

# **704 E UNION STREET**



EARLY DESIGN GUIDANCE 1 # 3033190-EG APRIL 24, 2019



















# O1 HISTORY & FUTURE

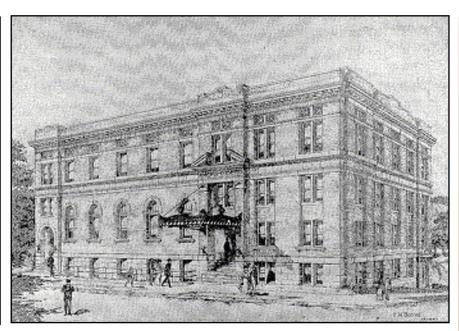




#### HISTORY - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

1893 SACKMAN HOME ADD'N PLATTED





KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING

1913 THE SEATTLE COUNCIL OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, ONE OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST CATHOLIC FRATERNAL BUILT ORGANIZATIONS, WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1902.

> THE CLUBHOUSE AT 722 E UNION STREET OPENED IN APRIL 1913.

COLUMBUS

KNIGHT

THE BUILDING HOUSED A BALLROOM, MEN'S SMOKING ROOM, LADIES' PARLOR, AS WELL AS A GYM AND SWIMMING POOL IN THE BASEMENT. IT HAS HOSTED DANCES, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS, BANQUETS, HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL PRACTICES, AND NIGHT-CLASSES.









ARTHUR DENNY, CARSON BOREN AND DOC MAYNARD FILED THE FIRST PLATS FOR THE CITY OF SEATTLE, BUT COULD NOT AGREE STREET GRID ORIENTATION.

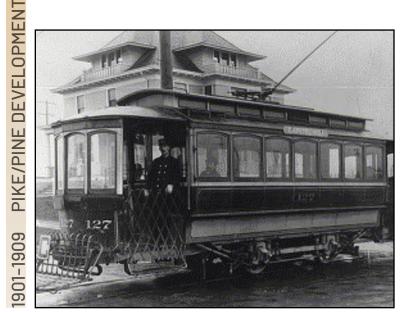
DENNY AND BOREN LAID THEIR STREET GRIDS PARALLEL TO THE SHORE OF ELLIOTT BAY. THIS ORIENTATION PREVAILED IN THE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT, INCLUDING WHAT IS NOW FIRST HILL.

MAYNARD ALIGNED HIS STREET GRIDS WITH DUE NORTH. THIS GRID WAS EXTENDED THROUGHOUT THE CITY, INCLUDING WHAT IS NOW THE PIKE/PINE NEIGHBORHOOD. INCLUDING WHAT IS NOW THE

FIRST HILL INITIALLY DEVELOPED AS A RESIDENTIAL AREA, BECOMING HOME TO THE MANSIONS OF THE CITY'S "FIRST FAMILIES" IN THE 1880S, AND CONTINUED TO GROW AFTER THE FIRST STREETCAR LINE
WAS EXTENDED FROM
BEACON HILL ALONG
BROADWAY IN 1891. STREETCAR LINE

불 FIRST

THE EXTENSION OF STREET CAR LINES TO CAPITOL HILL RIDGE IN 1901-1909 INCREASED ACCESS, RESULTING IN A RESIDENTIAL BUILDING BOOM. CAPITOL HILL QUICKLY BECAME A "STREETCAR SUBURB" WITH A MIX OF LARGE AND MODEST HOUSES, AS WELL AS APARTMENT HOUSES, TMENT HOUSES, ST AND WEST OF OMMERCIAL AND RANSPORTATION S OF BROADWAY, 15TH AND 19TH. EAST AND WEST OF THE COMMERCIAL AND TRANSPORTATION SPINES OF BROADWAY,



CAPITOL HILL ELECTRIC TROLLEY, 1903



ESTABLISHED

GRID

STREET

#### FUTURE - PUBLIC OUTREACH / DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES

**PROJECT ADDRESS:** 704 E UNION ST, SEATTLE, WA 98122

SITE AREA: 5,806 SF (0.13 ACRES)

**ZONING:** ZONING TYPE: NC3P-65; PIKE / PINE OVERLAY DISTRICT

**PROJECT VISION:** PROVIDE SMALL FLEXIBLE UNITS AT THE

> INTERSECTION OF THE PIKE/PINE AND FIRST HILL NEIGHBORHOODS THAT SUPPORT WALKABILITY AND EASY ACCESS TO SHOPPING, NIGHTLIFE, AND ARTS.

**NEW BUILD UNITS:** PROPOSED +/- 50 NEW UNITS

**NEW BUILD GSF:** PROPOSED +/- 28,000 GSF

**PARKING:** NO ON SITE PARKING IS PROPOSED

PARKING MAY BE AVAILABLE IN NEIGHBORING PROJECT

PROJECT HOT LINE: 1-206-512-3971

2018

- FALL

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

PROJECT POSTER: LOCATED AT MULTIPLE SURROUNDING SITES

(SHOWN, LEFT)

OPEN HOUSE: HELD NOVEMBER 28, 2018 AT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING

(PICTURED, RIGHT)



more about the 722 East Union St. Project





- The architects intend to renovate the Knights of Columbus building with sensitivity.
- The two apartment buildings should respect the historic context, surrounded as they will be by historic, mostly brick buildings.
- The west building should cover up the adjacent black-and-white pod building at Union & Boylston.

- Parking is a concern.

# CITY COUNCIL CREATES PIKE/PINE CONSERVATION OVERLAY STRICT WHICH IVIDES ZONING CENTIVES FOR MAINTAINING CHARACTER STRUCTURES IN THE IGHBORHOOD. DR3-2012 IDENTIFIES THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CONSERVATION DISTRICT WHICH PROVIDES ZONING INCENTIVES FOR NEIGHBORHOOD.

OF COLUMBUS BUILDING AS A CHARACTER STRUCTURE. N



## ESIGNATION THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING WAS NOMINATED AS A ITY OF SEATTLE LANDMARK ON APRIL 3, 2019. NOMINATED AS A CITY OF SEATTLE

IF DESIGNATED N APRIL 17, 2019, ALTERATIONS ON APRIL 17, 2019, ALTERATIONS TO THE HISTORIC BUILDING WILL BE APPROVED BY THE SEATTLE LANDMARKS PRESERVATION BOARD.

## RM IS PURSUING FEDERAL LANDMARK DESIGNATION R THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING AND PLANS TO PLANS TO RSUE HISTORIC SRM IS PURSUING FOR THE KNIGHTS PURSUE HISTORIC TAX CREDITS FOR REHABILITATION.

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES 7 NATIONAL NOMINATION MEETING:
JUNE 28, 2019

NAT'L

**DEVELOPER:** 

111 N. POST ST, SUITE 200, SPOKANE, WA 99201

**ARCHITECT:** RUNBERG ARCHITECTURE GROUP 1 YESLER WAY, SEATTLE, WA 98104

**LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT:** BRUMBAUGH & ASSOCIATES

600 N 85TH STREET, SUITE 102, SEATTLE WA 98103

**BUILDING CODE:** 2015 SEATTLE BUILDING CODE

**TAX ACCOUNT NUMBERS:** 7502500045, 750250005006

**POTENTIAL DEPARTURES:** NONE PROPOSED

















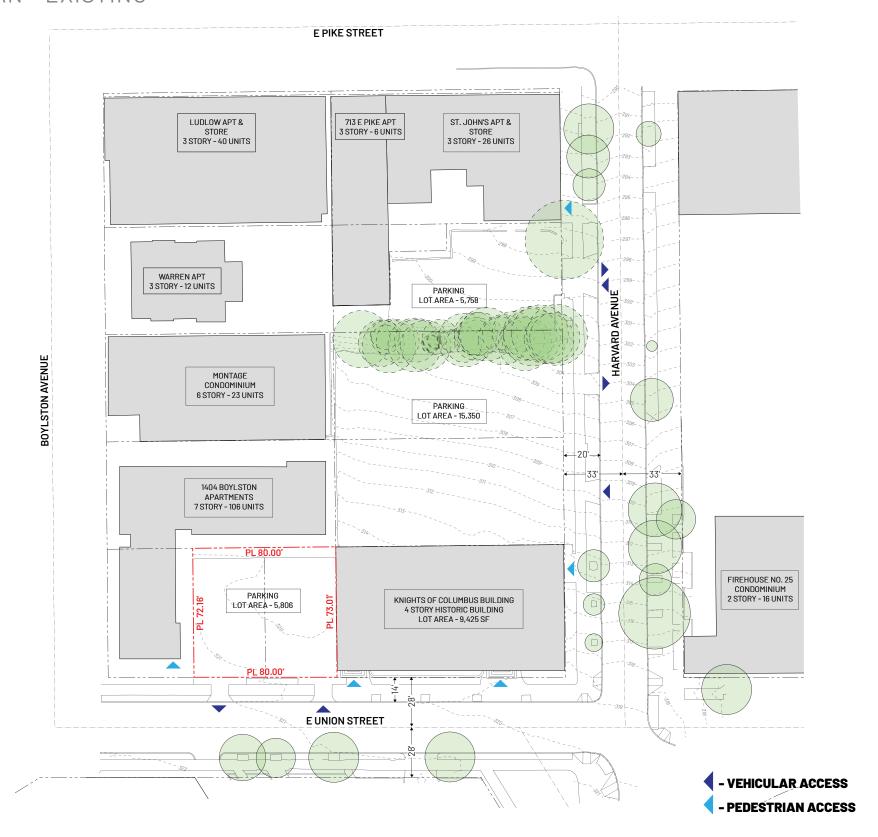


# SITE CONTEXT URBAN DESIGN ANALYSIS





#### SITE PLAN - EXISTING



#### **PARCEL NUMBER:**

7502500040, 7502500041

#### **LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

THE EAST 80 FEET OF LOT 5, BLOCK 4, SACKMAN HOME ADDITION TO THE CITY OF SEATTLE, AS PER PLAT RECORDED IN VOLUME 8 OF PLATS, PAGE 80, RECORDS OF KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON;

A NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR SEWER AS CREATED BY THAT REPLACEMENT SEWER EASEMENT RECORDED UNDER RECORDING NO. 20160223000760.



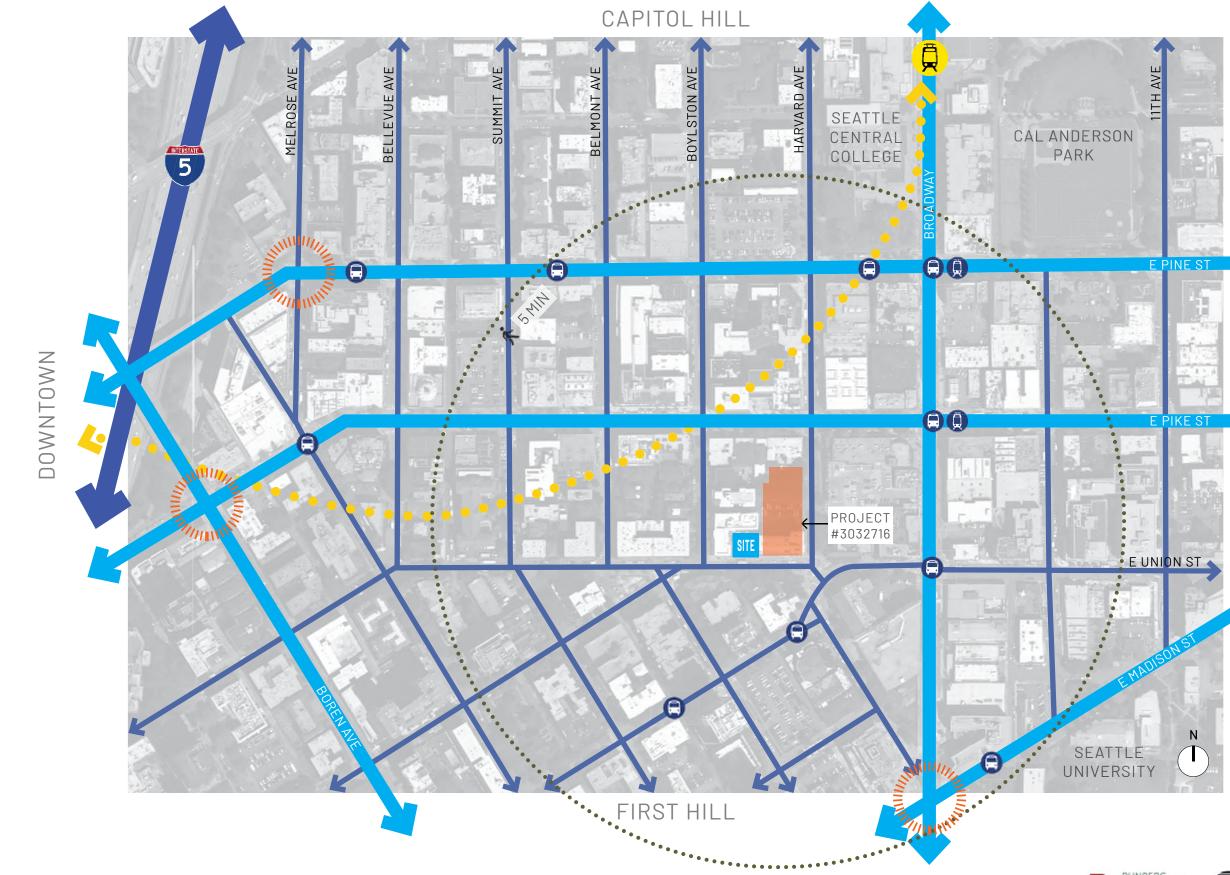


#### SITE AERIAL VIEW













MINOR ARTERIAL

MAJOR ARTERIAL

STREETCAR STOP

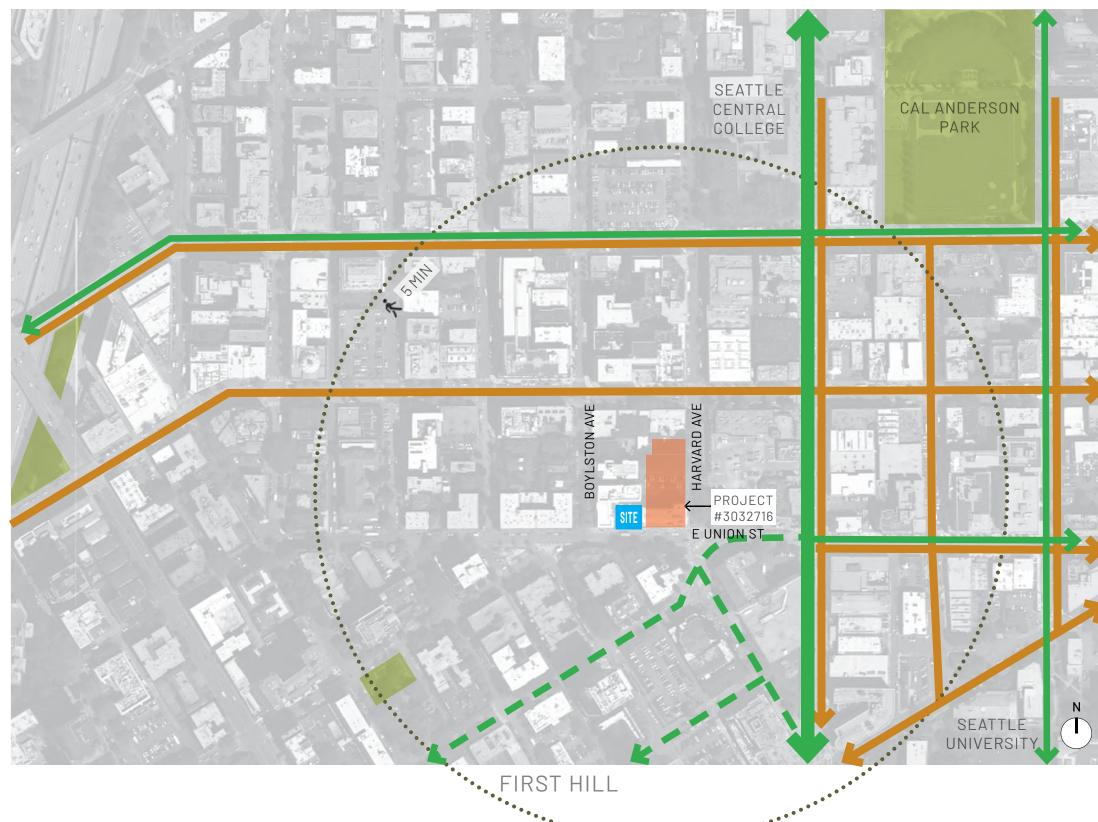
LIGHT RAIL STOP

FREEWAY

BUS STOP

GATEWAY

#### CAPITOL HILL





PARK / BOULEVARD

DOWNTOWN



BICYCLE FRIENDLY



DEDICATED BIKE LANE



PRINCIPAL PEDESTRIAN ST

\*ALL STREETS NOT IDENTIFIED AS GREEN STREET OR CLASS 1 PEDESTRIAN ARE CLASS 2 PEDESTRIAN





#### SITE CONTEXT - PIKE/PINE CONSERVATION DISTRICT

The Pike/Pine Conservation Overlay District was created in July, 2009 to limit the size of new development and encourage projects to keep existing older structures, identified in the Code as character structures.

#### CHARACTER STRUCTURES

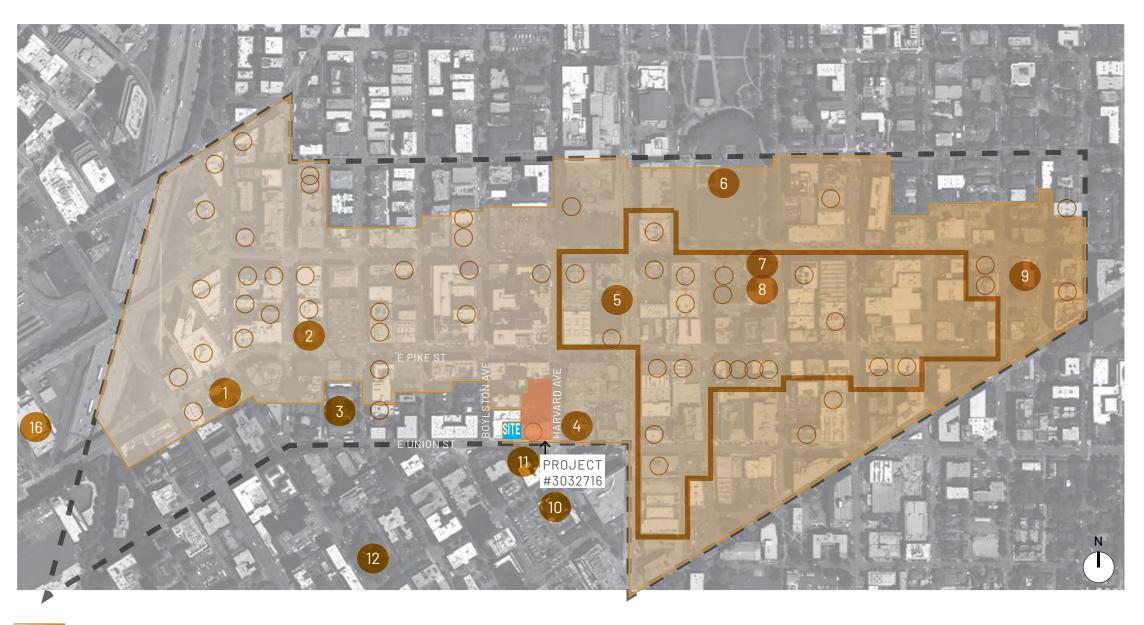
- Have been in existence prior to 1940
- Retain a high degree of architectural integrity
- Represent the Pike/Pine neighborhood's building typology
- Are compatible with the architectural scale, rhythm, and patterns of nearby structures in the Pike/Pine neighborhood

## MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR RETAINING A CHARACTER STRUCTURE (SMC 23.73.015)

- All street-facing facades of the character structure shall be maintained and original facade openings that provide transparency at the street-level shall remain unobstructed
- All portions of the new structure shall be set back a minimum of 15 feet from the street-facing facades of the character structure
- The original floor-to-ceiling height of the street-level story of the character structure is maintained

#### INCENTIVES FOR RETAINING A CHARACTER STRUCTURE

- Height exception (SMC 23.73.014.B)
  - 10' of additional height allowed above the 65' height limit if additional area is residential





Pike Pine Conservation Overlay District



Pike Pine Urban Village



Pike Pine Conservation Core



Landmarks



Character Structures





#### SITE CONTEXT - CITY OF SEATTLE LANDMARKS



1 WINTONIA HOTEL (1909)



4 OLD SEATTLE FIRE STATION #25 (1909)



WHITE MOTOR COMPANY BUILDING (1918)



10 SEATTLE 1ST BAPTIST CHURCH (1911)



2 FIRST COVENANT CHURCH (1911)



5 ELDRIDGE TIRE COMPANY BUILDING (1925)



8 KELLY-SPRINGFIELD MOTOR TRUCK BLDG (1913)



11 PHILLIPS HOUSE (1902)



3 SUMMIT SCHOOL/NORTHWEST SCHOOL (1905)



6 CAL ANDERSON PARK/LINCOLN RESERVOIR (1901)



9 1ST AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (1912)

