

11 Walley Street East Boston

ARTICLE 80E-2 – SMALL PROJECT REVIEW APPLICATION & PROJECT NOTIFICATION FORM

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Project Summary

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Project Summary

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The Proposed Project consists of the re-development of a 14,993 square-foot industrial site situated at 11-19 Walley Street in East Boston, by construction of a new four story building containing thirty eight (38) residential units, and twenty five (25) accessory off-street parking spaces located in the building's at/below grade garage. The garage will be entered and exited via Walley Street, which has access to Bennington Street to the South and McLellan Highway via Waldemar Avenue via the West.

The Proposed Project would create a residential development combining market-rate and affordable housing opportunities in an aesthetic appropriate in scale, massing and design to the Orient Heights Neighborhood, in addition to the area's emerging redevelopment. Further, with its adjacent proximity to the MBTA's Suffolk Downs Blue Line Rapid Transit station, the Proposed Project will provide a unique high density housing, transit oriented development opportunity.

In planning the building, great care was given to respecting the abutting properties which share boundaries with the Site as well as modifications made during the community outreach process to preserve views. As a result, the proposed building has been designed and scaled to compliment Walley Street and the surrounding streets including Orient Avenue and Waldemar Avenue, the area's ongoing multi-family residential developments, the surrounding commercial and retail uses, and the proximity to public transportation.

Community Benefits

The Proposed Project will offer many public benefits to the neighborhood and to the City of Boston, including the following:

- The creation of thirty eight (38) new residential units, including upto five (5) units subject to the City of Boston Inclusionary Development Policy ("IDP");
- Improvements to the property boundaries including landscape buffering and associated streetscape improvements;
- Future generation of hundreds of thousands of dollars in new property tax revenue annually to the City of Boston;
- The expected creation of more than fifty (50) construction jobs over the length of the project; and
- A unique opportunity to create transit oriented housing adjacent to public transportation.

Detailed Project Information Cont.

Project Description

The Project Site includes 14,993 Ft² of land area, comprising the parcel situated at 11-19 Walley Street. The City of Boston Assessor's Parcel Number is 01-01577000.

The Parcel is the site of an existing garage, storage lot and auto repair.

Proposed Program, Data and Dimensions

Lot Area: 14,993 Ft²

Maximum Building Height/Stories: 43.75 feet (4 stories)

Number of Residential Units Proposed: 38 Total Building Square Footage: 47,330

Ft² Floor Area Ratio: 3.16:1

Parking Spaces: 25 (4 compact, 1 Handicap, 20 full size; 0 tandem and 0 stackers)

Design Approach

The Proposed Project would consist of a new four story building. The at/slightly below-grade floor will contain 10,005 +/- square feet of an enclosed parking intending to accommodate the needs of the building's residents through the provision of 25 parking spaces. Floors one through four will contain 38 total residential units, with a mix of twelve (12) one bedroom (701 s.f. average), eight (8) two bedroom (1,085 s,f, average), fifteen (15) three bedroom (1,168 s.f. average), amd three (3) four bedroom (1,349 s.f. average) units. There will be bicycle parking within the garage, in addition to trash handling and recycling facilities, storage.

The building's massing is derived from an assessment of it's site context and urban conditions. A mix of hardi board, metal panels and other design elements which are consistent with the design standards set forth by the BPDA will provide a strong identity along Walley Street, and serve to have the building become a focal point. The design will present a unique appearance as it relates to it's immediate context and will serve as a compelling precedent for the area's future development.

Traffic, Parking and Access

The project's 25 on-site parking spaces will be accessed via the end of Walley Street, which is bidirectional leading to Bennington Street to the South and McCLellan Highway (Route C1) via Waldemar Avenue to the West. Vehicles will both enter and discharge from the garage on the left side of the building, to an area which has been designed to minimize the building's impact on adjoining neighboring properties. The garage and lobby will have direct elevator access provided to all floors in the building. Ample secure space for bicycle racks will be provided within the building's garage.

Detailed Project Information Cont.

Anticipated Permits and Approvals

Boston Redevelopment Authority

- Article 80 Small Project Review Certificate of Approval
- Affordable Housing Rental Agreement
- Final Design Review Approval

Boston Water and Sewer Commission

Local Sewer and Water Tie-in and Site Plan Approval

Boston Inspectional Services Department Committee on Licenses

Parking Garage Related Permits, if required

Boston Inspectional Services Department

- Demolition Permit
- Building Permit
- Certificate of Occupancy

Boston Zoning Board of Appeal

· Variances from the Boston Zoning Code

Boston Landmarks Commission

Approval for demolition of existing structure under Article 85

Boston Parks Commission

Approval for construction within 100 feet of City Park (if applicable)

Boston Conservation Commission

Order of Conditions concerning construction within Flood Zone (if required)

Boston Public Improvement Commission (PIC)

Approval for Specific Repairs

Boston Transportation Department (BTD)

Construction Management Plan

Boston Zoning Code Data

Zoning District Requirements

The site is situated within an Economic Development Area (EDA) zoning district under the Boston Zoning Code. The site does not lie within a Neighborhood Design Overlay District (NDOD). The applicable zoning requirements and anticipated as-built zoning characteristics of the Proposed Project are as follows:

Maximum Floor Area Ratio: 2.0 35 Feet Maximum Building Height: Minimum Lot Size: None Minimum Lot Area / Add'l Unit: None Minimum Usable Open Space Per Dwelling Unit: None Minimum Lot Width: None Minimum Lot Frontage: None Minimum Front Yard Setback: Modal Minimum Side Yard Setback: None Minimum Rear Yard Setback: 20'

Parking: 2.0 Spaces Per Unit

Proposed Design

Use: Multifamily

Units: 38

Lot Area: 14,993Ft²
Lot Width: 175.66 Ft
Lot Frontage: 175.66 Ft
Floor Area Ratio: 3.16:1

Maximum Building Height: Building Height (stories): 43' 8" (50' 8" to top of elevator head house)

Usable Open Space: 1,900+/- Ft² (including balconies & roofdeck)

Front Yard Setback: Varies

Side Yard Setback: Varies; 5.75 Ft (Right); 5.78 Ft (Left)

Rear Yard Setback: 5-8 F

Off-Street Parking Requirements: 25 Spaces Total

25 Spaces (4 Compact, 1 HP, 20 Full)

Off-Street Loading: No Loading Bay Required

Boston Zoning Code Data Cont.

Zoning Relief Required

Article 53, Section 8: Multifamily Use – Forbidden Article 53, Section 9: Floor Area Ratio Excessive Building Height Excessive Article 53, Section 9: Rear Yard Insufficient

Article 53, Section 56: Off Street Parking/Maneuverability Insufficient

Anticipated Building Code Analysis

The construction of the building is expected to be Type 1A for the basement/ground floor and 3A for the 1st to 4th floor.

The building will be fully sprinklered in conformance with NFPA 13.

The building will be a residential building with interior garage:

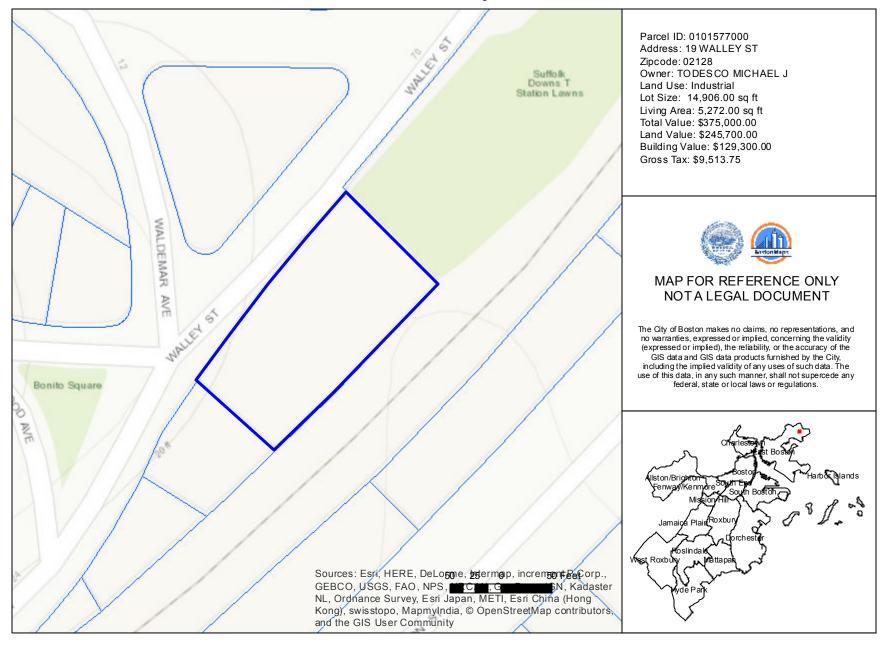
Residential: R-2Parking Garage: S-2

As defined by Table 508.4, fire separation requirements are as follows:

- R-2 requires 1-hour separation
- B, A-3 and M require 1-hour separation
- S-2 requires 1-hour separation

Development Proposal - Exhibits

Exhibit 1:	Assessor's Map - Parcel
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Boston Inspectional Services Department Planning and Zoning Division

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Martin J. Walsh Mayor

ZONING CODE REFUSAL

Scan Lydon Inspector of Buildings

RICHARD LYNDS 1216 BENNINGTON STREET EAST BOSTON, MA 02128

January 25, 2017

Location:

19 WALLEY ST EAST BOSTON, MA 02128

Ward:

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Zoning District:

East Boston Neighborhood SARATOGA STREET EDA

Zoning Subdistrict: Appl. #:

ERT668407

Date Filed:

December 27, 2016

Purpose:

Erect 45 unit residential dwelling.

