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## **BUCHANAN MEMBER CENTER**

Exterior Facade Review 128 Main Street, Buchanan, MI





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#### 128 MAIN STREET - A HISTORY



Built in 1963, this one-story concrete building with brick facade has remained as constructed except for an extended drive-through canopy that was added in 1971. The original property was owned by Wagon Works until Inter-City Bank purchased it in January of 1962 to build a "modern bank building" - the building it is today. The building has changed hands between various banks ever since including Shoreline Bank, Chemical Bank and now Honor Credit Union.

The building's architecture pays homage to Philip Johnson and Mies Van Der Rohe's International Style which reached peak popularity in the United States in the mid- 20th century - featuring its strong horizontal emphasis, low-pitched roof, large spans of glazing, and simplistic rectilinear form with minimal ornamentation. The interior is full of natural daylighting with full-height aluminum and glass curtain walls on the north and south side of the building. This building also features a unique, decorative cut-out metal column supporting the northwest corner street entrance, which will remain as is.

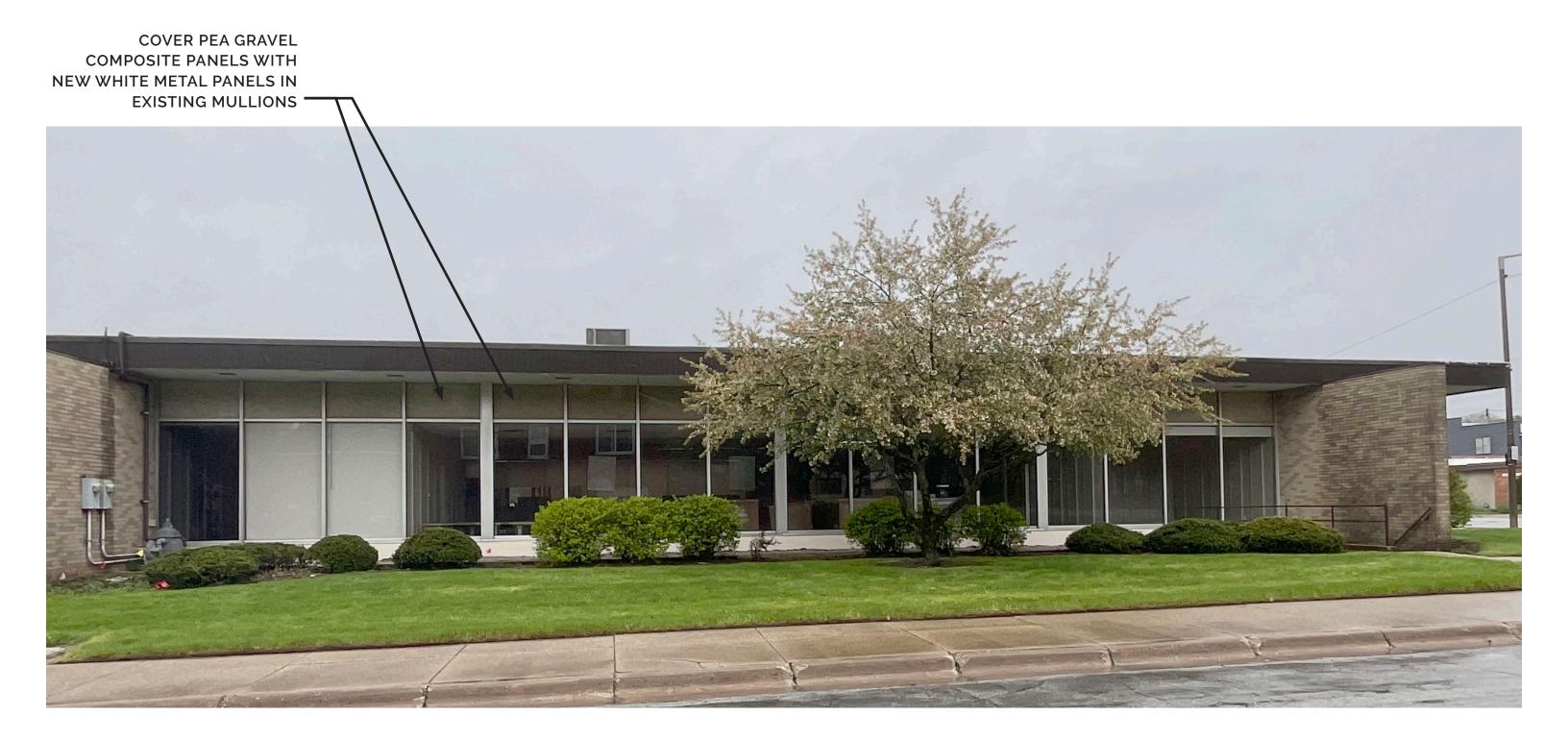
Our goal is to substantially maintain the orignal exterior design and finishes, with a few minor additions to cover materials that are in poor condition or were poorly matched during previous renovations.

