

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE MASSACHUSETTS BOARD OF ZONING APPEAL 831 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139 617 349-6100

BZA-009658-2016

Plan No:

BZA APPLICATION FORM

GENERAL INFORMATION

The undersigned I	hereby petitions	s the Board of Zoning Appeal	for the following:	
Special Permit :	V	Variance :	V	Appeal :
PETITIONER :	Rayce Realt	ty LLC - C/O Sean D. H	lope, Esq.	
PETITIONER'S AD	DRESS :	675 Massachusetts Ave	nue Cambridge, MA 02	2139
LOCATION OF PR	OPERTY :	211 Green St Cambridge	, MA	
TYPE OF OCCUP	ANCY: 4.3	5 (b)	ZONING DISTRICT :	Business B Zone
REASON FOR PE	TITION :			
	Additio	ns		

DESCRIPTION OF PETITIONER'S PROPOSAL:

Petitioner requests Special Permit relief to add new windows/openings within the setback and Variance relief to construct a porch partially within the setback.

SECTIONS OF ZONING ORDINANCE CITED :

Article	5.000	Section	5.31 (Table of Dimensional Requirements).
Article	8.000	Section	8.22.2 (c) (Non-conforming Structures).
Article	10.000	Section	10.30 (Variance).
Article	10.000	Section	10.40 (Special Permit).

	Original Signature(s) :	(Petitioner(s) / Owner)				
	_	Sean D. Hope (Print Name)				
	Address :	675 Massachusetts Avenue				
		Cambridge, MA 02139				
	Tel. No. :	617-492-0220				
	E-Mail Address :	sean@hopelegal.com				
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Date: March 12, 2016

BZA APPLICATION FORM - OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

To be completed by OWNER, signed before a notary and returned to The Secretary of the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Kayce Revery UC Ray Acereto I/We Address: 228 Westen Are Cembrulye, MA 0139 State that I/We own the property located at 211 Green St which is the subject of this zoning application. The record title of this property is in the name of Faye Roay UC *Pursuant to a deed of duly recorded in the date $\frac{g}{3}$, Middlesex South County Registry of Deeds at Book 66007, Page 315; or Middlesex Registry District of Land Court, Certificate No. Book _____ Page _____ SIGNATURE BY LAND OWNER) OR AUTHORIZED TRUSTEE, OFFICER OR AGENT* *Written evidence of Agent's standing to represent petitioner may be requested. Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Middle yex The above-name R_{CY} Accesses R_{CY} personally appeared before me, this 15 of M_{RCL} , 2016, and made oath that the above statement is true. SEAN D. HOPE Notary Notary Public, Commonwealth of Massachusetts My Commission Expires on August 28, 2020 My commission expires August 28 2020

• If ownership is not shown in recorded deed, e.g. if by court order, recent deed, or inheritance, please include documentation.

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SUPPORTING STATEMENT FOR A VARIANCE

EACH OF THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS FOR A VARIANCE MUST BE ESTABLISHED AND SET FORTH IN COMPLETE DETAIL BY THE APPLICANT IN ACCORDANCE WITH MGL 40A, SECTION 10:

A Literal enforcement of the provisions of this Ordinance would involve a substantial hardship, financial or otherwise, to the petitioner or appellant for the following reasons:

A literal enforcement of the Ordinance would be a substantial hardship to the Petitioner because unit 1 would not have access to the rear yard and open space on an extremely tight lot. Additionally the modest rear second story porch provides a means for additionally light and air which is extremely limited in the row house construction.

B) The hardship is owing to the following circumstances relating to the soil conditions, shape or topography of such land or structures and especially affecting such land or structures but not affecting generally the zoning district in which it is located for the following reasons:

The hardship is owing to circumstances related to the non-conforming size and shape of the lot which limits the available light and access to open space. Granting the requested relief will allow for reasonable access to light and open space without negatively impacting abutters.

C) DESIRABLE RELIEF MAY BE GRANTED WITHOUT EITHER:

1) Substantial detriment to the public good for the following reasons:

Desirable relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good because many of the attached row houses similarly have rear decks and the additional openings are purely for access to the rear yard.

2) Relief may be granted without nullifying or substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this Ordinance for the following reasons:

Desirable relief may be granted without nullifying or substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this Ordinance because the property is in dire need of repair and will be consistent with the adjacent residential uses.

* If You have any questions as to whether you can establish all of the applicable legal requirements, you should consult with your own attorney.

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SUPPORTING STATEMENT FOR A SPECIAL PERMIT

Please describe in complete detail how you meet each of the following criteria referring to the property and proposed changes or uses which are requested in your application. Attach sheets with additional information for special permits which have additional criteria, e.g.; fast food permits, comprehensive permits, etc., which must be met.

Granting the Special Permit requested for <u>211 Green St Cambridge, MA</u> (location) would not be a detriment to the public interest because:

- A) Requirements of the Ordinance can or will be met for the following reasons:With the requested relief the requirements of the Ordinance can be met.
- B) Traffic generated or patterns of access or egress would not cause congestion hazard, or substantial change in established neighborhood character for the following reasons:

Traffic generated or patters of access or egress will not cause congestion hazard, or substantial change in established neighborhood character because the unit count will be reduced and will be consistent with other sized units on the street.

