

# 2-10 Maverick Square East Boston

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

MG2 Group, LLC 50 FRANKLIN STREET, SUITE 400 – BOSTON, MA 02110

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# **Project Summary**

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# **Project Summary**

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The Proposed Project consists of the development of a 7,220 square-foot site situated at 2-10 Maverick Square in East Boston, by construction of a six (6) story, mixed use multifamily residential/retail building, containing twenty five (25) residential units, 10,710 square feet of commercial/retail space located on the ground and second floor.

The Proposed Project would create a mixed use residential/retail development, combining marketrate and affordable housing opportunities in an aesthetic appropriate in scale, massing and design to the Maverick Square Neighborhood of East Boston. Further, located within steps of public transportation with access to the MBTA's Maverick Blue Line Rapid Transit station, the Proposed Project will provide an additional unique high density housing opportunity for the area with easy access to public transportation.

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 preliminary community outreach process with direct Abutters. As a result, the proposed building has been designed and scaled to compliment other current and future potential developments in the area and the surrounding streets including Maverick Square and Sumner Streets, 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 twenty five (25) new residential units, including upto three (3) units subject to the City of Boston Inclusionary Development Policy ("IDP") and additional ground floor and second level retail for Maverick Square;
- Improvements to the property boundaries including associated streetscape improvements;
- Future generation of hundreds of thousands of dollars in new property tax revenue annually to the City of Boston; and
- The expected creation of more than forty (40) construction jobs over the length of the project.

# **Detailed Project Information Cont.**

### **Project Description**

The Project Site includes 7,220 Ft<sup>2</sup> of land area, comprising the parcels situated at 2-10 Maverick Square. The City of Boston Assessor's Parcel Number is 0105657000.

The Parcel is presently an open air parking lot with parking for a fee.

### **Proposed Program, Data and Dimensions**

Lot Area: 7,220 Ft<sup>2</sup>

Maximum Building Height/Stories: 69' 10" (6 stories)

Number of Residential Units Proposed: 25

Total Ground Floor Retail Area Proposed: 4,970 Ft<sup>2</sup> Total Second Floor Retail Area Proposed: 5,740 Ft<sup>2</sup>

Total Building Square Footage: 37,400Ft<sup>2</sup>

Floor Area Ratio: 5.15:1 Parking Spaces: 0

### **Design Approach**

The Proposed Project would consist of a new six (6) story building. The at grade floor will contain 4,970 +/- square feet of retail space intending to accommodate and building upon the needs of the surrounding neighborhood. Floor two will contain an additional 5,740 +/- square feet of commercial space and likely leased to a full service restaurant tenat. Floors three through six will contain 25 total residential units, with a mix of three (3) studios (500 s.f. average), eleven (11) one bedroom (701 s.f. average), ten (10) two bedroom units (1022 s.f. average), and one (1) three bedroom (1260 s,f, average) units. There will be bicycle parking within the lower level, in addition to trash handling and recycling facilities, storage.

As is customary for new projects within the East Boston neighborhood, the building's massing is derived from an assessment of it's site context and urban conditions. A mix of masonry, glass, metal panels and other design elements, which are consistent with the design standards set forth by the BPDA will provide a strong identity along Maverick Square, 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 an additional compelling precedent for the area's future development.

### Traffic, Parking and Access

The project site represents one of the closest developable parcels to the entrance to Maverick T Station and provides an excellent opportunity for a transportation oriented development for the area. In addition, access to the site would be a short walking distance from existing and proposed water transportation facilities located on East Boston's waterfront providing direct access to Boston Harbor. Water Taxi Stop #66 is located within 150 yards of the site.

# **Detailed Project Information Cont.**

### **Anticipated Permits and Approvals**

### **Boston Redevelopment Authority**

- Article 80 Small Project Review Certificate of Approval
- Affordable Housing Rental Agreement
- Community Benefits 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

- Building Permit
- Certificate of Occupancy

### Boston Zoning Board of Appeal

Variances from Article 53 of the Boston Zoning Code

### Boston Landmarks Commission

No approvals anticipated

### 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 the Neighborhood Shopping (NS) 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: 1.0 35 Feet Maximum Building Height: Minimum Lot Size: None Minimum Lot Area / Add'l Unit: None Minimum Usable Open Space Per Dwelling Unit: 50 s.f. Minimum Lot Width: None Minimum Lot Frontage: None Minimum Front Yard Setback: Modal Minimum Side Yard Setback: None Minimum Rear Yard Setback: 20 feet

Parking: 2.0 Spaces Per Unit (10+ Units) 1.0 Spaces Per 1000 Ft<sup>2</sup> of Retail

### **Proposed Design**

Use: Multifamily/Retail Residential: 25 residential Commercial: 10,710 Ft<sup>2</sup>
Lot Area: 7,220 Ft<sup>2</sup>
Lot Width: 80 & 90 Ft
Lot Frontage: 80 & 90 Ft
Floor Area Ratio: 5.15:1

Maximum Building Height: Building Height (stories): 69' 10" / 6 Stories

Usable Open Space: TBD +/- Ft²
Front Yard Setback: Modal
Side Yard Setback: 0'-1'

Rear Yard Setback: 0'-1' (Corner Lot)

Off-Street Parking Requirements: 0 Spaces Total

Off-Street Loading: No Loading Bay Required

# **Boston Zoning Code Data Cont.**

### **Zoning Relief Required**

Article 53, Section 9: Floor Area Ratio Excessive
Article 53, Section 9: Rear Yard Insufficient
Article 53, Section 9: Building Height Excessive

Article 53, Section 9: Useable Open Space 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 2nd to 6th floor.

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

The building will be a residential building with no interior garage:

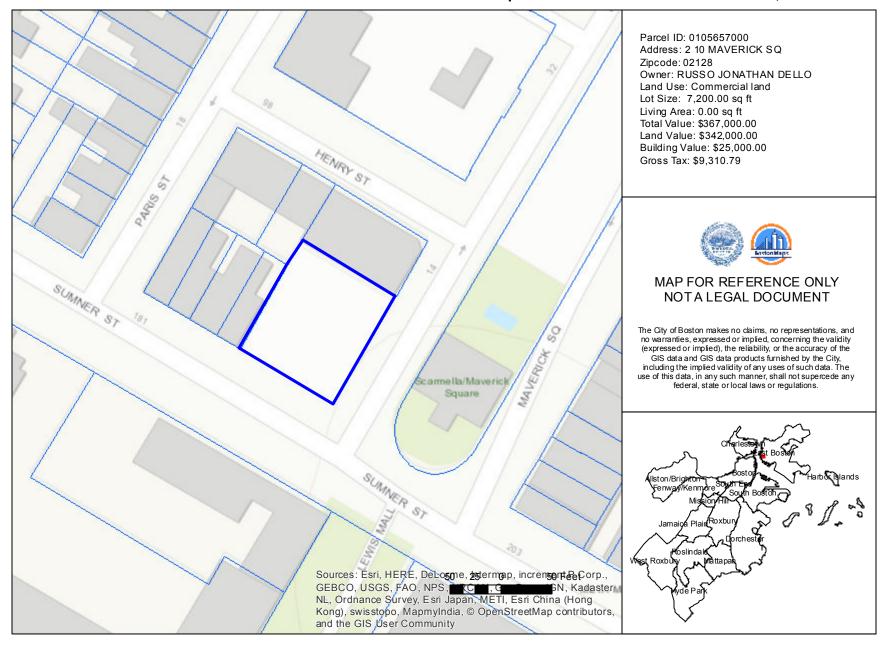
Residential: R-2

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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Exhibit 22:	BPDA Accessibility Checklist





Mayor

### **Boston Inspectional Services Department Planning and Zoning Division**

1010 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02118 Telephone: (617) 635-5300

### **ZONING CODE REFUSAL**

Sean Lydon Inspector of Buildings

RICHARD LYNDS 245 SUMNER STREET, SUITE 110 EAST BOSTON, MA 02128

November 14, 2018

**Location:** 2-10 MAVERICK SQ EAST BOSTON MA 02128

Ward:

**Zoning District:** East Boston Neighborhood

**Zoning Subdistrict:** NS

Appl. #: ERT889215 **Date Filed:** October 11, 2018

**Purpose:** Erect a six (6) story mixed use building with commercial spaces on the first two levels and

twenty-five (25) dwelling units above. Ground floor to include a lobby space, retail space and

restaurant lobby space. ZBA

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:

<u>Violation</u>	<u>Violation Description</u>	<u>Violation Comments</u>
Article 53 Section 12	Dimensional Regulations	Insufficient usable open space per unit
Article 53 Section 12	Dimensional Regulations	Max. allowed height exceeded
Article 53 Section 12	Dimensional Regulations	Excessive F.A.R.
Article 53 Section 12	Dimensional Regulations	Insufficient rear yard setback
Article 53 Section 56	Off-Street Parking & Loading Req	No parking proposed for the residential units
Article 53, Section 11	Use Regulations	Restaurant Use 2nd story- Conditional
Article 53, Section 56	Off-Street Parking & Loading Req	No parking proposed for the restaurant and retail uses
Notes		This application is further subject to BPDA Article 80E project approval. Pending a favorable ZBA decision, two complete sets of stamped construction documents shall be required for review.

