CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

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APPLICANT Danco Graphics - 757 Commercial Street, San Jose, CA 95112

OWNER Placer Savings & Loan Assoc., 949 Lincoln Way, Auburn, CA

PLANS BY Danco Graphics - 757 Commercial Street, San Jose, CA 95112

FILING DATE 7-16-84 50 DAY CPC ACTION DATE REPORT BY:JP:sq

NEGATIVE DEC.Ex. 15304(e) EIR ASSESSOR'S PCL NO 250-010-68

<u>APPLICATION</u>: Special Permit for off-site subdivision directional sign (Sign Ordinance Section 3.194).

<u>LOCATION</u>: North side of San Juan Road, 900+ feet west of Northgate Boulevard

<u>PROPOSAL</u>: The applicant is requesting the necessary entitlement to locate a 50 square foot, 11 foot high temporary non-illuminated subdivision directional sign for the Sierra Skyline subdivision.

PROJECT INFORMATION:

1974 General Plan Designation: Residential

1978 South Natomas Community

Plan Designation: Residential (4-21 du/ac)

Existing Zoning of Site: R-1
Existing Land Use of Site: Vacant

Surrounding Land Use and Zoning:

North: Vacant and single family; R-1

South: Single family; R-1 East: Vacant; R-3, OB, SC

West: Vacant, single family; A, R-1

Property Dimensions: Irregular Property Area: 42± acres Sign Dimensions: 5' x 10' Sign Area: 50 sq. ft.

Sign Height: 11'

Sign Colors: Black & yellow

Sign Materials: Wood

<u>PROJECT EVALUATION</u>: Staff has the following comments regarding this proposal:

A. <u>Land Use</u>: The subject site is a 42+ acre parcel located in the Single Family (R-1) zone. The site is currently vacant. The applicant proposes to locate a five foot by 10 foot (50 square foot), 11 foot high, subdivision directional sign for the "Sierra Skyline" subdivision on the subject parcel (Exhibits A and B). This subdivision is located on Turnstone Drive, west of Northgate Boulevard.

Besides the directional sign proposed for the subject parcel, the applicant proposes four additional signs to be located in the South

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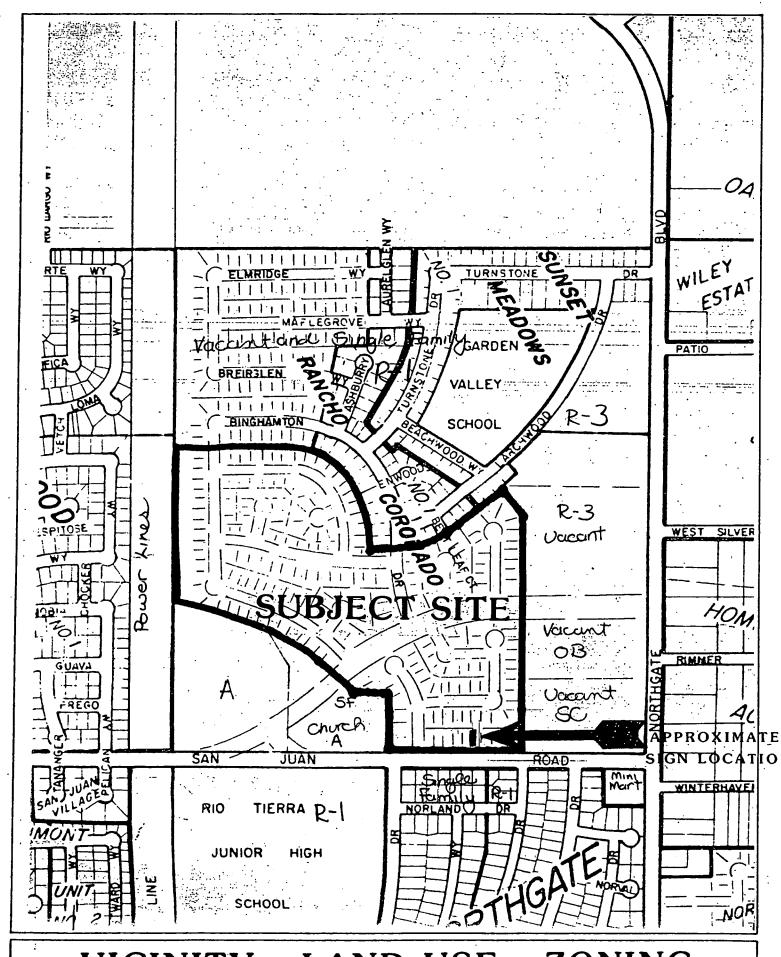
Natomas Community Plan area to provide direction to the "Sierra Skyline" subdivision (Exhibit C). Two of the signs are proposed located near the intersection of San Juan to Road Northgate Boulevard and two near the intersection of West El Camino Avenue and Truxel Road. This number of signs is contrary to the purpose and intent of the Sign Ordinance to "eliminte excessive and confusing sign displays" and "to preserve and improve the appearance the city as a place in which to live and to work and as an attraction to nonresidents who come to visit or trade." subject site is one of two locations near the intersection of San Juan Road and Northgate Boulevard. The applicant has indicated, at staff's request, that the sign proposed for the subject site is of lower priority than the other sign proposed near this intersection (P84-270). Staff, therefore, recommends denial of the special permit request for a subdivision directional sign on the subject site.

