



State House Entryway Overview

HOUSE CORRECTIONS AND INSTITUTIONS
1-15-2025

ENTRYWAY

- Climate Control
- Wayfinding
 - Locate elevators, restrooms, committee rooms, directories, etc.
- Visitor Services
 - School groups
 - Tourists
 - Ceremonies
 - Outside groups
- Accessibility
 - Services upon entry
 - Hazardous loading dock
- Security

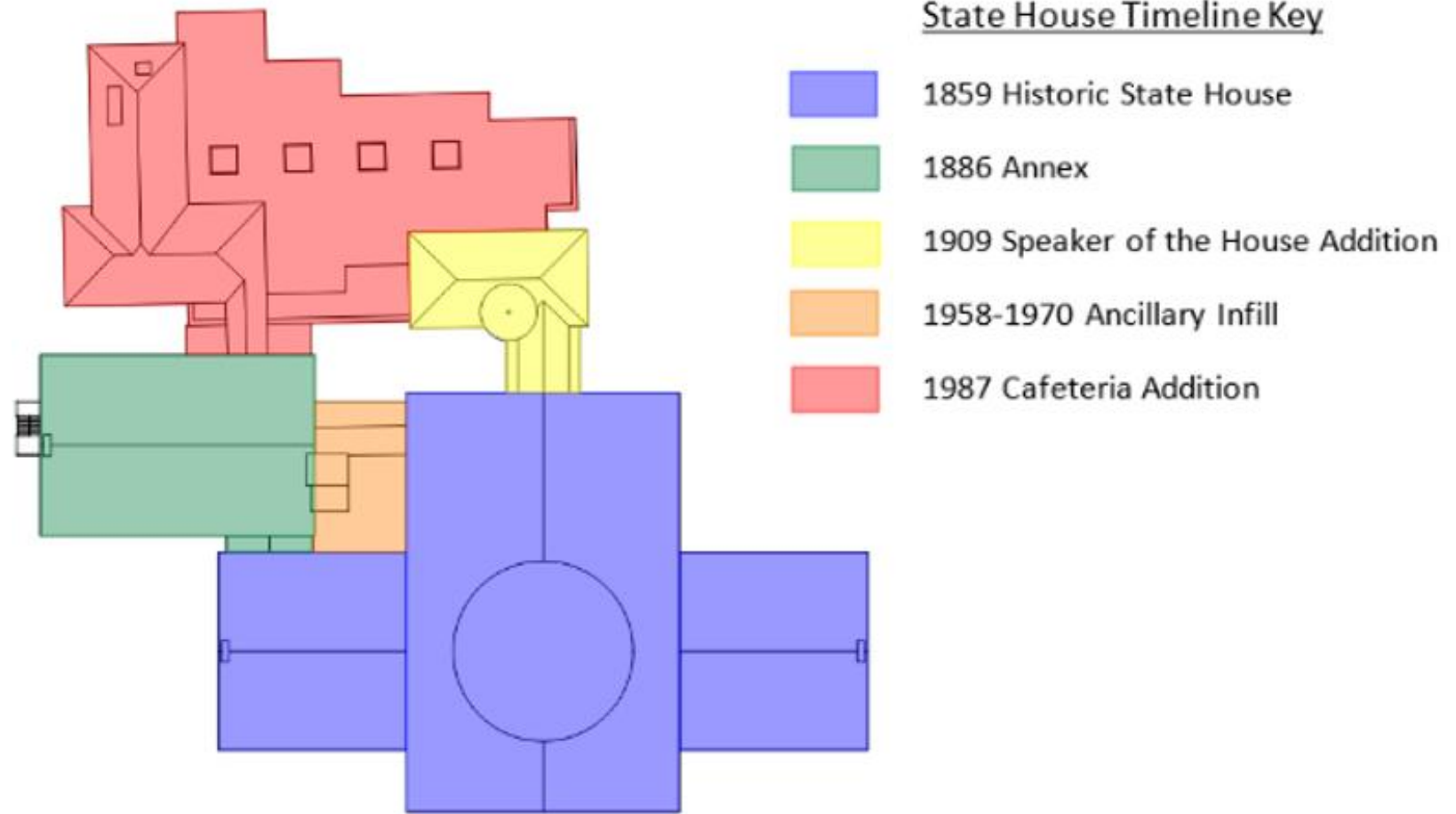


BACKGROUND

- State House built in 1859
- Multiple Space Studies
 - Findings
 - Access inadequate
 - Safety and Security screening inadequate
 - No underutilized space in building
 - Occupants feel overcrowded
- Directive

