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BOARD OF ZONING APPEAL

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BZA Application Form

BZA Number: 206407

General Information

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The undersigned	hereby petitions th	ne Board of Zoning	Appeal for the following	ng:	
Special Permit: _		Variance: X		Appeal:	
	eanil Patel, Kierste vid Laibstain C/O		lvy Lee, Blake A. Sess	sions, Michael O'Brien, Brianna	
PETITIONER'S A	DDRESS: 48 Gro	ve Street, Somervi	lle, MA 02144		
LOCATION OF P	ROPERTY: 65 Sp	oarks St , Unit 4 , (Cambridge, MA		
TYPE OF OCCU	PANCY: Residenti	<u>al</u>	ZONING DISTRIC	CT: Residence A-2 Zone	
REASON FOR P	ETITION:				
/Dormer/					
DESCRIPTION	OF PETITIONE	R'S PROPOSAL:			
A dormer is being	constructed.				
SECTIONS OF Z	ONING ORDINAN	ICE CITED:			
Article: 5.000 Section: 5.31 (Table of Dimensional Requirements) Article: 8.000 Section: 8.22.3 (Non-Conforming Structure) Article: 10.000 Section: 10.30 (Variance)					
		Original Signature(s):			
(Petitioner (s) / Owner) Feanil Patel, Kiersten C. Kerby-Patel, Ivy Lee, Blake A. Sessions, Michael O'Brien, Brianna McHorse and David Laibstain, C/O Adam Dash, I (Print Name)					
		Tel. No. E-Mail Address:	617-625-7373 dash@adamdashlaw.com		
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Date: January 11, 2023

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I/We Fearil Patel
(OWNER)
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Middlesex
The above-name Flani Patel personally appeared before me,
this $\frac{744}{1}$ of $\frac{100}{1}$, $\frac{100}{1}$ and made oath that the above statement is true.
Notary
My commission expires 477027 (Notary Seal).

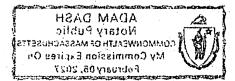
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ADAM DASH
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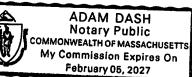


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I/We Kiersten C. Kerby-Patel
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this 7th of Mar., 2022, and made oath that the above statement is true.
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My commission expires $\frac{\sqrt{3/2077}}{}$ (Notary Seal).

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(ATTACHMENT B - PAGE 3)



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I/We VV Lee					
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this 4th of Movember, 20 22, and made oath that the above statement is true.					
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My commission expires <u>Feb. 3, 2028</u> (Notary Seal).					

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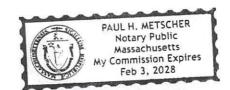
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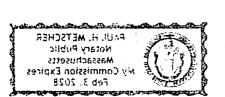


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I/We Blake Sessions
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Middlesex
The above-name Blake Sessions personally appeared before me,
this 94 of Notable, 20 χ , and made oath that the above statement is true.
Paul H. Metschr Notary
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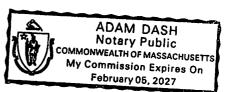


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I/We Michael O'Brick
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The above-name Brianna McHorse personally appeared before me,
this $7/3t$ of NOV , 2022, and made oath that the above statement is true.
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My commission expires $\sqrt{5/1027}$ (Notary Seal).

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ADAM DASH
Notary Public
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
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February 05, 2027

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I/We David Leibstain
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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) 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:

The use and number of units will not change. The dormer is needed to create quiet space for home office use, as the residents have a small child and have had to work from home in the child's play space since the pandemic began. The premises does not currently have any home office space for conducting research and attending remote meetings. Due to the pre-existing, nonconforming nature of the premises, Applicants cannot create this needed space without relief.

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 due to the existing conditions, including the narrowness of the lot and building, being a townhouse, such that the pre-existing nonconforming nature of the premises requires relief.

C) DESIRABLE RELIEF MAY BE GRANTED WITHOUT EITHER:

1) Desirable relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good for the following reasons:

Adding a dormer without increasing the number of units, while providing more room for the residents to work from home such that a growing family can remain in Cambridge, is a benefit to the neighborhood and the City. Other townhouses in the same row have dormers currently, such that this dormer will be in character with the rest of block. The requested relief is minimal.

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

The proposed work enhances the livability of the Premises and continues to fit the characteristics and needs of the neighborhood and community.

The minimal 0.03 increase in FAR (being 115 sf) as a result of the dormer will result in the building being more usable for families staying in Cambridge while continuing the addition of dormers on other townhouses in the row. There will not be any noticeable impact on the overallook, feel, or traffic pattern in the neighborhood, and there will be no additional units created.

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

Location:

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DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION

Feanil Patel, Kiersten C. Kerby-Patel, Ivy Lee,

Applicant: Blake A. Sessions, Michael O'Brien, Brianna

McHorse and David Laibstain

65 Sparks St., Unit 4, Cambridge, MA

Phone: 617-625-7373

Present Use/Occupancy: Residential

Zone: Residence A-2 Zone

Requested Use/Occupancy: Residential

		Existing Conditions	Requested Conditions	<u>Ordinance</u> <u>Requirements</u>	
TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA:		5,335	5,450	3,000	(max.)
LOT AREA:		3,125	3,125	8,000	(min.)
RATIO OF GROSS FLOOR AREA TO LOT AREA: ²		1.71	1.74	0.5	
LOT AREA OF EACH DWELLING UNIT		781	781	6,000	
SIZE OF LOT:	WIDTH	25	25	80	
	DEPTH	125	125	100	
SETBACKS IN FEET:	FRONT	24	24	25	
	REAR	43.2	43.2	25	
	LEFT SIDE	0	0	15 (sum to 35)	
	RIGHT SIDE	0	0	15 (sum to 35)	
SIZE OF BUILDING:	HEIGHT	53.76	53.76	35	
	WIDTH	57.8	57.8	N/A	
	LENGTH	25	25	N/A	
RATIO OF USABLE OPEN SPACE TO LOT AREA:		53.8%	53.8%	50%	
NO. OF DWELLING UNITS:		1	1	1	
NO. OF PARKING SPACES:		0	0	1	
NO. OF LOADING AREAS:		N/A	N/A	N/A	
DISTANCE TO NEAREST BLDG. ON SAME LOT		N/A	N/A	N/A	

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

None

- 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'.

Naomi Yang Damon Krukowski 61 Sparks Street, Apt 1 Cambridge, MA 02138 tel. 617-492-1934

Jan 27, 2023

To the Cambridge Board of Zoning Appeal:

We have lived in 61 Sparks Street since 1995 and we would like to express our full support for the proposed addition of dormers and terrace at 65 Sparks Unit 4 (Case no. BZA-206407). It is in scale with the original building, sensitively done, and a welcome addition to the streetscape.

Sincerely,

Naomi Yang Damon Krukowski

Pacheco, Maria

From:

Rob Tagiuri <rob.tagiuri@verizon.net>

Sent:

Monday, January 30, 2023 1:59 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Re:BZA Hearing 206407

Dear Ms. Pacheco,

I am the building manager of 67 Sparks Street Cambridge. It abuts 65 Sparks Street. The owners of that building have applied for a zoning variance, as there is a sign to that effect in front of the building. I also received the notice of the hearing, BZA 206407. It states that a variance is being requested for a single dormer. However I have met with the petitioners and their plans show two dormers and a deck.

I would request that the hearing be postponed and for another notice to be sent to abutters once the confusion between the petitioners and the Board of Zoning Appeal is resolved.

Please acknowledge receipt of this email.

Thank you for your attention to this matter,

Rob Tagiuri

617-821-8490

ADAM DASH & ASSOCIATES

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

48 GROVE STREET, SUITE 304 DAVIS SQUARE SOMERVILLE, MA 02144

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ADAM DASH PAUL METSCHER MARK SHEEHAN

VIA EMAIL AND VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PRE-PAID

January 31, 2023

Board of Zoning Appeals City of Cambridge 831 Massachusetts Avenue Cambridge, MA 02139

ATTN: Maria Pacheco

RE: Application for Variance

Applicants: Feanil Patel, Kiersten C. Kerby-Patel, Ivy Lee, Blake A. Sessions,

Michael O'Brien, Brianna McHorse and David Laibstain

Location Address: 65 Sparks Street, Unit 4, Cambridge, MA

Case Number: 206407

Dear Ms. Pacheco:

On behalf of the Applicants in this matter, I hereby request a continuance of the above-referenced application, being BZA 206407 for 65 Sparks Street, Unit 4, from the February 9, 2023 BZA meeting until the February 23, 2023 meeting.

Should you have any questions or need any additional documentation, please contact this office. I can also be reached via e-mail at dash@adamdashlaw.com.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Adam Dash



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Board of Zoning Appeal Waiver Form

The Board of Zoning Appeal 831 Mass Avenue Cambridge, MA 02139

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RE: Case # 57A - 206407	
Address: 65 Sparks St	+4
□ Owner, □ Petitioner, or ⋈ Representative: _	Adam Dash, Esq.
	(Print Name)

hereby waives the required time limits for holding a public hearing as required by

Section 9 or Section 15 of the Zoning Act of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40A. The Downer, Petitioner, or Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40A. The Downer's and/or Owner's right to a

Decision by the Board of Zoning Appeal on the above referenced case within the time period as required by Section 9 or Section 15 of the Zoning Act of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40A, and/or Section 6409 of the federal Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, codified as 47 U.S.C.

§1455(a), or any other relevant state or federal regulation or law.

Date: 1/31/25

Signature



City of Cambridge

MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF ZONING APPEAL

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POSTING NOTICE - PICK UP SHEET

The undersigned picked up the notice board for the Board of Zoning Appeals Hearing.

Name:	Feanil	Patel (Print)		Date:	1/19/2023
Address: _	65	Sparks	H.	Vnit	4.
Case No	BZ	t-20640	7	*	
Hearing Da	te:	2/9/23			

Thank you, Bza Members

Pacheco, Maria

From:

Adam Dash <dash@adamdashlaw.com>

Sent:

Monday, March 20, 2023 1:37 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Cc:

Natola, Stephen; Ratay, Olivia

Subject:

65 Sparks Street continuances

Maria,

My clients would like to continue the 65 Sparks Street cases which are on for this Thursday, being 206407 and 209310, until a BZA hearing date in May (which I understand is the soonest date we could have).

You may recall that the last continuance was requested by an abutter, and not by the Applicants, so I would hope we would be granted this extension on Thursday night.

I am talking with the abutter's attorney about possible resolution of this matter, now that he is back in the country, so more time would help.

Which date in May do you think we would get?

Thanks.

Adam Dash, Esq.
Adam Dash & Associates
48 Grove Street, Suite 304
Davis Square
Somerville, MA 02144
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1 2 (8:11 p.m.) Sitting Members: Brendan Sullivan, Wendy Leiserson, Jim 3 Monteverde, Slater W. Anderson, and Matina 4 Williams 5 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: The Board will now hear Case 6 No. 206407 -- 65 Sparks Street, Unit 4. Is the petitioner 7 on the line? 8 ADAM DASH: Yes, Mr. Chair. 9 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Mr. Dash? 10 11 ADAM DASH: Yes. BRENDAN SULLIVAN: How are you? 12 ADAM DASH: Good. I'm doing very well, Mr. Chair. 13 14 And yourself? BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Great. 15 ADAM DASH: It's Adam Dash, from Adam Dash & 16 Associates, 48 Grove Street, Suite 304, Somerville, 17 Massachusetts, 02144 for the applicants. 18 Mr. Chair, the applicants are seeking a 19 continuance because there was a notice issue that was 20 raised. And we have fixed it, but we do not want to go 21 forward tonight, and we would like to come back. 22

BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Okay. Do we have a particular 1 2 date? ADAM DASH: I would note, Mr. Chair, that there is 3 a companion case to this that is on the Agenda for February 4 I know you've stated earlier you're kind of packed 5 23. that night, but it would be best to hear that other case and 6 then -- because that would possibly render this case moot, 7 should the Board approve that other case. So doing them all 8 in the same night would be sort of an economy of scale, if 9 that's -- for what it's worth it. 10 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: We do not have -- no, that 11 other case was -- was granted? Yeah, we don't have any 12 other one for Sparks Street. No. There's only -- no, there 13 is no other case for Sparks Street on our Agenda. 14 JIM MONTEVERDE: There is. 15 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: So -- so, no, so the other one 16 17 was --JIM MONTEVERDE: Sorry, Mr. Chair? 18 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Yes? 19 JIM MONTEVERDE: It's -- I have the Agenda for the 20 twenty-third and it's on at 6:30. 21 22 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Oh, I'm sorry.

1 JIM MONTEVERDE: 65 Sparks, Unit 4. 2 ADAM DASH: Thank you. 3 JIM MONTEVERDE: I was scratching my head, because it looks like the same thing we're doing, but it's a 4 variance then for the -- yeah, it reads the same. 5 ADAM DASH: It's a correction, Mr. Chair. It's a 6 7 correction of the notice that went out as to the relief 8 being sought, which I take responsibility for not being as 9 clear in the application originally as I probably could have 10 been. 11 So we're trying to make sure that everything is 12 tidied up, so we don't have any technical issues. So if we 13 do the new case first on the twenty-third, if the Board were to approve it, then this case we would need to -- it would 14 15 be to withdraw it as being moot at that time. 16 But we don't know what's going to happen on the 17 twenty-third with the other case, so --18 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Yeah. Yeah, unfortunately the 19 -- I'm sorry, what -- Jim, what time did you say? I don't have that. 20 21 JIM MONTEVERDE: It's first up at the bat, 6:30. 22 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: 6:30. Okay. We have defined

times for all the other cases. The other option would be to 1 kick this over to March 23, and should you get a favorable 2 on the twenty-third for the other case, then this one here 3 can just go away on March 23. 4 ADAM DASH: That would work as well? 5 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Okay. So why don't we schedule 6 this for March 23, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.? And that's 65 Sparks. 7 On the condition that the petitioner change Ok. 8 the posting sign to reflect the new date of March 23, 2023 9 and the new time of 6:00 p.m., and that that posting sign be 10 maintained at least 14 days prior to the March 23 hearing. 11 12 Any new submittals not currently should be 13 submitted by 5:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to the March 23, 14 2023 hearing. I would ask if you haven't already signed a 15 waiver? 16 ADAM DASH: We have, Mr. Chair. 17 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: We have. You have. All right. 18 So that is in the file. And I think that should cover it. 19 So on the motion, then, to continue this matter to March 23, 20 2023, Jim Monteverde?

JIM MONTEVERDE: In favor.

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BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Matina Williams? 1 MATINA WILLIAMS: In favor. 2 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Slater Anderson? 3 SLATER ANDERSON: In favor. 4 WENDY LEISERSON: In favor. 5 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: In favor. 6 7 [All vote YES] BRENDAN SULLIVAN: On the five affirmative votes, 8 this matter is continued until March 23, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. 9 Okay, thank you, Mr. Dash. 10 ADAM DASH: Thank you, Mr. Chair. 11 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Yep. Is it 7:30 yet? Just 12 barely? Just barely. Okay. 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

2 (6:04 p.m.)

Sitting Members: Brendan Sullivan, Jim Monteverde, Andrea

A. Hickey, and Slater W. Anderson

BRENDAN SULLIVAN: So the first case I'll call tonight is BZA-209310 -- 65 Sparks Street and, in conjunction with that, Case #206407 -- 65 Sparks Street, No. 4.

Attorney Dash? Adam?

ADAM DASH: Yes. Good evening, Mr. Chair, and members of the Board. This is attorney Adam Dash, D-a-s-h, 48 Grove Street in Somerville, representing the applicants for 65 Sparks Street.

The applicants are seeking a continuance of this matter to a Board date in May. You may recall that at the last meeting, this matter was continued on the February 23 meeting until tonight at the request of an abutter, not at the request of the applicants, because the abutter's attorney was out of the country.