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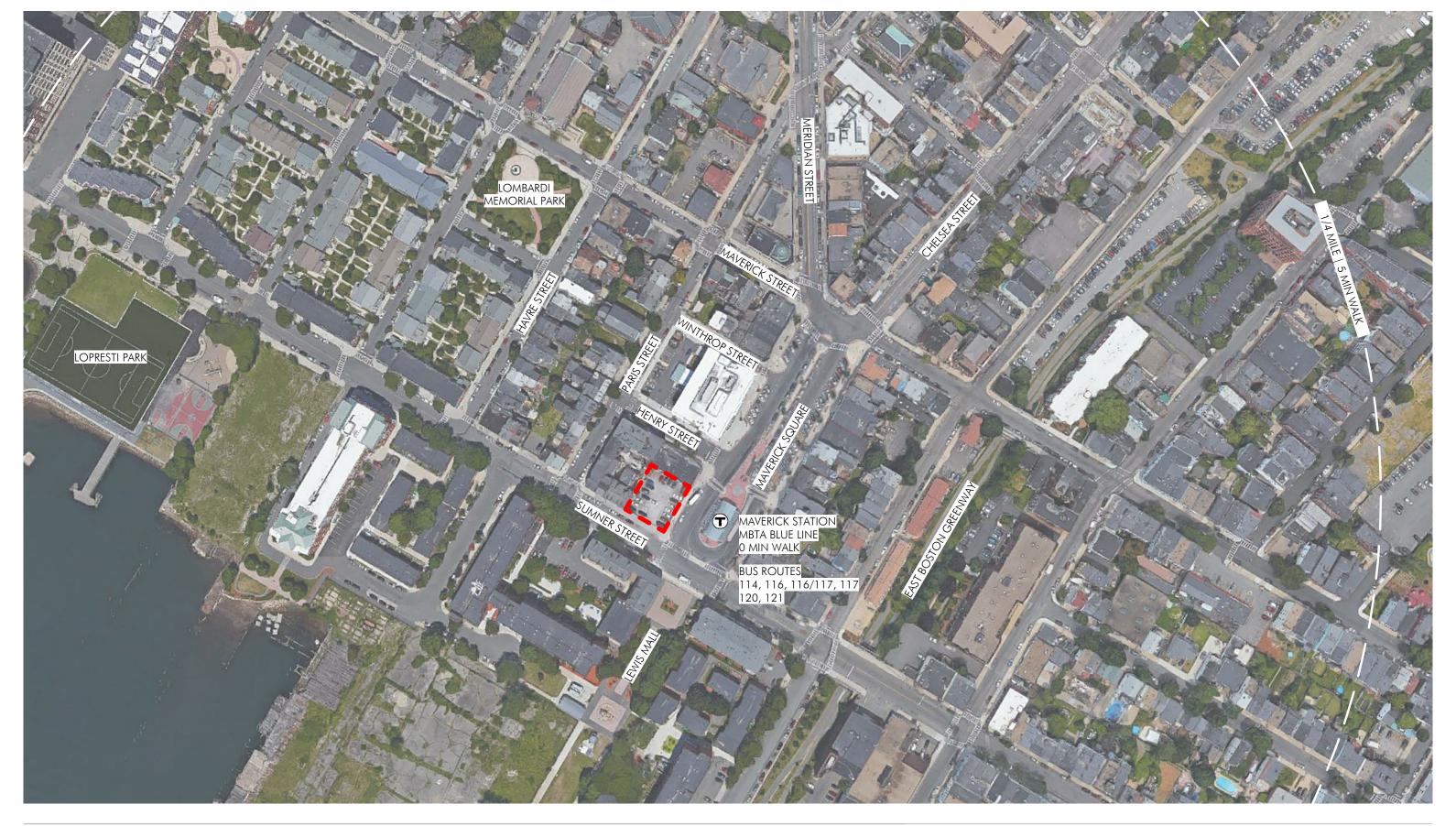
restaurant lobby space. ZBA

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.

Francesco D'Amato

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.



SITE CONTEXT



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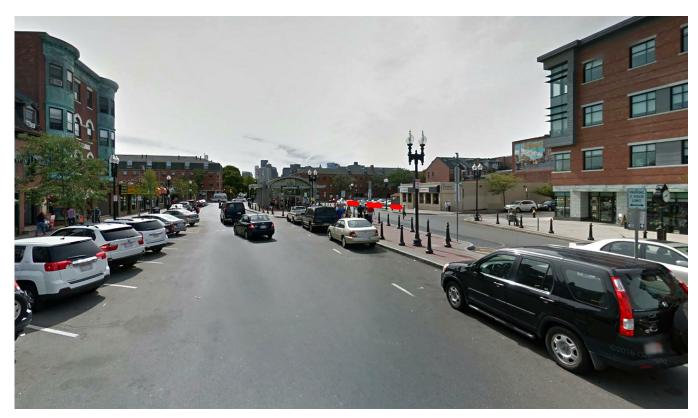
**AERIAL VIEW** 