“to ensure a safe working environment and efficient operation of the State House, provide a secure accessible entrance to mitigate the impact of any future pandemics and allow Legislative functions to continue unimpaired.”

Medium and Long-term report



Reports:

- 1-15-2020 [State House Space Assessment](#)
- 8-1-2020 Legislative Space and Health and Safety Assessment
- 4-26-2021 [Medium-and Long-term Legislative Space Assessment](#)
- 12-15-2023 [State House Pandemic Renovation Project](#)

Special Committee

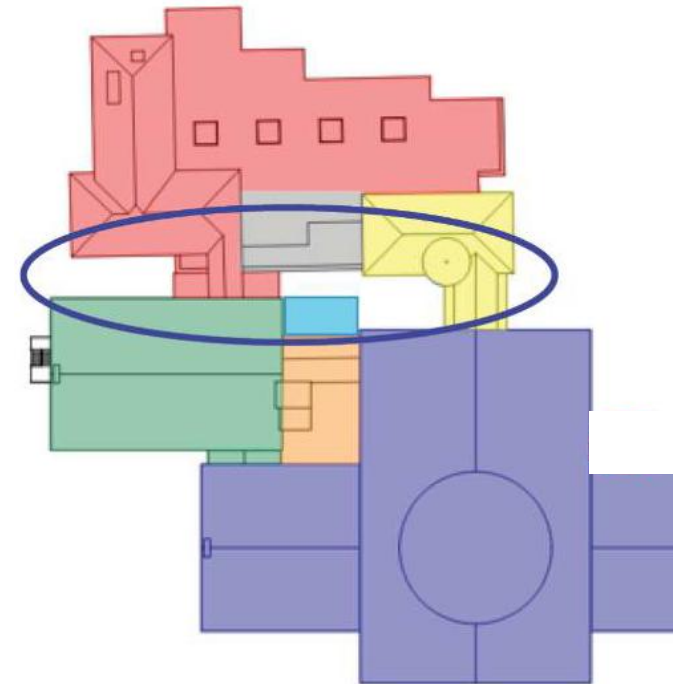
[Act 69 of 2023](#) established Special Committee consisting of JLMC and the Chairs of House Corrections and Institutions and Senate Institutions.

