Naturalized vs. Formal Landscape

Introduce coniferous planting along the street edges to integrate the site with its larger context, and defining a natural barrier between the road and the residences.

Entry courtyards are defined by formal planting to create a transition space into the home.

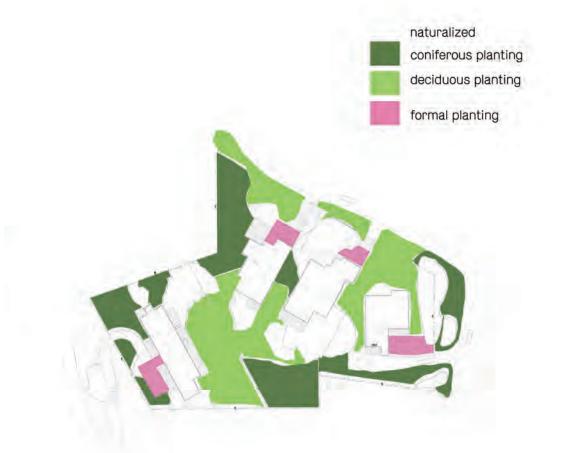
The areas in-between the residences will feature deciduous planting, framing views and acting as buffers between each home

Reintroducing Natural Topography

Establish a sequence of spaces that move the user from the public realm into the private. Highlight rock outcroppings by removing existing vegetation currently hiding them. Naturalized planting and coniferous trees populate the edges of the property acting as Restore natural gully by removing part of a buffer zone between street and residences. existing retaining wall creating a small

bio-swale as a strategy for stormwater An entry courtyard acts as a transitional mitigation. space between outside and inside.

Emphasize moments in which rocky topography dictates the form of the landscape and circulations.







Hierarchy of Spaces

An open lawn sits at the rearyard of the residences allowing for private activities outdoors.

Discreet Points of Access

Entrances are located along Mckechnie Avenue with three independent entries for Lot 1, 2 and 3 and one indepent entry for Lot 1 on Creery Avenue.

Existing south road will be decommissioned restraining vehicular access to McKechnie Avenue.

Frame the Views

Deciduous planting along McKechnie Avenue ensures neighbours retain their views of the ocean and city. Coniferous planting along edges help frame their sight lines as well as give the new residences some separation from the road.



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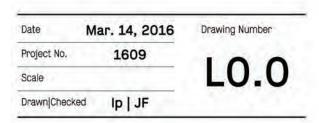


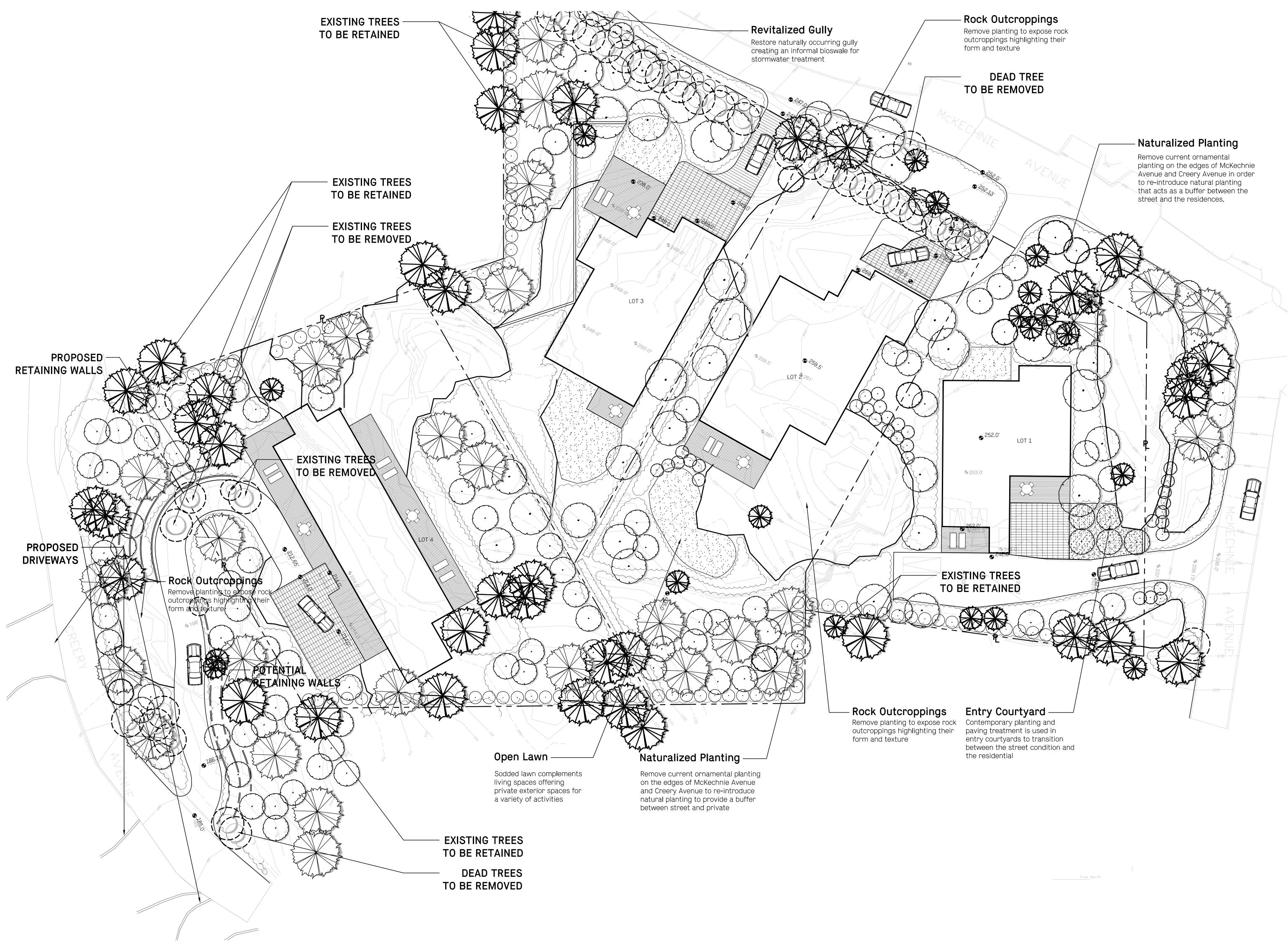
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Landscape Rationale







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