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CITY OF PRINCE GEORGE
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DEVELOPMENT SERVICES
1100 Patricia Blvd
Prince George, BC
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May 30, 2022

Attention: Kali Holahan A/Supervisor of Planning

RE: Development Variance Permit No. VP100619 - 700 Kinsmen Place

Thank you for your letter of May 20, 2022 advising me of the next step in the process of our variance application. The application for the 21,170 SF office building is designed for a tenant to accommodate approximately 80 employees requiring 68 parking stalls.

The tenant has done a thorough search of all properties in the city which would be suitable for their office. They have expressed great interest in 700 Kinsmen. There are no sites in the downtown area that meet the size required for their building and parking demands. The connectivity and accessibility to residential, commercial and downtown makes it an ideal site for their office and employees. We have secured a 10 year lease agreement with 4 - 5 year renewals with the tenant providing the variance for the office building is approved.

I would like to note that there are several larger structures in close proximity to the site. These include the Regional Police Station, Fire Hall, Kinsmen Hall, 7-11 Complex, Pentecostal Church and Lakewood Alliance Church.

The most recent building developed in the area was the Skyline Dental building which also houses Trans Canada Pipe. This building was larger than the C4 zoning bylaw which restricts the gross leasable floor area of office space etc. The council approved the variance.

700 Kinsmen has been vacant for many years and a number of inquiries for the site have not been suitable given the restrictions of the C4 zoning bylaw.

This project offers local support to our community businesses and residents. The building was designed by local architect Chernoff Thompson, the soil testing was completed by a locally qualified GeoTec firm. L & M Engineering is doing the civil engineering along with other local engineering consultants that will be working on the project. Local trades and suppliers will be very much involved in the project.

The site is granular material and is confirmed suitable for onsite drainage.

The tenant has a number of other offices in BC and they value representation in the North. The tenant has expressed that 700 Kinsmen is their preferred site in Prince George, Should the variance not be approved, the tenant will be required to consider other options.

Although we are in a confidentiality agreement with the tenant there is a lease agreement in place if the variance is approved. This is a great, long-term and reliable tenant for Prince George which would employ approximately 80 employees and provide reliable tax revenue to the City of Prince George.

I would like to proceed with the next step option # 2: Proceed to Council with Recommendation of Non - Support.

Yours truly,

Rod McLeod President, R.G. McLeod Developments Inc.



