

Green City Miami Charrette

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA



The Vision

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After participation in the West Kendall Charrette and the District 11 Economic Development study followed by meetings with county staff and the research team from Florida International University (FIU), the owners and consultants of Green City Miami took it upon themselves to spend several months at the offices of Valle Valle carefully integrating issues that were clearly voiced with their ideas and visions for the future for the entire tract of agricultural land located in the northeast corner of Kendall Drive and Krome Avenue. This report includes all the ideas, designs, illustrations, graphics, and proposed draft regulations that conveys a vision for this district.





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aerial view from northwest (nw) comer



rial view from northeast (ne) corner



aerial view from southesat (se) comer

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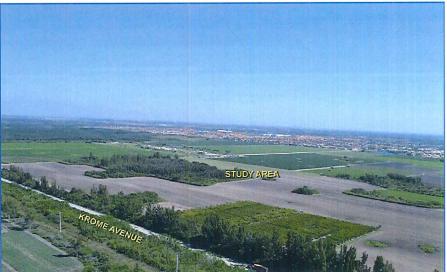
$_{\scriptscriptstyle{\text{ECO-URBANISM}}}^{\scriptscriptstyle{\text{CATT}}}$ The Project and Visioning Process

The Green City Miami charrette first took place on February 15th, 2011. Then after much public input between 2013 and 2014 it was transformed into what is now a truly self-sustainable new place for the West Dade area commonly referred to as the West End. With all the input that we heard from the various publicly run charrettes and workshops we have been able to integrate the vision of several land owners within the area and those heard by the participants into potentially what is now a meaningful new place situated on 860 acres that can bring not just housing but much needed services and workplace for this sector of the County. This new master planned community can become a model for how to protect, enhance, and celebrate the natural resources available in this region of South Florida. This new self-sustainable community can demonstrate how to integrate a variety of housing, working, health, wellness, medical and entertainment options, utilized renewable energies, recycle rain-water, produce food all the while creating an environment for attracting significant work places in West Dade.

The study area stretches from 167th street on the East to Krome Avenue on the West and 64th Street on the North to Kendall Drive on the South. The charrette's team professionals have included Valle Valle & Partners and the civil engineer Nicolas Martin-Hidalgo.



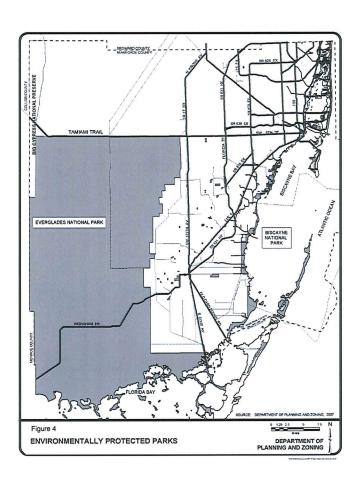


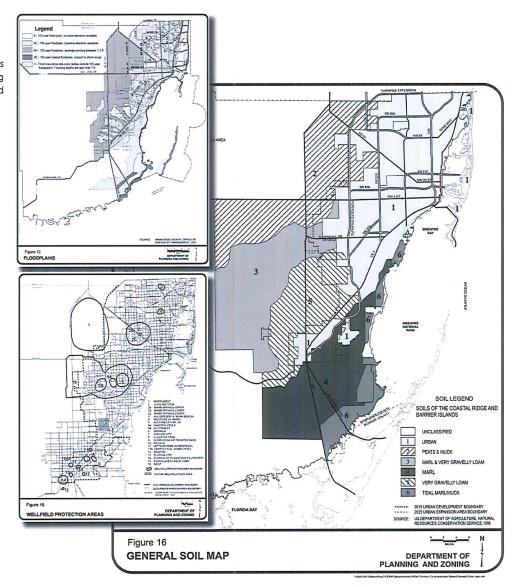




The Study Area

The Green City Miami study area is a mile from the eastern edge of 1,000,000 acres of Protected Parks known as the Everglades National Park, it is subject to the AH - 100 year floodplain, has an averaging ponding between 1-3 ft., the soils consist of marl & very gravelly loam, it lies entirely in the west wellfield protection area, and nearly 95 percent of these lands are currently used for agricultural farming.



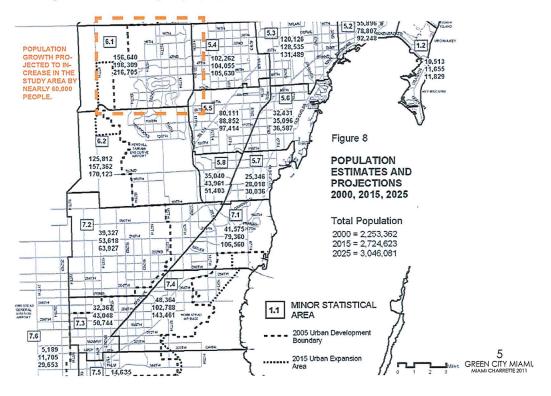




The Urban Development Boundary (UDB)

The Green City Miami study area consisting of 850 acres currently used for agricultural farming and considered to be within the 2025 UDB. The Urban Development Boundary (UDB) Line was first created in 1975; increasing in 36 years by only 15%. This has been Miami-Dade County's key tool for growth management. Now with less than 6% of undeveloped remaining inside the UDB, it is considered by Miami-Dade county insufficient to accommodate another 15 years of development.

Looking forward, it is projected that Miami-Dade will gain 700,000 residents by 2030. Where will these people live, work, play, pray, and have a choice of schools. Furthermore, the impact on our roadways will mean a profound impact on how the county deals with transportation and with providing the necessary civil services. In the illustration below it is projected that between 2000-2025 our study area will be impact by nearly 60,000 new residents. The **Green City Miami** development is projected to absorb 25,000 people and proposes a self-sustainable solution addressing environmental, economical, and social issues within a new master planned community. This proposal celebrate's the natural, cultural, and regional resources offering a high quality of life experience.



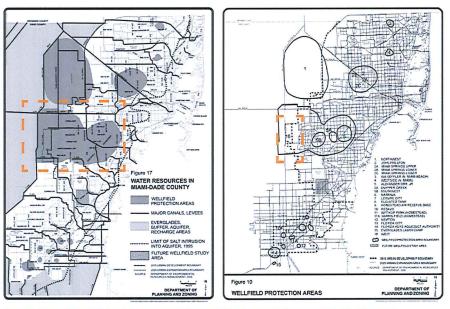




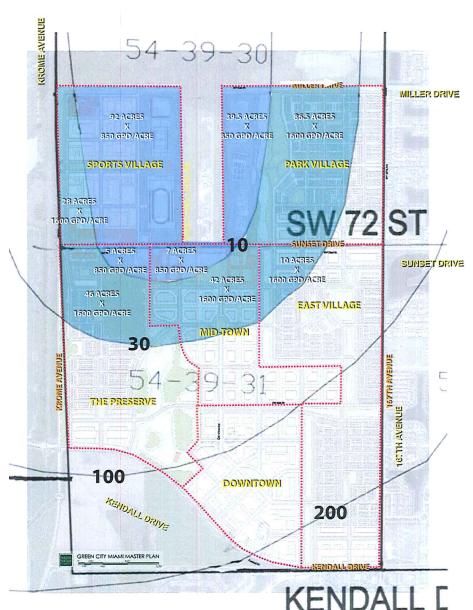
Wellfields Protection Area

The Green City Miami study area is situated entirely within the West Wellfield Interim protection area. This meant that more restrictive regulations would be applied to the study area. The restrictions are found in the Miami-Dade County zoning code section 24-43. - Protection of public potable water supply wells. The Water & Sewer Department projected that the West Wellfields were going to have three times the number of wells that have been actually built. Based on that earlier projection a series of circles were drawn that indicated the number of days it would take for water to travel to the west wellfields protection area. In the illustration to the far right, the circles were overlay over the study area and colored shaded to analyze the maximum allowable sewage loading capacity permited within each.

