# GEOTECHNICAL REVIEW SHEET

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## Submittal Information

| Consultant(s) / Report Date(s): | Leighton & Associates, Inc. (Kim, RGE 2620; Hillstrand, CEG 2366): 12-5-07; Ref: 8-29-01, 10-2-2000 |
| Seismic Consultant: Earth Consultants International, Inc. (Gath, CEG 1292): 4-12-02, 2-25-02, 1-25-02, 12-19-01, 8-23-01, 2-6-2000 |
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| Ref: Lockwood-Singh & Associates: 9-18-79 |

Grading and Drainage Plans prepared by Psomas, dated 9-24-07, four sheets, 50-scale.

## Previous Reviews:

Geology Review Referral Sheet dated 2-15-08; Ref: 10-1-01

## Review Findings

### Coastal Development Review

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### Building Plan-Check Stage

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- **NOT APPROVED** from a geotechnical perspective. The listed ‘Building Plan-Check Stage Review Comments’ shall be addressed prior to Building Plan-Check Stage approval.

Remarks
The report and plans were reviewed by the City from a geotechnical perspective. Based upon the submitted information, the project comprises subdividing the Tract into five single-family residential developments, grading (50,954 yards of overexcavation; 7,518 yards of cut under structure; 336 yards of cut and 2,909 yards of fill for safety; 6,642 yards of cut and 11,585 yards of fill non-exempt; and 9,045 yards of import and 9,045 yards of export), and new onsite wastewater treatment systems.

Once City geotechnical staff determines that the Project Geotechnical Consultants have demonstrated feasibility from a geotechnical perspective of the subdivision of the Tentative Tract Map into 5 lots for residential development, the applicant will be required to submit each individual lot for residential development to City geotechnical staff for feasibility review in the Planning stage. Geotechnical reports addressing the proposed development for each lot shall be submitted to City geotechnical staff for review at that time.

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Review Comments:
1. The Geotechnical Map does not appear to depict the currently proposed grading and pad elevations shown on the Psomas Grading Plan that was submitted with the TTM application (dated 9-24-07). The Consultant references a grading plan by Psomas dated 11-30-07. Please clarify. In addition, the grading plan is too light to read on the Geotechnical Map. Please include the currently proposed grading plan on the Geotechnical Map, including all proposed cut and fill slopes, for review.

2. Please provide a percolation test report and supporting engineering geologic report for the proposed OWTS for review. What type of system will be proposed?

3. Please provide two complete sets of OWTS plans to the City for review by City geotechnical and hydrogeologic staff.

4. The Project Geotechnical Consultant/hydrogeologic consultant must demonstrate that the effluent from the proposed private wastewater treatment system will not adversely affect the stability of the subject site or adjacent properties in accordance with Section 111 of the Malibu Building Code. Geotechnical cross section(s) shall be provided which depict the proposed development, proposed wastewater treatment system (leach fields), anticipated paths of effluent, and current depth to groundwater. The Consultant shall provide sufficient hydrogeologic data to substantiate their conclusions regarding the effects of effluent on groundwater levels under the site and the potential for mounding of groundwater under the site and down gradient. Will off site OWTS be adversely affected by dispersal of effluent on the site? In addition, the Consultant shall consider the effects of water from irrigation across the site on groundwater levels. The supporting geologic discussion shall include interpretations of stratigraphy (specifically, lithologic changes across the site that could affect hydraulic conductivities across the site), and variability of lithologies across the site due to the specific environments of deposition at the mouth of the Malibu Creek drainage basin. If analyses indicate that there is an adverse affect due to a rise in groundwater, then the Project Geotechnical Consultant shall provide recommendations for mitigation and/or the Project Applicant shall consider relocation or redesign of effluent disposal facilities that mitigate the rise in groundwater.

5. In accordance with Chapter 18.4(D) of the City's Local Coastal Plan-Local Implementation Plan (LCP-LIP), the proposed OWTS shall be evaluated for cumulative impacts on groundwater levels. A cumulative
impact analysis shall be submitted and approved by City geotechnical staff and the City Environmental Health Specialist, Andrew Sheldon.

6. Cross sections need to be constructed through the two canyon areas, and slope stability analyses need to be performed to confirm the selection of the setback lines in the vicinity of these features.

