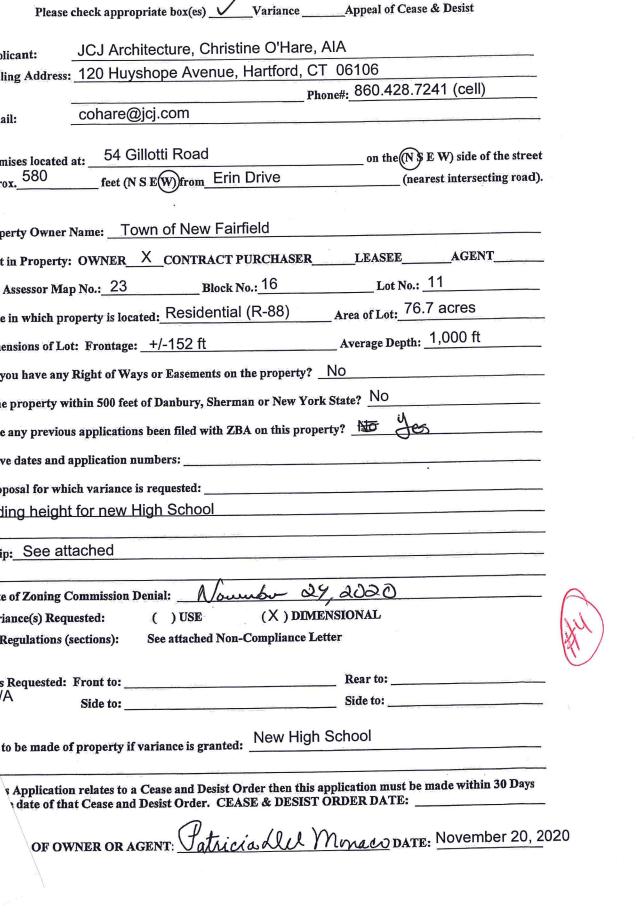
APPLICATION OR APEAL#: APPLICATION TO NEW FAIRFIELD ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS Appeal of Cease & Desist Please check appropriate box(es) Variance JCJ Architecture, Christine O'Hare, AIA 1) Applicant: Mailing Address: 120 Huyshope Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106 Phone#: 860.428.7241 (cell) cohare@jcj.com Email: 2) Premises located at: 54 Gillotti Road on the (N \$ E W) side of the street at approx. 580 feet (N S E(W)) from Erin Drive (nearest intersecting road). 3) Property Owner Name: Town of New Fairfield Interest in Property: OWNER X CONTRACT PURCHASER LEASEE AGENT_ Block No.: 16 Lot No.: 11 4) Tax Assessor Map No.: 23 Area of Lot: 76.7 acres 5) Zone in which property is located: Residential (R-88) Average Depth: 1,000 ft 6) Dimensions of Lot: Frontage: +/-152 ft 7) Do you have any Right of Ways or Easements on the property? No 8) Is the property within 500 feet of Danbury, Sherman or New York State? No 9) Have any previous applications been filed with ZBA on this property? If so, give dates and application numbers: 10) Proposal for which variance is requested: building height for new High School Hardship: See attached Noumber 24, 2020 11) Date of Zoning Commission Denial: () USE (X) DIMENSIONAL 12) Variance(s) Requested: See attached Non-Compliance Letter Zoning Regulations (sections): etbacks Requested: Front to: N/A se to be made of property if variance is granted: New High School

date of that Cease and Desist Order. CEASE & DESIST ORDER DATE:



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54 GILLOTTI ROAD – NEW FAIRFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

Hardship Request:

The project is seeking a variance for the building height, from the allowable 35' to 44.5'. There are certain programmatic requirements that help dictate the building height, namely the gymnasium and auditorium. Additionally, there are a number of other elements that make up a high school program, including classrooms, the cafeteria and support spaces. This requires a large gross square footage.

Stacking the building also allows for less impact to the site by decreasing the limit of disturbance for the building and adjacent parking lots by keeping the building footprint smaller. This has also allowed us to keep the building and most of the sitework outside the upland review area and from impacting playing fields on the property.

From a budgetary standpoint, it is more economical to stack the building into three stories than the one to two-stories that would be zoning compliant. A smaller footprint also helps with construction phasing. There are a lot of demands on a very congested site during construction.

Also, per the Zoning Regulations, building height is based on the average grade around the building. Based on the site topography, even though the building is partially buried to help it relate to the middle school and the drop-off portion of the site, the building height is primarily driven by the lower grades around where the building is situated.

It should be noted that the existing High School and Middle School buildings exceed the allowable building height. See the attached elevations provided.

TOWN OF NEW FAIRFIELD **ZONING REPORT**

SUBJECT: VERIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANCE

FROM:

Evan White, Zoning Enforcement Officer

DATE:

November 24, 2020

PROPERTY OWNER:

Town of New Fairfield

PROPERTY ADDRESS:

54 Gillotti Road

APPLICANT/AGENT:

JCJ Architecture, Christine O'Hare, AIA

MAILING ADDRESS:

120 Huyshope Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106

BLOCK:16

ZONING DISTRICT: R-88 MAP: 23

LOT: 11

Please be advised that (See attached description).

