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TOWNHOUSE DEVELOPMENT STREAMLINED DESIGN REVIEW



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PROJECT TEAM

OWNER Michael Pollard Isola Homes

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ADDRESS:

325 N 90th St. Seattle WA 98103

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PARCEL(S):

Parcel A of Lot Boundry Adjustment 3021587

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

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The North 103 Feet Of The East Half Of Lot 5, Block 1, Osner's Suburban Homes, According To The Plat Thereof Recorded In Volume 9 Of Plats, Page 92, Records Of King County, WA.

OVERLAY DESIGNATION:

Greenwood-Phinney Ridge Residential Urban Village; Frequent Transit

ECA:

N/A

PARKING REQUIREMENT:

None

DEVELOPMENT STATISTICS:

ZONING: LR3 LOT SIZE: 7,739 SF FAR: 1.4 (7,739 SF) = 10834.60 SF

PROPOSED FAR:

10,371.6 SF

RESIDENTIAL UNITS: 7

PARKING STALLS: 5 Garage Stalls

Project Introduction

DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES

The proposed development is to create a townhouse community of 7 units. The goal of the project is to create an attractive, modern development aimed at people looking to move into the great neighborhood of Greenwood. The proposed development is one structure which leaves room for large open yards for nearly every unit as well as rooftop decks to take in the surrounding views of Greenwood and beyond. Garage parking will be provided for 5 of the units and will be accessed from a single driveway from N 90th Street. The proposed development is one of two adjacent parcels which will form a larger townhouse community but will be developed separately with similar building designs. The two projects will retain separate access and utilities.

SITE DESCRIPTION

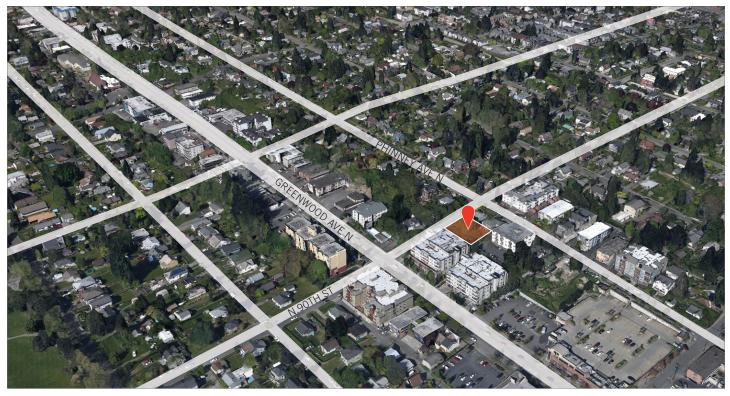
The site is mid-block and fronts onto N 90th St. and is presently occupied by two single family residences on a lot that slopes down to the west and up gradually to the north. There are no exceptional trees on the site.

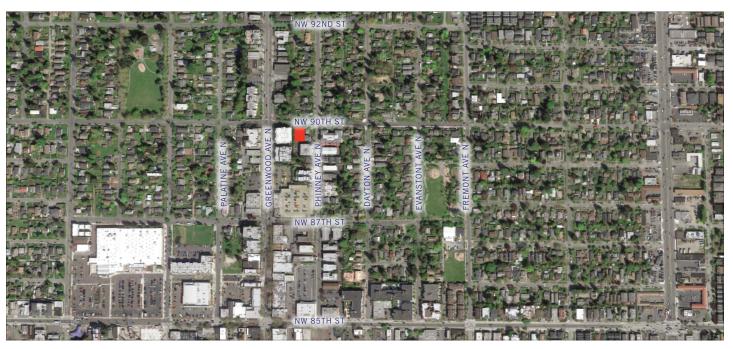
The site is located just outside of the Phinney – Greenwood pedestrian overlay but within the Greenwood-Phinney Residential Urban Village. There are bike lanes along Greenwood Ave N and Frequent Transit Service with a bus stop along Greenwood Ave N. The area is less densely developed than the Greenwood Town Center at 85th Street. Near the Greenwood Town Center there are single story commercial structures on either side of Greenwood Ave N north of the site and 4-story mixed-use and residential structures located on the other three corners from this site. Single family structures are located a half block away to the east and west, along Phinney Ave. N and Palatine Ave. N.

The proposed project is the development of underutilized lots on a corner along Phinney Ave. N, near a prominent transit corridor in the Greenwood-Phinney Residential Urban Village.

TOWNHOUSE SUMMARY

Level	FAR SF
Basement	642.4
Level 1	3,127
Level 2	3,157.2
Level 3 3,130	
Roof	315
Total	10,371.6 SF





PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION

AXONOMETRIC MAP (GOOGLE EARTH)

9-BLOCK AERIAL

Site Context & Urban Design Analysis

SITE ANALYSIS

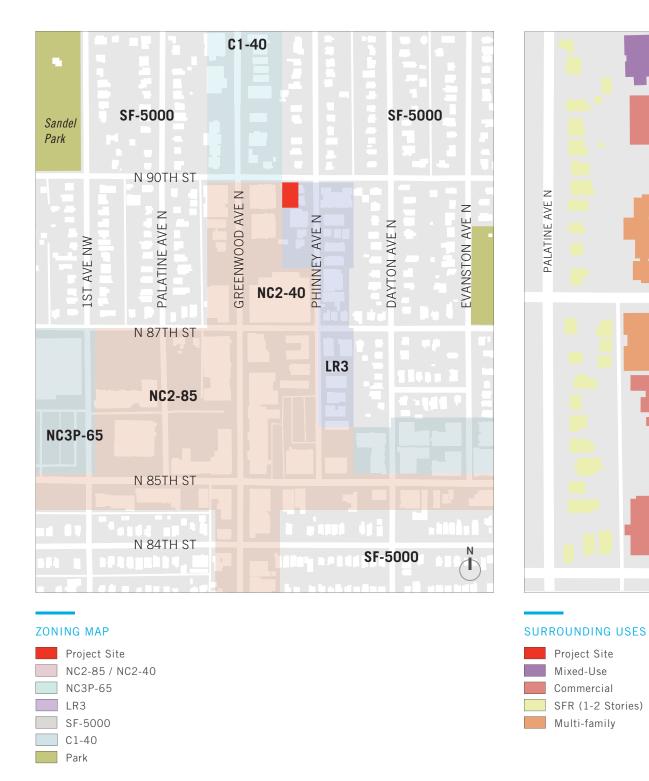
The property is located just north of the designated Greenwood Town Center area. Greenwood Ave is located just west and is the central armature of this area with dense development along the majority of the street, while one block in either direction immediately transitions to single family residential use. Adjacent multifamily structures predominantly do not have a commercial ground floor, while commercial structures tend to be a single story with parking in front, reflecting the traditional suburban model.

ZONING ANALYSIS

The existing site consists of two parcels to be developed separately with similar building designs. Currently two small single family houses sit on the two lots. The street frontage is steeply sloped along 90th Street and tree-lined with adequate sidewalks and a landscaping buffer between buildings and the sidewalk. The surrounding properties are zoned NC2, to the south and west, LR3 to the east, and zoned SF 5000 to the north and slightly further east. The resulting steet pattern is a gradual ease in the density of development from Greenwood to Phinney.

