GENOA CHARTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS March 17, 2015, 6:30 P.M. AGENDA

Call	to	Order:	

Pledge of Allegiance:

Introduction:

Approval of Agenda:

<u>Call to the Public:</u> (Please Note: The Board will not begin any new business after 10:00 p.m.)

- 1. 14-25 ... A request by Chilson Pointe LLC, 4666 Brighton Road, for a variance from the maximum allowable size of a detached accessory building to construct a detached accessory structure.
- 2. 15-03 ... A request by Carol and Jack Gatewood, 1022 S. Hughes Road, a variance from the maximum allowable building height, a variance from the required side yard setback and a variance from the maximum permitted projection into a required yard for an unroofed porch, in order to construct a single family dwelling.

Administrative Business:

- 1. Approval of minutes for the February 17, 2015 Zoning Board of Appeals meeting.
- 2. 2014 Year End Report Executive Summary
- 3. Correspondence
- 4. Township Board Representative Report
- 5. Planning Commission Representative Report
- 6. Zoning Official Report
- 7. Member Discussion
- 8. Adjournment

GENOA TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS March 17, 2015 6:30 P.M.

The Genoa Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at Genoa Township Hall, 2911 Dorr Road, Brighton, MI, 48116 for the following variance request at the March 17, 2015 regular meeting:

1. 15-03 ... A request by Carol and Jack Gatewood at 1022 S. Hughes Road, for a variance from the maximum allowable building height, a variance from the required side yard setback and a variance from the maximum permitted projection into a required yard for an unroofed porch, in order to construct a single family dwelling.

Please address any written comments to the Genoa Township Zoning Board of Appeals at, 2911 Dorr Rd, Brighton, MI 48116 or via email at ron@genoa.org. All materials relating to this request are available for public inspection at the Genoa Township Hall prior to the hearing.

Genoa Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aides and services to individuals with disabilities who are planning to attend. Please contact the Genoa Township Hall at (810) 227-5225 at least seven (7) days in advance of the meeting if you need assistance.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Genoa Township Zoning Board of Appeals

FROM: Ron Akers, Zoning Official

DATE: March 13, 2015 **RE:** ZBA 14-25

On February 20, 2015 I received an e-mail from Joe Perri requesting that the Zoning Board of Appeals postpone decision on his variance request until the April 21, 2015 meeting. The e-mail has been attached to this memo.

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Ron Akers

From: jperri01@gmail.com on behalf of Joe Perri <jperri@remax.net>

Sent: Friday, February 20, 2015 12:09 PM

To: Ron Akers
Subject: March Meeting

Follow Up Flag: Follow up Flag Status: Flagged

Please ask the board to postpone or table my motion from the March meeting to the April meeting as I am out of town for the March meeting.

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Warm Regards, Joe Perri, Realtor RE/MAX Platinum Cell: 517-404-8404 Office: 810-844-2339

Fax: 810-227-4465 (Attn: Joe Perri)

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^{**}Please include property addresses and/or MLS# to aid in processing the information contained in this email.**

GENOA TOWNSHIP APPLICATION FOR VARIANCE

2911 DORR RD. BRIGHTON, MI 48116 (810) 227-5225 FAX (810) 227-3420

1. Variance Requested:
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The applicant respectfully requests that an adjustment of the terms of the Zoning Ordinance be made in the case of their property because the following peculiar or unusual conditions are present which justify variance.
Present Zoning:
Applicant/Owner: CAROL = TACK GATE WOOD Property Address: 1022 5. HUGHES RD. Phone: 313-363-3000
 Article 23 of the Genoa Township Zoning Ordinance describes the Variance procedure and the duties of the Zoning Board of Appeals. (Please see attached)
☐ PAID Variance Application Fee (\$125.00 for residential - \$300.00 for commercial/industrial) ☐ Copy of Paperwork to Assessing Department
Case # 15-03 Meeting Date: 3/17/15

the meeting and remain in place until after the meeting

Petitioner (or a Representative) must be present at the meeting

Date: 2/18/15 Signature: TED MAGURAN, AGENT
Any Variance not acted upon within 12 months from the date of approval is

invalid and must receive a renewal from the ZBA.

After the decision is made regarding your variance approval contact Adam or Amy at the township office to discuss what your next step is.

VARIANCE REQUESTED

- 1. HEIGHT VARIANCE of 4.5' is requested. The proposed new home height of 29.5' exceeds the maximum allowable building height of 25.0'. The finished floor elevation of the new home, with crawl space underneath, has been raised, by design, because of the existing high water table/flood plain elevation conditions of the property site.
- 2. SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE of 2.5' is requested. The proposed new home fireplace chimney will encroach 2.5' into the required side yard setback of 10.0' because of the width of the property site. Porches/HVAC equipment/bay windows/ stair-ways, etc. are permitted projections into the required side yard setback. Fireplace chimneys, similar to permitted projections, are a normal and typical feature on a home. Allowing the fireplace chimney projection into the required side yard setback will ensure fair treatment.
- 3. SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF A PERMITTED USE of 1.0' is requested. The proposed new home side porch will project 4.0' into the required side yard setback of 10.0' because of the width of the property site. Porches are a permitted 3.0' projection into the required side yard setback. The existing high water table/flood plain has raised the finished floor elevation, with crawl space underneath, of the proposed new home. The top of the proposed side porch, approximately 3.5' above grade, will require a safety railing around the porch perimeter. The railing will reduce the net useable porch top surface to less than 3.0'. The proper use of the proposed 3.0' wide, out-swing, storm door will require a 4.0' porch top surface to ensure safety of use.

Charter Township of Genoa

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS March 17, 2015

CASE #15-03

PROPERTY LOCATION: 1022 S. Hughes

PETITIONER: Carol & Jack Gatewood

ZONING: LRR (Lake Resort Residential District)

WELL AND SEPTIC INFO: Sewer, Well

PETITIONERS REQUEST: A variance from the maximum allowable building height, a variance

from the required side yard setback and a variance from the

maximum permitted projection into a required yard for an unroofed

porch, in order to construct a single family dwelling.

CODE REFERENCE: Section 3.04.01 (Side yard setback and building height) & Section

11.01.04 (Projections into required yard)

STAFF COMMENTS: See Attached Staff Report

	Front	One Side	Other Side	Shoreline	Height	Permitted Projection into Required Yard for Uncovered Porch
Required Setbacks	35'	5'	10'	116.5'	25'	3'
Setbacks Requested	74.4'	5.2'	7.5'	112'	29.5'	4'
Variance Amount	N/A	N/A	2.5'	4.5'*	4.5'	1'

^{*} Applicant will need a shoreline setback variance, but this was not identified until after the publication deadline. Due to this we cannot consider the shoreline setback variance request until the appropriate notices are published.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Genoa Township Zoning Board of Appeals

FROM: Ron Akers, Zoning Official

DATE: March 10, 2015 **RE:** ZBA 15-03

STAFF REPORT

File Number: ZBA#15-03

Site Address: 1022 S. Hughes Rd

Parcel Number: 4711-10-201-003

Parcel Size: 0.325 Acres

Applicant: Carol & Jack Gatewood, 1022 S. Hughes Rd, Howell, MI 48843

Property Owner: Same as Applicant

Information Submitted: Application, site plan, building plans

Request: Dimensional Variances

Project Description: Applicant is requesting a variance from the maximum allowable building height, a variance from the required side yard setback and a variance from the maximum permitted projection into a required yard for an unroofed porch, in order to construct a single family dwelling.

Zoning and Existing Use: LRR (Lake Resort Residential), Single Family Residential

Other:

Public hearing was published in the Livingston County Press and Argus on Sunday March 1, 2015 and 300 foot mailings were sent to any real property within 300 feet of the property in accordance with the Michigan Zoning Enabling Act.

Background

The following is a brief summary of the background information we have on file:

- Per assessing records the parcel has an existing single family dwelling (2,754 square feet) built in 1950 and a detached garage (720 square feet).
- The single family dwelling is connected to public sewer and has an existing well.
- There is an existing sewer main easement which bisects the property.
- See Real Estate Summary and Record Card.

Summary

The proposed project is to demolish the existing house on the property and construct a new single family dwelling. In order to do this the applicant has requested three (3) different variances. These requests are a 4.5' height variance for the proposed house, a side yard setback variance for a chimney which extends into the setback 2.5' and a variance to allow an uncovered porch to extend into the required side yard four 4'. The rationale for these variances will be discussed below. During a preliminary review of the application it was discovered near the publication deadline that there was a sewer main easement which bisected the property between the detached garage and the existing house. The applicant discovered that a portion of the proposed house fell within that easement. In order to maintain the house design the applicant has proposed to move the house closer to the lake, which will require them to obtain a shoreline setback variance. This variance cannot be considered at this meeting due to the request not having been included in the publication. We can, however, consider the original three (3) variance requests which is the wish of the applicant.



Variance Requests

The following are the various sections of the zoning ordinance that variances are being requested from:

Table 3.04.01: Maximum Building Height: 25' Building Height Proposed: 29.5'

Table 3.04.01: Required Side Yard Setback: 10' Proposed Side Yard Setback: 7.5'

Sec. 11.01.04: Permitted Projection for Unroofed Porches into Required Side Yard:

a. Permitted: 3'

b. Proposed: 4'

Standards for Approval

The following are the standards of approval that are listed in the Zoning Ordinance for Dimensional Variances:

23.05.03 Criteria Applicable to Dimensional Variances. No variance in the provisions or requirements of this Ordinance shall be authorized by the Board of Appeals unless it is found from the evidence that all of the following conditions exist:

- (a) Practical Difficulty/Substantial Justice. Compliance with the strict letter of the restrictions governing area, setbacks, frontage, height, bulk, density, or other dimensional provisions would unreasonably prevent the use of the property. Granting of a requested variance or appeal would do substantial justice to the applicant as well as to other property owners in the district and is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of a substantial property right similar to that possessed by other properties in the same zoning district and vicinity of the subject parcel.
- (b) Extraordinary Circumstances. There are exceptional or extraordinary circumstances or conditions applicable to the property or the intended use which are different than other properties in the same zoning district or the variance would make the property consistent with the majority of other properties in the vicinity. The need for the variance was not self-created by the applicant.
- (c) Public Safety and Welfare. The granting of the variance will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property or unreasonably increase the congestion in public streets, or increase the danger of fire or endanger the public safety, comfort, morals or welfare of the inhabitants of the Township of Genoa.
- (d) Impact on Surrounding Neighborhood. The variance will not interfere with or discourage the appropriate development, continued use, or value of adjacent properties and the surrounding neighborhood.

Summary of Findings

Please note that in order for a variance to be approved it has to meet all of the standards in 25.05.03.

The following are findings based upon the presented materials.

Practical Difficulty/Substantial Justice:

- A. <u>Height Variance</u> The applicant has stated that strict compliance with the height requirements in the Zoning Ordinance would unreasonably prevent them from constructing a two story home on the property. The applicant has raised the first floor height of the building to approximately 4'2" to ensure that the finished floor height is far enough above the water table (which according to the applicant is only at 12" in spots) to ensure that the moisture does not rot the floor joists. The presence of the high water table does present a difficulty for the applicant to construct their proposed home because they are unable to construct the home on a lower foundation such as a slab which would conform with the height requirements in the Zoning Ordinance.
- B. <u>Side Yard Setback Variance</u> Strict compliance with the side yard setback would create difficulties in fully utilizing the available building envelope on the property. As depicted on the site plan, there is a sewer main easement which bisects the property between the detached garage and existing house. Due to the applicants inability to building a structure within that easement the depth aspect of the building envelope is limited which causes the applicant to fully utilize the lot width. The only portion

- of the structure that does not comply with the side yard setback requirements for the LRR district is the chimney which extends 2.5' out further than the wall of the building. There are no allowable exceptions in the Zoning Ordinance to allow for this without a variance. The applicants have made an effort to ensure the actual house wall is within the required setbacks.
- C. Permitted Projection into Side Yard Strict compliance with the permitted projection into the required side yard for an unroofed porch would unreasonably prevent the use of the side door because it would prevent the property owners from having the ability to fully open a three foot door. Building code requires that porches which exceed 31" have railings installed on them and if these railings are installed within the allowable deck footprint it would not leave sufficient space for a three foot door to fully swing open. This is a concern because a three foot door is an ADA standard.

Extraordinary Circumstances:

- A. <u>Height Variance</u> The extraordinary circumstances are due to the high water table (12" below surface in some locations) on the property which creates a need to construct the home on a crawl space and maintain a higher than normal finished floor height.
- B. <u>Side Yard Setback Variance</u> The exceptional or extraordinary circumstances that are applicable to this property is the presence of a sewer easement which bisects the property between the house and detached garage. This limits the building envelope on the property and creates the need for the side yard setback variance.
- C. <u>Permitted Projection into Side Yard</u> As discussed in the previous request, the presence of the sewer main easement is an extraordinary circumstance applicable to the property. The need for this variance is created by the zoning requirement which would prevent the applicant from fully opening a three foot door and the required height of the unroofed porch.

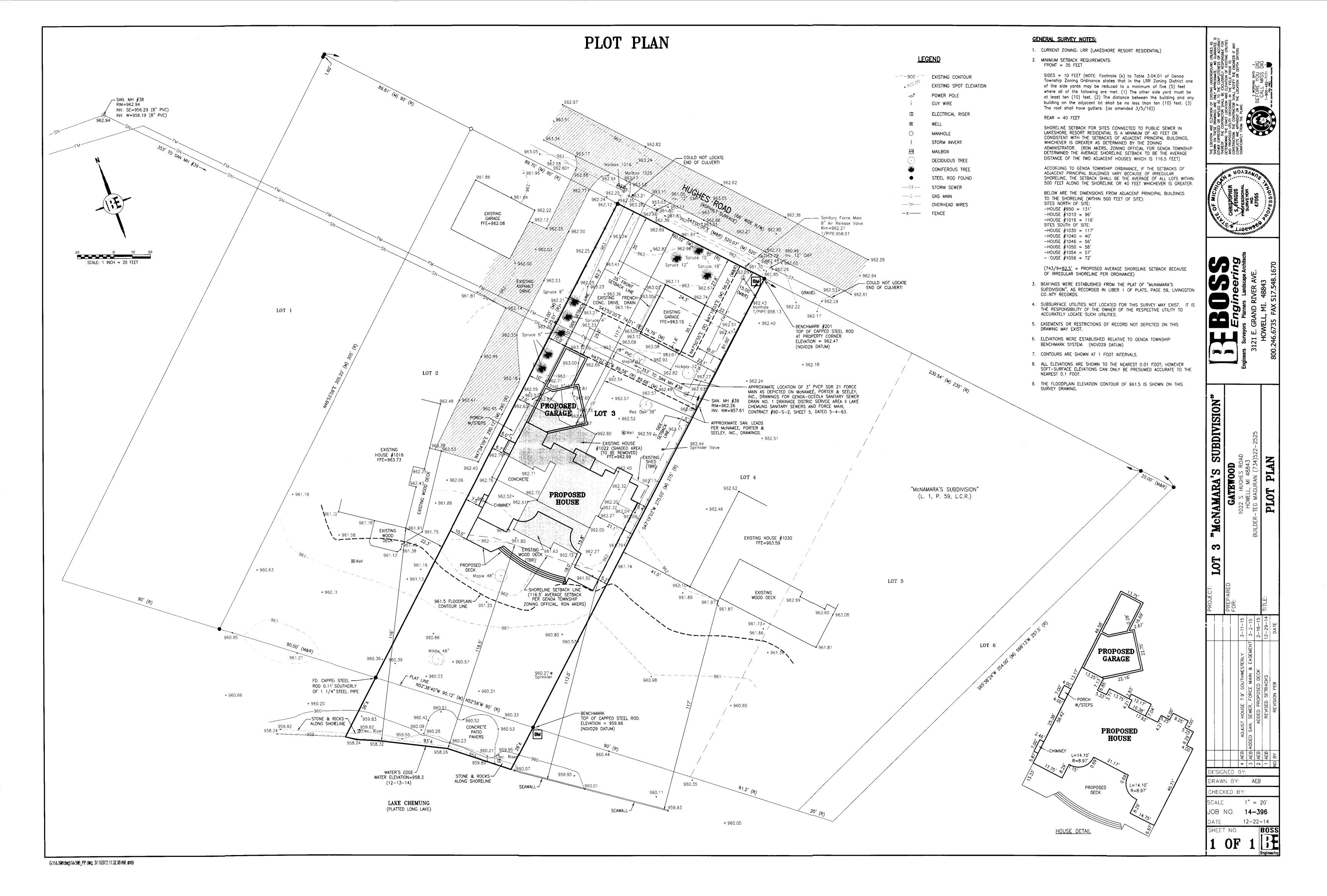
Public Safety and Welfare – The granting of these variances will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property or unreasonably increase the congestion in public streets, or increase the danger of fire or endanger the public safety, comfort, morals or welfare of the inhabitants of the Township of Genoa.

Impact on Surrounding Neighborhood – The proposed variance would have little impact on the appropriate development, continued use, or value of adjacent properties and the surrounding neighborhood.

Staff Findings of Fact

- 1. Strict application of the maximum allowable height would prevent the applicants from constructing their home as they have proposed it due to the presence of a high water table of 12" in some locations.
- 2. Strict application of the side yard setback requirement would create a difficulty due to the presence of a sewer main easement which bisects the property and limits the building envelope.
- 3. Strict application of the permitted projection into a required side yard for an unroofed porch would prevent the applicants from being able to fully open a three foot wide door due to the building code requirement that railings be installed.
- 4. The extraordinary or exceptional circumstances applicable to the property are the presence of a sewer main easement and the high water table.
- 5. The need for the variances is due to the existing sewer main easement which bisects the property between the detached garage and house and the high water table.
- 6. Granting of the requested variances will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property or unreasonably increase the congestion in public streets, or increase the danger of fire or

7.	endanger the public safety, comfort, morals or welfare of the inhabitants of the Township. The majority of the building will meet the required setbacks in the Zoning Ordinance and the encroachments are minor in nature. Granting the requested variances will not interfere with or discourage the appropriate development, continued use, or value of adjacent properties and the surrounding neighborhood. The applicant is proposing to construct an single family dwelling which is allowed in the LRR zoning district and the minor encroachments will not have a substantial impact upon properties in the vicinity.



ALL TRADES SHALL CONFORM WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, LOCAL, CODES, RULES AND REGULATIONS. IN CASE OF CONFLICT, THE MOST STRINGENT REQUIREMENTS SHALL APPLY. DIMENSIONS OF INTERIOR WALLS ON PLANS SHALL BE 3 1/2" (ROUGH STUD DIMENSIONS) UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

SEE SHEET #4 FOR TYPICAL DETAILS <u>MECHANICAL</u>

CATEGORY IV CONDENSING APPLIANCES SHALL HAVE AN AUXILIARY DRAIN PAN WHERE DAMAGE TO ANY BUILDING COMPONENT WILL OCCUR AS A RESULT OF STOPPAGE IN THE CONDENSATE DRAINAGE SYSTEM UNLESS COMPLYING WITH THE LISTED EXCEPTION OF SECTION M 1411.3.2 AIR REMOVED BY EVERY MECHANICAL EXHAUST SYSTEM (INCLUDING BATH EXHAUSTS) SHALL BE DISCHARGED TO THE OUTDOORS. AIR SHALL NOT BE EXHAUSTED INTO AN ATTIC. SOFFIT, RIDGE VENT OR CRAWL SPACE.

ELECTRICAL BEDROOM OUTLETS - ALL BRANCH CIRCUITS THAT SUPPLY 120 VOLT, SINGLE PHASE, 15 AND 20 AMPERE OUTLETS INSTALLED IN BEDROOMS SHALL BE PROTECTED BY A COMBINATION TYPE OR BRANCH/FEEDER TYPE ARC-FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER INSTALLED TO PROVIDE PROTECTION OF THE BRANCH CIRCUIT UNLESS THE INSTALLATION

CORRIDOR AND STAIRWAY LIGHTING

EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH AN ARTIFICIAL LIGHT SOURCE LOCATED IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY OF THE TOP LANDING OF THE STAIRWAY CONTRACTOR MAY PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FIXTURES NOT SHOWN OR RELOCATE FIXTURES

THERE SHALL BE A WALL SWITCH AT EACH FLOOR LEVEL TO CONTROL THE LIGHWHERE THE STAIRWAY HAS (4) OR MORE RISERS. THE ILLUMINATION OF EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS SHALL BE CONTROLLED FROM INSIDE THE UNIT.

ALL BASEMENTS GREATER THAN 200 S.F. SHALL HAVE AT LEAST ONE OPERABLE EMERGENCY ESCAPE/RESCUE WINDOW OR EXTERIOR DOOR ALL SLEEPING ROOMS SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM OF ONE(I) OPERABLE ESCAPE AND RESCUE WINDOW MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION R-310. WINDOW CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE EGRESS HARDWARE NECESSARY TO ALLOW WINDOWS TO MEET APPLICABLE

WHERE THE OPENING OF OPERABLE WINDOWS ARE LOCATED MORE THAT 12" ABOVE THE FINISHED GRADE OR SURFACE BELOW. THE LOWEST PART OF THE CLEAR OPENING OF THE WINDOW SHALL BE A MIN. OF 24" ABOVE THE FINISHED FLOOR OF THE ROOM IN WHICH THE WINDOW IS LOCATED UNLESS ONE OF THE LISTED EXCEPTIONS HAS BEEN MET WINDOWS SHALL BE INSTALLED AND FLASHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S WRITTEN INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS. WRITTEN INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS SHALL BE PROVIDED BY THE MANUFACTURER FOR EACH WINDOW. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS SHALL NOT BE REMOVED UNTIL THE WINDOW INSTALLATION HAS BEEN INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE BUILDING INSPECTOR.