YOUR APPLICATION REQUIRES RELIEF FROM THE BOARD OF APPEAL AS SAME WOULD BE IN VIOLATION OF THE BOSTON ZONING CODE TO WIT: CHAPTER 665, ACTS OF 1956 AS AMENDED:

Violation	Violation Description	Violation Comments
Art. 53 Sec. 25	Forbidden:	Multi-Family residential is a forbidden use.
Art. 53 Sec. 56	Off-Street Parking	Insufficient off-street parking
Art. 53 Sec. 56	Off-Street Parking	Insufficient off-street loading.
Art. 53, Section 26 **	Dimensional Regulations	Excessive F.A.R.
Art. 53, Section 26 **	Dimensional Regulations	Excessive Building Height.
Art. 53, Section 26 **	Dimensional Regulations	Insufficient Rear Yard Setback.
Notes		If a favorable decision is granted by the B.O.A. please be advised of the following: 1) Small project review will be required by BPDA. 2) A letter of notification from the abutting railroad will be required prior to issuance of permit. 3) A release letter from a Licensed Site Professional regarding soil conditions including the possibility of contaminants due to previous site uses within a E.D.A./light industrial area.

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THIS DECISION MAY BE APPEALED TO THE BOARD OF APPEAL WITHIN FORTY-FIVE (45) DAYS PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 665 OF THE ACTS OF 1956, AS AMENDED. APPLICATIONS NOT APPEALED WITHIN THAT TIME PERIOD WILL BE DEEMED ABANDONED. IF YOU HAVE INQUIRIES REGARDING THE NEIGHBORHOOD PROCESS AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES AT 617-635-3485.

James How

(617) 961-3280 for the Commissioner

Refusal of a permit may be appealed to the Board of Appeal within 45 days. Chapter 802, Acts of 1972, and Chapter 656, Acts of 1956, Section 19.



VIEW 1 LOOKING SOUTH UP WALLEY STREET



VIEW 2 NORTHWEST CORNER OF SITE FROM WALLEY STREET



VIEW 3 LOOKING NORTH FROM ORIENT AVENUE



VIEW 4 LOOKING EAST FROM WALDEMAR AVENUE



SITE VIEWS TOWARD SITE

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VIEW 1 LOOKING NORTH TOWARD WALDEMAR AVENUE



VIEW 2 LOOKING SOUTHWEST UP WALLEY STREET



VIEW 3 LOOKING NORTHEAST TOWARD SUFFOLK DOWNS MBTA STATION



VIEW 4 LOOKING WEST UP ORIENT AVENUE



SITE VIEWS FROM SITE

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AERIAL VIEW
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SITE CONTEXT

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GSF AND UNIT SUMMARY October 6, 2017

GROSS SQUARE FEET (GSF)	RE FEET (GSF)
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	SELLABLE	RENTABLE (GS	SF)	COMMON (GSF)	
		GSF	1		GSF
DARKING LEVEL		001		LODDY LOTAIDS LUTILITIES	
PARKING LEVEL				LOBBY STAIRS UTILITIES PARKING	1,767 10,005
LOOR SUBTOTAL		0			11,772
FIRST FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	9,719		LOBBY HALL STAIRS	1,757
INOT I EGGIN	UNIT 101	1,311	3 BR+	LOBB! III/LE O!/ III/O	1,707
	UNIT 102	779	1 BR		
	UNIT 103	985	2 BR		
	UNIT 104	696	1 BR		
	UNIT 105	1,147	3 BR		
	UNIT 106	616	1 BR		
	UNIT 107	1,017	2 BR		
	UNIT 108	830	1 BR+		
	UNIT 109	1,178	2 BR+		
	UNIT 110	1,160	3 BR		
LOOR SUBTOTAL		9,719			1,757
ECOND FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	10,234		HALL STAIRS	1,202
	UNIT 201	1,349	4 BR		
	UNIT 202	776	1 BR		
	UNIT 203	985	2 BR		
	UNIT 204	696	1 BR		
	UNIT 205	1,147	3 BR		
	UNIT 206	616	1 BR		
	UNIT 207	1,183	3 BR		
	UNIT 208	1,146	3 BR		
	UNIT 209 UNIT 210	1,176 1,160	2 BR+ 3 BR		
LOOR SUBTOTAL		10,234			1,202
HIRD FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	10,234		HALL STAIRS	1,202
HIRD FLOOR	UNIT 301	1,349	4 BR	TIALL STAIRS	1,202
	UNIT 302	776	1 BR		
	UNIT 303	985	2 BR		
	UNIT 304	696	1 BR		
	UNIT 305	1,147	3 BR		
	UNIT 306	616	1 BR		
	UNIT 307	1,183	3 BR		
	UNIT 308	1,146	3 BR		
	UNIT 309	1,176	2 BR+		
	UNIT 310	1,160	3 BR		
LOOR SUBTOTAL		10,234			1,202
OURTH FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	8,474		HALL STAIRS	1,202
	UNIT 401	1,350	4 BR	COMMON ROOM	952
	UNIT 402	696	1 BR	FITNESS CENTER	587
	UNIT 403	1,147	3 BR		
	UNIT 404	616	1 BR		
	UNIT 405	1,183	3 BR		
	UNIT 406	1,146	3 BR		
	UNIT 407 UNIT 408	1,176 1,160	2 BR+ 3 BR		
LOOR SUBTOTAL					2 744
		8,474	-	COMMON AREA (EVOLUES ELEVINO)	2,741
RETAIL RENTABLE GSF		0	4	COMMON AREA (EXCLUDE PARKING)	8,669
RESIDENTIAL RENTABLE GSF		38,661	J		

BUILDING GSF				
PARKING LEVEL (NO PARKING)	1,767			
FIRST FLOOR	11,476			
SECOND FLOOR	11,436			
THIRD FLOOR	11,436			
FOURTH FLOOR	11,215			
TOTAL BUILDING GSF (NO PARKING)	47,330			

