# WELCOME!

# HOUSING + AFFORDABILITY IN ANN ARBOR

The meeting will begin soon.



# **SMITHGROUP**

# TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW THINGS TO KNOW

- Attendee video cameras are disabled in the Main Room but are active in the site-specific break-out rooms.
- All attendees are muted (instructions to unmute will be covered).
- This meeting will include a Main Room presentation and break-out room conversations.
- Please use the chat function if you have any questions/comments in the Main Room.
- You can leave and rejoin the meeting at any time.
- Opportunities for questions and discussion will be provided in the site-specific break-out rooms. The chat function is also available in the break-out rooms.

# HOUSING + AFFORDABILITY IN ANN ARBOR



A community discussion regarding the redevelopment of publicly-owned parcels in downtown Ann Arbor

THURSDAY OCT 1, 2020 6:00 - 8:00 PM MOV 9, 2020 6:00 - 8:00 PM

THURSDAY DEC 10, 2020 6:00 - 8:00 PM

# **AGENDA**

#### **WELCOME!**

6:00 - 6:20 PM

- Introduction
- How to use the Engagement Platform
- Project Overview
- Site Context & Development Options

#### BREAK-OUT ROOMS 6:20 - 7:40 PM

Recap Presentations every 20 min

#### **WRAP-UP**

7:40 - 8:00 PM

Closing thoughts



# **CORE TEAM**



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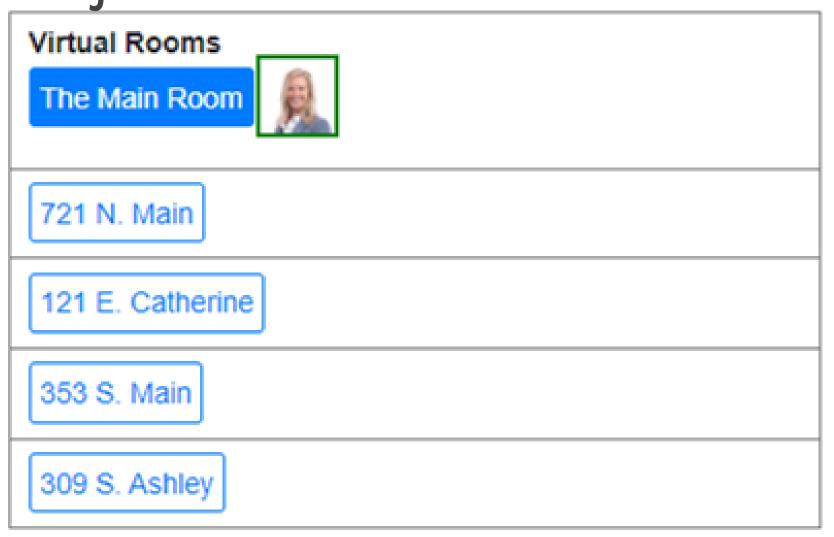


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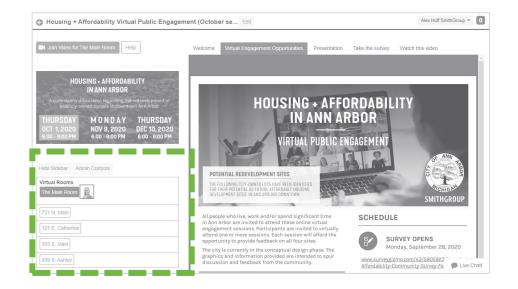
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- Please try to move to a quiet area and silence any background sounds when speaking and mute when not speaking
- Speak loud and clear so everyone can hear you
- Everyone will be provided a chance to speak before a repeat speaker
- Be respectful of other ideas and perspectives no finger pointing
- Try to distinguish between I know (facts) and I think (opinions)
- Inappropriate written and/or verbal comment or language, including personal attacks and accusations, will result in the attendee being removed from the meeting