The maximum gallons per day per unsubmerged acre found in Table B-1, under section 24-43, were used to calculate the program that can be built within these travelling water circles. The calculations were then distributed between various landuses to deteremined the density and intensity of the land.



THE STUDY AREA FALLS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF WEST WELLFIELDS PROTECTION AREA





Wellfields Protection Area

The table below was created to calculate the maximum density and intensity that can be built within the land areas that fall within each of the travelling water circles. The distribution of program became a back-and-forth exercise between the master plan and the table until the appropriate balanced was achieved. The totals shown in dark red column on the table below indicates the program used.

SEC, 24-43. PROTECTION OF PUBLIC PORTABLE WATER SUPPLY WELLS: The provisions of this section which impose upon land uses within the West Wellfield interim protection area regulations which are more restrictive than those regulations applicable to the other public utility potable water supply wellfields in Miami-Dade County shall be deemed interim in nature. Said more restrictive regulations shall be reviewed by such technical review task force(s) or committee(s) as provided by the Board of County Commissioners or its designee upon recommendation of the Director. The Director shall submit to the Board of County Commissioners progress reports, as necessary, pertaining to said review, and recommendations necessary to protect the public health, safety and welfare arising out of said review shall be presented to the Board of County Commissioners. The Miami-Dade County Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance (Section 2-11.1 of this Code) shall not be applicable to task forces or committees provided for in this section.

LOCATION	MORE THAN 100 FEET BUT NOT EXCEEDING 10 DAYS	MORE THAN 10 DAYS BUT NOT EXCEEDING 30 DAYS	ALLOWABLE GALLONS/DAY PER UNSUBMERGED ACRE	TOTAL GPD	CLASSIFICATION	Single Family - Detached gpd/unit	Single Family - Attached gpd/unit	Multifamily gpd/unit	Retail gpd/sf 5/100	Office gpd/sf 10/100	Industrial gpd/sf 20/1000	Parks gpd/person	School gpd/stud	School gpd/staff	Community gpd/sf 10/100
					STANDARD LEED	350 280	250 200	200 160	4/100	8/100	16/1000	4	20	15	8/100
Sports Village	92	28	850 1,600	78,200 44,800	PROPOSED	NA NA	NA	375	192,000	300,000	150,000	200	300	10	275,000
				123,000	LEED			60,000	7,680	24,000	2,400	800	6,000	150	22,000
Park Village	39.5	86.5	850 1,600	33,575 138,400	PROPOSED	NA NA	NA	1,600	75,000	56,000	₹ .	120	•	•	5,000
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			1,000	67,200 73,150	LEED	•		• •		•			70,000	1,750	
Downtown	0	0	850 1,600	:	PROPOSED	NA	NA	4,500	750,000	400,000		ALL PROPERTY OF STREET	A CHARLES		20,000
				-	LEED				Retall of	-			-	01-11	0
		BUT NOT EXCEEDING 30 DAYS				SF - Detached	SF - Attached	Multifamily Units		Office sf	Industrial sf	Parks Acres	Students	Staff 127	Community sf
	99	70			TOTALS			11,401	1,362,000	925,000	350,000	200	3,800	12/	525,000

TABLE B-1 Residential Property Served by Sanitary Sewers; Nonresidential Property Served by Sanitary Sewers and Not Using, Generating, Handling, Disposing, Discharging or Storing Hazardous Materials

Travel Time in Days or Distance in Feet from Property to Nearest Public Utility Potable Water Supply Well	Maximum Allowable Sewage Loading for Property Not Having Indigenous Sandy Substrata (Gallons Per Day Per Unsubmerged Acre)	Maximum Allowable Sewag Loading for Property Havin Indigenous Sandy Substrat (Gallons Per Day Per Unsubmerged Acre)
More than 30 days	No additional restrictions	No additional restrictions
More than 10 days but not exceeding 30 days	1600	No additional restrictions
More than 100 feet but not exceeding 10 days	850	1600
100 feet or less	0	0

TABLE C-1 Allowable Storm Water Disposal Methods for Residential and Nonresidential

Travel Time in Days or Allowable Methods for Distance in Feet from Storm Water Disposal Property to Nearest Public Utility Potable Water Supply Well

More than 30 days but not Infiltration or seepage or overflow outfalls only exceeding 210 days

More than 10 days but not Infiltration or seepage only

More than 100 feet but not Infiltration only exceeding 10 days 100 feet or less

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None

TABLE E-1: Allowable Land Uses Within the Northwest Wellfield Protection Area and Within the West Wellfield Interim Protection Area

SAMPLE OF PERMITTED LAND USES Hotels, motels, Libraries (public), Office building, Plant sales (no propagation), Police station, Post office, Produce or fruit market, Professional and semiprofessional offices (no medical laboratory or clinic), Residential uses, Restaurants, including outdoor patios and service, Schools (no hazardous materials), Seafood stores, Storage warehouse (no hazardous materials), Vegetable stands, Warehouses (storage of food, fodder, apparel, and other nonhazardous materials), and Water tanks or towers



Case Studies I

These case studies show potential densities outside the 30 day travelling water circle.

Bay Meadow Park: The lessons we learn from this development demonstrate how a mixed-use program can function both vertically and horizontally. The intense mixed-use program is located along a well-defined public open space with ample access roads in the form of boulevards. The buildings frame the street edges with wide sidewalks and parallel parking. The majority of the parking is hidden behind the buildings in parking structures. The aerial view demonstrates how to scale down from the vertical mix to a compatible residential program using apartments and townhouses to buffer from the adjacent single family residential neighborhood.

Market Commons: The lessons are similar, however it is a more intensive vertical mix program. In this case study the townhouses are attached to mixed-use buildings to help buffer from the single family residential neighbor. The parking is sandwiched between buildings on three sides in an attempt to wrap program along all the street edges to celebrate the pedestrian experience.

Addison Circle: The lessons that we learn in this case study are how to preserve a human scale to the development while building a highly dense program, how to prioritize the road network so that access to the parking garages is kept to the secondary roads, the opportunities created when carving out public space, and various ways to hide parking garages.

