

FROM SEGREGATION TO INTEGRATION

Planning and Designing for the Enhancement of Socio-spatial and Ecological Integration in Haizhu District, China

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Fast Developing Delta



Urban Fabric

Modern Urbanization



City Diversity



In Fact...



TWO WORLDS



Fascination

Experience in two different living environment



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3. Lack of sunlight
4. Mix-use of public space



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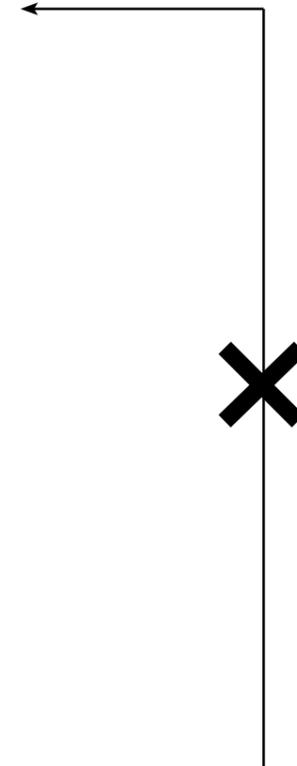
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Ms Chen
Augur
56 years old
Immigrant
Salary: 1.5k-2k yuan/ month
Activity: Dance, watch tv



I was born in Guangzhou and live with my whole family in the modern community. I enjoy the facilities provided by the community very much, including some fitness instruments, tennis court. I know that there is an urban village located just next to the community, but I have never been there before because I think it is not safe and noisy there.

Ms Li
Teacher
52 years old
Local
Salary: 8k-12k yuan/ month
Activity: Shopping, sport, gym

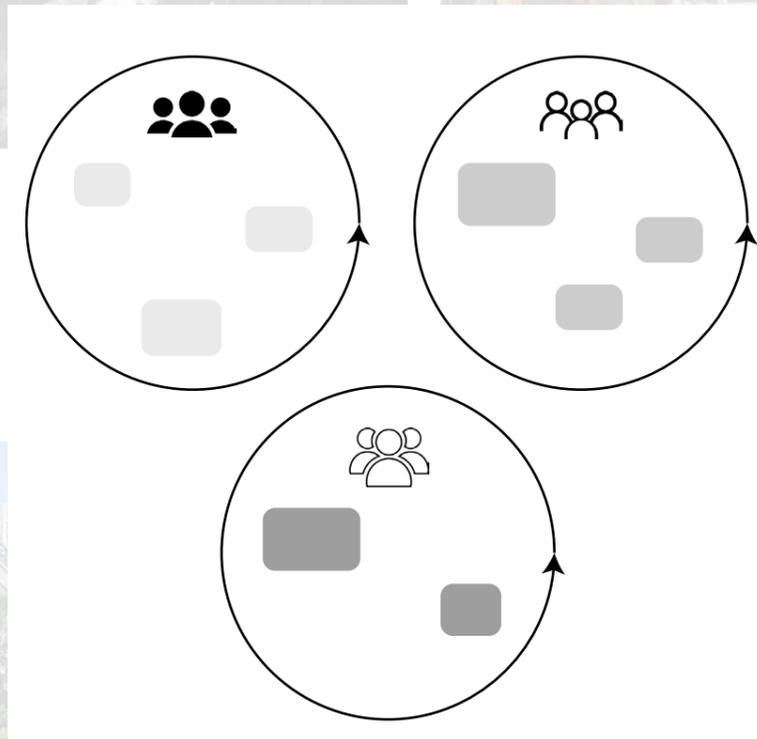




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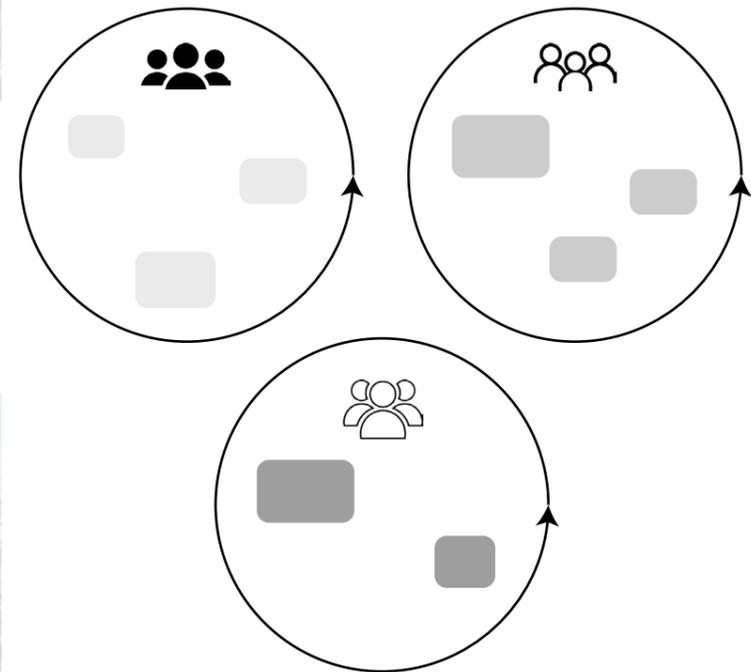
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URBANIZATION

DIVERSITY OF NEIGHBORHOOD



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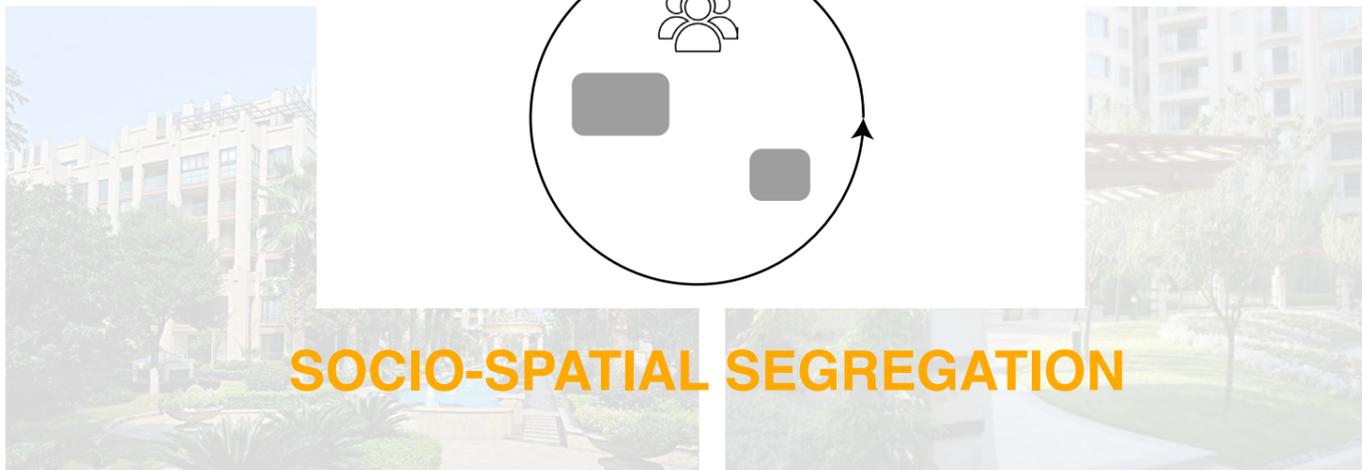
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Urbanization



Development of Settlement



preservation

population growth



population growth



more floors

Diversity of Neighborhood



future trend



population growth

demolishment

preservation



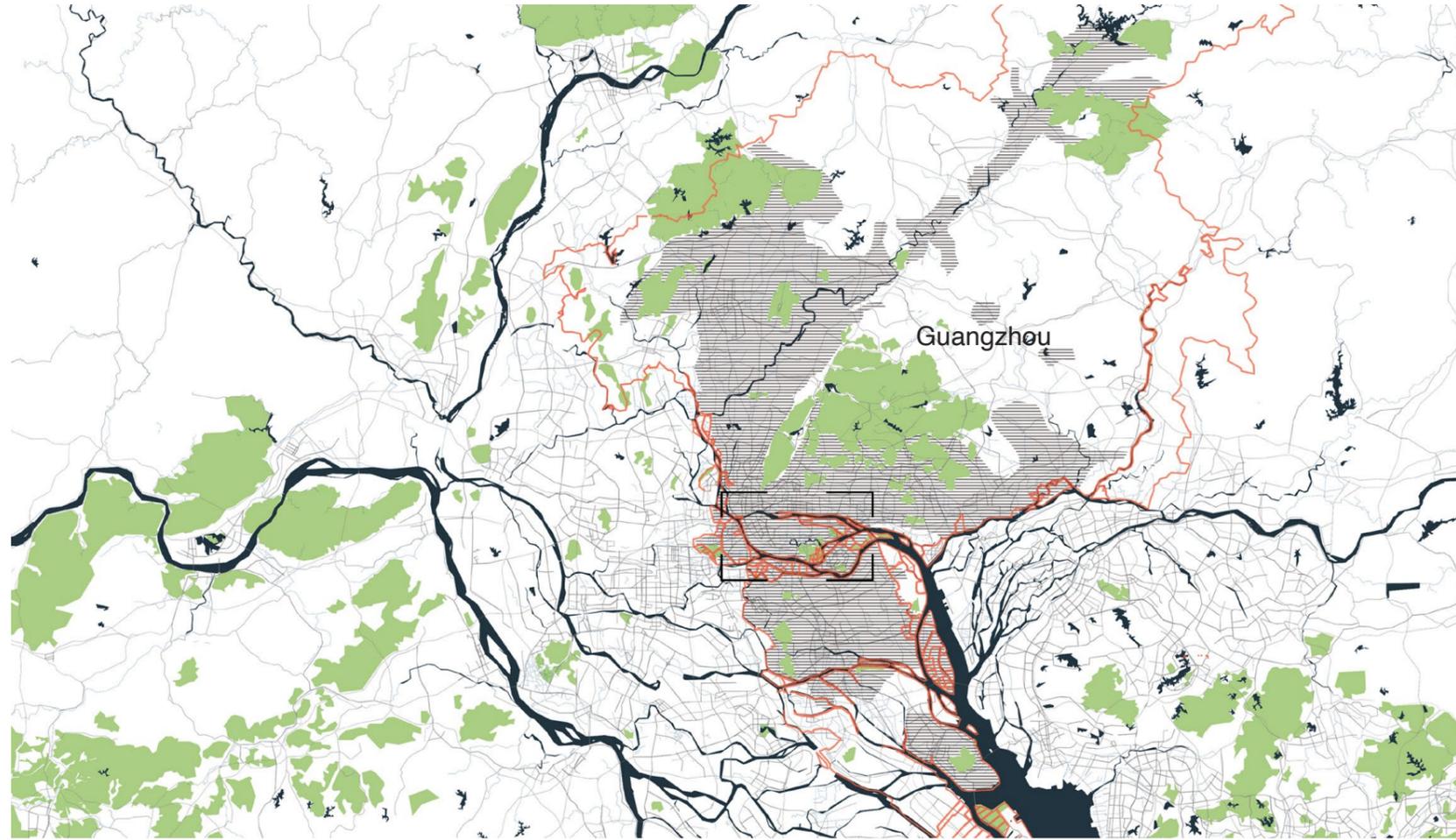
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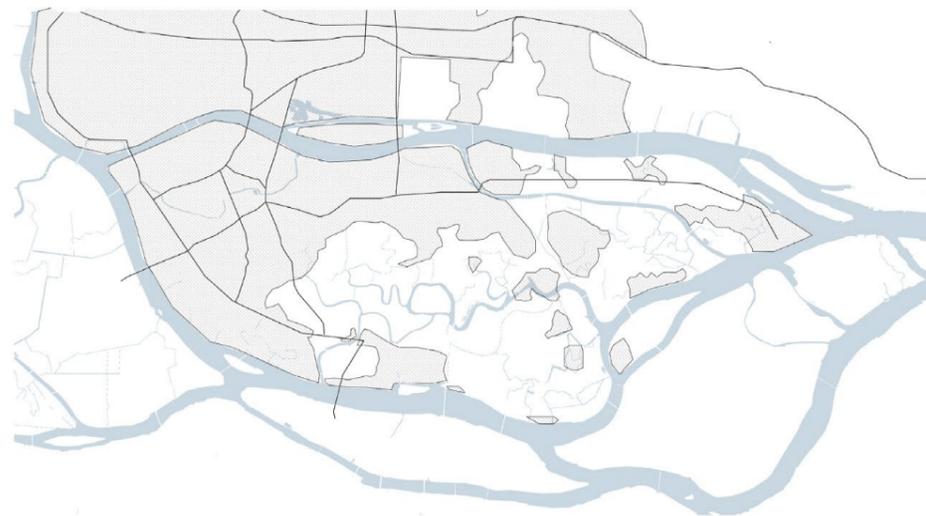
Chosen Site - Haizhu