<u>STAFF RECOMMENDATION</u>: Staff recommends denial of the special permit request based upon the following findings of fact:

Findings of Fact

The special permit, if approved, would be contrary to the purpose and intent of the City's Sign Ordinance to:

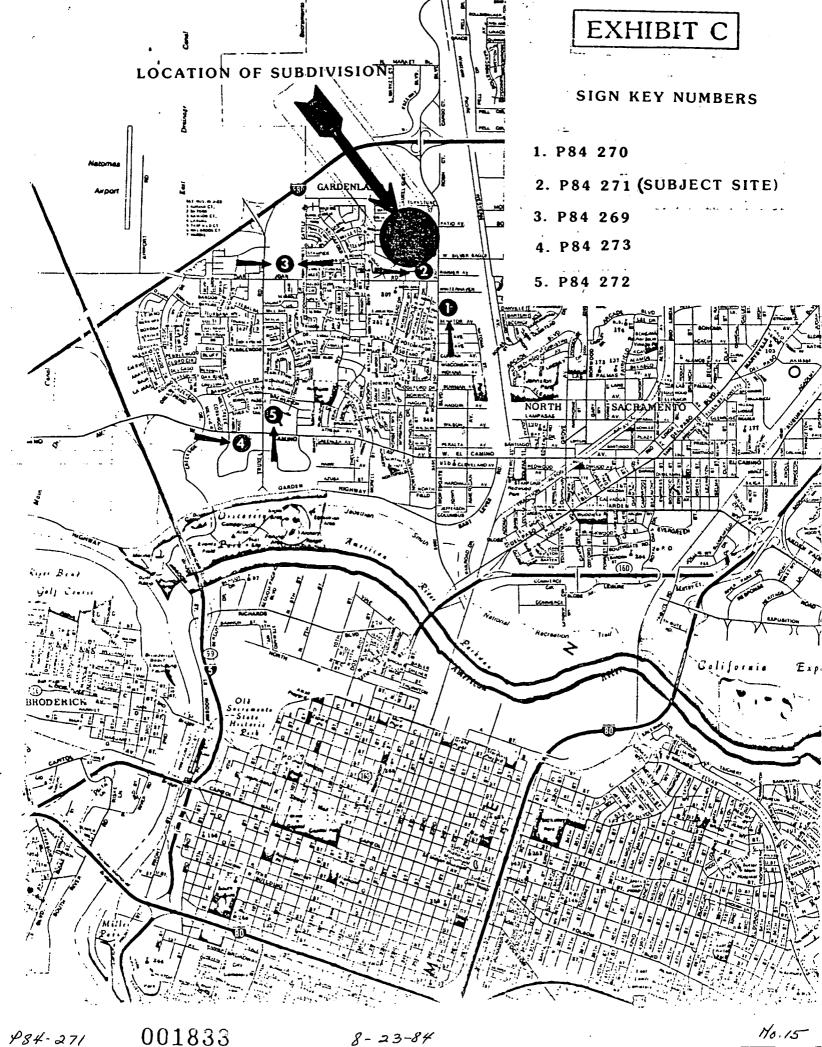
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- 2. "preserve and improve the appearance of the City as a place in which to live and to work and as an attraction to nonresidents who come to visit or trade."