Review of the New Fairfield Zoning Regulations indicated that the above proposal fails to meet the following Zoning Requirements:

Sections:

3.0.3-Maximum Building Height (A)

3.1.10-Maximim Building Height

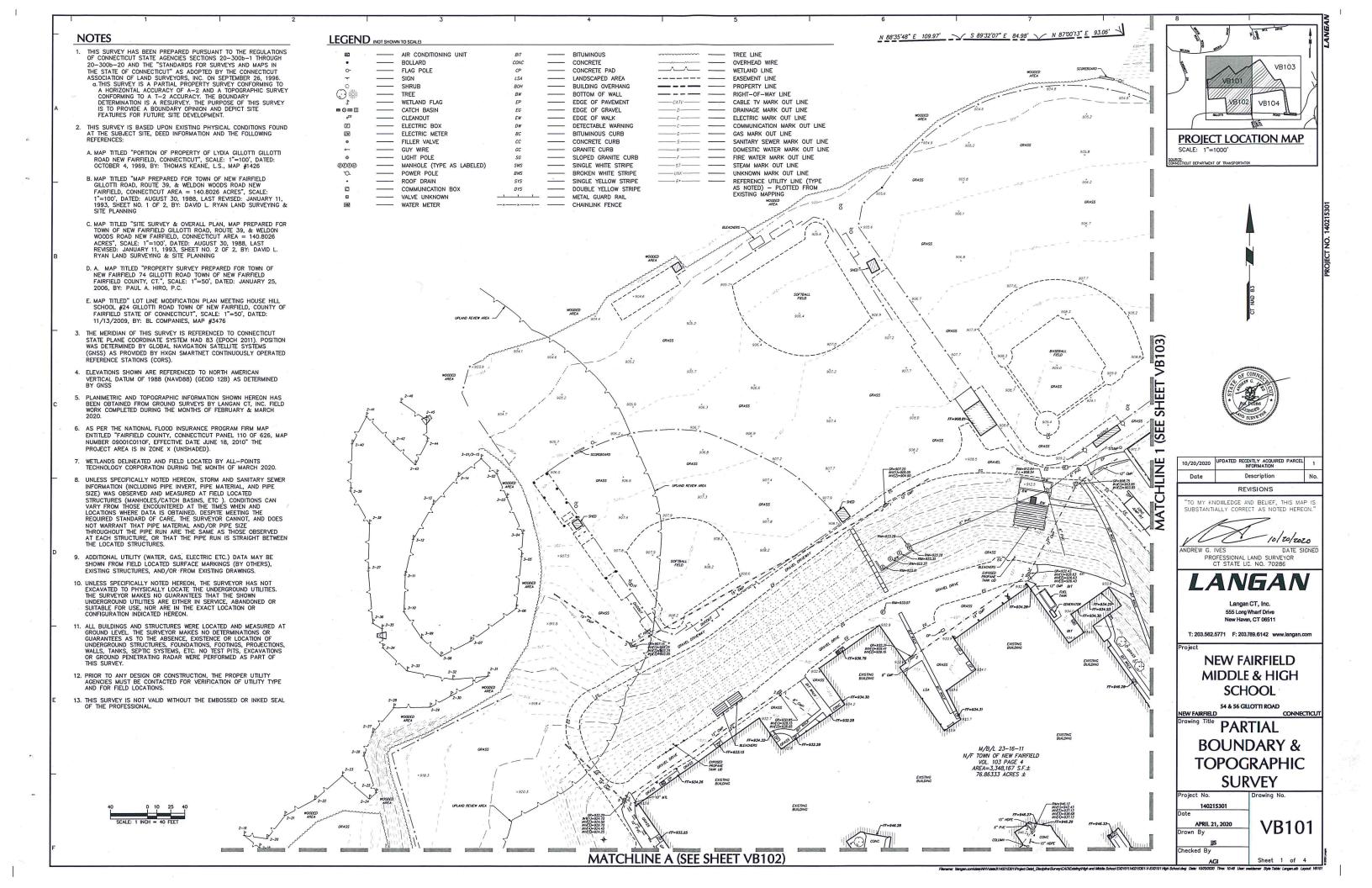
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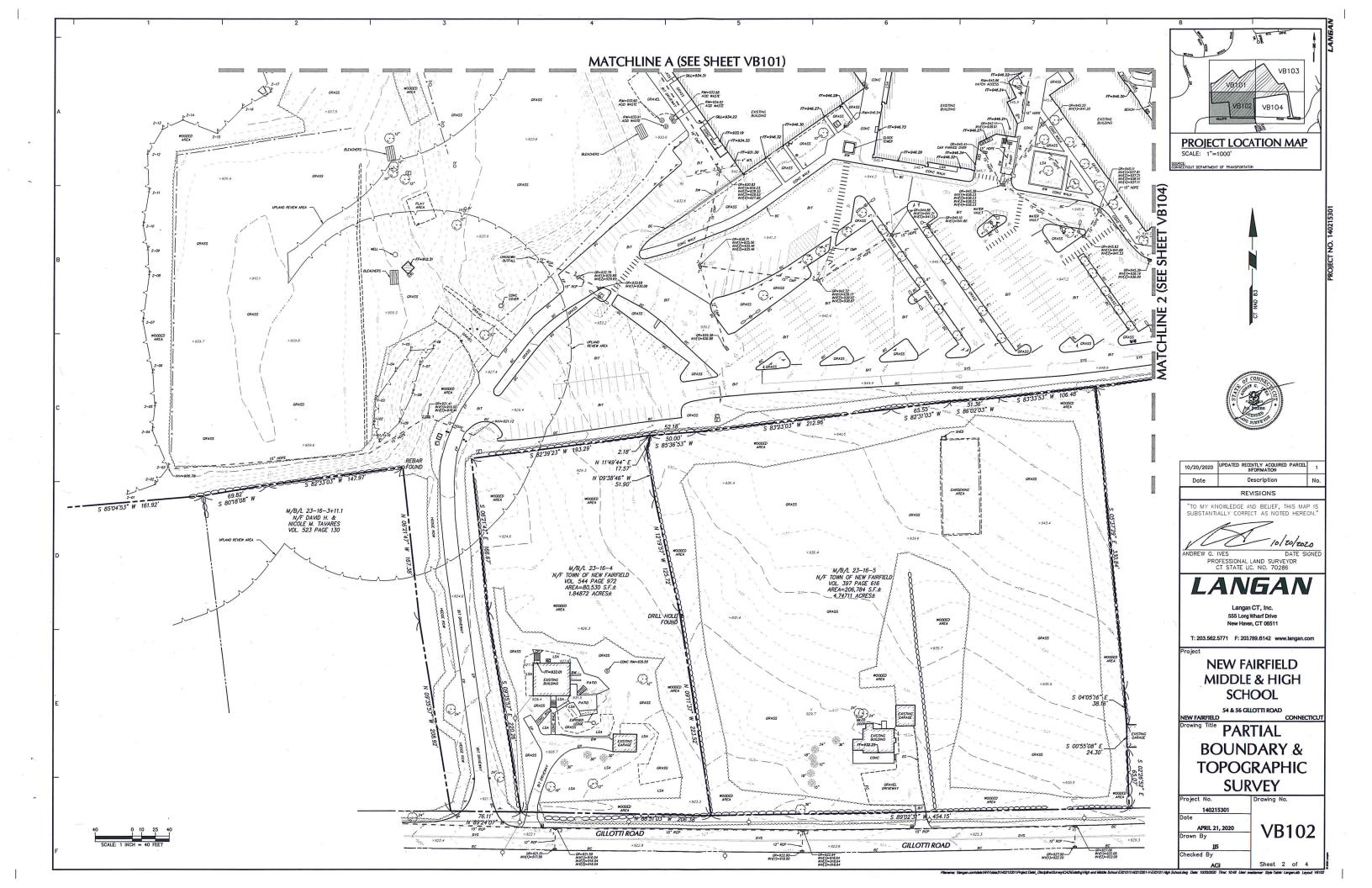
