Charlotte Historic District Commission Staff Review HDC 2016-199

Application for a Certificate of Appropriateness

Date: September 14, 2016

LOCAL HISTORIC DISTRICT: Plaza Midwood

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1505 Thomas Avenue

SUMMARY OF REQUEST: Addition, window replacement

APPLICANT/OWNER: James Onto, applicant

Details of Proposed Request

Existing Conditions

The house is a one story Bungalow style design constructed in 1931. The house has a hipped roof with a large hipped dormer on the front elevation. Existing details include boxed eaves and wood windows. Adjacent structures are one story Bungalow houses.

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Proposal

The project is the addition of a shed dormer on the right side and new windows. The dormer will have materials and details to match the existing house. On the left side elevation three windows are replaced with transom windows. The rear addition is not visible from the street.

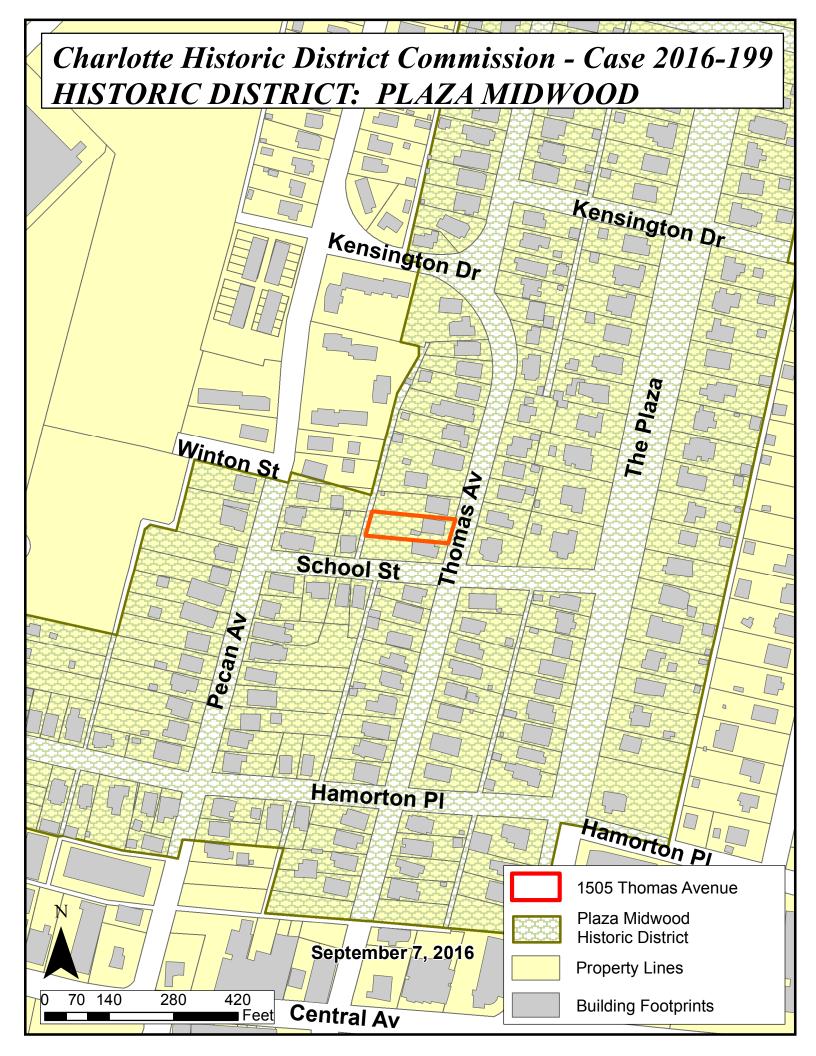
Policy & Design Guidelines - Additions, page 36

Additions to existing structures in Local Historic Districts have a responsibility to complement the original structure. Additions should reflect the design, scale and architectural style of the original structure. The following guidelines are intended to encourage addition designs that are compatible with the existing structure, while not fully mimicking the original design.

All additions will be reviewed for compatibility by the following criteria:	
a. Size	the relationship of the project to its site
b. Scale	the relationship of the building to those around it
c. Massing	the relationship of the building's various parts to each other
d. Fenestration	the placement, style and materials of windows and doors
e. Rhythm	the relationship of fenestration, recesses and projections
f. Setback	in relation to setback of immediate surroundings
g. Materials	proper historic materials or approved substitutes
h. Context	the overall relationship of the project to its surroundings

- 2. Additions must respect the original character of the property, but must be distinguishable from the original construction.
- 3. All additions to the front or side of existing properties must be of a design that is sensitive to the character and massing of the existing structure.
- 4. Additions to the front or side of existing structures that are substantially visible from a street must go before the full Commission.

<u>Staff Analysis</u> - The Commission will determine if the proposal meets the guidelines for additions. The guideline for setback does not apply.



