

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Minor Variance

You are receiving this notice because you are either:

- Assessed owner of a property located within 60 metres of the subject property
- Applicant/agent on file, or
- Person likely to be interested in this application

APPLICATION	A-24:246	SUBJECT	5 Barnesdale Ave South
NO.:		PROPERTY:	
ZONE:	TOC3 (Transit Oriented	ZONING BY-	Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200,
	Corridor Multiple Residential)	LAW:	as Amended 16-265

APPLICANTS: Owner: Spencer Farrell

Agent: Corbett Land Strategies c/o Alicia Monteith

The following variances are requested:

1. No visitor parking spaces shall be permitted instead of the minimum required two (2) visitor parking spaces.

PURPOSE & EFFECT: To demolish the existing single detached dwelling and construct a new three (3) storey Multiple Dwelling containing five (5) units.

Notes:

- i. The multiple dwelling exceeds the maximum setback from a street line required in Section 11.3.2 a) ii) and therefore can not meet the requirements of 11.3.2 f) ii), a additional two (2) variances are required.
- ii. Please note the eaves and gutters are permitted to encroach 0.6m into any required yard, eaves and gutters were not dimensioned on plan therefore can not determine zoning compliance.
- iii. One (1) accessible parking space is required for the development and is not proposed at this time. Additional variances may be required if compliance cannot be achieved.

This Notice must be posted by the owner of any land which contains seven or more residential units so that it is visible to all residents.

This application will be heard by the Committee as shown below:

DATE:	Thursday, July 17, 2025
TIME:	2:55 p.m.
PLACE:	Via video link or call in (see attached sheet for details)
	City Hall Council Chambers (71 Main St. W., Hamilton)
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PUBLIC INPUT

Written: If you would like to submit written comments to the Committee of Adjustment you may do so via email or hardcopy. Please see attached page for complete instructions, written comments must be received no later than noon July 15, 2025

Orally: If you would like to speak to this item at the hearing you may do so via video link, calling in, or attending in person. Please see attached page for complete instructions, registration to participate virtually must be received no later than noon July 16, 2025

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Subject Lands

DATED: June 30, 2025

Justin Leung, Secretary-Treasurer Committee of Adjustment Information respecting this application is being collected under the authority of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, c. P. 13. All comments and opinions submitted to the City of Hamilton on this matter, including the name, address, and contact information of persons submitting comments and/or opinions, will become part of the public record and will be made available to the Applicant and the general public, and may include posting electronic versions.



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Comments are available the Tuesday prior to the Hearing and are available on our website: www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

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Members of the public are also able to provide oral comments regarding Committee of Adjustment Hearing items by participating Virtually through Webex via computer or phone or by attending the Hearing In-person. Participation Virtually requires pre-registration in advance. Please contact staff for instructions if you wish to make a presentation containing visual materials.

1. Virtual Oral Submissions

Interested members of the public, agents, and owners **must register by noon on the day listed on the Notice of Public Hearing to** participate Virtually.

To register to participate Virtually by Webex either via computer or phone, please contact Committee of Adjustment staff by email cofa@hamilton.ca. The following information is required to register: Committee of Adjustment file number, hearing date, name and mailing address of each person wishing to speak, if participation will be by phone or video, and if applicable the phone number they will be using to call in.

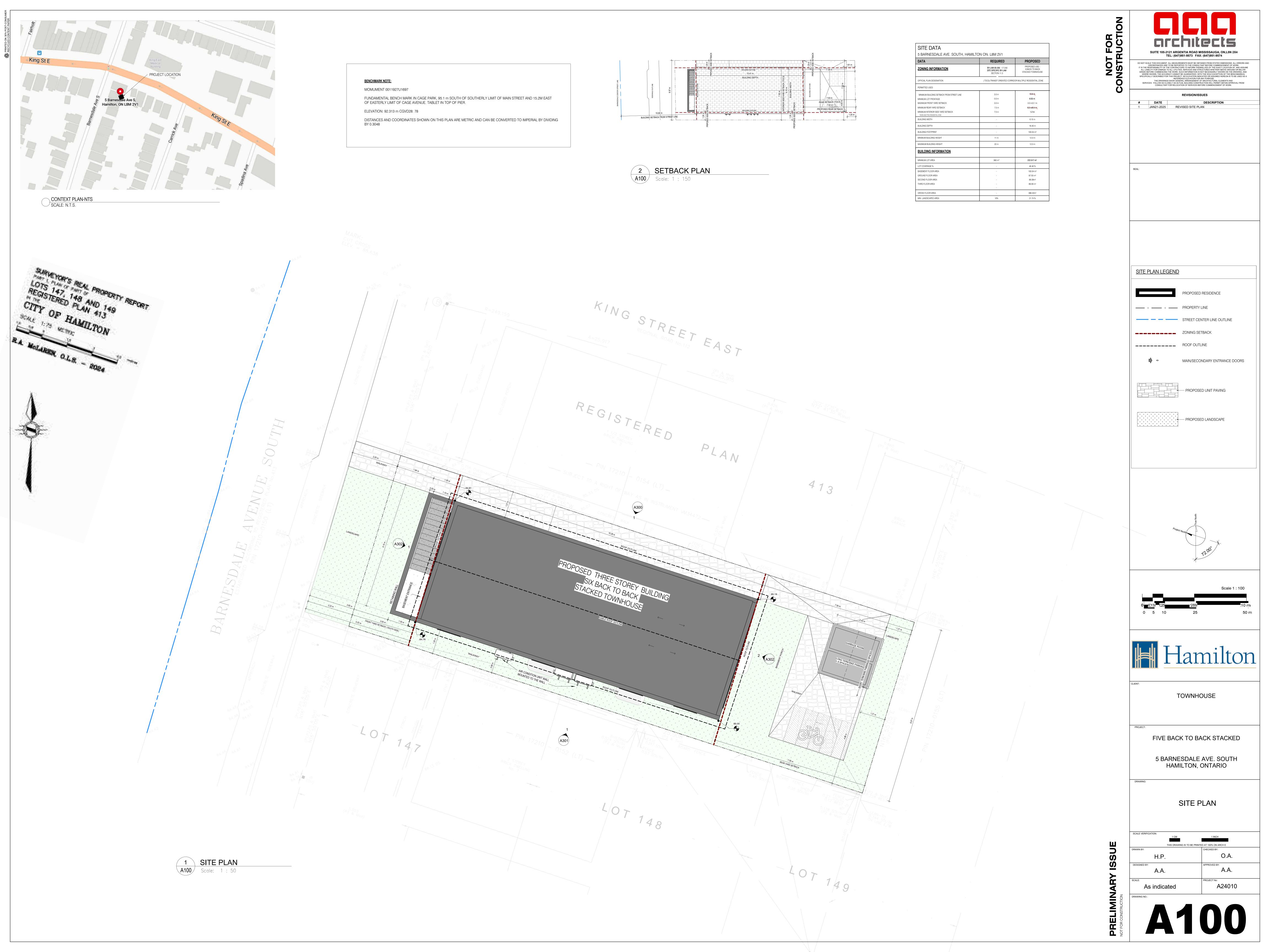
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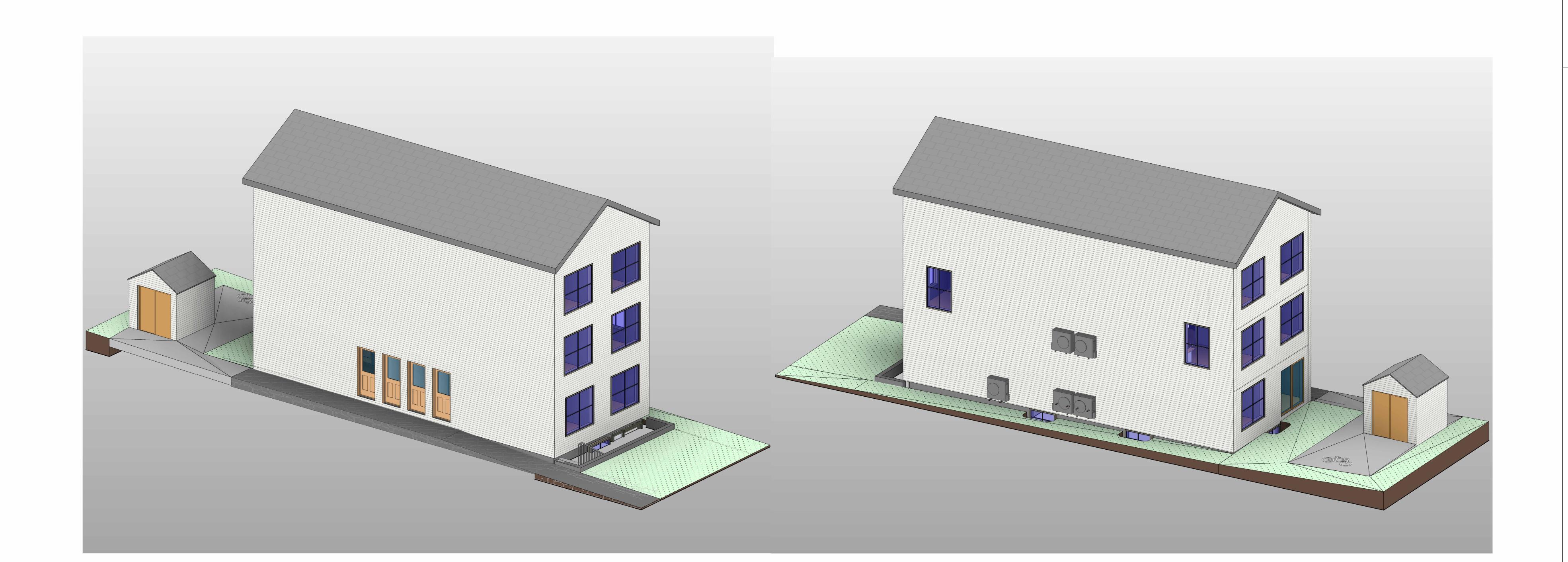
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We hope this is of assistance and if you need clarification or have any questions, please email cofa@hamilton.ca.

