

City of Surrey PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT REPORT File: 7913-0118-00

Planning Report Date: February 3, 2014

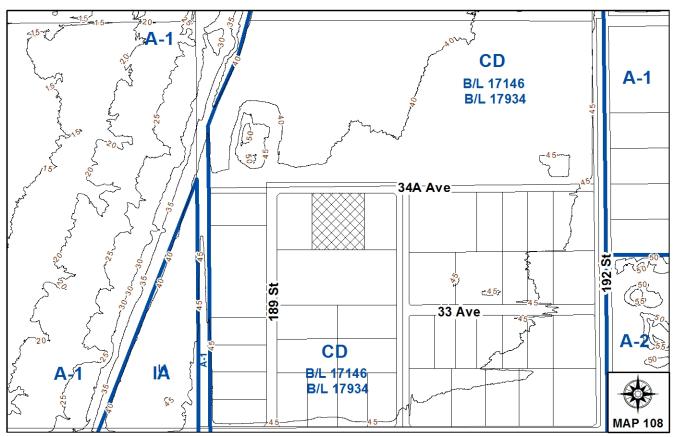
PROPOSAL:

• **Development Permit** for a warehouse building with associated office space and outdoor storage.

LOCATION: 18960 – 34A Avenue
OWNER: 0973237 B.C. Ltd.

ZONING: CD (Bylaw Nos. 17146/17934)

OCP DESIGNATION: Industrial LAP DESIGNATION: Business Park



RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

• Approval and issuance of Development Permit.

DEVIATION FROM PLANS, POLICIES OR REGULATIONS

None.

RATIONALE OF RECOMMENDATION

- Complies with the Campbell Heights Local Area Plan (LAP).
- Complies with CD By-law Nos . 17146/17934, including the provision limiting the total area of outdoor display and storage to a maximum of 1.5 times the area covered by the principal building.
- The proposed development is consistent with the design guidelines outlined in the Campbell Heights Local Area Plan and the general development permit approved for Campbell Heights North.

RECOMMENDATION

The Planning & Development Department recommends that

1. Council authorize staff to draft Development Permit No. 7913-0089-00 generally in accordance with the attached drawings (Appendix II).

- 2. Council instruct staff to resolve the following issues prior to final adoption:
 - (a) submission of a landscaping plan and landscaping cost estimate to the specifications and satisfaction of the Planning and Development Department;

REFERRALS

Engineering: The Engineering Department has no objection to the project, as

outlined in Appendix III.

Surrey Fire Department: No concerns.

SITE CHARACTERISTICS

Existing Land Use: Undeveloped industrial land

Adjacent Area:

Direction	Existing Use	OCP/LAP	Existing Zone
		Designation	
All directions:	Undeveloped industrial	Industrial in the OCP.	CD Bylaw Nos.
	land, lots recently created	Business Park in the	17146/17934
	as part of the Campbell	Campbell Heights Plan.	
	Heights North rezoning.	_	

DEVELOPMENT CONSIDERATIONS

Context

- The subject property is 1.15 ha (2.84 acres) in size, and located in the Campbell Heights North area, which has recently been rezoned and subdivided. This property was created under subdivision application no. 7912-0160-00.
- This site and surrounding properties are currently vacant, with little or no vegetation.

Proposal

- The site will be occupied by Blue Pine Enterprises Ltd., a landscaping company. This company's current operations at 19070 51B Avenue are non-conforming, given the property's A-1 zoning and its location in the Agricultural Land Reserve. To resolve this situation, Blue Pine proposes to relocate their operations to the subject property in Campbell Heights.
- The proposed development permit is to accommodate Blue Pine's landscaping operations, including a 1,932 m² (20,800 ft²) building, comprised of the following (see Appendix III for drawings):
 - o a 1,189 m² (12,800 ft²) warehouse/shop; and
 - o 743 m² (8000 ft²) of office space on two floors.
- Outdoor storage is proposed in the rear yard in compliance with the CD By-law.
- The building will be 11 m (36 ft) tall.

