# Agenda HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

Regular meeting 6:30 p.m. November 5, 2025 Board Meeting Room of Town Hall Annex, 105 E. Corbin St.

**Public charge:** The Hillsborough Historic District Commission pledges to the community of Hillsborough its respect. The commission asks members of the public to conduct themselves in a respectful, courteous manner with the commission members and with fellow community members. At any



time should any member of the commission or community fail to observe this public charge, the chair or the chair's designee will ask the offending person to leave the meeting until that individual regains personal control. Should decorum fail to be restored, the chair or the chair's designee will recess the meeting until such time that a genuine commitment to this public charge can be observed.

**Public comment guidelines:** All meetings shall be open to the public. The public may attend, but public comment shall be limited to those members of the public who have expert testimony or factual evidence directly related to an application on the agenda. Other public comments are permissible at the discretion of the Chair but shall not be used to render the Commission's decision on an agenda item. At the discretion of the Chair, a time limit may be placed on speakers other than the applicant to afford each citizen an equitable opportunity to speak in favor of, or in opposition to, an application.

### 1. Call to order, roll call, and confirmation of quorum

#### 2. Commission's mission statement

To identify, protect, and preserve Hillsborough's architectural resources and to educate the public about those resources and preservation in general. The Hillsborough Historic District presents a visual history of Hillsborough's development from the 1700s to the 1960s. In 1973, the town chose to respect that history through the passage of the preservation ordinance creating the historic district.

### 3. Agenda changes

#### 4. Minutes review and approval

Approve minutes from regular meeting on October 1, 2025

### 5. Written decisions review and approval

Approve written decisions from regular meeting on October 1, 2025

#### 6. Old business

A. Certificate of Appropriateness (COA) Application: **311 W. Orange St.**-New construction house (PIN 9864883297)

#### 7. New business

- A. COA Application: **206 S. Hillsborough Ave.**-convert the existing screened porch to glass, connect the existing screened porch to the house, and add a new screened porch (PIN 9864753647)
- B. COA Application: **222 Lydia Ln.**-remove portion of front gable, add windows and pergola (PIN 9874274715)
- C. COA Application: 225 E. Corbin St.-replace nine windows (PIN 9874189986)
- D. COA Application: **217 S. Occoneechee St.**-repair house, remove rear corner additions, and replace rear roof with standing seam roof (9864850633)

#### 8. Elect vice chair

### 9. General updates

### 10. Adjournment

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### **Minutes**

### HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

### Regular meeting

6:30 p.m. Oct. 1, 2025

Board Meeting Room of Town Hall Annex, 105 E. Corbin St.

Present: Chair Will Senner and members G. Miller, Sara Riek, Bill Warren

and Daniel Widis

Absent: Vice Chair Hannah Peele

Staff: Planner Joseph Hoffheimer

#### 1. Call to order, roll call, and confirmation of quorum

Chair Will Senner called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. He called the roll and confirmed the presence of a quorum.

#### 2. Commission's mission statement

Senner read the statement.

#### 3. Agenda changes

There were no changes to the agenda.

### 4. Minutes review and approval

Minutes from regular meeting on Sept. 3, 2025.

Motion: Member G. Miller moved to approve the minutes from the regular meeting on Sept. 3, 2025,

with corrections. Senner seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

Corrections:

- Pg. 2, paragraph 2, second sentence: Change to "It was clarified that town sewer is not required for this lot..."
- Pg. 4, first paragraph, last sentence: Change to "Senner mentioned that because those larger trees are preserved..."
- Pg. 8, paragraph 9, first sentence: Change to "Miller raised the question of whether the west-facing facade..."

### 5. Old business

A. Certificate of Appropriateness Application: 311 W. Orange St.

New construction house (PIN 9864883297).

Planner Joseph Hoffheimer said that the applicant has requested to continue the item to the November 5 regular meeting.

Motion: Senner moved to continue the 311 W. Orange St. application until the Nov. 5, 2025,

regular meeting. Miller seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

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B. Certificate of Appropriateness Application: 208 S. Cameron St. West-facing addition in existing courtyard area (PIN 9874153612).

Senner reopened the public hearing.

Hoffheimer provided the staff comments:

- This application was continued from the September meeting. On Sept. 24, 2025, the applicant submitted a revised narrative, revised materials, revised elevations, and an alternative proposal for the revised brick color. All changes are indicated in the revised submittal documents.
- Staff still have general concerns about the plans to enclose the terrace and remain unaware of any similar commercial additions in the historic district.

Drew Wilgus introduced the changes to the application. He said most of the HVAC units, including the tallest ones, have been relocated to the north side of the building to be out of the way of public view. He added that this allows for more visibility of the dormers.

Wilgus said the changes in the application address the commissioners' concerns about the distinction between the old and new portions of the building. He said they planned to continue the existing foundation material into the addition, following their understanding of the design standards. He said that the awning has been changed to be shallower and with a more modern design.

Wilgus described the new parapet, which is now proposed to be about 18 inches tall, and the set-back gasket portions at the transition between the existing building and new addition end at roof level. He said the gaskets are meant to distinguish the center piece of the addition from the existing sides of the building.

Wilgus said the applicants were unable to find precedent for this exact scenario of the enclosure of a terrace on a commercial building.

He said the brick on the new addition is now proposed to be a buff color, and that the warmth of the color of the new brick and mortar are meant to complement the warmth of the existing brick.

Wilgus said the windows and lintels have a soldier course detailing to complement the existing detailing. He said the trim metal will be a bronze color to tie in with the existing patinaed copper.

Wilgus said the windows and doorways are now proposed to be aluminum storefront to distinguish the addition and reflect the current time of construction. He said the railings will be a picket style as shown before, painted bronze to match the trim metal.

Wilgus said the roofing is the same as in the previous version of the proposed design. He said the site plan and footprint have not changed.

Wilgus said the Board of Adjustment had approved a variance for the proposed ramp since the last meeting.

Wilgus showed the revised elevation showing the single remaining HVAC unit, which is placed so it does not obstruct the dormers in either elevation view or from the ground.

Wilgus said the continuation of the foundation brick helps to blend the new ramp into the facade, and that vegetative screening has been added in front of the ramp and in front of the relocated HVAC units at the northwest corner.

The commissioners expressed appreciation for the thoroughness and clarity of the submitted materials. Senner expressed appreciation for the thought and effort that went into developing the solution to move the HVAC units. Member Daniel Widis said he found the new design to incorporate an elegant solution to the differentiation between the new addition and the old building. He said he found the new brick color and the new window design to contribute to that differentiation. Senner agreed and added that the more modern canopy also helped to make the distinction. There was general agreement that either of the two proposed brick colors would be congruous with the district.

Miller said he found the removal of the gable to improve the congruity of the parapet. He said that he understands the recommendation to distinguish between old and new to be focused more on a historical context, and that the distinction is less important in this instance when both old and new are both modern.

Member Sara Riek referenced Additions to Commercial Buildings Design Standard 4, which recommends designing the addition to preserve the overall character of the building. She said she finds the new design to be more consistent with this design standard, and that moving the HVAC units to ground level allows the character of the building to be better preserved.

There was discussion of the approach of infilling the existing courtyard to build the addition. Senner said that it is understandable that there is not much precedent for this approach given that there are few commercial buildings in the historic district in the first place, and fewer with this type of shape with a courtyard. He said in his opinion thought and care has gone into designing this addition that is consistent with the design standards and congruous with the district. Senner said that in the absence of precedent, he feels comfortable relying on the commissioners' judgment of congruity. Member Bill Warren said that because the building is not historic, he sees the infilling of the courtyard to be less incongruous. Widis agreed, saying the purpose of the courtyard is up to the users of the building, and that it can be left up to them to decide whether infilling meets the needs of the building and its users. He said he would feel differently if this were a community amenity used by the public.

Miller said he finds the facade to be a character-defining view, and he believes enclosing the courtyard to have a major impact on the character of the building, against the recommendations of the design standards. He said he thinks the courtyard was integral to the original design of the building, and that the proposed design changes the feel of the building from a historical perspective.

Senner summarized the commissioners' discussion: The applicant has submitted a revised design to address the commissioners' comments regarding more intentionality in differentiating the addition from the original building, eliminating elements that are artificial in nature, and taking steps to minimize the aesthetic impact to the west facade to the extent possible.

Senner closed the public hearing.

Motion:

Riek moved to find as fact that the 208 S. Cameron St. application is in keeping with the overall character of the Historic District and complies with all relevant standards of evaluation based on the commission's discussion of the application and the standards of evaluation in Section 3.12.3 of the Unified Development Ordinance because the plans are

consistent with the Historic District Design Standards: Exterior Walls; Windows; Doors;

Roofs; Accessibility and Life Safety; Additions to Commercial Buildings; Utilities; Walkways, Driveways, and Off-Street Parking; and Awnings and Canopies. Senner

seconded.

Vote: 4-1. Nay: Miller.

Motion: Riek moved to approve the application with conditions. Senner seconded.

Vote: 4-1. Nay: Miller.

Condition: The brick color will be one of the two presented in the proposal.

Miller noted that his opposition to approving the application is based on Additions to Commercial Buildings Design Standards 1 and 4.

#### 6. New business

A. Certificate of Appropriateness Application: 330 W. King St. Construct new detached garage (PIN 9864769302).

Senner opened the public hearing. He asked if there were any conflicts of interest or bias among the commissioners. None were disclosed. All commissioners disclosed that they had visited the site in preparation for reviewing the application.

Hoffheimer was sworn in. Nathan Pittenger was sworn in to speak on behalf of the application.

Hoffheimer introduced the application by presenting the staff report. He noted that the inventory information, application materials, and applicable design standards would be entered into the record as evidence. He provided the staff comments:

- Older iterations of the historic inventory note a shed constructed in the 1930s on the property, but the most recent one does not. The materials on the shed proposed for removal are more recent.
- At the time the packet was sent out, the garage door material, window glass application, paint
  colors, retaining wall material, and proposed light fixtures still needed to be confirmed. The
  applicant later sent an email with an update on many of those elements. Staff noted the
  polystyrene insulated door, which is not addressed in the design standards. He said the
  commercial grade retaining wall material will also need to be confirmed.

Pittenger introduced the proposed project by explaining that the materials of the siding will match the house. He said the windows will be aluminum-clad wood. He explained that two different garage doors were proposed, with the intent of getting feedback from the commissioners about which would be most congruous. He said the polystyrene door has a wood-like look with skylight windows. He said he could not find any similar examples of new detached garages around the historic district.

Pittenger presented the site plan, including some trees to be removed that are less than 24 inches in diameter. He said the retaining wall will be 6 to 7 feet high and will be built from 8-inch x 14-inch, 80-lb. stacked blocks. He confirmed the wall will have a cap. He confirmed the showing edge will be the rougher edge with a split-face look. Pittenger said the wall will be 3 to 4 feet from the building, per code. He confirmed that none of the wall will be visible from public view, but he said the neighboring house on the west side will be able to see the wall from the back yard. Pittenger clarified that there is grade at the site, which does not show up clearly in the photos. He said the land grades up 6 feet from the driveway to the existing concrete pad.

Pittenger confirmed that all trees being removed are under the 24-inch threshold.

Pittenger said he did not know the square footage of the main house. He said the garage will be 28 feet x 32 feet and will be 1600 square feet total. The commissioners observed that the existing house has a large footprint on a relatively large lot, so there was not concern that the new garage would overwhelm the existing house or the site. It was noted that the garage is appropriately sited to the rear of the lot. The commissioners generally agreed that the massing and siting were appropriate.

Pittenger said he spoke with two electricians who gave two separate options for the electric pole. He said the wire comes in from North Occoneechee Street, and that one option is to put the electric meter on the south side of the garage and run the wire underground to the panel in the house. He said the other option is to install a pole on the south side of the garage and run a wire underground to the house and another one underground back to the panel in the garage.

Pittenger confirmed there will be no other materials introduced to the site beyond the garage and the gravel walkway.

The commissioners reviewed the right and front elevations. Pittenger confirmed the siding will be horizontal.

Pittenger said the finish material on the Option 1 garage door would be aluminum with a wood look finish. The commissioners were not concerned with the compatibility of the garage door materials, as they are listed within the compatibility matrix.

Pittenger clarified that the elevations show 9-over-9 windows, but that the actual windows will not have muntins. He said the house has a variety of window styles, with some 3-over-1 and some 1-over-1. He said the proposed work reflects the 1-over-1 windows of the existing house.

Pittenger said there will be one light on each side of the garage door, and he will need to confirm how many lights will go above the car entry doors on the garage, which he said he will communicate with staff about.

The commissioners reviewed the left and rear elevations. Pittenger reconfirmed the siding will be horizontal and the windows will be 1-over-1.

There was discussion of the options of a parged versus a brick foundation. The proposed work includes a parged foundation, but the existing house has a brick foundation. The commissioners were not concerned with the congruity of a parged foundation, since the garage will be tucked back in the rear of the site with minimal visibility. They said it would also differentiate the new addition from the existing historic structure.

On the typical wall section, Pittenger confirmed that the soffit will be aluminum, but that the plans show a call-out to a vinyl soffit. He clarified that that was a typical detail that did not get updated, in error.

There was discussion of the age of the existing shed. Senner said that although the age of the shed is unknown, all evidence points to the shed being built significantly more recently than the house. Pittenger confirmed that he believes the shed to be newer based on the materials used on the exterior and the

roof. He confirmed that the structure inside also appears to be newer, and there is no indication that the shed was renovated from a historic structure.

There was discussion of the congruity of the overall plans, especially given the siting of the garage so far back on the site and its minimal public visibility.

Pittenger confirmed there will be no changes to the driveway, but there will be a concrete apron in front of the garage.

Senner closed the public hearing.

Senner summarized the commissioners' discussion: The commissioners did not find any elements of the proposal that were incongruous with the historic district. The garage was massed and sited appropriately for the house and the lot, consistent with the design standards and other garages in the district at the rear of the property. The materials were all consistent with the compatibility matrix and compatible with both the historic district and the main house. The applicant provided clarification that the windows would be 1-over-1 instead of 9-over-9 as shown. The commissioners found that either of the two garage options would be consistent with the design standards and the compatibility matrix, the first option being woodlook aluminum.

Senner re-opened the public hearing.

Pittenger agreed to send a lighting cut sheet to staff.

Senner closed the public hearing.

Motion: Miller moved to find as fact that the 330 W. King St. application is in keeping with the

overall character of the Historic District and complies with all relevant standards of evaluation based on the commission's discussion of the application and the standards of evaluation in Section 3.12.3 of the Unified Development Ordinance because the plans are consistent with the Historic District Design Standards: New Construction of Outbuildings

and Garages; and Fences and Walls. Senner seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

Motion: Miller moved to approve the application with conditions. Senner seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

Conditions:

- Windows will be 1-over-1.
- A cut sheet of the lights will be sent to staff for approval.
- B. Certificate of Appropriateness Application: 332 W. Tryon St. Add two shed dormers to the rear roof and construct a small pool in the back yard (PIN 9864883297).

Senner opened the public hearing. He asked if there were any conflicts of interest or bias among the commissioners. None were disclosed. All commissioners disclosed that they had visited the site in preparation for reviewing the application.

Anton Wilson and David Cates were sworn in to speak on behalf of the application. Cam Cover, a neighbor across the street, was not sworn in, but she said that she and other neighbors had no concerns about the application.

Hoffheimer introduced the application by presenting the staff report. He noted that the inventory information, application materials, and applicable design standards would be entered into the record as evidence. There were no staff comments on the application. Hoffheimer reminded the commissioners that the landscaping and fencing could be approved as a minor work and that staff had no objections to those parts.

Cates began by submitting two emails from other neighbors in support of the proposal.

The commissioners reviewed the site plan. Senner noted that it is not shown on the site plan, but there is a fair bit of existing vegetation that is located east of the existing driveway pull-in that provides screening toward the area of the proposed pool. Cates added that there is a lot of vegetation around the perimeter of the yard.

Cates clarified that the "steps as necessary" comment refers to an extension of the existing brick steps. He said one or two additional brick steps may need to be built.

Cates addressed the note on the site plan "Exist. metal fence to be adjusted as necessary." He said the existing fence is too close to where the pool is proposed to be sited, so the fence will likely need to be moved east a few feet. He confirmed the fencing material would remain the same. Cates clarified that the northern part of the fence intersects with another gated fence on the west side, and that the enclosure will meet pool fencing requirements, as it is 48 inches high.

The commissioners reviewed the rear elevation. It was observed that these elevations are in the rear of the property, and that the applicant had raised the point that there are many instances of rear dormer additions in the historic district. It was noted that this is a corner lot, but acknowledged that rear dormers are congruous with the district.

Cates said the design took the existing dormer and duplicated it, which was intended to add some symmetry to the imbalanced existing design. It was noted by commissioners that the single dormer is not a historic element, so modification is more appropriate than if it were historic.

It was acknowledged that the proposed design follows many of the design standards: the addition is on non-character-defining elevations; the scale is proportional and does not overpower the primary building; the addition preserves the overall character; it is subordinate to the roofline; the windows are compatible with the existing structure; and the materials are compatible.

The commissioners reviewed the west elevation. Cates addressed the reason behind changing the siding on the existing dormer. He said the most recent rear addition was built with board and batten, and the homeowners wanted to relate that dormer to the vintage of the new addition and distinguish it from the rest of the existing house. He explained that all three sides of the existing dormer will be reclad to match the new dormers.

The commissioners reviewed the east elevation.

Cates said the standing seam roof over the small portion of roof in the rear is a common architectural style, which helps to provide some contrast. He said the existing roof over the most recent kitchen addition was standing seam, so the homeowners wanted to connect those elements stylistically.

Cates said there will be minimal grade change over the course of the retaining wall. Cates confirmed the grade falls off to the east, and the commissioners acknowledged that the visibility of the wall will be minimal.

Senner summarized the commissioners' discussion: There were no elements of the application that the commissioners found concerning. The commissioners appreciate that the dormers have been added to the rear of the property in a way that is not overpowering of the primary structure, with materials that are compatible with the compatibility matrix and consistent with the design guidelines of the historic district. While the existing dormer is being modified and reclad, it is not a historic element. The proposed pool is in the rear of the property and sited in a way that is consistent with the design standards and compatible with the historic district. The adjustment of the existing fence is consistent with the design standards.

Senner closed the public hearing.

