

July 12, 2010

Development Services Center
Planning Department
731 South Fourth Street
Las Vegas, NV 89101,

Re: Justification Letter for Cardenas Market #30
4700 Meadows Lane

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find all of the exhibits and application for the proposed Cardenas Market at the location of Highway 95, Meadows Lane and Decatur Blvd. The proposed market will provide new vitality for this area and a face lift for the existing closed Mervyn's Store.

As you are well aware, Cardenas Markets have several locations in Las Vegas at 4421 East Bonanza Road and 4500 East Tropicana Ave. This store will be the third store established in Southern Nevada and the 30th family store and will help to rejuvenate the Decatur and 95 area.

The existing building will remain as is in size with a new façade and new covered entry walk areas. The building is buffered adequately from the residential properties and will bring a neighborhood market to this area and help the existing and future businesses along Decatur Blvd. The hours of operation are seven days a week from 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. The site, parking, infrastructure, sewer, water, roadway, gas and electric are existing.

We are required to have 331 parking spaces and 413 parking spaces are provided. We are also upgrading the existing Accessible parking from the original 8 to the required 9 plus adding 1 van space for a total of 10. All accessible spaces are being brought up to Title 19 with the 5' access isles on both sides and the 8' access isle on the passenger side of the van parking. We have also done a comprehensive site review of the existing landscape and are adding trees and shrubs in the spirit of Title 19 along Decatur Blvd. and Meadows lane that are spaced 20' apart with 4 shrubs per tree and in the existing parking islands we are adding trees where they are missing with additional shrubs for a minimum of 1 tree per island and 4 shrubs per tree. The proposed signage is also shown on the site plan with one sign on Decatur Blvd. and one sign on Meadows Lane. The minimal adverse affects during construction will all be mitigated appropriately and the end result will be an extraordinary commercial establishment.

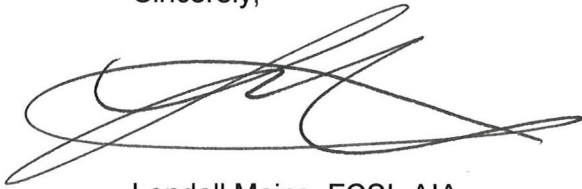
The Cardenas family in 1979 opened their first supermarket. Today, Cardenas Markets cater to shoppers, with a wide variety of products from Mexico and Central and South America. The stores feature extensive meat and produce departments, bakeries, and tortillerias.

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On behalf of Cardenas Markets, SSA Architecture has been authorized and directed to request an Administrative Approval for the proposed changes to the existing building. Since the facility will contain a grocery store with accessory uses of a package liquor off-sale establishment of approximately 500 square feet and a gaming area of approximately 503 square feet which require state licenses we are also requesting a special use permit for these items separate from the Administrative approval. The overall Cardenas Market area will be 66,055 square feet and there will also be five retail spaces totaling 10,582 square feet along the Decatur Blvd. side for lease to complementary businesses of the Cardenas Market.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Lendall Mains', with a stylized, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Lendall Mains, FCSI, AIA
Architect



PACPROP LLC.

July 8, 2010

City of Las Vegas
C/O Mr. Robert Gonzalez
Cardenas Markets, Inc.
Via email

Re: Former Mervyn's, 4700 Meadows Lane, Las Vegas, NV

Ladies/Gentlemen:

We are under contract to purchase from an affiliate of Developers Diversified Realty the former Mervyn's store at the above address. Upon close of escrow, we will be leasing the building to Cardenas Markets, Inc. It is our understanding that Cardenas will be making modifications to both the interior and exterior so they can utilize the building as a supermarket. In order to accomplish this, we understand that Cardenas is in the process of obtaining various planning and building approvals from the city which require our consent. We hereby consent.

For your records, I attach the first and last page of the executed purchase contract for the property.

A notarized acknowledgement is also attached.

Please call with any questions.

Sincerely,

Steve Glusker
Manager

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