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PenPlace Amazon Arlington HQ

Site Planning Review Committee: SPRC #1 October 28, 2021

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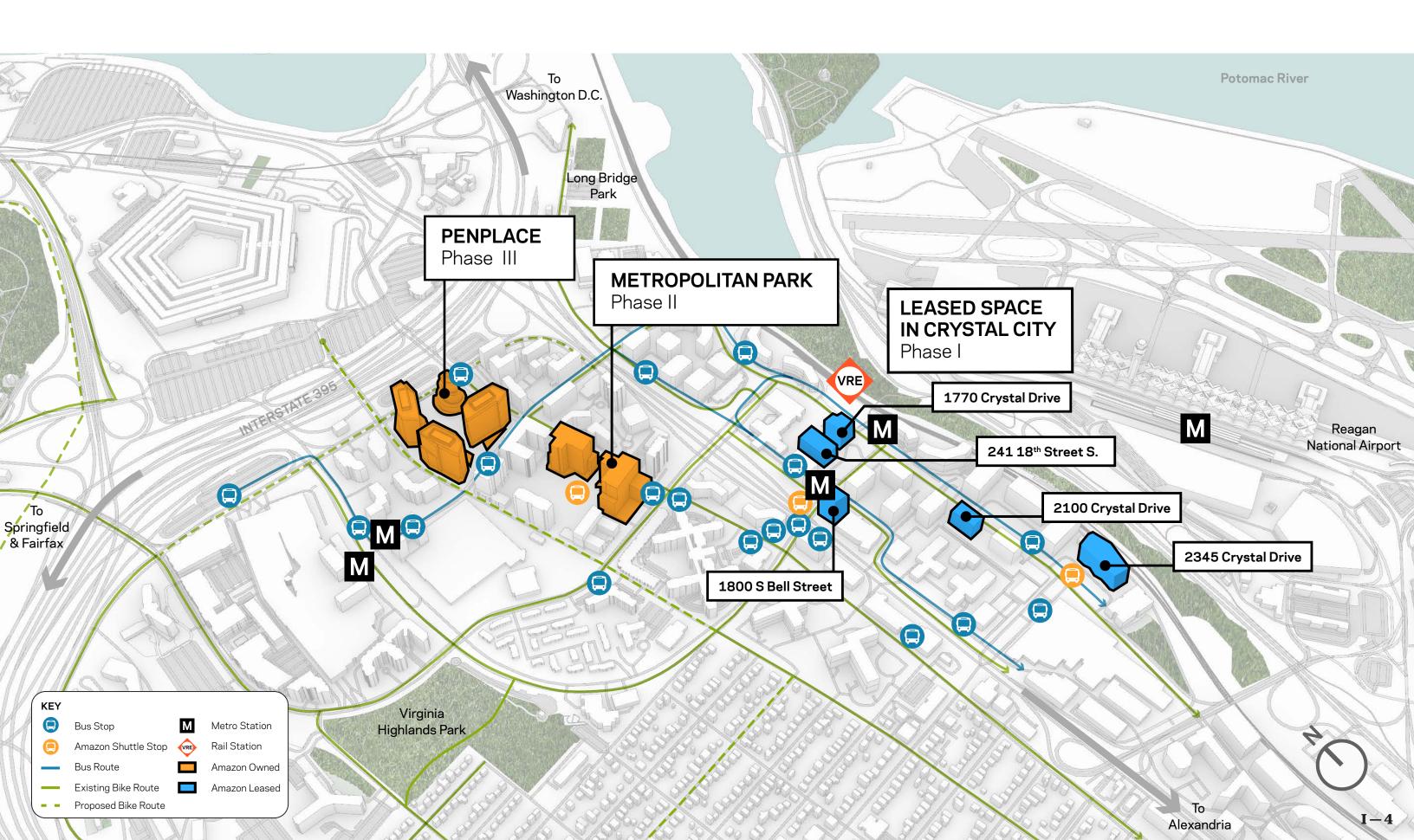
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Amazon in Arlington County









Engage the Community

Contribute to sense of place and community vitality



Be Resilient

Infuse with sustainable systems to support health and wellness



Make Connections

Create an enhanced streetscape and public realm integrated with multiple modes of transportation



Enrich the Public Realm

Create ample public space and foster a pedestrianoriented environment



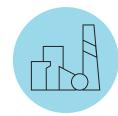
Be Open and Welcoming

Dedicate the ground level to public use and include neighborhood-serving retail, restaurant, and services as well as recreational opportunities



Be Accessible

Address the needs of all potential users, regardless of ability



Embrace Diversity in the Built Environment

Well-detailed, carefully massed architecture, meaningfully interacting with open spaces



Incorporate Nature

Design a landscape appropriate to the location that offers visual interest in all seasons



Celebrate the Unique Aspects of the Site

Unveil the history and special qualities of PenPlace and Pentagon City



Delight and Surprise

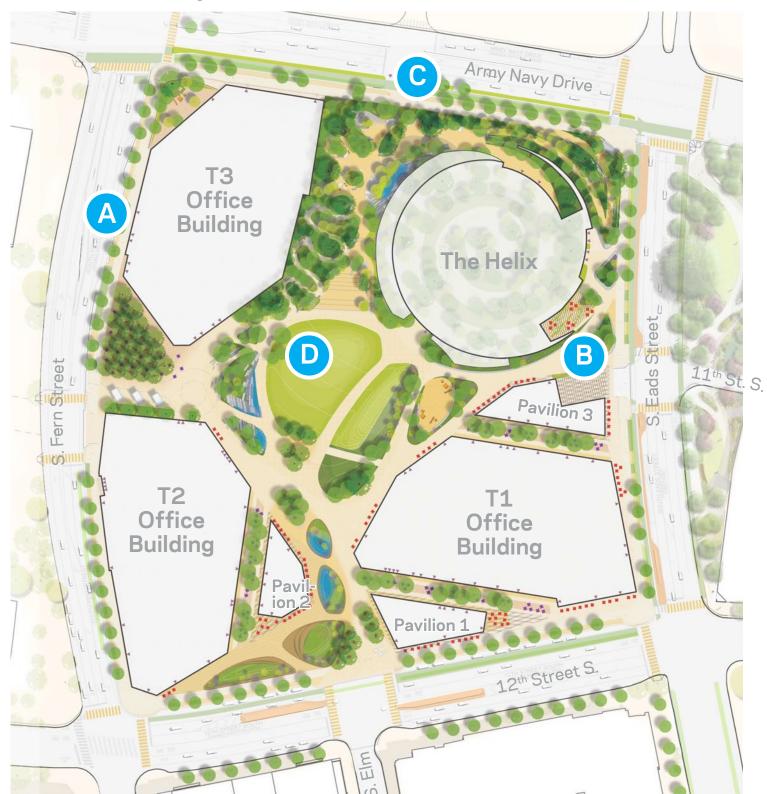
Include the unexpected

What We Heard at LRPC

Community & Staff Feedback

- A Strong desire for protected bike lanes on all 4 sides of PenPlace.
- B Advocacy for east/west bike & micro-mobility solution through the site.
- Interest in additional, direct pedestrian connection to Army-Navy Drive.
- D Support for significant planting area & desire for more planting diversity and biophilia.

