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### subject site



Located on fringe of Columbia's CBD, approx. *165* acres

52 structures, sheds, & out buildings

SC Lunatic Asylum •Founded in 1821, Opened 1828

**Babcock Building** 

Subject Site

National Register of Historic PlacesCentral Portion protected by CityOrdinance



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Babcock Construction Diagram

1873 S.C. Lunatic Asylum



## babcock building

#### Built in Four Campaigns

George Walker designed South Wing, established composition, scale and style of entire building

North Wing built in mirror image between 1880-1882

Samuel Sloan designed Center Portion to unite composition, focal point for asylum



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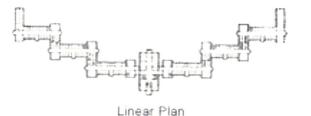
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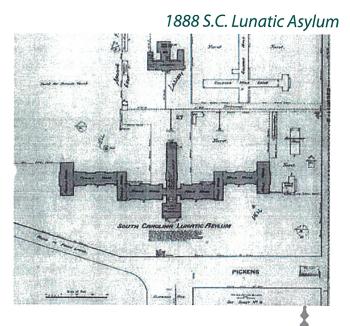


Mid 19<sup>th</sup> Century Movement, "Beauty is Therapy"

# Influenced the design of Mental Asylums before the Civil War

- Central administration building flanked by two wings comprised of tiered wards
- Parks and natural surrounding served to both stimulate and calm patients' minds with natural beauty





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### current status of kirkbride

## 79 Mental Asylums listed as influenced by Kirkbride Approach in U.S.

- 38 completely demolished
- 4 partially demolished
- Majority of remaining have fallen into disuse and decay similar to Babcock

#### St. Elizabeth Master Plan

- 176-acre West Campus
- Located just outside of DC

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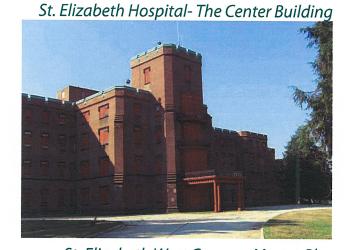
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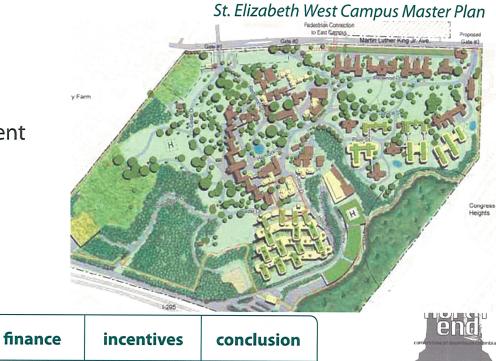
- Government takes over control
- \$4.1 billion invested in redevelopment

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•Not touching The Center Building





#### village at traverse commons

#### Traverse City Hospital (now Building 50)

- Original Hospital: 388,000 SF
- 1 Mile from Downtown
- Decision to reestablish as *Focal Point*

#### Redeveloped into European Town Center

- Currently 230,000 SF redeveloped
- Use Mix: condos, office, retail, restaurants, art galleries, chapel, vacation rentals, farmers market, arboretum

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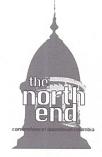
- 63 businesses on site
- 60 full time residences

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#### Village at Traverse Commons Site Map

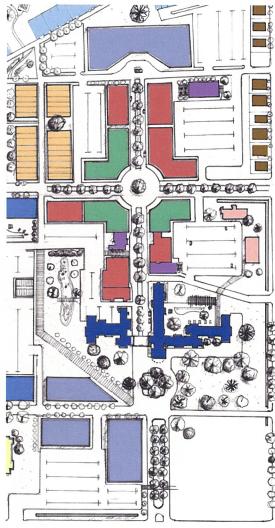




### babcock as focal point

Mills Drive will *Pierce* the Babcock's North Wing Reestablish Focal Point Instant Authenticity Increase Value on All 4 Surrounding Sides Respect & Preserve History New Life to Babcock & other Distinctive Buildings

