

## HISTORIC AND DESIGN REVIEW COMMISSION

October 05, 2016

Agenda Item No: 5

**HDRC CASE NO:** 2016-400  
**ADDRESS:** 100 AUDITORIUM CIRCLE  
**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:** NCB 180 BLK LOT 16 (BEXAR COUNTY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER)  
**ZONING:** D H RIO-3  
**CITY COUNCIL DIST.:** 1  
**DISTRICT:** Auditorium Circle Historic District Municipal  
**LANDMARK:** Auditorium  
**APPLICANT:** Bill Pennell/City of San Antonio  
**OWNER:** City of San Antonio  
**TYPE OF WORK:** Installation of new memorial  
**REQUEST:**

The applicant is requesting a Certificate of Appropriateness for approval to relocate an existing Vietnam Veterans Memorial within Auditorium Plaza and the installation of a 7' x 2.5" granite memorial marker.

### APPLICABLE CITATIONS:

UDC Section 35-679. Other Requirements and Regulations

(d) Monuments, Markers, Memorials, and Acknowledgements. Monuments, markers or memorial plaques are not permitted on the riverside of property abutting the river, or within the publicly owned right-of-way without the express written consent of the historic and design review commission. The following standards shall apply:

A. Texas historical markers are permitted, but must be mounted to walls or structures. Pole mounted THC markers are not permitted in "RIO-3."

B. Monuments and memorial plaques must commemorate an event or person significant to the Riverwalk or the history of the Riverwalk. To assure that the significance of an event or person has withstood the test of time, memorial plaques may commemorate an event ten (10) years or older a person ten (10) years or more posthumously.

C. Memorial gifts, such as benches, fountains or art etc. may from time to time be accepted as gifts by the city, plaques acknowledging the gift, shall be bronze and no larger than ten inches by four inches (10" x 4"). Memorial plaques for a gift of a tree or other plantings are not permitted.

D. Placement of monuments, memorials and markers will be under the jurisdiction of the director of parks and recreation, rather than the director of planning, after consultation with the historic and design review commission.

E. Plaques recognizing donors for significant improvements or plaques acknowledging the naming of significant improvements such as, but not limited to, pocket parks, footbridges, fountains, grottos, gardens, gazebos, boat landings, overlooks and other significant features may be placed along the San Antonio River. The plaques may be no larger than four (4) square feet and must be made of either cast bronze, cast aluminum (or other suitable metal), carved stone, or tile. Language utilized (in recognition of an individual, corporation or foundation) on a plaque must contain language substantially similar to "sponsored by, underwritten by, a gift from."

