

February 26, 2025

Philadelphia Art Commission 1515 Arch St. 13th floor Philadelphia, PA 19102

Via email

RE: File #169-22 Calder Gardens Perimeter Fence and Exterior Signage

Dear Members of the Art Commission,

On behalf of Aegis's client, Calder Gardens (File #169-22), located at 2100 Benjamin Franklin Parkway, I am pleased to submit the attached materials regarding our proposed (a) <u>perimeter fence</u> and (b) <u>exterior signage</u> for your review at the upcoming March 12th meeting of the Art Commission.

Perimeter Fence

Since the Calder Gardens received the Art Commission's final approval at its December 14, 2022 meeting, Calder Gardens and its operating partner, The Barnes Foundation, have come to the conclusion that the perimeter of the Calder Gardens site needs a non-obtrusive barrier for a couple of important reasons. One, Calder Gardens' extensive plantings will benefit from a fence that discourages walking among the plants or cutting across the site at the corners to save time. Two, the operations and maintenance of the site will be much easier with a perimeter fence (with operable gates) to tell the public when Calder Gardens is open for visitors to enjoy, and when it is closed.

As you can see in the attached PDF from Herzog de Meuron dated February 26, 2025, the perimeter fence is forty-two inches (42") tall and made of vertical black steel posts with black stainless steel mesh stretched and strung up on horizontal black stainless steel cables.

Exterior Signs

In addition, Calder Gardens has retained the graphic design services of karlssonwilker to develop the exterior signs that will identify Calder Gardens for visitors and passersby. The design of those exterior signs is also being submitted to the Art Commission for review, if possible, at the same March 12th meeting since the signs have been designed to coordinate with the perimeter fence designed by Herzog de Meuron.

As you can see in the attached PDF from karlssonwilker dated February 21, 2025, the three (3) signs 01, 02, and 03 are to be die cut stainless steel, finished to match that of the Calder Gardens building's north façade, and will be waist height. Signs 01, 02, and 03 will be located behind the curb located up against the sidewalks along Benjamin Franklin Parkway and 22nd Street. Sign 04, located on the off-ramp will follow the typical Pennsylvania Department of Transportation template for cultural attractions and will help travelers know that they have successfully arrived at Calder Gardens.

As always, we appreciate the role the Art Commission plays and are happy to help answer any questions you may have about the project before March 12th or provide any materials that may be missing from this submission.

