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MIXED USE PROJECTS			
<p>EmeryStation West @ Emeryville Transit Center 59th and Horton Streets (“Mound” site north of Amtrak Station), and 62nd and Horton Streets (Heritage Square parking lot site) UP09-03</p>	<p>Mixed use transit-oriented development and public parking structure with about 200,000 square feet of office/lab/retail space, 4 Amtrak bus bays, and 148 parking spaces in a 165-foot tall tower on the “Mound” site; and a 675-space, 7 level parking garage with 3,620 square feet of ground floor commercial space on the Heritage Square site. Project includes new public plaza between Amtrak Station and new tower building.</p>	<p>Planning Commission held hearing on Use Permit and Design Review on May 22, 2003 and directed that project be redesigned. Study Session on housing alternative held by Planning Commission on September 25, 2003, and by City Council/ Redevelopment Agency on October 7, 2003. Redevelopment Agency approved Exclusive Negotiating Agreement with Wareham on development of project on September 6, 2005. Agency reviewed Wareham proposal on December 6, 2005, and January 17, 2006, and approved concept for submittal of planning application on February 21, 2006. Agency rescinded approval of concept on March 21, 2006. Planning Commission study session on new design held on March 22, 2007. City Council study session held December 18, 2007. Redevelopment Agency extended Exclusive Negotiating Agreement with Wareham on February 5, 2008. Revised plans, including parking garage on Heritage Square site, submitted December 17, 2008. City Council study session held January 20, 2009; Planning Commission study session held August 27, 2009. Community meeting held September 9, 2009. Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration published November 7, 2009 for 30-day public comment period. Planning Commission public hearing held on January 28, 2010. Commission adopted Mitigate Negative Declaration unanimously, but deadlocked 3-3 on approval of the project. On February 2, 2010, City Council voted to order that the Commission’s decision stand appealed. On February 16, 2010, City Council approved project on appeal.</p>	<p>Geoffrey Sears Wareham Development (415) 457-4964</p>
<p>MacArthur San Pablo Mixed Use 3706-3722 San Pablo Avenue UP06-14 and DR06-15</p>	<p>New five story 94-unit residential building with 5,800 square feet of retail on 1.12 acre site between 37th Street and West MacArthur Blvd. Site is partially in Oakland.</p>	<p>Planning Commission study session held September 28, 2006. City Council study session held October 17, 2006. Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration published on August 31, 2007. Planning Commission recommended approval at a special meeting on November 15, 2007. City Council approved on December 4, 2007. Oakland City Planning Commission approved on January 16, 2008.</p>	<p>Stanley Saitowitz Natoma Architects, Inc. (415) 626-8977</p>

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Bay Street – Site A Northeast of Christie Avenue and Shellmound Streets PUD 99-2	Completion of development of South Bayfront Retail/Mixed Use Project PUD with a hotel and retail north of Christie Avenue.	Planning Commission recommended approval of extension of Development Agreement for five years, until October 22, 2014, on July 23, 2009. City Council passed ordinance on September 1, 2009.	Eric Hohmann, Project Manager Madison Marquette (415) 277-6805
Bay Street - Site B Shellmound/Powell/railroad	Department store and public parking garage.	Redevelopment Agency selected Madison Marquette as developer on July 20, 2004. City Council study session held on April 5, 2005. Planning Commission and City Council study sessions on tower design held December 14, 2006 and December 19, 2006, respectively. Demolition permit for nine existing buildings issued April 10, 2007; demolition completed in May 2007. Issued excavation and temporary shoring permit for site remediation on October 2, 2008. Use Permit to use site as temporary Police Department headquarters during renovation of Police station on Powell Street approved by Planning Commission on July 23, 2009. Grading and site utilities permit for temporary Police station issued on November 10, 2009. TCO for temporary police station issued May 2010.	Eric Hohmann, Project Manager Madison Marquette (415) 277-6805
Marketplace Redevelopment Phase I – 64 th and Christie Building, Southeast corner of 64 th Street and Christie Avenue FDP08-02	193 residential rental units in a five-story building.	FDP application submitted on October 1, 2008 in conjunction with application for CALReUSE grant for site remediation. Staff notified on November 19, 2008 that \$5 million State Brownfields grant was awarded. Demolition permit application for existing buildings at 6340 and 6390 Christie Avenue submitted on October 20, 2008. Planning Commission study session on revised plan held June 24, 2010. Second study session held August 26, to be followed by Commission recommendation on September 23 and City Council decision on October 19.	Denise Pinkston TMG Partners (415) 772-5900