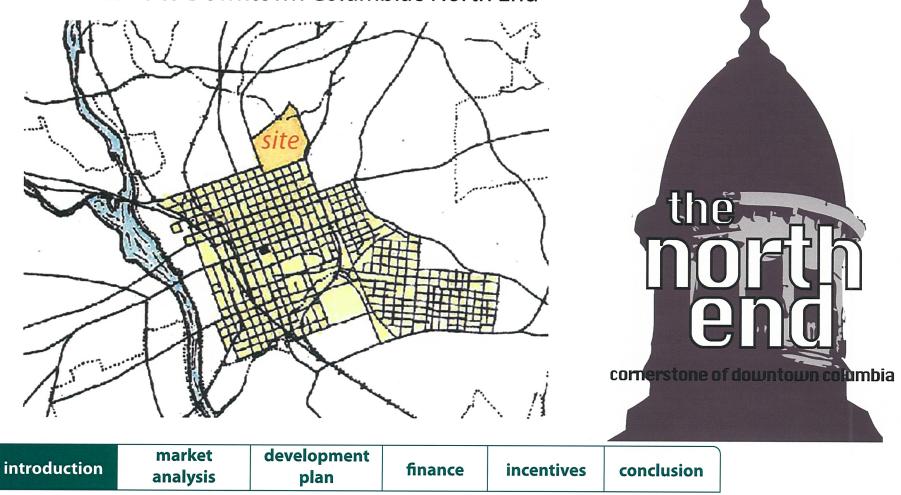


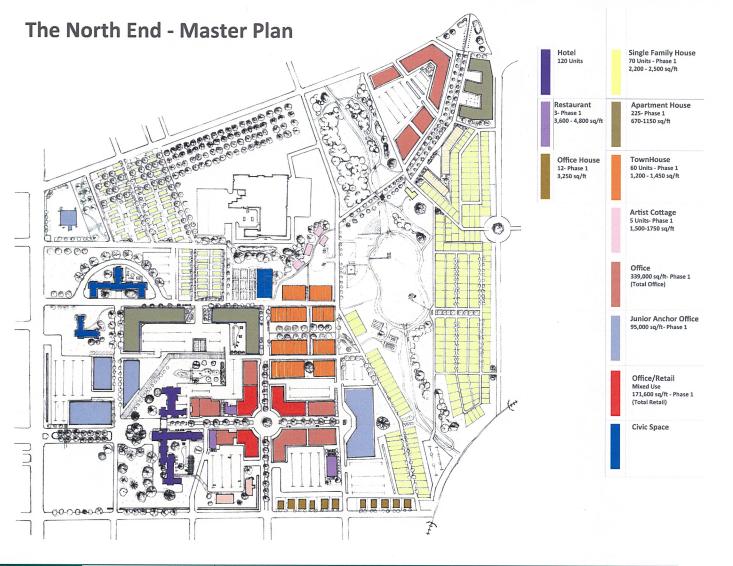


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Extending Central Business District Mixed-Use Destination Revitalizing Bull Street Corridor Cornerstone to Downtown Columbia's North End

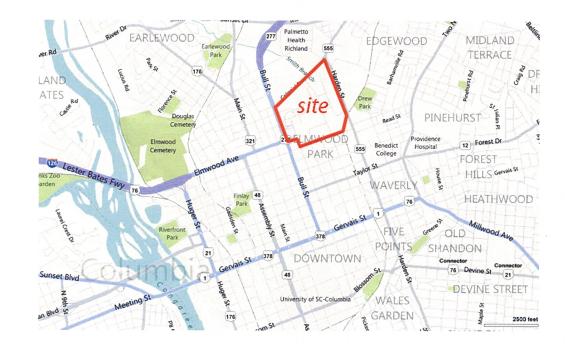




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#### Columbia, SC – Market Overview

- Critical importance of a market analysis
- "City of the Future"
- Strategic location of The North End
- Fifth Migration



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#### **Office Market**

#### <u>Overview</u>

Approximately 9.5 million SF in the Columbia market.

CBD is the strongest submarket in Columbia.

Class A Vacancy is currently 11%

Average Class A Rent is \$20 psf gross.

#### Development Program

Take advantage of larger tenants to find quality space.

Palmetto Health has expressed strong interest to take 200,000 SF for their administrative headquarters. Rent - \$20 psf gross

Additional 140,000 SF for smaller tenants - \$21-24 sf gross

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#### **Hospitality Market**

#### <u>Overview</u>

Rising trends make Columbia a safe market.

Recent success of hotel development and limited future supply make Columbia an attractive market.

Revenue has increased 11% per year throughout the recession

#### **Development Program**

120 rooms in the rehabilitated Babcock Building

Need for Upscale limited service hotel in the CBD

#### HISTORIC HOTELS of AMERICA

NATIONAL TRUST FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION®

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#### **Retail Market**

#### **Overview**

18.5 million SF with a 14% vacancy rate

Urban retail has been the strong point in Columbia's marketplace commanding the highest rents and lowest vacancy rates.

Non-grocery anchored big box anchors do not have a presence downtown

#### **Development Program**

Diverse tenant mix of 171,600 Square Feet of Total Retail Space

150,000 SF in six boxes with rents from \$12-\$14 per square foot NNN

21,600 SF of small shop space with rents from \$20-\$23 per square foot NNN





#### **Multifamily Market**

#### <u>Overview</u>

Strongest real estate asset class in current marketplace The Central Business District has vacancy rate of 5% Lack of comparable product Strongest rents in the entire market place

#### **Development Program**

225 conventional Class A institutional grade units Excellent Target Market present High end amenities Elevator access Energy Star Community

Unit Count	Туре	Square Feet	Average Rent
135	1/1	670	\$800
90	2/2	850	\$995
20	3/3	1150	\$1350

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#### Single Family Market

#### **Overview**

Columbia avoided over building and price run ups.

CBD market and surrounding neighborhoods have seen positive growth the past three years.