1949

1983

2019



On the edge of the city

Real estate boomed

More macro public projects ongoing

Industry developed

Immigrants moved in

Exhibition center finished
Transportation developed

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1km

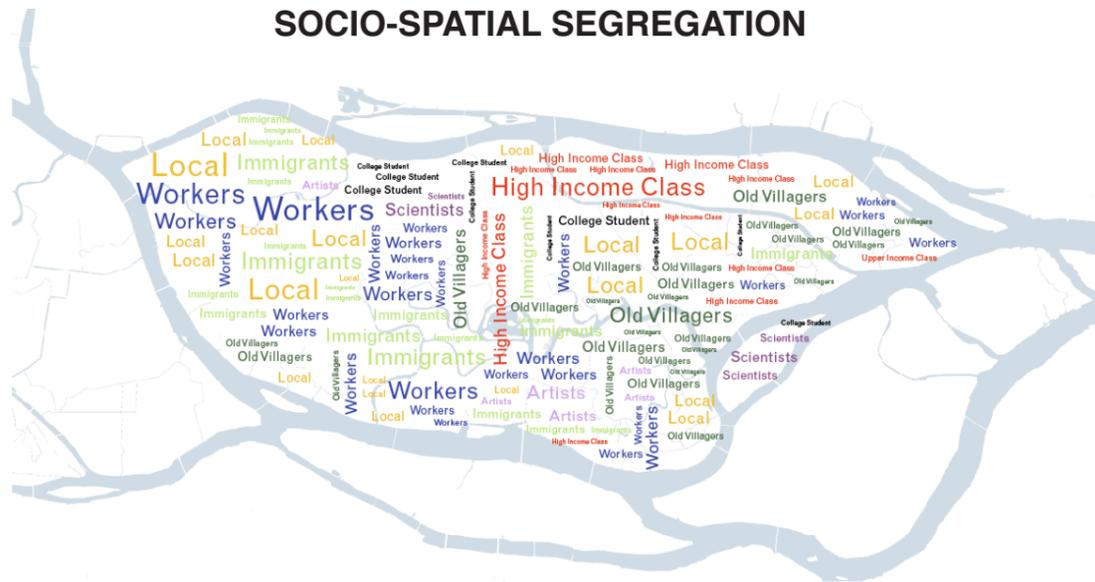




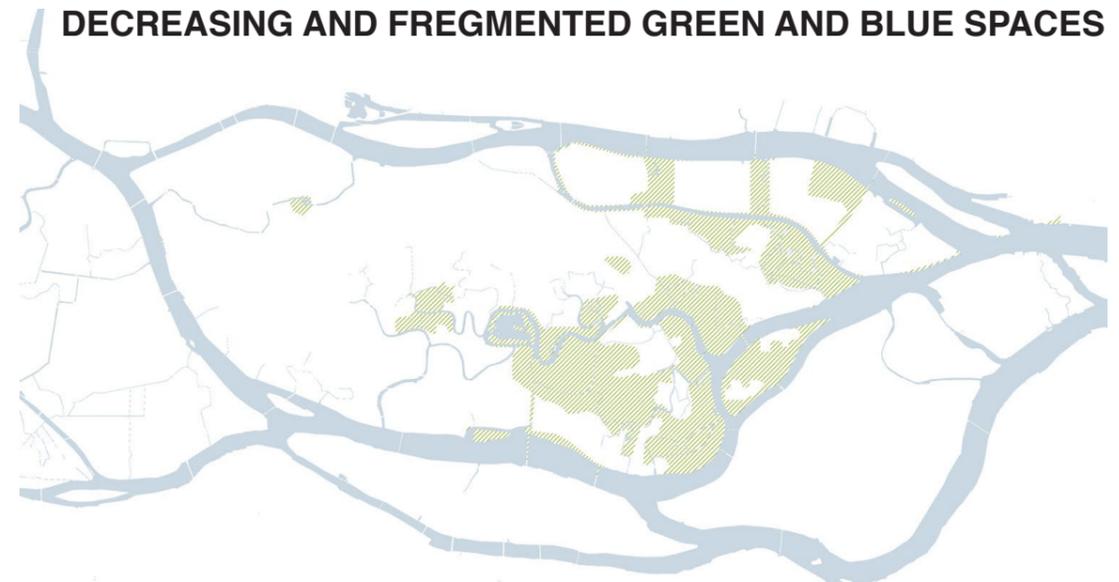
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SOCIO-SPATIAL SEGREGATION



DECREASING AND FREGMENTED GREEN AND BLUE SPACES



discrimination, unequal access to public facilities, social exclusion, etc.



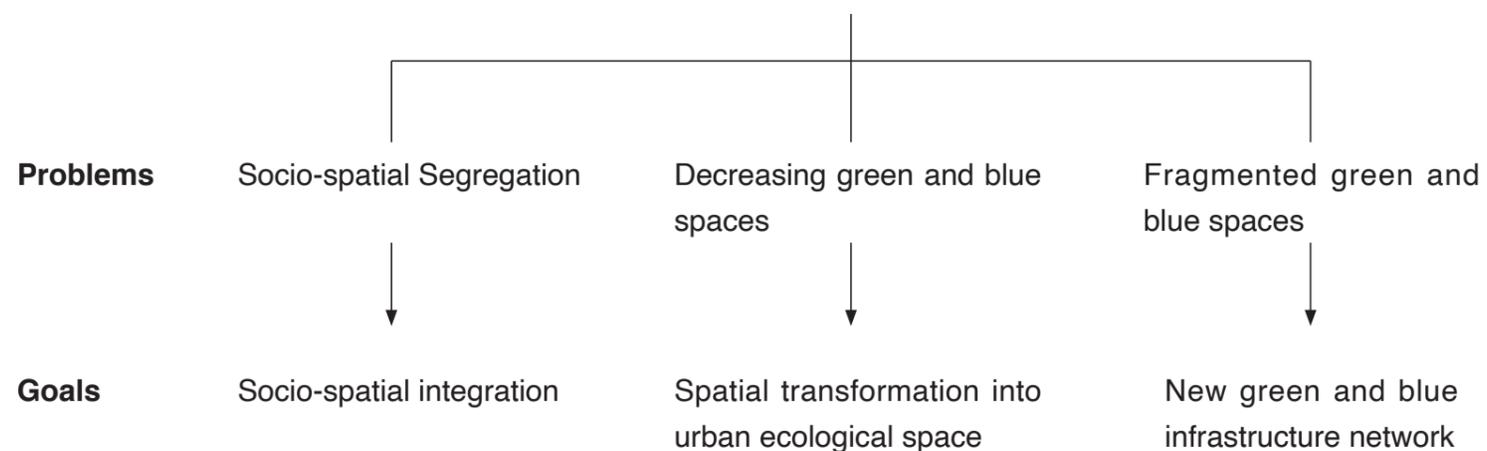
flooding, pollution, threat to natural habitats



How can we address the socio-spatial segregation & fragmentation of ecological space using urban-landscape strategies?



Create an integrated and comprehensive **socio-ecological network** in terms of **corridor and node at multiple scales** that can improve the **socio-spatial integration** and **reconnect the fragmented green and blue spaces** for Haizhu district.



SBQ1: What are the existing conditions of socio-spatial segregation in Haizhu district and what are the factors contributing to segregation?

SBQ2: What are the existing conditions of ecological fragmentation at different scales?

SBQ3: How to create the socio-ecological network based on the current conditions and resources?

SBQ4: What principles and strategies can be put forwarded to improve the socio-spatial integration and reconnect the fragmented green and blue spaces on different scales?

SBQ5: How can these principles be implemented in a specific complex area with social and ecological problems?

SBQ6: How to evaluate the result of socio-spatial network and design implementation at different scales?

SBQ7: What lessons can be learned of creating the social-ecological network to improve the integration?

UNDERSTANDING



The diversity of neighborhoods

Typology

Classification

Historical Village



Traditional Community



Urban Village



Modern Community



Built in 1800, locate in old city town, including old residential work units since 1900, has many traditional buildings (arcade-house), poor building quality, multi-storey

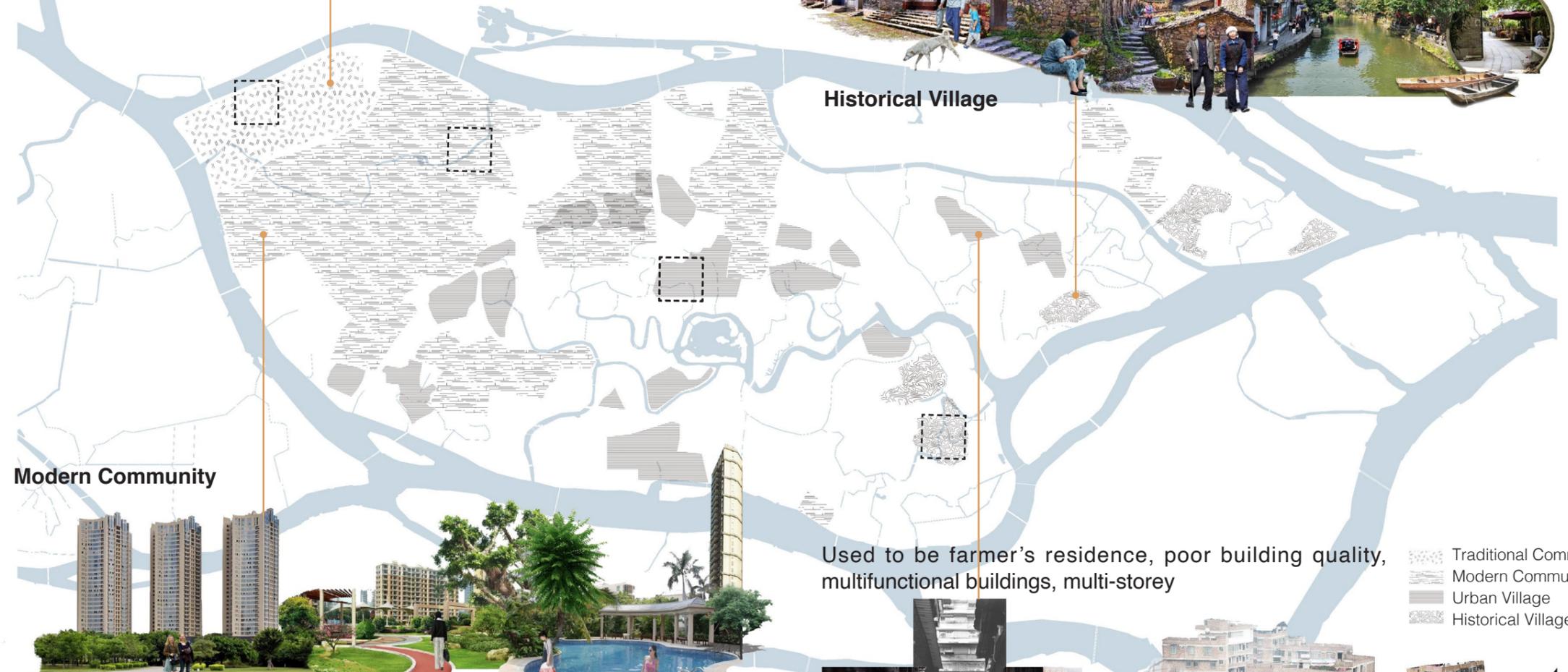


Traditional Community

Built in 1400, has historic and cultural value, cultural reserve, located in agricultural area based on agricultural economy, low rise, waterside villages



Historical Village



Modern Community

Used to be farmer's residence, poor building quality, multifunctional buildings, multi-storey



