# PLANNING APPLICATION

PROPOSED ALTERATIONS TO WESTRA COTTAGE DINAS POWYS CF64 4HA

SEPTEMBER 2016



AERIAL IMAGE OF WESTRA COTTAGE

## LOCATION

Westra Cottage is situated on the Westra, which is located toward the outskirts of the village of Dinas Powys in the Vale of Glamorgan. Its nearest town is the seaside town of Penarth and Barry. Cardiff is approximately 5 miles from the village which has good transport links.

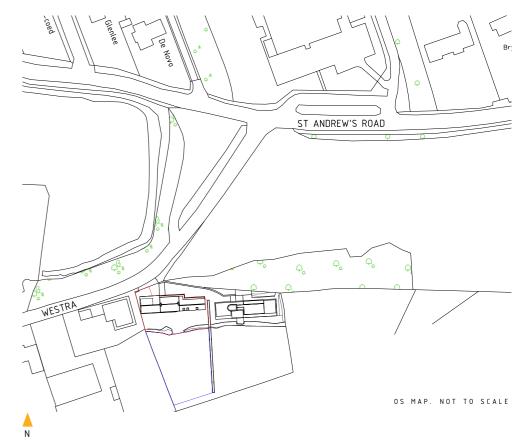
The site benefits from a secluded, sheltered position on the boundary of Dinas Powys Common to the west of the village. The properties along Westra display a wide ranging approach to materiality and the way the materials are applied. There are examples of stone houses, tile hanging and timber cladding as well as more modern dwellings.

ADDRESS: WESTRA COTTAG

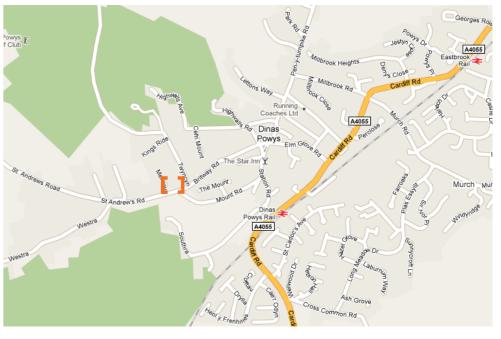
WESTRA COTTAGE WESTRA DINAS POWYS VALE OF GLAMORGAN CF64 4HA

GRID REFERENCE: 51°25′52.84″N 3°13′46.75″W

EXISTING BUILDING AREA: 255 M² [EXCLUDING GARAGE]



WESTRA COTTAGE LIES WITHIN THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN LESS 5 MILES FROM CARDIFF



ABOVE: IMAGE OF THE REAR ELEVATION OF WESTRA COTTAGE FROM THE SOUTH

BELOW: ELEVATED VIEW OF THE EXISTING WINDOWS FROM THE EAST



### DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSALS

The proposed alterations to Westra Cottage involve alterations to the eastern element of the existing dwelling only and include minor internal alterations and alterations to the existing first floor windows on the rear, southern elevation.

The alterations seek to refurbish and improve the existing accommodation already provided by the house by repositioning the existing secondary, spiral, stair in order to create a first floor landing area, giving access to the existing shower room, whilst also separating bedroom 02 from the stair and study below. In addition, the existing, inefficient and unsightly windows are to be replaced with dormer windows, which largely utilising the existing window locations that currently straddle the eaves.

The proposed dormers are to be timber clad to match the existing west extension to the dwelling with efficient, double glazed PPC Aluminium windows which shall reduce the solar gains of the bedrooms they serve. The sliding windows which sit approximately 600mm from the first floor will also take advantage of the elevated views and improve provision of ventilation.

The existing sloping and vertical windows are considered a dated inappropriate and unsightly element of the cottage. Moreover they are unpractical and incongruous to the overall elevation. The proposed alterations allow for the treatment of the fenestration to the rear elevation to become more harmonised and represent a common language.

As a result of altering the existing openings it is considered that the proposals which sit comfortably with the layout of the existing, as shown on the comparison overleaf and section included as part of the application do not fall within 'Permitted Development' and therefore permission is sought.

