CITY OF SAINT PAUL HERITAGE PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

ADDRESS: 300 Ryan

APPLICANT: Tony O'Malley: Sharkey Design Build **DATE OF PRE-APPLICATION:** December 14, 2020

HPC SITE/DISTRICT: Irvine Park Heritage Preservation District

DISTRICT PERIOD OF SIGNIFICANCE: 1848-1910

SITE CATEGORY: Vacant Lot SAINT PAUL WARD: 2 DISTRICT COUNCIL: 9

ZONING: RT1/RC4 **PROPOSAL:** Infill Construction

STAFF: George Gause

This is a pre-application discussion. The HPC will take no action on this item.

A. BACKGROUND

The structure at 302 Ryan Avenue was moved into the Irvine Park Heritage Preservation District after the period of significance. In September 2018, the Commission found the architectural and historic merit of the building to be poor and the building lacked integrity of location, setting, design, materials and feeling. The proposed demolition was also found to not have an adverse impact the surrounding historic buildings. The HPC unanimously approved the demolition of 302 Ryan. After the demolition, the lot was split forming 300 Ryan.

B. PROPOSED CHANGES:

A new, single family residential structure with attached garage is proposed for the lot.

C. GUIDELINE CITATIONS:

Sec. 74.102(C) New Construction (Irvine Park Heritage Preservation District)

| Guideline | Meets Guideline? | Comments |
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| New construction. Though stylistically diverse, Irvine Park architecture demonstrates similar organization of massing, rhythm, materials, and building elements, which together express a harmony and continuity in the streetscape. New construction should incorporate the general massing, rhythm, materials and building elements of historic Irvine Park structures and should be sensitive to the architectural styles evidence in the Park. | No | Irvine Park neighborhood has some specific architectural characteristics: Two-Story, Front Facing Gable, Full Façade-one-story Front Porch, Heavy cornice and frieze, Simple detail. The structure as proposed is more detailed and lacks these characteristics. |
| I. Massing. New construction should conform to the massing of existing adjacent structures, respecting the height, volume, and scale of the neighborhood. Most district buildings are two (2) or three (3) stories high, three (3) or four (4) bays wide, and twenty (20) to forty (40) feet high. The height of new construction should be no lower than the average height of all buildings surrounding the park; measurements should be made from street level to the highest point of the roof. | Maybe | As designed, it appears that the structure will conform to nearby massing. A streetscape worksheet should be complied to study area massing and heights. |

| III. Materials and details. While most Irvine Park structures are wood-framed and clapboarded, variety in the use of architectural materials and details adds to the intimacy and visual delight of the district. New construction materials and details should relate to materials and details of adjacent buildings. | Yes | LP Smartside smooth lap siding is proposed for the structure. Smartside is a treated, engineered wood product. |
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| III. Materials and details. Roofs. Roofs of slate, cedar shakes and standing seam metal are preferred, but materials which match their approximate color and texture are acceptable substitutes. | Yes | Asphalt shingles <i>Timberline</i> Charcoal color are proposed. |
| III. Materials and details. Siding. Siding running diagonally is unacceptable. Imitative materials such as asphalt siding, wood-textured metal siding or artificial stone should not be used. Wooden four-inch or six-inch clapboard is preferred as a siding material. | Yes | Horizontal 4" wood lap siding is proposed. |
| IV. Building elements. a. Roofs and chimneys. Gable, hipped and mansard roofs are the most common forms in Irvine Park. These forms are used with great variety, offering several options for new construction roof profiles. New roof and chimney designs should be compatible with existing adjacent structures. | No | As proposed the nested gable on a hip roof is not found on contributing structures in Irvine Park. |
| IV. Building elements. b. Windows and doors. The proportion, size and detailing of windows and doors in new construction should relate to the facade openings of existing adjacent buildings. | No | Windows on contributing structures in Irvine Park are predominately 1-over-1, 6-over-6. 4-over-1 windows are not seen on contributing structures. Existing area windows don't contain arches. Bay windows are not found on contributing structures. |
| V. Site. a. Setback. Due to varying lot sizes, orientation, and type and date of construction, setbacks in the Irvine Park District vary considerably. Generally, new construction setbacks should be within ten (10) percent in line with existing adjacent buildings. | Yes | According to the site plan, the proposed structure will match the setbacks of neighboring structures. |
| V. Site. c. Garages and parking. New construction of garages should be similar to the overall design and materials of the building they accompany. If an alley is adjacent to the dwelling, a new garage should be located off this alley. Where alleys do not exist, one-lane driveway curb-cuts may be acceptable. Garages should be located at the rear of the lot. Garage doors should not face the street. | Yes | This lot does not contain an alley. A one- lane drive will be installed along the southern edge of the property. Garage doors will face the neighboring lot. |