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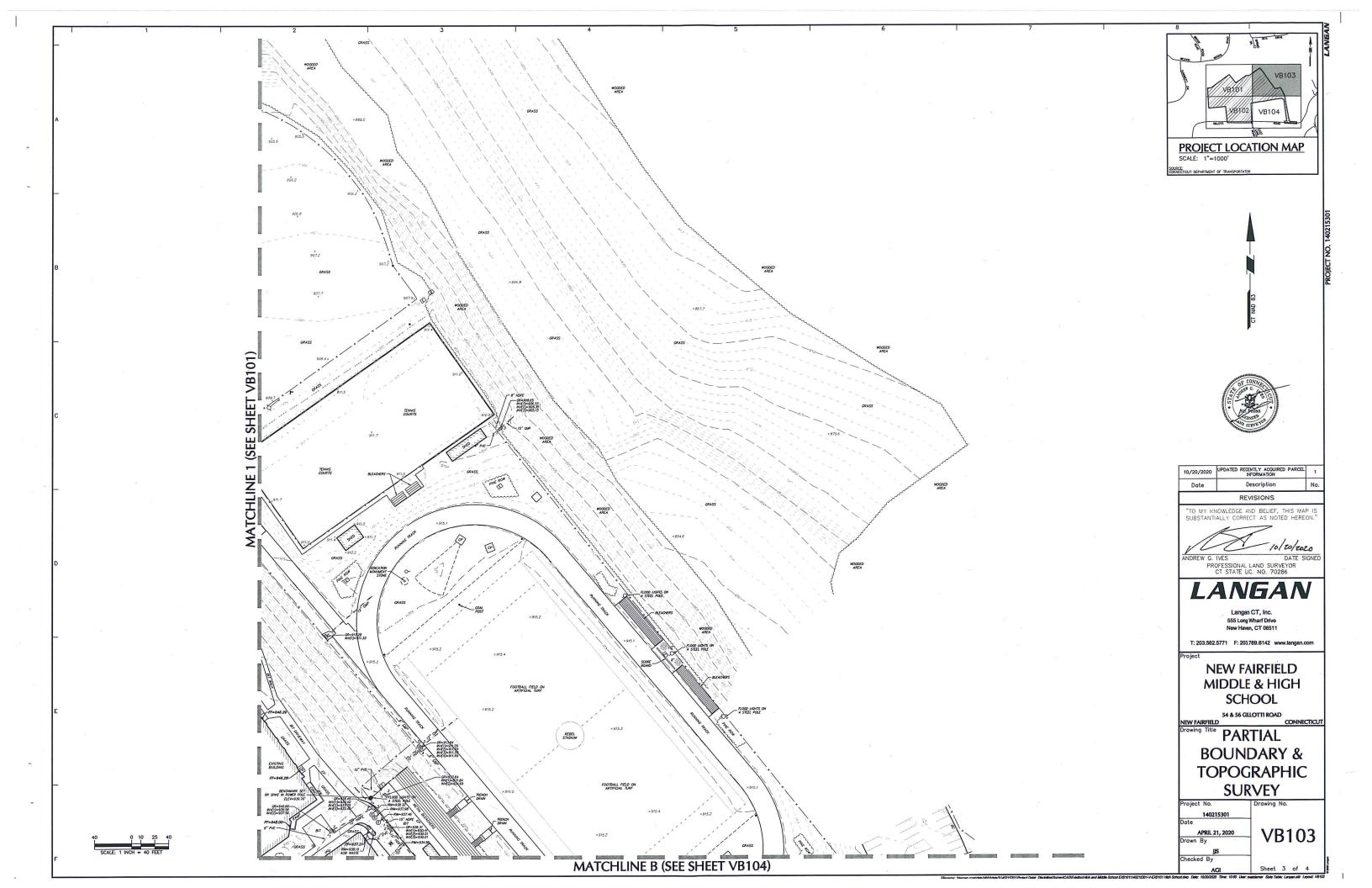
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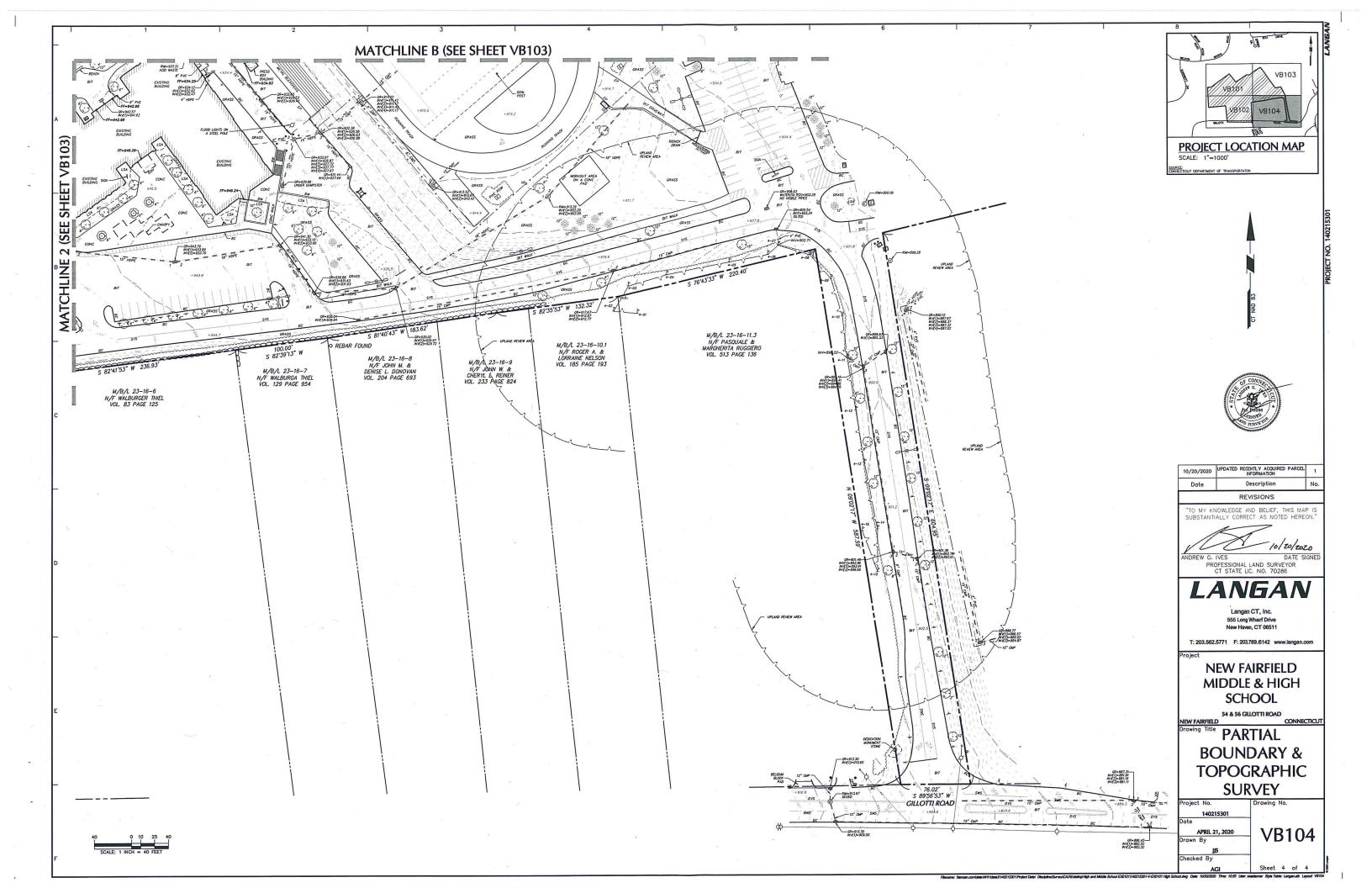