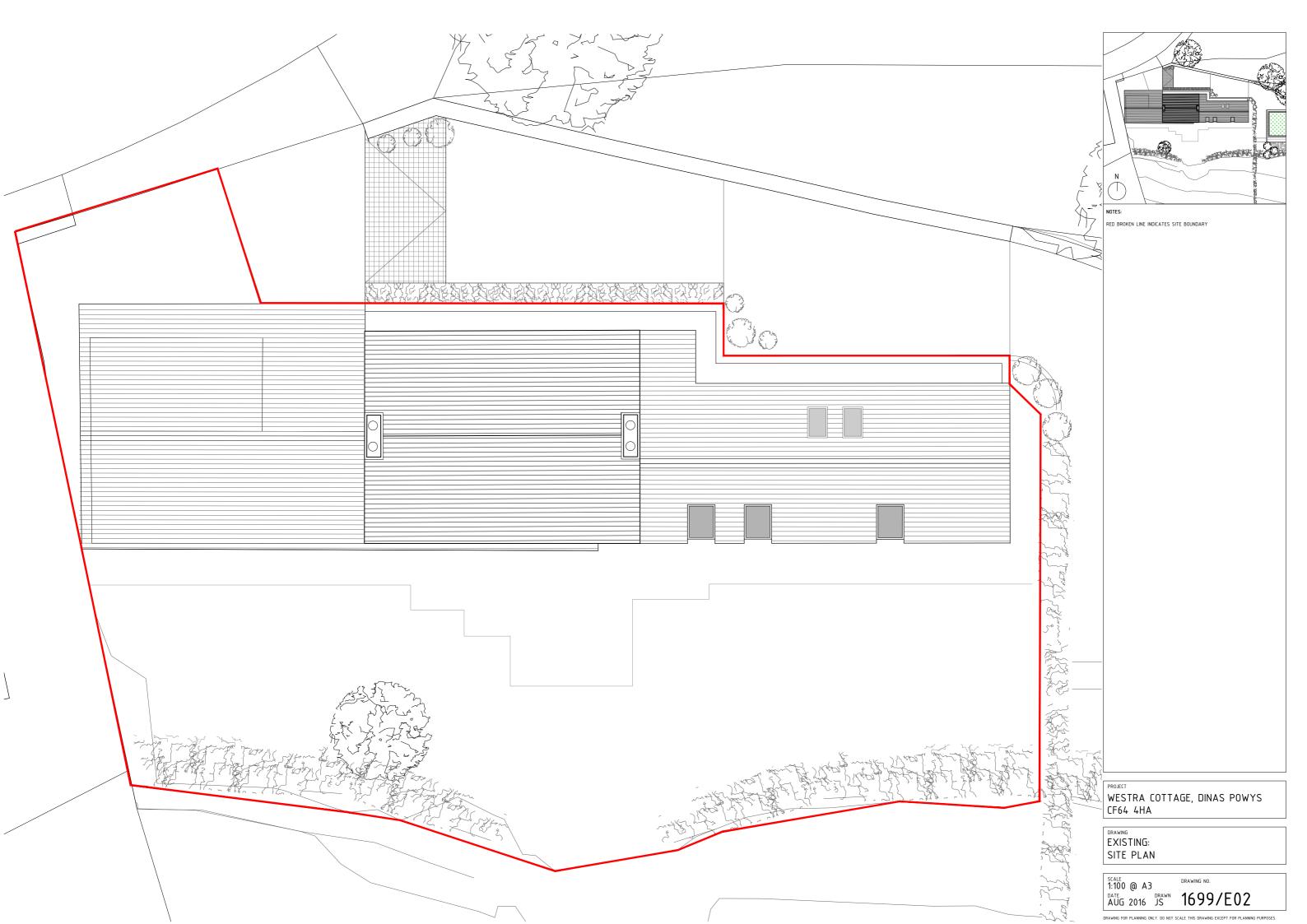
The materials selected are to match and blend not only with the existing dwelling but suit the palette of materials used in the surrounding context.

