



TINY KIWI CABIN

The Competition Site

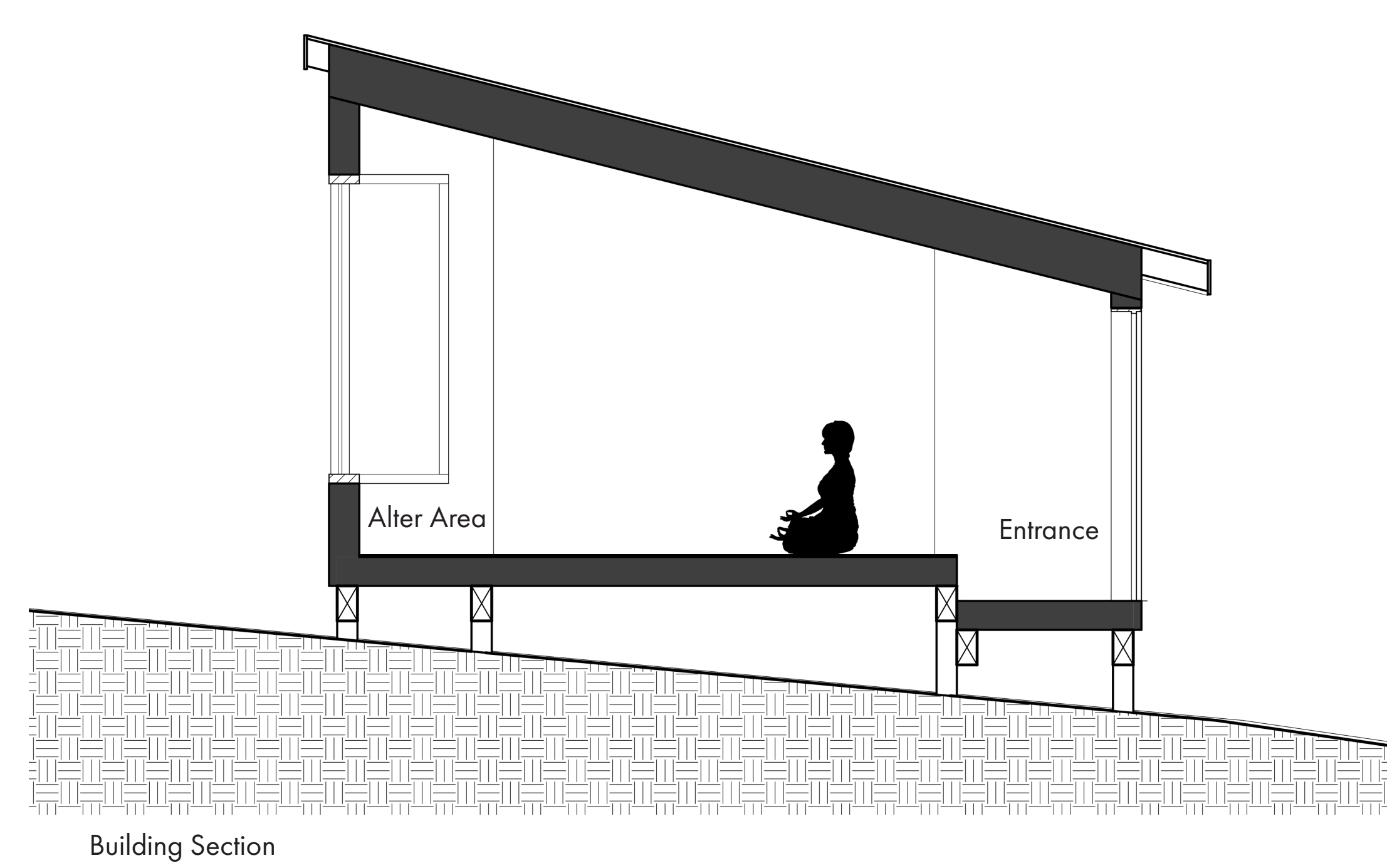
SUMMARY

The TYK Meditation Cabin provides a secluded, tranquil space for guests to experience group meditation while feeling connected to their natural and sacred surroundings. In addition to a meditation site, this multi-use cabin will be used to process flower essences to produce natural products.

The TYK Cabin embraces the concepts of Biophilic Design to achieve harmony with nature. Some of the elements of Biophilic Design used in the cabin include:
Extended Roof - allows the guests to feel sheltered from harsh elements
Tilted Roof - allows for an unimpeded view up the hill and of the surroundings
Extruded Central Window - allows for more hours of exposure to sunlight for connection to nature and allows adequate sun exposure for processing the flower essences.