Sincerely,

Craig Morton Associate

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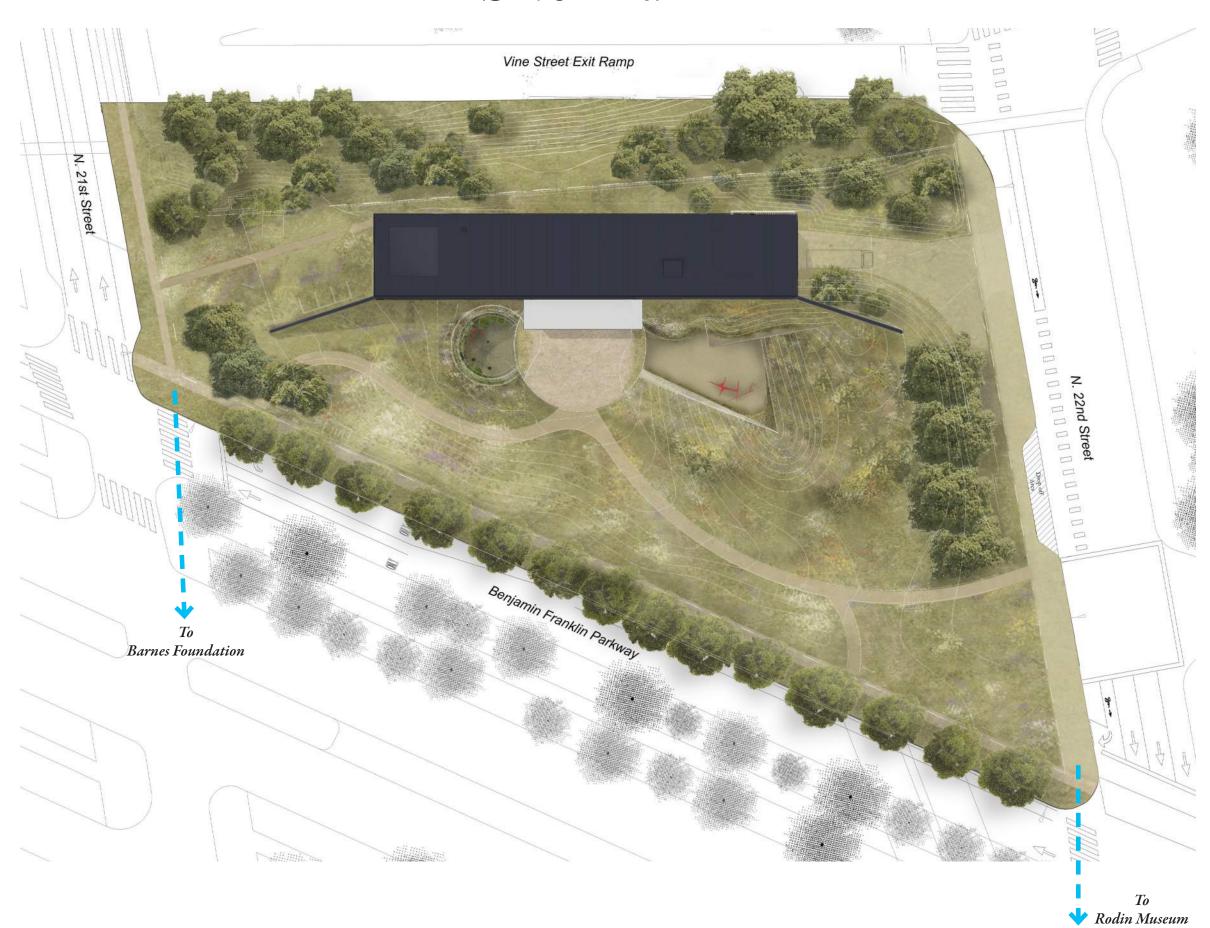
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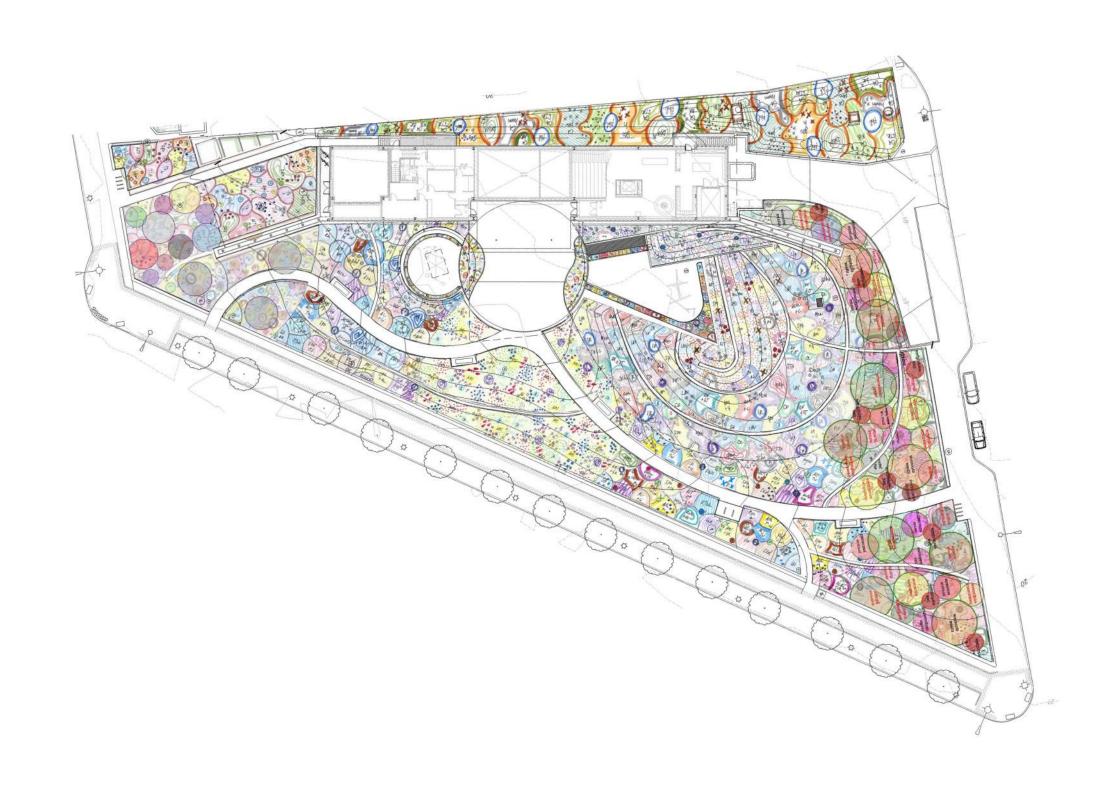
