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GAI'S COMMUNITY PLANNING + DESIGN STUDIO

Economics, Urban Planning, Landscape Architecture



# Holistic Community Planning and Design Practice

# Planning to Policy

**Concept to Construction** 

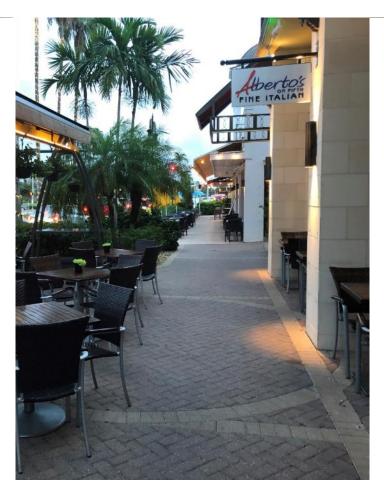


# Our Assignment: 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Streetscape and Sugden Plaza Concept Design



# Our Assignment: "Polish the Gem" 5th Avenue Streetscape and Sugden Plaza Concept Design

- 1. Materials: landscape, hardscape, site furnishings, lighting, signage, art, etc.
- 2. Programming and Use Areas: walking, biking, dining, retailing, planting, curbside management, parking, etc.
- 3. Technical Solutions: ADA accessibility, FEMA +1, lighting, rideshare drop-off, etc.
- 4. Maintenance & Operations:
  landscape planters, seasonal
  lighting, events, security,
  management coordination, etc.





### Schedule

Step 1 - Oct 14-15: Listening and Learning Staff, steering committee & public meetings Oct 14; Public Walking Tour, 9AM-11AM Oct, 15.

## Step 2 - Oct 28: Review & Focus with CRAAB

Present findings, confirm goals and initial direction

Step 3 - Dec 2: Draft Conceptual Designs Present initial concepts to CRA Board; prototype plans, sections and proposed materials.

Draft cost magnitudes.

Step 4 – Mar 2: Deliver Final Concepts Present to CRA Board, including order of magnitude costs, final report due by end of February 2020.















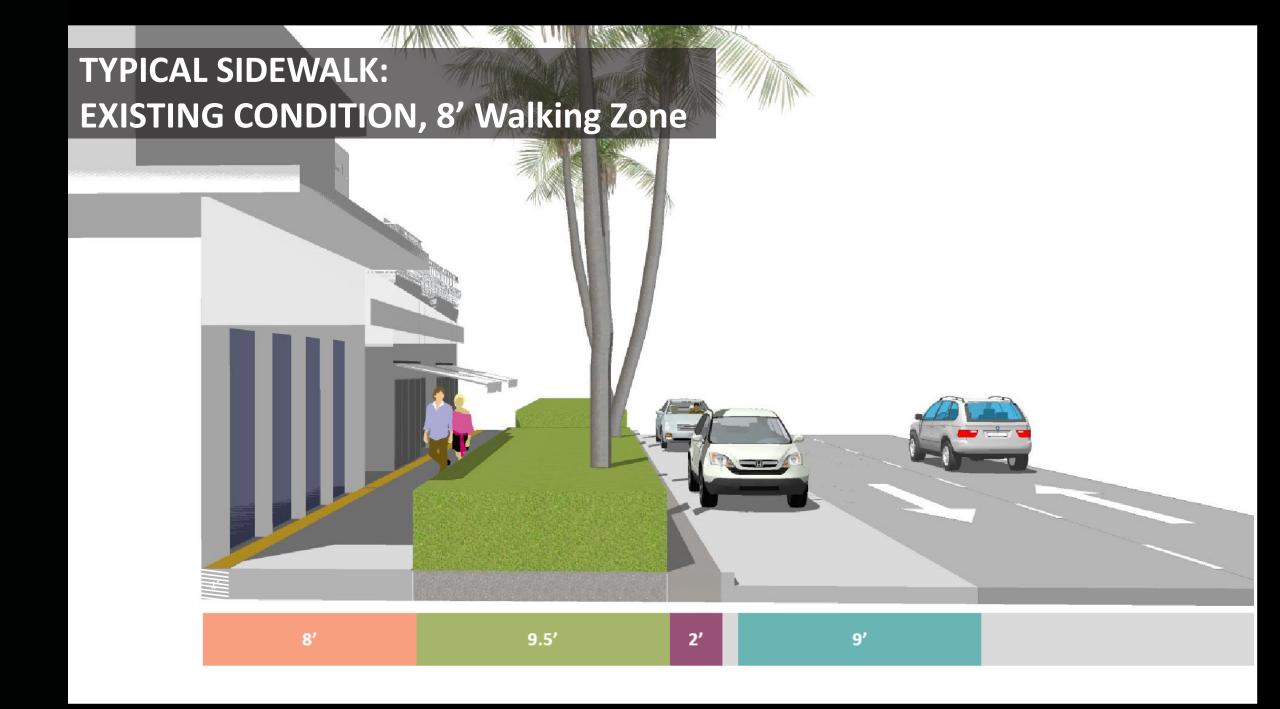


- Identify gateways and sub-area definition
- Recommend sidewalk area spatial allocation to balance needs
- Unify hardscape materials, intersections and ADA treatments
- Simplify landscape materials for comfort, beauty and maintenance
- Enhancing and engaging Sugden Plaza as a more active place
- Provide input on lighting, site furnishings and other observed issues















8' 5.5' 4' 2' 9'



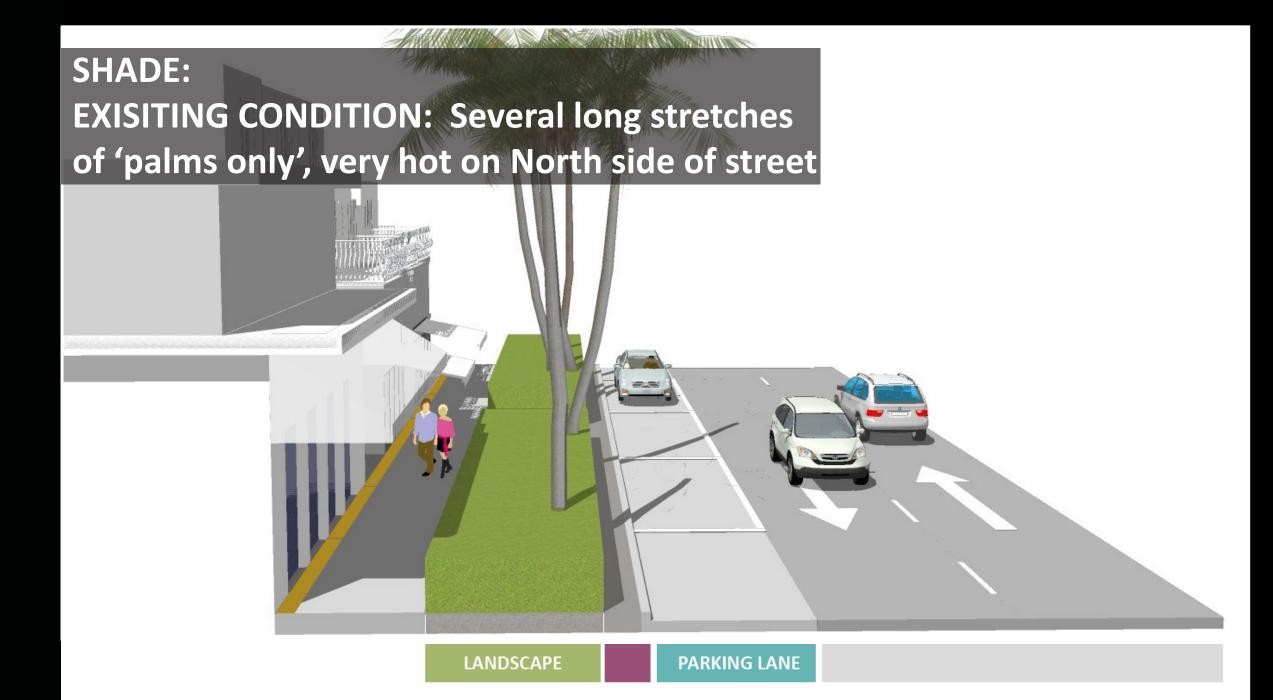


9.5'

### **PROPOSED:**

SHADE CANOPY OVERVIEW: Strong Input: More Shade! (increasing the pattern of canopy trees in conjunction with palms as a rhythm.