Motion: Riek moved to find as fact that the 332 W. Tryon St. application is in keeping with the

overall character of the Historic District and complies with all relevant standards of evaluation based on the commission's discussion of the application and the standards of evaluation in Section 3.12.3 of the Unified Development Ordinance because the plans are consistent with the Historic District Design Standards: Additions to Residential Buildings; Site Features and Plantings; Walkways, Driveways, and Off-Street Parking; and Fences and

Walls. Senner seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

Motion: Riek moved to approve the application as submitted. Senner seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

Certificate of Appropriateness Application: 319 W. Margaret Lane
 Add ground-floor suite and deck and revise roof deck (PIN 9864852733).

The public hearing was not formally opened.

Fred Stewart was sworn in to speak on behalf of the application.

Senner asked whether there were any conflicts of interest or bias among the commissioners. None were disclosed. All commissioners disclosed that they had visited the site in preparation for reviewing the application.

Hoffheimer introduced the application by presenting the staff report. He noted that the inventory information, application materials, and applicable design standards would be entered into the record as evidence. He provided the staff comments:

- The applicant has confirmed that the new siding and trim will be wood, matching the existing in size and color, and the roofing will be fiberglass, asphalt shingle in medium gray color.
- The windows will be aluminum-clad wood in white to match existing as closely as possible.
- Trellises are not directly mentioned in the standards but are allowed as minor works.

Stewart said the two main objectives of the project were to add a ground-floor suite for aging in place and to take better advantage of the view and connection to the back yard. He said that in the process the homeowners hope to better integrate the look of the back roof deck into the design of the rest of the house.

Stewart said the foundation of the existing house is painted concrete block, so the proposed plan matches those foundation materials. He presented the site plan and new footprint.

Stewart addressed the existing window on the east side of the house that is proposed to be infilled.

Stewart addressed the differentiation between the existing house and the addition. He said the gable on the east side, from an addition in the 1980s, is flatter than the rest of the gables, so rather than adding a third design ethos by adding something even more modern looking, he chose to duplicate the flatter gable, which he said will be read as different from the rest of the Queen Anne Victorian style of the rest of the existing house. He said the addition will be visible from the street. Stewart showed where the previous addition was located on the floor plan, which he believes to be the entire southern portion of the house. He confirmed that the roofline is the main feature that will distinguish the addition from the rest of the house. It was observed by commissioners that the positioning of the addition helps to distinguish it, since it is set off to the side of the original house. There was general agreement that the addition does not look like it was built as part of the original house.

The commissioners reviewed the front elevation.

Stewart confirmed that the roof deck will remain, but that the overhang is being removed, so the deck will be narrowed slightly.

It was observed that the addition is substantially set back from the front facade of the house and is clearly subordinate to the existing structure in massing, scale, and location. There was not concern that the addition detracts from the character defining elements of the front facade.

Stewart confirmed the post that is visible from the front of the house will be painted wood and will be the same materials and dimensions as the existing porch posts. He clarified they will be square like the porch posts, but not round like the front portico posts.

The commissioners reviewed the east elevation.

The commissioners reviewed the south elevation. Stewart said the white sliding doors will be aluminumclad.

The commissioners reviewed the west elevation.

Senner summarized the commissioners' discussion: There was no concern among the commissioners about elements that might be incongruous with the historic district or inconsistent with the design standards. The proposed addition is set back from the front facade, distinguished from the primary massing of the original home in a way that does not detract from the character of the front facade. It is distinguished from the primary structure through its roofline, as read from the front of the house. The materials being used are all consistent with the compatibility matrix and congruent with the original home and other homes in the district.

Senner closed the public hearing.

Motion: Widis moved to find as fact that the 319 W. Margaret Lane application is in keeping with

the overall character of the Historic District and complies with all relevant standards of evaluation based on the commission's discussion of the application and the standards of evaluation in Section 3.12.3 of the Unified Development Ordinance because the plans are consistent with the Historic District Design Standards: Additions to Residential Buildings;

Decks; Doors; and Windows. Riek seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

Motion: Widis moved to approve the application as submitted. Miller seconded.

Vote: 5-0.

#### 7. Elect officers

There was discussion of the process for election of officers for next year.

Hoffheimer assumed the chair. He opened the floor for nominations by board members for the chair.

Nomination: Miller nominated Senner for role of chair. Warren seconded. Senner accepted the

nomination.

Vote: 5-0. Abstained: Senner.

The commissioners postponed the election of vice chair until the next meeting.

### 8. General updates

Hoffheimer provided updates about required Certified Local Government reporting.

There was discussion of the town's parking study.

### 8. Adjournment

Senner adjourned the meeting at 7:53 p.m. without a vote.

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Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Hoffheimer

**Planner** 

Staff support to the Historic District Commission

Approved: Month X, 202X

### BEFORE THE HILLSBOROUGH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

) Application for) Certificate of Appropriateness) 208 S. Cameron St.)

This request for a Certificate of Appropriateness ("COA") to construct a west-facing addition in the existing courtyard area, add a new accessible ramp, and add a loading dock at 208 South Cameron Street (the "Application") came before the Hillsborough Historic District Commission (the "HDC") on September 24, 2025 and was continued to the HDC meeting on October 1, 2025. The HDC held a quasi-judicial hearing and, based on the competent, material, and substantial evidence presented at the hearing, voted 4-1 to approve the Application with conditions. In support of that decision, the HDC makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1. The property at issue (the "Property") is located at 208 S. Cameron St. in the Town of Hillsborough. The Owner is Orange County (the "Owner"), and the Applicant is Drew Wilgus (the "Applicant").
- 2. The Application requests that the HDC grant a Certificate of Appropriateness to:

- a. Construct a west-facing addition in the existing courtyard area; Most of the proposed HVAC units, including the tallest ones, will be relocated to the north side of the building to be out of the way of public view and allow for more visibility of the dormers; The existing foundation material will be continued to the addition; The awning has been changed to be shallower and with a more modern design; The new parapet is proposed to be about 18 inches tall, and the set-back gasket portions at the transition between the existing building and new addition will end at roof level and distinguish the center piece of the addition from the existing sides of the building; The brick on the new addition is proposed to be a buff color, and the warmth of the color of the new brick and mortar are meant to complement the warmth of the existing brick; The windows and lintels have a soldier course detailing to complement the existing detailing; The trim metal will be a bronze color to tie in with the existing patinaed copper; The windows and doorways are proposed to be aluminum storefront to distinguish the addition and reflect the current time of construction; The railings will be a picket style as shown before, painted bronze to match the trim metal.
- b. Add a new accessible ramp; Vegetative screening has been added in front of the ramp and in front of the relocated HVAC units at the northwest corner.
- c. Add a south-facing loading dock and concrete ramp; This element also will include vegetive screening.

All work will be in accordance with the drawings and plans entered into evidence at the hearing.

- 3. The Property is in the Hillsborough Historic District, designated by Ordinance No. 4.3.1.2. The Hillsborough Historic District Design Standards, specifically the standards for *Exterior Walls; Windows; Doors; Roofs; Accessibility and Life Safety: Additions to Commercial Buildings; Utilities; Walkways, Driveways, and Off-Street Parking;* and *Awnings and Canopies* were used to evaluate this request, and the Application is consistent with these standards for the following reasons:
  - a. The revised design sufficiently addresses the commissioners' prior concerns regarding more intentionality in differentiating the addition from the original building, eliminating elements that are artificial in nature, and taking steps to minimize the aesthetic impact to the west facade to the extent possible.
  - 4. The following individual(s) testified during the evidentiary hearing:
    - a. Joseph Hoffheimer, Staff Support to the Historic District Commission, presented the staff report and comments.
    - b. Drew Wilgus, the Applicant, appeared to present testimony and evidence in support of the Application.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Based on the foregoing FINDINGS OF FACT, the HDC makes the following CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

1. The Application is not incongruous with the special character of the Hillsborough Historic District. Therefore, the COA is hereby approved with the following conditions:

a. The brick color will be one of the two presented in the proposal.

b. All necessary permits required by law must be obtained before work may commence. Town staff must be consulted prior to making any alterations to the approved plans. Any unapproved changes observed on a final inspection will be subject to additional fees and must be resolved prior to Town sign-off on the Certificate of Occupancy.

This the 5th day of November, 2025.

Will Senner, Chair
Hillsborough Historic District Commission

### **APPEALS**

A decision of the Commission on an application for a Certificate of Appropriateness may be appealed to the Orange County Superior Court by an aggrieved party. Such appeal shall be made within thirty (30) days of filing of the decision in the office of the Planning Director or the delivery of the notice required in Section 3.12.11, whichever is later. Such appeals to the Orange County Superior

Court are in the nature of certiorari and the court shall determine such appeals based on the record generated before the Commission.

### BEFORE THE HILLSBOROUGH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

) Application for) Certificate of Appropriateness) 319 W. Margaret Ln.)

This request for a Certificate of Appropriateness ("COA") to add a ground-floor suite and deck and revise the roof deck at 319 W. Margaret Lane (the "Application") came before the Hillsborough Historic District Commission (the "HDC") on October 1, 2025. The HDC held a quasi-judicial hearing and, based on the competent, material, and substantial evidence presented at the hearing, voted 5-0 to approve the Application. In support of that decision, the HDC makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The property at issue (the "Property") is located at 319 W. Margaret Lane in the Town of Hillsborough. The Owners are Laura Jane Sumrell and George Spencer, and the Applicant is Fred Stewart (the "Applicant").
- 2. The Application requests that the HDC grant a Certificate of Appropriateness to:
- a. Removed the cantilevered portion of the 1985 addition and add a primary bedroom suite on the ground floor; The addition will duplicate the gable of the

existing kitchen and family room for symmetry, and it will maintain a flat-roofed section between the existing and new gables for the revised roof deck; The siding, trim and roofing will match the details and colors of the existing house; The new windows and exterior doors will be white clad; New exterior light fixtures will match the existing black metal, "lantern" style sconces.

b. Add a trellis to the shed-roofed box bay at the rear of the existing family room;

The trellis and slats enclosing the underside of the deck will be wood stained medium gray.

c. Add a deck the full width of the rear of the house with steps to grade; The new deck and porch decking will be Black Locust, lpe or ArborWood thermally-modified wood allowed to silver.

d. Add a new kitchen entrance and porch on the northeast corner of the new bedroom wing; The railing on the new deck and porch will have gray-painted steel uprights, stainless steel cable horizontals, and wood handrails.

All work will be in accordance with the drawings and plans entered into evidence at the hearing.

3. The Property is in the Hillsborough Historic District, designated by Ordinance No. 4.3.1.2. The Hillsborough Historic District Design Standards, specifically the standards for *Additions to Residential Buildings; Decks; Doors;* and *Windows* were

used to evaluate this request, and the Application is consistent with these standards for the following reasons:

- a. The proposed addition is set back from the front façade and distinguished from the primary massing of the original home in a way that does not detract from the character of the front facade.
- b. The addition is distinguished from the primary structure through its roofline, as read from the front of the house.
- c. The materials being used are all consistent with the compatibility matrix and congruent with the original house and other houses in the district.
- 4. The following individual(s) testified during the evidentiary hearing:
  - a. Joseph Hoffheimer, Staff Support to the Historic District Commission, presented the staff report and comments.
  - b. Fred Stewart, the Applicant, appeared to present testimony and evidence in support of the Application.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Based on the foregoing FINDINGS OF FACT, the HDC makes the following CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

- 1. The Application is not incongruous with the special character of the Hillsborough Historic District. Therefore, the COA is hereby approved with the following conditions:
  - a. All necessary permits required by law must be obtained before work may commence. Town staff must be consulted prior to making any alterations to the approved plans. Any unapproved changes observed on a final inspection will be subject to additional fees and must be resolved prior to Town sign-off on the Certificate of Occupancy.

This the 5th day of November, 2025.

Will Senner, Chair

Hillsborough Historic District Commission

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### BEFORE THE HILLSBOROUGH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

) Application for) Certificate of Appropriateness) 330 W. King St.)

This request for a Certificate of Appropriateness ("COA") to add a new detached garage and remove the existing shed at 330 W. King St. (the "Application") came before the Hillsborough Historic District Commission (the "HDC") on October 1, 2025. The HDC held a quasi-judicial hearing and, based on the competent, material, and substantial evidence presented at the hearing, voted 5-0 to approve the Application with conditions. In support of that decision, the HDC makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The property at issue (the "Property") is located at 330 W. King St. in the Town of Hillsborough. The Owner is Jen Jahnke, and the Applicant is Pittenger Family Construction (the "Applicant").
- 2. The Application requests that the HDC grant a Certificate of Appropriateness to:
- a. Construct a new detached garage; The garage is designed to complement the house but will have modern building materials; These include James Hardie siding

painted to match and trim of the same width on corners, around windows and doors, and around the gables; The new roof shingle will also match the shingles on the existing house.

b. Remove a 12' x 20' shed and 20' x 20' concrete pad; The existing shed is currently sided with T11 paneling and has a faux brick skirting wrapped around the bottom.

All work will be in accordance with the drawings and plans entered into evidence at the hearing.

- 3. The Property is in the Hillsborough Historic District, designated by Ordinance No. 4.3.1.2. The Hillsborough Historic District Design Standards, specifically the standards for *New Construction of Outbuildings and Garages* and *Fences and Walls* were used to evaluate this request, and the Application is consistent with these standards for the following reasons:
  - a. The garage is massed and sited appropriately for the house and the lot, consistent with the design standards and other garages in the district at the rear of the property.
  - b. The materials are all consistent with the compatibility matrix and compatible with both the historic district and the main house.
  - c. The applicant provided clarification that the windows will be 1-over-1 instead of 9-over-9 as shown.
  - d. Either of the two garage options are consistent with the design standards and compatibility matrix, the first option being wood-look aluminum.
  - 4. The following individual(s) testified during the evidentiary hearing:
    - a. Joseph Hoffheimer, Staff Support to the Historic District Commission, presented the staff report and comments.

b. Nathan Pittenger, the Applicant, appeared to present testimony and evidence in support of the Application.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Based on the foregoing FINDINGS OF FACT, the HDC makes the following CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

1. The Application is not incongruous with the special character of the Hillsborough Historic District. Therefore, the COA is hereby approved with the following conditions:

a. A cut sheet of the lights will be sent to staff for approval.

b. All necessary permits required by law must be obtained before work may commence. Town staff must be consulted prior to making any alterations to the approved plans. Any unapproved changes observed on a final inspection will be subject to additional fees and must be resolved prior to Town sign-off on the Certificate of Occupancy.

This the 5th day of November, 2025.

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### BEFORE THE HILLSBOROUGH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

) Application for) Certificate of Appropriateness) 332 W. Tryon St.)

This request for a Certificate of Appropriateness ("COA") to add two shed dormers to the rear roof and construct a small pool in the back yard at 332 W. Tryon Street (the "Application") came before the Hillsborough Historic District Commission (the "HDC") on October 1, 2025. The HDC held a quasi-judicial hearing and, based on the competent, material, and substantial evidence presented at the hearing, voted 5-0 to approve the Application. In support of that decision, the HDC makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The property at issue (the "Property") is located at 332 W. Tryon Street in the Town of Hillsborough. The Owner and Applicant is Anton Wilson (the "Applicant").
- 2. The Application requests that the HDC grant a Certificate of Appropriateness to:
- a. Add a shed dormer on the rear elevation between the existing gable dormer and a newly proposed duplicate gable dormer over the existing garage doors; The new

shed dormer will bridge between the two gable dormers; The siding proposed is Hardie board to match the most recent kitchen addition; The shed dormer is proposed to have standing seam metal roofing (no striations), and the new dormer will have an asphalt shingle roof to match the existing shingles; New north facing aluminum-clad simulated divided lite (SDL) windows are proposed; The third floor skylights are proposed to be converted to a shed dormer with a north facing triple aluminum clad SDL twin window; All new siding will be Hardie board and batten siding (smooth side out) and Miratec trim; All colors are to match existing.

b. A new small pool is proposed on the rear of the property; Brick steps from the existing patio will be constructed to access the pool; Additionally, there will be a four-foot concrete pad surrounding the pool with a one-foot-wide concrete retaining wall on the east and north side; Existing fencing will be relocated as necessary to accommodate the pool and address code requirements.

All work will be in accordance with the drawings and plans entered into evidence at the hearing.

3. The Property is in the Hillsborough Historic District, designated by Ordinance No. 4.3.1.2. The Hillsborough Historic District Design Standards, specifically the standards for *Additions to Residential Buildings; Site Features and Plantings; Walkways, Driveways, and Off-Street Parking;* and *Fences and Walls* were used to

evaluate this request, and the Application is consistent with these standards for the following reasons:

- a. The dormers have been added to the rear of the property in a way that is not overpowering of the primary structure, with materials that are compatible with the compatibility matrix and consistent with the design standards.
- b. While the existing dormer is being modified and reclad, it is not a historic element.
- c. The proposed pool is in the rear of the property and sited in a way that is consistent with the design standards and compatible with the historic district. The adjustment of the existing fence is consistent with the design standards.
- 4. The following individual(s) testified during the evidentiary hearing:
  - a. Joseph Hoffheimer, Staff Support to the Historic District Commission, presented the staff report and comments.
  - b. David Cates, presenter for the Applicant, appeared to present testimony and evidence in support of the Application.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Based on the foregoing FINDINGS OF FACT, the HDC makes the following CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

- 1. The Application is not incongruous with the special character of the Hillsborough Historic District. Therefore, the COA is hereby approved with the following conditions:
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#### ITEM #6. A:

Address: 311 W. Orange St.

Year Built: NA (new construction)

**Historic Inventory Information (2013):** NA (new construction)

### **Proposed work**

New construction house

### **Application materials**

- COA application
- Narrative
- List of materials
- Elevations
- Floor plans
- Site plan

### **Applicable Design Standards**

- New Construction of Primary Residential Buildings: 1-11
- New Construction of Outbuildings and Garages: 1-7, 9, 10
- Walkways, Driveways, and Off-Street Parking: 8-10

### **Staff Comments**

- This application is being continued from the August, September, and October HDC meetings. The applicant has since submitted an updated application that includes the following major changes from the initial proposal:
  - The garage is set back further from the front line of the house and is less visible.
  - The roof pitches are wider, and curves have been eliminated.
  - Several exterior materials have changed, and all appear to comply with the compatibility matrix. Notably, the siding is now entirely Hardie plank.
  - The driveway has been adjusted to preserve an additional tree.