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VIEW 1 LOOING SOUTHWEST TOWARD SITE FROM MAVERICK SQUARE



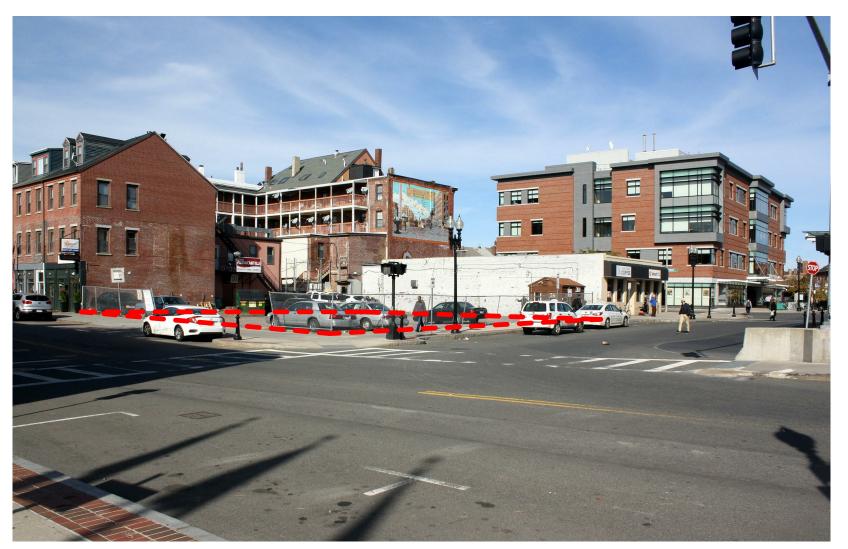
VIEW 2 LOOKING NORTHWEST UP SUMNER STREET FROM MAVERICK SQUARE



VIEW 3 LOOING SOUTHWEST TOWARD SITE FROM MAVERICK SQUARE



**VIEW 4** LOOING NORTHEAST TOWARD MAVERICK SQUARE FROM SUMNER STREET

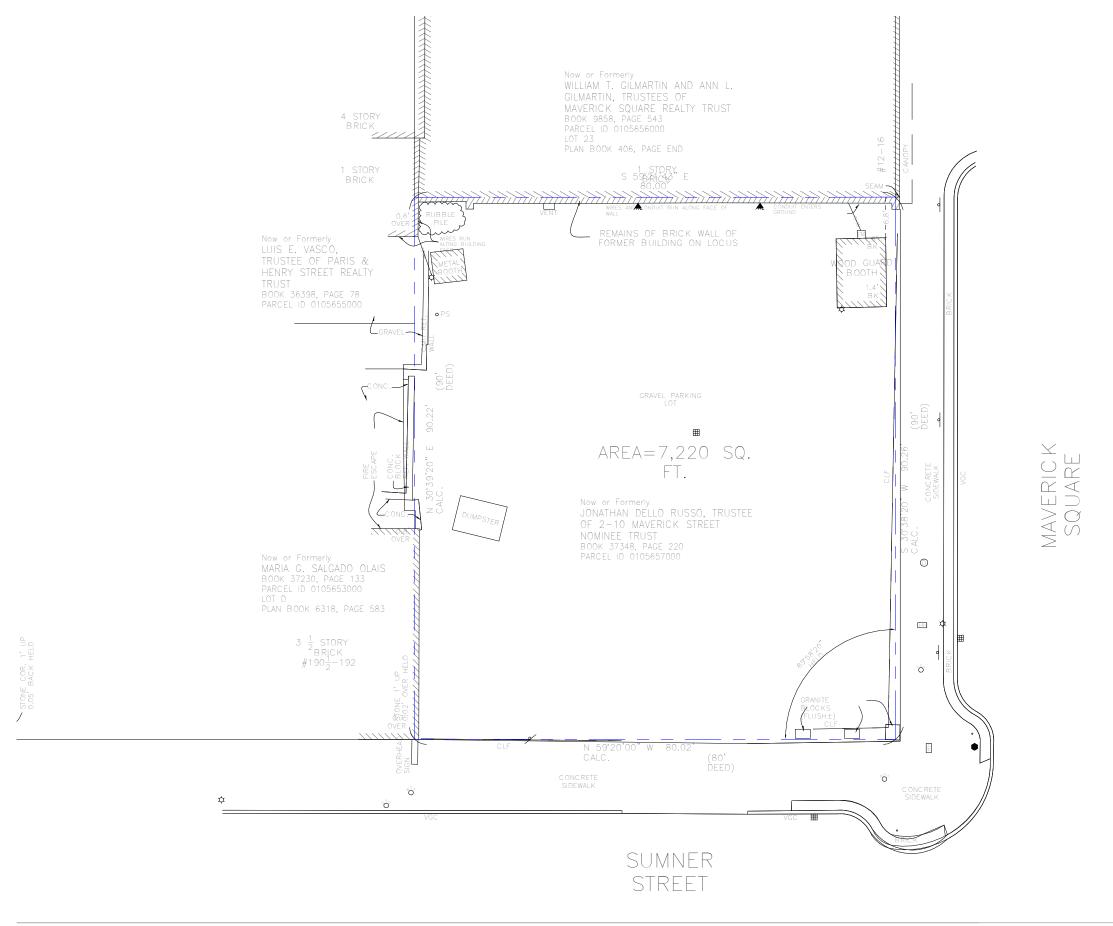


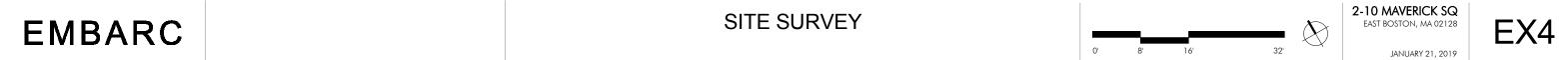
VIEW 5 SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SITE AT MAVERICK SQUARE AND SUMNER STREET

SITE PHOTOS

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EX3



































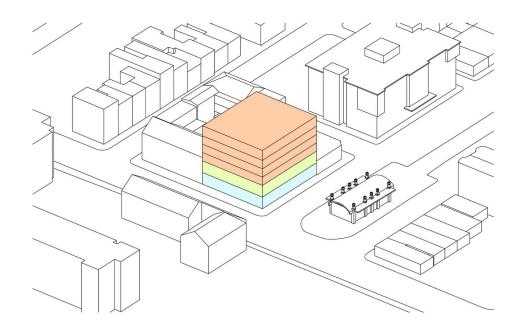




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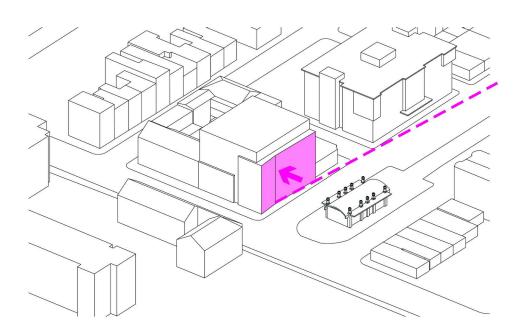
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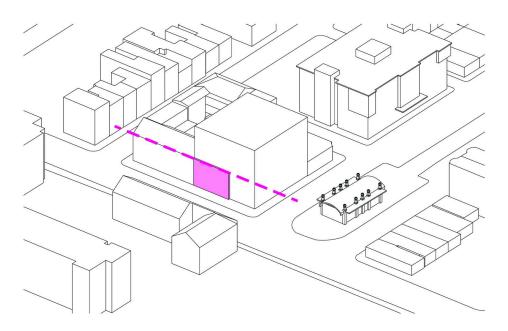
### PROGRAM STACKING

GROUND FLOOR RETAIL BELOW A SECOND LEVEL RESTAURANT SPACE AND FOUR LEVELS OF RESIDENTIAL ABOVE



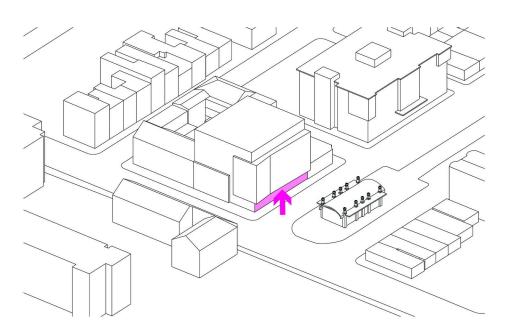
### CHELSEA STREET AXIS

CHELSEA AND MERIDIAN STREETS ENTER THE NORTH OF MAVERICK SQUARE AT DYNAMIC ANGLES AND DEFINE SITE LINES FROM THE SQUARE



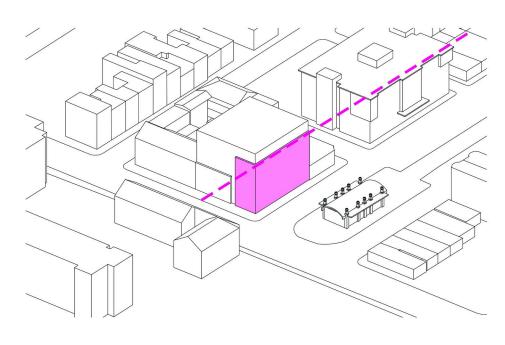
### SUMNER STREET CONTEXT

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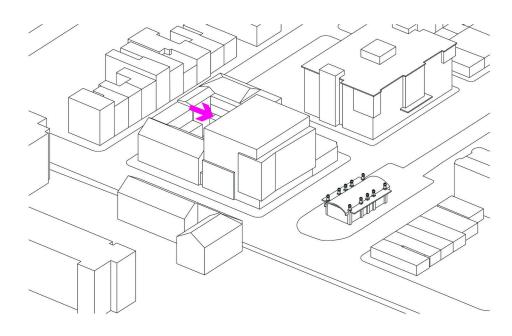
### PUBLIC STOREFRONT

MAVERICK SQUARE IS THE PUBLIC SIDE OF THE BUILDING AND FEEDS INTO THE PUBLIC AMENITIES AT THE BUILDING'S BASE THROUGH GLASS STOREFRONT



### MAVERICK SQUARE CONTEXT

PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN MAVERICK SQUARE INCLUDE THE MBTA STATION HEAD HOUSE AND THE SIXTY-FOOT TALL PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER



### REAR SETBACKS

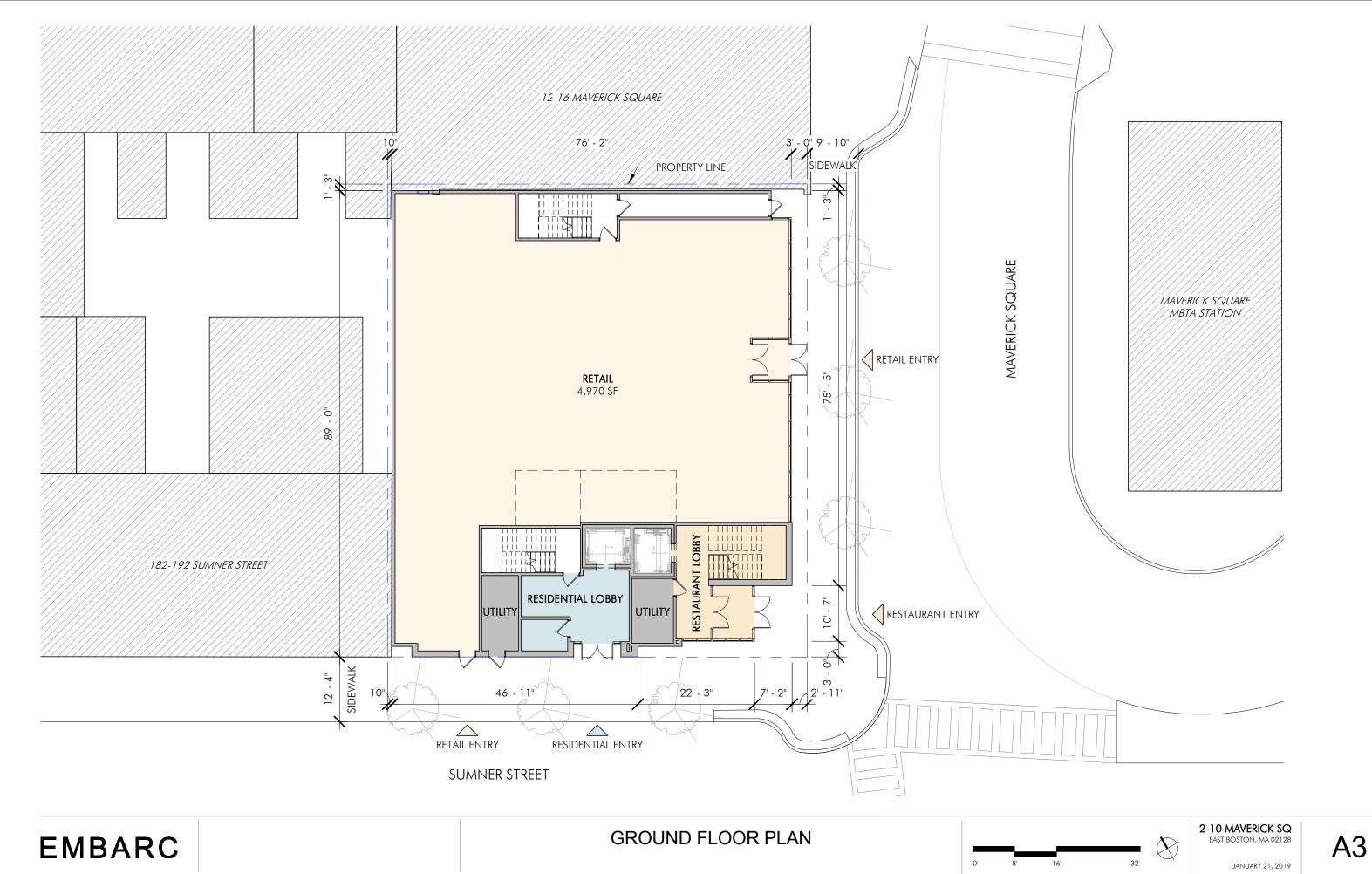
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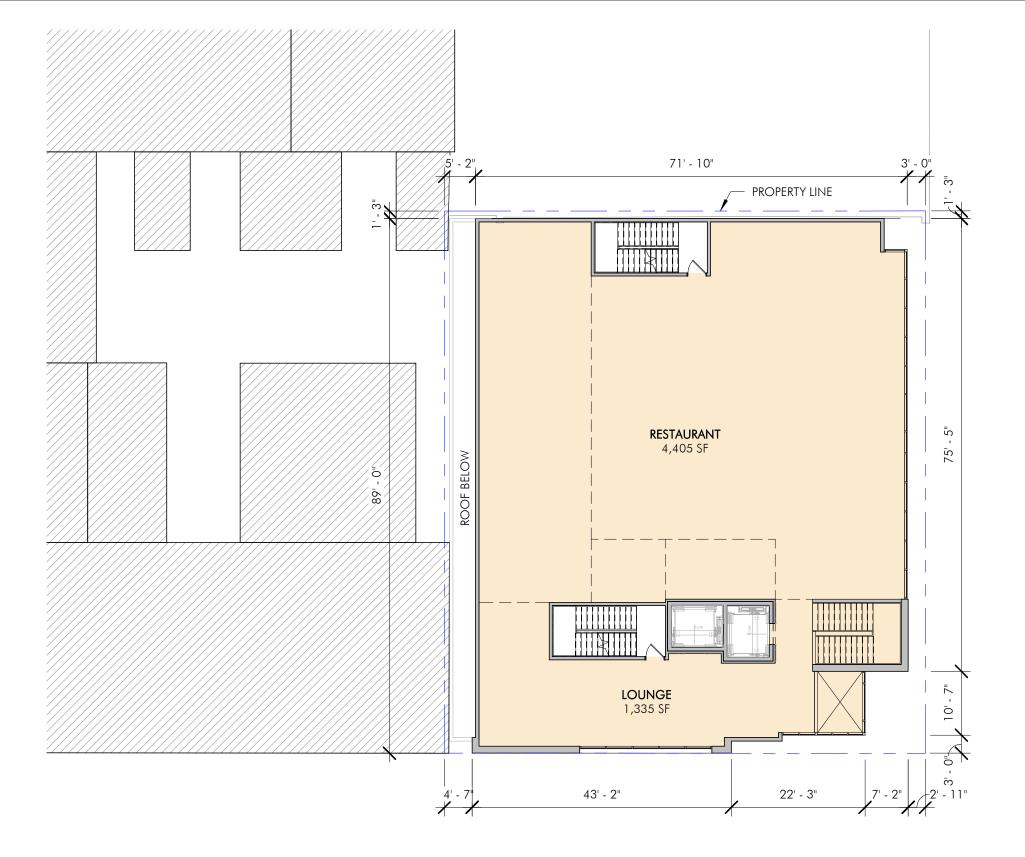
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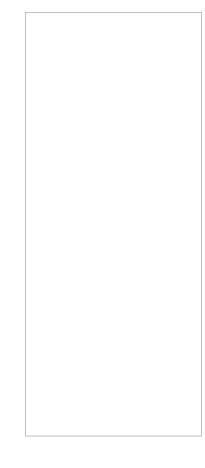
**CONCEPT DIAGRAMS** 

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SECOND FLOOR PLAN

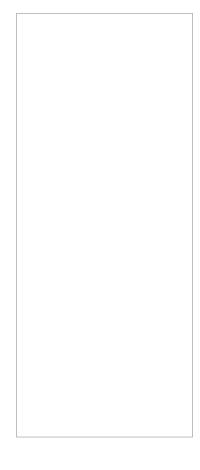


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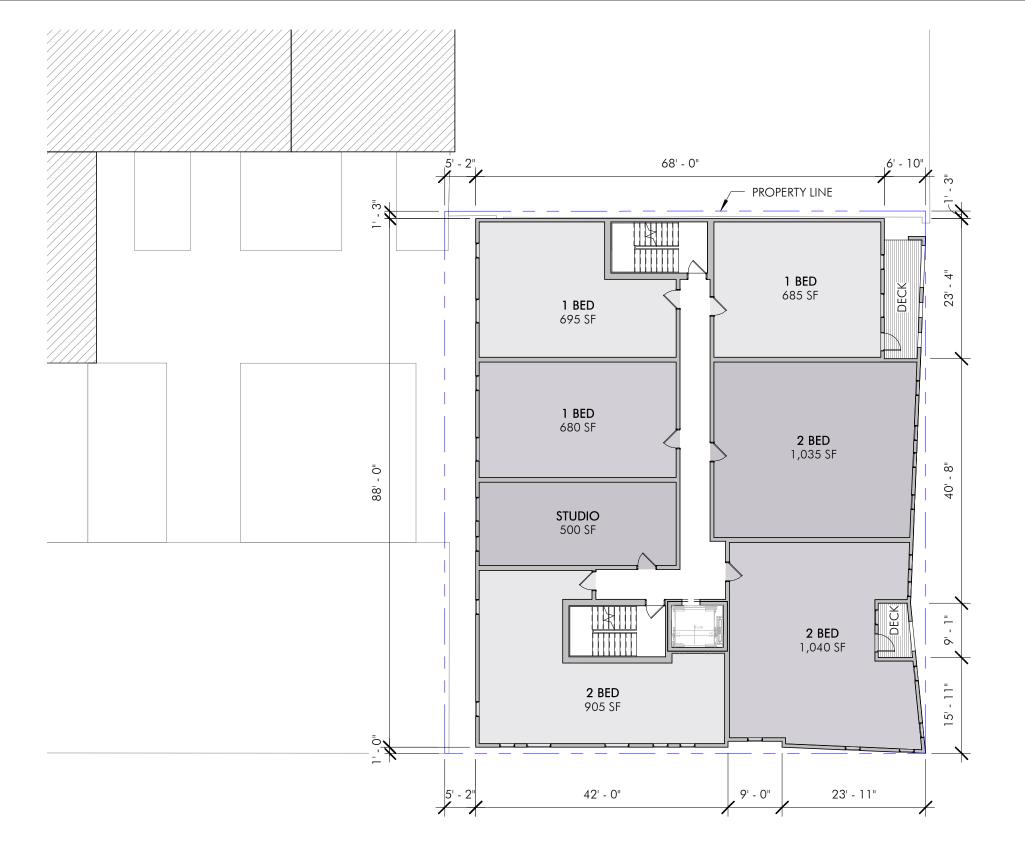