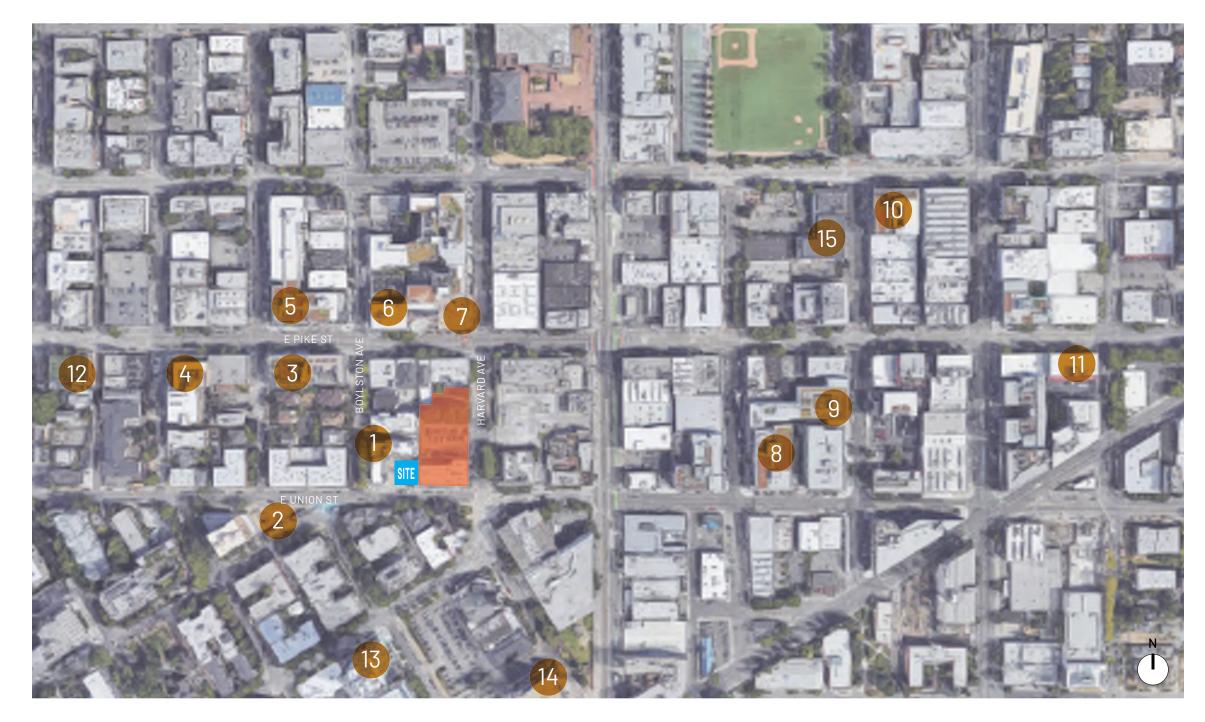


12 STIMSON/GREEN HOUSE (1901)





#### SITE CONTEXT - NEW DEVELOPMENT





1 1404 BOLYSTON AVE



2 FIRST HILL APARTMENTS



3 COVE





#### SITE CONTEXT - MULTIFAMILY HOUSING





5 AVA CAPITOL HILL



6 PIKE MOTORWORKS



7 PIKE FLATS



8 INFINITY APARTMENTS



9 JACK APARTMENTS



10 SUNSET ELECTRIC



11 1111 E. PIKE



12 NORTHWEST SCHOOL



13 LUMA



1001 BROADWAY

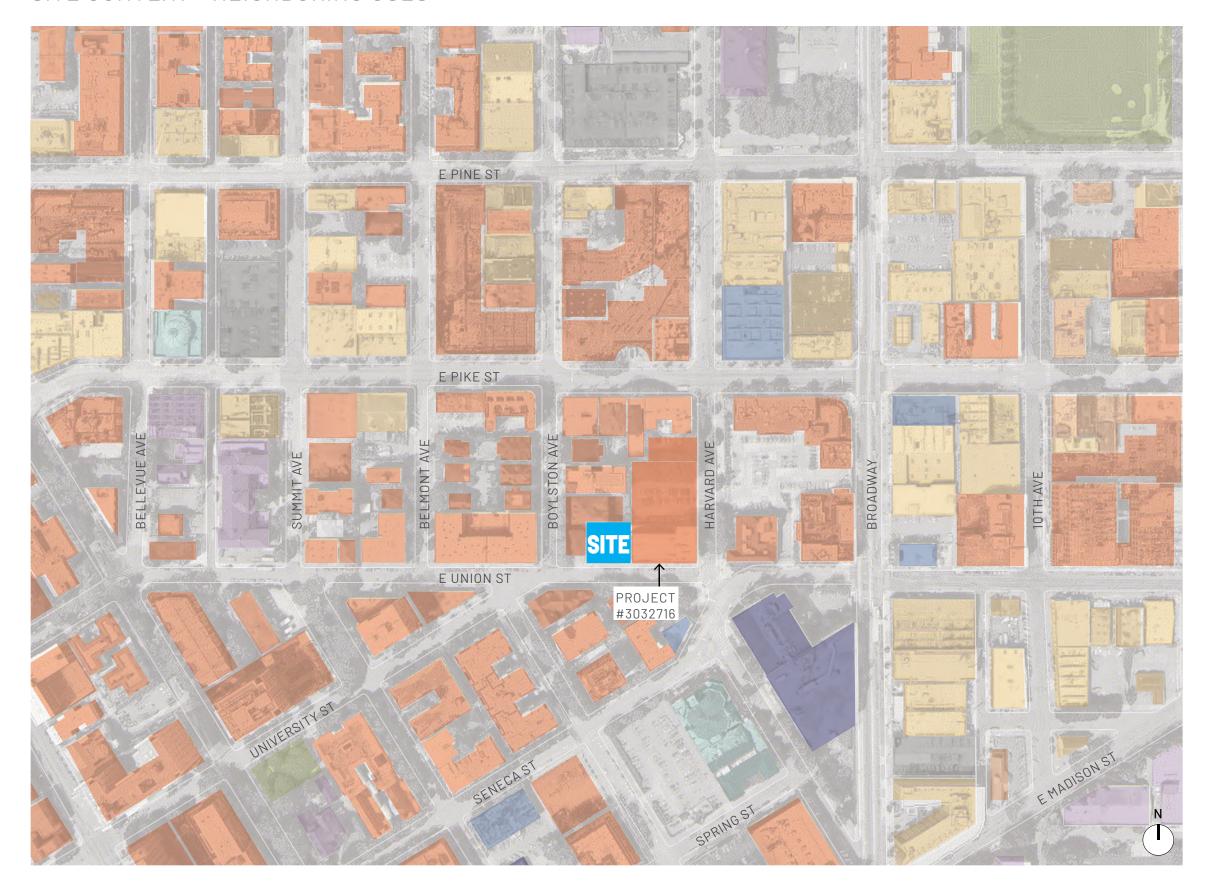


15 KELLY-SPRINGFIELD





#### SITE CONTEXT - NEIGHBORING USES



### NEIGHBORHOOD USES

MULTI-HOUSING

INSTITUTIONAL

RELIGIOUS

STRUCTURED PARKING

COMMERCIAL FOOD

COMMERCIAL RETAIL

SINGLE-FAMILY HOUSING

HOSPITALITY

OFFICE

PARK



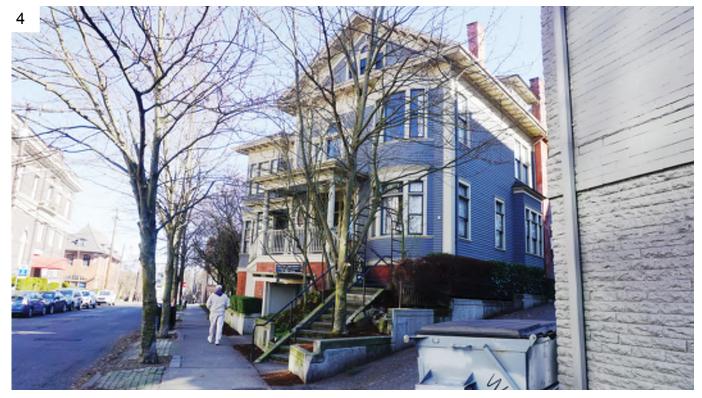


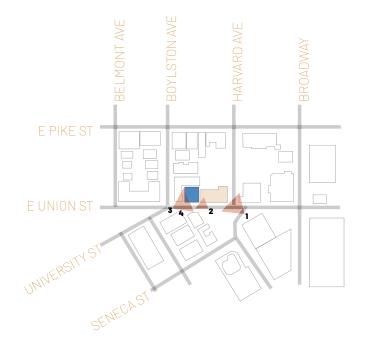
#### SITE CONTEXT - SITE PHOTOS















#### SITE CONTEXT - STREET ELEVATIONS



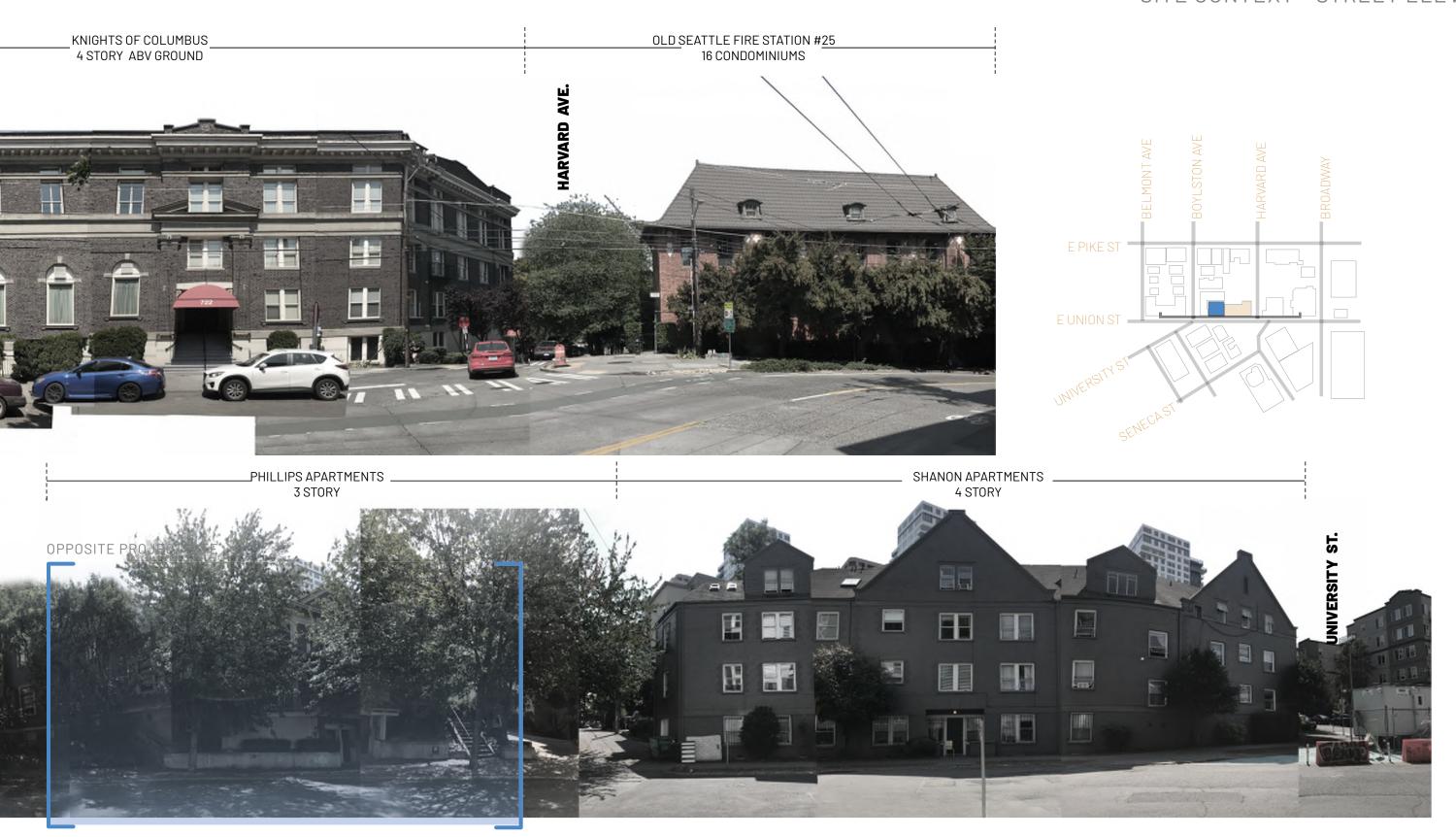


SOUTH ELEVATION OF E UNION ST





#### SITE CONTEXT - STREET ELEVATIONS





#### URBAN DESIGN ANALYSIS - OPPORTUNITIES

#### OPPORTUNITIES

- REHABILITATION OF ADJACENT HISTORIC BUILDING AND PROXIMITY TO OTHER DESIGNATED LANDMARKS
- PROXIMITY TO PIKE/PINE AND FIRST HILL NEIGHBORHOODS HIGHLY WALKABLE NEIGHBORHOODS
- ADJACENCY TO MAJOR TRANSIT ROUTES. BUSES, FIRST AVE STREETCAR, AND BIKE LANES
- (4) SOLAR ORIENTATION







# HARVARD AVE PROJECT #3032716 KNIGHTS OF E UNION ST



#### CONSTRAINTS

- 5 PROXIMITY TO NEIGHBORING PROJECTS
- 6 NO ALLEY ACCESS
- 7 SMALL SIZE OF SITE
- 8 ACCESSIBLE LOBBY AND REQUIRED SEPARATION OF GROUND FLOOR UNITS CREATES SIGNIFICANTLY DIFFERENT FLOOR LEVELS AT GRADE
- 9 HIGH VOLTAGE POWER LINES ON E UNION ST REQUIRE SETBACK

















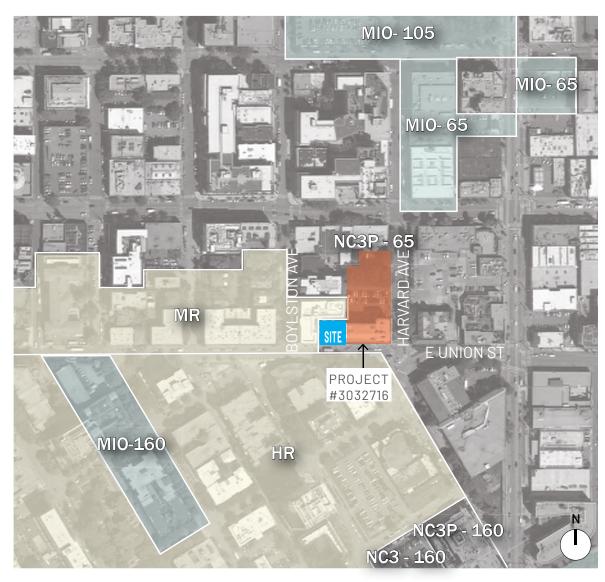


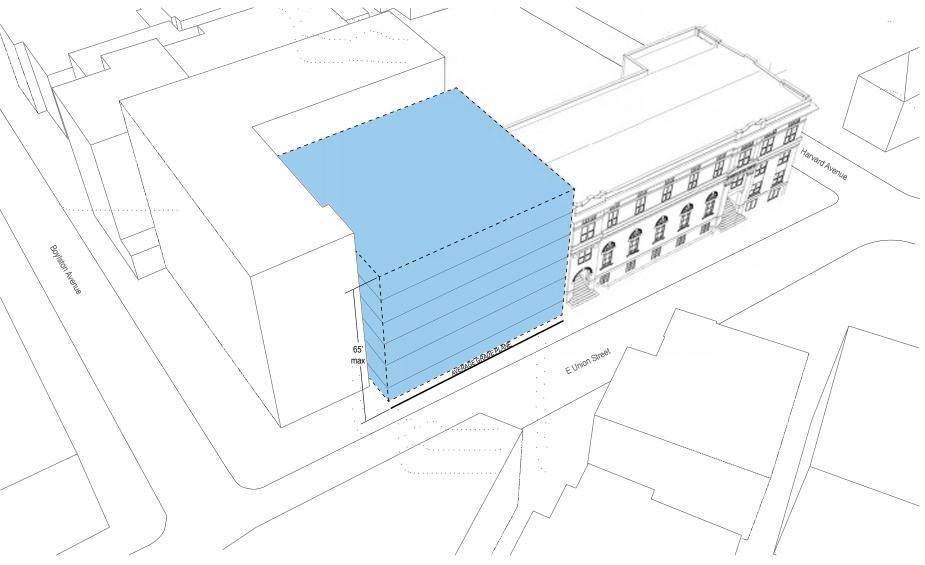
# ZONING DATA





#### ZONING - ZONING MAP





#### **ZONING MAP**



NC3P - 160

NC3 - 160 MR

1.15

HR

MIO - 65

MIO - 105

MIO - 160

#### **MAXIMUM ZONING ENVELOPE**

#### SITE ZONING

Zone: NC3P-65

Overlay: Pedestrian-Designated Zone

Pike/Pine Conservation Overlay District, Pike/Pine Urban Village

Street Classifications: No Principal Pedestrian Street Designation





#### 23.47A.004 PERMITTED AND PROHIBITED USES

Table A for 23.47A.004: Residential use is permitted Live-work units, retail sales and services are permitted

#### 23.47A.005 STREET-LEVEL USES

Residential uses are allowed and unlimited on non principal pedestrian streets E Union is not a principal pedestrian street in this location

#### 23.47A.006 CONDITIONAL USES

No conditional uses proposed

#### 23.47A.008 STREET-LEVEL DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

A. Basic Requirements

Blank segments of street-facing façade between 2 and 8 feet above the sidewalk may not exceed 20 feet in width.

Total of all blank façade may not exceed 40% of the width of the street façade. Street-facing facades shall be located within 10 feet of the street lot line, unless wider sidewalks etc. are provided.

- B. Non-residential street level requirements N/A
- C. In Pedestrian Designated Zones

Requirements for principal pedestrian streets - N/A

- D. Residential Uses along a street-level street-facing facade require:
  - 1.) A visually prominent pedestrian entry
  - 2.) The floor of a dwelling unit located along the street-level street-facing facade shall be at least 4' above sidewalk grade or be set back at least 10' N/A
- E. Live-work units N/A
- F. The Director may allow exceptions to the street-level requirements
- G. Existing Structures N/A

#### 23.47A.012 STRUCTURAL HEIGHT

- C.2. Open railings, planters, skylights, clerestories, greenhouses, solariums, parapets, and firewalls may extend up to 4 feet above the otherwise applicable height limit. Insulation, rooftop decks, etc. May extend 2 feet above height limit if enclosed by parapets or walls.
- C.3. Solar collectors may extend up to 7 feet above the height limit in 65 foot zone.
- C.4. The following may extend up to 15 feet above height limit with a coverage of 20% or 25% if including stair and elevator penthouses and screened mechanical equipment: Solar collectors, mechanical equipment, play equipment, wind-driven power generators, minor communications utilities, stair and elevator penthouses may extend 16 feet above height limit.

C.7. The following must be located at least 10 feet from the north lot line: solar collectors, planters, clerestories, greenhouses, minor communications utilities, non-firewall parapets, play equipment

#### 23.47A.013 - FAR

N/A - See Section 23.73.009

#### 23.47A.014 - SETBACK REQUIREMENTS

N/A - Site does not abut nor is it across alley from any residential zone

#### 23.47A.016 - LANDSCAPING AND SCREENING STANDARDS

A.2 Green factor of 0.3 is required

B.1 Street trees are required

#### 23.47A.017 MHA SUFFIX

N/A - Application will be vested prior to forthcoming MHA Up-zone

#### 23.47A022 - LIGHT AND GLARE STANDARDS

A. Exterior lighting must be shielded and directed away from adjacent uses

#### 23.47A.024 - AMENITY AREA

A. Required in an amount equal to 5% of the total gross floor area in residential use

B. Amenity areas shall not be enclosed, Common area requirements: 10' min. horizontal dimension, 250 sf min. size Private area requirements: 60 sf min. size and 6' min horizontal dimension

#### 23.47A.032 - PARKING LOCATION AND ACCESS

N/A - No parking provided on site

#### 23.54.015 REQUIRED PARKING AND MAXIMUM PARKING LIMITS

Table B - Residential required parking:

All residential uses within urban centers have no minimum requirement

#### K BICYCLE PARKING

Table D - Bicycle Parking:

Multi-family =  $1 \log \text{term} / \text{dwelling unit} + 1 / 20 \text{ dwelling units short term}$ 

K.3 Bicycle parking for residential uses shall be located on-site

#### 23.54.030 PARKING SPACE STANDARDS

N/A - No parking provided on site

#### 23.54.040 SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLABLE MATERIALS STORAGE

Table A -

16 - 25 dwelling units = 225 sf

26 - 50 dwelling units = 375 sf

Minimum horizontal dimension of required storage is 12'

Placed no more than 50' from curb, ramps 6% max.

#### PIKE/PINE CONSERVATION OVERLAY DISTRICT

#### 23.73.008 - STREET-LEVEL USES

B. Small commercial use - N/A

#### 23.73.009 - FAR

- A. Residential use only or mixed use 23.47A.013 apply except as provided in this section and in 23.73.024
- B. Non-residential uses N/A
- C. The following floor area is exempt:

C.4 - In areas where the underlying zoning is NC3P-65, all floor area in any use if the lot that is to be developed is 8,000 sf or less in area and has been either vacant or in parking use since February 27, 1995

#### 23.73.010 - FLOOR AREA LIMITS OUTSIDE THE CONSERVATION CORE

A. Floor area limit: 15,000 sf for any single story above 35' - N/A

#### 23.73.014 - HEIGHT EXCEPTIONS

N/A - No height exceptions apply

#### 23.73.015 - RETENTION AND DEMOLITION OF CHARACTER STRUCTURES

N/A - No character structure on lot





















DESIGN GUIDELINES





#### **CS2 URBAN PATTERN AND FORM**



Approach: Respond to datum from historic and contemporary neighbors and bridge the pedestrian experience between them

#### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE**

Strengthen the most desirable forms, characteristics, and patterns of the streets, block faces, and open spaces in the surrounding area.

#### **PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:**

#### 2. Adjacent Sites, Streets, and Open Spaces

- Site Characteristics: Massing and articulation should respond to the established Pike Pine development pattern of street facing facade widths and mid-block depths
- ii. Connection to the Street: Integrate new development with existing street patterns to maintain a cohesive streetscape

#### 3. Relationship to the Block

- ii. Small Site Development:
- Design new developments on small lots to enhance the pedestrian environment and minimize parking and service uses along the street frontage.
- b. Maintain a continuous street wall and discourage front setbacks
- c. Provide rear and side setbacks to maximize access to light, air, and usable space between structures, minimize exposed blank walls, create usable open space or separate parking from the street front
- d. Consider opportunities for unique design treatments on small sites

#### 4. Height, Bulk, and Scale Compatibility; Pike/Pine Scale and Proportion

i. Scale and Form: Design new structures to be compatible in scale and form with surrounding context.

#### **CS3 ARCHITECTURAL CONTEXT AND CHARACTER**



Approach: Respect historic architectural tradition of the neighborhood with complementary materials and detailing

#### CITYWIDE GUIDELINE

Contribute to the architectural character of the neighborhood.

#### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

#### 1. Existing Architectural Context

i. New buildings should respond to the architectural tradition of nearby buildings. Architectural styles and materials that complement the historic "auto-row" light-industrial vernacular are encouraged.

#### 2. Architectural Compatibility

- i. Design new development that references architectural features and elements of existing structures on the block face to maintain block face rhythm and continuity.
- ii. Design new structures for compatibility with existing context while allowing for creative expression, response to unique conditions, and adaptability to the changing function of the area.

#### **PL3 STREET-LEVEL INTERACTION**



Approach: Highlight primary entry with canopy and create a visual connection to the street

#### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Encourage human interaction and activity at the street level with clear connections to building entries and edges.

#### **PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:**

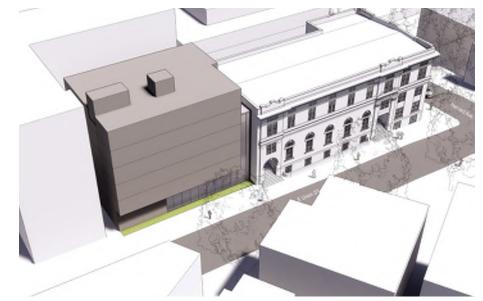
#### 1. Residential Entries

- Design primary entries to provide visually prominent pedestrian access, weather protection, and to enhance the overall design concept.
- i. Design entries for residential buildings and residents' entries to mixed-use buildings to be visually prominent and feature weather protection, special lighting and architectural enhancements.
- ii. Residential entryways that feature heavy or contrasting trim, distinctive materials and a link to the surrounding streetscape are encouraged.





#### DC2 ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT



Approach: Respond to patterns created by surrounding buildings to create a bridging architectural concept between old and new styles

#### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Develop an architectural concept that will result in a unified and functional design that fits well on the site and within its surroundings.

#### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

The Pike/Pine architectural context is composed of buildings that represent three predominant design approaches:

- 1. Structural Grid or Warehouse Expression approach;
- 2. Modulated Façade approach; and
- 3. Traditional Residential approach.

The design of new buildings should be based on the concept that focuses on a few well-articulated objectives rather than a less coherent variety of elements. While a straightforward, clear design approach is preferred, mixing approaches is acceptable if it achieves a better response to a particular context or special conditions. See Appendix A-1 for further explanation and examples of these three design approaches.

#### 1. Concept

Design new buildings that reference the predominant design approaches to reinforce the existing architectural context.

- Design concepts should emphasize relatively simple facade character with high quality materials, modulation, and refined details to reflect the neighborhood's architectural heritage.
- ii. Design concepts for projects that include character structures should emphasize the character structure. A clear design concept should guide the project's response to the character structure.

#### **DC3 OPEN SPACE CONCEPT**



Approach: Weave open space around the site to help alleviate the proximity of the neighboring project and create a pedestrian response at the lobby entry

#### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Integrate open space design with the design of the buildings so that each complements the other.

#### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

#### . Residential Open Space

Design project open space to be compatible with established development patterns and to enhance street-level activity.

i. Locate balconies to respond to neighborhood context and enhance livability for residents.

#### 2. Street Landscaping

Locate and design street level landscaping to complement open space areas on the development site and to soften street edges.

#### **DC4 EXTERIOR ELEMENTS AND FINISHES**



Approach: Use material and color strategically to achieve simplicity, complement the adjacent historic building, and highlight entrances

#### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Use appropriate and high quality elements and finishes for the building and its open spaces.

#### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

#### 1. Exterior Finish Materials

New development should complement the neighborhood's auto-row and light-industrial vernacular through type and arrangement of exterior building materials. Preferred materials and approaches include.