So this is the applicants' request, and I should note that the applicants and the abutter, now that counsel is back in the country, have been discussing a resolution of

1 the issues, and we're seeking this continuance to work 2 towards that end. 3 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Okay. The next available date 4 would be May 11, is that? And the other date would be 5 05/25/23. Which one is preferable for you, Adam? 6 ADAM DASH: I would say sooner rather than later, 7 Mr. Chair. 8 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Okav. 9 ADAM DASH: So I will take the eleventh if you're 10 giving me the choice. 11 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Yep. All right. And this is a 12 case not heard, I believe? 13 ADAM DASH: Correct. 14 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: So we don't need to worry about 15 the current members. So let me make a motion, then, to 16 continue this matter, Case No. 206407 -- 65 Sparks Street, and also Case No. 209310 -- 65 Sparks Street No 4. 17 18 Let me make a motion, then, to continue this 19 matter to May 11, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. on the condition that 20 the petitioner change the posting sign to reflect the new date of May 11, 2023 and the new time at 6:00 p.m. 21

Any new submittals not currently in the file be

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submitted by 5:00 p.m. on the Monday prior to the May 11 1 hearing. There was a waiver of statutory requirement for 2 the time and decision already in the files, so those are 3 4 current. On the motion, then, to continue this matter to 5 May 11, 2023, Jim Monteverde? 6 JIM MONTEVERDE: Jim Monteverde in favor. 7 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Andrea Hickey? 8 ANDREA HICKEY: Yes, in favor. 9 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Slater Anderson? 10 SLATER ANDERSON: In favor. 11 BRENDAN SULLIVAN: Matina Williams? 12 [Pause] 13 Not present. Brendan Sullivan yes. 14 [All vote YES] On the affirmative vote of four 15 members of the Board, this matter is continued -- these two 16 matters are continued to May 11, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. 17 18 See you then, Adam. 19 20 21 22

Renovations to 65 Sparks Street Unit #3

Cambridge - MA

Owner:

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Architect:



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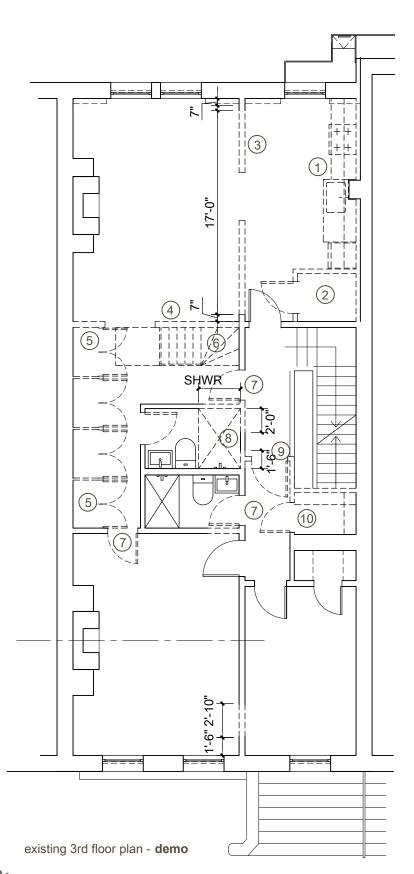
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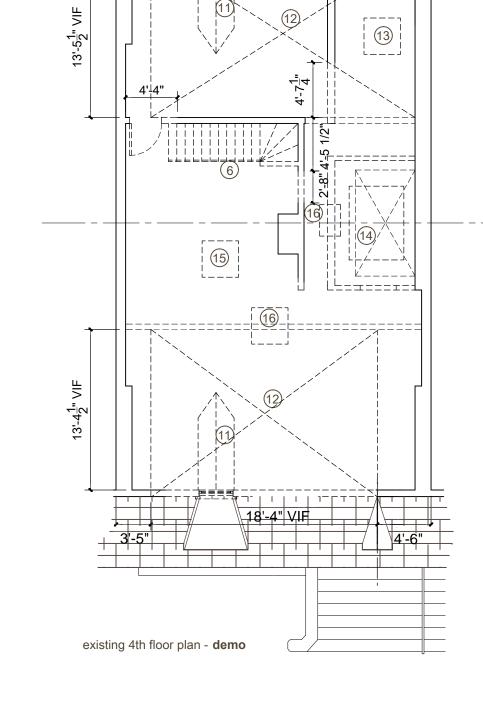
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demo notes:

- 1 remove all appliances, cabinets, counters, fixtures; make safe power, gas and plumbing
- 2 remove partitions, appliances, make safe power, plumbing, gas as required
- 3 remove existing wall floor to ceiling to plan dimension shown*
- 4 remove existing wall floor to ceiling, verify not structural
- 5 remove existing closets, doors, etc.
- 6 remove existing stairs when appropriate in construction sequence
- 7 remove existing door and wall as shown, shore as required
- 8 remove existing walls and shower as shown*
- 9 remove existing wall and door
- 10 remove existing closet walls, door and floor*
- 11 remove existing dormer*
- 12 remove existing roof back to existing beam and to plan width dimension shown, provide temporary roof protection*
- 13 exploratory removal to check roof framing in this location
- 14 remove existing walls, floor and flat skylight*
- 15 exploratory removal to check roof framing in this area
- 16 exploratory removal to check roof framing in this area
- 17 new opening for kitchen exhaust



* general note: new openings in walls to be confirmed as non-load bearing, if load-bearing, install appropriate shoring as required, headers, beams as required to support all necessary loads to grade. sizing, confirmation, fastening to be determined by a licensed professional.



15'-4"

13'-3 1/4" -

10 1/4" 6'-8 1/4"

13)



Building area - 4 floors (1,304 sf per flr) - 5,006 sf (not including 605 sf of Basement)

Work area - 2,324 sf on floors 3 and 4 total

Per EBC of MA, Section 504 Alteration - Level 2:
Work area is less than 50% of Building Area

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New work complying with Chapter 7 and Chapter 8 of the EBC

Use Group: Remains Residential R-2, Multi-Family Residences

Chapter 7 Compliance

702.4 #3.1: New window sills are at 34" AFF

703.1: Level of existing fire protection separation of 4th floor is currently a non-rated, non-sealed false ceiling

705.1: General technically infeasible (no elevator space available). Building entrance is historic walk-up.

705.1.13: Extent of application level of accessibility does not change from the existing condition.

707.2: New roof will comply with current code.

708: New work will comply with the IECC.

Chapter 8 - Level 2 Alteration

801.2: Alteration Level 1 compliance with Chapter 7

PROPERTY

proposed 4th floor egress plan

805.6: Dead end corridors, Exception 2, 50' with FA system

803.2: Vertical openings, 803.2.1 existing vertical openings, exception 11.3: Enclosure note required with less than 4 units per floor (this is 1 unit per floor), sleeping rooms provided with direct access to window with sill less than 36" AFF (34"), and provided with FA system throughout.

803.2.3: Supplemental stairway enclosure requirements, 4th floor work area exceeds 50% of floor area, stairways that are part of a means of egress shall be enclosed with a smoke tight construction on the highest work area and all floors below.





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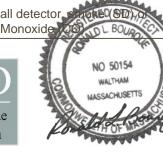
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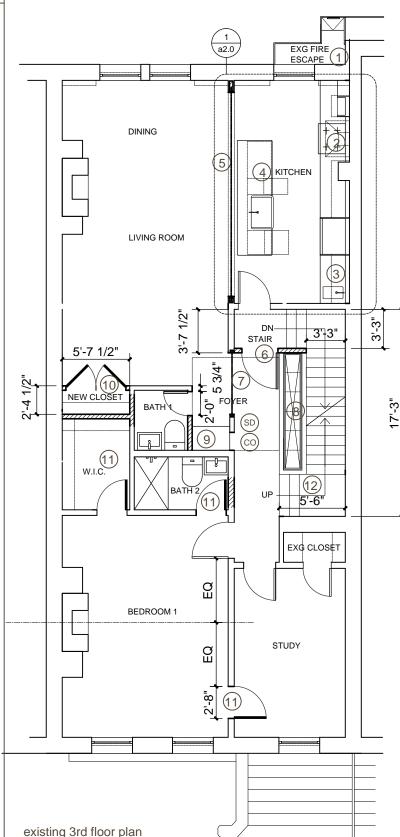
scope notes level 3:

- 1 revise existing kitchen exhaust for more cfm, new unit
- 2 new kitchen cabinets, counters, fixtures, appliances and lighting
- 3 plumbing bar sink at end of counter
- 4 new kitchen island containing sink base, dishwasher and pull-out trash
- 5 install new underfloor beam in ceiling, lvls with high compression posts each end, follow load path to basement and install footing pads, all sized to applied loads*, finish with painted gwb and put 12" radius at each top corner of opening
- 6 new all glass entry door with sweep seal, jamb/head seals, black hardware, confirm with owner
- 7 *frame new opening w/ appropriate sized lyls and timberstrand posts. finish with painted gwb and painted trim (match existing)
- 8 *new "prism" separator for units. either glass, clear plexiglass or frosted plexiglass. fasten to exiting structure (confirm loading and deflection) w/ cr laurence glass clips, channels, angles (black), seal edges with rigid silicone gaskets (CRL EZC 112-XCP5, sized per glass thickness, this number is for 12 cc). see a3.0.
- 9 new wood cabinet and stone counter, 32" high. finish out opening at side with painted gwb and painted trim to match existing.
- 10 construct new closet, new doors, steel pole (black), full-length shelf, painted gwb and trim to match existing
- 11 new door, opening, painted trim and door, match height and style of existing
- 12 start new stair at this level, treads/risers/railing to match existing



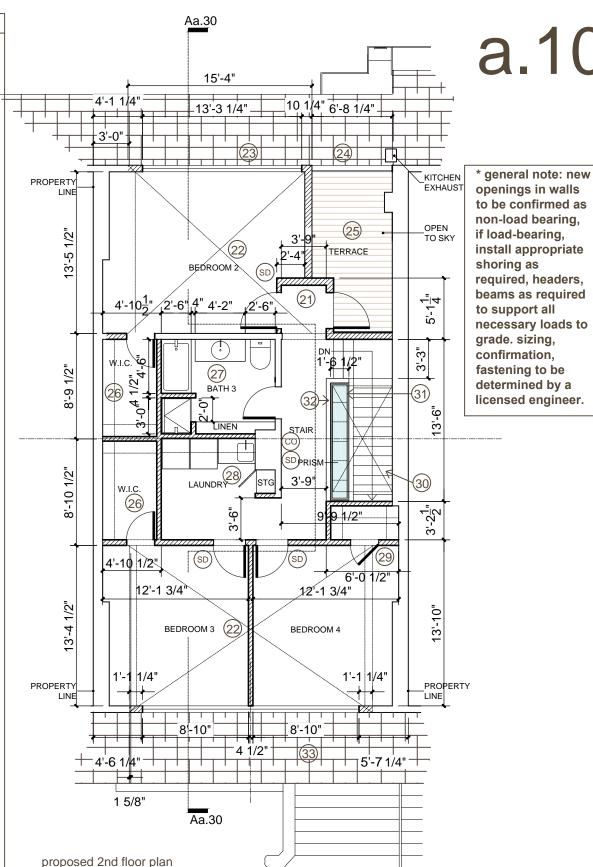






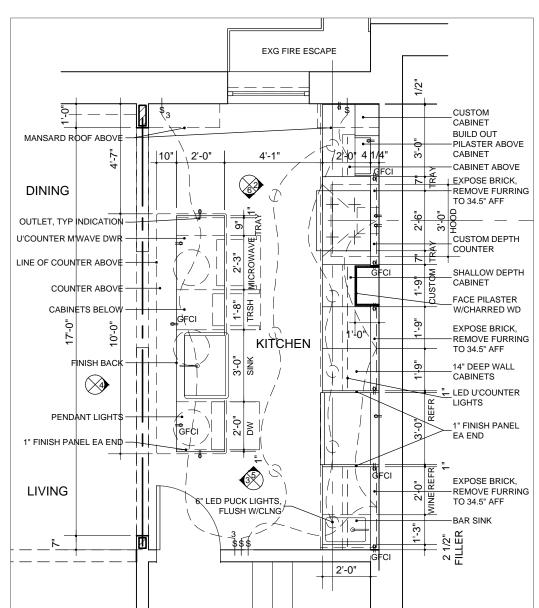
scope notes level 4:

- 21 construct new vestibule, interior/exterior, fully insulated, ext and int painted wood doors, charred wood siding, fully insulated roof (align with dormer), painted gwb and wood floor.
- 22 construct new dormer (pitch 1:12) with seam lock metal shingle (match existing) roofing on membrane underlay on 5/8" ext plywood deck on 2x rafters(*), to existing beam, fully insulated, copper gutter/leader, make watertigh with existing roof.
- 23 new knee wall, fully insulated, with new wood insulated glazed window units (marvin magnum or equal), sill at 34.5" and head at 80" (verify with beam/header*), trim to match existing int/ext, 1x douglas fir charred wood siding (delta studios, austin,
- 24 patch/match existing roof as required, new 11/4" diameter black square stock aluminum guardrail at 42"
- 25 raft new deck on existing floor, 1x mahogany on 2x laid flat pt sleepers on 60 mil double membrane roofing on 5/8" ext plywood deck on existing joists, reinforce for any added loads (*).
- 26 construct new closet, new doors, steel pole (black), full-length shelf, painted gwb and trim to match
- 27 construct new bathroom, fixture selection by owner, wood vanity with stone counter, undermount sink, tile walls and floor, painted gwb ceiling, patined wood trim (match existing).
- 28 new laundry, provide power/water/venting for washer/dryer (appliances by owner), new laundry sink in wood cabinet and stone top. tile floor, walls to 4', painted gwb remaining walls, ceiling and trim.
- 29 construct new closet, new doors, steel pole (black), full-length shelf, painted gwb and trim to match existina
- 30 construct new stair to match existing stair treads/risers/railing
- 31 *new "prism" separator for units. either glass, clear plexiglass or frosted plexiglass. fasten to exiting structure (confirm loading and deflection) w/ cr laurence glass clips, channels, angles (black), seal edges with rigid silicone gaskets (CRL EZC 112-XCP5, sized per glass thickness, this number is for 12 cc). see a3.0.
- 32 reinforce floor as required for prism dead loads. limit deflection to 3/8" total.
- 33 patch/match existing roof as required to make watertight
- 34 Install detector, smoke (SD) or Carbon Monoxide (CO)

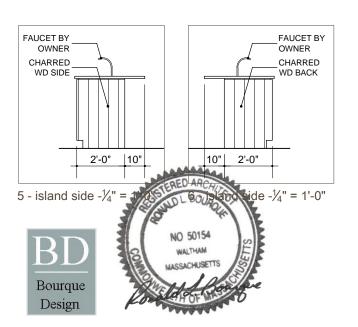


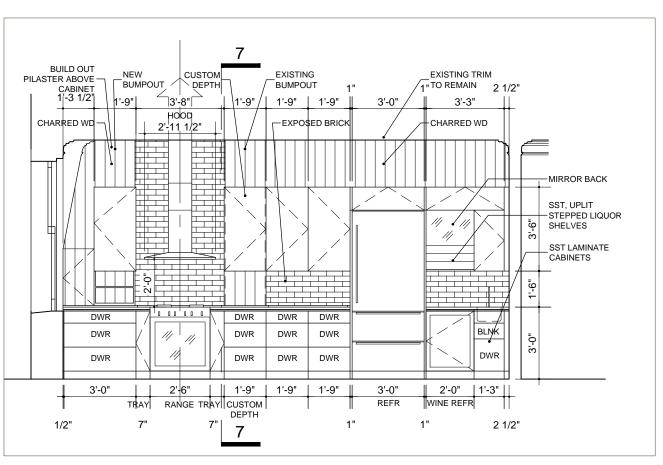
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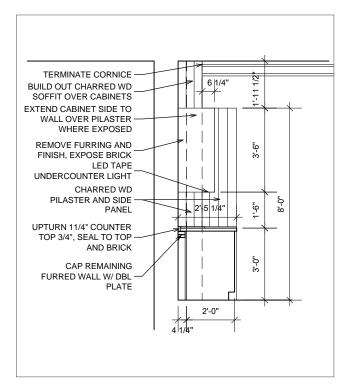
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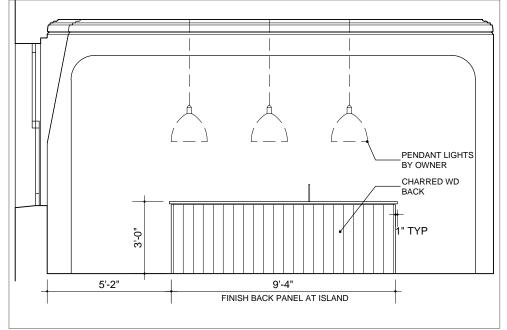