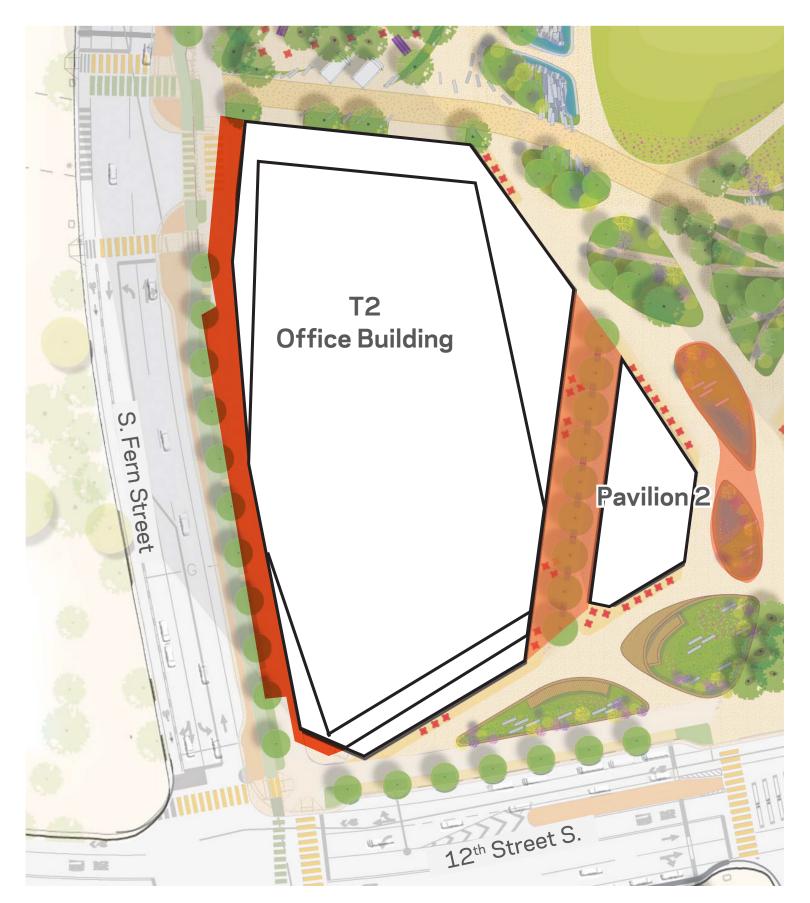
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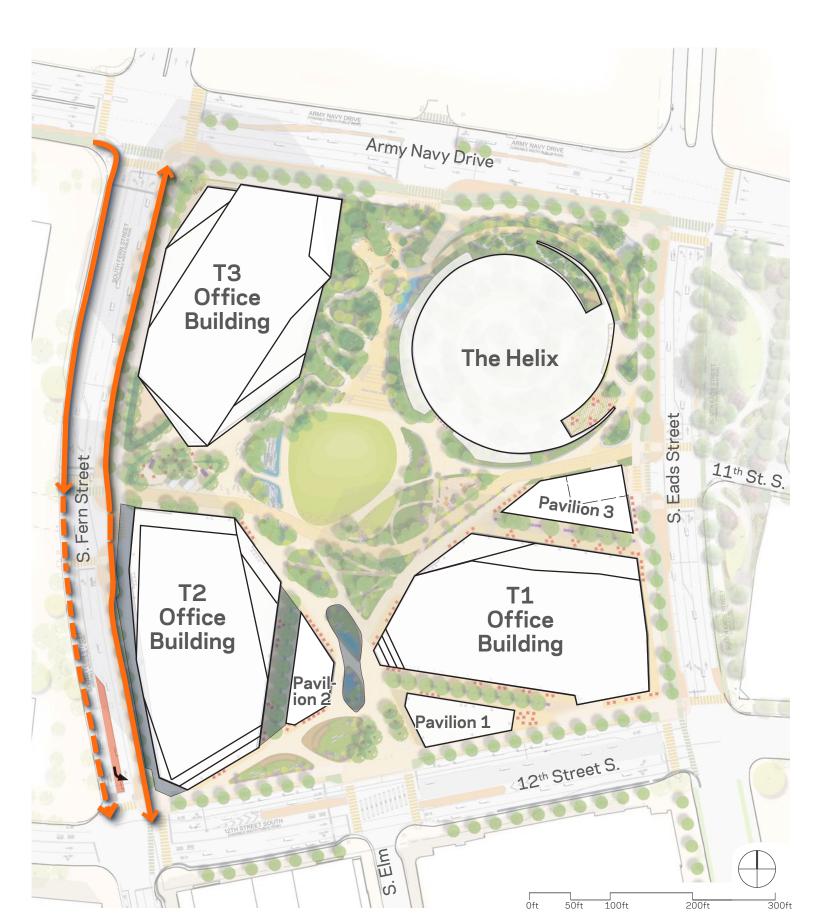
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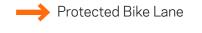


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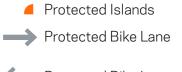






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Protected Islands

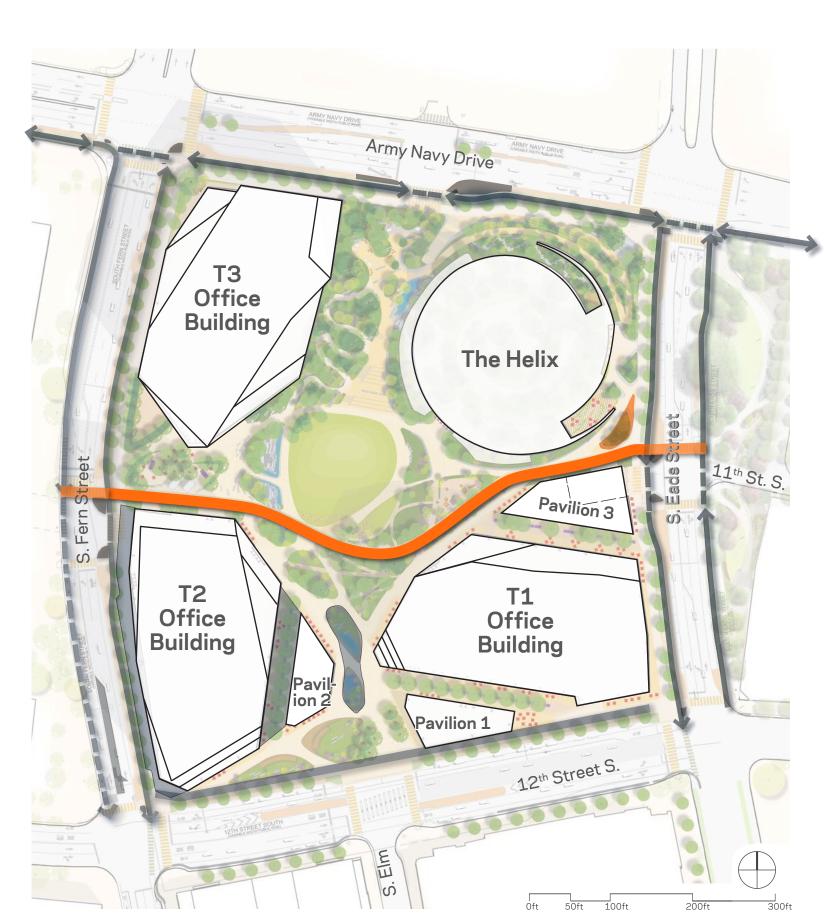
Protected Bike Lane

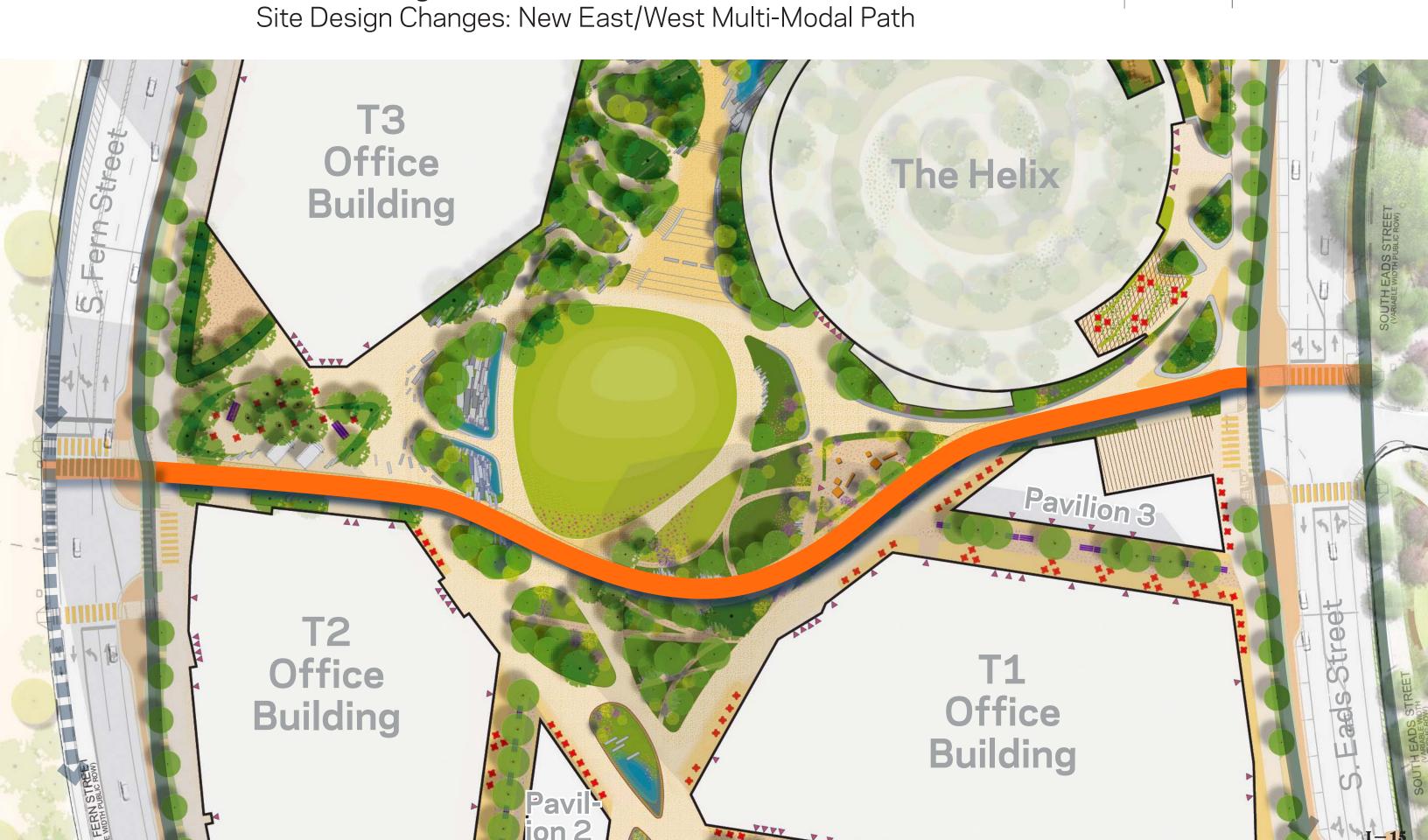
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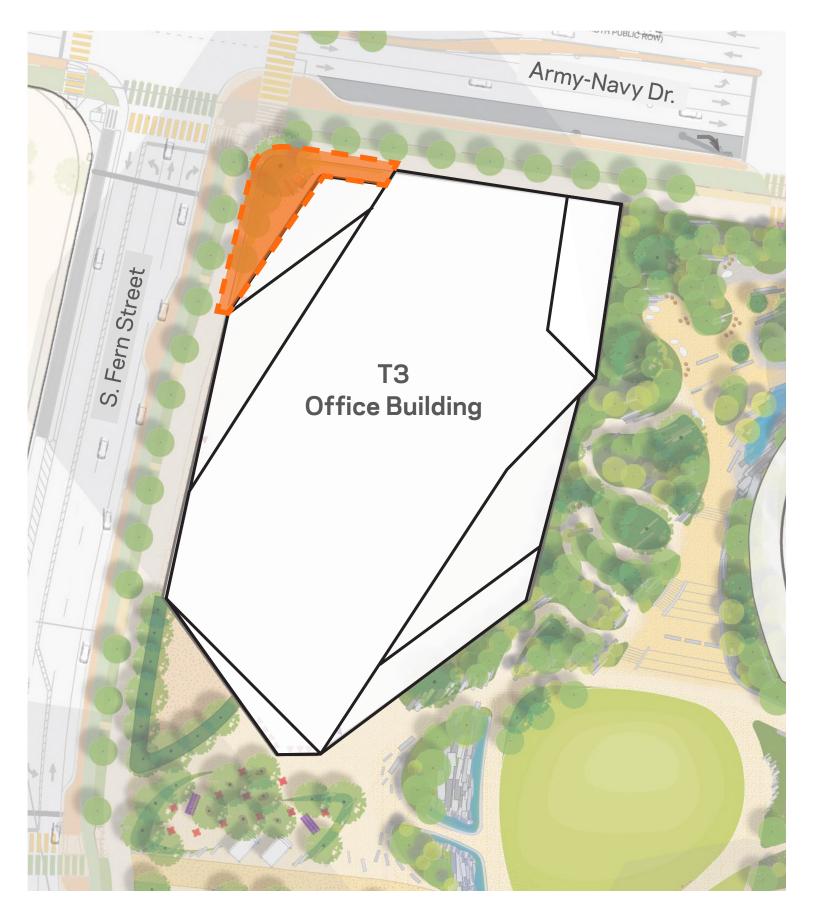