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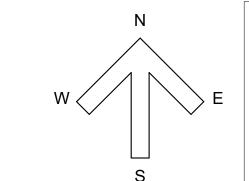
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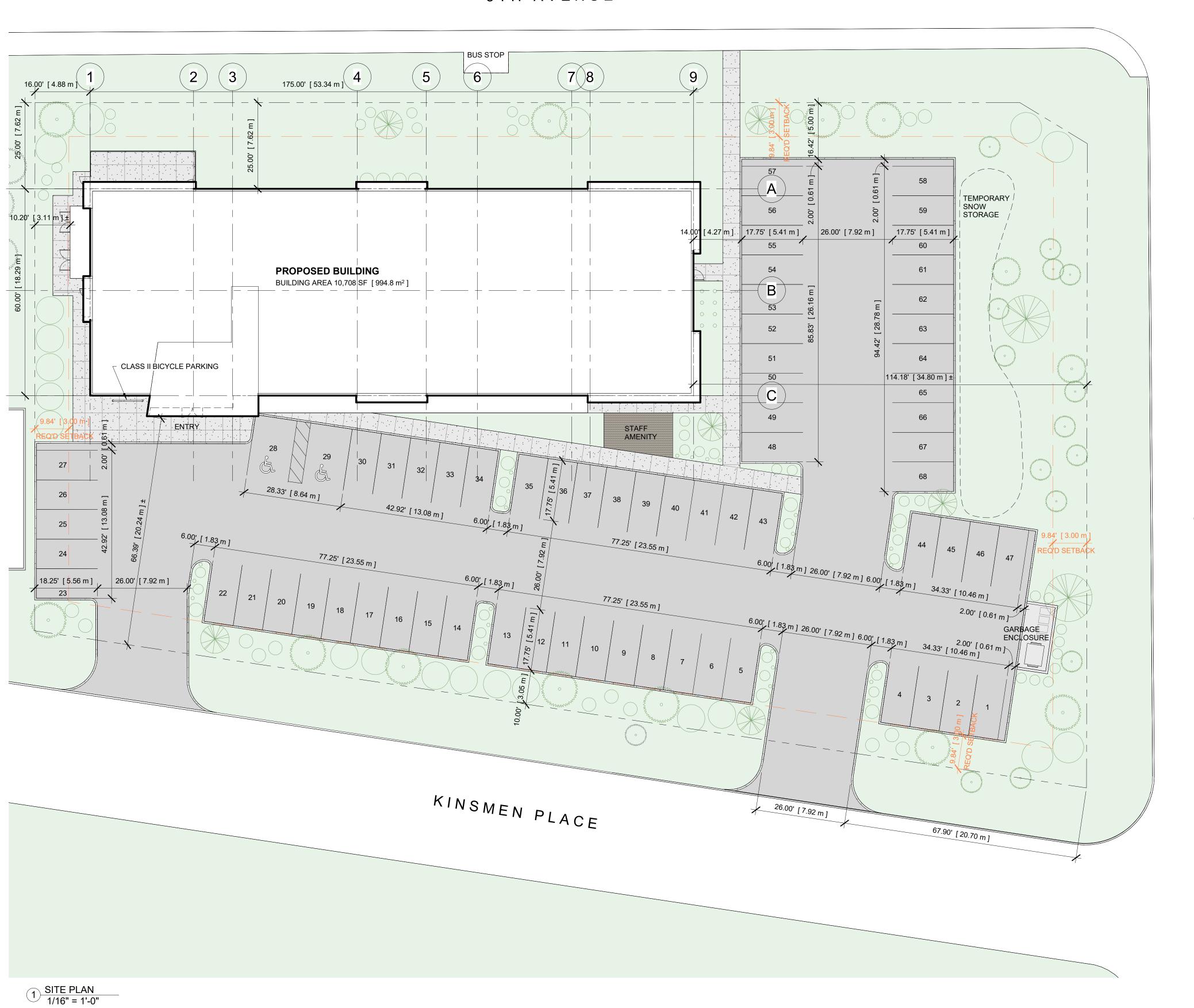
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BUILDING DESCRIPTION	1	NEW 2-S	TOREY OFFI	CE BUILDING
SITE AREA			54,796 SF	5,090.7 m <sup>2</sup>
BUILDING AREA				
PROPOSED BUILDING FOOTPR	INT AREA		10,708 SF	994.8 m <sup>2</sup>
