

2925 E Madison St., Seattle WA 98112 A Proposed Apartment Development Project for TVC Madison Co. L.L.C.

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PROJECT INFORMATION

ADDRESS: 2939 E Madison St.

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PARCEL #: 501600-0007

ZONING: NC2P-40 &NC2P-30

OVERLAY: None FREQUENT TRANSIT: Yes

OTHER: 40% Steep Slope

Liquefaction Zone

BASE FAR: 2.5 for NC2P-30 Zone

3.25 for NC2P-40 Zone

LOT SIZE: 9,862 SF (NC2p-30)

30,560 SF (NC2P-40)

MAX BLDG HEIGHT: 30' (NC2P-30)

40' (NC2P-40)

+7'-0" (retail w/ 16' flr-flr)

SETBACK: 5"-0" @ Dewey Pl.
GREEN FACTOR: 0.5 or greater
PARKING: Retail: 1 stall/ 500SF

Retail: 1 stall/ 500SF Residential: 1 Stall/ Unit

(50% transit reduction)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

MADISON STREET ADD LOTS 1 THRU 5

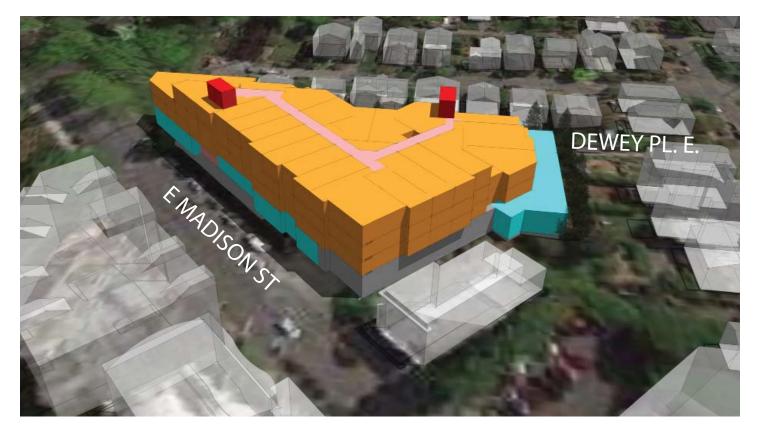
PLATE BLOCK: 7
PLAT LOT: PORTION

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EDG #1 SUMMARY





E MADISON ST I May A I May

OPTION #3: STEPPED BACK SCHEME (PREFERRED OPTION)

ADVANTAGES

Prominent retail entry on E. Madison St. Continuous retail floor, flexible for future tenant. Parking and back of house service off E. Madison St. away from Dewey Pl. E., Retail entrance +/- 6" provide better ADA transition.

Maximize residential presence on E. Madison St.

The three tier stepped scheme provides relief to the bulky massing of the building towards the single family residents to the east of the project site.

Minimum Blank Wall

EDG #2 SUMMARY

1. DEWEY FRONTAGE: HEIGHT, BULK, SCALE AND RESPONSE TO CONTEXT

Echoing public comment, the Board was concerned with the extent of blank wall shown and the potential for light and glare impacts to surrounding residential properties. The Board agreed that the frontage and scale relationship at this location is critical to address before moving forward.

a. The Board discussed if the elevated parking provides the best frontage condition on Dewey and recommended studying the arrangement of uses and the location of parking to provide a residential transition to the single family zoning and better respond to the existing topography. (CS1-C, CS2-A, CS2-D, CS3-A-1, DC1, DC2-A-2)

Alternative uses were studied to better transition the parking level to single-family residences. As a response to the guidance of the Design Review Board, two-story residential townhouses (5) were added to the Dewey PI facade to complete the step-down neighborhood transition. The residential facades of these townhouses modulate down the street to reduce the bulk of the eastern facade. Sloped roof forms are used to relate to the context of existing residential forms across Dewey.

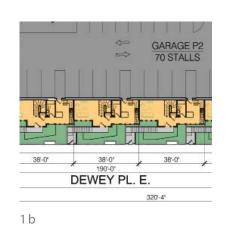
b. Concerned with the visibility of the exposed wall and frontage, the Board agreed with public comment that additional massing transition, setback and landscape should be incorporated to develop a sensitive solution, which better relates to the surrounding residential context. (CS1-C, CS2-A, CS2-B, CS3-A-1, DC2-B, DC3-C-3)

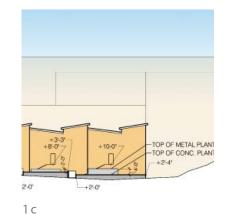
The addition of residential townhouses eliminates the potential light and glare and noise concerns by pushing the parking wall away from Dewey an additional 11 feet (total setback = 26 feet). Furthermore, the interior program at the parking level was revised to keep parking away from the Dewey facade at the Northwest corner. Residential use spaces (bike storage and gym) now occupy this corner with no exposed parking wall openings. The residential townhouses are setback an average of 12 feet from Dewey providing ample space for tiered landscaping, which resembles a pleasant residentially-scaled front-yard.

c. Affirming the public comment regarding the pedestrian experience along Dewey, the Board was also concerned with the height of the retaining wall proposed adjacent to the sidewalk and recommended additional setbacks and planted landscape to improve the public realm. (CS2-A, CS2-B, CS3-A-1, PL1-B-3, DC4-D-4)

The height of the retaining wall along Dewey PIE sidewalk has been lowered to 2'-0" at the lowest point and 4'-0" at the highest. The durable board-formed concrete wall provides a subtle texture that relates to the wood grain of the cladding. A diverse landscape palette is now placed at or below eye-level to enhance the pedestrian experience and improve the public realm. Additional weathered steel planters walls terrace away from the sidewalk to soften the transition to the Dewey residential street.







2. SETBACKS, SITE FEATURES AND EXISTING TREE CANOPY

While reviewing the existing vegetation and proposed replacement planting, the Board acknowledged the public's concern with tree canopy loss, green wall maintenance, and that fact that the proposed planting will take years to mature. The Board agreed that the setback depth, amount of landscape buffer, and green wall maintenance is important to address. For the next meeting, the Board recommended studying the depth of the setback and seriously examining the potential to save some of the existing trees. (CS1-D-1, CS2-B, CS2-D-2, DC3-C, DC4-D)

The applicant explored the depth of the parking wall setback and increased the parking wall setback by 11 feet. This is the maximum possible setback distance to retain 70 parking stalls for each parking level. Two options were presented at the Second EDG meeting demonstrating massing options which save existings trees on-site. Neither of these options were supported by the board. The green wall has been replaced with residential townhouses and program using high-quality materials to provide character along Dewey Pl and eliminate the concern for green wall maintenance.

3.TRASH, VEHICULAR ACCESS AND LOADING LOCATION

The Board acknowledged splitting the loading and parking access point into two locations appears logical, but agreed more information was needed before indicating their preference on the related departures. Related to developing a sensitive solution to the Dewey frontage, the Board requested studying alternates, such as one vehicular access point. (CS2-B-2, PL1, DC1, DC4)

A traffic study regarding parking and access impacts demonstrates split access minimizes the traffic impact on both streets. One vehicular access point has been studied off both Dewey PI E and E Madison St.

4. MADISON STREETSCAPE AND GATHERING SPACE

The Board agreed with public sentiment and continued to support the addition of a community space along the street, beyond an enlarged entry sequence, and also encouraged studying the widening of the sidewalk along Madison to provide adequate space for pedestrian to engage and interact with the streetscape. (CS2-B-2, PL1, PL3-C, DC3)

The indoor/outdoor spaces have been enlarged and refined adjacent to the grocer frontage and the corner retail space. The sidewalk width has been increased to a minimum of 8 feet wide and maximum of 10 feet wide allowing for ample pedestrian space that connects to increased ground level setbacks.

5. MATERIALS

The Board continued to strongly support the quality of materials presented. (CS3-A-1, DC2, DC4-A-1.)

A traffic study regarding parking and access impacts demonstrates split access minimizes the traffic impact on both streets. One vehicular access point has been studied off both Dewey PI E and E Madison St.



PREFERRED DESIGN - EDG 3

VIEW LOOKING NORTHEAST



DESCRIPTION

- The new building engages E. Madison St. with retail spaces at street level along the pedestrian way.
- The residential entry is located at the North end of the site, entering from E. Madison St.
- Vehicular entrance to the commercial parking garage and loading dock is located off E. Madison St. Vehicular entrance to the residential parking garage is located off Dewey Pl. E.
- The three tier "L" scheme provides relieve to the bulky massing of the building and provides opportunity to hold the parking garage back the property line for landscaping screening.
- Residential units are oriented equally facing all directions.
- Townhomes along Dewey Pl. E. provides like for like trasitions to SF zone

ADVANTAGES

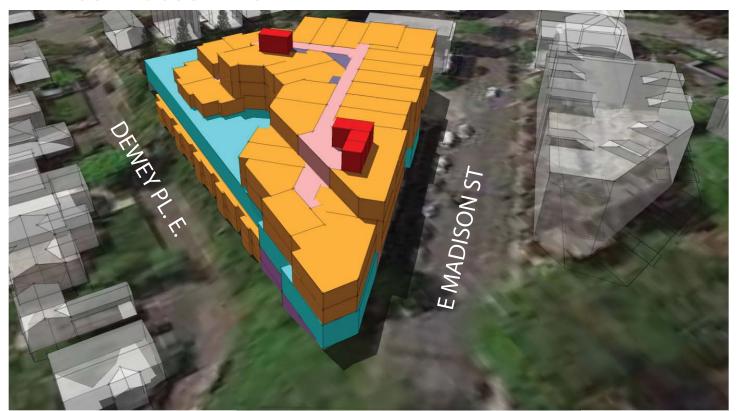
- Prominent retail entry on E. Madison St.
 Continuous retail floor, flexible for future tenant.
- Parking and back of house service off E.
 Madison St. away from Dewey Pl. E.,
- Retail entrance +/- 1'-0" provide better ADA transition.
- Maximize residential presence on E. Madison St.
- The three tier "L" scheme provides relief to the bulky massing of the building towards the single family residents to the east of the project site.
- Townhomes along Dewey Pl. E. provides like for like transition to SF zone
- Minimum Blank Wall.

CHALLENGES

Parking garage ramp.

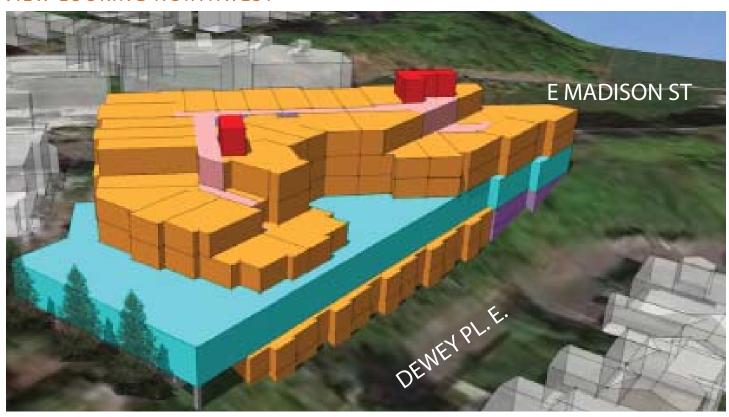
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VIEW LOOKING SOUTHEAST



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VIEW LOOKING NORTHWEST



STREET/RETAIL LEVEL PLAN



Madison- Looking North



Madison- Looking South



Dewey- Looking South

STREET LEVEL PRESPECTIVE

ADVANTAGES CS2-D REDUCE BULK AND SCALE FULL LEVEL REDUCTION A

REDUCE BULK AND SCALE BY STEPPING BUILDING DOWN, RESULTING IN FULL LEVEL REDUCTION AT RESIDENTIAL STREET - "STAIR-STEP" DESIGN

PL3

RETAIL LEVEL AT GRADE - BETTER STREET LEVEL INTERACTION

PL3-C

RETAIL EDGE ALONG E. MADISON ST.

DC4-D

RESIDENTIAL USE AONG DEWEY PL. E. PROVIDES LIKE FOR LIKE TRASITION TO SF ZONE

CS1-D

MULTIPLE OPPORTUNITIES FOR ONSITE LANDSCAPING

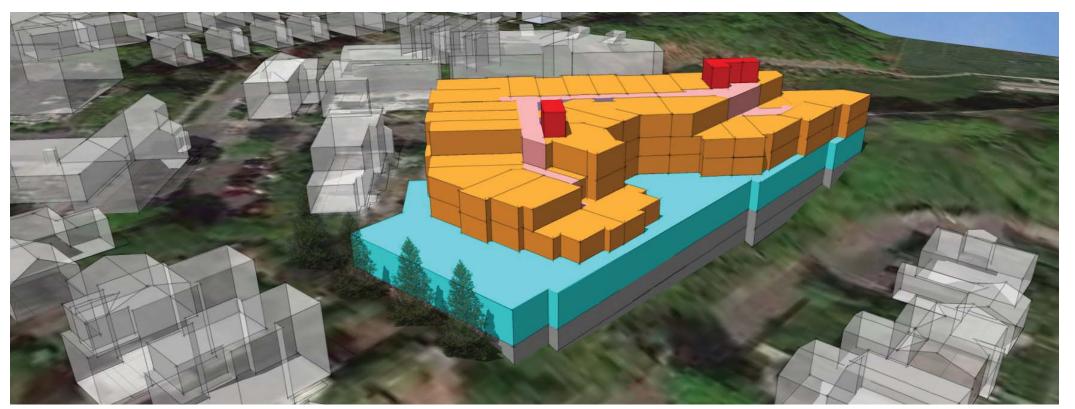




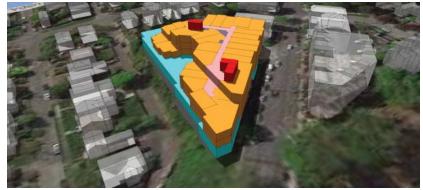
PREFERRED DESIGN - EDG2 VS EDG 3

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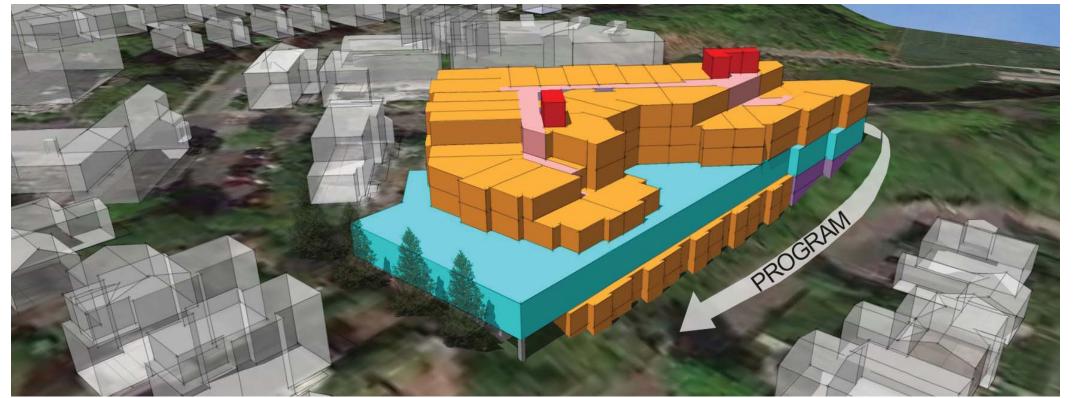
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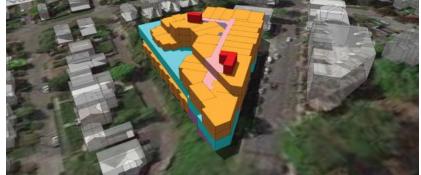




EDG #2







EDG #3

SUMMARY

Tree Solutions Inc was asked to evaluate trees on site six inches in diameter and greater, with reference to a site survey dated September 3, 2015. The tree size, species, health and structural condition, and related notes and recommendations for each tree are noted in the Tree Inventory (see Arborist's Report - July 1, 2016) The majority of the trees on site are located on a steep slope located along the eastern property line.

The qualified arborist determined that trees on the steep slope site are considered hazardous due to of one or combination of the following reasons:

- 1. Structure, disease, past maintenance practices
- 2. Soil stability of steep slope
- 3. Changes in hydrology as a result of building up-slope
- 4. Retaining wall construction along Dewey PI E

Based on the four reasons listed above, the qualified arborist **recommends removal of all trees on the steep slope** to avoid hazardous conditions and improve function to the site.

	ONS INC g Arberists	2939 E Madison St Seattle, WA 98112						Table Prepared: 05.31.3 Revised: 07.01.3		
Tree ID	Scientific Name	Common Name	DSH (inches)	Health Condition	Structural Condition	Exceptional Threshold		Proposed Action	Notes	
56	llex aquifolium	English holly	8*	Good	Good	19	(y/n) No	Remove	*Estimated DSH, no access,	
									tag	
1101	Cercidiphyllum japonicum	Katsura	13.5	Good	Good	30	No	Remove		
1102	Cercidiphyllum Iaponicum	Katsura	12.6	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 8.5, 9.3;	
	Alnus rubra	Red alder	24.4	Good	Good	Only Exceptional in Grove	No	Remove	May have had a past top failure; old pruning wounds, north side has slight decay; union has included bark on west side	
1104	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	7.5	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 5.5, 5.1; j- shaped base due to slope creep	
1105	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	21.2	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 14.1, 15.9; Portion topped for power lin in ROW dedication -future hazard	
1106	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	12.2	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	In ROW dedication - future hazard	
1107	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	14.0	Good	Good	30	No	Remove		
1108	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	7.3	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	J-shaped base, corrected lea	
1109	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	12.9	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Topped for powerlines, in ROW dedication - future hazard	
1110	Populus nigra	Lombardypoplar	19.4	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Base slightly buried	
1111	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	16.4*	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 5.1, 5.9, 7.9, 8.3, 4.9, 7.8; stump sprout; narrow angles of attachmen	
1112	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	19.1	Good	Good	30	No	Remove		
	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	16.9*	Fair	Poor	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 11.4, 12.5; Narrow angle of attachment included bark; poor union with Kretzschmorio deusta present, decay in largest ster	
1114	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	17.7	Good	Good	30	No	Remove		
1115	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	11.3*	Fair	Fair	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 9.5, 6.2; trunk failure near top, tension side wounds	
1116	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	8.4	Fair	Poor	30	No	Remove	Invasive ivy (Hedera spp.) or stem; trunk failure in past; sprouts at top, low live crow ratio; root damage will occur from ROW dedication - futur hazard	
1117	Alnus rubra	Red alder	13.9	Good	Good	Only Exceptional in Grove	No	Remove	Invasive ivy on stem, in ROW dedication - future hazard	
1118	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	27.6*	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 9.7, 16.5, 19.9 narrow angle of attachment; invasive ivy on stem	
1119	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	11.0	Fair	Fair	30	No	Remove	Invasive ivv on stem	
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Tree ID	Scientific Name	Common Name	(inches)	Health Condition	Structural Condition	Exceptional Threshold	Exceptional (y/n)	Proposed Action	Notes
1121	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	11.7	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Suppressed
1122	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	17.9*	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Narrow angle of attachment
1123	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	9.7	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Swept base, old tear out at 6 feet
1124	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	13.2	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Swept base
1125	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	6.5	Good	Fair	30	No	Remove	Swept base, suppressed
1126	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	18.0*	Fair	Fair	30	No	Remove	Stump sprout, old wound at base, small leaf size
1127	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	21.3*	Fair	Fair	30	No	Remove	Small leaf size, swep base, narrow angle of attachments
1128	Populus nigra	Lombardypoplar	28.5	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Mid-slope measurement marked with red paint showing level of measurement; pruned for powerlines, root damage will occur from ROW dedication - future hazard
1129	Prunus serrulata	Flowering cherry	16.9*	Fair	Fair	23	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 4.8, 6.2, 15.0; Previous top failure, brown ro in stem, root damage will occur from ROW dedication - future hazard
1130	Populus nigra	Lombardypoplar	18.1	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Root damage will occur from ROW Dedication - future hazard
1131	Populus nigra	Lombardypoplar	37.5	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Root damage will occur from ROW Dedication - future hazard
1132	Prunus serrulata	Flowering cherry	7.1	Fair	Fair	23	No	Remove	Brown rot in stem, in ROW dedication - future hazard
1133	Prunus serrulata	Flowering cherry	8.9*	Fair	Fair	23	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 4.3, 6.1, 4.8; Brown rot in stem
1134	Populus nigra	Lombardy poplar	19.6	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	
1135	Prunus serrulata	Flowering cherry	10.1	Fair	Fair	23	No	Remove	Measured at narrowest point below the union; phototropic to east; in ROW dedication - future hazard
1136	Populus nigra	Lombardy poplar	13.7*	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	
1137	Populus nigra	Lombardy poplar	29.0	Good	Good	30	No	Remove	Adjusted size for ivy on stem; split at 4.0 feet, narrow angle of attachment; in ROW dedication - future hazard
1138	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	29.3	Fair	Fair	30	No	Remove	Measured at narrowest point below union, invasive ivy on stem; narrow angle of attachment, cavity present swept base



TREE 1105 - Topped tree can lead to structural issues



TREE 1103 - Structural defect can lead to failure of stems



TREE 1112 - Structural defect will lead to structural failure



TREE 1114 - Trunk failures and damage along main stem



TREE 1109 - Hazardous due to past maintenance

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TREE PRESERVATION STUDY

TREE PRESERVATION SUMMARY

The design team was asked by the Design Review Board to explore opportunities to retain any existing trees on site.

