# P.O. BOX 87 MONTEREY, CA 93942

February 5, 2018

Anthony G. Davi, Sr. AG Davi, Ltd 484 Washington Street Monterey, CA 93940

Subject:

Vacant Group I spaces on Alvarado Street

Dear Anthony,

We understand that you have found a prospective tenant for one of your vacant spaces on Alvarado Street. We know that it can be challenging, to find a tenant who fits under the heading of Group I as determined by the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District (MPWMD). I think it has been well over a year that you have suffered vacancy there.

As we further understand it, your prospective tenant serves a food product, and for this reason the MPWMD finds that they do not qualify to occupy a Group I space. On the other hand, you have shared with us that the tenant does not prepare their product on-site, nor is there any significant cleaning required. We understand that they use disposable containers 100% of the time.

It would be interesting to know what amount of water use they can show, from their Santa Cruz location. If indeed their use is very low, perhaps they would be comparable to a Group I user. In that case, it might be reasonable for the MPWMD to at least consider allowing them to occupy your vacant space. I think a similar accommodation was made in the past, for the Parker-Lusseau Bakery location on Hartnell Street, where they occupied what was formerly an office space.

We wish you luck with your appeal. We support your efforts to bring quality tenants to downtown Monterey. Please feel free to share a copy of this letter of support with the MPWMD.

Since ely yours,

Lulie Work Beck

Managing Partner

#### **Anthony Davi Sr**

Subject: Attachments: FW: Juice Bar Alvarado ST. Monterey, CA AGDavi

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Board of Directors of : Monterey Peninsula Water Management District.

Addendum to Variance Request for: Water Grouping Change for Juice Bar Property 458-460 Alvarado ST. Monterey, CA 93940 Ladies and Gentlemen:

My name is Anthony G. Davi, Sr. I'm a lifelong member of the Monterey Peninsula, business owner and property owner.

I have attached a photo of a property that I own on Alvarado Street, main street downtown Monterey, which is the subject of this letter. The property consist of 2 spaces each 2,650 square feet. The property is updated with ADA rest rooms, fire sprinkler system, finished interior spaces, and earthquake retrofitted. Another words rent ready.

Unfortunately this property has been vacant since December of 2016, , as of February 1, 2018 I'm approaching 14 months of vacancy, all primarily due to the restrictive water Grouping I. The numerous inquiries that I had for the spaces were for restaurants/ food related, uses, which seems to the preferred business for Alvarado Street. Now, in addition to the loss of revenue, payment of property taxes, insurance premiums, routinely cleaning the front windows and clean up the trash left behind by homeless, I'm now facing the potential loss of property insurance coverage. Insurance carriers do not insure building with long term vacancies. My property is zoned for numerous uses, which include but not limited to all the uses permitted , in the districts grouping categories , 1, 2 & 3. By restricting my property to Group I, The use of my property has been restricted while numerous properties along Alvarado Street do not have the restriction. Alvarado Street is primary food related street.

The allowable uses in Group I are attached for your review. Effectively my property has been devalued.

I'm sharing this so that you all can understand the sever impact of water restrictions on my, properties in a prime commercial district, a restriction that is inconsistent with the other permitted uses on Alvarado Street . Alvarado Street is an entertainment district, primary food related business, so almost all the Group uses (1,2 & 3) are appropriate or desired for Alvarado Street. This is evident by the fact that the newly established business on Alvarado St., are all food related. There is no appetite for the businesses that are allowed in Group I category.

I understand we are under pumping the Carmel River Aquaphor by 3,000 Acre Feet, so there is water available. Why cant we have some of it. With my existing water credits all that is needed is an additional .35 acre feet per space to meet your requirements, which would be ideal.

The recent request to allow a Juice Bar in one of the above spaces , 2,650 square feet was denied because staff determined is was a Group II use and my space only allows Group I uses, even though Wine Tasting , Dental and Veterinary Clinic, Supermarket, Family grocery, a Gym along with others, are permissible in Group I. We believe the Juice Bar is comparable to Wine Tasting use and that staff had the option to make that determination.



A juice bar would be desirable and complementary use on Alvarado Street. Justification for allowing the Juice Bar in one of the 2,650 Square feet spaces, is that they serve all their beverages in disposal containers, that the Juices are premixed, so minimal water use, no dishwasher, no pots, pans, china, silverware, glass to clean, and etc. A very low group II water user. Staff denial letter stated concerns with tea and ice cream. Both of these are incidental (less than 20%) to the primary business. Regarding Ice Cream, which is not a requirement and the Juice Bar on Alvarado Street, if approved, will not include ice cream. By the way there already is an Ice Cream store directly across the street from the subject space.