### FINDINGS:

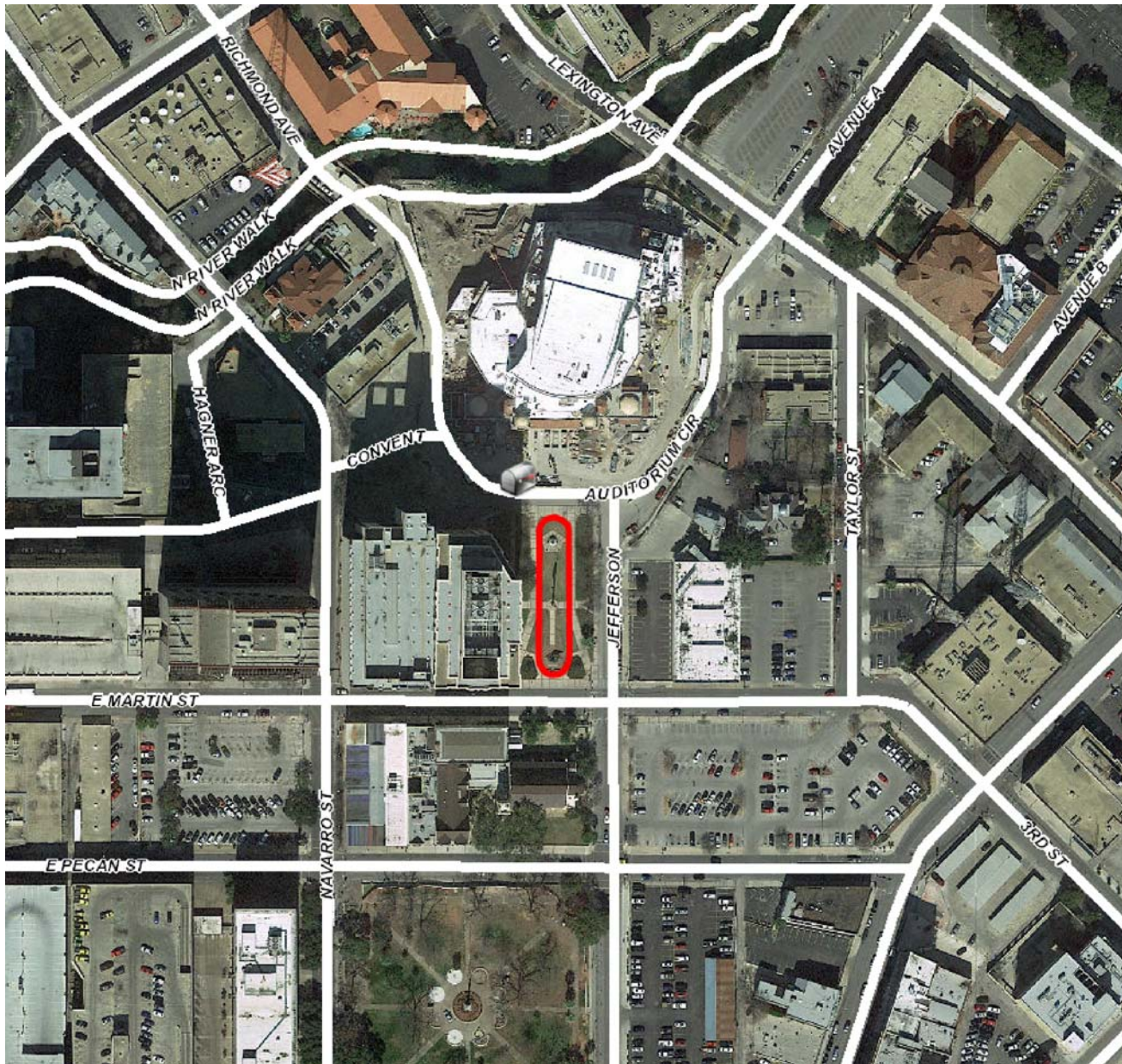
- a. The applicant has proposed to install a Vietnam Veterans Memorial at 100 Auditorium Circle in the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Park which is to include a 7' x 2.5" granite memorial marker. The granite memorial marker will feature a bronze USMC Emblem, a bronze title plaque and two bronze plaques with memorial names. The memorial marker will be placed at the edge of the existing southwest planter near the statue.
- b. The proposed commemorative plaque is minimal in design and meets the requirements of UDC Section 35-679(d).

### RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval as submitted based on findings a and b.

### CASE MANAGER:

Edward Hall



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Hotel Havana

100 Auditorium Circle

E Martin St

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Navajo St

Auditorium Cir

Veterans  
Memorial Park

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**CITY OF SAN ANTONIO**  
**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
**HISTORIC & DESIGN**  
**REVIEW COMMISSION**

ADDRESS: 600 PHOTOGRAPHY CIRCLE

REQUEST: RELOCATION OF VIETNAM MEMORIAL - SAME SITE

HEARING DATE: OCT 5 2016

TIME: 3:00 P.M.