ADDISON CIRCLE









	Municipality: N.A.
	Acres:
	Zoning: Mixed-Use
B	Setting:Infill
	Structured Parking:7,500 Spaces
	Transportation: Local Bus
	Access to Bicycle/Pedestrian Paths:
M	1/4 Mile
W	
	PROGRAM
3	F.A.R.:
	Density Type (D.U./Acre):50
	Housing:2,700 Units
9	Retail:250,000 Sq Ft
	Hotel:None
8	Office:1,000,000 Sq Ft
8	Park/Landscaping:
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-	REGULATIONS
10	Landuse: Mixed-Use Build-To-Line (BTL): At Pedestal and
N	Build-To-Line (BTL):At Pedestal and
	Tower
	Bldg. Height: 8 Stories Max.
	Pedestal Height: N.A.
	Tower Bldg. Height: N.A.
	Penthouse Bldg. Height:
ΔÜ	N.A.
***	Bldg. Frontage: Minimum 75 %
8	Bldg. Placement:Front 0 + Sides/
6	Rear 0
	Colonnade/Balcony: Encroachment over
4	Sidewalk
8	Habitable Space: N.A.
В.	Expression Line: N.A.
1	Vehicular Entries:N.A.
	Open Space: 12 % Min. in the
ď.	Form of Courtyard Gardens, Colonnades,

Addison, Texas

SITE DATA

BAY MEADOW PARK









SITE DATA

Build-To-Line (BTL): At Setback
Bligh Height: 6 Stories Max.
Pedestal Height: 6 Stories Max.
Tower Bligh, Height: NA.
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Tower Bligh, Height: NA.
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Tower Bligh, Height: Na.
Front O+
Sides/Rear O
Colonnade/Balcony: Encroachment
over Sidewalk
Habitable Space: NA.
Acxpression Line: Top of 1nd Story
Vehicular Entries: NA.
Open Space: 20 % Mn. in the
Form of Courtyard Gardens, Colonnades,
Squares, & Plazas

.San Francisco, California

MARKET COMMONS









SITE DATA	carron man man anno
	Clarendon, Virginia
Acres:	15 acre
	Core Sub-Distric
Setting:	Infi
Structured Parkir	g: 1,000 Space
Transportation:	Local Bus & Metro-Ra
	/Pedestrian Paths:
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PROGRAM	
F.A.R.:	3.
Density Type (D.U./Acre):4
Housing [Rental+Sale]:	300+87 Unit
Retail:	240,000 Sq F
Hotel:	Non
Office:	100,000 Sq F
Park/Landscaping:	20% Require

ParkLandscaping 20% Required
REGULATIONS
Landuse:Mixed-Use
Build-To-Line (BTL): Pedestal
Bldg. Height: 8 Stories Max.
Pedestal Height: 2 Stories Max.
Tower Bldg. Height: 4 Stories Max.
Penthouse Bldg. Height:2 Stories
Max.
Bldg. Frontage: Mini. 75 %
Bldg. PlacementFront 0 +
Sides/Rear 0
Colonnade/Balcony: Encroachment
over Sidewalk
Habitable Space: 20' Min. for 8 Stories
Expression Line: Top of 2nd Story
Required
Vehicular Entries: N.A.
Open Space: 20 % Min. in the
Form of Courtyard Gardens, Colonnades,
Squares, & Plazas

MIZNER PARK







Location:	Boca Raton, Florida
Municipality:	Palm Beach County
Acres	10 acres
Zoning:	Wired-Use "Urban Village
Setting:	infi
Structured Parking:	1,000 Spaces
Trensportation:	Local Du
Access to Bicycle/Pedestrian Paths:	1/4 Min
PROGRAM	
FAR:	2.
Density Type (D.U./Acre):	50 and 100
Housing:	272 Units
Retail:	200,000 Sq F
Hotel:	None
Office:	170,000 Sq F
Park/Landscaping:	20% Required
REGULATIONS	
Lenduse:	Wixed-Use "Urban Village
Build-To-Line (BTL):	A Pedesta
Didg. Height:	
Pedestal Height:	1 Stories Max
Tower Didg. Height:	11 Stories Max
Penthouse Bidg. Height:	N
Didg. Frontage:	
Didg. Placement:	Front 0 + Sides/Rear
Colonnade/Balcony:	roachment over Sidewal
Habitable Space:	NA
Expression Line:	Top of 1st Story Require
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DOWNTOWN KENDALL









Municipality:	Mami-Dade County
Acres:	1.2 acres
Zoning:	Mixed-Use
Setting:	infil
Structured Parking:	200 Spaces
Transportation:	Local Bus & CalTrain Transit
Access to Bicycle/Pedestrian Path	K1/4 Mie
PROGRAM	
FAR:	3.0
Density Type (D.U./Acre):	75
Housing:	74 Units
Retal:	22,500 Sq Ft
Hotel:	None
Office:	None
Park/Landscaping	
REGULATIONS	
Landuse:	Core Sub-District/Mixed-Use
Build-To-Line (BTL):	At Pedestal and Tower
Didg. Height:	
Pedestal Height:	
Tower Didg. Height:	5 Stories Max.
Penthouse Bldg. Height:	NA.
Didg. Frontage:	Mnimum 75 %
Bldg. Placement:	Front 0 + Sides/Rear 0
Colonnade/Balcony:	Encroachment over Setback
Habitable Space:	20' Min. for First 7 Stories
Expression Line:	Top of 2nd Story Required
Vehicular Entries:	
Open Space:	
Form of Courtyard Gardens, Co.	ionnades, Squares, & Plazas

SITE DATA



Case Studies II

These case studies show potential densities outside the 100 day travelling water circle.

Mizner Park: The lessons we learned from our research, as seen in these photographic views, are the importance of varying the building massing, the significance of carving out a linear park, the need to hide off-street parking, and the importance of attaching a single layer of program to a parking garage to hide it from a primary street.

Downtown Kendall: The lessons we learned from this project include the need to establish maximum building frontages, the need to restrict parking garage access to secondary streets, the importance of requiring 100% build-out of the retail along primary streets, and what happens when habitable space is required along the street frontage as a method to hide the parking.

City Place: The real lesson learned from this project is understood best in the site plan; it shows us how to spread density so that it can be kept to a human scale in the more public streets and more intense (higher floors) setback of the street edges.

CITY PLACE







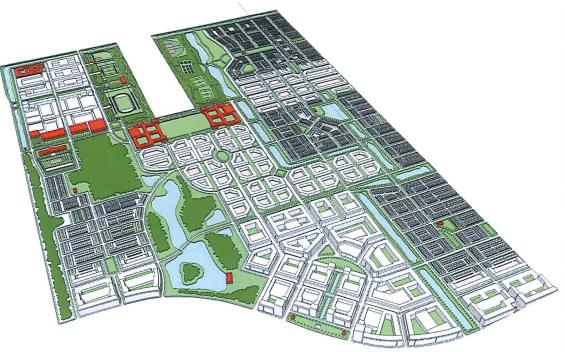




Charrette Master Plan I

This master plan shows the 850 acres owned by the applicant land owners. The master plan is divided into six distinct neighborhoods. The Downtown District located off Kendall Drive with high density mixed-use residential, the Central District located off Sunset Drive with Medium Density mixed-use residential, the Park District located off 64th Street with low density mixed-use residential, and the Health and Wellness Village of Krome Avenue.

The diagrams in the next page show the landuses, the six distinct neighborhoods, the green network, the water network, the street network and the transportation network.

