



THE HERON | HISTORIC PRESERVATION BOARD PRESENTATION

ELDERLY AFFORDABLE MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING
1158 MARSEILLE DRIVE
MIAMI BEACH, FL 33141

13 SEPTEMBER 2021

SITE INFORMATION / SITE LOCATION MAPS



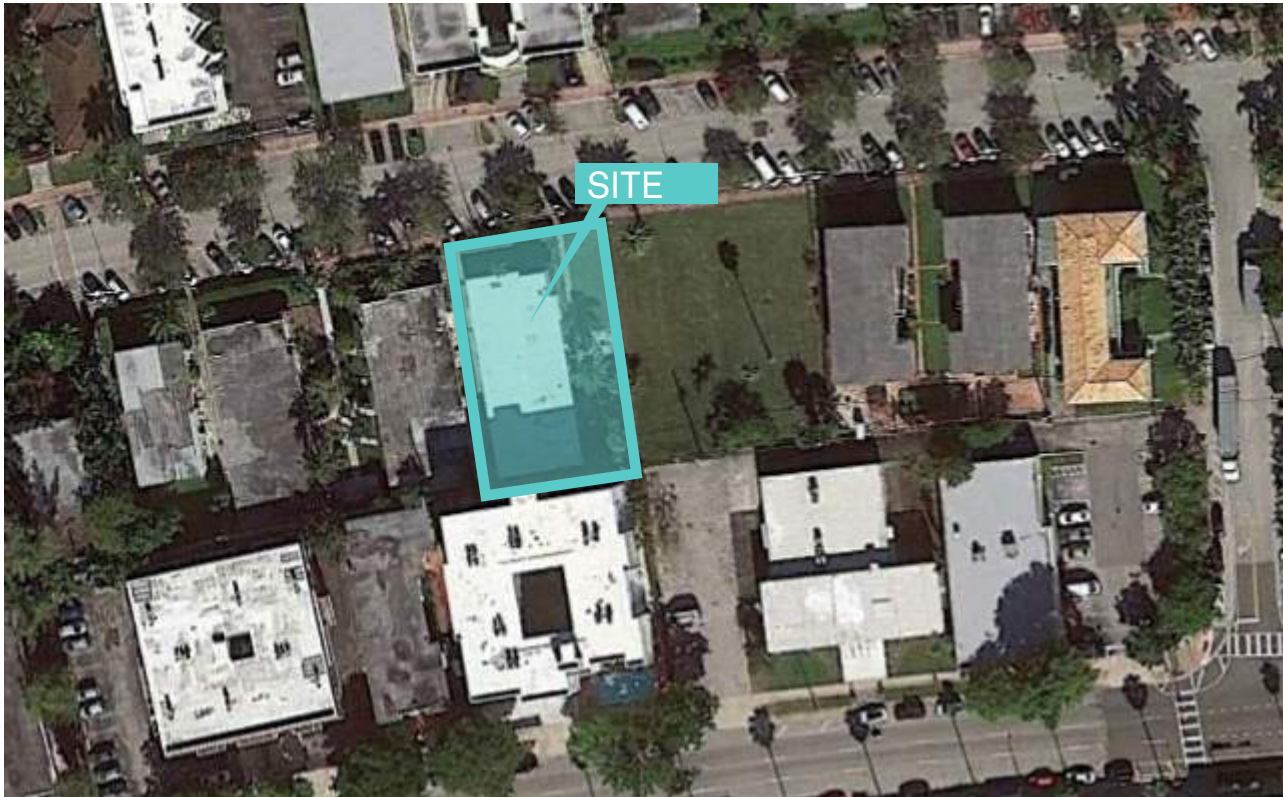
SITE LOCATION / MAP 01



SITE LOCATION / MAP 02



SITE LOCATION / MAP 03



SITE LOCATION / MAP 04

SITE INFORMATION / SITE LOCATION AERIAL



AERIAL VIEW / FROM NORTHEAST



SITE LOCATION / FROM NORTHWEST

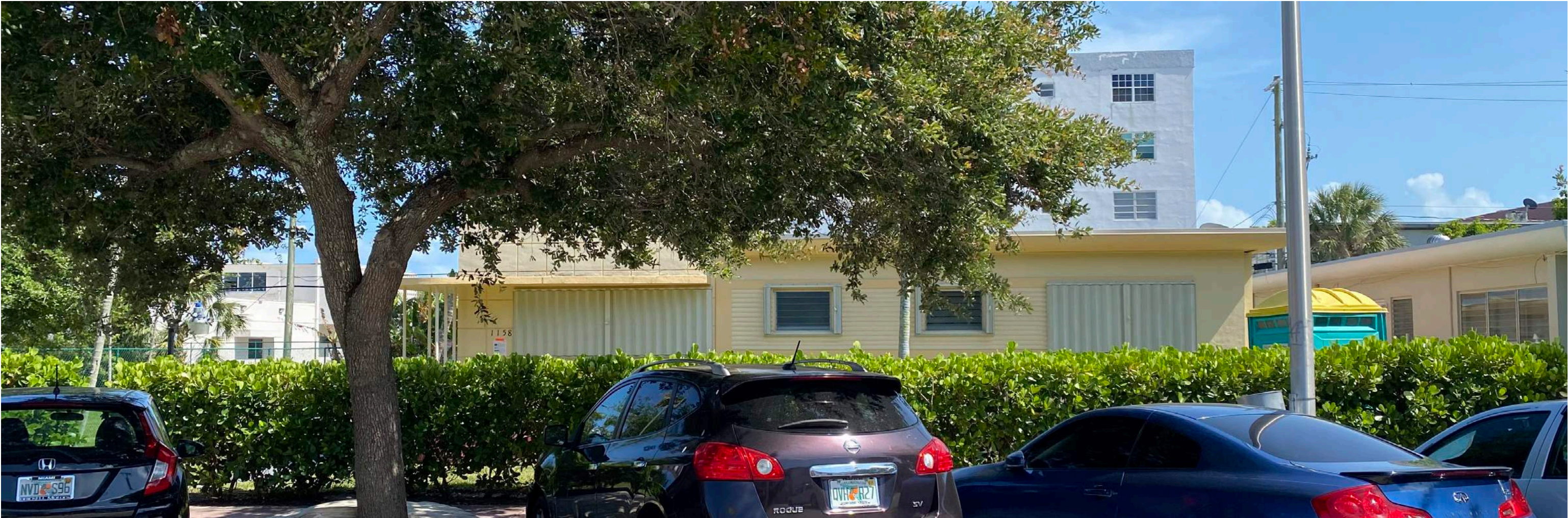


AERIAL VIEW / FROM SOUTHWEST



SITE LOCATION / FROM SOUTHEAST

SITE INFORMATION / PROJECT SITE PHOTOS



VIEW OF NORTH ELEVATION FROM MARSEILLE DRIVE (PHOTO TAKEN 5.22.21)



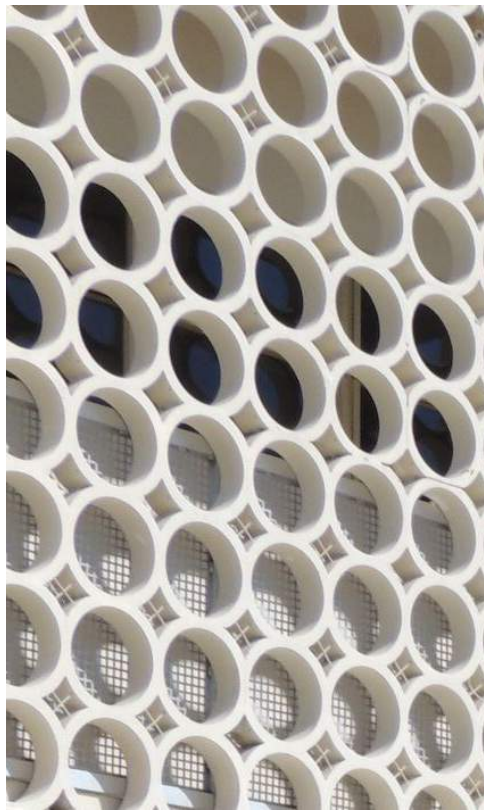
VIEW OF EASTERN SIDEYARD (PHOTO TAKEN 08.25.21)



VIEW OF WESTERN SIDEYARD (PHOTO TAKEN 08.25.21)