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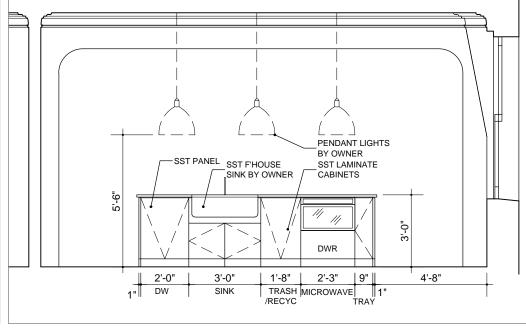




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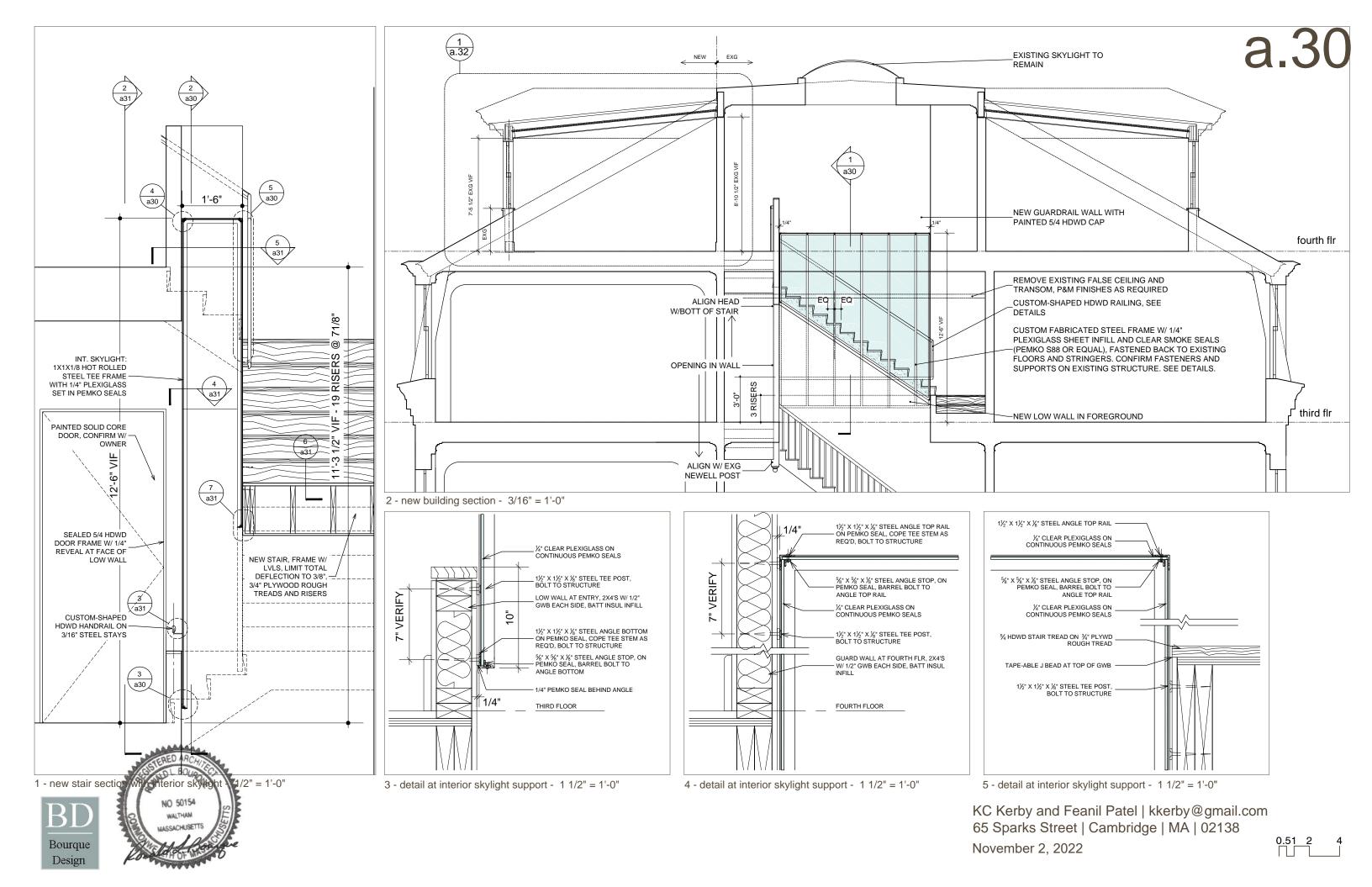
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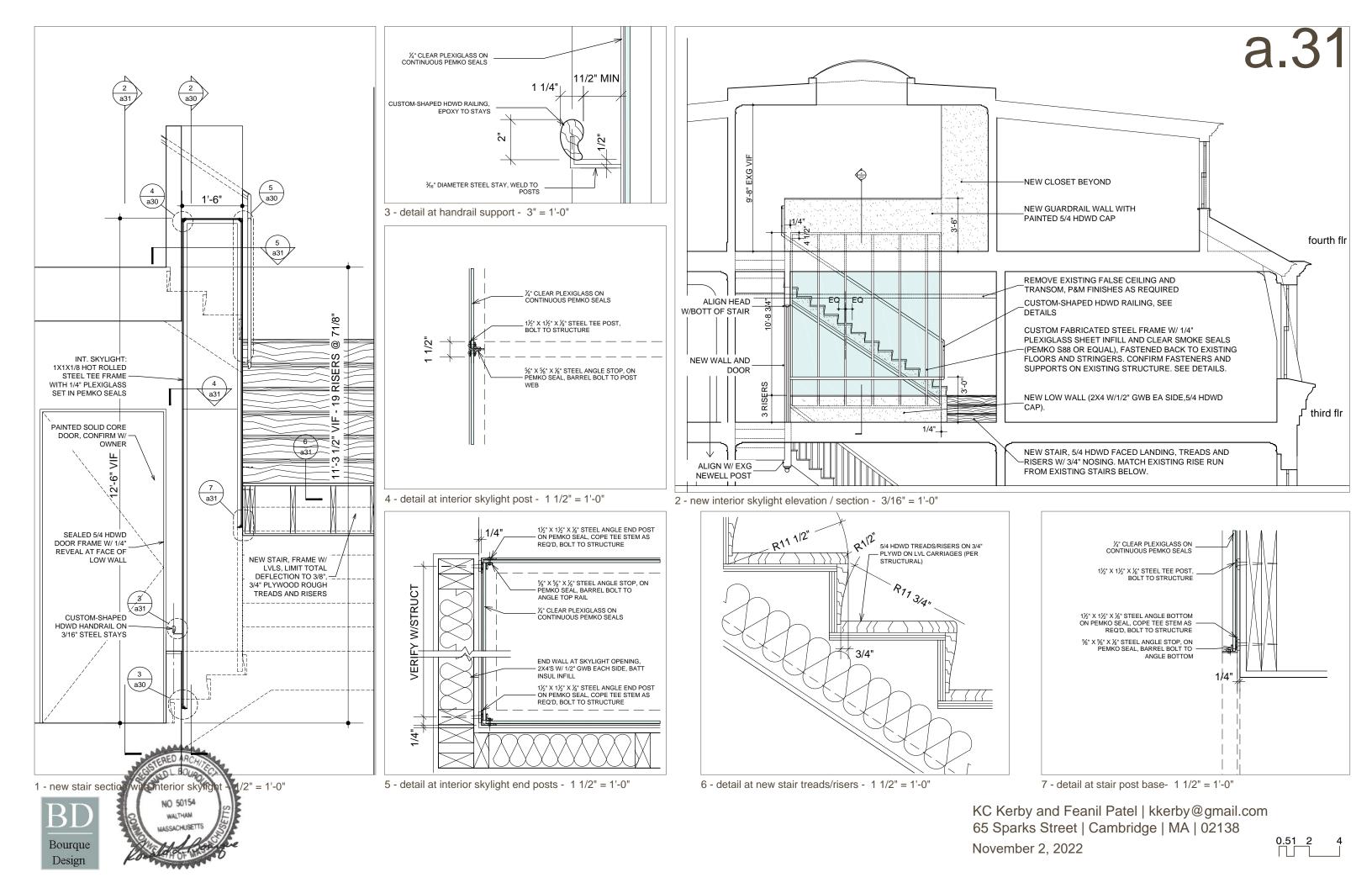


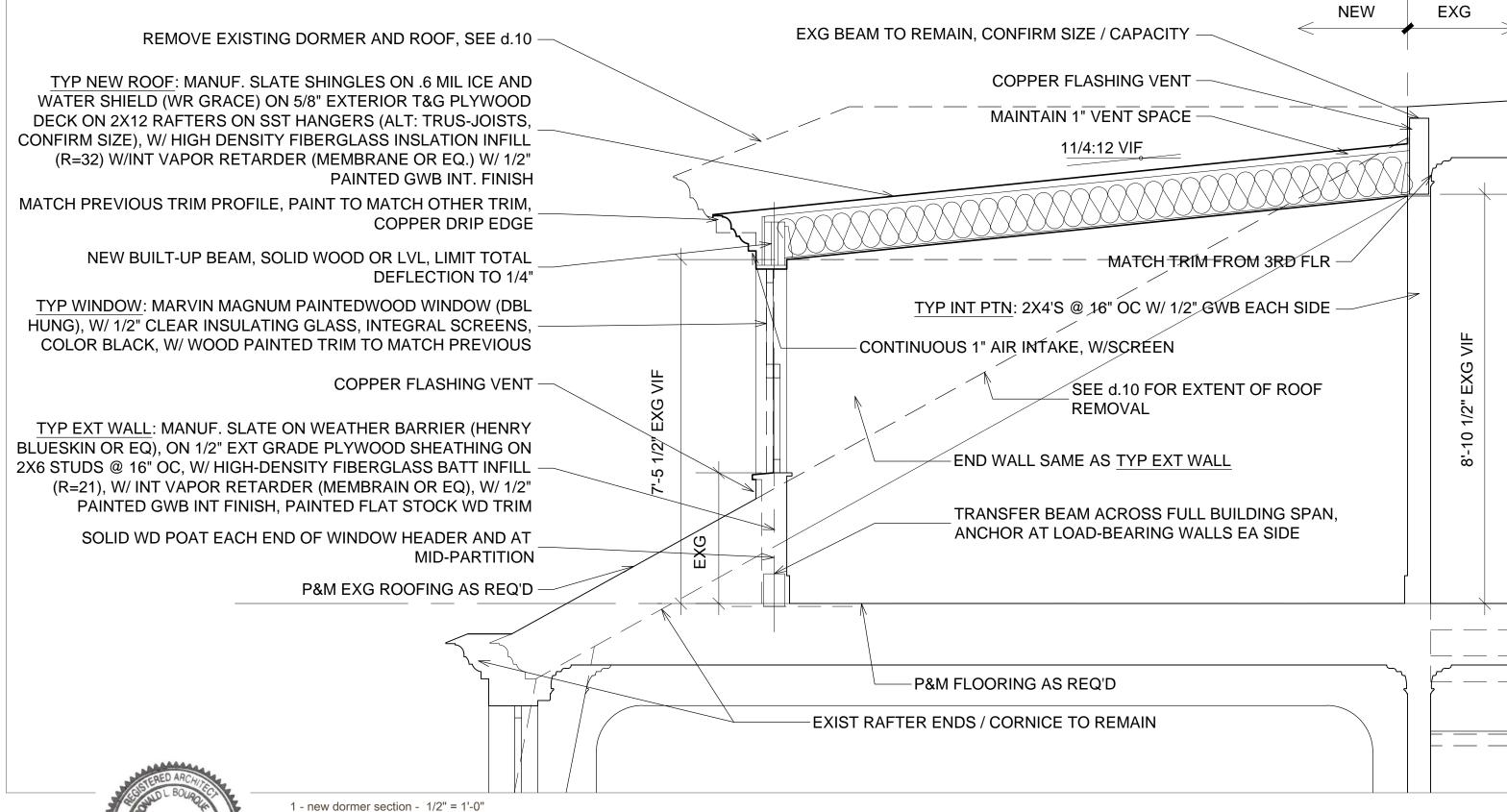
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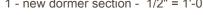