FIXED GLASS SIZES SHOWN ARE FOR REFERENCE ONLY. GLAZING CONTRACTOR SHALL FIELD MEASURE ALL ROUGH OPENINGS FOR FIXED GLASS PRIOR TO FABRICATION OPERATING SASH ARE SHOWN FOR BASIC SIZING ONLY. FINAL SIZE FOR ROUGH OPENING AND GLAZING SIZES SHALL BE PER SELECTED WINDOW MANUFACTURER'S STANDARDS PROVIDE ALL REQUIRED SAFETY GLASS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE CURRENT BUILDING CODES.

GARAGE SEPARATIONS THE GARAGE SHALL BE SEPARATED FROM THE RESIDENCE AND ITS ATTIC AREA BY NOT LESS THAN 5/8" TYPE 'X' GYP. BOARD APPLIED TO THE GARAGE SIDE. WHERE THE SEPARATION IS A FLOOR/CEILING ASSEMBLY, THE STRUCTURE SUPPORTING THE SEPARATION SHALL ALSO BE PROTECTED BY NOT LESS THAN 1/2" GYPSUM BOARD OR EQUIVALENT.

OPENINGS FROM A PRIVATE GARAGE DIRECTLY INTO A ROOM USED FOR SLEEPING PURPOSES SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED. OTHER OPENINGS BETWEEN THE GARAGE AND RESIDENCE SHALL BE EQUIPPED WITH SOLID WOOD DOORS NOT LESS THAN I 3/8" IN THICKNESS, SOLID OR HONEYCOMB CORE STEEL DOORS NOT LESS THAN I 3/8" THICK, OR 20-MINUTE FIRE-RATES DOORS.

DUCTS IN THE GARAGE AND DUCTS PENETRATING THE WALLS OR CEILING SEPARATING THE DWELLING FROM THE GARAGE SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED OF A MINIMUM No. 24 GAUGE SHEET STEEL OR OTHER APPROVED MATERIAL AND SHALL HAVE NO OPENING INTO THE GARAGE. DOORS

ALL DOORS SHALL BE 6'-8" HIGH AT 8'-0" CEILINGS.
ALL DOORS SHALL BE 8'-0" HIGH AT 10'-0" CEILINGS UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. ALL OTHER DOOR HEIGHTS SHALL BE COORDINATED W/ OWNER AND /OR GENERAL CONTRACTOR

STAIRS ALL STAIRS SHALL CONFORM TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION R-311, EXCEPT THE MAXIMUM RISER HEIGHT SHALL BE 1 3/4" AND THE MINIMUM TREAD DEPTH SHALL BE 10", UNLESS SPECIFICALLY DIRECTED BY THIS OFFICE. ALL TREADS SHALL HAVE A NOSING AS DESCRIBED BY SECTION R311.7.4.3

ENCLOSED ACCESSIBLE SPACE UNDER THE STAIR SHALL HAVE WALLS. UNDER STAIR SURFACE AND ANY SOFFITS TO BE PROTECTED ON THE ENCLOSED SIDE WITH 1/2" GYPSUM BOARD. HANDRAILS SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF 34" (38" RESPECTIVELY MEASURED VERTICALLY FROM THE NOSING OF THE STAIR. HANDRAIL(S) SHALL BE CONTINUOUS THE FULL LENGTH OF THE STAIR, EXCEPT AS ALLOWED BY SECTION R-311.7.7.2

THE HANDGRIP PORTION OF THE HANDRAIL SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION R311.7.7.3 FOR TYPE I OR TYPE II HANDRAILS. GUARD RAIL BALUSTERS SHALL BE SPACED SO THAT A SPHERE WITH A DIAMETER OF 4" CANNOT PASS THROUGH ANY OPENING

GUARD RAILS SHALL MEET THE FOLLOWING: GUARD RAILS AT PORCHES, BALCONIES, OR RAISED FLOOR SURFACE WITH A HEIGHT DIFFERENTIAL OF 30" OR MORE ABOVE THE FINISHED FLOOR OR GRADE SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 36" HIGH.

INTERIOR GUARD RAILS SHALL BE 36" HIGH MINIMUM.

SMOKE ALARMS

EACH SLEEPING ROOM SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH A MINIMUM OF ONE(I) SMOKE ALARM (LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT APPROVED AND UNDERWRITER'S LABORATORIES TESTED AND LABELED) AND ONE SMOKE DETECTOR INSTALLED IN COMMON AREA (HALL OR CORRIDOR) ADJACENT TO THE SLEEPING ROOMS (WITHIN 10 FEET OF ALL BEDROOM DOORS, ALSO PROVIDE A MINIMUM OF ONE (I) SMOKE ALARM ON EACH FLOOR, THE SMOKE ALARM IS TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE CODES. THE SMOKE ALARM IS TO BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE CODES. SHALL BE WIRED IN SUCH A WAY THAT THE ACTIVATION OF ONE (I) ALARM WILL ACTIVATE ALL THE ALARMS IN THE DWELLING UNIT. ALL SMOKE ALARMS SHALL BE EQUIPPED WITH A BATTERY BACKUP.

THE RESIDENCE OWNER OR OCCUPANT OF A RENTAL UNIT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROF OPERATION, TESTING AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EQUIPMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED WITH THE EQUIPMENT. THE OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE SAVED AND DELIVERED TO THE OWNER/OCCUPANT ON THE FIRST OCCUPANCY DATE.

CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS

INSTALLATION OF AT LEAST (I) OPERATIONAL AND APPROVED CARBON MONOXIDE DEVICE WITHIN EACH RESIDENCE. ONE DEVICE SHALL BE LOCATED OUTSIDE OF EACH SEPARATE SLEEPING AREA IN THE VICINITY OF THE BEDROOMS WHICH MAY INCLUDE (I) DEVICE NEAR ALL ADJACENT BEDROOMS: IN AREAS WITH IN THE DWELLING ADJACENT TO AN ATTACHED GARAGE: AND IN AREAS ADJACENT TO ANY FUEL BURNING APPLIANCES. THEY SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS CODE AND THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION

THE RESIDENCE OWNER OR OCCUPANT OF A RENTAL UNIT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROPE OPERATION, TESTING AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EQUIPMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPERATION MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED WITH THE EQUIPMENT. THE OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE SAVED AND DELIVERED TO THE OWNER/OCCUPANT ON THE PER M.R.C. E3608.1.2 FIRST OCCUPANCY DATE.

ALL FOAM PLASTICS OR FOAM PLASTIC CORED MATERIAL USED IN BUILDING CONSTRUCTION SHALL HAVE SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OR A THERMAL BARRIER AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION R-316 UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

ALL WALL AND CEILING FINISHES SHALL COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION R-302

MINIMUM FOOTING DEPTH SHALL BE 3'-4" BELOW FINISHED GRADE. UNDER-FLOOR SPACE SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION R-403

WHEN SOIL TESTS ARE NOT PROVIDED. THE SOIL BEARING CAPACITY USED BY THE ARCHITECT WAS ASSUMED TO BE 3000 PSF. IF ANY OTHER MATERIALS OR LOWER BEARING CAPACITY ARE ENCOUNTERED NOTIFY THE ARCHITECT FOR RE-EVALUATION

CONCRETE

CONCRETE STRENGTH SHALL BE 3,000 PSI COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH AT 28 DAYS FOR ALL FOOTINGS, THICKENED SLABS AND CONCRETE SLABS NOT EXPOSED TO THE WEATHER. ALL CONCRETE EXPOSED TO WEATHER SHALL BE 3500 PSI COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH WITH 6% + 1% ENTRAINED AIR. CONCRETE WORK AND PLACEMENT SHALL CONFORM TO THE LATEST SPECIFICATION OF C.R.S.I. AND A.C.I.

ALL REINFORCING BARS, DOWELS AND TIES SHALL CONFORM TO A.S.T.M. A(15 GRADE (O) REINFORCING STEEL SHALL BE CONTINUOUS AND SHALL HAVE MINIMUM LAP SPLICE PER TABLE R(1).5.4(1). ALL REINFORCING BARS SHALL BE DEFORMED. REMOVE ALL FILL AND ORGANIC MATERIALS FROM AREAS TO RECEIVE FLOOR SLABS

BRICK SHALL MEET ASTM C214 (SOLID UNITS) OR ASTM C452 (HOLLOW UNITS) PROVIDE SILL PLATE ANCHOR BOLTS AT 6'-O" O.C. (MAX.) AND 12"(MAX.)/4"(MIN.) FROM END OF SILL PLATES. ANCHOR BOLTS SHALL BE 1/2" DIAMETER (MIN.) AND SHALL EXTEND 15"(MIN.) INTO GROUTED CONCRETE BLOCK OR 8"(MIN.) INTO POURED IN-PLACE CONCRETE FOUNDATION OR THROUGH GROUTED CONCRETE BLOCK PLUS 1" INTO POURED CONCRETE. AS AN ALTERNATE FOR 1/2" RND SILL BOLTS PROVIDE CODE APPROVED MUDSILL STRAP ANCHORS, SPACING PER MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS

PROVIDE RIGID INSULATION AT ALL PERIMETER SLAB ON GRADE CONDITIONS.

CIVIL ENGINEER OR SITE PLANNER SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION R-403.1.7 FOR SLOPE CLEARANCE FROM FOOTINGS.

PROVIDE SUMP PUMPS IN BASEMENTS AS RECOMMENDED BY SOILS ENGINEER OR AS REQUIRED BY LOCAL CODE OFFICIAL. MINIMUM SIZE SHALL BE 18" IN DIAMETER AND 24" IN DEPTH. PROVIDE A GAS-TIGHT REMOVABLE COVER.

FLOOR FRAMING

DAMPPROOFING AND WATERPROOFING SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION R-406 ALL CONCRETE AND MASONRY FOUNDATION WALLS THAT RETAIN EARTH AND ENCLOSE HABITABLE OR USABLE SPACE SHALL BE DAMPPROOFED OR WATERPROOFED FROM THE TOP OF THE FOOTING TO THE GRADE LINE

MASONRY WALLS SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM OF 3/8" PORTLAND CEMENT PARGING APPLIED TO THE EXTERIOR SIDE OF THE WALL PRIOR TO DAMPPROOFING WITH A BITUMINOUS COATING IN AREAS WHERE A HIGH WATER TABLE OR OTHER SEVERE SOIL-WATER CONDITIONS ARE KNOWN TO EXIST. EXTERIOR FOUNDATION WALLS SHALL BE WATERPROOFED.

PROVIDE VAPOR BARRIER UNDER ALL CONCRETE SLAB ON GRADE CONDITIONS AND AT ALL ATTACHED GARAGE AREA CONCRETE SLABS PER CODE.

ALL STEEL COLUMNS AND EXTERIOR LINTELS SHALL BE SHOP COATED WITH RUST-INHIBITIVE PAINT ON ALL SURFACES (INSIDE AND OUTSIDE) UNLESS MADE OF CORROSION-RESISTANT STEEL. THE COLUMNS SHALL BE RESTRAINED AT THE BOTTOM TO PREVENT LATERAL DISPLACEMENT. STEEL COLUMNS SHALL BE OF SIZE NOTED ON DRAWINGS.

WOOD FLOOR FRAMING SHALL COMPLY WITH CHAPTER 5 EXCEPT WHERE MORE STRINGENT REQUIREMENTS ARE NOTED ON DRAWINGS. FRAMING ASSEMBLY FASTENERS SHALL BE INSTALLED PER TABLE R-602.3 (I) ¢ (2). SEE DETAILS AND CODE FOR ALLOWABLE NOTCHING AND BORING OF DIMENSIONAL LUMBER. SECTION R-502.8 FOR JOIST. SEE MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS FOR ALLOWABLE CUTTING AND BORING OF PRE-ENGINEERED MATERIALS USED IN FLOOR FRAMING.

PROVIDE DRAFTSTOPPING PER SECTION R-302.12

BEARING WALLS: PROVIDE 2X4 LADDER BLOCKING AT 16" O.C. ON 2X4 LEDGER BOARDS BETWEEN HEADER JOISTS (SEE DRAWINGS FOR SIZE OF MEMBER) UNDER ALL BEARING PARTITIONS PARALLEL TO FLOOR FRAMING DIRECTION.

PROVIDE SOLID BLOCKING UNDER ALL POINT LOAD CONDITIONS CONTINUOUS TO SOLID BEARING AT HEADERS OR FOUNDATION. PROVIDE SOLID BLOCKING BETWEEN JOIST UNDER ALL BEARING WALLS PERPENDICULAR TO FRAMING DIRECTION.

FLOOR FRAMING SPACED GREATER THAN 16" O.C. AT AREAS RECEIVING HARD TILE OR STONE FINISH SHALL HAVE 2x4 LADDER BLOCKING 9 16" O.C. BETWEEN MEMBERS WALL FRAMING

WOOD WALL FRAMING SHALL COMPLY WITH CHAPTER & EXCEPT WHERE MORE STRINGENT REQUIREMENTS ARE NOTED ON DRAWINGS. FRAMING ASSEMBLY FASTENERS SHALL BE INSTALLED PER TABLE R-402.3 (I) £ (2). SEE DETAILS AND CODE FOR ALLOWABLE NOTCHING AND BORING OF DIMENSIONAL LUMBER. SECTION R-602.6 FOR WALL STUDS.

SEE MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS FOR ALLOWABLE CUTTING AND BORING OF PRE-ENGINEERED MATERIALS USED IN WALL FRAMING. PROVIDE FIRE BLOCKING PER SECTION R-302.II

WALL COVERING MATERIALS SHALL COMPLY WITH CHAPTER T

THE EXTERIOR WALL ENVELOPE SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED IN A MANNER THAT PREVENTS THE ACCUMULATION OF WATER WITHIN THE WALL ASSEMBLY BY PROVIDING A WATER-RESISTANT BARRIER BEHIND THE EXTERIOR VENEER PER SECTION R-103.2 AND SHALL INCLUDE FLASHINGS ALONG WITH A MEANS OF DRAINING WATER THAT ENTERS THE ASSEMBLY TO THE EXTERIOR UNLESS ONE OF THE EXCEPTIONS LISTED IN SECTION R-103.1 HAS BEEN MET. THE WATER-RESTIVE BARRIER SHALL COVER THE ENTIRE WALL AREA INCLUDING ATTICS, GABLES AND SIMILAR WALL AREAS. THE WATER-RESISTIVE BARRIER SHALL BE INSTALLED HORIZONTALLY IN SHINGLE FASHION WITH A MIN. LAP OF 6"

STUDS IN ALL WALLS SHALL BE SPACED AT 16" O.C. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED EXTERIOR WOOD FRAME WALLS OVER 9'-2" IN HEIGHT SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 2x6 CONSTRUCTION, ALL STUDS SHALL BE CONTINUOUS FROM FLOOR TO UNDERSIDE OF FLOOR OR ROOF FRAMING ABOVE. SEE FRAMING MATERIALS FOR MINIMUM STUD SIZES AND GRADES.

ALL STRUCTURAL MULLIONS TO HAVE MINIMUM DOUBLE STUD CONSTRUCTION CONTINUOUS FROM FLOOR TO UNDERSIDE OF FLOOR/ROOF FRAMING ABOVE, WINDOW TRANSOM HEADERS SHALL SPAN BETWEEN CONTINUOUS STUDS WITH FLUSH HANGER BRACKETS AS REQUIRED.

PROVIDE CONTINUOUS WALL STUDS FROM FLOOR TO UNDERSIDE OF ROOF FRAMING AT ALL SLOPED CEILING CONDITIONS. (BALLOON CONSTRUCTION) LOWER LEVEL (BASEMENT) EXTERIOR FRAME WALLS SHALL BE MINIMUM 2X6 FRAMING AT 16" O.C. WITH PRESSURE TREATED BASE PLATE. INTERIOR LOWER LEVEL BEARING WALLS SHALL BE 2X6 FRAMING AT 16" O.C. WHEN CARRYING MORE THAN

TWO(2) FLOORS OR ONE (I) FLOOR AND ONE (I) ROOF.

BUILDER TO PROVIDE AND COORDINATE CONCRETE ENCASED ELECTRODE PER M.R.C. E3608.1.2

ROOF-CEILING CONSTRUCTION

WOOD ROOF FRAMING SHALL COMPLY WITH CHAPTER 8 EXCEPT WHERE MORE STRINGENT REQUIREMENTS ARE NOTED ON DRAWINGS. FRAMING ASSEMBLY FASTENERS SHALL BE INSTALLED PER TABLE R-602.3 (1) \$ (2). ROOF TIE-DOWN REQUIREMENTS SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION R-802.II. SEE SHEET #3 FOR CONTINUOUS PATH LOADING OPTIONS TO TRANSMIT UP-LIFT FORCES FROM THE ROOF TRUSSES OR RAFTERS TO THE FOUNDATION.

DIMENSIONAL LUMBER

EXTERIOR - BEARING AND NON-BEARING WALLS: 8'-1 1/8" PLATE HEIGHT OR LESS: 2x4 SPRUCE-PINE-FIR #2 KD OR BETTER 9'-1 1/8" PLATE HEIGHT OR LESS: 2x4 SPRUCE-PINE-FIR #1 KD OR BETTER

18'-8" PLATE HEIGHT OR LESS: 2x8 DOUGLAS FIR LARCH #2 KD OR BETTER

BEARING WALLS - SPRUCE-PINE-FIR #2 KD OR BETTER NON-BEARING WALLS - SPRUCE-PINE-FIR, KILN DRIED, STUD GRADE OR BETTER.

16'-1 1/8" PLATE HEIGHT OR LESS: 2X6 HEM-FIR #2 KD OR BETTER

JOIST AND RAFTERS: HEM-FIR #2 KD OR BETTER: FIBER BENDING STRESS= 1,015 PSI (REPETITIVE MEMBER) ELASTICITY MODULUS=1,300,000 PSI WALL PLATES, NON-STRUCTURAL BLOCKING: SPRUCE-PINE-FIR, KILN DRIED. UTILITY GRADE OR BETTER.

PERIMETER SILL PLATES: PRESSURE TREATMENT AWPM, LP-2. KILN DRIED TO 19% MOISTURE CONTENT. SET PERIMETER SILL PLATES ON SILL SEALER. FURRING: SPRUCE-PINE-FIR, KILN DRIED, NO.3 OR BETTER. ALL LUMBER GRADES AND STANDARDS BASED ON "NDS-1997" DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS

(2) 2x8 HEADERS TO BEAR ON (I) ONE JACK STUDS UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE ALL PRE-ENGINEERED HEADERS TO BEAR ON THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF STUDS TO MATCH WIDTH OF HEADER MATERIAL AT PERPENDICULAR WALLS AND ON A MINIMUM OF TWO (2) JACK STUDS AT PARALLEL WALL CONDITION UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.

ALL PRE-ENGINEERED LUMBER HEADERS SHALL BE BUILT-UP FROM THE NUMBER OF HEADERS INDICATED ON DRAWINGS. ALL MEMBERS SHALL BE SECURED WITH NAILS OR BOLTS AS SPECIFIED BY THE MANUFACTURER FOR SIZES INDICATED. ALL GIRDER TRUSSES TO BEAR ON (2) TWO STUDS MINIMUM OR AS REQUIRED TO MATCH NUMBER OF TRUSS PLY'S UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE ON THE DRAWINGS OR ON

ALL STRUCTURAL HANGERS TO BE 'SIMPSON' OR APPROVED EQUAL.

CARPENTER CONTRACTOR TO INSTALL NAIL SIZES & NUMBER REQ'D AS SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER FOR EACH TYPE OF HANGER.

WALL SHEATHING

PROVIDE STRUCTURAL GRADE OSB WALL SHEATHING FOR LATERAL BRACING OF EXTERIOR WALL LOADS. WHEN NON-STRUCTURAL SHEATHING IS USED PROVIDE LET-IN DIAGONAL BRACING OR OTHER APPROVED TYPE OF BRACING AT ALL EXTERIOR CORNERS OF STRUCTURE.

PRESERVATIVE TREATED LUMBER

ALL TREATED LUMBER OR ENGINEERED LUMBER PRODUCTS TREATED FOR DECAY AND/OR INSECT RESISTANCE SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL CURRENT STANDARDS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AND HUMAN OCCUPANT SAFETY. ALL MATERIALS SHALL BE TAGGED OR STAMPED INDICATING COMPLIANCE. NO ARSENIC BASED TREATMENTS ARE ALLOWED.