SITE	14,993
FAR	3.16

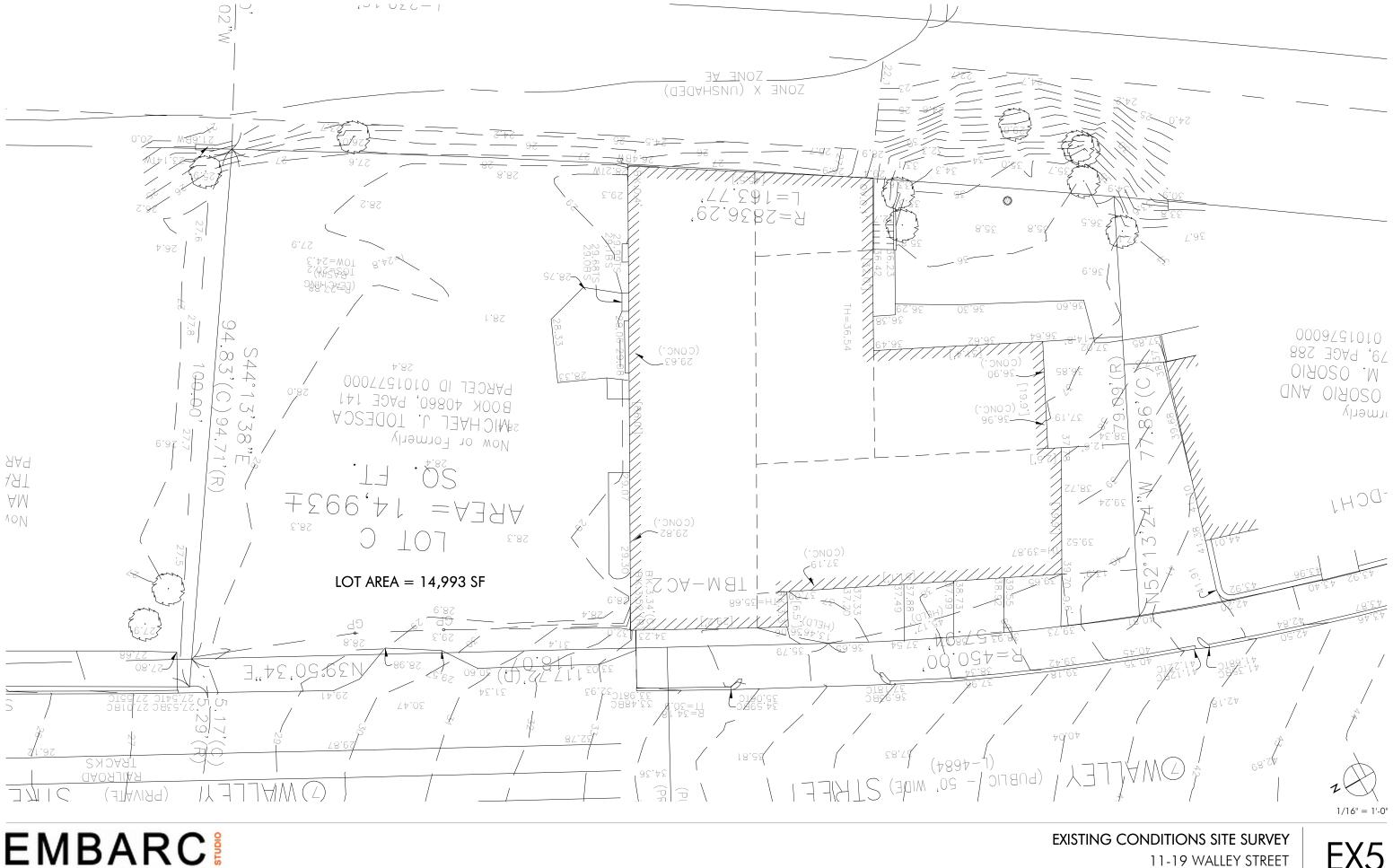
GROUND FLOOR PARKING	10,005
TOTAL GSF (PARKING)	57,335

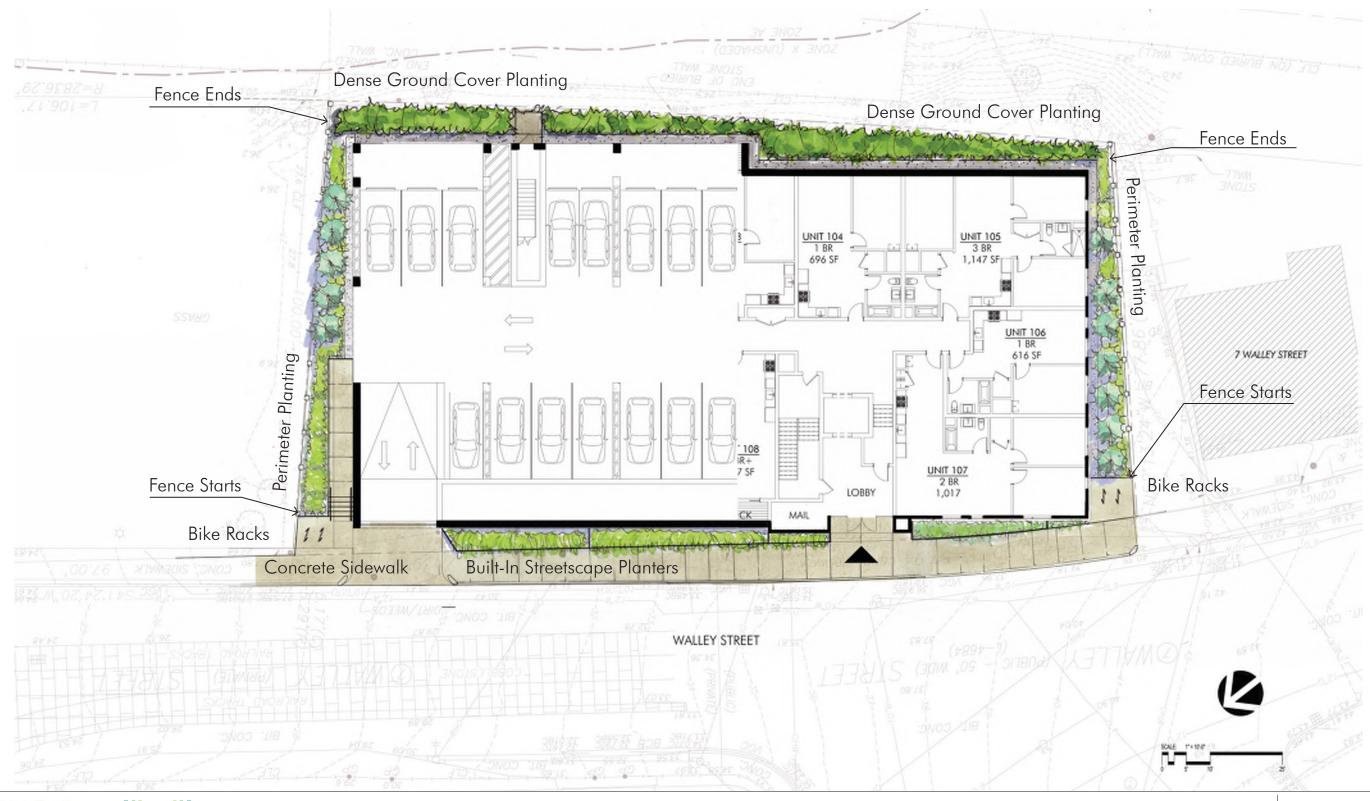
GSF: measured to outside face of exterior walls, centerline of party walls and demising walls Measurements are based on intial field visit, subject to full set of measurements

UNITS PROPOSED	38
PARKING SPACES PROPOSED	25
PARKING/UNIT RATIO	0.66

UNIT MIX	TOTAL	PERCENT	AVERAGE AREA
1 BR	12	32%	701
2 BR	8	21%	1,085
3 BR	15	39%	1,168
4 BR	3	8%	1,349
TOTAL UNIT COUNT	38		1,017

