Golden Deer Restaurant

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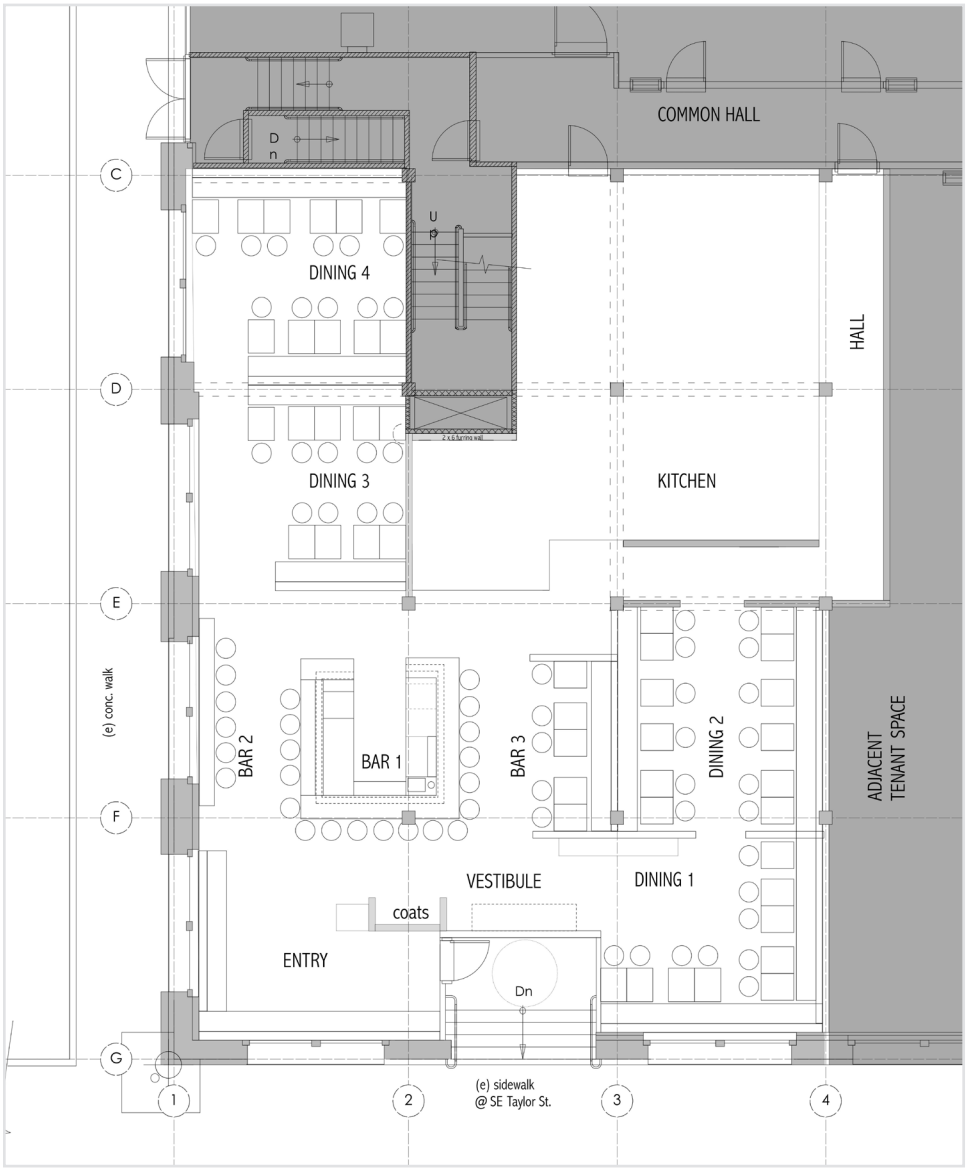

This modern, Korean inspired restaurant is located in a corner tenant space on the main level of a mixed-use building in Portland's Central East side. Originally an industrial warehouse, this broad and lofty space needed to be carefully broken up in order to serve different groups of clientele and to lend the restaurant a subtly Asian sensibility. Paying special attention to lighting, acoustics, and traffic flow, the space is partitioned into three distinct sections: a bar and waiting area, a restaurant dining area, and a functional service area that includes an oyster shucking bar and fish preparation area, as well as a wood fired grill and hearth. Natural light was a quality missing from this cavernous space.

Building type: Commercial
Project type: Feasibility Study for Restaurant T.I.
Project scope: Full contract
Client: Private
Size: 3,000 sq ft
Cost: est $425,000
Study Completed: 2014

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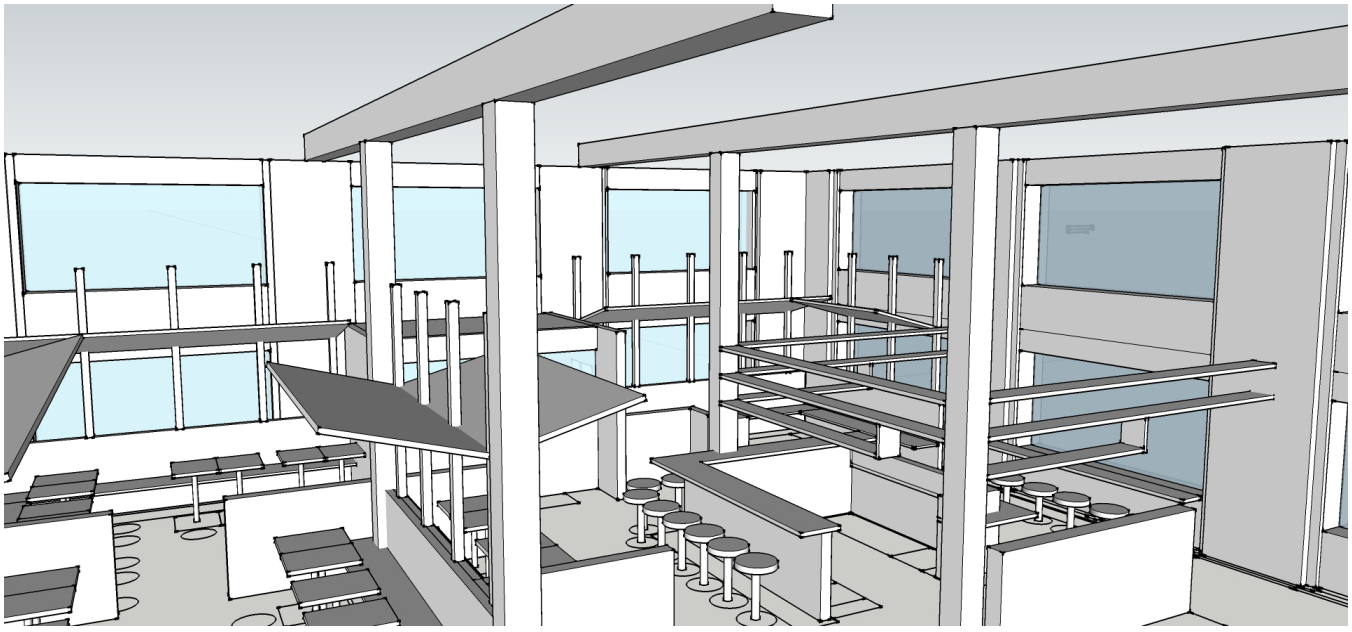
Section of building for proposed renovations and future restaurant.