

Location: Riverworks

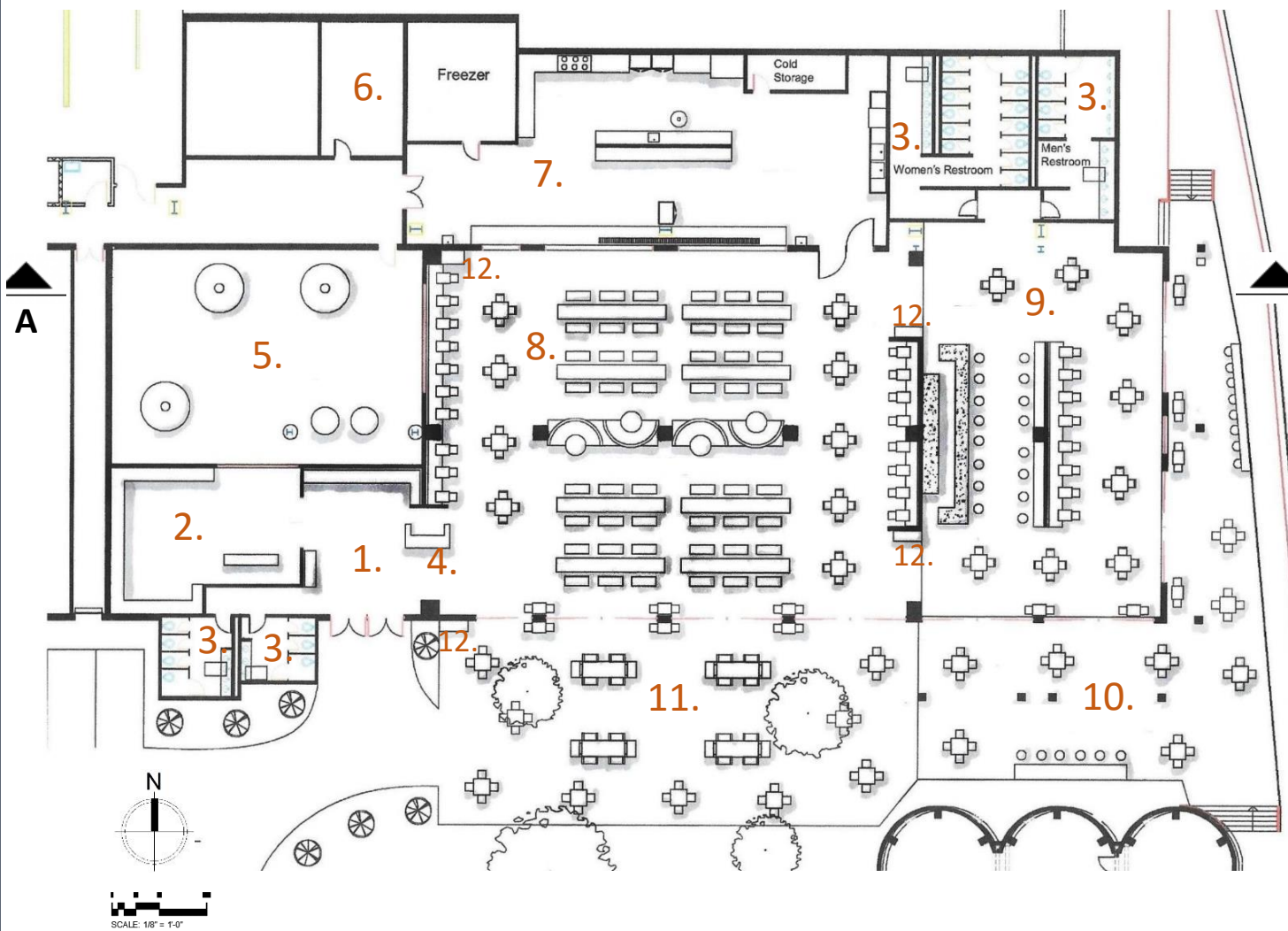
The City's newest premier waterfront, boating, sports, music, and entertainment destination located along the banks of the Buffalo River.



