

Design + Access Statement



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1.0 Introduction

1.01 The report

This document encapsulates the proposals for a new office and storage facilities for Midland Feeds located off Grange Lane, 1km north west of the village of Staunton in the Vale. This report has been produced as part of a detailed planning application, and should be read in conjunction with the associated forms, documents and drawings.

1.02 The design team

This statement has been prepared by the design team in conjunction with the client, with contributions from:

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Planning Consultant - Grace Machin

Architect - CPMG Architects

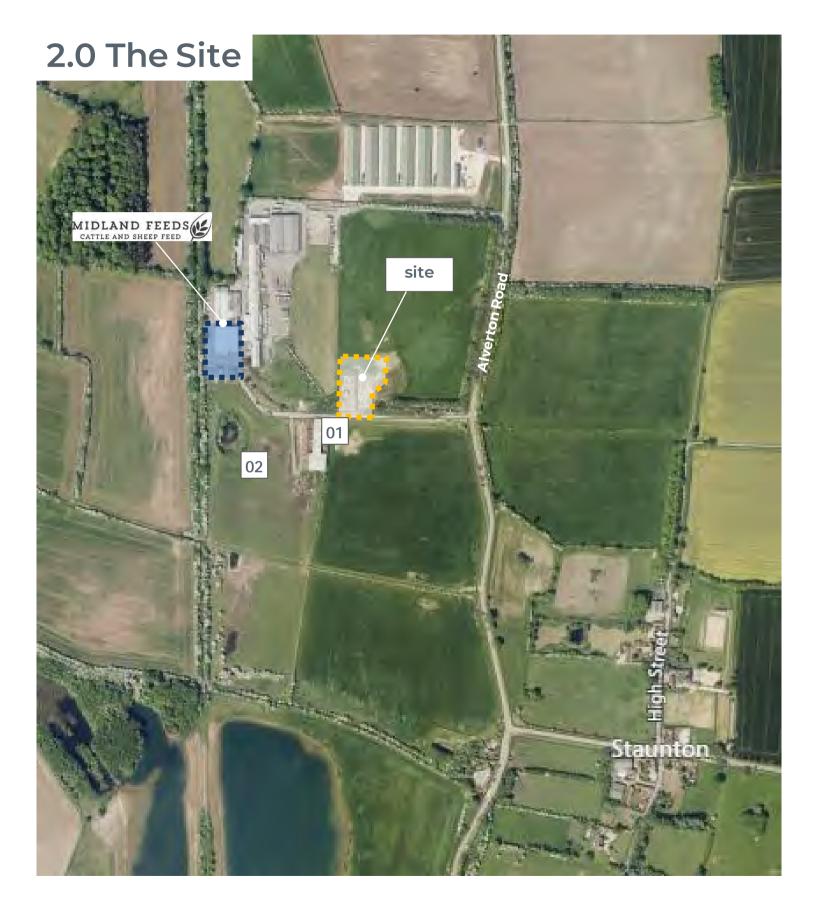
Highways Engineer

1.03 The Brief

Midland feeds are seeking to consolidate their business premises with the development of a new office building, feed storage facilities and an associated weighbridge.

