1531 Alton Road

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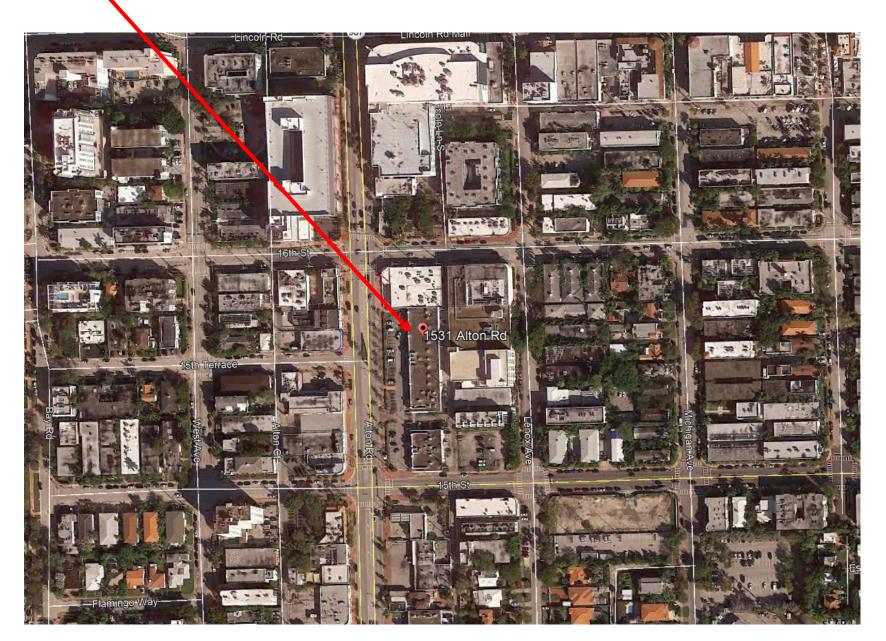
Board of Adjustment

December 11, 2020





Property Location – 1531 Alton Road



Existing Dispensary at 1523 Alton Road







EXTERIOR VIEW 'A' SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PROPERTY LOOKING NORTH



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NORTHWEST CORNER OF PROPERTY LOOKING SOUTHEAST



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EXTERIOR VIEW 'D'
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Timeline of Events

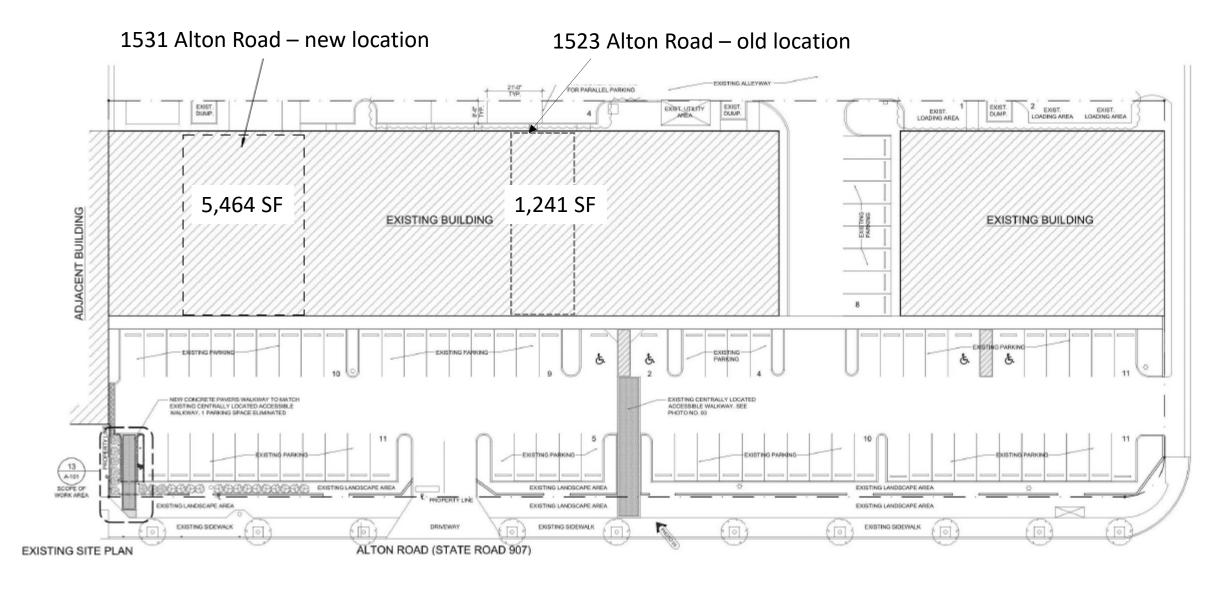
- April 2018: Surterra becomes the first licensed dispensary in the City at 1523 Alton Road
- December 2018: Proposed dispensary at 1439 Alton Road obtains building permit prior to spacing requirements being adopted
- **February 2019**: City adopts 1,200 foot spacing requirement applicable to dispensaries, making Surterra a legal non-conforming use
- December 2020: Surterra seeks to move to a new location at 1531 Alton Road & proposed MMTC at 1439 Alton Road has never opened

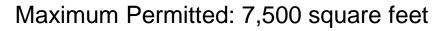
Request

- 1) Approval of variance from 1,200 foot spacing requirements applicable to Medical Cannabis Treatment Centers (MCTC) pursuant to Section 142-1502(b)(5) of the Code to permit the applicant to move to a new location within the same building;
- 2) Modification of proposed Condition No. 3 to comply ensure compliance with state regulations.