TRANSPORTATION

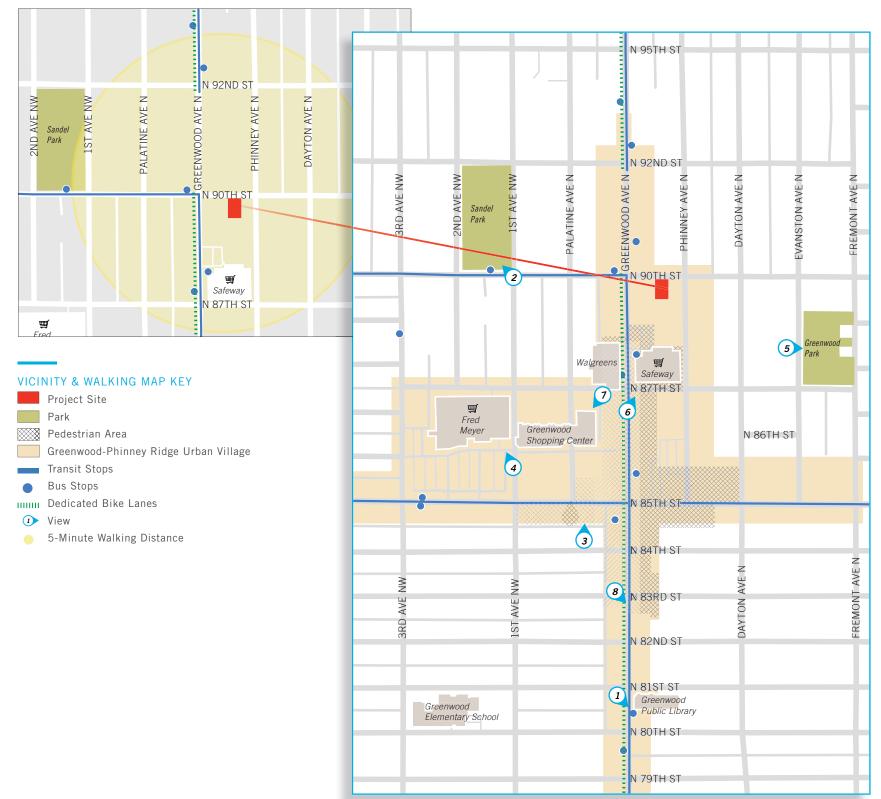
Greenwood Ave is a major transit street and Frequent Transit Corridor with heavy traffic in both directions. Metro bus stops are located west of the site on Greenwood Ave. Designated bike lanes run in both directions along Greenwood Ave. as well. N. 90th Street is a residential street that is used primarily by drivers trying to avoid traffic along N. 85th Street.





Community Nodes & Landmarks

GREENWOOD - PHINNEY RIDGE, SEATTLE, WA



1 GREENWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY



📩 3 MIN. 🏌 9 MIN.

3 TAPROOT THEATER



DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.3 MI): 🚴 2 MIN. | 🕺 6 MIN.

5 GREENWOOD PARK



DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.4 MI): 💑 4 MIN. 🏌 7 MIN.

7 GREENWOOD SHOPPING CENTER



🚴 2 MIN. | 🕺 7 MIN.

CONTEXT ANALYSIS





2 SANDEL PARK



DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.1 MI): 📩 1 MIN. | 🕺 2 MIN.

4 FRED MEYER GROCERY



DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.5 MI): 🚴 3 MIN. 🤺 10 MIN.

6 SAFEWAY GROCERY



DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.1 MI): 🚴 1 MIN. | 🕺 2 MIN.

8 COYLE'S BAKESHOP

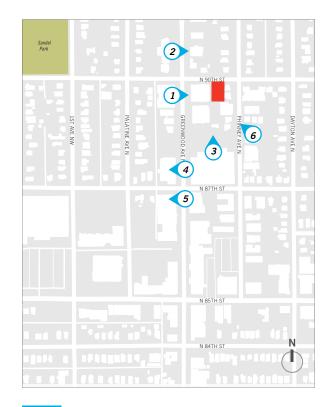


DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.4 MI): 📩 3 MIN. 🏌 7 MIN.

Neighborhood Vicinity

NEIGHBORHOOD CHARACTER

The neighborhood is a host to many eclectic shops, uses, and architectural styles. With such a large array of styles and uses, the neighborhood appeals to families and urbanites alike.







WESTVIEW NORTH / 8760 GREENWOOD AVE N
 DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.1 MI):

 ^{*} 2 MIN.
 ^{*} 2 MIN.





4 WALGREENS / 8701 GREENWOOD AVE N
 DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.1 MI):
 3 MIN.



5 GREENWOOD TOWERS / N 87TH ST & GREENWOOD AVE N
 DISTANCE FROM SITE (0.2 MI):
 ♂ 1 MIN. ↑ 3 MIN.





Projects Concurrently Under Design Review/Construction

GREENWOOD - PHINNEY RIDGE, SEATTLE, WA

PIPELINE

The neighborhood, filled with a plethora of shops and uses, has much needed residential development infilling the area. These residenses will bring clientel to utilize Greenwood's street-shops.



1 8755 PHINNEY AVE N. ROWHOUSE DEVELOPMENT DESIGNED BY CARON ARCHITECTURE

7 RESIDENTIAL UNITS



2 308 N 90TH ST. MULIT-FAMILY DEVELOPMENT 26 RESIDENTIAL UNITS







Site

View



4 8215 GREENWOOD AVE. N

TOWNHOUSE DEVELOPMENT DESIGNED BY CARON ARCHITECTURE 4 RESIDENTIAL UNITS



5 101 NW 85TH ST. MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT 105 RESIDENTIAL UNITS



CONTEXT ANALYSIS



3 9002 GREENWOOD AVE N.

MULIT-FAMILY DEVELOPMENT DESIGNED BY CARON ARCHITECTURE **37 RESIDENTIAL UNITS**

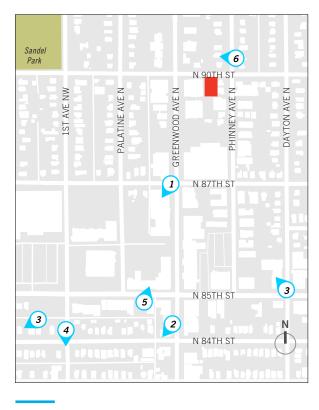


6 9532 GREENWOOD AVE. N MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT 14 RESIDENTIAL UNITS - 2 LIVE/WORK

Existing Notable Architectural & Siting Patterns

GREENWOOD DESIGN

Having the proposed development located just outside of the Greenwood-Phinney Ridge town center, it becomes important to immerse the design into the styling of the neighborhood; taking from existing, prominent, and reoccurring architectural features. These design cues will provide a groundwork for how the developing design will proceed.







