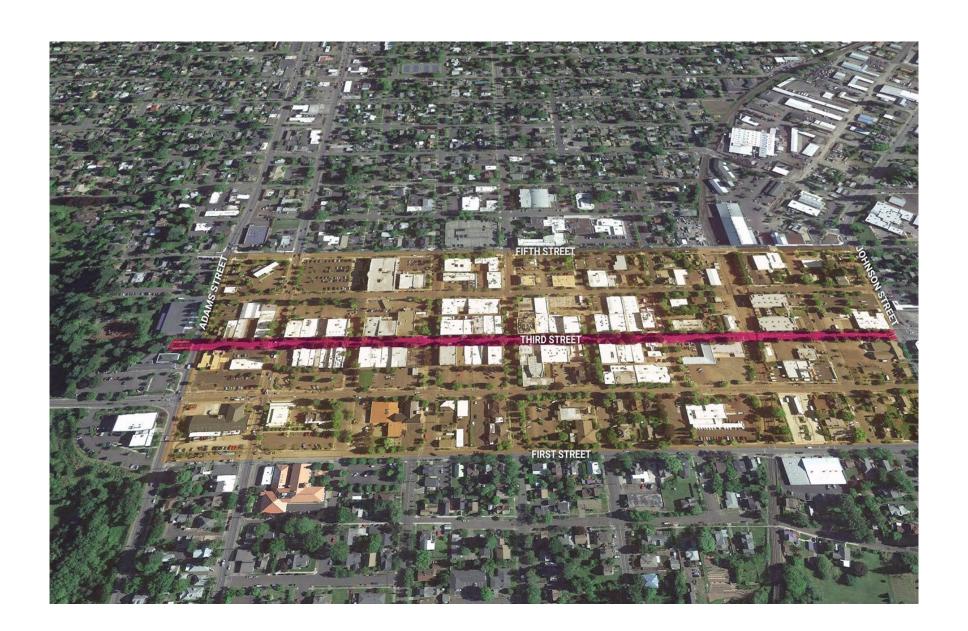
McMinnville 3rd Street Streetscape

Street Tree Alternatives
& Design Theme Alternatives

Project Advisory Committee Review 04/25/2022

PAC Meeting #5 :: **Agenda (25 April 2022)**

1000a	Welcome, Schedule Refresher, and Recap (ALL)
1010a	Street Tree Alternatives (SERA)
1100a	Design Theme Alternatives (SERA)
1145a ALL)	Upcoming Public Meetings, Survey (SERA and



3rd Street Streetscape Conceptual Design :: **Project Timeline**

Dec 2021	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022
B1. Functional Alternatives		•				
	B2. Tree Alternatives				•	
		B3. Design Theme Alternatives			•	
					B4. Initial Design Review	
					C1. Preferred Design Alternative	•
						C2. Conceptual Cos Forecast
						C3. Review of Preferred Design
TAC (12/6)	TAC (1/11-12)			TAC (4/14)	TAC (TBD)	TAC (TBD)
PAC (12/13)	PAC (1/24)	PAC (2/28)		PAC (4/4 and 4/25)	PAC (TBD)	
					Community Forum (5/3)	Community Forum (TBD)
					Online Survey (5/2 - 5/13)	Online Survey (TBD)
					MURAC / City Council (5/10)	MURAC / City Counc

Three Design Phases

LAST MONTH'S TOPIC

To Do:

Advise on the Preferred Functional Alt.



FUNCTIONAL ALTERNATIVES

- What mobility space do you prefer?
- How is the 60-ft width divided up?

TODAY'S TOPIC

To Do:

Advise on the Street Tree Alternatives



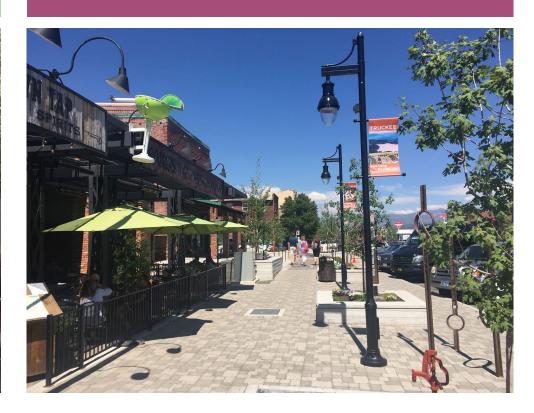
STREET TREE ALTERNATIVES

- Spatial arrangement
- Species selections
- Planting variety

TODAY'S TOPIC

To Do:

• Advise on the Design Theme Alternatives



DESIGN THEME ALTERNATIVES

- Elements of a streetscape
- Design Family options

What We Heard Last Time (4/4/22)

Street Tree Concepts

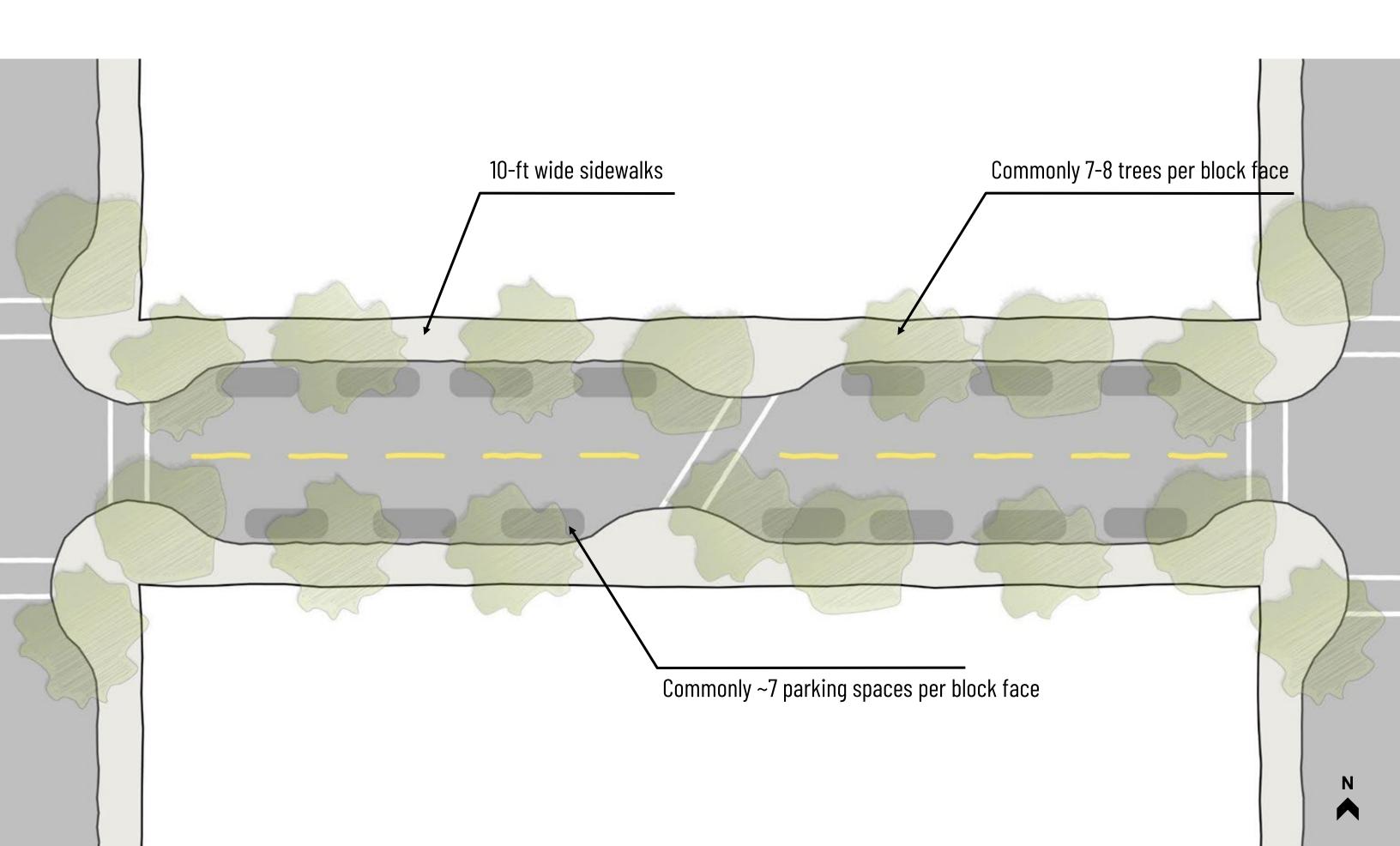
- Include both Grove and Linear alternatives
- Maintain the 'tunnel' effect that exists today
- Questions regarding tree consistency vs. diversity
- Better demonstrate the alternatives' relationship to building visibility
- Ensure that "twinkle lights" will work with any concept

Design Theme Alternatives

- Lean into the historic nature of Downtown / Third Street
- Determine what, if any, existing fixtures can be re-used or emulated
- Determine a strategy for the commemorative / memorial items (plaques)

