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Cherokee Farm the innovation campus

Master Plan & Development Guidelines
UT Board of Trustees Meeting

June 16, 2009

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Agenda



- I. Introductions
- II. Project Overview
- III. Draft Master Plan
- IV. Discussion
- V. Next Steps





Vision & Mission

The University's stated vision for Cherokee Farm is an interdisciplinary research campus that focuses on solving problems of national significance.





UT Archaeological Research Lab

Phase I and II Archaeological Surveys

EDAW

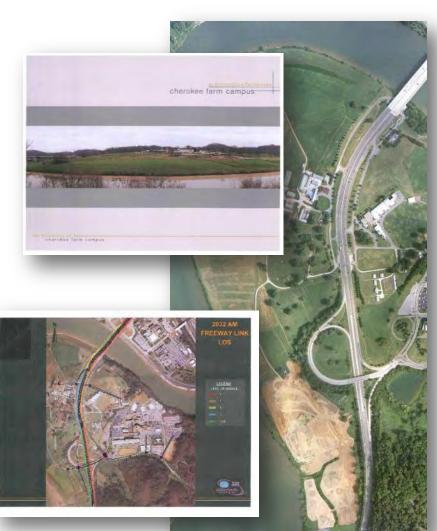
Feasibility Study

Gresham, Smith & Partners

- Aerial, Topography, Boundary, Utility, and Geotechnical Surveys
- Phase I and II Environmental and Natural Resources Site Assessments

Wilbur Smith Associates

Traffic Study





Feasibility Study Program Findings

- 200 acres
- Science & Technology Research Labs and Offices
- Hotel/Conference Center
- Services and Cafes/Restaurants
- Greenway & Arboretum
- Bicycle/Pedestrian/Transit Choices
- Sustainable Design
- 2,000,000 sf
- 3,000 employees
- Phased over multiple years



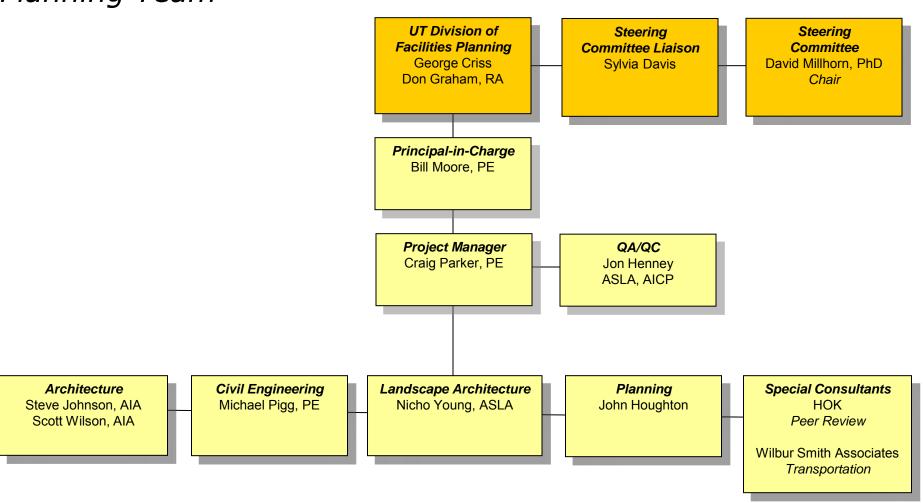


Master Plan & Development Guidelines





Planning Team





Project Timeline & Status

CHEROKEE FARM CAMPUS		2008		2009				2010				2011			
	IIIQ	IVQ	IQ	IIQ	IIIQ	IVQ	IQ	IIQ	IIIQ	IVQ	IQ	IIQ	IIIQ	IVQ	
Master Plan and Development Guidelines															
Programming															
Data Collection/Discovery Process															
Master Development Plan Alternatives															
Initial Draft Master Plan															
Final Draft Master Plan															
Site Demolition															
Design															
Bidding															
Construction Phase															
Infrastructure															
Data Collection															
Schematic Design															
Design Development															
Construction Documents															
Bidding															
Construction Phase															
Close Out															



Planning Principles

- Emphasize design excellence and innovation throughout the campus
- Establish a campus framework that supports flexible development options
- Integrate sustainable design strategies in all aspects of campus development
- Foster a spirit of collaboration and collegiality across the campus through a well defined, pedestrian friendly and comfortable public realm
- Maximize the site's rich history, context and potential as a cultural resource, a neighbor and a gateway
- Connect the campus to the city and region through multiple modes of transportation and public spaces