Practical Difficulty

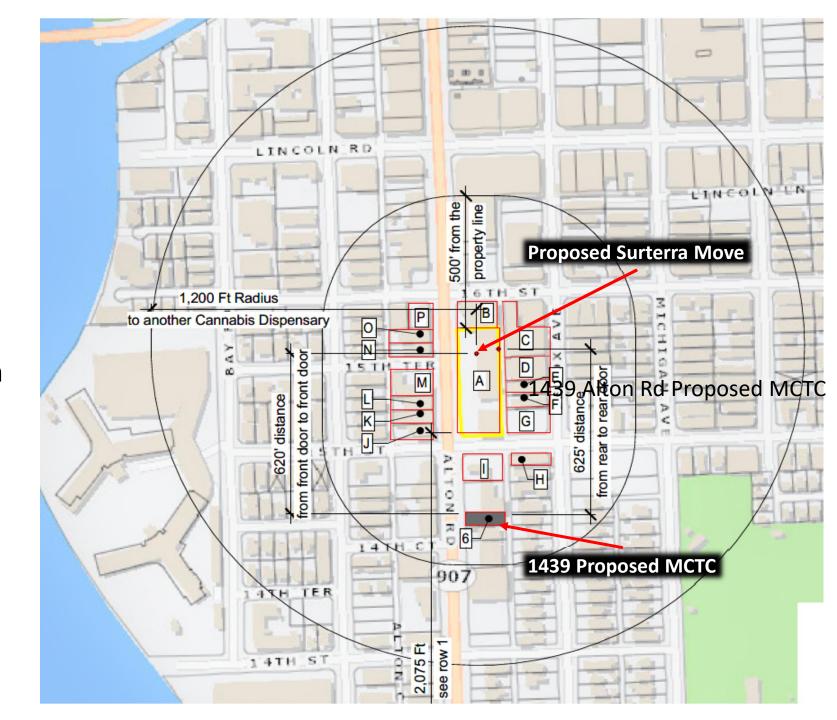
- The active permit at 1439 Alton Road is a special circumstance peculiar to the property involved
- The circumstances surrounding the permit at 1439 Alton Road do not result from any action of the applicant
- The variance does not confer any special privilege because Surterra will remain the only dispensary
 in the subdistrict
- Literal interpretation of the Code deprives the applicant of the right to move despite there being
 no other active dispensary in the subdistrict
- The variance is minimal as it only permit Surterra to move within the same building
- Granting the variance is consistent with the intent of the spacing requirement as there will still only
 be one dispensary in the subdistrict and it prevents clustering of dispensaries in the subdistrict in
 the future





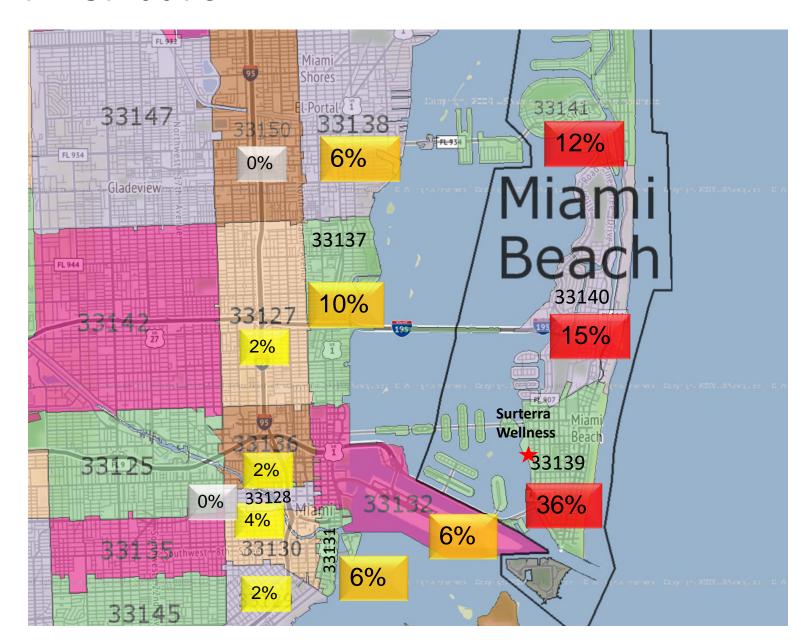


- Distance between proposed new location and 1439 Alton:
 - 620 feet
- Distance between old location and 1439 Alton:
 - 531 feet (approximate)
- Zero schools within 500 feet



Surterra Wellness – Patient Distribution

- Total number of patients across
 10 surrounding zip codes =
 1173
- Approximately 63% of those patients come from Miami Beach zip codes
- No other zip code in Miami-Dade County represents more than 1% of Surterra patients



Surterra Wellness – Operations

- Hours of Operations: 10AM 7PM
- Number of Employees: 11 registered employees in 2020
- **Security Plan**: Surterra has a robust security plan already approved by the City Police Department that includes: detailed employee training requirements, internal controls, and auditing processes.
- Odor Management: Surterra utilizes a state of the art Dynamic V8 Air Cleaning System for odor management and air quality control inside its stores
- Compliance: Zero Code Enforcements violations and an excellent working relationship with its neighbors, City officials, and landlord

Proposed Modification of Condition of Approval No. 3

- FROM: Storefronts shall not be obstructed and windows shall be transparent
- TO: Storefront shall not be obstructed and windows shall be transparent.
 Notwithstanding, the storefront may utilize shades or blinds in order to comply with state regulations.