Preferred Functional Alternative Sidewalk Pockets

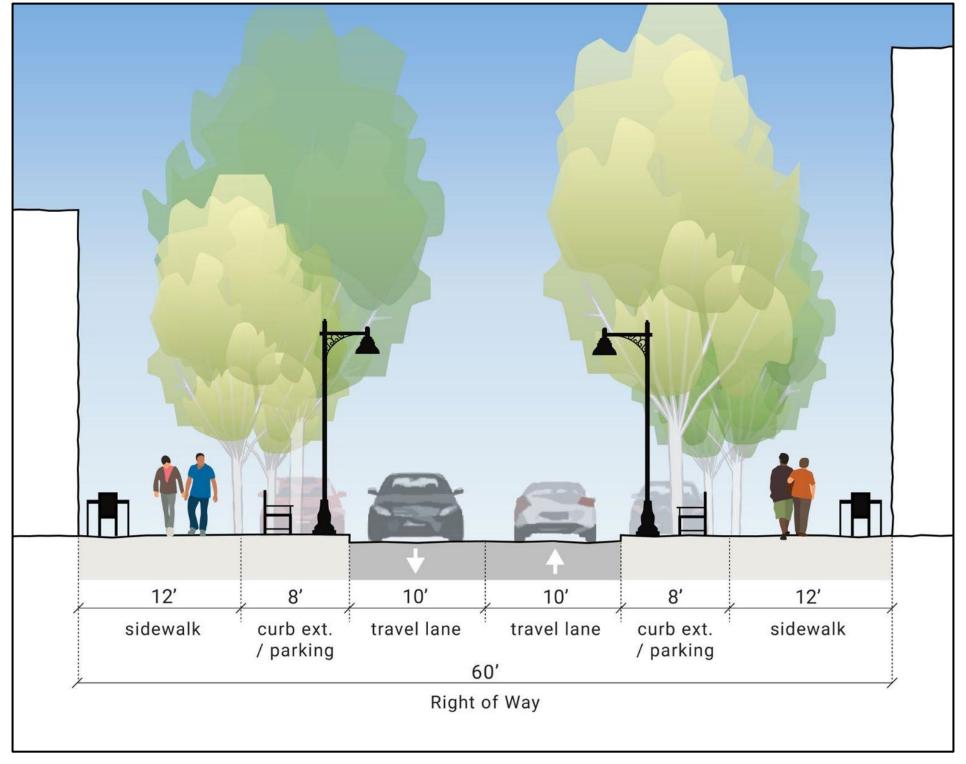
Existing Condition



Preferred Functional Alternative :: A Design to Improve Upon Your Existing

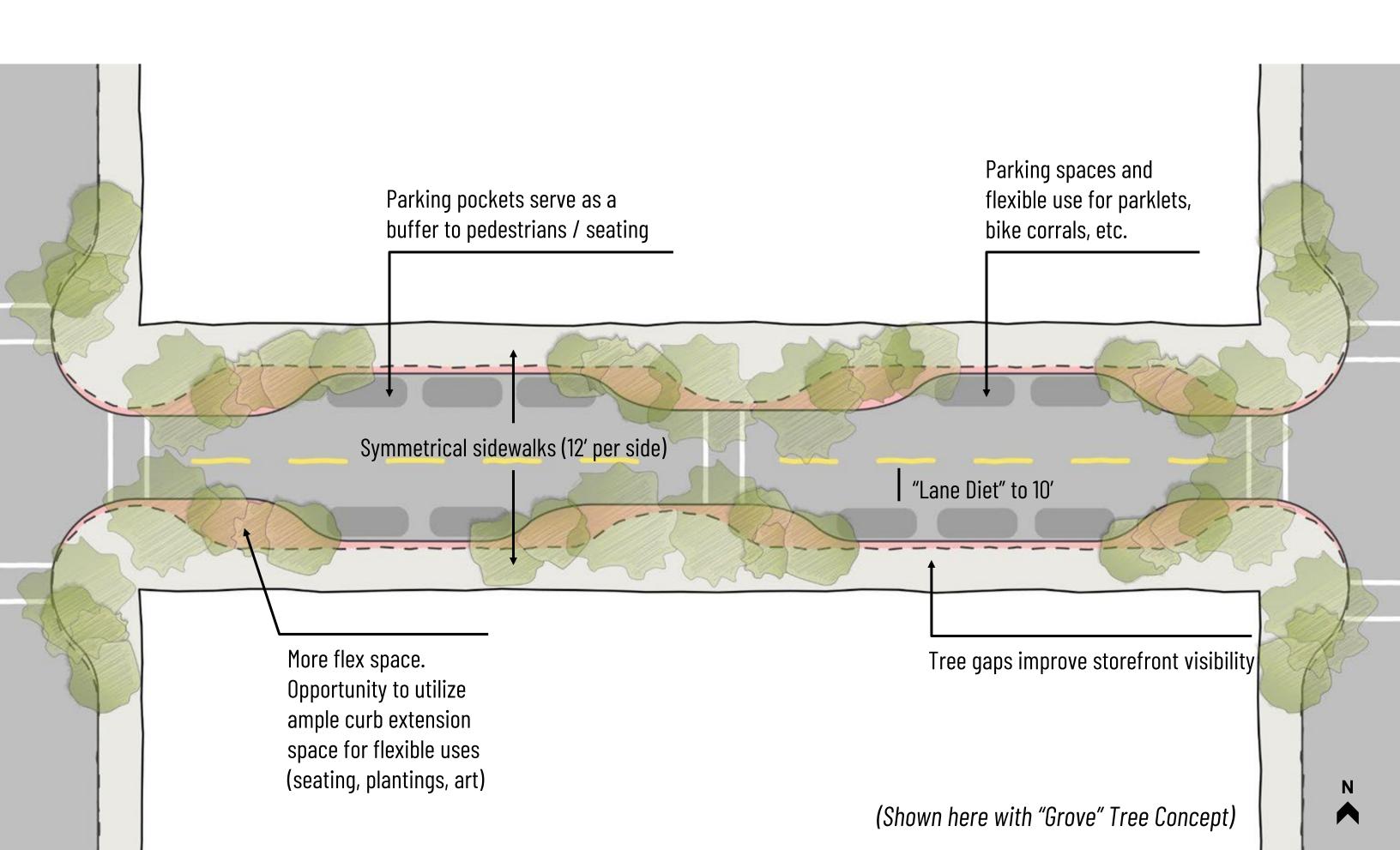


Preferred Functional Alternative :: Sidewalk Pockets (A Person-Centered Main Street)



Familiar layout that improves upon what works well today
 Large curb extensions create seating, art, tree, dining spaces
 Balanced / symmetrical design equally serves both sides of the street
 Tree planting "Grove" option highlights historic buildings

Preferred Functional Alternative :: Sidewalk Pockets (A Person-Centered Main Street)



Street Tree Alternatives Species, Urban Form, Etc.

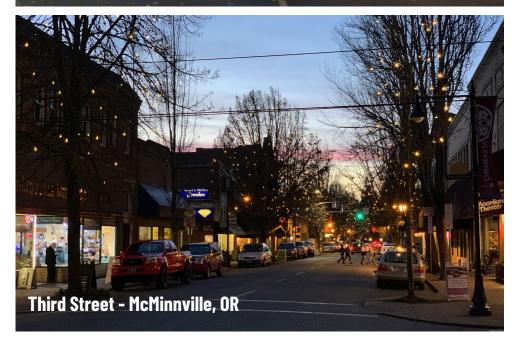
Groves :: Street Tree Design Principles

- Create a diverse streetscape.
- Create a streetscape that gets better with age.
- Highlight and frame the historic architecture along Third Street.
- Preserve the tunnel effect created by street trees.
- Utilize lights as vertical elements along Third Street.
- Increase symmetrical qualities of street trees.
- Strive to work within the City's list pre-approved street tree species.
- Include species that enhance ecological function.
- Leverage the Grove Concept so that if a tree dies or needs to be cut down, there's not a gaping hole because there are adjacent species.
- Include species that will have the greatest seasonal interest, for example:
 - Flowering, Bark, Summer Canopy, Fall Color, Winter Rain Capture/Protection
- Select species that allow the attributes of adjacent species to stand out (i.e., fall color stands out best against a green backdrop).

Street Character :: Ornamental / Decorative Lighting















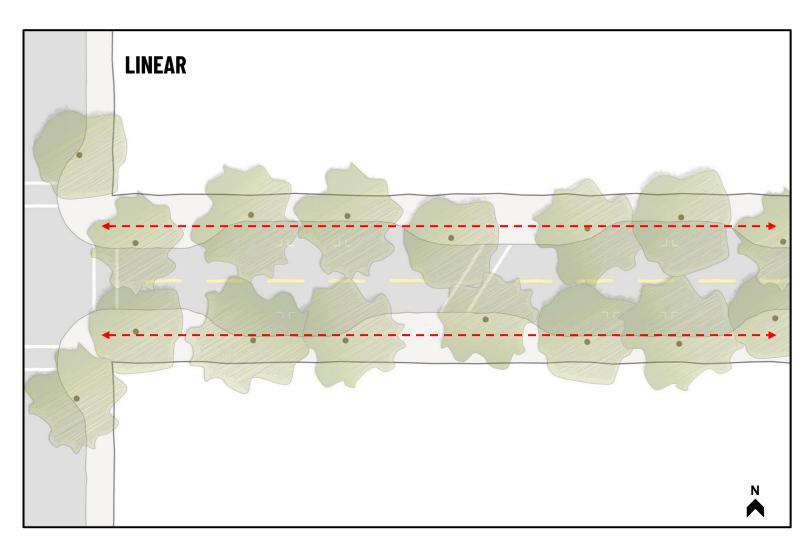




Two General Street Tree Concepts :: Linear and Grove

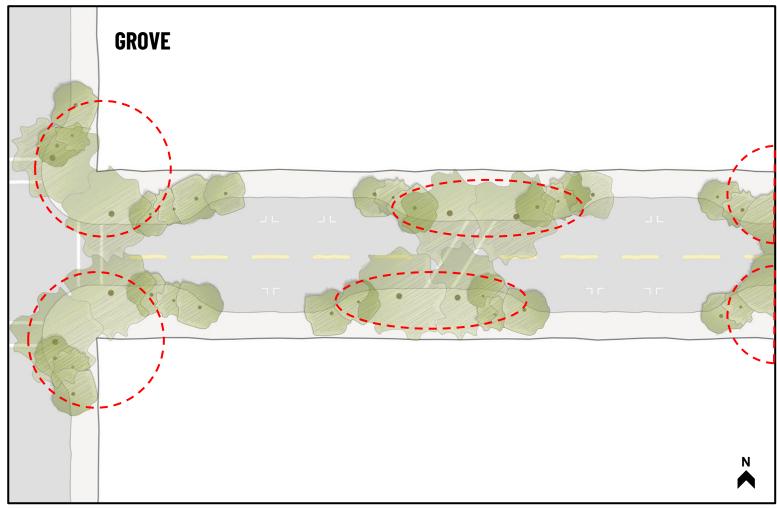
LINEAR

- Continues existing street tree pattern
- Longitudinal spacing that is structured/orderly and creates a canopy spread along the entire street.



GROVE

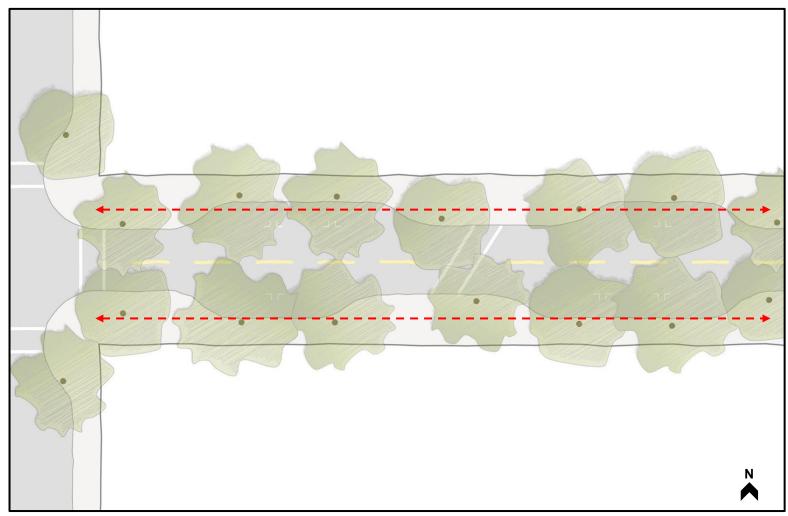
- Concentrates trees in wider curb extension areas.
- Employs a variation of tree species to create a lush/dense effect.







Linear Concepts :: **Overview**



TREE DESIGN

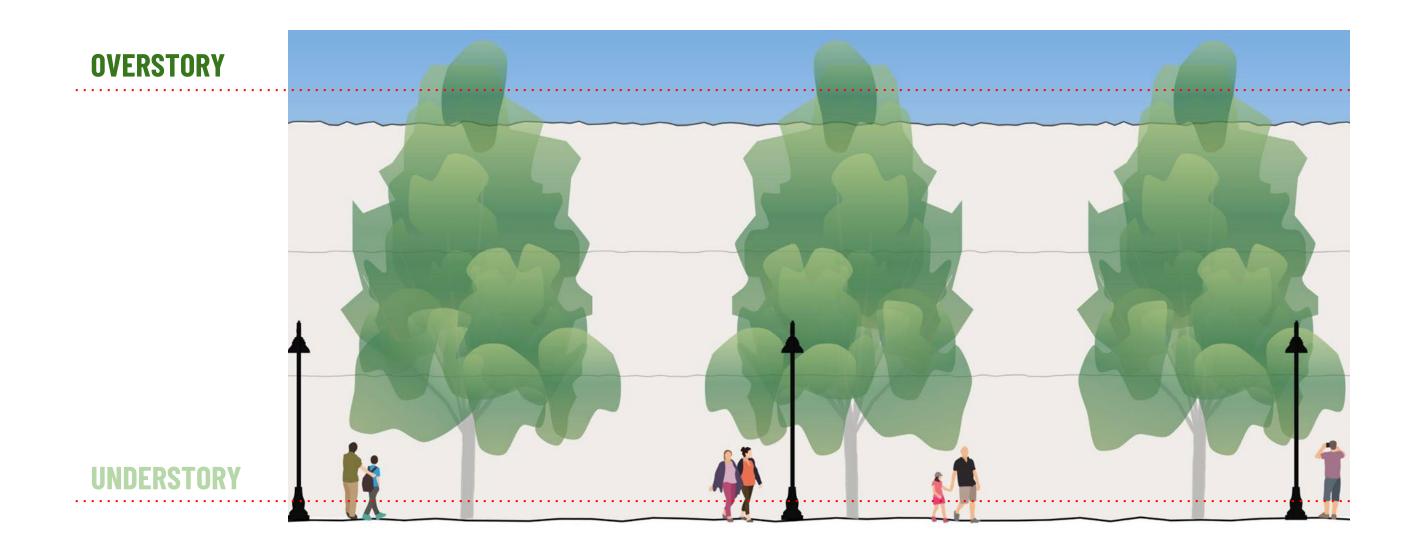
- Longitudinal spacing that is structured/orderly and creates a canopy spread along the entire street.
- Employs 1-2 tree species for consistency.
- Consistent story/height.