Built after 21st century, good building quality, high rise



Urban Village

Time

Spatial Configuration

Historical Village



Traditional Community



Urban Village



Modern Community



Satellite

Building



Transportation



Water



Open Space



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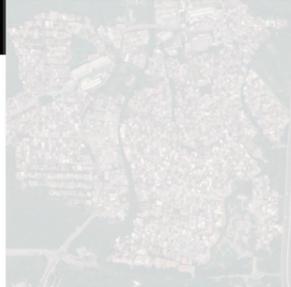
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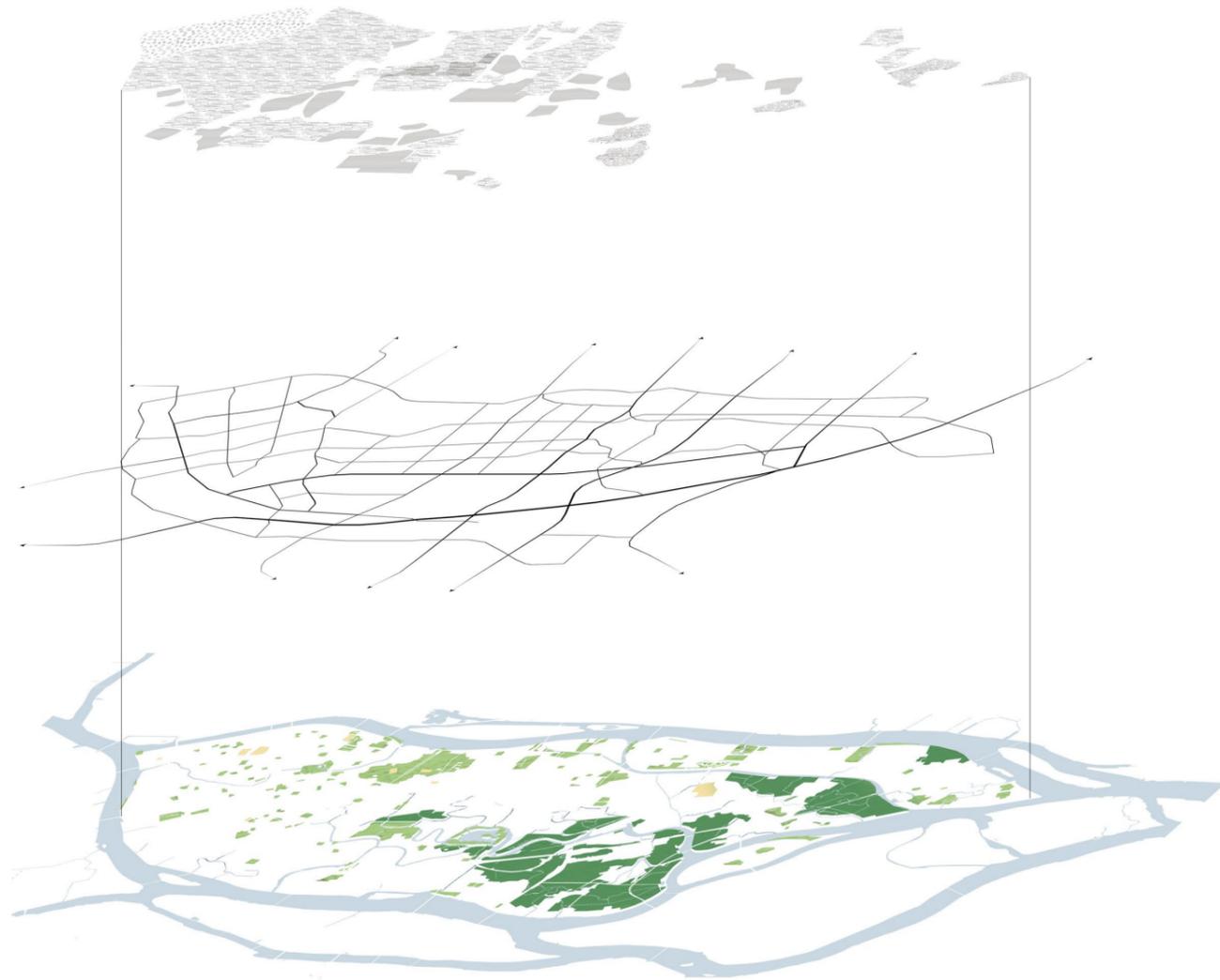
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ZOOM OUT



Settlement Layer

understand the factors contributing to socio-spatial segregation in terms of urban patterns, activities.

M/S scale

Transport Layer

understand connection and accessibility of settlements

L/M scale

Landscape Layer

understand the existing territory and landscape features

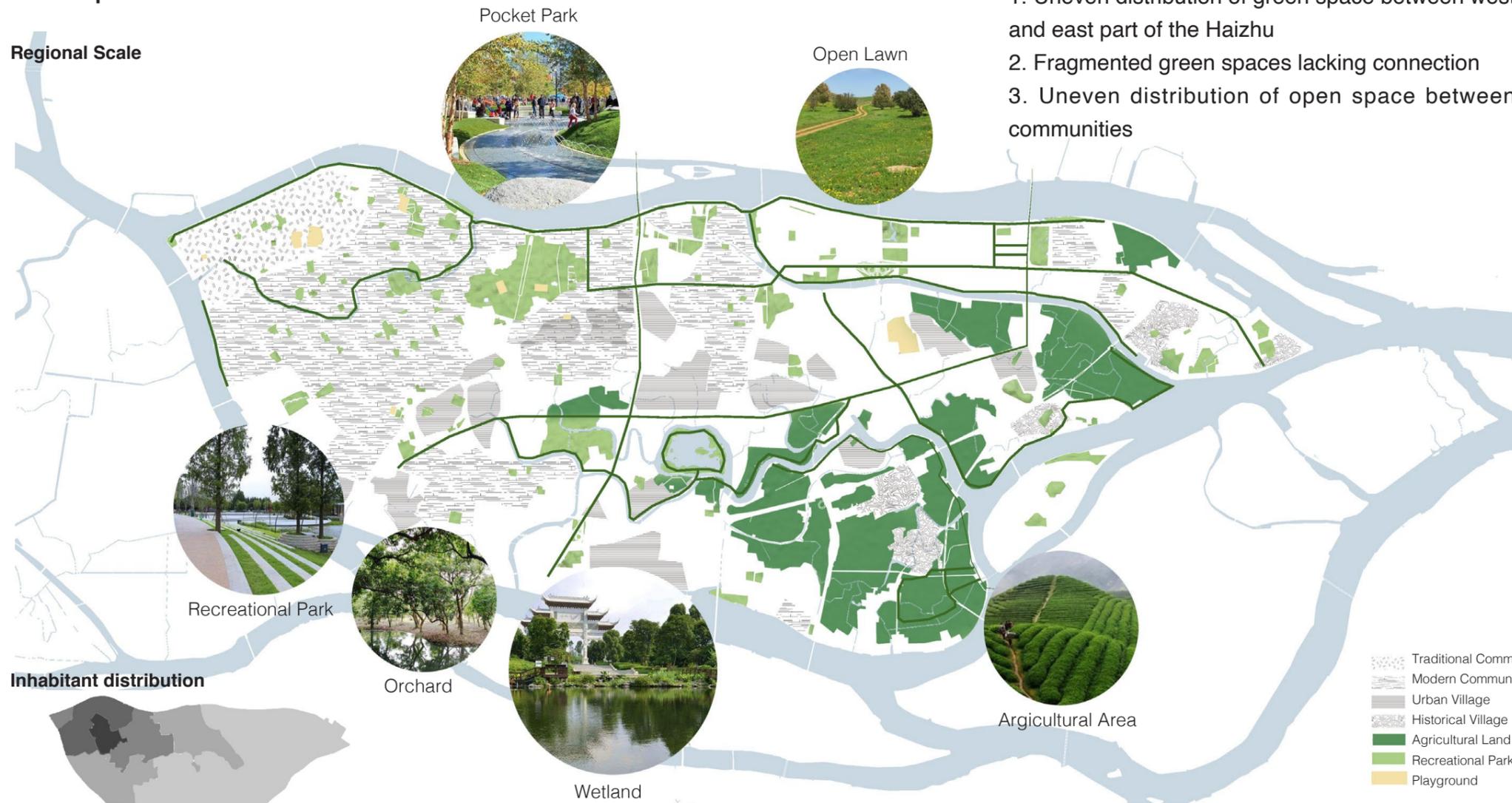
L/M scale

Identify Elements

Landscape Layer

Green Spaces

Regional Scale



Inhabitant distribution



Local Scale



Open space area / Total Area

34%

Traditional Community



Open space area / Total Area

19%

Urban Village



Open space area / Total Area

9%

Modern Community



Open space area / Total Area

36%

CHALLENGES

1. Uneven distribution of green space between west and east part of the Haizhu
2. Fragmented green spaces lacking connection
3. Uneven distribution of open space between communities

POTENTIALS



Landscape Layer

Blue Spaces

Regional Scale



CHALLENGES

1. Truncated canals
2. Water flooding and pollution issues
3. Lack of recreational activities along water

Water issues



- Traditional Community
- Modern Community
- Urban Village
- Historical Village
- River
- Main Canal
- Small Canal

Local Scale

Historical Village



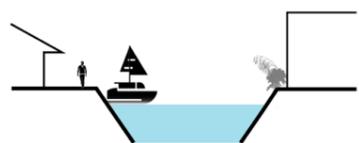
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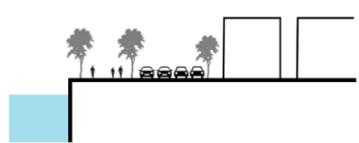
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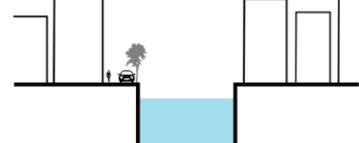
Modern Community



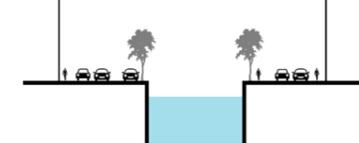
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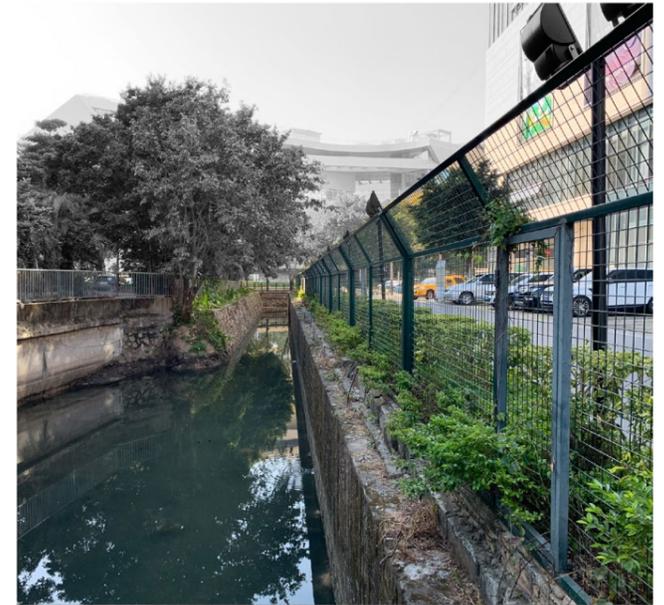
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Regional Scale



