

## CALL FOR EXHIBITION PROPOSALS

The Appalachian Center for Craft is currently accepting proposals for solo and group exhibitions to take place in our galleries in 2027-2028.

The ACC seeks to cultivate and showcase work that strengthens the role of craft in contemporary culture. We are seeking well-developed exhibition proposals that highlight mastery and exploration in craftsmanship, feature new works of art, and push the boundaries of craft. Exhibitors are encouraged to experiment beyond their usual craft customs or practices and to present work which may not otherwise be easily presented in conventional craft venues.

Artists or curators are invited to submit a proposal to exhibit in one of three galleries at the ACC. For group exhibitions, we ask that one person be the designated liaison between the group and ACC for ease of paperwork and communication. Submissions are open internationally to established or emerging artists aged 18 years or older. Exhibitors may be at any stage of their art careers and working in any form of media. The selection committee will be looking for bodies of work/installations that are cohesive, well-considered, informative, creative, and which promote craft and contemporary craft practices.

Exhibitions are two months in duration, and a \$400 honorarium is given per exhibition to help offset shipping/delivery fees or other associated costs.

The deadline to submit an exhibition proposal is January 10, 2027.

## Submission Requirements & Information

The selection committee will evaluate proposals based on artistic merit, quality of applicant(s) work to date, ability of the artist/curator to bring the exhibition to fruition, and clarity of theme/concept.

Exhibition proposals will only be accepted by email or through [www.WeTransfer.com](http://www.WeTransfer.com). Submit proposals to [accexhibits@tntech.edu](mailto:accexhibits@tntech.edu). The deadline to submit is **January 10, 2027**.