MATERIAL PALETTE / MIMO INSPIRATION

BREEZE BLOCK



SIGNAGE



MIAMI BEACH RED



IRON WORKS



MiMo PINK

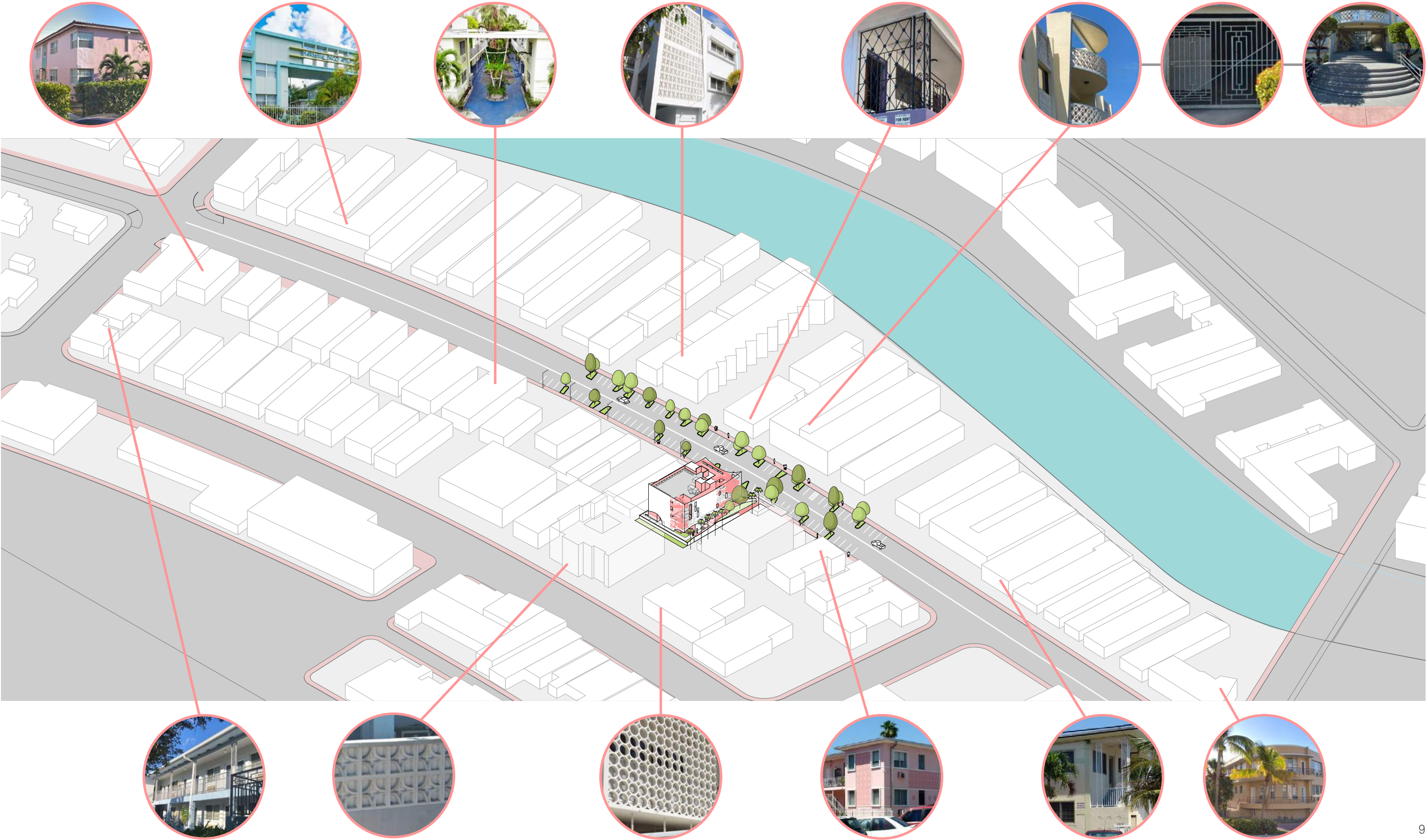




THE HERON: ELDERLY AFFORDABLE HOUSING

- Provides **5x** More Affordable Units
- Addresses Future Sea Level Rise Adaptation and Resilience
- Creates a Passive Design
- Scaled to Fit the Neighborhood
- Low Impact Development
- Designed for Aging in Place
- Amplifies Neighborhood Aesthetic
- Community Asset
- Creates Community
- Targeting LEED Gold Certification
- All Units ADA Compliant