HUMAN EXPERIENCE

- Tree canopy shade is evenly distributed along street.
- Consistency and familiarity to existing tree condition.



Linear Concepts :: **Spatial Structure**



Linear Concepts :: Streetscape Examples







Seattle NW 23rd Ave - Portland Second Ave - Walla Walla

Linear Concept A :: Single Species

Given the success and popularity of Third Street's current trees, this concept closely replicates the current scheme with a primary species of red maple. Given time, this will eventually fill-in to form the desired tunnel effect and accommodate twinkle lights in the ways that residents currently appreciate.



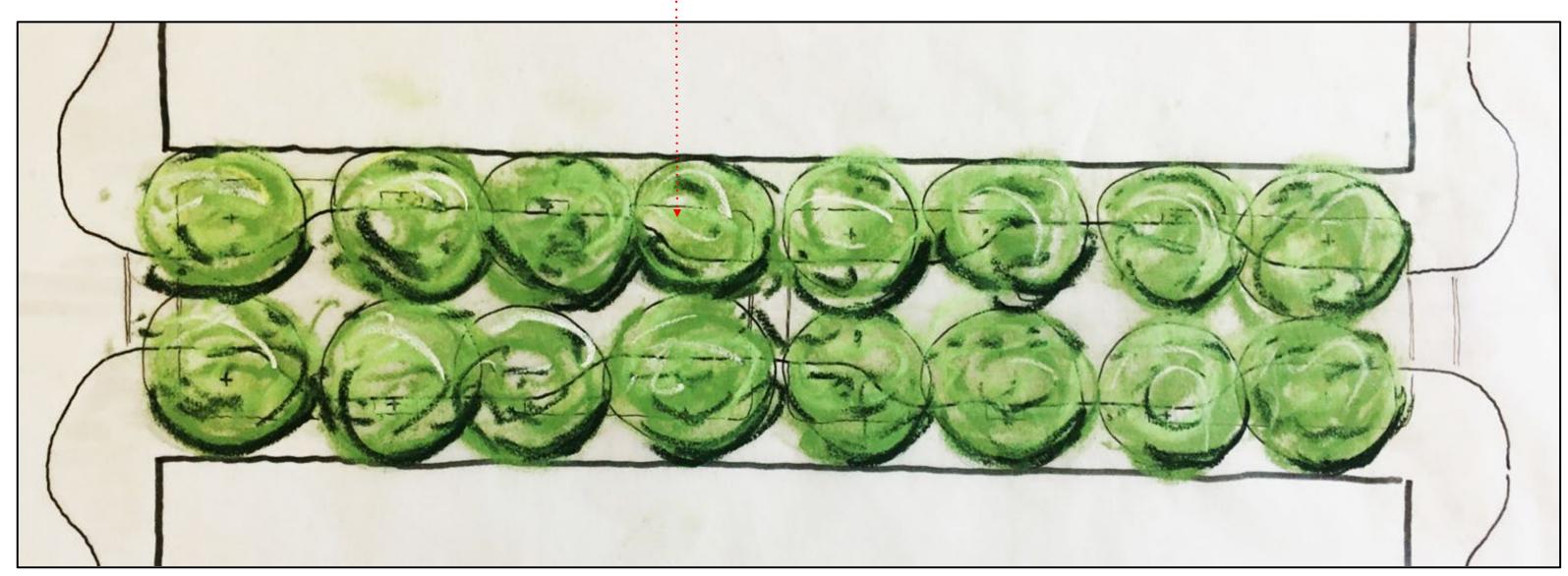




Linear Concept A :: Single Species



Deciduous - e.g., Red Maple



Linear Concept A :: Single Species

OVERSTORY



Deciduous - e.g., Red Maple



UNDERSTORY

Linear Concept B :: Mixed Species (2-4 varieties)

Building on the success of the current streetscape and the new opportunity the larger bump-outs offer, this concept keeps the trees in a linear procession but adds diversity at the bump-outs. In fact, larger trees can be added and centered in the bump-outs to further amplify the tunnel effect.









Linear Concept B :: Mixed Species (2-4 varieties)



Large - e.g., Oak



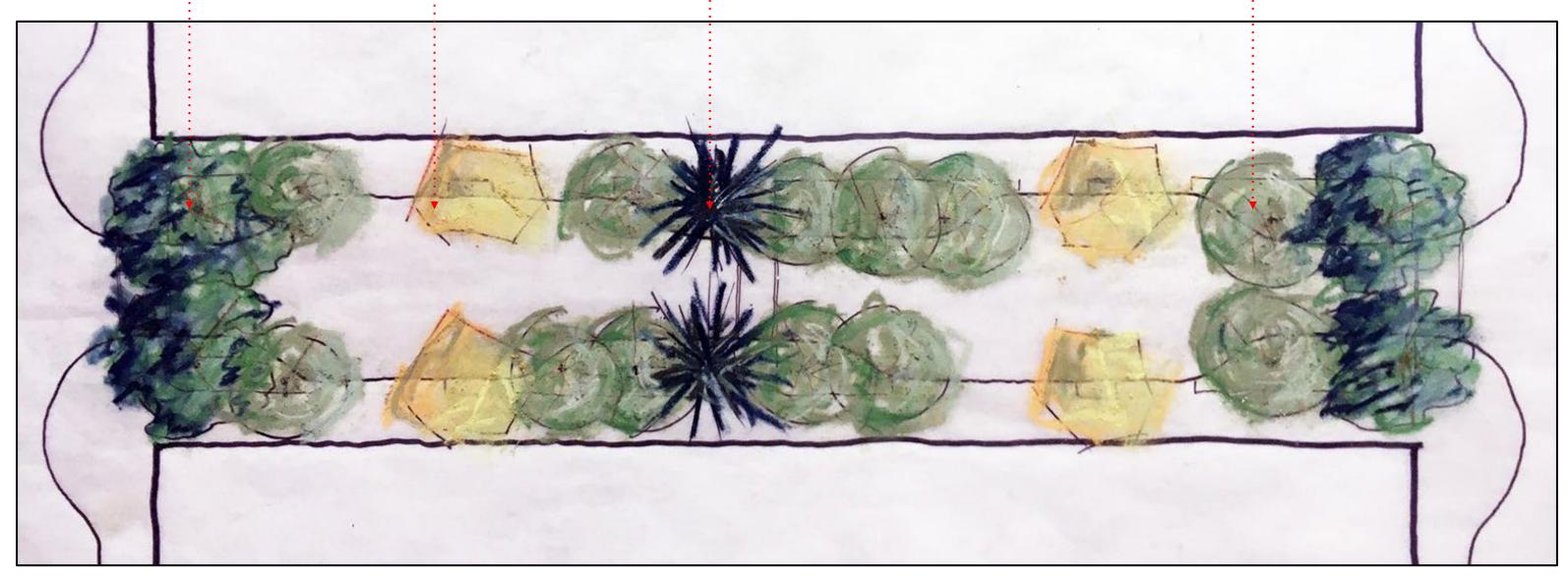
Deciduous Ornamental - e.g., Snowbell or Redbud



Conifer- e.g., Lodgepole Pine



Deciduous Medium - e.g., Iron Wood or Yellow Wood



Linear Concept B :: Mixed Species (2-4 varieties)

OVERSTORY





UNDERSTORY





Linear Concepts :: **Evaluation**

PROS

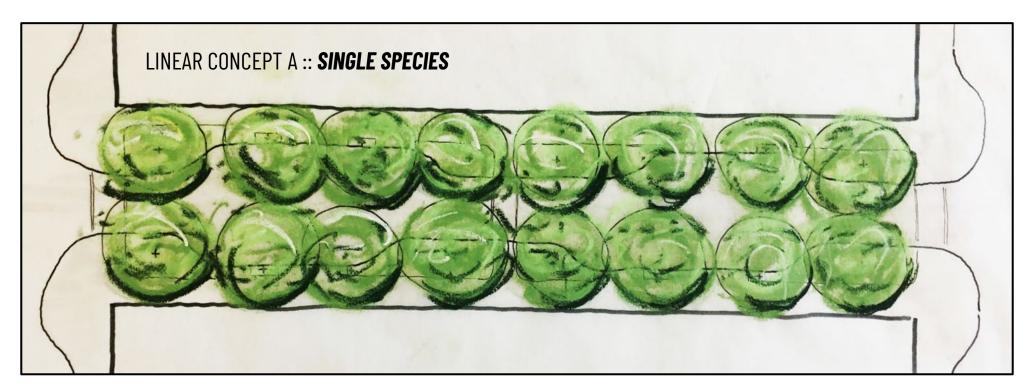
- Consistent to existing street tree condition.
- Traditional approach to trees on Main Streets.
- Tree canopy shade is evenly distributed along street.

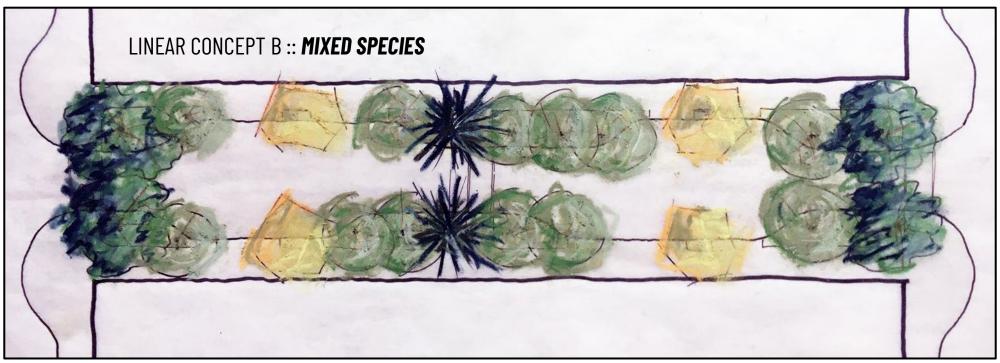
CONS

- Building facades are largely covered and closed off due to street trees.
- Homogeneity of tree species reduces habitat and resiliency.

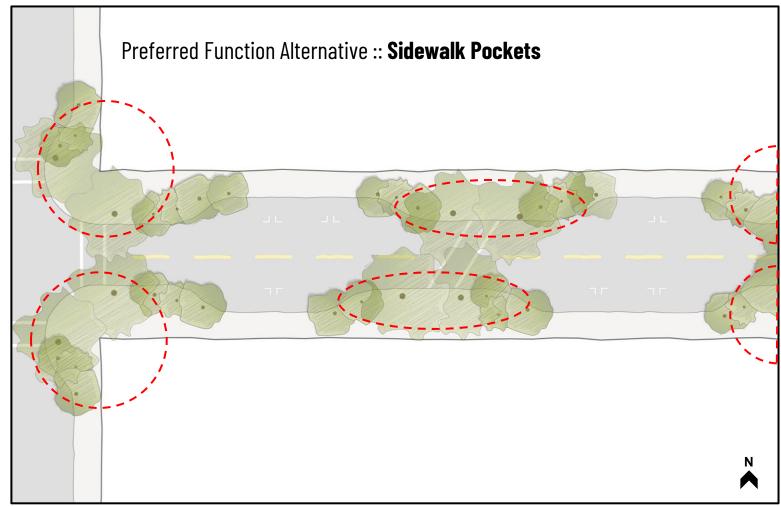
Linear Concepts :: Questions

- Of the two Linear Concepts, which do you prefer: **Single Species** or **Mixed Species**?
 - If we went with the Mixed Species concept, would you prefer two or three or four species?