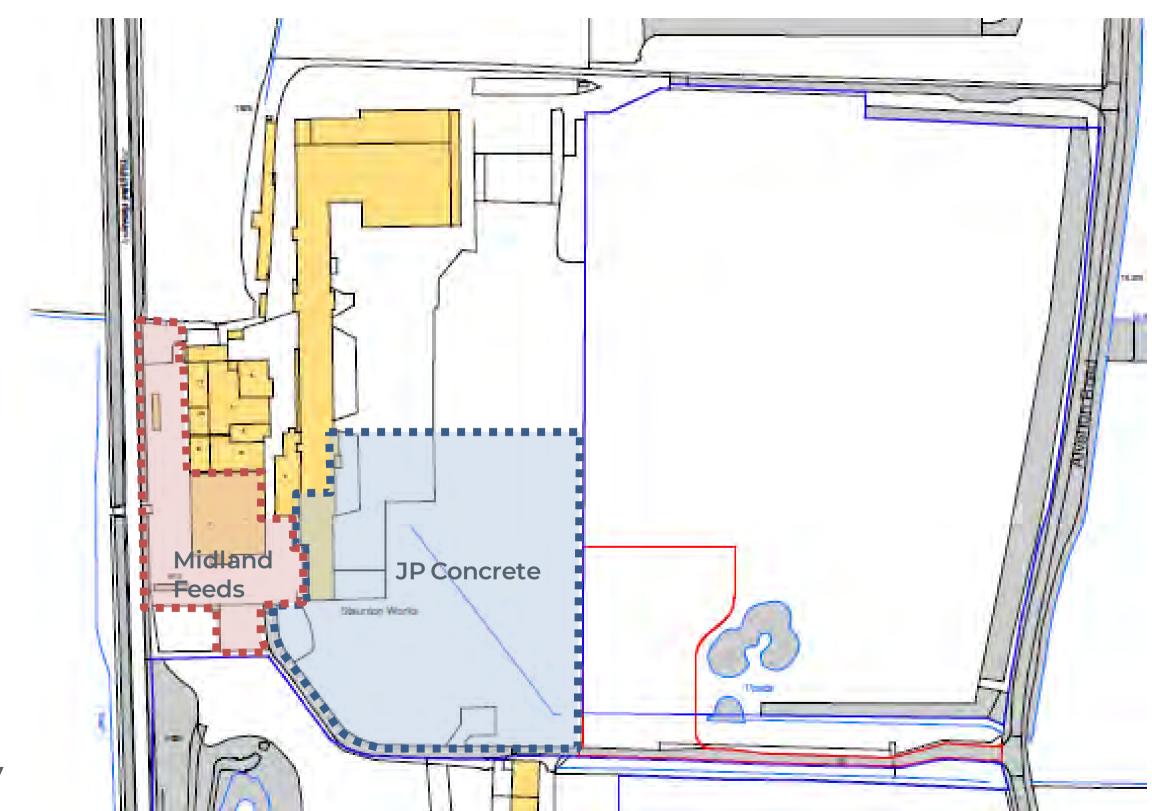
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The office will provide administration and management accommodation for the business





2.0 The Site



Current Occupancy





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Site photographs







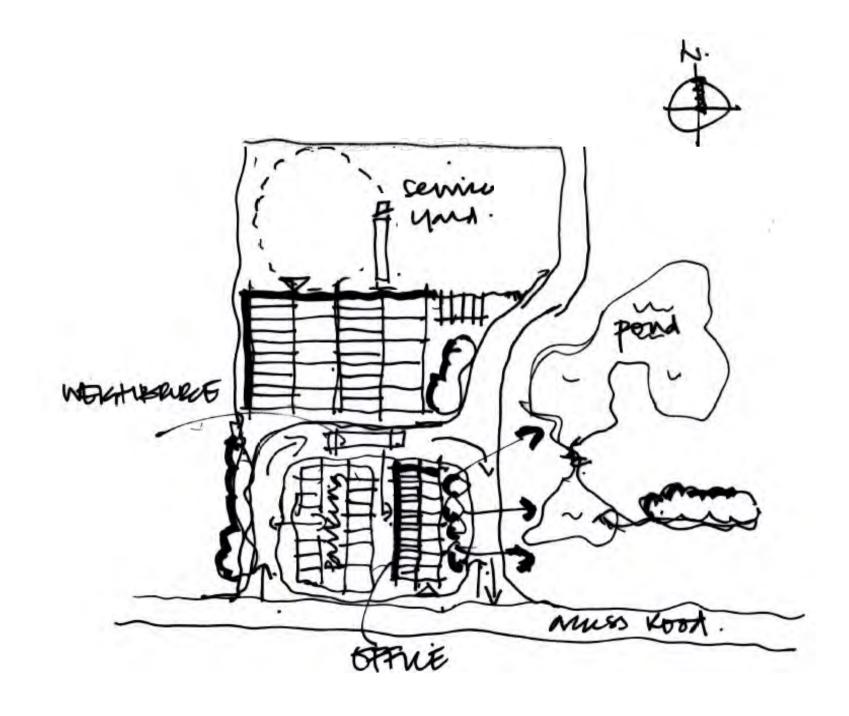


3.01 Site Layout

The site is accessed via a private road from Alverton Road and is located adjacent to a large balancing pond fed by a culvert running parallel with the drive.

The proposals incorporate an office building, two, 5,000sqft feed storage units, associated hardstanding and a weighbridge.