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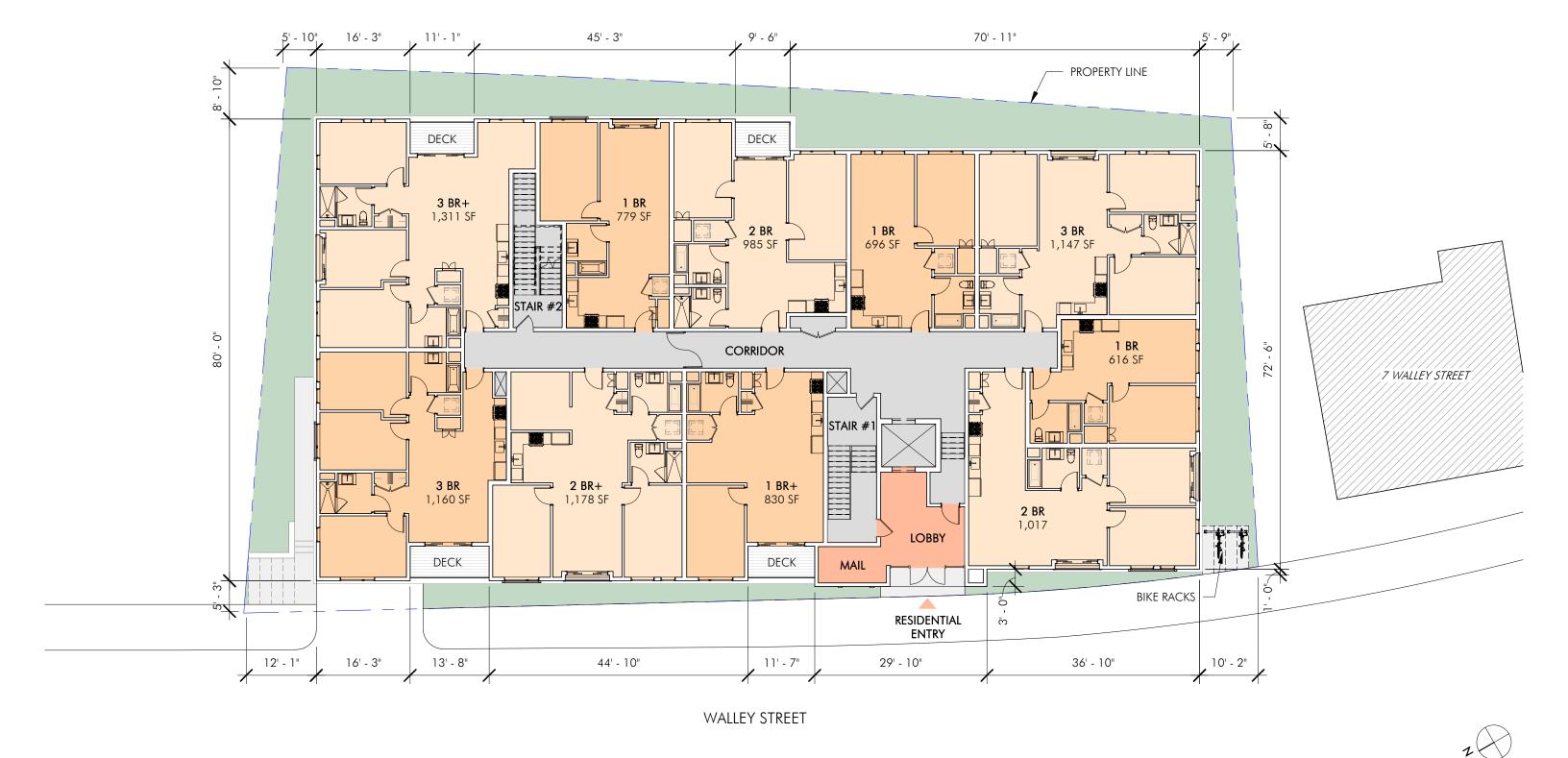
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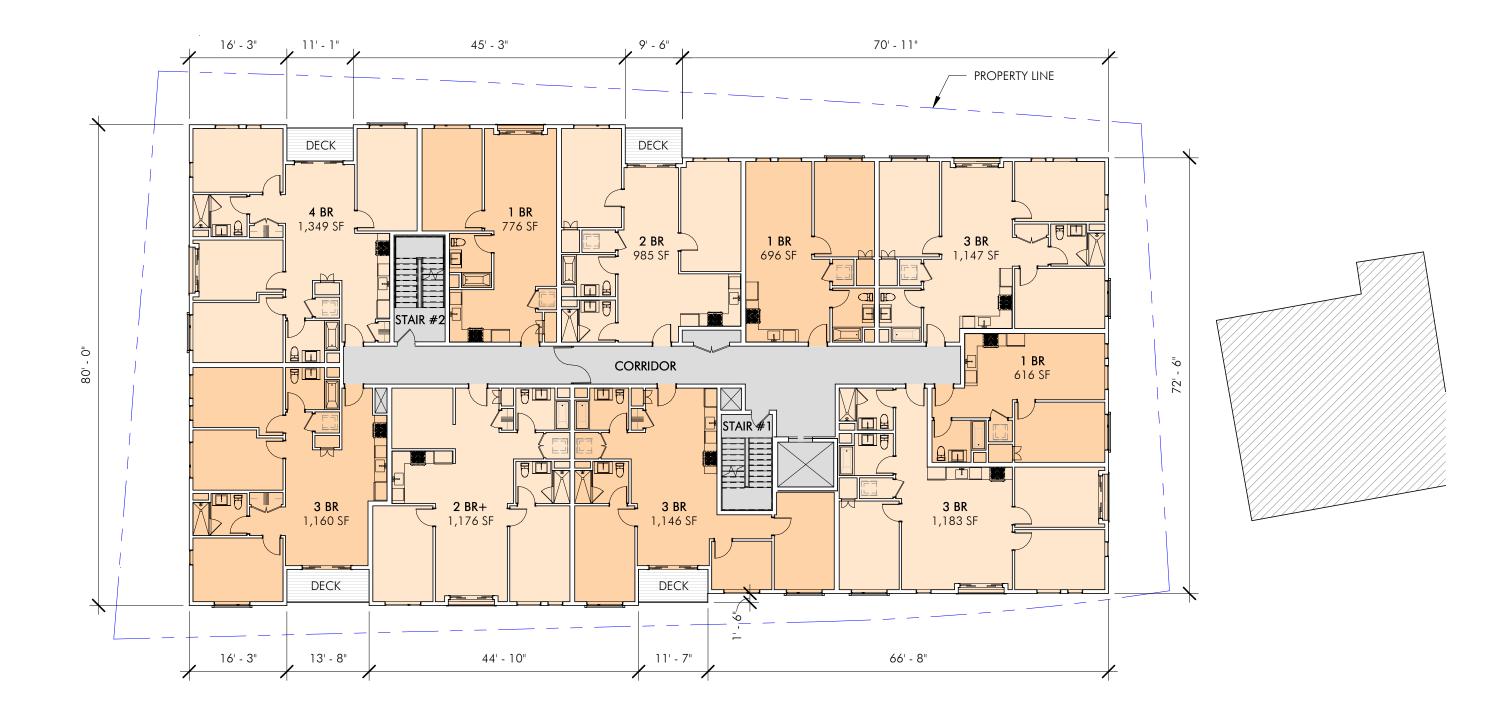


PARKING LEVEL PLAN 11-19 WALLEY STREET EAST BOSTON, MA 02128





FIRST FLOOR PLAN
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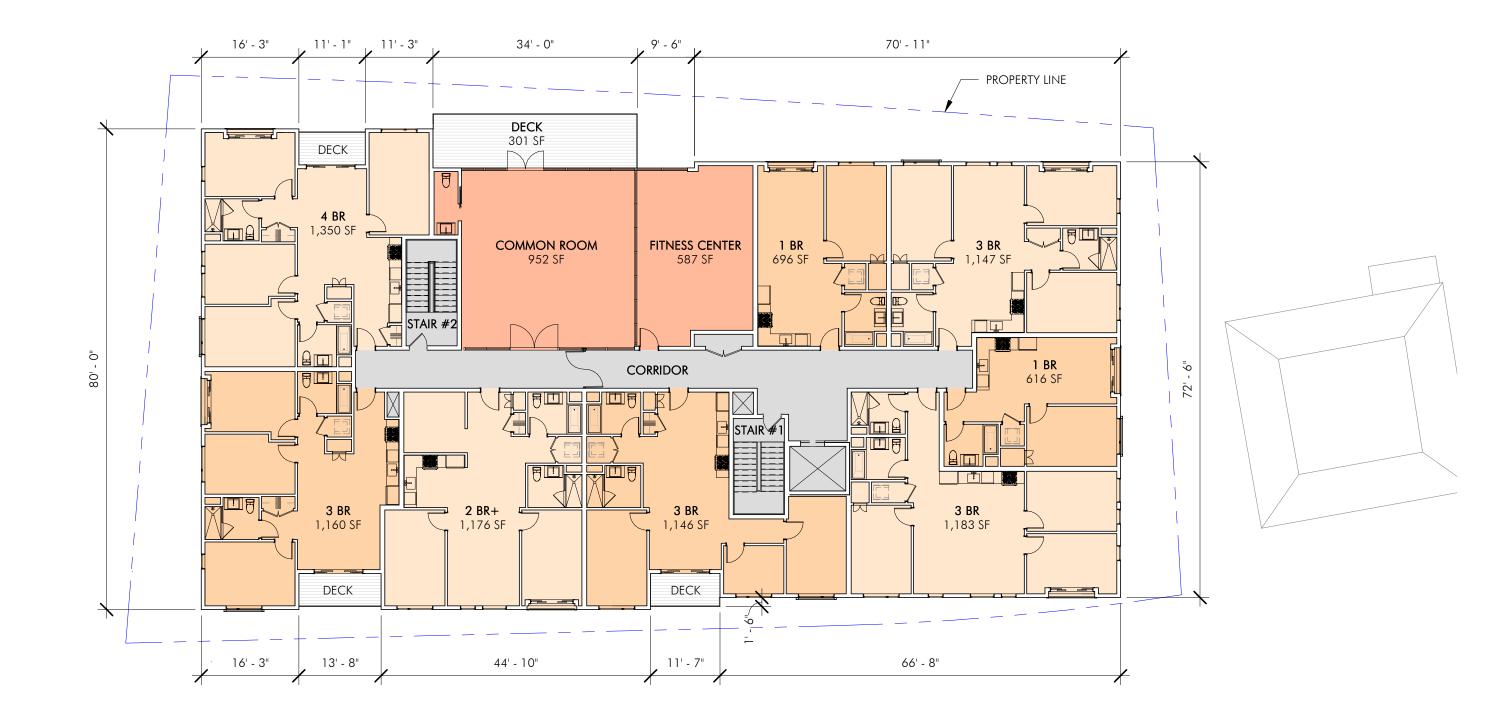






