461 Court Street Map 105 Lot 7

2-Story Addition at Rear of Residence with Porch

To permit the following:

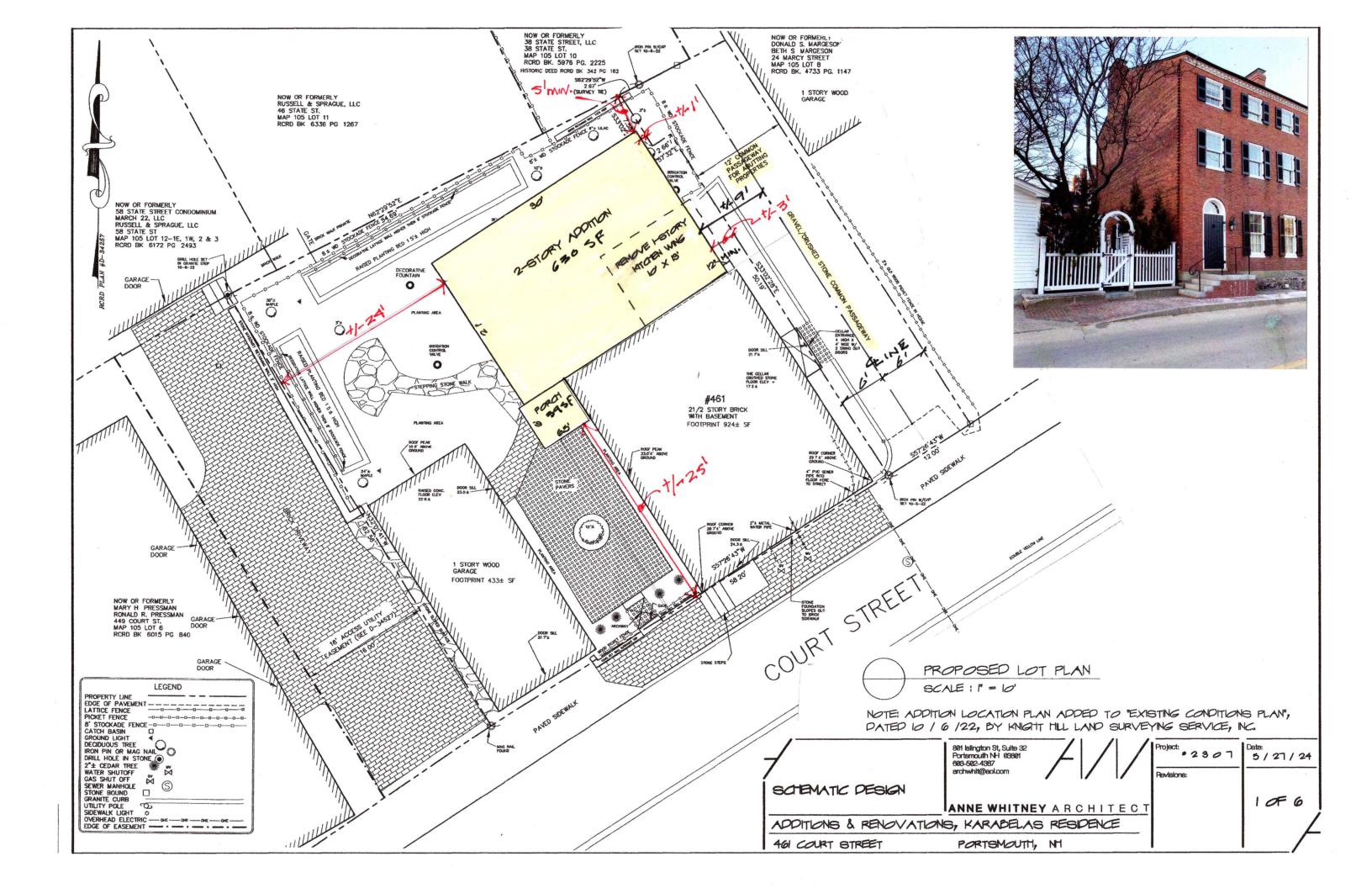
- 1. Right Side Setback of 1' where 5' is required.
- **2.** Expansion of a non-conforming structure