Parking, Access and Circulation

- Two vehicle accesses are proposed and have been approved by Engineering. The
 configuration allows trucks and other landscaping vehicles to enter the rear yard through one
 gate and exit through the other.
- Required parking for staff and visitors has been accommodated at the front of the site, with additional parking for landscaping vehicles, trailers, and equipment (under 5,000 kg) in the rear yard.

Outdoor Storage

- A partitioned storage area is proposed in the centre of the rear yard for storage of pavers, blocks, and other hard landscaping materials.
- Lock-block bins are proposed adjacent to the rear property line, where mulch, soil, gravel and other similar materials will be stored.
- Pipe storage is proposed on racks affixed to the outside of the building on the east side.
- These three storage areas combined will add up to 2,174 m² (23,400 ft²), which is 1.5 times the footprint of the building and in compliance with the maximum coverage permitted for outdoor storage.
- A 3.7 m (12 ft) wide landscaping strip is proposed in the rear yard, adjacent to the east property line and the eastern portion of the south property line. This landscaping will ensure that this area will not be used for outdoor storage in excess of what the zoning permits.
- Parking for fleet vehicles and trailers is proposed adjacent to the west property line.
- The remaining area in the rear yard is required for drive aisles between the storage areas, loading, and vehicle turning. Appendix III shows anticipated vehicle turning movements.

Design Proposal and Review

- The proposed building and site plan are consistent with the design guidelines outlined in the Campbell Heights LAP and the Campbell Heights North Design Guidelines document.
- The building is proposed to be tilt-up concrete, painted grey. Vertical accents of cultured stone are proposed on the office portion of the building, with clear glazing and a wood and glass canopy.

Landscaping Plan and Trees

- The landscaping plan has been reviewed and is acceptable, but the landscaping cost estimate has not yet been approved.
- The proposed landscaping reflects the registered restrictive covenant for landscaping and storm water management along the front property line. The restrictive covenant requires installation of a bio-swale and associated rain garden with planted trees, shrubs and groundcover.
- Landscaping includes a proposed 4 metre (13 foot) high green wall in the area used to screen and secure the rear yard.
- The front yard landscaping incorporates a pedestrian connection between the building and the sidewalk
- The entire perimeter of the rear outdoor storage area will be screened with a 2.4 metre (8 foot) high split-face concrete block fence.
- A 3.7 metre (12 foot) wide landscaping strip is proposed in the rear yard, adjacent to portions of the east and south property lines. Landscaping in this location will ensure that the area will not be used for outdoor storage of materials. The planting in this landscaping strip must be appropriate to withstand the potentially shady conditions.
- An arborist report was not required because there are currently no trees and very little vegetation at all on the property.

PRE-NOTIFICATION

- Pre-notification letters were not required for this application.
- This proposal was referred to the Little Campbell Watershed Society (LCWS) for review and comments. The LCWS has no concerns.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT CHECKLIST

The applicant prepared and submitted a sustainable development checklist for the subject site on January 22, 2014. The table below summarizes the applicable development features of the proposal based on the seven (7) criteria listed in the Surrey Sustainable Development Checklist.

Sustainability Criteria	Sustainable Development Features Summary
1. Site Context & Location (A1-A2)	• The subject site is located within the Campbell Heights LAP. It is reflective of the land use designation and development permit guidelines.
2. Density & Diversity (B1-B7)	• The proposed development has an FAR of 0.17, with a maximum FAR of 1.0 permitted in the zone.
3. Ecology & Stewardship (C1-C4)	 The development will feature on-site filtration with a rain garden and bio-swale. There is currently no vegetation on the site, so tree removal will not be required.
4. Sustainable Transport & Mobility (D1-D2)	The proposed building will incorporate showers and change facilities that may be used by cyclists.
5. Accessibility & Safety (E1-E3)	• CPTED principles have been considered in the site design: the rear storage yard is secured with a gate, and the site will be well-lit with good sight-lines.
6. Green Certification (F1)	Green certification will not be pursued.
7. Education & Awareness (G1-G4)	• The applicant does not propose any sustainability education or awareness initiatives.