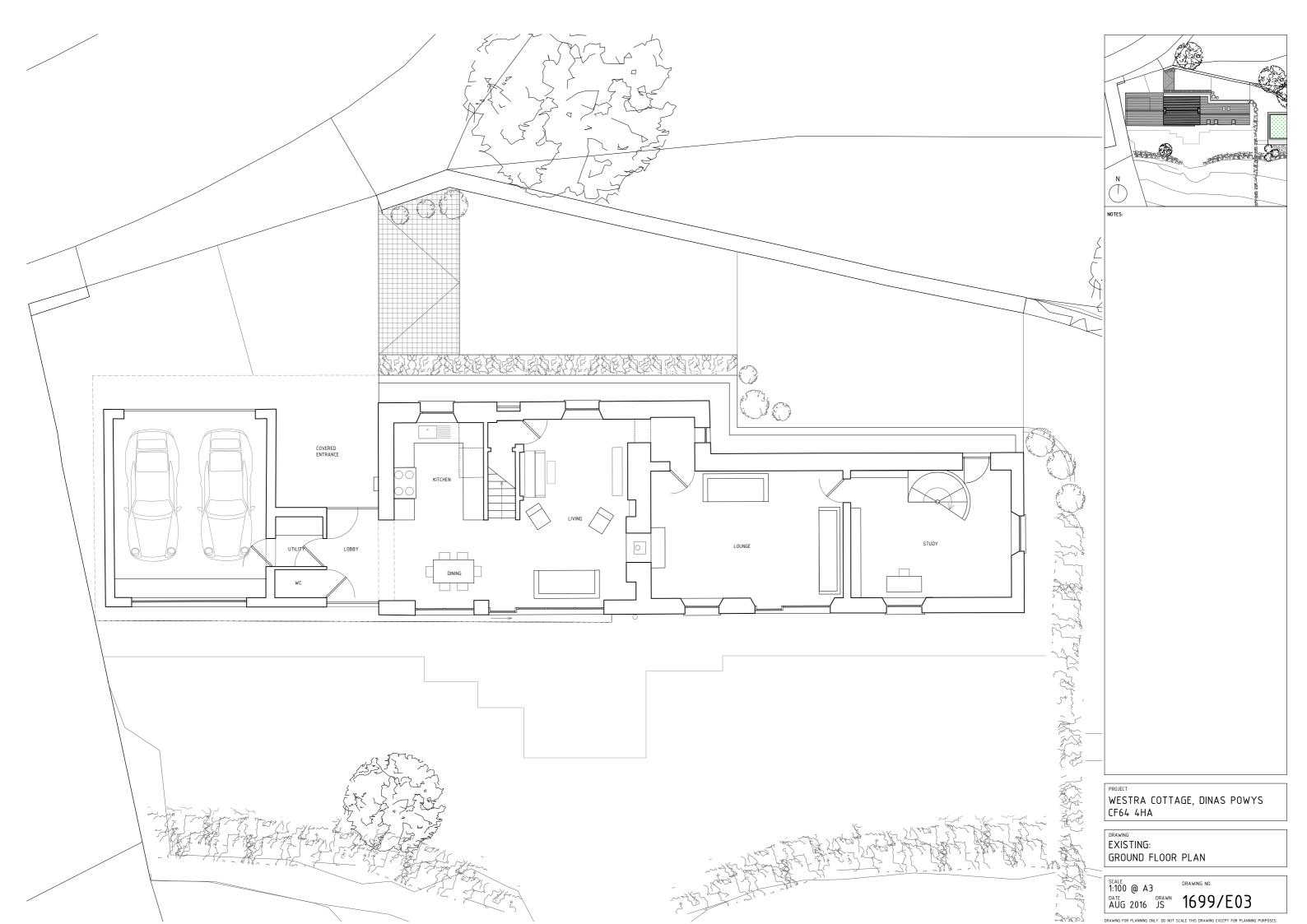


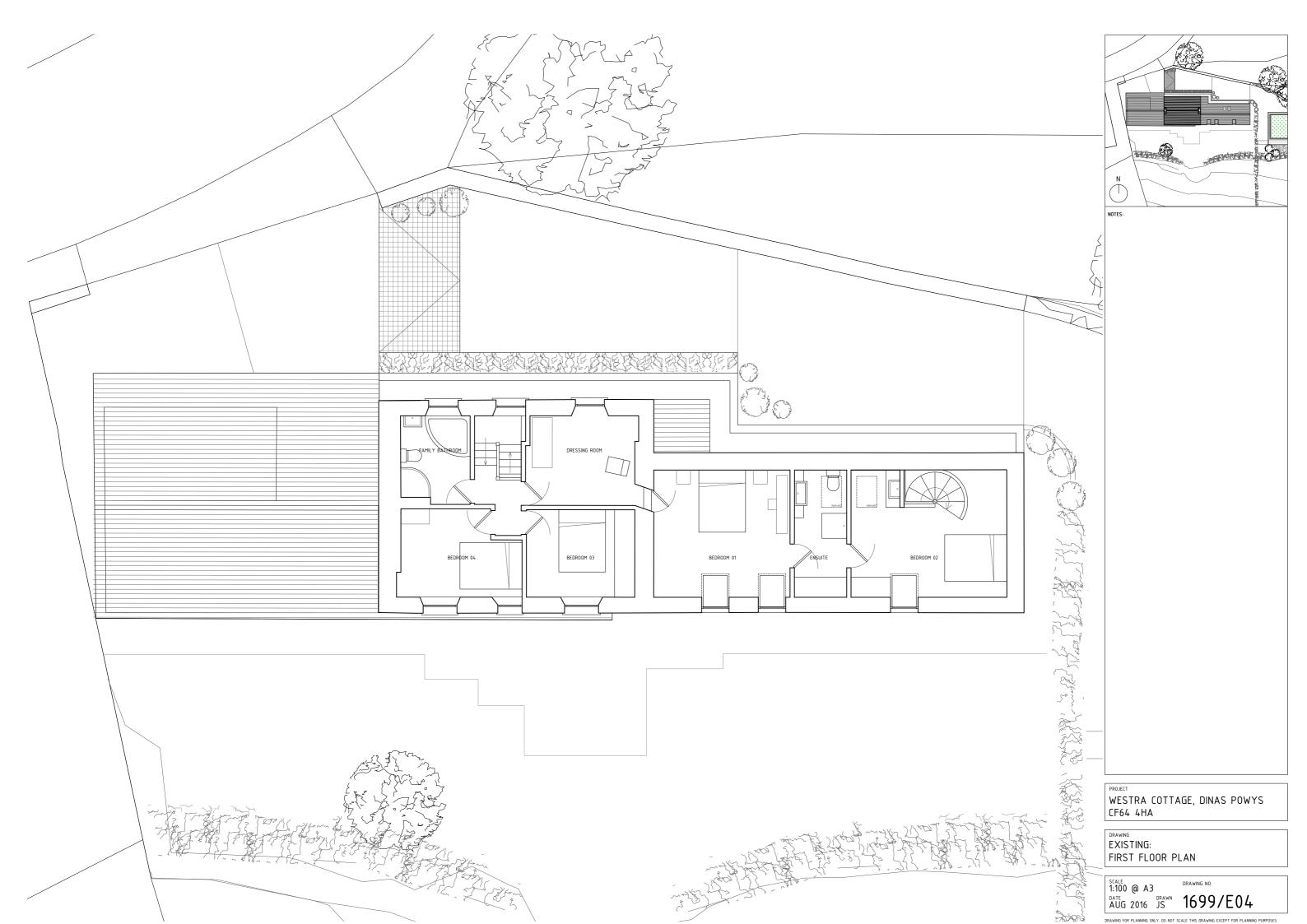


