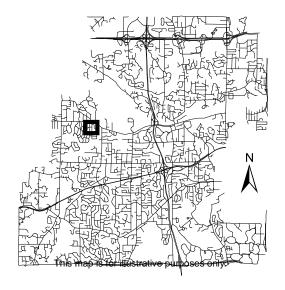




Location Map

Project: Sullivan Residence Address: 3500 Moorland Rd



Measured Inc. 16694 Meadowbrook Lane Wayzata, MN 55391

June 10th 2024

City of Minnetonka: Planning Commission

Expansion Permit Written Statement for: John and Jennifer Sullivan 3500 Moorland Rd⁻ Minnetonka, MN 55345

This expansion permit request is for the existing dwelling at 3500 Moorland Rd. The homeowners need to add more living space to the home to accommodate their young family. Because this is a non-conforming lot with an existing structure it will require an expansion permit.

The homeowners hired JAL Architects to design the addition to both meet their space requirements and to improve the appearance of the property. The final design is a traditional 1 ½ story cottage that adds a second floor for living space while maintaining the look a single story cottage.

The project meets the requirements for the expansion permit, specifically the project maintains the existing building footprint, it does not adversely affect traffic or parking and the project fits right in with the character and spirit of the area.

Approval of the expansion permit will ensure the Sullivan's can continue to raise their family in the home and neighborhood.

Respectfully submitted by, Arien Yineman Measured Inc.

PRACTICAL DIFFICULTIES WORKSHEET

By state law, variances may be granted from the standards of the city's zoning ordinance only if:

- 1) The proposed variance is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the zoning ordinance;
- 2) The proposed variance is consistent with the comprehensive plan; and
- 3) An applicant establishes that there are practical difficulties in complying with the ordinance standard from which they are requesting a variance. Practical difficulties means:
 - The proposed use is reasonable;
 - The need for a variance is caused by circumstances unique to the property, not created by the property owner, and not solely based on economic considerations; and
 - The proposed use would not alter the essential character of the surrounding area.

VARIANCE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF THIS WORKSHEET IS NOT COMPLETE:

	PRACTICAL DIFFICULTIES
Describe why the proposed use is reasonable	The proposed additions are above the existing house or in line with the front building line of the house. The design complements and utilizes the existing structure.
Describe: circumstances unique to the property; why the need for variance was not caused by the property owner; and and why the need is not solely based on economic considerations.	The existing Structure is nonconforming. An addition to the second story would require an exemption to the current front or sine yard setbacks. The Site is . 14 acres, Smaller than most reighboring properties. This is size from platting in 1927.
Describe why the variance would not alter the essential character of the neighborhood	The site has existing nonconformities. We ask to use those and build in line with existing conditions.

Certificate of Survey

EXISTING CONDITIONS

(H)

Road

Moorland

Prepared for: Measured Inc.

60.

NO-29

Fence-

-Fence-

Bituminous Road

Concrete '

Driveway

Tonkaway Road

-Stoop & Steps

S89°44'54"E 120.00

Éxisting House

Existing House

Deck &

Steps

Curb

10.0

-Stoop & Steps

--Fence

Concrete Walkway

Boundary Description (supplied by client) Lot 1, Block 3, STARING'S TONKAWOOD-CROFT, HENNEPIN COUNTY, MN, according to the recorded plat thereof, Hennepin County, Minnesota. Subject to any and all easements of record.

> <u>Site Address:</u> 3500 Moorland Road, Minnetonka, MN 55345

Legend

O Set Iron Monument (LS 48328)

(MH) Manhole

-⊖- Hydrant

EW Egress Well

(+)) Utility Pole

I hereby certify that this certificate of survey was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly Registered Land Surveyor under the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Registration No. 48328

Job Number: Survey Date: 4/22/24, 4/24/24 Drawing Name: MeasuredInc.dwg Drawn by: Revisions:

SCALE 1 inch = 20 feet

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Date: <u>April 26, 2024</u>

Certificate of Survey

PROPOSED CONDITIONS

(D)

Concrete Walkway

-Proposed

Porch

PORCH

ADDITION

Road

Moorland

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Bituminous Road

Proposed Stoop & Steps

PROPOSED.