DESIGN / SITE REFERENCE

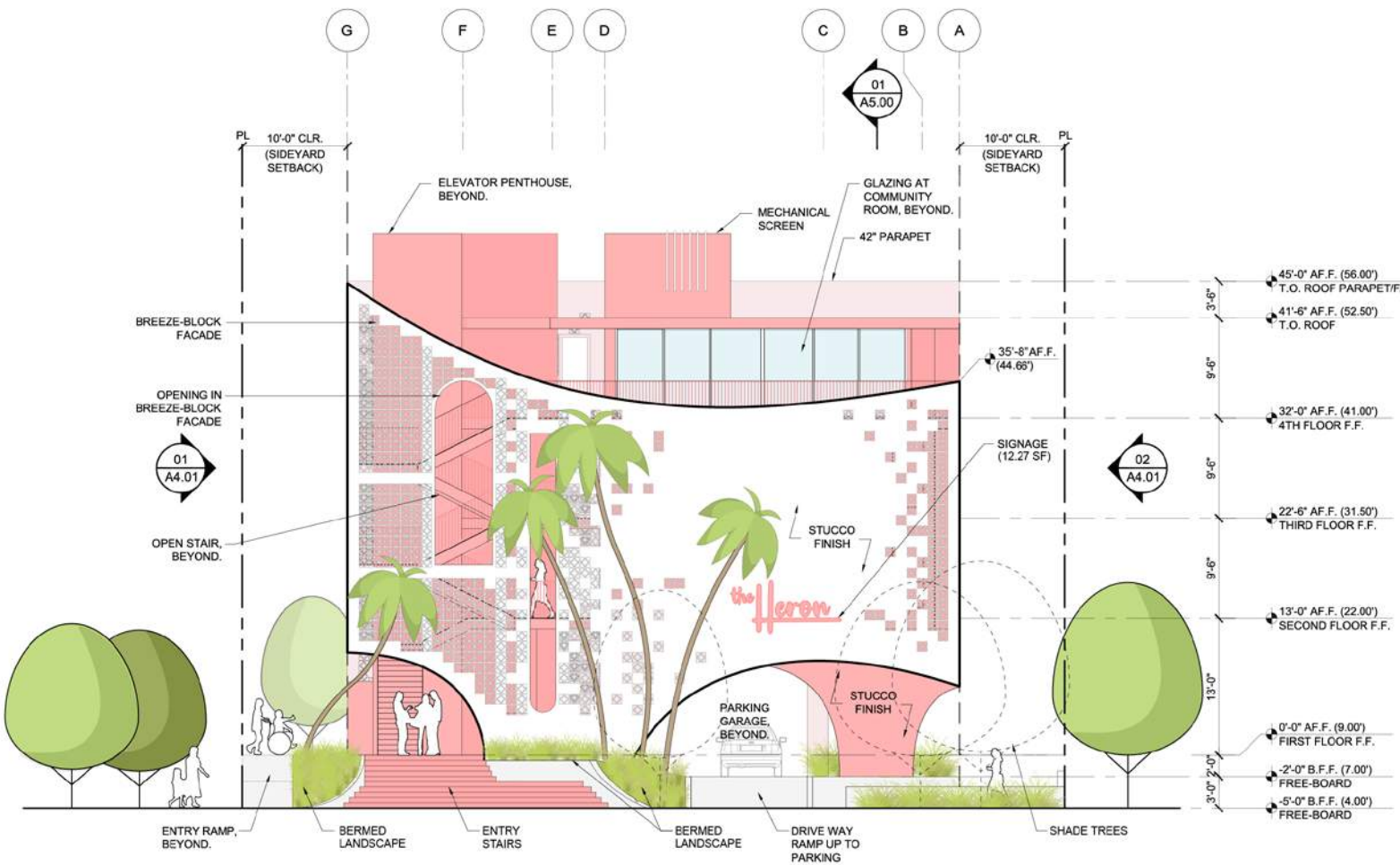








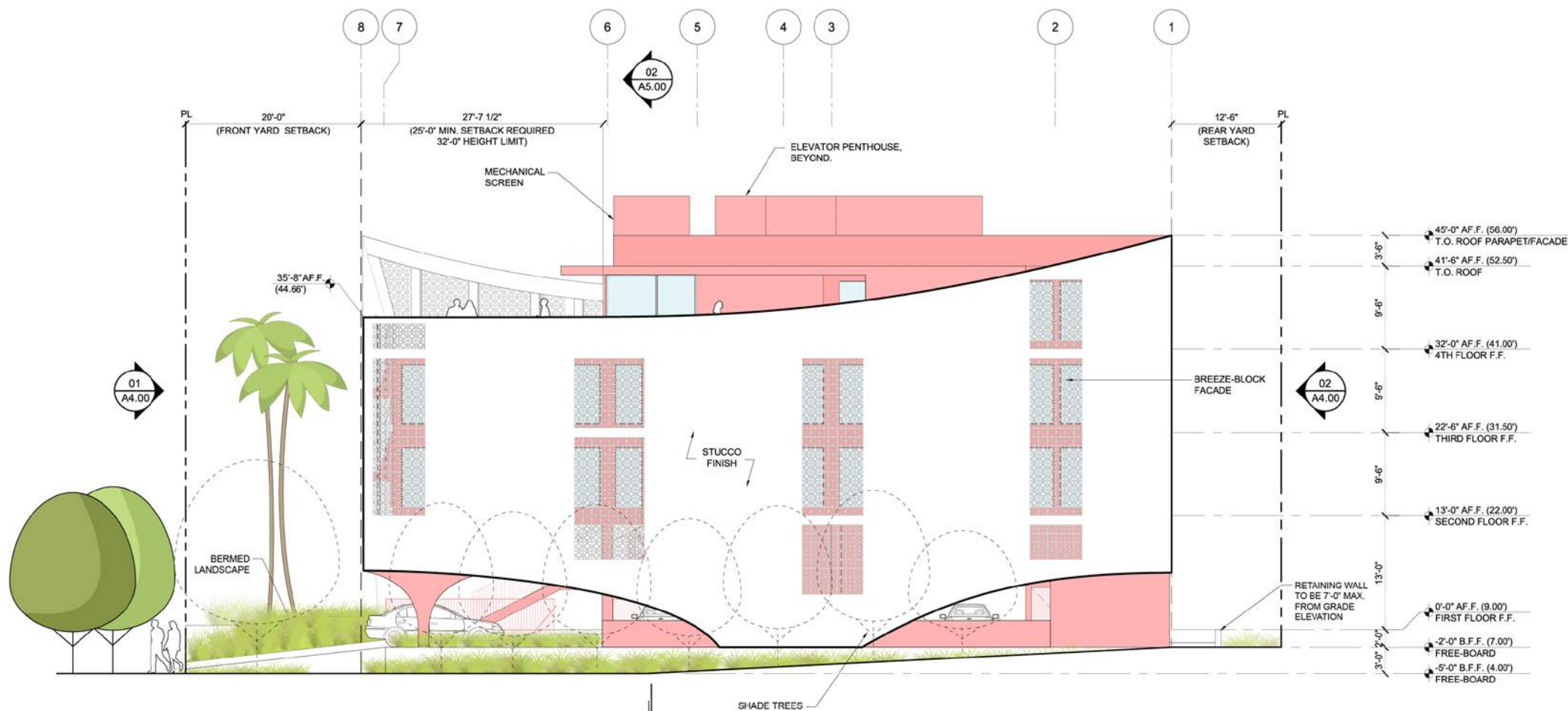
DESIGN / ELEVATIONS



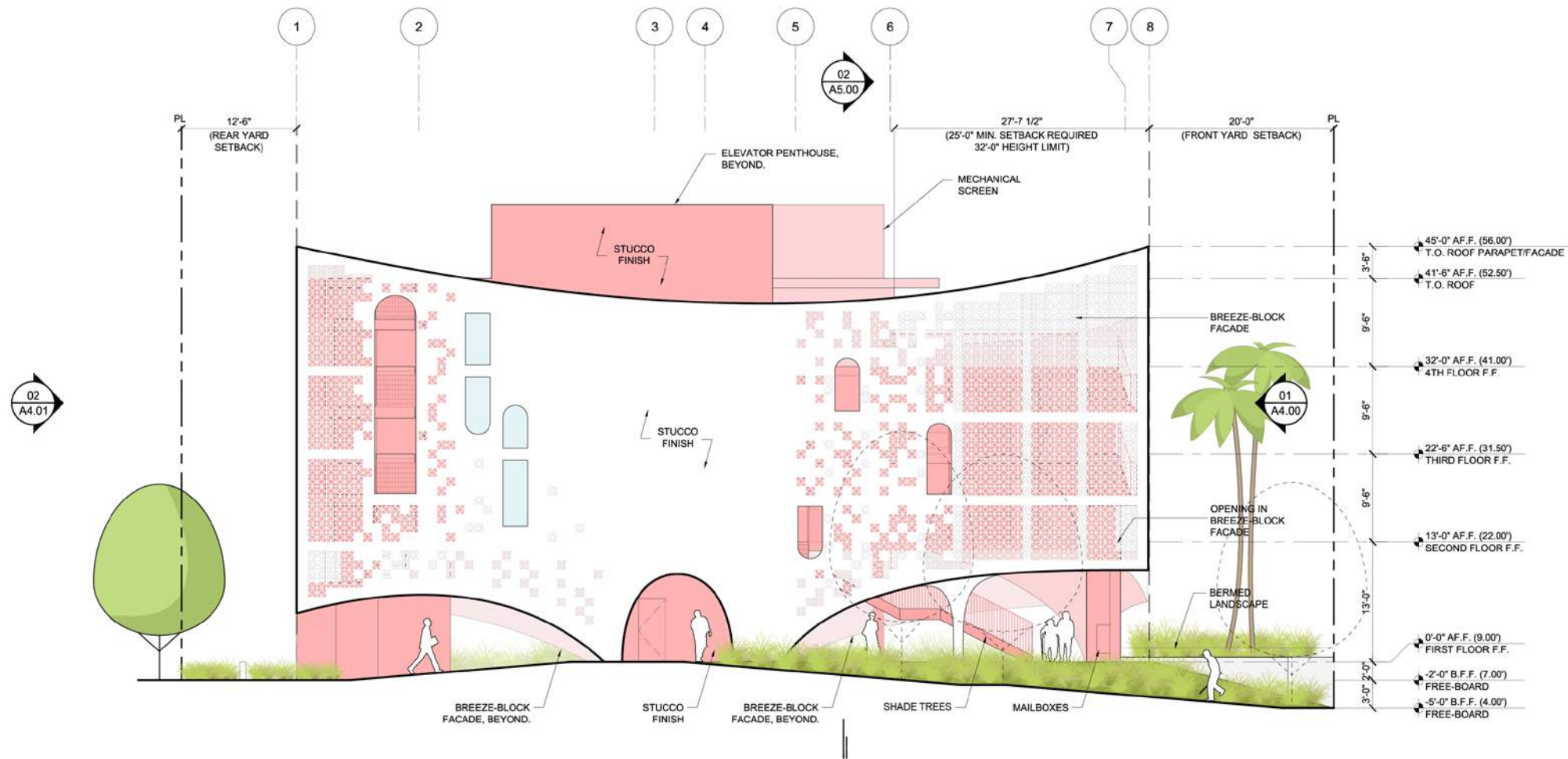
NORTH ELEVATION



SOUTH ELEVATION



WEST ELEVATION



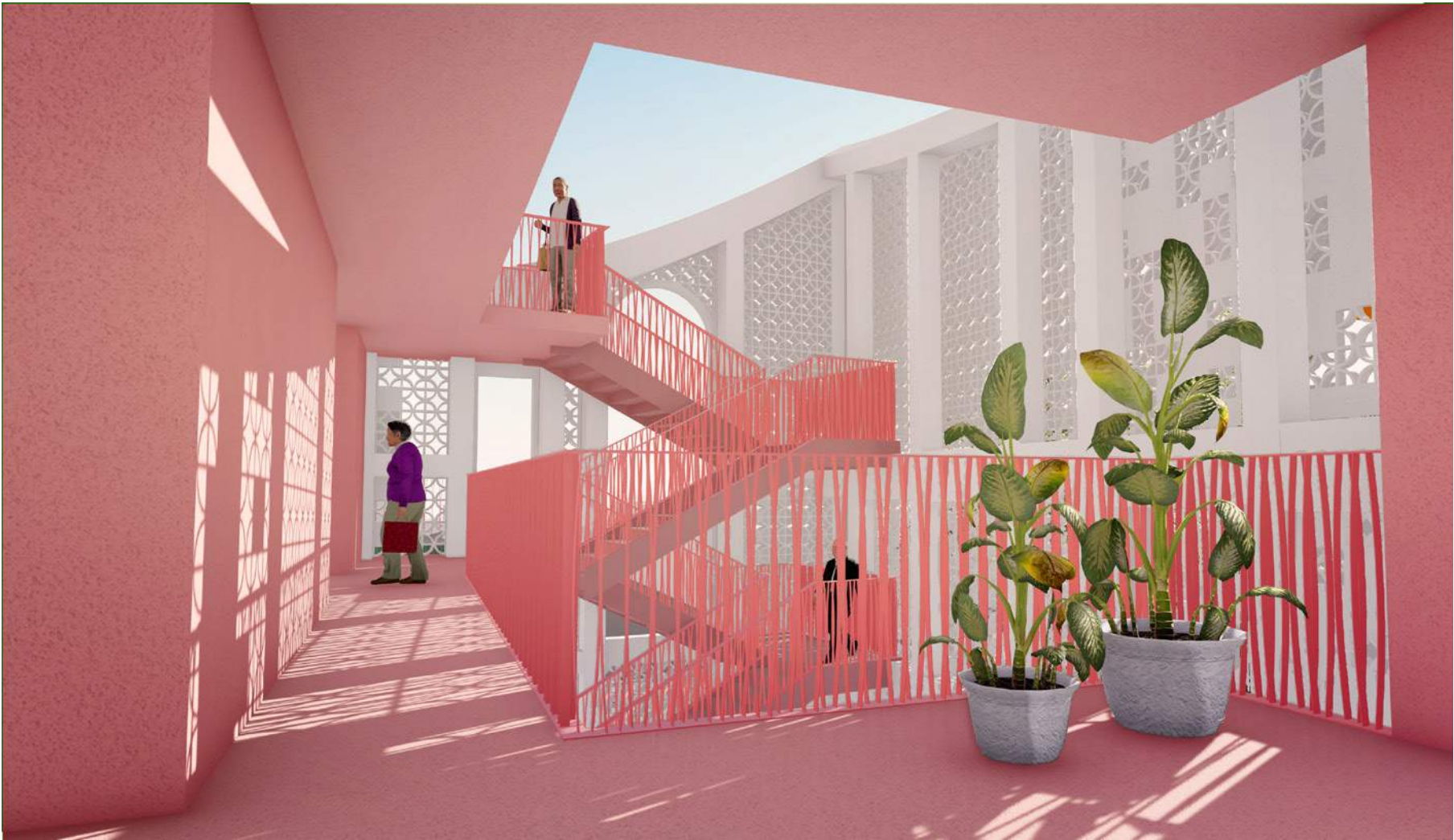
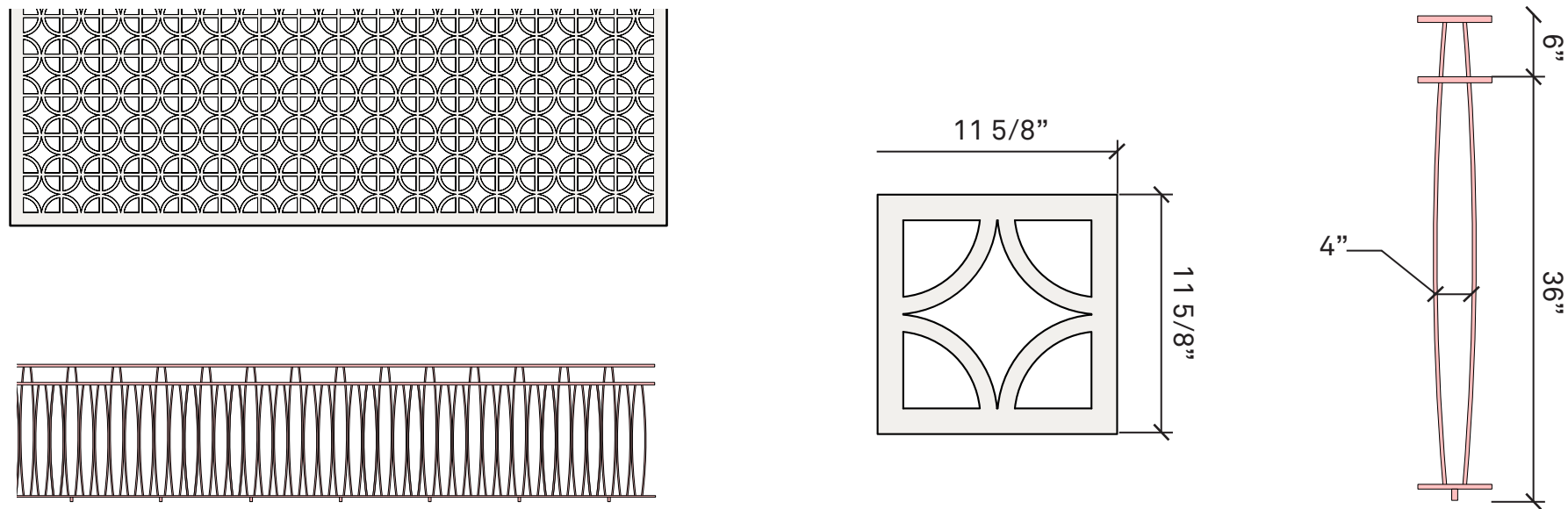
EAST ELEVATION