7. Slope stability analyses are needed for Cross-Section E-E'.

8. Section 6.2.1 of the City of Malibu’s geotechnical guidelines requires that direct shear tests be performed in accordance with ASTM procedures, and, if the rate of deformation exceeds 0.005 inches per minute, the Project Geotechnical Consultant needs to provide data to demonstrate that the rate is sufficiently slow for drained conditions. Since the rate of deformation exceeded 0.005 for some of the tests, please provide the requested information.

9. The boring logs indicate highly weathered and fractured bedrock. Specimens for direct shear are only one-inch high and about 2.4 inches in diameter. Also, the specimens are confined in a relatively rigid ring when undergoing a shear test. The likelihood of a defect such as a fissure or fracture, regardless of its tightness or continuity, negatively impacting the measured strength is very small compared to the behavior in the field where there is less displacement constraint as would be provided by the ring in a laboratory test. Also, the number or length of defects along a potential failure surface in the field, as a percentage, will likely exceed that in a small laboratory specimen. The shear stress measured in the laboratory on small relatively intact samples may not be reflective of the strength that is mobilized in situ for materials that are fractured, even if not continuous. Fractures will impact the strength of the bedrock that can be mobilized in the field, and result in a strength that is below that of a truly massive material or strength deducted from testing of laboratory specimens that may not contain fractures, fissures or other defects. Studies have shown that when a material contains highly fractured material, both continuous and discontinuous, or discontinuities, such as slickensides and fissures, the in-situ strength will depend on the frequency and orientation of the discontinuities [Burland (1990), Chandler (1984), Hoek and Brown (1988), Jade and Sitharam (2003), Skempton and Petley (1967), Skempton and Hutchinson (1969), and Wu, Williams, Lynch, and Kulatilake (1987)]. Although the guidelines provide for judgments in the selection of shear strength, all judgments need to be supported with appropriate references and not be contrary to the project data. When fissures, fractures, and joints of the bedrock are of sufficient size and abundance for migration of precipitation, irrigation, and effluent into the bedrock, as stated on page 9, they certainly will have an impact on the shear strength that can be mobilized. The Project Geotechnical Consultant needs to provide a discussion, supported with adequate data and reasonable interpretations, to justify their selection of shear strength parameters. Additional testing may be required and any changes to the shear strength parameters will require additional slope stability analyses.

10. On page 16, it is stated that foundations be below 2(H):1(V) projection from the toe of slope. If this results in foundation elements within the zone of the potential failure wedge associated with a computed safety factor of 1.5 (setback conditions), the portion of the pile within this zone must be designed to support a lateral load and appropriate recommendations need to be provided.

11. On page 10, reference is made to studies by Earth Consultants International on adjacent property to the west. Please be more specific as to the location of the site to the west and provide the reference.

12. The Project Geotechnical Consultant states that, “Significant movement of the feature could cause headward movement of the headscarp region of the Amarillo Beach landslide complex.” Is there evidence of historic headward movement of the landslide? Are mitigation measures necessary to protect future development on the subject site from headward movement of the landslide? Please discuss.

13. Please provide for review the stereonet plots for Data Set 1 and Data Set 2 from the report dated 9-17-03, as they were not in the report in the City’s files.

14. The Project Geotechnical Consultant recommends, on pages 12 and 14 additional work be performed. With regard to the Geotechnical Setback Line, the Consultant states that this line as shown on the
Geotechnical Map is subject to revision based on the results of additional field exploration, testing, and analyses. A description of the additional work required should be provided. When will this work be completed? What impact will this additional work have on the feasibility issues of this project? Additional data may result in more critical conditions, so it may not be possible to issue an approval until all work is completed that is consistent with current standards. Final geotechnical setback lines must be established based on the final grading plan and siting of the structures, and approved by City Geotechnical Staff prior to approval in the Planning stage.

15. Changes in the groundwater regime that may occur in response to the development of five new residential developments may be difficult to predict. In their response to our earlier comment (from 2001), the Consultant states on page 13 that they will be providing details for a groundwater monitoring system to confirm that there is no buildup of groundwater that could adversely influence slope stability. For a monitoring program to provide meaningful results, it needs to extend over several years. Please provide the results of the groundwater monitoring that confirms the groundwater levels utilized in the slope stability analyses. If the monitoring program reveals that the flow patterns are detrimental, what mitigations measures can be provided to correct the situation?