C) The continued operation of or the development of adjacent uses as permitted in the Zoning Ordinance would not be adversely affected by the nature of the proposed use for the following reasons:

The operation of adjacent uses will not be adversely affected because the residential use is consistent with the adjacent uses despite the fact that the Business District allows for commercial uses and heights of up to 80'.

D) Nuisance or hazard would not be created to the detriment of the health, safety and/or welfare of the occupant of the proposed use or the citizens of the City for the following reasons:

No nuisance or hazard will be created to te detriment of the health, safety and/or welfare of the occupant of the proposed used and will substantially improve the quality of life and access to outdoor space.

E) For other reasons, the proposed use would not impair the integrity of the district or adjoining district or otherwise derogate from the intent or purpose of this ordinance for the following reasons:

The proposed use maintains the integrity of the district providing for residential use within the Business B zoning district.

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DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT: Sean Ho	pe, Esq.		PRESENT USE/OCCUPA	NCY: Residential		
LOCATION: 211 Gre	en St Cambrid	ge, MA	Z	ONE: Business B Zond	9	
PHONE :			ISE/OCCUPANCY :	Residential		
		<u>EXISTING</u> CONDITIONS	<u>REQUESTED</u> CONDITIONS	ORDINANCE REQUIREMENTS	1	
TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AF	EA:	2884sf	2884sf	3603sf	(max.)	
LOT AREA:		1201sf	1201sf	5300sf	(min.)	
RATIO OF GROSS FLOOF TO LOT AREA: 2	AREA	2.4	2.4	3.0	(max.)	
LOT AREA FOR EACH DW	ELLING UNIT:	600sf	600sf	300	(min.)	
SIZE OF LOT:	WIDTH	16.28'	16.28'	n/a	(min.)	
	DEPTH	73.75'	73.75'	n/a		
SETBACKS IN FEET:	FRONT	5'	5'	0'	(min.)	
	REAR	14.3'	14.3'	0'	(min.)	
	LEFT SIDE	5.9'	5.9'	7.5'	(min.)	
	RIGHT SIDE	0'	0'	7.5'	(min.)	
SIZE OF BLDG.:	HEIGHT	34 '	34'	20'	(max.)	
	LENGTH	57'	57'			
	WIDTH	16.28'	16.28'			
RATIO OF USABLE OPEN TO LOT AREA:	I SPACE	23.3%	23.3%	10%	(min.)	
NO. OF DWELLING UNIT	<u>'S:</u>	4	2	9.6 units	(max.)	
NO. OF PARKING SPACE	0	0	2	(min./max)		
NO. OF LOADING AREAS	NO. OF LOADING AREAS: n/a			n/a	(min.)	
DISTANCE TO NEAREST ON SAME LOT:	BLDG.	n/a	n/a	10 min	(min.)	

Describe where applicable, other occupancies on same lot, the size of adjacent buildings on same lot, and type of construction proposed, e.g.; wood frame, concrete, brick, steel, etc.

Attached brick rowhouse

- 1. SEE CAMBRIDGE ZONING ORDINANCE ARTICLE 5.000, SECTION 5.30 (DISTRICT OF DIMENSIONAL REGULATIONS).
- 2. TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA (INCLUDING BASEMENT 7'-0" IN HEIGHT AND ATTIC AREAS GREATER THAN 5') DIVIDED BY LOT AREA.
- 3. OPEN SPACE SHALL NOT INCLUDE PARKING AREAS, WALKWAYS OR DRIVEWAYS AND SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM DIMENSION OF 15'.

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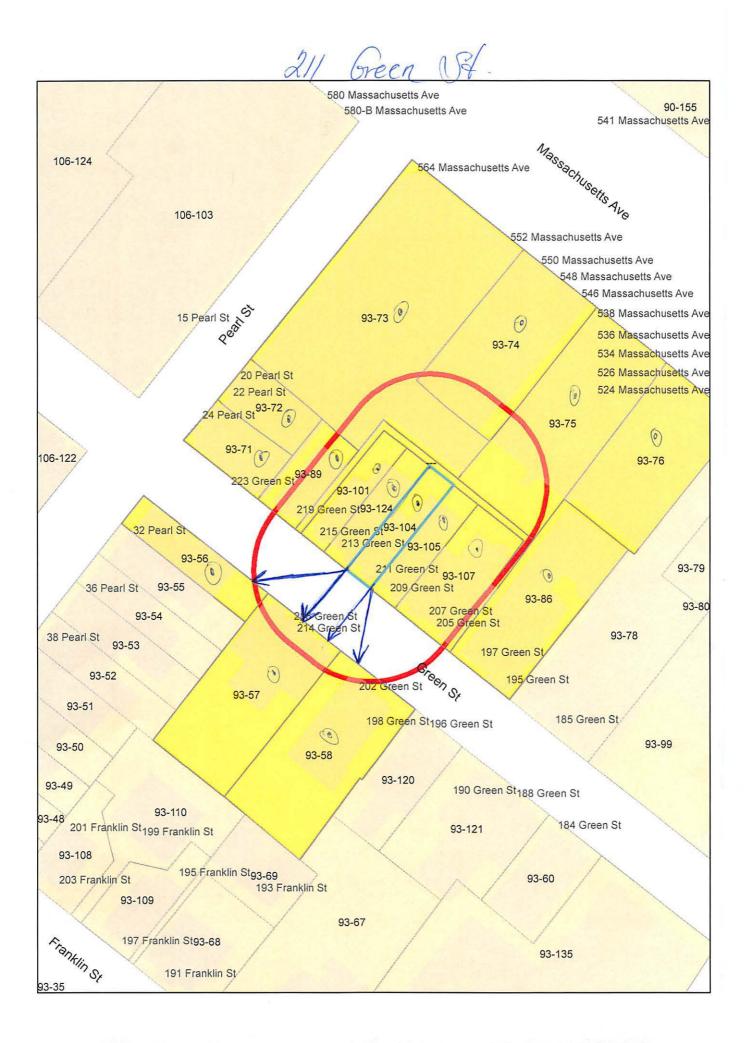
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93-75 THE NEW DANCE COMPLEX, INC. C/O RICHARD GETZ ASSOC. AGENT 22 HILLIARD ST. STE106 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