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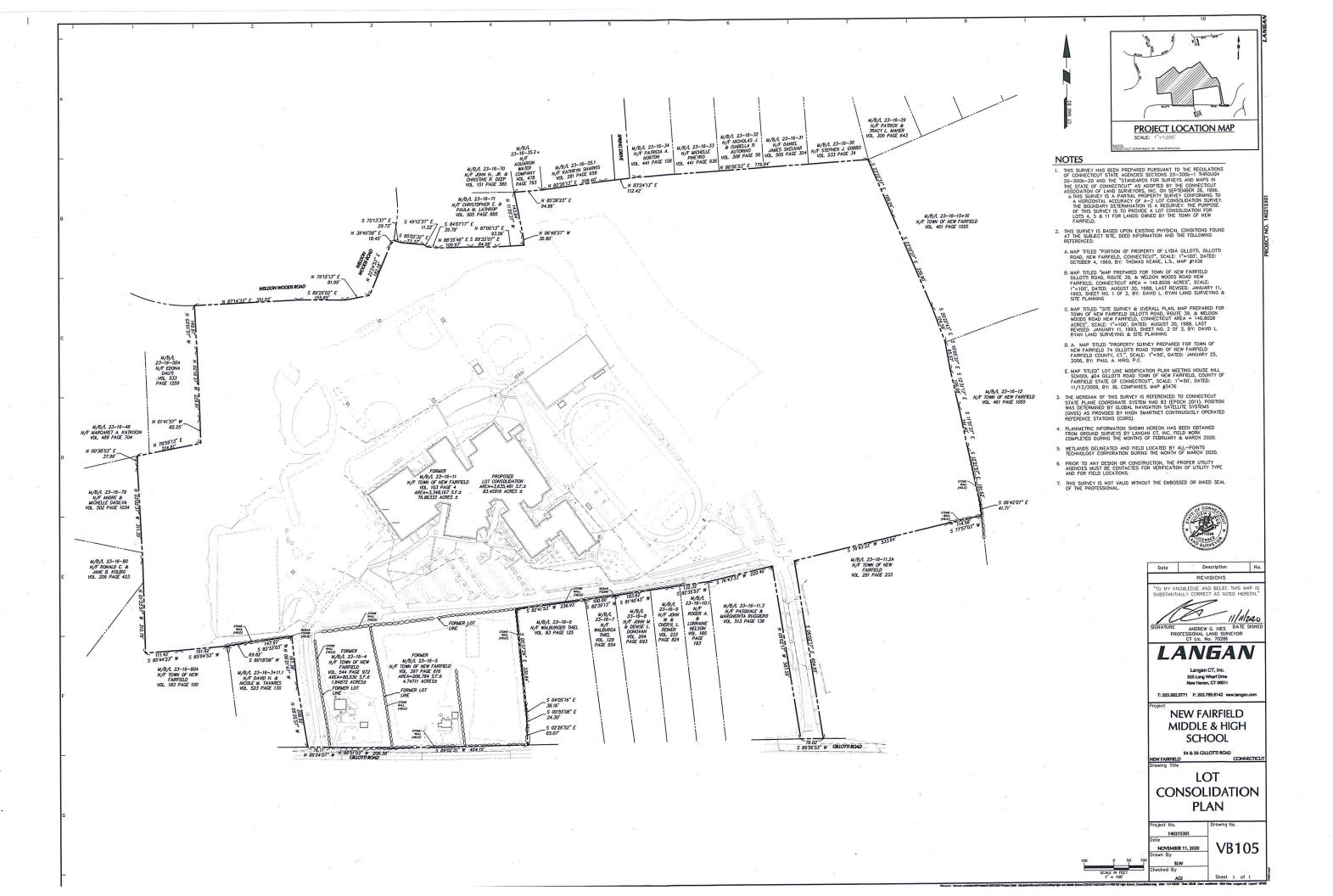
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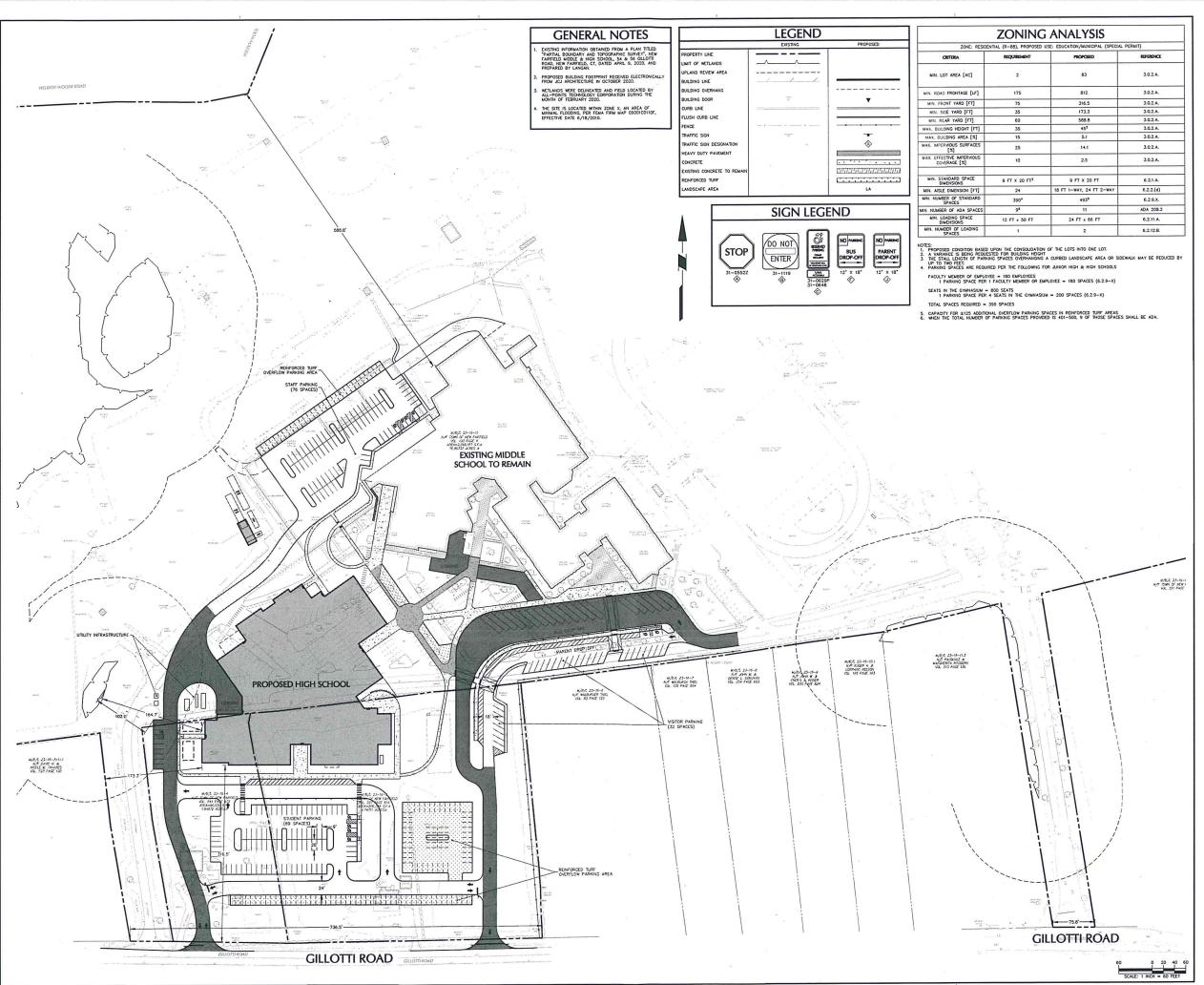