16. Please discuss whether sewage effluent that migrates southward in the subsurface could contribute to future movement of the offsite landslides.

17. The reviewers generally agree with the Project Geotechnical Consultant regarding the geologic structure on the east-facing slope. Apparent dips are generally a lot steeper than the slope gradients, although bedding is variable across the site and, thus, apparent dips could locally daylight on the slope. Please review the geologic data on the cross-sections and discuss, illustrate, and evaluate areas on the slopes where bedding is or could be more adverse. Will these areas adversely affect the slope stability results?

18. The applicant and Project Geotechnical Consultant shall provide to City geotechnical staff the quantity of grading yardage that is considered remedial. A discussion of the remedial grading must be provided, including geotechnical hazards that the grading is mitigating on the site. Justification of remedial grading from a geotechnical perspective is required in accordance with City Codes.

Please direct questions regarding this review sheet to City Geotechnical staff listed below.

[Signatures and dates]

Christopher etn, C.E.G. #1751, Exp. 9-30-08
Engineering Geology Reviewer (x308)

Leland M. Kraft, Jr., G.E. #484, Exp. 6-30-08
Geotechnical Engineering Reviewer (805-444-1943)

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Previous Reviews: 3-20-08, Review Referral Sheet dated 2-15-08; Ref: 10-1-01

Review Findings

Coastal Development Permit Review

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Fugro Project #: 3399.001
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**Remarks**

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groundwater, considering the Project Geotechnical Consultant’s responses to the hydrogeologic review comments, then the Project Geotechnical Consultant shall provide recommendations for mitigation and/or the Project Applicant shall consider relocation or redesign of effluent disposal facilities that mitigate the rise in groundwater.

2. The undersigned reviewers agree with the Project Geotechnical Consultant that the canyon slopes are less steep and, more than likely, less critical than those analyzed and evaluated for the geotechnical setback established elsewhere on the site. However, the setbacks established across the canyon areas seem arbitrary. Technical justification must be provided for the setbacks, which may include performing slope stability analyses across the canyon areas.

3. Please discuss whether sewage effluent that migrates southward in the subsurface could contribute to future movement of the offsite landslides on the basis of the Project Geotechnical Consultant’s responses to the hydrogeologic review comments.

4. Total cut and fill grading yardages reports by the Project Geotechnical Consultant do not match the yardages on the latest Total Grading Yardage Verification Certificate dated 1-21-09. Please clarify.

5. Please provide the reference for the 2007 aerial photograph in the October 2008 Revised Addendum No. 1.

6. Please provide Plate 2 from the Leighton report regarding the OWTS dated 9-21-09, as it was not included in the electronic version of the report.

Please direct questions regarding this review sheet to City Geotechnical staff listed below.

Geotechnical Engineering Review by: 
Kenneth Clements, G.E. # 2010, Exp. 6-30-10
Geotechnical Engineering Reviewer (805-963-4450)

Engineering Geology Review by: 
Christopher Dean, C.E.G. #1751, Exp. 9-30-10
Engineering Geology Reviewer (x306)

Hydrogeologic Review follows on next page
HYDROGEOLOGIC REVIEW

**Submittal Information**

| Consultant(s) / Report Date(s): | Leighton & Associates, Inc. (Mills, CEG 2034; Kim, RGE 2620): 9-21-09 |
| (Current submittal(s) in Bold.) | Earth Consultants International (Gath, CEG 1292; Layton, PG): 9-21-09 |
| None | Ensit (Yaroslaski, PE 60149): 9-21-09 |

**Review Findings**

☐ The AOWTS is **APPROVED** from a hydrogeologic perspective.

☒ The AOWTS is **NOT APPROVED** from a hydrogeologic perspective. The listed ‘Review Comments’ shall be addressed prior to approval.

**Remarks**

The reports were reviewed by the City from a hydrogeologic perspective regarding the proposed on-site wastewater treatment system, which consists of an on-site clustered seepage pit system for the disposal of effluent (10 present and 10 future pits). The project comprises five single-family residential developments.

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**Additional Data/Information Requests:**

1. More explanation is needed with regard to how percolation test results were used to support model K values. The explanation should include calculations used to convert percolation test results to K values.

2. The model water balance should be provided. The model water balance should provide the amounts of inflows (e.g., from model boundaries, recharge sources, etc.) and outflows (e.g., model boundaries, wells, etc.).