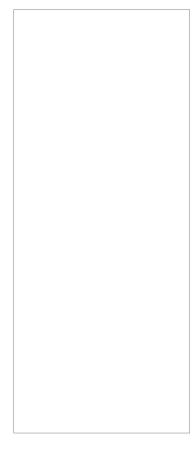


THIRD FLOOR PLAN



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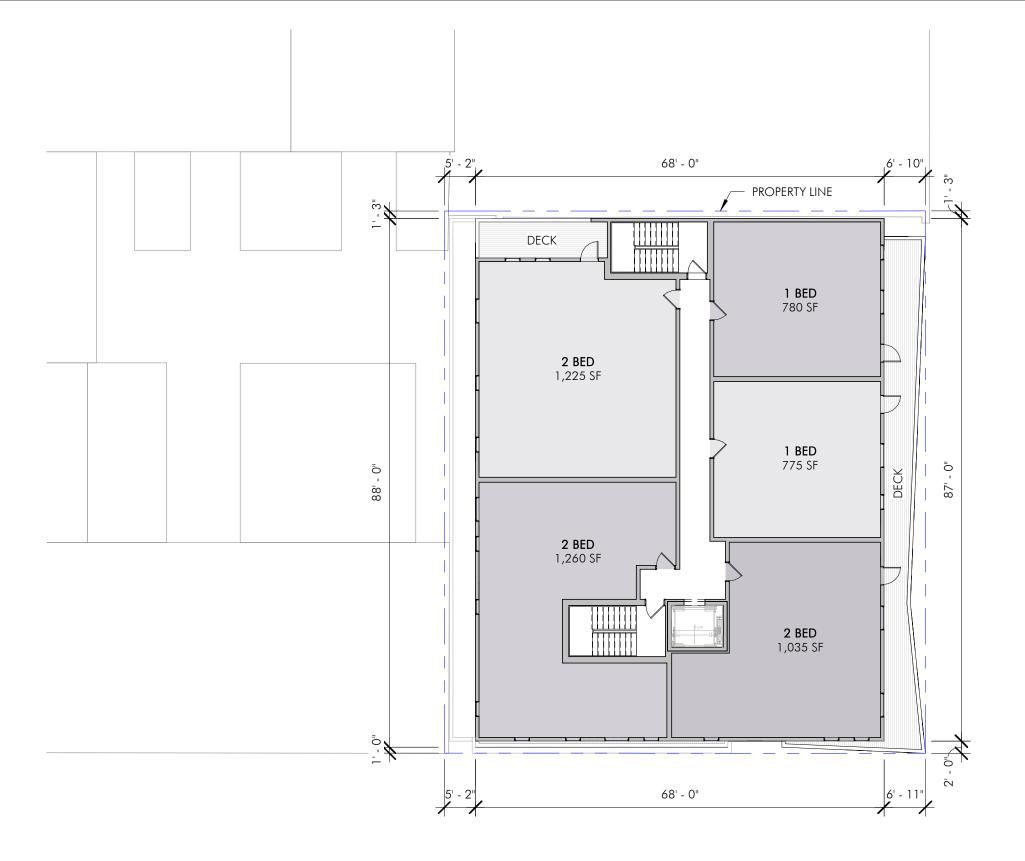


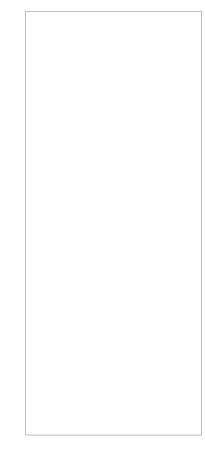
TYPICAL FLOOR PLAN



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PENTHOUSE FLOOR PLAN

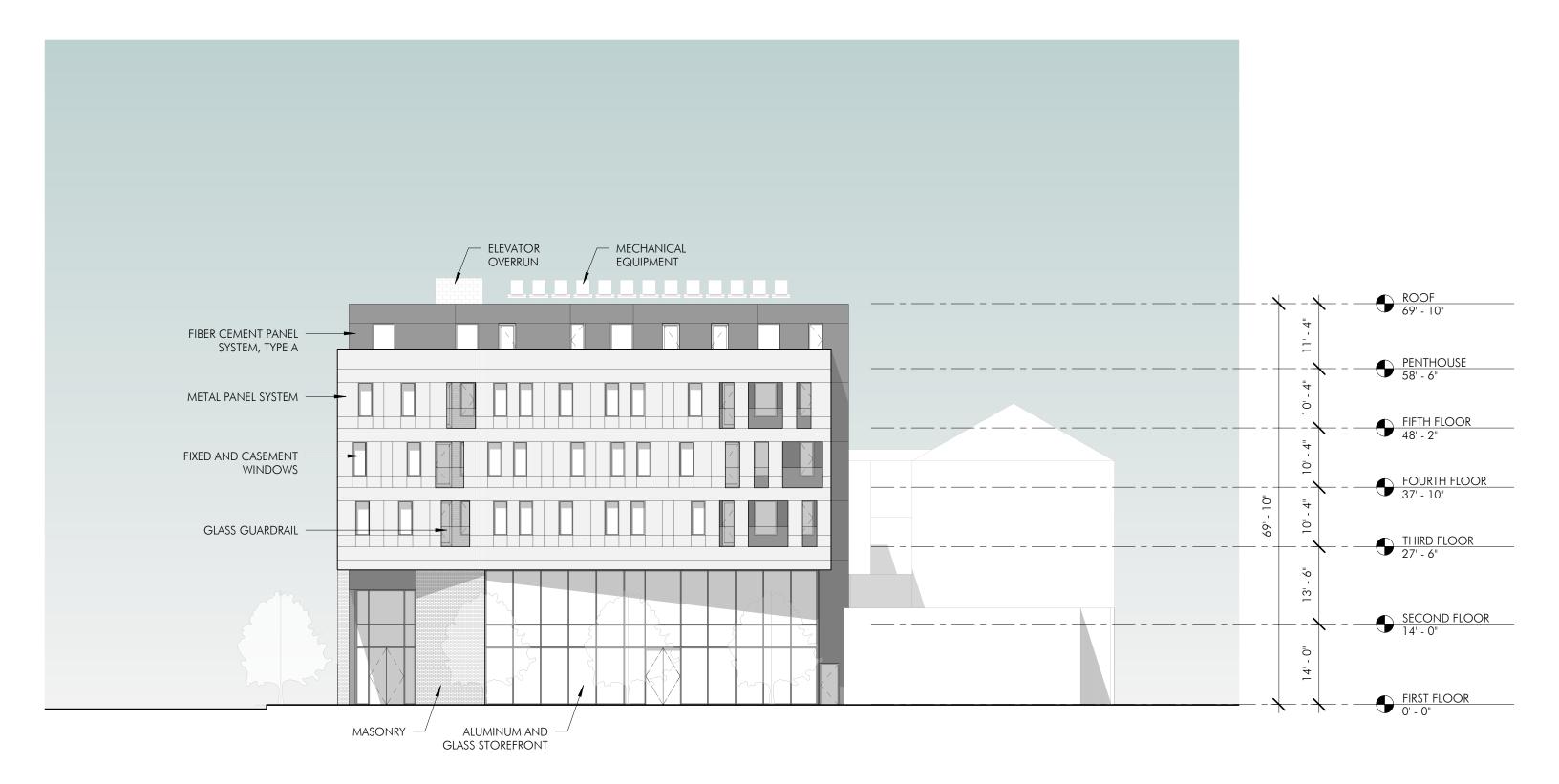




RENDERING

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MAVERICK SQUARE ELEVATION



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**OPTION 1** CONCEALED BALCONIES