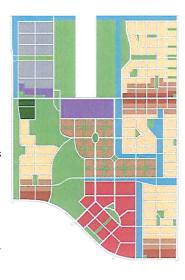






LANDUSE:

This diagram illustrates the location of landuses within each district. The dark tones (mix-use) are located along the collector roads and at the downtown district, the light grey color indicates the Sports Village, the other colors are single residential uses.



NEIGHBORHOODS: This diagram illustrates six differently colored neighborhoods; 1) Downtown; 2) MidTown; 3) East Village; 4) Park Village; 5) The Preserve; and 6) Sports Village. The circles shows five minute walk-

GREEN NETWORK:

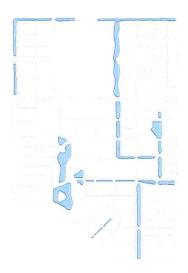
This diagram illustrates
a network of public
greens interconnecting the four neighbor-

a network of public greens interconnecting the four neighborhoods. This design encourages pedestrians to walk from paseo's to the pocket parks.



WATER NETWORK:

This diagram illustrates how to allow a natural water flow to be used to interconnect each of the neighborhoods, while also creating natural features in the landscape.

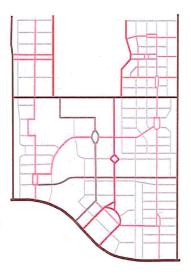


STREET NETWORK:

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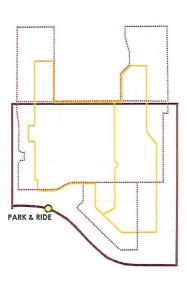
each neighborhood.

This diagram illustrates a hierarchy of roads ranging from the major collectors (dark colored) to the local neighborhood streets (light colored). The roadways are layout to permit multiple access routes within each neighborhood.



TRANSIT NETWORK:

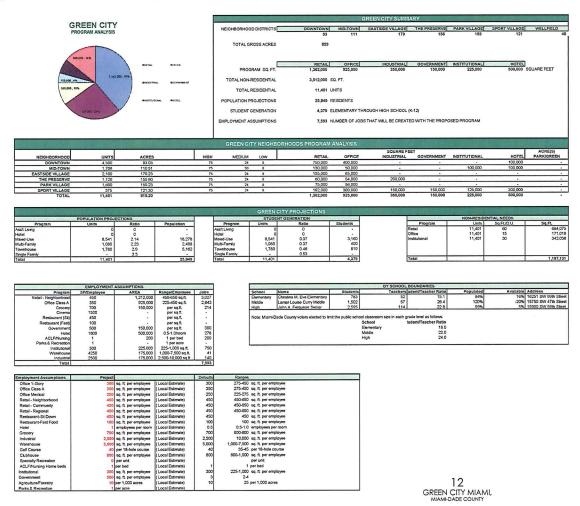
This diagram illustrates dedicated routes to support three forms of public transportation;
1) expanded county bus route (dark red);
2) local trolly (light red) stopping at each neighborhood; and, 3) dedicated bicycle (red dots) lanes. Serviced by a Park & Ride along Kendall Drive.





Master Plan - Program

It was calculated, in the tables below, the proposed program of the Master Plan would produce a projected population growth of 25,849 residents of which 4,379 will be of school age for grades from Kindergarden to High School. These people would be living in 11,401 residential units ranging from single family homes to mid-rise buildings and they would have the opportunity to work in the 7,593 new jobs created from the 3,512,000 sq. ft. of non-residential (government, commercial and office).







Master Plan - Data Assumptions

It was calculated, in the table below, the overall density of the project is going to be 13.41 dwelling units/acre distributed over six (6) distinctive villages. The detail program for each of the villages can be studied in the table below. What stands out in review of the table below is that each village is providing for all the daily needs of its citizens and in some cases for those of the region.



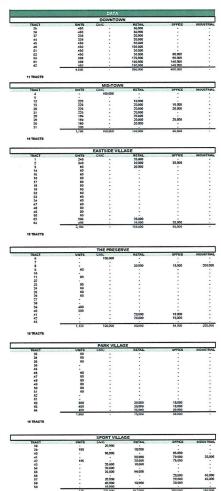
PLACE	RETENTION	GROSS DENSITY	UNITS	MIXED-USE	MUL-FAM	TOWNHOUSE INGLE	FAMILY	GOVERNMENT	INSTITUTIONAL	RETAIL	OFFICE	INDUSTRIAL	HOTEL	
SPORT VILLAGE	25%	6	375	195	180	•		150,000	125,000	192,000	300,000	150,000	300,000	
PARK VILLAGE	25%	18	1,600	500	600	500				75,000	56,000			
MID-TOWN	8%	18	1,706	1,406	300		14		100,000	130,000	50,000		100,000	
DOWNTOWN	9%	45	4,500	4,500		and the same				750,000	400,000		100,000	
econocion, i a ci	17%	22	22 AVERAGE D.U.A.											
THE PRESERVE	20%	14	1,120	700		420				60,000	54,000	200,000		
EASTSIDE VILLAGE	15%	14	2,100	1,240	•	860				155,000	65,000	-		
STUDY AREA	17%	13.27	D.U.A											



10 ACRE OWNERSHIP PATTERN



Green City Miami is spead over 850 acres. The majority of the land is owned by the joint applicants. The ownership pattern of the site is illustrated here.





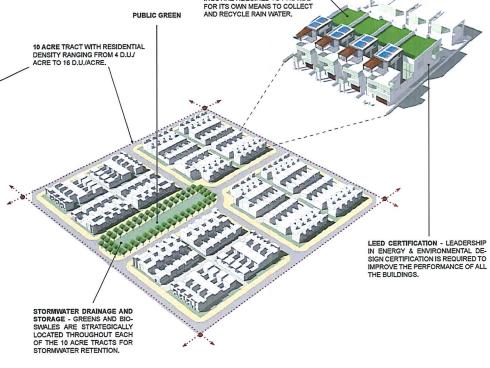
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10 ACRE TRACTS - LOW DENSITY

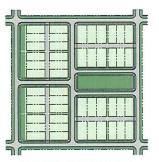


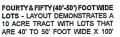
MIAMI GREEN CITY IS COMPOSED OF SIX DISTINCT NEIGHBORHOODS; 1) DOWN-TOWN; 2) MID-TOWN; 3) PARK VILLAGE; 4) SPORTS VILLAGE; 5) EAST VILLAGE; AND. 6) THE PRESERVE. THE LOW DENSITY IS LOCATED IN THE PARK VILLAGE. IT INCLUDES FROM SINGLE FAMILY HOMES TO TOWNHOMES. THE LOW DENSITY IS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE SPORTS PARK GROUNDS.