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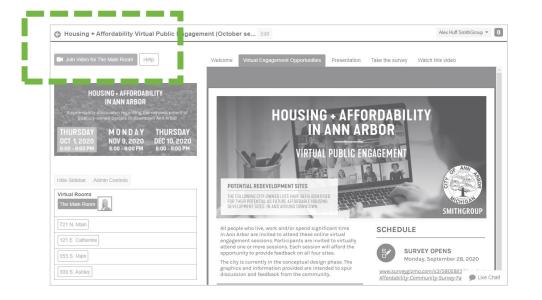


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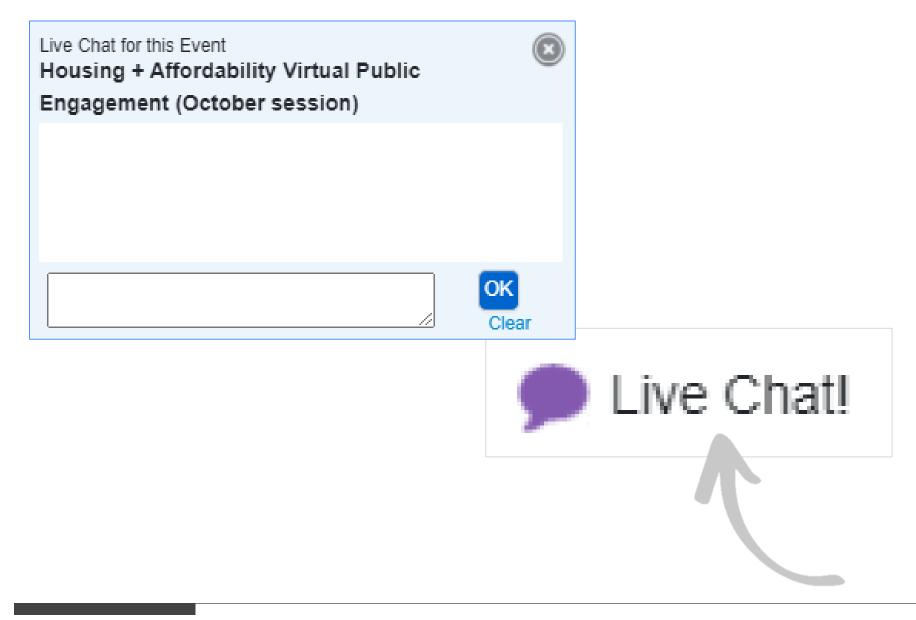


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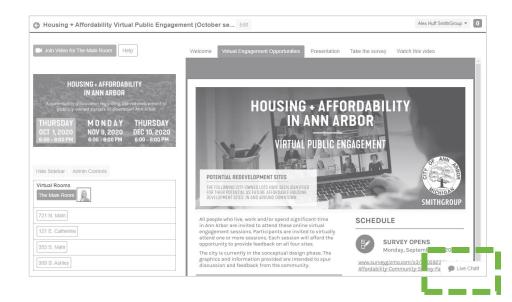




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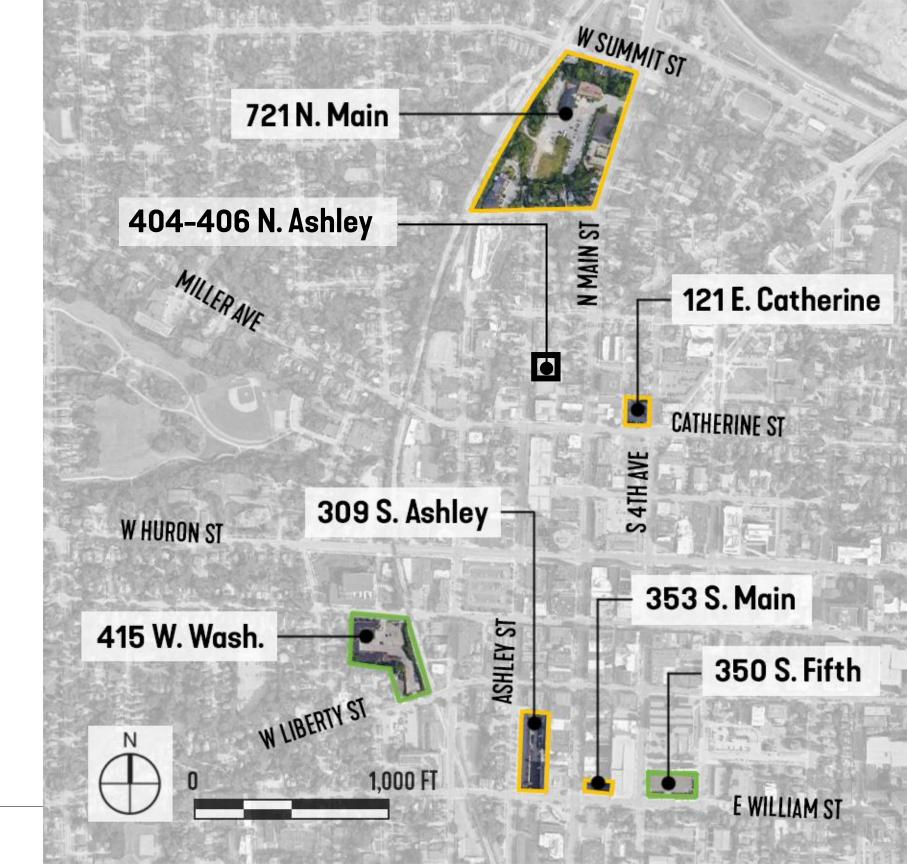
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# DOWNTOWN AFFORDABLE HOUSING SITES