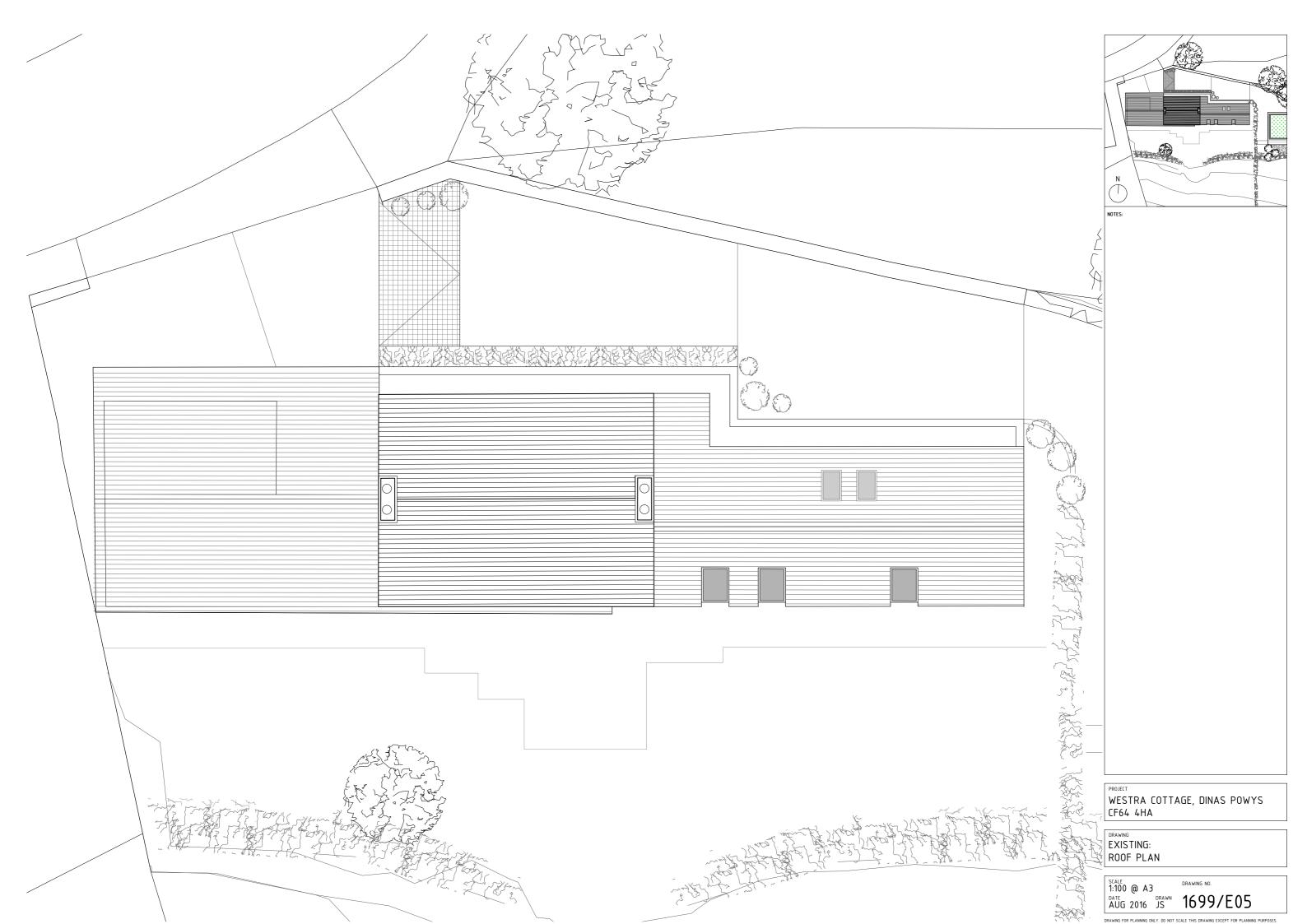














EXISTING: SOUTH ELEVATION

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