DESIGN CREATES A
VERTICAL STREET
CONNECTING TO A
ROOF TERRACE

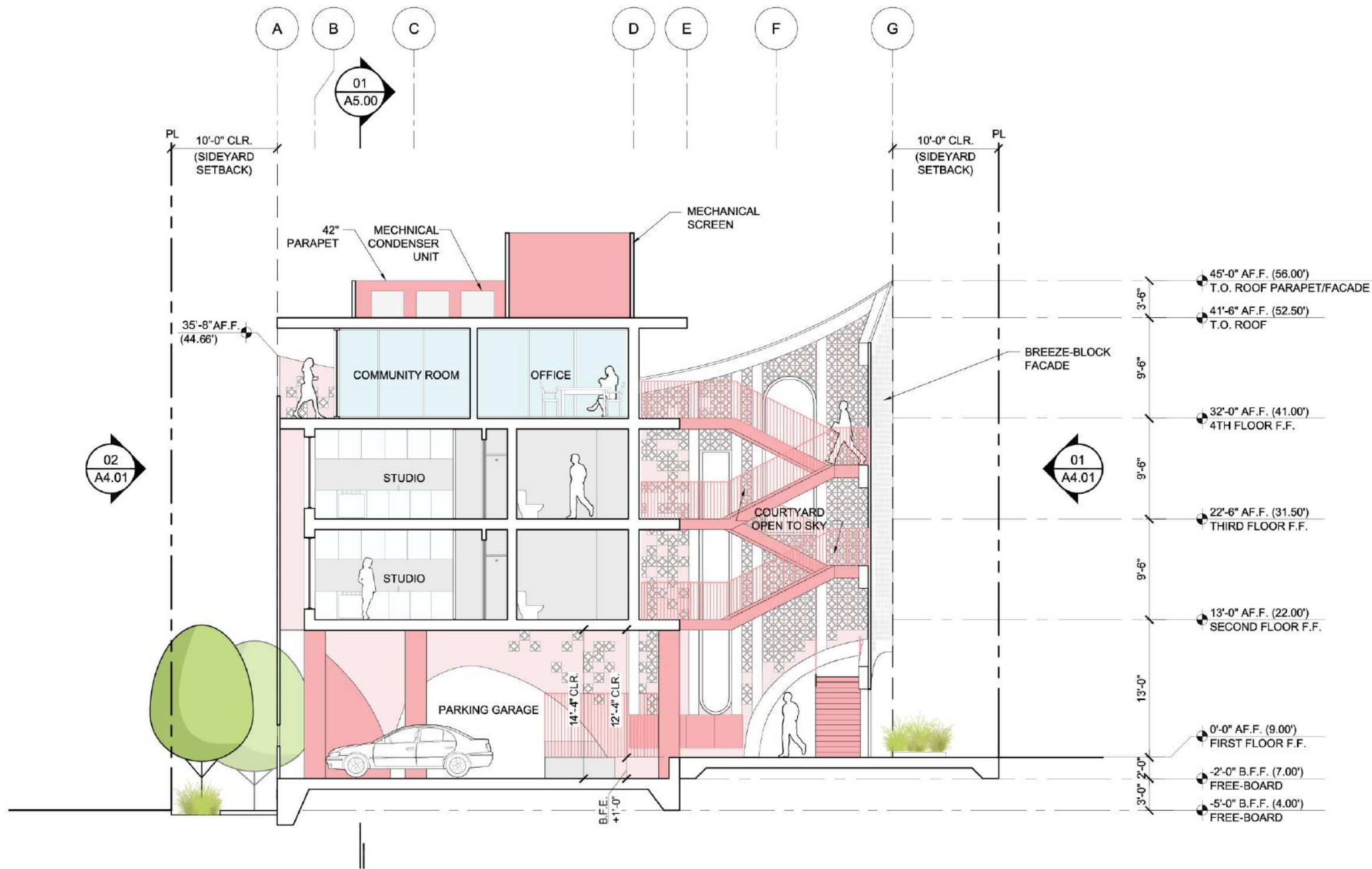
*LET'S TAKE A WALK
THROUGH
THE HERON...*



