

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
Campus Facilities Planning Committee
Agenda Item Description Form

1. **Item:** Lynn Eusan Stage Relocation
2. **Requesting Department:** Student Affairs / University Centers
3. **Contact Names & Phone Numbers:** Keith Kowalka, 3-5280
4. **Presenter:** Keith Kowalka
5. **Recommendation/Action Requested:** Site Approval

6. **Summary:**

The University Centers is requesting the approval of a new location for a new stage structure at the edge of Lynn Eusan Park.

The current stage is inadequate to meet the needs of Student Affairs and campus programs. The current structure does not have a rigging structure to allow for the mounting of lights and sound equipment. The electrical supply is not adequate for the types of events Student Affairs would like to host – particularly as the campus moves to a more residential campus. Additionally, the site has viewing and drainage problems. There are several large trees adjacent to the current stage that blocks views and the site holds water after rains.

The University Centers proposes the new stage and location for several reasons. The cost of upgrading the existing stage is cost prohibitive compared to building a new stage. The new location has smaller trees that can be relocated to other areas of the park. It also has few drainage problems. The relocation of several existing trees will allow for unobstructed views and for proper grading and drainage to be installed. Lastly, relocating the stage to the proposed location projects sound away from the Hilton Hotel.

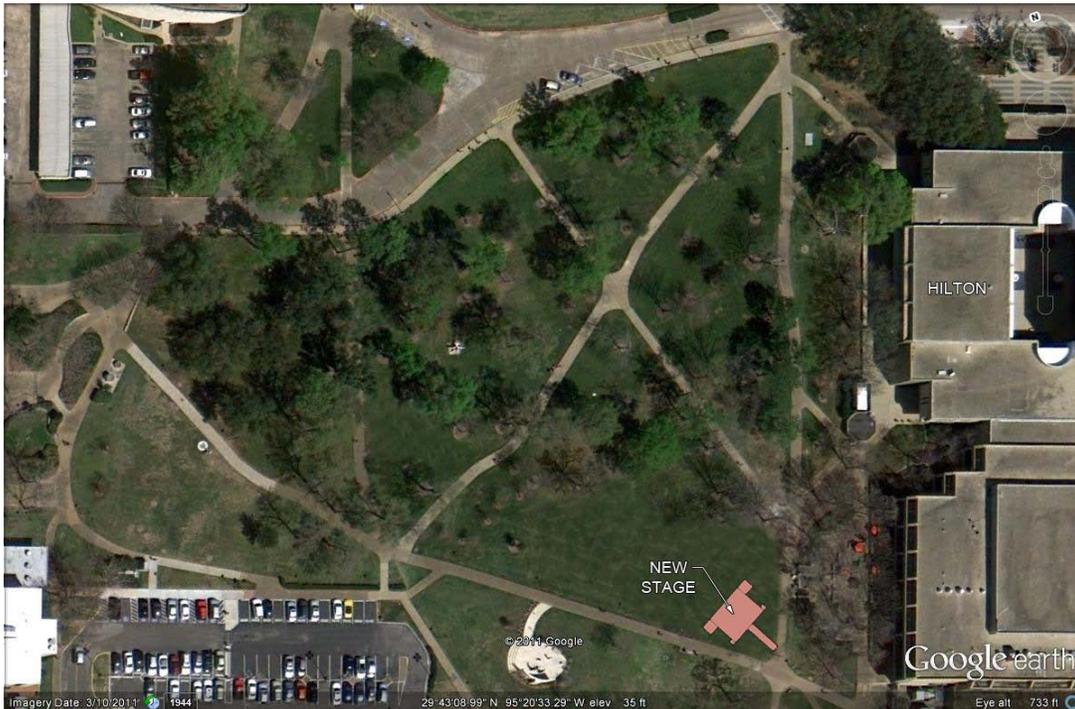
An upgrade to the Lynn Eusan Park Stage will provide greater access to a high quality outdoor space equipped with increased technical capabilities in order to showcase and provide for a wide variety of campus events intended to further enhance the Campus Life Experience for a rapidly growing student enrollment and UH community.