Marketplace Redevelopment Phase I – Shellmound Building, Shellmound Street opposite Borders Books and Music FDP08-03	Approximately 225 residential condominium units and 4,000 square feet of retail space in a 17-story, 175-foot tall building.	FDP application submitted on October 1, 2008 in conjunction with application for CALReUSE grant for site remediation.	Denise Pinkston TMG Partners (415) 772-5900

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<p>Gateway @ Emeryville 5801 - 5861 Christie Avenue</p>	<p>Residential/mixed use project with 265 residential rental units and 14,100 s.f. of retail space, and a 142- room hotel.</p>	<p>Planning Commission study session held January 26, 2006. Planning Commission study session on smaller project held January 25, 2007. Applicant has revised project to include Powell Street frontage. Planning Commission study session on revised design held August 23, 2007. City Council study session held September 4, 2007, at which Council directed staff to prepare a draft Request for Proposals for a mixed use development project on an assembled site to include Denny's restaurant, 76 gas station, and Kinko's parking lot, for approval by Redevelopment Agency at a future meeting.</p>	<p>BRE Properties John Wilde (415) 445-6578</p>
<p>Oak Walk Mixed Use Project 4002 San Pablo Avenue UP04-06</p>	<p>Residential/commercial mixed use development with 5,500 square feet of retail space, 59 residential condominiums in five existing houses to be renovated and new buildings up to four stories with a podium-level courtyard, and up to 113 at-grade parking spaces.</p>	<p>Approved by Planning Commission on October 27, 2005. Appealed to City Council, which passed a motion on January 17, 2006 to approve the project, requiring the retention and rehabilitation of the existing houses. Revised resolution and conditions approved by the Council on February 7, 2006. Design of 41st Street houses approved by Planning Commission on December 14, 2006. Building permit applications for renovation of five single family homes received on January 12, 2007. Building permit applications for three new mixed use buildings received on January 24, 2007. Planning Commission approved Vesting Tentative Map on April 26, 2007. Demolition permit issued on June 22, 2007 for eight structures and temporary relocation of five single-family homes from 41st Street. Demolition of approved structures completed in August 2007 and began soil remediation. Existing houses temporarily relocated in preparation for grading and foundation work in September 2007. Existing 4-plex on 41st Street relocated to new location at corner of Adeline & 40th Street. Issued foundation only permits for 3 new buildings and 5 relocated houses on October 31, 2007. Issued superstructure permits for all 8 buildings on November 26, 2007. Final sign-off issued for 1081 41st Street house on December 18, 2009. Final sign-off issued for four other relocated houses on January 14, 2010; TCO granted for 3 new buildings on February 12, 2010.</p>	<p>Stuart Gruendl BayRock Residential (510) 873-8880</p>

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RESIDENTIAL AND LIVE-WORK PROJECTS			
Papermill Project Block bounded by Powell, Hollis, and Doyle Streets and Stanford Avenue UP07-07 and DR07-11	Construction of a new rental project with 168 residential units, 5 live-work units, 3 flex space units, 10,222 square feet of retail space, and 299 parking spaces. Project includes new park along Stanford Avenue to replace City parking lot.	Community meeting held on April 10, 2007. Planning Commission study sessions held on August 23, 2007, and October 25, 2007. Project redesigned as a result of comments at study sessions. Third Planning Commission study session held February 28, 2008. City Council study session held April 1, 2008. Applicant has redesigning based on feedback from Council. Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration being prepared. Planning Commission recommended approval of project on October 23, 2008. City Council approved project on November 18, 2008. One year extension of use permit approved by Council on December 1, 2009.	Amir Massih Archstone Smith (510) 235-1170