*Submissions must include the following:*

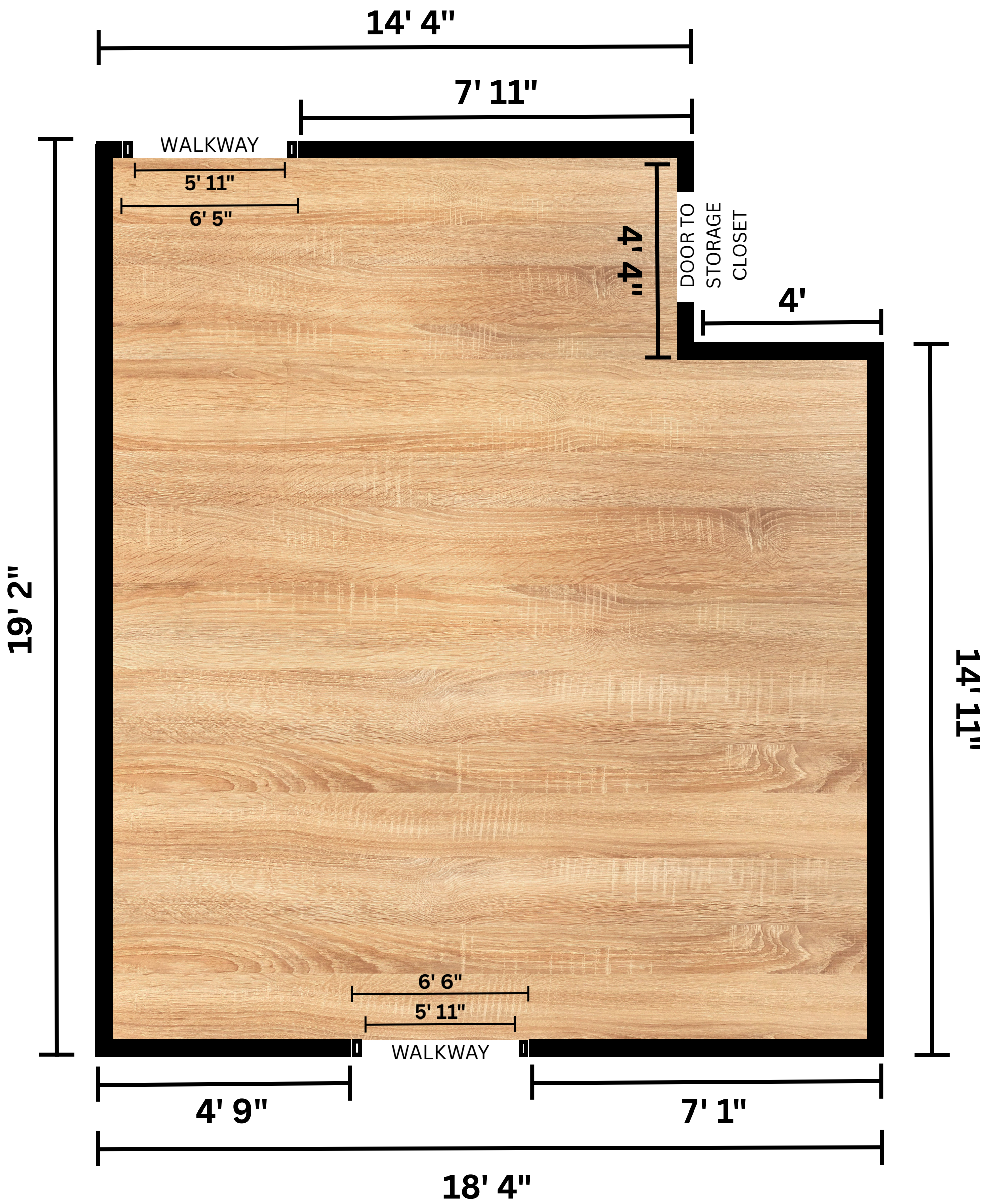
- Letter of Intent / Proposal
  - Clear description of theme/concept and the type of work defined by medium, technique, and/or function
  - Description of your current artistic practice, the proposed body of work, installation, and overall intent or concept of the exhibition
  - A list of exhibiting artists if the proposal is for a group exhibition
  - Proposed title of exhibition
  - Please note the 3 different gallery space layouts. Note any preference as to the gallery space you would choose for your exhibition.
- Support Materials
  - CV/Resume for each exhibiting artist or for the principal organizer if submitting as a curator
  - List of works to be exhibited including artist, title, medium, dimensions, & date created. If the work has not yet been created, provide a list/description of what is planned for inclusion in the exhibit
  - High-quality artwork images (minimum 10, maximum 20) in JPEG or PNG format
  - Any other support materials relevant to the proposal including videos, promotional materials, reviews, catalogs, etc.

