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August 18, 2021

Subject: Newport Beach Central Library, 1000 Avocado Avenue, Newport Beach, CA 92660

Library Lecture Hall: new freestanding building in existing parking lot

Conceptual Design Plans, dated 4/26/21; received with a letter, dated 4/30/21

Dear Mr. Campbell:

This letter grants Irvine Company's approval of the design concept, with conditions.

Thank you for sending the subject drawings that were approved by the Library Lecture Hall Design Committee on 4/12/21; and that have been informally discussed in previous meetings and phone conversations with Irvine Company staff within the 30-day review period specified in the *Declaration of Special Land Use Restrictions* ("SLURs"), dated 3/11/92.

Irvine Company has reviewed the subject drawings, in accordance with Section 2.2(b) of the SLURs and has the following comments:

- 1) Irvine Company approves the conceptual site plan, as shown below.
- 2) Irvine Company approves the conceptual architectural design, subject to Irvine Company's approval of drawings showing the facade facing Avocado being similar to the design shown below, as discussed on 8/10/21 with Irvine Company.

Please submit the drawings for the facade facing Avocado as soon as possible; and, prior to demolition, please submit the construction drawings for the entire project for Irvine Company's review and approval.



If you have any questions, please contact me at (949) 729-9210; at dbaab@baabcorp.com; or by US mail at Irvine Company, 550 Newport Center Drive, Newport Beach, CA 92660.

Sincerely,

David J. Baab, on behalf of Irvine Company

cc: Jill Johnson-Tucker and Larry Tucker, City of Newport Beach, Library Lecture Hall Design Committee Yolanda Summerhill, Peter Tauscher, and Liz Westmoreland, City of Newport Beach

Jeff Davis, Roger DeWames, Ken Gillett, Cory Goings, Scott Goodman, John Koga, Michael Major, Holly McManus, Allie Meister, Shawn Monterastelli, Chris Popma, and Sam Quinif, Irvine Company

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