- i. Brick, masonry, textured or patterned concrete, true stucco, with wood and metal as secondary or accent materials.
- ii. Other integral color high quality materials that work well with the historic materials and style of neighboring buildings
- iii. Exterior features and details such as: entrances, fully-glazed storefront windows and expansive glazing, parapets, cornices, roofs, windows, ornamentation, signage, and color
- iv. Limited number of exterior finish materials per building
- v. High quality glazing and trim as a vital component of exterior finish;
- vi. Materials and treatments that are consistent with a specific design approach



















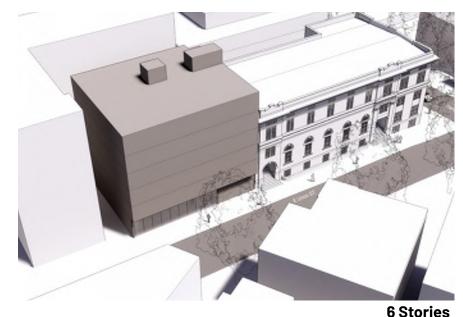


MASSING OPTIONS









Setback 6' along rear and west property lines
Single Egress - Limited to 4 units per floor

#### OPTION A - CODE COMPLIANT

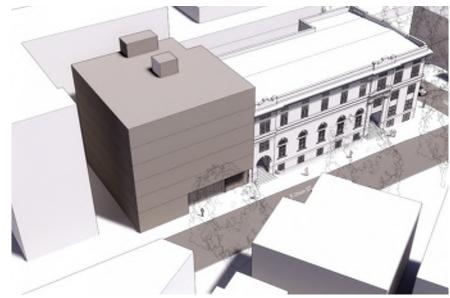
- Unit Count = 22
- 30,720 GSF total
- 1,000 SF Average Unit Size
- 6 Stories
- 65' Above Average Grade

#### PROS:

- · Code Compliant
- Equal setbacks at north and west property lines reduce area of blank wall
- · Maximizes development potential

#### CONS:

- Abrupt transition between new and old detracts from character structure
- Large massing adjacent to character structure is not appropriately scaled
- Equal north and west setbacks allow only ~13' separation from adjacent L-shaped residential building
- 6' setback at north and west property lines limits window openings



6 Stories Higher Unit Count Setback 12' along west property line

#### OPTION B

- Unit Count = 45
- 30,000 GSF total
- 445 SF Average Unit Size
- 6 Stories
- 65' Above Average Grade

#### PROS:

 Larger setback at west property line allows ~19' separation from adjacent residential building

#### CONS:

- Abrupt transition between new and old detracts from character structure
- $\bullet\,$  Large massing adjacent to character structure is not appropriately scaled
- Minimal setback along north property line creates blank wall and allows only ~8' separation from adjacent residential building
- Departure required for residential use along street



6 Stories Maximize Unit Count Setback 12' along rear property line

#### OPTION C - PREFERRED

- Unit Count = 51
- 28,000 GSF total
- 375 SF Average Unit Size
- 6 Stories
- 65' Above Average Grade

#### PROS:

- · Code Compliant
- Gasket condition highlights character structure and emphasizes main entrance
- Lower height is more appropriately scaled and stepped massing creates height transition to character structure
- Larger setback at north property line allows ~19' separation from adjacent residential building

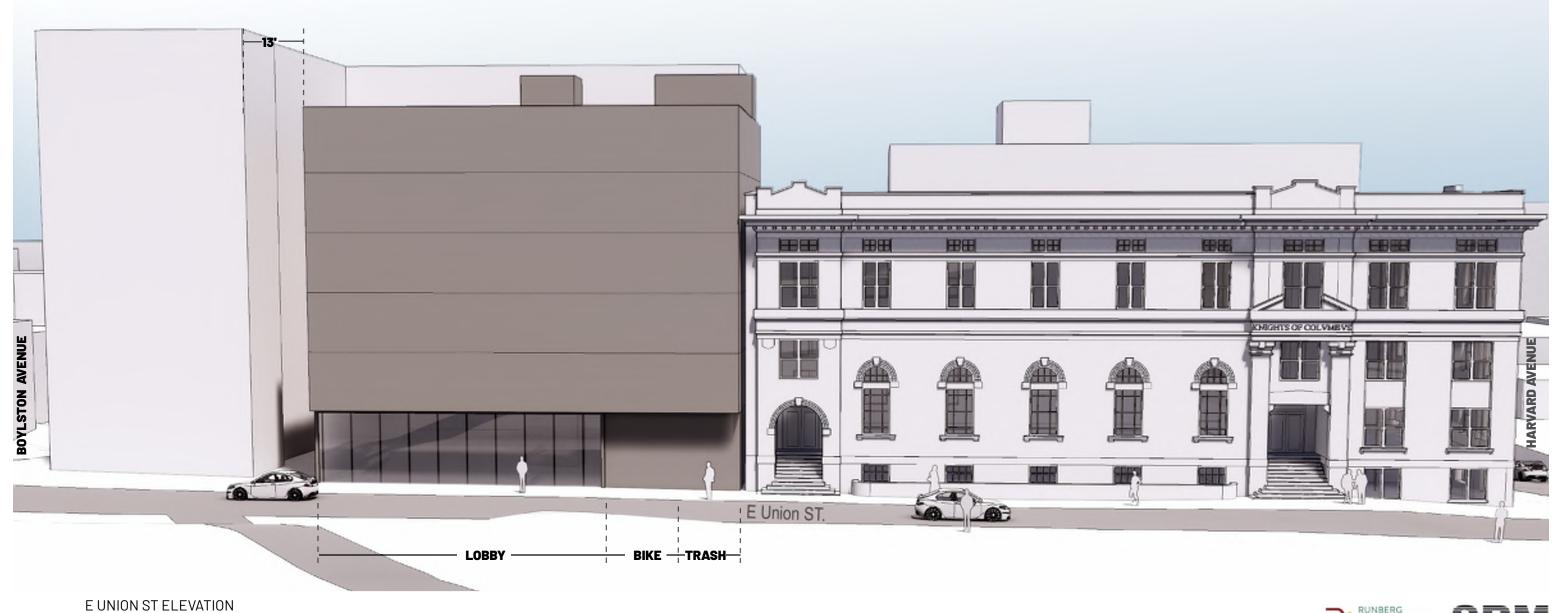
#### CONS:

 Minimal setback along west property line creates blank wall and allows only ~8' separation from adjacent residential building





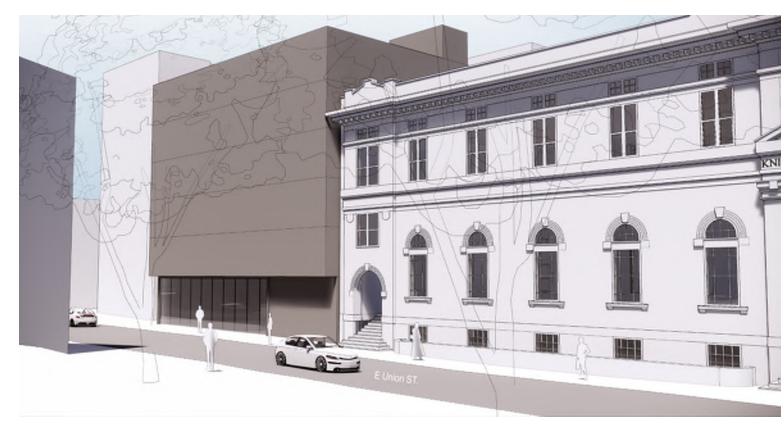
# OPTION A CODE COMPLIANT







#### MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION A



STREET VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E UNION ST. & HARVARD AVE.



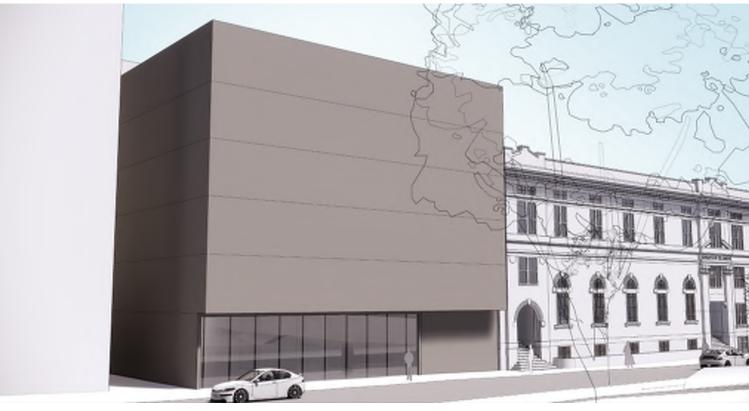
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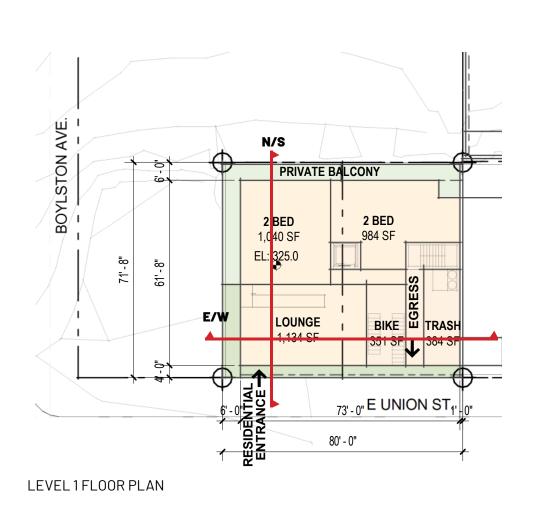




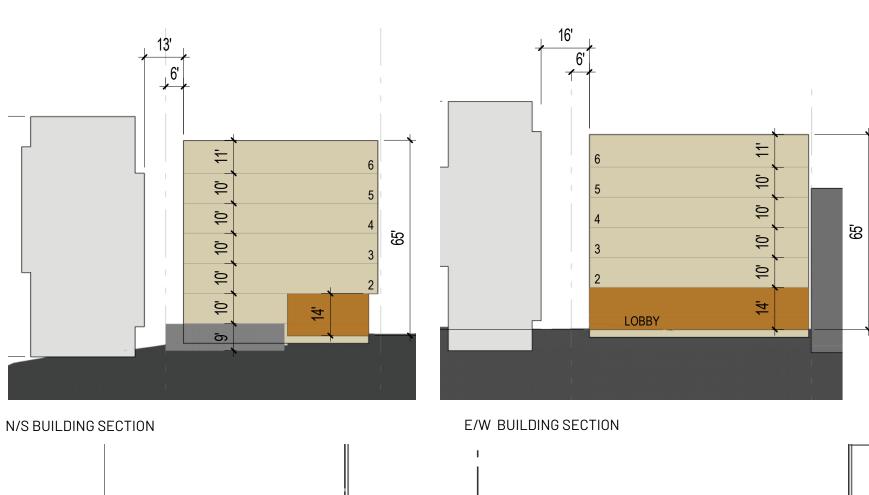
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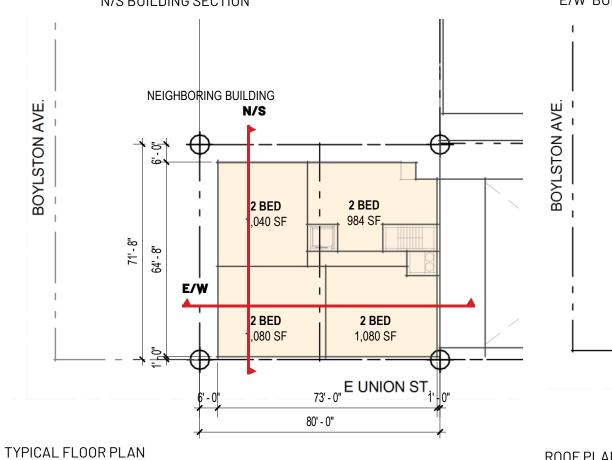


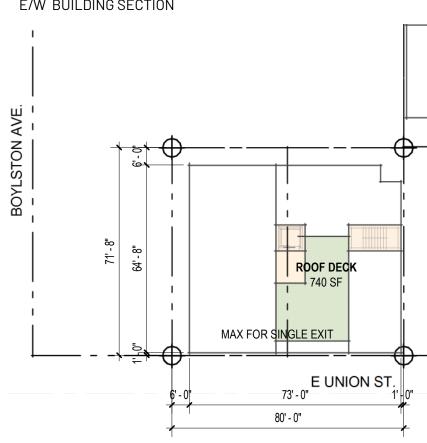
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ROOF PLAN





#### **RELEVANT DESIGN GUIDELINES**

#### PROS:

Massing should respond to the established Pike/Pine development pattern of street facing facade widths to maintain a cohesive streetscape.

CS2.3 Maintain a continuous street wall.

Architectural styles and material that complement the historic "autorow" light industrial vernacular style are encouraged.

DC3.1 Design open space to enhance street-level activity.

Exterior finish materials should complement the neighborhood's autorow and light-industrial vernacular.

#### CONS:

PL3.1

DC2.1

DC3.2

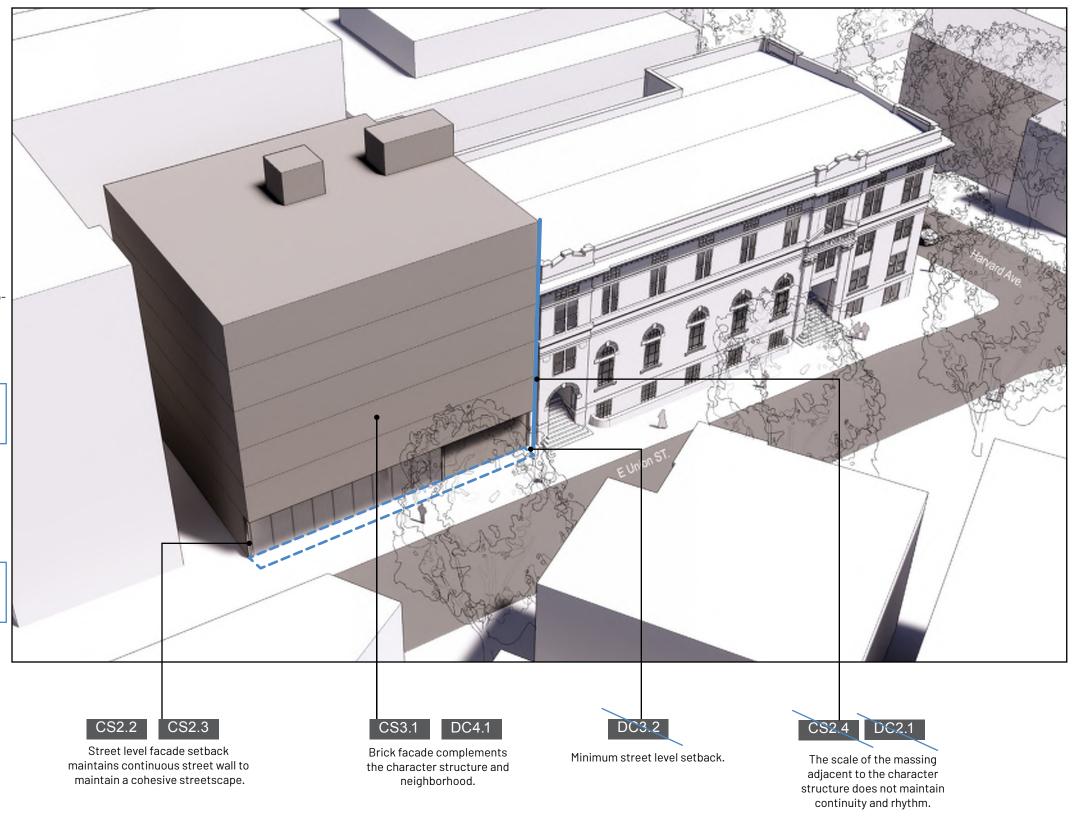
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Design street level landscaping to complement open space areas.







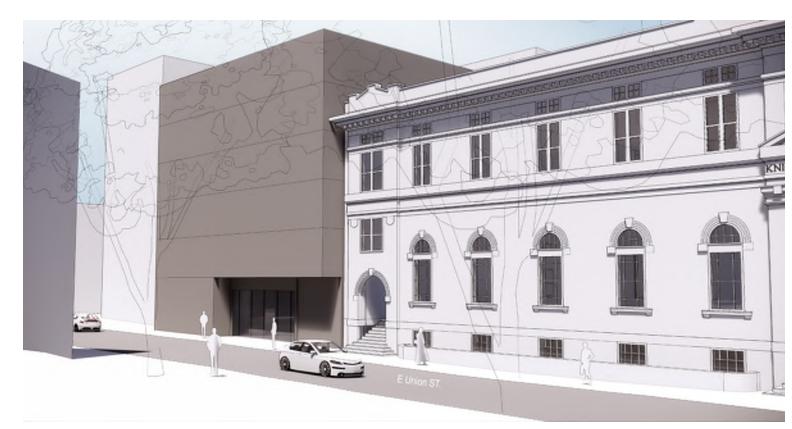
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#### MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION B



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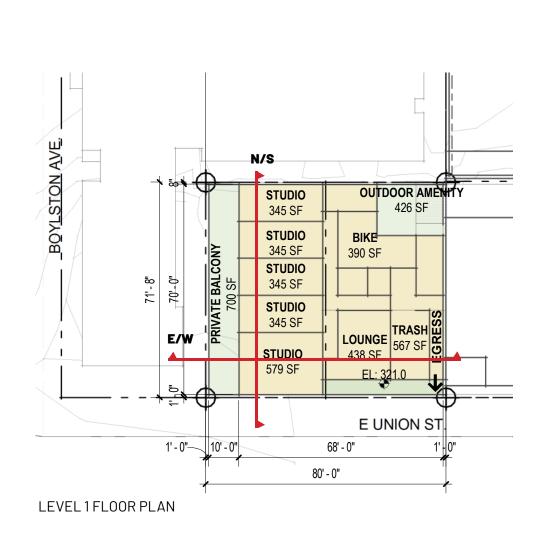


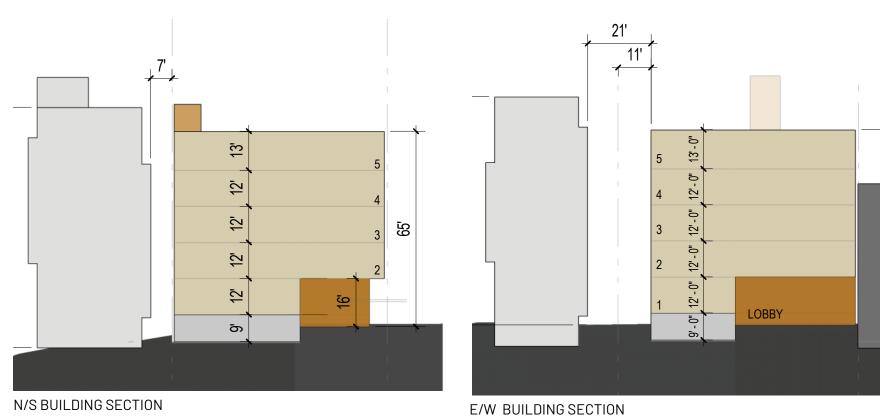


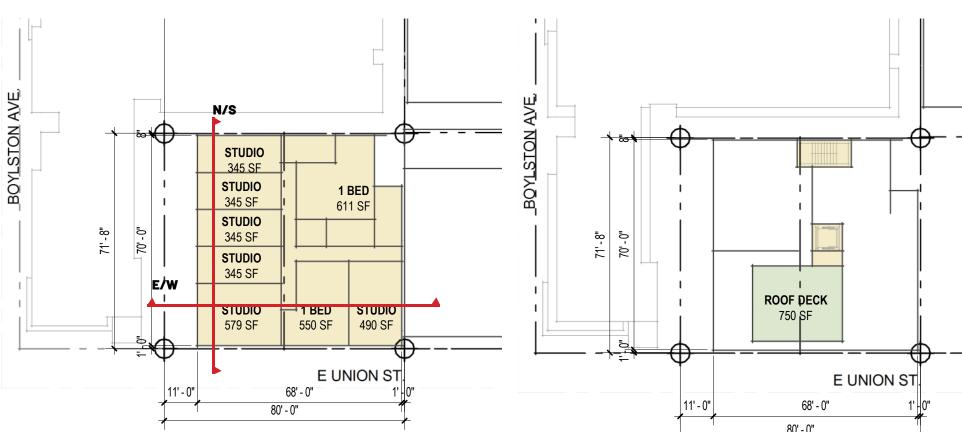
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STREET VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E UNION ST. & BOYLSTON AVE.







**ROOF PLAN** 





TYPICAL FLOOR PLAN

#### **RELEVANT DESIGN GUIDELINES**

#### PROS:

CS3.1

Architectural styles and material that complement the historic "autorow" light industrial vernacular are encouraged.

DC4.1

Exterior finish materials should complement the neighborhood's autorow and light-industrial vernacular.

#### CONS:

CS2.2

Massing should respond to the established Pike/Pine development pattern of street facing facade widths to maintain a cohesive streetscape.

CS2.3

Maintain a continuous street wall.

CS2.4

Design new structures to be compatible in scale and form with surrounding context.

CS3.2

Design new development that references architectural features and elements of existing structures on the block face to maintain block face rhythm and continuity.

PL3.1

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PL3.2

Street level residences should be designed with physical and visual transitions for resident livability and privacy.

DC2.1

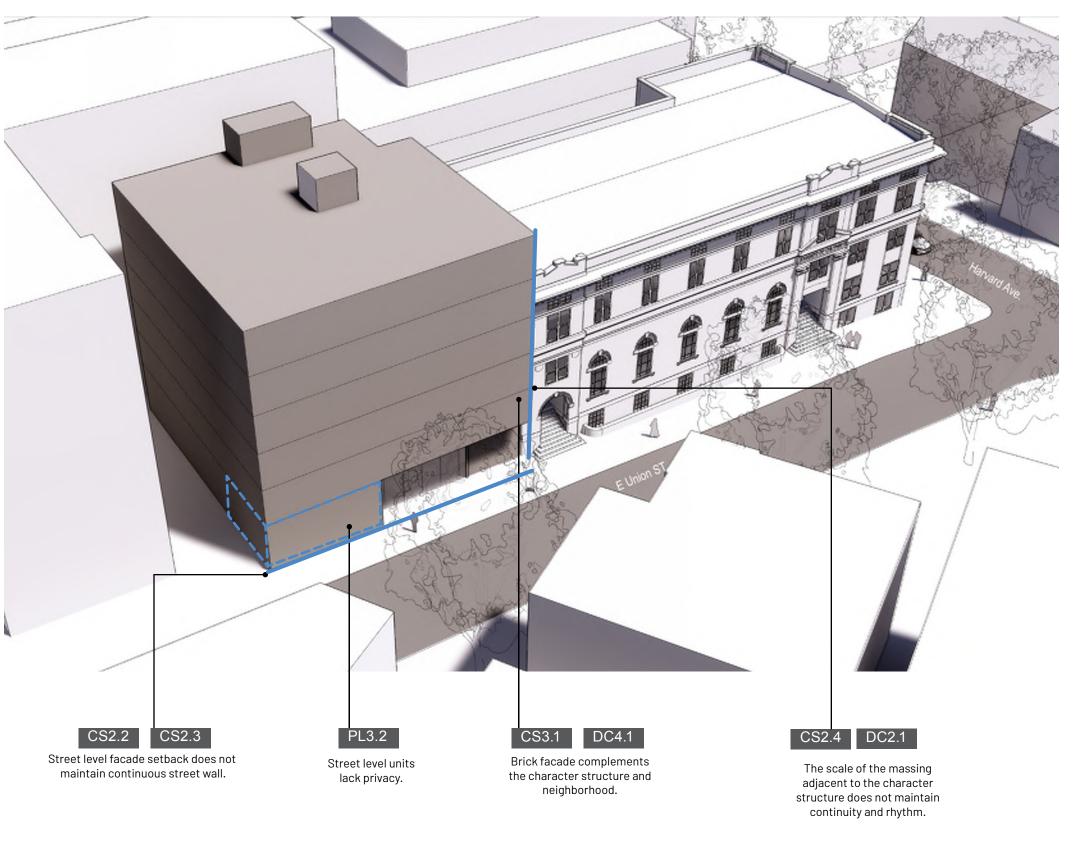
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DC3.2

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# OPTION C PREFERRED





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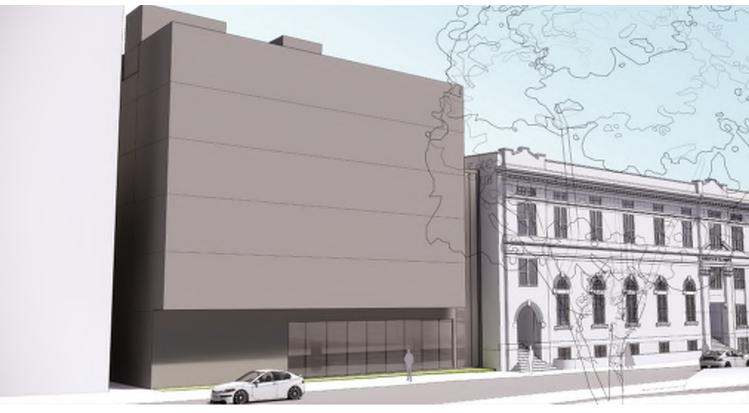


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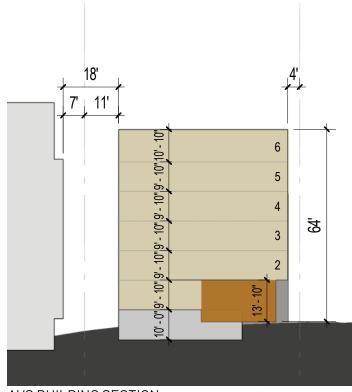




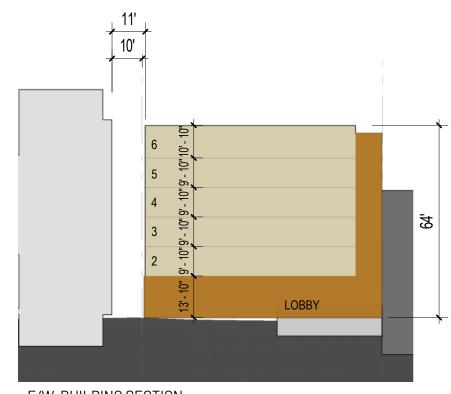
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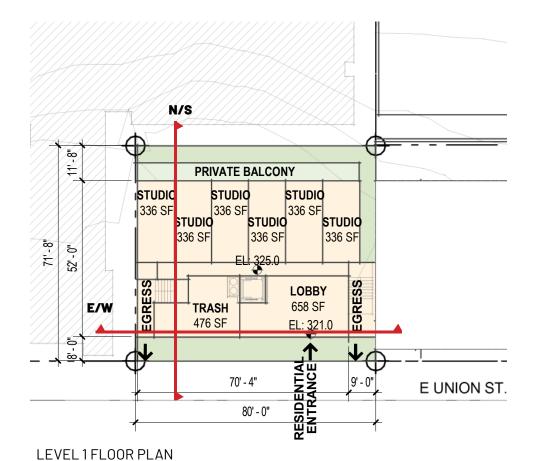
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N/S BUILDING SECTION



E/W BUILDING SECTION



74' - 0" N/S 11'-8" STUDIO 336 SF 336 SF STUDIO 336 SF 336 S STUDIO 336 SF 336 SF 71'-8" 26'-0" 1 BED STUDIO 1 BED E/W 354 SF 70' - 4" E UNION ST. 80' - 0"

ROOF DECK
741 SF
MAX FOR SINGLE EXIT

43'-6"

36'-6"