**OPTION 2** FRAMED BALCONIES





FIGURE GROUND PLAN

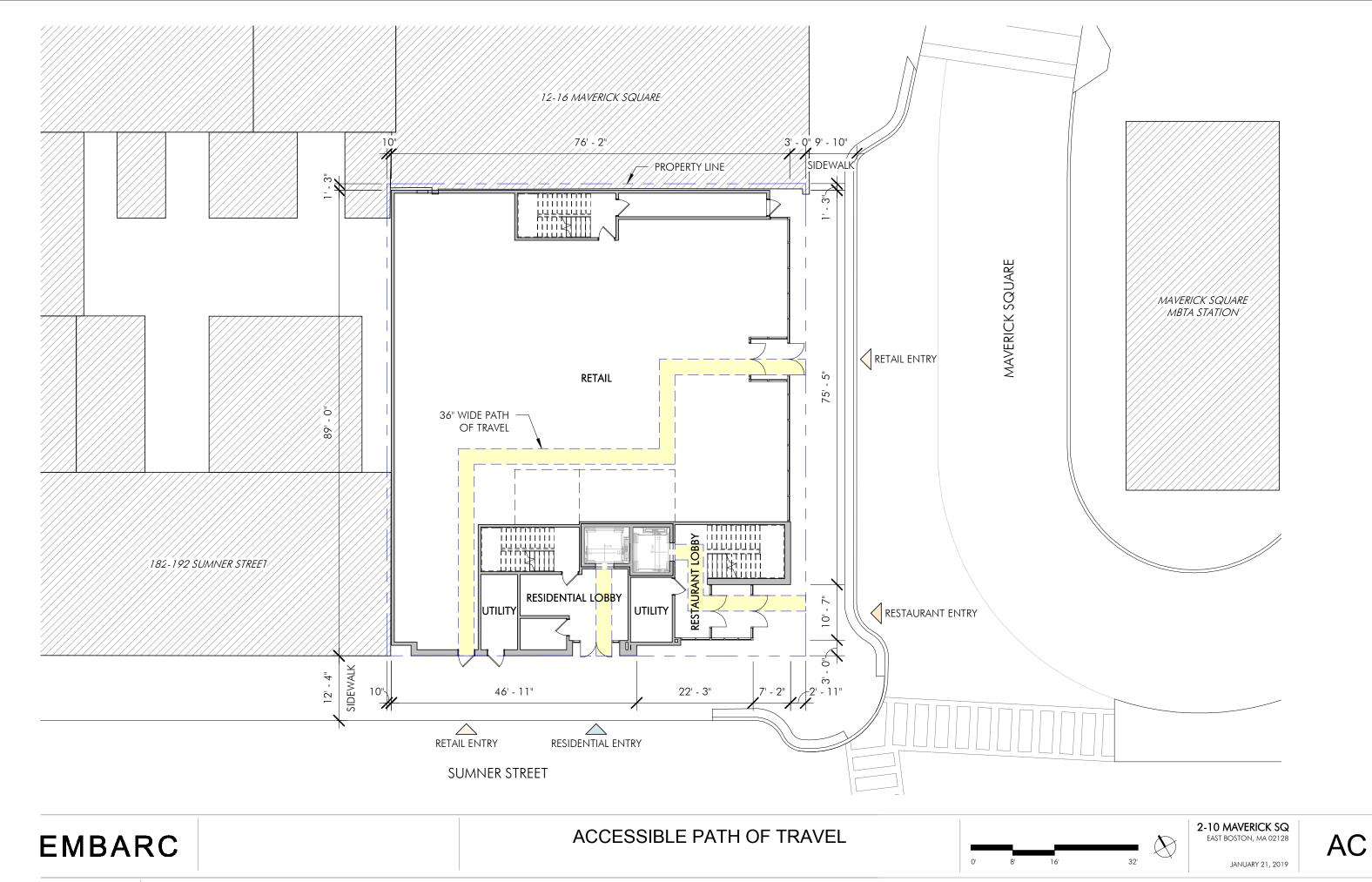


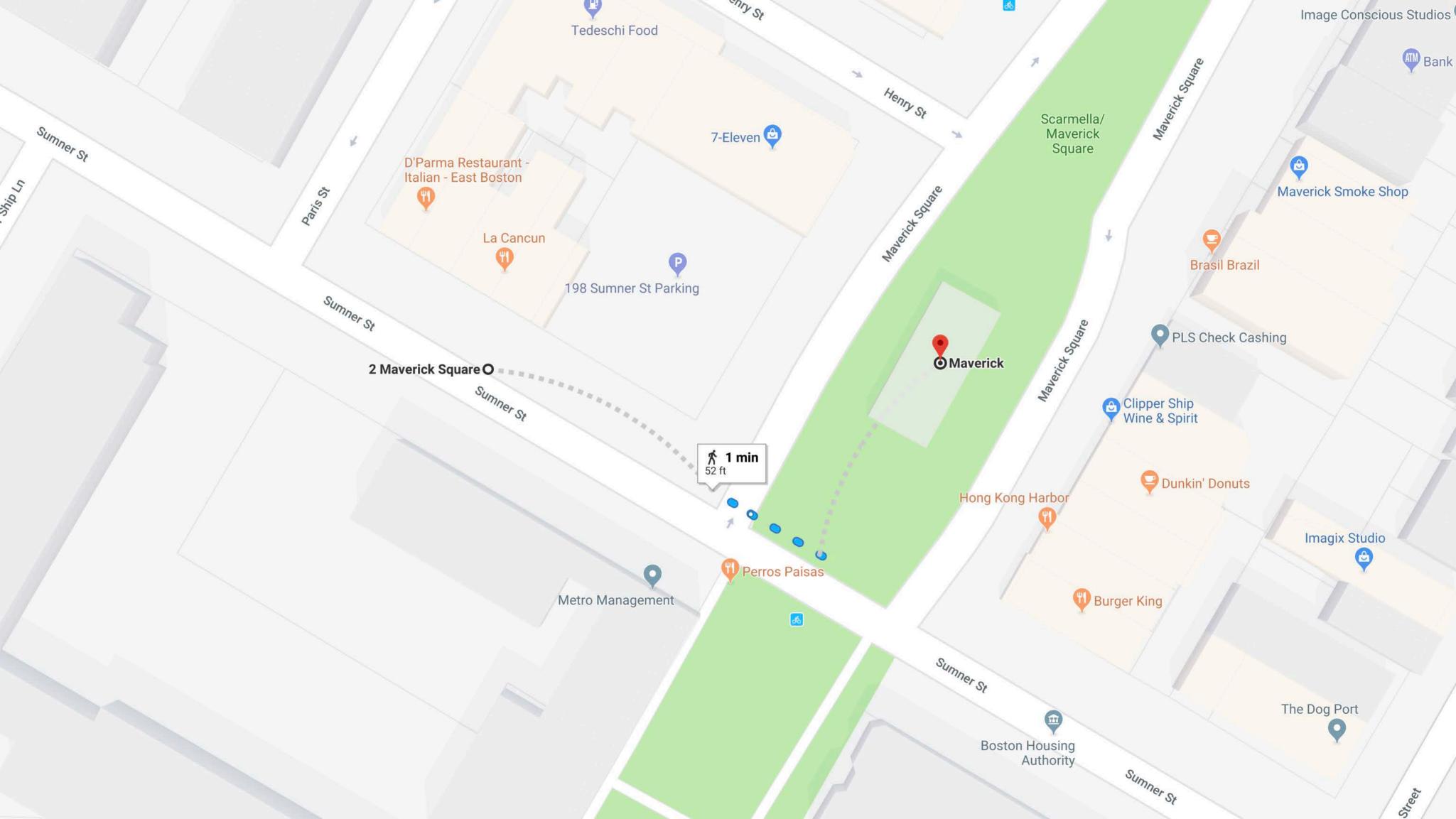
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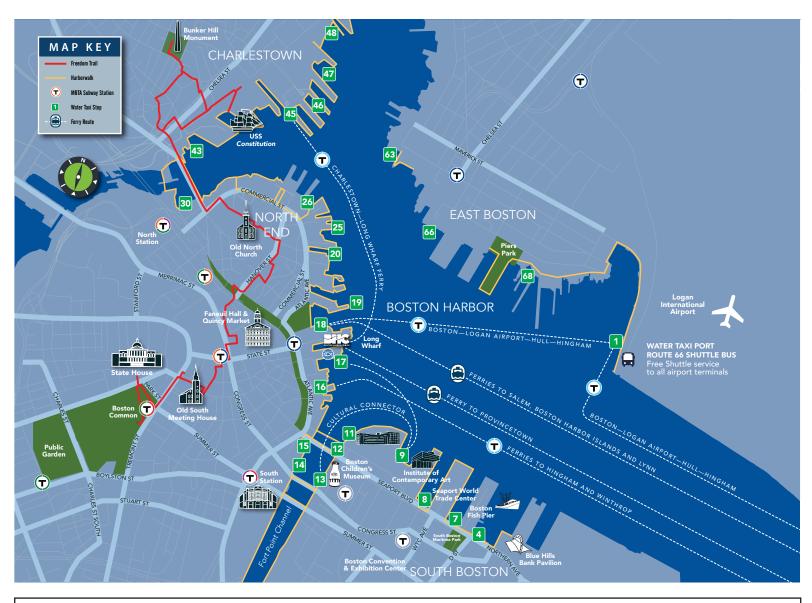
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### 1 LOGAN AIRPORT

