

## **Request for Proposal (RFP)**

### **Excavation and Concrete Installation – Art on Main Project City of Reading, Michigan**

#### **Project Overview**

The City of Reading, in partnership with the Reading Art Alliance, is requesting proposals from qualified contractors for excavation and concrete flatwork installation associated with the **Art on Main Alley Improvement Project**. This project will create a pedestrian-friendly public art space in downtown Reading, Michigan.

#### **Scope of Work**

Contractor shall furnish all labor, equipment, and materials necessary to complete the following:

##### **1. Excavation & Site Preparation**

- Excavate existing surface material within designated project area between buildings (approx. **22'-4" wide x 48' long**).
- Prepare and compact subgrade to industry standards for concrete flatwork.
- Remove debris from site and dispose of it properly.

##### **2. Concrete Installation**

- Install **1,064 sq. ft. of 4" reinforced concrete slab**, finished smooth, suitable for pedestrian use.
- Provide control joints, proper slope for drainage, and comply with ADA standards.
- Concrete to be 4,000 PSI minimum compressive strength.

##### **3. General Requirements**

- Contractor responsible for verification of dimensions shown on drawing.
- Work must conform to local building codes and industry best practices.
- Contractor to provide estimated construction schedule with bid.
- Contractor to maintain safe site conditions during work.

#### **Deliverables**

- Completed excavation and concrete installation per plan.
- Site cleaned and restored upon completion.

## **Proposal Submission Requirements**

Interested contractors should provide:

- Itemized cost estimate (excavation, concrete, labor, and materials).
- Proposed project timeline.
- Proof of insurance.
- At least two references from similar projects.

## **Evaluation Criteria**

Proposals will be evaluated based on:

- Cost competitiveness.
- Contractor experience and references.
- Ability to meet mutually agreed project timeline.
- Compliance with specifications.

## **Submission Details**

- **Deadline for Proposals:** March 20, 2026 at 4 pm
- **Submit To:**  
City of Reading – Art on Main Project  
113 S. Main St. PO Box 240  
Reading, MI 49274

