# **BZA Application No. 21158**

629 South Carolina Avenue, SE 629 SC, LLC September 18, 2024

Board of Zoning Adjustment
District of Columbia
CASE NO.21158
EXHIBIT NO.28

Sullivan & Barros, LLP



## **Overview and Requested Relief**

- The Property is located in the RF-1 Zone and is improved with a three-story + cellar single-family row dwelling. The Applicant is proposing to construct a three-story + cellar rear addition to the Building.
- Pursuant to E-203.2, all structures in the RF-1 zone are limited to a height of 35 feet. The Addition will increase the height of the Building to 36.2 feet. Accordingly, the Applicant is requesting special exception approval pursuant to E-5203.1.
- The Office of Planning recommends approval.
- ANC 6B voted unanimously in support.
- The Architect of the Capitol has no objection.
- Capitol Hill Restoration Society is in support.
- Letters in support from both adjacent neighbors and from the neighbor directly abutting to the rear.



# Covered porch with conc. stair from grade to first floor 627 S. Carolina Ave. SE Lot 0822 Square 0876 629 S. Carolina Ave. SE Lot 0014 Square 0876 Existing 2 Story Brick w/ — Cellar and Attic 63 | S. Carolina Ave. SE Lot 0022 Square 0876 Note: Roof slopes down from each side of ridge.— - Existing two story masonry w/ craw\space to be removed 3 Story Frame Addition w/ Cellar — Cantilevered balconies at 2nd and 3rd floors Conc. patio at cellar level w/ masonry steps to grade ── Wood fence

# RENOVATION and REAR ADDITION at 629 S. Carolina Ave. SE

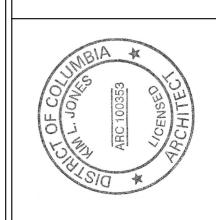
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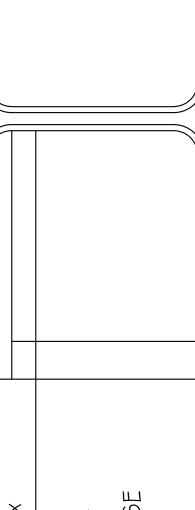
\* INERIOR RENOVATION of EXISTING with THREE STORY REAR ADDITION

BUILDING DATA	
ADDRESS	629 S, CAROLINA AVE. SE
LOCATION	LOT: 0014 SQUARE: 0876
ZONE	RF-I
OVERLAY	CAPITOL HISTORIC DISTRICT
USE GROUP	SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING
LOT AREA	1701 SF
ALLOWABLE LOT OCCUPANCY	60.0%
EXISTING LOT OCCUPANCY	586.4 SF = 43%
PROPOSED LOT OCCUPANCY	1017.3 SF = 59.8%
ALLOWABLE BUILDING HEIGHT	35FT
PROPOSED BUILDING HEIGHT	36.2 SF
MINIMUM REAR YARD	20 Ft
EXISTING REAR YARD	48.2 Ft
PROPOSED REAR YARD	36.2 Ft