The Juice Bar will be a low group II water user, because they do not utilizing, pots, pans, china plates, silverware, drinking glasses, providing drinking water to patrons and so there is no, washings of pots, pans, china plates, silverware drinking and etc.

## Monterey Peninsula Water Management District

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### NON-RESIDENTIAL WATER USE FACTORS

For Non-Residential projects, fees are computed on the anticipated water use of a project based on the development's projected capacity for water use. Any change in use from one non-residential category in one group to another nonresidential category in a higher water use group, or from any category in Group III to another category in Group III, as shown on Table No. 2, shall be deemed an intensification of use requiring an expansion/extension permit, or an amended permit pursuant to District Rules. Where there is no increase in the size of a structure, a change in use from one non-residential category in Group I to another category within Group I, or a change of use from one nonresidential category in Group II to another in Group II, however, shall not be deemed to cause an intensification of water use.

Group I Auto Uses

Retail

Warehouse Family Grocery

Dental Clinic Medical Clinic Office Bank Wine Tasting Room Supermarket Fast Photo

Church School

Nail Salon

Veterinary Clinic

Convenience Store

Dry Cleaner (No On-site Laundry)

Group IA

Bakery

Catering

Coffee House

Deli

0.0002 AF/SF

0.00007 AF/SF

Dry Cleaner (On-Site Laundry)

Ice Cream Shop

Pizza

Bistro

Sandwich Shop

Group III

Assisted Living (more than 6 beds)1 Beauty Shop/Dog Grooming Child/Dependent Adult Day Care

Dormitory<sup>2</sup> Laundromat

Meeting Hall/Banquet Room Motel/Hotel/Bed and Breakfast:

w/Large Bathtub (add to room factor) Irrigated areas beyond 10 feet of any building

Plant Nursery **Public Toilets** Public Urinals

Zero Water Consumption Urinal

Restaurant (including Bar/Brewpub Seats)

Exterior Restaurant Seats above the "Standard Exterior Seat Allowance"3 Exterior Restaurant Seats within the "Standard Exterior Seat Allowance"

Restaurant (24-Hour & Fast Food):

Self-Storage

Skilled Nursing/Alzheimer's Care

Swimming Pool

Theater

0.085 AF/bed

0.0567 AF/station 0.0072 AF/Person 0.040 AF/Room 0.2 AF/Machine 0.00053 AF/SF 0.1 AF/Room

0.03 AF/Tub ETWU

0.00009 AF/SF Land Area

0.058 AF/Toilet 0.036 AF/Urinal

No value

0.02 AF/Interior Restaurant Seat 0.01 AF/Exterior Restaurant Seat

No Value

0.038 AF/Interior Restaurant Seat

0.0008 AF/Storage Unit

0.12 AF/Bed 0.05 AF/Spa

0.02 AF/100 SF of Surface Area

0.0012 AF/Seat

Group IV - Modified Non-Residential Uses - Users listed in this category have reduced water Capacity from the types of uses listed in Groups I-III and have received a Water Use Credit for modifications. Please inquire for specific property information.

All new Connections - Refer to Rule 24-B, Exterior Non-Residential Water Demand Calculations.

Note: Any Non-Residential water use which cannot be characterized by one of the use categories set forth in Table 2 shall be designated as "other" and assigned a factor which has a positive correlation to the anticipated Water Use Capacity for that Site.

<sup>1</sup> Assisted living Dwelling Units shall be permitted as Residential uses per Table 1, Residential Fixture Unit count Values.

<sup>2</sup> Dormitory water use at educational facilities is a Residential use although the factor is shown on Table 2

<sup>3</sup> See Ride 24-B-1 and Rule 25,5 for information about the "Standard Exterior Seat Allowance".



December 23, 2017

Anthony Davi Sr. P.O. Box 1380 Pebble Beach, CA 93953

Subject: Request for Determination of Water Needs for Tea Zone Fruit Bar at 460 Alvarado Street, Monterey (APN: 001-572-005-000)

Dear Mr. Davi:

This letter is in response to our meeting on December 16, 2017, where you and your client requested that MWPMD consider a proposed juice bar at 460 Alvarado, Monterey, as a Non-Residential Group I water use (MPWMD Rule 24, Table 2). The business, "Tea Zone and Fruit Bar," sells fresh brewed tea and beverages, ice cream, fresh and bottled juices, and smoothies. The arguments presented by your client to support the Group I request were that there would be minimal dishwashing as items are served in "to-go" cups, minimal water use for cleaning, and that the space available to rent is 50% larger than needed for the business.

