

### RICHMOND DOWNTOWN MASTER PLAN

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#### **Existing Buildings**

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### foundations

- 1. traditional transportation options
- 2. river center piece
- 3. urban architecture
- 4. variety & choice mixed use
- 5. green environmental stewards
- 6. history architectural preservtn
- 7. affordable housing

## traditional transportation

- pedestrians are #1
- public transit trolley / light rail
- shared parking
- two-way traffic pattern



#### one way streets -1967 to 2007











existing conditions



#### transit



# river as center piece

- enhance river access
- mayo island as "central park"
- protect river views

























































# **James River** LAMES RIVER JAMES RIVER

## urban architecture

- doors & windows facing streets
- zoning ordinances reformed
- quality design as highest priority









placemaking



#### existing conditions



placemaking



# variety & choice

diversify: mixed uses
mixed building types/size
mixed incomes

#### opportunities for incremental infill



Old Manchester – Hull Street and its environs

#### growing more complete over time



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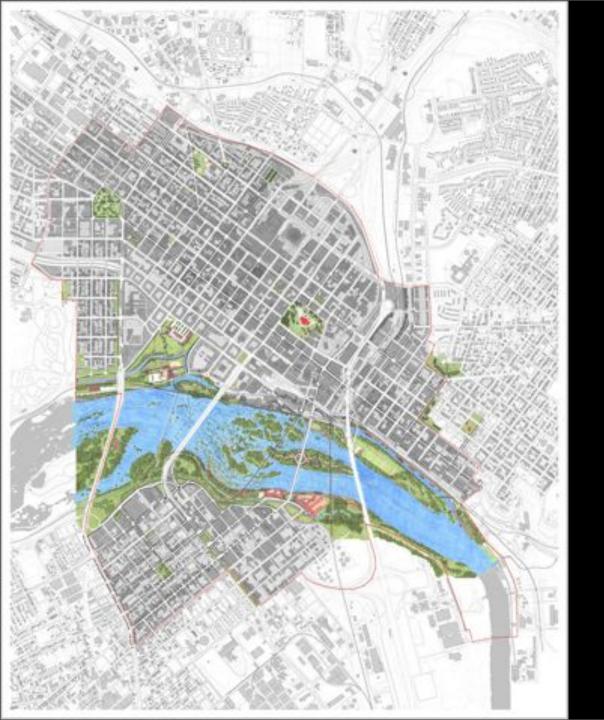






### green

- preserve open land natural envirnt
- more parks, improved parks
- street tree campaign
- green architecture
- low-impact stormwater designs



#### open spaces







green street



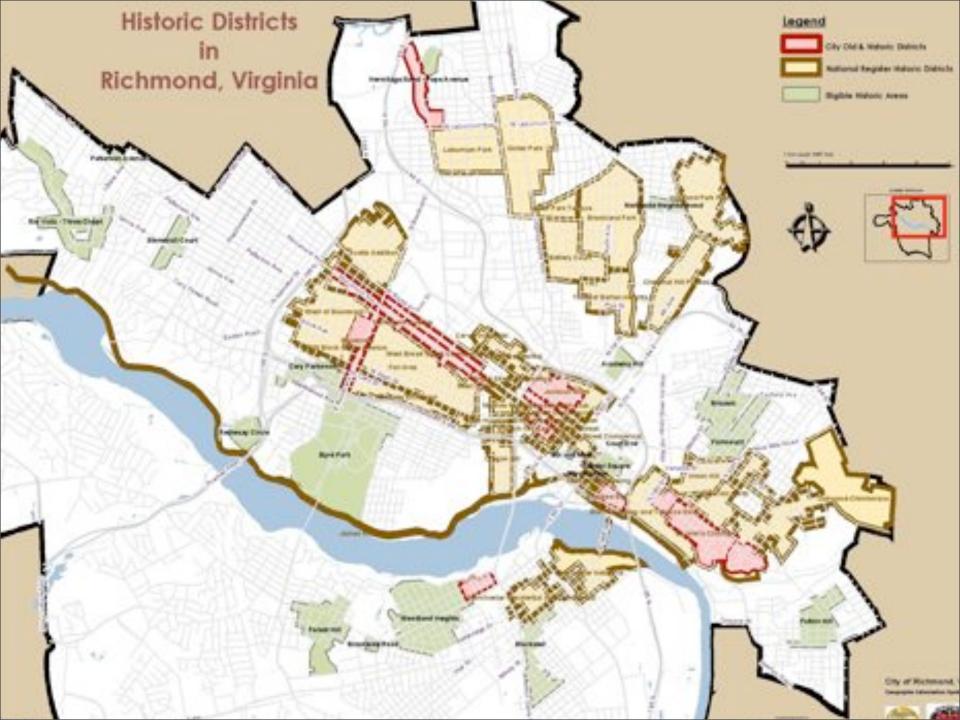
pedestrian oriented 6' to 12' sidewalk

pedestrian clear area



## history

- confirm commitment to preservation
- new architecture worthy of context
- promote & explain your history





























## Affordable Housing

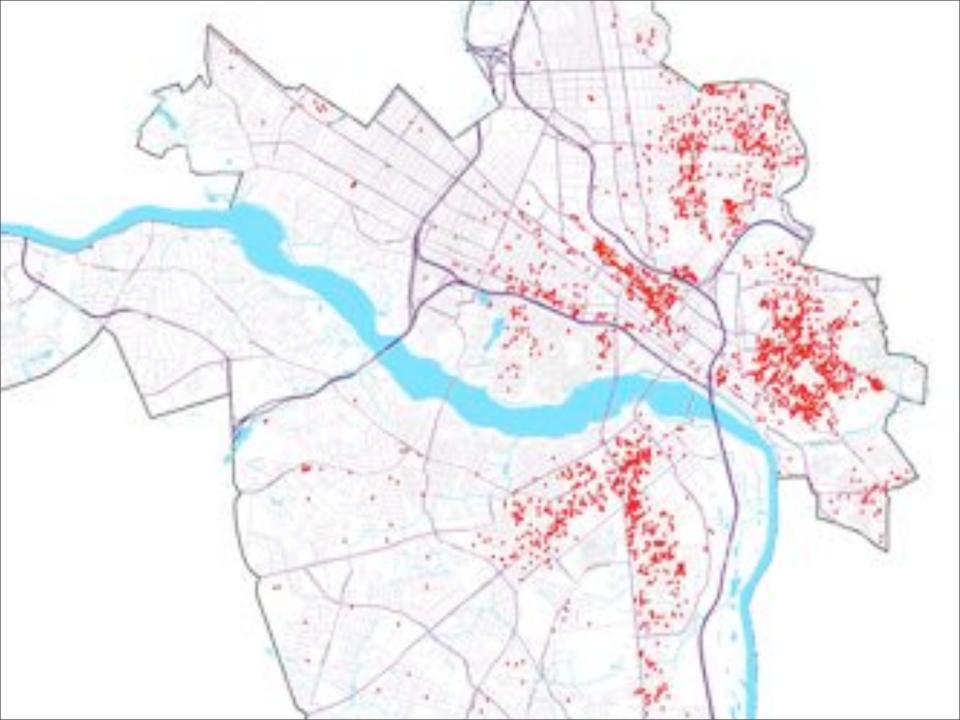
- Mix with market rate housing
- Make it beautiful
- Provide in all neighborhoods















A GLIMPSE OF BROAD STREET, RICHMOND, VA.