SITE COVERAGE				
MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE PROPOSED SITE COVERAGE		10,708 SF ÷	54,796 SF =	50.0% 19.5%
GROSS FLOOR AREA				
LEVEL 1 LEVEL 2			10,708 SF 10,392 SF	
TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA			21,100 SF	
FLOOR AREA RATIO				
MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE PROPOSED SITE COVERAGE		21,100 SF ÷	54,796 SF =	NO LIMIT 0.39
UILDING SETBACKS REQUIRED PRO			VIDE <u>D</u>	
FRONT (SOUTH)	9.84'	3.00 m	66.39'	-
REAR (NORTH) SIDE (EAST) SIDE (WEST)	9.84' 9.84' 9.84'	3.00 m 3.00 m 3.00 m	25.00' 114.18' 10.20'	
BUILDING HEIGHT				
MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE HEIGHT PROPOSED BUILDING HEIGHT			32.80' 26.00'	10.00 m 7.92 m
PARKING REQUIRED				
OFFICE USE	3.4 STALLS	PER 100m <sup>2</sup> x 1	1,960.3 m <sup>2</sup> =	66.7 STALLS
TOTAL REQUIRED PARKING				67 STALLS
PARKING PROVIDED				
STANDARD STALLS (8'-7" X SMALL CAR - MAX 20% (7'-7" X DISABLED STALLS (13'-2" X	15'-2")			66 STALLS 0 STALLS 2 STALLS
TOTAL PARKING PROVIDED	,			68 STALLS
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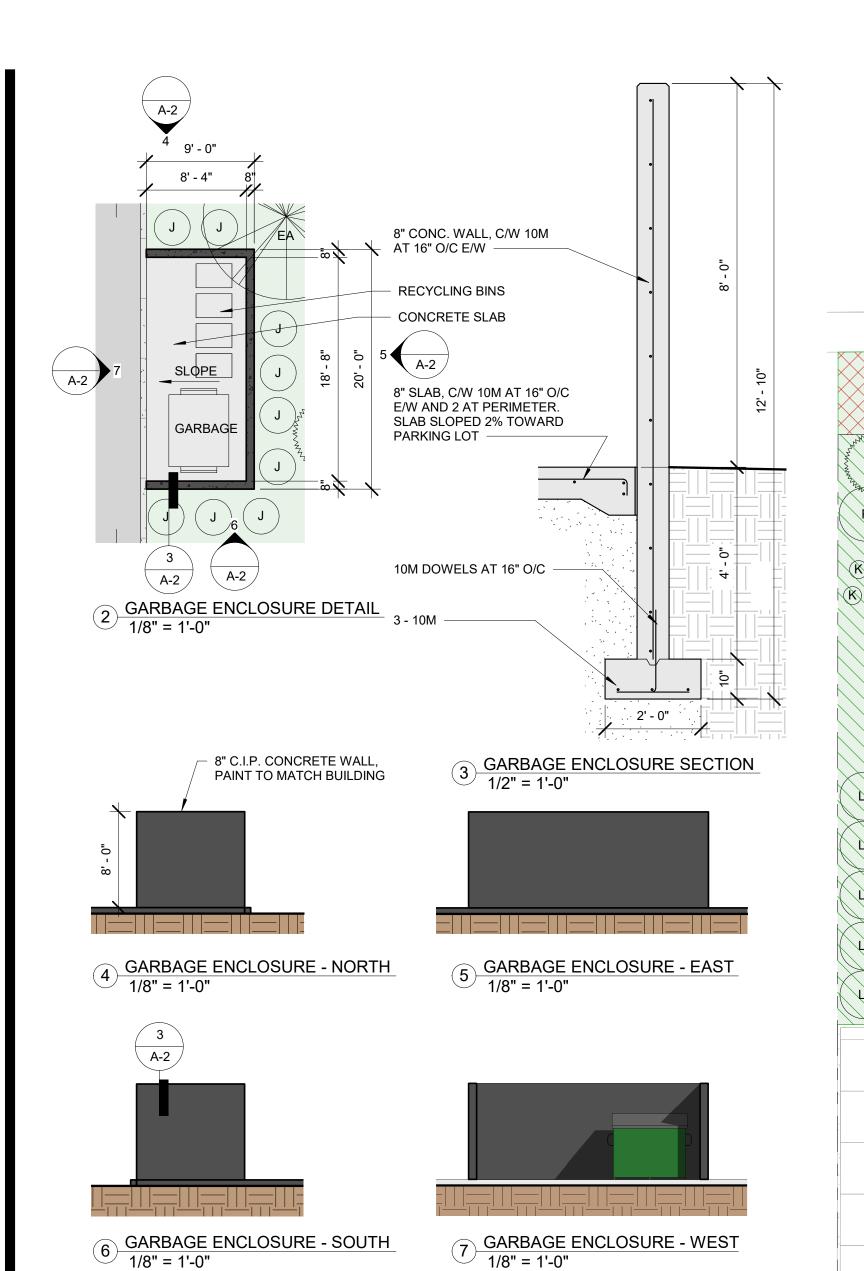
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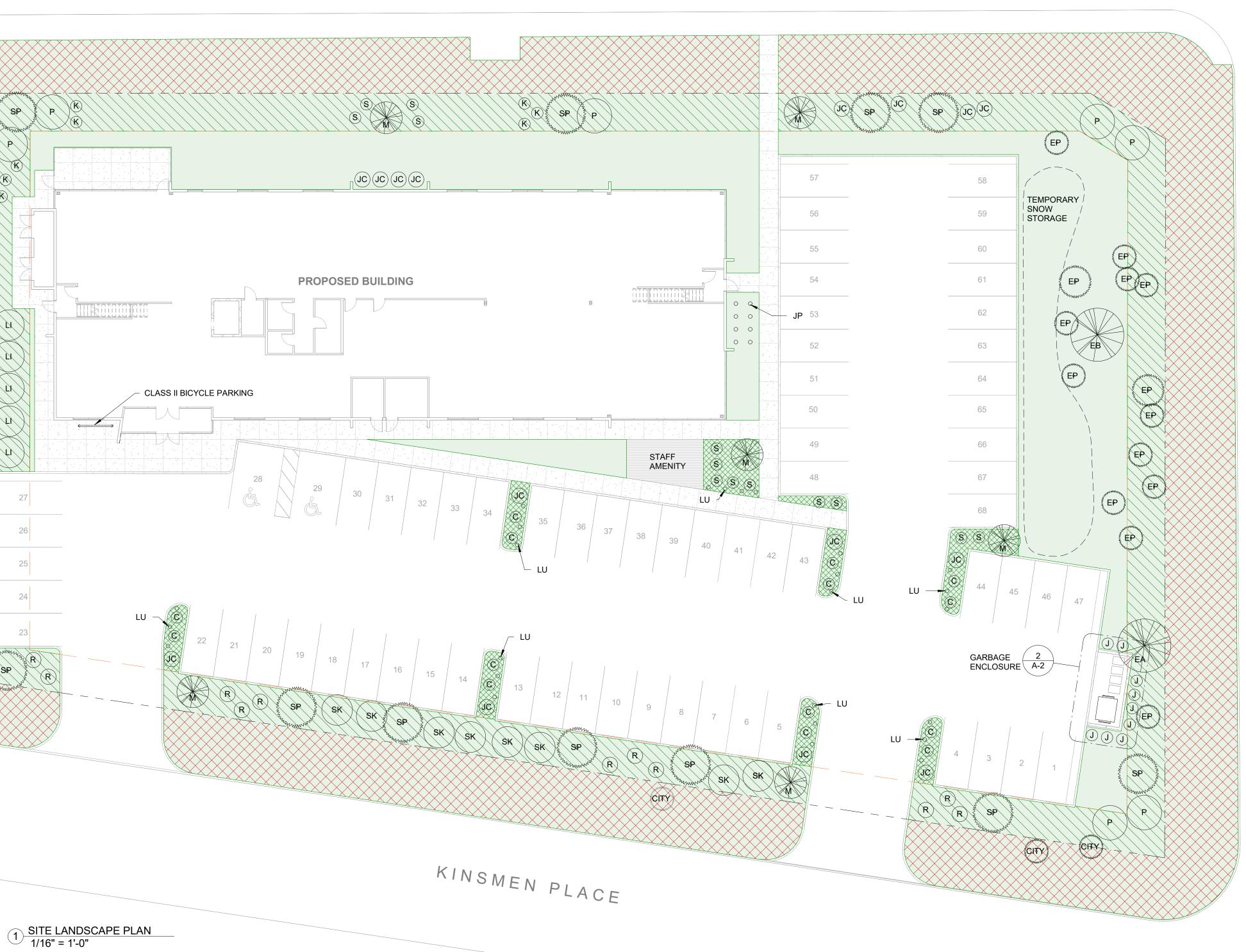