Site Analysis Overview

Topography

Access

Vegetation

Views

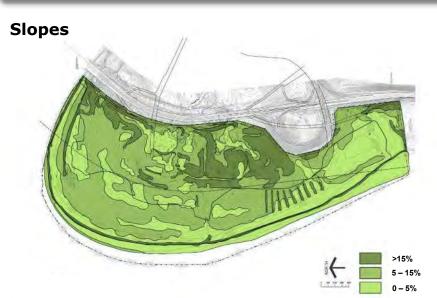
• Sun & Wind

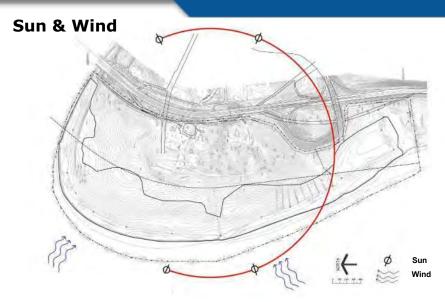
Zones

Pedestrians

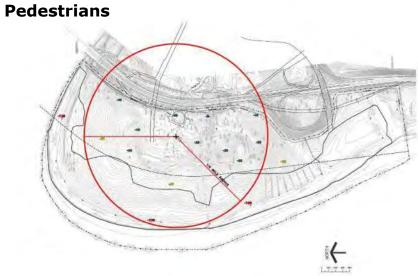
Development Area



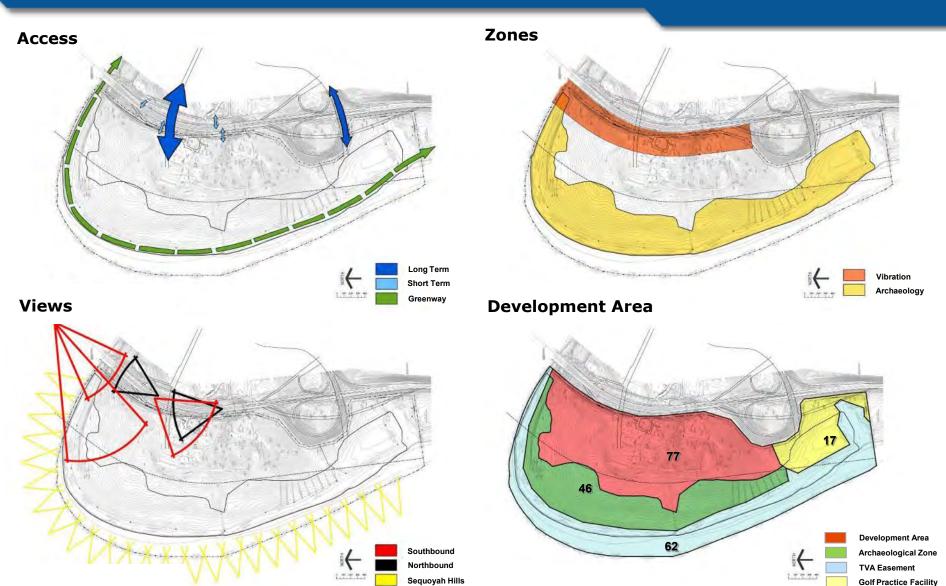














Analysis: Findings & Recommendations

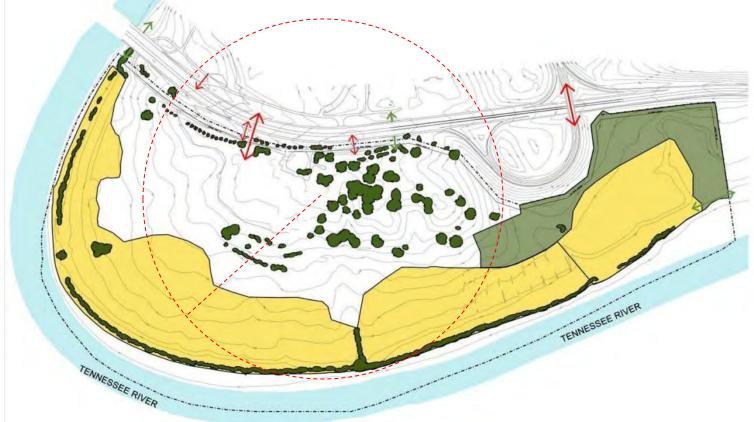
- Recognize importance of and conserve mature trees
- Provide connections across site for pedestrians, bicyclists, and cars
- Develop well defined public spaces
- Respond to different conditions across site
- Concentrate parking adjacent to Alcoa Highway





