



The City of Seattle

## Landmarks Preservation Board

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LPB 473/20

### **CONTROLS AND INCENTIVES AGREEMENT**

**Swedish Club**

**1920 Dexter Avenue N**

#### **I. RECOMMENDED CONTROLS**

To assure the preservation of the specified features and characteristics of the landmark, the owner (Owner) of the Swedish Club at 1920 Dexter Avenue N, a landmark designated by the City of Seattle Landmarks Preservation Board, and the City of Seattle Historic Preservation Officer on behalf of the City of Seattle Landmarks Preservation Board, agree that the following controls shall be imposed:

#### **A. CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL PROCESS**

1. A Certificate of Approval, issued by the City of Seattle's Landmarks Preservation Board pursuant to Seattle Municipal Code ("SMC"), Ch. 25.12, must be obtained, or the time for denying a Certificate of Approval application must have expired, before the Owner may make alterations or significant changes to:
  - a. The site defined by lots 13-17 together with the vacated alleys to the south and east.
  - b. The exterior of the building.
  - c. A portion of the interior defined as the following: the 2-story lobby, the adjacent open stair, and the landing/hallway at the top of the open stair.
2. A Certificate of Approval is not required for the following:
  - a. Any in-kind maintenance or repairs of the features or characteristics of the Swedish Club that were designated by the Board for preservation.

- b. Removal of trees less than 6 inches in diameter measured 4-1/2 feet above ground.
- c. Removal or replacement, or both, of shrubs, perennials, and annuals in existing locations.
- d. Installation, removal, or alteration (including repair) of underground irrigation and underground utilities, provided that the site is restored in kind.
- e. Installation, removal, or alteration of the following site furnishings: benches, chairs, tables, swings, movable planters, and trash/recycling receptacles.
- f. Installation or removal of interior, temporary window shading devices that are operable and do not obscure the glazing when in the open position.
- g. Repaving and restriping of the existing asphalt driveways on the east and south sides of the building.
- h. Installation, removal, or alteration of curbs, bollards, or wheelstops at the existing asphalt driveways on the east and south sides of the building.
- i. Installation or removal of interior artwork on the gypsum wall and ceiling surfaces.

## B. ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

1. Administrative review and approval is available for the following items listed in Section 1.B.3. according to the following procedures. The Owner shall submit to the City Historic Preservation Officer (CHPO) a written request for these alterations, including applicable drawings and/or specifications. If the CHPO, upon examination of submitted plans and specifications, determines that such alterations are consistent with the purposes of SMC 25.12 the alterations shall be approved without the need for any further action by the Board. If the CHPO disapproves such alterations, the Owner may submit revised materials to the CHPO, or submit in accordance with the Certificate of Approval process set forth in SMC 25.12.
2. The CHPO shall transmit his or her written decision on the Owner's submittal to the Owner. Failure of the CHPO to approve or disapprove the request within fourteen (14) business days shall constitute approval of the request.
3. Administrative review is available for the following:
  - a. For the specified features and characteristics of the landmark, the addition

or elimination of ducts, conduits, HVAC vents, grills, pipes, panels, weatherheads, wiring, meters, utility connections, downspouts and gutters, and other similar mechanical, electrical, and telecommunication elements necessary for the normal operation of the building or site.

- b. Installation, removal, or alteration of exterior light fixtures, exterior security lighting, and security system equipment.
- c. Removal of trees more than 6 inches in diameter measured 4-1/2 feet above ground, identified as a hazard by an International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) Certified Arborist.
- d. Installation, removal, or alteration of exterior building and site signage.
- e. Installation of improvements for safety or accessibility compliance.
- f. Installation, removal, or alteration of fire and life safety equipment.
- g. Changes to exterior paint colors when painting a previously painted material.
- h. Replacement of non-original windows and doors when located in original openings.
- i. Change from obscure glass to clear glass, in north-facing clerestory window sashes, at the first floor offices in the northwest corner of the building.
- j. Alterations to the designated interior features.
- k. Emergency repairs or measures (including immediate action to secure the area, install temporary equipment, and employ stabilization methods as necessary to protect the public's safety, health, and welfare) to address hazardous conditions with adverse impacts to the building or site as related to a seismic or other unforeseen event. Following such an emergency, the owner shall adhere to the following:
  - 1) The owner shall immediately notify the City Historic Preservation Officer and document the conditions and actions the owner took.
  - 2) If temporary structural supports are necessary, the owner shall make all reasonable efforts to prevent further damage to historic resources.
  - 3) The owner shall not remove historic building materials from the site as part of the emergency response.

