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COMMUNITY MAINTENANCE AND DEVELOPMENT

PUBLIC WORKS: BUILDINGS - HARVARD SQUARE KIOSK AND PLAZA

An allocation of \$2,000,000 will be used to start the construction of the Harvard Square Kiosk and Plaza project, which will open up the historic kiosk building for more public use, renovate and enhance the historic character of the building, and build on its iconic presence in Harvard Square. The surrounding plaza area will be reconstructed to make it more inviting, enhance pedestrian usage, and improve accessibility. The Harvard Square Kiosk Working Group is advising the City Manager on the vision, programming, operations, and governance of the Kiosk and developing a framework for the ongoing operation of the space that preserves the public nature of the kiosk and its surrounding plaza over time.

There will likely be an increase in operating costs associated with the operation of the building.

5-Year Appropriation Plan						
FUNDING SOURCE	FY18	FY19	FY20	FY21	FY22	TOTAL
Bond Proceeds	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,000,000
GRAND TOTAL	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,000,000
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FY19-FY22 FUNDING

Additional funding may be required once the final determination on use and historic renovation of the building is made.

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STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR PROJECTS

In FY16, \$600,000 was appropriated for the design of the renovations. In FY17, \$4,000,000 was appropriated for the construction of the renovations.

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Budget Appropriations & Contracts

FY16 \$600,0000 Design

FY17 \$4,000,000 Construction

FY18 – no additional budget, but the final budget will be developed once the design is further developed.

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2 Elevation - Massachusetts Avenue



Elevation - Brattle Street

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(2) Elevation - Massachusetts Avenue

Scale: 1/2"=1'-0"



Elevation - Brattle Street

1/2'=1'-0"

Proposed Exterior Elevations

Existing Conditions Exterior Elevations

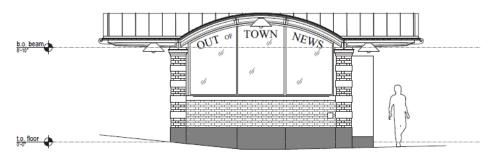


Existing

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2 Elevation - Facing Harvard Square MBTA Station



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(2) Elevation - Facing Harvard Square MBTA Station



1 Elevation - Facing Harvard University

Proposed Exterior Elevations

Existing Conditions Exterior Elevations















Photo 21

North elevation: Detail of decorative lead coated copper comice and steel framing.



Photo 22

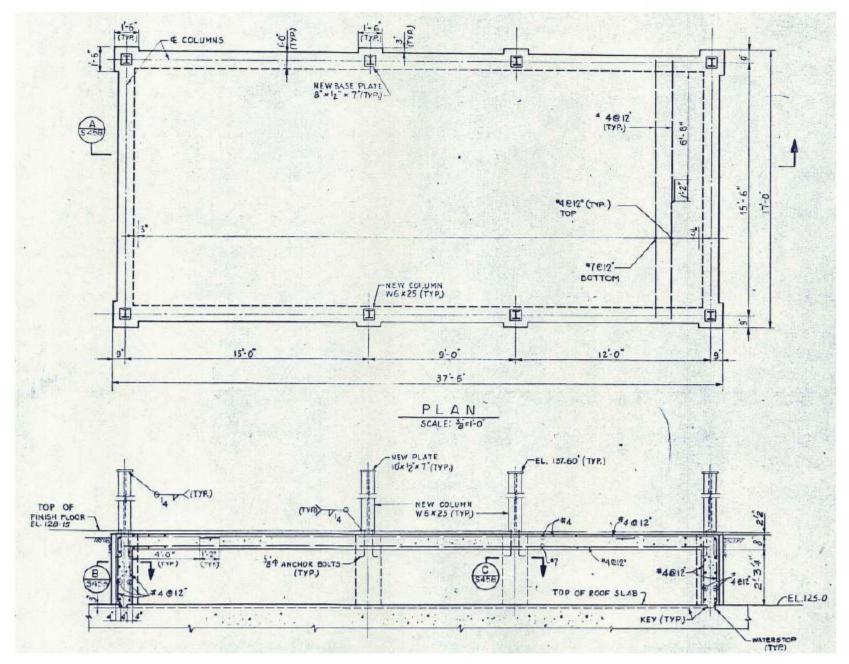
North elevation: Detail of transition between the standing seam copper roof and decorative comice. Note failed solder joint.