39th and Adeline Residential Project East side of Adeline Street between 39 th Street and Yerba Buena Avenue UP06-12 and DR06-19	Construction of a 110-unit rental apartment project on a 1.12 acre site that is partially in Oakland.	Planning Commission study session held September 28, 2006. City Council study session held October 17, 2006. EIR contract approved by City Council on May 1, 2007. Scoping session held by Planning Commission on September 27, 2007. Planning Commission hearing on DEIR on June 26, 2008 canceled due to lack of a quorum; deadline for written comments was July 7, 2008. Final EIR published on November 21, 2008. Oakland City Planning Commission approved on December 3, 2008. Emeryville Planning Commission voted to recommend approval on December 11, 2008. City Council approved January 20, 2009; approval valid for two years. Extension request scheduled for October 19, 2010 City Council meeting.	Zachary Goodman Murakami Nelson, Architects (510) 444-7959
Magnolia Terrace 4001 Adeline Street UP05-12 and DR05-13	Restoration of former fourplex previously relocated from 1077 41 st Street, and conversion to five independent living units for people with developmental disabilities.	Originally approved by Planning Commission on October 27, 2005 in conjunction with Oak Walk Mixed Use Project. Modifications approved by Planning Commission on April 23, 2009 to eliminate parking, lower building, and reconfigure interior for five independent living units for developmentally disabled. Building permit application submitted August 31, 2009. Building permit application was approved on March 26, 2010 and was issued on June 29, 2010. Groundbreaking ceremony held May 10, 2010.	Housing Consortium of the East Bay Darin Lounds (510) 828-6295

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Ambassador Housing 36 th & Peralta Streets UP09-05	New construction of 69 affordable rental housing units on site of former Ambassador Laundry building and adjacent land fronting on Adeline and 36 th Streets. Project includes closure of Magnolia Street north of 36 th and its conversion to open space.	Redevelopment Agency approved Exclusive Right to Negotiate with Resources for Community Development (RCD) on June 16, 2009. Community meeting held June 17, 2009. Planning Commission study session held July 23, 2009. Follow-up neighborhood meeting to be scheduled. Planning Commission approved on October 22, 2009. Applicant requested modifications to approval which were approved by the Commission on December 10, 2009.	Resources for Community Development Lihbin Shiao (510) 531-9911
Bakery Lofts Phase IV Southeast corner of 53 rd and Adeline Streets UP06-15	Construction of an 18-unit apartment building with a 1,450 square foot cafe. Project has been separated from Oakland portion, which includes 56 residential units and 7 commercial units, and is now called "Phase III". Temescal Creek, which forms the city boundary, will be daylighted through the project.	Planning Commission study session held on December 14, 2006. Planning Commission approved on September 27, 2007. City Council approved General Plan Amendment and introduced rezoning ordinance on October 16, 2007; ordinance passed on November 20, 2007. Received building permit application on December 19, 2007. City of Oakland processing demolition permit for existing building, which is mostly in Oakland. Requested amendment to delete condition of approval requiring undergrounding of utility wires was denied by Planning Commission on July 24, 2008. Applicant applied for reconsideration, which was again denied by Commission on October 23, 2008. City Council voted to grant appeal and delete condition on December 16, 2008; resolution to be passed on January 20, 2009. Building permit application expired on December 19, 2008, one year after application was received. One year extension of planning permits approved by Planning Commission on January 22, 2009. Second one year extension approved by Planning Commission on December 10, 2009. Third extension request to be considered by Planning Commission on October 28, 2010.	John Protopappas Madison Park Financial (510) 452-2944
Krubiner Prefabricated House 5507 Beaudry Street UP08-01, DR08-01	Factory-built 2,053 square foot single-family home on 2,940 square foot lot. Modules will be constructed in factory, trucked to site, and assembled in one day.	Approved by Planning Commission on February 28, 2008. Building permit application received on February 23, 2010.	Seth Krubiner (415) 602-3326

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Baker Metal Live-Work 1265 65 th Street and vacant lot fronting Ocean Avenue UP07-09, DR07-15	Reuse of existing Baker Metal building for 17 residential and live-work units and a 672 square foot café/community room. Five new townhouses on vacant lot between Ocean Avenue and Peabody Lane.	Community meeting held July 18, 2007. Planning Commission study session held September 27, 2007. Project being redesigned in response to comments from Development Coordinating Committee on May 14, 2008. Planning Commission study session held October 23, 2008. Approved by Planning Commission on August 27, 2009. Received building permit application for Ocean Avenue Townhouses on December 31, 2009.	Sasha Shamzad MRE Commercial (510) 849-0776