- WINTER-SPRING 2019 (Complete)
  - 1. 350 S. Fifth (Former Y Lot)
  - 2. 415 W. Wash
- FALL 2020 (Active)
  - 3. 121 E. Catherine (4<sup>th</sup> & Catherine)
  - 4. 353 S. Main (Main & William)
  - 5. 721 N. Main
  - 6. 309 S. Ashley (Kline's Lot)
- FUTURE
  - 7. 404-406 N. Ashley



# FALL 2020 PUBLIC **ENGAGEMENT**

#### ONLINE SURVEY

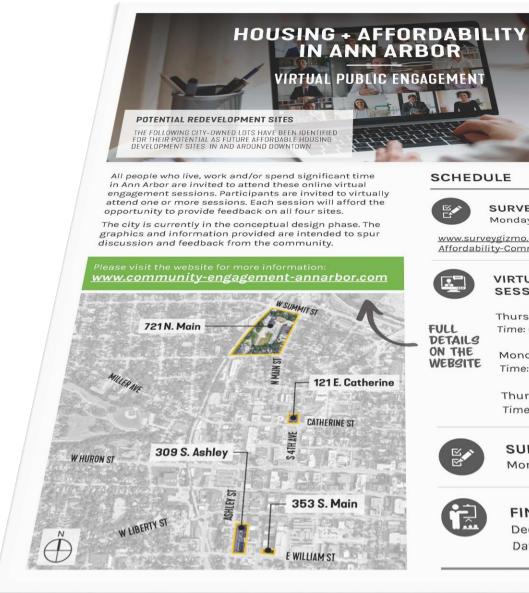
Will remain open for 11 weeks

#### LIVE VIRTUAL SESSIONS

- Today!
- Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>
- Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup>

#### REPORT OUT

 Tentatively planned for December 2020



#### **SCHEDULE**



#### SURVEY OPENS

Monday, September 28, 2020

www.surveygizmo.com/s3/5805923/Housing-Affordability-Community-Survey-Fall-2020



#### VIRTUAL ENGAGEMENT SESSIONS

FULL DETAILS ON THE WEBSITE Thursday, October 1, 2020 Time: 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Monday, November 9, 2020 Time: 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Thursday, December 10, 2020 Time: 6:00 - 8:00 PM