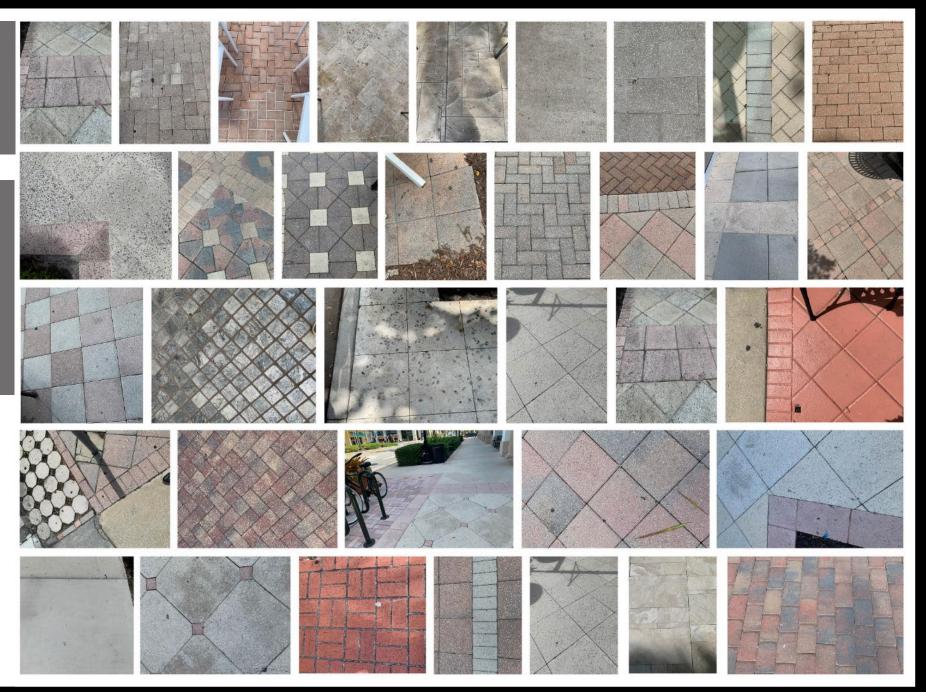


# PAVING MATERIALS: EXISTING

Numerous materials.

### Highly Varied:

- Visual Appearance
- Types of Materials
- Quality of Material
- Construction / Durability
- Maintenance / Upkeep
- Existing Age / Wear & Tear



# PAVING MATERIALS: EXISTING

STEP STRIPS & CONNECTION TO SIDEWALK ARE INCONSISTENT

INCONSISTENT CROSSWALK TREATMENTS, OFTEN ON EACH SIDE OF A GIVEN CROSSING!

ADA
COMPLIANCE &
UNIFORMITY



































### HARDSCAPE PALETTE



Manuf.: DC Kerchoff Type: Cast Stone Paver Color: Rico Finish: Acid Wash



**DINING AREA 24X24 PAVER** 

> Manuf.: DC Kerchoff Type: Cast Stone Paver Color: Aruba Finish: Acid Wash



**ACCENT BANDS** 12X12 PAVER

> Manuf.: DC Kerchoff Type: Cast Stone Paver Color: Aruba Finish: Regular



**LANDING ZONES** 

> Manuf.: Unilock Type: Optilock Ped. Paver Color: Natural Finish: Standard Laying Pattern: A