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### EXISTING EXTERIOR: NORTH SIDE



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#### EXISTING EXTERIOR: WEST SIDE



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#### EXISTING EXTERIOR: EAST/SOUTH SIDE

**DEMOLISH EXISTING CANOPY & PROVIDE** NEW IN SIMILAR STYLE

COVER PEA GRAVEL **COMPOSITE PANELS WITH** NEW WHITE METAL PANELS IN **EXISTING MULLIONS** 



#### EAST SIDE

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#### SOUTH SIDE

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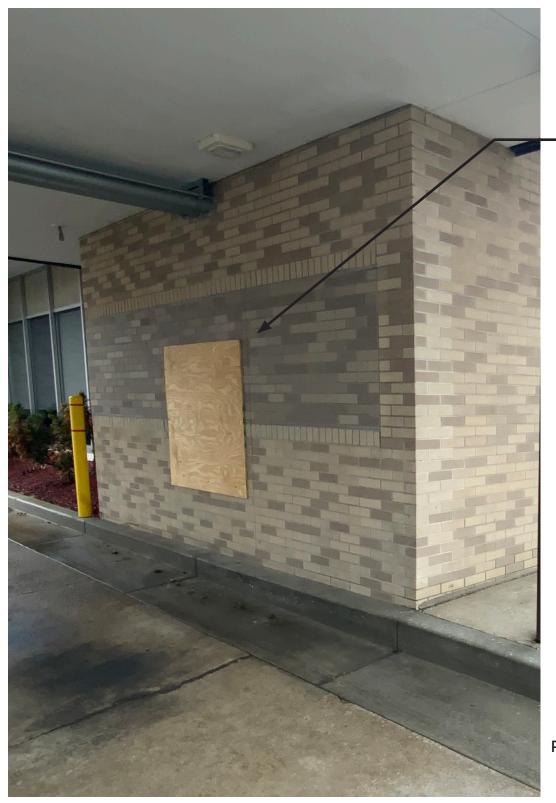
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PAINT SOFFIT FACE & UNDERSIDE, NEW RECESSED LED SOFFIT LIGHTING

#### DEMOLISH EXISTING CANOPY & PROVIDE NEW IN SIMILAR STYLE

#### EXISTING EXTERIOR: DETAILS



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GRAVEL COMPOSITE PANELS IN POOR CONDITION, COVER WITH WHITE METAL PANELS

REUSE OF EXISTING NIGHT DROP OR INSTALLING NEW, ANODIZED COPPER PANELS TO COVER ANY INFILL





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#### PROPOSED DESIGN



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HONOR BUCHANAN BUCHANAN, MI NEW CANOPY METAL

FASCIA, GRAY

COPPER METAL PANEL

WHITE METAL PANEL WITH JOINTS AT WINDOW FRAME

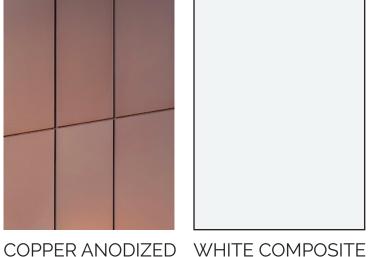
EXISTING METAL FASCIA PAINTED TO MATCH NEW GRAY METAL FASCIA



#### **PROPOSED EXTERIOR: MATERIALS**

PANELS







CHARCOAL GRAY PAINTED FASCIA

**EXISTING BRICK** 

The proposed design for the exterior improvement remains rooted in the 1960's design while giving it a breath of fresh air. The use of copper anodized metal panels adds vertical movement and interest while still maintaining its strong, horizontal emphasis. The new copper panels also accentuates the existing decorative metal column while adding color and texture. New white composite panels will also be added to juxtapose the existing brick and create a brighter, cleaner facade.