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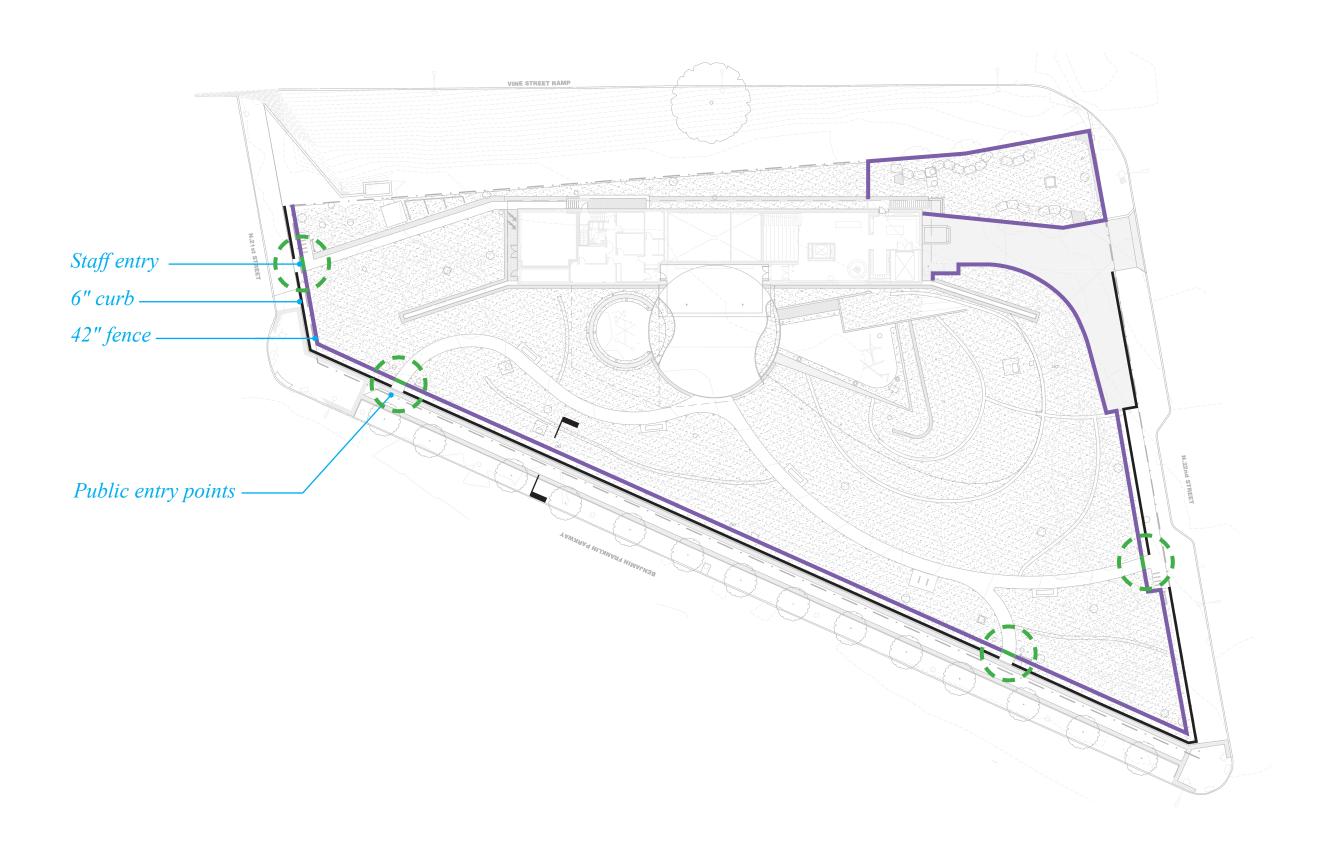
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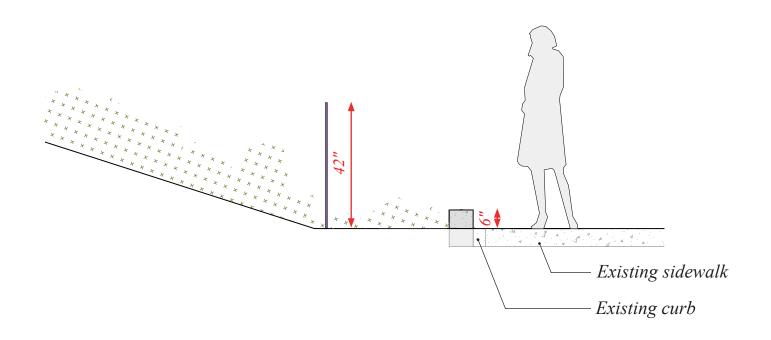
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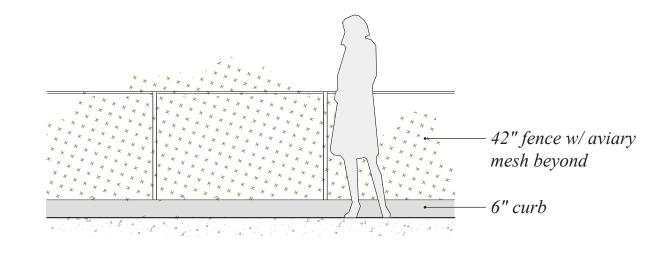