Project Statement: Gemutlichkeit (Translation: Comfort)

Riverworks meets the traditional Biergarten, a Bavarian invention developed in the mid-19th century that has become a fixture of German beer culture throughout the entire country. A Biergarten, by definition, is an outdoor area in which beer and local food are served. According to German standards, the most important characteristic of a Biergarten is that it promotes a feeling of warmth, friendliness, and belonging. The design for the Restaurant focuses on the authenticity, craft and heritage of the Biergarten. Traditional elements are given an updated look paired with a blend of textural woods, fabrics, and metal frame work resulting in a warm, urban space. A neutral palette accented with rich, vibrant blues adds a calm and comfortable feel while emulating the colors of the Bavarian flag.

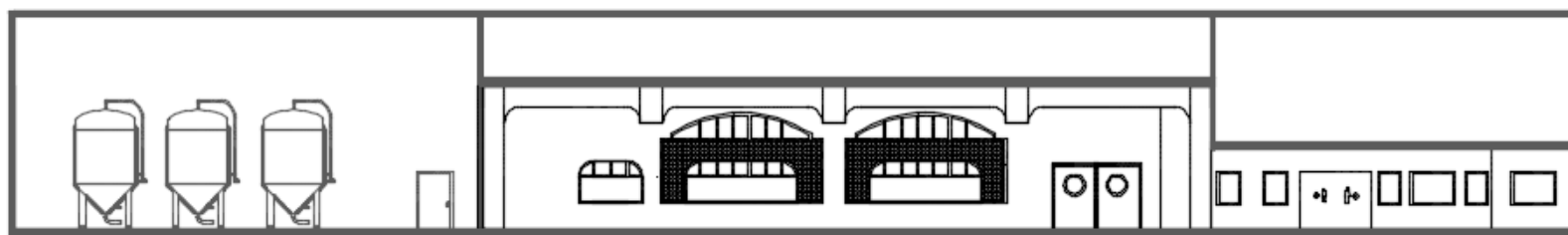
Floor Plan



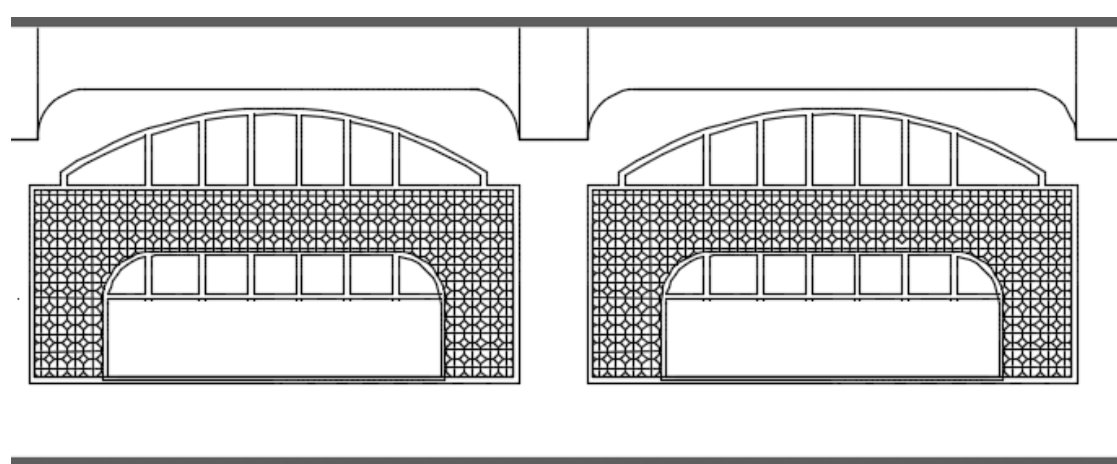
Inspiration Images:



| Key | |
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| 1. | Entrance |
| 2. | The Shop |
| 3. | Restrooms |
| 4. | Reception |
| 5. | Brewery |
| 6. | Office |
| 7. | Kitchen |
| 8. | Main Dining Hall |
| 9. | Bar |
| 10. | Outdoor Deck Seating |
| 11. | Outdoor Biergarten |
| 12. | Service Stations |



Section A

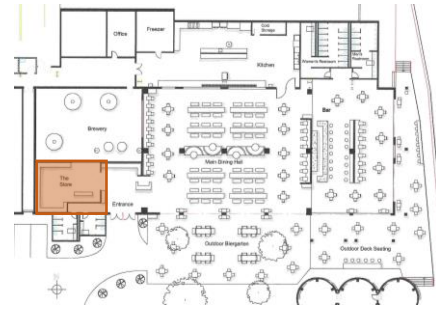


Large pass-through windows with sculptural steel framing link the kitchen to the Dining Hall, giving customers a view into the kitchen while still providing separation and privacy.