**Questions?** Email: [accexhibits@tntech.edu](mailto:accexhibits@tntech.edu) Phone: 931-372-6882

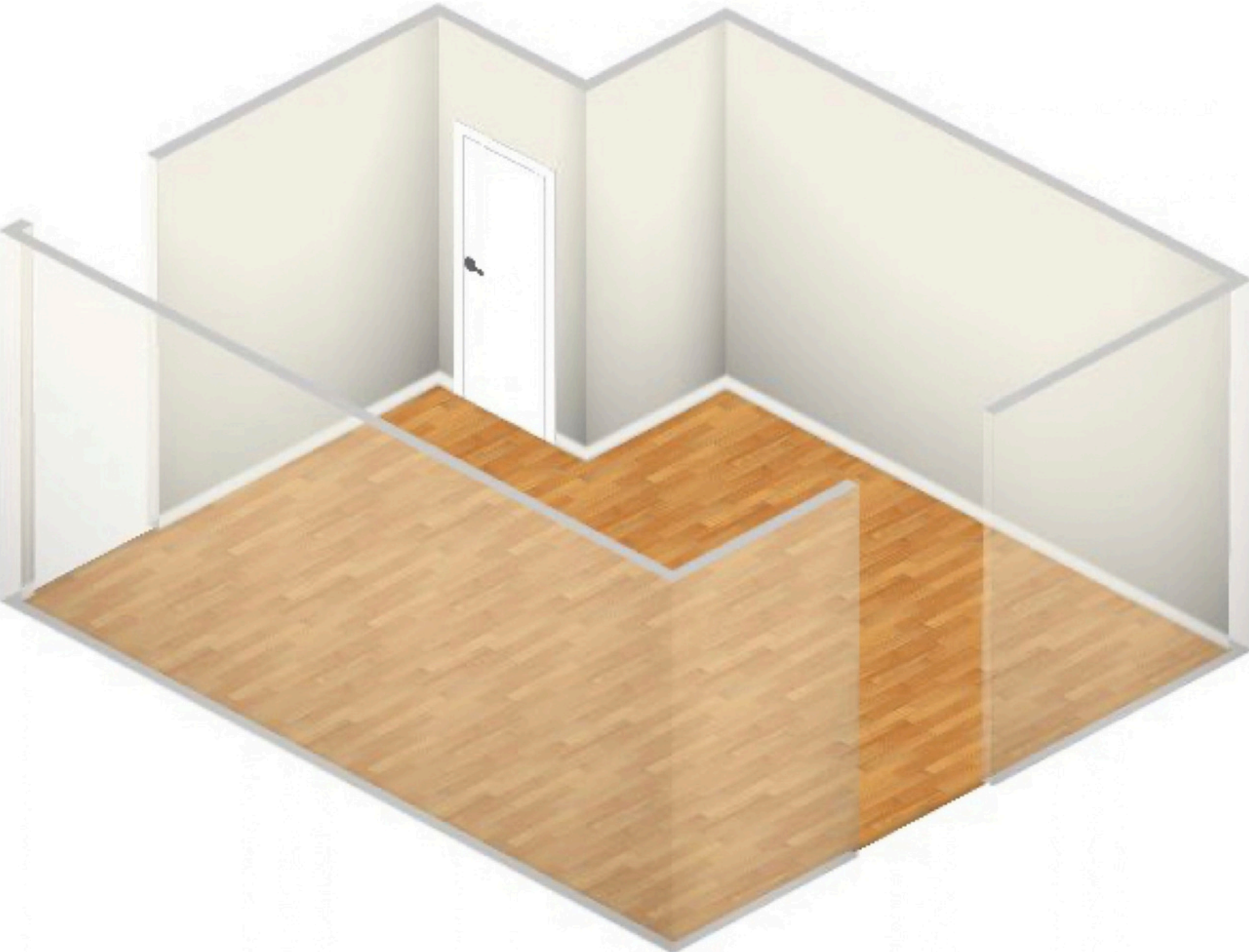
### *Gallery Dimensions & Details:*

- Lakeview Gallery (approx. 335 sq. ft.)
  - This is our smallest available gallery. Lakeview sits between our Dogwood Gallery and retail gallery store with wide entrances on either side.
  - Hardwood flooring
  - Track & overhead lighting
- Joe L. Evins Gallery (approx. 692 sq. ft.)
  - This is the first gallery visitors see when walking into the building, located just off the main lobby area.
  - Hardwood flooring
  - Track lighting
  - Optional additional overhead lighting
  - Drop ceiling
- Dogwood Gallery (approx. 1300 sq. ft.)
  - This is our largest available gallery with the highest ceilings, adjacent to both our retail gallery store and Lakeview Gallery.
  - Hardwood flooring
  - Track & overhead lighting
  - Tall, peaked ceiling

