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## PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Staff Report & Recommendation

Historic Preservation Board

DATE: July 9, 2019

TO:

Chairperson and Members

Historic Preservation Board

FROM:

Thomas R. Mooney, AICF

Planning Director

SUBJECT:

HPB18-0252, 355 19th Street.

An application has been filed requesting a Certificate of Appropriateness for the substantial demolition of the existing building and the construction of an attached addition, as part of a new hotel development, and one or more waivers, and variances to reduce the required front setback, to exceed the maximum allowable projection and to eliminate the stair and minimum height clearance required

when parking is provided at the ground level.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Approval of the Certificate of Appropriateness with conditions

#### **BACKGROUND**

On May 14, 2019 the Board reviewed and continued the subject application to a date certain of July 9, 2019.

**EXISTING STRUCTURE** 

Local Historic District:

Museum Contributing

Status:

Construction Date:

1951

Architect:

MacKay & Gibbs

**ZONING / SITE DATA** 

Legal Description:

Lots 15-16 & 17, Block F, of the Miami Beach Imp Co Subdivision, According to the Plat Thereof, as Recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 7, of the Public Records of Miami-Dade

County, Florida.

Zoning:

RM-2, Residential Multifamily, medium intensity RM-2, Residential Multifamily, medium intensity

Future Land Use Designation: Lot Size:

22,236.75 S.F. / 2.0 Max FAR

Not provided

Existing FAR: Proposed FAR:

44,466 S.F. / 1.99 FAR, as represented by the architect

**Existing Height:** Proposed Height: ~20'-6" 48'-4"

Existing Use/Condition:

Multi-family residential

Proposed Use:

Hotel

#### THE PROJECT

The applicant has submitted plans entitled "Park Avenue Hotel" as prepared by Revuelta Architecture International, dated June 4, 2019.

All variance requests have been withdrawn by the applicant.

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH ZONING CODE**

A preliminary review of the project indicates that the application, as proposed, appears to be inconsistent with the following sections of the City Code, in addition to the requested variances.

- 1. <u>Sec. 130-101. Off-Street Loading space requirements and location.</u> The project requires three (3) loading spaces.
- 2. Sec. 142-218. Setback requirements. The side setbacks shall be 11'-11" on both sides.
- 3. <u>Sec. 142-1132. Allowable encroachments.</u> The FPL Transformer pad does not comply with the required setback, as proposed.
- 4. Lot area shall be verified in a survey to determine the maximum FAR for the property.

The above noted comments shall not be considered final zoning review or approval. These and all zoning matters shall require final review and verification by the Zoning Administrator prior to the issuance of a Building Permit.

#### **CONSISTENCY WITH 2025 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN**

A preliminary review of the project indicates that the proposed **hotel use** appears to be **consistent** with the Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Plan.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH SEA LEVEL RISE AND RESILIENCY REVIEW CRITERIA

Section 133-50(a) of the Land Development establishes review criteria for sea level rise and resiliency that must be considered as part of the review process for board orders. The following is an analysis of the request based upon these criteria:

- (1) A recycling or salvage plan for partial or total demolition shall be provided.
  - **Not Satisfied**
  - A recycling or salvage plan has not been provided. It will be required at the time of building permit.
- (2) Windows that are proposed to be replaced shall be hurricane proof impact windows.
  - Satisfied
- (3) Where feasible and appropriate, passive cooling systems, such as operable windows, shall be provided.
  - Satisfied
- (4) Whether resilient landscaping (salt tolerant, highly water-absorbent, native or Florida friendly plants) will be provided.
  - Satisfied

(5) Whether adopted sea level rise projections in the Southeast Florida Regional Climate Action Plan, as may be revised from time-to-time by the Southeast Florida Regional Climate Change Compact, including a study of land elevation and elevation of surrounding properties were considered.

**Partially Satisfied** 

Sea Level Rise projections were not taken into account for the renovation of the portion of the existing building that is proposed to be retained.