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93-86 PARSON-GREEN LLC, 1247A COMMONWEALTH AVE BOSTON, MA 02134

93-107 CASCAP REALTY, INC 231 SOMERVILLE AVENUE SOMERVILLE, MA 02143

SEAN D. HOPE, ESQ. 675 MASS AVENUE – 5TH FL. CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

93-74 NOSLEDA REALTY CORP ATTN: CAROL ATLAS 5723 MAYFAIR MANOR DR. #106 ROCKVILLE, MD 20852

93-76 522-526 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, LLC 87 FAWCETT STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

93-58 BRAU, RICARDO R. & LARA P. SUAREZ C/O CHEN, TIANLE & YI CHAI 202 GREEN ST., UNIT #2 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

93-57 WATSON, IDEAN C. 216 GREEN STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

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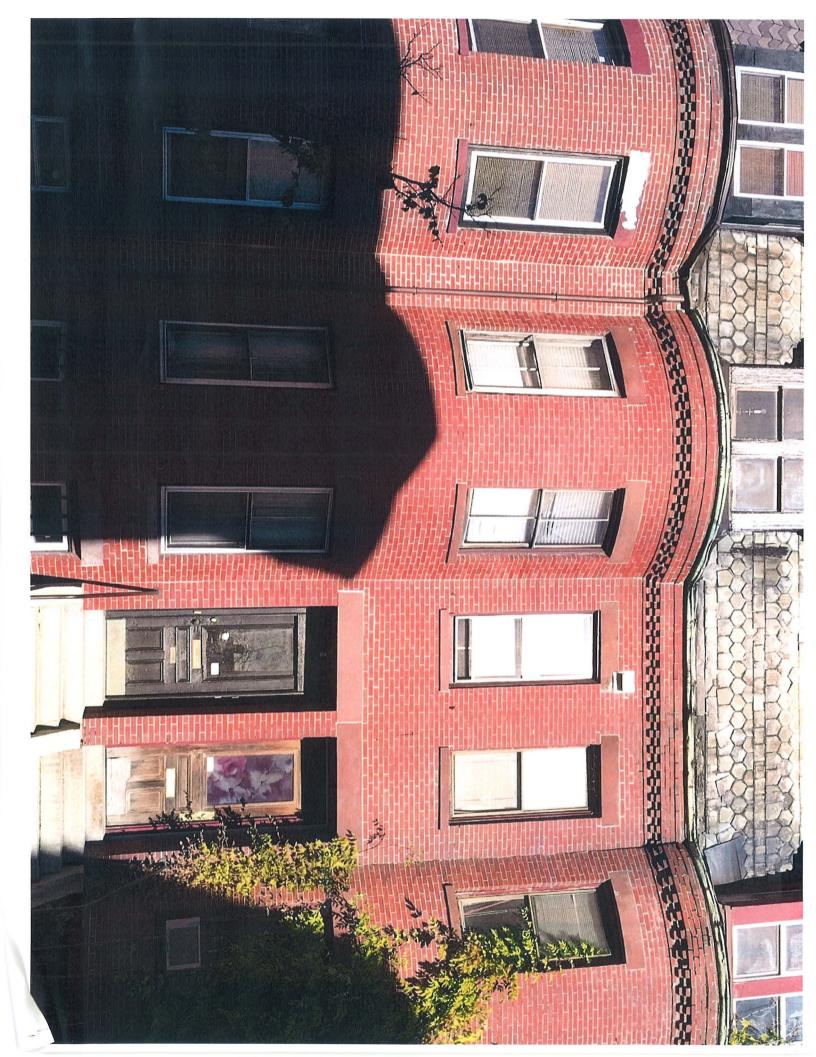