3. A table should be provided with the I.D. of each well, field measured groundwater elevation, modeled groundwater elevation, and +/- difference between modeled and measured values.

4. Slug tests should be conducted in all on-site monitoring wells to obtain K values.

5. Groundwater elevation contour maps should be provided for each model scenario of on-site treated effluent discharge along with the baseline groundwater elevation contour map with no on-site treated effluent discharge. A groundwater elevation difference map should also be provided for each model scenario compared to the baseline scenario.

**Hydrogeologic Review Comments:**

1. The key factor in the groundwater mounding analysis is the K value in the bedrock. Several aspects of the report indicate a low K value in bedrock: steep hydraulic gradient, "...fractures and bedding planes being commonly tightly closed...". The site is not contained within a DWR defined groundwater basin, and has
low or failed percolation test rates at several locations. However, model calibrated K values for bedrock are very high and appear to be in the range of 35 to 80 feet/day. The set-up of the model boundary conditions and lack of significant historic stresses in the model domain likely allow for the model to be adequately calibrated under a wide range of K values. The K values for this analysis should be derived primarily from on-site field testing and not from model calibration.

2. A constant head should not be used for the up-gradient boundary condition; this boundary is too close to the site. A general head boundary condition would be more appropriate on the up-gradient side of the model domain.

3. The method of accounting for a wet season/wet year water table is not adequate. The model is calibrated to June 2009 water levels—neither a wet season nor a wet year. The water level history of the monitoring wells (February-May 2008 to July 2009) shown in Figure 8 does not encompass a wet year; other water level data in the area should be reviewed (and/or another means used) to establish a reasonable approximation for a wet year/wet season water table. More detail should be provided with regard to model scenario 5 which is intended to simulate wet year/wet season water table; for example, how much did the baseline wet-year water table rise compared to the baseline normal year, and how does this difference between baseline model-simulated normal and wet year groundwater elevations compare to other evidence for a reasonable approximation of a wet-year water table?

4. We are aware that a similar project is proposed at the adjacent Towing Site. A cumulative impacts analysis of groundwater mounding should be conducted assuming that the proposed projects will be built on both sites.

5. After consideration of the above comments and re-evaluation of groundwater mounding, the consultant shall make findings of significance for groundwater mounding both on- and off-site in accordance with City and RWQCB policies. The consultant shall provide the rationale (i.e., explanation of how project achieves conformance with City and RWQCB criteria) for their findings of significance.

6. With respect to the Ensitu Report section entitled, “LCP/LIP 18.4.E Cumulative Impact Analysis Statement,” please provide a conceptual model describing the locations and relevant geohydrologic features of water bearing units at the point(s) of discharge, at the point(s) of compliance, and within the intervening groundwater flow path.

7. The Ensitu Report provides a calculation of nitrate loading based on a mass balance equation. The calculation includes two sources: recharge from upland surface runoff (Q2) and discharged treated water from septic systems (Q3). These represent recharge to Winter Canyon alluvium. However, these two recharge sources to Winter Canyon alluvium will not mix with the design flow (Q1) from the Crummer Site seepage pits within the underlying bedrock. The recharge source more likely to combine with Q1 is bedrock subsurface inflow from upgradient of the Crummer Site, which is represented in the groundwater model as a constant head boundary. Therefore, the nitrate loading calculation should be revised pending resolution of other comments that may require some modifications of the groundwater flow model.

Please direct questions regarding this review sheet to City Hydrogeologic staff listed below.

Hydrogeologic Review by:  

[Signature]

David Gaddert, C.H.G. # 122, Exp. 5-31-11
Hydrogeologic Reviewer (805-289-3826)

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January 12, 2010

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# City of Malibu

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## GEOTECHNICAL/CDP REVIEW FEE FORM

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**PROJECT ADDRESS:** 24120 Pacific Coast Highway  
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**PLANNING NO:** CDP 07-144, TTM 07-003  
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GEOTECHNICAL AND HYDROGEOLOGIC REVIEW SHEET