Thank You

Team available for Questions

200 S. Biscayne Boulevard Suite 300, Miami, FL 33131

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OWNER & CONSULTANTS

OWNER:

GOODBLEND PENNSYLVANIA, LLC N. 11TH ST. 2ND FLOOR TAMPA, FL 33602 CONTACT: NICHOLAS MONETTE 404.920.4890 EXT 507

ARCHITECT:

ASD | SKY 1240 E 5TH AVE TAMPA, FL 33607 CONTACT: KEN COWART 813.341.6804

MEP/STRUCTURAL ENGINEER:

WILSON & GIRGENTI, LLC P.O. BOX 1377 SAFETY HARBOR, FL 34695 813.855.330 / CONTACT: JOSEPH GIRGENTI, P.E.



MIAMI BEACH

1531-1537 ALTON RD. MIAMI BEACH, FL 33139 FINAL SUBMITTAL 10/12/2020 - FILE NO. ZBA20-0120

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

INTERIOR RENOVATION OF AN EXISTING RETAIL SPACE FOR A RETAIL FACILITY IN WHICH STATE LICENSED CANNABIS RELATED PRODUCTS ARE SOLD. IN ADDITION TO RETAIL SPACE AND ELEMENTS, THE RENOVATION WILL INCLUDE ADA COMPLIANT RESTROOMS, AND BACK OF HOUSE SPACE ACCESSIBLE TO EMPLOYEES ONLY.