#### SURVEY CLOSES

Monday, December 14, 2020



#### **FINAL REPORT OUT**

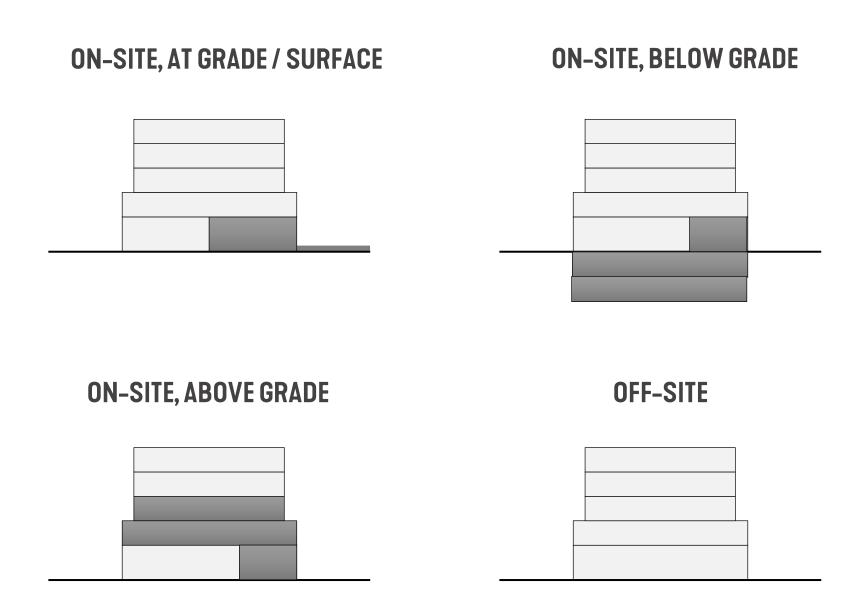
December 2020

Date and time to be determined



# PARKING CONSIDERATIONS FOR EACH SITE

 There are different ways of handling parking



\*Hypothetical Building Sections

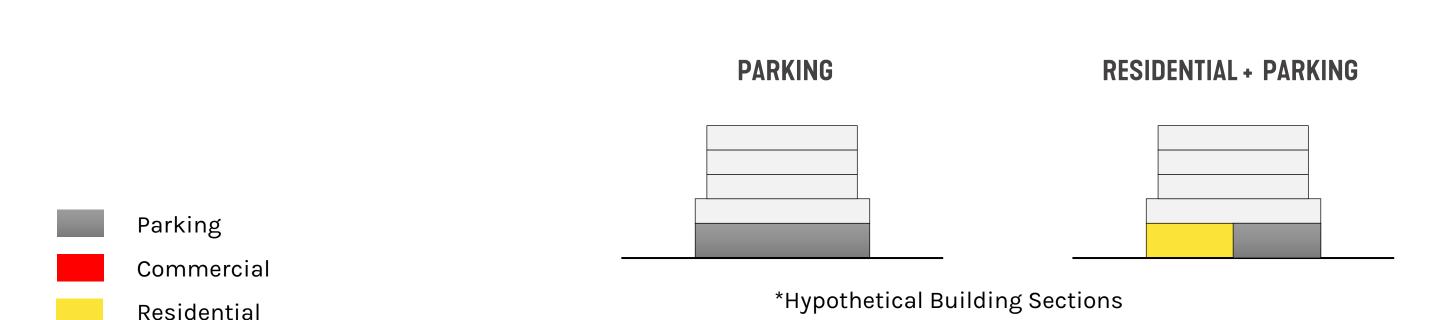


Parking

# **GROUND FLOOR STRATEGIES FOR EACH SITE**

 There are different ways of treating the ground floor

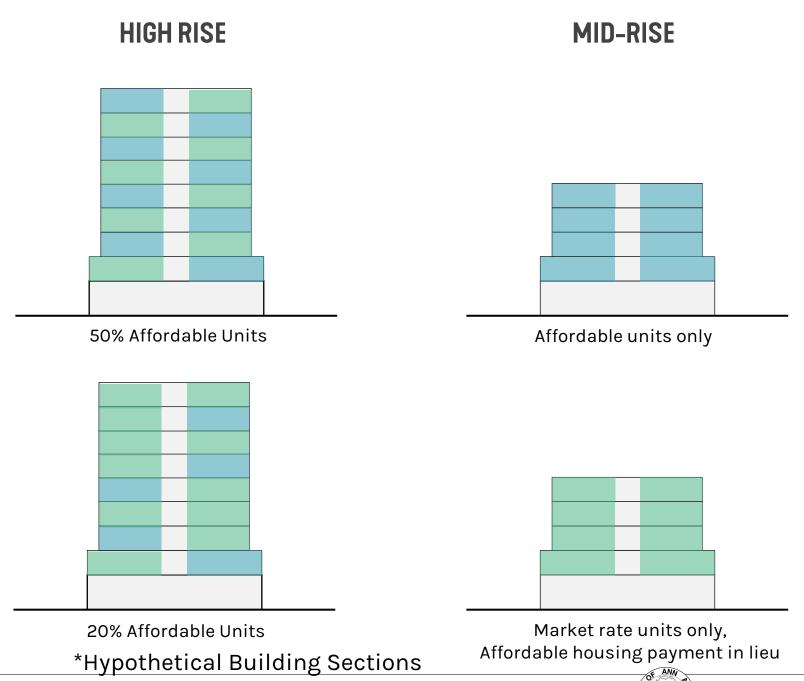






# BUILDING HEIGHT & AFFORDABILITY CONSIDERATIONS FOR EACH SITE

- Building height and density has an effect on the amount of affordable units possible.
- The highest density options allow for more affordability with less city subsidy.
- The medium density options reduces the amount of affordable units and requires more subsidy.



# **HOW TALL IS THAT?**

- Tower Plaza
- University Towers
- 616 E. Washington
- 1 N. Main
- First National
- Ashley Terrace
- Ashley Mews
- 4<sup>th</sup> & William Parking

267' (26 stories)