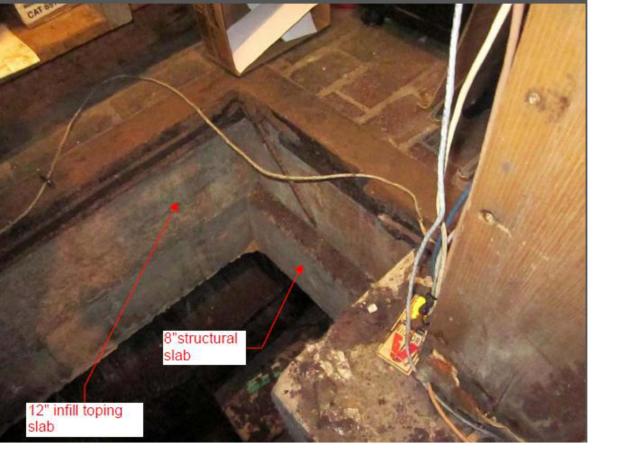
Photo 25
Southwest decorative cornice damage and wood blocking.



Photo 26
West elevation: Decorative cornice detail. Note accelerated oxidization of the lead coating.

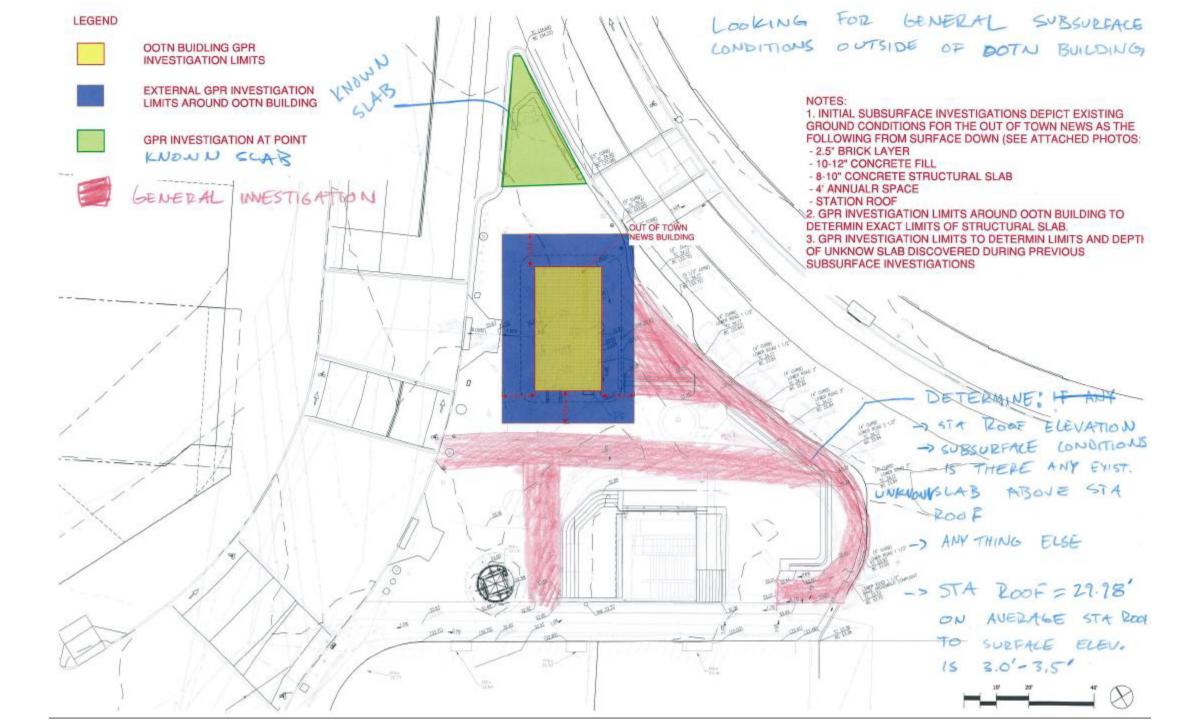


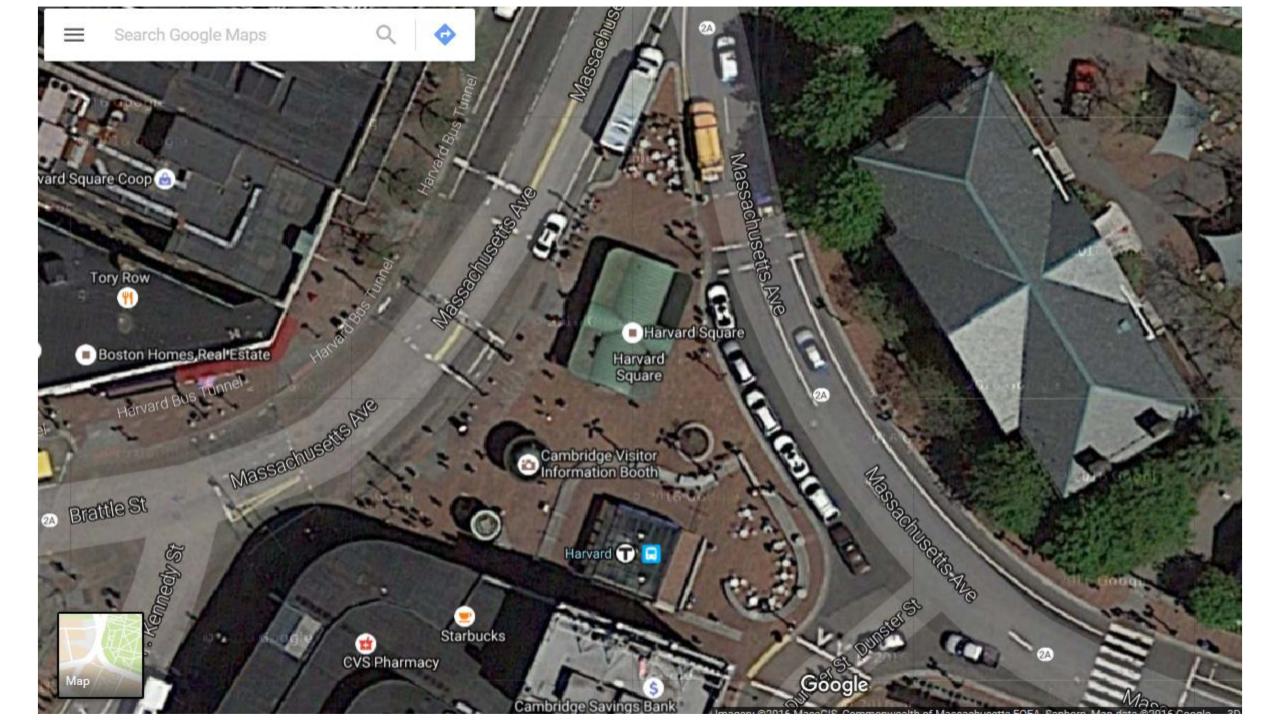


























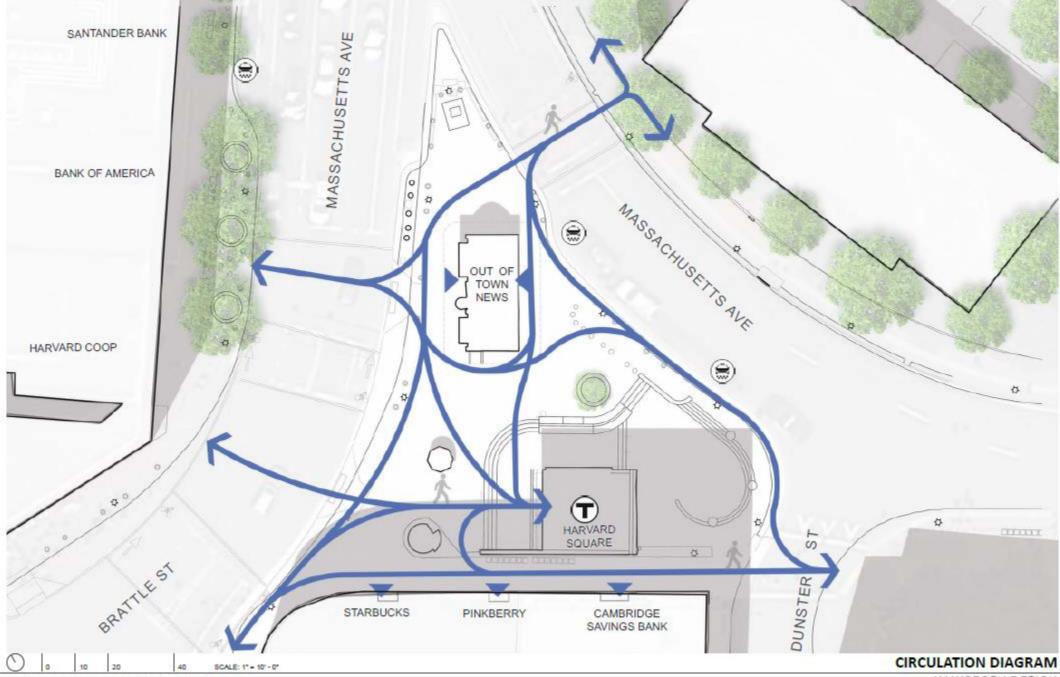
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