Bavarian Biergarten

Restaurant Design (Gemutlichkeit)



Chestnut-Timber Framing



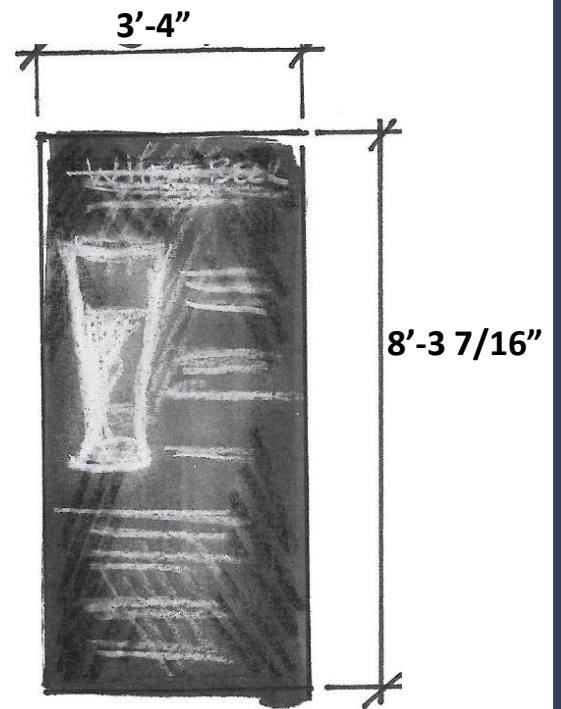
The Shop

Located at the front of the restaurant is **The Shop**, housing an impressive collection of chilled beers to enjoy as well as traditional German mugs and steins. Shelves displaying the products are designed to resemble the timber framing seen on old Bavarian houses.



Elevation: The Shop

Large black posters display information about the history and flavors of the German beers brewed in the Restaurant.



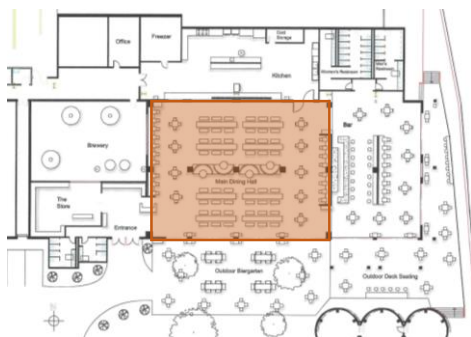
The **Main Dining Hall** conveys the feeling of comfort and friendliness reinforced by the long 14' shared tables. Large timber frames and columns gives the space a warm and rustic feel.



Concrete flooring



Candelaria Chandelier



Main Dining Hall

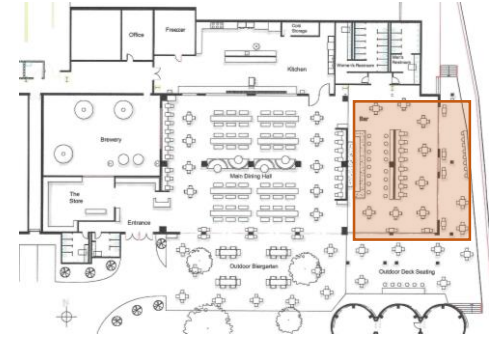
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Bar

Further into the space is the **Bar**. Here the ceiling is lowered to 10', creating a more intimate seating alternative. Hardwood flows through the space both in the flooring and ceiling and continues out onto the deck, connecting guests with the outdoors and views of the water front.