PREVIOUS TENANT: DISCOUNT AUTO PARTS



1531-1537 ALTON RD MIAMI BEACH, FL 33139

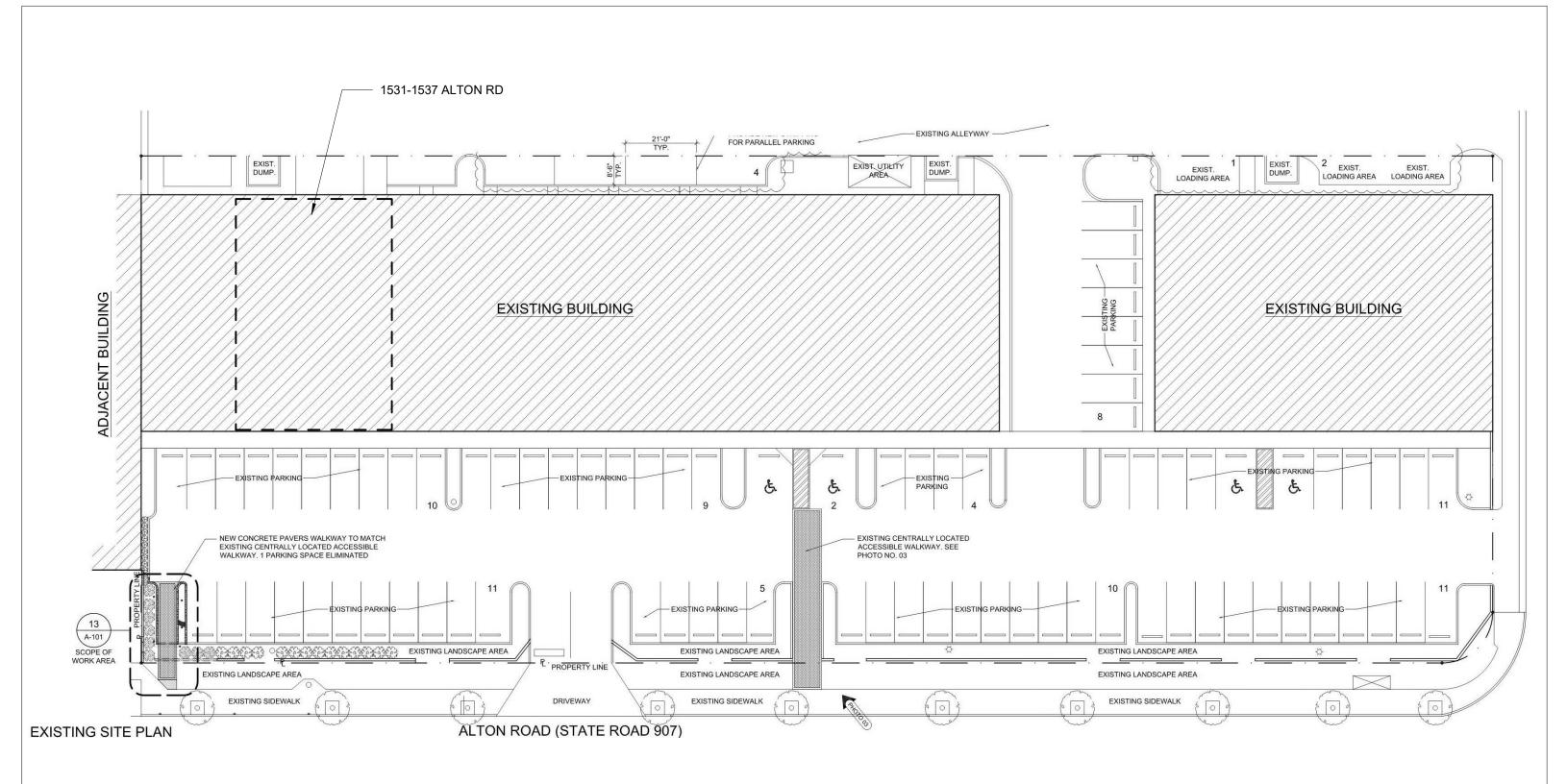


NORTH













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CODE INFORMATION

JURISDICTION: CITY OF MIAMI BEACH / MIAMI BEACH CODE OF ORDINANCES

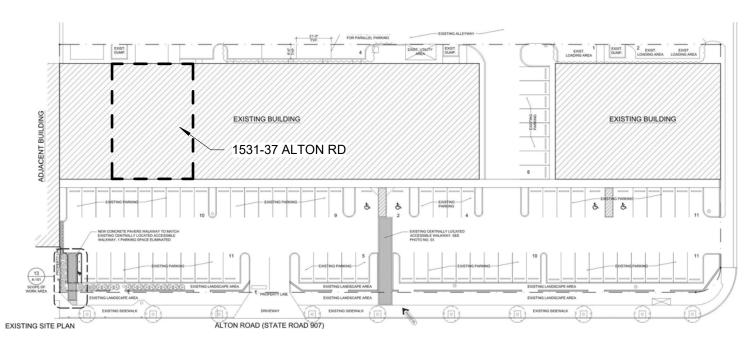
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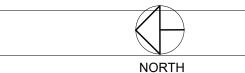
BUILDING CODE: FLORIDA BUILDING CODE 6TH EDITION (2017)
MECHANICAL CODE: FLORIDA MECHANICAL CODE 6TH EDITION (2017)
PLUMBING CODE: FLORIDA PLUMBING CODE 6TH EDITION (2017)
PLECTRICAL CODE: NFPA 70 NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE 2014

LIFE SAFETY: NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE 2015

FIRE: FLORIDA FIRE PREVENTION CODE 6TH EDITION (2017)

ACCESSIBILITY CODE: FLORIDA BUILDING CODE 6TH EDITION (2017)





ZONING DATA SUMMARY

ADDRESS: 1531-1537 ALTON RD. MIAMI BEACH, FL 33139

SITE AREA = 24,780 SF

ZONING DESIGNATION CD-2 COMMERCIAL, MEDIUM INTENSITY DISTRICT YEAR CONSTRUCTED: 1991; HEIGHT: 1-STORY BUILDING BASE FLOOD ELEVATION: BM# 1605-R; GRADE ELEVATION: 3.42'

142-306 DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

REGULATION: REQUIREMENT: PROPOSED:

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{MAXIMUM FAR} & 1.5 (1.5 \text{ X } 24,780 \text{ SF} = 37,170 \,) \\ \text{MAXIMUM BUILDING HEIGHT} & 50 \text{ FEET} & +/- 20 \text{FT. (EXISTING)} \\ \end{array}$

142-307 SETBACK REGULATIONS

REGULATION: REQUIREMENT: PROPOSED:

FRONT (ALTON RD) 5 FEET N/A (EXISTING)
SIDE - INTERIOR 5 FEET N/A (EXISTING)
SIDE - FACING A STREET 5 FEET N/A (EXISTING)
REAR 0 FEET (ABUTTING AN ALLEY) N/A (EXISTING)

PARKING	AS PER C	PRDINANCE 2013-38	312/SEC. 130-33	
SPACE	USE	SQ FT	REQUIREMENT	SPACE REQ'D
1501	RETAIL	2,800		
1509	RESTAURANT	1,400		
1511	RESTAURANT	2,800		
1515	RETAIL	1,400		
1517	RETAIL	1,200		
1519	RETAIL	1,413		
1521	RETAIL	1,560		
1523	RETAIL	1,260		
1525	RESTAURANT	1,400		
1527	RETAIL	1,260		
1529	RETAIL	1,400		
1531-1537	RETAIL	5,464		
1539	RETAIL	1,400		
PARKING REQ	<u> </u>			
MEDICINAL CANNIBUS SUBTOTAL:		5,464	1 SPACE PER 300SF	19
RETAIL SUBTOTAL:		13,716	1 SPACE PER 300SF	46
RESTAURANT SUBTOTAL:		SEATS=36	1 SPACE PER SEAT	9
TOTAL PARKING REQUIREMENT FOR THE SITE = TOTAL PARKING SPACES PROVIDED FOR THE SITE =			73 85	