Grove Concepts :: Overview



TREE DESIGN

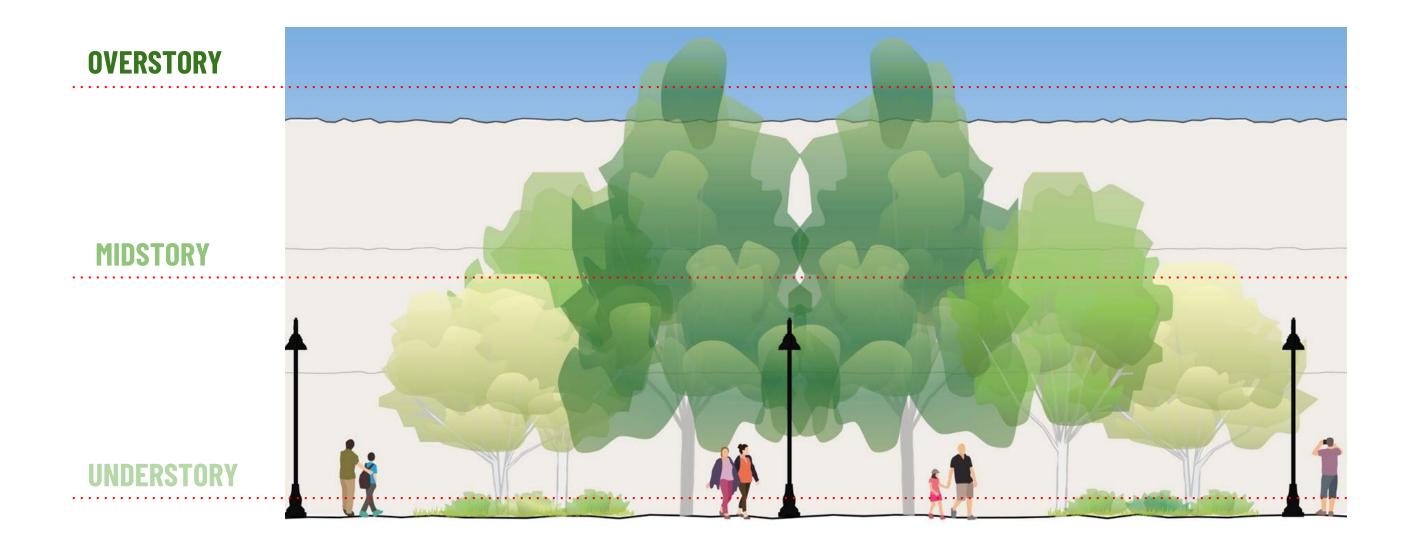
- Concentration of trees that vary in species, height, spread.
- Limited to wider curb extension areas.
- Employs a variation of tree species to create a lush/dense effect.
- Utilizes a range of upper/middle/lower story layering.
- Planting space at base of groves.

HUMAN EXPERIENCE

- Opens building architecture up to the street.
- Concentrates shade at gathering areas.
- Opportunity for other forms of vertical elements.



Grove Concepts :: **Spatial Structure**



Grove Concepts :: Streetscape Examples







Bell St - Seattle



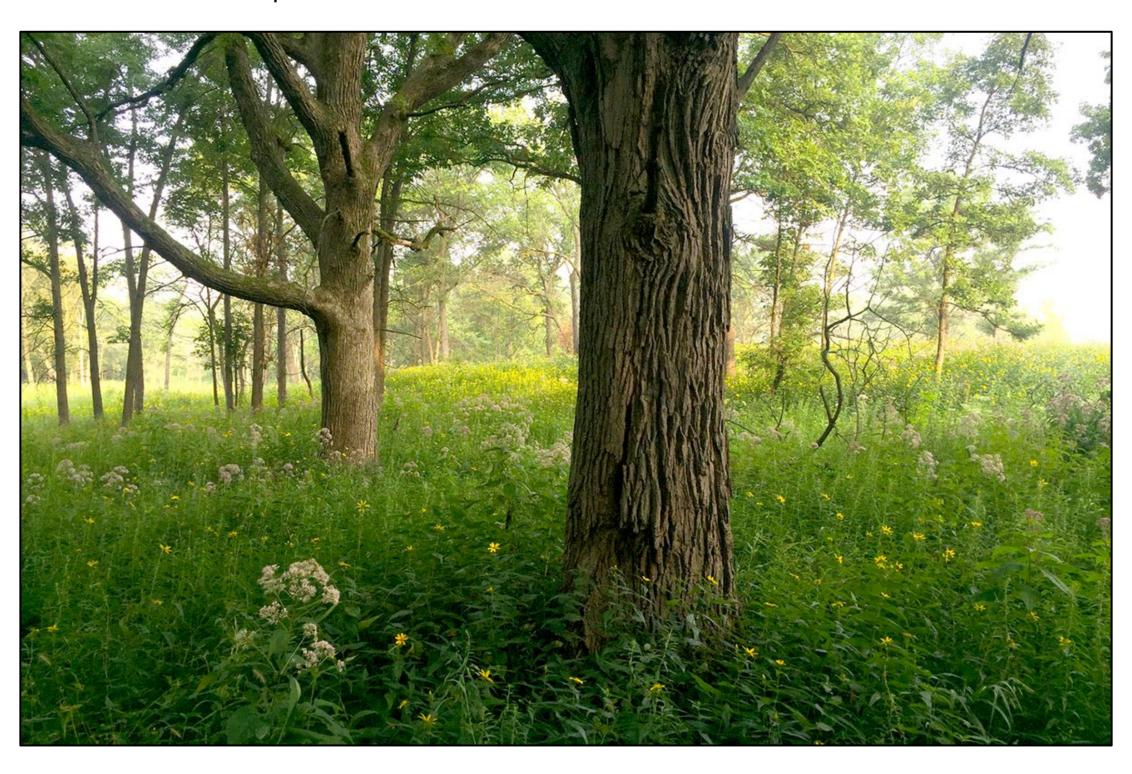
8th Ave - Arbor Blocks - Seattle



Main Street (Grand Junction, CO)

Grove Concept A :: Oak Savannah / Prairie

The Oak Savannah Prairie is an historical ecosystem characterized by a predominance of grasses and perennials with clusters of trees. According to research, this ecosystem probably was located where downtown McMinnville is today. Relying heavily on lower plantings, the Savannah version of the Grove Concept would have the least amount of trees, but would further show off the historical architecture.



Grove Concept A :: Oak Savannah / Prairie



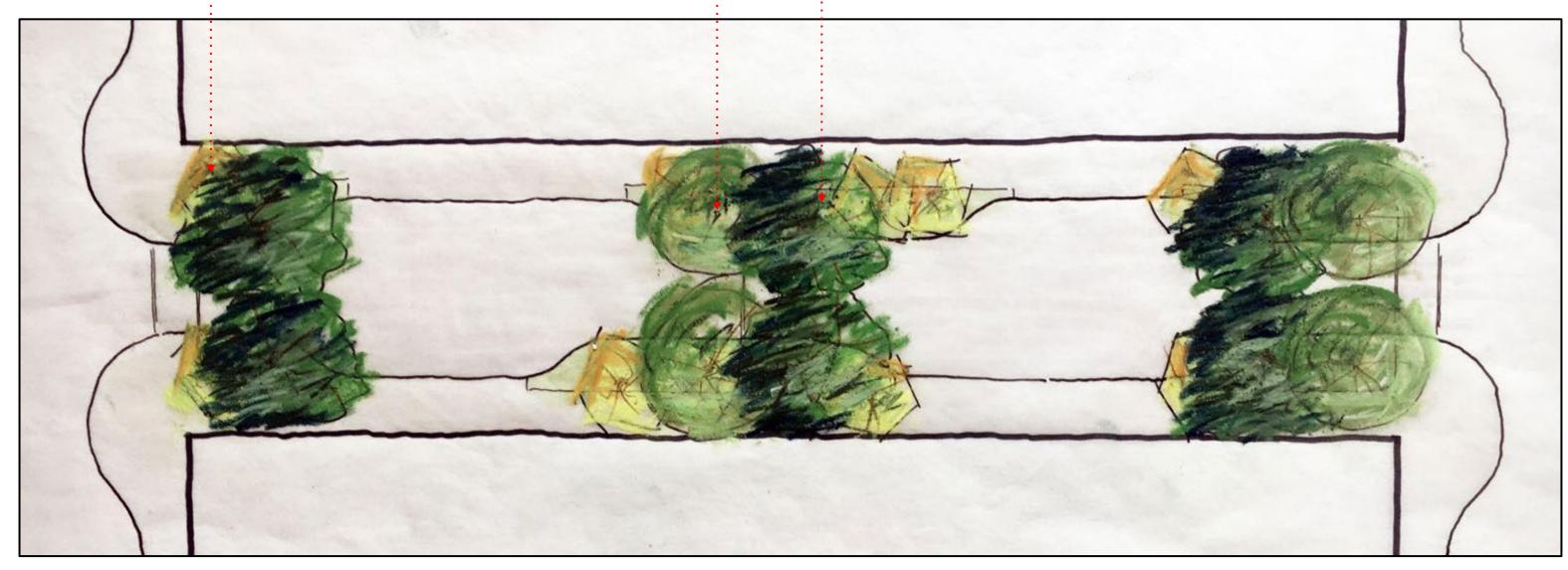
Understory - e.g., Redbud or Snowbell



Canopy - e.g., Mardrone



Specimen - e.g., Oak



Grove Concept A :: Oak Savannah / Prairie

OVERSTORY





MIDSTORY



UNDERSTORY





Grove Concept B :: Open Mountain Woodland

With more trees than the Oak Savannah, the Mountain Woodland still provides a low, open understory of grasses, perennials, and ferns. The mixture of tree species plays off one another: The bark, flowers, and fall color of the smaller deciduous trees really stand out against larger, denser conifers. The conifers provide a foundation, gateway, habitat, and extra rain cover year-round.





