

Mass timber in Hospitality & Beyond

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Course Description

This course will explore applications of mass timber in Hospitality projects, allowed under changes to the 2021 IBC. Sustainability benefits in addition to the aesthetic advantages of mass timber are qualities shared between hospitality and office construction, where DLR Group has an extensive mass timber portfolio. Working together with the University of Minnesota, Marriott International, Coffman Engineers, Friedman Properties, and Smartlam North America, DLR Group has completed work on a USDA Wood Innovation Grant to develop a prototype building design. Research findings serve as inspiration for future projects and help answer the typical doubts of mass timber as a viable structure option for hotels. Key considerations include fire protection, acoustics, durability, longevity, and cost.

Learning Objectives

1. Understand the fire protection design requirements for mass timber hotels
2. Learn about the acoustical design goals for hospitality projects and how they are impacted by mass timber assemblies
3. Discuss durability and longevity considerations for mass timber hotels
4. Understand how hotel developers understand mass timber costs and value

AGENDA

Introductions

Mass Timber Case Studies

- T3 Program
- T3 Austin Residential Units
- Canopy Minneapolis

Mass Timber Hotel Prototype Research

On the Boards – What we thought we knew,
what we know now

- 9th & High Student Housing
- Truckee Mass Timber Hotel
- DC Timber Hotel
- Frisco Timber Development

MASS TIMBER CASE STUDIES

A black and white photograph of a modern building's interior. The image shows a large, sloped wooden ceiling made of horizontal planks. A horizontal wooden beam runs across the foreground. The lighting is dramatic, with strong shadows and highlights on the wood. The text "MASS TIMBER CASE STUDIES" is overlaid in the top left corner.

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T3 PROJECTS

7 Built: 1.2mSF

CDs Complete:

Minneapolis

Durham1

Atlanta

Durham2

Nashville

In Entitlements:

Austin

Denver

Redwood City

Toronto 1

Vancouver

Toronto 2

Toronto 3

Under Construction:

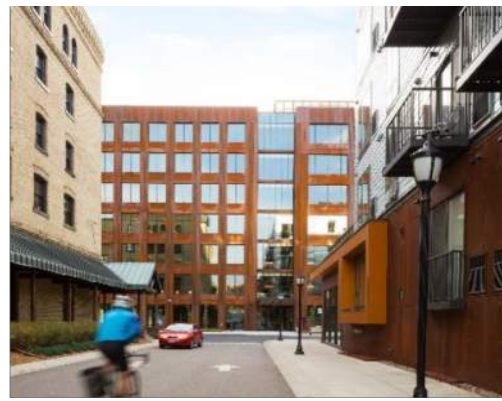
Awaiting Launch:

Fort Lauderdale

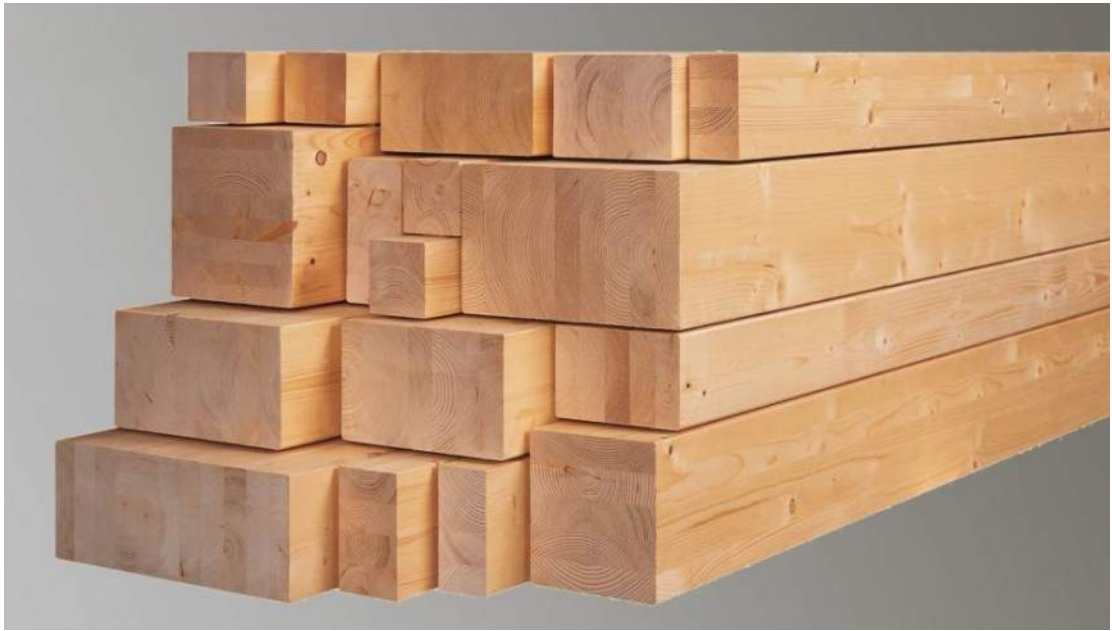
Omaha

Oak Brook

Chicago

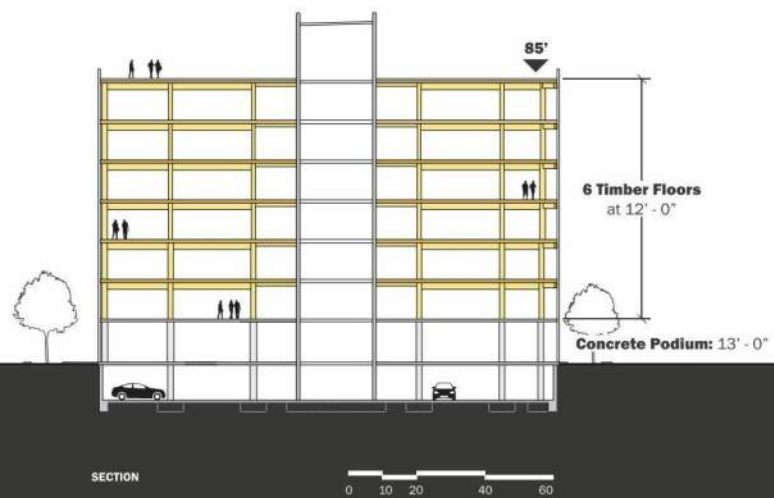
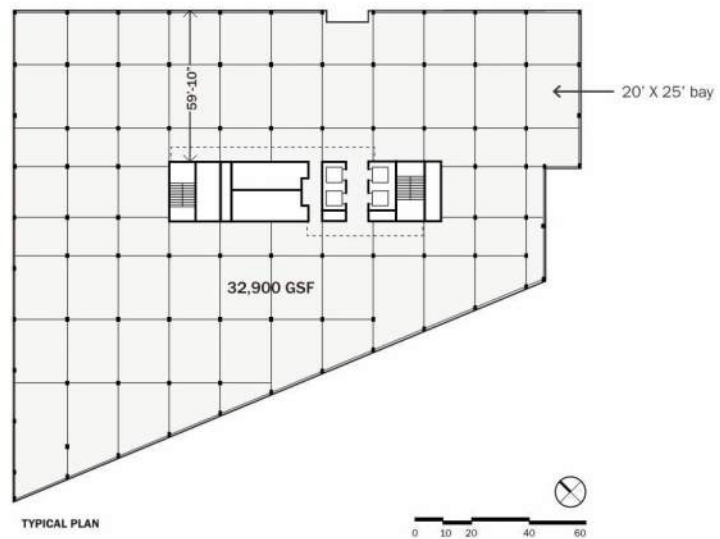


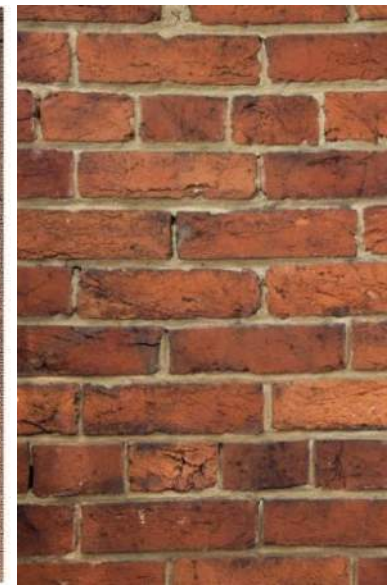
CASE STUDY – T3 PROGRAM



WHYTIMBER

MASS TIMBER IN HOSPITALITY





MASS TIMBER CONTEXT



CASE STUDY – T3 MINNEAPOLIS

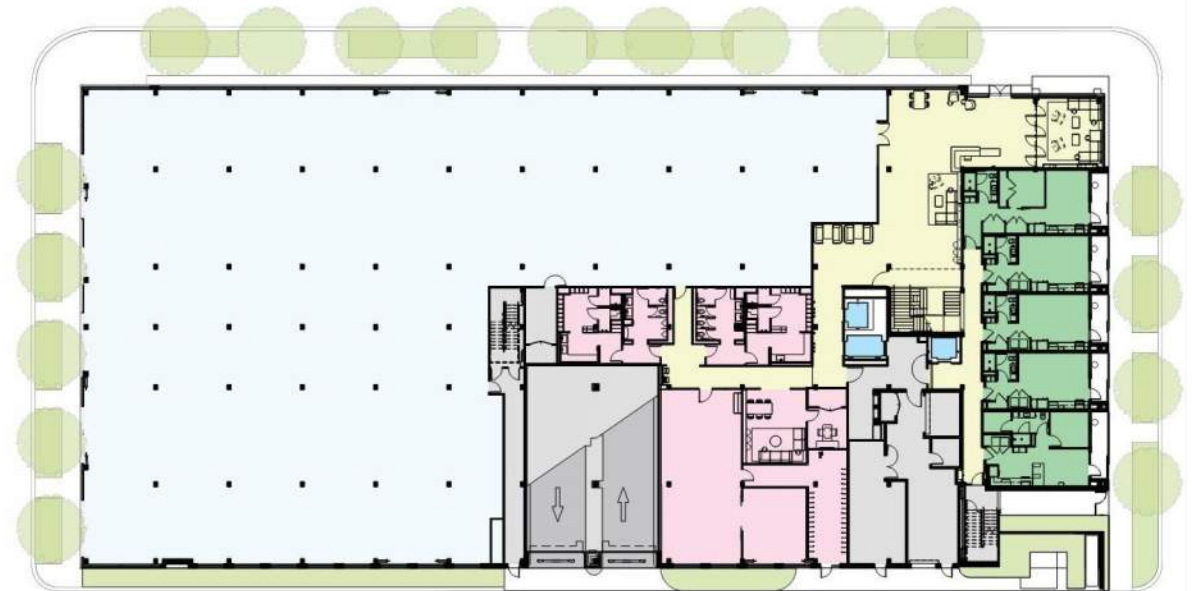






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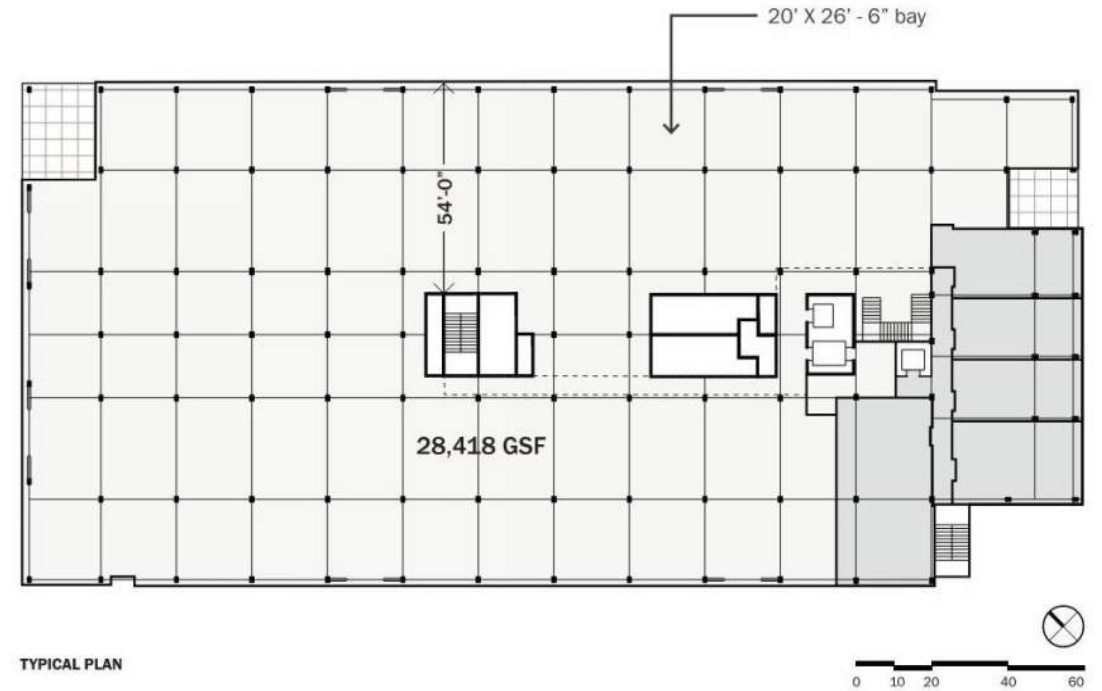
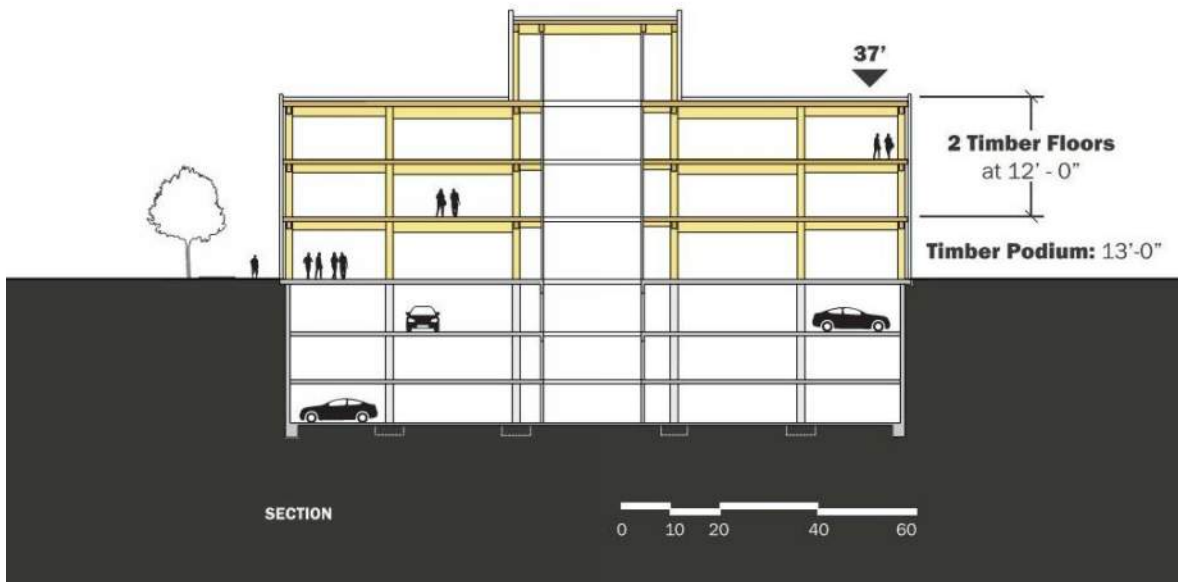
T3



GROUND FLOOR PLAN | ATX Eastside
not to scale

- Transit
- Major Street Traffic
- Major Bike Path
- Bus Stop
- 1 Plaza Saltillo Station
- 2 5th Street downtown
- 3 Downtown Austin
- 4 Red River Cultural District
- 5 East Cesar Chavez Neighborhood
- 6 Cosmic Coffee at Texaco Depot
- Amenity
- Social Work Space
- Building Services
- Office
- Residential
- Vertical Circulation
- Circulation

