#### **Charlotte Historic District Commission**

Staff Review HDC 2013-038

# Application for a Certificate of Appropriateness November 13, 2013

LOCAL HISTORIC DISTRICT: Dilworth

**ADDRESS OF PROPERTY:** 1315 Lexington Avenue

**SUMMARY OF REQUEST:** New Construction

OWNER: Saussy Burbank

**APPLICANT:** Saussy Burbank

#### **Details of Proposed Request**

New Construction. A proposed two story house has a front elevation expressed as a story and one half with a cross gable behind a front facing gable and a shed dormer. Hipped entry element is supported by columns on piers. Large, sweeping, side to side gable faces the right elevation with a hipped roof projection on the first floor. The left elevation gable is broken with a sleeping porch dormer. Materials include shaker siding, ½ timbers, brick, etc. Details include appropriate rails, trim, window configuration, etc. Detached garage is designed as a companion building appropriately detailed. The Commission recently reviewed and approved this new house in concept. Revised plans which come back to the full HDC will show dimensions, relationship in context – street scape exhibit, trees on site plan, and how the driveway will work with the trees.

## **Relevant HDC Design Guidelines**

- New Construction
- Accessory Structures Garages

#### **Staff Analysis**

Commission will determine appropriateness based on New Construction criteria for mass, scale, size. Materials and architecture seem to be in compliance.

## Details of Proposed Request - Updated for November 13, 2013 Hearing

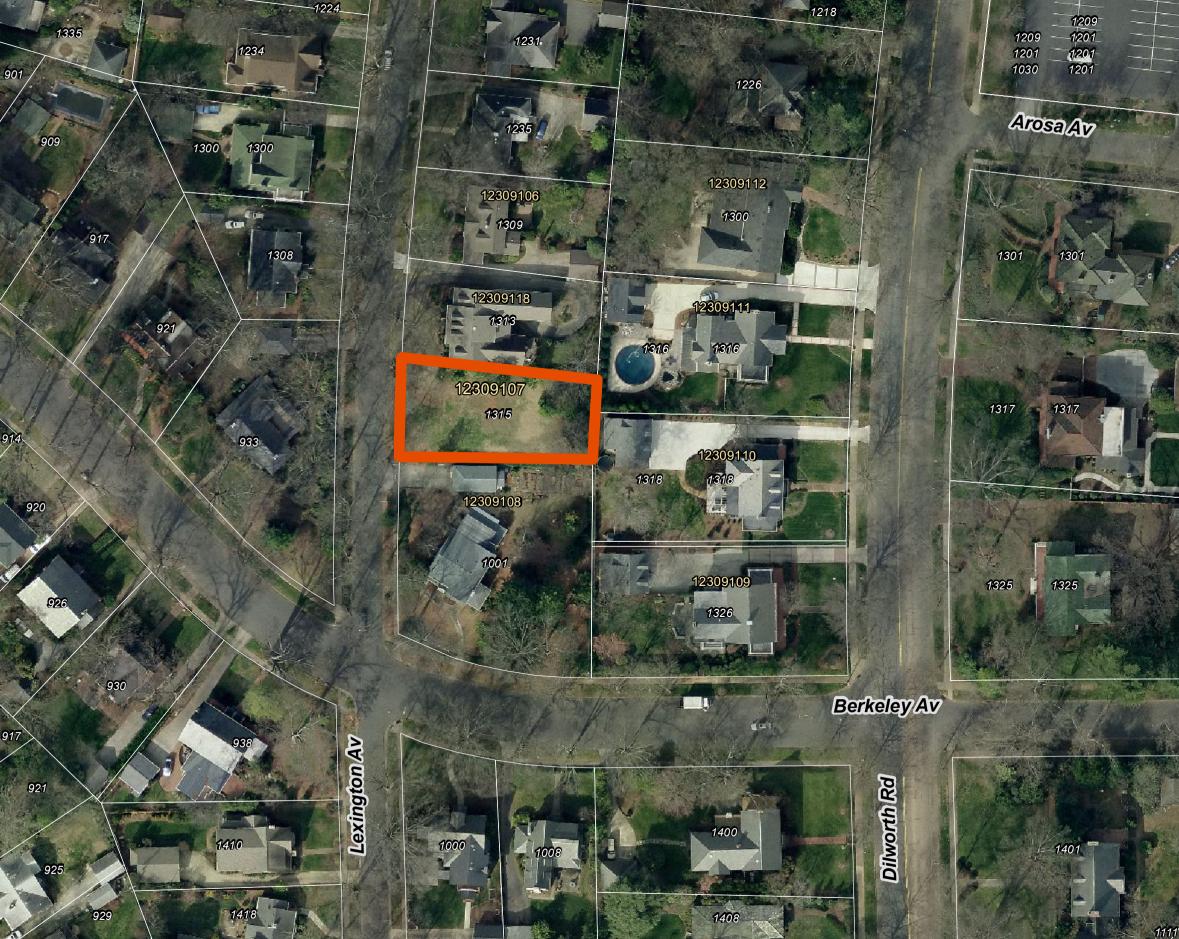
The Certificate of Appropriateness for this home was issued with an overall height indicated at 32' measured from the finished grade to the ridge. The architect has stated the current placement of the ridge beam is higher by 1' and 3-1/4". The applicant is requesting an administrative variance to allow the additional height to maintain the window design and configuration.