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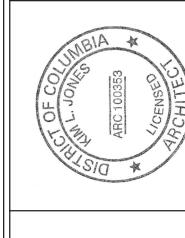
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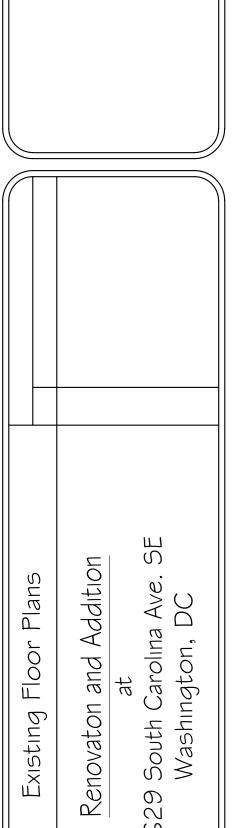
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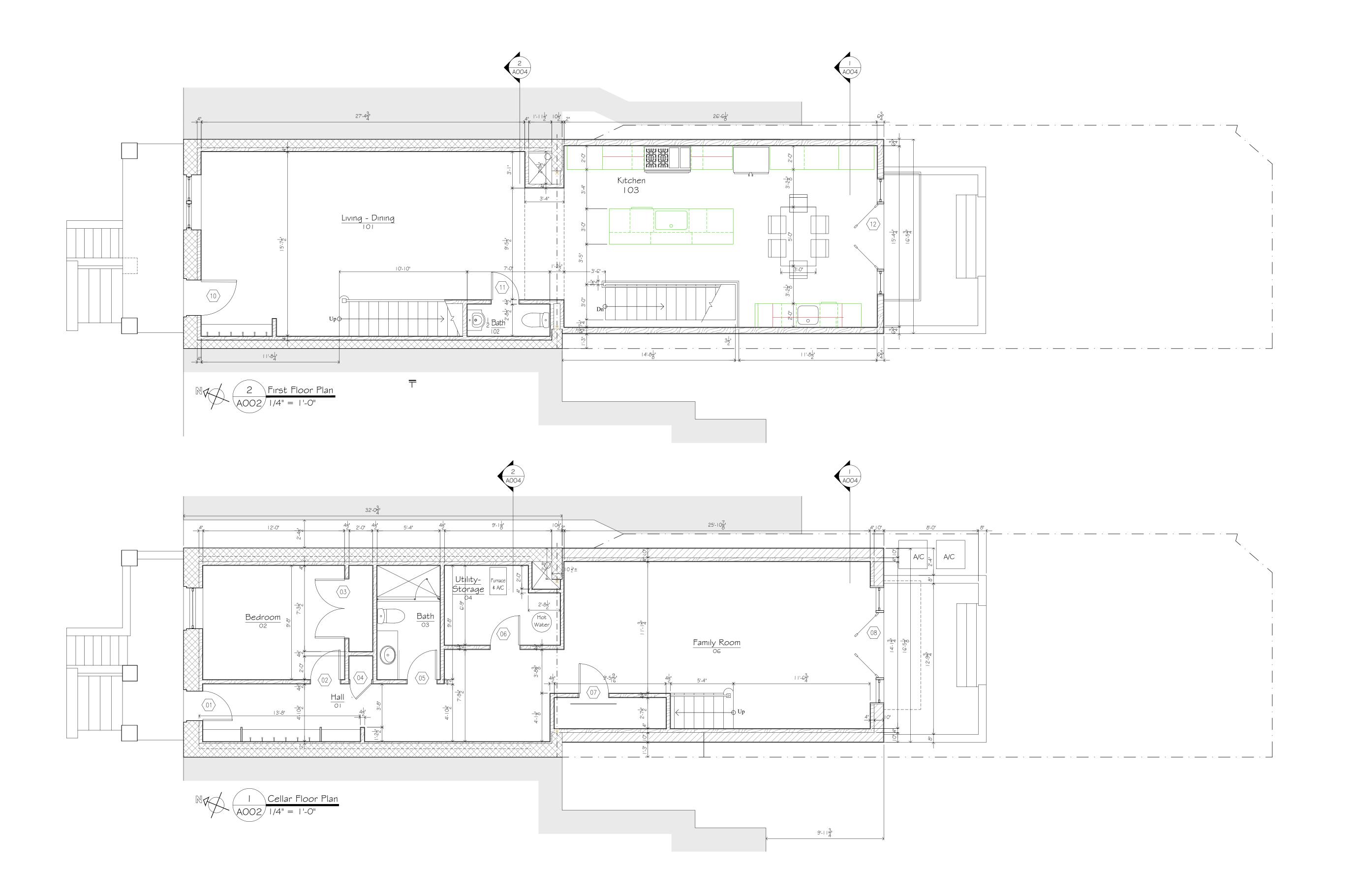
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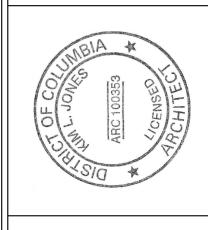