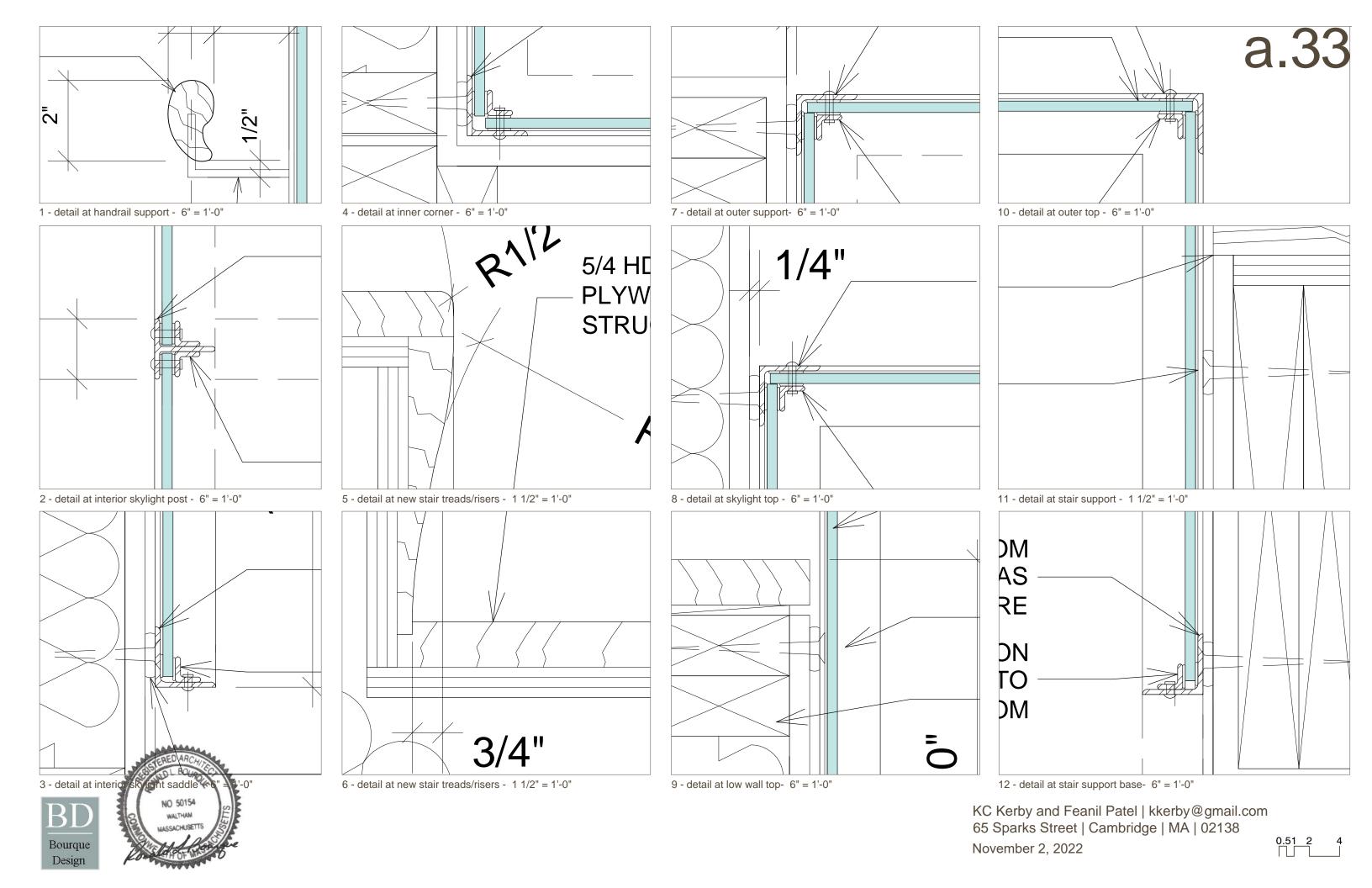




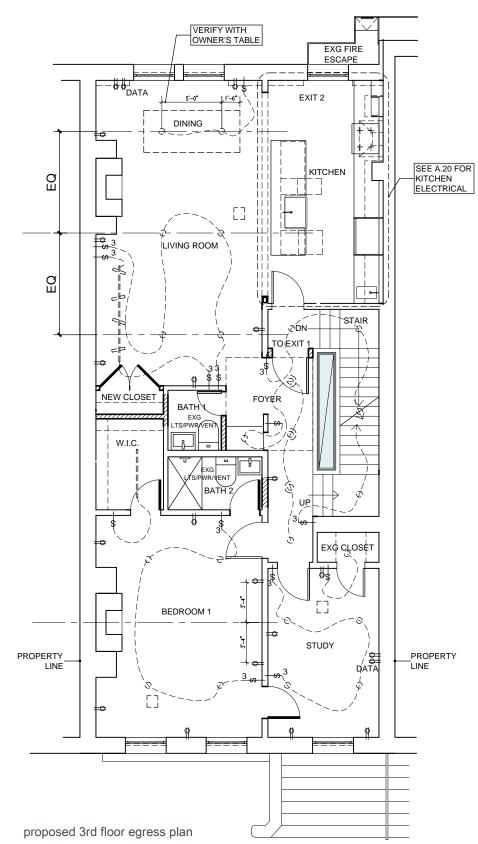




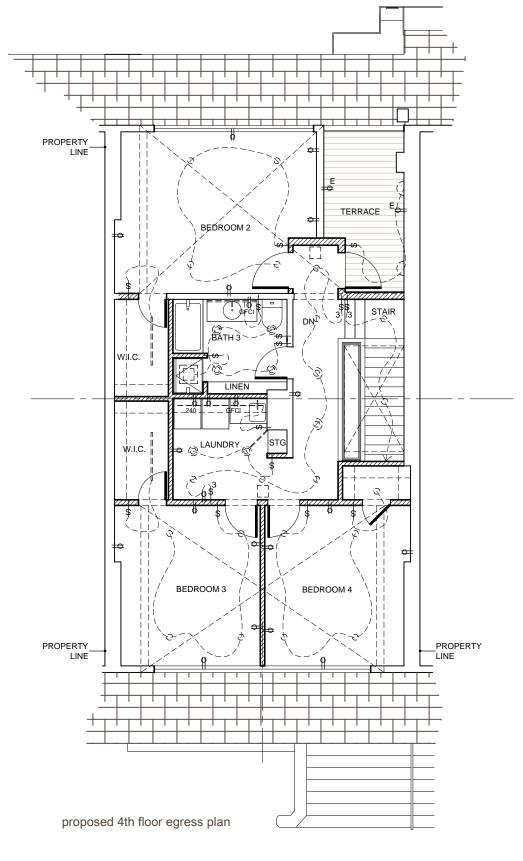






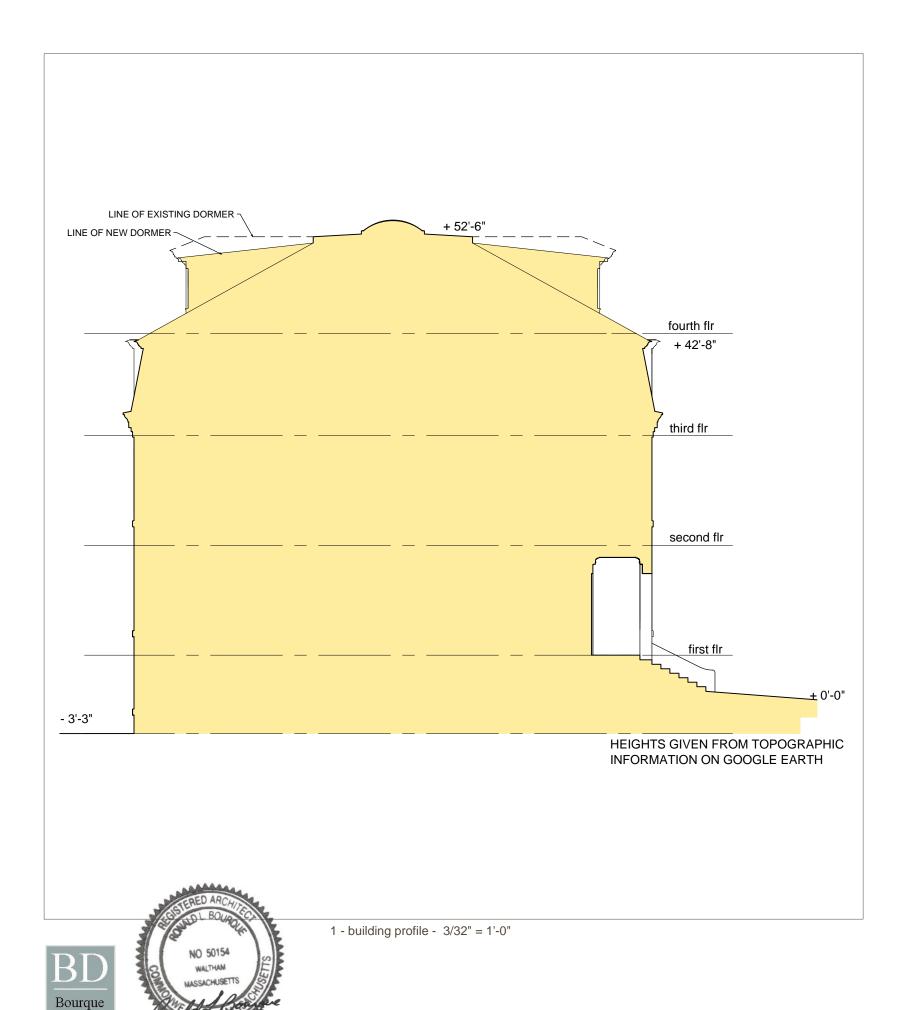


ELEC SYMBOLS KEY			
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	LINEAR LED		
	SWITCH		
-• 3	3-WAY SWITCH		
=	OUTLET		
= DATA	TEL/DATA OUTLET		
	GROUND FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPT		
E ⇒	EXTEROR GROUND FAUL CIRCUIT INTERRUPT		
٥	6" FLUSH LED PUCK LIGH		
<u></u>	6" FLUSH PUCK LED WALI ADJUSTABLE LIGHT		
Q	6" FLUSH PUCK LED SEALED LIGHT		
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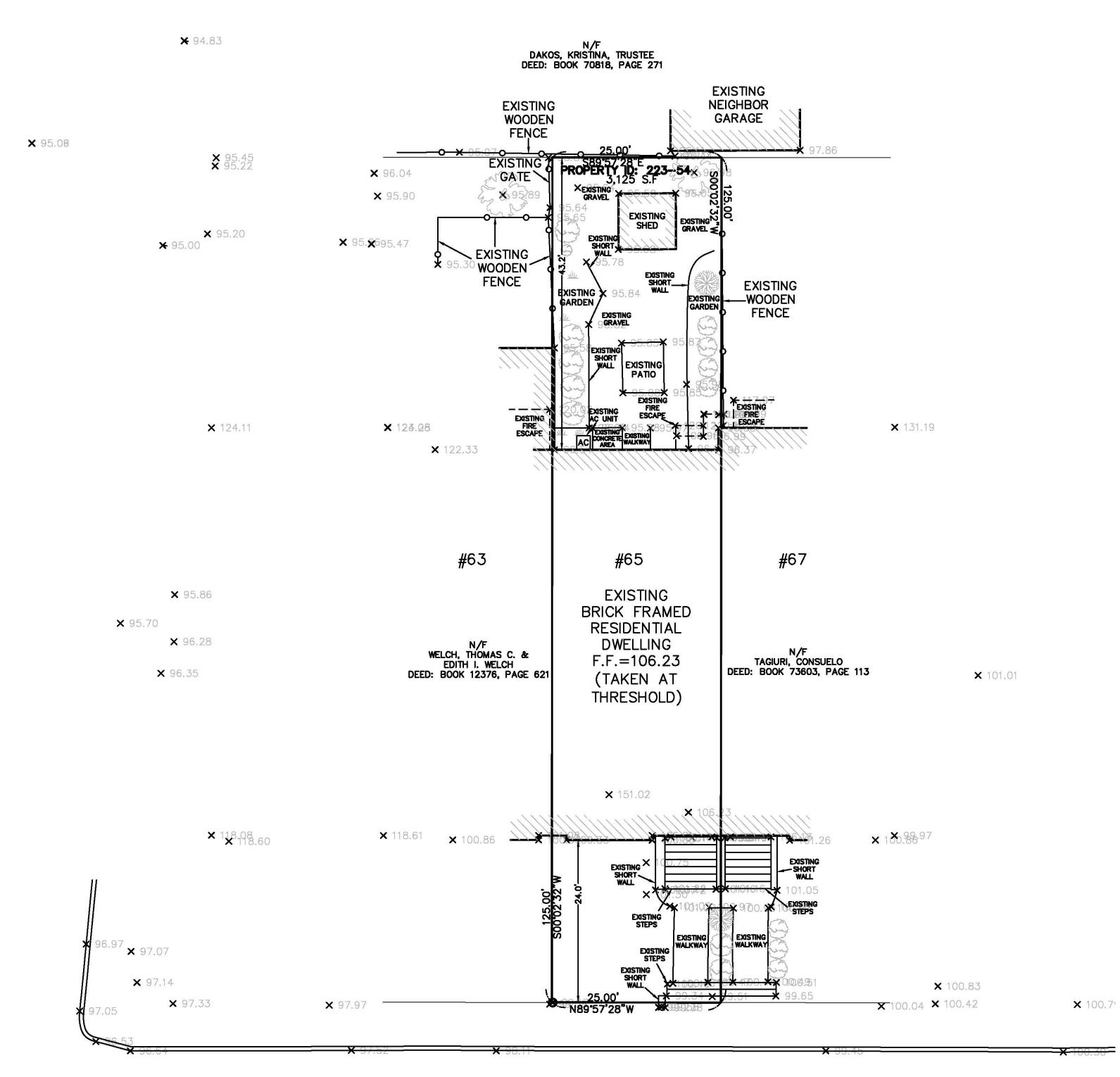








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0	BOLLARD	
S	SEWER MANHOLE	
0	DRAIN MANHOLE	
H	CATCH BASIN	
(W	WATER MANHOLE	
X	WATER VALVE	
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(A)	MANHOLE	
X 148.00	SPOT GRADE	
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SPARKS STREET

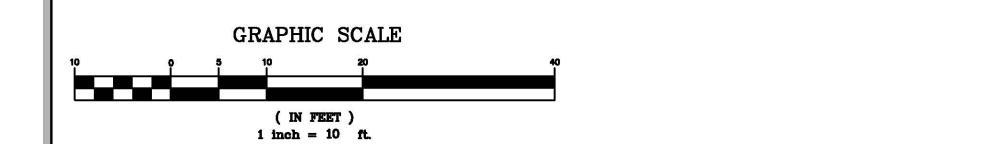
(PUBLIC WAY - 40' WIDE)

× 99.50

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IRON ROD FOUND



NOTES:

1. INFORMATION SHOWN ON THIS PLAN IS THE RESULT OF A FIELD SURVEY PERFORMED BY SPRUHAN ENGINEERING, P.C. AS OF 07/16/2022.

2. DEED REFERENCE: BOOK 78390, PAGE 526
PLAN REFERENCE 1: BOOK 288 PAGE 46
PLAN REFERENCE 2: BOOK 255 OF 2002
PLAN REFERENCE 3: PLAN 49 OF 1999
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MIDDLESEX SOUTH DISTRICT REGISTRY OF DEEDS

3. THIS PLAN IS NOT INTENDED TO BE RECORDED.

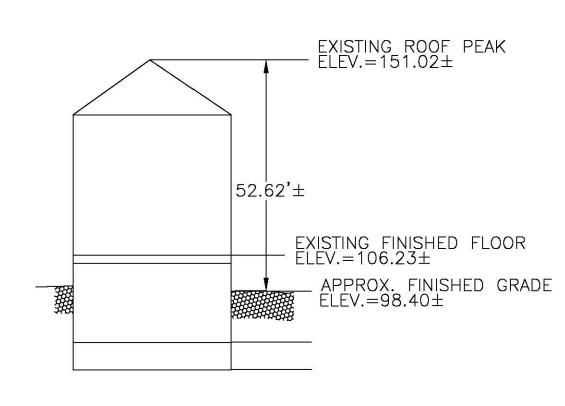
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5. THIS PLAN DOES NOT SHOW ANY UNRECORDED OR UNWRITTEN EASEMENTS WHICH MAY EXIST. A REASONABLE AND DILIGENT ATTEMPT HAS BEEN MADE TO OBSERVE ANY APPARENT USES OF THE LAND; HOWEVER THIS NOT CONSTITUTE A GUARANTEE THAT NO SUCH EASEMENTS EXIST.

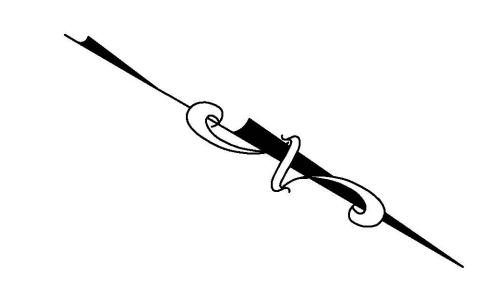
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7. NO RESPONSIBILITY IS TAKEN FOR ZONING TABLE AS SPRUHAN ENGINEERING, P.C. ARE NOT ZONING EXPERTS. TABLE IS TAKEN FROM TABLE PROVIDED BY LOCAL ZONING ORDINANCE. CLIENT AND/OR ARCHITECT TO VERIFY THE ACCURACY OF ZONING ANALYSIS.