205' (18 stories)

180' (19 stories)

148' (10 stories)

132' (10 stories)

131' (10 stories)

122' (9 stories)

74' (7 stories)







	Low-rise	Mid-rise	High-rise
Construction type	Typically wood	Wood on concrete or steel podium	Concrete or steel
# of Floors	1-3 stories	4-7 stories	Unlimited by IBC, dictated by zoning, usually 12 + stories



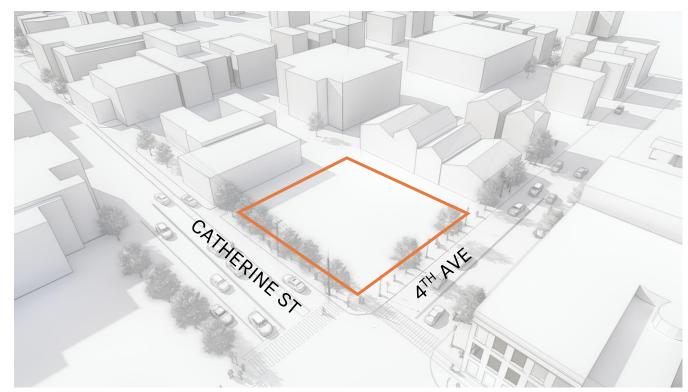


# **121 E CATHERINE**

#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS & CONTEXT**

#### **ZONING REQUIREMENTS**

- Zoning District: D2 (Medium Density)
- Character Overlay District: Kerrytown
- Lot Area: 16,368 SF
- Floor Area Ratio (FAR): 200% or 400%
   w/ Planned Project Affordable
   Housing Premium
- Max. Building Height: 60' or 69' w/
   Planned Project Affordable Housing
   Premium
- Streetwall: 3 stories (max.) or 2 stories (min.)

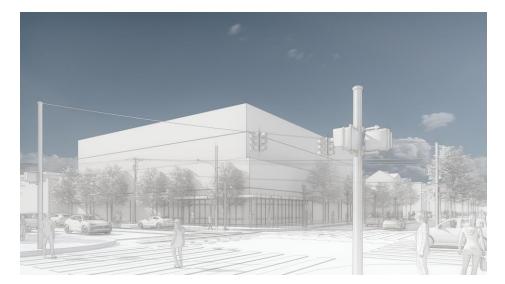






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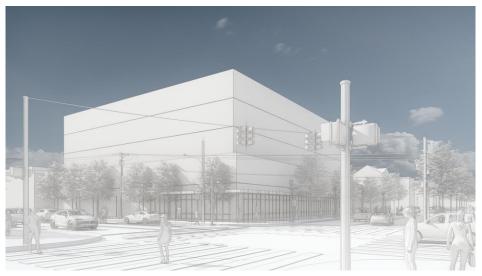
#### MASSING OPTIONS