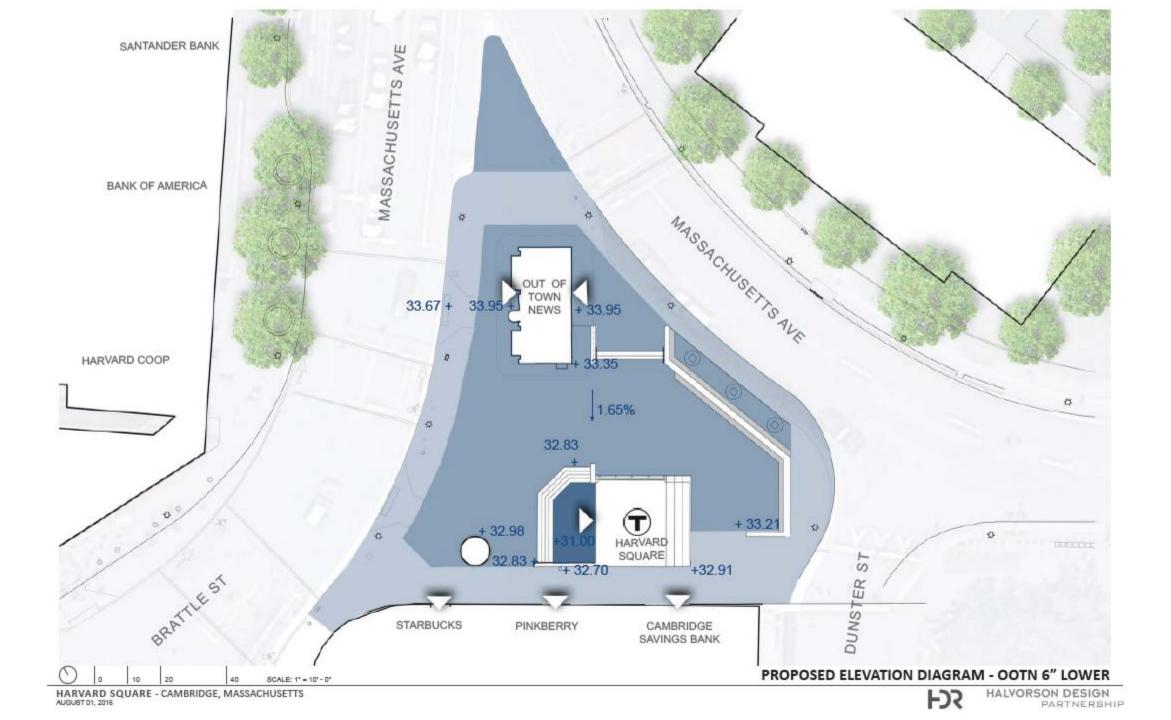
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40 SCALE: 1" = 10" - 0"

EXISTING CONDITIONS







HARVARD SQUARE - Vertical Transportation Improvements