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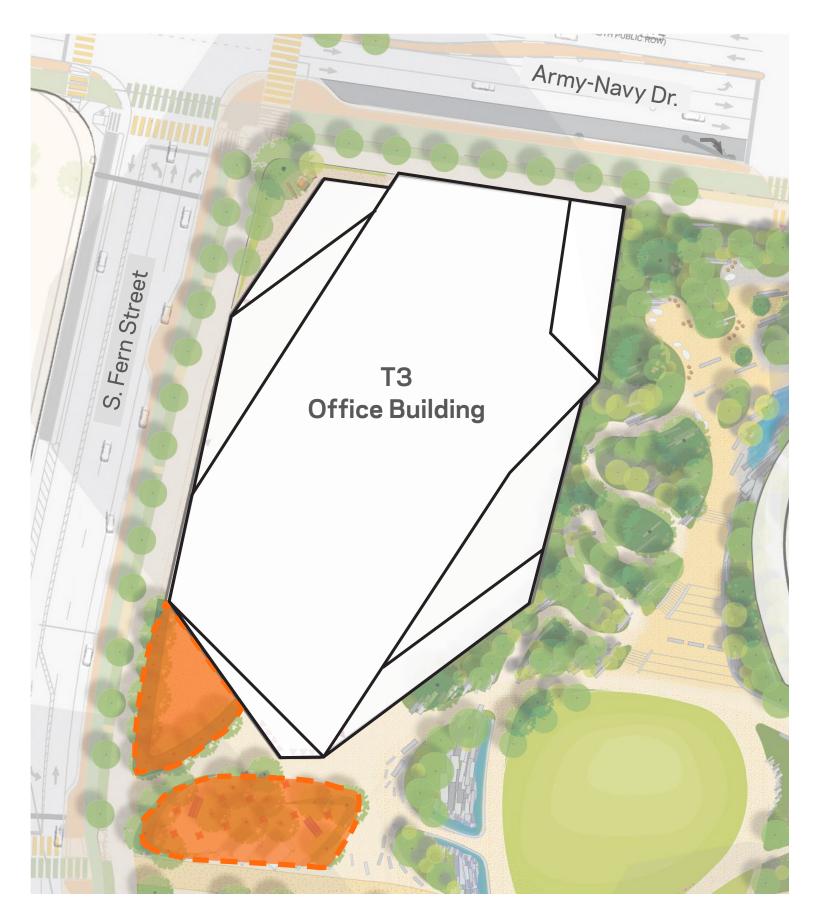


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- Childcare's outdoor play area moves to south side of T3. Fern Street Plaza redesign is underway.





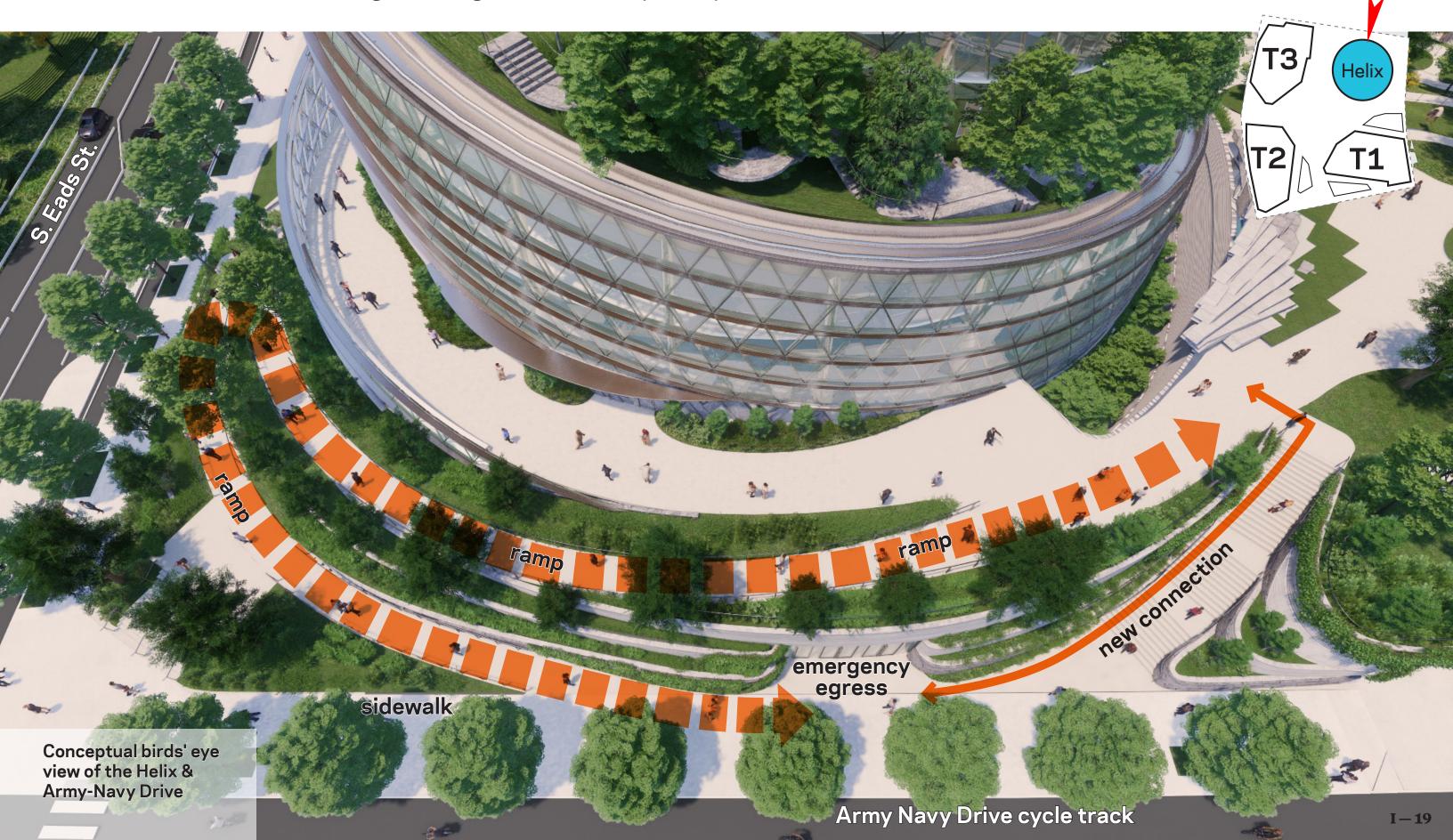
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What's Changed since LRPC #3