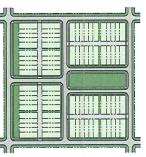




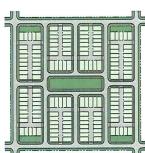
WATER RECYCLING - ALL THE BUILD-INGS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE







TWENTY-FOUR (24') FOOT WIDE LOTS
- LAYOUT DEMONSTRATES A 10 ACRE
TRACT WITH 24' FOOT WIDE X 100'

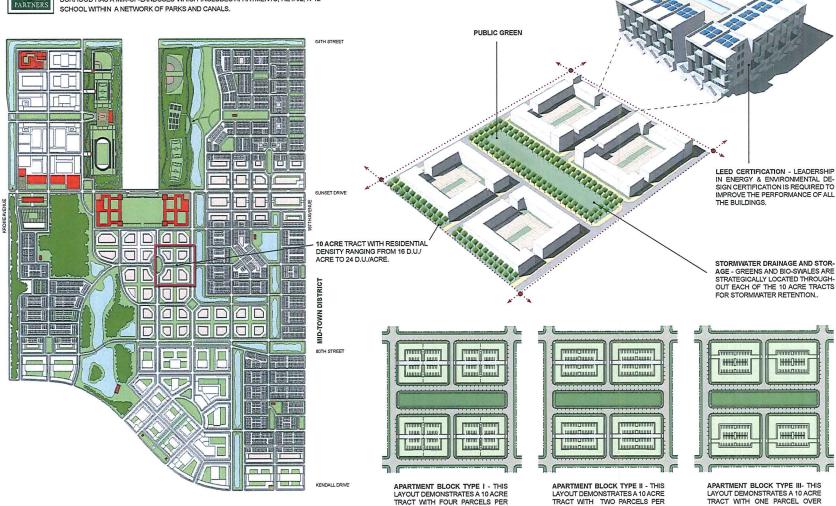


TWENTY-FOUR (24') FOOT WIDE LOTS THIS LAYOUT DEMONSTRATES A 10 ACRE
TRACT WITH 24' FOOT WIDE X 46' FOOT
DEED LOTS: PRODUCING A GROSS DEN

10 ACRE TRACTS - MEDIUM DENSITY



MIAMI GREEN CITY IS COMPOSED OF SIX DISTINCT NEIGHBORHOODS; 1) DOWN-TOWN; 2) MID-TOWN; 3) PARK VILLAGE; 4) SPORTS VILLAGE; 5) EAST VILLAGE; AND, 6) THE PRESERVE. THE MEDIUM DENSITY IS SITUATED IN MID-TOWN. THIS NEIGH-BORHOOD HAS A MIX-OF-LANDUSES WHICH INCLUDES APARTMENTS, RETAIL, K-12 SCHOOL WITHIN A NETWORK OF PARKS AND CANALS.



WATER RECYCLING -ALL THE BUILD-

INGS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE FOR ITS OWN MEANS TO COLLECT

AN ENTIRE BLOCK: PRODUCING A

BLOCK; PRODUCING A GROSS DEN-

AND RECYCLE RAIN WATER.

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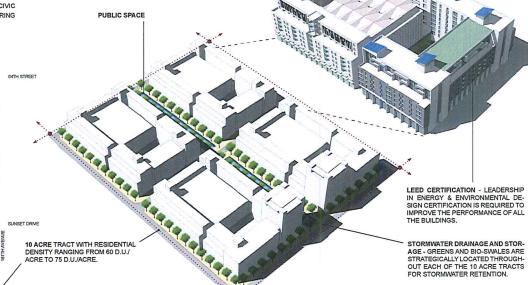
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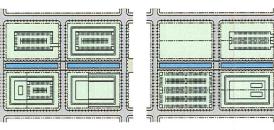
10 ACRE TRACTS - HIGH DENSITY



MIAMI GREEN CITY IS COMPOSED OF SIX DISTINCT NEIGHBORHOODS; 1) DOWN-TOWN; 2) MID-TOWN; 3) PARK VILLAGE; 4) SPORTS VILLAGE; 5) EAST VILLAGE; AND, 6) THE PRESERVE. THE HIGHEST DENSITY AND INTENSITY IS FOUND IN THE DOWNTOWN DISTRICT; WHICH INCLUDES RETAIL, OFFICE, RESIDENTIAL, AND CIVIC LANDUSES. THE BLOCK IS SIZED TO ACCOMMODATE LARGER TENANTS, OFFERING ITS CITIZENS AND THOSE OF THE REGION MORE DIVERSITY.



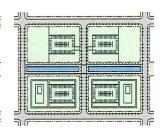




WATER RECYCLING - ALL THE BUILD-INGS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE

FOR ITS OWN MEANS TO COLLECT AND RECYCLE RAIN WATER.

MIXED-USE BLOCK TYPE II - LAYOUT DEMONSTRATES A 10 ACRE TRACT WITH MULTIPLE PARCELS DIVIDING THE BLOCK; PRODUCING A GROSS DENSITY FROM 60 D.U./ACRE TO 75 D.U./ACRE AND UP TO 500,000 SQ. FT. OF NON-RESIDENTIAL.



MIXED-USE BLOCK TYPE III - LAY-OUT DEMONSTRATES A 10 ACRE TRACT WITH SINGLE PARCELS THAT CAN ACCOMMODATE LARGER COM-MERICAL BIG BOX TENANTS; PRO-DUCING THE SAME RESIDENTIAL DENSITIES AS TYPE I & TYPE II.

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MIXED-USE BLOCK TYPE I - LAYOUT

DEMONSTRATES A 10 ACRE TRACT WITH SINGLE PARCEL BLOCK: PRO-

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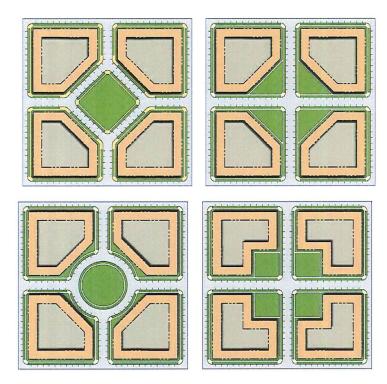
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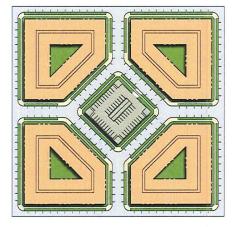
ECO-URBANISM 10 ACRE TRACT - PARKING STUDY

The entire study area within Green City Miami is subdivided into 10 acre parcels. This increment presents an opportunity to study alternative ways to handle off-site parking. Each of the diagrams, in these next two pages, represent a single 10 acre parcel that has been subdivided into four equal blocks with public greens and a single five-story parking garage surrounded by perimeter buildings that access the parking garage along pedestrian bridges.

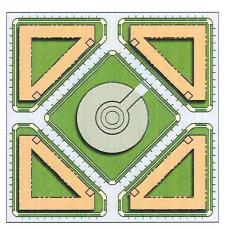


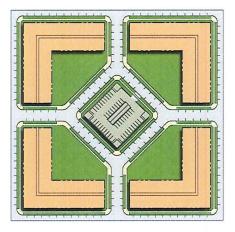
STANDARD TRACT - Each of these 10 acre tract studies have a common thread that makes then the same; they have a density of 18 d.u./acre and all the off-site parking (shown in light grey) is located in the rear of the buildings. What distinguishes each is how they crave the public and semi-public green space.