1 WESTVIEW NORTH

LEVELS STEP BACK AND RESPONDS TO GRADE DIFFERENCES ON THE SITE, HORIZONTAL ELEMENTS



2 COMMERCIAL BUILDING LARGE BAY WINDOWS



4 COMMERCIAL BUILDING STRONG STRUCTURAL BASE WITH HORIZONTAL ELEMENTS



5 TAPROOT THEATER

USE OF CANOPIES TO COVER ENTRIES, STOREFRONT SYSTEM ALLOWS LARGE AMOUNT OF GLASS AT ENTRY



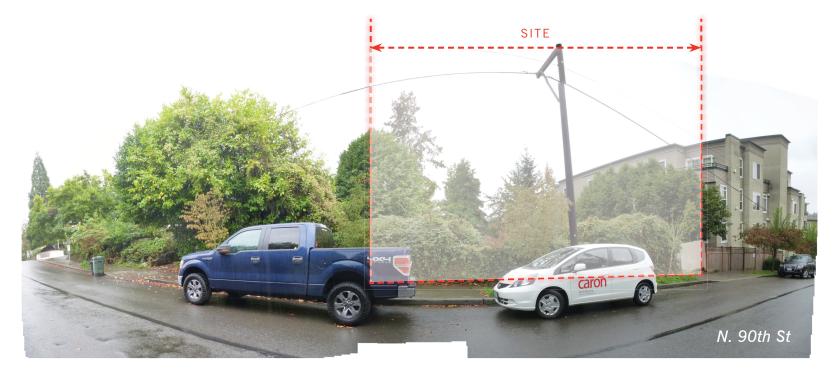
3 SAPPHIRE CONDOS

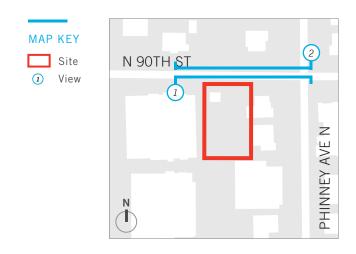
VERTICALLY ORIENTED MODULATION ON TOP OF BRICK BASE, LARGE CANOPY



6 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE BAYS WITH HORIZONTAL SIDING, PUNCHED OPENINGS, SLOPING ROOF

Streetscapes





1 N. 90TH ST, LOOKING SOUTH



2 N. 90TH ST, LOOKING NORTH

CONTEXT ANALYSIS

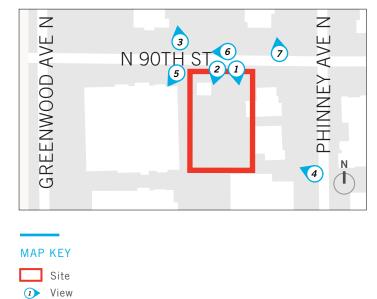
Site Photos



1 LOOKING NORTH AT PROJECT SITE

2 LOOKING SOUTH AT PROJECT SITE

3 LOOKING NORTH FROM N. 90TH ST





5 N. 90TH STREET, FACING SOUTH



6 N. 90TH STREET, FACING WEST



4 DRIVEWAY, SOUTH OF SITE



7 LOOKING NORTH FROM N. 90TH ST

Survey

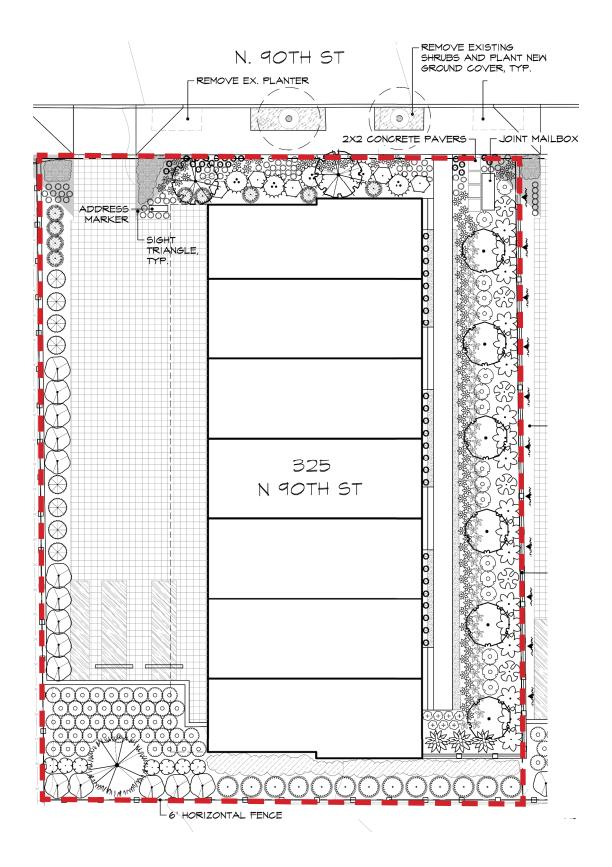


EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS

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Landscape Plan





Landscape Plan Schedule

TREES	BOTANICAL NAME / COMMON NAME	SIZE	QTY
Ø	Calocedrus decurrens / Incense Cedar	5'-6' ht	2
\bigcirc	• Fagus sylvatica 'Dawyck' / Dawyck Beech		6
	Malus x 'Tschonoskii' / Tschonoski Crabapple	1.5" cal	4
**************************************	Malus x 'Tschonoskii' / Tschonoski Crabapple	1.5" cal	2
SHRUBS	BOTANICAL NAME / COMMON NAME	SIZE	QTY
	Aralia Cordata 'Sun King' / Sun King Aralia	2 gal	18
	Carax testacea / Orange Sedge	1 gal	125
	Chamaecyparis obtusa 'Filicoides Aureo' / Golden Fernspray Cypress	3 gal	10
(°)	Choisya ternata 'Sundance' / Golden Mexican Mock Orange	5 gal	15
\bigcirc	Cornus sanguinea 'Midwinter Fire' / Blood-Twig Dogwood	5 gal	18
Close - Carlos	Deschampsia cespitosa 'Norther Lights' / Northern Lights Tufted Hair Grass	1 gal	47
K	Dryopteris erythrosora / Autumn Ferm	1 gal	63
\bigcirc	Euonymus fortunei 'Emerald 'n' Gold' TM / Wintercreeper	1 gal	60
સ્ટ્રિક	Fatsia japonica / Japanese Fatsia	5 gal	6
+	Festuca glauca 'Elijah Blue' / Blue Fescue	1 gal	104
+	Helleborus niger 'HGC Jacob' / Christmas Rose	1 gal	7
慾	Liriope muscari "Big Blue' / Big Blue Lilyturf	1 gal	162
\bigcirc	Mahonia aquifolium 'Compacta' / Compact Oregon Grape	3 gal	7
	Miscanthus sinensis 'Strictus' / Porcupine Grass	1 gal	38

SHRUBS	BOTANICAL NAME / COMMON NAME
	Phyllostachys nigra / Black Bamboo
*** *	Picea abies 'Nidiformis' / Nest Spruce
畿	Pieris jajponica 'Brouwer's Beauty' / Lily of the Valley Bush
\bigcirc	Sarcococca ruscifolia / Fragrant Sarcococca
\bigotimes	Taxus x media 'Hicksii' / Hicks Yew
SHOWWELLING THE STATE	Thujo occidentalis 'Smaragd' / Emerald Green Arborvitae
VINES	BOTANICAL NAME / COMMON NAME
wetheres.	Thujo occidentalis 'Smaragd' / Emerald Green Arborvitae
G R O U N D C O V E R	BOTANICAL NAME / COMMON NAME
	Ajuga reptans 'Chocolate Chip' / Chocolate Chip Carpet Bugle
	Epimedium alpinum / Barrenwort
	Isotoma fluviatilis / Blue Star Creeper
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	Vinca minor 'Burgundy' / Burgundy Periwinkle

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SIZE	QTY	
4'-6' ht	12	
3 gal	11	
3 gal	3	
2 gal	17	
3'-5' ht	8	
4'-6' ht	13	
SIZE	QTY	
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4'-6' ht	13	
		QTY
4'-6' ht	13	QTY 14
4'-6' ht SIZE	13 Spacing	
4'-6' ht SIZE 1 gal	13 SPACING 24' o.c.	14
4'-6' ht SIZE 1 gal 1 gal	13 SPACING 24' o.c. 24' o.c.	14 34

Architectural Design Response

GREENWOOD / PHINNEY NEIGHBORHOOD DESIGN GUIDELINES

CS1. Natural Systems & Site Features	 I. RESPONDING TO SITE CHARACTERISTICS Take advantage of/enhance on scenic views from the building and public right-of-way. • The site is quite sloped and it was brought to our attention that the hydrology of the site is also of concern. The development of this site and its neighbor will stabilize the slope by building in terraced cuts that are informed by the uniform slope of the sites and of N. 90th St. A large amount of permeable surface area will be retained to allow site drainage and direct surface runoff to storm water systems. 	Dc1. Project Uses & Activities	 I. BLANK WALLS Storefronts are encourage neighborhood commercial walls: Since the building is results. This will minimiz of layering between the occur. The facades will walls and help provide
CS2. Urban Pattern & Form	 I. STREETSCAPE COMPATIBILITY i. Treatment of Side Streets: The existing sidewalks and street trees shall be maintained. The development creates substantial open space between adjacent developments. 	Dc2. Architectural Concept	I. ARCHITECTURAL CONTEX Facade articulation and m • The perceived massing lines and materials. Op
	 II. HEIGHT, BULK & SCALE COMPATIBILITY i. Impact of New Buildings on the Street: Surrounding buildings are 5 stories, built to the maximum height, and setback upper floors which reflect the change in grade across the site. Facades are articulated vertically into separate planes. The preferred option uses similar methods in following the grade of the site in order to taper down the number of stories and provide a transition from NC2-40 zoning, directly west, to SF 5000 zoning, to the north and northeast. 		windows create a visua keeping with the scale a II. HUMAN SCALE Consider methods to coor should function as a comp be the same or similar: • The building features a dense. Canopies help a
CS3. Architectural Context & Character	 I. ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT & CONSISTENCY Respect for the neighborhood's character of utilitarian, non-flamboyant, traditional architectural style (except for churches): • This block of N. 90th St. lacks a cohesive street pattern that much of the surrounding neighborhoods possess. By using canopies and varied roof lines, this project can define positive street-scape patterns and help in the transition from commercial to residential. The preferred option uses design cues from surrounding residential and commercial 		related to the pedestriar III. MASS & SCALE Consider reducing the imp modulating upper floors; v colors and textures; and p proportions that are simila • The facades are broken proportioned windows.
PL1. Connectivity	 I. PEDESTRIAN OPEN SPACES & ENTRANCES Incorporate small, usable open spaces: Building entrances will be made easily identifiable by using canopies, signage, lighting, and well thought out landscaping. Lighting will be placed strategically to provide security and safety without being a nuisance to adjacent properties. The connections 	DC4. Exterior Elements &	each unit has its own e of the site. The materia wide lap siding and car II. EXTERIOR FINISH MATE Feature durable, attractive • A mix of materials have
	to the building from the R.O.W. will be landscaped to provide interest at the street and encourage pedestrian activity.	Finishes	siding, and panel are features a strong base individual units.

