

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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RE: Terra Vi Development - Site Development Permit SDP18-003

Dear Mr. Bissel:

Site Development Permit SDP18-003 was approved by the Tuolumne County Board of Supervisors on December 31, 2020, to allow the development of the Terra Vi Project, which allowed the construction of a lodging development that included guest rooms, detached cabins, employee housing, a market, event space, and other support buildings on a 64.04± acre site northwest of the intersection of Sawmill Mountain Road and State Highway 120 in unincorporated Tuolumne County near Groveland, California, subject to Conditions of Approval 1 through 80 (the "Project").

On January 28, 2021, Petitioners Save Sawmill Mountain and Central Sierra Environmental Resource Center ("Petitioners") filed litigation, entitled Save Sawmill Mountain and Central Sierra Environmental Resource Center v. County of Tuolumne and the County of Tuolumne Board of Supervisors, Case No. CV63614, against the County, Hardin Flat LLC and Hansji Corporation and Terra Vi Yosemite Lodge, under the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code section 21000, et seq., and the State Planning and Zoning Law, Government Code section 65300, et seq. (the "Lawsuit"). The County understands Petitioners, Hansji Corporation and Hardin Flat, LLC, have reached an agreement to settle the lawsuit agreeing to certain changes to the Project.

The Community Development Department staff has reviewed your January 2, 2025, email requesting staff confirm the proposed changes to the Project are in substantial compliance with the original Project approvals, incorporate these changes into the Project approval, and enter these limitations into the County's permit tracking software. The revised site plan attached and dated, November 18, 2024, removes public vehicle access throughout the campus and creates a single public parking lot adjacent to the check in lobby/ market and maintenance zone. Electric carts will be used to circulate guests, operation, and maintenance personnel.

Staff has determined the site plan is substantial conformance to the site plan approved by the Tuolumne County Board of Supervisors, the revised site plan approved for substantial conformance on December 12, 2023 and the project analyzed under the Environmental Impact Report.

Development and operation of Terra Vi must comply with Conditions of Approval 1 through 80 and any applicable County, State and Federal codes and regulations.

Please do not hesitate to contact me via phone at 209-533-5961 or via email at <a href="mailto:qyaley@co.tuolumne.ca.us">qyaley@co.tuolumne.ca.us</a> with any questions or concerns.

Respectfully,

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