### 311 W. Orange St. Hillsborough - Detailed Narrative

Our proposal for a new ~2800 sqft residence at 311 W. Orange St. Hillsborough represents a thoughtful integration of contemporary living with a deep respect for the historic character of the neighborhood. We understand the commission's desire for new construction that contributes positively to the area's evolving architectural landscape, offering fresh perspectives rather than direct replication of historic styles.

Our design prioritizes minimal environmental impact, with careful consideration given to tree preservation and grading. We've worked closely with the septic company to ensure the system's installation has minimal impact on existing trees and the surrounding landscape, maintaining the wooded feel that defines many properties in Hillsborough. The adjusted front driveway further supports this goal, both by preserving additional trees and strategically positioning the wood-tone garage to be less visible, allowing the natural surroundings to take prominence.

The exterior materials have been meticulously selected to align with the compatibility matrix provided by staff, ensuring a harmonious visual relationship with the existing streetscape. The brick front foundation and traditional architectural elements evoke the enduring charm of homes built throughout Hillsborough's history, while the use of high-quality clad or fiberglass windows and painted Pressure Treated wood for front porch rails speaks to modern durability and aesthetic. The garage, set back nearly 15 feet from the front porch, is intentionally de-emphasized, allowing the home's primary architectural features to shine.

This design is a testament to our commitment to creating a home that is both distinctly "new" in its approach to sustainability and contemporary living, yet deeply rooted in the timeless appeal of Hillsborough's architectural heritage. It offers a fresh interpretation of residential design, demonstrating how innovation can coexist gracefully within a historic district.

### **311 W. Orange**, **Hillsborough** - Itemized list of exterior materials

Siding: hardie plank cedar mill siding

Corner Boards: hardie plank

Fascia: hardie plank Soffit: hardie plank

Window material: fiberglass or aluminum clad

Window trim: hardie plank

Front Porch columns: masonry brick on bottom, painted trim on top

Front Porch rails: painted wood

Front porch steps: masonry brick unpainted Foundation front: masonry brink unpainted Foundation sides and rear: parged block

Garage door: Wood colored painted to similarly resemble the front door tones

Rear screened porch: Pressure treated lumber Rear screened porch rails: pressure treated lumber Roof: GAF weathered wood 30 yr architectural shingle

Gutters: black aluminum

Front door: TDL mahogany wood

Side door: Steel

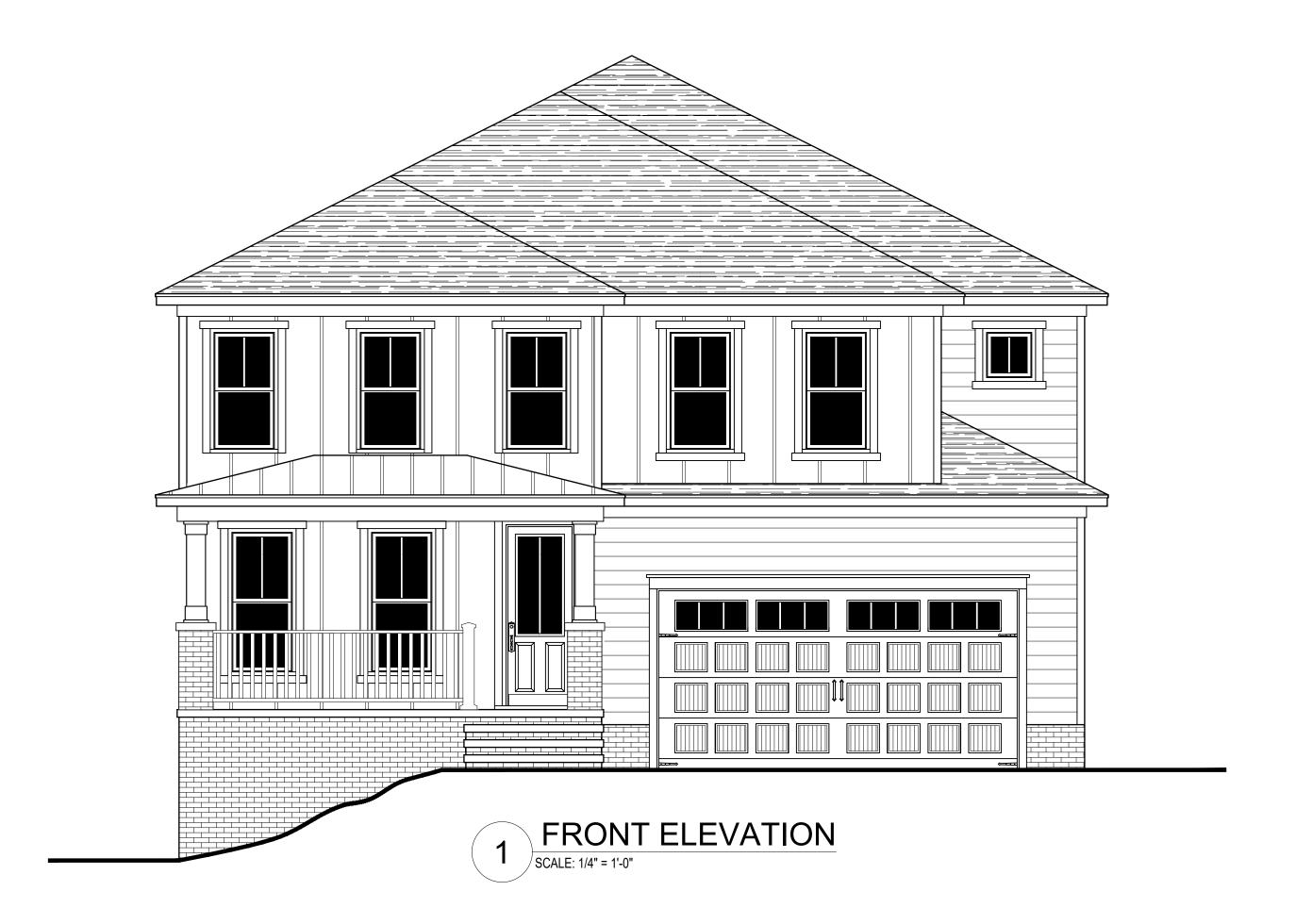
**Driveway and Sidewalk: Concrete** 

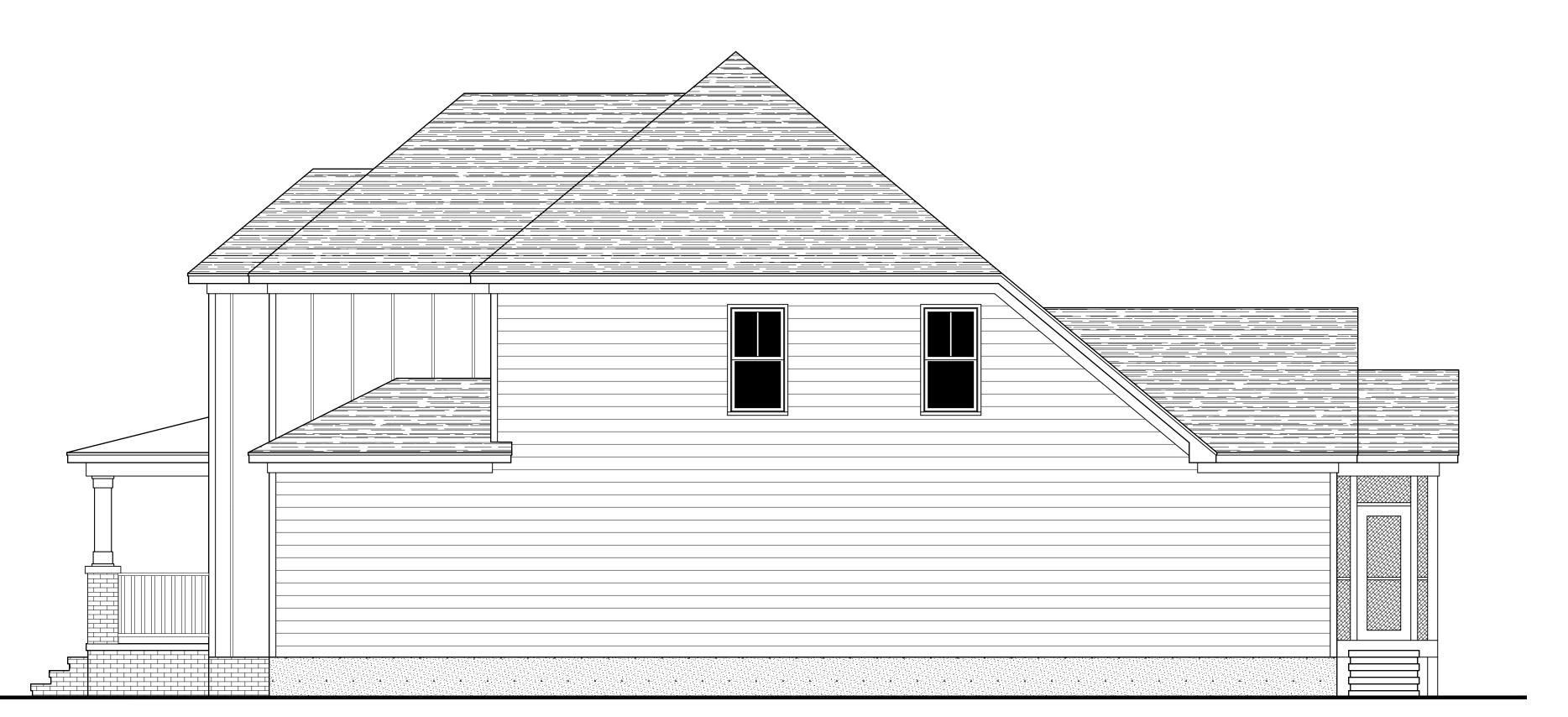


# **General Elevation Notes**

General Elevation Notes shall apply unless noted otherwise on plan.

- 1. Roof shall be finished with architectural composition shingles with slopes as noted on plan.
- Ridge Vent shall be provided and installed on all ridges greater than 6' in length per manufacturer's specifications.
- 3. Soffit Vent shall be continuous soffit vent
- House Wrap, "tyvek" or approved equal shall be installed over entire exterior wall per manufacturer's specifications and recommendations.
- 5. Flashing shall be provided above all door and window openings, above finish wall material changes and at wall surfaces where lower roof areas abut vertical wall surfaces.
- 6. Porch Railings shall be provided at all porch walking surfaces greater than 30" above adjacent finished grade. It shall be 36" high with guards spaced no more than 4" apart. Consult community specifications for material.
- 7. Finish Wall Material shall be as noted on elevation drawings.





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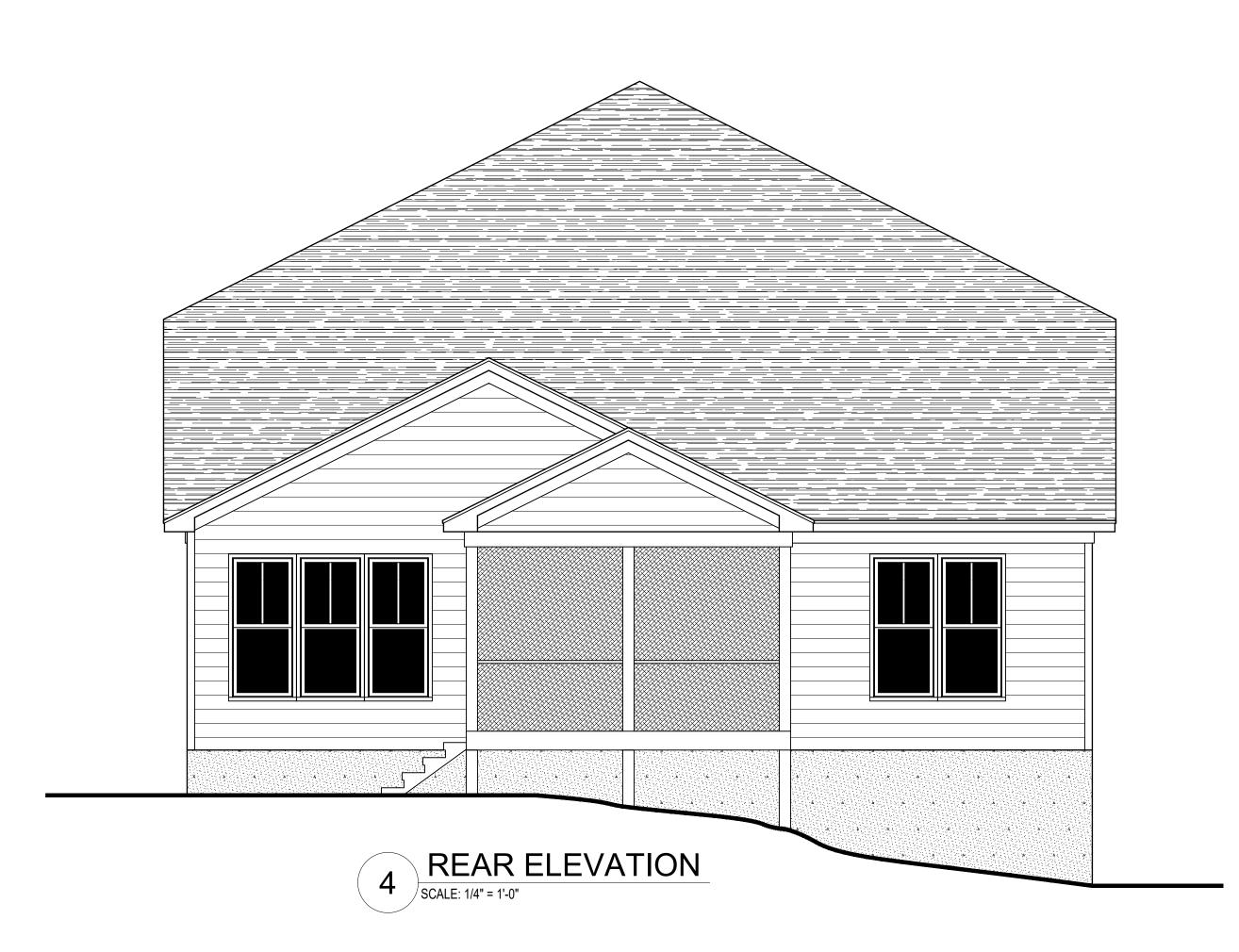
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# **General Floor Plan Notes**

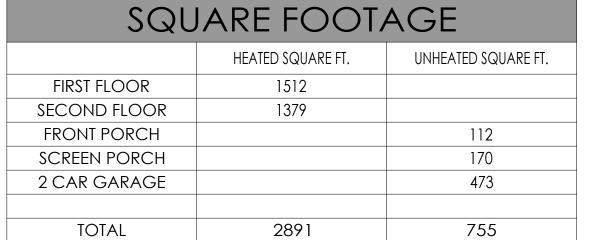
General Floor Plan Notes shall apply unless noted otherwise on plan.

- Wall Heights: Typically 9'-1-1/2" at basement and first floor, and 8'-1 1/2" at bonus room, U.N.O.. All walls are constructed using a double top plate.
   Splices at Double Top Plate do not need to occur at Vertical Studs but must be at least 24" apart from Joint in other Top Plate layer. Special wall heights are noted on plans where they occur.
- 2. Wall Thickness is shown 4" at both exterior and interior walls U.N.O. 2x6 frame shall be used at walls that back up to plumbing fixtures. Walls greater than 10' high shall be framed with 2x6 framing or greater and will be noted as a special condition where it occurs on plan.
- 3. Header height shall be 7'-4" AFF at basement, 7'-8" AFF at first floor, and 7'-0" AFF at second floor, unless noted otherwise.
- All headers for exterior windows and doors are (2) 2x10 unless noted otherwise. Headers for interior doors shall be a min (2) 2x6
- 5. Jacks: Openings up to 3'-4" wide shall have (1) 2x4 jack stud SPF on each side. Openings greater than 3'-4" wide shall have (2) 2x4 jack studs SPF on each side.
- 6. Soffits, Coffered Ceilings, Trey Ceilings and other significant ceiling plan elements are shown on the floor plans and are denoted as single dashed lines. Unless specifically call out as included, Kitchens do not include soffits over wall cabinetry.
- Door & Window Frames, where occurring near corners, shall be a minimum of 4" from corner.
   Except for walk-in closets with doors near a corner, doors at closets shall be centered on closet.
- Windows: Shall have at least (1) window in each sleeping room, that meets egress. Shall be provided with tempered glass at hazardous glazing areas. False windows shall be installed with obscure alazing.
- 9. Handrails and Guards at stairs shall be 34" above the finished surface of the ramp surface of the stair. Handrails at landings and overlooks of multilevel spaces shall be 36" above finished floor. Guards (pickets or balisters) shall be spaced so that a 4" cannot pass through the guards.
- 10. Attic Access shall be provided at all attic area with a height greater than 30". Minimum clear attic access shall be 20" x 30". Pull down stairs and access doors in knee walls meeting minimum criteria are also acceptable.
- 11.Garage Door to Living Space shall be 2'-8" x 6'-8" minimum size and shall be 20 minute fire rated and weather sealed.
- 12. Provide 1/2" (minimum) gypsum board separation at walls and ceilings adjacent to the main house and attic areas. With habitable space above, the inside of all garage walls require 1/2" GWB supporting 5/8" type X GWB on ceiling.
- 13. Provide the following minimum thermal protection for each wall, floor, etc. in the building thermal envelope:

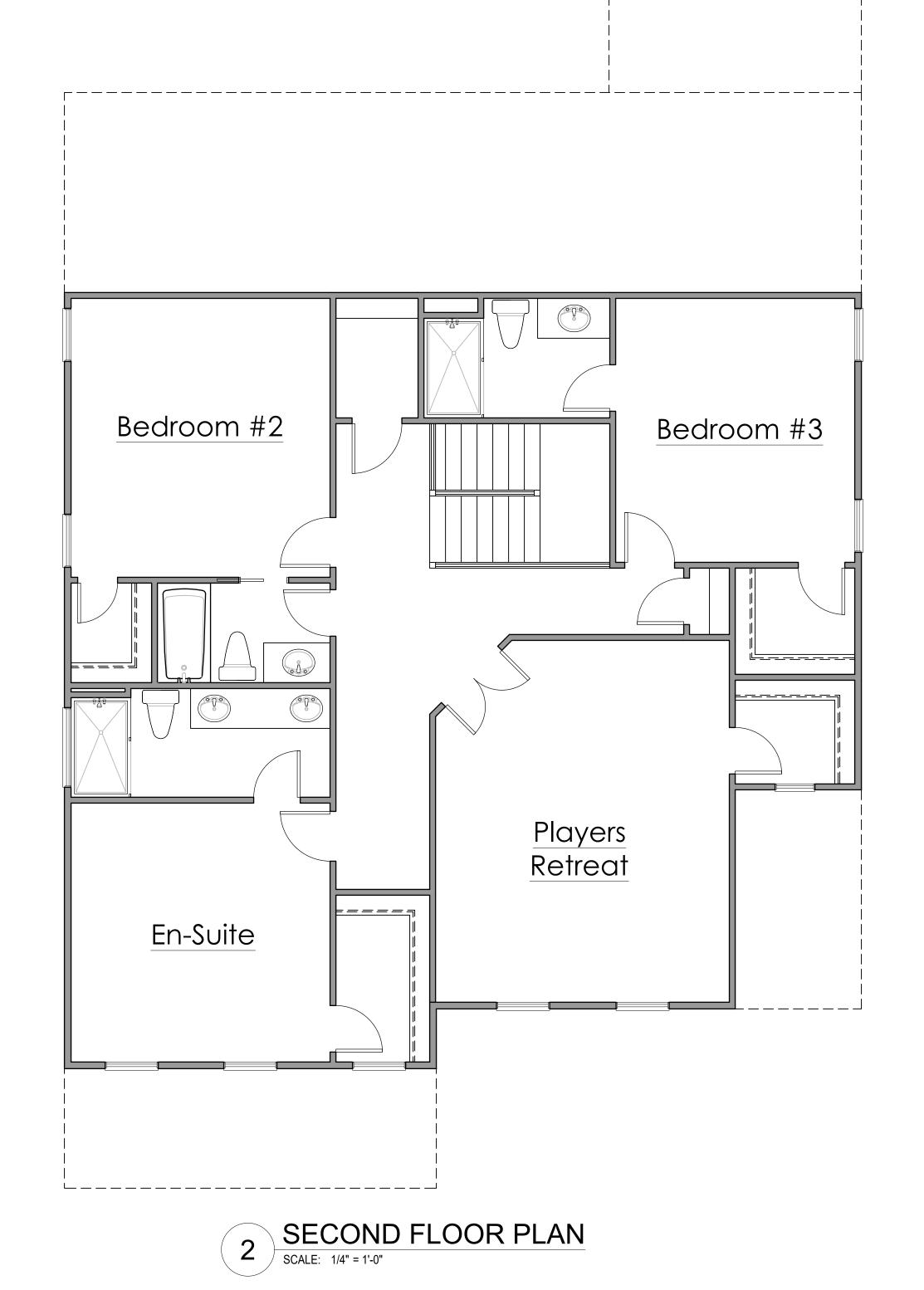
Ceilings: R-30 (energy heel)
Walls: R-15
Cantilevered Floors: R-19
Crawl Floors: R-19
Basement Walls: R-10 / R-15

14. Wall bracing is per the CS-WSP method of R602.10.3.1, of the current North Carolina Residential Code, unless noted otherwise.











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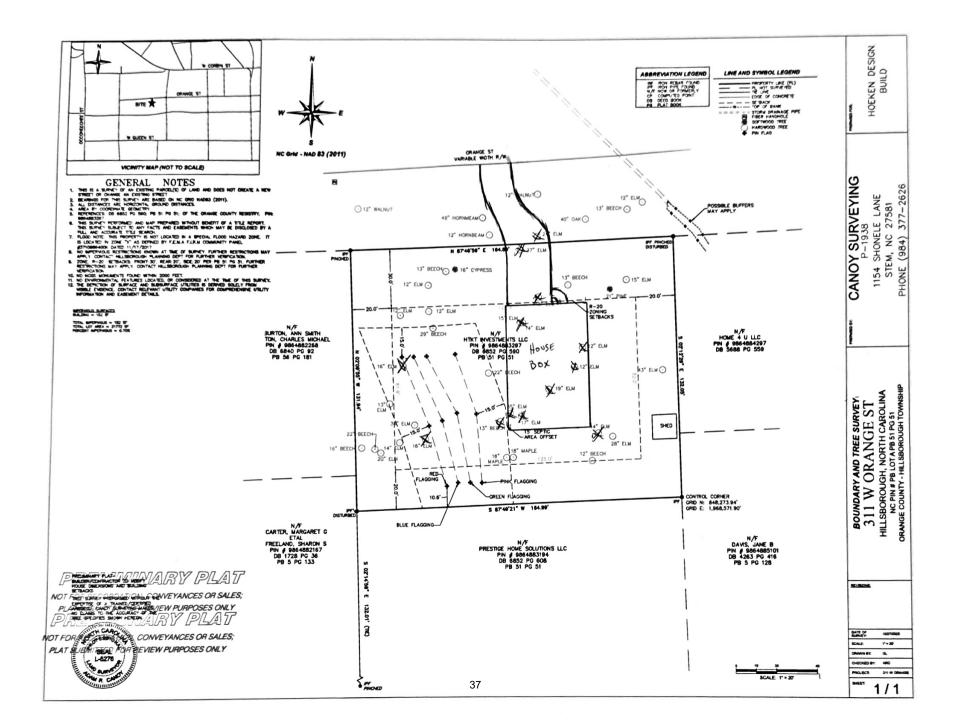
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### ITEM #7. A:

Address: 206 S. Hillsborough Ave.

**Year Built:** c. 1936, 2011

### **Historic Inventory Information (2013)**

This one-story, side-gabled house is three bays wide and single-pile with a gabled ell at the right rear (northwest). The house has German-profile weatherboards, two-over-two wood-sash windows, paired on the façade, and two interior brick chimneys. The one-light-over-one-panel door is sheltered by a front-gabled porch supported by tapered wood posts on brick piers. There is a 2011 gabled wing projecting from the south elevation of the rear ell [HDC] and a shed-roofed section between the main section of the house and the projecting wing. County tax records date the building to 1936. A low brick wall extends across the front of the property and a sign in front of the house calls it the Florence Elkins House.

### **Proposed work**

- Convert the existing screened room to glass
- Connect the existing screened porch to the house
- Add a new screened porch

### **Application materials**

- COA application
- Existing site photos
- Narrative
- Material matrix
- Site plan
- Existing and proposed elevations

### **Applicable Design Standards**

- Porches, Entrances, and Balconies: 10
- Additions to Residential Buildings: 1 − 14

#### **Staff Comments**

None.





# **APPLICATION**

# **Certificate of Appropriateness and Minor Works**

Planning and Economic Development Division 101 E. Orange St., PO Box 429, Hillsborough, NC 27278 919-296-9470 | Fax: 919-644-2390 planning@hillsboroughnc.gov www.hillsboroughnc.gov

| Orange County Parcel ID Number  | Zoning District  | Address of Project  |   |
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| Applicant Name  |  | Property Owner (if different than a   | pplicant)   |
| Applicant's Mailing Address   |  | Property Owner's Mailing Address  |   |
| City, State ZIP   |  | City, State ZIP   |   |
| Applicant Phone Number  | <u>_</u>   | Property Owner's Phone Number   |   |
| Applicant's Email   |  | Property Owner's Email  |   |
| Description of Proposed Work:   |  |   |   |
| Estimated Cost of Construction: \$  |  |   |   |
| The Historic District Design Standards, E<br>application process can be found on the  |  |   |   |
| Applicant and Owner Acknowledgment I am aware that Historic District Design is Development Ordinance requirements a and I certify that I, and/or my design pro with Planning Staff for compliance to th representative, must attend the HDC mo town employees and/or commissioners conditions, and to assist them in making any commissioner about my project unt | Standards, Exterior Mare the criteria by whiofessional under my described a standards in those a seting where this apposage vidence-based deci | ch my proposal will be evaluated for irection, have reviewed my applicated dopted documents. I understand the lication will be reviewed. I further uny property with reasonable notice sions on my application and that I a | or compatibility,<br>tion materials<br>nat I, or my<br>understand that<br>to assess current |
|   |  | Steven Petrow   |   |
| Applicant's Signature (Optional) Date   | e Prope  | erty Owner's Signature (Required)   | Date  |

Last revised: December 2023

### **Submittal Requirements**

The following documents and plans are required to accompany your COA application in order for it to be deemed complete and scheduled for commission review. Planning staff will determine when all submittal requirements have been met. The first FOUR complete COA applications submitted by the deadline will be heard on any HDC agenda.

| All ap   | pplications must include the following documents and plans:   |
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| Prov     | ide a digital copy if plans are larger than 11"x17")  |
|          |   |
|          | Detailed narrative describing the proposed work and how it complies with all adopted standards.   |
| □ E      | xisting <b>and</b> Proposed Dimensioned Plans (see below):  |
| •        | Site Plan (if changing building footprint or adding new structures, impervious areas or site features, including hardscaping)   |
| •        | Scaled Architectural Plans (if changing building footprint or new construction)   |
| •        | Scaled Elevations (if adding or changing features of a structure)   |
| •        | Landscaping Plans (required for all new construction and for significant landscaping or tree removal and re-planting)   |
| •        | Tree Survey (required for new construction when trees over 12" diameter at breast height are on site - show both existing and those to be removed)  |
| •        | Sign Specifications (if adding, changing, or replacing signage)   |
| (        | temized list of existing and proposed exterior materials including photos and specifications, colors, etc.  Siding, trim and fascia, roof and foundation materials, windows, shutters, awnings, doors, porch and deck looring, handrails, columns, patios, walkways, driveways, fences and walls, and signs, etc.). |
| □ P<br>s | Photographs, material samples, examples of comparable properties in the district (if using them as basis for pecific designs), plans, or drawings that will help to clarify the proposal, if applicable, or if required by staff as art of the review.  |

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|                                       |  | Historic District St     | aff Signature              | Date |

### Introduction

This one-story, side-gabled house is three bays wide and single-pile with a gabled ell at the right rear (northwest). The house has German-profile weatherboards, two-over-two wood-sash windows, paired on the façade, and two interior brick chimneys. The one-light-over-one-panel door is sheltered by a front-gabled porch supported by tapered wood posts on brick piers. There is a 2011 gabled wing projecting from the south elevation of the rear ell [HDC] and a shed-roofed section between the main section of the house and the projecting wing. County tax records date the building to 1936. A low brick wall extends across the front of the property and a sign in front of the house calls it the Florence Elkins House. A screen building and decking was constructed in the rear of the house around 2018. Please see existing conditions pictures below:



View from S. Hillsborough Avenue looking west (no changes proposed to this elevation)

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View of south elevation of house

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Rear elevation of house



View of south elevation of screen room and house



Rear elevation of screen room and house



View of north elevation of screen room and west elevation of house



View of rear of house looking southeast

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View of north elevation of house

### **Project**

The homeowner is proposing to replace the screens of the existing screen room with aluminum clad glass windows and fixed glass. Additionally, he is proposing to connect the room with his existing house with additional glass panels and aluminum clad full glass door with wood columns and railings to match the existing structure. The roof material will match the existing roof material (5V). Three skylights are proposed for the new connecting roof (they will not be visible from the street). Lastly a new screen porch will be constructed adjacent to the screen room with metal roof (5V), wood decking, wood screen door and wood railings (with stainless steel cable railing) to match existing.

### **Landscaping**

No trees will be removed, and no new plantings are proposed at this time.

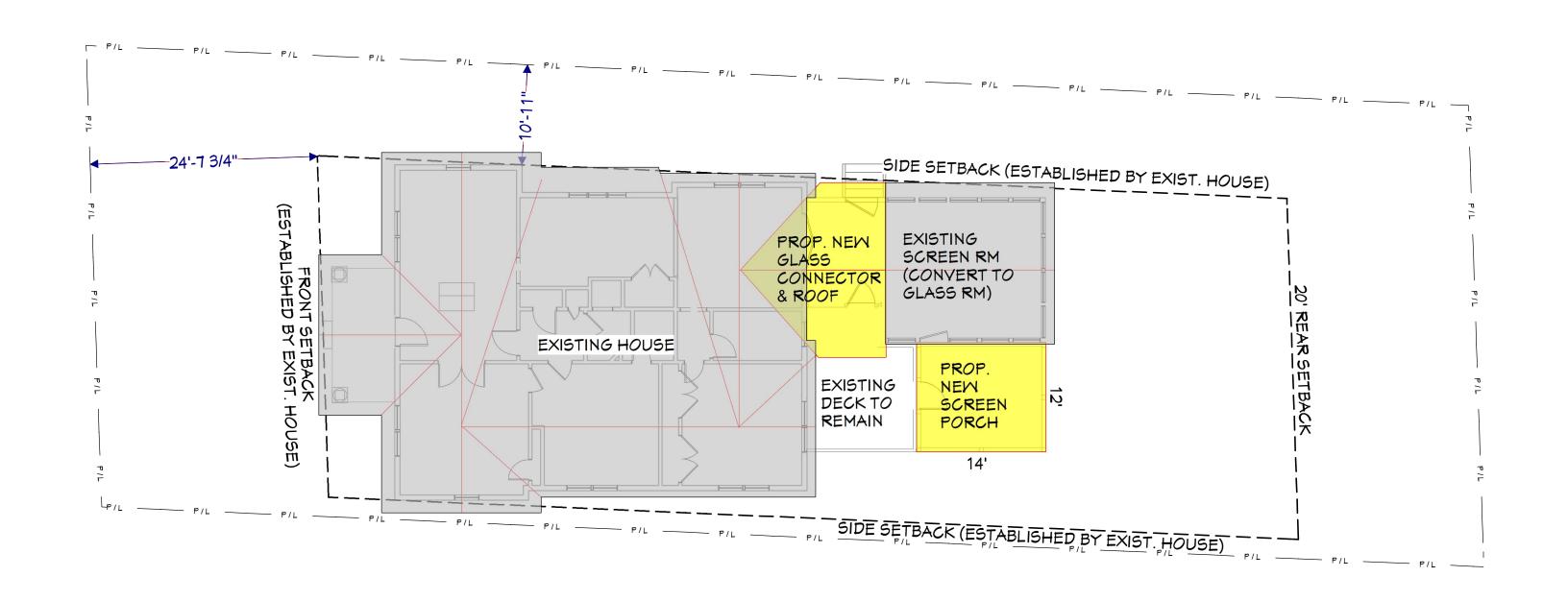
### Lighting

No new lighting is proposed.

### Material matrix

| Item                 | Proposed material(s)               | Color             |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| siding               | No new siding proposed             | N/A               |
| trim                 | Wood                               | To match existing |
| fascia               | Wood                               | To match existing |
| roof                 | 5V metal                           | To match existing |
| screen porch columns | Wood                               | To match existing |
| screen porch railing | Wood/stainless steel cable railing | To match existing |
| screen porch decking | Wood                               | To match existing |
| windows              | Aluminum clad                      | To match existing |
| shutters             | No change                          | N/A               |
| awnings              | none                               | N/A               |
| Railings             | Wood                               | To match existing |
| walkways             | No change                          | N/A               |
| driveways            | No change                          | N/A               |
| fences               | No change                          | N/A               |

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# Site Plan

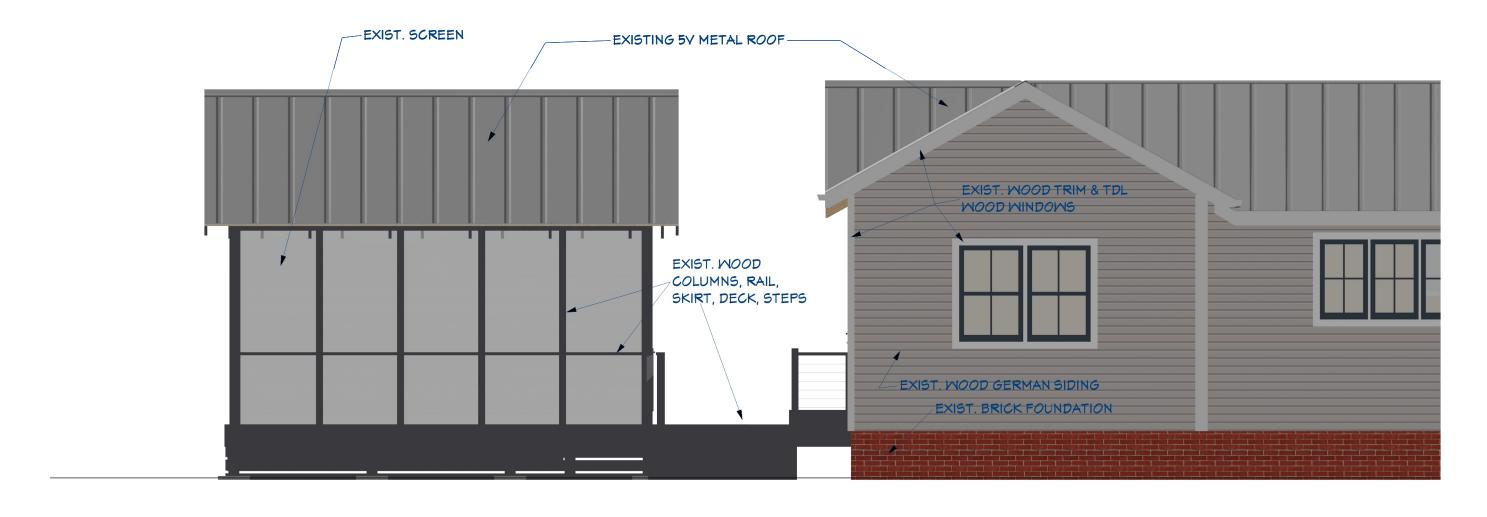
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Existing Perspective