Urban Neighborhoods and city centers are the most stable and will be for years to come

#### **Development Program**

Townhome Component

Lot Price	Bed/Bath	Square Feet	Cost	Unit Count
\$36,000	2/2.5	1,200	\$200,000	30
\$47,000	3/2.5	1,450	\$240,000	30

#### Single Family Component

Lot Price	Bed/Bath	Square Feet	Cost	Unit Count
\$52,000	3/3	2,200	\$260,000	35
\$55,000	3/3	2,500	\$275,000	35

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#### **Development Summary**

Product	Unit Metric	Unit Size (SF)	Price Point
Office		340,000	\$20-\$23 per SF (Gross)
Hospitality	120 Rooms	160,000	\$135.00 Avg. Daily Rate
Retail		171,600	\$12-\$24 per SF (NNN)
Multifamily	225	196,450	\$850-\$1,450
Townhome Lots	70		\$36,000-\$47,000 per lot
Single Family Lots	60		\$52,000-\$55,000 per lot





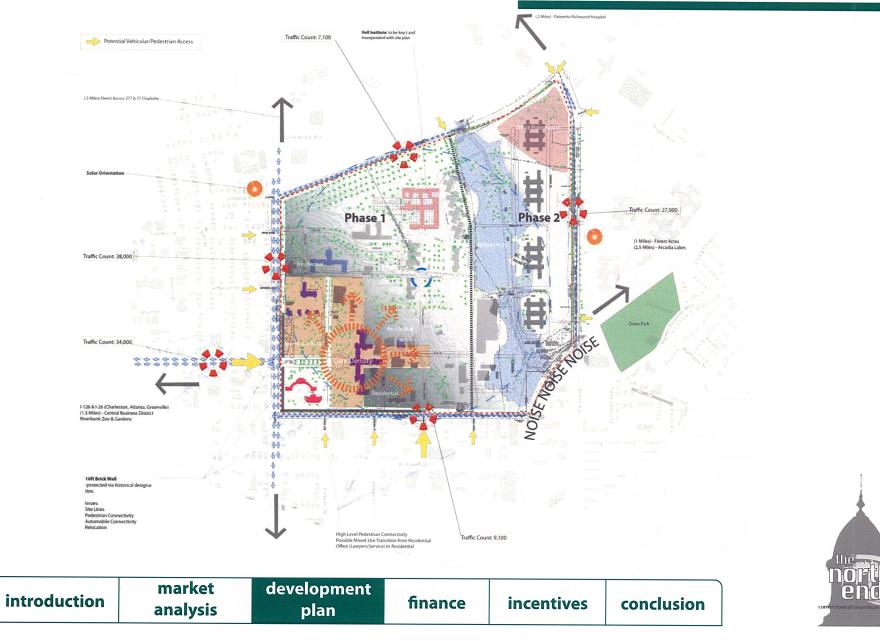
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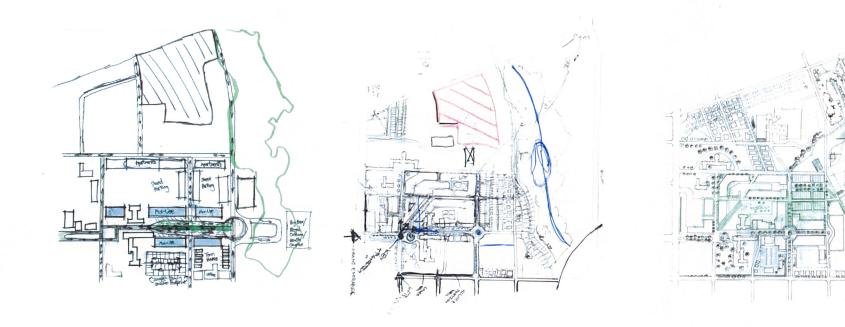
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### site analysis



### iterative process



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#### babcock





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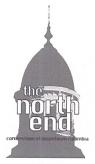
#### arboretum

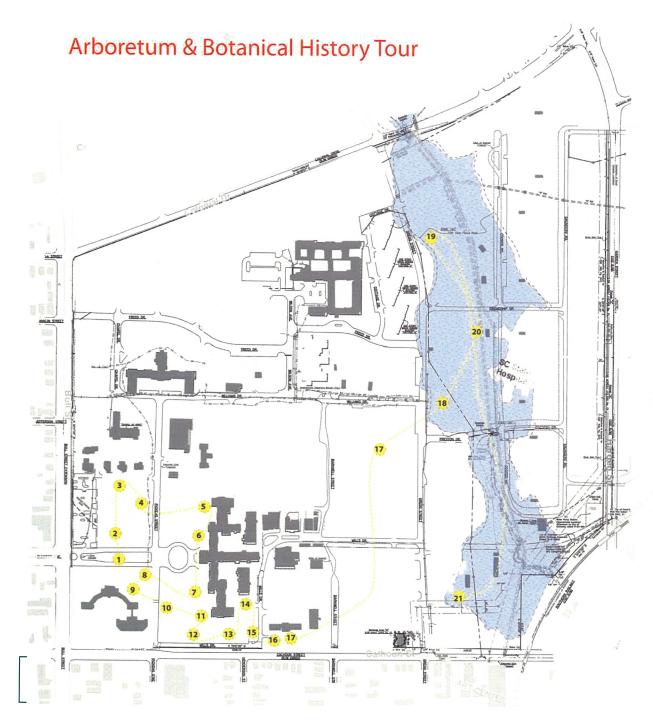
#### **Site Botanical History**

- Designed in Kirkbride system with hortitherapy at the core allowed for "retrieving of the senses"
- Grounds divided into separate gardens valued by visitors and local dignitaries
- Gardeners became local personages
  - John White
  - Oqui Adair first Chinese man seen by many Columbians
  - Inspire the book "The Perfect Tempest" written on the civil war
  - Helped hospital remain solvent during bleak financial periods