4520 San Pablo Townhouses Northeast corner of San Pablo Avenue and 45 th Street UP06-06 and DR06-10	Development of 29 new townhouse units on southern portion of “Emery Farms East” site.	Planning Commission study session held April 27, 2006. Approved by Planning Commission on December 14, 2006. Planning Commission approved one year extension of planning permits on January 24, 2008. Second one year extension approved by Planning Commission on December 11, 2008.	Ramiro Marini (415) 307-8107
OFFICE/HIGH TECH PROJECTS			
Emery Station Greenway 5812-5860 Hollis Street UP08-04, DR08-10, VAR08-01	New 91,000 square foot laboratory building on southern portion; existing 39,000 square foot industrial building on northern portion to remain for now. Project includes Greenway improvements on northern portion of block and expansion of plaza at Powell and Hollis Streets.	Redevelopment Agency issues Request for Proposals for “Hollis-Powell Greenway Site” in September 2006 and selected Wareham as developer in March 2007. City Council/Redevelopment Agency held study session on proposed building design on December 18, 2007. Second study session held June 3, 2008. Application for planning permits submitted June 24, 2008. Planning Commission study session held July 24, 2008. Second Planning Commission study session held September 25, 2008. Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration being prepared. Planning Commission ad hoc committee on Greenway design met October 15 and 30, 2008. Planning Commission approved on January 22, 2009. Appealed by Elevation 22 residents. City Council denied appeal and approved project on May 19, 2009. Issued demolition permit on September 15, 2009. Building demolished December 2009. Received building permit application on December 18, 2009. Rough grading permit for site remediation issued on June 22, 2010.	Geoffrey Sears Wareham Development (415) 457-4964

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Clif Bar Emery Tech Building 1400 65 th Street UP98-5, DR98-5	Renovation of about 75,000 square feet in existing office building for office, conference, cafeteria, fitness area, and childcare for corporate headquarters of energy bar company.	Emery Tech use permit approved by Planning Commission June 25, 1998. Zoning compliance review issued by Planning Director June 19, 2009 finding that project was consistent with existing use permit. Building permit application received January 19, 2010. Building permit issued March 30, 2010. Building permit for photo-voltaic system issued August 9, 2010.	Dean Rubinson (415) 373-7706
Pixar Animation Studios, Phase II 1200 Park Avenue FDP08-01	New production building of about 155,000 square feet at northeast corner of Park Avenue and Hollis Street. Phase II includes expansion of surface parking lot and construction of new City park and bike path at east end of campus.	Planning Commission study session on Final Development Plan for Phase II building held August 28, 2008. Planning Commission voted to recommend approval on December 11, 2008. City Council approved on January 20, 2009. Grading and on-site utilities permit application submitted on January 22, 2009. Foundation permit application submitted on January 23, 2009. Issued rough grading permit on March 20, 2009. Superstructure permit application submitted on March 24, 2009. Issued permits for 12 indicator piles on April 7, 2009; underground utilities on April 10, 2009, piles on April 21, 2009 and foundation on May 19, 2009. Underslab mechanical, electrical and plumbing permit issued June 11, 2009. Issued superstructure permit on August 21, 2009 and MEP permit on August 28, 2009.	Tom Carlisle Pixar Animation Studios (510) 922-3333
Pixar West Village 4240 Hollis Street DR09-16	Renovation of approximately 55,000 square foot former industrial/office building for office use by animation studios.	Design review application approved by staff on July 27, 2009. Building permit application received October 7, 2009. Building permit issued December 17, 2009.	Tom Carlisle Pixar Animation Studios (510) 922-3333
OTHER			
Target 1555 40 th Street DR09-25	Renovation of vacant former Expo Design Center store at East BayBridge Shopping Center for a new approximately 140,000 square foot Target store.	Under terms of MOU for East BayBridge center, Emeryville processes planning permits and Oakland processes building permits. Emeryville approved design review application on February 19, 2010. Building permit application submitted to Oakland on March 5, 2010. Building permit issued on June 25, 2010.	John Dewes Target (612) 761-1558

