



# South Central Waterfront Planning Initiative

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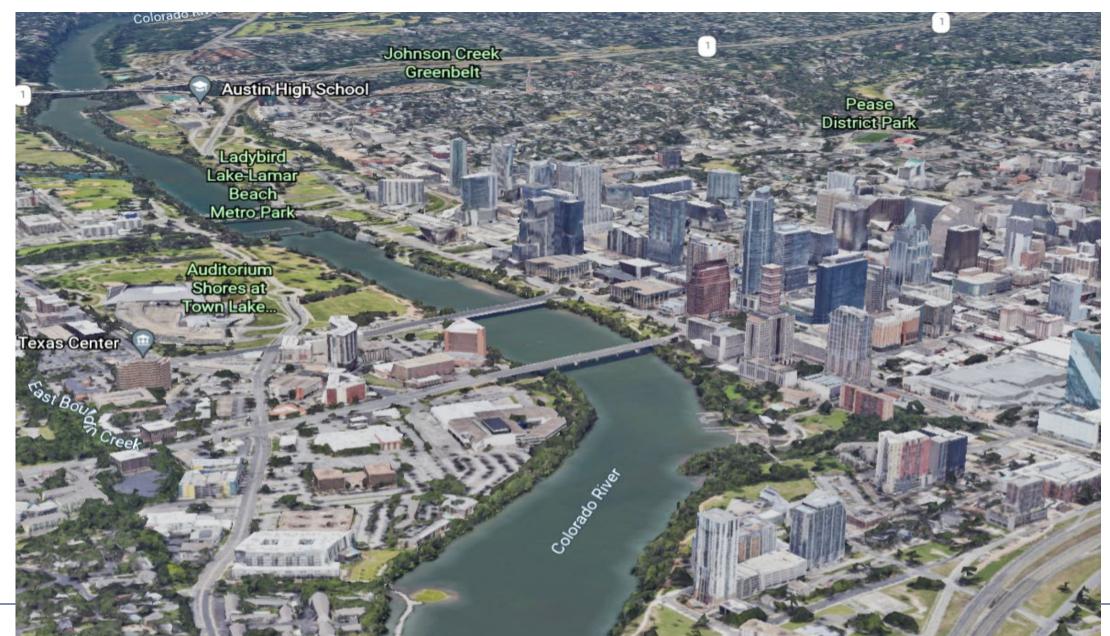
## Waterfront Planning Background

- Town Lake Corridor Study (1985)
  - Established principles to protect and promote shoreline
- Waterfront Overlay (1986)
  - Incorporated into code (LDC)
  - Determines what can or cannot be developed
- Waterfront Planning Advisory Board (2012)
  - How to advance principles of TLCS
- South Central Waterfront small area plan initiated (2013)













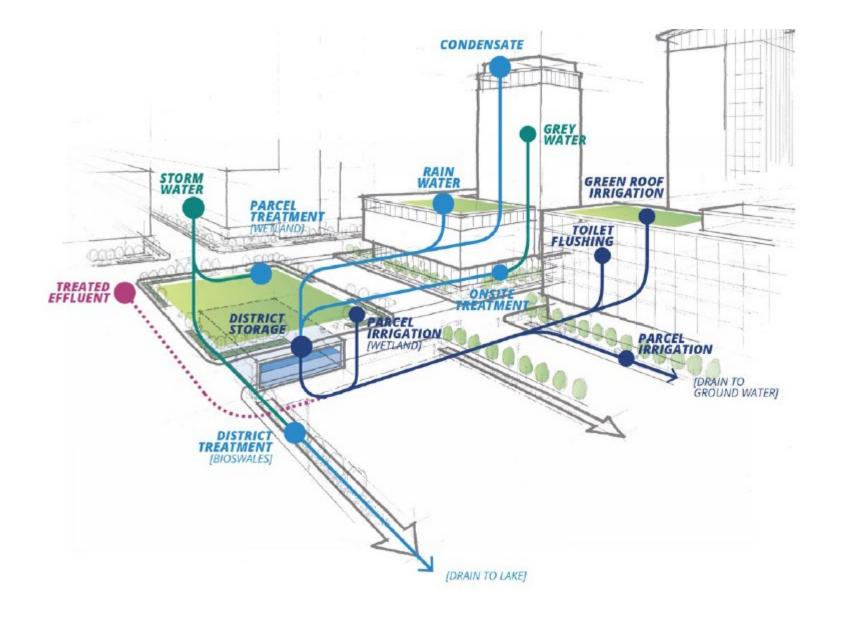














- Affordable housing goal:
  - "...20 percent of future housing units developed in the area affordable to households at 60 to 80 percent of Area Median Income for rental and 100 to 120% AMI for ownership."



• How does this all get paid for?

#### **Developer Provides:**

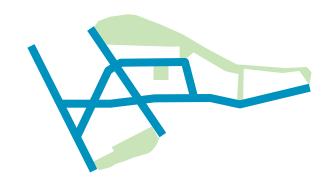
- On-site affordable housing
- Fee-in-lieu affordable housing
  - Parks, open space, trails, infrastructure improvements



#### **Developer Gets:**

Increased entitlements





**Physical Framework** 

Green Streets,
Pedestrian Connections
& Open Space for a great
& green public realm



**Financial Framework** 

Value Capture & cost sharing, Strategic Capital Investments and Bonus Entitlements to fund public realm and 20% affordable housing



**City Leadership** 

Leverage City assets
and establish agencies
and rules to achieve
Public-Private
Partnerships to achieve
community goals



## Regulating Plan (In-Process)

- Establishes requirements for development \*if\* a development opts into the regulating plan
- Controls physical buildout
- Includes requirements for affordable housing
- Will be amended to the LDC
- Does not speak to financing, funding sources, or public-private partnerships



## South Central Waterfront Advisory Board (SCWAB)

- Established in 2017:
  - The South Central Waterfront Advisory Board is established to provide continuity and communication among stakeholders and advocates as the South Central Waterfront Plan moves toward implementation and to provide recommendations to the city council regarding plan implementation.
  - The board shall:
    - serve as an advisory body to the city council and city manager regarding policies and projects in the South Central Waterfront district;
    - serve as stewards for the South Central Waterfront Vision Framework Plan;
    - maintain liaison relationships with city staff and other boards and commissions; and
    - perform additional functions as required by the city council.



## **SCW** Recent Development

- Recent development:
  - Snoopy PUD (2018)
    - \$6/sq ft fee-in-lieu for non-residential
    - \$50,000 one time fee
  - Statesman PUD (in-process)
    - Anticipated Council action end of 2021



## Next Steps

- Financial toolbox feasibility
- Statesman PUD resolution
- Regulating plan revisions and adoption



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