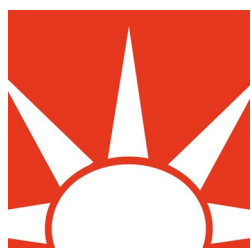


# Garages Opposite 67 Belmont Close London EN4 9LS

Daylight & Sunlight Amenity Study (Neighbouring) Report  
prepared on behalf of  
Foxglade Properties Ltd  
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# 1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

We have been instructed to compile a BRE Daylight & Sunlight (Neighbouring) Amenity Study regarding the proposed development at Garages Opposite 67 Belmont Close, Barnet EN4 9LS, to *construct six houses above the garage block, each house to have outside space and the garages to be retained after development.*

- 1.1 We undertook a site inspection and have been provided a 3D model by DFA showing the proposal in context, allowing us to understand the interrelationship between the various buildings better.
- 1.2 We have reviewed the Local Authority's Planning Policy regarding Daylight and Sunlight.
- 1.3 Based on the above, we set about analysing per Building Research Establishment's Report 209, "Site Layout Planning for Daylight and Sunlight – A Guide to Good Practice" (2022 3rd Edition). This guidance is regarded as industry standard, and we regularly prepare such studies for local authorities throughout the UK.
- 1.4 We identified 14 neighbouring residential properties within reasonable proximity to the development and warranting inclusion within the study.
- 1.5 The analysis has involved utilising specialist software applied to an AutoCAD model.
- 1.6 The results confirm a high level of compliance to neighbouring properties Daylight and Sunlight levels. Summary tables have been provided below:

Vertical Sky Component			Daylight Distribution		
No. Windows	Pass No.	% Pass	No. Rooms	Pass No.	% Pass
136	135	99	60	60	100

Annual Probable Sunlight Hours			Winter Probable Sunlight Hours		
No. Windows	Pass No.	% Pass	No. Windows	Pass No.	% Pass
75	75	100	75	75	100

- 1.7 Seven amenity areas have been assessed, and all meet the recommendations.
- 1.8 The results of the analysis confirm that there is one isolated window which does not meet the recommended Vertical Sky Component (VSC) guidelines; however the room itself meets Room VSC test. Furthermore all rooms meet Daylight Distribution (DD). All windows satisfy the Annual Probable Sunlight Hours test (ASPH) and all amenity spaces satisfy the two hour amenity test (Overshadowing to Gardens and Open Spaces).
- 1.9 The BRE guide explains that the numerical guidelines should be interpreted flexibly, since natural lighting is only one of many factors in site layout design. Combining this with The National Planning Policy Framework published recommendations on taking a flexible approach. It is in our opinion there are no daylight and sunlight related reasons why the proposed development should not be granted planning permission.

## 2 PROJECT IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Below are the sources of information used to produce this report:

PROJECT DATA	
Client	Foxglade Properties Ltd
Architect	DFA Ltd
Project Address	Garages Opposite 67 Belmont Close, Barnet EN4 9LS
Project Number	23-02174
Type	DLSL
SOURCES OF INFORMATION	
EXISTING SITE	
Site Photos	Rapleys – September 2023
2D Drawings	DFA – September 2023
3D Model	Rapleys – September 2023
PROPOSED SCHEME	
2D Drawings	DFA – November 2023
3D Model	DFA – November 2023
Architect Placed	No
TESTING ENVIROMENT	
Site Photos	Rapleys – September 2023
Contextual Model	AccuCities – September 2023
Research	Rapleys – August 2023

### 3 INTRODUCTION

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 We received instructions from Foxglade Properties Ltd to prepare a BRE Daylight & Sunlight (Neighbouring) Amenity Study in respect of the proposed development at Garages opposite 67 Belmont Close, London EN4 9LS.
- 3.2 We confirm copies of our Terms of Engagement are held on file.

#### CONFLICT OF INTEREST


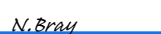
- 3.3 We confirm that, as far as we are aware, no conflict of interest exists either personally or with Rapleys, in connection with Foxglade Properties Ltd. We would further confirm that Professional Indemnity Insurance on a per claim basis is available in respect of this report.

#### DISCLOSURE

- 3.4 This report is specifically for the addressee stated above.

#### QUALITY ASSURANCE

- 3.5 This report has been prepared within the quality system operated at Rapleys LLP according to British Standard ISO 9001:2015.
- 3.6 We confirm that the undersigned is an appropriately qualified and Surveyor experienced in the commercial property sector.

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**4 BASIS OF ASSESSMENT**

**DETAILS OF THE PROPOSALS**

- 4.1 The proposal is to construct six houses above the garage block, each house to have outside space and the garages to be retained after development.
- 4.2 DFA Ltd provided copies of the proposal in 2D and 3D AutoCAD files which we received September 2023. An initial set of indicative proposals were forwarded to us prior to this to assist our understanding of the proposals in general.
- 4.3 Rapleys have taken the information supplied upon which this report is based, in good faith, as being sufficiently accurate for these purposes. In the event inaccuracies become apparent, Rapleys would be willing to re visit the analysis subject to further instructions.

**SITE INSPECTION**

- 4.4 The site and surrounding properties were inspected externally on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2023 by Felix Carter, during which the surveyor was unaccompanied.
- 4.5 Where possible high level vantage points were used to view the neighbouring properties externally. The purpose of the inspection was to review the site in context, to identify the surrounding properties considered to be within a reasonable distance and which should be included within the scope of a 3D analysis.

**RELEVANT NEIGHBOURING PROPERTIES**

- 4.6 Below we have detailed below the neighbouring receptors assessed within this report.



REFERENCE	ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION
1	The Cottage	Detached two storey house.
2	1 – 6 Belmont Close	Purpose built block of flats.
3	65-68 Belmont Close	Purpose built block of flats.
4	61-64 Belmont Close	Purpose built block of flats.
5	57-60 Belmont Close	Purpose built block of flats.

## BACKGROUND TO THE ANALYSIS

- 4.7 In order to undertake the analysis a 3D computer model was drawn in AutoCAD for the development site and the surrounding properties. This was based upon site and drawing information provided by the client and their architect, supplemented by information gathered from the photographs of the subject area taken during our site visit.
- 4.8 We have completed a thorough review of the Local Authority Planning archives and where found partial information has been used when modelling neighbouring properties and their rooms. In the absence of this information, reasonable assumptions have been made based on our Design Analyst's experience, which is in accordance with recognised practice.
- 4.9 Details of the proposals forwarded by the design team were incorporated into a 3D AutoCAD model.
- 4.10 Thereafter, industry standard Daylight and Sunlight analysis software was applied to the model. This produced the results which have been presented and commented upon within this report.
- 4.11 Images taken from the 3D model showing the development site as existing and as proposed, together with the relevant surrounding properties are within Appendix 1.

## 5 PLANNING POLICY

### NATIONAL PLANNING GUIDANCE

#### NATIONAL PLANNING POLICY FRAMEWORK ('NPPF') 2021

- 5.1 Pg 37 states:
- 5.2 'Where there is an existing or anticipate shortage of land for meeting identified housing needs, it is especially important that planning policies and decisions avoid homes being built at low densities and ensure that developments make optimal use of the potential of each site. In these circumstances: ...
- 5.3 c) local planning authorities should refuse applications which they consider fail to make efficient use of land, taking into account the policies in this Framework. In this context, when considering applications for housing, authorities should take a flexible approach in applying policies or guidance relating to daylight and sunlight, where they would otherwise inhibit making efficient use of a site (as long as the resulting scheme would provide acceptable living standards)'

### REGIONAL PLANNING GUIDANCE

#### THE LONDON PLAN ('LPG') 2021

- 5.4 Pg 128, 3.3.8 states:
- 5.5 'Buildings should be of high quality and enhance, activate and appropriately frame the public realm. Their massing, scale and layout should help make public spaces coherent and should complement the existing streetscape and surrounding area. Particular attention should be paid to the design of the parts of a building or public realm that people most frequently see or interact with in terms of its legibility, use, detailing, materials and location of entrances. Creating a comfortable pedestrian environment with regard to levels of sunlight, shade, wind, and shelter from precipitation is important.'
- 5.6 Pg 140, Policy D6 – Housing quality and standards, states:
- 5.7 'C Housing development should maximise the provision of dual aspect dwellings and normally avoid the provision of single aspect dwellings. A single aspect dwelling should only be provided where it is considered a more appropriate design solution to meet the requirements of Part B in Policy D3 Optimising site capacity through the design-led approach than a dual aspect dwelling, and it can be demonstrated that it will have adequate passive ventilation, daylight and privacy, and avoid overheating.'
- 5.8 'D The design of development should provide sufficient daylight and sunlight to new and surrounding housing that is appropriate for its context, whilst avoiding overheating, minimising overshadowing and maximising the usability of outside amenity space.'
- 5.9 Pg 143 – 144, 3.6.3 states:
- 5.10 'To address the impacts of the urban heat island effect and the fact that the majority of housing developments in London are made up of flats, a minimum ceiling height of 2.5m for at least 75 per cent of the gross internal area is required so that new housing is of adequate quality, especially in terms of daylight penetration, ventilation and cooling, and sense of space. The height of ceilings, doorways and other thresholds should support the creation of an inclusive environment and therefore be sufficiently high to not cause an obstruction. To allow for some essential equipment in the ceilings of kitchens and bathrooms, up to 25 per cent of the gross internal area of the dwelling can be lower than 2.5 m. However, any reduction in ceiling height below 2.5 m should be the minimum necessary for this equipment, and not cause an obstruction.'
- 5.11 Pg 144, 3.6.4 states:
- 5.12 'Dual aspect dwellings with opening windows on at least two sides have many inherent benefits. These include better daylight, a greater chance of direct sunlight for longer periods, natural cross-ventilation, a greater capacity to address overheating, pollution mitigation, a choice of views, access to a quiet side of the building, greater flexibility in the use of rooms, and more potential for future adaptability by altering the use of rooms'
- 5.13 Pg 144, 3.6.5 states:



- 5.14 'Single aspect dwellings are more difficult to ventilate naturally and are more likely to overheat, and therefore should normally be avoided. Single aspect dwellings that are north facing, contain three or more bedrooms or are exposed to noise levels above which significant adverse effects on health and quality of life occur, should be avoided. The design of single aspect dwellings must demonstrate that all habitable rooms and the kitchen are provided with adequate passive ventilation, privacy and daylight, and that the orientation enhances amenity, including views. It must also demonstrate how they will avoid overheating without reliance on energy intensive mechanical cooling systems.'
- 5.15 Pg 144, 3.6.6 states:
- 5.16 'A variety of approaches to housing typologies and layout of buildings should be explored to make the best use of land and create high quality, comfortable and attractive homes. For example, increasing ceiling heights and having bay windows can optimise daylight and sunlight and allow buildings to be closer together than can otherwise be achieved.'
- 5.17 Pg 145, Table 3.2 – Qualitative design aspects to be addressed in housing developments, states:
- 5.18 'iii The site layout, orientation and design of individual dwellings and, where applicable, common spaces should: ... provide privacy and adequate daylight for residents'
- 5.19 Pg 146, 3.6.11 states:
- 5.20 'Other components of housing design are also important to improving the attractiveness of new homes as well as the Mayor's wider objectives to improve the quality of Londoners' environment. The Mayor intends to produce a single guidance document which clearly sets out the standards which need to be met in order to implement Policy D6 Housing quality and standards for all housing tenures, as well as wider qualitative aspects of housing developments. This will include guidance on daylight and sunlight standards. This will build on the guidance set out in the 2016 Housing SPG and the previous London Housing Design Guide.'
- 5.21 Pg 149, Policy D8 Public realm states:
- 5.22 'J ensure that appropriate shade, shelter, seating and, where possible, areas of direct sunlight are provided, with other microclimatic considerations, including temperature and wind, taken into account in order to encourage people to spend time in a place'
- 5.23 Pg 153- 154, Policy D9 Tall Building states:
- 5.24 '3)..a) wind, daylight, sunlight penetration and temperature conditions around the building(s) and neighbourhood must be carefully considered and not compromise comfort and the enjoyment of open spaces, including water spaces, around the building'
- 5.25 Pg 158, 3.9.7 states:
- 5.26 'The middle of a tall building has an important effect on how much sky is visible from surrounding streets and buildings, as well as on wind flow, privacy and the amount of sunlight and shadowing there is in the public realm and by surrounding properties'

#### **HOUSING SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING GUIDANCE ('SPG') 2016 (AMENDED 2017)**

- 5.27 Pg 52, Standards for Privacy, daylight and sunlight states:
- 5.28 '1.3.45 Policy 7.6Bd requires new development to avoid causing 'unacceptable harm' to the amenity of surrounding land and buildings, particularly in relation to privacy and overshadowing and where tall buildings are proposed. An appropriate degree of flexibility needs to be applied when using BRE guidelines<sup>100</sup> to assess the daylight and sunlight impacts of new development on surrounding properties, as well as within new developments themselves. Guidelines should be applied sensitively to higher density development, especially in opportunity areas, town centres, large sites and accessible locations, where BRE advice suggests considering the use of alternative targets. This should take into account local circumstances; the need to optimise housing capacity; and scope for the character and form of an area to change over time...
- 5.29 '1.3.46 The degree of harm on adjacent properties and the daylight targets within a proposed scheme should be assessed drawing on broadly comparable residential typologies within the area and of a similar nature across London. Decision makers should recognise that fully optimising housing potential on large sites may necessitate standards which depart from those presently experienced but which still achieve satisfactory levels of residential amenity and avoid unacceptable harm.'
- 5.30 Pg 70, Communal and Public Open space states:
- 5.31 'Standard 4 - Where communal open space is provided, development proposals should demonstrate that the space: ... is designed to take advantage of direct sunlight;'

- 5.32 Pg 84, Homes as a place of retreat states:
- 5.33 '2.3.35 Natural light is also vital to a sense of wellbeing in the home, and this may be restricted in densely developed parts of the city. The Mayor seeks to encourage the kind of housing that provides comfortable and enjoyable places of retreat and privacy. Factors to be considered include privacy, the importance of dual aspect development, noise mitigation, floor to ceiling heights, daylight and sunlight.'
- 5.34 Pg 85, Dual Aspect states:
- 5.35 '2.3.37 Dual aspect dwellings with opening windows on at least two sides have many inherent benefits. These include better daylight, a greater chance of direct sunlight for longer periods, natural cross ventilation and a greater capacity to address overheating, mitigating pollution, offering a choice of views, access to a quiet side of the building, greater flexibility in the use of rooms, and more potential for future adaptability by altering the use of rooms. Where possible the provision of dual aspect dwellings should be maximised in a development proposal...
- 5.36 2.3.39 Single aspect dwellings are more difficult to ventilate naturally and more likely to overheat (see Standard 29 and Policy 5.9). This is an increasing concern in London due to anticipated temperature increases related to climate change, coupled with the urban heat island effect that is experienced in high density areas of the city. The design of single aspect flats will need to demonstrate that all habitable rooms and the kitchen are provided with adequate ventilation, privacy and daylight and the orientation enhances amenity, including views. North facing<sup>143</sup> single aspect dwellings should be avoided wherever possible. However, in applying this standard consideration should also be given to other planning and design objectives for a site, for example the aim to maximise active frontages and minimise inactive frontages...
- 5.37 2.3.41 In single aspect dwellings with more than two bedrooms it is difficult to achieve adequate natural ventilation and daylight to all rooms in an efficient plan layout which avoids long internal corridors. Single aspect dwellings containing three or more bedrooms should therefore be avoided. The design of single aspect ground floor dwellings will require particular consideration to maintain privacy and adequate levels of daylight.'
- 5.38 Pg 87, Floor to ceiling heights states:
- 5.39 '2.3.44 Table 3.3 of the Minor Alterations recognises that ceiling heights are an important element in the design of a dwelling in the unique circumstances of London. They can help offset issues associated with its distinct higher densities and effects of climate change by positively impacting on how spacious, light and comfortable the dwelling is. High ceilings can improve the amount and quality of natural light and ventilation and provide flexibility in the use of a room. Therefore, a ceiling height of 2.5 meters is strongly encouraged in London'
- 5.40 Pg 87, Daylight and sunlight
- 5.41 'Standard 32 - All homes should provide for direct sunlight to enter at least one habitable room for part of the day. Living areas and kitchen dining spaces should preferably receive direct sunlight...
- 5.42 2.3.45 Daylight enhances residents' enjoyment of an interior and reduces the energy needed to provide light for everyday activities, while controlled sunlight can help to meet part of the winter heating requirement. Sunlight is particularly desirable in living areas and kitchen dining spaces. The risk of overheating should be taken into account when designing for sunlight alongside the need to ensure appropriate levels of privacy. In addition to the above standards, BRE good practice guidelines and methodology<sup>146</sup> can be used to assess the levels of daylight and sunlight achieved within new developments, taking into account guidance below and in Section 1.3...
- 5.43 2.3.46 Where direct sunlight cannot be achieved in line with Standard 32, developers should demonstrate how the daylight standards proposed within a scheme and individual units will achieve good amenity for residents. They should also demonstrate how the design has sought to optimise the amount of daylight and amenity available to residents, for example, through the design, colour and landscaping of surrounding buildings and spaces within a development.
- 5.44 2.3.47 BRE guidelines<sup>147</sup> on assessing daylight and sunlight should be applied sensitively to higher density development in London, particularly in central and urban settings, recognising the London Plan's strategic approach to optimise housing output (Policy 3.4) and the need to accommodate additional housing supply in locations with good accessibility suitable for higher density development (Policy 3.3). Quantitative standards on daylight and sunlight should not be applied rigidly, without carefully considering the location and context and standards experienced in broadly comparable housing typologies in London.'
- 5.45 Pg 149, Improving health outcomes states:

- 5.46 '6.3.3 The quality of new housing in all tenures plays a key role in influencing the health and well-being of future residents. Housing standards set out in Part 2 of this SPG are especially important to achieving the objectives of Policy 3.2 of the London Plan, in particular those on internal space provision; dual aspect; air quality; daylight and sunlight; private open space; ceiling heights; overheating; noise; privacy; accessibility and adaptability. Providing a range of affordable and suitably sized properties in a range of tenures is also important to address overcrowding in the existing housing stock. Well-designed public and communal open spaces, parks, play spaces and urban greening within new large developments can provide benefits in terms of quality of life, physical and mental health and wellbeing.'

#### **LONDON PLAN GUIDANCE – HOUSING DESIGN STANDARDS 2023**

- 5.47 Pg 7, Table A – Placemaking and the public realm states:
- 5.48 'A1.7 The most favourable orientation for each new building will be heavily influenced by the site-specific opportunities and constraints. Layouts should optimise the orientation of new buildings to maximise the quality of daylight and thermal comfort for residents and minimise overheating as well as optimise thermal efficiency by utilising and controlling solar gains. [NB] ...
- 5.49 A1.8 Particular consideration should be given to the impact of new development on the level of daylight and sunlight received by the existing residents in surrounding homes. [NB]'
- 5.50 Pg 15, Table B – Shared Space and ancillary spaces states:
- 5.51 'B2.2 Internal corridors, particularly 'double-banked' corridors (those that serve flats on both sides), should be avoided or kept short and receive daylight and natural ventilation. (This standard is not directly applicable to specialist older persons housing) [NB, CoU] ...
- 5.52 B9.5 Maximise the quality and availability of daylight and sunlight in communal outside spaces, particularly in winter. It is particularly important that spaces designed for frequent use (including sitting and play spaces) receive direct sunlight through the day, particularly at times they are most likely to be used. [NB, CoU]'
- 5.53 Pg 19 - , Policy – Part C: Homes and private outside space, states:
- 5.54 Pg 19, 4.1.2 states:
- 5.55 '...Consideration should also be given to the internal layout of homes, including vertical stacking, to reduce noise impacts (for example between living rooms and bedrooms). These standards aim to complement the consideration of daylight and sunlight impacts using the BRE guidance (Site layout planning for daylight and sunlight: a guide to good practice). This process involves a two-stage approach: firstly, by applying the BRE guidance; and secondly, by considering the location and wider context when assessing any impacts. Extreme weather events are increasingly common due to climate change. Design must balance daylight, passive solar gain and over-heating considerations. Summer heat can be reduced through orientation, shading, fenestration, insulation, high albedo materials, the provision of green infrastructure and other strategies. In areas with poorer air quality and/or high background noise levels, careful design will be needed to ensure passive ventilation is possible, in line with carbon reduction targets and the need to avoid additional waste heat and noise associated with mechanical ventilation.'
- 5.56 Pg 20, Table C – Homes and private outside space states:
- 5.57 'C2.3 A minimum ceiling height of 2.5m is required for at least 75% of the gross internal area to enhance the spatial quality, improve daylight penetration and ventilation and assist with cooling. Any reduction (from 2.5m) in floor-to-ceiling heights should only be for essential equipment in the ceilings of kitchens and bathrooms. [NB, CoU] ...
- 5.58 C4.1 New homes should be dual aspect unless exceptional circumstances make this impractical or undesirable; for example, when one side of the dwelling would be subjected to excessive noise or outside air pollution. Where single aspect dwellings are proposed, by exception, they should be restricted to homes with one or two bedspaces, should not face north and must demonstrate that the units will have adequate passive ventilation, daylight and privacy, and not overheat (particularly relevant for south or west facing single aspect units). [All] ...
- 5.59 C6.2 Daylight and overheating assessments should be analysed together to determine the optimal balance. South and west facing facades are most at risk to overheating, and the use of shading should be used to prevent direct sunlight from entering the home during at risk periods. [All]'

#### **LONDON PLAN GUIDANCE - OPTIMISING SITE CAPACITY: A DESIGN-LED APPROACH 2023**

- 5.60 Pg 14, 2.7 Building Height, Layout and uses states:

5.61 '2.7.1 Next, a site analysis of the building heights, layout and land uses should be carried out. As part of this, the impact of potential future building heights should be considered on heritage assets, protected views and the daylight and sunlight of neighbouring properties. This includes the impact of overshadowing on existing properties, open green space and the internal spaces within the site itself. An analysis of nearby land uses should also be used to inform the mix and location of uses for any future development. In analysing the layout, it may be useful to establish 'desire lines' across the site and visually compare the size of the urban blocks within the site with those surrounding it. If the urban blocks on the existing site are particularly large, it may be beneficial to subdivide these. This should be closely informed by the characterisation assessment and historic street layout.'

