

ZILKER
METROPOLITAN
PARK
VISION PLAN

Plan Concepts

COMPARING PLAN CONCEPTS

THREE CONCEPTS

ZILKER
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VISION PLAN



STITCH



EDGES



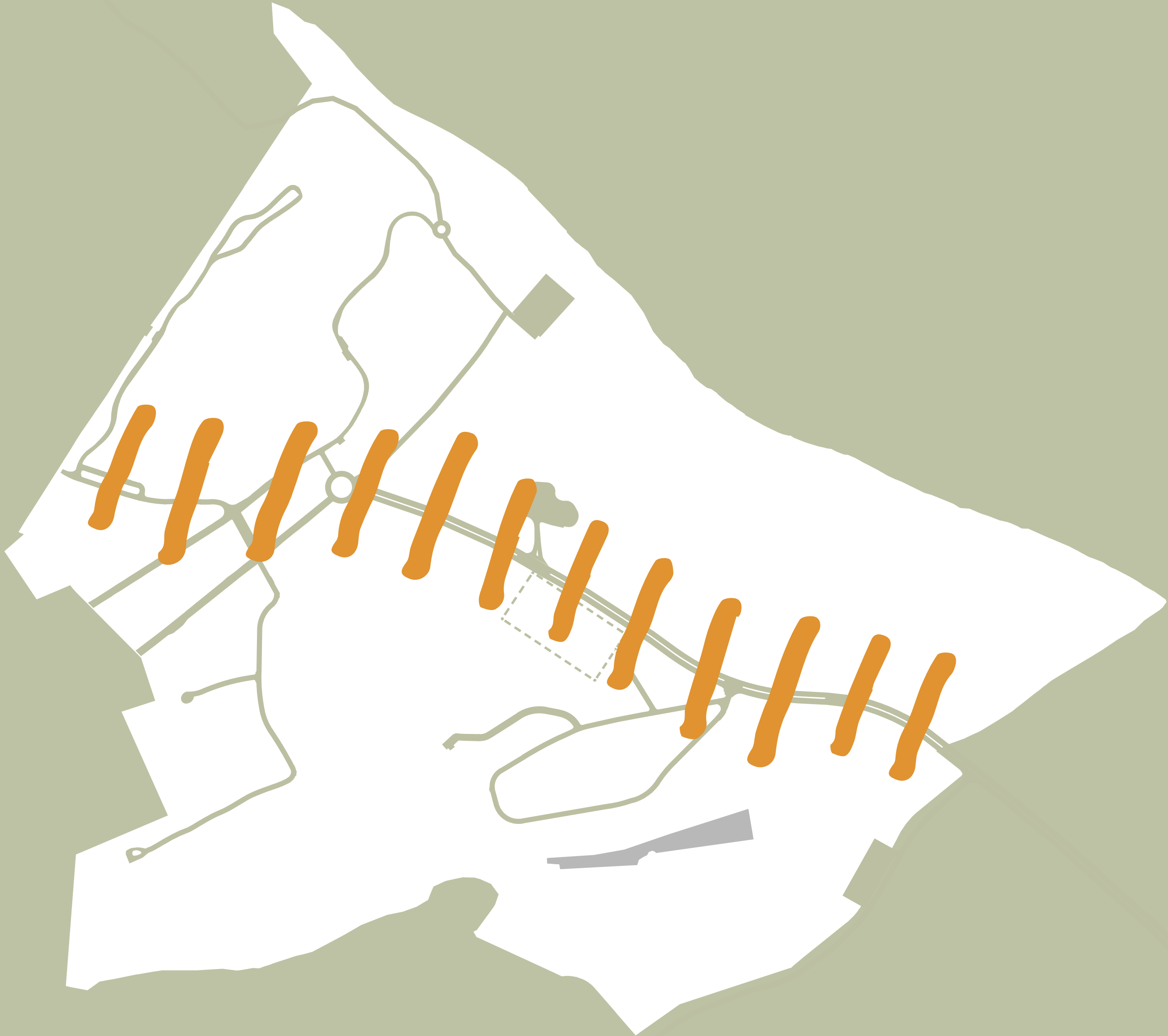
REGENERATE

The following pages reflect each plan concept next to compare elements to one another to identify key differences. The final plan may include elements from each plan concept based on community feedback.

ELEMENTS COMMON TO ALL CONCEPTS

- Barton Creek rehabilitation
- Green stormwater infrastructure
- Ecological Uplift
- Rehabilitation of the Butler Landfill
- Programming nodes that are connected with pathways/people mover
- Address Azie Morton Road
- Address southern part of park by Azie Morton Road – parking, access
- Water Budget
- Universal ADA accessibility
- Zilker Eagle and Internal Shuttle routes to move people within the park

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH



53%
Create Land Bridge for
Safer Barton Springs
Road Crossing
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

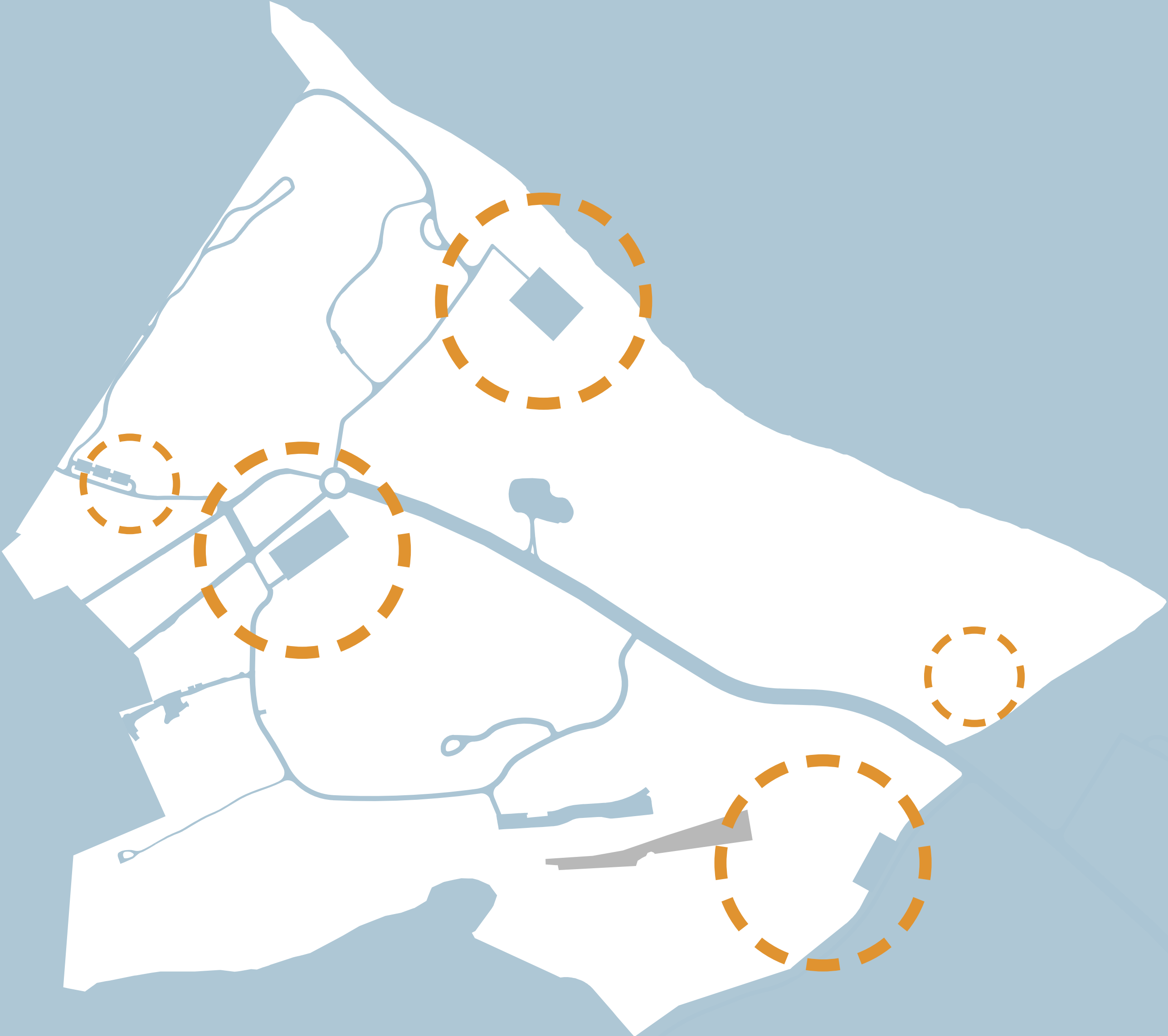
PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Land bridge
- Sports complex at Rugby Field
- Removal of vehicular traffic from Lou Neff
- Disconnection of Columbus Drive
- Ecological uplift of Butler Landfill with some surface lot parking
- Pedestrian bridge at Toomey Road extension
- Barton Springs Road (2 lanes of traffic, no on-street parking)
- Off-leash area in Polo Field Lawn
- Additional pedestrian/bike bridge connections across Barton Creek
- New location of Zilker Hillside Theater (Great Lawn area)
- Stratford Drive realignment east of MoPac and closure of existing Stratford alignment to vehicular traffic

PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

CONCEPT



49%
**Park Programming
should be Distributed
as Nodes**
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

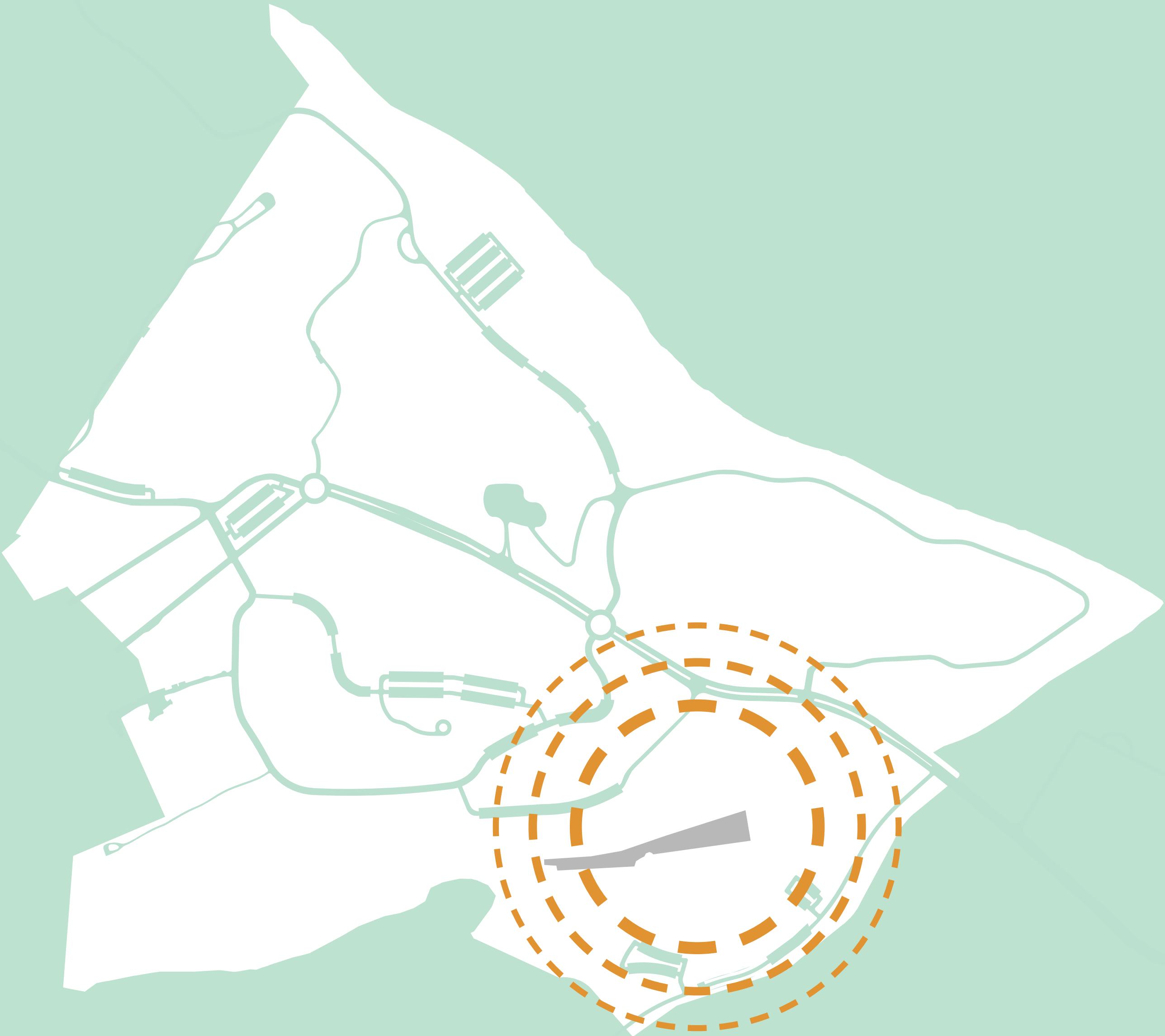
PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Parking garages at the perimeter of the park
- Sports complex at Polo Field Lawn
- Tunnel under Barton Springs Road for pedestrians and bikes
- Removal of vehicular traffic from Lou Neff
- Removal of vehicular traffic from Andrew Zilker Road
- Ecological uplift of Butler Landfill adjacent to parking garage and Zilker Hillside Theater
- Pedestrian bridge at Toomey Road extension
- Barton Springs Road (2 lanes of traffic, on-street parking)
- Pedestrian/bike bridge across Lady Bird Lake to connect to Austin High area
- Nature Playground and new trailhead on west side of MoPac in the Zilker Preserve
- Off-leash area near Azie Morton Road / southern part of Zilker Park
- Playground in southern part of Zilker Park
- Additional pedestrian/bike bridge connections across Barton Creek
- New location of Zilker Hillside Theater (Great Lawn area)
- Stratford Drive realignment west of MoPac and closure of existing Stratford alignment to vehicular traffic

PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

CONCEPT



24%
Support Park Programming
should not change from
what it is today
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- **Repurposed Caretaker's Cottage and Quonset Hut to Welcome Center**
- **Boardwalk on Lady Bird Lake**
- **Separated bike trail from Butler Hike and Bike Trail along Lady Bird Lake**
- **Lou Neff Point pedestrian and bike bridge**
- **Move Boat House and dock to be on east side of MoPac/near Butler Landfill**
- **Barton Springs Road improvements (one lane of travel in each direction and on-street parking)**
- **Stratford Road remains in its current alignment and open to vehicular traffic**
- **Ecological Uplift of Butler Landfill (meadow with some tree planting)**
- **Surface parking lots, no parking garages**
- **Azie Morton Road improvements**
- **Improved access points into water at Barton Creek (outside of Barton Springs Pool)**

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

PLAN VIEW

- 1 Butler Hike and Bike Trail
- 2 Great Lawn
- 3 Pedestrian Bridge
- 4 Sports Complex
- 5 Fallout Shelter
- 6 Caretaker's Cottage
- 7 Playground
- 8 Barton Creek Shore
- 9 Sunken Garden
- 10 Barton Springs Pool
- 11 Hillside Theater
- 12 Violet Crown Trailhead
- 13 Barton Creek
- 14 Girl Scout Cabin
- 15 Disc Golf Green Infrastructure
- 16 Botanical Garden
- 17 Landfill
- 18 Butler Hike and Bike Trail
- 19 Preserve Lake Entrance
- 20 Eanes Creek
- 21 Nature & Science Center
- 22 Preserve Outlook
- 23 Historic Pistol Range
- 24 MOPAC /Rollingwood Intersection
- 25 Picnic Area

● Cap Metro Bus Stop



PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

PLAN VIEW

- 1 Butler Hike and Bike Trail
 - 2 Great Lawn
 - 3 Pedestrian Bridge
 - 4 Rugby Field
 - 5 Fallout Shelter
 - 6 Caretaker's Cottage
 - 7 Playground
 - 8 Barton Creek Shore
 - 9 Sunken Garden
 - 10 Barton Springs Pools
 - 11 Hillside Theater
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 - 13 Barton Creek
 - 14 Girl Scout Cabin
 - 15 Disc Golf Green Infrastructure
 - 16 Botanical Garden
 - 17 Landfill Area
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 - 25 Picnic Area
- Cap Metro Bus Stop



PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

PLAN VIEW

- 1 Butler Hike and Bike Trail
 - 2 Great Lawn
 - 3 Pedestrian Bridge
 - 4 Welcome Plaza
 - 5 Fallout Shelter
 - 6 Caretaker's Cottage
 - 7 Playground
 - 8 Barton Creek Shore
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ZILKER TODAY

NATURE PRESERVE AND LANDFILL AREA



ZILKER CLUBHOUSE

BOATHOUSE

EANES CREEK

NATURE CENTER DRIVE

AUSTIN NATURE AND SCIENCE CENTER

SOUTH MOPAC EXPRESSWAY

LANDFILL GRAVEL PARKING

LADY BIRD LAKE

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

LOU NEFF ROAD

VOLLEYBALL COURTS

HISTORIC PISTOL RANGE

ROLLINGWOOD DRIVE

PICNIC AREA

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

NATURE PRESERVE AND LANDFILL AREA

53%

Update Landfill Cap and Cover the Site with Soil

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

ZILKER CLUBHOUSE

BOATHOUSE

RESTORED PRAIRIE

EANES CREEK

NATURE CENTER DRIVE

AUSTIN NATURE AND SCIENCE CENTER

SOUTH MOPAC EXPRESSWAY

STRATFORD DRIVE

RESTORED PRAIRIE

LADY BIRD LAKE

RESTORED WOODLAND

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

HISTORIC PISTOL RANGE

NEW TRAIL HEAD TO NATURE PRESERVE

PICNIC AREA

ROLLINGWOOD DRIVE

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

NEW PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION TO ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

NATURE PRESERVE AND LANDFILL AREA

45%
New Trail Entrance
to the Preserve
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

ZILKER CLUBHOUSE

RESTORED PRAIRIE

EANES CREEK

AUSTIN NATURE AND SCIENCE CENTER

PARKING GARAGE #1

ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER

LADY BIRD LAKE

RESTORED WOODLAND

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

NEW PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE

NATURE PLAY

NEW TRAIL HEAD TO NATURE PRESERVE

PICNIC AREA

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

STRATFORD DRIVE

NATURE CENTER DRIVE

STRATFORD DRIVE

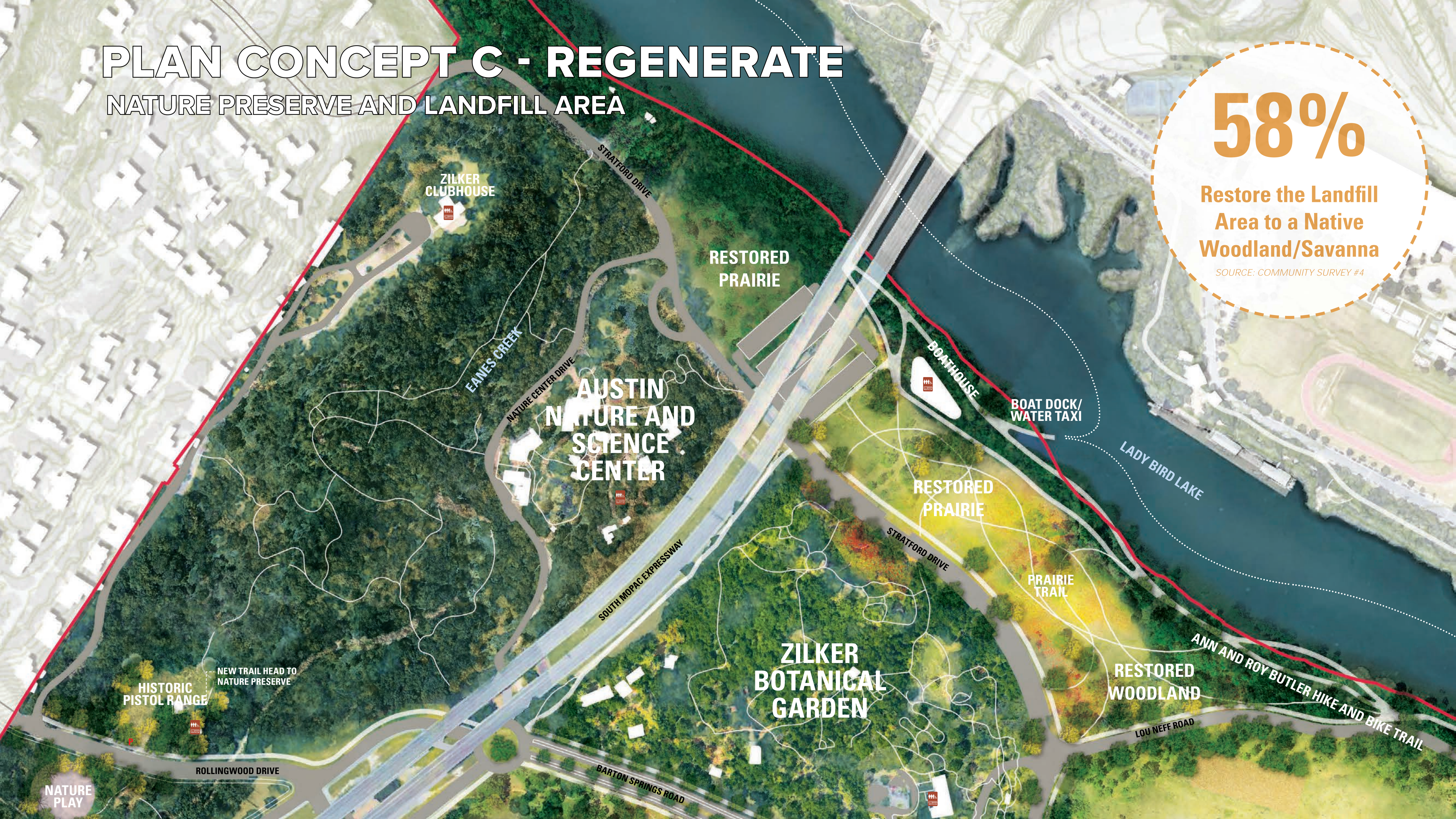
PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

NATURE PRESERVE AND LANDFILL AREA

58%

Restore the Landfill Area to a Native Woodland/Savanna

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



ZILKER TODAY

GREAT LAWN

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN



VOLLEYBALL COURTS

ROCK ISLAND

GREAT LAWN

LADY BIRD LAKE

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

LOU NEFF ROAD

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

BARTON CREEK

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

RUGBY FIELD

PECAN GROVE PICNIC AREA

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

BARTON CREEK

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

TOOMEY ROAD

PLAYGROUND

MOON TOWER

STRATFORD DRIVE

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

GREAT LAWN

41%
Close Lou Neff Road
for Vehicular Traffic
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

NEW ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER

ROCK ISLAND

GREAT LAWN

LADY BIRD LAKE

BARTON CREEK

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

TOOMEY ROAD

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

BARTON CREEK

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

PECAN GROVE PICNIC AREA

OFF-LEASH AREA

SPORTS COMPLEX

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

ENHANCED PLAYGROUND

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

GARAGE ENTRANCE

MOON TOWER

PLAYGROUND

LAND BRIDGE

STRATFORD DRIVE

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

LOU NEFF ROAD

PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

GREAT LAWN



Eliminating or Changing Vehicular Traffic and Parking along Lou Neff Rd

30%

Non-Vehicular Paths

34%

Leave as it is

27%

New Connection across Lady Bird Lake

30%

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

ROCK ISLAND

GREAT LAWN

LADY BIRD LAKE

BARTON CREEK

ALL-ACCESSIBLE PLAYGROUND

FOOD

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

ENHANCED RUGBY FIELD

PECAN GROVE PICNIC AREA

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

BARTON CREEK

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

TOOMEY ROAD

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

UNDERPASS

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

PEDESTRIAN AND BIKE BRIDGE

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

GREAT LAWN

27%
Leave Great Lawn
as it is
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



ZILKER TODAY

POLO FIELD AND TRAILHEAD

PICNIC AREA

SOUTH MOPAC EXPRESSWAY

ZILKER DISC GOLF

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

LOU NEFF ROAD

VOLLEYBALL COURTS

ROCK ISLAND

GREAT LAWN

POLO FIELD

STRATFORD DRIVE

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

MCBETH RECREATION CENTER

ZILKER DISC GOLF

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

MOON TOWER

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

SUNSHINE CAMP

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

RUGBY FIELD

COLUMBUS DRIVE

ZILKER PARK ROCK GARDEN

ZILKER PONDS

PLAYGROUND

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER

ZILKER CAFE

BARKING SPRINGS

BARTON CREEK

BARTON CREEK GREENBELT

TRAILHEAD

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

SUNKEN GARDEN

WRIGHT FIELD

GIRL SCOUT CABIN

BARTON CREEK

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

POLO FIELD AND TRAILHEAD

Creating a Field Area like the Great Lawn

44%

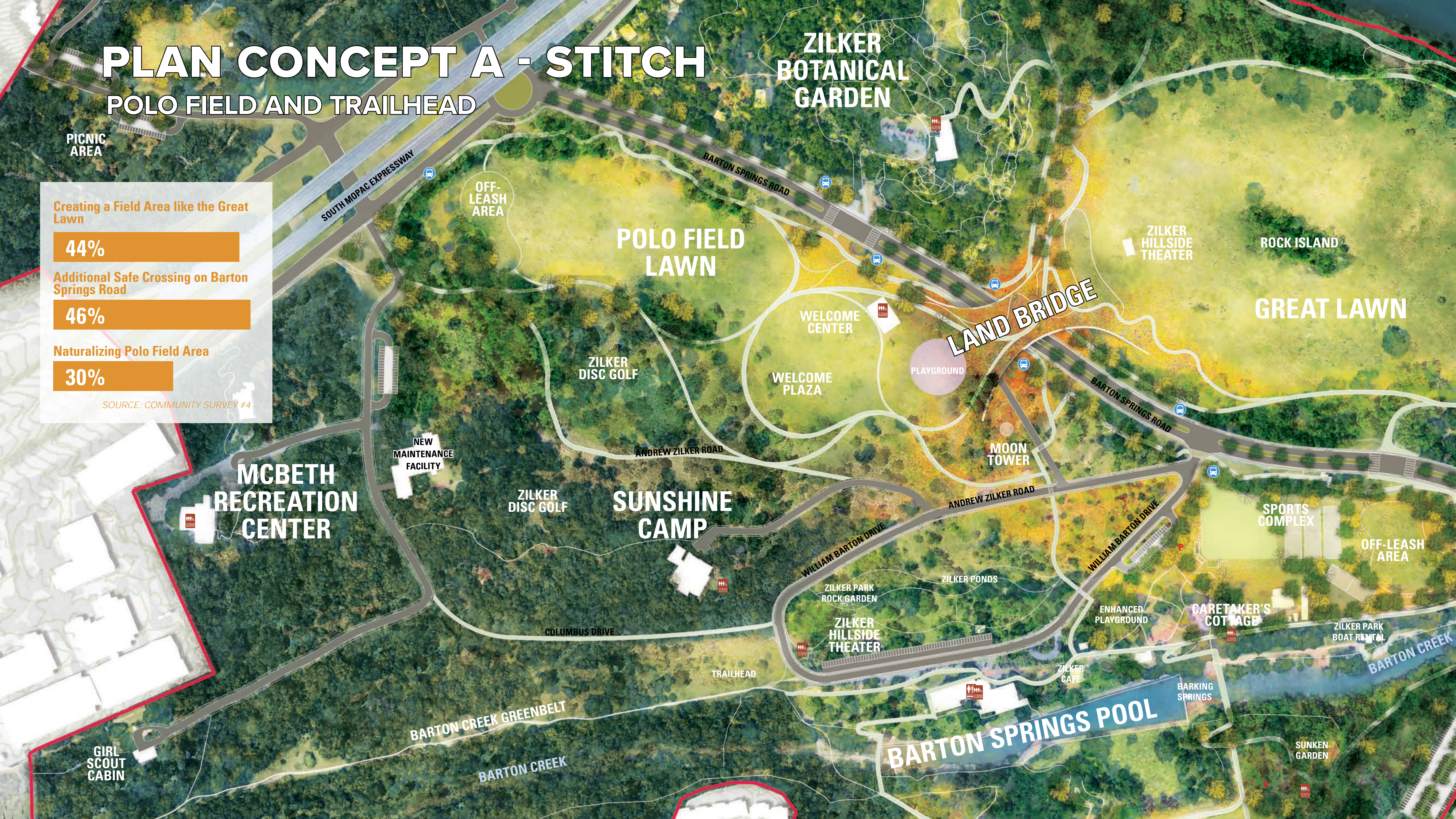
Additional Safe Crossing on Barton Springs Road

46%

Naturalizing Polo Field Area

30%

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



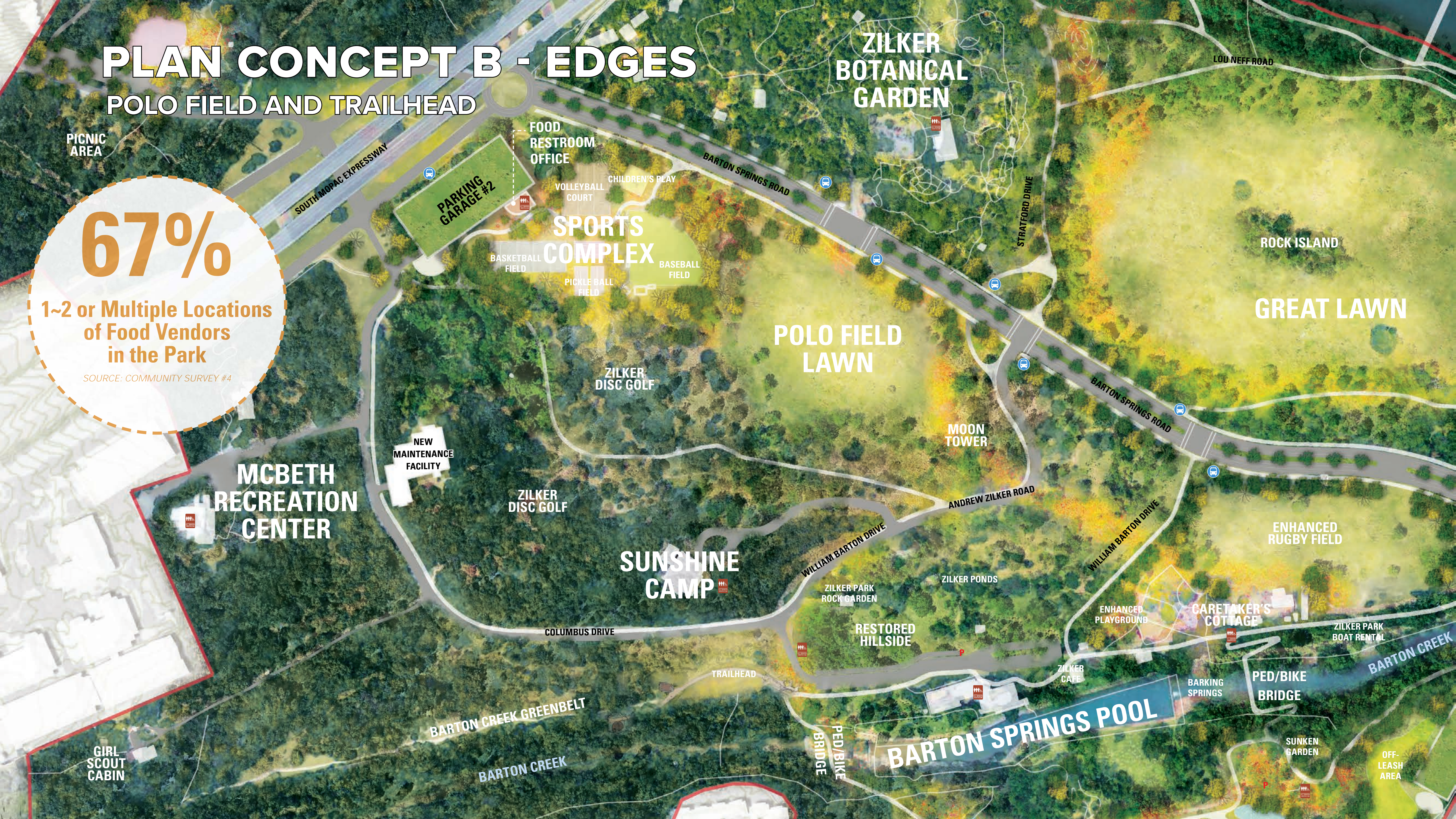
PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