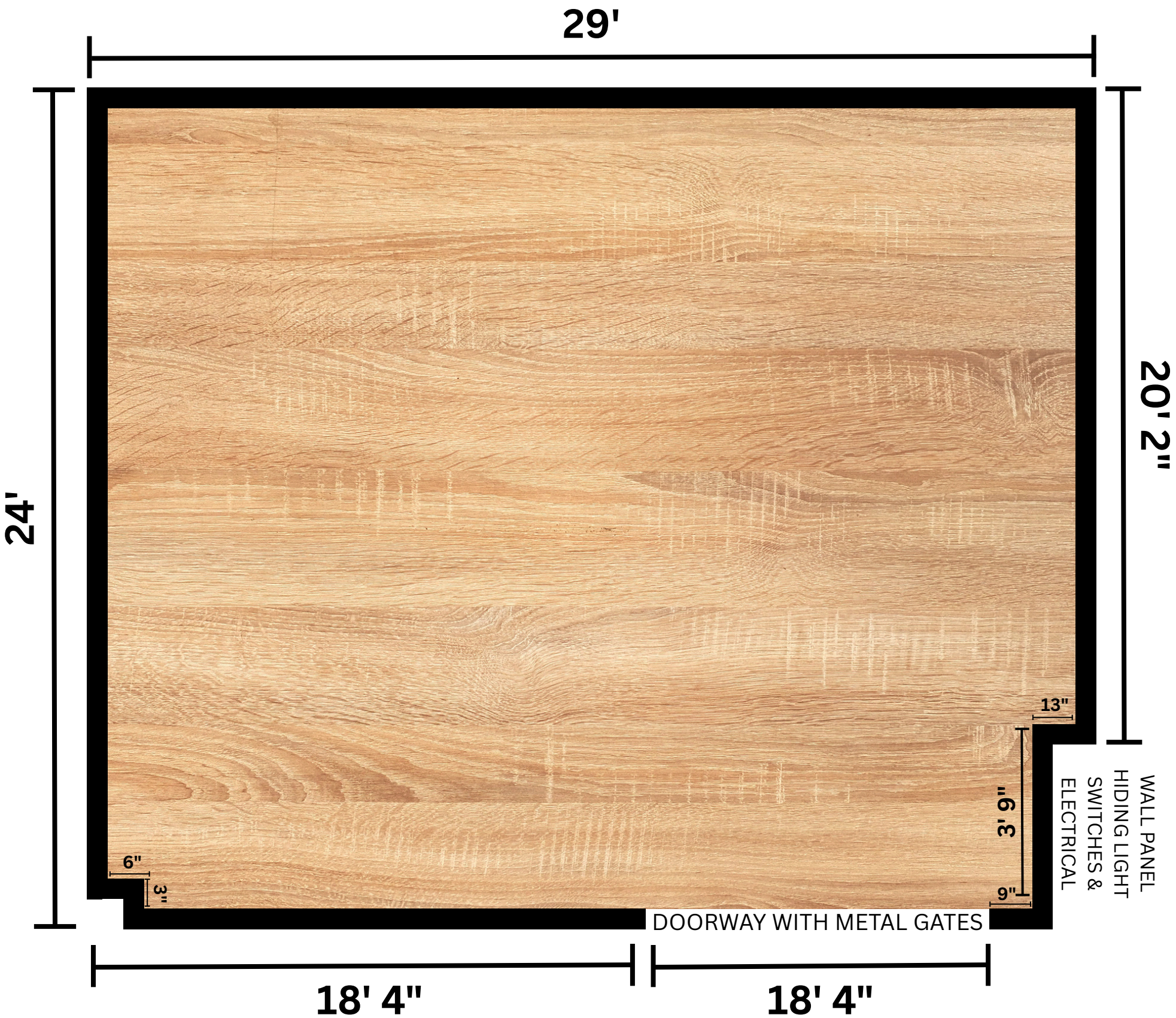
# Lakeview Gallery