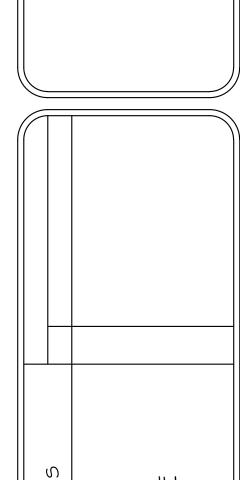
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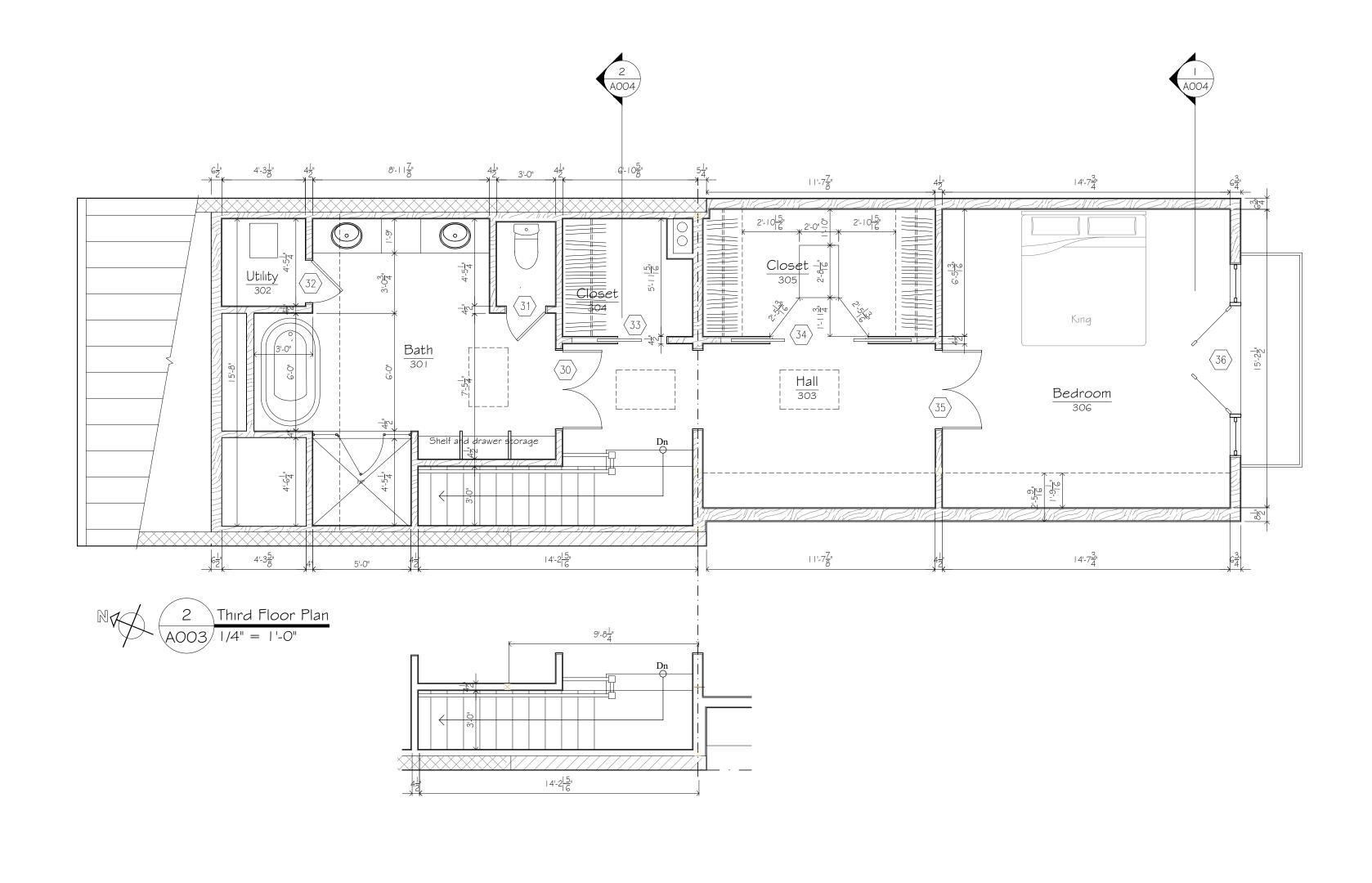