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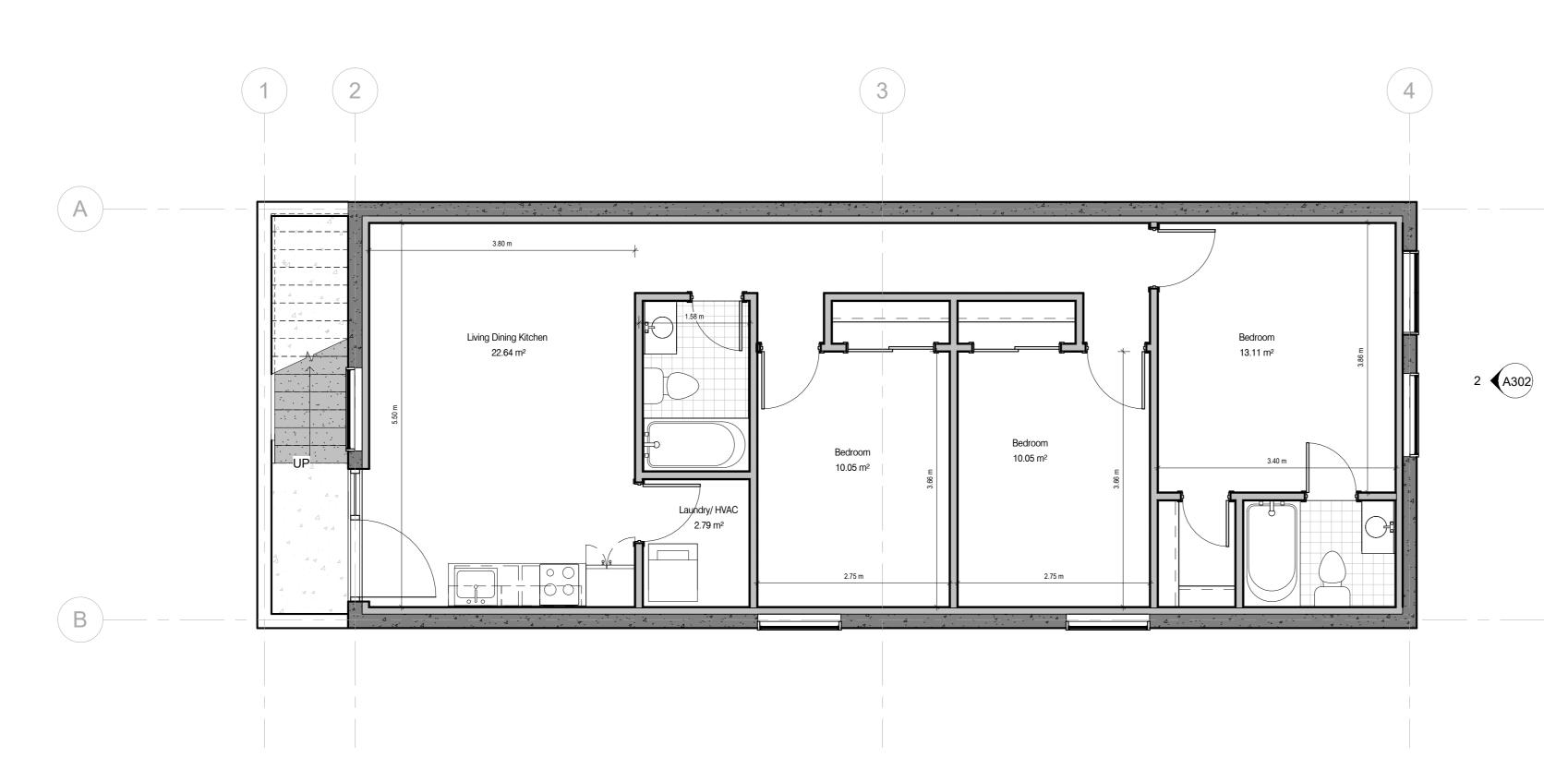
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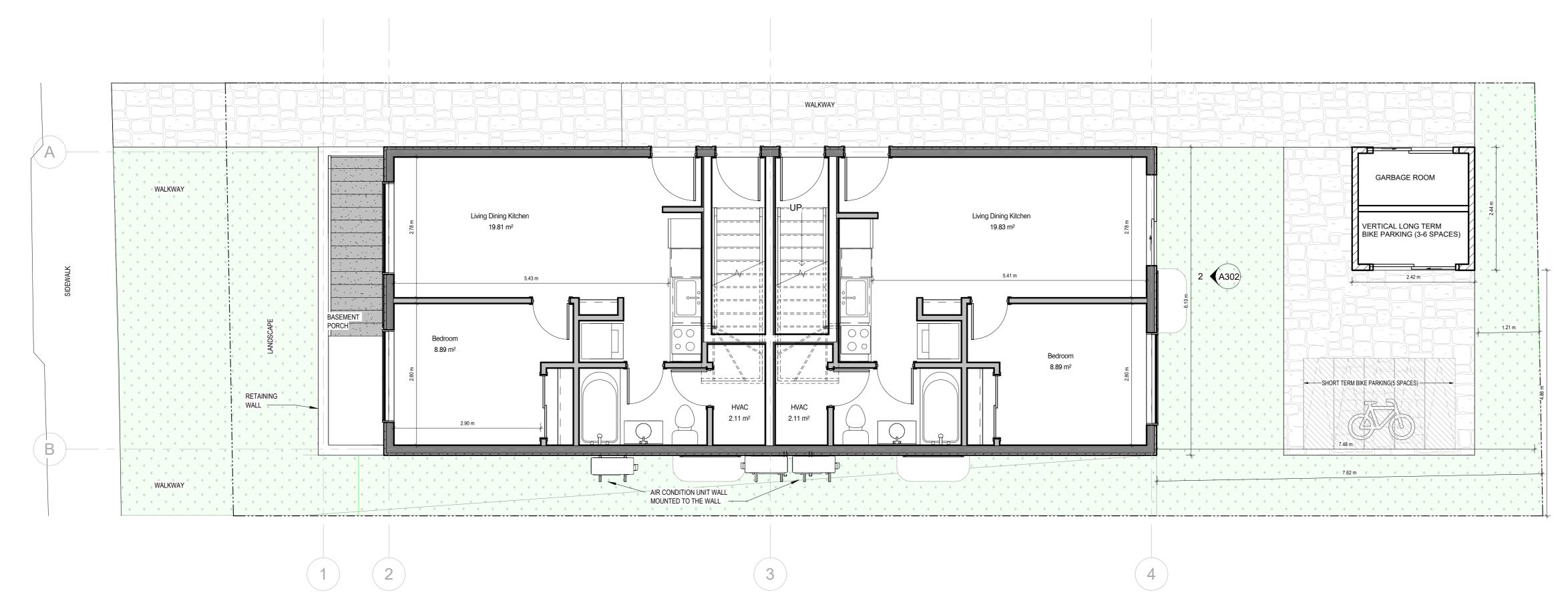
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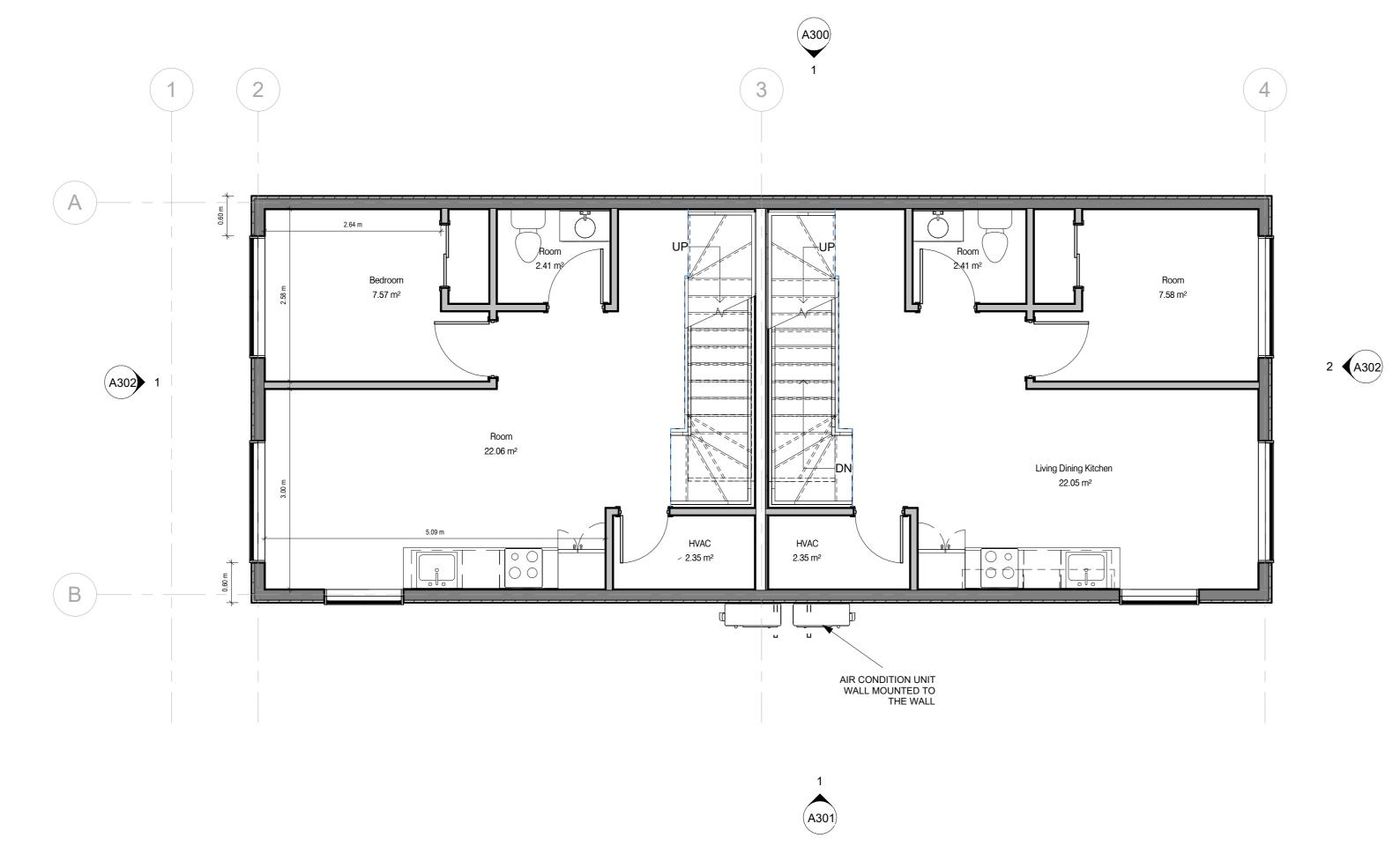
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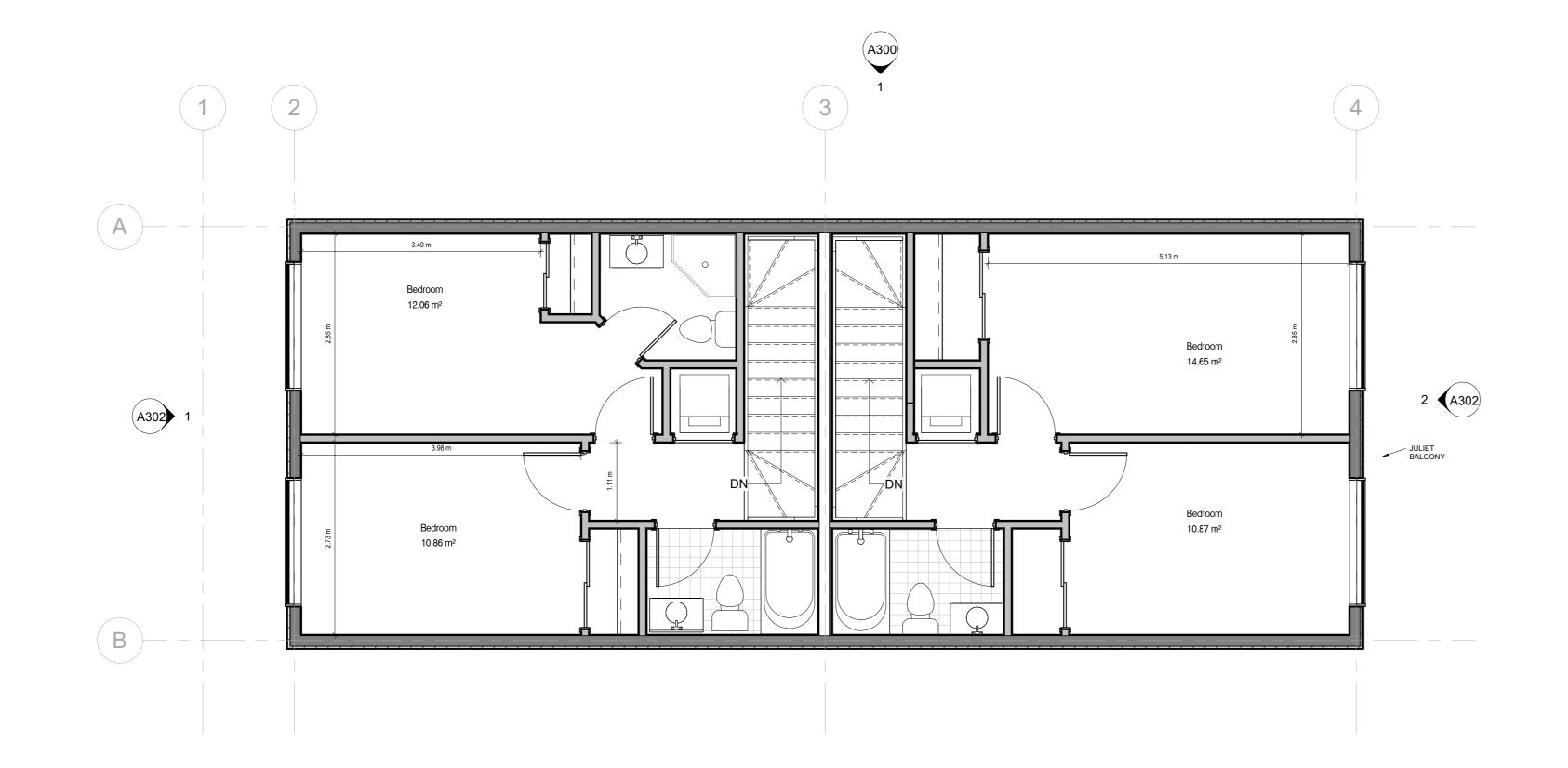
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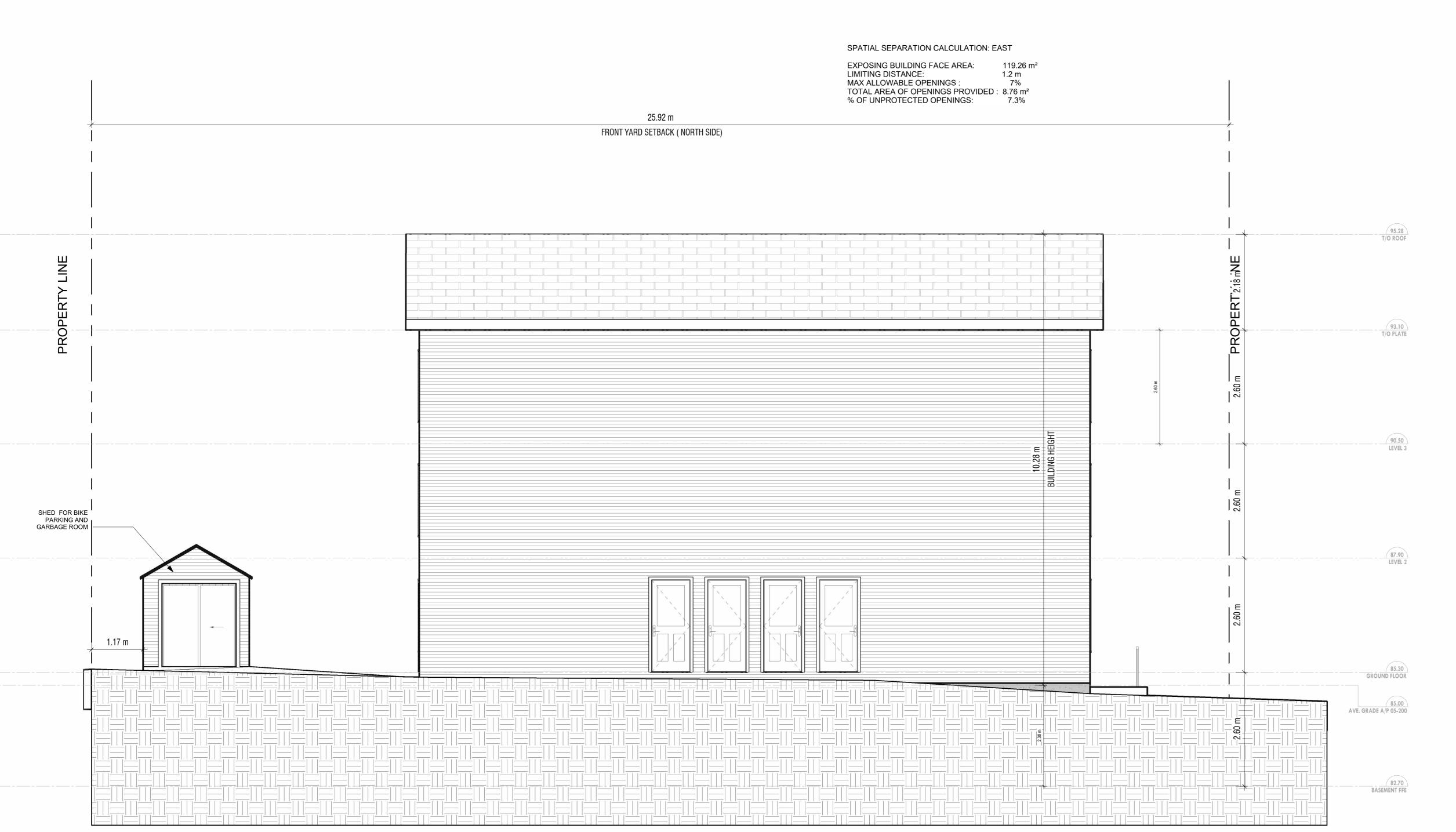
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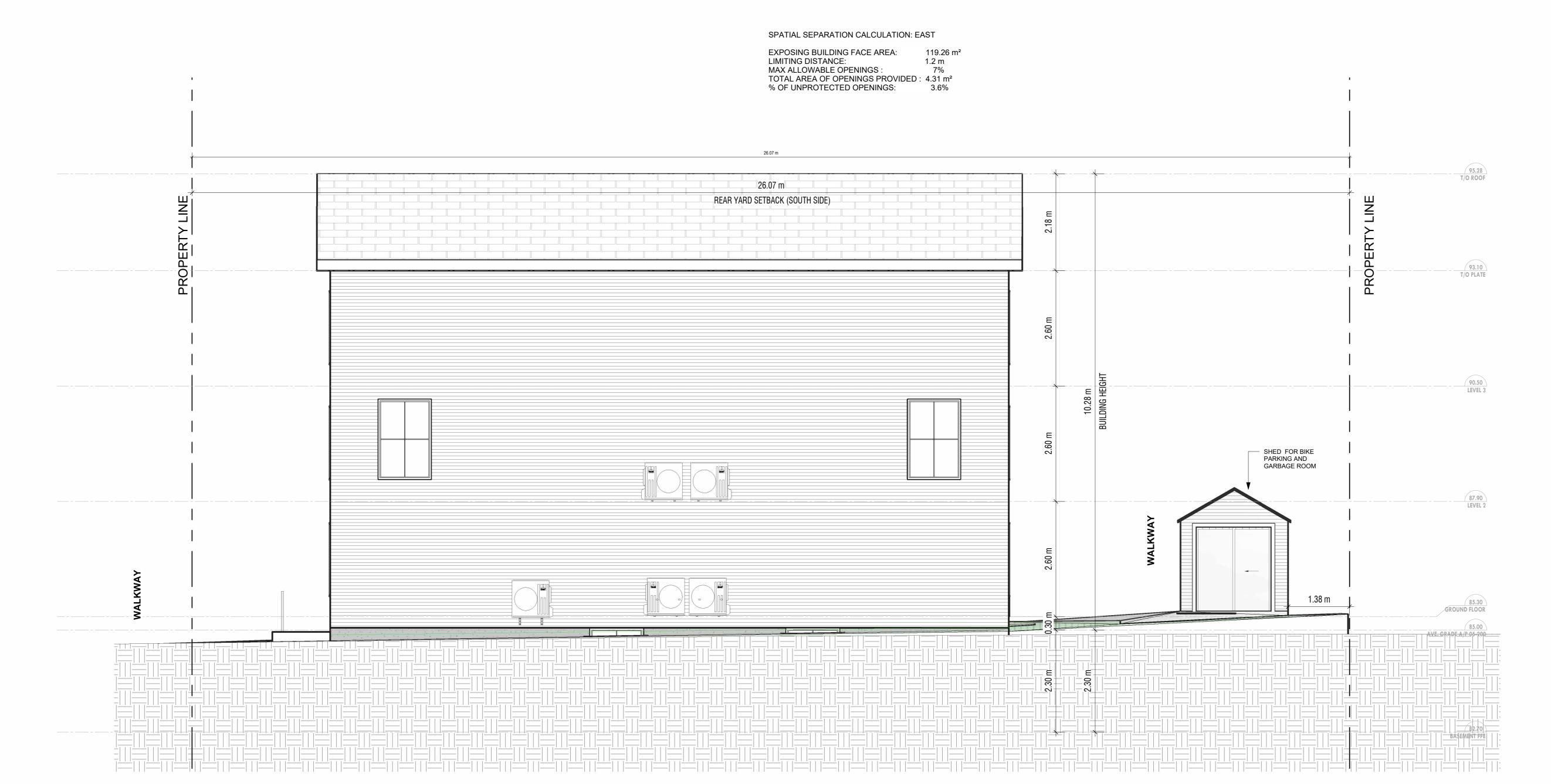
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LIMITING DISTANCE: 10.84 m
MAX ALLOWABLE OPENINGS: 100%
TOTAL AREA OF OPENINGS PROVIDED: 18.36 m²
% OF UNPROTECTED OPENINGS: 38.6%