EXISTING: EAST ELEVATION

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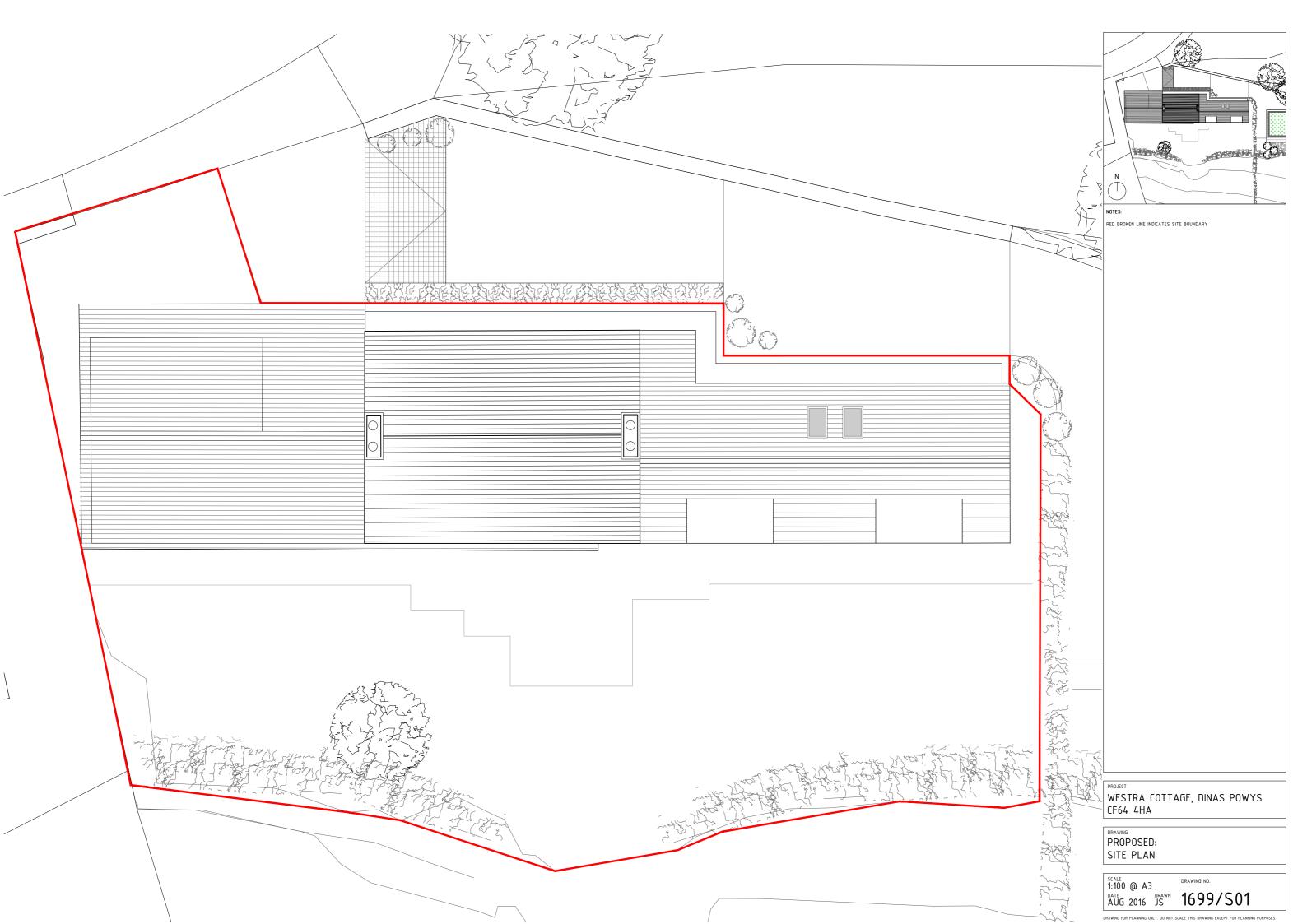
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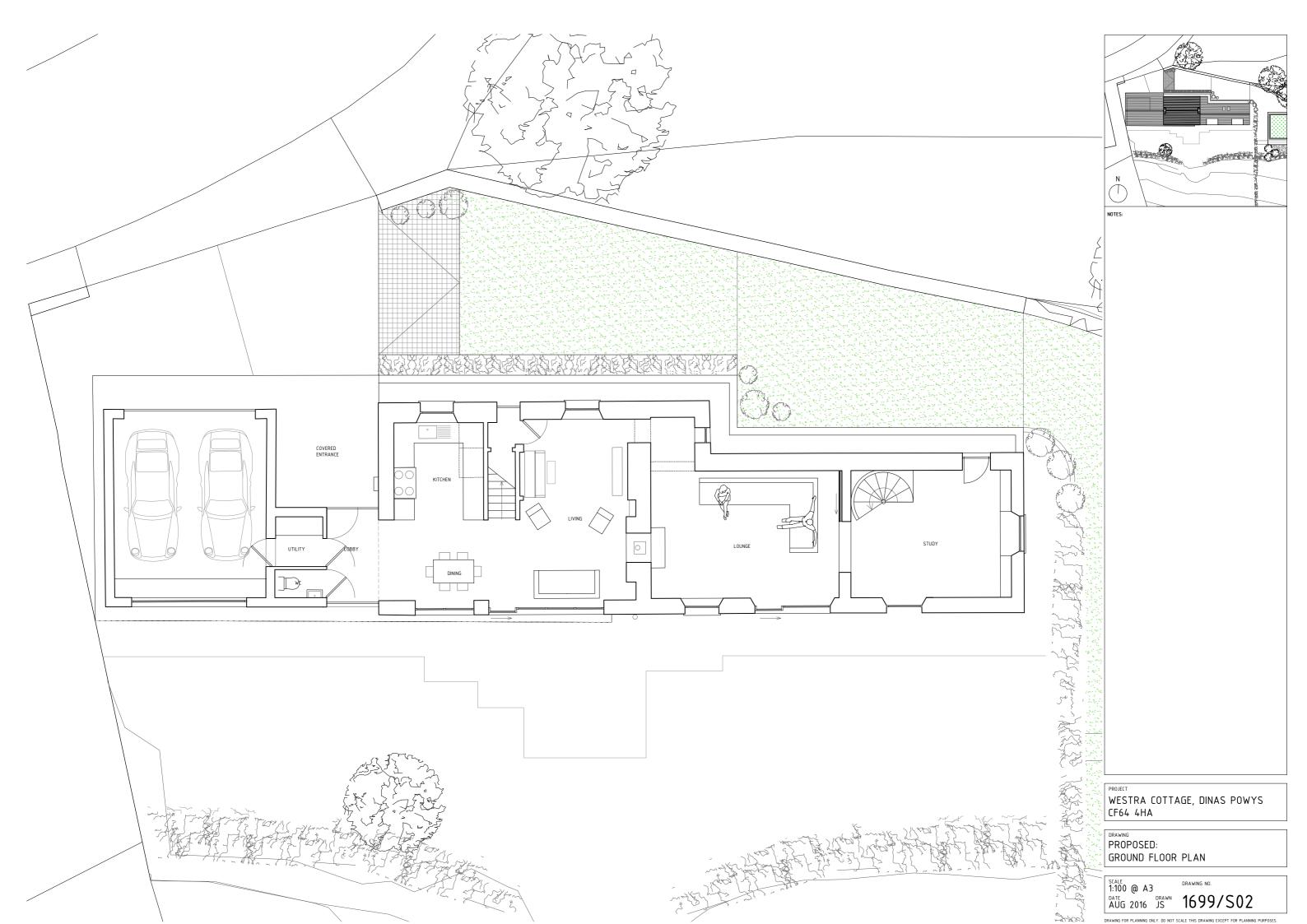