INFORMATION ATTACHED TO THIS REPORT

The following information is attached to this Report:

Appendix I. Lot Owners, Action Summary and Project Data Sheets

Appendix II. Site Plan, Building Elevations, Landscape Plans and Perspective

Appendix III. Engineering Summary

INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON FILE

 Complete Set of Architectural and Landscape Plans prepared by ATA Architectural Design / Teck Construction and PMG Landscape Architects, respectively, dated January 28, 2014 and January 29, 2014.

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Jean Lamontagne General Manager Planning and Development

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Information for City Clerk

Legal Description and Owners of all lots that form part of the application:

1. (a) Agent: Name: Wes Macaulay

Teck Construction LLP

Address: 5197 - 216 Street

Langley, BC V₃A₂N₄

Tel: 604-534-7917 - Work

604-534-7917 - Fax

2. Properties involved in the Application

(a) Civic Address: 18960 – 34A Avenue

(b) Civic Address: 18960 – 34A Ave

Owner: 0973237 B.C. Ltd.

<u>Director Information:</u>

John Devries Mike Lalonde David Wayne Moe

No Officer Information Filed

PID: 029-167-019

Lot 2 Section 28 Township 7 New Westminster District Plan EPP31532

3. Summary of Actions for City Clerk's Office

DEVELOPMENT DATA SHEET

Zoning: CD (By-law Nos. 17146/17934)

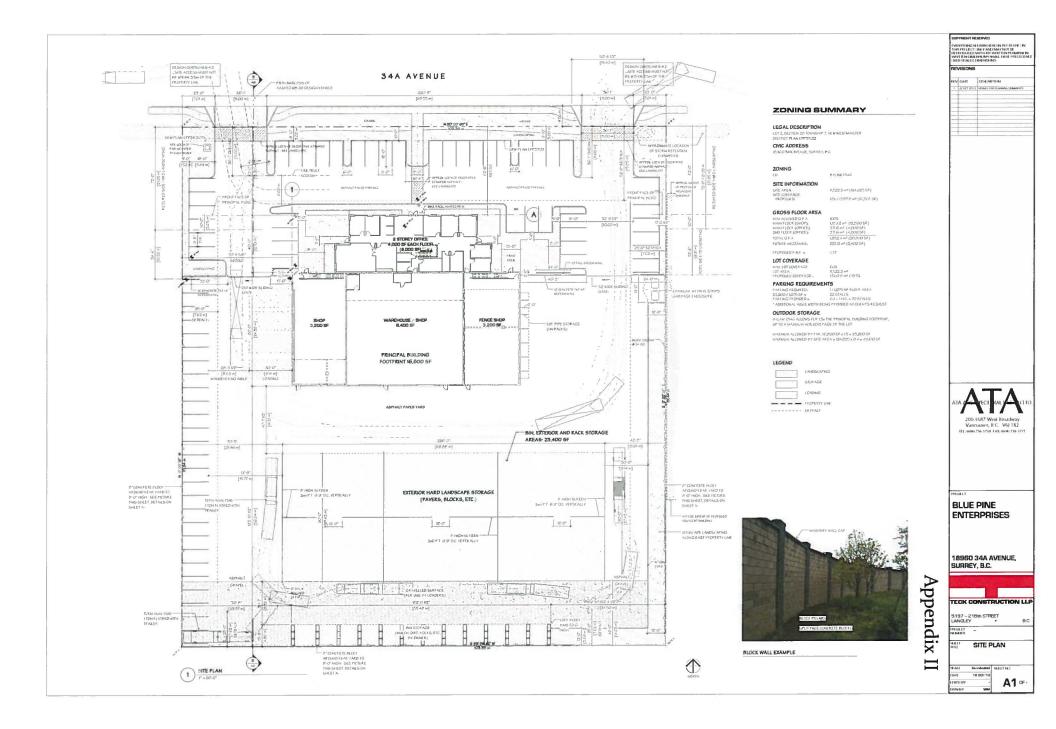
Required Development Data	Minimum Required / Maximum Allowed	Proposed
LOT AREA* (in square metres)		
Gross Total		1.15 ha (2.84 acres)
Road Widening area		0
Undevelopable area		0
Net Total		1.15 ha (2.84 acres)
LOT COVERAGE (in % of net lot area)		
Buildings & Structures		13.4%
Paved & Hard Surfaced Areas		80.6%
Total Site Coverage		94%
SETBACKS (in metres)		
Front		18.9
Rear		57.5
Side #1 (East)		31.1
Side #2 (West)		23.5
BUILDING HEIGHT (in metres/storeys)		
Principal		10.8
Accessory		n/a
NUMBER OF RESIDENTIAL UNITS		n/a
Bachelor		
One Bed		
Two Bedroom		
Three Bedroom +		
Total		
FLOOR AREA: Residential		n/a
FLOOR AREA: Commercial		n/a
Retail		
Office		
Total		
FLOOR AREA: Industrial		1932.4
FLOOR AREA: Institutional		n/a
TOTAL BUILDING FLOOR AREA		1932.4

