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Hello,

Please refer to the inquiry/comment below regarding the updated LTA. I have already informed Paul that I'm not aware of additional details available at this time, and I'm passing on his email to be considered in response to comments.

This email may have already been forwarded to you while I was on vacation a couple weeks ago, but I'm passing it on just in case.

Thanks,

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**Subject:** Re: Missing Appendix in Downtown West Mixed Use Plan > DEIRHi

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Hi Shannon:

Thank you very much. The new Appendix X contains only Queuing and Blocking Reports, which are very useful regarding queuing at intersections.

I expected to see intersection level of service calculations - for all scenarios - as well, as referenced in Section 8.2. Furthermore, understanding the Synchro/SimTraffic analysis and findings also requires a clear understanding of the network of intersections and streets. It seems to me that diagrams of the respective networks should be available to clearly depict these critical elements, which drive the analysis and results.

Are additional details available?

Thanks again,

Paul

On Oct 30, 2020, at 11:06 AM, Hill, Shannon <[Shannon.Hill@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:Shannon.Hill@sanjoseca.gov)> wrote:

Hello Paul,

Thanks for catching this, so I could coordinate with the City's environmental consultant to resolve this issue. Please see attached for the missing Synchro/SimTraffic appendix from the LTA. We apologize for this omission. There seems to have been an editorial oversight when submitting the LTA.

For now, the transportation consultant has identified the missing appendix as "Appendix X" because it will have to be integrated into the document, which will cause some renumbering of other appendices. However, the content is provided for your review. The website will be updated with the corrected LTA as soon as the City receives it.

Best regards,

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Hi Shannon:

I'm reviewing the transportation sections of the subject DEIR for Sharks Sports and Entertainment. I noticed that *Appendix J2 Draft Local Transportation Analysis (LTA) Report* **does not contain** referenced appendix data for the SimTraffic analysis discussed in Section 8 Localized Access and Queuing Analysis.

Specifically, on page 186 there is a reference to Appendix B, which is supposed to contain calculation sheets. Appendix B in the document contains Approved Developments, so the reference here is apparently incorrect.

I note there are hundreds of LOS calculation sheets from Traffix software in the document behind Appendix B (there is no title sheet separating the information).

Bottom line is the SimTraffic analysis cannot be properly reviewed at this time, given there are no details included in the document.

Will you please look into this matter and let me know what you find?

Thank you very much,

Paul

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