ged to be located at the sidewalk edge, particularly in ial districts, and should be continuous, minimizing blank

residential, we will be proposing as much glazing as possible for the nize blank walls along N 90th Street. Landscaping will add a sense he street and the façade on N. 90th St. where blank walls may vill employ differing colors and materials to break down any further de scale to the building.

EXT

modulation:

ng of the street facing façade is reduced and broken up by horizontal Open railings are used instead of opaque parapet walls. Numerous rual connection to the street. The resulting structure articulation is in le and aesthetics of existing buildings in the area.

oordinate a building's upper and lower stories. The parts mposition - not necessarily requiring the top and bottom to

a strong base which allows the upper floors to feel light and less b add a layer of fine detail to give the project a sense of proportion rian environment which the preferred option intends to encourage.

mpact or perceived mass and scale of large structures by s; varying roof forms and cornice lines; varying materials, d providing vertical articulation of building facades in nilar to surrounding plat patterns:

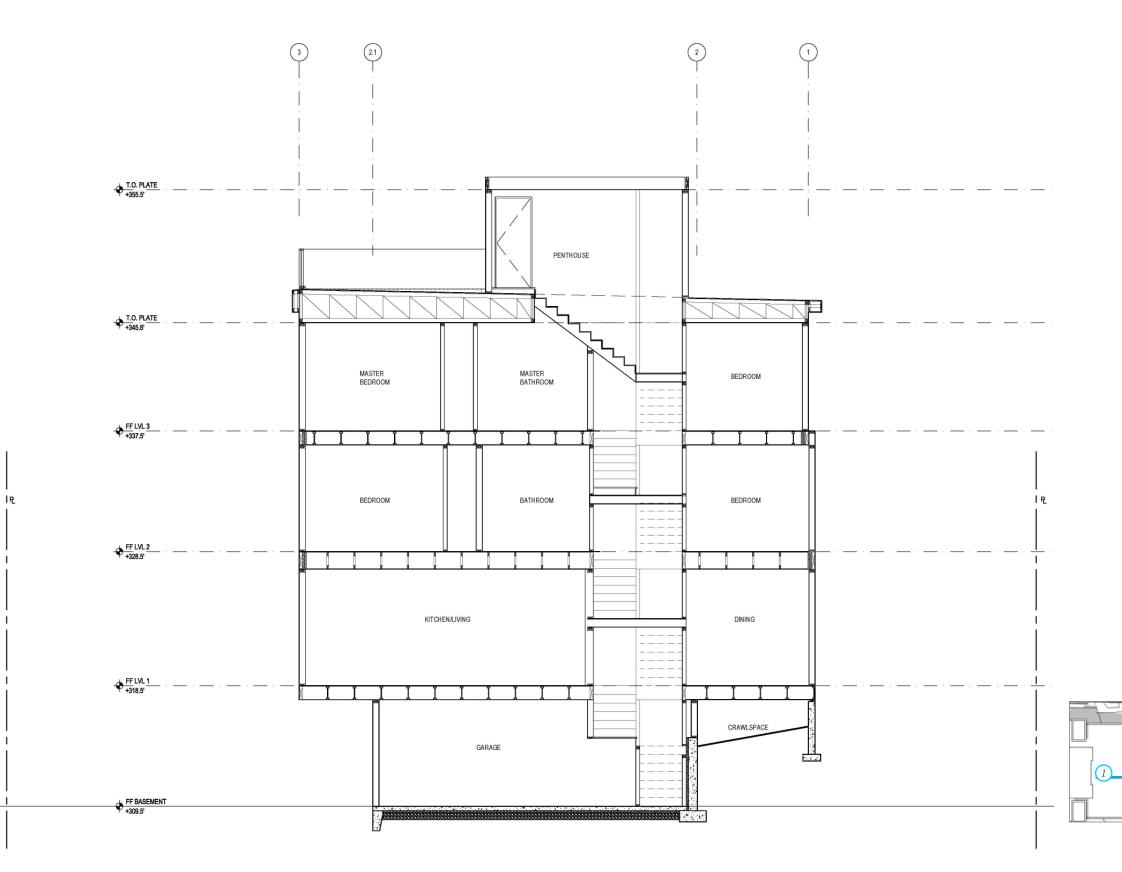
ten up into blocks of color and siding to help accentuate the vertically vs. As one enters the landscaped entry the facades are staggered so n entry. Units are also varied in height to compliment the cross slope rials in the entry amenity space retain the neighborhood palette, with canopies over the entry doors.

ERIALS

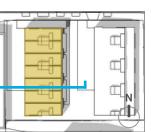
ive and well-detailed finished materials:

ave been gleaned from the surrounding neighborhood. Cedar, lap e all featured in the surrounding streetscape. The proposed building e with a transition to cedar at the entries that helps to distinguish

Building Section



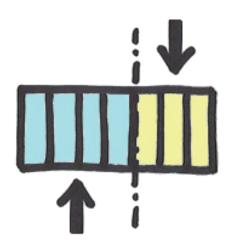
ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT





Circulation Residential Amenity Parking/Garage

Design Concept



# UNITS:	7
PARKING STALLS:	5
BIKE STALLS:	0
FAR SF:	10.371.6 SF
OPPORTUNITIES:	 Abundant unit privacy Individual unit entries Large common amenity area Massing follows existing grade
CONSTRAINTS:	Fewer opportunities for viewsUnconsolidated penthouses fill skyline
CODE COMPLIANCE:	Yes, code compliant

CONCEPT DIAGRAMS



INDIVIDUALITY IN REPETITION DIAGRAM

By using the same layout for each unit and then staggering the entry grades, unit seperation becomes much more apparent and individualized.

DESIGN CUES FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD



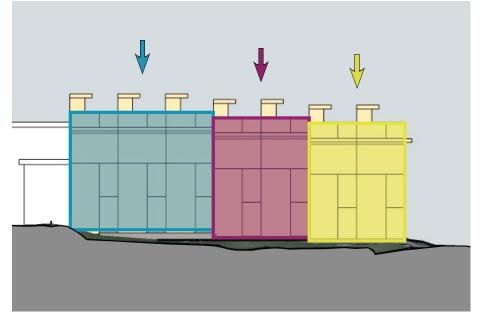
DC2:

Broken up horizontal modulation, recesses in the building envelope, and a variety of materials and colors will be adopted into the design from the surrounding neighborhood.



CS2:

An off street entry amenity that is developed into a common outdoor space, can help improve security and privacy.



STEPPED VOLUMES DIAGRAM

The structures volumes are stepped down to follow the gradual slope down from south to north. This allows for less excavation and breaks the building into smaller fragents.



DC4:

Facades are articulated vertically into separate planes and employ differing colors and materials to break down walls to help provide scale to the building.