**DETECTABLE WARNING** 24X24 PAVER

> Manuf.: Tectura Type: ADA Conc. Paver Color: ADA-50 ADA Pattern: ADA-2



**VEHICULAR PAVEMENT** 

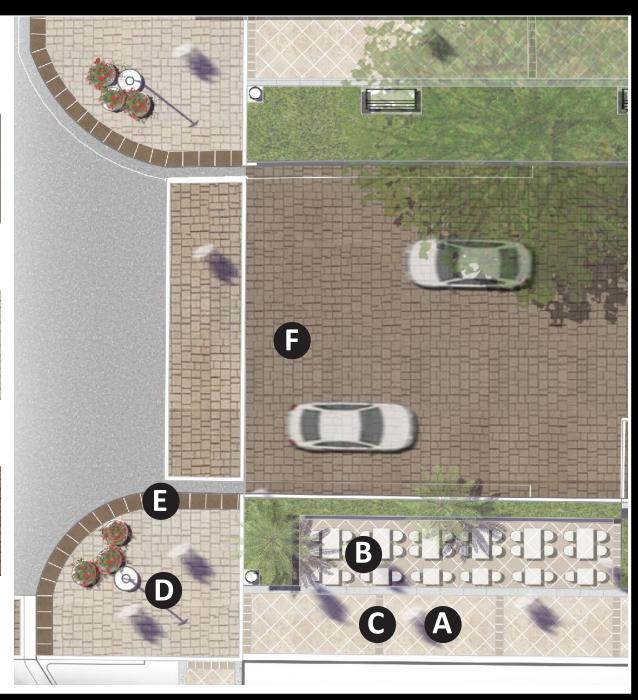
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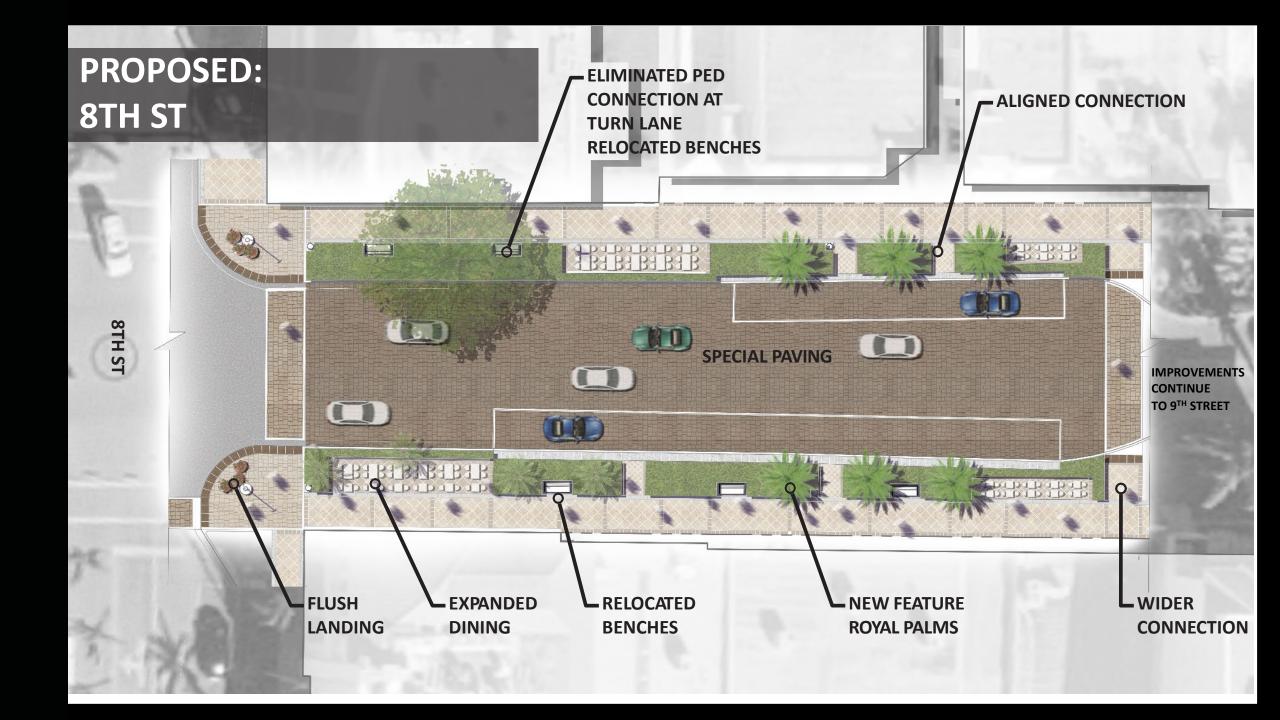
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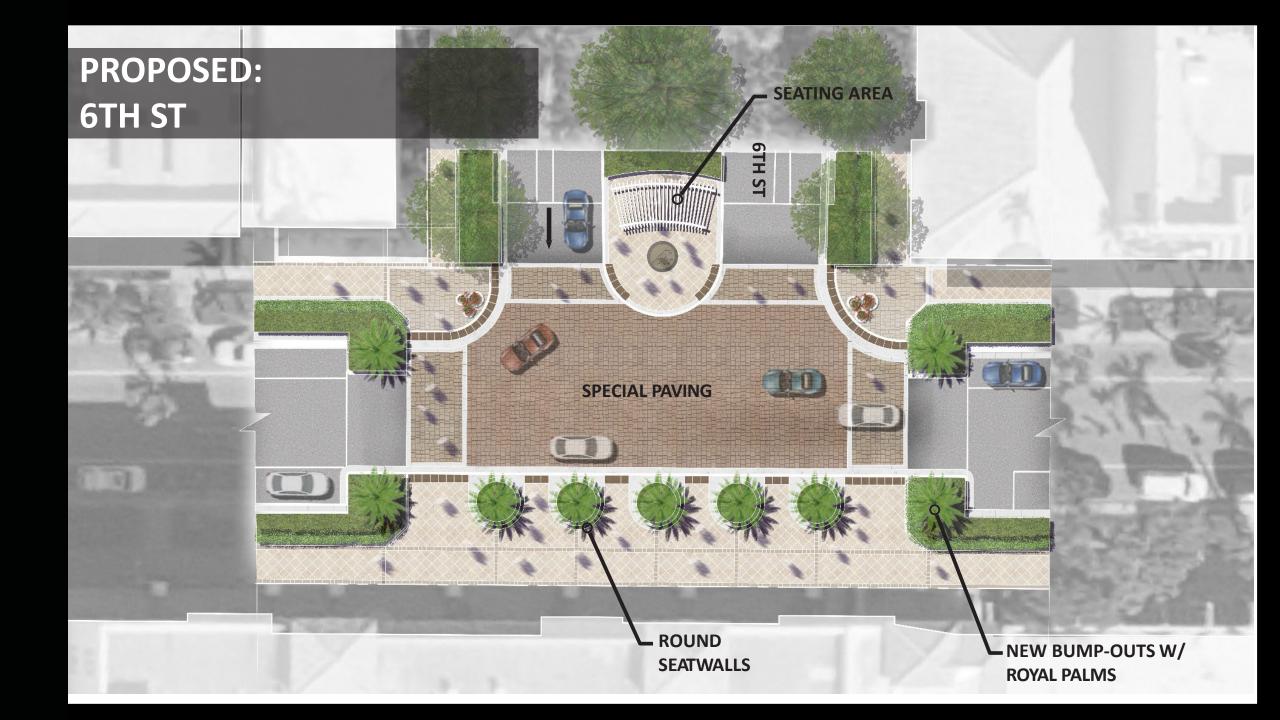