5.62 Pg 23, 4.4 Public realm and street types states:

5.63 '4.4.1 The character, quality and potential usage of public space is influenced significantly by the way it is enclosed by buildings. Appropriate building height-to-street width ratios can encourage vitality while allowing good levels of daylight and sunlight to be reached in public realm and to dwellings along the street. As a result, boroughs, neighbourhood planning groups and applicants should define the street types that are appropriate for the site using the street types in the National Model Design Code. Where a site borders an existing street, the aim should be to provide a strong street frontage and clear fronts and backs. Using these street types and the subsequent enclosure ratios will also help reinstate existing streets that have become less desirable. In addition, these types can help inform the appropriate heights of buildings by defining the street height-to-street width ratio. For further guidance, please refer to Manual for Streets.'

### **LONDON PLAN GUIDANCE – SMALL SITE DESIGN CODES 2023**

5.64 Pg 10, 2.5 Backland conditions states:

5.65 '2.5.1 Backland sites are sites that do not have a street frontage or where direct access to the street is limited. Among others, they include residential garages that are located behind development and estate infill in areas that are not street-facing. These sites offer the opportunity to provide additional housing and improved public realm. While developments in street-facing conditions are generally governed by a clearer set of rules established by the urban order of an existing streetscape, backland sites require more innovation and reinterpretation to enable development. Consideration of access and servicing and the inter-relationship between overlooking, privacy and daylight/sunlight is paramount to the success and acceptability of new development in backland locations.'

5.66 Pg 14, 4.1 Design code conduct states:

5.67 ' 4.1.7 Character types of semi-detached and detached houses may have more variation in their building line, allowing flexibility in the positioning of new development in relation to the street. However, any design codes for these areas should ensure that the building line of new development should not negatively impact the street scene or harm either the privacy or the daylight and sunlight enjoyed by occupiers of existing nearby dwellings. Nor should it create or exacerbate street canyons in areas of existing poor air quality. The code should identify whether incremental development that bookend a street, or are located on a corner site, may have the opportunity to accommodate additional depth due to their potential to have multiple aspects and a prominent position. In these locations, a building line that steps out in relation to adjacent buildings could be considered appropriate, but care should be taken not to interfere with circulation and the public realm...

5.68 4.1.10 Building height is one of the key design coding elements. It can influence the character of a place, its identity and the environment for occupiers and users. Design codes may also be used to encourage increases in height particularly where this would optimise sites with good accessibility. For instance, new development may seek to accommodate one or more additional storeys. To ensure that the character and scale of the buildings along a street is maintained, design codes can include requirements to set back the top floor or advocate that upward extensions be partially contained within the roof space. In all circumstances, it is critical to ensure that existing and surrounding properties continue to receive good levels of daylight and sunlight and that the streetscape is positively enhanced...

5.69 4.1.11 When setting design codes for buildings or extensions that extend beyond a rear building line, parameters should be set to ensure that there is no unreasonable impact on the amenity of neighbouring homes in relation to daylight, sunlight and privacy...

5.70 4.1.13 Design codes can also use rear projection lines to set parameters on the height of new developments or extensions. These can ensure that new development is not overly dominant and access to daylight and sunlight of the habitable rooms of neighbouring homes is maintained.'

## 6 DAYLIGHT AND SUNLIGHT GUIDELINES

- 6.1 The BRE Report 209 – Site Layout Planning for Daylight and Sunlight, A guide to good practice, Third Edition (2022)[the BRE Report] provides guidance to designers, clients, consultants and planning officials on laying out proposed development sites to minimise impact on surrounding buildings and open spaces. This document is widely used in the construction industry.
- 6.2 The BRE Report states under paragraph 2.2.2:
- 6.3 ‘The guidelines given here are intended for use for rooms in adjoining dwellings where daylight is required, including living rooms, kitchens and bedrooms. Windows to bathrooms, toilets, storerooms, circulation areas and garages need not be analysed. The guidelines may also be applied to any existing non-domestic building where the occupants have a reasonable expectation of daylight; this would normally include schools, hospitals, hotels and hostels, small workshops and some offices.’
- 6.4 The BRE Report sets out criteria against which an assessment may be made of the levels of Daylight & Sunlight and the impact that development may cause.
- 6.5 An important point to note contained within the introduction of the BRE Report is:
- 6.6 ‘The advice given here is not mandatory and the guide should not be seen as an instrument of planning policy; its aim is to help rather than constrain the designer. Although it gives numerical guidelines, these should be interpreted flexibly since natural lighting is only one of the main factors in site layout design. In special circumstances the developer or planning authority may wish to use different target values. For example, in a historic city centre, or in an area with modern high rise buildings, a higher degree of obstruction may be unavoidable...’
- 6.7 The basis of the BRE guide is suburban environments. It does not provide alternative targets specific to city centre or dense urban environments. The overarching recommendation to interpret the results flexibly, for any other environment besides suburban, is essential to any assessment.

### VERTICAL SKY COMPONENT (VSC)

- 6.8 The VSC is a measure of the amount of light falling on a window; it is quantified as a ratio of the direct sky illuminance falling on the surface at a specific reference point against the horizontal illuminance under an unobstructed sky. The maximum possible ratio is just under 40% for a completely unobstructed vertical wall. The VSC values attained by windows of a building will not vary with the compass orientation of that building; therefore orientation does not give an appreciation of the interior daylighting.
- 6.9 The target value recommended is 27% but this is not to be strictly applied. This is because if the VSC for a window is less than 27% and is less than 0.8 times its former value, the BRE numerical guidelines will not be satisfied.
- 6.10 However, if the Vertical Sky Component is less than 27%, but more than 0.8 times its former value then daylight levels might still be adequate to the neighbouring property.
- 6.11 We find it useful to consider the Reduction Factor of 0.8, as a percentage equal to 80%, or put another way, a 20% reduction is recommended as the guideline figure within the BRE Report.

### DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION (DD)

- 6.12 The Daylight Distribution is otherwise known as the ‘no sky-line’ (NSL) method and takes the VSC analysis a step further in looking at where in the room Daylight is received at the working plane (roughly desk or kitchen worktop height). After a development is complete, the area of a room with visible sky should, ideally be 0.8 times or more of the former area on the working plane prior to the development.

### ANNUAL PROBABLE SUNLIGHT HOURS (APSH)

- 6.13 With regard to assessing Sunlight, the BRE Report gives recommendations for the assessment of the effect on sunlight enjoyed by individual windows. When considering sunlight, in the northern hemisphere, it is only those windows that face within 90 degrees of due south that will enjoy significant amounts of Sunlight. The BRE Report limits the extent of assessments required to only these windows. Sunlight Amenity is measured in terms of Annual Probable Sunlight Hours (APSH).
- 6.14 Any windows that face within 90 degrees of due north will be annotated as such within the analysis results.
- 6.15 The assessment analyses a point in each window which receives at least a quarter of Annual Probable Sunlight Hours (represented as 25% in the results tables). This includes at least 5% of Annual Probable Sunlight Hours during the winter months, between 21 September and 21 March. Again, a Reduction Factor of 0.8 is also applied to the results.

## **2HR SUNLIGHT TO AMENITY (OVERSHADOWING TO GARDENS AND OPEN SPACES)**

- 6.16 The BRE Report also recommends a review of the surrounding external amenity spaces such as gardens, parks or playgrounds.
- 6.17 The analysis should confirm whether at least 50% of the area of each amenity space should receive at least two hours of sunlight on 21st March. Alternatively, if an existing garden or amenity space remains no less than 0.8 times its former value, then the loss of light to this space is unlikely to be noticeable. The availability of sunlight should be checked for all open spaces where sunlight is required.

## 7 RESULTS

### FINDINGS OF THE ANALYSIS

- 7.1 The VSC, DD & APSH results are shown in the tables contained within Appendix 2. No Sky-Line contours are contained in Appendix 3. 2hr Sunlight to Amenity (Overshadowing to Gardens and Open spaces) results are contained within Appendix 4. Two Hour amenity drawings are contained within Appendix 5.
- 7.2 In the sections which follow is commentary on the results from the analysis.

### VSC RESULTS

- 7.3 The VSC has been assessed to 136 neighbouring windows. The results demonstrate that 135 windows meet the recommendations in the BRE. The one window that deviates is subject to a minor deviation . It serves The Cottage. This window is one of two windows serving the room and meets the room VSC. Therefore this minor deviation should be treated with flexibility and reviewed in conjunction with DD results.
- 7.4 Overall the VSC results demonstrate a 99% compliance rate. Which is very high given the surrounding built environment.

### DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION RESULTS

- 7.5 60 rooms have been assessed using DD. The results demonstrate that all rooms meets the recommendations in the BRE.
- 7.6 Overall the DD results demonstrate 100% compliance rate.

### APSH RESULTS

- 7.7 75 windows have been assessed to the neighbouring windows annually and during winter months. The results demonstrate that all 75 windows meet the recommendations annually and during winter months.

### 2HR SUNLIGHT AMENITY (OVERSHADOWING TO GARDENS AND OPEN SPACES)

- 7.8 Seven amenities have been assessed to the neighbouring properties on the 21<sup>st</sup> March. All amenity areas meet the recommendations in the BRE.

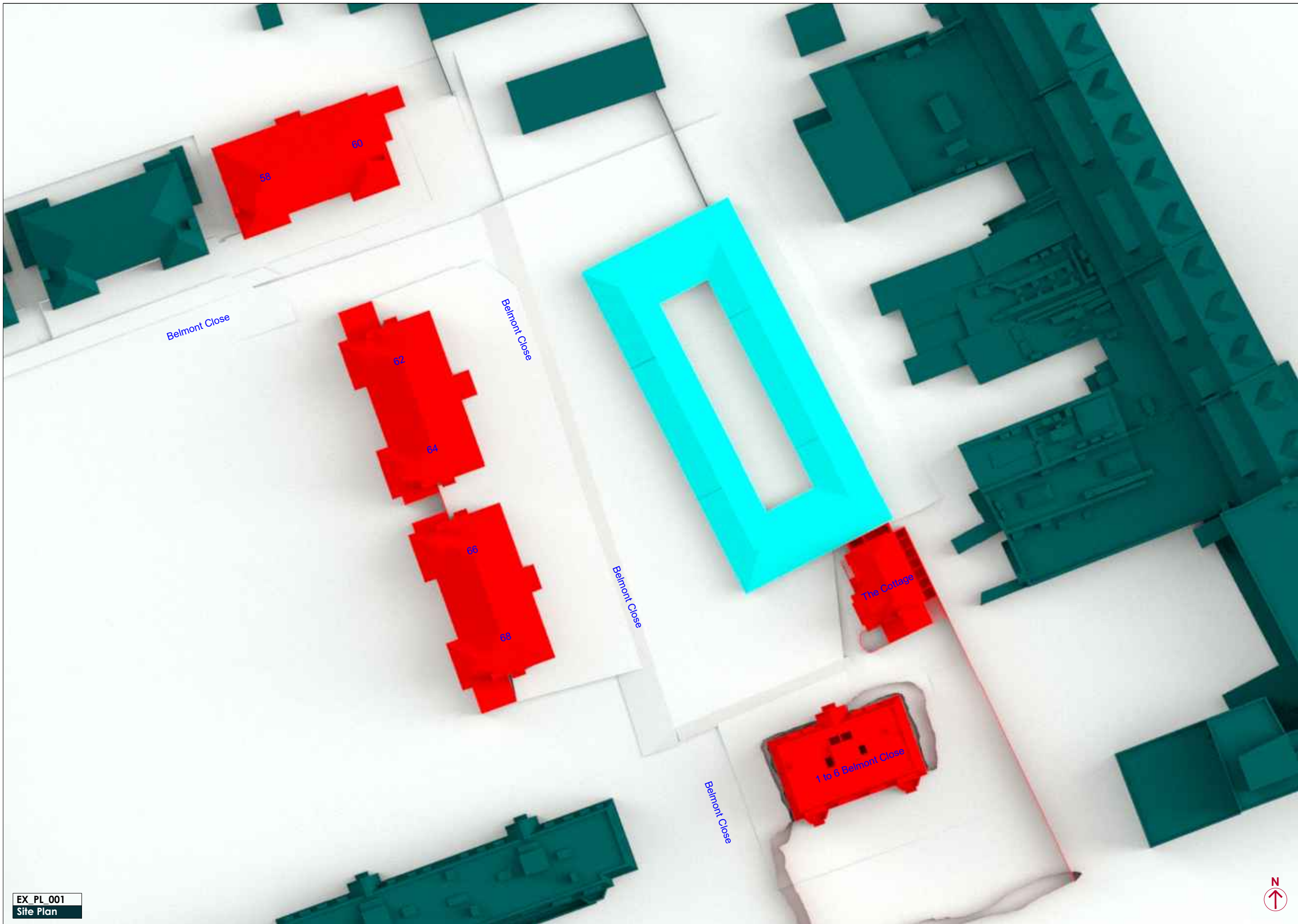
### CONCLUSION

- 7.9 Overall the proposed development will have a negligible effect on the neighbouring properties Daylight and Sunlight levels.
- 7.10 The proposed development has clearly been designed to minimise its effect on the neighbouring properties which has been demonstrated in the results. Therefore we can conclude the proposed development is in accordance with both planning policy and the guidance provided in the BRE.
- 7.11 The proposed development should be looked on favourably by the planning officers and considered acceptable in terms of Daylight and Sunlight.