#### Staff Analysis – Updated for November 13, 2013

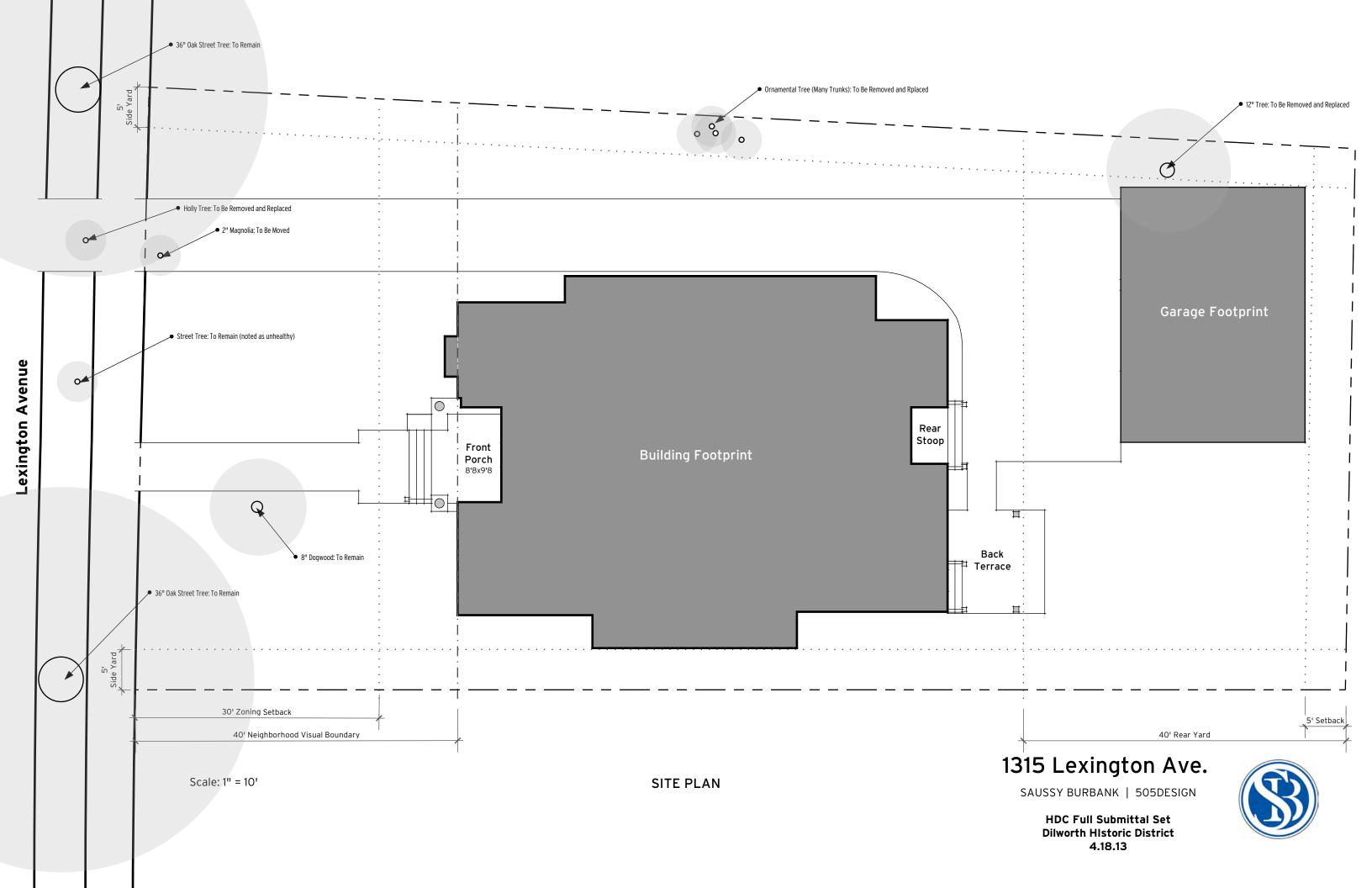
Staff believes a variance of 1' and 3-1/4" is an appropriate solution to retain the original window design and placement.