POLO FIELD AND TRAILHEAD

67%

1~2 or Multiple Locations
of Food Vendors
in the Park

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



PICNIC AREA

SOUTH MOPAC EXPRESSWAY

PARKING GARAGE #2

FOOD RESTROOM OFFICE

Volleyball COURT

CHILDREN'S PLAY

SPORTS COMPLEX

BASKETBALL FIELD

PICKLE BALL FIELD

BASEBALL FIELD

ZILKER BOTANICAL GARDEN

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

STRATFORD DRIVE

LOU NEFF ROAD

ROCK ISLAND

GREAT LAWN

POLO FIELD LAWN

ZILKER DISC GOLF

MOON TOWER

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

MCBETH RECREATION CENTER

NEW MAINTENANCE FACILITY

ZILKER DISC GOLF

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

SUNSHINE CAMP

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

ZILKER PARK ROCK GARDEN

ZILKER PONDS

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

ENHANCED RUGBY FIELD

COLUMBUS DRIVE

RESTORED HILLSIDE

ENHANCED PLAYGROUND

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

TRAILHEAD

ZILKER CAFE

BARKING SPRINGS

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

BARTON CREEK

GIRL SCOUT CABIN

BARTON CREEK GREENBELT

BARTON CREEK

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

SUNKEN GARDEN

OFF-LEASH AREA

PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

POLO FIELD AND TRAILHEAD

Creating a Field Area like the Great Lawn

44%

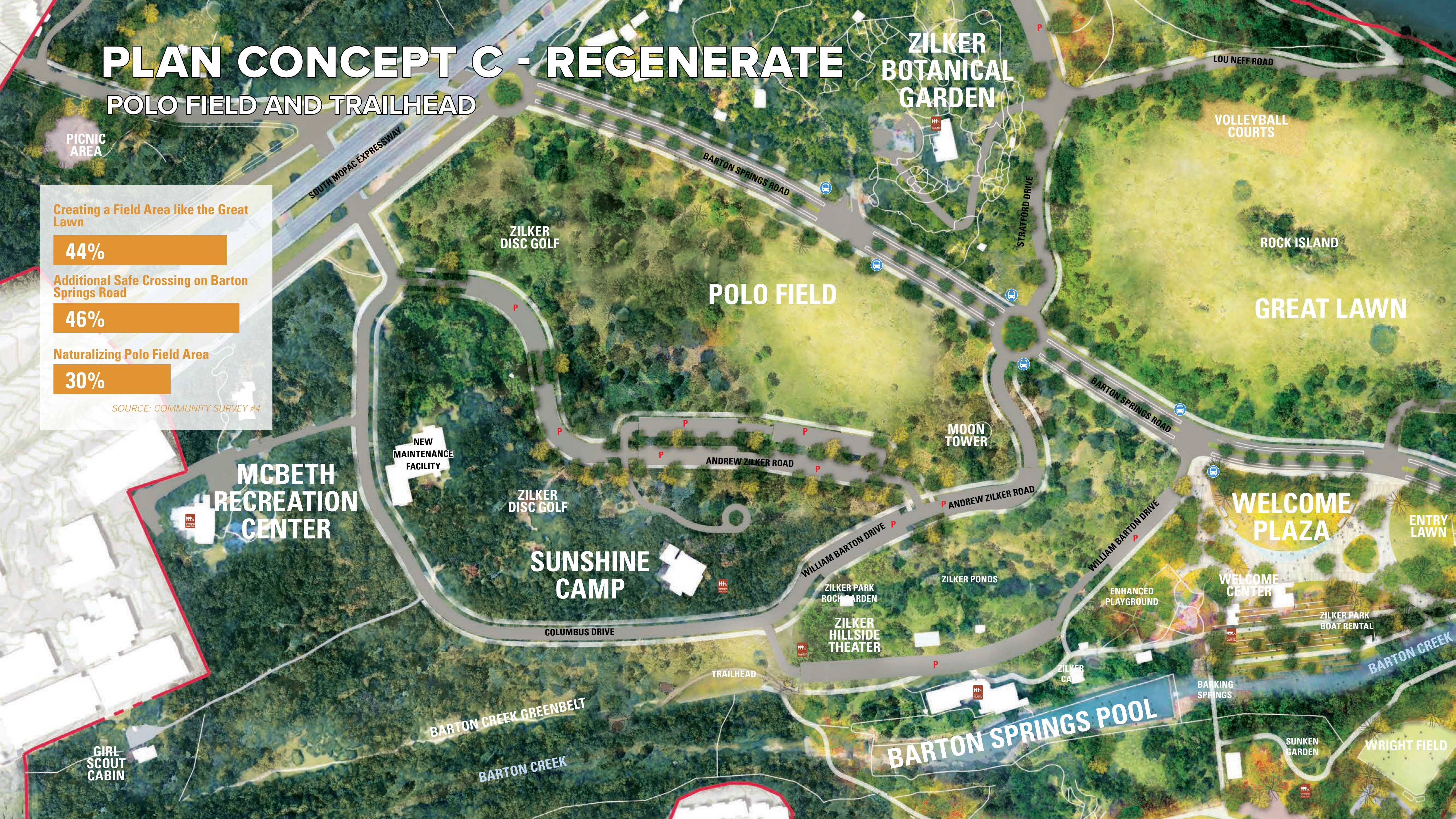
Additional Safe Crossing on Barton Springs Road

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Naturalizing Polo Field Area