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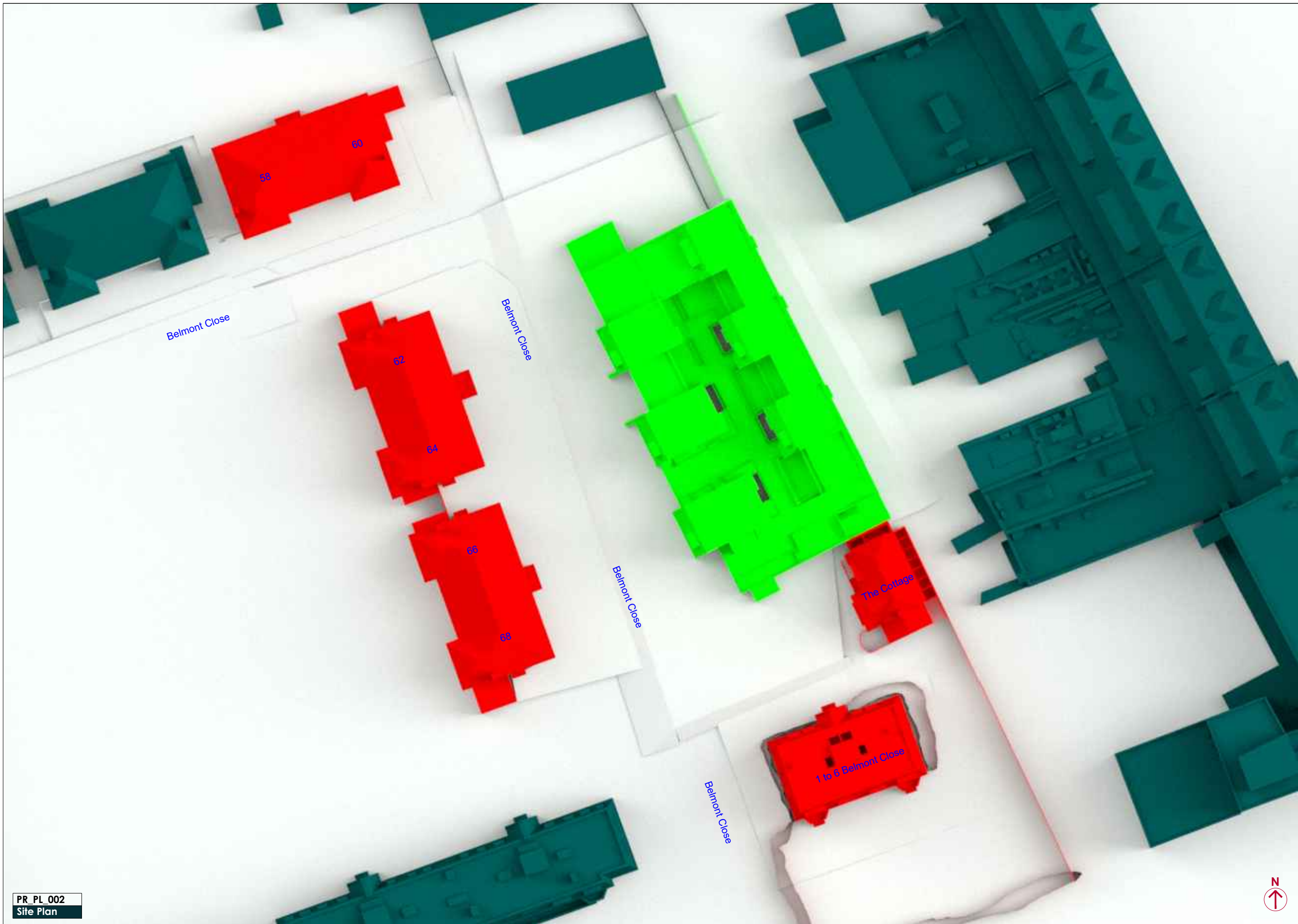
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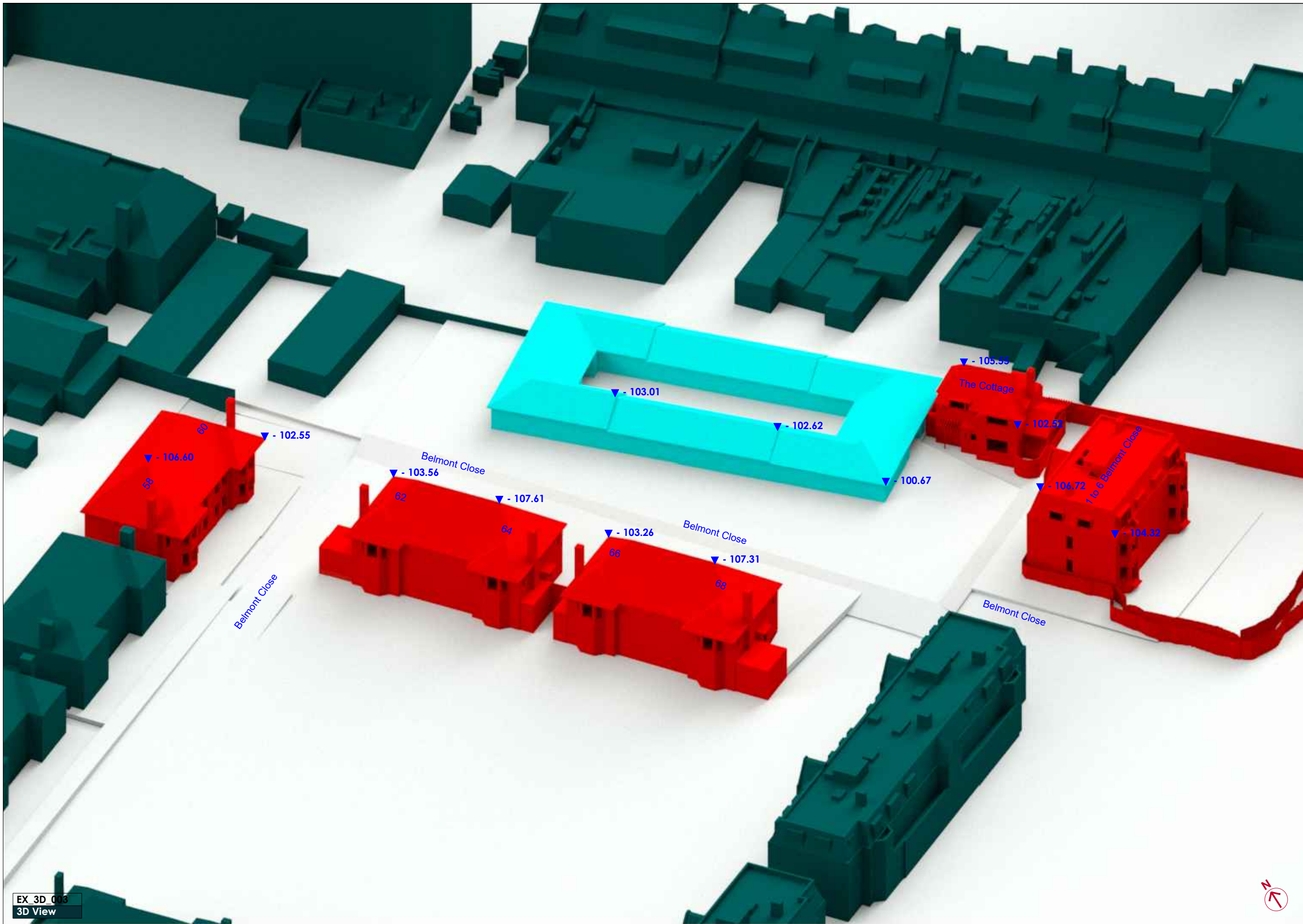
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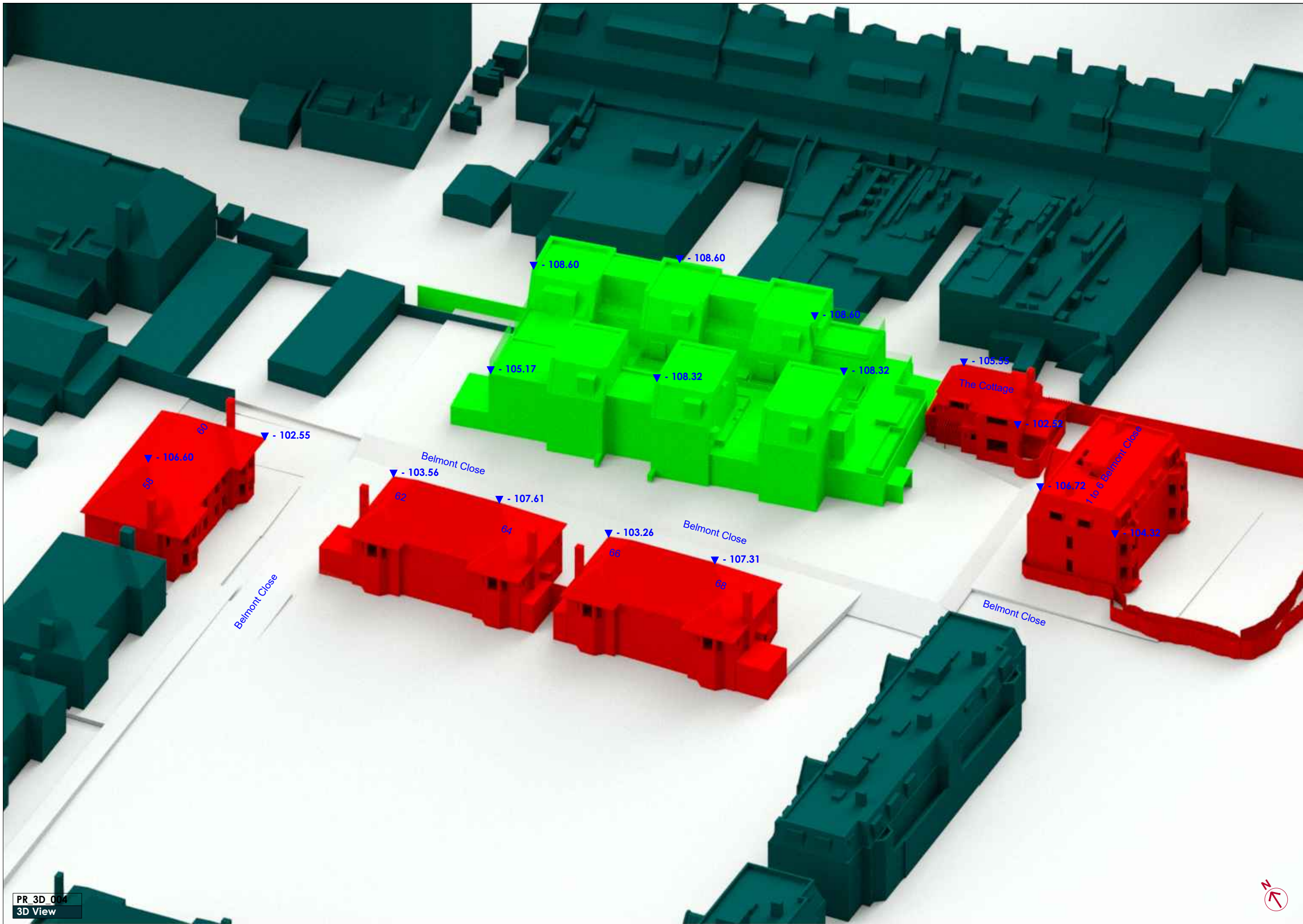
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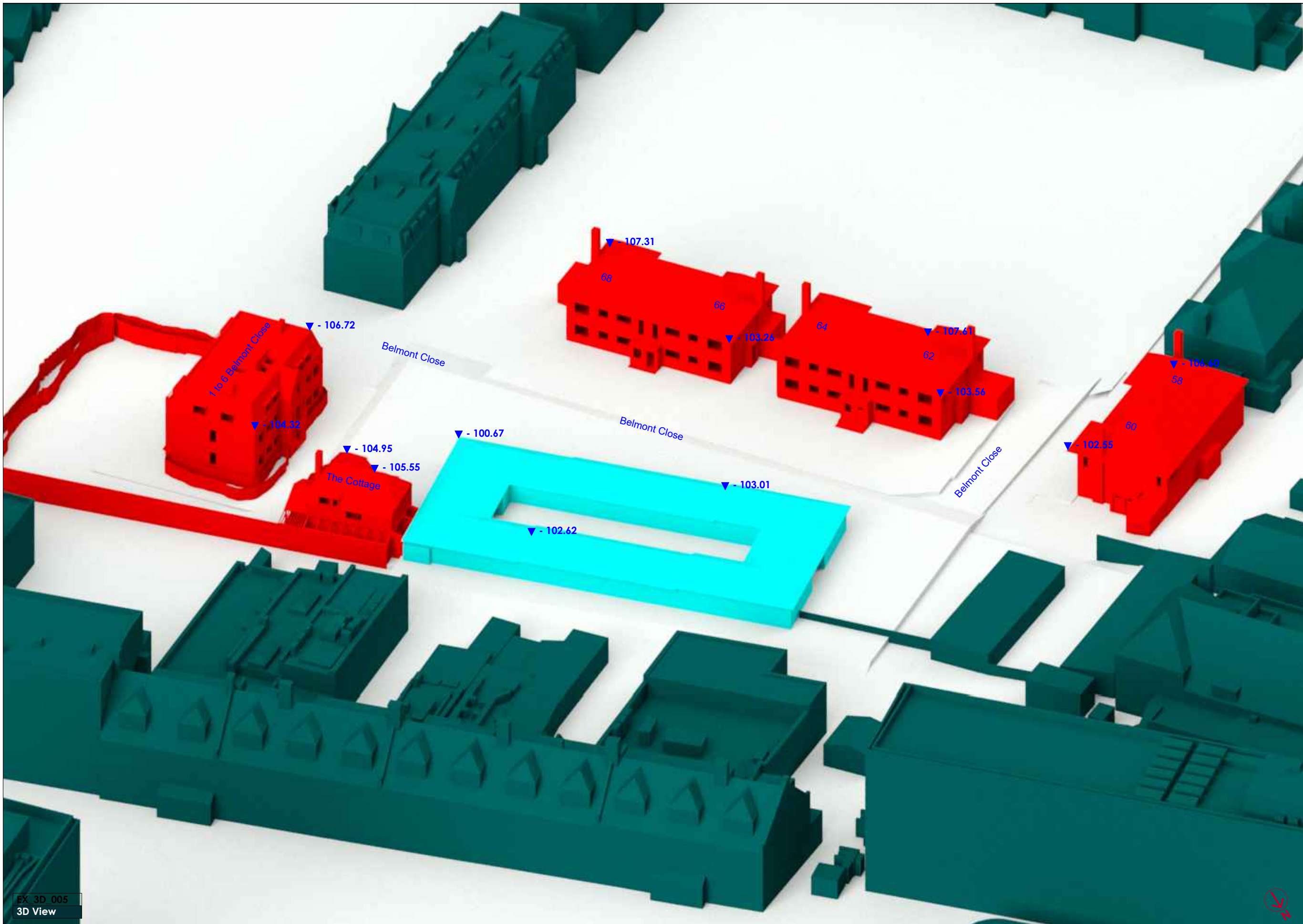
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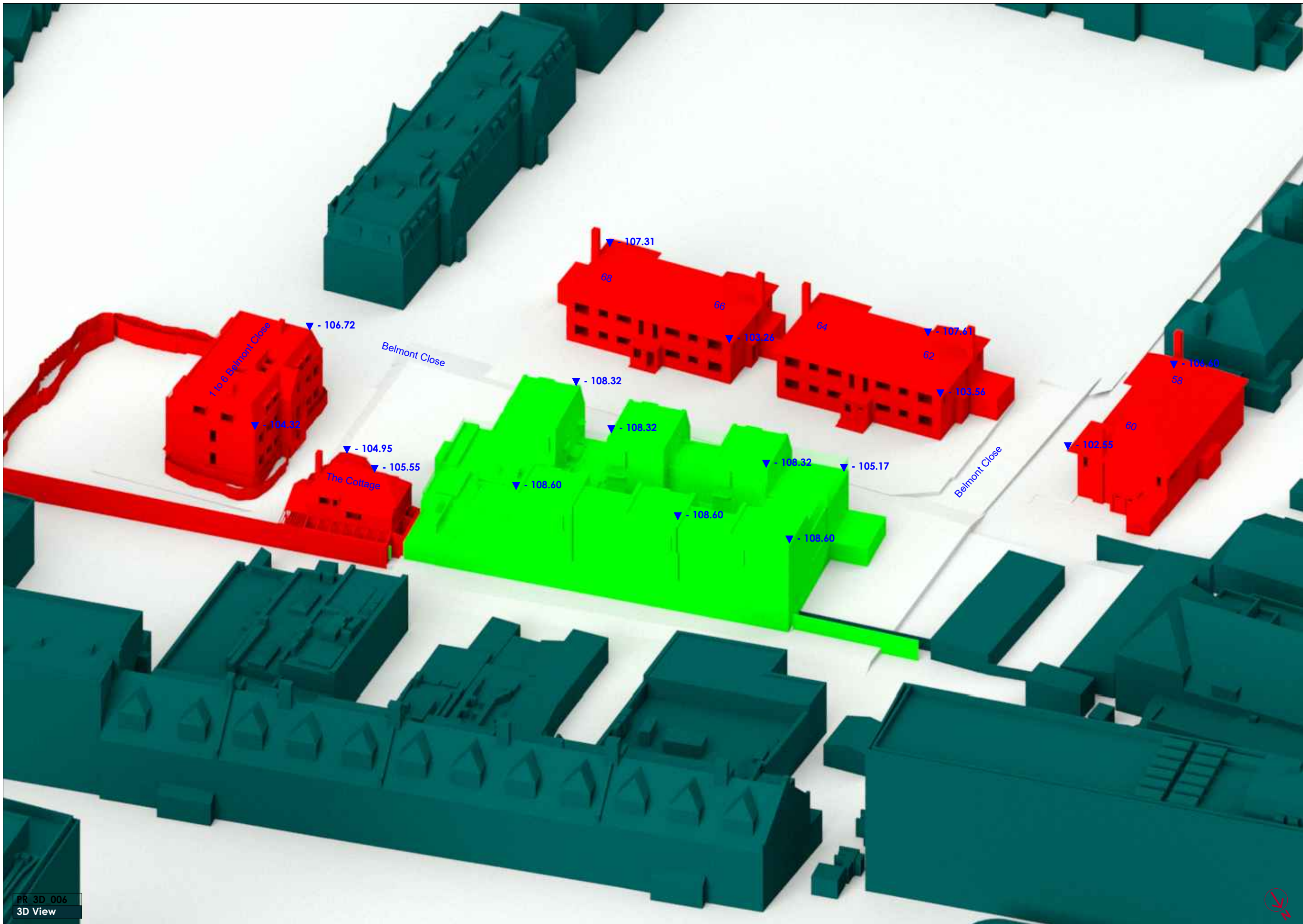
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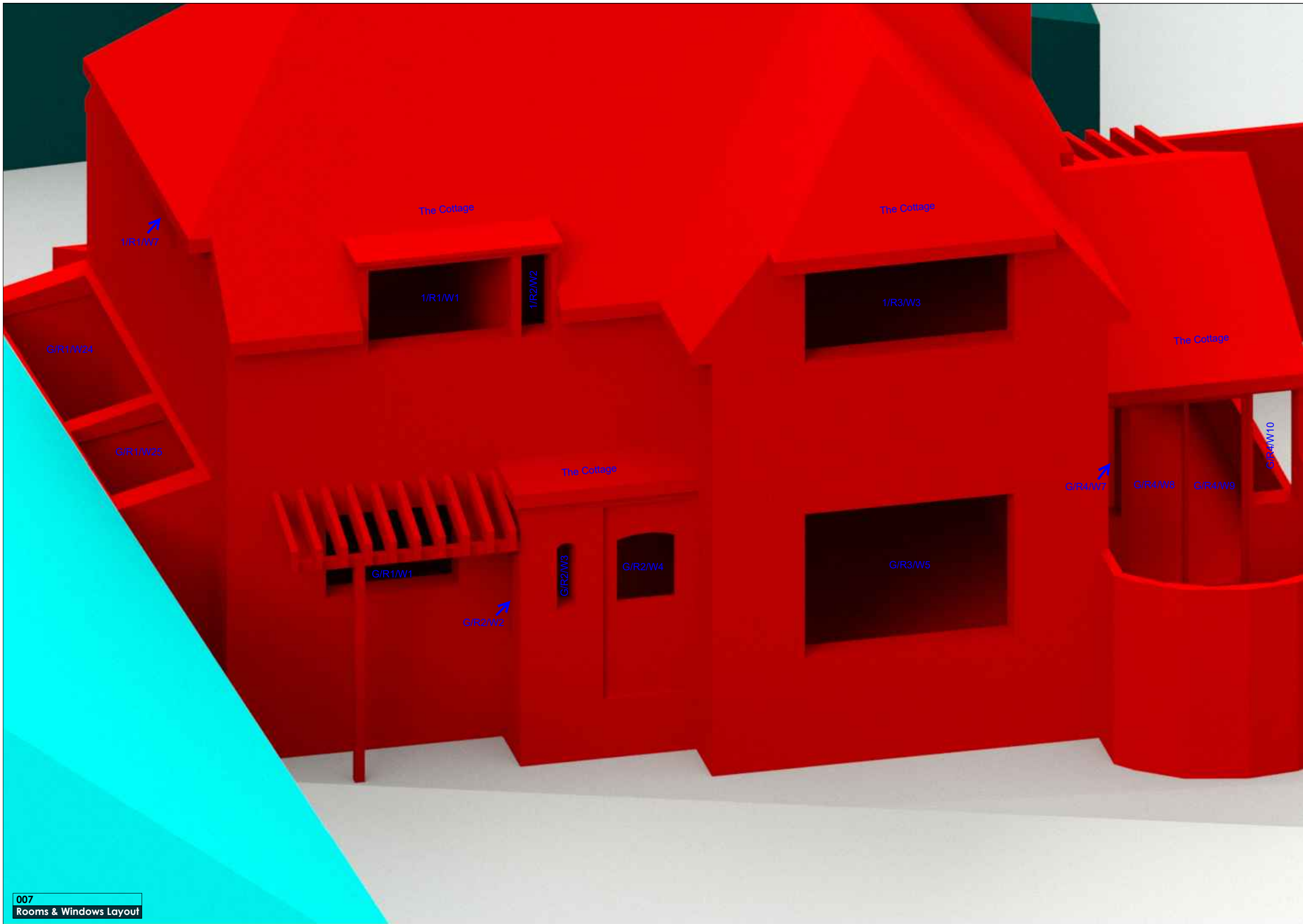
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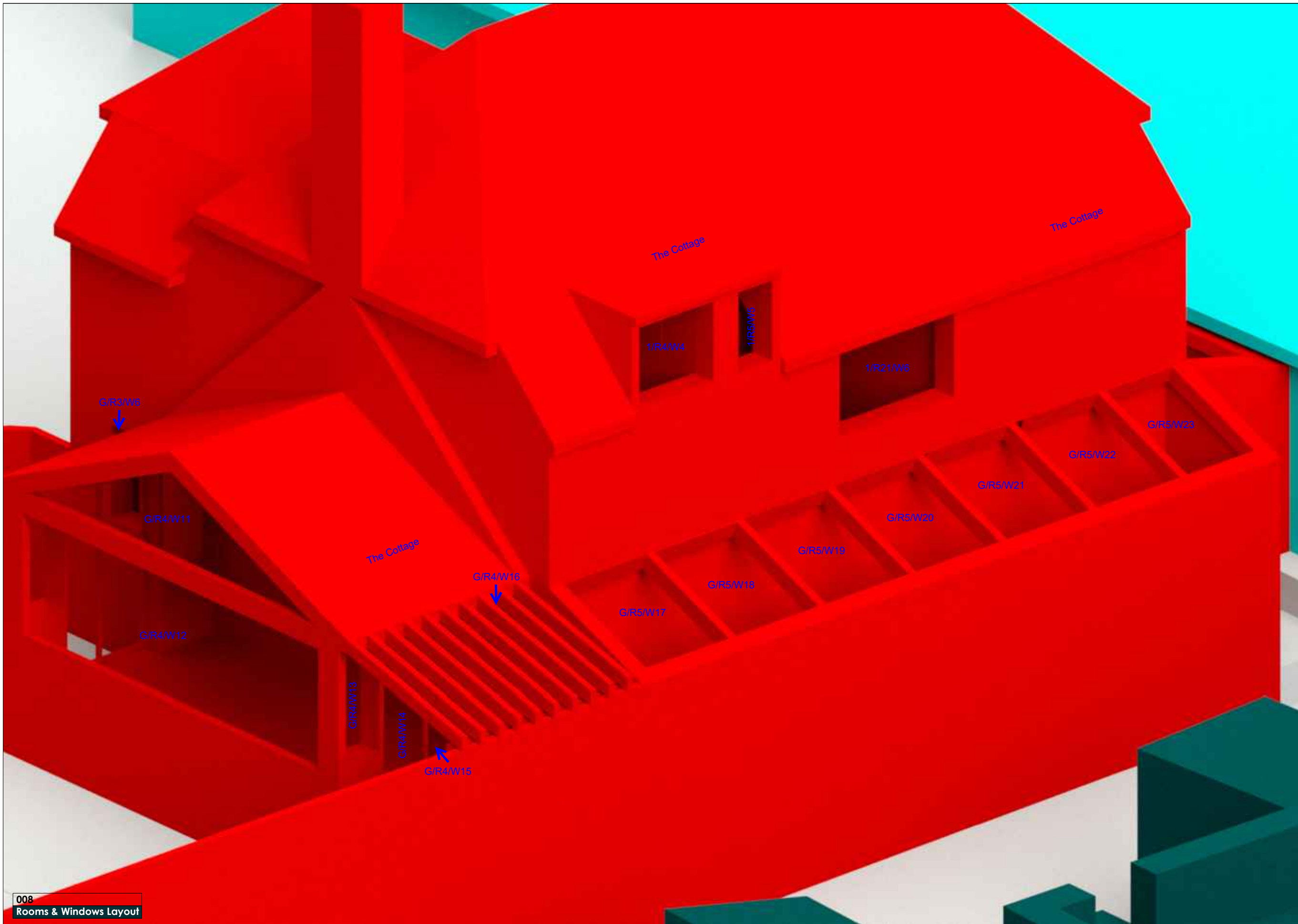
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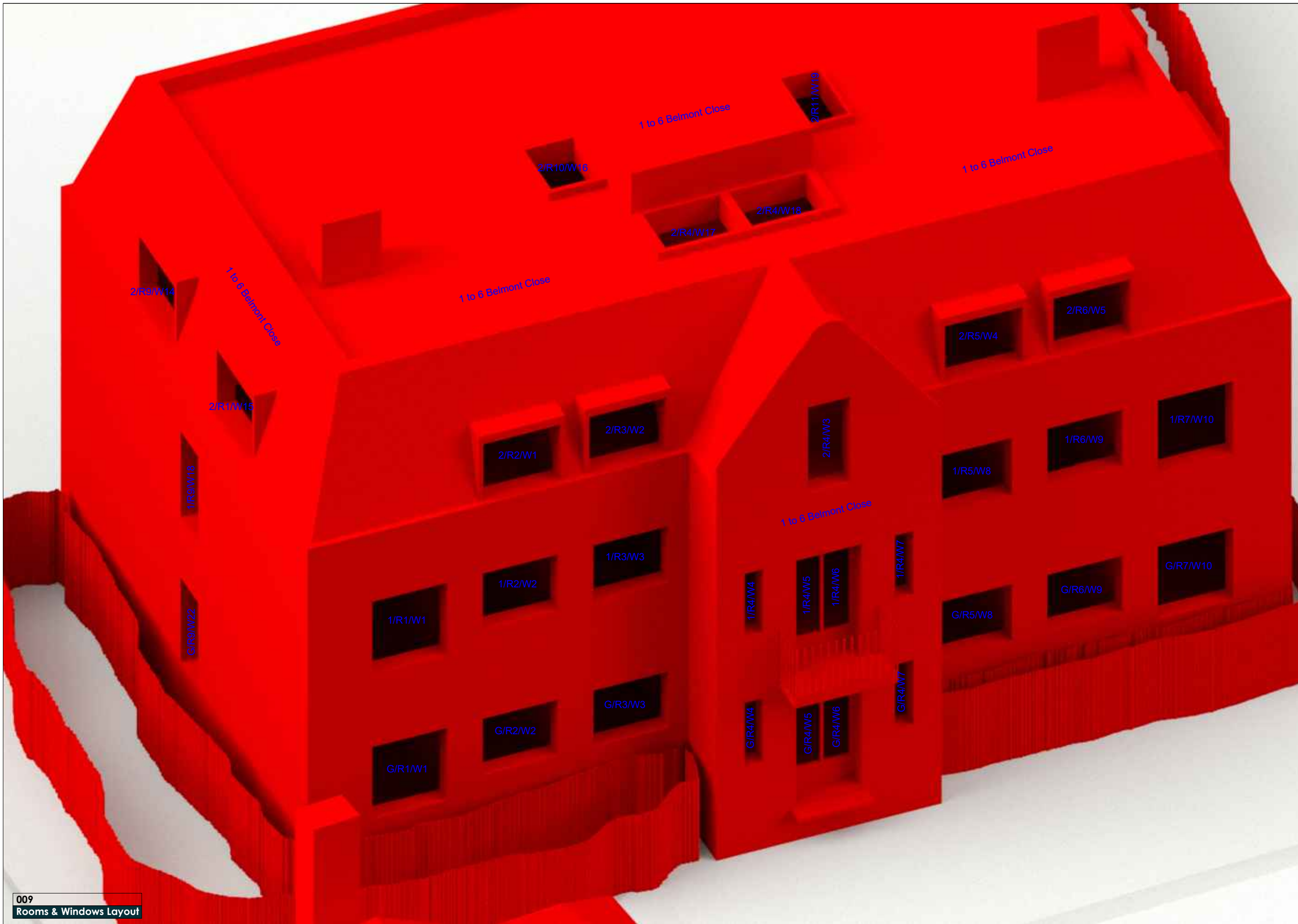