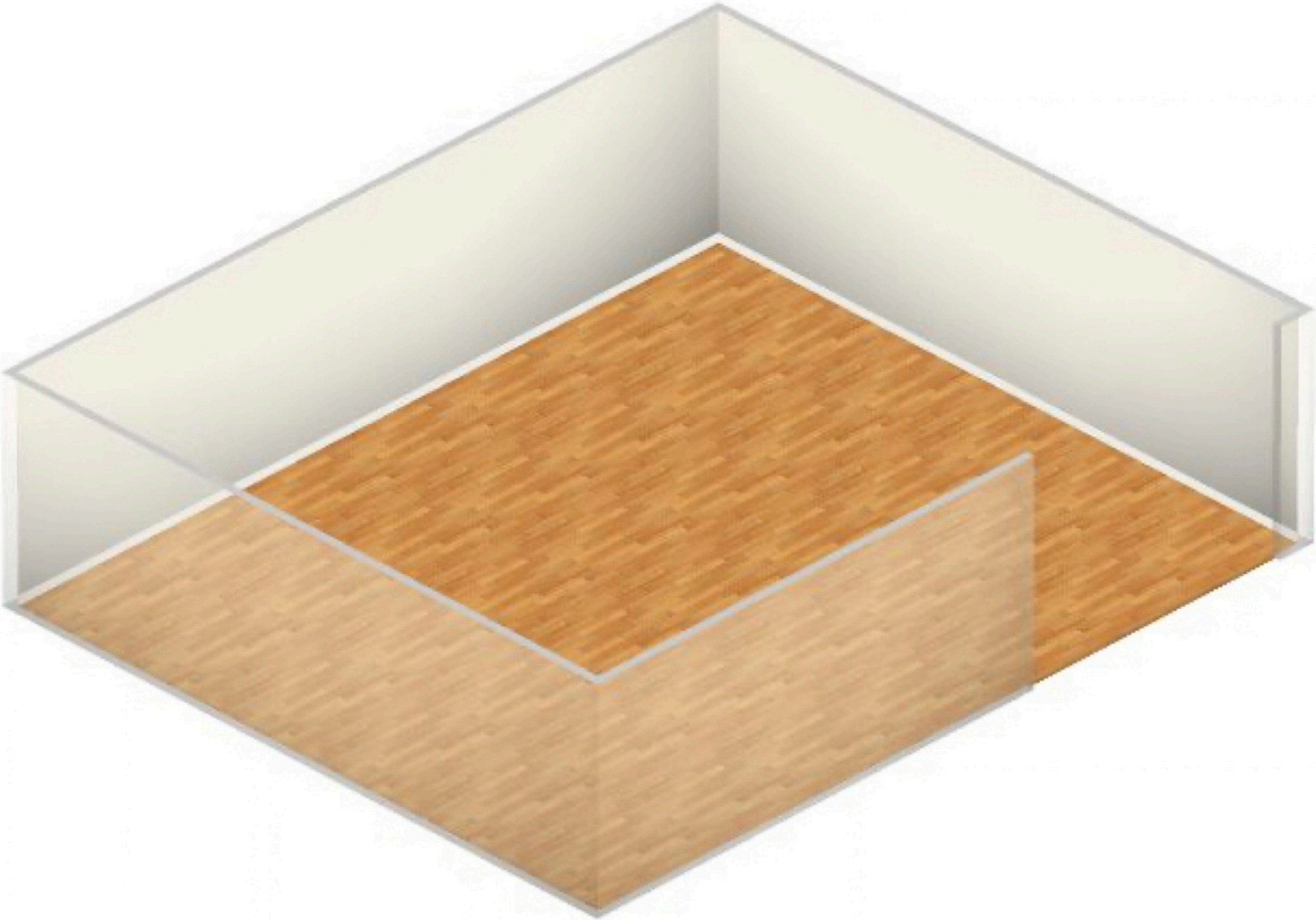


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