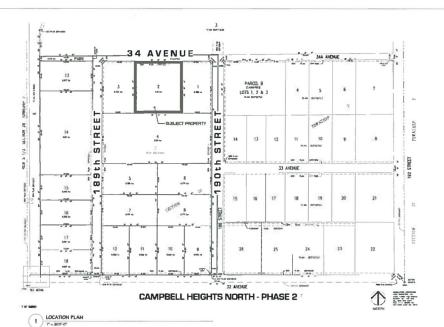
^{*} If the development site consists of more than one lot, lot dimensions pertain to the entire site.

Development Data Sheet cont'd

Required Development Data	Minimum Required / Maximum Allowed	Proposed
DENSITY		
# of units/ha /# units/acre (gross)		n/a
# of units/ha /# units/acre (net)		n/a
FAR		0.17
AMENITY SPACE (area in square metres)		n/a
Indoor		
Outdoor		
PARKING (number of stalls)		
Commercial		
Industrial		70
Residential Bachelor + 1 Bedroom		
2-Bed		
3-Bed		
Residential Visitors		
Institutional		
Total Number of Parking Spaces		70
Number of disabled stalls		1
Number of small cars		0
Tandem Parking Spaces: Number / % of Total Number of Units		
Size of Tandem Parking Spaces width/length		

Heritage Site	NO	Tree Survey/Assessment Provided	NO





PROJECT BRIEF

Blue Prise Enterprises is a lendscape company based in Surrey, B.C. As the business has expanded, Blue Prise has been in need of a new, larger base of operations in an industrial neighb

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The project is located in Phase 2 of the Campbell Heights North Business Park, but as of the date of this do

Site and Londscaping
This site , which faces north onto 34 Avenue, slopes gradually, with an approximate 3' drop from couch to north. The site is assentially flat from each to west.

The sits has two occuss points, with the western access point used as the entry to the sits by larger vehicles, and the eastern access point used as an exit. Parking is provided along the front of the sits for visitors and staff, and in the riser of the sits for company wholes that are not currently on one of Blue Pine's work sits.

Landscaping dissign it by PMG Landscape Architects, who are well-inspected for their work. The design of the landscape has been done to showcade Blue Pine as a landscape contractor, and thus the spaces of plants have been chosen to that size will be attractive year-round.

