

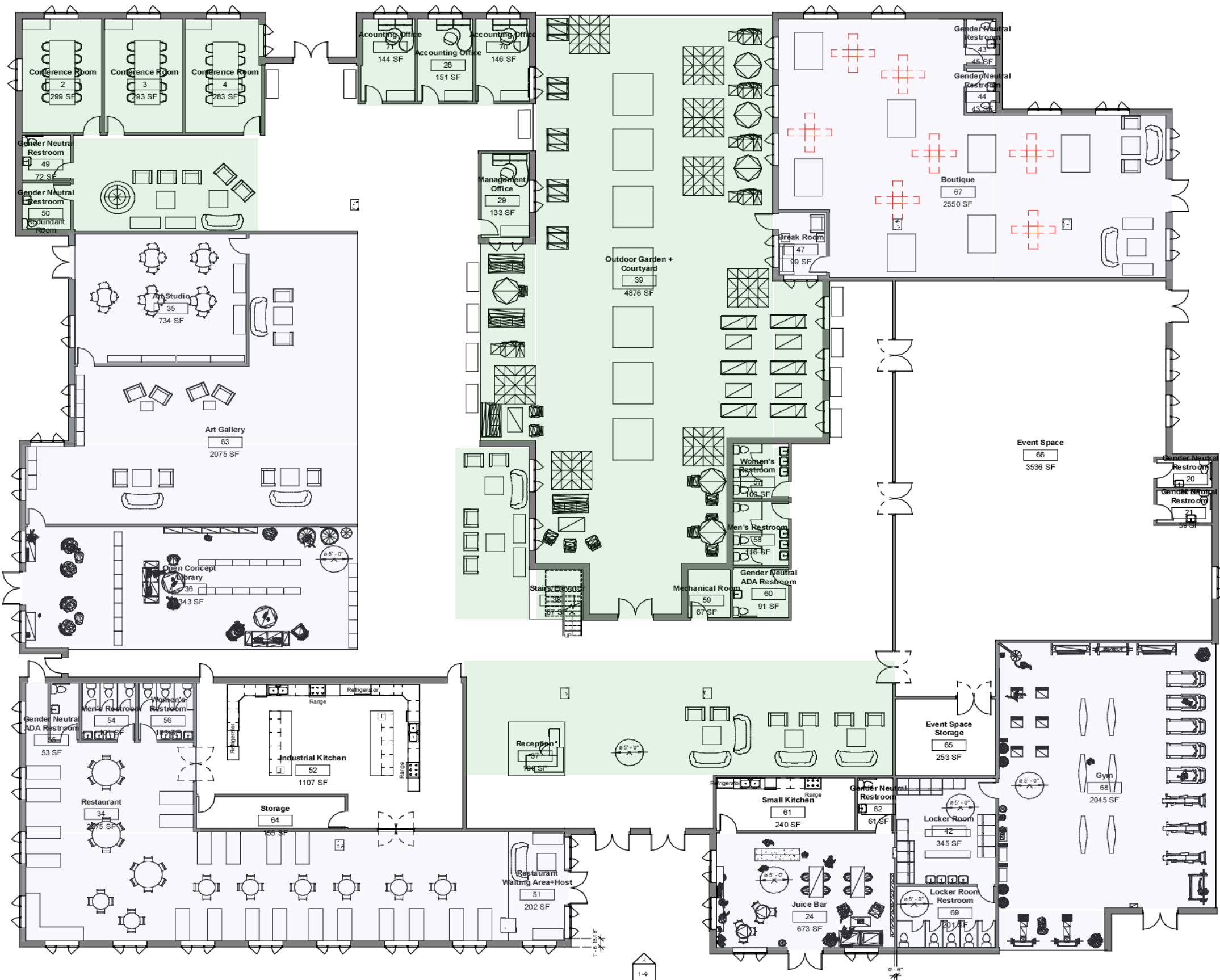
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This multi-use facility is intended for private use on the 2nd floor for women who have experienced violence, and as well as for public use on the 1st floor. The community of women will inspire a fresh, empowering start for all of them with new-found independence and support. The concept "begin again" inspired this design and will provide this vulnerable population a place to call home, supporting safety and a new beginning. Located in Las Vegas, Nevada, the center will provide a safe home for women in dangerous situations in a place that has a deep need for a facility that addresses the overlap of violence against women and homelessness.



# Guiding Start

LOCATION: Las Vegas, Nevada



FLOOR 1



FLOOR 2

KEY

- spaces open to the public
- spaces open to residents and business affiliates
- private resident apartments
- spaces and resources open to residents



LIBRARY

## DESIGN CONCEPT

### *begin again*

The concept that inspired this design is "begin again". This building is intended to enrich the residents with resources and spaces that support their growth and new beginning in life. With a group of women supporting each other, the facility will be a flourishing environment for individuals who are too often overlooked in society.



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