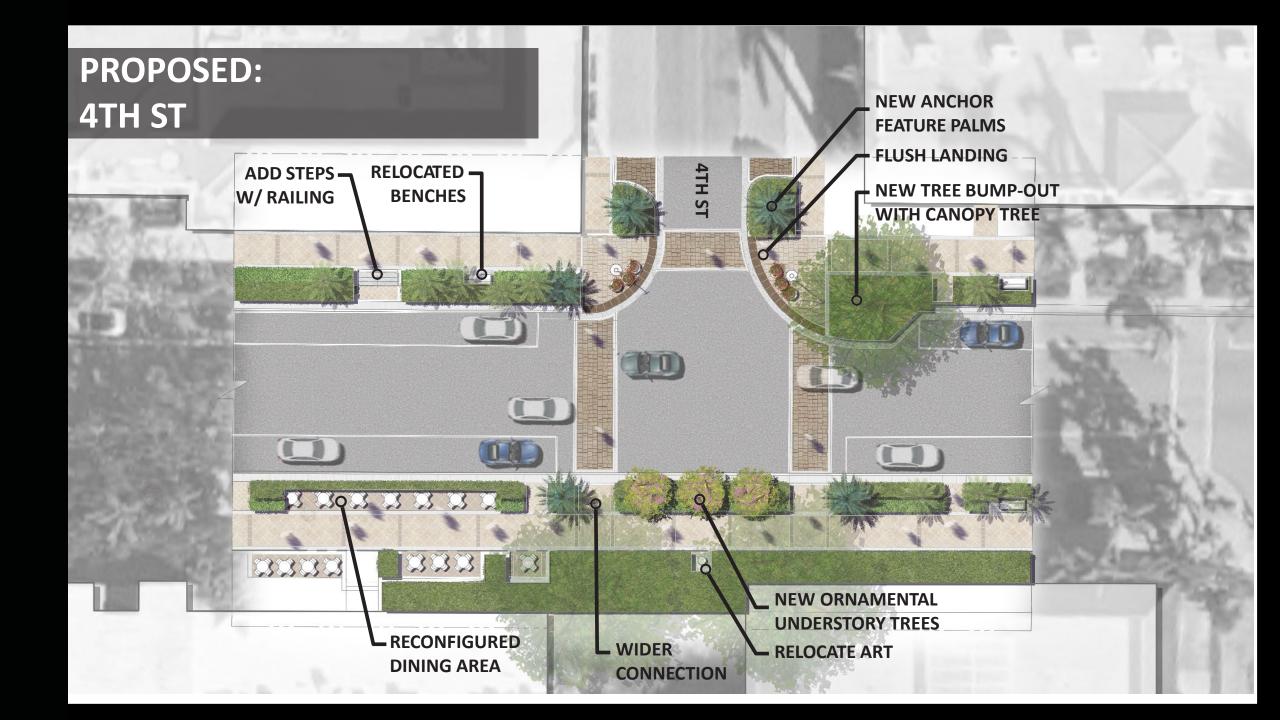










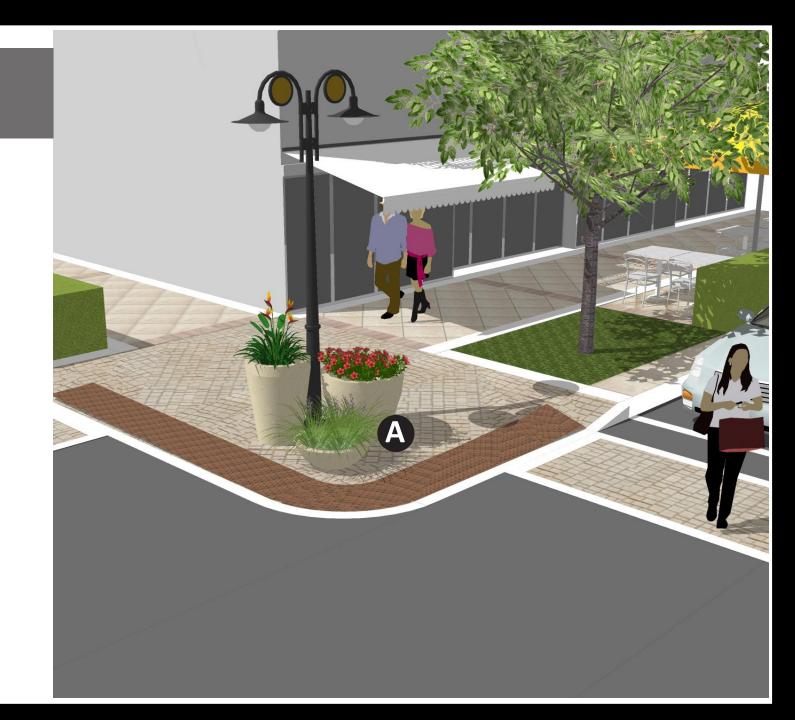


# TYPICAL CROSSING: FLUSH LANDING





Manufacturer: QCP Model: QR-CE3012P QR-CE3030P QR-CE3036P Color: Latte



# TYPICAL SEATWALLS: MATERIALS





Manuf.: DC Kerchoff Type: Cast Stone Cap w/ Flat Top Color: Rico Finish: Smooth Texture





INTEGRAL COLOR STUCCO W/ SAND FINISH

Color: Buff



## **LANDSCAPE PALETTE: EXISTING**

Nearly 100 observed plant species.

**Consider visual and** character continuity as well as maintenance



	SHRUBS/GROUNDCOVERS  Juniperus conferta	Blue pacific juniper
2	Chrysobalanus icaco 'Red Tip'	Red tip cocoplum
3	Ixora spp.	Ixora
4	Bougainvillea 'Helen johnson'	Helen Johnson Bougainvillea
5	Rhaphiolepis indica	Indian Hawthorn
6	Ficus beniamina	Figus bush
7	Dignella caerulea	Blueberry Flax Lily
8	Solanum laxum	Potato vine
9	Tradescantia pallida	Purple heart
10	Jasminum multiflorum	Downy Jasmine
11	Pentas lanceolata	Pentas
12	Vinca spp.	Periwinkle
13	Bromeliads	Bromeliads
14	Rose sp.	Rose
15	Podocarpus macrophylla	Podocarpus
16	Euphorbia milii	Crown of thorns
17	Plumeria spp.	Frangipani
18	Costus woodsonii	Red button ginger
19	Mandevilla laxa	Mandevilla vine/ chilean jasmine
20	Bougainvillea spp	Bougainvillea
21 22	Lantana camara 'Gold Mound'	Lantana Gold Mound
22	Heliconia acuminata Caladium bicolor	False bird of paradise
23	Figus sp.	Angel wings
25	Phymatosorus scolopendria	Ficus
26	Liriope muscari	Monarch fern
27	Philodendron xanadu	Lily turf
28	Strobilanthes dveriana	Philodendron xanadu
29	kalanchoe tomentosa	Purple persian shield
30	Schefflera arboricola 'Variegata'	Panda plant
31	Crinum augustum 'Queen Emma'	Variegated Dwarf Umbrella Plant
32	Ficus microcarpa 'Green Island'	Queen Emma lily Green island ficus
33	Hamelia patens 'compacta'	Dwarf firebush
34	Asparagus aethiopicus	Asparagus fern
35	Melaleuca viminalis	Bottlebrush tree
36	Ixora Taiwanensis	Dwarf ixora
37	Strelitzia reginae	Orange bird of paradise
38	Asparagus densiflorus 'Myers'	Foxtail fern
39	Ruellia simplex	Mexican petunia
40	Tradescantia zebrina	Inch Plant
41 42	Strelitzia nicolai	White bird of paradise
	Schefflera arboricola	Green arboricola
43 44	Codiaeum variegatum 'Petra' Ficus Vrata	Croton 'Petra'
45	Crossandra infundibuliformis	Fiddle-leaf fig tree
46	Buxus microphylla	Crossandra
47	Sedum sp.	Boxwood

Sedum Ti Plant jatropha integerrima Peregrina Dwarf yapoun holly llex vomitoria 'Nana' Ligustrum lucidum Aechmea blanchetiana Glossy Privet tree Hibiscus rosa-sinensis Bromeliad Hibiscus mutabilis Chinese hibiscus Allamanda cathartica 56 Trachelospermum jasminoides

Condeferate rose
Golden trumpet flower
Confedrate jasmine
New guinea impatiens
Dwarf Fakahatchee Grass Impatiens hawkeri Tripsacum floridanum Clusia rosea 'Nana' Dwarf clusia 61 Crinum asiaticum

Natal plum White crinum

	PALMS	
62	Roystonea regia	Royal palm
63	Livistona chinensis	Chinese fan palm
64	Syagrus romanzoffiana	Queen palm
65	Thrinax radiata	Thatch palm
66	Ptychosperma macarthurii	Macarthur palm
67	Archontophoenix alexandrae	Alexander Palm
68	Phoenix roebelenii	Pygmy date palm
69	Adonidia merrillii	Christmas palm
70	Dypsis decaryi	Triangle palm
71	Cocos nucifera	Coconut palm
72	Sabal palmetto	Cabbage palm
73	Dypsis lutescens	Areca palm
74	Phoenix dactylifera	Medjool date palm
75	Rhapis excelsa	Lady Palm

/ 0	swietenia managoni	Mullogully
77	Quercus virginiana	Live oak
78	Delonix regia	Poinciana
79	Tabubuia caraiba	Silver trumpe
80	Bucida buceras	Shady lady o

#### SMAIL TREES

Cordyline fruticosa

	SMALL INLLS	
81	Cupressus sempervirens	Italian cypress
82	Cordia sebestena	Geiger
83	Ligustrum lucidum	Glossy Privet
84	Chrysobalanus icaco	Green cocoplum
85	Lagerstroemia indica x fauriei 'Natchez'	Natchez Crape Myrtle

## **LANDSCAPE PALETTE: PROPOSED**

40 recommended plant species.

Strengthened visual & character continuity as well as simplified maintenance









### SHADE/CANOPY TREES

Swietenia mahaaoni Mahogany Quercus virginiana Live oak

#### **PALM TREES**

Phoenix dactylifera Medjool Date Palm Royal Palm Roystonea regia Coco nucifera Coconut Palm Ptychosperma macarthurii Macarthur Palm

### FLOWERING TREES

Tabebuia cariba Silver Trumpet Delonix regia Royal Poinciana

### **SHRUBS**

Podocarpus macrophylla 10Ficus microcarpa 'Green Island'

11 Clusia rosea 'Nana' 12 Ilex vomitoria 'Nana'

13 Rhaphiolepsis indica

14 Carissa macrocarpa 'Natal Plum' Natal Plum 15 Chrysobalanus icaco 'Red Tip'

16 Hamelia patens 'Compacta'

17 Ixora maui

18 Schefflera arboricola 'Trinette'

19 Bougainvillea 'Helen Johnson'

20 Plumbago auriculata

21 Gardenia jasminoides 'Radicans' Dwarf Gardenia

22 Nephrolepis biserrata

23 Asparagus densiflora 'Myers'

Podocarpus **Green Island Ficus Dwarf Clusia Dwarf Yaupon Holly** Indian Hawthorn **Red Tip Cocoplum** Dwarf Firebush Dwarf Ixora Trinette Schefflera Dwarf Bougainvilea Plumbago