8.57 m SIDEYARD SETBACK 95.28 T/O ROOF 87.90 LEVEL 2 85.30 GROUND FLOOR 85.00 AVE. GRADE A/P 05-200 82.70 BASEMENT FFE

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SPATIAL SEPARATION CALCULATION: EAST

EXPOSING BUILDING FACE AREA: 47.58 m²
LIMITING DISTANCE: 7.5 m

MAX ALLOWABLE OPENINGS: 57%

TOTAL AREA OF OPENINGS PROVIDED: 18.36 m²
% OF UNPROTECTED OPENINGS: 38.6%



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June 5, 2025

City of Hamilton Committee of Adjustment 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor Hamilton, Ontario L8P 4Y5

RE: | Minor Variance Application

5 Barnesdale Avenue South, Hamilton, Ontario

A-24:246

Corbett Land Strategies Inc. ("CLS") is pleased to resubmit the enclosed Minor Variance Application on behalf of Spencer Farrell ("Owner") for the lands municipally known as 5 Barnesdale Avenue South, Hamilton, Ontario ("Subject Property") to the Committee of Adjustment for their review and consideration. The purpose of the minor variance application is to grant relief from the City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No.05-200 to facilitate the construction of a low-rise multi-unit residential building on the Subject Property.

1. SUBJECT PROPERTY & SURROUNDING AREA

The Subject Property is located on the east side of Barnesdale Avenue South, south of King Street East and north of Vineland Avenue and currently consists of a single detached dwelling (Figure 1). The Subject Property has an area of 221.9 square metres with a frontage of 8.53 metres on Barnesdale Avenue South. The property is generally flat and contains mature vegetation around the periphery of the lot.

Surrounding properties consist of low-rise residential and commercial along the King Street East corridor. King Street East has been identified by the Province and the City as the route for future light rail transit service. The Subject Property is located within the proposed Scott Park Major Transit Station Area but is within a 5-minute walk to both the proposed Scott Park Station (east) and the Sherman Station (west). The Subject Property is located within a 2-minute walk (100 metres) to an existing bus stop at Fairholt Road North and King Street East, which is serviced by Route 01.

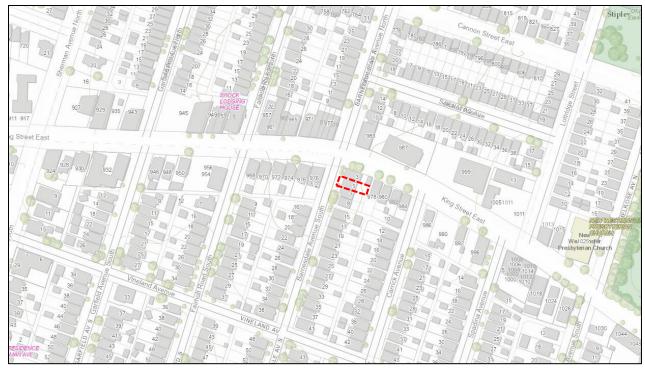


Figure 1: Location of Subject Property Outlined in Red (Hamilton GIS)

2. PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The proposed development consists of the removal of all existing structures on the property and the construction of 6 back-to-back stacked townhouse units. The units are proposed to be accessed from the north side of the building via a sidewalk which also provides access to the rear of the building. The rear of the property is proposed to accommodate 5 short-term bicycle parking spaces and an accessory structure that will accommodate garbage storage and 6 long-term bicycle parking spaces.