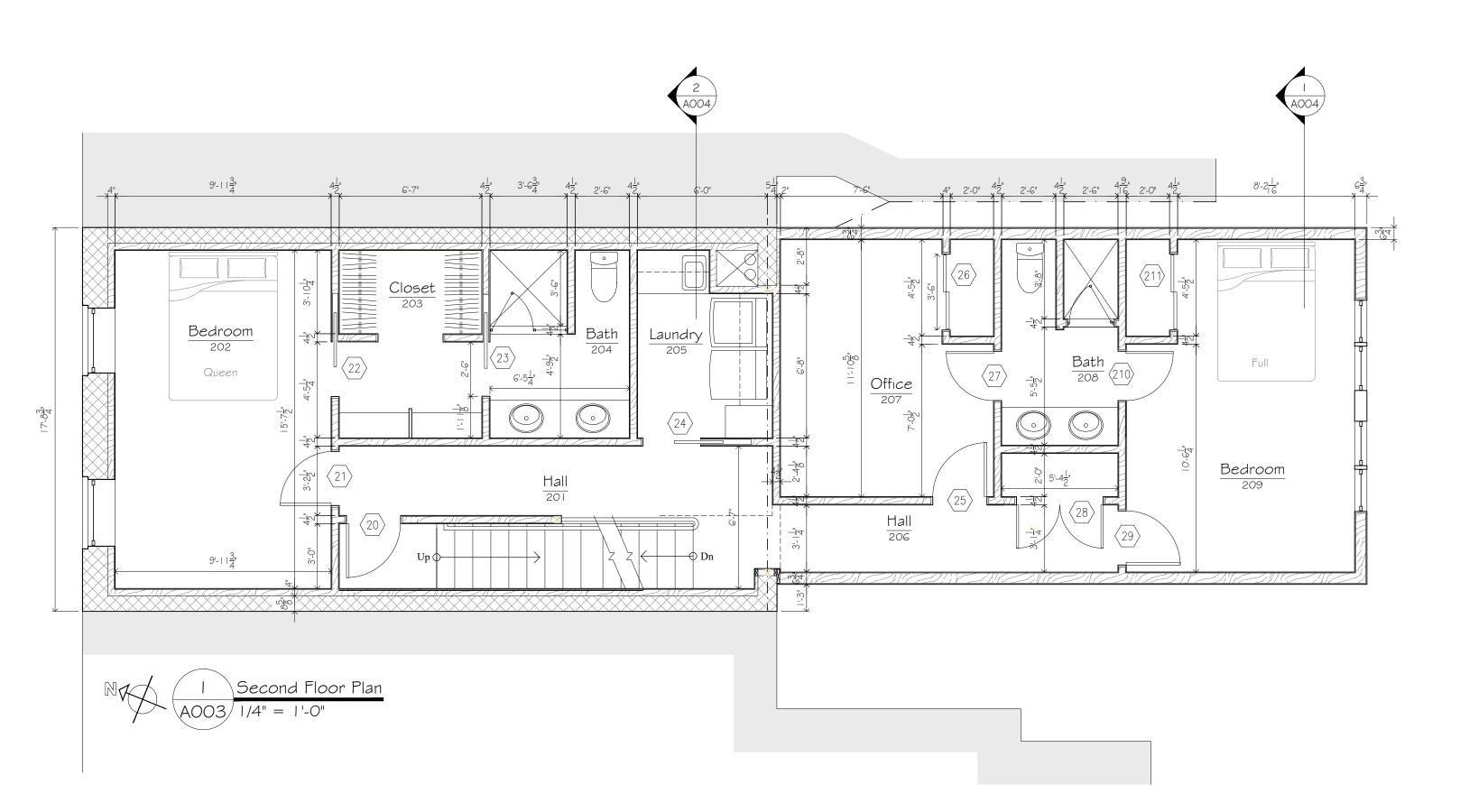


Cellar and First Floor Plans
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Second and Third Floor Plans

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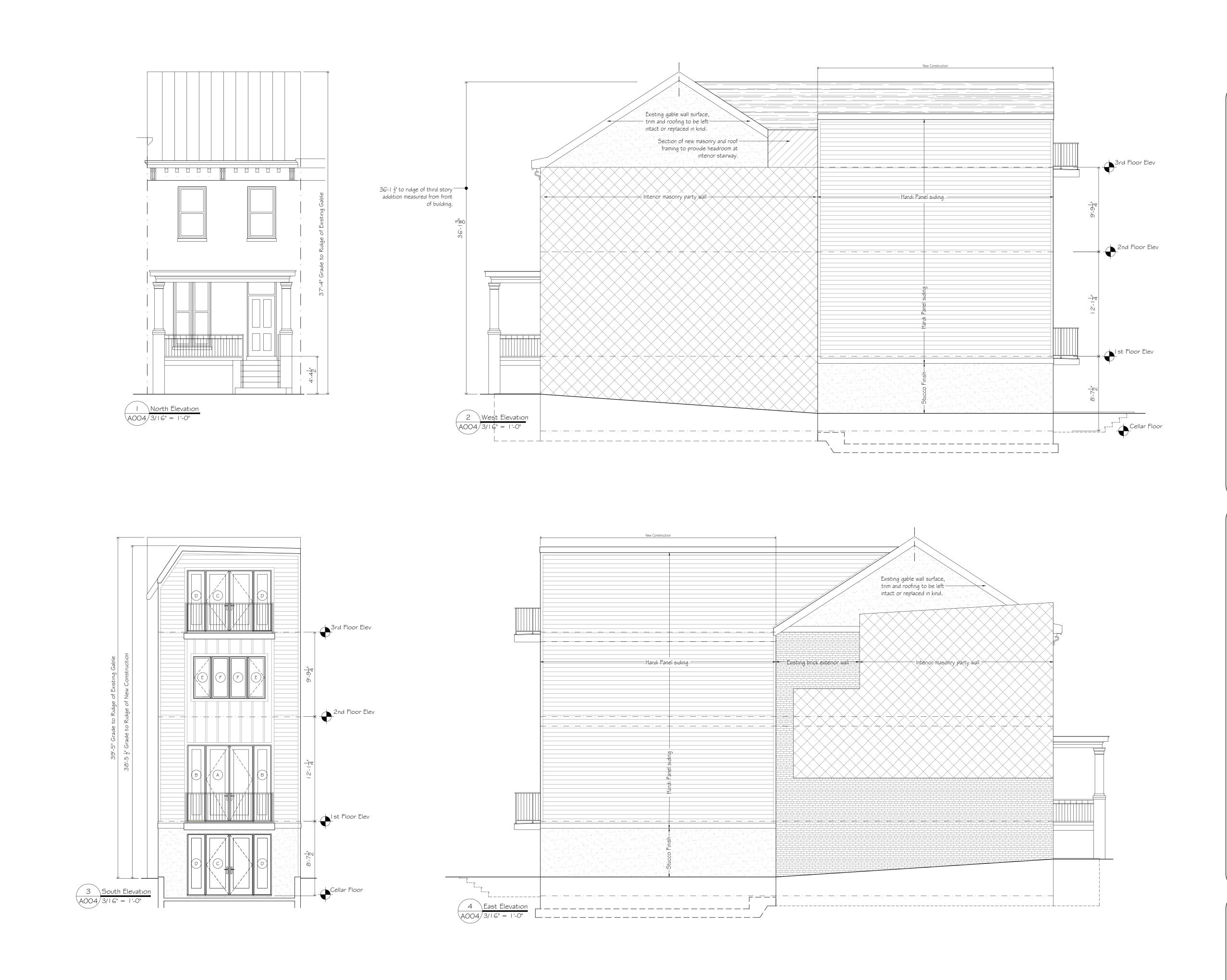
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Exterior Elevations