ATTACHMENTS & FASTENERS USED WITH PRESERVATIVE TREATED LUMBER ALL NAILS, SCREWS, STAPLES, BOLTS, AND OTHER ATTACHMENT DEVICES SHALL BE HOT DIPPED GALVANIZED (G90 OR G185) OR STAINLESS STEEL (TYPE 304 OR 316). ALL PLATES, CLIPS, STRAPS, OR OTHER ATTACHMENT DEVICES IN CONTACT WITH TREATED MATERIALS SHALL BE HOT DIPPED GALVANIZED (G90 OR G185) OR STAINLESS STEEL (TYPE 304 OR 314).

PRE-ENGINEERED TRUSSES

APPLICANT WHO IS SUBMITTING PLANS FOR PERMITS SHALL PROVIDE AT TIME OF SUBMISSION ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- a. TRUSS DESIGN DATA SHEET
- b. COMPLETE TRUSS DESIGN DRAWINGS

BUILDER OR OWNER SHALL SUBMIT COMPLETE TRUSS DESIGN DRAWINGS PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF TRUSSES AS REQUIRED BY CODE.

IT IS IMPORTANT FOR THE TRUSS DESIGNER/FABRICATOR TO TAKE GREAT CARE IN THE BANDING, SHIPPING, AND DELIVERY PROCESS TO INSURE THE TRUSSES ARE NOT DAMAGED.
SEE HIB-91, PROVIDED BY TRUSS DESIGNER/FABRICATOR, FOR PROPER STORAGE METHODS FOR TRUSSES PRIOR TO DELIVERY AND ERECTION.

SEE SHEET 2 FOR TRUSS INFORMATION

GROUND SNOW		SEISMIC			
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25 PSF	90 MPH	CATEGORY-B	Α		

WEATHERING PROS	T LINE H TERMI	TE DECA	WINTER DESIGN TEMP.	FLOOD HAZARDS
			TEMP.	HAZARDS
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LOADING CONDITIONS:				
	LIVE LOAD	DEAD LOAD	TOTAL	
FLOOR HABITABLE	40 PSF	15 PSF	55 PSF	
FLOOR WITH FINISH MAT. ON GROUT BED	40 PSF	25 PSF	65 PSF	
ROOF PITCHED	25 PSF T.C. IO PSF B.C.	IT PSF	52 PSF	
FLAT ROOF OVER 30" DEEP	25 PSF T.C. 10 PSF B.C.	IT PSF	52 PSF	

NOTE: ATTICS ARE DESIGNED AS NON-STORAGE. UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

T.C. - TOP CHORD OF TRUSS B.C. - BOTTOM CHORD OF TRUSS TRUSS DESIGNER TO INCLUDE A 10 PSF

NON-CONCURRENT LOAD IN TRUSS DESIGN

APPROVED CORROSION-RESISTANT FLASHING SHALL BE APPLIED SHINGLE-FASHION IN SUCH A MANNER TO PREVENT ENTRY OF WATER INTO THE WALL CAVITY OR PENETRATION OF WATER TO THE BUILDING STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS. THE FLASHING SHALL EXTEND TO THE SURFACE OF THE EXTERIOR WALL FINISH. APPROVED CORROSION-RESISTANT FLASHING SHALL BE INSTALLED WHERE REQUIRED BY CHAPTER 7 AND SECTION R-703.8 ALL TRANSITION FLASHING (ROOF TO WALL) SHALL LAP VERTICAL WALL FACE A MINIMUM OF 8" UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. PROVIDE FLASHING AT ALL EXTERIOR STEEL LINTEL CONDITIONS AND AT CONCEALED STEEL LINTELS CARRYING EXPOSED BRICK. PROVIDE EAVE FLASHING PER CODE. ROOFING

ASPHALT SHINGLES SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM D225. ASPHALT SHINGLES SHALL NOT BE INSTALLED ON ROOF SLOPES BELOW TWO UNITS VERTICAL IN 12 UNITS HORIZONTAL (2:12). DOUBLE-LAYER UNDERLAYMENT SHALL BE REQUIRED ON ROOF SLOPES BELOW FOUR UNITS VERTICAL IN 12 UNITS HORIZONTAL(4:12). SINGLE-LAYER UNDERLAYMENT IS REQUIRED ON ALL OTHER ROOF SLOPES. ASPHALT SHINGLES SHALL BE SECURED TO THE ROOF WITH NOT LESS THAN FOUR FASTENERS PER STRIP SHINGLE, OR NOT LESS THAN TWO FASTENERS PER INDIVIDUAL SHINGLE. SHINGLE HEADLAP SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN 2 INCHES (15 MM).

ROOF PENETRATIONS

ALL PLUMBING, MECHANICAL VENT STACKS AND FURNACE FLUES SHALL BE OFFSET TO REAR ROOF LINES. FURNACE FLUES SHALL COMPLY WITH CODE FOR MINIMUM SLOPE AND NUMBER OF TURNS ALLOWED FOR OFFSETS. ALL OPEN VENT PIPES THAT EXTEND THROUGH A ROOF SHALL TERMINA AT LEAST (1) FOOT ABOVE THE ROOF OR (1) FOOT IF THE ROOF IS TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE OTHER THAN WEATHER PROTECTION

INSULATION NOTE: PROVIDE INSULATION AS REQUIRED IN 2009 MICHIGAN UNIFORM ENERGY CODE. THIS PROJECT HAS BEEN DESIGNED FOR PRESCRIPTIVE COMPLIANCE. SEE CALCULATIONS BY OTHERS FOR PERFOMANCE BASED COMPLIANCE.

PROVIDE RIGID INSULATION AT ALL EXPOSED PERIMETER SLAB ON GRADE CONDITIONS AS REQUIRED TO MEET CURRENT ENERGY CODE REQUIREMENTS. PROVIDE INSULATION AT ALL BOND CONDITIONS-SEE INSULATION NOTE. PROVIDE INSULATION AROUND ALL SKYLIGHT SHAFTS-SEE INSULATION NOTE. THERMAL INSULATION SHALL HAVE A VAPOR BARRIER, WITH A PERM RATING OF 1 OR LESS, APPLIED TO THE WARM-IN-WINTER SIDE OF THE INSULATION OR THE INSULATION ITSELF SHALL HAVE AN EQUIVALENT PERM RATING. ALL INSULATION SHALL HAVE A FLAME SPREAD INDEX OF 25 OR LESS AND A SMOKE-DEVELOPED INDEX NOT TO EXCEED 450. INSULATION SHALL BE INSTALLED IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO ALLOW FREE AIR FLOW FROM THE SOFFIT TO THE ROOF/ATTIC SPACE.

VENTILATION OF CONCEALED ROOF SPACES SHALL BE MAINTAINED. COMBUSTIBLE INSULATION SHALL BE SEPARATED A MINIMUM OF 3" FROM RECESSED LIGHT FIXTURES, FAN MOTORS, AND OTHER HEAT PRODUCING DEVICES UNLESS MEETING THE EXCEPTION LISTED IN SECTION R 808. RECESSED LIGHTING FIXTURES INSTALLED IN THE BUILDING THERMAL ENVELOPE SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS.

BACKER BEHIND TUB AND SHOWER WALLS

"GREEN BOARD" IS NOT ALLOWED AS A BACKER MATERIAL BEHIND TILED TUB AND SHOWER WALLS. ONLY CEMENT, FIBER-CEMENT OR GLASS MAT GYPSUM BACKERS MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 102.4.2 ARE

DRYER VENTS

THE MAXIMUM LENGTH FOR A DRYER VENT SHALL BE DETERMINED BY ONE OF THE METHODS SPECIFIED IN SECTION MI502.4.4.1 OR MI502.4.4.2. WHEN THE EXHAUST DUCT IS CONCEALED WITHIN THE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION THE EQUIVALENT LENGTH OF THE EXHAUST DUCT SHALL BE IDENTIFIED ON A PERMANENT LABEL OR TAG AS REQUIRED IN MI502.4.5. ALL DUCTS SHALL HAVE A SMOOTH INTERIOR FINISH AND SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM NOMINAL SIZE OF 4" DIAMETER.

A READILY-ACCESSIBLE OPENING NOT LESS THAN 22"x30" SHALL BE PROVIDED TO ANY ATTIC AREA HAVING A CLEAR HEIGHT OF OVER 30". GUTTERS & DOWNSPOUTS

PROVIDE GUTTERS AND DOWNSPOUTS FOR DRAINAGE OF ROOF WATER. DOWNSPOUTS ARE TO BE LOCATED SO THE DISCHARGE WILL NOT SPILL ON OR FLOW ACROSS ANY PORCHES, WALKS OR DRIVES OR CONNECT DOWNSPOUTS TO STORM SYSTEM

DOWNSPOUT LOCATIONS AND DOWNSPOUT DISCHARGE TYPES AND LOCATIONS TO BE DETERMINED BY BUILDER BASED ON SITE CONDITIONS.

PROPOSED VENT AREA

VENT AREA RATIO 1:150 ATTIC AREA 3474 SQ.FT. (1/150) VENT AREA= 24.49 SQ.FT. x 144= 3527 SQ.IN. 50% SOFFIT AND 50% RIDGE= 1743.5 SQ.IN. EACH VENT AREA PROVIDED • RIDGE CONTINUOUS RIDGE TYPE 5 18 SQ.IN. PER FT. = 98 LIN.FT. LOUVER AT RIDGE TYPE 9 _____ SQ.IN. EA. = ____ UNITS GABLE END TYPE (TOTAL) ____ SQ.IN. TOTAL VENTING AT RIDGE= 1764 SQ.IN. VENT AREA PROVIDED . SOFFIT

CONTINUOUS SOFFIT TYPE 9 9 SQ.IN. PER FT. = 196 LIN.FT. LOUVER TYPE 4"x14" W/ BRICK® 5Q.IN. EA,= ____ SQ.IN. EA.= LOUVER TYPE 8"x14" W/O BRICK 9 ____ UNITS TOTAL VENTING AT SOFFIT = 1764 SQ.IN.

GENERAL CONTRACTOR & CARPENTRY CONTRACTOR READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED BY TRUSS ENGINEER/

ALL PERMANENT BRACING SHALL BE DESIGNED BY OTHERS AND INSTALLED AS SPECIFIED.

REQUIREMENTS AND FOR ALL REQUIRED BRACING LOCATIONS.

DO NOT REHOVE ANY TEMPORARY BRACING UNTIL ROOF IS FULLY SHEATHED UNLESS ALLOWED BY THE TRUSS ENGINEER/FABRICATOR

FABRICATOR FOR ERECTION, TEMPORARY, AND PERMANENT BRACING

READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED BY TRUSS ENGINEER/FABRICATOR FOR INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS, TRUSS LOCATIONS. AND ON SITE STORAGE REQUIREMENTS.

GENERAL CONTRACTOR, CARPENTRY CONTRACTOR, AND TRUSS ENGINEER/FABRICATOR TO HOLD ON SITE PRE-ERECTION MEETING TO DISCUSS PROPER ERECTION PROCEDURES AND BRACING REQUIREMENTS.

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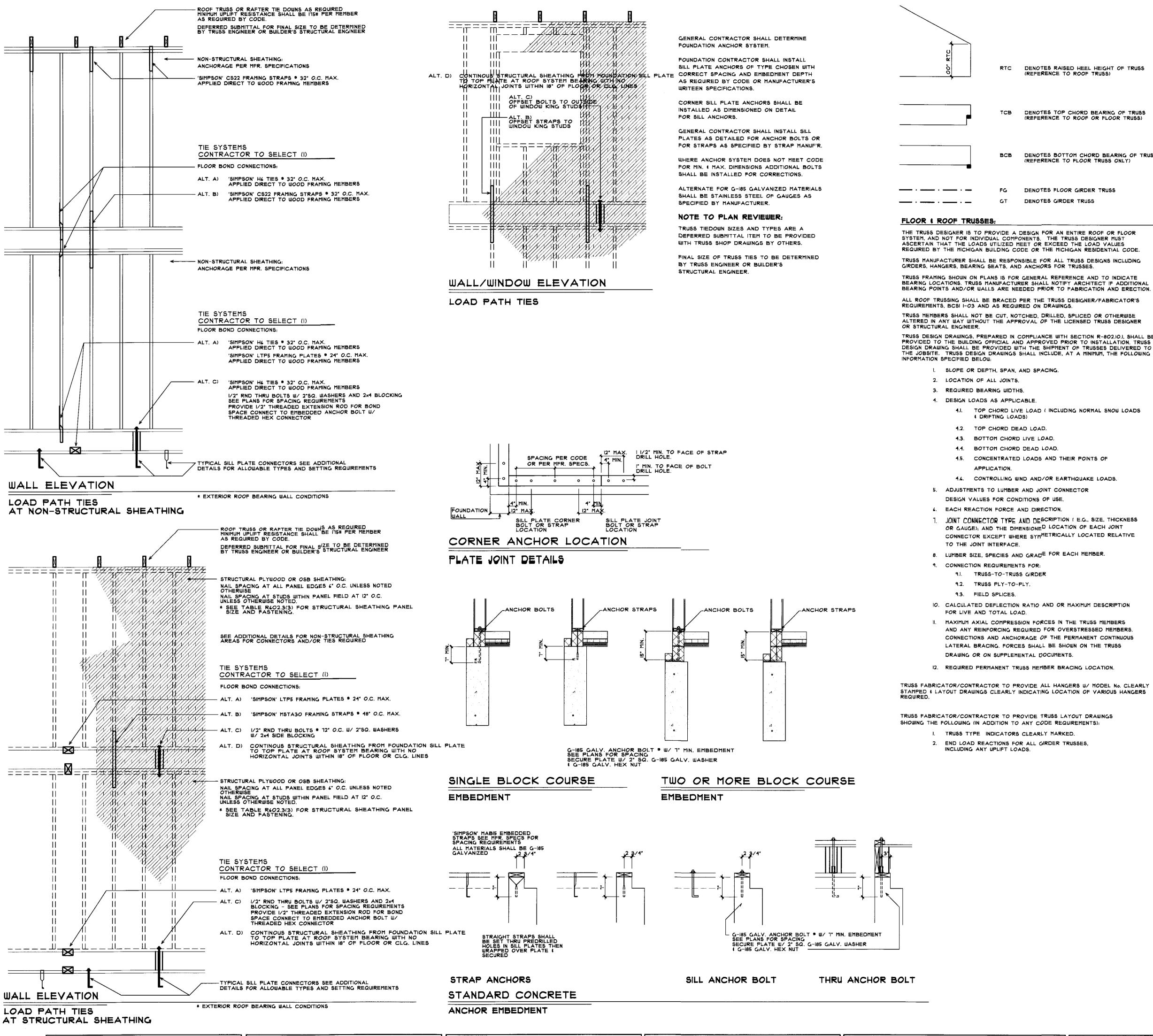
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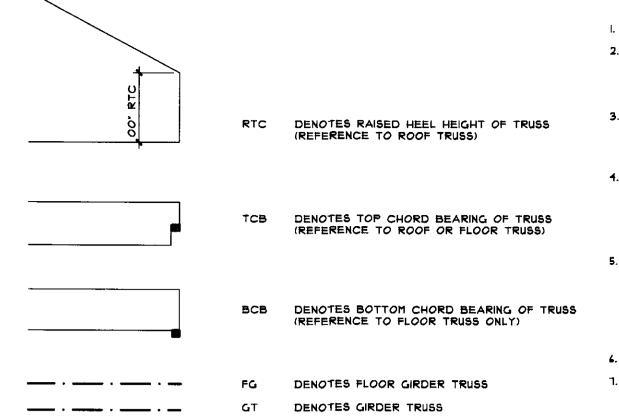


TRUSS DESIGNER/FABRICATOR SEE SHEET #2 FOR ADDITIONAL NOTES & INFORMATION

SEE SHEET #3 FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS REGARDING DRAWINGS & CONTRUCTION

BEFORE CONSTRUCTION OBTAIN WINDOW & DOOR ROUGH OPENING SIZES FROM WINDOW/DOOR SUPPLIER.

ALL INTERIOR PARTITION DIMENSIONS ARE 3 $1/2^{\circ}$ unless noted otherwise.



THE TRUSS DESIGNER IS TO PROVIDE A DESIGN FOR AN ENTIRE ROOF OR FLOOR SYSTEM, AND NOT FOR INDIVIDUAL COMPONENTS. THE TRUSS DESIGNER MUST ASCERTAIN THAT THE LOADS UTILIZED MEET OR EXCEED THE LOAD VALUES REQUIRED BY THE MICHIGAN BUILDING CODE OR THE MICHIGAN RESIDENTIAL CODE.

TRUSS MANUFACTURER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL TRUSS DESIGNS INCLUDING GIRDERS, HANGERS, BEARING SEATS, AND ANCHORS FOR TRUSSES.

BEARING LOCATIONS. TRUSS MANUFACTURER SHALL NOTIFY ARCHITECT IF ADDITIONAL BEARING POINTS AND/OR WALLS ARE NEEDED PRIOR TO FABRICATION AND ERECTION. ALL ROOF TRUSSING SHALL BE BRACED PER THE TRUSS DESIGNER/FABRICATOR'S

ALTERED IN ANY WAY WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE LICENSED TRUSS DESIGNER TRUSS DESIGN DRAWINGS, PREPARED IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION R-802.10.1, SHALL BE PROVIDED TO THE BUILDING OFFICIAL AND APPROVED PRIOR TO INSTALLATION. TRUSS DESIGN DRAWING SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH THE SHIPMENT OF TRUSSES DELIVERED TO

- I. SLOPE OR DEPTH, SPAN, AND SPACING.
- 2. LOCATION OF ALL JOINTS
- 3. REQUIRED BEARING WIDTHS.
- 4. DESIGN LOADS AS APPLICABLE.
- 4.1. TOP CHORD LIVE LOAD (INCLUDING NORMAL SNOW LOADS # DRIFTING LOADS)
- 4.2. TOP CHORD DEAD LOAD.
- 4.4. BOTTOM CHORD DEAD LOAD.
- 4.5. CONCENTRATED LOADS AND THEIR POINTS OF
- APPLICATION.
- 4.4. CONTROLLING WIND AND/OR EARTHQUAKE LOADS.
- 5. ADJUSTMENTS TO LUMBER AND JOINT CONNECTOR
- DESIGN VALUES FOR CONDITIONS OF USE. 4. EACH REACTION FORCE AND DIRECTION
- 1. JOINT CONNECTOR TYPE AND DESCRIPTION (E.G., SIZE, THICKNESS OR GAUGE), AND THE DIMENSIONED LOCATION OF EACH JOINT CONNECTOR EXCEPT WHERE SYMMETRICALLY LOCATED RELATIVE
- 8. LUMBER SIZE, SPECIES AND GRADE FOR EACH MEMBER.
- 9. CONNECTION REQUIREMENTS FOR
 - 9.1. TRUSS-TO-TRUSS GIRDER
 - 9.2. TRUSS PLY-TO-PLY.
 - 9.3. FIELD SPLICES.
- 10. CALCULATED DEFLECTION RATIO AND OR MAXIMUM DESCRIPTION FOR LIVE AND TOTAL LOAD.
- II. MAXIMUM AXIAL COMPRESSION FORCES IN THE TRUSS MEMBERS AND ANY REINFORCING REQUIRED FOR OVERSTRESSED MEMBERS. CONNECTIONS AND ANCHORAGE OF THE PERMANENT CONTINUOUS LATERAL BRACING. FORCES SHALL BE SHOWN ON THE TRUSS DRAWING OR ON SUPPLEMENTAL DOCUMENTS.
- 12. REQUIRED PERMANENT TRUSS MEMBER BRACING LOCATION.

TRUSS FABRICATOR/CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE ALL HANGERS W/ MODEL No. CLEARLY STAMPED & LAYOUT DRAWINGS CLEARLY INDICATING LOCATION OF VARIOUS HANGERS

TRUSS FABRICATOR/CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE TRUSS LAYOUT DRAWINGS SHOWING THE FOLLOWING (IN ADDITION TO ANY CODE REQUIREMENTS):

I. TRUSS TYPE INDICATORS CLEARLY MARKED.

SEE SHEET #1 FOR ADDITIONAL NOTES & DETAILS REGARDING DRAWINGS & CONSTRUCTION.