**OPTION 1: 4-STORY** 

■ +/- 50-60 units

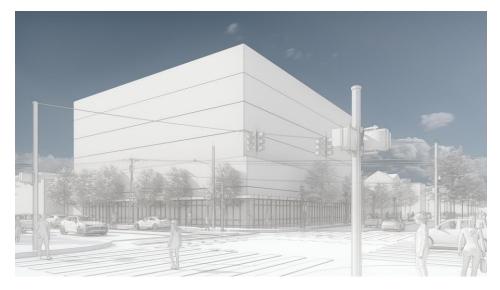
■ FAR: 239%



**OPTION 2: 5-STORY** 

■ +/- 70-80 units

■ FAR: 309%



**OPTION 3: 6-STORY** 

■ +/- 85-95 units

• FAR: 400%

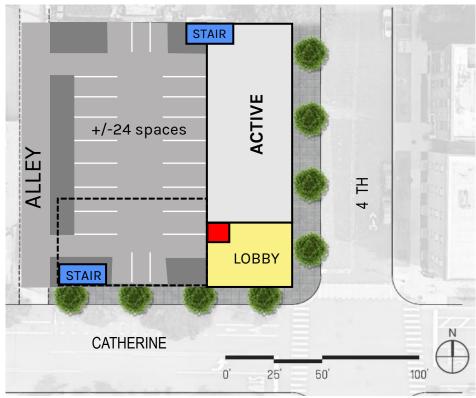
\*All options can accommodate an active ground floor and/or on-site parking



# **121 E CATHERINE**

#### **PARKING OPTIONS**







#### **OPTION 1:**

- Commercial/retail: No
- Maximizes surface parking (~40 spaces)

#### **OPTION 2:**

- Commercial/retail: Partial
- Retains some surface parking (~ 24 spaces)

#### **OPTION 3: 6-STORY**

- Commercial/retail: Yes
- Assumes underground parking (~90 spaces, parking alone ~\$8 Million)



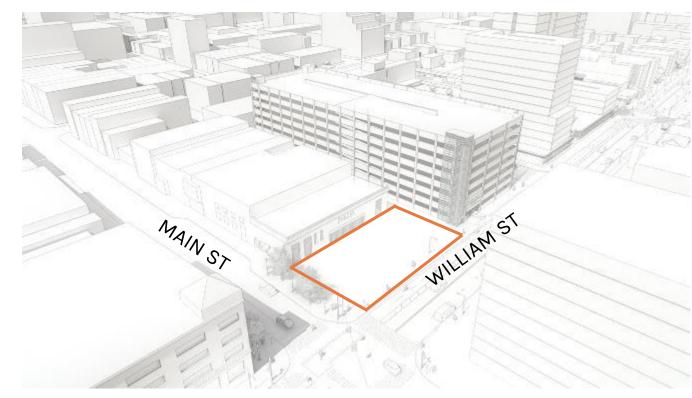


# 353 S MAIN

#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS & CONTEXT**

#### **ZONING REQUIREMENTS**

- Zoning District: D1 (High Density)
- Character Overlay District: Main St
- Lot Area: 7,068 SF
- Max. FAR: 700% or 900% w/ Planned
   Project Affordable Housing Premium
- Max. Building Height: 180'
- Streetwall: 4 stories (max.) or 2 stories (min.) w/ 5' offset @ top of streetwall







# **353 S MAIN**

#### MASSING OPTIONS



**OPTION 1: 10-STORY** 

- Steel frame, concrete podium
- +/- 90 units
- FAR: ~900%



#### **OPTION 2: 6-STORY**

- Stick-built, concrete podium
- +/- 50 units
- FAR: ~550%

\*Both options provide for an active ground floor on Main & William and off-site parking