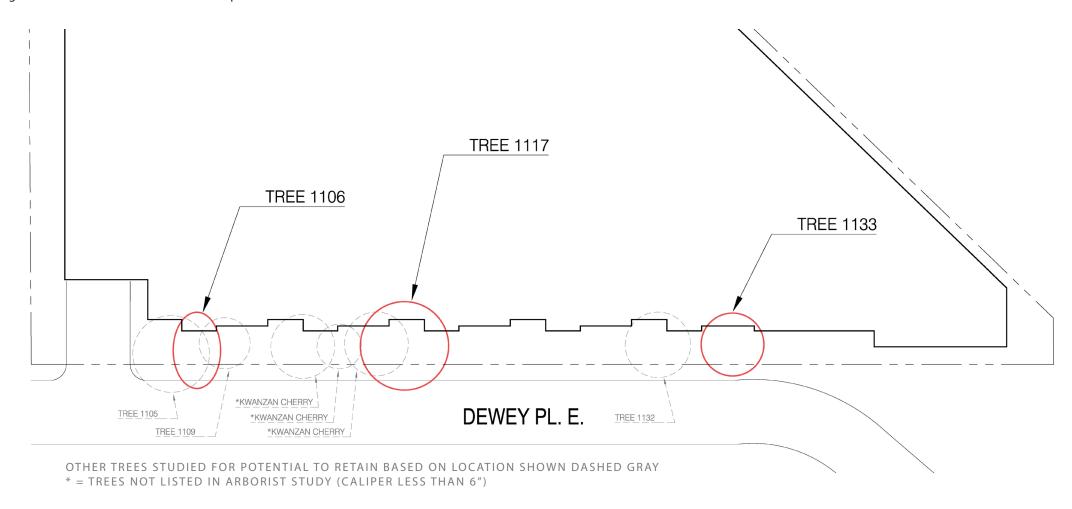
Although the arborist recommends removal of all trees on the steep sloope along Dewey PL to avoid hazardous conditions and replacement with appropriate mitigation trees, the design team directed the arborist to determine if any trees can potentially be preserved. Although the following trees are poor candidates for retention, the design team has selected Tree 1106, 1117, and 1133 as trees which can potentially be retained. Of the trees studied along Dewey PI E, these trees are in the best condition and location to warrant further study.

Tree 1106 is a Zebrina western red cedar in good condition and has not been topped unlike surrounding red cedar trees. Issues with potential retainage - Four reasons identified in Arborist Summary.

Tree 1117 is a Red Alder in good condition, but the tree species is not considered a long-term retention tree and does not tolerate site disturbance well. Issued with potential retainage - Four reasons identified in Arborist Summary.

Tree 1133 is a Flowering Cherry in fair condition. Issues with potential retainage - Four reasons identified in Arborist Summary.

If they are able to be retained, these trees are spaced adequately along Dewey PI E to provide the frontage with some mature growth trees to contrast the new planned landscaping within the front yard setbacks. There is no warranty or guarantee that problems or deficiencies of the subject trees may not arise in the future. All trees possess the risk of failure. The design team will continue to work with the qualified arborist to determine if these trees can be retained.







TREE 1106 - Western Red Cedar

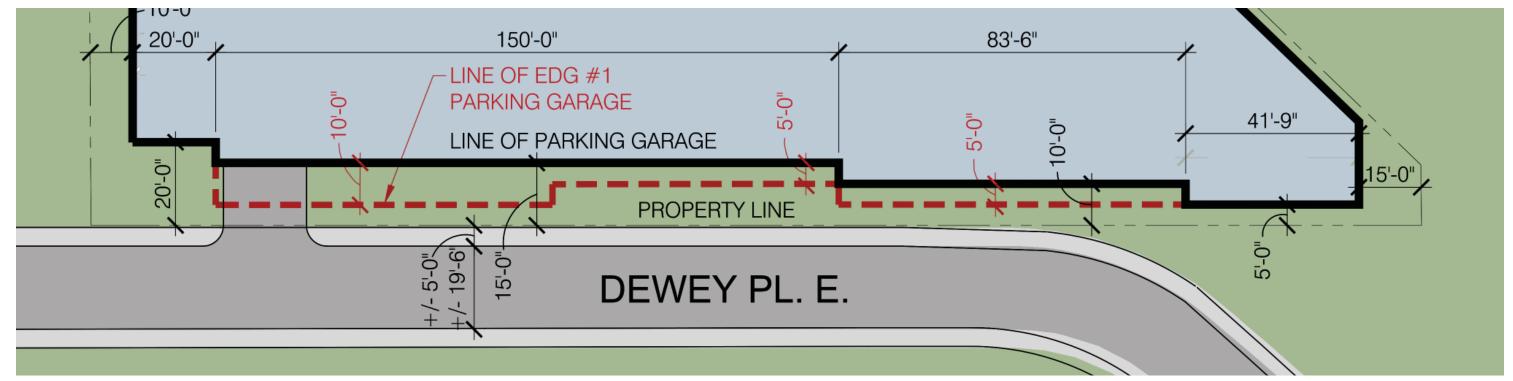


TREE 1117 - Red Alder

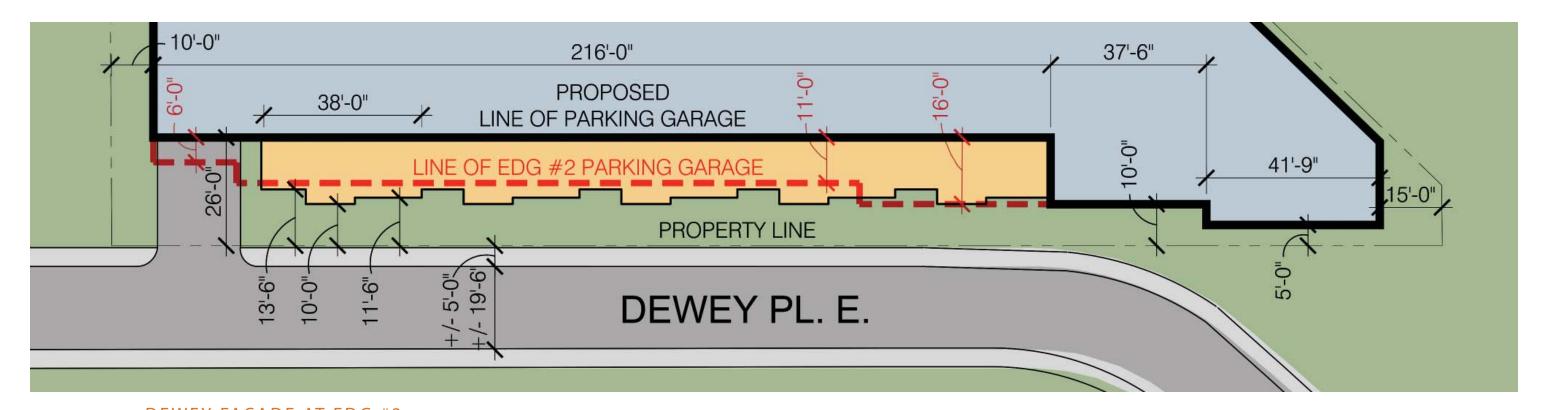


TREE 1133 - Flowering Cherry

PREFERRED DESIGN - DEWEY PL DIAGRAMS



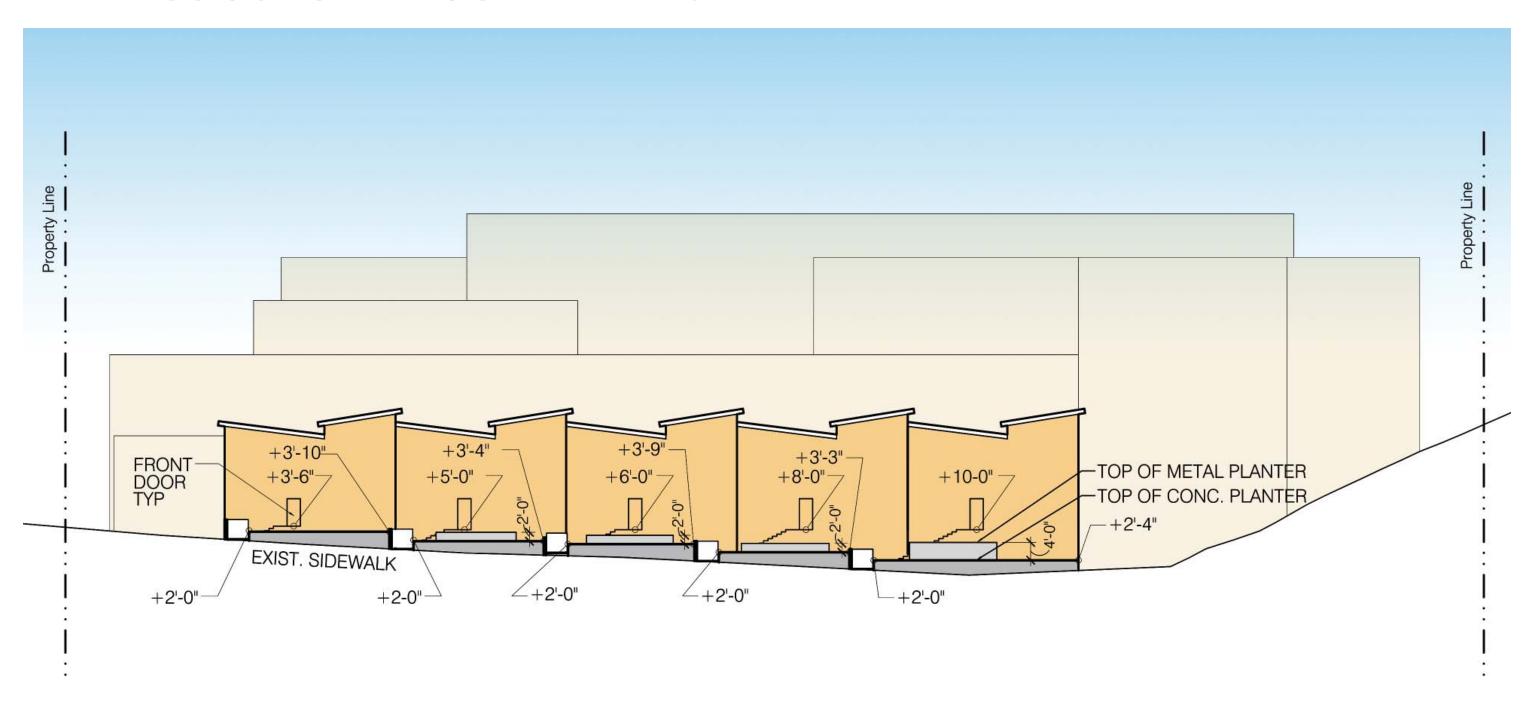
DEWEY FACADE AT EDG #2



DEWEY FACADE AT EDG #3

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PREFERRED DESIGN - DEWEY FACADE PLANTER HEIGHT



FLAT ROOF STUDY

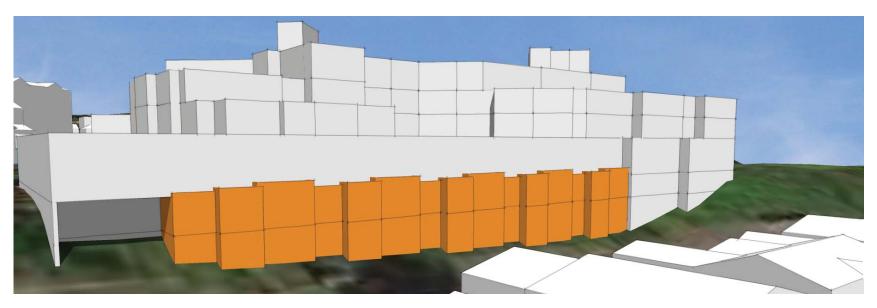
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- ROOF DOES NOT COMPLIMENT TOWNHOUSE
 MODULATION

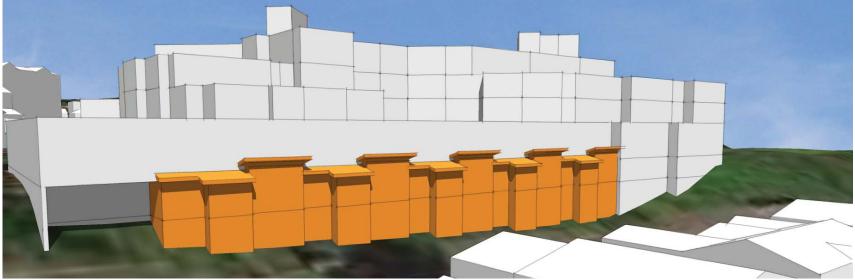
PROJECTED SHED ROOF STUDY

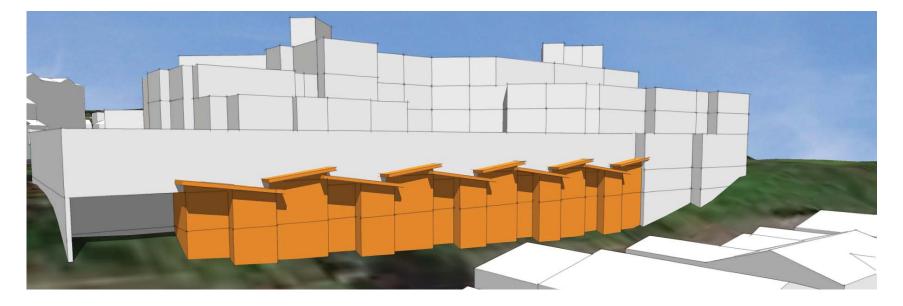
 ROOF FORM BETTER RELATES TO SLOPED ROOFS OF SINGLE FAMILY HOMES.

COPLANAR SHED ROOF STUDY (PREFERRED)

- ROOF FORM COMPATIBLE TO NEIGHBORING SINGLE FAMILY HOMES.
- EXTENDED ROOF LINES CREATE VISUAL INTEREST FOR PEDESTRIANS

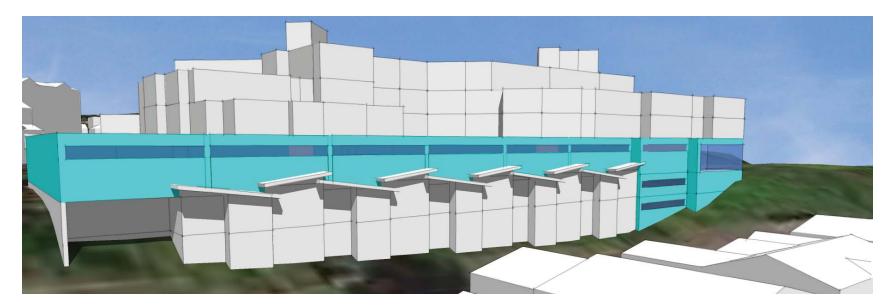






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RETAIL WINDOW STUDIES







RIBBON WINDOW STUDY

- MODERN AESTHETIC OF CONTINUOUS RIBBON WINDOWS POORLY RELATES TO SINGLE FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD
- LINEAR PATTERN CREATES VISUAL TENSION WITH TOWNHOUSES
 BELOW

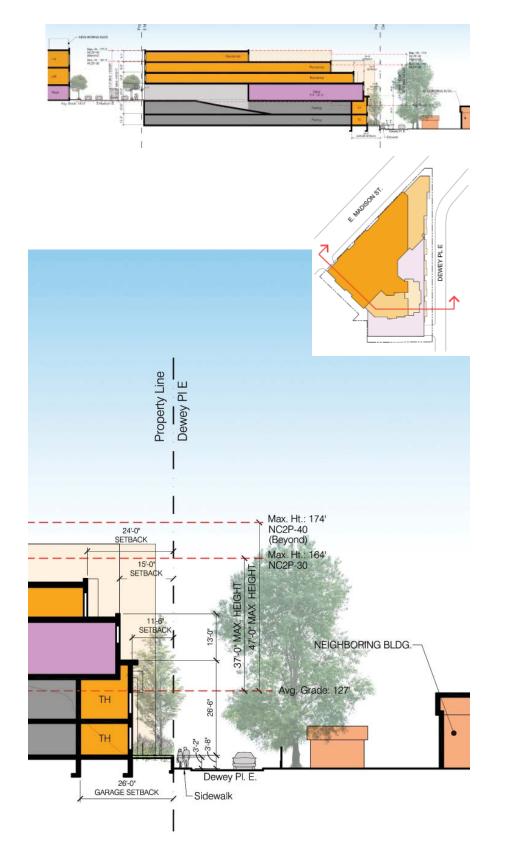
PUNCHED WINDOW STUDY

- RHYTHM OF CONTINUOUS PUNCHED OPENINGS DISTRACTS
 FROM VIEWS OF TOWNHOUSES
- REPETITION OF WINDOW AND AWNINGS NOT RESPONSIVE TO ADJACENT SINGLE FAMILY ZONE

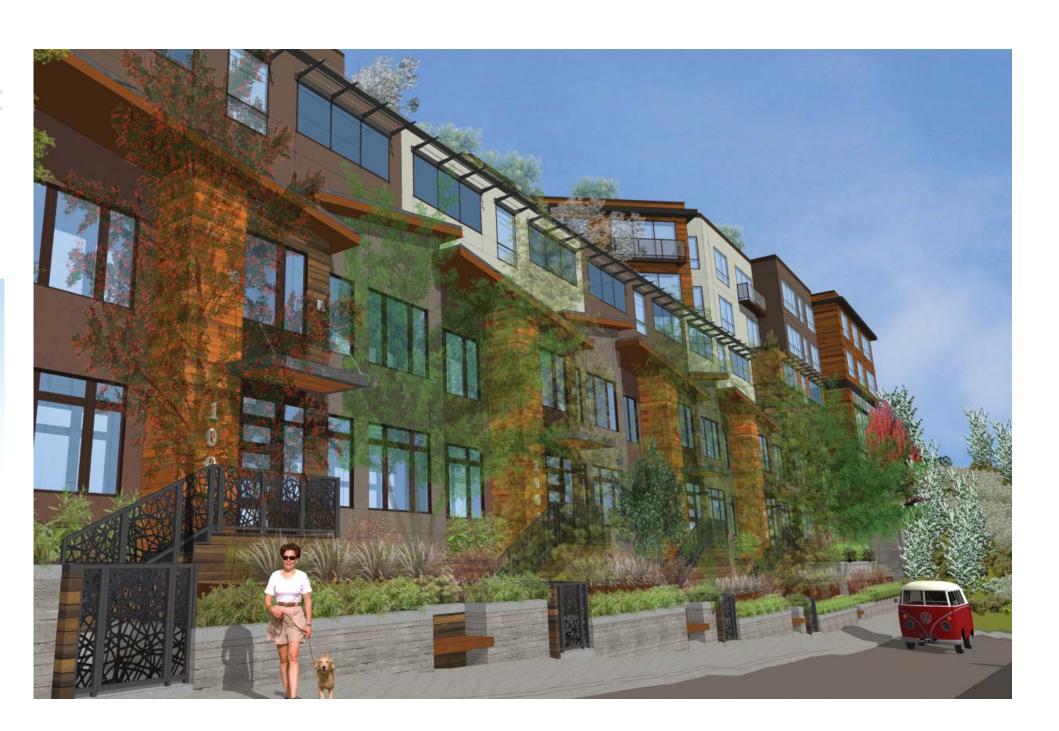
RESIDENTIALLY-SCALED WINDOW STUDY (PREFERRED)

