

11/20/2020 VIA EMAIL

Jose Quintanilla, Assistant Planner City of Sacramento Community Development Department 300 Richards Blvd., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Sacramento, CA 95811

**RE:** Truxel Taco Bell Drive-Through (Z20-091)

Dear Mr. Quintanilla:

Thank you for routing the Truxel Taco Bell Drive-Thru project to WALKSacramento.

We are pleased to see thew project will add two means of access for pedestrians to the exisiting restaurant building. Adding these access routes will facilitate safer pedestrian travel to the restaurant and encourage more trips to the restaurant by walking.

One access will be from Truxel Road and will require an ADA ramp through the landscape berm between the public sidewalk and the parking lot. This will provide an access route that doesn't require using the driveway entrance to the north or travelling significantly out of the way to use the pedestrian access to the south.

The second added access route will provide a path between the main building in the shopping center and the restaurant building. It may also generate more use of the existing access ramp through the landscape berm south of the project site.

WALKSacramento is working to support increased physical activity such as walking and bicycling in local neighborhoods as well as helping to create community environments that support walking and bicycling. The benefits include improved public health and physical fitness, better air quality, a stronger sense of cohesion and safety in neighborhoods, and more sustainable communities and local economies.

Sincerely,

Chris Holm Project Manager