Date: May 7, 2012

Project Information

Review Log #: 2928
Planning #: CDP 07-144
Planning #: TTM 07-003

Site Address: 24120 Pacific Coast Highway
Lot/Tract/PM #: TT 070038
Applicant/Contact: Robert Gold, rgold@bigrockpartners.com, BPC/GPC #:
Contact Phone #: 310-734-2353, Fax #: 310-734-2297, Planner: Stefanie Edmundson
Project Type: 5-lot subdivision (five single-family residential developments addressed as 24108, 24120, 24134, 24150, and 24174 Pacific Coast Highway)

Submittal Information

Consultant(s) / Report Date(s): Leighton & Associates, Inc. (Mills, CEG 2034; Kim, RGE 2620): 3-7-12, 9-21-09 (two reports)
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Seismic Consultant: Earth Consultants International, Inc. (Gath, CEG 1292): 4-12-02, 2-25-02, 1-25-02, 12-19-01, 8-23-01, 2-6-2000
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Ensitu Engineering, Inc. (Yaroslaski, RCE 60149): 3-7-12 (three reports), 9-21-09 (two reports)
Lawrence Young (REHS # 3738): 5-19-10, 9-12-08

Previous Reviews:
1-12-10, 3-20-08, Review Referral Sheet dated 2-15-08; Ref: 10-1-01

Review Findings

Coastal Development Permit Review

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Fugro Project #: 3399 001
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**Remarks**

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**Review Comments:**

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2. The critical failure surfaces (those with the lowest computed safety factors) for static and seismic conditions need to be plotted on the geologic cross sections in accordance with Section 6.2.3.1 of the City’s geotechnical guidelines.

3. Please clearly depict the 1.5:1 Geotechnical Setback Line on the plans. It appears that the setback layer may have been turned off on Plate 1 in the March 7, 2012 report.
Please direct questions regarding this review sheet to City Geotechnical staff listed below.

**Geotechnical Engineering Review by:**

Kenneth Clements, G.F. # 2010, Exp. 6-30-12  
Geotechnical Engineering Reviewer (805-963-4450)  
May 7, 2012

**Engineering Geology Review by:**

Christopher Dean, C.E.G. #1751, Exp. 9-30-12  
Engineering Geology Reviewer (310-456-2489, x306)  
Email: cdean@malibucity.org  
5/7/12

*Hydrogeologic Review follows on next page*
HYDROGEOLOGIC REVIEW

Submittal Information

Consultant(s)/Report Date(s):
Leighton & Associates, Inc. (Mills, CHG 2034: Kim, RGH 2620): 3-7-12, 9-21-09
Earth Consultants International (Gath, CHG 1292: Layton, PG): 9-21-09
Ensitu (Yaroslaski, PE 60149): 9-21-09

Previous Reviews:
1-12-10

Review Findings

Coastal Development Permit Review

☑ The AOWTS is APPROVED from a hydrogeologic perspective.
☐ The AOWTS is NOT APPROVED from a hydrogeologic perspective. The listed 'Review Comments' shall be addressed prior to approval.

Remarks

The reports were reviewed by the City from a hydrogeologic perspective regarding the proposed on-site wastewater treatment system, which consists of an on-site clustered seepage pit system for the disposal of effluent (10 present and 10 future pits). The project comprises five single-family residential developments.

The March 7, 2012 responses by Earth Consultants International (ECI) submitted in response to the City of Malibu's review letter dated January 12, 2010 were reviewed relative to hydrogeological and treated wastewater mounding issues associated with the proposed Malibu Bluffs Residential Development (aka Crummer site). As discussed in the ECI letter, since September 2009, a variety of additional groundwater level measurements have been obtained and field testing performed to refine hydraulic conductivity values in support of revised groundwater model parameters as requested in the City of Malibu review comments. Revised groundwater modeling incorporated site specific water level data (essentially continuous water level measurements from early 2008 until early 2012 from onsite monitoring wells) which captured several significant precipitation events and periods of "high water levels" (refer to Figure 8b). The resulting modeling and mounding analyses also incorporated significantly lower hydraulic conductivity values for the earth materials that would receive the treated effluent (oxidized bedrock zone), based on field percolation testing performed by Lawrence Young. The water balance for the model was revised relative to certain boundary conditions, and inflows from adjacent properties that would account for eventual cumulative discharges of treated wastewater to the oxidized bedrock zone was also considered (i.e., the adjacent Towing site property development).

