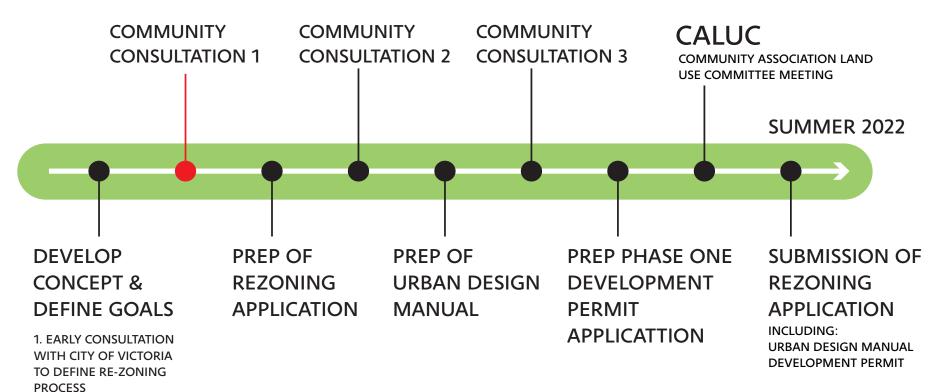
#### TIMELINE









#### **REGIONAL GROWTH**

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Regionally, the site is positioned at the confluence of two major highways, acting as a gateway to downtown Victoria.



Metopolitan Centre Subregonal Node

The CRD Regional Growth Strategy has identified the corridor as an location for densification, economic diversification and population growth.

### LAND USE ANALYSIS



#### Purpose

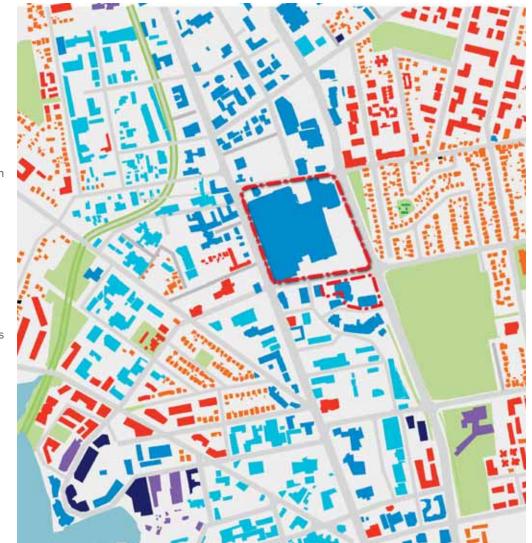
The following graphical exercises were created to illustrate larger patterns within the city. These patterns can highlight needs that exist, and help determine larger neighbourhood restoration objectives.

The goals of urban planning and design are generally to create better public space, promote connectivity, while accomodating the basic needs of the community.











Arterial roads and singular use commercial land (shown in blue) separates the eastern neighbourhood from the western.



Residential areas and green ways are continuous on either side of the commercial zone, but not within it.

# LAND USE OPPORTUNITIES



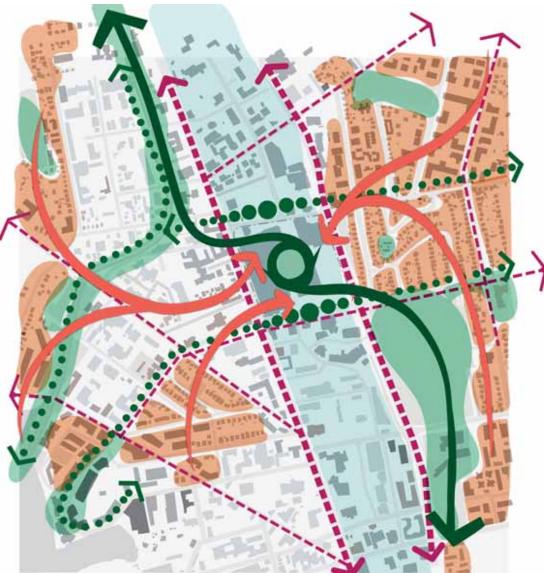
#### Key Take-aways

The east-west divide created by the Douglas and Blanshard corridors will break down with careful interventions at the site edges, and by bringing a mix of uses through the site.









Bring residential use onto the site



Enhance city designated greenway road connections.



Arterials and singular use land will no longer separate the city, but be mixed on the site to create a town centre.

Continue the string of parks and open space.

# **DEVELOPING AN URBAN NETWORK**









Mayfair Shopping Centre in its current configuration.

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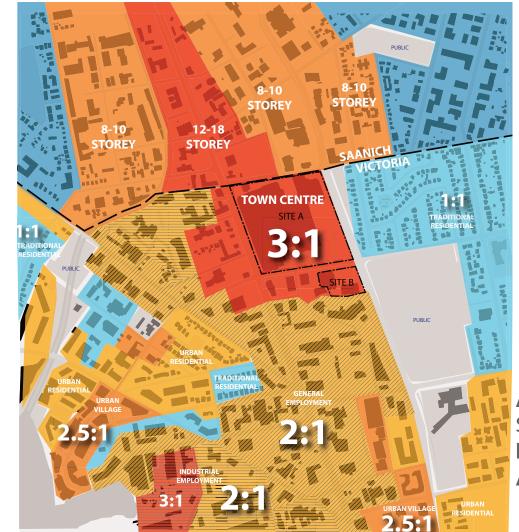


The design will include frontage upgrades that include the future network plans for Tolmie and Finlayson. Access through the site will run north-south, connecting the Tolmie and Finlayson corridors.