Site Perimeter Fence



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<u>SECTION</u> <u>ELEVATION</u>

Site Perimeter - NE Corner View



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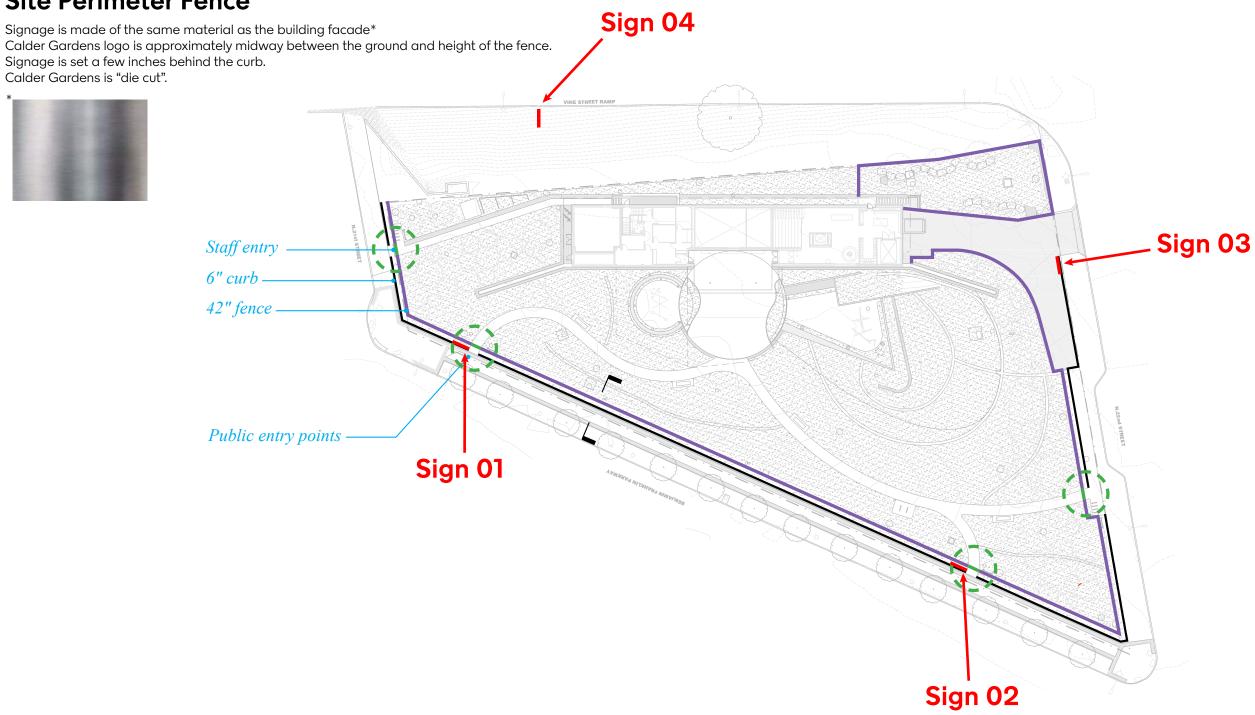
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Monumental/Perimeter Signage