SITE PLANS

PROPOSED SITE PLAN

1/16" = 1'-0"

N 14-04E TIME 0.20 Ac. 50'R/W 517-52 W 5 15 - 20W AVENUE

N 14-04E 1210 0.20 Ac. N14-075 50-00 50'R/W 517- 52 W 5 15 - 20W AVENUE

1 EXISTING SITE PLAN

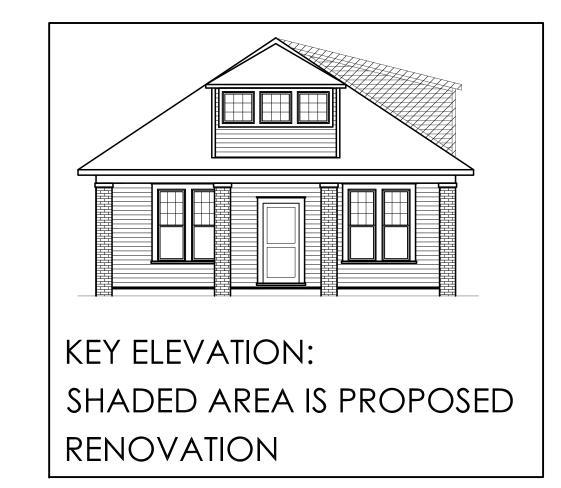
1/16" = 1'-0"



1501 1505 1509 1517



1500 1508 1512 1516





NOT FOR

1505 THOMAS AVE.

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FRONT ELEVATION

HR1









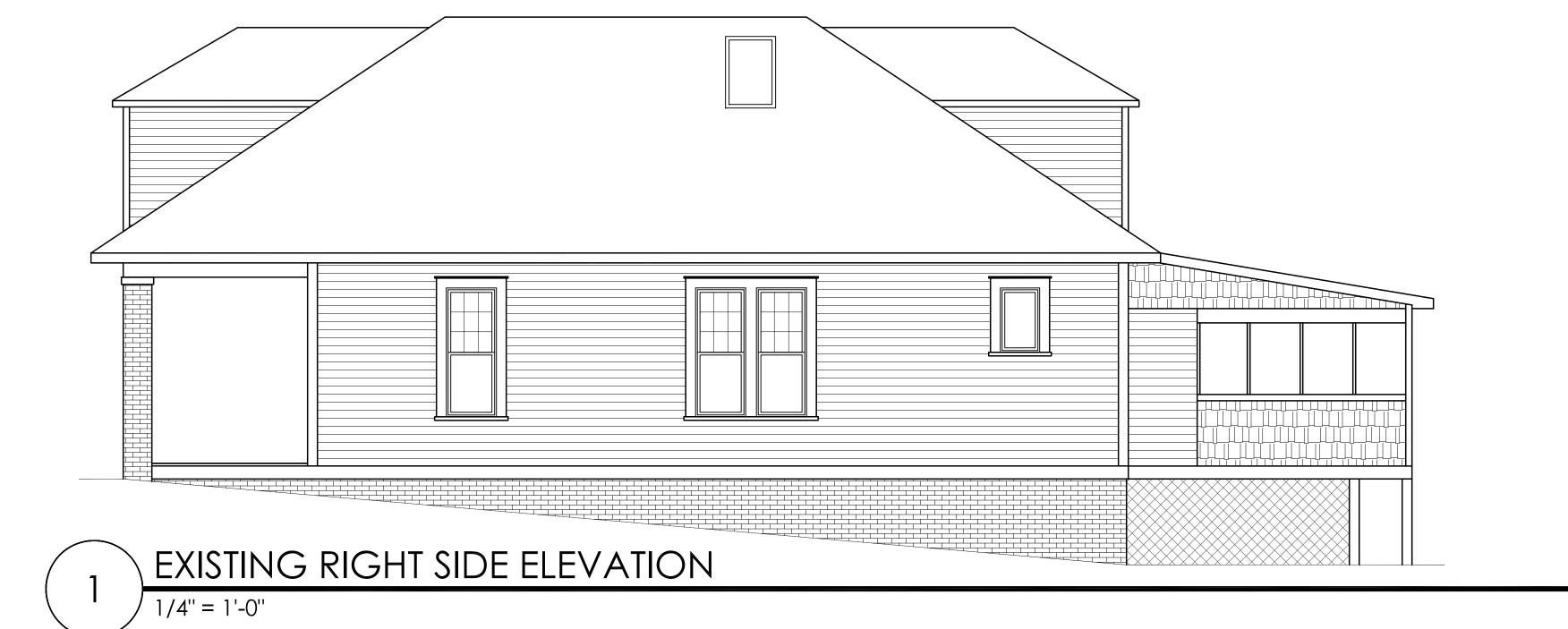
EXISTING FRONT ELEVATION WITH GREENERY

1/4" = 1'-0"