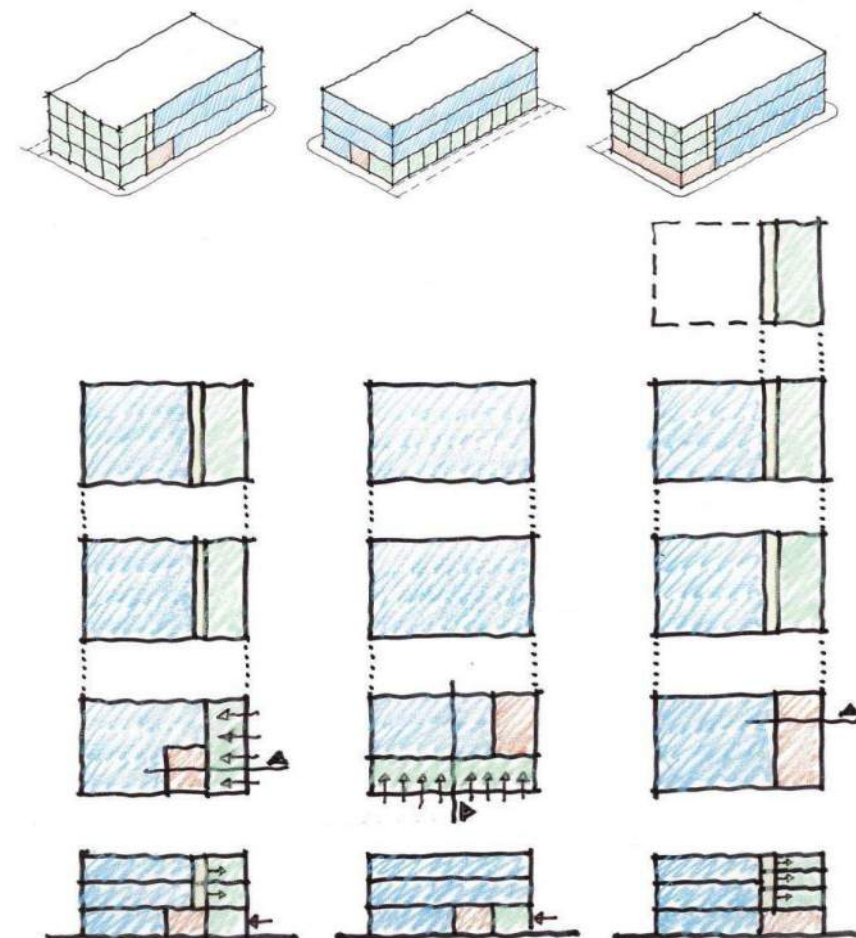
CASE STUDY - T3 ATX EASTSIDE



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ENLARGED STUDIO UNIT LAYOUT



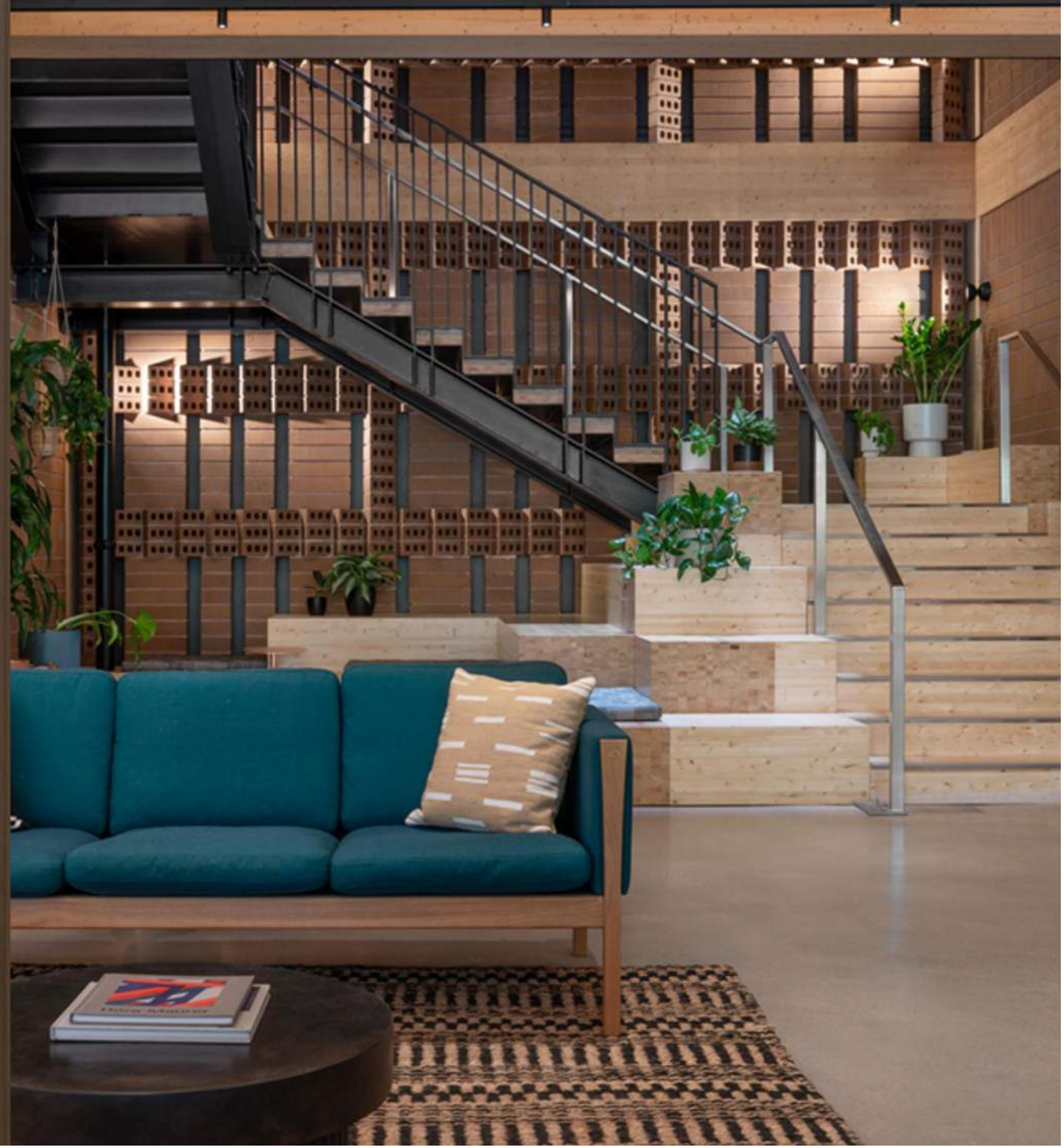
T3 Lofts
Floors aligned
Patio units
High ceilings

Alley Lofts
100% Efficiency for Resi
No vertical circulation for Resi
Progressive Alley Artist Loft

Attayac Flats
Resi atop Office amenity
Consistency of Office plates
Floors not aligned

Mixed-Use Stacking Schemes

RESIDENTIAL UNITS

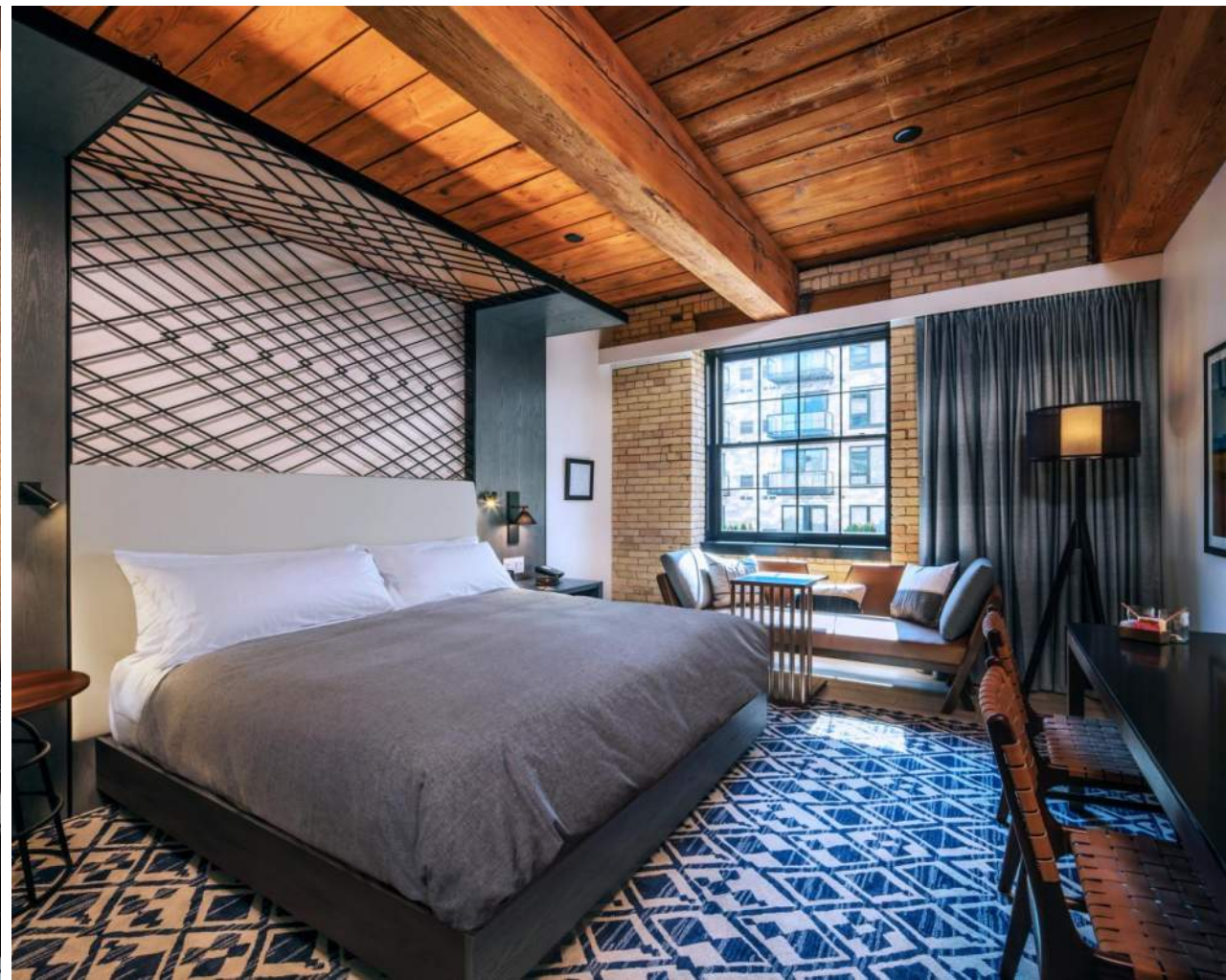
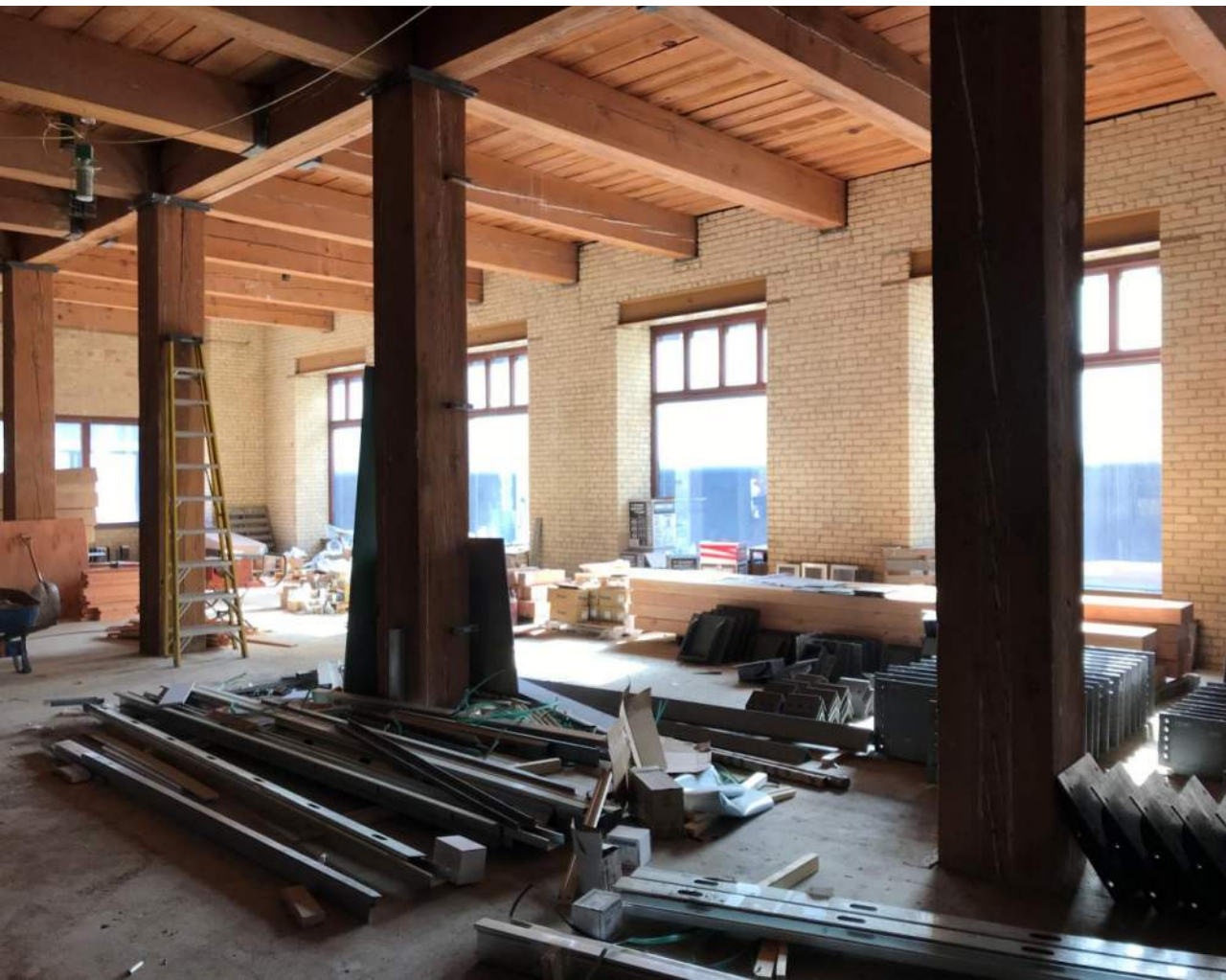