Grove Concept B :: Open Mountain Woodland











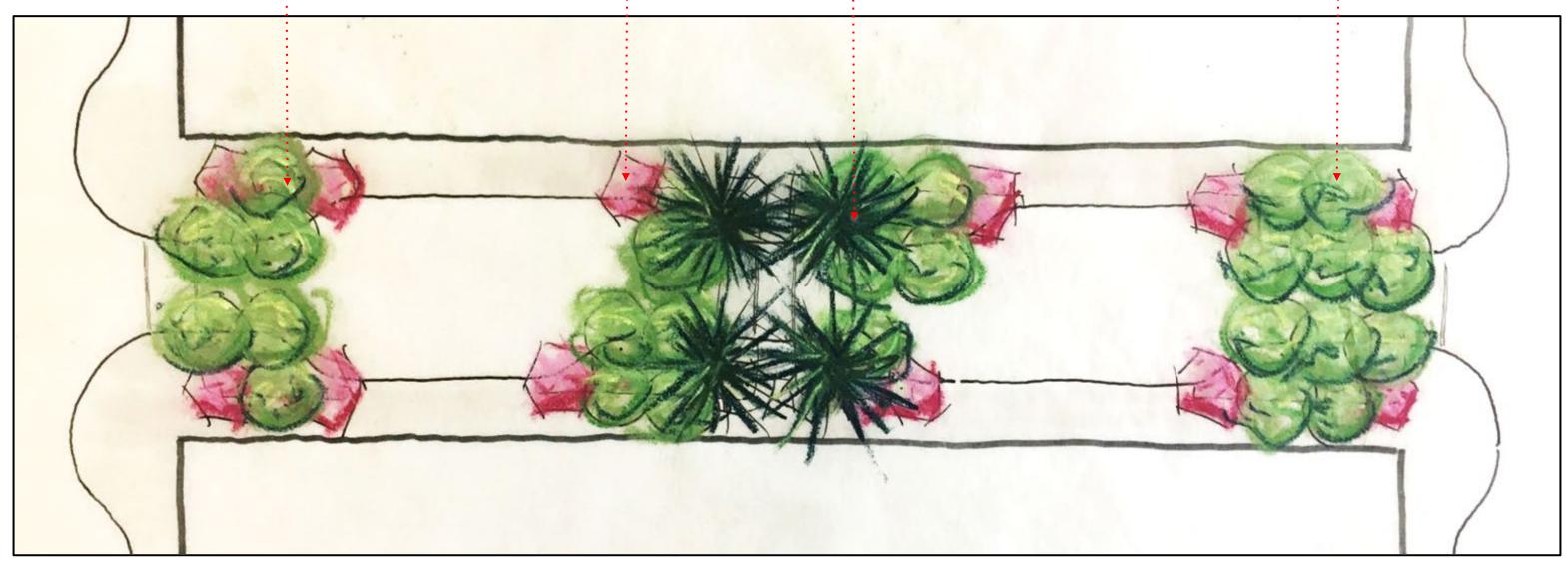


Deciduous - e.g., Birch or Hornbeam

Understory 2 - e.g., Dogwood or Redbud

Conifer - e.g., Lodgepole Pine

Understory 1 - e.g., Vine Maple or Witchhazel



Grove Concept B :: Open Mountain Woodland

OVERSTORY







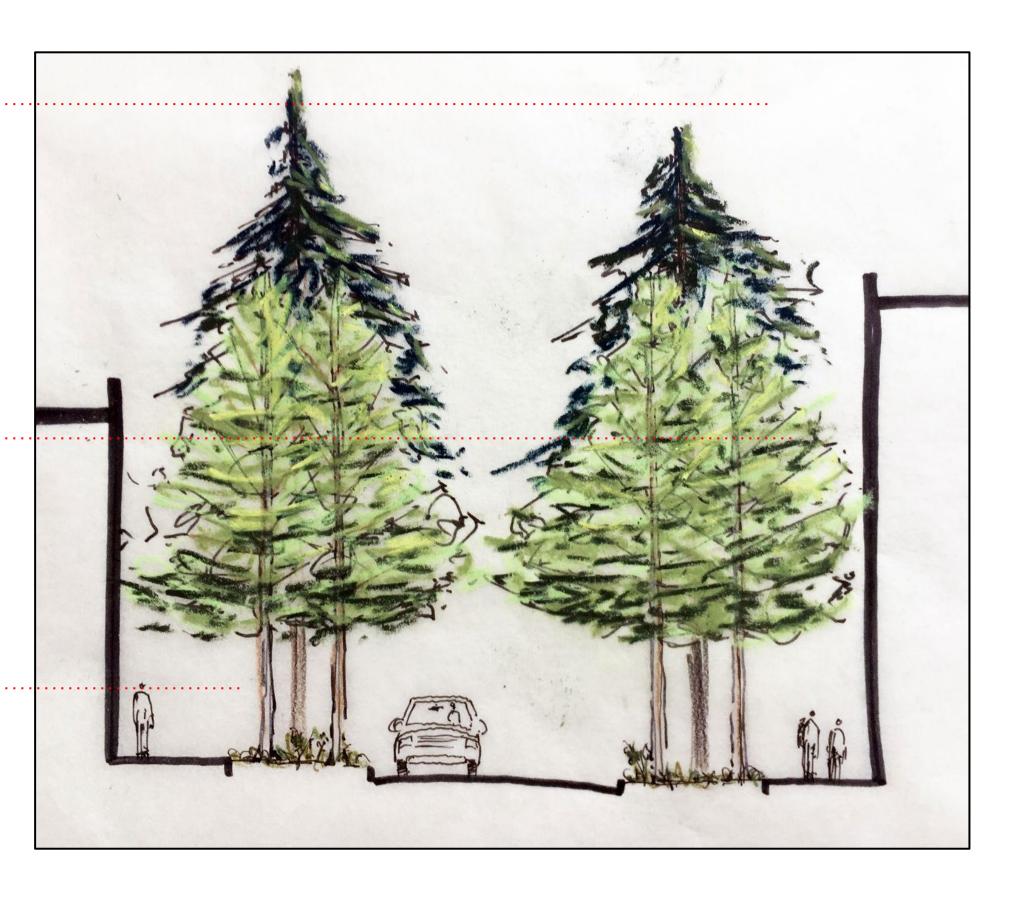
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UNDERSTORY





Grove Concepts :: **Evaluation**

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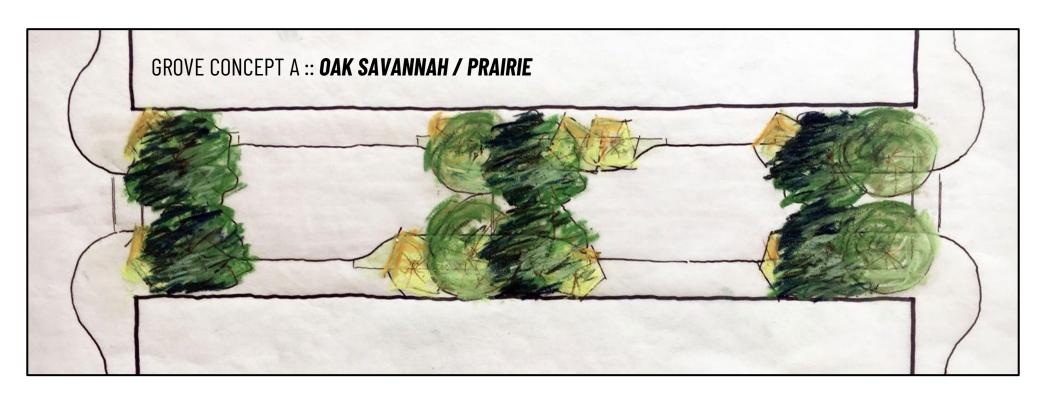
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- Opens some building architecture up to the street.
- Opportunity for understory plantings at the base of groves.

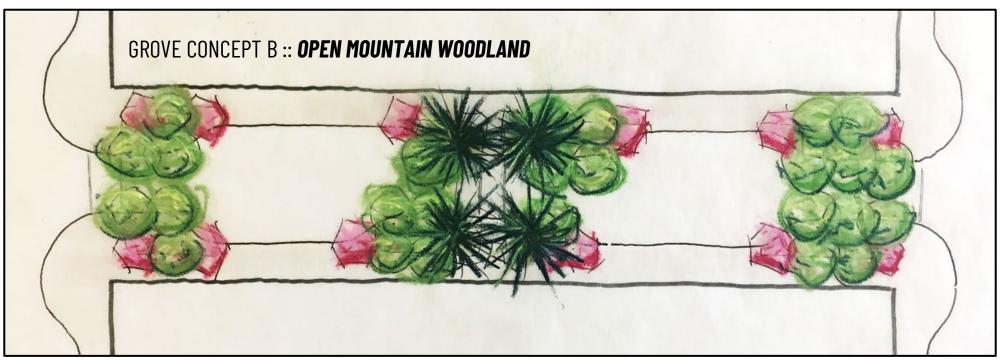
CONS

- Limited to wider curb extension areas.
- Shade is concentrated rather than evenly dispersed throughout the street.
- Differs from the existing street tree condition.

Grove Concepts :: Questions

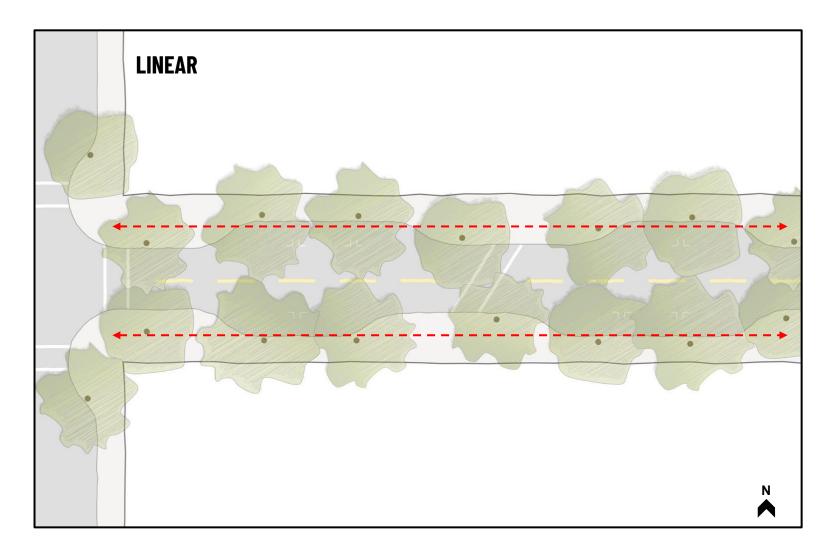
- Of the two Grove Concepts, which do you prefer: Oak Savannah / Prairie or Open Mountain Woodland?
 - Would you prefer the trees to be symmetrical across the street (north-to-south) or asymmetrical?

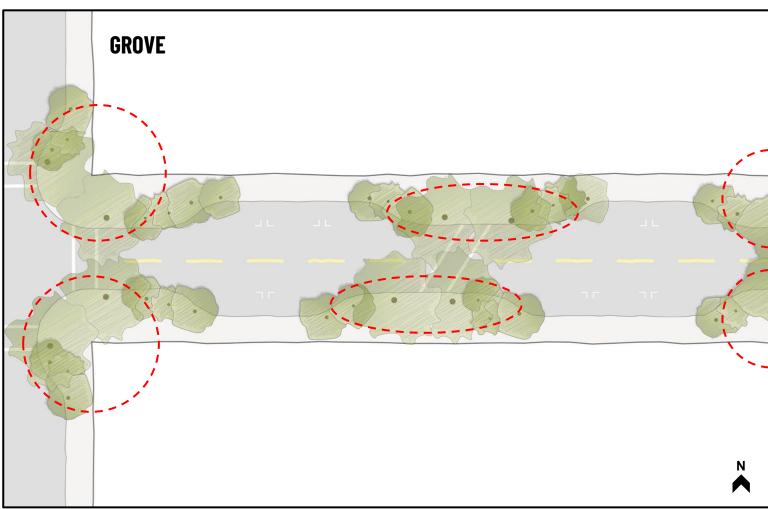




Overall Tree Concept :: Questions

- Of the two overall concepts, which do you prefer: Linear or Grove?
- Would you support flowering trees as part of the streetscape?
- Would you support conifers / evergreens as part of the streetscape?
- Would you prefer the branches/foliage to be more dense or lighter?





Design Theme AlternativesFurnishing Concepts

Design Theme Alternatives Objective

The intent of these design theme alternatives is to emulate the existing, beloved street fixtures that the community values and treasures while simultaneously updating the fixtures for McMinnville's future generations to enjoy.

Existing Fixtures :: **Seating**









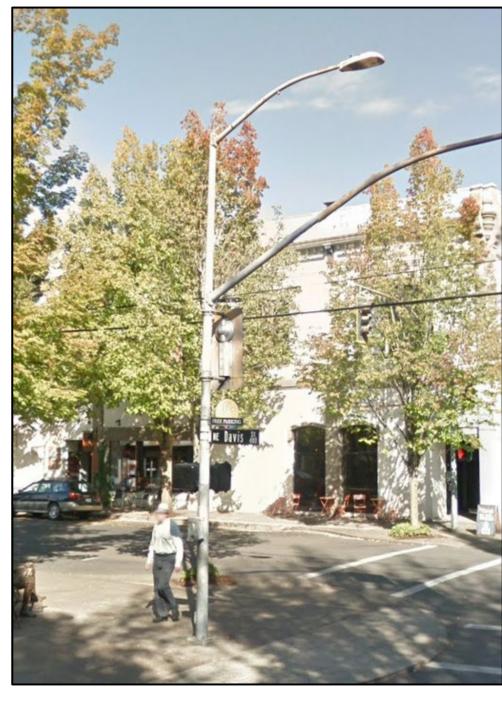




Existing Fixtures :: Lighting







Existing Fixtures :: Waste Receptacles, Bike Racks







Existing Fixtures :: **Kiosk**



Existing Fixtures :: **Planters**













Existing Fixtures :: **Memorial Plaques**





Considerations for Design Theme Alternatives

Materials:

- a. Sidewalk paving
- b. Streetscape paving
- c. Tactile paving

• Furnishings:

- a. Benches
- b. Planters
- c. Bike racks
- d. Waste receptacles
- e. Tree grates

Vertical Elements:

- a. Street lights
- b. Kiosks
- c. Sculptural elements tree alternative
- d. Gateways
- e. Signage

Design Theme Alternatives Overview

Blends in with and complements the historic and traditional character of Third Street.