Local Scale

Historical Village



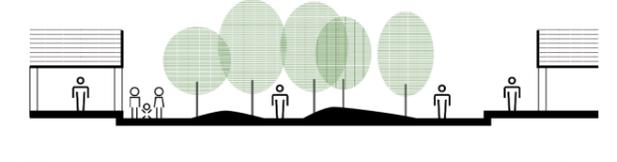
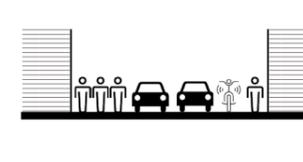
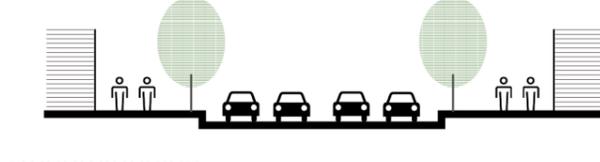
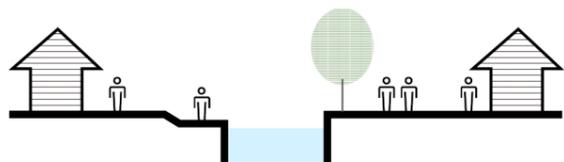
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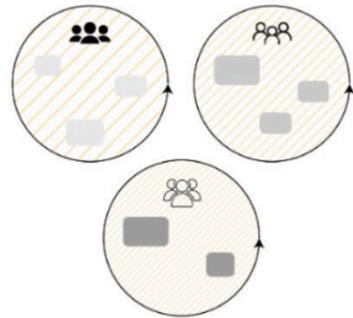
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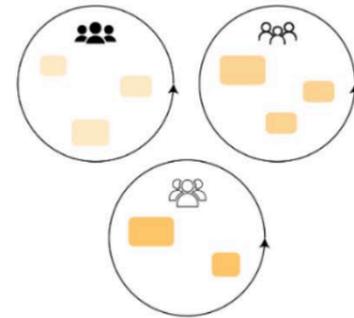
Settlement Layer

Local and Neighborhood Scale

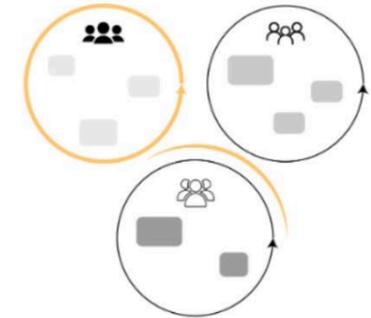
Residential Differentiation



Spatial Distribution



Boundary



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Traditional Community



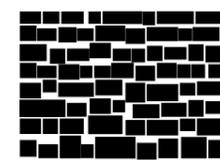
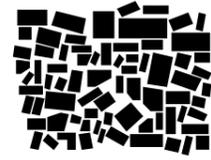
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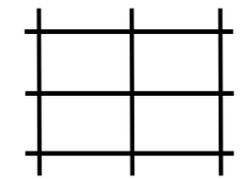
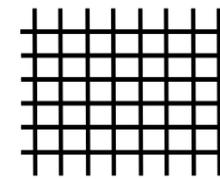
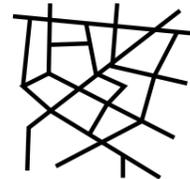
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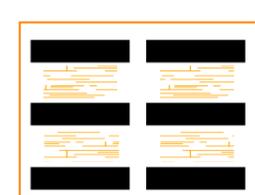
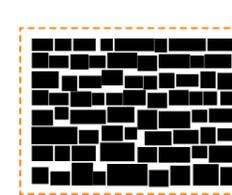
Housing Pattern



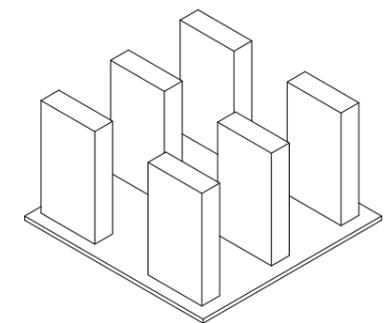
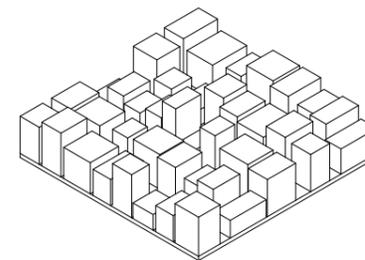
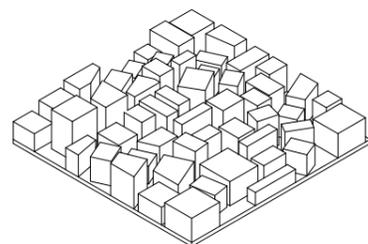
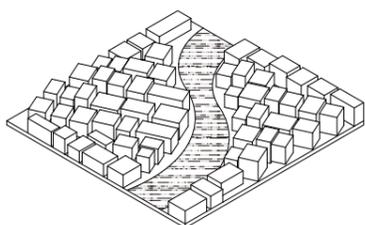
Road Pattern



Context



Spatial feature



Historical Village (historical buildings with commercial value)



Traditional Community (community park)



Urban Village (public space in mix use)



Modern Community (independent garden)



Special spatial uses in each typology
(Source: author)

Settlement Layer

Spatial Distribution



Aging/villagers-dominated

Historical Village



Activities along the river



Outdoor gathering



Different kinds of cultural activities
e.g. opera



Outdoor sitting



Aging, local residents

Traditional Community



Pocket garden with seats



Informal open market



Cultural activities with stage



Waterfront leisure area



Historical buildings & attraction



Low-income/immigrants-dominated

Urban Village



Informal open market



Commercial street with informal occupying
street space



Outdoor activities
e.g. mahjong



Informal street vendors



High-income/well-educated

Modern Community



High quality of facilities
e.g. gym facilities & sport courts



Sufficient resting area and informal retailing



Independent kindergarten



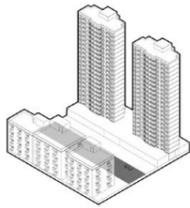
Independent swimming pool and
children's playground

POTENTIAL

Spatial uses and elements could be a potential quality to promote integration.

Settlement Layer

Boundary



Road



Water

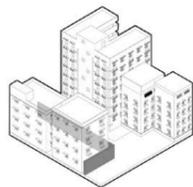


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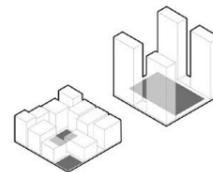


Physical boundary acts as linear feature to isolate spaces from both sides. Spatial boundary in terms of spatial quality restricts interaction.

CHALLENGES
Physical boundaries and spatial boundaries

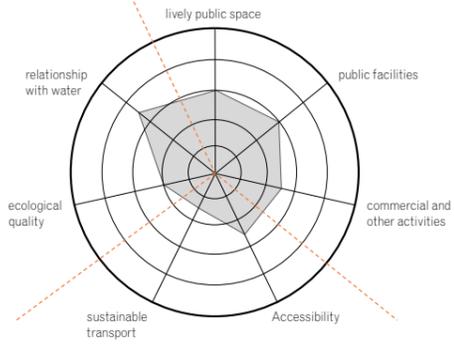


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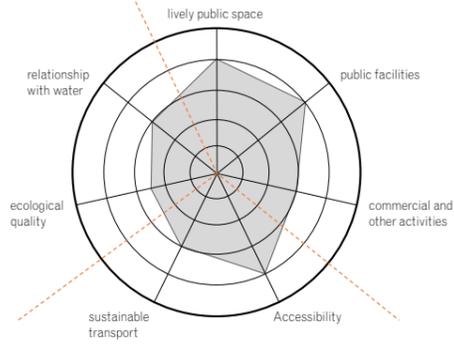


Spatial Quality

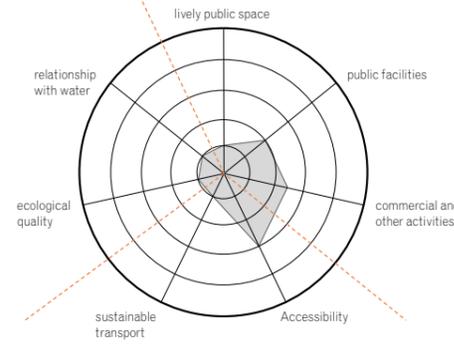
Typology Conclusion (Local scale)



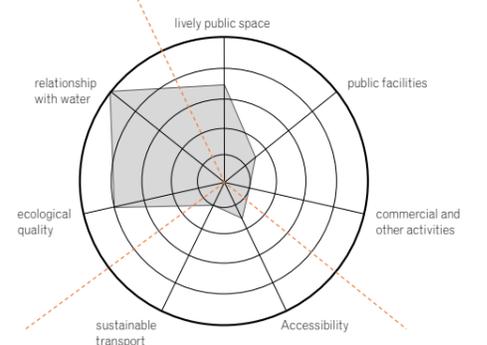
Traditional Community:
 Lack of recreational public space
 Insufficient public facilities
 Lack of social commercial activities



Modern Community:
 Enclosed community
 Lack of relation with water



Urban Village
 Lack of recreational public space
 Mix-use of public space
 Poor living environment
 Lack of relation with water



Historical Village:
 Lack of recreational public space
 Unconvenient transportation
 Insufficient public facilities
 Lack of social commercial activities