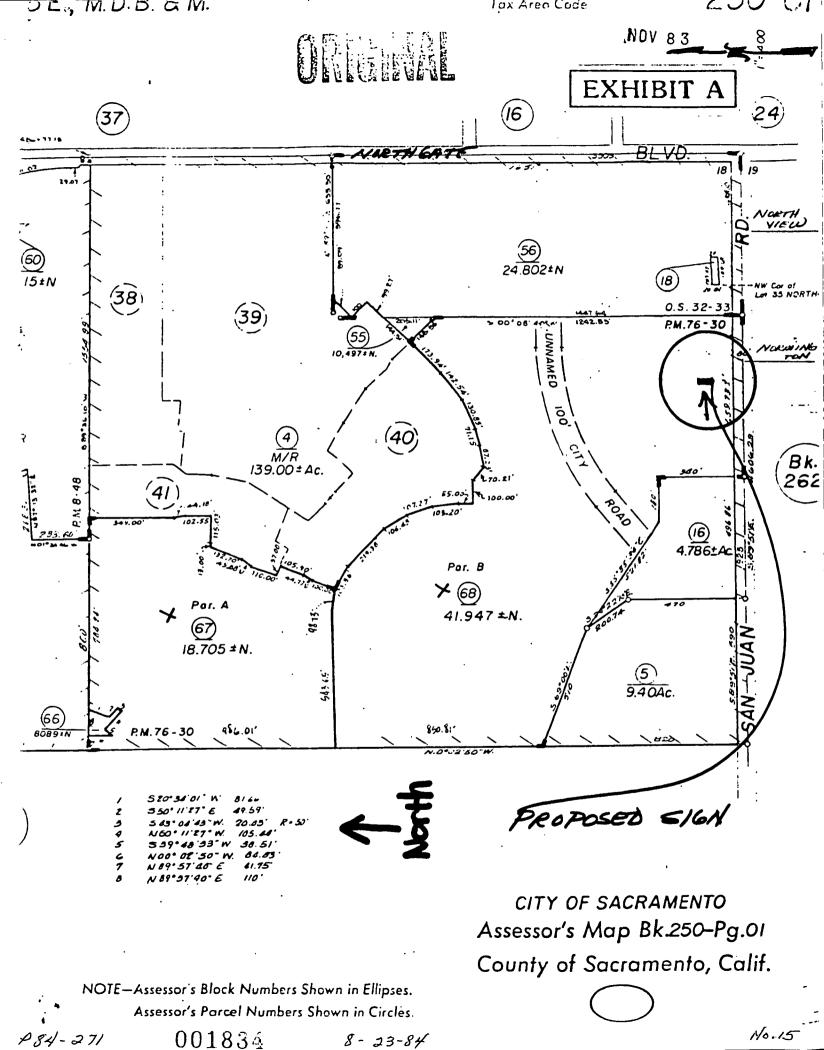


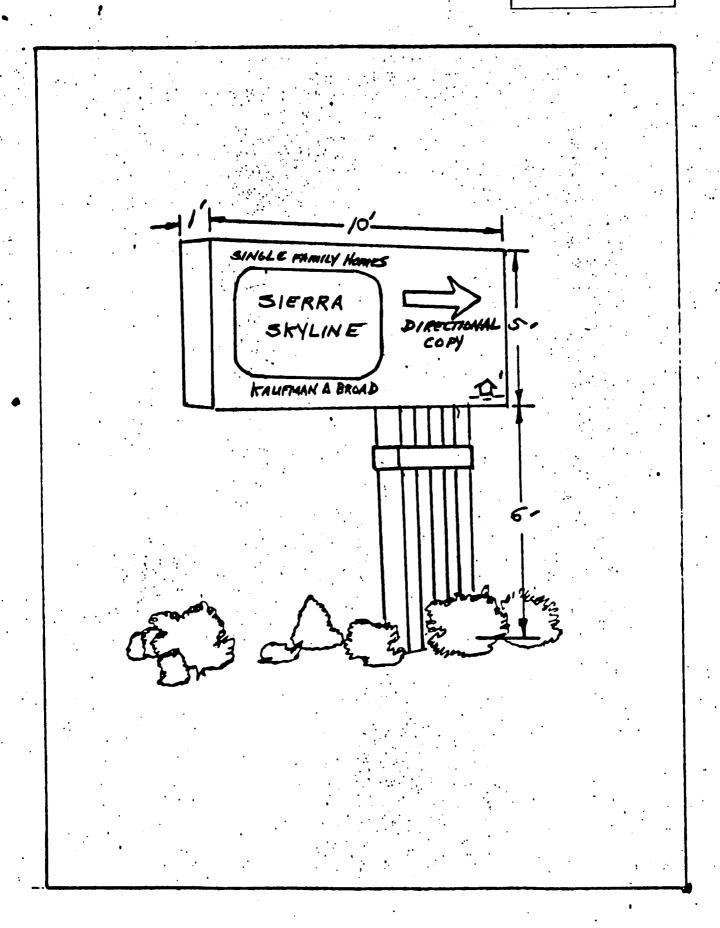
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