The stand alone office is located close to the entrance to the site and benefits from views over the landscape towards the balancing pond. To the rear of the building is a dedicated staff and visitor car park. A one way road system allows vehicles to utilise the weighbridge and exit without passing the feed storage area or entering the service yard. Midland Feed vehicles can bypass the office to access the feed stores which are connected and face the service yard. A pocket of car parking are associated with the units.



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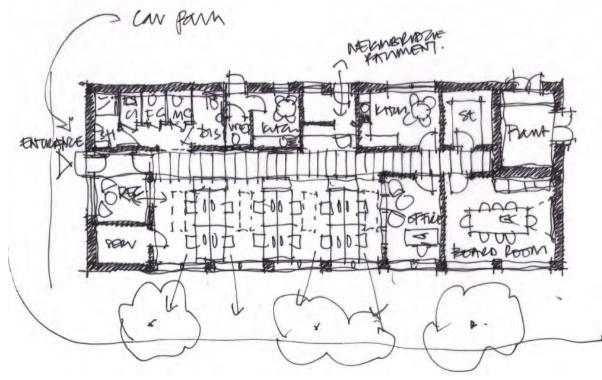


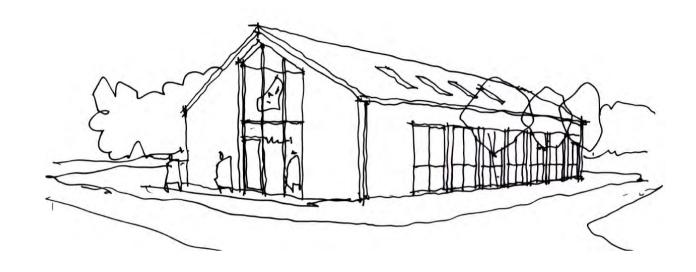
3.0 Building Design

3.02 Office

The single storey office building is rectangular on plan, with occupied spaces arranged to one side of an offset circulation spine and service spaces to the other. Primary accommodation consists of reception area, an open plan office space, cellular office and meeting room. Support spaces include staff and visitor wc's, shower, store and two kitchens – one for the office workers and one accessible directly from outside for staff working in the feed stores. A small lobby is provided to the rear allowing access for weighbridge payments.

The building is a simple form with a pitched roof running the length of the plan. A series of rooflights are located over the primary office space. Glazing is maximised across the east elevation, ensuring good natural daylight and ventilation to the occupied spaces and maintaining views over the surrounding landscape.





Materials

Walls black ppc aluminium profiled sheet.

Roof black ppc aluminium profiled sheet.

Windows + Doors black ppc aluminium double glazed units

Rainwater Goods black ppc aluminium



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3.03 Feed Stores

The food stores comprise two simple portal framed sheds, grouped as a pair with a shared service yard. Each unit has a central roller shutter door and a pass door. Adjoining units are linked by an opening in the separating walls.

Materials

Walls black ppc aluminium profiled sheet over brickwork base

Roof black ppc aluminium profiled sheet.

Doors black ppc aluminium double glazed units

Roller Shutter Doors galvanised steel

Rainwater Goods black ppc aluminium



3.04 Weighbridge

The new weighbridge will be located on the one way loop road to the North of the office and to the south of the Feed Store. It will be approximately 18m long x 3m wide with a 3m ramp at each end. Please see CPMG drawing 8952-CPMG-00-ZZ-DR-A-2013_Weighbridge_P1.pdf for further detail.