- #66 Shuttle Bus to Airport Terminals
   Embassy Suites at Logan Airport
   Hilton Boston Logan Airport
   Hyatt Regency Boston Harbor
- 4 LIBERTY WHARF

- Blue Hills Bank Pavilion

  Access to Black Falcon Cruise Terminal

  75 on Liberty Wharf

  Del Frisco's

  Jerry Remy's

  Legal Harborside

  Salvatore's

  Temazcal

# WORLD TRADE CENTER Boston Convention & Exposition Center Spirit of Boston Bay State Cruises Morton's Steakhouse

- No Name Restaurant
  Rosa Mexicano
  Renaissance Boston Waterfront
  Seaport Hotel
  Westin Boston Waterfront

- 8 PIER 4

  = Atlantic Beer Garden

  = Ocean Prime

  = The Whiskey Priest
- 9 FAN PIER

- Institute of Contemporary Art
   Fan Pier Marina
   Babbo Pizzeria
- Empire
   Strega Waterfront
- 11 MOAKLEY FEDERAL COURTHOUSE
- Daily Catch
   Mastro's Ocean Club Restaurant

### 12 BARKING CRAB

- Envoy Hotel
  - 13 CHILDREN'S WHARF

  - Boston Children's Museum
     Boston Fire Museum
     Sportello
  - Tavern Road
    Marriott Residence Inn

### 14 ATLANTIC WHARF

- BSA Space NEBO Smith and Wollensky
  Trade
- 15 GRIFFIN'S WHARF
- Boston Tea Party Ships & Museum
   The Palm
   Intercontinental Hotel

### 16 ROWES WHARF

### Massachusetts Bay Lines Odyssey Cruises South Shore Commuter Boats Boston Harbor Hotel

17 CENTRAL WHARF

New England Aquarium & IMAX
 New England Aquarium Whale Watch
 Hilton Boston Financial District

### 18 LONG WHARF

- LBI LONG WHARF

  Boston Harbor Cruises

  Christopher Columbus Park

  Faneuli Half Quincy Market

  Freedom Trail Tours

  Rose Kennedy Greenway & Carousel

  Ferry to Hingham/Hull/Logan

  Harbor Islands Ferries

  Provincetown Ferry

  Salem Ferry

  Salem Ferry
- Boston Sailing Center
   Pilot House
   Sail Loft

- Waterboat Marina
  Chart House
  Joe's American Bar & Grill
  Legal Seafood
  State Street Provisions
  The Landing at Long Wharf
  Ta's
  Marriott Long Wharf
  Millennium Bostonian Hotel

### 19 YACHT HAVEN MARINA 20 SARGENTS WHARF

- 25 BURROUGHS WHARF

### 26 BATTERY WHARF

- Boston's North End
   Old North Church
- Paul Revere House
   Mike's Pastry
   North End Restaurants
   Battery Wharf Hotel

### 30 LOVEJOY WHARF\*

TD Garden
North Station

### 43 TUDOR WHARF

- Constitution Marina
  Blackmoor Bar & Kitchen
  Ironside Grill
  Legal Oysteria
  Warren Tavern
  Marriott Residence Inn

### 45 SHIPYARD PARK

- Bunker Hill Monument
  Courageous Sailing Center
  Flagship Wharf
  USS Cassin Young
  USS Constitution
  USS Constitution ■ DECCA Boston Navy Yard
- Navy Yard Bistro
  Style Cafe

### 46 PIER 6

### 47 PIER 8

### Spaulding Hospital HarborView Residences

63 LOPRESTI PARK

### Lombardi Memorial Park The ReelHouse Restaurant The Eddy East Boston

### 66 EAST PIER

48 MENINO PARK

East Boston Greenway
 Piers Park
 Portside at East Pier

68 SHIPYARD & MARINA Boston Harbor Shipyard & Marina
 Downeast Cider House
 KO Pies

■ Attractions ■ Transportation & Marinas ■ Restaurants ■ Hotels

### 2-10 MAVERICK SQUARE, EAST BOSTON

PROGRAM AREAS

JANU	JARY	21,	2019

		GROSS SQUA	RE FEET (GSF)		
	SELLABLE I	RENTABLE (G	SF)	COMMON (GSF)	
		GSF			GSF
GROUND FLOOR	RETAIL	4,970		RESIDENTIAL LOBBY	345
SKOOKS I ZOOK	IVE I7 (IE	4,070		RESTAURANT LOBBY	430
				STAIRS   ELEVATORS	615
				UTILITIES	220
				OPEN SPACE	475
				OF EN OF AGE	475
LOOR SUBTOTAL		4,970			1,610
SECOND FLOOR	RESTAURANT	5,740		STAIRS   ELEVATORS	465
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LOOR SUBTOTAL		5,740			465
HIRD FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	4,530	1	HALL   STAIRS   ELEVATOR	870
	UNIT 301	960	2 BD	AMENITY	880
	UNIT 302	1,035	2 BD	DECKS	165
	UNIT 303	685	1 BD		
	UNIT 304	670	1 BD		
	UNIT 305	680	1 BD		
	UNIT 306	500	STUDIO		
LOORS SUBTOTAL		4,530			1,750
OURTH FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	5,540	+	HALL   STAIRS   ELEVATOR	740
30K1111 233K	UNIT 401	1,040	2 BD	DECKS	165
	UNIT 402	1,035	2 BD		
	UNIT 403	685	1 BD		
	UNIT 404	695	1 BD		
	UNIT 405	680	1 BD		
	UNIT 406	500	STUDIO		
	UNIT 407	905	2 BD		
LOOR SUBTOTAL		5,540			740
IFTH FLOOR	RESIDENTIAL	5,540		HALL   STAIRS   ELEVATOR	740
II III LOOK	UNIT 501	1,040	2 BD	DECKS	165
	UNIT 501	1,040	2 BD	DECKG	100
	UNIT 503	685	1 BD		
	UNIT 504	695	1 BD		
	UNIT 505	680	1 BD		
	UNIT 506	500	STUDIO		
	UNIT 507	905	2 BD		
LOOR SUBTOTAL		5,540			740
ENTHOUSE	RESIDENTIAL	5,075	1	HALL   STAIRS	700
	UNIT 601	1,035	2 BD	DECKS	570
	UNIT 602	775	1 BD		
	UNIT 603	780	1 BD		
	UNIT 604	1,225	2 BD		
	UNIT 605	1,260	3 BD		
LOOR SUBTOTAL		5,075			700
RETAIL RENTABLE GSF		4,970		COMMON AREA	5,785
ESTAURANT RENTABLE GSF	r	5,740	7	•	·
RESIDENTIAL RENTABLE GSF	<u> </u>	20,685	7		

FLOOR AREA	
GROUND FLOOR	6,580
SECOND FLOOR	6,205
THIRD FLOOR	6,280
FOURTH FLOOR	6,280
FIFTH FLOOR	6,280
PENTHOUSE	5,775
TOTAL BUILDING GSF*	37,400
ADJUSTED FLOOR AREA**	37,180

SITE AREA	7,220
FAR	5.15
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GROUND FLOOR PARKING	0
TOTAL GSF	37,400
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UNIT MIX	TOTAL	PERCENT	AVERAGE AREA
STUDIO	3	12%	500
1 BED	11	44%	701
2 BED	10	40%	1,022
3 BED	1	4%	1,260
TOTAL UNIT COUNT	25		827

PARKING SPACES PROPOSED	0
PARKING/UNIT RATIO	0.00

OPEN SPACE	1,540
OPEN SPACE / UNIT	62

<sup>\*</sup>GSF measured to outside face of exterior walls, centerline of party walls and demising walls, excludes parking

<sup>\*\*</sup>FAR measurements excludes areas elsewhere in the structure devoted to housing mechanical equipment customarily located in the basement or cellar such as heating and air conditioning equipment, plumbing, electrical equipment, laundry facilities and storage facilities

Measurements are based on initial field visit, subject to full set of measurements

### Article 80 - Accessibility Checklist

# A requirement of the Boston Planning & Development Agency (BPDA) Article 80 Development Review Process

The Mayor's Commission for Persons with Disabilities strives to reduce architectural, procedural, attitudinal, and communication barriers that affect persons with disabilities in the City of Boston. In 2009, a Disability Advisory Board was appointed by the Mayor to work alongside the Commission in creating universal access throughout the city's built environment. The Disability Advisory Board is made up of 13 volunteer Boston residents with disabilities who have been tasked with representing the accessibility needs of their neighborhoods and increasing inclusion of people with disabilities.

