#### HOPEWELL VALLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

# ADDITIONS TO HISTORIC HOUSES: RESPECTING HISTORY AND ACCOMMODATING MODERN LIFE

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### HISTORIC PATTERNS









#### SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR'S STANDARDS FOR REHABILITATION

#### STANDARDS FOR REHABILITATION #9

New additions, exterior alterations, or related new construction shall not destroy historic materials that characterize the property. The new work shall be differentiated from the old and shall be compatible with the massing, size, scale and architectural features to protect the historic integrity of the property and its environment.

#### STANDARDS FOR REHABILITATION #10

New additions and adjacent or new construction shall be undertaken in such a manner that if removed in the future, the essential form and integrity of the historic property and its environment would be unimpaired.

# HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION GUIDELINES FOR ADDITIONS & NEW CONSTRUCTION

#### The HPC encourages:

- Construction of additions at rear or side elevations wherever possible that are subordinate to the historic building, and compatible with the design of the property and surrounding neighborhood
- Construction of additions so that the historic building fabric is not radically changed, obscured, damaged, or destroyed

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Guidelines for Historic Properties

**Architectural Styles** 

**Exterior Maintenance** 

Roofing

Exterior Woodwork

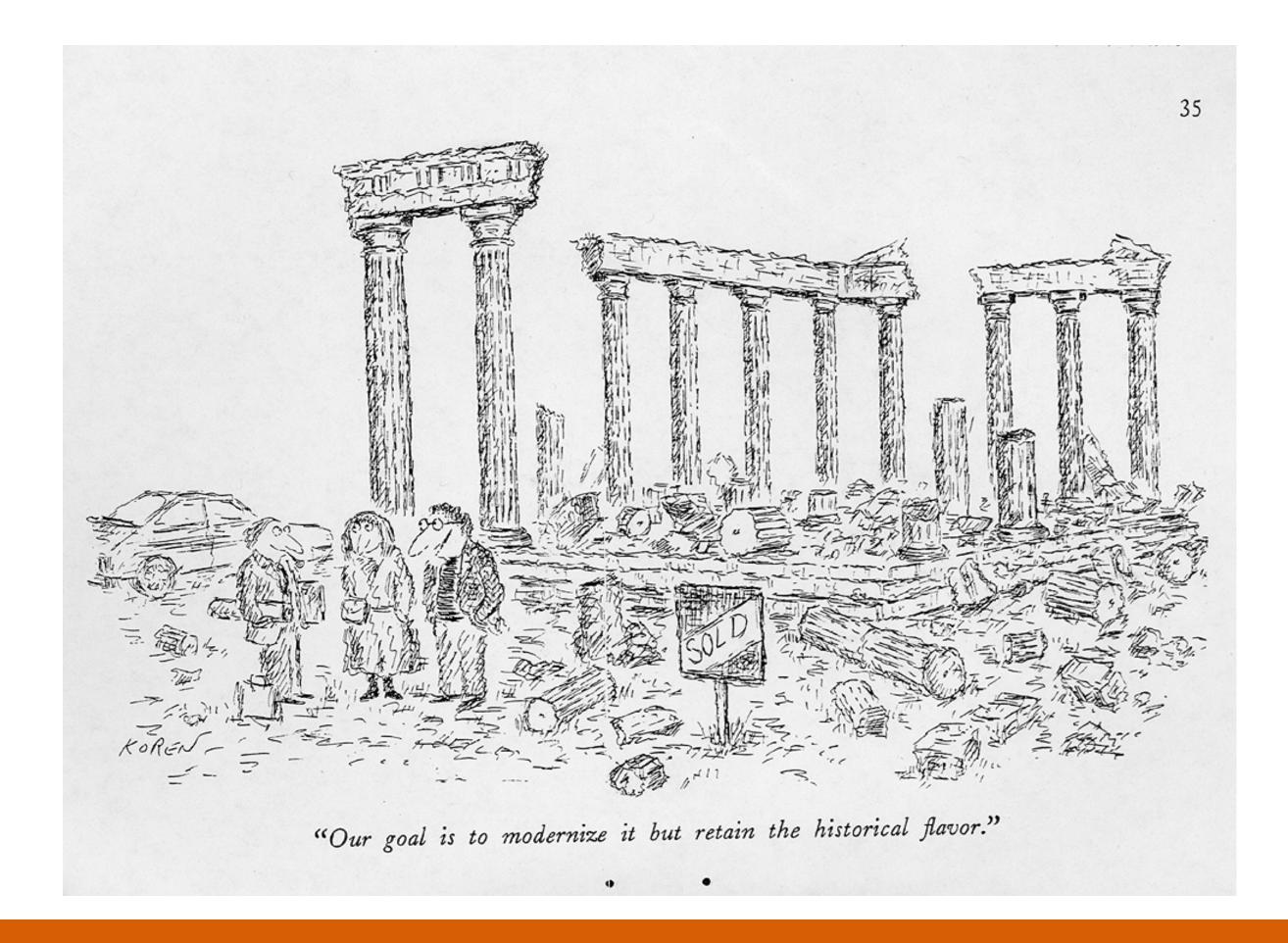