SECOND AND THIRD FLOOR PLAN

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FOURTH FLOOR PLAN
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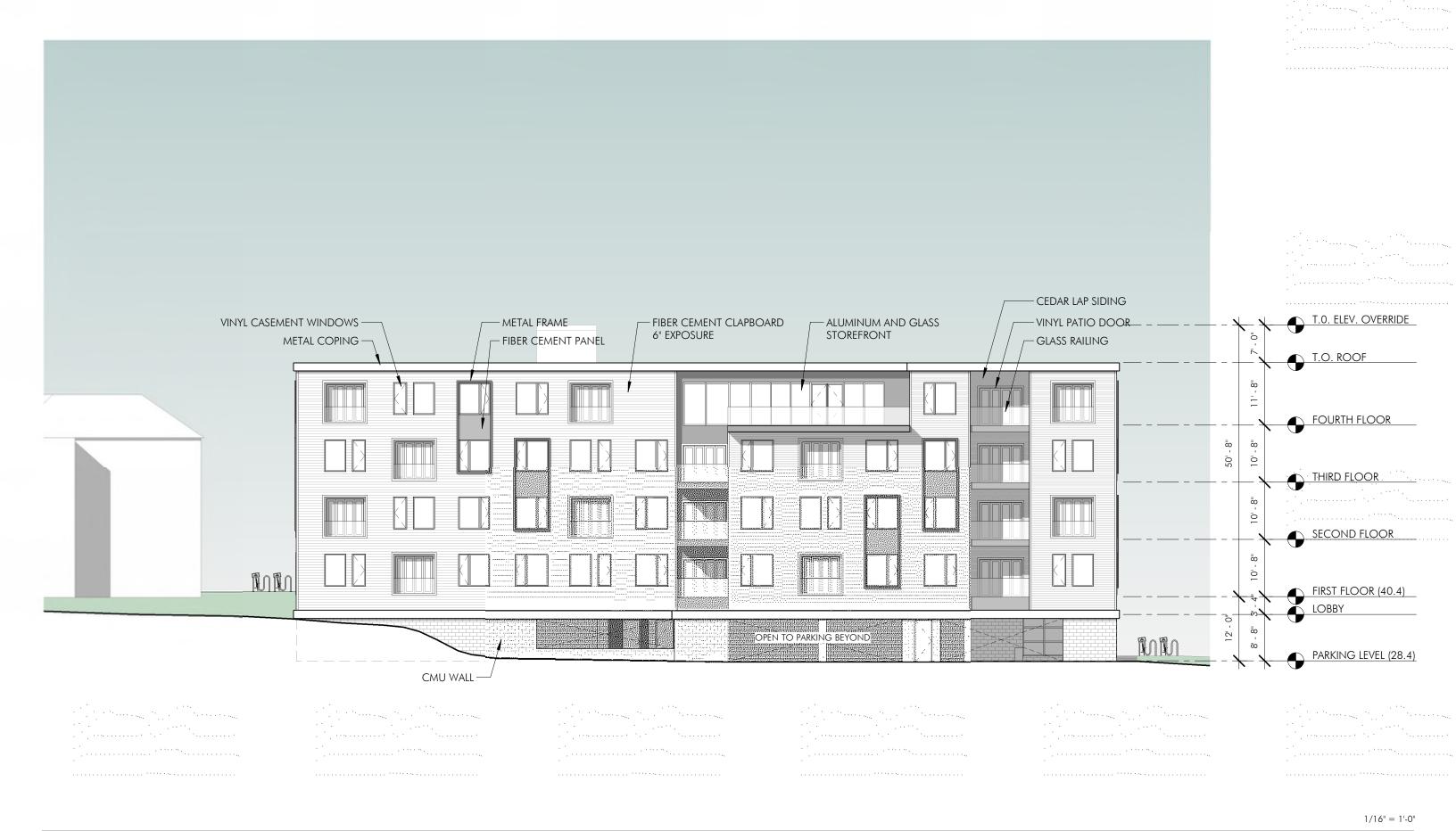


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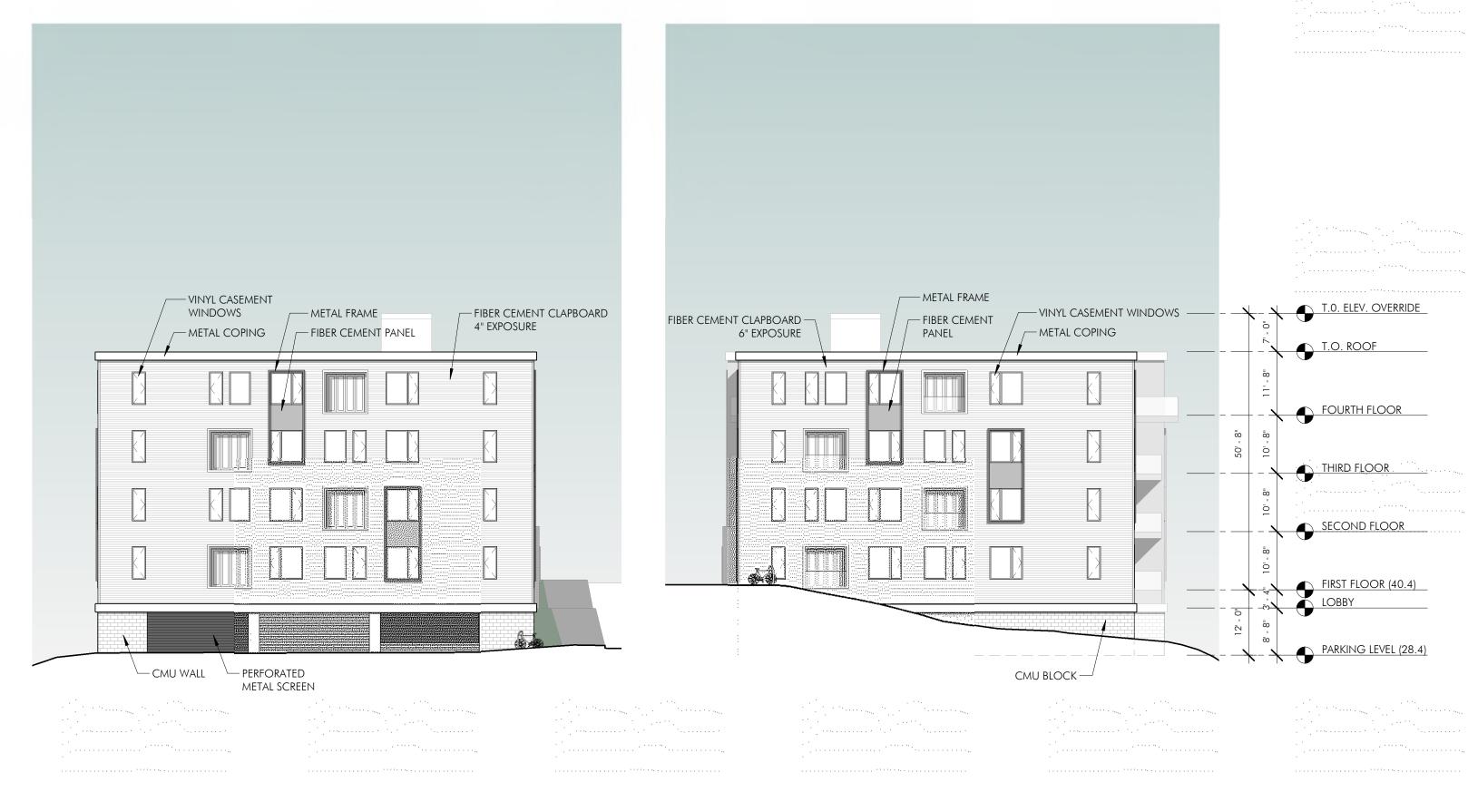
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REAR ELEVATION

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1/16" = 1'-0"