### **GROUNDCOVER**

24 Trachelospermum asiaticum

25 Archis glabrata 'Ecoturf'

26 Juniperus 'Parsonii"

27 Liriope muscari

29 Evolvulus alomeratus

30 Mimosa strigillosa

28 Dianella tasmanica

Asiatic Jasmine Perennial Peanut **Parsons Juniper** Liriope

Macho Fern

Foxtail Fern

Flax Lily **Blue Daze** Sunshine Mimosa

### COLOR/ACCENTS

31 Muhlenbergia capillaris

32 Pennisetum setaceum 'Rubrum' 33Pennisetum setaceum 'Alba'

34 Heliconia spp.

35 Canna generalis

Alpinia zerumbet 'Variegata'

37 Cordyline spp.

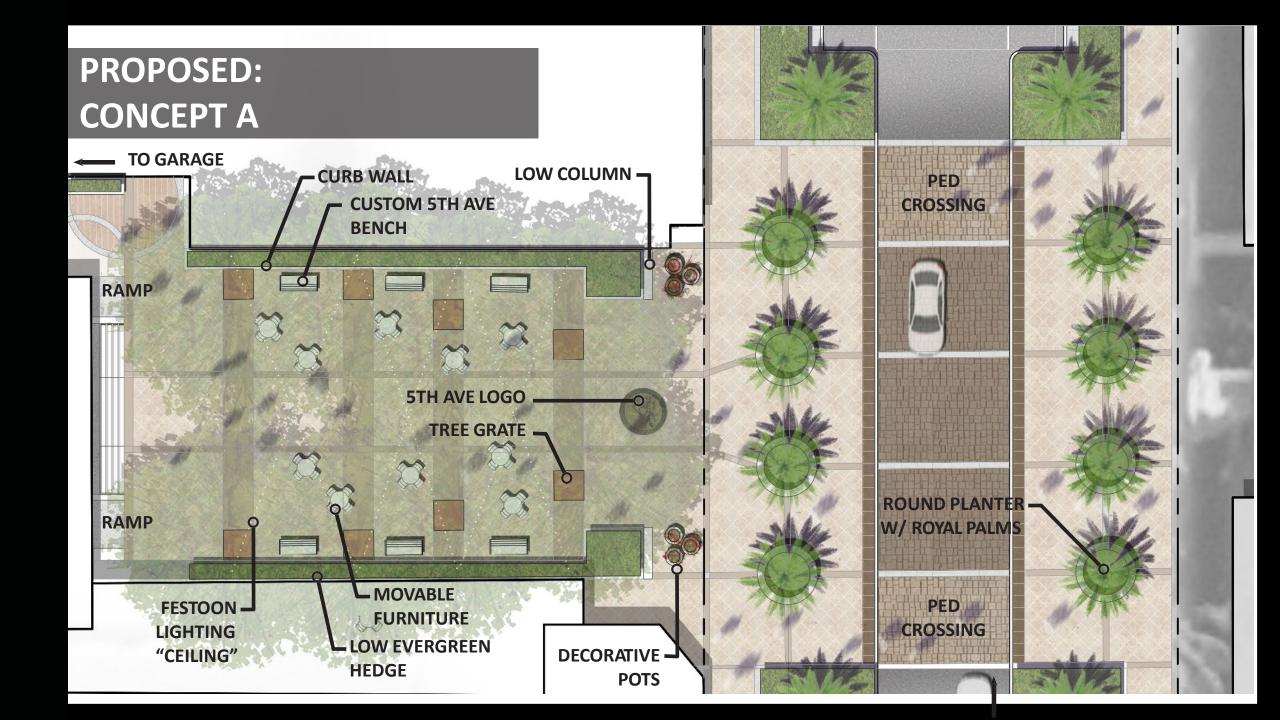
38 Agapanthus africanus 39 Codiaeum variegatum var.

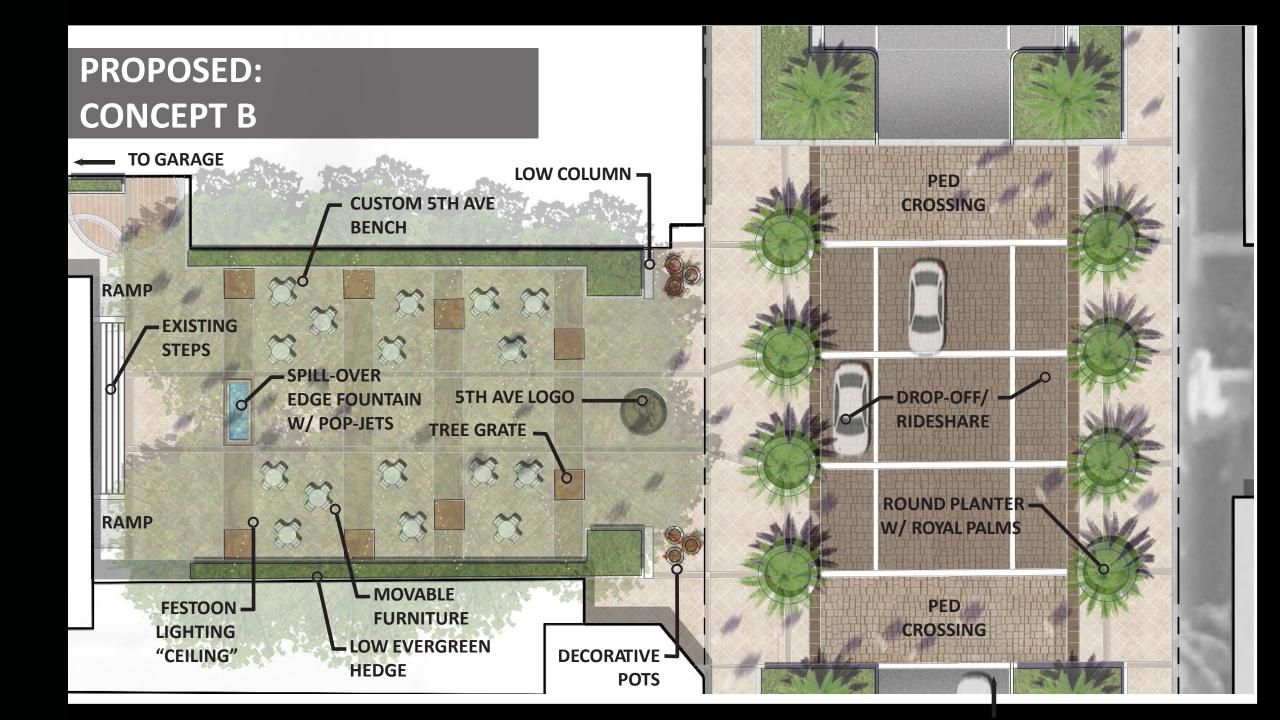
40 Hibiscus rosa-sinensis

Pink Muhly Grass Red Fountain Grass White Fountain False Bird of Paradise Canna Lily Variegated Ginger Ti Plant/Red Sister Lily of the Nile Crotons