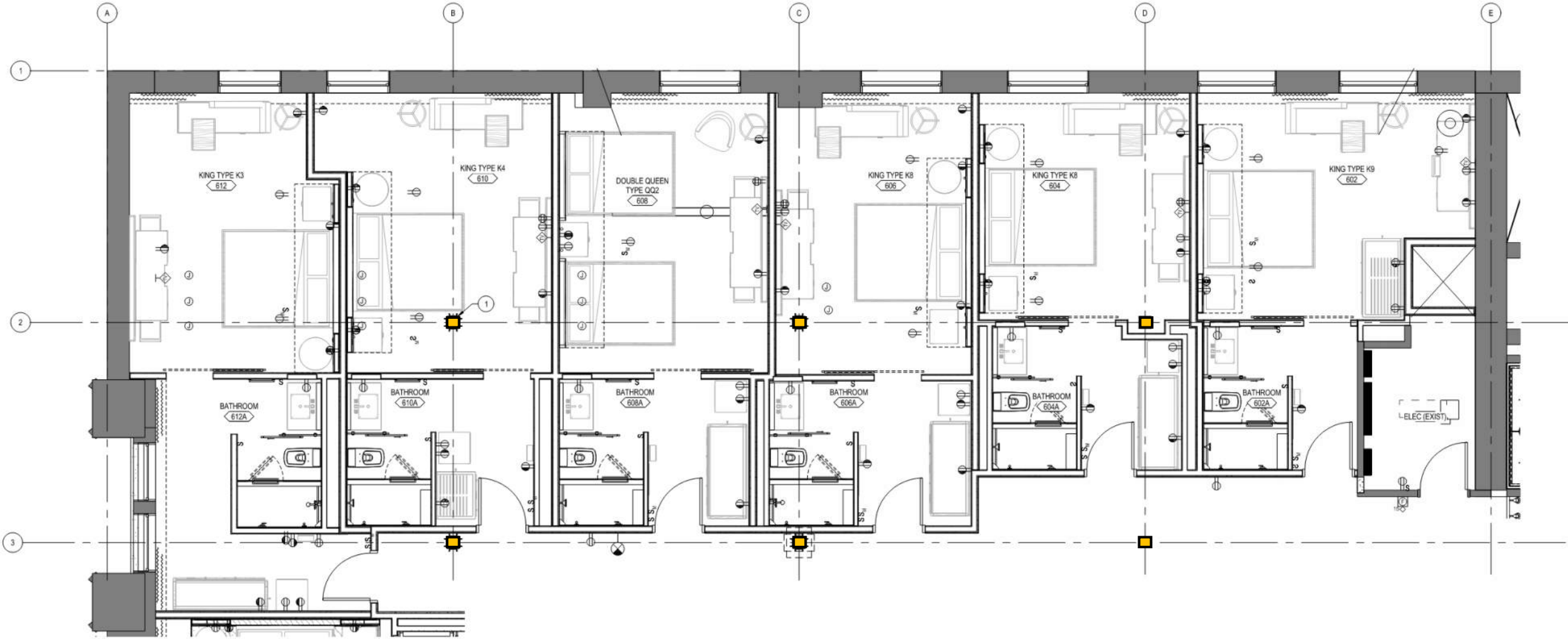




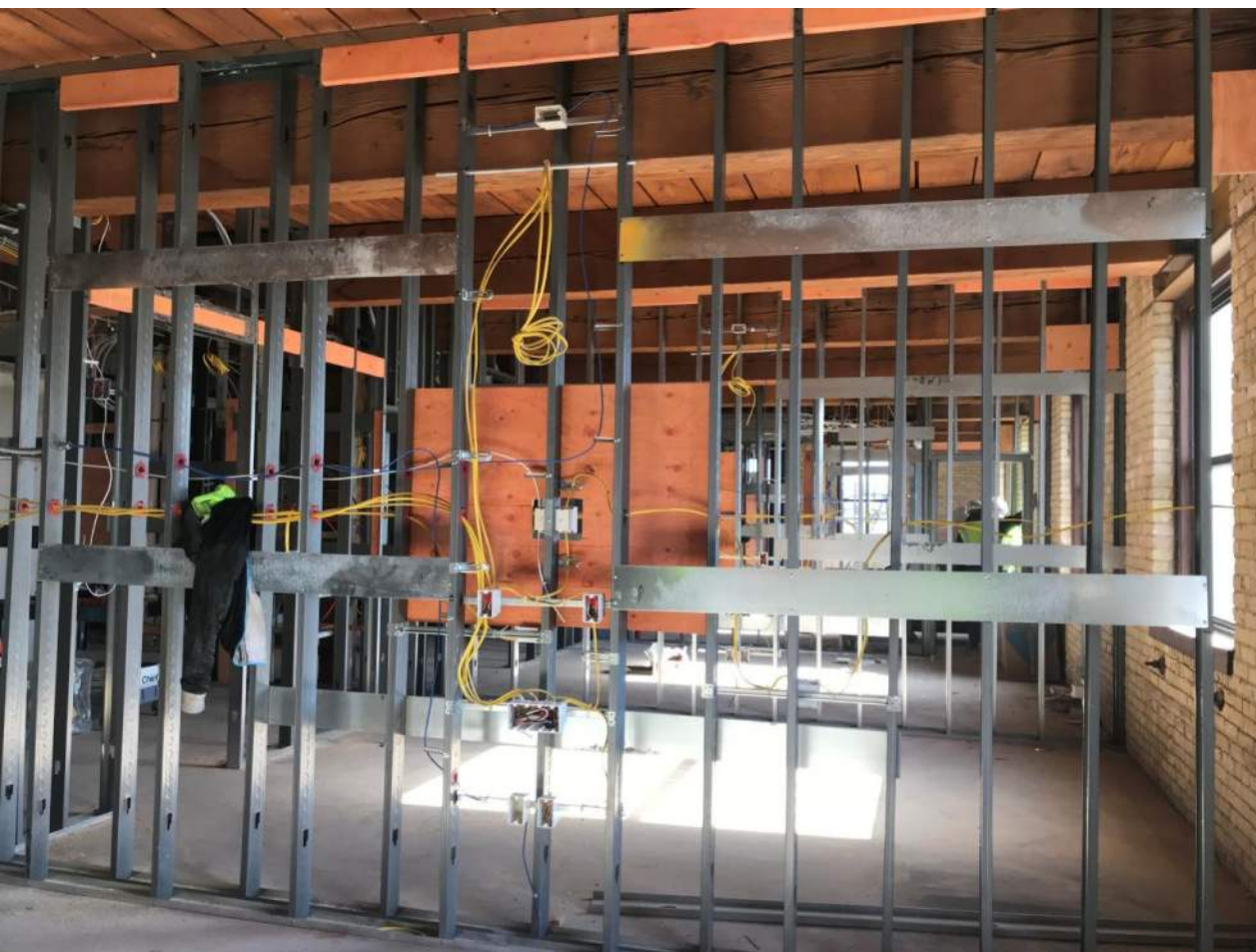
CASE STUDY - CANOPY MINNEAPOLIS



GOOD BONES TO GUESTROOMS



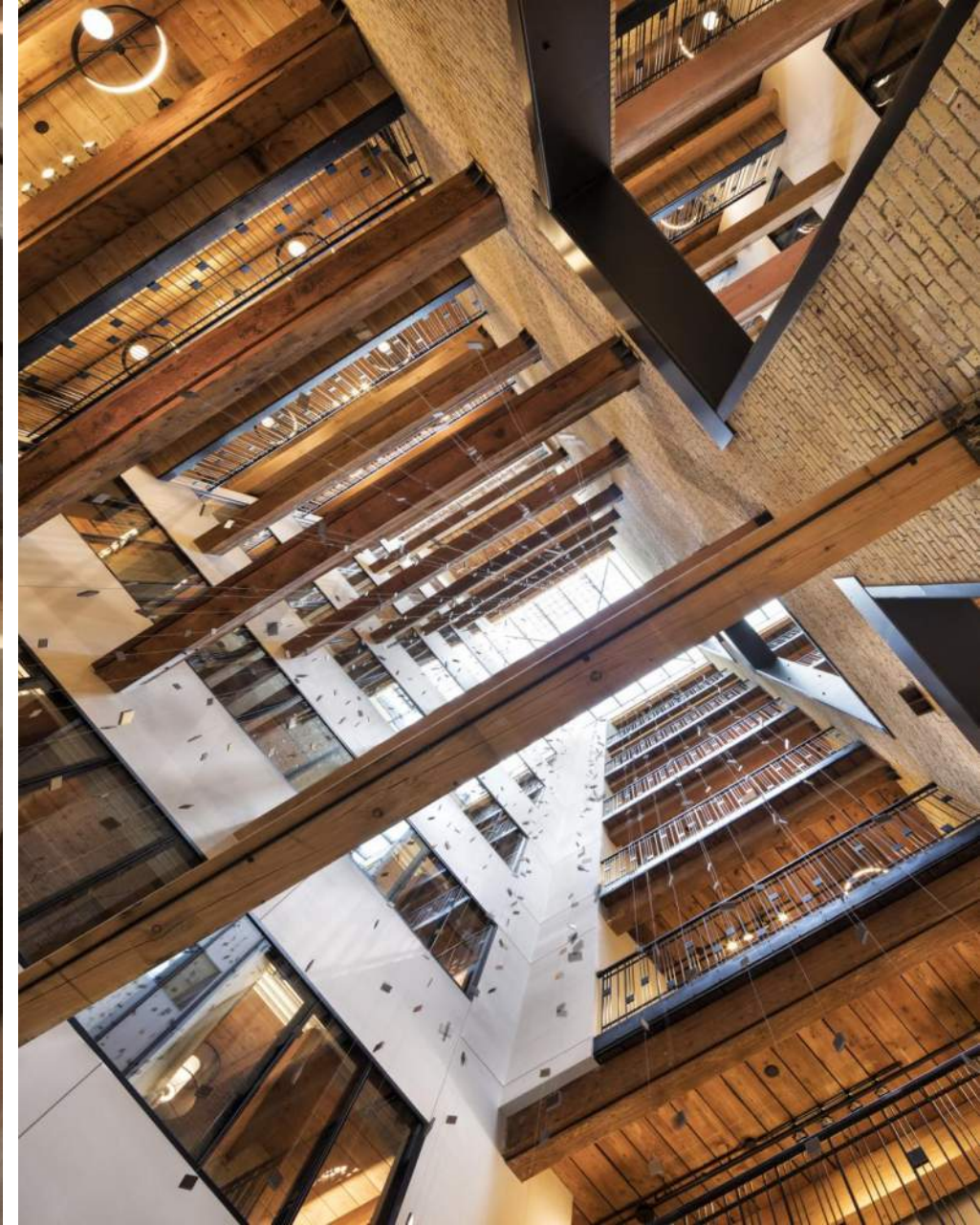
GUESTROOM LAYOUTS



MEP INTEGRATION AND PARTITIONS



ATRIUM BEFORE AND AFTER







MASS TIMBER HOTEL

WOOD INNOVATION GRANT

DLR GROUP + UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

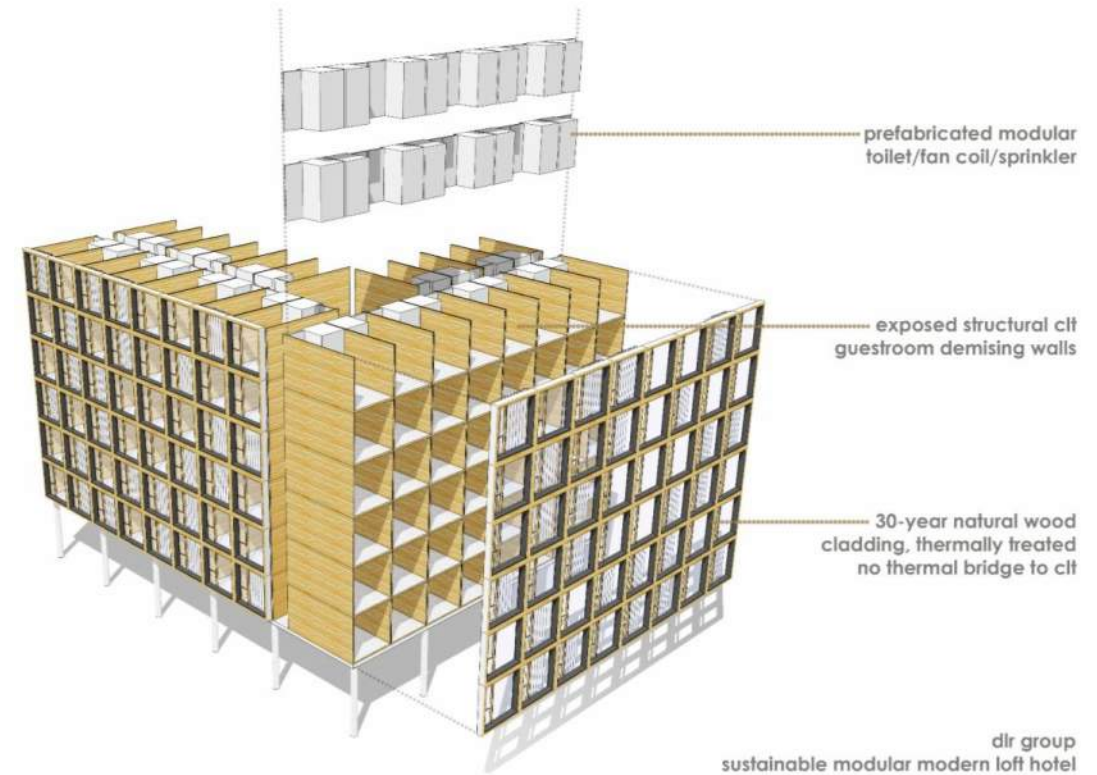
Grant-Based Research

Develop a prototype design for mass timber hotels that takes advantage of the changes to the 2021 International Building Code (IBC) and addresses:

- Structure
- Acoustics
- Code Compliance
- Durability
- Beauty
- Biophilia
- Modularity
- Prefabrication

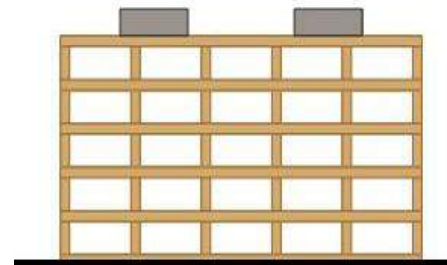


- 1) FLEXIBLE MODULE FOR MULTIPLE HOTEL BRANDS
- 2) EFFICIENT STRUCTURE
- 3) 2-HR FIRE RATING FOR PRIMARY STRUCTURAL FRAME
- 4) APPROPRIATE ACOUSTIC SEPARATIONS WITH MASS TIMBER
- 5) PROMOTE PREFABRICATION
- 6) FACILITATE MEP INTEGRATION
- 7) FIT WITH NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT
- 8) UTILIZE HEALTHY MATERIALS
- 9) PROMOTE BIOPHILIA AND WELLNESS
- 10) CONSIDER MAINTENANCE AND DURABILITY CONCERNS
- 11) CELEBRATE BEAUTY OF EXPOSED WOOD STRUCTURE



PROTOTYPE GOALS

2018

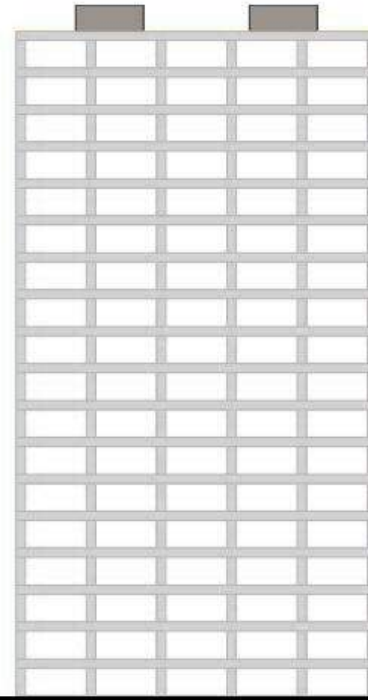


TYPE IV-HT

MAX 5 STORIES, 85'
BLDG. AREA 246,000 SF
AVG. PER STORY 49,200 SF
17' FLR-TO-FLR

2021

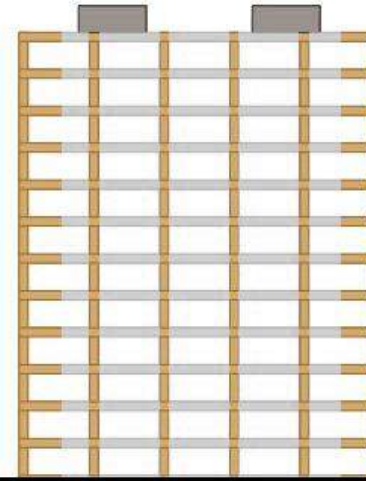
100% ENCAPSULATED



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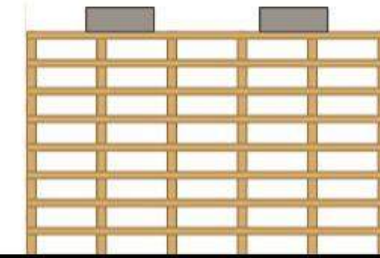
MAX 18 STORIES, 270'
BLDG. AREA 738,000 SF
AVG. PER STORY 41,000 SF
15' FLR-TO-FLR

80% BEAMS+CEILINGS
ENCAPSULATED



TYPE IV-B

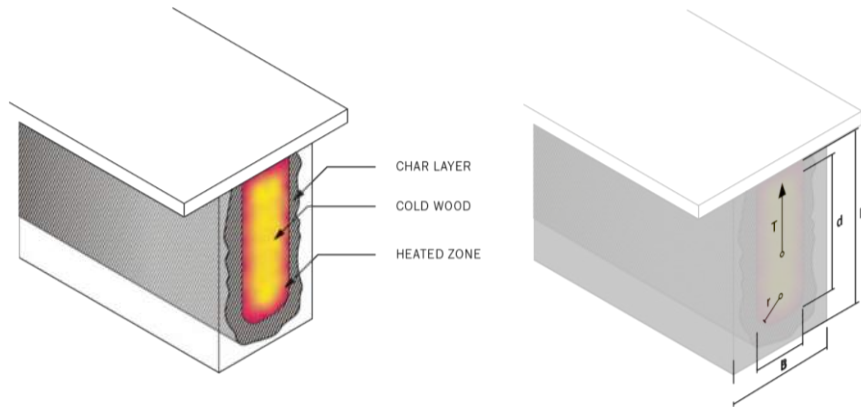
MAX 12 STORIES, 180'
BLDG. AREA 492,000 SF
AVG. PER STORY 41,000 SF
15' FLR-TO-FLR



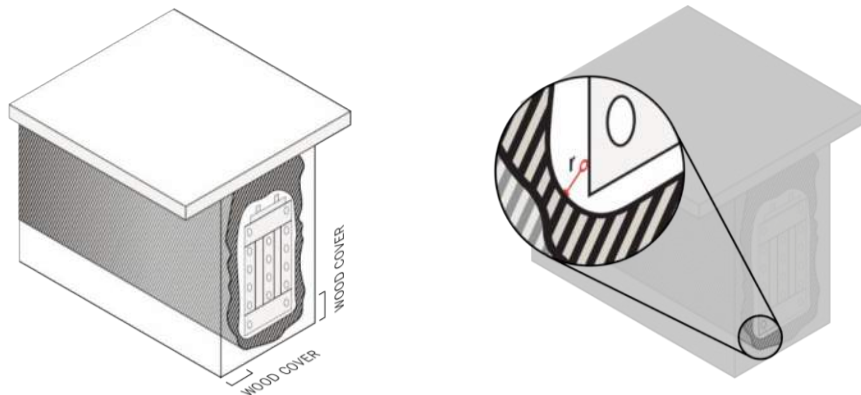
TYPE IV-C

MAX 8 STORIES, 85'
BLDG. AREA 307,500 SF
AVG. PER STORY 38,437 SF
10'-7" FLR-TO-FLR

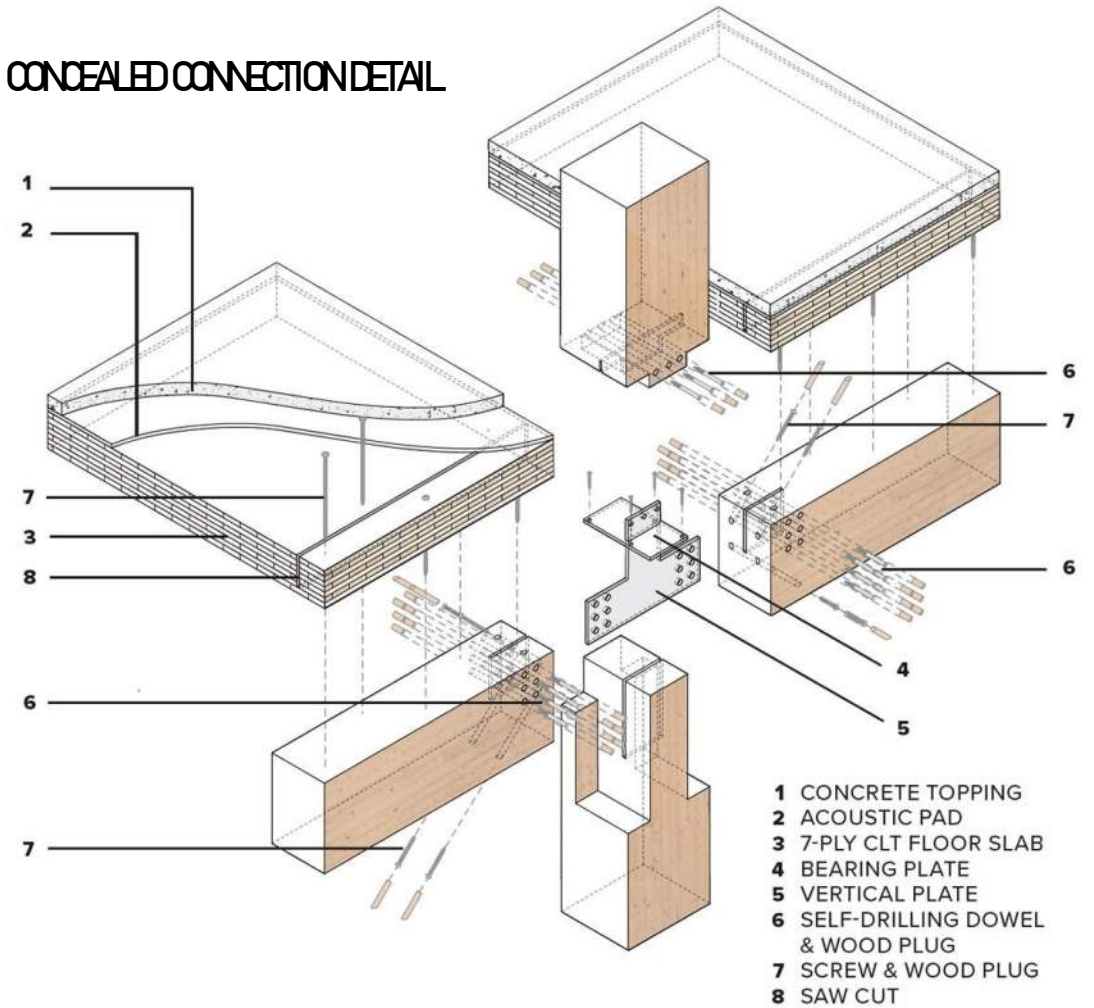
American Wood Council - Calculating the Fire Resistance of Exposed Wood Members - Technical Report No 10



Concealed Beam Hanger System MTC Solutions



CONCEALED CONNECTION DETAIL



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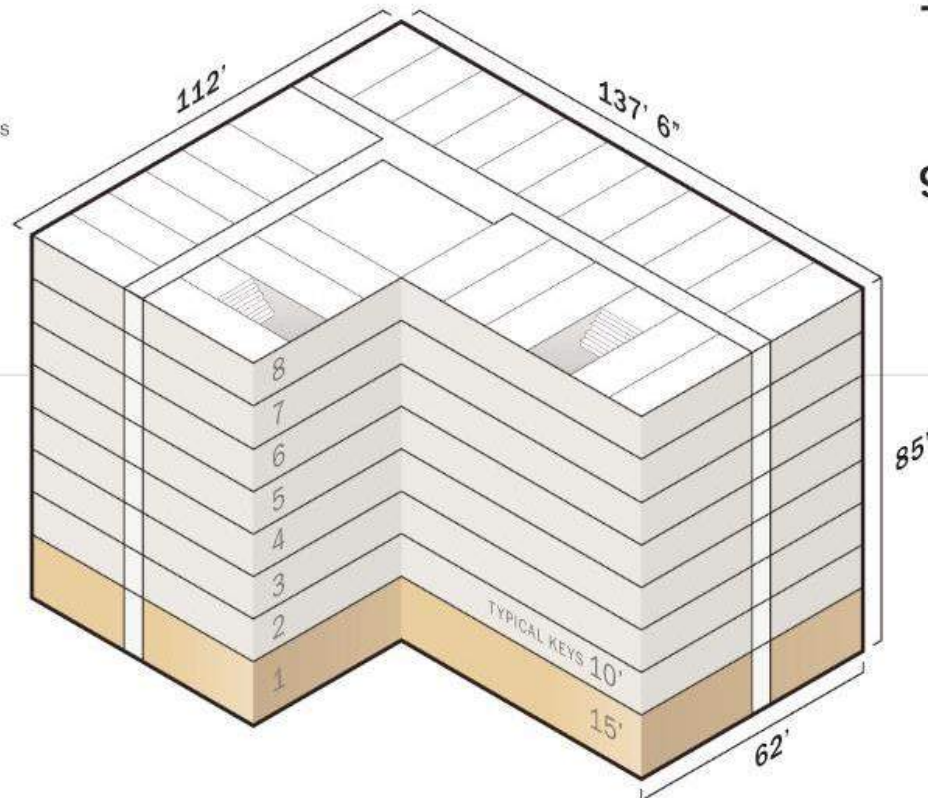
Keys Per Floor