Renovaton and Addition

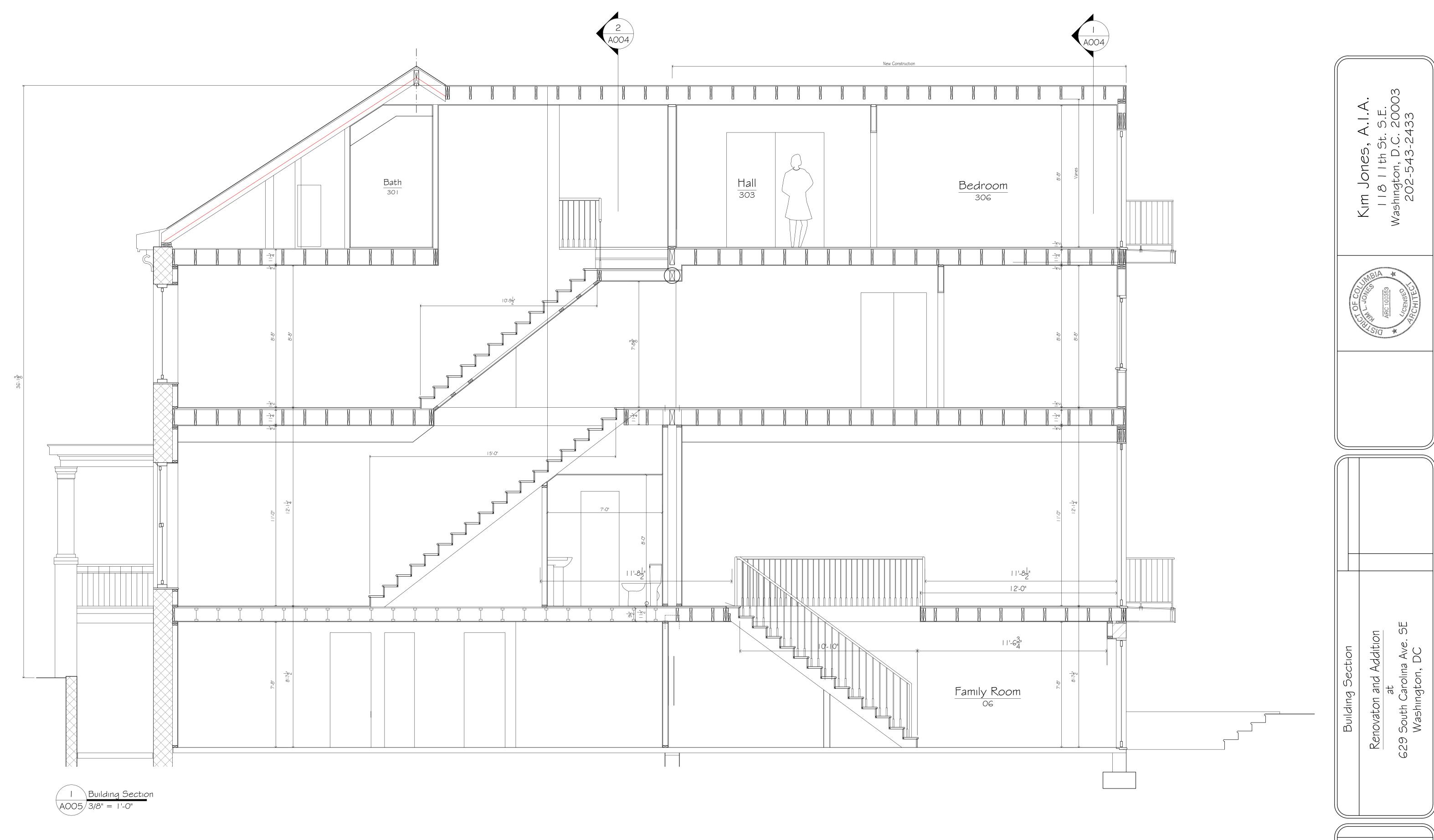
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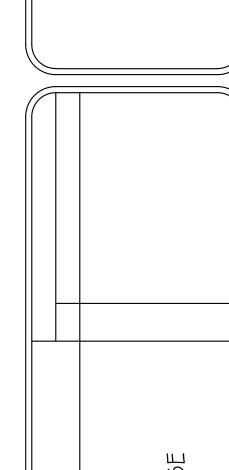