- 8. THE ELEVATIONS SHOWN ARE ON AN ASSUMED DATUM.
- 9. ZONING DISTRICT: A-2 RESIDENCE A-2, LOT WAS CEATED BEFORE 1953



EXISTING PROFILE NOT TO SCALE





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65 SPARKS STREET CAMBRIDGE MASSACHUSETTS

SURVEY PLAN

REVISION BLOCK

DESCRIPTION	DATE

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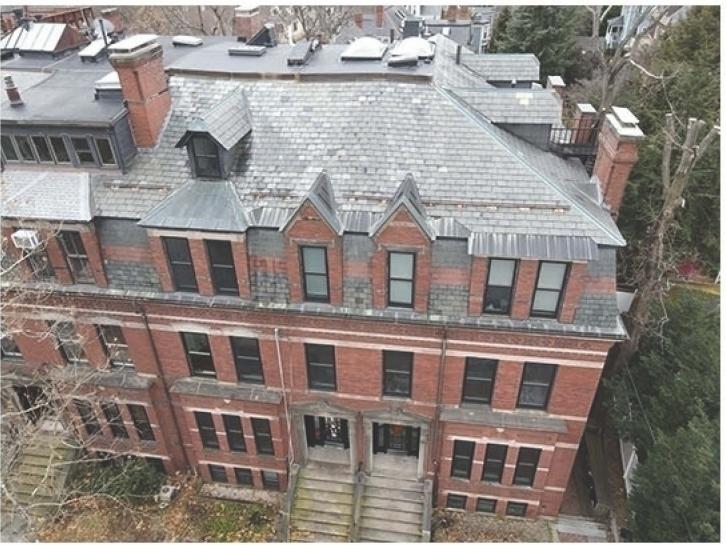
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PLOT PLAN OF LAND

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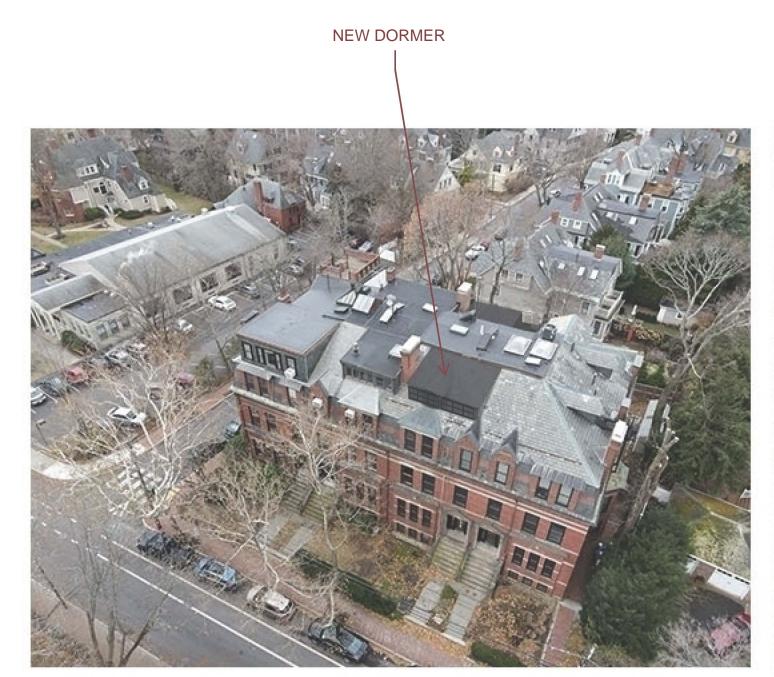
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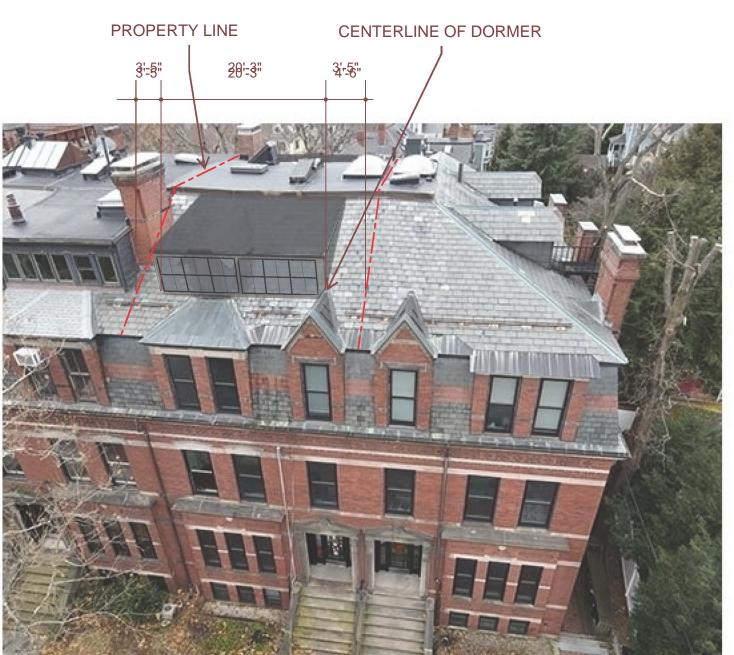
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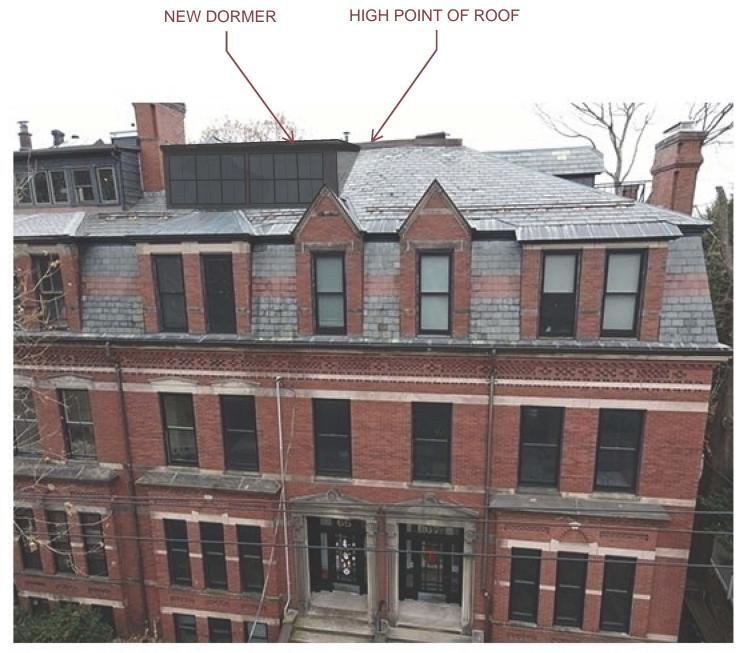
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4 - VIEW FROM NORTHEAST CORNER WITH DORMER



5 - VIEW FROM FRONT YARD WITH DORMER



6 - VIEW UP TO ROOF WITH DORMER



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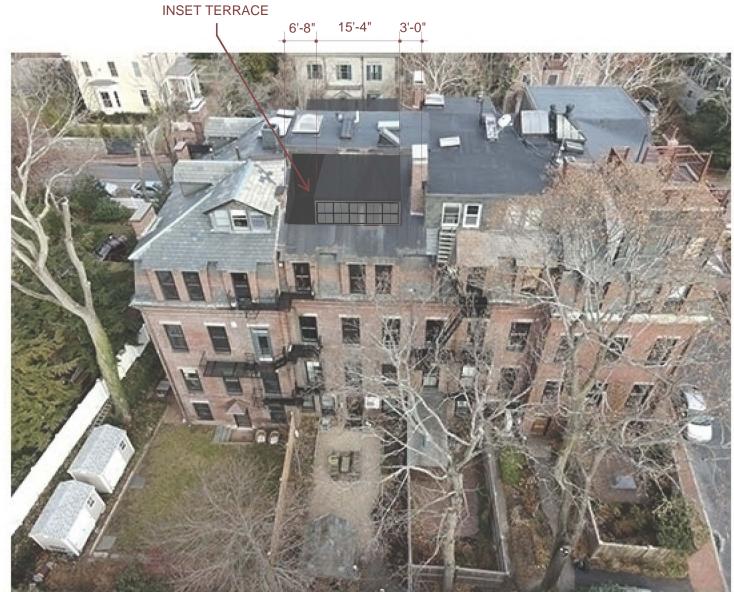
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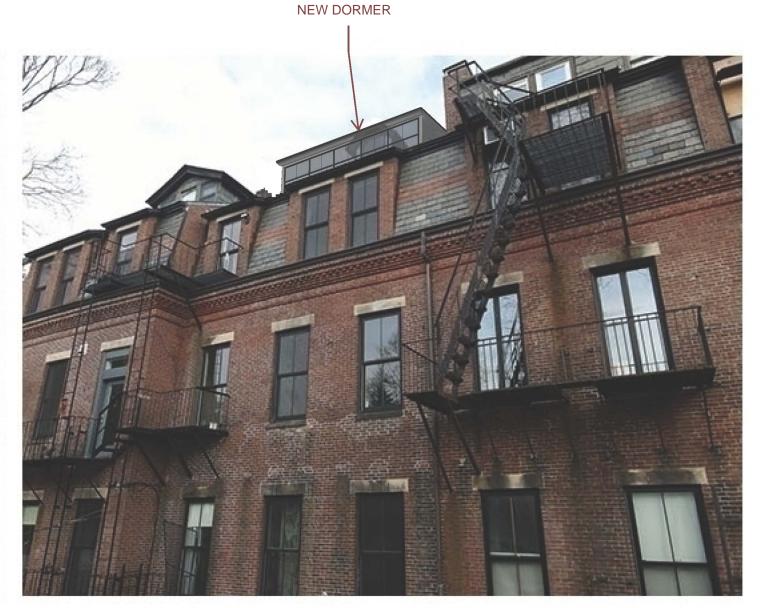
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4 - NORTHWEST CORNER WITH DORMER / TERRACE



5 - REAR YARD WEST VIEW WITH DORMER / TERRACE



6 - REAR YARD VIEW UP WITH DORMER / TERRACE



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EXHIBIT-2 VIEW FROM REAR YARD

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1 - VIEW OF DORMER FROM SPARKS STREET, FRONT YARD



2 - VIEW OF DORMER FROM BACK YARD AT 65 SPARKS STREET



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65 SPARKS STREET KC AND FEANIL PATEL 27 FEB 2022 January 2, 2023

Re: Case #206407 - 65 Sparks Street top floor renovation

We are writing in support of the above captioned project. From 2009 - 2021, we lived in #2 at 65 Sparks Street as renters, and since 2021, we own and are renovating #3 for our residence at 63 Sparks Street. We're very familiar with the neighborhood and the rowhouse buildings. We are committed to keeping it a nice place to live. Because it is a collection of flats, the row is a bit of an anomally amongst all the larger homes in the area. It is nice that the new owners at #65 are keeping it as flats. We like the diversity it brings.

It always seemed a little unfair that #65 hadn't put dormers on the top - the rest of the row has done, so in fact this renovation will bring it into harmony with the other three townhouses in the row. It will also be good because the roof at #65 is at present in terrible condition. To fix it will alleviate the terrible ice problem that builds up because at present the roof isn't insulated - and all that ice lands from time to time on the front and back entries of the building. After many years of DIY interventions by the previous owner, it is great to see the building get professional attention at last.

Our buildings at 61-67 Sparks are a unique address in West Cambridge. When you say you live at that address, everyone seems to know and love the the buildings. The proposed changes will leave them just as charming. They will make a great difference to the comfort of the building for the inhabitants of the third floor at #65. As is, it really isn't big enough for a family, and renovated as proposed, it will be. There isn't a problem for parking, if that is a concern? In this area of Sparks there is plenty of curb space.

We support a decision to grant a permit for the Patels' project. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Toni Lee and Charles de Lantsheere

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> CHARLES AND TONI LEE DE LANTSHEERE 63 Sparks Street, Cambridge MA 02138

Letter of Support

David Stang <daviddstang@gmail.com>
Mon 1/2/2023 3:58 PM
To: Adam Dash <dash@adamdashlaw.com>
Cc: feanil@gmail.com <feanil@gmail.com>
Dear Mr. Dash,

I am writing to add my support to the project currently proposed for 65 Sparks Street, Apt. 4, Cambridge MA 02138 (case number 206407).

As the resident owner of 63 Sparks Street, Apt. 2, I am a direct abutter of the project. I have lived at this address for 27 years, having purchased my apartment in 1996.

Please don't hesitate to let me know if there is any further information you would like from me.

Sincerely,

David D. Stang

proposed renovations for 65 Sparks St. Apt. 4 (case number 206407)

carla procaskey < carla.procaskey@gmail.com> Thu 1/5/2023 12:16 PM To: Adam Dash <dash@adamdashlaw.com> To Whom It May Concern,

We, Tony Flanders and Carla Procaskey, live at 61 Sparks St. #3, part of the four townhouses that comprise 61-67 Sparks St. We have lived at 61 Sparks St for 30 years.

We support the renovations being proposed for 65 Sparks St. Apt 4. The current roofline of the four units (61-67) on Sparks St. is rather haphazard. Since the upper level of these buildings can't be restored to its original configuration, we think the proposed renovations will make the general roofline look more coherent in both the front and back of the building. We think this would be a desirable change.

Carla Procaskey **Tony Flanders**

case number 206407

Richard Hill <richill_53@hotmail.com> Sat 1/7/2023 12:52 PM

To: Adam Dash <dash@adamdashlaw.com>

Hello

My name is Richard Hill. I live at 63 Sparks St, Unit 4, which abuts 65 Sparks St. Apt 4. I have lived here since 1997. I support the proposal for 65 Sparks St Apt 4 (case number 206407).

Cordially, Richard Hill 63 Sparks St, Unit 4 Cambridge, MA 02138

To whom it may concern:

My neighbors KC and Feanil Patel are requesting a variance to construct 2 dormers front and rear at their top-floor property in 65 Sparks St. I have seen the photographs and drawings that are being submitted with this application and write to say that I support the project strongly. The proposed front dormer, in particular, will improve the appearance of the building from the street.

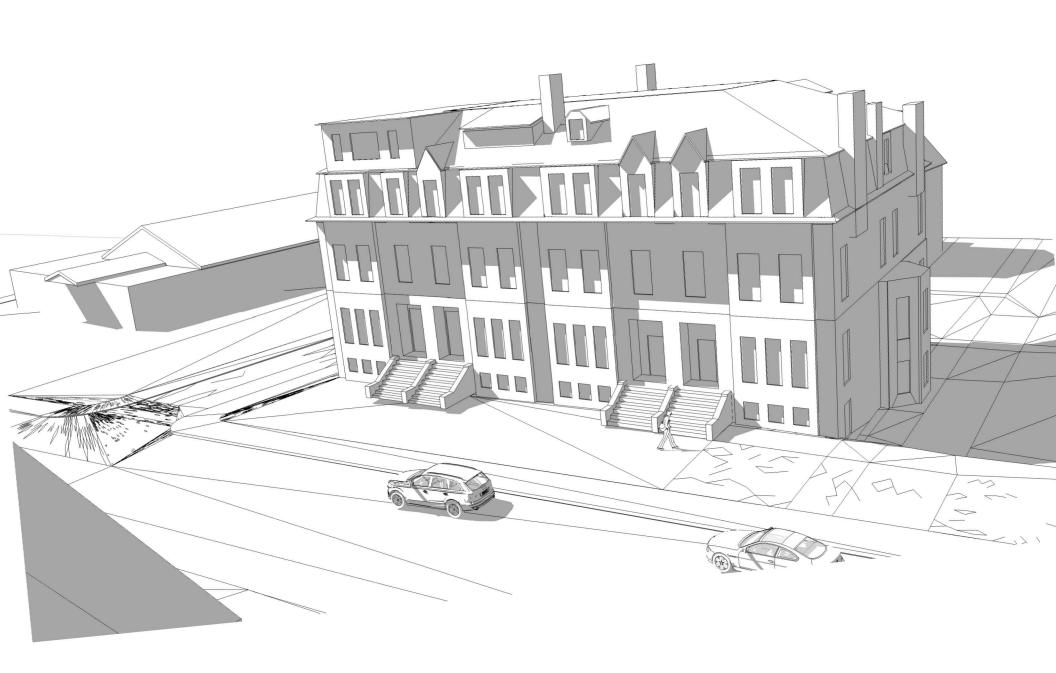
I own and have lived in the top-floor unit of the 61 Sparks Street Condominium since 1974. This apartment was created many years before that by the construction of a shed dormer on front part of the building, and I improved upon that by having similar construction done in the rear. Two years before that, in 1971, 2 dormers were built front and rear on the top floor at 63 Sparks St, when it was converted to a condominium, to create an apartment in what had previously been attic space. The Patel's proposal is very much in keeping with the best use of space in this unique block of buildings.