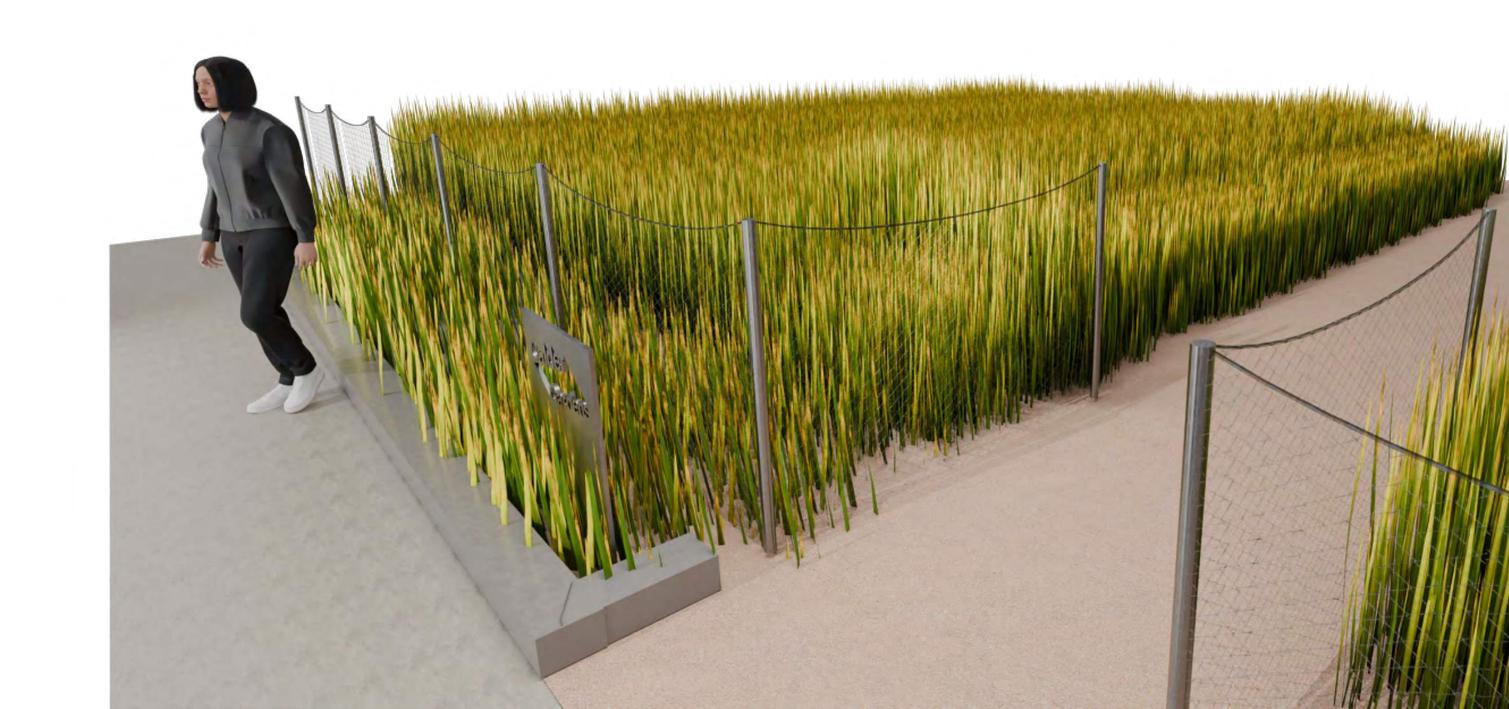
Direction 1C

Signage in front of fence (below fence height)

