

LEARNING BY DOING: Youth Education Center

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

Initiative: Community Center and Flexible Spaces that are grounded in activities that are well rounded/ based off community interest.

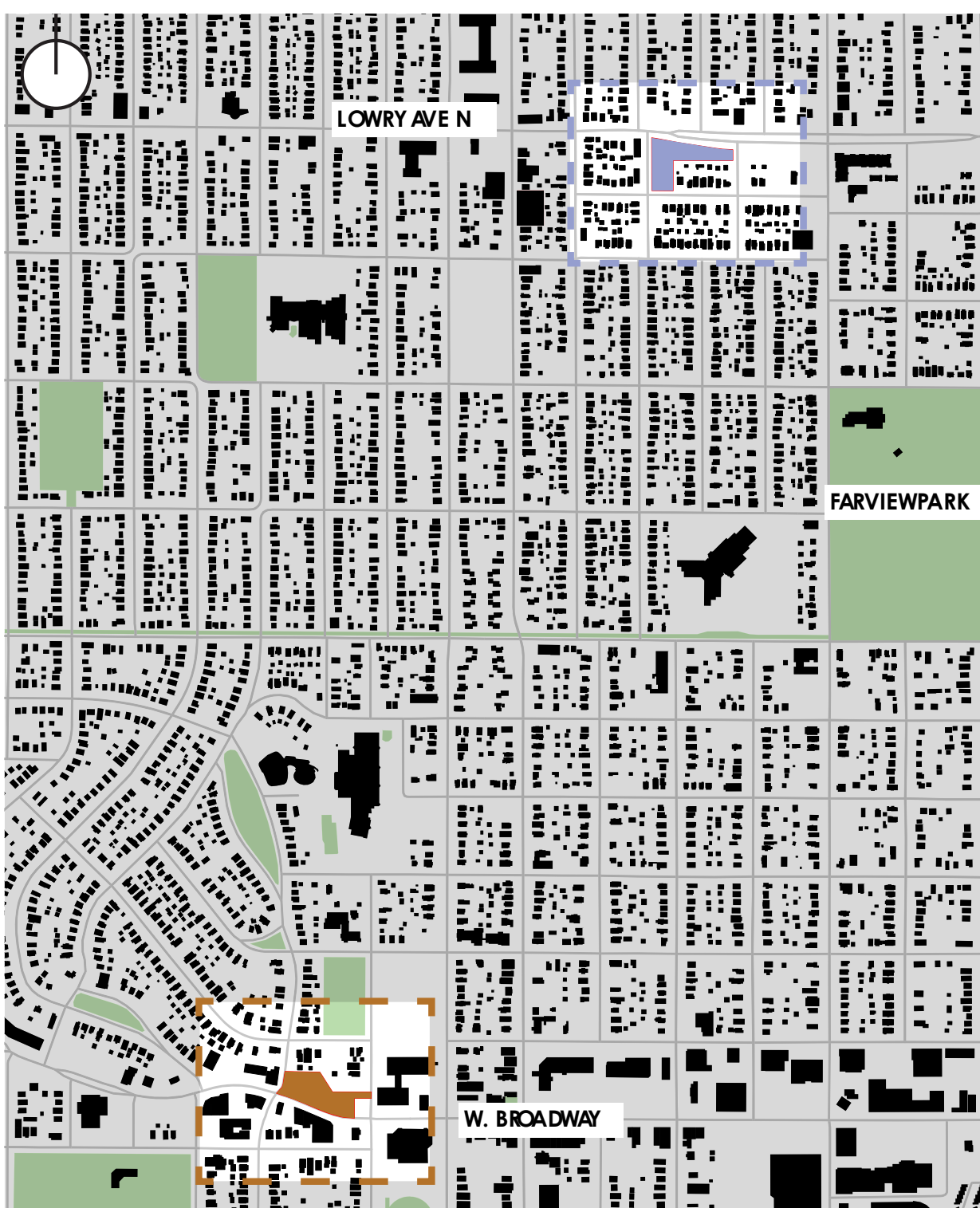
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PROJECT GOALS

