

Rendering Above: North Elevation



Rendering Above: South Elevation

C.2 Street Entries

The First Street entrance has a large suspended canopy marking the bottom of the entry atruim. Materials at the entry change from solid masonry to a glass wall system. This showcases the stairway encouraging guests and residents to take the stairs instead of the elevator. There is generous room beneath the canopy for quest and resident bicycle parking. The First Street entrance is marked by a masonry wall with building entry signage and a lighted public accessway lined by container plantings. Bikes can be parked at this entrance under a canopy.

C.3 Windows

The large glazed areas are characteristic of naturally lighted early industrial buildings with a strong repetitive rhythm. Alternating bays have been designed to express the nature of the interior spaces on the exterior. That is, the large glazed areas with doors are clearly living spaces leading out onto the balconies, the much smaller single windows mark secondary rooms or utility spaces. The whole composition of sizes and projections, while organized, provides a complex and visually interesting facade.

C.5 Materials

The lower three story repeating bays are clad in rain-screen brick identifying them as structural building elements. Above the projecting brick bays and on portions of the south and east facades are light colored horizontally seamed steel cladding systems. The balconies are shop fabricated coated steel bolted to the facade after cladding materials are applied.

The upper stories are clad in metal panels in a neutral color similar in value to a photographer's "grey card." This neutral value reduces the contrast between the upper stories and a bright sunny or overcast sky. The metal clad bays alternate with a dark colored fiber cement panel system.

C.6 Building Operational Systems

Solid waste is located in a screened area accessed from the parking area. The only time that the waste containers will be visible is on the day of pickup. The mechanical equipment HVAC compressors are located on a portion of the roof which is lower than the overall roof. This not only screens the equipment from neighboring properties, but reduces the noise levels for upper level residences and neighboring buildings.

C.7 Sustainability in Building Elements

Because this is a wood building, wall and roof insulation R values can be higher than in multifamily units of other construction types resulting in lower heat gain and losses. West facing glazing will be glass with a high coefficient of shading reducing air conditioning loads. All units will have operable windows and balcony doors for natural ventilation.

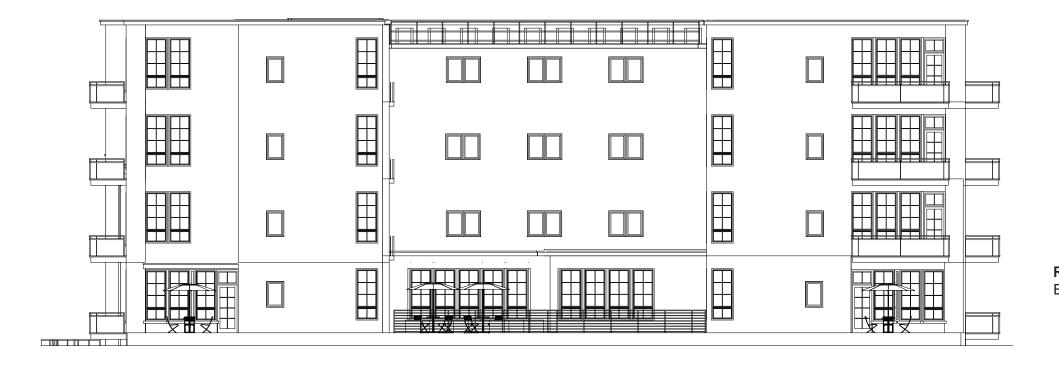
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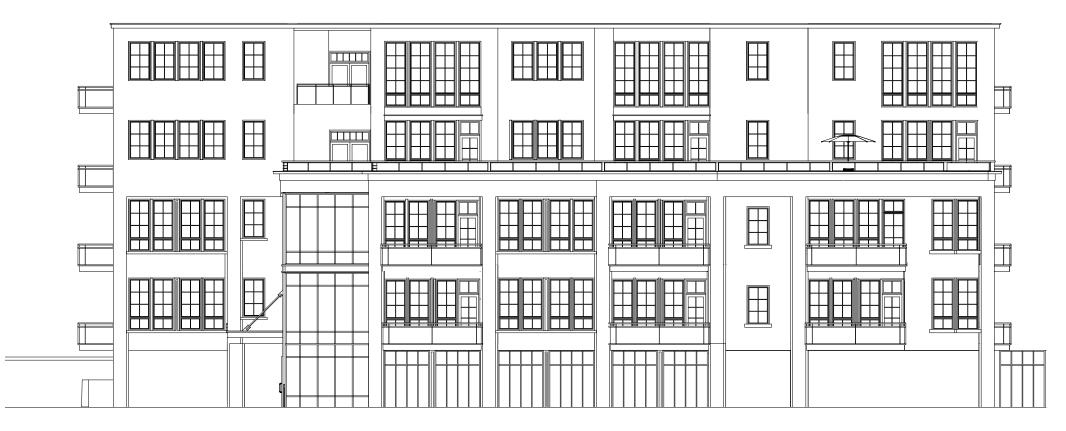