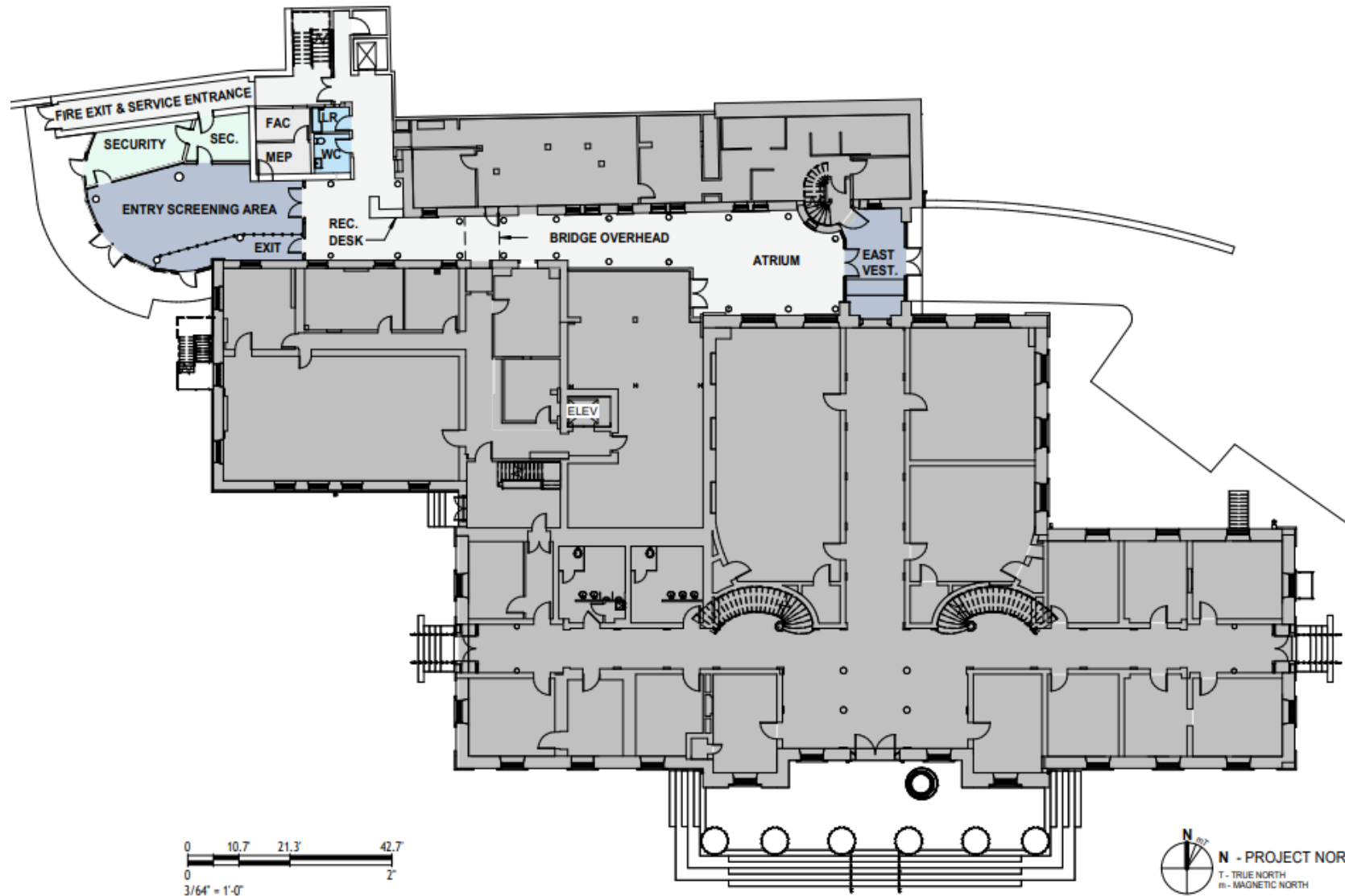
Special Committee approvals

- December 2023: Approved initial project
- May 2024: Approved Schematic Design

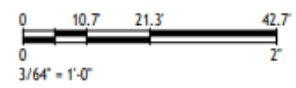
DESIGN TEAM

- Buildings and General Services
- Historic Preservation
- Freeman French Freeman
- Architectural Restoration Consulting
- Sergeant at Arms