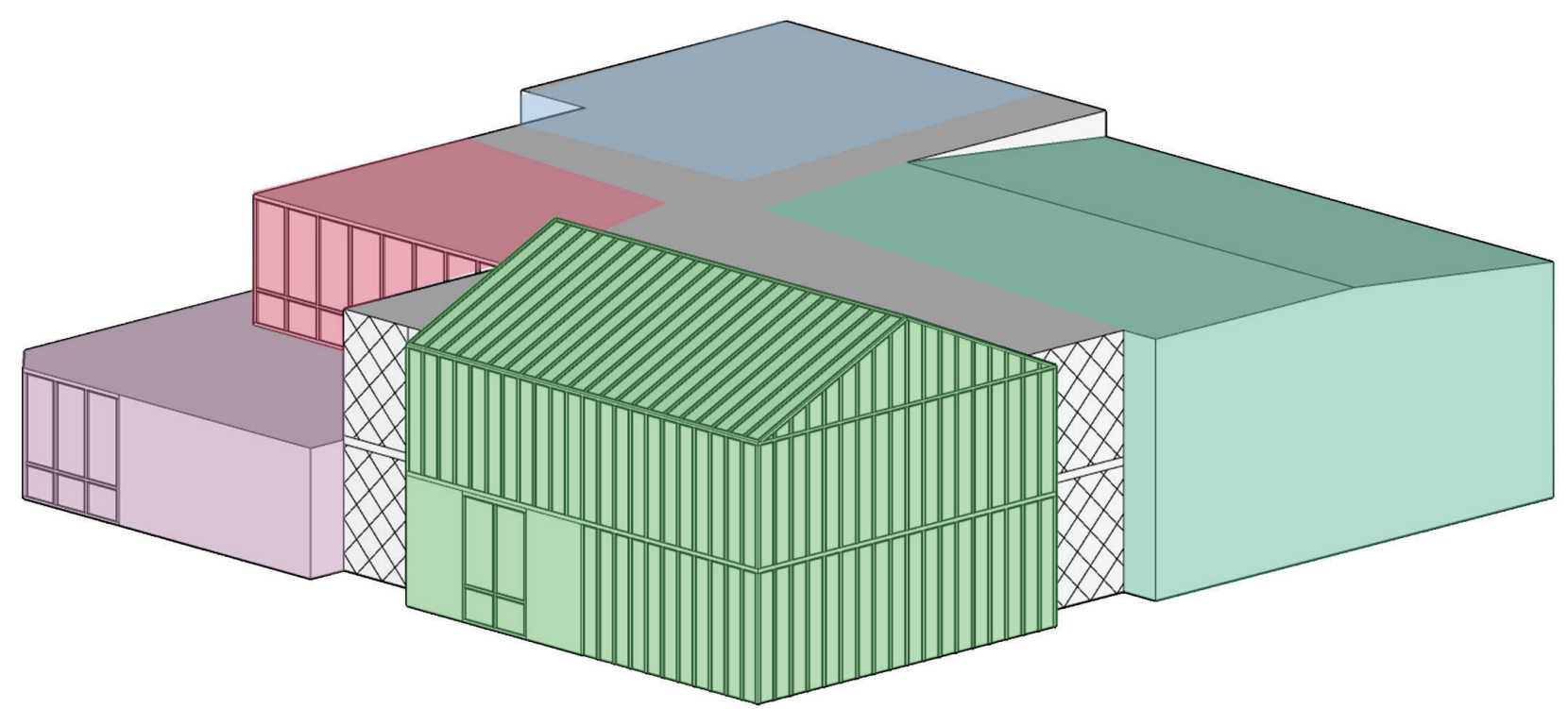
This proposal supports active learning, where young people develop skills not necessarily taught in school by engaging with different forms of work. The Learning by Doing Youth Education Center proposal provides learning space near both the Hawthorne and McKinley neighborhoods that are publicly driven and directed. The center offers both organized activities with a focus on skill development, and flexible spaces where the community members can share their knowledge. Profits from this organization would benefit community members and instructors dedicating

their time in the space.