After reviewing the information provided in the meeting, visiting a Tea Zone in the Bay Area, and reviewing similar local business type's, staff has determined that Group II use is the appropriate Water Use Factor for this business. The brewing and selling of tea, sale of ice cream, juices and smoothies are identical uses to those in the Group II category. The conservation measures discussed in the meeting are considered Best Management Practices that would be expected of any business in this category. Unfortunately, the Subject property does not have the adequate water to support this business type.

The information in this letter is based on the District's <u>current</u> rules and regulations. The District's Rules and Regulations are subject to revision by action of the Board of Directors. New Water Permit applications submitted to the District are subject to the rules in effect at the time the complete application is received.

If you have any questions, please call the Permit and Conservation Office at 658-5601.

Sincerely.

Stephanie Kister

Stephanie Kister Conservation Analyst

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#### **Anthony Davi Sr**

From:

Anthony Davi Sr

Sent:

Thursday, January 04, 2018 4:35 PM

To:

Dave Stoldt

Subject:

Juice Bar Alvarado ST. Monterey, CA AGDavi

**Attachments:** 

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#### Dear Dave:

I have attached a photo of a property that I own on Alvarado Street, main street downtown Monterey, which is the subject of this letter.

This property has now been vacant since December of 2016, over 1 year, primarily due to the restrictive water Grouping I. Inquiries that I had were for restaurants uses, which seems to the preferred business for Alvarado Street. Now, in addition to the loss of revenue, payment of property taxes, insurance premiums, routinely cleaning the front windows and clean up the trash left behind by homeless, I'm now facing the potential loss of property insurance coverage. Insurance carriers do not insure building with long term vacancies. My property is zoned for numerous uses that included grouping 1, 2 & 3. By restricting it to Group I, my property it has been devalued.

I'm sharing this so that you all can understand the sever impact of water restrictions on commercial properties in a prime commercial district, when the restriction is inconsistent with the market demands. Alvarado Street is an entertainment district, so almost all the Group uses are appropriate or desired. I understand we are under pumping the Carmel River Aquaphor by 3,000 Acre Feet, so the Juice Bar water use would be negatable.

The recent request to allow a Juice Bar in one of the above spaces was denied because staff determined is was a Group II use and my space only allows Group I uses, even though a Wine Tasting is permissible in Group I. I believe the Juice Bar is comparable to Wine Tasting use. A juice bar would be desirable and complementary use on Alvarado Street. Justification for allowing this use in Group I, is that they serve all their beverages in disposal containers, that the Juices are pre-mixed, so minimal water use, no dishwasher, no pots, pans, china, silverware, glass to clean, nothing comparable to Group II water user.

#### Group II use include:

"Bakery, Catering, Coffee House, Deli, Dry Cleaners, Ice Cream Shop, Pizza, a Bistro and Sandwich Shop", Uses, which include preparing and serving foods. Utilizing, pots, pans, china plates, silverware, drinking glasses, water service and more. All this item need to be washed, either by hand or require a dishwasher, substantially more cleaning and a great deal more water than a to-go healthy Juice Bar.

The staff denial letter focused on tea brewing, ice cream, rather than the fact that sale of Juice drinks in disposable containers is the primary business use and these others are incidentals. Also, the letter states the argument presented by my client was limited to, to-go cups, minimal water use for cleaning and space is larger than needed, the whole point of that discussion was to help staff recognize that they are not a group II water user, for all the above mentioned. The client also explained that the Juices were pre-mixed, they showed a photo of the minimal water used to clean the mixing container.

Group I use included, Supermarket, and a Gym, both of which would use more water than a Juice Bar.

Wine Tasting is allowed in Group I, a Juice Bar water use is far less than the Group II users and should qualify just as the Wine Tasting is. In recent years numerous Wine Tasting business have been allowed throughout the district, a Juice bar would be like Wine Tasting.

So, Dave, I'm wondering if you would be willing to meet with your people and reconsideration our request. Since the additional water in a Group II is only approximately .345 AF, can the district allocate additional water to this property. A positive response would eliminate the vacancy and be plus for the down town.

Respectfully Requested

Anthony G. Davi, Sr.

831-594-3284

To: Anthony Davi Sr <agsr@agdavi.com>

Subject: Water Operation on Tea Zone Business-460 Alvarado St, Monterey

Dear Stephanie,

Thank you for your letter response dated on Dec 23, 2017, regarding Tea Zone business at 460 Alvarado St, Monterey.