Reclaimed Antique Oak-Flooring



Chip Barstool



Indoor/Outdoor Steel Barstool in Black Coat Finish



Water Front Seating

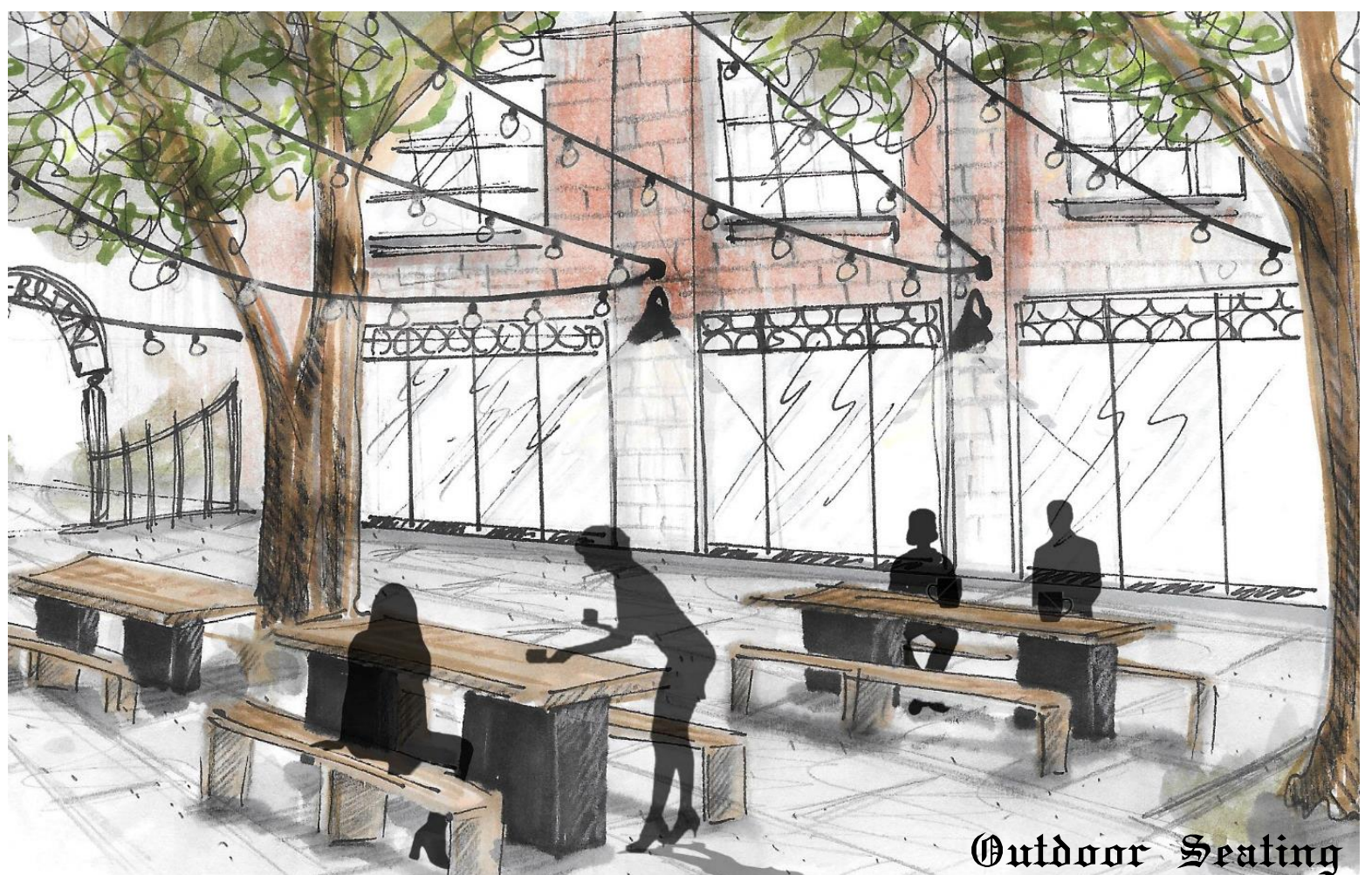
The **outdoor seating** area provides guests with the opportunity to enjoy their meals outside in an authentic Biergarten setting. Large glass doors make up most of the walls of the restaurant, allowing a free flow of space from interior to exterior while large trees surround the garden providing shade.



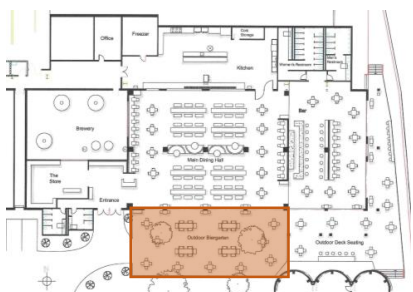
Outdoor String Light



Chestnut-Table tops



Outdoor Seating



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