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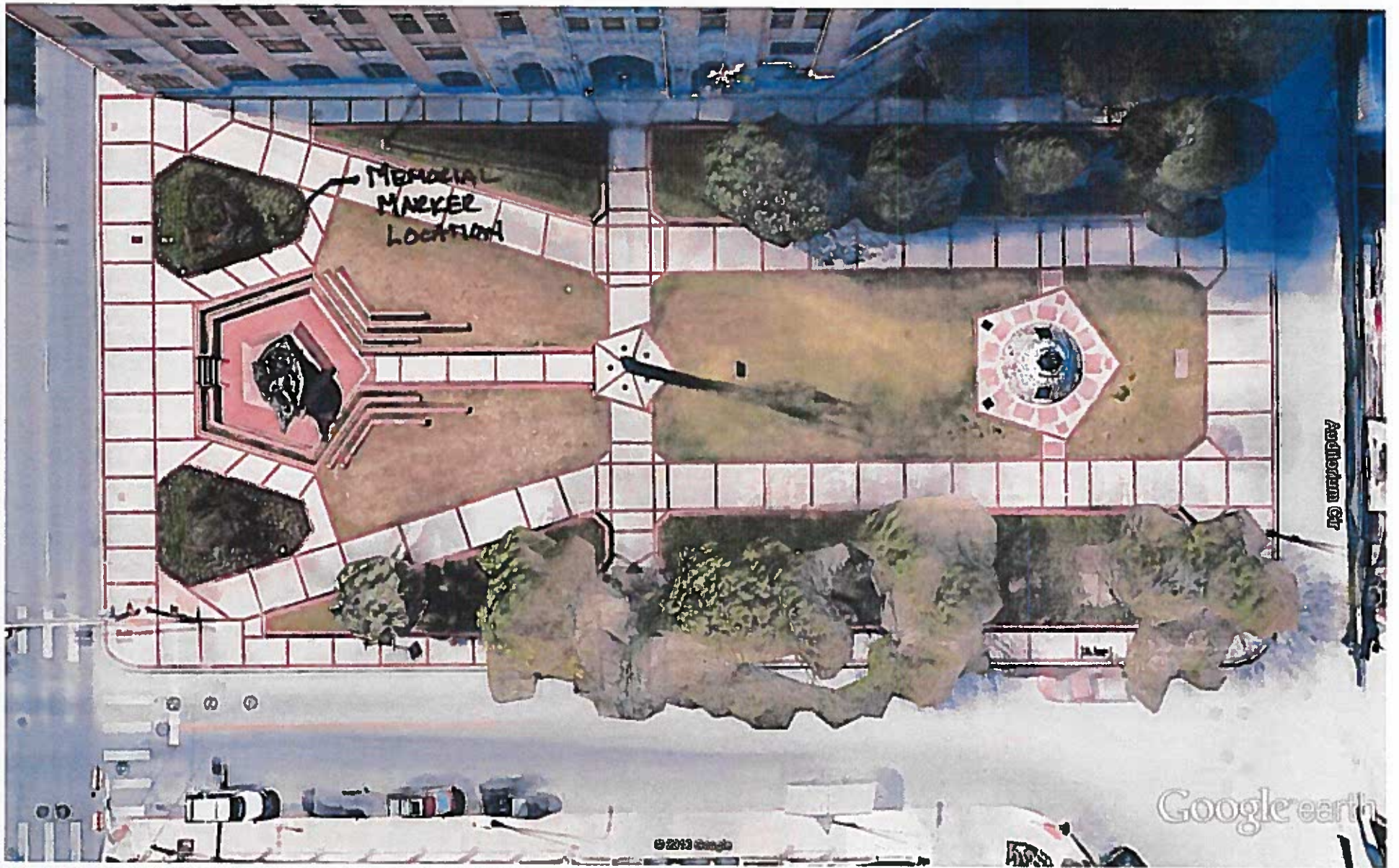


Requesting to install a 7' x 2.5' Granite Memorial Marker for those that were killed in the Hill 881 South battle in Vietnam in the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Park. The existing sculpture in the plaza is from the Hill 881 South Battle. The Granite Memorial Marker will have a bronze USMC Emblem, a bronze Title plaque, and two bronze plaques with the memorial names. The Memorial Marker will be placed at the edge of the existing Southwest Planter near the Statue.



