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June 03, 2014

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Lots 2 and 3 of Block 9 of "BISCAYNE BEACH SUB", according to the plat thereof filed for record and recorded in Plat Book 44 at Page 67 of

the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

IN RE:

The Application for Design Review Approval for the construction of a new

five-story, eighteen-unit residential building to replace a two-story

multifamily residence and vacant site.

## ORDER

The applicant, Pierre Elmaleh, filed an application with the City of Miami Beach Planning Department for Design Review Approval.

The City of Miami Beach Design Review Board makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT, based upon the evidence, information, testimony and materials presented at the public hearing and which are part of the record for this matter:

- A. Based on the plans and documents submitted with the application, testimony and information provided by the applicant, and the reasons set forth in the Planning Department Staff Report, the project as submitted is inconsistent with Design Review Criteria 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, and 17 in Section 118-251 of the Miami Beach Code.
- B. The project would be consistent with the criteria and requirements of section 118-251 if the following conditions are met:
- 1. Revised elevation, site plan and floor plan drawings shall be submitted to and approved by staff; at a minimum, such drawings shall incorporate the following:
  - Residential units shall be incorporated at the first two levels at the rear of the property to fully line the parking and ramping system, in a manner to be reviewed



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and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.

- b. The applicant further explore reversing the massing of the fifth floor level and the fourth level, in order to reduce the overall bulk of the top floor, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- c. The design of the screening of the side elevations of the parking and ramping system shall be further developed and detailed, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- d. The design of the MiMo-inspired cheese hole armature structure proposed at the upper levels along the north and south side elevations shall be further developed and detailed, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- e. Additional fenestration and architectural features shall be incorporated at the north and south façades of the residential units at the first two levels, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- f. The rooftop elements shall be eliminated above the roof deck, or be substantially setback from the front and sides of the building. Complete railing details, including materials and finishes, shall be provided, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- g. An overhead garage gate shall be required for the entrances to the parking garage, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board. The garage gate shall be made part of the building permit plans, and shall be designed in a manner that is consistent with the architecture of the building.
- h. The final design and details, including materials, exterior finishes, glazing, railings, and any architectural projections and features, shall be provided in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- i. The location of the trash room shall be provided on the ground floor with direct access for pick up, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- j. That the applicant further explore the introduction of more planters, low walls for landscape purposes, additional landscaping, or other architectural details, to better define and secure the required rear yard open space, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.



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- k. An exterior lighting plan shall be designed and demonstrated that all site lighting shall be contained within the subject property and that none shall shine into the neighboring properties, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- I. All roof-top fixtures, air-conditioning units and mechanical devices shall be clearly noted on a revised roof plan and shall configured to be as close to the center of the roof as possible and screened from view, and located in a manner to be approved by staff. In the event Code Compliance receives complaints of unreasonably loud noise from mechanical and/or electrical equipment, and determines the complaints to be valid, even if the equipment is operating pursuant to manufacturer specifications, the applicant shall take such steps to mitigate the noise with noise attenuating materials as reviewed and verified by an acoustic engineer, subject to the review and approval of staff based upon the design review or appropriateness criteria, and/or directions received from the board.
- m. A copy of all pages of the recorded Final Order shall be scanned into the plans submitted for building permit, and shall be located immediately after the front cover page of the permit plans.
- n. Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the project Architect shall verify, in writing, that the subject project has been constructed in accordance with the plans approved by the Planning Department for Building Permit.
- 2. A revised landscape plan, prepared by a Professional Landscape Architect, registered in the State of Florida, and corresponding site plan, shall be submitted to and approved by staff. The species type, quantity, dimensions, spacing, location and overall height of all plant material shall be clearly delineated and subject to the review and approval of staff. At a minimum, such plan shall incorporate the following:
  - a. The overall plant palette proposed for the project shall be significantly diversified and substantially increased throughout the site with emphasis on the use of salt tolerant and native plant species, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - b. The plant material shown on elevations and renderings is inconsistent with the proposed landscape plan.
  - c. The Landscape plan shall be prepared by a Professional Landscape Architect registered in the State of Florida. The proposed plan shall be further develop and significantly enhanced to include a diverse plant palette which incorporates more salt tolerant and natives species. Plant material on plan is not clearly identified. Available space in the front yard is limited for a large shade tree species such as Mahogany. Replace with a smaller size shade tree suitable for the available rooting space and tree canopy clearance.