KEY PLAN





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EXTERIOR VIEW 'E'
WEST SIDE OF PROPERTY LOOKING EAST



EXTERIOR VIEW 'G'
WEST SIDE OF PROPERTY LOOKING EAST



EXTERIOR VIEW 'H'
NORTHEAST CORNER OF PROPERTY LOOKING SOUTHWEST



EXTERIOR VIEW 'J'
WEST SIDE OF PROPERTY LOOKING EAST



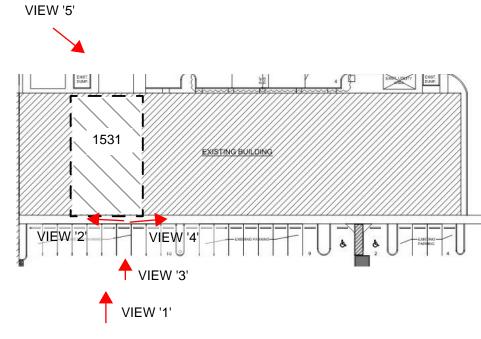




EXTERIOR VIEW '1'
WEST SIDE LOOKING EAST



EXTERIOR VIEW '3'
WEST SIDE LOOKING EAST



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EXTERIOR VIEW '2' UNDER SOFFIT LOOKING NORTH



EXTERIOR VIEW '4'
UNDER SOFFIT LOOKING SOUTH



EXTERIOR VIEW '5'
ALLEY VIEW - NORTH END LOOKING SOUTHWEST



EXTERIOR PHOTOGRAPHS
MIAMI BEACH RELOCATION - 1531 ALTON RD





INTERIOR VIEW - ENTRY



INTERIOR VIEW - GENERAL



INTERIOR VIEW - BACK ROOM



INTERIOR VIEW - GENERAL



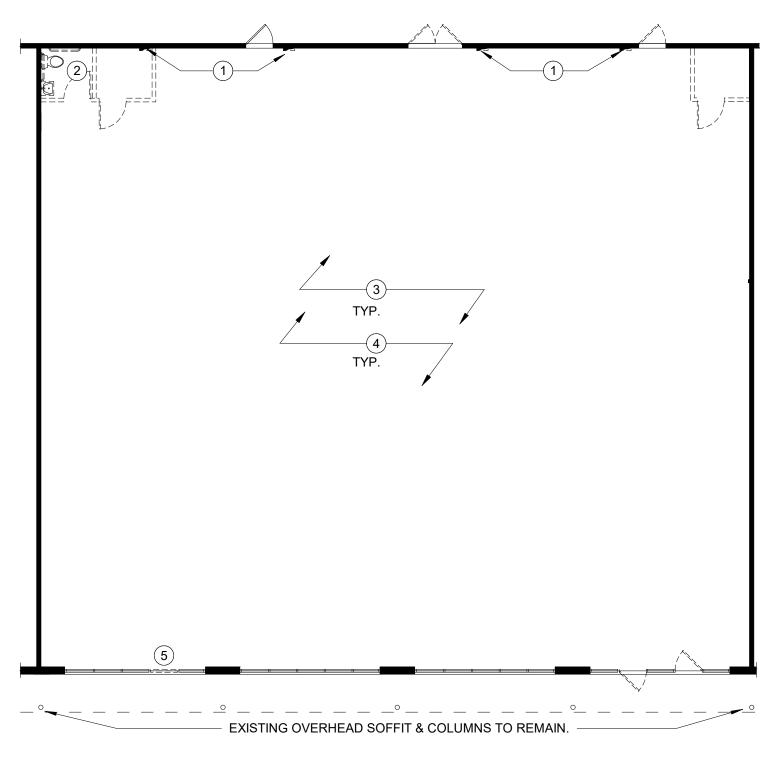
INTERIOR VIEW - GENERAL



INTERIOR VIEW - BACK AREA







SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	
	EXISTING PARTITION TO REMAIN	
===	EXISTING PARTITION TO BE DEMOLISHED.	
	EXISTING DOOR TO BE REMOVED.	
	EXISTING DOOR TO REMAIN.	
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DEMOLITION PLAN LEGEND

