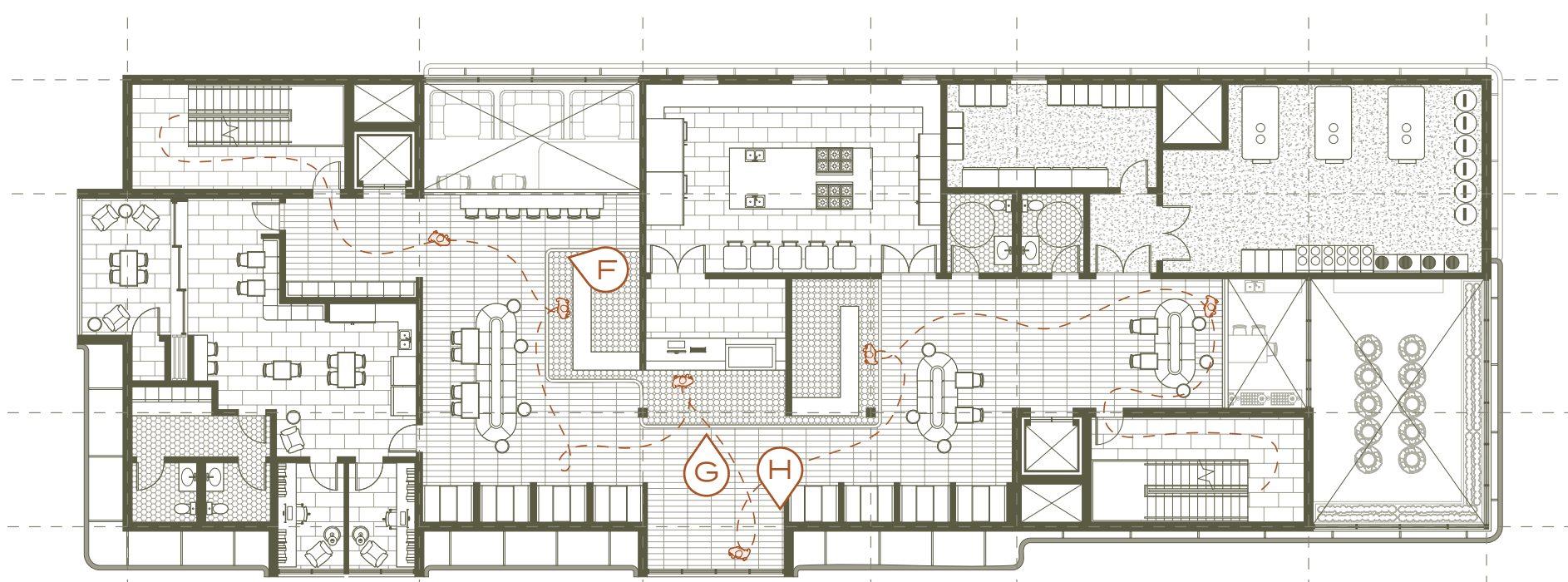


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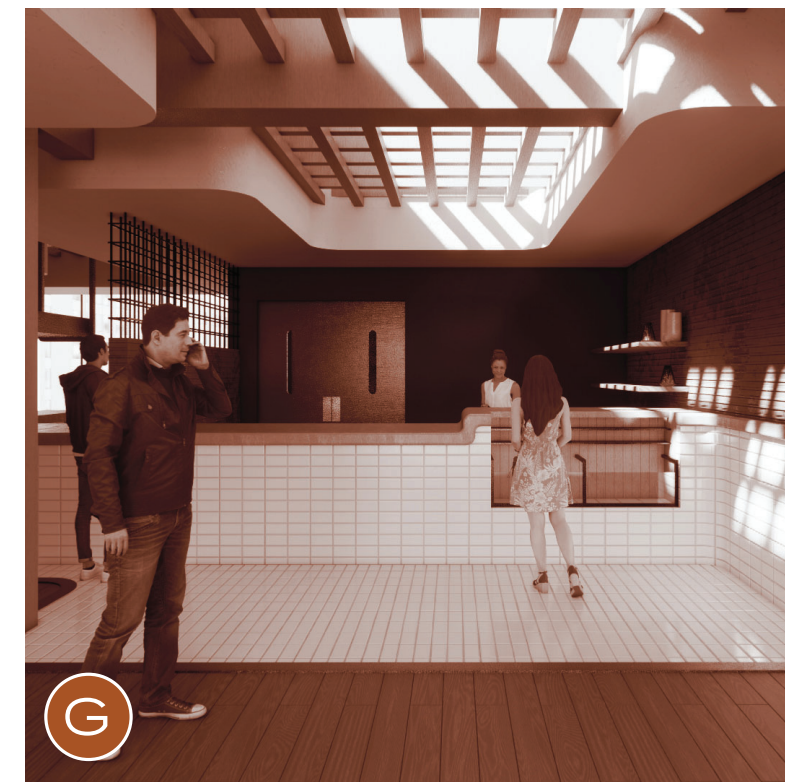


