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HEARING DATE/AGENDA ITEM NO. 5

Project Number: PR-2019-002765
Application Number: VA-2021-00010
Project Name:

Request: Sidewalk waiver

COMMENTS:

The approved Design standards for the Coors Pavilion require pedestrian connections. How does the waiver comply with those requirements?

IV. PEDESTRIAN CONNECTIONS & AMENITIES

Pedestrian connectivity plays a major role in providing a pleasing environment.
The following requirements are intended to help meet the property's goal of creating a pedestrian friendly atmosphere.
a. Pedestrian connections within parking lots shall comply with
Section 14-16-3-1(H) of the City of Albuquerque's Code of Ordinances.
i. Pedestrian movement from off-site and between buildings shall be encouraged by providing continuous pedestrian connections through parking areas and at
the site's perimeter along Coors Blvd. and along St. Joseph's Road.
ii. Parking areas shall include pedestrian connections to all buildings within the property.
iii. Shade provided with trees or shade structures shall be provided consistent with the City of Albuquerque Code of Ordinances regarding landscaping on site.
b. A minimum 120 square feet of public space shall be provided at each restaurant establishment for outdoor seating or gathering. Public spaces for multiple restaurants may be combined into one with a total area equal to 120 square feet per establishment.
i. Public space or outdoor seating shall have areas of shade and be adjacent to landscape areas including trees or shrubs per Section 14-16-3-18(C)(4) of City of Albuquerque's Code of Ordinances.
ii. Shade provided may include shade sails, canopies, canvas umbrellas at tables, trees, or planting materials significant enough to provide shade and refuge from
the sun.
iii. Areas designated for public space or seating shall be defined with landscape elements, low seat walls, benches, planters, paving patterns, or materials distinguishable from the pedestrian sidewalk and parking areas.
c. All pedestrian connections shall conform to the requirements of Section 14-16-13-1(H) (Off Street Parking Regulations, Pedestrian Connections) of the Comprehensive Zoning Code.

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