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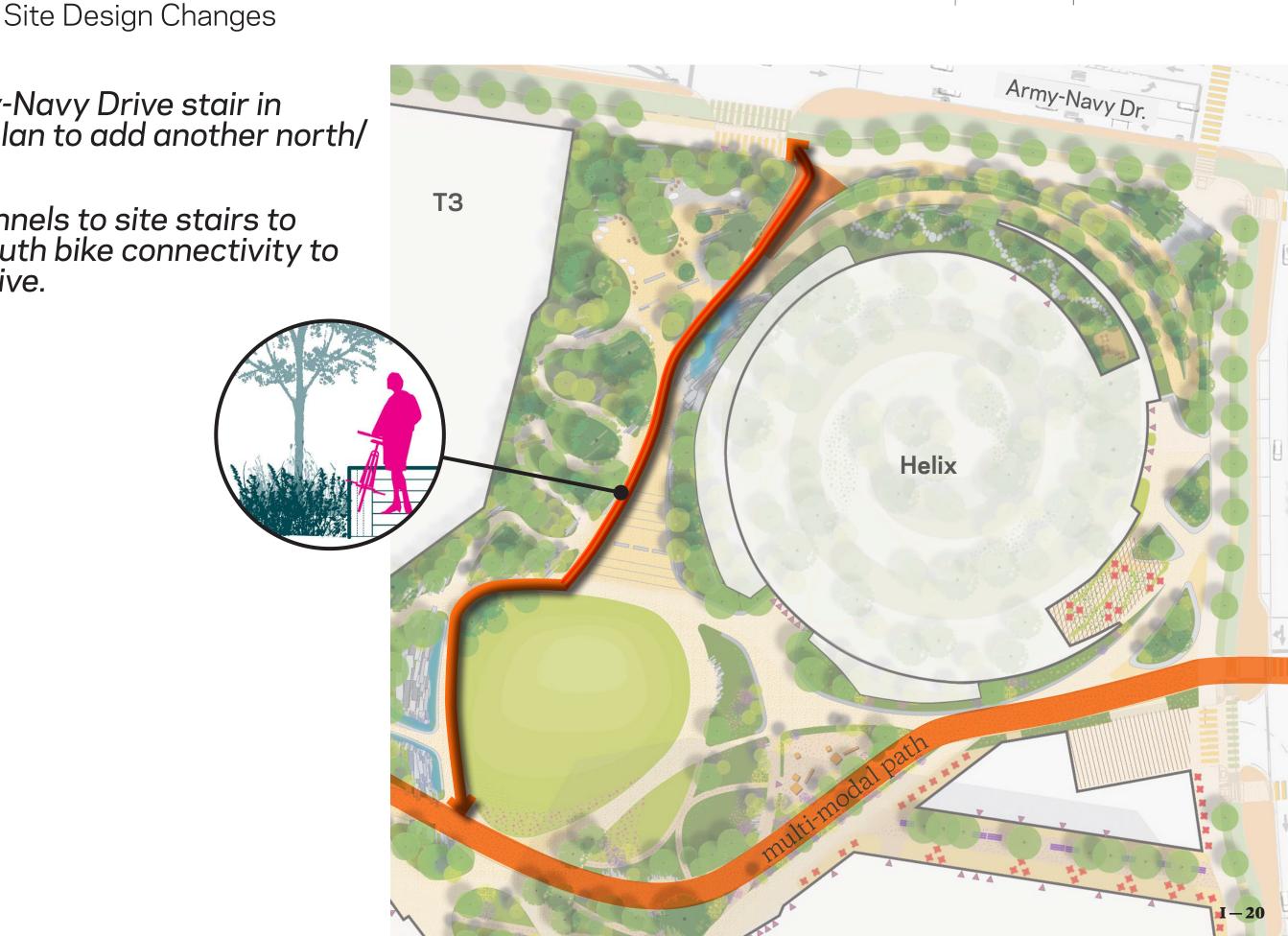
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Site Design Changes: New Army-Navy Drive Connection

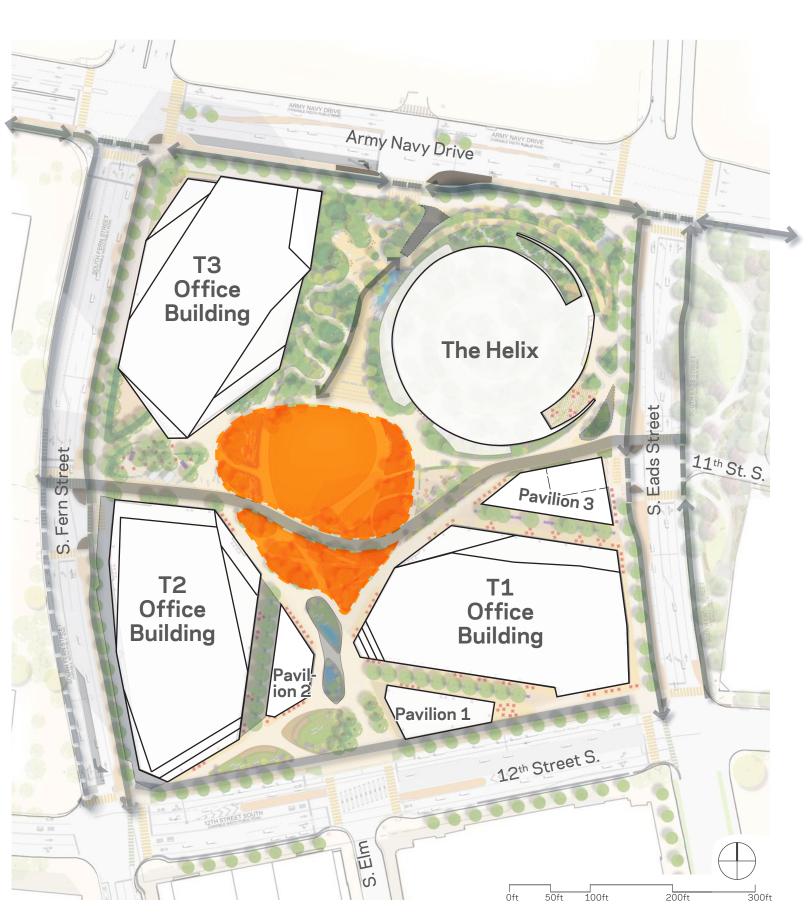


Included Army-Navy Drive stair in updated site plan to add another north/ south path.

 Added bike runnels to site stairs to allow north/south bike connectivity to Army Navy Drive.

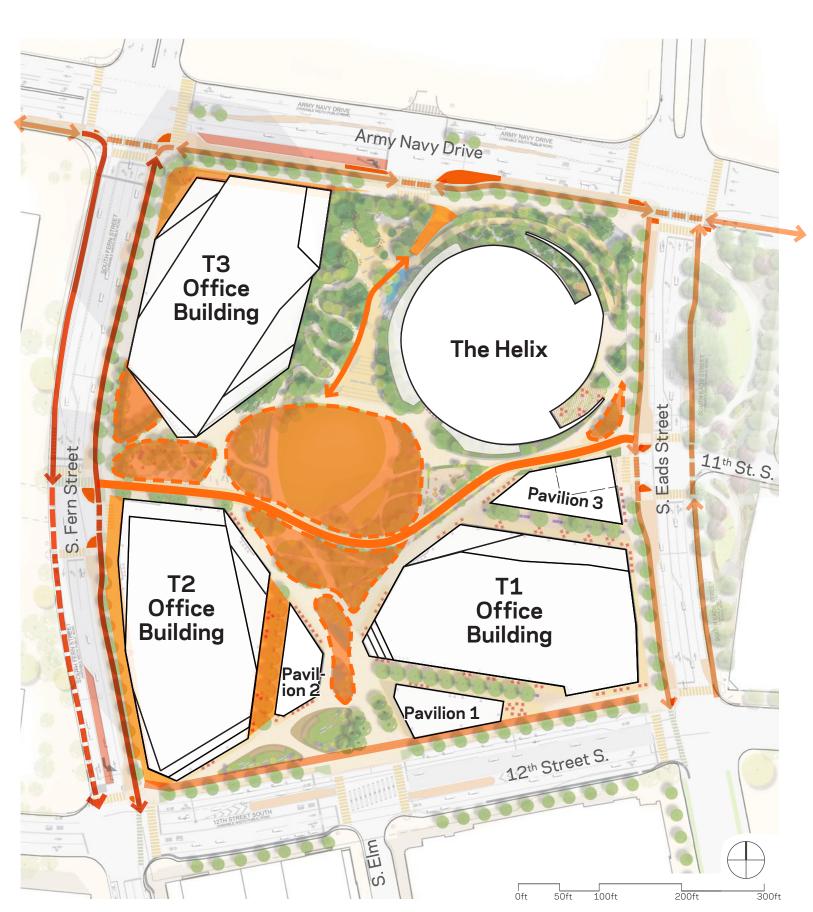


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Summary of Design ChangesSite & Architectural Design

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Community & Staff Feedback

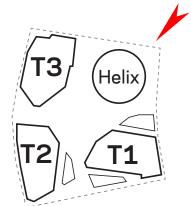
- A Need to continue to increase variety & visual interest at the rooflines. Can the office buildings be different heights?
- B This is the right site for density and tall buildings.
- © Explore varying the office building "middles" and create a clear base-middle-top for each office building.
- D Study further sculpting of the office buildings to break down the massing.
- © Can the office buildings incorporate elements of planting and 'green'?