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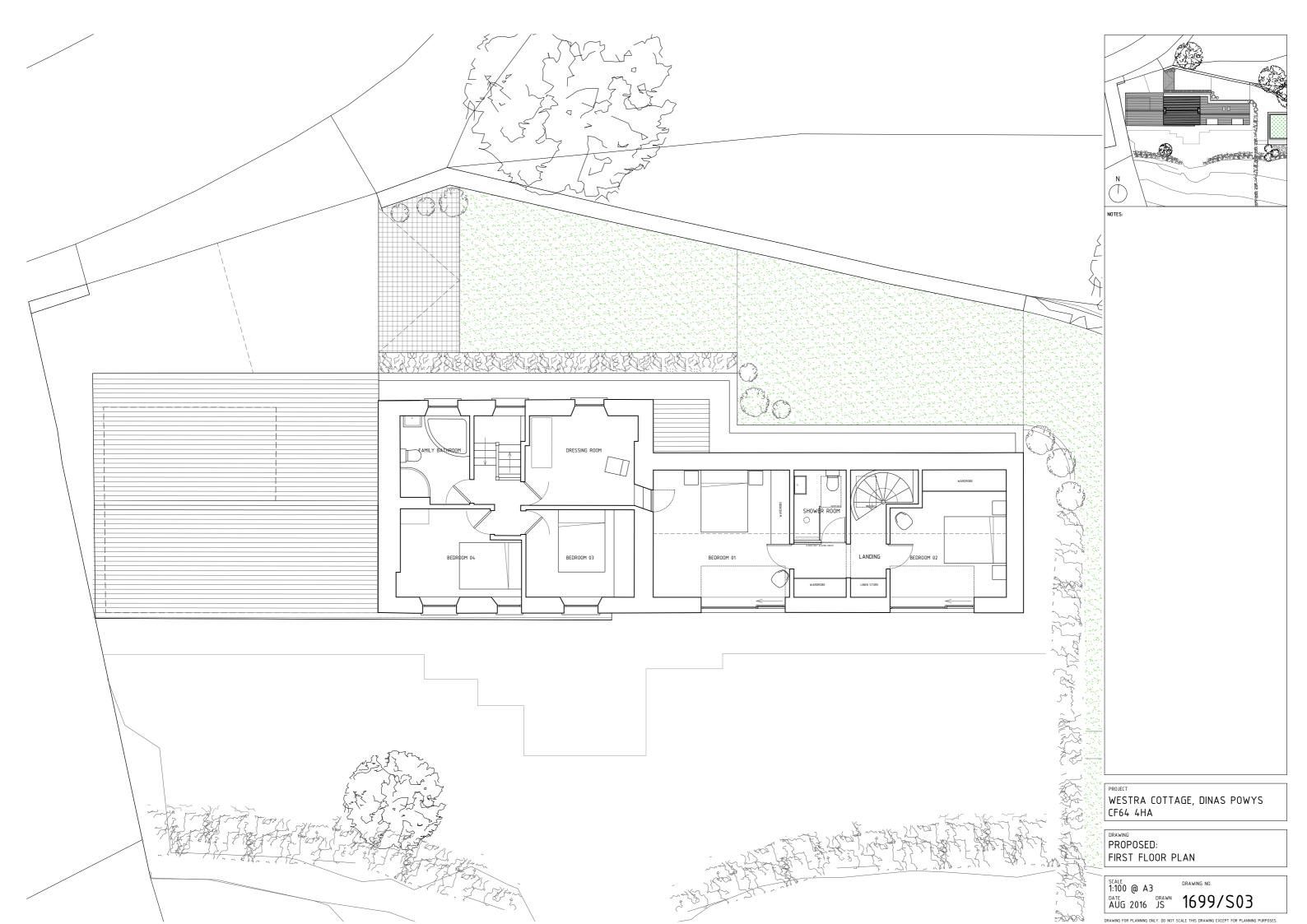