SECOND-STORY

ADDITION

Concrete :

Driveway:

Tonkaway Road

Stoop & Steps

Existing House

Deck &

Steps

(to be removed)

S89'44'54"E 120.00

Existing House

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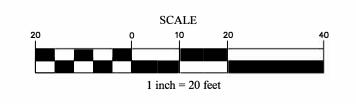
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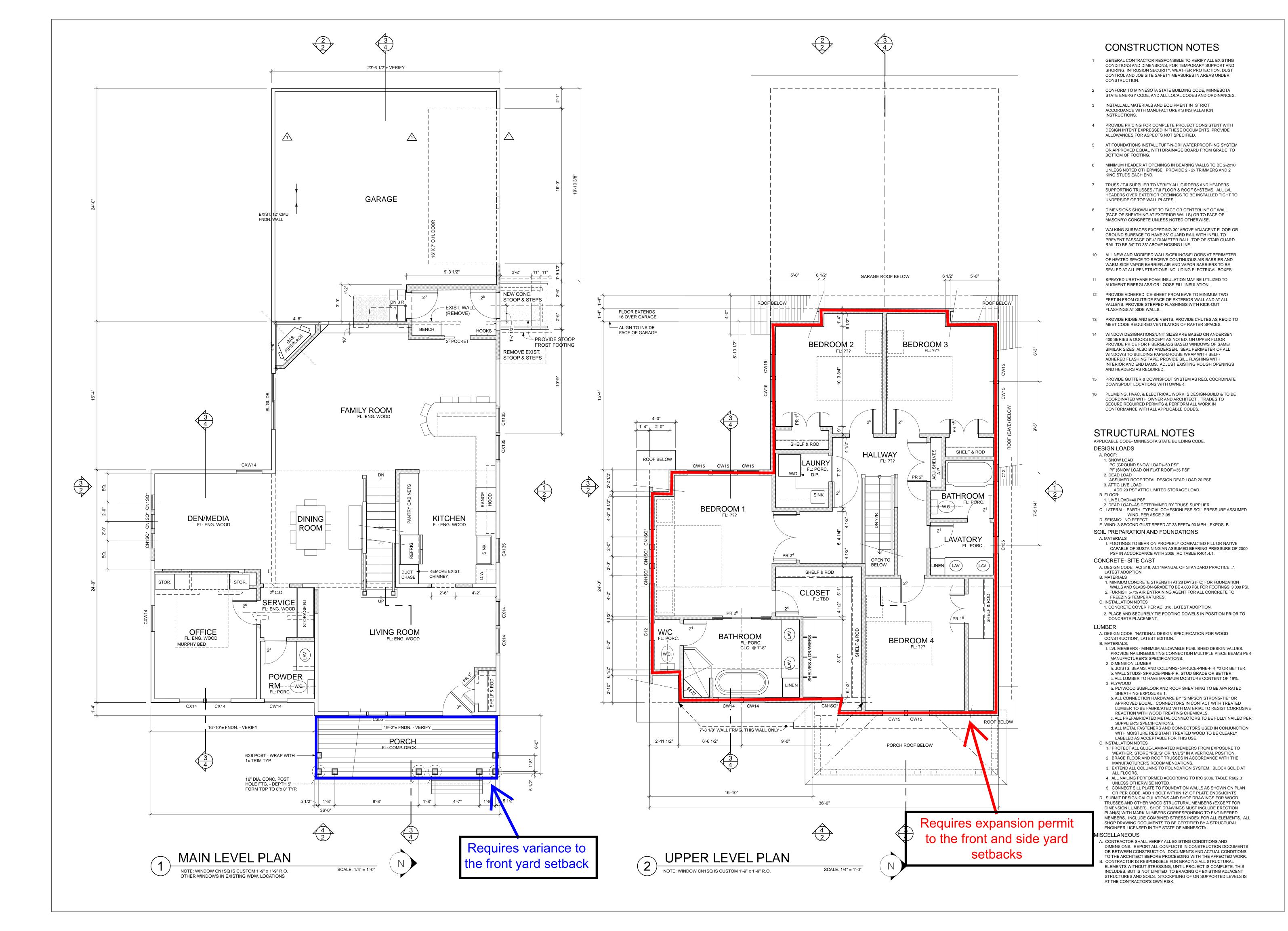
