

# LANDSCAPE CONCEPT PLAN

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# DESIGN RATIONALE

#### CONTEXT

The landscape at 475 Stewart Avenue serves two primary functions. It establishes the streetscape for a 6-dwelling multi-family development along the western side of Stewart Avenue - a busy, four-lane road that acts as a gateway into the city of Nanaimo; and it provides the private outdoor space for residents living in a contemporary high-density residential development.

#### DESIGN CONCEPT

The landscape design concept responds directly to the *Newcastle and Brechin Neighbourhood Plan* by advancing the evolution of Stewart Avenue from a wide vehicular thoroughfare into a true gateway street for Nanaimo.

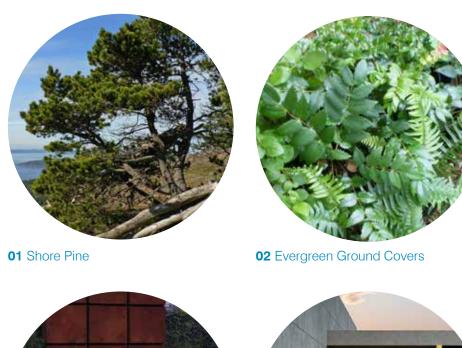
- The planting plan offers a lush, green neighborhood edge, relying on native, drought tolerant and evergreen species inspired by the local ecology.
- The public realm and pedestrian experience is enhanced with generous planting and natural features integrated into the sidewalk boulevard, providing visual interest at the human scale to complement a striking new building.

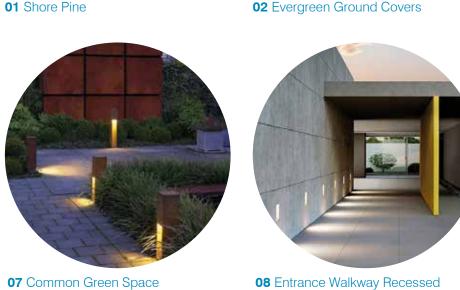
# The landscape design anchors a contemporary feature building within the local context with a strong indigenous planting palette, accentuating a unique sense of place for the project.

# Key components of the landscape design include:

- A diverse, multi-layered planting scheme that relies on drought tolerant native species and natural elements, as well as public art to enhance the streetscape along Stewart Avenue.
- Rainwater garden to manage runoff naturally on site and to reflect and celebrate our Vancouver Island climate.
- A private, common green space to create a tranquil, natural setting for residents of the development.

# DESIGN PRECEDENTS





Wall Lighting

**Bollard Lighting** 



Concrete Unit Paver



10 Boulder Cheek Wall



11 Wood Bench





12 Unit Number Corner Wrap
(powder coated steel number

cutouts or wood cutouts)

# PLANT PALETTE

Deciduous Trees  Ap Acer palmatum Osakazuki Japanese Maple	
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Ce Cornus eddies white wonder Eddies White Wonder Dogw	ood
Sm Stewartia monadelpha Orangebark Stewartia	
Evergreen Trees	
Pnc Pinus contorta Shore Pine	
Evergreen Shrubs	
Au Arbutus unedo Strawberry Bush	
Gs Gaultheria shallon Salal	
M Morella california Pacific Wax Myrtle	
Mn Mahonia nervosa Dull Oregon Grape	
Vo Vaccinium ovatum Evergreen Huckleberry	
Deciduous Shrubs	
Cs Cornus sericea Red Osier Dogwood	
Rs Ribes sanguineum Red Flowering Current	
V Vaccinium (various) Blueberry	
Ground Cover	
Au Arctostaphylos uva-ursi Kinnikinnick	
Es Epimedium suphoreum Epimedium	
Fc Fragaria chiloensis Coastal Strawberry	
Go Gallium odorata Sweet Woodruff	
Sr Sedum rupestre 'Angelina' Angelina Stonecrop	
Ss Sedum spathufolium Broad-leaved Stonecrop	
Ss Sedum spurium 'Schorbuser Blut' Dragon's Blood Sedum	
Ferns	
Bs Blechum spicant Deer Fern	
De Dryopteris erythrosora Autumn Fern	
Pm Polystichum munitum Sword Fern	
Grasses	
Hk Hakonechloa macra Japanese Forest Grass	
Mj Miscanthus yaku jima Dwarf Maiden Grass	
Sc Sesleria caerulea Blue Moor Grass	