**ROOF PLAN** 





TYPICAL FLOOR PLAN

#### **RELEVANT DESIGN GUIDELINES**

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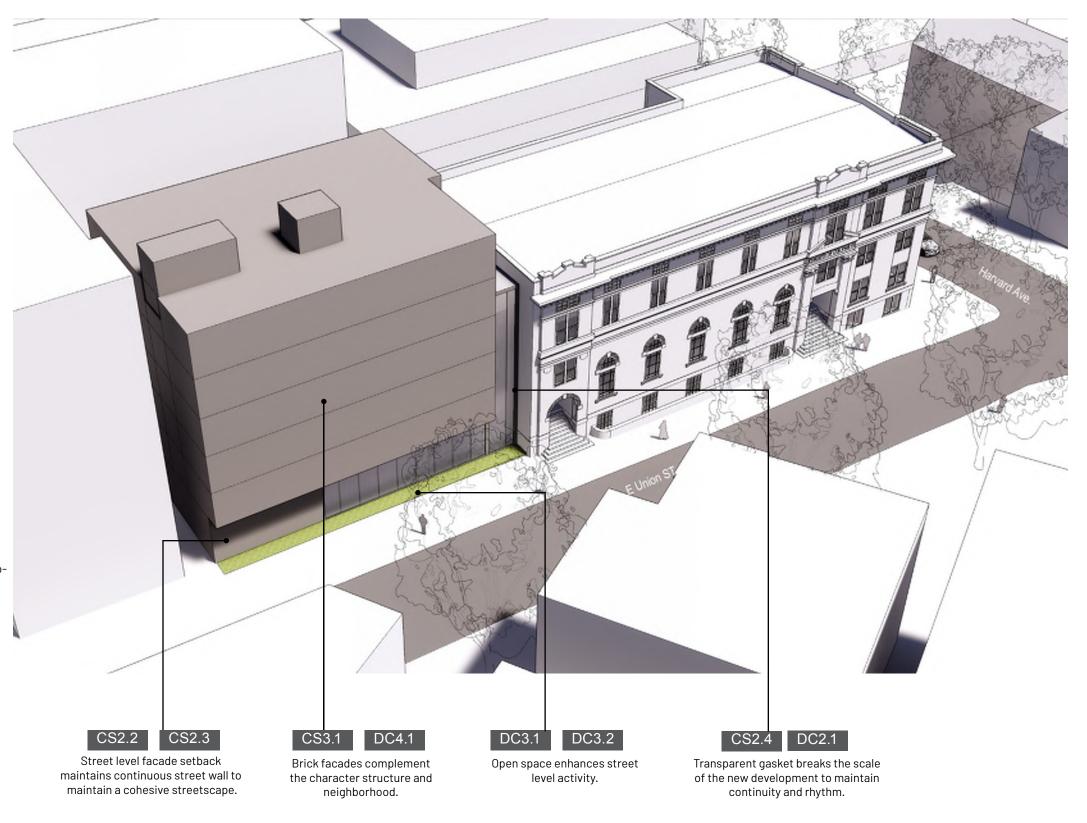
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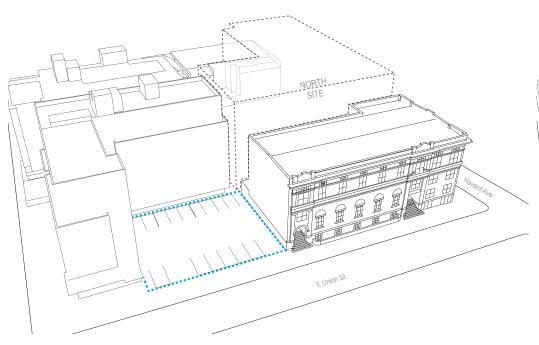
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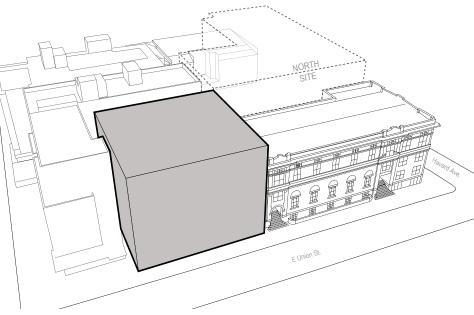


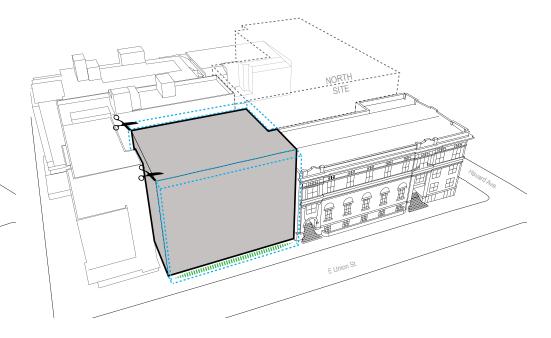




## PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C MASSING DEVELOPMENT



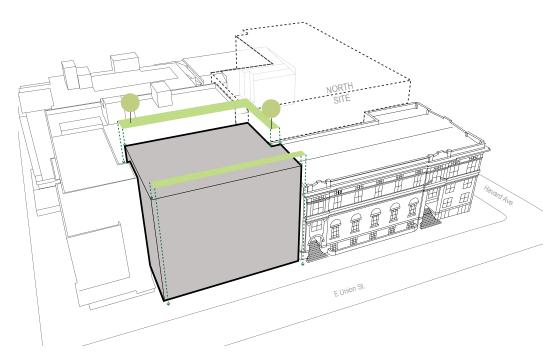




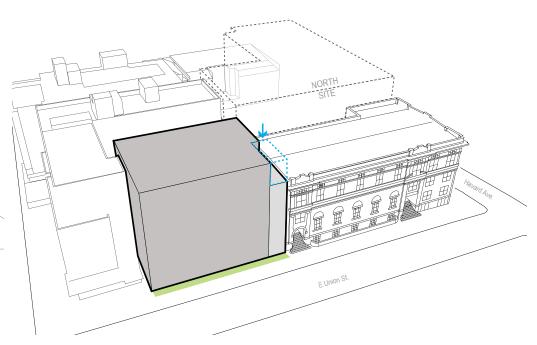
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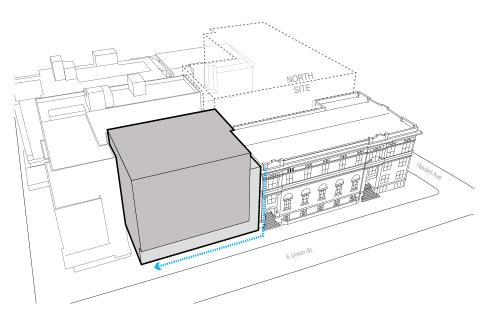
Setback 4' from the street to enhance streetscape on E Union St. Setback 12' from the north property line to provide livable spaces (-7,000 sf)



Introduce landscape to enhance these pockets of spaces.



Introduce transparent gasket element as a transition between the historic building and new development



Wrap the transparent element to the street facade to provide continuity and activate the streetscape, and also reduce the impact on the historic structure

(-425 sf)





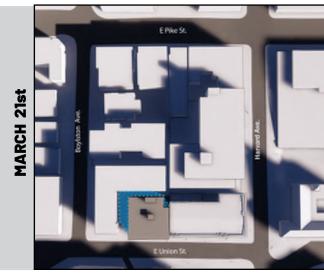
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Massing Option - B







Massing Option - C **Preferred Option** 







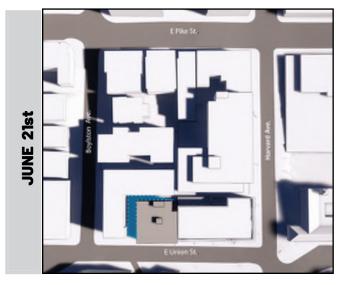
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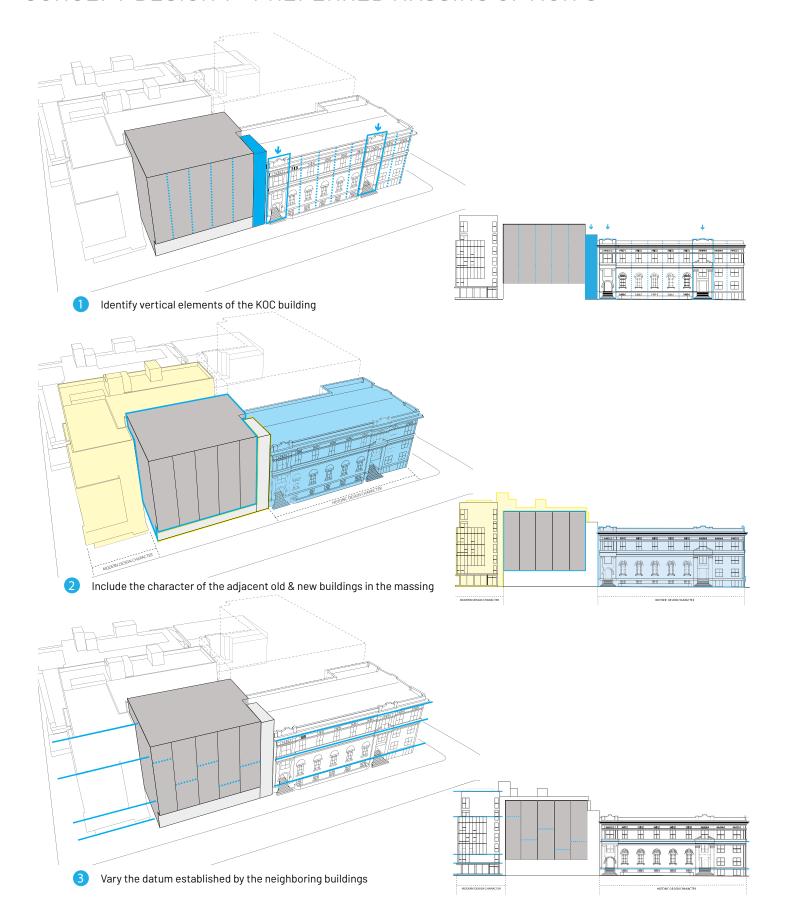


### MASSING DEVELOPMENT





#### CONCEPT DESIGN 1 - PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C





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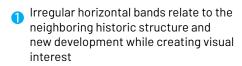


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Vertical brick detail



 Accent panel highlights the verticality of the massing



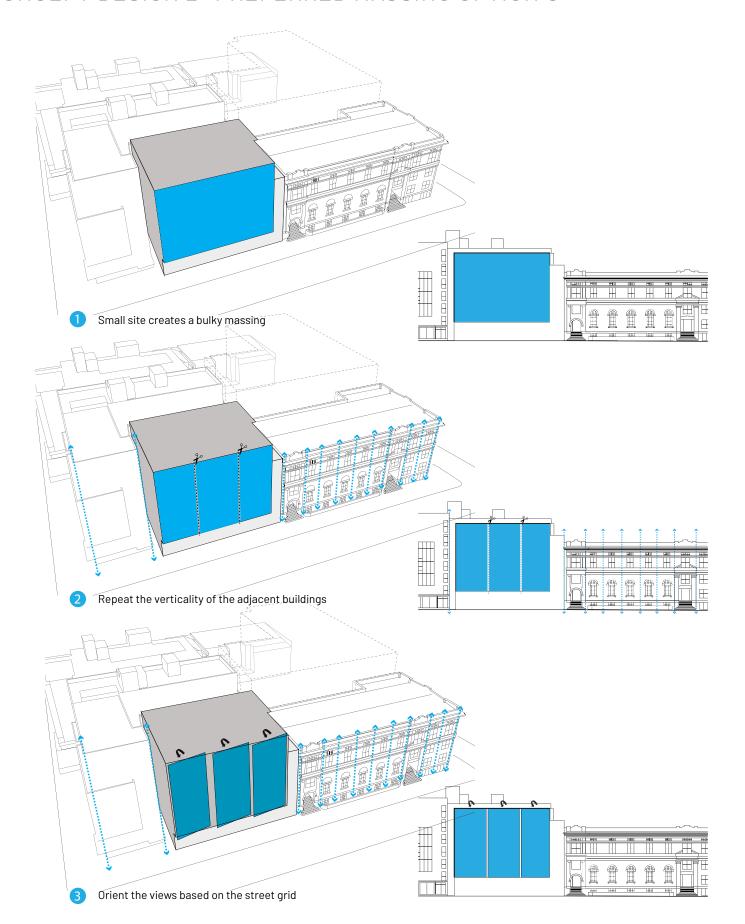


STREET VIEW LOOKING NORTH WEST





#### CONCEPT DESIGN 2- PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C





RD'S EYE VIEW LOOKING NORTH EAST



FREET VIEW LOOKING NORTH EAST





#### CONCEPT DESIGN 2- PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C



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Brick to infill transition detail



2 Brick detail



3 Transparent gasket creates separation between the historic and new development





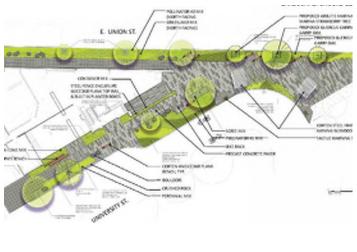


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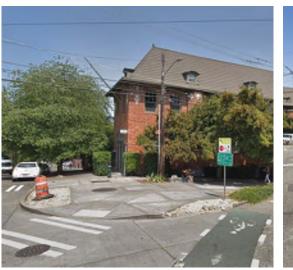
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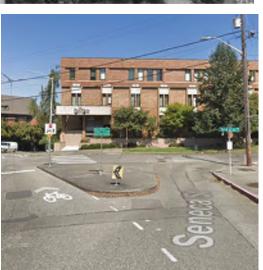










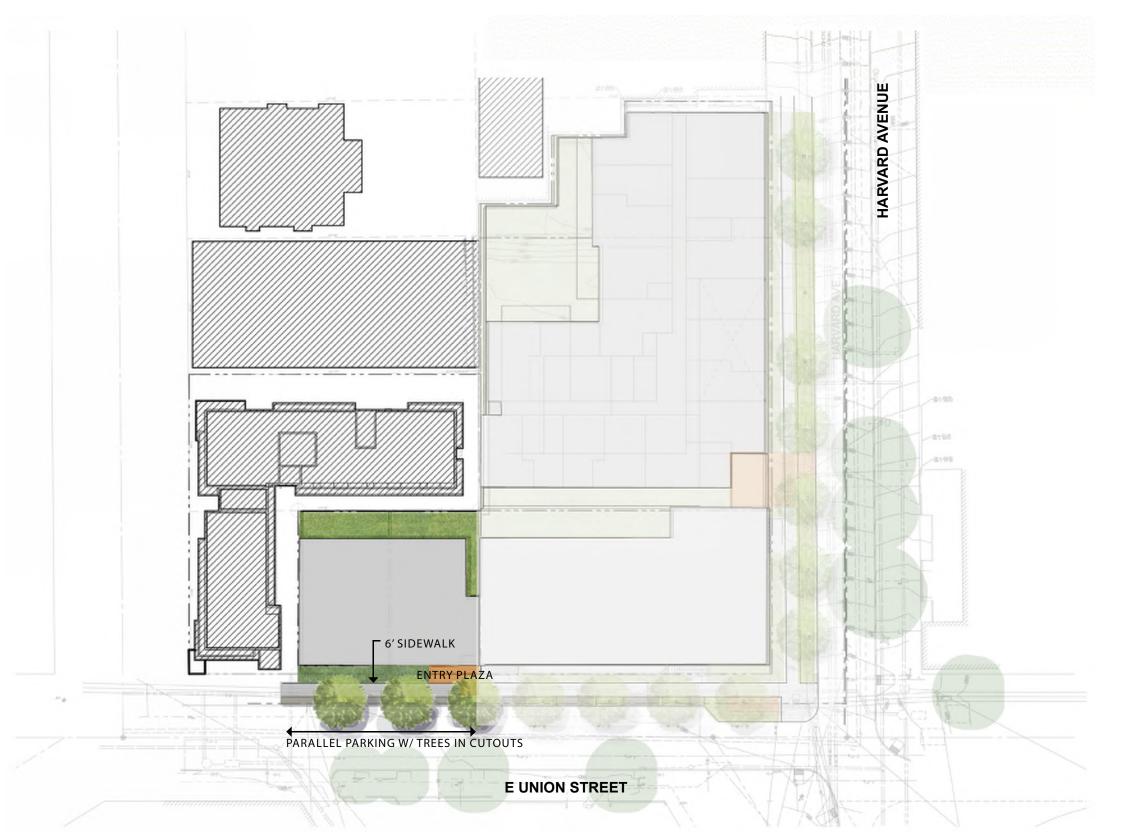








#### ARCHITECTURAL EXPRESSION - LANDSCAPE SITE OPPORTUNITIES















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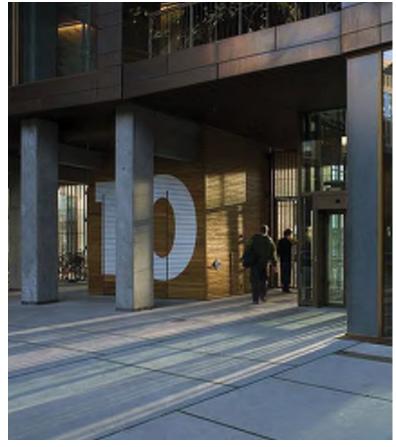


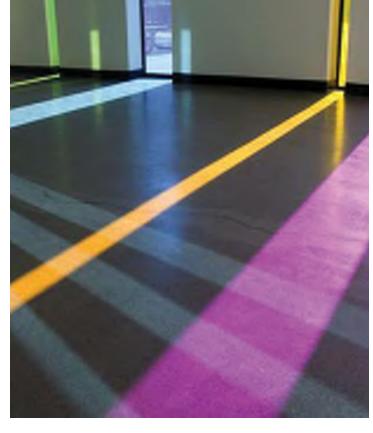
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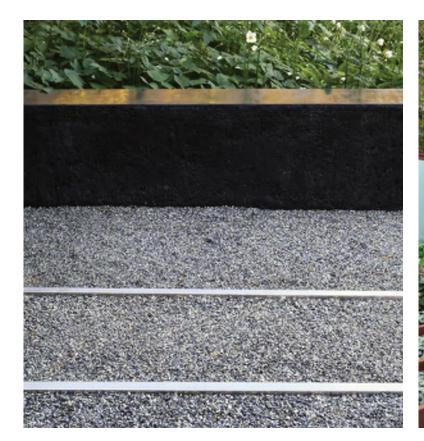


private and public - emerging views - transparency





light patterns as floor and ceiling













### **722 E UNION STREET**



EARLY DESIGN GUIDANCE 1 # 3032716-EG APRIL 24, 2019













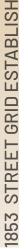




# HISTORY & FUTURE

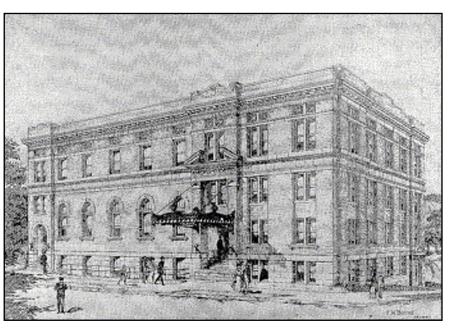












KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING

1913 THE SEATTLE COUNCIL OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, ONE OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST CATHOLIC FRATERNAL BUIL ORGANIZATIONS, WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1902. COLUMBUS

THE CLUBHOUSE AT 722 E UNION STREET OPENED IN APRIL 1913.

THE BUILDING HOUSED A BALLROOM, MEN'S SMOKING ROOM, LADIES' PARLOR, AS WELL AS A GYM AND SWIMMING POOL IN THE BASEMENT. IT HAS HOSTED DANCES, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS, BANQUETS, HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL PRACTICES, AND NIGHT-CLASSES.

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ARTHUR DENNY, CARSON BOREN AND DOC MAYNARD FILED THE FIRST PLATS FOR THE CITY OF SEATTLE, BUT COULD NOT AGREE STREET GRID ORIENTATION.

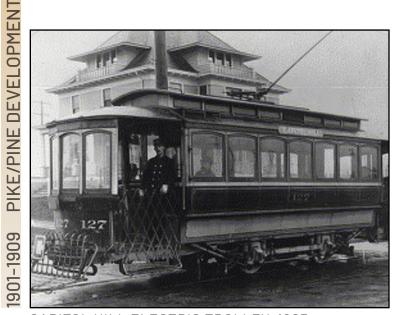
DENNY AND BOREN LAID THEIR STREET GRIDS PARALLEL TO THE SHORE OF ELLIOTT BAY. THIS ORIENTATION PREVAILED IN THE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT, INCLUDING WHAT IS NOW FIRST HILL.

MAYNARD ALIGNED HIS STREET GRIDS WITH DUE NORTH. THIS GRID WAS EXTENDED THROUGHOUT THE CITY, INCLUDING WHAT IS NOW THE PIKE/PINE NEIGHBORHOOD.

FIRST HILL INITIALLY DEVELOPED AS A RESIDENTIAL AREA, BECOMING HOME TO THE MANSIONS OF THE CITY'S "FIRST FAMILIES" IN THE 1880S, AND CONTINUED TO GROW AFTER THE FIRST STREETCAR LINE
WAS EXTENDED FROM
BEACON HILL ALONG
BROADWAY IN 1891. STREETCAR LINE

## 불 FIRST

THE EXTENSION OF STREET CAR LINES TO CAPITOL HILL RIDGE IN 1901-1909 INCREASED ACCESS, RESULTING IN A RESIDENTIAL BUILDING BOOM. CAPITOL HILL QUICKLY
BECAME A "STREETCAR
SUBURB" WITH A MIX
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CAPITOL HILL ELECTRIC TROLLEY, 1903





**PROJECT ADDRESS:** 

722 E UNION ST, SEATTLE, WA 98122 1409 HARVARD AVE, SEATTLE, WA 98122 1407 HARVARD AVE, SEATTLE, WA 98122

SITE AREA: 9,425 SF (0.22 ACRES)

> 15,350 SF (0.35 ACRES) 5,758 SF (0.13 ACRES)

**ZONING:** ZONING TYPE: NC3P-65; PIKE / PINE OVERLAY DISTRICT

**PROJECT VISION:** PROVIDE A VARIETY OF UNIT TYPES AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE PIKE/PINE AND FIRST HILL

NEIGHBORHOODS THAT SUPPORT WALKABILITY AND EASY ACCESS TO SHOPPING, NIGHTLIFE, AND ARTS.

PRESERVE AND REUSE THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING AND DESIGN NEW CONSTRUCTION TO BE COMPATIBLE WITH THE HISTORIC CHARACTER.

**NEW BUILD UNITS:** PROPOSED +/-125 NEW UNITS

**NEW BUILD GSF:** PROPOSED +/- 186,000 GSF

**PARKING:** PROPOSED +/- 140 STALLS PROPOSED +/- 47,800 GSF

**DEVELOPER:** 

111 N. POST ST, SUITE 200, SPOKANE, WA 99201

**ARCHITECT:** RUNBERG ARCHITECTURE GROUP 1 YESLER WAY, SEATTLE, WA 98104

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT: BRUMBAUGH & ASSOCIATES

600 N 85TH STREET, SUITE 102, SEATTLE WA 98103

**BUILDING CODE:** 2015 SEATTLE BUILDING CODE

**TAX ACCOUNT NUMBERS:** 7502500045, 7502500050, 7502500060

**POTENTIAL DEPARTURES:** NONE PROPOSED

PROJECT HOT LINE: 1-206-512-3971

2018

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COMMUNITY OUTREACH

PROJECT POSTER: LOCATED AT MULTIPLE SURROUNDING SITES

(SHOWN, LEFT)

OPEN HOUSE: HELD NOVEMBER 28, 2018 AT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING (PICTURED, RIGHT)



more about the 722 East Union St. Project





- The architects intend to renovate the Knights of Columbus building with sensitivity.
- The two apartment buildings should respect the historic context, surrounded as they will be by historic, mostly brick buildings.
- The west building should cover up the adjacent black-and-white pod building at Union & Boylston.
- Parking is a concern.

ISTRICT CITY COUNCIL CREATES
PIKE/PINE
ONSERVATION
OVERLAY
STRICT WHICH
VIDES ZONING
CENTIVES FOR
MAINTAINING CONSERVATION DISTRICT WHICH PROVIDES ZONING **INCENTIVES FOR** CON CHARACTER STRUCTURES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

> DR3-2012
> IDENTIFIES
> THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUILDING AS A CHARACTER STRUCTURE. A CHARACTER



SIGNATION ANDMARK DE THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS **BUILDING WAS** NOMINATED AS A CITY OF SEATTLE LANDMARK ON APRIL 3, 2019.

