



DESIGN BRIEF

Sitting high on the hills of the Naramata bench this cabin for the Mainville family is modest in size at 750sqft and contains 2 bedrooms. The structure is predominantly concrete to address the concerns of forest fires and serve as a thermal mass for moderating temperature throughout the year.

Outdoor living is emphasized by extending the living space out in all directions facing southward taking in the view of Okanagan Lake. A broad overhanging concrete roof and wood trellis provides sunshading. A generous flagstone plaza using native materials defines the outdoor living space.

A thick sculpted concrete wall faces northward and is articulated to define the main entrance and carve out openings for the washroom, outdoor barbecue area and the outdoor shower. The sculpted form is inspired by the rock outcroppings surround the building.

The interior will be composed of a simple palette of finished concrete floor, walls and ceiling. Interior doors will be full height dark stained solid wood. Spaciousness is emphasized with a 9ft ceiling height, abundant glazing and an open plan.

LEGEND

1. DOUBLE GLAZED LOW E COATED ALUMINUM WINDOWS
2. 5FT WIDE SLIDING GLASS DOOR
3. SOLID WOOD FRENCH DOORS
4. 100mm DIAMETER STEEL COLUMN
5. SCULPTED WALL, CONCRETE OR RAMMED EARTH WALL
6. CEILING SUSPENDED FIREPLACE
7. STACKED WASHER AND DRYER C/W HOT WATER TANK ABOVE
8. WALL MOUNTED TOILET
9. FULL HEIGHT FRENCH DOORS
10. STAINLESS STEEL OUTDOOR COUNTERS
11. PROPANE BARBECUE
12. ELECTRIC COOK TOP
13. DISHWASHER BELOW

RED DASHED LINE OF AREA 69.7sm (750sqft) CALCULATION, FOR A TYPICAL 2x6 FRAMED WALL WITH 1/2" PLYWOOD SHEATHING

OPTIONAL SCULPTED CONCRETE WALL