HISTORIC ORNAMENTAL

Emphasis on detail, accents, and flare.

Intricate lines and elaborate forms.

HISTORIC MINIMAL

Unembellished and unornamented.

Cleaner lines and simple forms.

Design Theme AlternativesHistoric Ornamental

Design Theme Concept A :: Historic Ornamental

This concept pays tribute to the long-standing history of McMinnville's Third Street. Furnishings of this concept are classic and traditional, with ornamentation and usage of cast iron.



Design Theme Concept A :: *Historic Ornamental* - Materials Palette



Design Theme Concept A :: Historic Ornamental - Furnishing Family







Planters

Waste Receptacle









Lighting Bike Rack

ack Water Fountain

Tree Grate

Design Theme Concept A :: *Historic Ornamental* - Precedent Images





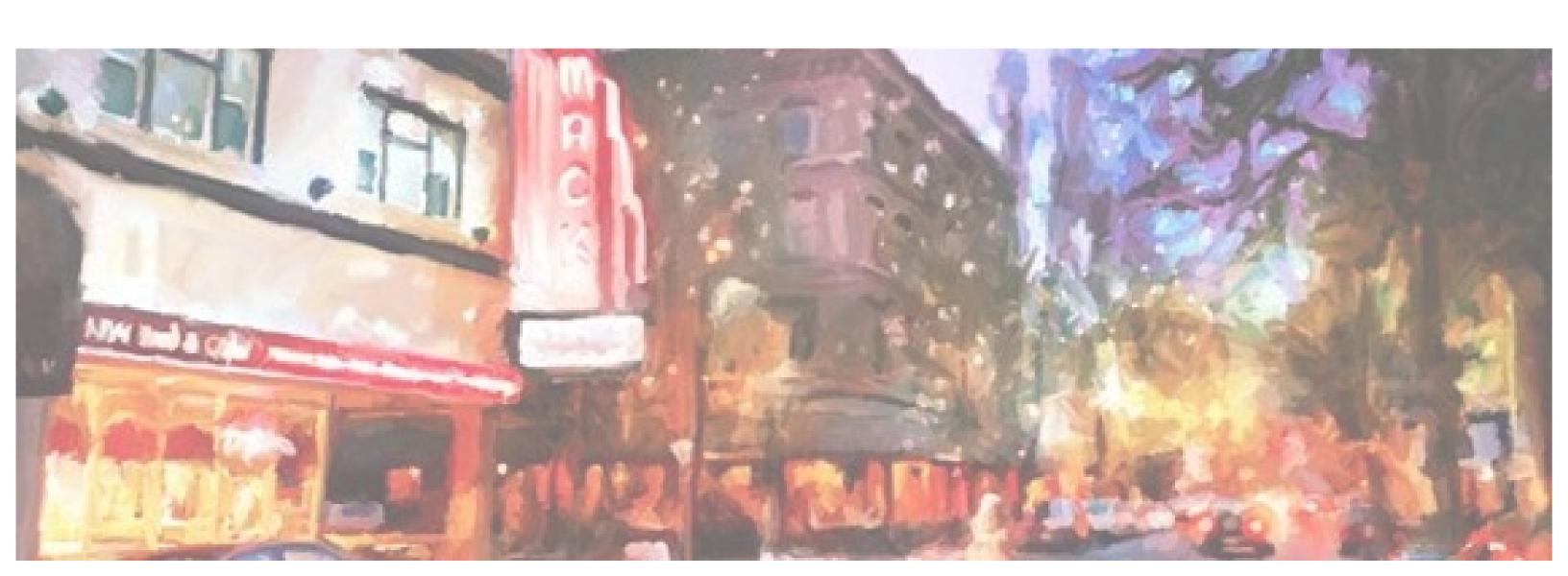




Design Theme AlternativesHistoric Minimal

Design Theme Concept B :: Historic Minimal

This concept demonstrates historic furnishings in a minimalist condition, with clean lines and basic colors and materials. Generally the furnishings fade into the background so as to let the architecture and thriving businesses of Third Street stand out.



Design Theme Concept B :: *Historic Minimal* - Materials Palette



Design Theme Concept B :: *Historic Minimal* - Furnishing Family



Design Theme Concept B :: *Historic Minimal* - Precedent Images







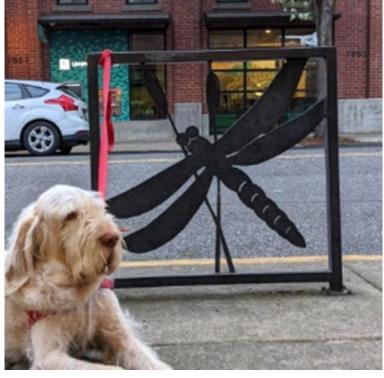




Design Theme Alternatives: Additional OpportunitiesFunctional Art

Functional Art :: Bike Racks

















Functional Art :: **Benches**



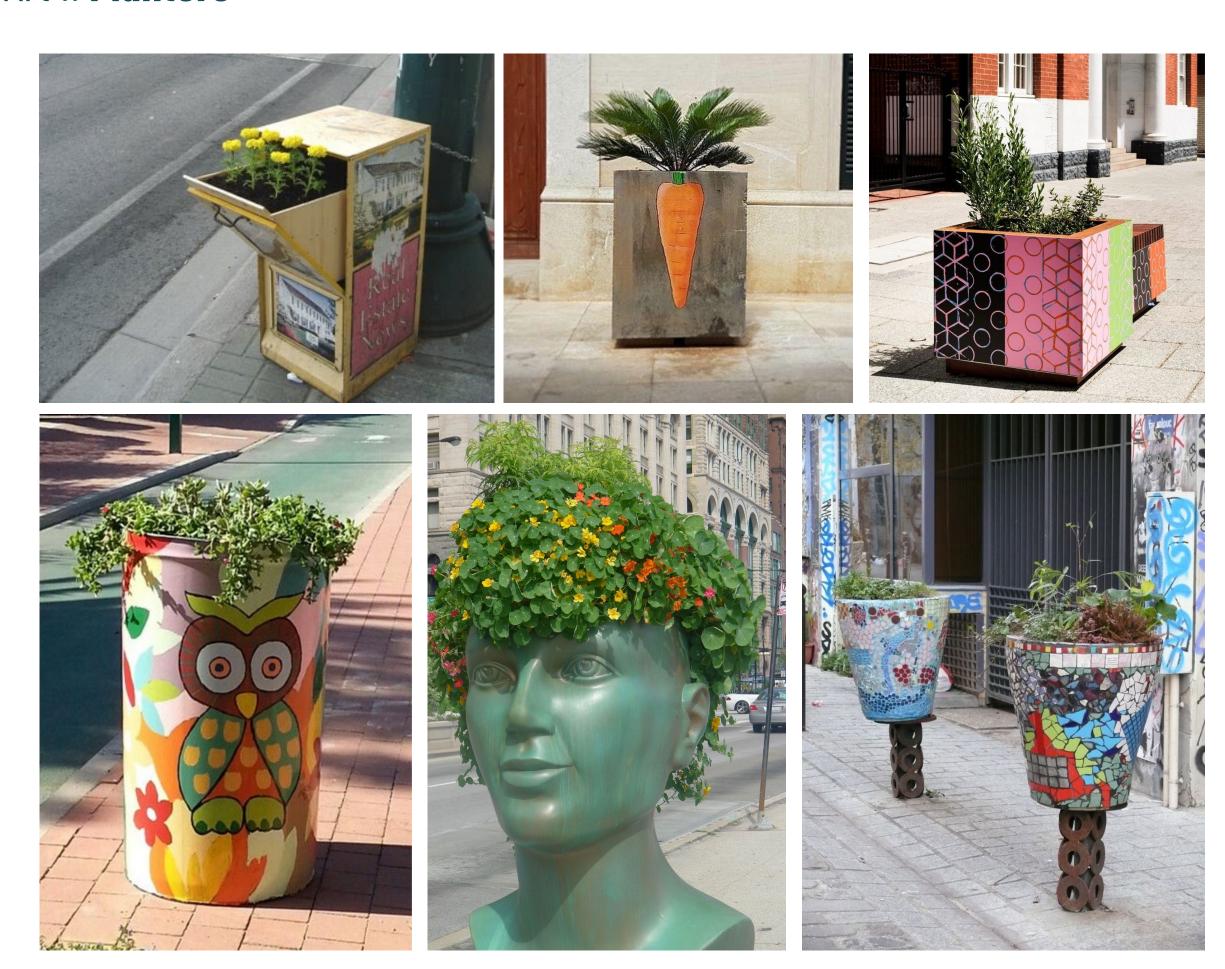




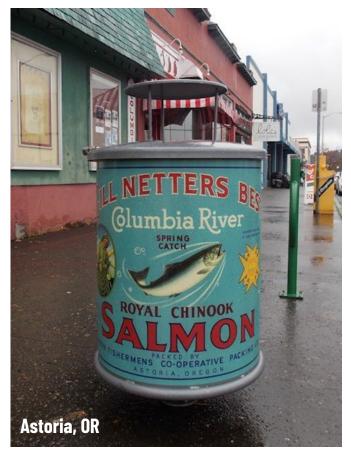




Functional Art :: **Planters**



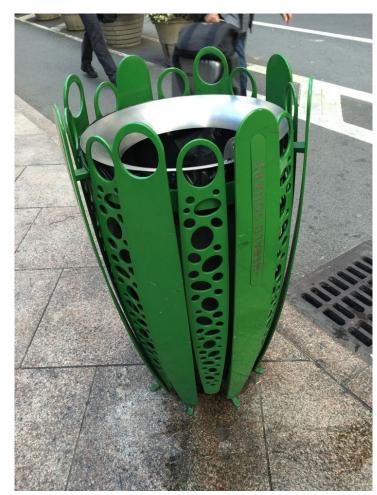
Functional Art :: Waste Receptacles

















Design Theme Alternatives :: **Review**

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Design Theme Alternatives :: Questions

- Of the two concepts, which do you prefer: Ornamental or Minimal?
- If you liked elements from both concepts, what elements would you mix and match together?
- Of the different lighting options, which do you prefer: Acorn or Crook Arm or both?
- Is there a particular **functional art** piece that you are most interested in seeing on Third Street?

