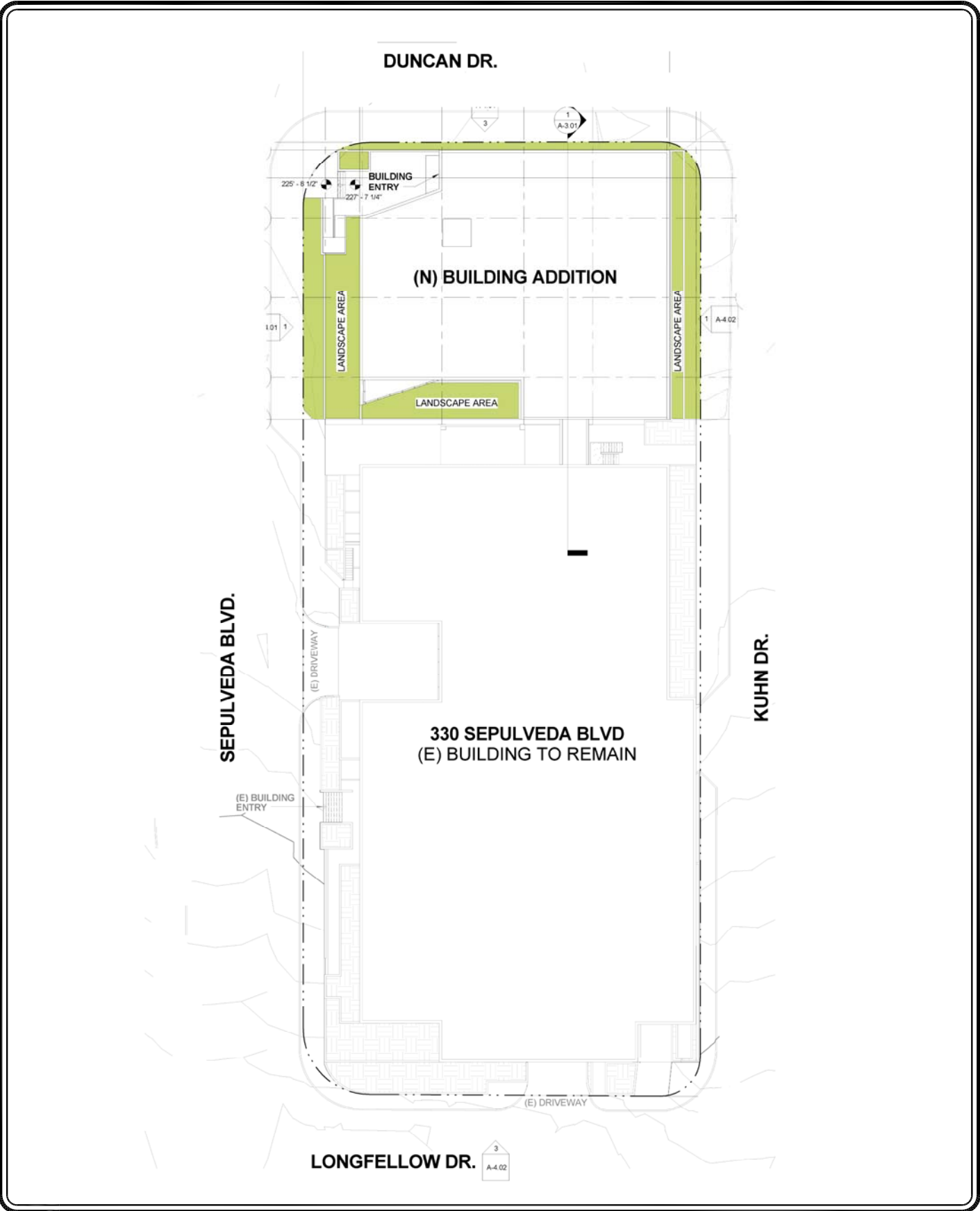
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FIGURE 2-5 MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECT SITE PLAN

330 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD EXPANSION SITE

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- Offices, Business and Professional: One space (1.0) for each 300 square feet

A summary of the City of Manhattan Beach vehicular Code parking requirements for the proposed Manhattan Beach projects are presented in *Table 2-1*. As indicated in *Table 2-1*, a total of 124 parking spaces is required for the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building and a total of 68 parking spaces is required for the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building. Please refer to *Appendix A* for a summary of the Code requirements for vehicular spaces, carpool/vanpool parking spaces, low-emitting/fuel efficient parking spaces, and bicycle parking spaces for each of the project buildings.

A total of 199 parking spaces is planned to be provided for the proposed 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building. This planned parking supply satisfies the Code parking requirement of 124 spaces. Additionally, a total of 119 parking spaces is planned to be provided for the proposed 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project building (i.e., a total of 389 for the overall site including the 270 spaces at the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building). This planned parking supply satisfies the Code parking requirement of 68 spaces as well as the Code requirement for the overall site of 338 spaces.

As noted previously, no access control equipment (e.g., control gates and card readers) is planned to be provided at either of the entrances or exits for the parking facilities during normal business hours. Rolling gates will be provided at both of the entry/exit points to close access to the parking facilities. Uncontrolled access into and out of the parking facilities will occur during typical weekday business hours (e.g., 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM). However, Skechers security personnel will monitor the parking facilities during typical business hours to ensure that parking intrusion does not occur. Additionally, during off-peak hours and weekends, access to and from the parking facilities will be controlled by key fob; each Skechers' employee will have a key fob for access.

Skechers will not require employees to pay a monthly parking fee, nor will it require visitors to pay for parking on-site. Should Skechers request to do so in the future, appropriate access control equipment would be required and would need to be installed such that no vehicle queuing would extend into the public right-of-way.

As part of the parking supply, the project must include a minimum of American With Disabilities Act (ADA) handicap accessible spaces. As indicated in the summary worksheet provided in *Appendix A*, the number of handicap accessible spaces provided in each parking facility will comply with the requirements set forth in the ADA guidelines, including those required for van accessible spaces. Also, the handicap accessible spaces will be provided according to ADA and City of Manhattan Beach Code requirements and will be located as near as practical to the primary entrances to the two project buildings.

3.0 MOBILITY REVIEW

3.1 Overview of the Mobility Goals of the City of Hermosa Beach General Plan and Hermosa Beach Project Access

The City of Hermosa Beach has long committed to promote and develop efficient and convenient travel by all appropriate modes. As stated in the Final Circulation Transportation and Parking (Final CTP) Element of the City of Hermosa Beach General Plan (March 1990), “OVERALL GOAL: Provide a balanced transportation system for the safe and efficient transport of people and goods consistent with the goals of the Land Use Element.” The objectives of the Final CTP Element include maximizing use of alternative transportation modes and minimizing residential neighborhood traffic intrusion. The goals and policies in the General Plan recognize the built-out character of Hermosa Beach and reflect the constraints imposed by a long-established street network, as well as relatively fixed land use patterns. However, the City’s chief aim is to work creatively within these constraints to enhance all modes of transportation and to provide for safe and efficient circulation for all City residents and visitors.

The City of Hermosa Beach is currently in the process of updating their General Plan, PLAN Hermosa, and a public review draft was circulated in December 2015. Similar to the existing General Plan, the draft PLAN Hermosa Mobility Element is intended to facilitate mobility of people and goods throughout Hermosa Beach by a variety of modes, with balanced emphasis on automobiles, bicycles, pedestrians, and alternative fuel vehicles. The draft PLAN Hermosa Mobility Element outlines the many benefits of a multi-modal transportation system, including quality of life, public health, sustainability, economic vitality, and public safety. The draft Plan Hermosa Mobility Element includes the following eight (8) goals:

Goal 1: Complete Streets that serve the diverse functions of mobility, commerce, recreation, and community engagement for all users whether they travel by walking, bicycling, transit, or driving.

Goal 2: A public realm that is safe, comfortable, and convenient for travel via foot, bicycle, public transit, and automobile and creates vibrant, people-oriented public spaces that encourage active living.

Goal 3: Public right-of-ways supporting a multi-modal and people-oriented transportation system that provides diversity and flexibility on how users choose to be mobile.

Goal 4: A parking system that meets the parking needs and demand of residents, visitors, and employees in an efficient and cost-effective manner.

Goal 5: A robust low cost and low carbon transportation system that promotes the City’s environmental sustainability and stewardship goals in support of social and economic objectives.

Goal 6: A regionally integrated transportation system that provides local and regional connections to regional transit services, bicycle facilities, and other inter-modal facilities.

Goal 7: A transportation system that results in zero transportation-related fatalities and which minimizes injuries.

Goal 8: Facilitate sustainable, effective, and safe movement of goods and commercial vehicles.

A comprehensive review has been prepared of access to the project site in terms of mobility for all travel modes including vehicular, pedestrian, bicycle, goods movement (i.e., service/delivery for the proposed project), and transit. The mobility review includes consideration of vehicular access to and from the project site, pedestrian and bicycle access in the project vicinity, and service/delivery access to the project site. Brief summaries of the key mobility and access features associated with the project are provided in the following subsections.

3.1.1 *Hermosa Beach Project Site Existing Vehicular Access*

Vehicular access to the existing project sites is provided via a total of eight driveways including four driveways on 30th Street (one driveway on the north side of the roadway and three driveways on the south side of the roadway), and four driveways on PCH (two driveways north and two driveways south of 30th Street). It should be noted that two of the existing driveways on the south side of 30th Street were used only sparingly (i.e., for the staging of new vehicles in the showroom). An aerial photograph of the existing Hermosa Beach project sites with the existing driveways highlighted is contained in *Figure 2-1*. It is noted that both of the existing site driveways for the portion of the project site between Longfellow Avenue and 30th Street will be closed pursuant to City of Hermosa Beach standards (i.e., construction of Portland cement concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks) as part of the proposed project. The southernmost driveway (south of 30th Street) will also be closed pursuant to City of Hermosa Beach standards (i.e., construction of Portland cement concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks) as part of the proposed project and the existing driveway across from Keats Street will be reconstructed as part of the proposed project.

3.1.2 *Hermosa Beach Project Site Proposed Vehicular Access*

The proposed site access scheme for the proposed Hermosa Beach project is displayed in *Figure 2-2*. Public vehicular access to the proposed Hermosa Beach project site will be provided via a total of two driveways including one driveway on PCH (i.e., south of 30th Street) and one driveway on 30th Street (i.e., on the north side of 30th Street serving the Executive Offices building). Service/delivery access is planned to be accommodated via the PCH driveway (south of 30th Street) and use of the planned southbound deceleration lane along PCH. Service and loading activities will occur within the parking structure at a designated area. It is important to note that the fire lane located along the west side of the Design Center building will be accessible via the planned installation of retractable bollards to be located near the north and south property lines of the Design Center site. Descriptions of the planned project site access points are provided in the following paragraphs.

- *30th Street Executive Offices Building Driveway*

This project driveway will be located on the north side of 30th Street in essentially the same location as the existing site driveway on 30th Street which provides access to the surface

parking lot at the northwest corner of the PCH/30th Street intersection. The planned 30th Street project Executive Offices building driveway will accommodate access to the subterranean parking levels for Skechers' executives (e.g., President and CEO) and employees only. The planned project site driveway will be constructed to City of Hermosa Beach design standards.

- *30th Street Fire Lane Access*

A fire lane is planned to be located along the west side of the Design Center building and will be accessible via the planned installation of retractable bollards to be located near the north and south property lines of the Design Center site. The alleyway will be blocked during normal operations preventing through traffic between Gould Avenue and 30th Street, except for emergency vehicle access.

- *PCH Project Driveway*

This project driveway will be located on the west side of PCH, along the easterly property frontage, in essentially the same location as the existing site driveway which forms the west leg of the PCH/Keats Street intersection. The planned PCH project driveway is expected to accommodate left-turn and right-turn ingress turning movements and right-turn only egress turning movements into and out of the site, without signalization. Also, as indicated in *Figure 2-2*, a southbound deceleration/acceleration lane is planned to be provided at the PCH project driveway. It is noted that the existing raised median island on PCH south of Keats Street will need to be modified to provide a northbound left-turn pocket for access into the site. This project site driveway will be the primary access point for employees, guests, and visitors. The planned project site driveway will be constructed to City of Hermosa Beach design standards. The northbound left-turn pocket design will involve the review and require the approval from the State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) as PCH is under the jurisdiction of the State. The northbound left-turn pocket will be designed to be an adequate length to accommodate the anticipated peak inbound left-turn demand and to preclude queue spillback into the northbound through travel lanes. Additionally, it is noted that the existing turn restriction (i.e., posted "NO TURNS" which applies to northbound left-turns and northbound U-turns) for the northbound approach on PCH at Keats Street would need to be rescinded as part of the recommended access measures. This project driveway will also provide access to the trash/recycling area within a designated area of the parking facility. Head-in and head-out maneuvers for these vehicles and delivery vans will be provided.

Vehicular access to the proposed project site will be accommodated via the two driveways as described above (i.e., one driveway on 30th Street for access to/from the Executive Offices building and one driveway on PCH for access to/from the Design Center). With this site access configuration, potential vehicle-pedestrian-bicycle conflicts are essentially the same or less as when the site was previously occupied for the portion of the project site located south of 30th Street. For

the portion of the project site situated north of 30th Street, any potential vehicle-pedestrian-bicycle conflicts are considerably reduced as two of the existing site driveways in this area will be closed as part of the proposed project. Therefore, as the total number of site driveways would be reduced compared to the existing conditions, potential vehicle-pedestrian-bicycle conflicts also would be expected to be reduced with the proposed project.

3.1.3 *Hermosa Beach Project Site Pedestrian Access Review*

The proposed project site has been designed to encourage pedestrian activity and walking as a transportation mode³. As indicated in *Figure 2-2*, pedestrian walkways are planned throughout the site, as well as connect to the adjacent sidewalks, in a manner that promotes walkability. Walkability is a term for the extent to which walking is readily available as a safe, connected, accessible and pleasant mode of transport. There are five basic requirements that are widely accepted as key aspects of the walkability of urban areas that should be satisfied. The underlying principle is that pedestrians should not be delayed, diverted, or placed in danger. The five primary characteristics of walkability are as follows:

Connectivity: People can walk from one place to another without encountering major obstacles, obstructions, or loss of connectivity.

Convivial: Pedestrian routes are friendly and attractive, and are perceived as such by pedestrians.

Conspicuous: Suitable levels of lighting, visibility and surveillance over its entire length, with high quality delineation and signage.

Comfortable: High quality and well-maintained footpaths of suitable widths, attractive landscaping and architecture, shelter and rest spaces, and a suitable allocation of roadspace to pedestrians.

Convenient: Walking is a realistic travel choice, partly because of the impact of the other criteria set forth above, but also because walking routes are of a suitable length as a result of land use planning with minimal delays.

A review of the project site plan and pedestrian walkways indicates that these five primary characteristics are accommodated as part of the proposed project. The project site is adjacent to and accessible from nearby retail, restaurant and entertainment opportunities along the PCH corridor. The pedestrian walkways within the site will be appropriately landscaped and adorned to provide a friendly walking environment. Additionally, the walkways and connections with the external environment will be well lit and include a wayfinding signage program.

³ For example, refer to <http://www.walkscore.com/>, which generates a walkability score of approximately 63 (Somewhat Walkable – most errands can be accomplished on foot) out of 100 for the project site. Walk Score calculates the walkability of an address by locating nearby stores, restaurants, schools, parks, and other amenities. Walk Score measures how easy it is to live a car-lite lifestyle—not how pretty the area is for walking.

Pedestrian project access to the site will be provided along the PCH property frontage. Pedestrian circulation around the periphery of the project site will be accommodated by the public sidewalks. The main Design Center lobby entrance for pedestrians will be accessed along PCH just north of the PCH project driveway (i.e., primary site access point for employees, guests and visitors). The main Executive Offices lobby entrance for pedestrians will be accessed along PCH, just north of 30th Street. It is important to note that a continuous sidewalk is provided along the north side of 30th Street between PCH and Ardmore Avenue and a discontinuous sidewalk is provided west of the project site along the south side of 30th Street.

It is noted that the City of Hermosa Beach has excellent pedestrian amenities and facilities, such as The Strand and the Hermosa Valley Greenbelt. The Strand is a paved pathway that runs along the entire length of Hermosa's beach, and extends north into Manhattan Beach and south into Redondo Beach. The Strand is an iconic feature of Hermosa Beach that is used by pedestrians, runners, bicyclists, roller bladers and skateboarders throughout all hours of the day. The Hermosa Valley Greenbelt, which is a short walking distance away from the project site, is a narrow linear park that was at one time part of a railroad easement. The Hermosa Valley Greenbelt (Veterans Parkway) is part of the Federal Rails-to-Trails network and includes a landscaped running and walking trail that is extremely popular both with residents of and visitors to Hermosa Beach. The Greenbelt also extends into Manhattan Beach.

Pedestrian access to bus transit service in the project vicinity is accommodated via bus stops located on Sepulveda Boulevard just north of the project site. As noted in *Figure 2-1*, a Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) near-side bus stop is located on the southbound Sepulveda Boulevard approach to Longfellow Avenue/Longfellow Drive for Metro Route 232. Also, a near-side bus stop is provided on the northbound Sepulveda Boulevard approach to Duncan Avenue/Duncan Drive for Metro Route 232.

3.1.4 *Hermosa Beach Project Site Bicycle Access Review*

Bicycle access to the proposed Hermosa Beach project site is facilitated by the City of Hermosa Beach bicycle roadway network. A total of 10 existing or proposed bicycle facilities (e.g., Class I Bicycle Path, Class II Bicycle Lanes, Class III Bicycle Routes, and Proposed Bicycle Routes) in the City's bicycle network are located within an approximate one-half mile radius from the project site. The following bicycle facilities are located in the vicinity of the proposed Hermosa Beach project site:

- North-South Routes

- Hermosa Avenue: Class III Bicycle Route with Sharrows/Share the Road Signs
- Monterey Boulevard: Proposed Bike Friendly Street
- Valley Drive: Proposed Class III Bicycle Route
- Ardmore Avenue: Proposed Class III Bicycle Route

- Prospect Avenue: Proposed Bike Friendly Street
- South Bay Beach Bike Path: Class I Shared Bicycle-Pedestrian Facility
- East-West Routes
 - Longfellow Avenue: Proposed Class III Bicycle Route
 - 27th St.-Gould Ave.: Proposed Class III Bicycle Route
 - 21st Street: Proposed Bike Friendly Street
 - Pier Avenue: Proposed Class III Bicycle Route

In 2011, the City of Hermosa Beach adopted the South Bay Bicycle Master Plan⁴ which proposes to add 9.2 miles of bicycle facilities within the City and connects to neighboring networks in the Cities of Manhattan Beach and Redondo Beach. A map which shows the existing and proposed bicycle facilities in the Hermosa Beach area is provided in **Figure 3-1A**. **Figure 3-1B** shows the bicycle and multi-use facilities per the draft PLAN Hermosa Mobility Element.

The Federal and State transportation system recognizes three primary bikeway facilities: Bicycle Paths (Class I), Bicycle Lanes (Class II), and Bicycle Routes (Class III). Bicycle Paths (Class I) are exclusive car free facilities that are typically not located within a roadway area. Bicycle Lanes (Class II) are part of the street design that is dedicated only for bicycles and identified by a striped line separating vehicular travel lanes from bicycle lanes. Bicycle Routes (Class III) are preferably located on collector and lower volume arterial streets.

Use of bicycles as a transportation mode to and from the project site should be encouraged by the provision of ample and safe parking. Refer to **Appendix A** for a summary of the bicycle requirements for the Hermosa Beach project buildings. The bicycle spaces should be provided in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

3.1.5 *Hermosa Beach Project Site Service and Delivery Operations*

As previously described (refer to Subsection 3.1.2, Hermosa Beach Project Site Proposed Vehicular Access Review), service and delivery operations are planned to occur along PCH and via the PCH driveway and a designated area within the Design Center parking facility. Head-in and head-out maneuvers for service/delivery vans will be accommodated. Deliveries are anticipated to occur mid-morning and mid-afternoon so as to avoid the morning and afternoon peak commute hours. Based on information provided by the project applicant, some deliveries also could be made via panel type trucks (e.g., UPS and Federal Express trucks) and would occur on a daily basis.

⁴ *The South Bay Bicycle Master Plan, August 2011*, prepared by Alta Planning + Design for the Los Angeles County Bicycle Coalition and the South Bay Bicycle Coalition.

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MAP SOURCE: LOS ANGELES COUNTY BICYCLE COALITION, SOUTH BAY BICYCLE COALITION, SOUTH BAY BICYCLE MASTER PLAN



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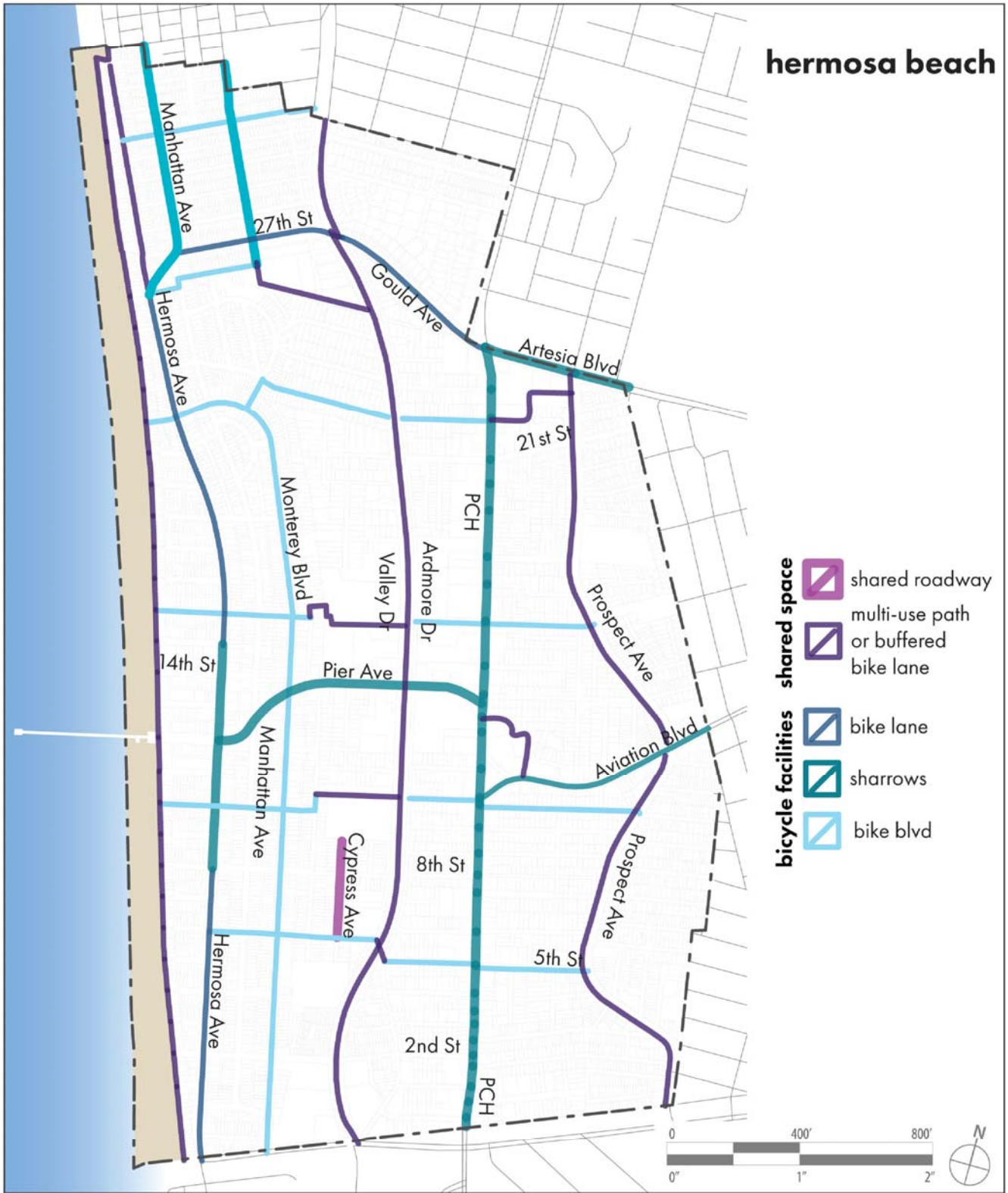
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FIGURE 3-1A EXISTING AND PROPOSED BICYCLE FACILITIES IN HERMOSA BEACH

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MAP SOURCE: Draft PLAN Hermosa Mobility Element, December 2015



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FIGURE 3-1B EXISTING AND PROPOSED BICYCLE FACILITIES IN HERMOSA BEACH

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3.1.6 *Hermosa Beach Project Site Access Recommendations*

The following measures are recommended to facilitate access to and from the planned project site:

Design Center Building

- Direct project site guests and visitors to utilize the PCH project driveway to access the site.
- Direct vendors to access the PCH driveway only via PCH to preclude site-related service/delivery vehicles from traveling through the residential neighborhood.
- Develop a parking management plan for the proposed project, including details on the internal parking operations to ensure that any potential queuing onto public right-of-way will not occur.
- Install appropriate pavement markings (i.e., stop bar with STOP legend) on the project drive aisle at the public sidewalk to ensure that motorists stop prior to the sidewalk along PCH before exiting the site.
- Install a pavement right-turn arrow prior to the stop bar/STOP legend and appropriate, corresponding signage at the PCH project driveway to reinforce the right-turn only movement for motorists exiting the site. Should a traffic signal be approved in the future by the City and Caltrans at the PCH driveway across from Keats Street, the exiting approach at the traffic signal will be restriped to allow for left, through and right-turn egress turning movements.
- Provide bicycle parking within the parking facility of the project site in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

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- Direct project site guests and patrons of the coffee house to utilize the 30th Street project driveway to access the site.
- Develop a parking management plan for the proposed project, including details on the internal parking operations to ensure that any potential queuing onto public right-of-way will not occur.
- Install appropriate pavement markings (i.e., stop bar with STOP legend) on the project drive aisle at the public sidewalk to ensure that motorists stop prior to the sidewalk along 30th Street before exiting the site.

- Provide bicycle parking within the parking facility of the project site in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

3.2 Overview of the Mobility Goals of the City of Manhattan Beach General Plan and Manhattan Beach Project Access

The City of Manhattan Beach updated the 2003 Circulation Element of its General Plan as in recent years there has been a shift in the prioritization of various modes of transportation throughout the region and nation. The Manhattan Beach Mobility Plan focuses on providing a well-balanced, connected, safe, and convenient multi-modal transportation network, as opposed to a mostly-centric plan that focused on building and widening roads. The updated Mobility Plan was prepared in response to the State of California Assembly Bill (AB) 1358 which is the California Complete Streets Act. AB 1358 requires cities and counties to integrate multi-modal transportation network policies into their General Plan, and plan for, design and building transportation networks that allow all users to effectively travel by motor vehicle, foot, bicycle, or transit. The City is currently preparing an updated General Plan Mobility Plan which is focused on integrating an emphasis on Complete Street and Living Streets to enhance all travel modes.

A review has been prepared of access to the project sites in terms of mobility for all travel modes including vehicular, pedestrian, bicycle, goods movement (i.e., service/delivery for the proposed project), and transit. The mobility review includes consideration of vehicular access to and from the project site, pedestrian and bicycle access in the project vicinity, and service/delivery access to the project site. Brief summaries of the key mobility and access features associated with the project are provided in the following subsections.

3.2.1 *Manhattan Beach Project Sites - Existing Vehicular Access*

Vehicular access to the existing 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site is currently provided via a total of four driveways including two driveways on Duncan Avenue, one driveway on Sepulveda Boulevard, and one driveway on Boundary Place. An aerial photograph of the existing 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site is contained in *Figure 2-3*. It is noted that all four of the existing site driveways will be closed pursuant to City of Manhattan Beach standards (i.e., construction of cement concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks) as part of the proposed project.

Vehicular access to the existing 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site is currently provided via a total of three driveways including two driveways on Duncan Drive and one extended driveway on Kuhn Drive. An aerial photograph of the existing 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site is contained in *Figure 2-3*. It is noted that all three of the existing site driveways will be closed pursuant to City of Manhattan Beach standards (i.e., construction of cement concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks) as part of the proposed project.

3.2.2 *Manhattan Beach Project Sites - Proposed Vehicular Access*

Vehicular access to the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site will be accommodated via a single driveway located on Duncan Avenue, west of Sepulveda Boulevard. The proposed project site driveway, which will be located in essentially the same location as the existing westerly driveway on Duncan Avenue, will accommodate full access (i.e., left-turn and right-turn ingress and egress turning movements). With this site access configuration, potential vehicle-pedestrian-bicycle conflicts along Sepulveda Boulevard are essentially the same or less due to the closure of the existing site driveway on Sepulveda Boulevard. Additionally, as the total number of site driveways would be reduced compared to the existing conditions, potential vehicle-pedestrian-bicycle conflicts also would be expected to be reduced with the proposed project.

As noted previously, the entrance to the new parking garage at the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site would be via the existing driveways on Sepulveda Boulevard and Longfellow Drive which provide access to the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building. No changes to the existing site access scheme at the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building is planned as part of the proposed project. The intent is to take advantage of the existing deceleration/acceleration lane provided on Sepulveda Boulevard at the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building to access the new parking garage at the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site which will be interconnected with the existing parking garage.

3.2.3 *Manhattan Beach Project Sites - Pedestrian Access Review*

The 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard and 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project sites are adjacent to and accessible from nearby retail, restaurant and entertainment opportunities along the Sepulveda Boulevard/PCH corridor. The pedestrian walkways/corridors within the site will be appropriately landscaped and adorned to provide a friendly walking environment. Additionally, the walkways and connections with the external environment will be well lit and include a wayfinding signage program.

Pedestrian access to the site will be provided along the Sepulveda Boulevard property frontages. Pedestrian circulation around the periphery of the project sites will be accommodated by the public sidewalks. The main lobby entrance for pedestrians at the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site will be accessed along Sepulveda Boulevard just south of Duncan Avenue (i.e., primary site access point for employees, guests and visitors). Also, the pedestrian entrance to the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building expansion would be at the northwest corner of the building at Sepulveda Boulevard, near Duncan Drive.

Pedestrian access to bus transit service in the project vicinity is accommodated via bus stops located on Sepulveda Boulevard just south of the project site. As noted in *Figure 2-3*, a Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) near-side bus stop is located on the southbound Sepulveda Boulevard approach to Longfellow Avenue/Longfellow Drive for Metro Route 232. Also, a near-side bus stop is provided on the northbound Sepulveda Boulevard approach to Duncan Avenue/Duncan Drive for Metro Route 232.

3.2.4 *Manhattan Beach Project Sites - Bicycle Access Review*

Similar to the City of Hermosa Beach, the City of Manhattan Beach has adopted the South Bay Bicycle Master Plan which proposes to add approximately 31 miles of bicycle facilities within the City and connects to neighboring networks in the Cities of Hermosa Beach and El Segundo. A map which shows the existing and proposed bicycle facilities in the Manhattan Beach area is provided in **Figure 3-2**. It is noted that the north-south bicycle facilities in the City of Hermosa Beach previously highlighted above will connect to the existing and planned bicycle facilities in the City of Manhattan Beach. The Federal and State transportation system recognizes three primary bikeway facilities: Bicycle Paths (Class I), Bicycle Lanes (Class II), and Bicycle Routes (Class III). Bicycle Paths (Class I) are exclusive car free facilities that are typically not located within a roadway area. Bicycle Lanes (Class II) are part of the street design that is dedicated only for bicycles and identified by a striped lane separating vehicular travel lanes from bicycle lanes. Bicycle Routes (Class III) are preferably located on collector and lower volume arterial streets.

Use of bicycles as a transportation mode to and from the project site should be encouraged by the provision of ample and safe parking. Refer to **Appendix A** for a summary of the bicycle requirements for the Manhattan Beach project buildings. The bicycle spaces should be provided in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

3.2.5 *Manhattan Beach Project Sites - Service and Delivery Operations*

Service and delivery operations for the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building are planned to occur via a loading dock area planned to be provided on Boundary Place along the south side of the project site. The layout of the service/loading area has been configured to accommodate maneuvers for single-unit 30-foot (SU-30) and panel truck service/delivery vehicles and vans. Deliveries are anticipated to occur mid-morning and mid-afternoon so as to avoid the morning and afternoon peak commute hours. Based on information provided by the project applicant, deliveries typically are made via panel type trucks (e.g., UPS and Federal Express trucks) and vans and will occur on a daily basis. It is noted that there will be no connections to the subterranean parking levels to/from the loading area on Boundary Place. In addition, the intersection of Boundary Place at Sepulveda Boulevard is limited to right-turns in and right-turns out only due to the existing raised median island on Sepulveda Boulevard. Given the configuration of the loading area, access will be directed to/from Sepulveda Boulevard and travel through the residential areas to the west will be prohibited.

Service and delivery operations for the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project are expected to occur within the designated loading area/s of the existing Skechers 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard office building.

3.2.6 *Manhattan Beach Project Sites - Access Recommendations*

The following measures are recommended to facilitate access to and from the planned project sites:

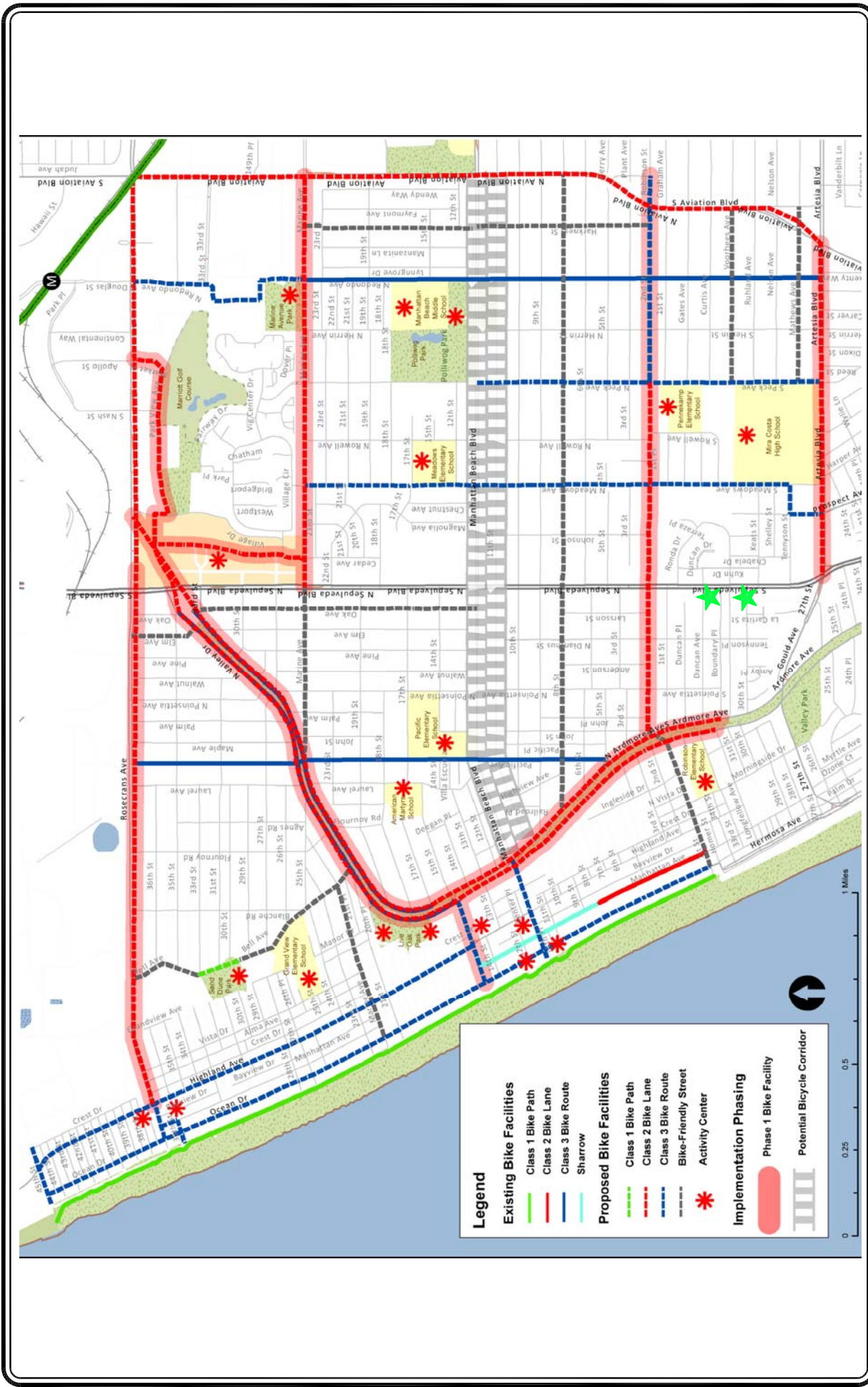


FIGURE 3-2
EXISTING AND PROPOSED BICYCLE
FACILITIES IN MANHATTAN BEACH
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

MAP SOURCE: CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH MOBILITY PLAN (DRAFT)

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- Direct project site guests and visitors to utilize the Duncan Avenue project driveway via Sepulveda Boulevard to access the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site.
- Direct project site guests and visitors to utilize the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project driveways via Sepulveda Boulevard and Longfellow Drive to access the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project parking garage which is interconnected with the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard parking garage.
- Direct vendors to access the loading area during off-peak periods for both Manhattan Beach buildings so as to avoid the weekday AM and PM peak commute peak hours.
- Develop a parking management plan for the proposed project, including details on the internal parking operations to ensure that any potential queuing onto public right-of-way will not occur.
- Install appropriate pavement markings (i.e., stop bar with STOP legend) for the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building project drive aisle at the public sidewalk to ensure that motorists stop prior to the sidewalk along Duncan Avenue before exiting the site.
- Provide bicycle parking within the parking facilities in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

4.0 EXISTING STREET SYSTEM

4.1 Local Roadway System

The list of 25 study intersections and 19 study street segments selected in consultation with City of Hermosa Beach and City of Manhattan Beach staff for analysis of potential impacts related to the proposed project is presented in **Table 4-1**. The study locations selected for analysis in the traffic study also are noted in *Figure 1-1*. Of the 25 study intersections, 13 intersections are presently controlled by traffic signals and the remaining 12 intersections are stop-sign controlled. The existing roadway configurations and intersection controls at the study intersections are displayed in **Figure 4-1** and descriptions of the existing roadways (e.g., number of travel lanes, median type, and speed limit) are provided in **Table 4-2**.

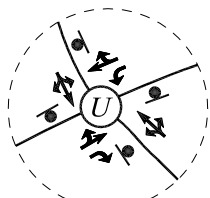
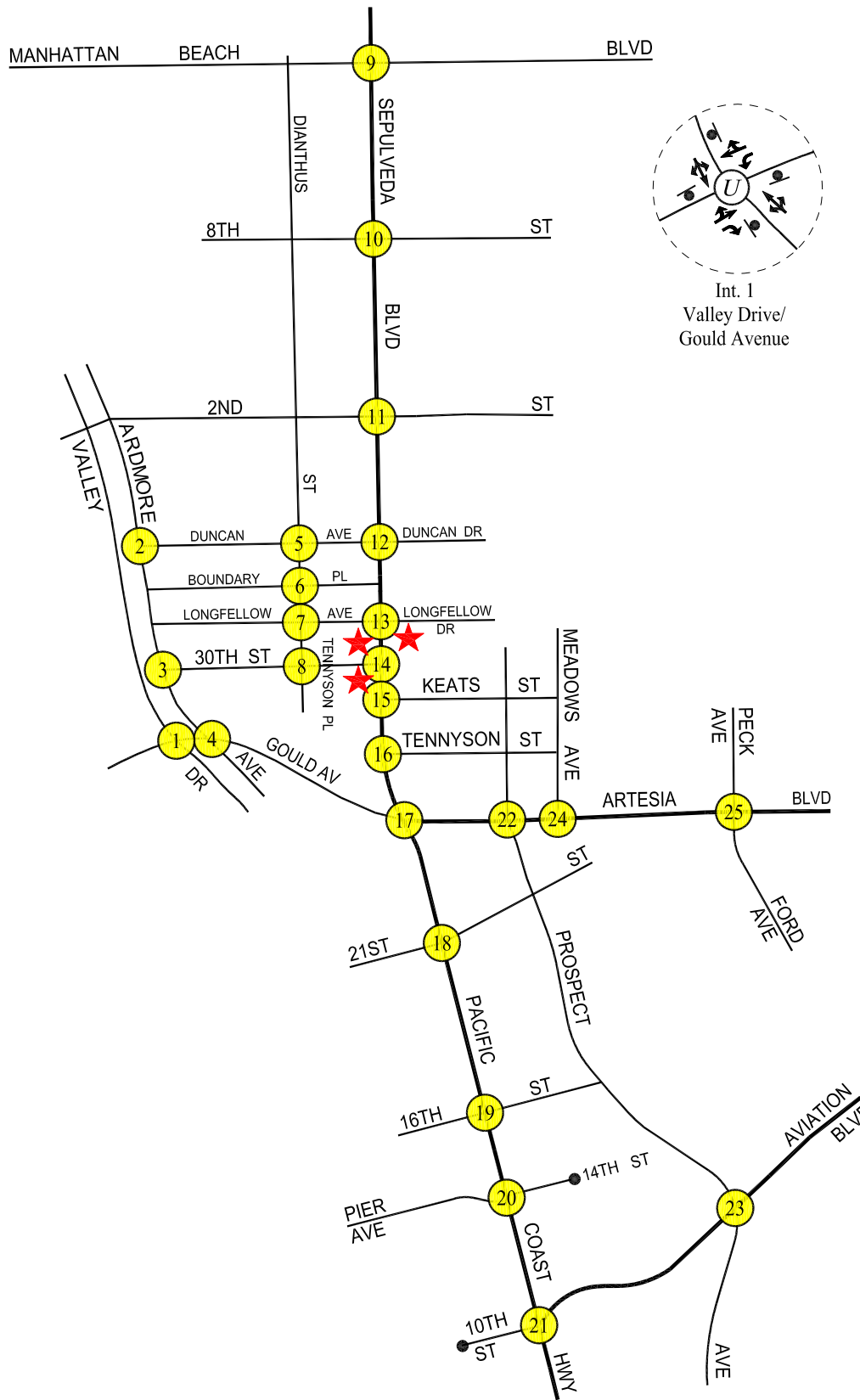
4.2 Public Bus Transit Service

Public bus transit service within the study area is currently provided by the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, City of Torrance Transit, and Beach Cities Transit. A summary of the existing transit service, including the transit route, destinations and peak hour headways is presented in **Table 4-3**. The existing public transit routes in the project vicinity are illustrated in **Figure 4-2**.

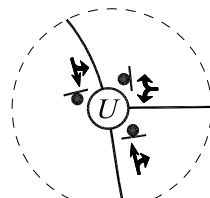
Table 4-1
LIST OF STUDY LOCATIONS

LIST OF STUDY INTERSECTIONS			
NO.	INTERSECTION	TRAFFIC CONTROL	JURISDICTION(S)
1	Valley Drive/Gould Avenue	Unsignalized	City of Hermosa Beach
2	Ardmore Avenue/Duncan Avenue	Unsignalized	City of Manhattan Beach
3	Ardmore Avenue/30th Street	Unsignalized	City of Hermosa Beach
4	Ardmore Avenue/Gould Avenue	Unsignalized	City of Hermosa Beach
5	Dianthus Street/Duncan Avenue	Unsignalized	City of Manhattan Beach
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/Boundary Place	Unsignalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach
7	Tennyson Place/Longfellow Avenue	Unsignalized	City of Hermosa Beach
8	Tennyson Place/30th Street	Unsignalized	City of Hermosa Beach
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Signalized	City of Manhattan Beach/CA
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/8th Street	Signalized	City of Manhattan Beach/CA
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/2nd Street	Signalized	City of Manhattan Beach/CA
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	Unsignalized	City of Manhattan Beach/CA
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	Signalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach/CA
14	Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street	Unsignalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach/CA
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street	Unsignalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach/CA
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street	Unsignalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach/CA
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach/CA
18	Pacific Coast Highway/21st Street	Signalized	City of Hermosa Beach/CA
19	Pacific Coast Highway/16th Street	Signalized	City of Hermosa Beach/CA
20	Pacific Coast Highway/Pier Avenue-14th Street	Signalized	City of Hermosa Beach/CA
21	Pacific Coast Highway/Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	Signalized	City of Hermosa Beach/CA
22	Prospect Avenue/Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach
23	Prospect Avenue/Aviation Boulevard	Signalized	City of Hermosa Beach
24	Meadows Avenue/Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	Cities of Manhattan Beach/Redondo Beach
LIST OF STUDY STREET SEGMENTS			
NO.	STREET SEGMENTS	JURISDICTION(S)	
1	Duncan Avenue east of Ardmore Avenue	City of Manhattan Beach	
2	Longfellow Avenue east of Ardmore Avenue	City of Hermosa Beach	
3	30th Street east of Ardmore Avenue	City of Hermosa Beach	
4	Dianthus Street north of Duncan Avenue	City of Manhattan Beach	
5	Dianthus Street between Duncan Avenue and Boundary Place	City of Manhattan Beach	
6	Tennyson Place between Longfellow Avenue and 30th Street	City of Hermosa Beach	
7	Duncan Avenue west of Sepulveda Boulevard	City of Manhattan Beach	
8	Boundary Place west of Sepulveda Boulevard	Cities of Hermosa Beach/Manhattan Beach	
9	Longfellow Avenue west of Pacific Coast Highway	City of Hermosa Beach	
10	30th Street west of Pacific Coast Highway	City of Hermosa Beach	
11	Duncan Drive east of Sepulveda Boulevard	City of Manhattan Beach	
12	Longfellow Drive east of Pacific Coast Highway	City of Manhattan Beach	
13	Keats Street east of Pacific Coast Highway	City of Manhattan Beach	
14	Kuhn Drive between Ronda Drive and Duncan Drive	City of Manhattan Beach	
15	Kuhn Drive between Duncan Drive and Longfellow Drive	City of Manhattan Beach	
16	Kuhn Drive between Longfellow Drive and Keats Street	City of Manhattan Beach	
17	Keats Street between Kuhn Drive and Chabela Drive	City of Manhattan Beach	
18	Prospect Avenue north of Artesia Boulevard	City of Manhattan Beach	
19	Meadows Avenue north of Artesia Boulevard	City of Manhattan Beach	

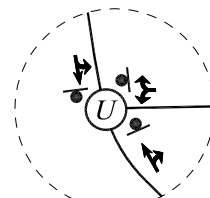
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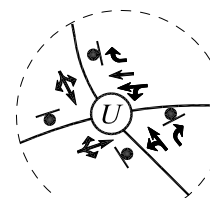
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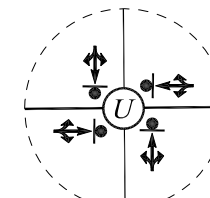
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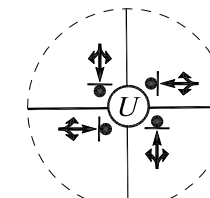
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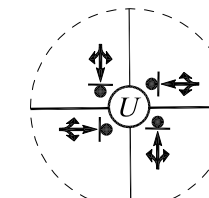
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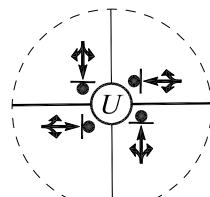
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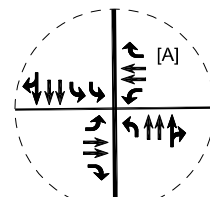
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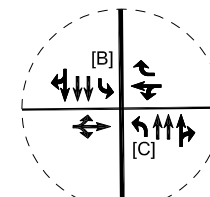
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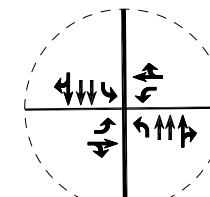
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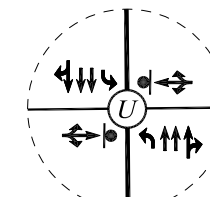
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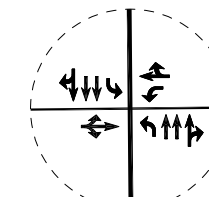
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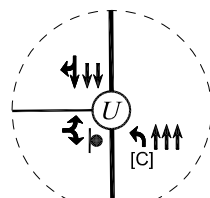
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2nd Street



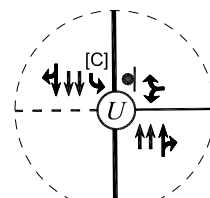
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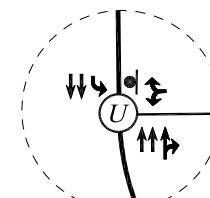
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Longfellow Avenue-
Longfellow Drive



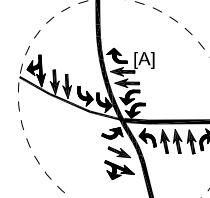
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Pacific Coast Highway/
Keats Street



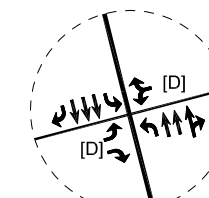
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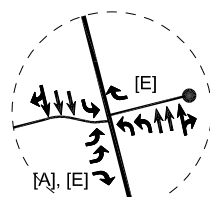
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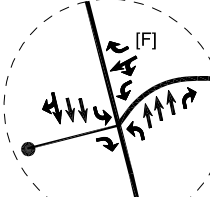
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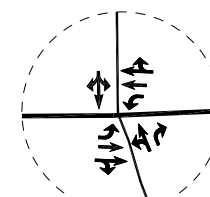
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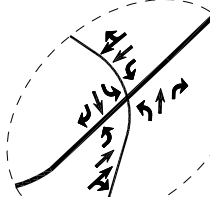
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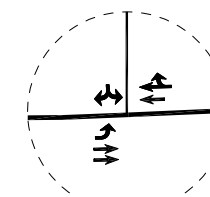
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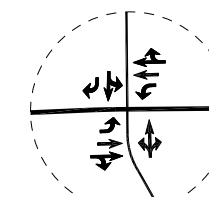
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Meadows Avenue/
Artesia Boulevard



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Artesia Boulevard



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UNSIGNALIZED INTERSECTION



STOP SIGN



[A] OVERLAP PHASE



[B] NO LEFT-TURN/U-TURN 7-9A M-F



[C] NO LEFT-TURN/U-TURN 3-7P M-F

[D] SPLIT PHASE OPERATION

[E] NO RIGHT-TURN ON RED 6-9A/3-7P

[F] NO RIGHT-TURN ON RED

FIGURE 4-1
EXISTING LANE CONFIGURATIONS

Table 4-2
EXISTING ROADWAY DESCRIPTIONS

Roadways	Classification [1]	Jurisdiction [2]	Travel Lanes		Median Type [5]	Speed Limit
			Direction [3]	No. Lanes [4]		
Valley Drive	Minor Arterial Residential Collector	Hermosa Beach Manhattan Beach	NB-SB NB-SB	2 2	N/A N/A	25 25
Ardmore Avenue	Minor Arterial Residential Collector	Hermosa Beach Manhattan Beach	NB-SB NB-SB	2 2	N/A N/A	35 35
Dianthus Street	Local Street	Manhattan Beach	NB-SB	2	N/A	25
Tennyson Place	Local Street	Manhattan Beach	NB-SB	2	N/A	25
Sepulveda Boulevard	Regional Arterial	Manhattan Beach	NB-SB	4 to 5 [6]	RMI	30/35
Pacific Coast Highway	Major Arterial	Hermosa Beach	NB-SB	4 to 5 [6]	RMI	30/35
Prospect Avenue	Minor Arterial	Hermosa Beach	NB-SB	2 to 4 [7]	N/A	25
Meadows Avenue	Major Local	Manhattan Beach	NB-SB	2	N/A	25
Peck Avenue	Major Local	Manhattan Beach	NB-SB	2	N/A	25
Ford Avenue	Local Street	Redondo Beach	NB-SB	2	N/A	25
Gould Avenue	Minor Arterial	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Duncan Avenue	Local Street	Manhattan Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
30th Street	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Boundary Place	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Longfellow Avenue	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Major Arterial e/o Sepulveda Minor Arterial w/o Sepulveda	Manhattan Beach Manhattan Beach	EB-WB EB-WB	4	RMI N/A	35
8th Street	Major Local	Manhattan Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
2nd Street	Major Local	Manhattan Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Duncan Drive	Local Street	Manhattan Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Keats Street	Local Street	Manhattan Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Tennyson Street	Local Street	Manhattan Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Artesia Boulevard	Major Arterial	Hermosa Beach Manhattan Beach Redondo Beach	EB-WB	4	RMI	35/40
21st Street	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
16th Street	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
Pier Avenue	Minor Arterial	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	4	N/A	25
14th Street	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	2	N/A	25
10th Street	Local Street	Hermosa Beach	EB-WB	3	N/A	25
Aviation Boulevard	Minor Arterial Major Arterial	Hermosa Beach Redondo Beach	EB-WB EB-WB	4	N/A	35

[1] Roadway classifications obtained from the City of Hermosa Beach Plan Hermosa-Mobility System, Public Review Draft 2015; City of Manhattan Beach General Plan Infrastructure Element, 2014; and City of Redondo Beach Circulation Element, 2009.