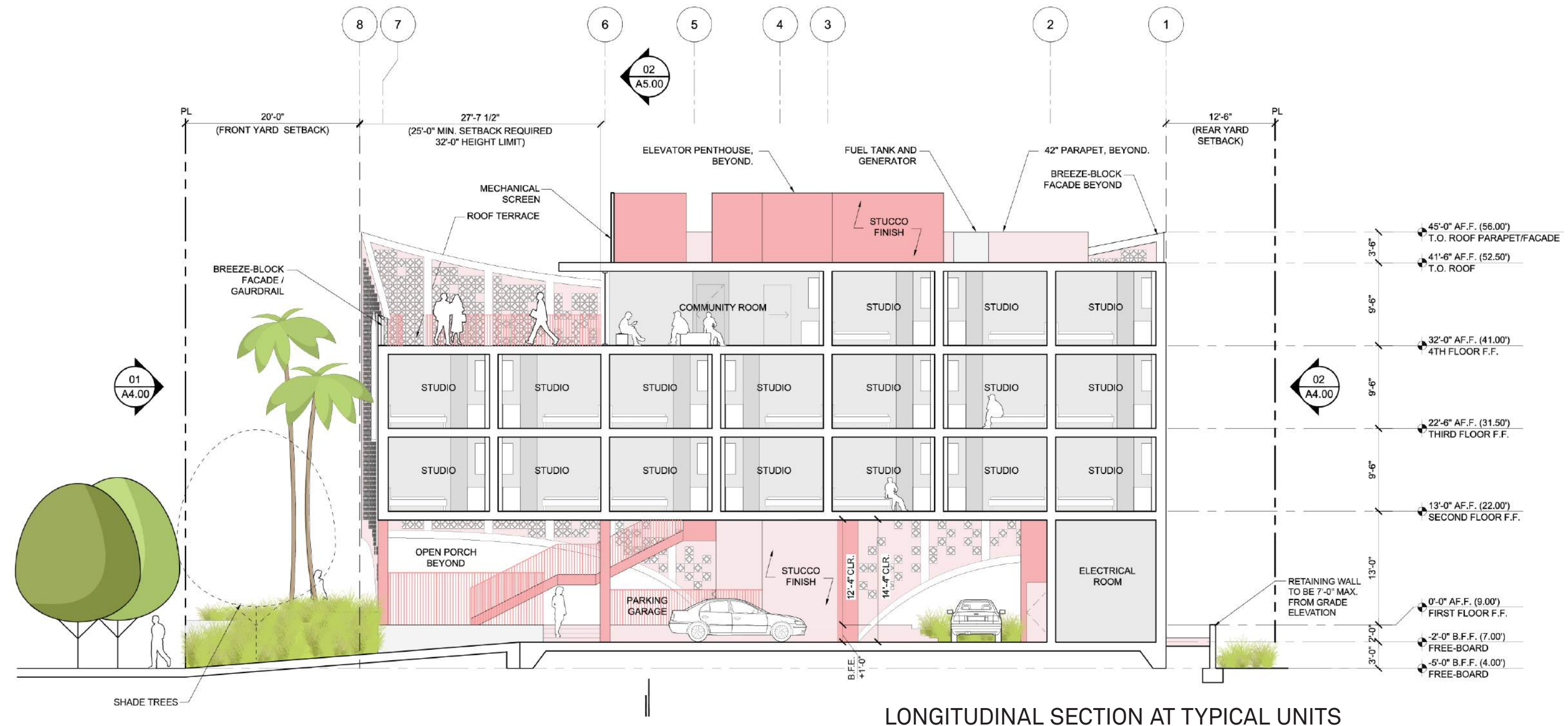
DESIGN / BREEZE BLOCK FACADE & RAILING



DESIGN / SECTIONS



CROSS SECTION AT COURTYARD



DESIGN/ LANDSCAPE PALETTE

LARGE CANOPY
TREES/PALMS



Florida Sabal Palm
Sabal Palmetto



Green Buttonwood
Conocarpus erectus



Live Oak
Quercus virginiana



Autograph Tree
Clusia Rosea

SMALL UNDERSTORY
TREES/LARGE SHRUBS



Spanish Stopper
Eugenia Foetida



Simpson's Stopper
Myrcianthes Fragrans

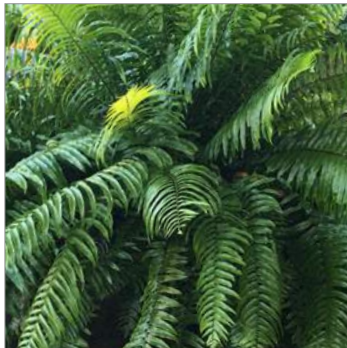
LOW SHRUBS/
GRASSES



Sword Fern
Nephrolepis exaltata



Fakahatchee Grass
Tripsacum dactyloides



Macho Fern
Nephrolepis biserrata



Coontie
Zamia integrifolia



Wart Fern
Phymatosorus scolopendria



12.4W LED Accent Light
Kichler



12V LED Accent Light
Kichler

HARDSCAPE



Miami Beach Red
Concrete



Miami Beach Red
Concrete Sidewalk



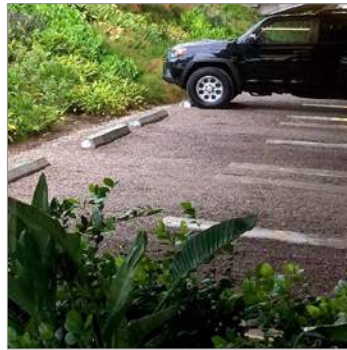
Rock Salt Concrete
Finish



Acid Etch Concrete Finish



Asphalt Block Pavers



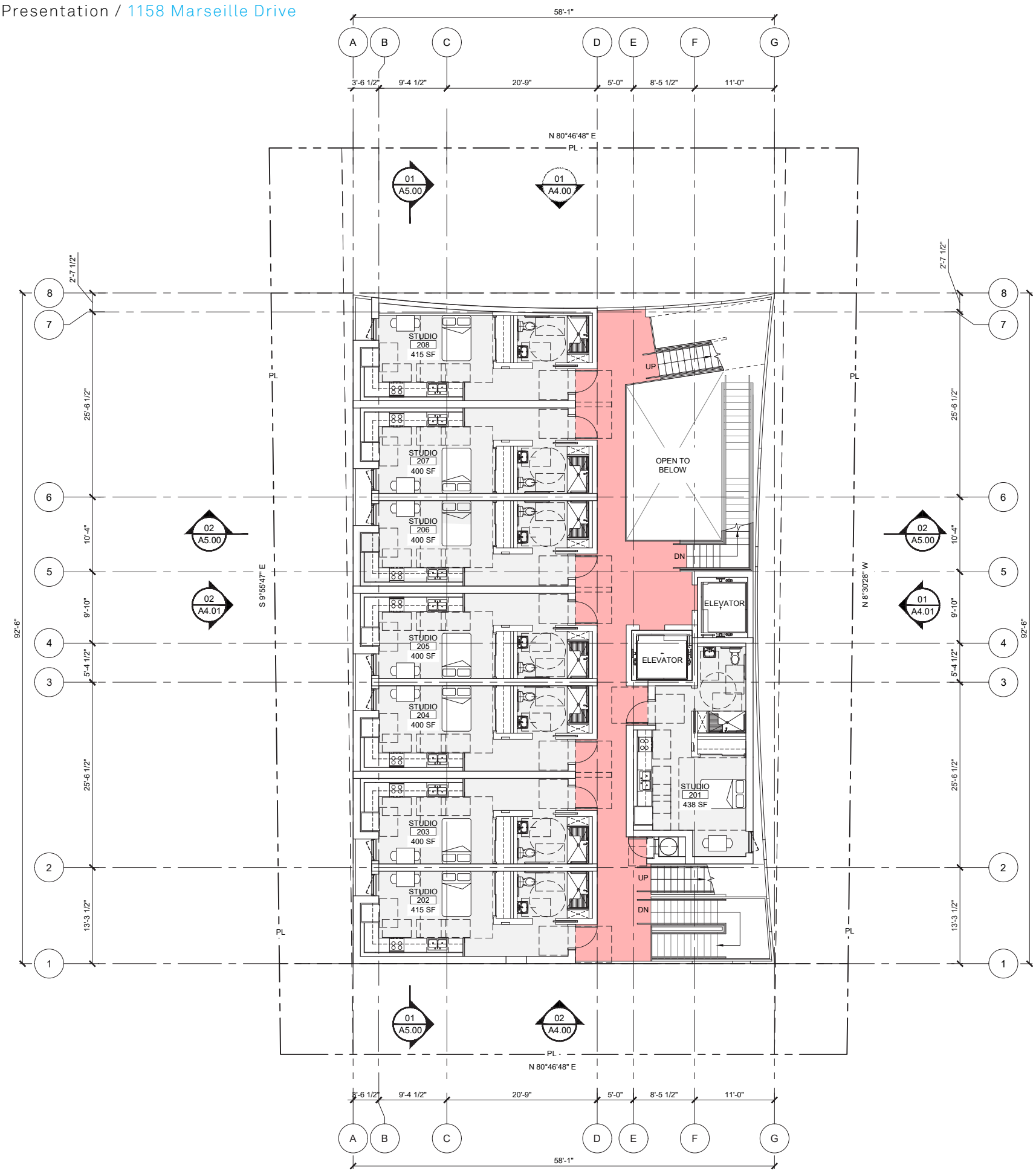
Gravel Pave System



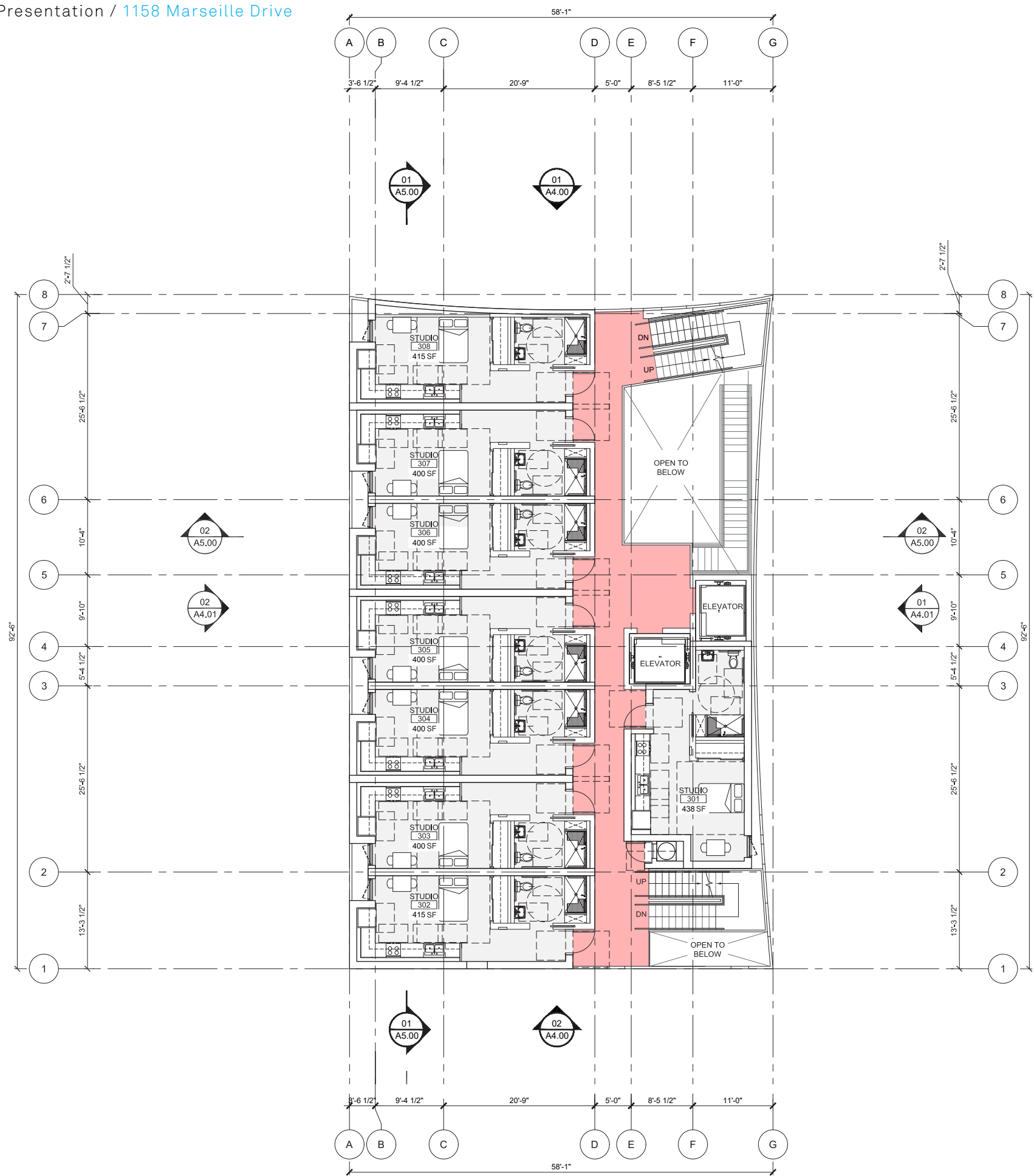