Vehicular access into and through the site is driven by adjacent streets' patterns, creating strong connections to the urban grid.

#### **HOW IS DENSITY MEASURED?**



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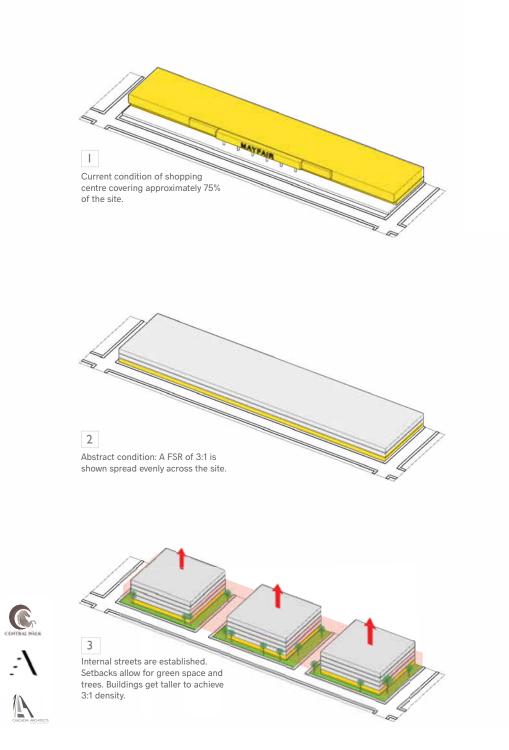
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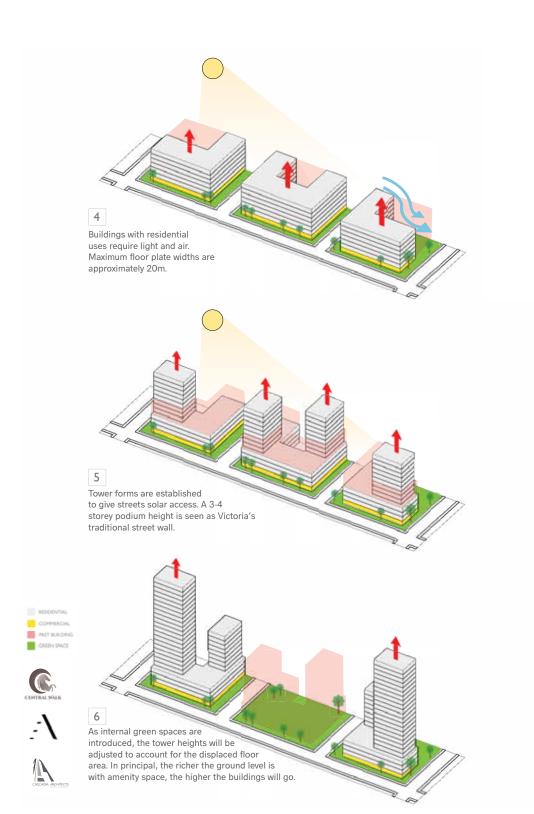


Mayfair has been designated a 'Town Centre' by Victoria's Official Community Plan.

ANSWER: Density is measured by Floor Space Ratio, or FSR. FSR - Total Building Floor Area:Site Area

#### **DENSITY TO HEIGHT RELATION**





#### **GOAL - CREATE A CIVIC CORE**



The short term goal (10 years) is to fully develop the underutilized land. Mid term redevelopment would take place thereafter and long term redevelopment area is likely 20+ years away from being realized.







The center of the site is viewed as an opportunity to create a true town centre, with a public, multi-use civic core. Generous open space with public access will provide an amenity rich backbone in the development.

#### **CIVIC CORE AND PUBLIC GREENWAY**









Depicted here are a mix of uses fronting onto generous public open space. The green corridor extends through the site, connecting a rapid transit hub on Douglas street to the civic core and the heart of Mayfair town centre.

#### **GROUND-ORIENTED RESIDENTIAL**



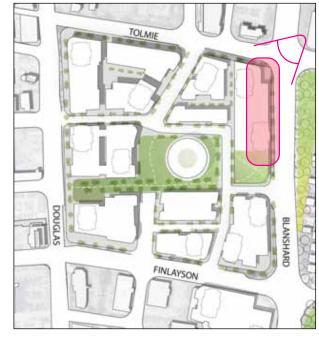






Mayfair town centre would also become a vibrant residential district, with opportunities for ground-oriented units, podium and tower flats that would be close to many amenities and a transit hub.

### **ACTIVE CORNERS**





Corners are access points for pedestrians, and are important for displaying the character and amenities of the site. Tolmie and Blanshard will receive special attention, as will the other 3 corners that front onto major arterial roads. Intersection upgrades will encourage pedestrian access to the site.



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#### **MODERN COMMERCIAL SHOPPING DISTRICT**





A net increase in shopping square footage will be attained with multi-level shopping experiences.



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