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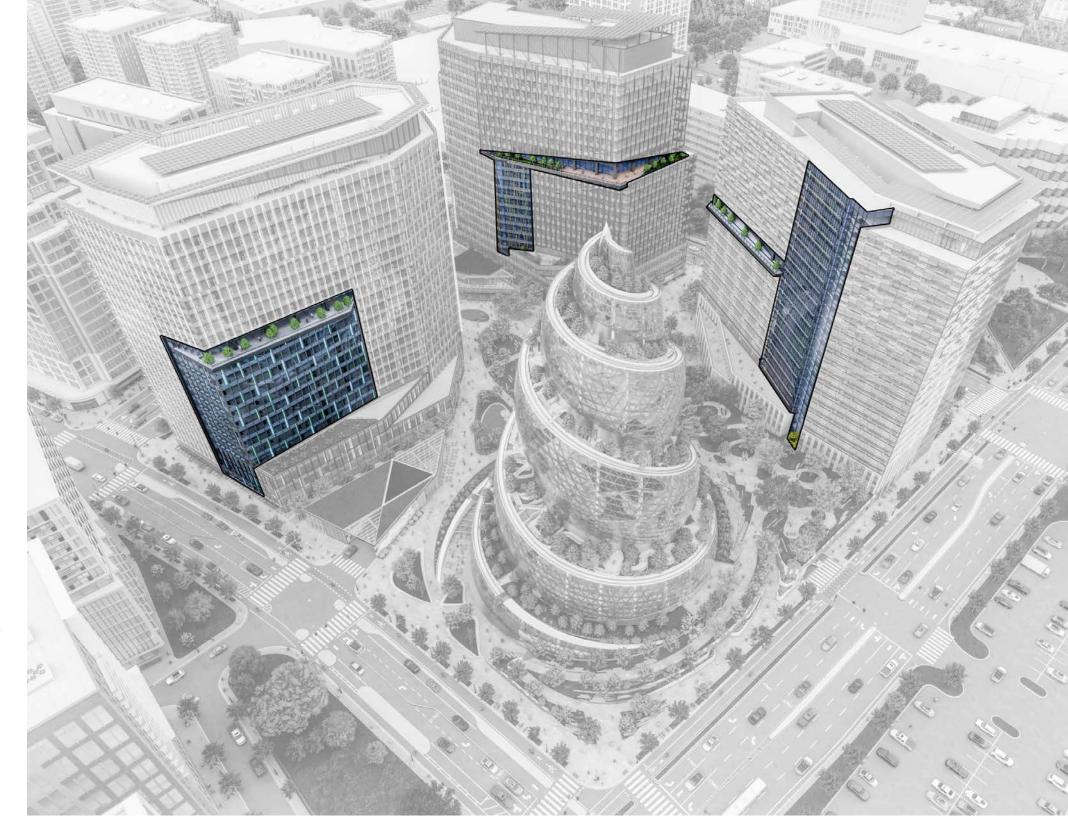


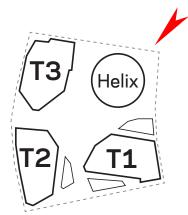
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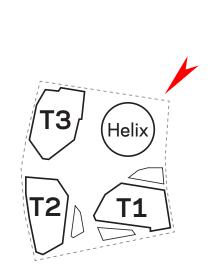


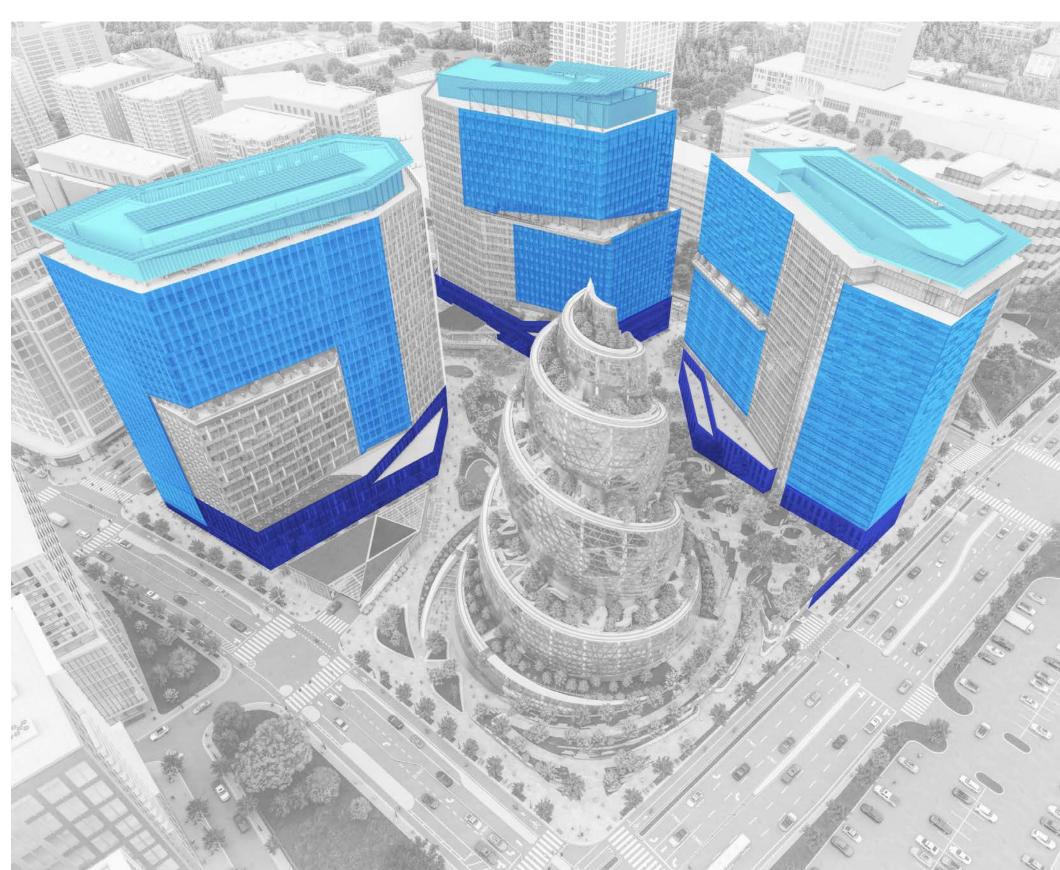
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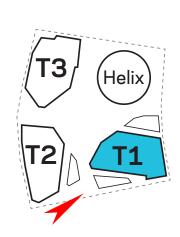
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- Revised massing to better distinguish base, middle and top for each Office Building.







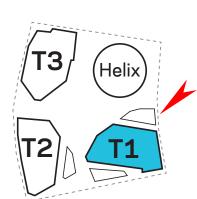
Conceptual view of T1 from 12th Street sidewalk near Fern St.