Development Framework

• Opportunities & Constraints

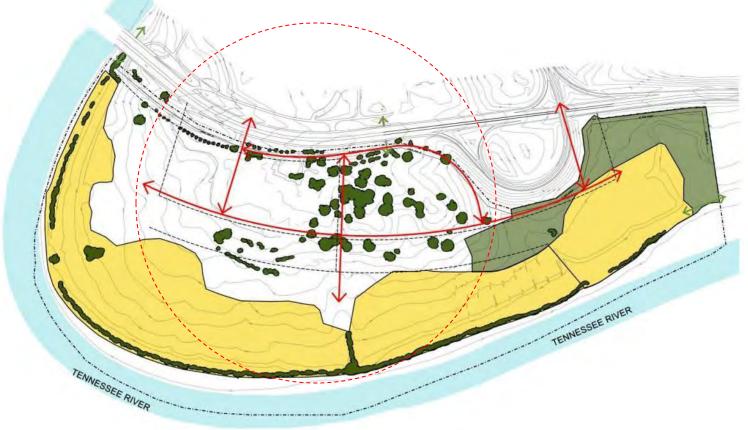






Development Framework

• Circulation & Utilities

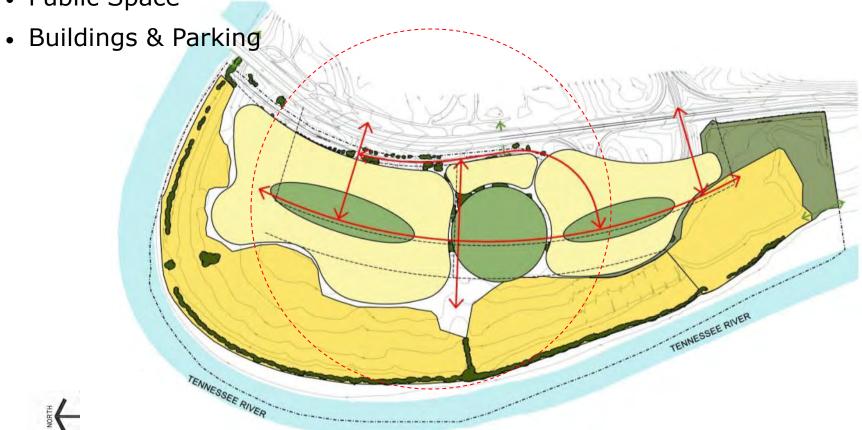






Development Framework

• Public Space





Key:

A: Proposed partial Interchange B: Improved full Interchange

Development Concept





Development Yield

• Research Labs/Office (15) 1,450,000 sf

Hotel/Conference (1) 160,000 sf

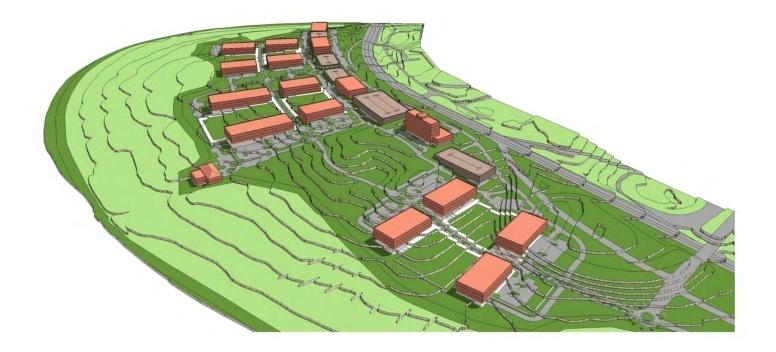
Nature/Interpretative Center (1)
 40,000 sf