[2] Jurisdiction: Cities of Hermosa Beach, Manhattan Beach and Redondo Beach.

[3] Direction of roadways in the project area: NB = northbound; SB = southbound; EB = Eastbound; and WB = westbound.

[4] Number of lanes in both directions of the roadway. Variations in number of travel lanes due to time restricted on-street parallel parking are noted.

[5] Median type of the road: RMI = Raised Median Island; 2WLT = Two way left-turn; and N/A = Not applicable.

[6] Tow-Away-No-Stopping-Anytime between 5:30 am-9:30 am for northbound direction, and between 3:00 pm-7:00 pm for southbound direction.

[7] Four lanes between Artesia Boulevard and 21st Street, otherwise two lanes.

Table 4-3
EXISTING TRANSIT ROUTES [1]

ROUTE	DESTINATIONS	ROADWAY(S) NEAR SITE	NO. OF BUSES DURING PEAK HOUR		
			DIR	AM	PM
Metro 126	Manhattan Beach to Redondo Beach	Manhattan Beach Boulevard, Sepulveda Boulevard	EB WB	1 1	1 1
Metro 130	Redondo Beach to Cerritos via Hermosa Beach, Harbor Gateway, Compton, North Long Beach, and Bellflower	Artesia Boulevard (SR-91), Pacific Coast Hwy, Gould Avenue, 21st Street, 16th Street, Pier Avenue, 14th Street, Prospect Avenue, Meadow Avenue, Peck Avenue, Ford Avenue	EB WB	2 3	2 2
Metro 232	Long Beach to LAX via Wilmington, Harbor City, Torrance, Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach, Manhattan Beach, and El Segundo	Manhattan Beach Boulevard, Sepulveda Boulevard, Longfellow Avenue, Artesia Boulevard (SR-91), 8th Street, 2nd Street, Pacific Coast Highway, Gould Avenue, 21st Street, 16th Street, Pier Avenue, 14th Street, Aviation Boulevard, Duncan Avenue	NB SB	4 4	3 3
Metro Green Line	Norwalk to Redondo Beach via Downey, Lynwood, Willowbrook, Los Angeles, Hawthorne, and El Segundo	Redondo Beach Station	EB WB	8 8	8 8
Commuter Express 438	Downtown Los Angeles to Redondo Beach via 37th Street Transitway Station, El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, and Hermosa Beach	Manhattan Beach Boulevard, Longfellow Avenue, 27th Street, Pier Avenue	NB SB	3 0	0 2
Torrance Transit 8	LAX Transit Center to Carson/Hawthorne Center via Mariposa Station, El Segundo Station, South Bay Galleria, and Del Amo Mall	Aviation Boulevard, Artesia Boulevard	NB SB	2 2	2 2
BCT 102	Redondo Pier to Redondo Beach Metro Station	Artesia Boulevard	NB SB	2 5	2 2
BCT 109	Redondo Beach to LAX City Bus Center	Gould Avenue	NB SB	1 2	2 2
			Total	48	42

[1] Sources: Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) website, 2016; Los Angeles Department of Transit website, 2016; City of Torrance Transit website; and Beach Cities Transit (BCT) City of Redondo Beach website, 2016.



FIGURE 4-2
EXISTING PUBLIC TRANSIT ROUTES

MAP SOURCE: METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (METRO) WEBSITE

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5.0 TRAFFIC COUNTS

5.1 Manual Intersection Traffic Counts

Manual counts of vehicular turning movements were conducted at each of the study intersections during the weekday morning (AM) and afternoon (PM) commute periods to determine the peak hour traffic volumes. The manual counts were conducted by traffic count subconsultants (City Traffic Counters and The Traffic Solution) at the study intersections from 7:00 to 9:00 AM to determine the weekday AM peak commute hour, and from 4:00 to 6:00 PM to determine the weekday PM peak commute hour. In conjunction with the manual turning movement vehicle counts, a count of bicycle and pedestrian volumes were collected during the peak periods. It is noted that all of the traffic counts were conducted when local schools were in session. Traffic volumes at the study intersections show the morning and afternoon peak periods typically associated with peak commute hours in the metropolitan area.

The existing weekday AM and PM peak commute period manual counts of turning vehicles at the study intersections are summarized in **Table 5-1**. The existing traffic volumes at the study intersections during the weekday AM and PM peak commute hours are shown in **Figures 5-1** and **5-2**, respectively. Summary data worksheets of the manual traffic counts of the study intersections are contained in **Appendix B**.

5.2 Automatic 24-Hour Machine Traffic Counts

Automatic 24-hour machine traffic counts of the study street segments were conducted by traffic subconsultants (City Traffic Counters and The Traffic Solution). The automatic 24-hour machine traffic counts were conducted when local schools were in session. Copies of the 24-hour machine traffic counts for the study street segment locations also are contained in **Appendix B**.

Table 5-1
EXISTING TRAFFIC VOLUMES [1]
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS

NO.	INTERSECTION	DATE	DIR	AM PEAK HOUR		PM PEAK HOUR	
				BEGAN	VOLUME	BEGAN	VOLUME
1	Valley Drive/ Gould Avenue	03/03/2016	NB	7:30	253	4:30	192
			SB		220		437
			EB		278		297
			WB		407		389
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue	03/03/2016	NB	7:45	461	4:45	304
			SB		130		291
			EB		0		0
			WB		55		66
3	Ardmore Avenue/ 30th Street	03/03/2016	NB	7:45	448	4:45	319
			SB		136		309
			EB		0		0
			WB		28		26
4	Ardmore Avenue/ Gould Avenue	03/03/2016	NB	7:45	374	4:30	266
			SB		131		309
			EB		399		431
			WB		508		464
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue	03/03/2016	NB	7:45	41	4:45	44
			SB		27		49
			EB		49		38
			WB		44		104
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place	03/03/2016	NB	8:00	31	4:45	36
			SB		24		47
			EB		9		8
			WB		18		13
7	Tennyson Place/ Longfellow Avenue	03/03/2016	NB	7:30	21	4:30	28
			SB		26		39
			EB		38		27
			WB		40		48
8	Tennyson Place/ 30th Street	03/03/2016	NB	7:30	5	5:00	8
			SB		19		32
			EB		40		41
			WB		34		23
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	03/08/2016	NB	7:45	2,914	4:45	1,605
			SB		1,148		2,327
			EB		849		894
			WB		885		934
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	03/08/2016	NB	7:15	3,111	5:30	1,391
			SB		1,150		2,603
			EB		69		82
			WB		149		58

[1] Counts conducted by City Traffic Counters and The Traffic Solution

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EXISTING TRAFFIC VOLUMES [1]
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS

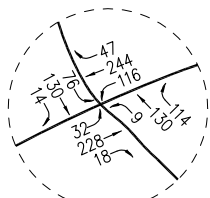
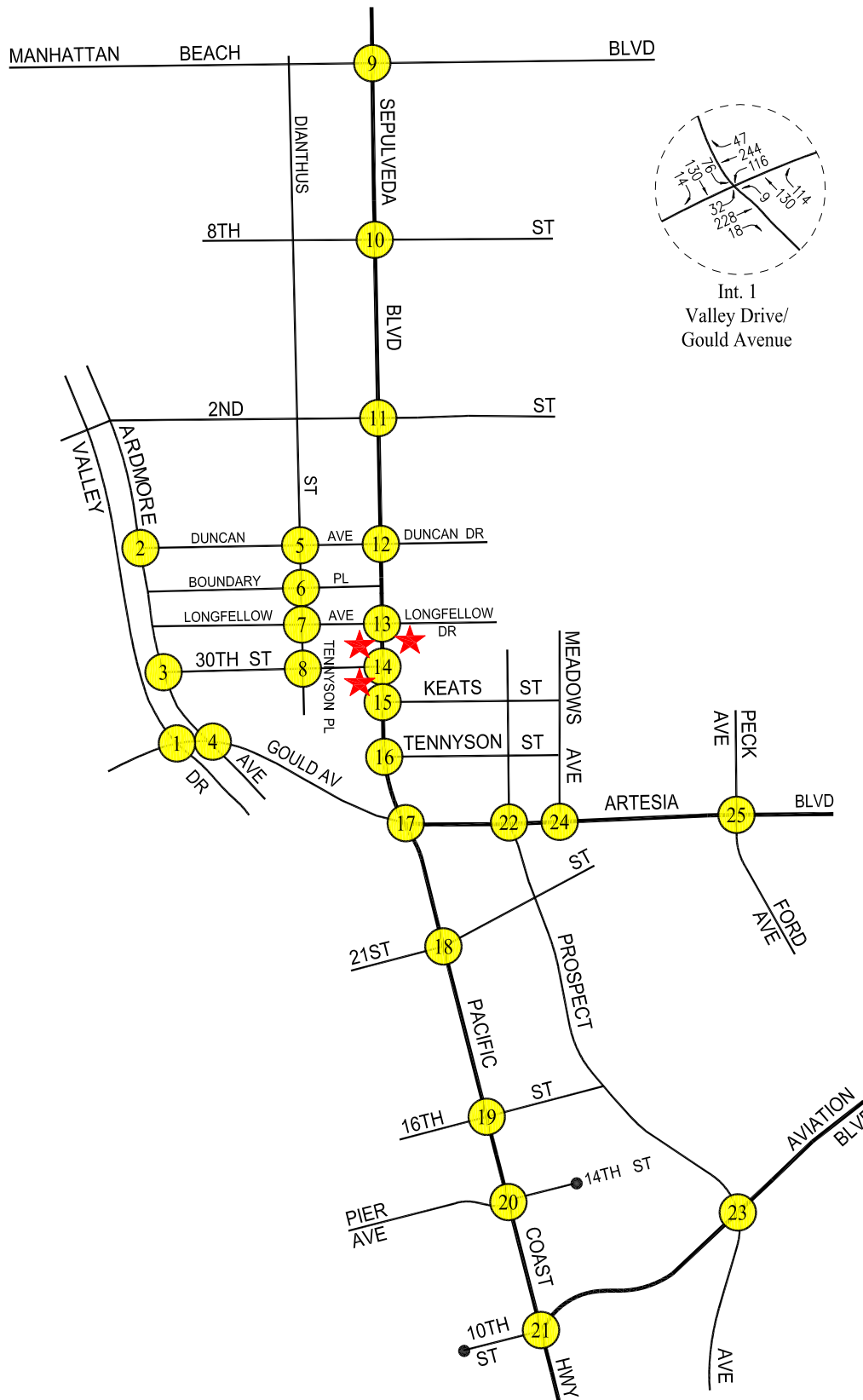
NO.	INTERSECTION	DATE	DIR	AM PEAK HOUR		PM PEAK HOUR	
				BEGAN	VOLUME	BEGAN	VOLUME
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	03/02/2016	NB	7:30	2,937	5:15	1,408
			SB		1,083		2,346
			EB		178		214
			WB		196		124
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	03/02/2016	NB	7:30	3,019	5:15	1,396
			SB		1,064		2,324
			EB		25		49
			WB		16		20
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	03/02/2016	NB	7:30	3,059	5:15	1,370
			SB		1,019		2,425
			EB		46		42
			WB		76		72
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	03/02/2016	NB	7:30	3,089	5:00	1,384
			SB		962		2,437
			EB		56		66
			WB		0		0
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street	03/02/2016	NB	7:30	3,051	5:00	1,368
			SB		981		2,503
			EB		0		0
			WB		67		52
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street	03/02/2016	NB	7:45	2,944	5:00	1,304
			SB		984		2,494
			EB		0		0
			WB		39		57
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	03/02/2016	NB	7:45	2,496	5:15	1,292
			SB		923		2,429
			EB		524		524
			WB		1,378		884
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	03/08/2016	NB	7:45	2,549	5:00	1,295
			SB		928		2,218
			EB		151		81
			WB		230		130
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	03/01/2016	NB	7:45	2,408	5:00	1,130
			SB		976		2,153
			EB		133		283
			WB		56		31
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	03/01/2016	NB	8:00	2,582	5:30	1,310
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[1] Counts conducted by City Traffic Counters and The Traffic Solution

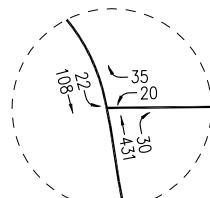
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WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS

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				BEGAN	VOLUME	BEGAN	VOLUME
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			SB		863		2,125
			EB		5		1
			WB		952		884
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	03/09/2016	NB	7:30	479	5:00	191
			SB		120		168
			EB		812		1,220
			WB		1,357		897
23	Prospect Avenue/ Aviation Boulevard	03/01/2016	NB	7:45	692	4:30	488
			SB		223		436
			EB		865		876
			WB		979		1,094
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	03/09/2016	NB	7:30	0	5:15	0
			SB		130		244
			EB		933		1,242
			WB		1,429		997
25	Peak Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	03/09/2016	NB	7:45	279	5:15	97
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			EB		867		1,253
			WB		1,295		953

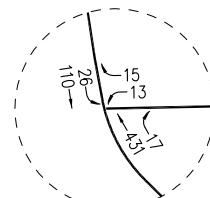
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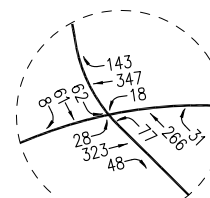
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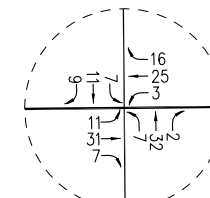
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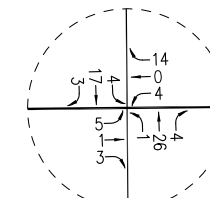
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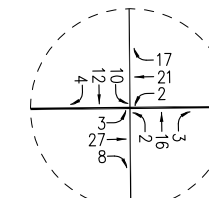
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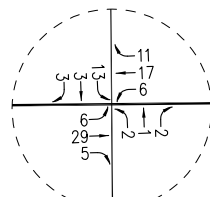
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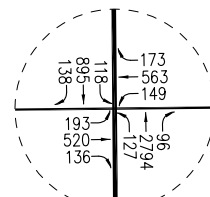
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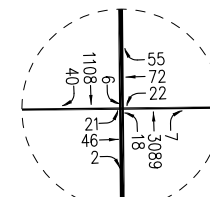
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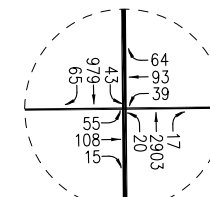
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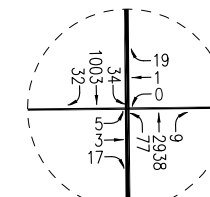
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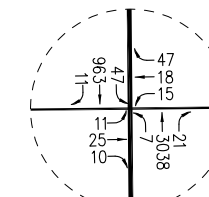
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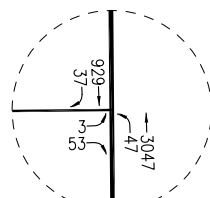
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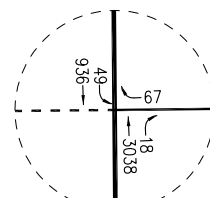
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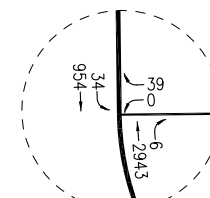
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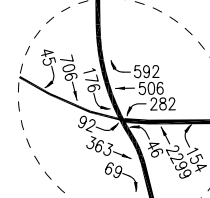
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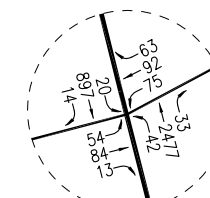
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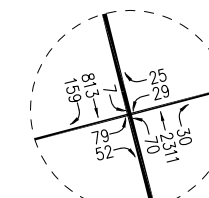
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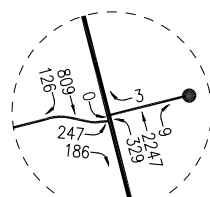
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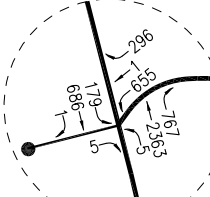
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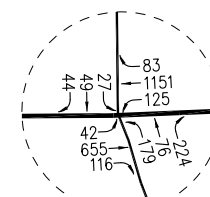
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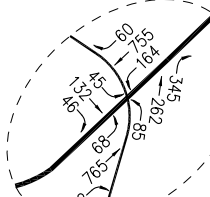
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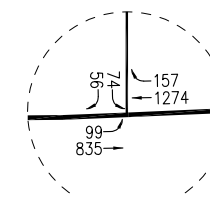
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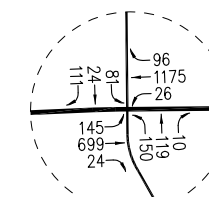
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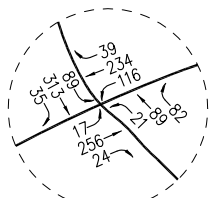
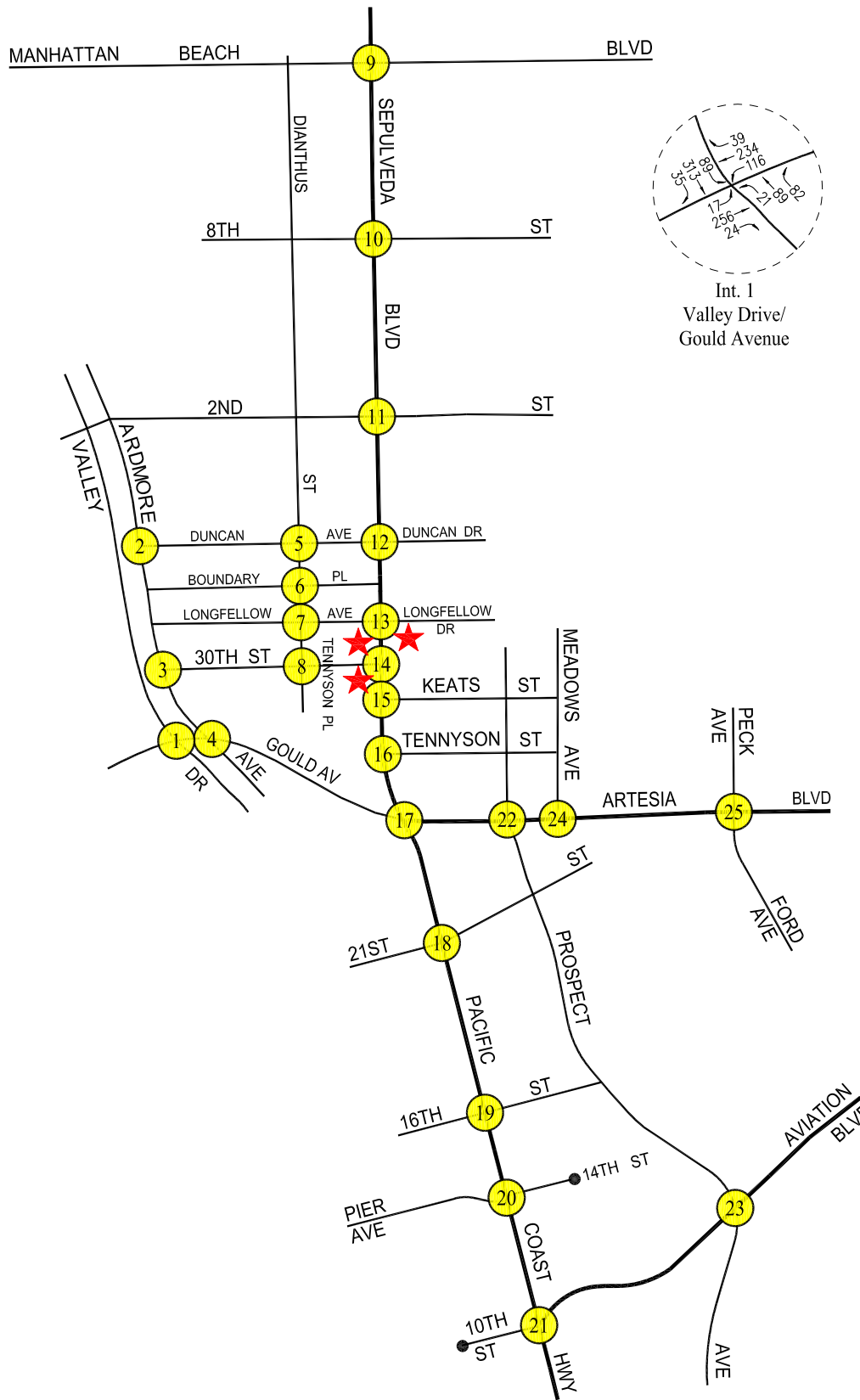
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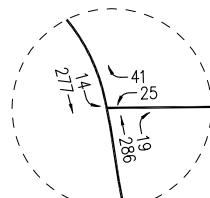
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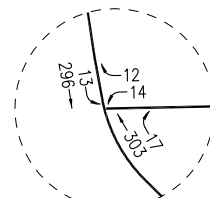
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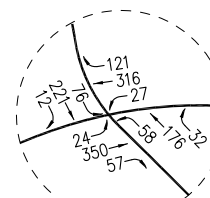
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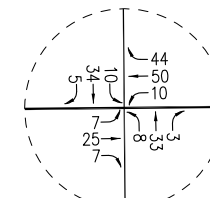
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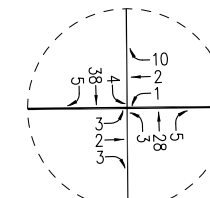
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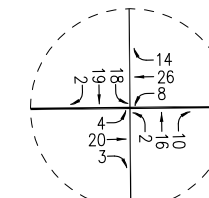
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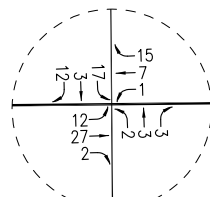
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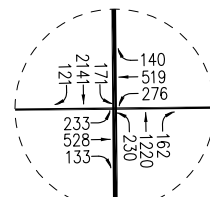
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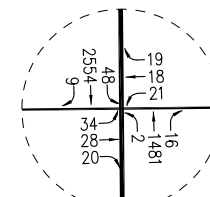
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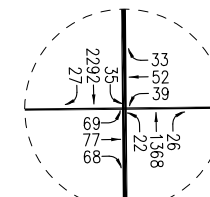
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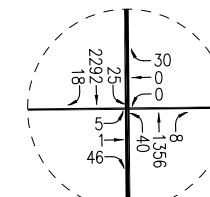
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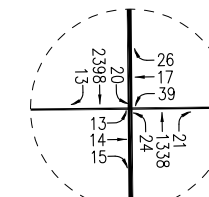
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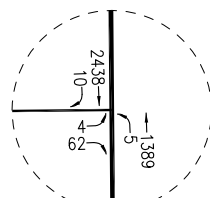
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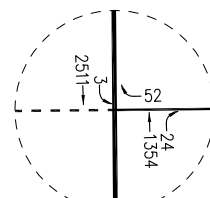
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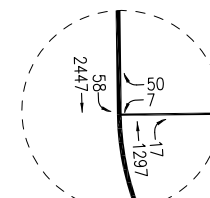
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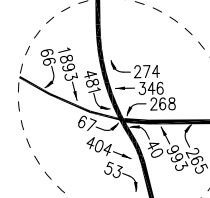
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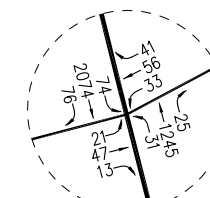
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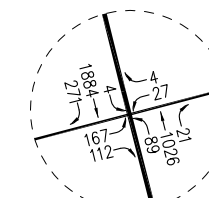
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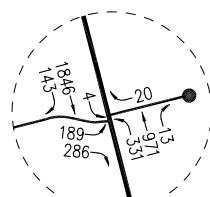
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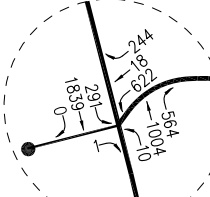
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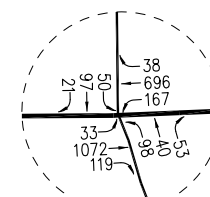
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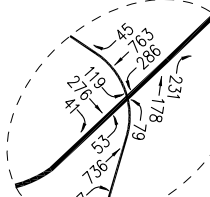
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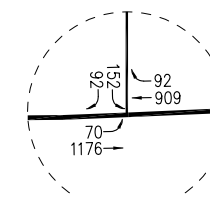
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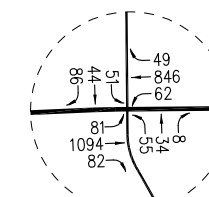
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FIGURE 5-2
EXISTING TRAFFIC VOLUMES
WEEKDAY PM PEAK HOUR
SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

6.0 FUTURE TRAFFIC CONDITIONS

The forecast of future pre-project conditions was prepared in accordance with procedures outlined in Section 15130 of the CEQA Guidelines. Specifically, the CEQA Guidelines provides two options for developing the future traffic volume forecast:

“(A) A list of past, present, and probable future projects producing related or cumulative impacts, including, if necessary, those projects outside the control of the [lead] agency, or

(B) A summary of projections contained in an adopted local, regional or statewide plan, or related planning document, that describes or evaluates conditions contributing to the cumulative effect. Such plans may include: a general plan, regional transportation plan, or plans for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions. A summary of projections may also be contained in an adopted or certified prior environmental document for such a plan. Such projections may be supplemented with additional information such as a regional modeling program. Any such document shall be referenced and made available to the public at a location specified by the lead agency.”

Accordingly, the traffic analysis provides a highly conservative estimate of future pre-project traffic volumes as it incorporates both the “A” and “B” options outlined in the CEQA Guidelines for purposes of developing the forecast.

6.1 Related Projects Traffic Characteristics

A forecast of on-street traffic conditions prior to occupancy of the proposed project was prepared by incorporating the potential trips associated with other known development projects (related projects) in the area. With this information, the potential impact of the proposed project can be evaluated within the context of the cumulative impact of all ongoing development. The related projects research was based on information on file at the Cities of El Segundo, Hermosa Beach, Manhattan Beach and Redondo Beach. The list of related projects in the project site area and a brief description for each of the 29 related projects is presented in **Table 6-1**. The location of the related projects is shown in **Figure 6-1**.

Traffic volumes expected to be generated by the related projects were calculated using rates provided in the Institute of Transportation Engineers’ (ITE) *Trip Generation Manual*⁵. The related projects’ respective traffic generation for the weekday AM and PM peak hours, as well as on a daily basis for a typical weekday, is summarized in *Table 6-1*. As shown in *Table 6-1*, the related projects are expected to generate a combined total of 47,251 daily trips during a typical weekday, 2,071 trips (1,139 inbound trips and 932 outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour, and 3,689 trips (1,922 inbound trips and 1,767 outbound trips) during the weekday PM peak hour. The anticipated

⁵ Institute of Transportation Engineers *Trip Generation Manual*, 9th Edition, 2012, Washington, D.C.

Table 6-1
RELATED PROJECTS LIST AND TRIP GENERATION [1]

MAP NO.	PROJECT STATUS	PROJECT NAME/NUMBER ADDRESS/LOCATION	LAND USE DATA		PROJECT DATA SOURCE	DAILY TRIP ENDS [2]	AM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]		PM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]			
			LAND-USE	SIZE			IN	OUT	IN	OUT	TOTAL	TOTAL
City of Hermosa Beach												
H1	Approved	Clash Hotel 1429 Hermosa Avenue	Hotel	30 Rooms	[3]	245	9	7	16	9	9	18
H2	Approved	2101 Pacific Coast Highway	Office	10,124 GSF	[4]	112	14	2	16	3	12	15
H3	Approved	906 Hermosa Avenue	Office	8,780 GSF	[4]	97	12	2	14	2	11	13
H4	Approved	824 1st Street	Office	3,000 GSF	[4]	33	4	1	5	1	3	4
H5	Proposed	Strand & Pier Hotel Mixed-Use NE Corner of The Strand/Pier Avenue	Hotel Retail Restaurant (Less Existing Restaurant) (Less Existing Retail)	100 Rooms 5,406 GLSF 8,213 GSF (9,300) GSF (6,000) GLSF	[3] [5] [6] [6] [5]	817 231 1,044 (1,182) (256)	31 3 49 (56) (4)	22 2 40 (45) (2)	53 5 89 (101) (6)	31 10 49 (55) (11)	29 10 32 (37) (11)	60 20 81 (92) (22)
H6	Proposed	2420 Pacific Coast Highway	Net New Church Supermarket (Less Existing Office) (Less Existing Recreation Center)	32,191 GSF 30,078 GSF (15,000) GSF (29,653) GSF	[7] [8] [4] [9]	293 3,075 (165) (1,003)	11 63 (20) (40)	7 39 (3) (21)	18 102 (23) (61)	9 145 (4) (40)	9 18 (18) (41)	18 285 (22) (81)
H7	Proposed	OTO Development Hotel Beach Drive/11th Street	Hotel	100 Rooms	[3]	817	31	22	53	31	29	60
H8	Proposed	Transpacific Fiber-Optic Cables Project	Communications	N/A	[10]	Nom.	Nom.	Nom.	Nom.	Nom.	Nom.	Nom.
City of Manhattan Beach												
M1	Approved	Manhattan Village Shopping Center 3200-3600 N. Sepulveda Boulevard	Net New Shopping Center	110,000 GLSF	[11]	715	29	19	48	97	79	176
M2	Approved	1133 Artesia Boulevard	Grocery Store	12,000 GSF	[8]	1,227	25	16	41	58	56	114
M3	Approved	865 Manhattan Beach Boulevard	General Office Deli	15,000 GSF 700 GSF	[12] [12]	165 340	20 21	3 21	23 42	4 5	18 4	22 9
M4	Under Construction	1000 N. Sepulveda Boulevard	Medical Office Pharmacy Coffee Shop (Less Existing Restaurant)	23,050 GSF 665 GSF 1,715 GSF (5,400) GSF	[13] [14] [15] [6]	833 60 1,860 (687)	43 1 95 (32)	12 1 91 (26)	55 2 186 (58)	23 3 35 (32)	59 3 35 (21)	82 6 70 (53)
M5	Proposed	Gelson's Market 707 N. Sepulveda Boulevard	Supermarket Restaurant Bank (Less Existing Automobile Care)	27,500 GSF 52 Seats 7,000 GSF (31,720) GSF	[12] [12] [12] [12]	1,596 1,489 840 (807)	39 90 23 (60)	24 59 10 (31)	63 149 33 (91)	80 36 30 (60)	77 21 38 (65)	157 57 68 (125)

Table 6-1 (Continued)
RELATED PROJECTS LIST AND TRIP GENERATION [1]

MAP NO.	PROJECT STATUS	PROJECT NAME/NUMBER ADDRESS/LOCATION	LAND USE DATA		PROJECT DATA SOURCE	DAILY TRIP ENDS [2]	AM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]		PM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]			
			LAND-USE	SIZE			IN	OUT	IN	OUT	TOTAL	TOTAL
City of Manhattan Beach (Continued)												
M6	Proposed	1800 Manhattan Beach Boulevard	General Office (Less Existing Apartment)	3,000 GSF (3) DU	[4] [16]	33 (20)	4 0	1 (2)	5 (2)	1 (1)	3 (1)	4 (2)
M7	Proposed	2205 N. Sepulveda Boulevard	General Office (Less Existing Hair Salon)	4,700 GSF (1,040) GSF	[4] [17]	52 (20)	6 (1)	1 0	7 (1)	1 0	6 (2)	7 (2)
M8	Proposed	1762 Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Medical Office Apartment (Less Existing Single-Family Residence)	1,800 GSF 1 DU (1) DU	[13] [16] [18]	65 7 (10)	3 0 0	1 1 (1)	4 1 (1)	2 1 (1)	4 0 0	6 1 (1)
M9	Approved	757 Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Condominium (Less Existing Apartment)	5 DU (6) DU	[19] [16]	29 (40)	0 (1)	2 (2)	2 (3)	2 (3)	1 (1)	3 (4)
M10	Approved	1101 Aviation Boulevard	Medical Office	5,000 GSF	[13]	181	9	3	12	5	13	18
M11	Proposed	1129 N. Sepulveda Boulevard	Retail	2,000 GLSF	[5]	85	1	1	2	3	4	7
M12	Proposed	1100 Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Retail	13,000 GLSF	[5]	555	7	5	12	23	25	48
City of El Segundo												
E1	Proposed	Raytheon South Campus Phase I 2100 E. El Segundo Boulevard	General Office Warehouse Light Industrial Retail	1,751,921 GSF 73,577 GSF 168,000 GSF 148,960 GLSF	[20]	3,775	56	33	89	108	117	225
E2	Proposed	750 S. Douglas Street	Industrial	4,986 GSF	[21]	34	4	1	5	1	4	5
E3	Approved	500 S. Douglas Street and 2330 Utah Avenue	General Office	80,042 GSF	[4]	883	110	15	125	20	99	119
E4	Proposed	2171-2191 Rosecrans Avenue	Restaurant (Less Existing Restaurant)	13,570 GSF (8,195) GSF	[6] [6]	1,725 (1,042)	81 (49)	66 (40)	147 (89)	80 (49)	54 (32)	134 (81)
City of Redondo Beach												
R1	Approved	2012 Artesia Boulevard	Indoor Pool	16,900 GSF	[22]	727	31	19	50	63	38	101
R2	Approved	2516-2520 Nelson Avenue	Condominium	9 DU	[19]	52	1	3	4	3	2	5
R3	Approved	2430 Marine Avenue	Hotel	121 Rooms	[3]	989	38	26	64	37	36	73
R4	Proposed	South Bay Galleria Improvement 1815 Hawthorne Boulevard	Net New Retail Hotel Residential	217,864 GLSF 150 Rooms 650 DU	[5] [3] [16]	9,303 1,226 4,323	130 47 66	79 33 266	209 80 332	388 46 262	420 44 141	808 90 403

Table 6-1 (Continued)
RELATED PROJECTS LIST AND TRIP GENERATION [1]

MAP NO.	PROJECT STATUS	PROJECT NAME/NUMBER ADDRESS/LOCATION	LAND USE DATA		PROJECT DATA SOURCE	DAILY TRIP ENDS [2]		AM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]		PM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]		
			LAND-USE	SIZE		IN	OUT	IN	OUT	IN	OUT	TOTAL
City of Redondo Beach (Continued)												
R5	Proposed	Waterfront Development Project	Retail Movie Theater Quality Restaurant High-Turnover Restaurant Hotel Office Boat Launch (Less Existing Retail) (Less Existing Quality Restaurant) (Less Existing High-Turnover Rest.) (Less Existing Office)	97,000 GLSF 700 Seats 128,000 GSF 45,000 GSF 130 Rooms 60,000 GSF 40 Stalls (31,005) GLSF (45,094) GSF (30,083) GSF (71,174) GSF	[23]	12,550	195	149	344	471	311	782
TOTAL						47,251	1,139	932	2,071	1,922	1,767	3,689

[1] Source: City of Hermosa Beach Planning Division, City of Manhattan Beach Planning Division, City of El Segundo Planning Division, and City of Redondo Beach Planning Division. Trip generation for the related projects are based on ITE "Trip Generation Manual", 9th Edition, 2012, unless otherwise noted (as referenced in the Project Data Source column).

[2] Trips are one-way traffic movements, entering or leaving.

[3] ITE Land Use Code 310 (Hotel) trip generation average rates.

[4] ITE Land Use Code 710 (General Office Building) trip generation average rates.

[5] ITE Land Use Code 820 (Shopping Center) trip generation average rates.

[6] ITE Land Use Code 932 (High-Turnover [Sit-Down] Restaurant) trip generation average rates.

[7] ITE Land Use Code 560 (Church) trip generation average rates.

[8] ITE Land Use Code 850 (Supermarket) trip generation average rates.

[9] ITE Land Use Code 495 (Recreational Community Center) trip generation average rates.

[10] Source: "Transpacific Fiber-Optic Cables Project Draft EIR", Aspen Environmental Group, December 2015.

[11] Source: "Traffic Study for Manhattan Village Shopping Center", Components I + II Total New Trips, prepared by Gibson Transportation Consulting, May 2012.

[12] Trip generation forecast for this project provided by City of Manhattan Beach staff.

[13] ITE Land Use Code 720 (Medical-Dental Office Building) trip generation average rates.

[14] ITE Land Use Code 880 (Pharmacy/Drugstore without Drive-Through Window) trip generation average rates.

[15] ITE Land Use Code 936 (Coffee/Donut Shop without Drive-Through Window) trip generation average rates.

[16] ITE Land Use Code 220 (Apartment) trip generation average rates.

[17] ITE Land Use Code 918 (Hair Salon) trip generation average rates. As no daily trip rate is provided, it was assumed that the PM peak hour trips represents 10% of the daily trips.

[18] ITE Land Use Code 210 (Single-Family Detached Housing) trip generation average rates.

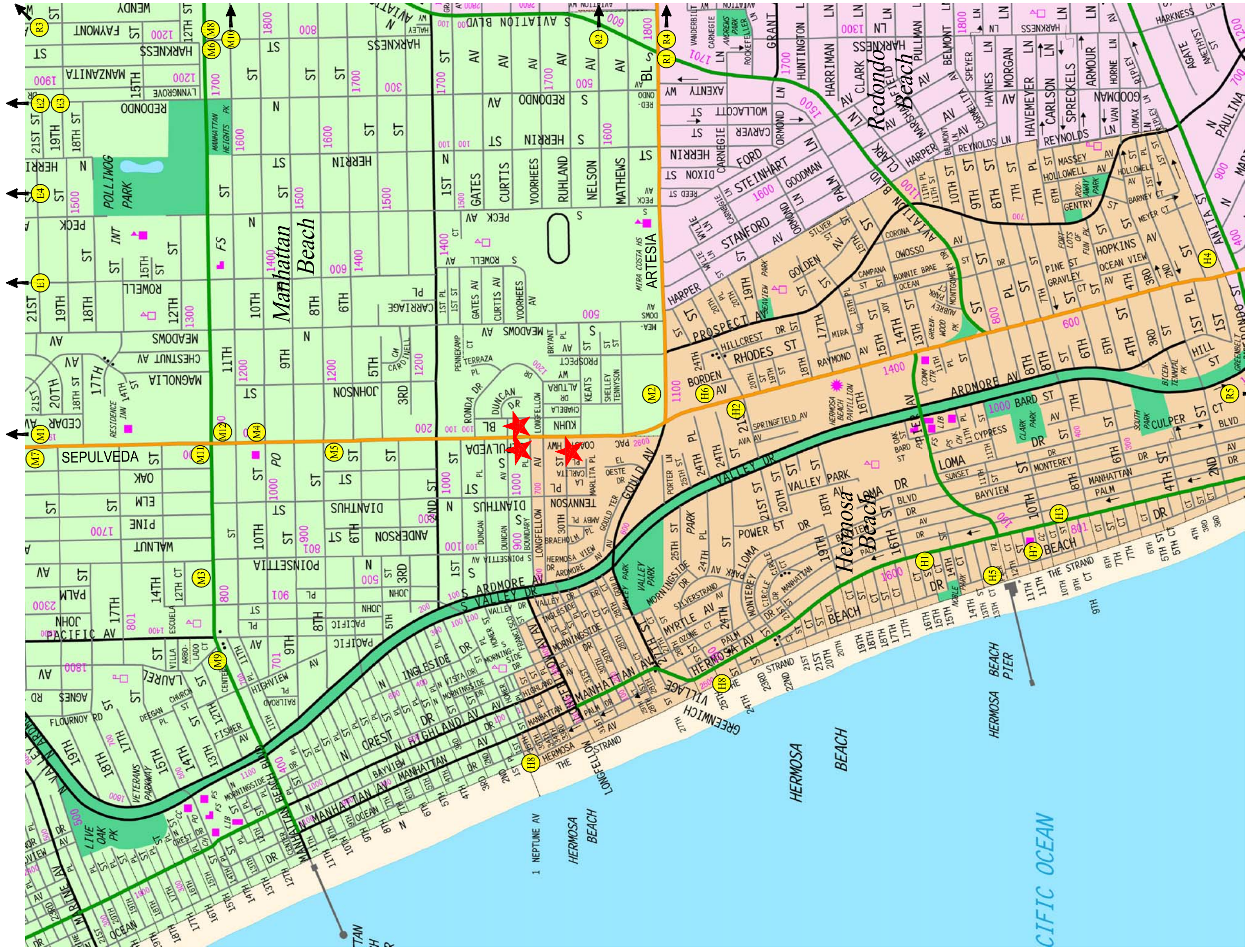
[19] ITE Land Use Code 230 (Residential Condominium/Townhouse) trip generation average rates.

[20] Source: "Raytheon South Campus Specific Plan Draft Traffic Impact Analysis," Phase I, prepared by RBF, May 27, 2014.

[21] ITE Land Use Code 110 (Light Industrial) trip generation average rates.

[22] ITE Land Use Code 493 (Athletic Club) trip generation average rates.

[23] Source: "Redondo Waterfront Project Transportation Impact Study," prepared by Fehr & Peers, November 2015.