- FENESTRATION OPENINGS HAVE SIMILAR SCALE AS RESIDENTIAL WINDOWS ABOVE AND BELOW
- VARIOUS WINDOW SIZES CREATE UNIQUE RHYTHM THAT DIRECTLY RESPONDS TO TOWNHOUSES
- CURRENT 'BAYS' UTILIZE ALTERNATE COLOR TO BREAK DOWN FACADE BULK AT COMMERCIAL LEVEL (FACADE IS COPLANAR FOR ALL WINDOW STUDIES)

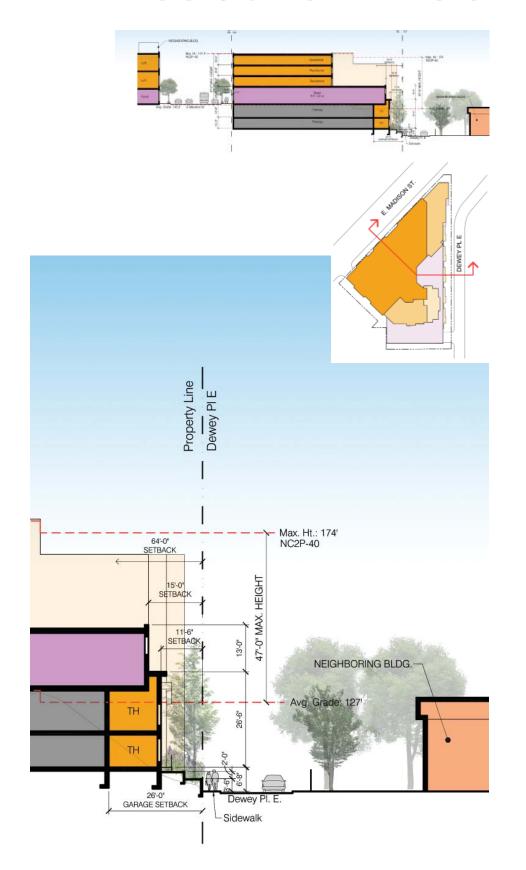
PREFERRED DESIGN - DEWEY PEDESTRIAN EXPERIENCE AND SECTIONS





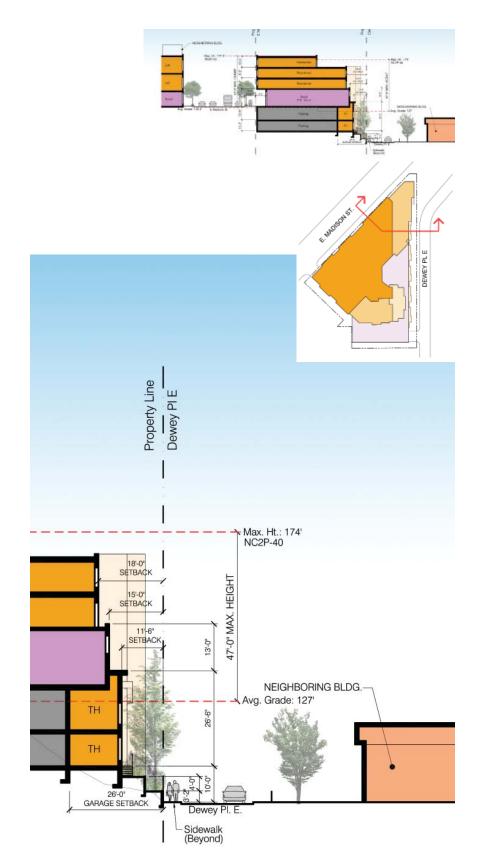


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SOLAR STUDIES - EQUINOX

EDG 1- MAXIMIZE ZONING ENVELOPE

EDG 2

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SOLAR STUDIES - WINTER SOLSTICE

EDG 1- MAXIMIZE ZONING ENVELOPE

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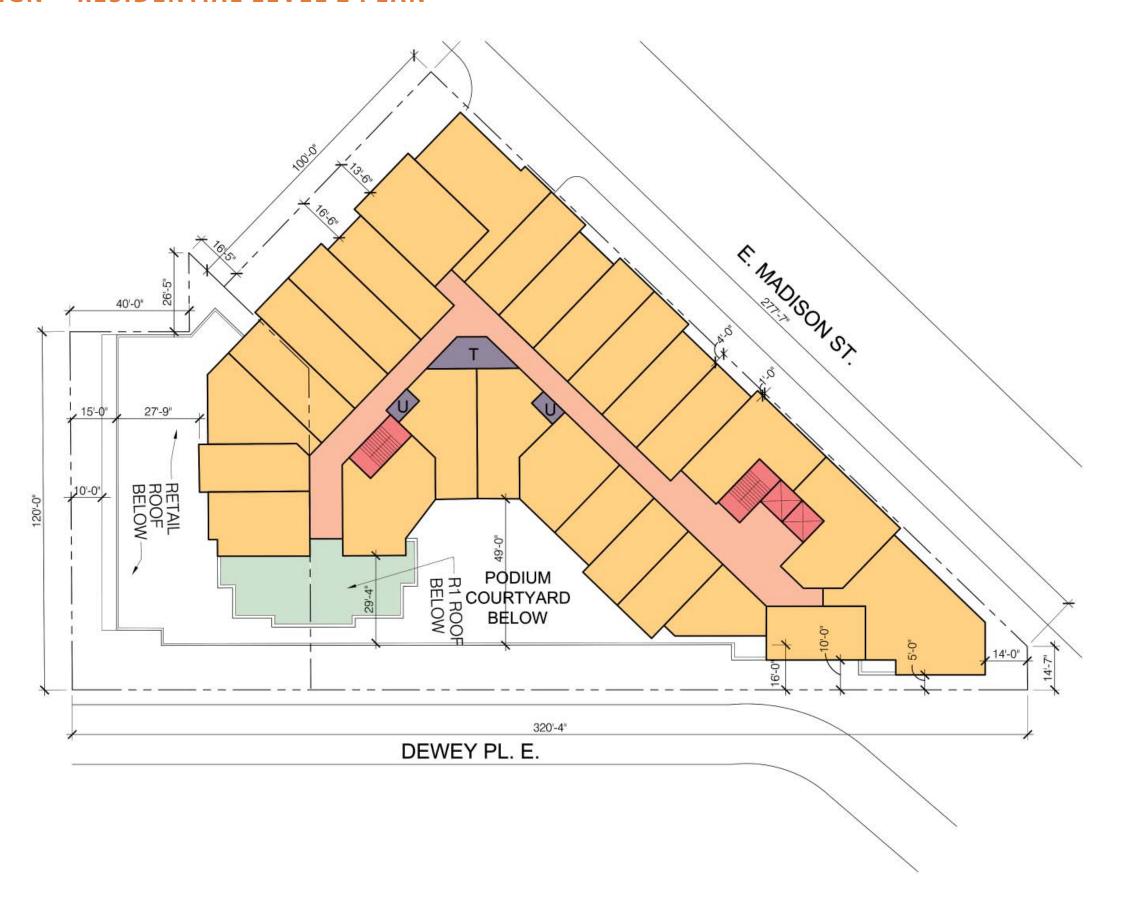
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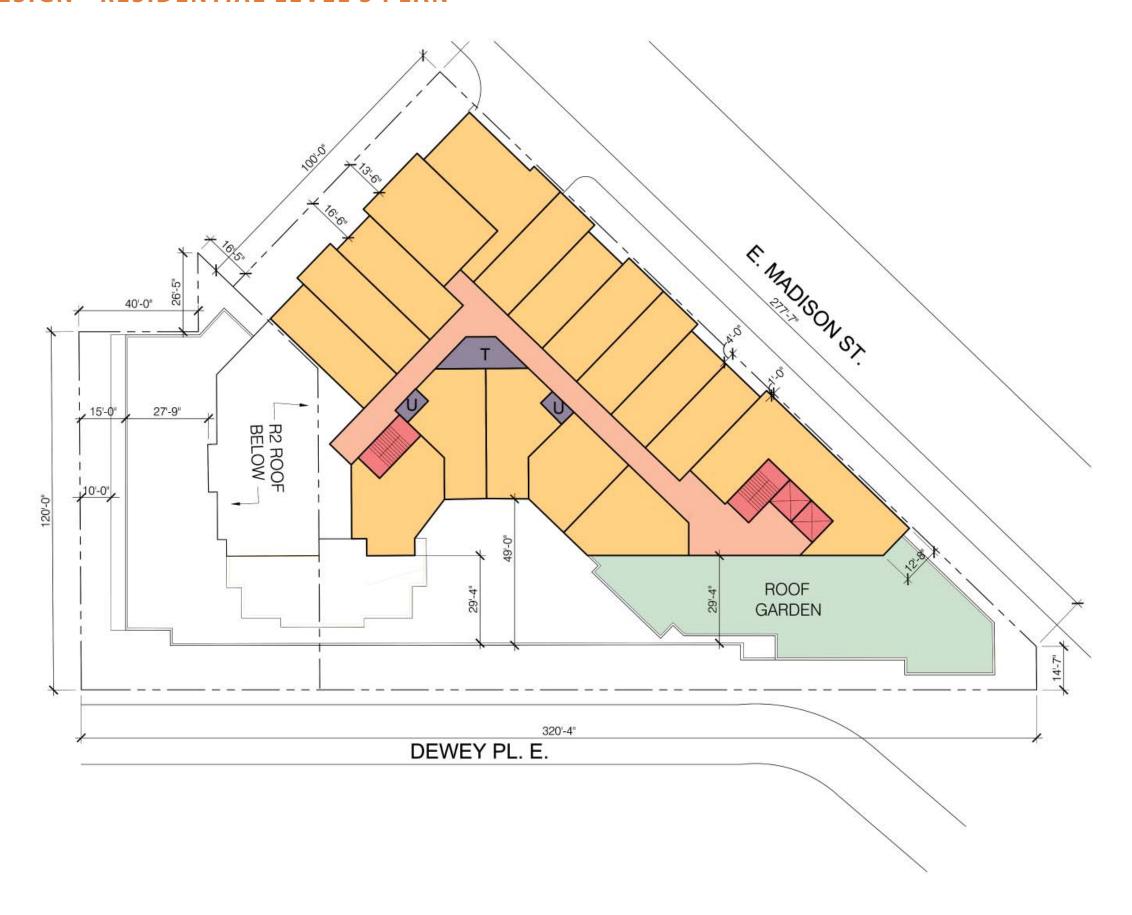
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PREFERRED DESIGN - RESIDENTIAL LEVEL 1 PLAN

PREFERRED DESIGN - RESIDENTIAL LEVEL 2 PLAN



PREFERRED DESIGN - RESIDENTIAL LEVEL 3 PLAN



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ENTRIES

APPROPRIATE ARCHITECTURAL PRESENCE

NEIGHBORING COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS



REDUCE VISUAL IMPACT

CANOPIES PROVIDE PEDESTRIAN WEATHER PROTECTION & WAYFINDING



CS2-B-2, PL 1-B-3 & DC3-B

STREET AMENITIES & FEATURES MAKE STRONG PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION

CS2-A-1
GATHERING SI

GATHERING SPACE CREATE SENSE OF PLACE

PL2-B-3, PL3-C

POROUS RETAIL EDGES W/ LARGE STREET LEVEL TRANSPERANCY

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L DC1-B&C

RESIDENTIAL PARKING ACCESS ONLY PROVIDES LIKE CHOICE OF PLANT MATERIAL CREATE FOR LIKE TRAFFIC PATTERN. KEEP SERVICE ENTRY & LOADING DOCKS AWAY FROM RESIDENTIAL STREETS

DC4-D-1

ENDURING GREEN SPACE

CS1-D, DC4-D, CS2-D-2 & 3 **RESIDENTIAL ZONE TRANSITION** W/ GENEROUS SETBACKS & LUSH LAYERED LANDSCAPING

PREFERRED SCHEME- DEWEY PL. E. LOOKING NORTHWEST (TRANSPARENT TREES)



STEPPED-DOWN MASSING WITH TOWNHOUSES

FRONTING DEWEY PROVIDES SENSITIVE

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GENEROUS SETBACKS ENHANCE OPEN

SPACE

PREFERRED SCHEME- DEWEY PL. E. LOOKING SOUTHWEST (TRANSPARENT TREES)



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STEPPED-DOWN MASSING WITH TOWNHOUSES FRONTING DEWEY PROVIDES SENSITIVE TRANSITION TO ADJACENT NEIGHBORS

CS2-B-3
GENEROUS SETBACKS ENHANCE OPEN
SPACE

ELEVATED MAIN FLOOR & LANDSCAPE BUFFER

PROVIDE SECURITY & PRIVACY FOR GROUND

LEVEL RESIDENCES

SECONDARY ARCHITECTURAL

FEATURES ADD DEPTH TO

FACADES

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#	Departure Request	Code Requirements	Explanation for Departure
1	Dual Access to parking garages: Commercial parking access and loading at E. Madison St. Residential parking access at Dewey Pl. E.	SMC 23.47A.032.A.21: If access is not provided from an alley and the lot abuts two or more streets, access to parking shall be from a street that is not a pedestrian street.	Proposed dual access from both E. Madison St & Dewey Pl. E. minimizes the traffic impact on both streets. Commercial parking access and loading at E. Madison St. assist directing commercial traffic away from the residential street- Dewey Pl. E. The project Transportation Impact analysis by the Gibson Traffic Consultants supports the proposed departure. There are also many curb cuts on E Madison St. and the project proposed curb cut on E. Madison St. is at the approximate location of existing curb cut.

Code Requirement Proposed Supported by transportation impact analysis Not sympathetic to residential streets **PROJECT PROJECT** SITE SITE

Curb Cuts On E. Madison St.

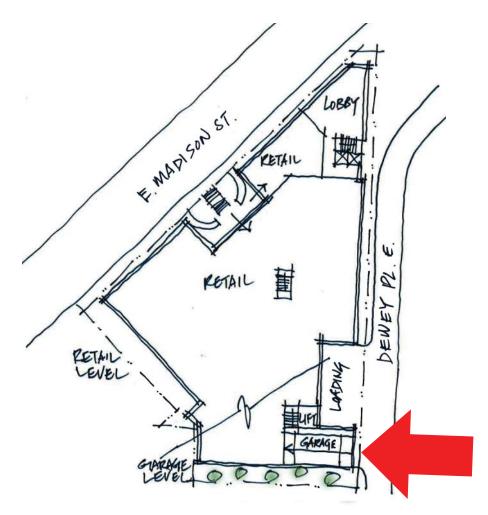


Curb cut on E. Madison St. across project site



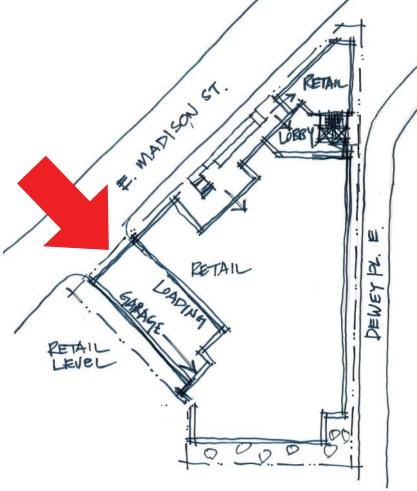
Existing curb cut on project site at E. Madison St.

DEPARTURE REQUEST - VEHICULAR ACCESS STUDIES



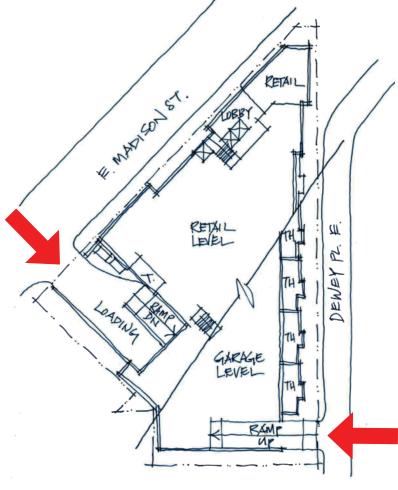


- LARGE NUMBER OF COMMERCIAL TRIPS TRAVEL ON RESIDENTIAL STREETS (E REPUBLICAN AND DEWEY PL E)
- CREATES THE MOST NEW TRIPS ON ROADWAYS DUE TO TRAFFIC TRAVELING ON RESIDENTIAL STREETS
- DIFFICULT WAYFINDING FOR COMMERCIAL VEHICLES
- LARGE NUMBER OF TRIPS ADDED TO DEWEY PL E WHICH IS APPROX. 18' WIDE.
- MORE RETAIL FRONTAGE ON E MADISON ST



E MADISON ST SINGLE ACCESS STUDY

- ADDS ALL TRIPS TO BUSY E MADISON ST
- CAUSES MOST TRAFFIC DELAYS OF ALL OPTIONS
- COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, RESIDENTIAL VEHICLES AND COMMERCIAL LOADING VEHICLES ACCESS SITE OFF SINGULAR ENTRANCE/EXIT



DUAL ACCESS STUDY (PREFERRED)

- RESIDENTIAL TRIPS DIRECTED USE RESIDENTIAL STREETS (PL-1)
- COMMERCIAL TRIPS UTILIZE COMMERCIAL STREET (PL-1)
- MOST BALANCED TRAFFIC SCENARIO
- REDUCED TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON E MADISON ST

#	Departure Request	Code Requirements	Explanation for Departure
2	Curb cut width: Increase from allowed 30'-0" curb cut width to 40'-0" curb cut width.	SMC 23.54.030F.2.b.2 For two way traffic, the minimum width of curb cuts is 22 feet, and the maximum width is 25 feet, except that the maximum width may be increased to 30 feet if truck and auto access are combined.	40'-0" curb cut also provides smoother delivery truck turning radius, helps alleviate

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LANDSCAPE CONCEPT - STREET LEVEL



DEWEY PL E - CONCEPTS

LANDSCAPE CONCEPT - PODIUM LEVEL











PLANT SCHEDULE LEVEL ONE

TREES	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	CONT	CAL	SIZE	QTY
0	AMELANCHIER ALNIFOLIA 'PRINCESS DIANA' SMALL TREE – 110 CF SOIL VOLUME REQUIRED – CANOPY COVERAGE REPLACEMENT VALUE 176 SF	SERVICEBERRY	B & B	2.5"CAL	12'-14' HT	13
	ARBUTUS X 'MARINA' SMALL TREE – 110 CF SOIL VOLUME REQUIRED – CANOPY COVERAGE REPLACEMENT VALUE 314 SF	ARBUTUS STANDARD	B & B	2.5"CAL	12'-14' HT	8
<u>SHRUBS</u>	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	CONT	MIN HT/SPREAD	O.C. SPCG	QTY
	GAULTHERIA SHALLON	SALAL	1 GAL			72
	LONICERA NITIDA 'RED TIPS'	RED TIPS BOX HONEYSUCKLE	5 GAL			17
o	MAHONIA AQUIFOLIUM	OREGON GRAPE	5 GAL			16
9	PHYSOCARPUS OPULIFOLIUS 'DIABLO'	DIABLO NINEBARK	5 GAL			16
	POLYSTICHUM MUNITUM	WESTERN SWORD FERN	2 GAL			84
(PRUNUS LAUROCERASUS 'MOUNT VERNON'	MOUNT VERNON LAUREL	5 GAL			50
	RIBES SANGUINEUM	RED FLOWERING CURRANT	5 GAL			2
()	ROSA GYMNOCARPA	DWARF ROSE	5 GAL			43
	SPIRAEA JAPONICA 'MAGIC CARPET'	MAGIC CARPET SPIREA	5 GAL			27
	SYMPHORICARPOS OCCIDENTALIS	WESTERN SNOWBERRY	5 GAL			22
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•	HEUCHERA X 'MAHOGANY'	MAHOGANY CORAL BELLS	1 GAL			48
•	LAVANDULA OFFICINALIS	ENGLISH LAVENDER	1 GAL			103
9	LIRIOPE SPICATA 'BIG BLUE'	CREEPING LILY TURF	1 GAL			68
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*	CAREX TESTACEA	CAREX	1 GAL			98
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LANDSCAPE CONCEPT - ROOF LEVEL



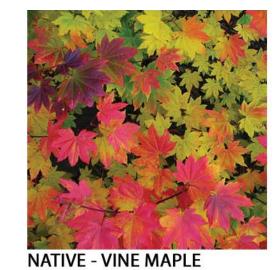






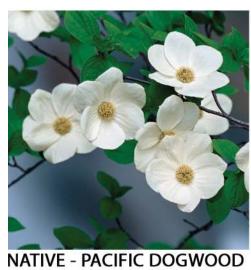
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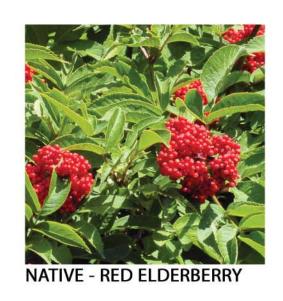


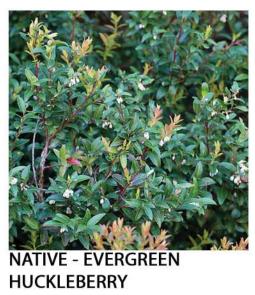








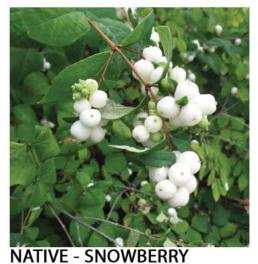












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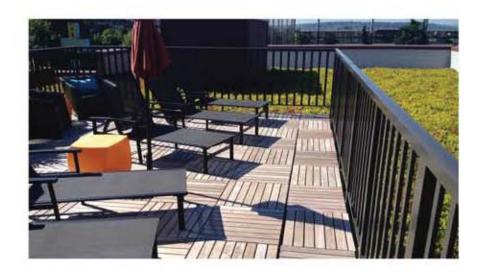


















ARCHITECT PORTFOLIO - STUDIO MENG STRAZZARA PROJECT PORTFOLIO

501 E PIKE



BALLARD COMMONS



THE GATSBY APARTMENTS



1620 BROADWAY



DESIGN OPTION - CODE-COMPLIANT



DESCRIPTION

- The design team was asked to provide one option which meets the intent of the code with respect to potential exceptional trees, access and street improvement exception and require no departures.
- Vehicular entrance to the commercial and residential parking garage and loading dock is located off Dewey Pl. E.
- The massing scheme carves a significant space around existing trees on site.
- The program for the site was developed consistent with Code-allowed FAR. To accomplish this No Departure Alternative, the retail and residential masses were necessarily pushed out towards respective property lines.
- A hill-climb assist stair is located at the northest corner beyond our site to connect the unopened E Mercer St ROW.