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Emeryville Center of Community Life Emery Secondary School site at 47 th Street and San Pablo Avenue	Multi-purpose community facility including administration; arts, performance, and food service programs; community services and family support programs; education programs; and recreation and fitness programs.	Planning and design activities are on-going between the City and School District, with oversight by the Education and Youth Services Advisory Committee. Request for proposals for conceptual designs issued October 5, 2007; proposals were due November 13, 2007. Council approved design contract with Field Paoli on April 15, 2008. Planning Commission study session on master plan held May 28, 2009. Environmental review and planning approvals by Planning Commission and City Council anticipated in 2010. City and School District staff collaborating on environmental review, and have selected LSA as consultant.	Education and Youth Services Advisory Committee Melinda Chinn (510) 596-4314
Emeryville Arts and Cultural Center 4060 Hollis Street DR07-05	Renovation of 30,000 square foot former industrial building behind Old Town Hall to house Emeryville Celebration of the Arts, Pacific Center for the Photographic Arts, Emeryville Historical Society, and related uses.	City Council selected architects Donn Logan and Marcy Wong to develop conceptual designs on July 18, 2006. Presented to Park Avenue District Advisory Committee on February 21, 2007. Planning Commission study session held on March 22, 2007. City Council approved Request for Proposals for strategic plan on February 5, 2008, and awarded contract to Museum Management Consultants, Inc. on June 3, 2008. City Council approved strategic plan on June 2, 2009. Center Board of Directors selected ProPM, Inc. as Project Manager/Construction Manager. Architects being selected for design competition.	Sheila Bergman Executive Director (510) 601-0520
IKEA Off-Site Warehouse 5000 Hollis Street UP10-04, DR10-14	Conversion of 55,400 square feet of vacant space in Level(3) telecommunications building into an off-site warehouse for customers to pick up large merchandise.	Planning Commission study session held June 24, 2010. Meeting with Emery Bay Village homeowners association held July 28, 2010. Approved by Planning Commission public hearing on August 26, 2010. Applied for building permit on August 23, 2010.	Doug Greenholz IKEA (303) 868-8211
Fire Station #2 6303 Hollis Street UP10-02, DR10-07	New 12,930 square foot fire station to replace existing fire station.	Approved by Planning Commission on June 24, 2010.	Margaret O'Brien Public Works Department (510) 596-4336
Police Station Renovation 2449 Powell Street DR08-15	Modernization and upgrades to existing Emeryville Police Department headquarters building.	Design review application approved by staff on August 29, 2008. Building permit application received January 23, 2009. Building permit issued May 6, 2010. Revised design approved by Planning staff on July 9, 2009.	Mauricio Moreno Don Dommer Associates (510) 655-7793

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Emeryville Marina South Basin Improvement 3310 Powell Street UP03-07, DR03-14	Dock replacement and relocation of fuel system.	Use permit for Marina Master Plan approved by Planning Commission on December 11, 2003. Building permit application received May 5, 2009. Building permit issued November 4, 2009.	Don Gussler Harbor Master (510) 654-3716
National Holistic Institute 5900 Doyle Street UP07-11, DR07-17	Renovation of vacant approximately 24,000 square foot warehouse for office and classrooms for massage school.	Planning Commission study session held October 25, 2007. Approved by Planning Commission on January 24, 2008. Building permit for Phase 1 demolition and structural upgrade issued October 6, 2008. Phase 2 foundation permit issued January 6, 2009; superstructure permit issued February 5, 2009; interior tenant improvements permit issued September 9, 2009. Building permit for roof-mounted solar panels issued February 24, 2010. Temporary certificate of occupancy issued April 21, 2010.	Mason Myers National Holistic Institute (510) 547-6442
HSP Parking Structure 6050 Hollis Street UP08-03, DR08-07	New 4-level 553-stall parking structure on existing office building surface parking lot located adjacent to Community Garden at northwest corner of 59 th and Doyle Streets.	Planning application submitted March 14, 2008. Development Coordinating Committee reviewed on April 9, 2008 and identified a number of problems. Neighborhood meeting with Community Garden members held May 13, 2008. Community meeting held October 20, 2008. Planning Commission study session held October 23, 2008.	Philip Banta Architect (510) 654-3255