Masonry & Stucco

Wood Windows & Doors

Porches

Historic Landscapes

Additions & New Construction



# RESPECT HISTORIC INTEGRITY

Avoid obscuring, damaging or destroying character-defining features



### SUBORDINATE

#### Locate addition at rear or inconspicuous side









### SIZE

Limit size and scale in relation to historic building

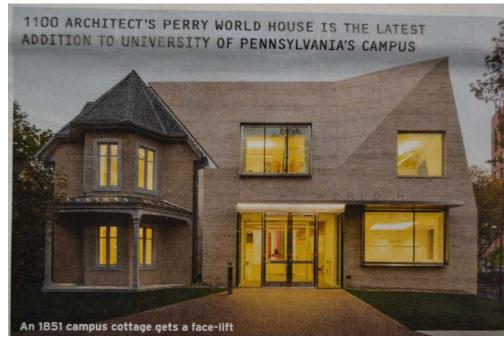




## **DIFFERENTIATED** Design may be contemporary









#### COMPATIBLE

#### May reference design motifs from the historic building

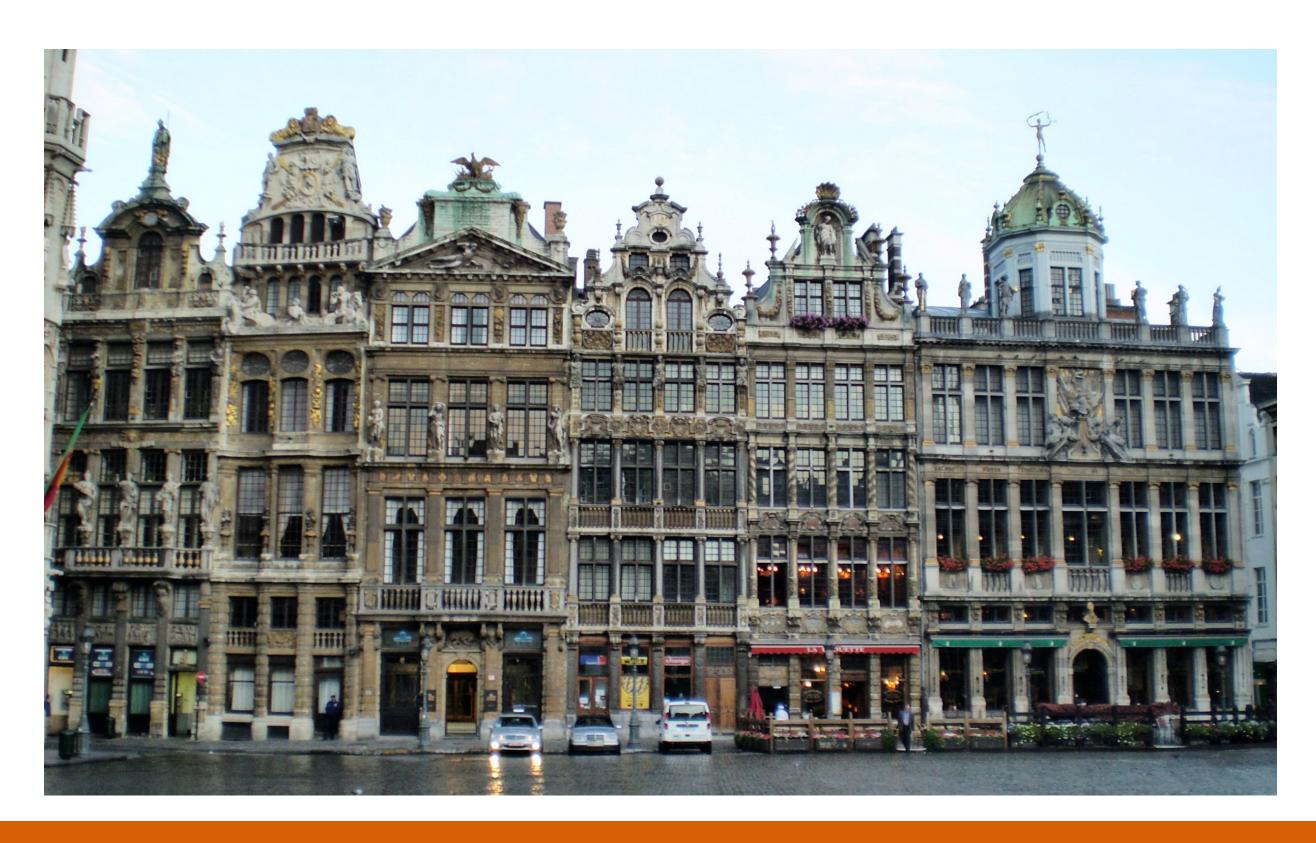






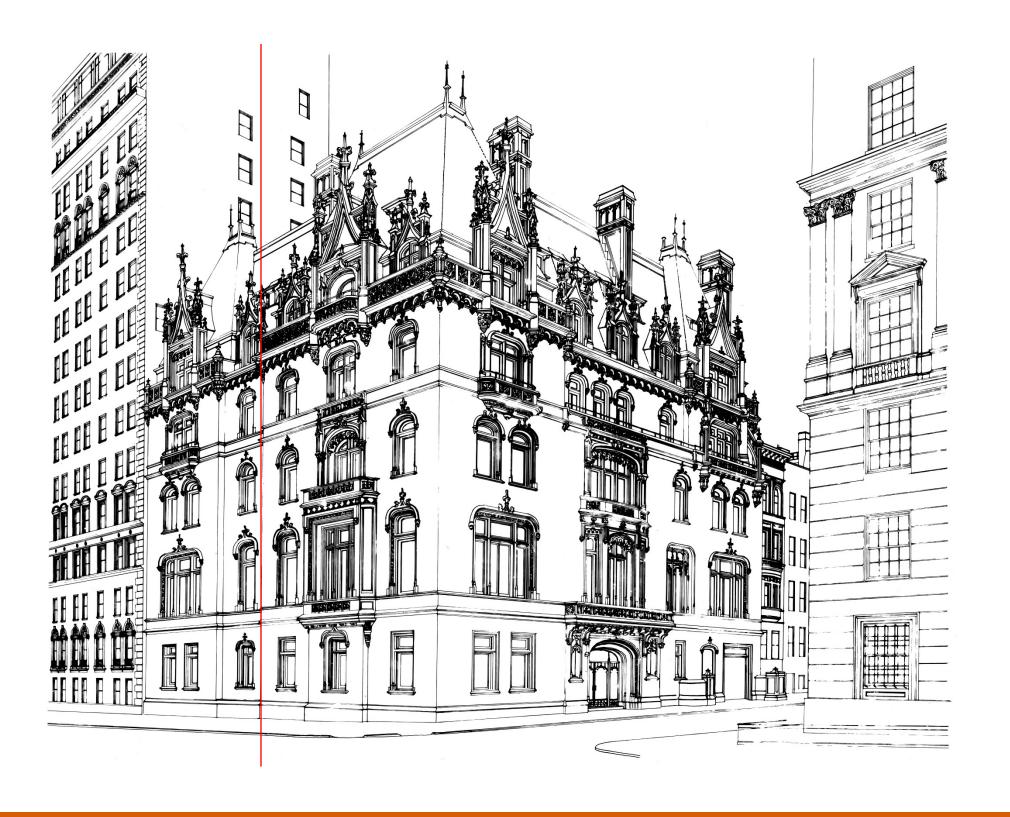


### COMPATIBLE



# DON'T DUPLICATE (USUALLY)

Avoid duplicating exact form, material style and detailing of the historic building so that the addition appears to be part of the original building