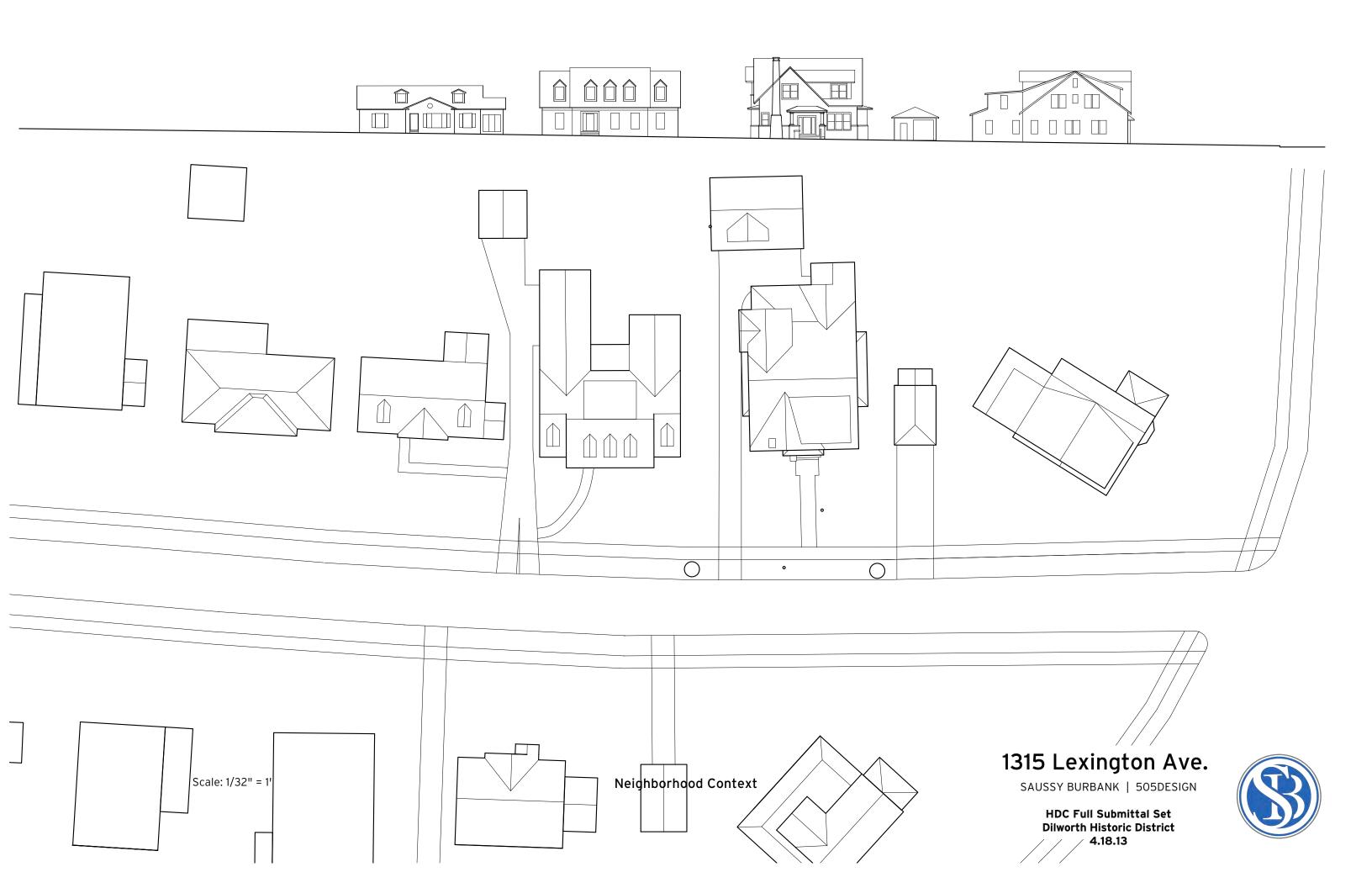
The Historic District Commission will review the building details for all new construction as part of their evaluation of new construction project proposals.