The proposed building will consist of 6 purpose-built rental units with a gross floor area of 366 square metres among three floors and a basement. The building is proposed to achieve a height of 12.3 metres. Please refer to the Architectural Package prepared by AAA Architects and submitted in support of this application for additional details.

3. REQUESTED MINOR VARIANCES

To facilitate the proposed development, the following variances of Zoning By-law 05-200 are requested:

1. Relief from Section 5.7.1(a)(i) which requires no parking spaces for residents, 2 visitor parking spaces plus 0.05 visitor parking spaces per unit; whereas no parking spaces are proposed.

4. POLICY OVERVIEW

4.1. Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13

The City of Hamilton has not yet approved an Official Plan Amendment that would definitively establish the boundaries of the Major Transit Station Areas within the urban area of the City; however, as discussed in additional detail under Section 4.2 of this letter, the Subject Property is located within an area delineated in the official plan which includes planned higher order transit stations, in which the minimum number of jobs and persons per hectare are established. Therefore, in my opinion, Section 16(22)(b) of the *Planning Act* is satisfied and applied to the Subject Property with respect that no official plan may contain policy that requires a minimum number of vehicle parking spaces.

Section 45(1) of the *Planning Act* with respect to the four tests of a minor variance is addressed specifically in Section 5 of this letter.

4.2. Urban Hamilton Official Plan

Under the Urban Hamilton Official Plan ("UHOP"), Schedule E, the Subject Property is identified as "Primary Corridor". Urban Corridors are intended to be the location for a range of higher density land uses supported by higher order transit and Primary Corridors serve to link two or more nodes, major activity centres, or employment areas. The Subject Property is designated "Neighbourhoods" as per Schedule E-1 of the UHOP. Neighbourhoods are intended to function as complete communities, including a full range of dwelling types and densities.

Appendix B – Major Transportation Facilities and Routes identifies the King Street Priority Transit Corridor and Future LRT Stations, including the Sherman Station and Scott Park Station which are located within a 5-minute walk of the Subject Property. As per Section 2.5.3 of the UHOP, planned densities of future Major Transit Station Areas on Priority Transit Corridors shall be a minimum of 160 residents and jobs combined per hectare. The proposed development contributes towards achieving the minimum density targets of the City.

4.3. Hamilton Zoning By-law

The Subject Property is zoned "Transit Oriented Corridor Multiple Residential (TOC3)" under the City of Hamilton Zoning By-law No. 05-200. Within the TOC3 Zone, "multiple dwellings" are a permitted use, which are defined as "a building or part thereof containing five or more dwelling units but shall not include a street townhouse." Table 1 summarizes applicable zoning regulations and the proposed development.

Table 1: Zoning Summary Table

Section	Regulation	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
4.6.b	Permitted Yard	A fire escape or exterior staircase	No exterior	Yes
	Encroachments	may encroach into a required side or	staircases staircases	

Section	Regulation	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
		rear yard to a maximum of 1.5 metres, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard, whichever is lesser.	are proposed to encroach.	
4.6.e	Permitted Yard Encroachments	A balcony may encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 1.0 metres, except into a required side yard of not more than one-third of its width or 1.0 metres, whichever is lesser.	No balconies proposed.	Yes
4.8.1.3.a.i	Accessory Building Setback from Rear Lot Line	Min. 1.2 metres	1.2 metres	Yes
4.8.1.3.b	Accessory Building Setback from Side Lot Line	Min. 1.2 metres	1.2 metres	Yes
5.7.1.a.i	Minimum Required Parking Rate	a. In PRA 1, no parking spaces are required for residents, and 2 visitor parking spaces, plus 0.05 visitor parking spaces are required per unit. (2.3 spaces)	0 parking spaces	No
5.7.2.a.i	Maximum Permitted Parking Rate	 a. In PRA 1, 1 space per unit inclusive of resident and visitor parking spaces. 	0 parking spaces	Yes
5.7.3.c	Minimum Accessible Parking Calculation	i. In any Zone, except a Downtown Zone, the result of: a. applying the requirement of Section 5.7.1 to all uses, excluding the existing gross floor area within any existing building, and excluding the application of any Parking Rate Area or Downtown Zone, to produce a total number of parking spaces; and, b. applying the corresponding requirement listed in Column 2 of Schedule 5.7.3.b) to the total number of parking spaces resulting from the calculation in Section 5.7.3.c.i.a immediately above to produce the minimum required number of accessible parking spaces	0 parking spaces	Yes
5.7.5.a.i	Short Term Bicycle Parking	In PRA 1, 0.1 per unit. (1 space)	5 spaces	Yes
5.7.5.a.i	Long Term Bicycle Parking	In PRA 1, 0.7 per unit. (5 spaces)	6 spaces	Yes

Section	Regulation	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
11.3.1.1.i	Restriction of Uses within a building. Building Setback from	1. The finished floor elevation shall be a minimum of 0.9 metres above grade. 2. Notwithstanding Subsection 11.3.1.1 i) 1., dwelling unit(s) shall be permitted in a basement or cellar. i. Minimum 3.0 metres; ii. Maximum 4.5 metres, except	Two dwelling units are permitted in the basement. 3.0 metres	Yes
	Street Line	where a visibility triangle is required for driveway access; iii. Notwithstanding Section ii) above, minimum 6.0 metres setback for that portion of a building providing an access driveway to a garage. iv. Section ii) above shall not apply for any portion of a building that exceeds the requirement of Section 11.3.2.f) ii) and iii) below.		
11.3.2.b	Rear Yard	Min. 7.5 metres	7.5 metres	Yes
11.3.2.c	Interior Side Yard	Min. 7.5 metres for lots abutting a Single Detached Dwelling, Semidetached Dwelling, and Street Townhouse.	1.2 metres	Yes
11.3.2.d	Lot Area	Min. 360.0 square metres	221.9 square metres	No, Existing Condition
11.3.2.e	Building Height	i. Min. 11.0 metres; ii. Max. 22.0 metres	12.3 metres ¹	Yes
11.3.2.f	Built Form for New Development	i. Rooftop mechanical equipment shall be location and/or screened from view of any abutting street. ii. For an interior lot or a through lot, the minimum width of the ground floor façade facing the front lot line shall be greater than or equal to 50% of the measurement of the front lot line.	Rooftop mechanical equipment, if necessary, will be screened. The ground floor façade is 71.5% of the lot width.	Yes
11.3.2.g	Landscaped Area	Min. 10% of the lot area	21.7%	Yes
11.3.2.h	Amenity Area	Not Applicable	N/A	N/A
11.3.2.i	Visual Barrier	Not Applicable	N/A	N/A

¹ Note that no rooftop access or amenity area is proposed.

A Zoning By-law Compliance Review was completed by the City and dated July 15, 2024. That report identified non-conforming elements of a former design. Additionally, meetings were held with staff to discuss matters such as balcony encroachment, reduced rear yards, building form, and density. In response to those comments, the proposed development and design was updated as follows:

- The built form of a 6 unit back-to-back stacked townhouse remains unchanged.
- Decreasing building depth to comply with rear yard setback requirements.
- Revised rear yard design and accessory shed to comply with setback requirements.
- Removed all balconies to address concerns of privacy and overlook.

In addition, the proposed development provides a 1.2m interior side yard setback. Per Section 11.3.2.c, a minimum interior side yard setback of 7.5m is needed. As such a variance would be needed to address this reduction. However, per section 4.7 of the 05-200 By-law, the lot is considered non-conforming according to the existing condition of the minimum lot area that is not in conformance. Further, since the lot is non-conforming and Section 4.7 is applicable, the applicable required minimum variance is 0.9m which is less than the proposed 1.2m interior side yard setback.

Furthermore, under Section 4.12 Vacuum Clause, e) Transit Oriented Corridor Zones, the following is stated:

i) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this By-law, any lot within the Transit Oriented Corridor Zones of this By-law, and the location thereon of any building or structure, existing on the effective date of this By-law, shall be deemed to comply with the regulations for any required setbacks, front yard, flankage yard, rear yard, lot width, lot area, and building height and are permitted by this By-law.

Similar to Section 4.7 under General Provisions, Section 4.12 applies to the subject lands.

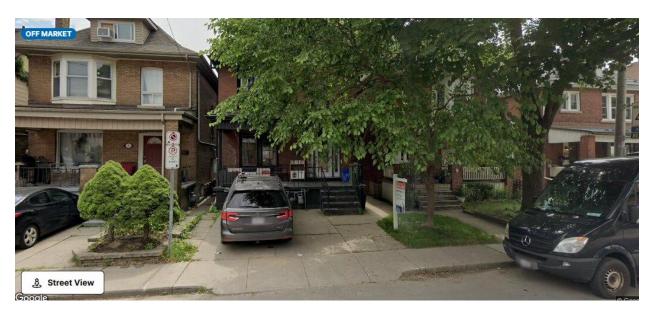
Moreover, a minimum 7.5m interior side yard setback is required for lots abutting a Single Detached Dwelling, Semi-detached Dwelling and Street Townhouse. The adjacent dwelling to the south, identified as 7 Barnesdale Ave, provides a built form of a single detached dwelling. However, upon further review, this dwelling contains more than one dwelling unit, and therefore is no longer functioning as a single detached dwelling but that of a duplex with an upper and lower unit for rent.

The 7.5 metre side yard setback appears to intentionally protect types of dwellings that are predominantly ownership tenure (single detached, semi-detached, and street townhouse dwellings). In this case, a single detached dwelling appears to have been renovated into a duplex with no exterior changes. Thereby, the tenancy and tenure of the building is inherently dictating the required side yard setbacks (single family versus multifamily) and it is not a consideration of built form. Further, the application of a 7.5 metre setback would essentially render the entire subject property vacant/undevelopable.

Based on this, the adjacent property does not meet the definition under the zoning by-law of a single detached, semi-detached, or street townhouse and therefore Section 11.3.2.c) does not apply to the proposed development.

It is understood through City records the lands identified as 7 Barnesdale Ave as a single detached dwelling, however, per the realtor photos recently obtained on-line, the subject lands contain an additional rental unit. Please refer to Figures 1 below for reference.

Figure 1:



As such, the proposed development is an improvement on the existing conditions with an increased side yard setback from existing conditions and maintains the general 3-storey massing of surrounding residential buildings. Other than the request to not provide parking spaces in a transit-oriented area, the proposed development is in conformance with the by-law as written.

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The Subject Property is located on a Priority Corridor associated with a future higherorder transit system, whereby residential intensification is intended and encouraged. The proposed development will facilitate the gentle intensification of an existing residential property in a manner that is compatible with the surrounding neighbourhood and contributes to the achievement of intensification targets established by the Province and the City. The development is proposed as a purpose-built rental project, which will provide new rental units along existing and planned transit lines within the built-up area of the City and on existing municipal infrastructure. The proposed variance supports the efficient but functional development of the property to achieve the goals and intent of the UHOP. Further, the reduction in parking and increased density supports the use of existing and future transit facilities.

In addition, the proposed development aims to assist the City in achieving its density targets by introducing gentle density to the area, especially along Priority Corridors to provide for more opportunities for transit usage. This provides future tenants the opportunity to have walkable access to transit, increasing accessibility options for tenants at different stages of life. Therefore, in my opinion, the proposed variance maintain the general intent and purpose of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan.

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Lastly, the proposed variance does not represent an over-intensification of the Subject Property or compromise its functionality or that of the surrounding uses and transportation network. Therefore, in my opinion, the requested variance is minor in nature.

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In conclusion, the proposed revisions reduce the relief required from the zoning by-law, improve privacy and overlook from the original design, improve existing conditions with regards to existing side yard setbacks for both the dwelling and accessory structure, and are appropriate for the development of the lands in a transit supportive manner.

Sincerely,

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October 30, 2024

City of Hamilton Committee of Adjustment 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor Hamilton, Ontario L8P 4Y5

RE: | Minor Variance Application

5 Barnesdale Avenue South, Hamilton, Ontario

I am pleased to submit the enclosed Minor Variance Application on behalf of Spencer Farrell ("Owner") for the lands municipally known as 5 Barnesdale Avenue South, Hamilton, Ontario ("subject property") to the Committee of Adjustment for their review and consideration. The purpose of the minor variance application is to grant relief from the Zoning By-law to facilitate the construction of a low-rise multi-unit residential building on the subject property.