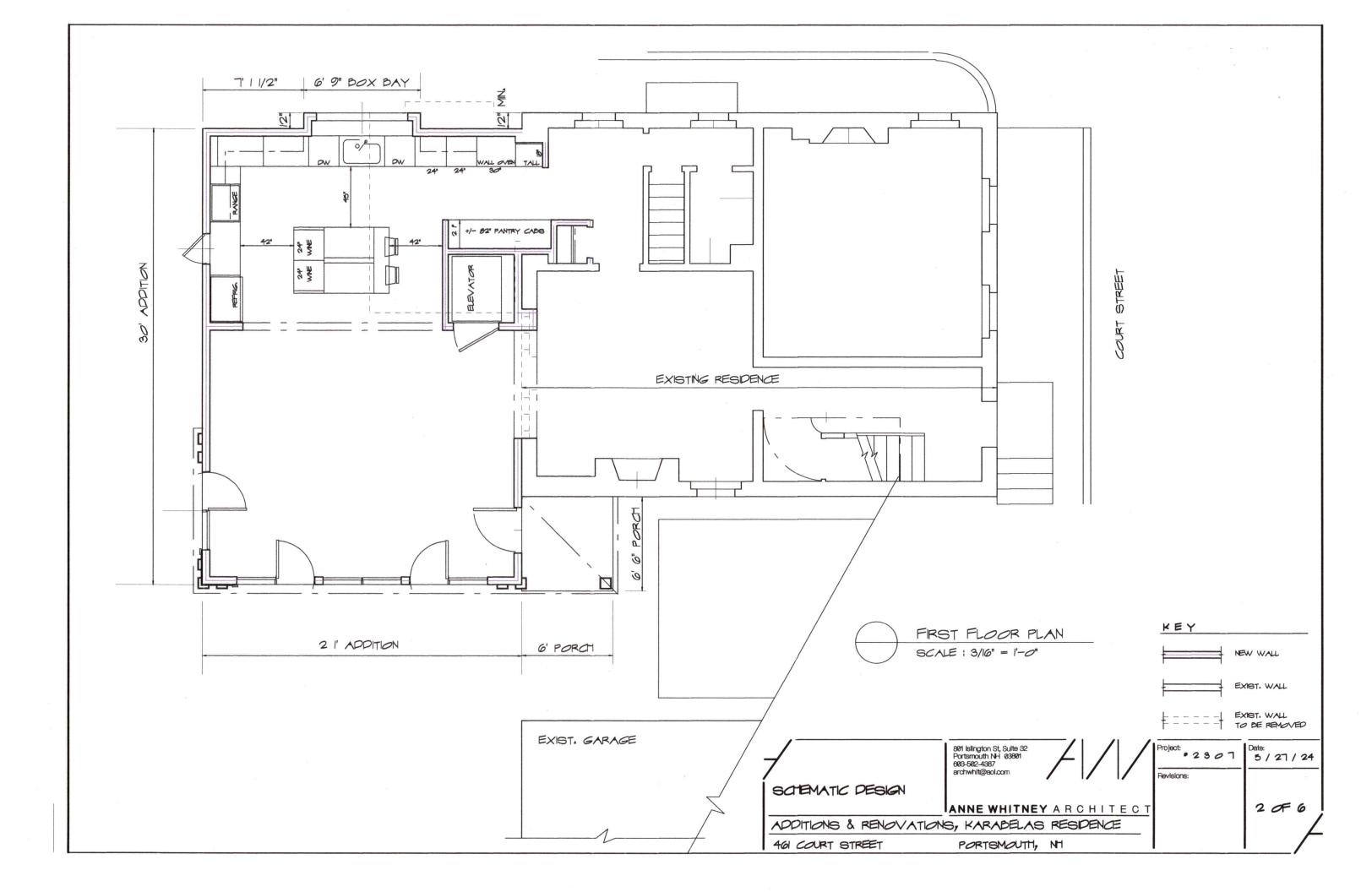
The undersigned agrees that the following circumstances exist.......