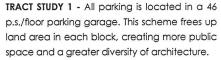
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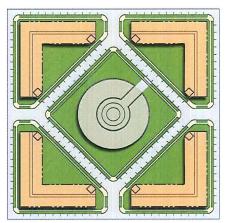


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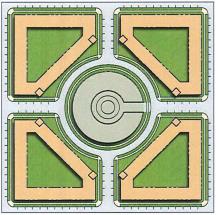


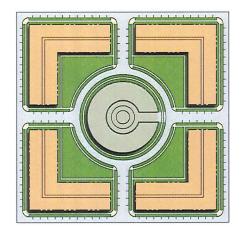




TRACT STUDY 2 - All parking is located in a circular 88 p.s./floor parking garage with program at ground level in a rectangular block. This scheme splits up the green areas of each block.

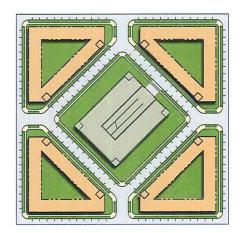
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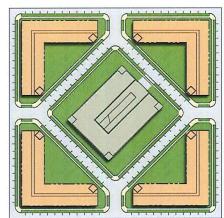




TRACT STUDY 3 - All parking is located in the same parking garage as tract study 2 but it sits in a circular block maximizing the green areas in each block.

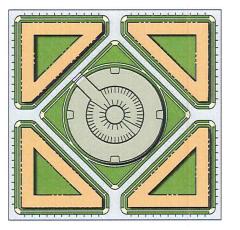
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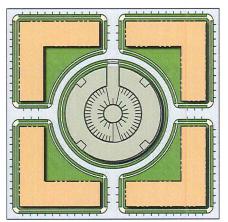




TRACT STUDY 4 - All parking is located in a 128 p.s./floor parking garage with program at the ground level in a rectangular block. This scheme limits the layout within each block.

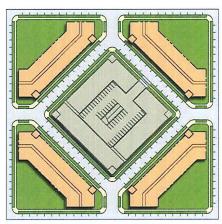
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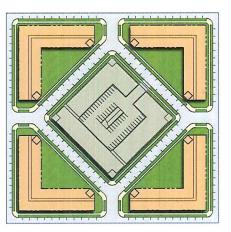




TRACT STUDY 5 - All parking is located in a circular 208 p.s./floor parking garage with program at the ground level in a circular block. This scheme flows traffic more smoothly.

48 D.U./ACRE





TRACT STUDY 6 - All parking is located in a 208 p.s./floor parking garage with program at the ground level in a rectangular block. This scheme slows down traffic.



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SPORTS VILLAGE

The concept of the Sports Village is to create a place dedicated to encouraging an active and healthy lifestyle for all ages. It is modelled after other Sports Villages getting built by major soccer sports teams in Spain. This Village resides on 120 acres (48.5 hectares) and it is adjacent to a 80 acre (32 hectares) linear park. Within this park are grounds dedicated to three Sport Types: 1) Passive Sports grounds for biking, running, and strolling; 2) Active Sports grounds for playing organized games such as basketball, tennis, baseball swimming, and soccer; and, 3) Professional Sports grounds design to meet all the International and national standards for professional teams to practice.

It is the intent of this Sports Village to become a new significant work place within Miami-Dade County. As part of its build-out plans it will be aggressively pursuing National and International sports teams and brands wanting a presence in Miami. The intent of this place is to become the epicenter of sports by providing all sports related convenience in one place. This means it will have a convention center for events, hotels for sports teams to stay, sports entertainment main street with nightly activity, covered arenas for professional teams to practice, and it will team up with a local university to provide a sports medicine school to address the physical fitness and treatment of sports related injuries.

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HYDROPONICS FARMING



THE HYDROPONICS FACILITY GROWS PLANTS WITHOUT SOIL UTILIZING 1/3 THE WATER. THE VALUE OF HYDROPONICS GROWING IS TO PRODUCE HIGHER YIELDS, WITH LESS PESTICIDES AND LESS WATER WASTE. HYDROPONICS VEGETABLES TASTE BETTER THAN GARDEN ONES BECAUSE THEY GET ALL THE MICRONUTRIENTS MAKING THEN SUPERIOR IN TASTE, COLOR, SIZE, AND EVEN NUTRITIONAL VALUE.

THE RAINWATER IS COLLECTED ON THE CATCHMENT AREA IN THE ROOF TOP. THE HARVESTED RAINWATER IS CONVEYED THROUGH

THE ROOF DRAINS AND PIPING TO A SINGLE POINT OF DISCHARGE INTO STORAGE TANKS.



HYDROPONICS FACADE

THE ROOFTOP SOLAR PANELS WILL PROVIDE KILOWATTS OF ELECTRICTY AND HOT WATER FOR USE BY THE BUILDING.

LEED - LEADERSHIP IN ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN IS REQUIRED TO IMPROVE PERFORMANCE OF ALL BUILDINGS.

INTERIOR HIGH INTENSITY DISCHARGE LIGHTS ARE USED TO REPRODUCE THE BLUE END OF THE SPECTRUM FOR YOUNG PLANTS.

SECURELY VENTILATED SUNSPACE TO PROVIDE FOR COOLING OF THE BUILDING.

EXTERIOR SUN SHADE SCREENS ARE USED TO PROVIDE FOR COOLING OF THE BUILDING.

SECURED LONG TERM, BIKE PARKING IS PROVIDED ON-SITE AND WITHIN THE RESIDENTIAL HOME.

THE WIND IS CAPTURED AND REDIRECTED ALLOWING NATURAL VENTILATION OF THE BUILDING THROUGH LARGE VERTICAL OPENINGS ALONG THE FACADE AND THROUGH ITS ROOF TOP VENTS.



OPEN AIR BIO-SWALE GARDENS



ZERO-ENERGY COMMERCIAL BUILDING (ZEB) IS DESIGNED TO CAPTURE AND STORE RAINWA-TER THROUGH ITS ROOF TOP AND PROVIDE FOR ITS OWN ENERGY NEEDS USING SOME FORM OF ON-SITE RENEWABLE ENERGY.

> ONE ADVANTAGE OF HYDROPONICS AGRICUL-TURE IS THAT IT CAN BE GROWN VERTICALLY SO IT CAN BE FIVE TO TWENTY TIMES MORE PRODUCTIVE IN THE SAME AMOUNT OF LAND.