I understand that you went to one of the stores at Almaden Expressway, San Jose to verify the operation of business. We would like to provide you a breakdown on details of product making. The actual operation on water is not the same as it appears to be.

- Snow bubble menu including blended drinks like smoothies are made of concentrated juices, milk, nutella & cookies etc. These products do not require tap water. (45% of menu) (see attached photos)
- Smoothiy menu are made by blending all the fresh fruits with condensed milk. These products
  do not require tap water (25% of menu) (see attached photos)
- Tea menu including milktea, green tea, black tea are made by brewing tea from the water boiler. These products require tap water. (20% of menu) (see attached photos)
- Dessert menu are side products, such as pudding, snacks, & ice cream etc. (10% of menu).
   Please note that these products are not main menu. The type to serve varies depending on each individual location. They are not a must to have products.

For Monterey location, my client is totally ok without adding ice cream on the menu. They would adjust any side menu if needed to meet the guideline.

Other pre-made liquid purchased from 3rd party including:

- Hershey's chocolate syrup
- Torani syrup
- Whole milk from Fresh Bite Basket
- Soy milk from Silk
- Half & half from Food Service Direct

Given all the details of product operation, on behalf of my client, I'd appreciate your reconsideration on business group.

Please let me know if you have any question or need any further info.

# Sincerely,

**Jess Flowers**, PhD Broker Associate Lic 01394528

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## **REINHARDT**INSURANCE

January 31, 2018

Anthony G. Davi A. G. Davi LTD P.O. Box 2350 Monterey, CA 93940

Re: Davi Family Trust Dated 6/8/88 458/460 Alvarado Street Monterey, CA 93940 Ohio Casualty Insurance Company Policy #: BK0 (18) 56278184



Dear Anthony;

I want to call your attention to the Vacancy Provisions section of the above policy specifically as respects the above location.

#### Vacancy Provisions

If the building where loss or damage occurs has been vacant for more than 60 consecutive days before that loss or damage occurs:

- (1) We will not pay for any loss or damage caused by any of the following even if they are covered Causes of Loss:
  - (a) Vandalism;
  - (b) Sprinkler leakage, unless you have protected the system against freezing;
  - (c) Building glass breakage;
  - (d) Water damage;
  - (e) Theft; or
  - (f) Attempted theft
- (2) With respect to Covered Causes of Loss other than those listed in b. (1) (a) through b. (1) (f) above, we will reduce the amount we would otherwise pay for the loss or damage by 15%.

The building located at 458/460 Alvarado Street, Monterey, CA 93940 is currently subject to the restrictions and penalties stated in the above provisions of your insurance policy listed above. If you have any questions about this issue please feel free to call me:

Best Regards.

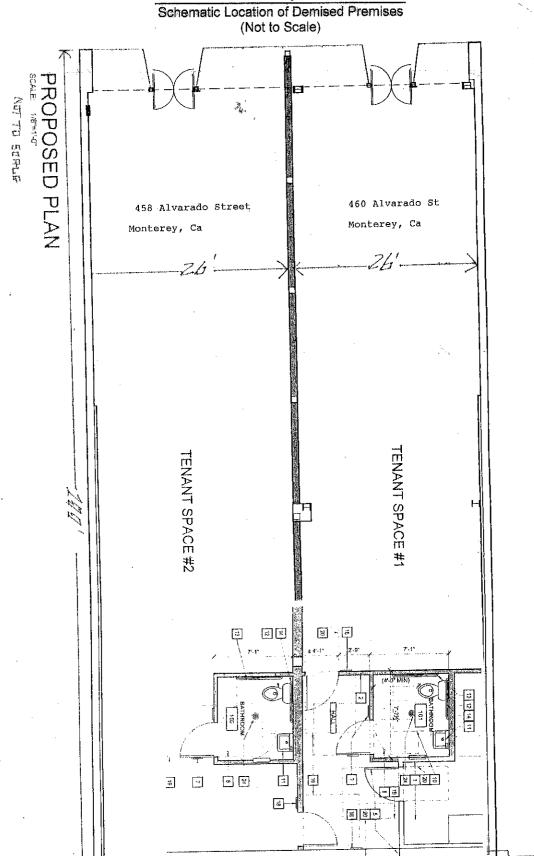
Patrick W. Bradley

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# LEASE EXHIBIT "B"

Demised Premises located

## 460 ALVARADO ST SPACE #1



### DAVI INVESTMENTS

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Union Bank 495 WASHINGTON ST. MONTEREY, CA. 93940

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MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT 5 Harris Ct. Building G Monterey, Ca 93940

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