TOTAL 1,650,000 sf

Parking 4,000 spaces



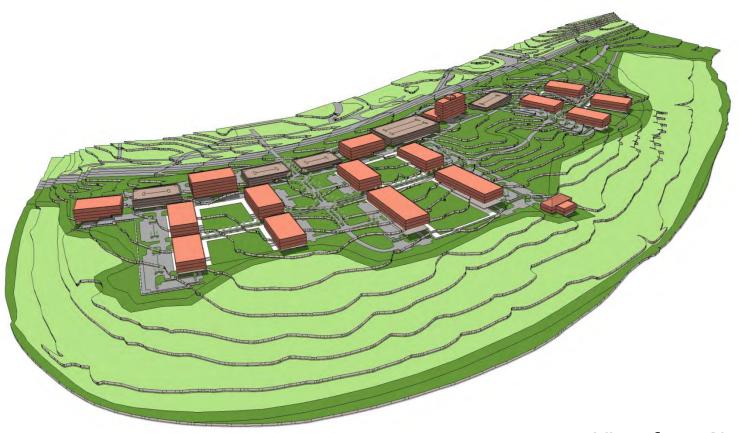
Development Concept



View from Southwest



Development Concept



View from Northwest



Development Concept



View from North



Development Concept



Conceptual Perspective of Central Quad



Development Concept





Conceptual Perspective of Main Entrance



Development Guidelines

1.0 Introduction

- 1.1. Background
- 1.2. Master Plan
- 1.3. Sustainable Design
- 1.4. Relationship to Other Documents

2.0 Development Guidelines

2.1 Architecture

- 2.1.1 Goals
- 2.1.2 Building Setbacks
- 2.1.3 Building Heights
- 2.1.4 Building Location and Orientation
- 2.1.5 Facades
- 2.1.6 Massing
- 2.1.7 Materials and Colors
- 218 Roof
- 2.1.9 Exterior Building Lighting
- 2.1.10 Exterior Building Signage
- 2.1.11 Interior Building Systems

2.2 Parking . Access . Utilities

- 2.2.1 Goals
- 2.2.2 Surface Parking
- 2.2.3 Surface Parking: Perimeter and Interior Landscaping
- 2.2.4 Surface Parking: Lighting
- 2.2.5 Structured Parking
- 2.2.6 Loading, Service and Storage
- 2.2.7 Utilities

2.3 Signage

- 2.3.1 Goals
- 2.3.2 Design and Materials
- 2.3.3 Lighting

2.4 Landscape and Streetscape Design

- 2.4.1 Goals
- 2.4.2 Planting
- 2.4.3 Pavement
- 2.4.4 Furnishings
- 2.4.5 Walls
- 2.4.6 Stormwater
- 2.4.7 Pedestrian Plan
- 2.4.8 Street Plan
- 2.4.9 Street Cross Sections

3.0 Development Review Process

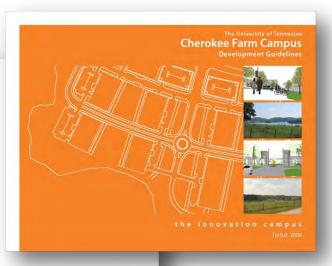


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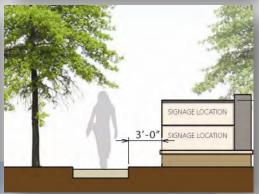
Development Guidelines

- Architecture
- Parking, Access & Utilities
- Site Signage







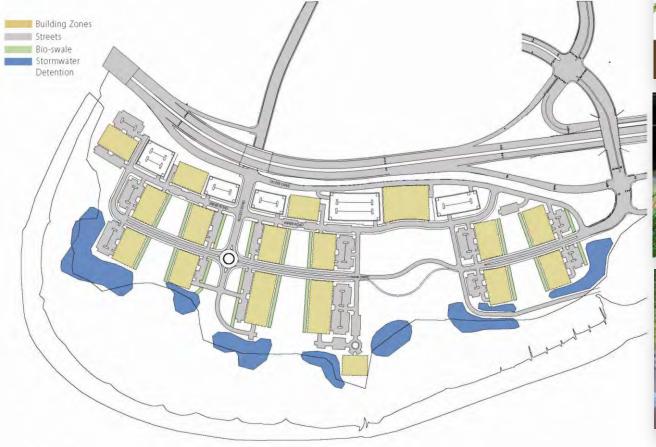


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Development Guidelines

• Landscape & Street Design









Discussion





Next Steps



- Presentation to Tennessee Higher Education Commission
- Presentation to State Building Commission
- Submit Final Master Plan