(6) The ground floor, driveways, and garage ramping for new construction shall be adaptable to the raising of public rights-of-ways and adjacent land.

Satisfied

The ground floor of the new addition is proposed to be constructed at Base Flood Elevation + 1.

- (7) Where feasible and appropriate, all critical mechanical and electrical systems shall be located above base flood elevation.

  Satisfied
- (8) Existing buildings shall be, where reasonably feasible and appropriate, elevated to the base flood elevation.

Not Satisfied

The finish floor elevations of the existing portions of the Contributing building are proposed to be reconstructed below required Base Flood Elevation.

(9) When habitable space is located below the base flood elevation plus City of Miami Beach Freeboard, wet or dry flood proofing systems will be provided in accordance with Chapter of 54 of the City Code.

Satisfied

To be reviewed at time of building permit.

(10) Where feasible and appropriate, water retention systems shall be provided. **Satisfied** 

To be reviewed at time of building permit.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS CRITERIA

A decision on an application for a Certificate of Appropriateness shall be based upon the following:

- I. Evaluation of the compatibility of the physical alteration or improvement with surrounding properties and where applicable, compliance with the following criteria pursuant to Section 118-564(a)(1) of the Miami Beach Code (it is recommended that the listed criteria be found Satisfied, Not Satisfied or Not Applicable, as so noted):
  - a. The Secretary of Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings as revised from time to time.
     Satisfied
  - b. Other guidelines/policies/plans adopted or approved by Resolution or Ordinance by the City Commission.

#### Satisfied

- II. In determining whether a particular application is compatible with surrounding properties, the Board shall consider the following criteria pursuant to Section 118-564(a)(2) of the Miami Beach Code (it is recommended that the listed criteria be found Satisfied, Not Satisfied or Not Applicable, as so noted):
  - a. Exterior architectural features.

**Not Satisfied** 

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

b. General design, scale, massing and arrangement.

**Not Satisfied** 

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

c. Texture and material and color.

Satisfied

- d. The relationship of a, b, c, above, to other structures and features of the district. **Satisfied**
- e. The purpose for which the district was created.

Satisfied

f. The relationship of the size, design and siting of any new or reconstructed structure to the landscape of the district.

Not Satisfied

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

- g. An historic resources report, containing all available data and historic documentation regarding the building, site or feature.
   Satisfied
- h. The original architectural design or any subsequent modifications that have acquired significance.

**Not Satisfied** 

Certain distinctive architectural features that characterize the property including the decorative screens and pipe and canvas railings are not proposed to be reintroduced.

III. The examination of architectural drawings for consistency with the criteria pursuant to Section 118-564(a)(3) of the Miami Beach Code and stated below, with regard to the aesthetics, appearances, safety, and function of any new or existing structure, public interior space and physical attributes of the project in relation to the site, adjacent structures and properties, and surrounding community. The criteria referenced above are as follows (it is recommended that the listed criteria be found Satisfied, Not Satisfied or Not Applicable, as so noted):

- a. The location of all existing and proposed buildings, drives, parking spaces, walkways, means of ingress and egress, drainage facilities, utility services, landscaping structures, signs, and lighting and screening devices.

  Satisfied
- b. The dimensions of all buildings, structures, setbacks, parking spaces, floor area ratio, height, lot coverage and any other information that may be reasonably necessary to determine compliance with the requirements of the underlying zoning district, and any applicable overlays, for a particular application or project.

  Not Satisfied

See Compliance with Zoning Code

c. The color, design, surface finishes and selection of landscape materials and architectural elements of the exterior of all buildings and structures and primary public interior areas for developments requiring a building permit in areas of the city identified in section 118-503.

Satisfied

d. The proposed structure, and/or additions to an existing structure is appropriate to and compatible with the environment and adjacent structures, and enhances the appearance of the surrounding properties, or the purposes for which the district was created.