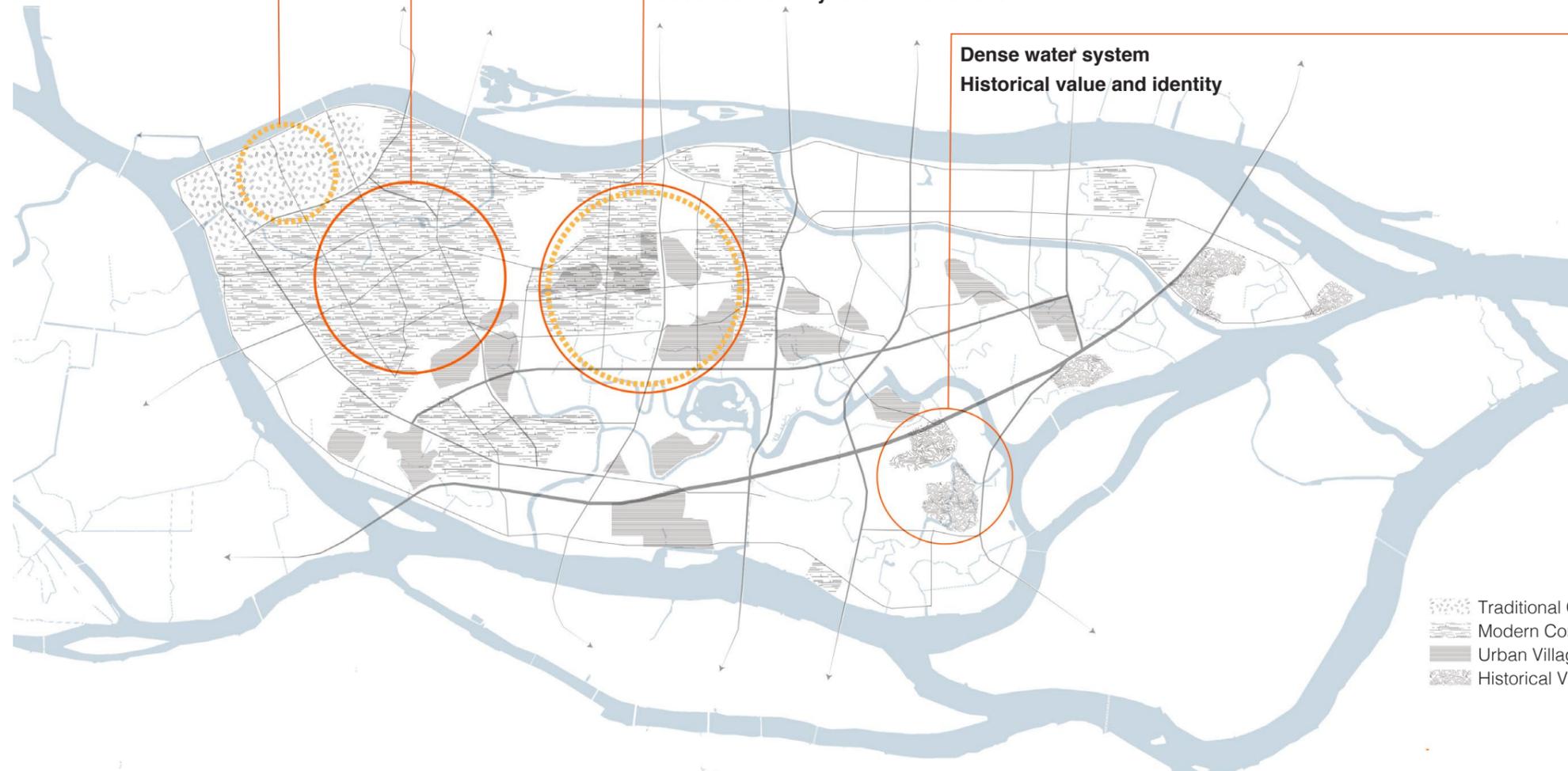


Close to the main river
Historical value and identity
Liveable street life

Sufficient open space
Comfortable environment
Sense of security

Affordable living space
Good accessibility to urban functions

Dense water system
Historical value and identity

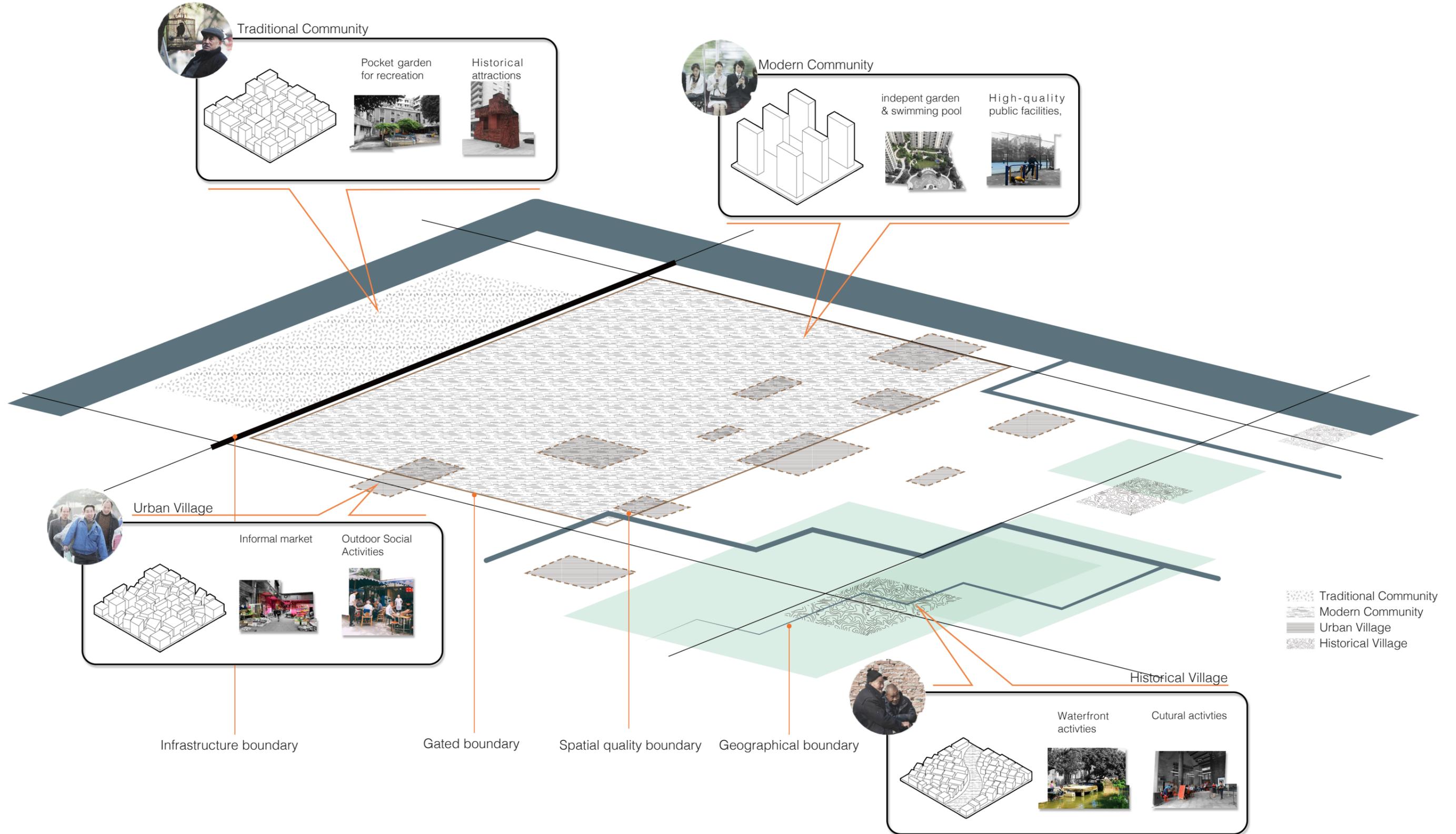


- Traditional Community
- Modern Community
- Urban Village
- Historical Village

Settlement Layer

Settlement Conclusion

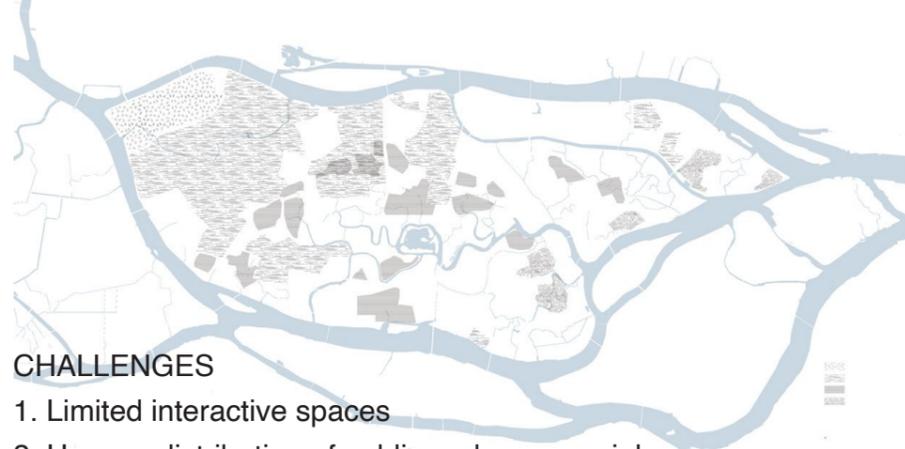
Regional Socio-Spatial Segregation



CHALLENGES

SETTLEMENT LAYER

Regional Scale



CHALLENGES

1. Limited interactive spaces
2. Uneven distribution of public and commercial spaces
3. Different physical and spatial boundaries

Local Scale



Neighborhood Scale



Boundary



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TRANSPORT LAYER

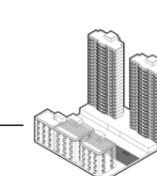
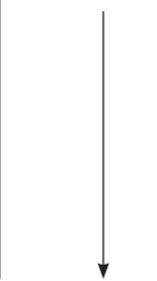
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Local Scale



Principles

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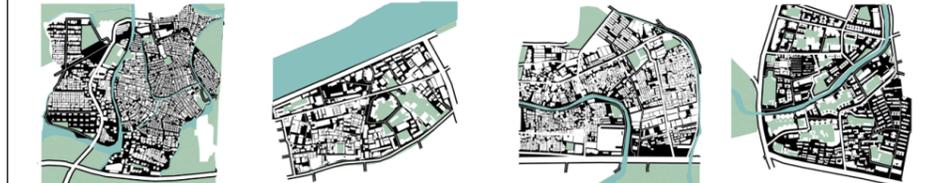
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Local Scale