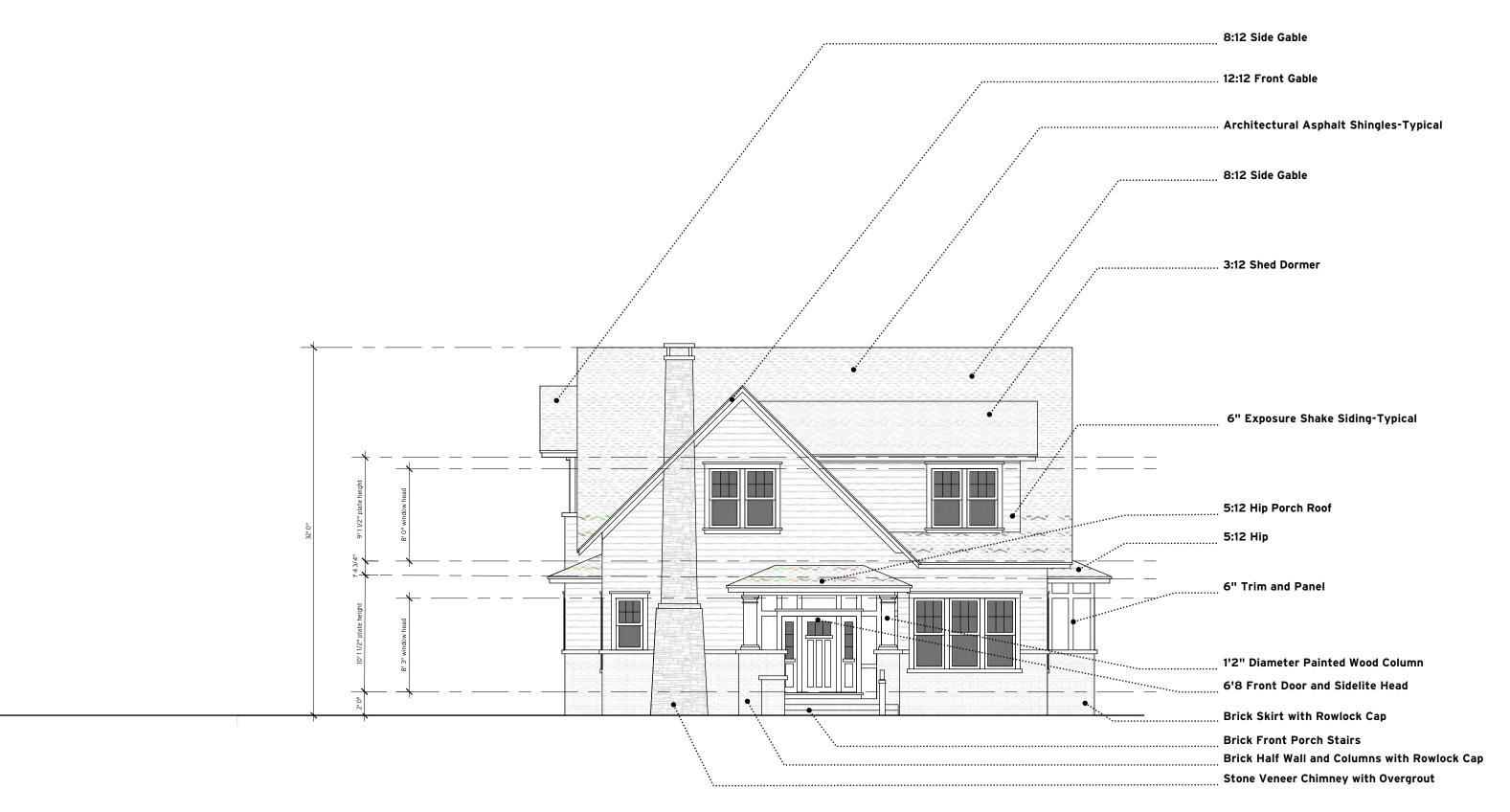
All New Construction Projects Will Be Evaluated For Compatibility By The Following Criteria		
1.	Size	the relationship of the project to its site
2.	Scale	the relationship of the building to those around it
3.	Massing	the relationship of the building's various parts to each other
4.	Fenestration	the placement, style and materials of windows and doors
5.	Rhythm	the relationship of fenestration, recesses and projections
6.	Setback	in relation to setback of immediate surroundings
7.	Materials	proper historic materials or approved substitutes
8.	Context	the overall relationship of the project to its surroundings
9.	Landscaping	as a tool to soften and blend the project with the district