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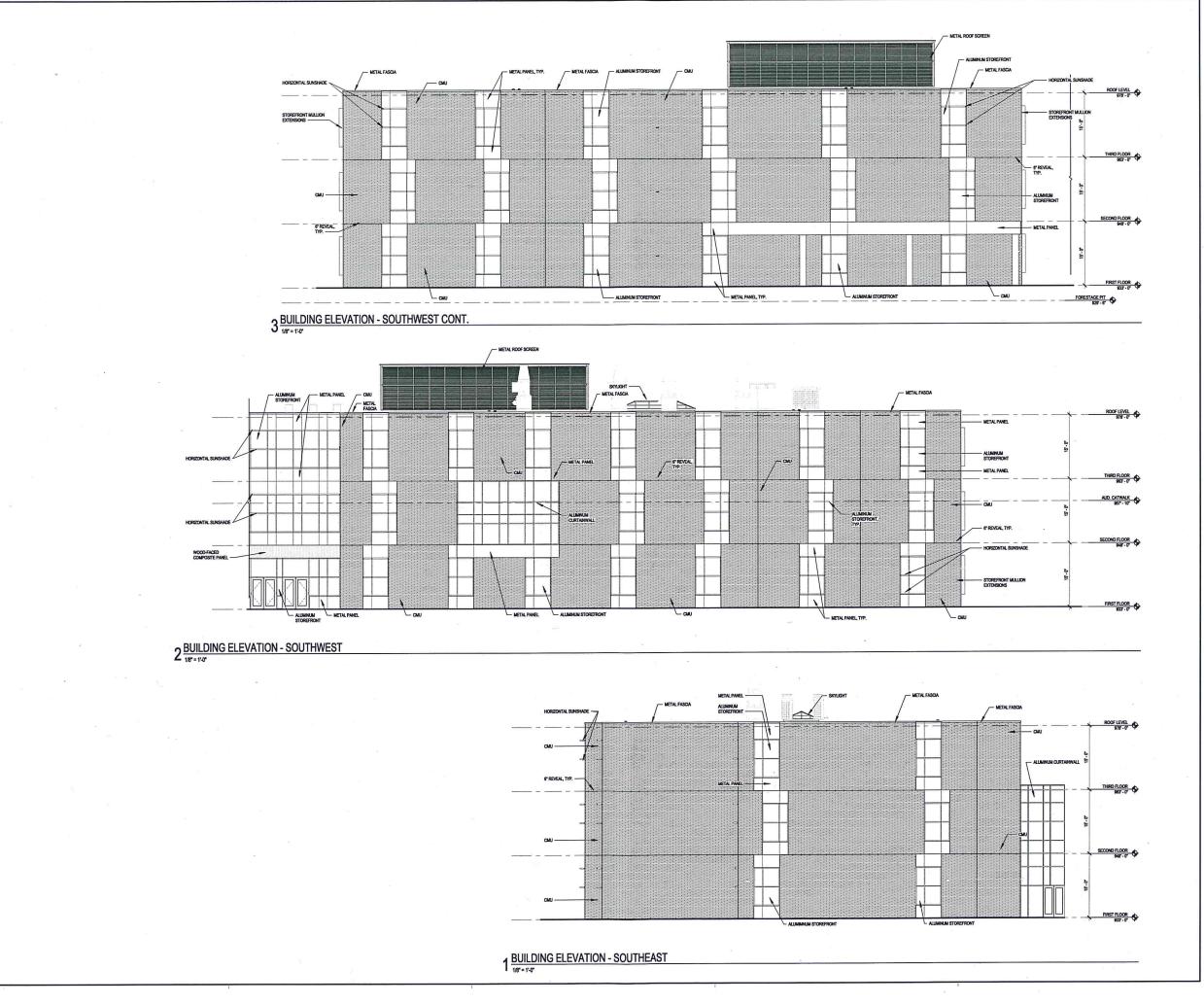
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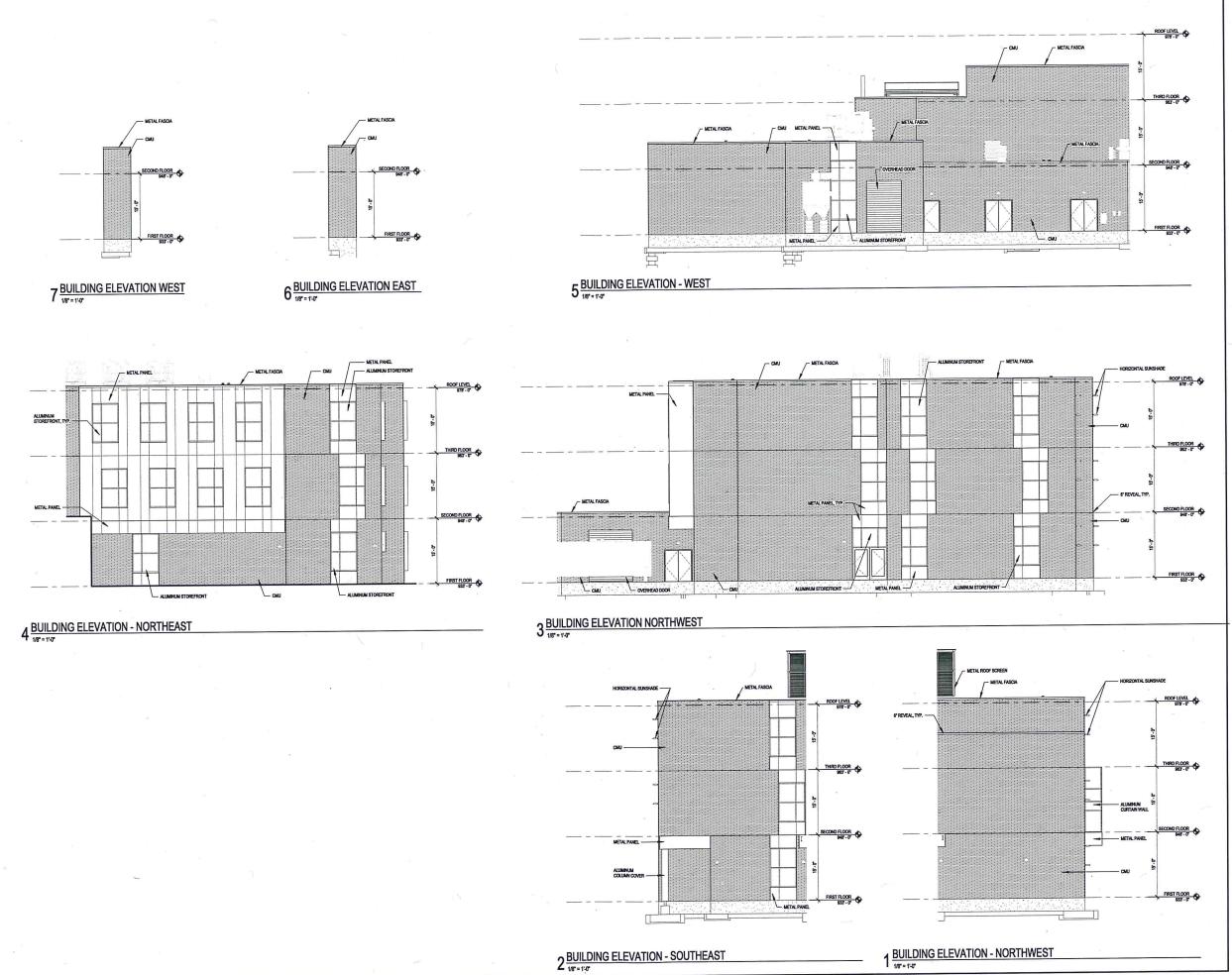