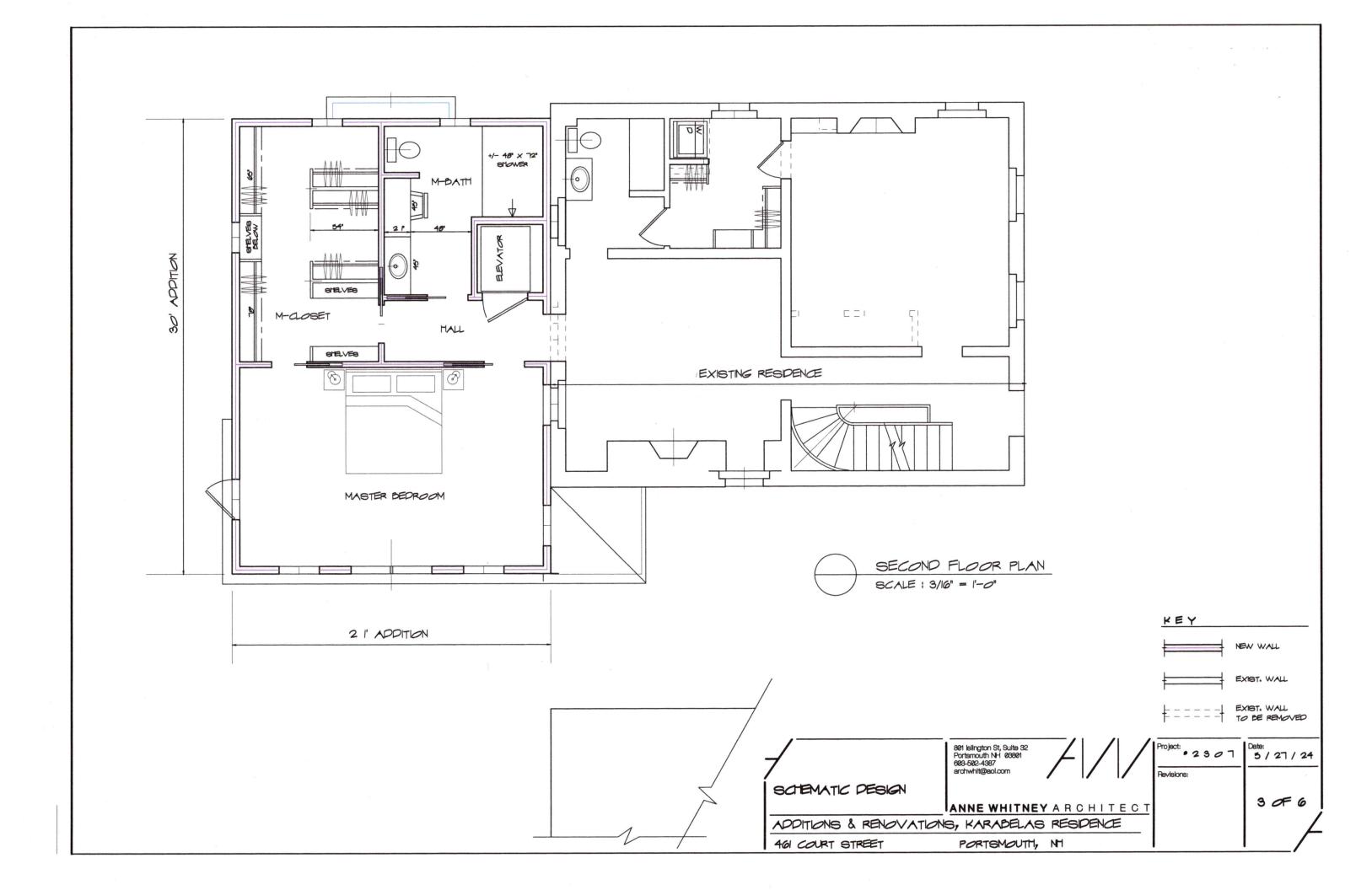
- 1. An Existing 1-Story 10' x 13', with a Right Side Setback of 2' will be removed. The Kitchen access in the new Addition will be through the existing opening in the Brick Wall.
- 2. The Proposed 21' x 30' Addition will be setback at least 12" from the Existing Residence on the Right Side. This will have a +/- 3' setback for 18' of the Addition. The Property Line jogs at the Rear and the last 3' of the Addition will have a setback of +/-12".
- 3. The Abutting Lot (12' wide) on the Right Side is a Common Passageway for all Abutting Properties. Research has shown that this Lot is not part of any of the Abutters Land.

Criteria for the Variance:

- 1. The Variances are not contrary to the public interest in that many properties in this neighborhood are non-conforming to Yard Setbacks. A small portion of the Addition is seen from Court St & the view from the corner of Marcy & State St shows the 2-Story Addition will be below the existing & surrounding 2, 3 & 4 Story Roof Lines.
- 2. The Variances are consistent with the spirit of the ordinance in that the non conforming Right Side Yard will be buffered by the 12' wide Common Passageway and the Addition is otherwise conforming.
- 3. Substantial justice will be done, as the Variances will allow needed expansion of the Living Space for accessibility, without impacting the Property to the Right. The benefit to the Owners out ways any impact to the Right Side Abutter.
- 4. These Variances will not diminish the value of surrounding properties.
- 5. The special condition of this property is the Existing Residence is just 2' from the Right. Side Property Line. The proposed location of the Addition allows for minimal renovations to the Existing Brick Residence and maximizes Open Space between the Addition & the Left Property Line.











VEW OF REAR ELEVATION FROM THE CORNER OF MARCY & STATE ST



VIEW OF EAST SIDE FROM COURT STREET

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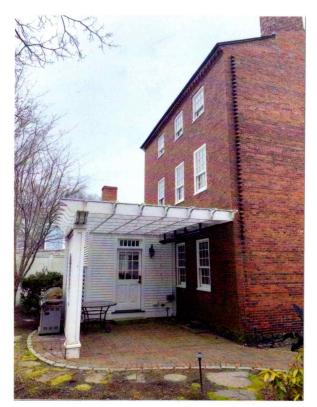
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EXISTING REAR ELEVATION



VIEW OF EXISTING WEST GARDEN

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