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POTENTIALS

SETTLEMENT LAYER

Regional Scale



COMMERCIAL STREET



PUBLIC SPACE



TRANSPORT LAYER

Regional Scale



SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORT



SLOW MOBILITY



LANDSCAPE LAYER

Regional Scale



GREENWAY



WATER

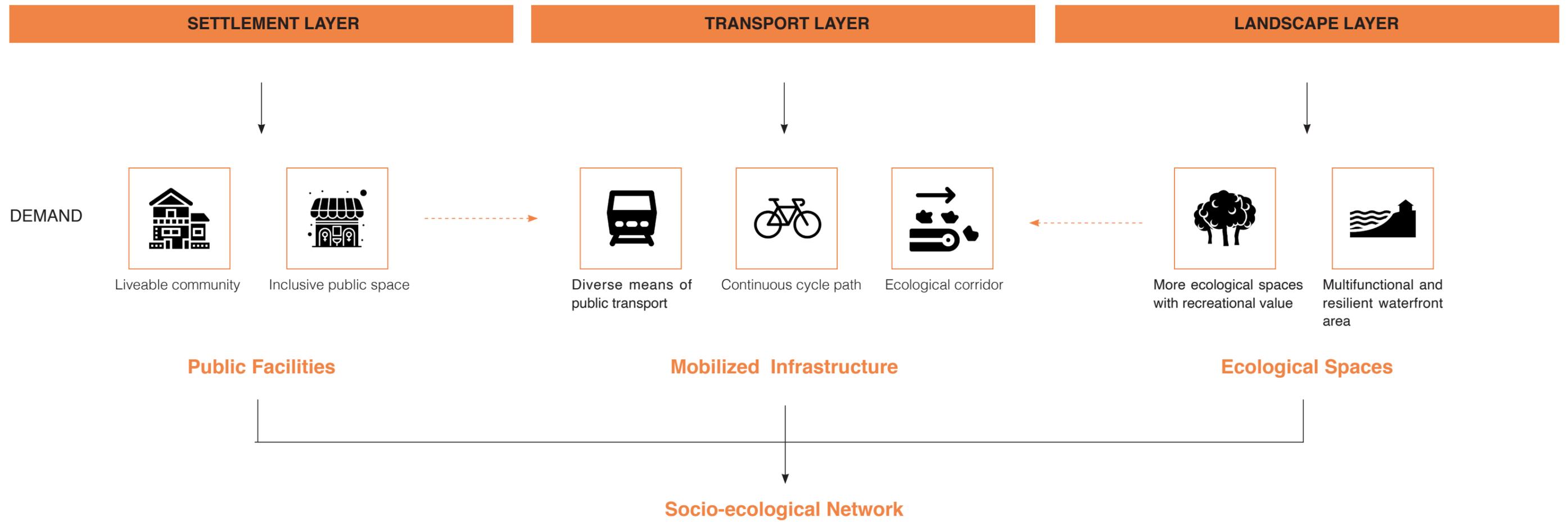


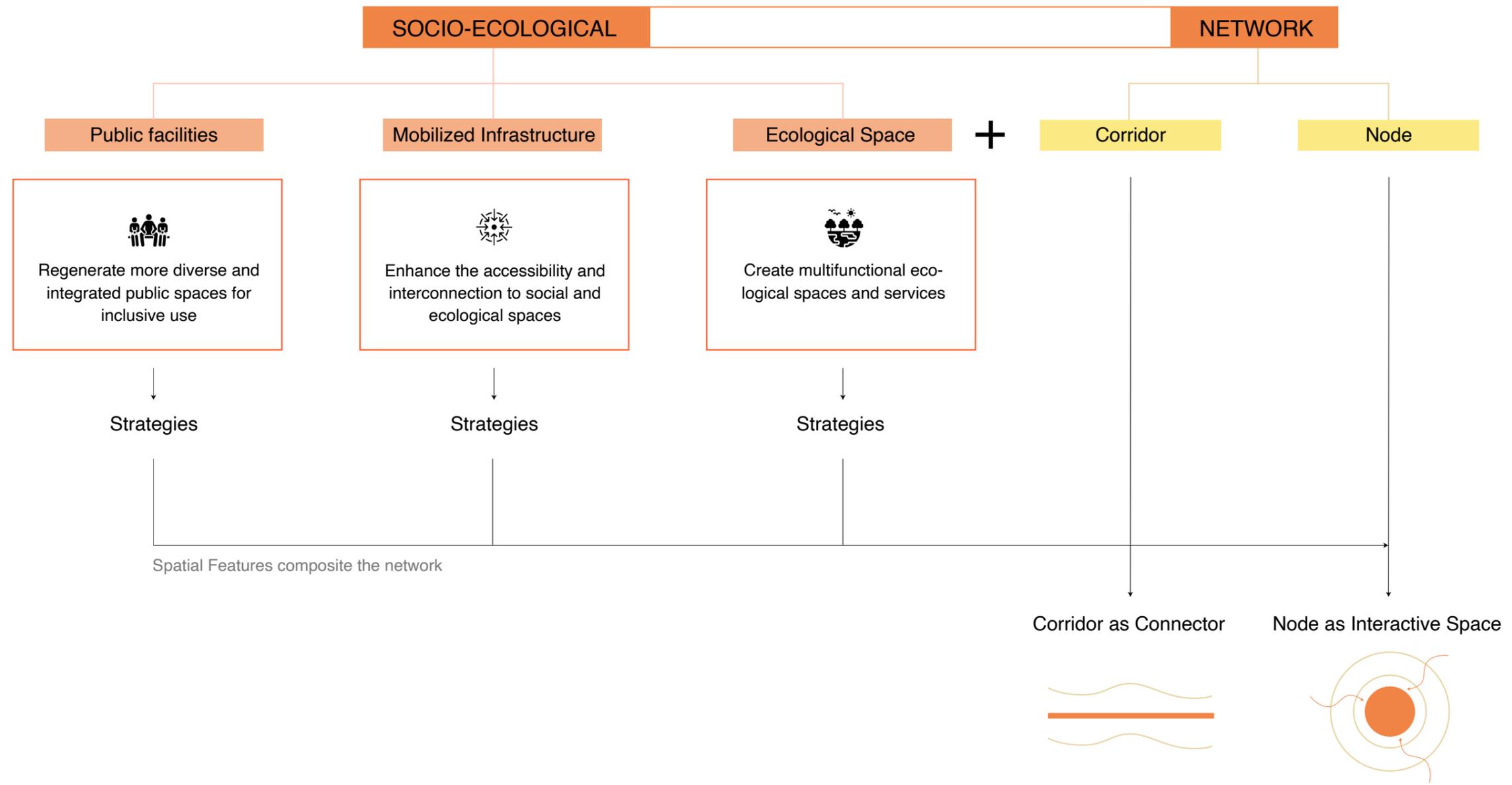
ECOLOGICAL PARK



PRINCIPLES & STRATEGIES



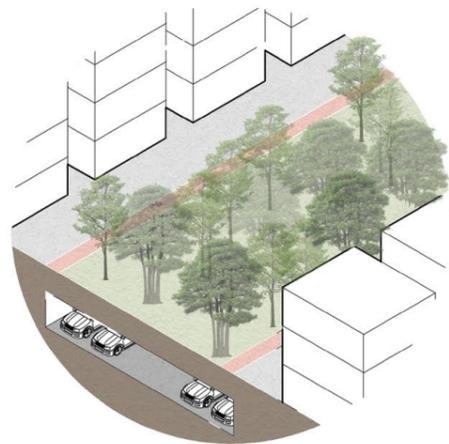




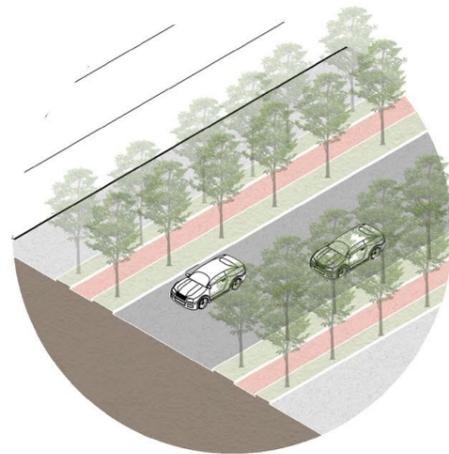
CORRIDOR AS CONNECTOR

NODES AS INTERACTIVE SPACE

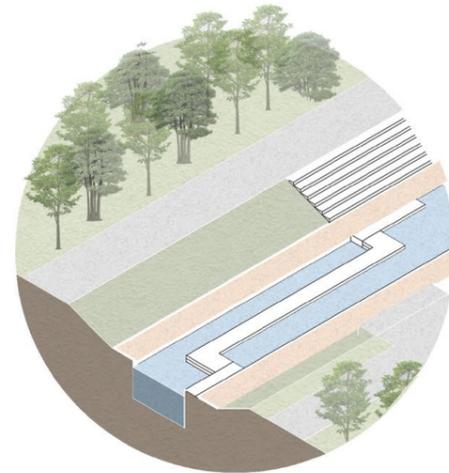
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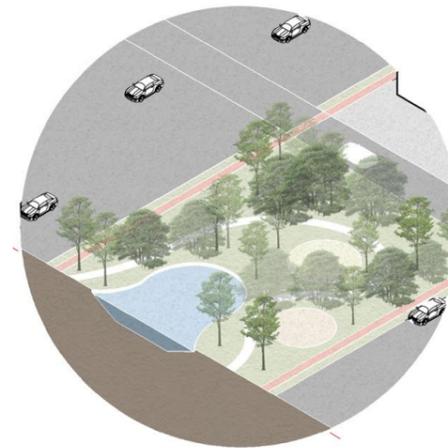
Ecological Corridor as Connector



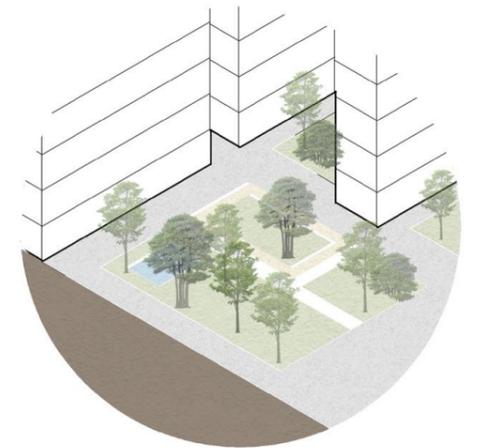
Continuous Greenway as Connector



Waterway as Connector
(Multifunctional waterfront space)

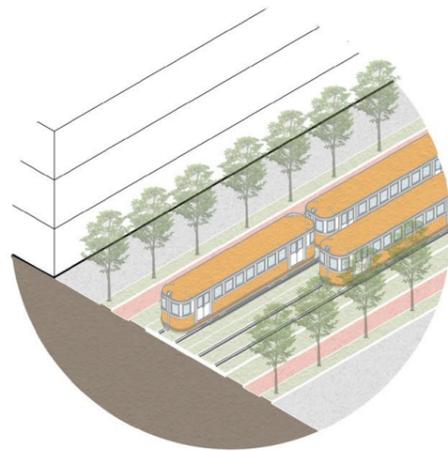


Recreational/ Ecological Parks as Interactive Space

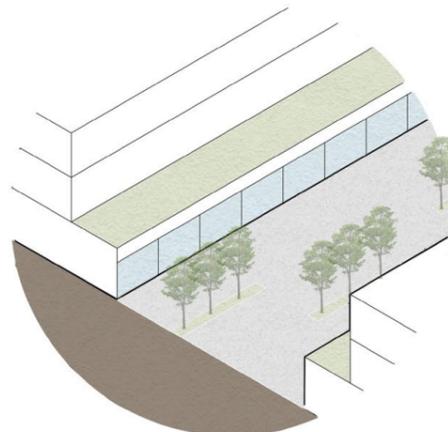


Community Public Gardens as Interactive Space

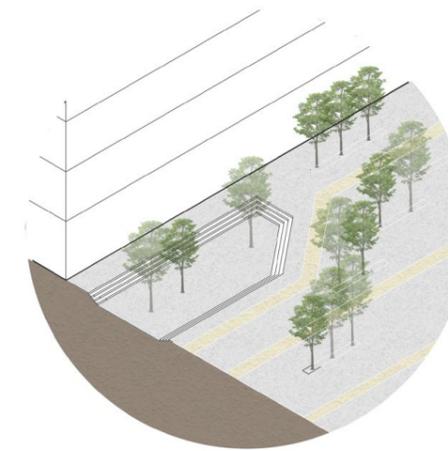
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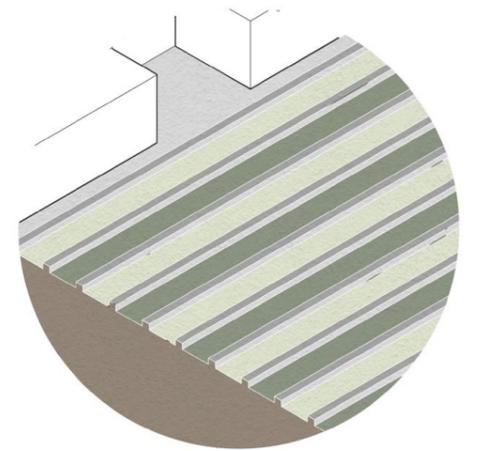
Sustainable Public Mobility as Connector



Commercial Street as Connector



Commercial Hub as Interactive Space



Activity Hub as Interactive Space
(Urban farming, flea market etc.)

STRATEGIES


Create multifunctional ecological spaces and services



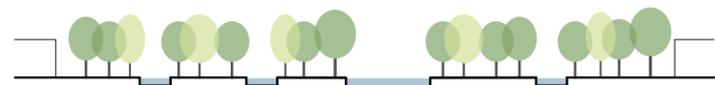
Resilient & multifunctional ecological corridors
e.g. riverfront



Diverse healthy ecological services for purification and storage



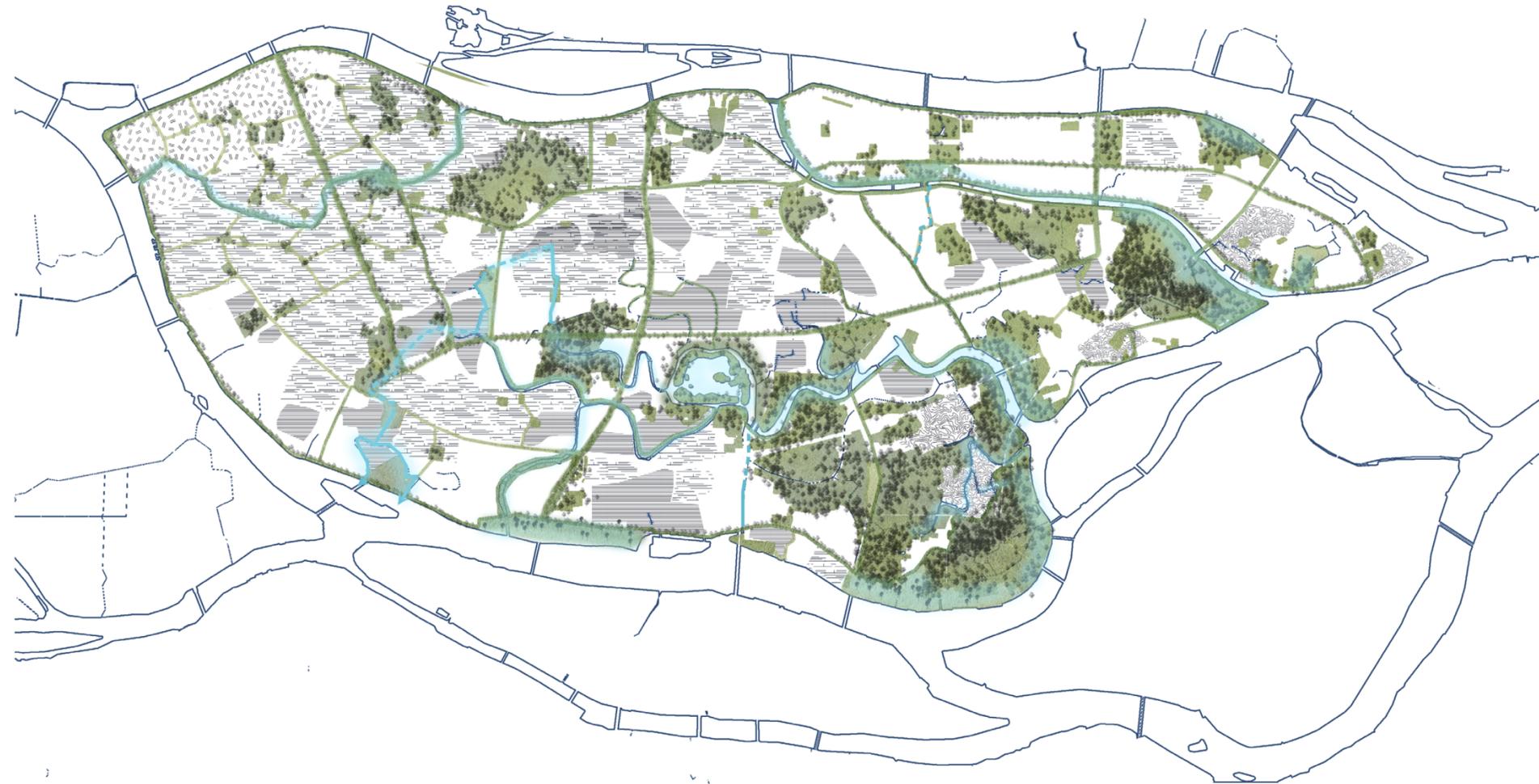
Abundant recreational and resilient public parks in the community