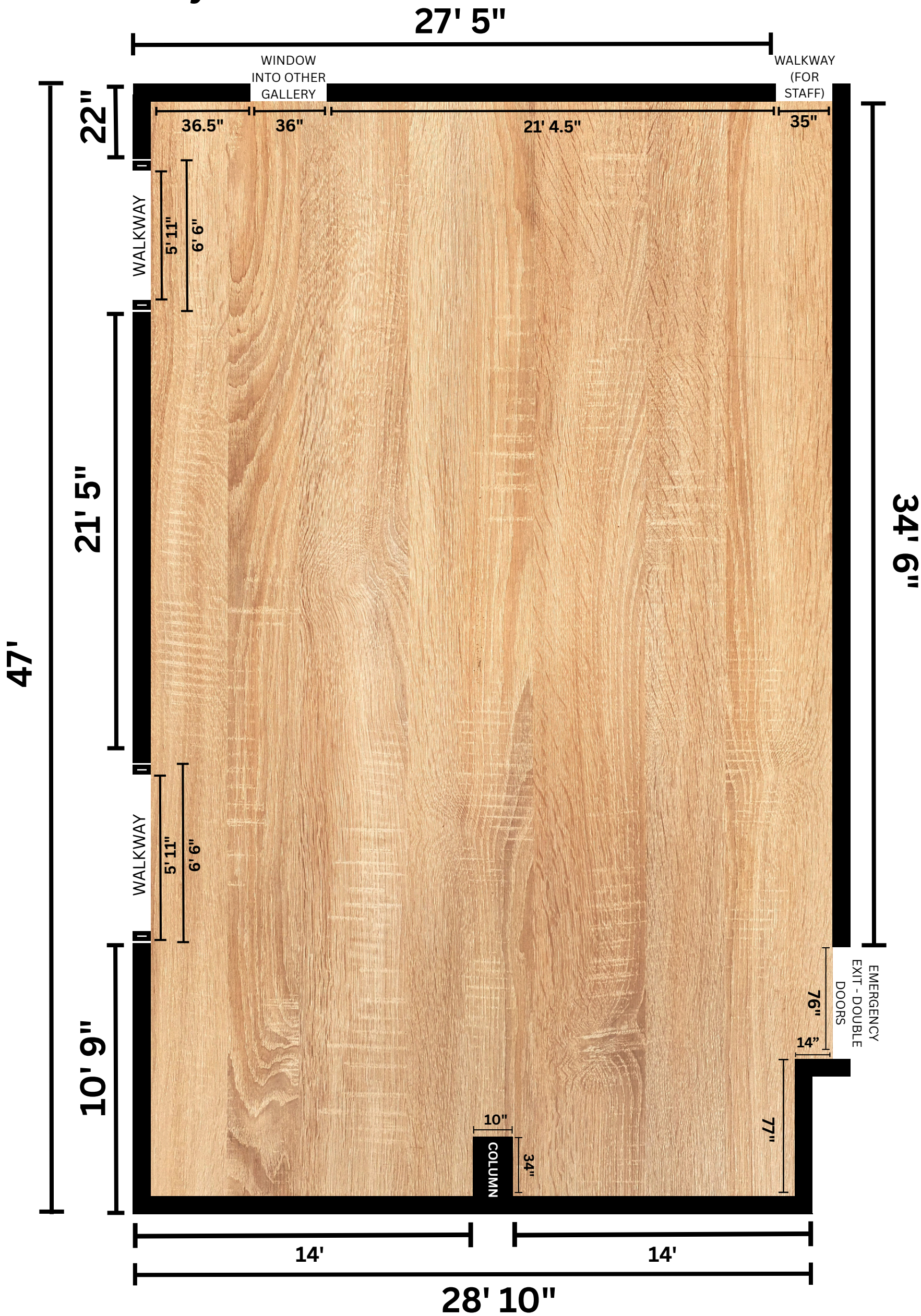