Rendering At Left: North Elevation

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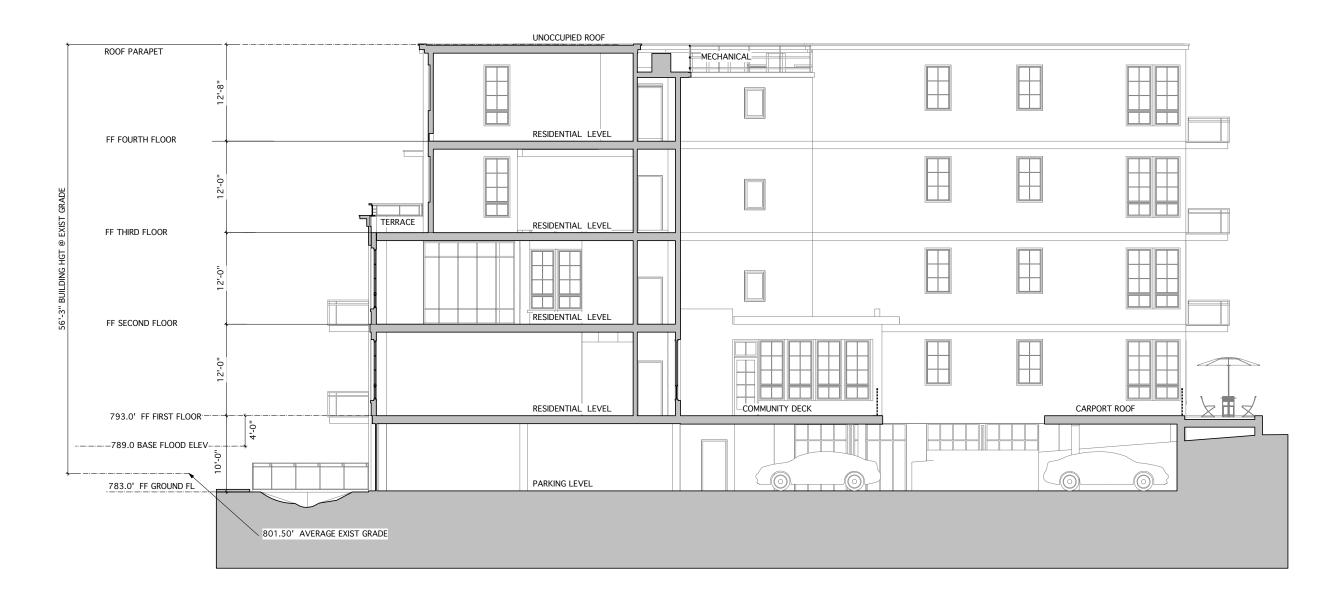




