

Charlotte Historic District Commission Application for a Certificate of Appropriateness

February 11, 2009

ADDRESS OF PROPERTY 1914 Ewing Avenue, Dilworth

Dilworth Local Historic District

SUMMARY OF REQUEST Change in Approved Plans for Garage

OWNERS James Doyle

APPLICANT Allen Brooks

Details of Proposed Request

This application requests an approval for a redesign of a garage proposal that was approved by the Historic District Commission in January of 2008. The original proposal was for the demolition of the existing garage and the construction of a new one story garage farther back on the lot.

The original approval, which included a rear addition to the house that is still planned and that is not part of this application, was submitted to the State Historic Preservation Office for review under the NC Preservation Tax Credit program. As part of their review, the SHPO required that the original garage remain on the site, leading to the current redesign.

The revised proposal keeps the existing one story garage in place and adds a one and one-half story section behind, with a connector between the two structures.

The garage as proposed derives its materials and detailing from both the existing garage and the house.

Current Status and Context of Property

This house is near the intersection of Ewing and East Worthington Avenues in Dilworth, and was built c. 1920, according to the Dilworth National Register Historic District documentation. The house is in an area that is a mixture of one and two story houses, many of which have either original or second generation garages. There is a companion garage next to this garage on the adjacent lot. The two houses do not have a shared driveway.

The house and the associated existing garage are listed as contributing structures within the Dilworth National Register Historic District.

Relevant HDC Design Guidelines

Accessory Buildings – Garages

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Relevant Secretary of Interior's Standards for Historic Rehabilitation

(As cited in the Charlotte Zoning Ordinance Section 10.210)

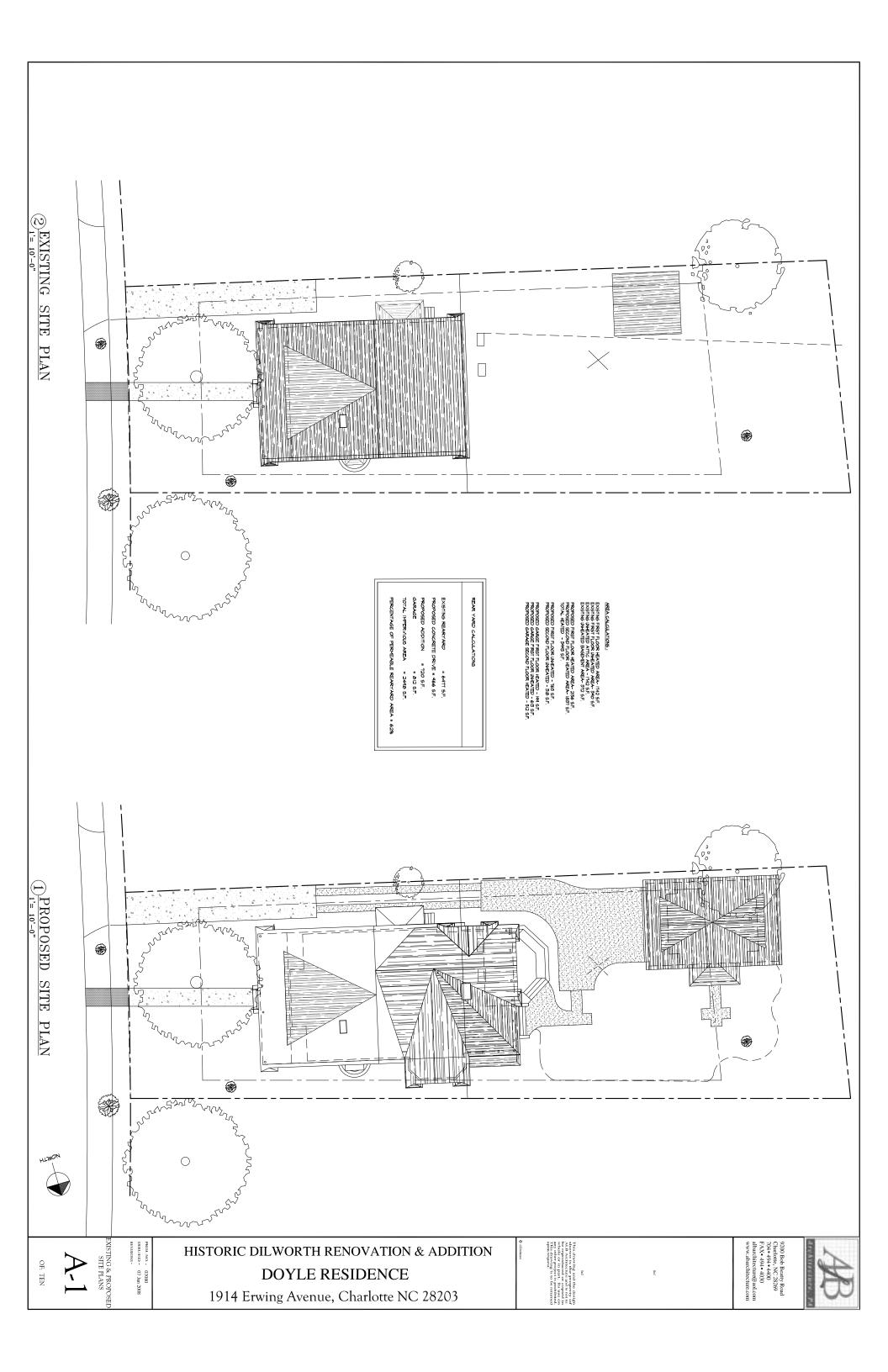
- (i) New additions, exterior alterations, or related new construction shall not destroy historic materials that characterize the property. The new work shall be differentiated from the old and shall be compatible with the massing, size, scale, and architectural features to protect the historic integrity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