AERIAL VIEW LOOKING SW

ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT



FIBER CEMENT PANEL - LIGHT



FIBER CEMENT PANEL - DARK





HORIZONTAL FIBER CEMENT LAP - MEDIUM



AERIAL VIEW LOOKING NW



VIEW LOOKING SOUTHEAST FROM N. 90TH STREET

ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT



Metal Railing System Fiber Cement Panel - Dark Fiber Cement Lap Siding - Medium Fiber Cement Panel - Light Vinyl Windws



VIEW LOOKING NORTHEAST



ENTRY VIEW LOOKING TO SW

ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT

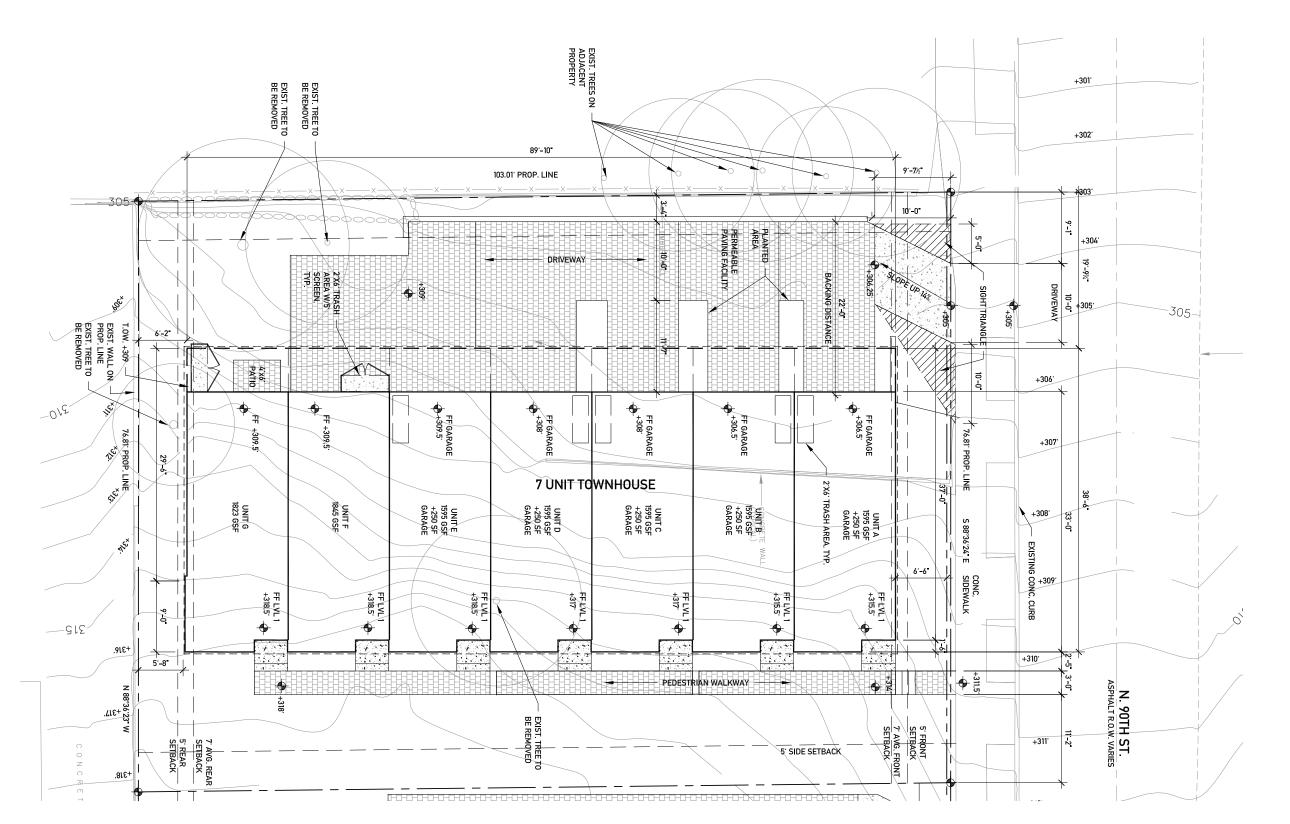


Fiber Cement Panel - Light Metal Railing System Fiber Cement Panel - Dark Fiber Cement Lap Siding - Medium Vinyl Windws

Fiber Cement Panel - Light Canopy Cedar Siding



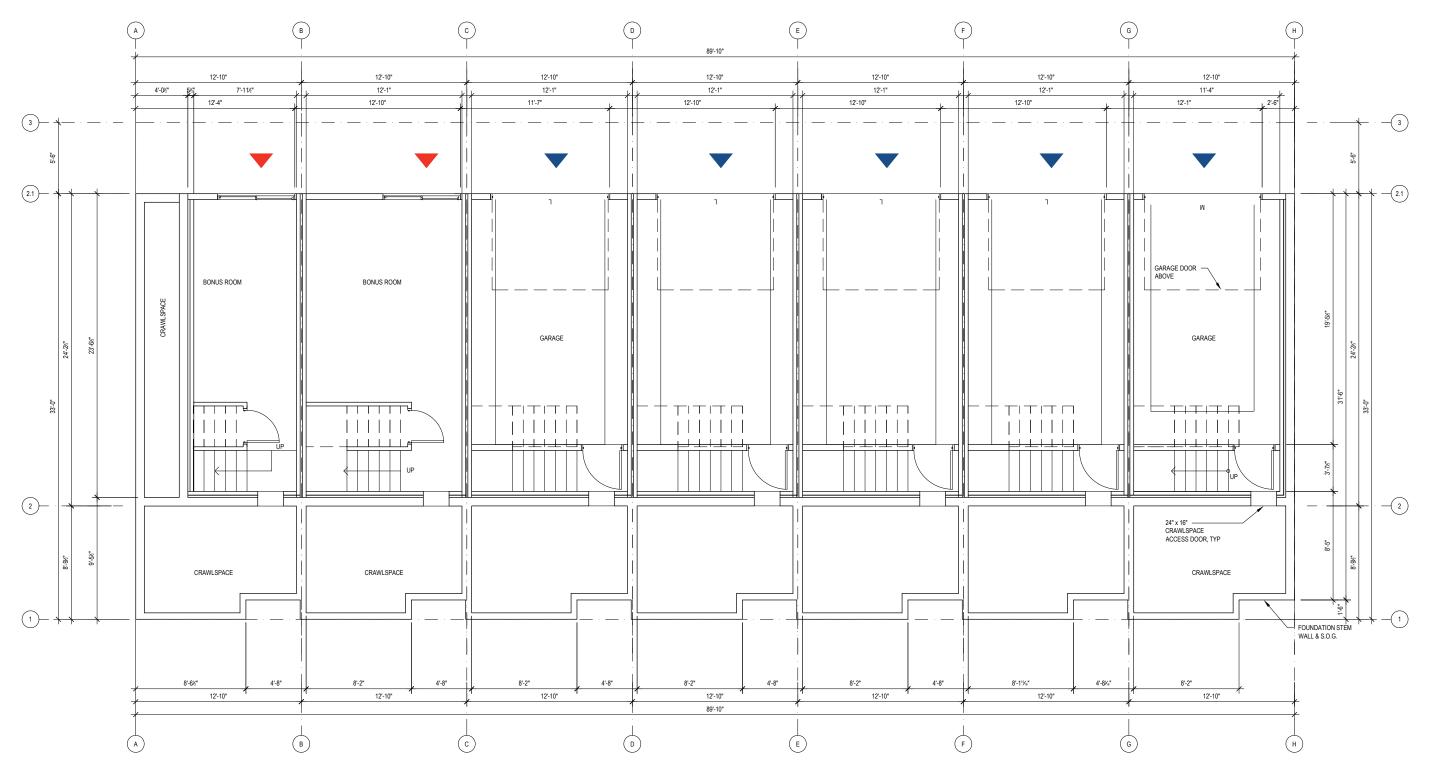
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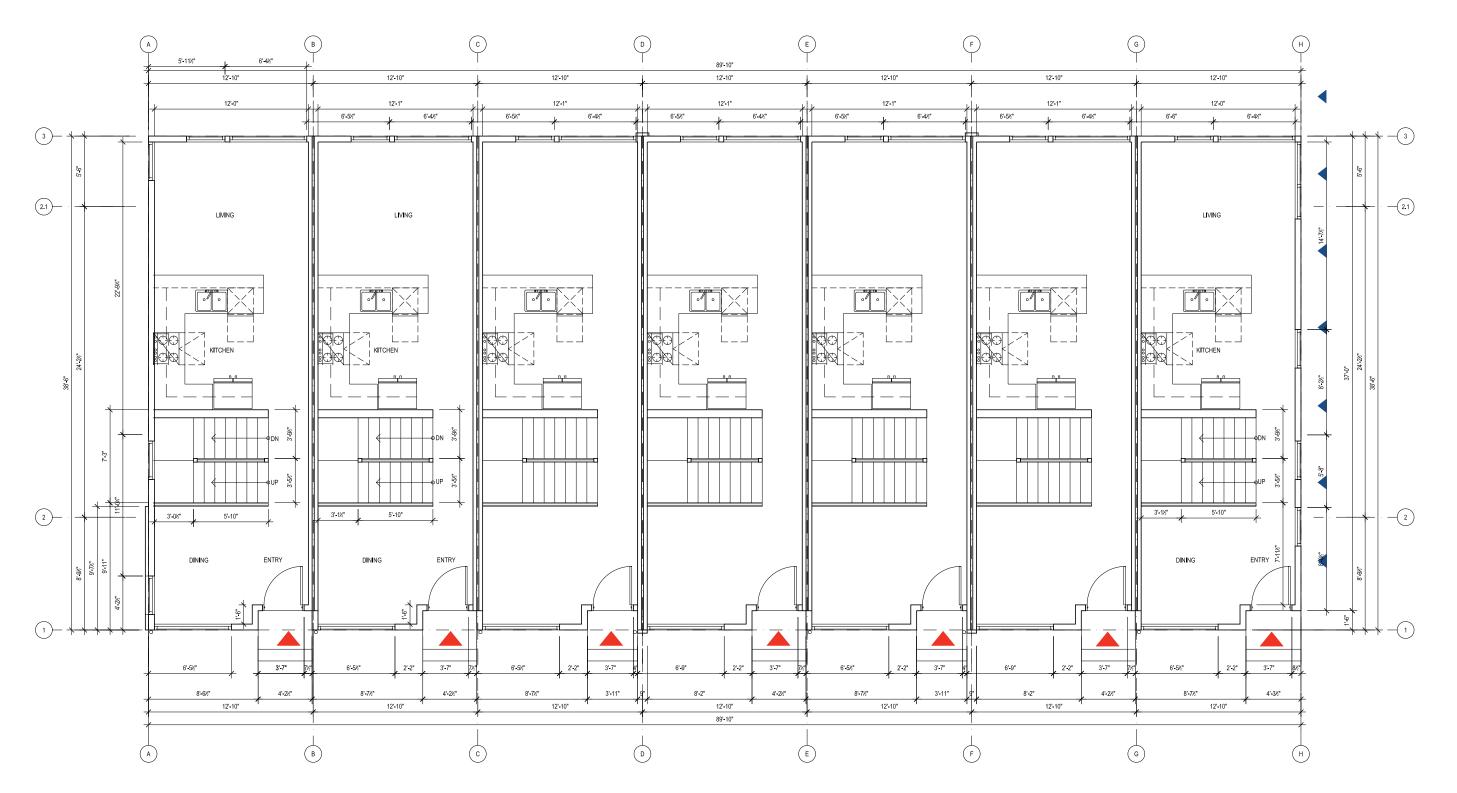