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# STEWART TOWNHOUSE

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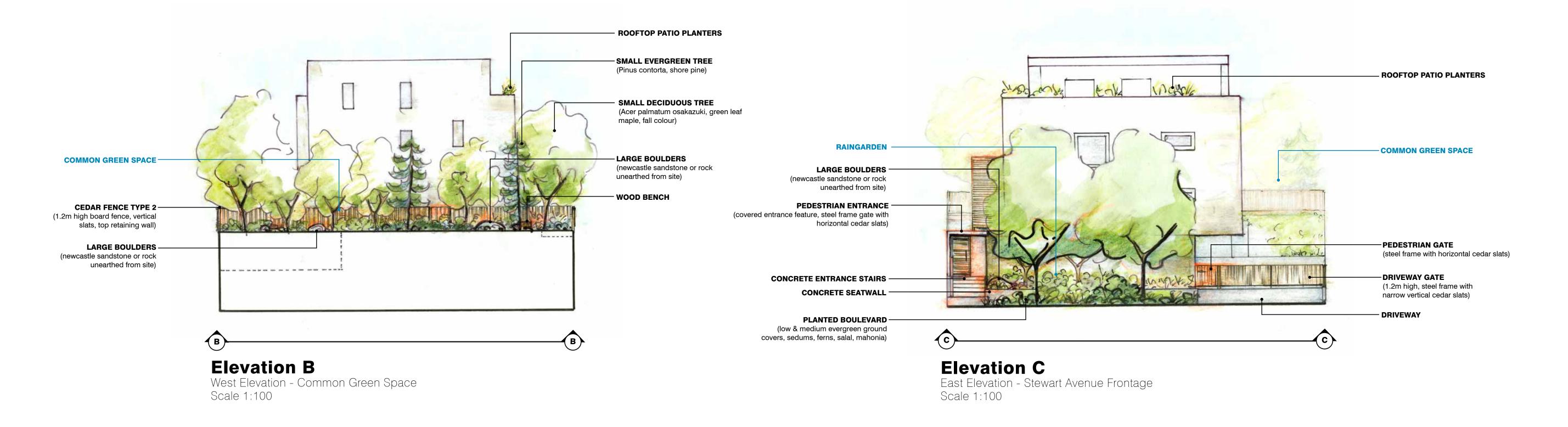
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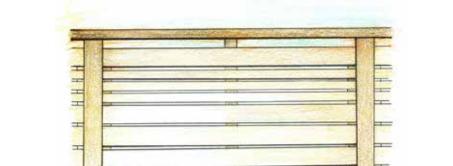
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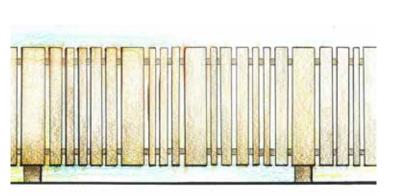
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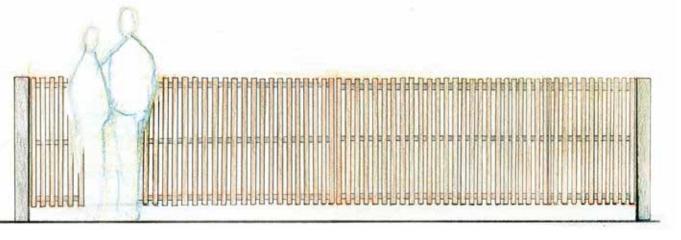


DESIGN FENCE DETAILS

Cedar Fence Type 1
Horizontal Cedar Boards
Height: 1.2m - 1.8m
Colour: Natural Stain



Cedar Fence Type 2
Vertical Cedar Boards
Height: 1.2m
Colour: Natural Stain



**Driveway Gate**Vertical Cedar Boards, Steel Frame
Height: 1.2m
Colour: Natural Stain on wood slats







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