Building and Eline Design
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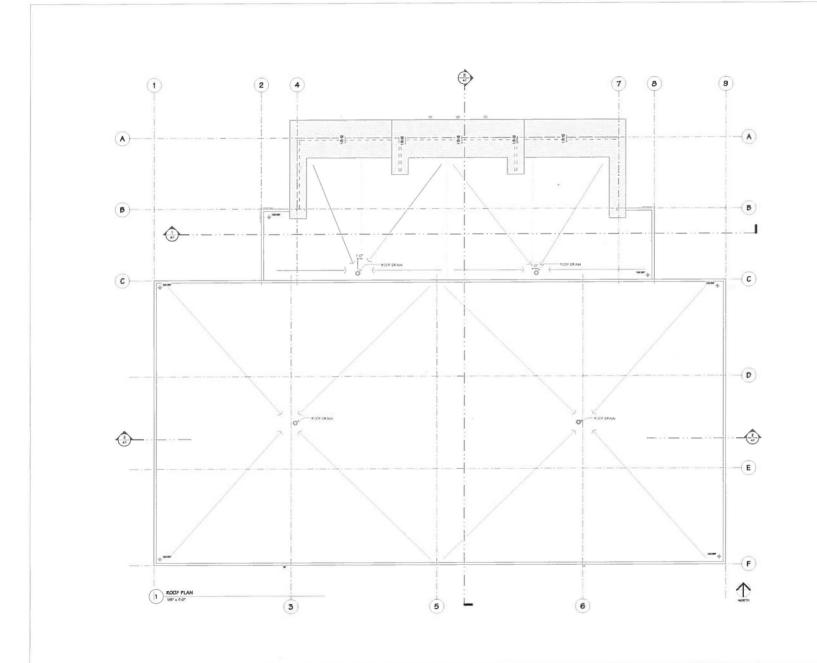
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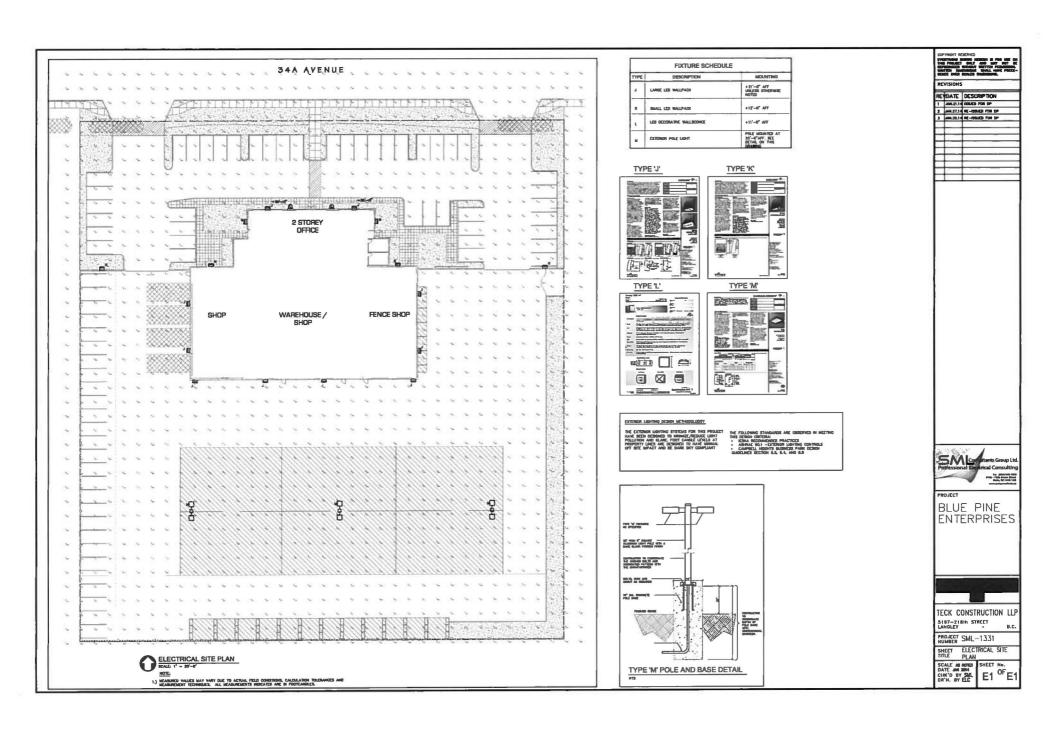