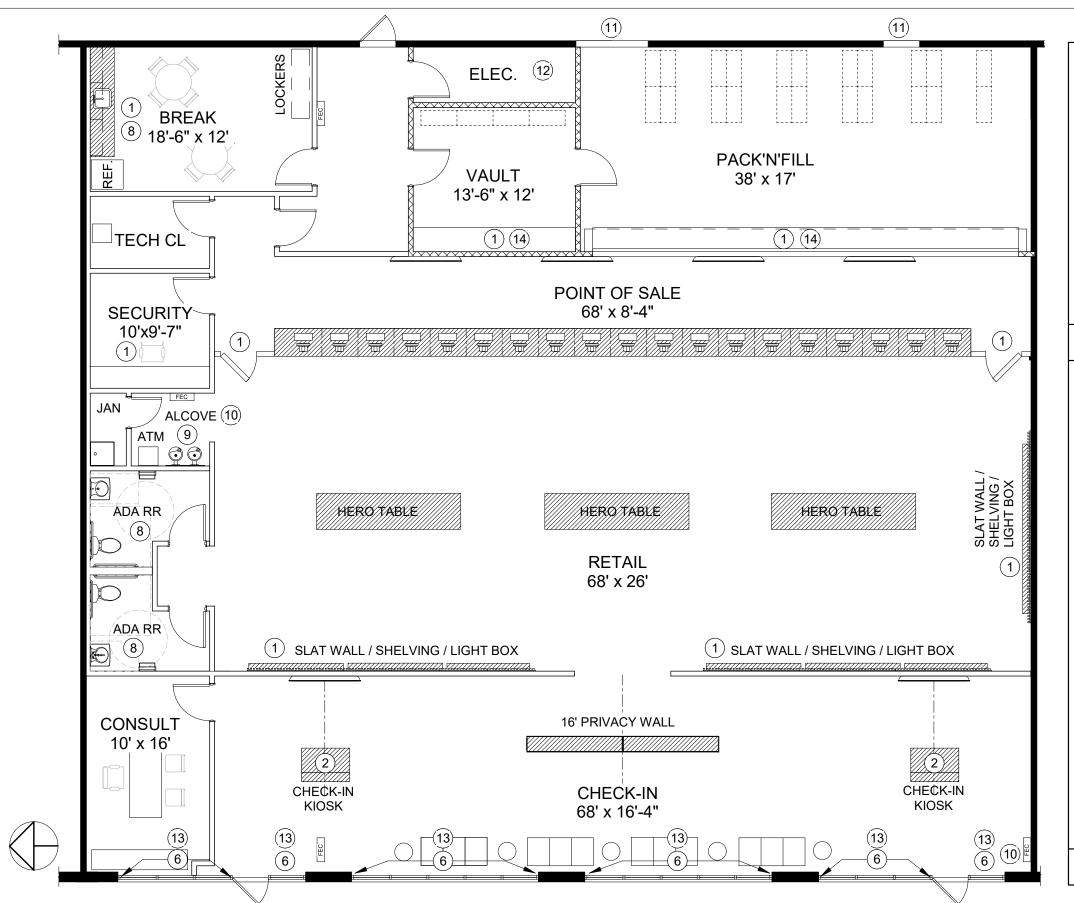
- 1 EXISTING ELECTRICAL PANELS TO BE RELOCATED PER CONSTRUCTION PLAN.
- 2 EXISTING PLUMBING FIXTURES AND ACCESSORIES TO BE REMOVED. CAP PLUMB LINES AS REQUIRED. REFER TO CONSTRUCTION PLAN FOR NEW PLUMBING FIXTURE LOCATIONS.
- (3) EXISTING FINISHED FLOOR TO BE REMOVED.
- (4) EXSITING LIGHT FIXTURES TO BE REMOVED THROUGHOUT.
- 5 REMOVE EXISTING STOREFRONT AT THIS LOCATION FOR NEW DOOR PER CONSTRUCTION PLAN

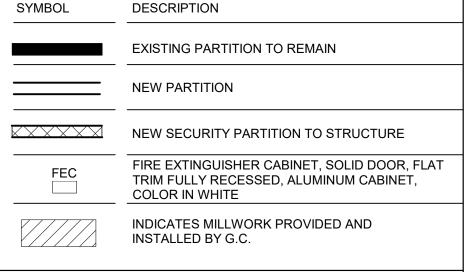
DEMOLITION PLAN CODED NOTES











CONSTRUCTION LEGEND

- 1 GC TO PROVIDE BLOCKING AT ALL MILLWORK LOCATIONS AS REQUIRED, VENDOR SUPPLIED MILLWORK SHELVING AND SLAT WALL DISPLAY
- (2) VENDOR PROVIDED CHECK IN KISOK, CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE POWER AND DATA
- (3) GC TO PROVIDE AND INSTALL BLOCKING FOR WALL MOUNTED TV BRACKET CONFIRM LOCATION, MOUNTING HEIGHTS, AND EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS W/ TENANT
- (6) GC TO PROVIDE AND INSTALL '3M' SECURITY WINDOW FILM ON ANY EXISTING WINDOWS AND NEW STOREFRONT GLAZING. PRICE AS SEPARATE LINE ITEM
- (8) NEW PLUMBING FIXTURES AND MILLWORK.
- (9) HI-LO DRINKING FOUNTAIN.
- (10) FURR PARTITIONS OUT AS REQUIRED TO RECEIVE RELOCATED FIRE EXTINGUISHER CABINETS.
- (11) PROVIDE CMU INFILL TO MATCH EXISTING WALL
- (12) RELOCATE ELECTRICAL PANELS TO THIS LOCATION.
- PROVIDE MANUAL MECHOSHADE WITH MATCHING FASCIA COVER DRAPER PW4400 PW4410-U58, 3% CHALK (SNOWY WHITE)