7

Guestroom Floors

175

Keys Total



11,650

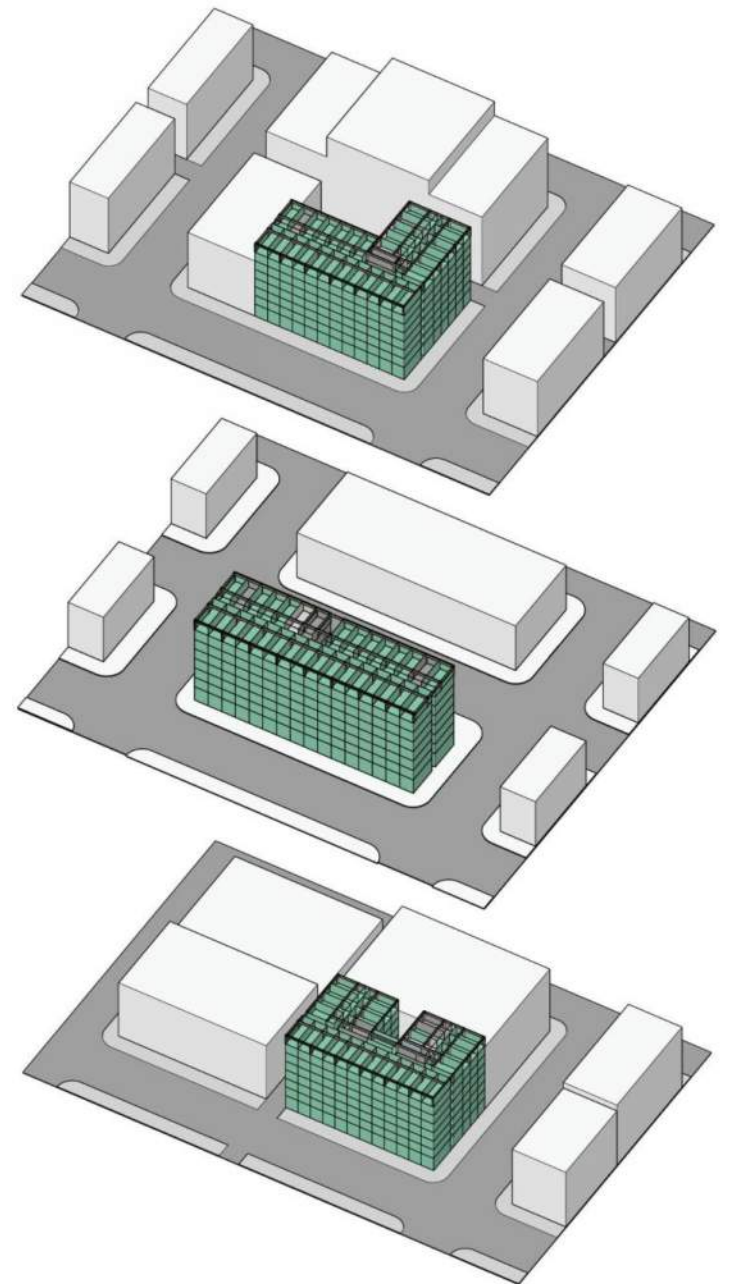
SF Per Floor

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Total Floors

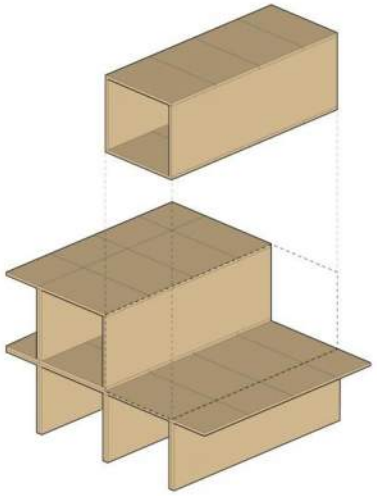
93,200

SF Total

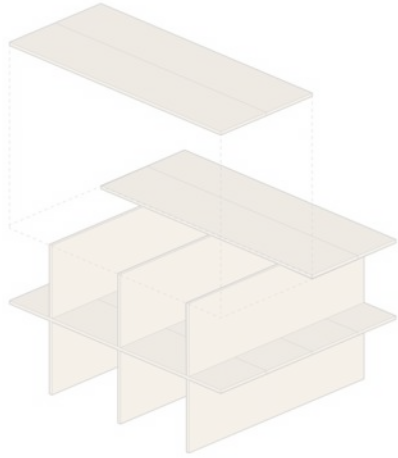


MODULAR + ADAPTABLE DESIGN

MASS TIMBER IN HOSPITALITY



- HIGH QUANTITY
- DYNAMIC LOAD
- SHIPPING AIR



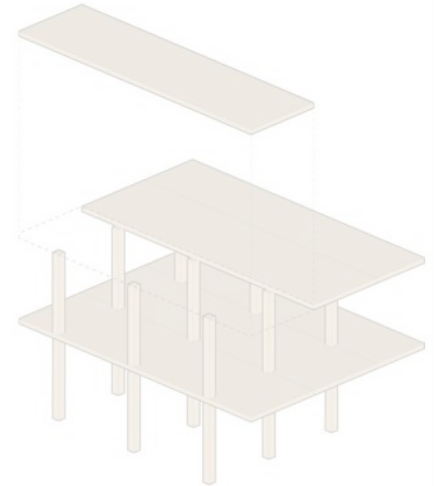
- HIGH QUANTITY
- TRANSFERS REQUIRED
- CLT ACOUSTICS



- + LOW QUANTITY
- + NO TRANSFER
- BEAM DEPTH

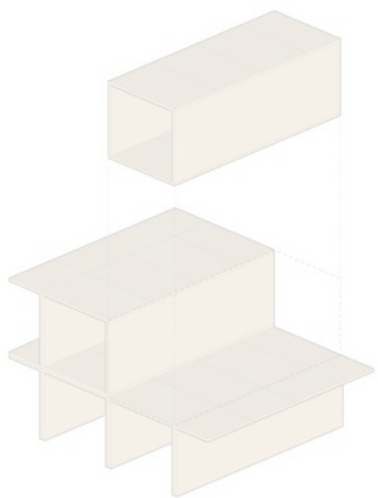


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- BEAMS 2 WAYS

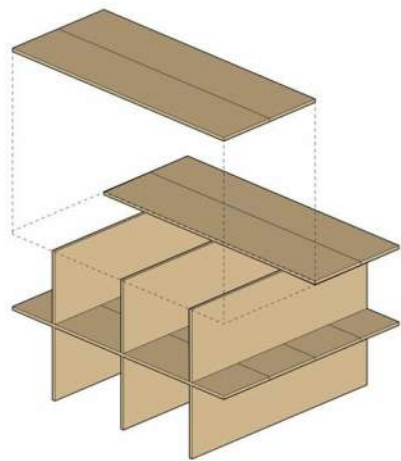


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- PUNCHING SHEAR

STRUCTURAL OPTIONS



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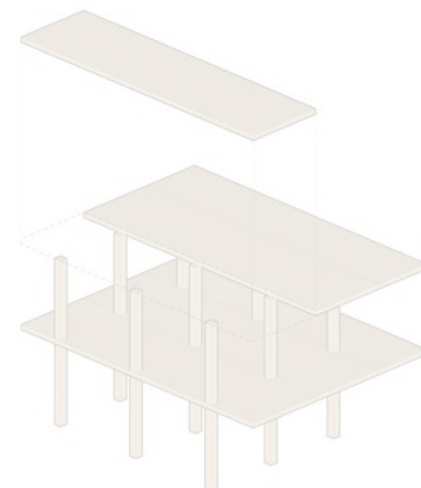
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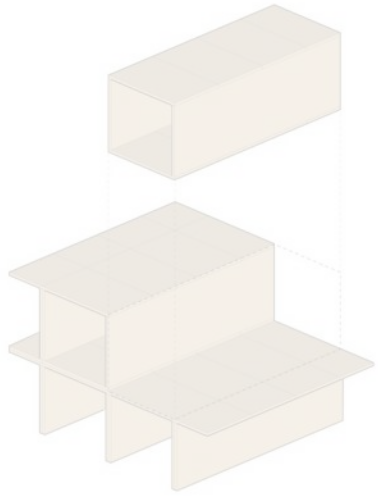


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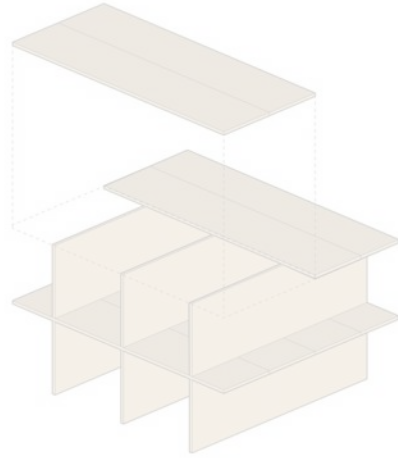


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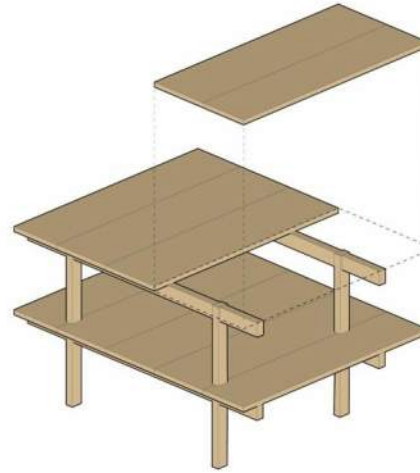
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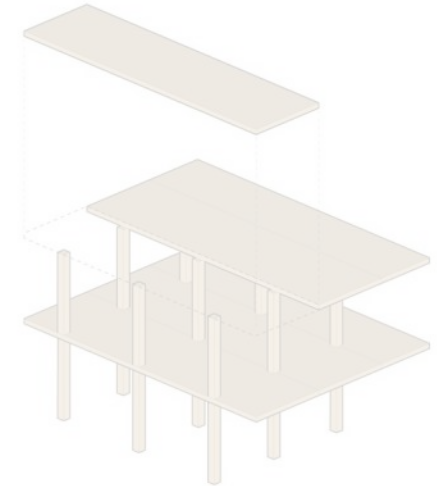
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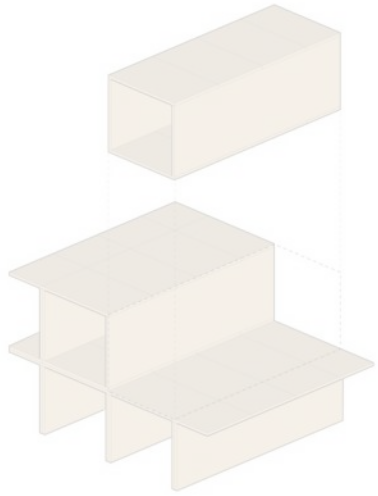


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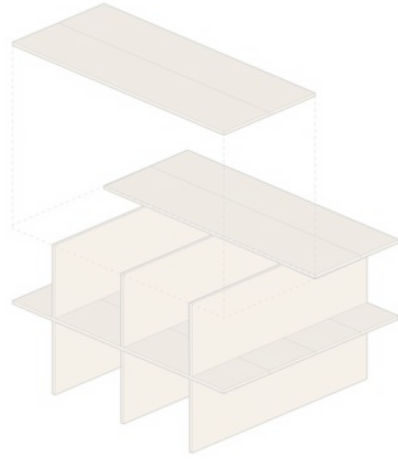


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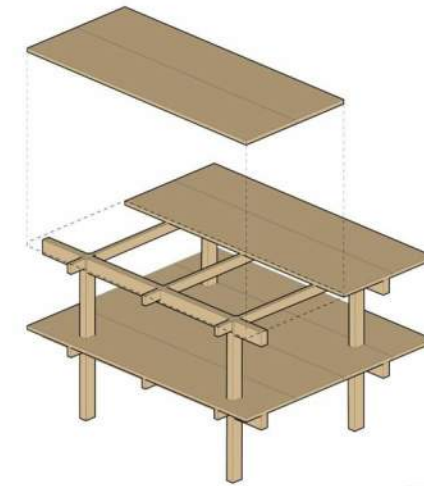
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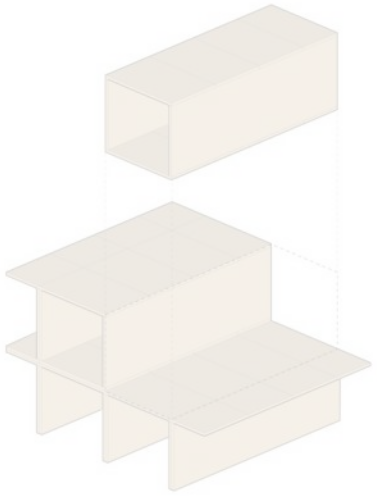


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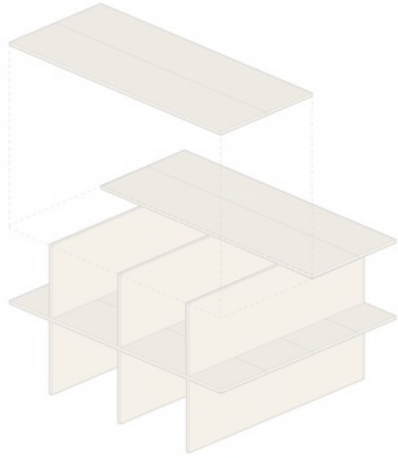


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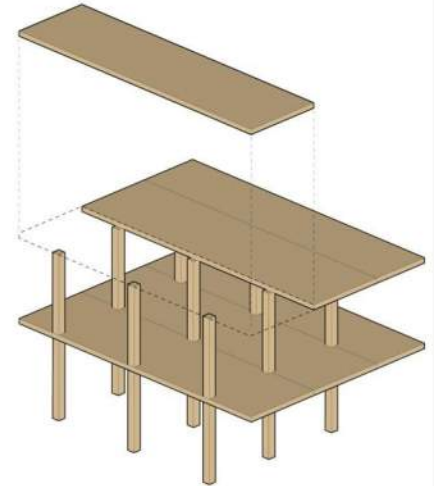
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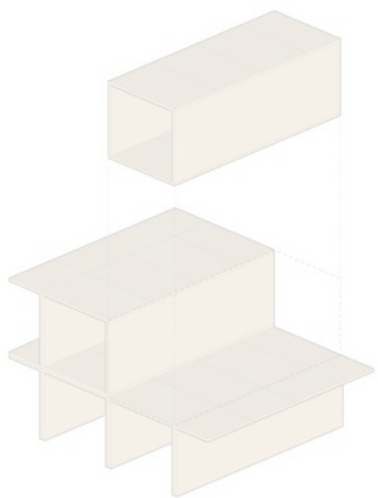


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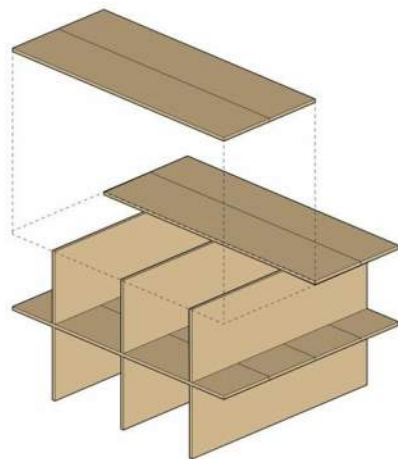


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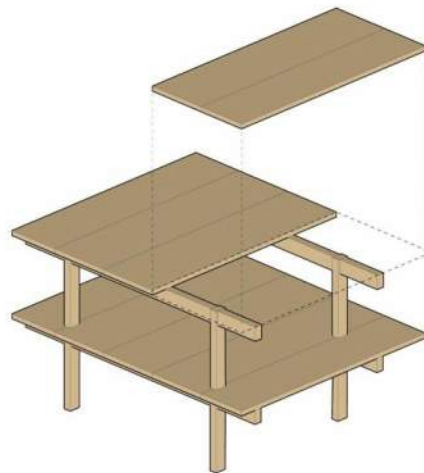
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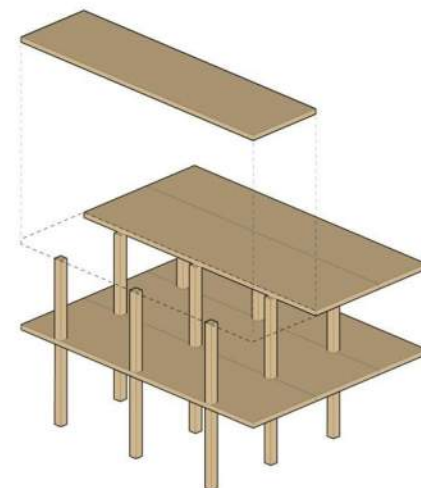
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STRUCTURAL OPTIONS



PURLINS

STACKED BEAMS

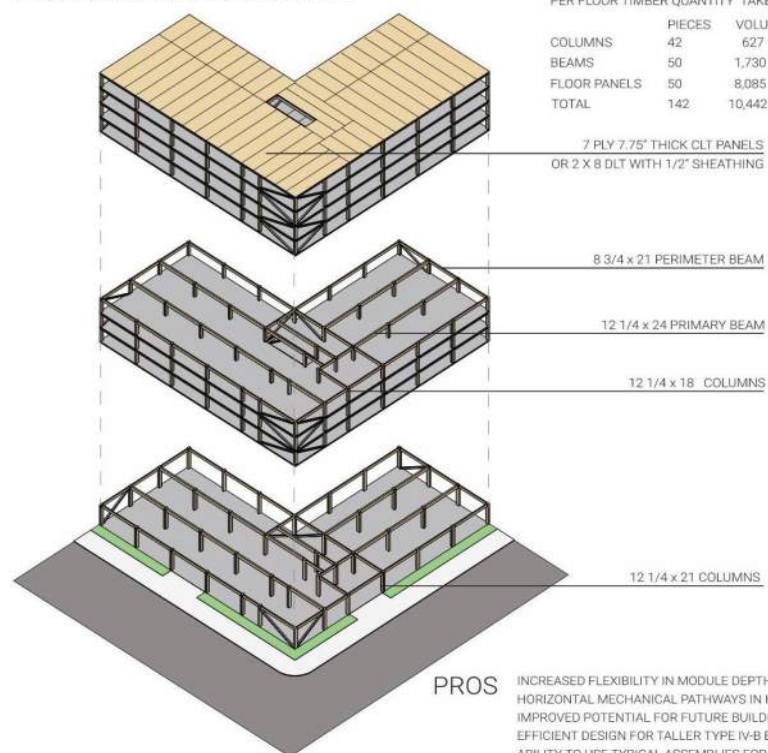
ONEWAY SYSTEM

VOLUMETRIC

BEARING WALL

CLT SLAB

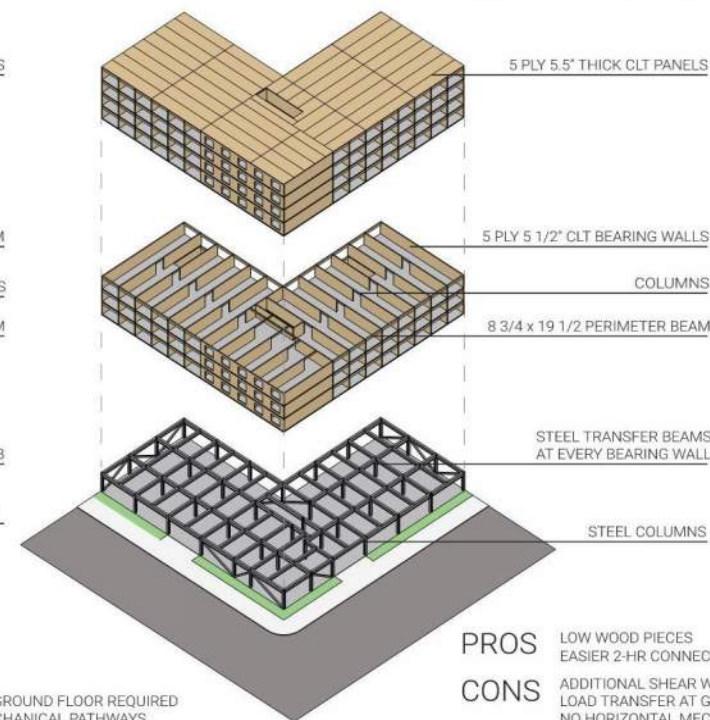
POST & BEAM DOUBLE SPAN



- PROS** INCREASED FLEXIBILITY IN MODULE DEPTH AND WITH HORIZONTAL MECHANICAL PATHWAYS IN HALLWAY IMPROVED POTENTIAL FOR FUTURE BUILDING REUSE EFFICIENT DESIGN FOR TALLER TYPE IV-B BUILDING ABILITY TO USE TYPICAL ASSEMBLIES FOR SOUND F
- CONS** DEEPER FLOOR PANELS