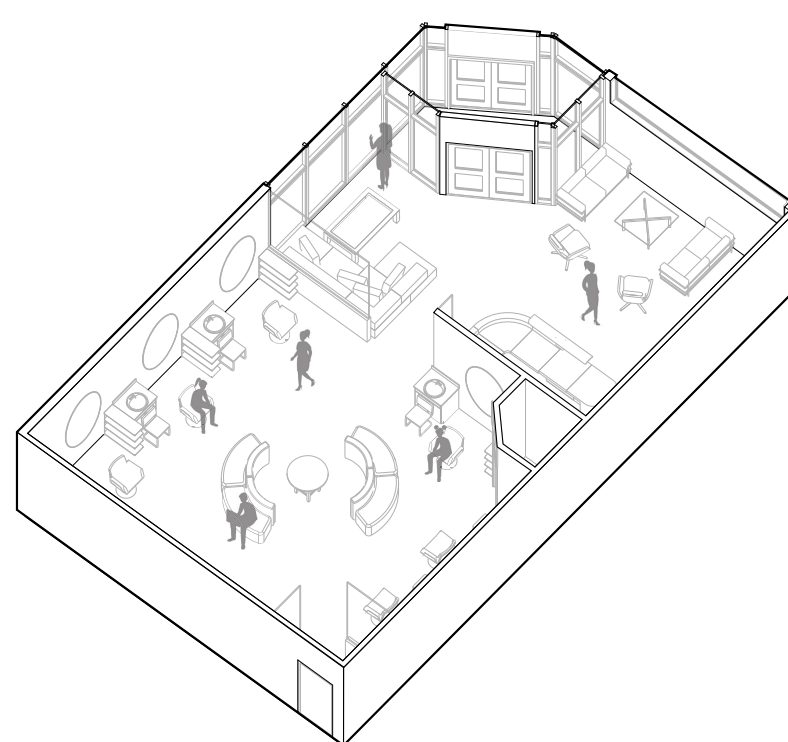
The building provides dedicated areas to develop such day-to-day skills as gardening and cooking as well as advanced skills in hair and other styling, and a place for performance. Green space stitched between this programming allows classrooms to have direct access to growing space; the kitchen's location is in direct proximity to the learning kitchen and fresh ingredients; performers and other occupants can take breaks near vegetation, and walk through hydroponic areas that are full of plants, etc.