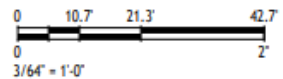
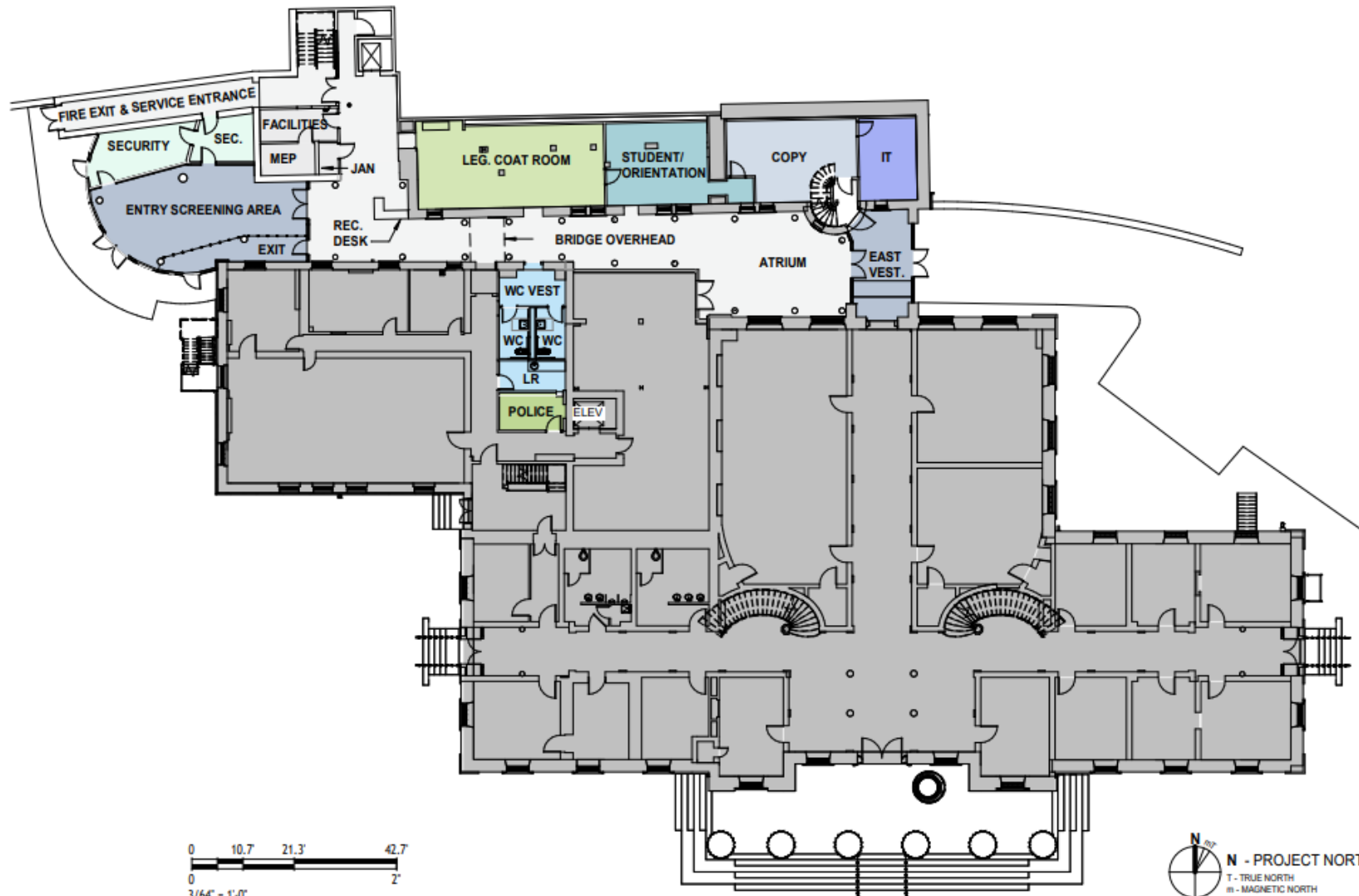