CONSTRUCTION PLAN CODED NOTES



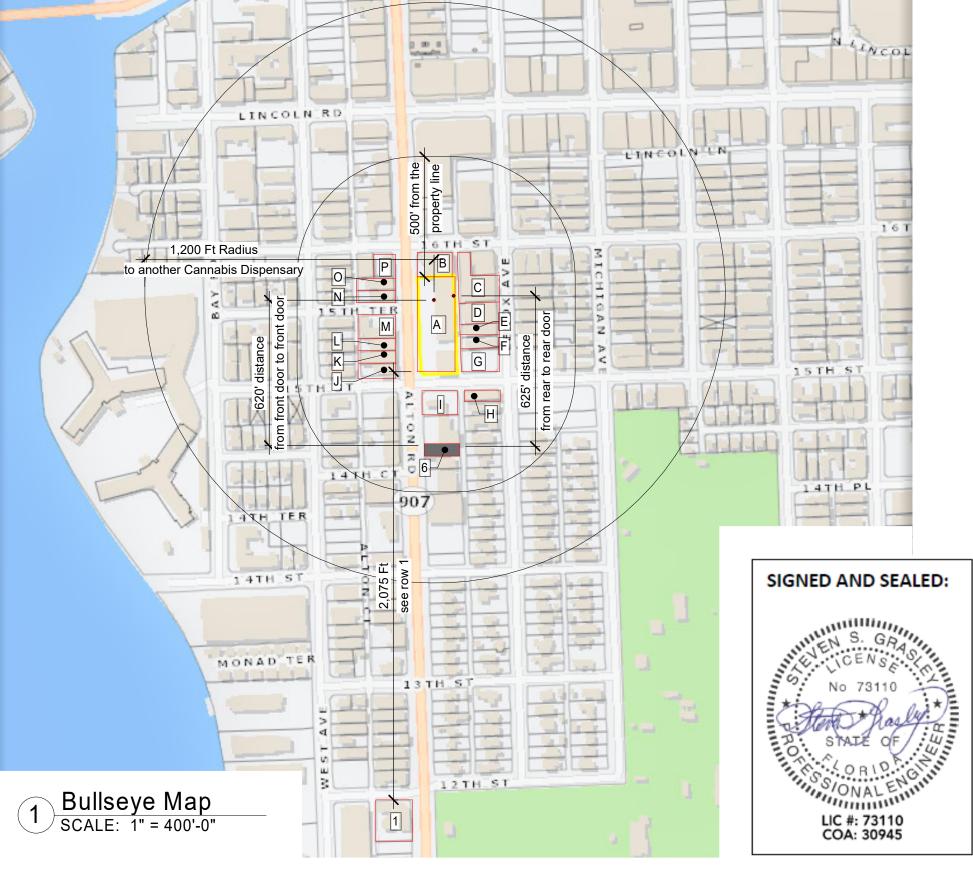
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CONSTRUCTION PLAN
MIAMI BEACH RELOCATION - 1531 ALTON RD.



School/Facility Name	Address	Straight Line Distance (Ft.)	NOTE:
Klurman Mesivta High School	1140 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	2,075 Ft	Private, 7-12
Fienberg/Fisher K-8 Center	1420 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	2,536 Ft	Public, PK, KG-8
Chabad Hebrew School of Miami Beach	14 Farrey Ln, Miami Beach, FL 33139	2,820	Private, KG-8
Miami Beach Senior High School	2231 Prairie Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	3,756 Ft	Public, 9-12
South Pointe Elementary School	1050 4th St, Miami Beach, FL 33139	5,414 Ft	Public, PK, KG-5
MMTC Applicant	1439 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	620 Ft	Cannabis Dispensary