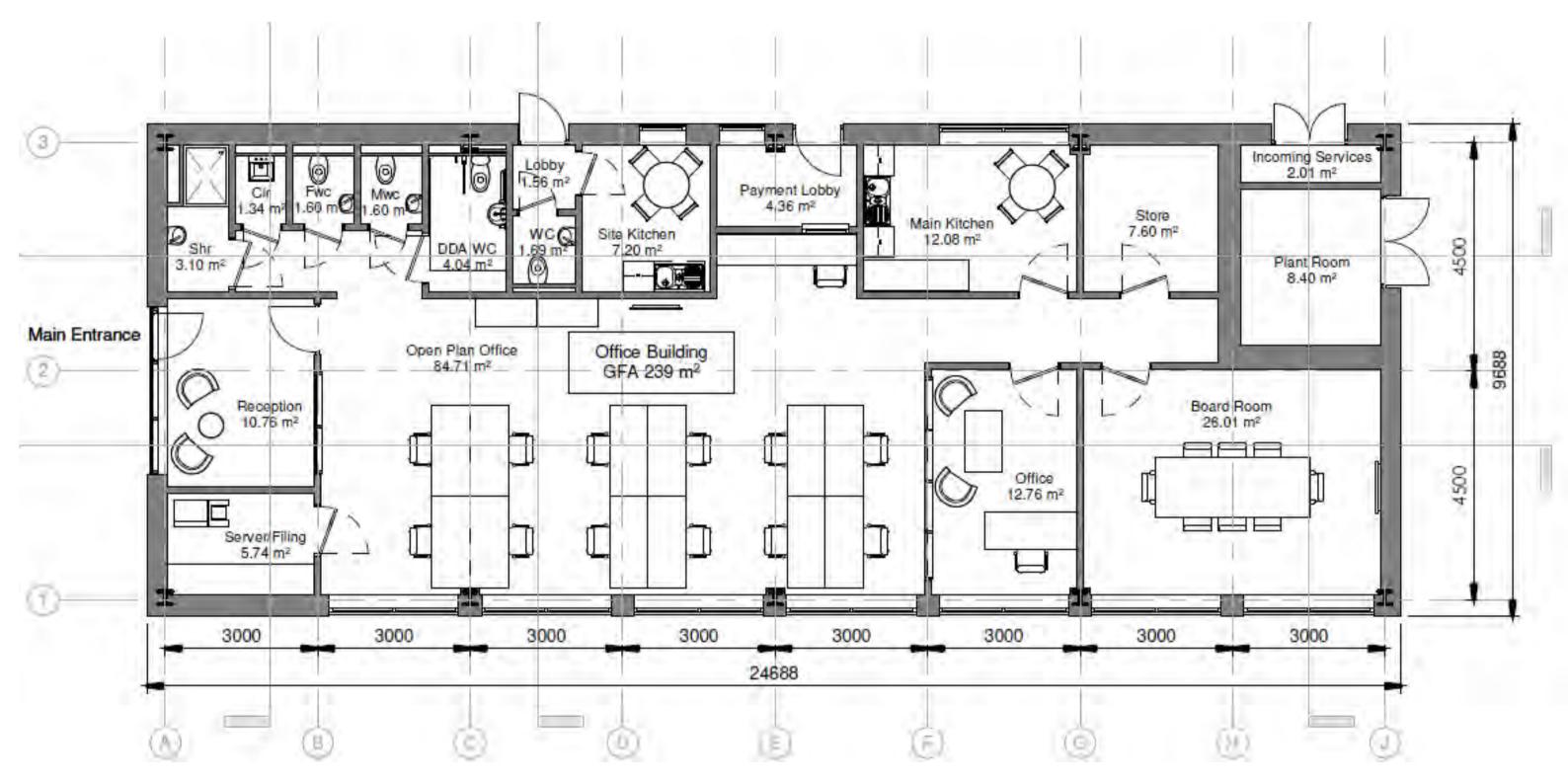
Site plan







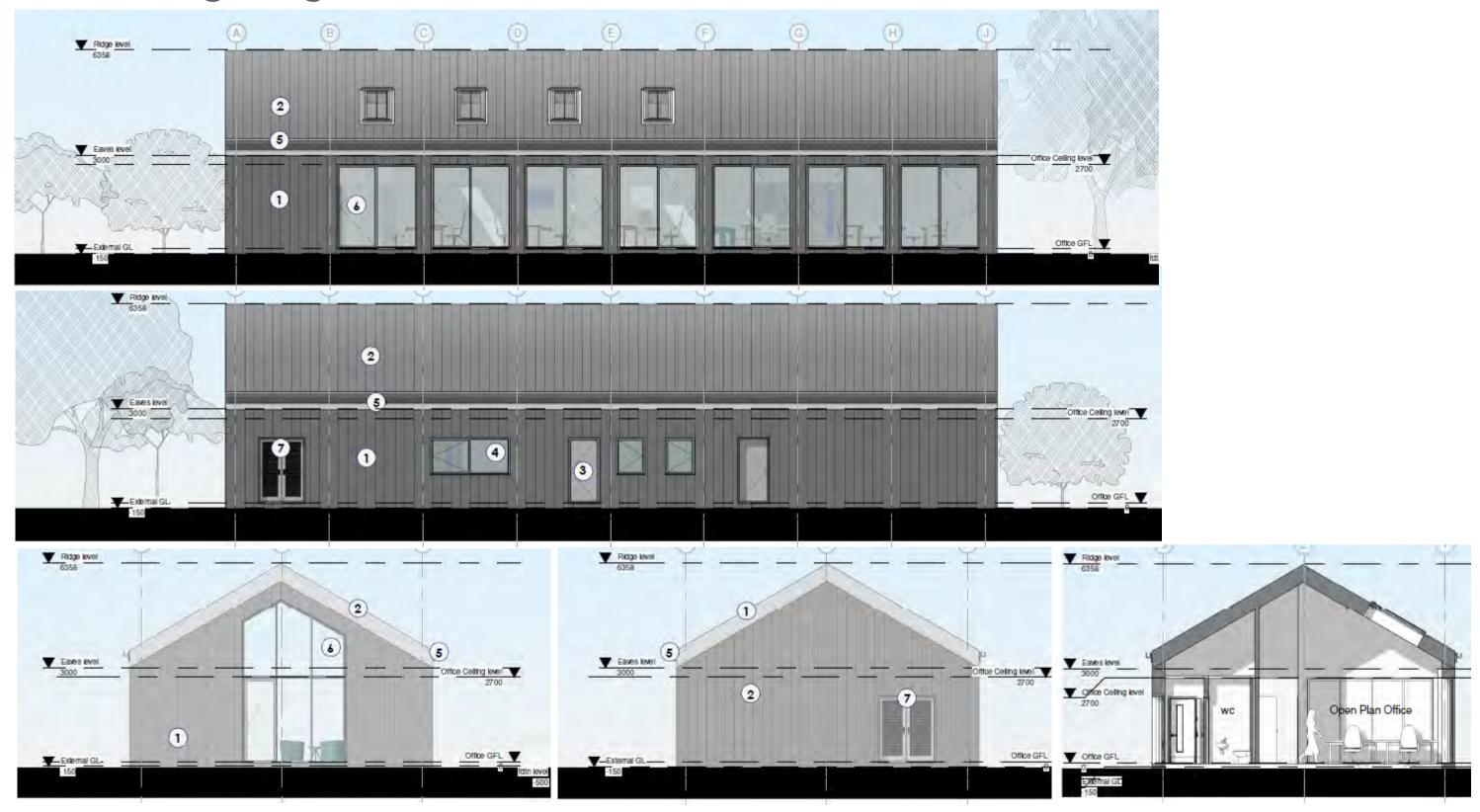
Office floor plan







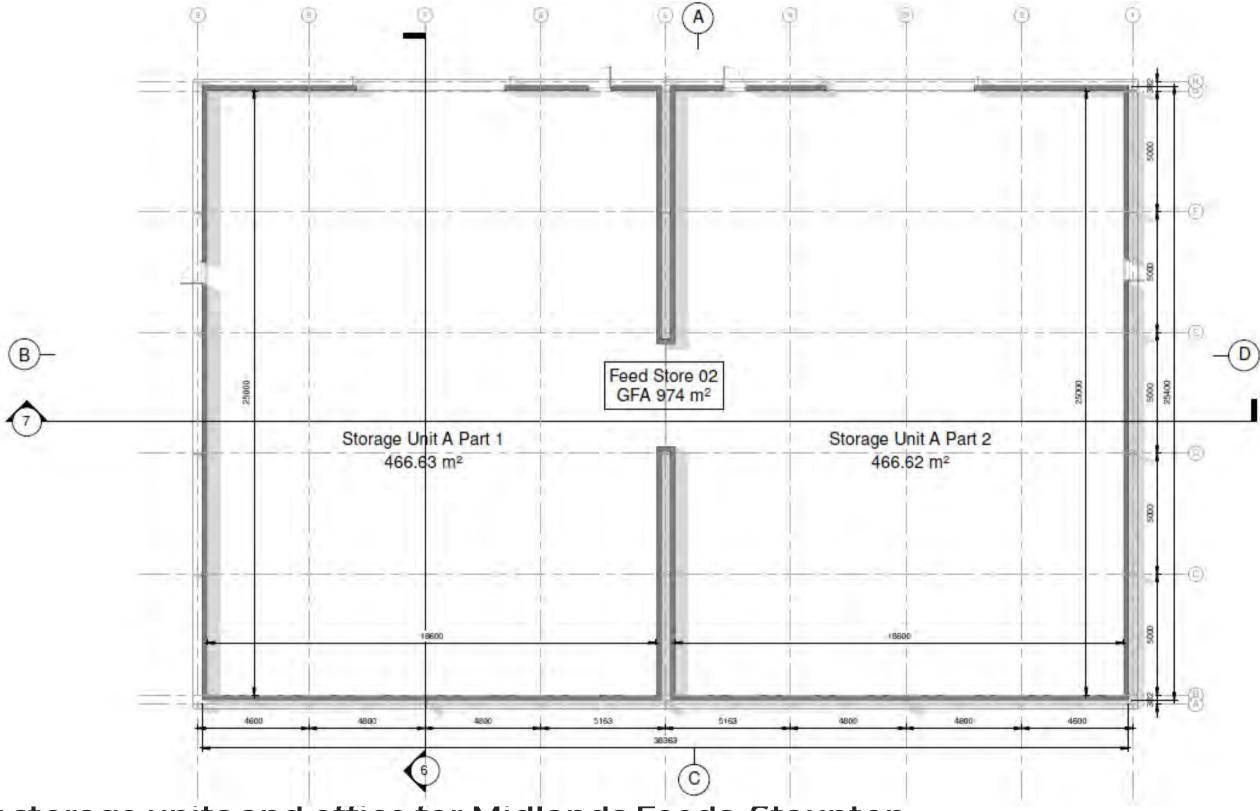
Office elevations and sections