- PROS** LOW WOOD VOLUME
- CONS** HIGH WOOD PIECES LOAD TRANSFER AT GROUND FLOOR REQUIRED NO HORIZONTAL MECHANICAL PATHWAYS ODD COLUMN SPACING AT GROUND FLOOR INCREASED NUMBER OF CONNECTIONS



- PROS** LOW WOOD PIECES EASIER 2-HR CONNECTIONS
- CONS** ADDITIONAL SHEAR WALLS REQUIRED LOAD TRANSFER AT GROUND FLOOR REQUIRED NO HORIZONTAL MECHANICAL PATHWAYS REDUCED FUTURE FLEXIBILITY FOR BUILD CLT WALLS PERFORM POORLY ACOUSTICALLY



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STACKED BEAMS

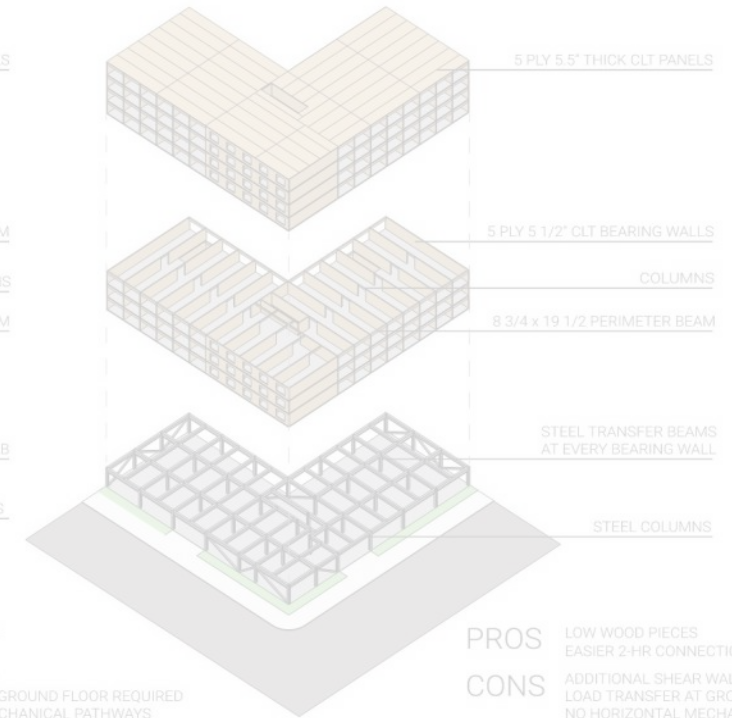
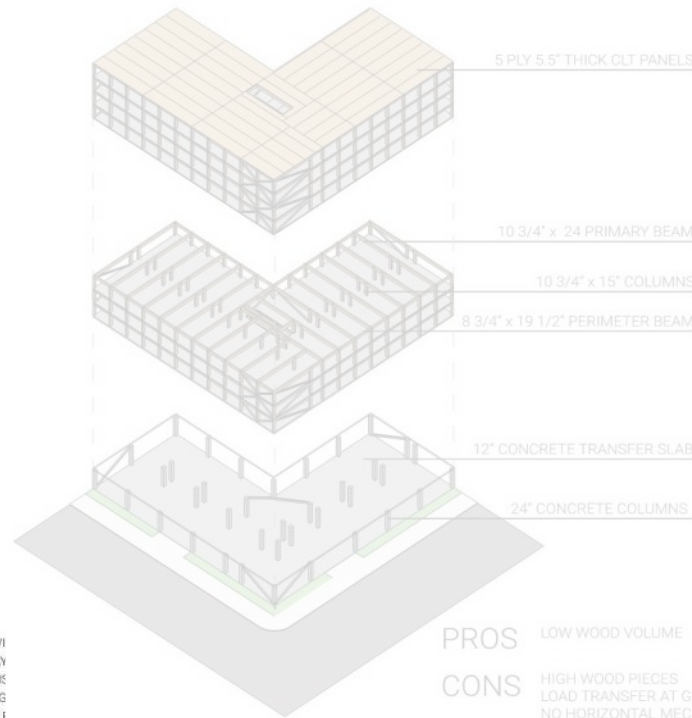
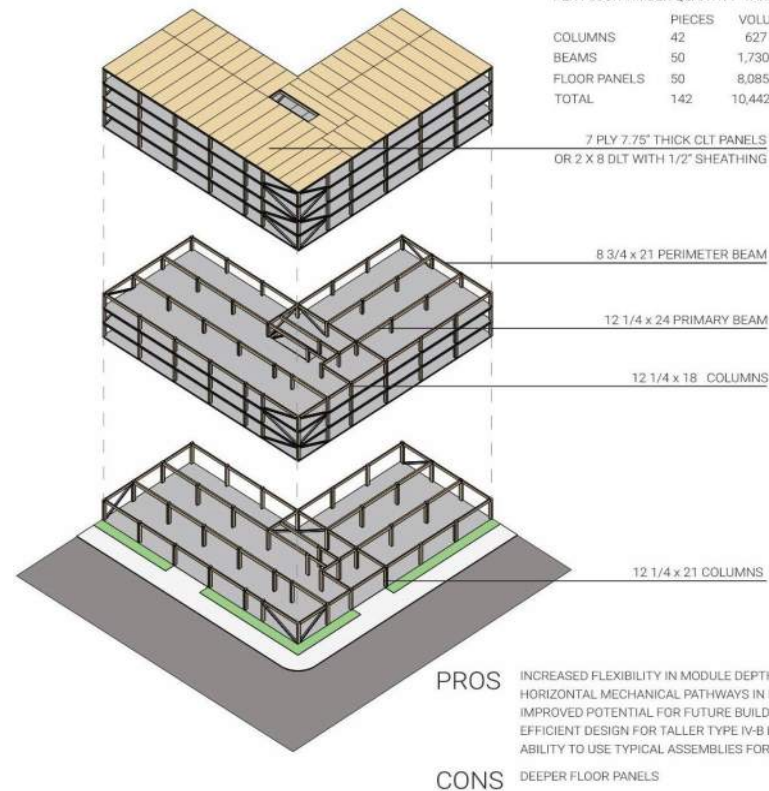
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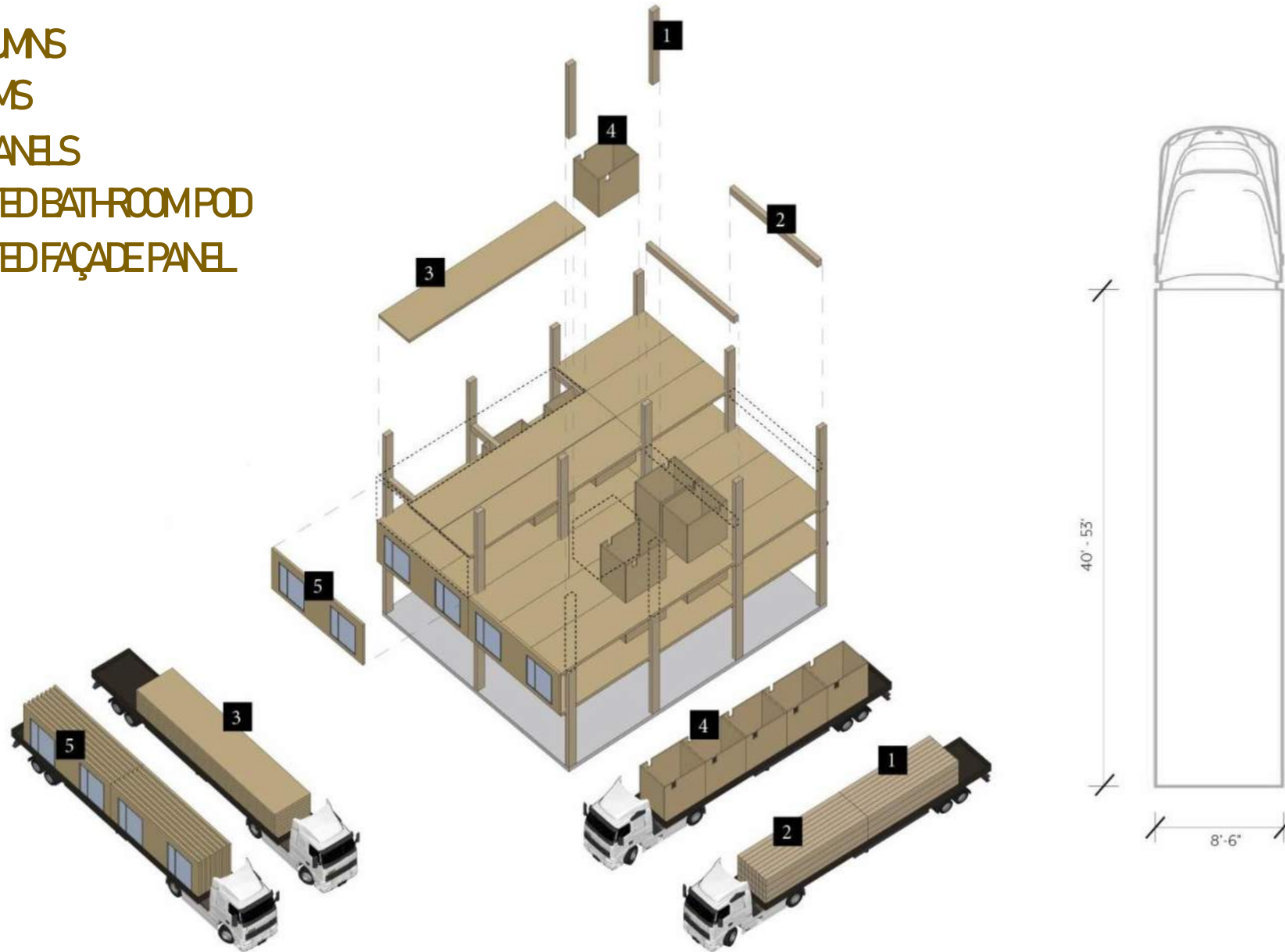
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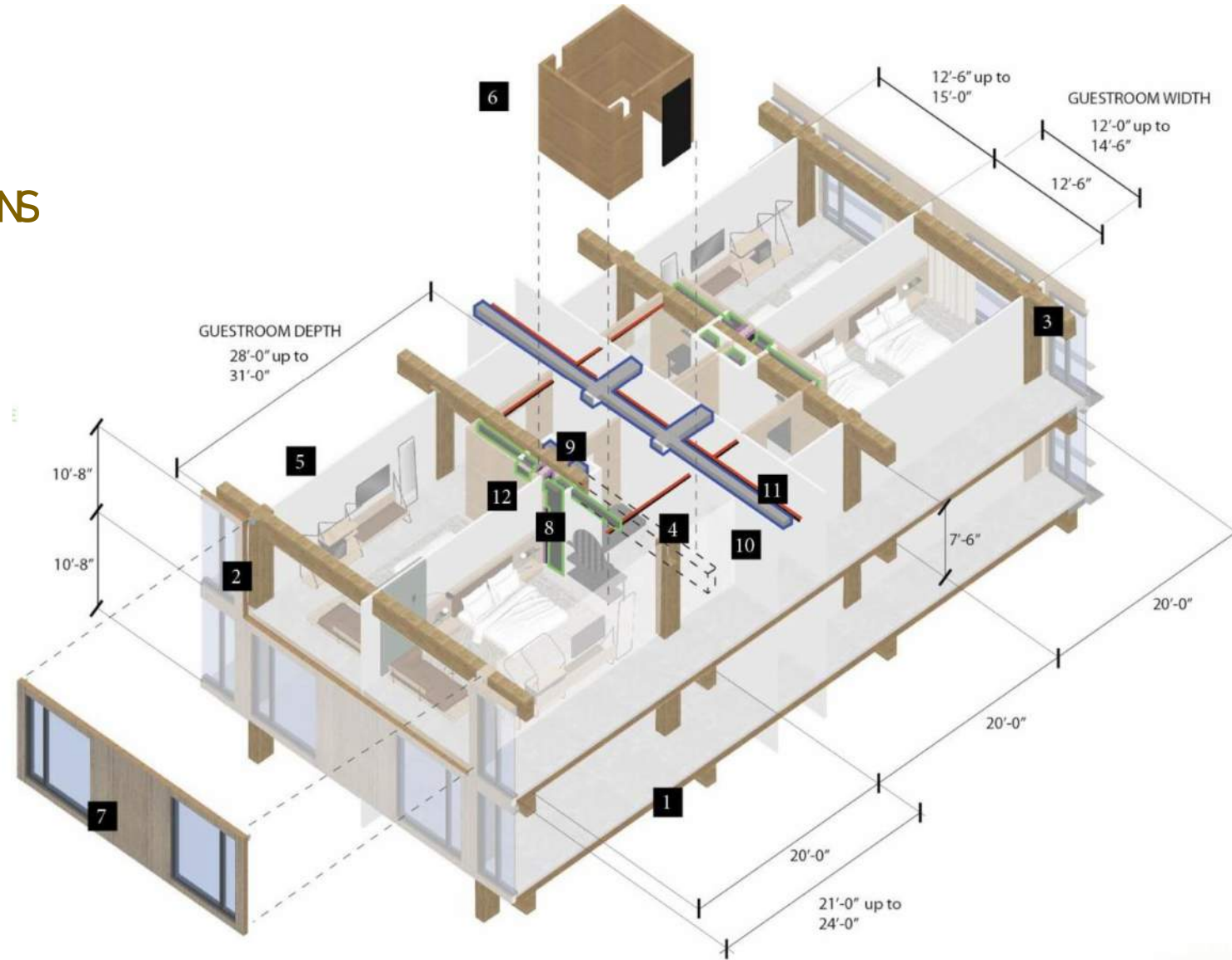


- 1 GLULAM COLUMNS
- 2 GLULAM BEAMS
- 3 CLT OR DLT PANELS
- 4 PREFABRICATED BATH-ROOM POD
- 5 PREFABRICATED FAÇADE PANEL



PREFABRICATION & RAPID CONSTRUCTION

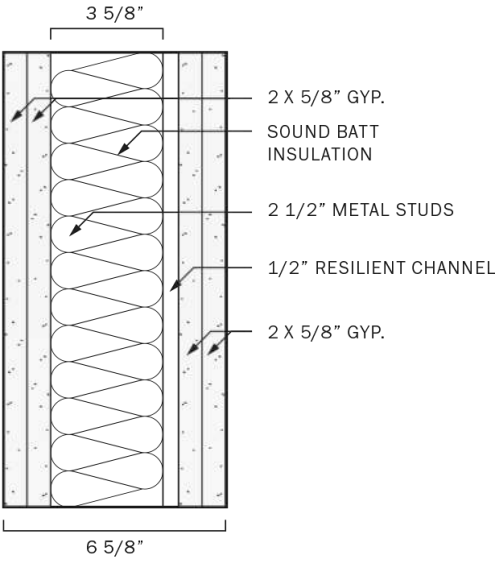
- 1 CLT OR DLT FLOOR PANEL
- 2 GLULAM COLUMNS
- 3 GLULAM BEAMS
- 4 2-HR STRUCTURAL CONNECTIONS
- 5 STANDARD GYP PARTITIONS
- 6 PREFABRICATED BATH
- 7 PRABRICATED FAÇADE
- 8 MECH UNIT
- 9 SUPPLY AIR
- 10 EXHAUST
- 11 SPRINKLERS
- 12 HEATING AND COOLING LINES



