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PROJECT: Hilton Garden Inn 125 N. Cascade Avenue Colorado Springs, Colorado 80903

PLAN# C92583 PERMIT# K78692 FILE NUMBER TO BE AMENDED: AR DP 16-00296

Dear Ryan:

I have provided a project statement immediately below.

Project Statement

The original Development Plan for the project was stamped approved 7-29-2016. Since that time changes have been made to the elevations for the following reasons:

1-Coordination with Colorado Springs Utilities for street side access to the gas meter and transformer vault.

2-Owner value engineering items and other design changes

3-General coordination among the drawings and with the owner

The following changes were made to the exterior elevations:

West elevation

-Eliminated glass 10th floor and at parapet

-Eliminated wall step backs except at NW corner.

-Added large sign to west

-Removed 3' projecting cornices at 3rd, 9th and 10th floor plates.

-Due to added 6" floor height to upper 8 floors building is 4' taller

-NW corner at floor 3 through 10 and roof parapet steps back 6"

-Glass area calculation per Section 2.4.7 revised to 76%

-Elevator penthouse shown extended up now to accommodate future 11th floor roof top restaurant/bar

North elevation

-Eliminated glass 10th floor and at parapet

-Eliminated wall step backs except at NW corner.

-Removed 3' projecting cornices at 3rd, 9th and 10th floor plates.

-Due to added 6" floor height to upper 8 floors building is 4' taller

-NW corner at floor 3 through 10 and roof parapet steps back 6"

-Glass area calculation per Section 2.4.7 revised to 57%*.

-Elevator penthouse shown extended up now to accommodate future 11th floor roof top restaurant/ bar

*An application for "Administrative Relief" is requested since the glass had to be reduced to accommodate CSU gas meter alcove and transformer vault on the street frontage.

East elevation

-Franchise sign eliminated.

-Removed 3' projecting cornices at 3rd, 9th and 10th floor plates.

-Due to added 6" floor height to upper 8 floors building is 4' taller

-Elevator penthouse shown extended up now to accommodate future 11th floor roof top restaurant/ bar

South elevation

-Franchise sign eliminated.

-Removed 3' projecting cornices at 3rd, 9th and 10th floor plates.

-Due to added 6" floor height to upper 8 floors building is 4' taller

-Elevator penthouse shown extended up now to accommodate future 11^{th} floor roof top restaurant/ bar

<u>Proposed Future roof top (11th floor) restaurant/ bar. (These are the additional drawings A300-A303 marked, PROPOSED FUTURE RESTAURANT/ BAR in the sheet index.)</u>

-Added proposed future restaurant/ bar to roof (11h floor)

-Future extension of south stair tower to roof for future restaurant/ bar egress.

-The project has been equipped with a Density Bonus feature which permits an 11th floor in this designated zoning area.

Please refer to A100 which indicates bike storage for employees and shower and locker room facilities across the corridor.

Please find clouded revisions and a revision note on the drawings denoted with delta "DP Amendment 03/05/2018".

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Darrin Williams

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