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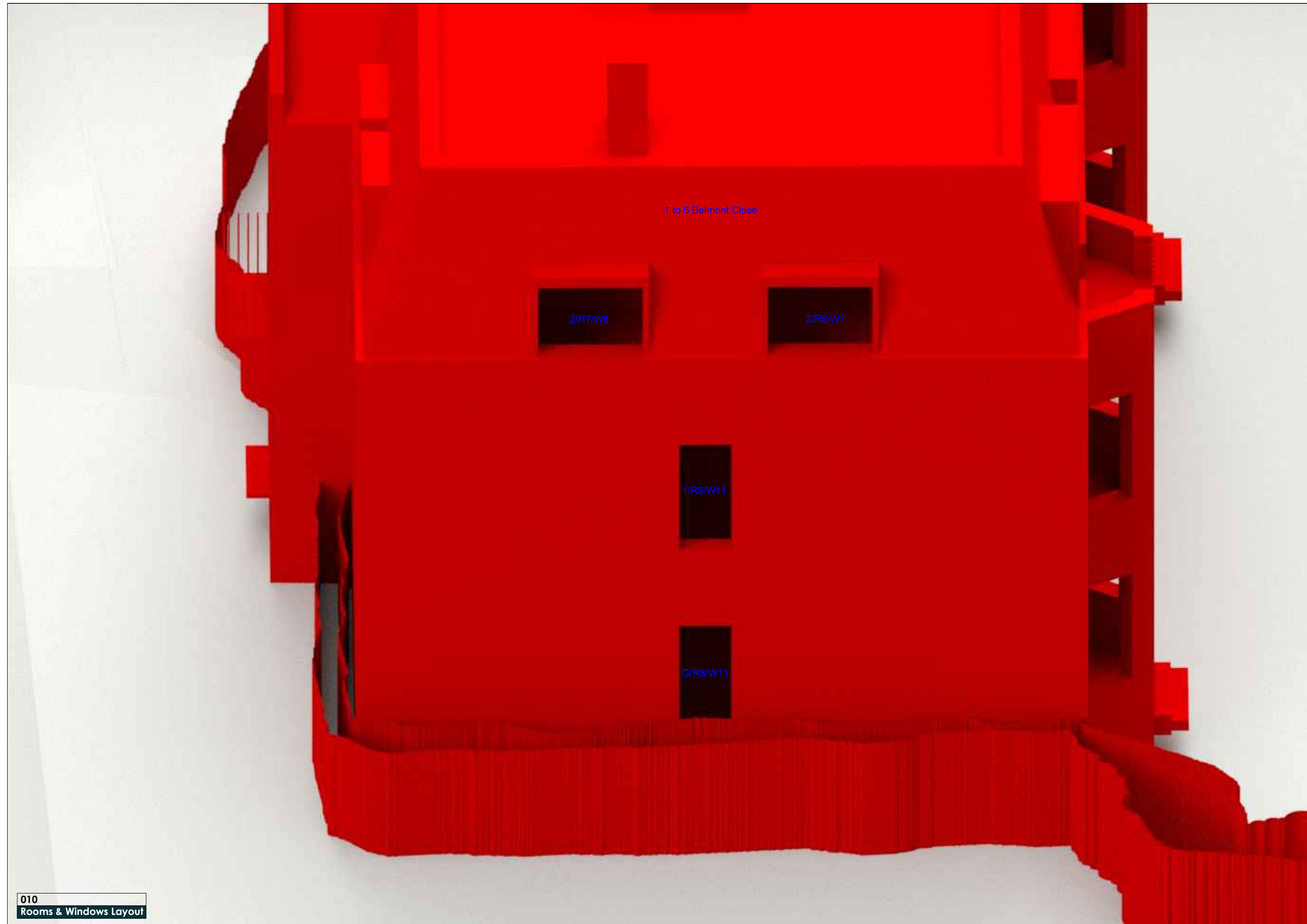
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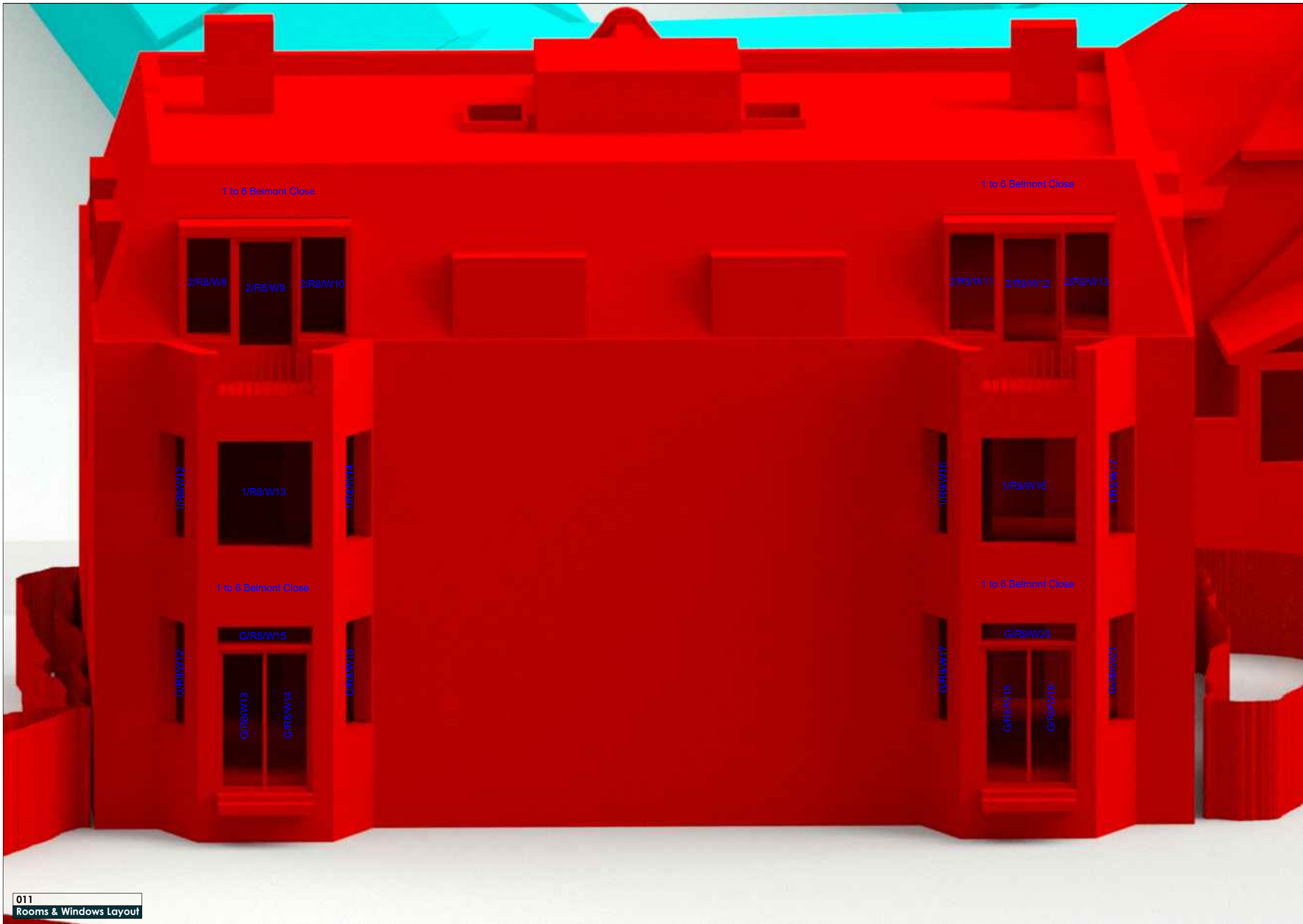
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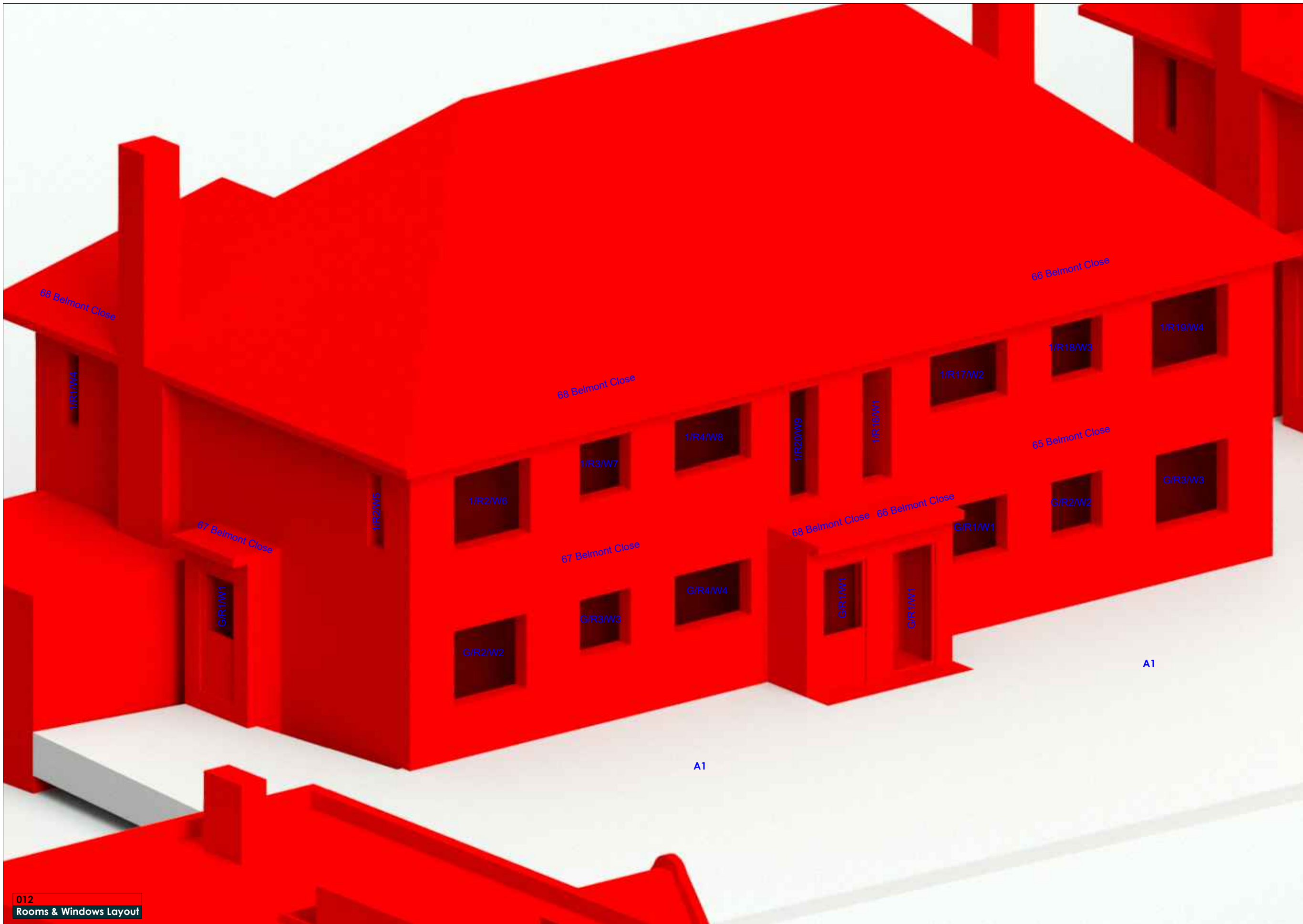
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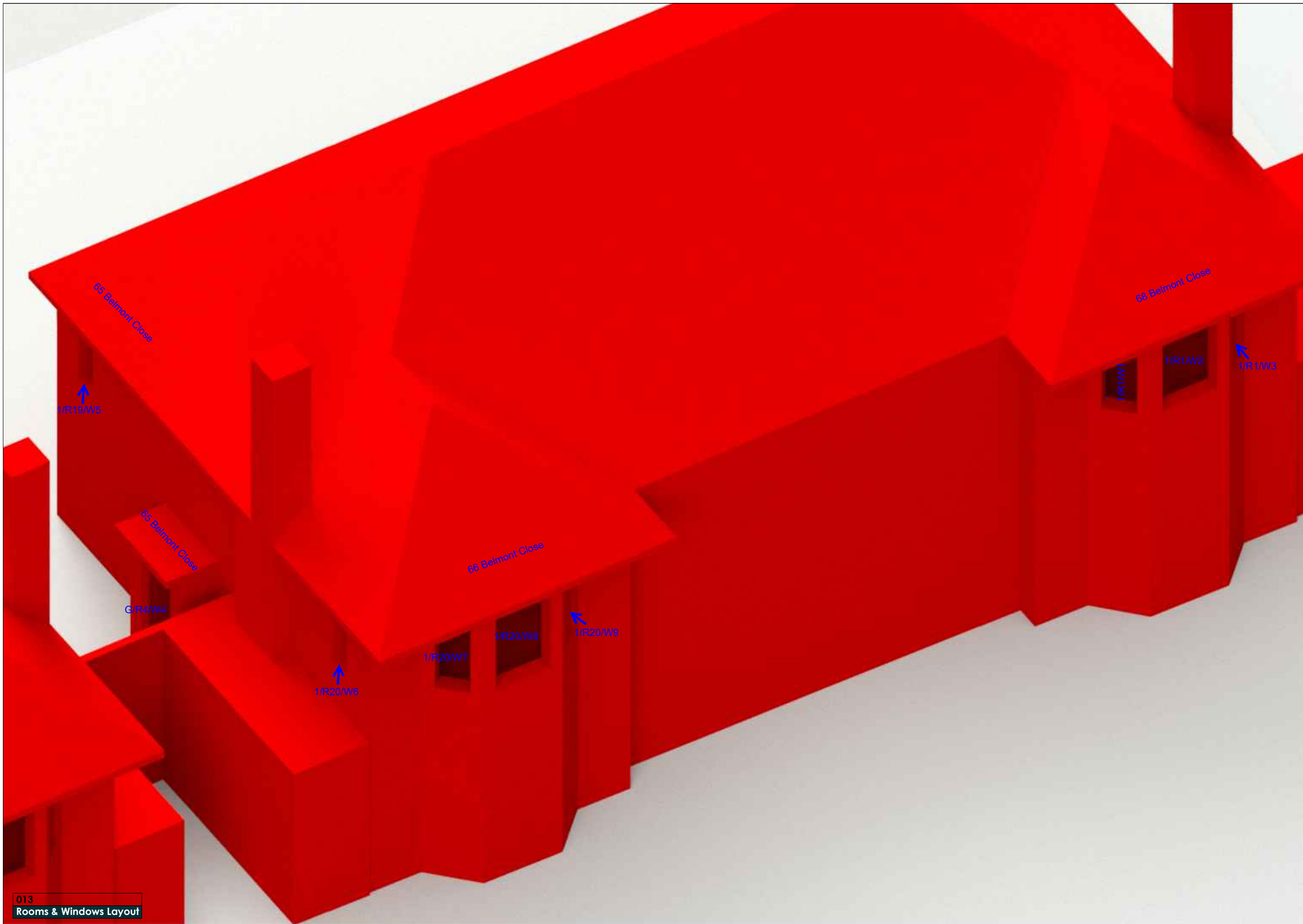
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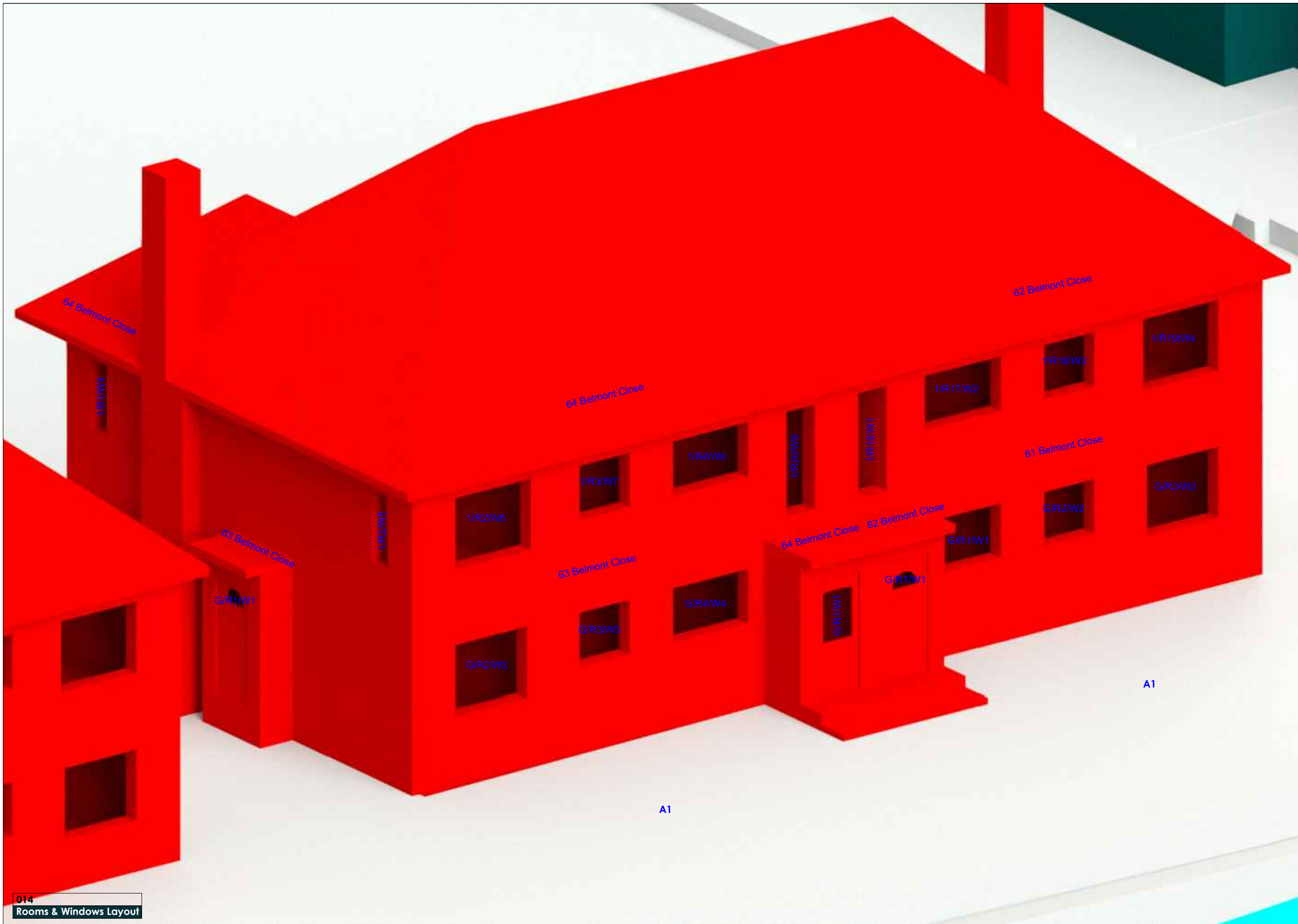
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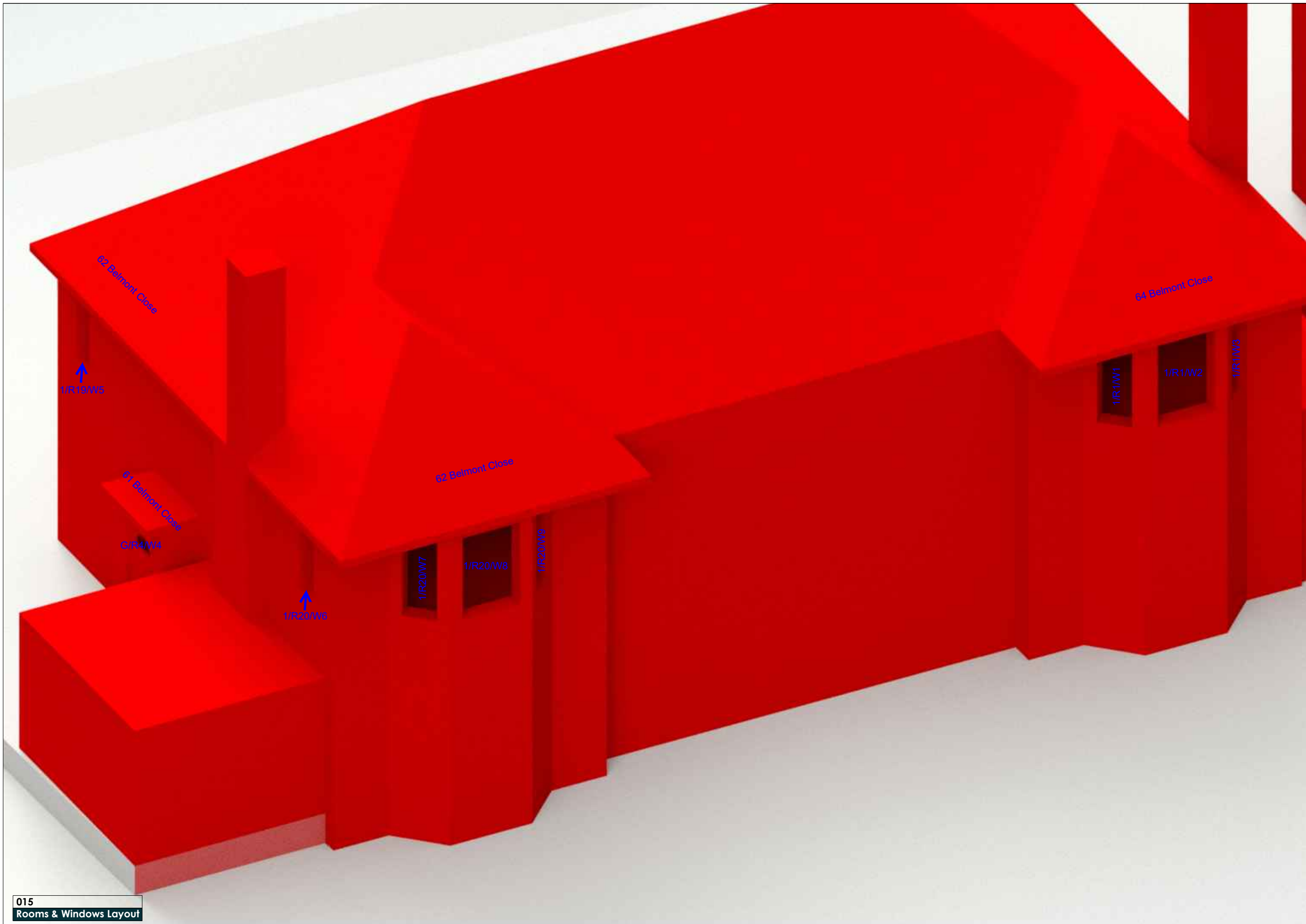
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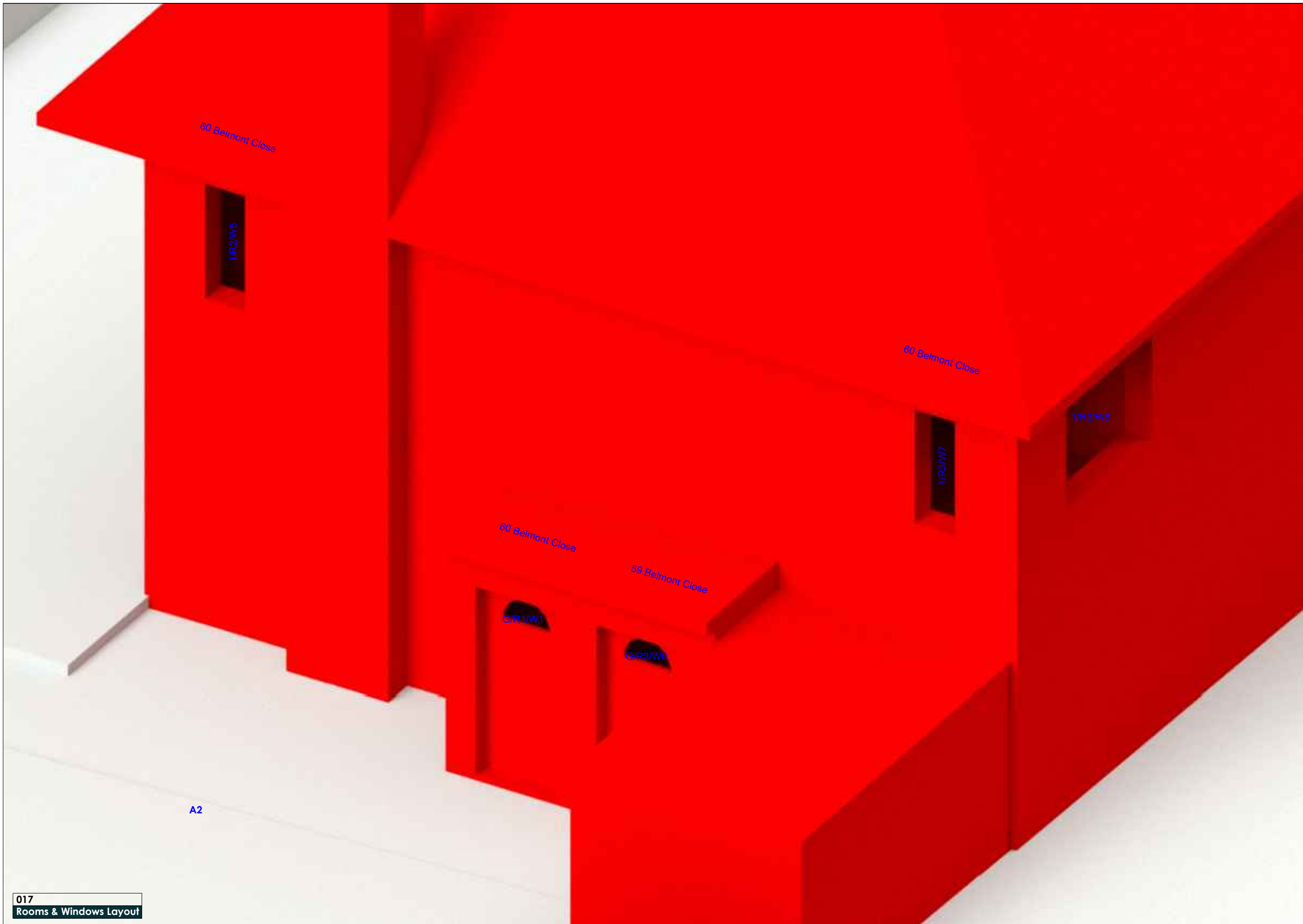
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# Daylight & Sunlight (VSC, DD & APSH) Results