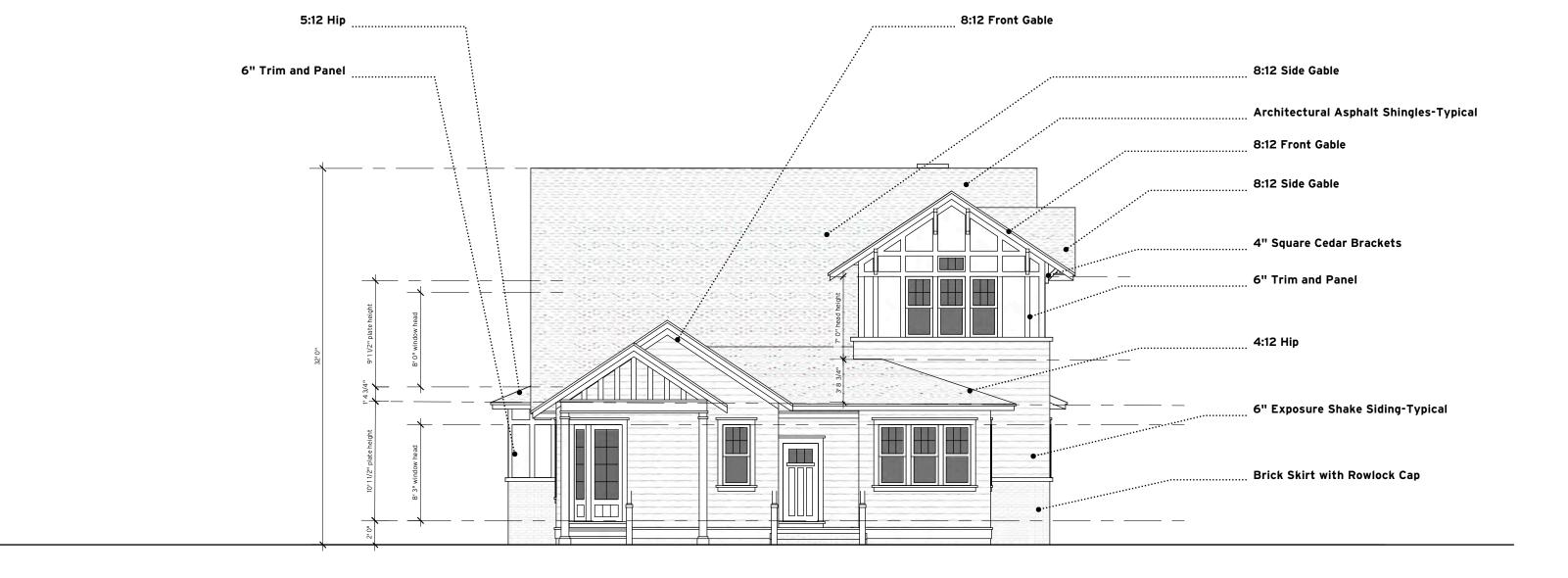
Scale: 1/8" = 1'-0" FRONT ELEVATION