Respectively submitted,

David H. Evans

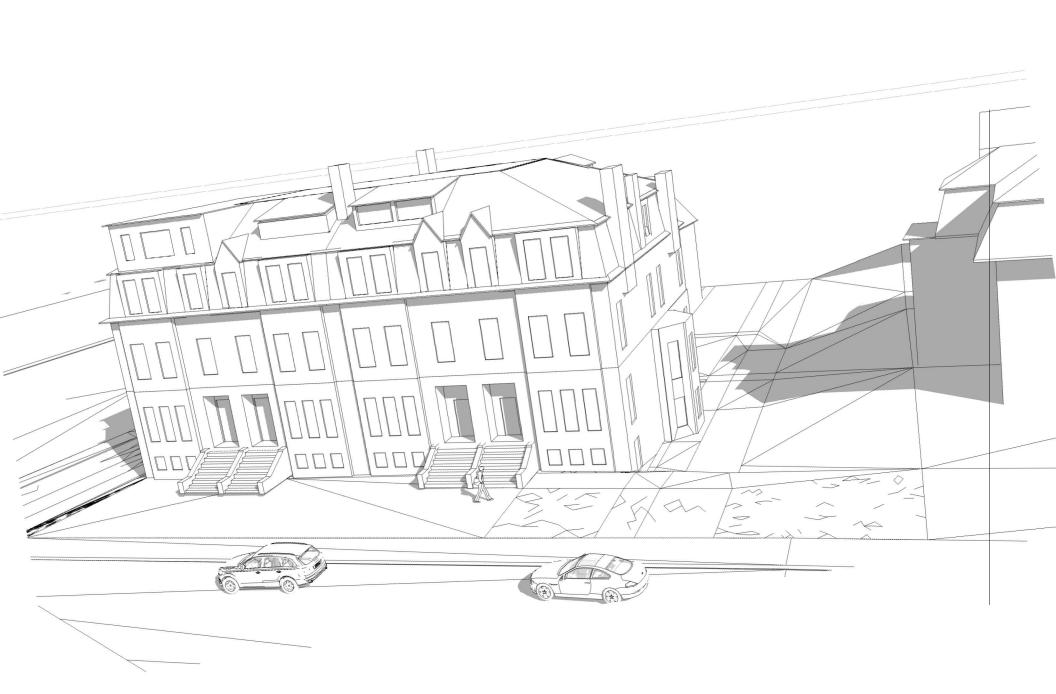
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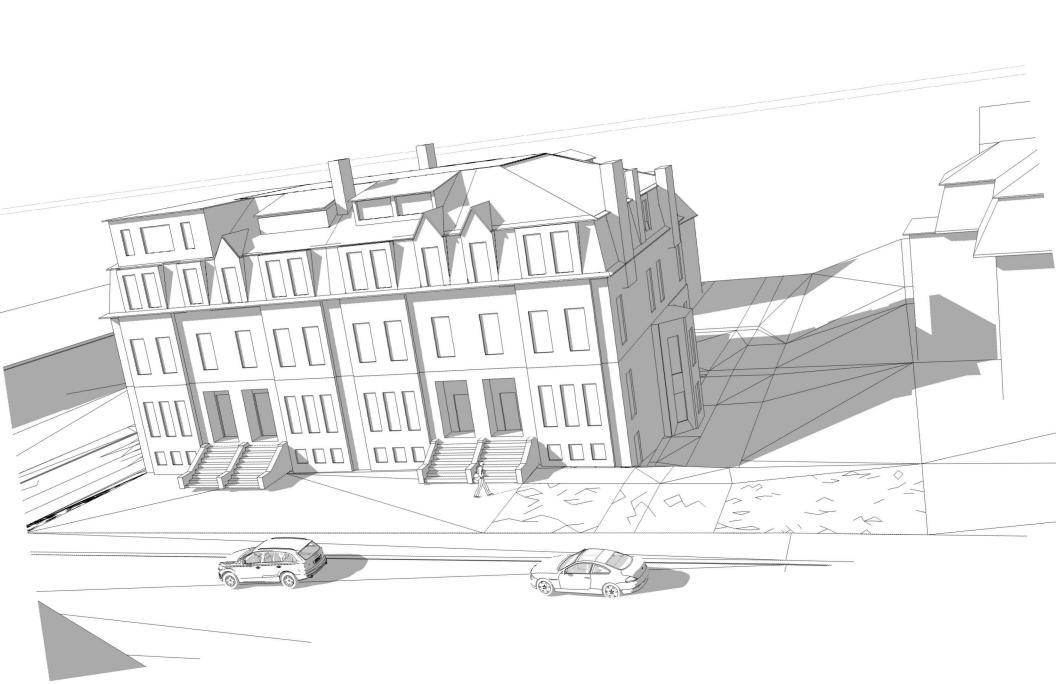