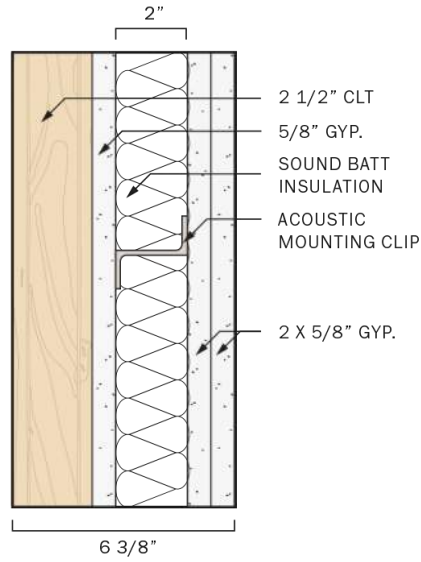
PROTOTYPICAL INTEGRATED MODULE

TYPICAL DEMISING WALL STUDY

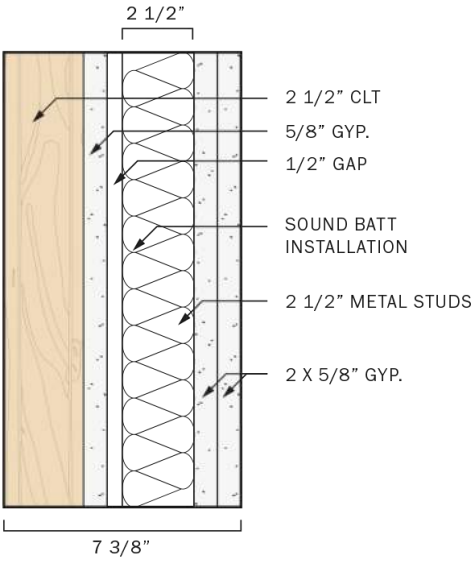
STANDARD GYP STC 57



STC 52 PREDICTED

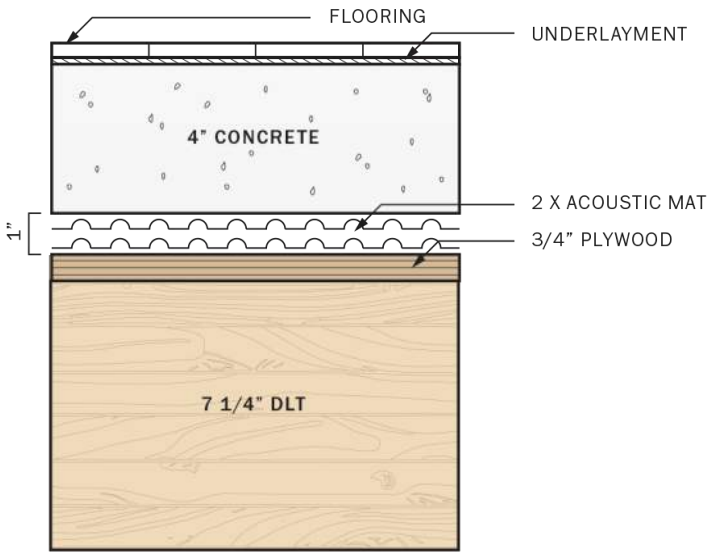


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TYPICAL FLOOR ASSEMBLY

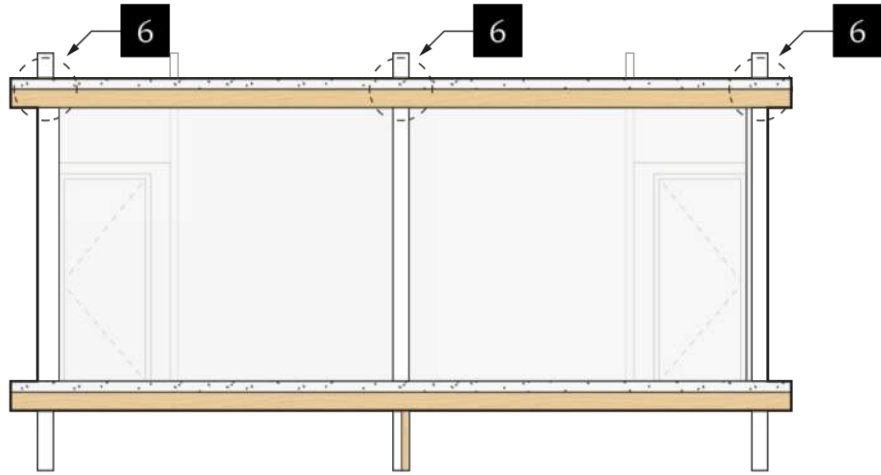
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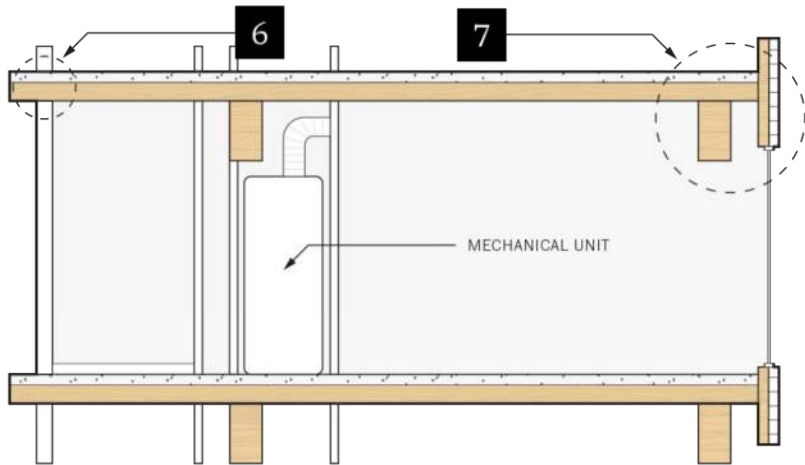
TARGETS	STC	IIC	FIRE
Demising Wall	55		1-hour
Corridor Wall	50		1-hour
Floors	55	57+	2-hour

ACOUSTIC DESIGN

SECTION 1

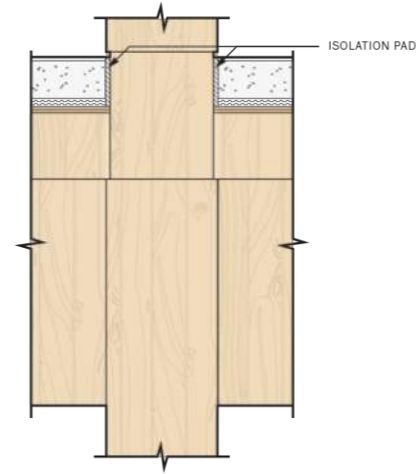


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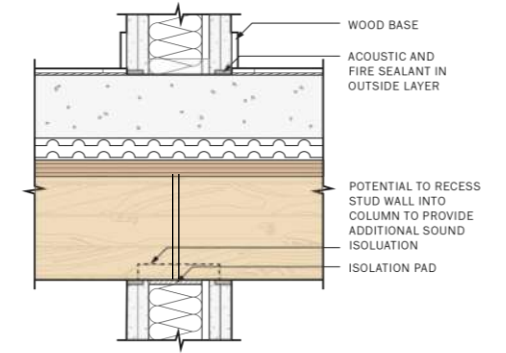


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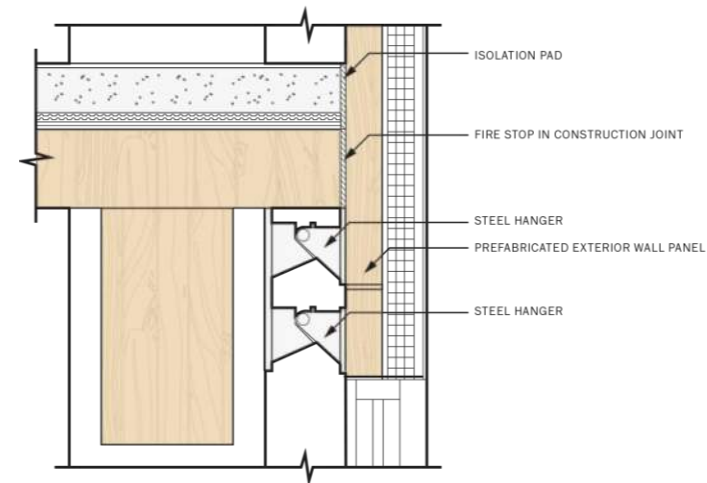
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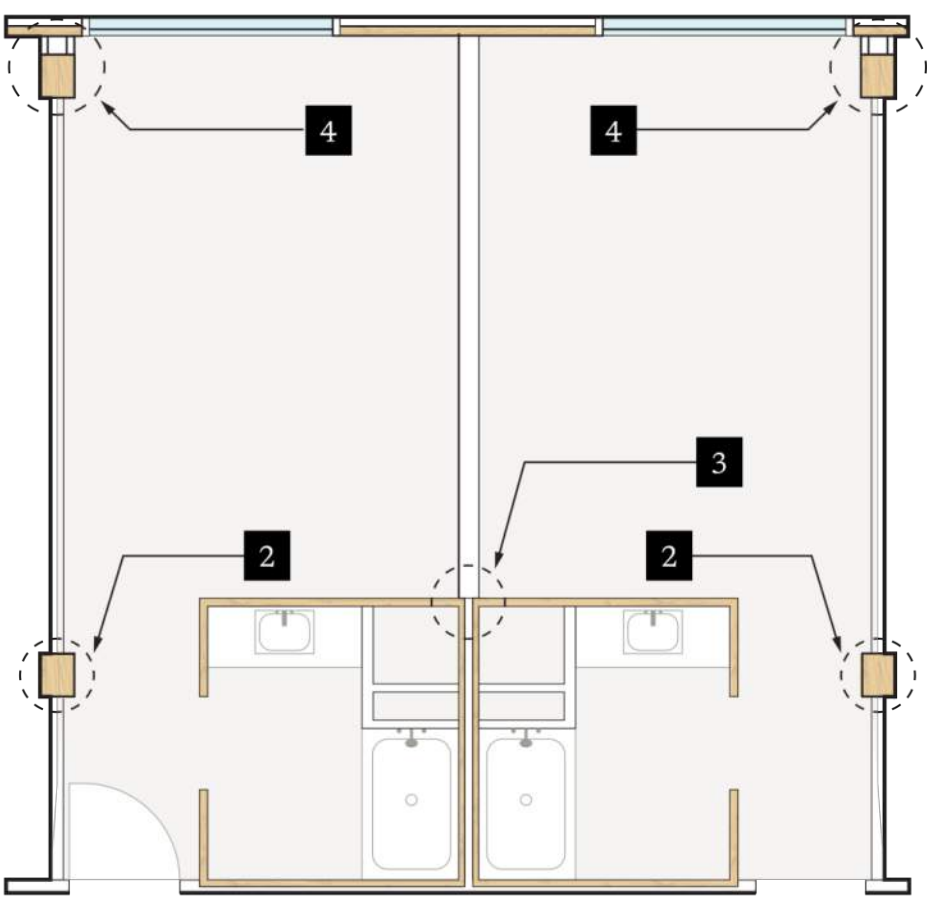
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PREFABRICATED FAÇADE ATTACHMENT



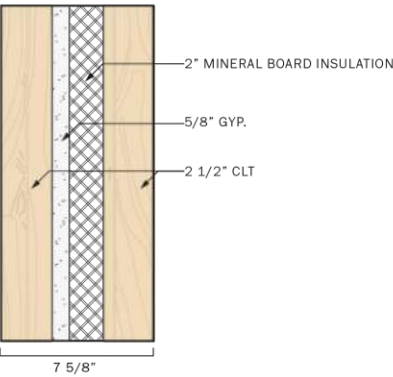
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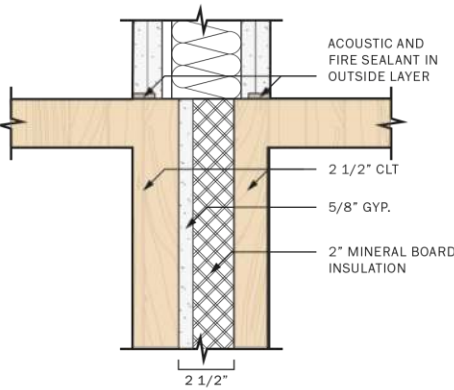
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DEMISING WALL @ BATH-ROOM

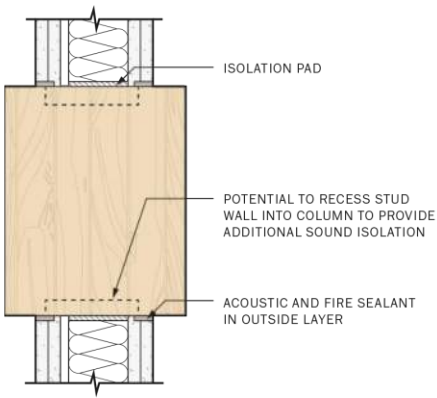
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DEMISING WALL TO BATH PODS

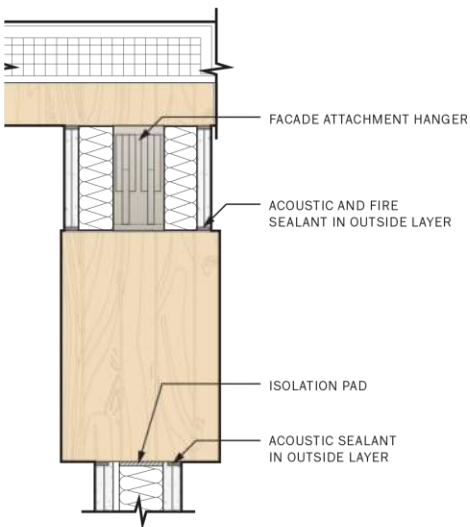


DEMISING WALL @ COLUMN



FAÇADE ATTACHMENT

PLAN DETAIL



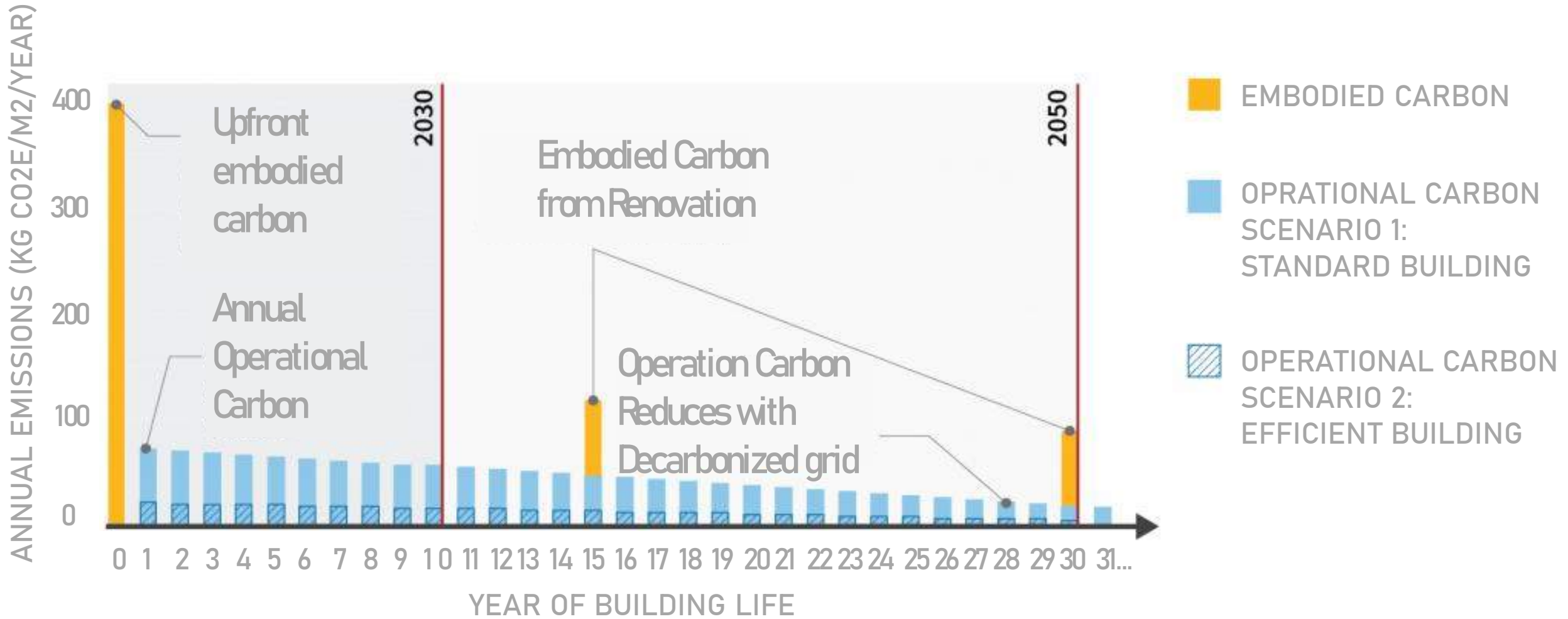




- 1 ROOF SHAPED FOR RAIN COLLECTION
- 2 DEEP EAVES PROVIDE PROTECTION AND SHADING
- 3 OPEN SPACES AND OPERABLE WINDOWS FOR NATURAL VENTILATION
- 4 OPERABLE GUESTROOM WINDOWS
- 5 MECHANICAL CIRCULATION PLENUM
- 6 PUBLIC SPACE MECHANICAL RUNS
- 7 GUESTROOM EXHAUST AIR
- 8 GUESTROOM SUPPLY AIR
- 9 GUESTROOM HEATING & COOLING LINES
- 10 FIRE SPRINKLERS
- 11 GUESTROOM MECHANICAL UNIT
- 12 RAINWATER CISTERNS
- 13 CONSOLIDATED PLUMBING DROPS ALONG BEAM IN CEILING / FAUX BEAM EXTENSIONS



EMBODIED CARBON LIFE CYCLE



BUILDING CARBON LIFECYCLE

2M KG CO2E

0 KG CO2E

1,726,141

Concrete

1,352,587

Timber

Including Biogenic Carbon

417,442
CONCRETE

365,948
TIMBER EMISSIONS

555,959
BIOGENIC CARBON

236,830

Timber

Subtracting Biogenic Carbon

LIFECYCLE ANALYSIS

MASS TIMBER IN HOSPITALITY



HOTEL

INTERIOR

THE GUEST WHO WANTS TO...



INFLUENCE



DISCOVER



BOND



RELATE

GUEST ESSENTIALS



ADVENTURE TOOLS



PERSONAL WELLNESS



SMART CHOICES



FRESH + LOCAL

AUTHENTIC MATERIALS



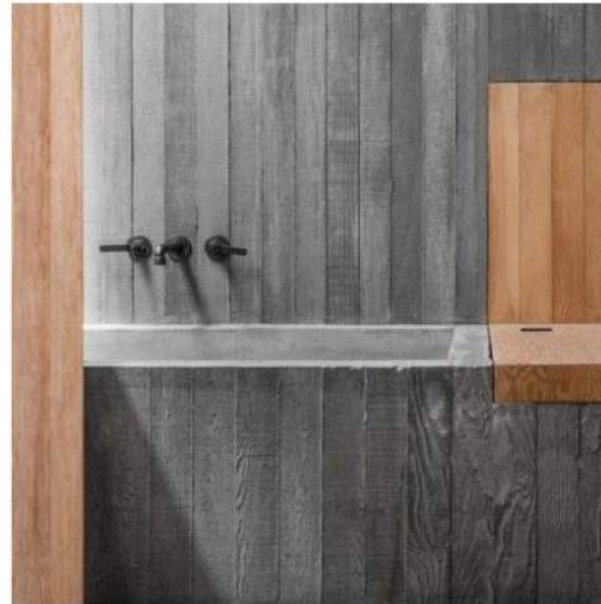
- 1 HOTEL ENTRANCE
- 2 HOTEL LOBBY
- 3 RETAIL MARKET
- 4 RESTAURANT & MARKET ENTRANCE
- 5 BIKE RENTAL
- 6 FITNESS
- 7 CHECK-IN
- 8 COFFEE SHOP
- 9 LUGGAGE
- 10 ADMIN
- 11 RESTROOM
- 12 FOOD PREP
- 13 LAUNDRY
- 14 STAIR
- 15 DOCK
- 16 OUTDOOR EVENT
- 17 MECH/ ELEC
- 18 POCKET DOG PARK