1. SUBJECT PROPERTY & SURROUNDING AREA

The subject property is located on the east side of Barnesdale Avenue South, south of King Street East and north of Vineland Avenue, and currently consists of a single detached dwelling (Figure 1). The subject property has an area of 221.9 square metres with a frontage of 8.53 metres on Barnesdale Avenue South. The property is generally flat and contains mature vegetation around the periphery of the lot.

Surrounding properties consist of low-rise residential and commercial along the King Street East corridor. King Street East has been identified by the Province and the City as the route for future light rail transit service and the subject property is located within the proposed Scott Park Major Transit Station Area but is within a 5 minute walk to both the proposed Scott Park Station (east) and the Sherman Station (west). The subject property is located within a 2-minute walk (100 metres) to an existing bus stop at Fairholt Road North and King Street East, which is serviced by Route 01.



Figure 1: Location of Subject Property Outlined in Red (Hamilton GIS)

2. PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The proposed development consists of the removal of all existing structures on the property and the construction of 6 back-to-back stacked townhouse units. The units are proposed to be accessed from the front of the building and via a sidewalk at the rear of the building. The rear of the property is proposed to accommodate 5 short-term bicycle parking spaces and an accessory structure that will accommodate garbage storage and 6 long-term bicycle parking spaces.

The proposed building will consist of 6 purpose-built rental units with a gross floor area of 378.5 square metres among three floors and a basement. The building is proposed to achieve a height of 12.3 metres. Please refer to the Architectural Package prepared by AAA Architects and submitted in support of this application for additional details.

3. REQUESTED MINOR VARIANCES

To facilitate the proposed development, the following variances of Zoning By-law 05-200 are requested:

- 1. Relief from Section 11.3.2(b) which requires a minimum rear yard setback of 7.5 metres; whereas 6 metres is proposed.
- Relief from Section 11.3.2.(c) which requires a minimum interior side yard setback of 7.5 metres for lots abutting a single detached dwelling; whereas 1.2 metres is proposed.

- 3. Relief from Section 4.6.(b) which permits an exterior staircase to encroach into a required side or rear yard to a maximum of 1.5 metres, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard, whichever is lesser; whereas, an exterior staircase is proposed in the front yard and projects 1.5 metres into the front yard.
- 4. Relief from Section 4.6(e) which permits a balcony to encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 1 metres, except into a required side yard of not more than one-third of its width or 1 metres, whichever is lesser; whereas the balconies are proposed to project 1.5 metres into the front and rear yards.
- 5. Relief from Section 4.8.1.3(a)(i) which requires a building setback from a rear lot line for a building accessory to a multiple dwelling of a minimum of 1.2 metres; whereas, 0.3 metres is proposed.
- 6. Relief from Section 5.7.1(a)(i) which requires no parking spaces for residents, 2 visitor parking spaces plus 0.05 visitor parking spaces per unit; whereas no parking spaces are proposed.

4. POLICY OVERVIEW

4.1. Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13

The City of Hamilton has not yet approved the Official Plan Amendment that would definitively establish the boundaries of the Major Transit Station Areas within the urban area of the City; however, as discussed in additional detail under Section 4.2 of this letter, the subject property is located within an area delineated in the official plan which includes planned higher order transit stations, in which the minimum number of jobs and persons per hectare are established. Therefore, in my opinion, Section 16(22)(b) of the *Planning Act* is satisfied and applied to the subject property with respect that no official plan may contain policy that requires a minimum number of vehicle parking spaces.

Section 45(1) of the *Planning Act* with respect to the four tests of a minor variance is addressed specifically in Section 5 of this letter.

4.2. Urban Hamilton Official Plan

Under the Urban Hamilton Official Plan ("UHOP"), Schedule E, the subject property is identified as "Primary Corridor". Urban Corridors are intended to be the location for a range of higher density land uses supported by higher order transit and Primary Corridors serve to link two or more nodes, major activity centres, or employment areas. The subject property is designated "Neighbourhoods" as per Schedule E-1 of the UHOP. Neighbourhoods are intended to function as complete communities, including a full range of dwelling types and densities.

Appendix B – Major Transportation Facilities and Routes identifies the King Street Priority Transit Corridor and Future LRT Stations, including the Sherman Station and Scott Park Station which are located within a 5-minute walk of the subject property. As per Section 2.5.3 of the UHOP, planned densities of future Major Transit Station Areas on Priority Transit Corridors shall be a minimum of 160 residents and jobs combined per hectare.

The proposed development contributes towards achieving the minimum density targets of the City.

4.3. Hamilton Zoning By-law

The subject property is zoned "Transit Oriented Corridor Multiple Residential (TOC3)" under the City of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200. Within the TOC3 Zone, "multiple dwellings" are a permitted use, which are defined as "a building or part thereof containing five or more dwelling units but shall not include a street townhouse." Table 1 summarizes applicable zoning regulations and the proposed development.

Table 1: Zoning Summary Table

Section	Regulation	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
4.6.b	Permitted Yard Encroachments	A fire escape or exterior staircase may encroach into a required side or rear yard to a maximum of 1.5 metres, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard, whichever is lesser.	Encroachment of 1.5 metres into the front yard.	No
4.6.e	Permitted Yard Encroachments	A balcony may encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 1.0 metres, except into a required side yard of not more than one-third of its width or 1.0 metres, whichever is lesser.	Encroachment of 1.5 metres is proposed.	No
4.8.1.3.a.i	Accessory Building Setback from Rear Lot Line	Min. 1.2 metres	0.3 metres	No
4.8.1.3.b	Accessory Building Setback from Side Lot Line	Min. 1.2 metres	1.2 metres	Yes
5.7.1.a.i	Minimum Required Parking Rate	a. In PRA 1, no parking spaces are required for residents, and 2 visitor parking spaces, plus 0.05 visitor parking spaces are required per unit. (2.3 spaces)	0 parking spaces	No
5.7.2.a.i	Maximum Permitted Parking Rate	a. In PRA 1, 1 space per unit inclusive of resident and visitor parking spaces.	0 parking spaces	Yes
5.7.3.c	Minimum Accessible Parking Calculation	i. In any Zone, except a Downtown Zone, the result of: a. applying the requirement of Section 5.7.1 to all uses, excluding the existing gross floor area within any existing building, and excluding the application of any Parking Rate Area or	0 parking spaces	Yes

Section	Regulation	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
		Downtown Zone, to produce a total number of parking spaces; and, b. applying the corresponding requirement listed in Column 2 of Schedule 5.7.3.b) to the total number of parking spaces resulting from the calculation in Section 5.7.3.c.i.a immediately above to produce the minimum required number of accessible parking spaces		
5.7.5.a.i	Short Term Bicycle Parking	In PRA 1, 0.1 per unit. (1 space)	5 spaces	Yes
5.7.5.a.i	Long Term Bicycle Parking	In PRA 1, 0.7 per unit. (5 spaces)	6 spaces	Yes
11.3.1.1.i	Restriction of Uses within a building.	 The finished floor elevation shall be a minimum of 0.9 metres above grade. Notwithstanding Subsection 11.3.1.1 i) 1., dwelling unit(s) shall be permitted in a basement or cellar. 	Two dwelling units are permitted in the basement.	Yes
11.3.2.a	Building Setback from Street Line	i. Minimum 3.0 metres; ii. Maximum 4.5 metres, except where a visibility triangle is required for driveway access; iii. Notwithstanding Section ii) above, minimum 6.0 metres setback for that portion of a building providing an access driveway to a garage. iv. Section ii) above shall not apply for any portion of a building that exceeds the requirement of Section 11.3.2.f) ii) and iii) below.	3.0 metres	Yes
11.3.2.b	Rear Yard	Min. 7.5 metres	6.0 metres	No
11.3.2.c	Interior Side Yard	Min. 7.5 metres for lots abutting a Single Detached Dwelling, Semidetached Dwelling, and Street Townhouse.	1.2 metres	No
11.3.2.d	Lot Area	Min. 360.0 square metres	221.9 square metres	No, Existing Condition
11.3.2.e	Building Height	i. Min. 11.0 metres; ii. Max. 22.0 metres	12.3 metres ¹	Yes
11.3.2.f	Built Form for New Development	i. Rooftop mechanical equipment shall be location and/or screened from view of any abutting street.	Rooftop mechanical equipment, if	Yes

Section	Regulation	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
		ii. For an interior lot or a through lot, the minimum width of the ground floor façade facing the front lot line shall be greater than or equal to 50% of the measurement of the front lot line.	necessary, will be screened. The ground floor façade is 71.5% of the lot width.	
11.3.2.g	Landscaped Area	Min. 10% of the lot area	18.6%	Yes
11.3.2.h	Amenity Area	Not Applicable	N/A	N/A
11.3.2.i	Visual Barrier	Not Applicable	N/A	N/A

¹ Note that no rooftop access or amenity area is proposed.

A Zoning By-law Compliance Review was completed by the City and dated July 15, 2024. That report identified non-conforming elements of a former design. In response to the Review, the design was revised to include bicycle parking, garbage storage, removal of the rooftop amenity space, and addition of balconies. The Review identified non-compliance with Section 11.3.1.1(i) of the By-law, stating that only one dwelling units is permitted within the basement; however, the text of the by-law does not state one or any specific number of dwelling units. Further, at the time of the Review, compliance was required for the former and current parking regulations; whereas, the former regulations no longer apply. Lastly, the enclosed variances do not include minimum accessible parking spaces, as the By-law refers specifically to "parking spaces provided" not parking spaces required and as we are seeking to provide 0 spaces, which is less than 5, there is no requirement for accessible parking under the By-law.

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The subject property is located on a Priority Corridor associated with a future higher-order transit system, whereby residential intensification is intended and encouraged. The proposed development will facilitate the gentle intensification of an existing residential property in a manner that is compatible with the surrounding neighbourhood and contributes to the achievement of intensification targets established by the Province and the City. The development is proposed as a purpose-built rental project, which will provide new rental units along existing and planned transit lines within the built-up area of the City and on existing municipal infrastructure. The proposed variances support the efficient but functional development of the property to achieve the goals and intent of the UHOP. Further, the reduction in parking and increased density support the use of existing and future transit facilities. Therefore, in my opinion, the proposed variances maintain the general intent and purpose of the Urban Hamilton Official Plan.

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Within the TOC3 Zone, multiple dwellings, such as the proposed building, are a permitted use. Table 2 summarizes how the requested variances individually maintain the general intent and purpose of the Zoning By-law.

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	Requested Variance	Test #2 Justification
		1.5 metres of landscaping in the front yard and as a future road widening is not anticipated, the encroachment does not introduce a conflict with future transportation needs.
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5	Relief from Section 4.8.1.3(a)(i) which requires a building setback from a rear lot line for a building accessory to a multiple dwelling of a minimum of 1.2 metres; whereas, 0.3 metres is proposed	The general purpose of a rear yard setback for an accessory building is to provide sufficient space for fencing and landscaping, if desired, between properties and allow sufficient space for maintenance of the structure without impeding on an adjacent property.
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Table 3 summarizes how the proposed variances are minor in nature.