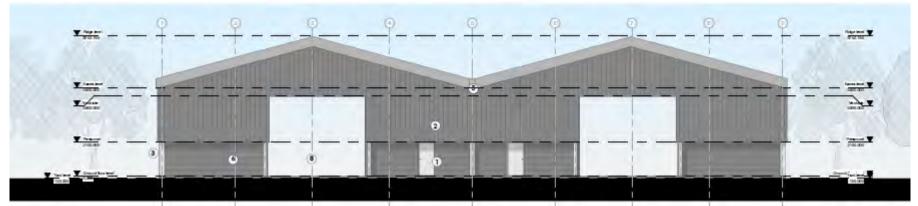
Feed store - ground floor plan

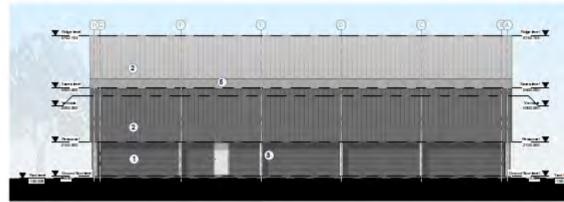


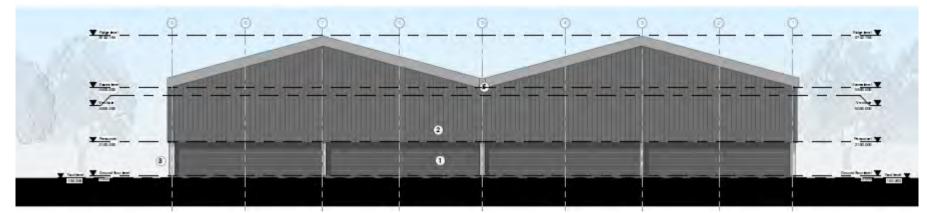


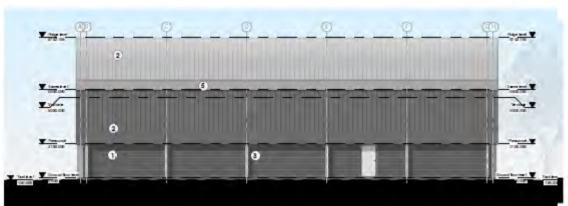


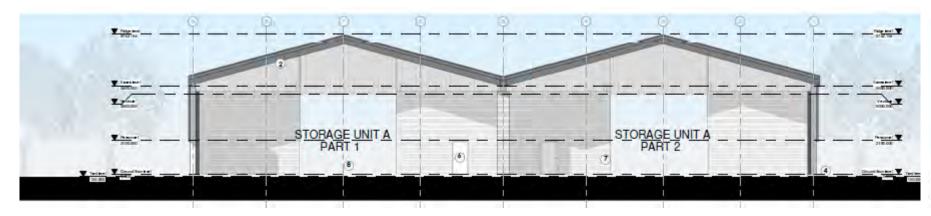
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Visual 1







Visual 2







Visual 3







Visual 4















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