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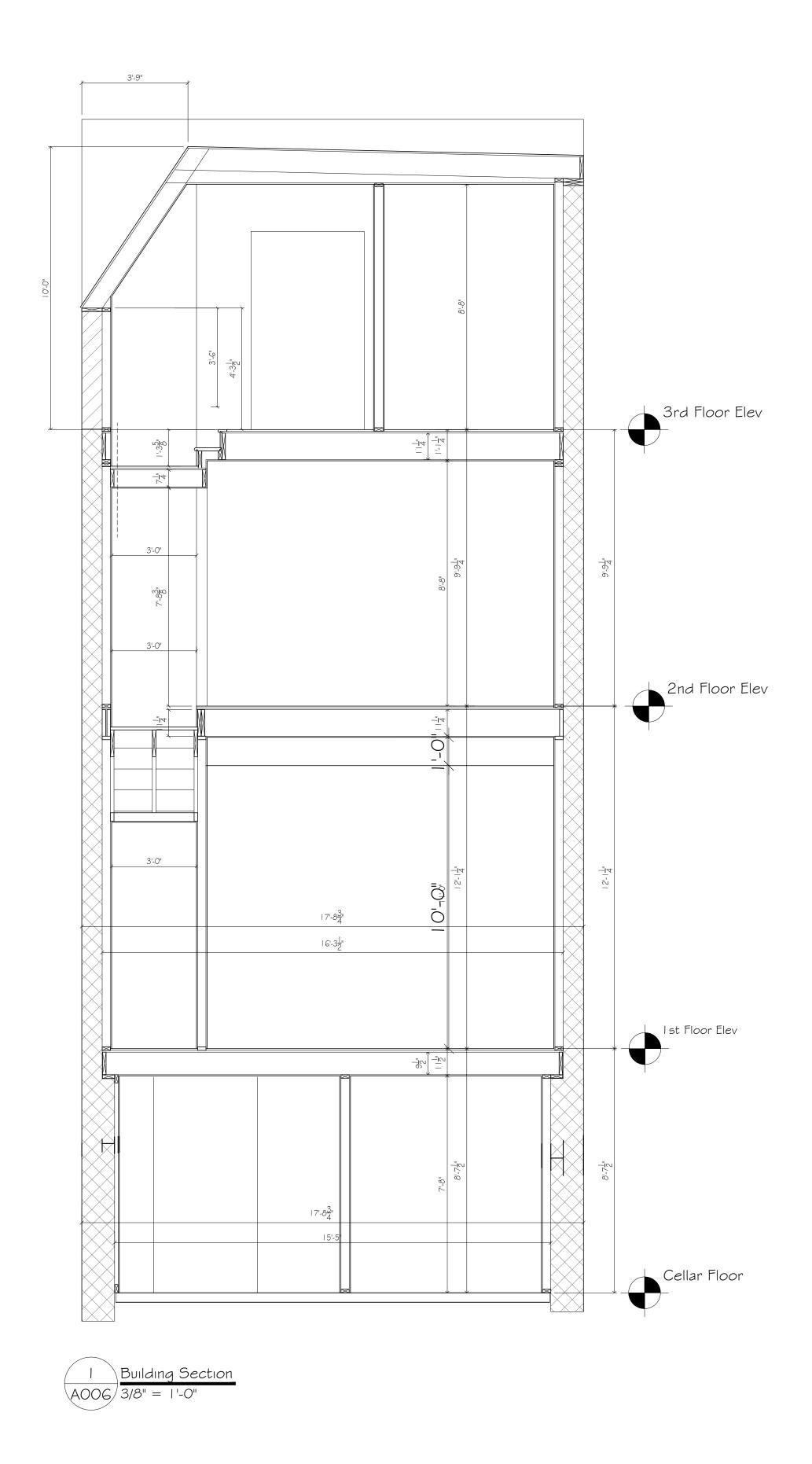
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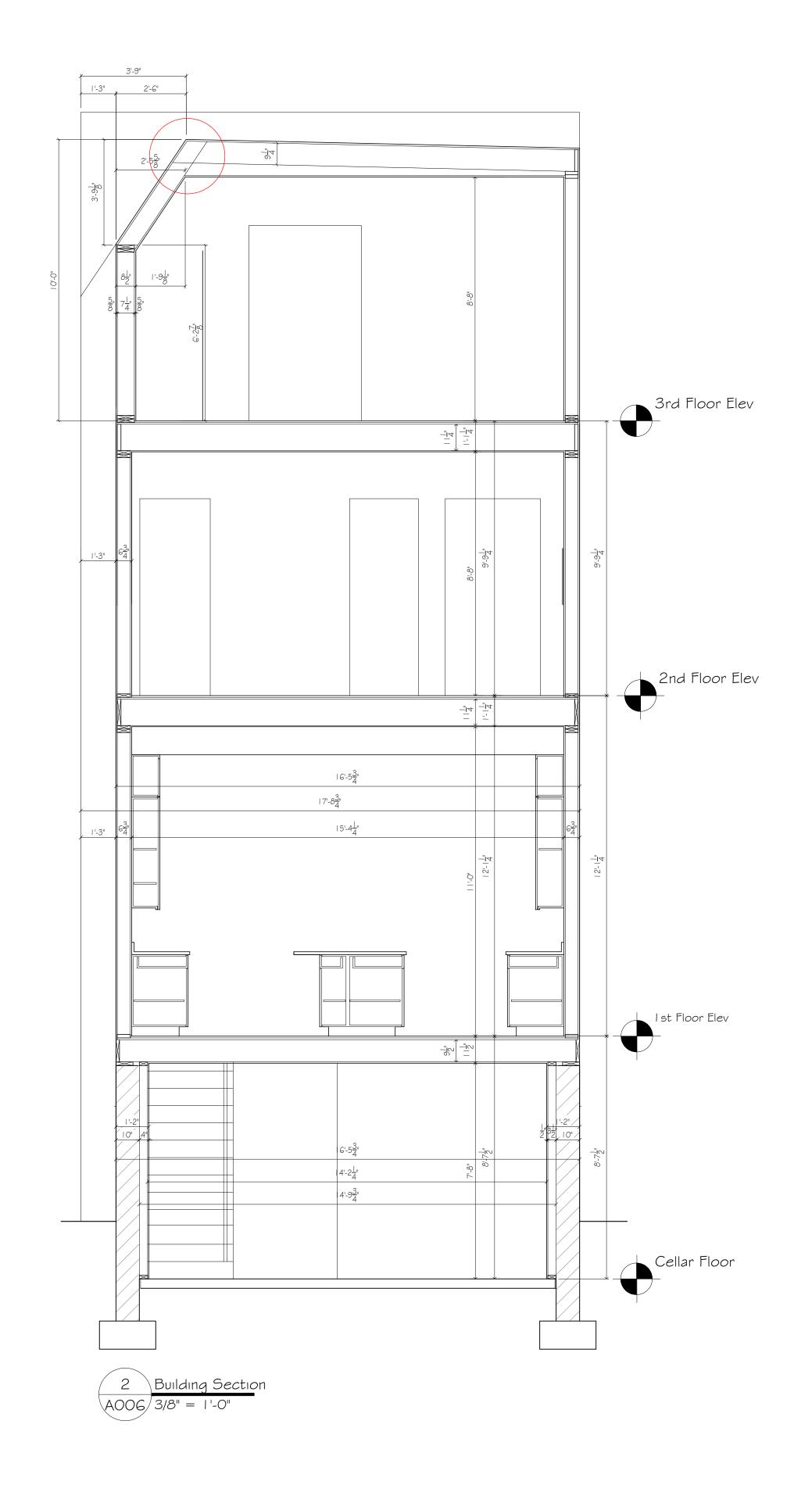