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1	Relief from Section 11.3.2(b) which	The proposed reduction of 1.5 metres is
	requires a minimum rear yard	minor in nature as the proposed
	setback of 7.5 metres; whereas 6	development maintains sufficient
	metres is proposed	landscaped open space and a buffer
		between the rear of the proposed
		development and properties adjacent to the rear.
2	Relief from Section 11.3.2.(c) which	The proposed reduction of 6.3 metres
_	requires a minimum interior side	maintains a side yard setback that is greater
	yard setback of 7.5 metres for lots	than the existing building setback of less
	abutting a single detached dwelling;	than 0.5 metres and is not anticipated to
	whereas 1.2 metres is proposed.	generate any additional impact on the
		adjacent property.
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	permits an exterior staircase to	staircase in the front yard that encroaches
	encroach into a required side or	into the front yard setback is not anticipated
	rear yard to a maximum of 1.5	to cause any negative impacts to the
	metres, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard,	functionality or appearance of the streetscape. Further, the encroachment
	whichever is lesser; whereas, an	distance of 1.5 metres is the same distance
	exterior staircase is proposed in the	as permitted in rear and side yards.
	front yard and projects 1.5 metres	ac permitted in real and slae yarde.
	into the front yard.	
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	permits a balcony to encroach into	0.5 metres supports the functionality of the
	any required yard to a maximum of	proposed balconies, which provide the
	1 metres, except into a required	tenants with private outdoor amenity space.
	side yard of not more than one-third	The balconies are located only on the front
	of its width or 1 metres, whichever is lesser; whereas the balconies are	and rear facades and will not impede upon
	proposed to project 1.5 metres into	surrounding residential uses.
	the front and rear yards.	
5	Relief from Section 4.8.1.3(a)(i)	The reduced rear yard setback allows a
	which requires a building setback	functional enclosed garbage and bicycle
	from a rear lot line for a building	storage building to be located on the
	accessory to a multiple dwelling of	property that has sufficient space internally
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	requires no parking spaces for	property to existing and future transit
	residents, 2 visitor parking spaces	corridors and stations, the reduction of 2.3

Requested Varia	ance -	Test #4 Justification
plus 0.05 visitor	parking spaces per	parking spaces is not anticipated to cause a
unit; whereas no	parking spaces	significant impact to the functionality of the
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Lastly, cumulatively, the proposed variances do not represent an over-intensification of the subject property or compromise functionality of the subject property or surrounding uses and transportation network. Therefore, in my opinion, the requested variances are minor in nature.

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July 15th, 2024

FILE: ALR FOLDER: 24-___ALR

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Attention:

RE: APPLICABLE LAW REVIEW - ZONING BYLAW COMPLIANCE REVIEW

PRESENT ZONING: TOC3 (HAMILTON ZOING BY-LAW 05-200)

ADDRESS: 5 BARNESDALE AVENUE, HAMILTON

An Applicable Law Review respecting zoning bylaw compliance has been completed and the following comments are provided.

COMMENTS:

- 1. The applicant is proposing to demolish the existing single detached dwelling and construct a new three (3) storey residential building containing six (6) residential units.
- 2. The property is subject to the "TOC3" Transit Oriented Corridor Multiple Residential Zone within the Hamilton zoning By-law 05-200. A multiple Dwelling (back to back towns) is permitted within the current zone.
- 3. Please be advised the property is subject to Amending By-law 24-052, which is not yet final and binding. The following review reflects the old and new zoning requirements for parking within the Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200.
- 4. Sign details have not been provided. All signage shall conform to Hamilton Sign By-law 10-197. A Building permit(s) is required for all signage.
- 5. Fencing details have not been provided. All fencing shall conform to Hamilton Fence Bylaw 10-142.

- 6. Construction of the proposed development is subject to the issuance of a building permit in the normal manner. Be advised that Ontario Building Code regulations may require specific setback and construction types.
- 7. Insufficient information pro provided regarding the garbage and recycling area. If it is not roofed-over, it is considered a fence. If the garbage enclosure is required to be roofed-over, the enclosure is then considered to be an accessory building and shall be in accordance with Section 4.8 and 4.8.4
- 8. The proposed buildings and structures have been reviewed and compared to the standards of the "M2" and "M3" Zones, as indicated in the following chart:

TOC3 Zone – Transit Oriented Corridor Multiple Residential (Section 11.3 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200)

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming	
	Section 11.3– TOC3 Requirements			
	Section 11.3.1.1- Restr	icted Uses		
Restriction of Uses within a Building [as per section	The finished floor elevation of any dwelling unit shall be a minimum of 0.9m above grade; and	2 dwelling units proposed within the basement	Non-conforming	
11.3.1.1(i) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	Notwithstanding Subsection 11.3.1.1(i)1. above, one dwelling unit(s) shall be permitted in a basement or cellar.			
Section 11.3.2- EME	Section 11.3.2- EMERGENCY SHELTER, LODGING HOUSE, MULTIPLE DWELLING, RESIDENTIAL CARE FACILITY, RETIREMENT HOME, REGULATIONS			
Building Setback from a Street Line	i) Minimum 3.0 metres;	3.0m	Conforms	
[as per section 11.3.2(a) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]		Insufficient information regarding rear retaining wall. Height above grade is needed.	Unable to determine compliance	
	ii) Maximum 4.5 metres, except where a visibility triangle is required for a driveway access.	3.0m	Conforms	
	iii) Notwithstanding Section ii) above, minimum 6.0 metres setback for that portion of a building providing an access driveway to a garage.	Not proposed	N/A	

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	iv) Section ii) above shall not apply for any portion of a building that exceeds the requirement of Section 11.3.2.f) ii) and iii) below.	Please note	
Minimum Rear Yard [as per section 11.3.2(b) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	7.5 metres;	5.98m Insufficient information regarding rear retaining wall. Height above grade is needed.	Non-conforming
Minimum Interior Side Yard [as per section 11.3.2(c) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	7.5 metres for lots abutting a single detached dwelling, semi-detached dwelling and street townhouse	1.19m	Non-conforming
Minimum Lot Area [as per section 11.3.2(d) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	360.0 square metres;	222.74m ² (existing)	Existing condition
Building Height [as per section 11.3.2(e) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	i) Minimum 11.0 metres. ii) Maximum 22.0 metres. iii) In addition to Section i) above and notwithstanding Section ii) above, the minimum building height may be equivalently increased as the yard increases beyond the minimum yard requirement established in Section 11.3.2 b) and c) above, when abutting a Residential or Institutional Zone, a maximum of 22.0 metres.	13.05m from average grade to top of building	Conforms
	iv) In addition to the definition of Building Height, any wholly enclosed or partially enclosed amenity area, or any portion of a building designed to provide access to a rooftop amenity area shall be permitted to project above the uppermost point of the building, subject to the following regulations: A. The total floor area of the wholly enclosed or partially enclosed structure belonging to an amenity area, or portion of a building designed to provide access to a rooftop amenity area shall not exceed 10% of the floor area of the storey directly beneath;	Insufficient information	Unable to determine compliance
	B. The wholly enclosed or partially enclosed amenity area, or portion of a		

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	building designed to provide access to a rooftop amenity area shall be setback a minimum of 3.0 metres from the exterior walls of the storey directly beneath; and,		
	C. The wholly enclosed or partially enclosed amenity area, or portion of a building designed to provide access to a rooftop amenity area shall not be greater than 3.0 metres in vertical distance from the uppermost point of the building to the uppermost point of the rooftop enclosure		
Built Form for New Development [as per section 11.3.2(f) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	In the case of buildings constructed after the effective date of this By-law, excluding any alterations to façade, windows or doors after the effective date of this by-law:		
	i) Rooftop mechanical equipment shall be located and/or screened from view of any abutting street.	Does not appear to be proposed	Appears N/A
	ii) For an interior lot or a through lot the minimum width of the ground floor façade facing the front lot line shall be greater than or equal to 50% of the measurement of the front lot line.	6.10m	Conforms
	50 x 8.53 / 100 = 4.26m		
	iv) In addition to Subsection 11.3.2 f) ii) and iii), the minimum width of the ground floor façade facing the front and flankage lot lines shall exclude access driveways and any required yards within a lot line abutting a street.	Please note	
	v) Notwithstanding ii) and iii) above, maximum one 6.0 metre wide driveway shall be permitted for ingress and egress.	Not propsoed	N/A
	vi) No parking or aisles shall be located between a required building façade and the front lot line and flankage lot line.	Not propsoed	N/A
	vii) Notwithstanding the above, for properties designated under the Ontario Heritage Act, any alternative building design or building materials approved through the issuance of a Heritage Permit shall be deemed to	Please note	

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	comply with this Section.			
Minimum Landscaped Area for Multiple Dwellings [as per section 11.3.2(g) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	10% of the lot area shall be landscaped area.	23.78m ² (as per chart)	Conforms	
Minimum Amenity Area for Dwelling Units and Multiple Dwellings [as per section 11.3.2(h) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	On a lot containing more than 10 dwelling units, the following Minimum Amenity Area requirements shall be provided: i) An area of 4.0 square metres for each dwelling unit less than 50 square metres; ii) An area of 6.0 metres for each dwelling unit more than 50 square metres; iii) In addition to the definition of Amenity Area, an Amenity Area located outdoors shall be unobstructed and shall be at or above the surface, and exposed to light and air and may include balconies and patios; and, iv) In addition to the definition of Amenity Area, the required Amenity Area shall be provided exclusively for the residential component and shall be functionally separated from public areas associated with any commercial component.	6 dwelling units proposed	N/A	
Visual Barrier [as per section 11.3.2(i) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	i) A visual barrier shall be required along any lot line abutting a Downtown D5 Zone, Institutional Zone or Residential Zone in accordance with the requirements of Section 4.19 of this By-law. ii) Notwithstanding i) above, no visual barrier(s) shall be permitted between the building façade and the street.	Abuts the "TOC3" Zone	N/A	
(In accordance w	Section 4 – General Provisions (In accordance with the applicable regulations of Section 4 within the Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200)			
Permitted Yard Encroachments [as per section 4.6 of Hamilton Zoning By-law	a) The usual projections of window sills, chimney breasts, belt courses, cornices, eaves, troughs and other similar architectural features, ductwork, venting and other similar	Not proposed	N/A	

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
05-200]	appurtenances may be permitted in any required yard, provided that no such feature shall project more than 0.6 metres into the required yard, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard, whichever is the lesser; (By-law No. 16-265, October 12, 2016) (By-law No. 18-219, August 17, 2018)		
	b) A fire escape or exterior staircase may encroach into a required side or rear yard to a maximum of 1.5 metres, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard, whichever is the lesser; (By-law No. 18-219, August 17, 2018)	Proposed within the front yard. 5.99m into required side yard Rear Yard: insufficient information	Non-conforming Non-conforming Unable to determine compliance
	c) An unenclosed ramp for wheelchair access may encroach into any required yard to no maximum distance;	Please note	
	d) A porch, deck or canopy may encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 1.5 metres, or to a maximum of half the distance of the required yard, whichever is the lesser; (By-law No. 11-276, November 16, 2011) (By-law No. 18-219, August 17, 2018)	Front porch (including stairs) encroached 1.74m into front yard 3.24m into required rear yard Encroaches more than 1.5m into the required side yard	Non-conforming Non-conforming
	e) A balcony may encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 1.0 metres, except into a required side yard of not more than one-third of its width or 1.0 metres, whichever is the lesser; and, (By-law No. 18-219, August 17, 2018)	Not proposed	N/A
	f) A bay window or alcove, without foundation, may encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 0.6 metres, or half the distance of the required yard, whichever is the	Not proposed	N/A

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
	lesser. No such feature shall have a width greater than 3.0 metres. (Bylaw No. 08-227, September 24, 2008) (By-law No. 18-219, August 17, 2018) i) Wall-mounted electric vehicle charging equipment may encroach into any required yard to a maximum of 0.3 metres. (By-law No. 24-052, April 10, 2024, not final & binding	Not proposed	N/A
Mechanical and Unitary Equipment [as per section 4.9 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	Hot boxes, air conditioners and pumps (including heat pumps and swimming pool pumps) and other similar mechanical equipment shall be located only in accordance with the following regulations: a) Within a required front yard, provided such equipment shall have a minimum setback of 3.0 metres from the street line, a minimum setback of 0.6 metres from a side lot line and is screened from the street by an enclosure or landscaping; and, b) Within a required side yard or required rear yard provided such equipment has a minimum setback of 0.6 metres from the side lot line or rear lot line	Insufficient information	Unable to determine compliance

Parking (Section 5 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200)