ADVANTAGES

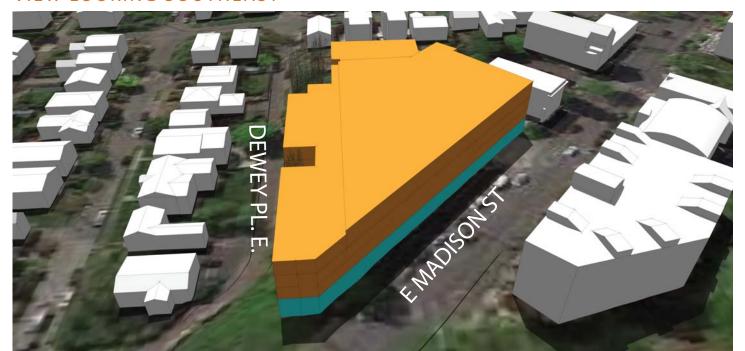
Massing allows for potential to retain existing trees and canopy

CHALLENGES

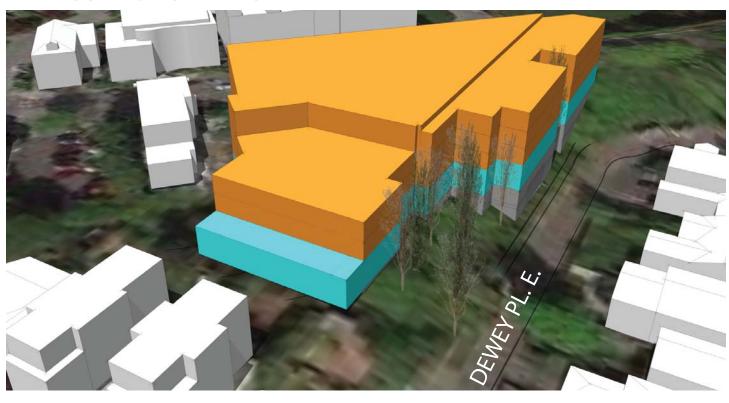
- Commercial and residential vehicular access restricted to residential street.
- No gathering space provided at retail level along E Madison St.
- Large zero lot line walls along Dewey Place E
- Reduced residential setback to south and east
- Large residential massing above retail and parking creates poor residential zone transition
- Tall blank wall

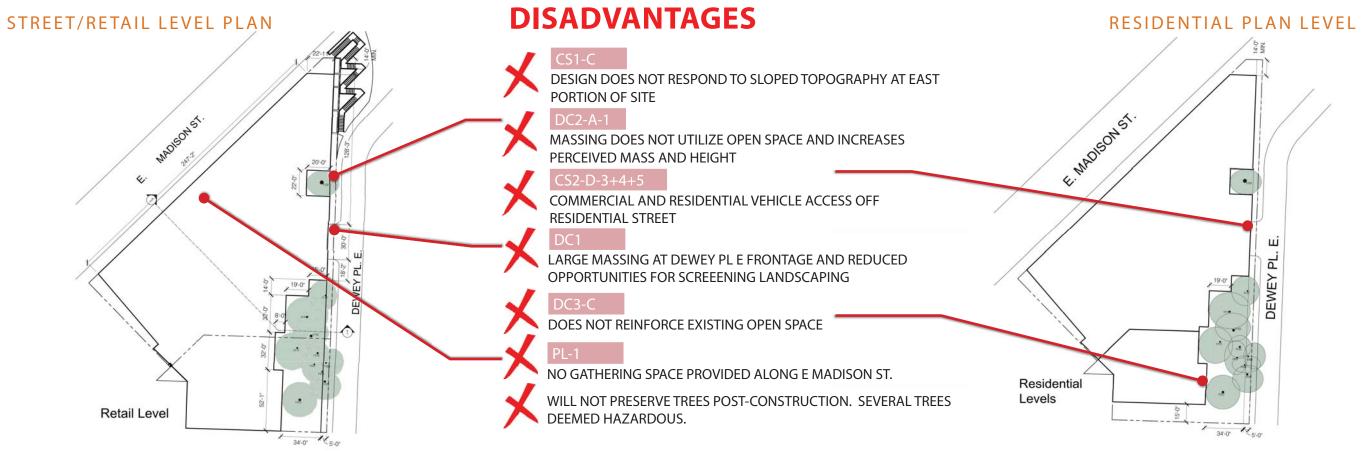
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VIEW LOOKING NORTHWEST







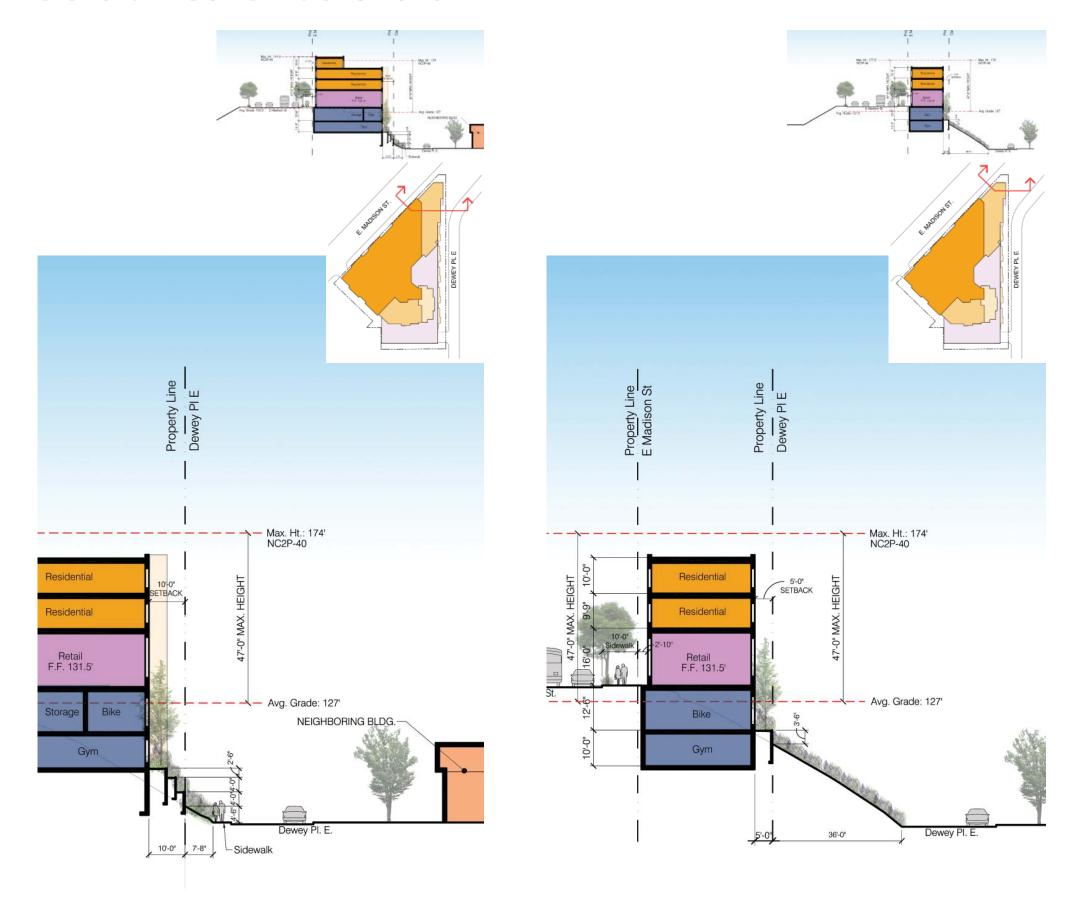
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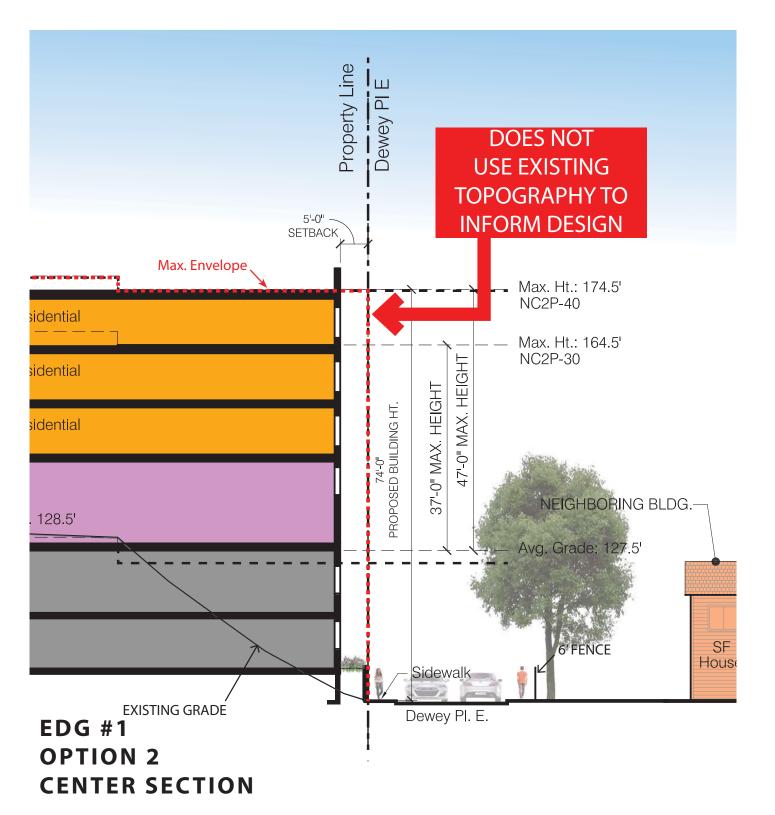


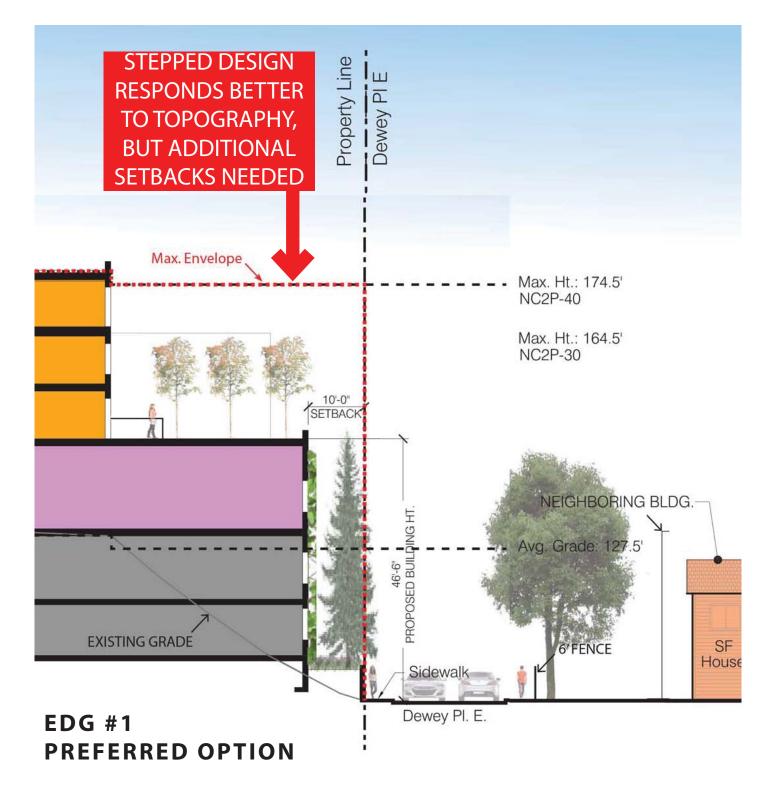
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EDG #3 PREFERRED DESIGN - BUILDING SECTIONS



EDG #2 RESPONSE - TRANSITION TO RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOOD

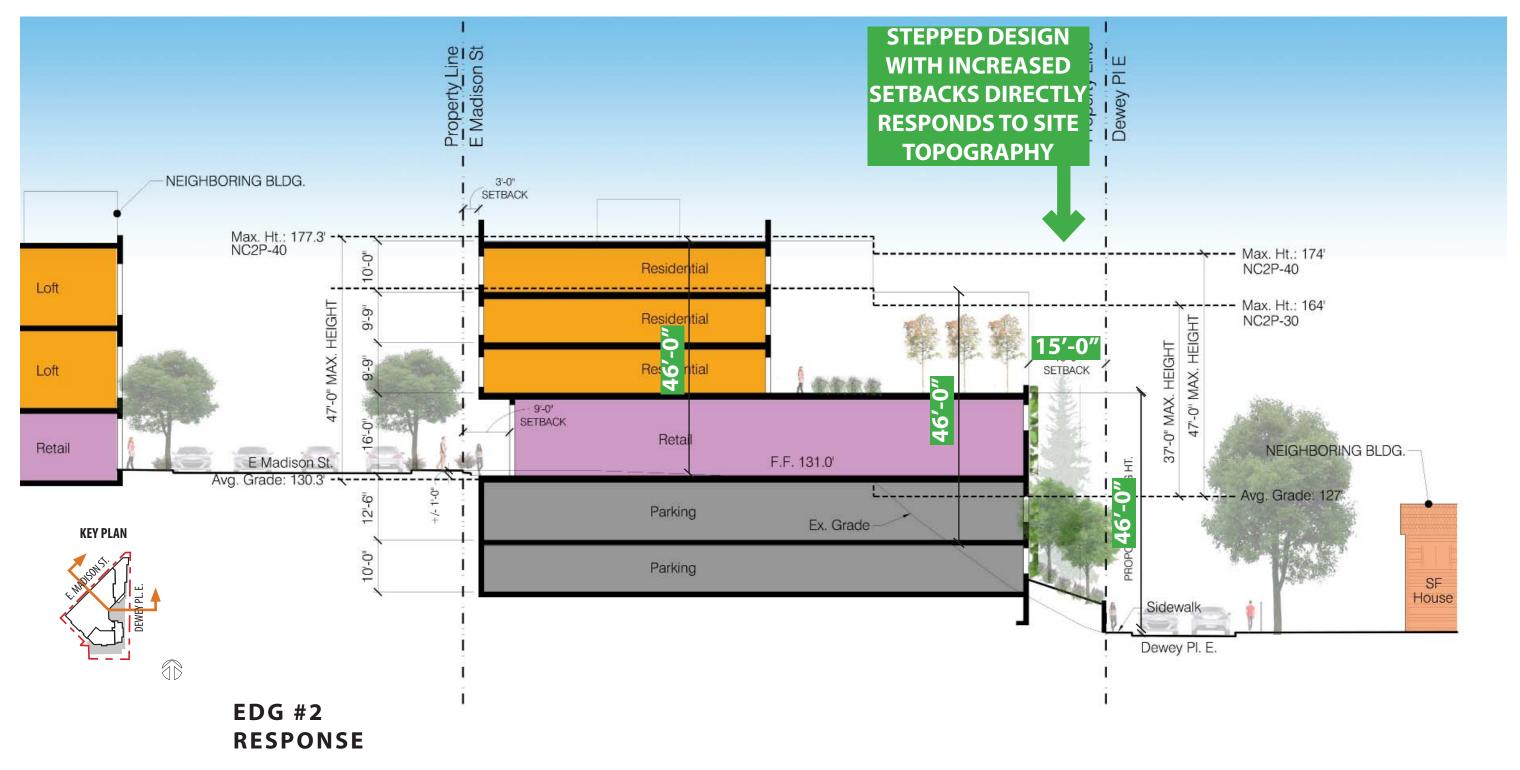




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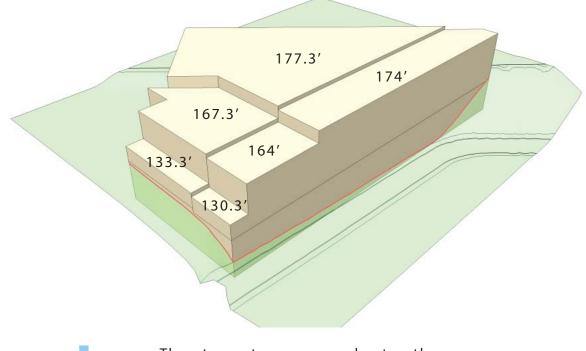
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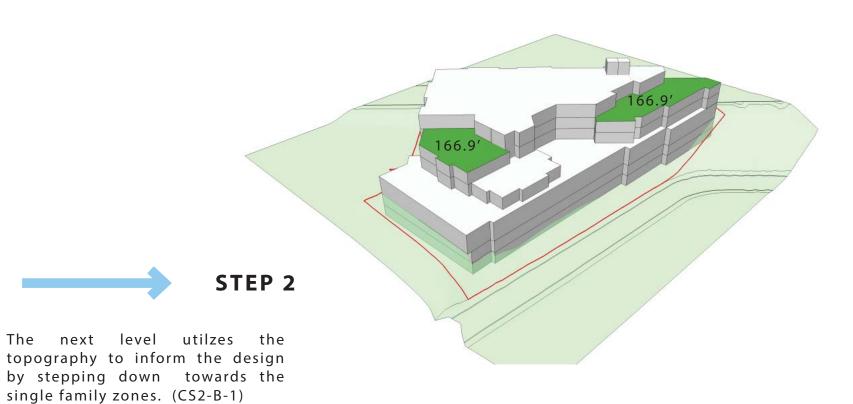
ZONING ENVELOPE



The top story responds to the uniquely shaped site and varied topography with large setbacks from the single family adjacencies to deemphasize mass and height. (DC2-A-1)

STEP 1

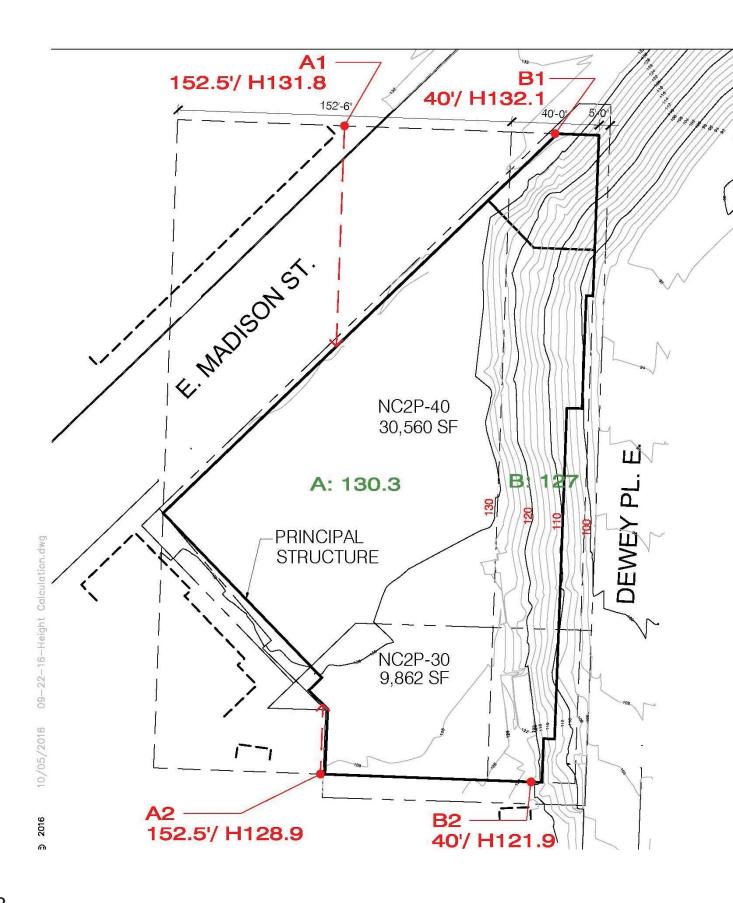




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EDG #2 - RESPONSE TO CONTEXT AND TOPOGRAPHY

2925 E Madison St- SDCI ZONING COACHING



Average Grade Level Calculation

The Average Grade Level was calculated using SMC 23.86.006.A.2. Per DPD Director's Rule 4-2012 Height Measurement: Calculating Average Grade Level - Option to the General Rule, "Subsection 23.86.006.A.2 provides an acceptable option for determining average grade level to allow structures to better respond to the topography of sloping sites." The code section is referenced below along with applicant's corresponding methods.