### **INCOMPATIBLE**

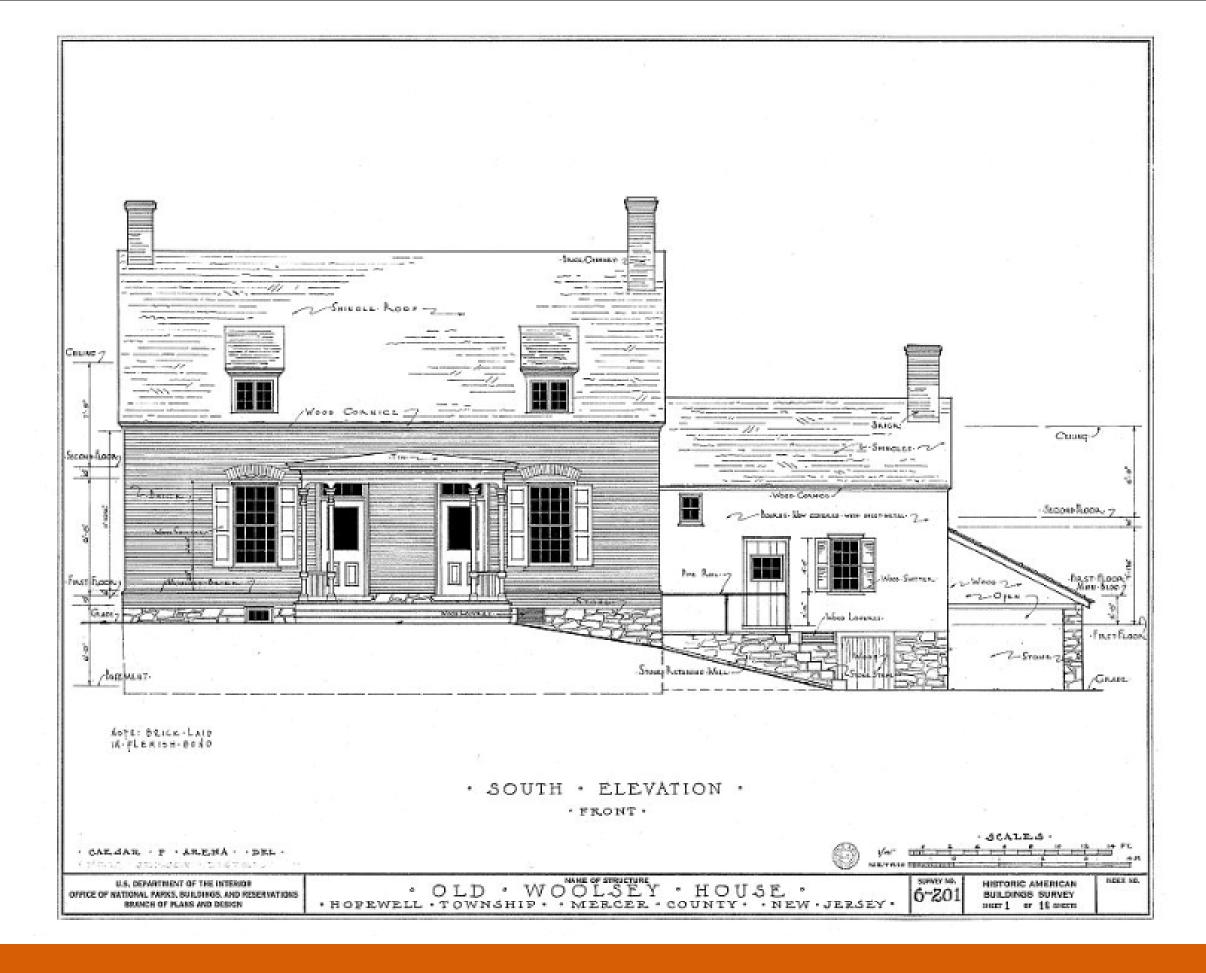


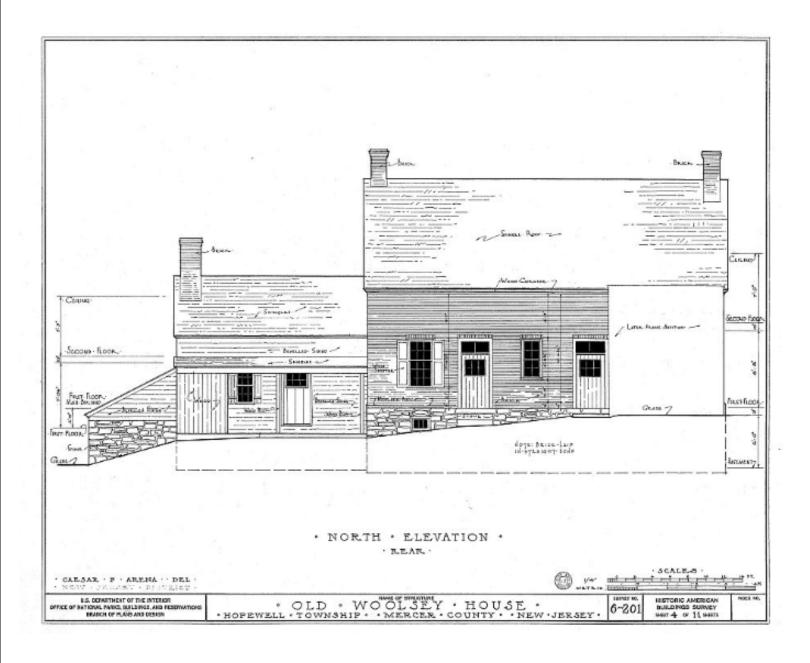