Governor J.L. Orr – "The green house and flower gardens are places of pleasant resort for the patients. Oqui Adair is always at his post to wait on the ladies. The want of means to repair the house, will cause much damage and the loss of many of his plants this ensuing winter" - 1867

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1 Avenue of Magnolias: The long double row of magnolias leading to the Babcock Building was planted in the late 1890's at the direction of then Superintendent James W. Babcock, M.D. His daughters later reminisced that their father required them to pull a small wagon with loads of water to the saplings during drought periods.

2 Oak Lane: This grouping of oaks once decorated the home grounds of Colenel William Wallace and his son. The original homes that were constructed in the 1840's have been moved, but early landscapping and later additions surround you in this area

3 Carolina Cherry Tree

4 Cork Oak : This area has been home to cork oaks for approximately 150 years. The original acons were obtained from Mexico City. The original died from boring attacks, but the current specimen sprouted from the originial. A botanist by the name of Ben Gardener successfully sprouted and distributed thousands of cork oaks from acons from the original tree.

5 Sasangua Camellia

6 Banana Shrub: This specimen was planted in the early 1870's as an ornamental to the Babcock Building

7 American Beech

8 American Holly

9 Deodar Cedar

10 Avenue of Crafted Red Dogwoods

11 Black Walnut Tree

12 Avenue of Oaks

13 Tung Oil Tree: Columbia is near the furthest range of the Tung Oil, the tree sprouts and grows readily.

14 Tree of Heavan

15 Chestnut Oak

16 Chaste Tree

17 Privert Ligustrum

18 Pecan

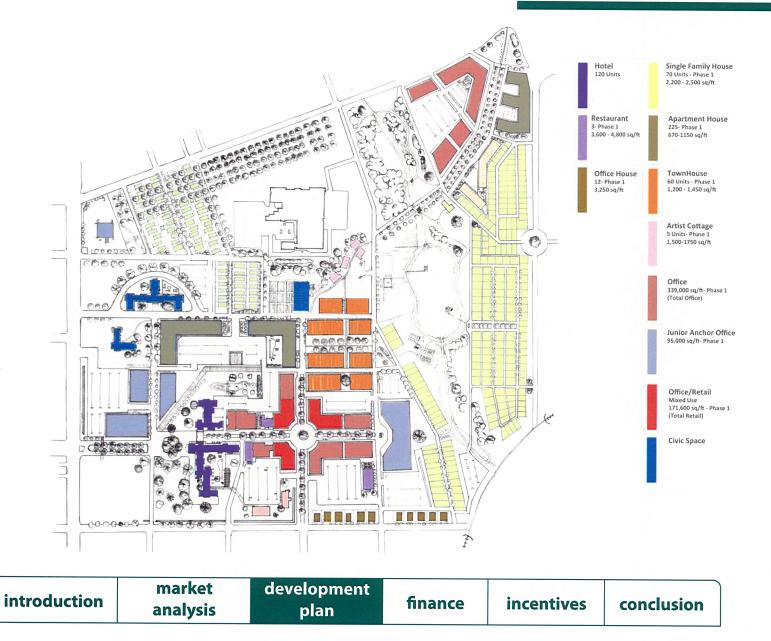
19 Sugar Berry

- 20 Crape-Myrtle
- 21 Sugar Maple

22 Exit: As you leave this area to return to the Mills Building, you will walk beside a 12-foot high brik wall and gate that runs along Calhoun Street. This is part of a wall that completely surrounded the original asylum grounds. It was constructed mainly to keep the noise, wears, and tears out. A major portion of the wall was torn down, and the bricks were used to build the Chapel of Hope on the tour in 1965.