IF DESIGNATED ON APRIL 17, 2019, ALTERATIONS TO THE HISTORIC BUILDING WILL
BE APPROVED BUILDING WILL BY THE SEATTLE THE SEATTLE LANDMARKS PRESERVATION BOARD. SRM IS PURSUING
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ARCHITECTURE













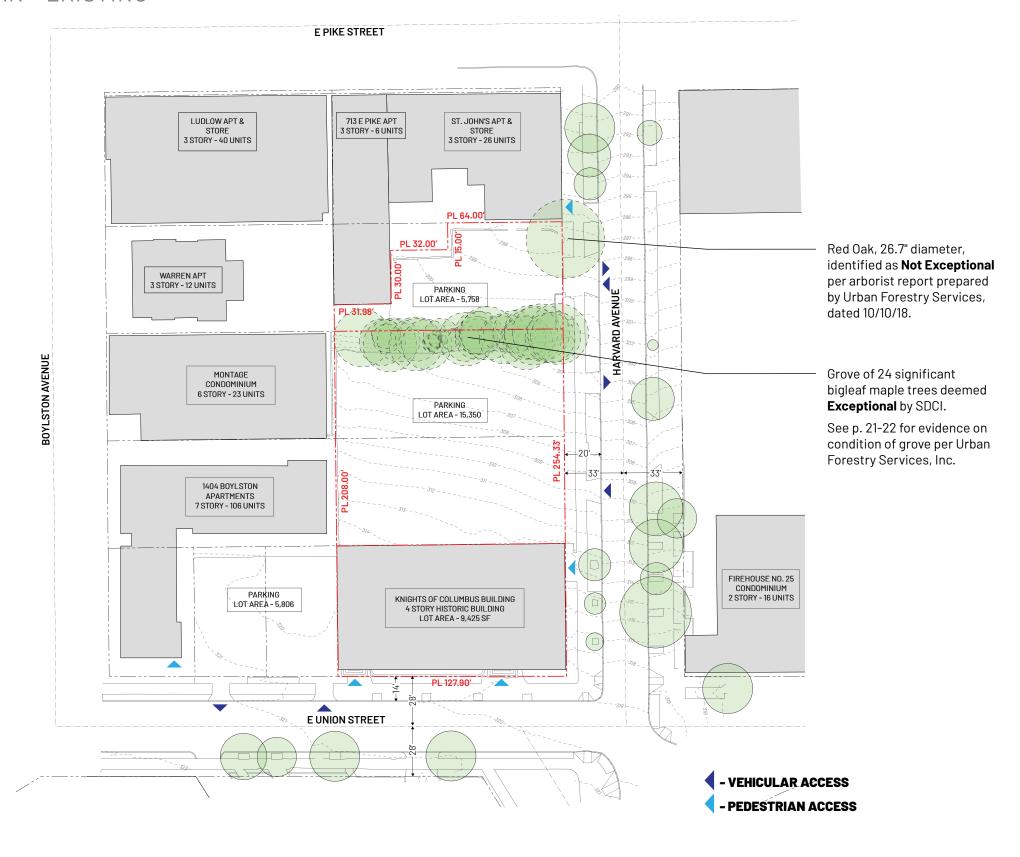


# SITE CONTEXT URBAN DESIGN ANALYSIS





#### SITE PLAN - EXISTING



#### **PARCEL NUMBER:**

7502500045, 7502500050, 7502500060

#### **LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

PARCEL 1(TPN 7502500045)
LOT 6, BLOCK 4, SACKMAN HOME ADDITION T
THE CITY OF SEATTLE, AS PER PLAT RECORDED
IN VOLUME 8 OF PLATS, PAGE 80, RECORDS OF
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

PARCEL 2 (TPN 750250050)
LOTS 7 AND 8, BLOCK 4, SACKMAN HOME
ADDITION TO THE CITY OF SEATTLE, AS PER
PLATS, PAGE 80, RECORDS OF KING COUNTY,
WASHINGTON.

PARCEL 3 (TPN 750250060)
THE NORTH 30 FEET OF SOUTH 45 FEET OF
EAST 96 FEET AND NORTH 15 FEET OF EAST
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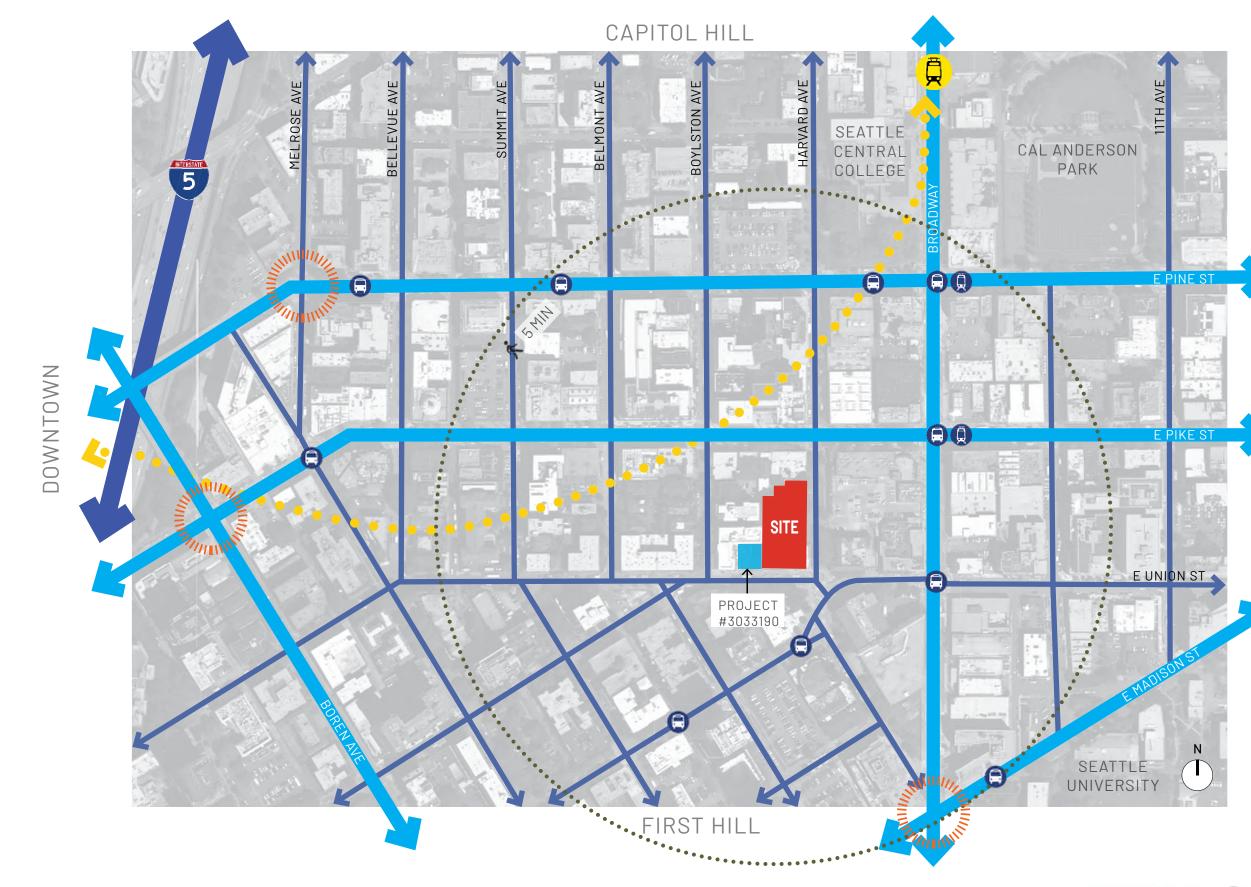


#### SITE AERIAL VIEW













MINOR ARTERIAL

MAJOR ARTERIAL

STREETCAR STOP

LIGHT RAIL STOP

FREEWAY

BUS STOP

GATEWAY

#### CAPITOL HILL





DOWNTOWN

PARK / BOULEVARD



BICYCLE FRIENDLY



DEDICATED BIKE LANE

PRINCIPAL PEDESTRIAN ST

\*ALL STREETS NOT IDENTIFIED AS GREEN STREET OR CLASS 1 PEDESTRIAN ARE CLASS 2 PEDESTRIAN





#### SITE CONTEXT - PIKE/PINE CONSERVATION DISTRICT

The Pike/Pine Conservation Overlay District was created in July, 2009 to limit the size of new development and encourage projects to keep existing older structures, identified in the Code as character structures.

#### CHARACTER STRUCTURES

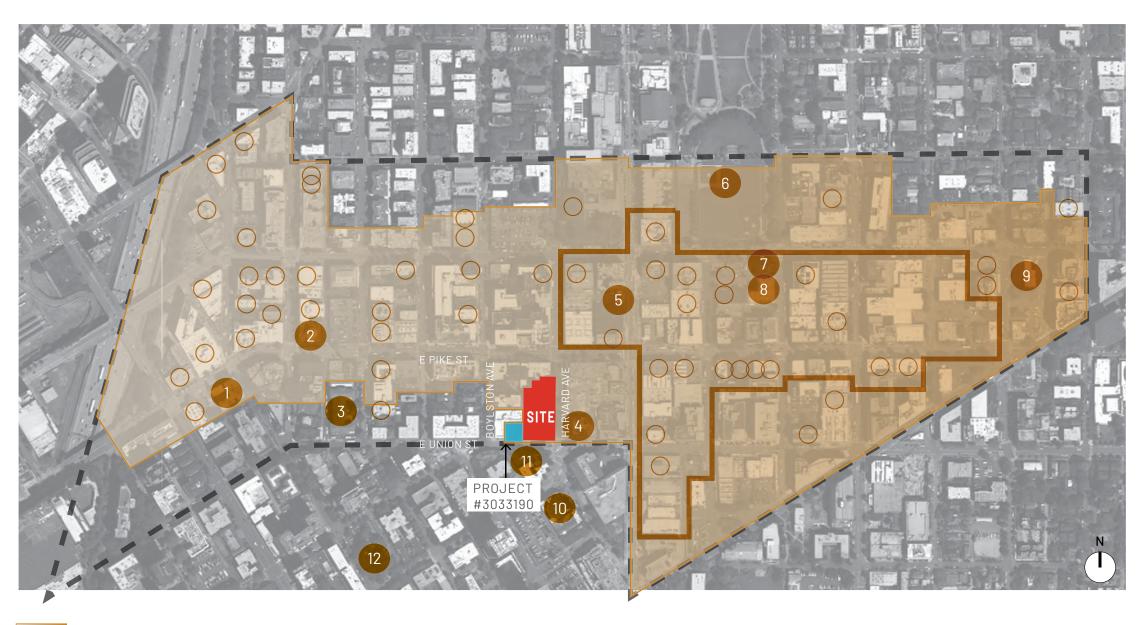
- Have been in existence prior to 1940
- Retain a high degree of architectural integrity
- Represent the Pike/Pine neighborhood's building typology
- Are compatible with the architectural scale, rhythm, and patterns of nearby structures in the Pike/Pine neighborhood

#### MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR RETAINING A CHARACTER STRUCTURE (SMC 23.73.015)

- All street-facing facades of the character structure shall be maintained and original facade openings that provide transparency at the street-level shall remain unobstructed
- All portions of the new structure shall be set back a minimum of 15 feet from the street-facing facades of the character structure
- The original floor-to-ceiling height of the streetlevel story of the character structure is maintained

#### INCENTIVES FOR RETAINING A CHARACTER STRUCTURE

- Height exception (SMC 23.73.014.B)
  - 10' of additional height allowed above the 65' height limit if additional area is residential





Pike Pine Conservation Overlay District



Pike Pine Urban Village



Pike Pine Conservation Core



Landmarks



Character Structures





#### SITE CONTEXT - CITY OF SEATTLE LANDMARKS



1 WINTONIA HOTEL (1909)



4 OLD SEATTLE FIRE STATION #25 (1909)



7 WHITE MOTOR COMPANY BUILDING (1918)



10 SEATTLE 1ST BAPTIST CHURCH (1911)



2 FIRST COVENANT CHURCH (1911)



5 ELDRIDGE TIRE COMPANY BUILDING (1925)



8 KELLY-SPRINGFIELD MOTOR TRUCK BLDG (1913)



11 PHILLIPS HOUSE (1902)



3 SUMMIT SCHOOL/NORTHWEST SCHOOL (1905)



6 CAL ANDERSON PARK/LINCOLN RESERVOIR (1901)



9 1ST AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (1912)



12 STIMSON/GREEN HOUSE (1901)





# PIKE/PINE CONSERVATION DISTRICT - CHARACTER STRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

### SUNSET ELECTRIC (2014)



### DUNN MOTORS (2016)



### EXCELSIOR (2016)

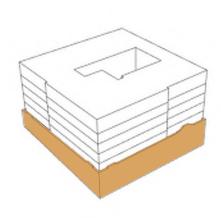


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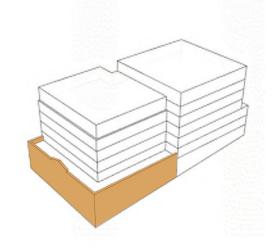


### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

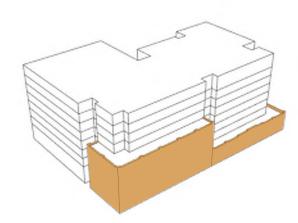




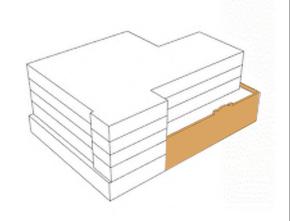
- Street-facing facades of character structure retained
- 1'-6" to 3'-6" setback\*
   (Departure approved to allow interior courtyard)
- Additional 10' of height allowed above character structure



- Street-facing facades of character structure retained
- 15' setback
- Additional 10' of height allowed above character structure

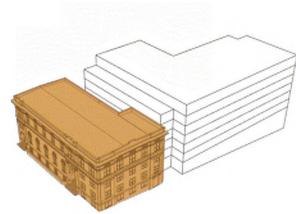


- Street-facing facades of character structures retained
- 10'-6" to 19' setback\*
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- Additional 10' of height allowed above character structure



- Street-facing facades of character structure retained
- 21' setback
- Additional 10' of height allowed above character structure\*

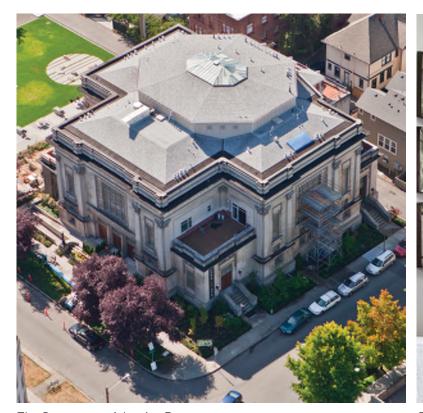
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- Entire character structure retained
- Additional 10' of height allowed adjacent to character structure











The Sanctuary - Adaptive Re-use

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Lyric Apartments - Brick Facade





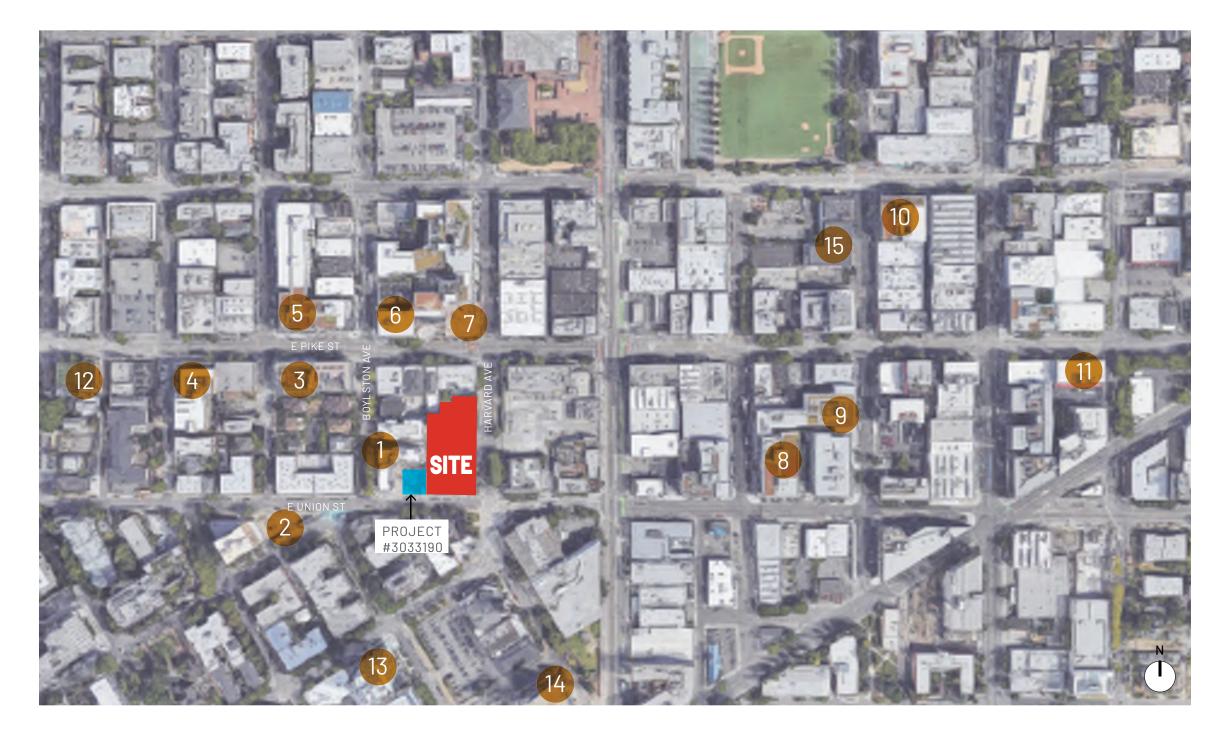


Supply Laundry Building- Adaptive Re-use





# SITE CONTEXT - NEW DEVELOPMENT





1404 BOLYSTON AVE



2 FIRST HILL APARTMENTS



3 COVE





# SITE CONTEXT - MULTIFAMILY HOUSING







AVA CAPITOL HILL



PIKE MOTORWORKS



7 PIKE FLATS



8 INFINITY APARTMENTS



9 JACK APARTMENTS



10 SUNSET ELECTRIC



11 1111 E. PIKE



12 NORTHWEST SCHOOL



13 LUMA





15 KELLY-SPRINGFIELD





# SITE CONTEXT - NEIGHBORING USES



# NEIGHBORHOOD USES

MULTI-HOUSING

INSTITUTIONAL

RELIGIOUS

STRUCTURED PARKING

COMMERCIAL FOOD

COMMERCIAL RETAIL

SINGLE-FAMILY HOUSING

HOSPITALITY

OFFICE

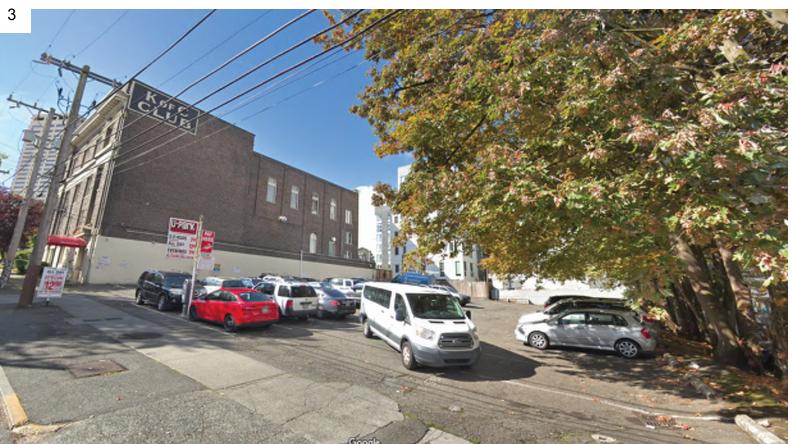
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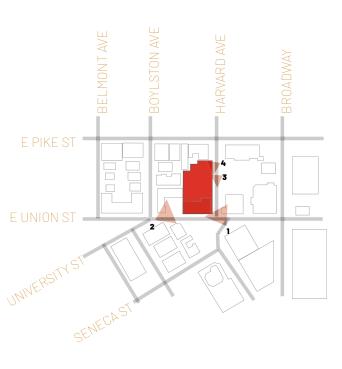
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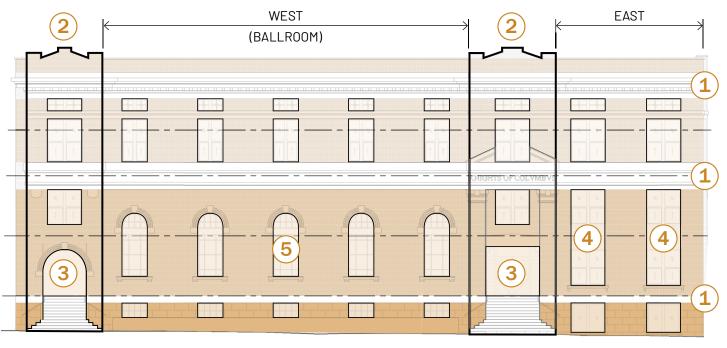


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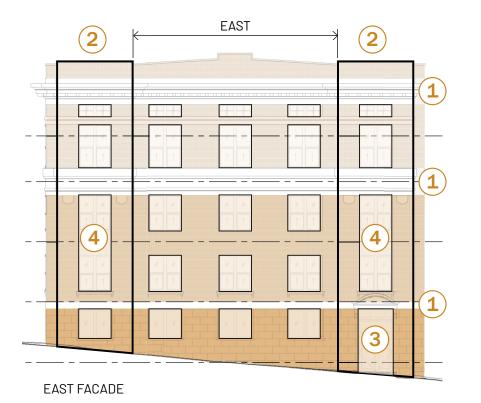


spherical shades

(REMOVED)



SOUTH FACADE



- (1) HORIZONTAL BANDS DIVIDE MASSING INTO BASE - BODY - CAP
- (2) BAYS BREAK MASSING INTO EAST AND WEST SECTIONS
- 3 GABLE-SHAPED PARAPETS AND STONE DETAILING HIGHLIGHT ENTRIES
- (4) GROUPED WINDOWS CREATE VERTICALITY
- (5) ARCHED WINDOWS INDICATE MAIN **BALLROOM**



windows (REMOVED) (REMOVED)

(REMOVED)



### POTENTIAL REHABILITATION

Requires approval of Seattle Landmarks Preservation Board

### WINDOWS & DOORS

- Replace non-original aluminum windows (all windows) with new windows installed in original openings.
- Restore glazing at arched-head transom windows in ballroom.
- Replace non-original entry doors with new doors installed in original openings.

### **MASONRY**

- Clean & repair original clinker brick and sandstone as needed.

### CANOPIES

- Remove non-original awnings.
- Install new modern canopy at main entry.

### SITE

- Install exterior lighting to highlight characteristic features of the building.
- Install signage in keeping with historic character.
- Replace non-original plantings with new landscaping that enhances the characteristic features of the building.
- Replace non-original railings.
- Revise east entry as required for accessibility.



Replace non-original vents with arched-head transom windows



Replace non-original awning with modern canopy



Replace non-original plantings with new landscaping in keeping with historic character



Replace non-original entry doors and railings



Install exterior lighting to highlight characteristic facade features

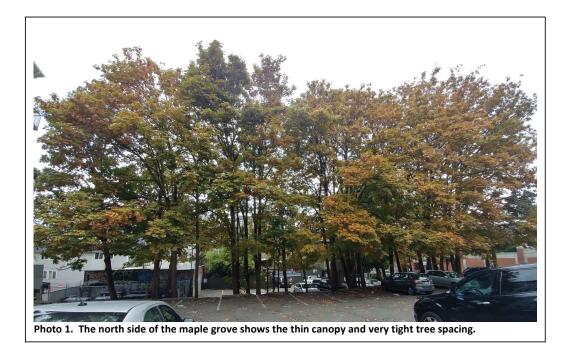


Install signage in keeping with historic character





# **EXCEPTIONAL TREES**



### **GROVE DEEMED EXCEPTIONAL BY SDCI**

# **GROVE DEEMED NOT EXCEPTIONAL BECAUSE OF CONDITION BY ARBORIST**

Per Urban Forestry Services, Inc.:

This group of maples could be considered an exceptional grove if they are assessed by size only. The poor health of these trees, however, should remove this tree group from an exceptional grove designation.

### ANTICIPATED IMPACTS TO TREES DUE TO DEVELOPMENT

- Canopy pruning for safety
- Demolition stress (removal of asphalt)
- Construction stress
- Assumed loss of 13 trees with low vigor
- Break up of continuous canopy & exposure of remaining trees to windthrow risk

### ARBORIST REPORT SUMMARY

Knights of Columbus Level II Basic Tree Assessment and TVSPP Urban Forestry Services, Inc. | October 10, 2018

- Grove of maples contains 20 trees over 12" diameter
- Condition of most trees is poor:
  - 13 of 20 trees are dying. All but one of the remaining trees are in decline. The single tree with fair health and structure is less than 24" diameter.
  - The grove has severely compacted soils and shallow root systems.
  - Many trees have basal wounds and symptoms of decay.
  - Many trees have one sided canopies. Pruning trees with one sided canopies for clearance and construction access will severely damage the trees.



Photo 2-4. Many maples have defects associated with their poor health. Hollow stems with extensive decay (Arrow), Kretchmeria fungus indicating interior decay (circle), and large branch die back (red square). Photos and notes for each tree are independently documented in the Tree Assessment Matrix included in the original



the parking curb. This small growing space would requir considerable expansion to support a large canopy with

- 13 of 20 trees in grove have very poor health and poor structure:
  - Multiple trunk cavities and extensive canopy die back.
  - Significant pruning required to improve safety in the parking lot regardless of development.
- Even with the best protection measures and improvements of soil growing space, these trees do not have enough vigor to survive the environmental changes and construction disturbance.
- Removal of these trees will break up the continuous canopy of the maple grove and expose the remaining trees to windthrow risk.



Photo 1. Twenty-five (25) trees make up this grove. The red dots are dead and dying trees, while the white trees are in poor health or have poor structure. Canopies are one sided and unstable.