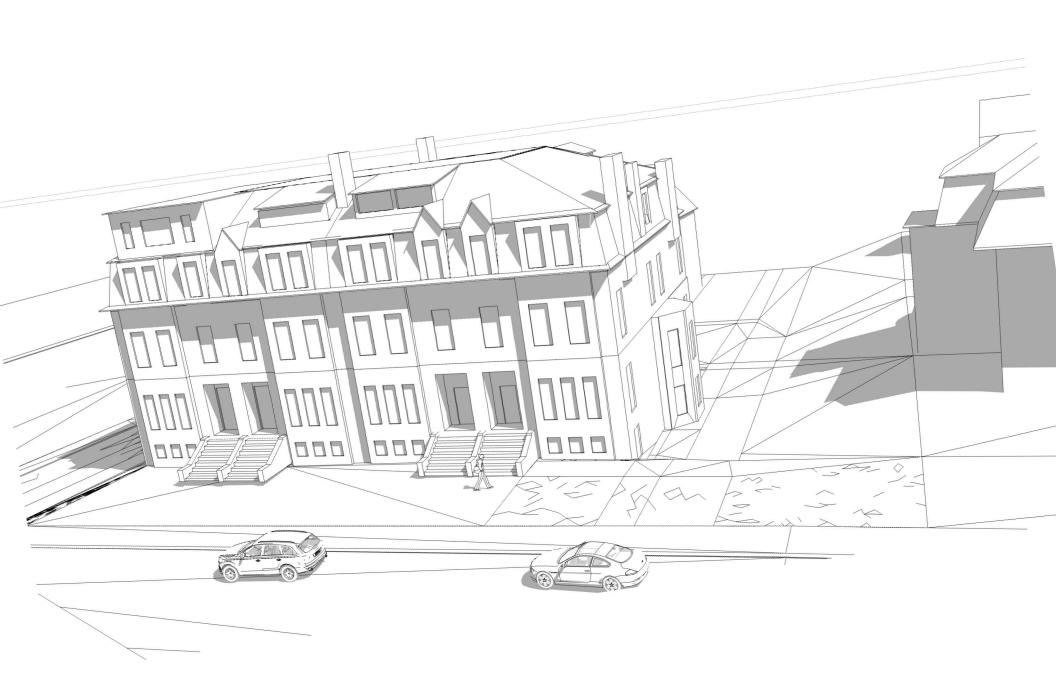




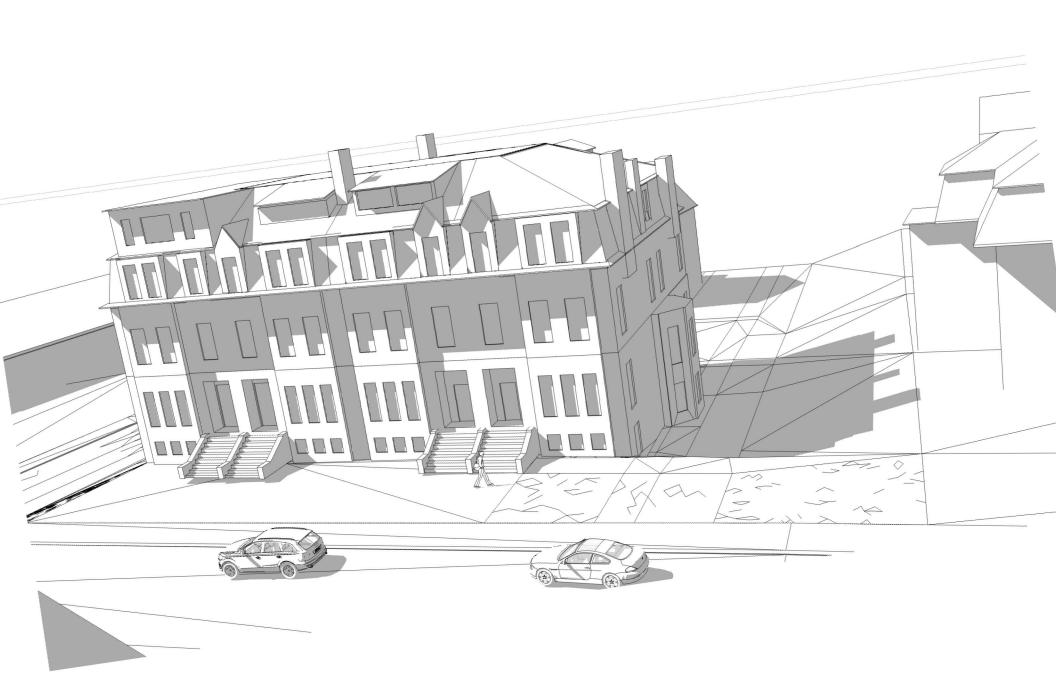


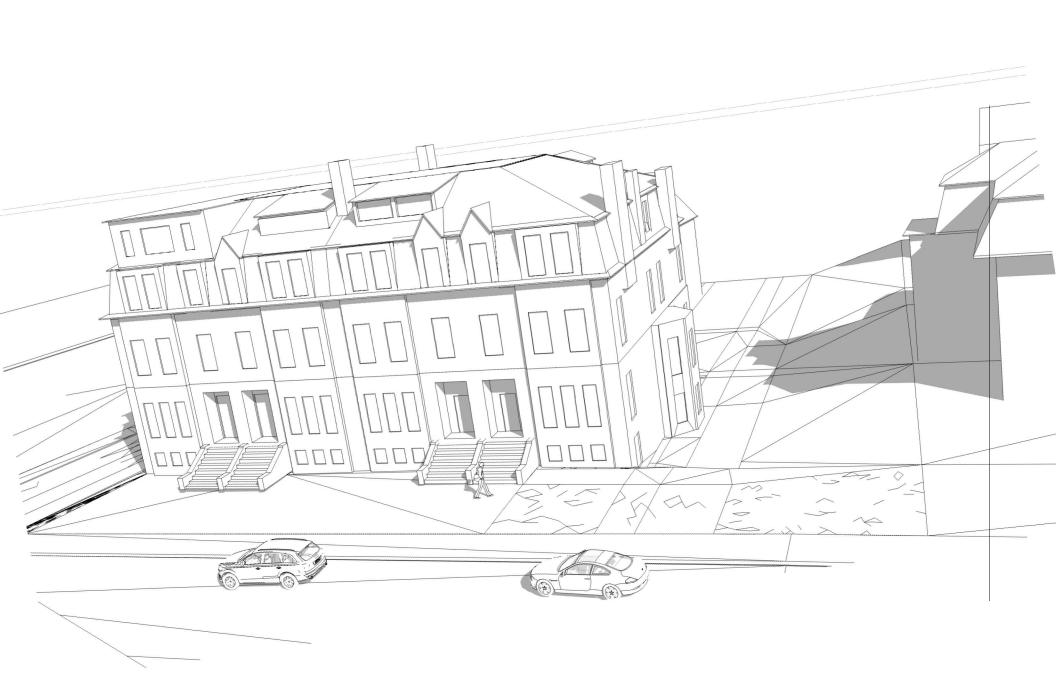


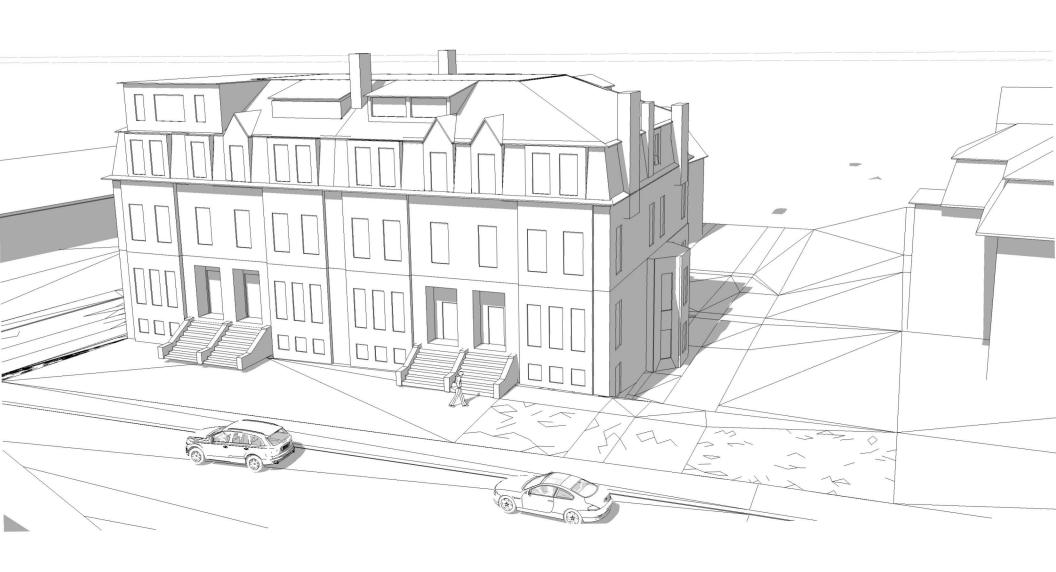


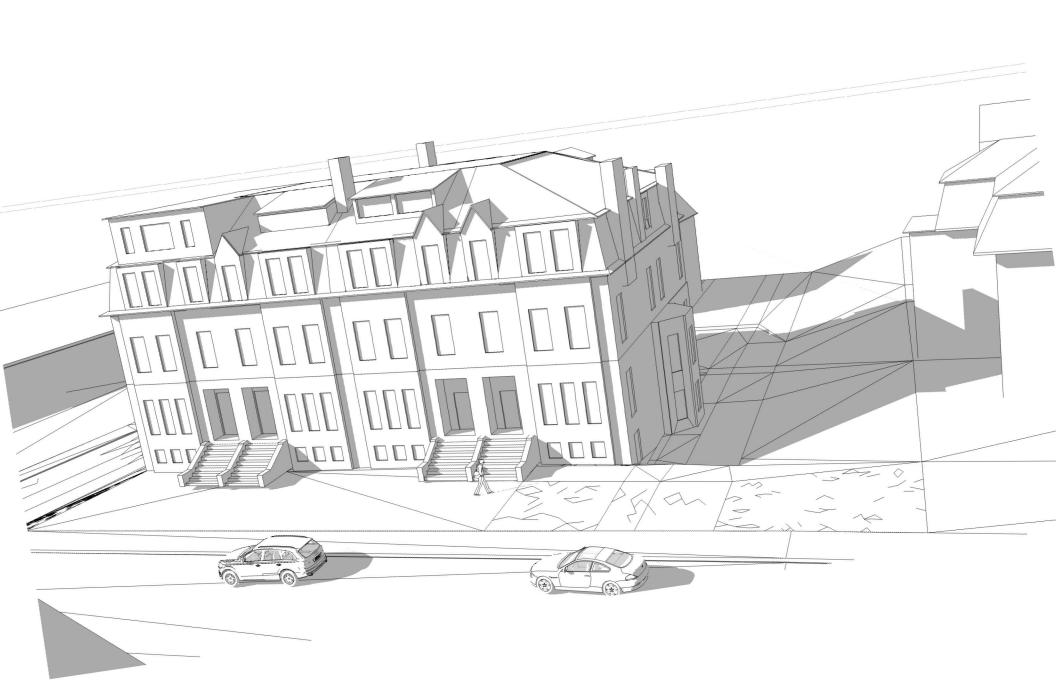


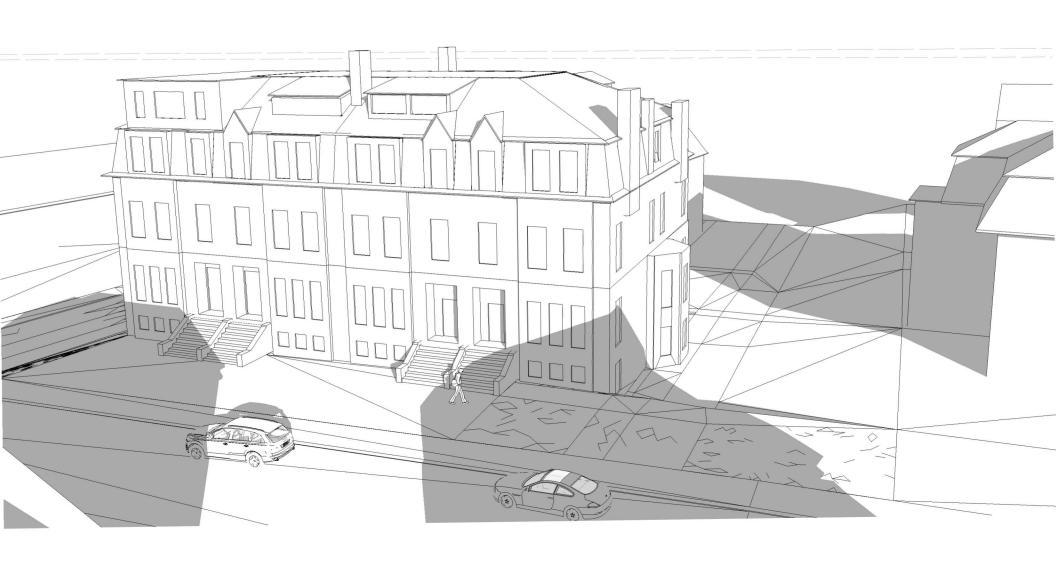


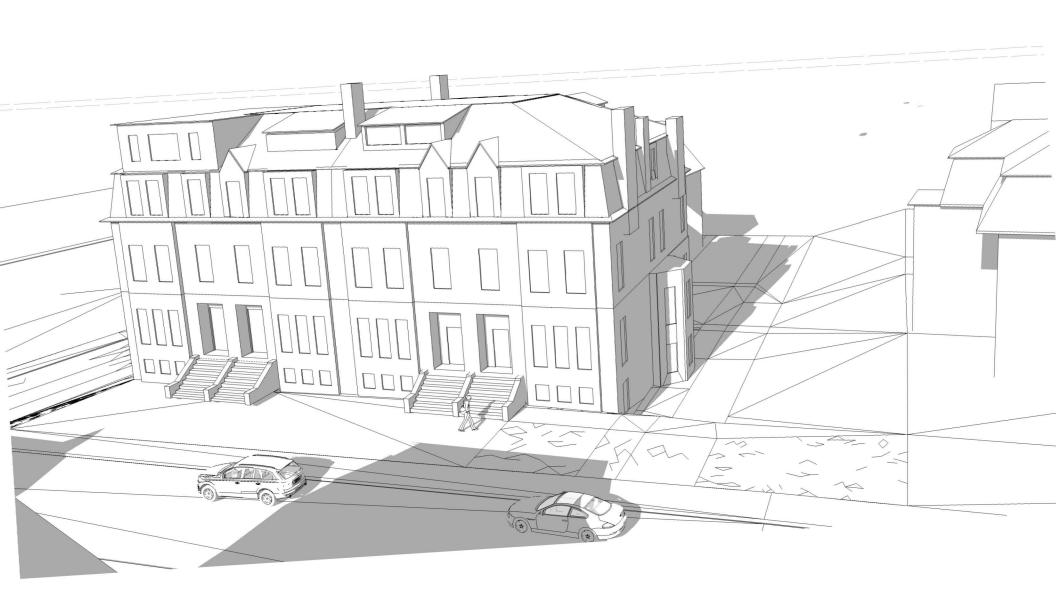


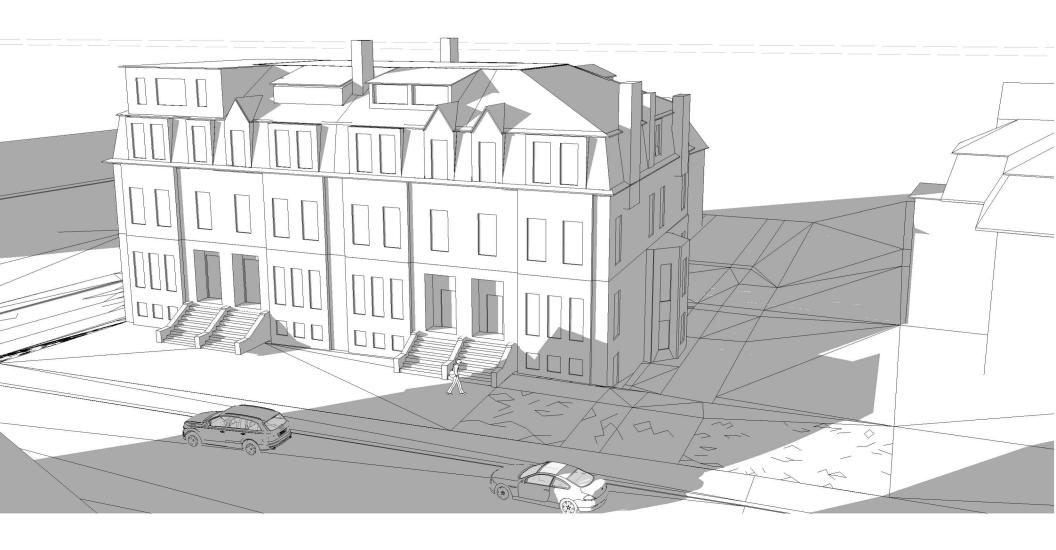


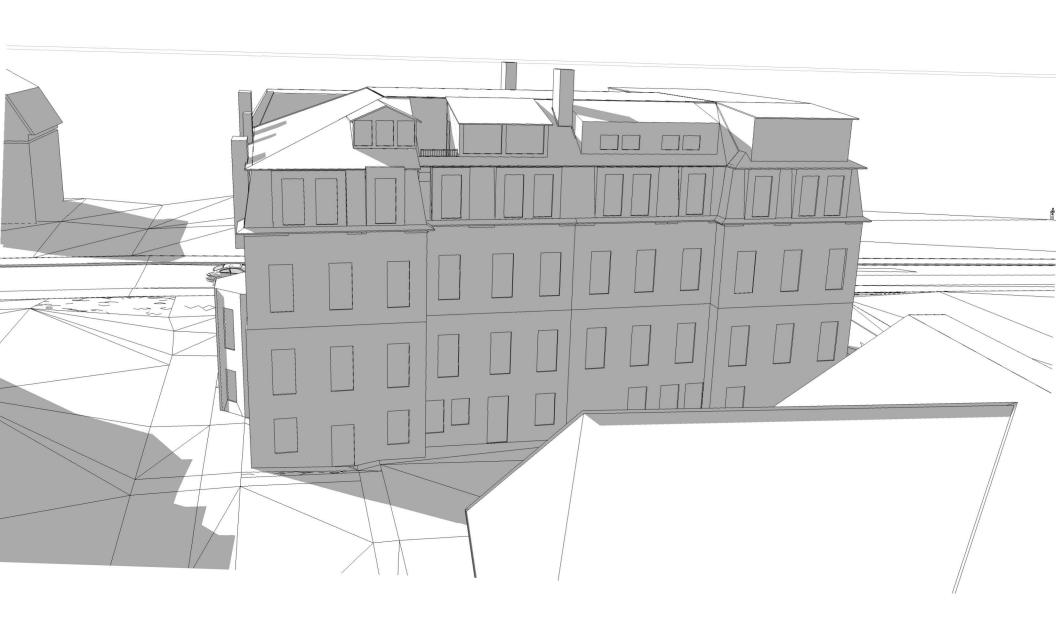


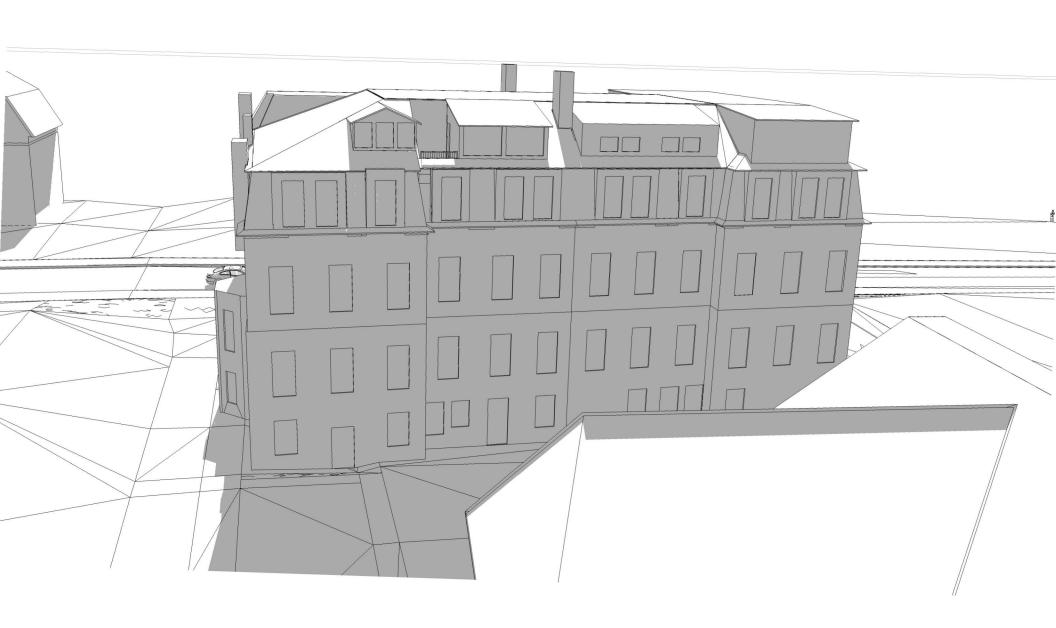


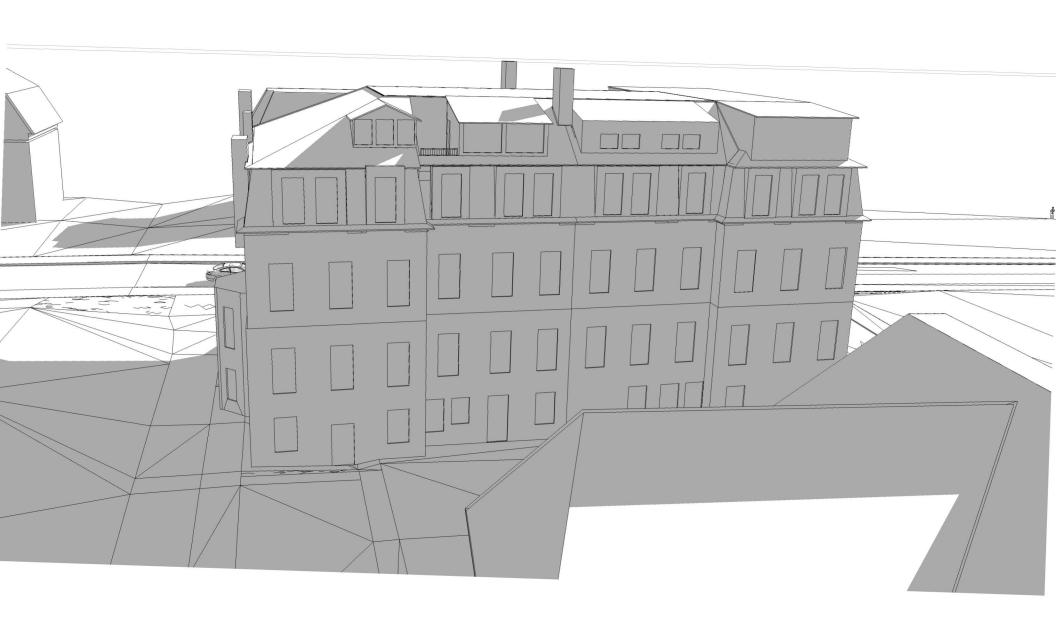


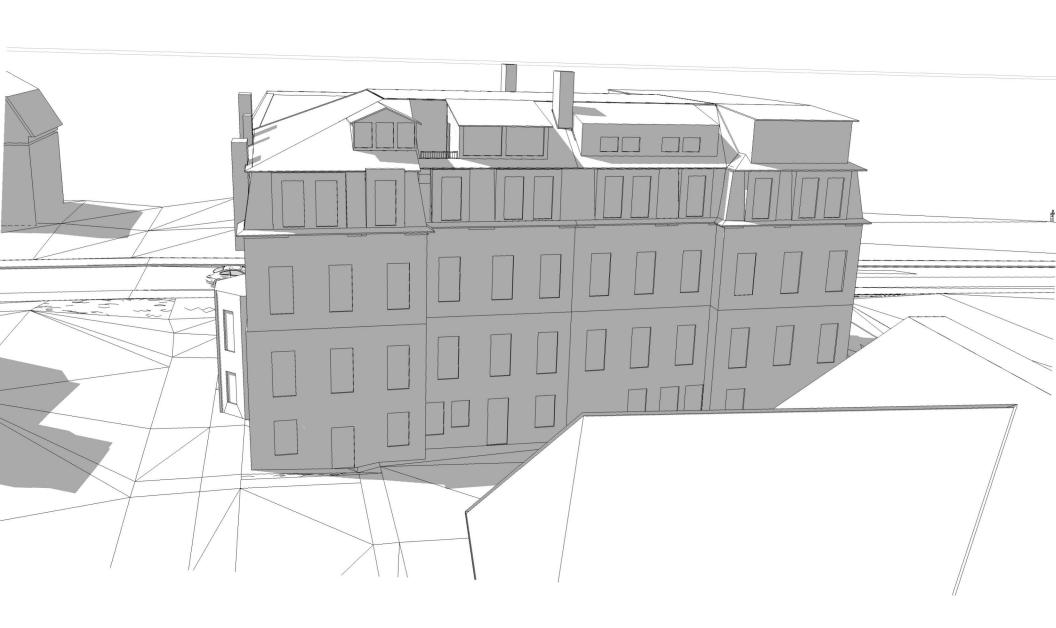


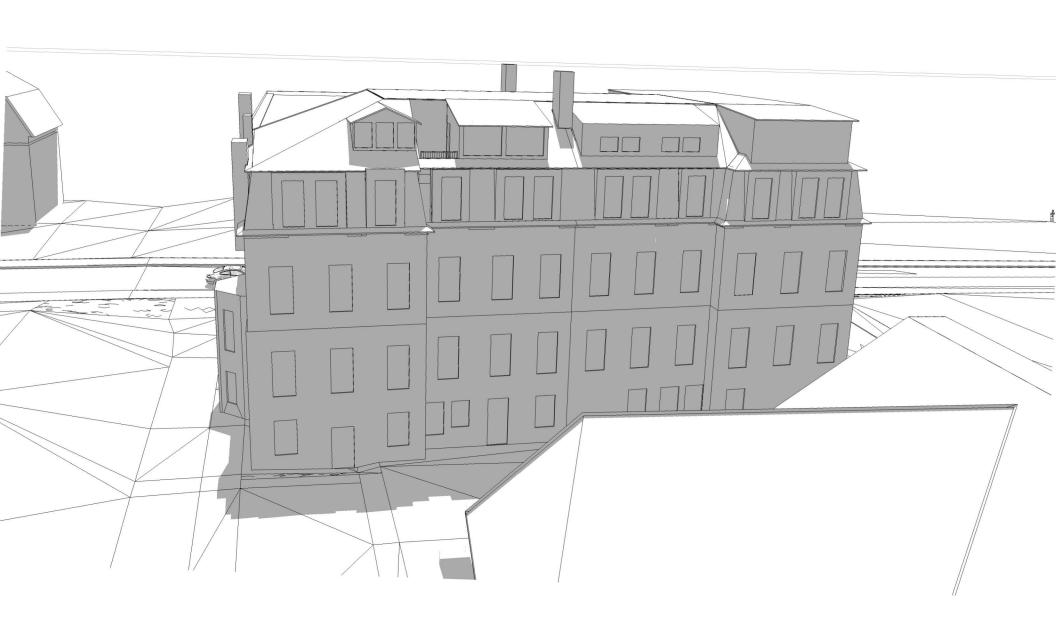


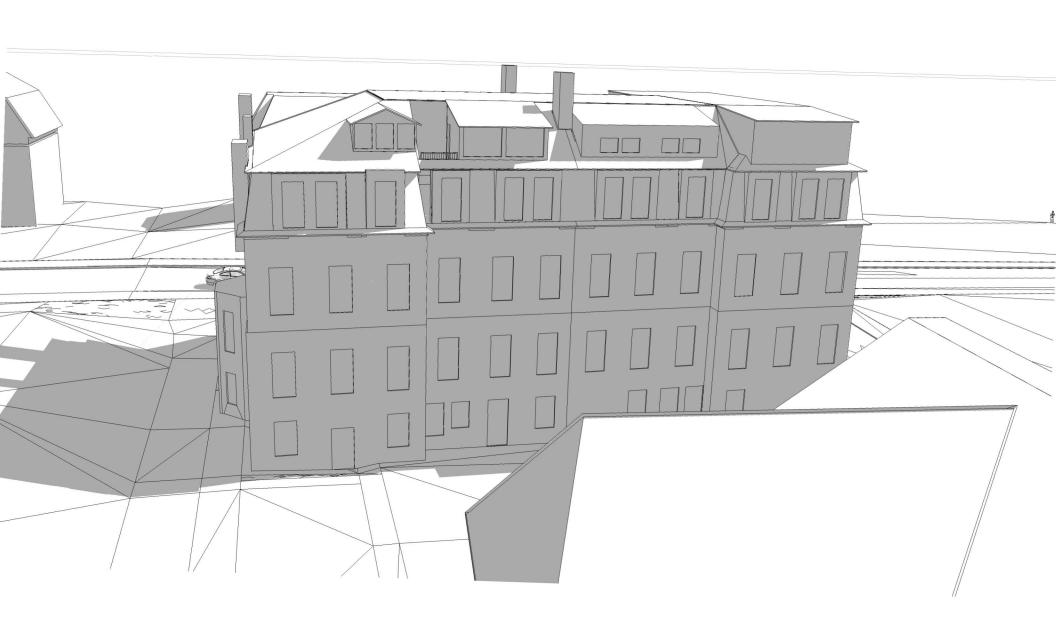


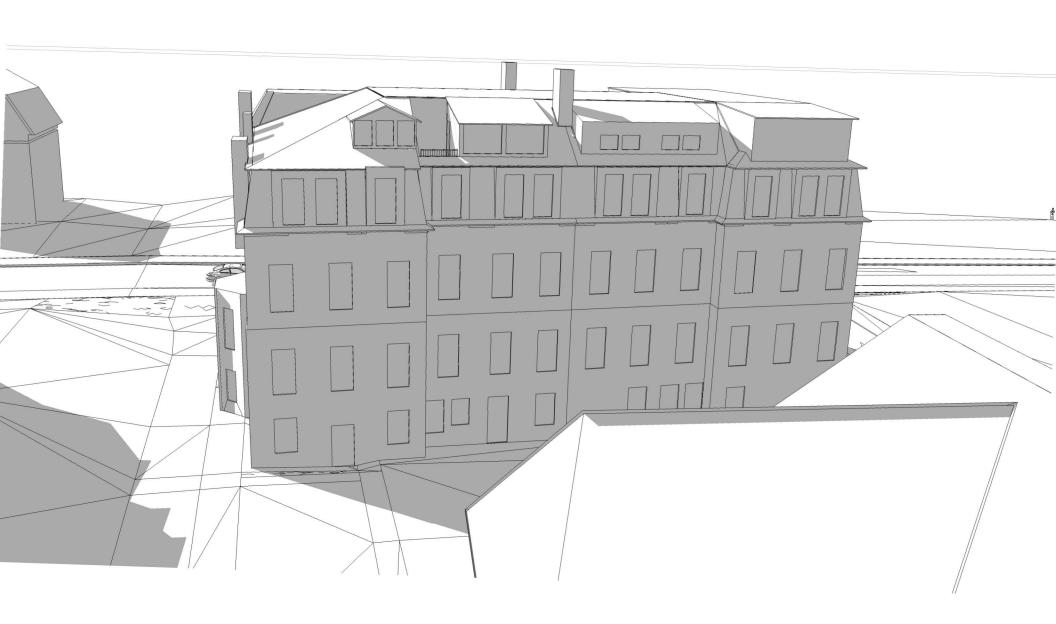


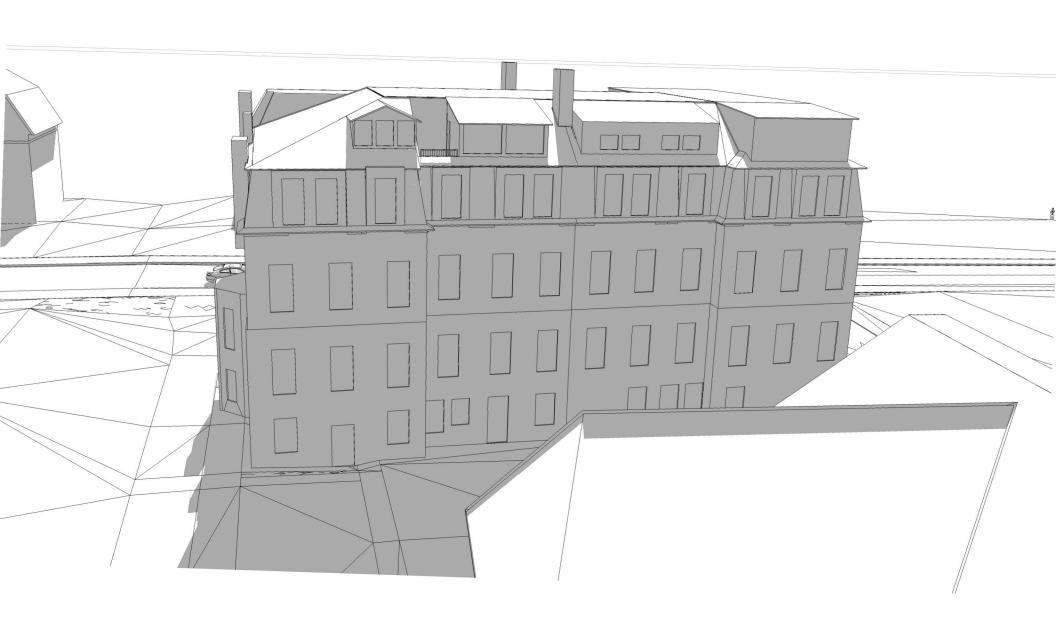