- a. Draw the smallest rectangle that encloses the principal structure. The smallest rectangle enclosing principal structure drawn on plan.
- b. Divide one side of the rectangle, chosen by the applicant, into sections at least 15 feet in length using lines that are perpendicular to the chosen side of the rectangle. The rectangle is divided into a 40 ft section (>15 ft). The 40 ft. section encompasses the steep slope, allowing the structure to better respond to the site topography.
- c. The sections delineated in subsection 23.86.006.A.2.b are considered to extend vertically from the ground to the sky. *The section extends vertically from ground to sky.*
- d. The maximum height for each section of the structure is measured from the average grade level for that section of the structure, which is calculated as the average elevation of existing lot grades at the midpoints of the two opposing exterior sides of the rectangle for each section of the structure. (Based on DCI zoning comments, midpoint elevation taken along building perimeter perpendicular to midpoint of opposing sides of the rectangle.) The maximum height for each section of the structured is calculated. See Average Grade Level Calculations A and B.

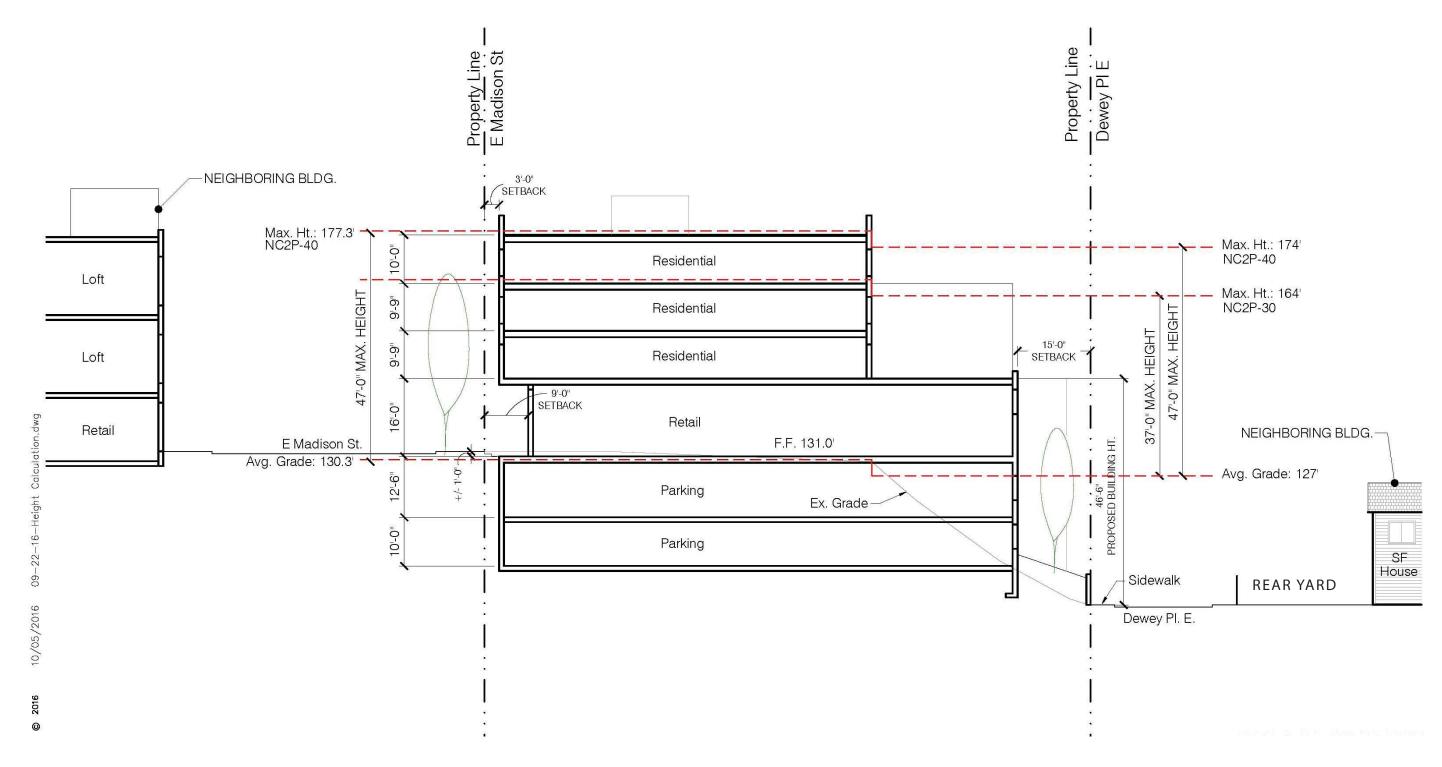
Average Grade Level

Section 1:
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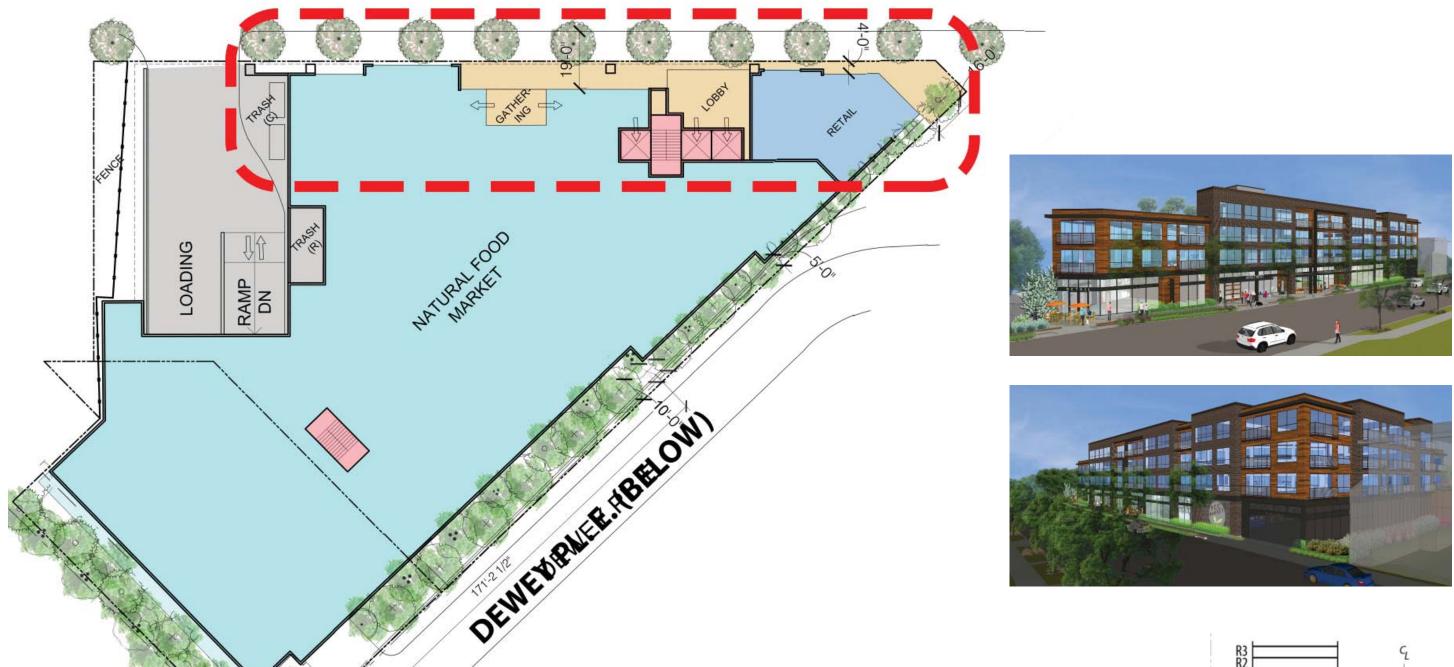
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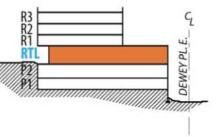
Section 2:
$$(B1 \times b) + (B2 \times b) = (132.1 \times 40) + (121.9 \times 40) = 5,284 + 4876 = 127$$

 $b + b$
 $40 + 40$
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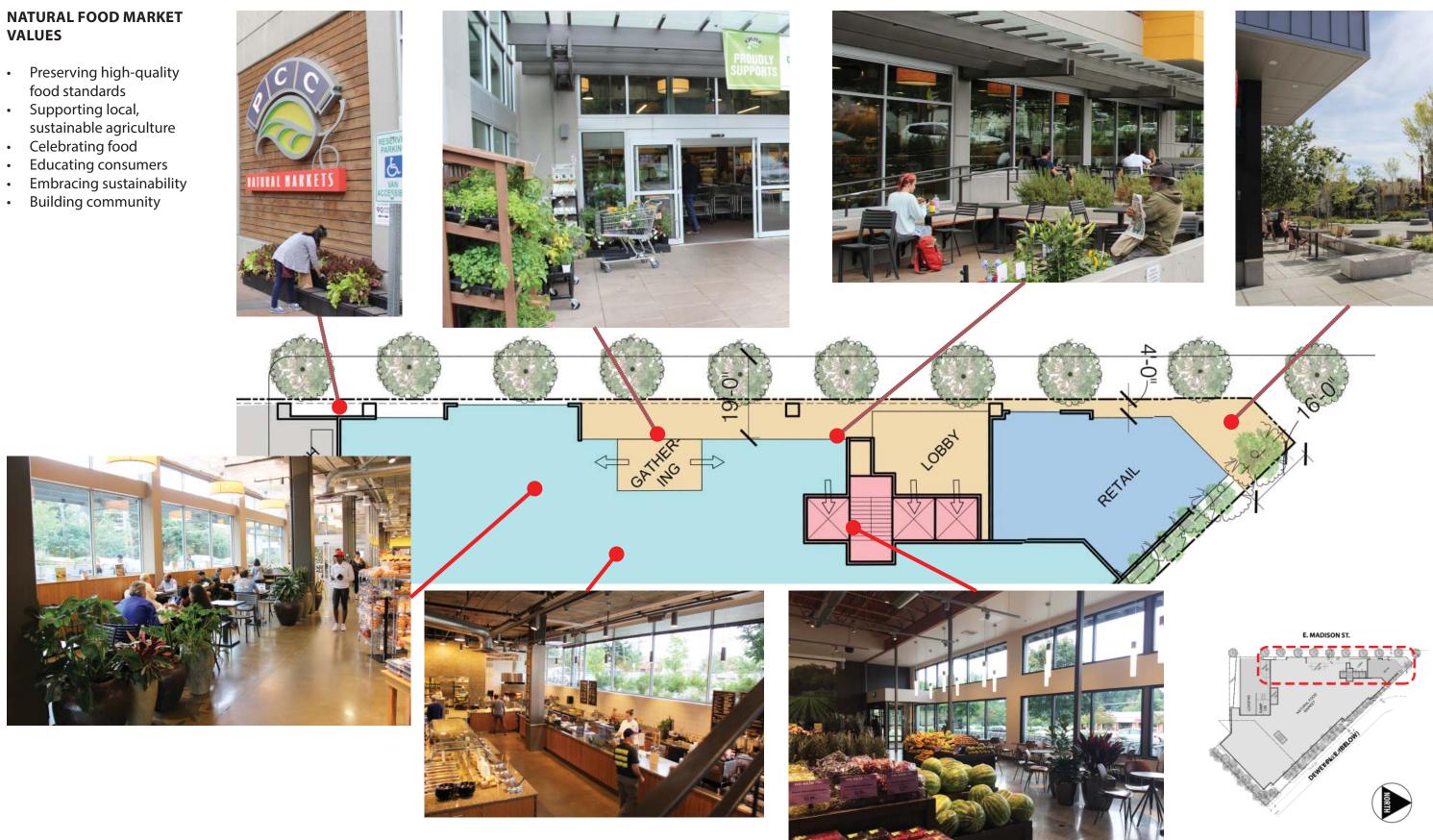


E. MADISON ST.





- food standards



DC1-C1 BELOW GRADE PARKING

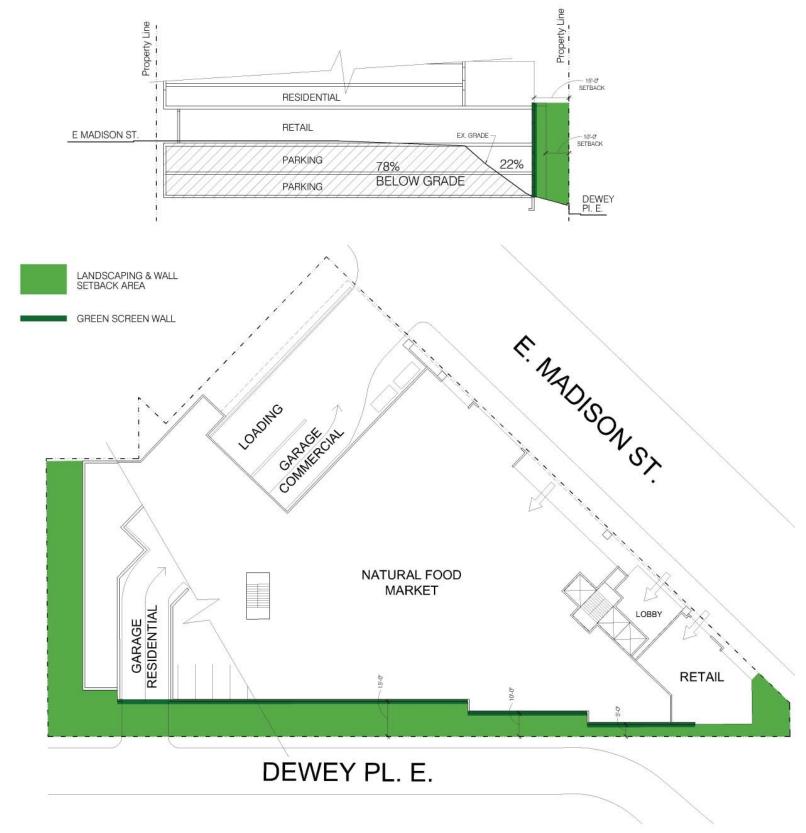
LOCATE PARKING BELOW GRADE WHEREVER POSSIBLE.
WHERE A SURFACE PARKING LOT IS THE ONLY ALTERNATIVE:
LOCATE PARKING IN REAR OR SIDE YARDS
ON LOWER OR LESS VISIBLE PORTION OF THE SITE.

DC1-C2 VISUAL IMPACTS

REDUCE THE VISUAL IMPACT OF PARKING STRUCTURES AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. CONSIDER PROVIDE TREES, LANDSCAPING OR FENCING AS A SCREEN.



Regional Project Example



Landscaping & Green Screen Wall Location

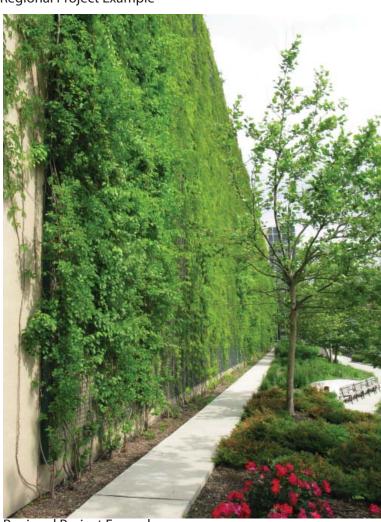
Structured wire lattice.



Proposed Green Screen Concept



Regional Project Example



Regional Project Example

DC1-B2 BLANK WALLS

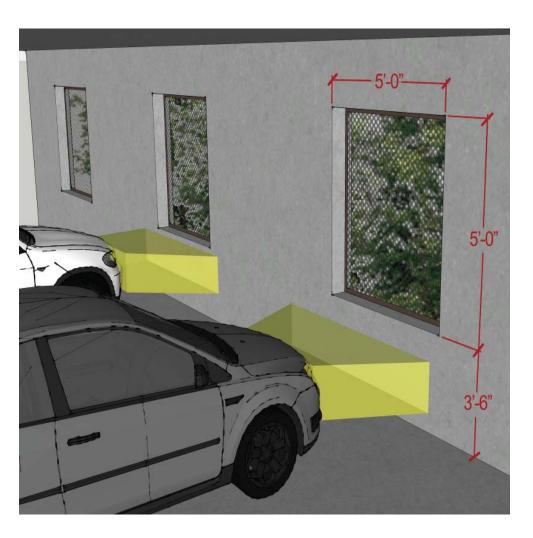
AVOID LARGE BLANK WALLS ALONG VISIBLE FACADES WHERE POSSIBLE.
SOLUTION MAY INCLUDE:
GREEN WALLS, LANDSCAPING AREA OR RAISED PLANTERS.
WALL SETBACKS OR OTHER INDENTATIONS.

SMC 23.47A.008 STREET LEVEL DEVELOPMENT STANDATRDS

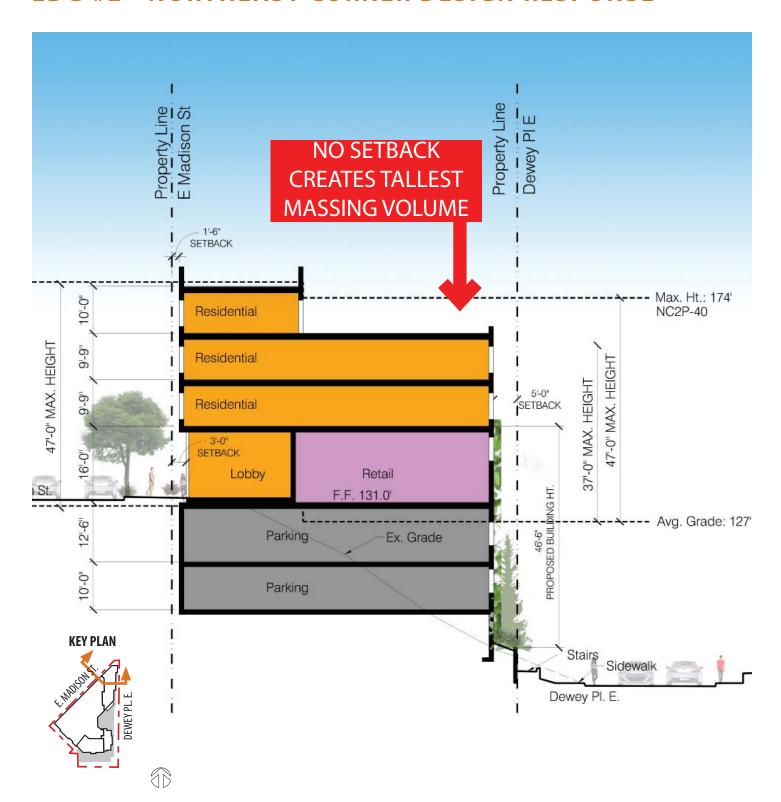
A.2 BLANK FACADES in nc zones:

Facade segments are considered blank if they do not include at least one of the following:

5) SCREENING AND LANDSCAPING ON THE FACADE ITSELF.