7. **Proposed Start Date:** Summer 2012
8. **Supporting Documentation Description:**
 - Existing Site
 - Proposed Location Site Plan
 - Stage Design Concepts (for informational purposes only)

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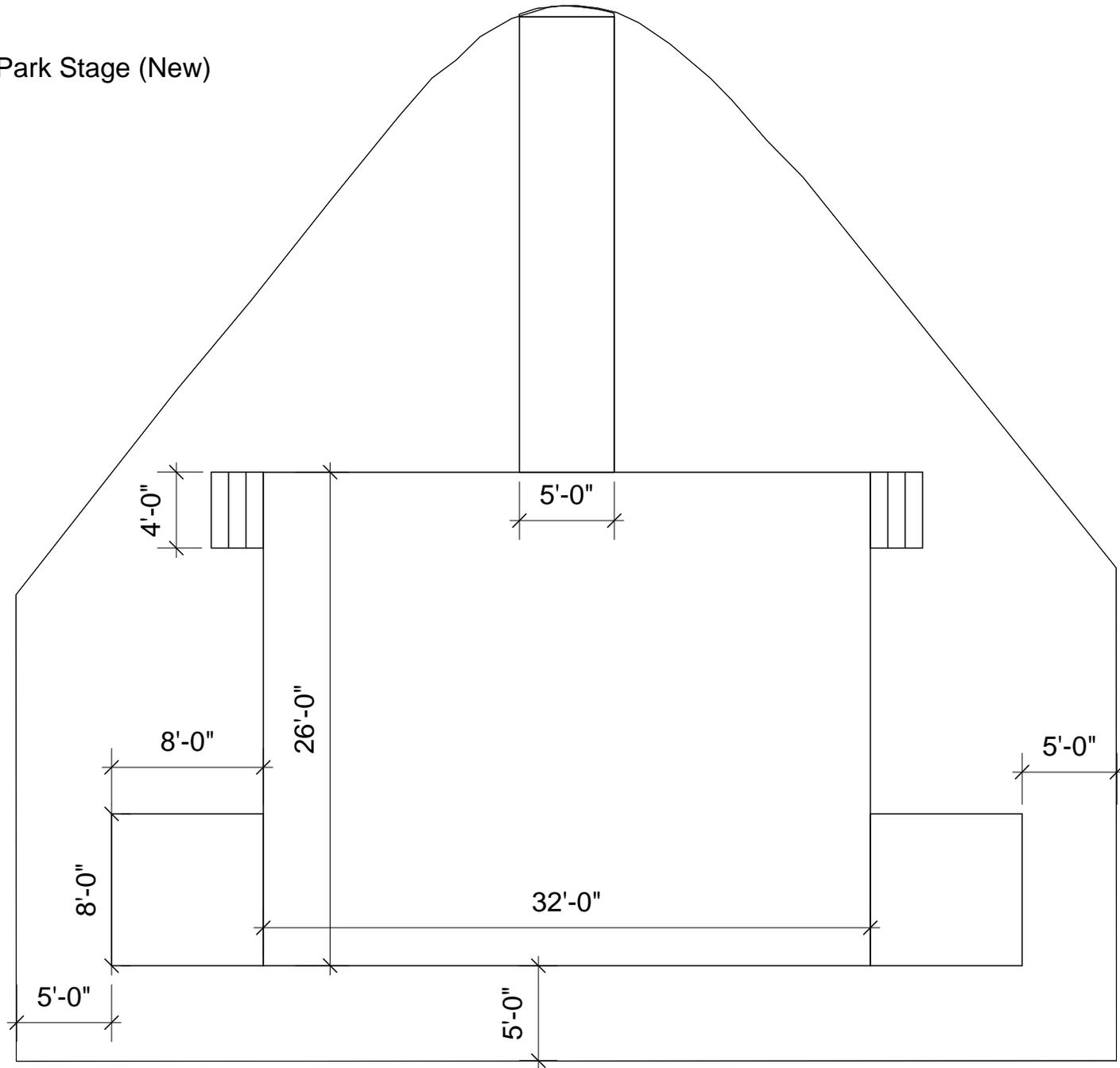