Direction 1C Site Perimeter Fence









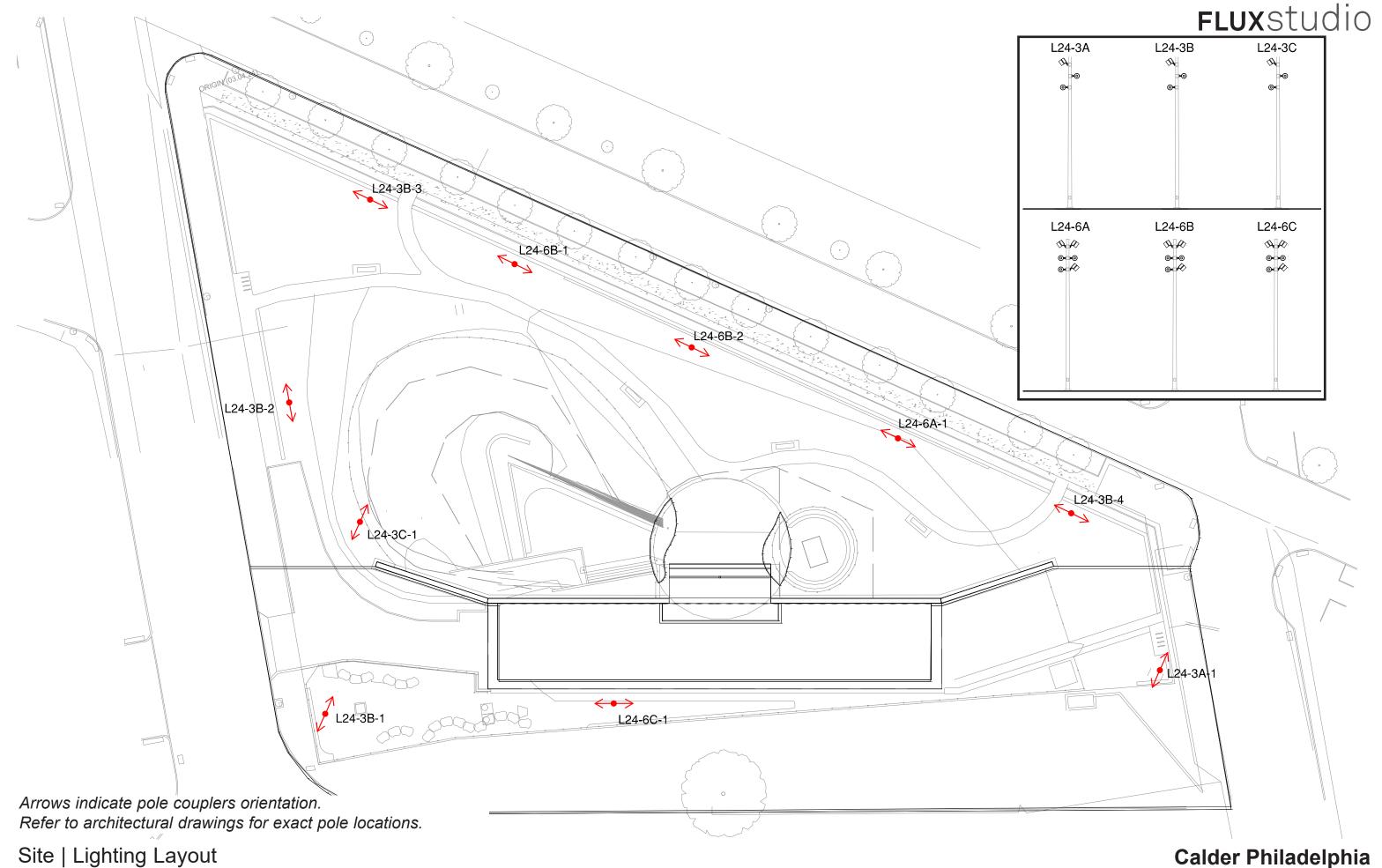


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