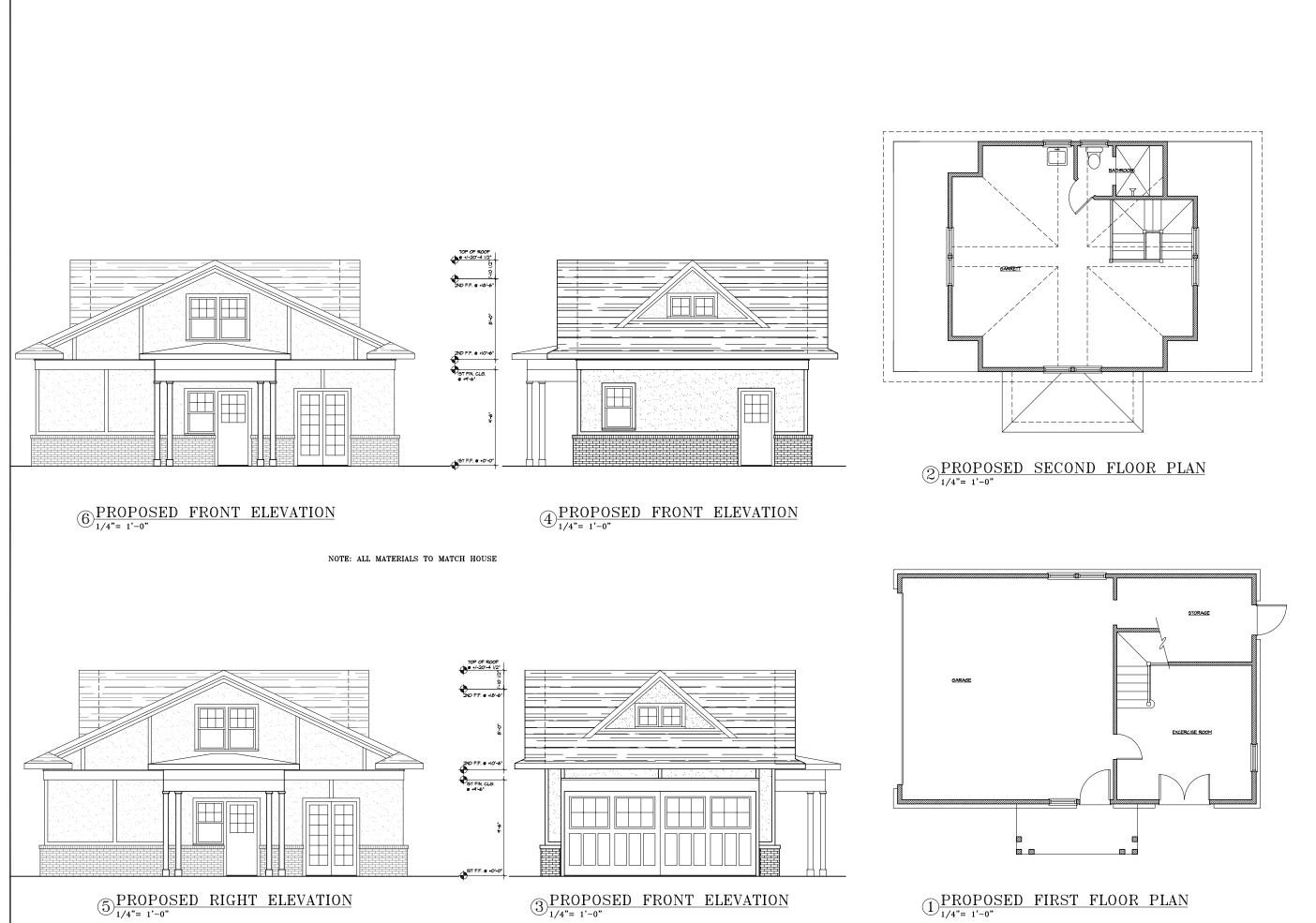
Outstanding Issues

This proposal is designed in response to the comments of the State Historic Preservation Office.

The design shown on the attached plans appears to meet all relevant HDC Design Guidelines.

There are no outstanding issues with this application.





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PROPOSED GARAGE PLANS & ELEVATIONS



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