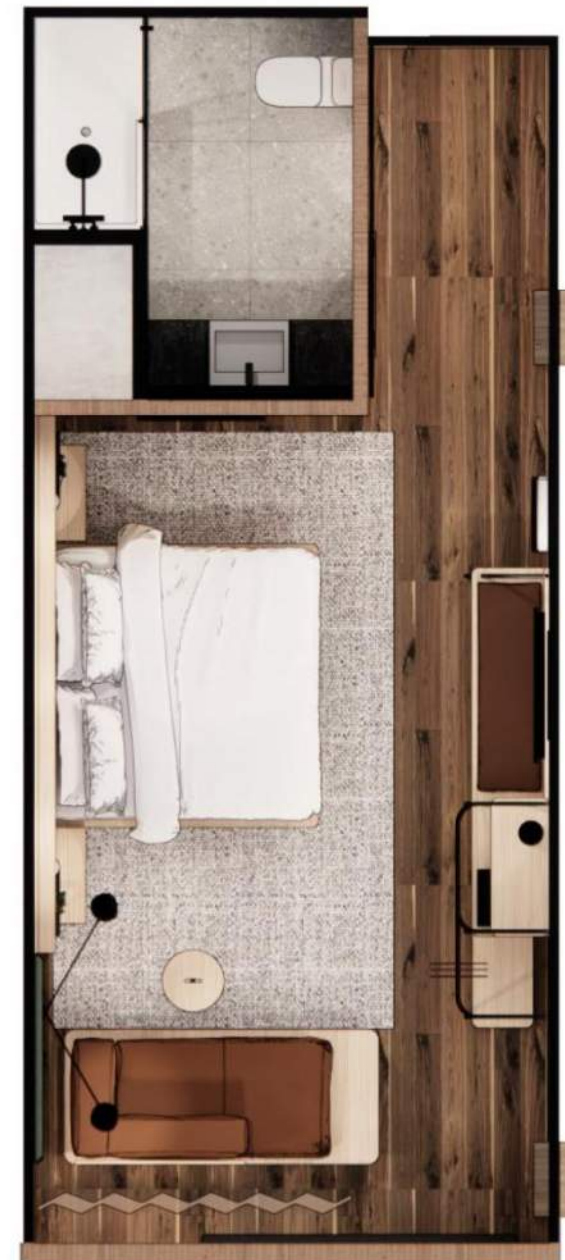
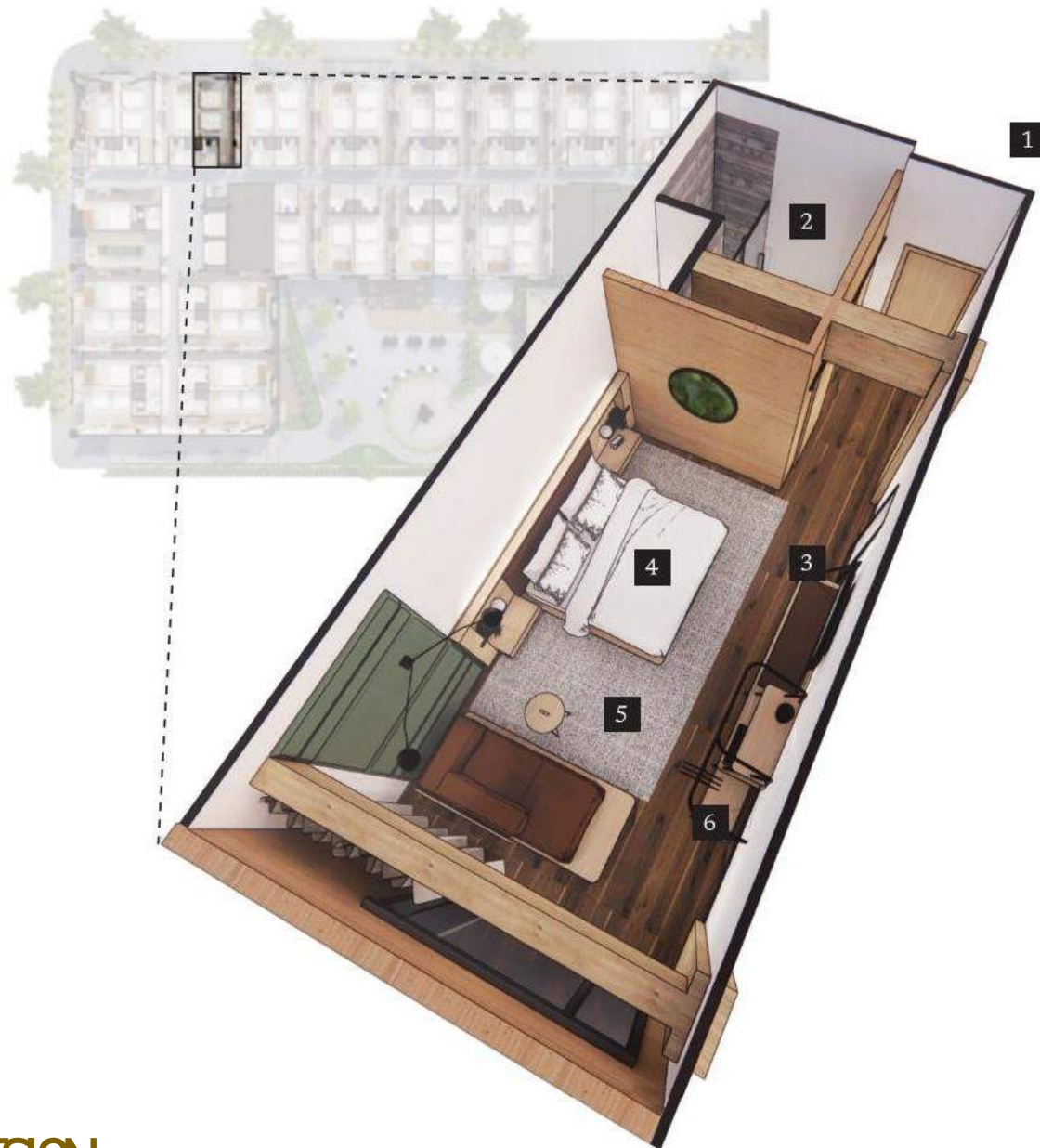


GROUND FLOOR PLAN



GUESTROOM







1

HORIZON LINE OF LIGHT

2

COLOR TEMP ADJUSTABLE LIGHTS

3

TOUCH-PAD FOR MOOD SETTING/ CUSTOM EXPERIENCE

4

PRESERVED GREENERY ART FEATURE

5

MOTORIZED DRAPERY

6

ACOUSTIC WALL PANELS

7

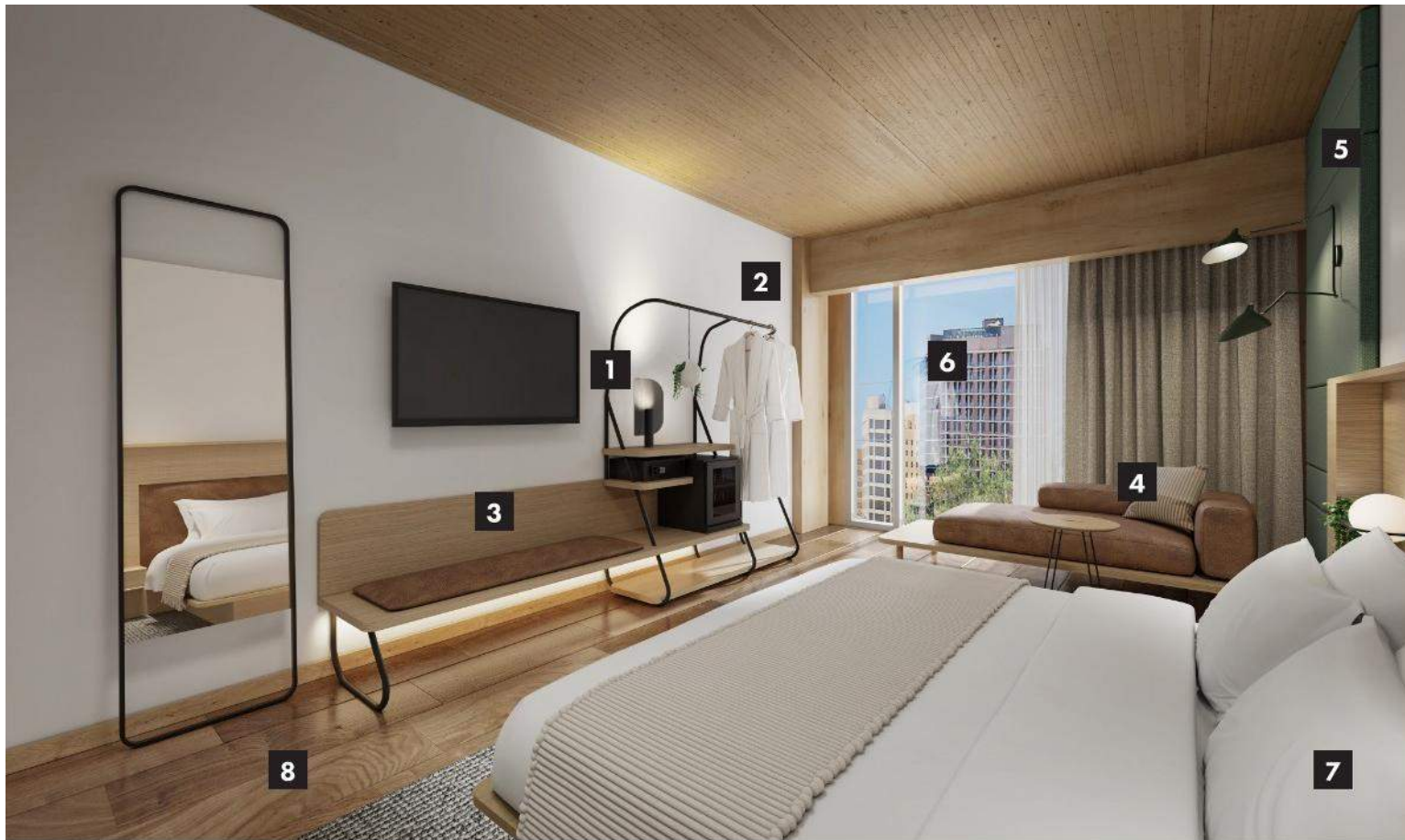
NATURAL FIBER RUG

8

MODULAR WOOD STRUCTURE BATHROOM

RESTED+WELL

MASS TIMBER IN HOSPITALITY



1

UPLIGHTING WITH SHADOW CASTING

2

OPEN HANGING WARDROBE

3

CLUTTER FREE GUEST STORAGE

4

MULTI-FUNCTION WORK/ LOUNGE

5

ADJUSTABLE LIGHTING

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MAXIMIZED DAYLIGHTING

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BRIGHT, CLEAN ORGANIC BEDDING

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RICH WOOD FLOORING



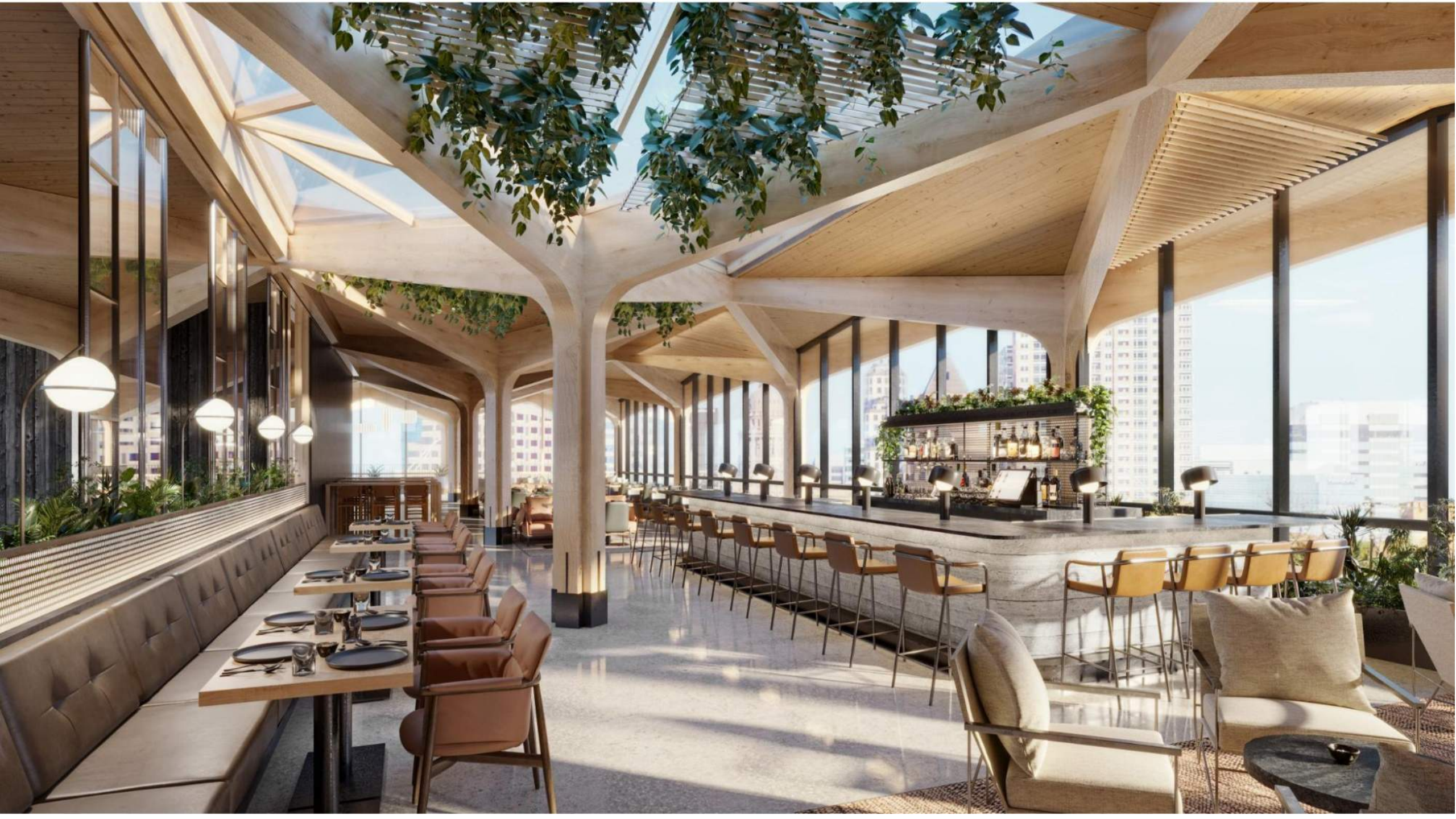
ROOFTOP BAR + RESTAURANT



- 1** FEATURE STAIR
- 2** OUTDOOR DECK
- 3** ELEVATOR LOBBY
- 4** RECEPTION
- 5** COATS
- 6** RESTROOM
- 7** BAR
- 8** EVENT
- 9** KITCHEN
- 10** STAIR
- 11** SERVICE ELEVATOR
- 12** ROOFTOP GARDEN



ROOFTOP FLOOR PLAN



ON THE BOARDS



What we thought we knew

- Post and beam framing
- Floor assembly
- Units that follow structure

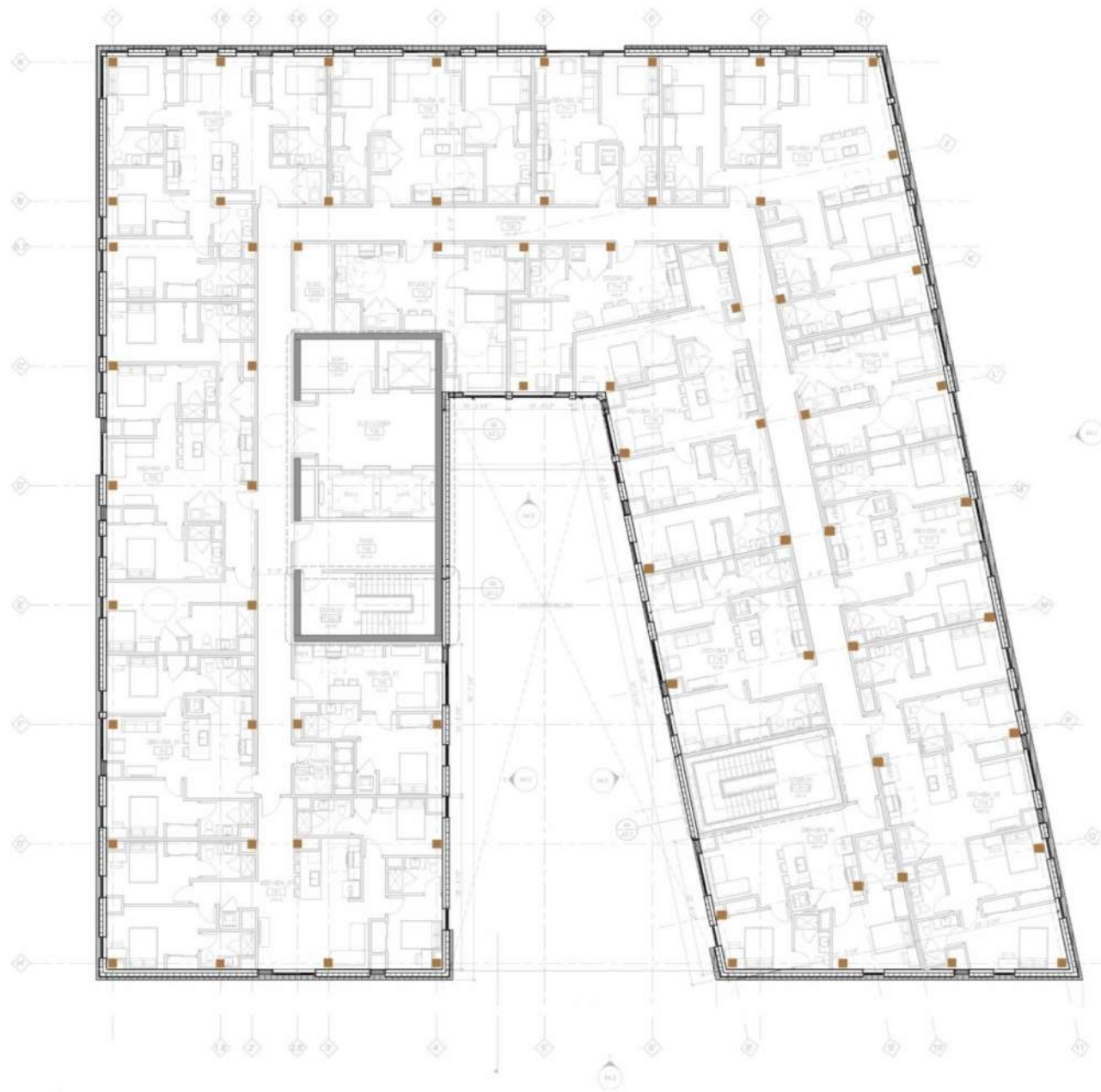
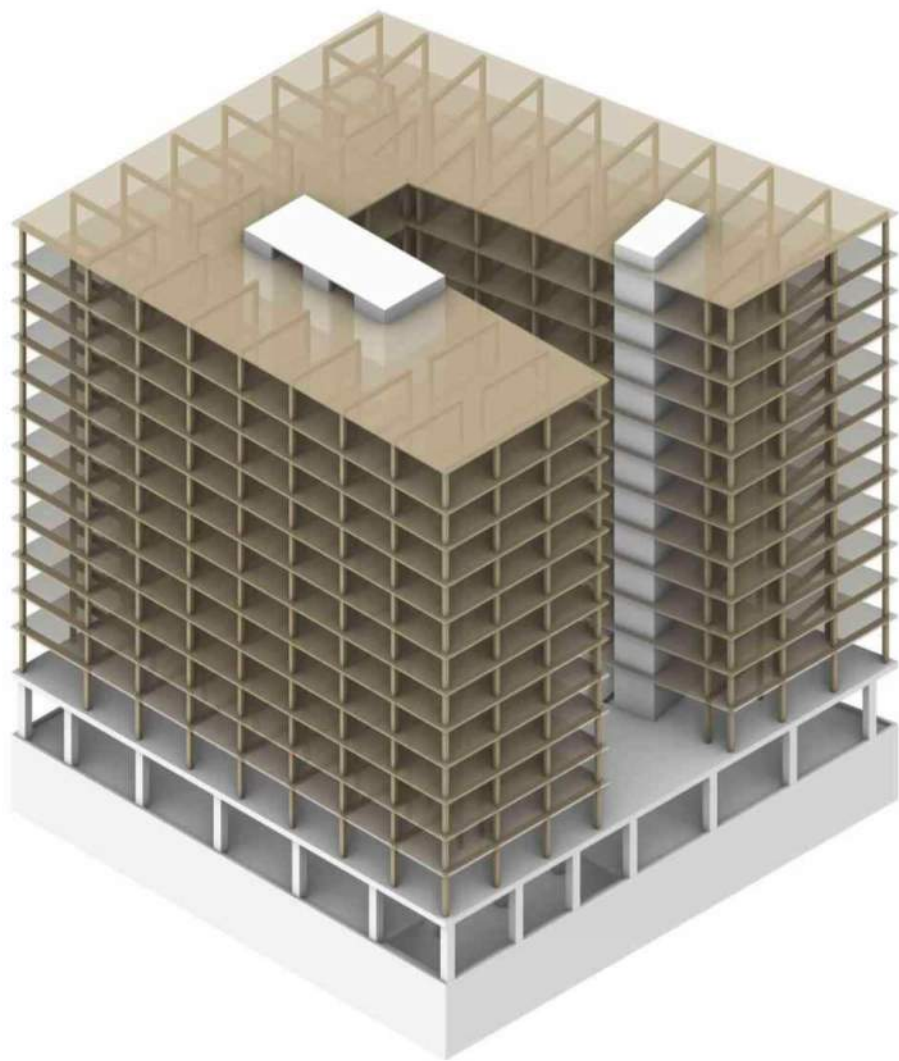
What we know now