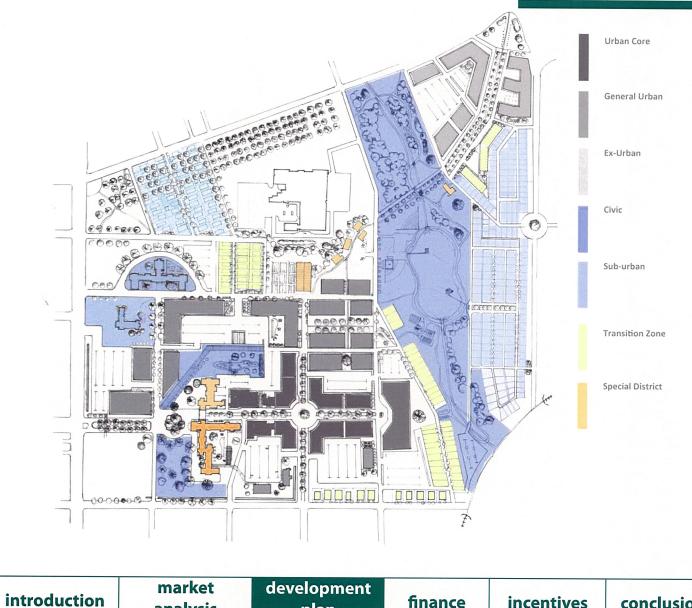


### the master plan





### regulating plan



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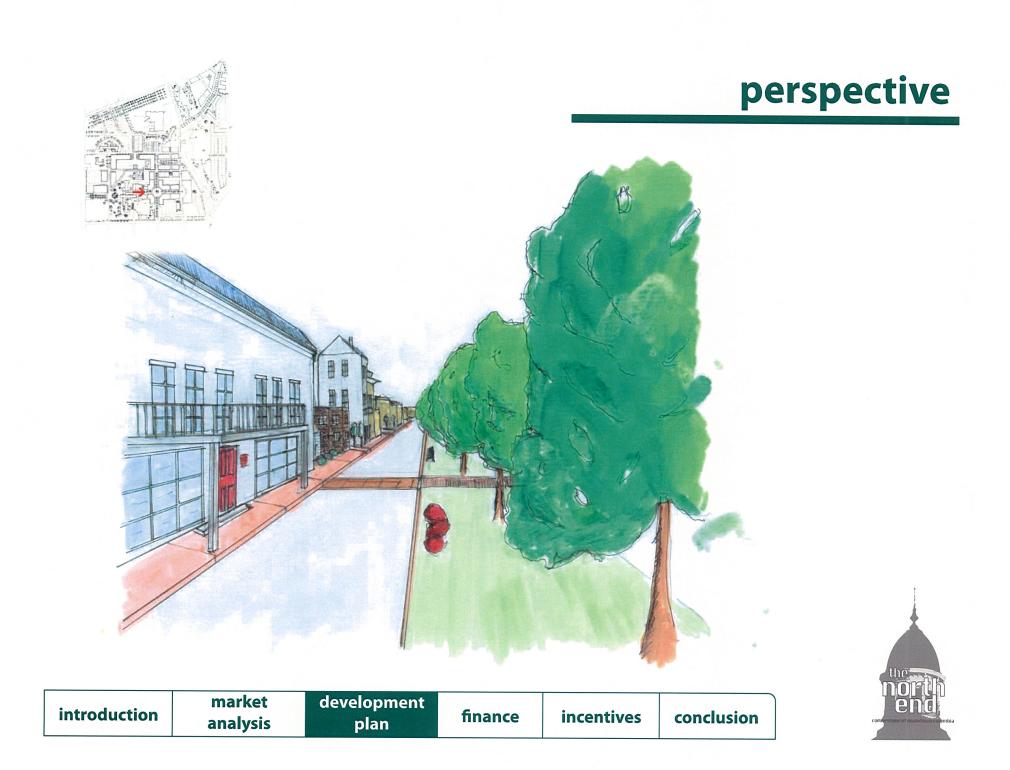
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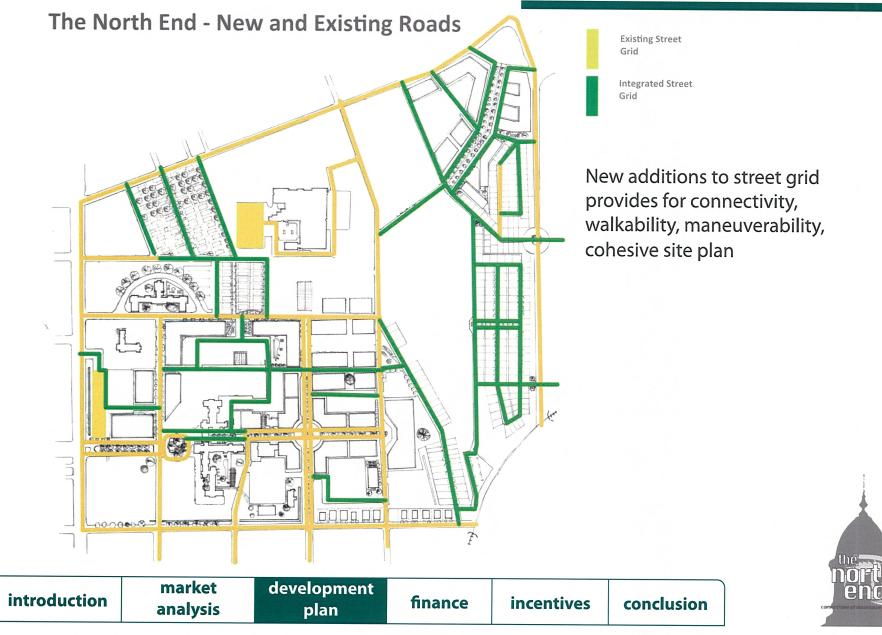
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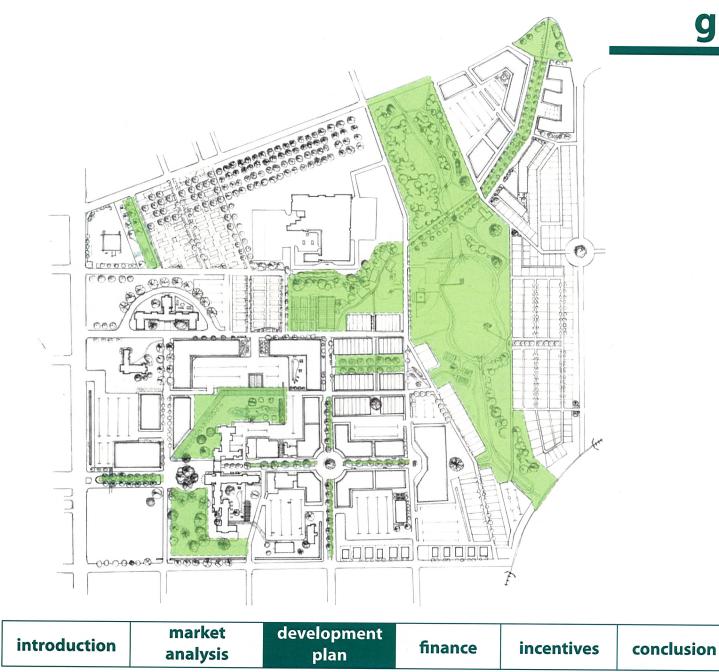
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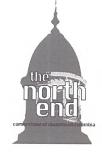