Floor Plans



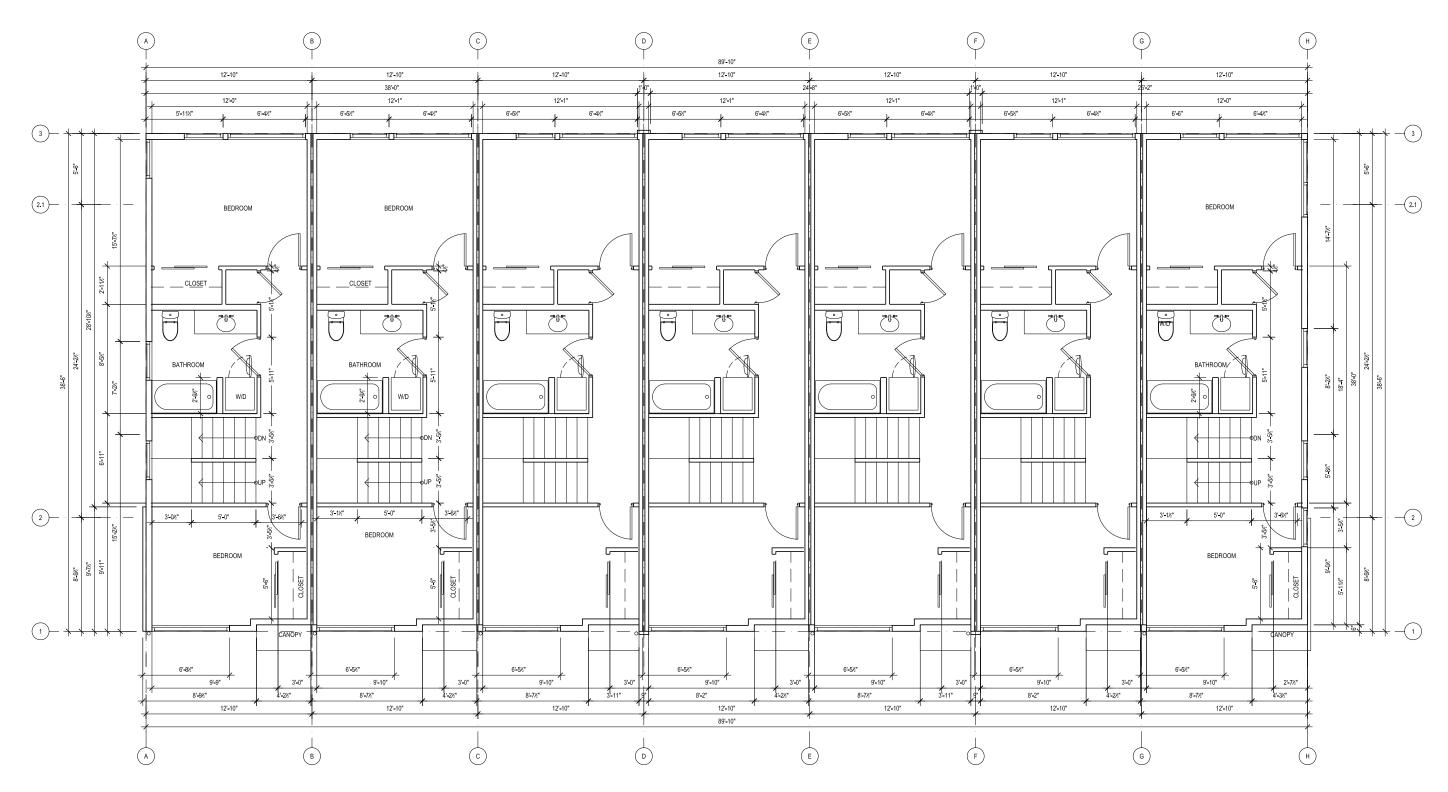
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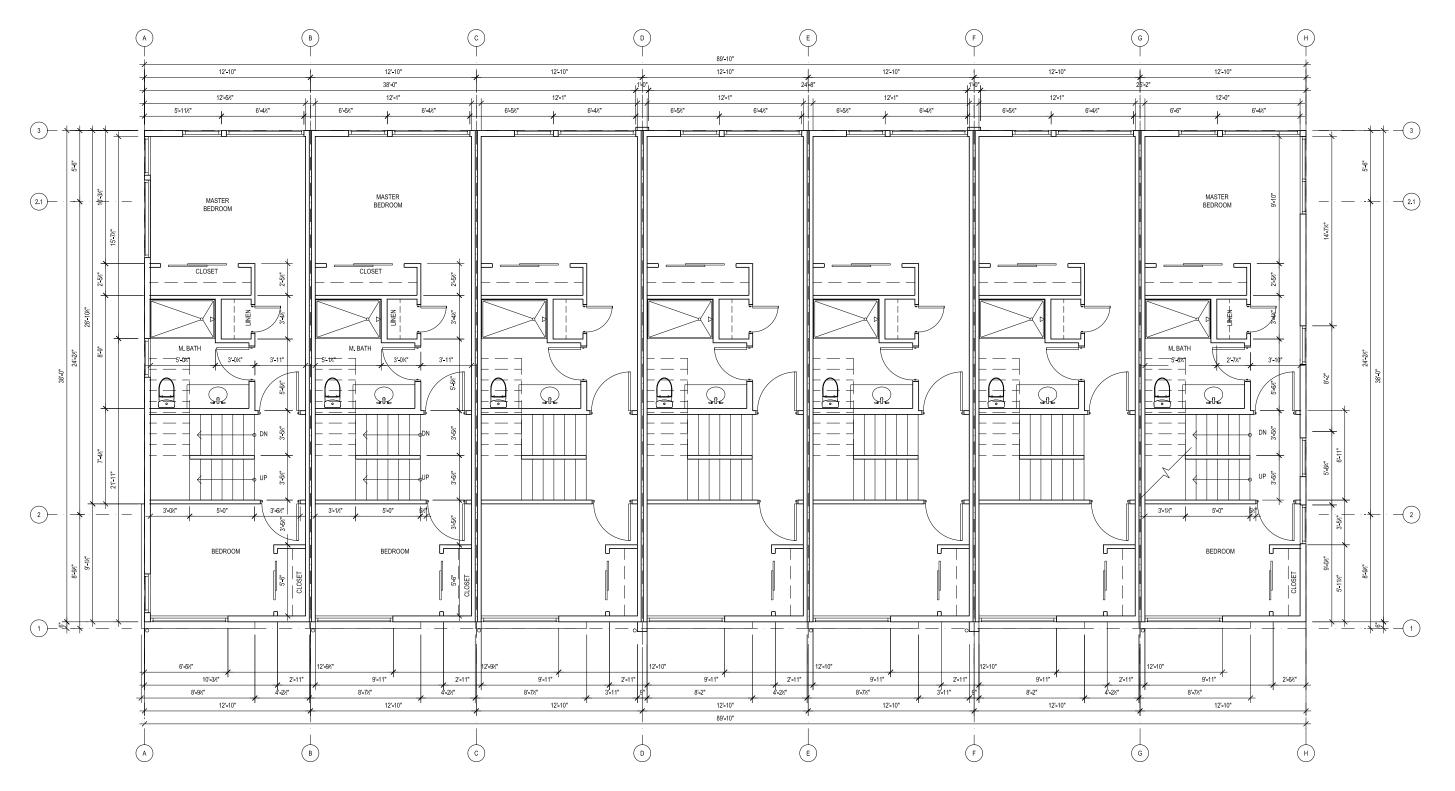




