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Sold: Contemporary architecture



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This East York 1950s bungalow was rebuilt with a modern design.

East York 11 Barfield Ave. (Coxwell and Cosburn avenues) Asking price: \$1.13-million Sold for: \$1.13-million Taxes: N/A Bedrooms: 3+1 Bathrooms: 3 Time on the market: six day

Eleven Barfield's contemporary architecture speaks to Toronto's fast-developing appetite for modern homes, says Rambod Nasrin, director at Upside Development, the company that renovated the home.

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Inside, horizo

A 1950s bungalow was rebuilt with a modern design and advanced construction systems, he says. The exterior blends natural wood with brick, architectural windows and a wrapped freestanding canopy over the front door.

Inside, horizontal windows punctuate the space and flood the interior with natural light. Features include 10-foot ceilings on the main floor, nine-foot ceilings on the second floor and ceilings that are eight feet high in the lower level. A floating staircase and a glass wall, a contemporary designer kitchen that has a high-gloss panel and walnut island and engineered plank hardwood flooring throughout are other highlights.

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An open-concept living and dining room, heated tile floors in the four-piece master ensuite bathroom and a lower-level recreation room are other features.

The home has cross ventilation for natural cooling, low-E argon-filled windows with fibreglass frames, low-flush toilets and an energy-efficient furnace.

The 32×110-foot landscaped lot has a paved backyard, a deck, patios and terrace gardens. The front driveway has parking for up to three cars.

The home is close to schools, parks, cafes and the TTC.

Listing Broker: Keller Williams Advantage Realty (Julie Hughes and Michael Clarke)

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