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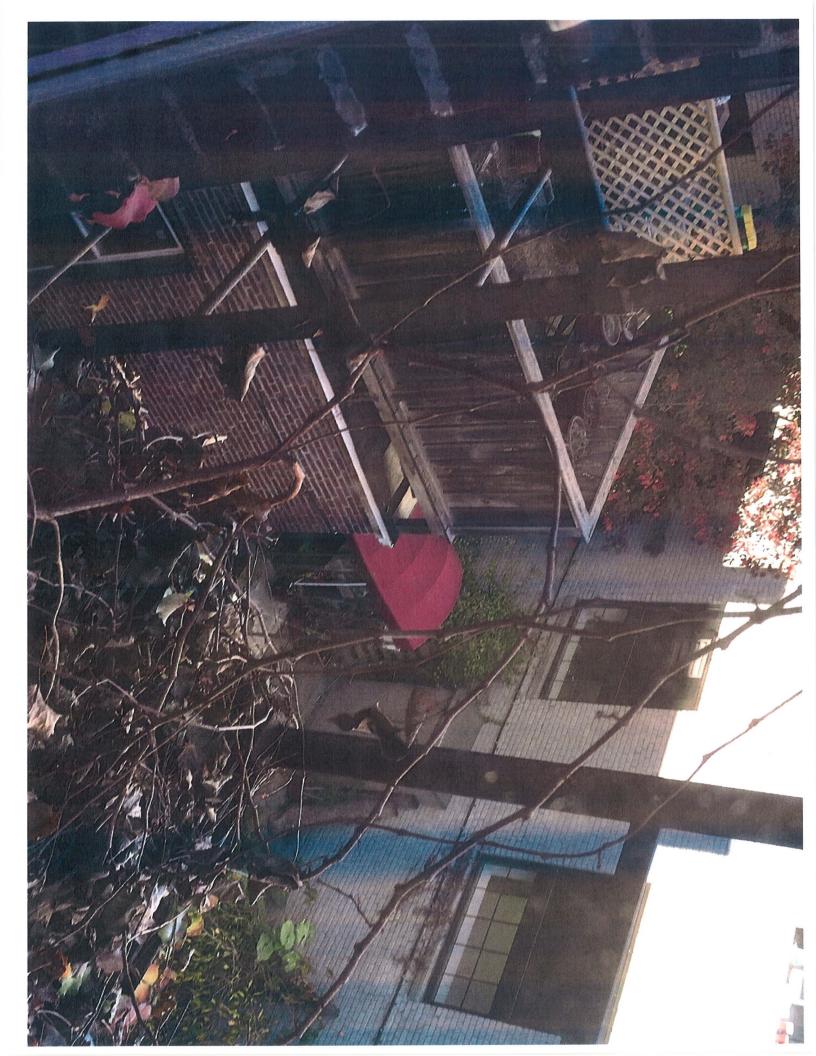
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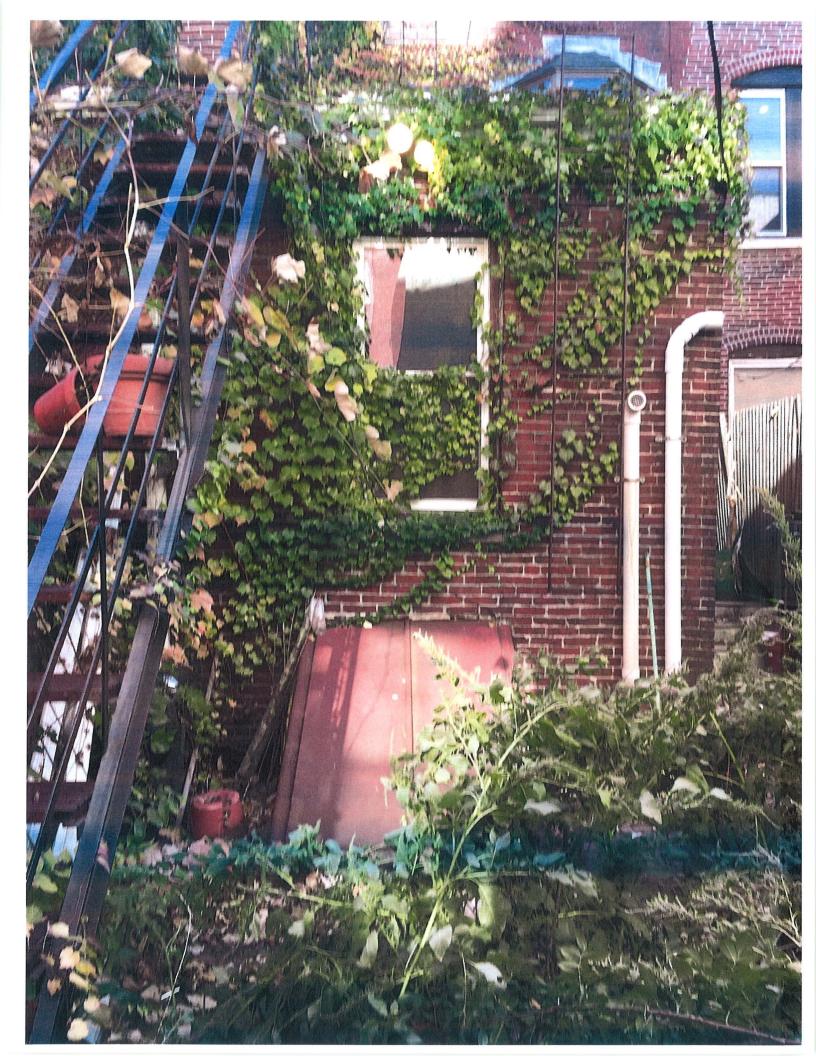
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Name: <u>Rayce Rep(1)</u> (Prin		Date: 3/8/16
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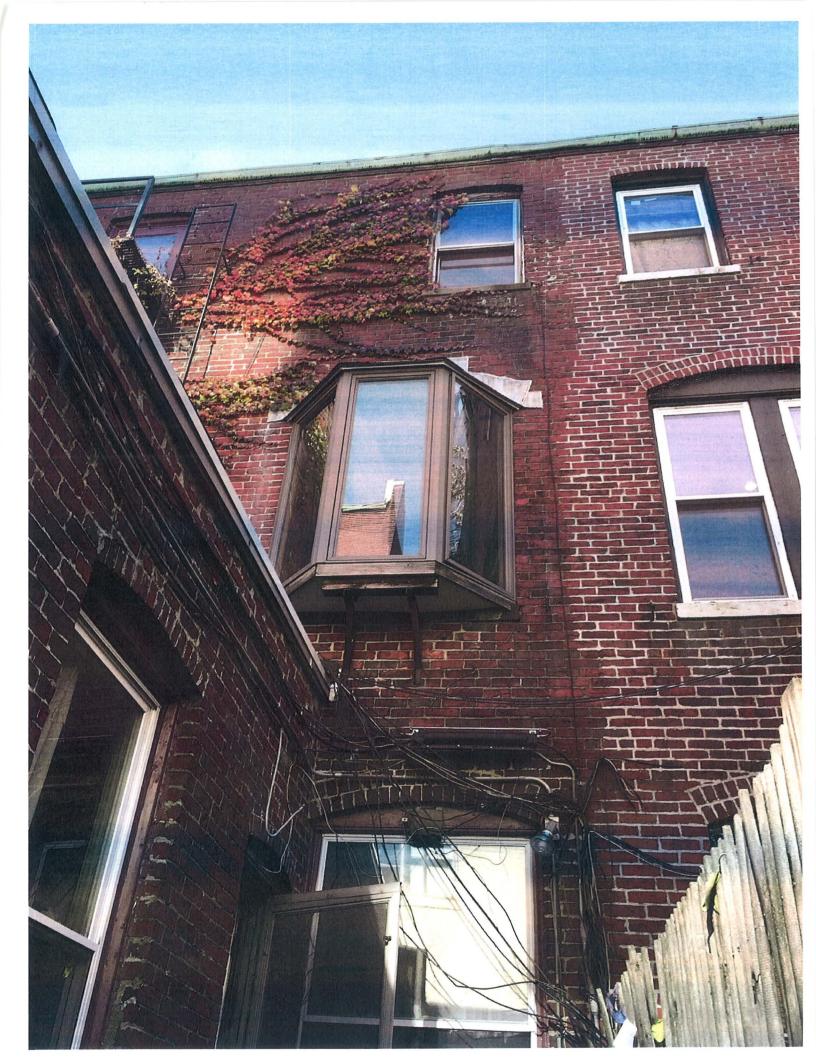
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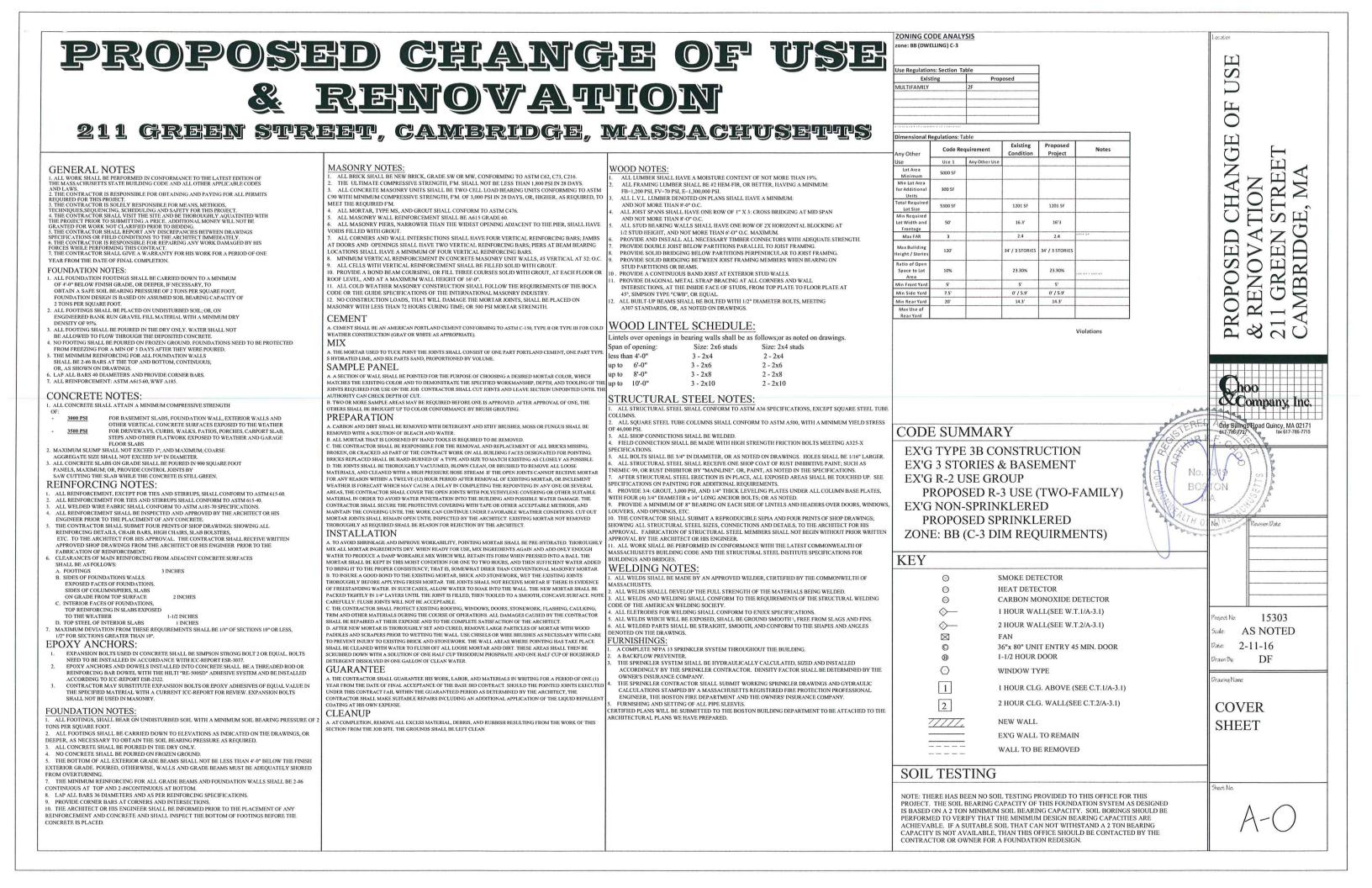