SIDE ELEVATIONS
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LOOKING ACROSS WALLEY STREET AT ENTRY



RENDERING
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VIEW 1 LOOKING NORTHEAST UP BENNINGTON STREET

VIEW 2 LOOKING WEST ACROSS BENNINGTON STREET



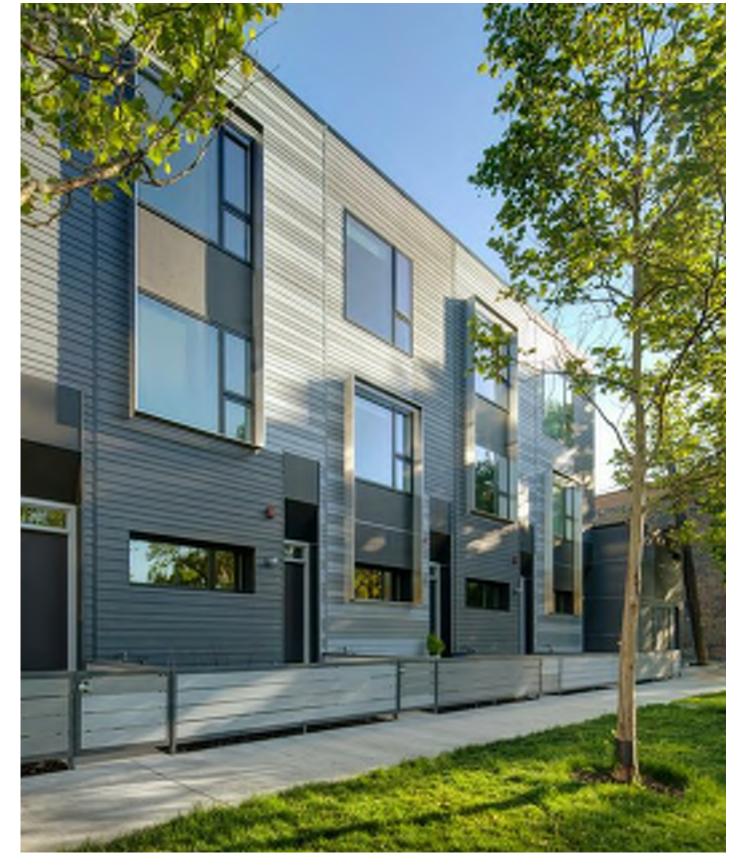
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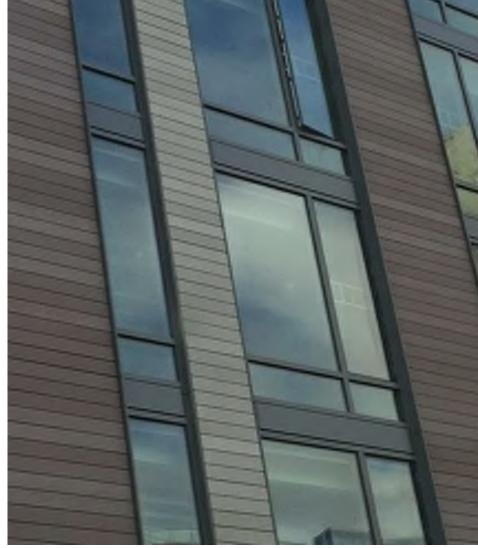
VIEW IN CONTEXT

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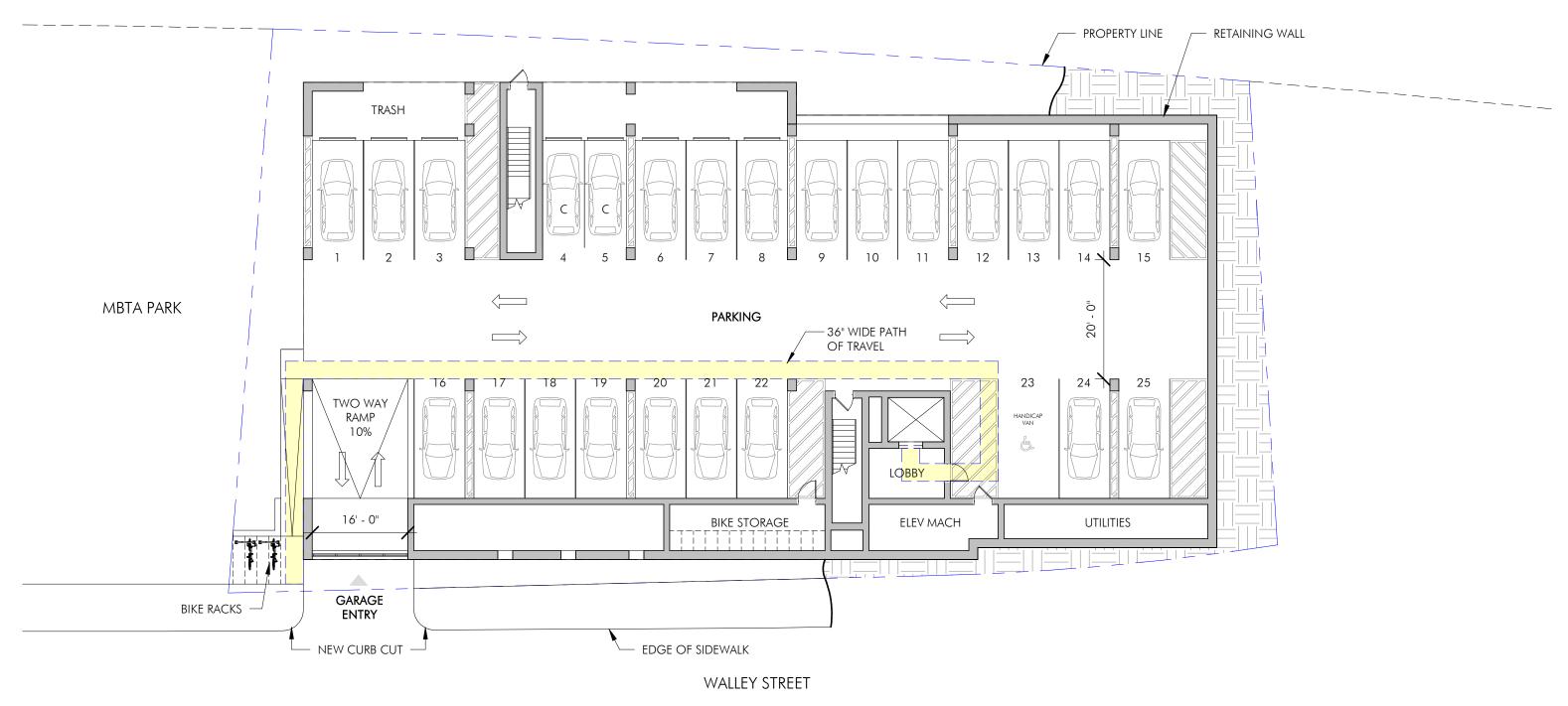
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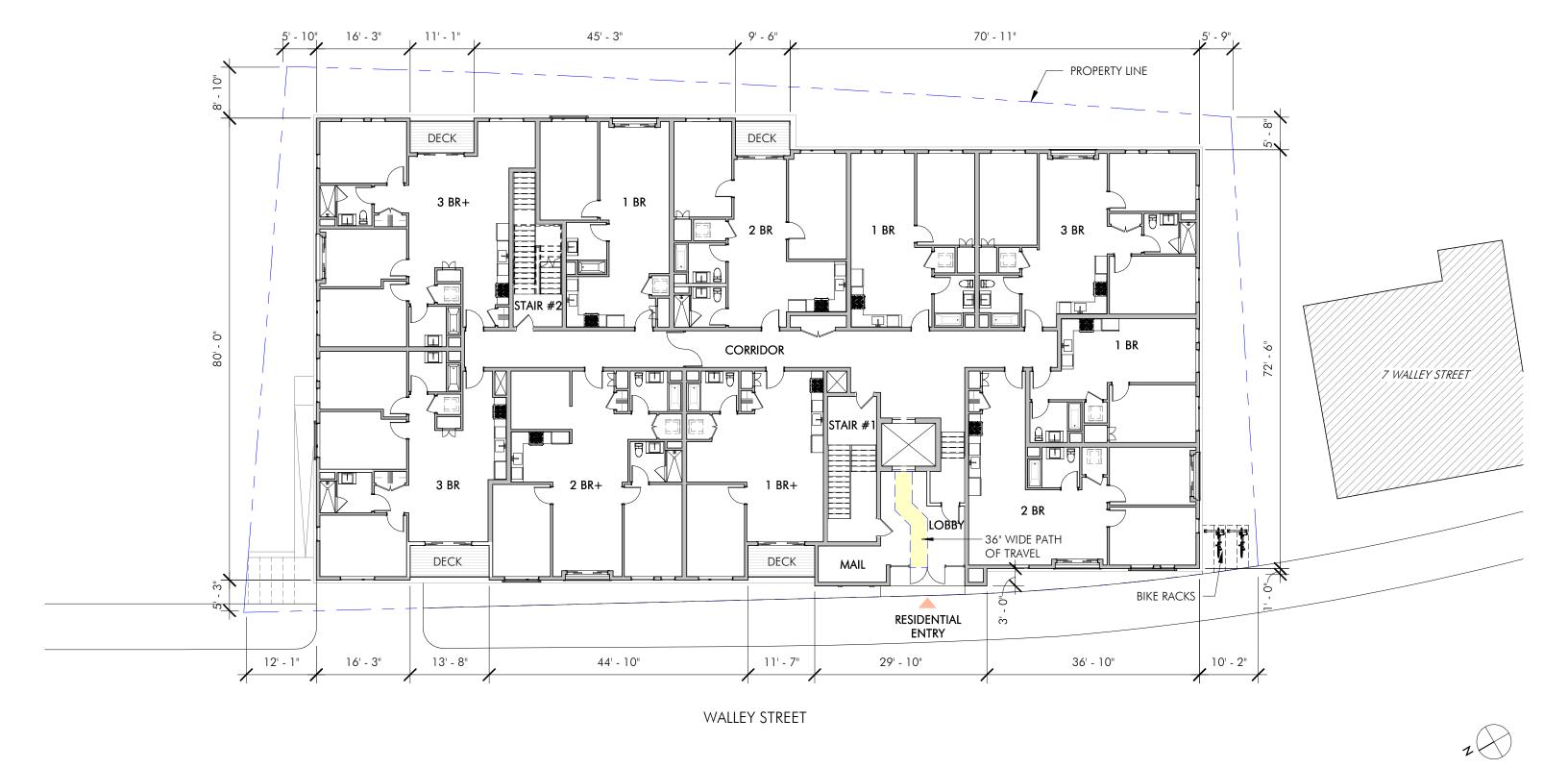


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ACCESSIBLE PATH OF TRAVEL DIAGRAM

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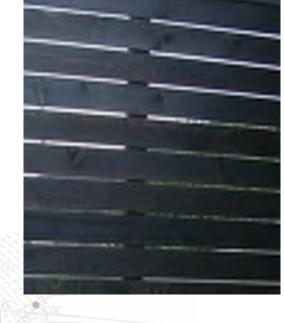




Biodiversity At MBTA Abutter Wildlife friendly plantings & practices at MBTA Abutter with a range of groundcovers, that can help support biodiversity in the neighborhood



SITE FENCE Horizontal board fence at Abutters for screening and privacy.