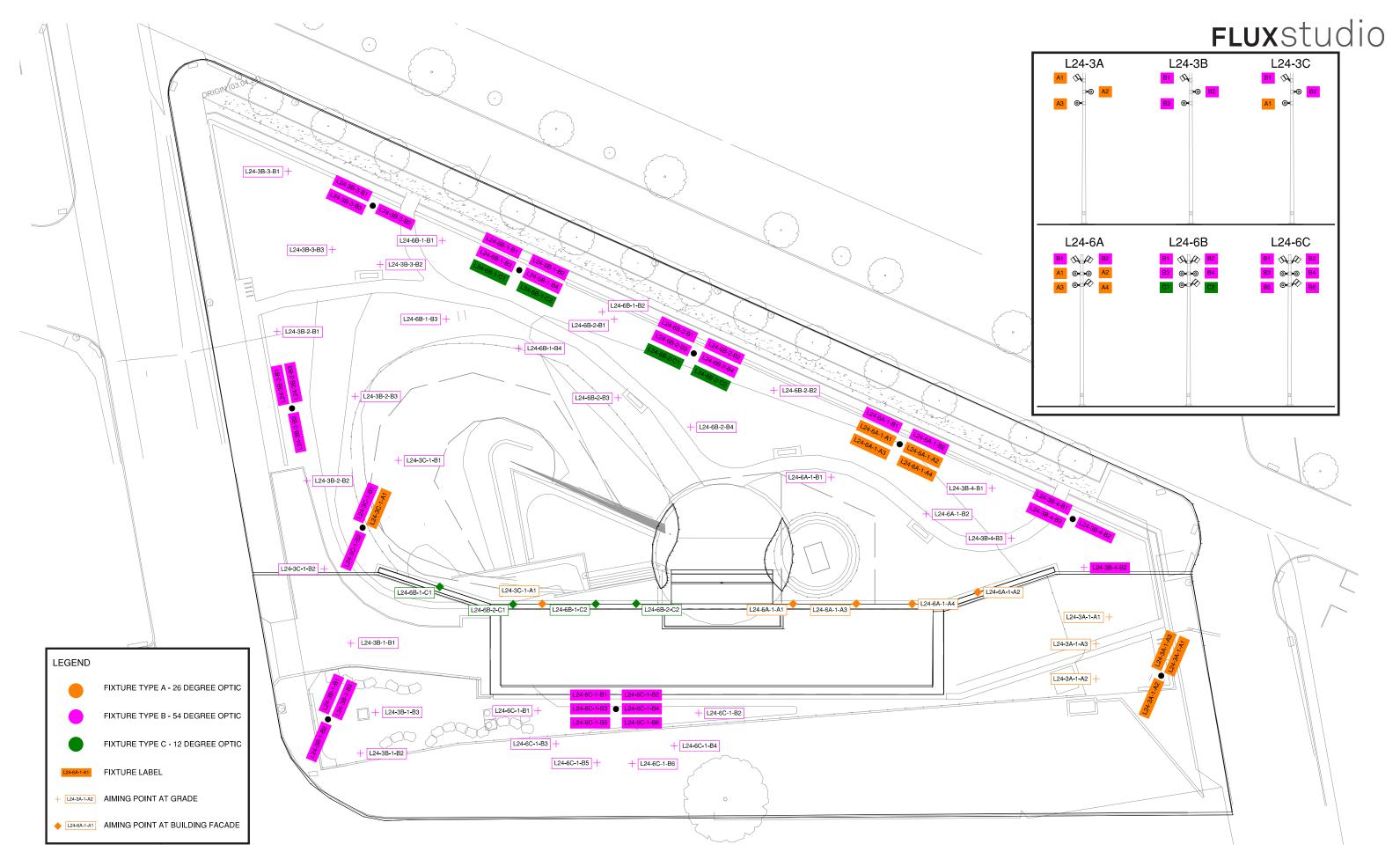
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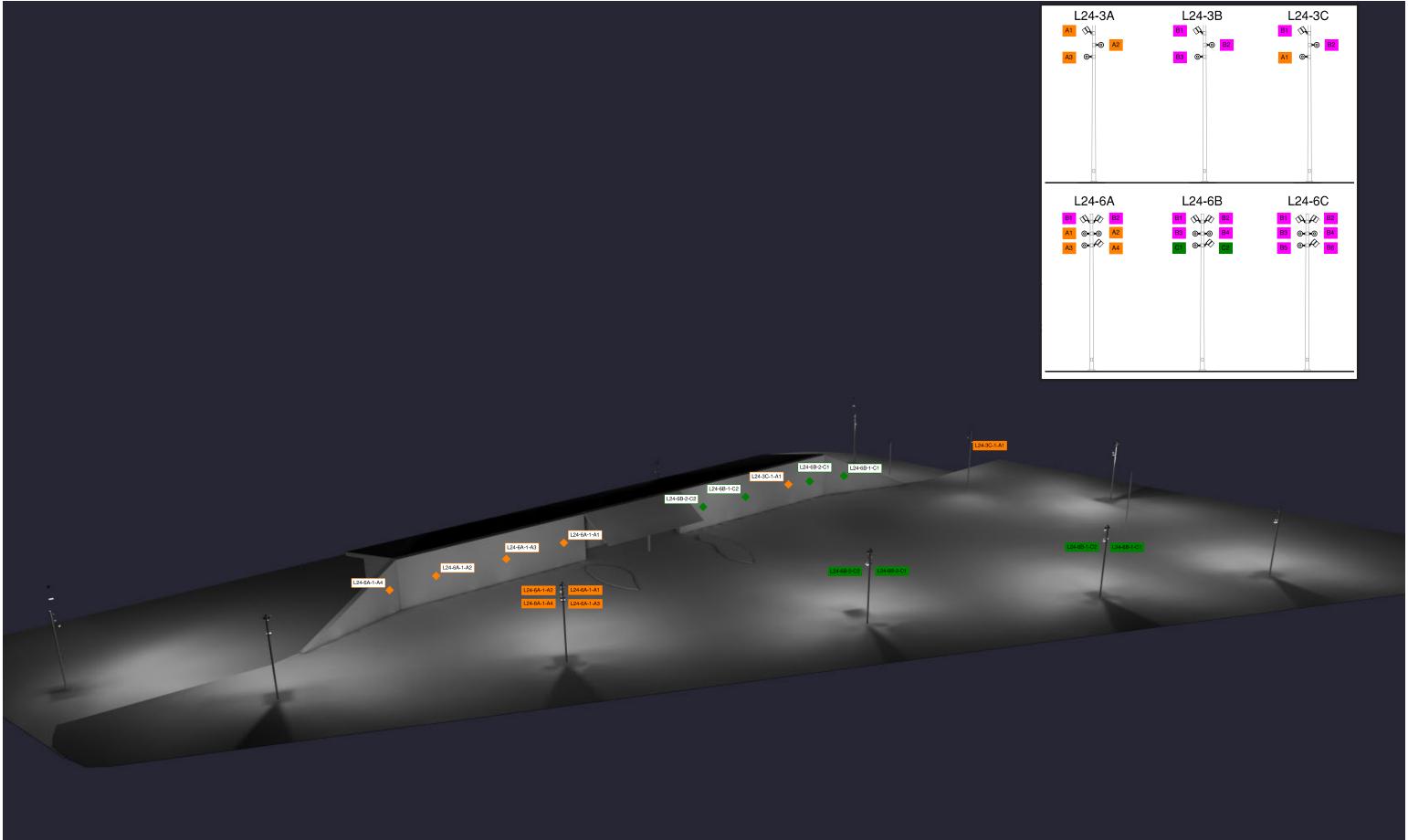