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- EL SEGUNDO RELATED PROJECT
- MANHATTAN BEACH RELATED PROJECT
- REDONDO BEACH RELATED PROJECT



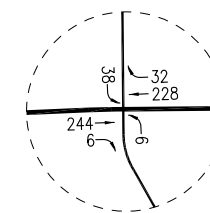
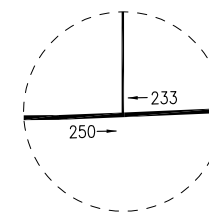
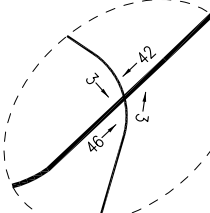
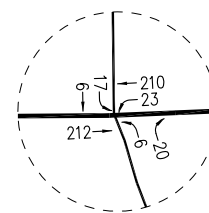
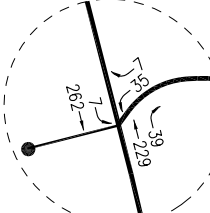
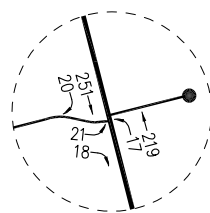
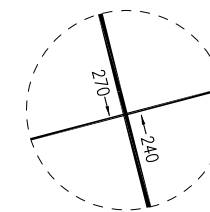
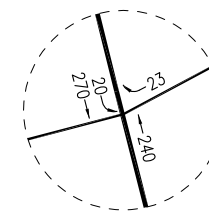
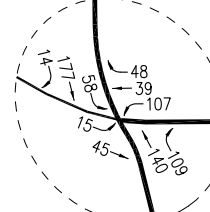
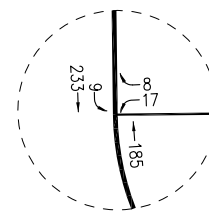
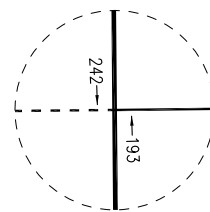
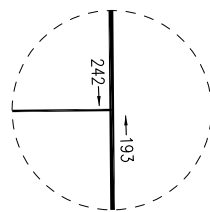
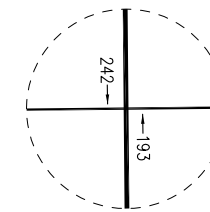
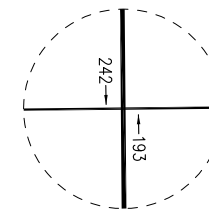
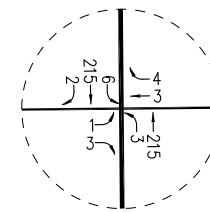
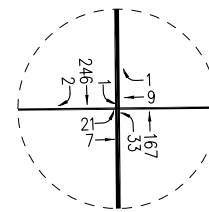
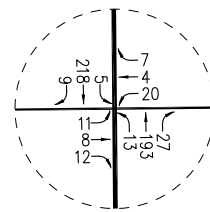
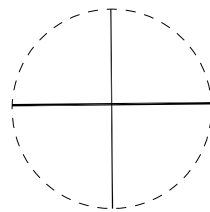
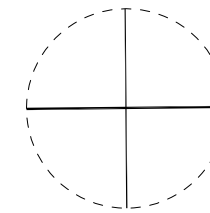
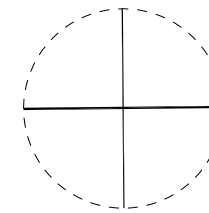
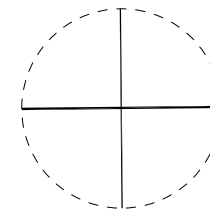
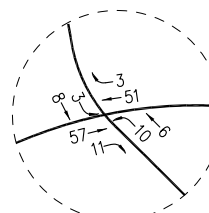
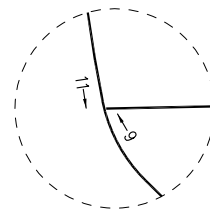
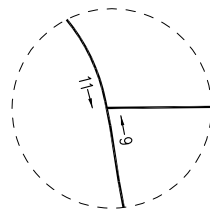
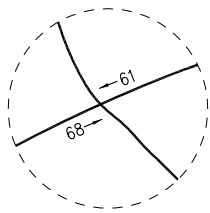
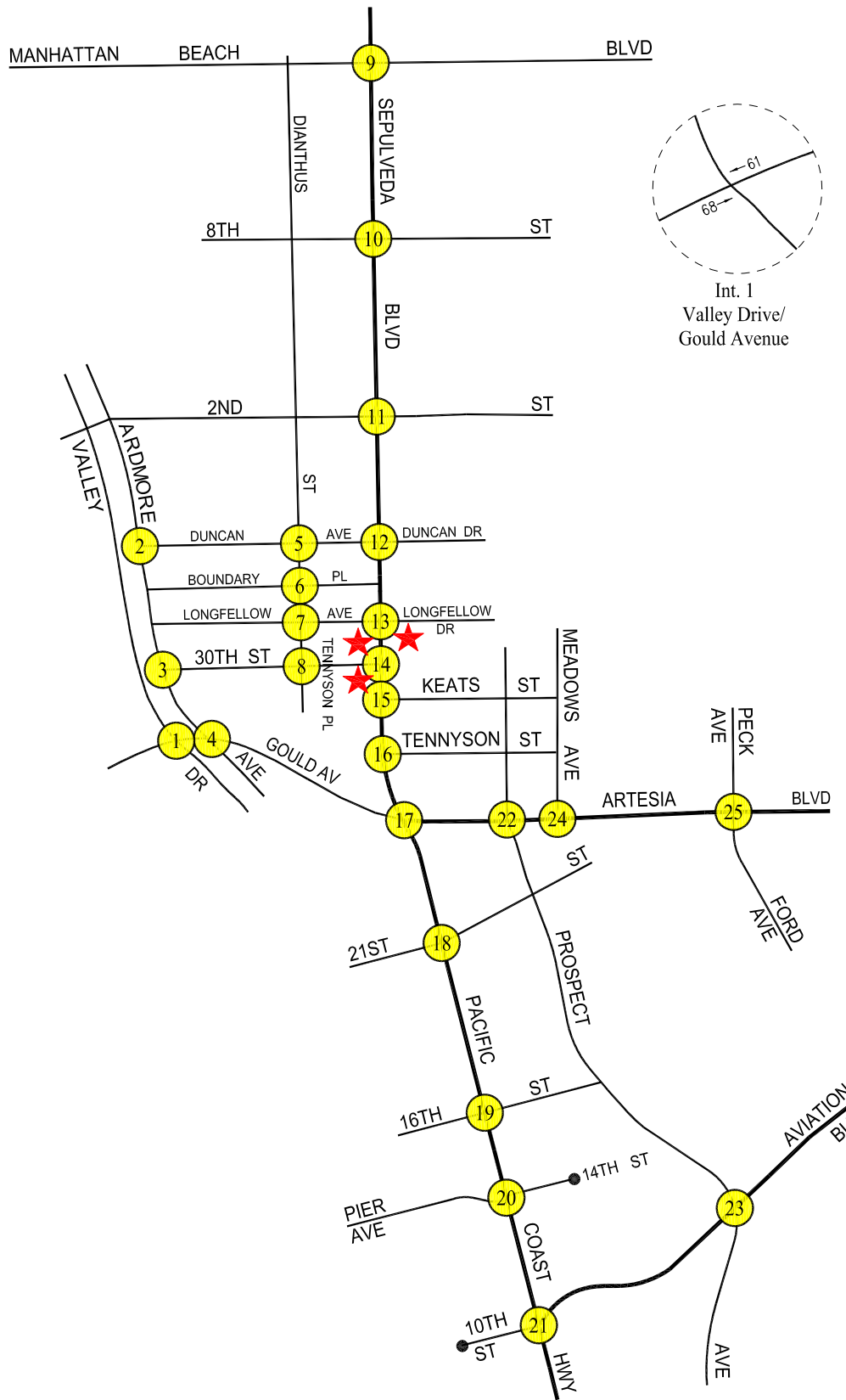
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FIGURE 6-1
LOCATION OF RELATED PROJECTS

distribution of the related projects traffic volumes to the study intersections during the weekday AM and PM peak hours is displayed in **Figures 6-2** and **6-3**, respectively.

6.2 Ambient Traffic Growth

Horizon year, background traffic growth estimates also have been calculated by using an ambient traffic growth factor. The ambient traffic growth factor is intended to include unknown related projects in the study area, as well as account for typical growth in traffic volumes due to the development of projects outside the study area. The future growth in traffic volumes has been calculated at one percent (1.0%) per year. The ambient growth factor was based on review of the background traffic growth estimates for the South Bay/LAX area (RSA 18) published in the *2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County*, which indicate that existing traffic volumes would be expected to increase at an annual rate of less than one percent (approximately 0.26% per year) between years 2010 and 2020. However, a one percent (1.0%) ambient traffic growth factor has been employed in this analysis in order to provide a conservative, worst case forecast of future traffic volumes in the area. Application of the ambient traffic growth factor to existing year 2016 traffic volumes results in a four percent (4.0%) increase in existing traffic volumes to horizon year 2020. Further, it is noted that the CMP manual's traffic growth rate is intended to anticipate future traffic generated by development projects in the project vicinity. Thus, the inclusion in this traffic analysis of both a forecast of traffic generated by known related projects plus the use of an ambient growth traffic factor based on CMP traffic model data results in a conservative estimate of future traffic volumes at the study intersections.



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FIGURE 6-3
RELATED PROJECTS TRAFFIC VOLUMES
 WEEKDAY PM PEAK HOUR
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

7.0 TRAFFIC FORECASTING METHODOLOGY

In order to estimate the traffic impact characteristics of the proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project, a multi-step process has been utilized. The first step is trip generation, which estimates the total arriving and departing traffic volumes on a peak hour and daily basis. The traffic generation potential is forecast by applying the appropriate vehicle trip generation equations or rates to the project development tabulation.

The second step of the forecasting process is trip distribution, which identifies the origins and destinations of inbound and outbound project traffic volumes. These origins and destinations are typically based on demographics and existing/anticipated travel patterns in the study area.

The third step is traffic assignment, which involves the allocation of project traffic to study area streets and intersections. Traffic assignment is typically based on minimization of travel time, which may or may not involve the shortest route, depending on prevailing operating conditions and travel speeds. Traffic distribution patterns are indicated by general percentage orientation, while traffic assignment allocates specific volume forecasts to individual roadway links and intersection turning movements throughout the study area.

With the forecasting process complete and project traffic assignments developed, the impact of the proposed project is isolated by comparing operational (i.e., Level of Service) conditions at selected key intersections using expected existing and future traffic volumes without and with forecast project traffic. The need for site-specific and/or cumulative local area traffic improvements can then be evaluated and the significance of the project's impacts identified.

7.1 Project Traffic Generation

Traffic generation is expressed in vehicle trip ends, defined as one-way vehicular movements, either entering or exiting the generating land use. Generation equations and/or rates provided in the *ITE Trip Generation Manual*, 9th Edition publication and the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) *Not So Brief Guide of Vehicular Traffic Generation Rates for the San Diego Region*⁶ were utilized in the project trip generation forecasts. ITE Land Use Code 714 (Corporate Headquarters Building) trip generation averages rates were used to forecast the traffic volumes expected to be generated by the proposed Hermosa Beach buildings based on correlation with the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building as well as the occupancy characteristics of the two Hermosa Beach buildings. Pursuant to the discussions with City of Manhattan Beach staff, ITE Land Use Code 715 (Single Tenant Office Building) trip generation averages rates were used to forecast the traffic volumes expected to be generated by the Manhattan Beach buildings. Additionally, to provide a conservative forecast of project trips, ITE Land Use Code 936 (Coffee/Donut Shop without Drive-Through Window) trip generation average rates were used to forecast the traffic volumes expected to be generated by the ancillary coffee house land use component planned to be provided as part of the Hermosa Beach project.

As previously discussed, (refer to Subsection 2.1.2, Project Parking), the proposed Hermosa Beach project is unique due to the nature of the Design Center building configurations (e.g., showroom space and shoe libraries) and busing of buyers to/from the project site several times a year. Skechers hosts large conferences several times a year where buyers come from around the world and the United States. The Skechers travel department utilizes eight (8) buses (60-seat capacity) to transport these people from the Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center building to the site. Based on current experience, the buses are only at the existing Skechers building at 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard during drop-off and pick-up periods, and are staged off-site until needed to transport the people to their hotels; the same will apply when the showrooms are moved to the new Hermosa Beach location.

As the GSC is an atypical event (i.e., only occurs twice a year) and Skechers arranges for transport of attendees by bus and due to the unique configuration of the Design Center building, it is concluded that using the ITE Land Use Code 714 trip generation rates based on square footage will result in a conservative, worst case forecast of project-related trips. The proposed Hermosa Beach project will function as the Skechers product design center and executive offices on a typical, recurring daily basis when showroom space is not being utilized by attendees as part of the GSC.

For the GSC, it is understood that Skechers will arrange for bus transport of attendees between the venue (traditionally held at the Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center), local hotels and the project site, and that this circulation currently occurs at the existing site and will simply shift to the proposed project site. In order to provide a conservative forecast of project related trips, a forecast of bus trips associated with the GSC is included herein. The GSC bus trips have been based upon the following assumptions in order to provide a conservative forecast of project-related trips:

- No weekday AM peak hour bus trip generation.
- It is assumed that eight (8) buses (60-seat capacity) will arrive/depart the site during the weekday PM peak hour.
- For the daily trip ends, it is assumed that eight (8) buses will arrive/depart the site during the mid-day and again during the weekday PM peak hour (2 inbound trips and 2 outbound trips per bus).
- A passenger car equivalency (PCE) factor (2.0 passenger car equivalency per bus) was accounted for in the analysis of potential traffic impacts in order to account for the affect that buses have on overall intersection operations. This assumption is conservative and accounts for the larger vehicle type and slower speeds.

⁶ SANDAG (Not So) Brief Guide of Vehicular Traffic Generation Rates for the San Diego Region, April 2002, for the automated car wash site only, where no ITE data is available.

In addition to the proposed project trip generation forecasts, forecasts also were made for the existing site land uses at the Manhattan Beach project site. Trip generation average rates for the following ITE land uses were utilized in the forecasts for the existing project sites:

- ITE Land Use Code 710 (General Office Building)
- ITE Land Use Code 820 (Shopping Center)
- ITE Land Use Code 942 (Automobile Care Center)
- ITE Land Use Code 948 (Automated Car Wash) and SANDAG (Car Wash – Automated)

Pass-by trip adjustments were applied to the trip generation forecasts for the retail and automobile-related site uses to account for pass-by trips. Pass-by trips are made as intermediate stops on the way from an origin to a destination without a route diversion. Pass-by trips are attracted from the traffic passing the site on an adjacent street or roadway that offers direct access to the Manhattan Beach site. As an example, a motorist on their way home from work that typically traverses Sepulveda Boulevard may elect to combine trips and stop by to pick-up their dry cleaning. This is not a new trip on the street system with its primary purpose/destination related to the dry cleaning business, rather this is categorized as a pass-by trip (i.e., since the primary trip is a home-work-home trip that also included a secondary stop without a route diversion).

7.2 Combined Projects Traffic Generation

The trip generation forecast for the proposed Skechers projects is summarized in **Table 7-1**. As presented in *Table 7-1*, the combined projects are expected to generate 279 net new vehicle trips (253 inbound trips and 26 outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour. During the weekday PM peak hour, the combined projects are expected to generate 254 net new vehicle trips (30 inbound trips and 224 outbound trips). Over a 24-hour period, the combined projects are forecast to generate 1,312 net new daily trip ends during a typical weekday (656 inbound trips and 656 outbound trips).

7.3 Hermosa Beach Only Project Traffic Generation

As also presented in *Table 7-1*, the Hermosa Beach only project is expected to generate 208 net new vehicle trips (182 inbound trips and 26 outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour. During the weekday PM peak hour, the Hermosa Beach only project is expected to generate 210 net new vehicle trips (38 inbound trips and 172 outbound trips). Over a 24-hour period, the Hermosa Beach only project is forecast to generate 1,221 net new daily trip ends during a typical weekday (approximately 611 inbound trips and 611 outbound trips).

7.4 Manhattan Beach Projects Only Traffic Generation

As also presented in *Table 7-1*, the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is expected to generate 46 net new vehicle trips (44 inbound trips and 2 outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour. During the weekday PM peak hour, the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is expected to generate

Table 7-1
PROJECT TRIP GENERATION [1]

LAND USE	SIZE	DAILY TRIP ENDS [2] VOLUMES	AM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]			PM PEAK HOUR VOLUMES [2]		
			IN	OUT	TOTAL	IN	OUT	TOTAL
<i>Hermosa Beach Sites</i>								
Design Center [3]	100,296 GSF	800	141	11	152	14	127	141
Executive Offices [3]	19,209 GSF	153	27	2	29	3	24	27
Executive Offices Coffee Shop [4] - Less Internal Capture, Walk-In and Pass-by Adjustments (75%) [5]	998 GSF	817 (613)	55 (41)	53 (40)	108 (81)	21 (16)	20 (15)	41 (31)
GSC Event Bus Trips [6]	8 Buses	64	---	---	---	16	16	32
Subtotal Hermosa Beach Offices		1,221	182	26	208	38	172	210
<i>Manhattan Beach Sites</i>								
<u>305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard</u>								
General Office [7]	37,174 GSF	433	60	7	67	10	55	65
Less Existing General Office [8]	(8,422) GSF	(93)	(11)	(2)	(13)	(2)	(11)	(13)
Less Existing Retail [9] - Less Pass-by Adjustment (50%) [10]	(4,000) GLSF	(171) 86	(2) 1	(2) 1	(4) 2	(7) 4	(8) 4	(15) 8
Automobile Care Center [11] - Less Pass-by Adjustment (10%) [10]	(2,815) GLSF	(90) 9	(4) 0	(2) 0	(6) 0	(4) 0	(5) 1	(9) 1
Subtotal 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Site		174	44	2	46	1	36	37
<u>330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion</u>								
General Office [7]	20,328 GSF	237	33	4	37	5	30	35
Automated Car Wash [12] - Less Pass-by Adjustment (20%) [10]	(2,525) GSF	(400) 80	(8) 2	(8) 2	(16) 4	(18) 4	(18) 4	(36) 8
Subtotal 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Site		(83)	27	(2)	25	(9)	16	7
Subtotal Manhattan Beach Offices		91	71	0	71	(8)	52	44
COMBINED TOTAL		1,312	253	26	279	30	224	254

[1] Source: ITE "Trip Generation Manual", 9th Edition, 2012; and "(Not So) Brief Guide of Vehicular Traffic Generation Rates for the San Diego Region, April 2002, San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG).

[2] Trips are one-way traffic movements, entering or leaving.

Table 7-1 (Continued)
PROJECT TRIP GENERATION

- [3] ITE Land Use Code 714 (Corporate Headquarters Building) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: 7.98 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 50% inbound/50% outbound
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 1.52 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 93% inbound/7% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 1.41 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 10% inbound/90% outbound
- [4] ITE Land Use Code 936 (Coffee/Donut Shop without Drive-Through Window) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: 818.59 trips/dwelling unit; 50% inbound/50% outbound (ITE Land Use Code 937 since none provided for Code 936)
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 108.38 trips/1,000 SF; 51% inbound/49% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 40.75 trips/dwelling units; 50% inbound/50% outbound
- [5] As this on-site land-use amenity is intended for local area employees and residents, a high level of walk-in and internal capture patronage is anticipated. Internal capture trips are those trips made internal to the site between land uses in a mixed-use development. Pass-by trips are made as intermediate stops on the way from an origin to a primary destination without a route diversion. Pass-by trips are attracted from the traffic passing the site on an adjacent street or roadway that offers direct access to the site. Please note that although the ITE "Trip Generation Handbook" does not include coffee shop land use type in the review of pass-by trips, a fast-food restaurant with drive-through window (i.e., ITE Land Use Code 934) was reviewed for reference purposes. When combined with expected walk-in and internal capture patronage, a 75% adjustment was applied to the Coffee Shop land use component.
- [6] The Skechers Global Sales Conference (GSC) is held at the Redondo Beach Performing Arts building in the morning. After lunch, approximately 450 to 500 of those attendees are transported via bus to the existing building at 330 Sepulveda Boulevard to tour the showrooms. The Skechers travel department utilizes 8 buses (60 seat capacity) to transport these people from the Performing Arts building to the site. The buses are only at the existing Skechers building during drop-off and pick-up periods, and are staged off-site until needed to transport people to their hotels; the same will apply when the showrooms are moved to the proposed Hermosa Beach project site. Therefore, the GSC event bus trips have been based upon the following assumptions in order to provide a conservative forecast of project-related trips:
- No AM peak hour bus trips.
 - It is assumed that 8 buses (60 seat capacity) will arrive/depart the site during the PM peak hour.
 - For the daily trip ends, it is assumed that 8 buses will arrive/depart the site during the mid-day and again during the PM peak hour (2 inbound trips and 2 outbound trips per bus).
 - A passenger car equivalency (PCE) factor (2.0 per bus) was accounted for in the analysis of potential traffic impacts in order to account for the affect that buses have on overall intersection operations. This assumption is conservative and accounts for the larger vehicle type and slower speeds.
- [7] ITE Land Use Code 715 (Single Tenant Office Building) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: 11.65 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 50% inbound/50% outbound
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 1.80 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 89% inbound/11% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 1.74 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 15% inbound/85% outbound
- [8] ITE Land Use Code 710 (General Office Building) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: 11.03 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 50% inbound/50% outbound
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 1.56 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 88% inbound/12% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 1.49 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 17% inbound/83% outbound
- [9] ITE Land Use Code 820 (Shopping Center) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: 42.7 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 50% inbound/50% outbound
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 0.96 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 62% inbound/38% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 3.71 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 48% inbound/52% outbound
- [10] Pass-by trips are made as intermediate stops on the way from an origin to a primary destination without a route diversion. Pass-by trips are attracted from the traffic passing the site on an adjacent street or roadway that offers direct access to the site.
- [11] ITE Land Use Code 942 (Automobile Care Center) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: Based on assumption that PM peak hour volume represents 10% of daily trips
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 2.25 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 66% inbound/34% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 3.11 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 48% inbound/52% outbound
- [12] ITE Land Use Code 948 (Automated Car Wash) and SANDAG (Car Wash - Automatic) trip generation average rates.
- Daily Trip Rate: ITE PM peak hour rate represents 9% of daily (SANDAG); 50% inbound/50% outbound
 - AM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 4% of daily (SANDAG); 50% inbound/50% outbound
 - PM Peak Hour Trip Rate: 14.12 trips/1,000 SF of floor area; 50% inbound/50% outbound

37 net new vehicle trips (1 inbound trip and 36 outbound trips). Over a 24-hour period, the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is forecast to generate 174 net new daily trip ends during a typical weekday (approximately 87 inbound trips and 87 outbound trips).

As also presented in *Table 7-1*, the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is expected to generate 25 net new vehicle trips (27 inbound trips and 2 fewer outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour. During the weekday PM peak hour, the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is expected to generate 7 net new vehicle trips (nine fewer inbound trips and 16 outbound trips). Over a 24-hour period, the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project is forecast to generate 83 fewer overall daily trip ends during a typical weekday than the prior car wash facility.

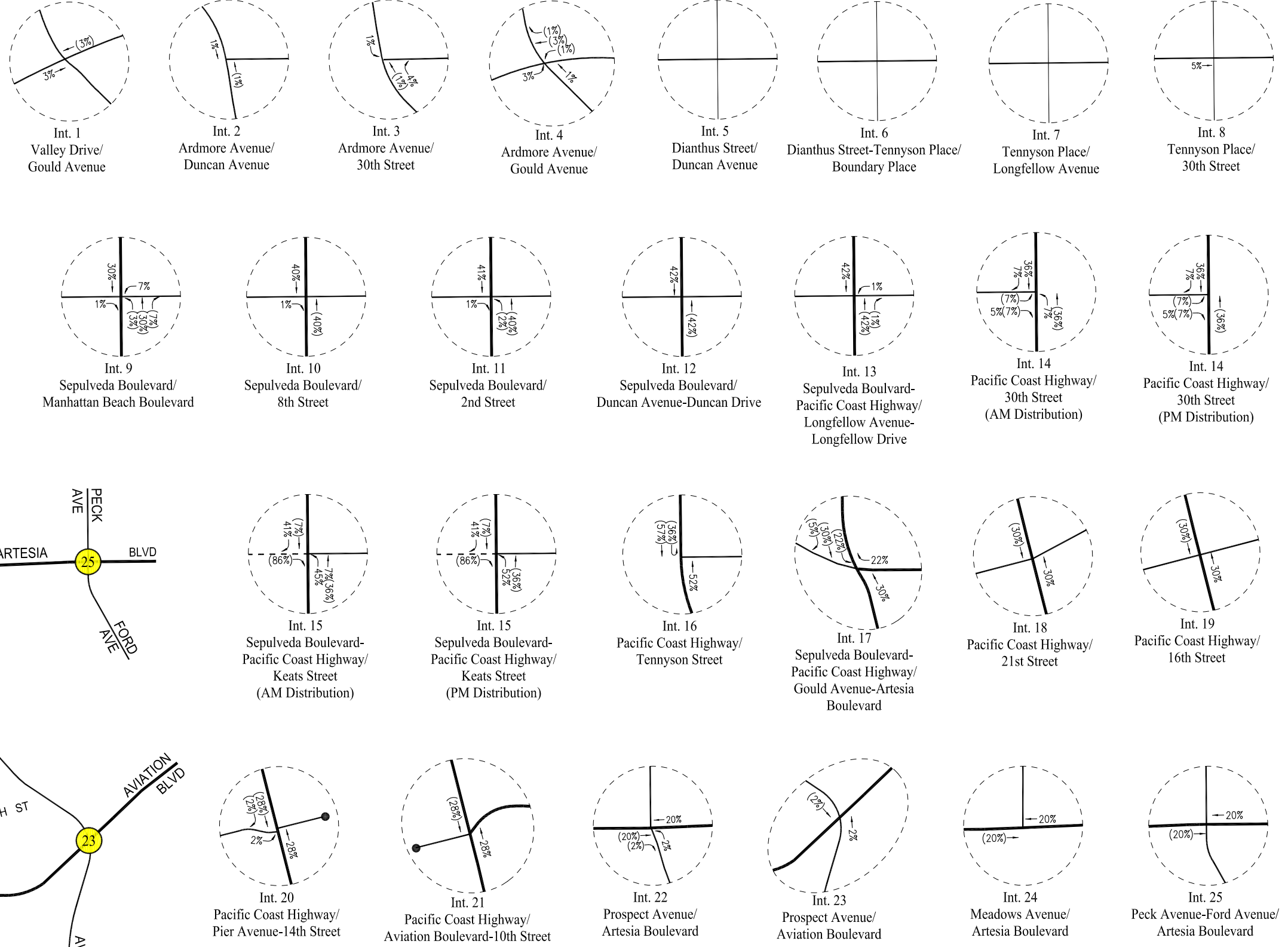
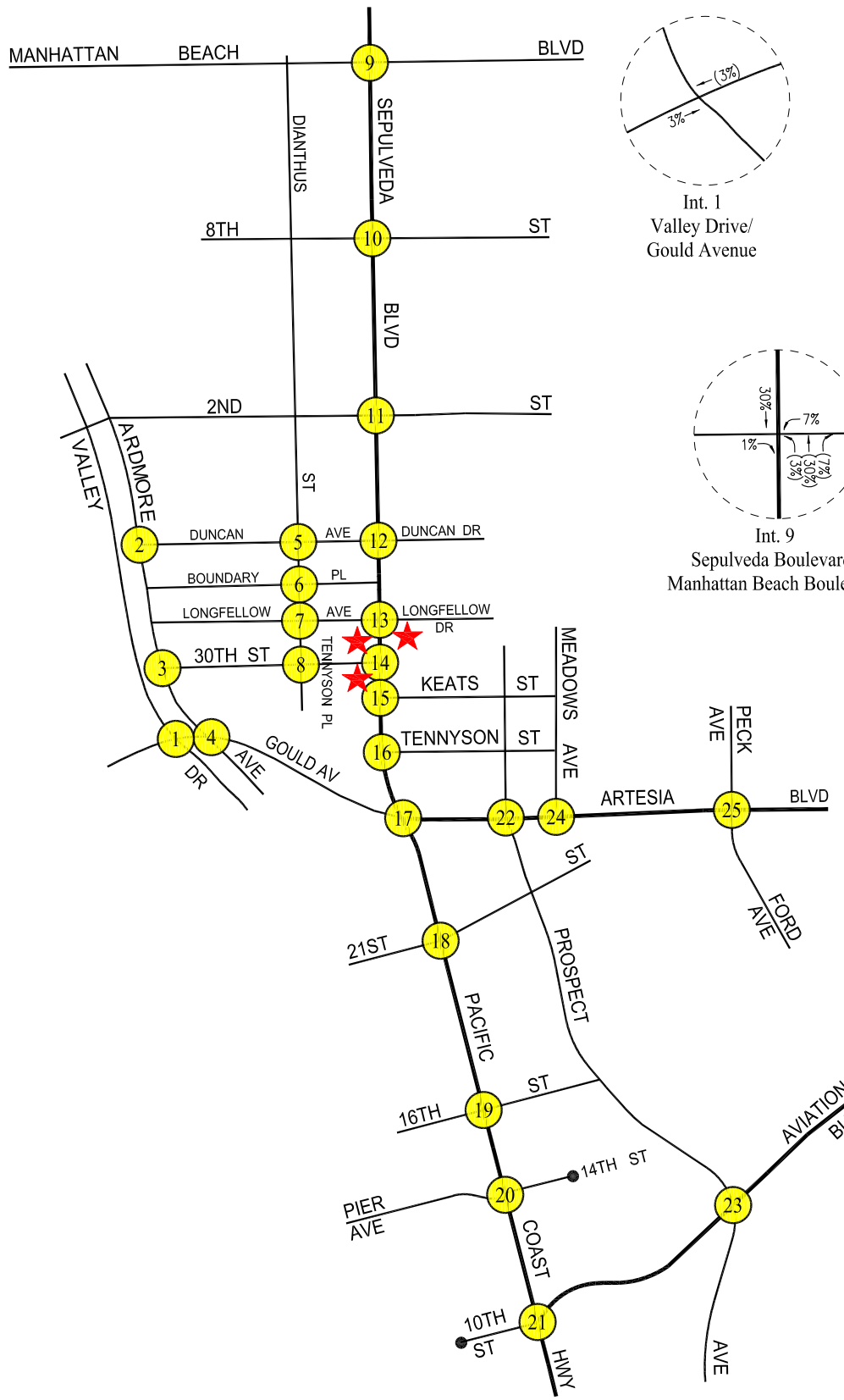
7.5 Project Traffic Distribution and Assignment

The general, directional traffic distribution patterns for the proposed Skechers projects and existing project sites are presented in the following graphics:


- **Figure 7-1:** Hermosa Beach Project
- **Figure 7-2:** 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Manhattan Beach Project
- **Figure 7-3:** 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Manhattan Beach Project
- **Figure 7-4:** Existing 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Site
- **Figure 7-5:** Existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Site

The project trip distribution patterns for the proposed Skechers projects were submitted for review and approval by both the City of Hermosa Beach and City of Manhattan Beach. Project traffic volumes both entering and exiting the project sites have been distributed and assigned to the adjacent street system based on the following considerations:

- The site's proximity to major traffic corridors (i.e., Sepulveda Boulevard/Pacific Coast Highway, Manhattan Beach Boulevard, Gould Avenue/Artesia Boulevard, Aviation Boulevard);
- Expected localized traffic flow patterns based on adjacent roadway channelization and presence of traffic signals;
- Existing intersection traffic volumes;
- Spatial distribution of existing Skechers employees at the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building and for all Skechers employees in Manhattan Beach based on zip code data (refer to **Appendix C Figures C-1** and **C-2** which show the spatial distribution of employees by zip code for the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building and for all those located in Manhattan Beach, respectively);

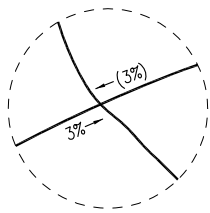
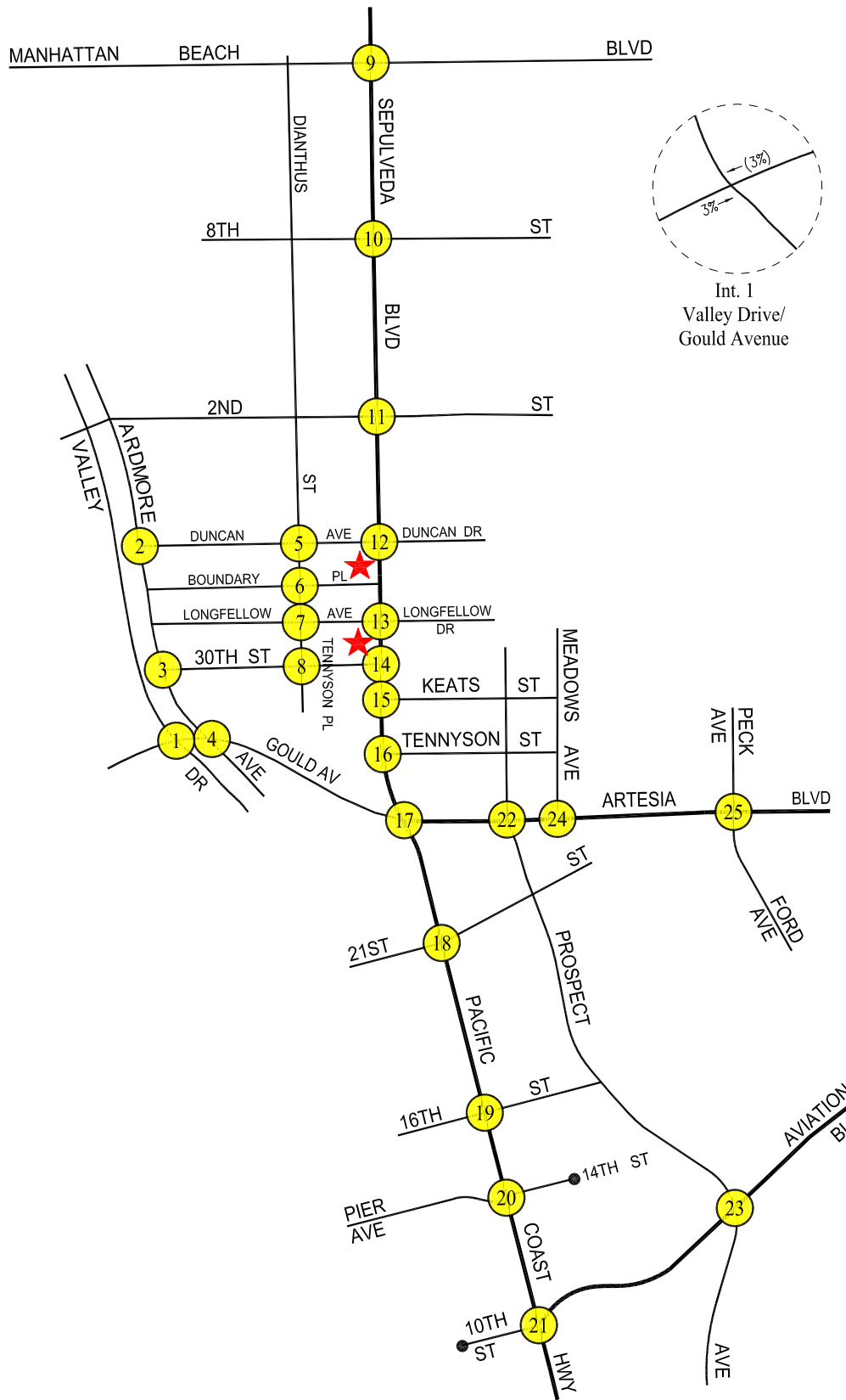


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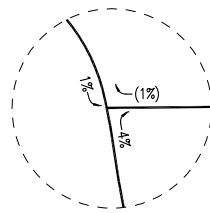
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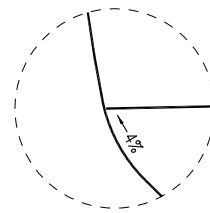
FIGURE 7-1
PROJECT TRIP DISTRIBUTION
 HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT



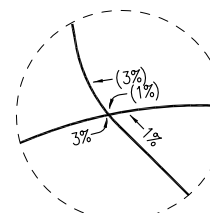
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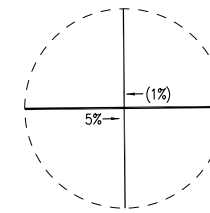
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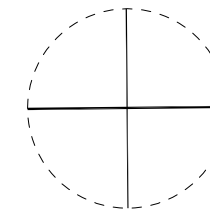
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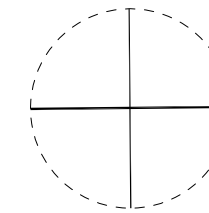
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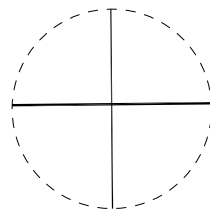
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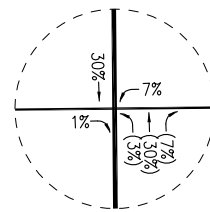
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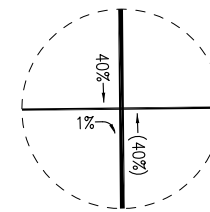
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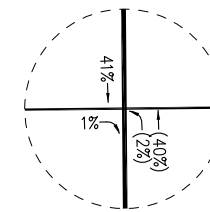
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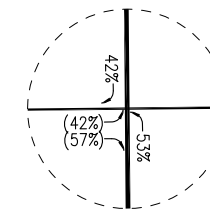
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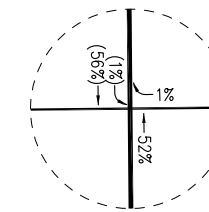
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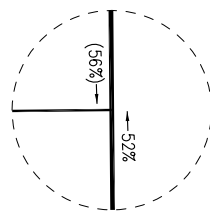
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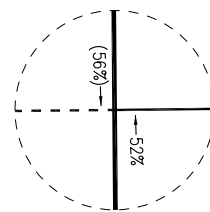
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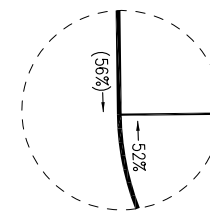
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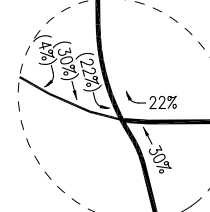
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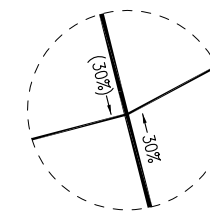
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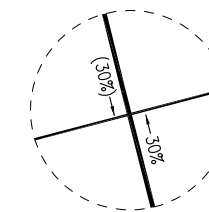
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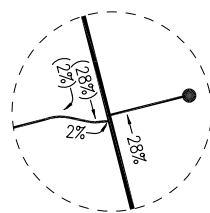
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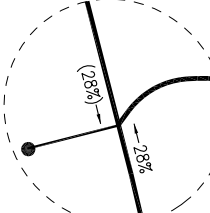
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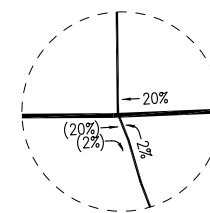
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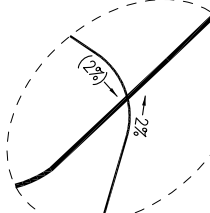
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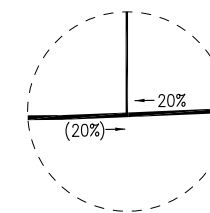
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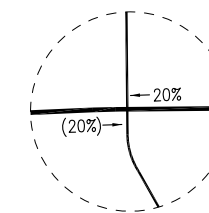
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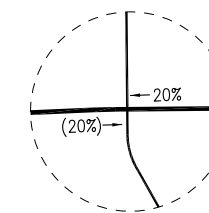
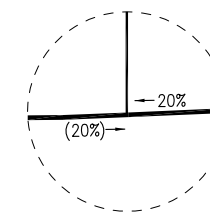
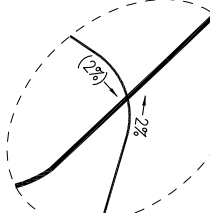
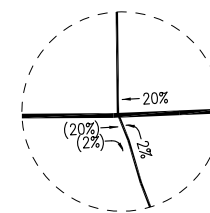
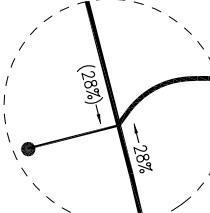
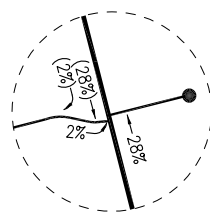
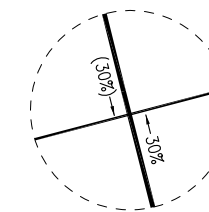
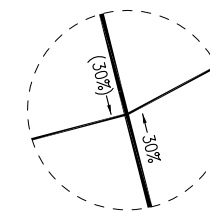
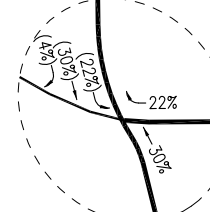
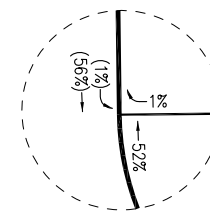
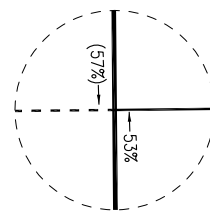
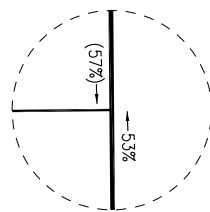
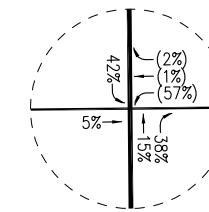
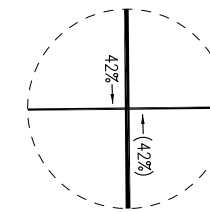
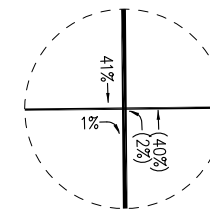
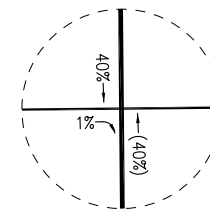
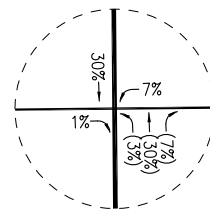
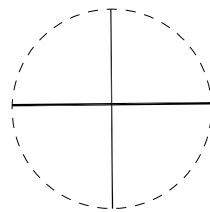
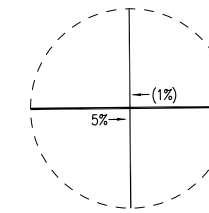
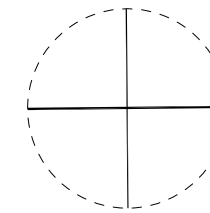
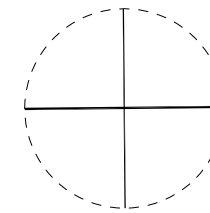
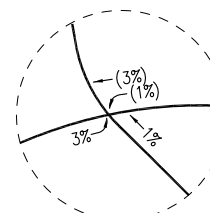
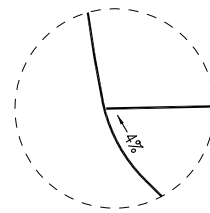
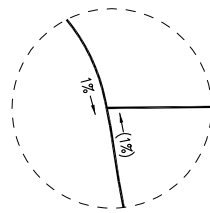
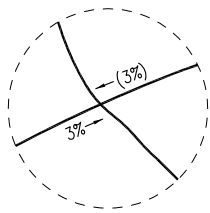
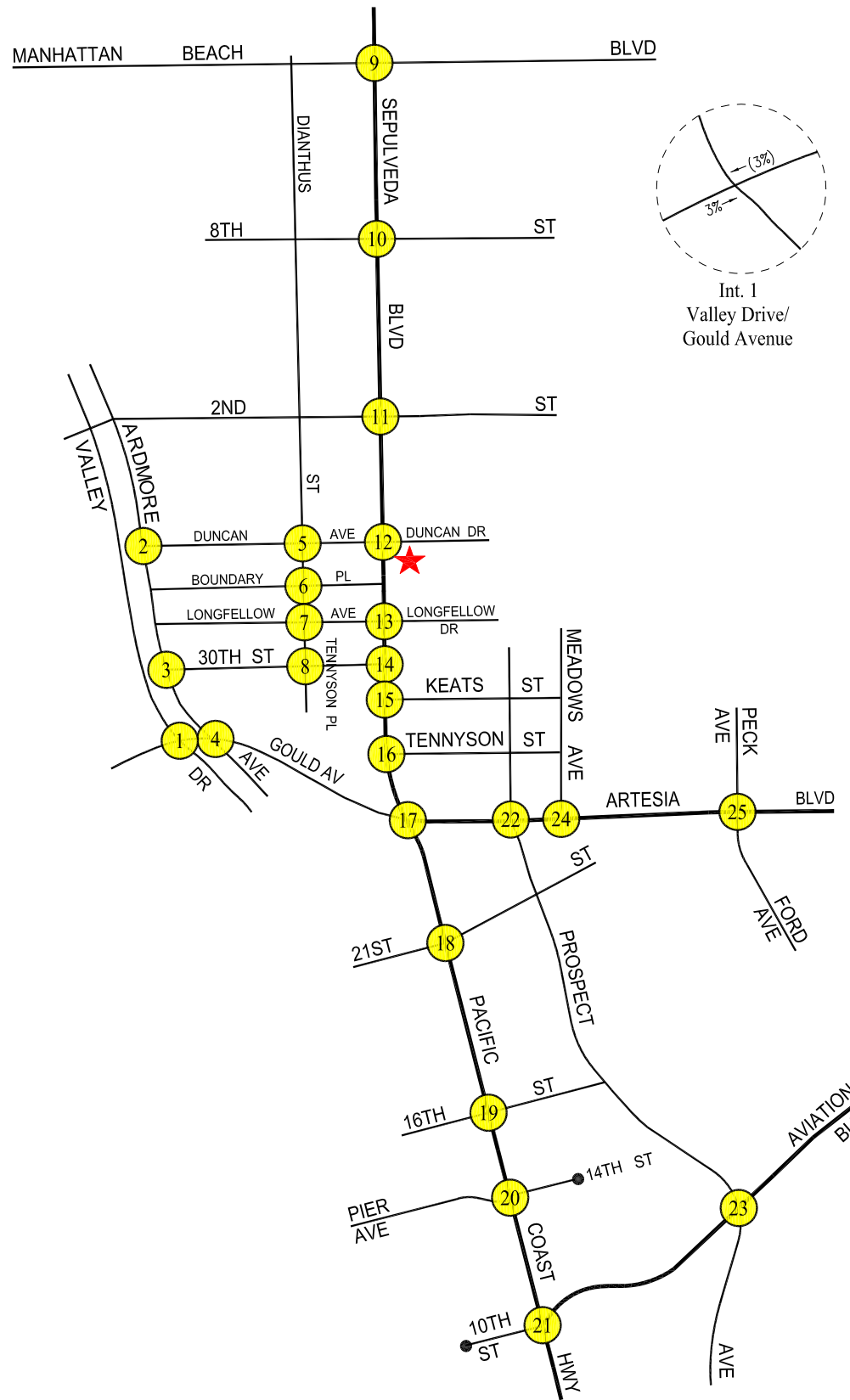
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FIGURE 7-2
PROJECT TRIP DISTRIBUTION
 MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECT: 305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

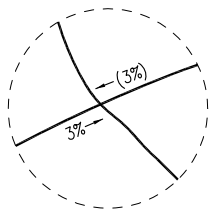
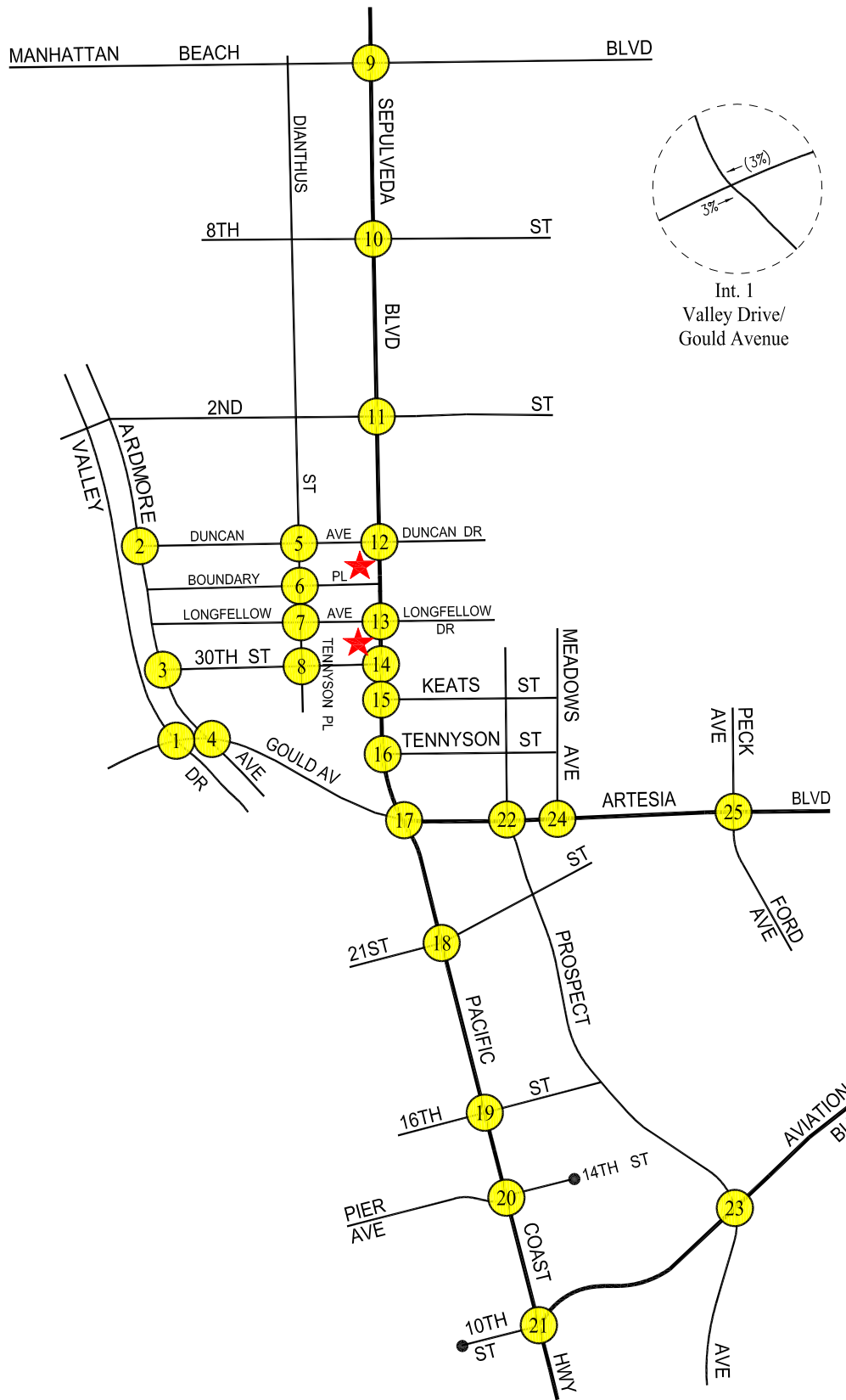


