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City of Menlo Park Planning Department 701 Laurel Street Menlo Park, CA 94025

## 1015 Henderson Ave – Project Description Asser Fayed & Lilly Omran Studio S Squared job #24042

## **BACKGROUND**

The project site is located at 1015 Henderson Avenue in Menlo Park. The surrounding neighborhood does not follow a single predominant architectural style, although traditional forms are common. The existing home is a one-story structure with no architectural significance.

The property is a 6,000-square-foot lot with a rectangular shape (50'W X 120'D) and currently includes a shared driveway easement with the neighboring parcel. The adjacent neighbor has formally abandoned 5 feet of that easement on the subject lot.

## **PROPOSAL**

The purpose of this application is to request a Use Permit for the demolition of the existing residence and the construction of a new two-story single-family home with an attached accessory dwelling unit (ADU). The ADU spans both floors but includes a separate entrance and dedicated interior staircase, maintaining independence from the main residence.

The proposed main residence consists of 4 bedrooms and 3.5 bathrooms, with a total of 2,424.03 square feet of living space and a 347.45-square-foot two-car garage. The attached ADU includes 1 bedroom and 1 bathroom, totaling 799.68 square feet. Both the proposed floor area and lot coverage comply with current zoning requirements.

The adjacent neighbor at 1017 Henderson Avenue shares a 15-foot-wide driveway easement (7.5 feet on each parcel) with the subject property. The neighbor has formally abandoned 5 feet of the easement on the subject lot. A

legal description and plat have been submitted and are currently in the process of being recorded with the County.

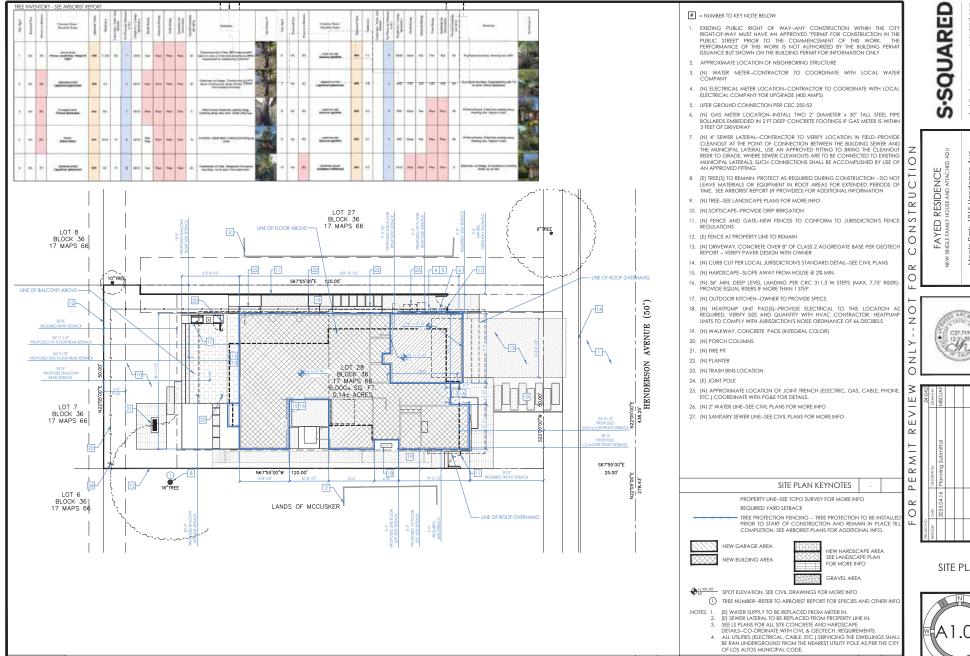
The architectural style of the proposed home is contemporary modern, featuring a balanced and restrained massing approach to reduce visual impact along the streetscape. The design incorporates natural materials such as stone and wood siding, complemented by white stucco, to create a warm and timeless exterior.

Thank you for your time and Please let us know if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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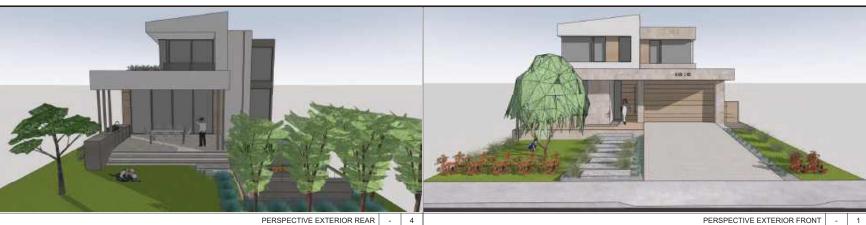
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