2. END LOAD REACTIONS FOR ALL GIRDER TRUSSES, INCLUDING ANY UPLIFT LOADS.

BUILDING DESIGNER'S ASSUMPTION:

- I. ROOF TRUSSES TO CLEARSPAN UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
- 2. FLOOR TRUSSES TO CLEARSPAN BETWEEN BEARING WALLS AS SHOWN. ONE PIECE MULTIPLE SPANS TRUSSES ARE ALLOWED WITH APPROVAL OF BUILDING DESIGNER. DETAILS INDICATING AIR SPACES FOR SOUND CONTROL SHALL NOT BE VIOLATED WITH TRUSS MEMBERS.
- 3. ROOF AND FLOOR TRUSSES IN FIRERATED SYSTEMS SHALL MEET OR BE LESS THAN THE MAXIMUM SPACING AND MEET OR EXCEED MINIMUM DEPTH REQUIREMENTS AS LISTED IN THE TEST REPORTS. TRUSS PLATES SHALL MEET CRITERIA LISTED IN TEST REPORTS.
- 4. WIND LOADS ARE BEING TRANSFERRED THROUGH EXTERIOR WALLS WITH TRUSS CONNECTION POINTS AND THROUGH INTERIOR SHEAR WALLS WHERE INDICATED ON PLANS. WHERE ROOF SHEATHING IS INDICATED TO TRANSFER TO INTERIOR SHEAR WALL TRUSS CHORDS SHALL BE SIZED FOR NAILING PATTERNS
- AS INDICATED TO DIAPHRAGM TRUSS AND TRANSFER LOADS. GABLE-END TRUSSES: ALL GABLE TRUSSES TO BE SHEATHED WITH T/16" OSB MATERIAL. VERTICAL REINFORCING OF WEB MEMBERS TO BE DESIGNED BY TRUSS DESIGNER TO PREVENT WITHDRAWAL LOADS OCCURRING IN TRUSS PLATES. LATERAL BRACING OF TOP AND BOTTOM TRUSS CHORDS TO BE TRANSFERRED THROUGH ROOF AND CEILING SHEATHINGS.
- DIAGONAL BRACING IS DESIGNED BY TRUSS DESIGNER AND SHALL REMAIN INPLACE TO PREVENT RACKING OF TRUSS UNDER LATERAL LOADING.
- 4. SEE SHEET N-I FOR REQUIRED LIVE AND DEAD LOADS.
- 1. BUILDING DESIGNER IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR TRUSS CHORD MEMBERS SUBJECT TO DESIGN DEFICIENCIES. REINFORCING IF REQUIRED IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF TRUSS DESIGNER.
- 8. ANY DIFFERENCES BETWEEN CODE REQUIREMENTS AND TRUSS INDUSTRIES STANDARDS THE MORE STRINGENT SHALL APPLY.
- IT IS IMPORTANT FOR THE TRUSS DESIGNER/FABRICATOR TO TAKE GREAT CARE IN THE BANDING, SHIPPING, AND DELIVERY PROCESS TO INSURE THE TRUSSES ARE NOT DAMAGED.
 SEE HIB-91, PROVIDED BY TRUSS DESIGNER/FABRICATOR, FOR PROPER STORAGE METHODS FOR TRUSSES PRIOR TO DELIVERY AND ERECTION.

ROOF TRUSSES:

- TRUSS SPACING SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE TRUSS DESIGNER AND NOT EXCEED 24" O.C. AS REQUIRED FOR ROOF SHEATHING.
- PIGGY-BACK TRUSSES SHALL BEAR ON PERPENDICULAR BRACING INSTALLED ON TOP CHORD OF LOWER MAIN TRUSS. MAIN TRUSS SHALL BE DESIGNED AS REQUIRED. WHERE TRUSS WEBS EXCEED ALLOWABLE AXIAL LOADS TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL SPECIFY REQUIRED STIFFENERS OR BRACING.
- THE 1/2" STRUCTURAL ROOF SHEATHING SHALL BE INSTALLED AND IS INTENDED TO BECOME THE PERMANENT BRACING FOR THE TRUSS TOP CHORD THE 5/8" MIN. GYPSUM BOARD SHALL BE INSTALLED AND IS INTENDED TO BECOME THE PERMANENT BRACING FOR THE TRUSS BOTTOM CHORD
- TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL DESIGN ALL TRUSSES FOR LOADS AND SPANS AS REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH THE INTENT OF THE DRAWINGS. IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE TRUSS DESIGNER TO SIZE WEB MEMBERS TO BE STRUCTURALLY ADEQUATE FOR LOADS IMPOSED. OVER STRESSED MEMBERS SHALL HAVE NECESSARY REINFORCEMENT DESIGNED BY THE TRUSS DESIGNER.
- . GABLE END TRUSSES SHALL BE DESIGNED TO RECEIVE WALL SHEATHING. BRACING FOR LATERAL LOADS SHALL DESIGNED BY TRUSS DESIGNER TO ELIMINATE OUT-OF-PLANE LOADS ON TRUSS PLATES.
- 6. GABLE END TRUSSES SHALL BE DESIGNED TO MATCH THE CEILING PROFILE OF ROOM ADJACENT TO END WALL.
- TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL PROVIDE DESIGNS FOR PERMANENT LATERAL BRACING TO FUNCTION WITH THE PROPOSED TRUSS SYSTEM. TRUSS CHORDS RECEIVING LOADS FROM BRACING SHALL BE SIZED ACCORDINGLY.
- 8. TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL PROVIDE DESIGNS FOR LATERAL BRACING TO RUN CONTINUOUS ALONG TRUSS CHORDS WHERE PRACTICAL TO MAINTAIN LONGEST POSSIBLE BRACING LINE THROUGH TRUSS SYSTEM. WHERE BRACING LINE CANNOT BE MAINTAINED TRUSS DESIGNER IS TO PROVIDE DETAILS FOR TRANSFER OF LOADS IN BRACE LINE OR TERMINATION USING DIAGONAL BRACES.
- 9. TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL DESIGN DIAGONAL BRACING AT TERMINATION POINTS OF PERMANENT LATERAL BRACING.
 TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT DIAGONAL BRACING SHALL BE INDICATED ON THE ROOF FRAMING LAYOUT PLANS, INCLUDING MEMBER SIZES.
- IO. TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL PROVIDE WOOD GRADE QUALITY OF ALL BRACING MEMBERS TO ELIMINATE SPLITTING AND CRACKING DURING INSTALLATION BY CARPENTER.
- II. THE TRUSS DESIGNER UNDERSTANDS THAT THE BUILDING DESIGNER HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF THE CRITERIA AND ASSUMPTIONS MADE IN THE DESIGN OF THE TRUSSES FOR THIS BUILDING. THEREFORE, TRUSS CHORD MEMBERS AND PLATES SIZING TO ACCOMMODATE THE STATED REQUIRED BRACING REMAINS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE TRUSS DESIGNER.

FLOOR TRUSSES:

- THE TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL PROVIDE SIZE AND LOCATION OF STIFF BACK SRACING IN FLOOR TRUSSES TO COMPLY WITH DEFLECTION CRITERIA INDICATED ON DRAWINGS. SEE SHEET N-I FOR LOADS AND DEFLECTION CRITERIA.
- 2. THE 23/32" STRUCTURAL FLOOR SHEATHING SHALL BE INSTALLED AND IS INTENDED TO BECOME THE PERMANENT BRACING FOR THE TRUSS TOP CHORD. THE 1/2" MIN. GYPSUM BOARD SHALL BE INSTALLED AND IS INTENDED TO BECOME THE PERMANENT BRACING FOR THE TRUSS BOTTOM CHORD.
- 3. ALL TEMPORARY BRACING REQUIRED BY THE TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL REMAIN AS PART OF THE PERMANENT BRACING SYSTEM.
- 4. POINT LOADS FROM ABOVE REQUIRING SOLID BLOCKING SHALL BE DESIGNED WITH VERTICAL BLOCKS FABRICATED INPLACE TO ALLOW LOAD TO CONTINUE THROUGH
- 5. BOND FLOOR TRUSSES SHALL BE DESIGNED TO TRANSFER LATERAL WALL LOADS TO BEARING BELOW.
- 4. TRUSS SPACING SHALL BE DETERMINED BY TRUSS DESIGNER FOR LOAD AND DEFLECTION CRITERIA INDICATED ON DRAWINGS.
- FLOOR TRUSSES IN AREAS RECEIVING CERAMIC TILE OR OTHER SIMILAR MATERIAL SHALL SPACED A MAXIMUM OF 16" O.C. OR HAVE LADDER BLOCKING INSTALLED AT 16" O.C. BETWEEN TRUSSES (TRUSS DESIGNERS OPTION). SEE CONSTRUCTION DRAWINGS FOR ALL SUCH LOCATIONS.
 MAXIMUM DEFLECTION CRITERIA FOR SUCH MATERIALS SHALL BE AS SPECIFIED BY THE PRODUCT MANUFACTURER OR INDUSTRY STANDARDS.
- 8. THE TRUSS DESIGNER UNDERSTANDS THAT THE BUILDING DESIGNER HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF THE CRITERIA AND ASSUMPTIONS MADE IN THE DESIGN OF THE TRUSSES FOR THIS BUILDING. THEREFORE, TRUSS CHORD MEMBERS AND PLATES SIZING TO ACCOMMODATE THE STATED REQUIRED BRACING REMAINS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE TRUSS DESIGNER.

NOTES TO TRUSS DESIGNER, TRUSS FABRICATOR, AND CARPENTER/TRUSS INSTALLER:

LATERAL BRACING SHALL BE AS SHOWN IN DIAGRAMS OF "HIB-91" PUBLICATION PROVIDED BY TRUSS FABRICATOR:

- A. SEE TABLE, HIB-9I SUMMARY SHEET FRAME 3, "PITCHED TRUSS TOP CHORD TEMPORARY BRACING" FOR MAXIMUM SPACING. SEE TABLE, HIB-91 SUMMARY SHEET FRAME 4, "BOTTOM CHORD TEMPORARY BRACING" FOR MAXIMUM SPACING.
- B. BRACING MEMBER SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 10'-0" LONG W/ A LAP OF ONE TRUSS BAY EACH END.
- C. TEMPORARY BRACING SIZES FOR ROOF TRUSSES SHALL BE SPECIFIED BY TRUSS DESIGNER FOR INSTALLATION TO INTERIOR CHORD FACE OF TRUSSES.
- D. SEE TABLE, HIB-9I SUMMARY SHEET FRAME 3, "PITCHED TRUSS TOP CHORD TEMPORARY BRACING" FOR MAXIMUM SPACING OF DIAGONAL BRACING.
- E. SEE TABLE, HIB-91 SUMMARY SHEET FRAME 4, "BOTTOM TRUSS CHORD TEMPORARY BRACING" FOR MAXIMUM SPACING OF DIAGONAL BRACING
- F. SEE TABLE, HIB-91 SUMMARY SHEET FRAME 4 FOR DIAGONAL BRACING AT LATERAL BRACE LINES AND MAXIMUM SPACING.
- 2. TRUSS DESIGNER SHALL PROVIDE COPIES OF ALL FIELD CORRECTIONS AND/OR REPAIR DIAGRAMS AND WRITTEN DIRECTIONS MADE DURING FIELD CONSTRUCTION.

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DRAFTSTOPPING SHALL BE PROVIDED IN CONCEALED SPACES OF OPEN WEB TRUSS FLOOR/ CEILING ASSEMBLIES WHICH HAVE USABLE SPACE ABOVE AND BELOW. THE CONCEALED SPACE MAY NOT EXEED 1,000 SQUARE FEET.

FIRERATED TRUSS SYSTEMS

TRUSS DESIGNER IS TO REVIEW ALL FIRERATED ASSEMBLIES INDICATED ON THE DRAWINGS. THE TRUSS DESIGN DRAWINGS SHALL PROVIDE CHORD MEMBERS AND INDICATE WHERE ANY BRIDGING, BLOCKING OR STIFFENERS ARE TO BE INSTALLED AS REQUIRED BY THE TESTED ASSEMBLY. ALL METAL TRUSS PLATES USED IN THE FABRICATION OF THE TRUSSES SHALL BE AS SPECIFIED IN THE TESTED ASSEMBLY, ANY LOAD REDUCTION IN CAPACITY OF PLATES SHALL BE COMPLIED WITH.

WHERE PROPRIETARY PLATES, MATERIALS OR PROCESSES ARE LISTED AS A PART OF THE FIRERATED DESIGN THE TRUSS FABRICATOR SHALL OBTAIN MATERIALS OR CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE SYSTEM FROM THE PROPRIETARY HOLDER.

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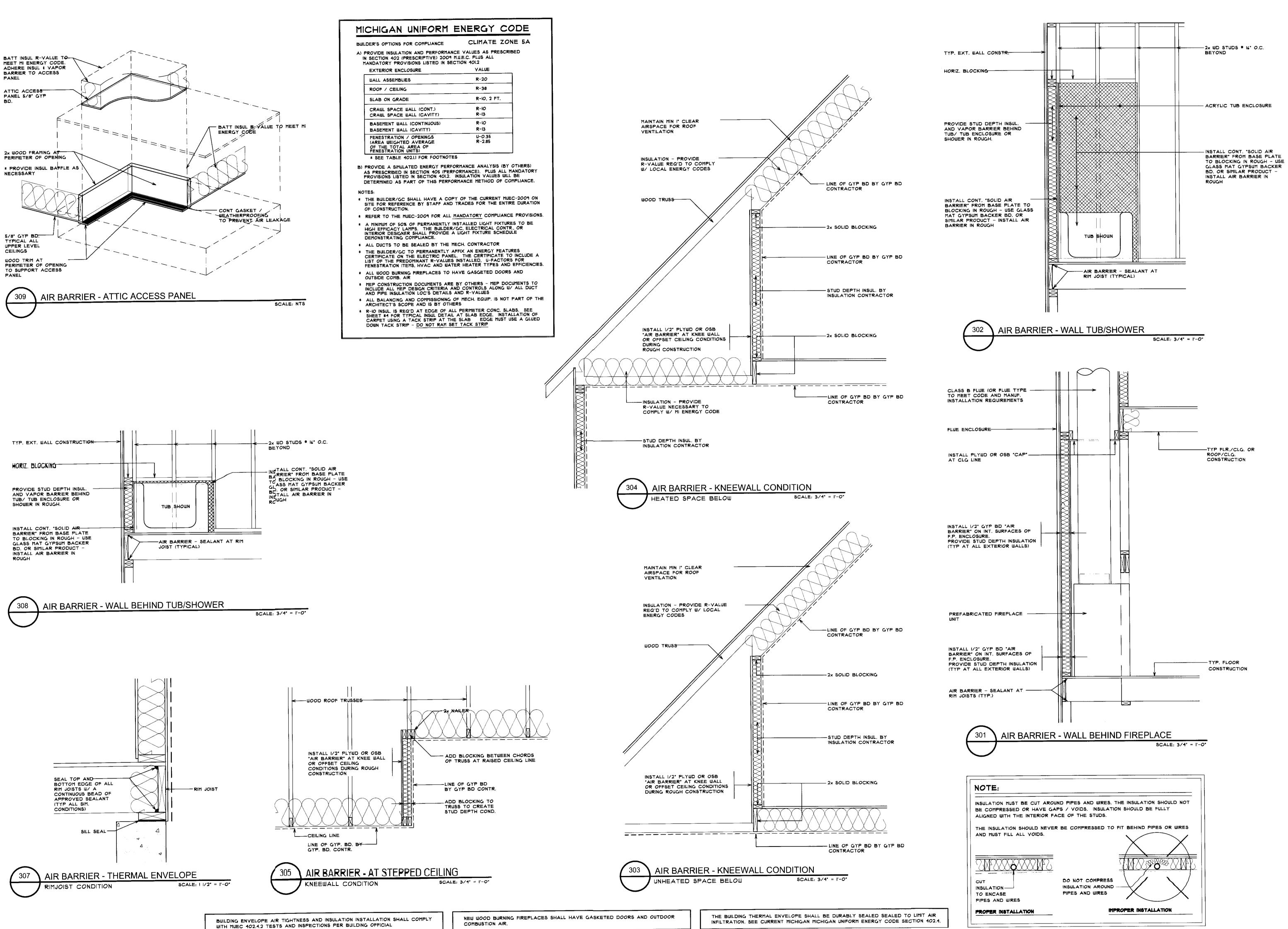
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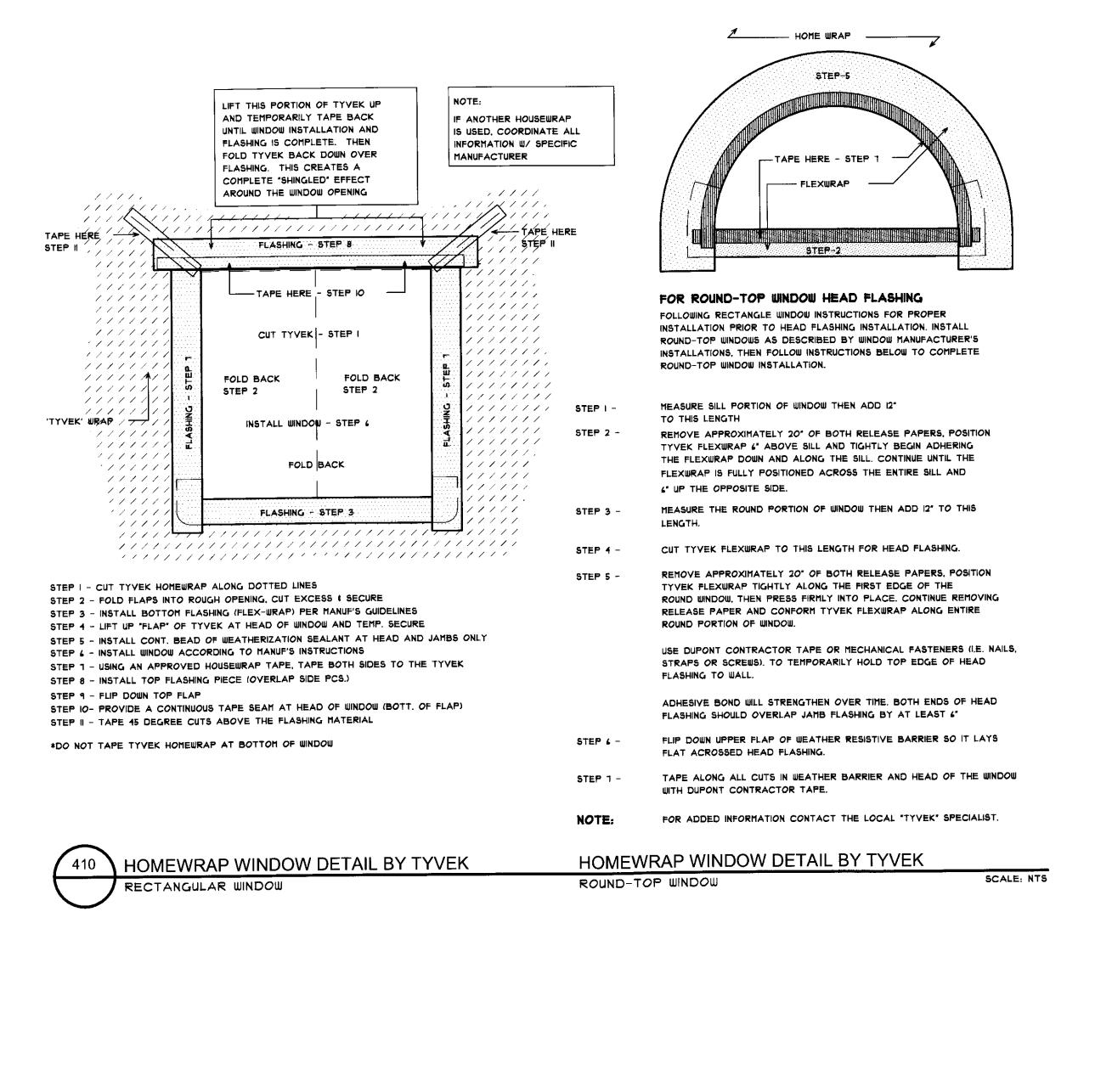
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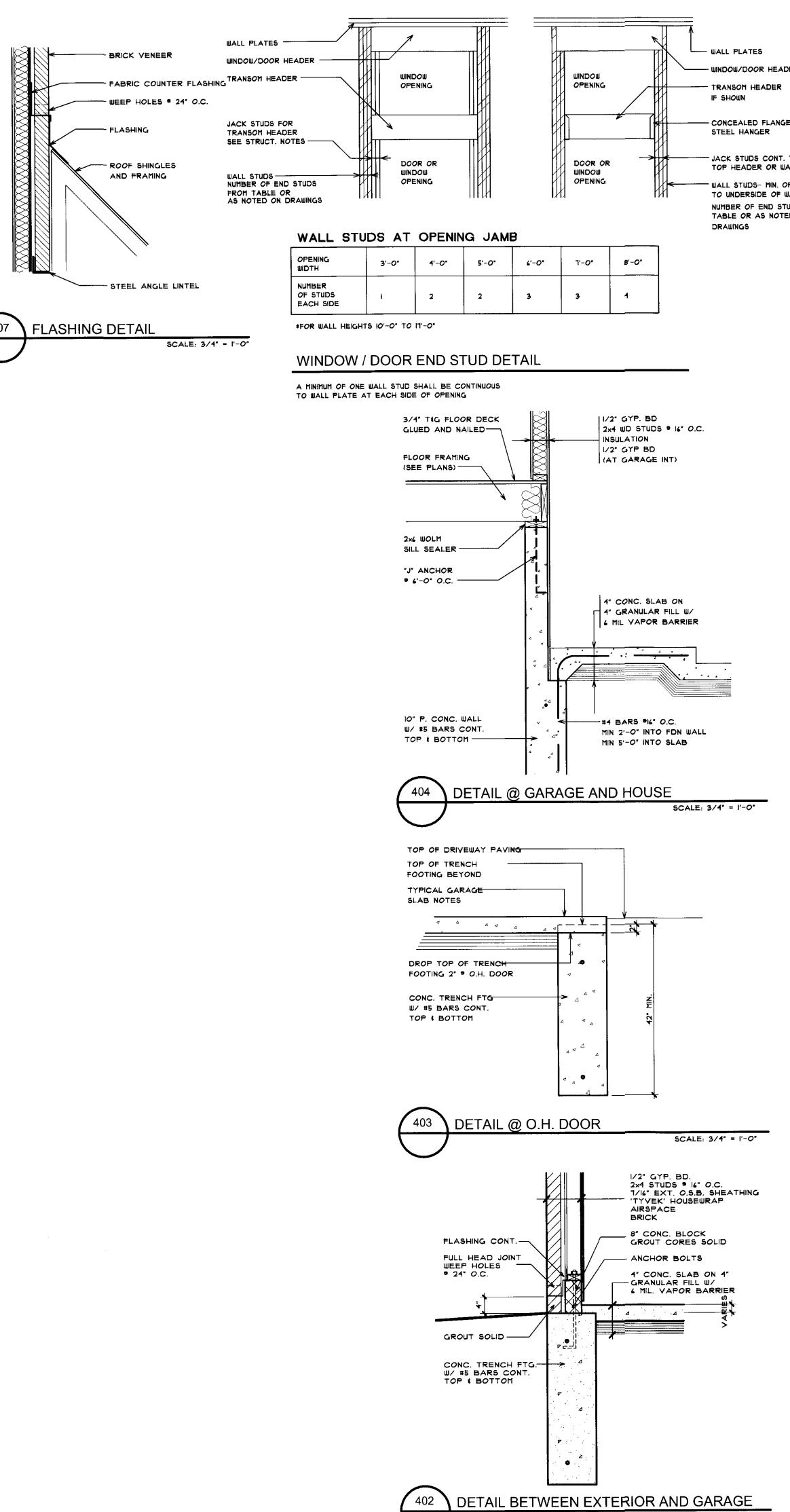
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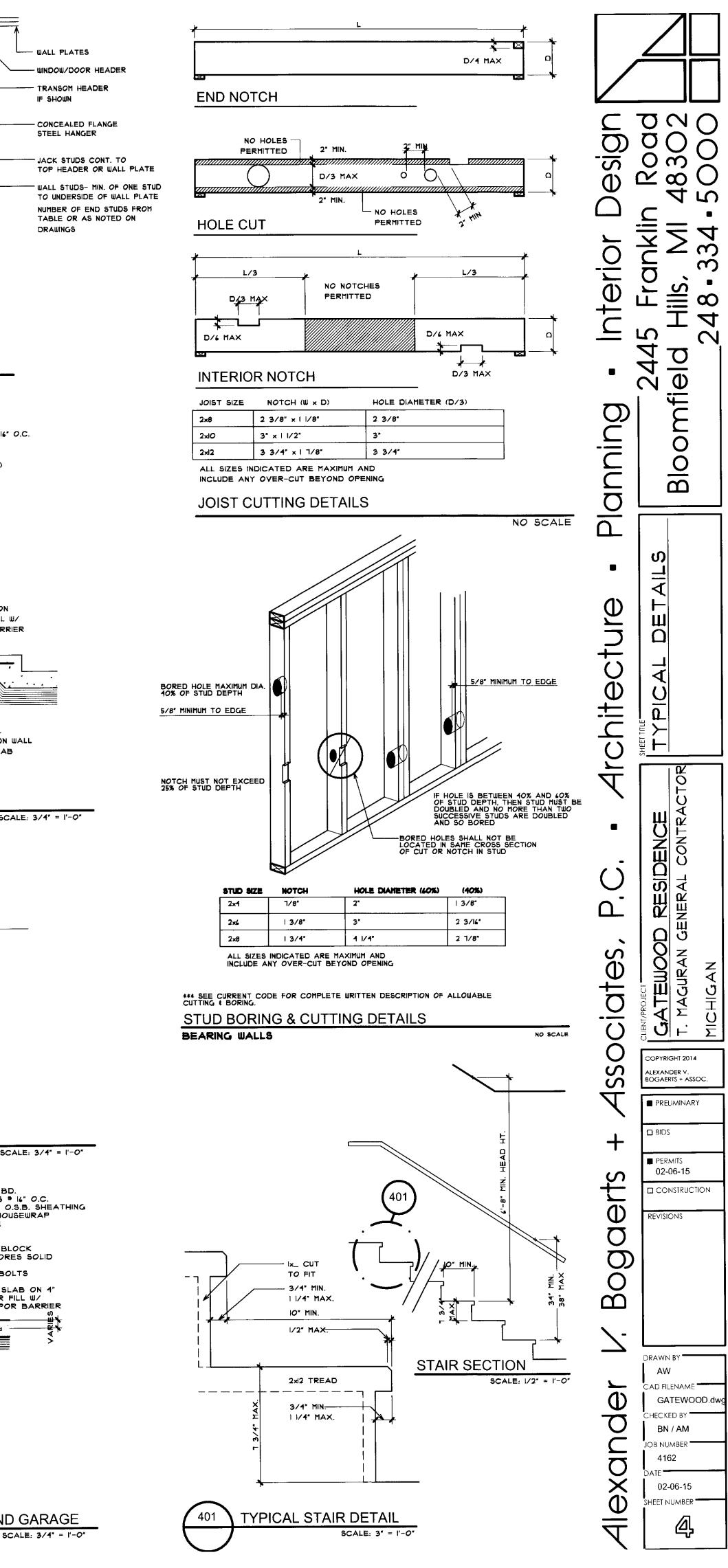
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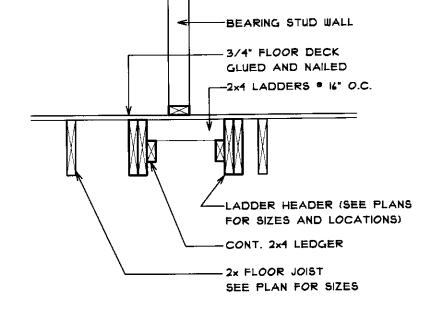