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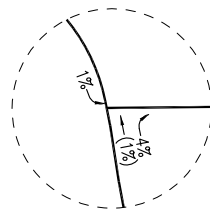
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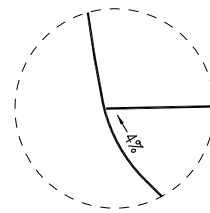
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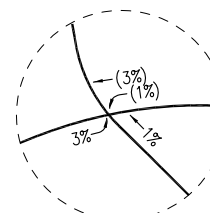
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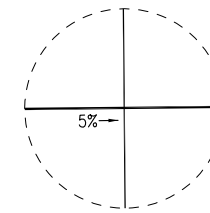
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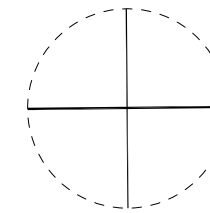
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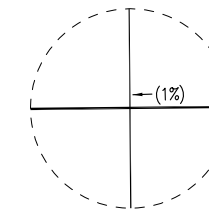
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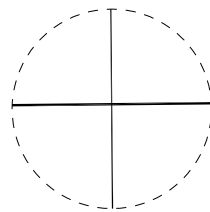
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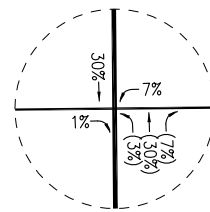
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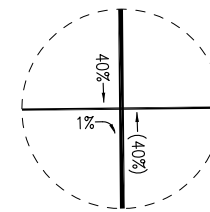
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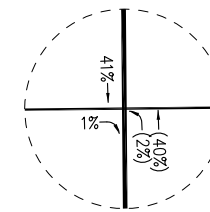
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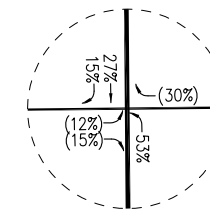
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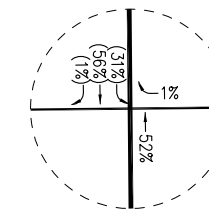
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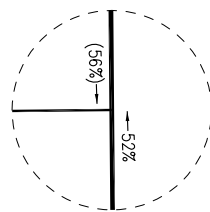
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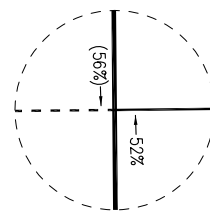
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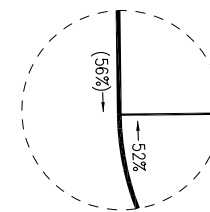
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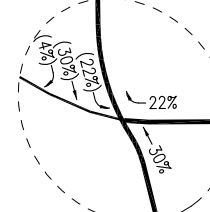
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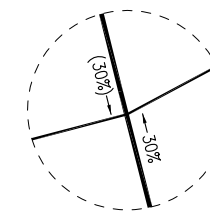
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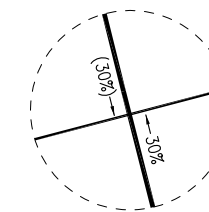
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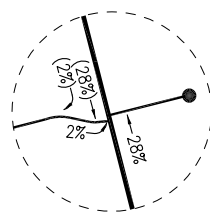
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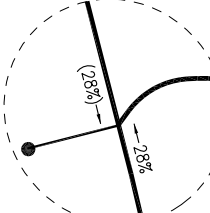
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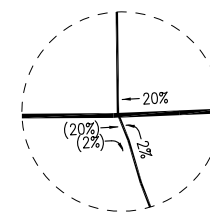
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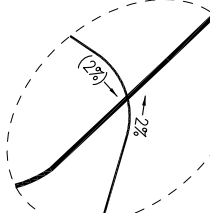
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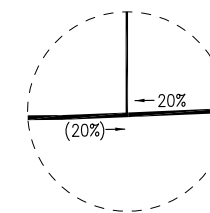
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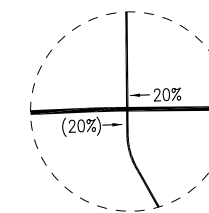
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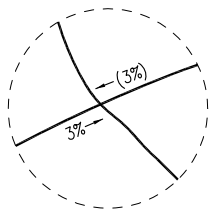
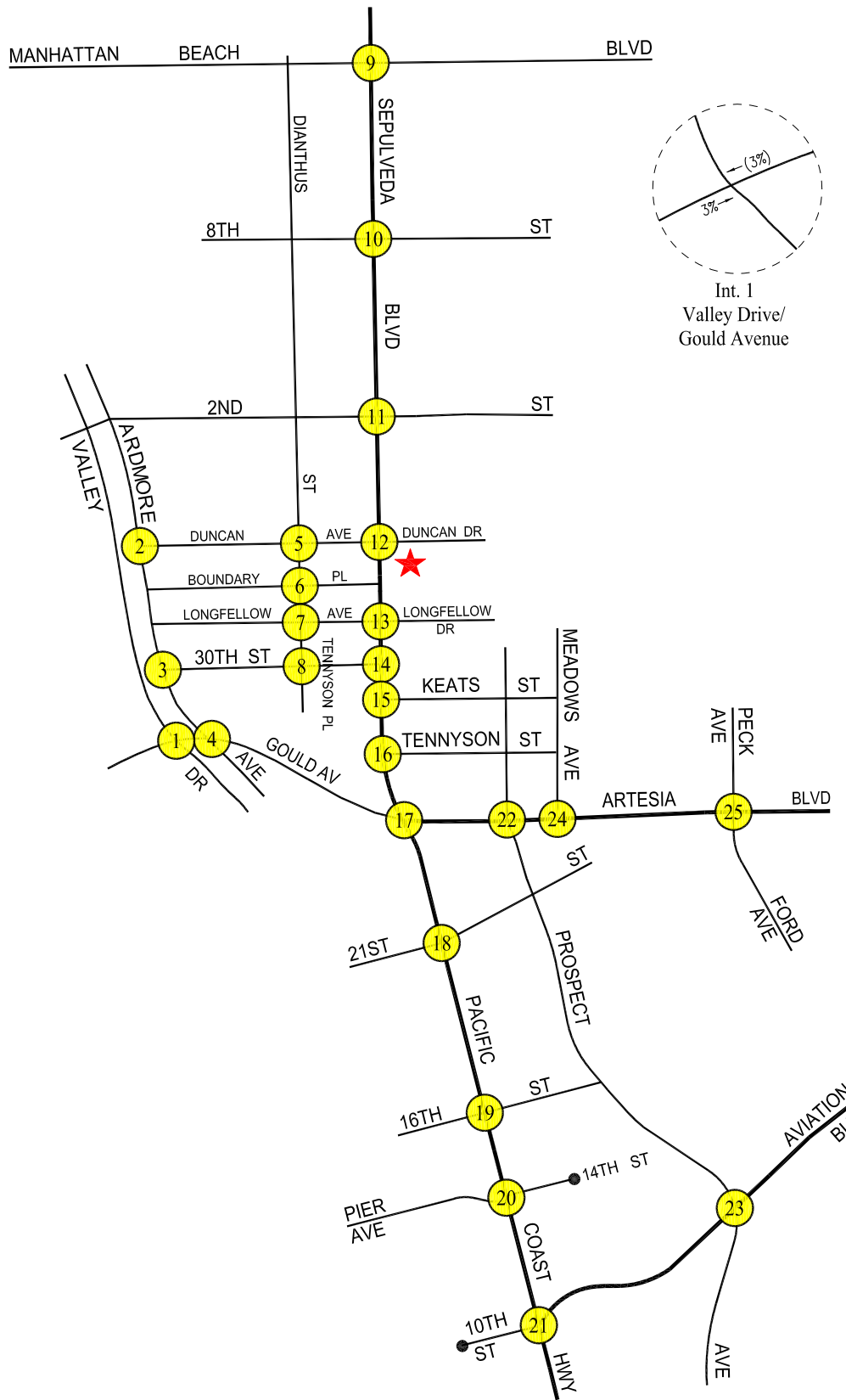
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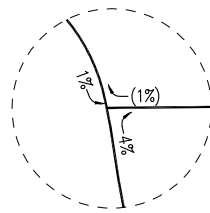
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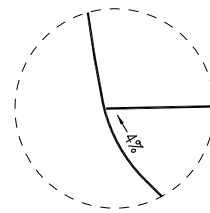
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EXISTING SITE TRIP DISTRIBUTION
 305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD
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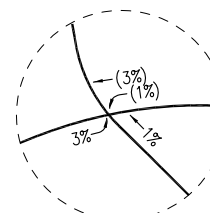
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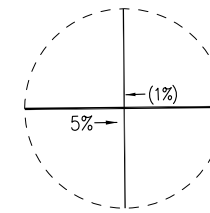
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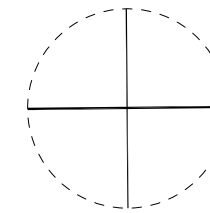
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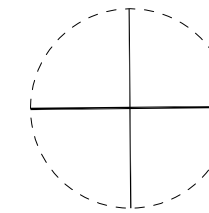
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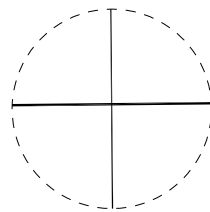
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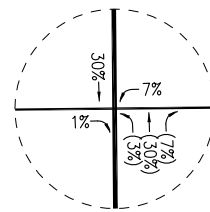
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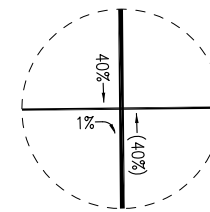
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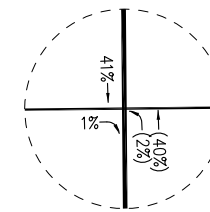
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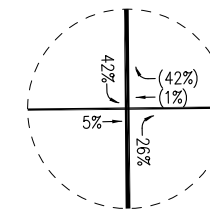
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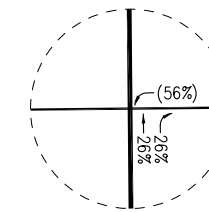
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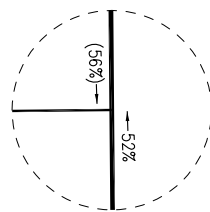
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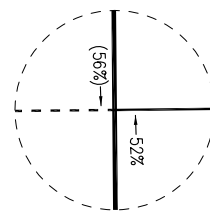
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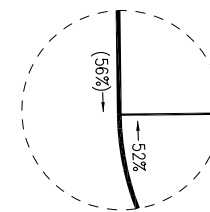
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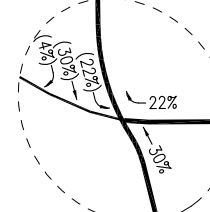
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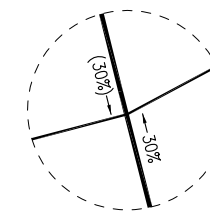
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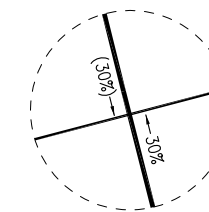
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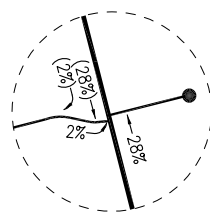
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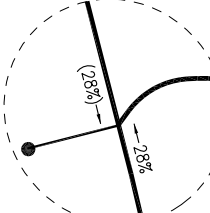
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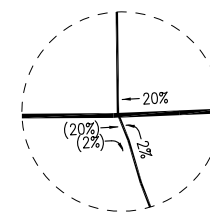
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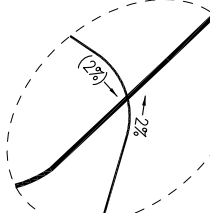
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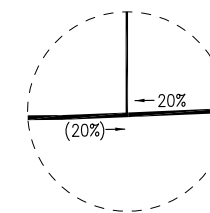
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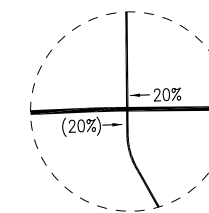
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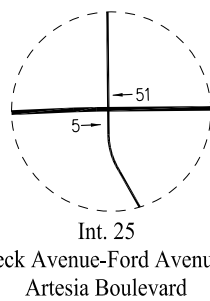
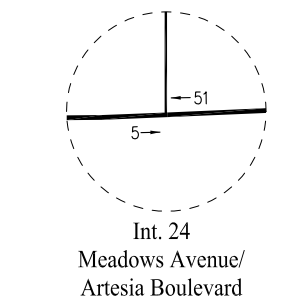
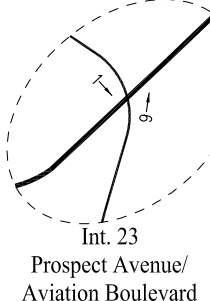
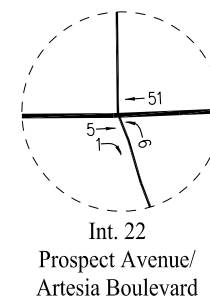
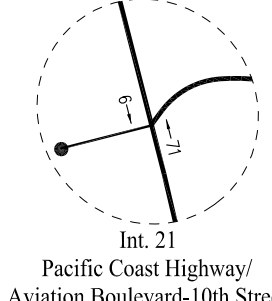
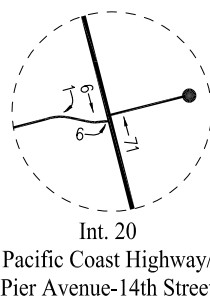
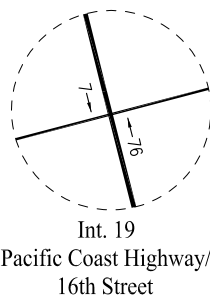
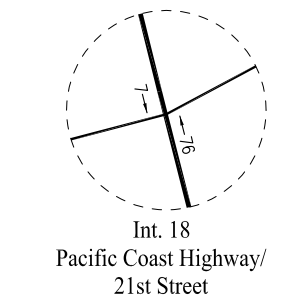
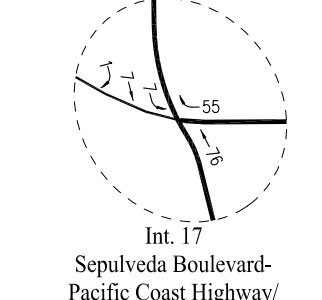
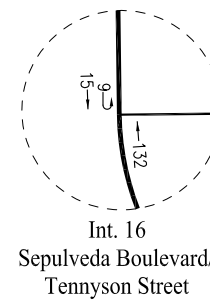
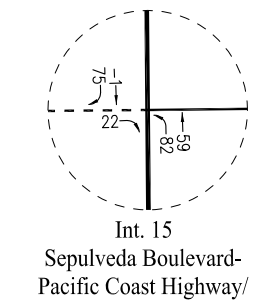
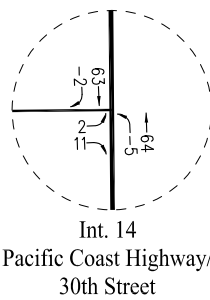
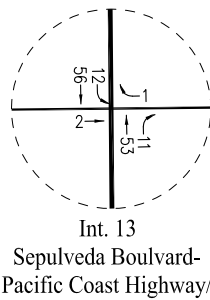
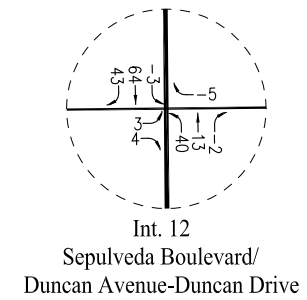
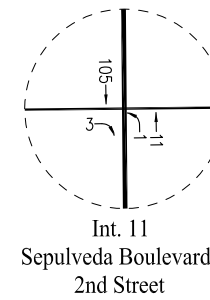
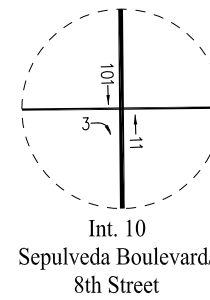
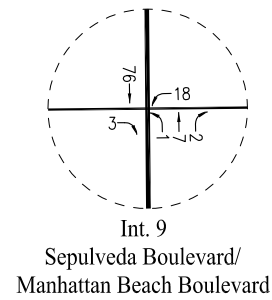
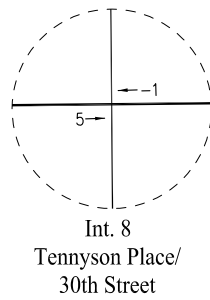
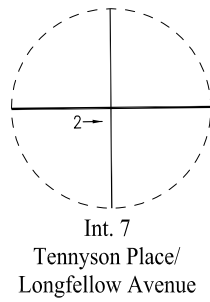
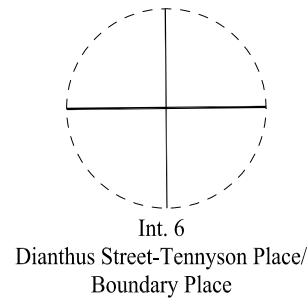
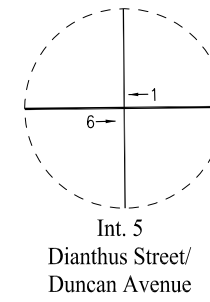
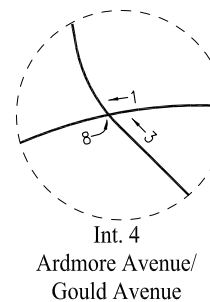
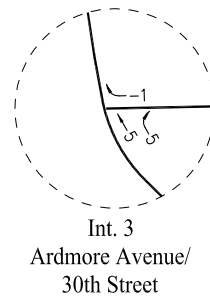
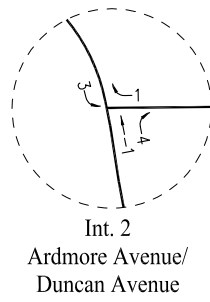
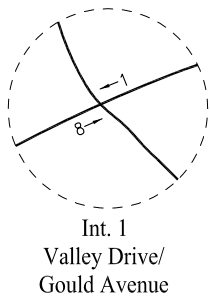
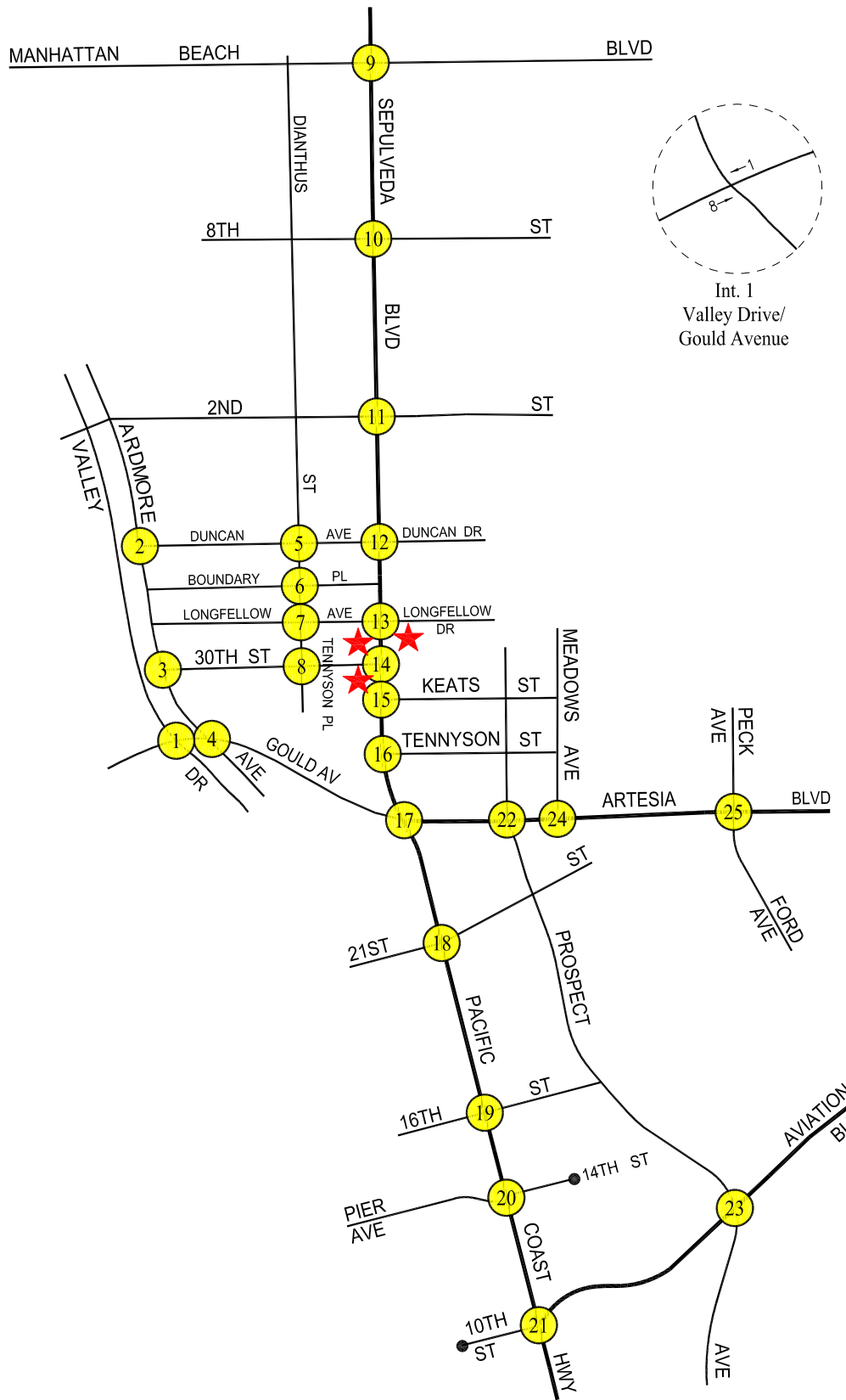
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EXISTING SITE TRIP DISTRIBUTION
 300 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

- Shifts in existing trips due to the reassignment of Skechers' off-site employee parking to the proposed Manhattan Beach project site with the construction of the Hermosa Beach sites;
- Ingress/egress availability at the proposed Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach project sites; and
- The modification of the raised median island on Pacific Coast Highway at Keats Street for a left-turn pocket to allow northbound left-turns into the project site and southbound U-turn movements at the Pacific Coast Highway/Tennyson Street intersection.


The forecast weekday AM and PM peak hour traffic volumes associated with the combined projects are presented in **Figures 7-6** and **7-7**, respectively. The traffic volume assignments presented in **Figures 7-6** and **7-7** reflect the traffic distribution characteristics shown in **Figures 7-1** through **7-5** and the project traffic generation forecasts presented in **Table 7-1**.

The forecast weekday AM and PM peak hour traffic volumes associated with the Hermosa Beach project are presented in **Appendix D (Appendix Figures D1-A and D1-B)**, respectively. The traffic volume assignments presented in these figures reflect the traffic distribution characteristics shown in **Figure 7-1** and the project traffic generation forecasts presented in **Table 7-1**.

The forecast weekday AM and PM peak hour traffic volumes associated with the Manhattan Beach projects are presented in **Appendix D (Appendix Figures D2-A and D2-B)**, respectively. The traffic volume assignments presented in these figures reflect the traffic distribution characteristics shown in **Figure 7-2** through **7-5** and the project traffic generation forecasts presented in **Table 7-1**.



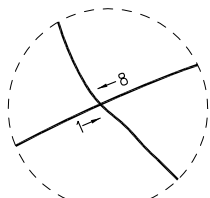
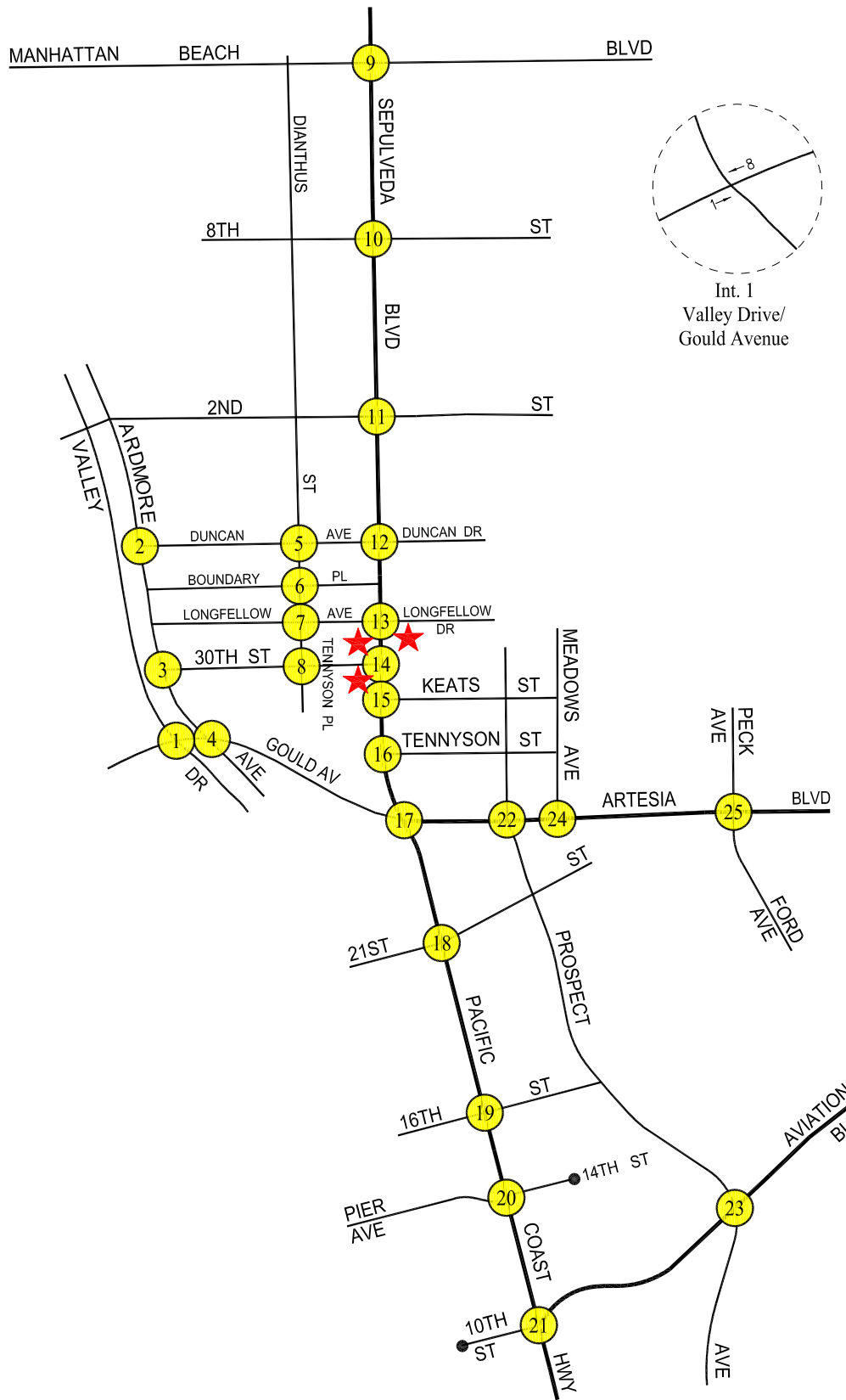
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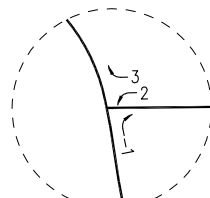
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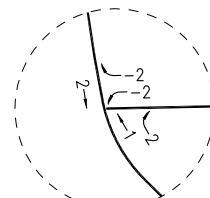
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COMBINED PROJECT TRAFFIC VOLUMES
 WEEKDAY AM PEAK HOUR
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT



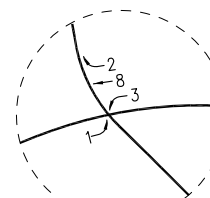
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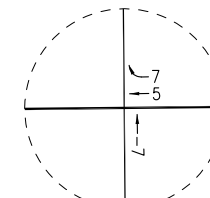
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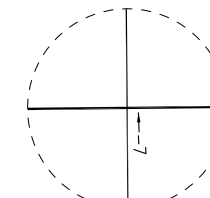
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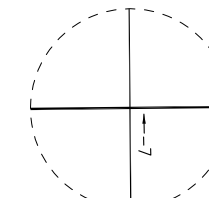
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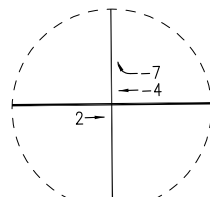
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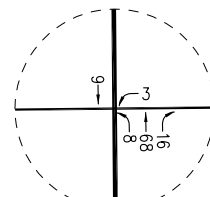
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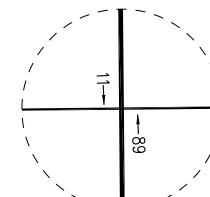
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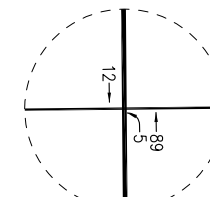
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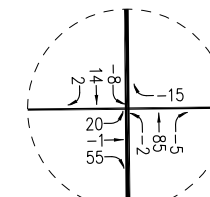
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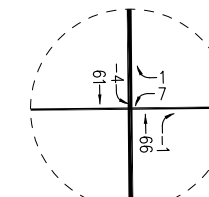
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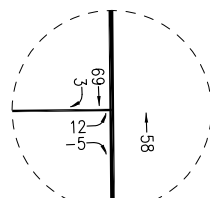
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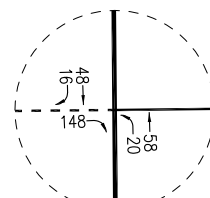
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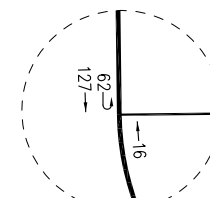
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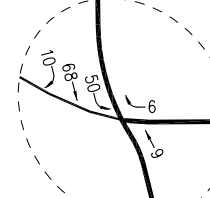
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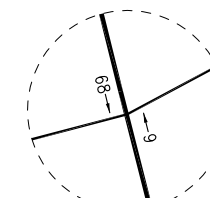
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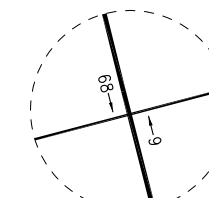
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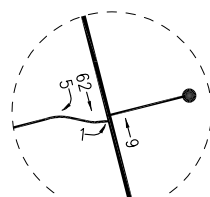
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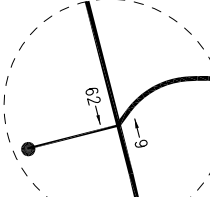
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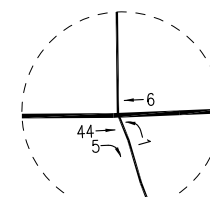
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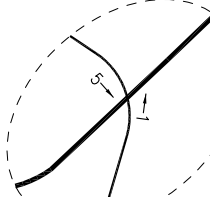
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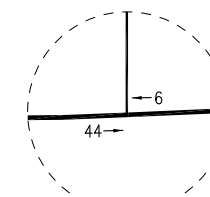
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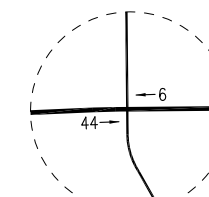
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8.0 TRAFFIC IMPACT ANALYSIS METHODOLOGY

8.1 City of Hermosa Beach Traffic Impact Analysis Methodology

8.1.1 Intersection Capacity Utilization Methods of Analysis

The relative impact of the added project traffic volumes generated by the proposed project during the weekday AM and PM peak hours was evaluated based on analysis of future operating conditions at the key study intersections in the site vicinity, without, then with, the proposed project. In conformance with the City of Hermosa Beach and Los Angeles County Congestion Management Program requirements, existing weekday AM and PM peak hour operating conditions for the key signalized study intersections were evaluated using the Intersection Capacity Utilization (ICU) method. The ICU methodology is intended for signalized intersection analyses and estimates the volume-to-capacity (v/c) relationship for an intersection based on the individual v/c ratios for key conflicting traffic movements.

The ICU numerical value represents the percent signal (green) time, and thus capacity, required by existing and/or future traffic. It should be noted that the ICU methodology assumes uniform traffic distribution per intersection approach lane and optimal signal timing. The ICU value translates to a Level of Service (LOS) estimate, which is a relative measure of the intersection performance. The six qualitative categories of Level of Service have been defined along with the corresponding ICU value range and are shown in **Table 8-1**. A description of the ICU method and corresponding Level of Service is provided in **Appendix E**.

TABLE 8-1
LEVEL OF SERVICE CRITERIA FOR SIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS

Level of Service (LOS)	Intersection Capacity Utilization Value (V/C)	Level of Service Description
A	≤ 0.600	EXCELLENT. No vehicle waits longer than one red light, and no approach phase is fully used.
B	0.601 – 0.700	VERY GOOD. An occasional approach phase is fully utilized; many drivers begin to feel somewhat restricted within groups of vehicles.
C	0.701 – 0.800	GOOD. Occasionally drivers may have to wait through more than one red light; backups may develop behind turning vehicles.
D	0.801 – 0.900	FAIR. Delays may be substantial during portions of the rush hours, but enough lower volume periods occur to permit clearing of developing lines, preventing excessive backups.
E	0.901 – 1.000	POOR. Represents the most vehicles intersection approaches can accommodate; may be long lines of waiting vehicles through several signal cycles.
F	> 1.000	FAILURE. Backups from nearby locations or on cross streets may restrict or prevent movement of vehicles out of the intersection approaches. Potentially very long delays with continuously increasing queue lengths.

Pursuant to Los Angeles County Congestion Management Program requirements, the ICU calculations use a lane capacity of 1,600 vehicles per hour (vph) for left-turn, through, and right-turn lanes, and a dual left-turn capacity of 2,880 vph. Additionally, a clearance adjustment factor of 0.10 was added to each LOS calculation.

The ICU value is the sum of the critical volume to capacity ratios at an intersection; it is not intended to be indicative of the LOS of each of the individual turning movements. According to City of Hermosa Beach criteria, LOS D (V/C ratio = 0.801 to 0.900) is the minimum acceptable condition that should be maintained during the morning and evening peak commute hours.

The *Highway Capacity Manual 2010* (HCM2010) methodology outlined in Chapter 19 for unsignalized/two-way stop-controlled (TWSC) study intersections was utilized for the analysis of the unsignalized intersections. The TWSC methodology estimates the average control delay for each minor-street movement (or shared movement) as well as major-street left-turns and determines the LOS for each constrained movement. It should be noted that LOS is not defined for the overall TWSC intersection because major-street movements with no delays typically result in a weighted average delay that is extremely low. Average control delay for any particular movement is a function of the capacity of the approach and the degree of saturation. The average control delay is measured in seconds per vehicle, and includes delay due to deceleration to a stop at the back of the queue from free-flow speed, move-up time within the queue, stopped delay at the front of the queue, and delay due to acceleration back to free-flow speed. A description of the HCM method and corresponding Level of Service also is provided in *Appendix C*. The six qualitative categories of Level of Service have been defined along with the corresponding HCM2010 control delay value range, as shown in **Table 8-2**.

TABLE 8-2
LEVEL OF SERVICE CRITERIA FOR UNSIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS

Level of Service (LOS)	Highway Capacity Manual Delay Value (sec/veh)	Level of Service Description
A	≤ 10.0	Little or no delay
B	> 10.0 and ≤ 15.0	Short traffic delays
C	> 15.0 and ≤ 25.0	Average traffic delays
D	> 25.0 and ≤ 35.0	Long traffic delays
E	> 35.0 and ≤ 50.0	Very long traffic delays
F	> 50.0	Severe congestion

8.1.2 Impact Criteria and Thresholds

The significance of the potential project impacts at each key intersection was then evaluated using the traffic impact criteria employed in previous analyses for projects in the City of Hermosa Beach. It is noted that all of the study intersections, including those located within the City of Manhattan Beach, were evaluated based on City of Hermosa Beach threshold criteria. Those intersections located within the City of Manhattan Beach jurisdiction, or shared with the City of Hermosa Beach, also were evaluated based on City of Manhattan Beach threshold criteria. A significant transportation impact for signalized intersections is determined based on the sliding scale criteria presented in **Table 8-3**.

TABLE 8-3

CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION IMPACT THRESHOLD CRITERIA

ICU	Level of Service	Project Related Increase in ICU
0.000-0.800	LOS A, B or C	degrades to LOS D, E, or F
> 0.801-0.900	LOS D	equal to or greater than 0.02 or degrades to LOS E or F
> 0.901 or greater	LOS E or F	equal to or greater than 0.05 or degrades from LOS E to F

As indicated in **Table 8-3**, the project-related increase in ICU value for the signalized intersections that defines a significant impact varies with LOS. A significant transportation impact for unsignalized intersections is determined based on the sliding scale criteria presented in **Table 8-4**.

TABLE 8-4

CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH UNSIGNALIZED INTERSECTION IMPACT THRESHOLD CRITERIA

LOS	Final LOS
LOS A, B or C	Change to LOS D, E, or F
LOS D, E, or F	Increase in traffic of 10% or more

8.1.3 Traffic Impact Analysis Scenarios

Pursuant to City of Hermosa Beach and Los Angeles County Congestion Management Program requirements, Level of Service calculations have been prepared for the following scenarios for the study intersections:

- (a) Existing (year 2016) conditions.
- (b) Condition (a) with completion and occupancy of the project.
- (c) Condition (b) with implementation of project mitigation measures where necessary.
- (d) Condition (a) plus one percent (1.0%) annual ambient traffic growth through year 2020 and with completion and occupancy of the related projects (i.e., future year 2020 without project conditions)
- (e) Condition (d) with completion and occupancy of the project (i.e., future year 2020 with project conditions).
- (f) Condition (e) with implementation of project mitigation measures where necessary.

The traffic volumes for each new condition were added to the volumes in the prior condition to determine the change in capacity utilization at the study intersections.

8.1.4 Street Segment Impact Criteria and Thresholds

Based on direction from City of Hermosa Beach staff, Level of Service impact analyses were prepared for study street segment locations in the project study area. The study street segment locations identified for analysis are listed in *Table 4-1* and noted in *Figure 1-1*. Automatic 24-hour machine traffic counts were conducted at the study locations during a mid-week day (i.e., Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday). The average weekday AM and PM peak hour volumes were then calculated based on the automatic 24-hour machine traffic counts. Copies of the 24-hour machine counts are contained in *Appendix B*.

As the City of Hermosa Beach does not have adopted street segment analysis threshold criteria, the significance of the potential impacts of project generated traffic at the study street segments was identified using the two-lane roadway criteria set forth in the *County of Los Angeles Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines* document. According to the County's published traffic impact study guidelines, a transportation impact on a roadway shall be deemed significant based on a percentage increase in passenger cars per hour (PCPH) by the project as shown in *Table 8-5*.

TABLE 8-5
ROADWAY SEGMENT IMPACT THRESHOLD CRITERIA

Two-lane Roadways				
Directional Split	Total Capacity (PCPH)	Percentage Increases in Passenger Cars Per Hour (PCPH) by Project		
		Pre-Project LOS		
		C	D	E/F
50/50	2,800	4	2	1
60/40	2,650	4	2	1
70/30	2,500	4	2	1
80/20	2,300	4	2	1
90/10	2,100	4	2	1
100/0	2,000	4	2	1

Total capacity (PCPH) is based on existing roadway directional split pursuant to the County’s traffic study guidelines. However, please note that the PCPH capacity used in this analysis is one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County’s capacities shown above in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways and on-street parking regulations) in order to provide a conservative analysis.

8.2 City of Manhattan Beach Traffic Impact Analysis Methodology

8.2.1 Intersection Capacity Utilization Methods of Analysis

As noted previously, all of the study intersections, including those located within the City of Manhattan Beach, were evaluated based on City of Hermosa Beach threshold criteria. Those intersections located within the City of Manhattan Beach jurisdiction, or shared with the City of Hermosa Beach, also were evaluated based on City of Manhattan Beach threshold criteria.

The study intersections were evaluated using the ICU method of analysis which determines Volume-to-Capacity ratios on a critical lane basis. The overall intersection *v/c* ratio is subsequently assigned a Level of Service value to describe intersection operations. Level of Service varies from LOS A (free flow) to LOS F (jammed condition). A description of the ICU method and corresponding Level of Service is provided in *Appendix E*.

The weekday AM and PM peak hour operating conditions for the study intersections were evaluated using the ICU methodology for signalized intersections and the methodology outlined in Chapter 19 of the HCM2010 for stop-controlled intersections. This methodology estimates the average control delay for each of the subject movements and determines the level of service for each constrained movement. Average control delay for any particular movement is a function of the capacity of the approach and the degree of saturation. The overall average control delay is measured in seconds per

vehicle. A description of the HCM method and corresponding Level of Service also is provided in *Appendix E*.

8.2.2 *Impact Criteria and Thresholds*

The relative impact of the added project traffic volumes generated by the proposed project during the weekday AM and PM peak hours was evaluated based on analysis of future operating conditions at the study intersections, without, then with, the proposed project. The significance of the potential project impacts at each key intersection was then evaluated using the traffic impact criteria employed in previous analyses for projects in the City of Manhattan Beach. Pursuant to City of Manhattan Beach policy, the significance of the potential impacts of project generated traffic at each study intersection was identified using criteria consistent with the *2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County*, County of Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority, July 2010. A significant transportation impact is determined based on a change in the calculated v/c ratio of two percent (0.02) or more due to project-related traffic for an intersection operating at LOS F or worse ($v/c > 1.00$).

8.2.3 *Traffic Impact Analysis Scenarios*

Pursuant to City of Manhattan Beach and Los Angeles County Congestion Management Program requirements, Levels of Service calculations have been prepared for the following scenarios for the study intersections:

- (a) Existing (year 2016) conditions.
- (b) Condition (a) with completion and occupancy of the project.
- (c) Condition (b) with implementation of project mitigation measures where necessary.
- (d) Condition (a) plus one percent (1.0%) annual ambient traffic growth through year 2020 and with completion and occupancy of the related projects (i.e., future year 2020 without project conditions)
- (e) Condition (d) with completion and occupancy of the project (i.e., future year 2020 with project conditions).
- (f) Condition (e) with implementation of project mitigation measures where necessary.

The traffic volumes for each new condition were added to the volumes in the prior condition to determine the change in capacity utilization at the study intersections.

Table 9-1
CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
COMBINED PROJECT

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]			[3]		[4]				
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
1	Valley Drive/ Gould Avenue [a]	AM PM	18.4 26.1	C D	18.7 27.3	C D	0.3 1.2	No No	25.3 45.7	D E	26.1 46.8	D E	0.8 1.1	No No
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	11.7 10.1	B B	0.1 0.0	No No	12.6 10.6	B B	12.6 10.6	B B	0.0 0.0	No No
3	Ardmore Avenue/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	10.8 10.1	B B	10.9 10.2	B B	0.1 0.1	No No	11.3 10.6	B B	11.5 10.6	B B	0.2 0.0	No No
4	Ardmore Avenue/ Gould Ave [a]	AM PM	39.5 39.6	E E	42.3 39.7	E E	2.8 0.1	No No	47.2 45.7	E E	48.2 45.8	E E	1.0 0.1	No No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
7	Tennyson Place/ Longfellow Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
8	Tennyson Place/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.041 1.061	F F	0.001 0.008	No No	1.119 1.161	F F	1.121 1.170	F F	0.002 0.009	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.823 0.702	D C	0.002 0.002	No No	0.895 0.814	D D	0.897 0.816	D D	0.002 0.002	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.870 0.718	D C	0.002 0.006	No No	0.942 0.786	E C	0.945 0.792	E C	0.003 0.006	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	No No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.836 0.685	D B	0.022 0.017	Yes No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.897 0.760	D C	0.022 0.017	Yes No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	23.5 >50.0	C F	4.4 [e]	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	31.4 >50.0	D F	8.0 [e]	Yes No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	No Yes	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	No Yes
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[e] 0.0	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	No No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.057 0.785	F C	0.051 0.016	Yes No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.149 0.904	F E	0.051 0.017	Yes Yes
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	AM PM	0.813 0.662	D B	0.829 0.676	D B	0.016 0.014	No No	0.880 0.755	D C	0.896 0.769	D C	0.016 0.014	No No
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	AM PM	0.676 0.672	B B	0.692 0.686	B B	0.016 0.014	No No	0.730 0.751	C C	0.746 0.766	C C	0.016 0.014	No No
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	AM PM	0.658 0.707	B C	0.675 0.722	B C	0.017 0.015	No No	0.713 0.802	C D	0.729 0.816	C D	0.016 0.014	No No

Table 9-1 (Continued)
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 COMBINED PROJECT

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]				[3]		[4]		[4]	
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	AM	0.912	E	0.927	E	0.015	No	0.984	E	0.999	E	0.015	No
		PM	0.834	D	0.834	D	0.000	No	0.904	E	0.904	E	0.000	No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.699	B	0.718	C	0.019	No	0.773	C	0.793	C	0.020	No
		PM	0.743	C	0.759	C	0.016	No	0.868	D	0.884	D	0.016	No
23	Prospect Avenue/ Aviation Boulevard	AM	0.695	B	0.695	B	0.000	No	0.726	C	0.726	C	0.000	No
		PM	0.758	C	0.761	C	0.003	No	0.801	D	0.804	D	0.003	No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.690	B	0.706	C	0.016	No	0.759	C	0.775	C	0.016	No
		PM	0.620	B	0.634	B	0.014	No	0.719	C	0.733	C	0.014	No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.813	D	0.829	D	0.016	No	0.903	E	0.919	E	0.016	No
		PM	0.600	A	0.614	B	0.014	No	0.726	C	0.740	C	0.014	No

- [a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
- [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
- [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
- [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
- [e] Oversaturated conditions.