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 Report Title: Vertical Sky Component Results (VSC)  
 Date of Analysis: November 2023

Floor Ref.	Room Ref.	Property Type	Room Use	Window Ref.	Window Attribute	VSC	Pr/Ex	Meets BRE Criteria	Window Orientation	Room VSC	Pr/Ex	Meets BRE Criteria	Annual	Pr/Ex	Meets BRE Criteria	Winter	Pr/Ex	Meets BRE Criteria			
<b>The Cottage</b>																					
Ground	R1	Residential	Bedroom	W1	Existing 11.44 Proposed 10.99	0.96	YES	244°				YES	14.00 14.00	1.00	YES	2.00 2.00	1.00	YES			
				W22	Existing 72.05 Proposed 71.40	0.99	YES	64°N Inc							35.00 35.00	*North	*North	3.00 3.00	*North	*North	
				W23	Existing 75.07 Proposed 73.90	0.98	YES	64°N Inc								32.00 32.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
				W24	Existing 62.19 Proposed 56.20	0.90	YES	333°N Inc								15.00 9.00	*North	*North	1.00 0.00	*North	*North
				W25	Existing 60.41 Proposed 47.42	0.78	YES	333°N Inc								14.00 8.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
										58.19 53.51	0.92	YES									
		R3	Residential	Reception Room	W5	Existing 32.06 Proposed 30.30	0.95	YES	244°					41.00 40.00	0.98	YES	10.00 10.00	1.00	YES		
	W6				Existing 21.47 Proposed 21.47	1.00	YES	154°							26.00 26.00	1.00	YES	6.00 6.00	1.00	YES	
										30.76 29.21	0.95	YES									
		R4	Residential	Dining Room	W7	Existing 15.11 Proposed 15.11	1.00	YES	244°					22.00 22.00	1.00	YES	5.00 5.00	1.00	YES		
					W8	Existing 19.52 Proposed 19.52	1.00	YES	244°							28.00 28.00	1.00	YES	5.00 5.00	1.00	YES
					W9	Existing 22.38 Proposed 22.38	1.00	YES	244°							28.00 28.00	1.00	YES	3.00 3.00	1.00	YES
					W10	Existing 25.26 Proposed 25.17	1.00	YES	244°							27.00 27.00	1.00	YES	3.00 3.00	1.00	YES
					W11	Existing 29.96 Proposed 29.96	1.00	YES	154°							54.00 54.00	1.00	YES	12.00 12.00	1.00	YES
					W12	Existing 31.60 Proposed 31.60	1.00	YES	154°							52.00 52.00	1.00	YES	14.00 14.00	1.00	YES
					W13	Existing 17.26 Proposed 17.26	1.00	YES	64°N							7.00 7.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
	W14				Existing 14.21 Proposed 14.21	1.00	YES	64°N							7.00 7.00	*North	*North	2.00 2.00	*North	*North	
	W15				Existing 11.91 Proposed 11.91	1.00	YES	64°N							8.00 8.00	*North	*North	1.00 1.00	*North	*North	
	W16				Existing 9.34 Proposed 9.34	1.00	YES	64°N							4.00 4.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North	
									24.30 24.30	1.00	YES										
First	R1	Residential	Bedroom	W1	Existing 36.26 Proposed 33.44	0.92	YES	244°					45.00 41.00	0.91	YES	16.00 16.00	1.00	YES			
				W7	Existing 30.84 Proposed 22.64	0.73	NO	334°N							6.00 0.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North	
									33.84 28.62	0.85	YES										

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	R2	Residential	Office	W2	Existing Proposed	35.58 33.15	0.93	YES	244°				24.00 24.00	1.00	YES	6.00 6.00	1.00	YES
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	W3	Existing Proposed	32.15 30.82	0.96	YES	244°	35.58 33.15	0.93	YES	37.00 36.00	0.97	YES	13.00 13.00	1.00	YES
										32.15 30.82	0.96	YES						
<b>1 to 6 Belmont Close</b>																		
Ground	R1	Residential	Bedroom	W1	Existing Proposed	30.73 29.09	0.95	YES	340°N									
	R3	Residential	Kitchen	W3	Existing Proposed	27.27 24.95	0.91	YES	340°N	30.73 29.09	0.95	YES						
	R4	Residential	Unknown	W4	Existing Proposed	30.19 27.52	0.91	YES	340°N									
				W5	Existing Proposed	20.08 17.37	0.87	YES	340°N									
				W6	Existing Proposed	19.57 16.81	0.86	YES	340°N									
				W7	Existing Proposed	30.70 27.84	0.91	YES	340°N									
	R5	Residential	Kitchen	W8	Existing Proposed	29.86 27.19	0.91	YES	340°N	23.50 20.76	0.88	YES						
	R7	Residential	Bedroom	W10	Existing Proposed	34.91 32.40	0.93	YES	340°N									
	R8	Residential	Reception Room	W11	Existing Proposed	35.69 35.67	1.00	YES	250°				35.00 35.00	1.00	YES	8.00 8.00	1.00	YES
				W12	Existing Proposed	32.40 32.40	1.00	YES	218°				43.00 43.00	1.00	YES	17.00 17.00	1.00	YES
				W13	Existing Proposed	37.03 37.03	1.00	YES	160°				53.00 53.00	1.00	YES	19.00 19.00	1.00	YES
				W14	Existing Proposed	37.05 37.05	1.00	YES	160°				57.00 57.00	1.00	YES	24.00 24.00	1.00	YES
				W15	Existing Proposed	37.98 37.98	1.00	YES	160°				14.00 14.00	1.00	YES	14.00 14.00	1.00	YES

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				W16	Existing Proposed	28.77 28.77	1.00	YES	104°	34.48 34.47	1.00	YES	34.00 34.00	1.00	YES	7.00 7.00	1.00	YES		
	R9	Residential	Reception Room	W17	Existing Proposed	29.49 29.49	1.00	YES	218°				40.00 40.00	1.00	YES	16.00 16.00	1.00	YES	1.00	YES
				W18	Existing Proposed	36.69 36.69	1.00	YES	160°				53.00 53.00	1.00	YES	19.00 19.00	1.00	YES	1.00	YES
				W19	Existing Proposed	36.69 36.69	1.00	YES	160°				57.00 57.00	1.00	YES	24.00 24.00	1.00	YES	1.00	YES
				W20	Existing Proposed	37.65 37.65	1.00	YES	160°				14.00 14.00	1.00	YES	14.00 14.00	1.00	YES	1.00	YES
				W21	Existing Proposed	30.54 30.54	1.00	YES	104°				33.00 33.00	1.00	YES	7.00 7.00	1.00	YES	1.00	YES
				W22	Existing Proposed	32.57 32.57	1.00	YES	70°N				16.00 16.00	*North	*North	1.00 1.00	*North	*North	1.00	*North
													33.54 33.54	1.00	YES					
First	R1	Residential	Bedroom	W1	Existing Proposed	35.36 33.85	0.96	YES	340°N	35.36 33.85	0.96	YES		*North	*North		*North	*North		
	R3	Residential	Kitchen	W3	Existing Proposed	30.90 28.94	0.94	YES	340°N							*North	*North		*North	*North
	R4	Residential	Unknown	W4	Existing Proposed	36.25 33.96	0.94	YES	340°N	30.90 28.94	0.94	YES		*North	*North		*North	*North		
				W5	Existing Proposed	29.18 26.84	0.92	YES	340°N							*North	*North		*North	*North
				W6	Existing Proposed	28.90 26.55	0.92	YES	340°N							*North	*North		*North	*North
				W7	Existing Proposed	36.59 34.28	0.94	YES	340°N							*North	*North		*North	*North
	R5	Residential	Kitchen	W8	Existing Proposed	31.89 29.98	0.94	YES	340°N	31.59 29.27	0.93	YES		*North	*North		*North	*North		
										31.89 29.98	0.94	YES								
	R7	Residential	Bedroom	W10	Existing Proposed	36.92 35.21	0.95	YES	340°N					*North	*North		*North	*North		
	R8	Residential	Reception Room	W11	Existing Proposed	37.66 37.65	1.00	YES	250°	36.92 35.21	0.95	YES	37.00 37.00	1.00	YES	9.00 9.00	1.00	YES		
				W12	Existing Proposed	33.63 33.63	1.00	YES	218°				44.00 44.00	1.00	YES	18.00 18.00	1.00	YES	1.00	YES



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	R8	Residential	Unknown	W7	Existing	39.13	1.00	YES	250°				43.00	1.00	YES	15.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	39.13							43.00			15.00		
				W8	Existing	39.46	1.00	YES	160°				48.00	1.00	YES	21.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	39.46							48.00			21.00		
				W9	Existing	39.08	1.00	YES	160°				55.00	1.00	YES	23.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	39.08							55.00			23.00		
				W10	Existing	39.45	1.00	YES	160°				48.00	1.00	YES	21.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	39.45							48.00			21.00		
										39.25	1.00	YES						
										39.25								
	R9	Residential	Unknown	W11	Existing	39.32	1.00	YES	160°				48.00	1.00	YES	21.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	39.32							48.00			21.00		
				W12	Existing	38.94	1.00	YES	160°				55.00	1.00	YES	23.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	38.94							55.00			23.00		
				W13	Existing	39.29	1.00	YES	160°				48.00	1.00	YES	21.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	39.29							48.00			21.00		
				W14	Existing	36.48	1.00	YES	70°N				23.00	*North	*North	4.00	*North	*North
					Proposed	36.47							23.00			4.00		
										38.30	1.00	YES						
										38.30								
	R10	Residential	Unknown	W16	Existing	80.65	1.00	YES	90° Hz				54.00	1.00	YES	14.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	80.65							54.00			14.00		
										80.65	1.00	YES						
										80.65								
	R11	Residential	Unknown	W19	Existing	85.17	1.00	YES	90° Hz				69.00	1.00	YES	20.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	85.17							69.00			20.00		
										85.17	1.00	YES				20.00		
										85.17						20.00		
<b>67 Belmont Close</b>																		
Ground	R2	Residential	Bedroom	W2	Existing	34.79	0.92	YES	70°N					*North	*North		*North	*North
					Proposed	31.94												
										34.79	0.92	YES						
										31.94								
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	W4	Existing	32.17	0.90	YES	70°N					*North	*North		*North	*North
					Proposed	28.94												
										32.17	0.90	YES						
										28.94								
<b>68 Belmont Close</b>																		
First	R1	Residential	Reception Room	W1	Existing	24.57	1.00	YES	295°N				12.00	*North	*North	0.00	*North	*North
					Proposed	24.57							12.00			0.00		
				W2	Existing	35.96	1.00	YES	250°				40.00	1.00	YES	12.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	35.96							40.00			12.00		
				W3	Existing	23.16	1.00	YES	205°				28.00	1.00	YES	17.00	1.00	YES
					Proposed	23.16							28.00			17.00		
													28.00			17.00		