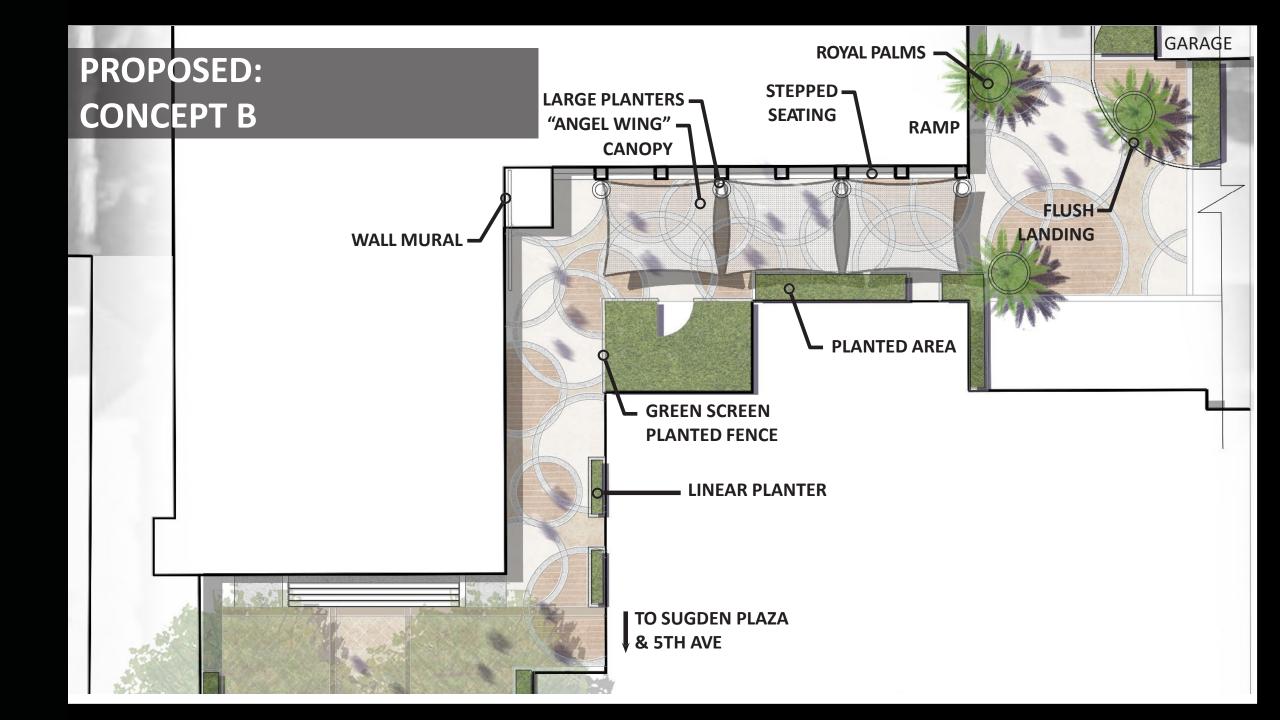
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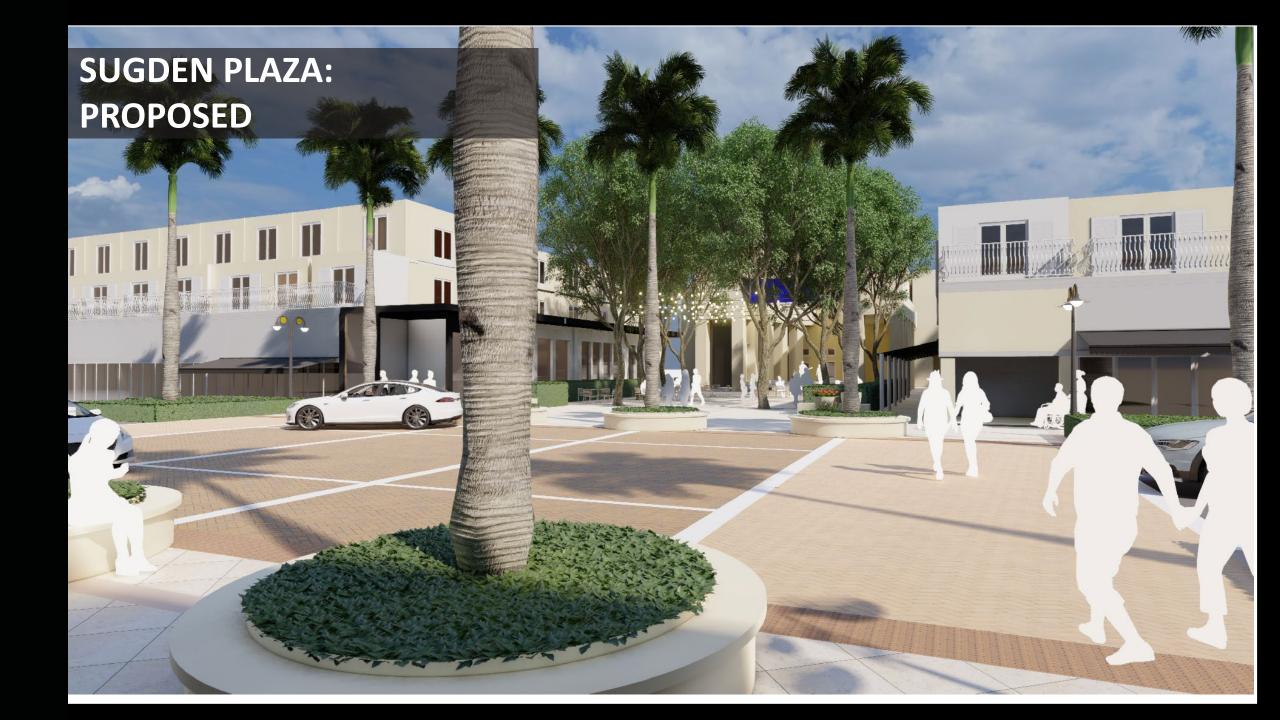




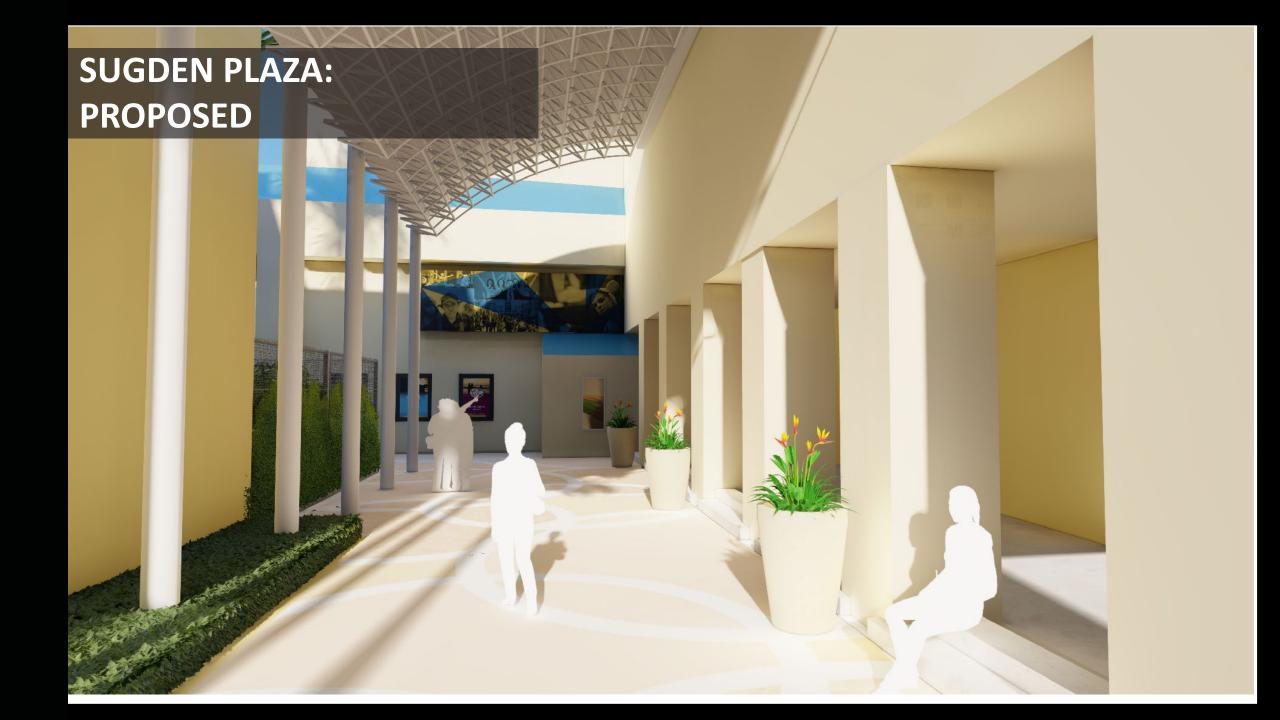












## Our Assignment: "Moving Forward" 5th Avenue Streetscape and Sugden Plaza Concept Design

## 1. Concept Approved on March 2, 2020 with Minor Comments:

- Sidewalk to remain 8' in width
- Alternatives for speed tables due to concern over tire noise
- No designated performance space at 6<sup>th</sup> Street S. intersection