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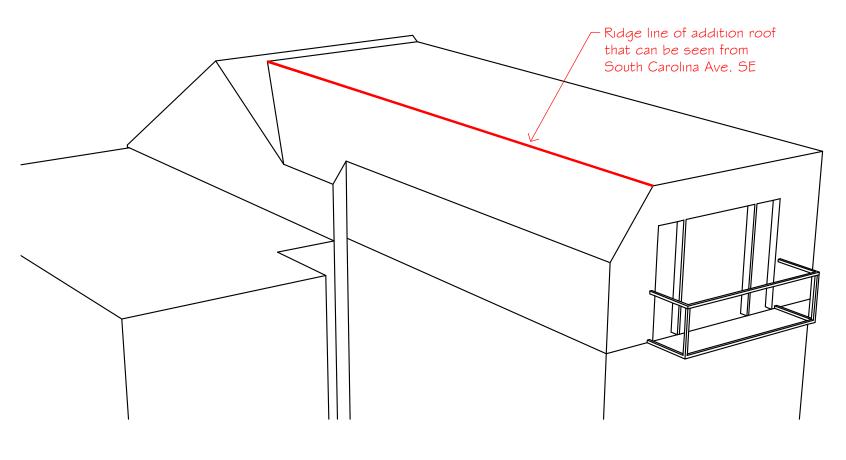
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Existing Front View from S. Carolina Ave. SE