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
	Section 5 - Park	ing	
Location (All Uses) [as per section 5.1(a) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	i) Required parking facilities shall be located on the same lot as the use requiring the parking.	No Parking is propsoed	N/A
Location (Multiple Dwellings) [as per section 5.1(d) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	On a lot containing a multiple dwelling: i) With the exception of any visitor parking required by Section 5.6, required parking for multiple dwellings	No parking is proposed	N/A

	Required By	By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
	shall not be located be façade and the front lo between the façade and line. In no case shall a located within the required flankage y metres of a street line	ot line or and flankage lot any parking be uired front yard ard or within 3.0		
	ii) Visitor parking may between the façade al provided that no more the front yard shall be parking and access to	nd a street than 50% of used for visitor		
Design Standards [as per section 5.2 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]		No p	parking proposed	
	b) In any Rural Zone, Recreational Equipme	-		
	i) May be stored enclo	osed;		
	ii) Shall not be stored required front yard or			
	iii) May be stored in a side yard provided tha Recreational Equipme with a visual barrier in with Section 4.19 of th has a minimum setbac from the side or rear le	at the Major ent is screened accordance his By-law, and ck of 1.2 metres		
	iv) Notwithstanding Suand iii) herein, Major F Equipment may be pa driveway wholly inside between May 1st and each year; and,	Recreational rked on a e the lot line		
	v) Storage of Major Re Equipment shall only I Major Recreational Ed by a resident of the lot	pe permitted for quipment owned		
Barrier Free Parking [as per section 5.5 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200] *Shall not apply to	a) Barrier free parking designated and provio the required parking s accordance with the for requirements:	led as part of paces in	0 spaces	Non-conforming
Single Detached Dwellings, Semi- Detached Dwellings, Duplex Dwellings and	Required Parking Spaces	Designated Barrier Free Parking Spaces		

	Required By	y By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
Street Townhouses abutting a public street.	1 – 49 Spaces	Minimum 1 space;		Ĭ
**Where the application of the parking standards in Section a) above results in a numeric fraction, fractions shall be rounded down to the	50 – 100 Spaces	Minimum 4% of the total number of required parking spaces;		
nearest whole number.	101 – 200 Spaces	Minimum 1 space + 3% of the total number of required parking spaces;		
	201 – 1000 Spaces	Minimum 2 spaces + 2% of the total number of required parking spaces; and,		
	1000+	Minimum 11 + 1% of the total number of required parking spaces.		
	b) Subsection 5.5 a) Single Detached Dw Detached Dwellings, Dwellings and Street abutting a public street	ellings, Semi- , Duplex t Townhouses		
	c) Where the applica parking standards in results in a numeric shall be rounded down whole number.	Section a) above fraction, fractions		
Minimum Number of Required Parking Spaces [as per section 5.6 c) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	Refer to table in By-I Multiple Dwelling (Co Mixed Use (C5) Zon Oriented Corridor Zo	ommercial and e and all Transit	0 spaces	Non-conforming
	i) Dwelling units less gross floor area – mi unit/max 1.25 per un	in 0.3 per		
	Calculation:			
	0.3 x 6 = 1.8 spaces			
	1.25 x 6 = 7.5 space	S		

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
Bicycle Parking [as per section 5.7 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	a) Locational Requirements: i) Long-term Bicycle Parking Space shall be located in a secure enclosed bicycle parking area. ii) Short-term Bicycle Parking Space shall be located within a bicycle parking area at grade	Bicycle parking is not proposed	N/A
	c) In the Downtown (D1), (D2) and (D5) Zones, Transit Oriented Corridor Zones and Commercial and Mixed-Use Zones short-term bicycle parking shall be provided in each and every building in the minimum quantity specified in accordance with the following requirements: See Table in By-law Multiple Dwelling: 5 short term spaces	0 spaces	Non-conforming
	e) Notwithstanding Section b) and in addition to c) above, in the Downtown (D1), (D2), and (D5) Zones, Transit Oriented Corridor Zones long-term bicycle parking shall be provided in the minimum quantity specified in accordance with the following requirements: See Table in By-law Multiple Dwelling: 0.5 per dwelling unit	0 spaces	Non-conforming
	Calculation: 0.5 x 6 = 3 long term spaces		
	h) Where the application of the bicycle numeric fraction, fractions shall be		

Parking (Section 5 of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200)

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming	
SECTION 5: PARKING (BY-LAW 24-052, NOT FINAL)				

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming		
	5.1 PARKING SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS				
Minimum Number of Required Parking	The minimum number of required parking spaces which must be provided shall be the result of applying:				
Spaces [as per section 5.1.1 (a) of Hamilton Zoning	i) The minimum amount in accordance with the Minimum Required Parking Rate Schedule in Section 5.7.1;				
By-law 05-200]	ii) Any eligible exception in this Section;	and,			
	iii) Any eligible deductions in this Section				
Exception for Existing Buildings in All Zones [as per section 5.1.1	Notwithstanding Section 5.7.1, for any useffective date of this By-law, no parking sparking spaces which existed on the effective provided, except that:	spaces are required, provided	that the number of		
(b) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	i) a use shall not be required to provide a Section 5.7.1; and,	additional parking beyond that	which is required by		
	ii) where an addition, alteration or expan requirements of Section 5.7.1 shall o				
Rounding Calculations	i) Where the application of the parking standards in Section 5.7.1, 5.7.2, 5.7.4, and 5.7.5 results in a numeric fraction, fractions shall be rounded down to the nearest whole number.				
[as per section 5.1.1 (c) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	ii) Where the application of the minimum accessible parking standards in Section 5.7.3 results in a numeric fraction, fractions shall be rounded up to the nearest whole number.				
	iii) Where the calculations in Sections 5.7.1, 5.7.2, 5.7.3, 5.7.4 or 5.7.5 apply to multiple uses, rounding shall only be applied to the sum of the requirements for all uses on the lot.				
Required Parking to be Provided on Same Lot [as per section 5.1.1 (d) of Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200]	All required parking spaces shall be located on the same lot as the use for which they are required, unless the parking spaces are provided on another lot in compliance with Section 5.6.1.	No parking proposed	N/A		
Maximum Permitted	a) Maximum Permitted Number of Parkir	ng Spaces			
Number of Parking [as per section 5.1.2 of Hamilton Zoning By-	Where Section 5.7.2 specifies a maximum permitted number of parking spaces, the number of parking spaces located on a lot shall not exceed that number.				
law 05-200]	b) Reduction of Excess Parking Spaces				
	ermitted in accordance mum parking standard paces provided be less .7.1.				
Minimum Required	a) Minimum Number of Accessible Parki	ng Spaces			
Number of Accessible Parking Spaces	Accessible parking shall be designated the Minimum Accessible F	and provided in accordance wi Parking Rate Schedule in Section			
[as per section 5.1.3 of Hamilton Zoning By-	b) Exception for Certain Residential Use	<u></u>			

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming	
law 05-200]	Section 5.7.3 shall not apply to Single Detached Dwellings, Semi-Detached Dwellings, Duplex Dwellings, Triplex Dwellings, Fourplex Dwellings and Street Townhouse Dwellings.			
Minimum Required	a) Minimum Required Number of Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces			
Number of Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces	Where parking spaces are provided, Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces shall be provided in accordance with:			
[as per section 5.1.4 of Hamilton Zoning By-	i) The minimum rates in accordance with	the Parking Schedule in Secti	on 5.7.4; and,	
law 05-200]	ii) Any eligible	exception in this Section.		
	b) Exception for the Agriculture (A1) Zon Zone	e, Rural (A2) Zone, and any O	pen Space and Park	
	The minimum requirement for Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces shall not apply to any parking space located within one of the following Zones:			
	i) Agriculture (A1) Zone; ii) Rural (A2) Zone; and,			
	iii) Any Open Space and Park Zone.			
	c) Exception for Existing Buildings in All Zones			
	Notwithstanding Section 5.7.4, for any use within any Zone, located in all or part of a building existing on the effective date of this By-law, no Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces are required, except that:			
	i) where an addition or expansion of an existing building is proposed, the Electric Vehicle Parking requirements of Section 5.7.4 shall only apply to such addition or expansion.			
	d) Exception for Existing Parking Lots in	All Zones		
	Notwithstanding Section 5.7.4, for any Poon the effective date of this By-law, no Ethat: i) where an expansion or enlargem parking requirements of Section 5.7.4	Electric Vehicle Parking Space nent of such parking is propose	s are required, except ed, the electric vehicle	
	e) Regulations for Electric Vehicle			
	Parking Spaces Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces shall be subject to the regulations in Section 5.6.7.			
	5.2 FUNCTIONAL DESIGN REQUIREMENTS			
	No parking proposed – N/A			

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming			
Minimum Accessible Parking Space Dimensions and Minimum Accessibility Aisle Requirements [as per section 5.2.2 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	a) Minimum Accessible Parking Space Width and Accessibility Aisle Requirement Each accessible parking space shall have: i) a minimum width of 3.4 metres, notwithstanding Section 5.2.1 a) above and subject to Section 5.2.2 b) below; ii) a minimum length of 5.8 metres; and, iii) a minimum of one side must continuously abut an accessibility aisle, provided in accordance with Section 5.2.2 c) and d) below b) Permitted Reduction in Width for Accessible Parking Spaces Where two or more accessible parking spaces are provided, a maximum of 50% of such spaces, rounded up to the nearest whole number in the case of a numeric fraction, may have a reduced minimum width of 2.4 metres. c) Accessibility Aisle Requirements A minimum of one side of each	Provided Not proposed				
	A minimum of one side of each accessible parking space shall continuously abut an unobstructed accessibility aisle which shall: i) have a minimum width of 1.5 metres; ii) have a minimum length which extends the full length of each abutting accessible parking space; and, iii) be clearly identified and marked.					
	d) Sharing of Accessibility Aisle A maximum of two accessible parking spaces may abut one accessibility aisle, provided such spaces continuously abut opposite sides of the shared accessibility aisle.					
5.3 LC	5.3 LOCATIONAL, LANDSCAPING AND SURFACE MATERIAL REQUIRMENTS					
	No Parking Proposed – N/A					
	5.4 BICYCLE PARKING RE	QUIREMENTS				
Minimum Bicycle Parking	a) Minimum Number of Required Bicycle	Parking Spaces				

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming		
Requirements [as per section 5.4.1 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	The minimum required number of short-term and long-term bicycle parking spaces which must be provided for each building on a lot in accordance with Section 5.4.2 shall be the result of applying:				
	i) The minimum amount in accordance w 5.7.5; and,	rith the Minimum Bicycle Parkii	ng Schedule in Section		
	ii) Any eligible	e exception in this Section.			
Bicycle Parking Regulations	a) Bicycle Parking Locational Requirements	Not proposed	N/A		
[as per section 5.4.2 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	i) Short-term Bicycle Parking Spaces shall be publicly accessible and located within a bicycle parking area at grade, which includes the first floor of a building or an exterior surface area.				
	ii) Long-term Bicycle Parking Spaces shall be located in a secure enclosed bicycle parking area.				
	5.6 GENERAL PARKING R	EGULATIONS			
	No Parking Proposed	d – N/A			
Electric Vehicle Parking Space	a) Permission for Chargers to Encroach Within Required Landscaping Features and Planting Strips				
Regulations [as per section 5.6.7 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	Notwithstanding any other Section of this By-law, except Section 5.6.7 b) below, a charging device associated with an Electric Vehicle Parking Space, including any such space required by Section 5.1.4, may be located within any of the following required features and will not constitute a reduction of that feature's provision:				
	i) Planting Strip; ii) Landscape Strip; iii) Landscaped Area; and,				
	iv) Lands	caped Parking Island.			
	b) Restrictions for Chargers Encroaching Within Required Landscaping Features and Planting Strips				
	Despite Section 5.6.7 a) above, the pern not apply to any of the following:	nission to encroach within the r	noted features shall		
	i) A transformer or mechanical enclosure	e other than a charging device;	or,		
	ii) A charging device with a hard-surfa	ced base exceeding an area o	f 1.0 square metres.		
	c) Permission for Chargers to Encroach	Within any Required Yard			
	Notwithstanding any other Section of this By-law, a charging device associated with an Electric Vehicle Parking Space may be located within any required yard, except that any such arging device may not be located:				
	i) less than 0.6 metres from any lot line;	or,			
	ii) within a visibility triangle.				
	5.7 PARKING SCHE	DULES			