Not Satisfied

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

e. The design and layout of the proposed site plan, as well as all new and existing buildings and public interior spaces shall be reviewed so as to provide an efficient arrangement of land uses. Particular attention shall be given to safety, crime prevention and fire protection, relationship to the surrounding neighborhood, impact on preserving historic character of the neighborhood and district, contiguous and adjacent buildings and lands, pedestrian sight lines and view corridors.

**Not Satisfied** 

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

f. Pedestrian and vehicular traffic movement within and adjacent to the site shall be reviewed to ensure that clearly defined, segregated pedestrian access to the site and all buildings is provided for and that any driveways and parking spaces are usable, safely and conveniently arranged and have a minimal impact on pedestrian circulation throughout the site. Access to the site from adjacent roads shall be designed so as to interfere as little as possible with vehicular traffic flow on these roads and pedestrian movement onto and within the site, as well as permit both pedestrians and vehicles a safe ingress and egress to the site.

Satisfied

g. Lighting shall be reviewed to ensure safe movement of persons and vehicles and reflection on public property for security purposes and to minimize glare and

reflection on adjacent properties and consistent with a City master plan, where applicable.

**Not Satisfied** 

A lighting plan has not been submitted.

h. Landscape and paving materials shall be reviewed to ensure an adequate relationship with and enhancement of the overall site plan design.

**Not Satisfied** 

The landscaping as depicted in the submitted renderings appears to obscure the remaining portions of the 2-story Contributing building.

- i. Buffering materials shall be reviewed to ensure that headlights of vehicles, noise, and light from Structures are adequately shielded from public view, adjacent properties and pedestrian areas.
  - Satisfied
- j. Any proposed new structure shall have an orientation and massing which is sensitive to and compatible with the building site and surrounding area and which creates or maintains important view corridor(s).

Not Satisfied

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

k. All buildings shall have, to the greatest extent possible, space in that part of the ground floor fronting a sidewalk, street or streets which is to be occupied for residential or commercial uses; likewise, the upper floors of the pedestal portion of the proposed building fronting a sidewalk street, or streets shall have residential or commercial spaces, or shall have the appearance of being a residential or commercial space or shall have an architectural treatment which shall buffer the appearance of a parking structure from the surrounding area and is integrated with the overall appearance of the project.

Satisfied

I. All buildings shall have an appropriate and fully integrated rooftop architectural treatment which substantially screens all mechanical equipment, stairs and elevator towers.

Satisfied

m. Any addition on a building site shall be designed, sited and massed in a manner which is sensitive to and compatible with the existing improvement(s).

**Not Satisfied** 

The elevator structures located within the courtyard add to the perceived mass of the building.

n. All portions of a project fronting a street or sidewalk shall incorporate an amount of transparency at the first level necessary to achieve pedestrian compatibility.

Satisfied

o. The location, design, screening and buffering of all required service bays, delivery bays, trash and refuse receptacles, as well as trash rooms shall be arranged so as to have a minimal impact on adjacent properties.

Satisfied

## CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS FOR DEMOLITION EVALUATION CRITERIA

Section 118-564 (f)(4) of the Land Development Regulations of the Miami Beach Code provides criteria by which the Historic Preservation Board evaluates requests for a Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition. The following is an analysis of the request based upon these criteria:

a. The Building, Structure, Improvement, or Site is designated on either a national or state level as a part of an Historic Preservation District or as a Historic Architectural Landmark or Site, or is designated pursuant to Division 4, Article X, Chapter 118 of the Miami Beach Code as a Historic Building, Historic Structure or Historic Site, Historic Improvement, Historic Landscape Feature, historic interior or the Structure is of such historic/architectural interest or quality that it would reasonably meet national, state or local criteria for such designation.

#### Satisfied

The existing structure is located within the Museum Local Historic District.

 The Building, Structure, Improvement, or Site is of such design, craftsmanship, or material that it could be reproduced only with great difficulty and/or expense.
 Satisfied

The existing structure is of such design, craftsmanship, or material that it could be reproduced only with great difficulty and/or expense.

c. The Building, Structure, Improvement, or Site is one of the last remaining examples of its kind in the neighborhood, the country, or the region, or is a distinctive example of an architectural or design style which contributes to the character of the district.