Atala Butterfly
Eumaeus atala

FIRST FLOOR

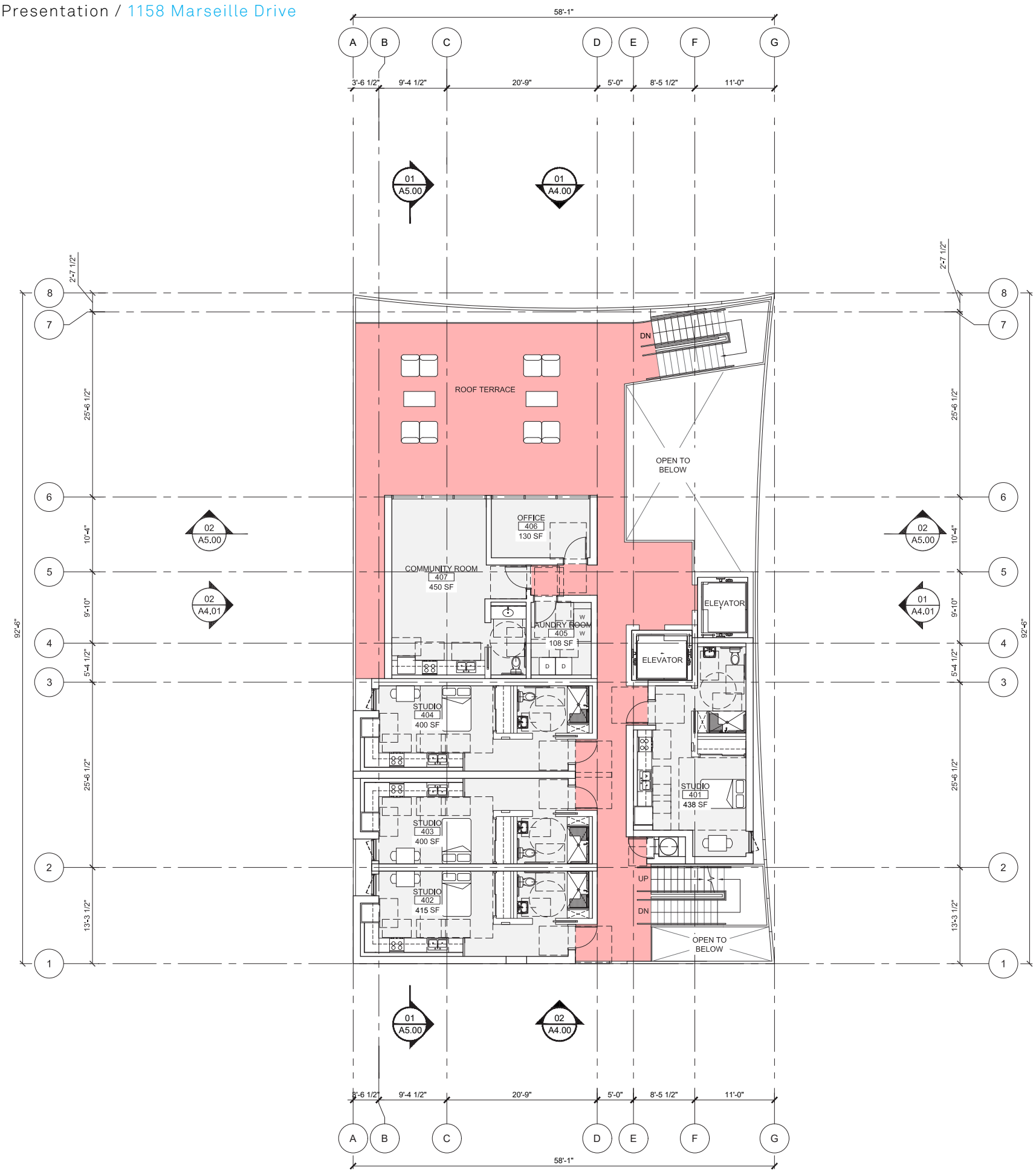




SECOND FLOOR

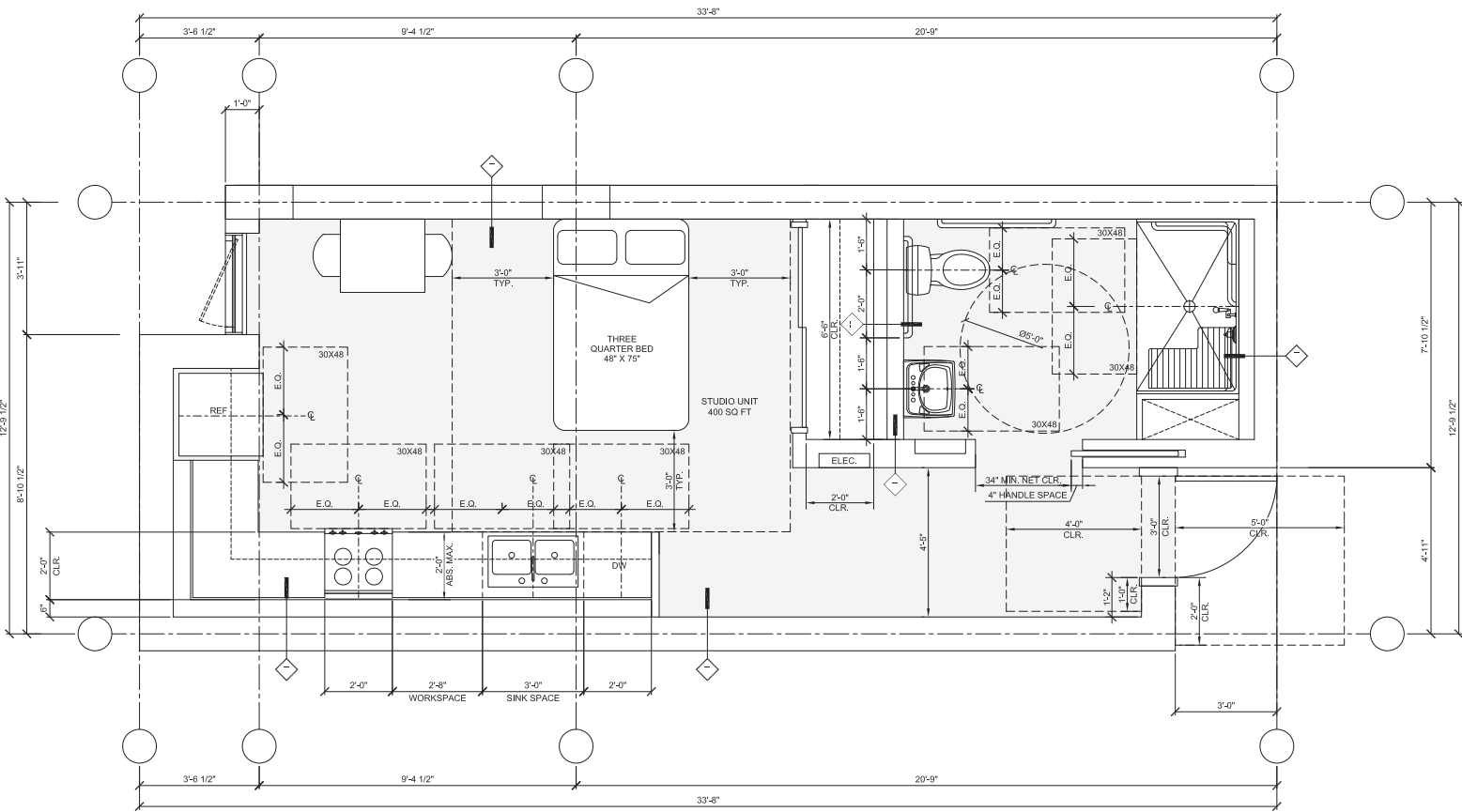


THIRD FLOOR 

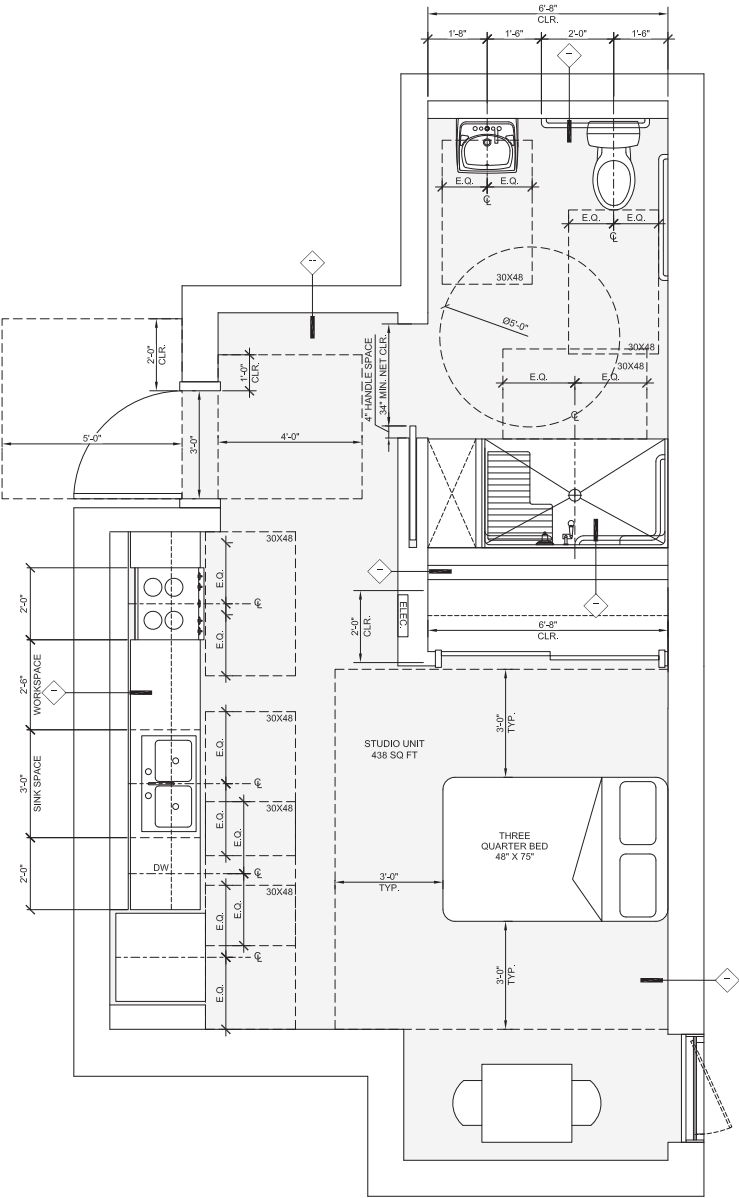


FOURTH FLOOR

DESIGN / UNIT LAYOUTS

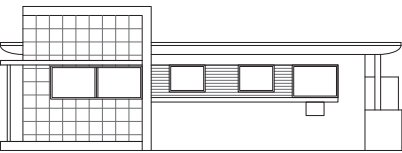


UNIT A: 400-405 SF

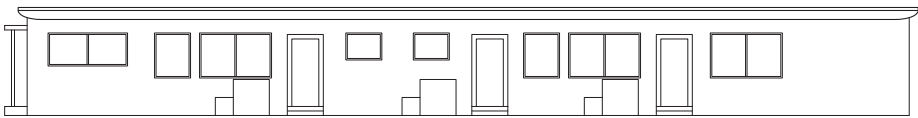


UNIT B: 438 SF

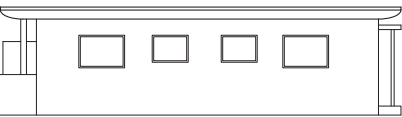




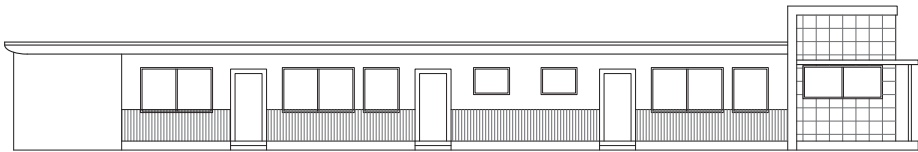
NORTH ELEVATION



WEST ELEVATION



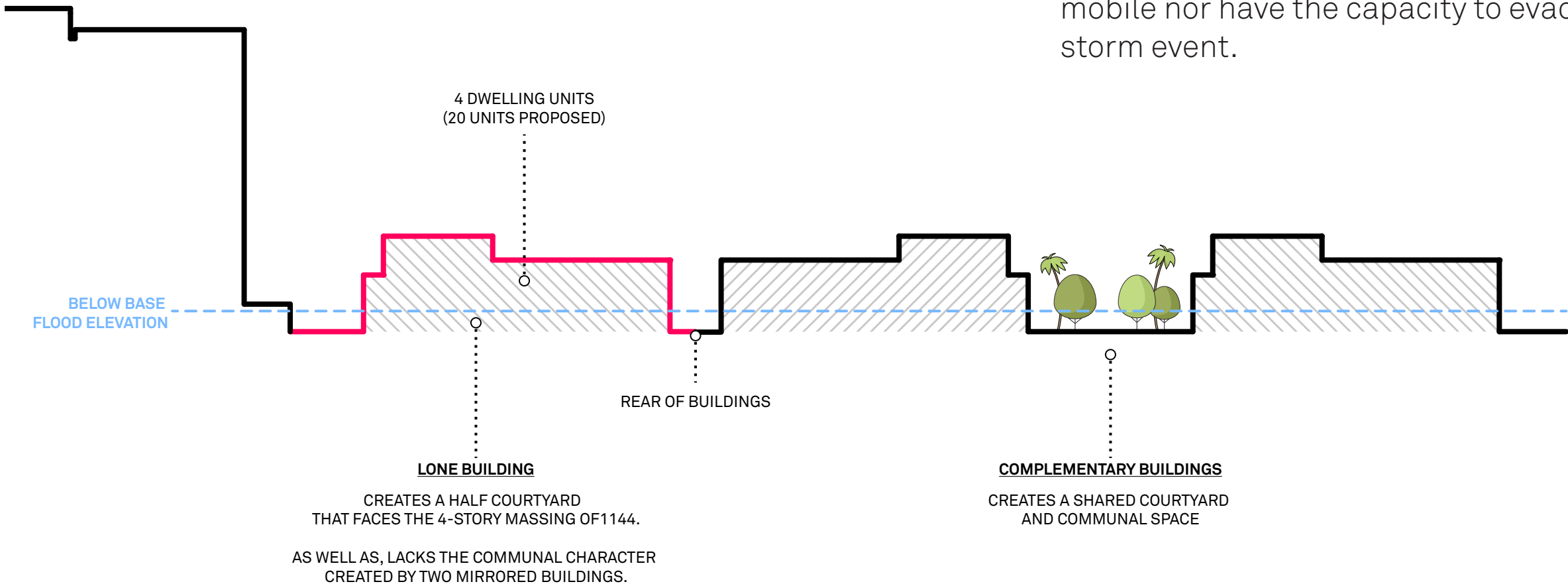
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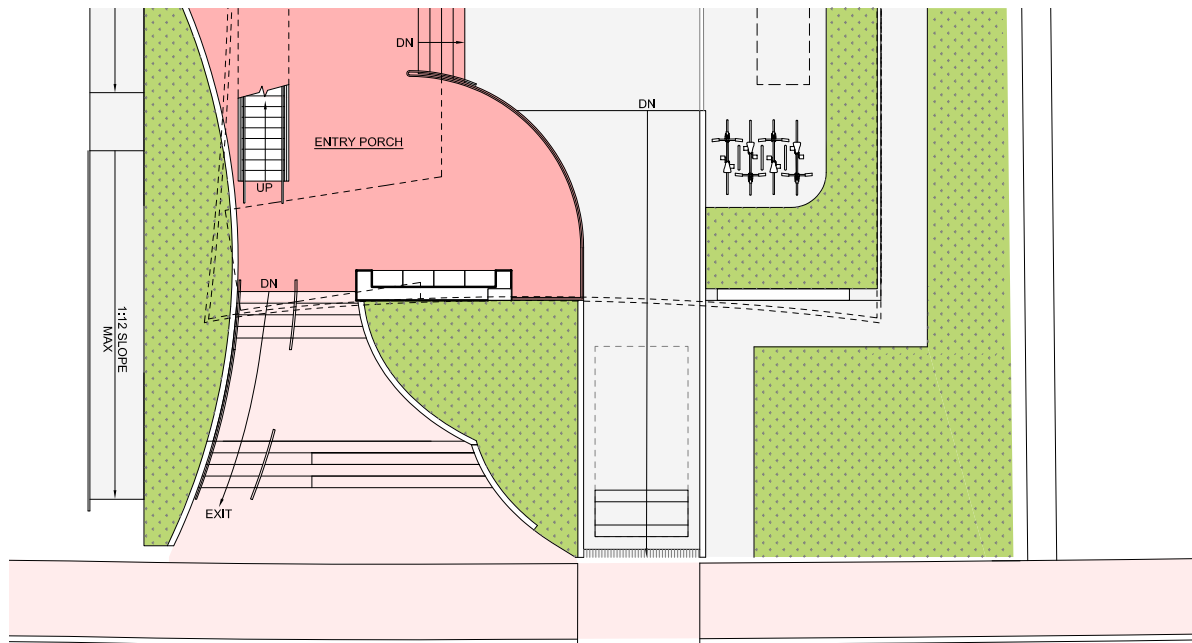
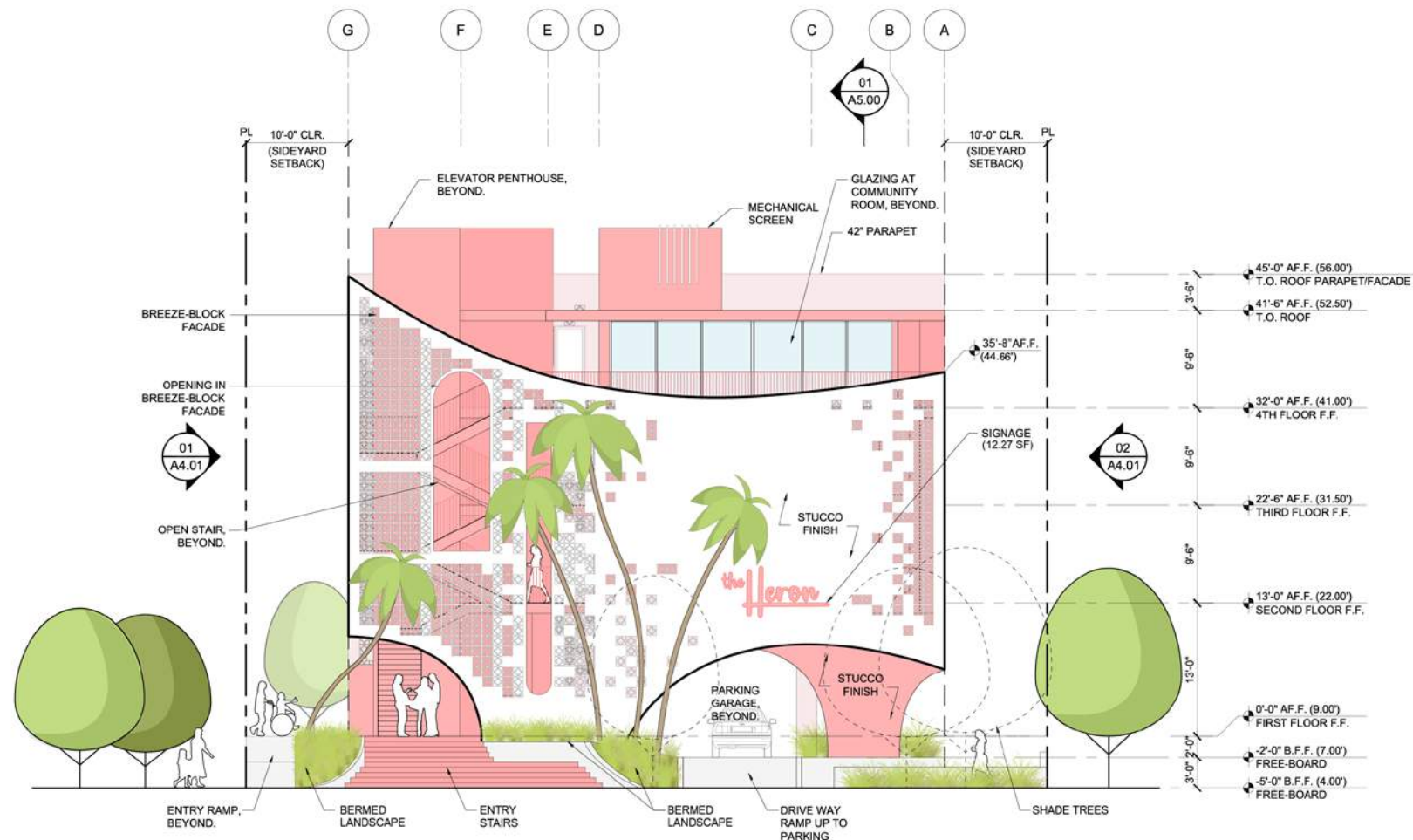


EAST ELEVATION

THE EXISTING BUILDING IS NEITHER SAFE NOR ADEQUATE TO ADDRESS THE CHALLENGES OF PROVIDING AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR THE CITY.

- The existing floor of this building is approximately 3.57 feet below the minimum Design Flood Elevation, making it prohibitively expensive and historically unacceptable. Additionally, the building will still remain vulnerable to destructive flooding.