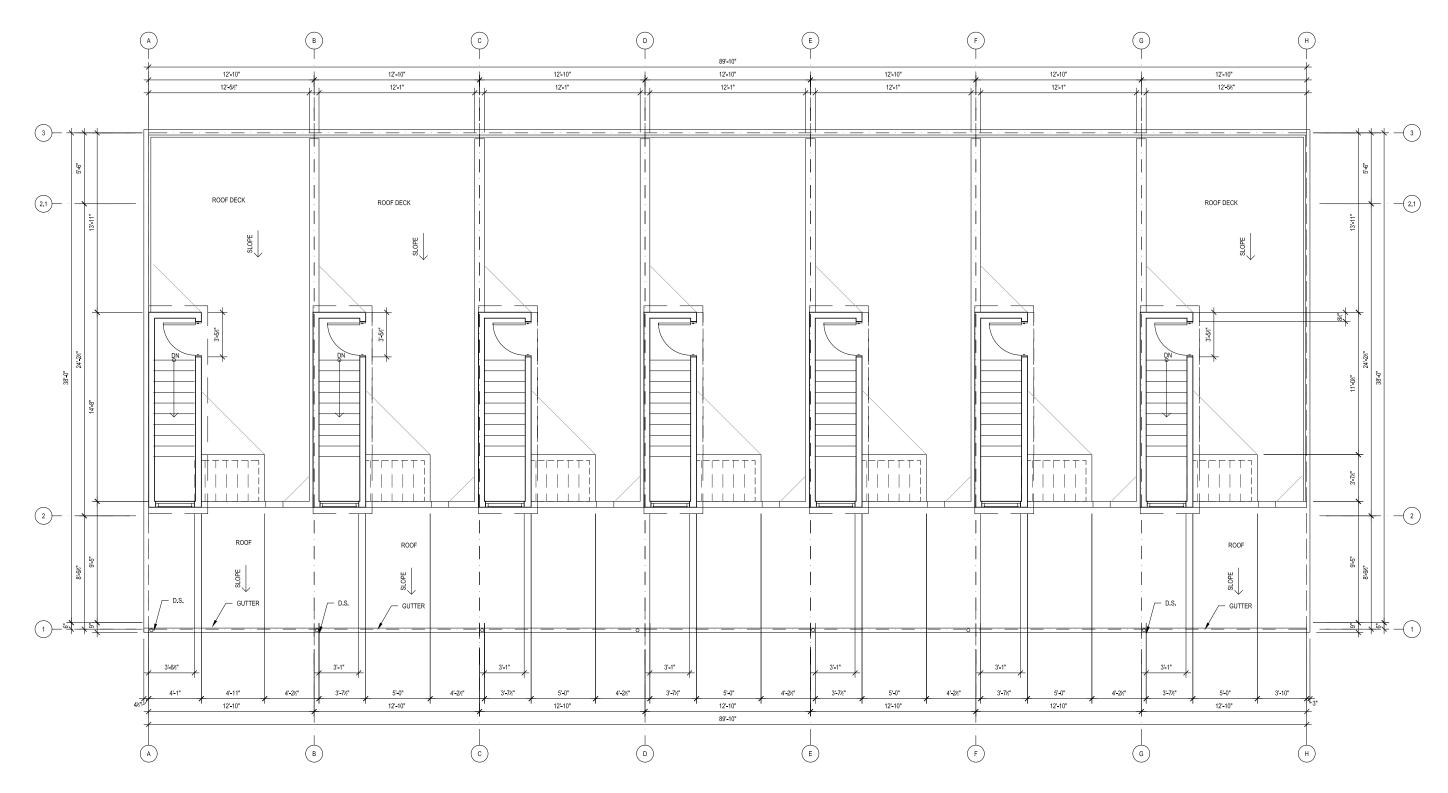
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Code Compliance

