ATTACHMENT A



July 11, 2013

Attn: Stacey MacGregor

City of Tukwila Planning Department 6300 Southcenter Boulevard Tukwila, WA 98188 Tel: 206.433.7166

Subject: Buffalo Wild Wings at Westfield Southcenter Mall - Design Narrative

Dear Miss MacGregor,

The overall intent of the design of our building at 225 Tukwila Parkway at the Westfield Southcenter Mall is to meet or exceed the City of Tukwila Design Review Criteria while providing elements that add interest to the building and serve to identify our Client, Buffalo Wild Wings, as a new member of the mall and community.

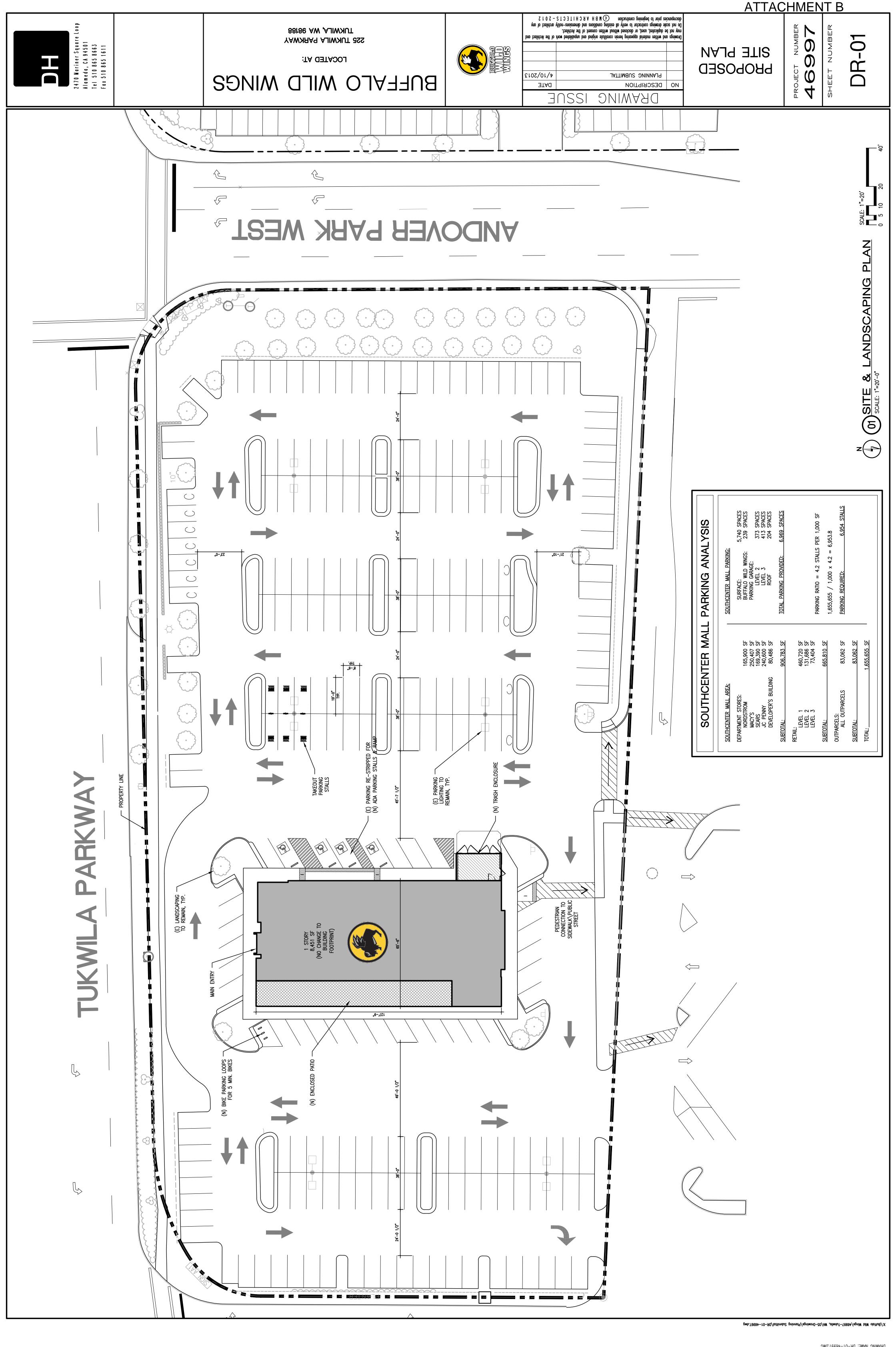
To address the Design Review Criteria we have put together the following narrative:

- Relationship of Structure to Site The proposed Buffalo Wild Wings building will be reusing an existing foundation and site conditions from the former Bank of America building. We believe this improves the site dramatically by provided a whole new look to the building and does so in the most efficient way possible. By reusing the existing foundation we are minimizing the environmental impact to the site. The parking on the site was recently updated in 2010 and will remain. The main massing of the building is 20 feet tall. There are several steps in the building to add architectural interest. The center clerestory of the building is 28 feet tall and is the tallest point of the building. The massing of the new building is closer is keeping with the character of the mall than the previous Bank of America building.
- Relationship of Structure to Site to Adjoining Area As part of our site improvements we have extended and connected the pedestrian path around the South end of our building, to our entry on the North side of the building. This walkway will be covered on the East side of the building to provide pedestrians protection from the weather.
- Landscaping and Site Treatment The site landscaping was updated in 2010 along with the parking lot renovation. We plan to keep this landscaping intact as well as add some greenery to the building itself in the form of wall mounted trellises and winter hardy plants that can sustain foliage all year long. The exterior lighting of the building is being used to down-light and enhance the trellises, walkway, and entry and exits of the building.
- Building Design Our building is the latest in design standards from Buffalo Wild Wings. Its design serves to be a family friendly environment and a fixture of the mall. The components of the building are well proportioned and balanced with the materials used, such as real brick veneer, textured EIFS in various colors, and accents of yellow metal cladding. The building also incorporates a black metal clad equipment roof screen to hide all mechanical equipment from view of the public.
- Miscellaneous Structures and Street Furniture We have provided bicycle parking adjacent to the entry on the North side as a piece of furniture to the building.

We believe that the features of our building and site meet the Design Review Criteria of the City of Tukwila and serve to integrate this project into the community and the mall.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Jaeger MBH Architects



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PROJECT NUMBER 46997

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4/10/2013 DATE NO DESCRIPTION

TUKWILA, WA 98188 225 TUKWILA PARKWAY LOCATED AT:

BUFFALO WILD WINGS

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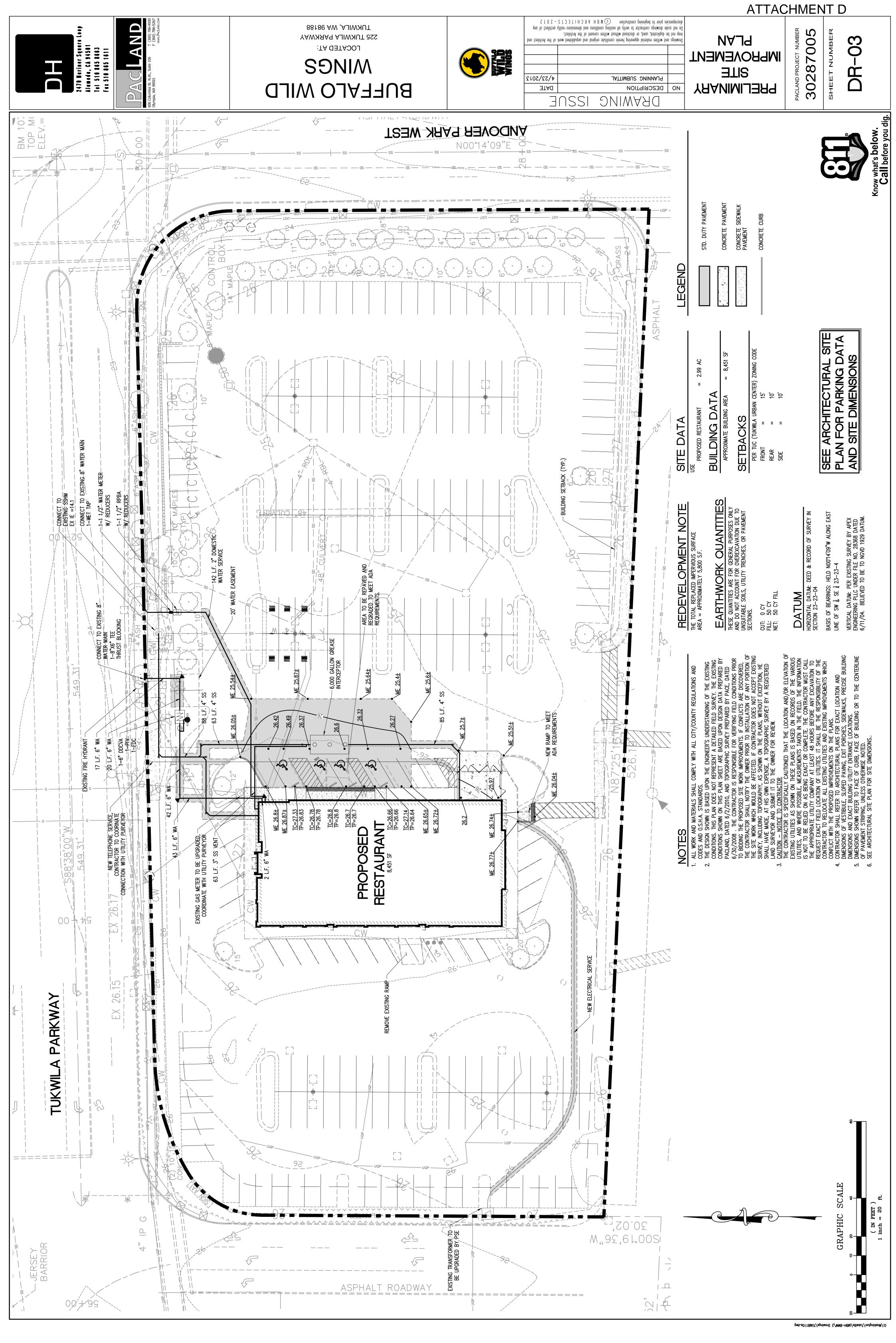
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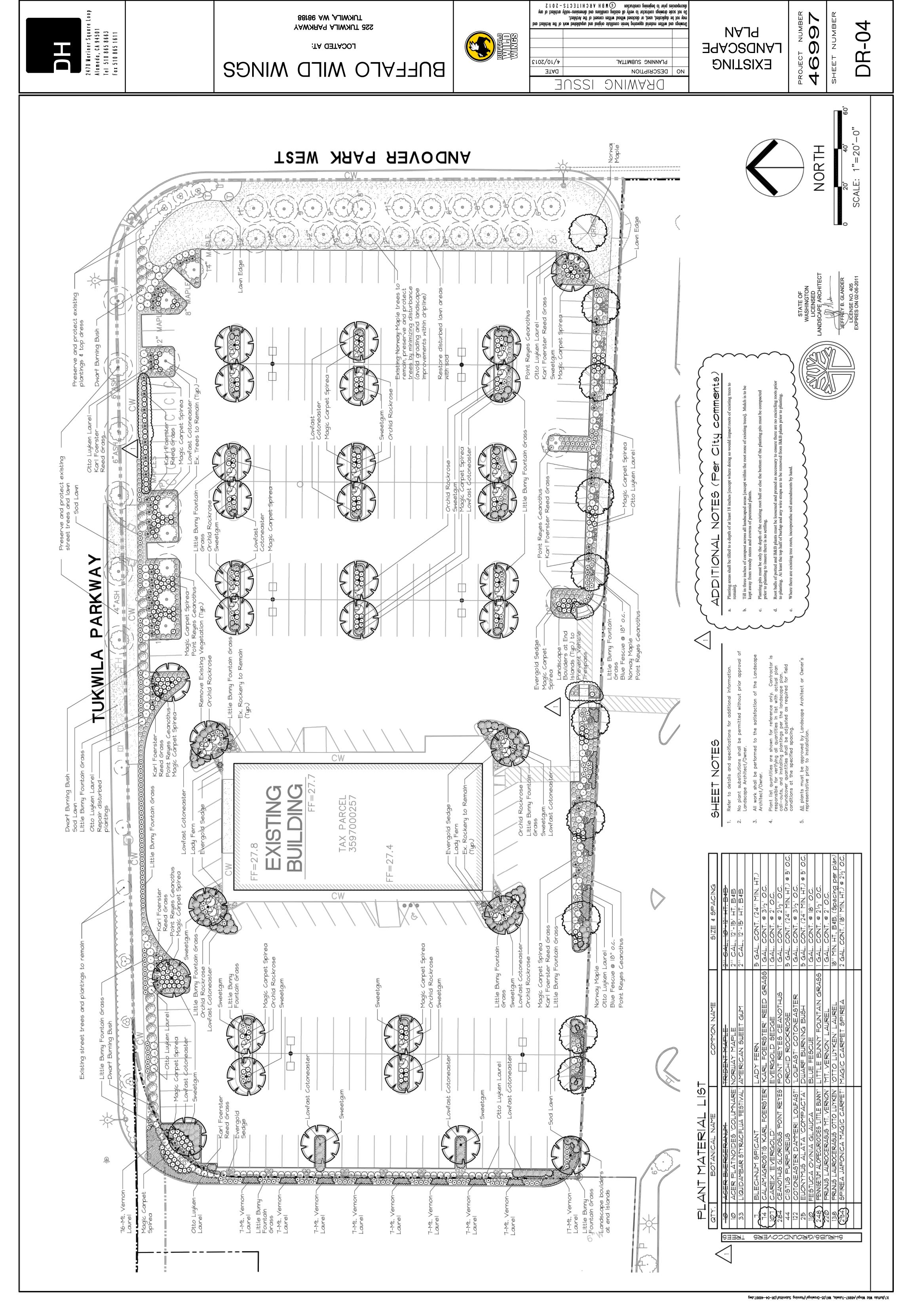
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