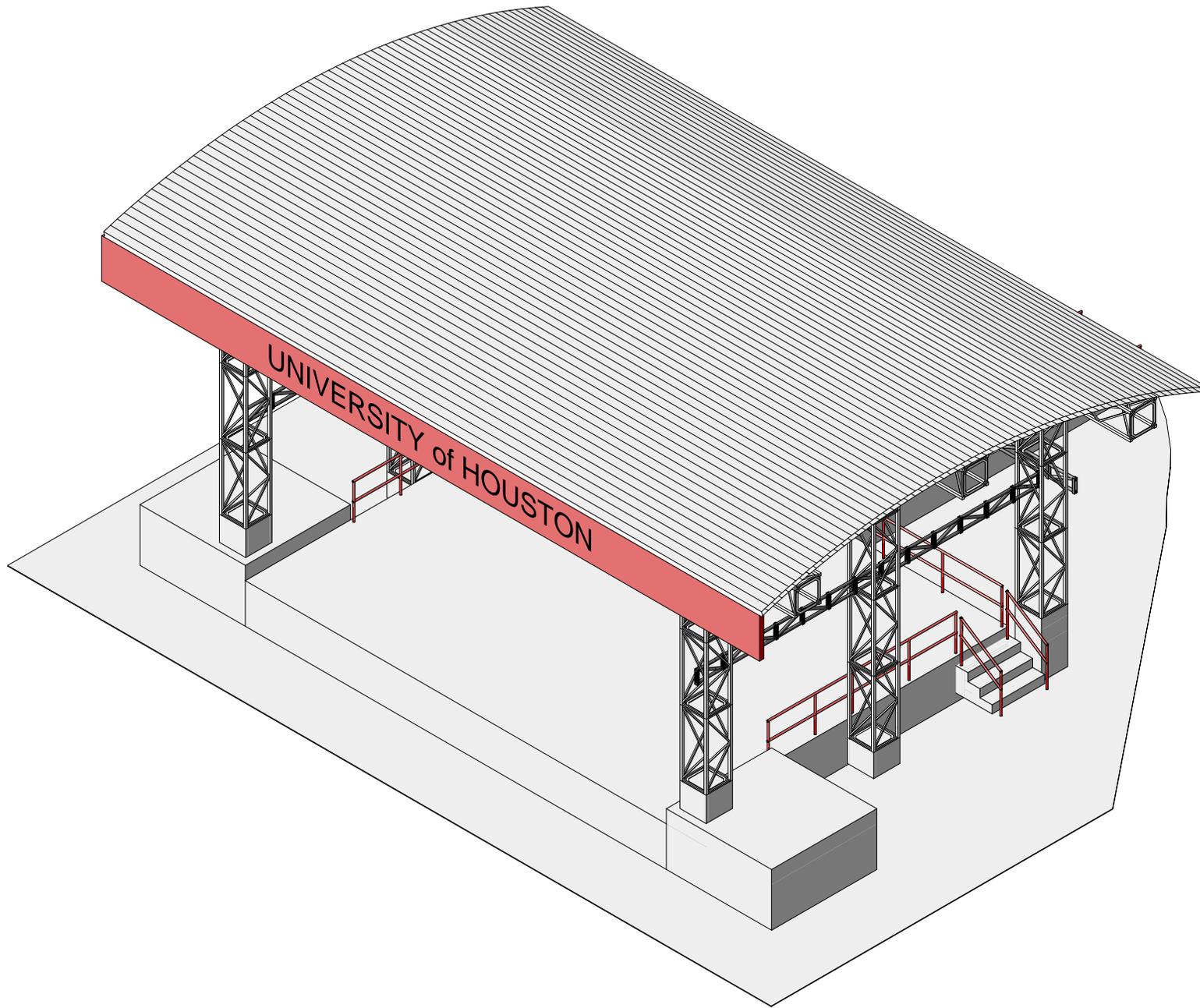
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