## Veolia Market Fort Wayne, Indiana

Proposed as an international market in downtown Fort Wayne, Indiana, Veolia Market establishes a connection to the community through fresh food, unexplored culture, and an engaging atmosphere. With an equivalent building and site footprint of 50' x 150', our project spans three floors, approximating 20,000 sf. The market is accompanied by additional programming, including a bakery, coffee shop, greenhouse, commercial kitchen, and incubator food stalls, all of which complement the ethos of Veolia Market. Complexity and curiosity were challenging to create within the narrow, rectangular footprint. Intentionally placed opaque, semi-opaque, and translucent moments on the exterior façade created depth in the interior to break the confines of the footprint. Similarly, on each floor, the suspended ceiling is carved away, indicating key programmatic moments. We maintained a semi-open floor plan while encouraging users to explore the space. Partial-height walls and dropped ceilings throughout public areas separate spaces while allowing light and activity to be continuous. The programming is strategically separated to create a different atmosphere at each level. Ultimately, our approach to natural lighting, circulation, and seating varied between each floor, encouraging a more lively or secluded experience. Veolia Market is much more than a grocery store. It is a destination that supports new businesses and establishes community engagement.



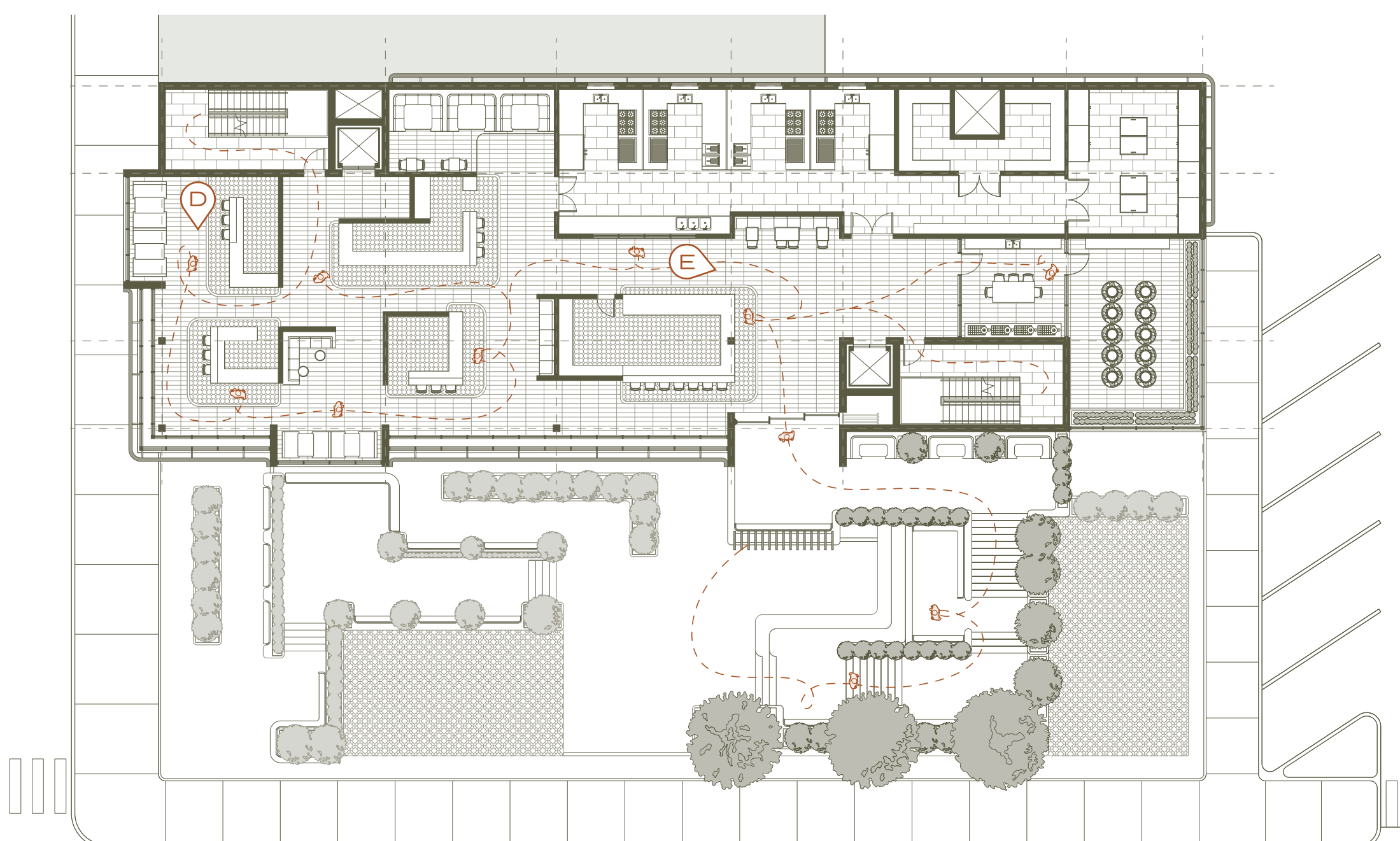
third floor



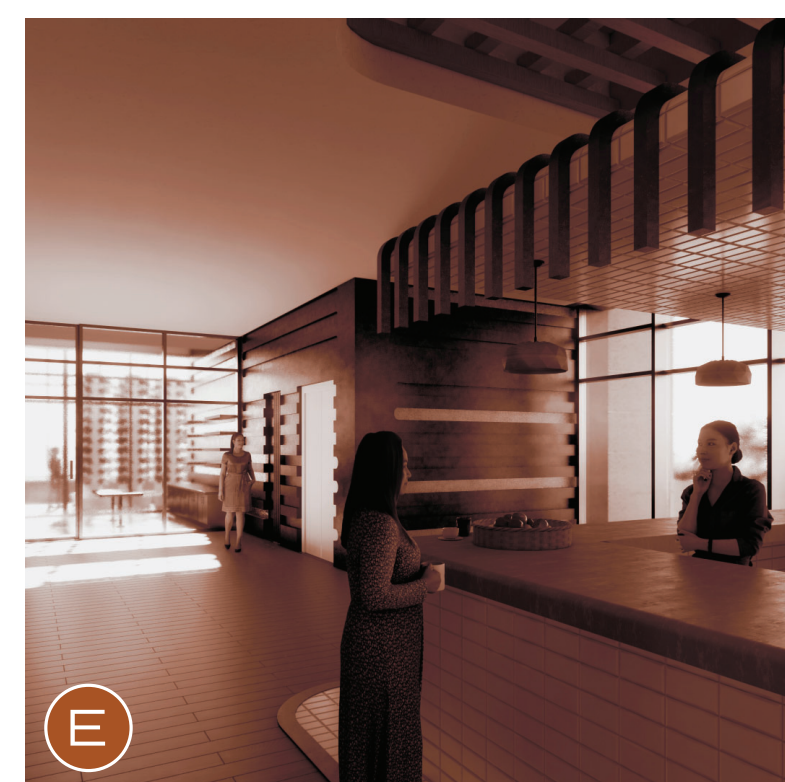
the smell of fresh baked bread and pastries