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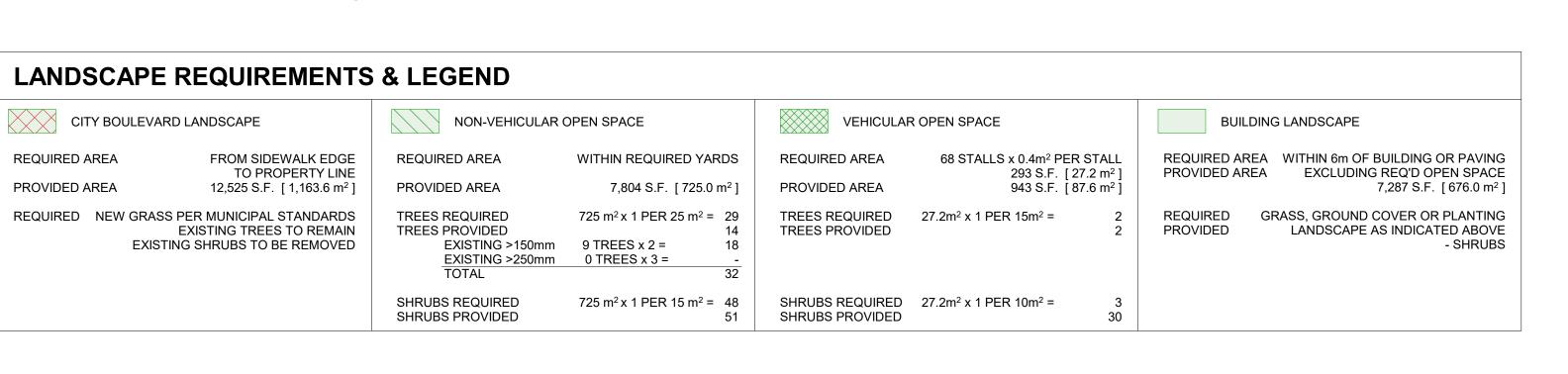
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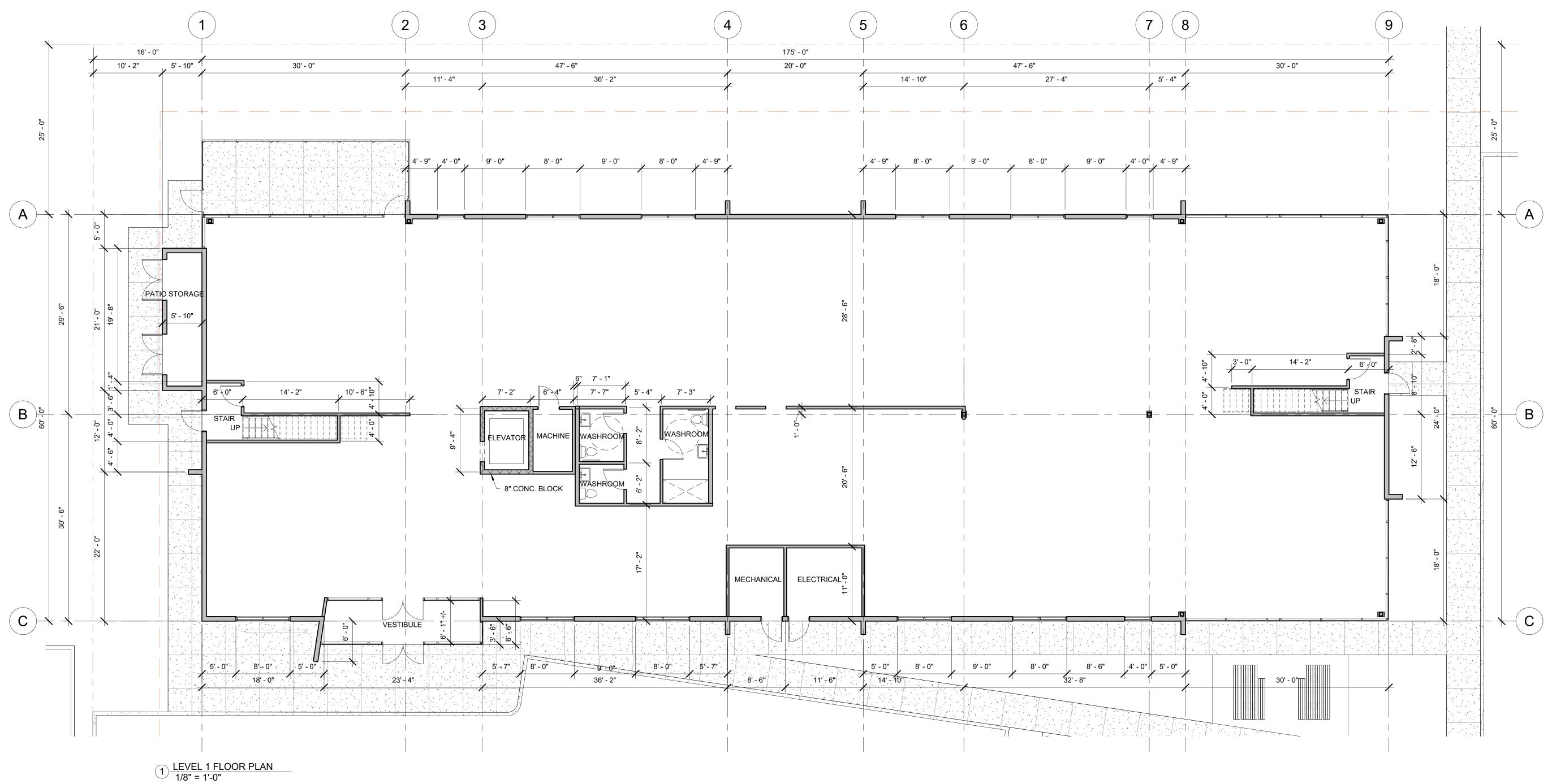
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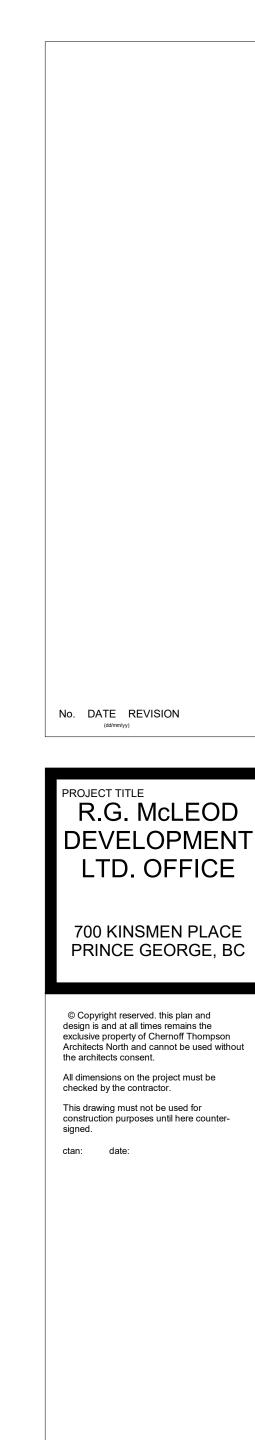
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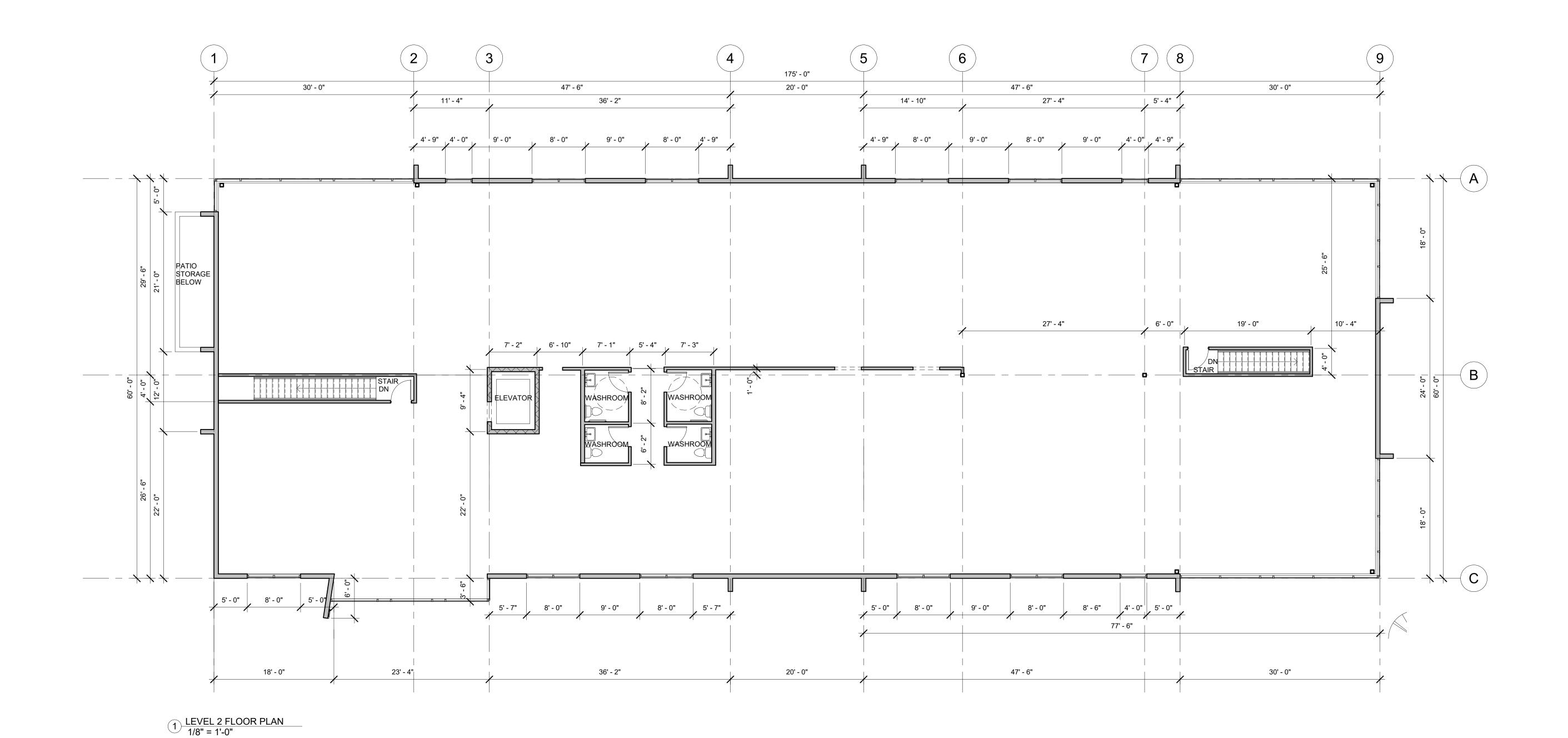
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