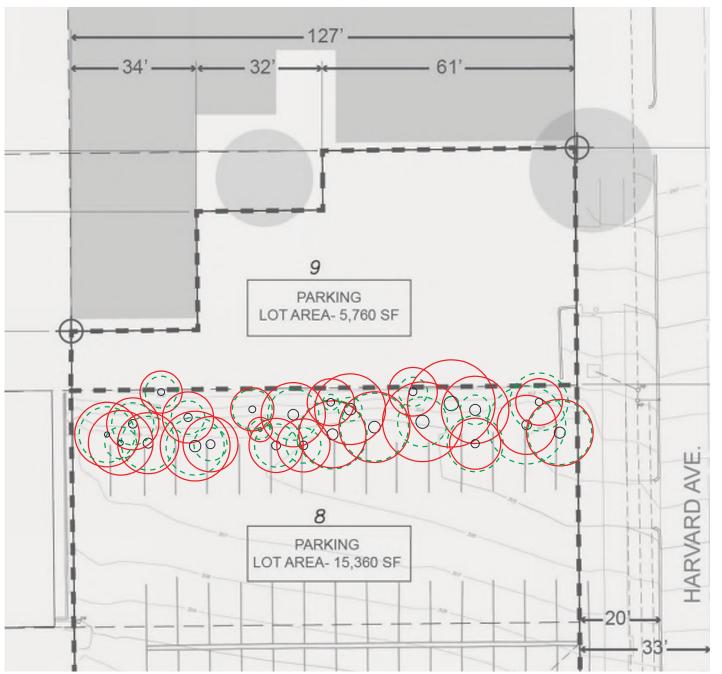
longer constitute a grove and are not exceptional

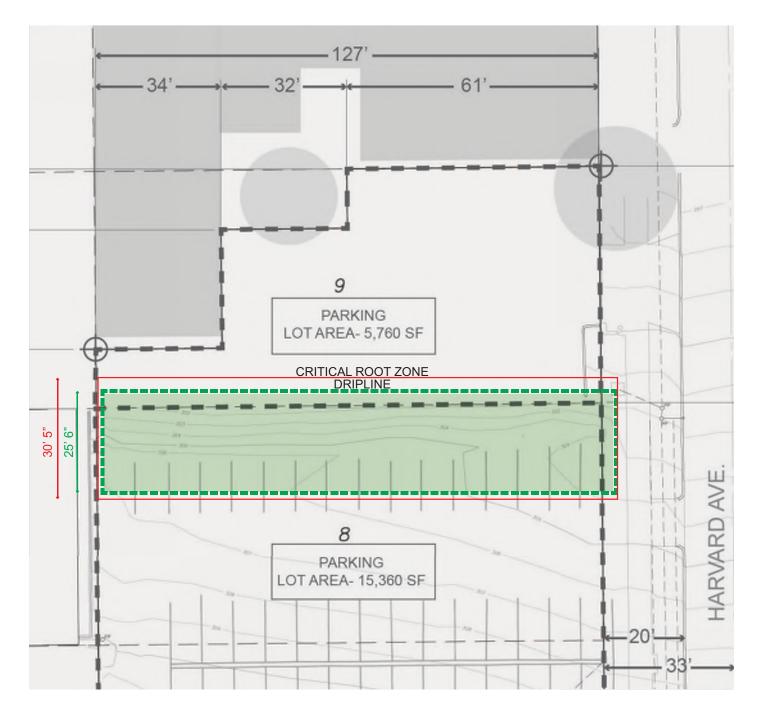


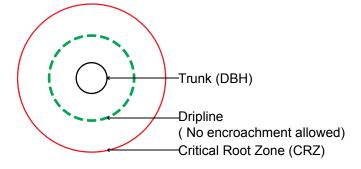


### ARBORIST-RECOMMENDED TREE PROTECTION ZONE DEFINED AS CRITICAL ROOT ZONE = 18.1 FT DIAMETER

DBH, DRIPLINE & CRITICAL ZONE LOCATION PER ARBORIST REPORT

















SOUTH ELEVATION OF E UNION ST















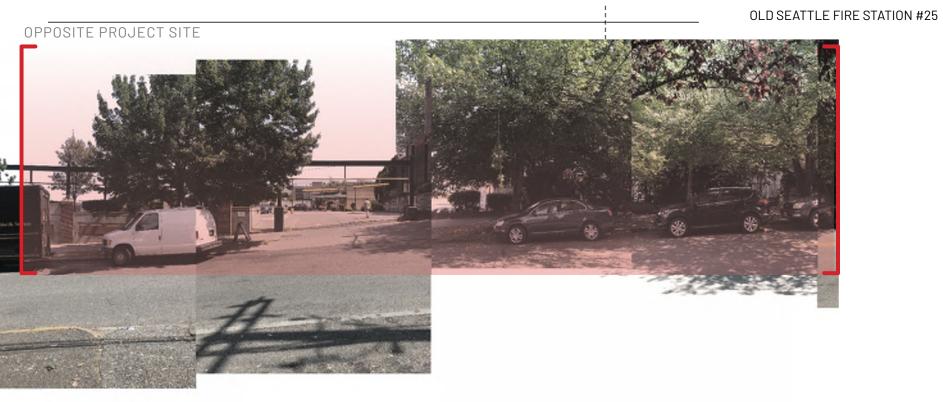
















# URBAN DESIGN ANALYSIS - OPPORTUNITIES

# OPPORTUNITIES

- REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC BUILDING AND ADJACENCY TO DESIGNATED LANDMARKS
- 2 CORNER LOT WITH HIGH VISIBILITY
- ADJACENCY TO MAJOR TRANSIT ROUTES. BUSES, FIRST AVE STREETCAR, AND BIKE LANES
- 4 VIEWS
- 5 SOLAR ORIENTATION
- 6 HIGHLY WALKABLE NEIGHBORHOOD

PROXIMITY TO PIKE/PINE AND FIRST HILL NEIGHBORHOODS







# URBAN DESIGN ANALYSIS - CONSTRAINTS

# CONSTRAINTS



NOISE



NO ALLEY ACCESS



HEAVY VEHICLE TRAFFIC - SURFACE PARKING DRIVEWAY OPPOSITE PROPOSED LOBBY ENTRY



RAISED GROUND FLOOR IN HISTORIC BUILDING DOES NOT ENCOURAGE STREET-LEVEL INTERACTION



HIGH VOLTAGE POWER LINES ON HARVARD AVE REQUIRE SETBACK



















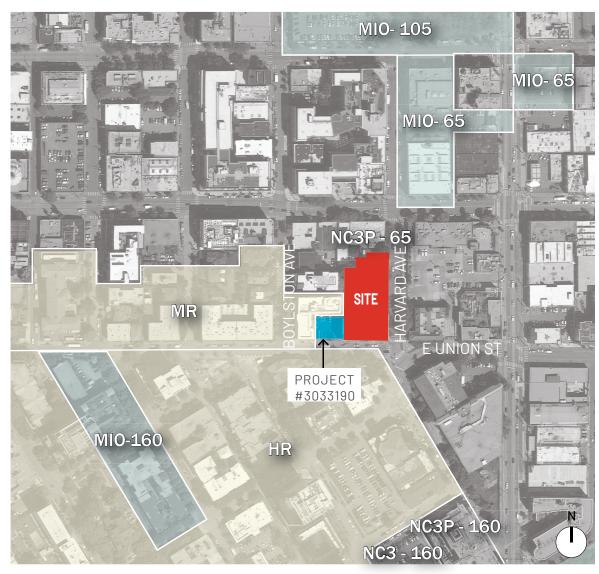


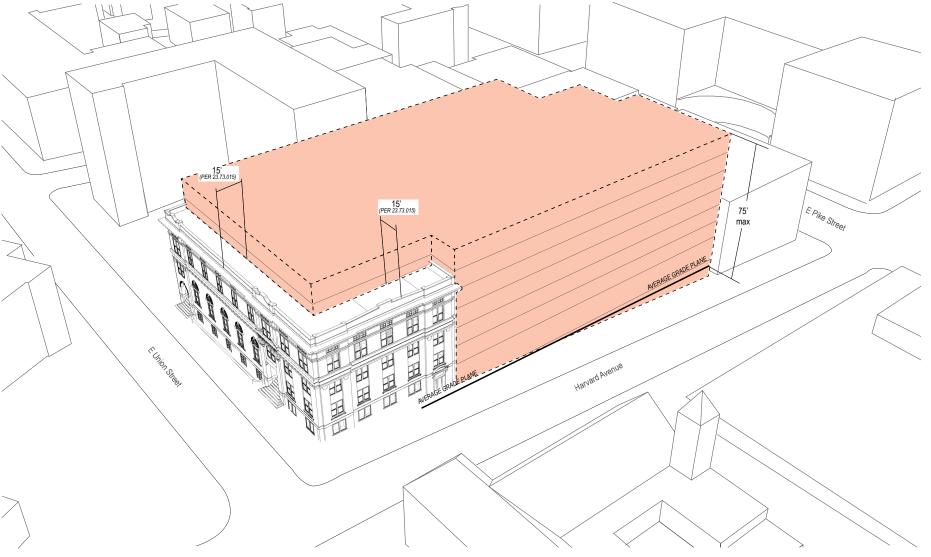
# ZONING DATA





# ZONING - ZONING MAP





### **ZONING MAP**

NC3P - 65

NC3P - 160 NC3 - 160

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MIO - 65

MIO 10

MIO - 105

MIO - 160

### MAXIMUM ZONING ENVELOPE

### SITE ZONING

Zone: NC3P-65

Overlay: Pedestrian-Designated Zone

Pike/Pine Conservation Overlay District, Pike/Pine Urban Village

Street Classifications: No Principal Pedestrian Street Designation





### 23.47A.004 PERMITTED AND PROHIBITED USES

Table A for 23.47A.004: Residential use is permitted Live-work units, retail sales and services are permitted

### 23.47A.005 STREET-LEVEL USES

Residential uses are allowed and unlimited on non principal pedestrian streets E Union is not a principal pedestrian street in this location

### 23.47A.006 CONDITIONAL USES

No conditional uses proposed

### 23.47A.008 STREET-LEVEL DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

A. Basic Requirements

Blank segments of street-facing façade between 2 and 8 feet above the sidewalk may not exceed 20 feet in width.

Total of all blank façade may not exceed 40% of the width of the street façade. Street-facing facades shall be located within 10 feet of the street lot line, unless wider sidewalks etc. are provided.

- B. Non-residential street level requirements N/A
- C. In Pedestrian Designated Zones

Requirements for principal pedestrian streets - N/A

- D. Residential Uses along a street-level street-facing facade require:
  - 1.) A visually prominent pedestrian entry
  - 2.) The floor of a dwelling unit located along the street-level street-facing facade shall be at least 4' above sidewalk grade or be set back at least 10'

### 23.47A.012 STRUCTURAL HEIGHT

- C.2. Open railings, planters, skylights, clerestories, greenhouses, solariums, parapets, and firewalls may extend up to 4 feet above the otherwise applicable height limit. Insulation, rooftop decks, etc. May extend 2 feet above height limit if enclosed by parapets or walls.
- C.3. Solar collectors may extend up to 7 feet above the height limit in 65 foot zone.
- C.4. The following may extend up to 15 feet above height limit with a coverage of 20% or 25% if including stair and elevator penthouses and screened mechanical equipment: Solar collectors, mechanical equipment, play equipment, wind-driven power generators, minor communications utilities, stair and elevator penthouses may extend 16 feet above height limit.
- C.7. The following must be located at least 10 feet from the north lot line: solar collectors, planters, clerestories, greenhouses, minor communications utilities, non-firewall parapets, play equipment

### 23.47A.013 - FAR

N/A - See Section 23.73.009

# RUNBERG SRIVE GROUP

### 23.47A.014 - SETBACK REQUIREMENTS

N/A - Sites does not abut nor is it across alley from any residential zone

### 23.47A.016 - LANDSCAPING AND SCREENING STANDARDS

A.2 Green factor of 0.3 is required

B.1 Street trees are required

### 23.47A.017 MHA SUFFIX

N/A - Application will be vested prior to forthcoming MHA Up-zone

### 23.47A022 - LIGHT AND GLARE STANDARDS

A. Exterior lighting must be shielded and directed away from adjacent uses

### 23.47A.024 - AMENITY AREA

A. Required in an amount equal to 5% of the total gross floor area in residential use

B. Amenity areas shall not be enclosed,

Common area requirements: 10' min. horizontal dimension, 250 sf min. size Private area requirements: 60 sf min. size and 6' min horizontal dimension

### 23.47A.032 - PARKING LOCATION AND ACCESS

A.1.a Access to parking shall be from the alley if the lot abuts an improved alley or if alley access is infeasible, the Director may allow street access.

[This is a Type I request/decision by SDCI Director.]

A.1.c If street access is allowed and the lot abuts two or more streets, access is permitted across one side street lot line.

A.1.d For each permitted curb cut, street-facing facades may contain one garage door, not to exceed max. curb cut width.

A.3 If two or more structures are located on a single site, a single curb cut shall be provided.

### 23.54.015 REQUIRED PARKING AND MAXIMUM PARKING LIMITS

Table B - Residential required parking:

All residential uses within urban centers have no minimum requirement

### K BICYCLE PARKING

Table D - Bicycle Parking:

Multi-family = 1 long term / dwelling unit + 1 / 20 dwelling units short term

K.3 Bicycle parking for residential uses shall be located on-site

### 23.54.030 PARKING SPACE STANDARDS

B.1.b Residential Uses: provide minimum 60% medium stalls. When parking spaces are striped for large vehicles, the minimum required aisle width shall be as shown for medium vehicles.

D.1.c Residential Driveways that serve 30 or more spaces shall be at least 20 feet wide for 2-way traffic.

### 23.54.040 SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLABLE MATERIALS STORAGE

### Table A -

More than 100 dwelling units = 575 sf + 4 sf for each add'l unit above 100

- C. Minimum area for storage space may be reduced by 15% if minimum horizontal dimension is 20'
- D. Minimum horizontal dimension of required storage is 12'
- F. Placed no more than 50' from curb, ramps 6% max.

### PIKE/PINE CONSERVATION OVERLAY DISTRICT

### 23.73.008 - STREET-LEVEL USES

B. Small commercial uses at street level not required per B.3.a - floor area occupied by street level commercial uses within the original street-level footprint of the retained character structure is exempt

### 23.73.009 - FAR

- A. Residential use only or mixed use 23.47A.013 apply except as provided in this section and in 23.73.024
- C. The following floor area is exempt:
- C.3 -All floor area in residential use in a development that retains all character structures
- C.5 Floor area in non-residential use in a character structure provided it does not displace residential use

### 23.73.010 - FLOOR AREA LIMITS OUTSIDE THE CONSERVATION CORE

A. Floor area limit: 15,000 sf for any single story above 35'

### 23.73.014 - HEIGHT EXCEPTIONS

B. 10' additional height is allowed on lots that include a character structure retained per 23.75.015 if additional floor area is in residential use.

### 23.73.015 - RETENTION AND DEMOLITION OF CHARACTER STRUCTURE

A. The minimum requirements for retaining a character structure are as follows:

- 1. All street-facing facades shall be maintained and original facade openings that provide transparency at the street-level shall remain unobstructed.
- 2. All portions of the new structure above the height of the street-facing facades of the character structure shall be set back a minimum of 15 feet.
- 3. The original floor-to-ceiling height of the street-level story of the character structure is maintained.

















O4 DESIGN GUIDELINES





### **CS2 URBAN PATTERN AND FORM**



Approach: Respond to datum from historic and contemporary neighbors and bridge the pedestrian experience between them

### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE**

Strengthen the most desirable forms, characteristics, and patterns of the streets, block faces, and open spaces in the surrounding area.

### **PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:**

### 1. Location in the City and Neighborhood

i. Architectural presence: Retain as much of the existing physical context as possible with new development.

### 2. Adjacent Sites, Streets, and Open Spaces

- Site Characteristics: Massing and articulation should respond to the established Pike Pine development pattern of street facing facade widths and mid-block depths
- i. Connection to the Street: Integrate new development with existing street patterns to maintain a cohesive streetscape

### 4. Height, Bulk, and Scale Compatibility; Pike/ Pine Scale and Proportion

- i. Scale and Form: Design new structures to be compatible in scale and form with surrounding context.
  - a. Design facade widths to respond to the historic Pike/Pine context and scale.
  - b. Design larger new structures to maintain established streetscape proportions
  - c. Introduce architectural variety to achieve desired bulk and scale relationships.
  - d. For new development that is taller than the nearby context, design upper stories to reduce the appearance of bulk, including upper level setbacks.

### **CS3 ARCHITECTURAL CONTEXT AND CHARACTER**



Approach: Respect historic architectural tradition on the site & neighborhood with complementary materials and detailing

### CITYWIDE GUIDELINE

Contribute to the architectural character of the neighborhood.

### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

### 1. Existing Architectural Context

i. New buildings should respond to the architectural tradition of nearby buildings. Architectural styles and materials that complement the historic "auto-row" light-industrial vernacular are encouraged.

### 2. Architectural Compatibility

- Design new development that references architectural features and elements of existing structures on the block face to maintain block face rhythm and continuity.
- ii. Design new structures for compatibility with existing context while allowing for creative expression, response to unique conditions, and adaptability to the changing function of the area.

### **PL3 STREET-LEVEL INTERACTION**



Approach: Highlight primary entries with contrasting architectural expression, and use double height lobby at sloping grade to activate street level

### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Encourage human interaction and activity at the street level with clear connections to building entries and edges.

### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

### 1. Residential Entries

- Design primary entries to provide visually prominent pedestrian access, weather protection, and to enhance the overall design concept.
- i. Design entries for residential buildings and residents' entries to mixed-use buildings to be visually prominent and feature weather protection, special lighting and architectural enhancements.
- ii. Residential entryways that feature heavy or contrasting trim, distinctive materials and a link to the surrounding streetscape are encouraged.





### DC2 ARCHITECTURAL CONCEPT



Approach: Respond to patterns created by surrounding buildings to create a bridging architectural concept between old and new styles

### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Develop an architectural concept that will result in a unified and functional design that fits well on the site and within its surroundings.

### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

The Pike/Pine architectural context is composed of buildings that represent three predominant design approaches:

- 1. Structural Grid or Warehouse Expression approach;
- 2. Modulated Façade approach; and
- 3. Traditional Residential approach.

### 1. Concept

- Design concepts should emphasize relatively simple facade character with high quality materials, modulation, and refined details to reflect the neighborhood's architectural heritage.
- ii. Design concepts for projects that include character structures should emphasize the character structure. A clear design concept should guide the project's response to the character structure.

### 2. Character Structures

- i. Maintain the architectural integrity of character structures on site.
- ii. Allow additions that increase the viability of the character structure while maintaining its architectural integrity.

### 3. New Projects that Include Character Structures

- i. Design projects that include character structures to be compatible with character structures on the site and elsewhere on the block.
- ii. Emphasize the streetscape and the street level portion of the character structure to maintain a sense of continuity between the character structure and the new project.
- iii. Align architectural elements and features of the character structure with those of the new portions of the project to create visual continuity between the character structure and the new addition.

### **DC3 OPEN SPACE CONCEPT**



Approach: Weave open space around the site to help alleviate the proximity of the neighboring projects and create a pedestrian response at the lobby entries

### CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:

Integrate open space design with the design of the buildings so that each complements the other.

### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

### . Residential Open Space

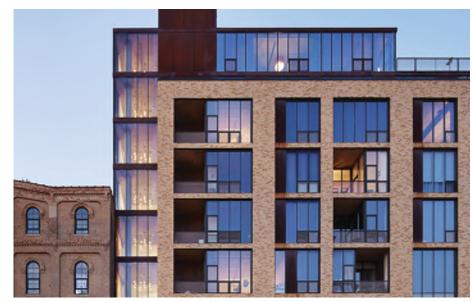
Design project open space to be compatible with established development patterns and to enhance street-level activity.

i. Locate balconies to respond to neighborhood context and enhance livability for residents.

### 2. Street Landscaping

Locate and design street level landscaping to complement open space areas on the development site and to soften street edges.

### **DC4 EXTERIOR ELEMENTS AND FINISHES**



Approach: Use material and color strategically in new construction to achieve simplicity, complement the historic building, and highlight entrances

### **CITYWIDE GUIDELINE:**

Use appropriate and high quality elements and finishes for the building and its open spaces.

### PIKE/PINE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDANCE:

### 1. Exterior Finish Materials

New development should complement the neighborhood's auto-row and light-industrial vernacular through type and arrangement of exterior building materials. Preferred materials and approaches include.

- i. Brick, masonry, textured or patterned concrete, true stucco, with wood and metal as secondary or accent materials.
- ii. Other integral color high quality materials that work well with the historic materials and style of neighboring buildings
- iii. Exterior features and details such as: entrances, fully-glazed storefront windows and expansive glazing, parapets, cornices, roofs, windows, ornamentation, signage, and color
- iv. Limited number of exterior finish materials per building
- v. High quality glazing and trim as a vital component of exterior finish;
- vi. Materials and treatments that are consistent with a specific design approach











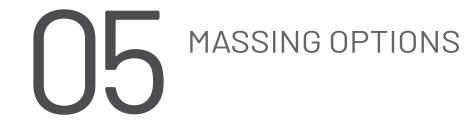




















New construction above character structure Reuse of historic building for office space



- Unit Count = 128
- 159,000 GSF residential / 25,400 GSF office
- 670 SF Average Unit Size
- 7 Stories over 3 Stories Basement
- 75' Above Average Grade

### PROS:

- Code compliant
- Maintains integrity of character structure facades
- Setback at transition from old to new creates street facing open space and emphasizes main entrance of residential building
- Double height lobby space responds to sloping terrain and activates street front

### CONS:

- Addition above character structure increases perceived mass of new development
- Addition of residential area above and parking below the historic structure requires modifications to interior of character structure



New construction against character structure
Divide massing to retain tree grove
Reuse of historic building for office space

# OPTION B

- Unit Count = 110
- 135,600 GSF residential / 31,450 GSF office
- 670 SF Average Unit Size
- Building 1 7 Stories over 3 Stories Basement
   Building 2 7 Stories over 1 Story Basement
- 75' Above Average Grade

### PROS:

- Code compliant
- Maintains full integrity of character structure
- Retains grove of trees on north parcel
- Double height lobby space responds to sloping terrain and activates street front

### CONS:

- Abrupt transition between new and old detracts from character structure
- Very little landscaping/hardscaping can be done in the tree protection zone, and this open space would not be accessible
- Division of massing creates a deep slot which is not ideal for tree growth
- · Lack of street facing setbacks increases perceived mass of new development



Gasket between new construction and character structure
Reuse of historic building for office space

# OPTION C - PREFERRED

- Unit Count = 128
- 154,400 GSF residential / 31,450 GSF office
- 650 SF Average Unit Size
- 7 Stories over 3 Stories Basement
- 75' Above Average Grade

### PROS:

- · Code compliant
- Maintains full integrity of character structure
- Gasket condition maintains as much of the existing physical context of the character structure as possible
- Setback at transition from old to new creates street facing open space
- Setback and stepped massing at upper level create height transition to character structure
- Double height lobby space responds to sloping terrain and activates street front





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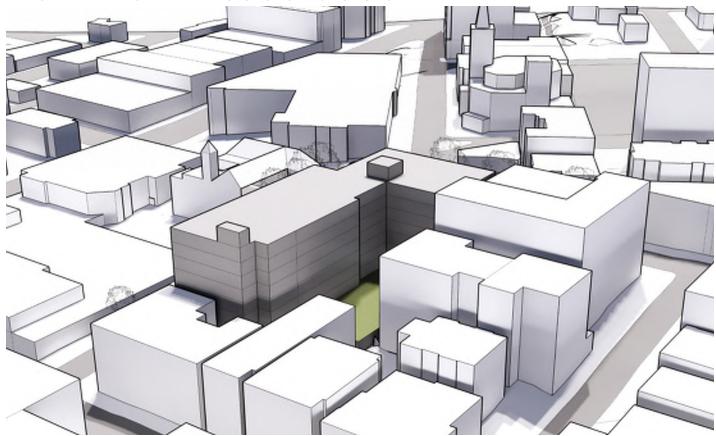




# MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION A



BIRD'S EYE VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E UNION ST. & HARVARD AVE.



BIRD'S EYE VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF HARVARD AVE. & E PIKE ST.