Table 9-2
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]			[3]			[4]			
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
1	Valley Drive/ Gould Avenue [a]	AM PM	18.4 26.1	C D	18.6 27.1	C D	0.2 1.0	No No	25.3 45.7	D E	25.8 46.4	D E	0.5 0.7	No No
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	11.7 10.1	B B	0.1 0.0	No No	12.6 10.6	B B	12.6 10.6	B B	0.0 0.0	No No
3	Ardmore Avenue/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	10.8 10.1	B B	10.9 10.2	B B	0.1 0.1	No No	11.3 10.6	B B	11.4 10.7	B B	0.1 0.1	No No
4	Ardmore Avenue/ Gould Ave [a]	AM PM	39.5 39.6	E E	41.3 39.6	E E	1.8 0.0	No No	47.2 45.7	E E	47.8 45.8	E E	0.6 0.1	No No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
7	Tennyson Place/ Longfellow Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
8	Tennyson Place/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.042 1.060	F F	0.002 0.007	No No	1.119 1.161	F F	1.121 1.168	F F	0.002 0.007	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.823 0.703	D C	0.002 0.003	No No	0.895 0.814	D D	0.897 0.817	D D	0.002 0.003	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.870 0.717	D C	0.002 0.005	No No	0.942 0.786	E C	0.944 0.791	E C	0.002 0.005	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.816 0.671	D B	0.002 0.003	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.878 0.746	D C	0.003 0.003	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	24.6 >50.0	C F	5.5 [e]	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	33.9 >50.0	D F	10.5 [e]	Yes No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	No Yes	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No Yes
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[e] 0.0	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	No No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.043 0.782	F C	0.037 0.013	No No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.135 0.900	F D	0.037 0.013	No No
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	AM PM	0.813 0.662	D B	0.824 0.673	D B	0.011 0.011	No No	0.880 0.755	D C	0.891 0.766	D C	0.011 0.011	No No
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	AM PM	0.676 0.672	B B	0.688 0.683	B B	0.011 0.011	No No	0.730 0.751	C C	0.741 0.762	C C	0.011 0.011	No No
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	AM PM	0.658 0.707	B C	0.670 0.718	B C	0.012 0.011	No No	0.713 0.802	C D	0.725 0.813	C D	0.012 0.011	No No

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 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]				[3]		[4]			
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	AM PM	0.912 0.834	E D	0.923 0.834	E D	0.011 0.000	No No	0.984 0.904	E E	0.995 0.904	E E	0.011 0.000	No No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.699 0.743	B C	0.713 0.755	C C	0.014 0.012	No No	0.773 0.868	C D	0.787 0.880	C D	0.014 0.012	No No
23	Prospect Avenue/ Aviation Boulevard	AM PM	0.695 0.758	B C	0.695 0.760	B C	0.000 0.002	No No	0.726 0.801	C D	0.726 0.803	C D	0.000 0.002	No No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.690 0.620	B B	0.702 0.631	C B	0.012 0.011	No No	0.759 0.719	C C	0.771 0.730	C C	0.012 0.011	No No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.813 0.600	D A	0.824 0.611	D B	0.011 0.011	No No	0.903 0.726	E C	0.914 0.737	E C	0.011 0.011	No No

- [a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
- [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
- [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
- [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
- [e] Oversaturated conditions.
- [f] While this improvement is expected to reduce the project's traffic impacts to less than significant levels, due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's significant traffic impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable (until such time as the improvement is completed).

Table 9-3
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECTS ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]			[3]		[4]				
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
1	Valley Drive/ Gould Avenue [a]	AM PM	18.4 26.1	C D	18.5 26.9	C D	0.1 0.8	No No	25.3 45.7	D E	25.5 46.1	D E	0.2 0.4	No No
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	11.7 10.1	B B	0.1 0.0	No No	12.6 10.6	B B	12.7 10.6	B B	0.1 0.0	No No
3	Ardmore Avenue/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	10.8 10.1	B B	10.8 10.1	B B	0.0 0.0	No No	11.3 10.6	B B	11.4 10.6	B B	0.1 0.0	No No
4	Ardmore Avenue/ Gould Ave [a]	AM PM	39.5 39.6	E E	40.5 39.6	E E	1.0 0.0	No No	47.2 45.7	E E	47.5 45.7	E E	0.3 0.0	No No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
7	Tennyson Place/ Longfellow Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
8	Tennyson Place/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.039 1.054	F F	-0.001 0.001	No No	1.119 1.161	F F	1.119 1.163	F F	0.000 0.002	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.821 0.699	D B	0.000 -0.001	No No	0.895 0.814	D D	0.895 0.813	D D	0.000 -0.001	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.868 0.712	D C	0.000 0.000	No No	0.942 0.786	E C	0.943 0.786	E C	0.001 0.000	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.833 0.682	D B	0.019 0.014	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.894 0.756	D C	0.019 0.013	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	[e] 0.0	No No	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 24.7	F C	[e] 0.0	No No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[e] 0.0	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	No No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.020 0.773	F C	0.014 0.004	No No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.112 0.891	F D	0.014 0.004	No No
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	AM PM	0.813 0.662	D B	0.817 0.665	D B	0.004 0.003	No No	0.880 0.755	D C	0.884 0.758	D C	0.004 0.003	No No
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	AM PM	0.676 0.672	B B	0.681 0.675	B B	0.004 0.003	No No	0.730 0.751	C C	0.734 0.755	C C	0.004 0.003	No No
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	AM PM	0.658 0.707	B C	0.663 0.711	B C	0.005 0.004	No No	0.713 0.802	C D	0.717 0.805	C D	0.004 0.003	No No

Table 9-3 (Continued)
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
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NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]				[3]		[4]			
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	AM PM	0.912 0.834	E D	0.916 0.834	E D	0.004 0.000	No No	0.984 0.904	E E	0.989 0.904	E E	0.005 0.000	No No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.699 0.743	B C	0.705 0.747	C C	0.006 0.004	No No	0.773 0.868	C D	0.779 0.872	C D	0.006 0.004	No No
23	Prospect Avenue/ Aviation Boulevard	AM PM	0.695 0.758	B C	0.695 0.759	B C	0.000 0.001	No No	0.726 0.801	C D	0.726 0.802	C D	0.000 0.001	No No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.690 0.620	B B	0.695 0.623	B B	0.005 0.003	No No	0.759 0.719	C C	0.764 0.723	C C	0.005 0.004	No No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.813 0.600	D A	0.818 0.603	D B	0.005 0.003	No No	0.903 0.726	E C	0.908 0.729	E C	0.005 0.003	No No

[a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
 [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
 [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
 [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
 [e] Oversaturated conditions.

The existing traffic volumes at the study intersections during the weekday AM and PM peak hours are displayed in *Figures 5-1* and *5-2*, respectively.

9.1.2 Existing With Combined Project Conditions

As shown in column [2] of *Table 9-1*, application of the City of Hermosa Beach's threshold criteria to the Existing With Combined Project scenario indicates that the combined project (i.e., the Hermosa Beach project and Manhattan Beach projects) is expected to result in a significant impact at three of the study intersections. The combined project is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Existing With Combined Project conditions:

- Int. No. 13: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Longfellow Avenue-Drive
AM peak hour v/c increase of 0.022 [to 0.836 (LOS D) from 0.814 (LOS D)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 19.7 seconds (LOS C)]
- Int. No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard
AM peak hour v/c increase of 0.051 [to 1.057 (LOS F) from 1.006 (LOS F)]

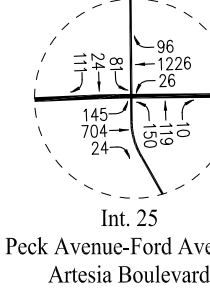
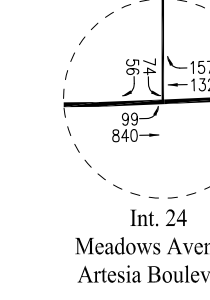
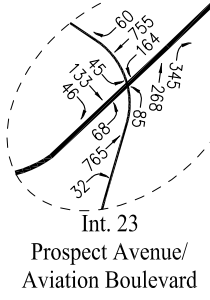
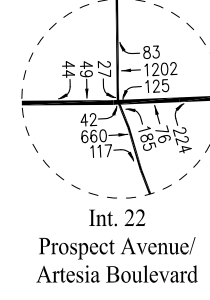
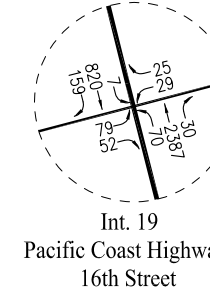
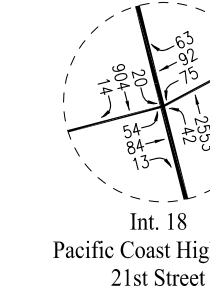
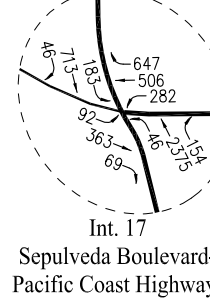
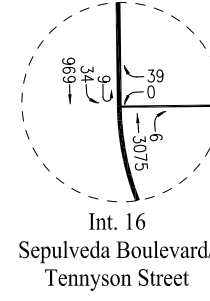
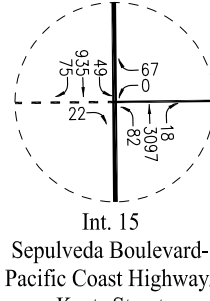
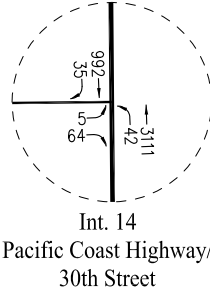
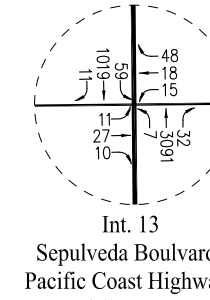
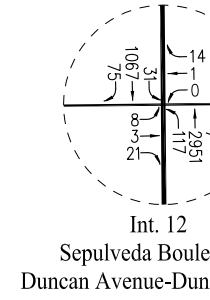
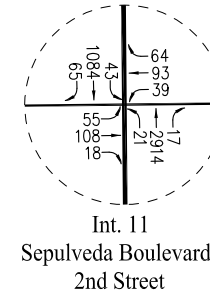
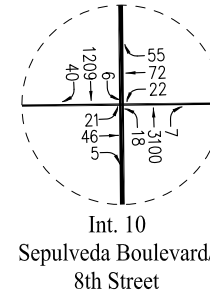
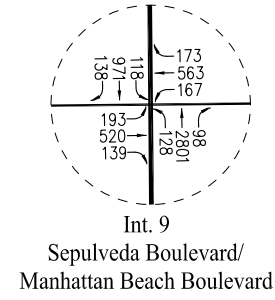
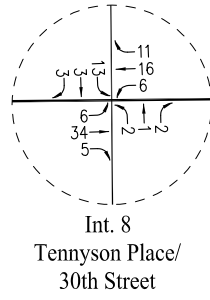
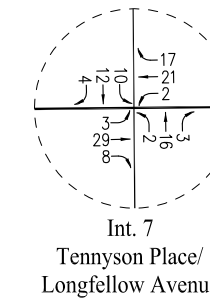
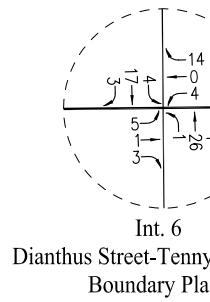
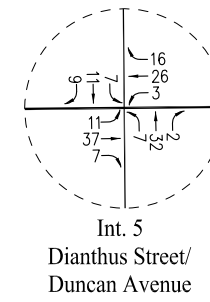
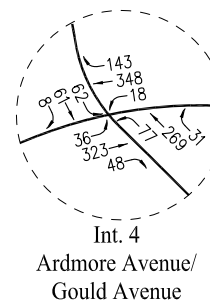
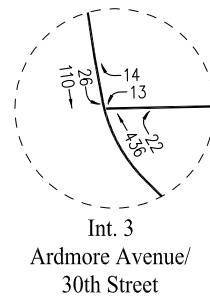
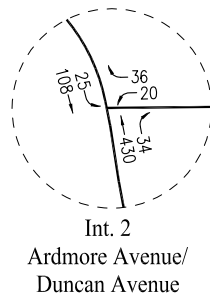
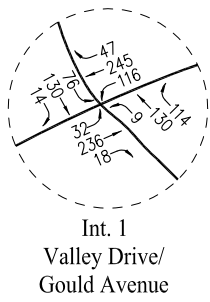
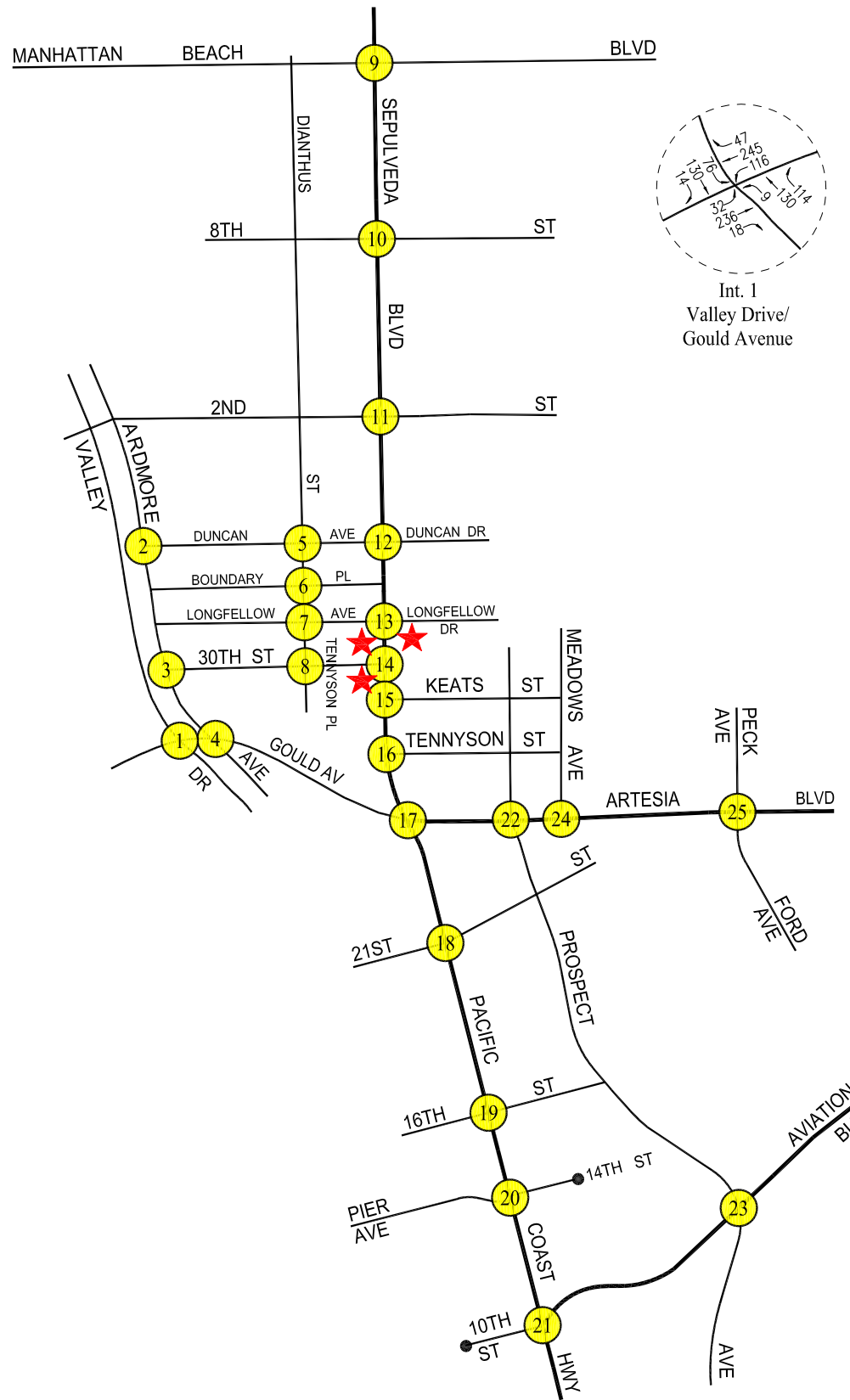
As indicated in *Table 9-1*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the combined project are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria. The existing with combined project traffic volumes at the study intersections during the weekday AM and PM peak hours are illustrated in *Figures 9-1* and *9-2*, respectively.

9.1.3 Existing With Hermosa Beach Project Only Conditions

As shown in column [2] of *Table 9-2*, application of the City of Hermosa Beach's threshold criteria to the Existing With Hermosa Beach Project Only scenario indicates that the Hermosa Beach project only is expected to result in a significant impact at one of the study intersections. The Hermosa Beach project only is expected to significantly impact the following location according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hour shown below under Existing With Hermosa Beach Project Only conditions:

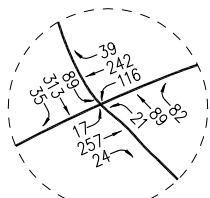
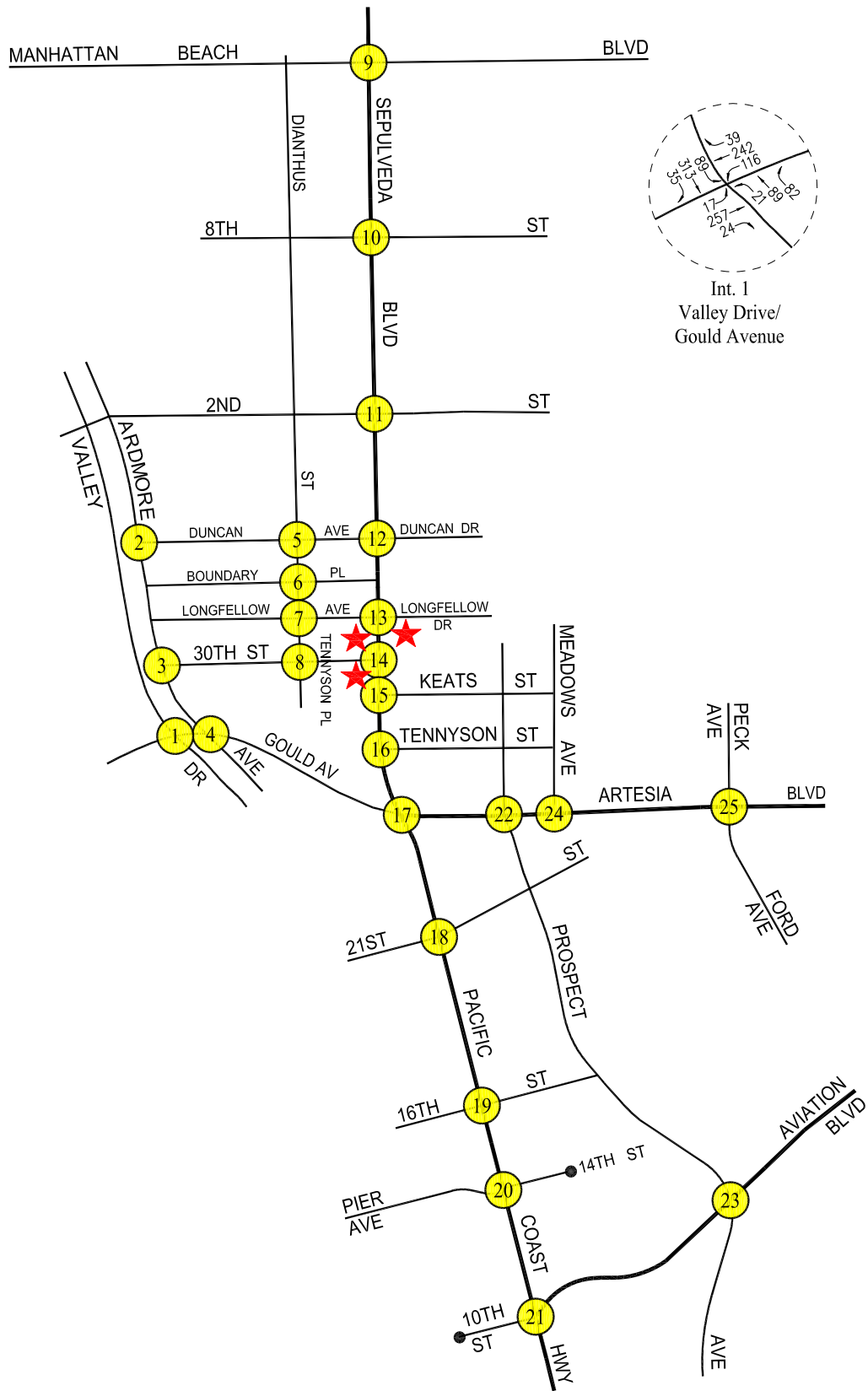
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 18.2 seconds (LOS C)]

As indicated in *Table 9-2*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the Hermosa Beach project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria.

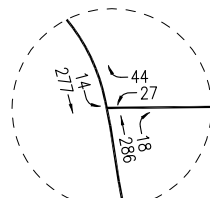


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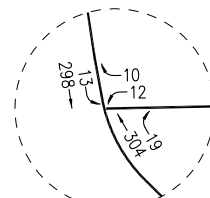
FIGURE 9-1
EXISTING WITH COMBINED PROJECT TRAFFIC VOLUMES
 WEEKDAY AM PEAK HOUR
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT



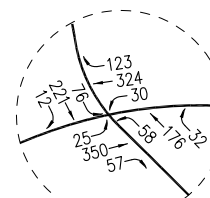
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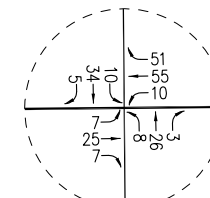
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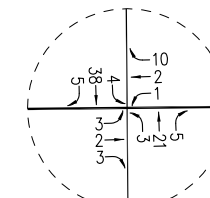
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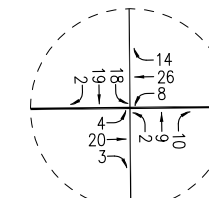
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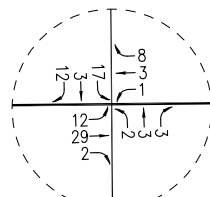
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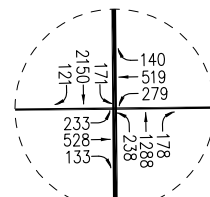
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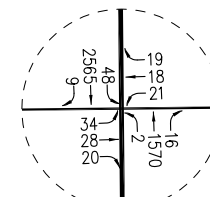
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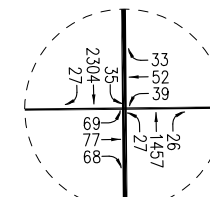
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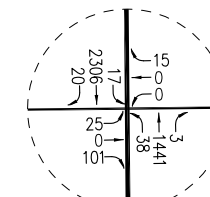
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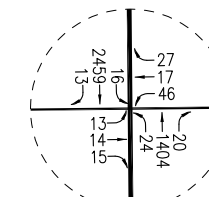
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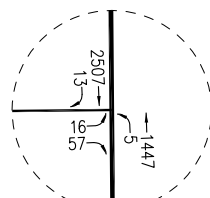
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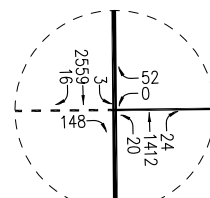
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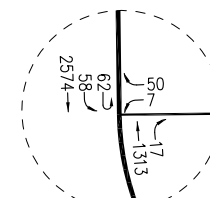
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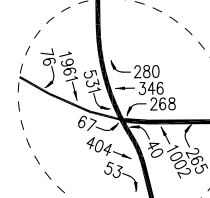
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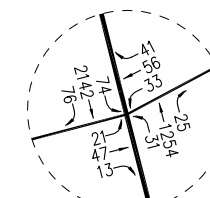
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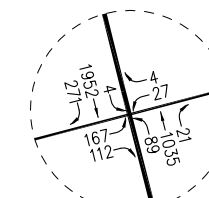
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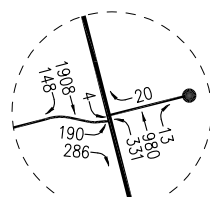
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Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard



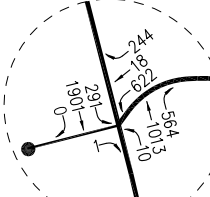
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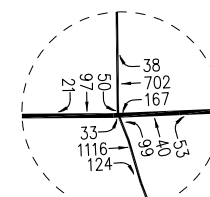
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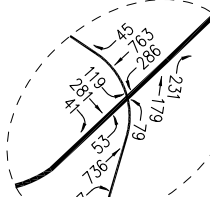
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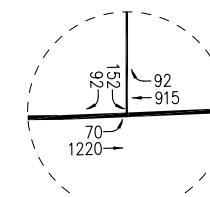
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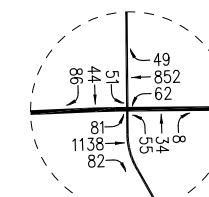
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Meadows Avenue/
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Table 9-3-1
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]		[3]		[4]			
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY [b]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING LOS [b]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)] [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY [b]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)] [c]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [e]		
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [a]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	No	>50.0	F	0.0	No
		PM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	[d]	No	>50.0	F	[d]	No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM	0.814	D	0.822	D	0.008	No	0.875	D	0.008	No
		PM	0.668	B	0.677	B	0.009	No	0.743	C	0.009	No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [a]	AM	19.1	C	19.1	C	0.0	No	23.4	C	0.0	No
		PM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	No	>50.0	F	0.0	No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [a]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	[d]	No	>50.0	F	0.0	No
		PM	19.7	C	19.7	C	0.0	No	24.7	C	0.0	No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Temnyson Street [a]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	[d]	No	>50.0	F	[d]	No
		PM	34.3	D	34.3	D	0.0	No	>50.0	F	[d]	No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM	1.006	F	1.015	F	0.009	No	1.098	F	0.009	No
		PM	0.769	C	0.771	C	0.002	No	0.887	D	0.003	No

[a] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
 [b] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
 [c] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
 [d] Oversaturated conditions.

Table 9-3-2
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 330 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD EXPANSION PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]		[3]		[4]			
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY [b]	LOS [b]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY [b]	LOS [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)] [c]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY [b]	LOS [b]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY [b]	LOS [b]
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [a]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.826 0.672	D B	0.012 0.004	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.012 0.004	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 [d]	No No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [a]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	0.0 0.0	No No	>50.0 24.7	F C	0.0 0.0	No No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Temnyson Street [a]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] 0.0	No No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.012 0.770	F C	0.006 0.001	No No	1.098 0.887	F D	0.006 0.001	No No

[a] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
 [b] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
 [c] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
 [d] Oversaturated conditions.

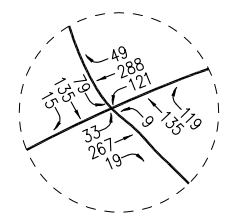
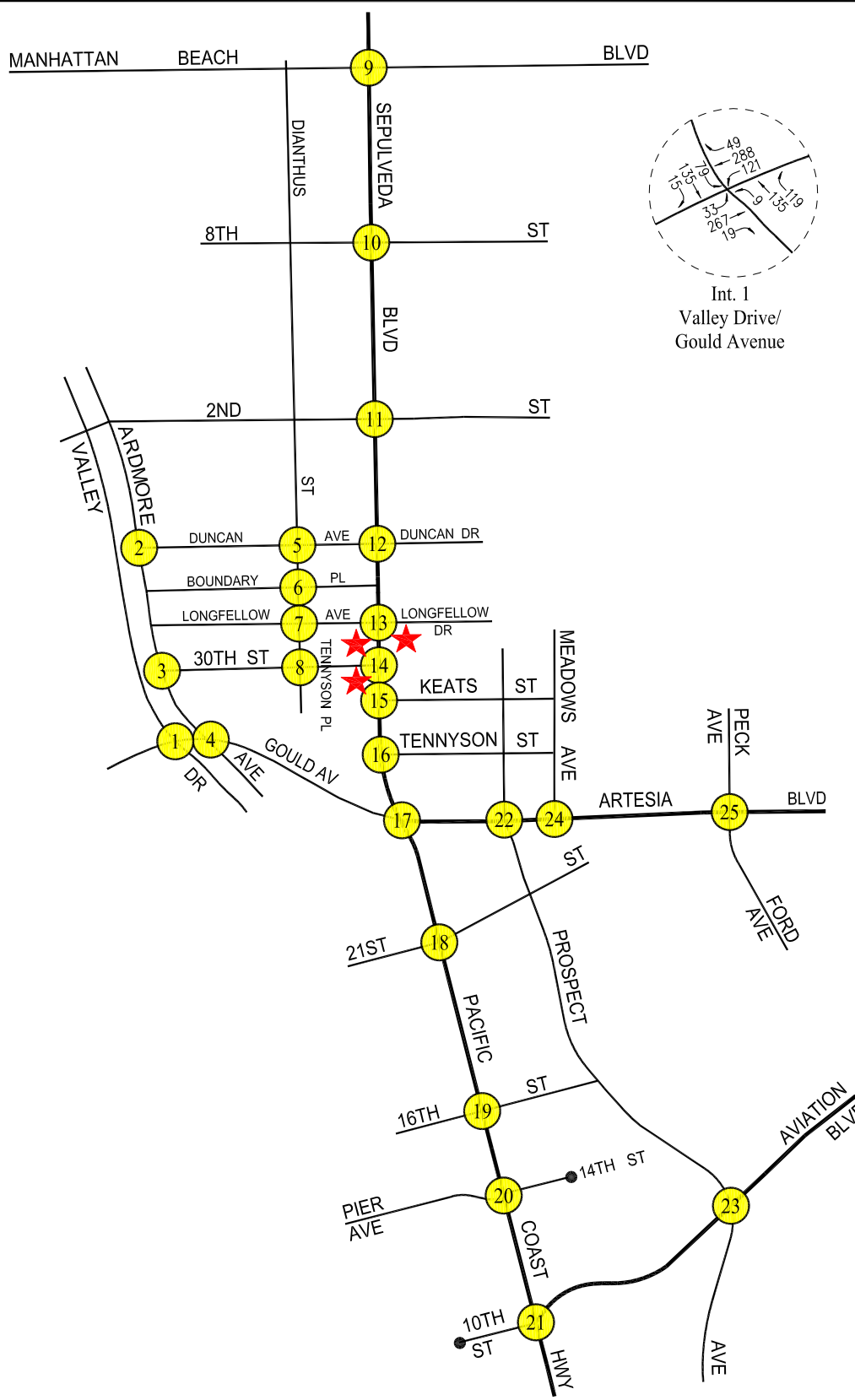
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- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Blvd.-PCH/Keats Street AM Peak Hour: *Delay* = >50.0, LOS F
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Blvd./Tennyson Street AM Peak Hour: *Delay* = >50.0, LOS F
PM Peak Hour: *Delay* = >50.0, LOS F
- Int. No. 17: PCH/Gould Ave.-Artesia Blvd. AM Peak Hour: *v/c* = 1.098, LOS F
- Int. No. 21: PCH/Aviation Boulevard-10th Street AM Peak Hour: *v/c* = 0.984, LOS E
PM Peak Hour: *v/c* = 0.904, LOS E
- Int. No. 25: Peck Ave.-Ford Ave./Artesia Blvd. AM Peak Hour: *v/c* = 0.903, LOS E

The future year 2020 without project (existing, ambient growth and related projects) traffic volumes at the study intersections during the weekday AM and PM peak hours are presented in **Figures 9-3** and **9-4**, respectively.

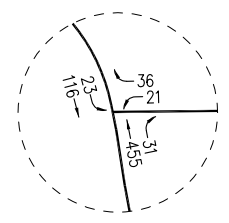
9.2.2 Future With Combined Project Conditions

As shown in column [4] of *Table 9-1*, application of the City of Hermosa Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With Combined Project scenario indicates that the combined project (i.e., the Hermosa Beach project and Manhattan Beach projects) is expected to result in a significant impact at four of the study intersections. The combined project is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Future With Combined Project conditions:

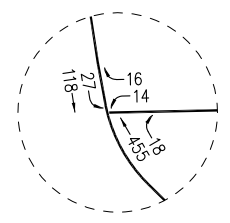
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- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to 31.4 seconds (LOS D) from 23.4 seconds (LOS C)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 24.7 seconds (LOS C)]
- Int. No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard
AM peak hour *v/c* increase of 0.051 [to 1.149 (LOS F) from 1.098 (LOS F)]
PM peak hour *v/c* increase of 0.017 [to 0.904 (LOS E) from 0.887 (LOS D)]



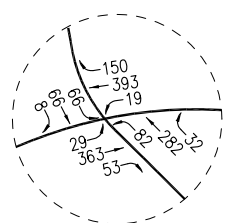
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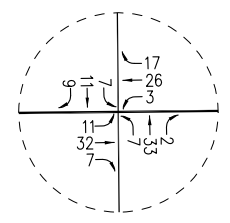
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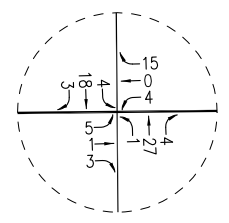
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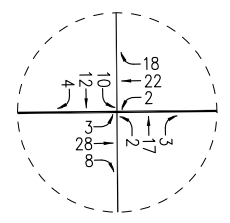
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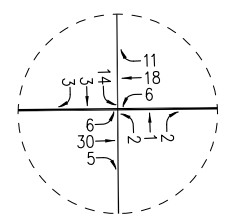
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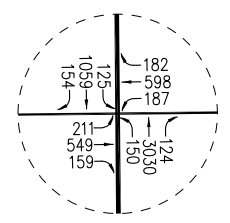
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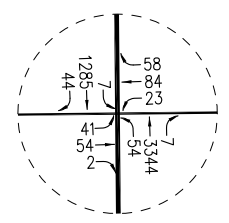
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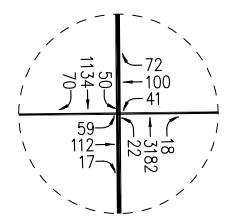
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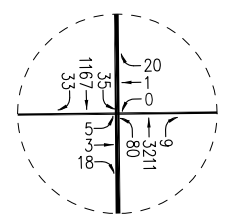
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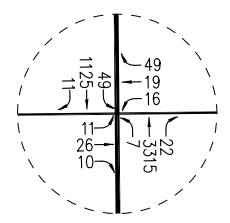
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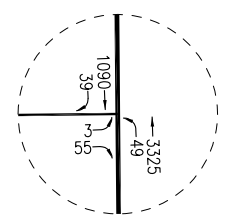
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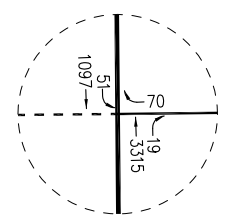
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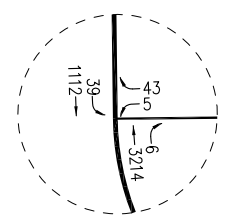
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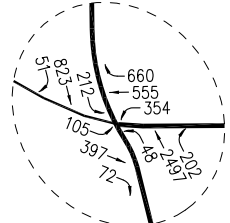
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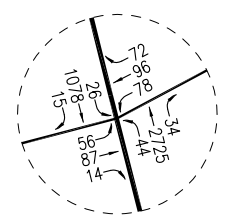
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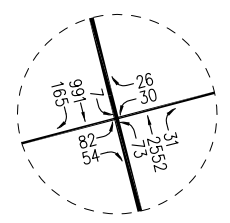
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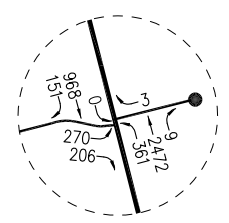
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Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard



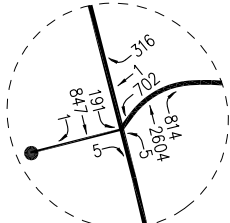
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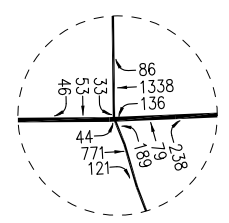
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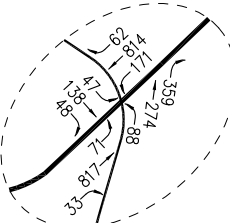
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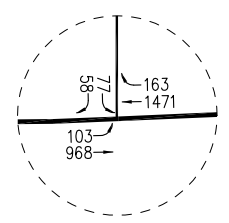
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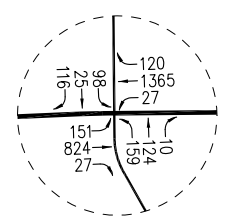
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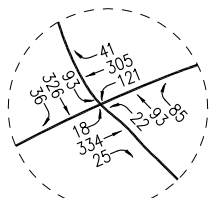
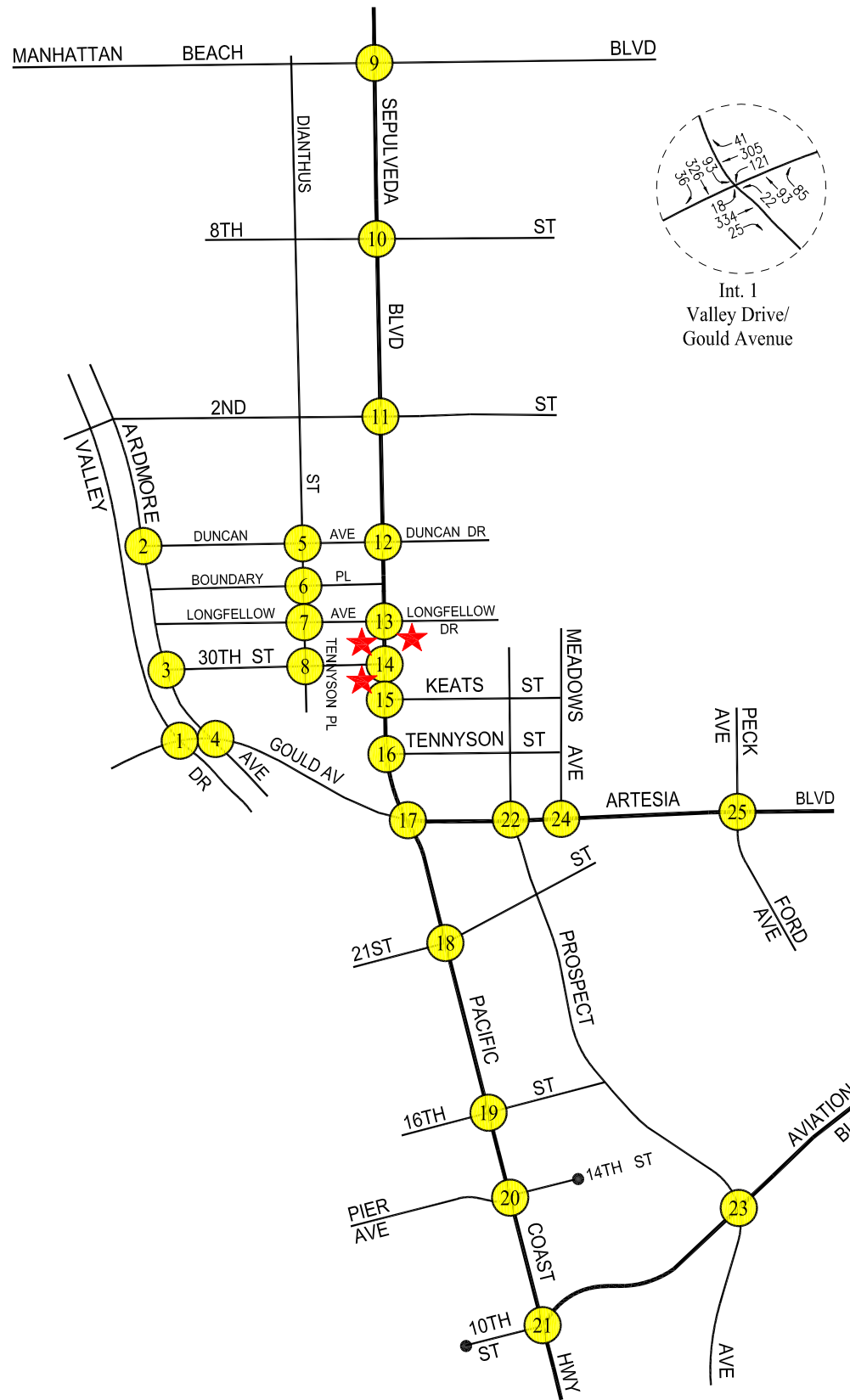
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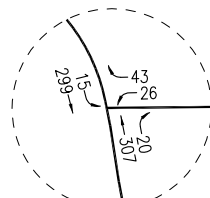
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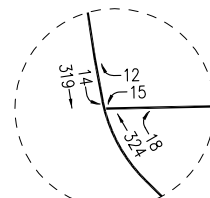
FIGURE 9-3
FUTURE WITHOUT PROJECT TRAFFIC VOLUMES
 WEEKDAY AM PEAK HOUR
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT



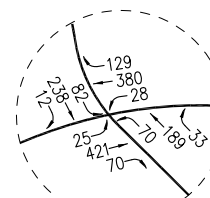
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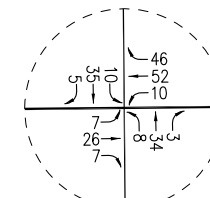
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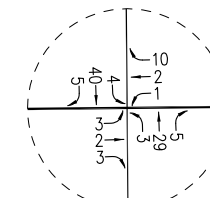
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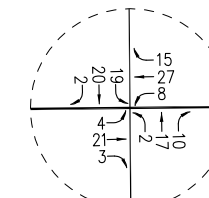
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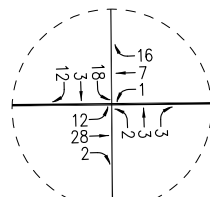
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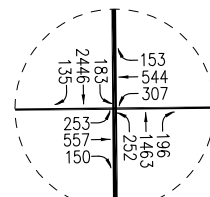
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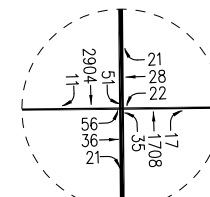
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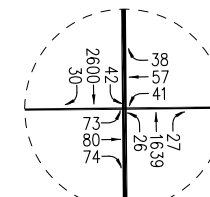
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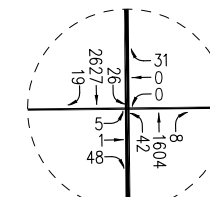
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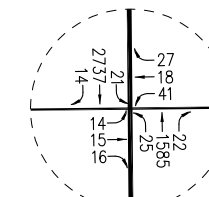
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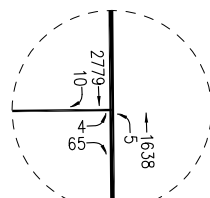
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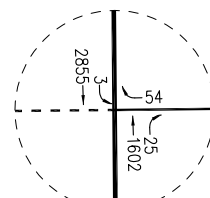
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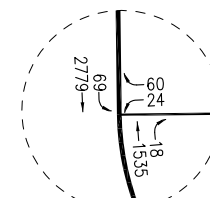
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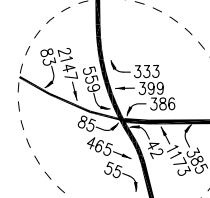
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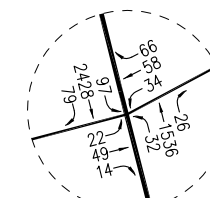
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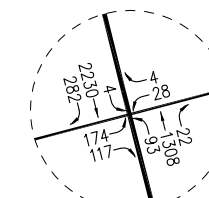
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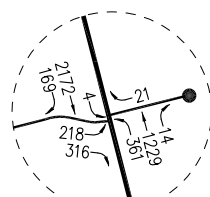
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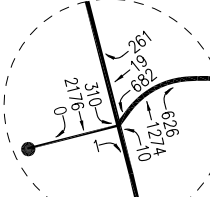
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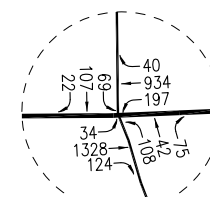
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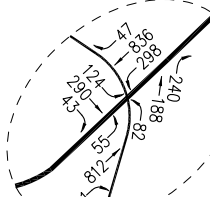
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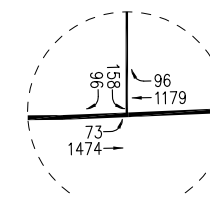
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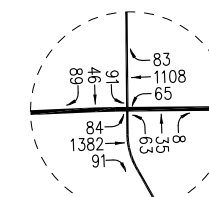
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LINSCOTT, LAW & GREENSPAN, engineers

FIGURE 9-4
FUTURE WITHOUT PROJECT TRAFFIC VOLUMES
WEEKDAY PM PEAK HOUR
SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

As indicated in *Table 9-1*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the combined project are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria. The future year 2020 with project (existing, ambient growth, related projects and project) traffic volumes at the study intersections during the weekday AM and PM peak hours are illustrated in *Figures 9-5* and *9-6*, respectively.

9.2.3 *Future With Hermosa Beach Project Only Conditions*

As shown in column [4] of *Table 9-2*, application of the City of Hermosa Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With Hermosa Beach Project Only scenario indicates that the Hermosa Beach project only is expected to result in a significant impact at two of the study intersections. The Hermosa Beach project only is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Future With Hermosa Beach Project Only conditions:

- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to 33.9 seconds (LOS D) from 23.4 seconds (LOS C)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 21.8 seconds (LOS C)]

As indicated in *Table 9-2*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the Hermosa Beach project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Hermosa Beach's impact criteria.

9.2.4 *Future With Manhattan Beach Projects Only Conditions*

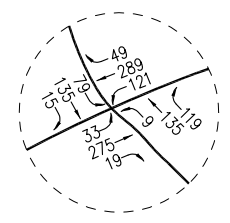
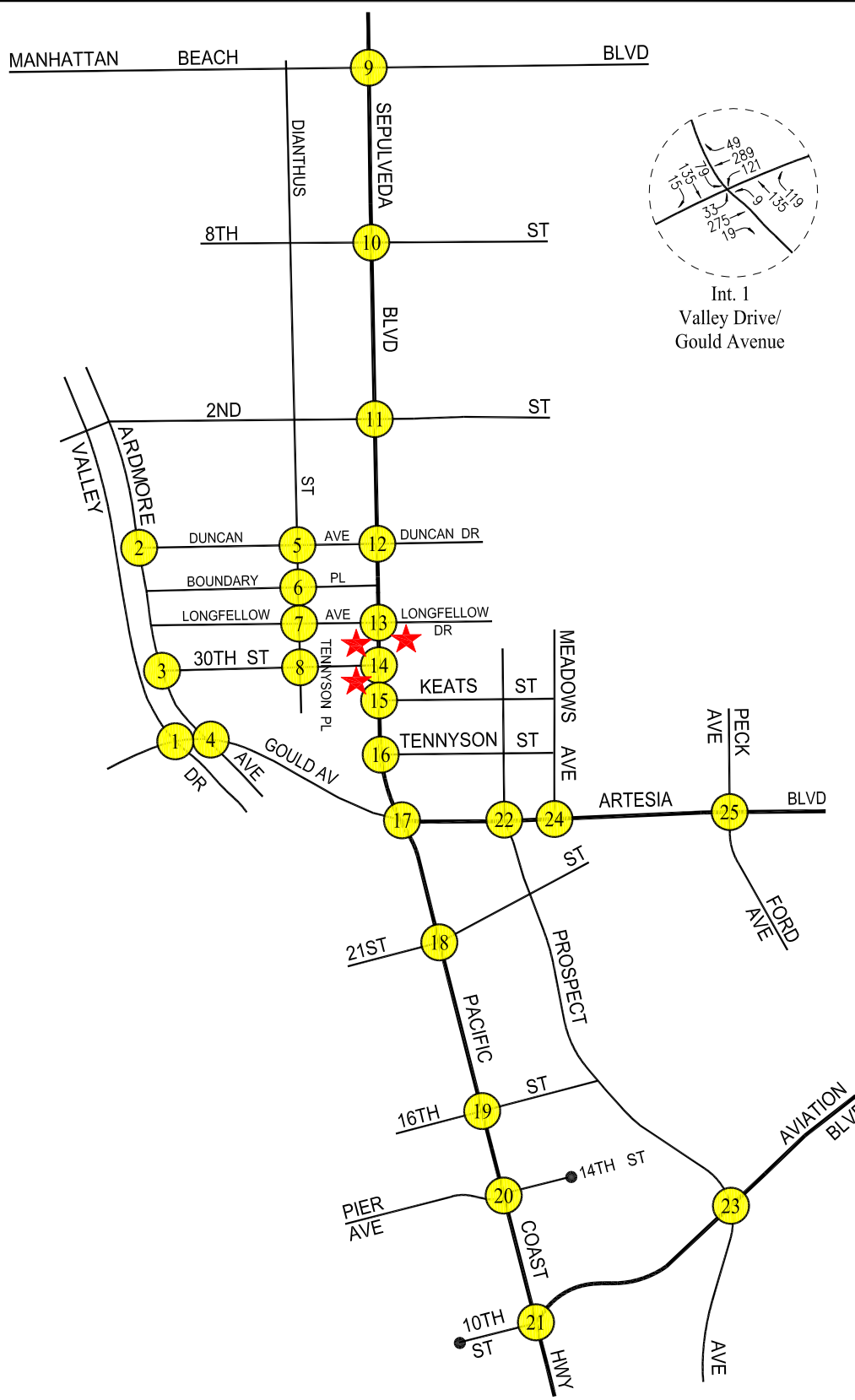
As shown in column [4] of *Table 9-3*, application of the City of Hermosa Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With Manhattan Beach Projects Only scenario indicates that the Manhattan Beach projects only are not expected to create a significant impact at any of the study intersections.