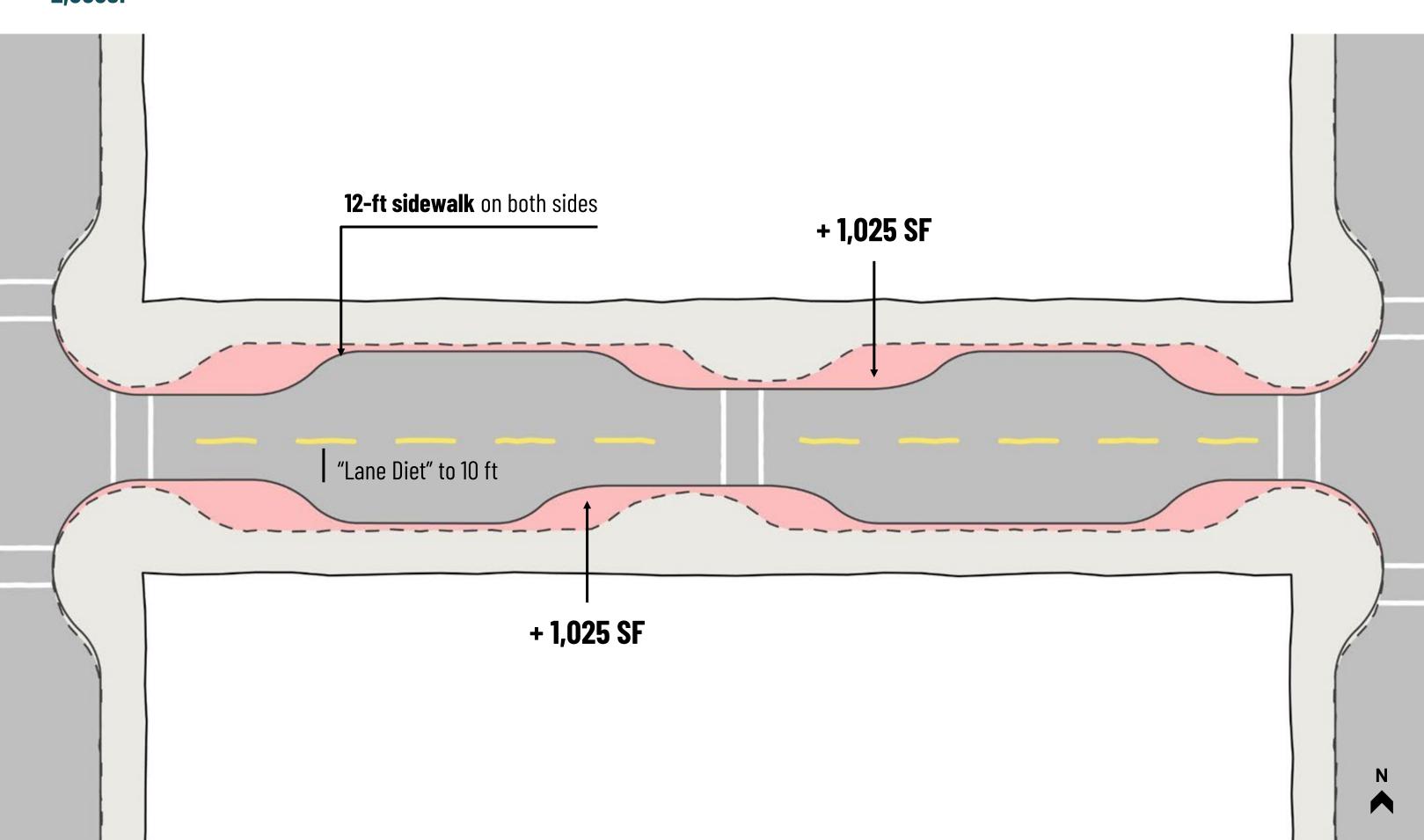




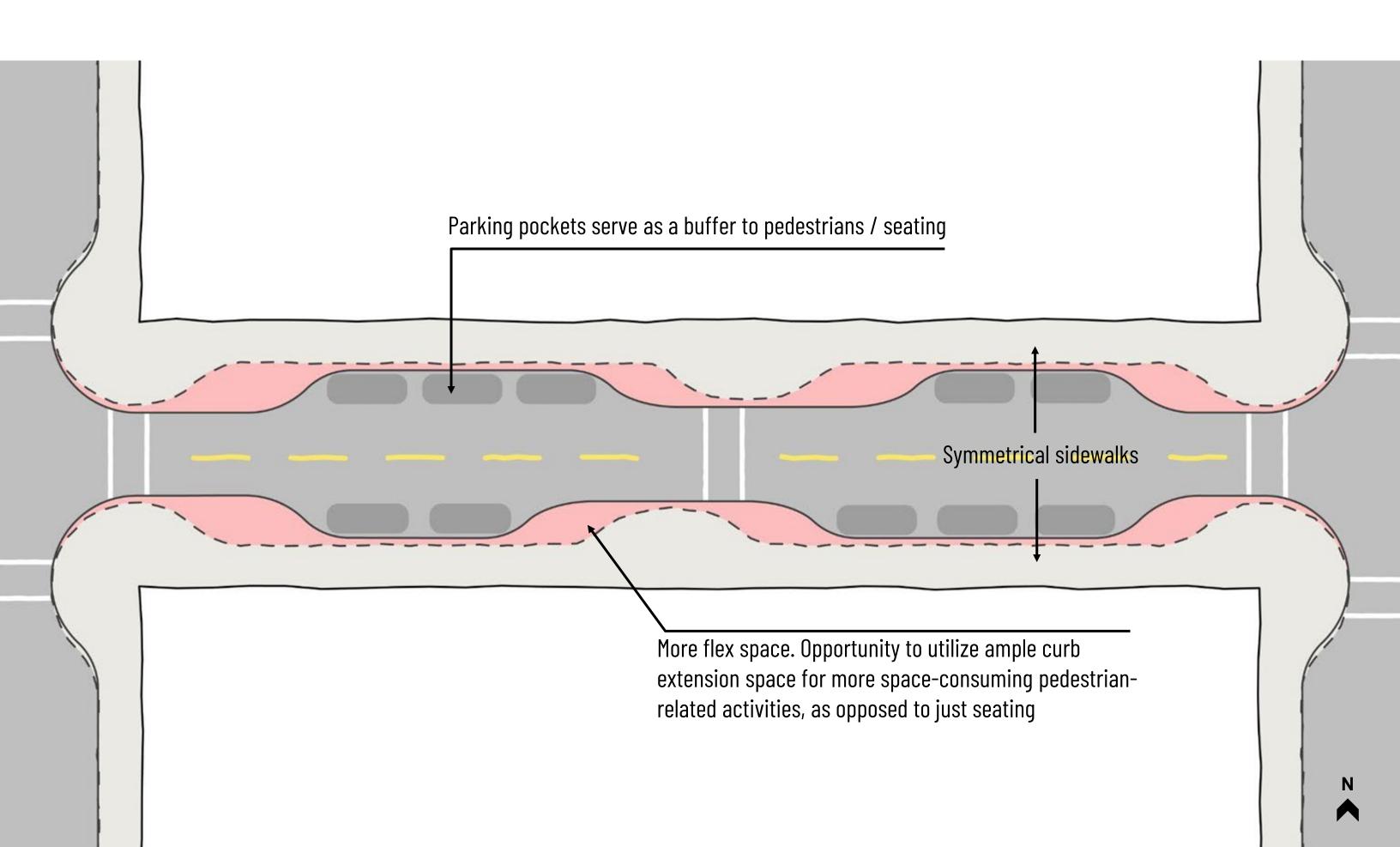
APPENDIX

Concept 2c :: Sidewalk Pockets - Sidewalk Space

+ **2,050sf**



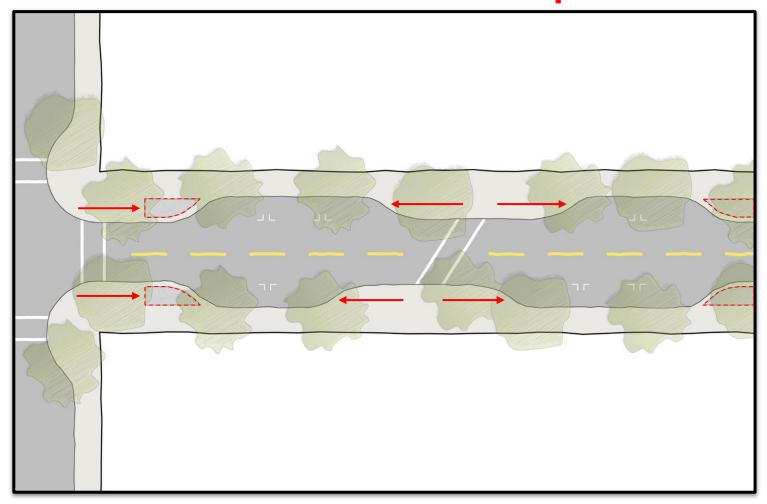
Concept 2c :: Sidewalk Pockets - Sidewalk Design



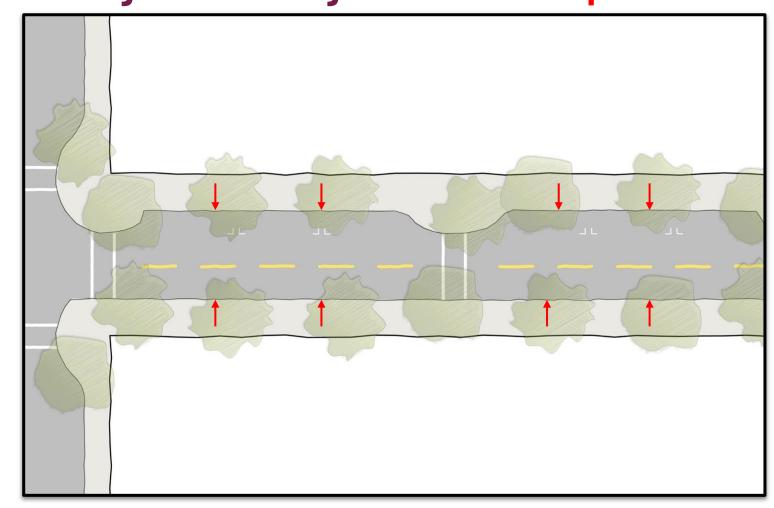
Parking StudyPreliminary Findings

Potential Parking Reduction in Shortlist Alternatives

2b: Sidewalk Pockets - remove 4 of 14 spaces / block



4a: Single-Side Parking - remove 7 of 14 spaces / block



Preliminary Parking Study Findings

Side Street Supply

- AREA: Cowls, Davis, Evans, and Ford between 2nd and 4th; 2nd and 4th between Cowls and Ford
- EFFICIENCY GAIN: Approx. 14 more parallel spaces available by restriping (and corner buffers and "yellow gaps")
 - Potentially ~20 more parallel spaces when adding Galloway Street and reducing space length to 22' (from 25')
- LOADING ZONES: Approx. 3-6 more parallel spaces available by hours-restricting Loading Zones
- OTHER STRATEGIES (not in Parking Study): Compact Spaces, Driveway Consolidation, No-Stripe Spacing

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Downtown McMinnville Parking Assessment Memorandum - DRAFT

Downtown McMinnville Parking Assessment

Parking Assessment Study Area



The study area for the Side Street Angled Parking Assessment examining the feasibility of potential parallel parking efficiencies strategies and/or implementing angled parking was performed on the side streets of Cowls Street, Davis Street, Evans Street, and Ford Street between 4th Street and 2nd Street in downtown McMinnville, Oregon. Parking inefficiencies were examined on Cowls Street, Davis Street, Evans Street, Ford Street, 4th Street, and 2nd Street to determine if additional parking could be provided based on modifications to parking geometrics, signing, and striping.

Preliminary Parking Study Findings

Angled Parking Study

- EXISTING: ~12 parallel spaces per block
- ANGLED WITH EXISTING CURBS: ~5 spaces per block
- ANGLED WITH CURB MODIFICATIONS: ~8 spaces per block

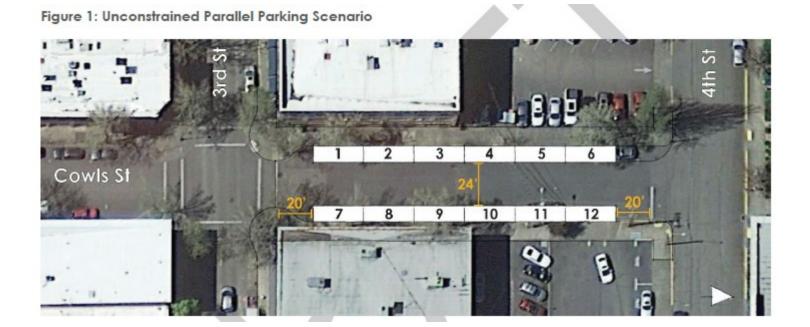


Figure 2: Angled Parking Maintaining Existing Curbs

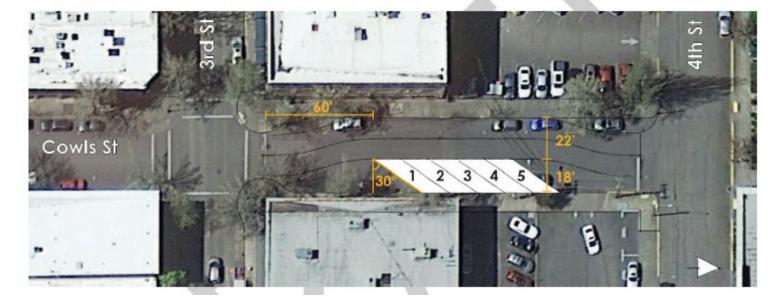
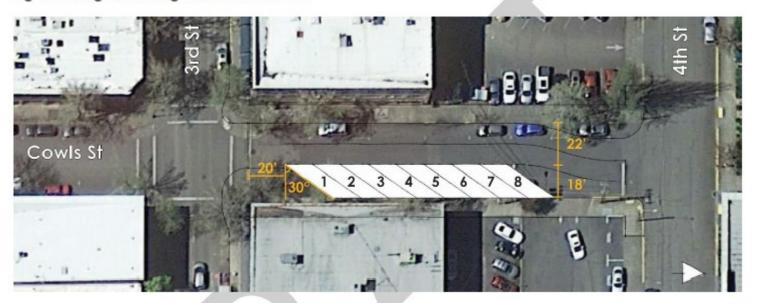


Figure 3: Angled Parking Curb Modifications



Tree Species - City List - Recommended

Medium

Typically:

Mature height of 25-40 feet

Minimum planting strip width: five feet.