#### **Satisfied**

The existing structure is a distinctive example of the Post War Modern style of architecture which contributes to the character of the district.

d. The building, structure, improvement, or site is a contributing building, structure, improvement, site or landscape feature rather than a noncontributing building, structure, improvement, site or landscape feature in a historic district as defined in section 114-1, or is an architecturally significant feature of a public area of the interior of a historic or contributing building.

### **Satisfied**

The structure is classified as Contributing in the Miami Beach Historic Properties Database.

e. Retention of the Building, Structure, Improvement, Landscape Feature or Site promotes the general welfare of the City by providing an opportunity for study of local history, architecture, and design or by developing an understanding of the importance and value of a particular culture and heritage.

#### Satisfied

# The retention of this structure is critical to developing an understanding of important Miami Beach architectural styles.

f. If the proposed demolition is for the purpose of constructing a parking garage, the Board shall consider it if the parking garage is designed in a manner that is consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings, U.S. Department of the Interior (1983), as amended, and/or the design review guidelines for that particular district.

## Not Applicable

The demolition proposed is not for the purpose of constructing a parking garage.

g. In the event an applicant or property owner proposes the total demolition of a contributing structure, historic structure or architecturally significant feature, there shall be definite plans presented to the board for the reuse of the property if the proposed demolition is approved and carried out.

#### **Not Applicable**

The applicant is not requesting total demolition.

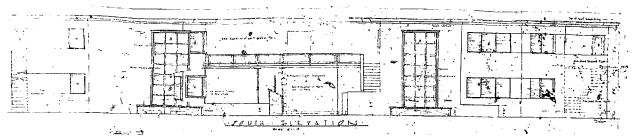
h. The Dade County Unsafe Structures Board has ordered the demolition of a Structure without option.

#### **Not Applicable**

The Miami-Dade County Unsafe Structures Board has not ordered the demolition of the structure.

#### STAFF ANALYSIS

The applicant is proposing to construct a new 5-story, 116 unit hotel structure. In order to construct the new building, the applicant is proposing the substantial demolition of the existing building. The subject structure, originally known as the Park Terrace Apartments, was constructed in 1951 and designed by MacKay & Gibbs in the Post War Modern style of architecture and is located within the Miami Beach National Register Architectural District and the Museum Local Historic District.



Original south elevation drawing, Microfilm #36867

The existing 2-story apartment building, only minimally altered, is capable of having most, if not all of its significant architectural elements restored. These features include an elevated pedestrian walkway, decorative scored stucco, exterior catwalks, projecting eyebrows, projecting window frames, raised stone clad planters, bean poles, projecting eaves and a courtyard plan, all characteristics which are representative of the Post War Modern Garden style of architecture in Miami Beach. Further, the existing building contributes to a clear

understanding of the historical development pattern of Miami Beach, and enriches the character of the surrounding historic district.

The following is a statement in the applicant's historic resources:

Although the building was designed during the MiMo era, and does contain selected common MiMo characteristics, it nonetheless lacks any defining architectural detailing or style which might make this a better building;

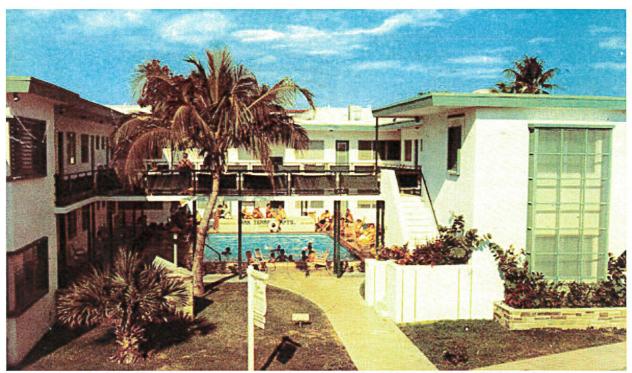
Contrary to this statement, staff believes that restoration of the above mentioned features of the existing building, in combination with the reintroduction of the original screening elements and courtyard railings, as seen in the image on the following page, could be successfully accomplished in a manner which highlights this excellent example of low-scale Post War Modern multifamily residential architecture.

