### **TOWN OF PALM BEACH**



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PLANNING, ZONING, & BUILDING DEPARTMENT PZ&B Staff Memorandum: Landmarks Preservation Commission

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Director PZ&B

SUBJECT: HSB-24-001 311 PENDLETON LN

MEETING: MARCH 20, 2024 LPC

<u>HSB-24-001 311 PENDELTON LN.</u> The applicant, Starr Haymes Kempin for Pendleton Lane Trust has filed an application requesting review and approval for a modified front entry, addition of shutters, relocation of a few windows in addition to hardscape modifications changing the driveway and reducing the paver pool deck to an existing two-story historically significant building.

Applicant/Professionals: Pat Seagraves and Daniel Clavijo with SKA Architect + Planner/

BGS Landscape, Architecture & Engineering

## **HISTORY:**

The subject property was designated as Historically Significant in December of 2022. The property is located within the Mid-Town Conservation District. The two-story Monterey-style dwelling was constructed in 1938 and designed by John L. Volk.

At the March 22, 2023 LPC meeting, project HSB-23-003 was approved for exterior alterations and modifications to the landscape and hardscape plan.

At the January 17, 2024 LPC meeting, the subject project was approved with the following conditions:

- 1. Applicant shall retain the existing shutters on the front façade.
- 2. Applicant shall return to the February 21, 2024, LPC meeting for review and approval of the hardscape and landscape.

The applicant requested a 1-month deferral to satisfy condition of approval #2 at the March 20, 2024 LPC meeting. This condition of approval was prompted by public comment and concerns by the Commissioners that the circular driveway was not compatible with the neighborhood.

#### THE PROJECT:

The applicant has submitted plans, entitled "Front Landscape, Drive & Pool Deck", as prepared by BGS Landscape, Architecture & Engineering, received by the Town on March 4, 2024.

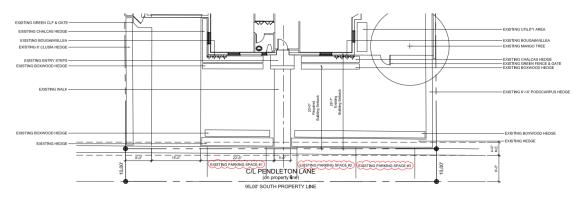
The following is the scope of work for the Project:

- Demolish Existing Driveway and Entry Walk
- Remove Pavers from Pool Deck
- Install Driveway and Entry Walk
- Install New Landscape in Front Yard
- Install New Pavers at Pool and Spa
- Replacement of Pedestrian Gate in Front Yard with Wood Gate

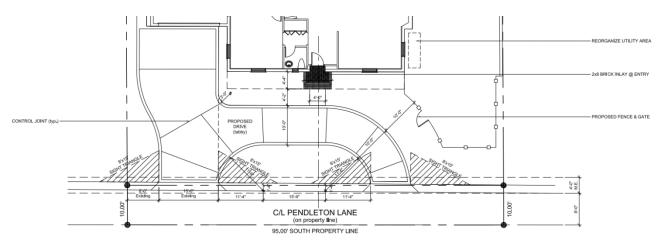
## STAFF ANALYSIS

As an HSB project, the proposed changes must comply with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Sections 18-306, 54-122, and 54-123 of the Landmark Preservation Ordinance. Most of the requested changes are minor, removable or site related.

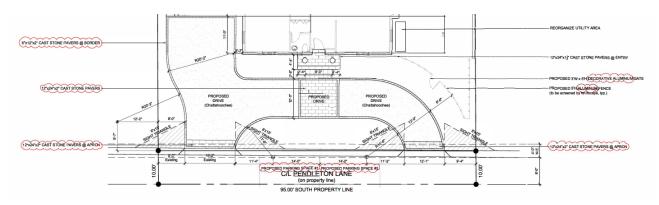
Pertaining to the front yard driveway and walkway:



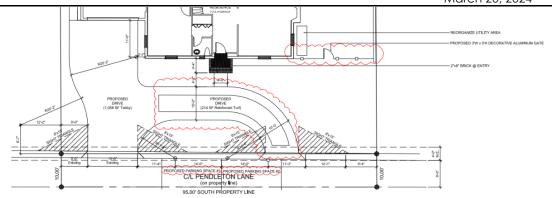
Existing Conditions: 15'-0"-wide driveway and 5'-0"-wide walkway.



HSB-23-003 Approval: Circular driveway with varying widths (10'-0" and 15-0") at the curb.



HSB-24-001 Proposal (January 17, 2024 LPC meeting): Circular driveway with varying widths (12'-1" and 15-0") at the curb.



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# **CONCLUSION:**

Approval of the project will require one (1) motion:

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1. for the overall design of the project in accordance with the aforementioned criteria, subject to any imposed conditions.

WRB: JGM: FHM: ALF