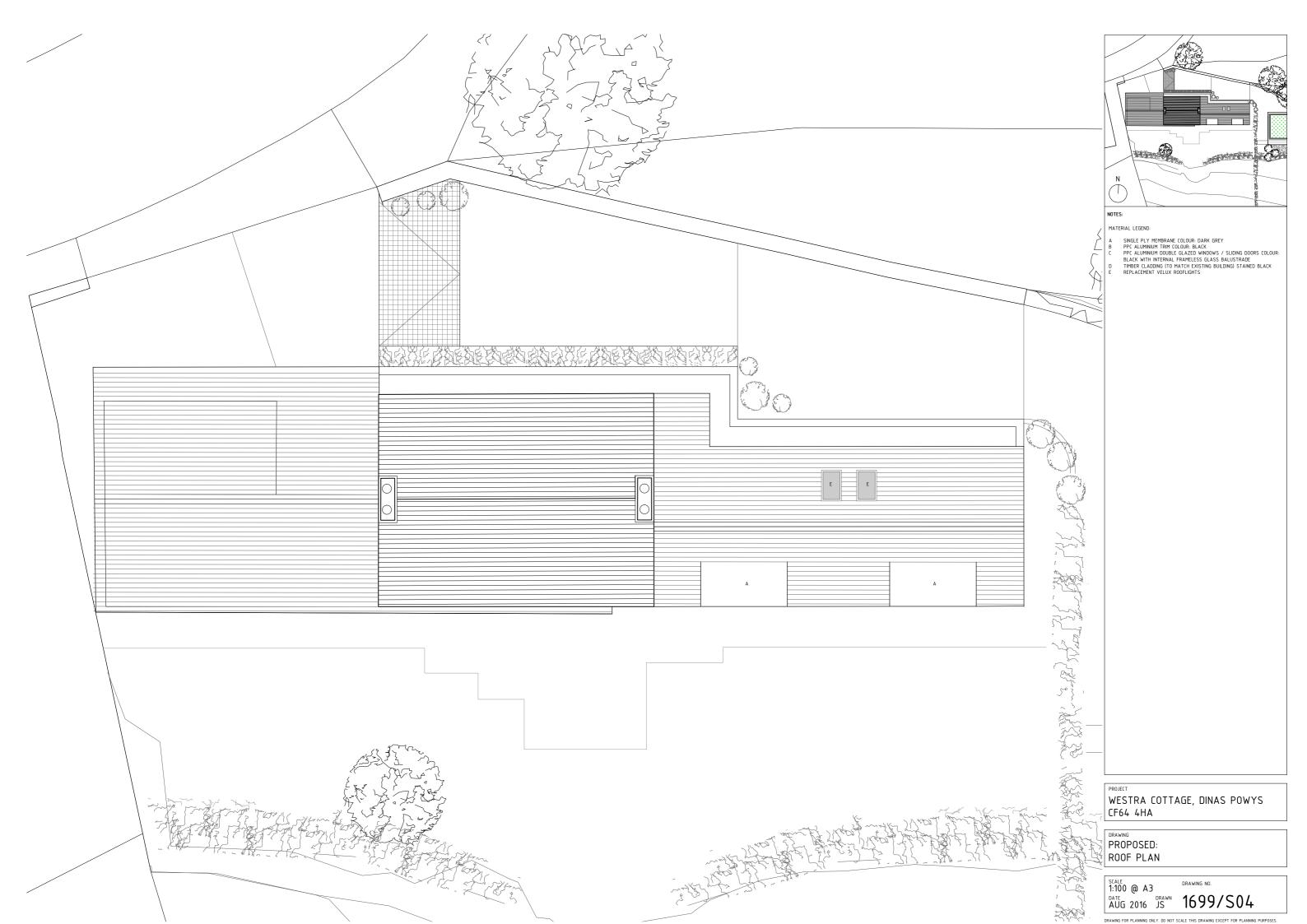
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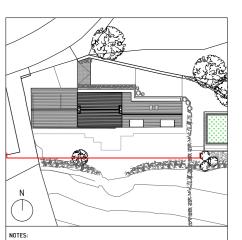












# MATERIAL LEGEND:

- SINGLE PLY MEMBRANE COLOUR: DARK GREY
  PPC ALUMINIUM TRIM COLOUR: BLACK
  PPC ALUMINIUM DOUBLE GLAZED WINDOWS / SLIDING DOORS COLOUR:
  BLACK WITH ITERNAL FRANCLESS GLASS BALUSTRADE
  TIMBER CLADDING (TO MATCH EXISTING BUILDING) STAINED BLACK
  REPLACEMENT VELUX ROOFLIGHTS

WESTRA COTTAGE, DINAS POWYS CF64 4HA

PROPOSED: SOUTH ELEVATION

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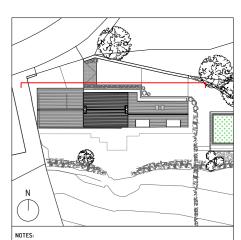
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PROPOSED: EAST ELEVATION

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PROPOSED: WEST ELEVATION

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PROPOSED: INDICATIVE SECTION AA

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