## 2. Additional Scope Requested by City:

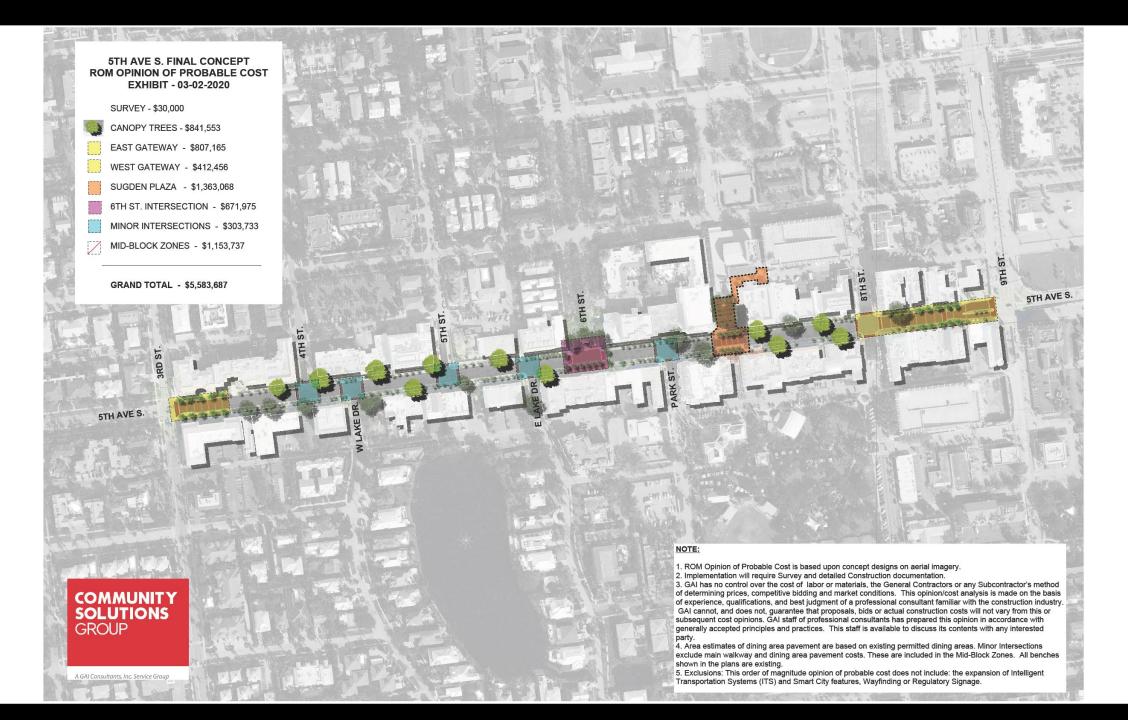
- Further refinement of entrance features at 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Streets
- Include design for pedestrian connections and mini-parks including Merrihue Park, Menefee Park, 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. connection to Sugden Theatre, the Cultural Corridor between 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. and Cambier Park
- ROM comparison of existing impervious area to proposed in corridor concept
- Additional Review by DRB and CRAAB
- Additional public comment

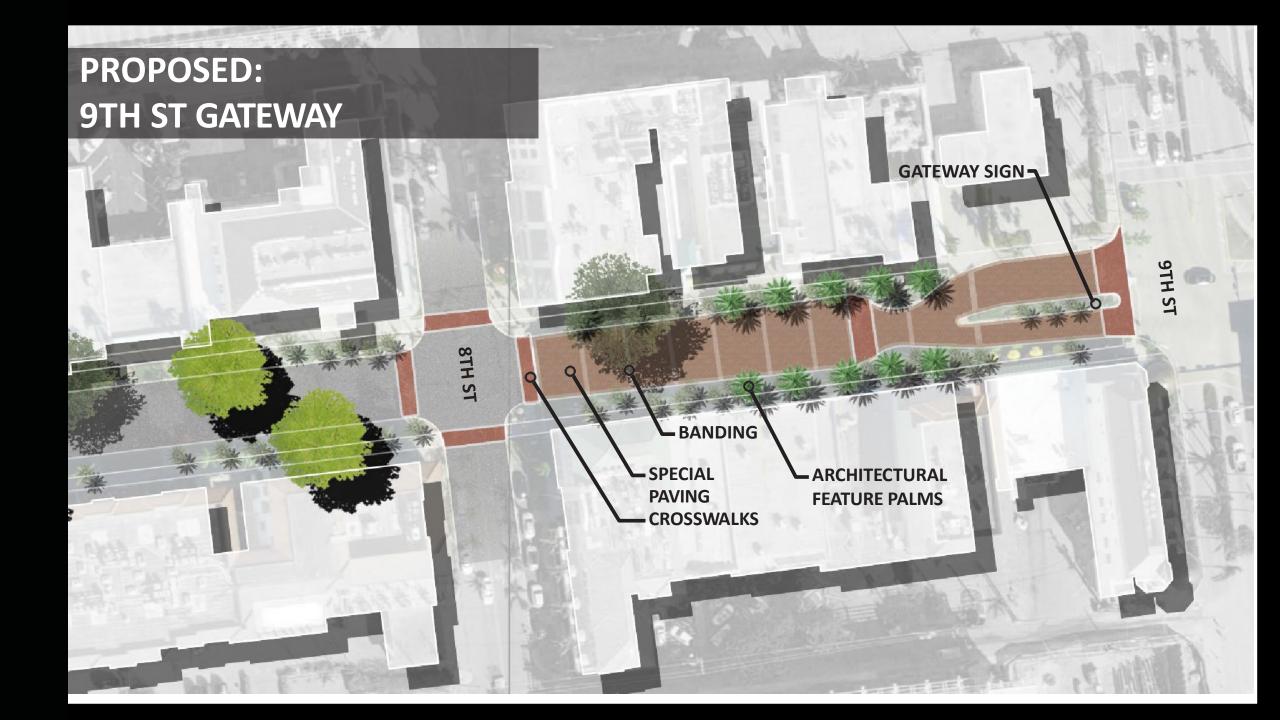
## Specific Addition Design Locations: entrance features at 3rd, 6th and 9th