Spaced to provide a continuous canopy at maturity.

Cherries and Pears

Flowering Pear (varieties such as Pyrus calleryana Capital, Aristocrat, Redspire, Trinity)

Sunset, October Glory, Autumn Spire)

Flowering Cherry (varieties such as Prunus serrulata

Kwanzan, Royal Burgundy, Yoshino) Sargent Cherry Prunus sargentii

Ginkgo (male variety) Hackberry

Japanese Pagoda Tree Katsura Tree

Sawleaf Zelkova Tulip tree

Ginkgo biloba Celtis occidentalis Sophora japonica Cercidiphyllum japonica Zelkova serrata Liriodendron tulipifera

Small Trees

Typically:

Small or narrow stature trees (less than 25 feet in height).

- · Minimum planting strip width: four feet.
- Spaced to provide a continuous canopy at maturity.
- Appropriate for planting underneath overhead utility lines.

Cherries and Plums

Flowering Cherry (varieties such as: Prunus sargentii

Okame, Akebono, Accolade, Rosea, and Mt Fuji)

Flowering Plum (varieties such as: Thundercloud, Allred, Mt. St. Helens)

Prunus x blireiana

Maples

Tartarian Maple Acer tataricum **Trident Maple** Acer buergeranum Japanese Maple (varieties over 20' tall) Acer palmatum

Other

Flowering Dogwood Forest Pansy Redbud Japanese Tree Lilac Tall Stewartia

Cornus florida/kousa

Cercis canadensis 'Forest Pansy'

Syringa reticulata Stewartia monadelpha

Maples

Norway Maple (varieties such as Acer platanoides

Cleveland, Crimson King, Deborah) David's Maple Acer davidii Hedge Maple Acer campestre Red Maple (varieties such as Red Acer rubrum

Other

American Hophornbeam Ostrya virginiana Eastern Redbud Cercis canadensis European Hornbeam Carpinus betulus Goldenrain Tree Koelreuteria paniculata Honeylocust (thornless variety) Gleditsia triancanthos 'inermis'

Betula jacquemontii Jacquemontii Birch Japanese Snowbell Styrax japonicus Pacific Dogwood Cornus nuttallii

Tricolor Beech Fagus sylvatica 'Tricolor'

Yellow Wood Cladrastis lutea

Large Trees

Typically:

- Large trees with mature height over 40 feet.
- Minimum planting strip width: six feet.
- Spaced to provide a continuous canopy at maturity.

Other

Accolade Elm Ulmus japonica 'Morton' Bur Oak Quercus macrocarpa Chinese Elm, Alee and Athena Classic Ulmus parvifolia 'Emer I' and 'Emer II'

Chinese Pistache Pistachia chinensis

Tree Species - City List - Conditionally Approved, Prohibited

CONDITIONALLY PERMITTED STREET TREES -

The following trees are not generally recommended for use as street trees in that they may exhibit one or more of the following characteristics:

- Invasive root systems;
- Weak wood;
- 3. Branch patterns that cause visibility issues; or
- Susceptible to insect damage.

Use of these trees may be permitted under special circumstances and only after approval is granted by the Landscape Review Committee and only if the problems are satisfactorily met and accepted by the owner, and so noted on the approved plan.

Big leaf maple Acer macrophyllum – Very large

Birches Betula spp – Low branching, invasive roots, susceptible to aphids

Black Tupelo Nyssa sylvatica – Female varieties have small fruit

Box Elder Acer Negundo – Subject to wind damage

Conifers Needles, low branching

Elm, DED resistant Ulmus – Susceptible to pests and storm damage European Beech Fagus sylvatica – Some nuts, surface roots

Kentucky Coffee Tree Gymnocladus dioica – Litter Lindens Tilia, spp- Susceptible to aphids

London Plane Tree Platanus acerifolia – Large seed pods, aggressive roots

Magnolia Magnolia virginiana/soulangeana – Litter

Mountain ash Sorbus aucuparia – Litter

Pin Oak Quercus palustris – Low branching

Red Alder Alnus rubra – Short lived, brittle, pest prone

Scarlet Oak Quercus coccinea – Nuts Shumard Oak Quercus shumardii – Nuts

Silk Tree Albizzia julibrissi – Litter, aggressive roots

Silver Maple Acer saccarinum – Subject to wind damage, large surface roots

Sycamore Platanus acerifolia – Aggressive roots, prone to disease

Prohibited

- 1. Low or weeping branches which cause visibility problems;
- 2. Invasive root system which may damage underground utilities;
- 3. Subject to disease or insects;
- 4. Poisonous; or
- 5. Fruit drop which causes messy sidewalks and pavement.

Ash Emerald ash borer disease

Catalpas Catalpa spp
Cottonwoods, Poplars, Aspens Populus spp

Fruit trees All commercial and large fruiting varieties

Ginkgo (female variety)
Goldenchain Tree
Hawthorns
Locusts
Ginkgo biloba
Laburnum watererii
Crataegus spp
Robinia spp

Nut trees All commercial and fruiting varieties

Pin Oak Quercus palustris Sweetgums Liquidambar spp

Tree-of-Heaven Ailanthus Willows Salix spp

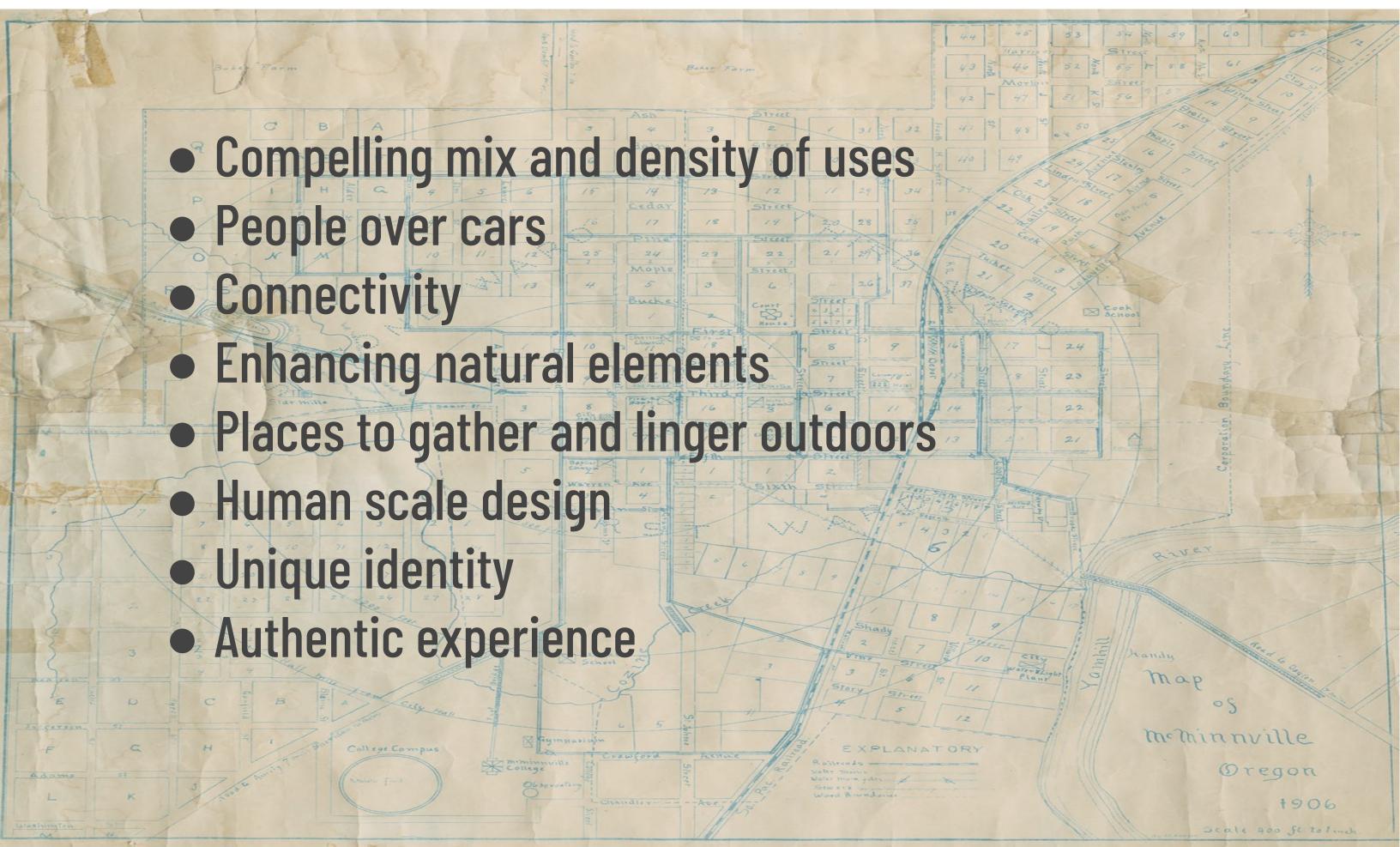
Tree Species - Portland BES Public Stormwater Facilities Trees

Public Stormwater Facility Plant List

(including Green Streets and Basins)

	Botanic Name	Common Name	Zone	NW Native	Evergreen	Potential Height	O.C. Spacing	Under Powerlines
Small Shrubs	Spiraea japonica 'Walbuma'	Magic Carpet Japanese spirea	A/B	Υ	N	24"	24"	-
	Spiraea japonica 'Goldmound'	Goldmound Japanese spirea	A/B	N	N	36"	24"	
Trees	Celtis occidentalis	Common Hackberry		N	N	50′	-	N
	Frangula purshiana	Cascara Buckthorn, Cascara Sagrada		Υ	N	25′	-	Υ
	Gleditsia triacanthos var. inermis 'Impcole'	Imperial Thornless Honeylocust		N	N	35′	-	γ
	Gleditsia triacanthos var. inermis 'Skycole'	Skyline Thornless Honeylocust		N	N	50′	-	N
	Nyssa sylvatica	Black Tupelo		N	N	50'	-	N
	Prunus virginiana 'Canada Red'	Canada Red Chokecherry	A/B	N	N	25'	-	Υ
	Quercus bicolor	Swamp White Oak		N	N	50′	-	N
	Quercus shumardii	Shumard Oak	A/B	N	N	50'	-	N
	Zelkova serrata 'Green Vase'	Green vase Japanese zelkova		N	N	45'	-	N
	Zelkova serrata 'Village Green'	Village Green Japanese zelkova		N	N	35′	-	Υ

Main Street Design Principles (from Phase A, 2019)



Key PAC Talking Points

- Increase pedestrian and gathering space
- Calm traffic / add friction
- Preserve balance in the street
- Support flexible uses / adaptable designs
- Create tree and landscape variety
- Tolerant of some parking removal
- Ensure business visibility and viability

Before and After: 3rd Street, McMinnville, Oregon (1955 & 2014-Apr-12)