SOILESS CONTROLLED AGRICULTURE

GREEN CITY MIAMI,

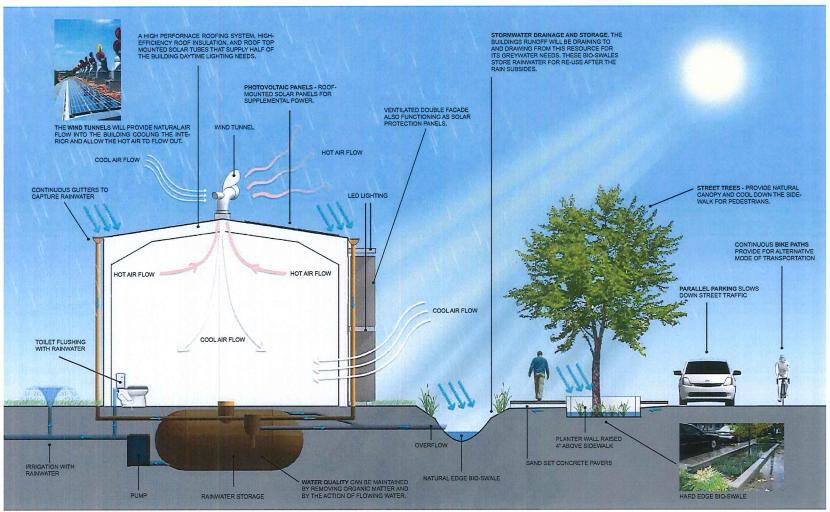
COMMERICAL BUILDING SECTION

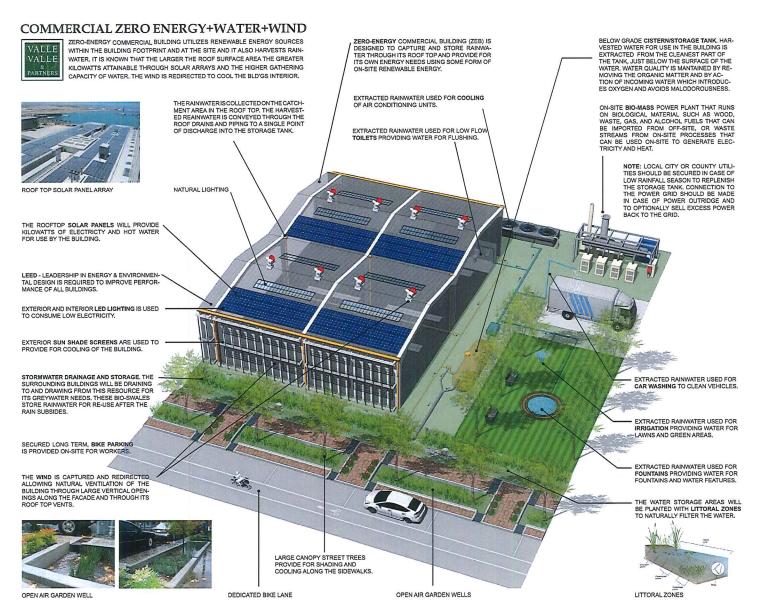


NET ZERO COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS HAVE A HIGH PAY BACK BECAUSE THEY HAVE LARGE ROOF AND FACADE SURFACES TO CAPTURE WATER AND TO HARDNEST THE SUN. IN WAREHOUSES, THE LARGE FACADES CAN ALSO BE USED TO CAPTURE NATURAL AIR FLOW TO COOL DOWN THE INTERIOR OF BUILDINGS AND WHEN DOUBLED WITH SOLAR PANELS PROVIDE PROTECTION FROM THE SUN.

ENERGY. THE LARGE ROOF SURFACES ARE USED TO CAPTURE THE SUN RAYS AND HARNEST INTO ENERGY FOR USED BY THE BUILDING AND EXCESS ENERGY IS PLACED BACK ON THE UTILITY GRID.

WATER. THE COLLECTED RAINWATER CAN BE USED FOR NON-PORTABLE USES SUCH AS IRRIGATION, TOILETS AND URINALS, LAUN-DRIES, MECHANICAL SYSTEMS, FOUNTAINS, CAR WASHING, AND RECHARGE. WIND. NATURAL AIR FLOW CAN BE HARD-NEST TO COOL DOWN THE INTERIOR OF BUILD-INGS OR ADJACENT PUBLIC SPACES. VENTI-LATED DOUBLE FACADE PANELS AND WIND TUNNELS PROVIDE OPTIONAL CHOICES.







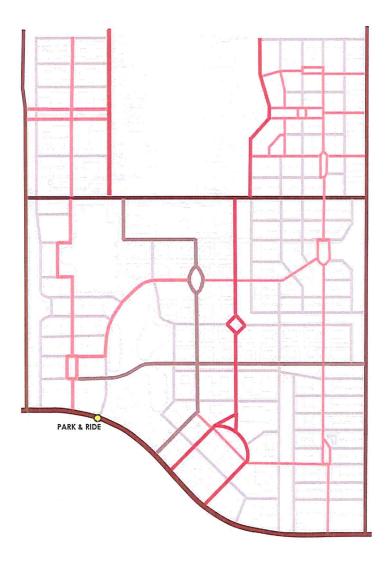
ECO-UREANISM PUBLIC STREETSCAPE

The public streetscape is that public realm that exist in-between building edges and it starts where the building meets the street. It embraces all the spaces between building facades, not just across the street from each other. The crucial ingredients to make it memorable is to balance how vehicles, transit, pedestrains, and bicyclist will interact.

The public streetscale must provide vehicles with flexability for parking and loading while also maintaining an easy flow of traffic. It must encourage public transit as an alternative mode of transporation. For the pedestrian it must feel safe, comfortable and provide protection from the sun and rain. To the bicyclist it needs to be safe with a dedicated lane and bicylist street crossing at intersections.

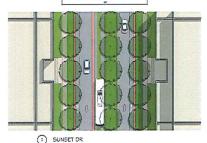
To complete the public streetscape the architecture needs to be culturally unique. Through architecture it is possible to gauge many things about the lifestyle, artistic sensibilities, social structure of a region. When all these urban ingredients are properly understood and combined the end results can bring economic viability and continued success.

The street sections illustrated here were identified as the most important neighborhood throughfares. Diagram 1 - (top right) shows the street section that provides for a dedicated transit lane that connects to the rest of the county; Diagram 2 - (bottom right) shows one-way throughfare in the heart of the Downtown district; the rest of the diagrams in the next page show a variety of ways to move traffic based on a hierarchy of streets sections.

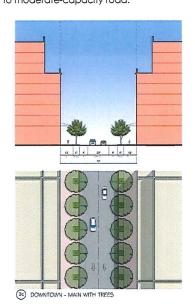


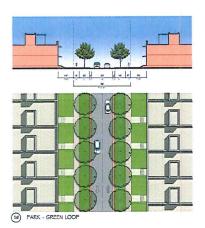
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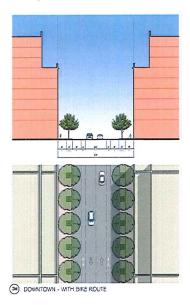


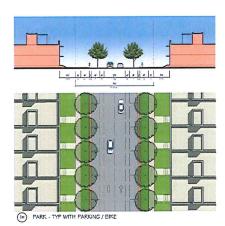
COLLECTOR ROAD - A road that moves traffic from local streets to arterial roads. A low to moderate-capacity road.



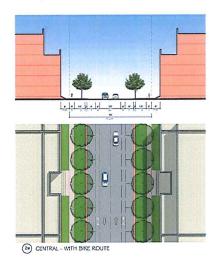


COMMERCIAL STREET - A road that front's retail, therefore it is designed to accommodate the pedestrian and the car.

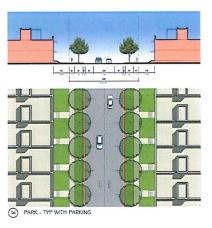




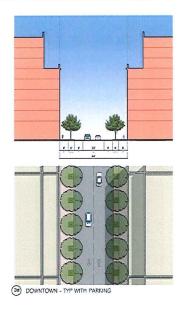
AVENUE - A road that moves traffic at faster speeds while providing for other modes of transporation such as dedicated bike lane.