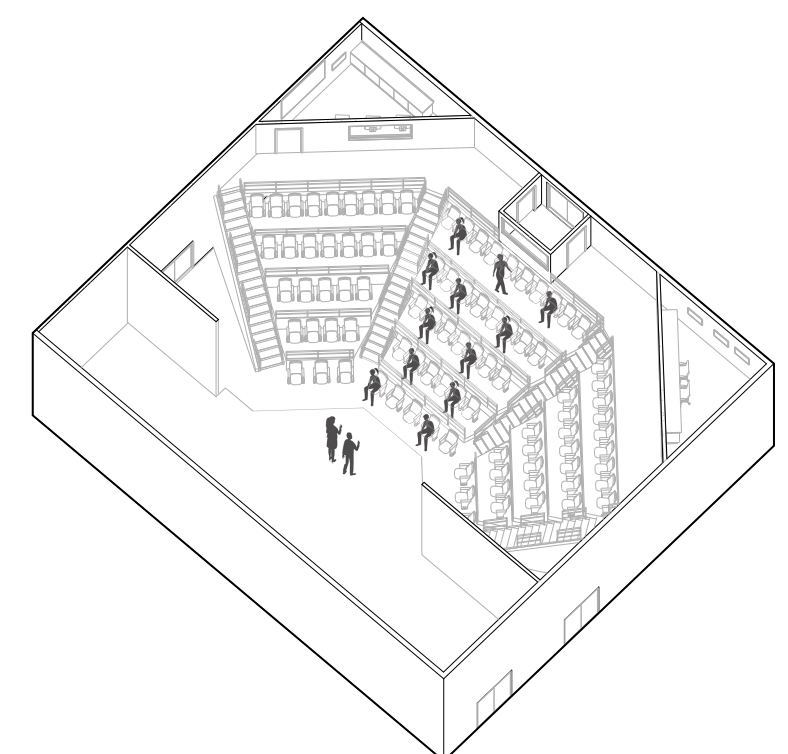
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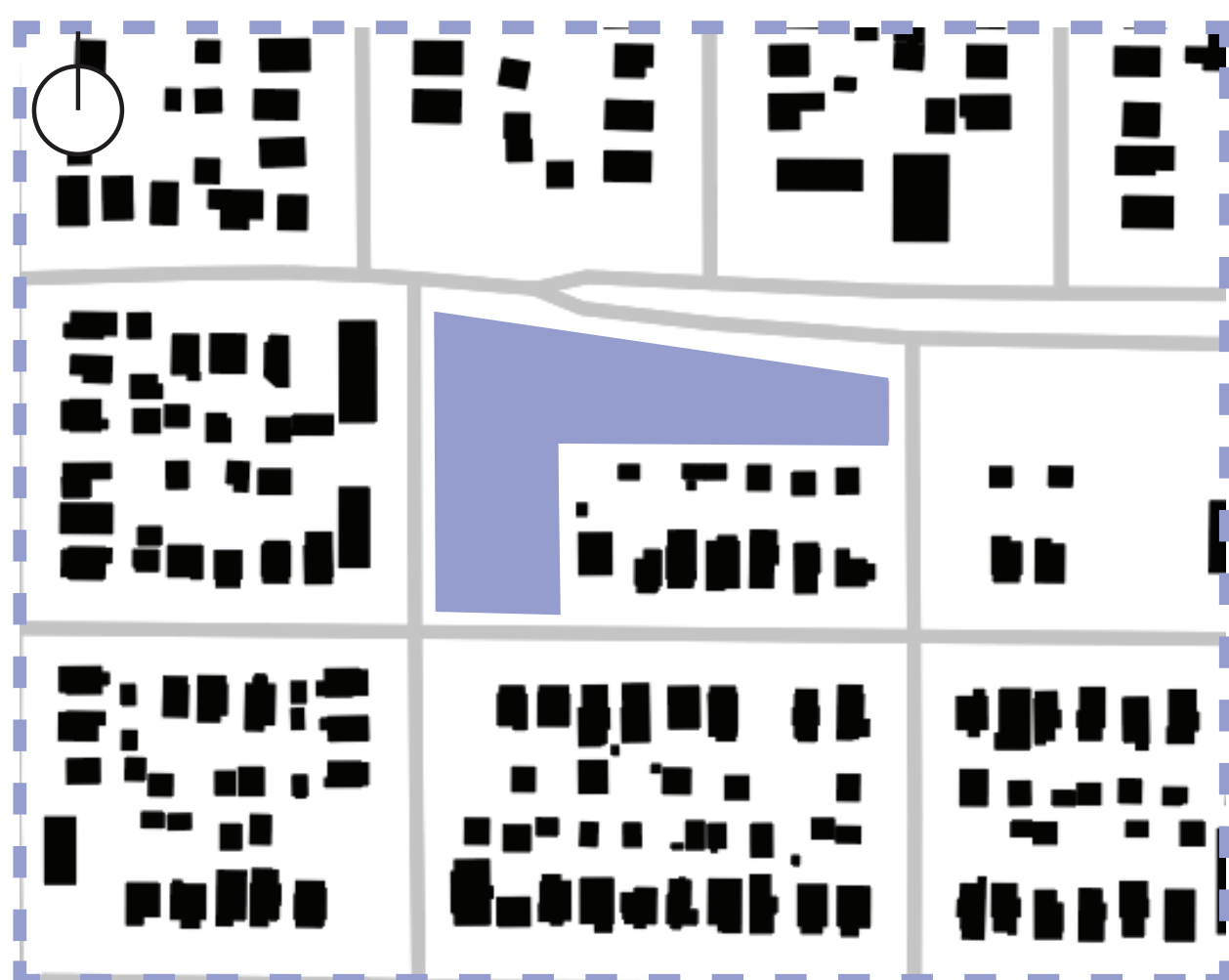
BUILDING DIAGRAM SHOWING FORM AND PROGRAM