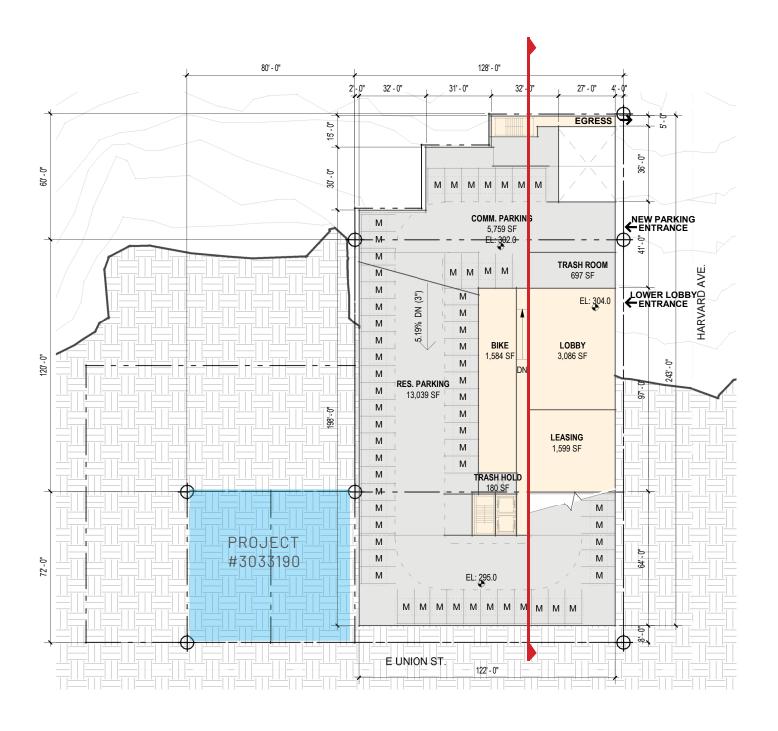
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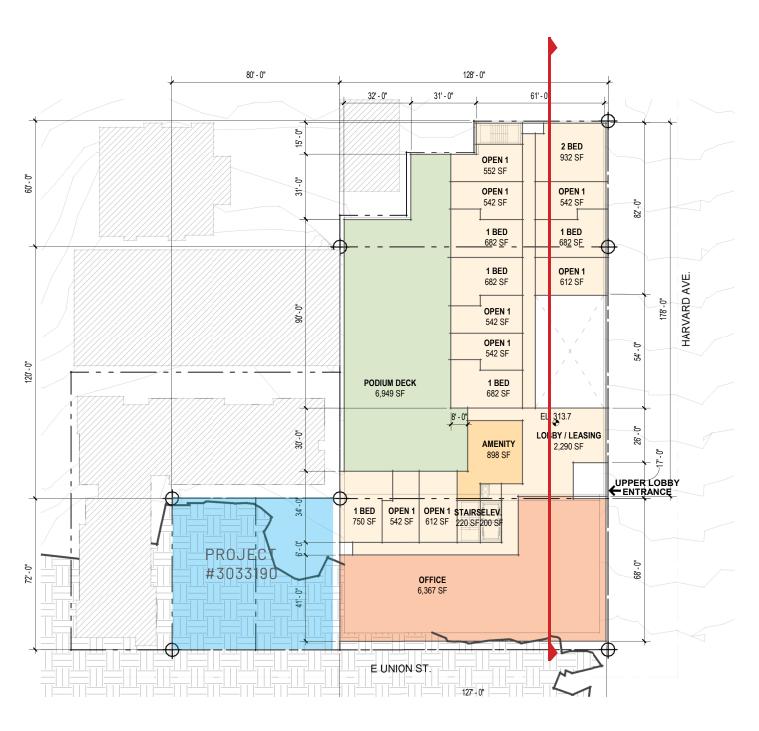


STREET VIEW FROM HARVARD AVE & E UNION STREET INTERSECTION







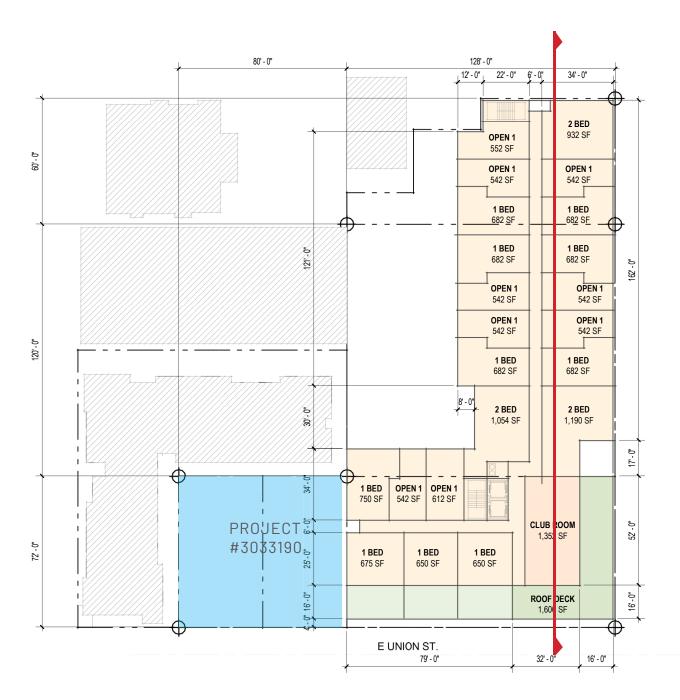


P1 LEVEL FLOOR PLAN LEVEL 1 FLOOR PLAN









LEVEL 3 FLOOR PLAN

LEVEL 6 FLOOR PLAN







# MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION A

### **RELEVANT DESIGN GUIDELINES**

### PROS:

CS1.1 Step the elevation of ground floors so building entrances match sloping grade.

CS3.1 Architectural styles and material that complement the historic "autorow" light industrial vernacular style are encouraged.

PL3.1 Entryways that feature heavy or contrasting trim, distinctive materials and a link to the surrounding streetscape are encouraged.

DC3.1 Design open space to enhance street-level activity.

DC3.2 Design street level landscaping to complement open space areas.

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### CONS:

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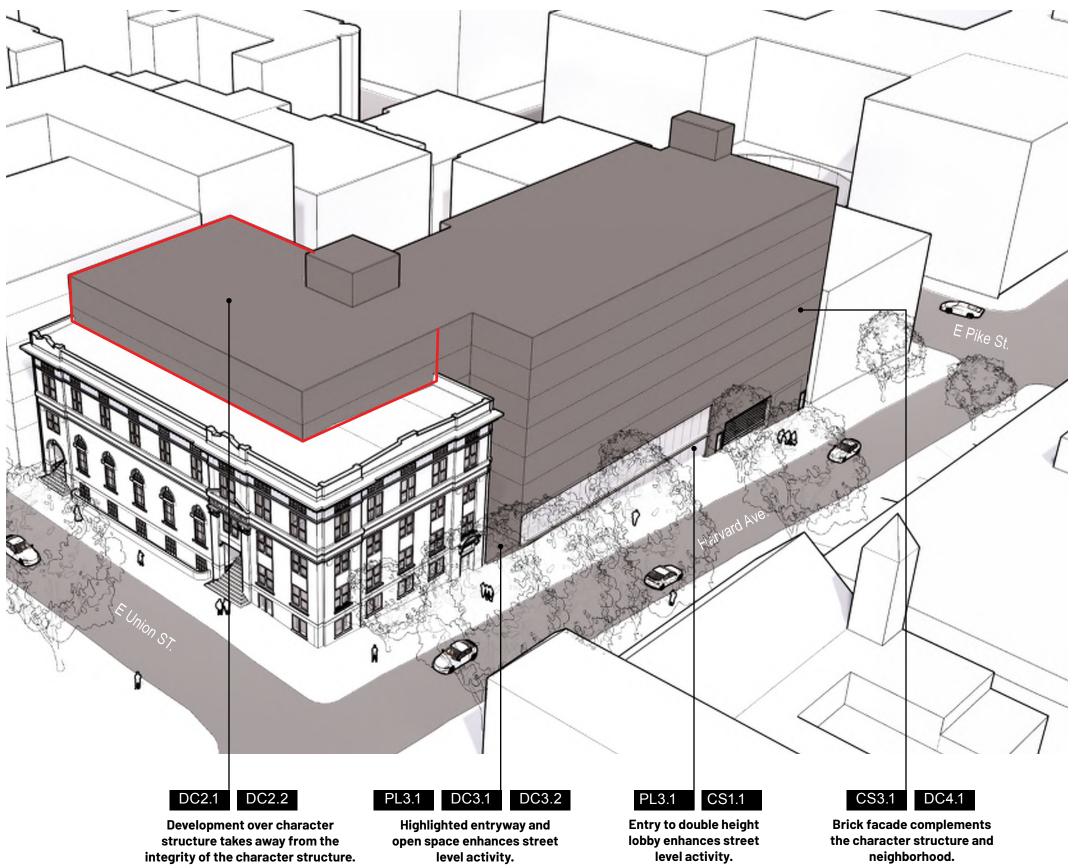
CS2.4 Design new structures to be compatible in scale and form with surrounding context.

Design new development that references architectural features and elements of existing structures on the block face to maintain block face rhythm and continuity.

Design concepts for projects that include character structures should emphasize the character structure.

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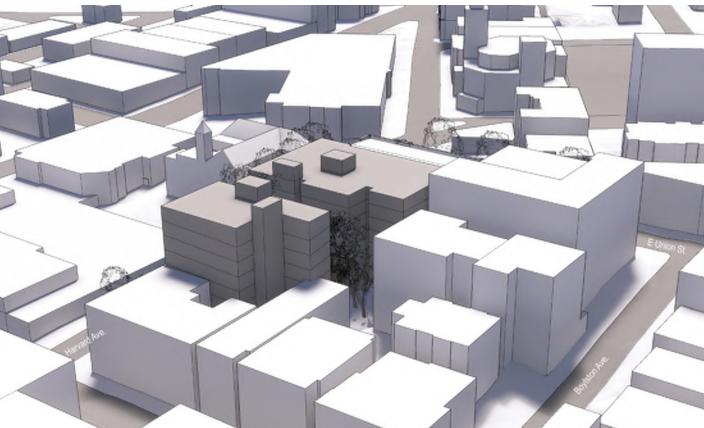




# MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION B







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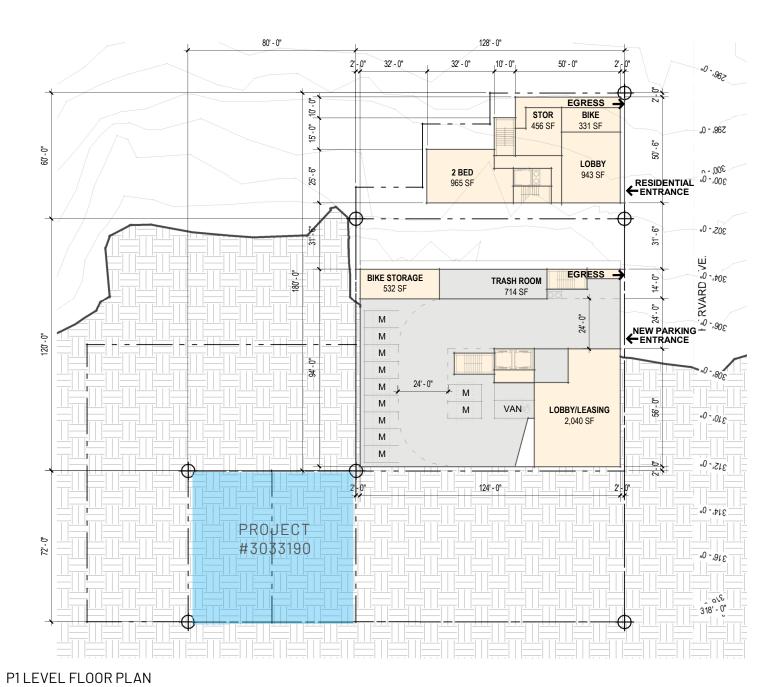


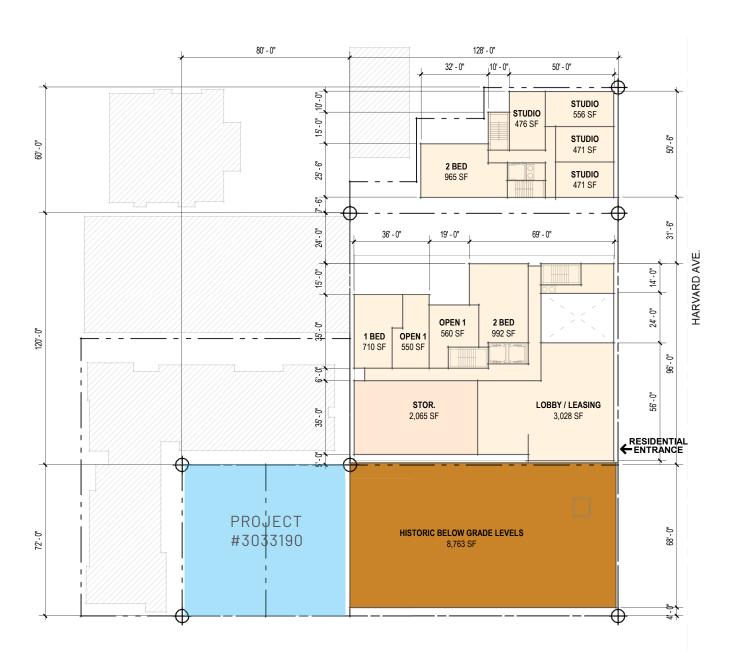


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STREET VIEW FROM HARVARD AVE & E UNION STREET INTERSECTION





LEVEL 1 FLOOR PLAN

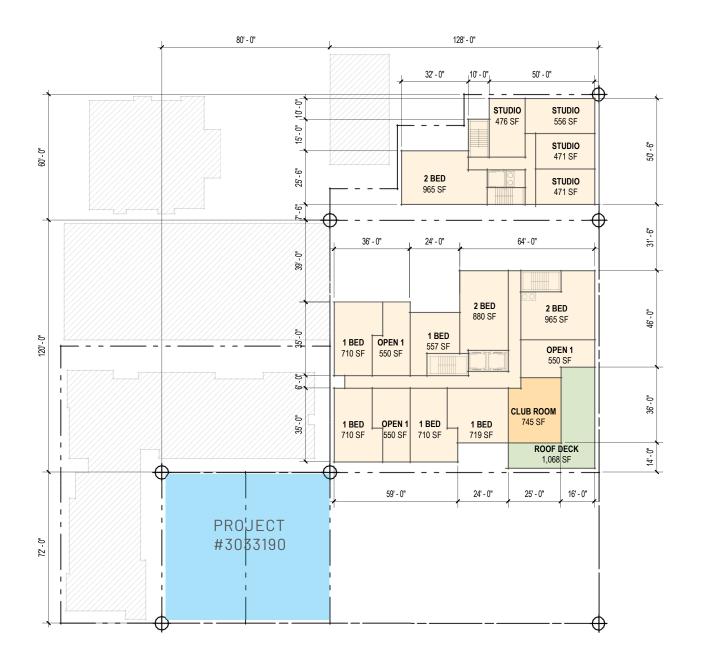








LEVEL 4 FLOOR PLAN



LEVEL 5 FLOOR PLAN







### MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION B

### **RELEVANT DESIGN GUIDELINES**

### PROS:

CS3.1 Architectural styles and material that complement the historic "auto-row" light industrial vernacular style are encouraged.

DC4.1 Exterior finish materials should complement the neighborhood's autorow and light-industrial vernacular.

### CONS:

PL3.1

DC2.2

DC2.3

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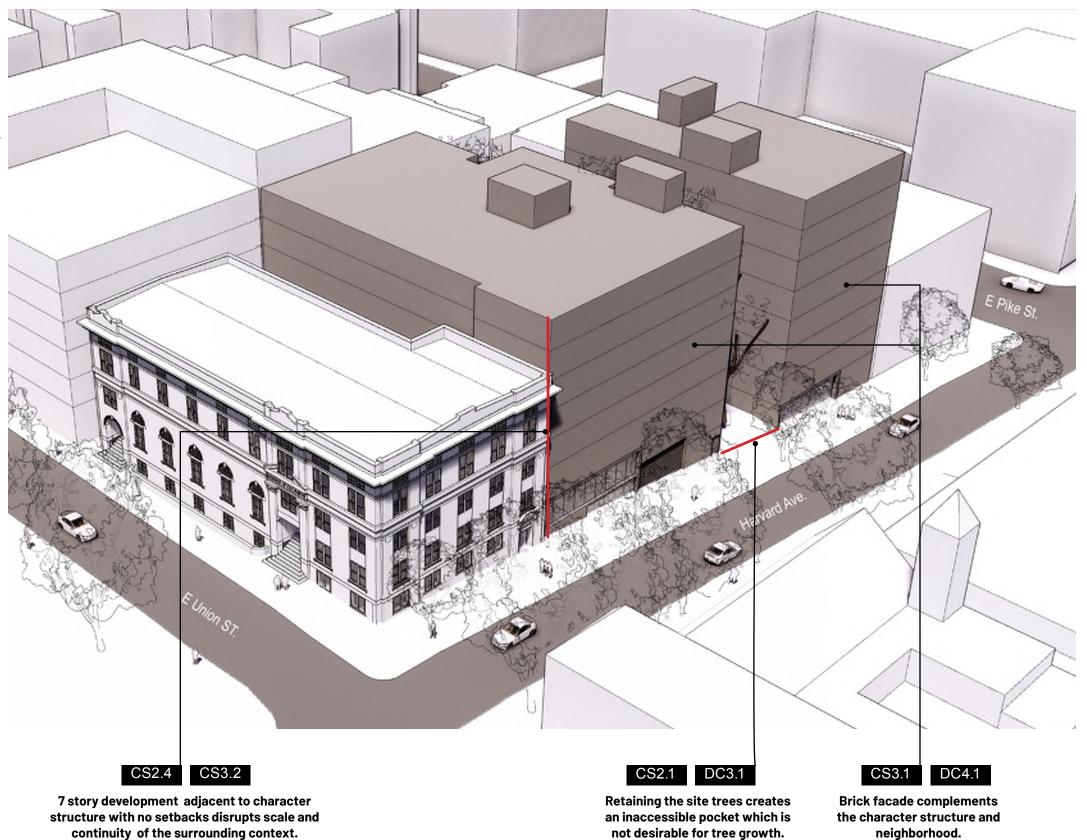
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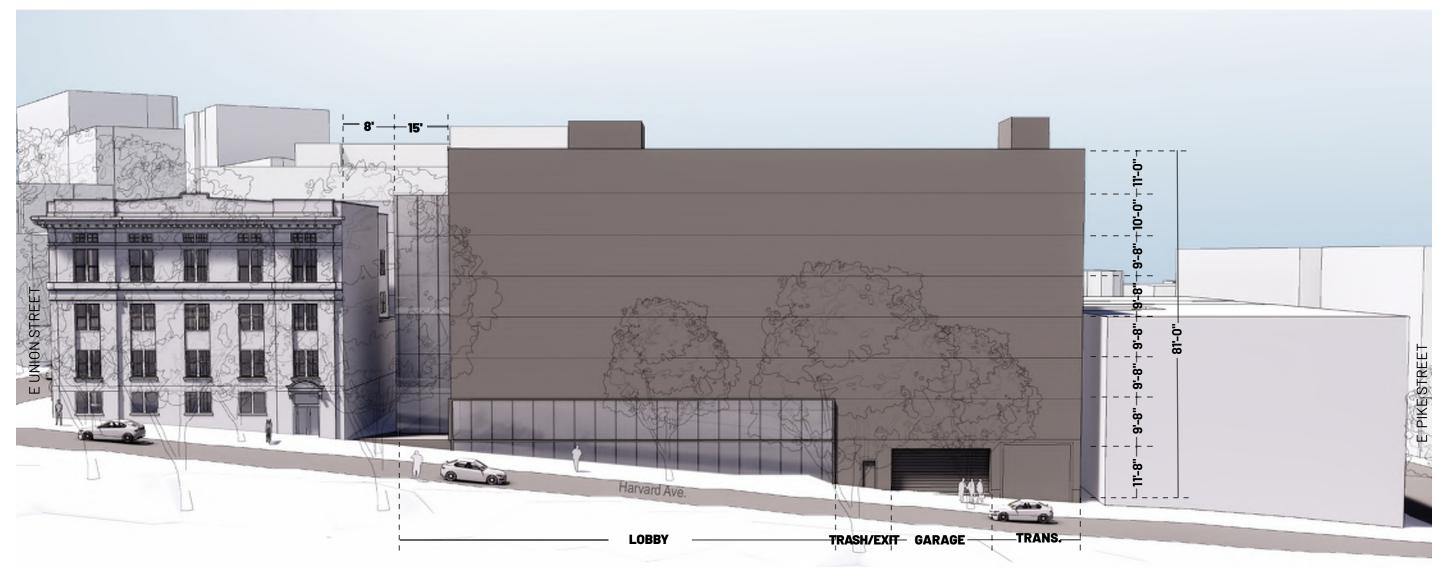








# OPTION C PREFERRED



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### MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION C



BIRD'S EYE VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E UNION ST. & HARVARD AVE.



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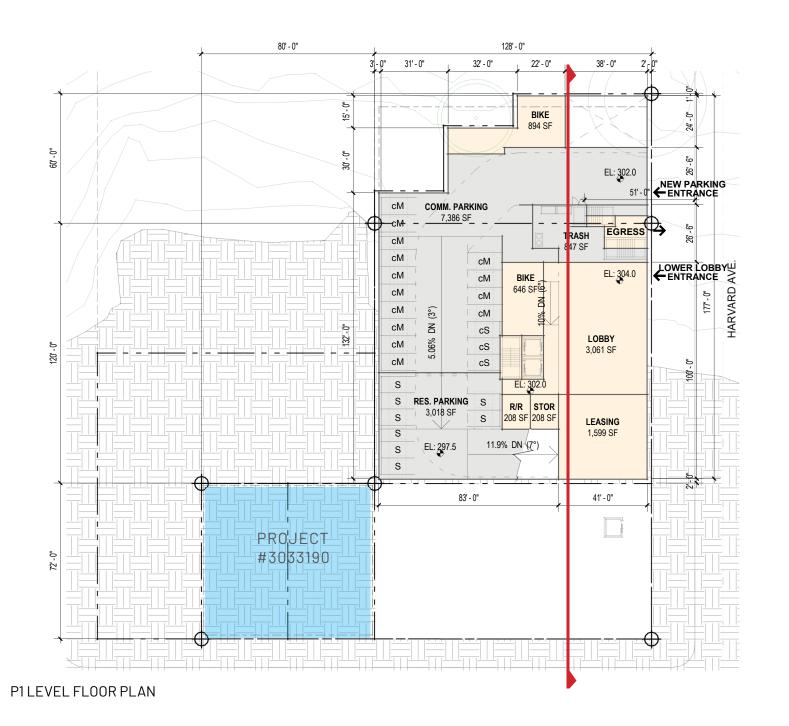
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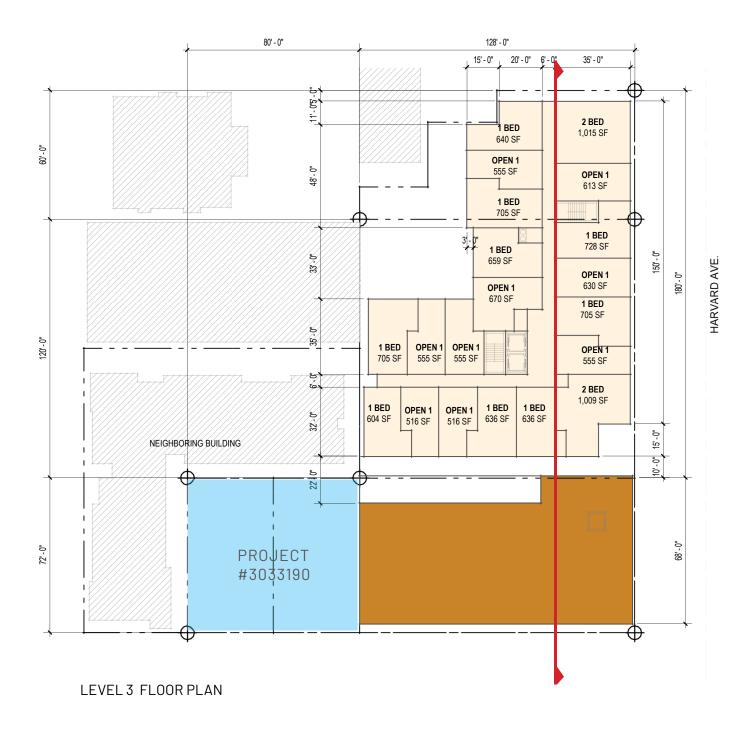


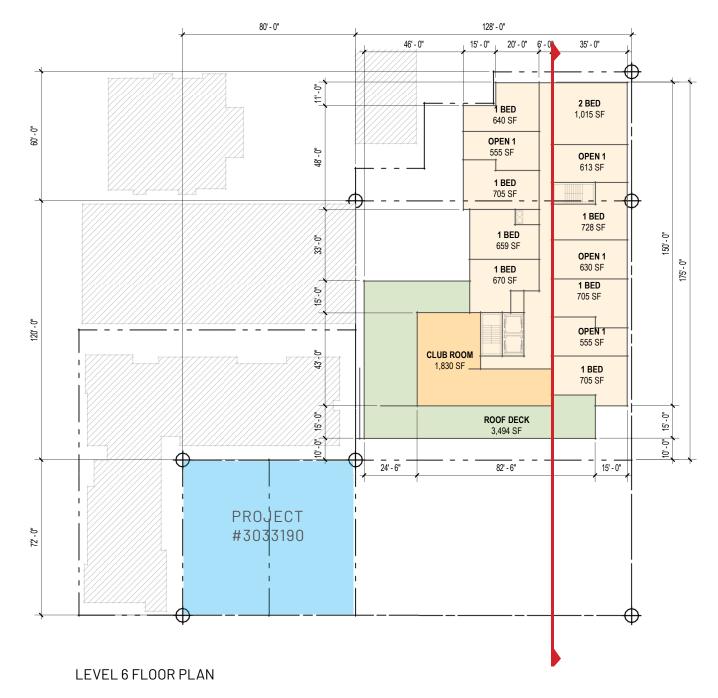
















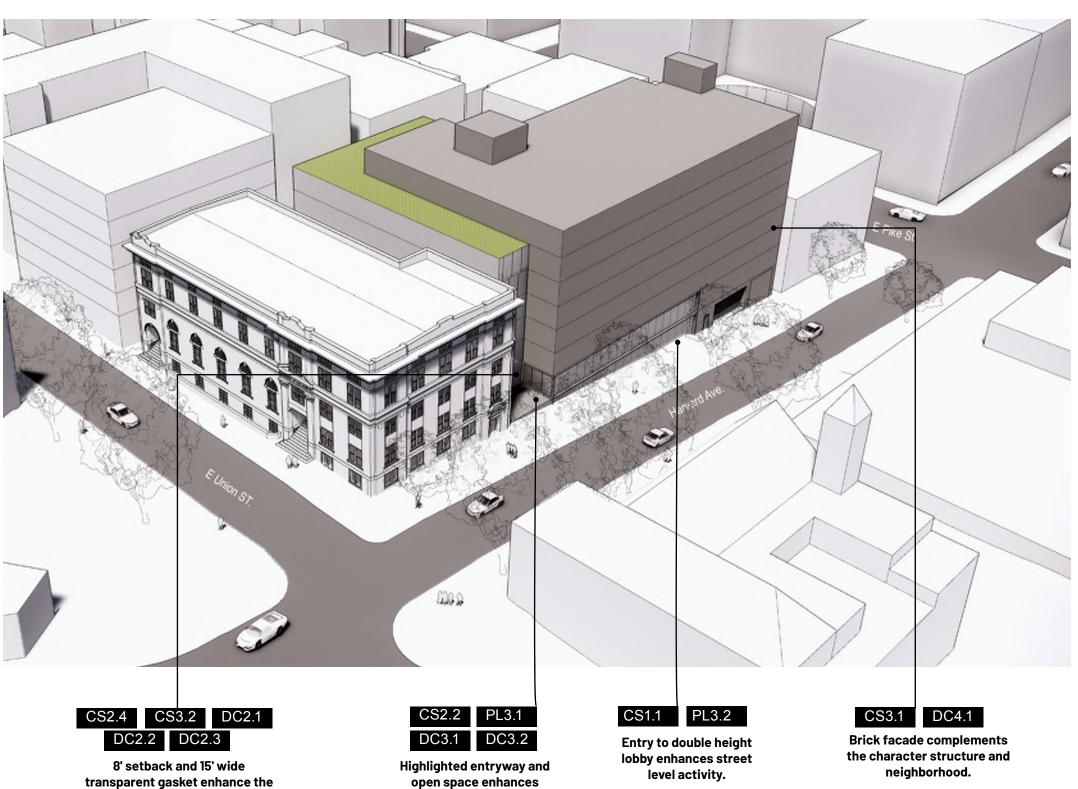


### MASSING OPTIONS - OPTION C

### **RELEVANT DESIGN GUIDELINES**

### PROS:

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CS1.1	Step the elevation of ground floors so building entrances match sloping grade.
CS2.1	Retain as much of the existing physical context as possible.
CS2.2	Massing should respond to the established Pike/Pine development pattern of street facing facade widths to maintain a cohesive streetscape.
CS2.4	Design new structures to be compatible in scale and form with surrounding context.
CS3.1	Architectural styles and material that complement the historic "autorow" light industrial vernacular are encouraged.
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street level activity.