- It is not safe, especially for elderly who are neither mobile nor have the capacity to evacuate during a storm event.





THE HERON BECOMES A COMMUNITY ASSET
TRANSFORMING THE CURRENT SITE BY PROVIDING 5X
THE AMOUNT OF ELDERLY AFFORDABLE HOUSING THAT
IS SAFE AND DIGNIFIED.

Regarding Variance #1 Sec.142-156(b)(1)

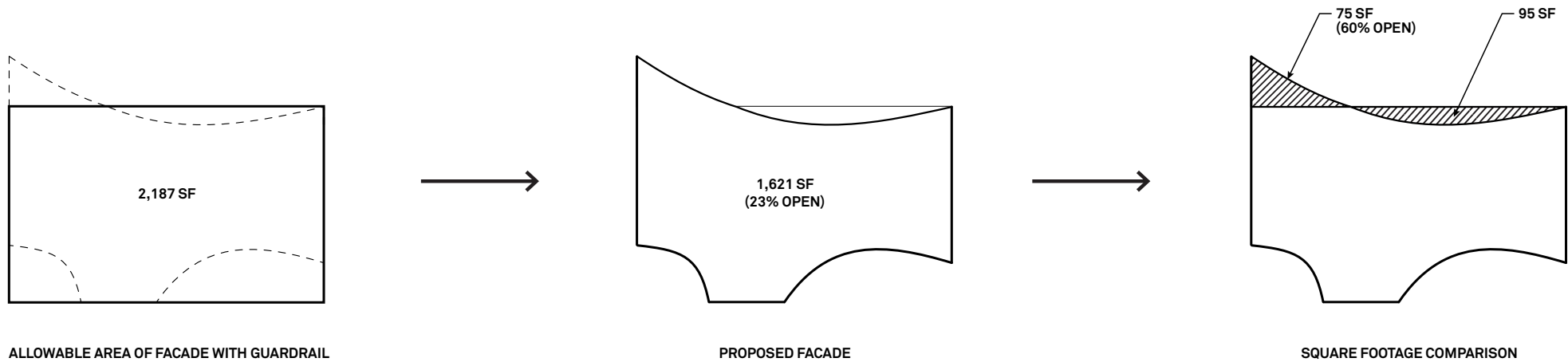
- Providing an active use screening the parking area creates a practical difficulty due to the unique challenges of this building type.
- Elderly residents traversing oncoming traffic with decreased mobility creates potential safety concerns.
- Site has been designed with low impact development features and any covered seating area would be located within the required setback.
- A potential seating area that must accommodate ADA will add impervious ground surface.

Regarding Variance #2 Sec. 130-63

- We appreciate staff’s recommended approval of the reduction in the width of the 22’-0” interior drive aisle to 19’-3”.

