

UC Seismic Evaluation – 1145 Gayley

Date: 08/02/2019
UC Campus: UCLA – off campus
Building Name: Gayley Center
Building Address: 1145 Gayley Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90024
CAAN ID: N/A
Auxiliary Building ID¹: N/A

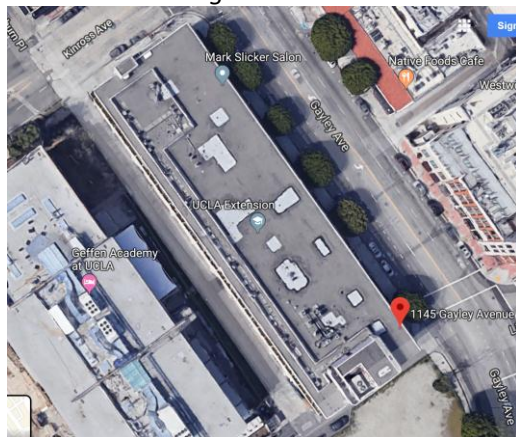


Summary of information provided by Evaluator:

Nabih Youssef Associates Structural Engineers

UCOP Seismic Performance Level² (or “Rating”) based on ASCE 41-17 Tier 1/Tier 2 evaluation findings: IV
 Tier 2 deficiency-based analysis addressed all potential deficiencies identified in the Tier 1 evaluation.

Plan Image or Aerial Photo



Exterior Elevation Photo



Site location coordinates (decimal):

Latitude: 34.059712
 Longitude: -118.446474

Is this a “Partial” Building (i.e., a single structure in a complex building? (Y or N): N

ASCE 41-17 Model Building Type³:

Longitudinal Direction: S1-S1A – Steel Moment Frames w/ stiff or flexible diaphragm(s)
 Transverse Direction: S1-S1A – Steel Moment Frames w/ stiff or flexible diaphragm(s)

Number of stories:

Above grade: 3
 Below grade: 2

¹ Applicable only for individual buildings that are structurally separate units within a building complex. Each auxiliary building shall be designated with the main building CAAN ID with a decimal number suffix (i.e. main building CAAN ID 5534; auxiliary building CAAN ID 5534.1). Auxiliary building ID is null for a single building or the main building in a building complex.

² The designated Seismic Performance Level shall be a Roman numeral associated with the most applicable performance description from Table A.1 in Appendix A of the UC Seismic Safety Policy.

³ If a building has multiple building types in one story, the model building type should be designated based on engineering judgement as the lateral system that would have the most predominantly negative effect on the seismic behavior of the building in that respective direction.

Original Building Design Code and Year: Building Code of The City of Los Angeles 1976 Edition
Retrofit Building Design Code and Year: N/A

Cost Range to Retrofit (if applicable)⁴: Low

“Low” cost-range corresponds to a complete retrofit cost less than \$50 per square foot (sf), “Medium” cost-range corresponds to a complete retrofit cost greater than \$50 per sf and less than \$200 per sf, “High” cost-range corresponds to a complete retrofit cost greater than \$200 per sf and less than \$400 per sf, and “Very High” cost-range corresponds to a complete retrofit cost greater than \$400 per sf.

Building information used in this evaluation:

Structural drawings by Krisel/Shapiro & Associates, “Westwood Village Shopping/Office Complex”, dated 01/05/78

Scope for completing this form:

Reviewed structural drawings for original construction and performed ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 and Tier 2 evaluation.

Brief description of structure:

The 3-story office building has an area of approximately 81,273 square feet and was built in 1978. The building is irregular-shaped in-plan with re-entrant corners.

Foundation System: The foundation system consists of shallow spread footings supporting columns and strip footings supporting walls. A 4” thick concrete slab forms the lower parking level.

Structural System for Vertical (gravity) loads: The roof and typical office floors consist of metal deck with light weight concrete fill spanning to rolled steel beams and girders. The steel floor framing is supported by steel wide flange columns that are continuous to the lower retail level where they are supported by reinforced concrete columns that are continuous to the foundation. The lower retail and upper parking levels are constructed of post-tensioned concrete slabs that are supported by concrete walls and columns. The lower parking levels are constructed of two-way reinforced concrete slabs that are supported by concrete walls and columns.

Structural System for Lateral (seismic/wind) loads: The metal deck and concrete fill roof and floors act as diaphragms to transfer seismic forces to distributed welded steel moment frames. At the lower retail floor, seismic forces are transferred from the steel moment frames to reinforced concrete shear walls.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Site Information:

Site Class (A-F): D; Default

Geologic Hazards (Y or N):

- Fault Rupture: N; EZRIM Beverly Hills
- Liquefaction: N; USGS
- Landslide: N; EZRIM Beverly Hills

⁴ Assume a complete retrofit conforming to the current UC Seismic Safety Policy. Note this range includes all construction costs, including code upgrades (e.g., ADA, fire and life safety, mechanical, electrical, plumbing) triggered by the seismic retrofit. No specific estimate is required to be supplied at this time (i.e., provide an approximate cost to retrofit using Low, Medium, High or Very High cost-range categories). It is acknowledged that such a cost range is assumed to be based only on the engineer’s rough estimate and is not intended to require input from a professional cost estimator. For estimation purposes, CSEs may judgmentally determine an approximate cost range for seismic retrofits based on recent relevant experience, and then apply a multiplier to approximate total construction costs.

Site-specific Ground Motion Study? N

Site-modified Spectral Response (0.2s), Hazard Level BSE-1E, S_{XS} : 2.238

Site-modified Spectral Response (1.0s), Hazard Level BSE-1E, S_{X1} : 1.236

Estimated Fundamental Period (seconds):

- Longitudinal Direction: 1.20s
- Transverse Direction: 0.87s

Falling Hazards Assessment Summary: None observed.

Summary of Tier 1 Seismic Evaluation Structural Non-compliances/Findings Significantly Affecting Rating Determination:

Significant Structural Deficiencies, Potentially Affecting *Seismic Performance Level* Designation:

- Lateral System Stress Check (wall shear, column shear or flexure, or brace axial as applicable)
- Load Path
- Adjacent Buildings
- Weak Story
- Soft Story
- Geometry (vertical irregularities)
- Torsion
- Mass – Vertical Irregularity
- Cripple Walls
- Wood Sills (bolting)
- Diaphragm Continuity
- Openings at Shear Walls (concrete or masonry)
- Liquefaction
- Slope Failure
- Surface Fault Rupture
- Masonry or Concrete Wall Anchorage at Flexible Diaphragm
- URM wall height to thickness ratio
- URM Parapets or Cornices
- URM Chimney
- Heavy Partitions Braced by Ceilings
- Appendages

Moment frames utilize pre-Northridge welded connections.

Brief Description of Anticipated Failure Mechanism: Lateral torsional buckling of moment frame beams at roof level in transverse direction.

Comments and Additional Deficiencies:

LDP analysis and Tier 2 evaluation was performed. The results indicate that the moment frame columns, the moment frame beams in upper retail and office floor, as well as connections typically meet life safety and collapse prevention performance. However, the transverse moment frame beams at roof level do not meet life safety and collapse prevention performance due to their unbraced length.

Seismic Retrofit Concept Sketches/Description (only if above-listed rating is V or greater): Brace bottom flange of moment frame beams (roof level; transverse direction) at mid-span. See attached.

Appendices:

- A. ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 Checklists
- B. Quick Check Calculations
- C. ASCE 41-17 Tier 2 Calculations
- D. Probable Loss Report