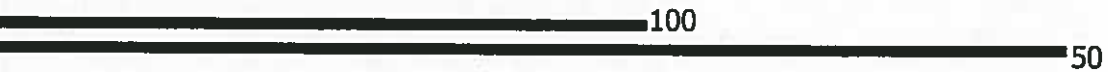




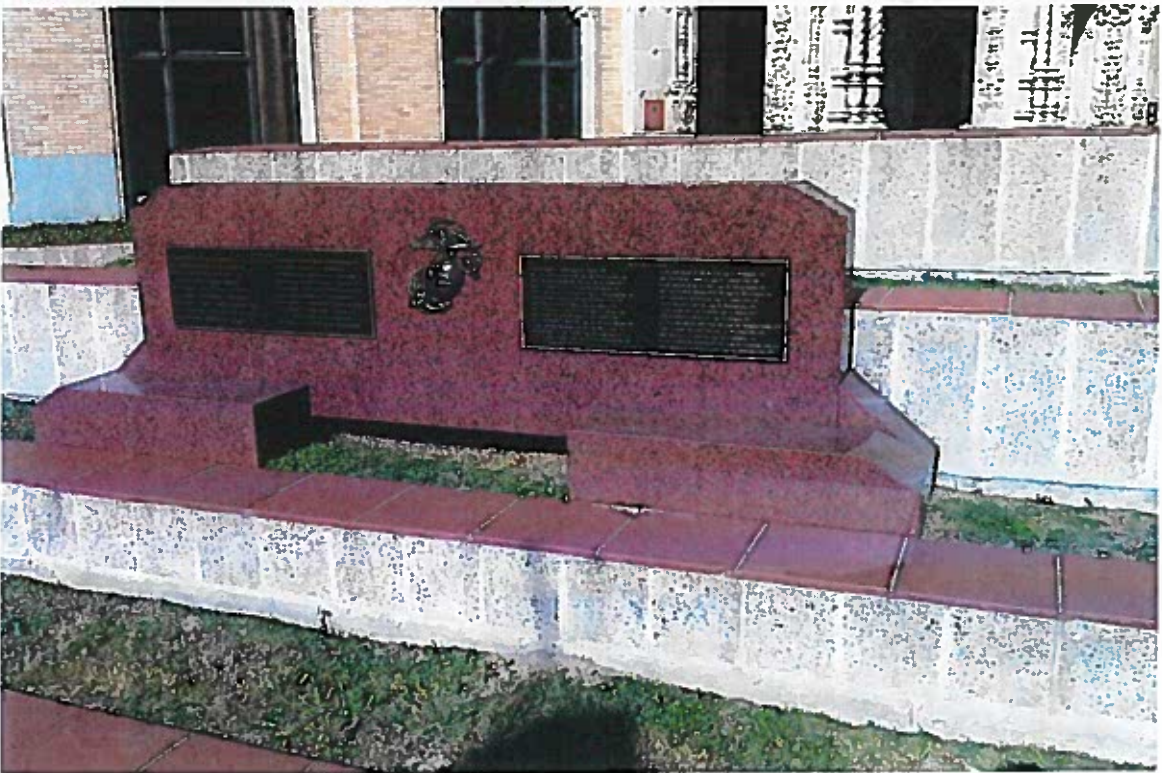
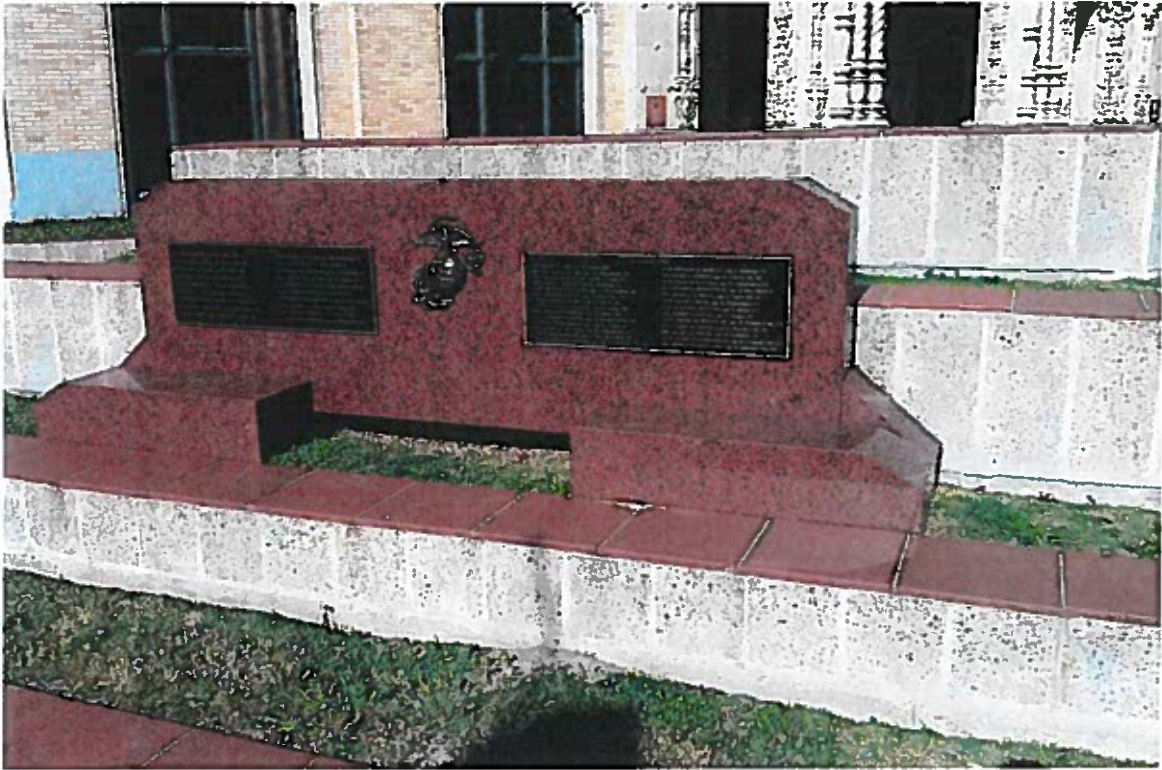