#### green space

#### Perserved Buildings **Existing Buildings** ۲ COLUMBIA GOLF CENTER AND DRIVING RANGE • • SC State Hosnital • • • • • ۲ • market development introduction finance incentives conclusion analysis plan

### preserved buildings

- 5 Physicians Cottage
- Babcock
- Williams Building
- Bakery
- Linen Building
- Chapel of Hope
- Laborde Buildng
- Parker Annex
- Vehicle Operations
- **Mattress Shop**



### architectural typologies

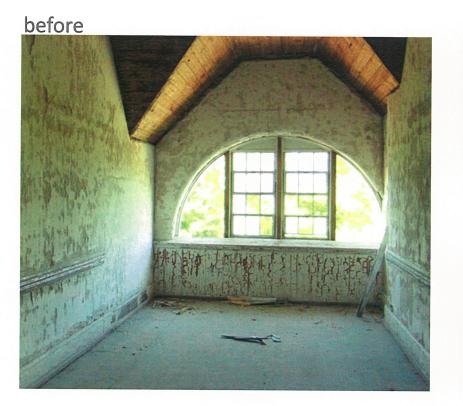
#### Inspirations

- Local Neighborhoods
  - Shandon
  - Elmwood Park
  - Cottontown
  - Lake Carolina
- Lowcountry and Carolina Piedmont
  - Charleston, SC
  - Beaufort, SC
  - l'on Mt. Pleasant, SC

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### hotel



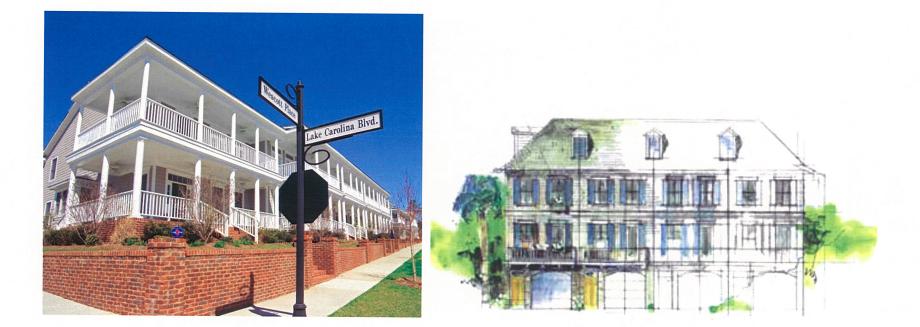
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### townhomes