Based on the above, both measured and observed (predicted) calibration targets associated with the model were compared and found to be in reasonable agreement. The calibration targets centered around the high water level period of May 2011 to predict mounding associated with high water level conditions and peak wastewater discharge flows. Groundwater elevation maps were prepared as requested as part of the January 2010 City of Malibu review comments to depict the predicted water level rises both on-site and off-site. Tables 4 and 5 of the ECI response letter provide a summary of groundwater elevation rises at certain locations both on the Crummer and adjacent Towing sites. Maximum groundwater elevation changes (i.e., predicted mounding) due to the combined discharges range from 0.14 feet (about 1.7 inches) on the Towing site to about 0.38 feet (about 4.5 inches) at the Crummer site.
As stated in the ECI letter, the model-predicted rise in groundwater levels beneath the seepage pits on both the Crummer and Towing sites will not result in more than a 50 percent reduction in the minimum depth to seasonally high groundwater levels, will provide for the required 10-foot separation between the bottom of the seepage pits and the groundwater table, and will not adversely affect the performance of existing offsite sewage disposal systems. As such, the model predicted mounding under the anticipated loading rates is in conformance with LCP/HP Section 18.7.

Relative to the issue of nitrate loading (City of Malibu review comment 7), a nitrate balance mass loading analysis was provided which considered certain revisions to up-gradient sources of nitrate. The general mass balance equation and the input parameters is considered to be reasonably accurate to conclude that the nitrate loading (expressed as nitrate-nitrogen) from the treated wastewater disposal at the Crummer site to be on the order of 2 milligrams per litre (mg/l). Based on the analysis, the nitrogen loading from the discharge at the Crummer site will not cause groundwater beneath the site and in immediate down gradient locations to exceed 10 mg/l.

The responses provided in the ECI letter adequately address the review comments contained in the City of Malibu review letter of January 12, 2010; the predicted cumulative mounding is considered reasonably conservative, groundwater quality related to nitrogen loading will not be impaired, and, accordingly, the AOWTS is now approved from a hydrogeologic perspective.

Hydrogeologic Review Comments:
1. None

Please direct questions regarding this review sheet to City Hydrogeologic staff listed below.

Hydrogeologic Review by: [Signature] 5-9-17

Date

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Ref: 10-1-01

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Geotechnical Engineering Review by:  

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Kenneth Clements, G.E. # 2010, Exp. 6-30-14  
Geotechnical Engineering Reviewer (805-563-8909)  
Email: kclements@fugro.com  

*June 11, 2012*  
*Date*
Engineering Geology Review by: Christopher Dean, C.E.G. #1751, Exp. 9-30-12
Engineering Geology Reviewer (310-456-2489, x306)
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Geotechnical Review Sheet

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- **Site Address:** 24120 Pacific Coast Highway
- **Lot/Tract/PM #:** Lot 2
- **Applicant/Contact:** Robert Gold, rgold@bigrockpartners.com
- **Contact Phone #:** 310-734-2353
- **Project Type:** New Single-family residential development

## Review Log #:
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Fugro Project #: 3399 001
GEOTECHNICAL REVIEW SHEET

Date: July 16, 2012
Review Log #: 2928-5

**Project Information**
- **Site Address:** 24174 Pacific Coast Highway
- **Lot/Tract/PM #:** Lot 5
- **Applicant/Contact:** Robert Gold, rgold@bigrockpartners.com
- **Contact Phone #:** 310-734-2353
- **Fax #:** 310-734-2297
- **Planning #:** CDP 07-149
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2. Prior to final approval of the project, an as-built compaction report prepared by the Project Geotechnical Consultant must be submitted to the City for review. The report must include the results of all density tests as well as a map depicting the limits of fill, locations of all density tests, locations and elevations of all removal bottoms, locations and elevations of all keyways and back drains, and locations and elevations of all retaining wall backdrains and outlets. Geologic conditions exposed during grading must be depicted on an as-built geologic map. This comment must be included as a note on the grading plans.

Retaining Walls (As Applicable)

1. Show retaining wall backdrain and backfill design, as recommended by the Geotechnical Consultant, on the Plans.

2. Retaining walls separate from a residence require separate permits. Contact the Building and Safety Department for permit information. One set of retaining wall plans shall be submitted to the City for review by City geotechnical staff. Additional concerns may be raised at that time which may require a response by the Project Geotechnical Consultant and applicant.

Guidelines for geotechnical reports (dated February 2002) are available on the City of Malibu web site:

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