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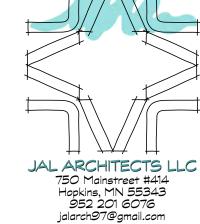
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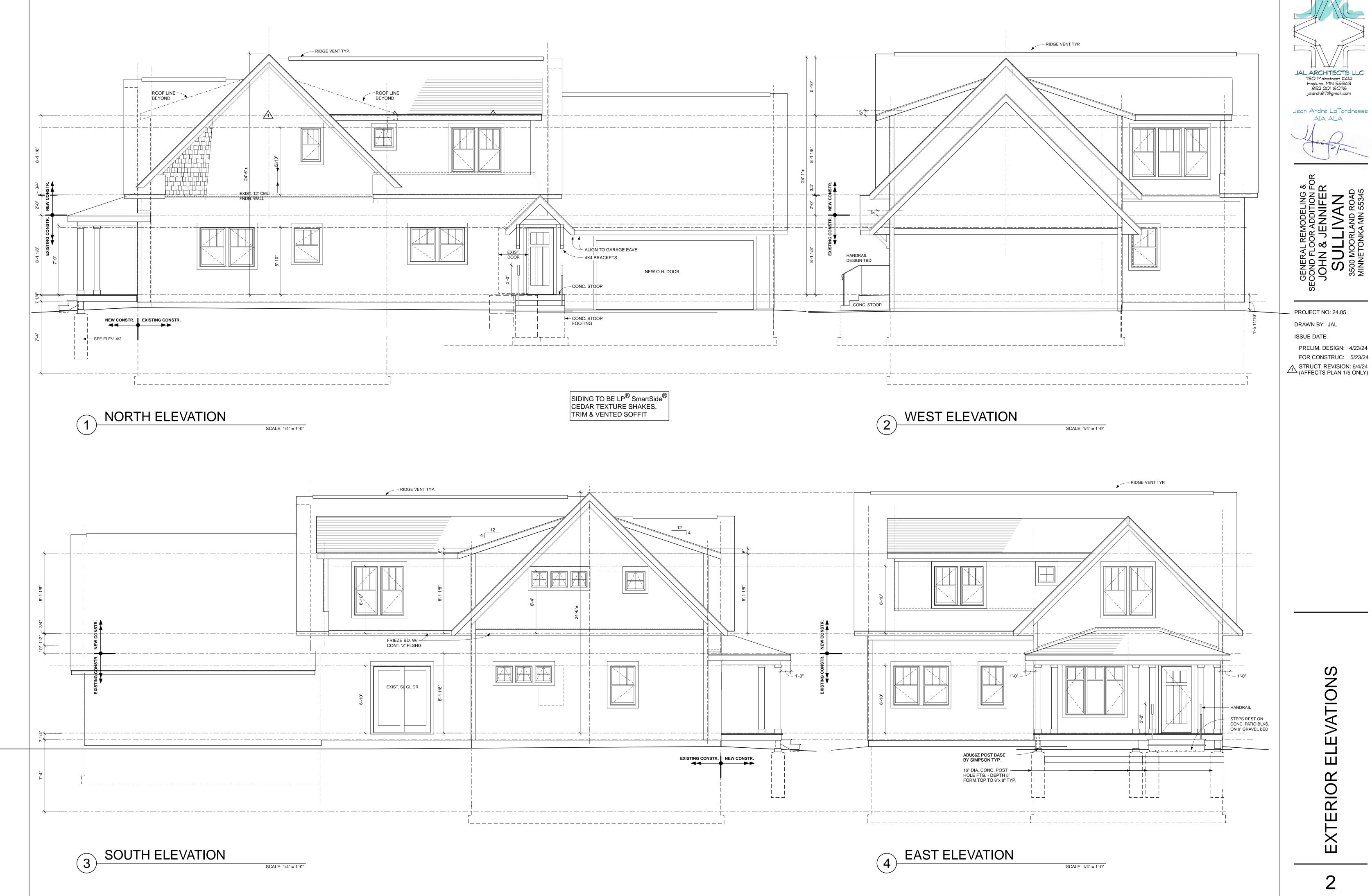
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PROJECT NO: 24.05

DRAWN BY: JAL

ISSUE DATE:

PRELIM. DESIGN: 4/23/24 FOR CONSTRUC: 5/23/24 STRUCT. REVISION: 6/4/24 (AFFECTS PLAN 1/5 ONLY)



Jean André LaTondresse