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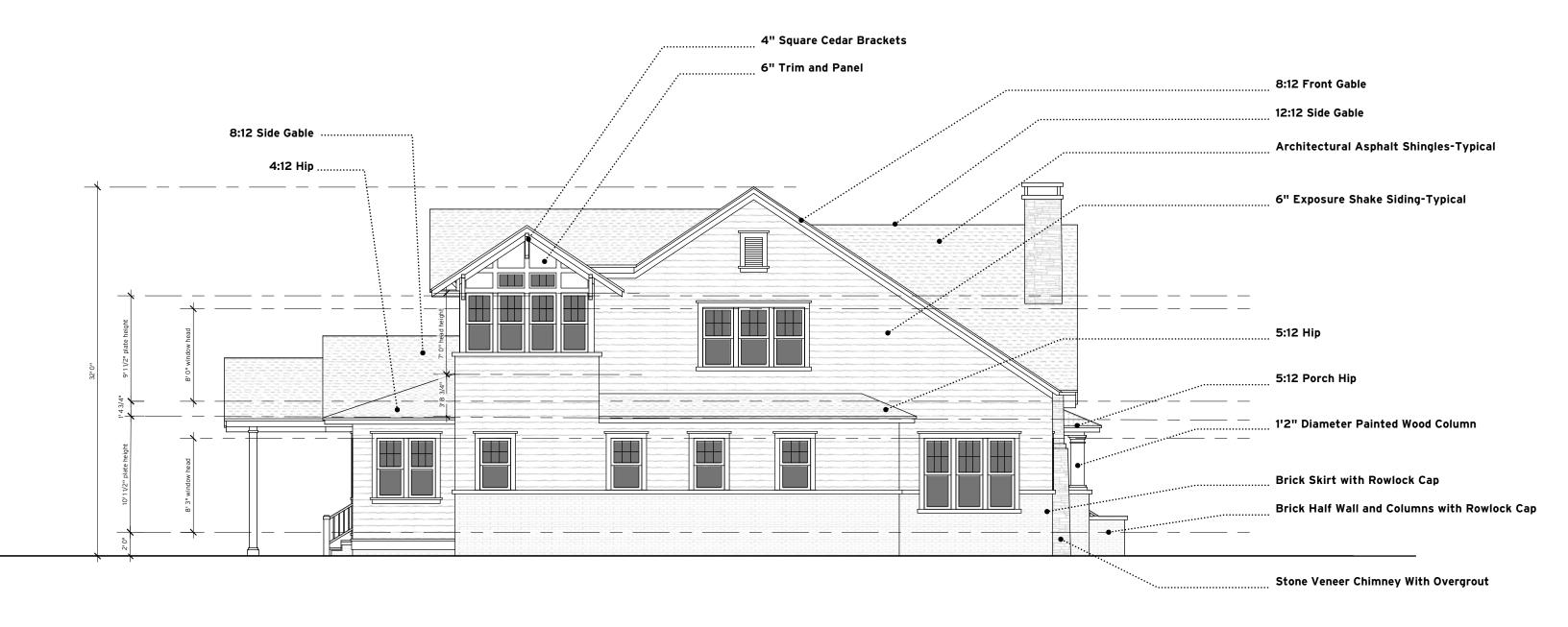
REAR ELEVATION