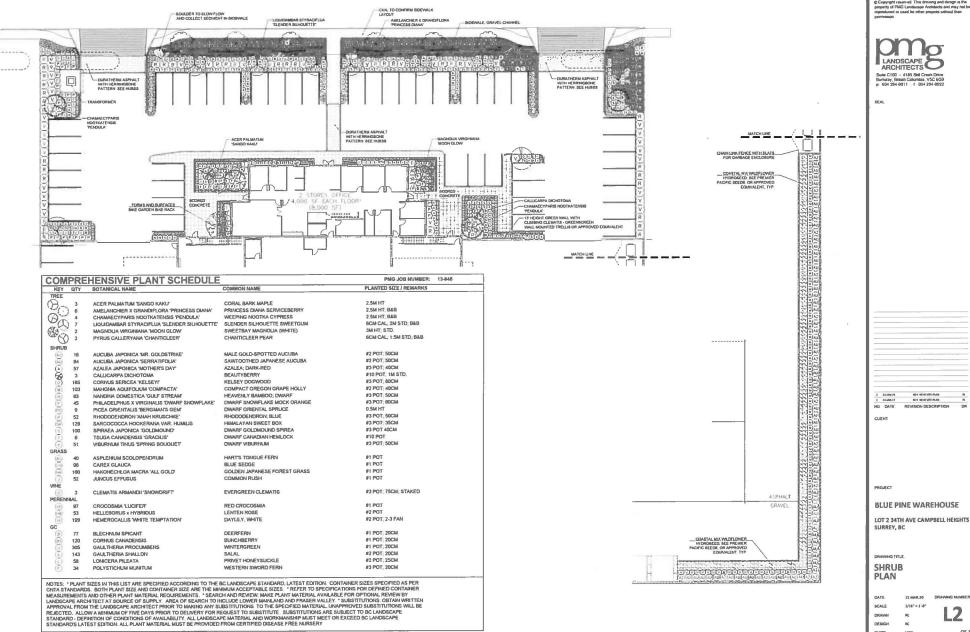
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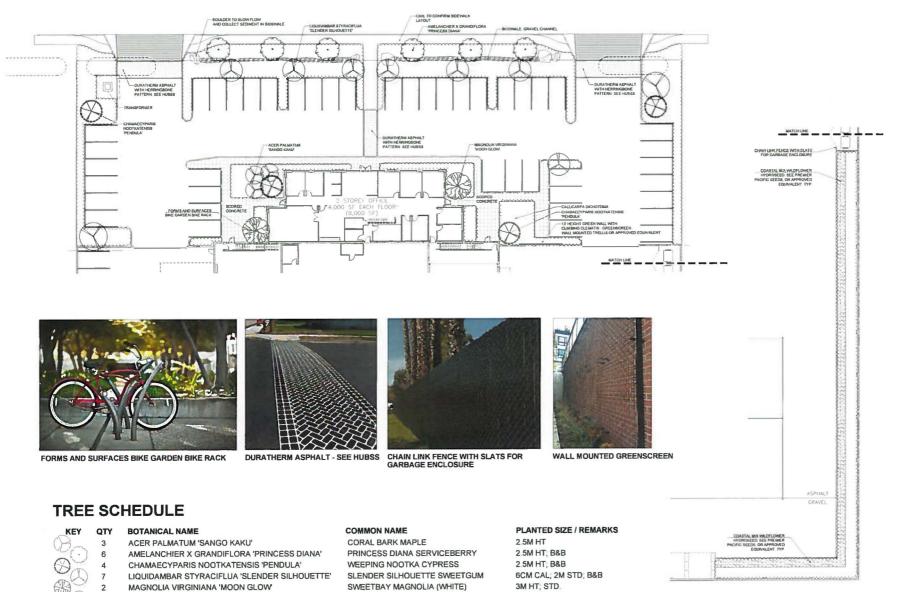
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Appendix III

TO:

Manager, Area Planning & Development

- South Surrey Division

Planning and Development Department

FROM:

Development Services Manager, Engineering Department

DATE:

January 28, 2014

PROJECT FILE:

7813-0118-00

RE:

Engineering Requirements (Commercial/Industrial)

Location: 18899 - 32 Avenue

DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

There are no engineering requirements relative to issuance of the Development Permit.

BUILDING PERMIT

The following issues are to be addressed as a condition of issuance of the Building Permit:

- Completion and acceptance of Surrey Project 7812-0160-00.
- Evaluate services (e.g. driveways, water connections, sanitary sewer connections, storm water drainage) provided to the site by 7812-0160-00 and address through the BP process.

Rémi Dubé, P.Eng.

Development Services Manager

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