The redevelopment project consists of a 5-story addition and rooftop pool deck. In order to construct the new ground level addition, the applicant is proposing to demolish the entire rear portion of the existing building, as well as approximately 75% of the east wing and approximately 60% of the west wing. Within the two portions of the building proposed to be retained (fronting 19<sup>th</sup> Street), the applicant is proposing to remove the second floor plate creating double-height spaces for the hotel lobby and gym. The design of the new 5-story addition has been inspired by the garden style courtyard plan of the existing building.

On May 14, 2019, the Board reviewed and continued the subject application in order to give the applicant additional time to further develop the project. Since the May meeting, the applicant has met with staff and has submitted revised plans in response to concerns expressed by staff and the Board. The currently proposed plans include the following modifications:

- All variance requests have been withdrawn by the applicant.
- The freestanding exterior perimeter walls are no longer proposed to be retained.
- The partially below grade parking area has been removed.
- The height of the building has been reduced.
- The east and west wings of the new building have been setback an additional 3'-8" from 19<sup>th</sup> Street and the center portion has been setback an additional 10'-4".
- The elevated pedestrian bridge and trellis structure at the 5<sup>th</sup> level have been eliminated.
- The void spaces located within the central portion of the new addition have been eliminated.
- The rooftop planter features have been recessed into the roofs of the Contributing portions of the building.

Additionally, the applicant is proposing to construct a new pedestrian bridge in the general location of the existing bridge at a slightly higher elevation. Staff has studied the possibility of retaining this original feature and incorporating it into the proposed project in lieu of its removal and reconstruction. However, after thorough examination staff has concluded that the retention of the bridge at its current height poses a significant challenge due to the complex arrangement and elevation changes within the proposed project. As such, staff would recommend that the design of the proposed bridge be further studied to more closely recall the existing bridge, including the introduction of railings more consistent with the original pipe and canvas railings, as seen in the postcard on the following page.



Postcard of the Park Terrace Apartments, postmarked November 2, 1957, catobear.com

Collectively, these modifications result in a design that achieves a greater level of compatibility with the surrounding historic district. However, staff continues to recommend that the elevator structures be relocated from within the courtyard and placed within the new addition in order to reduce the perceived mass of the building. Further, staff continues to recommend that all exterior architectural features located on the Contributing portions of the building be fully restored and/or reintroduced in a manner consistent with available historical documentation, including the original screen features.

Additionally, the applicant is requesting a waiver of the off-street loading space requirements outlined in Section 130-101 of the City Code. A hotel with a unit count over 100 units but not more than 200 units is required to provide three off-street loading spaces. The Historic Preservation Board may waive the requirements for off-street loading spaces for properties containing a contributing structure, provided that a detailed plan delineating on-street loading is approved by the Parking Department. The applicant has preliminarily met with the Parking Department and will submit an on-street loading plan as required. Consequently, staff does not object to this waiver.

Finally, the applicant is requesting a waiver in order to retain the non-conforming setback and parking credits for the portions of the building to remain. The thresholds for retaining non-conforming floor area, height, setbacks and parking credits are outlined in Section 118-395(b) of the City Code. If the Board finds that the criteria for the replication of the Contributing building, as outlined in Section 118-395 of the City Code below are satisfied, a waiver can be granted. **Sec. 118-395.** - **Repair and/or rehabilitation of nonconforming buildings and uses.** 

(b) Nonconforming buildings.