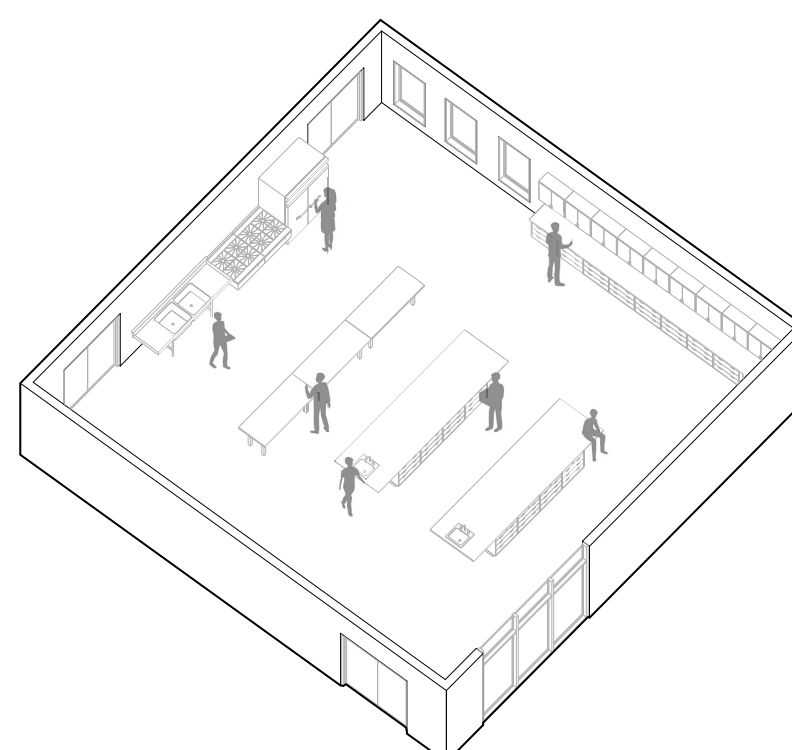
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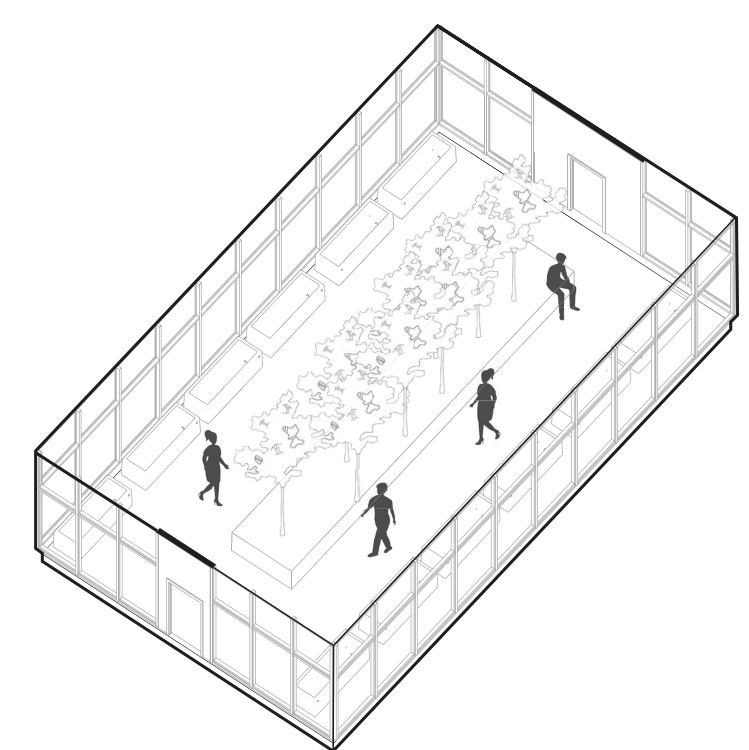
LAYOUT OF THEATER



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LAYOUT OF KITCHEN



LAYOUT OF GREENHOUSE