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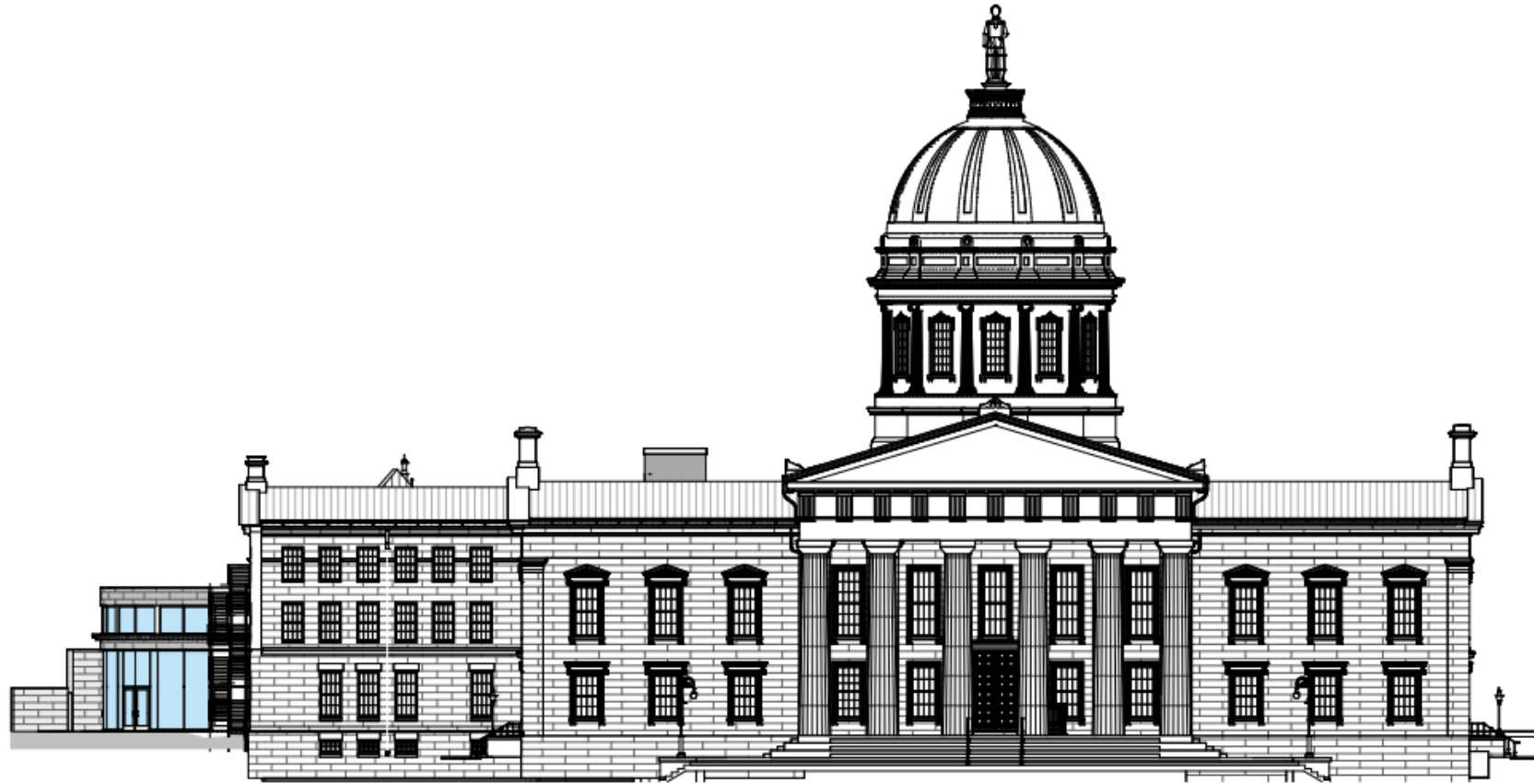