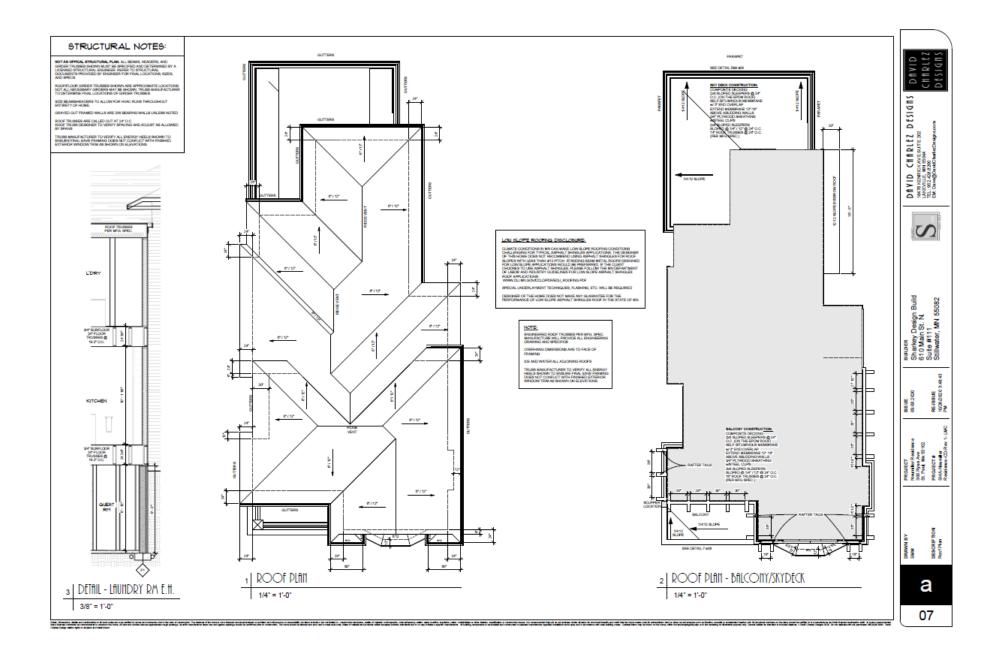




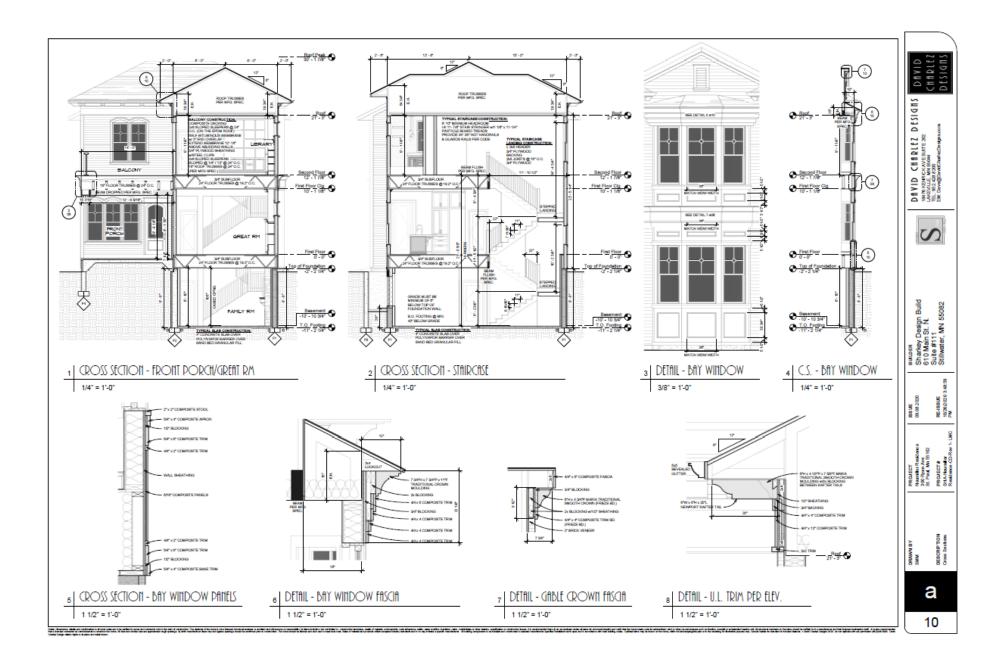


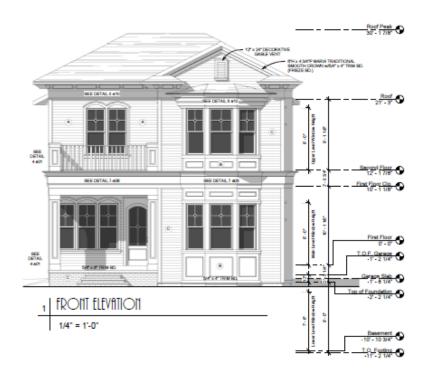
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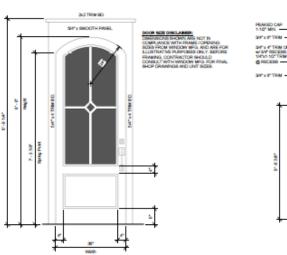
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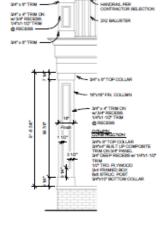




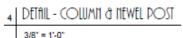


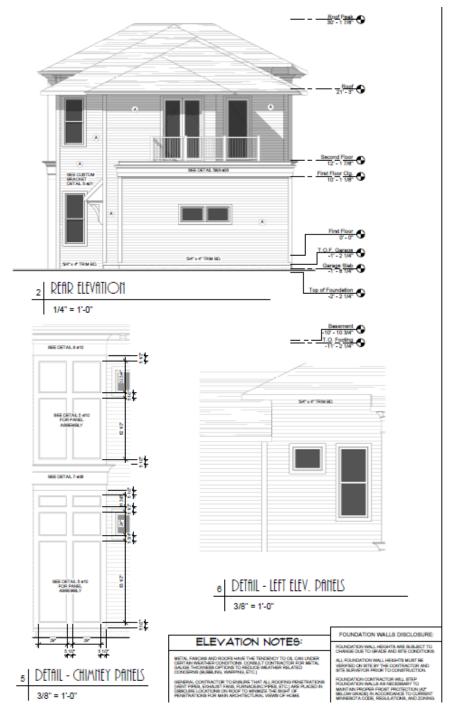
DETAIL - FRONT ENTRY DOOR

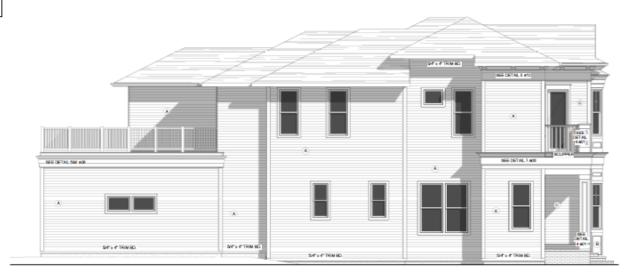
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COMPONENTS







1 LEFT ELEVATION

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ELEVATION NOTES:

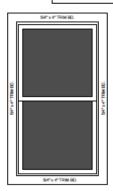
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GENERAL CONTRACTOR TO ENGLISE THAT ALL ROCKING PENETRATIONS (VEHT PRES, EXHAUST FANS, PLEMACEIAC PRES, ETC.) ARE PLACED IN DISECUSE LOCAL CARS OR ROCK TO MINIMIZE THE SEAT PARTY OF PENETRATIONS FOR MAIN ARCHITECTURAL, VEHNS OF HOME.

FOUNDATION WALLS DISCLOSURE:

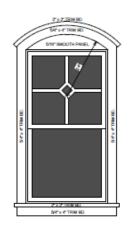
FOUNDATION WALL HEIGHTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO GRADE AND SITE CONDITIONS

POUNDATION CONTRACTION WILL SITEP FOUNDATION WALLS AS NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN PROPER PROST PROTECTION (6" SELON GRADE) IN ACCORDANCE TO CLARRAIT MINNESOTA CODE, REQUILATIONS, AND ZONING.



4 DETAIL - STD. WINDOW TRIM

1" = 1'-0"



3 DETAIL - FRONT ELEV. WINDOW TRIM



RIGHT ELEVATION

1/4" = 1'-0"

Irvine Park Homes











- 1. Two-Story
- 2. Front Facing Gable
- 3. Full Façade, one-story Front Porch
- 4. Heavy cornice and frieze
- 5. Simple detail