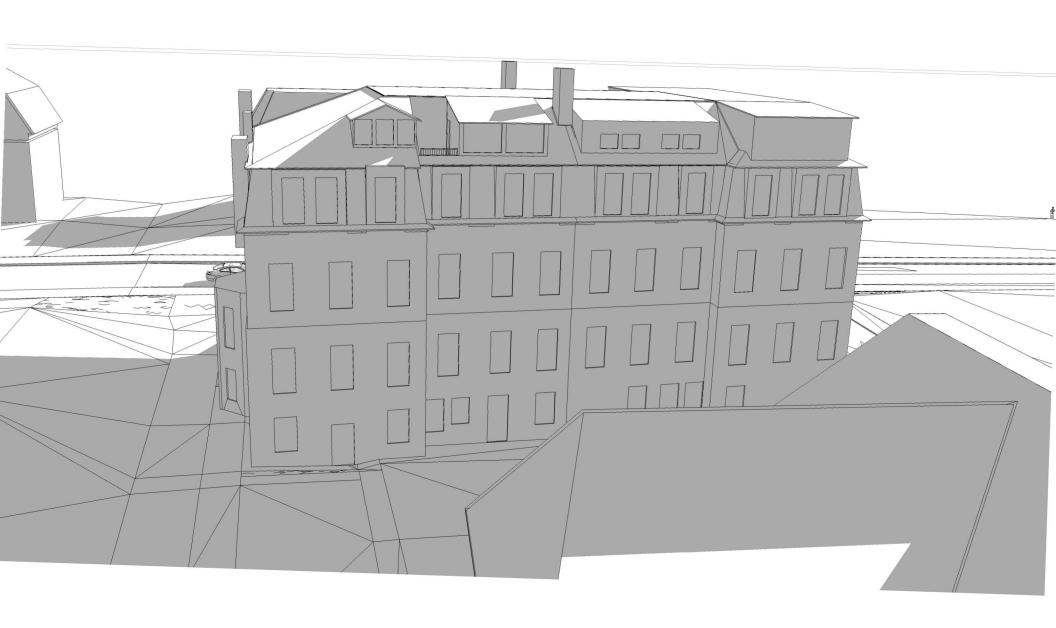


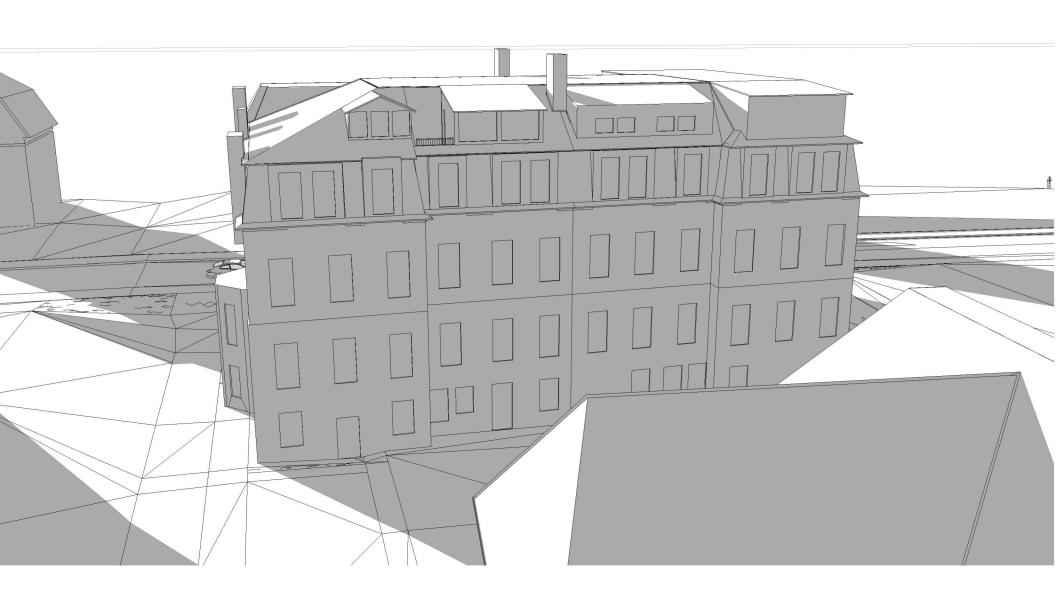


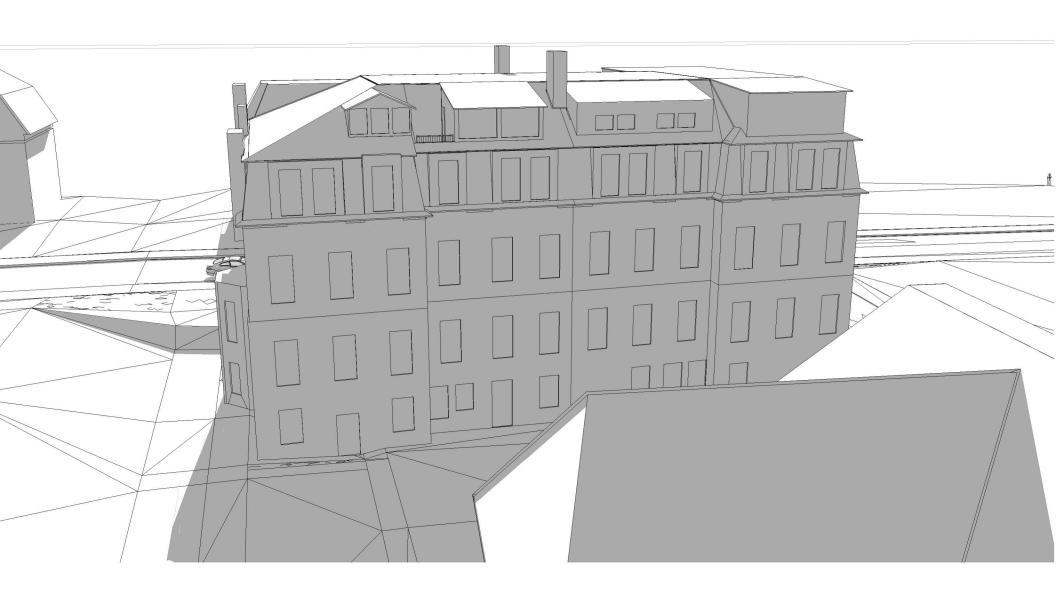


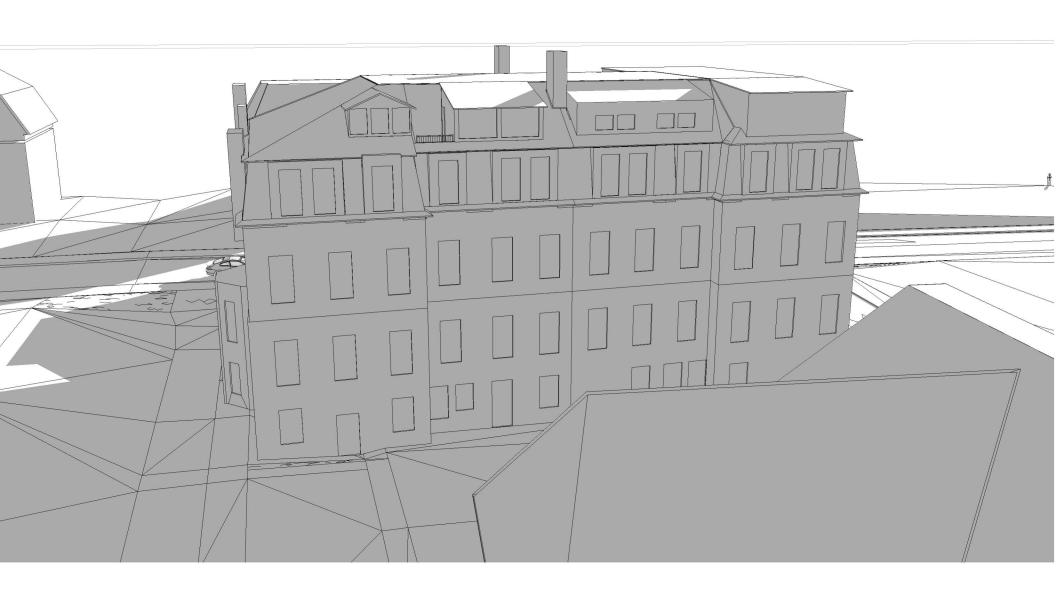


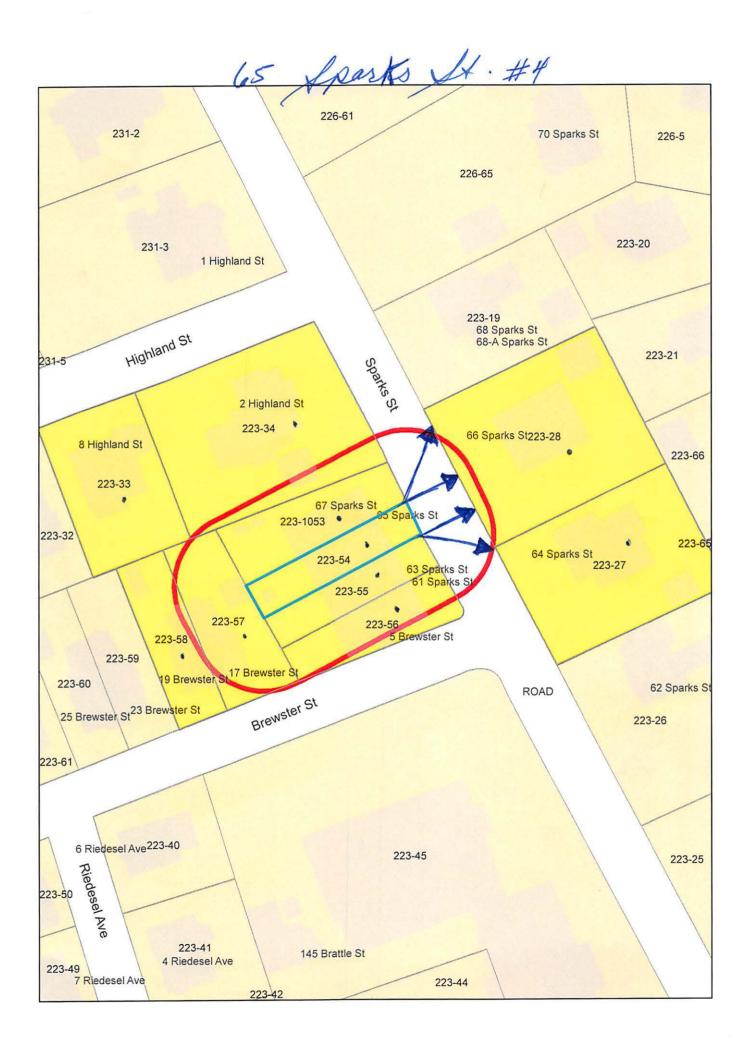












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Jan 27, 2023

To the Cambridge Board of Zoning Appeal:

We have lived in 61 Sparks Street since 1995 and we would like to express our full support for the proposed dormer addition and terrace at 65 Sparks Unit 4 (Case no. BZA-206407). It is in scale with the original building, sensitively done, and a welcome addition to the streetscape.

Sincerely,

Naomi Yang Damon Krukowski