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A RENOVATED FRONT ELEVATION WITH GREENERY

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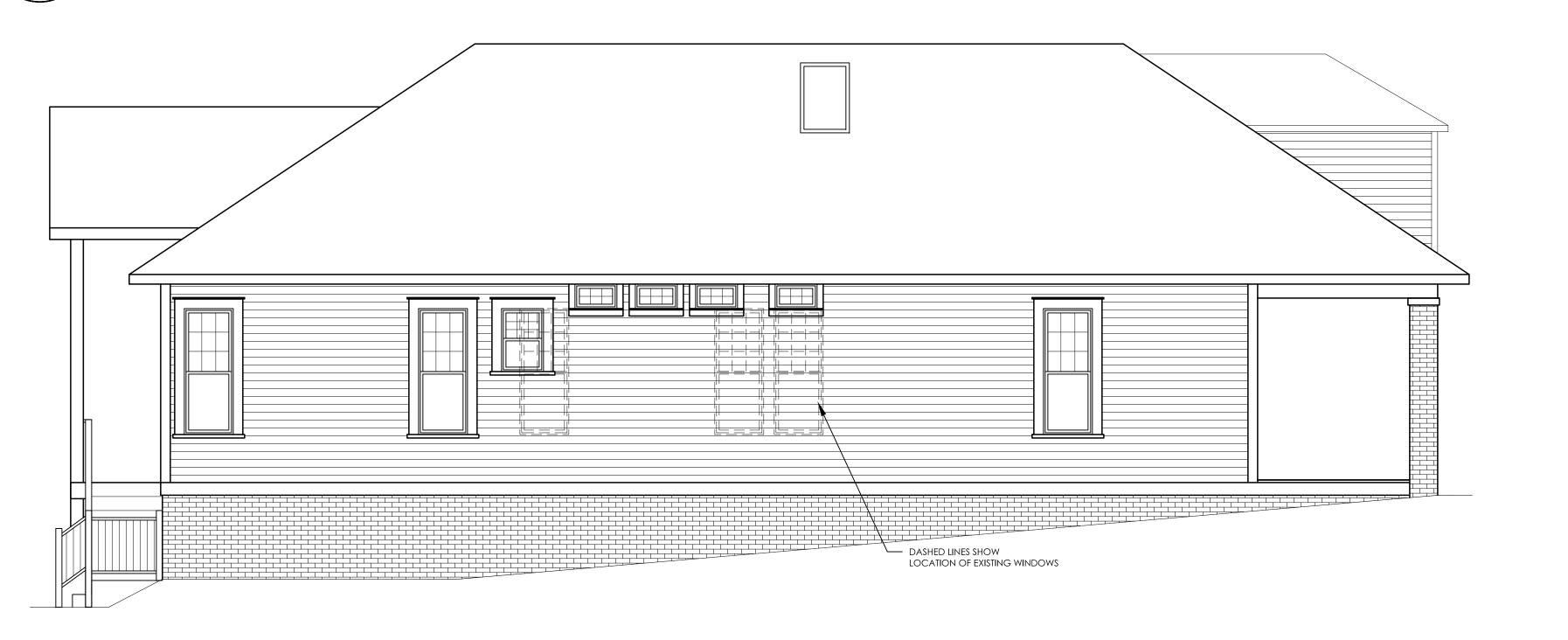


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> RIGHT SIDE ELEVATIONS



1 EXISTING LEFT SIDE ELEVATION 1/4" = 1'-0"



RENOVATED LEFT SIDE ELEVATION

1/4" = 1'-0"



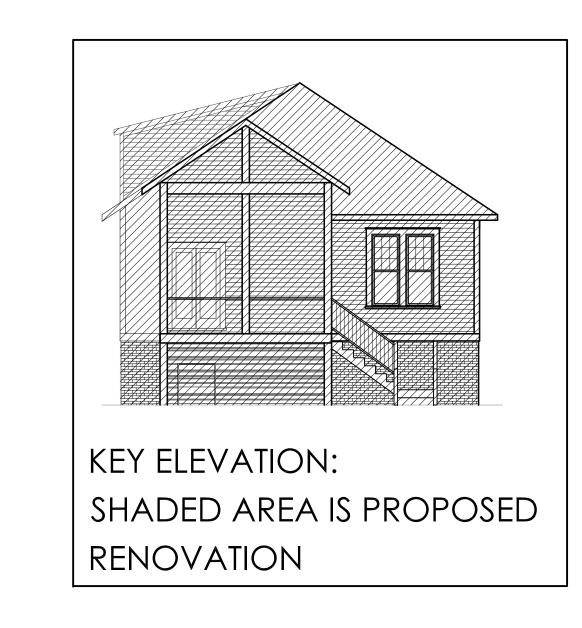
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1505 THOMAS AVE.

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LEFT SIDE ELEVATIONS HR3

HR4



RENOVATED REAR ELEVATION

1/4" = 1'-0"



1/4" = 1'-0"