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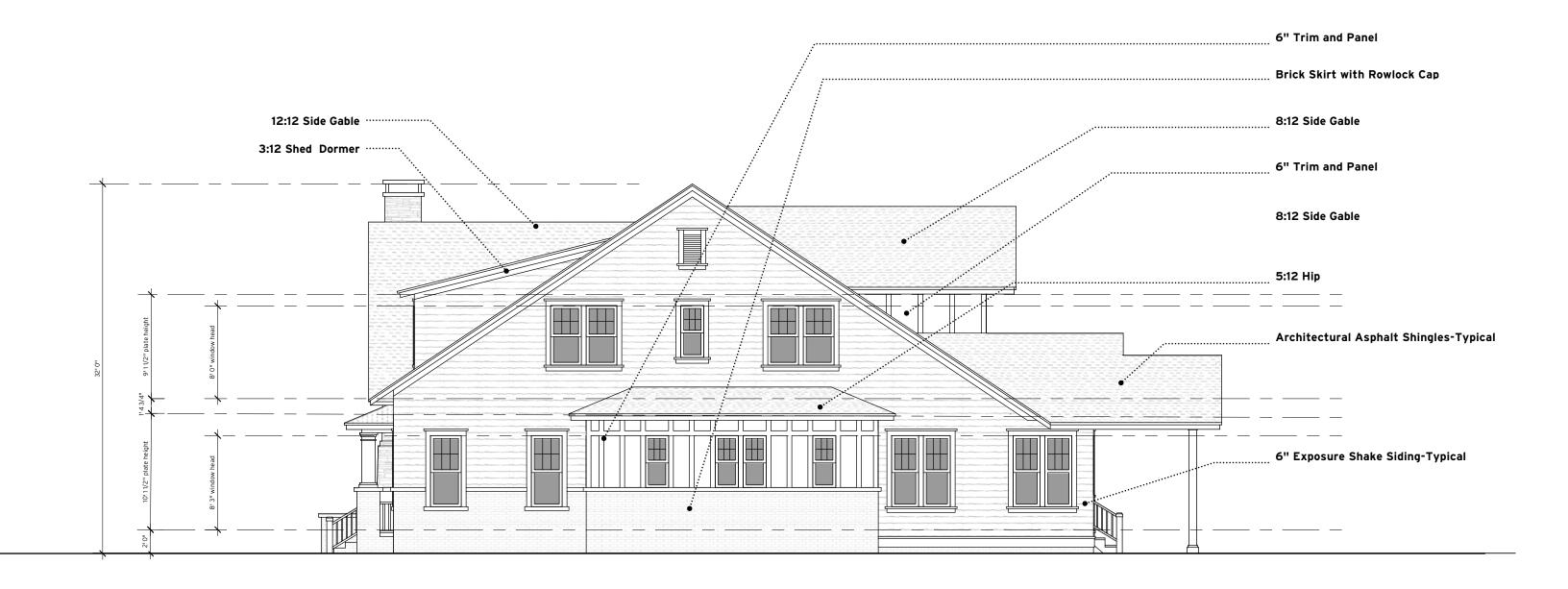
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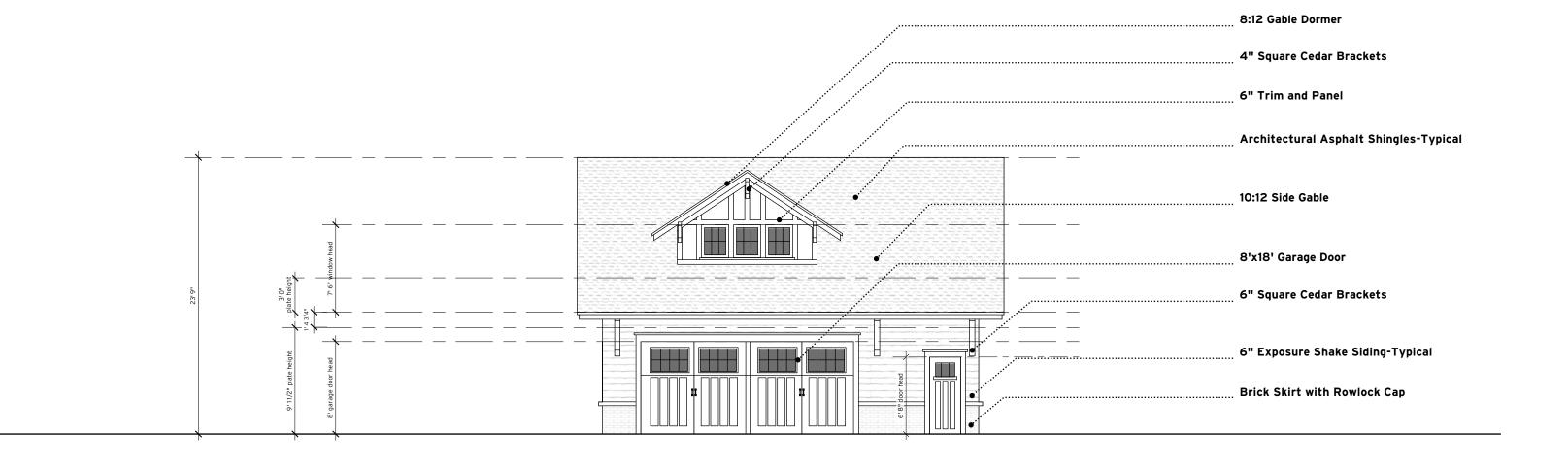
**RIGHT ELEVATION** 

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