# AMERICAN UNIVERSITY



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## COMMUNITY CONCERNS:

- increased noise in the community
- the primary issue is the location of new student housing
- concern about pedestrian safety at Nebraska/N Mexico
- controlling jaywalking
- unimaginable amount of traffic / service vehicles
- residence halls are uphill and will seem imposing
- issues of height and density are of great concern
- the Nebraska development will not serve the neighborhood
- visibility from new buildings into residences
- distance between residence halls & residential area
- views of buildings from residences



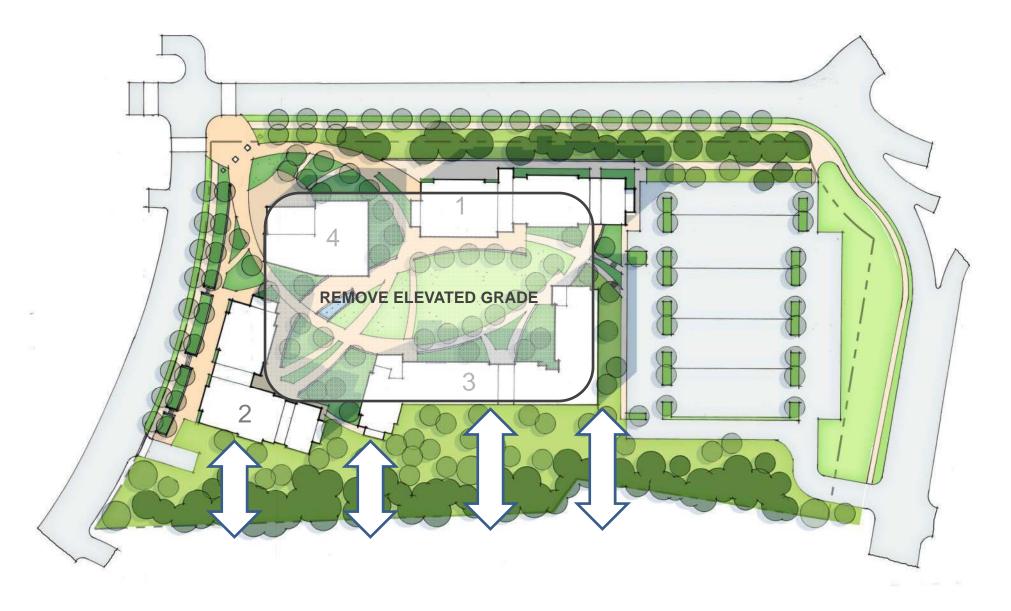
# SITE DEVELOPMENT





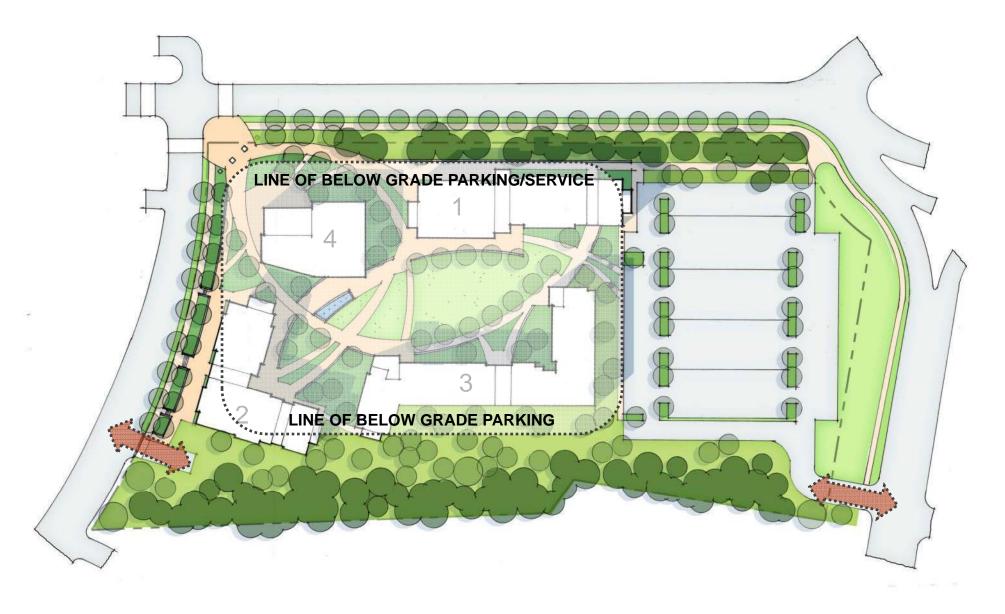
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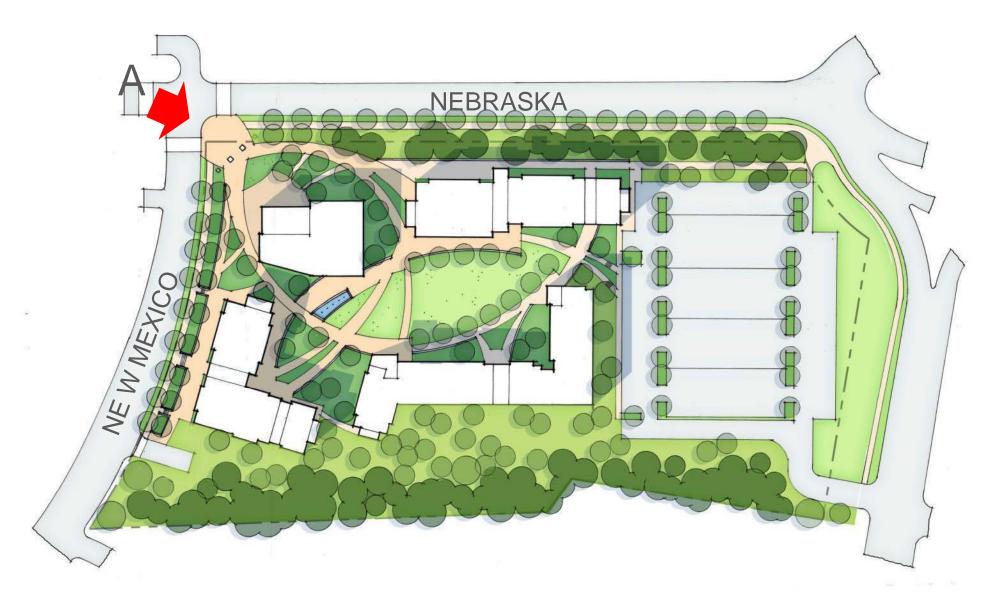
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# STREET CHARACTER