intimate areas to sit, work, and unwind



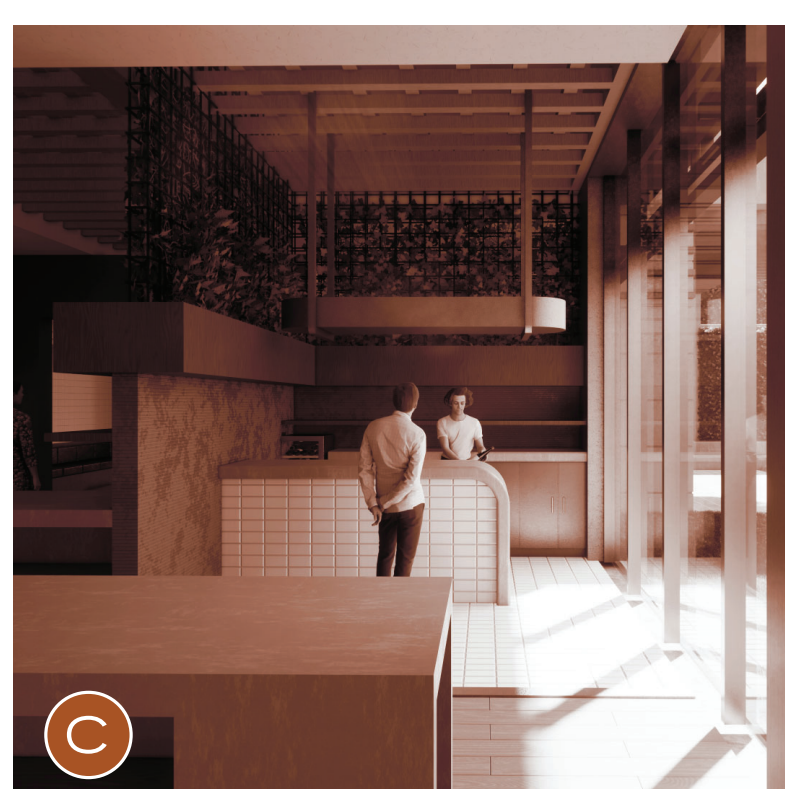
second floor



connection to the greenhouse and the exterior patio



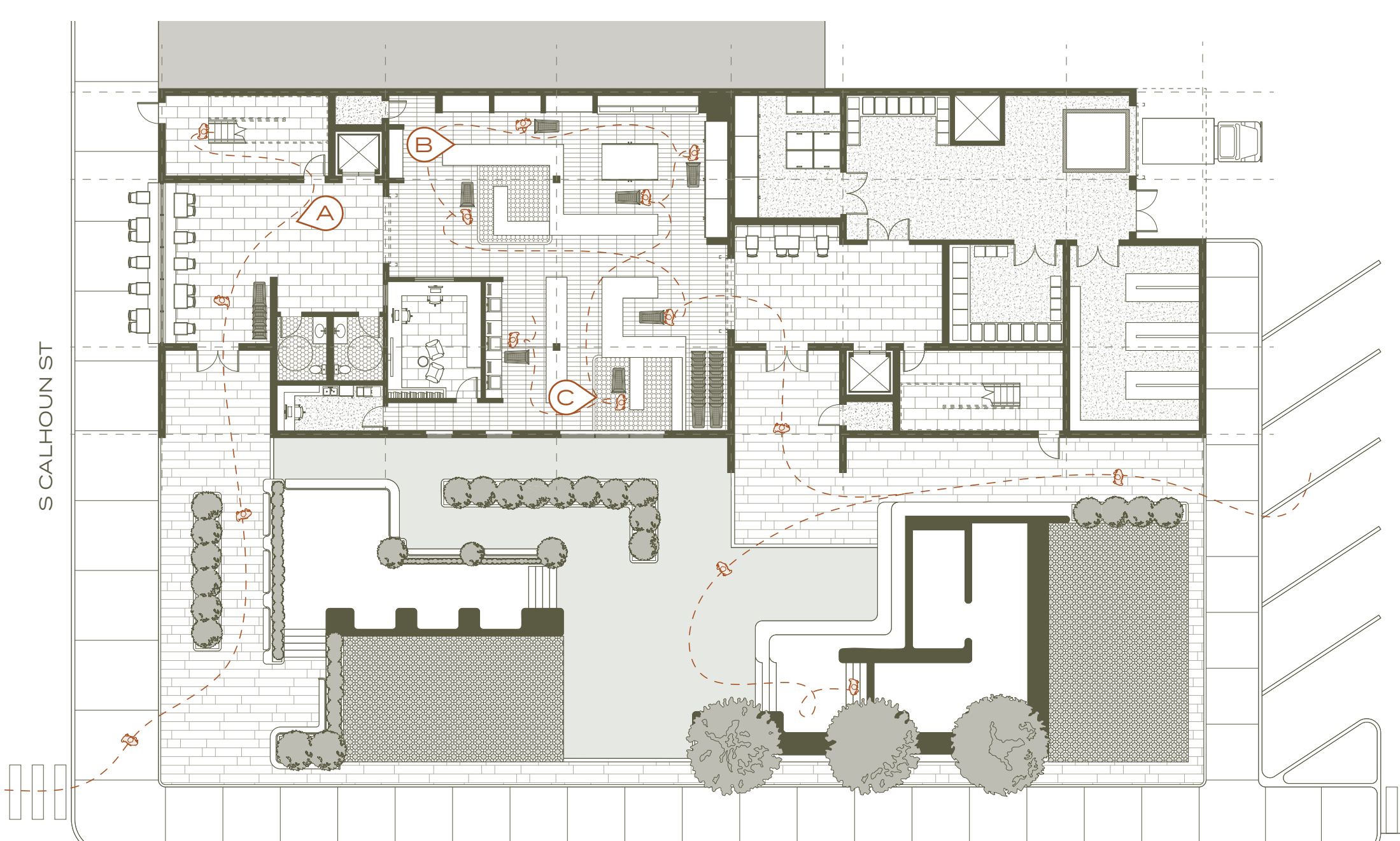
visually establishing a connection to the city of Fort Wayne