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### apartments





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## single family

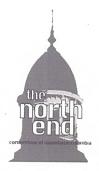


## mixed-use office/retail





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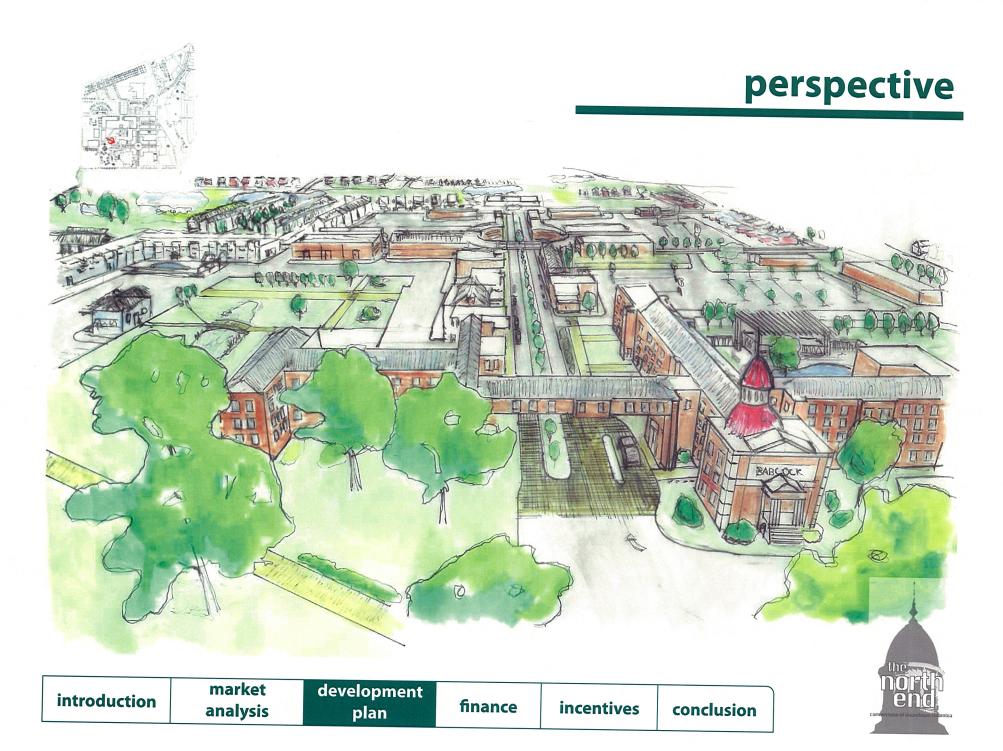




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# parcel pricing plan

COLONAL DRIVE Block 11	
Block 2 Block 4	
Block 7 Block 5 Block 8	
Block 1 CN.HOUN STREET	

Parcel	Price
Block 1	\$ 500,000
Block 2	1,000,000
Block 3	2,000,000
Block 4	2,200,000
Block 5	1,800,000
Block 6	700,000
Block 7	500,000
Block 8	2,200,000
Block 9	600,000
Block 10	1,100,000
Block 11	2,400,000
Total	\$ 15,000,000
Phase 1 Total	\$ 10,900,000

<u>Takedown Schedule</u> Year 1 – Blocks 1,3,8 Year 2 – Blocks 2,5 Year 3 – Blocks 7,4 Year 4 – Block 6



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# Project Schedule

Description	2011	2012 2013	2014 2015	2016 2017	2018 2019	2020 2021
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Stage1						
Due Diligence						
Entitlements						
Hughes Land Closing						
Parcel Takedown 1						
nfrastructure Improvements						
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nvironmental Remediation						
Pad Sales						
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# development budget

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	SUMMA	ARY		
D DEVELOPMENT:				
Land Acreage		96 Ac	ros	
Land Acquisition Price (Phase 1)		10,900,000	ies	
Land Price per Sq. Ft.		\$2.61		
Land Carrying Cost - Real Estate Tax		50,000		
Commission 1.00%		109,000		
1.0070		109,000		
Land Development	Units	Total	Per Unit	Metric
Road Improvements	10,540	3,162,000	300 L	
Environmental Remediation	60	1,500,000	25,000 A	
Sitework	42	6,300,000	150,000 A	
Demolition & Abatement	220,000	550,000	2.50 S	
Tree Relocation	12	240,000	20,000 E	
Intersections	7	420,000	60,000 E	
Cottage Relocation	3	300,000	100,000 E	
Landscaping	30	300,000	10,000 A	
Landscaping Around Hall Institute	6	60,000	10,000 A	
Total Land Development		12,832,000		
TOTAL LAND COST (TLC)		\$23,891,000		

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#### Land Development = \$ 23,891,000

## development budget

HARD COST:	)ST:
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General Contract:	_	Rentable SF	Cost/RSF	Total Cost
Apartments Base Hard				
Cost	27.57%	196,450	75.00	14,733,750
Retail Base Hard Cost (shell only)	2.41%	17,160	75.00	1,287,000
Office Base Hard Cost (shell only)	47.57%	339,000	105.00	35,595,000
Hotel Base Hard Cost	22.45%_	160,000	225.00	36,000,000
Total General Contract				
(TGC)		712,610		87,615,750
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<u>Upfit Cost:</u>				
Retail Tenant Upfit		17,160	44	755,040
Office Tenant Upfit		339,000	50	16,950,000
Hotel Upfit		160,000	40	6,400,000
Total Upfit Cost		,	10	24,105,040
				24,103,040
Total Construction Cost/Hard Cost				111,720,790
Hard Cost Contingency				750,000
General Contractor Fee	3.00%			3,351,624
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LEED Premium	5.00%			1,675,812
TOTAL HARD COST				
				<u>\$117,498,226</u>

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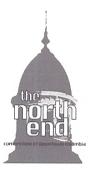


#### Land Development = \$23,891,000 Hard Cost = \$117,498,226

#### development budget

FT COST:		
		Total
Design Services	3.00%	3,524,94
Engineering	3.00%	3,524,94
Loan Costs		100,00
Developers Fee		500,00
Advertising & Promotion	1.00%	1,174,98
General & Administration		250,00
Contingency		500,00
Environmental	0.03%	29,37
Appraisal		25,00
Legal, title and recording	1.00%	1,174,98
Loan Fee	1.50%	1,762,47
Insurance		45,00
Retail Commission	6.00%	213,29
Office Commission	6.00%	2,400,00
TOTAL SOFT COST (TSC)		\$15,224,99