The new canopy keeps the integrity of the stacked style of the existing one, but is raised above the main building instead of connected with it. This emphasizes the original structure and provides a very practical structural solution.

#### MATERIALS

METAL PANELS





#### PAST INSTALLATION - BERRIEN SPRINGS, MI

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#### EXTERIOR SIGNAGE

Exterior SIgnage from existing Honor Branch location shall be salvaged and reused in new location. A new pylon sign may be installed at the location of previous owner's pylon sign at corner of Main & Dewey.



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Location of existing signage to be

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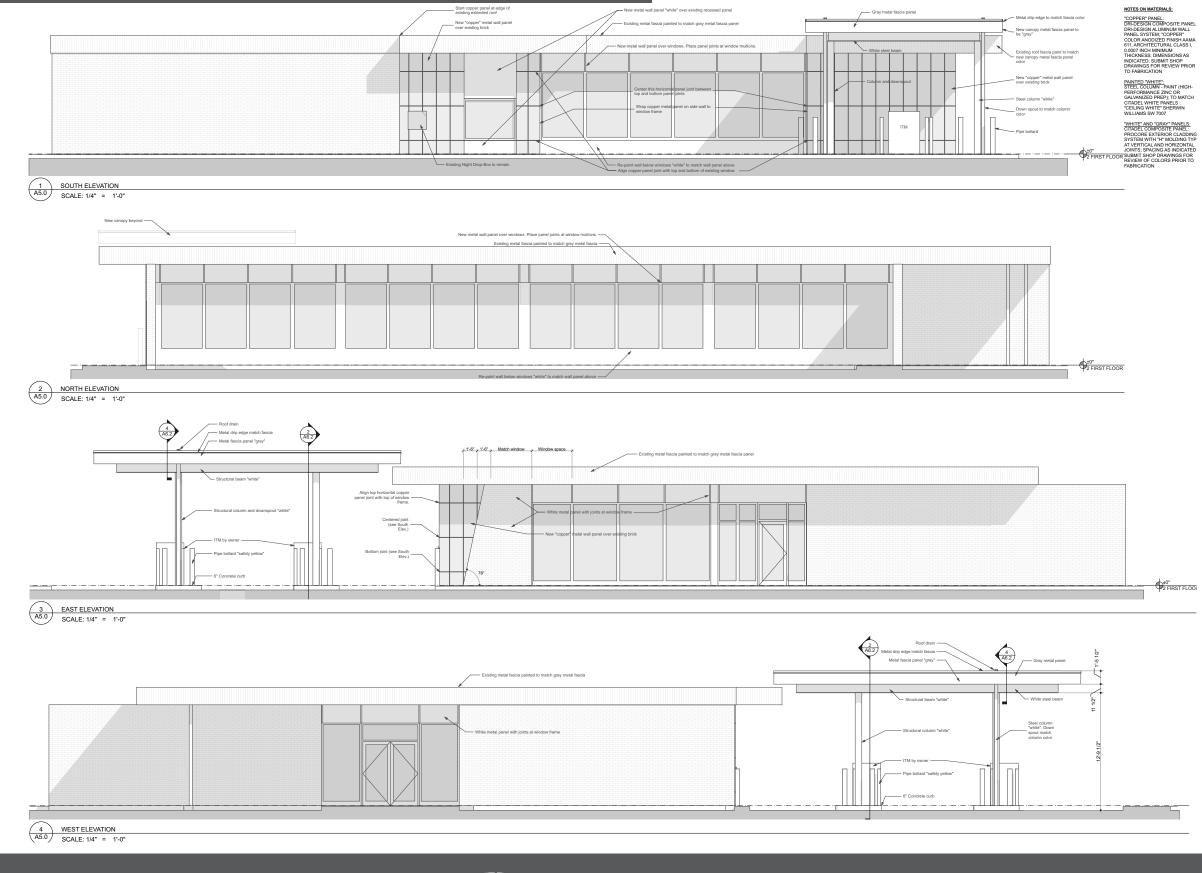


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Location of existing signage to be re-used

#### EXTERIOR ELEVATIONS



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