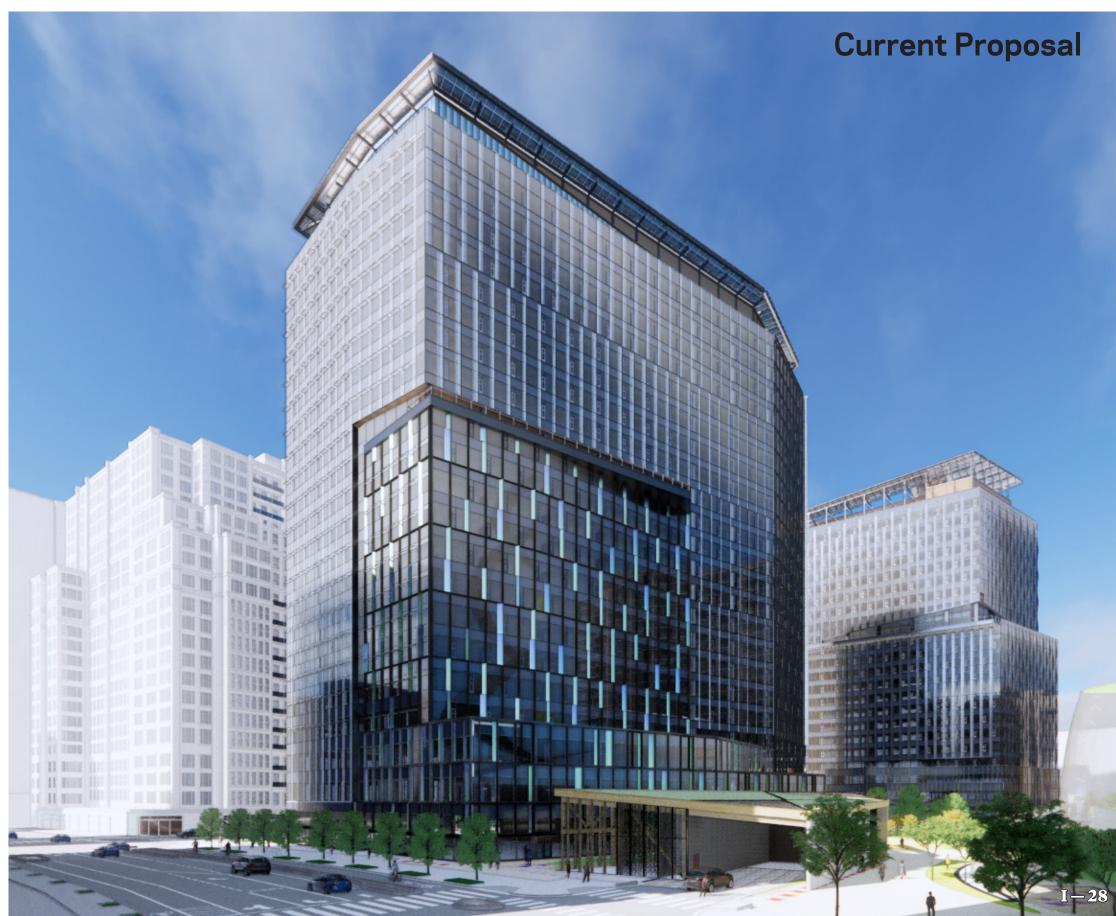






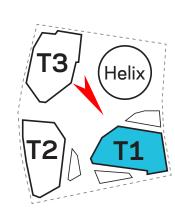
Conceptual view of T1 S. Eads Street facades, from the New Park across the street

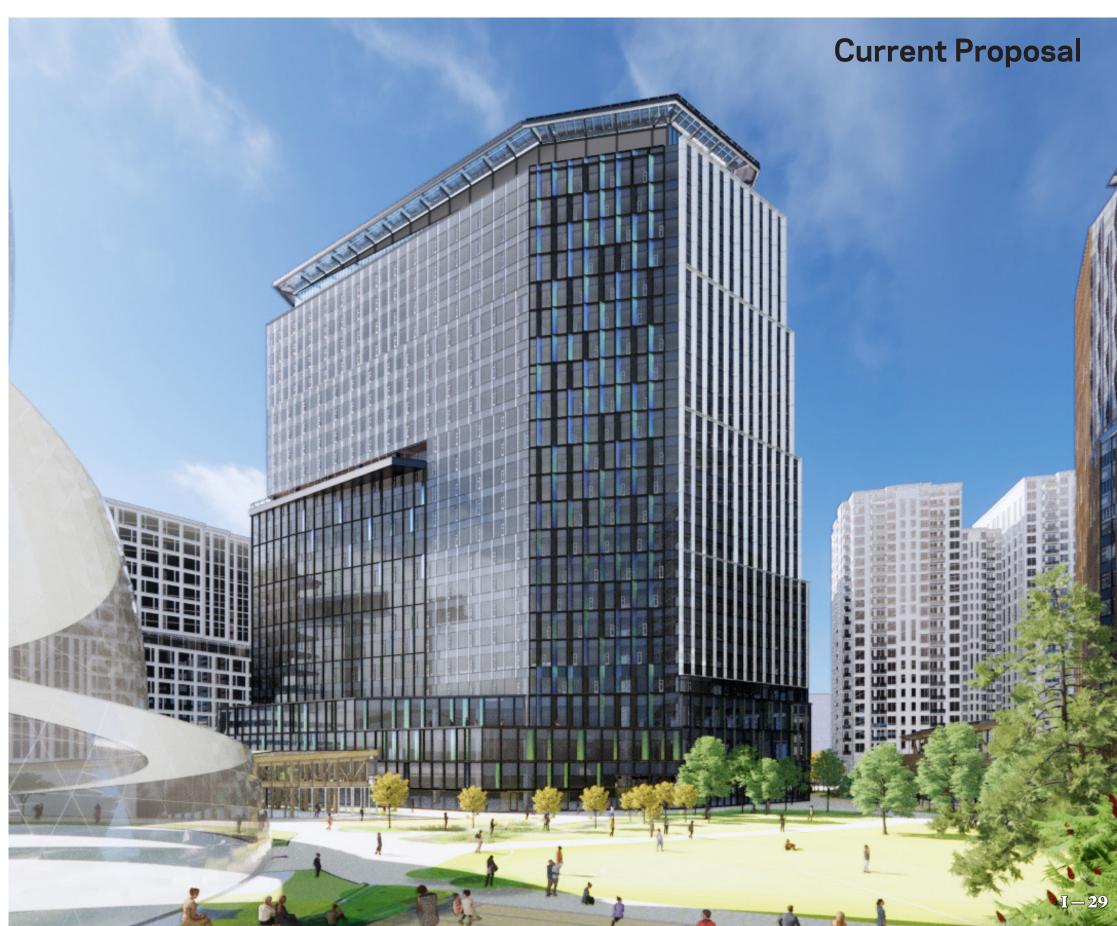






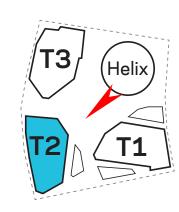
Conceptual view of T1 looking southeast, across the center of the site







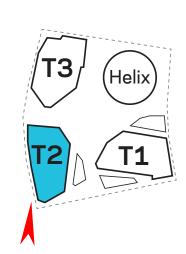
Conceptual view of T2 looking southwest, across the center of the site







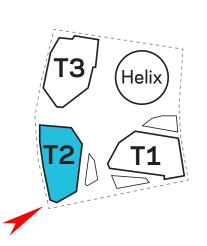
Conceptual view of T2 looking northeast from S. Fern Street near S. 12th

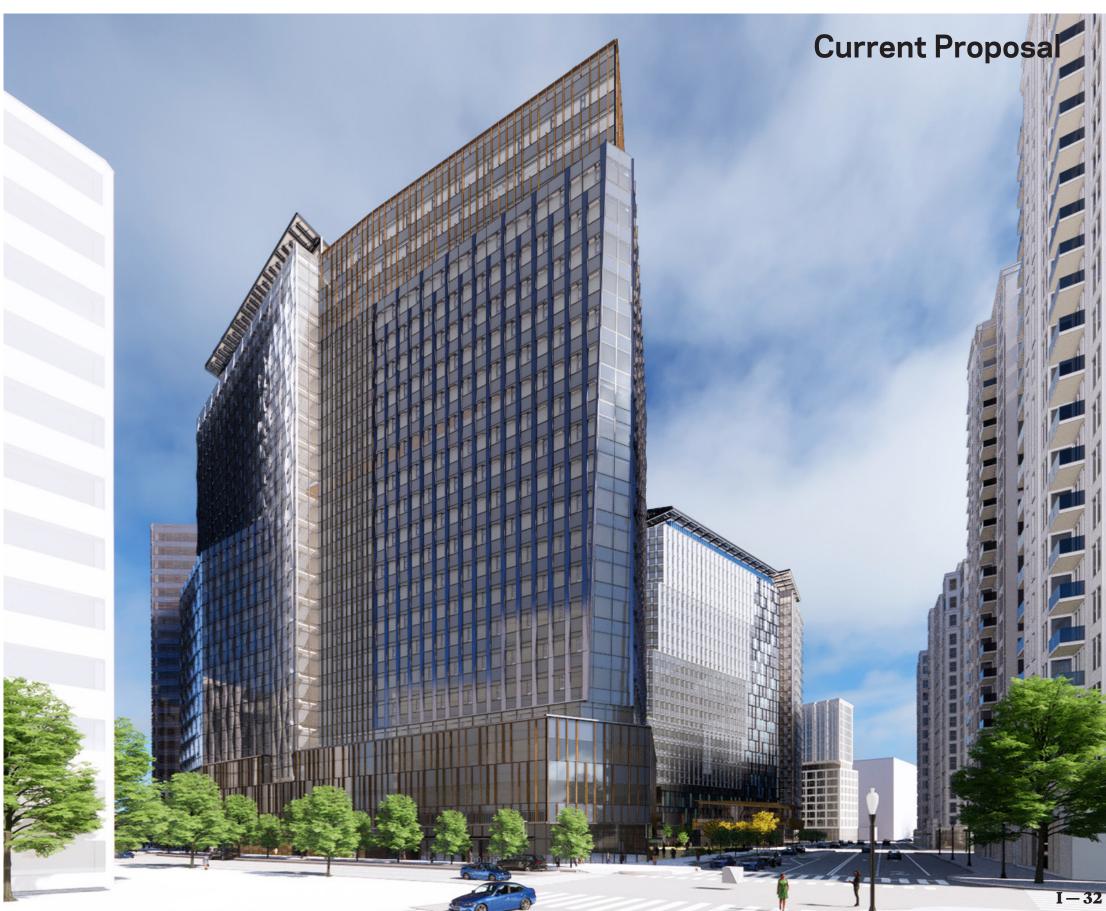






Conceptual view of T2 looking east down S. 12th Street from Fern Street





Massing & Sculpting Changes Office Building "T2"