30%

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ZILKER TODAY

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

GREAT LAWN

SUNSHINE CAMP

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

UMLAUF SCULPTURE GARDEN & MUSEUM



ZILKER HOLIDAY TREE

LOU NEFF ROAD

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

BARTON CREEK

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

RUGBY FIELD

ANIN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL
PED/BIKE BRIDGE

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

ZILKER PARK ROCK GARDEN

ZILKER PONDS

PLAYGROUND

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

BARTON CREEK

ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER

TRAILHEAD

NORTH ENTRANCE

ZILKER CAFE

BARKING SPRINGS

BARTON CREEK GREENBELT

BARTON CREEK

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

SUNKEN GARDEN

WRIGHT FIELD

SOUTH ENTRANCE

MONKEY TREE

AZIE MORTON ROAD

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER

GREAT LAWN

PLAYGROUND

MOON TOWER

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

SPORTS COMPLEX

OFF-LEASH AREA

ANIN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

BARTON CREEK

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

SUNSHINE CAMP

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

ZILKER PARK ROCK GARDEN

ZILKER PONDS

ENHANCED PLAYGROUND

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

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TRAILHEAD

NORTH ENTRANCE

ZILKER CAFE

BARKING SPRINGS

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

BARTON CREEK GREENBELT

BARTON CREEK

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

SUNKEN GARDEN

UMLAUF SCULPTURE GARDEN & MUSEUM

SOUTH PICNIC AREA

SOUTH ENTRANCE

MONKEY TREE

MONKEY TREE LAWN

AZIE MORTON ROAD

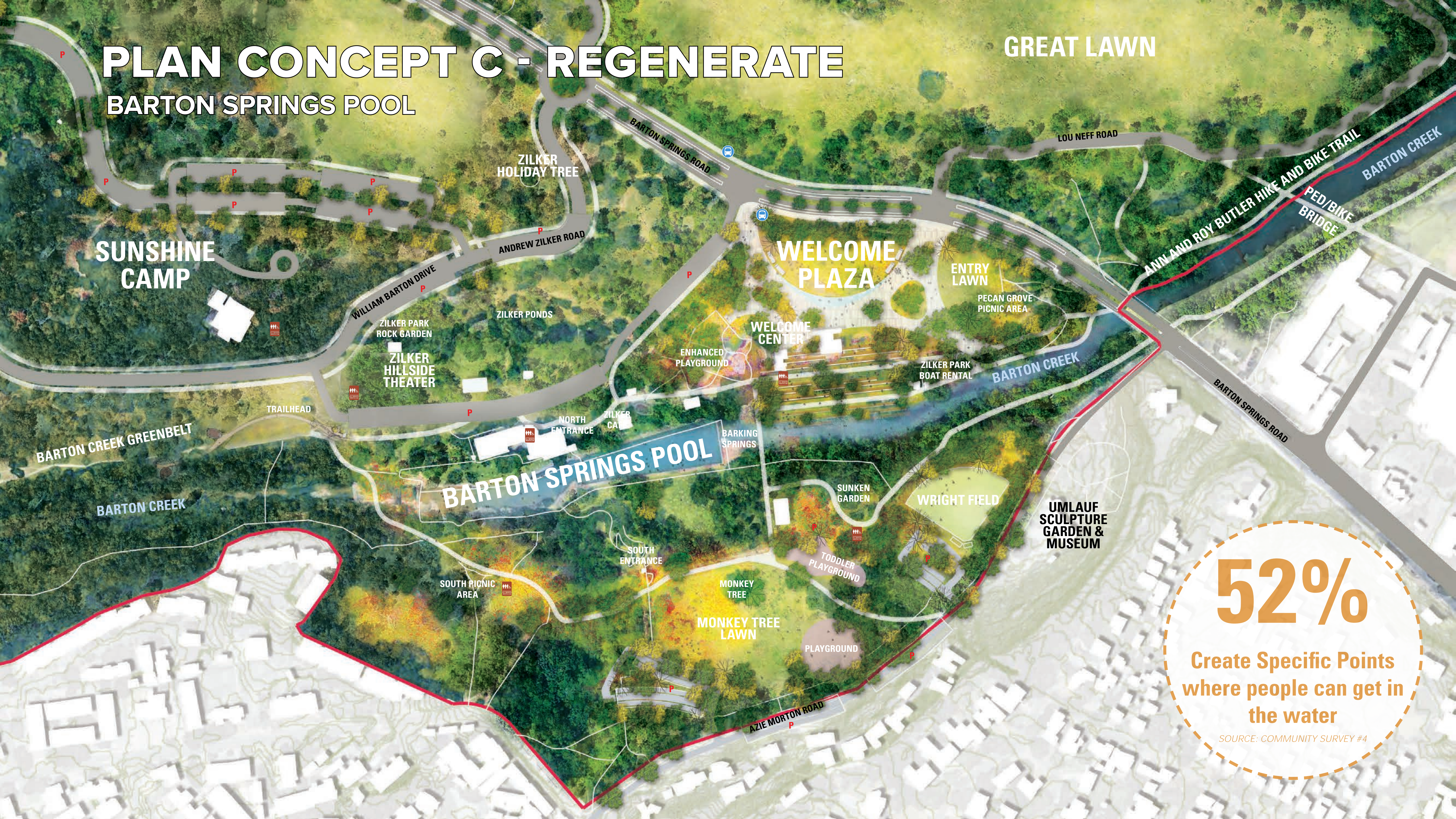
49%

Improve Banks of Barton Creek in Barking Springs Area

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

BARTON SPRINGS POOL



SUNSHINE CAMP

ZILKER HOLIDAY TREE

WELCOME PLAZA

ENTRY LAWN

PECAN GROVE PICNIC AREA

ZILKER PARK ROCK GARDEN

ZILKER PONDS

WELCOME CENTER

ENHANCED PLAYGROUND

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER

TRAILHEAD

NORTH ENTRANCE

ZILKER CA

BARKING SPRINGS

BARTON CREEK GREENBELT

BARTON CREEK

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

SUNKEN GARDEN

WRIGHT FIELD

UMLAUF SCULPTURE GARDEN & MUSEUM

SOUTH ENTRANCE

SOUTH PICNIC AREA

MONKEY TREE LAWN

PLAYGROUND

TODDLER PLAYGROUND

MONKEY TREE

AZIE MORTON ROAD

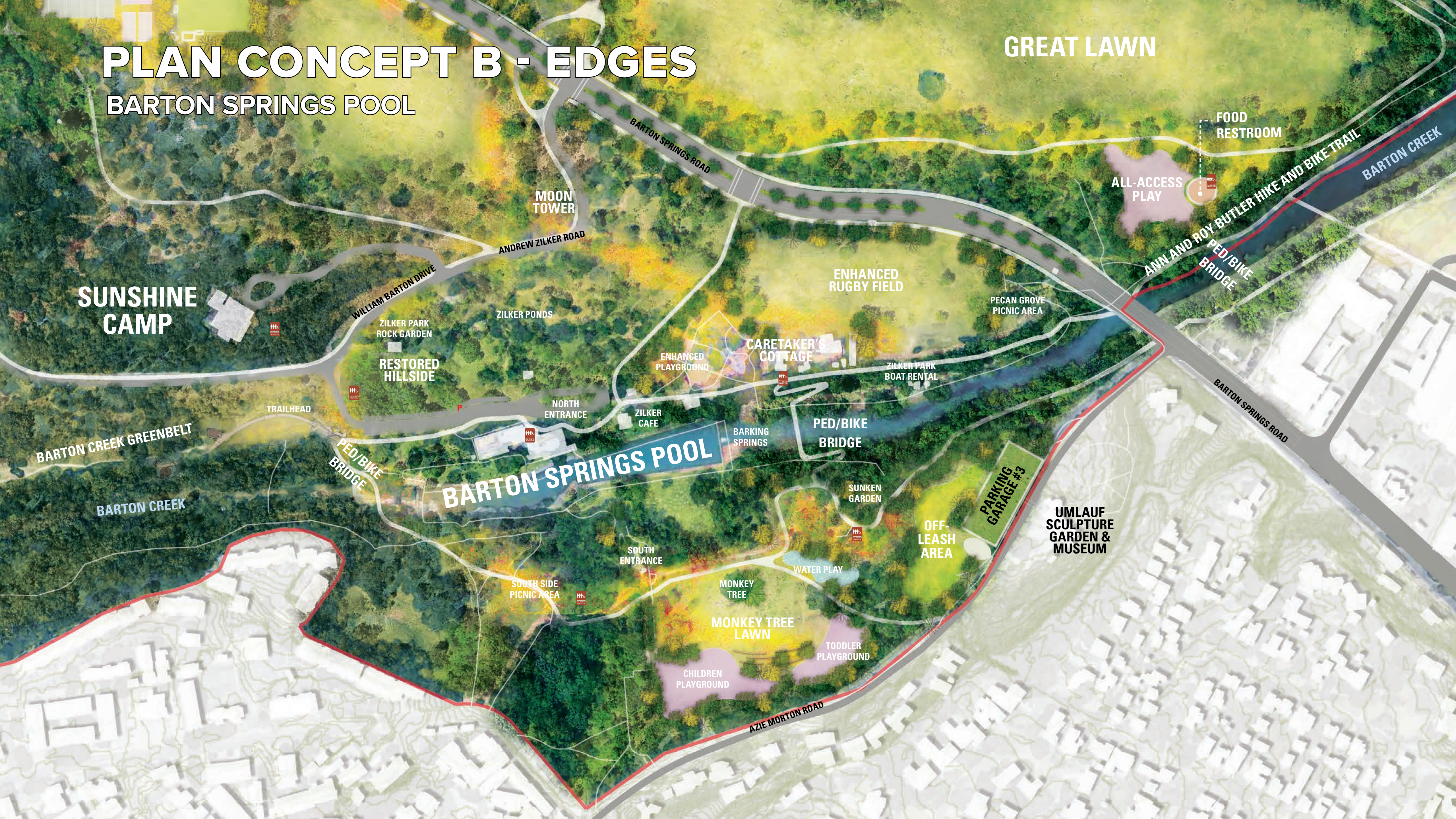
52%

Create Specific Points where people can get in the water

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

BARTON SPRINGS POOL



SUNSHINE CAMP

BARTON CREEK GREENBELT

BARTON CREEK

MOON TOWER

ANDREW ZILKER ROAD

WILLIAM BARTON DRIVE

ZILKER PARK ROCK GARDEN

RESTORED HILLSIDE

TRAILHEAD

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

NORTH ENTRANCE

BARTON SPRINGS POOL

SOUTH ENTRANCE

SOUTH SIDE PICNIC AREA

MONKEY TREE LAWN

CHILDREN PLAYGROUND

AZIE MORTON ROAD

ENHANCED RUGBY FIELD

CARETAKER'S COTTAGE

ENHANCED PLAYGROUND

ZILKER CAFE

BARKING SPRINGS

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

SUNKEN GARDEN

WATER PLAY

TODDLER PLAYGROUND

PECAN GROVE PICNIC AREA

ZILKER PARK BOAT RENTAL

PARKING GARAGE #3

UMLAUF SCULPTURE GARDEN & MUSEUM

ALL-ACCESS PLAY

FOOD RESTROOM

ANN AND ROY BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL

PED/BIKE BRIDGE

BARTON CREEK

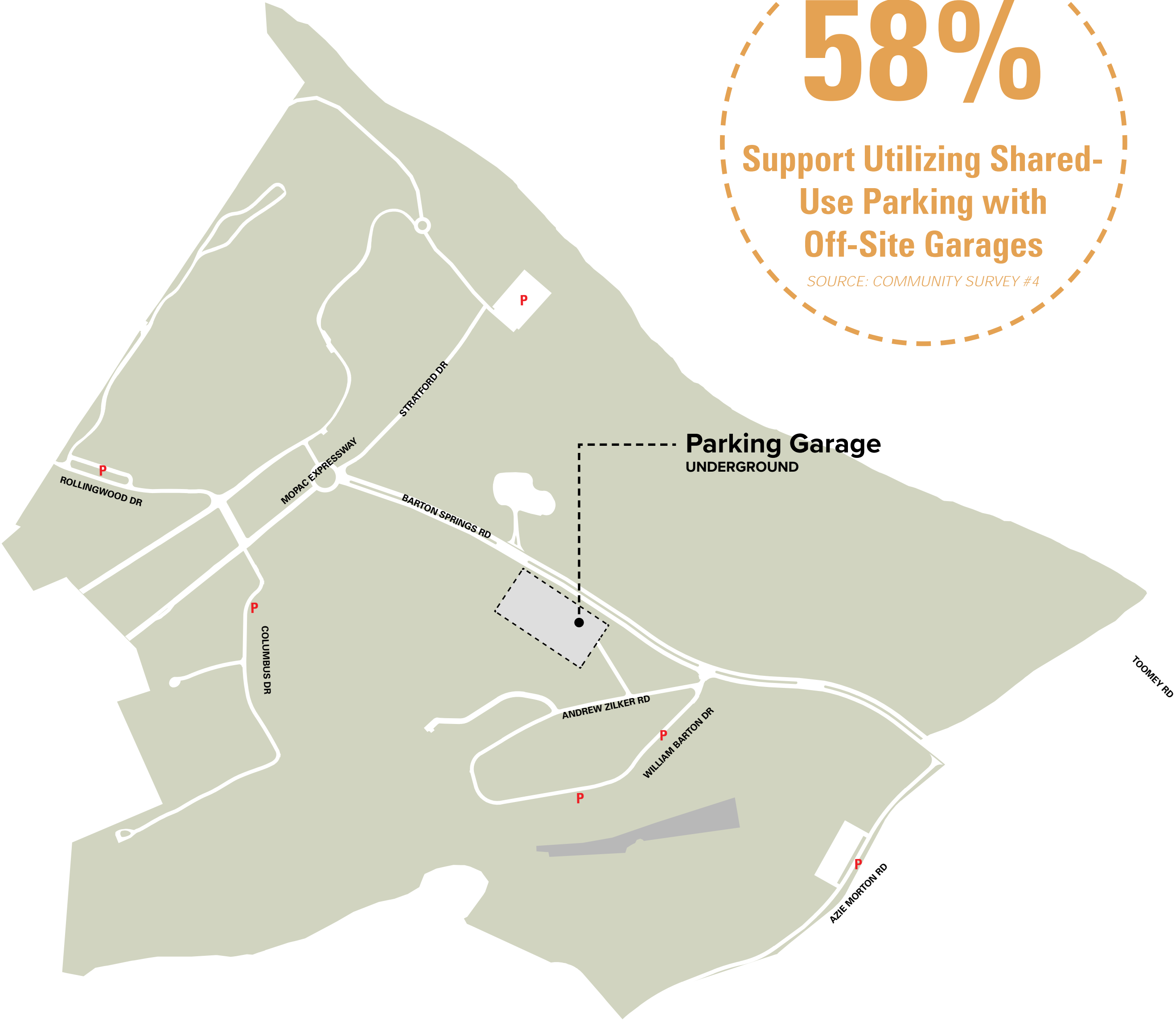
BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

VEHICLE CIRCULATION AND PARKING

58%
Support Utilizing Shared-Use Parking with Off-Site Garages
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

- Underground Parking Garage: 1,700
 - Parking Under MoPac: 170
 - Parking along Rollingwood Dr: 70
 - Parking on the South Side of Barton Springs Pool: 160
 - Parking along William Barton Dr: 100
 - Parking along Columbus Dr: 35
- Overall Parking Spaces: **2,235** Spaces



PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

VEHICULAR CIRCULATION AND PARKING

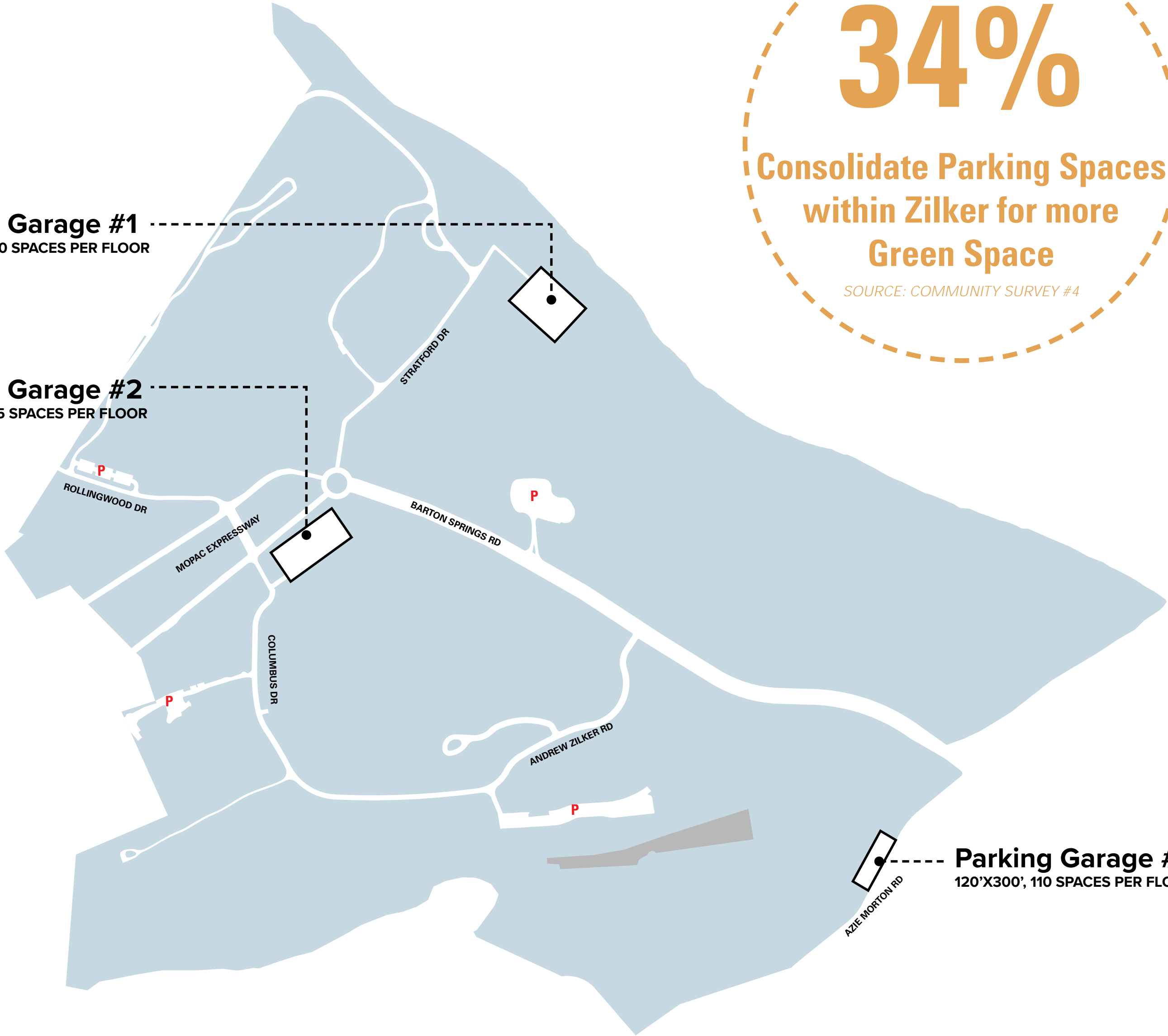
34%
Consolidate Parking Spaces
within Zilker for more
Green Space
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

Parking Garage #1
240'X320', 240 SPACES PER FLOOR

Parking Garage #2
180'X400', 225 SPACES PER FLOOR

Parking Garage #3
120'X300', 110 SPACES PER FLOOR

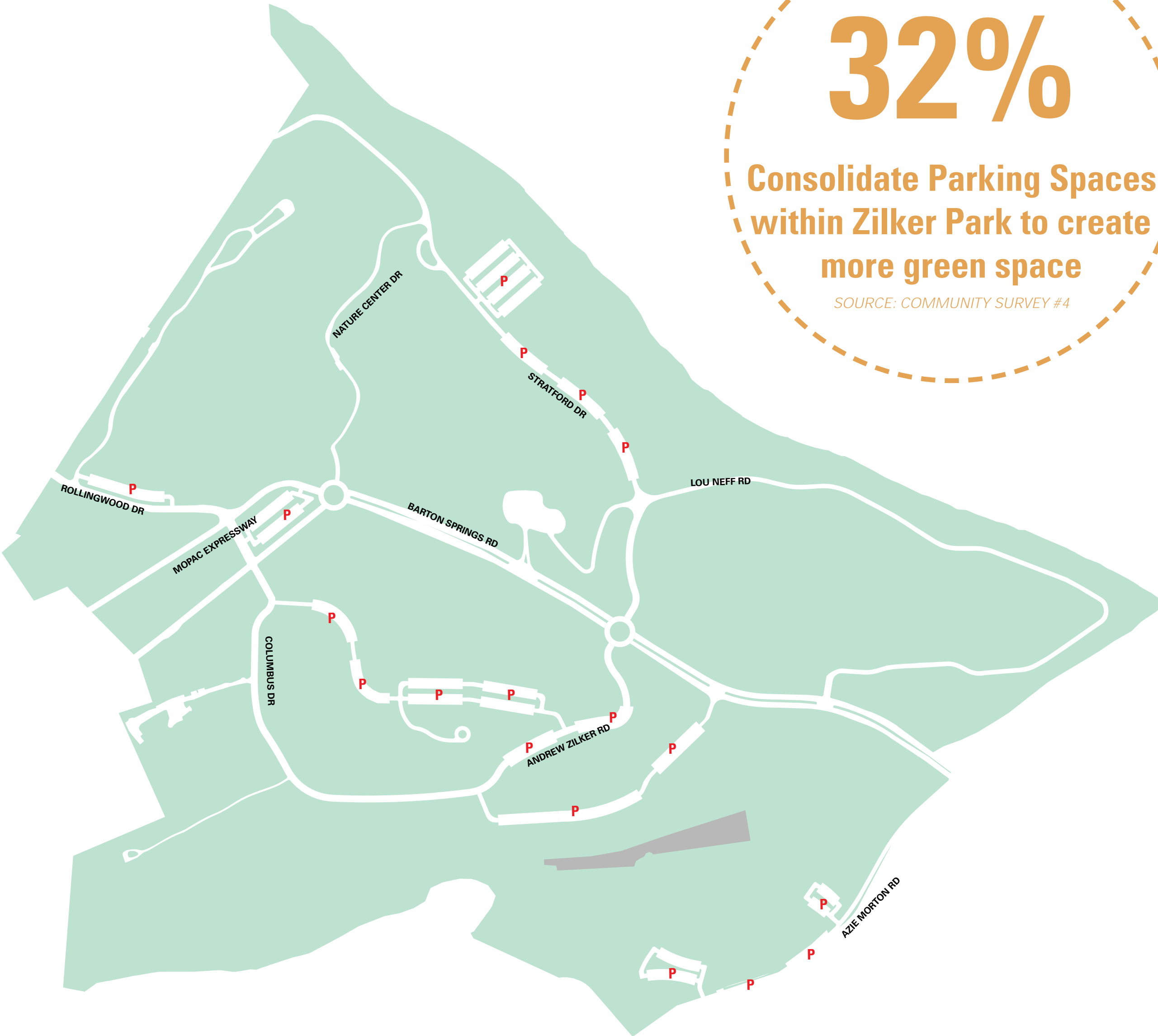
- Parking for Barton Springs Pool: 145
 - Parallel Parking Along Barton Springs Road: 320
 - 4-Story Parking Garage: 1,860
 - 3-Story Parking Garage: 330
 - Parking beside Pistol Range: 60
- Overall Parking Spaces: **2,715** Spaces



PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

VEHICLE CIRCULATION AND PARKING

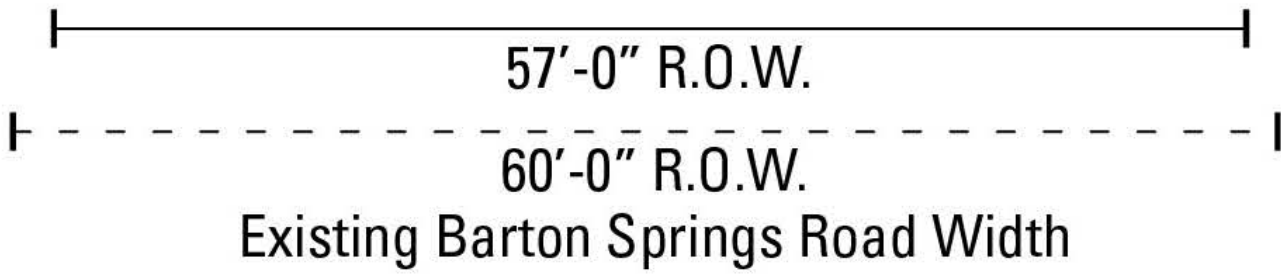
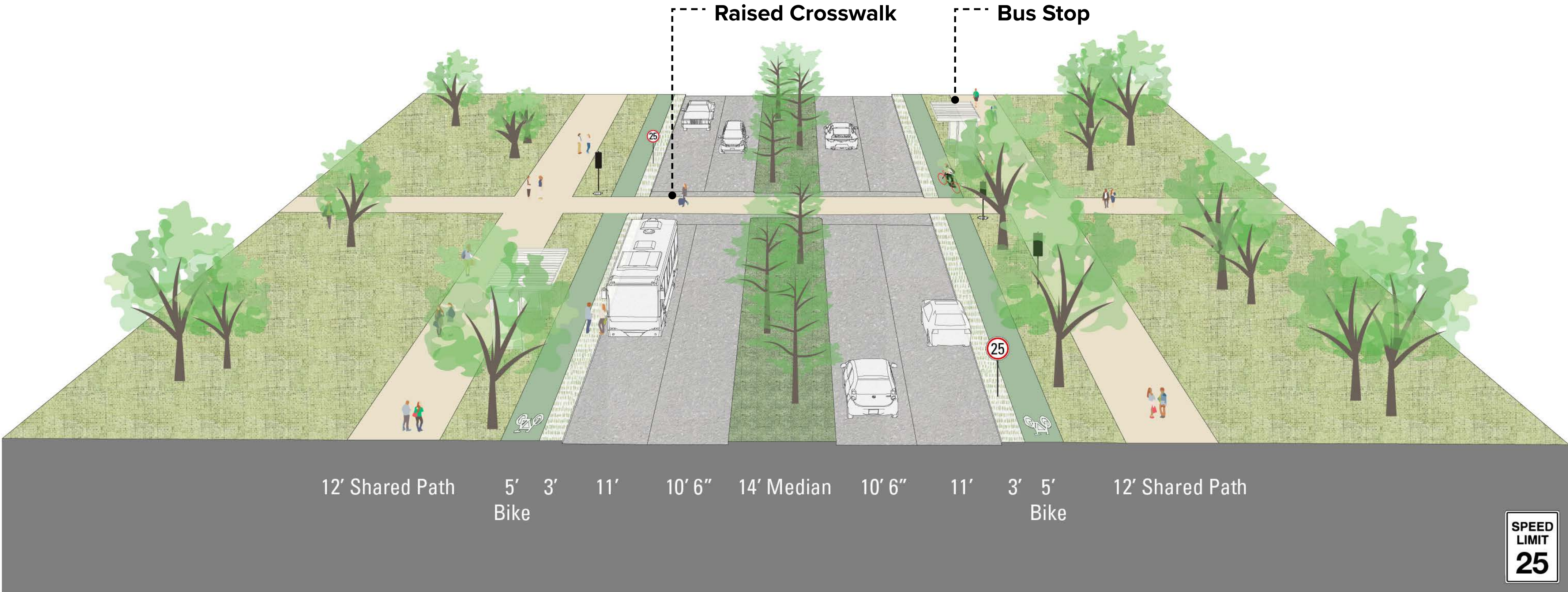
32%
Consolidate Parking Spaces
within Zilker Park to create
more green space
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