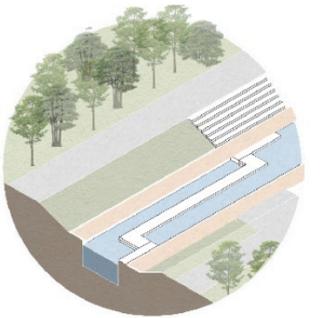
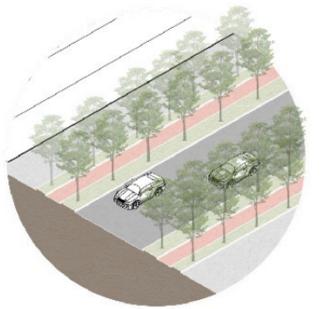
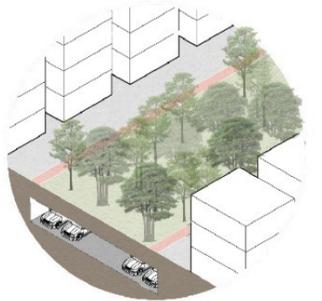
Improve the water management in the existing agricultural area and orchard

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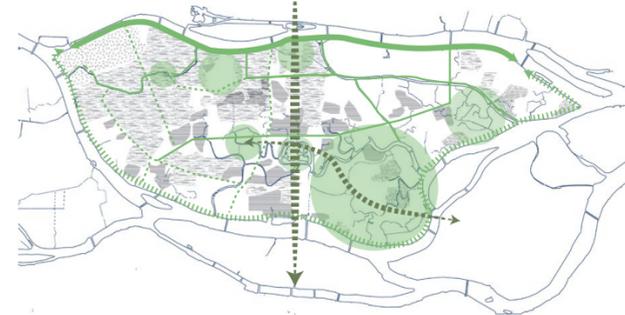
ECOLOGICAL SPACE



Corridor



Green structure



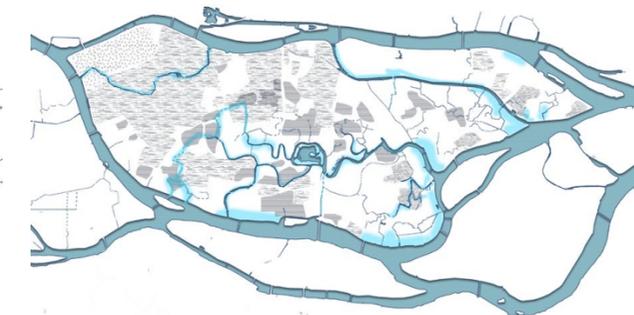
Understanding

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Principles

Blue structure



Exploration

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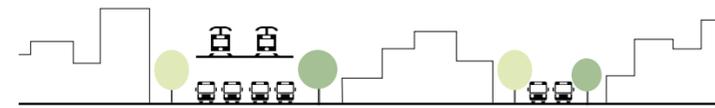


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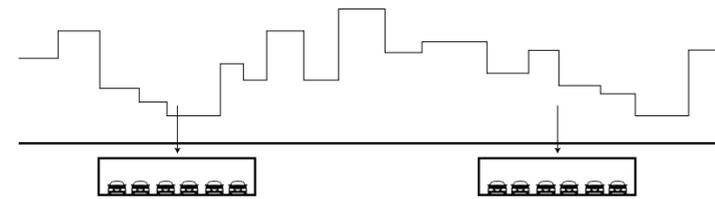
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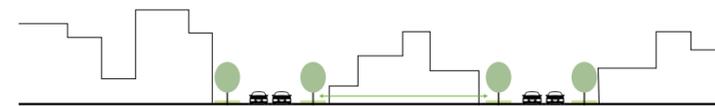
Enhance the accessibility and interconnection to different social and ecological spaces



Diverse means of public mobility to respond to the daily needs for transportation



Sustainable mobility system to adapt to the fast development

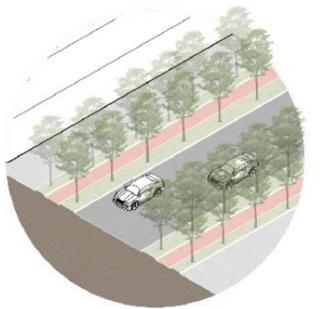
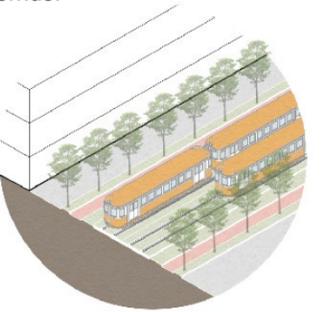


Continuous greenway as slow mobility

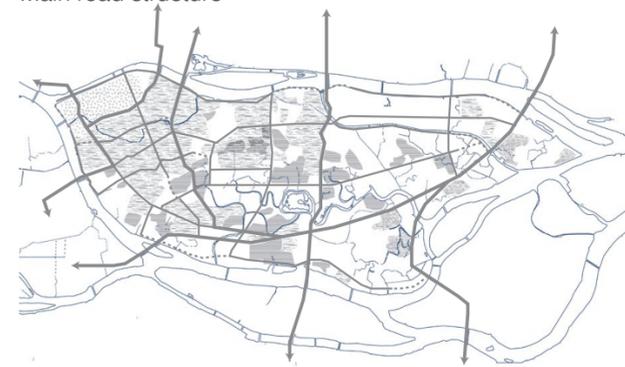
MOBLIZED INFRASTRUCTURE



Corridor



Main road structure



Slow mobility structure



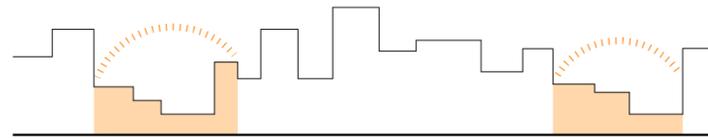
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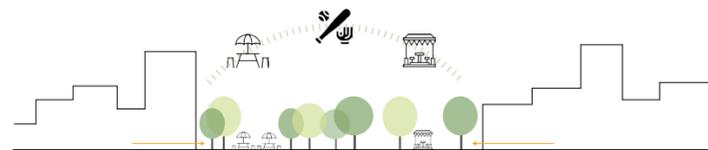
STRATEGIES



Regenerate more diverse and integrated public spaces for inclusive use



Several city hubs of urban functions as core zones for residents

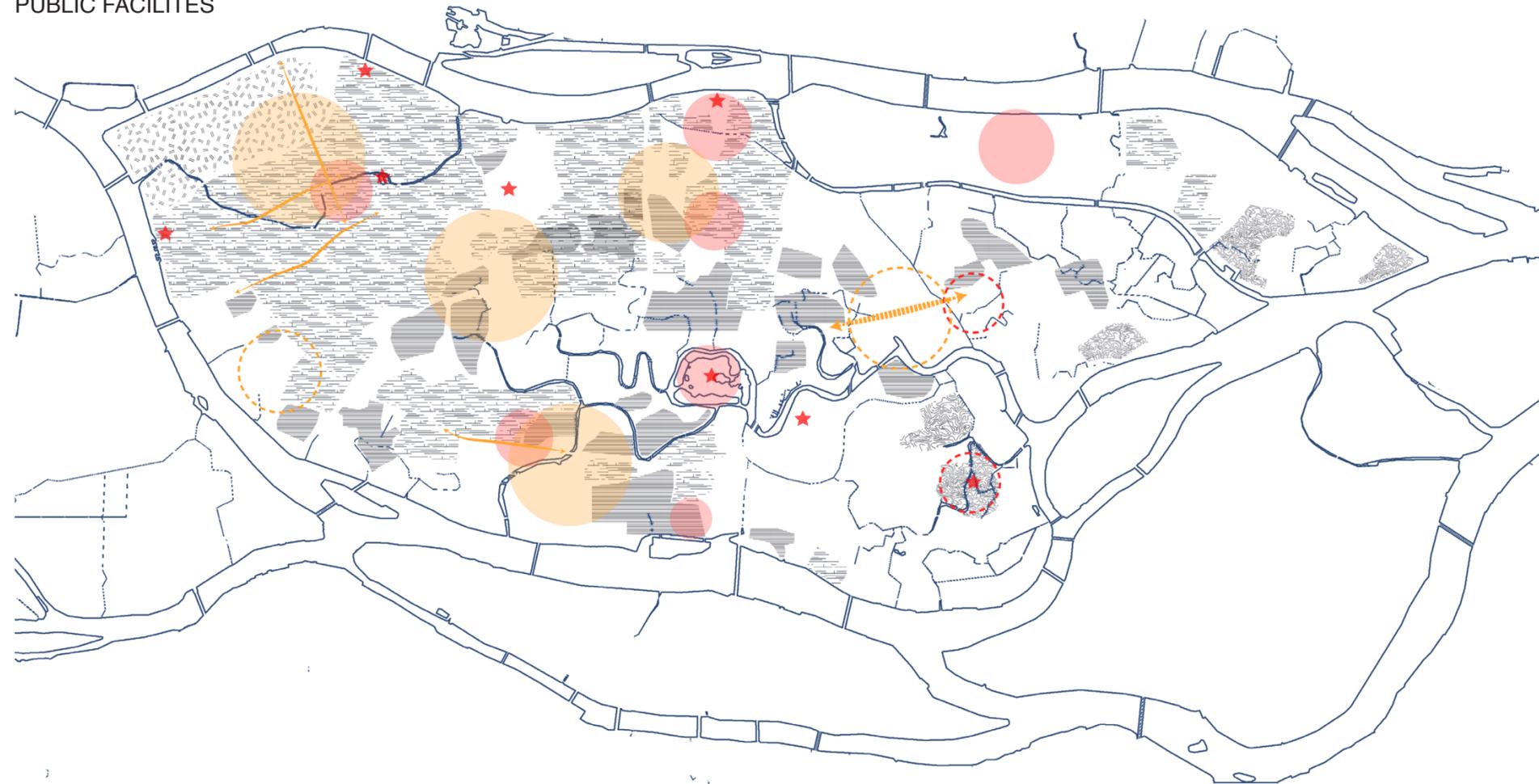


Diverse activities in public space for all levels of people

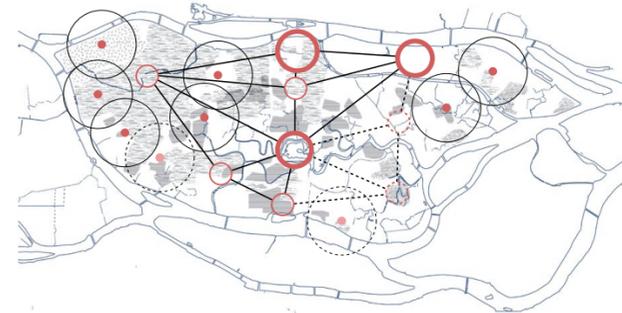


Sufficient public spaces in communities

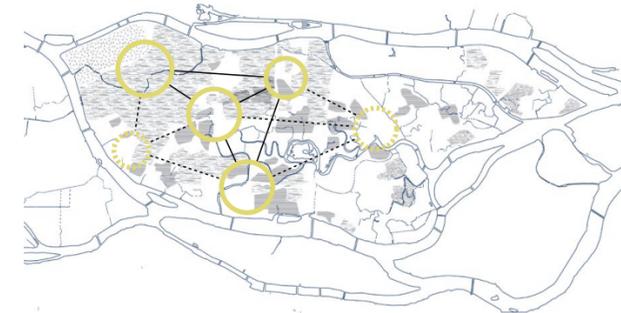
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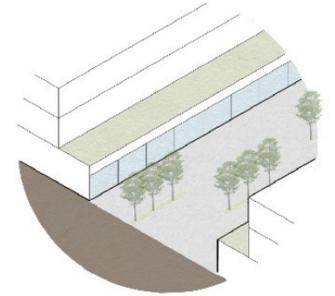
Public facility center structure