EDG #2 - NORTHEAST CORNER DESIGN RESPONSE



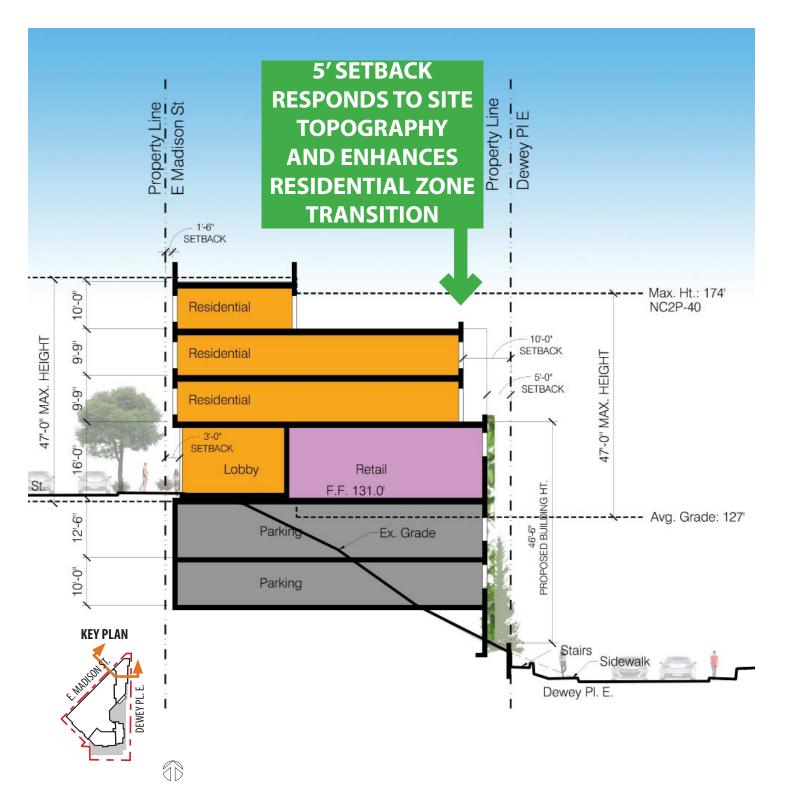
THE BOARD NOTED THAT THE TALLEST MASSING VOLUME APPEARS TO BE AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER AND AGREED THIS AREA WILL BE HIGHLY VISIBLE AND THE SCALE RELATIONSHIP IS CRITICAL. (CS2-A, CS2-B,CS2-C1, CS2-D, DC2-A-2, DC2-B, DC2-D-1)



EDG #1
PREFERRED OPTION
NORTHEAST SECTION

EDG #1
PREFERRED OPTION
NORTHEAST PERSPECTIVE

EDG #2 - NORTHEAST CORNER DESIGN RESPONSE



AS A RESPONSE TO THE BOARDS GUIDANCE, THE RESIDENTIAL LEVEL IS SETBACK AN ADDITIONAL 5' TO RESPOND TO SITE TOPOGRAPHY, MINIMIZE VISUAL IMPACTS OF THIS FACADE, AND ENHANCE THE STEPPED DOWN EFFECT OF THE MASSING AT THE CORNER (CS1-C, CS2-A, CS2-D-2, CS3-A-1, CS2-B-3, DC1, DC3-C-3)



EDG #2
RESPONSE
NORTHEAST SECTION

EDG #2
RESPONSE
NORTHEAST PERSPECTIVE

DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES

The 2939 E. Madison St. project is a proposed development of a 4-story mixed-use project featuring retail and residential use within the Madison valley neighborhood. The retail level on the street level creates an urban, pedestrian life-style experience. The residential apartments above with wide variety of residential unit types accommodates the increasing population in the neighborhood and adds a layer of "light's on" security to the neighborhood.

Project Site

The project site is located on the southeast side of E Madison Street between Lake Washington Blvd. E and 29th Ave E. It is part of the Madison Valley neighborhood, centered around Downtown and Capitol hill to the west, Madrona to the south, University of Washington and the Arboretum to the north, and Madison Park to the east. E Madison Street is one of the major streets connecting downtown Seattle to the east Seattle neighborhoods. 24th Ave E connects north and south neighborhoods to the Madison Valley.

The project site is a triangular lot with two street frontage- E Madison Street and Dewey Pl E. The lot area of the project site is 38,592 square feet. Part of the site is listed as steep slope and liquefaction zone. The high point of the site is on E Madison St. and slopes down toward Dewey Pl E. An existing structure on the site currently houses a garden store built in the year 1959. The project site is located in the NC2P-40 zone. A small portion of the site is zoned NC2P-30. The project site is located within a pedestrian zone and on the Frequent Transit Corridor but is not part of an Urban Center village overlay. This project is not subject to a specific Design Review Board neighborhood specific guidelines. Therefore Seattle Design Guidelines were used to the guidelines for this project.

The neighborhood is a mix of neighborhood commercial zone (NC2P-40), single family zones (SF 5000 & SF 7500), and low rise zone (LR1). Directly south and east of the project is the SF 5000 zone. North tip of the site is adjacent to the LR1 zone. Building types in this neighborhood are a blend of diverse styles, ranging from 5-story mixed use condominiums to multi-story offices, to 1-2 story arts and craft retail/ restaurant and 1-3 story single family houses.

Project Vision

The development's aim is to extend the vibrant retail experience along E. Madison St. and create a market rate mixed-use rental community that appeals to a wide range of Madison Valley neighborhood residents and retail business.

The development will be designed in keeping with the specific character of the surrounding neighborhood context in its architectural elements, building scale, and massing. The development team is committed to using quality, long-lasting materials. Durable materials such as brick, concrete, metal, wood, glass and cementitious board that weather gracefully will be aesthetically placed to add visual interests and blend with the neighborhood. (1)

The development includes two retail spaces along E. Madison St. with 16'-0" floor to floor ceiling height. The primary retail space will host a neighborhood grocery store. (2) The smaller boutique retail space is flexible to host a variety of retail needs for the Madison Valley neighborhood. Both retail entrances and the residential entrance have a 9' setback to create an intimate urban plaza, gives a sense of place and create a diverse and vibrant pedestrian experience. Above, street level awnings provide weather protection for pedestrians along the path. Currently, there are no street trees in front of the City People property. Green streetscape improvements and public seating along the sidewalk will fill in the the street trees and contribute to a friendly pedestrian experience. (3)(4) The street level façade along E Madison St utilizes large glazing in the storefronts to diminish the barrier between outside and inside, using expansive transparency to further activate the streetscape. (5)

Above the retail podium is two & three levels, comprised of 75 units of residential apartments with a wide variety of unit types to accommodate the increasing population of the Madison Valley neighborhood. Careful design considerations were given to best manage the man-made steep slope site and be empathetic to the single family houses adjacent to Dewey Pl. E. The preferred design option pulls the massing of the residential apartments toward E Madison St. and cascade down towards the single family homes.

The 3-story residential massing on E Madison St. relates to the existing 3-5 story massing along E Madison St. The proximity of the residential units also serve as an extra layer of "lights on" security to this pedestrian street. Cascading down the residential levels toward Dewey Pl E. help reduce bulk and provide more separation between the apartment units to the single family homes.

Below the retail level are two levels of concrete parking structure. Per Seattle zoning code definition, the proposed parking levels are at an average 70% below grade due to the man-made steep slope site. The heavy concrete parking structure walls greatly help noise reduction for low speed traveling vehicles inside the parking structure. The design calls for small 5'-0" x 5'-0" screened vents 16'-0" on center. The screened vents will have a 42" sill height, sufficient to block most vehicle headlights. (6) On the exterior of the concrete wall and in between the screened vents are structured wire lattice for climbing vines to grow vertically. (7) In addition, trees will be planned in front of the screened vents. The design intension is to create a green wall in front of the single family homes. The preferred option splits the parking garage entrance by its primary use to both E. Madison St. and Dewey Pl. E. to help alleviate E. Madison St. traffic congestion. The residential parking entrance will be located off Dewey Pl. E. to discourage retail trips into the single family zone. The commercial parking entrance and indoor loading facility will be co-located off E. Madison St. at the far west side of the development, away from the intimate urban plaza for a safe and pleasant pedestrian experience.

Project Program

Programatically, the preffered Option scheme will contain 2 levels of below grade parking providing 150 parking stalls, one level of high ceiling (16'-0" floor to floor height) retail on the street level hosting two retails- one 1,500 SF boutique retail space and one 25,000 SF large retail space. Above the retail level are 3 levels of apartments hosting 73 residential units.

Summary of building program- Option 3 (preferred)

 Site Area:
 40,422 SF

 Site Coverage:
 32,600 SF (80%)







1. Durable materials that weather gracefully.



DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES



2. Heigh Ceiling Neborhood Grocery Store.



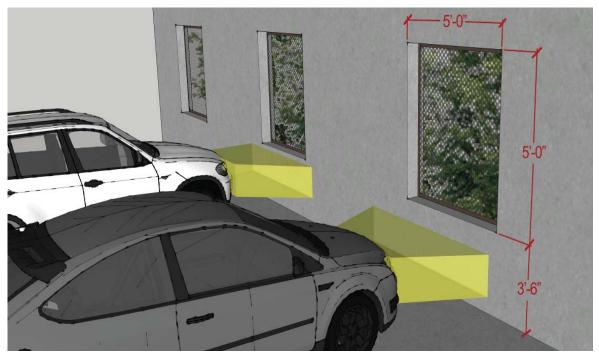
3. Combined entries & deep recessed plaza with weather protecting awning.



4. Recessed street level provides friendly pedestrian experience.



5. Large glazing in the storefronts to diminish the barrier between outside and inside,



6. Opening at parking level designed to shield light from automobiles



7. Structured wire lattice.

ZONING REQUIREMENTS

PROJECT DATA

LOCATION: 2939 E Madison St., Seattle, WA 98112
SITE AREA: 40.422 SF (30.560 SF NC2-40 + 9.862 SF NC2-30)

ZONE: NC2P-40 & NC2P-30

OVERLAYS: None

STREET CLASSIFICATIONS: PEDESTRIAN AREA

FREOUENT TRANSIT: YES

BUILDING CODE: SEATTLE AMENDMENTS TO THE 2012 IBC

PROPOSED USE: RESIDENTIAL MIXED USE

OCCUPANCY CLASSIFICATION / SEPARATIONS:

M R-2 S-2

COMMERCIAL

RESIDENTIAL R-2

PARKING GARAGE S-2

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1	\times	2
1	2	\times

ZONING DATA

POTENTIAL USE: (23.47A.004) & REQUIRED USE (23.47A.005)

RESIDENTIAL, LIVE-WORK UNITS, GENERAL, SALES/SERVICE, RESTAURANTS, MEDICAL SERVICES, OFFICES, SCHOOLS.

STREET DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS: (23.47A.008)

RESIDENTIAL USES MAY NOT EXCEED 20% OF THE STREET-LEVEL

STREET-FACING FACADE WHEN FACING A PRINCIPAL STREET

BLANK FACADES PERMITTED: NO SEGMENT LONGER THAN 20'

TOTAL BLANK FACADE <40% OF FACADE WIDTH

STREET-LEVEL STREET-FACING FACADES SHALL BE LOCATED WITHIN 10' OF THE STREET LOT LINE. UNLESS WIDER SIDEWALKS, PLAZAS, OR OTHER APPROVED

LANDSCAPED OR OPEN SPACES ARE PROVIDED.

TRANSPARENCY REQUIRED: 60% FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL USES
DEPTH OF NON-RESIDENTIAL: AVERAGE 30 FT. MINIMUM 15 FT.

HEIGHT OF NON-RESIDENTIAL: 13 FT FLOOR-TO-FLOOR

AT LEAST ONE OF THE STREET-LEVEL STREET-FACING FACADES CONTAINING A

RESIDENTIAL USE SHALL HAVE A VISUALLY PROMINENT ENTRY

THE FLOOR OF A DWELLING UNIT LOCATED ALONG THE STREET-LEVEL
STREET-FACING FACADE SHALL BE AT LEAST 4' ABOVE OR BELOW SIDEWALK

GRADE OR BE SET BACK AT LEAST 10' FROM THE SIDEWALK.

LIVE-WORK UNITS LOCATED ON STREET-LEVEL STREET-FACING FACADES MUST COMPLY WITH BLANK FACADE AND TRANSPARENCY REQUIREMENTS

STRUCTURE HEIGHT: (23.47A.012.A.2)

MAX. ALLOWED: 30 FEET / 40 FEET

with 16'-0" street level +7 FEET = 37 FEET / 47 FEET PROJECTIONS ALLOWED ABOVE HEIGHT LIMIT: PARAPETS, GUARDRAILS, ELEVATOR OVERRUNS, ETC.

"HEIGHT OF STRUCTURE" IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE HIGHEST POINT AND THE AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL. ON SLOPING SITES, THE AVERAGE GRADE LEVEL MAY BE CALCULATED USING THE MIDPOINT OF EACH EXTERIOR WALL.

FLOOR AREA RATIO: (23.47A.013)

ALLOWABLE FAR: 123,975 SF

99,320 SF (30,560 SF X 3.25 FOR NC2P-40 MIXED-USE)+ 24,655 SF (9,862 SF X 2.5 FOR NC2P-30 MIXED-USE) FLOOR AREA EXEMPTIONS: SMC 23.47A.013D:

1. ALL GROSS AREA UNDERGROUND.

2. ALL PORTION OF A STORY THAT EXTEND NO MORE THAN 4 FEET ABOVE EXISTING OF FINISHED GRADE, WHICHEVER IS LOWER, EXCLUDING ACCESS.

FAR EXCEPTIONS: (23.73.009C)

IN ADDITION TO THE FLOOR AREA EXEMPT UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF TH UNDERLYING ZONE, STREET-LEVEL COMMERCIAL USES COMPLYING WITH TH STANDARDS OF 23.47A.008 (STREET LEVEL DEVELOPMENT RESTRICTIONS) AND 23.73.008B (AVE. SIZE REQUIREMENT FOR SMALL BUSINESS) IS EXEMPT FROM THE CALCULATION OF GROSS FLOOR AREA SUBJECT TO AN FAR LIMIT AND FROM THE LIMIT ON NONRESIDENTIAL USE IN 23.73.009B.

PARKING LOCATION AND ACCESS: (23.47A.032)

IF ALLEY ACCESS IS NOT AVAILABLE, ACCESS IS PERMITTED FROM THE SIDE STREET WHEN LOT ABUTS TWO OR MORE STREETS. A LOADING ZONE MAY BE REQUIRED.

ADA PARKING REQUIREMENTS: (SBC 1106)

1-25 STALLS: 1 ADA STALL
26-50 STALLS: 2 ADA STALLS
51-75 STALLS: 3 ADA STALLS
76-100 STALLS: 4 ADA STALLS
101 TO 150 STALLS: 5 ADA STALLS
151-200 STALLS: 6 ADA STALLS

1 ADA VAN STALL

REQUIRED PARKING: (23.54.015 TABLE A & B)

RETAIL: 1 STALL PER 500SF / RESIDENTIAL: 1 STALL PER UNIT

OUALIFY FOR 50% TRANSIT REDUCTION

RESIDENTIAL AMENITY AREA: (23.47A.024)

5% OF GROSS BUILDING AREA IN RESIDENTIAL USE 545,650 SF x 5%= 2,782.5 SF

TRANSPARENCY REQUIRED: 60% FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL USES DEPTH OF NON-RESIDENTIAL: AVERAGE 30 FT. MINIMUM 15 FT. HEIGHT OF NON-RESIDENTIAL: 16 FT FLOOR-TO-FLOOR

AT LEAST ONE OF THE STREET-LEVEL STREET-FACING FACADES CONTAINING A RESIDENTIAL USE SHALL HAVE A VISUALLY PROMINENT ENTRY

THE FLOOR OF A DWELLING UNIT LOCATED ALONG THE STREET-LEVEL STREET-FACING FACADE SHALL BE AT LEAST 4' ABOVE OR BELOW SIDEWALK GRADE OR BE SET BACK AT LEAST 10' FROM THE SIDEWALK.

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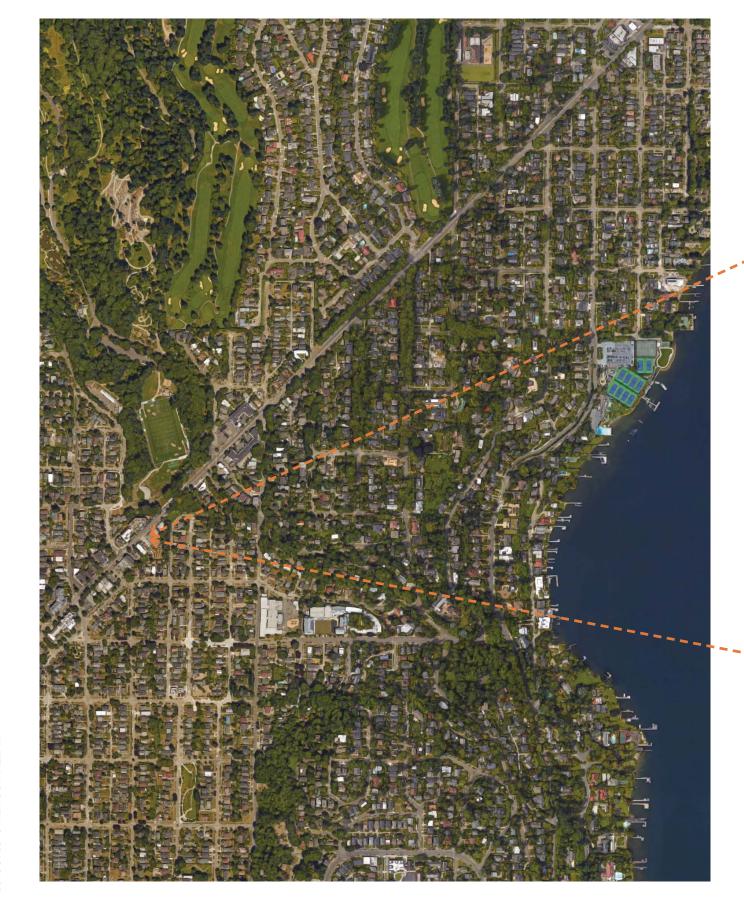
SETBACKS: (23.47A.014)

PLAN: 15'-0"TRIANGLE SETBACK REQUIRED FROM RESIDENTIAL ZONE
SECTION 1: 15'-0"SETBACK REQUIRED FROM 13 FEET HT. TO 40 FEET HT.
SECTION 2: ABOVE 40 FEET HT. ADD. RATE OF 2 FEET SETBACK PER 10 FEET HT.
ONE-HALF ALLEY WIDTH MAY BE COUNTED AS PART OF THE REQUIRED SETBACK.