9.2.5 *Future With 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Project Only Conditions*

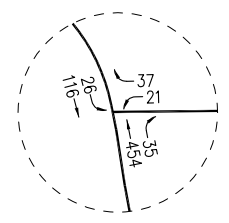
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9.2.6 *Future With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only Conditions*

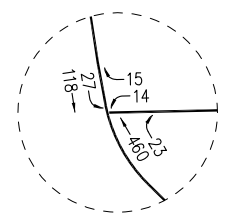
As shown in column [4] of *Table 9-3-2*, application of the City of Hermosa Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only scenario indicates that this project is not expected to create a significant impact at any of the study intersections.



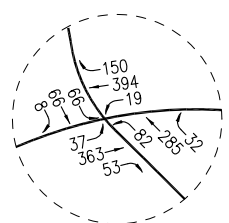
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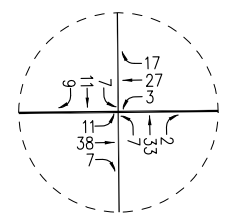
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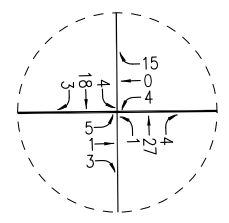
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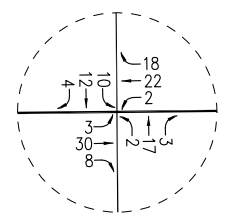
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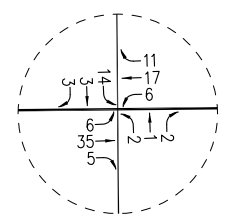
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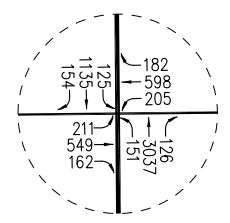
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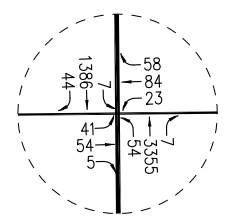
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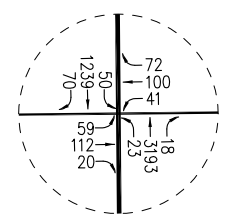
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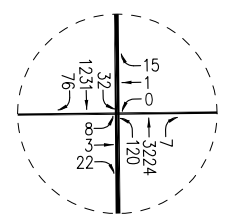
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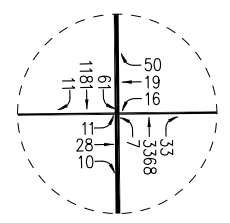
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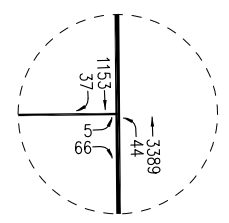
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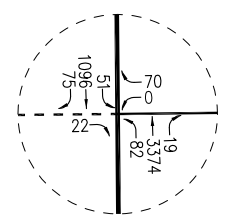
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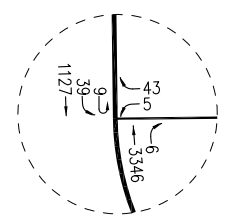
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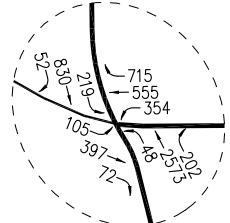
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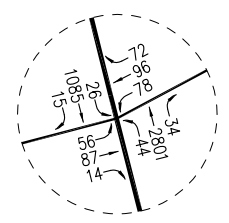
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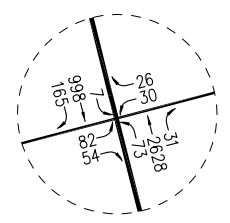
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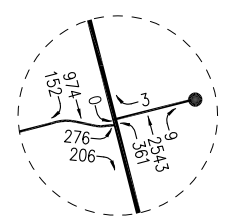
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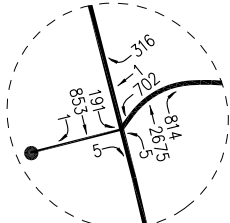
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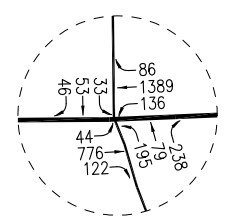
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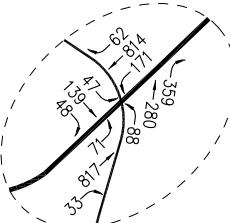
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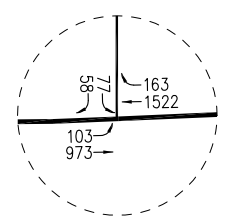
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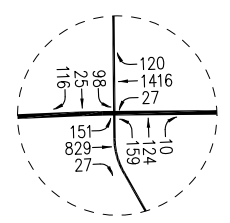
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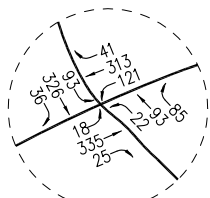
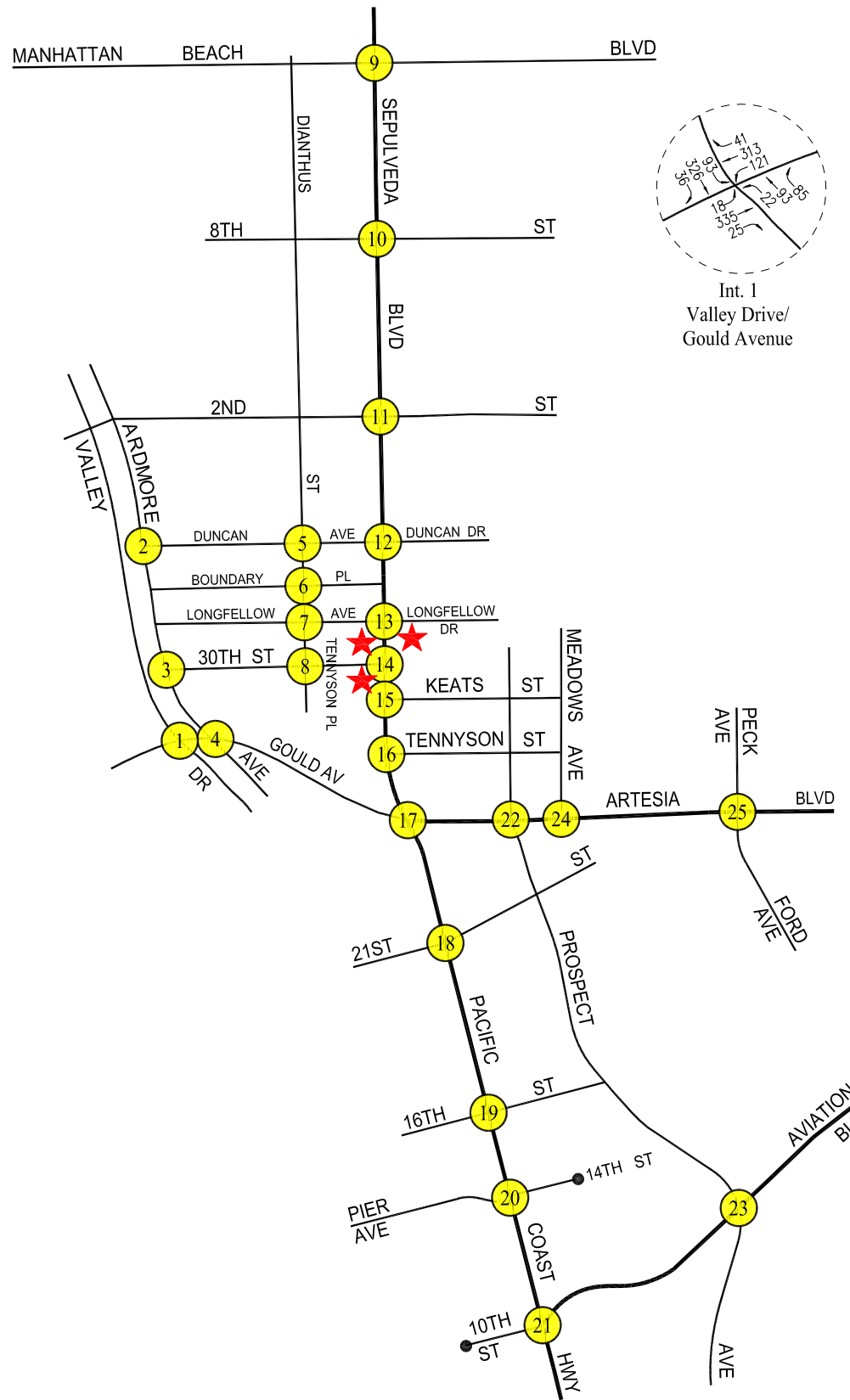


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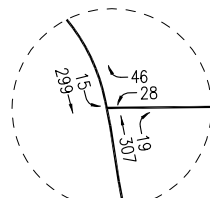


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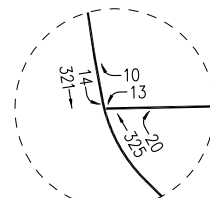
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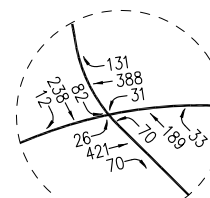
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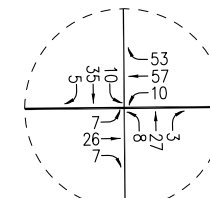
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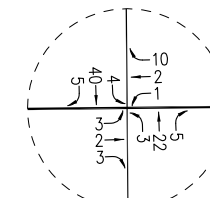
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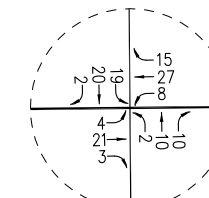
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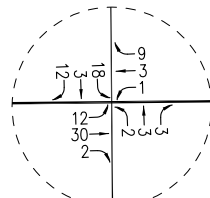
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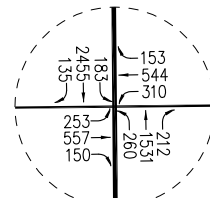
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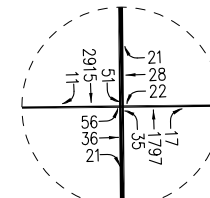
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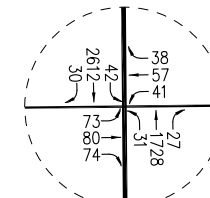
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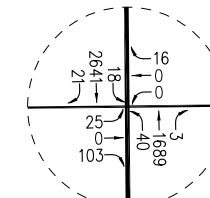
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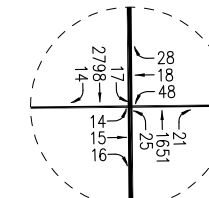
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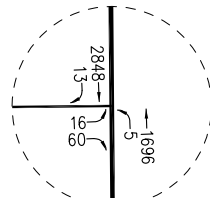
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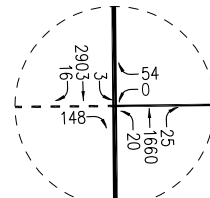
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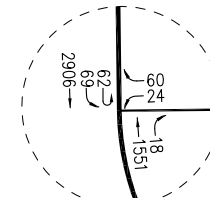
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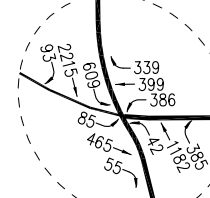
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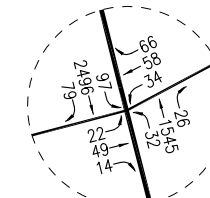
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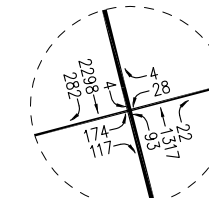
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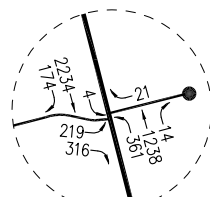
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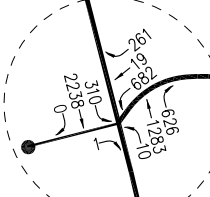
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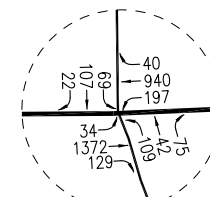
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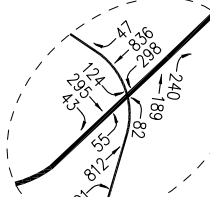
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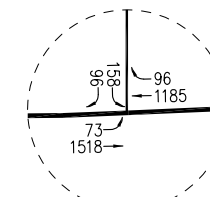
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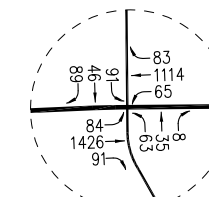
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Artesia Boulevard



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Prospect Avenue/
Aviation Boulevard



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Meadows Avenue/
Artesia Boulevard



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Artesia Boulevard

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FIGURE 9-6
FUTURE WITH COMBINED PROJECT TRAFFIC VOLUMES
 WEEKDAY PM PEAK HOUR
 SKECHERS DESIGN CENTER AND OFFICES PROJECT

9.3 Street Segment Traffic Impact Analysis

The forecast traffic conditions at the analyzed street segments for existing, future year 2020 pre-project (i.e., existing traffic volumes, ambient traffic growth and related projects traffic volumes) and future year 2020 future with combined project (i.e., the Hermosa Beach project and Manhattan Beach projects) analysis scenarios are summarized in **Table 9-4**. As presented in Column [1], the average weekday AM and PM peak hour volumes were utilized to evaluate existing conditions on the roadway. As presented in Column [2], the proposed project weekday AM and PM peak hour volumes were added to the existing volumes. As shown in Column [3] of **Table 9-4**, a 1.0 percent (1.0%) annual ambient growth rate through the year 2020 was conservatively applied to the existing weekday AM and PM peak hour volumes in order to estimate the future without project traffic volumes. As presented in Column [4] of **Table 9-4**, the proposed project weekday AM and PM day trips are expected to incrementally affect future traffic volumes on the analyzed street segments. It is noted that the project trips are based on the project trip generation forecasts (refer to **Table 7-1**) and the project trip distribution patterns (refer to **Figures 7-1** through **7-5**), as well as shifts in existing trips due to the reassignment of Skechers' off-site employee parking to the proposed Manhattan Beach project sites.

As indicated in **Table 9-4**, application of the County's two-lane roadway threshold criteria for street segment analysis (as modified for local conditions) indicates that the operational traffic due to the combined project is not anticipated to significantly impact the analyzed street segments under either the existing or future year 2020 conditions. Thus, no mitigation measures are required or recommended.

9.4 Review of Accident Data in the Vicinity of the Project

Based on comments received at prior Draft Environmental Impact Report scoping public hearings regarding recent accidents along Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway, research was conducted of available accident records in order to determine, to the extent feasible, any existing accident trends. Accident records were requested for the most recent five year period (2011 through 2016) from the Statewide Integrated Traffic Records System (SWITRS) database. The online SWITRS database notes that due to a collision records processing backlog, data from seven months prior to the date of request is to be considered incomplete. Therefore, although collision records from August 2015 to February 2016 are not considered part of the most recent five year period, they are included in this review. Records were requested for the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach. The records were then categorized in order to review accidents that occurred along Sepulveda Boulevard/Pacific Coast Highway in the vicinity of the proposed project (i.e., between roughly Ronda Drive and Artesia Boulevard/Gould Avenue.

No accidents in this general vicinity were documented to have resulted in a fatality during the above timeframe. The overall trends for the primary collision factor were unsafe speed and driver alcohol/drug use. **Appendix F** contains a copy of the SWITRS report. As an example, a total of three (3) accidents were reported over the most recent five year period at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Place-Ronda Drive intersection, which corresponds to less than one collision per

Table 9.4
CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH STREET SEGMENT LEVELS OF SERVICE SUMMARY
COMBINED PROJECT

NO.	STREET SEGMENT	TIME PERIOD	DIRECTIONAL SPLIT [a]	TOTAL CAPACITY (PCPH) [b]	(1)			(2)					(3)					(4)				
					EXISTING TRAFFIC		SIG. IMPACT YES/NO [i]	EXISTING TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS			FUTURE TRAFFIC WITHOUT PROJECT TRIPS		SIG. IMPACT YES/NO [i]	FUTURE TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS			SIG. IMPACT YES/NO [i]	FUTURE TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS				
					PEAK HOUR VOL [c]	V/C		LOS	PROJECT TRIPS [d]	PEAK HOUR VOL [e]	V/C	LOS		PCPH INCREASE	PEAK HOUR VOL [f]	V/C		LOS	PROJECT TRIPS [d]	PEAK HOUR VOL [g]	V/C	LOS
1	Duncan Avenue east of Ardmore Avenue	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	108 101	0.086 0.076	A A	7 4	115 105	0.092 0.079	A A	6.5% 4.0%	NO NO	112 105	0.090 0.079	A A	7 4	119 109	0.095 0.082	A A	6.3% 3.8%	NO NO
2	Longfellow Avenue east of Ardmore Avenue	AM PM	50 / 50 50 / 50	1,400 1,400	106 107	0.076 0.076	A A	2 1	108 108	0.077 0.077	A A	1.9% 0.9%	NO NO	110 111	0.079 0.079	A A	2 1	112 112	0.080 0.080	A A	1.8% 0.9%	NO NO
3	30th Street east of Ardmore Avenue	AM PM	50 / 50 50 / 50	1,400 1,400	80 73	0.057 0.052	A A	4 0	84 73	0.060 0.052	A A	5.0% 0.0%	NO NO	83 76	0.059 0.054	A A	4 0	87 76	0.062 0.054	A A	4.8% 0.0%	NO NO
4	Dianthus Street north of Duncan Avenue	AM PM	80 / 20 60 / 40	1,150 1,325	93 115	0.081 0.087	A A	0 0	93 115	0.081 0.087	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	97 120	0.084 0.091	A A	0 0	97 120	0.084 0.091	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
5	Dianthus Street between Duncan Avenue and Boundary Place	AM PM	80 / 20 70 / 30	1,150 1,250	101 103	0.088 0.082	A A	0 0	101 103	0.088 0.082	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	105 107	0.091 0.086	A A	0 0	105 107	0.091 0.086	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
6	Tennesson Place between Longfellow Avenue and 30th Street	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	87 103	0.070 0.078	A A	0 0	87 103	0.070 0.078	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	91 107	0.073 0.081	A A	0 0	91 107	0.073 0.081	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
7	Duncan Avenue west of Sepulveda Boulevard	AM PM	50 / 50 70 / 30	1,400 1,250	96 152	0.069 0.122	A A	91 79	187 231	0.134 0.185	A A	94.8% 52.0%	NO NO	100 158	0.071 0.126	A A	91 79	191 237	0.136 0.190	A A	91.0% 50.0%	NO NO
8	Boundary Place west of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	36 30	0.029 0.023	A A	0 0	36 30	0.029 0.023	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	37 31	0.030 0.023	A A	0 0	37 31	0.030 0.023	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
9	Longfellow Avenue west of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	90 / 10 90 / 10	1,050 1,050	138 169	0.131 0.161	A A	2 1	140 170	0.133 0.162	A A	1.4% 0.6%	NO NO	144 176	0.137 0.168	A A	2 1	146 177	0.139 0.169	A A	1.4% 0.6%	NO NO
10	30th Street west of Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	125 78	0.094 0.062	A A	5 10	130 88	0.098 0.070	A A	4.0% 12.8%	NO NO	130 81	0.098 0.065	A A	5 10	135 91	0.102 0.073	A A	3.8% 12.3%	NO NO
11	Duncan Drive east of Sepulveda Boulevard	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	58 77	0.044 0.058	A A	0 0	58 77	0.044 0.058	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	60 80	0.045 0.060	A A	0 0	60 80	0.045 0.060	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
12	Longfellow Drive east of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	150 138	0.113 0.110	A A	26 8	176 146	0.133 0.117	A A	17.3% 5.8%	NO NO	156 144	0.118 0.115	A A	26 8	182 152	0.137 0.122	A A	16.7% 5.6%	NO NO
13	Kean Street east of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	50 / 50 70 / 30	1,400 1,250	113 111	0.081 0.089	A A	0 0	113 111	0.081 0.089	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	118 116	0.084 0.093	A A	0 0	118 116	0.084 0.093	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
14	Kuhn Drive between Rhonda Drive and Duncan Drive	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	37 47	0.028 0.035	A A	0 0	37 47	0.028 0.035	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	39 49	0.029 0.037	A A	0 0	39 49	0.029 0.037	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
15	Kuhn Drive between Duncan Drive and Longfellow Drive	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	67 66	0.051 0.053	A A	0 0	67 66	0.051 0.053	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	70 69	0.053 0.055	A A	0 0	70 69	0.053 0.055	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO

Table 9.4 (Continued)
CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH STREET SEGMENT LEVELS OF SERVICE SUMMARY
COMBINED PROJECT

NO.	STREET SEGMENT	TIME PERIOD	DIRECTIONAL SPLIT (a)	TOTAL CAPACITY (PCPH) (b)	(1)				(2)				(3)				(4)				
					EXISTING TRAFFIC		EXISTING TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS		EXISTING TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS		EXISTING TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS		FUTURE TRAFFIC WITHOUT PROJECT TRIPS		FUTURE TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS		FUTURE TRAFFIC WITHOUT PROJECT TRIPS		FUTURE TRAFFIC WITH PROJECT TRIPS		
					PEAK HOUR VOL (c)	V/C	LOS	PCPH INCREASE	SIG. IMPACT YES/NO (f)	PEAK HOUR VOL (e)	V/C	LOS	PCPH INCREASE	SIG. IMPACT YES/NO (f)	PEAK HOUR VOL (g)	V/C	LOS	PCPH INCREASE	SIG. IMPACT YES/NO (f)	PEAK HOUR VOL (h)	V/C
16	Kuhn Drive between Longfellow Drive and Keats Street	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	122 94	0.092 0.071	A A	0 0	0 0	0.092 0.071	A A	0 0	0 0	0.096 0.074	A A	NO NO	127 98	0.096 0.074	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
17	Keats Street between Kuhn Drive and Chabela Drive	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	294 244	0.222 0.195	A A	0 0	0.222 0.195	A A	NO NO	306 254	0.231 0.203	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	306 254	0.231 0.203	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
18	Prospect Avenue north of Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	227 278	0.182 0.210	A A	0 0	0.182 0.210	A A	NO NO	236 289	0.189 0.218	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	236 289	0.189 0.218	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
19	Meadows Avenue north of Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	583 561	0.440 0.423	A A	0 0	0.440 0.423	A A	NO NO	607 584	0.458 0.441	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO	607 584	0.458 0.441	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO

NOTES

PCPH = Passenger Cars Per Hour

(a) Directional split of the roadway is based on existing traffic count data.

(b) Total capacity (PCPH) is based on existing roadway directional split per County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works' "Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines". However, please note that the PCPH capacity used in this analysis is one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County's identified capacities in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways, on-street parking, etc.) in order to provide a conservative analysis.

(c) Obtained from 24-hour machine counts conducted by City Traffic Counters in March 2016.

(d) Represents project trips based on the project trip generation forecasts contained in Table 7-1 and project trip distribution patterns provided in Figures 7-1 through 5, and includes shifts in existing trips due to the reassignment of Skechers' off-site employee parking to the proposed 305 Sepulveda Boulevard building in Manhattan Beach. For purposes of this analysis, no trip reductions were applied to those segments where the net total project trips were determined to be negative.

(e) (g) + (d)

(f) According to the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works' "Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines", January 1, 1997, Page 6: an impact is considered significant if the project-related increase in Passenger Car Per Hour (PCPH) equals or exceeds the thresholds shown below. However, as noted above, the PCPH capacities used in this analysis are one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County's identified capacities in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways, on-street parking, etc.) in order to provide a conservative analysis.

Percentage Increases in PCPH by Project

Directional Split	Total Capacity (PCPH)	Pre-project LOS		
		C	D	E/F
50/50	1,400	4	2	1
60/40	1,325	4	2	1
70/30	1,250	4	2	1
80/20	1,150	4	2	1
90/10	1,050	4	2	1
100/0	1,000	4	2	1

(g) Derived by applying an ambient growth factor of 1.00% per year to existing traffic volumes to reflect year 2020 conditions.

(h) (g) + (d)

year, and all accidents were attributable to driver Alcohol/drug or unsafe speed. At the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection, a total of four (4) accidents were reported over the most recent five year period, which corresponds to less than one accident per year, and more than half of the accidents (i.e., three of the four) were attributable to driver alcohol/drug and unsafe speed. At the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive intersection, a total of three (3) accidents were reported over the most recent five year period, which corresponds to less than one accident per year, with one of the accidents being attributable to driver alcohol/drug.

At the Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street intersection, a total of 12 accidents were reported over the most recent five year period, which corresponds to an average of just over two per year, however, the majority of accidents (i.e., nine of the 12) were attributable to unsafe speed. At the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street T-intersection, a total of eight (8) accidents were reported over the most recent five year period, which corresponds to an average of over one per year, with three (3) accidents being attributable to unsafe speed or driver alcohol/drug and five (5) being attributable to right-of-way or wrong side. At the Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street intersection, a total of nine (9) accidents were reported over the most recent five year period, which corresponds to an average of over one per year, with three (3) being attributable to driver alcohol/drug or unsafe speed and six (6) being attributable to improper turn, right-of-way, or starting/backing.

Finally, at the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard intersection, a total of 37 accidents, with an average of over seven accidents per year, have occurred over the most recent five year period, with 16 attributable to driver alcohol/drug and four (4) attributable to unsafe speed. Thus, of the 76 accidents that have occurred in the project vicinity in the most recent five year period, 42 accidents were a result of driver alcohol/drug (i.e., 23 accidents) or unsafe speed (i.e., 19 accidents). Further, of the 23 accidents related to alcohol/drug use, 19 of these accidents occurred between the hours of 8:00 PM and 4:00 AM. In conclusion, the majority of documented accidents are not correctable through a change in traffic control or assignment.

9.5 Left-Turn Pocket Queuing Analyses

In addition to the intersection analyses, a review of potential vehicle queuing was also conducted focusing on evaluation of the key left-turn movements at the following locations:

- Intersection No. 12, Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive, for the northbound left-turn movement
- Intersection No. 14, Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street, for the northbound left-turn movement
- Intersection No. 15, Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street, for the northbound left-turn movement

- Intersection No. 16, Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street, for the southbound left-turn movement

Vehicle queuing was calculated using the *Synchro 9* software package which implements the Highway Capacity Manual operational methods. In forecasting vehicle queuing, the *Synchro 9* software considers traffic volume data, lane configurations, traffic signal phasing, and available vehicle storage lengths for the respective traffic movements.

The vehicle queuing review has been prepared using the respective weekday AM and PM peak hour traffic volume forecasts for existing, existing with project, where applicable and year 2020 conditions both without and with the proposed project. The *Synchro* analysis provides a forecast of the 95th percentile queues for the analysis time periods. The 95th percentile queue is the maximum back of vehicle queue with 95th percentile traffic volumes and is typically utilized for design purposes. An average vehicle length of 25 feet (including vehicle separation) is assumed for analysis purposes. The corresponding AM and PM peak hour HCM worksheets for purposes of determining the 95th percentile vehicle queues are contained herein (refer to *Appendix E*).

Based on a field review performed by LLG Engineers' staff and a review of aerial maps, the existing storage lengths were measured for the subject left-turn lanes. Based on the review of the queuing worksheets, the 95th percentile queue (in feet) for the subject left-turn lanes was determined. **Table 9-5** provides a summary of the vehicle queuing analyses for the key left-turn movements for the above noted study intersections for the Combined Project conditions. As shown in *Table 9-5*, vehicle queuing for the analyzed turning movements for Intersection Nos. 12, 14, and 15 are not forecast to exceed the available storage lengths of the turn pockets under either the Existing With Project or Future Year With Combined Project scenarios. However, the southbound left-turn vehicle queue for Intersection No. 16 is forecast to exceed the available storage of the turn pocket for the subject intersection under the Future Pre-Project and Future With Combined Project scenarios during the AM peak hour. It is important to note that this analysis of queue lengths does not assume a future traffic signal at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Keats Street intersection, which if approved by Caltrans would alleviate the southbound left-turn/U-turn movement at Intersection No. 16. It is therefore recommended that the southbound left-turn pocket on Sepulveda Boulevard at Tennyson Street be monitored during the AM peak hour within six months of the occupancy of the combined project and if the southbound left-turn queue extends beyond the available storage, the Applicant shall implement corrective action (e.g., lengthen the southbound left-turn pocket) or provide another equal mitigation to the satisfaction of the City and Caltrans. Should a traffic signal be approved by Caltrans at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Keats Street intersection, adequate storage would exist and monitoring would not be required.

Table 9-6 provides a summary of the vehicle queuing analyses for the key left-turn movements for the above noted study intersections for the Hermosa Beach Project Only conditions. As shown in *Table 9-6*, vehicle queuing for the analyzed turning movements for Intersection Nos. 12, 14, and 15 are not forecast to exceed the available storage lengths of the turn pockets under either the Existing With Project or Future Year With Combined Project scenarios. However, the southbound left-turn

Table 9-5
SUMMARY OF LEFT-TURN POCKET QUEUING ANALYSIS [1]
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
COMBINED PROJECT

INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	AVAILABLE STORAGE [2] (FEET)	YEAR 2016 EXISTING			YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT		
			95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)
No. 12 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	110	25	No	45	No	30	No	63	No				
	PM	110	53	No	53	No	85	No	85	No				
No. 14 Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No				
	PM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No				
No. 15 Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	[4], [5]	[4]	N/A	25	No	[4]	N/A	25	No				
	PM	[4], [5]	[4]	N/A	35	No	[4]	N/A	50	No				
No. 16 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street (Southbound Left-turn)	AM	120	90	No	[6]	No	[6]	Yes	160	Yes				
	PM	120	25	No	48	No	38	No	85	No				

[1] Intersection queuing analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) methodologies. Refer to calculation worksheets in Appendix E.

[2] Available storage based on field measurements taken by LLG Engineers staff.

[3] The 95th percentile queue is the maximum back of queue with 95th percentile traffic volumes. An average vehicle length of 25 feet (including vehicle separation) was assumed for analysis purposes.

[4] The proposed northbound left-turn lane is anticipated to be completed as part of the project, therefore potential queuing in the turn lane is only analyzed for the With Project conditions.

[5] It is recommended that 80 feet of storage be provided for the proposed northbound left-turn lane. Such a configuration would be consistent with the storage currently provided for the existing southbound left-turn lane at the intersection.

[6] The reported southbound left-turn vehicle queue does not assume a future traffic signal at the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection. Should the traffic signal at this location be reviewed and approved by Caltrans, the southbound left-turn/u-turn volume and corresponding vehicle queue lengths would decrease.

Table 9-6
SUMMARY OF LEFT-TURN POCKET QUEUING ANALYSIS [1]
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT ONLY

INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	YEAR 2016 EXISTING			YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE			YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT		
		AVAILABLE STORAGE [2] (FEET)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)
No. 12 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	110	25	No	25	No	30	No	33	No	No	33	No
	PM	110	53	No	55	No	85	No	85	No	No	85	No
No. 14 Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No	No	25	No
	PM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No	No	25	No
No. 15 Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	[4], [5]	[4]	N/A	25	No	[4]	N/A	25	No	N/A	25	No
	PM	[4], [5]	[4]	N/A	33	No	[4]	N/A	50	No	N/A	50	No
No. 16 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street (Southbound Left-turn)	AM	120	90	No	[6] 120	No	[6] 123	No	158	Yes	Yes	158	Yes
	PM	120	25	No	48	No	38	No	88	No	No	88	No

[1] Intersection queuing analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) methodologies. Refer to calculation worksheets in Appendix E-1.

[2] Available storage based on field measurements taken by LLG Engineers staff.

[3] The 95th percentile queue is the maximum back of queue with 95th percentile traffic volumes. An average vehicle length of 25 feet (including vehicle separation) was assumed for analysis purposes.

[4] The proposed northbound left-turn lane is anticipated to be completed as part of the project, therefore potential queuing in the turn lane is only analyzed for the With Project conditions.

[5] It is recommended that 80 feet of storage be provided for the proposed northbound left-turn lane. Such a configuration would be consistent with the storage currently provided for the existing southbound left-turn lane at the intersection.

[6] The reported southbound left-turn vehicle queue does not assume a future traffic signal at the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection. Should the traffic signal at this location be reviewed and approved by Caltrans, the southbound left-turn/u-turn volume and corresponding vehicle queue lengths would decrease.

vehicle queue for Intersection No. 16 is forecast to exceed the available storage of the turn pocket for the subject intersection under the Future Pre-Project and Future With Hermosa Beach Project scenarios. As noted previously, this analysis of queue lengths does not assume a future traffic signal at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Keats Street intersection, which if approved by Caltrans would alleviate the southbound left-turn/U-turn movement at Intersection No. 16. It is therefore recommended that the southbound left-turn pocket on Sepulveda Boulevard at Tennyson Street be monitored during the AM peak hour within six months of the occupancy of the Hermosa Beach project and if the southbound left-turn queue extends beyond the available storage, the Applicant shall implement corrective action (e.g., lengthen the southbound left-turn pocket) or provide another equal mitigation to the satisfaction of the City and Caltrans. As stated above, should a traffic signal be approved by Caltrans at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Keats Street intersection, adequate storage would exist and monitoring would not be required.

Table 9-7 provides a summary of the vehicle queuing analyses for the key left-turn movements for the above noted study intersections for the Manhattan Beach Projects conditions. As shown in **Table 9-7**, vehicle queuing for the analyzed turning movements for Intersection Nos. 12, 14, and 15 are not forecast to exceed the available storage lengths of the turn pockets under either the Existing With Project or Future Year With Manhattan Beach Projects scenarios. However, the southbound left-turn vehicle queue for Intersection No. 16 is forecast to just exceed the available storage of the turn pocket for the subject intersection under the Future Pre-Project and Future With Manhattan Beach Projects scenarios. It is therefore recommended that the southbound left-turn pocket on Sepulveda Boulevard at Tennyson Street be monitored during the AM peak hour within six months of the occupancy of the Manhattan Beach projects and if the southbound left-turn queue extends beyond the available storage, the Applicant shall implement corrective action (e.g., lengthen the southbound left-turn pocket) or provide another equal mitigation to the satisfaction of the City and Caltrans. **Tables 9-7-1** and **9-7-2** provide a summary of the vehicle queuing analyses for the key left-turn movements for the above noted study intersections for the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard and 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion projects independently. If either of the Manhattan Beach Projects individually move forward, no monitoring would be required since the vehicle queue for Intersection No. 16 does not change with either Manhattan Beach project.

Table 9-7
SUMMARY OF LEFT-TURN POCKET QUEUING ANALYSIS [1]
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECTS ONLY

INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	AVAILABLE STORAGE [2] (FEET)	YEAR 2016 EXISTING			YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT		YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT	
			95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)
No. 12 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	110	25	No	40	No	30	No	55	No		
	PM	110	53	No	53	No	85	No	85	No		
No. 14 Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No		
	PM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No		
No. 16 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street (Southbound Left-turn)	AM	120	90	No	93	No	123	Yes	125	Yes		
	PM	120	25	No	25	No	38	No	38	No		

[1] Intersection queuing analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) methodologies. Refer to calculation worksheets in Appendix E-2.

[2] Available storage based on field measurements taken by LLG Engineers staff.

[3] The 95th percentile queue is the maximum back of queue with 95th percentile traffic volumes. An average vehicle length of 25 feet (including vehicle separation) was assumed for analysis purposes.

Table 9-7-1
SUMMARY OF LEFT-TURN POCKET QUEUING ANALYSIS [1]
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD PROJECT ONLY

INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	AVAILABLE STORAGE [2] (FEET)	YEAR 2016 EXISTING			YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT		
			95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)
No. 12 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	110	25	No	40	No	30	No	55	No				
	PM	110	53	No	53	No	85	No	85	No				
No. 14 Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No				
	PM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No				
No. 16 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street (Southbound Left-turn)	AM	120	90	No	90	No	123	Yes	123	Yes				
	PM	120	25	No	25	No	38	No	38	No				

[1] Intersection queuing analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) methodologies. Refer to calculation worksheets in Appendix E-3.

[2] Available storage based on field measurements taken by LLG Engineers staff.

[3] The 95th percentile queue is the maximum back of queue with 95th percentile traffic volumes. An average vehicle length of 25 feet (including vehicle separation) was assumed for analysis purposes.

Table 9-7-2
 SUMMARY OF LEFT-TURN POCKET QUEUING ANALYSIS [1]
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 330 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD EXPANSION PROJECT ONLY

INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	AVAILABLE STORAGE [2] (FEET)	YEAR 2016 EXISTING			YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROPOSED PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT			YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT		
			95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)	95TH PERCENTILE QUEUE [3] (FEET)	EXCEEDS AVAILABLE STORAGE? (YES/NO)
No. 12 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	110	25	No	25	No	30	No	30	No	30	No		
	PM	110	53	No	53	No	85	No	85	No	85	No		
No. 14 Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street (Northbound Left-turn)	AM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No		
	PM	60	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No	25	No		
No. 16 Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street (Southbound Left-turn)	AM	120	90	No	90	No	123	Yes	123	Yes	123	Yes		
	PM	120	25	No	25	No	38	No	38	No	38	No		

[1] Intersection queuing analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) methodologies. Refer to calculation worksheets in Appendix E-4.

[2] Available storage based on field measurements taken by LLG Engineers staff.

[3] The 95th percentile queue is the maximum back of queue with 95th percentile traffic volumes. An average vehicle length of 25 feet (including vehicle separation) was assumed for analysis purposes.

10.0 CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH TRAFFIC ANALYSIS

The traffic impact analysis prepared for the study intersections for the combined project (i.e., the Hermosa Beach project and Manhattan Beach projects) using the ICU and HCM methodologies with application of the City of Manhattan Beach significant traffic impact criteria is summarized in **Table 10-1**. The traffic impact analysis prepared for the study intersections for the Hermosa Beach project only using the ICU and HCM methodologies with application of the City of Manhattan Beach significant traffic impact criteria is summarized in **Table 10-2**. The traffic impact analysis prepared for the study intersections for the Manhattan Beach projects only using the ICU and HCM methodologies with application of the City of Manhattan Beach significant traffic impact criteria is summarized in **Table 10-3**. A supplemental analysis for each Manhattan Beach building only was also prepared and is contained in Subsections 10.1.4, 10.1.5, 10.2.4, and 10.2.5 below. The ICU and HCM data worksheets for the analyzed intersections are contained in *Appendix E*.

10.1 Existing Traffic Conditions

10.1.1 Existing With Combined Project Conditions

As shown in column [2] of *Table 10-1*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Existing With Combined Project scenario indicates that the combined project (i.e., the Hermosa Beach project and Manhattan Beach projects) is expected to result in a significant impact at five of the study intersections. The combined project is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Existing With Combined Project conditions:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 19.7 seconds (LOS C)]
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard
AM peak hour v/c increase of 0.051 [to 1.057 (LOS F) from 1.006 (LOS F)]

Table 10-1
CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
COMBINED PROJECT

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]				[3]		[4]			
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	11.7 10.1	B B	0.1 0.0	No No	12.6 10.6	B B	12.6 10.6	B B	0.0 0.0	No No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.041 1.061	F F	0.001 0.008	No No	1.119 1.161	F F	1.121 1.170	F F	0.002 0.009	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.823 0.702	D C	0.002 0.002	No No	0.895 0.814	D D	0.897 0.816	D D	0.002 0.002	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.870 0.718	D C	0.002 0.006	No No	0.942 0.786	E C	0.945 0.792	E C	0.003 0.006	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	Yes Yes
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.836 0.685	D B	0.022 0.017	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.897 0.760	D C	0.022 0.017	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	23.5 >50.0	C F	4.4 [e]	No Yes	23.4 >50.0	C F	31.4 >50.0	D F	8.0 [e]	No Yes
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	Yes Yes	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	Yes Yes
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[e] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	Yes No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.057 0.785	F C	0.051 0.016	Yes No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.149 0.904	F E	0.051 0.017	Yes No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.699 0.743	B C	0.718 0.759	C C	0.019 0.016	No No	0.773 0.868	C D	0.793 0.884	C D	0.020 0.016	No No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.690 0.620	B B	0.706 0.634	C B	0.016 0.014	No No	0.759 0.719	C C	0.775 0.733	C C	0.016 0.014	No No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.813 0.600	D A	0.829 0.614	D B	0.016 0.014	No No	0.903 0.726	E C	0.919 0.740	E C	0.016 0.014	No No

- [a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
- [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
- [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
- [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
- [e] Oversaturated conditions.

Table 10-2
CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]			[3]		[4]				
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROJECT V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	11.7 10.1	B B	0.1 0.0	No No	12.6 10.6	B B	12.6 10.6	B B	0.0 0.0	No No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.042 1.060	F F	0.002 0.007	No No	1.119 1.161	F F	1.121 1.168	F F	0.002 0.007	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.823 0.703	D C	0.002 0.003	No No	0.895 0.814	D D	0.897 0.817	D D	0.002 0.003	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.870 0.717	D C	0.002 0.005	No No	0.942 0.786	E C	0.944 0.791	E C	0.002 0.005	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.816 0.671	D B	0.002 0.003	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.878 0.746	D C	0.003 0.003	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	24.6 >50.0	C F	5.5 [e]	No Yes	23.4 >50.0	C F	33.9 >50.0	D F	10.5 [e]	No Yes
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] [e]	Yes Yes	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No Yes
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[e] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	Yes No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.043 0.782	F C	0.037 0.013	Yes No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.135 0.900	F D	0.037 0.013	Yes No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.699 0.743	B C	0.713 0.755	C C	0.014 0.012	No No	0.773 0.868	C D	0.787 0.880	C D	0.014 0.012	No No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.690 0.620	B B	0.702 0.631	C B	0.012 0.011	No No	0.759 0.719	C C	0.771 0.730	C C	0.012 0.011	No No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.813 0.600	D A	0.824 0.611	D B	0.011 0.011	No No	0.903 0.726	E C	0.914 0.737	E C	0.011 0.011	No No

[a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
[b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
[c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
[d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
[e] Oversaturated conditions.

Table 10-3
 CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECTS ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]			[3]		[4]				
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY [c]	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROJECT V/C or DELAY [c]	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	11.7 10.1	B B	0.1 0.0	No No	12.6 10.6	B B	12.7 10.6	B B	0.1 0.0	No No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.039 1.054	F F	-0.001 0.001	No No	1.119 1.161	F F	1.119 1.163	F F	0.000 0.002	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.821 0.699	D B	0.000 -0.001	No No	0.895 0.814	D D	0.895 0.813	D D	0.000 -0.001	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.868 0.712	D C	0.000 0.000	No No	0.942 0.786	E C	0.943 0.786	E C	0.001 0.000	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [e]	No Yes
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.833 0.682	D B	0.019 0.014	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.894 0.756	D C	0.019 0.013	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	[e] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 24.7	F C	[e] 0.0	Yes No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[e] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	Yes No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.020 0.773	F C	0.014 0.004	No No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.112 0.891	F D	0.014 0.004	No No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.699 0.743	B C	0.705 0.747	C C	0.006 0.004	No No	0.773 0.868	C D	0.779 0.872	C D	0.006 0.004	No No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.690 0.620	B B	0.695 0.623	B B	0.005 0.003	No No	0.759 0.719	C C	0.764 0.723	C C	0.005 0.004	No No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	0.813 0.600	D A	0.818 0.603	D B	0.005 0.003	No No	0.903 0.726	E C	0.908 0.729	E C	0.005 0.003	No No

[a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
 [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
 [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
 [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
 [e] Oversaturated conditions.

As indicated in *Table 10-1*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the combined project are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.1.2 Existing With Hermosa Beach Project Only Conditions

As shown in column [2] of *Table 10-2*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Existing With Hermosa Beach Project Only scenario indicates that the Hermosa Beach project only is expected to result in a significant impact at five of the study intersections. The Hermosa Beach project only is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Existing With Hermosa Beach Project Only conditions:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 19.7 seconds (LOS C)]
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard
AM peak hour *v/c* increase of 0.037 [to 1.043 (LOS F) from 1.006 (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-2*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the Hermosa Beach project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.1.3 Existing With Manhattan Beach Projects Only Conditions

As shown in column [2] of *Table 10-3*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Existing With Manhattan Beach Projects Only scenario indicates that the Manhattan Beach projects only is expected to result in a significant impact at three of the study intersections. The Manhattan Beach projects only are expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Existing With Manhattan Beach Projects Only conditions:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-3*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the Manhattan Beach projects only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.1.4 Existing With 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Project Only Conditions

As shown in column [2] of *Table 10-3-1*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Project Only scenario indicates that this project is expected to result in a significant impact at three of the study intersections. According to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria, the following locations are expected to be significantly impacted during the weekday peak hours shown below:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

Table 10-3-1
 CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]		[3]		[4]				
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY [b]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)] [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY [b]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)] [c]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [e]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [e]			
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [a]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.822 0.677	D B	0.008 0.009	No No	0.875 0.743	D C	0.008 0.009	No No	
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [a]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 24.7	F C	0.0 0.0	No No	
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Temnyson Street [a]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] [d]	Yes Yes	
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.015 0.771	F C	0.009 0.002	No No	1.098 0.887	F D	1.107 0.890	0.009 0.003	No No

[a] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
 [b] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
 [c] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
 [d] Oversaturated conditions.

As indicated in *Table 10-3-1*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.1.5 *Existing With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only Conditions*

As shown in column [2] of *Table 10-3-2*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only scenario indicates that this project is expected to result in a significant impact at one study intersection. According to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria, the following locations are expected to be significantly impacted during the weekday peak hours shown below:

- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street

AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-3-2*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.2 Future Traffic Conditions

10.2.1 *Future With Combined Project Conditions*

As shown in column [4] of *Table 10-1*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With Combined Project scenario indicates that the combined project (i.e., the Hermosa Beach project and Manhattan Beach projects) is expected to result in a significant impact at five of the study intersections. The combined project is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Future With Combined Project conditions:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive

AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street

PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street

AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 24.7 seconds (LOS C)]

Table 10-3-2
 CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 330 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD EXPANSION PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]		[3]		[4]					
			YEAR 2016 EXISTING V/C or DELAY [b]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT V/C or Delay [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(2)-(1)] [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. V/C or DELAY [b]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT V/C or DELAY [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)] [c]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [c]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [c]				
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [a]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	No	0.0	No
		PM	>50.0	F	0.0	>50.0	F	0.0	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	No	0.0
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM	0.814	D	0.826	D	0.012	0.875	D	0.887	D	No	0.012	No
		PM	0.668	B	0.672	B	0.004	0.743	C	0.747	C	No	0.004	No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [a]	AM	19.1	C	19.1	C	0.0	23.4	C	23.4	C	No	0.0	No
		PM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	No	[d]	Yes
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [a]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	No	0.0	No
		PM	19.7	C	19.7	C	0.0	24.7	C	24.7	C	No	0.0	No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Temnyson Street [a]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	[d]	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	Yes	[d]	Yes
		PM	34.3	D	34.3	D	0.0	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	No	0.0	No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM	1.006	F	1.012	F	0.006	1.098	F	1.104	F	No	0.006	No
		PM	0.769	C	0.770	C	0.001	0.887	D	0.888	D	No	0.001	No

[a] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
 [b] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
 [c] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
 [d] Oversaturated conditions.

- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street

AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

- Int. No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard

AM peak hour *v/c* increase of 0.051 [to 1.149 (LOS F) from 1.098 (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-1*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the combined project are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.2.2 *Future With Hermosa Beach Project Only Conditions*

As shown in column [4] of *Table 10-2*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With Hermosa Beach Project Only scenario indicates that the Hermosa Beach project only is expected to result in a significant impact at four of the study intersections. The Hermosa Beach project only is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hours shown below under Future With Hermosa Beach Project Only conditions:

- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street

PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street

PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from 24.7 (LOS C)]

- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street

AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

- Int. No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard

AM peak hour *v/c* increase of 0.037 [to 1.135 (LOS F) from 1.098 (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-2*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the Hermosa Beach project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.2.3 *Future With Manhattan Beach Projects Only Conditions*

As shown in column [4] of *Table 10-3*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With Manhattan Beach Projects Only scenario indicates that the Manhattan Beach projects only is expected to result in a significant impact at three of the study intersections. The Manhattan Beach projects only is expected to significantly impact the following locations according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria during the weekday peak hour shown below under Future With Manhattan Beach Projects Only conditions:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-3*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the Manhattan Beach projects only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.2.4 *Future With 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Project Only Conditions*

As shown in column [4] of *Table 10-3-1*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Project Only scenario indicates that this project is expected to result in a significant impact at two of the study intersections. According to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria, the following locations are expected to be significantly impacted during the weekday peak hours shown below:

- Int. No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Drive
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street
AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]
PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-3-1*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

10.2.5 *Future With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only Conditions*

As shown in column [4] of *Table 10-3-2*, application of the City of Manhattan Beach's threshold criteria to the Future With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only scenario indicates that this project is expected to result in a significant impact at two of the study intersections. According to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria, the following location is expected to be significantly impacted during the weekday peak hour shown below:

- Int. No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street

PM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

- Int. No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street

AM peak hour delay increase [to >50.0 seconds (LOS F) from >50.0 seconds (LOS F)]

As indicated in *Table 10-3-2*, incremental but not significant impacts associated with the 300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only are noted at the remaining study intersections according to the City of Manhattan Beach's impact criteria.

11.0 CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC ANALYSIS

While detailed construction staging and traffic management plans have not yet been developed, coordination with the project applicant's general contractor has occurred as part of this traffic analysis in order to identify overall construction activities and potential estimates of construction traffic generation (refer to *Appendix G*). While quite unlikely, a scenario that involves the overlap of excavation activities for all three sites (i.e., the Hermosa Beach site and the two Manhattan Beach sites) concurrently has been reviewed. In addition the construction traffic generation associated with overlapping building construction of all sites has also been reviewed so as to provide a conservative forecast of short-term construction traffic impacts.

The Hermosa Beach construction activities will occur between a start time of 8:00 AM and an ending time of 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday as allowed per current City Code. Hauling activities within the City of Hermosa Beach associated with the excavation of the building sites will extend from between 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM so as to not overlap with the weekday PM peak hour. The Manhattan Beach construction activities will occur between a start time of 7:30 AM and an ending time of 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday as allowed per current City Code. Hauling activities within the City of Manhattan Beach associated with the excavation of the building sites will extend from between 7:30 AM and 3:00 PM so as to not overlap with the weekday PM peak hour. Although the work day will end at 6:00 PM, workers are expected to depart the site generally by 4:30 PM, except when overtime is necessary to maintain the schedule.

During the excavation of the Hermosa Beach sites, the southbound exterior (curbside) travel lane on PCH will be closed between the hours of 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM on Mondays through Fridays. During the excavation of the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard site in Manhattan Beach, the southbound exterior (curbside) travel lane on Sepulveda Boulevard will be closed between the hours of 7:30 AM and 3:00 PM on Mondays through Fridays. This will ensure that the exterior southbound travel lane can be re-opened by 3:00 PM, so as not to interfere with the PM peak hour traffic. This lane will be closed during excavation activities and intermittently through the course of the project for deliveries and concrete pours. Construction hours for weekend work (i.e., on Saturdays) will extend from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM.

Due to the construction of the internal below grade pedestrian only access (i.e., which is planned to connect the subterranean P1 level beneath the Hermosa Beach Design Center building to the subterranean P2 level beneath the Hermosa Beach Executive Offices building), 30th Street, while it will remain open, will be narrowed to one lane and operate with alternating traffic flows via flag persons. Therefore, 30th Street will remain open during the peak commuter AM and PM peak hours.

This construction traffic analysis contained herein reflects the additional vehicle trips generated by the peak excavation and export activities for the Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach sites, construction worker trips to the extent that they overlap with the weekday AM and PM peak commute hours, and the redistribution of the existing Skechers employees who are currently parking off-site who will be parking at the 225 S. Sepulveda Boulevard and 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Skechers' buildings during construction. In addition, since excavation activities will cease at 3:00

PM, this construction traffic analysis also considers the additional vehicle trips generated by the peak concurrent building construction activities for the Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach sites during the PM peak hour.

11.1 Construction Assumptions

It is assumed that demolition and site preparation would occur on the project sites during the first two months after commencement of construction activities and that the peak excavation and associated export activities would occur during the following five months for the Hermosa Beach sites and four months for the Manhattan Beach sites. It has been assumed that the excavation and export activities for the Hermosa Beach Design Center and Executive Offices buildings, while highly unlikely, could occur on the same day. Thus, excavation overlap between all sites has been assumed. The excavation activities will require the removal of approximately 130,000 cubic yards of material from the Hermosa Beach sites, 30,000 cubic yards of material from the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard (Manhattan Beach) site, and 24,000 cubic yards of material from the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project (Manhattan Beach) site. It is assumed that the equipment staging area during the initial phases of construction grading would occur on, within and adjacent to the project sites. Construction worker parking during excavation would occur on-site, however during the building construction activities workers would be required to park off-site through a formal lease arrangement and incorporation of shuttle/s. This is expected to preclude any construction workers from parking on adjacent roadways and within the nearby residential areas.

Current City of Hermosa Beach Code restricts construction hours to no earlier than 8:00 AM, Monday through Friday, and no earlier than 9:00 AM on Saturdays. In addition, current City of Hermosa Beach Code restricts construction hours to no later than 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday, and no later than 5:00 PM on Saturdays. Current City of Manhattan Beach Code restricts construction hours to no earlier than 7:30 AM and to no later than 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday, and no later than 6:00 PM on Saturdays. No construction activities will occur on Sundays. In addition, the overall construction duration for the Manhattan Beach sites is 21 months while for the Hermosa Beach sites is slightly longer at 24 months in duration.

11.2 Construction Traffic Trip Generation – Excavation and Material Export

It is assumed that heavy construction equipment would be located on-site during grading activities and would not travel to and from the project sites on a daily basis. However, truck trips would be generated during the grading and corresponding export activities in order to remove material from the project sites. Trucks are expected to carry the export material to a receptor site/s, although the exact location/s cannot be determined until confirmation of availability can be obtained at a time closer to the actual construction commencement date. It is expected that the receptor site/s would be located within 25 miles of the project sites.

The general contractor anticipates that construction vehicles related to the export activities will have a capacity of at least 14 cubic yards per truck. It has also been assumed for analysis purposes that all hauling would occur for up to seven hours per workday and that export activities would be limited to

no earlier than 8:00 AM and no later than 3:00 PM, Monday through Friday and 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM if necessary on Saturdays. Thus, hauling would not take place after 3:00 PM, so as to avoid potential traffic impacts during the peak weekday PM commute hour. The export period is assumed to require approximately 22 workdays per month for approximately four months for the Manhattan Beach sites and for approximately five months for the Hermosa Beach sites. During the peak (i.e., which assumes excavation activities on both the Hermosa Beach Design Center and Executive Offices building sites during the same timeframe and overlapping with excavation activities on both of the Manhattan Beach offices) up to 142 truck loads per day (i.e., 142 inbound trucks and 142 outbound trucks) are anticipated. Assuming a total of 7 hours of hauling activities each day within the City of Hermosa Beach and a total of 7.5 hours of hauling activities each day within Manhattan Beach, it is estimated that approximately 21 truck loads (i.e., resulting in 21 inbound trucks and 21 outbound trucks) could be expected per hour. When accounting for the application of a passenger car equivalency (PCE) factor of 2.5 to account for the heavier weight and larger size haul trucks, a total of 53 inbound PCE trips and 53 outbound PCE trips could potentially occur during the weekday AM peak hour with none expected during the weekday PM peak hour.

The project applicant's general contractor has also provided an estimate of the number of workers during this phase. A total of up to 40 construction workers can be expected during the shoring and excavation activities (i.e., up to 20 workers at the Hermosa Beach building sites and up to 20 workers at the Manhattan Beach building sites) and these workers are expected to be able to park their trucks/vehicles on-site. It is also anticipated that construction workers would primarily remain on-site throughout the day. The number of construction worker vehicles is estimated using an average vehicle ridership (AVR) of 1.135 persons per vehicle (as provided in the South Coast Air Quality Management District in its CEQA Air Quality Handbook). Therefore, it is estimated that approximately 72 vehicle trips (36 inbound trips and 36 outbound trips) on a daily basis would be generated to/from the sites by the construction workers during the excavation phase. In order to provide a conservative analysis, regardless of the construction hours, it has been assumed that an additional 36 inbound trips during the weekday AM peak hour and a maximum of 36 outbound trips would occur during the weekday PM peak hour at each site.

While the greatest potential for impact on the adjacent street system during the AM peak hour would occur during the excavation construction period, the greatest number of construction workers are expected during building construction and these activities are expected to result in the greatest potential for impact on the adjacent street system during the PM peak hour. The following subsection provides a summary of the forecast construction traffic trip generation during concurrent building construction.

11.3 Construction Traffic Trip Generation – Building Construction

Activities related to the building construction are expected to generate the highest number of construction worker vehicle trips as compared to the excavation period. Based on information provided by the general contractor, during concrete pouring and rebar work, the maximum number of construction workers at any given time is expected to be 140 workers at the Hermosa Beach sites

and 140 workers at the Manhattan Beach sites. During this phase, as noted in Subsection 11.1 above, construction workers are expected to arrive at a yet to be designated off-site location/s through lease arrangement, and be shuttled to the construction sites. At this time, it has been assumed that the Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center will be used for off-site construction worker parking. Construction workers are expected to typically arrive to the project site before 7:30 AM and many will depart the site before 4:30 PM. Thus, while these construction worker trips and shuttle trips would generally occur outside of the peak hour of traffic on the local street system, these trips have been assumed to overlap with the commute peak hours in order to provide a conservative forecast of construction trip generation. For example, as shown in the traffic study, the peak hour of traffic at the study intersections adjacent to the project site typically begins between 7:45 and 8:00 weekday AM during the morning commute period, and typically begins at 4:45 and 5:00 weekday PM during the afternoon commute period.

It is anticipated that construction workers would primarily remain on-site throughout the day. The number of construction worker vehicles is estimated using an AVR of 1.135 persons per vehicle (as provided in the South Coast Air Quality Management District in its CEQA Air Quality Handbook). Therefore, it is estimated that approximately 19 inbound shuttle trips and 19 outbound shuttle trips could be generated to/from the off-site location(s) during the weekday AM and PM peak hours during the building construction phase/s at the project sites. It has been conservatively assumed that no construction workers would be able to park on-site during this phase. When accounting for the application of a PCE factor of 1.5 to account for the larger size of a 15-passenger van/shuttle, a total of 29 inbound shuttle PCE trips and 29 outbound shuttle PCE trips could potentially occur during the weekday AM and PM peak hours.

It is generally anticipated that construction worker-related traffic would be largely freeway oriented. Construction workers would likely arrive and depart via the on- and off-ramps serving the I-105 and I-405 Freeways. The most commonly used freeway ramps would be nearest the project sites, including the I-105 Freeway ramps at Sepulveda Boulevard and the I-405 Freeway Ramps at Artesia Boulevard during excavation activities. During building construction, other ramps to/from I-105 and I-405 Freeways would likely be used (e.g., the Aviation Boulevard ramps at I-105 Freeway). The construction work force would likely be generated from all parts of the Los Angeles region and are, thereby are assumed to arrive from all directions. This general distribution (i.e., 80 percent on the freeways and 20 percent on local roadways) could potentially result in less than 50 vehicle trips at any one study intersection near the off-site parking area during the commute peak hours. This increase is not anticipated to result in any significant impacts based on the City's significance criteria.

In addition to construction worker vehicles, additional trips may be generated by miscellaneous trucks traveling to and from the project site. These trucks may consist of larger vehicles delivering equipment and/or construction materials to the project site, or smaller pick-up trucks or four-wheel drive vehicles used by construction supervisors and/or City inspectors. During peak construction phases, which assumes concurrent building construction activities at both the Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach sites, it is estimated that approximately 50 trucks per day or 100 truck trips per day

(i.e., 50 inbound truck trips and 50 outbound truck trips) could be made by miscellaneous trucks. To conservatively estimate the equivalent number of vehicles associated with the trucks, a PCE factor of 2.0 was utilized based on standard traffic engineering practice. Therefore, conservatively assuming 100 daily truck trips, it is estimated that the trucks would generate approximately 200 PCE trips (i.e., 100 inbound PCE trips and 100 outbound PCE trips) on a daily basis. It is estimated that approximately 10 PCE trips (ten inbound PCE trips and 10 outbound PCE trips) would occur during each of the weekday AM and PM peak hours, assuming ten percent of the daily PCE truck trips occur during the peak hours.

Taken together, the construction worker vehicles and miscellaneous trucks during building construction are forecast to generate significantly fewer vehicle trips than the forecast trips during excavation activities during the AM peak hour and the greatest potential for impact on the adjacent street system during the PM peak hour is during concurrent building construction.

11.4 Future With Construction Conditions – Peak Excavation Activities (AM Peak Hour) and Peak Building Construction (PM Peak Hour)

11.4.1 *City of Hermosa Beach Construction Traffic Analysis*

Access to nearby residential driveways will be maintained and not be obstructed during all concurrent construction activities. As stated above, the greatest potential for impact on the adjacent street system during the AM peak hour is expected to occur during the excavation construction period. In order to assess the potential impact of excavation activities, a worst-case scenario which assumes excavation of the Hermosa Beach Design Center and Executive Offices building sites and the Manhattan Beach building sites was assumed for AM peak hour analysis purposes. The greatest potential for impact on the adjacent street system during the PM peak hour is expected to occur during the building construction period. In order to assess the potential impact of building construction activities, a worst-case scenario which assumes building construction of the Hermosa Beach Design Center and Executive Offices building sites and the Manhattan Beach building sites was assumed for PM peak hour analysis purposes.

As shown in **Table 11-1**, based on the forecast construction traffic generation, which also includes the redistribution of existing Skechers employees who currently park at off-site parking locations, street segment impacts due to construction activities are forecast to be less than significant, based on the still very good Levels of Service (i.e., LOS A at all six street segment locations closest to the project site). As shown in **Table 11-2**, based on the forecast construction traffic generation, which also includes redistribution of existing Skechers employees who currently park at off-site parking locations, intersection impacts due to construction activities are forecast to be significant at two intersections (i.e., at Intersection No. 14: PCH/30th Street during the weekday AM peak hour and at Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-PCH/Keats Street during the PM peak hour). It is important to note that these findings are conservative, in that the impacts were analyzed assuming concurrent construction of both the Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach building sites and employment of the City of Hermosa Beach's adopted significance thresholds which are intended for application with typical, recurring, conditions and not short-term, temporary conditions as occurs

Table 11-1
CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH STREET SEGMENT LEVELS OF SERVICE SUMMARY
CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC

NO.	STREET SEGMENT	TIME PERIOD	DIRECTIONAL SPLIT [a]	TOTAL CAPACITY (PCPH) [b]	(1)			(2)			(3)						
					EXISTING TRAFFIC		FUTURE TRAFFIC WITHOUT CONSTRUCTION TRIPS		FUTURE TRAFFIC WITH CONSTRUCTION TRIPS		PROJECT TRIPS [c]	V/C	LOS	V/C	LOS	PCPH PERCENT INCREASE	SIG. IMPACT YES/NO [e]
					PEAK HOUR VOL [c]	V/C	PEAK HOUR VOL [d]	V/C	PEAK HOUR VOL [f]	LOS							
2	Longfellow Avenue east of Ardmore Avenue	AM PM	50 / 50 50 / 50	1,400 1,400	106 107	0.076 0.076	A A	110 111	0.079 0.079	A A	2 4	0.080 0.082	A A	1.8% 3.6%	NO NO		
3	30th Street east of Ardmore Avenue	AM PM	50 / 50 50 / 50	1,400 1,400	80 73	0.057 0.052	A A	83 76	0.059 0.054	A A	0 0	0.059 0.054	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO		
6	Tennyson Place between Longfellow Avenue and 30th Street	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	87 103	0.070 0.078	A A	91 107	0.073 0.081	A A	0 0	0.073 0.081	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO		
8	Boundary Place west of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	36 30	0.029 0.023	A A	37 31	0.030 0.023	A A	0 0	0.030 0.023	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO		
9	Longfellow Avenue west of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	90 / 10 90 / 10	1,050 1,050	138 169	0.131 0.161	A A	144 176	0.137 0.168	A A	2 4	0.139 0.171	A A	1.4% 2.3%	NO NO		
10	30th Street west of Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	125 78	0.094 0.062	A A	130 81	0.098 0.065	A A	0 0	0.098 0.065	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO		

NOTES

- [a] Directional split of the roadway is based on existing traffic count data.
- [b] Total capacity (PCPH) is based on existing roadway directional split per County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works' "Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines". However, please note that the PCPH capacity used in this analysis is one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County's identified capacities in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways, on-street parking, etc.) in order to provide a conservative analysis.
- [c] Obtained from 24-hour machine counts conducted by City Traffic Counters in March 2016.
- [d] Derived by applying an ambient growth factor of 1.00% per year to existing traffic volumes to reflect year 2020 conditions.
- [e] Represents construction trips based on the peak trip generation period of the proposed construction schedule, and includes shifts in existing trips due to the reassignment of Skechers' off-site employee parking to the existing 225 S. Sepulveda Boulevard and 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard buildings in Manhattan Beach. For purposes of this analysis, no trip reductions were applied to those segments where the net total project trips were determined to be negative.
- [f] [d] + [e]
- [g] According to the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works' "Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines", January 1, 1997, Page 6: an impact is considered significant if the project related increase in Passenger Car Per Hour (PCPH) equals or exceeds the thresholds shown below. However, as noted above, the PCPH capacities used in this analysis are one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County's identified capacities in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways, on-street parking, etc.) in order to provide a conservative analysis.

Percentage Increases in PCPH by Project

Directional Split	Total Capacity (PCPH)	Pre-project LOS		
		C	D	E/F
50/50	1,400	4	2	1
60/40	1,325	4	2	1
70/30	1,250	4	2	1
80/20	1,150	4	2	1
90/10	1,050	4	2	1
100/0	1,000	4	2	1

Table 11-2
CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1] YEAR 2016 EXISTING		[3] YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ.		YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ PROPOSED PROJECT		[4] CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]		SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
			V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	V/C or DELAY [e]	LOS [d]	
1	Valley Drive/ Gould Avenue [a]	AM PM	18.4 26.1	C D	25.3 45.7	D E	25.3 45.7	D E	0.0 0.0	No No	
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	11.6 10.1	B B	12.6 10.6	B B	12.6 10.6	B B	0.0 0.0	No No	
3	Ardmore Avenue/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	10.8 10.1	B B	11.3 10.6	B B	11.3 10.6	B B	0.0 0.0	No No	
4	Ardmore Avenue/ Gould Ave [a]	AM PM	39.5 39.6	E E	47.2 45.7	E E	47.2 45.7	E E	0.0 0.0	No No	
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	7.3 7.6	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM PM	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	7.0 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	
7	Tennyson Place/ Longfellow Avenue [a]	AM PM	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	7.2 7.3	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	
8	Tennyson Place/ 30th Street [a]	AM PM	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	7.1 7.1	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM PM	1.040 1.053	F F	1.119 1.161	F F	1.120 1.178	F F	0.001 0.017	No No	
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM PM	0.821 0.700	D B	0.895 0.814	D D	0.896 0.818	D D	0.001 0.004	No No	
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM PM	0.868 0.712	D C	0.942 0.786	E C	0.943 0.791	E C	0.001 0.005	No No	
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No	
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM PM	0.814 0.668	D B	0.875 0.743	D C	0.889 0.754	D C	0.014 0.011	No No	
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	23.4 >50.0	C F	25.2 >50.0	D F	1.8 [e]	Yes No	
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 25.3	F D	0.0 0.6	No Yes	
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[e] 0.0	No No	
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	1.006 0.769	F C	1.098 0.887	F D	1.109 0.885	F D	0.011 -0.002	No No	
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	AM PM	0.813 0.662	D B	0.880 0.755	D C	0.881 0.753	D C	0.001 -0.002	No No	
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	AM PM	0.676 0.672	B B	0.730 0.751	C C	0.731 0.750	C C	0.001 -0.001	No No	
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	AM PM	0.658 0.707	B C	0.713 0.802	C D	0.714 0.801	C D	0.001 -0.001	No No	

Table 11-2 (Continued)
 CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1] YEAR 2016 EXISTING		[3] YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ.		[4]			
			V/C or DELAY	LOS [b]	V/C or DELAY	LOS [b]	V/C or DELAY	LOS [b]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [c]
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	AM	0.912	E	0.984	E	0.986	E	0.002	No
		PM	0.834	D	0.904	E	0.904	E	0.000	No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.699	B	0.773	C	0.778	C	0.005	No
		PM	0.743	C	0.868	D	0.867	D	-0.001	No
23	Prospect Avenue/ Aviation Boulevard	AM	0.695	B	0.726	C	0.726	C	0.000	No
		PM	0.758	C	0.801	D	0.801	D	0.000	No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.690	B	0.759	C	0.764	C	0.005	No
		PM	0.620	B	0.719	C	0.718	C	-0.001	No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.813	D	0.903	E	0.908	E	0.005	No
		PM	0.600	A	0.726	C	0.725	C	-0.001	No

- [a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
- [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
- [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
- [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
- [e] Oversaturated conditions.
- [f] While this improvement is expected to reduce the project's traffic impacts to less than significant levels, due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's significant traffic impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable (until such time as the improvement is completed).

during construction activities. The construction traffic analysis data worksheets are provided in *Appendix G*.

11.4.2 City of Manhattan Beach Construction Traffic Analysis

As shown in *Table 11-3*, based on the forecast construction traffic generation, which includes the redistribution of existing Skechers employees who currently park at off-site parking locations, street segment impacts due to construction activities are forecast to be less than significant, based on the still very good Levels of Service (i.e., LOS A at all 13 Manhattan Beach street segment locations closest to the project site). As shown in *Table 11-4*, based on the forecast construction traffic generation, which includes the redistribution of existing Skechers employees who currently park at off-site parking locations, intersection impacts due to construction activities are forecast to be significant at two intersections (i.e., at Intersection No. 14: PCH/30th Street during the PM peak hour and at Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street during the AM peak hour). It is important to note that these findings are conservative, in that the impacts were analyzed assuming concurrent construction of both the Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach building sites and employment of the City of Manhattan Beach's adopted significance thresholds which are intended for application with typical, recurring, conditions and not short-term, temporary conditions as occurs during construction activities. The construction traffic analysis data worksheets are provided in *Appendix G*.

11.5 Emergency Access During Construction

During the EIR scoping process, some comments and questions were raised pertaining to emergency access, particularly during the temporary closure of the southbound exterior Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway curb lane, which is expected to occur only during a portion of the construction sequence. The potential traffic impacts during construction have been analyzed as previously discussed in Subsection 11.4, above. Having stated the above with respect to potential traffic impacts at area intersections during construction activities, it is important to note that as required by the State of California Vehicle Code (i.e., specifically Section 21806, Authorized Emergency Vehicles), "upon the immediate approach of an authorized emergency vehicle which is sounding a siren and which has at least one lighted lamp exhibiting red light that is visible, under normal atmospheric conditions, from a distance of 1,000 feet in front of a vehicle, the surrounding traffic shall, except as otherwise directed by a traffic officer, do the following:

- (a) (1) Except as required under paragraph (2), the driver of every other vehicle shall yield the right-of-way and shall immediately drive to the right-hand edge or curb of the highway, clear of any intersection, and thereupon shall stop and remain stopped until the authorized emergency vehicle has passed.
- (2) A person driving a vehicle in an exclusive or preferential use lane shall exit that lane immediately upon determining that the exit can be accomplished with reasonable safety.

Table 11-3
CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH STREET SEGMENT LEVELS OF SERVICE SUMMARY
CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC

NO.	STREET SEGMENT	TIME PERIOD	DIRECTIONAL SPLIT [a]	TOTAL CAPACITY (PCPH) [b]	(1)			(2)			(3)					
					EXISTING TRAFFIC PEAK HOUR VOL [c]	V/C	LOS	FUTURE TRAFFIC WITHOUT CONSTRUCTION TRIPS PEAK HOUR VOL [d]	V/C	LOS	PROJECT TRIPS [e]	PEAK HOUR VOL [f]	V/C	LOS	PCPH PERCENT INCREASE	SIG. IMPACT YES/NO [g]
1	Duncan Avenue east of Ardmore Avenue	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	108 101	0.086 0.076	A A	112 105	0.090 0.079	A A	2 0	114 105	0.091 0.079	A A	1.8% 0.0%	NO NO
4	Dianthus Street north of Duncan Avenue	AM PM	80 / 20 60 / 40	1,150 1,325	93 115	0.081 0.087	A A	97 120	0.084 0.091	A A	0 0	97 120	0.084 0.091	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
5	Dianthus Street between Duncan Avenue and Boundary Place	AM PM	80 / 20 70 / 30	1,150 1,250	101 103	0.088 0.082	A A	105 107	0.091 0.086	A A	0 0	105 107	0.091 0.086	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
7	Duncan Avenue west of Sepulveda Boulevard	AM PM	50 / 50 70 / 30	1,400 1,250	96 152	0.069 0.122	A A	100 158	0.071 0.126	A A	6 0	106 158	0.076 0.126	A A	6.0% 0.0%	NO NO
11	Duncan Drive east of Sepulveda Boulevard	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	60 82	0.045 0.062	A A	62 85	0.047 0.064	A A	6 0	68 85	0.051 0.064	A A	9.7% 0.0%	NO NO
12	Longfellow Drive east of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	152 142	0.115 0.114	A A	158 148	0.119 0.118	A A	23 2	181 150	0.137 0.120	A A	14.6% 1.4%	NO NO
13	Keats Street east of Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway	AM PM	50 / 50 70 / 30	1,400 1,250	113 111	0.081 0.089	A A	118 116	0.084 0.093	A A	0 0	118 116	0.084 0.093	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
14	Kuhn Drive between Rhonda Drive and Duncan Drive	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	37 47	0.028 0.035	A A	39 49	0.029 0.037	A A	0 0	39 49	0.029 0.037	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
15	Kuhn Drive between Duncan Drive and Longfellow Drive	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	67 66	0.051 0.053	A A	70 69	0.053 0.055	A A	6 0	76 69	0.057 0.055	A A	8.6% 0.0%	NO NO

Table 11-3 (Continued)
CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH STREET SEGMENT LEVELS OF SERVICE SUMMARY
CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC

NO.	STREET SEGMENT	TIME PERIOD	DIRECTIONAL SPLIT [a]	TOTAL CAPACITY (PCPH) [b]	(1)			(2)			(3)					
					EXISTING TRAFFIC PEAK HOUR VOL [c]	V/C	LOS	FUTURE TRAFFIC WITHOUT CONSTRUCTION TRIPS PEAK HOUR VOL [d]	V/C	LOS	PROJECT TRIPS [e]	PEAK HOUR VOL [f]	V/C	LOS	PCPH PERCENT INCREASE	SIG. IMPACT YES/NO [g]
16	Kuhn Drive between Longfellow Drive and Keats Street	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	122 94	0.092 0.071	A A	127 98	0.096 0.074	A A	0 0	127 98	0.096 0.074	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
17	Keats Street between Kuhn Drive and Chabela Drive	AM PM	60 / 40 70 / 30	1,325 1,250	294 244	0.222 0.195	A A	306 254	0.231 0.203	A A	0 0	306 254	0.231 0.203	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
18	Prospect Avenue north of Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	70 / 30 60 / 40	1,250 1,325	227 278	0.182 0.210	A A	236 289	0.189 0.218	A A	0 0	236 289	0.189 0.218	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO
19	Meadows Avenue north of Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	60 / 40 60 / 40	1,325 1,325	583 561	0.440 0.423	A A	607 584	0.458 0.441	A A	0 0	607 584	0.458 0.441	A A	0.0% 0.0%	NO NO

NOTES

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- [b] Total capacity (PCPH) is based on existing roadway directional split per County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works' "Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines". However, please note that the PCPH capacity used in this analysis is one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County's identified capacities in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways, on-street parking, etc.) in order to provide a conservative analysis.
- [c] Obtained from 24-hour machine counts conducted by City Traffic Counters in March 2016.
- [d] Derived by applying an ambient growth factor of 1.00% per year to existing traffic volumes to reflect year 2020 conditions.
- [e] Represents construction trips based on the peak trip generation period of the proposed construction schedule, and includes shifts in existing trips due to the reassignment of Skechers' off-site employee parking to the existing 225 S. Sepulveda Boulevard and 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard buildings in Manhattan Beach. For purposes of this analysis, no trip reductions were applied to those segments where the net total project trips were determined to be negative.
- [f] [d] + [e]
- [g] According to the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works' "Traffic Impact Analysis Report Guidelines", January 1, 1997, Page 6: an impact is considered significant if the project related increase in Passenger Car Per Hour (PCPH) equals or exceeds the thresholds shown below. However, as noted above, the PCPH capacities used in this analysis are one-half (i.e., 50%) of the County's identified capacities in order to better reflect the type of roadways, adjoining land uses, and other local roadway network characteristics (e.g., residential driveways, on-street parking, etc.) in order to provide a conservative analysis.

Percentage Increases in PCPH by Project

Directional Split	Total Capacity (PCPH)	Pre-project LOS		
		C	D	E/F
50/50	1,400	4	2	1
60/40	1,325	4	2	1
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90/10	1,050	4	2	1
100/0	1,000	4	2	1

Table 11-4
 CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH - SUMMARY OF VOLUME TO CAPACITY RATIOS
 AND LEVELS OF SERVICE
 WEEKDAY AM AND PM PEAK HOURS
 CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC

NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR	[1] YEAR 2016 EXISTING		[3] YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ.		[4]			
			V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	V/C or DELAY	LOS [c]	CHANGE V/C or DELAY [(4)-(3)]	SIGNIF. IMPACT [d]
2	Ardmore Avenue/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM	11.6	B	12.6	B	12.6	B	0.0	No
		PM	10.1	B	10.6	B	10.6	B	0.0	No
5	Dianthus Street/ Duncan Avenue [a]	AM	7.3	A	7.3	A	7.3	A	0.0	No
		PM	7.6	A	7.6	A	7.6	A	0.0	No
6	Dianthus Street-Tennyson Place/ Boundary Place [a]	AM	7.0	A	7.0	A	7.0	A	0.0	No
		PM	7.1	A	7.1	A	7.1	A	0.0	No
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM	1.040	F	1.119	F	1.120	F	0.001	No
		PM	1.053	F	1.161	F	1.178	F	0.017	No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	AM	0.821	D	0.895	D	0.896	D	0.001	No
		PM	0.700	B	0.814	D	0.818	D	0.004	No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	AM	0.868	D	0.942	E	0.943	E	0.001	No
		PM	0.712	C	0.786	C	0.791	C	0.005	No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive [b]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	No
		PM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	No
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM	0.814	D	0.875	D	0.889	D	0.014	No
		PM	0.668	B	0.743	C	0.754	C	0.011	No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street [b]	AM	19.1	C	23.4	C	25.2	D	1.8	No
		PM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	[e]	Yes
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street [b]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	No
		PM	19.7	C	24.7	C	25.3	D	0.6	No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street [b]	AM	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	[e]	Yes
		PM	34.3	D	>50.0	F	>50.0	F	0.0	No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM	1.006	F	1.098	F	1.109	F	0.011	No
		PM	0.769	C	0.887	D	0.885	D	-0.002	No
22	Prospect Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.699	B	0.773	C	0.778	C	0.005	No
		PM	0.743	C	0.868	D	0.867	D	-0.001	No
24	Meadows Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.690	B	0.759	C	0.764	C	0.005	No
		PM	0.620	B	0.719	C	0.718	C	-0.001	No
25	Peck Avenue-Ford Avenue/ Artesia Boulevard	AM	0.813	D	0.903	E	0.908	E	0.005	No
		PM	0.600	A	0.726	C	0.725	C	-0.001	No

- [a] All-way stop controlled intersection.
- [b] Two-way stop controlled intersection. Reported control delay value (in seconds per vehicle) represents the delay associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
- [c] Level of Service (LOS) is based on the reported ICU value for signalized intersections and on the delay for unsignalized intersections.
- [d] Refer to report text for the significant impact thresholds.
- [e] Oversaturated conditions.
- [f] While this improvement is expected to reduce the project's traffic impacts to less than significant levels, due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's significant traffic impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable (until such time as the improvement is completed).

(b) The operator of every street car shall immediately stop the street car, clear of any intersection, and remain stopped until the authorized emergency vehicle has passed.

(c) All pedestrians upon the highway shall proceed to the nearest curb or place of safety and remain there until the authorized emergency vehicle has passed.”⁷

During the temporary closure of the southbound exterior Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway curb lane, it is expected that emergency vehicles using the corridor can continue to do so and access to/from the residential areas will be maintained.

If required, drivers of emergency vehicles are trained to utilize center turn lanes, or travel in opposing through lanes, to pass through crowded intersections or streets. Thus, the respect entitled to emergency vehicles and driver training allow emergency vehicles to negotiate typical street conditions in urban areas including areas near a temporary roadway closure. No significant impacts to emergency response times is therefore anticipated.

11.6 Construction Management and Haul Route Approval

Approvals required by the City of Hermosa Beach, the City of Manhattan Beach, and the State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) for implementation of the proposed project include a Truck Haul Route program approved by Cities and an encroachment permit obtained by Caltrans. With regard to other construction traffic-related issues, construction equipment would be stored within the perimeter fence of the construction site. With the required haul route approval and other construction management practices, construction activity is considered to be temporarily significant. Impacts could be further reduced with the implementation of the following design features:

- Maintain existing access for the existing site uses and parking facilities;
- Limit any potential roadway lane closures to off-peak travel periods;
- Schedule receipt of construction materials to non-peak travel periods, to the extent possible;
- Coordinate deliveries to reduce the potential of trucks waiting to unload for protracted periods of times; and
- Prohibit parking by construction workers on adjacent streets and directing the construction workers to available parking within the project site.

In conclusion, short-term, temporary impacts during construction are found to be significant and unavoidable.

⁷ Source: State of California Department of Motor Vehicles website; <https://www.dmv.ca.gov/portal/dmv>; Amended Sec. 68, Ch. 1154, Stats 1996 Effective September 30, 1996.

12.0 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ANALYSIS

In addition to the intersection analyses, which utilize the City of Hermosa Beach and the City of Manhattan Beach's methodologies, a supplemental analysis was prepared based on the latest edition of the *Highway Capacity Manual*⁸ (HCM 2010) operational analysis methodologies pursuant to the California Department of Transportation's (Caltrans) *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies*⁹. Based on recent coordination with Caltrans, analyses of Caltrans facilities should be conducted when and if a proposed project is expected to add 50 or more peak hour trips in either direction on a freeway mainline segment. The proposed project at build-out is not expected to generate 50 or more vehicle trips, during either the weekday AM or PM commute peak hours, at any freeway mainline location. Thus, any freeway mainline location would not exceed the threshold for preparation of a Caltrans freeway mainline analysis. However, the proposed project is expected to contribute trip generation along the Sepulveda Boulevard/Pacific Coast Highway corridor, which operates under joint jurisdiction with Caltrans and the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach. Therefore, the Sepulveda Boulevard/Pacific Coast Highway corridor has been analyzed based on Caltrans methodology during the weekday AM and PM commute peak hours. The following Caltrans study intersections have been identified for analysis based on their proximity to the project site:

- Intersection No. 9: Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard
- Intersection No. 10: Sepulveda Boulevard/8th Street
- Intersection No. 11: Sepulveda Boulevard/2nd Street
- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive
- Intersection No. 13: Sepulveda Boulevard-PCH/Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive
- Intersection No. 14: Sepulveda Boulevard-PCH/30th Street
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-PCH/Keats Street
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard-PCH/Tennyson Street
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-PCH/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard
- Intersection No. 18: Pacific Coast Highway/21st Street
- Intersection No. 19: Pacific Coast Highway/16th Street
- Intersection No. 20: Pacific Coast Highway/Pier Avenue-14th Street
- Intersection No. 21: Pacific Coast Highway/Aviation Boulevard-10th Street

According to the Caltrans document, the LOS for operating State highway facilities is based upon measures of effectiveness (MOEs). For state-controlled signalized study intersections, the MOE is

⁸ *HCM2010 Highway Capacity Manual*, Transportation Research Board of the National Academies, 2010.

⁹ *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies*, State of California Department of Transportation, December 2002.

determined based on control delay in seconds per vehicle (sec/veh). Caltrans “endeavors to maintain a target LOS at the transition between LOS C and LOS D on State highway facilities”; it does not require that LOS D (shall) be maintained. However, Caltrans acknowledges that this may not always be feasible and recommends that the lead agency consult with Caltrans to determine the appropriate target LOS. If an existing State highway facility is operating at less than the appropriate target LOS, the existing MOE should be maintained. For this analysis, LOS D is the target level of service standard and will be utilized to assess the project impacts at the Caltrans study intersections.

12.1 Highway Capacity Manual Method of Analysis

Based on the HCM operations method of analysis, level of service for signalized intersections is defined in terms of control delay, which is a measure of driver discomfort, frustration, fuel consumption, and lost travel time. The delay experienced by a motorist is made up of a number of factors that relate to control, geometries, traffic, and incidents. Total delay is the difference between the travel time actually experienced and the reference travel time that would result during ideal conditions: in the absence of traffic control, in the absence of geometric delay, in the absence of any incidents, and when there are no other vehicles on the road.

The HCM signalized methodology calculates the control delay for each of the subject traffic movements and determines the level of service for each constrained movement. The control delay for any particular movement is a function of the capacity of the approach and the degree of saturation. The overall control delay is measured in seconds per vehicle and the level of service is then determined. The term Level of Service (LOS) is used to describe intersection operations. Intersection Levels of Service vary from LOS A (free flow) to LOS F (jammed condition). The six qualitative categories of Level of Service that have been defined along with the corresponding HCM control delay value range for signalized intersections are shown in **Appendix H**.

12.2 Intersection Impact Analysis and Queuing Review

Intersection analyses were prepared utilizing the *Synchro 9* software package which implements the Highway Capacity Manual operational methods. A *Synchro* network was created based on existing conditions field reviews at the above 13 Caltrans study intersections. In addition, specifics such as lane configurations, storage lengths, crosswalk locations, posted speed limits, traffic signal phasing, and traffic volumes, were coded to complete the existing network.

12.2.1 Combined Project Analyses

Table 12-1 summarizes the intersection analyses for the existing, existing with combined project, and year 2020 future conditions both without and with the combined project. The first column [1] of **Table 12-1** presents a summary of existing traffic conditions. The second column [2] presents existing with combined project traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry. The third column [3] presents year 2020 traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry, but without any combined project-generated traffic. The fourth column [4] presents future forecast traffic conditions with the addition of project traffic.

Table 12-1
CALTRANS INTERSECTION IMPACT ANALYSIS [a]
COMBINED PROJECT

NO.	INTERSECTION	TRAFFIC CONTROL	PEAK HOUR	[1] YEAR 2016 EXISTING		[2] YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ COMBINED PROJECT				[3] YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ.			[4] YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ COMBINED PROJECT		
				DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(2)-(1)]	IMPACT	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(4)-(3)]	IMPACT
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	60.8 >80.0	E F	62.0 >80.0	E F	1.2 0.6	Yes No	74.4 >80.0	E F	76.3 >80.0	E F	1.9 0.9	Yes No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	Signalized	AM PM	5.0 3.4	A A	5.0 3.4	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	5.3 3.7	A A	5.3 3.7	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	Signalized	AM PM	11.4 9.2	B A	11.4 9.2	B A	0.0 0.0	No No	13.7 8.9	B A	13.7 8.9	B A	0.0 0.0	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] [d]	Yes Yes
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	Signalized	AM PM	6.0 4.7	A A	6.5 4.7	A A	0.5 0.0	No No	6.8 4.7	A A	7.5 4.7	A A	0.7 0.0	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	23.5 >50.0	C F	4.4 [d]	No Yes	23.4 >50.0	C F	31.4 >50.0	D F	8.0 [d]	No Yes
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Kents Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] [d]	Yes Yes	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] [d]	Yes Yes
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] 0.0	Yes No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	59.0 50.0	E D	66.8 56.0	E E	7.8 6.0	Yes Yes	67.3 71.9	E E	75.8 77.2	E E	8.5 5.3	Yes Yes
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	Signalized	AM PM	16.8 9.6	B A	17.0 9.6	B A	0.2 0.0	No No	18.1 7.0	B A	18.5 7.0	B A	0.4 0.0	No No
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	Signalized	AM PM	10.0 38.3	A D	10.0 38.6	A D	0.0 0.3	No No	10.2 42.1	B D	10.2 43.8	B D	0.0 1.7	No No
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	Signalized	AM PM	9.4 11.9	A B	9.4 11.9	A B	0.0 0.0	No No	9.0 13.9	A B	9.0 13.9	A B	0.0 0.0	No No
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	Signalized	AM PM	30.7 37.0	C D	31.2 37.2	C D	0.5 0.2	No No	34.5 39.4	C D	35.7 39.4	D D	1.2 0.0	No No

[a] Intersection analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual operational analysis methodologies, per the Caltrans' *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies, December 2002*.

[b] Reported control delay values in seconds per vehicle. For two-way stop controlled intersections, reported control delay values represent the delays associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.

[c] Signalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-20	B
> 20-35	C
> 35-55	D
> 55-80	E
> 80	F

Unsignalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-15	B
> 15-25	C
> 25-35	D
> 35-50	E
> 50	F

[d] Oversaturated Conditions.

As shown in *Table 12-1*, application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the existing with combined project scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following six (6) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 9: Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (AM/PM peak hours)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM/PM peak hours)

Application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the year 2020 future with combined project scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following six (6) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 9: Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (AM/PM peak hours)
- Intersection No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (AM/PM peak hours)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM/PM peak hours)

The corresponding weekday AM and PM peak hour HCM worksheets are contained in *Appendix H*.

In addition to the intersection analyses, a review of potential vehicle queuing was also conducted focusing on evaluation of the key northbound left-turn movements at the Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street, Pacific Coast Highway /30th Street and Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue intersections, and the southbound left-turn movement at the Pacific Coast Highway/Tennyson Street intersection. Please refer to Subsection 9.5 herein for a summary of the analysis.

12.2.2 *Hermosa Beach Project Only Analyses*

Table 12-2 summarizes the intersection analyses for the existing, existing with the Hermosa Beach project only, and year 2020 future conditions both without and with the Hermosa Beach project only. The first column [1] of *Table 12-2* presents a summary of existing traffic conditions. The second

Table 12-2
 CALTRANS INTERSECTION IMPACT ANALYSIS [a]
 HERMOSA BEACH PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	TRAFFIC CONTROL	PEAK HOUR	[1] YEAR 2016 EXISTING		[2] YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ COMBINED PROJECT				[3] YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ.			[4] YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ COMBINED PROJECT		CHANGE IN DELAY	
				DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(2)-(1)]	IMPACT	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(4)-(3)]	IMPACT	
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	60.8 >80.0	E F	61.7 >80.0	E F	0.9 0.4	No No	74.4 >80.0	E F	75.8 >80.0	E F	1.4 0.6	Yes No	
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	Signalized	AM PM	5.0 3.4	A A	5.0 3.4	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	5.3 3.7	A A	5.3 3.7	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	Signalized	AM PM	11.4 9.2	B A	11.4 9.2	B A	0.0 0.0	No No	13.7 8.9	B A	13.7 8.9	B A	0.0 0.0	No No	
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No	
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	Signalized	AM PM	6.0 4.7	A A	6.0 4.7	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	6.8 4.7	A A	6.8 4.7	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	24.6 >50.0	C F	5.5 [d]	No Yes	23.4 >50.0	C F	33.9 >50.0	D F	10.5 [d]	No Yes	
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Kents Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] [d]	Yes Yes	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] 0.0	Yes No	
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	59.0 50.0	E D	64.4 55.1	E E	5.4 5.1	Yes Yes	67.3 71.9	E E	73.2 75.8	E E	5.9 3.9	Yes Yes	
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	Signalized	AM PM	16.8 9.6	B A	16.9 9.6	B A	0.1 0.0	No No	18.1 7.0	B A	18.3 7.0	B A	0.2 0.0	No No	
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	Signalized	AM PM	10.0 38.3	A D	10.0 38.5	A D	0.0 0.2	No No	10.2 42.1	B D	10.2 43.3	B D	0.0 1.2	No No	
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	Signalized	AM PM	9.4 11.9	A B	9.4 11.9	A B	0.0 0.0	No No	9.0 13.9	A B	9.0 13.9	A B	0.0 0.0	No No	
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	Signalized	AM PM	30.7 37.0	C D	31.0 37.1	C D	0.3 0.1	No No	34.5 39.4	C D	35.3 39.6	D D	0.8 0.2	No No	

[a] Intersection analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual operational analysis methodologies, per the Caltrans' *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies, December 2002*.

[b] Reported control delay values in seconds per vehicle. For two-way stop controlled intersections, reported control delay values represent the delays associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.

[c] Signalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-20	B
> 20-35	C
> 35-55	D
> 55-80	E
> 80	F

Unsignalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-15	B
> 15-25	C
> 25-35	D
> 35-50	E
> 50	F

[d] Oversaturated Conditions.

column [2] presents existing with Hermosa Beach project only traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry. The third column [3] presents year 2020 traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry, but without any Hermosa Beach project-generated traffic. The fourth column [4] presents future forecast traffic conditions with the addition of the Hermosa Beach project only traffic.

As shown in *Table 12-2*, application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the existing with Hermosa Beach project only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following five (5) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (AM/PM peak hours)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM/PM peak hours)

Application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the year 2020 future with Hermosa Beach project only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following five (5) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 9: Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM/PM peak hours)

The corresponding weekday AM and PM peak hour HCM worksheets are contained in *Appendix H*.

In addition to the intersection analyses, a review of potential vehicle queuing was also conducted focusing on evaluation of the key northbound left-turn movements at the Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street, Pacific Coast Highway /30th Street and Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue intersections, and the southbound left-turn movement at the Pacific Coast Highway/Tennyson Street intersection. Please refer to Subsection 9.5 herein for a summary of the analysis.

12.2.3 Manhattan Beach Projects Only Analyses

Table 12-3 summarizes the intersection analyses for the existing, existing with the Manhattan Beach projects only, and year 2020 future conditions both without and with the Manhattan Beach projects only. The first column [1] of *Table 12-3* presents a summary of existing traffic conditions. The second column [2] presents existing with Manhattan Beach projects only traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry. The third column [3] presents year 2020 traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry, but without any Manhattan Beach projects-generated traffic. The fourth column [4] presents future forecast traffic conditions with the addition of the Manhattan Beach projects only traffic.