Land Development = \$23,891,000 Hard Cost = \$117,498,226 Soft Cost = \$15,224,996 development budget

## Total Development Cost = \$156,614,222

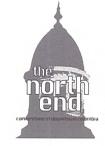
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#### return summary

**Return Summary** Project: The North End Location: Columbia, SC

Stabilized Year of 2016	
Net Operating Income*	\$10,035,557
Total Development Cost	\$156,614,222
Return on Cost*	6.31%
Return on Equity*	13.56%
Developer Profit at Sale	\$148,589,986
Unleveraged IRR	9.31%
Leveraged IRR	18.91%
DSC*	1.86
Net Present Value @ 10%	\$32,554,618
LTC	53.44%
*6 year average starting at stabilization	



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### incentives utilized

**Equity Amount** \$13,270,746 \$6,787,000 \$230,000 State Building Redevelopment Tax Credits <u>\$7,332,500</u>



Historic Preservation Tax Credits

New Market Tax Credit

Tax Increment Financing

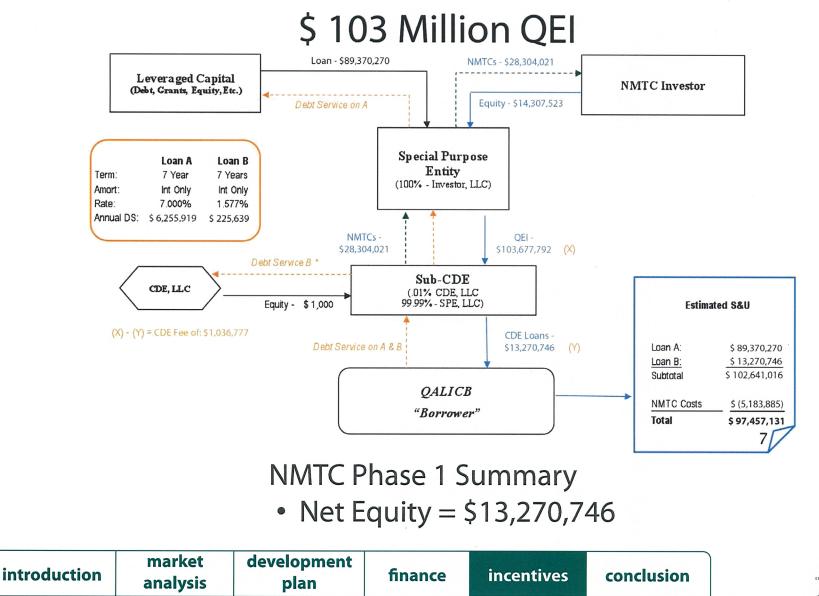
**Potential Public** Investment

\$27,620,246





#### new market tax credits





## tax increment financing

#### What does it do?

TIF promotes economic development by employing future gains in tax revenue to finance current <u>public</u> improvements

**Columbia Renaissance Plan TIF District** 

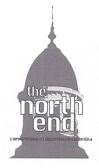
"But for..."

In SC, a project must satisfy the "but for" provision in order to be approved for TIF financing

The North End Financial Gap = \$6,787,000







## riverplace greenville, sc

Master Developed

Important anchor to revitalized downtown Greenville

Successful public/private partnership

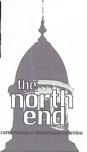
•Development Incentives: TIF Bonds/Funds

<u>Use Components</u>: hospitality, office, retail, condominiums, and restaurants

Public Investment\$17.4 mmPrivate Investment\$50 mmTotal Project Investment\$67.4 mm



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## historic preservation tax credits

MDP utilized the 10% tax credit for rehabilitation of non-historic, nonresidential buildings built before 1936

**Buildings Utilizing Credit:** 

#### **Bakery Building**



Laundry Building

Total Tax Credits: \$230,000







### craddock-terry hotel lynchburg, va

- •Adaptive Re-use
- •Member of Historic Hotels of America
- •Average Daily Rate: \$169
- •Cornerstone of Lynchburg Revitalization Project



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### s.c. public building redevelopment tax credits

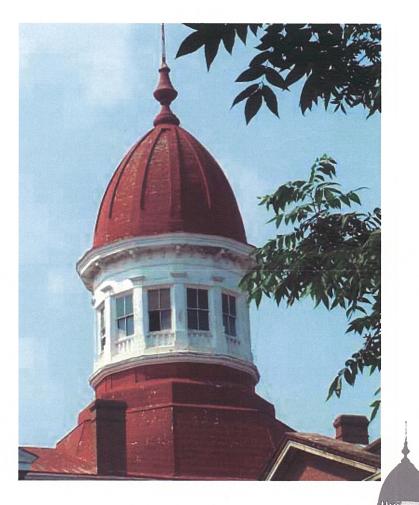
#### What buildings qualify?

Abandoned public buildings (Babcock)

#### How much?

25% of costs to refurbish, less land basis

Total Tax Credits: \$7,332,500



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