FIRST FLOOR PLAN
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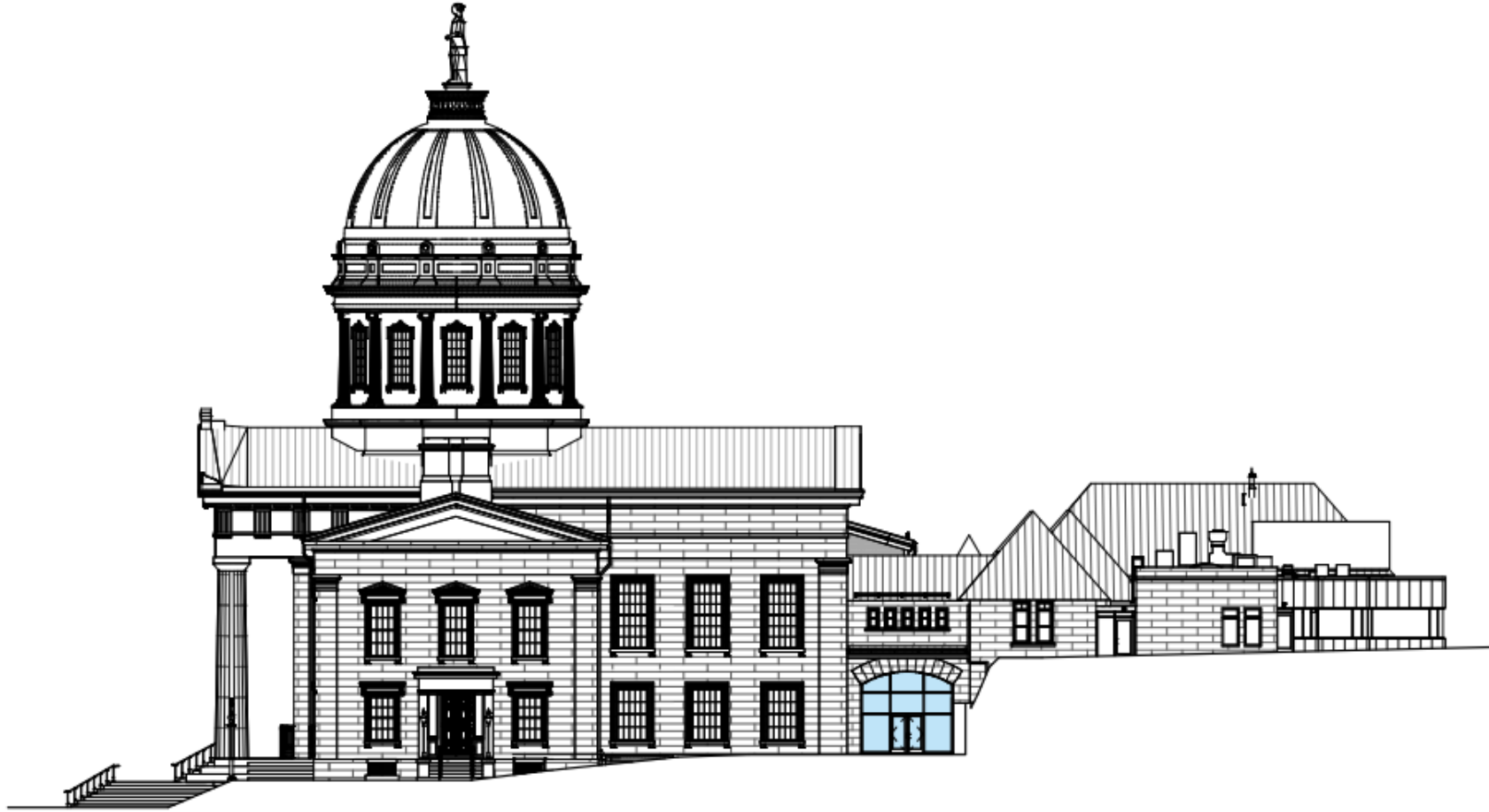


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EAST ENTRANCE RENDERING
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Project Status

Action Items

- Stakeholder Engagement: Ongoing
- FY27 Funding Approval: this session

Timeline

- Design and Pre-Construction Completion: May 2027
- Begin Construction: Spring/Summer 2027 (approximate)
- Complete Construction: Fall/Winter 2029 (approximate)