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				W4	Existing Proposed	31.66 31.66	1.00	YES	160°				34.00 34.00	1.00	YES	18.00 18.00	1.00	YES
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	W5	Existing Proposed	32.48 32.48	1.00	YES	160°	29.81 29.81	1.00	YES	34.00 34.00	1.00	YES	18.00 18.00	1.00	YES
				W6	Existing Proposed	32.83 31.05	0.95	YES	70°N				23.00 22.00	*North	*North	4.00 4.00	*North	*North
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	W8	Existing Proposed	31.61 29.50	0.93	YES	70°N	32.75 31.37	0.96	YES					*North	*North
										31.61 29.50	0.93	YES					*North	*North
<b>65 Belmont Close</b>																		
Ground	R1	Residential	Kitchen	W1	Existing Proposed	32.19 27.88	0.87	YES	70°N								*North	*North
										32.19 27.88	0.87	YES					*North	*North
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	W3	Existing Proposed	34.83 29.91	0.86	YES	70°N								*North	*North
										34.83 29.91	0.86	YES					*North	*North
<b>66 Belmont Close</b>																		
First	R17	Residential	Kitchen	W2	Existing Proposed	31.63 29.02	0.92	YES	70°N								*North	*North
										31.63 29.02	0.92	YES					*North	*North
	R19	Residential	Bedroom	W4	Existing Proposed	32.86 29.77	0.91	YES	70°N								*North	*North
				W5	Existing Proposed	27.31 26.72	0.98	YES	340°N								*North	*North
										31.63 29.09	0.92	YES					*North	*North
	R20	Residential	Reception Room	W6	Existing Proposed	26.09 25.89	0.99	YES	340°N				0.00 0.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
				W7	Existing Proposed	25.54 25.54	1.00	YES	295°N				12.00 12.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
				W8	Existing Proposed	37.56 37.56	1.00	YES	250°				41.00 41.00	1.00	YES	12.00 12.00	1.00	YES
				W9	Existing Proposed	25.70 25.70	1.00	YES	205°				31.00 31.00	1.00	YES	18.00 18.00	1.00	YES
										30.48 30.45	1.00	YES						



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<b>63 Belmont Close</b>																		
Ground	R2	Residential	Bedroom	W2	Existing Proposed	34.99 29.93	0.86	YES	70°N	34.99 29.93	0.86	YES		*North	*North		*North	*North
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	W4	Existing Proposed	32.34 27.48	0.85	YES	70°N									
<b>64 Belmont Close</b>																		
First	R1	Residential	Reception Room	W1	Existing Proposed	24.29 24.29	1.00	YES	295°N				12.00 12.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
				W2	Existing Proposed	36.48 36.48	1.00	YES	250°				40.00 40.00	1.00	YES	12.00 12.00	1.00	YES
				W3	Existing Proposed	24.39 24.39	1.00	YES	205°				28.00 28.00	1.00	YES	17.00 17.00	1.00	YES
				W4	Existing Proposed	27.70 27.55	0.99	YES	160°				27.00 27.00	1.00	YES	13.00 13.00	1.00	YES
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	W5	Existing Proposed	28.33 27.82	0.98	YES	160°	29.68 29.66	1.00	YES	29.00 29.00	1.00	YES	13.00 13.00	1.00	YES
				W6	Existing Proposed	32.99 29.93	0.91	YES	70°N				24.00 21.00	*North	*North	5.00 4.00	*North	*North
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	W8	Existing Proposed	31.70 28.78	0.91	YES	70°N	31.95 29.46	0.92	YES		*North	*North		*North	*North
										31.70 28.78	0.91	YES						
<b>61 Belmont Close</b>																		
Ground	R1	Residential	Kitchen	W1	Existing Proposed	32.11 28.29	0.88	YES	70°N	32.11 28.29	0.88	YES		*North	*North		*North	*North
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	W3	Existing Proposed	34.86 31.51	0.90	YES	70°N									

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<b>62 Belmont Close</b>																														
First	R17	Residential	Kitchen	W2	Existing	31.65	0.92	YES	70°N	31.65 29.23	0.92	YES																		
					Proposed	29.23																								
	R19	Residential	Bedroom	W4	Existing	32.80	0.94	YES	70°N																					
					Proposed	30.78																								
				W5	Existing	32.49	1.00	YES	340°N																					
					Proposed	32.49																								
R20	Residential	Reception Room	W6	Existing	31.93	1.00	YES	340°N	32.73 31.16	0.95	YES																			
				Proposed	31.93																									
																				W7	Existing	25.34	1.00	YES	295°N					
																					Proposed	25.34								
			W8	Existing	37.41	1.00	YES	250°	41.00	1.00	YES	12.00	1.00	YES	12.00	1.00	YES													
				Proposed	37.41																									
			W9	Existing	26.28	1.00	YES	205°	31.00	1.00	YES	18.00	1.00	YES	18.00	1.00	YES													
				Proposed	26.28																									
									31.32 31.32	1.00	YES																			
<b>57 Belmont Close</b>																														
Ground	R1	Residential	Reception Room	W1	Existing	30.80	1.00	YES	205°	31.88 31.41	0.99	YES	43.00	1.00	YES	18.00	1.00	YES												
					Proposed	30.79																								
																			W2	Existing	34.28	0.99	YES	160°	58.00	0.98	YES	21.00	0.95	YES
																					Proposed									
																				W3	Existing	28.75	0.97	YES	115°	36.00	0.97	YES	6.00	0.83
				Proposed	27.84																									
																						35.00								
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	W4	Existing	31.50	0.98	YES	160°										53.00	0.96	YES	20.00	0.90	YES						
Proposed					30.75																									
			W5	Existing	32.73	0.97	YES	160°	56.00	0.96	YES	21.00	0.90	YES																
				Proposed	31.84																									
									32.12 31.30	0.97	YES	54.00			19.00															
<b>58 Belmont Close</b>																														
First	R1	Residential	Reception Room	W1	Existing	24.81	1.00	YES	250°				20.00	1.00	YES	4.00	1.00	YES												
					Proposed	24.81																								
																			W2	Existing	25.12	1.00	YES	205°	26.00	1.00	YES	19.00	1.00	YES
			Proposed	25.12																										
			W3	Existing	35.79	0.99	YES	160°	59.00	1.00	YES	23.00	1.00	YES																
				Proposed	35.50																									
												59.00			23.00															

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				W4	Existing Proposed	23.72 23.18	0.98	YES	115°				32.00 32.00	1.00	YES	8.00 8.00	1.00	YES
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	W5	Existing Proposed	28.87 28.39	0.98	YES	160°	29.04 28.80	0.99	YES	45.00 43.00	0.96	YES	19.00 17.00	0.89	YES
				W6	Existing Proposed	32.75 32.16	0.98	YES	160°				53.00 51.00	0.96	YES	23.00 21.00	0.91	YES
										30.81 30.28	0.98	YES						
<b>59 Belmont Close</b>																		
Ground	R1	Residential	Bedroom	W1	Existing Proposed	32.49 31.48	0.97	YES	160°				56.00 53.00	0.95	YES	21.00 18.00	0.86	YES
				W2	Existing Proposed	30.99 29.92	0.97	YES	160°				54.00 51.00	0.94	YES	21.00 18.00	0.86	YES
	R2	Residential	Reception Room	W3	Existing Proposed	29.33 29.17	0.99	YES	205°	31.74 30.70	0.97	YES	41.00 41.00	1.00	YES	15.00 15.00	1.00	YES
				W4	Existing Proposed	33.47 32.08	0.96	YES	160°				57.00 54.00	0.95	YES	20.00 17.00	0.85	YES
				W5	Existing Proposed	31.30 29.26	0.93	YES	115°				38.00 36.00	0.95	YES	8.00 6.00	0.75	YES
										31.79 30.55	0.96	YES						
<b>60 Belmont Close</b>																		
First	R1	Residential	Bedroom	W1	Existing Proposed	32.58 31.89	0.98	YES	160°				54.00 52.00	0.96	YES	24.00 22.00	0.92	YES
				W2	Existing Proposed	28.51 27.75	0.97	YES	160°				41.00 39.00	0.95	YES	22.00 20.00	0.91	YES
	R2	Residential	Reception Room	W3	Existing Proposed	22.81 22.69	0.99	YES	205°	30.55 29.82	0.98	YES	24.00 24.00	1.00	YES	18.00 18.00	1.00	YES
				W4	Existing Proposed	34.12 33.14	0.97	YES	160°				56.00 54.00	0.96	YES	23.00 21.00	0.91	YES
				W5	Existing Proposed	23.09 21.67	0.94	YES	115°				28.00 26.00	0.93	YES	9.00 7.00	0.78	YES
				W6	Existing Proposed	31.14 30.17	0.97	YES	70°N				11.00 11.00	*North	*North	0.00 0.00	*North	*North
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	W7	Existing Proposed	31.21 30.61	0.98	YES	70°N	28.58 27.70	0.97	YES					*North	*North

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				W8	Existing Proposed	32.60 32.60	1.00	YES	340°N	32.29 32.16	1.00	YES				*North	*North	*North	*North

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Floor Ref.	Room Ref	Property Type	Room Use		Room Area	Lit Area Existing	Lit Area Proposed	Pr/Ex	Meets BRE Criteria
<b>The Cottage</b>									
Ground	R1	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	14.30	13.95	13.86	0.99	YES
				% of room		97.58%	96.97%		
	R3	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	15.67	15.67	15.67	1.00	YES
	R4	Residential	Dining Room	Area m2	11.49	11.49	11.49	1.00	YES
				% of room		100.00%	100.00%		
First	R1	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	13.99	13.90	13.90	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.35%	99.35%		
	R2	Residential	Office	Area m2	2.41	1.34	1.31	0.97	YES
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	15.67	15.54	15.54	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.15%	99.14%		
<b>1 to 6 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R1	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	7.57	7.48	7.48	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.87%	98.77%		
	R3	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2	5.96	5.86	5.86	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.28%	98.28%		
	R4	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	6.52	6.44	6.44	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.84%	98.84%		
	R5	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2	5.74	5.65	5.65	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.29%	98.29%		
	R7	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	7.57	7.52	7.52	1.00	YES
			% of room		99.32%	99.32%			
R8	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	19.91	19.88	19.88	1.00	YES	
			% of room		99.87%	99.87%			
R9	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	19.91	19.89	19.89	1.00	YES	
			% of room		99.90%	99.90%			
First	R1	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	7.57	7.44	7.44	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.29%	98.29%		
	R3	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2	5.96	5.70	5.70	1.00	YES
				% of room		95.64%	95.64%		
	R4	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	6.52	6.44	6.44	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.84%	98.84%		
	R5	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2	5.74	5.49	5.49	1.00	YES
				% of room		95.65%	95.65%		
R7	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	7.57	7.46	7.46	1.00	YES	
			% of room		98.54%	98.54%			
R8	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	19.91	19.88	19.88	1.00	YES	
			% of room		99.87%	99.87%			
R9	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	19.91	19.89	19.89	1.00	YES	
			% of room		99.90%	99.90%			
Second	R1	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	8.83	8.06	8.06	1.00	YES
				% of room		91.30%	91.30%		
	R2	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	4.46	4.45	4.45	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.87%	99.87%		
	R3	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	5.35	5.32	5.32	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.33%	99.33%		
	R4	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	11.98	11.46	11.46	1.00	YES
				% of room		95.66%	95.66%		
	R5	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	5.59	5.52	5.52	1.00	YES
				% of room		98.84%	98.84%		
R6	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	4.46	4.45	4.45	1.00	YES	
			% of room		99.83%	99.83%			
R7	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	8.19	7.44	7.44	1.00	YES	
			% of room		90.74%	90.74%			
R8	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	15.65	15.49	15.49	1.00	YES	
			% of room		98.99%	98.99%			
R9	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	15.65	15.52	15.52	1.00	YES	
			% of room		99.20%	99.20%			
R10	Residential	Unknown	Area m2	8.89	8.62	8.62	1.00	YES	
			% of room		97.00%	97.00%			

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	R11	Residential	Unknown	Area m2 % of room	8.89	8.89 100.00%	8.89 100.00%	1.00	YES
<b>67 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R2	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	8.36	8.32 99.51%	8.32 99.51%	1.00	YES
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	7.90	7.72 97.64%	7.72 97.64%	1.00	YES
<b>68 Belmont Close</b>									
First	R1	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2 % of room	21.64	21.56 99.60%	21.56 99.60%	1.00	YES
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	9.93	9.92 99.84%	9.92 99.84%	1.00	YES
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	8.47	8.29 97.82%	8.29 97.82%	1.00	YES
<b>65 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R1	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	7.93	7.74 97.56%	7.74 97.56%	1.00	YES
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	8.54	8.51 99.62%	8.51 99.62%	1.00	YES
<b>66 Belmont Close</b>									
First	R17	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	8.51	8.33 97.82%	8.33 97.82%	1.00	YES
	R19	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	9.97	9.95 99.82%	9.95 99.82%	1.00	YES
	R20	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2 % of room	21.39	21.21 99.16%	21.21 99.16%	1.00	YES
<b>63 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R2	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	8.36	8.32 99.51%	8.32 99.51%	1.00	YES
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	7.90	7.72 97.64%	7.72 97.64%	1.00	YES
<b>64 Belmont Close</b>									
First	R1	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2 % of room	21.64	21.51 99.36%	21.51 99.36%	1.00	YES
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	9.93	9.92 99.84%	9.92 99.84%	1.00	YES
	R4	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	8.47	8.29 97.82%	8.29 97.82%	1.00	YES
<b>61 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R1	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	7.90	7.71 97.57%	7.71 97.57%	1.00	YES
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	8.51	8.48 99.63%	8.48 99.63%	1.00	YES
<b>62 Belmont Close</b>									
First	R17	Residential	Kitchen	Area m2 % of room	8.47	8.29 97.82%	8.29 97.82%	1.00	YES
	R19	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2 % of room	9.93	9.91 99.82%	9.91 99.82%	1.00	YES
	R20	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2 % of room	21.39	21.26 99.39%	21.26 99.39%	1.00	YES

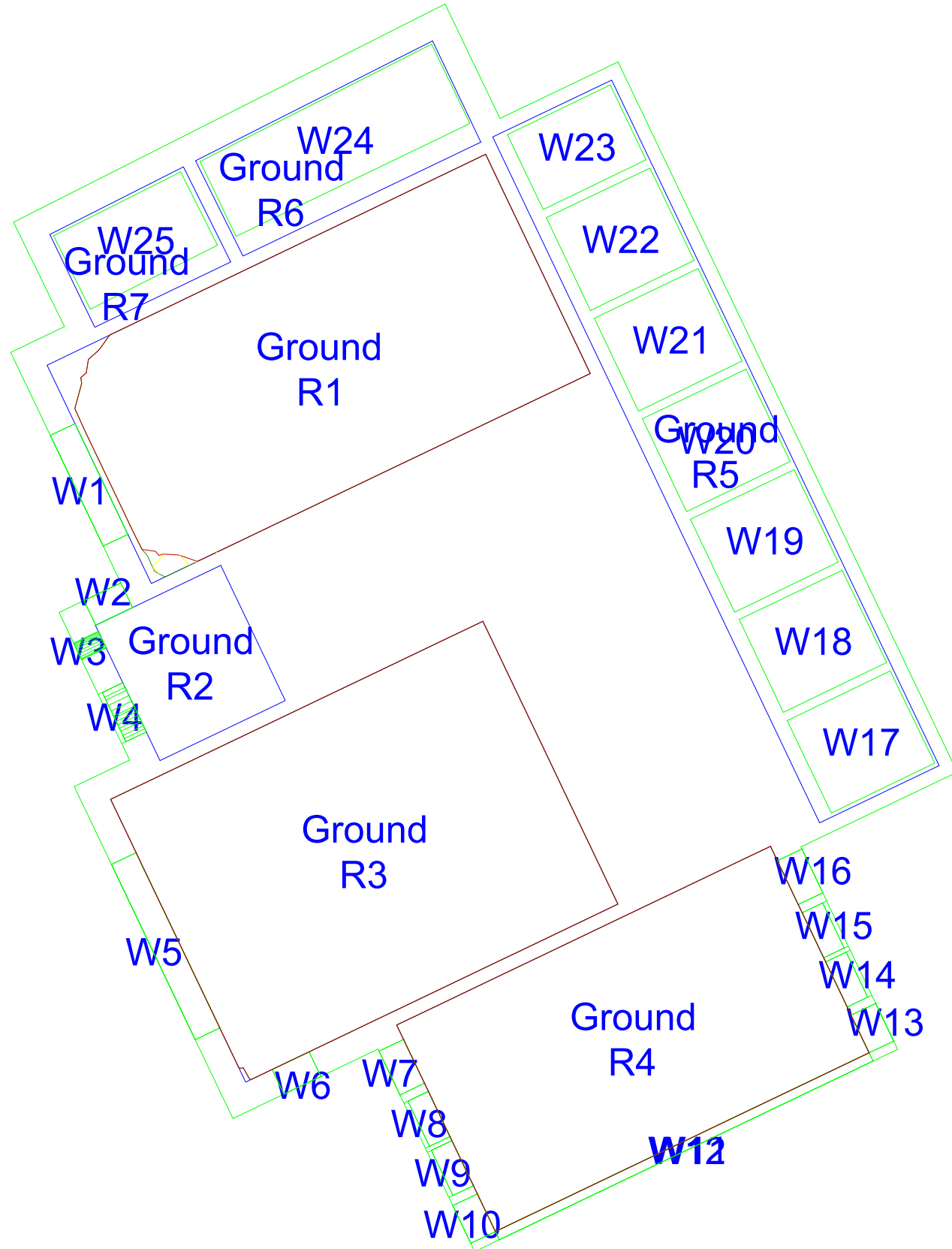
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<b>57 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R1	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	18.36	18.24	18.24	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.33%	99.33%		
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	11.52	11.44	11.44	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.27%	99.27%		
<b>58 Belmont Close</b>									
First	R1	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	18.36	18.29	18.29	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.59%	99.59%		
	R2	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	11.52	11.43	11.43	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.26%	99.26%		
<b>59 Belmont Close</b>									
Ground	R1	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	11.31	11.24	11.24	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.34%	99.34%		
	R2	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	18.62	18.44	18.44	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.03%	99.03%		
<b>60 Belmont Close</b>									
First	R1	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	11.31	11.24	11.24	1.00	YES
				% of room		99.34%	99.34%		
	R2	Residential	Reception Room	Area m2	18.62	18.51	18.51		
				% of room		99.39%	99.39%	1.00	YES
	R3	Residential	Bedroom	Area m2	9.93	9.92	9.92		
				% of room		99.88%	99.88%	1.00	YES

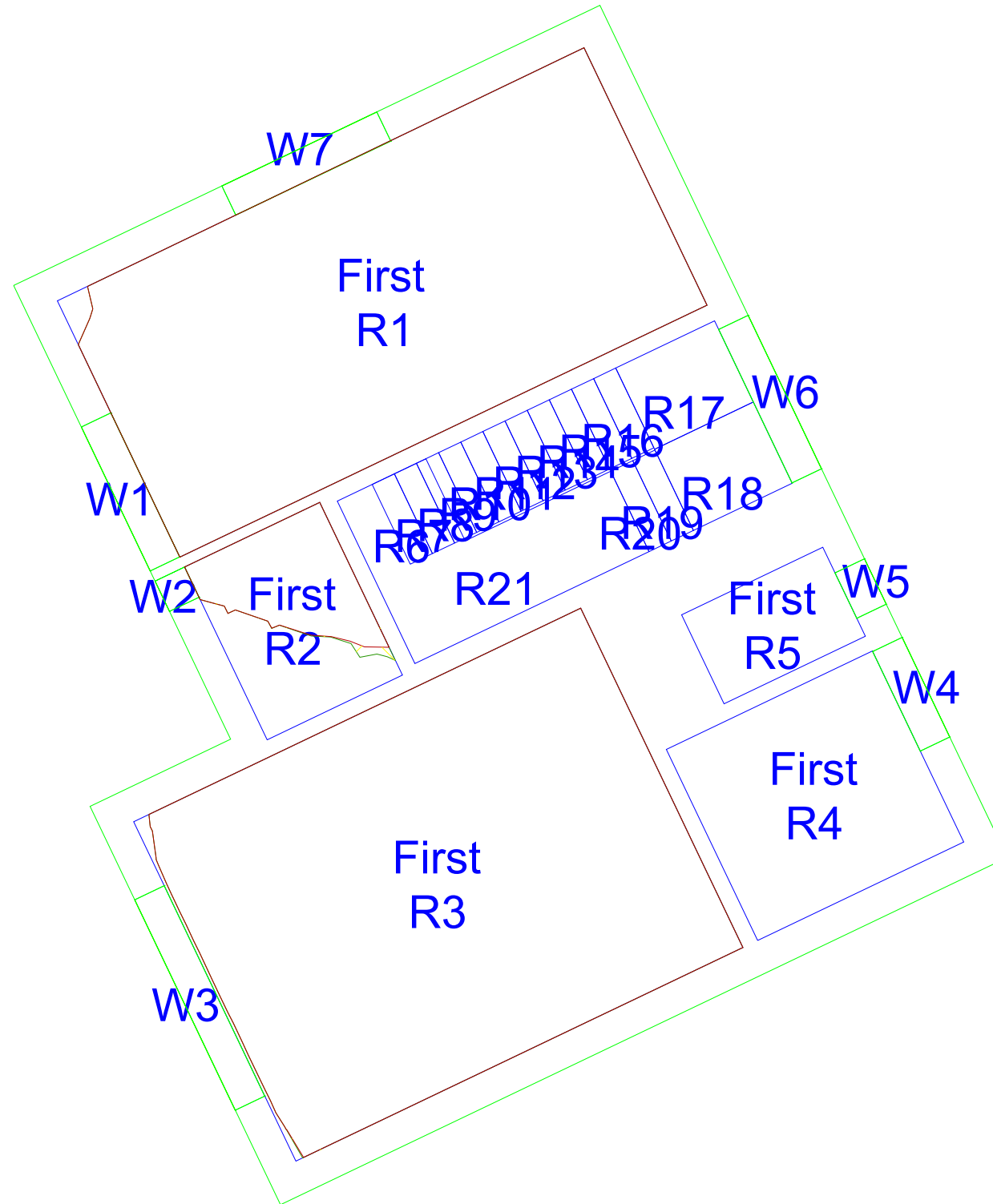
# Daylight Distribution Contour drawings