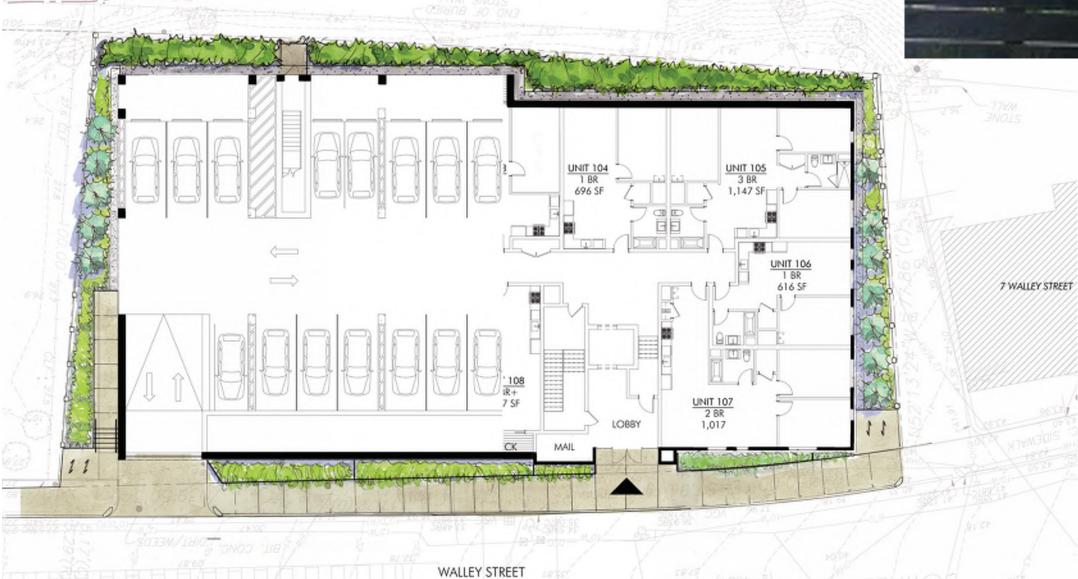




FASTIGIATE URBAN TREES Columnar Trees At Abutters



CONCEPT Narrow Trees for Narrow Site providing a soft screen for neighboring properties













Built-in Steel Streetscape Planters The planters are planted with ornamental grasses and sculptural evergreens plants for yearround appeal.

Planters step with grade from 6" reveal to 18" reveal maximum

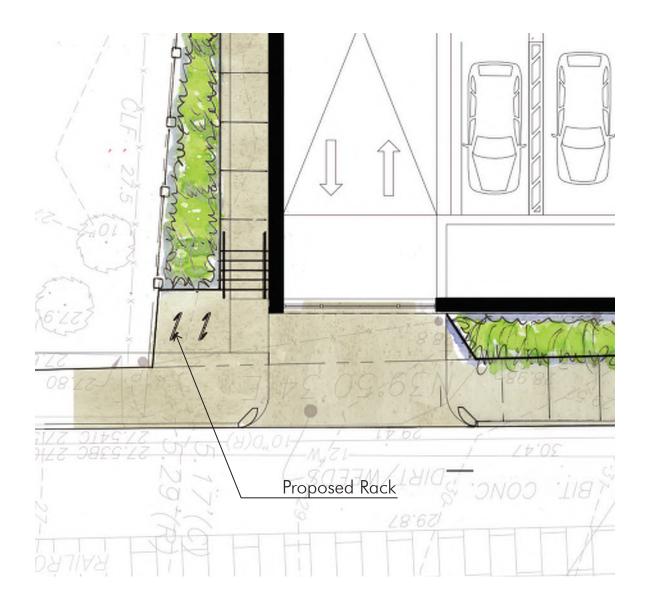


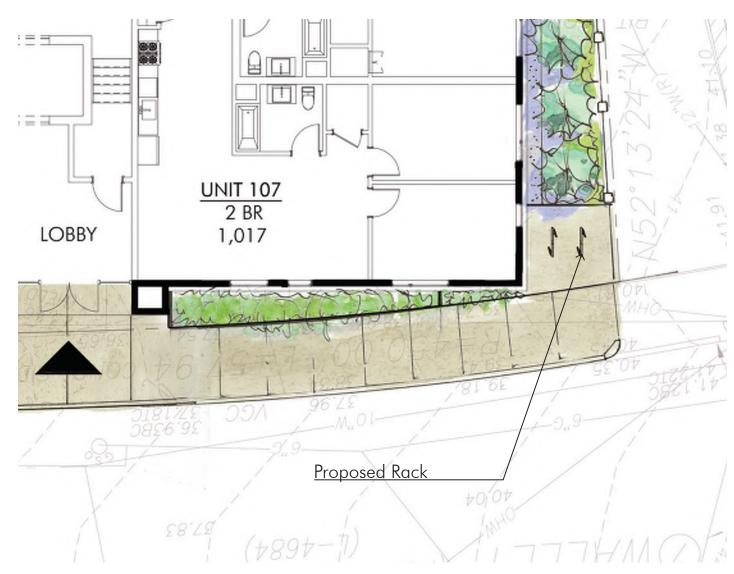






CONCEPT
Good bike parking design using permanently fixed racks, orderly appearance, secure and simple to use.









1. Project Information: If this is a multi-phased or multi-building project, fill out a separate Checklist for each phase/building.

Project Name:	11 Walley			
Primary Project Address:	11-19 Walley Street, Ea	11-19 Walley Street, East Boston		
Total Number of Phases/Buildings:	1 phase / 1 building			
Primary Contact (Name / Title / Company / Email / Phone):	Richard C. Lynds. Esq. Law Office of Richard C. 245 Sumner Street Suite East Boston, MA 02128 rclyndsesq@lorcl.com 617-207-1190	•		
Owner / Developer:	MG2 Group			
Architect:	Embarc Studio 60 K Street, 3 rd Floor Boston, MA 02127 617-766-8330			
Civil Engineer:	Columbia Design Group 14 Upham Ave. Dorchester, MA 02125 617-506-1474			
Landscape Architect:	TBD			
Permitting:	Richard C. Lynds. Esq.			
Construction Management:	TBD			
At what stage is the proje	ct at time of this questionn	aire? Select below:		
	PNF / Expanded PNF Submitted	Draft / Final Project Impact Report Submitted	BPDA Board Approved	
	BPDA Design Approved	Under Construction	Construction Completed	

Do you anticipate filing for any variances with the Massachusetts Architectural Access Board (MAAB)? <i>If yes,</i> identify and explain.	No				
2. Building Classification and Description This section identifies preliminary consti		about the project in	ncluding size an	d uses.	
What are the dimensions of the project?					
Site Area:	14,993 SF	Building Area:		47, 330 GSF	
Building Height:	50 FT 8 IN	Number of Sto	ories:	4 Flrs.	
First Floor Elevation:	3.9 FT	Is there below	grade space:	Yes	
What is the Construction Type? (Select mos	t appropriate type)				
	Wood Frame	Masonry	Steel Frame	Concrete	
What are the principal building uses? (IBC de	efinitions are below –	select all appropriat	e that apply)		
	Residential – Residential - Institutional Educational One - Three Unit + Institutional Educational				
	Business Mercantile Factory Hospitality				
	Laboratory / Medical	Storage, Utility and Other			
List street-level uses of the building:	Retail, Residential	Lobby, Garage Entry	,		
3. Assessment of Existing Infrastructure for Accessibility: This section explores the proximity to accessible transit lines and institutions, such as (but not limited to) hospitals, elderly & disabled housing, and general neighborhood resources. Identify how the area surrounding the development is accessible for people with mobility impairments and analyze the existing condition of the accessible routes through sidewalk and pedestrian ramp reports.					
Provide a description of the neighborhood where this development is located and its identifying topographical characteristics:	site abuts MBTA railway in the rear. The topography slopes				
List the surrounding accessible MBTA transit lines and their proximity to development site: commuter rail / subway stations, bus stops:	Suffolk Downs Station on the Blue Line is just under 400 ft or 1 minutes' walk from project site. Bus 120 stops at corner of Walley and Galdstone St and is 400 ft away.				