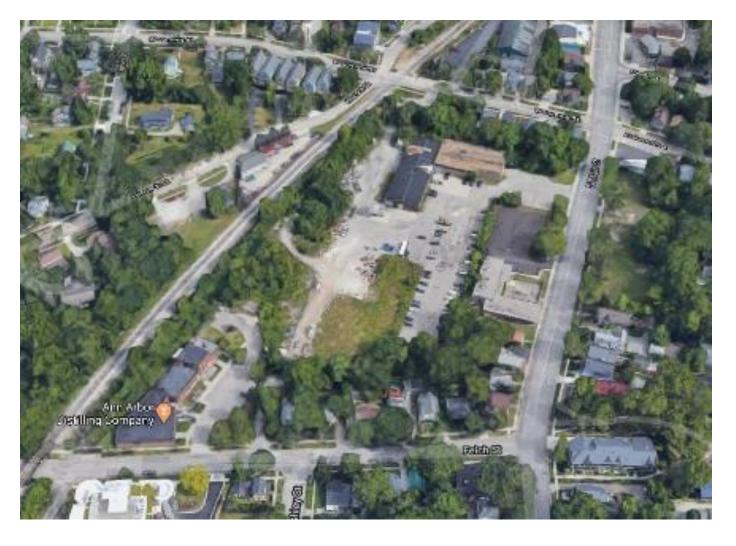


# **123 W SUMMIT**

#### CONTEXT



123 W Summit



Floodway and Floodplain

721 North Main



Potential Developable Parcel



# 123 W SUMMIT

#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS & CONTEXT**

#### **ZONING REQUIREMENTS**

- Existing Zoning District: PL
- Total Lot Area: 229,185 SF
- Proposed Zoning District: C1
- New Lot Area: 14,520 SF
- FAR: 100%
- Max. Building Height: 35' (3 stories)







# 123 W SUMMIT

#### MASSING OPTIONS



**OPTION 1: APARTMENTS** 

3 stories, 35'

# of Units: 14



**OPTION 2: APARTMENTS** 

3 stories, 35'

# of Units: 19



**OPTION 3: TOWNHOMES** 

2 stories, 25'

# of Units: 7

\*All options provide for walk-up units along Summit and on-site surface parking





# 309 S ASHLEY

#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS & CONTEXT**

#### **ZONING REQUIREMENTS**

- Zoning District: D1 (High Density)
- Character Overlay District: Main St
- Lot Area: 53,750 SF
- FAR: 700% or 900% w/ Planned Project Affordable Housing Premium
- Max. Building Height: 180'
- Streetwall: 4 stories (max.) or 2 stories (min.)







# 309 S ASHLEY

#### MASSING OPTIONS

#### **OPTION 1: KEY DOWNTOWN PARKING SITE**

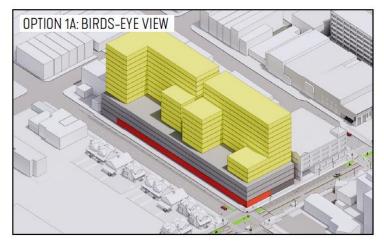


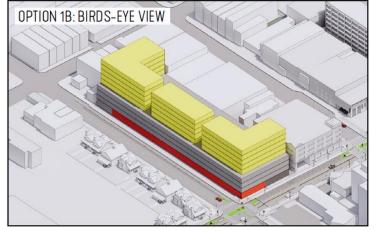


#### OPTION 2: <u>NOT</u> A KEY DOWNTOWN PARKING SITE

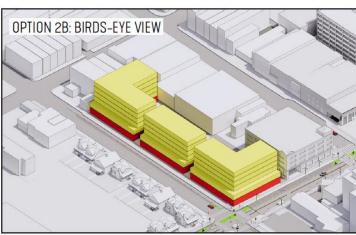












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#### Virtual Rooms

The Main Room



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All people who live, work and/or spend significant time in Ann Arbor are invited to attend these online virtual engagement sessions. Participants are invited to virtually attend one or more sessions. Each session will afford the opportunity to provide feedback on all four sites.

The city is currently in the conceptual design phase. The graphics and information provided are intended to spur discussion and feedback from the community.

#### **SCHEDULE**



**SURVEY OPENS** 

Monday, September 28, 2020

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# THANK YOU

for joining us this evening!



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