- (2) Nonconforming buildings which are repaired or rehabilitated by more than 50 percent of the value of the building as determined by the building official shall be subject to the following conditions:
  - d. Development regulations for buildings located within a designated historic district or for an historic site:
    - 1. The existing structure's floor area, height, setbacks and any existing parking credits may remain, if the following portions of the building remain substantially intact, and are retained, preserved and restored:
      - i. At least 75 percent of the front and street side facades;
      - iii. For structures that are set back two or more feet from interior side property lines, at least 66 percent of the remaining interior side walls; and
      - iv. All architecturally significant public interiors.
    - 2. For the replication or restoration of contributing buildings, but not for noncontributing buildings, the historic preservation board may, at their discretion, waive the requirements of subsection(b)(2)d.1. above, and allow for the retention of the existing structure's floor area, height, setbacks or parking credits, if at least one of the following criteria is satisfied, as determined by the historic preservation board:
      - i. The structure is architecturally significant in terms of design, scale, or massing;
      - ii. The structure embodies a distinctive style that is unique to Miami Beach or the historic district in which it is located;
      - iii. The structure is associated with the life or events of significant persons in the City;
      - iv. The structure represents the outstanding work of a master designer, architect or builder who contributed to our historical, aesthetic or architectural heritage;
      - v. The structure has yielded or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history; or
      - vi. The structure is listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

Staff has found that Criteria i., ii., iv., v. & vi., above are satisfied.

In summary, the applicant's architect has done a good job of developing a successful architectural language for the new addition, which appropriately responds to the existing Contributing building on site and the established context of the immediate area. Staff is confident that the recommendations outlined in this report will address all of the aforementioned Certificate of Appropriateness inconsistencies and will result in a successful redevelopment project.

#### **VARIANCE ANALYSIS**

All variance requests have been withdrawn by the applicant.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

In view of the foregoing analysis, staff recommends the application be **approved** subject to the conditions enumerate in the attached draft order, which address the inconsistencies with the aforementioned Certificate of Appropriateness criteria.

# HISTORIC PRESERVATION BOARD City of Miami Beach, Florida

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FILE NO: HPB18-0252

PROPERTY: 355 19<sup>th</sup> Street

APPLICANT: Park Hotel, LLC

LEGAL: Lots 15-16 & 17, Block F, of the Miami Beach Imp Co Subdivision,

According to the Plat Thereof, as Recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 7, of the

Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

IN RE: The application for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the substantial

demolition of the existing building and the construction of an attached

addition, as part of a new hotel development and one or more waivers.

## ORDER

The City of Miami Beach Historic Preservation 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:

#### I. Certificate of Appropriateness

- A. The subject site is located within the Museum Local Historic District.
- B. 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 not consistent with Sea Level Rise and Resiliency Review Criteria (1) & (8) in Section 133-50(a) of the Miami Beach Code.
  - 2. Is consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria in Section 118-564(a)(1) of the Miami Beach Code.
  - 3. Is not consistent with Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria 'a', 'b', 'f' & 'h' in Section 118-564(a)(2) of the Miami Beach Code.
  - 4. Is not consistent with Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria 'b', 'd', 'e', 'h', 'j', & 'm' in Section 118-564(a)(3) of the Miami Beach Code.
  - 5. Is consistent with Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria in Section 118-564(f)(4) of the Miami Beach Code.
- C. The project would be consistent with the criteria and requirements of section 118-564 and 133-50(a) if the following conditions are met:

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- 1. Revised elevation, site plan and floor plan drawings shall be submitted and, at a minimum, such drawings shall incorporate the following:
  - a. The elevators shall be internalized into the new building addition, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - b. The elevator and stair bulkheads shall be reduced in height to the greatest extent possible, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - c. The proposed new elevated pedestrian walkway shall be substantially consistent with the design of original elevated walkway; and shall include railings inspired by the original pipe and canvas railing design, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - d. The original screening elements located on the east and west wings shall be reintroduced, consistent with available historical documentation, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - e. The reconstructed portions of the roof overhang shall have an angled fascia, consistent with available historical documentation, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - f. All exterior architectural features located on the southern portions of the building to remain shall be fully restored and/or reintroduced, consistent with available historical documentation, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - g. All applicable FPL transformers or vault rooms and backflow prevention devices shall be located within the building envelope with the exception of the valve (PIV) which may be visible and accessible from the street.
  - h. A plaque or historic display describing the history and evolution of the original building shall be placed on the site along 19<sup>th</sup> Street and shall be located in a manner visible from the right of way, prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the building, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - i. Final details of all exterior surface finishes and materials, including samples, shall be submitted, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.