## **Contact Information**

### **Project Coordinator:**

Jason Mueller

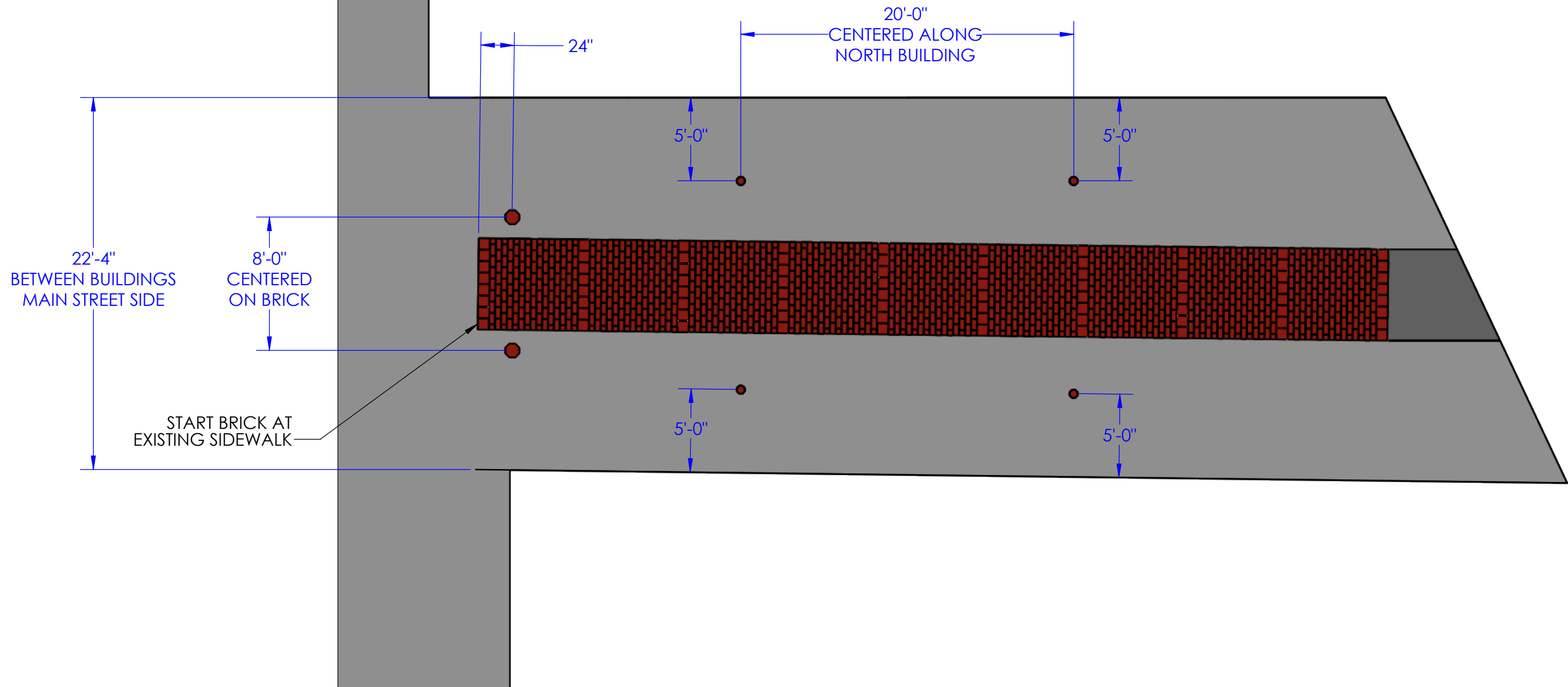
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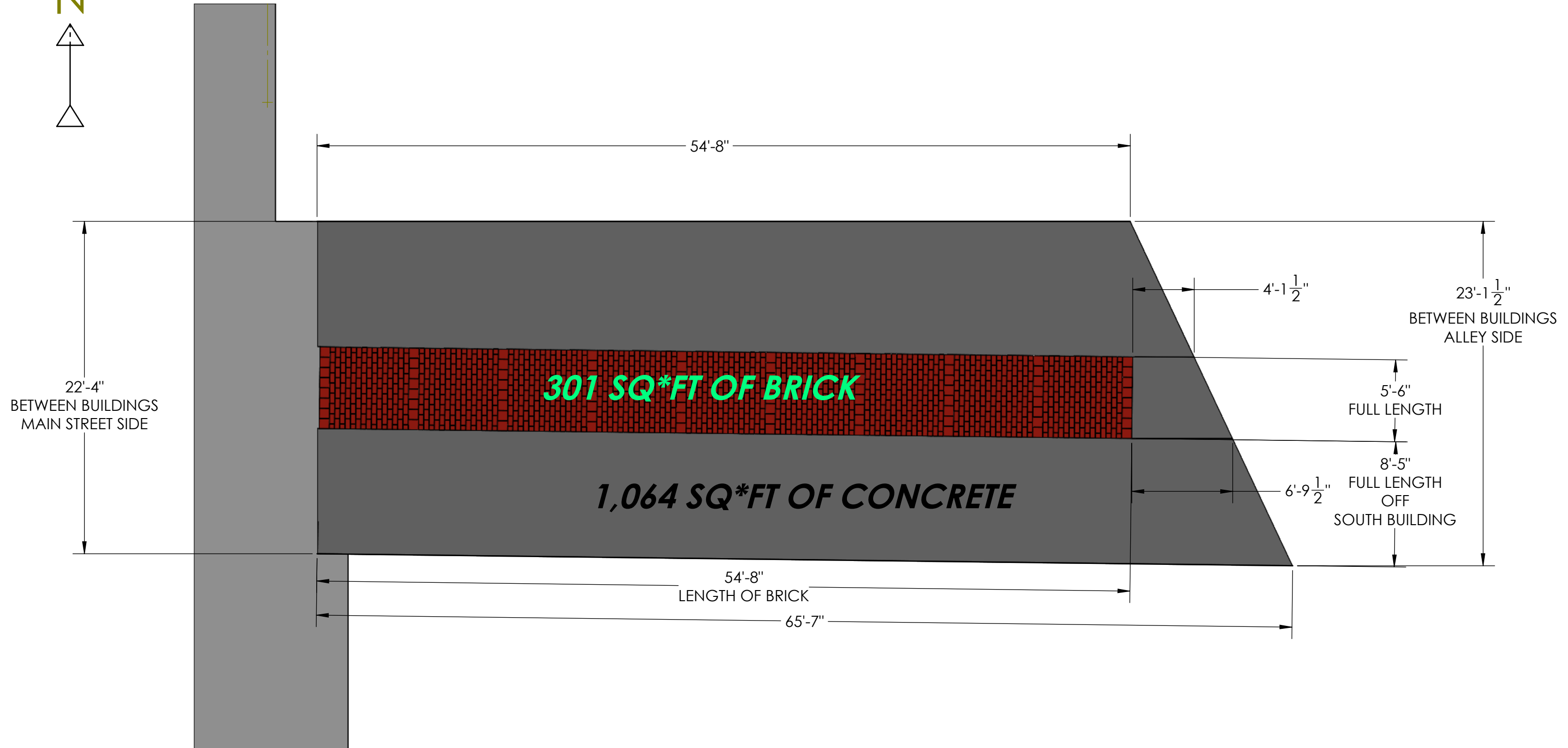
Attachment: Site Drawing



**1,064 SQ\*FT OF CONCRETE**  
**301 SQ\*FT OF BRICK**



PRELIMINARY ART ON MAIN LAYOUT



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