DD\_001 Ground Floor  
**Contour Plan** The Cottage



DD\_002 First Floor  
**Contour Plan** The Cottage

**Source Data**

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**Existing Building:**  
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**Proposed Scheme:**  
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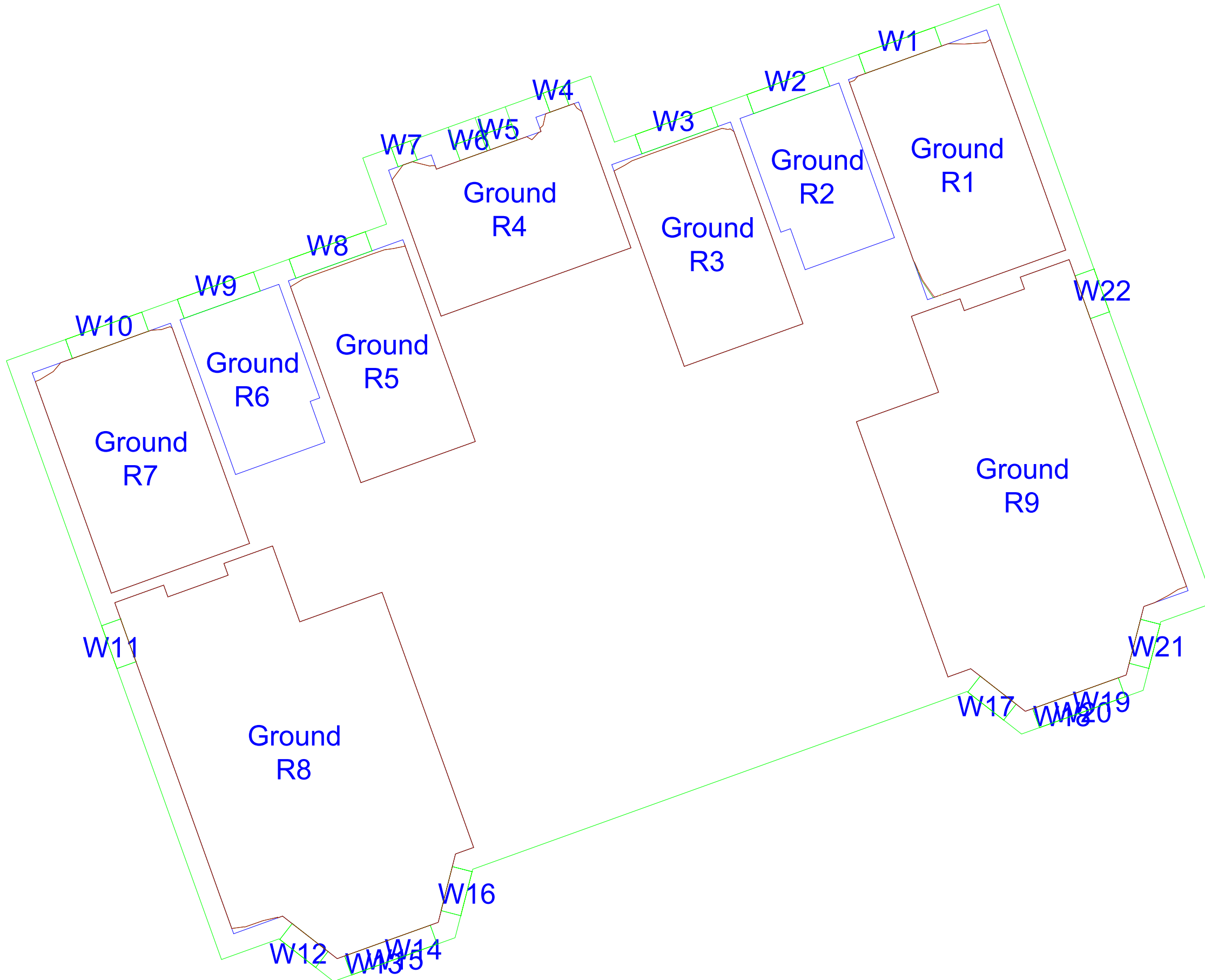
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DD\_003 Ground Floor  
 Contour Plan 1 to 6 Belmont Close

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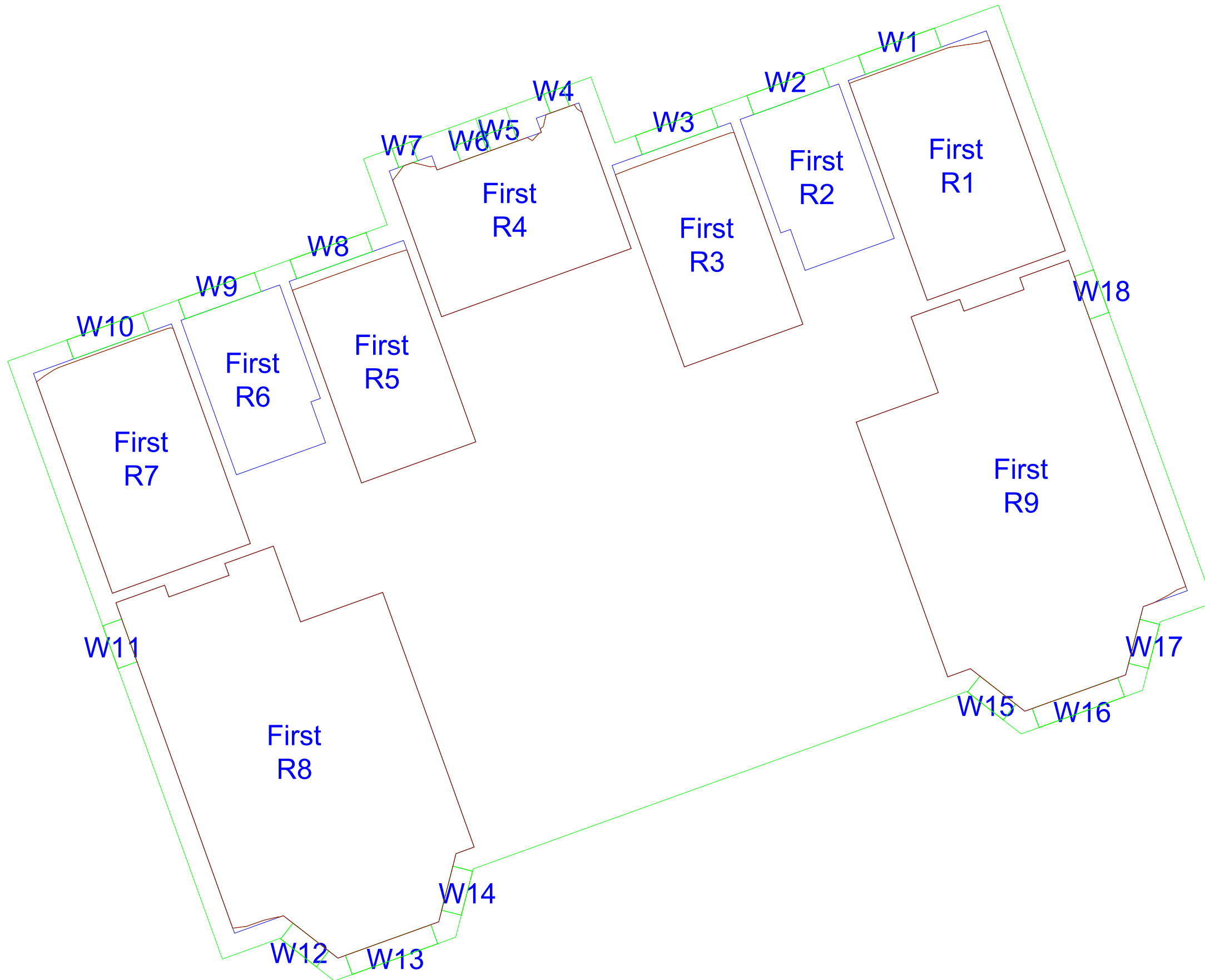
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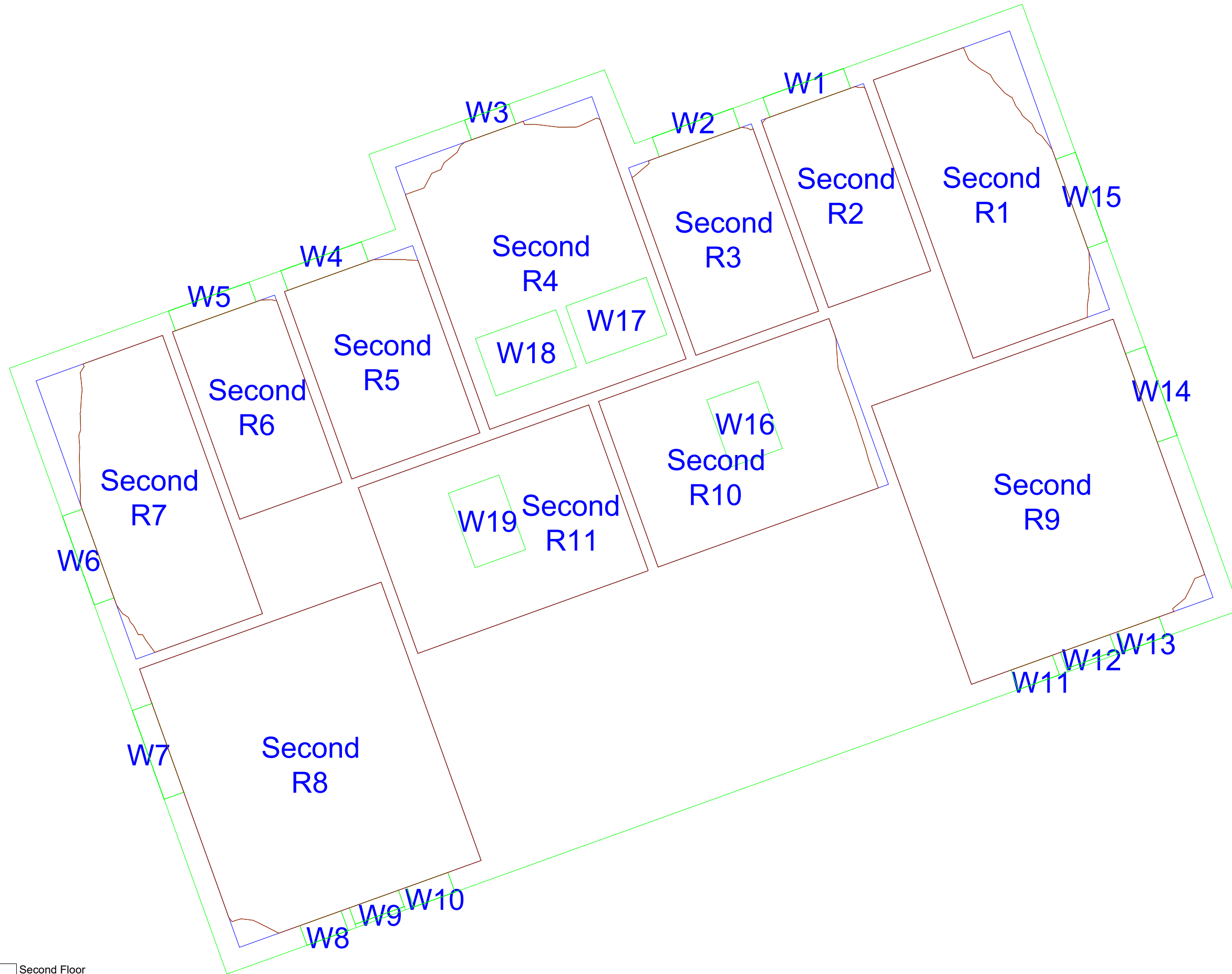
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DD\_005 Second Floor  
 Contour Plan 1 to 6 Belmont Close

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**Existing Building:**  
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**Proposed Scheme:**  
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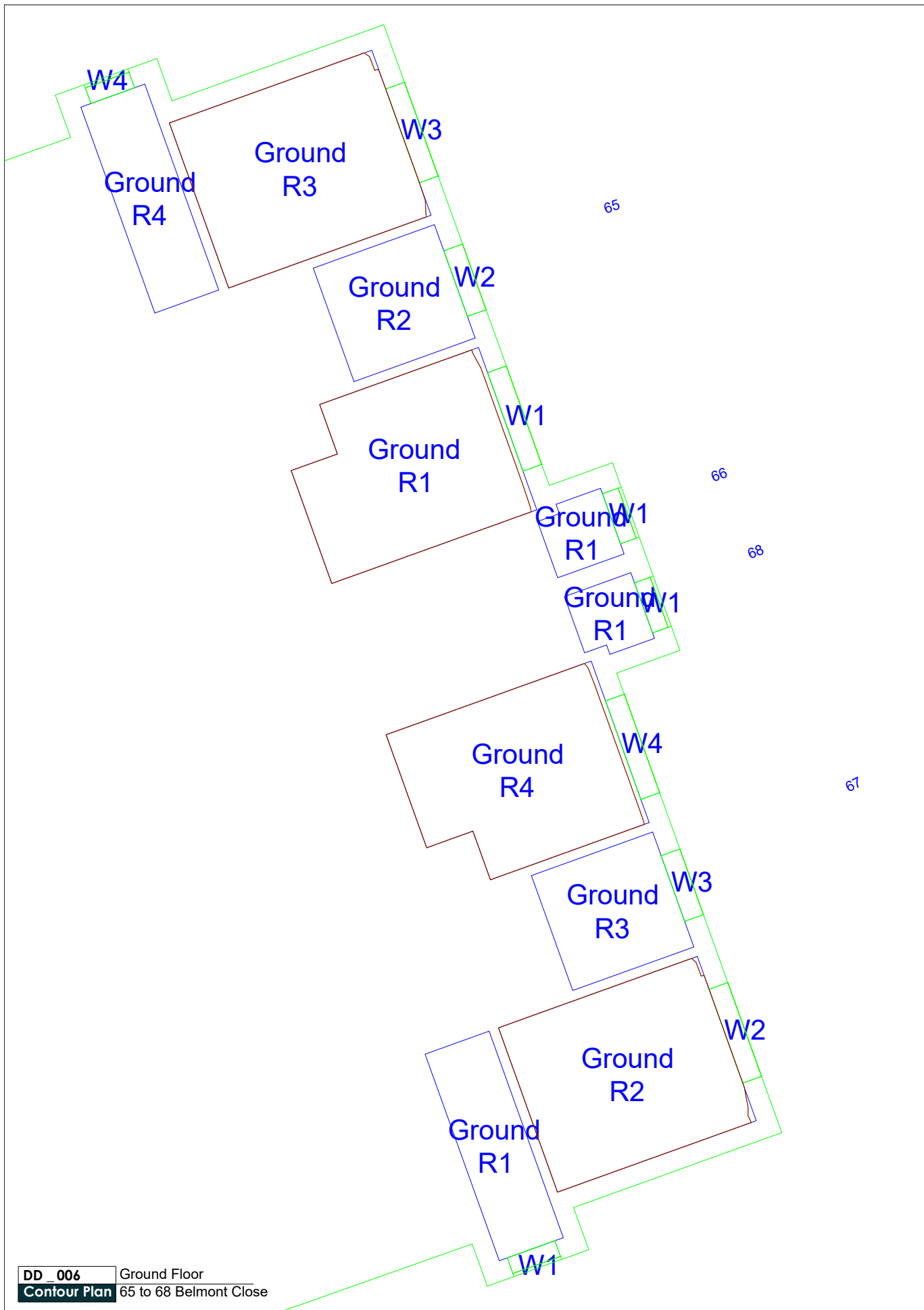
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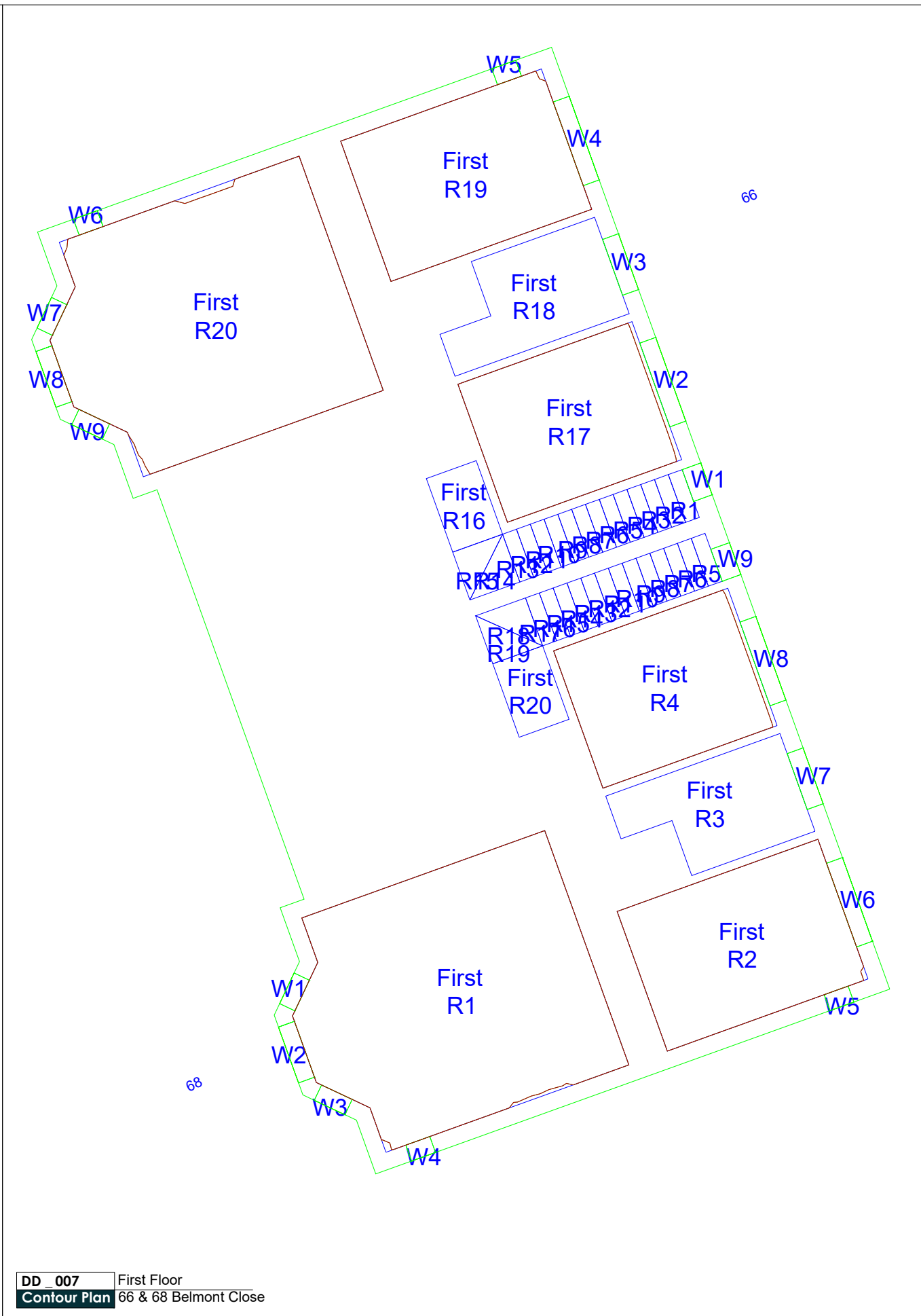
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DD\_006 Ground Floor  
Contour Plan 65 to 68 Belmont Close