- d. Existing overhead line in the public ROW shall be placed underground in order to enhance overhead clearance for shade trees and better expose the building front façade from the street.
- e. Street trees shall be required within the swale at the front of the property if not in conflict with existing utilities, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- f. The overall square footage of hardscape shall be reduced and foundation landscape areas increased at the ground level subject to the review and approval of staff. Also, those portions of the walkways located within the rear and interior side yards, which are not intended to provide a single access to the trash room, shall be eliminated and replaced with understory plant material.
- All exterior walkways shall consist of decorative pavers, set in sand or other semi-pervious material, subject to the review and approval of staff.
  - h. A fully automatic irrigation system with 100% coverage and an automatic rain sensor in order to render the system inoperative in the event of rain. Right-of-way areas shall also be incorporated as part of the irrigation system.
  - i. The utilization of root barriers and/or Silva Cells as applicable shall be clearly delineated on the revised landscape plan.
- a. The applicant shall verify, prior to the issuance of a Building Permit, the exact location of all backflow prevention devices. Backflow prevention devices shall not be permitted within any required yard or any area fronting a street or sidewalk, unless otherwise permitted by the Land Development Regulations. The location of all backflow prevention devices, and how they are screened from the right-of-way, shall be clearly indicated on the site and landscape plans and shall be subject to the review and approval of staff. The fire department shall require a post-indicator valve (PIV) visible and accessible from the street. The applicant shall verify, prior to the issuance of a Building Permit, the exact location of all post-indicator valves (PIV), fire department connections (FDC) and all other related devices and fixtures, which shall be clearly indicated on the site and landscape plans.
- b. The applicant shall verify, prior to the issuance of a Building Permit, the exact location of all applicable FPL transformers or vault rooms. The location of any exterior transformers, and how they are screened with landscape material from the right-of-way, shall be clearly indicated on the site and landscape plans and shall be subject to the review and approval of staff.
- j. Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, the Landscape Architect for the project architect shall verify, in writing, that the project is consistent with the site and landscape plans approved by the Planning Department for Building Permit.
- 3. Site plan approval is contingent upon meeting Public School Concurrency requirements. Applicant shall obtain a valid School Concurrency Determination Certificate (Certificate) issued by the Miami-Dade County Public Schools. The Certificate shall state the number



of seats reserved at each school level. In the event sufficient seats are not available, a proportionate share mitigation plan shall be incorporated into a tri-party development agreement and duly executed prior to the issuance of a Building Permit.

- 4. The final exterior surface color scheme, including color samples, shall be subject to the review and approval of staff and shall require a separate permit.
- 5. A traffic mitigation plan, which addresses all roadway Level of Service (LOS) deficiencies relative to the concurrency requirements of the City Code, if required, shall be submitted prior to the issuance of a Building Permit and the final building plans shall meet all other requirements of the Land Development Regulations of the City Code.
- 6. Manufacturer's drawings and Dade County product approval numbers for all new windows, doors and glass shall be required, <u>prior</u> to the issuance of a building permit.
- 7. All roof-top fixtures, air-conditioning units and mechanical devices shall be clearly noted on a revised roof plan and shall be screened from view, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Design Review Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- 8. All new and altered elements, spaces and areas shall meet the requirements of the Florida Accessibility Code (FAC).
- 9. The applicant may be required to submit a separate analysis for water and sewer requirements, at the discretion of the Public Works Director, or designee. Based on a preliminary review of the proposed project, the following may be required by the Public Works Department:
  - a. A traffic and neighborhood impact study shall be conducted as a means to measure a proposed development's impact on transportation and neighborhoods. The study shall address all roadway Level of Service (LOS) deficiencies relative to the concurrency requirements of the City Code, and if required, shall be submitted prior to the issuance of a Building Permit. The final building plans shall meet all other requirements of the Land Development Regulations of the City Code. The developer shall refer to the most recent City of Miami Beach's Traffic and Neighborhood Impact Methodology as issued by the Public Works Department.
  - b. Remove/replace sidewalks, curbs and gutters on all street frontages, if applicable. Unless otherwise specified, the standard color for city sidewalks is red, and the standard curb and gutter color is gray.
  - c. Mill/resurface asphalt in rear alley along property, if applicable.
  - d. Provide underground utility service connections and on-site transformer location, if necessary.
  - e. Provide back-flow prevention devices on all water services.