List the surrounding institutions: hospitals, public housing, elderly and disabled housing developments, educational facilities, others:	BHA Orient Heights, Manassah E Bradley School, Don Orione Home, Curtis Guild Elementary School	
List the surrounding government buildings: libraries, community centers, recreational facilities, and other related facilities:	BCYF Martin Pino Community Center, East Boston YMCA	
4. Surrounding Site Conditions – Existing: This section identifies current condition of the sidewalks and pedestrian ramps at the development site.		
Is the development site within a historic district? <i>If yes,</i> identify which district:	No	
Are there sidewalks and pedestrian ramps existing at the development site? <i>If yes</i> , list the existing sidewalk and pedestrian ramp dimensions, slopes, materials, and physical condition at the development site:	Existing sidewalk is 5'-o" in width from the southerly corner to about half point along Walley Street. The remainder of the frontage on Walley Street has no sidewalk. No existing pedestrian ramp.	
Are the sidewalks and pedestrian ramps existing-to-remain? <i>If yes</i> , have they been verified as ADA / MAAB compliant (with yellow composite detectable warning surfaces, cast in concrete)? <i>If yes</i> , provide description and photos:	Sidewalk in front of the property will be replaced.	
5. Surrounding Site Conditions – Proposed This section identifies the proposed condition of the walkways and pedestrian ramps around the development site. Sidewalk width contributes to the degree of comfort walking along a street. Narrow sidewalks do not support lively pedestrian activity, and may create dangerous conditions that force people to walk in the street. Wider sidewalks allow people to walk side by side and pass each other comfortably walking alone, walking in pairs, or using a wheelchair.		
Are the proposed sidewalks consistent with the Boston Complete Street Guidelines? <i>If yes</i> , choose which Street Type was applied: Downtown Commercial, Downtown Mixeduse, Neighborhood Main, Connector,	Yes, Neighborhood residential	

Residential, Industrial, Shared Street, Parkway, or Boulevard.	
What are the total dimensions and slopes of the proposed sidewalks? List the widths of the proposed zones: Frontage, Pedestrian and Furnishing Zone:	Frontage zone width (setback) varies from 6 ft to 8 ft. Pedestrian zone width is 5'-o"
List the proposed materials for each Zone. Will the proposed materials be on private property or will the proposed materials be on the City of Boston pedestrian right-of-way?	Frontage zone is on private property and proposed material is concrete at the garage and pedestrian entrance and landscape area. Pedestrian zone is existing concrete and new concrete to match.
Will sidewalk cafes or other furnishings be programmed for the pedestrian right-of-way? <i>If yes,</i> what are the proposed dimensions of the sidewalk café or furnishings and what will the remaining right-of-way clearance be?	No.
If the pedestrian right-of-way is on private property, will the proponent seek a pedestrian easement with the Public Improvement Commission (PIC)?	No.
Will any portion of the Project be going through the PIC? <i>If yes,</i> identify PIC actions and provide details.	No.
6. Accessible Parking: See Massachusetts Architectural Access Board Rules and Regulations 521 CMR Section 23.00 regarding accessible parking requirement counts and the Massachusetts Office of Disability – Disabled Parking Regulations.	
What is the total number of parking spaces provided at the development site? Will these be in a parking lot or garage?	25 parking spaces, all in garage which is below sidewalk level.
What is the total number of accessible spaces provided at the development site? How many of these are "Van Accessible" spaces with an 8 foot access aisle?	There is one van accessible parking space with 8 foot access aisle.

Will any on-street accessible parking spaces be required? <i>If yes,</i> has the proponent contacted the Commission for Persons with Disabilities regarding this need?	TBD
Where is the accessible visitor parking located?	TBD
Has a drop-off area been identified? <i>If yes</i> , will it be accessible?	Not required.
7. Circulation and Accessible Routes: The primary objective in designing smooth and continuous paths of travel is to create universal access to entryways and common spaces, which accommodates persons of all abilities and allows for visitability-with neighbors.	
Describe accessibility at each entryway: Example: Flush Condition, Stairs, Ramp, Lift or Elevator:	Entrance to residential lobby will be a flush condition with sidewalk. Elevator threshold will be a flush condition on all floors.
Are the accessible entrances and standard entrance integrated? <i>If yes, describe. If no,</i> what is the reason?	Yes. Entrance to residential lobby are accessible and integrated.
If project is subject to Large Project Review/Institutional Master Plan, describe the accessible routes way-finding / signage package.	
8. Accessible Units (Group 2) and Guestrooms: (If applicable) In order to facilitate access to housing and hospitality, this section addresses the number of accessible units that are proposed for the development site that remove barriers to housing and hotel rooms.	
What is the total number of proposed housing units or hotel rooms for the development?	38 dwelling units.
If a residential development, how many units are for sale? How many are for rent? What is	All dwelling units are for rent.

the breakdown of market value units vs. IDP (Inclusionary Development Policy) units?	
If a residential development, how many accessible Group 2 units are being proposed?	(35) units will meet Group 1 requirements and (3) units will meet accessible Group 2 requirements.
If a residential development, how many accessible Group 2 units will also be IDP units? If none, describe reason.	TBD
If a hospitality development, how many accessible units will feature a wheel-in shower? Will accessible equipment be provided as well? If yes, provide amount and location of equipment.	N/A
Do standard units have architectural barriers that would prevent entry or use of common space for persons with mobility impairments? Example: stairs / thresholds at entry, step to balcony, others. <i>If yes</i> , provide reason.	No.
Are there interior elevators, ramps or lifts located in the development for access around architectural barriers and/or to separate floors? <i>If yes</i> , describe:	Elevator provides access to all floors. There are no ramps or lifts in the development.
9. Community Impact: Accessibility and inclusion extend past required compliance with building codes. Providing an overall scheme that allows full and equal participation of persons with disabilities makes the development an asset to the surrounding community.	
Is this project providing any funding or improvements to the surrounding neighborhood? Examples: adding extra street trees, building or refurbishing a local park, or supporting other community-based initiatives?	The project will make a direct contribution to the Salesian Boys and Girls Club (\$5000.00) as well as a contribution to the Friends of the Belle Isle Marsh (\$2500.00). In addition, the proponent proposes to adopt the island located at the intersection of Walley, Orient Ave, and Waldemar Avenue and provide ongoing landscaping and seasonal maitnenace and planding for ten (10) years with an annual estimated cost of upto \$5,000.

What inclusion elements does this development provide for persons with disabilities in common social and open spaces? Example: Indoor seating and TVs in common rooms; outdoor seating and barbeque grills in yard. Will all of these spaces and features provide accessibility?	Common Room and Fitness Room are fully accessible.	
Are any restrooms planned in common public spaces? <i>If yes</i> , will any be single-stall, ADA compliant and designated as "Family"/ "Companion" restrooms? <i>If no</i> , explain why not.	No.	
Has the proponent reviewed the proposed plan with the City of Boston Disability Commissioner or with their Architectural Access staff? <i>If yes,</i> did they approve? <i>If no,</i> what were their comments?	TBD	
Has the proponent presented the proposed plan to the Disability Advisory Board at one of their monthly meetings? Did the Advisory Board vote to support this project? <i>If no,</i> what recommendations did the Advisory Board give to make this project more accessible?	TBD	
10. Attachments Include a list of all documents you are submitting with this Checklist. This may include drawings, diagrams, photos, or any other material that describes the accessible and inclusive elements of this project.		
Provide a diagram of the accessible routes to and from the accessible parking lot/garage and drop-off areas to the development entry locations, including route distances.		
Provide a diagram of the accessible route connections through the site, including distances.		
Provide a diagram the accessible route to any roof decks or outdoor courtyard space? (if applicable)		
Provide a plan and diagram of the accessible Group 2 units, including locations and route from accessible entry.		

Provide any additional drawings, diagrams, photos, or any other material that describes the inclusive and accessible elements of this project.

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This completes the Article 8o Accessibility Checklist required for your project. Prior to and during the review process, Commission staff are able to provide technical assistance and design review, in order to help achieve ideal accessibility and to ensure that all buildings, sidewalks, parks, and open spaces are usable and welcoming to Boston's diverse residents and visitors, including those with physical, sensory, and other disabilities.

For questions or comments about this checklist, or for more information on best practices for improving accessibility and inclusion, visit www.boston.gov/disability, or our office:

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