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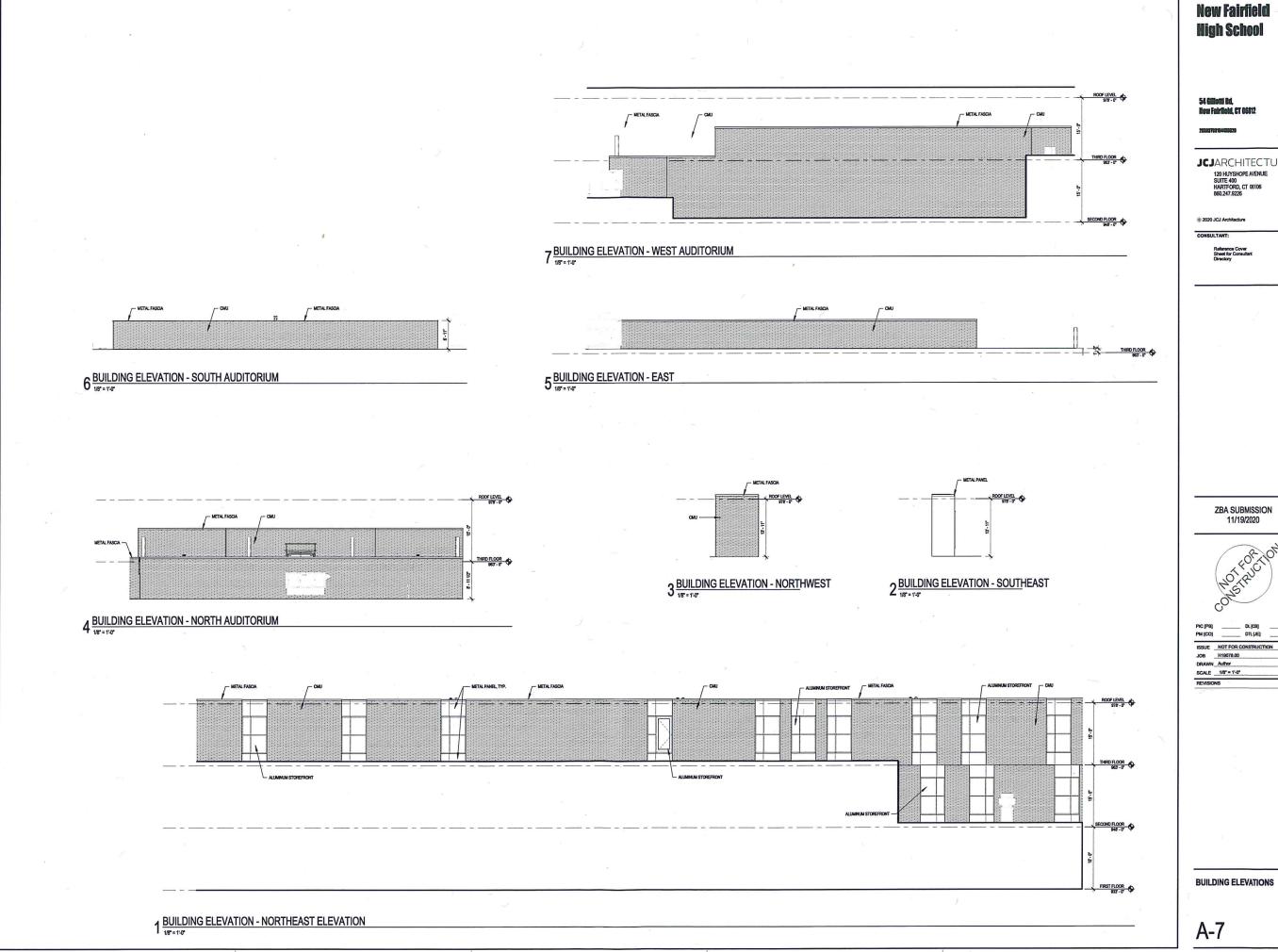
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