In conformance with this directive, the BDPA has instituted this Accessibility Checklist as a tool to encourage developers to begin thinking about access and inclusion at the beginning of development projects, and strive to go beyond meeting only minimum MAAB / ADAAG compliance requirements. Instead, our goal is for developers to create ideal design for accessibility which will ensure that the built environment provides equitable experiences for all people, regardless of their abilities. As such, any project subject to Boston Zoning Article 80 Small or Large Project Review, including Institutional Master Plan modifications and updates, must complete this Accessibility Checklist thoroughly to provide specific detail about accessibility and inclusion, including descriptions, diagrams, and data.

For more information on compliance requirements, advancing best practices, and learning about progressive approaches to expand accessibility throughout Boston's built environment. Proponents are highly encouraged to meet with Commission staff, prior to filing.

### **Accessibility Analysis Information Sources:**

- Americans with Disabilities Act 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design http://www.ada.gov/2010ADAstandards index.htm
- 2. Massachusetts Architectural Access Board 521 CMR <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eopss/consumer-prot-and-bus-lic/license-type/aab/aab-rules-and-regulations-pdf.html">http://www.mass.gov/eopss/consumer-prot-and-bus-lic/license-type/aab/aab-rules-and-regulations-pdf.html</a>
- Massachusetts State Building Code 780 CMR http://www.mass.gov/eopss/consumer-prot-and-bus-lic/license-type/csl/building-codebbrs.html
- 4. Massachusetts Office of Disability Disabled Parking Regulations http://www.mass.gov/anf/docs/mod/hp-parking-regulations-summary-mod.pdf
- 5. MBTA Fixed Route Accessible Transit Stations http://www.mbta.com/riding\_the\_t/accessible\_services/
- 6. City of Boston Complete Street Guidelines http://bostoncompletestreets.org/
- City of Boston Mayor's Commission for Persons with Disabilities Advisory Board www.boston.gov/disability
- 8. City of Boston Public Works Sidewalk Reconstruction Policy <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/images">http://www.cityofboston.gov/images</a> documents/sidewalk%20policy%200114 tcm3-41668.pdf
- 9. City of Boston Public Improvement Commission Sidewalk Café Policy <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/images-documents/Sidewalk-cafes-tcm3-1845.pdf">http://www.cityofboston.gov/images-documents/Sidewalk-cafes-tcm3-1845.pdf</a>

### Glossary of Terms:

- 1. Accessible Route A continuous and unobstructed path of travel that meets or exceeds the dimensional and inclusionary requirements set forth by MAAB 521 CMR: Section 20
- 2. Accessible Group 2 Units Residential units with additional floor space that meet or exceed the dimensional and inclusionary requirements set forth by MAAB 521 CMR: Section 9.4
- 3. **Accessible Guestrooms** Guestrooms with additional floor space, that meet or exceed the dimensional and inclusionary requirements set forth by MAAB 521 CMR: Section 8.4
- 4. *Inclusionary Development Policy (IDP)* Program run by the BPDA that preserves access to affordable housing opportunities, in the City. For more information visit: <a href="http://www.bostonplans.org/housing/overview">http://www.bostonplans.org/housing/overview</a>
- 5. **Public Improvement Commission (PIC)** The regulatory body in charge of managing the public right of way. For more information visit: <a href="https://www.boston.gov/pic">https://www.boston.gov/pic</a>
- 6. **Visitability** A place's ability to be accessed and visited by persons with disabilities that cause functional limitations; where architectural barriers do not inhibit access to entrances/doors and bathrooms.

### 1. Project Information:

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

Project Name:	2-10 Maverick Squa	re	
Primary Project Address:	2-10 Maverick Squa	re, East Boston, MA 02128	
Total Number of Phases/Buildings:	1 Phase / 1 Building	<u> </u>	
Primary Contact (Name / Title / Company / Email / Phone):	Richard C. Lynds, Es Law Office of Richar 245 Sumner Street, East Boston, MA 02 rclyndsesq@lorcl.com 617.207.1190	d C. Lynds Suite 110 128	
Owner / Developer:	Two Ten Maverick S	quare, LLC	
Architect:	Embarc 60 K Street, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floo Boston, MA 02127 617.766.8330	ır	
Civil Engineer:	TBD		
Landscape Architect:	TBD		
Permitting:	Richard C. Lynds, Es	eq.	
Construction Management:	TBD		
At what stage is the project at time	of this questionnaire?	Select below:	
	PNF / Expanded PNF Submitted	Draft / Final Project Impact Report Submitted	BPDA Board Approve
	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 construction information about the project including size and uses.

Site Area:	7,220 SF	Building Area:		37,400 GS
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Building Height:	69 FT 10 IN	Number of Storie		6 Floor
First Floor Elevation:	0 FT 0 IN	Is there below gra	ade space:	N
What is the Construction Type? (Select most appropriate type)				
	Wood Frame	Masonry	Steel Frame	Concrete
What are the principal building us	ses? (IBC definitions are	below - select all appr	opriate that app	oly)
	Residential - One - Three Unit	Residential - Multi- unit, Four +	Institutional	Educational
	Business	Mercantile	Factory	Hospitality
	Laboratory / Medical	Storage, Utility and Other		
List street-level uses of the building:	Retail, Restaurant L	obby, Residential Lobb	y, Trash, Utilitie	s
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### 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? *If yes,* identify which district:

No.

Are there sidewalks and pedestrian ramps existing at the development site? *If yes*, list the existing sidewalk and pedestrian ramp dimensions, slopes, materials, and physical condition at the development site:

There are existing concrete sidewalks approximately 9'-9" in width at Maverick Square and 12'-4" in width along Sumner Street. At the corner there is a single 5-foot wide pedestrian ramp accessing crosswalks across each street. The sidewalk along Sumner Street is broken by a vehicular curb cut approximately 20 feet in width to access the site, which is currently a surface parking lot. The Furnishing Zone along Maverick Square contains brick pavers.

Are the sidewalks and pedestrian ramps existing-to-remain? *If yes,* have they been verified as ADA / MAAB compliant (with yellow composite detectable warning surfaces, cast in concrete)? *If yes,* provide description and photos:

The vehicular curb cut on Sumner Street will be removed. The sidewalks and pedestrian ramps 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? *If yes*, choose which Street Type was applied: Downtown Commercial, Downtown Mixed-use, Neighborhood Main, Connector, Residential, Industrial, Shared Street, Parkway, or Boulevard.

Yes, Neighborhood Main Street.

What are the total dimensions and slopes of the proposed sidewalks? List the widths of the proposed zones: Frontage, Pedestrian and Furnishing Zone:

The existing sidewalk width comprised of a 7'-6" Pedestrian Zone, 1'-8" Furnishing Zone and 7-inch curb along Maverick Square and an 11'-9" Pedestrian Zone and 7-inch curb along Sumner Street will be maintained while an additional 2 to 10-foot Frontage Zone will be added to portions of the sidewalk at each street.

The Pedestrian zone is a public right-of-way and will be concrete to match existing, the Frontage Zone will be on private property and concrete to match the Pedestrian Zone, the Furnishing Zone at Maverick Square will remain brick pavers.
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Zero (0).
N/A.
TBD.
TBD.
N/A.

### 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:	Entrances to residential lobby, restaurant lobby and retail will be a flush condition with sidewalk. Elevator thresholds will be a flush condition on all residential floors and restaurant level.
Are the accessible entrances and standard entrance integrated? <i>If yes, describe. If no</i> , what is the reason?	Yes, entrances to residential lobby, restaurant lobby and retail are accessible and integrated.
If project is subject to Large Project Review/Institutional Master Plan, describe the accessible routes way- finding / signage package.	N/A.

### 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?	Twenty-five (25) dwelling units.
If a residential development, how many units are for sale? How many are for rent? What is the breakdown of market value units vs. IDP (Inclusionary Development Policy) units?	All twenty-five (25) units are for rent; twenty-two (22) are market value units and three (3) are affordable IDP units.
If a residential development, how many accessible Group 2 units are being proposed?	Twenty-three (23) units will meet Group 1 requirements and two (2) 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?  If yes, describe:	Yes, an elevator provides access to all residential floors. A second elevator provides access to restaurant level. There are no ramps or lifts in the development.
-	nd past required compliance with building codes. Providing an overall ual participation of persons with disabilities makes the development an unity.
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?	TBD.
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?	The common lobby and common amenity space 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.	TBD.
Has the proponent reviewed the proposed plan with the City of Boston Disability Commissioner or with their Architectural Access staff?  If yes, did they approve? If no, 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? *If no,* 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 80 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 <a href="https://www.boston.gov/disability">www.boston.gov/disability</a>, or our office:

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