

#### **Tract 18105**

# Acceptance of Public Improvements and Release of Surety Bonds

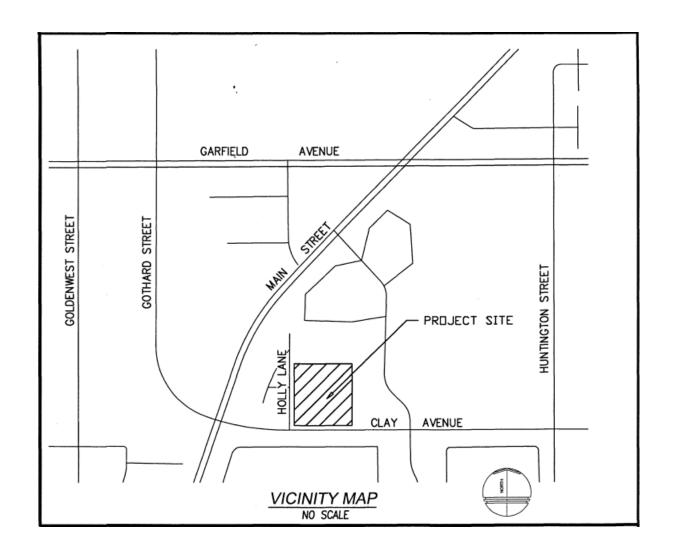
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#### **BACKGROUND**

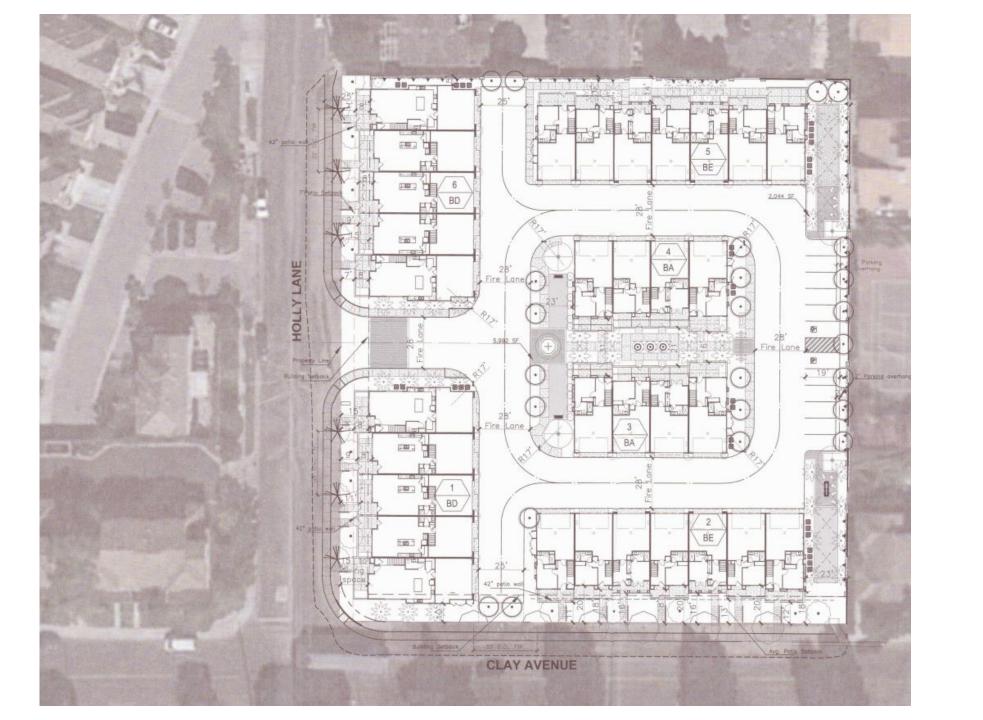
- On December 12, 2017, the Huntington Beach Planning Commission conditionally approved Conditional Use Permit No. 17-011 and Tentative Tract Map No. 18105, authorizing the construction of Tract 18105, which includes development of a 1.9-acre site to subdivide into 32 attached condominium townhomes, along with onsite/offsite utility upgrades and street improvements along Clay Avenue and Holly Lane.
- On July 1, 2019, City Council approved execution of the *Subdivison Agreement between the City* and *Meritage Homes of California* (owner/developer), and also accepted the project's required surety bonds as follows: Faithful Performance Bond No. SU 1148545, Labor and Materials Bond No. SU 1148545, and Monument Bond No. SU 1148546.



#### **LOCATION MAP**









### **NEED/WHY/BENEFITS**

- The developer has completed all required public improvements and is now requesting release of the aforementioned surety bonds, pursuant to California Government Code Section 66499.7(a).
- The City Engineer has determined that the public improvements have been constructed in substantial compliance with the approved project plans and specifications and recommends acceptance of these improvements.



### **DETAILS**

- The constructed public improvements include:
  - Curb, gutter, and sidewalk along the project's Holly Lane and Clay Avenue frontages
  - New street light on Holly Lane
- A Guarantee and Warranty Bond has been submitted by the Developer to provide a one-year warranty period to the City for the subject public improvements.



## RECOMMENDATION

- A) Accept the improvements constructed and dedicated for public use with Tract 18105, and instruct the City Clerk to record the <u>Notice of Acceptance of Public Improvements</u> with the Orange County Recorder; and,
- B) Accept Guarantee and Warranty Bond No. 30190069; the security furnished for guarantee and warranty of public improvements, and instruct the City Clerk to file the bond with the City Treasurer; and,
- C) Instruct the City Clerk to notify the developer, Meritage Homes of California, of this action, and the City Treasurer to notify the Surety, Arch Insurance Company (Faithful Performance, Labor & Materials, Monument) and The Continental Insurance Company (Guarantee & Warranty), of this action.

## Questions?