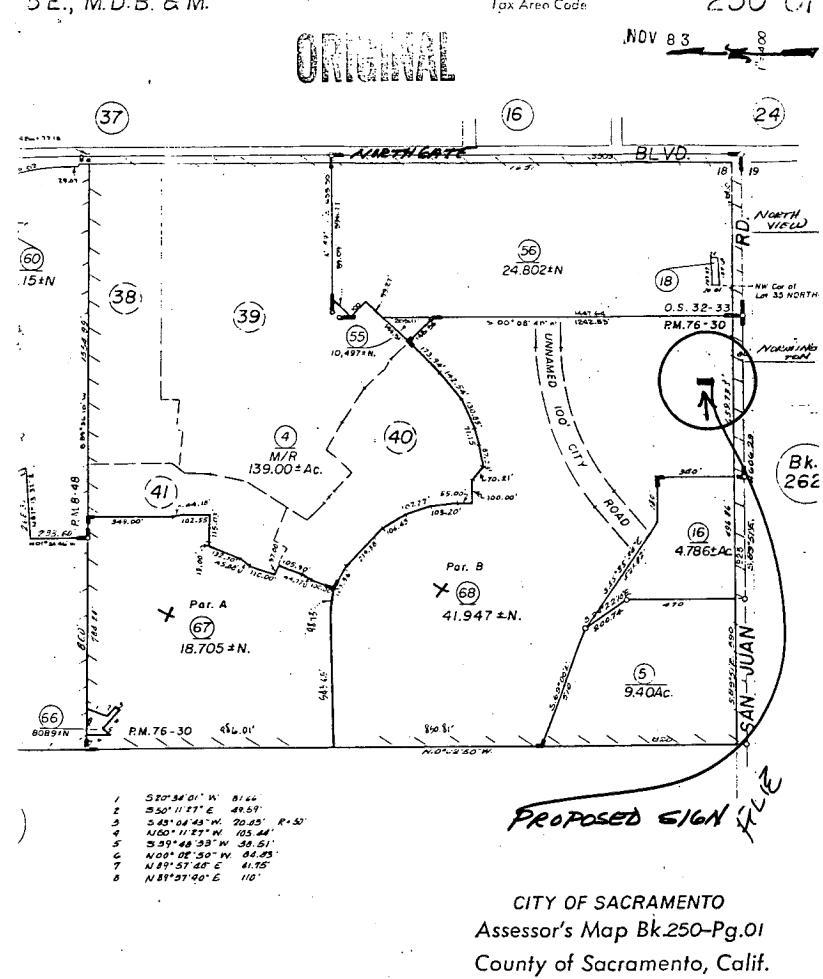
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