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- j. All roof-top fixtures, air-conditioning units and mechanical devices shall be clearly noted on a revised roof plan and elevation drawings and shall be screened from view, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff, consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
- 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 landscape plan shall be further developed in order to be more complimentary to the remaining portions of the building, in a manner to be reviewed and approved by staff, consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - b. All exterior pedestrian hardscape surfaces inclusive of steps shall consist of a permeable decorative paving system, to be reviewed and approved by staff consistent with the Certificate of Appropriateness Criteria and/or the directions from the Board.
  - c. The use of pre-approved suspended paving system (i.e.: Silva Cell or approved equal) shall be incorporated as part of the streetscape plan in order to provide additional rooting volume for the required street trees subject to the review and approval of the CMB Urban Forester.
  - d. The 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.
- 3. In accordance with Section 118-395(b)(2) of the City Code, the requirement pertaining to an existing structure's setbacks and parking credits, is hereby waived.
- 4. In accordance with Section 130-101(d) of the City Code, the requirement pertaining to providing off-street loading spaces is hereby waived, provided that a detailed plan delineating on-street loading is approved by the Parking Department.

In accordance with Section 118-537, the applicant, the owner(s) of the subject property, the City Manager, Miami Design Preservation League, Dade Heritage Trust, or an affected person may appeal the Board's decision on a Certificate of Appropriateness to a special master appointed by the City Commission.

#### II. Variance(s)

1. No variances have been requested as part of this application.

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The decision of the Board regarding variances shall be final and there shall be no further review thereof except by resort to a court of competent jurisdiction by petition for writ of certiorari.

## III. General Terms and Conditions applying to both 'I. *Certificate of Appropriateness'* and 'II. *Variances'* noted above.

- A. Where one or more parcels are unified for a single development, the property owner shall execute and record a unity of title or a covenant in lieu of unity of title, as may be applicable, in a form acceptable to the City Attorney.
- B. 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.
- C. The Final Order shall be recorded in the **Public** Records of Miami-Dade County, prior to the issuance of a Building Permit.
- D. 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.
- E. 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.
- F. The conditions of approval herein are binding on the applicant, the property's owners, operators, and all successors in interest and assigns.
- G. 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.
- H. Upon the issuance of a final Certificate of Occupancy or Certificate of Completion, as applicable, the project approved herein shall be maintained in accordance with the plans approved by the board, and shall be subject to all conditions of approval herein, unless otherwise modified by the Board. Failure to maintain shall result in the issuance of a Code Compliance citation, and continued failure to comply may result in revocation of the Certificate of Occupancy, Completion and Business Tax Receipt.

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 amended and adopted by the Board, that the application is GRANTED for the above-referenced project subject to those certain conditions specified in Paragraph I, II, III of the Findings of Fact, to which the applicant has agreed.

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PROVIDED, the applicant shall build substantially in accordance with the plans entitled "Park Avenue Hotel" as prepared by Revuelta Architecture International, dated June 4, 2019, as approved by the Historic Preservation Board, as determined by staff.

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. 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 the 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 approval was granted, the application will expire and become null and void, unless the applicant makes an 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. If the Full Building Permit for the project 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 application will expire and become null and void.

In accordance with Chapter 118 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. Failure to comply with this Order shall subject the application to Chapter 118 of the City Code, for revocation or modification of the application.

Dated this day	of	, 20
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