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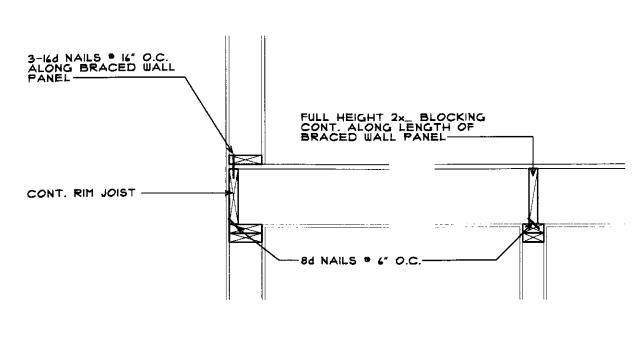






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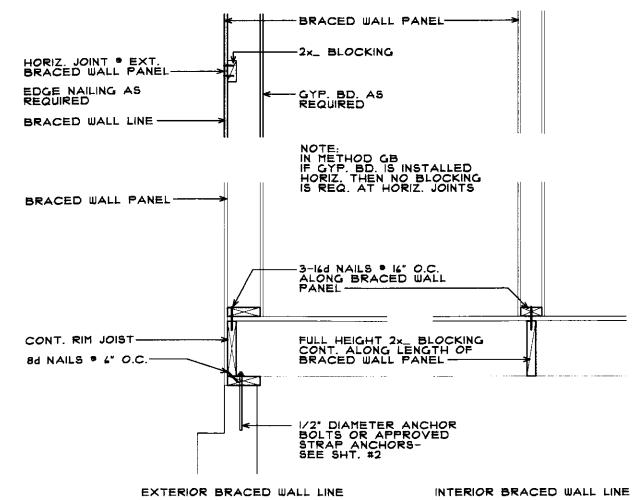
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ADDITIONAL SECTIONS AND DETAILS HAVE BEEN PROVIDED IN THIS SET. ANY CONFLICTS BETWEEN THE INFORMATION PROVIDED AND THE CURRENT CODE, THE MOST STRINGENT SHALL APPLY.

SEE SHEET #1 AND ALL FLOOR PLANS SHEETS FOR ADDITIONAL NOTES, DIMENTIONS AND STRUCTURAL INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS.

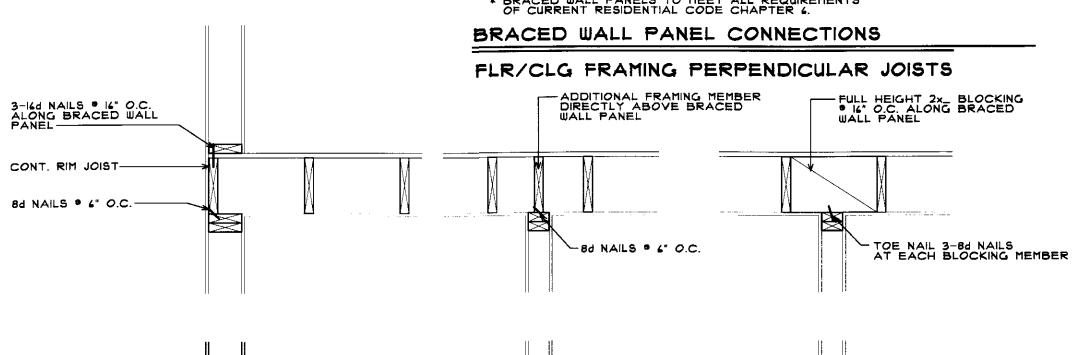
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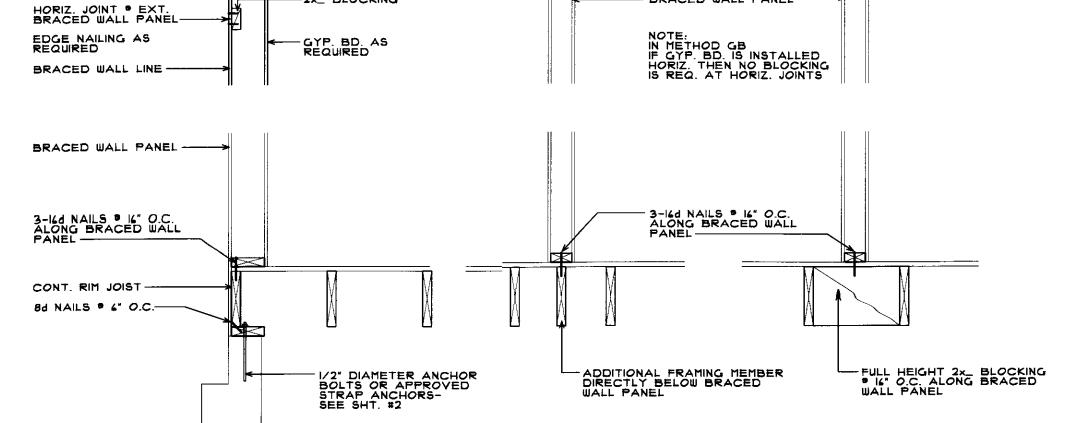
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- BRACED WALL PANEL----





EXTERIOR BRACED WALL LINE

INTERIOR BRACED WALL LINE

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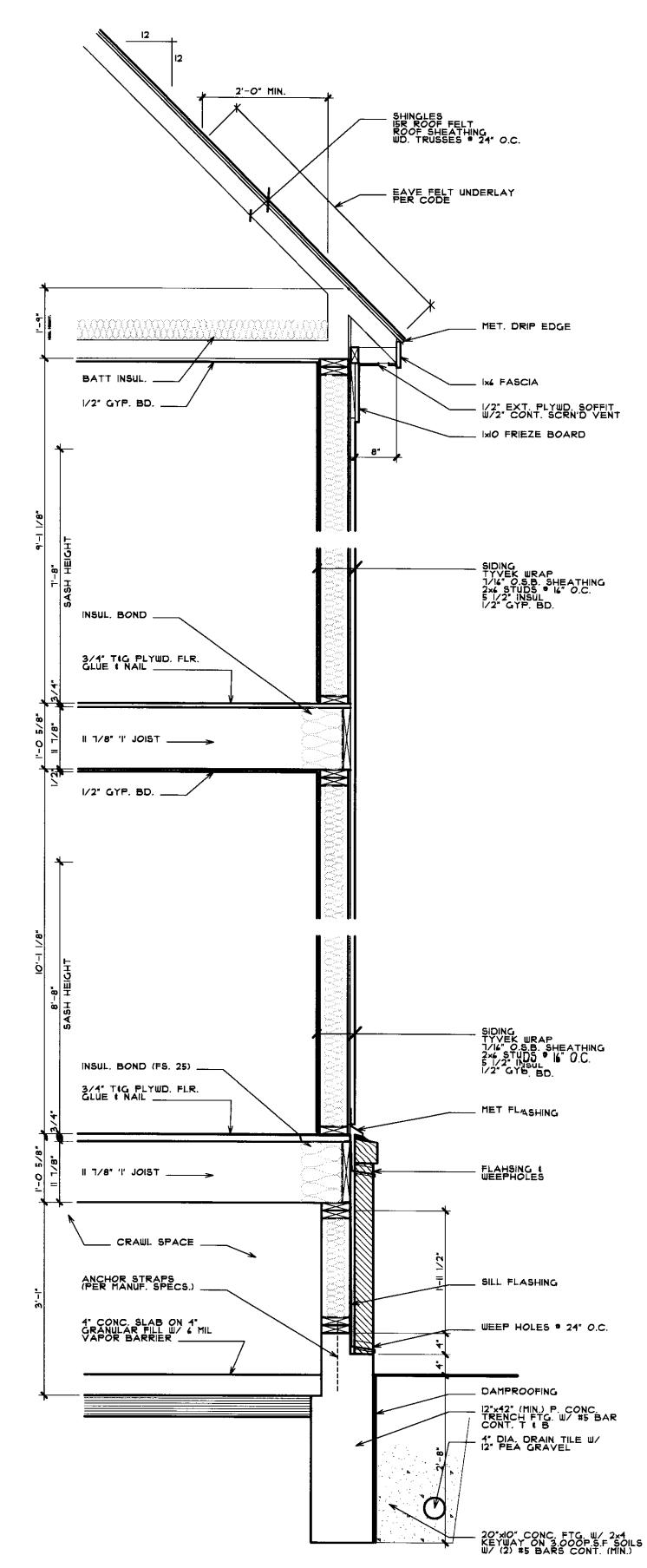
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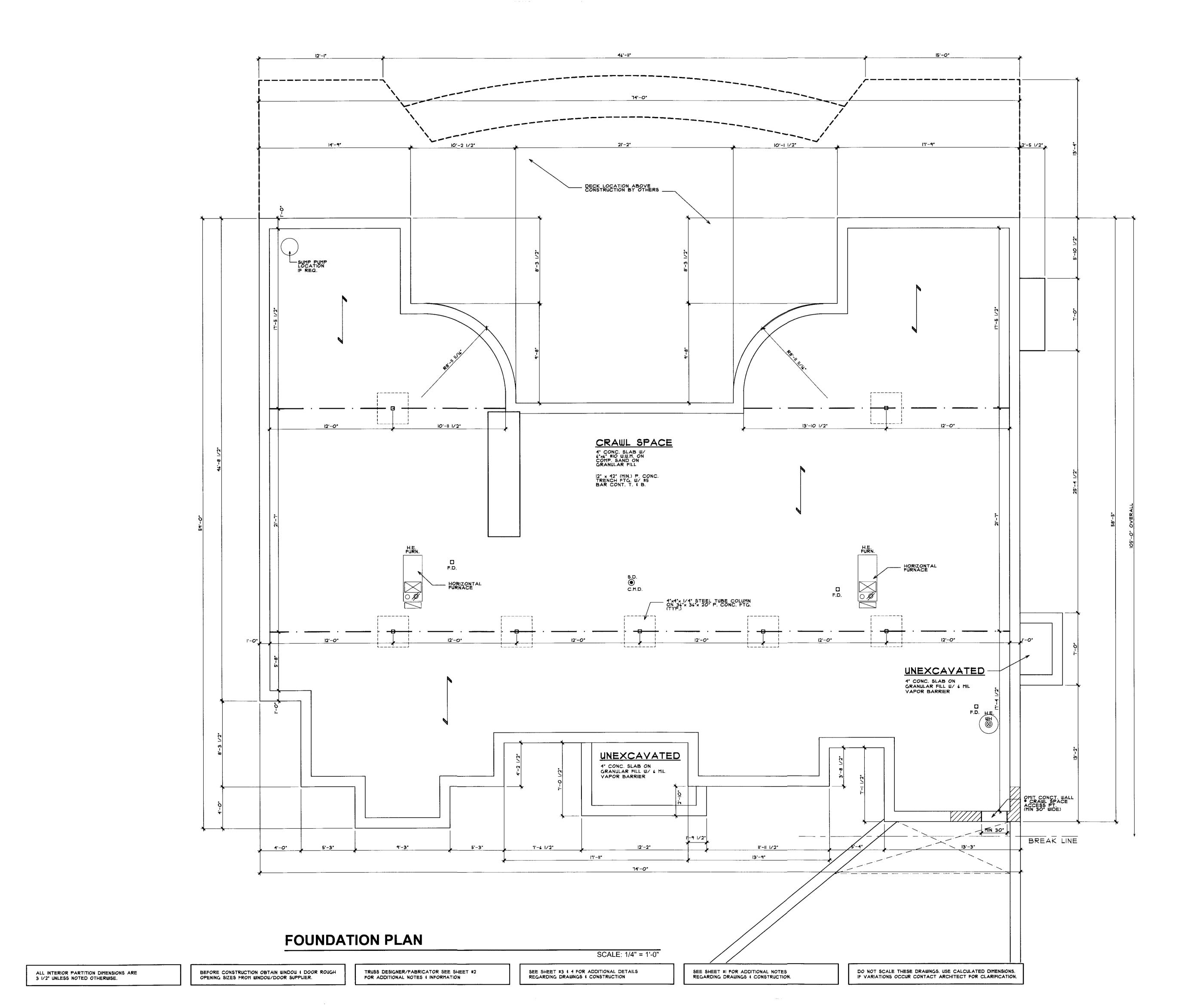
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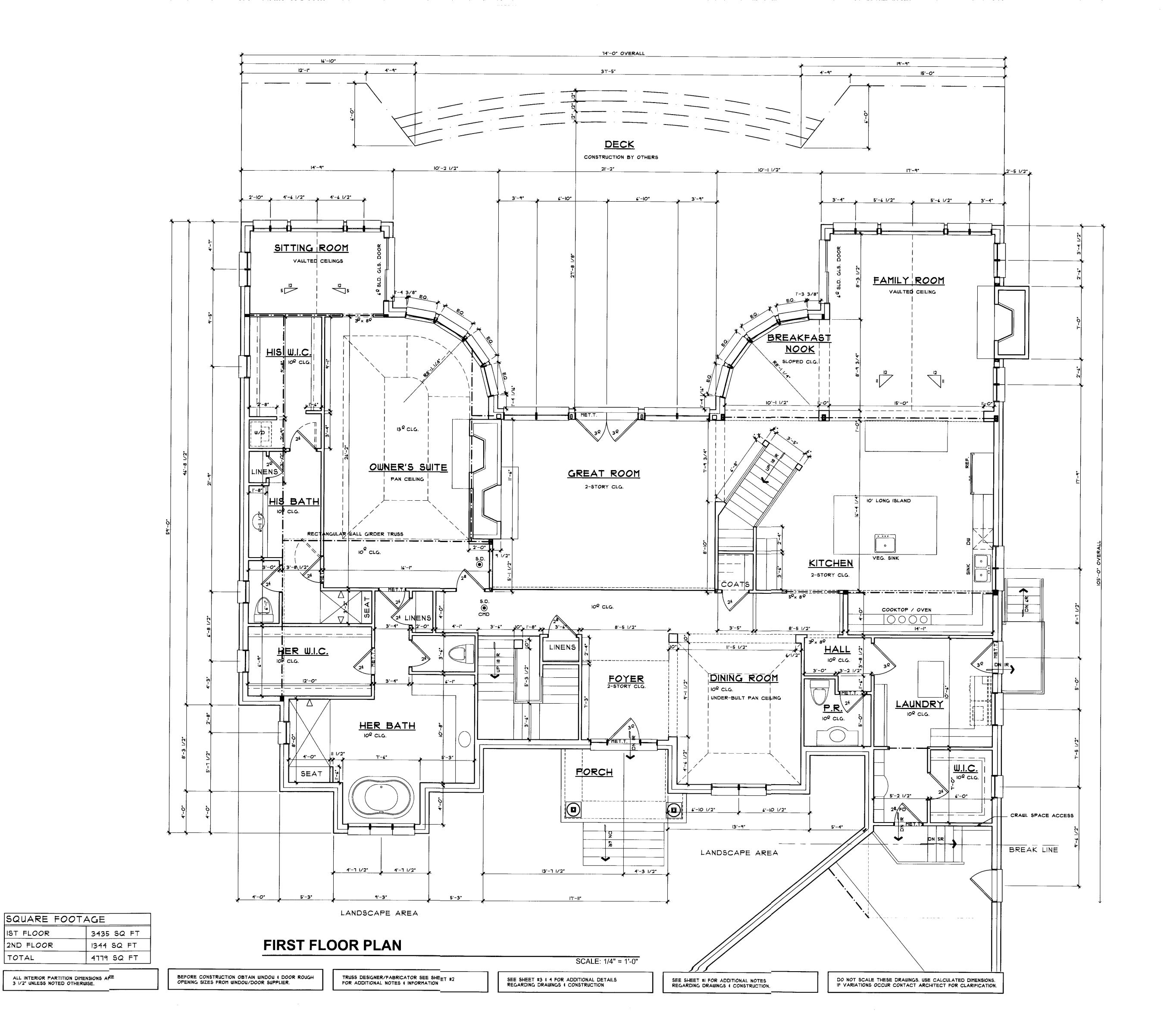
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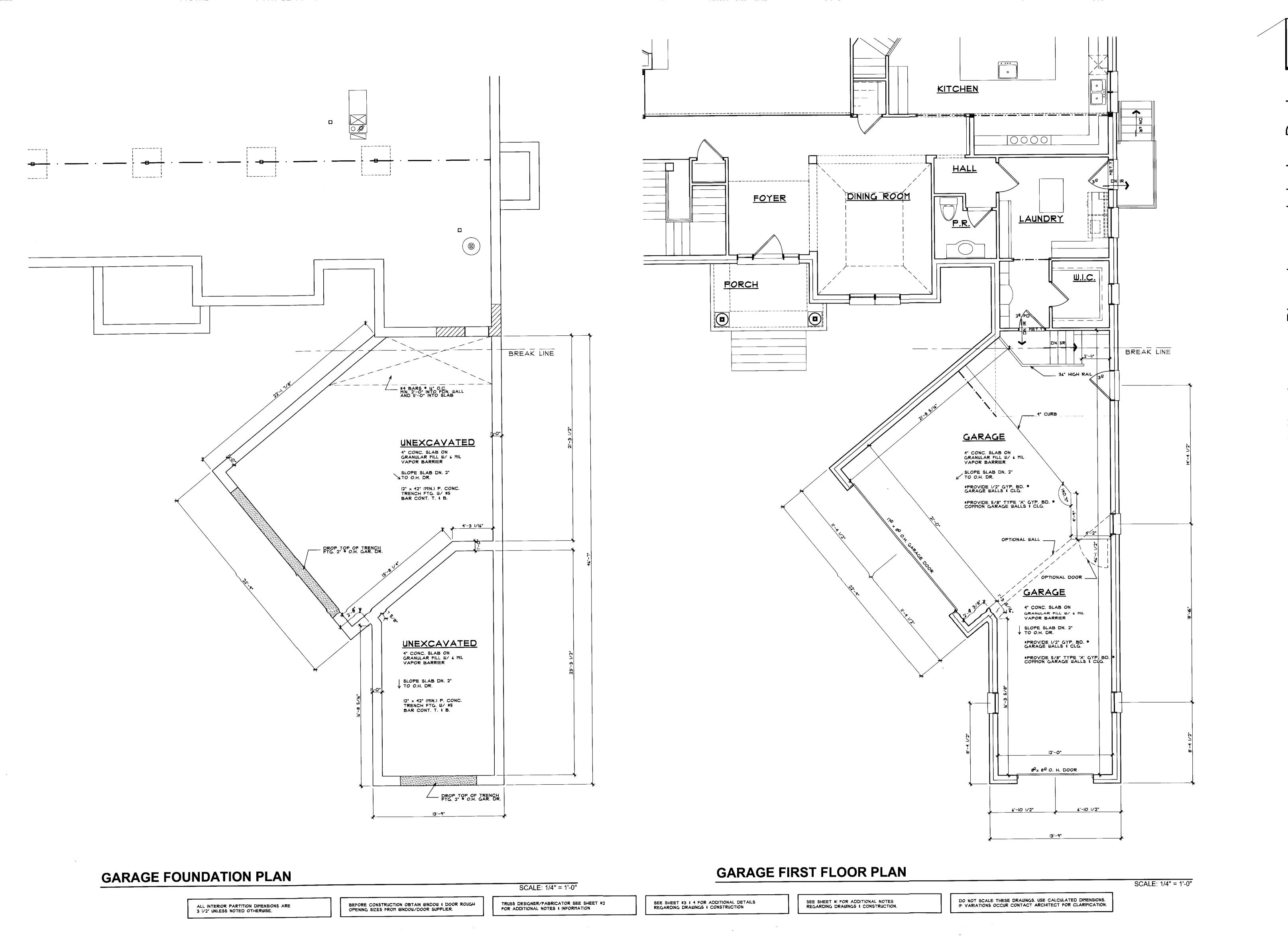
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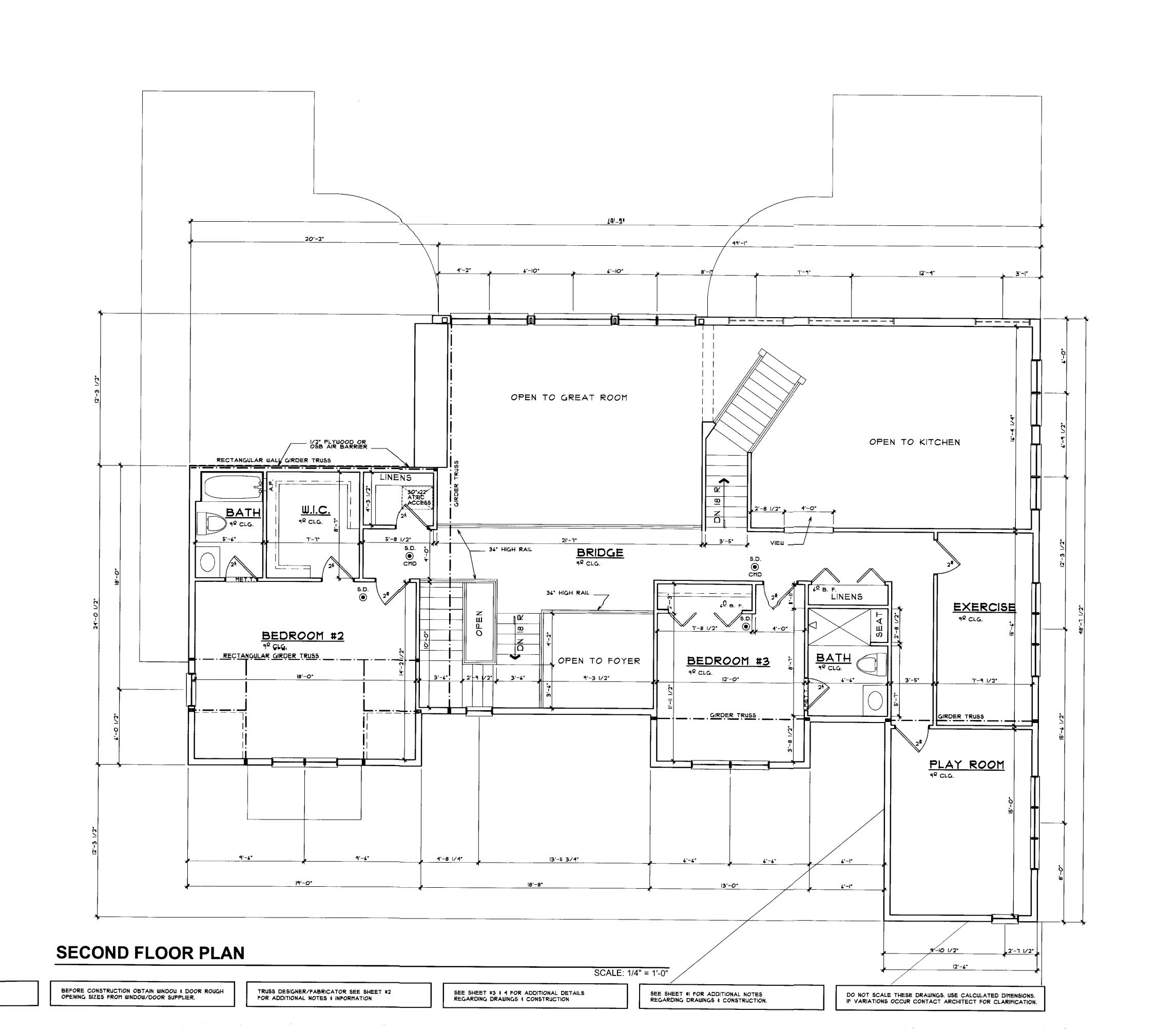
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WINDOW SILLS IN DWELLING UNITS, WHERE THE OPENING OF AN OPERABLE WINDOW IS LOCATED MORE THAN 12" ABOVE FINISHED GRADE OR SURFACE BELOW, THE LOWEST PART OF THE CLEAR OPENING OF THE WINDOW SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 24 INCHES ABOVE THE FINISHED FLOOR OF THE ROOM IN WHICH THE WINDOW IS LOCATED. GLAZING BETWEEN THE FLOOR AND 24" SHALL BE FIXED OR HAVE OPENINGS THROUGH WHICH A 4 INCH DIAMETER SPHERE CANNOT PASS. EXCEPTIONS:

I. WINDOWS WHOSE OPENINGS WILL NOT ALLOW A 4" DIA. SPHERE TO PASS THROUGH THE OPENING WHERE THE OPENING IS IN ITS LARGEST OPENED POSITION. 2. OPENINGS THAT ARE PROVIDED WITH WINDOW GUARDS THAT COMPLY WITH ASTM F 2004 OR F 2090.

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OVERHANGS & DRAINAGE

STEEL LINTEL SCHEDULE

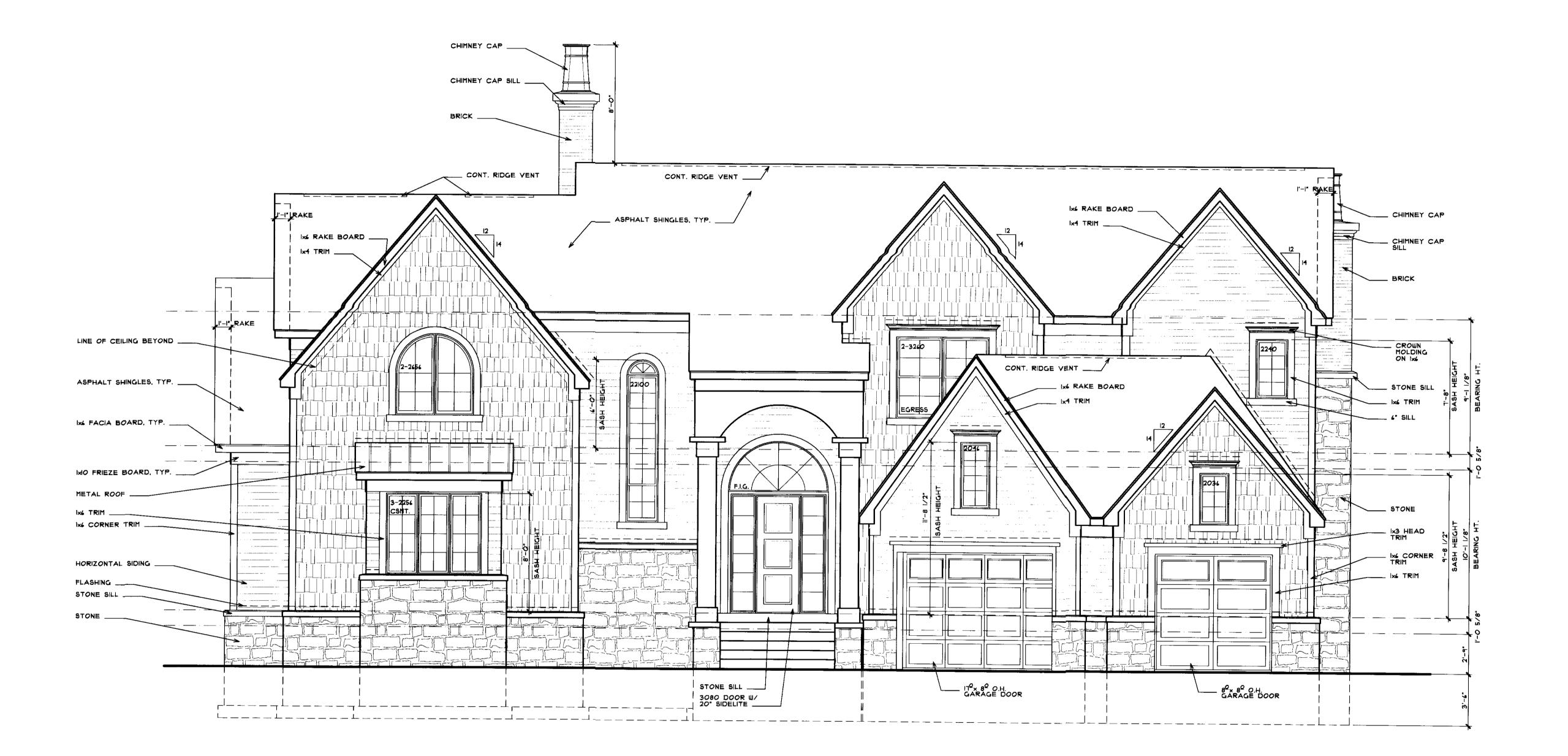
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TYP. WINDOW DESIGNATION

EGRESS WINDOW

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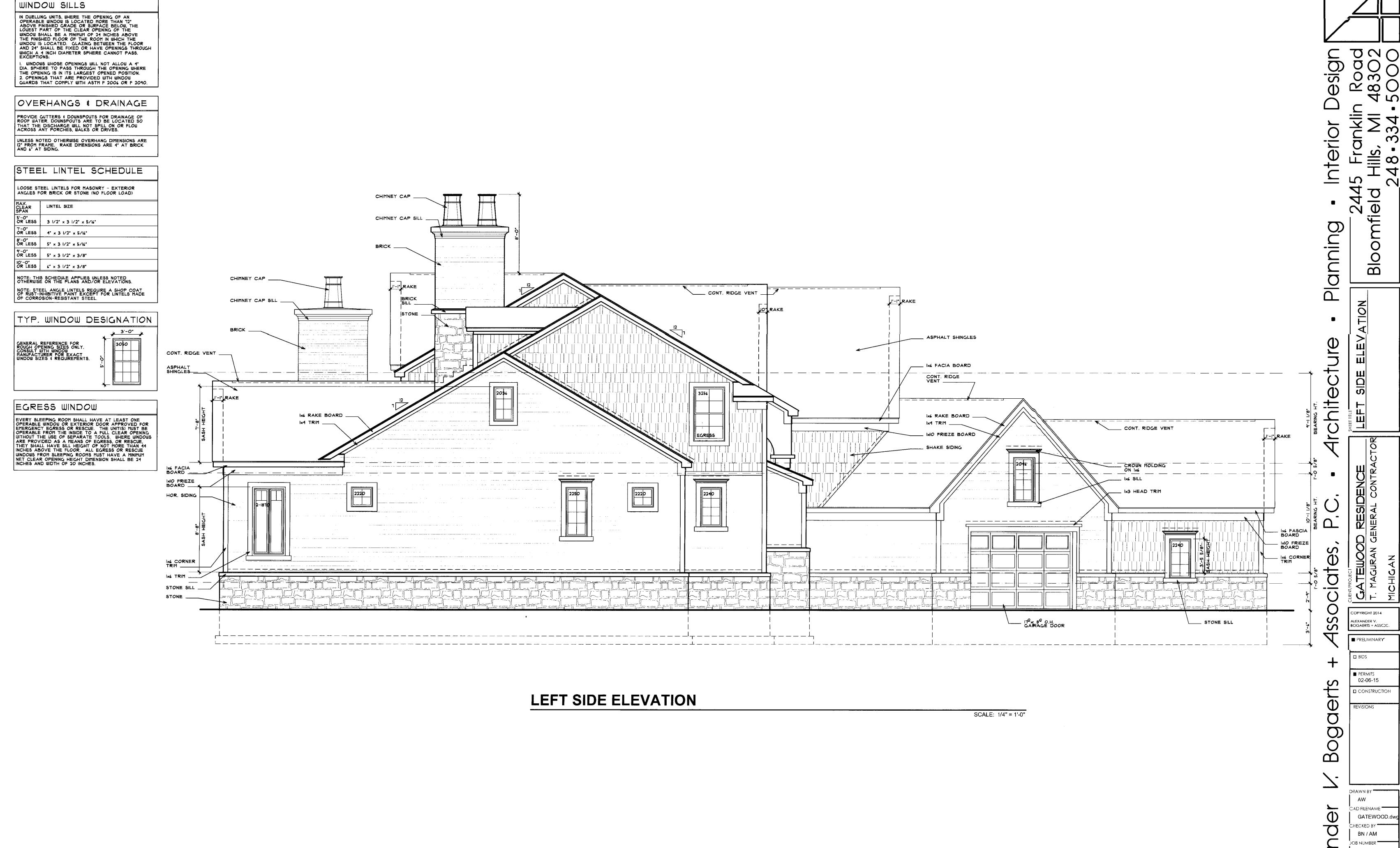
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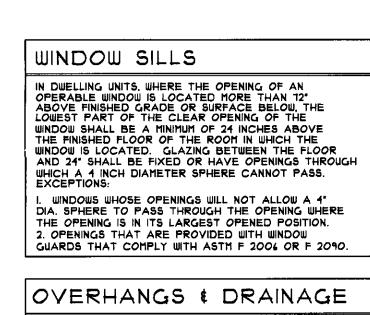


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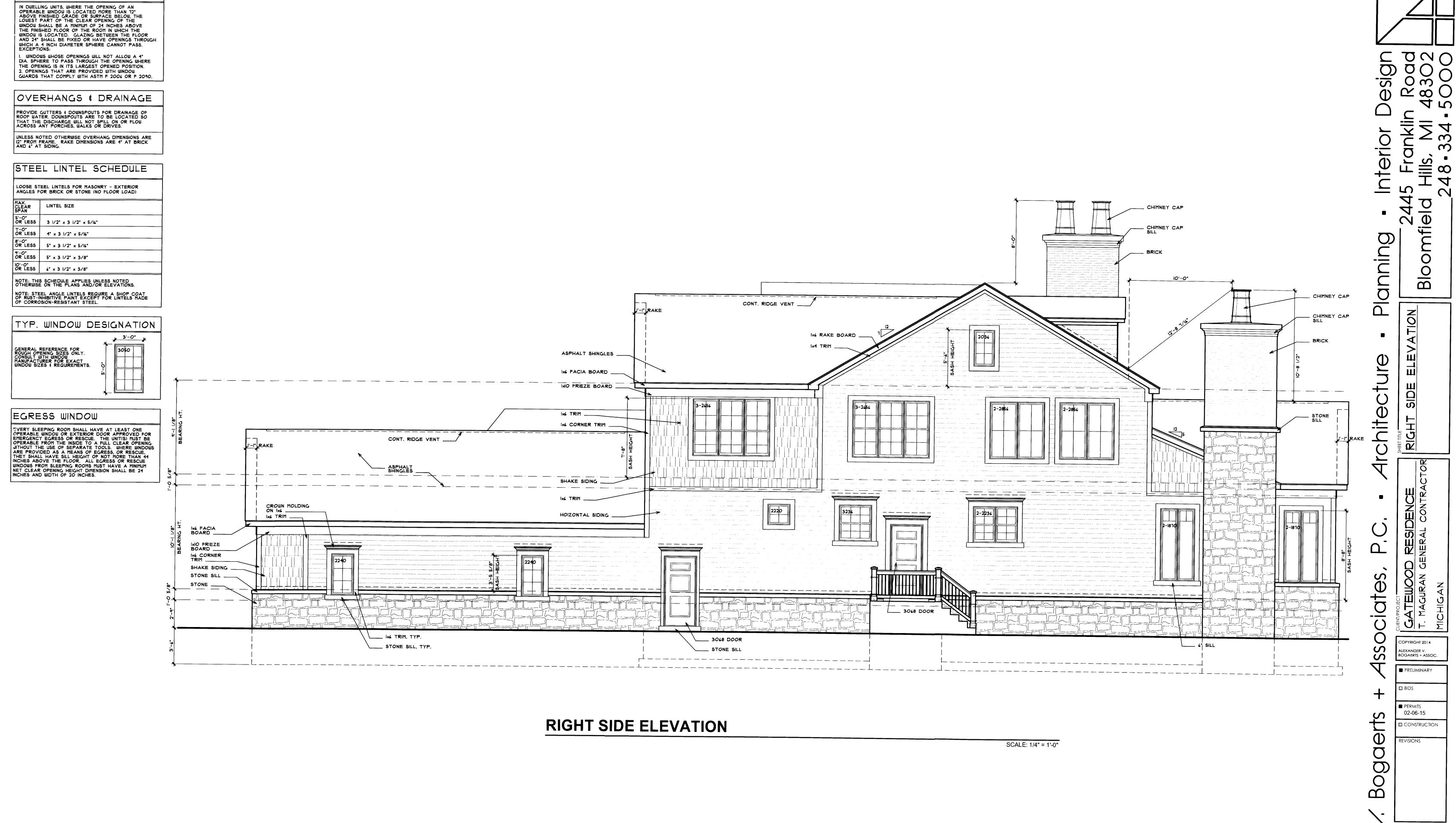
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Owner's Name: GATEWOOD JACK & CAROL

Property Address: 1022 S HUGHES RD

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4711 GENOA CHARTER TOWNSHIP
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School: 47070 HOWELL

Neighborhood: 4309 4309 LK CHEMUNG LAKEFRONT

Most Recent Sale Information

Sold on 05/16/2005 for 420,000 by LYNCH, RUTH A..