- f. Provide on-site, self-contained storm water drainage for the proposed development.
- g. Meet water/sewer concurrency requirements including a hydraulic water model analysis and gravity sewer system capacity analysis as determined by the Department and the required upgrades to water and sewer mains servicing this project.
- h. Payment of City utility impact fees for water meters/services.
- i. Provide flood barrier ramps to underground parking or minimum slab elevation to be at highest adjacent crown road elevation plus 8".
- j. Right-of-way permit must be obtained from Public Works.
- k. All right-of-way encroachments must be removed.
- I. All planting/landscaping in the public right-of-way must be approved by the Public Works and Parks Departments.
- 10. The project shall comply with any landscaping or other sidewalk/street improvement standards as may be prescribed by a relevant Urban Design Master Plan approved prior to the completion of the project and the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 11. The Final Order shall be recorded in the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, <u>prior</u> to the issuance of a Building Permit.
- 12. Satisfaction of all conditions is required for the Planning Department to give its approval on a Certificate of Occupancy; a Temporary Certificate of Occupancy or Partial Certificate of Occupancy may also be conditionally granted Planning Departmental approval.
- 13. The Final Order is not severable, and if any provision or condition hereof is held void or unconstitutional in a final decision by a court of competent jurisdiction, the order shall be returned to the Board for reconsideration as to whether the order meets the criteria for approval absent the stricken provision or condition, and/or it is appropriate to modify the remaining conditions or impose new conditions.
- 14. The conditions of approval herein are binding on the applicant, the property's owners, operators, and all successors in interest and assigns.
- 15. Nothing in this order authorizes a violation of the City Code or other applicable law, nor allows a relaxation of any requirement or standard set forth in the City Code.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, based upon the foregoing findings of fact, the evidence, information, testimony and materials presented at the public hearing, which are part of the record for this matter, and the staff report and analysis, which are adopted herein, including the staff recommendations which were adopted by the Board, that the Application for Design Review approval is GRANTED for the above-referenced project subject to those certain conditions specified in Paragraph B of the Findings of Fact (Condition Nos. 1-15, inclusive) hereof, to



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which the applicant has agreed.

PROVIDED, the applicant shall build substantially in accordance with the plans approved by the Design Review Board, as determined by staff, entitled "Crespi Apartment Building and Marina" as prepared by CDS | Architecture and Planning revised dated May 30, 2014 and distributed at the June 03, 2014 Design Review Board meeting, modified in accordance with the conditions set forth in this Order and staff review and approval.

No building permit may be issued unless and until all conditions of approval that must be satisfied prior to permit issuance as set forth in this Order have been met. The issuance of Design Review Approval does not relieve the applicant from obtaining all other required Municipal, County and/or State reviews and permits, including final zoning approval. If adequate handicapped access is not provided on the Board-approved plans, this approval does not mean that such handicapped access is not required.

When requesting a building permit, the plans submitted to the Building Department for permit shall be consistent with the plans approved by the Board, modified in accordance with the conditions set forth in this Order.

If the Full Building Permit for the project is not issued within eighteen (18) months of the meeting date at which the original Design Review Approval was granted, the Design Review Approval will expire and become null and void, unless the applicant makes application to the Board for an extension of time, in accordance with the requirements and procedures of Chapter 118 of the City Code; the granting of any such extension of time shall be at the discretion of the Board. At the hearing on any such application, the Board may deny or approve the request and modify the above conditions or impose additional conditions. If the Full Building Permit should expire for any reason (including but not limited to construction not commencing and continuing, with required inspections, in accordance with the applicable Building Code), the Design Review Approval will expire and become null and void.

In accordance with Section 118-264 of the City Code, the violation of any conditions and safeguards that are a part of this Order shall be deemed a violation of the land development regulations of the City Code.

13th day of JUNE

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**DESIGN REVIEW BOARD** 

THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA

THOMAS R. MOONEY, AICP

PLANNING DIRECTOR FOR THE CHAIR

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