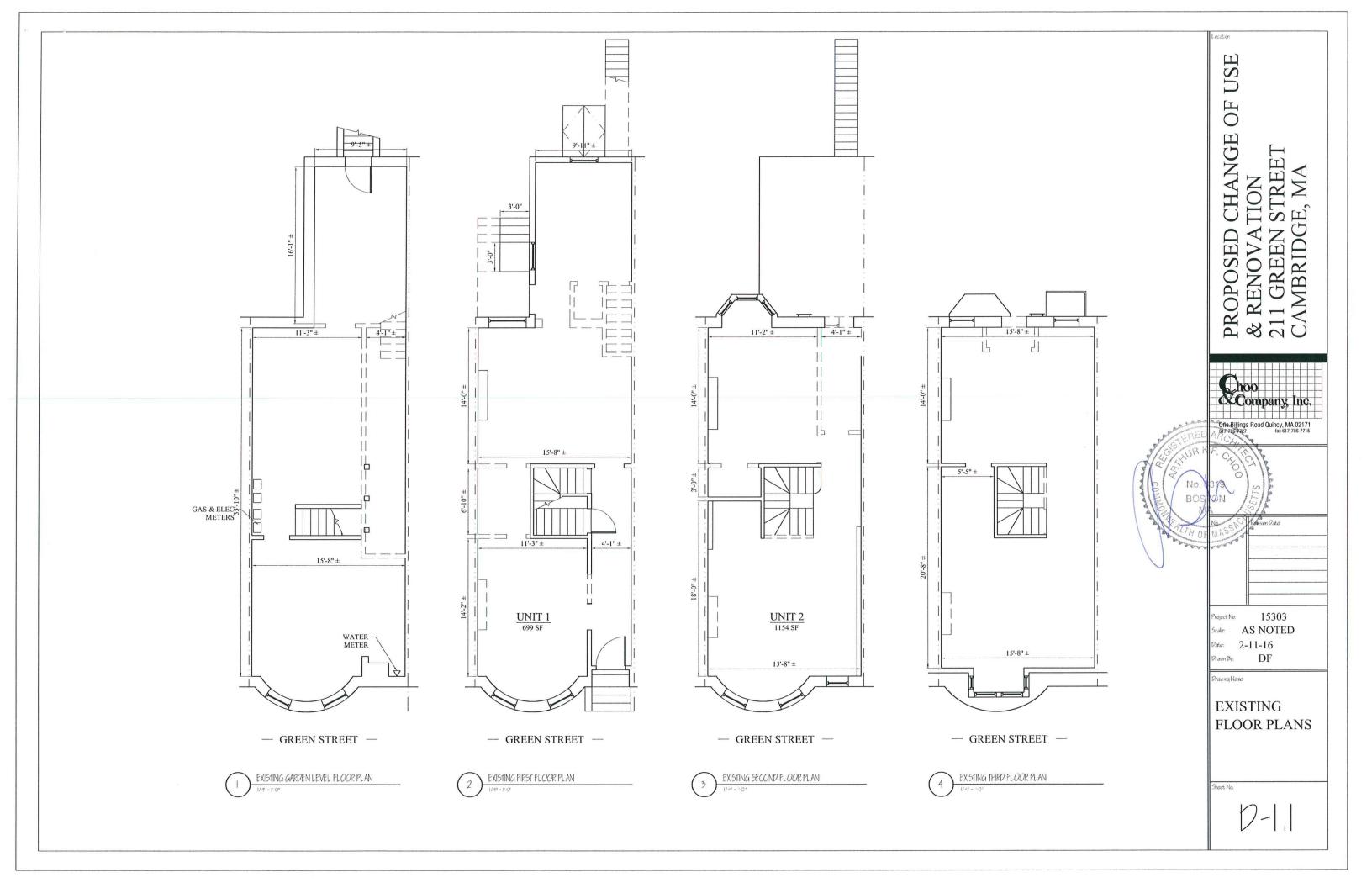


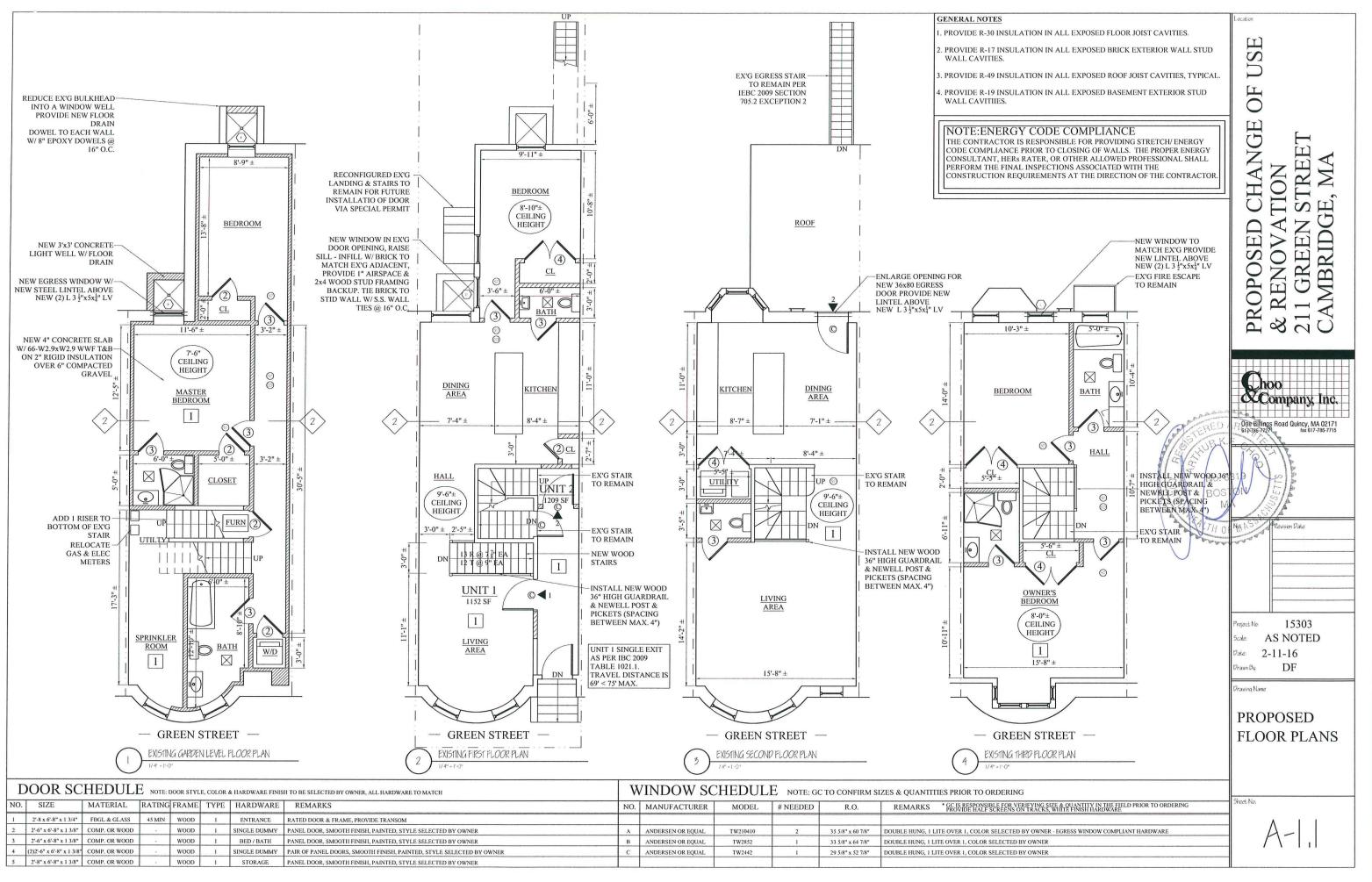




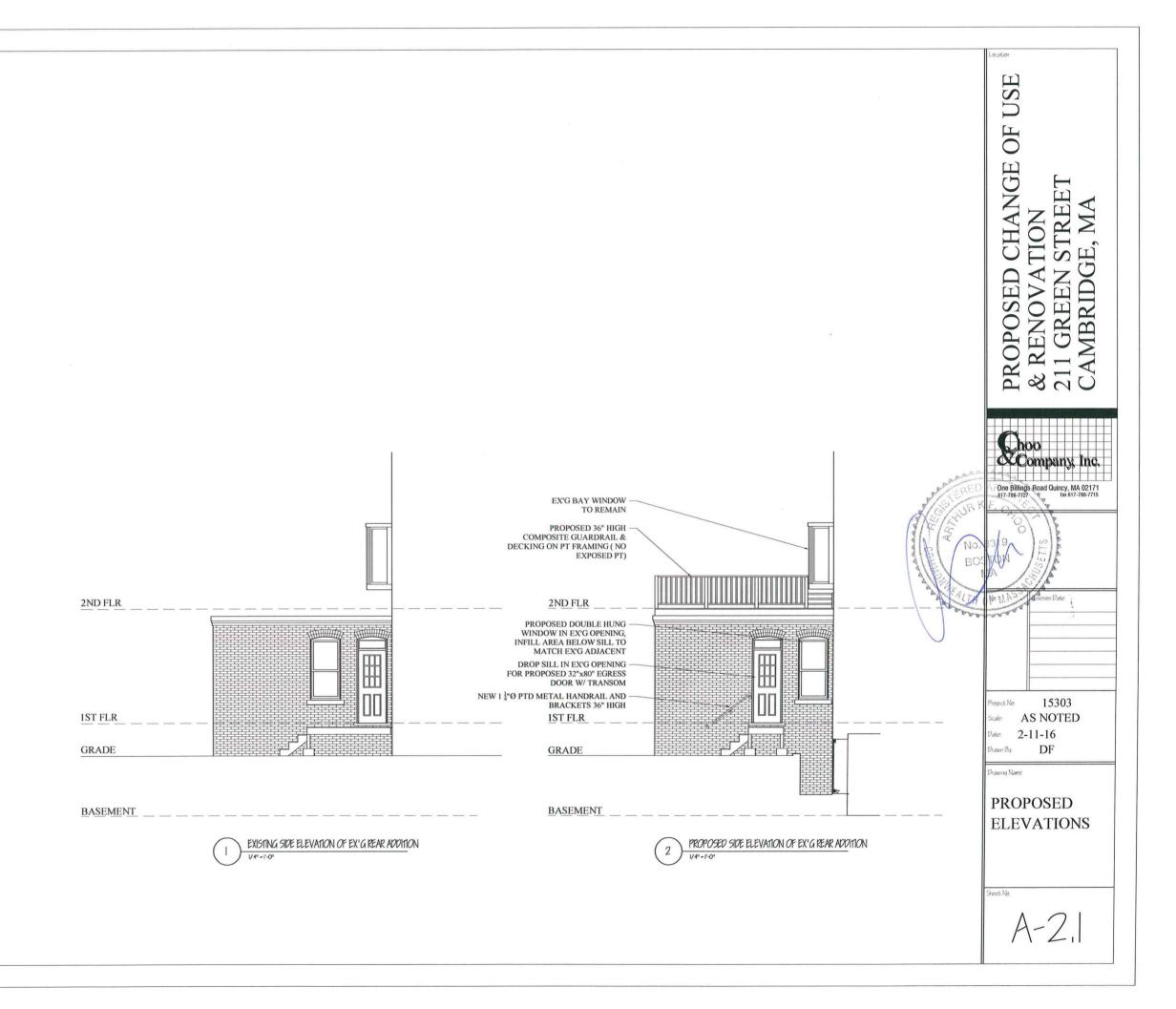








	DOOR SCHEDULE NOTE: DOOR STYLE, COLOR & HARDWARE FINISH TO BE SELECTED BY OWNER, ALL HARDWARE TO MATCH							WINDOW SCHEDULE NOTE: GC TO CONFIRM SIZES & QUANTITIES PRIOR TO ORDERING						
NO.	SIZE	MATERIAL	RATING	FRAME	TYPE	HARDWARE	REMARKS	NO.	MANUFACTURER	MODEL	# NEEDED	R.O.	REMARKS	 GC IS RESPONSIBLE FOR VERI PROVIDE HALF SCREENS ON
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3	2'-6" x 6'-8" x 1 3/8"	COMP. OR WOOD		WOOD	1	BED / BATH	PANEL DOOR, SMOOTH FINISH, PAINTED, STYLE SELECTED BY OWNER	В	ANDERSEN OR EQUAL	TW2852	1	33 5/8" x 64 7/8"	DOUBLE HUNG, 1 L	ITE OVER 1, COLOR SELECTED BY
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