DD\_007 First Floor  
Contour Plan 66 & 68 Belmont Close

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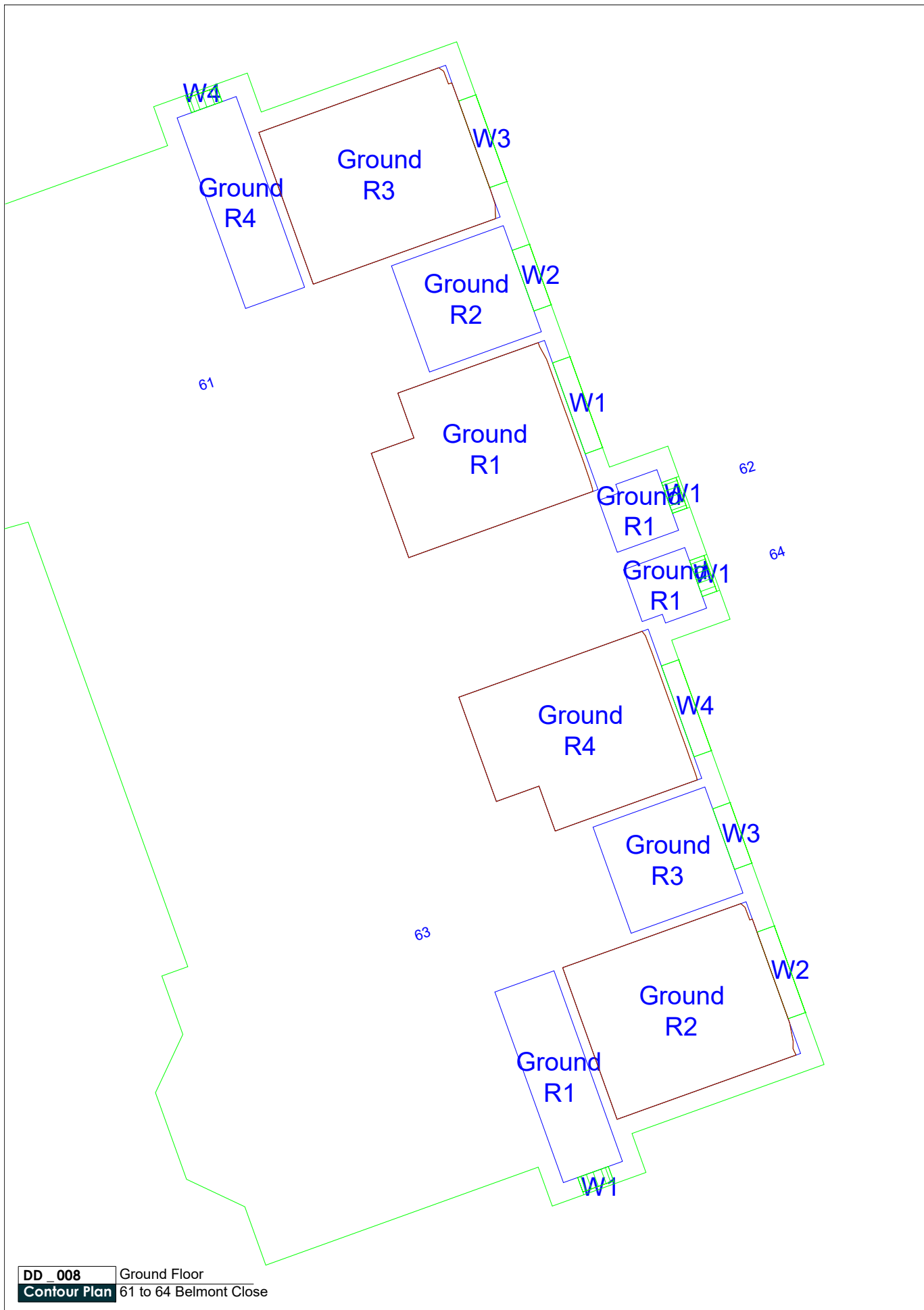
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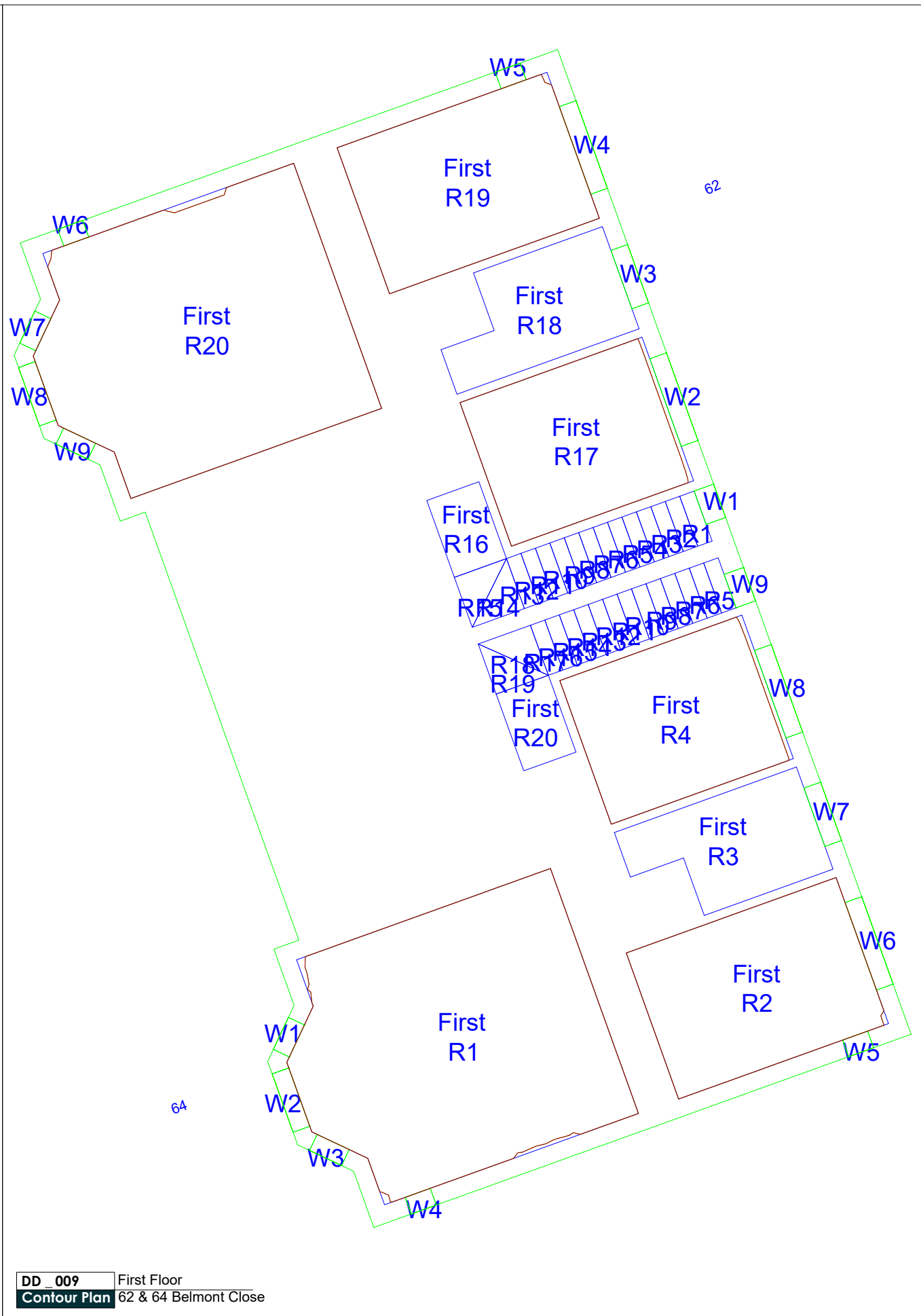
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DD\_008 Ground Floor  
Contour Plan 61 to 64 Belmont Close



DD\_009 First Floor  
Contour Plan 62 & 64 Belmont Close

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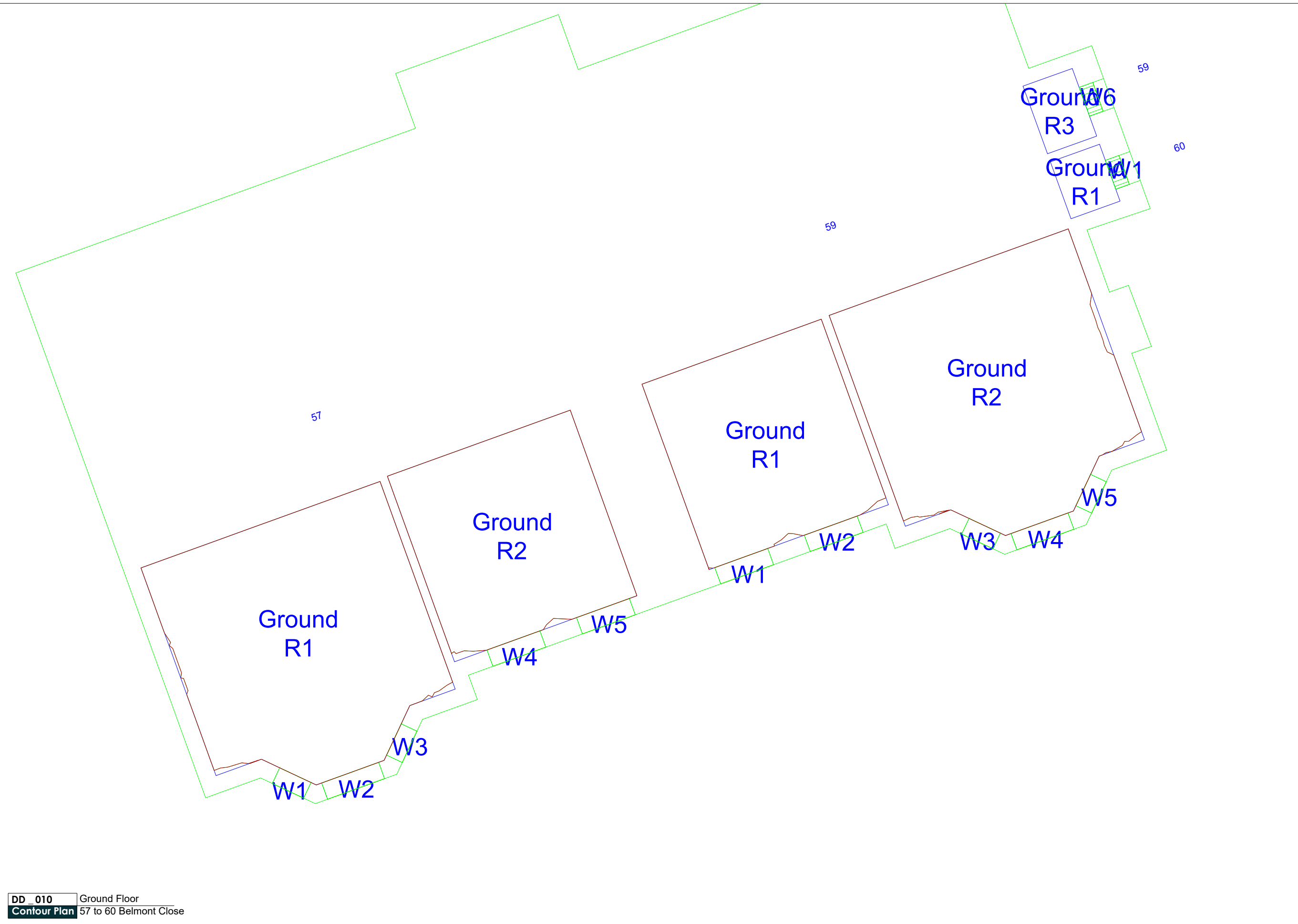
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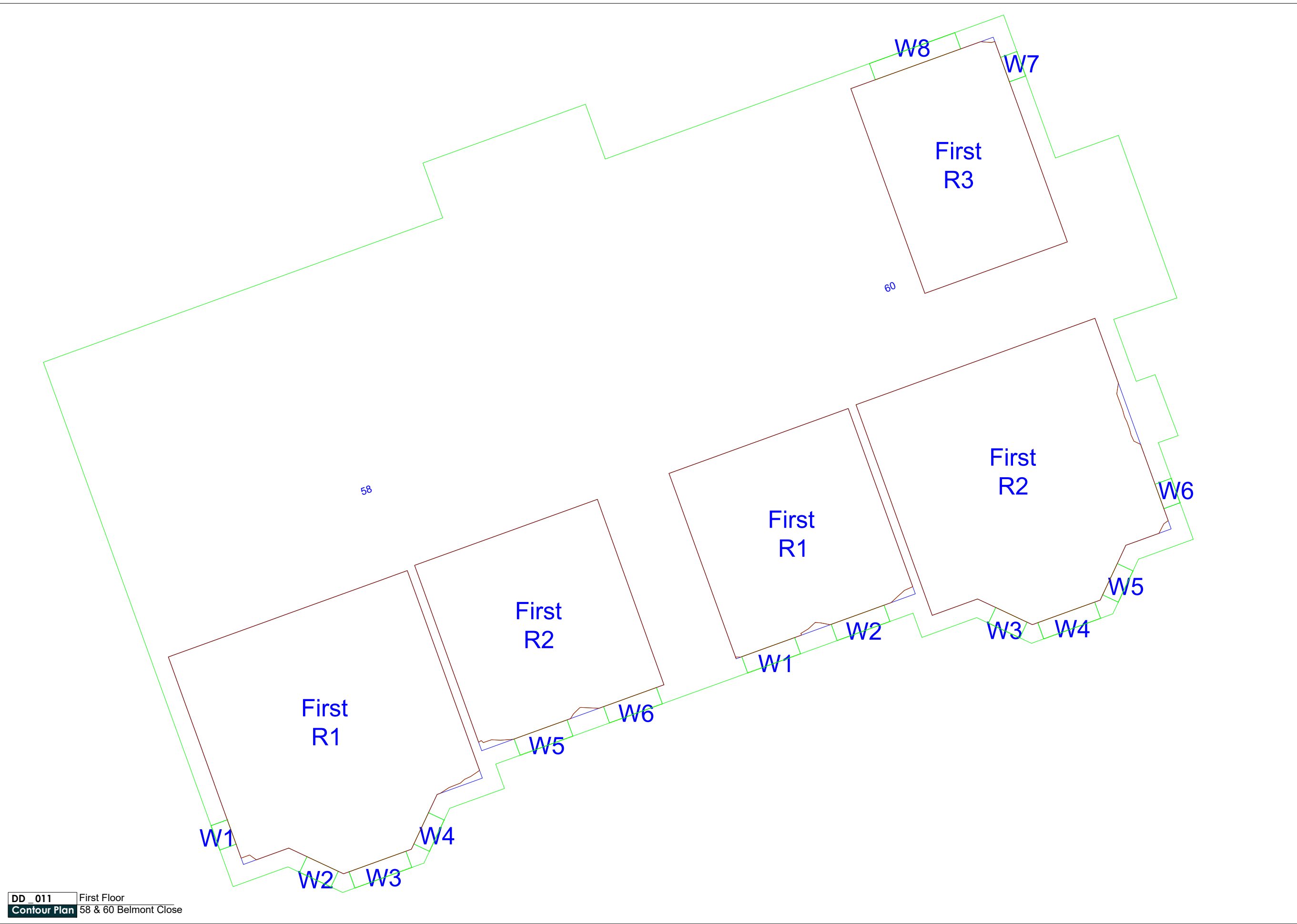
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DD\_011 First Floor  
 Contour Plan 58 & 60 Belmont Close

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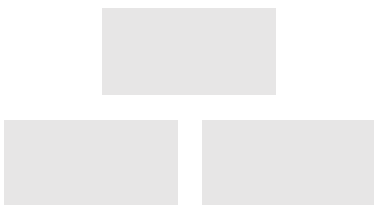
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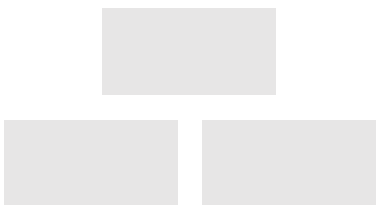
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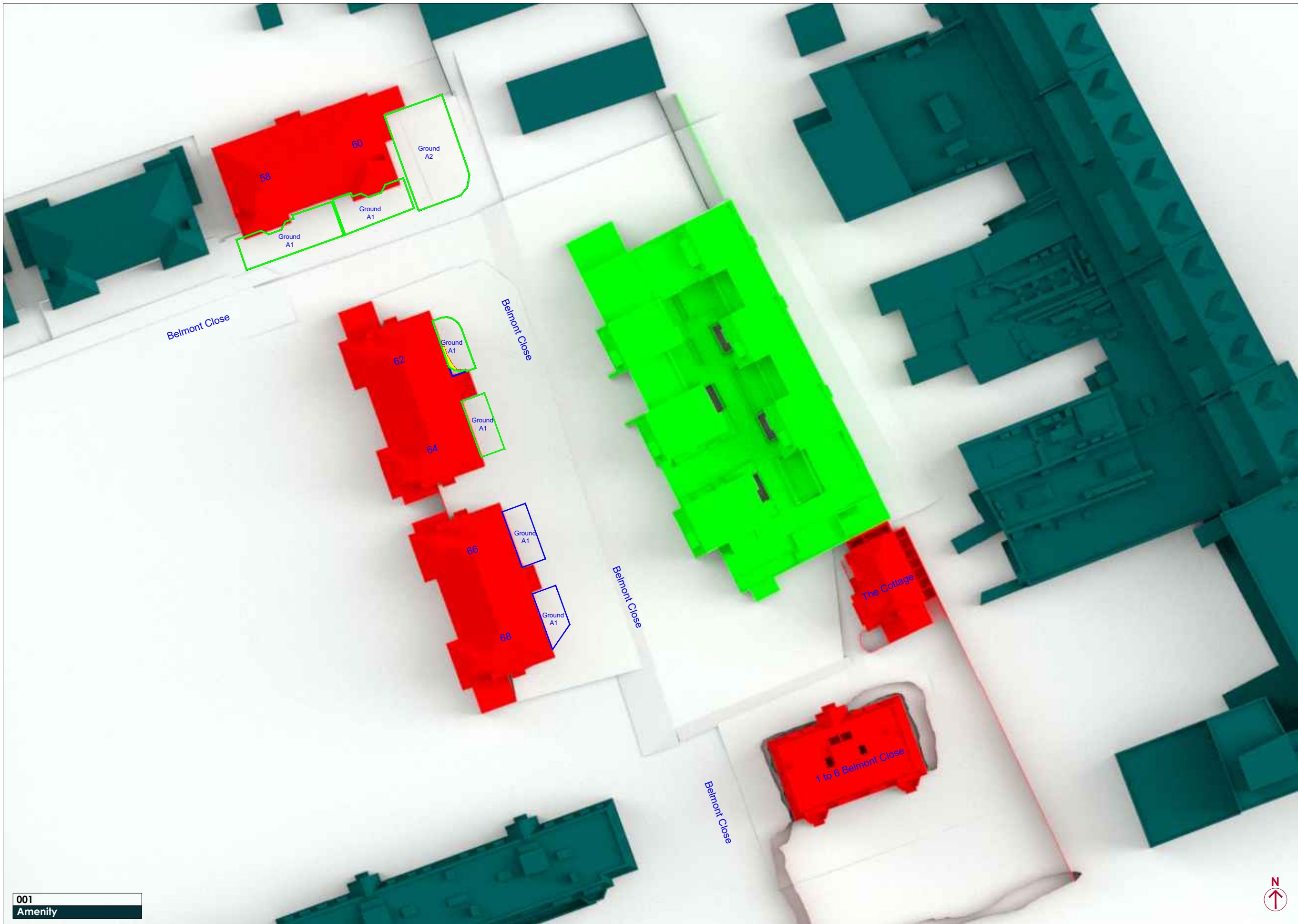


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Floor Ref	Amenity Ref		Amenity Area	Lit Area Existing	Lit Area Proposed	Pr/Ex	Meets BRE Criteria
<b>63 Belmont Close</b>							
Ground	A1	Area m2	20.78	20.68	20.68	1.00	YES
		Percentage		100%	100%		
<b>61 Belmont Close</b>							
Ground	A1	Area m2	19.80	18.87	17.88	0.95	YES
		Percentage		95%	90%		
<b>57 Belmont Close</b>							
Ground	A1	Area m2	47.62	47.46	47.46	1.00	YES
		Percentage		100%	100%		
<b>59 Belmont Close</b>							
Ground	A1	Area m2	33.71	33.57	33.57	1.00	YES
		Percentage		100%	100%		
Ground	A2	Area m2	85.84	85.65	85.65	1.00	YES
		Percentage		100%	100%		

# 2hr Sunlight to Amenity Drawings





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**Key**

- - Amenity Area
- - Loss/Gain LitArea
- - Existing area of ≥ 2hrs of direct sunlight on 21st March
- - Proposed area of ≥ 2hrs of direct sunlight on 21st March
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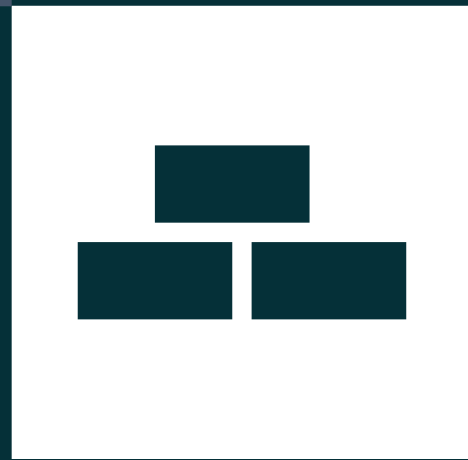
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