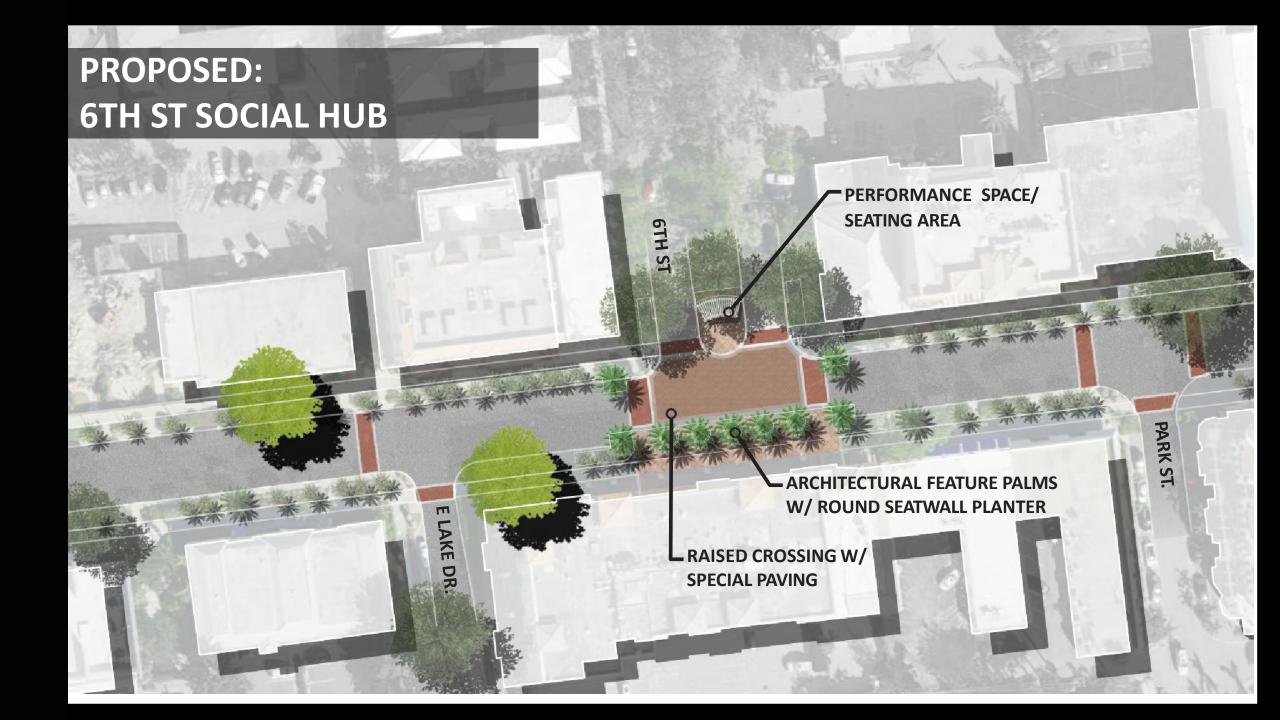
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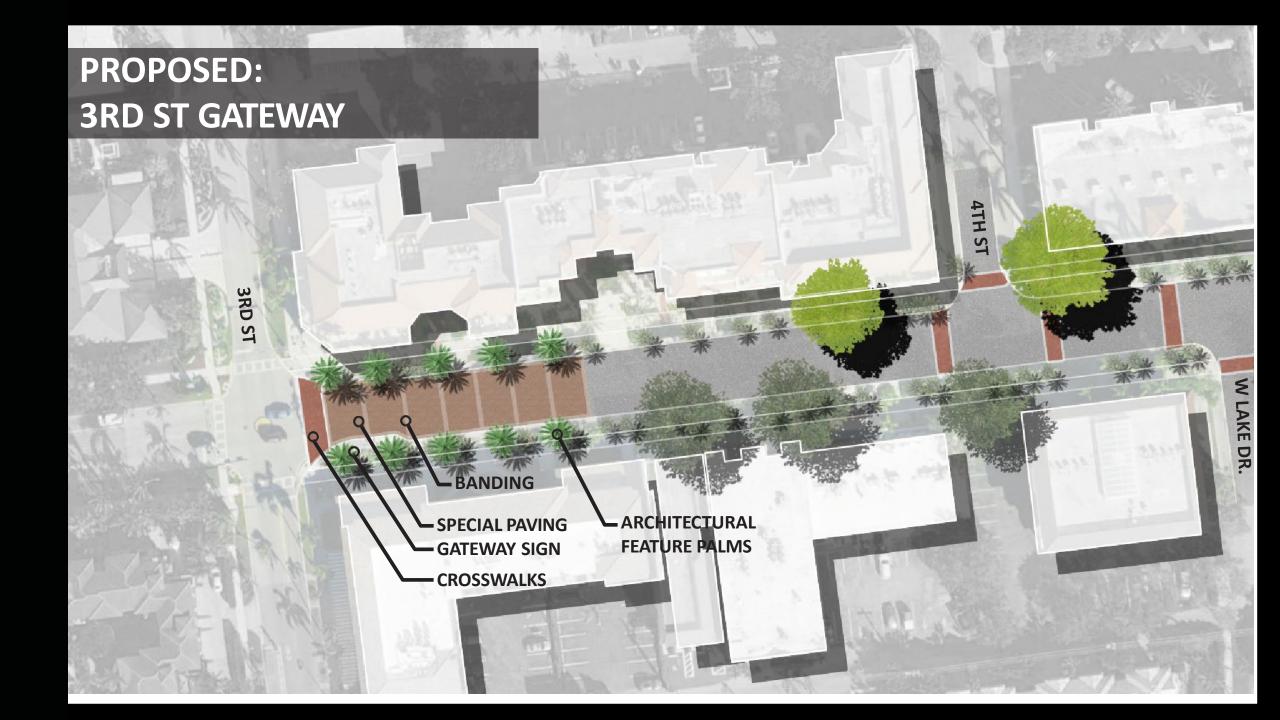


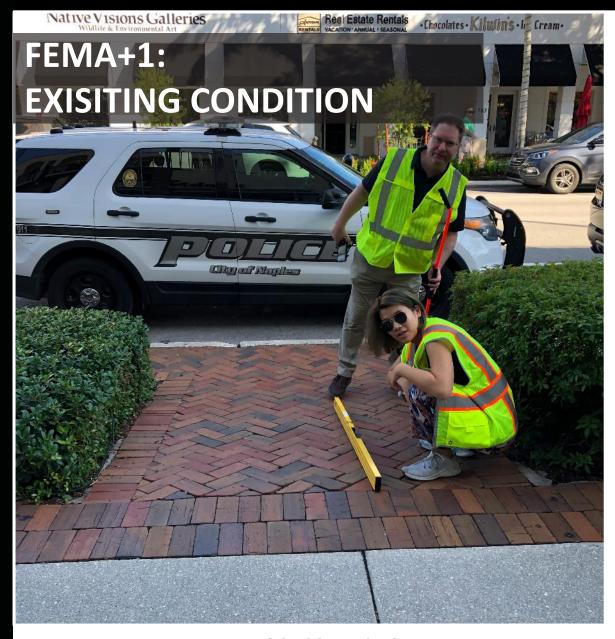








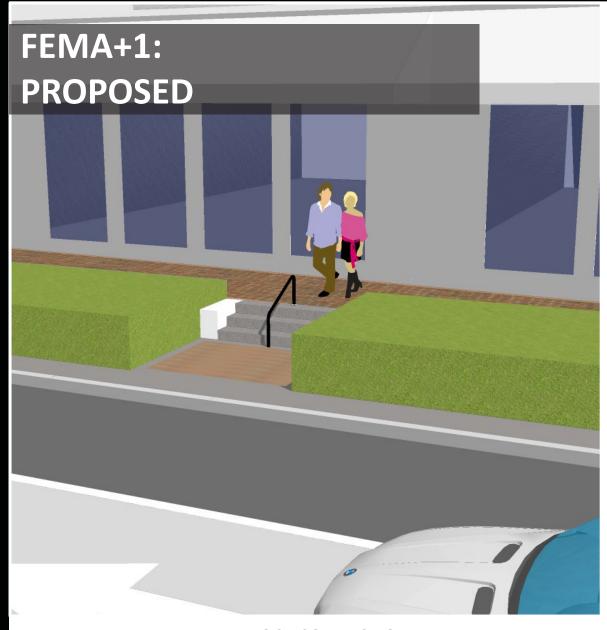






**MID-BLOCK CONNECTION** 

**CROSSING APPROACH** 





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