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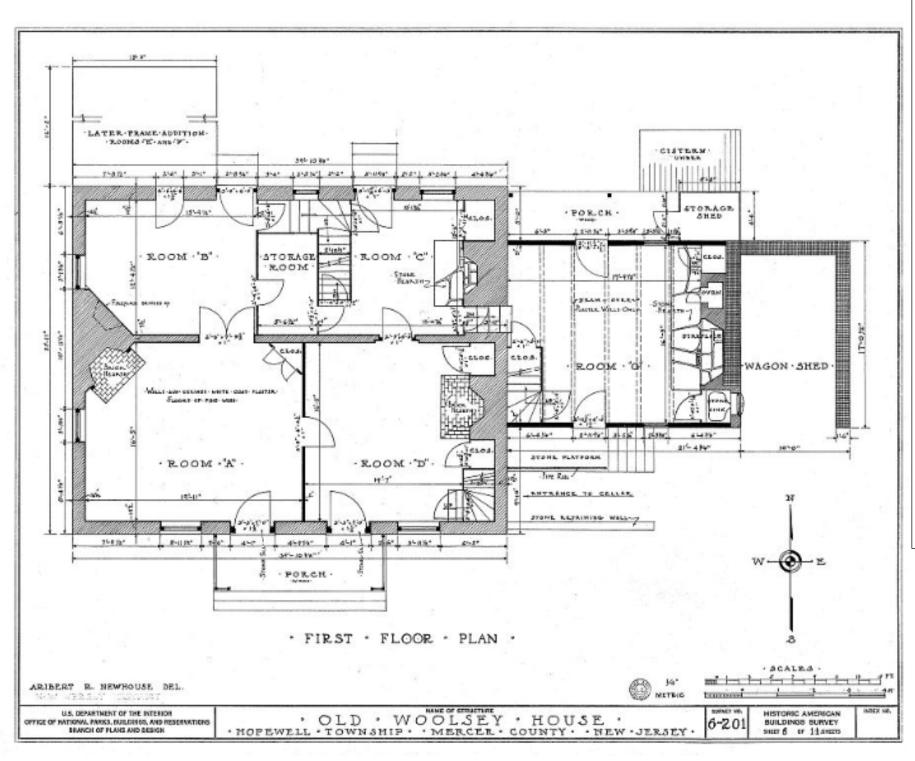