Terms of Sale: ARMS-LENGTH Liber/Page: 4834/0020

Most Recent Permit Information

Permit 10-107 on 08/27/2010 for \$0 category ADDITION.

Physical Property Characteristics

2015 S.E.V.: Tentative **2015 Taxable:** Tentative **Lot Dimensions:**

2014 S.E.V.: 157,800 2014 Taxable: 146,812 Acreage: 0.33 Zoning: LRR **Land Value:** 147,000 Frontage: 90.0 PRE: 100.000 Land Impr. Value: 1,575 157.2 **Average Depth:**

Improvement Data

of Residential Buildings: 1

Year Built: 1950

Occupancy: Single Family

Class: CD Style: CD

Exterior: Wood Siding % Good (Physical): 52

Heating System: Forced Air w/ Ducts

Electric - Amps Service: 0 # of Bedrooms: 3

Full Baths: 2 Half Baths: 0

Floor Area: 2,754
Ground Area: 2,032
Garage Area: 720
Basement Area: 0
Basement Walls:
Estimated TCV: 191,061

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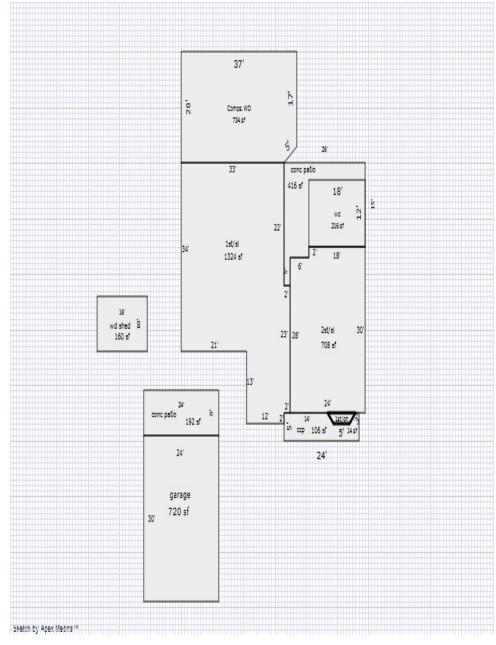


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Building Type	(3) Roof (cont.)	(11) Heating/Cooling	(15) Built-ins	(15) Fireplaces	(16) Porches/Decks	(17) Garag	re
X Single Family Mobile Home Town Home Duplex A-Frame X Wood Frame	Eavestrough Insulation 0 Front Overhang 0 Other Overhang (4) Interior Drywall Plaster Paneled Wood T&G	X Gas Wood Coal Elec. Steam Forced Air w/o Ducts Forced Hot Water Electric Baseboard Elec. Ceil. Radiant Radiant (in-floor)	Appliance Allow. Cook Top Dishwasher Garbage Disposal Bath Heater Vent Fan Hot Tub Unvented Hood	Interior 1 Story 1 Interior 2 Story 2nd/Same Stack Two Sided Exterior 1 Story Exterior 2 Story 1 Prefab 1 Story Prefab 2 Story	Area Type 106 CCP (1 Story) 216 Treated Wood 734 Composite	Year Built: Car Capacit Class: CD Exterior: S Brick Ven.: Stone Ven.: Common Wall Foundation:	diding 0 0 0 .: Detache 42 Inch
Building Style: CD Yr Built Remodeled 1950 1981 Condition for Age: Good	Trim & Decoration Ex X Ord Min Size of Closets Lg X Ord Small Doors: Solid X H.C.	Electric Wall Heat Space Heater Wall/Floor Furnace Forced Heat & Cool Heat Pump No Heating/Cooling	Vented Hood Intercom Jacuzzi Tub Jacuzzi repl.Tub Oven Microwave Standard Range	Heat Circulator Raised Hearth Wood Stove Direct-Vented Gas Class: CD Effec. Age: 48 Floor Area: 2754	CntyMult	Finished ?: Auto. Doors Mech. Doors Area: 720 % Good: 0 Storage Are	s: 0 s: 0
Room List Basement 1st Floor	(5) Floors Kitchen: Other:	Central Air Wood Furnace (12) Electric	Self Clean Range Sauna Trash Compactor Central Vacuum	Total Base Cost: 144 Total Base New: 212 Total Depr Cost: 110	,877 E.C.F. ,696 X 1.726	Bsmnt Garag	
2nd Floor 3 Bedrooms	Other:	0 Amps Service No./Qual. of Fixtures	Security System	Estimated T.C.V: 191		Roof:	
(1) Exterior	(6) Ceilings	Ex. X Ord. Min	Stories Exterior 1 Story Siding	Foundation Rate Slab 52.8	<u> </u>	j Size 1324	Cost 58,296
X Wood/Shingle Aluminum/Vinyl Brick	(7) Excavation	No. of Elec. Outlets Many X Ave. Few	2 Story Siding 1 Story Siding Other Additions/Adjust	Slab 82.8 Overhang 30.01 stments	3 -8.80 0.00 0.00 0.00 Rate	708 14 Size	52,413 420 Cost
Insulation	Basement: 0 S.F.	(13) Plumbing	(13) Plumbing 3 Fixture Bath		1975.00	1	1,975
(2) Windows	Crawl: 0 S.F. Slab: 2032 S.F.	Average Fixture(s) 2 3 Fixture Bath	(14) Water/Sewer Public Sewer		1025.00	1	1,025
Many Large X Avg. X Avg.	Height to Joists: 0.0	2 Fixture Bath Softener, Auto	Well, 200 Feet (15) Built-Ins & Fire	eplaces	4675.00	1	4,675
Few Small Wood Sash	Conc. Block Poured Conc.	Softener, Manual Solar Water Heat No Plumbing	Fireplace: Interior Fireplace: Prefab	-	3425.00 1710.00	1 1	3,425 1,710
Metal Sash Vinyl Sash Double Hung	Stone Treated Wood	Extra Toilet Extra Sink	(16) Porches CCP (1 Story), Sta (16) Deck/Balcony		27.89	106	2,956
Horiz. Slide Casement Double Glass	Concrete Floor (9) Basement Finish Recreation SF	Separate Shower Ceramic Tile Floor Ceramic Tile Wains Ceramic Tub Alcove	Treated Wood, Standard Composite, Standard (17) Garages		6.69 6.18	216 734	1,445 4,536
Patio Doors Storms & Screens	Living SF Walkout Doors No Floor SF	Vent Fan (14) Water/Sewer	Base Cost Phy/Ab.Phy/Func/Econ,	/Comb.%Good= 52/100/1	16.58 00/100/52.0, Depr		11,938 110,696
(3) Roof X Gable Gambrel Hip Mansard Flat Shed X Asphalt Shingle Chimney: Brick	(10) Floor Support	Public Water 1 Public Sewer 1 Water Well 1000 Gal Septic 2000 Gal Septic Lump Sum Items:	ECF (4309 LK CHEMUNG	LAKEFRONT)	1.726 => TCV of Bldg	: 1 =	191,061

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GENOA CHARTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FEBRUARY 17, 2015 6:30 P.M.

MINUTES

Chairperson Dhaenens called the regular meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals to order at 6:30 p.m. at the Genoa Charter Township Hall. The members and staff of the Zoning Board of Appeals were as follows: Marianne McCreary, Jean Ledford, Barbara Figurski and Jeff Dhaenens. Also present was Township staff member Ron Akers. There was 1 person in the audience. Board of Appeals member Jerry Poissant was excused.

Pledge of Allegiance: The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Introduction: The members of the Board introduced themselves.

Approval of Agenda: Moved by Figurski, seconded by Ledford to approve the agenda as presented. **Motion passed.**

<u>Call to the Public:</u> was made with no response. (*Please Note: The Board will not begin any new business after 10:00 p.m.*)

15-02 ... A request by Allied Signs, Inc., at 3652 E. Grand River, for a variance to allow a wall sign which exceeds the maximum allowable size for a wall sign.

Patrick Stieber, Allied Signs, Inc., was present for the petitioner. He is also representing Harbor Freight. They are asking for a variance for a larger wall sign on the building due to the location of the setback of the building from the road. They do not feel what they are asking for is excessive or a determent to the area. The building is setback further from the road than the other businesses in the area.

The Board members stated that they are concerned about the signage on the building being larger due to there is a monument sign on the road.

A call to the public was made with no response.

Moved by McCreary supported by Figurski to deny case#15-02, 3652 E. Grand River, for a variance to allow a wall sign which exceeds the maximum allowable size for a wall sign due to no substantial difficulty with the property and monument sign being located on the property and in compliance with the Zoning Ordinance. Additionally the application does not meet standards a and b in section 23.05.03 of the Genoa Township Zoning Ordinance. **Motion passed unanimously.**



Administrative Business:

- 1. **Approval of minutes: moved** by Figurski, supported by Ledford to approve the January 13th, 2015 Zoning Board of Appeals meeting minutes with typographical corrections. **Motion carried.**
- 2. **2014 Year End Report:** Akers stated that at the last board meeting the members wanted to wait a month so they could have time to review it. Dhaenens stated that he has noticed the number of variances in the Country Estates zoning district. The Board complimented Akers on the report.
- 3. **Correspondence:** Akers shared information to the Board from the MSU Extension in regards to court decisions that have occurred in regards to zoning issues and there is a Place Making Training course that would be available for the members to attend if they would like to attend with no cost to the Township.
- 4. Township Board Representative Report: Ledford stated at the last three meetings, the Board had to reestablish 3 polling places, reviewed and made amendments to the budgets, approved LSL Planning and discussed how the minutes would be published in the paper as a summary. The February 2 Board meeting was postponed until February 4th due to the weather. At that meeting they updated the FOIA policy, rerouted the Lake Edgewood Sanitary sewer around the pond, approval was granted for a company to paint the Oak Pointe Water Tower with no logo. At the February 16th meeting, the budget was reviewed again, Impact Assessment for Dewitt Radiators for a storage addition was approved, adopted an amendment to the zoning map per the Appeals court decision.

 Planning Commission Representative Report: Figurski stated that at the last Planning Commission meeting Dewitt radiator was approved for a storage addition. Battery Solutions was withdrawn by the petitioner and the Bennigan's building was postponed until the next Planning Commission meeting.
- **5. Zoning Official Report:** Akers stated Mr. Harmon who was denied at the last meeting with be removing the construction of the addition that was started in the spring. The Township is having more people coming in to inquire about starting projects; a permit was approved for Genoa Woods which is detached condos.
- **6. Member Discussion:** McCreary stated that she is on the Public Policy Committee and at their meeting there was discussion regarding newspaper coverage of foreclosures and tax sales is going to be sent to a central location and that there is a movement to put all of the tax records online so that it can become universal all over the state.
- 7. **Adjournment: moved** by Figurski, supported by Ledford to adjourn the February 17th, 2015 Zoning Board of Appeals meeting at 7:30 p.m. **Motion carried**



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Zoning Board of Appeals FROM: Ron Akers, Zoning Official

DATE: March 13, 2015

RE: 2014 Zoning Board of Appeals Year End Report

Please find information for the 2014 ZBA year-end report & Executive Summary. I look forward to your discussion and comments.



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2014 Zoning Board of Appeals Annual Report Executive Summary

Summary:

This Executive Summary of the 2014 Zoning Board of Appeals Annual Report is separated into two (2) parts. These parts are the analysis of the report and recommendations based on the analysis. The analysis section of the Executive Summary evaluates the nature of the variance requests and trends that exist in those requests. The recommendations section is based upon the analysis section and board discussion.

Analysis:

The following are trends noticed in 2014 for variance requests:

- 1. 30 of 31 variance cases (96.8%) were for dimensional variances.
 - a. 66.7% were approved or partially approved (20 cases)
 - b. 20% were denied (6 cases)
 - c. 10% were removed at applicant's request (3 cases)
 - d. 3.3% are pending decision in 2015 (1 case)
- 2. 1 of 31 variance cases (3.2%) were for a use variance.
 - a. 100% were denied (1 case)
- 3. 58% of the variance cases (18 cases) were on properties in the Lake Resort Residential (LRR) Zoning District.
 - a. 77.8 % were approved or partially approved (14 cases)
 - b. 5.5% were denied (1 case)
 - c. 16.7% were removed at applicant's request (3 cases)
- 4. 58% of the variance cases (18 cases) were for single family additions (including attached garages & sunrooms) or new house construction.
 - a. 89.0 % were approved or partially approved (15 cases)
 - b. 5.5% were denied (1 case)
 - c. 5.5% were removed at applicant's request (1 case)
- 5. 25.8% of the variance cases (8 cases) were for detached accessory buildings.
 - a. 37.5 % were approved or partially approved (3 cases)
 - b. 25% were denied (2 cases)
 - c. 25% were removed at applicant's request (2 cases)
 - d. 12.5% are pending decision in 2015 (1 case)
- 6. 6.5% of the variance cases (2) were for signs.
 - a. 50% of the variance cases (1 case) were approved.
 - b. 50% of the variance cases (1 case) were denied.
- 7. The number of variance requests were consistent with 2012 and slightly above the five (5) year average, but down overall in the past ten (10) years and below the ten (10) year average:

<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
31	28	29	25	28	20	21	39	39	48

Five (5) Year Average: 28.2 Ten (10) Year Average: 30.8

Recommendations:

The following are recommendations by the Zoning Board of Appeals based upon analysis and board discussion: (Please note that number 1 and number 2 were copied from the 2014 ZBA annual report. The reason for this is the late start to the 2014 report and we are still finding that these issues are presenting challenges to the community.)

- 1. Reduce the Required Front Yard Setback in the Lake Resort Residential (LRR) District Several variance requests are considered by the Zoning Board of Appeals due to a reduced building envelope caused by the varying nature of the required shoreline setback and smaller lot sizes. The current front yard setback in the LRR district is 35' despite there being a vast number of properties which do not conform to this requirement. The main concerns the Board of Appeals considers when addressing these types of requests are the ability of the applicant to provide sufficient off street parking in the front yard. This is determined by ensuring the applicant has enough space for two parking spaces (90 Degree parking 9' x 18'). Due to this we believe that allowing for a smaller front yard setback requirement of 18', or allowing for some variation between the front and side yard setback to allow side entry garages (i.e. 10' front yard setback if the applicant provides a side entry garage and can maintain an 18' side yard setback to allow for sufficient off street vehicle parking.) would sufficiently increase the building envelope for parcels in the LRR district and reduce the number of variances which are granted.
- 2. <u>Use a Single Lot Size for Exceptions from Maximum Size and Height Requirements for Detached Accessory Buildings</u>

The Zoning Ordinance in section 11.04.01(h) & (j) has requirements for maximum size and height of detached accessory buildings. These sections of the Zoning Ordinance also have exceptions for these requirements for conforming lots in the Country Estate (CE), Rural Residential (RR) and Agricultural (AG) zoning districts. The language is as follows:

- a. 11.04.01(h): Maximum Size: The combined total of all accessory buildings in any residential district shall be a maximum of nine hundred (900) square feet in area for lots less than two (2) acres and one thousand two hundred (1200) square feet in area for lots equal to or greater than two (2) acres. Accessory buildings and structures located on conforming lots in Agricultural and Country Estates Districts shall not be limited by size, provided all required setback are met.
- b. 11.04.01(j): Maximum, Height: The maximum building height of any detached accessory building shall be fourteen (14) feet (see Article 25 for calculation of building height), except as follows:
 - (1) Antenna heights may be as noted in Section 11.04.06
 - (2) Accessory buildings on conforming lots in the Agricultural, Country Estate Districts and Rural Residential districts may exceed the maximum height restrictions for principal buildings by up to fifteen (15) feet.

In these provisions the requirement that the parcel be a "conforming lot" creates a situation where there can be inconsistencies. For example a property owner could have a five (5) acre parcel zoned CE (5 acre minimum lot size) and take advantage of the height and size exceptions, but if an adjacent property owner had a five (5) acre parcel zoned AG (10 acre minimum lot size) they would not be able to take advantage of height and size exceptions. The same example could be used for parcels less than five (5) acres in the CE district when height exceptions are allowed in the RR district (2 acre

minimum lot size). This provision allows for a zoning district which is smaller and intended to be less rural to take advantage of size bonuses which are more characteristic of larger more rural uses, but due to a non-conforming parcel size (which may be the same as the less rural) the larger, more rural zoning districts are prohibited from taking advantage of the exception.

In order to remedy this we propose the following:

- a. In 11.04.01(h), change the exception to, "Accessory buildings and structures located in Agricultural and Country Estate Districts on lots of five (5) acres or greater shall not be limited by size provided all required setbacks are met." This maintains the intended requirement that in order to take advantage of the exception you need to have at least five (5) acres (minimum parcel size in the CE district) and would allow for non-conforming lots in the AG district which are five (5) acres or greater to take advantage of the exception.
- b. In 11.04.01(j), change the exception to, "Accessory buildings on lots of two (2) acres or greater within the Agricultural, Country Estate Districts and Rural Residential districts may exceed the maximum height restrictions for principal buildings by up to fifteen (15) feet." This change would maintain the intended requirement that in order to take advantage of the height exception you need to have at least two (2) acres (minimum parcel size in the RR district) and would allow for non-conforming lots in the AG and CE district which are two (2) acres or greater to take advantage of the exception.

3. Allowable Accessory Building Size

In the past year we have seen an increase in the number of requests to allow larger than permitted detached accessory sizes nearly double. There seems to be an interest from the community to allow larger than 1,200 square foot detached accessory buildings in the Rural Residential district, Low Density Residential district and non-conforming lots in the Country Estate district specifically. The existing standards in the Zoning Ordinance are intended to ensure that accessory building size remains relational to house size, but due to resident interest the Planning Commission/Township Board should take a look at these standards to ensure they are still consistent with the Township Master Plan and the needs of our residents.



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2014 Zoning Board of Appeals Annual Report

Summary:

The purpose of the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) Annual report is to summarize and identify the activities completed by the ZBA over the calendar year. Identifying the number and types of variances that were granted over the year can provide guidance to the Planning Commission and Township Board of Trustees when making future land use decisions. The primary activities that were handled by the Zoning Board of Appeals in 2014 were hearing variance requests, the election of officers, and the creation of the 2013 Annual Report and Executive Summary.

Variances

During 2014 the Zoning Board of Appeals heard thirty-one (31) variance cases. They are broken down as follows:

• 31 Total Cases

- 20 Approved, 6 Denied, 3 Removed from Agenda at Applicants Request, 2 Pending Decision in 2015
- 16 Variance Cases on Properties with Lake Frontage
 - o 13 Approved, 1 Denied, 2 Removed from Agenda at Applicants Request

• Breakdown by Project Type

- 8: New Single Family Homes
 - 7 Approved, 1 Denied
 - 6 Lake Front
- 11: Residential Additions
 - 9 Approved. 0 Denied, 1 Removed from Agenda at Applicants Request, 1 Pending Decision in 2015
 - 9 Lake Front
- 8: Detached Accessory Buildings
 - 3 Approved, 2 Denied, 2 Removed from Agenda at Applicants Request, 1 Pending Decision in 2015
 - 1 Lake Front
- o 2: Sign
 - 1 Approved, 1 Denied
- 1: Use of a non-conforming duplex which was vacant for more than twelve(12) months.
 - 0 Approved, 1 Denied
- 1: Patio installation in the required wetland buffer.
 - 0 Approved, 1 Denied

Breakdown by Zoning District & Variance Type

- Lake Resort Residential (LRR): (18 Cases)
 - Building Height (2 Requests)
 - 1 Approved, 1 Removed at Applicants Request
 - Use Variance (1 Request)
 - 1 Denied
 - Separation Between Principal and Accessory Building (1 Request)
 - 1 Approved
 - Front Yard Setback (11 Requests)
 - 10 Approved, 1 Removed at Applicants Request
 - Shoreline Setback (6 Requests)
 - 6 Approved

- Side Yard Setback (9 Requests)
 - 6 Approved, 3 Removed at Applicants Request
- Rear Yard Setback (1 Request)
 - 1 Approved
- Country Estate (CE): (5 Cases)
 - Detached Accessory Building Size (2 Requests)
 - 1 Denied, 1 Pending Decision in 2015
 - Detached Accessory Building Without a Principal Building (1 Request)
 - 1 Approved
 - Front Yard Setback (1 Request)
 - 1 Approved
 - Side Yard Setback (3 Requests)
 - 3 Approved
- Suburban Residential (SR): (3 Cases)
 - Building Height (1 Request)
 - 1 Denied
 - Wall Sign (1 Request)
 - 1 Denied
 - Side Yard Setback (1 Request)
 - 1 Denied
- Low Density Residential (LDR): (1 Case)
 - Detached Accessory Building Size (1 Request)
 - 1 Pending Decision in 2015
 - Rear Yard Setback (1 Request)
 - 1 Pending Decision in 2015
- Rural Residential (RR): (1 Case)
 - Detached Accessory Building Size (1 Request)
 - 1 Denied
- Office Service (OSD): (1 Case)
 - Wetland Buffer Setback (1 Request)
 - 1 Denied
- o General Commercial (GC): (1 Case)
 - Temporary Sign (1 Request)
 - 1 Approved
- Mixed Use Planned Unit Development (MUPUD): (1 Case)
 - Rear Yard Setback (1 Request)
 - 1 Approved

Please see attached case summaries for more information about specific cases.