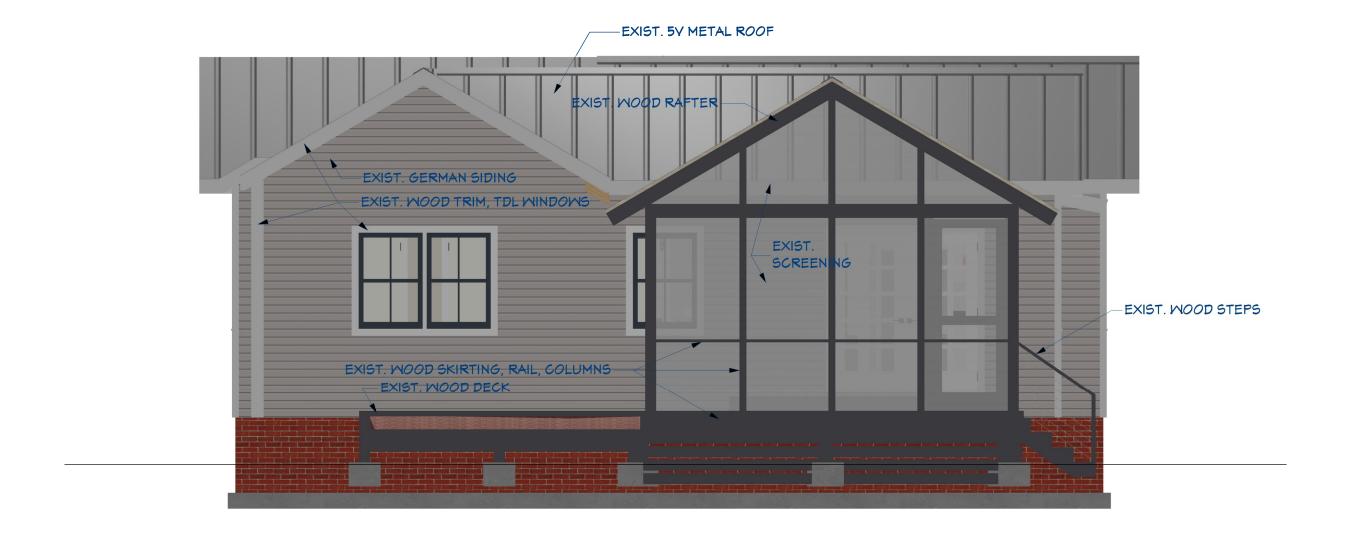
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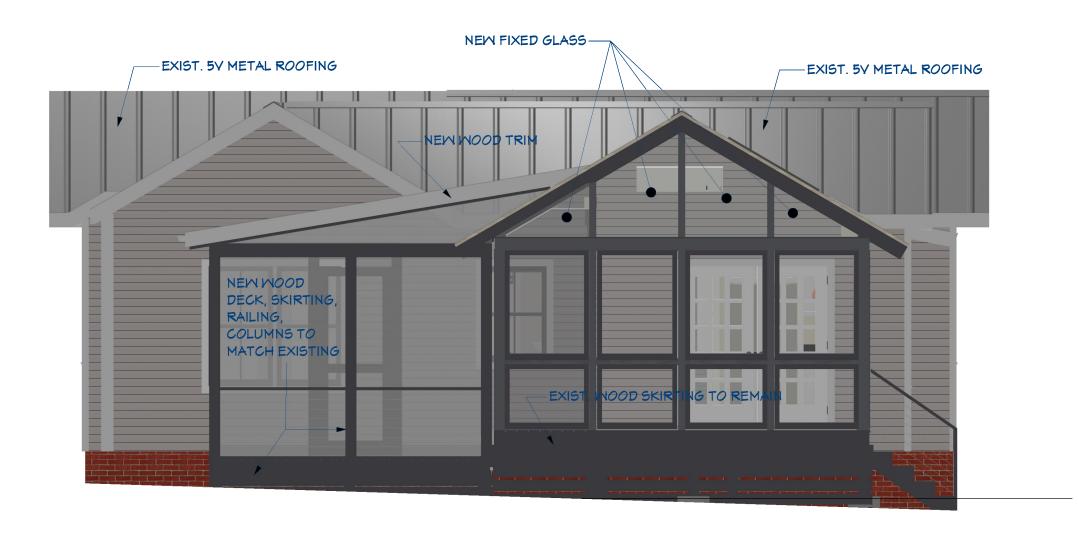
Existing Left (South) Elevation



Proposed Left (South) Elevation



Existing Rear (West) Elevation



Proposed Rear (West) Elevation



Existing Right (North) Elevation

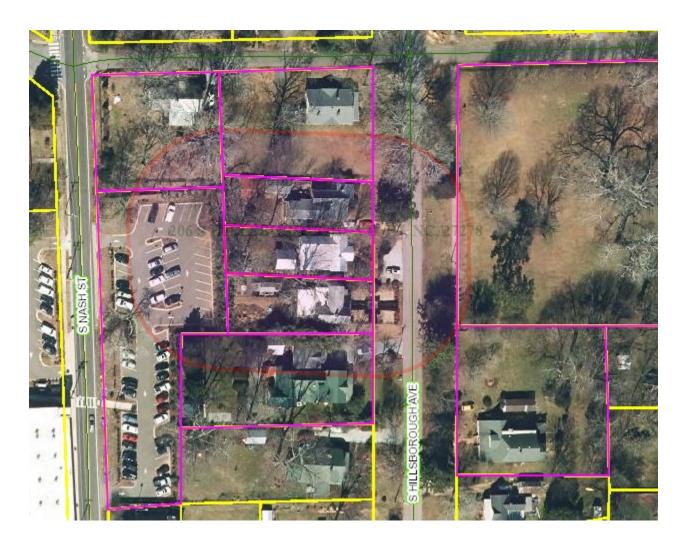


Proposed Right (North) Elevation

I, Joseph Hoffheimer, hereby certify that all property owners within 100 feet of and the owners of <a href="PIN 9864753647">PIN 9864753647</a> (the affected property) have been sent a letter of notification of the Certificate of Appropriateness application before the Historic District Commission by first class mail in accordance with the Hillsborough Zoning Ordinance.

10/22/2025Joseph HoffheimerDate(for Hillsborough Planning Department)

| PIN        | OWNER1_LAST     | OWNER1_FIRST  | OWNER: | OWNER2_FIF | ADDRESS1            | ADDRESS2  | CITY          | STATE | ZIPCODE   |
|------------|-----------------|---------------|--------|------------|---------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|-----------|
| 9864752645 | BELLEVUE MILL I |               |        |            | 8380 BAY PINES BLVD | 3RD FL    | ST PETERSBURG | FL    | 33709     |
| 9864752719 | DARAB           | JONATHAN M    | DARAB  | MEAGHUN    | 423 W MARGARET LN   |           | Hillsborough  | NC    | 27278     |
| 9864753524 | JESSUP          | DALY C        |        |            | 212 S HILLSBOROUGH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 27278     |
| 9864753642 | CULP            | FRANCIS BARTO |        |            | 210 S HILLSBOROUGH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 272782416 |
| 9864753647 | PETROW          | STEVEN        |        |            | 206 S HILLSBOROUGH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 27278     |
| 9864753741 | COUCH           | CHARLES C     | COUCH  | WENDY S    | 204 S HILLSBOROUGH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 27278     |
| 9864753840 | PARRISH         | DIANA L       |        |            | 210 W TRYON ST      |           | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 272782436 |
| 9864755582 | MERRICK         | PIPSISEWA R   |        |            | 215 HILLSBOROUGH AV |           | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 27278     |
| 9864756746 | HILLSBOROUGH    | OF            |        |            | PO BOX 429          | PUBLIC SP | HILLSBOROUGH  | NC    | 27278     |



### ITEM #7. B:

Address: 222 Lydia Ln.

**Year Built:** c. 1946, 2005

### **Historic Inventory Information (2013)**

Likely constructed as a side-gabled, Minimal Traditional-style house with a projecting, front-gabled wing, this house has been extensively altered with the enclosure of a front porch and the addition of a side-gabled structure at the right rear (southeast). The house is three bays wide and double-pile with aluminum siding, vinyl windows, and an interior brick chimney. A shed-roofed wing, centered on the façade, obscures the original entrance and a new entrance on the right (south) elevation is sheltered by a gabled porch supported by tapered Tuscan columns on stuccoed piers. A hip-roofed wing at the right rear connects to a side-gabled, frame structure with aluminum siding and vinyl windows. This structure has a hip-roofed wing on the right elevation and a gabled screened porch at the rear. County tax records date the building to 1946. The current porch was constructed in 2005 and the screened porch dates to 2010 [HDC].

### **Proposed work**

- Remove a portion of the front gable
- Add windows and a pergola

### **Application materials**

- COA application
- Existing site photos
- Narrative
- Material matrix
- Existing and proposed elevations

### **Applicable Design Standards**

• Exterior Walls: 1, 8, 9, 11

Windows: 8

### **Staff Comments**

- Although the inventory mentions that the front elevation has been extensively altered, it
  does not give any dates for when the front elevation took its current form. Staff have not
  seen any documentation of the front elevation's prior appearance.
- The design standards do not directly address pergolas, but pergolas are allowed as minor works if located behind the structure. Staff are not aware of any similarly situated pergolas in the historic district.



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### APPLICATION

## **Certificate of Appropriateness and Minor Works**

Planning and Economic Development Division 101 E. Orange St., PO Box 429, Hillsborough, NC 27278 919-296-9470 | Fax: 919-644-2390 planning@hillsboroughnc.gov

|   | R-20  | 222 Lydia Lane   |
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| Applicant Name  |   | rty Owner (if different than applicant)  |
| 222 Lydia Lane  | stripley from the street  | ic II  |
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| Hillsborough, NC 27   | 278   |  |
| City, State ZIP   |   | tate ZIP   |
| 919-632-9584  |   |  |
| Applicant Phone Number  | Prope   | rty Owner's Phone Number   |
| marthachasenelson@gmai  | l.com   |  |
| Applicant's Email   | Prope   | rty Owner's Email  |
| remov   | e portion of front a  | able, add windows and pergola  |
|   |   | lity Matrix, and Certificate of Appropriateness site: https://www.hillsboroughnc.gov/hdc.  |
| application process can be found on the 1<br>applicant and Owner Acknowledgment :<br>am aware that Historic District Design St<br>evelopment Ordinance requirements an<br>ad I certify that I, and/or my design profi<br>ith Planning Staff for compliance to the<br>presentative, must attend the HDC mee<br>wn employees and/or commissioners m | rown of Hillsborough's web<br>and Certification<br>tandards, Exterior Materia<br>e the criteria by which my<br>essional under my directic<br>standards in those adopte<br>ting where this application<br>may need access to my pro-<br>evidence-based decisions | is Compatibility Matrix, and Unified proposal will be evaluated for compatibility, in, have reviewed my application materials and documents. I understand that I, or my in will be reviewed. I further understand that experty with reasonable notice to assess current on my application and that I am not to speak to  |

Last revised: December 2023

| Staff Use Only:<br>COA fee (\$1 per \$1000 of construction costs, \$10 m  | ninimum) Amount: \$                      |
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| □ N/A □ Yes Zo  | ning Officer:                            |
| This application meets public space division requi  | rements.                                 |
| □ N/A □ IS  | pace Manger:                             |
| Historic Architectural Inventory Information  |  |
| Original date of Construction:  |  |
| Description of the Property:  |  |
| Applicable Design Standards:  |  |
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| Other reviews needed?  Hillsborough Zoning Compliance Permit  | ☐ Orange County Building Permit ☐ Other: |
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### Introduction

Please find below description of the subject property (222 Lydia Ln) per the Historic District inventory: Likely constructed as a side-gabled, Minimal Traditional-style house with a projecting, front-gabled wing, this house has been extensively altered with the enclosure of a front porch and the addition of a side-gabled structure at the right rear (southeast). The house is three bays wide and double-pile with aluminum siding, vinyl windows, and an interior brick chimney. A shed-roofed wing, centered on the façade, obscures the original entrance and a new entrance on the right (south) elevation is sheltered by a gabled porch supported by tapered Tuscan columns on stuccoed piers. A hip-roofed wing at the right rear connects to a side-gabled, frame structure with aluminum siding and vinyl windows. This structure has a hip-roofed wing on the right elevation and a gabled screened porch at the rear. County tax records date the building to 1946. The current porch was constructed in 2005 and the screened porch dates to 2010 [HDC] Please see existing conditions pictures below:



View from Lydia Lane looking East



View of right side (South Elevation)

### **Project**

The homeowners are proposing restore the front elevation to what they suspect is more respective of the original elevation by removing the asymmetrical portion of the front facing dormer, thereby restoring it to a symmetrical front facing dormer. By removing this portion, it creates more west facing wall space where they would like to add two new aluminum clad SDL windows as shown on the proposed front elevation attached below. Additionally, they would like to add a wood pergola to shelter these two windows. Any new siding and trim will be Hardie (smooth side out) and some shingles may need to be repaired/replaced and they will be replaced to match the existing.

### **Landscaping**

No trees will be removed, and no new plantings are proposed at this time.

### Lighting

No new lighting is proposed.

### Material matrix

| Item                 | Proposed material(s)         | Color             |  |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| siding               | Hardie lap (smooth side out) | To match existing |  |
| trim                 | Hardie                       | To match existing |  |
| fascia               | Hardie                       | To match existing |  |
| roof (repairs)       | asphalt shingles             | To match existing |  |
| foundation materials | No change (stucco/block)     | To match existing |  |
| windows              | Aluminum clad SDL            | To match existing |  |
| shutters             | No change                    | N/A               |  |
| awnings              | none                         | N/A               |  |
| Railings             | Wood                         | To match existing |  |
| walkways             | No change                    | N/A               |  |
| driveways            | No change                    | N/A               |  |
| fences               | No change                    | N/A               |  |

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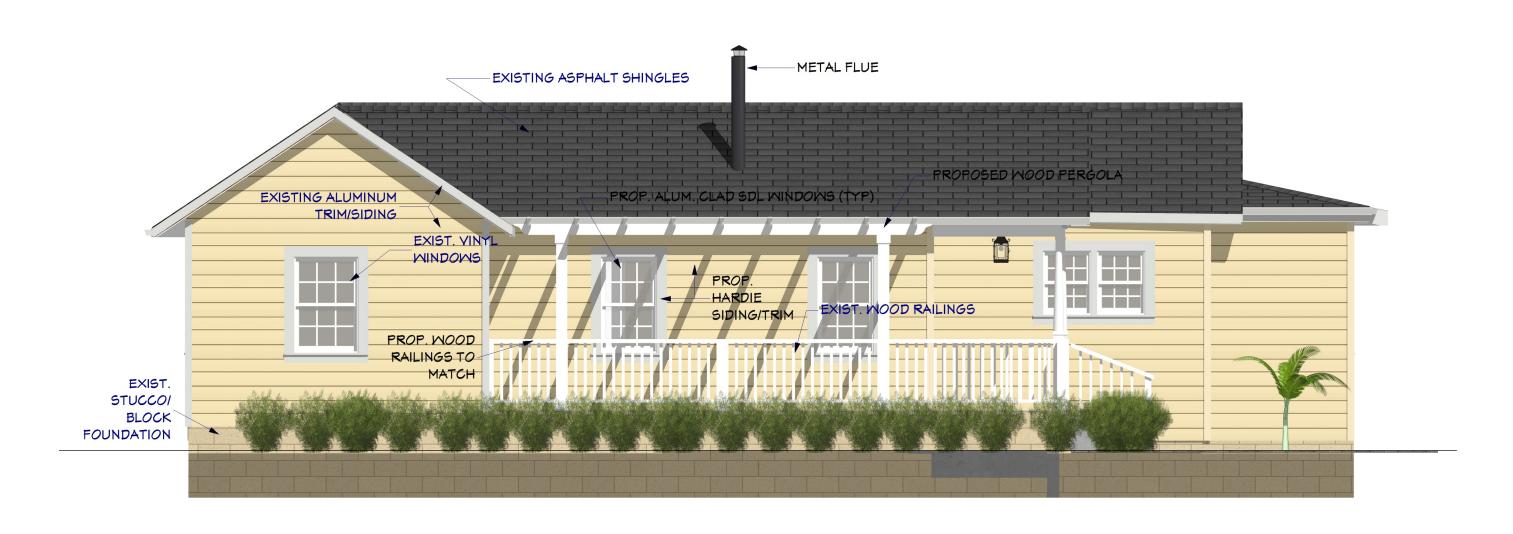
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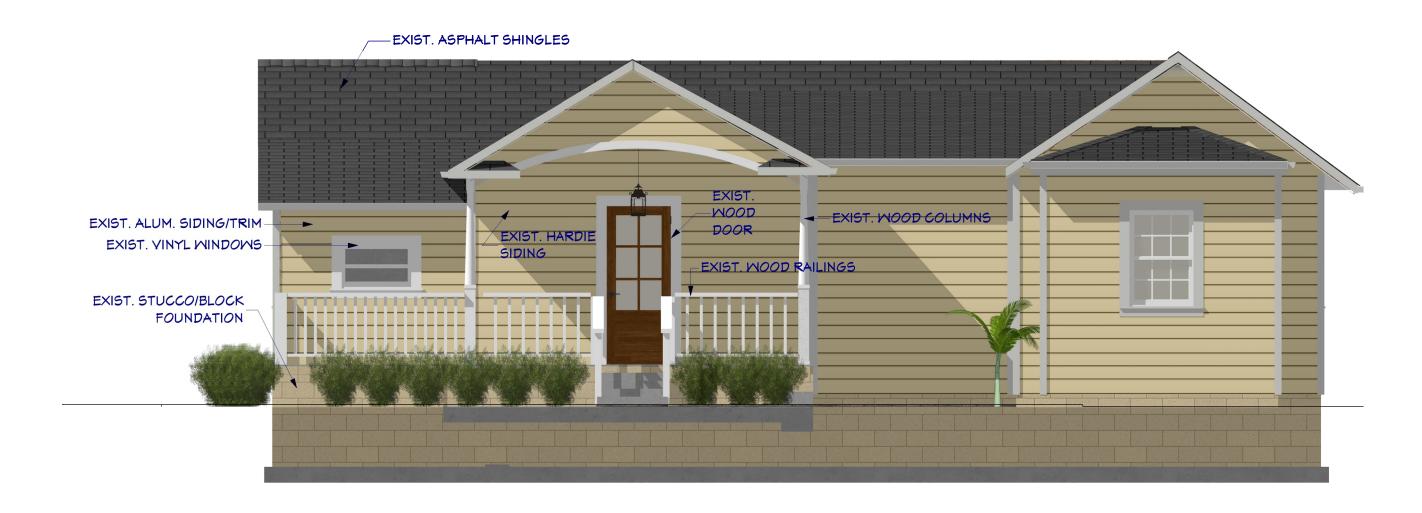
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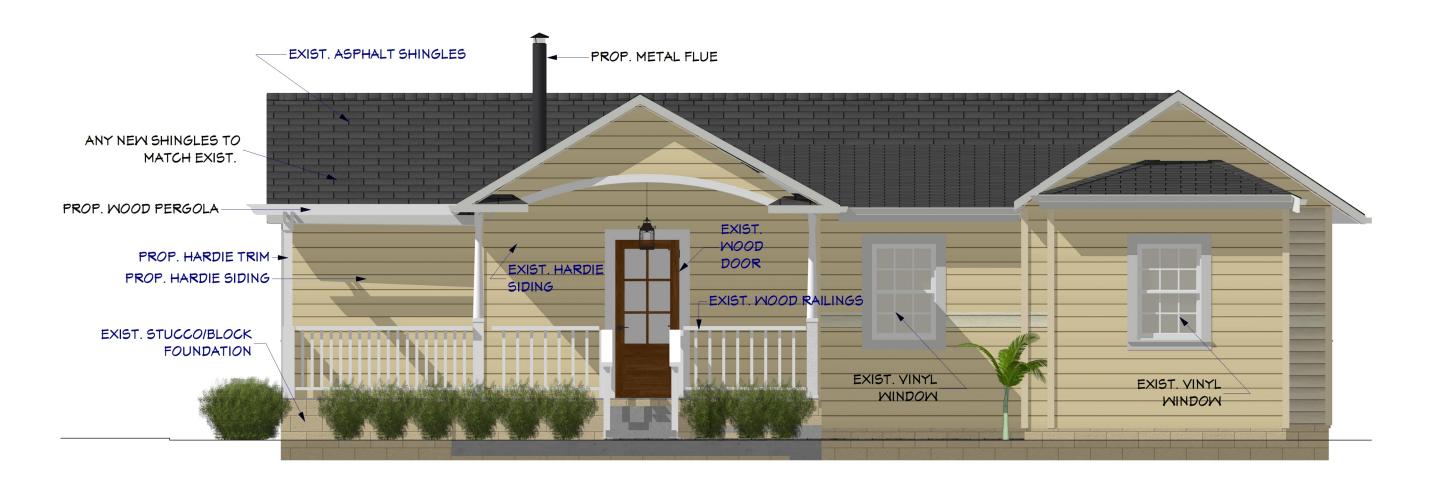
Existing Front Elevation