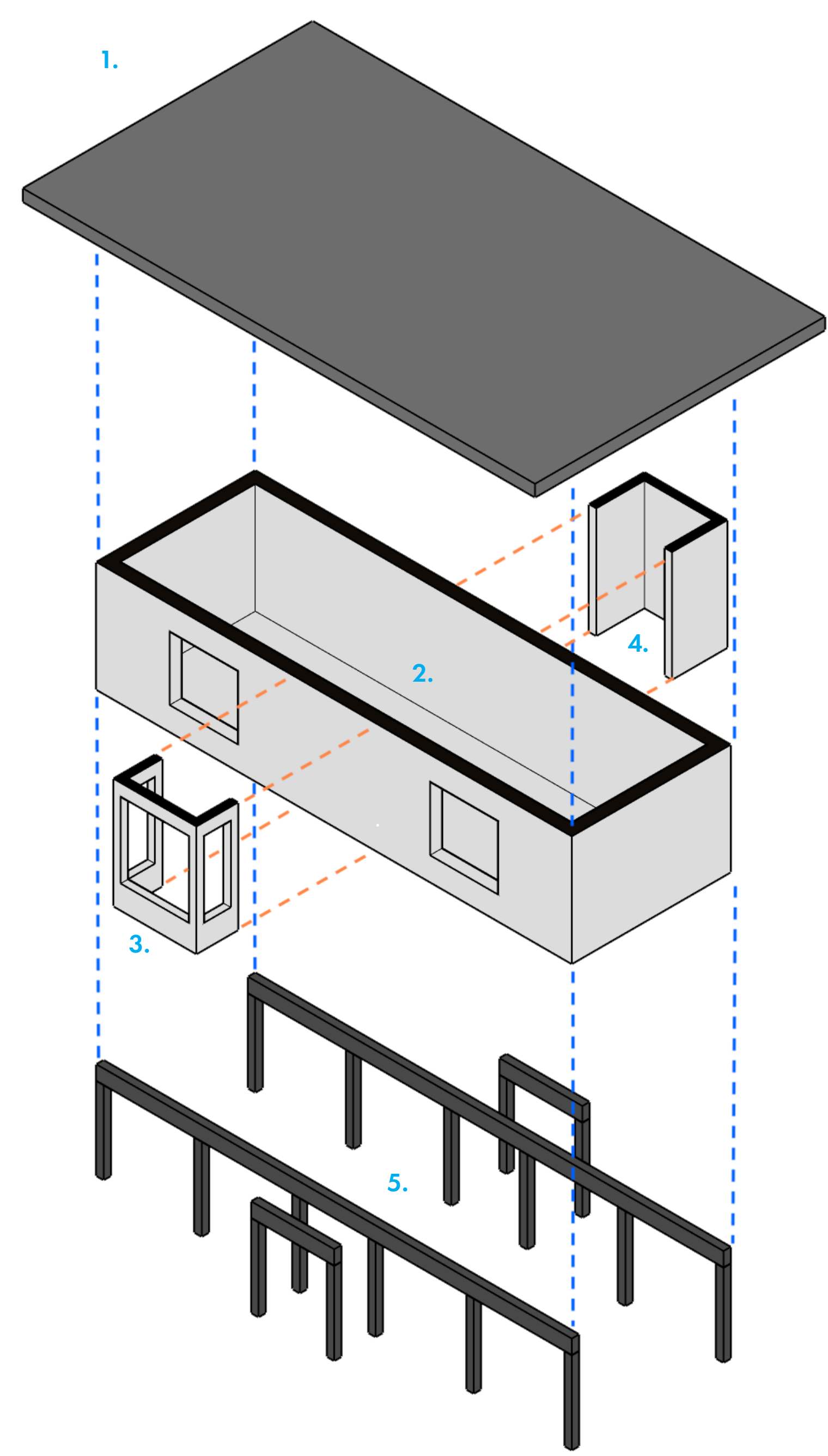
Some unique design elements ensure that the TYK cabin feels like a protected and silent space for meditation. Some of these elements are:
Additional Rear Entrance - minimizes disturbance to guests
Push Main Entrance Out - creates a mudroom separate from the meditation room
Dropped Floor - stepping up into the meditation room provides a psychological lift

The TYK Cabin will use local timber and materials to maintain a low environmental impact for the project.



Building Section

FUNCTIONAL DESIGN



- LEGEND:**
- 1. Roof
 - 2. Meditation Area
 - 3. Sun Area
 - 4. Mudroom
 - 5. Foundation



Perched on a hill, overlooking the ocean