Sketch showing location of ridge of addition visible from S. Carolina Ave. SE



Rear view of existing looking toward 627 S. Carolina Ave. SE



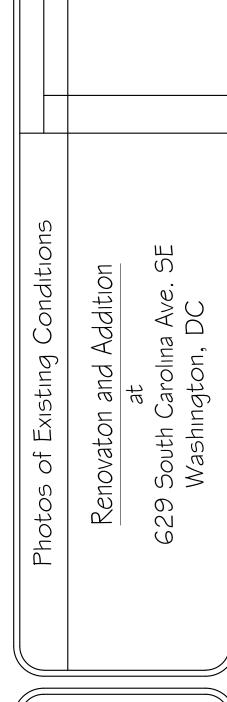
View of rear of existing from driveway on E Street



Vicinity Map



Rear view of existing looking toward 63 | S. Carolina Ave. SE



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# **General Requirements of Subtitle X § 901.2**

Criteria	Project
1) "Granting relief will be in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Regulations, and Zoning Maps."	"The purpose of the RF-1 zone is to provide for areas predominantly developed with row houses on small lots within which no more than two (2) dwelling units are permitted." The Property will remain a single-family row dwelling. The proposed height is permitted via special exception approval. Accordingly, the proposed Addition will be in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Regulations and Zoning Maps.
2) "Granting relief will not tend to affect adversely, the Use of Neighboring Property in accordance with the Zoning Regulations and Zoning Maps."	As described more fully on the next slide, the Proposed addition will not tend to adversely affect the use of neighboring properties



Specific Requirements of E § 5203	Project
(a)The proposed construction shall not have a substantially adverse effect on the use or enjoyment of any abutting or adjacent dwelling or property, in particular: (b) In demonstrating compliance with paragraph (a), the applicant shall use graphical representations such as plans, photographs, or elevation and section drawings sufficient to represent the relationship of the proposed construction's height to adjacent buildings and views from public ways; and	The Applicant has provided graphical representations of the relationship of the proposed construction's height to adjacent buildings and views from public ways.
(1) The light and air available to neighboring properties shall not be unduly affected; The privacy of use and enjoyment of neighboring properties shall not be unduly compromised; and	The light and air available to neighboring properties shall not be unduly affected, nor shall the use and enjoyment of neighboring properties be unduly compromised. The Addition can be constructed as a matter of right, apart from the 1.2 feet of height relief. The additional height at the rear will be in line with the existing pitched roof at the front of the Building.
(2) The proposed construction, as viewed from the street, alley, and other public way, shall not substantially visually intrude upon the character, scale and pattern of houses along the subject street or alley;	The Addition will not be visible from South Carolina Avenue and there are buildings of greater height along South Carolina Avenue. Accordingly, the Addition shall not substantially visually intrude upon the character, scale, and pattern of houses along South Carolina Avenue.

Questions?