Proposed Front Elevation



Existing Right Elevation



Proposed Right Elevation

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10/22/2025Joseph HoffheimerDate(for Hillsborough Planning Department)

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|------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|-------|-----------|
| 9874270893 | NORDAN      | CHARLES ELDON | ROSEBAUGH   | NANCY LOUISE | 225 THOMAS RUFFI  | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 272782118 |
| 9874271616 | SADGROVE    | MATTHEW P     | SADGROVE    | CHERYL J     | 229 E QUEEN ST    | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874273524 | FARLOW      | BRADLEY W     | FARLOW      | PHYLLIS R    | 212 THOMAS RUFFI  | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 272782119 |
| 9874273610 | IRISH       | JAMES         | IRISH       | BRIDGET      | 216 LYDIA LN      | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874274635 | WHICKER     | WF            |             |              | 309 SAINT MARYS R | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874274715 | NELSON      | MARTHA C      | TROST       | WILLIAM T    | 222 THOMAS RUFFI  | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874274818 | MAYHEW      | ANNA JEAN     | MARGOT      | JEAN MICHEL  | 226 LYDIA LN      | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874276581 | AURANTEAN F |               |             |              | 733 GIMGHOUL RD   | CHAPEL HILL  | NC    | 27514     |
| 9874276695 | AURANTEAN F |               |             |              | 733 GIMGHOUL RD   | CHAPEL HILL  | NC    | 27514     |
| 9874276885 | AURANTEAN F |               |             |              | 733 GIMGHOUL RD   | CHAPEL HILL  | NC    | 27514     |



#### ITEM #7. C:

Address: 225 E. Corbin St.

Year Built: late 1890s, c. 1956

#### **Historic Inventory Information (2013)**

This quaint one-and-a-half-story, hip-roofed, Queen Anne-style building of was constructed in the late 1890s as the carriage house for the neighboring Sans Souci. The original block is three bays wide and double-pile with weatherboards and six-over-six wood-sash windows on the first-floor level and wood shingles with six-light windows at the upper level. It has an interior brick chimney and one of two six-panel doors on the east elevation has a classical surround with fluted pilasters. A front-gabled wall dormer centered on the east elevation has a pair of two-light French doors and is flanked by arched six-light windows. A one-story, hip-roofed brick wing was added to the north elevation around 1956 when the building was converted to a residence. It has a diamond-paned double-hung wood-sash window on the west elevation, a nine-light-over-two-panel door on the east elevation, and an exterior brick chimney on the north elevation. An uncovered brick terrace extends across the east elevation of both sections. County tax records date the building to 1956, likely when it was converted to a residence and the brick wing was added.

#### **Proposed work**

• Replace nine wood windows with wood-based composite windows.

#### **Application materials**

- COA application
- Narrative
- Description
- Proposed windows
- Photos of existing windows
- Materials list

#### **Applicable Design Standards**

• Windows: 1-6

#### Staff Comments

- The existing wood windows date to 1957, which is old enough to be considered historic.
- The minor works standards were recently relaxed to allow deteriorated wood windows
  to be replaced with substitute materials on side and rear elevations. Even though the
  building in question does not front the street, several of the windows may be considered
  character-defining so require HDC review.

# TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH

#### **APPLICATION**

## **Certificate of Appropriateness and Minor Works**

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|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| Orange County Parcel ID Number   | Zoning District  |  | Address of Project  |   |  |
| Stephanie King/Keith Bunten/Renewal  | by Andersen  | Susan Montp  | etit  |   |  |
| Applicant Name   |  |  | er (if different than   | applicant)  |  |
| 4250 Regency Drive   |  | 225 E Corbi  |   | ,   |  |
| Applicant's Mailing Address  |  |  | er's Mailing Address  | c   |  |
| Greensboro, NC 27410   |  |  |   | 5   |  |
| City, State ZIP  |  | Hillsborough, City, State ZIP  | NC 27278  |   |  |
|  |  |  |   |   |  |
| 336-660-3811 (Stephanie) 919-522-9384 (Keith)  |  | 919-616-674  |   |   |  |
| Applicant Phone Number   |  | Property Owne  | r's Phone Number  |   |  |
| stephanie.king@andersencorp.com Keith.Bunten@ande  | ersencorp.com  | Sue@tcrnc.co   | om  |   |  |
| Applicant's Email  | 40   | Property Owne  | r's Email   |   |  |
| Description of Proposed Work: Propose  | d replacement of   | of Nine window   | vs  |   |  |
| Estimated Cost of Construction: \$ 32,850  | )  |  |   |   |  |
| The Historic District Design Standards, Exte<br>application process can be found on the To   | erior Materials Con<br>own of Hillsborougi   | npatibility Matrix<br>h's website: http:   | k, and Certificate of<br>s://www.hillsborou   | f Appropriateness ahnc.aov/hdc.                                       |  |
| Applicant and Owner Acknowledgment and I am aware that Historic District Design State Development Ordinance requirements are and I certify that I, and/or my design profes with Planning Staff for compliance to the state representative, must attend the HDC meet town employees and/or commissioners may conditions, and to assist them in making evany commissioner about my project until the state of | nd Certification andards, Exterior N the criteria by wh essional under my c tandards in those a ting where this app ay need access to r vidence-based deci | laterials Compatich my proposal lirection, have readopted docume lication will be runy property with | ibility Matrix, and L<br>will be evaluated for<br>eviewed my applica<br>ents. I understand the<br>eviewed. I further L<br>a reasonable notice<br>lication and that La | Unified or compatibility, tion materials hat I, or my understand that |  |
| Applicant's Signature (Optional) Date  | Susan M<br>Prope   | iontpetit (Oct 7, 2025 09:41:1<br>erty Owner's Sign  | nature (Required)   | 10/07/2025<br>Date  |  |

Last revised: December 2023

#### **Submittal Requirements**

The following documents and plans are required to accompany your COA application in order for it to be deemed complete and scheduled for commission review. Planning staff will determine when all submittal requirements have been met. The first FOUR complete COA applications submitted by the deadline will be heard on any HDC agenda.

| Alla | applications must include the following documents and plans:   |
|------|--|
| (Pro | ovide a digital copy if plans are larger than 11"x17")   |
|      | Detailed narrative describing the proposed work and how it complies with all adopted standards.  Existing and Proposed Dimensioned Plans (see below):  Site Plan (if changing building footprint or adding new structures, impervious areas or site features, including hardscaping)  Scaled Architectural Plans (if changing building footprint or new construction)  |
|      | and the state of t |
|      | <ul> <li>Scaled Elevations (if adding or changing reatures of a structure)</li> <li>Landscaping Plans (required for all new construction and for significant landscaping or tree removal and re-planting)</li> </ul>   |
|      | <ul> <li>Tree Survey (required for new construction when trees over 12" diameter at breast height are on site -<br/>show both existing and those to be removed)</li> </ul>   |
|      | Sign Specifications (if adding, changing, or replacing signage)  |
|      | Itemized list of existing and proposed exterior materials including photos and specifications, colors, etc.  (Siding, trim and fascia, roof and foundation materials, windows, shutters, awnings, doors, porch and deck  |
|      | flooring, handrails, columns, patios, walkways, driveways, fences and walls, and signs, etc.).   |
|      | Photographs, material samples, examples of comparable properties in the district (if using them as basis for specific designs), plans, or drawings that will help to clarify the proposal, if applicable, or if required by staff as   |
|      | part of the review.  |

#### Staff Use Only:

| COA fee (\$1 per \$1000 of construction costs<br>Minor Works fee (\$1 per \$1000 of construct |                               | Amount: \$            |  |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| ☐ After-the-fact application (\$300):   |                               | Amount: \$            |  |
|   |                               | Total Due: \$         |  |
| Receipt #: Rece   | ived by:                      | Date:                 |  |
| This application meets all Unified Developme for compliance with all approved materials.      | nt Ordinance requirements     | and has been reviewed |  |
| □ N/A □ Yes   | Zoning Officer:               |                       |  |
| This application meets public space division re   | equirements.                  |                       |  |
| □ N/A □ Yes Pub   | ic Space Manger:              |                       |  |
| Historic Architectural Inventory Information  |                               |                       |  |
| Original date of Construction:  |                               |                       |  |
| Description of the Property:  |                               |                       |  |
| Applicable Design Standards:  Other reviews needed?  Hillsborough Zoning Compliance Permit    | □ Orange County Building      | p Permit □ Other      |  |
| Minor Works Certificate of Appropriateness A  |                               | other                 |  |
| ☐ Approved ☐ Referred to HDC  | ppiication becision           |                       |  |
| Minor Works Reference(s):   |                               |                       |  |
| Certificate of Appropriateness Decision  ☐ Approved ☐ Denied                                  | Commission Vote:              |                       |  |
| Conditions or Modifications (if applicable):  |                               |                       |  |
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|   |                               |                       |  |
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|   | Historic District Staff Signa | oture Date            |  |

## Town of Hillsborough COA Minor Works Application - Filled

Final Audit Report 2025-10-07

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**To:** Hillsborough Historic District

**Customer:** Susan Montpetit

Address: 225 E Corbin Street, Hillsborough, NC 27278

#### **Project Narrative:**

The proposed project would replace Nine existing windows in the home. The existing windows are all 1957 era wood windows. These windows will be replaced with Andersen Double-Hung and Picture wood based composite windows with the same wood based composite L-trim. In keeping with the aesthetics and value of historical construction, Andersen wood based composite windows have a mortise and tenon joint construction and will be in the same white exterior/interior finish color as the original. (No coil or cladding will be used on the exterior.)

As per standard 6 in the Windows section of the Hillsborough Historic District Design Standards, a compatible material will be used in these replacement windows and will be energy efficient. The replacement windows will respect the dimension, color, pattern, and other visual qualities of the windows original to the building. Andersen's wood based composite windows have been approved in multiple historic districts across the state and are constructed to replicate the historical character of the originally constructed windows and the historic aesthetics of the home.

This window replacement project will not compromise the building's architectural integrity (standard 8). There will be no introduction or elimination of historic window openings. The new windows in this project will be custom built to fit into the current window openings of the home.

To retain the historic character of the home, the new windows will retain the same distinctive colonial style and specialty style grille pattern as the current windows with a fully divided light grille style (per standard 7). The exterior grille will be the wood based composite while the interior will be white painted wood grilles.



**To:** Hillsborough Historic District

**Customer:** Susan Montpetit

Address: 225 E Corbin Street, Hillsborough, NC 27278

#### **Compliance Statement:**

The home is designated as a Contributing structure/property. To maintain the historical value, we will be replacing the windows with a wood composite frame with a mortise and tenon joint construction. The windows will also contain the same distinctive colonial and specialty grille patterns as the original windows to retain the value and aesthetics of historical construction.

#### **Project Description:**

We propose to replace Nine existing windows in our home. These windows will be replaced with Andersen Double-Hung and Picture wood based composite windows with the same wood based composite L-trim. In keeping with the aesthetics and value of historical construction, Andersen wood based composite windows have a mortise and tenon joint construction and will be in the same white exterior/interior finish color as the original. (No coil or cladding will be used on the exterior.)

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Andersen windows are constructed to replicate the historical character of the originally constructed windows and the historic aesthetics of the home.



#### **Living Room Windows:**

The Two living room windows will be  $(34-1/2" \times 54")$  double-hung windows with Base Frames. These windows will have a colonial  $3w \times 2h$  grille pattern. In keeping with the existing windows, both the Exterior and the Interior will be white. These windows will be placed in the exact same position as the existing windows.

Pictured below is a rendering of what the new windows will look like



Units 101, 102 Exterior



Units 101, 102 sideview with divided light visual



#### **Dining Room Window:**

The One dining room window will be a  $(34-1/2" \times 54")$  double-hung window with Base Frame. This window will have a colonial  $3w \times 2h$  grille pattern. In keeping with the existing window, both the Exterior and the Interior will be white. This window will be placed in the exact same position as the existing window.

Pictured below is a rendering of what the new window will look like.



**Unit 103 Exterior** 



Units 103 sideview with divided light visual



#### **Hallway Window:**

The One hallway window will be a  $(34-1/2" \times 29-1/4")$  picture window with Base Frame. This window will have a colonial  $3w \times 2h$  grille pattern. In keeping with the existing window, both the Exterior and the Interior will be white. This window will be placed in the exact same position as the existing window.

Pictured below is a rendering of what the new window will look like.



**Unit 105 Exterior** 



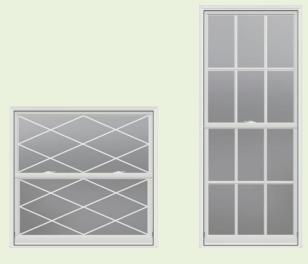
Units 105 sideview with divided light visual

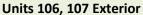


#### **Kitchen Windows:**

The Two kitchen windows will be one (39-1/2" X 37-1/4") double-hung window with Base Frame. This window will have a specialty 12 over 12 diamond like grille pattern (matching the existing pattern). The second kitchen window will be a (27-1/2" X 64-3/4") double-hung window with Base Frame. This window will have a colonial 3w x 2h grille pattern. In keeping with the existing windows, both the Exterior and the Interior will be white. These windows will be placed in the exact same position as the existing windows.

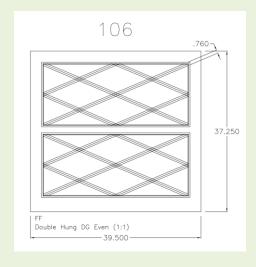
Pictured below is a rendering of what the new windows will look like







Unit 107 sideview with divided light visual





#### **Primary Bathroom Window:**

The One primary bathroom window will be a (27-1/2" X 37-1/4") double-hung window with Base Frame. This window will have a colonial 3w x 2h grille pattern. In keeping with the existing window, both the Exterior and the Interior will be white. This window will be placed in the exact same position as the existing window.

Pictured below is a rendering of what the new window will look like.



**Unit 108 Exterior** 



Units 108 sideview with divided light visual



#### **Primary Bedroom Windows:**

The Two primary bedroom windows will be one  $(33-1/2" \times 27-1/4")$  picture window with Base Frame and one  $(34-1/2" \times 53-3/4")$  double-hung window with Base Frame. These windows will have a colonial  $3w \times 2h$  grille pattern. In keeping with the existing windows, both the Exterior and the Interior will be white. These windows will be placed in the exact same position as the existing windows.

Pictured below is a rendering of what the new windows will look like.



Unit 109, 110 Exterior



Units 109, 110 sideview with divided light visual

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## **Existing Windows:**











































































## **Materials Checklist**

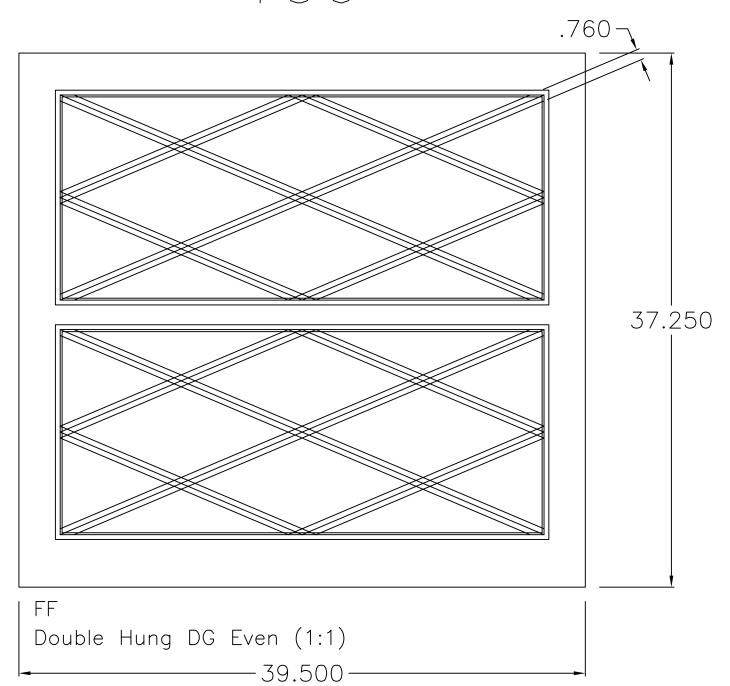
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225 E Corbin St. Hillsborough, NC 27278

| Year Built: 1879 |   |
|------------------|---|
| H: (919)616-6746 | ó |

| CATEGORY  | DESCRIPTION  | QUANTITY |  |  |  |
|---|--|----------|--|--|--|
| This list includes the sum total all of the materials for the entire job. |  |          |  |  |  |
| EQUIPMENT   | Lead Kit   | 1 Kit    |  |  |  |
| EXTERIOR TRIM   | LTX544PRF Primed Pine 5/4 x 4 x 16'                  | 1 x 16ft |  |  |  |
| INSTALL MATERIAL  | Andersen Branded Flashing Tape 4"                    | 3 Rolls  |  |  |  |
| INSTALL MATERIAL  | CAULK CLEAR/TRANSLUCENT 10oz (Silicone DO NOT PAINT) | 9 Tubes  |  |  |  |
| INSTALL MATERIAL  | CAULK WHITE 10oz (Hybrid Paintable)                  | 18 Tubes |  |  |  |
| INSTALL MATERIAL  | Spray Foam Insulation                                | 3 Cans   |  |  |  |
| INSTALL MATERIAL  | L- Trim WHITE 12'                                    | 18 PCSs  |  |  |  |

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I, Joseph Hoffheimer, hereby certify that all property owners within 100 feet of and the owners of <a href="PIN 9874189986">PIN 9874189986</a> (the affected property) have been sent a letter of notification of the Certificate of Appropriateness application before the Historic District Commission by first class mail in accordance with the Hillsborough Zoning Ordinance.