Rendering At Left: West Elevation

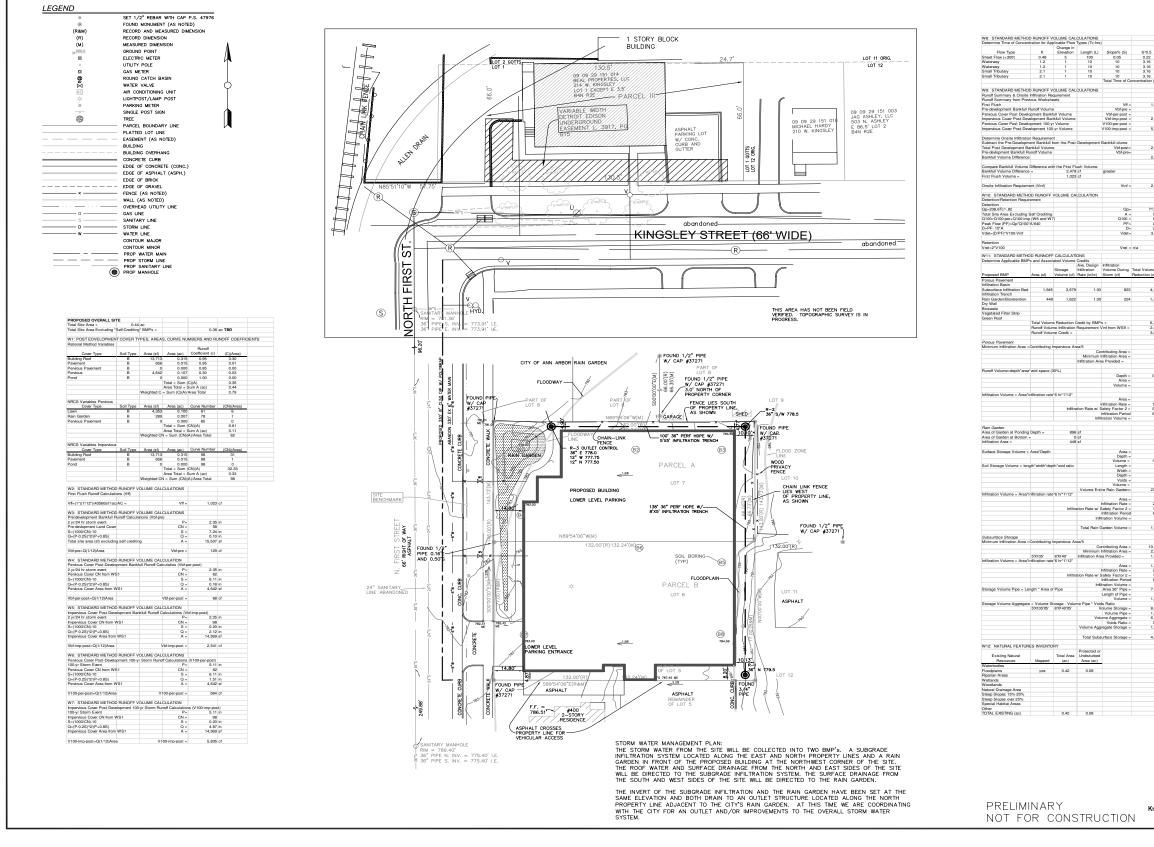
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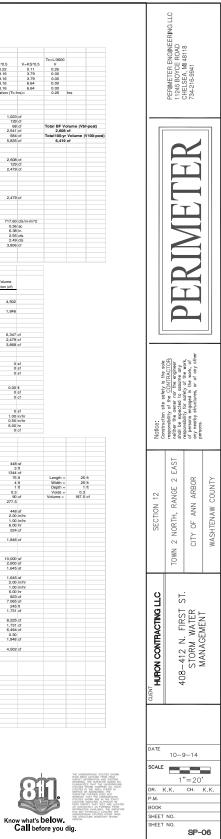
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