Joe L. Evins Gallery

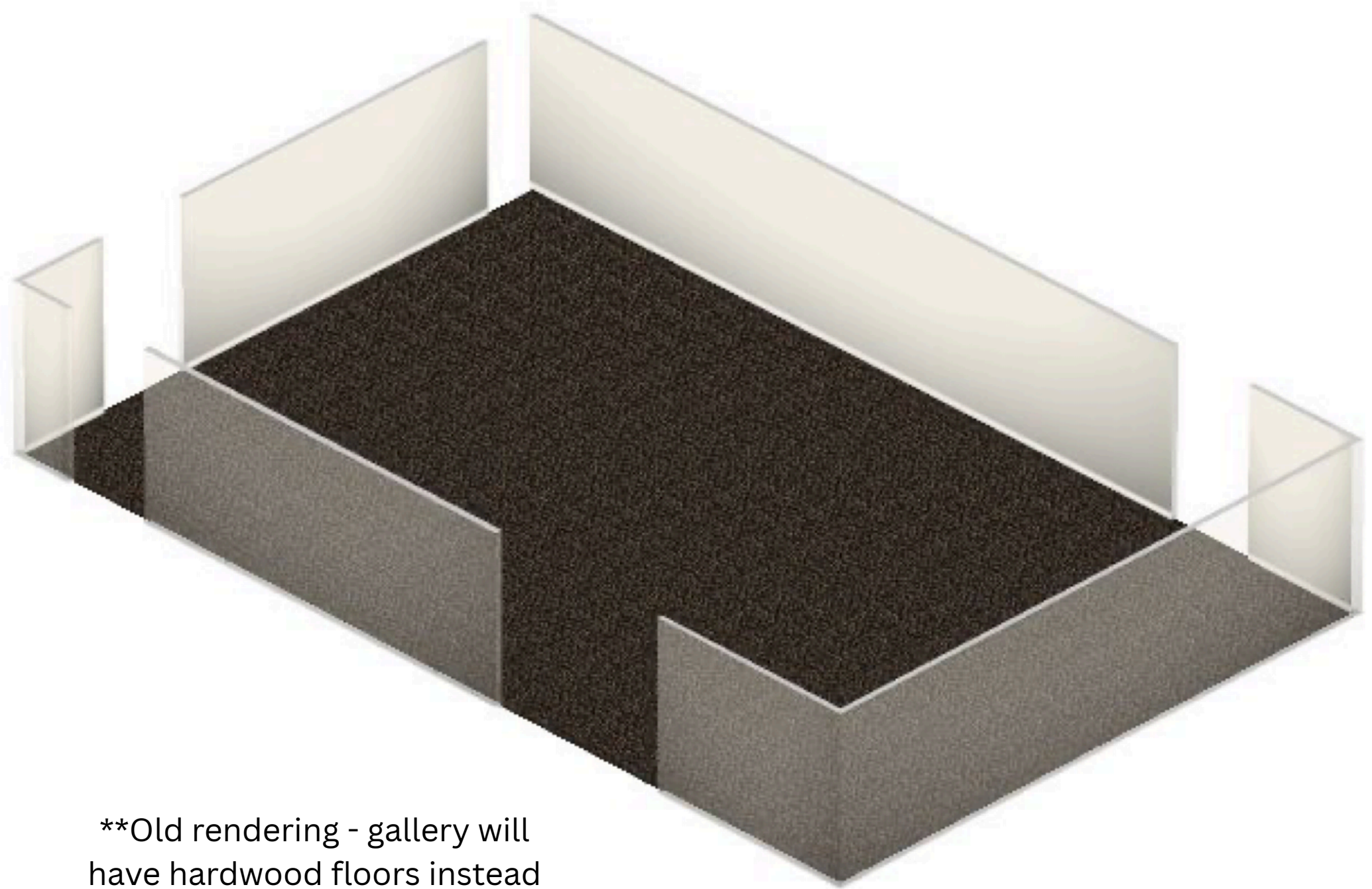




Dogwood Gallery



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\*\*Old rendering - gallery will have hardwood floors instead of the carpet depicted\*\*