#### **VIEWS ALONG THE STREET – POINT 'A'**





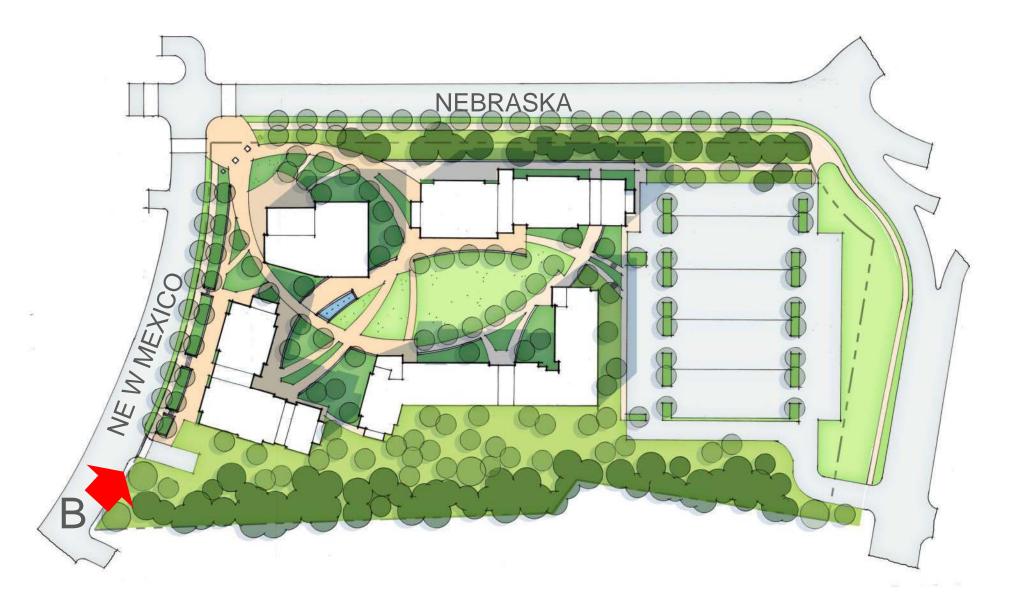
#### NEBRASKA AVENUE TODAY





#### **PROPOSED VIEW ALONG NEBRASKA AVENUE**





#### VIEWS ALONG THE STREET – POINT 'B'





#### NEW MEXICO AVENUE TODAY



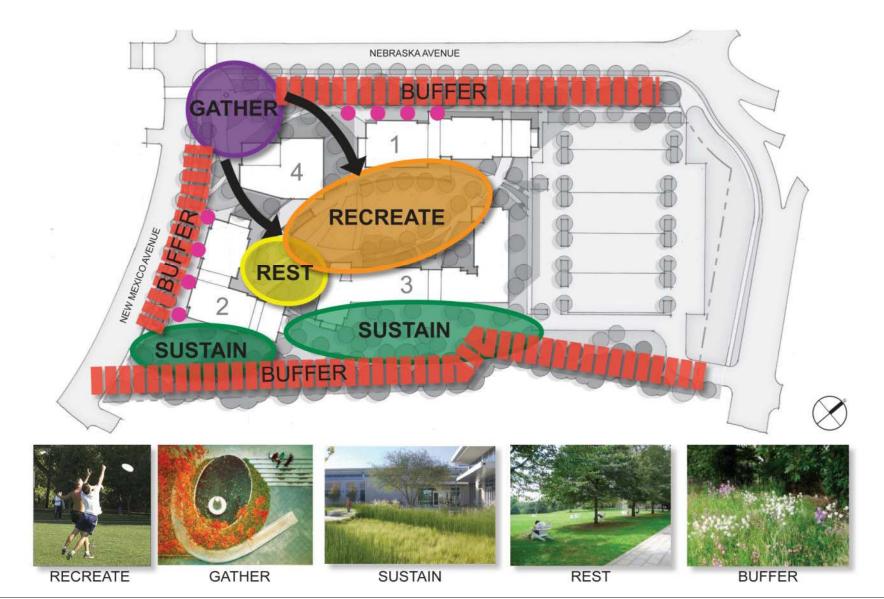


#### PROPOSED VIEW ALONG NEW MEXICO AVENUE



# LANDSCAPE DEVELOPMENT





#### SITE PLAN – CONCEPT DIAGRAM

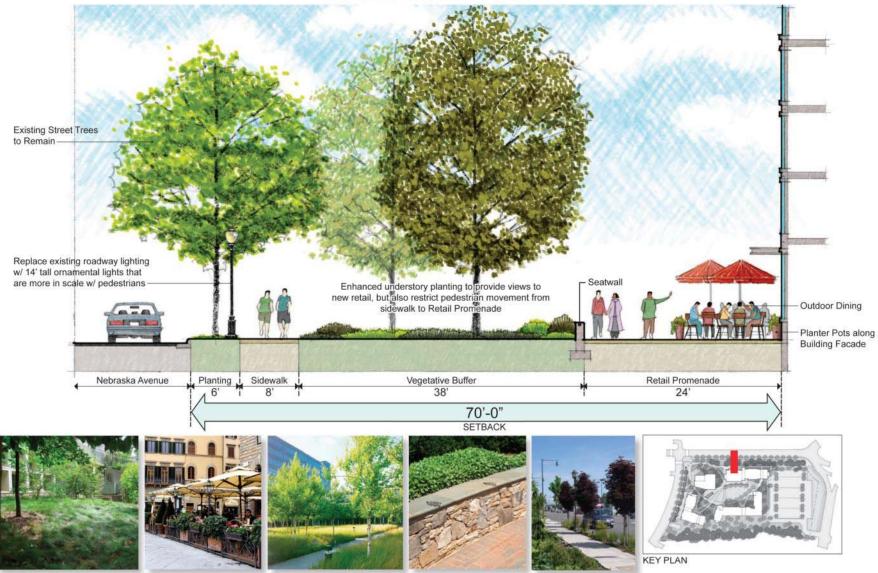




#### **PROPOSED VIEW ALONG NEBRASKA AVENUE**



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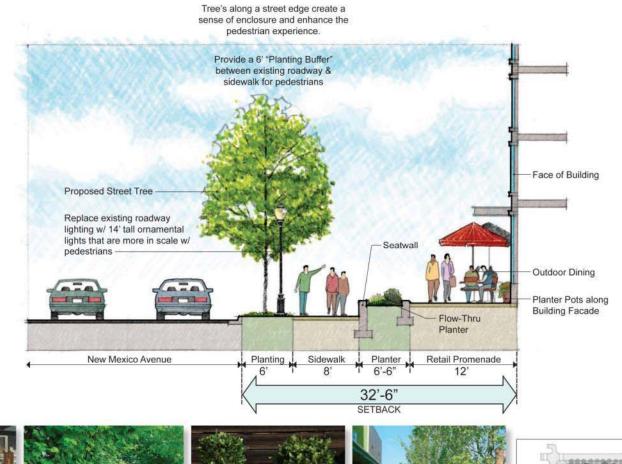