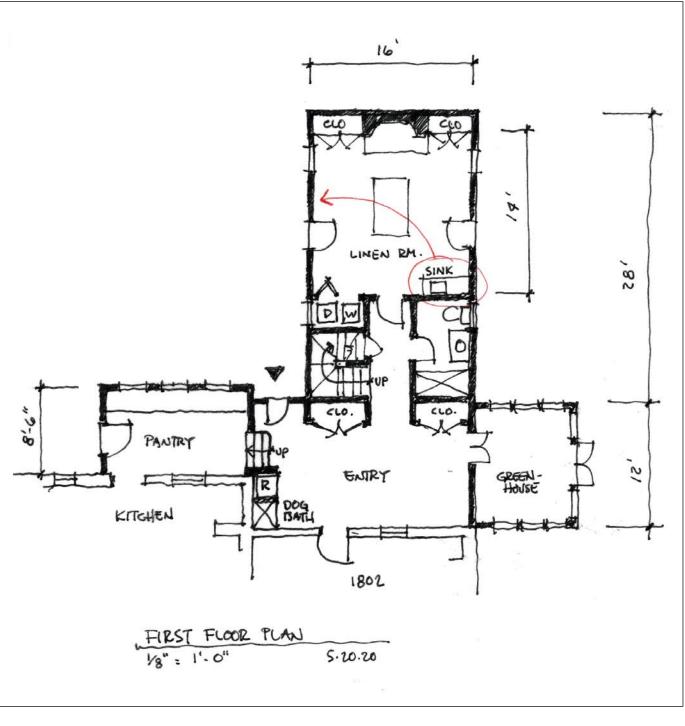


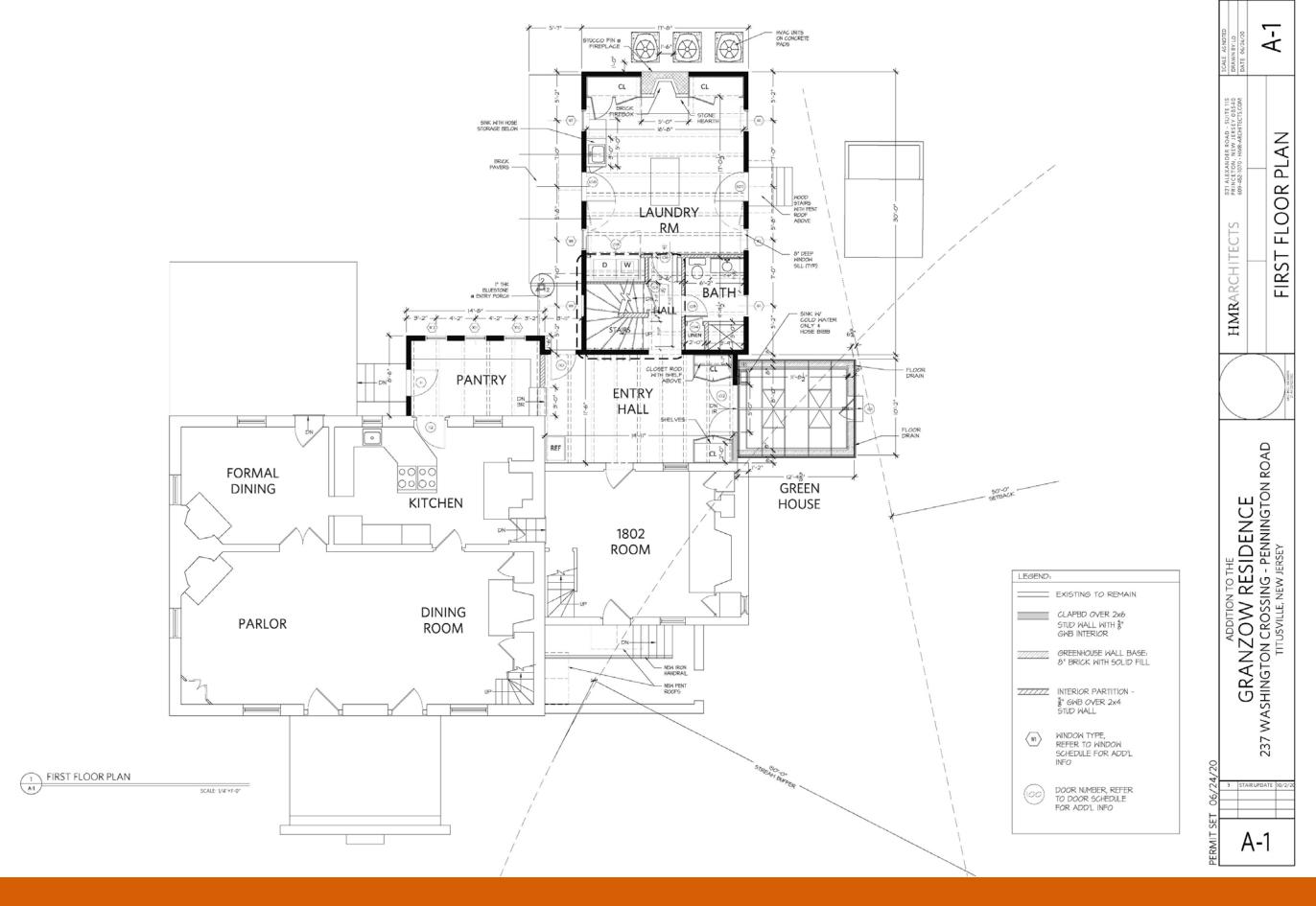


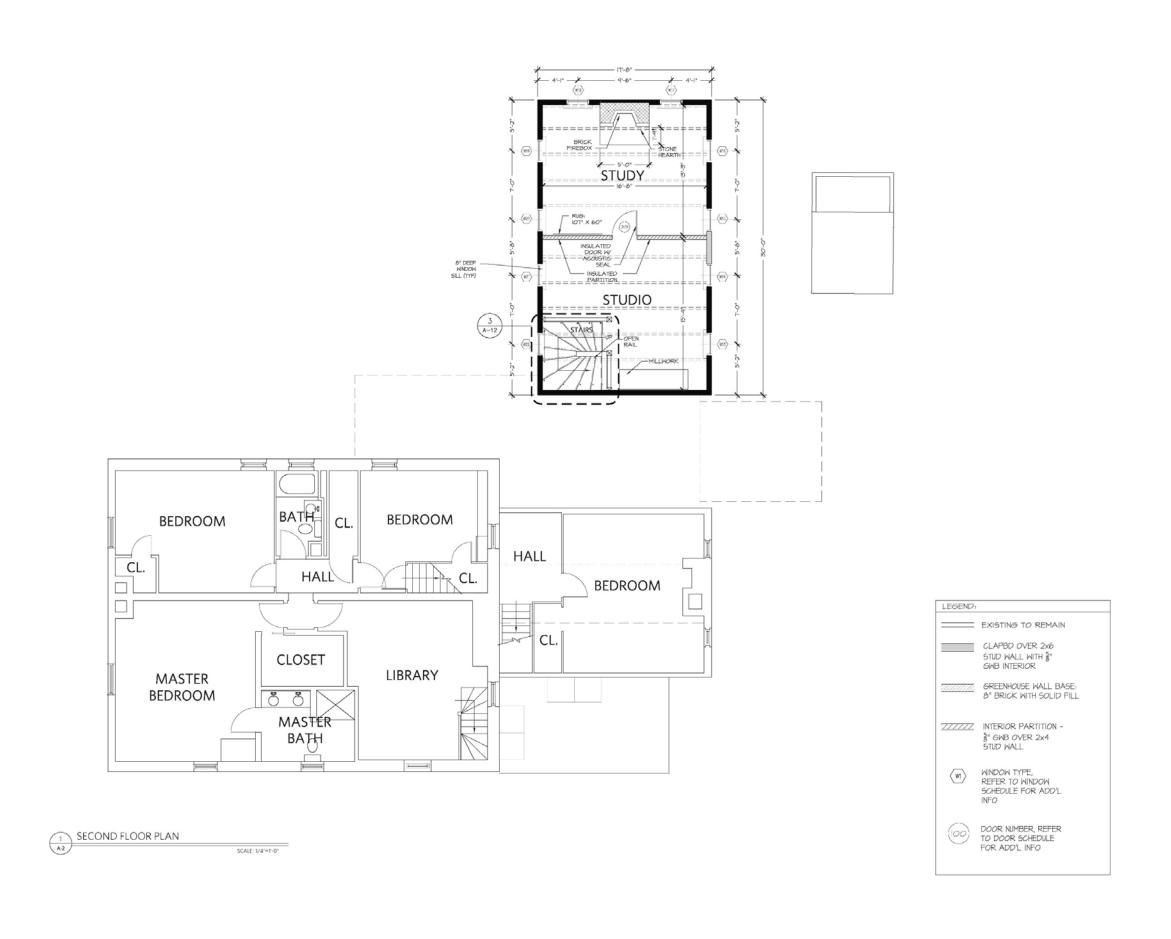












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PLAN

FLOOR

SECOND

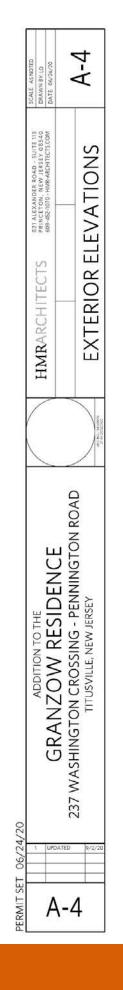
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ELEVATIONS

EXTERIOR

