

Notes

Divided into a series of rooms, the design provides defined areas connected through repetition of materials & planting. Vertical height from the pergola walkway and the arbour within the garden helps detract from the dominating boundary wall. The new office is linked to the garden via a journey along the planted pergola walkway allowing the client time to switch off from work. A more direct route can be accessed down steps along the path at the side of the house. The Arbour room is a defined & private seating area looking onto the lawn and soft planting. The sun deck is the designated sunbathing area separated from the existing dining terrace & partially screened from the side path with a raised trellis planter. Overall the style is contemporary country garden to fit in with new build home in rural surroundings. Materials, structures and planting will reflect this.

**Pergola walkway**  
A series of x 5 green oak timber arches with concealed 'dovetail' joints for a clean contemporary design. Uprights & crossbeam 5 x 5. Height and width need to be the same for square shape, here specified as 2.05m x 2.05m. Thickness of beams and total length incl footings to be confirmed with builder. Pathway laid with pea gravel for easy traversing with planting pockets for climbers and grasses/shrubs. See planting plan for ground preparation specification.

**Arbour room**  
Green oak contemporary concealed joint structure to enclose the area at the end of the pergola walkway. Beams to be inbuilt into the decking underneath. Allow 30-40 cm border around deck for planting where possible. Various options available for covering roof area above seating to be discussed further with client.

**Sundeck**  
Extend out as far as existing border to retain specific shrubs (details on planting plan). Planters can be fitted with decorative trellis panels for extra privacy & enclosure & back lit in 3 x single planters. Planting along the house wall behind this will need lifting.

**Hot tub area**  
Remove existing lawn. Build circular deck platform over slope to allow view across hills from inside the hot tub or excavate and retain circle with wooden posts prior to building up deck level. Option to extend existing terrace to accommodate hot tub if budget or terrain doesn't allow.

**Planting**  
Overall theme is contemporary & wind filtering plants as well as vertical planting and mature trees for height to balance out garden where wall is dominant. Grasses & climbers to be used around the new office and pergola area. Phormiums/exotic structural plants on the sun deck. Allow existing shrubs to gain height next to wall. Fill in lavender along length of terrace and plant bulbs/grasses around the multistem trees. Prepare ground for planting areas specified with planting plan.

**Lighting**  
Spike uplights under multi stems, along walkway & in planter, wash deck lights across the 3 decks.

**Decking**  
Use class 4 treated timber for the subframe or composite material subframe & stainless steel coated fixings. Check product specifications for laying the decking. Add 10% to quantities for wastage.



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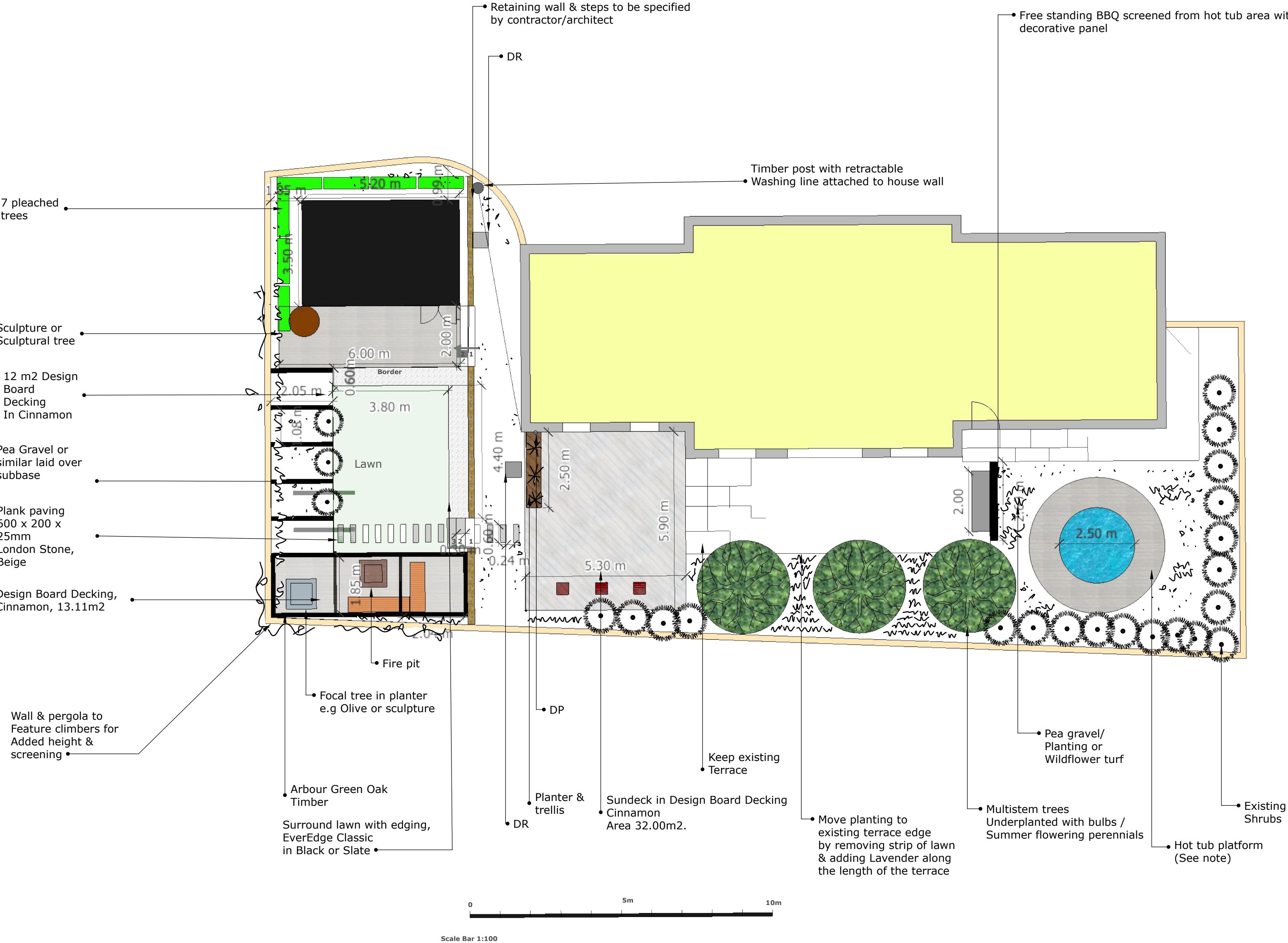
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