As shown in *Table 12-3*, application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the existing with Manhattan Beach projects only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following four (4) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM peak hour)

Application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the year 2020 future with Manhattan Beach projects only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following four (4) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM/PM peak hours)

The corresponding weekday AM and PM peak hour HCM worksheets are contained in *Appendix H*.

Table 12-3
 CALTRANS INTERSECTION IMPACT ANALYSIS [a]
 MANHATTAN BEACH PROJECTS

NO.	INTERSECTION	TRAFFIC CONTROL	PEAK HOUR	[1] YEAR 2016 EXISTING		[2] YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ COMBINED PROJECT		CHANGE IN DELAY [2]-[1]		[3] YEAR 2020 FUTURE PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ.		[4] YEAR 2020 FUTURE W/ COMBINED PROJECT		CHANGE IN DELAY [4]-[3]	
				DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	IMPACT	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	DELAY [b]	LOS [c]
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	60.8 >80.0	E F	61.1 >80.0	E F	0.3 0.2	No No	74.4 >80.0	E F	74.8 >80.0	E F	0.4 0.1	No No
10	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 8th Street	Signalized	AM PM	5.0 3.4	A A	5.0 3.4	A A	0.0 0.0	No No	5.3 3.7	A A	5.3 3.7	A A	0.0 0.0	No No
11	Sepulveda Boulevard/ 2nd Street	Signalized	AM PM	11.4 9.2	B A	11.4 9.2	B A	0.0 0.0	No No	13.7 8.9	B A	13.7 8.9	B A	0.0 0.0	No No
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	Signalized	AM PM	6.0 4.7	A A	6.6 4.7	A A	0.6 0.0	No No	6.8 4.7	A A	7.7 4.8	A A	0.9 0.1	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Kents Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 24.7	F C	[d] 0.0	Yes No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] 0.0	Yes No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	59.0 50.0	E D	61.1 53.4	E D	2.1 3.4	Yes No	67.3 71.9	E E	69.5 73.1	E E	2.2 1.2	Yes Yes
18	Pacific Coast Highway/ 21st Street	Signalized	AM PM	16.8 9.6	B A	16.9 9.6	B A	0.1 0.0	No No	18.1 7.0	B A	18.2 7.0	B A	0.1 0.0	No No
19	Pacific Coast Highway/ 16th Street	Signalized	AM PM	10.0 38.3	A D	10.0 38.3	A D	0.0 0.0	No No	10.2 42.1	B D	10.2 42.4	B D	0.0 0.3	No No
20	Pacific Coast Highway/ Pier Avenue-14th Street	Signalized	AM PM	9.4 11.9	A B	9.4 11.9	A B	0.0 0.0	No No	9.0 13.9	A B	9.0 13.9	A B	0.0 0.0	No No
21	Pacific Coast Highway/ Aviation Boulevard-10th Street	Signalized	AM PM	30.7 37.0	C D	30.9 37.1	C D	0.2 0.1	No No	34.5 39.4	C D	34.8 39.5	C D	0.3 0.1	No No

- [a] Intersection analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual operational analysis methodologies, per the Caltrans' *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies, December 2002*.
- [b] Reported control delay values in seconds per vehicle. For two-way stop controlled intersections, reported control delay values represent the delays associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.
- [c] Signalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:
- | | | |
|------------------------------|------------|--|
| <u>Control Delay (s/veh)</u> | <u>LOS</u> | Unsignalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria: |
| <= 10 | A | <u>Control Delay (s/veh)</u> |
| > 10-20 | B | <= 10 |
| > 20-35 | C | > 10-15 |
| > 35-55 | D | > 15-25 |
| > 55-80 | E | > 25-35 |
| > 80 | F | > 35-50 |
| | | > 50 |
- [d] Oversaturated Conditions.
- [e] While this improvement is expected to reduce the project's traffic impacts, due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's traffic impacts at this location would remain unavoidable (until such time as the improvement is completed).

In addition to the intersection analyses, a review of potential vehicle queuing was also conducted focusing on evaluation of the key northbound left-turn movements at the Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street, Pacific Coast Highway /30th Street and Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue intersections, and the southbound left-turn movement at the Pacific Coast Highway/Tennyson Street intersection. Please refer to Subsection 9.5 herein for a summary of the analysis.

12.2.4 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Project Only Analyses

Table 12-3-1 summarizes the intersection analyses for the existing, existing with the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only, and year 2020 future conditions both without and with the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only. This analysis was performed for locations along the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway corridor that were determined either to be significantly impacted by both Manhattan Beach projects (as summarized in Subsection 12.2.3 above), or located in between the impacted locations. The first column [1] of **Table 12-3-1** presents a summary of existing traffic conditions. The second column [2] presents existing with the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry. The third column [3] presents year 2020 traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry, but without any 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project-generated traffic. The fourth column [4] presents future forecast traffic conditions with the addition of project traffic.

As shown in **Table 12-3-1**, application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the existing with 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following four (4) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 15: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM peak hour)

Application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the year 2020 future with 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following three (3) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM/PM peak hours)
- Intersection No. 17: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard (AM peak hour)

The corresponding weekday AM and PM peak hour HCM worksheets are contained in *Appendix H*.

Table 12-3-1
 CALTRANS INTERSECTION IMPACT ANALYSIS [a]
 305 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	TRAFFIC CONTROL	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]		[3]		[4]			
				YEAR 2016 EXISTING DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(2)-(1)]	IMPACT	YEAR 2020 PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PROJECT DELAY [b]	LOS [c]
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 [d]	No Yes
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	Signalized	AM PM	6.0 4.7	A A	6.1 4.7	A A	0.1 0.0	No No	6.8 4.7	A A	0.2 0.0	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Kears Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 24.7	F C	0.0 0.0	No No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] [d]	Yes Yes
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	59.0 50.0	E D	60.2 53.1	E D	1.2 3.1	Yes No	67.3 71.9	E E	1.2 0.8	Yes No

[a] Intersection analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual operational analysis methodologies, per the Caltrans' *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies, December 2002*.

[b] Reported control delay values in seconds per vehicle. For two-way stop controlled intersections, reported control delay values represent the delays associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.

[c] Signalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-20	B
> 20-35	C
> 35-55	D
> 55-80	E
> 80	F

Unsignalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-15	B
> 15-25	C
> 25-35	D
> 35-50	E
> 50	F

[d] Oversaturated Conditions.

In addition to the intersection analyses, a review of potential vehicle queuing was also conducted focusing on evaluation of the key northbound left-turn movements at the Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street, Pacific Coast Highway /30th Street and Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue intersections, and the southbound left-turn movement at the Pacific Coast Highway/Tennyson Street intersection. Please refer to Subsection 9.5 herein for a summary of the analysis.

12.2.5 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Project Only Analyses

Table 12-3-2 summarizes the intersection analyses for the existing, existing with the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard expansion project only, and year 2020 future conditions both without and with the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard expansion project only. This analysis was performed for locations along the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway corridor that were determined either to be significantly impacted by both Manhattan Beach projects (as summarized in Subsection 12.2.3 above), or located in between the impacted locations. The first column [1] of **Table 12-3-2** presents a summary of existing traffic conditions. The second column [2] presents existing with the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard expansion project only traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry. The third column [3] presents year 2020 traffic conditions based on existing intersection geometry, but without any 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard expansion project-generated traffic. The fourth column [4] presents future forecast traffic conditions with the addition of project traffic.

As shown in **Table 12-3-2**, application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the existing with 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard expansion project only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following one (1) of the 13 Caltrans study intersections:

- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)

Application of the Caltrans LOS standards and guidelines to the year 2020 future with 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard expansion project only scenario indicates that the proposed project is expected to adversely impact the following two (2) study intersections:

- Intersection No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street (PM peak hour)
- Intersection No. 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street (AM peak hour)

The corresponding weekday AM and PM peak hour HCM worksheets are contained in *Appendix H*.

In addition to the intersection analyses, a review of potential vehicle queuing was also conducted focusing on evaluation of the key northbound left-turn movements at the Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street, Pacific Coast Highway /30th Street and Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue intersections, and the southbound left-turn movement at the Pacific Coast Highway/Tennyson Street intersection. Please refer to Subsection 9.5 herein for a summary of the analysis.

Table 12-3-2
CALTRANS INTERSECTION IMPACT ANALYSIS [a]
330 S. SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD EXPANSION PROJECT ONLY

NO.	INTERSECTION	TRAFFIC CONTROL	PEAK HOUR	[1]		[2]		[3]		[4]					
				YEAR 2016 EXISTING DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	YEAR 2016 EXISTING W/ PROJECT DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(2)-(1)]	IMPACT	YEAR 2020 PRE-PROJECT W/ AMB. GROW. & REL. PROJ. DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	YEAR 2020 FUTURE PROJECT DELAY [b]	LOS [c]	CHANGE IN DELAY [(4)-(3)]	IMPACT
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	0.0 0.0	No No		
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	Signalized	AM PM	6.0 4.7	A A	6.5 4.9	A A	0.5 0.2	No No	6.8 4.7	A A	7.4 4.9	A A	0.6 0.2	No No
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	19.1 >50.0	C F	19.1 >50.0	C F	0.0 0.0	No No	23.4 >50.0	C F	23.4 >50.0	C F	0.0 [d]	No Yes
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 19.7	F C	>50.0 19.7	F C	0.0 0.0	No No	>50.0 24.7	F C	>50.0 24.7	F C	0.0 0.0	No No
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street	Two-Way Stop	AM PM	>50.0 34.3	F D	>50.0 34.3	F D	[d] 0.0	Yes No	>50.0 >50.0	F F	>50.0 >50.0	F F	[d] 0.0	Yes No
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	Signalized	AM PM	59.0 50.0	E D	59.8 50.2	E D	0.8 0.2	No No	67.3 71.9	E E	68.2 72.2	E E	0.9 0.3	No No

[a] Intersection analysis based on the Highway Capacity Manual operational analysis methodologies, per the Caltrans' *Guide for the Preparation of Traffic Impact Studies, December 2002*.

[b] Reported control delay values in seconds per vehicle. For two-way stop controlled intersections, reported control delay values represent the delays associated with the most constrained movement of the intersection.

[c] Signalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-20	B
> 20-35	C
> 35-55	D
> 55-80	E
> 80	F

[d] Oversaturated Conditions.

Unsignalized Intersection Levels of Service are based on the following criteria:

Control Delay (s/veh)	LOS
<= 10	A
> 10-15	B
> 15-25	C
> 25-35	D
> 35-50	E
> 50	F

13.0 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT MEASURES

The results of the intersection capacity analyses are summarized in *Tables 9-1, 9-2, 9-3, 9-3-1 and 9-3-2* (City of Hermosa Beach Analysis Methodology/Criteria), *10-1, 10-2, 10-3, 10-3-1, and 10-3-2* (City of Manhattan Beach Analysis Methodology/Criteria), and *12-1, 12-2, 12-3, 12-3-1, and 12-3-2* (Caltrans Analysis Methodology/Criteria). **Table 13-1** and **Table 13-2**, summarize all of the impact analysis results for the combined projects, the Hermosa Beach Project, the Manhattan Beach projects and each of the Manhattan Beach Projects independently.

Transportation mitigation measures typically consist of travel demand management programs and/or improvements such as roadway and/or intersection restriping and roadway widening to accommodate additional travel lanes, and/or traffic signal installations/modifications. The following subsection (i.e., Subsection 13.1) summarizes the recommended transportation mitigation measures, however, because the study intersections are under shared jurisdiction, the improvements are not under sole control of the City of Hermosa Beach as Lead Agency, and/or the City of Manhattan Beach. As such, these impacts have been conservatively considered unavoidable for environmental review purposes.

As previously noted (refer to Subsections 3.1.6 and 3.2.6 herein), access improvement measures are recommended to facilitate access to and from the planned project site. In addition, it is recommended that transportation demand management (TDM) measures be implemented as part of the proposed project. The subsections below provide summaries of the recommended mitigation measures, access improvement measures and TDM measures.

13.1 Summary of Project Mitigation

A summary of the impacted study locations and measures reviewed for mitigation is presented in *Tables 13-1* and *Table 13-2* and is described more fully in the following paragraphs.

Intersection No. 9: Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard

A feasible mitigation measure has been identified for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Manhattan Beach Boulevard intersection. Mitigation consists of a traffic signal modification to provide eastbound right-turn and northbound left-turn overlap phasing, which allows the two traffic movements to clear the intersection concurrently. In addition, traffic signal timing adjustments are also expected. While these improvements are expected to reduce the project's traffic impacts to less than significant levels, due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's traffic impacts at this location would remain unavoidable (until such time as the improvement is completed).

Table 13-1
SUMMARY OF IMPACTED LOCATIONS BY PROJECT SCENARIO AND JURISDICTION

NO.	INTERSECTION	PROJECT SCENARIO														
		COMBINED PROJECT				HERMOSA BEACH ONLY PROJECT				305 S. SEPULVEDA BLVD. ONLY PROJECT				330 S. SEPULVEDA BLVD. EXP ONLY PROJECT		
		Hermosa Beach Criteria	Manh. Beach Criteria	Caltrans Criteria	Hermosa Beach Criteria	Manh. Beach Criteria	Caltrans Criteria	Hermosa Beach Criteria	Manh. Beach Criteria	Caltrans Criteria	Hermosa Beach Criteria	Manh. Beach Criteria	Caltrans Criteria	Hermosa Beach Criteria	Manh. Beach Criteria	Caltrans Criteria
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard			X			X									
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive		X	X			X		X				X			
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	X														
14	Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	X	X	X	X	X	X								X	X
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Keats Street	X	X	X	X	X	X					X				
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Tennyson Street		X	X			X		X			X			X	X
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	X	X	X			X		X				X			
TOTAL IMPACTED LOCATIONS BY JURISDICTION/CRITERIA		4	5	6	2	5	6	0	3	4	0	2	4	0	2	2

Table 13.2
SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDED MITIGATION MEASURES AND FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE

INT. NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR IMPACT(S)	OPERATIONAL IMPACTS	MITIGATION OPTIONS	CONCLUSION
9	Sepulveda Boulevard/ Manhattan Beach Boulevard	AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ Mitigation consists of a traffic signal modification to provide an EB right-turn and NB left-turn overlap phasing and traffic signal timing adjustments. ◊ Due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's AM peak hour impact at this location would remain significant and unavoidable. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ Traffic signal installation; however, due to proximity to both the traffic signal at Longfellow Avenue and progression a signal may be deemed by Caltrans as too close from a spacing/timing perspective. ◊ Installation of a second EB approach lane on Duncan Avenue; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Restrict EB approach movements to right-turn only; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's peak hour impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable. 	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)
12	Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive	AM PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ Mitigation measures considered: ◊ Traffic signal installation; however, due to proximity to both the traffic signal at Longfellow Avenue and progression a signal may be deemed by Caltrans as too close from a spacing/timing perspective. ◊ Installation of a second EB approach lane on Duncan Avenue; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Restrict EB approach movements to right-turn only; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's peak hour impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ After extensive review, no feasible mitigation measures are available. 	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)
13	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive	AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ Mitigation measures considered: ◊ Traffic signal installation; however, due to proximity to both the traffic signal at Longfellow Avenue and the proposed signal at Keats Street, the signal installation is likely to be deemed by Caltrans as being too close from a spacing/timing perspective. ◊ Installation of a second EB approach lane on 30th Street; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Restrict EB approach movements to right-turn only; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's peak hour impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ After extensive review, no feasible mitigation measures are available. 	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)
14	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/ 30th Street	AM PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ Mitigation measures considered: ◊ Traffic signal installation; however, due to proximity to both the traffic signal at Longfellow Avenue and the proposed signal at Keats Street, the signal installation is likely to be deemed by Caltrans as being too close from a spacing/timing perspective. ◊ Installation of a second EB approach lane on 30th Street; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Restrict EB approach movements to right-turn only; while this measure would reduce delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. ◊ Due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's peak hour impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ After extensive review, no feasible mitigation measures are available. 	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)

Table 13-2 (Continued)
SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDED MITIGATION MEASURES AND FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE

INT. NO.	INTERSECTION	PEAK HOUR IMPACT(S)	MITIGATION OPTIONS		CONCLUSION
			OPERATIONAL IMPACTS		
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street	AM PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ Mitigation consists of a traffic signal installation. ◊ Due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been conservatively concluded that the project's peak hour impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable. 	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)	
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street	AM PM	After extensive review, no feasible mitigation measures are available.	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)	
17	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard	AM PM	After extensive review, no feasible mitigation measures are available.	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)	
CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS					
14	Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street	AM (HB) PM (MB)	None - temporary construction-related impact.	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)	
15	Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street	PM (HB)	None - temporary construction-related impact.	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)	
16	Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street	AM (MB)	None - temporary construction-related impact.	Remains Impacted Significant & Unavoidable (Multi-jurisdictional)	

Intersection No. 12: Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive

Three mitigation measures were also considered for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection:

- The first measure considered was a traffic signal installation, however, given the proximity to the to the existing traffic signal at Longfellow Avenue (i.e., a centerline to centerline distance between Duncan Avenue and Longfellow Avenue of roughly 415 feet), an independently-operated traffic signal will likely be deemed by Caltrans as being too close from a spacing/timing perspective (while it would reduce the significant traffic impact to less than significant levels).
- The second measure considered was the installation of another eastbound approach lane on Duncan Avenue at Sepulveda Boulevard. This measure would convert the existing left/right combination approach lane to one exclusive left-turn lane and one exclusive right-turn lane. While this measure reduced delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. This measure is also expected to result in sight distance concerns as an eastbound vehicle waiting to turn left (north) at Sepulveda Boulevard would impede the line of sight of an eastbound vehicle waiting to turn right (south).
- The third measure considered was the installation of signs/measures restricting eastbound Duncan Avenue motorists approaching Sepulveda Boulevard to only right-turns (i.e., motorists could only access southbound Sepulveda Boulevard). While this measure reduced delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant.

Due to the above noted issues, timing (implementation) issues and the multi-jurisdictional nature of the location, it has been concluded that the project's traffic impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable.

Intersection No 13: Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Longfellow Avenue-Longfellow Drive

As no mitigation measures have been identified for this intersection, it has been concluded that the project's traffic impacts at this location would also remain unavoidable.

Intersection No. 14: Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street

Three mitigation measures were considered for the Pacific Coast Highway/30th Street intersection:

- The first measure considered was a traffic signal installation, however, given the proximity to the proposed traffic signal at the main Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection (i.e., a centerline to centerline distance between 30th Street and Keats Street of roughly 190 feet), an

independently-operated traffic signal will likely be deemed by Caltrans as being too close from a spacing/timing perspective (while it would reduce the significant traffic impact to less than significant levels). Further, the distance between the “T” intersection with 30th Street and the future “4-legged” intersection with Keats Street (along Pacific Coast Highway), while generally acceptable for the locations to be controlled under one traffic signal controller as one single, larger, intersection, is also likely to be of concern to Caltrans given the proximity of this potential new traffic signal to the existing traffic signal at Longfellow Avenue (i.e., a centerline to centerline distance between 30th Street and Longfellow Avenue of roughly 260 feet).

- The second measure considered was the installation of another eastbound approach lane on 30th Street at Pacific Coast Highway. This measure would convert the existing left/right combination approach lane to one exclusive left-turn lane and one exclusive right-turn lane. While this measure reduced delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant. This measure is also expected to result in sight distance concerns as an eastbound vehicle waiting to turn left (north) at Pacific Coast Highway would impede the line of sight of an eastbound vehicle waiting to turn right (south).
- The third measure considered was the installation of signs/measures restricting eastbound 30th Street motorists approaching Pacific Coast Highway to only right-turns (i.e., motorists could only access southbound Pacific Coast Highway). While this measure reduced delay at the intersection, it would not improve conditions to a point that would be considered less than significant.

Lastly, due to the above noted issues, timing (implementation) issues and the multi-jurisdictional nature of the location, it has been concluded that the project’s traffic impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable.

Intersection No. 15: Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street

A traffic signal is proposed at the Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection which is currently stop-sign controlled. Standard Caltrans traffic signal warrant calculations were prepared for the subject study intersection. The determination of whether the installation of a traffic signal is warranted was based on criteria set forth in Chapter 4C of the MUTCD 2003 California Supplement, July 21, 2010. The traffic signal warrant calculations were based on existing and future forecast peak traffic volumes. Refer to Section 13.1.1 below for a summary of the traffic signal warrant analyses. It is important to note that this intersection is also under joint jurisdiction with both the City of Manhattan Beach and Caltrans and therefore, construction of the improvement is not entirely within the City’s control. While the associated Caltrans-required Permit Engineering and Evaluation Report (PEER), subsequent traffic engineering design plan preparation and the eventual construction will be a requirement of the project applicant, the timing of Caltrans review and approval is not yet determined. Therefore, while these improvements are expected to reduce the project’s traffic impacts to less than significant levels, due to the multi-jurisdictional and timing issues it has been

conservatively concluded that the project's significant traffic impacts at this location would remain significant and unavoidable (until such time as the improvement is completed).

Intersection No 16: Sepulveda Boulevard/Tennyson Street

As no mitigation measures have been identified for this intersection, it has been concluded that the project's traffic impacts at this location would also remain unavoidable.

Intersection No 17: Pacific Coast Highway/Gould Avenue-Artesia Boulevard

As no mitigation measures have been identified for this intersection, it has been concluded that the project's traffic impacts at this location would also remain unavoidable.

13.2 Traffic Signal Warrant Analysis

Traffic signal warrant analyses have been prepared to determine whether traffic signals are warranted at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive and Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersections upon completion of the proposed combined project. The determination of whether the installation of a traffic signal is warranted was based on criteria set forth in Chapter 4C of the *California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices*¹⁰ (MUTCD). It is important to note that the satisfaction of a traffic signal warrant is not necessarily justification for the installation of a traffic signal. Delay, congestion, approach conditions, driver confusion, future land use or other evidence of the need for right-of-way assignment beyond that which could be provided by stop sign control may be demonstrated. Conversely, if none of the traffic signal warrants are met, these other factors may be just cause for consideration of a traffic signal installation. The lead agency must carefully consider all aspects related to installation of traffic controls.

Traffic signal warrants were prepared for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive and Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersections. Specifically, Warrant No. 3 (Peak Hour Volume) and Warrant No. 7 (Crash Experience) traffic signal warrants were prepared for both intersections. The traffic signal warrant calculations were based on existing AM and PM peak hour volumes and future with project traffic volumes. The traffic signal warrant worksheets are provided in **Appendix I**.

The following paragraphs provide detailed discussions of the traffic signal warrants prepared for the intersections.

Warrant 3: Peak Hour Volume

The Peak Hour Warrant consists of Part A and Part B and is intended for application where traffic conditions are such that for one hour of the day minor street traffic suffers undue delay in entering or

¹⁰ *California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD)*, State of California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, Department of Transportation, 2014 Edition.

crossing the major street. The Peak Hour warrant applies when one of the following criteria are satisfied:

- Part A. If all three of the following conditions exist for the same 1 hour (any four consecutive 15-minute periods) of an average day:
 - The total stopped time delay experienced by the traffic on one minor-street approach (one direction only) controlled by a STOP sign equals or exceeds 4 vehicle-hours for a one-lane approach, or 5 vehicle-hours for a two-lane approach, and
 - The volume on the same minor-street approach (one direction only) equals or exceeds 100 vehicles per hour for one moving lane of traffic or 150 vehicles per hour for two moving lanes, and
 - The total entering volume serviced during the hour equals or exceeds 650 vehicles per hour for intersections with three approaches or 800 vehicles per hour for intersections with four or more approaches.
- Part B of Warrant No. 3 is satisfied when the plotted point, representing the vehicles per hour on the major street (total of both approaches) and the corresponding vehicles per hour on the higher volume minor street approach (one direction only) for one hour of an average day, falls above the curve in Figure 4C-3 for the applicable number of approach lanes. The lower threshold for a minor street approach with one lane is 100 vehicles per hour while a minor street with two or more lanes is 150 vehicles per hour. As shown in the worksheet, the signal warrant is met when the plotted point falls above the appropriate curve.

Warrant 7: Crash Experience

The Crash Experience Warrant is intended for application where the severity and frequency of collisions are the primary reasons to consider installation of a traffic signal. The Crash Experience warrant applies when the following criteria are satisfied:

- Condition A or B of Warrant No. 1 is satisfied to the extent of 80 percent or more of the stated numerical values, or Warrant No. 4 (Pedestrian Volume) is satisfied to the extent of 80 percent or more of the stated numerical values, and
- Adequate trial of less restrictive remedies has failed to reduce the accident frequency, and
- Five or more reported accidents of types susceptible to correction by traffic signal control have occurred within the most recent 12-month period, or two per year during the most recent three-year period.

As stated above, a lead agency/jurisdiction may elect to proceed with a traffic signal installation when other issues are present, such as a need for further assignment of motorist right-of-way, even though none of the industry standard warrants are met.

13.2.1 *Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive Intersection*

As described above, traffic signal warrants were prepared for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection. Specifically, Warrant No. 3 (Peak Hour Volume) and Warrant No. 7 (Crash Experience) traffic signal warrants were prepared. In reviewing the traffic signal warrant analysis for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection, it is important to note the following:

- For the signal warrant analysis, Sepulveda Boulevard was assumed to be the major street while Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive was assumed to be the minor street.
- Weekday AM and PM peak period manual traffic counts were conducted when local schools were in session. Summary data worksheets of the current traffic counts for the subject intersection are contained in *Appendix B*.

The following lane configurations have been assumed for the intersection:

- Northbound approach: one left-turn lane, two through lanes and one combination through/right-turn lane
- Southbound approach: one left-turn lane, two through lanes and one combination through/right-turn lane
- Eastbound approach: one combination left-turn/through/right-turn lane
- Westbound approach: one combination left-turn/through/right-turn lane

The resulting warrant analysis is described below:

Warrant 3 – Peak Hour Volume: As shown in Figure 4C-3 provided in *Appendix I*, the plotted point for the peak hour falls above the applicable curve for future with combined project conditions for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection. Therefore, Part B of Warrant No. 3-Peak Hour is met for future with combined project conditions. Thus, Warrant No. 3 is satisfied under future with combined project conditions for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection.

Warrant 7 – Crash Experience: As described more extensively in Section 9.4 above, research was conducted of available accident records in order to determine, to the extent feasible, any existing accident trends. Accident records were requested for the most recent five year period (August 2010 through July 2015) from the Statewide Integrated Traffic Records System (SWITRS) database. As noted in Section 9.4 and in *Appendix Table F*, more recent accidents (August 2015 to February 2016) also were considered in the collision analysis. Records were requested for accidents within the City of Manhattan Beach. The records were then categorized in order to review accidents that occurred at the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection. A total of four (4) accidents occurred over the most recent five year period at this location. The overall trends for the

primary collision factors were related to unsafe speed and driver alcohol/drug use. *Appendix F* contains a summary of the SWITRS data. As the number of accidents at or near this intersection did not exceed five or more accidents during the most recent 12-month period or two accidents per year during the most recent 3-year period, Warrant No. 7 is not satisfied for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection.

In conclusion, Warrant No. 3 is satisfied and Warrant No. 7 is not satisfied under future with combined project conditions for the Sepulveda Boulevard/Duncan Avenue-Duncan Drive intersection. It is recommended that additional consultation be undertaken with the City of Manhattan Beach and Caltrans in order to determine feasibility of this traffic signal installation. It is important to note that the satisfaction of a traffic signal warrant is not necessarily justification for the installation of a traffic signal. Delay, congestion, approach conditions, driver confusion, future land use or other evidence of the need for right-of-way assignment beyond that which could be provided by stop sign control may be demonstrated. Conversely, if a traffic signal warrant is not met, these other factors may be just cause for consideration of a traffic signal installation. The lead agency/agencies must carefully consider all aspects related to installation of traffic controls.

13.2.2 *Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street Intersection*

As described above, traffic signal warrants were prepared for the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection. Specifically, Warrant No. 3 (Peak Hour Volume), and Warrant No. 7 (Crash Experience) traffic signal warrants were prepared. In reviewing the traffic signal warrant analysis for the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection, it is important to note the following:

- For the signal warrant analysis, Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway was assumed to be the major street while Keats Street/project driveway was assumed to be the minor street.
- Weekday AM and PM peak period manual traffic counts were conducted when local schools were in session. Summary data worksheets of the current traffic counts for the subject intersection are contained in *Appendix B*.

The following lane configurations have been assumed for the intersection:

- Northbound approach: one left-turn lane, two through lanes and one combination through/right-turn lane
- Southbound approach: one left-turn lane, two through lanes and one combination through/right-turn lane
- Eastbound approach: one right-turn only lane for vehicles exiting the project site
- Westbound approach: one combination left-turn/through/right-turn lane

The resulting warrant analysis is described below:

Warrant 3 – Peak Hour Volume: As shown in Figure 4C-3 provided in *Appendix I*, the plotted point for the peak hour falls above the applicable curve for future with combined project conditions for the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection. Therefore, Part B of Warrant No. 3-Peak Hour is met for future with combined project conditions. Thus, Warrant No. 3 is satisfied under future with combined project conditions for the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection.

Warrant 7 – Crash Experience: As described more extensively in Section 9.4 above, research was conducted of available accident records in order to determine, to the extent feasible, any existing accident trends. Accident records were requested for the most recent five year period (August 2010 through July 2015) from the Statewide Integrated Traffic Records System (SWITRS) database. As noted in Section 9.4 and in *Appendix Table F*, more recent accidents (August 2015 to February 2016) also were considered in the collision analysis. Records were requested for the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach. The records were then categorized in order to review accidents that occurred at the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection. A total of eight (8) accidents occurred over the most recent five year period at this location. The overall trends for the primary collision factors were related to unsafe speed and driver alcohol/drug use. *Appendix F* contains a summary of the SWITRS data. The number of accidents at or near this intersection exceeded five or more accidents during the most recent 12-month period (i.e., five accidents occurred between January 2015 and October 2015), however, as noted above, all parts of the warrant must be met in order to satisfy the criteria of Warrant No. 7. As there has been no adequate trial of less restrictive remedies at the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection, this first criteria of Warrant No. 7 is not met. Therefore, Warrant No. 7 is not satisfied for the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection.

In conclusion, Warrant No. 3 is satisfied and Warrant No. 7 is not satisfied under future with combined project conditions for the Sepulveda Boulevard-Pacific Coast Highway/Keats Street intersection. It is recommended that additional consultation be undertaken with the City of Hermosa Beach, the City of Manhattan Beach, and Caltrans in order to determine feasibility of this traffic signal installation. It is important to note that the satisfaction of a traffic signal warrant is not necessarily justification for the installation of a traffic signal. Delay, congestion, approach conditions, driver confusion, future land use or other evidence of the need for right-of-way assignment beyond that which could be provided by stop sign control may be demonstrated. Conversely, if a traffic signal warrant is not met, these other factors may be just cause for consideration of a traffic signal installation. The lead agency/agencies must carefully consider all aspects related to installation of traffic controls.

13.3 Project Access Recommendations

The following measures are recommended to facilitate access to and from the planned Hermosa Beach project site:

Design Center Building

- Direct project site guests and visitors to utilize the PCH project driveway to access the site.
- Direct vendors to access the PCH driveway only via PCH to preclude site-related service/delivery vehicles from traveling through the residential neighborhood.
- Develop a parking management plan for the proposed project, including details on the internal parking operations to ensure that any potential queuing onto public right-of-way will not occur.
- Install appropriate pavement markings (i.e., stop bar with STOP legend) on the project drive aisle at the public sidewalk to ensure that motorists stop prior to the sidewalk along PCH before exiting the site.
- Install a pavement right-turn arrow prior to the stop bar/STOP legend and appropriate, corresponding signage at the PCH project driveway to reinforce the right-turn only movement for motorists exiting the site. Should a traffic signal be approved in the future by the City and Caltrans at the PCH driveway across from Keats Street, the exiting approach at the traffic signal will be restriped to allow for left, through and right-turn egress turning movements.
- Provide bicycle parking within the parking facility of the project site in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

Executive Offices Building

- Direct project site guests and patrons of the coffee house to utilize the 30th Street project driveway to access the site.
- Develop a parking management plan for the proposed project, including details on the internal parking operations to ensure that any potential queuing onto public right-of-way will not occur.
- Install appropriate pavement markings (i.e., stop bar with STOP legend) on the project drive aisle at the public sidewalk to ensure that motorists stop prior to the sidewalk along 30th Street before exiting the site.
- Provide bicycle parking within the parking facility of the project site in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

The following measures are recommended to facilitate access to and from the planned Manhattan Beach project sites:

- Direct project site guests and visitors to utilize the Duncan Avenue project driveway via Sepulveda Boulevard to access the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project site.
- Direct project site guests and visitors to utilize the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project driveways via Sepulveda Boulevard and Longfellow Drive to access the 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project parking garage which is interconnected with the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard parking garage.
- Direct vendors to access the loading area during off-peak periods for both Manhattan Beach buildings so as to avoid the weekday AM and PM peak commute peak hours.
- Develop a parking management plan for the proposed project, including details on the internal parking operations to ensure that any potential queuing onto public right-of-way will not occur.
- Install appropriate pavement markings (i.e., stop bar with STOP legend) for the 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building project drive aisle at the public sidewalk to ensure that motorists stop prior to the sidewalk along Duncan Avenue before exiting the site.
- Provide bicycle parking within the parking facilities in a readily accessible location(s). The selected location(s) should encourage use and maintain visibility for personal safety and theft protection. Appropriate lighting will be provided to increase safety and provide theft protection during any night-time parking.

13.4 Transportation Demand Management

The applicant will be required to comply with the City of Hermosa Beach and City of Manhattan Beach codes and/or ordinances pertaining to trip reduction and travel demand management measures (i.e., comply with Chapter 17.48 of the City of Hermosa Beach's Municipal Code and the City of Manhattan Beach's Ordinance No. 1901). Transportation demand management (TDM) measures are aimed at reducing vehicular traffic and parking generated at project sites. TDM measures decrease the number of vehicular trips generated by persons traveling to/from the site by offering specific facilities, services and actions designed to increase the use of alternative transportation modes (e.g., transit, walking, and bicycling) and ridesharing. These measures, many of which can be considered for implementation, are expected to reduce the potential project's traffic impacts. As it cannot be determined at this time which components of a program could be expanded upon, the following menu of measures is provided for informational purposes only. As such, no formal trip reductions have been incorporated into the traffic analysis.

- *On-Site Employee Transportation Coordinator.* While it is recognized that Skechers may not already provide an Employee Transportation Coordinator at the existing buildings, an On-Site Employee Transportation Coordinator (ETC) could be designated for the proposed project. The ETC would manage all aspects of an enhanced TDM program and would also participate in City-sponsored workshops and information roundtables. The ETC could also establish a *Transportation Information Center and Transportation Fairs*. Skechers could provide transportation fairs and provide on-site information at its buildings for employees and visitors about local public transit services (including bus lines, existing and future light rail lines and connections, bus fare programs, rideshare programs and shuttles) and bicycle facilities (including routes, rental and sales locations, on-site bicycle racks and showers). Walking and biking maps could also be provided for employees, visitors and residents, which would include but not be limited to information about convenient local services and restaurants within walking distance of the project. Information could also be provided regarding local rental housing agencies. Such transportation information may be provided through a computer terminal with access to the Internet, as well as through the office of the ETC located at the project site. Transportation information should also be maintained at the administrative offices of the buildings, or by directing inquiries to the Skechers' web site as a portal.
- *TDM Web Site Information.* Transportation information should be provided in a highly visible and accessible location on Skechers' web site, including links to local transit providers, area walking, bicycling maps, etc., to inform employees and visitors of available alternative transportation modes to access the project and other existing Skechers' buildings and travel in the area. The web site should also highlight the environmental benefits of utilization of alternative transportation modes.
- *TDM Promotional Material.* Skechers should provide and exhibit in public places information materials on options for alternative transportation modes and opportunities. In addition, transit fare media and day/month passes should be made available to employees and visitors during typical business hours.
- *Transit Welcome Package.* All new employees could be provided with a Transit Welcome Package (TWP) in addition to holding Transportation Fair on an annual basis. The TWP at a minimum could include information regarding Skechers arrangement for free or discounted use of the transit system, area bus/rail transit route and connections/transfers information, bicycle facilities (including routes, rental and sales locations, on-site bicycle racks, walking and biking maps), and convenient local services and restaurants within walking distance of the project.
- *Integration of a Shuttle.* An inter-building shuttle circulator could be implemented to provide connections to downtown and/or other regional transportation systems and opportunities. Such shuttle service could be provided free of charge or be discounted to Skechers' employees.

- *Carpool Program for Employees.* Skechers could provide preferential parking within the parking garages for employees who commute to work in registered carpools. An employee who drives to work with at least one other employee to the site may register as a carpool entitled to preferential parking within the meaning of this provision.
- *Public Transit Stop Enhancements.* Working in cooperation with other transit agencies and the Cities of Manhattan Beach and Hermosa Beach, Skechers could seek to improve existing bus stops with enhanced shelters and transit information within the immediate vicinity of the buildings. Enhancements could include enhanced weather/sun protection, lighting, benches, and trash receptacles. These improvements would be intended to make riding the bus a safer and more attractive alternative.
- *Convenient Parking for Bicycle Riders.* Skechers will provide locations at the sites for convenient parking for bicycle commuters for working employees and visitors. The bicycle parking will be located within the buildings such that long-term and short-term parkers can be accommodated. Bicycle parking may mean bicycle racks, a locked cage, or other similar parking area. Skechers should observe utilization of bicycles at the other existing buildings and, if necessary, make arrangements for additional bicycle parking if the demand for bicycle parking spaces exceeds the supply.
- *Employee Walking Incentive.* Skechers could offer a program that each time an employee walks to work that they accrue points and those points/incentives could be accrued at the end of each calendar year for prizes/awards.
- *Local Hiring Program.* To the extent feasible, when hiring Skechers could conduct outreach to residents who live within one to two miles of the project sites (or other buildings where the position of employment is offered), based on satisfaction of other requirements of the available positions.
- *Expanded Bicycle Routes.* Skechers could coordinate with the Cities of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach in an effort to enhance and expand the current network of bicycle routes serving the project sites and existing buildings.

14.0 CONGESTION MANAGEMENT PROGRAM TRAFFIC IMPACT ASSESSMENT

The Congestion Management Program (CMP) is a state-mandated program that was enacted by the State Legislature with the passage of Proposition 111 in 1990. The program is intended to address the impact of local growth on the regional transportation system.

As required by the 2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County, a Traffic Impact Assessment (TIA) has been prepared to determine the potential impacts on designated monitoring locations on the CMP highway system. The analysis has been prepared in accordance with procedures outlined in the *2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County*, County of Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority, 2010.

14.1 Intersections

The following CMP intersection monitoring location in the project vicinity has been identified:

- CMP Station Intersection

No. 22 Pacific Coast Highway/Artesia Boulevard-Gould Avenue

The CMP TIA guidelines require that intersection monitoring locations must be examined if the proposed project will add 50 or more trips during either the AM or PM weekday peak hours. The proposed project will not add 50 or more trips during either the AM or PM weekday peak hours (i.e., of adjacent street traffic) at the above CMP monitoring intersection in the project vicinity, which is stated in the CMP manual as the threshold criteria for a traffic impact assessment. Therefore, no further review of potential impacts to intersection monitoring locations that are part of the CMP highway system is required.

14.2 Freeways

No CMP freeway monitoring locations are located in the project vicinity. Further, the CMP TIA guidelines require that freeway monitoring locations must be examined if the proposed project will add 150 or more trips (in either direction) during either the AM or PM weekday peak periods. The proposed project will not add 150 or more trips (in either direction), during either the AM or PM weekday peak hours to the CMP freeway monitoring location, which is the threshold for preparing a traffic impact assessment, as stated in the CMP manual. Therefore, no further review of potential impacts to freeway monitoring locations that are part of the CMP highway system is required.

14.3 Transit Impact Review

As required by the *2010 Congestion Management Program for Los Angeles County*, a review has been made of the CMP transit service. Existing transit service is provided in the vicinity of the proposed project.

The combined project trip generation, as shown in *Table 7-1*, was adjusted by values set forth in the CMP (i.e., person trips equal 1.4 times vehicle trips, and transit trips equal 3.5 percent of the total person trips) to estimate transit trip generation. Pursuant to the CMP guidelines, the proposed project is forecast to generate demand for 14 transit trips during the weekday AM peak hour. During the weekday PM peak hour, the proposed project also is anticipated to generate demand for 12 transit trips. Over a 24-hour period, the proposed project is forecast to generate demand for 64 daily transit trips. The calculations are as follows:

- Weekday AM Peak Hour = $279 \times 1.4 \times 0.035 = 14$ Transit Trips
- Weekday PM Peak Hour = $254 \times 1.4 \times 0.035 = 12$ Transit Trips
- Weekday Daily Trips = $1,312 \times 1.4 \times 0.035 = 64$ Transit Trips

As shown in *Table 4-3*, three of the eight bus transit lines and routes are provided adjacent to or in close proximity to the project site. As outlined in *Table 4-3* under the “No. of Buses During Peak Hour” column, these three transit lines provide service for an average (i.e., an average of the directional number of buses during the peak hours) of approximately 38 buses during the weekday AM peak hour and 34 buses during the weekday PM peak hour. Therefore, based on the above calculated peak hour transit trips, this would correspond to one transit rider every two to three buses during peak hours. Thus, given the low number of generated transit trips per bus, no impacts on existing or future transit services in the project area are expected to occur as a result of the proposed project.

15.0 SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

Project Description – The proposed project consists of three discrete developments; one in Hermosa Beach and two in Manhattan Beach. Although each of these projects are independent of each other, they are also being combined for analysis and environmental review purposes under CEQA. Specifically, the project applicant proposes the following:

- The proposed project consists of three new buildings and an addition to an existing building to be constructed along the Sepulveda Boulevard/Pacific Coast Highway corridor to accommodate Skechers growth and expansion into new product lines. Skechers started in Manhattan Beach and considers the local beach communities to be home.
- The buildings to be constructed include two new buildings in Hermosa Beach which are referred to as the Design Center and Executive Offices; one new building in Manhattan Beach (305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard); and an expansion of the existing 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard building in Manhattan Beach (300 S. Sepulveda Boulevard).

Study Scope – A total of 44 study locations, including of 25 study intersections and 19 study street segments, have been identified for evaluation during the weekday morning and afternoon peak hours based upon coordination with City of Hermosa Beach and City of Manhattan Beach staff.

Project Trip Generation – The combined project is expected to generate 279 net new vehicle trips (253 inbound trips and 26 outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour. During the weekday PM peak hour, the combined project is expected to generate 254 net new vehicle trips (30 inbound trips and 224 outbound trips). Over a 24-hour period, the combined project is forecast to generate 1,312 net new daily trip ends during a typical weekday (656 inbound trips and 656 outbound trips).

Related Projects Trip Generation – A total of 29 related projects were included in the traffic analysis along with application of an ambient traffic growth factor in order to provide a conservative estimate of future traffic volumes at the study intersections. The related projects are expected to generate a combined total of 47,251 daily trips during a typical weekday, 2,071 trips (1,139 inbound trips and 932 outbound trips) during the weekday AM peak hour, and 3,689 trips (1,922 inbound trips and 1,767 outbound trips) during the weekday PM peak hour. Additionally, a one percent (1.0%) ambient traffic growth factor has been employed in this analysis in order to provide a conservative, worst case forecast of future traffic volumes in the area. Thus, the inclusion in this traffic analysis of both a forecast of traffic generated by known related projects plus the use of an ambient growth traffic factor based on CMP traffic model data results in a conservative estimate of future traffic volumes at the study intersections.

Existing (Year 2016) Traffic Conditions – A total of 17 of the 25 study intersections are presently operating at LOS D or better during the weekday AM and PM peak hours under existing conditions. The remaining study intersections are presently operating at LOS E and/or F during the weekday AM and/or PM peak hours under existing conditions.

Future (Year 2020) Without Project Traffic Conditions – A total of 14 of the 25 study intersections are expected to operate at LOS D or better during the weekday AM and PM peak hours with the addition of growth in ambient traffic and related projects traffic under the future without project conditions. The remaining study intersections are expected to operate at LOS E and/or F during the weekday AM and/or PM peak hours with the addition of growth in ambient traffic and related projects traffic under the future without project conditions.

Future (Year 2020) With Combined Project Traffic Conditions – The combined project is expected to result in significant traffic impacts at a total of seven (7) of the 25 study intersections, depending on the jurisdictional significance threshold criteria employed (i.e., City of Hermosa Beach, City of Manhattan Beach, and Caltrans). *Table 13-1* summarizes these impacts. While mitigation measures are proposed for several of the intersections, they are not entirely under the control of a single jurisdiction. Therefore, these significant traffic impacts have been concluded to remain significant and unavoidable.

Future (Year 2020) With Hermosa Beach Project Only Traffic Conditions – The Hermosa Beach project only is expected to result in significant traffic impacts at a total of six (6) of the 25 study intersections, depending on the jurisdictional significance threshold criteria employed (i.e., City of Hermosa Beach, City of Manhattan Beach, and Caltrans). *Table 13-1* summarizes these impacts. While mitigation measures are proposed for several of the intersections, they are not entirely under the control of a single jurisdiction. Therefore, these significant traffic impacts have been concluded to remain significant and unavoidable.

Future (Year 2020) With 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Only Traffic Conditions – The 305 S. Sepulveda Boulevard project only is expected to result in significant traffic impacts at a total of four (4) of the 25 study intersections, depending on the jurisdictional significance threshold criteria employed (i.e., City of Hermosa Beach, City of Manhattan Beach, and Caltrans). *Table 13-1* summarizes these impacts. While mitigation measures are proposed for two of the intersections, they are not entirely under the control of a single jurisdiction. Therefore, these significant traffic impacts have been concluded to remain significant and unavoidable.

Future (Year 2020) With 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion Only Traffic Conditions – The 330 S. Sepulveda Boulevard Expansion project only is expected to result in significant traffic impacts at a total of two (2) of the 25 study intersections, depending on the jurisdictional significance threshold criteria employed (i.e., City of Hermosa Beach, City of Manhattan Beach, and Caltrans). *Table 13-1* summarizes these impacts. These significant traffic impacts have been concluded to remain significant and unavoidable.

Street Segment Analysis – Application of the County’s two-lane roadway threshold criteria for street segment analysis (modified to reflect local conditions) indicates that the operational traffic due to the projects is not anticipated to significantly impact the analyzed street segments under either the existing or future year 2020 conditions. Thus, no mitigation measures are required or recommended.

Construction Traffic Impact Analysis – Based on the forecast construction traffic generation intersection impacts due to construction activities are forecast to be significant at three (3) of the 25 study intersections. It is important to note that these findings are conservative, in that the impacts were analyzed through employment of each City’s adopted significance thresholds which are intended for application with typical, recurring, conditions and not short-term, temporary conditions as occurs during construction activities. These short-term impacts would remain as significant and unavoidable.

CMP Traffic Assessment – The results of the Los Angeles CMP indicated that the proposed Skechers Design Center and Offices project will not adversely affect any CMP arterial monitoring intersections or freeway monitoring locations, as well as nearby transit operations. Therefore, no improvements/mitigation measures are required of this project.

Parking Supply-Code Analysis – The required number of parking spaces for the proposed Hermosa Beach project and the Manhattan Beach projects will more than meet each City’s Code parking requirement.

Trip Reduction/Transportation Demand Management – The applicant will be required to comply with the City of Hermosa Beach and City of Manhattan Beach codes/ordinances pertaining to trip reduction and travel demand management measures (i.e., comply with Chapter 17.48 of the City of Hermosa Beach’s Municipal Code and the City of Manhattan Beach’s Ordinance No. 1901). While no specific additional trip reduction has been assumed for the required implementation of these trip reduction/travel demand management measures, the impacts are expected to be less than reported herein.