- Post and Beam Framing was right
- Floor assembly was similar
- Unit layouts break the grid where needed to optimize the overall configuration of the rooms

Timber Driver

- Appealing to a younger consumer
- City approvals





9TH & HIGH STUDENT HOUSING

What we thought we knew

- Shorter building might be beneficial to frame more economically with light frame bearing walls
- Telling story with building materials

What we know

- Client preference for real timber frame
- Strong desire for sustainable branding
- Desire for modular construction
- Desire for timeless value of asset

Timber Driver

- Sustainability story and appealing to discerning guests
- City approval

CONFIDENTIAL MOUNTAIN HOTEL





Timber Scheme 1:
steel stud and deck on glu-lam post and beam podium

notes:

need drywall finish below steel guestroom deck
dropped finished ceiling at ground floor center bay only
majority of public space is exposed timber
structural grid at podium is 25' x 20/20/20 = 60'

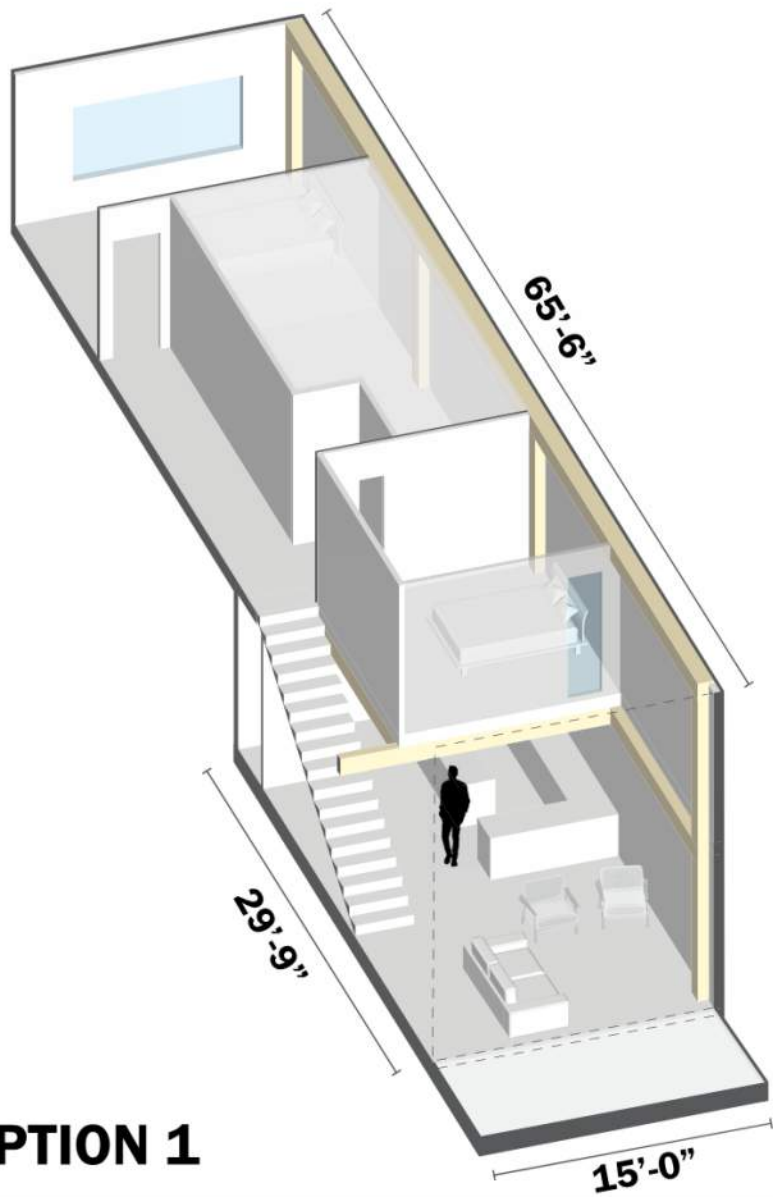


Timber Scheme 2:
steel stud with timber deck on glu-lam post and beam podium

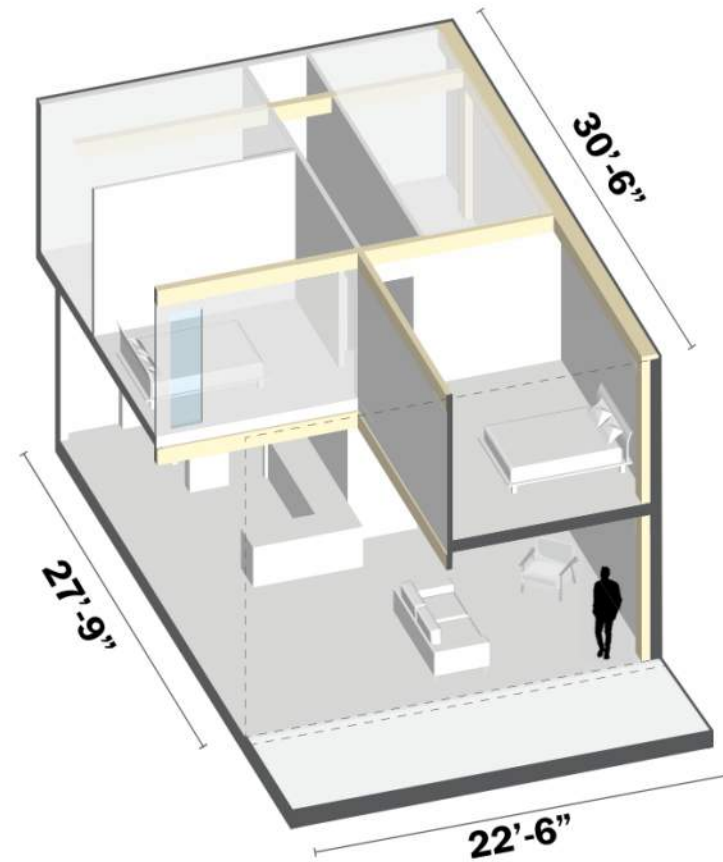
notes:

no finish ceiling required in guestroom proper (dropped at toilet)
dropped finished ceiling at ground floor center bay only
majority of public space is exposed timber
structural grid at podium is 25' x 20/20/20 = 60

LIGHT FRAMING OPTIONS



OPTION 1



OPTION 2

What we thought we knew

- Post and beam construction
- Market differentiation of timber
- Brand adoption would not be an issue

What we know

- Post and beam construction confirmed
- Guests have yet to pay a cost premium for sustainability
- Concern about brand acceptance

Timber Driver

- Neighborhood context and story
- Aesthetic
- Hotel branding





POST + BEAM

NO TRANSFERS

CLEANER GROUND FLOOR CEILING

GUESTROOM DEMISING WALLS ARE ACOUSTIC ONLY

TIMELESSNESS OF ASSET / FLEXIBILITY

MORE FIBER



BEARING WALLS

TRANSFER BEAMS AT GROUND FLOOR CEILING

THINNER NLT / DLT / CLT DECK

HEAVIER BEARING GUESTROOM DEMISING WALLS

LESS FIBER

LIKELY THE LOWEST FIRST-COST TIMBER SOLUTION

What we thought we knew

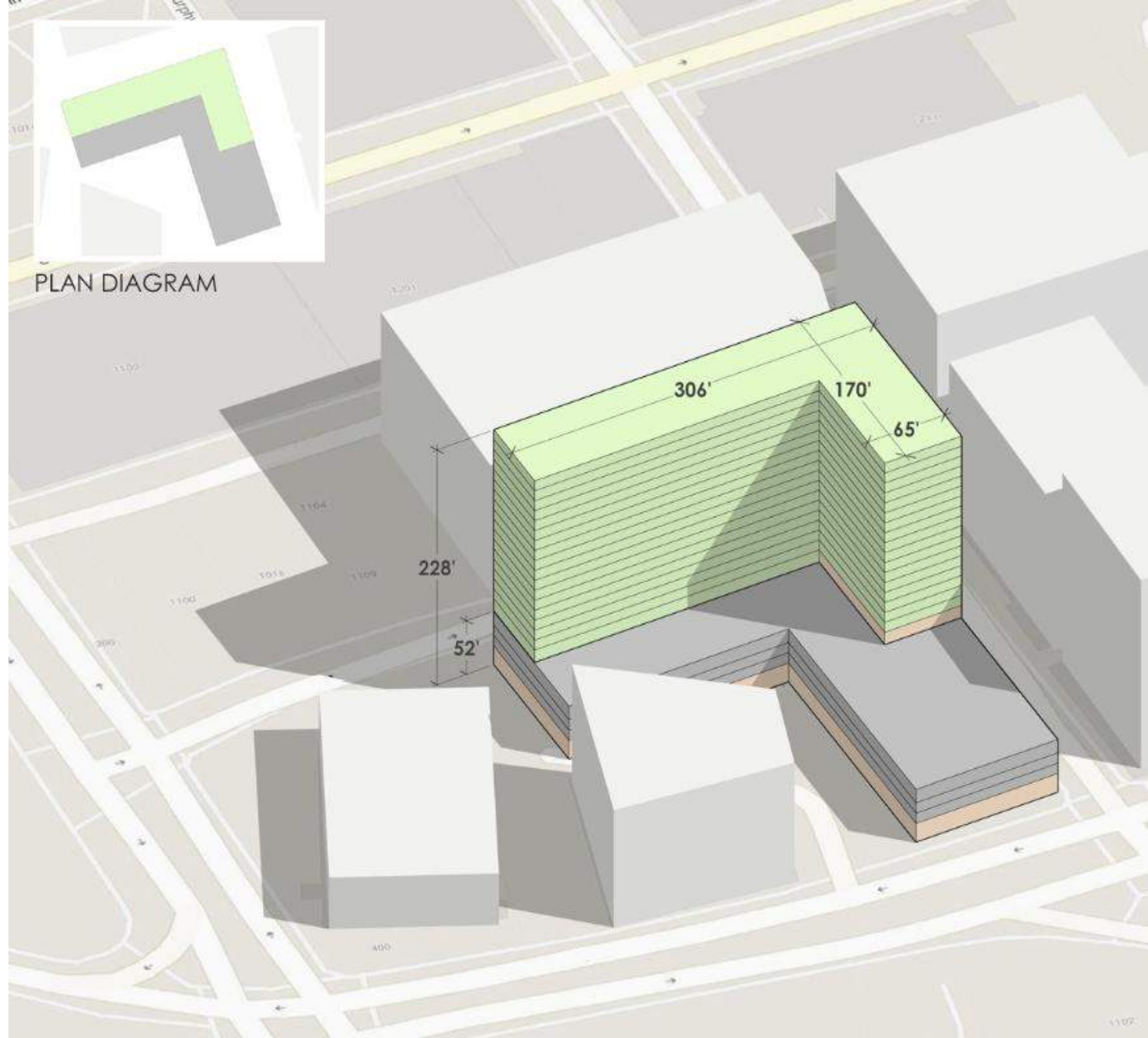
- Municipalities would be reluctant to adopt timber code updates
- Developer motivation for timber would be based on rent premiums

What we know

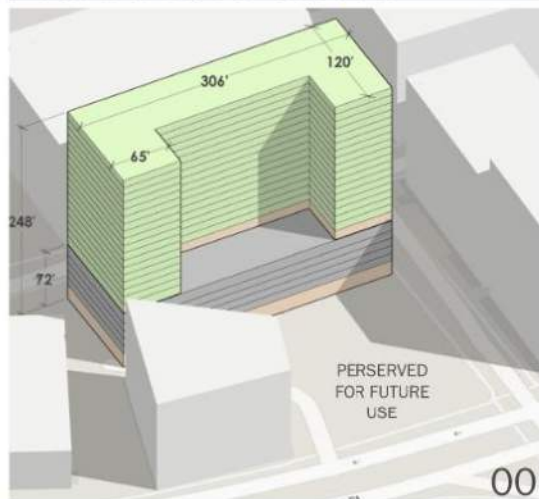
- City is open to expanded interpretations for exposed timber
- Strong desire for sustainability

Timber Driver

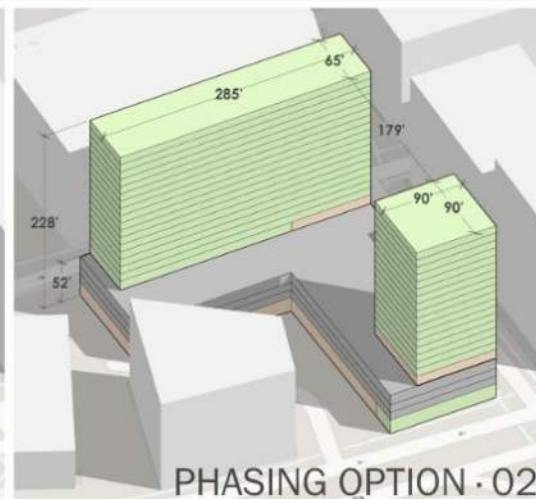
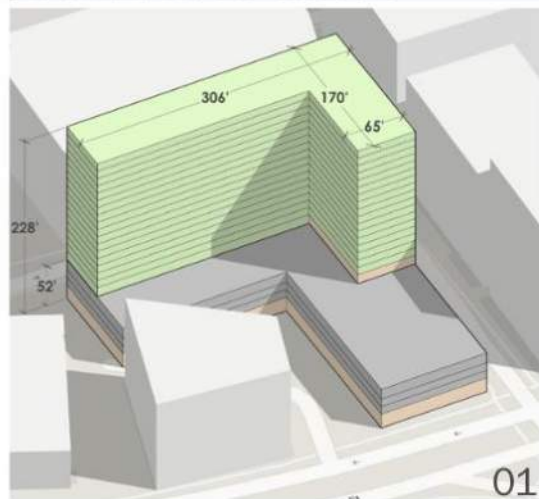
- Market differentiation
- Sustainability ethos



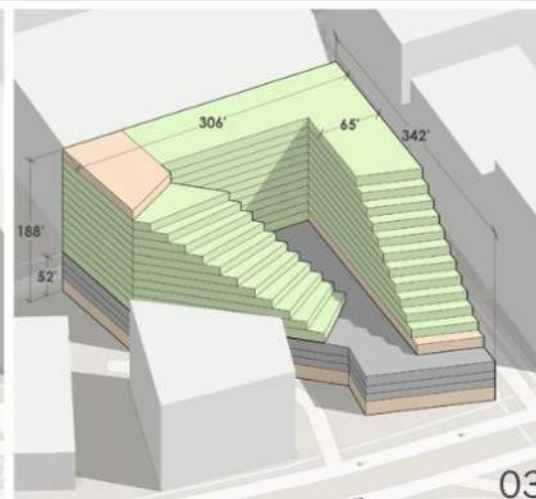
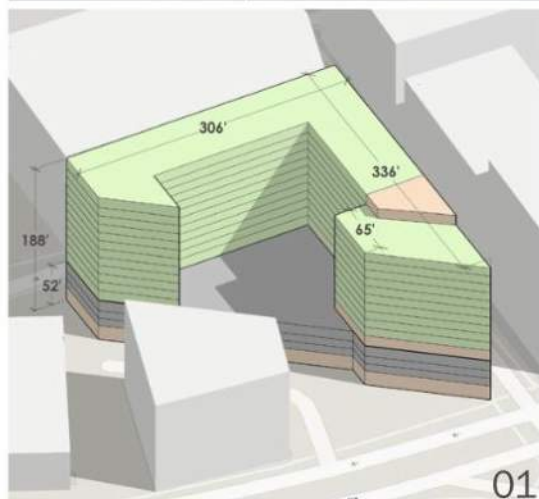
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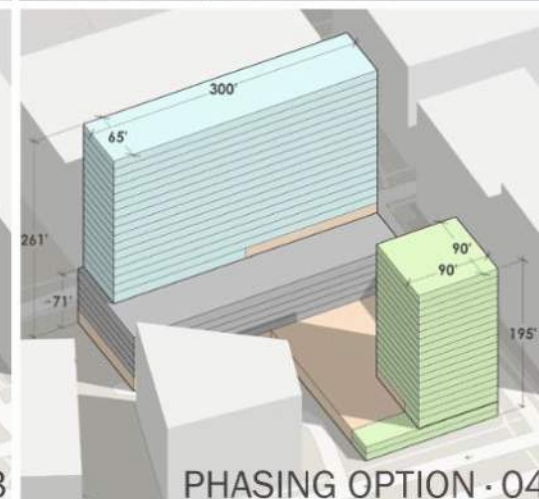
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TYPE IV-A, 17 OVER 6



UNITS
 PARKING
 RETAIL / RESI LOBBY / AMENITY / BUILDING SERVICES

TEXAS MASS TIMBER DEVELOPMENT

MASS TIMBER IN HOSPITALITY



WE ARE HOTEL DESIGNERS

1,100 HOTELS WILL BE BUILT IN THE U.S. NEXT YEAR

1.5 MILLION METRIC TONS OF CARBON EMISSION COULD BE AVOIDED

IF THEY WERE MASS TIMBER HOTELS



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