APPLICABLE ZONING	SMC- Section	SUB- SECTION	REQUIREMENT	COMPLIANCE/REFERENCE
Floor Area Ratio (FAR) Limits	23.45.510	Table A	1.4 FAR limit in LR-3 zone for townhouses located inside urban villages and meets the requirements of 23.45.510.C.	The project is committed to acheiving Bui or better.
Density Limits- Lowrise Zones	23.45.512	Table A	1/1,600 or No limit in LR-3 zone for townhouse developments. No limit if the requirements of 23.45.510.C are met.	The project is committed to acheiving Bui or better.
Structure Height	23.45.514	D.3.b	In LR-3 zone, ridge of pitched roof may extend up to 5 feet above the height limit, if the height exception in 23.45.514.F is used.	When applicable, structure ridge will not height
		E.1	In LR zones, the high side(s) of a shed or butterfly roof may extend 3 feet above the height limits set in Table A for 23.45.514	When applicable, structure roof will not en height
		F.1	4' height limit increase from 23.45.514.A, for residential uses in LR3 zones with a partially below-grade story.	Structure will not exceed 34 foot height li sured from average grade.
		J.4.a	In LR zones, stair penthouses may extend 10 feet above the height limit set in subsections 23.45.514.A and F. Total penthouse coverage may not exceed 15 percent of the roof area.	Structure will not exceed 15 percent roof exceed 10 foot height limit.
Setbacks & Separations	23.45.518	Table A	Front and Rear setbacks: 7' average, 5' minimum Side setbacks from facades 40' or less in length: 5' minimum. 40' greater, 7' average, 5' minimum	Structure is within 7 feet average and/or 5 from all site property lines.
Amenity Area	23.45.522	A	25% of lot area: 50% of required amenity space to be at ground level (10' min. dim. from side lot lines). Amenity areas on roof structures that meet the provisions of subsection 24.45.510 may be counted as amenity area provided at ground level.	Amenity area at both roof and ground leve and exceed requirements.
Landscaping Standards	23.45.524	A.2.a	Green factor score of 0.6 required as set forth in Section 23.86.019.	The project is committed to achieving the Factor score.
LEED, Built Green & Ever- green Sustainable Develop- ment Standards	23.45.526	A	To achieve a higher far limit, townhouse will meet Built Green 4 star building performance standards. Either Built Green 4 star rating or LEED Silver rating.	Parapets and other rooftop additions are r to rise above the allowed 4 extra feet.
Structure Width & Facade Length Limits in LR Zones	23.45.527	Table A, B	Townhouses inside Urban Center LR3 have a maximum width: 150' and not more than 65% of lot depth, within 15' of side lot line $103.00 \times 0.65 = 66.95$ '	Structures are located outside 15' of side
Light & Glare Standards	23.45.534		All light to be shielded and directed away from adjacent / abutting properties	Parking to have 5' - 6' screen or hedge.
Pedestrian Access & Circu- lation	23.53.006	С	Pedestrian access and circulation required, sidewalks required per R.O.W. Improvements manual.	Existing sidewlks will be replaced and rep quired
Solid Waste & Recyclable Materials Storage & Access	23.54.040	A.1	Each dwelling unit will be billed separately for utilities and shall provide one storage area per dwelling unit that has minimum dimensions of 2 feet by 6 feet.	(1) 2' X 6' area for each unit (units will be rately by utility). Bins will be pulled to stre on collection day.
Required Parking	23.54.015	В	Residential Use inside Urban Village with Frequent Transit. No Parking Required.	5 parking spaces will be provided as gara

ZONING DATA

g Built Green 4 star
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I not exceed 5 feet in
not exceed 3 feet in
ght limit as mea-
roof area nor will it
d/or 5 feet minimum
d levels will meet
g the required Green
are not anticipated t.
side lot lines.
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will be billed sepato street by owners

s garage parking.

Departure Request - Option 1 & 3

REAR SETBACK DEPARTURE REQUEST

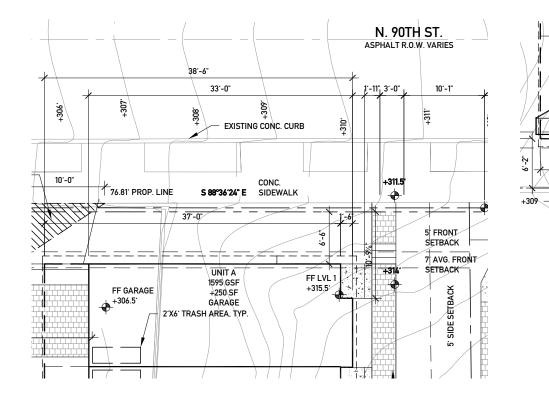
SMC 23.45.518 TABLE A

Front and Rear Setback For Townhouse Developments Is 7' Average And 5' Minimum.

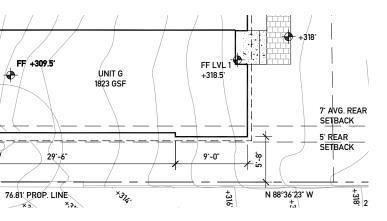
RESPONSE: The proposed design has a rear setback of 5.79' and a front setback of 6.25' which is less than the code required average but within the minimum.

The proposed structure has modulation on all facades which bring character and scale to the building. The street facing facade's articulation is abutted against the front setback which helps to retain a large distance between townhouse and street, helping to follow design guideline CS2.I by developing greater space for landscaping and street appeal. By maintaining this area from the street, the proposed structure protrudes into the 7' average front and rear setbacks to the point where the structure's modulation no longer meets the setback average. With neighboring apartments looking out onto the project site, preserving the articulation would allow for the project to better adhere to DC2.I, thereby providing greater and more interesting views onto the proposed design.

We request that the front setback be reduced by .75' (11%) and the rear setback reduced by 1.21' (17%) to define and maintain the important modulation characteristic of the street facing design so as to better fit into the neighborhood.



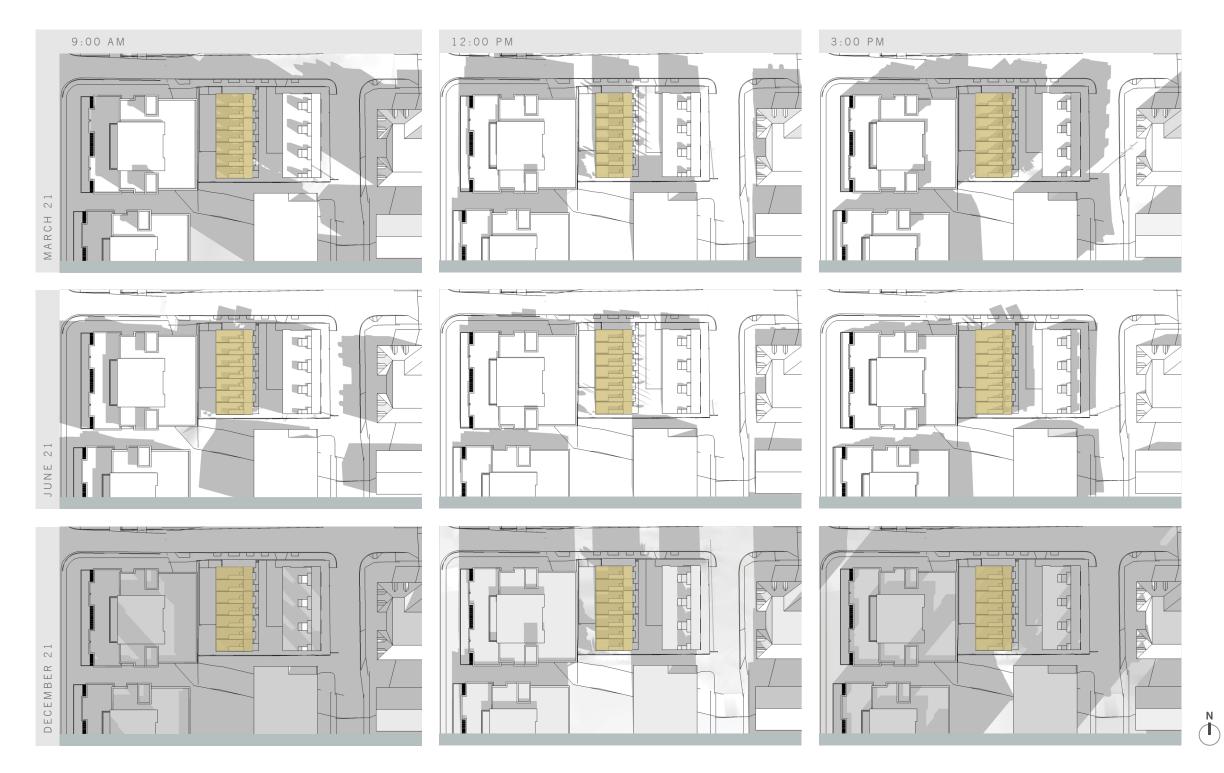
NORTH PROPERTY LINE SETBACK



4'x6' PATIO

SOUTH PROPERTY LINE SETBACK

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