REQUIRED LANDSCAPING: (23.47A.016)

SEATTLE GREEN FACTOR SCORE OF 0.3 OR GREATER

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ZONING MAP KEY

SF 7200 SINGLE FAMILY

SF 5000 SINGLE FAMILY

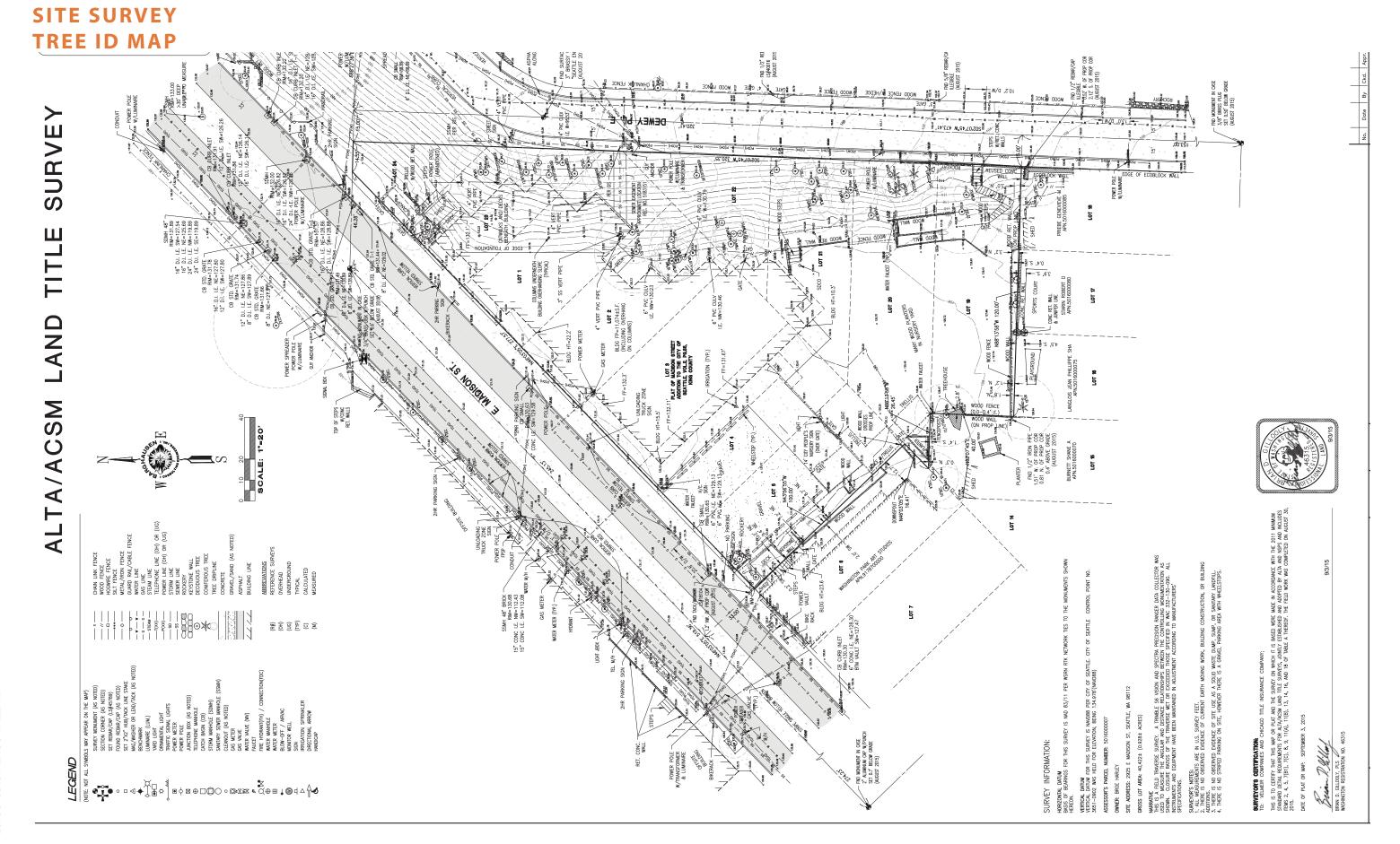
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NC2-30 **NC2**-40









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						Dri	Drip line Radius (feet)	dius (fee	it)				
Tree ID	Scientific Name	Common Name	DSH (inches)	Health Condition	Structural	North	East	South V	West	Exceptional I	Exceptional (v/n)	Proposed Action	Notes
26	llex aquifolium	English holly	**	Good	Good							Remove	*Estimated DSH, no access, no tag
1101	Cercidiphyllum japonicum	Katsura	13.5	Pood	Good	15	13	9	17	30	No	Remove	
1102		Katsura	12.6	Poop	Good	9	11	12 1	16	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 8.5, 9.3;
1103	Alnus rubra	Red alder	24.4	poog	Poog	15	15	15 1	15	Only Exceptional in Grove	ON	Remove	May have had a past top failure; old pruning wounds, north side has slight decay; union has included bark on west side
1104	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	7.5	Good	Fair	11	13	12 3	en en	30	O.	Remove	Co-dominant: 5.5, 5.1; j- shaped base due to slope creep
1105	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	21.2	poog	Fair	∞	14	16 1	13	30	N _O	Remove	Co-dominant: 14.1, 15.9; Portion topped for power line; in ROW dedication - future hazard
1106	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	12.2	Poop	Poop	∞	14	7 1	1	30	No	Remove	In ROW dedication - future hazard
1107	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	14.0	Good	Good	15	6	15 1	11	30	No	Remove	
1108	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	7.3	Good	Fair	10	6	4 0	0	30	No	Remove	J-shaped base, corrected lean
1109	Thuja plicata 'Zebrina'	Zebrina western redcedar	12.9	Poog	Fair	12	15	11 4	4	30	ON.	Remove	Topped for powerlines, in ROW dedication - future hazard
1110	Populus nigra	Lombardypoplar	19.4	Good	Good	10	10	10 1	10	30	No	Remove	Base slightly buried
1111	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	16.4*	Good	Fair	13	11	19 1	19	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 5.1, 5.9, 7.9, 8.3, 4.9, 7.8; stump sprout; narrow angles of attachment
1112	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	19.1	Good	Good	15	15	10 1	16	30	No	Remove	

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Tree			DSH	Health	Structural					Exceptional	Exceptional	Proposed	
₽	Scientific Name	Common Name	(inches)	Condition	Condition	North	East	South	West	Threshold		Action	Notes
1113	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	16.9*	Fair	Poor	10	10	10	10	30		Remove	Co-dominant: 11.4, 12.5; Narrow angle of attachment, included bark; poor union with Kretzschmaria deusta present, decay in largest stem
1114	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	17.7	Good	Good	10	18	10	18	30	No	Remove	
1115	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	11.3*	Fair	Fair	17	7	15	18	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 9.5, 6.2; trunk failure near top, tension side wounds
1116	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	4.	Fair	Poor	16	4	13	е	30	ON	Remove	Invasive ivy (<i>Hedera</i> spp.) on stem; trunk failure in past; sprouts at top, low live crown ratio; root damage will occur from ROW dedication - future hazard
1117	Alnus rubra	Red alder	13.9	poog	Pood	13	10	13	14	Only Exceptional in Grove	No	Remove	Invasive ivy on stem, in ROW dedication - future hazard
1118	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	27.6*	Good	Fair	7	20	24	21	30	No	Remove	Co-dominant: 9.7, 16.5, 19.9; narrow angle of attachment; invasive ivy on stem
1119	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	11.0	Fair	Fair	20	20	16	5	30	No	Remove	Invasive ivy on stem
1120	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	7.5	Good	Good	12	5	14	17	30	No	Remove	
1121	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	11.7	Good	Good	10	0			30	No	Remove	Suppressed
1122	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	17.9*	Good	Fair	25	0	0	26	30	No	Remove	Narrow angle of attachment
1123	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	9.7	дооб	Fair	25	0	0	56	30	No	Remove	Swept base, old tear out at 6 feet
1124	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	13.2	Good	Good	14	14	12	12	30	No	Remove	Swept base
1125	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	6.5	Good	Fair		20	9		30	No	Remove	Swept base, suppressed
1126	Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	18.0*	Fair	Fair	19	6	11	19	30	No	Remove	Stump sprout, old wound at base, small leaf size
1127	1127 Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	21.3*	Fair	Fair	20	21	17	12	30	No	Remove	Small leaf size, swep base, narrow angle of attachments

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Table Prepared: 05.31.2016 Revised: 07.01.2016	Notes	Mid-slope measurement marked with red paint showing level of measurement; pruned for powerlines, root damage will occur from ROW dedication -	Co-dominant: 4.8, 6.2, 15.0; Previous top failure, brown rot in stem, root damage will occur from ROW dedication-future hazard	Root damage will occur from ROW Dedication - future hazard	Root damage will occur from ROW Dedication - future hazard	Brown rot in stem, in ROW dedication - future hazard	Co-dominant: 4.3, 6.1, 4.8; Brown rot in stem		Measured at narrowest point below the union; phototropic to east; in ROW dedication - future hazard		Adjusted size for ivy on stem; split at 4.0 feet, narrow angle of attachment; in ROW dedication - future hazard
	Proposed Action	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove	Remove
	Exceptional (y/n)	O N	ON.	ON	ON	No	No	No	ON.	No	NO
	Exceptional Threshold	30	23	30	30	23	23	30	23	30	30
	West	12	14	2	13	11	0	11	0	∞	12
n St 112	South	12	16	10	12	11	11	11	o	∞	12
2939 E Madison St Seattle, WA 98112	East	12	12	16	15	11	17	11	20	8	12
attle, v	North	12	16	0	10	11	7	11	6	80	12
Š. Š.	Structural Condition	Poog	Fair	poog	Pood	Fair	Fair	Good	Fair	Good	poog
	Health Condition	poog	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Fair	Good	Pood
	DSH (inches)	28.5	16.9*	18.1	37.5	7.1	*6.8	19.6	10.1	13.7*	29.0
	Common Name	Lombardypoplar	Flowering cherry	Lombardypoplar	Lombardypoplar	Flowering cherry	Flowering cherry	Lombardy poplar	Flowering cherry	Lombardy poplar	Lombardy poplar
Solutions Inc Consulting Arborists	Scientific Name	Populus nigra	Prunus serrulata	Populus nigra	Populus nigra	Prunus serrulata	Prunus serrulata	Populus nigra	Prunus serrulata	Populus nigra	Populus nigra
Consultin	Tree	1128	1129	1130	1131	1132	1133	1134	1135	1136	1137

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Tree			DSH	Health	Structural					Exceptional	Exceptional Exceptional Proposed	Proposed	
₽	Scientific Name	Common Name	(inches)	Condition Condition	Condition	North East	East	South West	_	Threshold	(n/n)	Action	Notes
1138	1138 Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf maple	29.3	Fair	Fair	25	22	56	20	30	No	Remove	Measured at narrowest point
	8	2											below union, invasive ivy on
													stem; narrow angle of
													attachment, cavity present
													swept base
				Offsite Tre	Offsite Trees That Have Canopies That Overhang The Site	Canopi	ies That	Overha	ng The S	ite			
٨	Fagus sylvatica	European beech	23.4	Good	Good	20	20	20	20	N/A	N/A		ROW tree
В	Fagus sylvatica	European beech	20.7	Good	Good	18	18	18	18	N/A	N/A		ROW tree
U	Fagus sylvatica	European beech	18.5	Good	Good	20	20	20	20	N/A	N/A		ROW tree
۵	Prunus lusitanica	Portugese laurel	11.3*	Good	Good		9						Co-dominant: estiamted DSH
													for both stems is 8 inches
ш	Pseudotsuga menziesii Douglas-fir	Douglas-fir	16.0	Poop	Poog		15						Estimated DSH
ш	Malus domestica	Common apple	10*	Fair	Fair	8							Estimated DSH
Addit	Additional notes:												
	DSH (Diameter at Stana	DSH (Diameter at Standard Height) is measured 4.5 feet	14.5 feet al	above grade.									
	Multi-stem trees are noted, and a single stem equivalent is calculated using the method defined in the Director's Rule 16-2008.	ted, and a single stem e	quivalent is	calculated u	ising the met	hod def	ined in t	he Dire	ctor's Ru	le 16-2008.			
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VIEW



NOISE TRAFFIC



PREVAILING WINDS S(JAN-JUNE) NW (JULY-SEPT) SSE (OCT DEC)





NEIGHBORHOOD KEY PLAN & CHARACTER



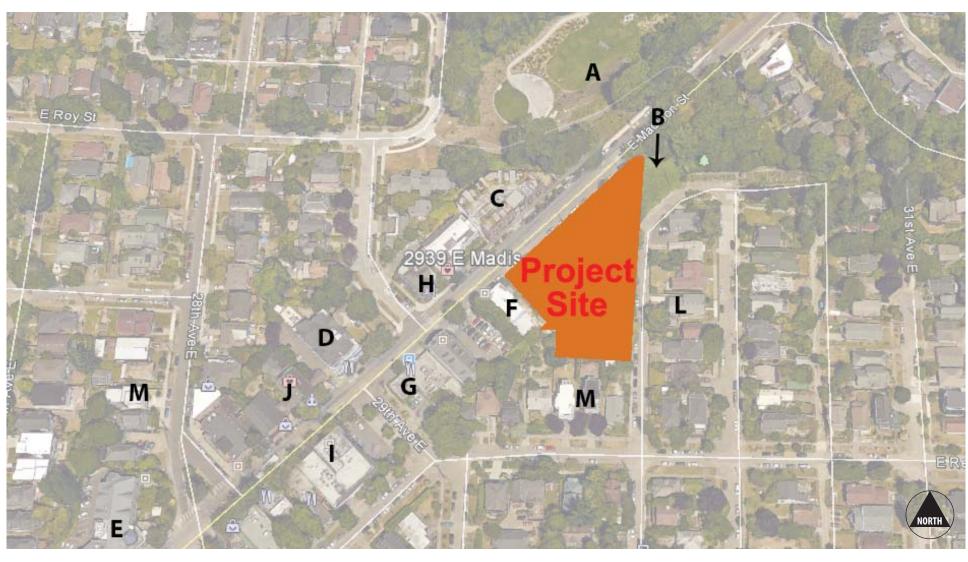
A. WASHINGTON PARK PLAY FIELD



B. STEEP SLOPE



C. MIXED USE- ACROSS FROM PROJECT SITE



VICINITY KEY PLAN



D. MIXED USE/ CONDO



E. OFFICE BUILDING

F. RETAIL- ADJACENT TO PROJECT SITE



I. RETAIL STRIP



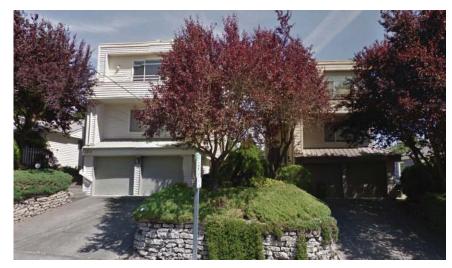
L. RESIDENTIAL- ACROSS FROM PROJECT SITE



G. RESTAURANT



J. RETAIL STRIP



M. RESIDENTIAL- ADJACENT TO PROJECT SITE



H. RETAIL- CONVERTED FROM HOUSE



K. MADISON SQUARE



N. MIXED RESIDENTIAL BUILDING TYPES

VICINITY KEY PLAN & SITE CHARACTER



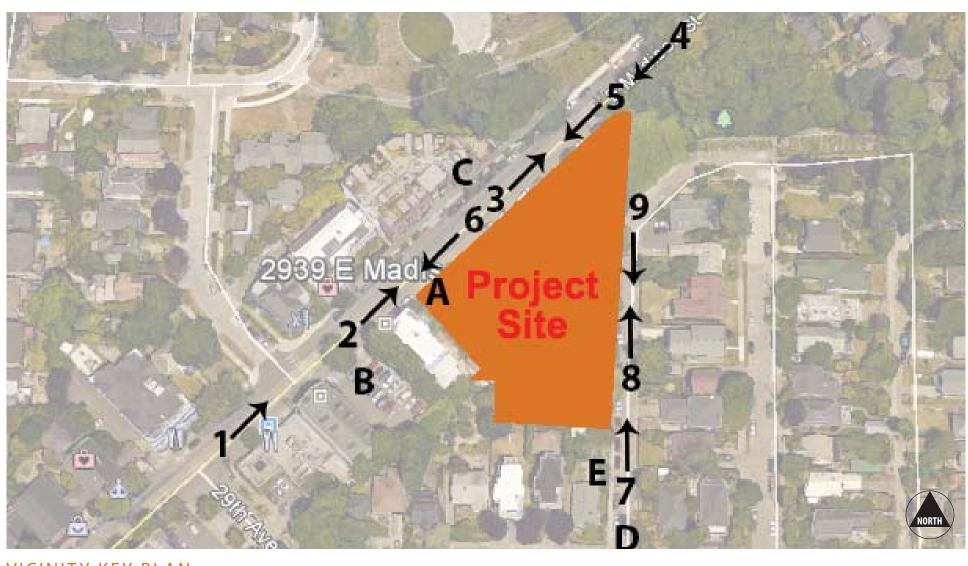
A. EXISTING CURB CUT



B. MULTIPLE CURB CUTS ON E MADISON ST.



C. CURB CUT ON E MADISON ST (ACROSS STREET)



VICINITY KEY PLAN



D. DEWEY PL E CHARACTER



E. ECOBLOCK RETAINING WALL

1. E MADISON ST- LOOKING NE



4. E MADISON ST- LOOKING SW



7. DEWEY PL E- LOOKING N



2. E MADISON ST- LOOKING NE



5. E MADISON ST- LOOKING SW



8. DEWEY PL E- LOOKING N



3. E MADISON ST- LOOKING NE



6. E MADISON ST- LOOKING SW



9. DEWEY PL E- LOOKING S

STREET PHOTO MONTAGE



E MADISON ST- LOOKING SOUTHEAST (PROJECT SITE)

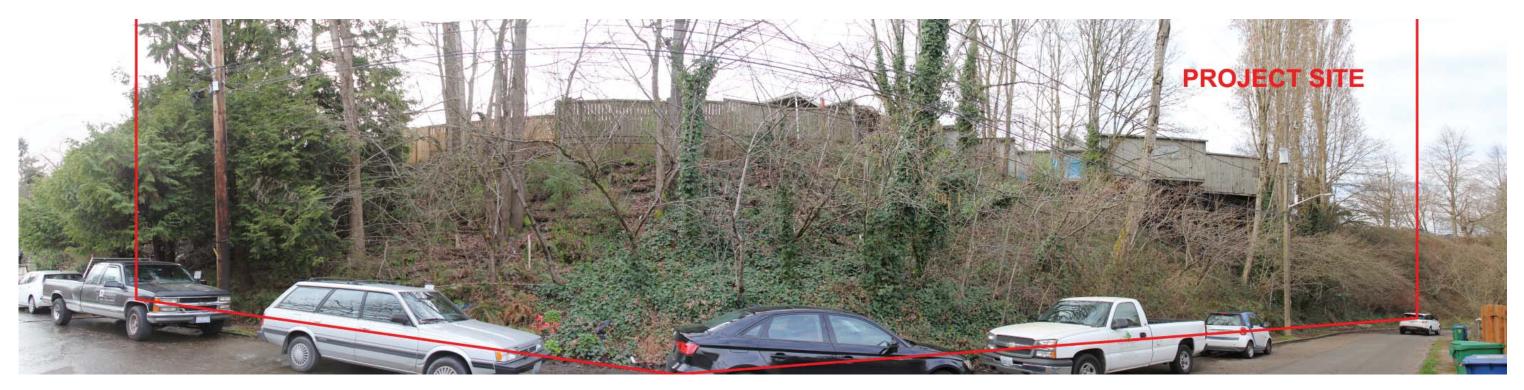


E MADISON ST- LOOKING NORTHWEST (ACROSS FROM PROJECT SITE)

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STREET PHOTO MONTAGE





DEWEY ST- LOOKING EAST (ACROSS FROM PROJECT SITE)

CONTEXT AND SITE

Take advantage of solar exposure and natural ventilation

Appropriate use of natural topography CS1-C

CS1-D Incorporate on-site landscaping elements

Architectural presence CS2-A

Allow adjacent sites, streets and open space to inform design

Relationship to the block CS2-C

CS2-D Respect for adjacent sites

Incorporate architectural features, pattern and proportion to reinforce the CS3-A neighborhood character

CS3-B Local history and culture



Mixed-Use Office/Retail CS2-C



Existing Topography CS1-C



Five-Story Mixed Use CS2-A



E Madison St Character



Mature Street Trees



Neighborhood P-Patch



Adajcent NC2-40 Development

CS2-B

Street-Level Transparency: Ensure transparency of street-level uses (for uses such as no residential uses or residential lobbies), where appropriate, by keeping views open into spaces behind walls or plantings, at corners, or along narrow passageways.

Locations and Coverage: Overhead weather protection is encouraged and should be located at or near uses that generate pedestrian activity such as entries, retail uses, and transit stops.

Street-Level Interaction: Encourage human interaction and activity at the street level with clear connections to building entries and edges.

Design Objectives: Design primary entries to be obvious, identifiable, and distinctive with clear lines of sight and lobbies visually connected to the street.

PL2-A-2 Common Entries: Multi-story residential buildings need to provide privacy and security for residents but also be welcoming and identifiable to visitors.