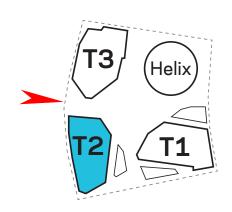
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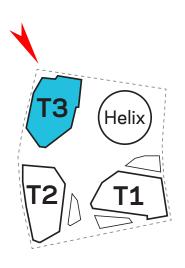
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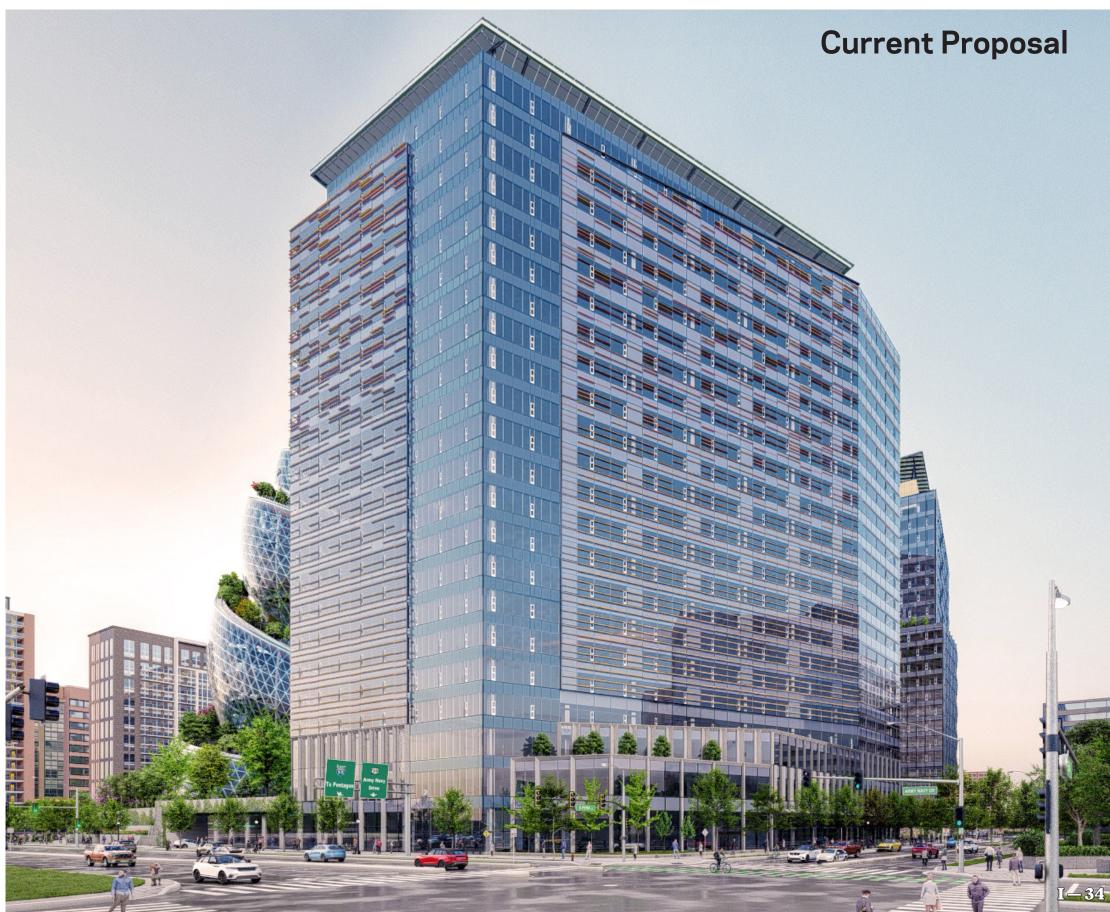






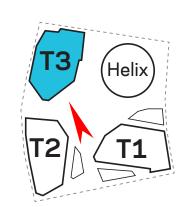
Conceptual view of T3 looking southeast across Army-Navy Drive at Fern Street

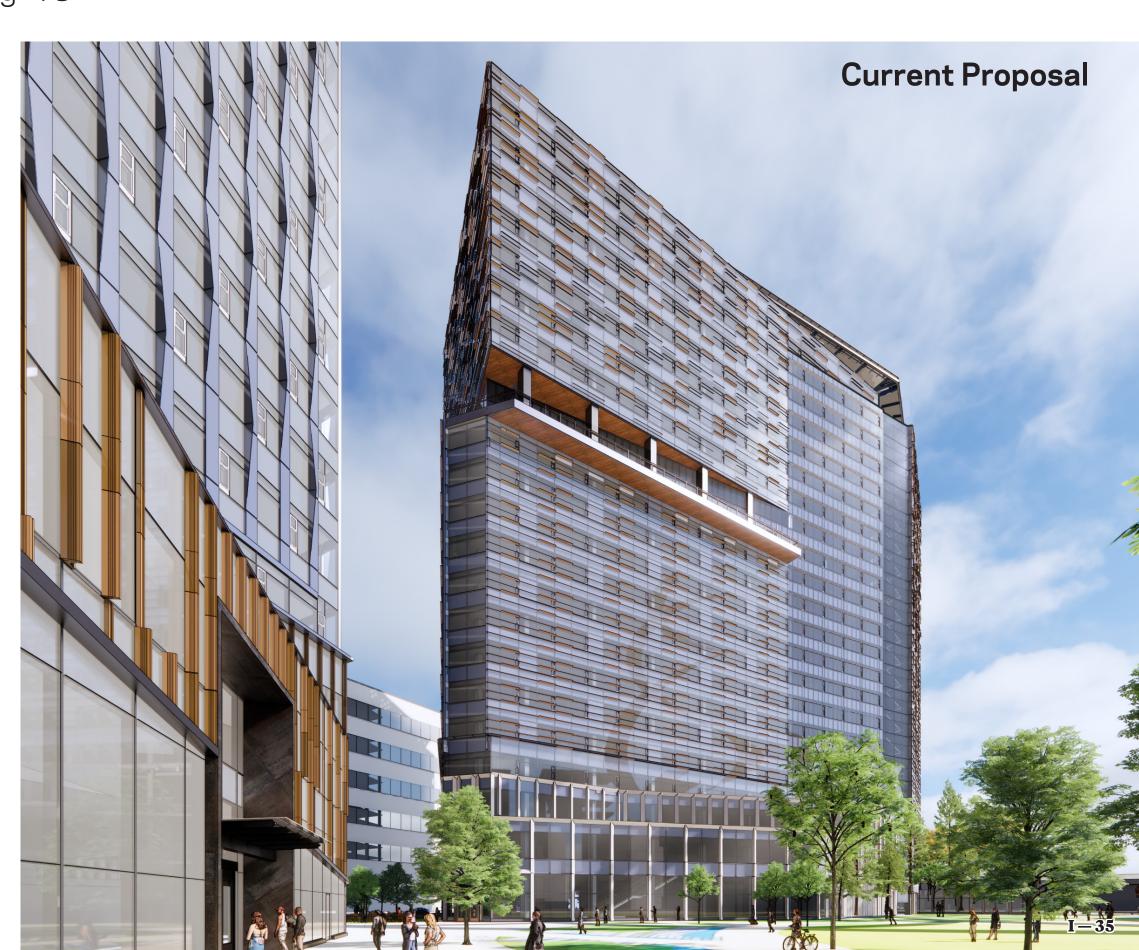






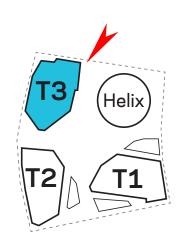
Conceptual view of T3 looking northwest across the site