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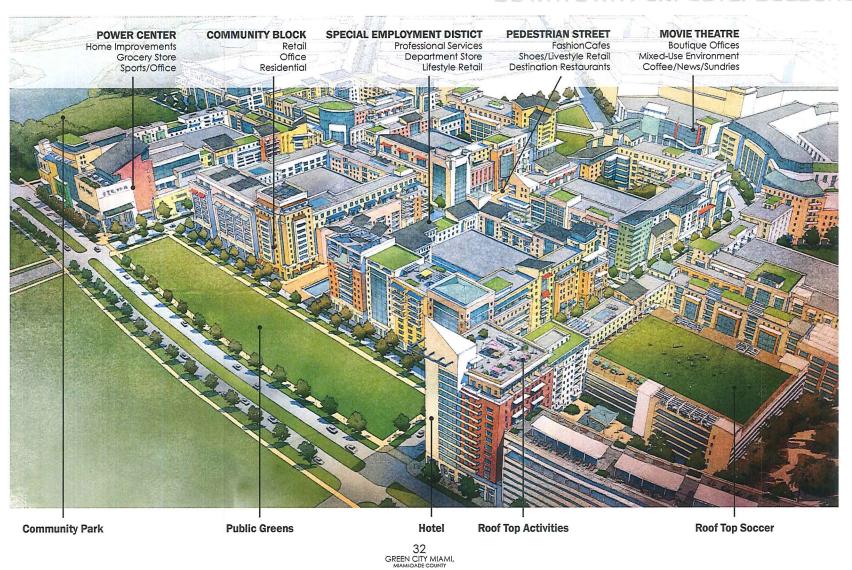
RESIDENTIAL STREET - A road utilizing parallel parking and narrow travel lanes to slow traffic and front's residential homes.



DOWNTOWN

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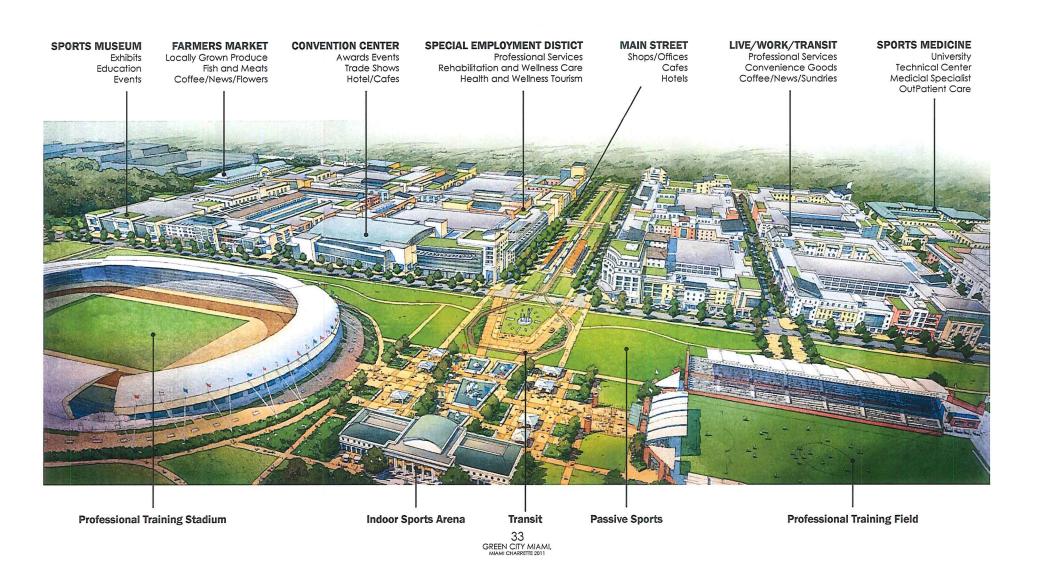
DOWNTOWN PERFECTLY SEASONED



SPORTS VILLAGE

General Use Program

THE GREATEST WEALTH IS HEALTH.



HEALTH AND WELLNESS VILLAGE

The economic and employment focus of the Health and Wellness Village is founded in the aspiration of creating a new source of economic activity for the West End. The Green City Miami project provides an ideal location to build a new collaboration between existing community institutions, to grow a new 'niche' sector of the economy, and to provide employment opportunities throughout the economic spectrum for the residents of the West End. The Health and Wellness Village will be the organizing place that will foster a new economic cluster founded in the life sciences: clinical medicine, medical education, research, and commercialization.

The Health and Wellness Village represents an opportunity to establish a new thrust of economic activity in West Kendall, building on the existing foundation already established by West Kendall Baptist Hospital and Florida International University. The fundamental pieces are in place to set this course. Miami-Dade County can recognize and accelerate this strategy by implementing recommendation #6 of the West End Strategy Action Agenda – Rethink New and Future Development Patterns.





HEALTH AND WELLNESS VILLAGE

The Health and Wellness Village will provide a unique laboratory for the Healthy West Kendall Coalition and its research partners to directly study the overall factors in lifestyle that affect human wellness. Residents and employees of the Village will be able to participate in various research initiatives involving their own lifestyle, which can assess the effects of living and/or working in a community designed for health and wellness.

Our vision for the Health and Wellness Village is to create a memorable place in the Miami landscape that will become another important destination for tourism and that can equally be enjoyed by its residents.



Green City Miami and Miami-Dade County Comprehensive Developmet Master Plan Goals:

The 3-dimensional master plan below illustrates in color the various densities (high density in dark red to low-density in light yellow) and mix-of-uses found within the villages proposed for Green City Miami. The Land Use Element policies promote precisely this urban form, where various land uses and intensities of use are permitted to occur.



- 1. At a rate commensurate with projected population and economic growth.
- 2. In a contiguous pattern centered around a network of high-intensity urban centers wellconnected by multi-modal intra-urban transportation facilities.
- 3. In locations which optimize efficiency in public service delivery and conservation of valuable natural resources.

The proposed new town "GREEN CITY MIAMI," implements all the following CDMP guidelines:

- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-8G(iii)(b)...land is contiguous to the UDB.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-8G(iii)(c)...land located within one mile of extraordinary transit service.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-8G(iii)(d)...land having projected surplus service capacity where necessary facilities and services can be readily extended.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-1D...the planning of residential areas as neighborhoods which include recreational, educational, and other public facilities, houses of worship, and safe and convenient circulation of automotive, pedestrian, and bicycle traffic.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-1E... uses policies of the County's "Guidelines for Urban Form," in the development of a variety of residential types and densities within section of land and the use of activity nodes to concentrate commercial uses.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-1F...promotes the inclusion of a variety of housing types.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-1G...encourages the development of business developments in clusters or nodes at the intersections of major roadways.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-11...considers urban design, water and energy conservation and wildlife habitat when designing sites.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-10...an integrated project that will provide much of the daily infrastructure and service of its residents.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy TE-2A...promotes the creation of a system of interconnected designated bicycle ways.
- CDMP Transportation Element Policy TU-2G...encouraging the creation of mechanisms to ensure the safe movement of pedestrian and bicycle traffic.
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-28...and third priority shall support the staged development of the Urban Expansion Area (UEA).
- CDMP Land Use Element Policy LU-10...energy efficient development shall be accomplished through metropolitan and use patterns, site planning, landscaping, building design, and development of multimodal transportation systems.