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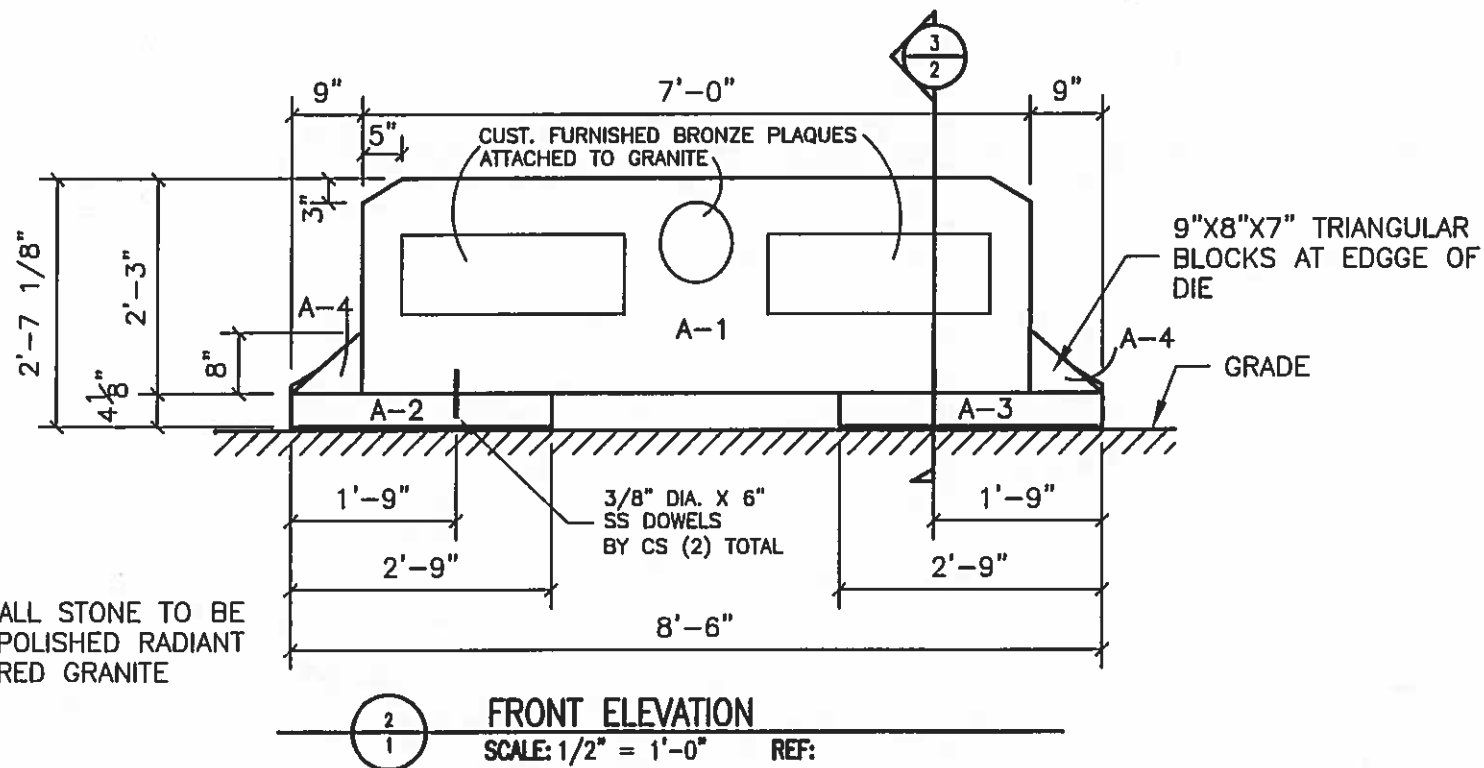
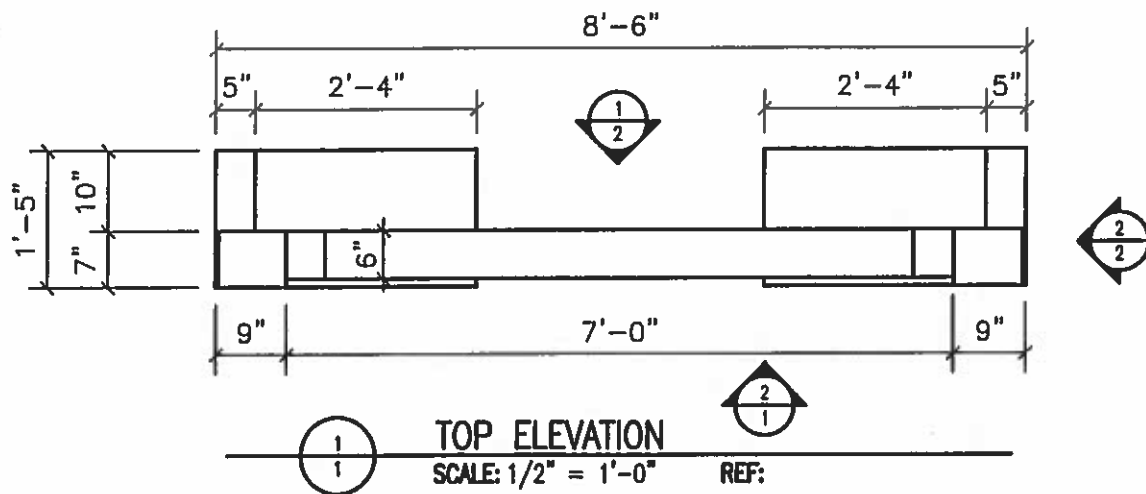
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DESCRIPTION:

MEMORIAL BLT 3/9 INC.  
SAN ANTONIO, TX

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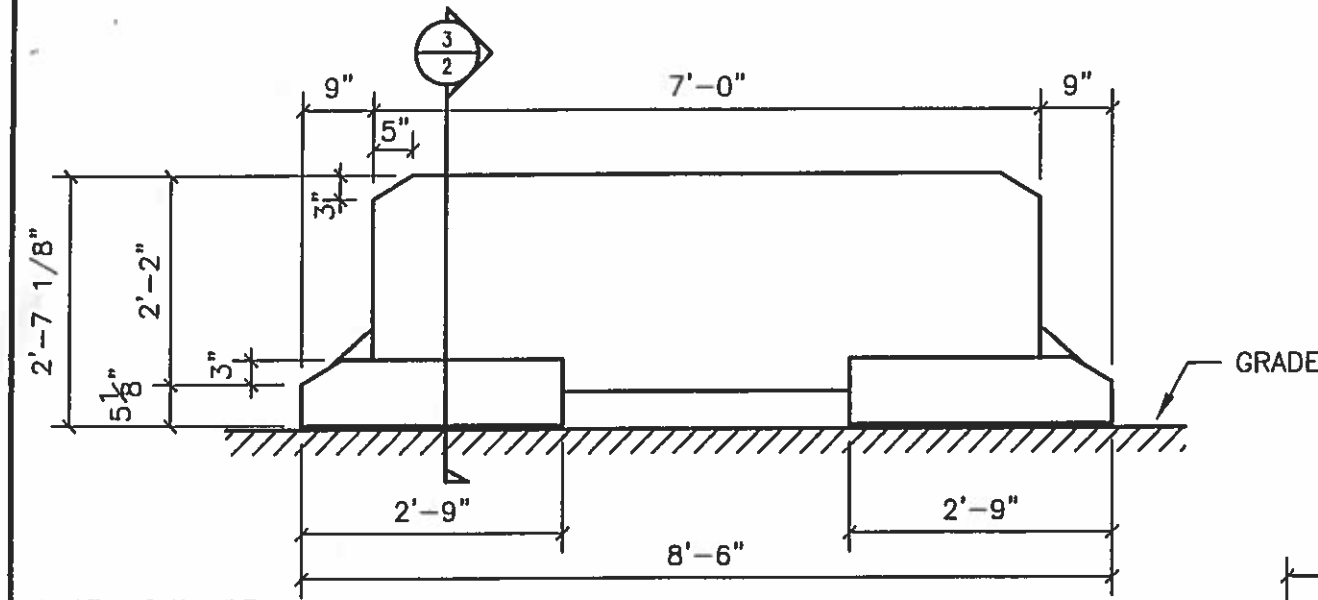
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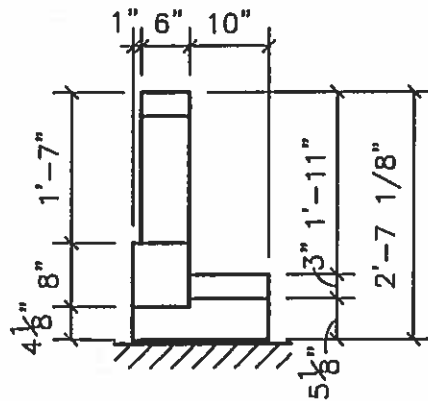


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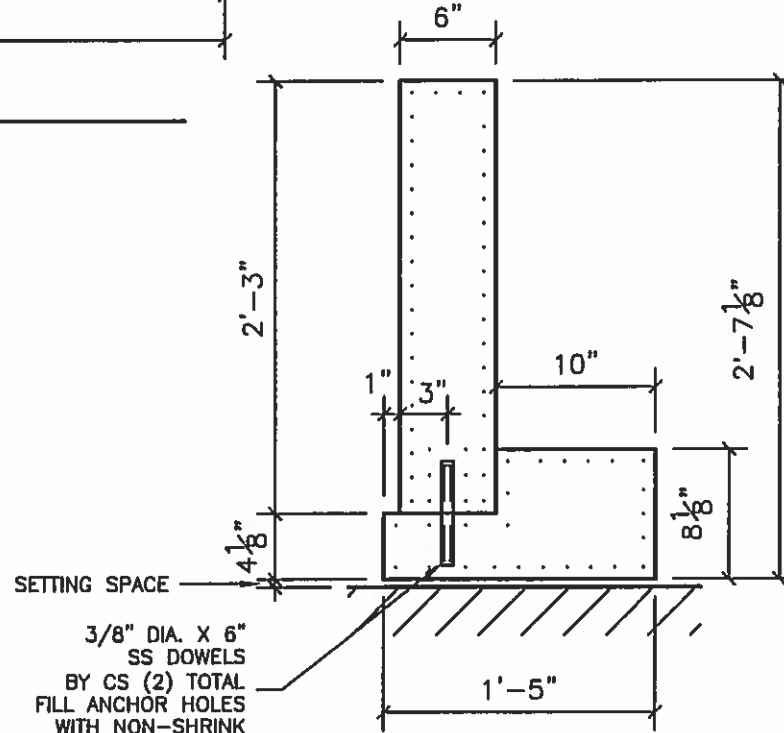
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