10/22/2025Joseph HoffheimerDate(for Hillsborough Planning Department)

| PIN        | OWNER1_LAS | OWNER1_FIRST  | OWNER2_LA | OWNER2_  | ADDRESS1        | CITY         | STATE | ZIPCODE   |
|------------|------------|---------------|-----------|----------|-----------------|--------------|-------|-----------|
| 9874188897 | DULA       | THOMAS HUNTER |           |          | PO BOX 102      | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 272780102 |
| 9874188956 | DULA       | THOMAS H      | DULA      | HARRY S  | PO BOX 102      | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 272780222 |
| 9874189986 | MONTPETIT  | MICHAEL G     | MONTPETIT | SUSAN A  | 107 CARNIE CT   | CARY         | NC    | 27513     |
| 9874199241 | YOUNGER    | CLIFFORD A    | YOUNGER   | BARBARA  | 502 MITCHELL ST | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874280836 | KOVAL      | DAVID J       | KOVAL     | STACEY R | 416 MITCHELL ST | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874282611 | MCKEE      | H CARLTON JR  | MCKEE     | SARA LOU | 225 CAINE ST    | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |
| 9874290242 | SHAW       | DUNCAN        | SHAW      | JENNIFER | 224 E CORBIN ST | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278     |



## ITEM #7. D:

Address: 217 S. Occoneechee St.

**Year Built:** c. 1936, 2011

# **Historic Inventory Information (2013)**

This two-story, I-house is three bays wide and single-pile with a one-story, gabled ell at the right rear (southeast). The house has rolled asphalt sheathing, two-over-two wood-sash windows, a 5V metal roof, and one-to-six common bond exterior brick chimneys in the gables, each flanked by one-over-one windows. The double-leaf two-light-over-two-panel entrance has boarded-up one-light-over-one-panel sidelights and is sheltered by a near-full-width, shed-roofed porch supported by tapered wood posts on brick piers. There is an enclosed porch at the left rear (northeast) and the rear ell has German-profile weatherboards. Bellinger dates the house to 1912.

# **Proposed work**

- Repair house
- Remove rear corner additions
- Replace rear roof with new standing seam roof

# **Application materials**

- COA application
- Existing site photos
- Narrative
- Material matrix
- Existing and proposed elevations

# **Applicable Design Standards**

• *Wood:* 1-10

Exterior Walls: 1-11
Windows: 1-5, 8
Doors: 1-5, 8
Roofs: 1-7, 12

# **Staff Comments**

- This application is being made to comply with an order to repair for an active demolition by neglect case.
- The inventory does not provide an age for the existing rear roof, rear additions, or Bricktex siding. These are not original to the building but are old enough to be considered historic.
- Aside from what is described in the application, staff have not found any documentation of the building's second evolution.

# TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH

# **APPLICATION**

# **Certificate of Appropriateness and Minor Works**

Planning and Economic Development Division 101 E. Orange St., PO Box 429, Hillsborough, NC 27278 919-296-9470 | Fax: 919-644-2390 planning@hillsboroughnc.gov www.hillsboroughnc.gov

| 9864850633  | R-20  | 217 S Occoneechee St  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| Orange County Parcel ID Number TAYLOR HALL, ROBBIN & HALL WIL   | Zoning District   | Address of Project  |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant Name  |   | Property Owner (if different than applicant)  |  |  |  |  |
| 209 S Occoneechee St  |   |   |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant's Mailing Address   |   | Property Owner's Mailing Address  |  |  |  |  |
| Hillsborough, NC 27278  |   |   |  |  |  |  |
| City, State ZIP   |   | City, State ZIP   |  |  |  |  |
| 919-906-0573 (919)90<br>Applicant Phone Number  | 16-0638   |   |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant Phone Number  |   | Property Owner's Phone Number   |  |  |  |  |
| robbintaylorhall@gmail.co   | m   |   |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant's Email   |   | Property Owner's Email  |  |  |  |  |
| Description of Proposed Work:   | se, remove rear corr  | ner additions, replace rear roof w/ standing seam roof  |  |  |  |  |
| Estimated Cost of Construction: \$ \$200  | ,000  |   |  |  |  |  |
|   |   | npatibility Matrix, and Certificate of Appropriateness<br>'s website: https://www.hillsboroughnc.gov/hdc.   |  |  |  |  |
| and I certify that I, and/or my design profe<br>with Planning Staff for compliance to the s<br>representative, must attend the HDC mee<br>town employees and/or commissioners m | andards, Exterior Me the criteria by whice the criteria by whice sional under my detandards in those a ting where this appay need access to roidence-based deci | ch my proposal will be evaluated for compatibility, lirection, have reviewed my application materials adopted documents. I understand that I, or my lication will be reviewed. I further understand that my property with reasonable notice to assess current sions on my application and that I am not to speak to |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant's Signature (Optional) Date   | Propo   | Ploubfall 10 · 1 · 25<br>erty Owner/s Signature (Required) Date   |  |  |  |  |

# **Submittal Requirements**

The following documents and plans are required to accompany your COA application in order for it to be deemed complete and scheduled for commission review. Planning staff will determine when all submittal requirements have been met. The first FOUR complete COA applications submitted by the deadline will be heard on any HDC agenda.

| All : | applications must include the following documents and plans:   |
|-------|--|
| (Pro  | ovide a digital copy if plans are larger than 11"x17")   |
|       |  |
|       | Detailed narrative describing the proposed work and how it complies with all adopted standards.  |
|       | Existing and Proposed Dimensioned Plans (see below):   |
|       | • Site Plan (if changing building footprint or adding new structures, impervious areas or site features, including hardscaping)  |
|       | Scaled Architectural Plans (if changing building footprint or new construction)  |
|       | Scaled Elevations (if adding or changing features of a structure)  |
|       | • Landscaping Plans (required for all new construction and for significant landscaping or tree removal and re-planting)  |
|       | • Tree Survey (required for new construction when trees over 12" diameter at breast height are on site - show both existing and those to be removed)   |
|       | Sign Specifications (if adding, changing, or replacing signage)  |
|       | Itemized list of existing and proposed exterior materials including photos and specifications, colors, etc.  |
|       | (Siding, trim and fascia, roof and foundation materials, windows, shutters, awnings, doors, porch and deck   |
|       | flooring, handrails, columns, patios, walkways, driveways, fences and walls, and signs, etc.).   |
|       | Photographs, material samples, examples of comparable properties in the district (if using them as basis for specific designs), plans, or drawings that will help to clarify the proposal, if applicable, or if required by staff as part of the review. |
|       | part of the review.  |

# Introduction

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View of front door and sidelights (to be retained)

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View from S. Occoneechee Street looking Northeast



View from S. Occoneechee Street looking Southeast



View of north side looking south



View of north side and rear looking Southwest



View of rear looking west



Closeup view of south side of latest addition

# **Project**

The homeowners are proposing to restore the home to what we surmise to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> evolution of the house by removing the asphalt siding, restoring the wood siding, windows, doors, roof, foundation as necessary. Also, they are proposing to remove the more contemporary rear porch on the northeast and the addition on the southeast. As part of this renovation the rear steeply pitched hip roof will be replaced with a low-pitched standing seam (no striations) hip roof to expose the original rear window which is on the interior stair landing. As part of the renovation, where the additions were removed, they are proposing aluminum clad SDL windows with Hardie trim. New asphalt shingles and 5V will be replaced in kind.

# Landscaping

No trees will be removed, and no new plantings are proposed at this time.

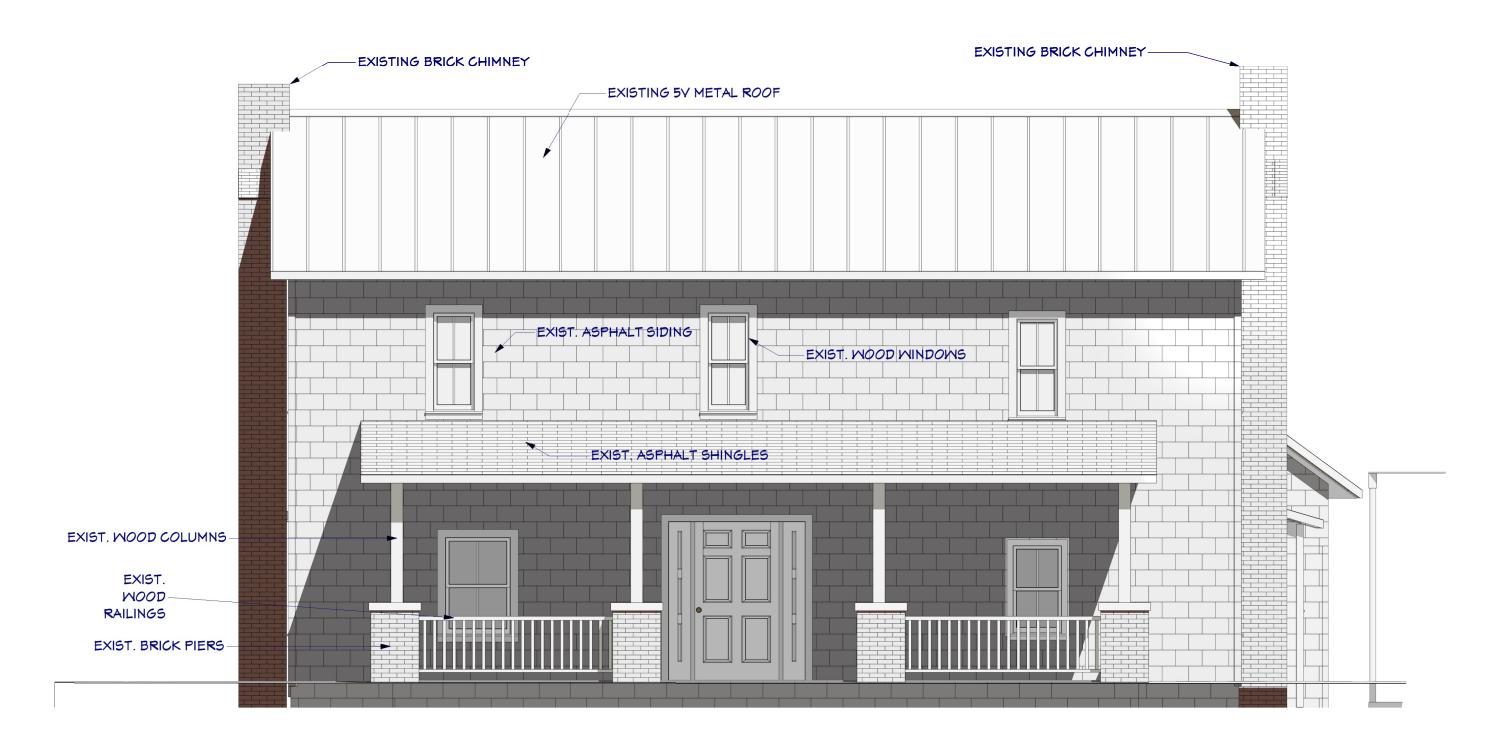
# Lighting

No new lighting is proposed.

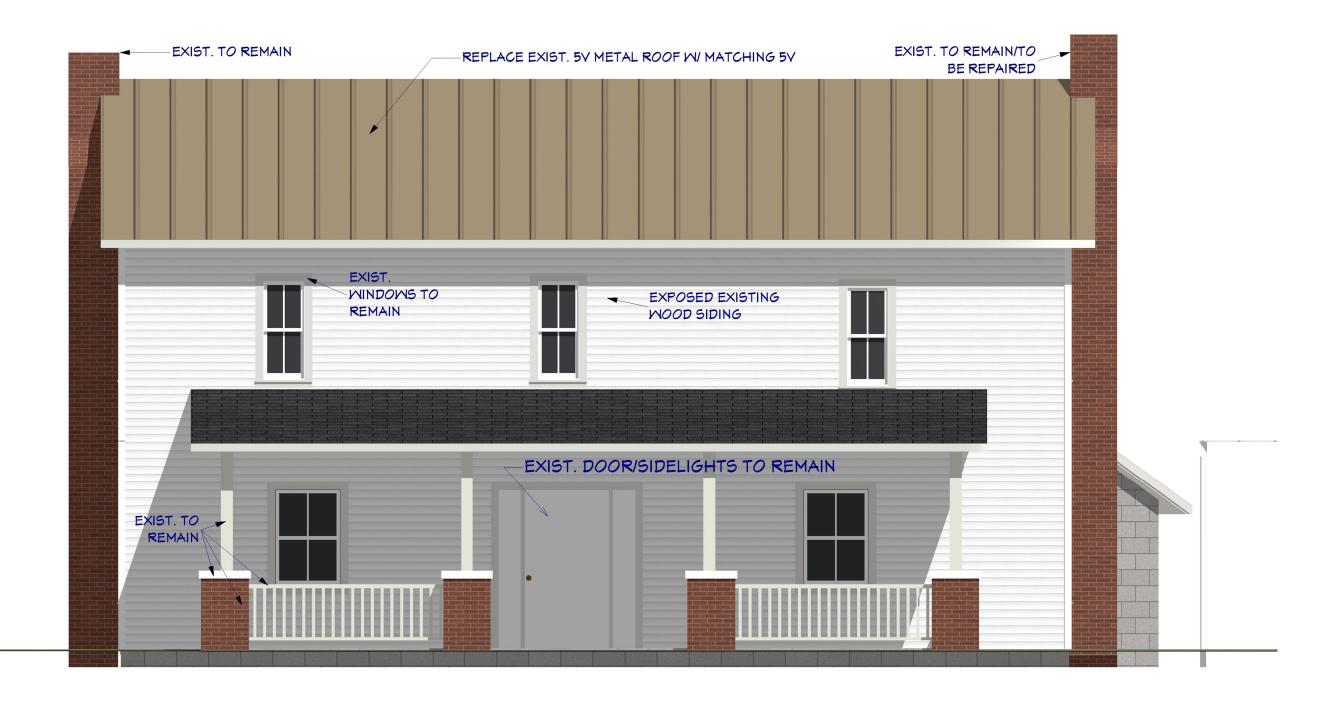
### Material matrix

| Item                 | Proposed material(s)                | Color             |  |  |  |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|
| siding               | Wood                                | To match existing |  |  |  |
| trim                 | Wood (front), Hardie (rear)         | To match existing |  |  |  |
| fascia               | Wood (front), Hardie (rear)         | To match existing |  |  |  |
|                      | Shingles (front), 5V (front/rear) & |                   |  |  |  |
| roof (repairs)       | standing seam (rear hip)            | To match existing |  |  |  |
|                      | No change                           |                   |  |  |  |
| foundation materials | (stone/block/stucco/brick)          | To match existing |  |  |  |
| windows              | Aluminum clad SDL                   | To match existing |  |  |  |
| shutters             | No change                           | N/A               |  |  |  |
| awnings              | none                                | N/A               |  |  |  |
| Railings             | No change                           | N/A               |  |  |  |
| walkways             | No change                           | N/A               |  |  |  |
| driveways            | No change                           | N/A               |  |  |  |
| fences               | No change                           | N/A               |  |  |  |