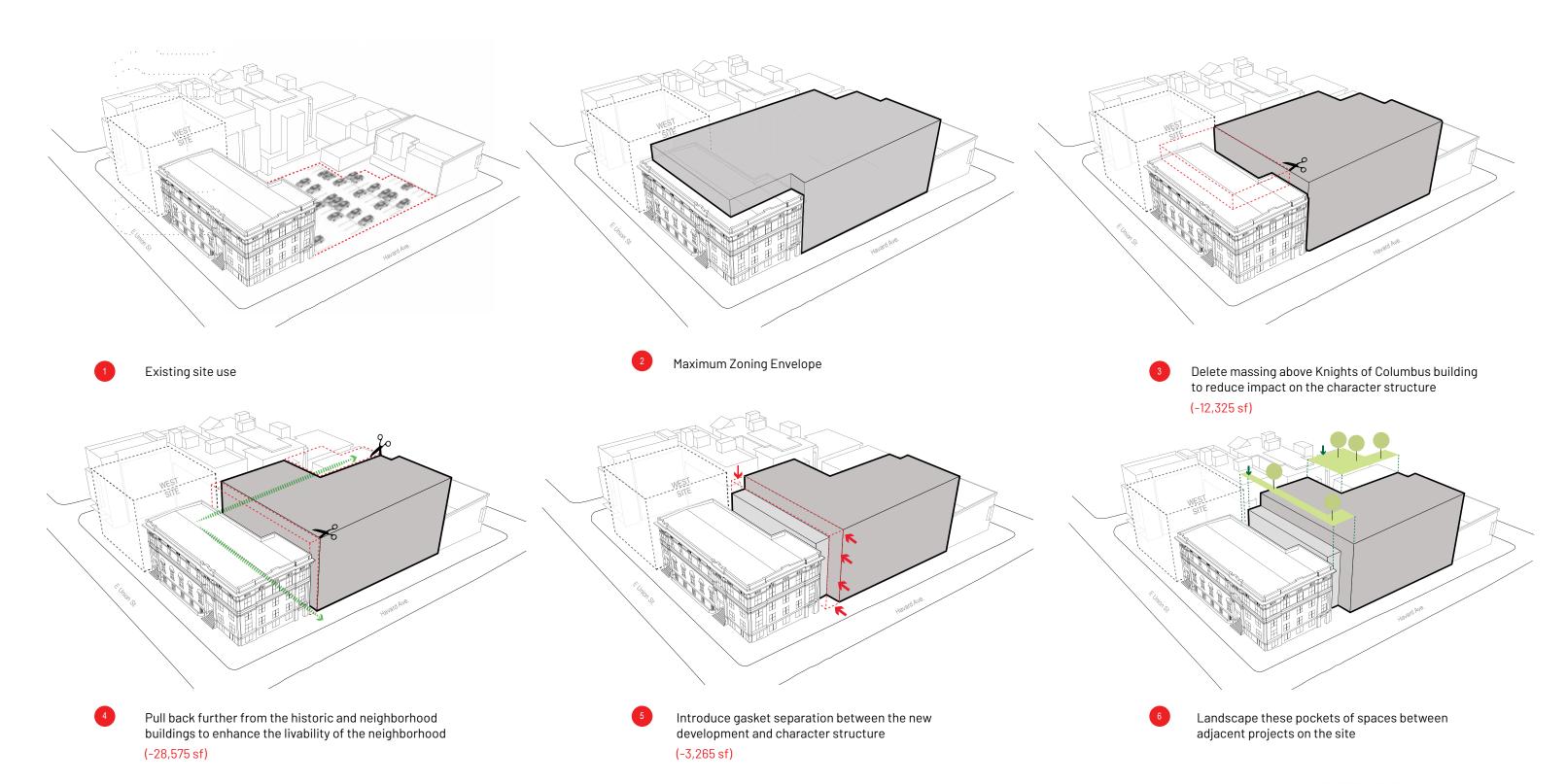


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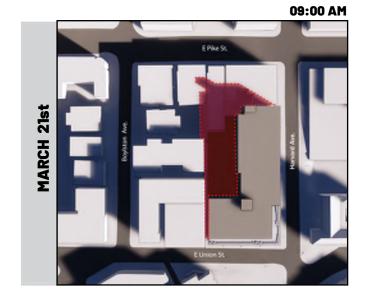


## PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C MASSING DEVELOPMENT





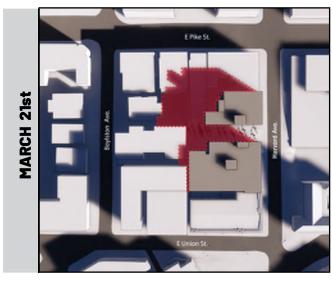
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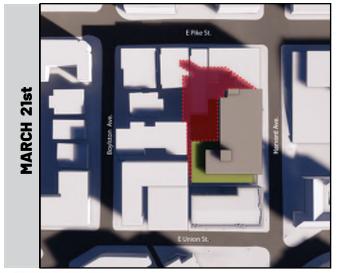
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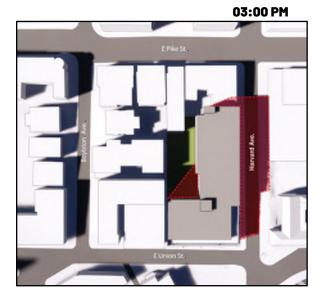




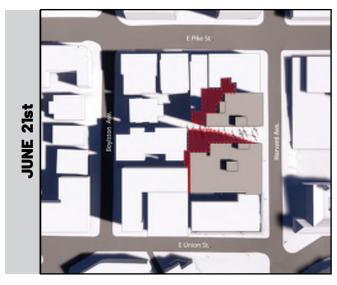
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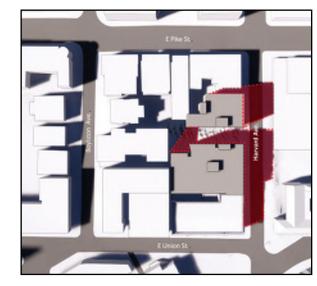




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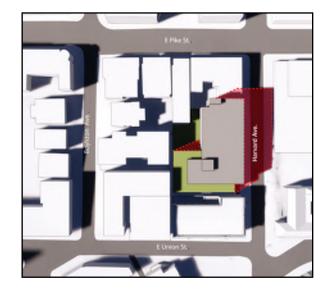




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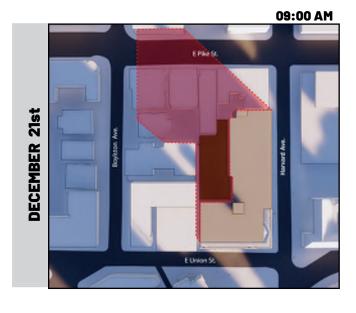
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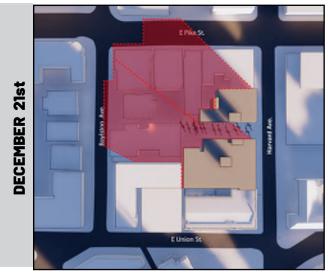
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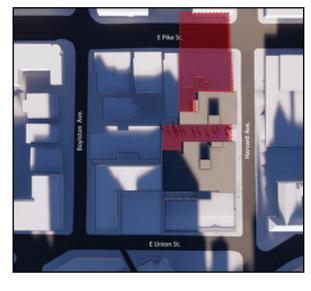






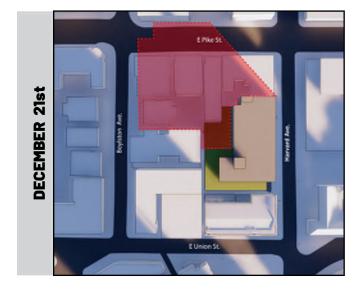
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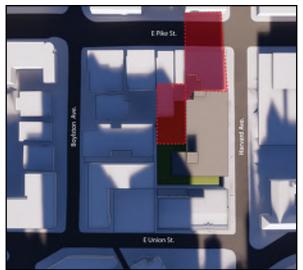






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## CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT





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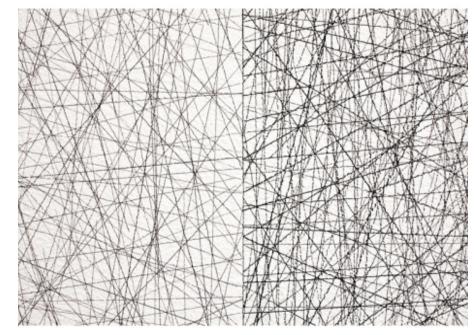
### INTERSECTING GRIDS

The grid is a visual structure that lies at the heart of **Contemporary art**. Grids as a graphic component in painting came to prominence in the early 20th century as abstractions.

**Sol LeWitt**, who adopted the grid as the underlying element of his artworks, bridged Minimalism and conceptual art. In the 1960s, LeWitt started to draw directly on walls, using the grid as a simplified format that excluded representational images. The wall drawings evolved into a set of precise and mathematical instructions. LeWitt's sculptures, meanwhile, drew upon the grid to form spare geometric abstractions that stand in three dimensions. **Far from being a static element**, the grid mutated in the hands of different artists to assume a wide array of forms.

**Sarah Morris's** large paintings take the shape of a flat map of streets usually associated with grid structures. In her paintings, the **rigid quadrangular spaces** are twisted into simple yet strong patterns that recall the urban landscape.

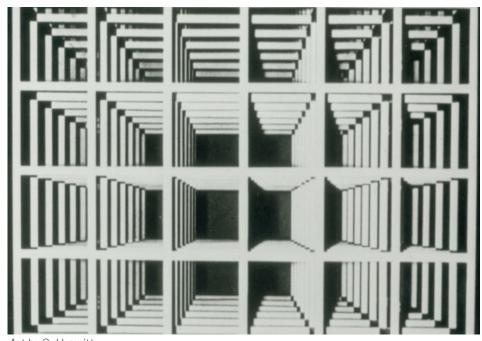
In modern life, **the grid is everywhere**. The streets of Manhattan form the most famous urban grid in the world. We digest our digital media through tiny pixellated grids, and play the lottery filling numbers in small grids. **The grid is the net that connects art with the increasingly ordered qualities of day-to-day life.** As Krauss wrote, "logically speaking, **the grid extends, in all directions, to infinity".** 



Art by Sol Lewitt



Art by Sean Scully



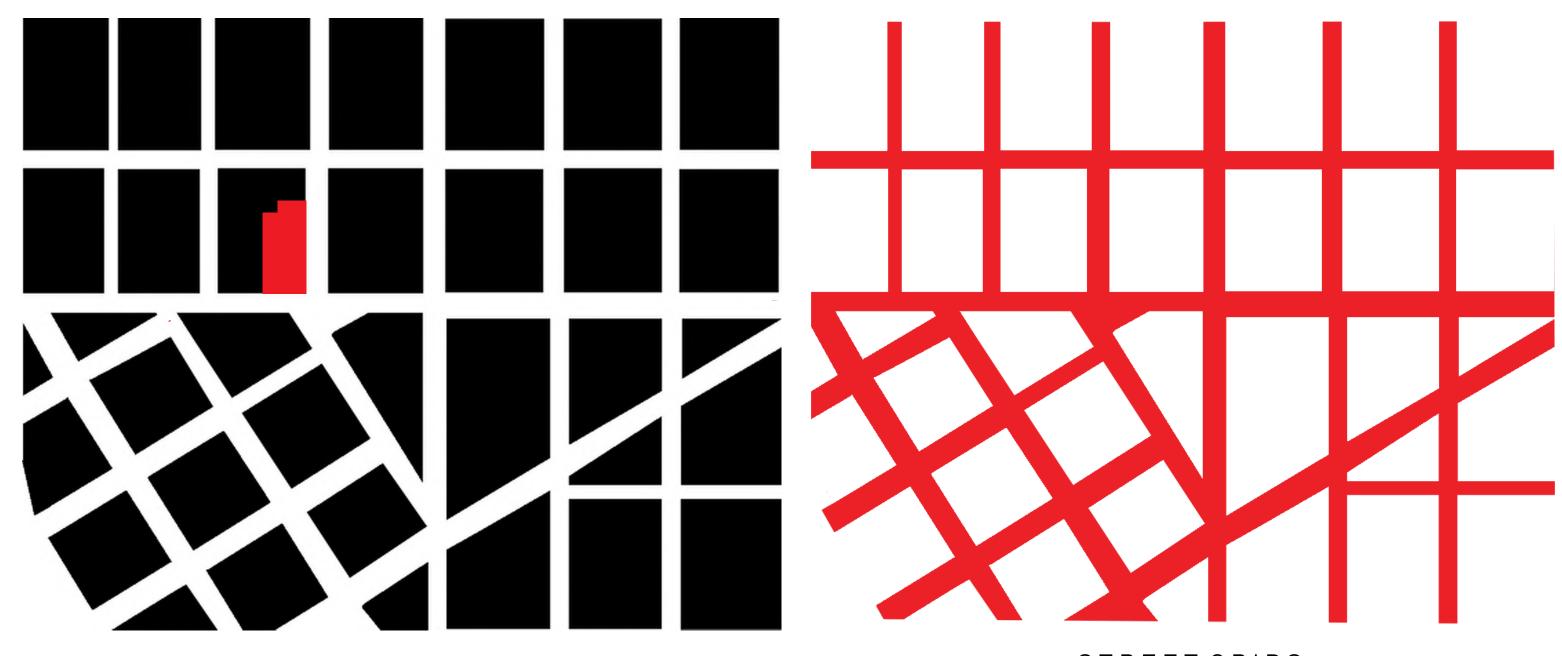
art by Soi Lewitt



Art by Sarah Morris





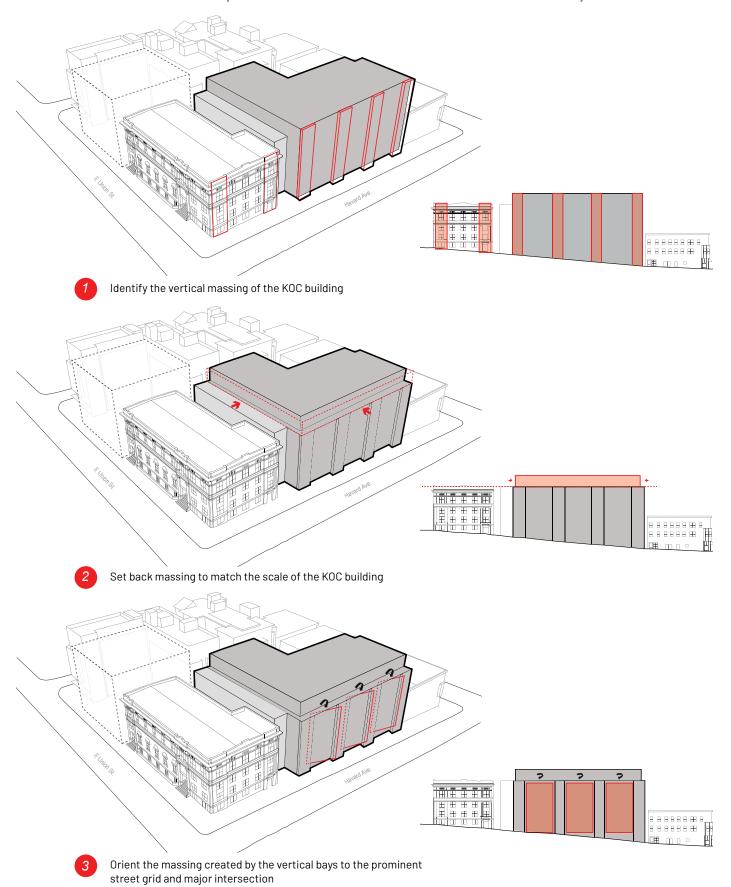


STREET GRIDS





### CONCEPT DESIGN 1 (PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C) - EXTENDED GRIDS





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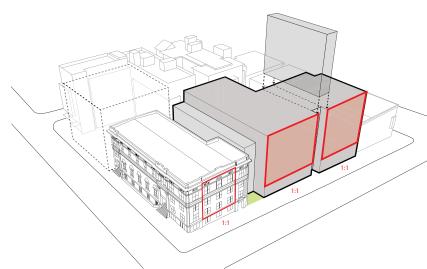
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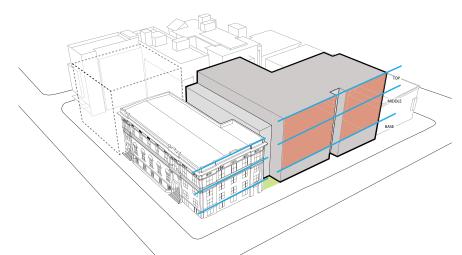


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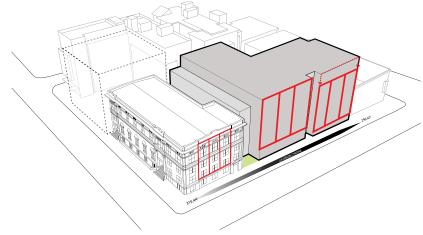
### CONCEPT DIAGRAM



1 Introduce secondary gasket element to correspond to the scale of the KOC



2 Follow the datum of the KOC to establish a distinctive top, middle and base



3 Adjust massing to correspond to the steep grade change



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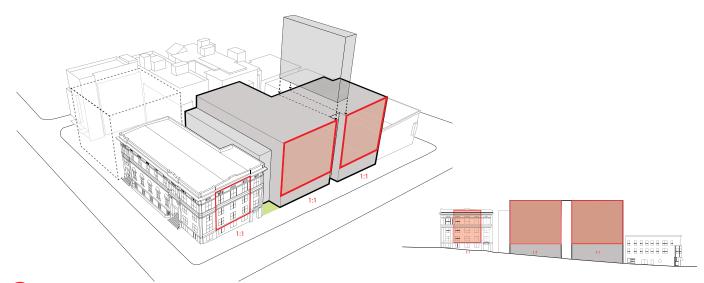


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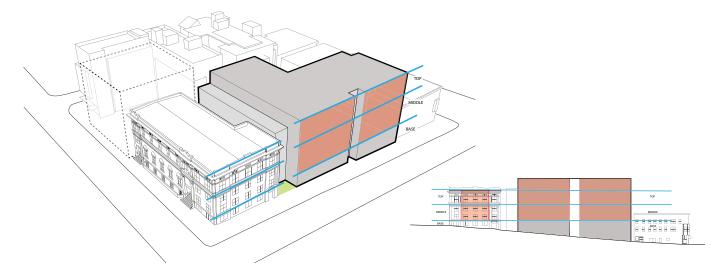




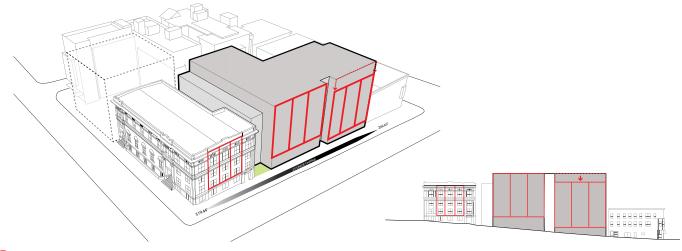
### CONCEPT DESIGN 2 (PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C) - PIXEL GRIDS



1 Introduce secondary gasket element to correspond to the scale of the KOC



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3 Adjust massing to correspond to the steep grade change



BIRD'S EYE VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E PIKE ST. AND HAVARD AVE.



STREET VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E PIKE ST. AND HAVARD AVE.





### BIRD'S EYE VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E UNION ST. AND HAVARD AVE.

# STREET VIEW FROM THE INTERSECTION OF E PIKE ST. AND HAVARD AVE.

### CONCEPT DESIGN 2 (PREFERRED MASSING OPTION C) - PIXEL GRIDS







Accent panel adjacent to windows



8 Punched openings



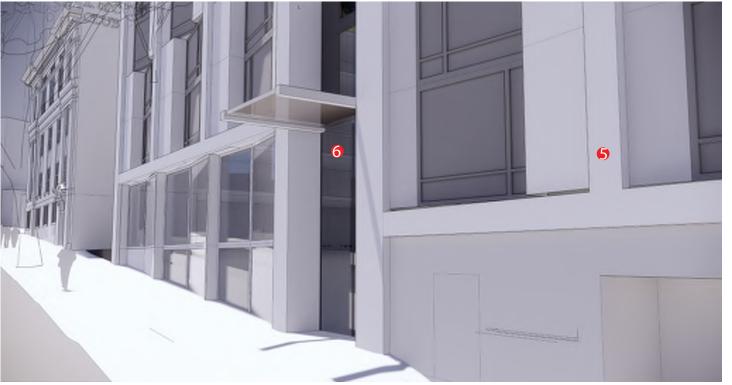
4 Uplighting at brick details



6 Brick details



**(6)** Transparent gasket and residential entrance between brick facades



VIEW OF THE LOBBY & RESIDENTIAL ENTRY

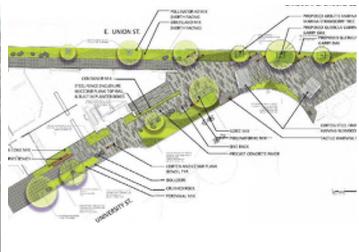


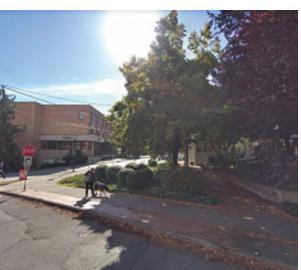


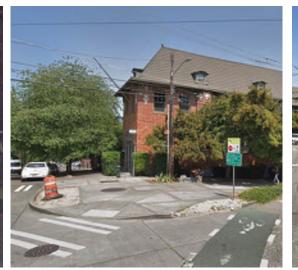
### ARCHITECTURAL EXPRESSION - NEIGHBORHOOD PATTERNS



















### ARCHITECTURAL EXPRESSION - LANDSCAPE SITE OPPORTUNITIES













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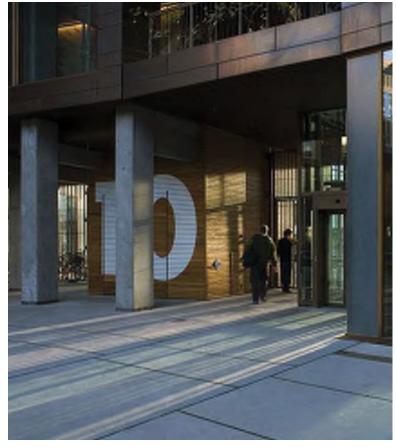


gaps green spaces





private and public - emerging views - transparency





light patterns as floor and ceiling