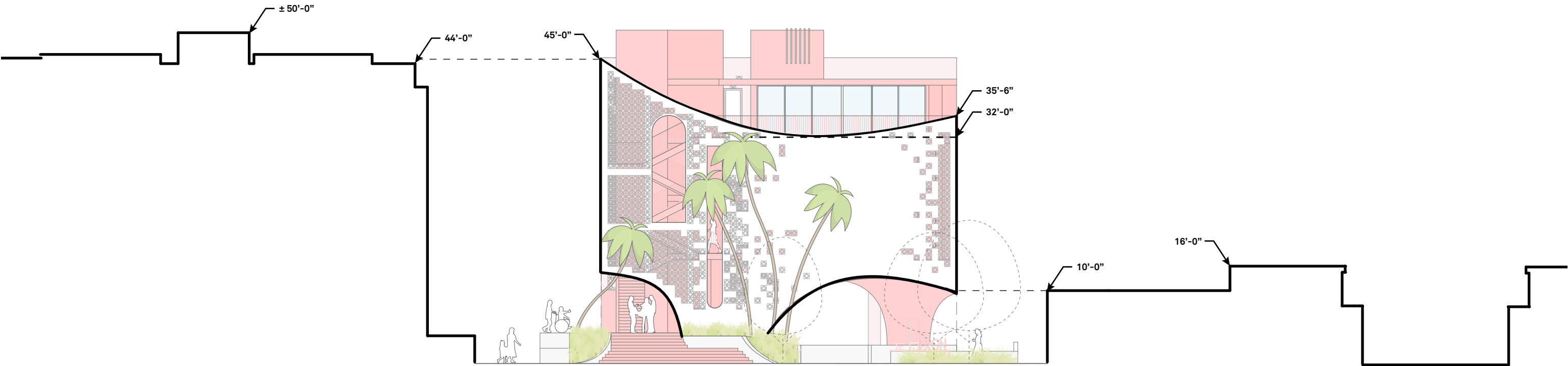


DESIGN / BUILDING HEIGHT DIAGRAM

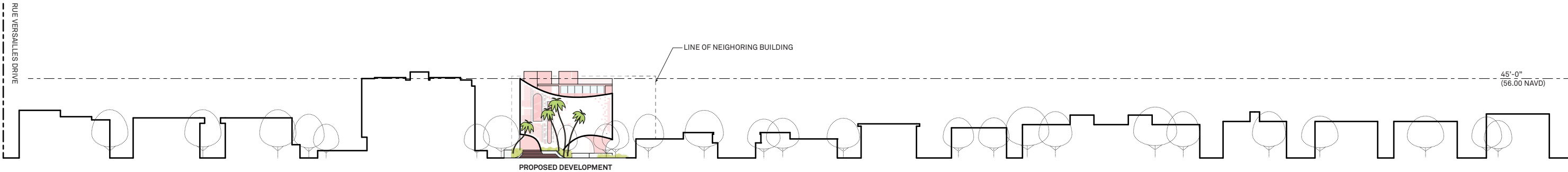


The design seeks to blend existing and proposed developments adjacent to the subject property. The massing of the proposed structure is carefully designed and meets the overlay district criteria for step backs and setbacks. The design team is considering “stepping down” the mass from 1144 to 1168 Marseille Drive. The front elevation comprises a breeze block screen that marks entry and provides maximum openness while creating shade for residents and pedestrians alike. The diagrams above provide the allowable area and the proposed façade that demonstrates the designers intention of creating a very open and figural elevation with significantly less mass and solid wall than is allowed by regulation. The total allowable façade per regulation would be 2,187 SF while the proposed design has 1,621 SF and is also 23% open due to the breeze block design.

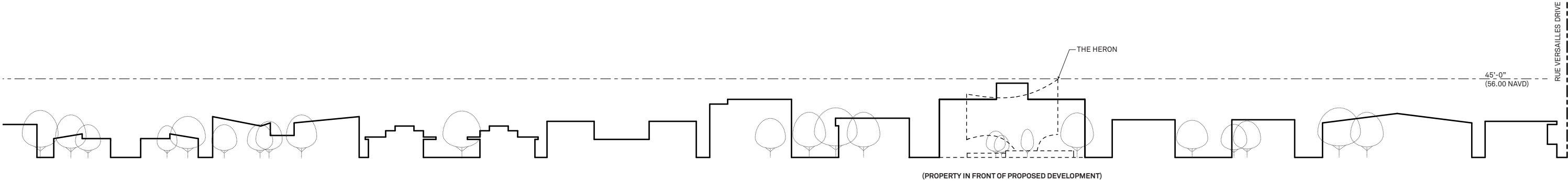
Furthermore, the area that does rise above the 35’-6” height (32’-0” allowable with an additional guardrail height of 42”) is only 75 SF and is also 60% open with breeze block. In fact, the design team has reduced the allowable upper portion by 95 SF as illustrated in the diagrams.



DESIGN / CONTEXT ELEVATIONS



NORTH ELEVATION: MARSEILLE DRIVE

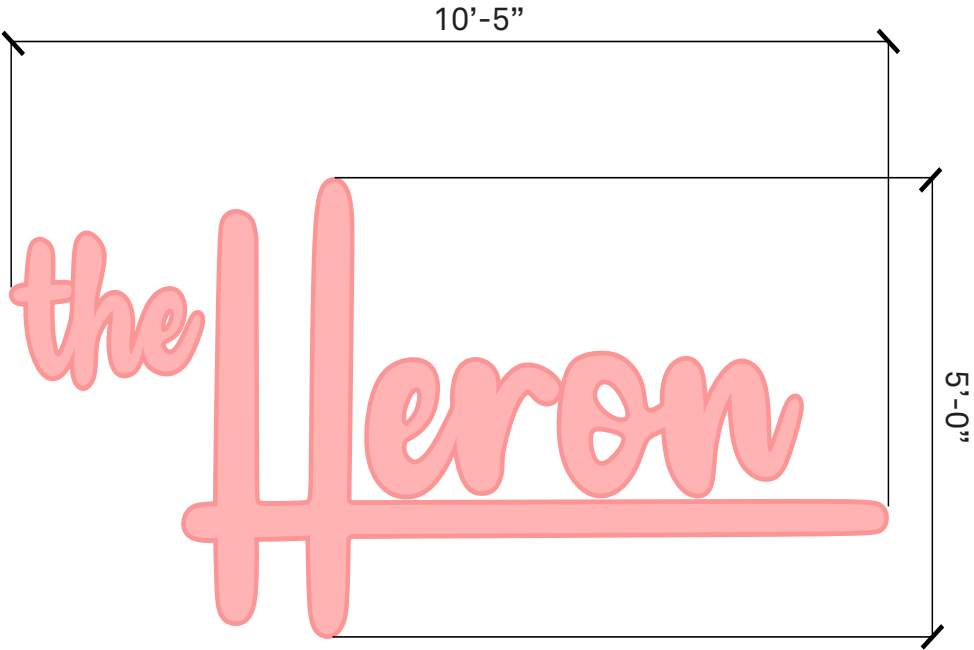


SOUTH ELEVATION: MARSEILLE DRIVE

DESIGN / SIGNAGE TYPE AND LOCATION



SIGNAGE: 12.25 SF



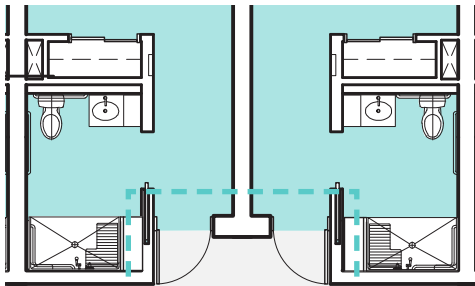
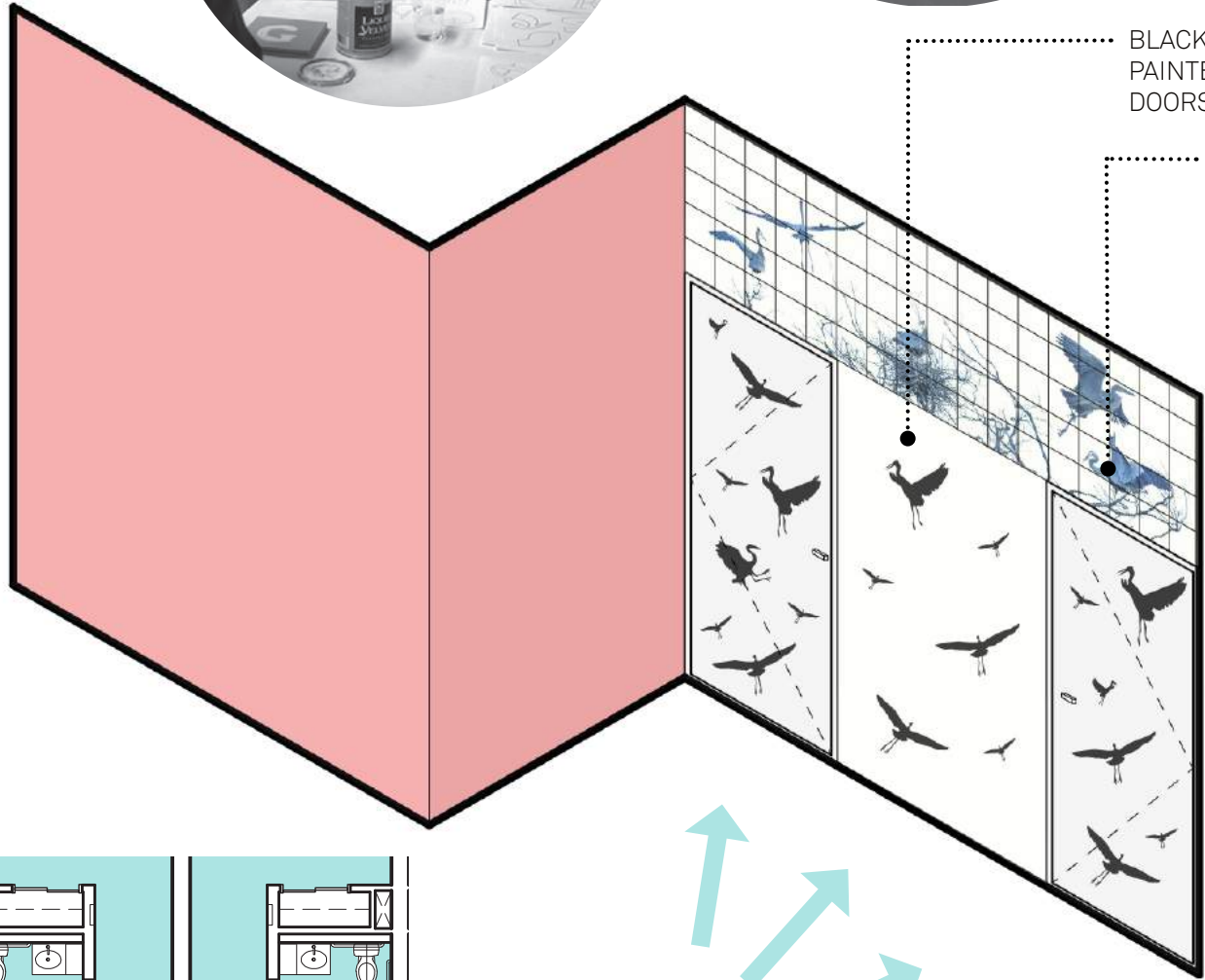
NOTE: Signage will be illuminated. Lighting and design to be detailed further as the project progresses.

DESIGN / UNIT ENTRY



BLACK AND WHITE
PAINTED HERON ON
DOORS + WALLS

CUSTOM TILE GRAPHIC
OF HERON OVER UNIT
DOORS



UNIT ENTRY VIEW