Zon	Zoning of Subject and Surrounding Parcels:				
#	Location to Subject	Address	Zoning	Property Use	
Α	Subject	1531-1537 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	1111 STORE: RETAIL OUTLET	
В	North	1575 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	2719 AUTOMOTIVE OR MARINE: AUTOMOTIVE OR MARINE	
С	North-East	1550 Lenox Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6100 COMMERCIAL - NEIGHBORHOOD	9163 UTILITY: UTILITY	
D	East	1538 Lenox Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6100 COMMERCIAL - NEIGHBORHOOD	8786 STATE: TRUSTEE II FUND	
Е	East	1524 Lenox Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6100 COMMERCIAL - NEIGHBORHOOD	0000 REFERENCE FOLIO	
F	East	1520 Lenox Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6100 COMMERCIAL - NEIGHBORHOOD	0000 REFERENCE FOLIO	
G	East	1500 Lenox Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6100 COMMERCIAL - NEIGHBORHOOD	8065 VACANT GOVERNMENTAL: PARKING LOT	
Н	South-East	1100-112 15 St, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6100 COMMERCIAL - NEIGHBORHOOD	1111 STORE: RETAIL OUTLET	
_	South	1132 15 St, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	2626 SERVICE STATION: SERVICE STATION - AUTOMOTIVE	
J	West	1500 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	1209 MIXED USE- STORE/ RESIDENTIAL: MIXED USE - RESIDENTIAL	
К	West	1510 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	1111 STORE: RETAIL OUTLET	
L	West	1520 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	2719 AUTOMOTIVE OR MARINE: AUTOMOTIVE OR MARINE	
М	West	1526-1528 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	1211 MIXED USE-STORE/ RESIDENTIAL: RETAIL OUTLET	
N	West	1550 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33139	6400 COMMERCIAL - CENTRAL	1111 STORE: RETAIL OUTLET	
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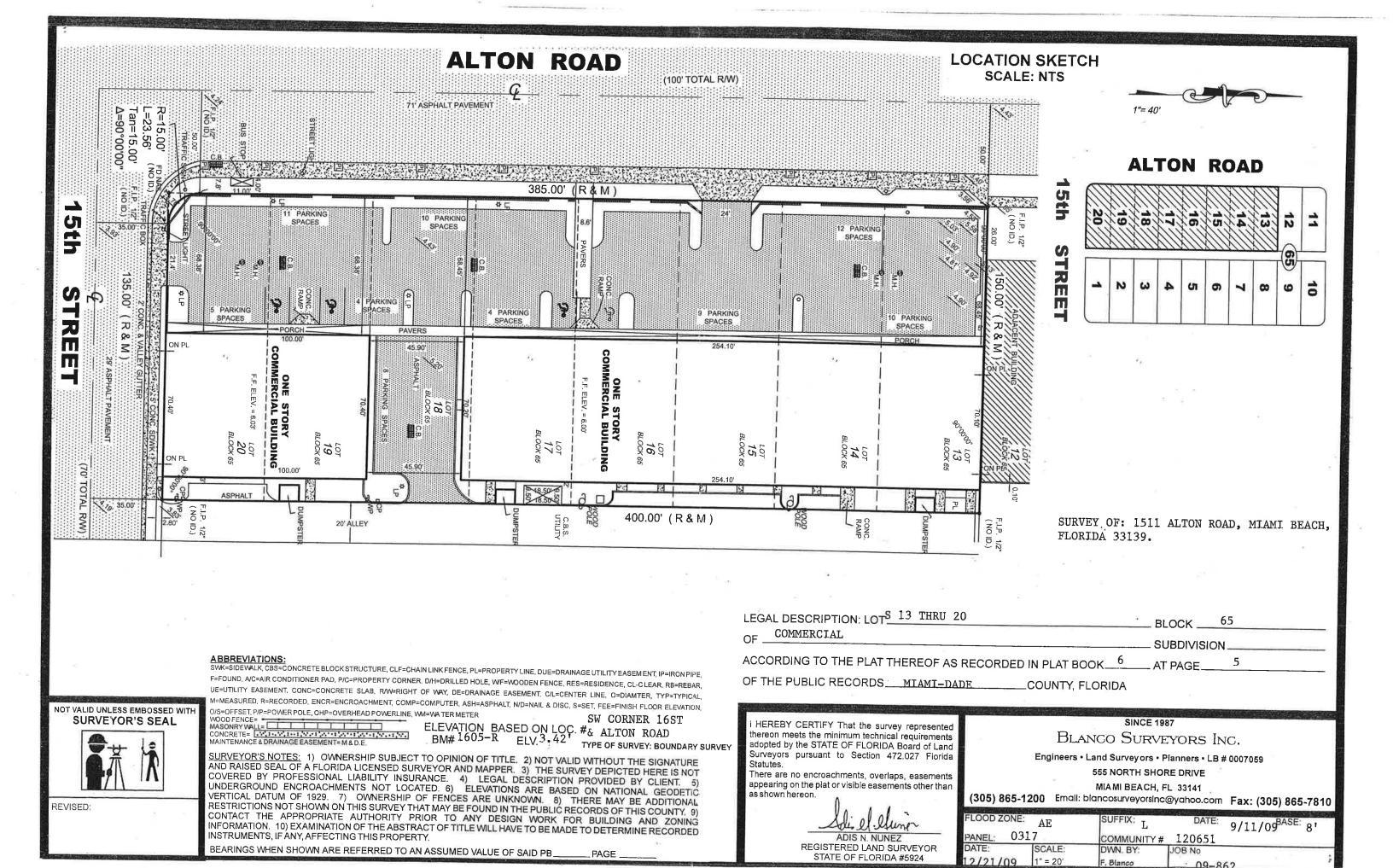


1531-1537 Alton Rd

Submissions:

Miami Beach, FL 33139

ISSUED DATE	10/08/2020



CITY OF MIAMI BEACH CERTIFICATE OF USE, ANNUAL FIRE FEE, AND BUSINESS TAX RECEIPT

1700 Convention Center Drive Miami Beach, Florida 33139-1819

TRADE NAME: SWC Miami Beach Botanicals, LLC

DBA: Surterra Wellness

IN CARE OF:

ADDRESS: 1523 Alton Rd

MIAMI BEACH, FL -331393301

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Approved for soft gels, oils, and patches; Smokable Products Permitted.

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DATE

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 BLPL2018-03414
 04/17/2018

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 BLPL2018-03423
 04/18/2018

 ZACHARY FLEMING
 BLPL2018-03424
 05/02/2018

 CHRISE CHILDS
 BLPL2019-07054
 07/08/2020

Storage Locations

TRADE ADDRESS: 1523 Alton Rd

Code	Business Type	
95012100	MEDICAL CANNABIS TREATMENT	

LICENSE NUMBER:

Beginning:

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1700 CONVENTION CENTER DRIVE MIAMI BEACH, FL 33139-1819

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04/20/2018		
EMILY CS FLETTY	BLPL2018-03416	04/27/2018
ZACHARY FLEMING	BLPL2018-03424	05/02/2018
MAGDA MICHELLE HERNA	ANDEBLPL2018-03665	06/04/2018
BRANDON HILLENBURG	BLPL2018-03663	06/05/2018
JESSICA GARCIA-INIGUEZ	BLPL2018-03666	06/26/2018
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