- Parking under MoPac: 420
 - Parallel Parking Along Barton Springs Road: 290
 - Parallel Parking Along Lou Neff Road: 400
 - Parallel Parking Along Rolling Wood Drive: 70
 - 90-Degree Parking Along Stratford Drive: 210
 - 90-Degree Parking Along Andrew Zilker Road: 420
 - 90-Degree Parking Along William Barton Drive: 350
 - Parking on the South Side of Barton Springs: 420
- Overall Parking Spaces: **2,580** Spaces

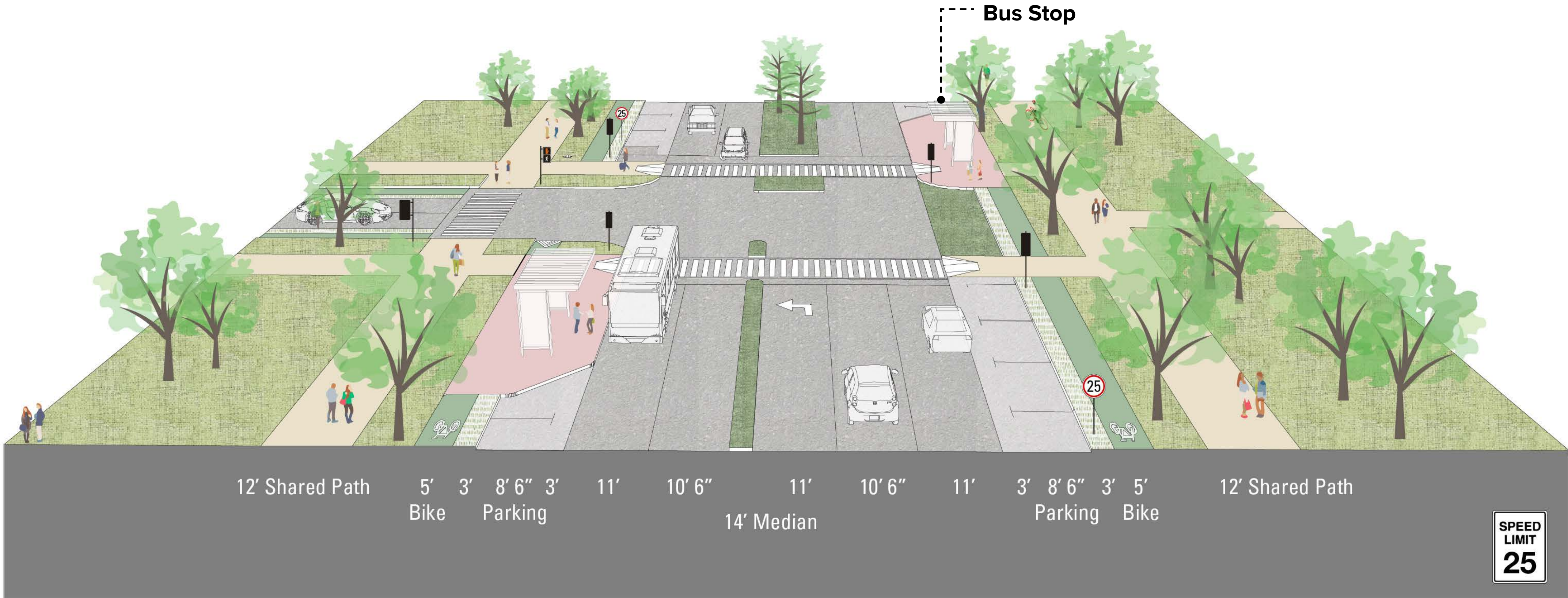
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BARTON SPRINGS ROAD CONFIGURATION



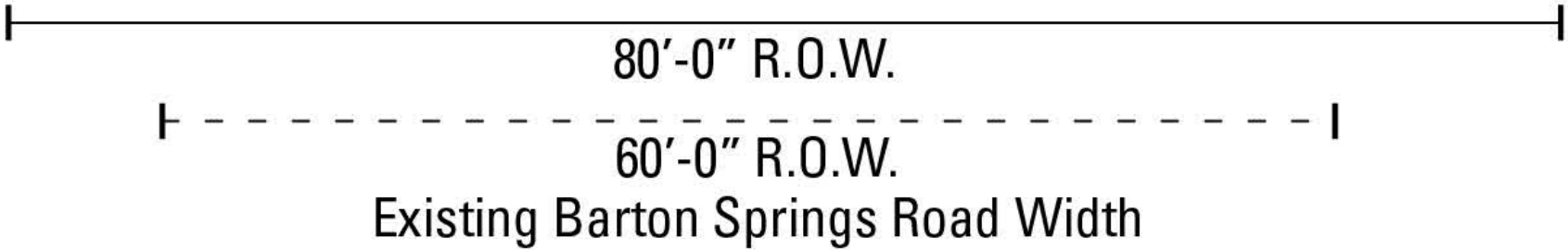
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BARTON SPRINGS ROAD CONFIGURATION



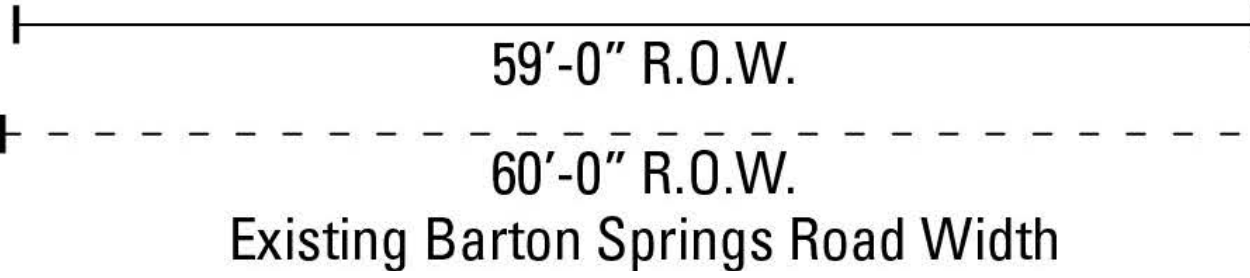
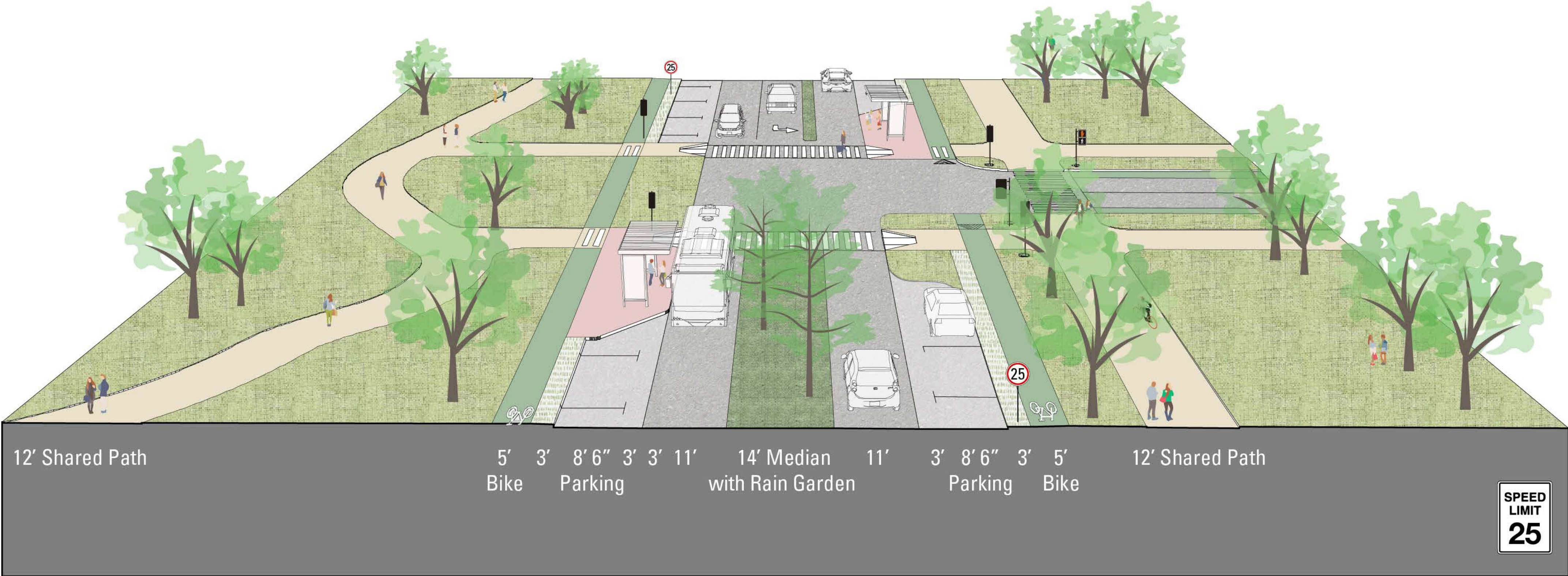
12' Shared Path 5' Bike 3' Parking 8' 6" 3' 11' 10' 6" 14' Median 11' 10' 6" 11' 3' 8' 6" 3' 5' Bike 12' Shared Path

SPEED
LIMIT
25



PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD CONFIGURATION



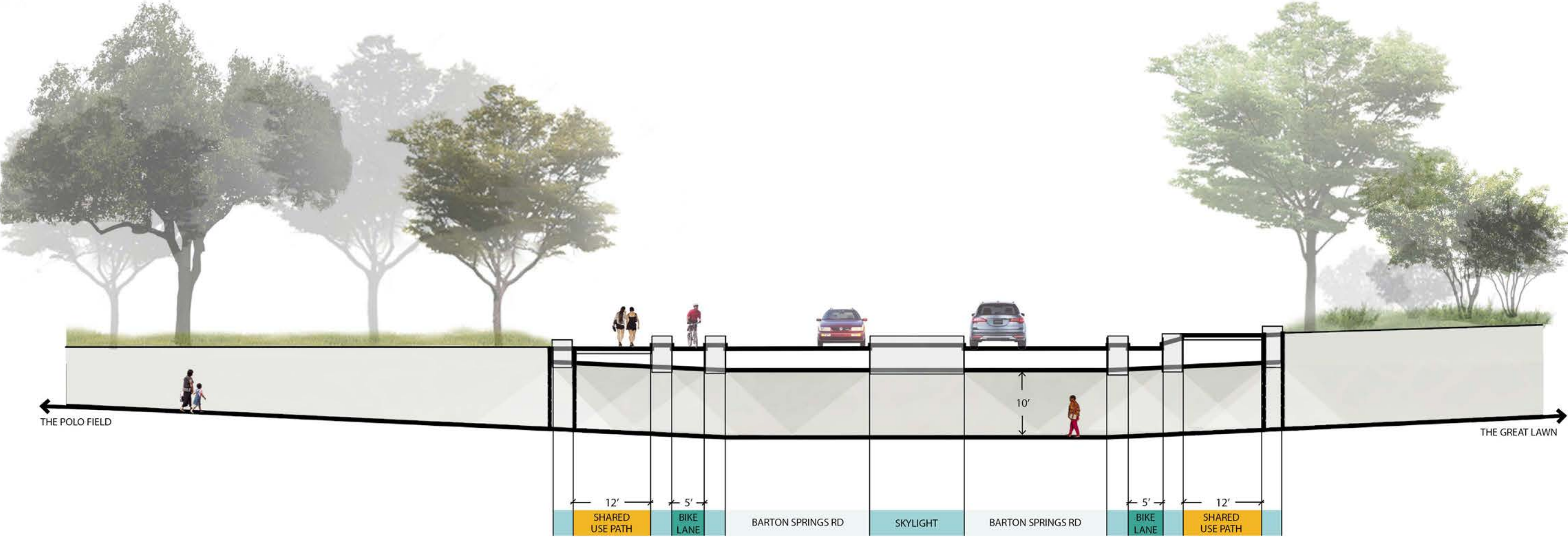
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LAND BRIDGE SECTION



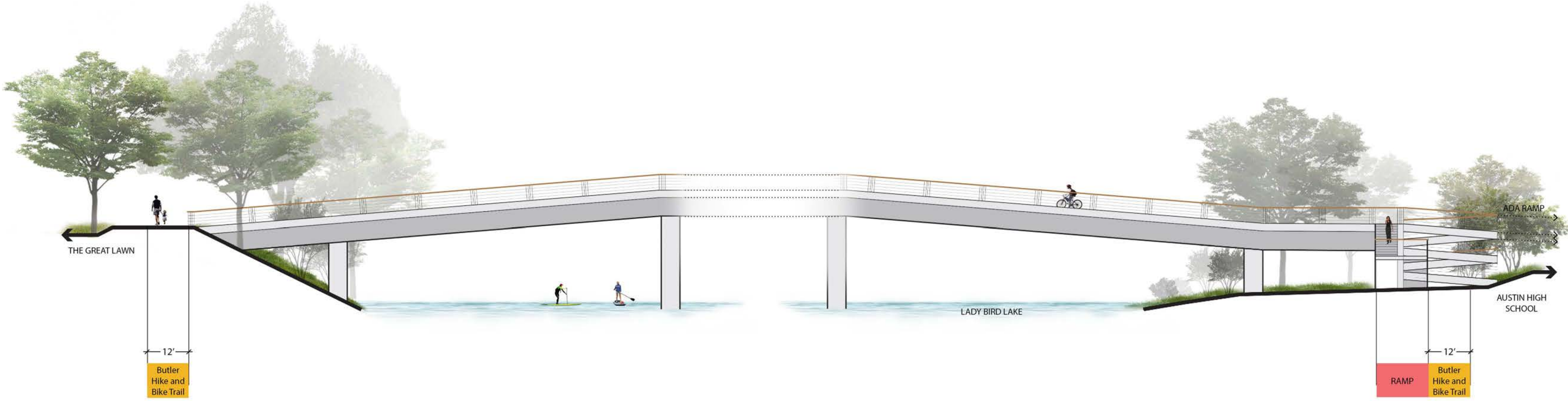
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UNDERPASS SECTION



PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE



PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

INTERNAL SHUTTLE AND ZILKER EAGLE

Routes

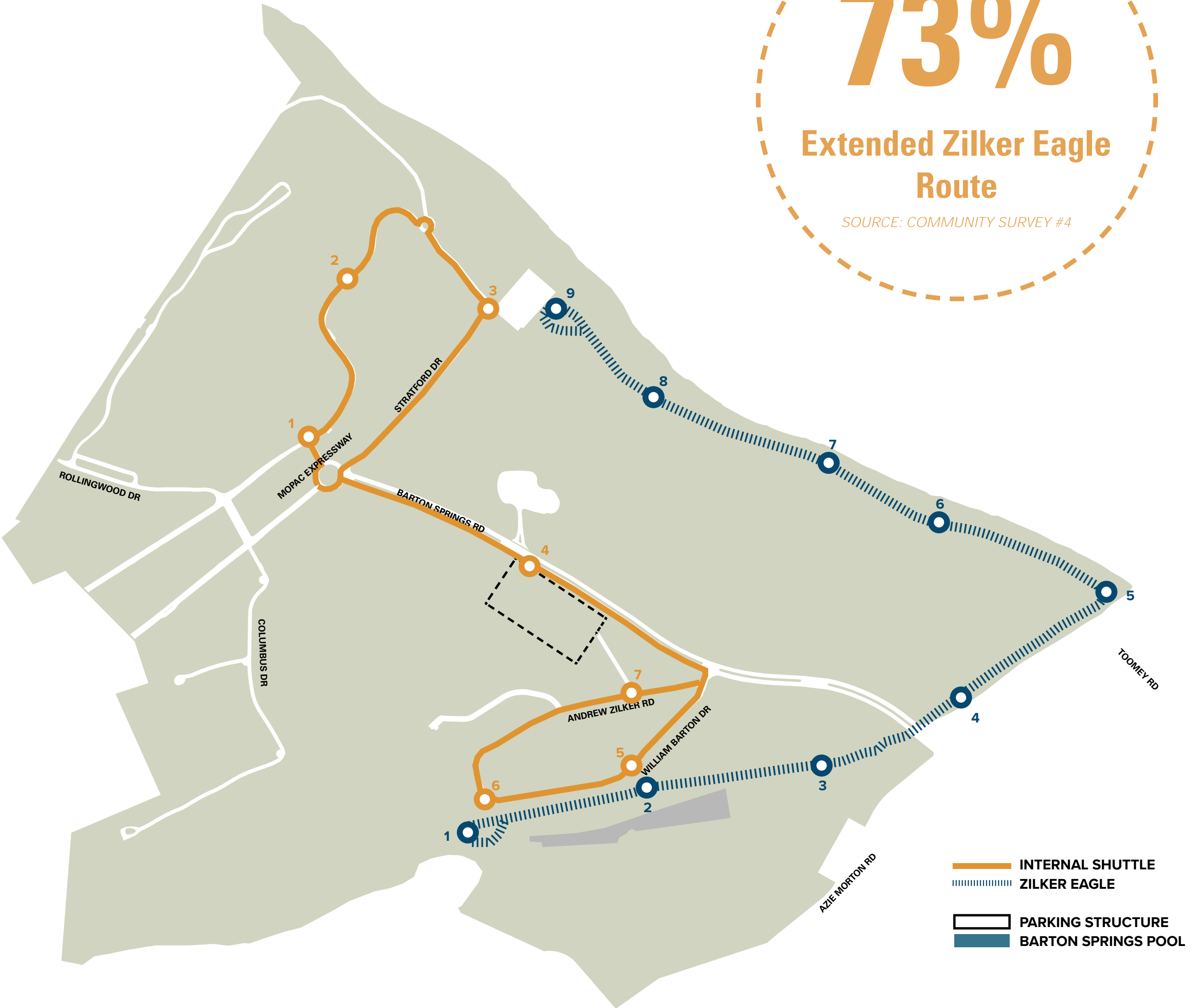
Internal Shuttle Route

- 1 > Nature Preserve
- 2 > Austin Nature and Science Center
- 3 > Lady Bird Lake
- 4 > Zilker Botanical Garden
- 5 > Barton Springs Pool
- 6 > Violet Crown Trail Head
- 7 > Land Bridge

Zilker Eagle Route

- 1 > Violet Crown Trail Head
- 2 > Barton Springs Pool
- 3 > Sports Complex
- 4 > Toomey Road
- 5 > Lou Neff Point
- 6 > Great Lawn
- 7 > Lady Bird Lake
- 8 > Landfill
- 9 > Landfill Parking

73%
 Extended Zilker Eagle
 Route
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4



INTERNAL SHUTTLE
 ZILKER EAGLE
 PARKING STRUCTURE
 BARTON SPRINGS POOL

PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

INTERNAL SHUTTLE AND ZILKER EAGLE

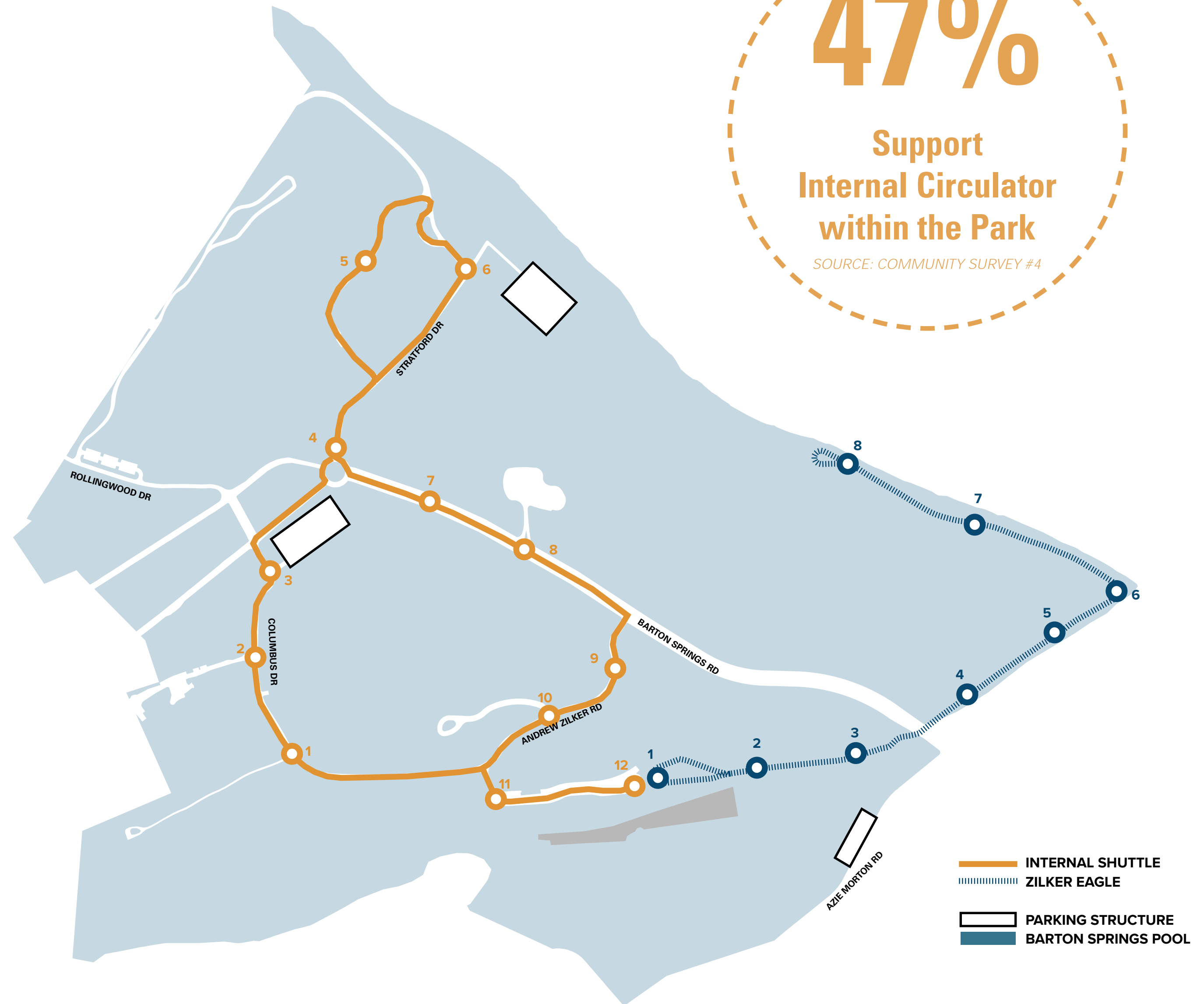
Routes

Internal Shuttle Route

- 1 > Girl Scout Cabin
- 2 > McBeth Recreation Center
- 3 > Parking Structure #2
- 4 > Nature Preserve
- 5 > Austin Nature and Science Center
- 6 > Lady Bird Lake
- 7 > Sports Complex
- 8 > Zilker Botanical Garden
- 9 > Rugby Field
- 10 > Sunshine Camp
- 11 > Violet Crown Trail Head
- 12 > Barton Springs Pool

Zilker Eagle Route

- 1 > Barton Springs Pool
- 2 > Caretaker's Cottage
- 3 > Pecan Grove Picnic Area
- 4 > All-Access Playground
- 5 > Toomey Road
- 6 > Lou Neff Point
- 7 > Great Lawn
- 8 > Lady Bird Lake



47%

Support
Internal Circulator
within the Park

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

INTERNAL SHUTTLE AND ZILKER EAGLE

Routes

Internal Shuttle Route

- 1 > Girl Scout Cabin
- 2 > McBeth Recreation Center
- 3 > Disc Golf Area
- 4 > Nature Preserve
- 5 > Austin Nature and Science Center
- 6 > Landfill Parking
- 7 > Butler Hike and Bike Trail Head
- 8 > Prairie Trail
- 9 > Zilker Botanical Garden
- 10 > Volleyball Court
- 11 > Lady Bird Lake
- 12 > Great Lawn
- 13 > Lou Neff Point
- 14 > Toomey Road
- 15 > Barton Springs Road
- 16 > Welcome Plaza
- 17 > Barking Springs Pool
- 18 > Barton Springs Pool
- 19 > Violet Crown Trail Head

Zilker Eagle Route

- 1 > Violet Crown Trail Head
- 2 > Barton Springs Pool
- 3 > Sports Complex
- 4 > Toomey Road
- 5 > Lou Neff Point
- 6 > Great Lawn
- 7 > Lady Bird Lake



PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

PEDESTRIAN/BIKE CIRCULATION



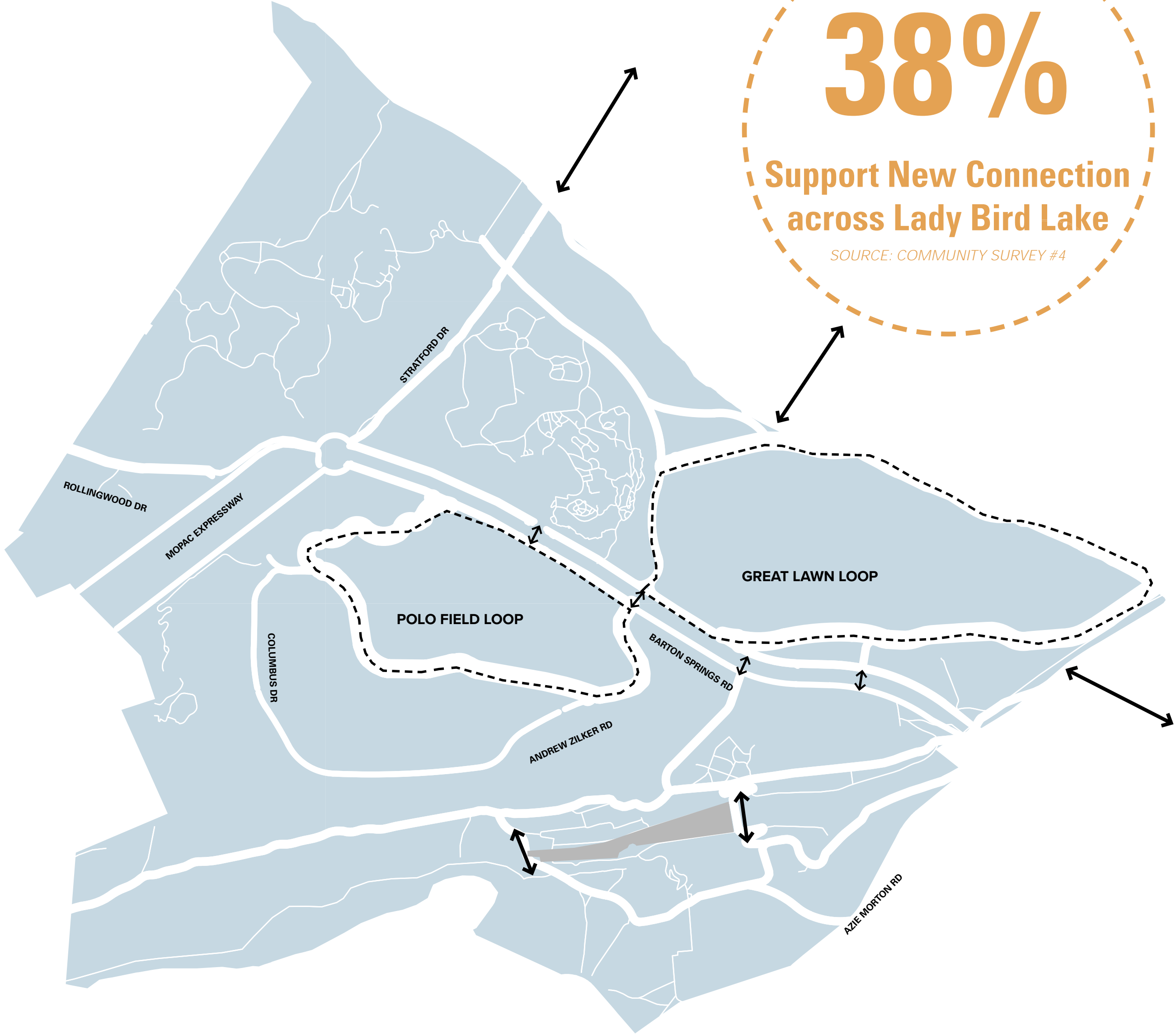
Overall Shared Use Path:	8.9 Miles
Overall Pedestrian Trail:	9.5 Miles
Overall Trails:	18.4 Miles
Existing Trail:	12.6 Miles

PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

PEDESTRIAN AND BIKE CIRCULATION

38%
Support New Connection
across Lady Bird Lake
SOURCE: COMMUNITY SURVEY #4

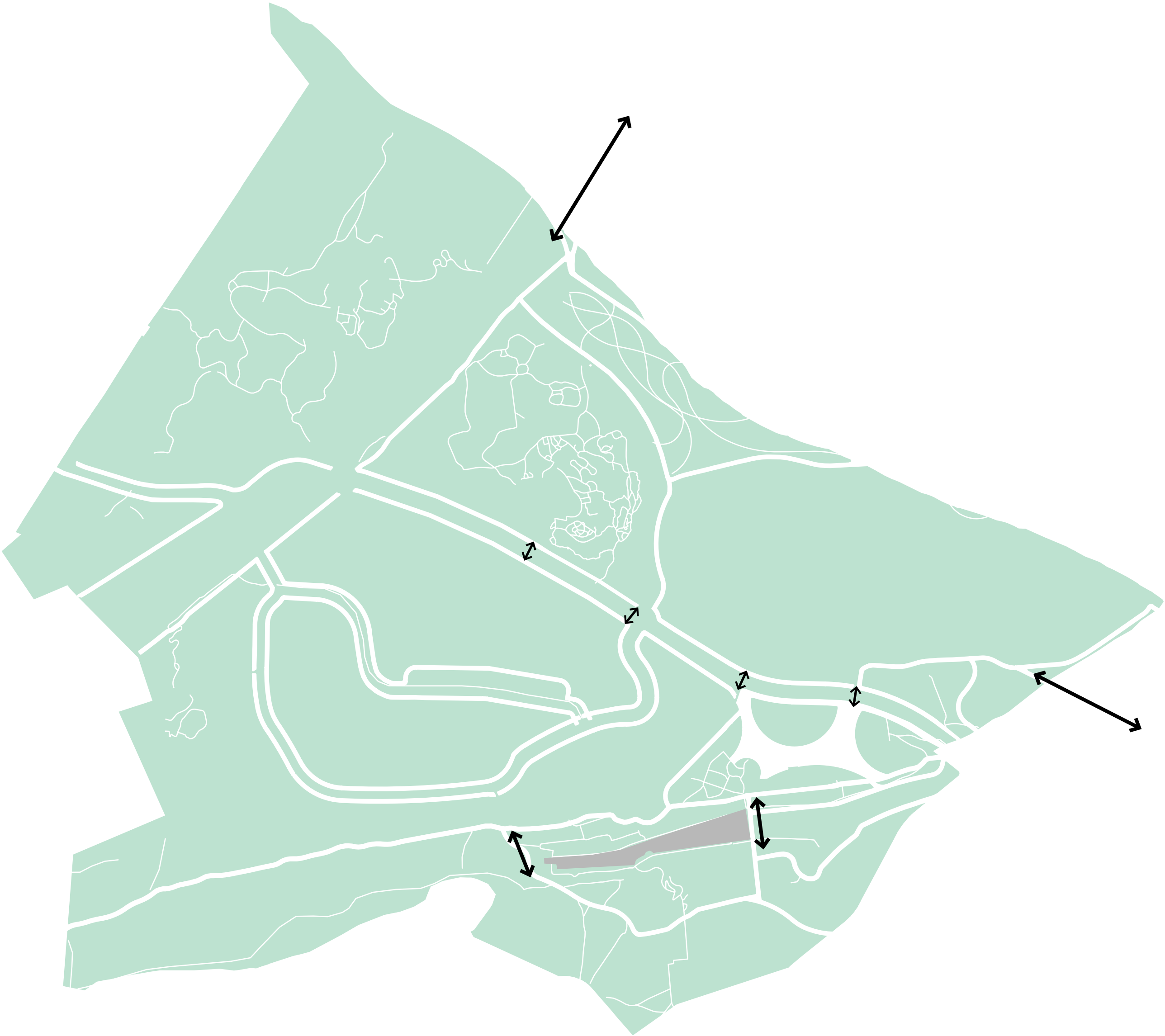
Overall Shared Use Path:	7.3 Miles
• Great Lawn Loop:	1.1 Mi
• Polo Field Loop:	0.8 Mi
• Shared Use Path:	5.4 Mi
Overall Pedestrian Trail:	7.5 Miles
Overall Trails:	14.8 Miles
Existing Trail:	12.6 Miles



PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

PEDESTRIAN AND BIKE TRAIL

Overall Shared Use Path:	9.2 Miles
Overall Pedestrian Trail:	8.6 Miles
Overall Trails:	17.8 Miles
Existing Trail:	12.6 Miles

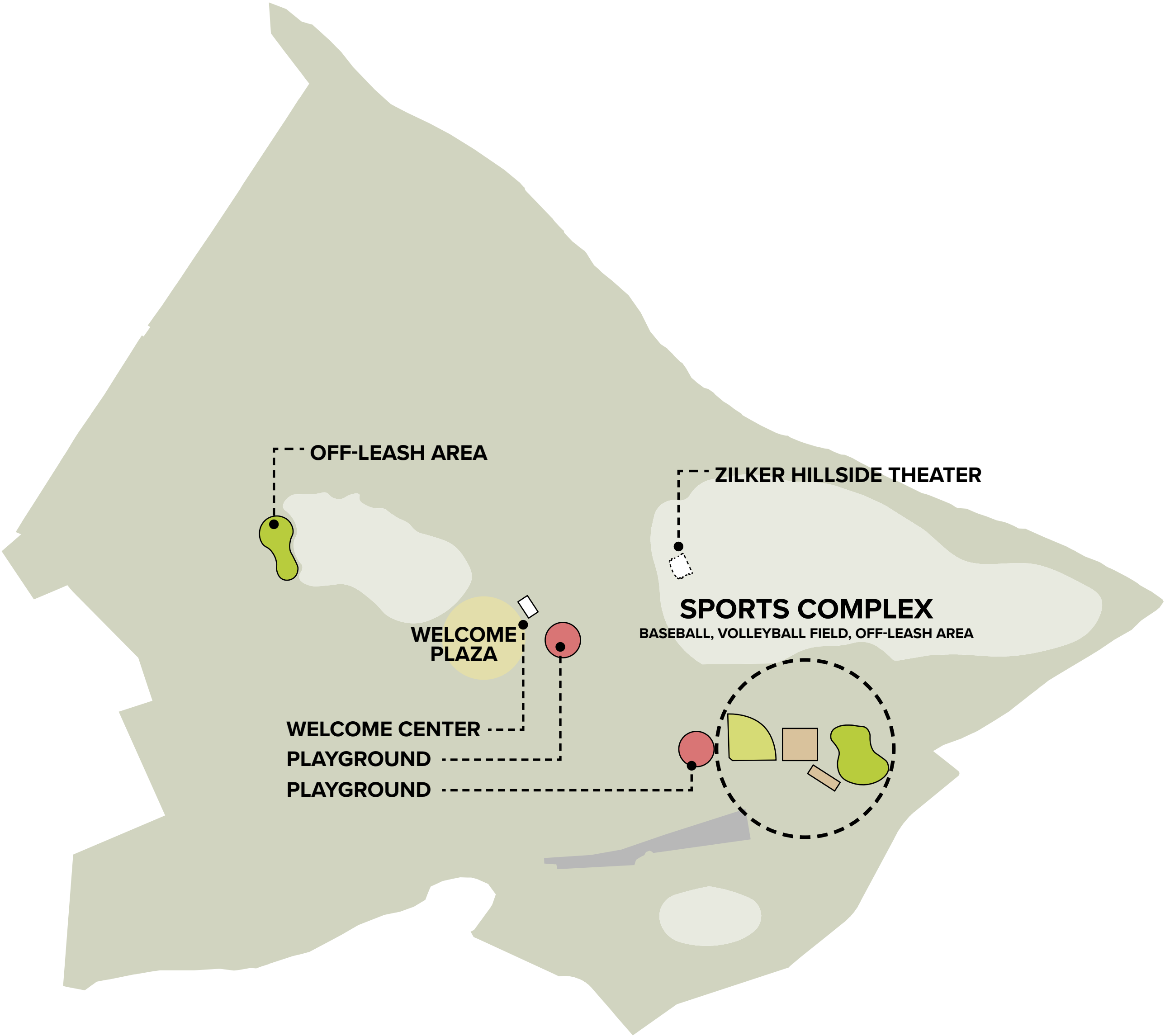


PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

PROGRAMMING

Program List

Program Distribution	Concentrated in the center where land bridge located
Welcome Center	In the land bridge area
Caretakers Cottage	No Change
Playgrounds	2 Playgrounds
Great Lawn	Keep the existing volleyball location. Pedestrian and biking only in daily time.
Polo Field	Heart of the park with land bridge Concentrated programs such as playground, picnic area around the land bridge
Off-leash Area	Relocated to Polo Field South side of BSP
Butler Shores Hike and Bike Trail	Remains As Is With Erosion and Green Infrastructure Improvements
Violet Crown Trail	Improved with new trailhead masterplan
Nature Preserve Trail	No change in Program
Volleyball	South side of the pool
Disc Golf	No Change
Rugby Field	Moved to Polo Field Lawn
Barton Creek Crossing	Additional Bridge added in Barton Springs Dam area
Sunken Gardens	Restored
Shooting Range Area	No Programmatic Change
Southball Field	No Change
Removed Program	Polo Field Informal Parking, Partial closure for Vehicular Traffic on Andrew Zilker Road and Columbus Drive

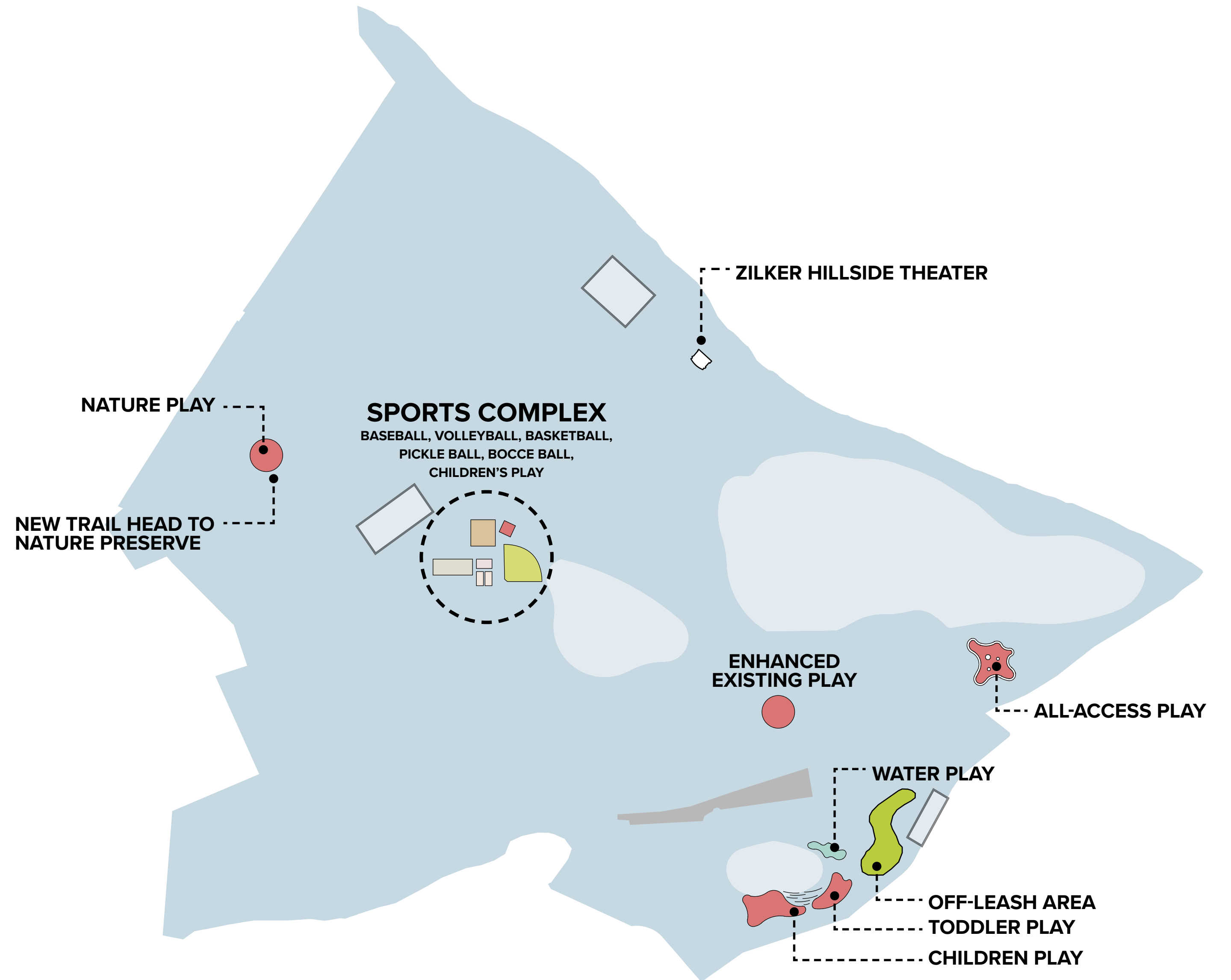


PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

PROGRAMMING

Program List

Program Distribution	Concentrated in the edges
Welcome Center	Off-Site
Caretakers Cottage	No Change
Playgrounds	7 Different Types of Playground with Restrooms
Great Lawn	Volleyball Relocated to Polo Field Traffic is Calmed and Green Stormwater is implemented
Polo Field	Sports Complex Flex Lawn Parking Structure
Off-leash Area	Polo Field: Off-Leash South side of pool: Fenced
Butler Shores Hike and Bike Trail	Separate Pedestrian and Bike Paths are Provided Piers for water contact
Violet Crown Trail	Improved with new trailhead masterplan
Nature Preserve Trail	Improve with new trailhead
Volleyball	To the new sports complex (Polo Field) - 6 courts
Disc Golf	To Polo Field
Rugby Field	Extended
Barton Creek Crossing	Additional Bridge where : Extension of Toomey Rd : West side of BSP"
Sunken Gardens	Restored
Shooting Range Area	New Trailhead to Nature Preserve Trail Playground
Southball Field	Moved to Sports Complex
Removed Program	Polo Field Informal Parking, Andrew Zilker Road for Vehicular Traffic

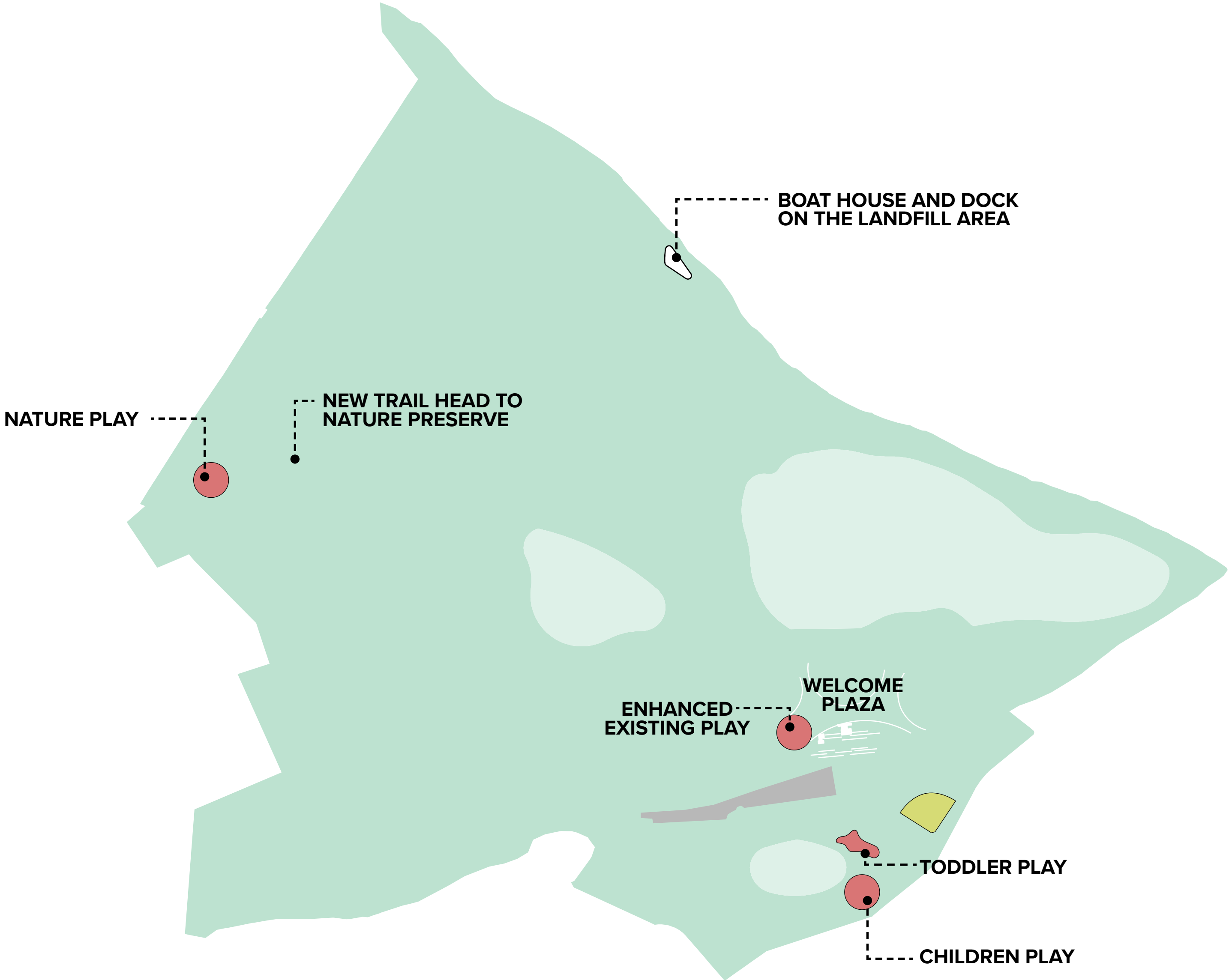


PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

PROGRAMMING

Program List

Program Distribution	Concentrated around Barton Springs Pool
Welcome Center	Repurposed Caretaker's Cottage and Quonset Hut
Caretakers Cottage	Repurposed to Welcome Center
Playgrounds	4 Different Types of Playground with Restrooms
Great Lawn	No Change in Program
Polo Field	Limited Flex Lawn/No Parking
Off-leash Area	Remains in Current Location with Improvements
Butler Shores Hike and Bike Trail	Separate Pedestrian and Bike Paths are Provided on Boardwalk
Violet Crown Trail	Improved with new trailhead masterplan
Nature Preserve Trail	No change in Program
Volleyball	Remains in Current Location with Improvements
Disc Golf	No Change
Rugby Field	Recreated to welcome plaza
Barton Creek Crossing	Additional Bridges : West side of BSP : At the Lou Neff Point
Sunken Gardens	Restored
Shooting Range Area	Playground
Southball Field	No Change
Boat House	Move to Landfill
Removed Program	Polo Field Informal Parking, Andrew Zilker Road for Vehicular Traffic, Rugby Field



PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

ECOLOGY

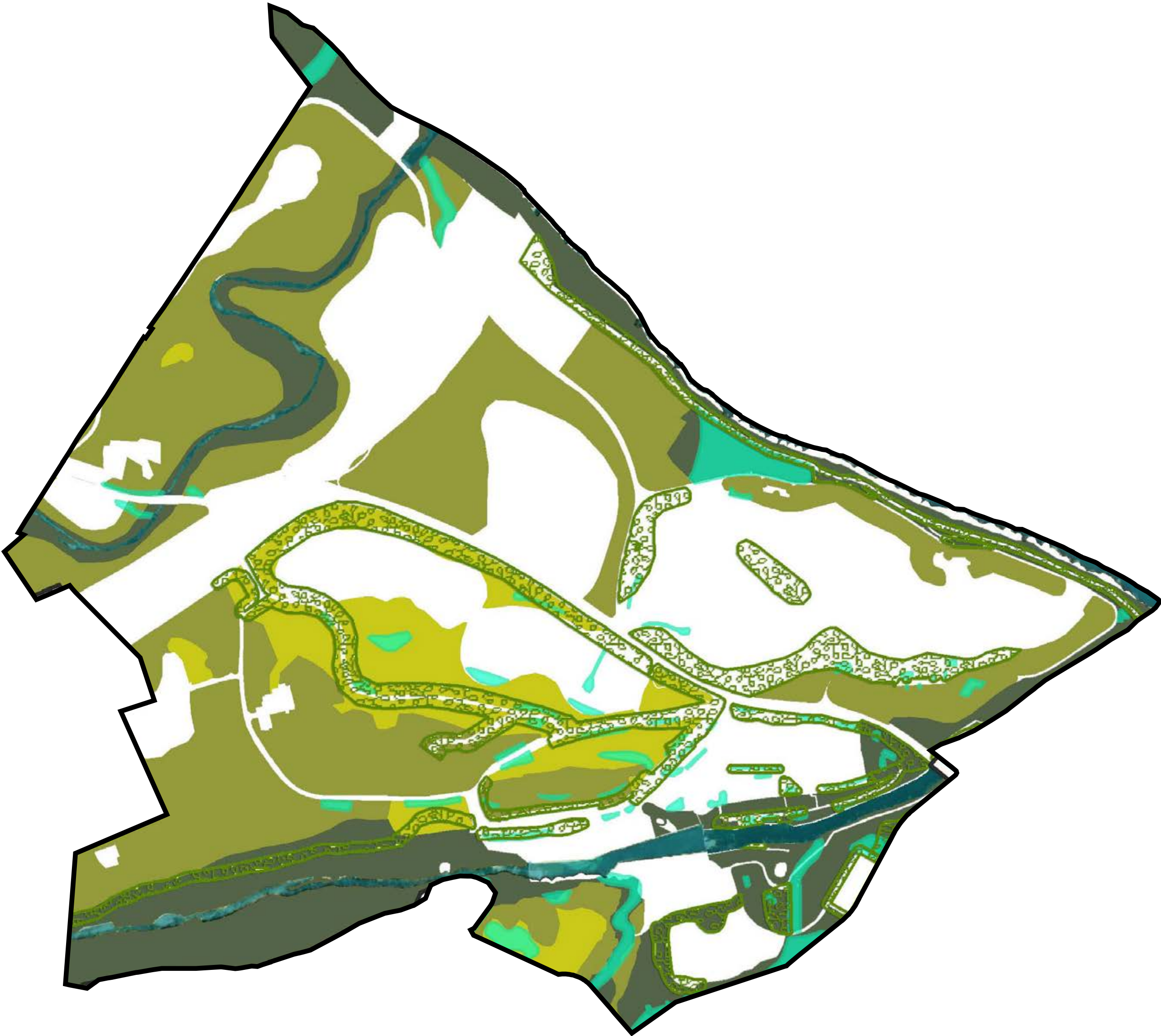
Ecological Uplift

- 26 ACRES Upland Woodland
- 14 ACRES Riparian Wetland/
- 32 ACRES Meadow/Savanna
- ~10 ACRES Canopy Enhancement*
- ~2 ACRES Green Stormwater**

84 ACRES: Ecological Uplift Impact
→ (296 ACRES: Total Natural Area)

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PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

ECOLOGY

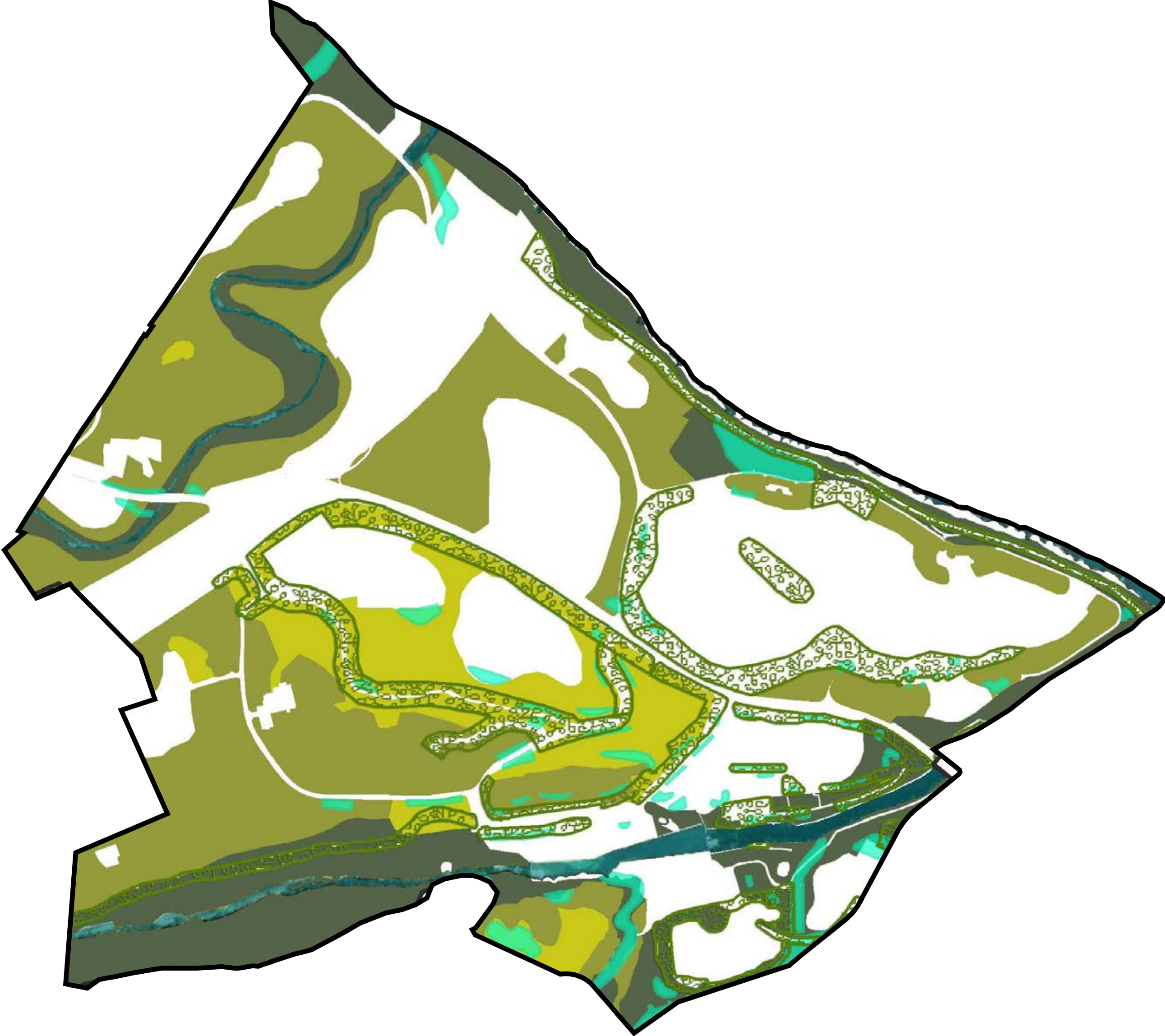
Ecological Uplift

- 21 ACRES Upland Woodland
- 12 ACRES Riparian Wetland/
- 36 ACRES Meadow/Savanna
- ~10 ACRES Canopy Enhancement*
- ~2 ACRES Green Stormwater**

81 ACRES: Ecological Uplift Impact
(293 ACRES: Total Natural Area)

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PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

ECOLOGY

Ecological Uplift

16 ACRES Upland Woodland

10 ACRES Riparian Wetland/

53 ACRES Meadow/Savanna

~10 ACRES Canopy Enhancement*

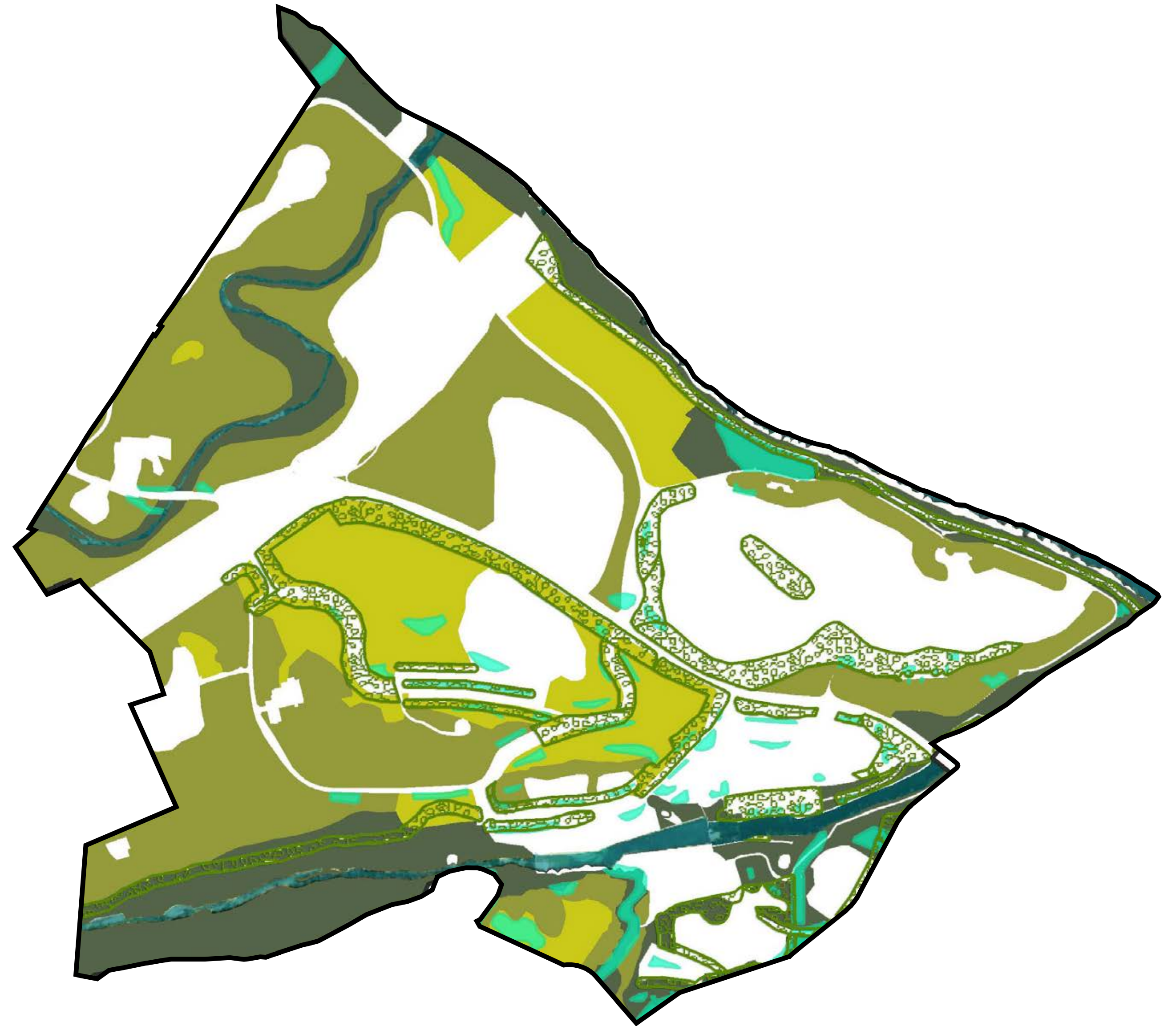
~2 ACRES Green Stormwater**

91 ACRES: Ecological Uplift Impact

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PLAN CONCEPT A - STITCH

LAND BRIDGE PERSPECTIVE



PLAN CONCEPT B - EDGES

ZILKER HILLSIDE THEATER



PLAN CONCEPT C - REGENERATE

WELCOME PLAZA



TRAIL CONNECTION ENHANCEMENT (all plan concepts)

BUTLER HIKE AND BIKE TRAIL



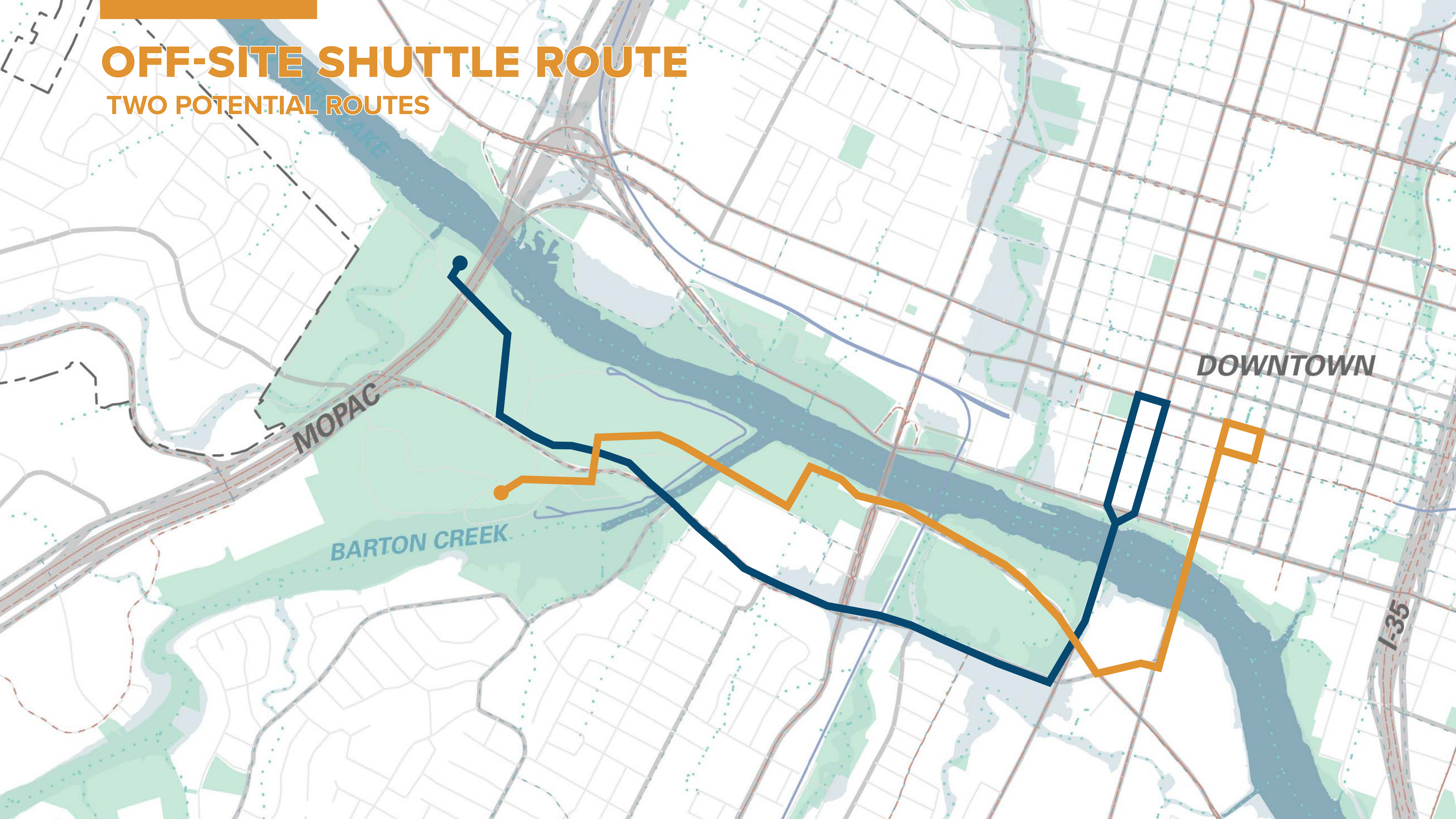
TRAIL CONNECTION ENHANCEMENT

PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE



OFF-SITE SHUTTLE ROUTE

TWO POTENTIAL ROUTES



MOPAC

BARTON CREEK

DOWNTOWN

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NEXT STEPS

- **Survey:**

Available on the project website
([https://www.austintexas.gov/
ZilkerVision](https://www.austintexas.gov/ZilkerVision)) week of 2/15

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- **Upcoming Schedules**

Community Meeting #5: June 2022
Final Approvals: Late 2022