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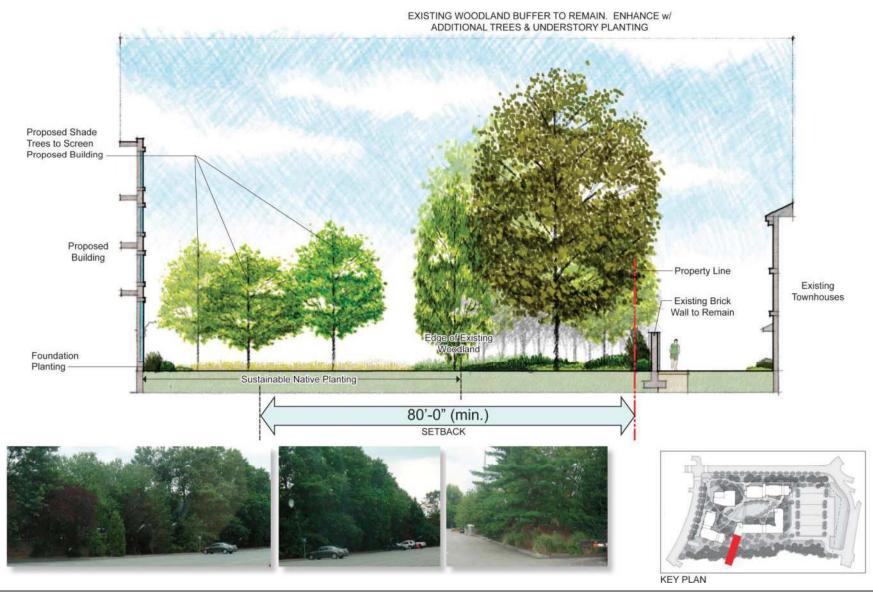
#### PROPOSED VIEW ALONG NEW MEXICO AVENUE







**NEW MEXICO AVENUE – SECTION** 



**EXISTING WOODLAND BUFFER - SECTION** 





FIRST FLOOR VIEW FROM ROWHOUSE 'A'





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#### SECOND FLOOR VIEW FROM ROWHOUSE 'B'





SECOND FLOOR VIEW FROM ROWHOUSE 'B'





THIRD FLOOR VIEW FROM ROWHOUSE 'C'





THIRD FLOOR VIEW FROM ROWHOUSE 'C'



## ENHANCING QUALITY OF LIFE

addressing issues through:

- Behavior
- Design
- Landscaping



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