

# The City of Seattle Landmarks Preservation Board

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## CONTROLS AND INCENTIVES AGREEMENT Evans Pool 7201-7359 E Green Lake Drive N

### I. RECOMMENDED CONTROLS

To assure the preservation of the specified features and characteristics of the landmark, the owner (Owner) of the Evans Pool at 7201-7359 E Green Lake Drive 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
  - 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 exterior of the 1955 Evans Pool building.
    - b. A portion of the site measured 20' away from the building.
  - 2. A Certificate of Approval is not required for the following:
    - a. Any in kind maintenance or repairs of the features or characteristics listed in Section I.A.1 of this Agreement.
    - b. Pruning of trees and shrubs consistent with maintaining their health.
    - c. Removal of trees less than 6 inches in diameter measured 4-1/2 feet above ground.
    - d. Removal of mature trees that are not included in any of the following categories:

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- 1) Significant to the property's history or design, as outlined in the nomination application.
- 2) A designated Heritage Tree on the City of Seattle / Plant Amnesty list.
- 3) An Exceptional Tree per City of Seattle regulations.
- e. Removal of non-native plants of any size. This does not apply to trees.
- f. Planting or removal of other shrubs, perennials, or annuals, in locations that will never obscure the view of designated features of the landmark, or physically undermine a built feature of the landmark.
- g. Installation, removal, or alteration (including repair) of underground irrigation and underground utilities, provided that the site is restored in kind.
- h. Installation, removal, or alteration of the following site furnishings: benches, chairs, tables, swings, movable planters, trash / recycling receptacles, and bike racks.
- i. Installation and removal of the following temporary, special event installations: tents, tables, chairs, games, performance related equipment, and supplemental restroom facilities.
- j. Installation and removal of temporary artwork and signage. Such installations shall be considered temporary if they:
  - 1) Can be removed without changing the building or site and without requiring repair; and
  - 2) Remain in place for no more than 60 days.
- k. Installation, removal, or alteration of signage for accessibility compliance, and other signage as required by City code, provided that the sign installations will not obscure landscape or architectural features.
- I. Installation, removal, or alteration of standard free-standing Seattle Parks & Recreation building identification sign.
- m. Installation or removal of interior, temporary window shading devices that are operable and do not obscure the glazing when in the open position.
- n. Demolition of non-historic building additions, provided associated alterations or changes to the Landmark are addressed per Section I.B.3.k.

#### B. ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

 To the extent that the following items listed in Section I.B.3 involve alterations or significant changes to the protected features of the Landmark listed in Section I.A.1, administrative review and approval may be provided 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 installation, removal, or alteration 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 ½ feet above ground, when identified as a hazard by an International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) Certified Arborist, and not already excluded from review in Section I.A.2.d.
  - d. Signage other than signage excluded in Sections I.A.2.j, I.A.2.k, and I.A.2.l in this agreement.
  - e. Installation, removal, or alteration of improvements for safety, or accessibility compliance.
  - f. Installation, removal, or alteration of fire and life safety equipment.
  - g. Installation, removal, or alteration (including repair) of underground utilities, other than irrigation excluded in subsections I.A.2.g.
  - h. Installation, removal, or alteration of minor landscape features.
  - i. Changes to paint colors for any of the features or characteristics of the landmark that were designated by the Board for preservation.
  - j. Replacement of non-historic doors and windows within original openings, when the staff determines that the design intent is consistent with the *Secretary of Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation*.
  - k. Alterations or changes to designated features of the landmark when associated with demolition of adjacent non-historic building additions

- I. 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.
  - In consultation with the City Historic Preservation Officer and staff, the owner shall adopt and implement a long-term plan to address any damage through appropriate solutions.

### **II. RECOMMENDED INCENTIVES**

The following economic incentives may be available to the owner.

- 1. Seattle Municipal Code Title 23 provides for authorization of uses in a designated Landmark that are not normally permitted in a particular zoning classification by means of an administrative conditional use approval.
- 2. Certain exceptions to or exemptions from regulations in Title 23 Seattle Municipal Code may be available, either by virtue of the zoning designation applicable to the Landmark or its status as a Landmark.
- 3. Building and Energy Code exceptions on an application basis.
- 4. Historic Preservation Special Tax Valuation (Chapter 84.26 RCW) on an application basis.

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