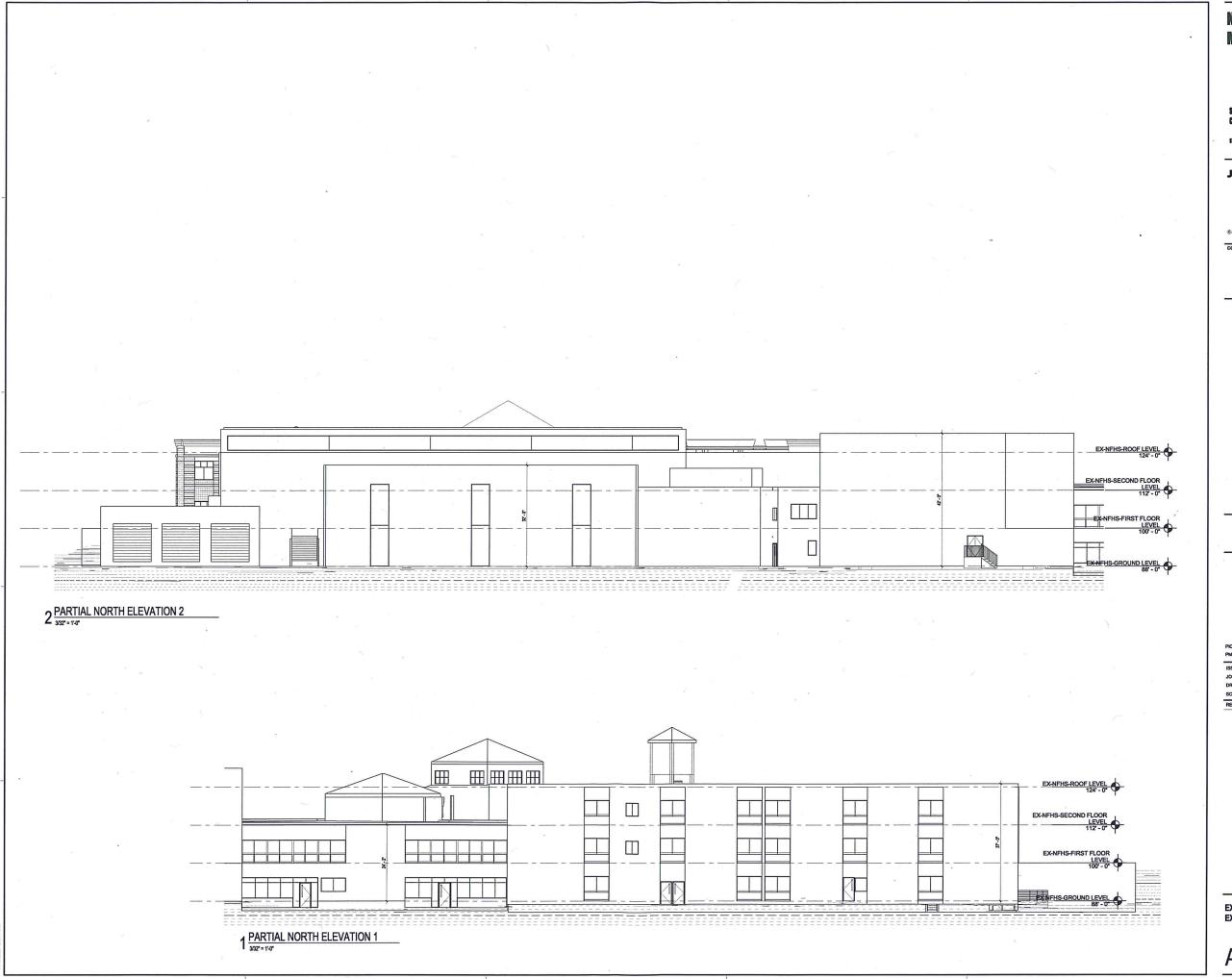
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EXISTING BUILDING EXTERIOR ELEVATIONS

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