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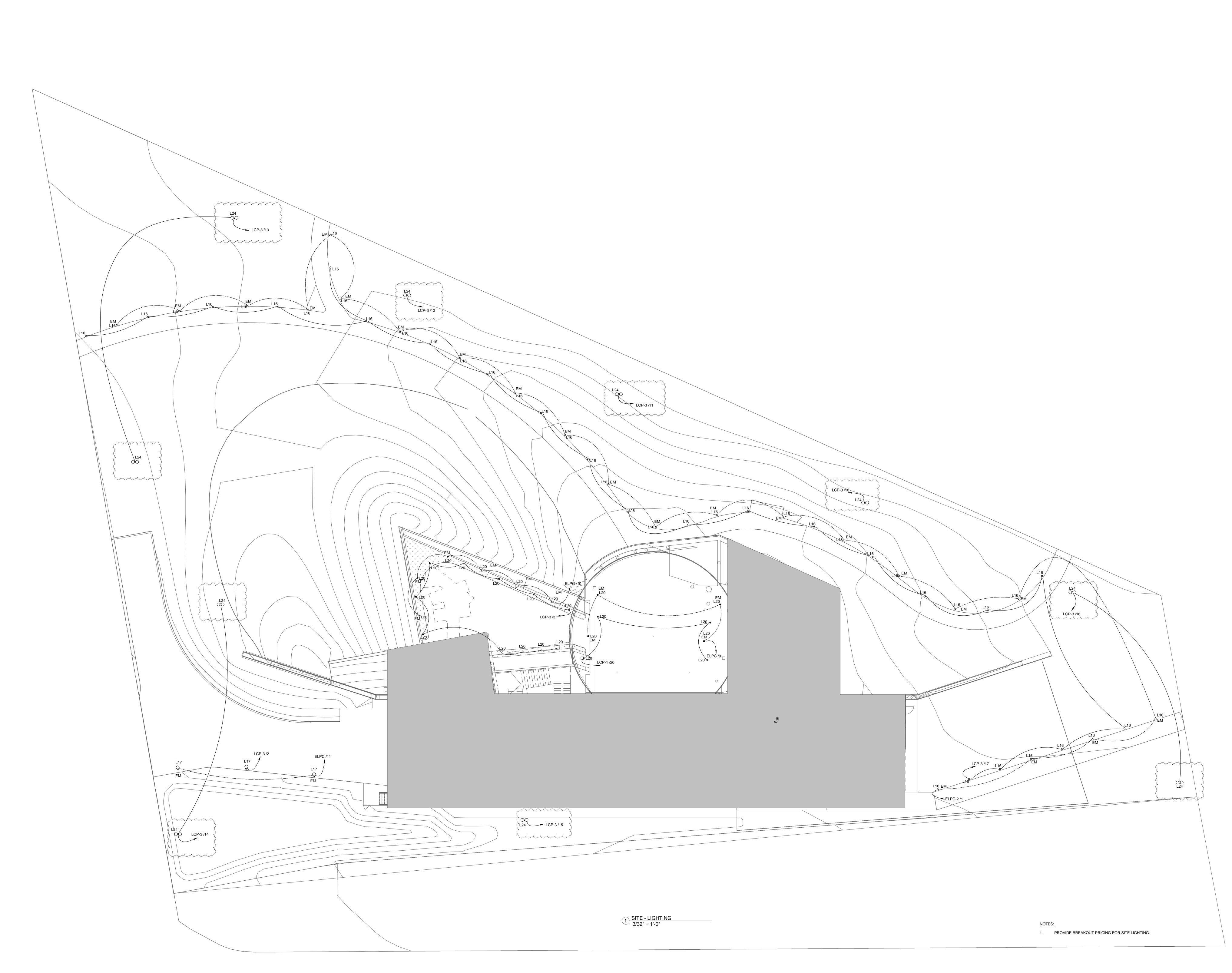


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