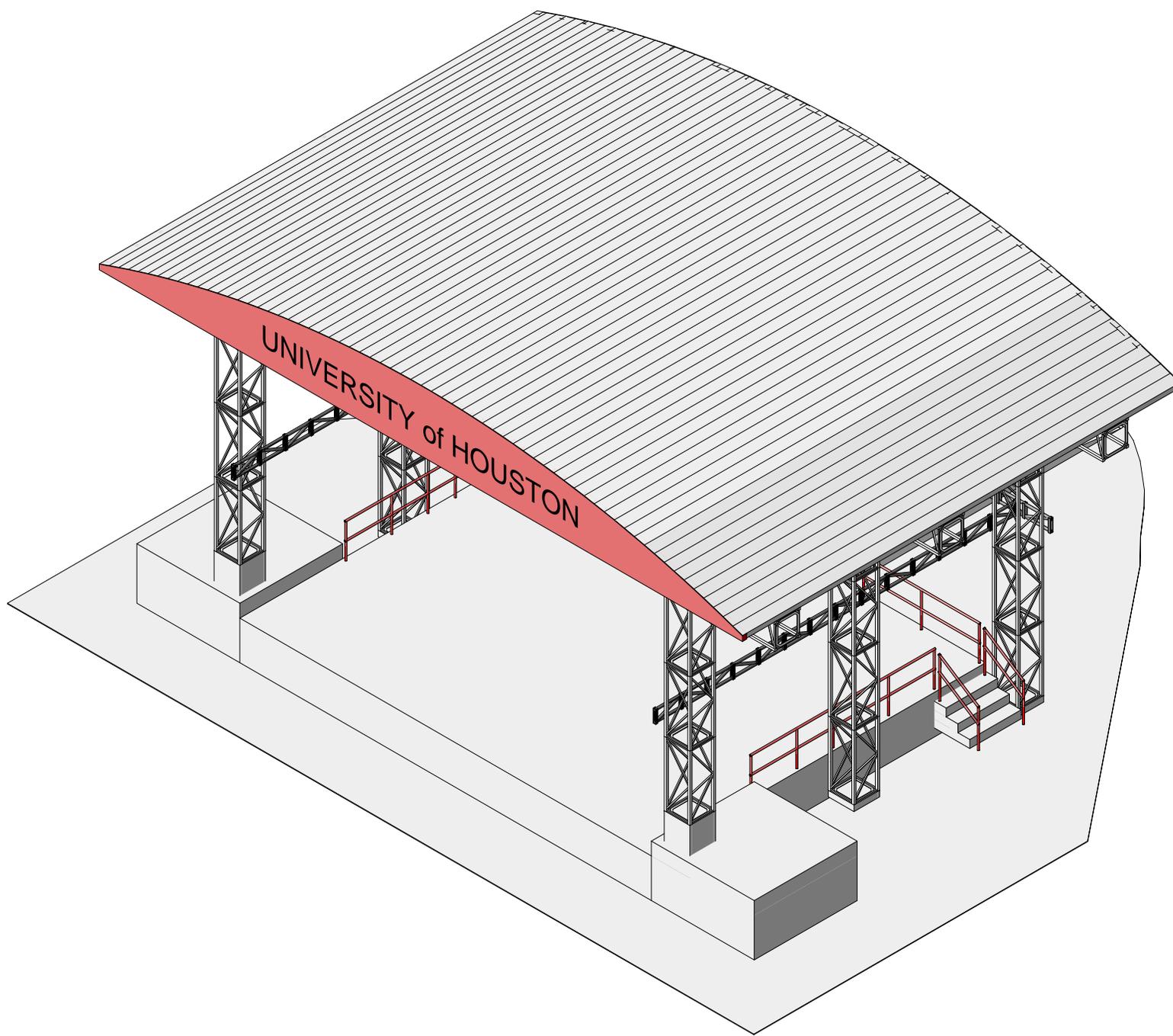
PROPOSED RENOVATION