2014 ZBA Case Summaries

JANUARY

Variance: 1 Case: 14-01

Applicant Name: Ben Marhofer **Address:** 4179 Sweet Road

Type of Variance: Side yard setback variance of 31.5 feet to build an attached garage.

Lakefront: No **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Approval conditioned upon the garage being guttered with downspouts.

FEBRUARY

Variance: 2 Case: 14-02

Applicant Name: Larry and Christa White

Address: 4489 Oak Pointe Drive

Type of Variance: Height variance of 5 feet to build a new single family residence.

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? The Board approved a 5-foot roof height variance with 30 feet of allowed height. They said the owners must get an easement with the golf course to cross that property for installation of sewer

line. House must have gutters and downspouts.

Variance: 3 Case: 14-03

Applicant Name: Michael and Gail McLean **Address:** Homestead Drive (no address)

Type of Variance: Front yard setback of 8 feet and 5-foot side yard setback variance to build a new single

family home. **Lakefront:** Yes **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board allowed an 8-foot variance with resulting setback of 27 feet. They must remove a landscaping trellis before land use permit will be issued and the new structure must have gutters and

downspouts.

MARCH

Meeting Cancelled

April

Variance: 4 Case: 14-04

Applicant Name: Patricia Crane and Ronald Cyr

Address: 4283 Clifford Road

Type of Variance: 5-foot shoreline setback variance

Lakefront: Yes **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board approved a 5-foot shoreline setback due to practical difficulty. No conditions.

Variance: 5 Case: 14-05

Applicant Name: Joseph Andrews

Address: 1115 Norfolk

Type of Variance: Use variance to use existing building as a duplex

Lakefront: No **Decision:** Denied

Why? Board denied request because home was vacant for 12 months and reverted to single family

residential. All neighboring properties are single family.

Variance: 6 Case: 14-06

Applicant Name: Ronald Stotler **Address:** 4337 Richardson Road

Type of Variance: 65-foot front yard setback, 15-foot side yard setback, 60-square-foot variance from the maximum allowable size of a detached accessory building, and a variance to allow a detached accessory building in the front yard.

Lakefront: No

Decision: Approved (Front and Side Yard Setback), Denied (Accessory Building Size)

Why? Conditions? Board approved the 65-foot front yard setback, the side yard setback and the detached accessory building in the front yard due to practical difficulty. They denied the variance from the maximum allowable size of a detached accessory building.

Variance: 7 Case: 14-07

Applicant Name: PB Development LLC

Address: 4252, 4260 Highcrest

Type of Variance: 2-foot shoreline setback, 10-foot front yard setback (was granted in January 2013)

Lakefront: Yes
Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? Board approved a 10-foot front yard and 2-foot shoreline setback for the construction of a new home. The house must be guttered. Also, a variance granted at the Jan. 15, 2013 meeting, Case 13-04, is null and void.

MAY

Variance: 8 Case: 14-08

Applicant Name: EBI Inc. **Address:** 5411 Ridgemont St.

Type of Variance: 30-foot rear yard setback, 5-foot variance from the minimum separation distance

between the principal and accessory building.

Lakefront: No **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board granted variances for 30 feet in rear yard and 5 feet for separation between the principal structure and the accessory structure. Conditions placed were gutters and downspouts on the new home, and homeowner obtaining a staked survey.

Variance: 9 Case: 14-09

Applicant Name: Kelly Cadegan

Address: 652 S. Hughes

Type of Variance: 2-foot side yard setback

Lakefront: No

Decision: Tabled in May at the request of the petitioner. Case removed from June agenda.

Why? Cadegan met the terms of the ordinance.

Variance: 10 Case: 14-10

Applicant Name: Jan and Anne Pitzer

Address: 3680 Dorr Road

Type of Variance: 10-foot side yard setback to construct a new single family home

Lakefront: Yes
Decision: Denied

Why? Conditions? Request was denied due to no existing hardship with the land.

Variance: 11 Case: 14-11

Applicant Name: Charles E. Horan

Address: 1828 S. Hughes

Type of Variance: 11-foot front yard setback, 6.6-foot side yard setback, 1-foot maximum building height,

12-foot shoreline setback

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Approved(Front, Side Yard & Shoreline Setbacks); Applicant requested height request be

removed.

Why? Conditions? Approval was given for an addition which maintains the current setbacks of the existing footprint because the property is nonconforming and there are not safety or welfare issues for the neighborhood. The board said the new home must have gutters and downspouts.

Variance: 12 Case: 14-12

Applicant Name: Todd Hurley

Address: 3292 Beck

Type of Variance: 1,200-square-foot variance from the maximum accessory building size of 1,200 square

feet

Lakefront: No

Decision: Denied

Why? Conditions? Board members denied the request because there was no practical difficulty.

Variance: 13 Case: 14-14

Applicant Name: Tom Secrest **Address:** 4089 Homestead

Type of Variance: 9-foot side yard setback variance and 24-foot front yard setback variance

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Tabled in May to allow Secrest to stake the property so the board can see if drivers can safely

back out of the garage. Secrest came back to the ZBA in June and received approval.

Why? Conditions? He received approval for a 9-foot side yard setback and a 22-front yard setback to build an attached garage and second story to an existing home. The conditions are that he put in gutters and downspouts.

JUNE

Variance: 14 Case: 14-15

Applicant Name: Kristinne Horvath

Address: 3682 Beattie Road

Type of Variance: 4.5 feet from the maximum allowable height for a detached accessory building

Lakefront: No

Decision: Tabled in June for further discussion at July meeting; petitioner then asked for a delay until

August. Request was denied at August meeting.

Why? Conditions? Board denied case because there was a lack of hardship, extraordinary circumstances

or practical difficulty.

Variance: 15 Case: 14-16

Applicant Name: NorthRidge Church

Address: 7555 Brighton Road

Type of Variance: 54.67 square feet to place a wall sign on the church building

Lakefront: No

Decision: Tabled in June at petitioner's request; denied at July meeting.

Why? Conditions? The request was denied because it was based on the philosophy of the church, not on extraordinary circumstances applicable to the property or use. Zoning prohibits use of more than one

sign.

Variance: 16 Case: 14-17

Applicant Name: Tim Chouinard

Address: 824 Pathway

Type of Variance: Shoreline, front yard and side yard setbacks to build an addition onto a single family

home.

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Tabled in June; approved at July meeting.

Why? Conditions? The Board granted a 27.5-foot variance from the front yard setback, 1.34 feet from the side yard and 6 feet from the shoreline setback. The Board cited the practical difficulty of the lakefront lot and the topography. Gutters and downspouts are required.

Variance: 17 Case: 14-18

Applicant Name: Brad Rondeau **Address:** 6919 W. Grand River

Type of Variance: 14 feet from the required wetland setback to build a patio.

Lakefront: No Decision: Denied

Why? Conditions? The request was denied because of the adjacent wetlands and the practical difficulty

was self-created.

JULY

Variance: 18 Case: 14-19

Applicant Name: John Smarch

Address: 715 Pathway

Type of Variance: Side yard setback to build an addition above the attached garage.

Lakefront: Yes
Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? Smarch was granted a side yard setback variance of 10 feet to build an addition to the attached garage and resolve a drainage issue on the property. Because of proximity to the neighboring house, he must construct a firewall. He must also install gutters and downspouts.

Variance: 19 Case: 14-20

Applicant Name: Poloski Construction Inc.

Address: 3758 Noble St.

Type of Variance: Shoreline and front yard setbacks to build a new single family home.

Lakefront: Yes **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Poloski was given a 32-foot front yard variance and a 4-foot shoreline variance as the

Board cited the narrowness of the land and the topography. Gutters and downspouts required.

Variance: 20 Case: 14-21

Applicant Name: Dolores Malysz **Address:** 1330 Clark Lake Road

Type of Variance: Front yard setback to build an addition and raise the foundation.

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? Front yard setback approved based on the topography of the lot. The approval was conditioned upon certified drawings stamped and signed by an engineer, necessary approvals from the

Health and Building departments being supplied to the Township. Applicant will also agree to have Akers review little ordinance with him.

AUGUST

Variance: 21 Case: 14-22

Applicant Name: Paul and Joy Corneliussen

Address: 3880 Highcrest Drive

Type of Variance: Side yard setback to build a detached accessory building

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Tabled in August at request of petitioners. Case removed from the September agenda at

request of the applicant. It has not come back to Board.

Variance: 22 Case: 14-23

Applicant Name: Scott and Maureen Kiefer

Address: 3695 Highcrest Drive

Type of Variance: Front and side yard setbacks to build an addition to the existing single family home.

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Tabled in August. Request then dropped at request of petitioner.

Why? Conditions? Applicant wanted time to revisit both 3-foot setbacks and address the drainage. They

then dropped the request and came back with different plans as Case #14-28.

SEPTEMBER

Variance: 23 Case: 14-24

Applicant Name: Rod and Tamara Evans

Address: 4147 Highcrest Drive

Type of Variance: 7.25-shoreline setback and 16.25-front yard setback to build a new single family home.

Lakefront: Yes **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board cited the practical difficulty and extraordinary circumstances with limited building envelope due to shoreline setback, topography and narrowness of lot, and placement of well and sewer. House must be guttered with downspouts and water runoff toward the lake.

Variance: 24 Case: 14-01

Applicant Name: Chilson Pointe LLC **Address:** 4666 Brighton Road

Type of Variance: 1,520-square-foot variance from the maximum accessory building size of 1,200 feet to

build a 40-foot-by-50-foot accessory building, Rear Yard Setback Variance.

Lakefront: No

Decision: Tabled in September and October at request of petitioner. Tabled again in December until

March 17, 2015 meeting at the request of the petitioner.

OCTOBER

Variance: 25 Case: 14-26

Applicant Name: Donald Davis **Address:** 3907 Homestead

Type of Variance: 10.2-foot front yard setback to build a second floor addition on a single family home.

Lakefront: Yes

Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? The board cited the practical difficulty of the small building envelope created by the existing placement of the home, it is legally non-conforming and the need is not self-created. Variance will make it consistent with the neighboring properties.

Variance: 26 Case: 14-27

Applicant Name: Todd Hutchins

Address: 3350 S. Latson

Type of Variance: Variance to allow and accessory building on a parcel without a principal building.

Lakefront: No.

Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? Condition placed to allow the accessory building as long as the 4.42 acres are rezoned from Country Estates to Rural Residential. Also, if the home is not built within a year of the property being split, the owner must demolish the accessory structures at their expense.

Variance: 27 Case: 14-28

Applicant Name: Scott and Maureen Kiefer

Address: 3695 Highcrest

Type of Variance: Front and side yard variances to build an addition to an existing single family home.

Lakefront: Yes
Decision: Approved

Why? Conditions? Board approved 5-foot front yard variances with a 30-foot setback and a 11-foot side yard variance with a 9.1-foot setback to build an addition. Board cited practical difficulty of the current home location and grade. Home must be guttered with downspouts. (See case #14-23)

Variance: 28 Case: 14-29

Applicant Name: Steven C. Liedel and Janine K. Fogg **Address:** Lot 23, Oak Tree Court, 4711-28-401-023

Type of Variance: Rear yard setback of 9.9 feet to build a new single family home.

Lakefront: No **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board cited the practical difficulty of the tree location to the east and the utility

easement to the north.

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Variance: 29 Case: 14-30

Applicant Name: James Harmon **Address:** 4289 Sweet Road

Type of Variance: 1,200-square-foot variance from the maximum accessory building size (1,200 square

feet) to build a 1,200-square-foot addition to an existing detached accessory building

Lakefront: No

Decision: Denied at the January 13, 2015 meeting.

Variance: 30 Case: 14-31

Applicant Name: Steve Schenck (Liberty Tax Service)

Address: 4072 E. Grand River

Type of Variance: Relief from zoning ordinance that prohibits temporary signs to 14 days or once during

the stay of the business at same location or if the business has new owners.

Lakefront: No **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board said approval was given because of seasonal nature of the business and the

need for it to be more visible: Jan. 16 through Feb. 8, 2015 and again April 6-15, 2015.

Variance: 31 Case: 14-32

Applicant Name: Christian and Damian Karch

Address: 5400 Brady Road

Type of Variance: 26.5-foot side yard variance for a 2,100-square-foot addition onto an existing detached

accessory building. **Lakefront:** No **Decision:** Approved

Why? Conditions? Board cited the limitations on the property when approving the request.

Ron Akers

From: Schindler, Kurt <schindl9@anr.msu.edu>
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2015 2:33 PM

To: Schindler, Kurt

Subject: OMA must be present, Med marihuana provisioning centers, Shoreline Zoning, Civil

Society in Era of Incivility

Dear everyone:

There are four items in this (February 20, 2015) email:

- 1. Legislation: OMA, must be physically present to vote, and to be a public meeting.
- 2. Legislation: Local regulation of medical marihuana provisioning centers.
- 3. Training: Introduction to Shoreline Zoning:
- 4. Training: Cultivating a Civil Society in an Era of Incivility

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1. House Bill 4182 (2015): A bill to amend the Open Meeting Act to clarify that a member person must be physically present. This is viewed as a clarification, not a change. Amends sec. 3 of 1976 PA 267 (MCL 15.263). The bill reads "A meeting is not open to the public if a member of the public body casts his or her vote on a decision of the public body without being physically present at the meeting." The bill was referred to House Committee on Oversight and Ethics.

Copy of introduced bill: http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2015-2016/billintroduced/House/pdf/2015-HIB-4182.pdf

2. HB 4209 of 2015 and SB 0142 of 2015: Two bills about the same thing, both appear identical. The bill would create a new act to provide for state and local regulation of marihuana provisioning centers. The bill defines "municipality" (city, village, township, but not county) and enables municipalities to adopt ordinances (including part of zoning) for such regulation: "A municipality may enact and enforce an ordinance to impose additional local requirements on provisioning centers or safety compliance facilities, including, but not limited to, zoning restrictions and caps on the number of provisioning centers in the municipality."

The house bill 4209 was referred to the House committee on Judiciary. The Senate bill 0142 was referred to the Senate committee on judiciary.

Copy of the introduced house bill: http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2015-2016/billintroduced/House/pdf/2015-HIB-4209.pdf

Copy of the introduced senate bill: http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2015-2016/billintroduced/Senate/pdf/2015-SIB-0142.pdf

3. Introduction to Shoreline Zoning: Northwest Michigan is blessed with outstanding water resources that

draw people to our part of the state. Protecting inland lake shorelines is vital to economic development and environmental protection. This program is designed to introduce planning and zoning officials to the tools, techniques and challenges associated with shoreline protection zoning standards. Registration is \$55 (\$70 within one week of the class). The workshop is in:

- Traverse City Michigan Works! Center, 1209 S. Garfield Avenue (enter from the south side), March 19, 2015, 5:30pm.
- Manistee Michigan, Manistee City Hall (3rd floor), 70 Maple Street, March 30, 2015, 5:30pm. For more information: http://www.networksnorthwest.org/planning/news/news-article.html/449/ To register for the Traverse City location:

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4. Cultivating a Civil Society in an Era of Incivility

We certainly live in an interesting time. You may have observed a change in what we might call our civic demeanor, folks just seem stressed, edgy, and in some cases just outright rude. If you haven't experienced it firsthand you most certainly have seen it in the media. You and others like you may be asking what is going on and what can I do about it? These questions are the focal point of our 2015 MSU Community and Economic Development Contemporary Issues Institute. This year's half day Institute will provide us an opportunity to explore the roots of incivility, learn about possible strategies that might lead us to a more civil society and connect us with others who may share this interest.

The Cultivating a Civil Society in an Era of Incivility will be Friday March 6, 2015, 8:30am to 12:30pm, State Capital Building, Lansing, MI. There is no cost for this event. Pre-registration is required

To register: http://goo.gl/eL7X2t

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Ron Akers

From:Schindler, Kurt <schindl9@anr.msu.edu>Sent:Monday, March 02, 2015 3:11 PM

To: Schindler, Kurt

Subject: Oil and Gas, Land Patents, MAP spring Institute

Dear everyone:

There are four items in this (March 2, 2015) email:

- 1. Legislation: Township and county oil and gas well jurisdiction
- 2. Legislation: Different setbacks for oil and gas wells from residential buildings
- 3. Court: Patented land still subject to Wetland Protection Act
- 4. Training: MAP Spring Institute

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1. HB 4237 of 2015: A bill to delete the part of the Michigan Zoning Enabling Act that prohibits zoning from regulating oil and gas drilling. The result would allow township and county zoning regulation of drilling of oil or gas wells. (But it does not change the exclusive jurisdiction over oil and gas wells by the state's supervisor of wells found in the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act (MCL 324.61501 *et seq.*).) Amends sec. 205 of 2006 PA 110 (MCL 125.3205) by deleting MCL 125.3205(2). The bill was referred to the House Committee on Energy Policy.

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2. HB 4260 of 2015: A bill to require a 1,000 foot setback from residential building in counties with a population of 750,000 or more in order for the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) to issue a permit for oil or gas wells. (The law currently requires a 450 foot setback from residential building in order for the DEQ to issue a permit for oil or gas wells. Presumably the 450 foot setback would no longer be required in counties less than 750,000 population.) Exceptions to the setback are possible. The bill Amends sec. 61506b of 1994 PA 451 (MCL 324.61506b). The bill was referred to House Committee on Energy Policy.

Copy of introduced bill: http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2015-2016/billintroduced/House/pdf/2015-HIB-4260.pdf

3. Court: Michigan Court of Appeals (Unpublished No. 318380, January 29, 2015)

Case Name: Groninger v. Department of Envtl. Quality

Holding that plaintiffs-Dunn and Thompson lacked standing, that the Wetlands Protection Act (WPA) (MCL 324.30301 *et seq.*) applied to plaintiffs-Groningers' land, and that there was no violation of the Contract Clause, the court affirmed the trial court's order granting the defendant-Department of Environmental

Quality (DEQ) summary disposition in this action for declaratory relief seeking to prevent the DEQ from entering the property to inspect for wetlands.

The Groningers' chain of title goes back to a federal patent granted in 1855.

When the DEQ was prevented from entering the property, "apparently to inspect a driveway that was being built, it sought a warrant to conduct a wetlands inspection." Plaintiffs filed this suit seeking declaratory relief that the DEQ did not have authority to enter their private land. The court noted that while Dunn and Thompson alleged they have an oral lease to hunt on the Groninger property, they "made no showing that their hunting interest would be affected" by the DEQ entering the property to determine its wetland status. Further, they did not plead facts establishing that the construction of a driveway in any way affected their hunting interest. "Their injury, as presented to the trial court and on appeal, is merely hypothetical and they have not established an actual controversy." Thus, the trial court correctly ruled that they lacked standing.

The Groningers argued that the federal patent removed the property from the DEQ's authority, and that any regulation of their land impairs their patent, which violates the U.S. and Michigan Constitutions. The court noted that the definition of a "wetland" in the WPA "makes clear that the statute applies to any 'land' bearing certain characteristics of water or aquatic life. There is no limitation on the types of land affected by the WPA, nor is there any distinction made between private, public, or federal lands." The court concluded that the broad definitions in the WPA evidence "the intent for the WPA to apply to any land under the authority of the executive department, which would be any land in Michigan, whether it is federal, state, public, or private land."

Further, there was no unconstitutional impairment of contract. "Foremost, any impairment by the WPA is minimal." The Groningers "hold their land in fee simple and the permit requirement that may be necessary does not divest plaintiffs of any ownership interest in their land - they still hold title against all comers." If a permit were required for driveway construction, they "could show a particularized injury sufficient to confer standing, but the permitting process is not a 'substantial impairment' of plaintiffs' ownership interest, which is the foundational contractual relationship." (Source: State Bar of Michigan *e-Journal* Number: 59202, February 27, 2015.)

Full Text Opinion: http://www.michbar.org/opinions/appeals/2015/012915/59202.pdf

4. Michigan Association of Planning's Spring Institute | Equity Summit II, April 9, 2015 in Lansing, 8:30am-4:30pm.

This Spring Institute delivers national equity visionaries, state agency solution finders and municipal innovators to an audience of community planners, non-profit professionals, workforce developers and elected and appointed local leaders to inspire, catalyze and push the envelope of change.

Thoughtful solutions and inspired action are found at MAP's Equity Summit II as we build on lessons learned from our 2013 inaugural equity event, and integrate knowledge acquired over the last two years, to create a comprehensive agenda for those who understand and value equity and fairness and for those who want to learn more.

There will be national success stories, real life case-studies and focused implementation translate to programs and policies that are scalable to YOUR community or organization. Take what you learn and return to the office inspired to make a difference where it matters.

More information: http://www.planningmi.org/downloads/si 2015 registration form final.pdf

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