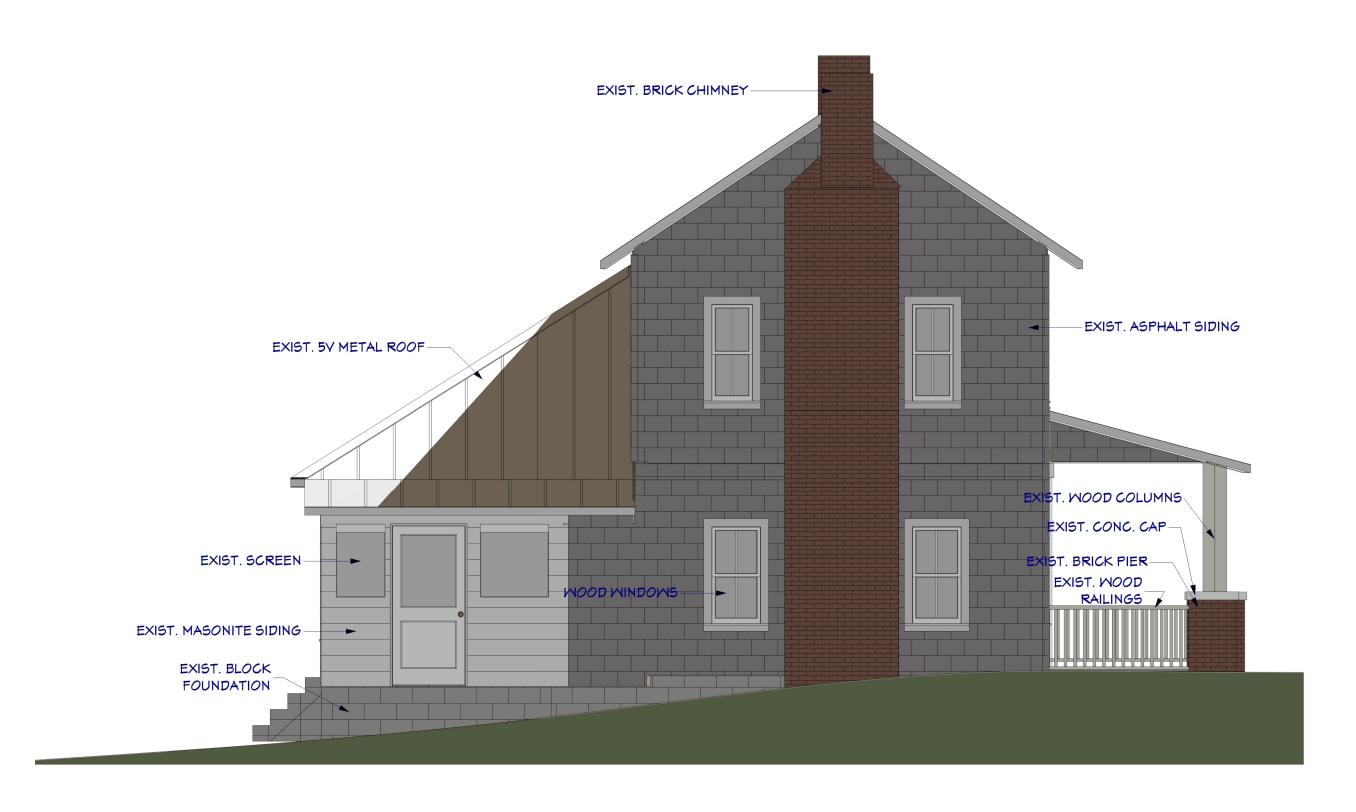
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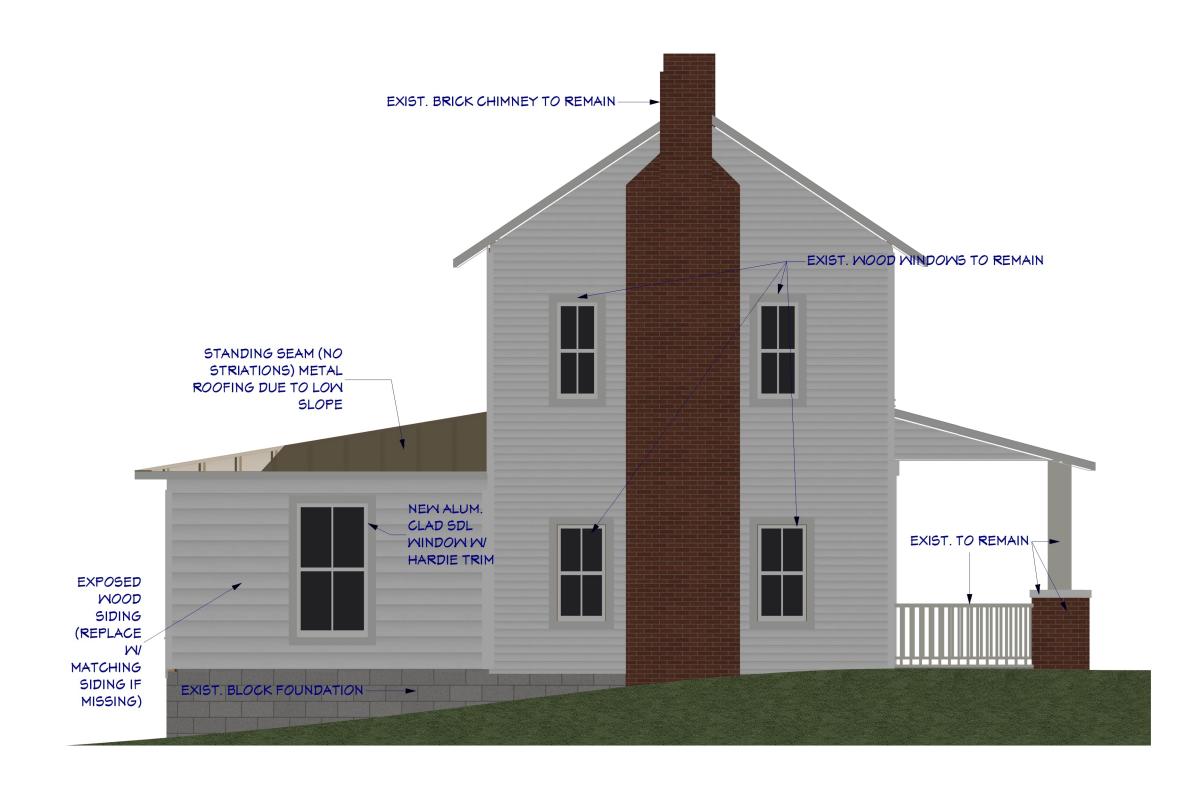
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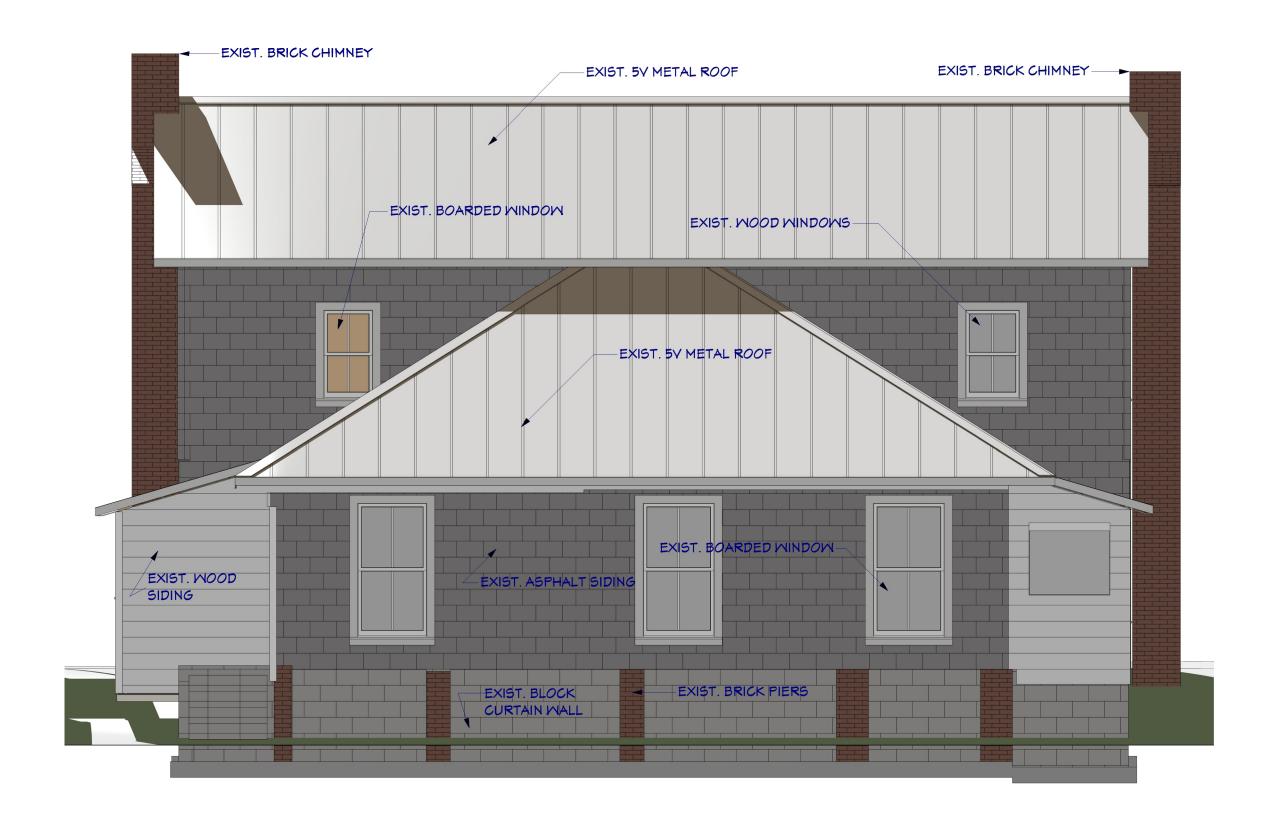
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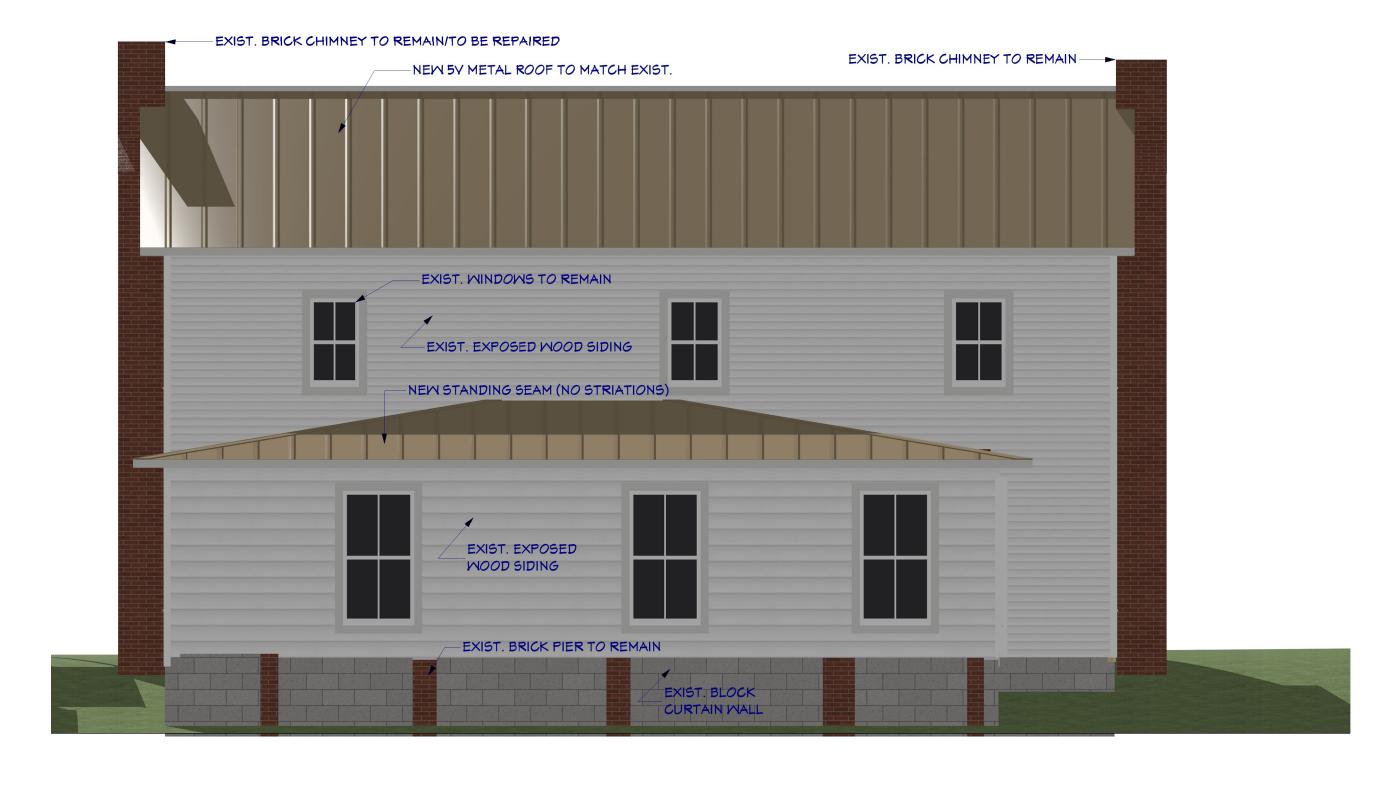
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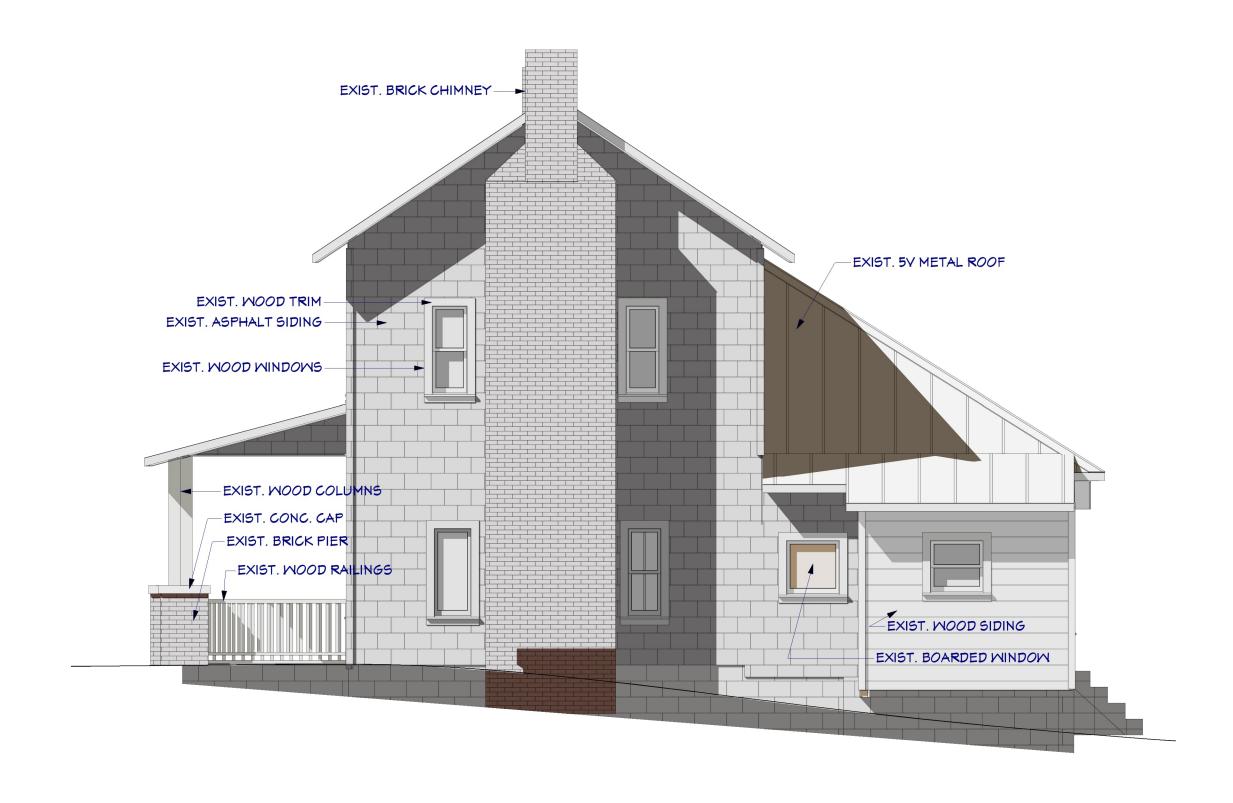
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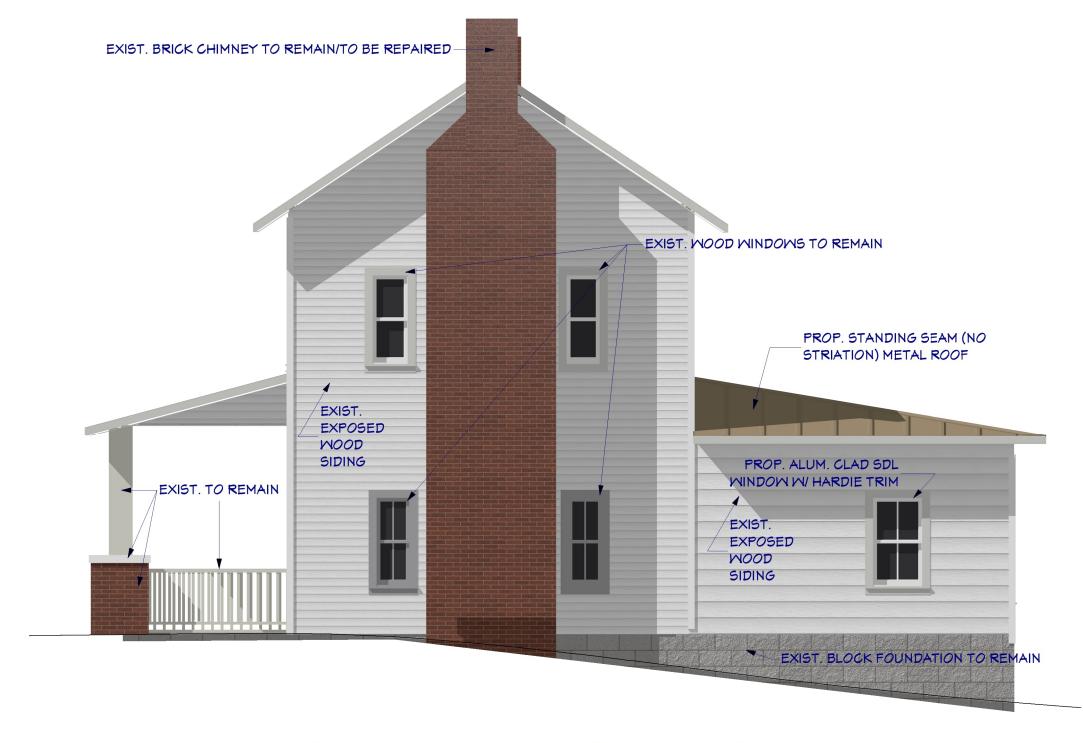
Existing Exterior Elevation Back



Proposed Exterior Elevation Back



Existing Exterior Elevation Right



Proposed Exterior Elevation Right





Front Perspective

Rear Perspective

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| 9864755143 | NORTH CARO  | COMPANY               |          |              | 2809 HIGHWOODS   |           | RALEIGH      | NC    | 27604   |
| 9864756746 | HILLSBOROUG | OF                    |          |              | PO BOX 429       | PUBLIC SP | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864757359 | GARCIA      | <b>CARLOS GONZALE</b> | PACHECO  | ANA GABRIELA | 311 BARTLETT CIR |           | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864757417 | PETERSON    | DOUGLAS C             |          |              | 404 CALVIN ST    |           | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864757505 | ALLORE      | ELISABETH             |          |              | 212 S OCCONEECH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864758285 | LANE        | CAROL MANN S          |          |              | 23031 BRADFORD   |           | CARY         | NC    | 27519   |
| 9864759861 | GOWING      | LINDA GAYLE           |          |              | 201 S OCCONEECH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864850633 | TAYLOR HALL | ROBBIN L              | HALL     | WILLIAM L    | 209 S OCCONEECH  |           | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864850782 | LAING       | CAROL E               | STALFA   | NATHAN LAIN  | PO BOX 456       |           | HILLSBOROUGH | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864851751 | BAYLOR      | BRYAN A               | LONG     | EMILY B      | 321 W MARGARET I |           | Hillsborough | NC    | 27278   |
| 9864855338 | TOWN OF HIL |                       |          |              | PO BOX 429       | PUBLIC SP | Hillsborough | NC    | 27278   |