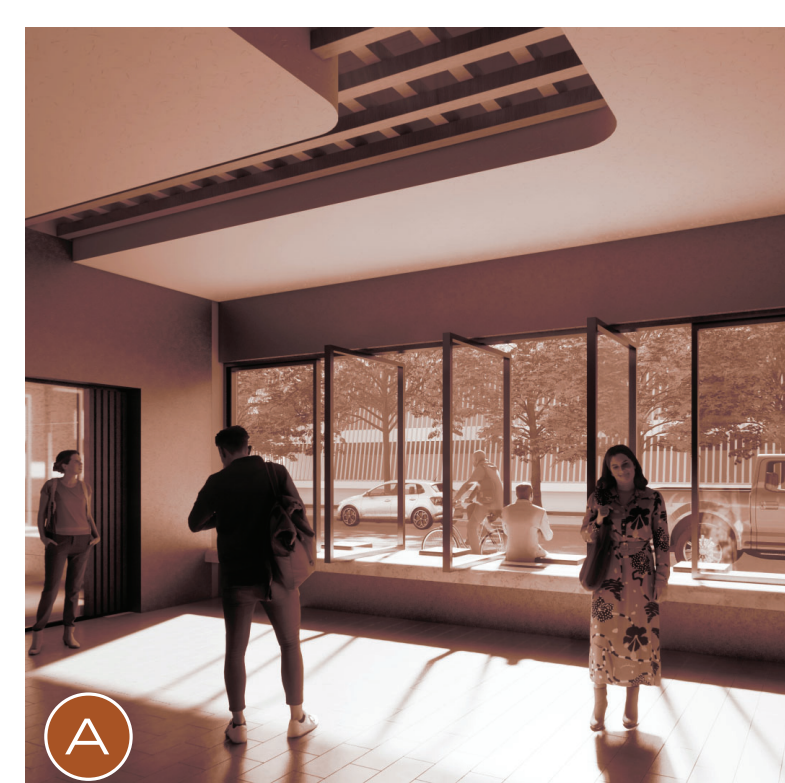
learning how to incorporate fresh produce into everyday meals



interacting with local start ups in an enriching environment



ground floor



continued interaction between market and street life



access to fresh produce and goods essential to French cuisine