PL2-A-4 Ensemble of Elements: Design the entry as a collection of coordinated elements including the door(s), overhead features, ground surface, landscaping, lighting, and other features.

Retail Edges

Porous Edge: Engage passersby with opportunities to interact visually with the building interior using glazing and transparency. Create multiple entries where possible and make a physical and visual connection



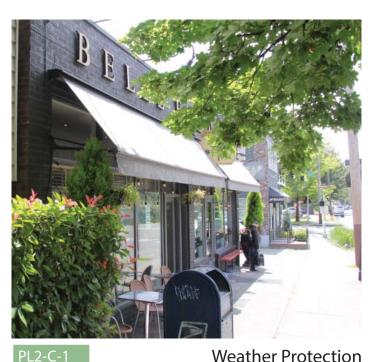




Distinctive Street-Level Entry PL3-A-1



Neighborhood Character Details



Weather Protection

DESIGN CONCEPT

Below-Grade Parking: Locate parking below grade wherever possible. Where a surface parking lot is the only alternative, locate the parking in rear or side yards, or on lower or less visible portions of the site.

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

Architectural and Facade Composition

Façade Composition: Design all building facades—including alleys and visible roofs— considering the composition and architectural expression of the building as a whole. Ensure that all facades are attractive and well-proportioned.

Blank Walls: Avoid large blank walls along visible façades wherever possible. Where expanses of blank DC2-B-2 walls, retaining walls, or garage facades are unavoidable, include uses or design treatments at the street level that have human scale and are designed for pedestrians.

Exterior Elements and Finishes: Use appropriate and high quality elements and finishes for the building and its open spaces.

DC4-A **Exterior Elements and Finishes**

DC4-A-1

Exterior Finish Materials: Building exteriors should be constructed of durable and maintainable materials that are attractive even when viewed up close. Materials that Have texture, pattern, or lend themselves



Parking Entrance on E. Madison St.



Neighborhood Unified Design



Eyes on the Street



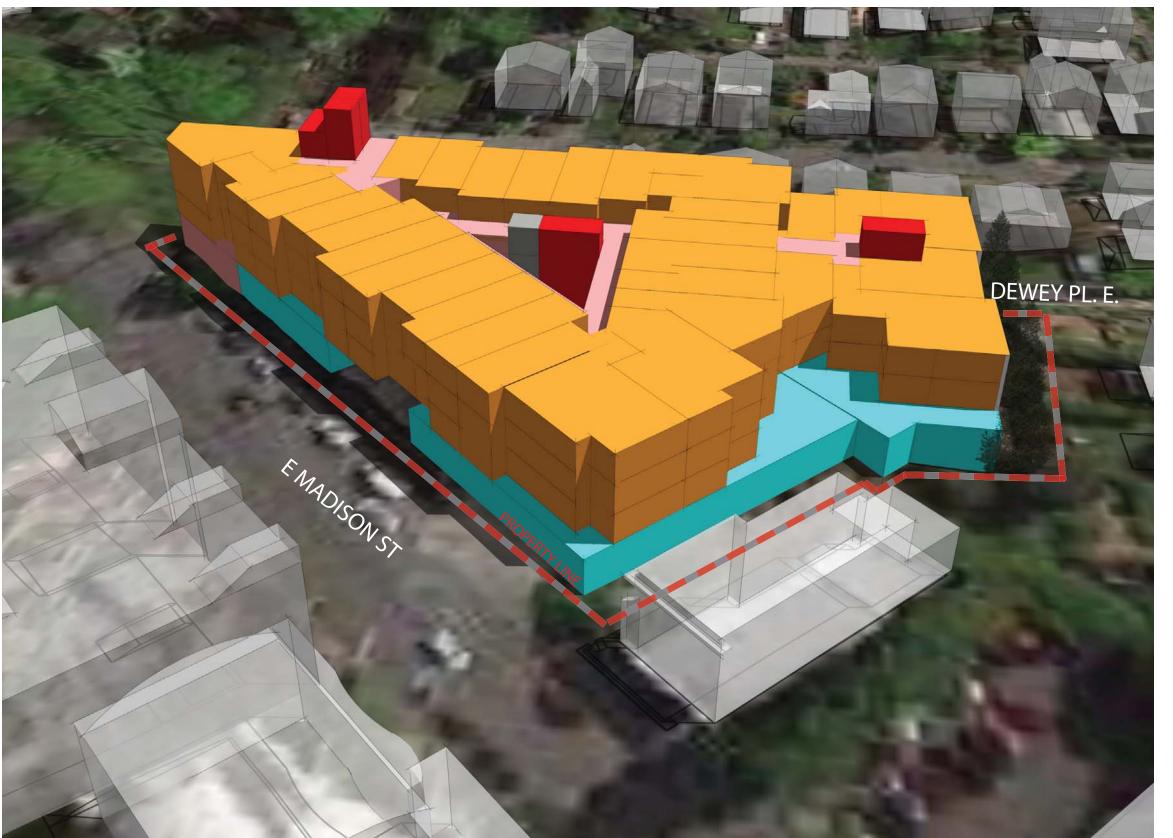
Architectural Composition



High-Quality, Durable Materials

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VIEW LOOKING NORTHEAST



DESCRIPTION

- The new building engages E. Madison St. with retail spaces at street level along the pedestrian way.
- The residential entry is located at the North end of the site, entering from Dewey Pl. E.
- Vehicular entrance to the parking structure garage and loading dock is located off Dewey Pl. E.
- The courtyard scheme with interior open corridor maximize FAR.
- Residential units are oriented equally facing all directions.

ADVANTAGES

- Maximize development potential and street frontage for residential units.
- Prominent retail entry on E. Madison St.
 Continuous retail floor, flexible for future tenant.
- Minimum Blank Wall.

CHALLENGES

- Retail entry +/- 6'-0" below grade, difficult for ADA access.
- Residential entrance off Dewey minimize residential entry presence on E. Madison St.
- Commercial + residential parking entry and loading dock off Dewey Pl. E. disrupts single family zone character.
- Courtyard scheme pushing all units to the outside edge of the site makes building appear bulky and insensitive to the single families to the east of the project site.
- Blank Wall at partial south facade.

EDG #1: DESIGN REVIEW PROPOSAL - OPTION 1

VIEW LOOKING SOUTHEAST

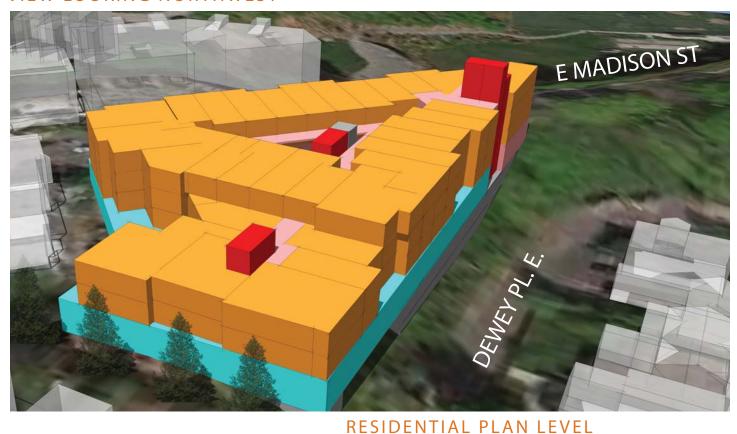


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RETAIL #

VIEW LOOKING NORTHWEST



STREET/RETAIL LEVEL PLAN



Madison-Looking North



Madison- Looking South



Dewey- Looking South
STREET LEVEL PRESPECTIVE

CHALLENGES



NO OPPORTUNITY FOR ONSITE LANDSCAPING



INTERIOR COURTYARD DOES NOT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SOLAR EXPOSURE



CS2-E

LARGE BUILDING MASS DOES NOT RESPECT ADJACENT SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCES



+/- 6'-0" RETAIL LEVEL BELOW GRADE REDUCE STREET LEVEL INTERACTION



DC1-C-1

BLANK WALL AGAINST SOUTH PROPERTY LINE NEGATIVELY
AFFECTS NEIGHBORS TO THE SOUTH

OPTION 1 INFO:

RETAIL: 26,600 SF
RESIDENTIAL: 75 UNITS
PARKING: 158 STALLS
LAND COVERAGE: 34,500 SF (85%)
PROPOSED FAR: 123,300 SF (99.5%)



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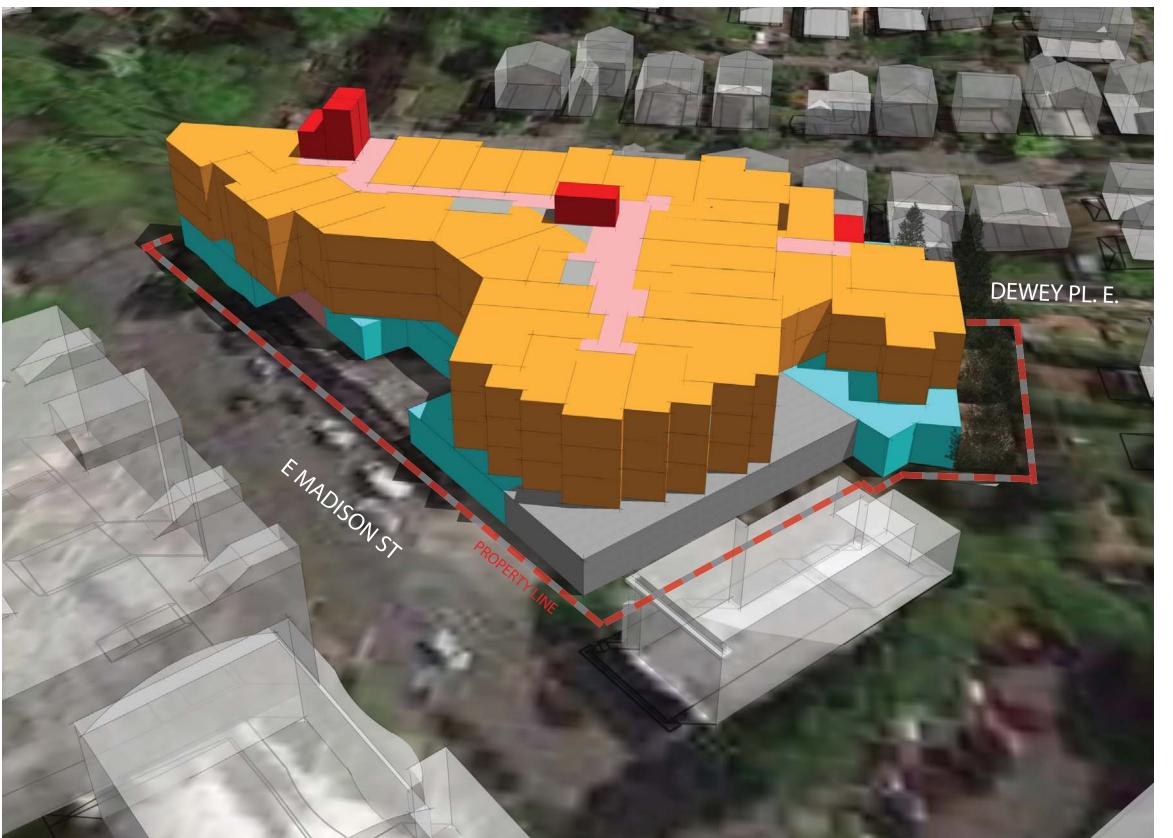


EDG #1: CONCEPTUAL SECTION - OPTION 1



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VIEW LOOKING NORTHEAST



DESCRIPTION

- The new building engages E. Madison St. with retail spaces at street level along the pedestrian way.
- The residential entry is located at the North end of the site, entering from E. Madison St.
- Vehicular entrance to the parking structure garage and loading dock is located off E. Madison St.
- The deep recess "V" scheme provides relieve to the bulky massing of the building.
- Residential units are oriented equally facing all directions.

ADVANTAGES

- Maximize development potential and street frontage for residential units.
- Prominent retail entry on E. Madison St. Continuous retail floor, flexible for future tenant.
- Residential entrance off E. Madison St. maximize residential presence on E. Madison St.
- The deep recess "V" scheme provides relief to the bulky massing of the building.
- Minimum Blank Wall.

CHALLENGES

- Retail entry +/- 6'-0" below grade, difficult for ADA access.
- Deep cutout of retail massing along E.
 Madison St. disrupts retail edge
- Deep "V" recess pushes units to the east edge along Dewey Pl. E. makes building appear bulky and insensitive to the single families to the east of the project site.
- Blank Wall at partial south facade.

EDG #1: DESIGN REVIEW PROPOSAL - OPTION 2

VIEW LOOKING SOUTHEAST

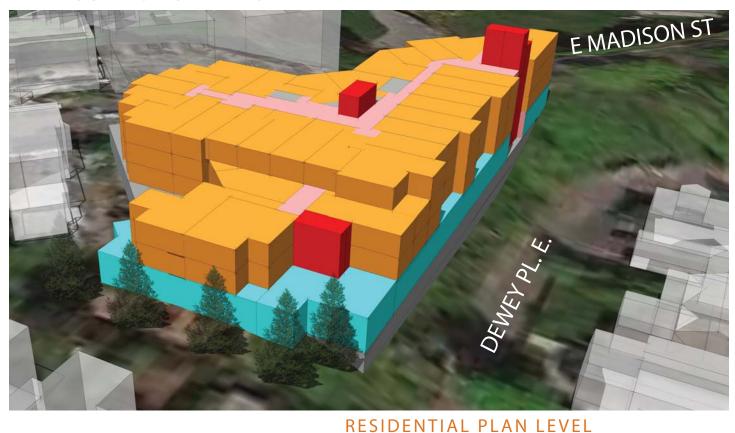


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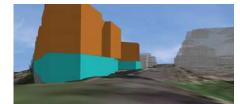
VIEW LOOKING NORTHWEST



STREET/RETAIL LEVEL PLAN



Madison-Looking North



Madison- Looking South



Dewey- Looking South
STREET LEVEL PRESPECTIVE

CHALLENGES CS1-D

NO OPPORTUNITY FOR ONSITE LANDSCAPING

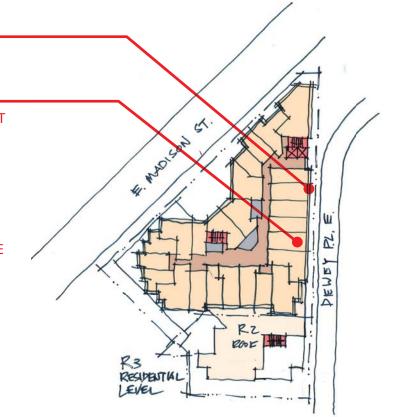
LARGE BUILDING MASS DOES NOT RESPECT ADJACENT SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCES

+/- 6'-0" RETAIL LEVEL BELOW GRADE REDUCE STREET LEVEL INTERACTION

PARTIAL BLANK WALL AGAINST SOUTH PROPERTY LINE NEGATIVELY AFFECTS NEIGHBORS TO THE SOUTH

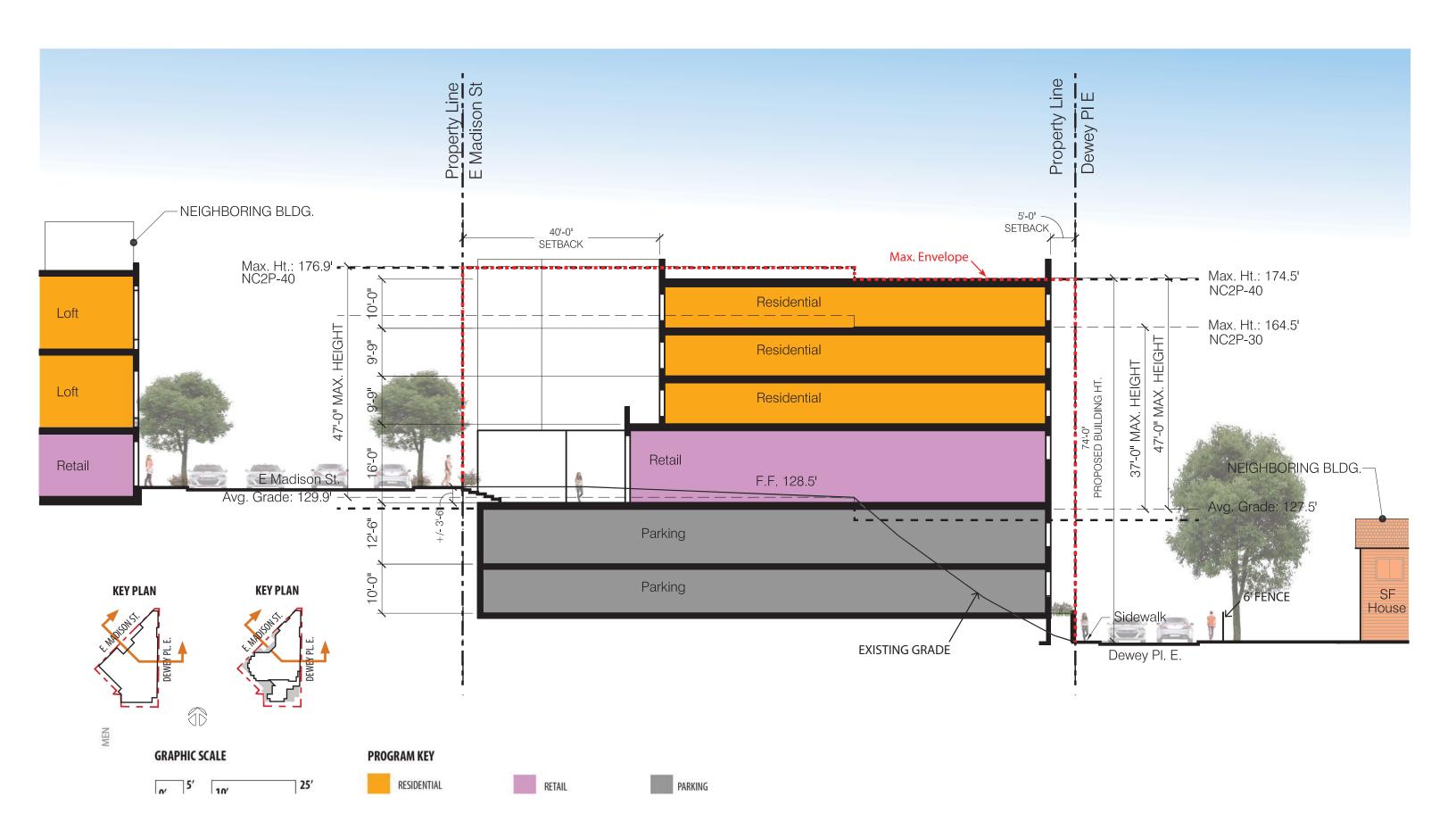
OPTION 2 INFO:

RETAIL: 26,600 SF
RESIDENTIAL: 75 UNITS
PARKING: 158 STALLS
LAND COVERAGE: 33,650 SF (83%)
PROPOSED FAR: 122,740 SF (99.1%)





EDG #1: CONCEPTUAL SECTION - OPTION 2



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EDG #1: DESIGN REVIEW PROPOSAL - OPTION 3 - STEPPED BACK, PREFERRED

VIEW LOOKING NORTHEAST



DESCRIPTION

- The new building engages E. Madison St. with retail spaces at street level along the pedestrian way.
- The residential entry is located at the North end of the site, entering from E. Madison St.
- Vehicular entrance to the commercial parking garage and loading dock is located off E. Madison St. Vehicular entrance to the residential parking garage is located off Dewey Pl. E.
- The three tier "L" scheme provides relieve to the bulky massing of the building and provides opportunity to hold the parking garage back the property line for landscaping screening.
- Residential units are oriented equally facing all directions.

ADVANTAGES

- Prominent retail entry on E. Madison St.
 Continuous retail floor, flexible for future tenant.
- Parking and back of house service off E.
 Madison St. away from Dewey Pl. E.,
- Retail entrance +/- 1'-0" provide better ADA transition.
- Maximize residential presence on E. Madison St.
- The three tier "L" scheme provides relief to the bulky massing of the building towards the single family residents to the east of the project site.
- Minimum Blank Wall.

CHALLENGES

- Parking garage ramp.
- Blank Wall at partial south facade.

EDG #1: CONCEPTUAL SECTION - PREFERRED OPTION