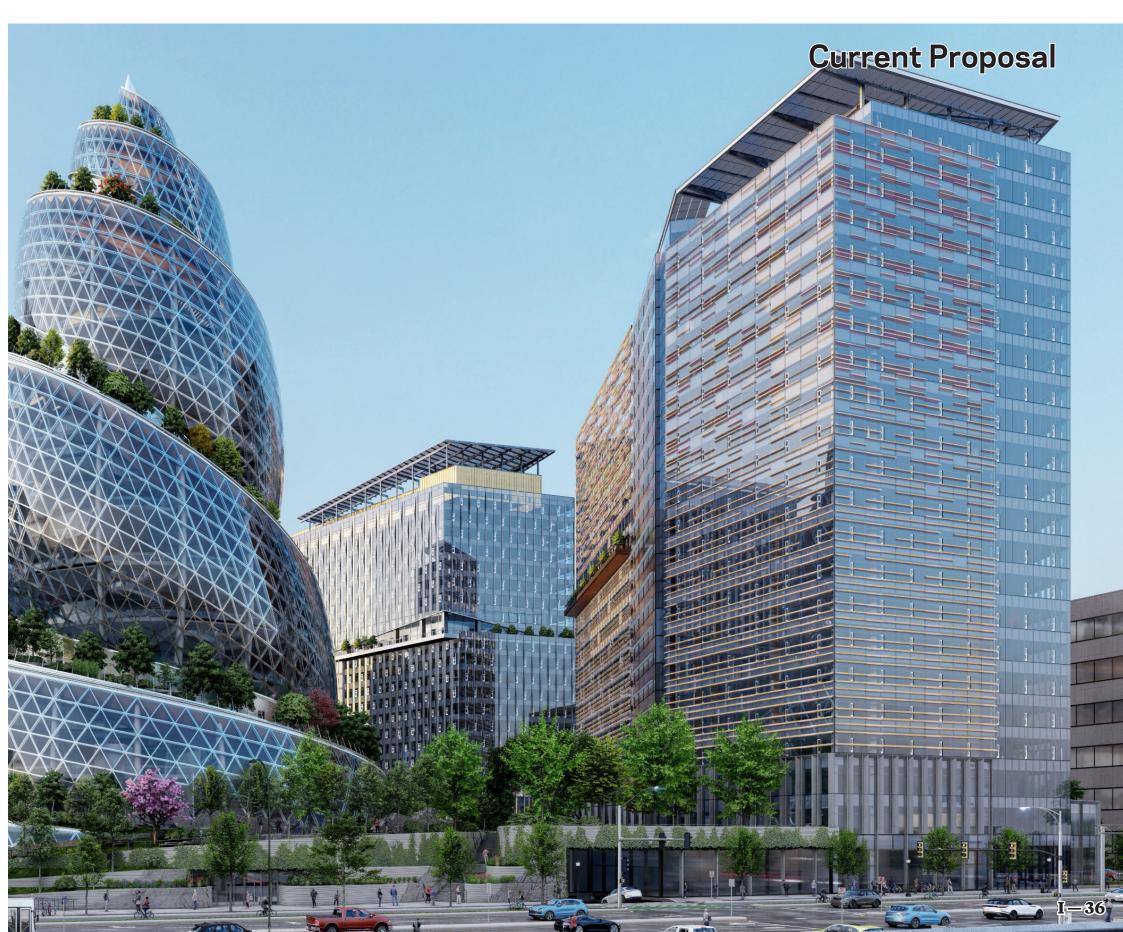




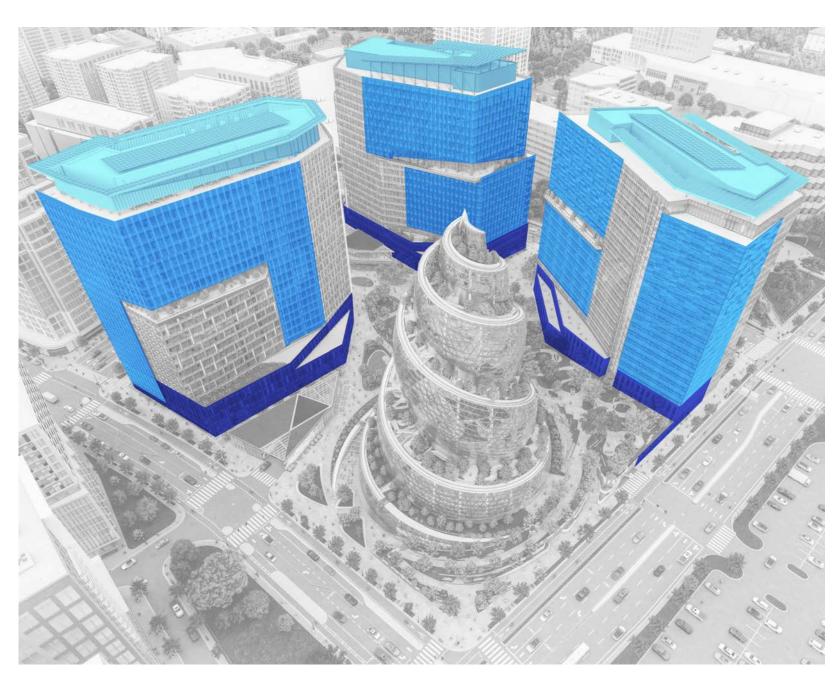


Conceptual view of T3 looking south across Army-Navy Drive

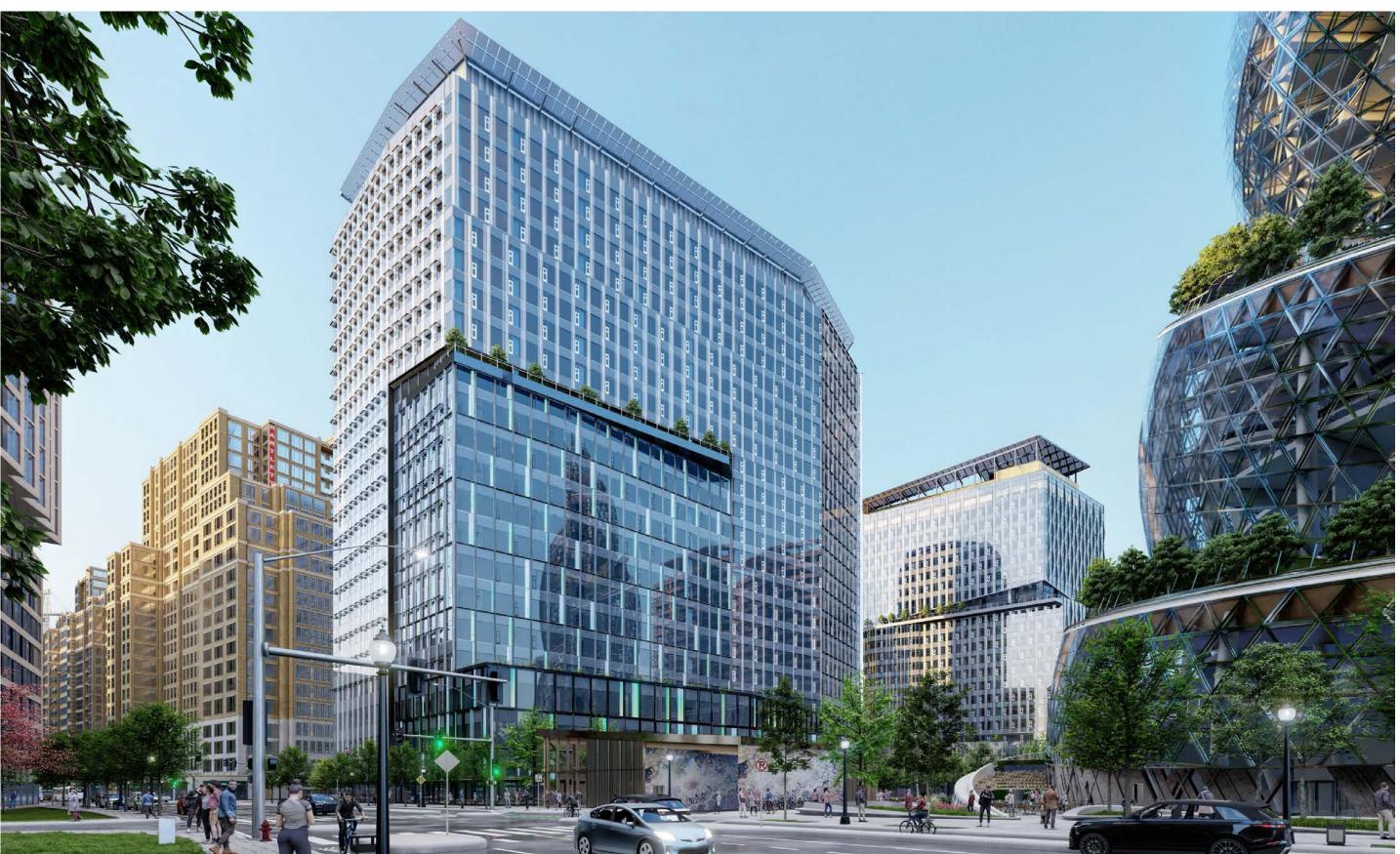












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