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
Parking Schedules [as per section 5.7 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	a) Parking Rate Areas Where this By-law indicates that a Parking Rate Area (PRA) applies for the purpose of calculating a parking requirement or permission, such Parking Rate Area shall apply to lands and shall be indicated as Parking Rate Area (PRA1), (PRA2) and (PRA3) on Schedule "A" – Zoning Maps.		
	b) Application of Parking Rate Areas		
	Where a parking rate or requirement co Parking Rate Area (PRA), such parking where a parking rate refers to a specific within that specified Parking Rate Area and only in	rate shall apply to all lands three Parking Rate Area, and wher	oughout the City. Only e such use is located
Minimum Required Parking Rate	a) Minimum Required Parking Rate Schedule	No parking proposed	Non-conforming
Schedule [as per section 5.7.1 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	Parking spaces shall be provided in the minimum quantity specified in Column 2 hereunder for each use listed in Column 1:		
PRA1	Refer to table in By-law 5.7.1		
	Multiple Dwelling where the total number of such units is 5 or greater:		
	PRA1 - no parking spaces are required for residents, and 2 visitor parking spaces, plus 0.05 visitor parking spaces are required per unit.		
	Calculation:		
	0.05 x 6 = 0.3		
	2+0.3 = 2.3 visitor spaces		
Maximum Permitted Parking Rate	a) Maximum Permitted Parking Rate Schedule	0 spaces proposed	Conforms
Schedule [as per section 5.7.2 of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	For any use listed in Column 1, the number of parking spaces provided shall not exceed the number in Column 2:		
	Refer to table in By-law 5.7.2		
	Multiple Dwelling:		
	PRA1 - 1 space per unit, inclusive of resident and visitor parking spaces		
	Calculation:		
	1 x 6 = 6 spaces		

	Required By	/ By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
Minimum Accessible Parking Rate Schedule [as per section 5.7.3 a) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	greater minimum n	ber of accessible p umber resulting fro	hedules arking spaces which must be p m the calculations in Sections d up in accordance with Sectio	5.7.3 b) and 5.7.3 c)
Minimum Accessible Parking Calculation 1 - Proportionate to Parking Provision [as per section 5.7.3 b) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	0 parking spaces provaccessible spaces red b) Minimum Accessib Calculation 1 - Propor Parking Provision On a lot containing 5 spaces, a minimum n parking spaces provion the requirements of the Accessible Parking R below: Column 1 Total Number of Parking Spaces Provided 5 - 100 spaces 101 - 200 spaces	quired. le Parking rtionate to or more parking umber of the ded shall meet ne Minimum	0 spaces	Conforms
	spaces	spaces + 2% of the total number of parking spaces provided; and,		
	1000 or more spaces	Minimum 11 + 1% of the total number of required parking spaces.		
Minimum Accessible	c) Minimum Accessib	le Parking	0 spaces provided	Non-conforming

	Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
Parking Calculation 2 - Where Total Parking Provision is Reduced Pursuant to a Parking Rate Area or Downtown Zone [as per section 5.7.3 c) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	Calculation 2 - Where Total Parking Provision is Reduced Pursuant to a Parking Rate Area or Downtown Zone The minimum number of accessible parking spaces which must be provided shall be: i) In any Zone, except a Downtown Zone, the result of: a) applying the requirements of Section 5.7.1 to all uses, excluding the existing gross floor area within any existing building, and excluding the application of any Parking Rate Area or Downtown Zone, to produce a total number of parking spaces; and, b) applying the corresponding requirement listed in Column 2 of Schedule 5.7.3 b) to the total number of parking spaces resulting from the calculation in Section 5.7.3 c) i) a) immediately above to produce the minimum required number of accessible parking spaces. ii) In any Downtown Zone, the result of applying Column 2 hereunder for each use listed in Column 1, excluding any existing gross floor area within any existing building: Refer to table in By-law 5.7.3 c)		Non-Conforming
Minimum Electric Vehicle Parking Rate Schedule [as per section 5.7.4 a) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	a) Minimum Electric Vehicle Parking Rate Schedule Of the parking spaces provided on a lot, a minimum percentage shall be provided as Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces, as specified in Column 2 hereunder for each associated use listed in Column 1, and any such Electric Vehicle Parking Spaces shall be subject to Section 5.6.7: Refer to table in By-law 5.7.4	N/A, no parking is provided on the lot	N/A
Minimum Bicycle Parking Rate Schedule [as per section 5.7.5 a) of Hamilton Zoning By- law 05-200]	a) Minimum Required Bicycle Parking Rate Schedule For each building containing one or more of the uses listed in Column 1 in the following schedule: i) Short-term Bicycle Parking Spaces shall be provided in the minimum quantity specified in Column 2 and subject to the regulations in	No bicycle parking proposed	Non-conforming

Required By By-Law	Provided	Conforming/ Non-Conforming
Section 5.4.2; and ii) Long-term Bicycle Parking Spaces shall be provided in the minimum quantity specified in Column 3 and subject to the regulations in Section 5.4.2.		
Refer to table in By-law 5.7.5		
Multiple Dwelling:		
PRA1 - 0.1 per unit for short term		
- 0.7 per unit for long term		
0.1 x 6 = 0.6 short term		
0.7 x 6 = 4.2 long term		

Yours truly

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APPLICATION FOR A MINOR VARIANCE/PERMISSION

UNDER SECTION 45 OF THE PLANNING ACT

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

		NAME	MAILIN	G ADDRESS		
Registered Owners(s)		Spencer Farrell				
Applicant(s)		Corbett Land Strategies c/o Alicia Monteith				
Agent or Solicitor		Corbett Land Strategies Inc c/o Alicia Monteith				
1.2 Primary co	ntact		☑ Applicar	ıt	☐ Owner ☐ Agent/Solicitor	
1.3 Sign should	d be s	ent to	☑ Applicar	ıt	☐ Owner ☐ AgentSolicitor	
1.4 Request fo	r digita	al copy of sign	☑ Yes*	□ No		
If YES, pro	vide e	mail address where sigr	n is to be se	nt		
1.5 All correspo	onden	ce may be sent by emai	I	☑ Yes*	□ No	
(if applicab	If Yes, a valid email must be included for the registered owner(s) AND the Applicant/Agent (if applicable). Only one email address submitted will result in the voiding of this service. This request does not guarantee all correspondence will sent by email.					
1.6 Payment ty	/pe		☐ In perso ☐ Cheque		☑ Credit over phone*	

2. LOCATION OF SUBJECT LAND

2.1 Complete the applicable sections:

Municipal Address	5 Barnesdale Avenue South, Hamilton, Ontario				
Assessment Roll Number					
Former Municipality					
Lot		Concession			
Registered Plan Number	413	Lot(s)	Pt Lts 147, 148 & 149		
Reference Plan Number (s)		Part(s)			

Re	gistered Plan Number	413	Lot(s)	Pt Lts 147, 148 & 149
Re	ference Plan Number (s)		Part(s)	
2.2	Are there any easements	or restrictive covenant	ts affecting the subject la	nd?
	☐ Yes ☑ No			
	If YES, describe the ease	ment or covenant and	its effect:	
3.	PURPOSE OF THE APPL	LICATION		
	litional sheets can be sub stions. Additional sheets			er the following
All d	limensions in the application)	n form are to be provid	ed in metric units (millime	tres, metres, hectares,
3.1	Nature and extent of reli	ef applied for:		
	A reduced rear yard setback encroachment of an exterior 1.5m, an accessory building	stair 1.5m into the front	yard, an increased balcon	encroachment of
	☐ Second Dwelling Uni	t ☐ Reconst	ruction of Existing Dwellir	g
3.2	Why it is not possible to	comply with the provisi	ions of the By-law?	
	See the attached Plannin	g Justification Letter		
3.3	Is this an application 45(2) of the Planning Act. ☐ Yes	☑ No	
	If yes, please provide an	explanation:		

4. DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT LAND AND SERVICING INFORMATION

4.1 Dimensions of Subject Lands:

Lot Frontage	Lot Depth	Lot Area	Width of Street
8.53 m	28.23 m	222.74 sq. m	

4.2	Location of all buildings and structures on or proposed for the subject lands:
	(Specify distance from side, rear and front lot lines)

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Type of Structure	Front Yard Setback	Rear Yard Setback	Side Yard Setbacks	Date of Construction
Single-detached dwelling	2.5 m	11 m	0.95 m	Unknown

Proposed:

Type of Structure	Front Yard Setback	Rear Yard Setback	Side Yard Setbacks	Date of Construction
Back to back stacked townhouses	3 m	5.9 m	1.2 m	
Accessory Building	23.2m	0.3m	1.2m	

4.3. Particulars of all buildings and structures on or proposed for the subject lands (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Existing:

Type of Structure	Ground Floor Area	Gross Floor Area	Number of Storeys	Height
Single-detached dwelling	86 sq. m.	172 sq. m.	3	8m

Proposed:

Type of Structure	Ground Floor Area	Gross Floor Area	Number of Storeys	Height
Back to back stacked townhouses	90.55 sq. m	373 .54 sq. m	3	12.3m
Accessory Building	5.76 sq. m.	5.76 sq. m.	1	3m

4.4	Type of water supply: (check appropriate box) ☑ publicly owned and operated piped water system ☐ privately owned and operated individual well	☐ lake or other water body ☐ other means (specify)
4.5	Type of storm drainage: (check appropriate boxes) ☑ publicly owned and operated storm sewers ☐ swales	☐ ditches☐ other means (specify)

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4.6	Type of sewage disposal proposed: (check appropriate box)
	 ✓ publicly owned and operated sanitary sewage ☐ system privately owned and operated individual ☐ septic system other means (specify)
4.7	Type of access: (check appropriate box) ☐ provincial highway ☐ municipal road, seasonally maintained ☐ municipal road, maintained all year ☐ municipal road, maintained all year
4.8	Proposed use(s) of the subject property (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc.):
	3-storey building, 6 back to back stacked townhouses
4.9	Existing uses of abutting properties (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc.): Single detached dwelling
7	HISTORY OF THE SUBJECT LAND
7.1	Date of acquisition of subject lands: June 1, 2024
7.2	Previous use(s) of the subject property: (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc)
	Residential
7.3	Existing use(s) of the subject property: (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc) Single detached dwelling
7.4	Length of time the existing uses of the subject property have continued: Unknown
7.5	What is the existing official plan designation of the subject land?
	Rural Hamilton Official Plan designation (if applicable):
	Rural Settlement Area:
	Urban Hamilton Official Plan designation (if applicable) Neighbourhoods
	Please provide an explanation of how the application conforms with the Official Plan. Please refer to the Planning Justification Letter
7.6	What is the existing zoning of the subject land? TOC3
7.8	Has the owner previously applied for relief in respect of the subject property? (Zoning By-lawAmendment or Minor Variance) ☐ Yes ☑ No
	If yes, please provide the file number: TOC3

Planning Act?		Yes	☑ No	
If yes, please prov	ride the file number	:		
ADDITIONAL INF	ORMATION			
Number of Dwellin	ng Units Existing:	1	_	
Number of Dwellin	ng Units Proposed:	6	_	
Additional Informa	tion (please include	e separate sh	eet if needed):	

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11 COMPLETE APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

11.1	All Applications
	Application Fee
	☑ Site Sketch
	Complete Application form
	☑ Signatures Sheet
11.4	Other Information Deemed Necessary
	☑ Cover Letter/Planning Justification Report
	Authorization from Council or Director of Planning and Chief Planner to submit application for Minor Variance
	☐ Minimum Distance Separation Formulae (data sheet available upon request)
	Hydrogeological Assessment
	Septic Assessment
	Archeological Assessment
	☐ Noise Study
	☐ Parking Study