Lynn Eusan Park Stage (New)

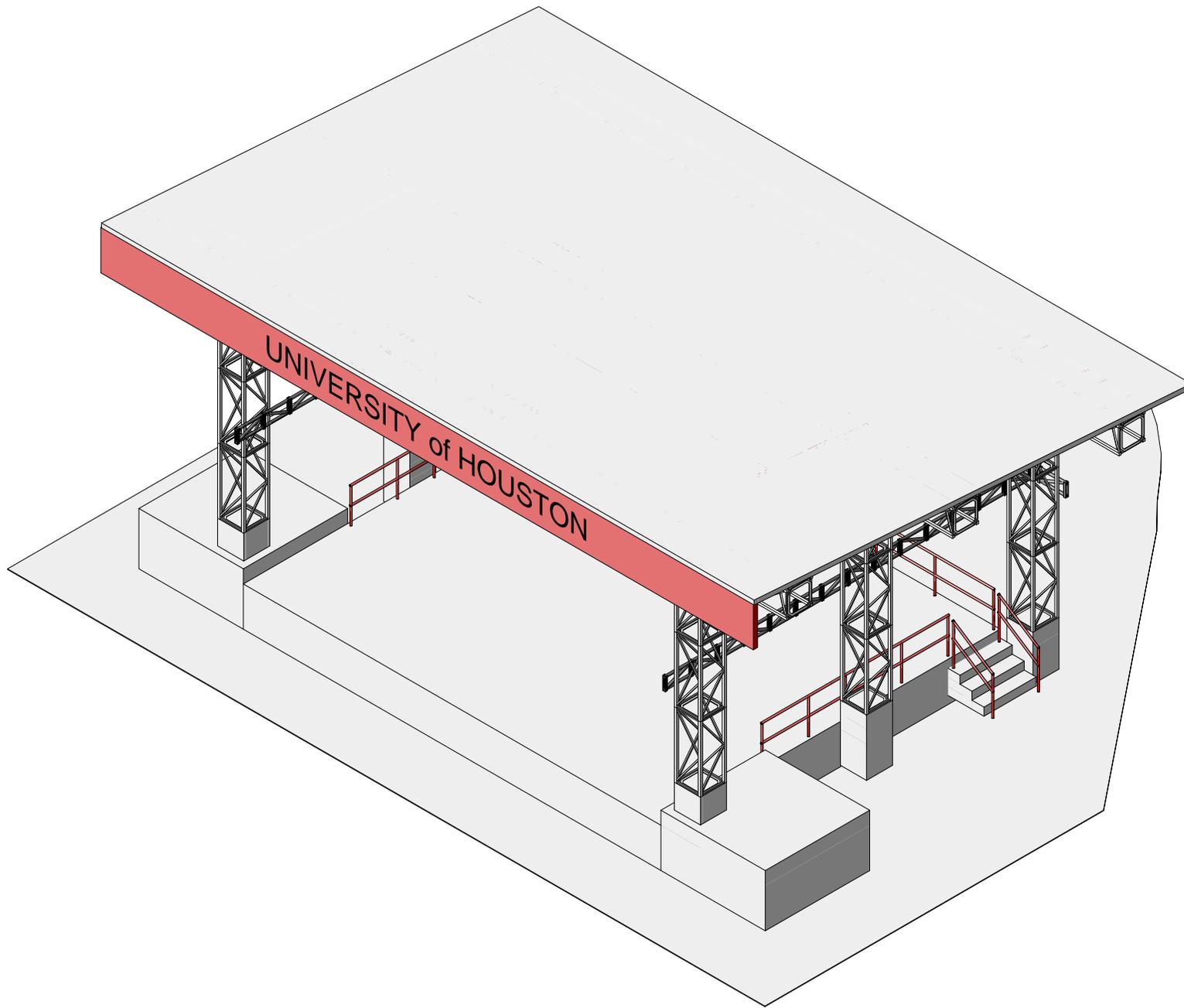




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Lynn Eusan Park Stage (New)
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