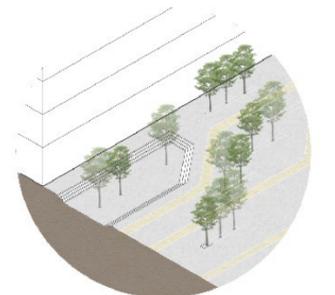
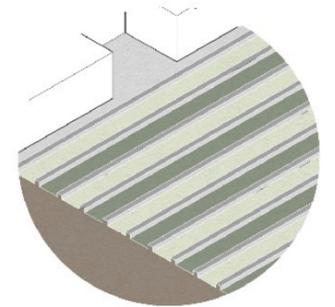
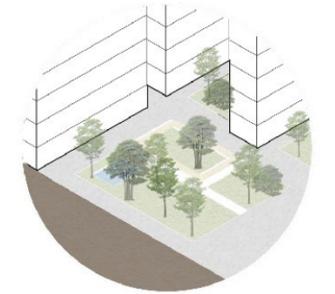
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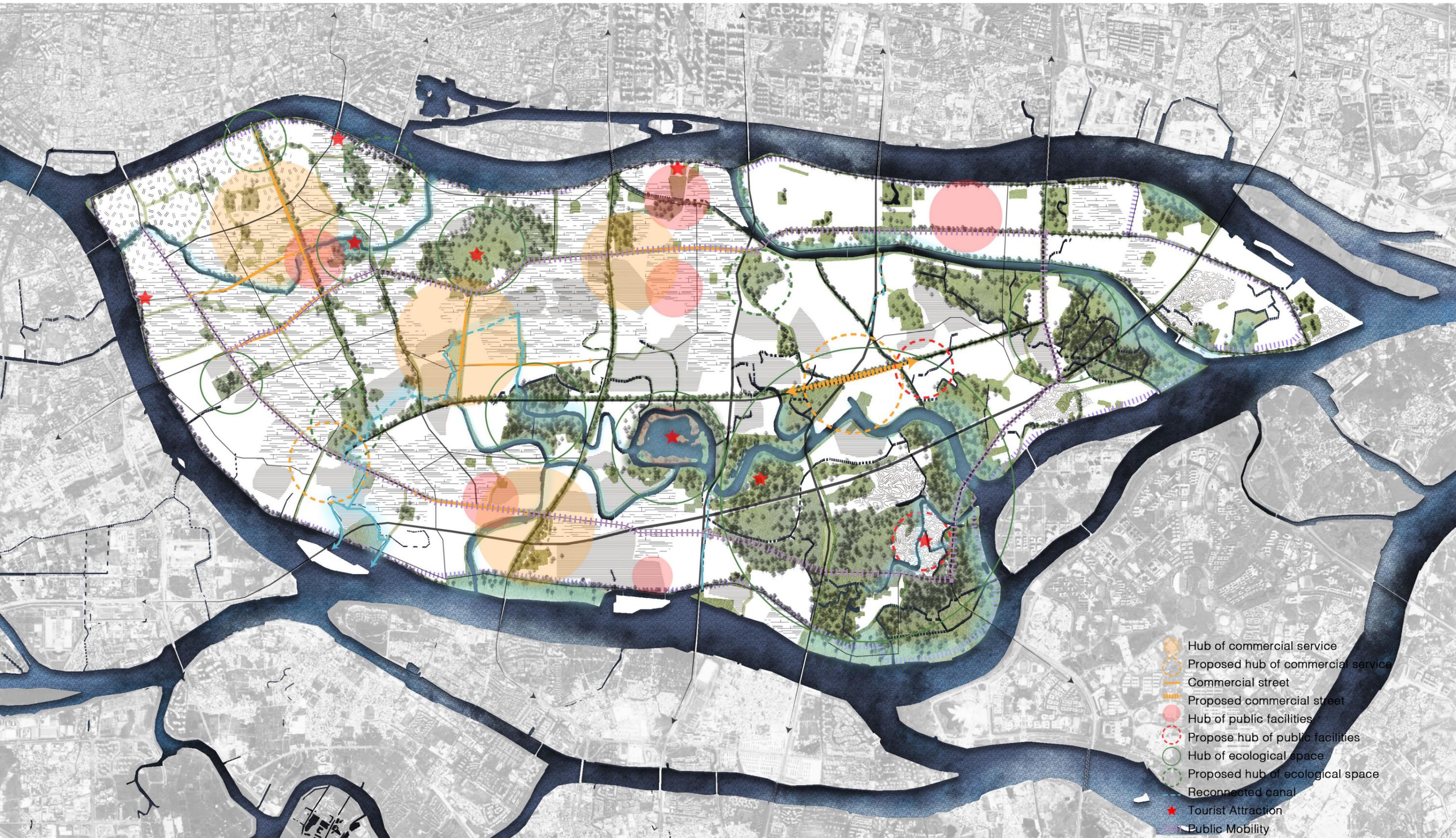


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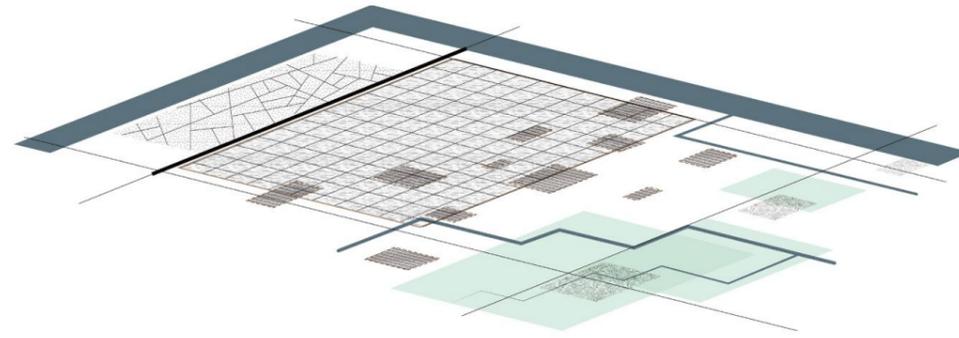


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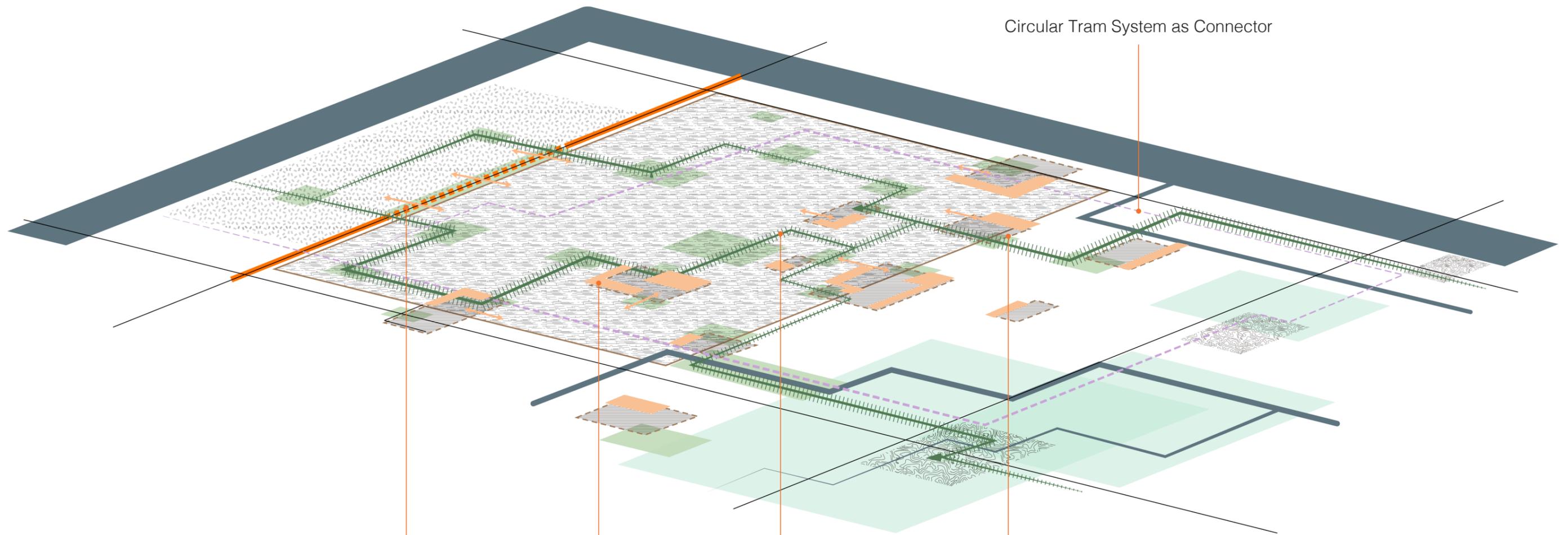




Regional Socio-Spatial Segregation



Regional Socio-Spatial Integration



Circular Tram System as Connector

Ecological Corridor as Connector

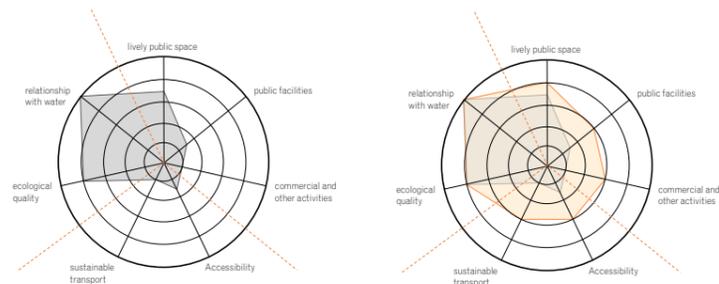
New Settlements as Buffer Zone

Continuous Greenway as Connector

Social Public space for Interaction and Interconnection

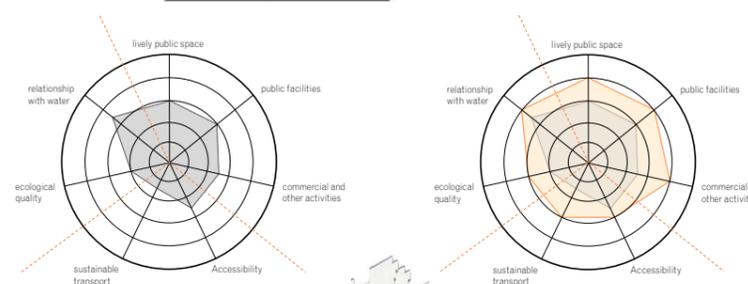
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Spatial quality improvement in community Historical Village



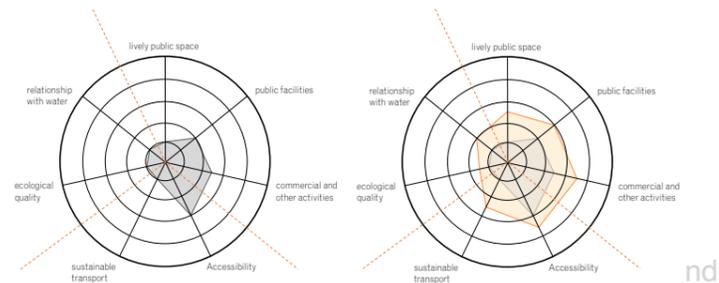
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Traditional Community



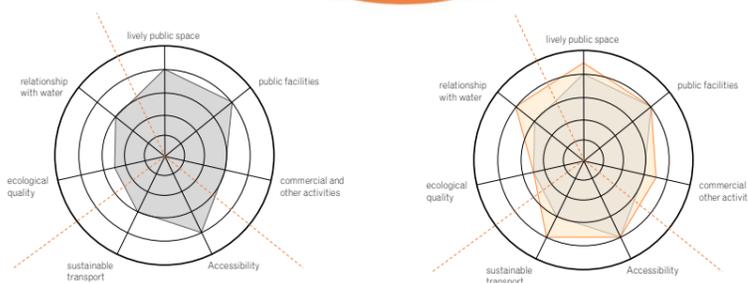
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Urban Village



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Ecological Spaces +

Modern Community



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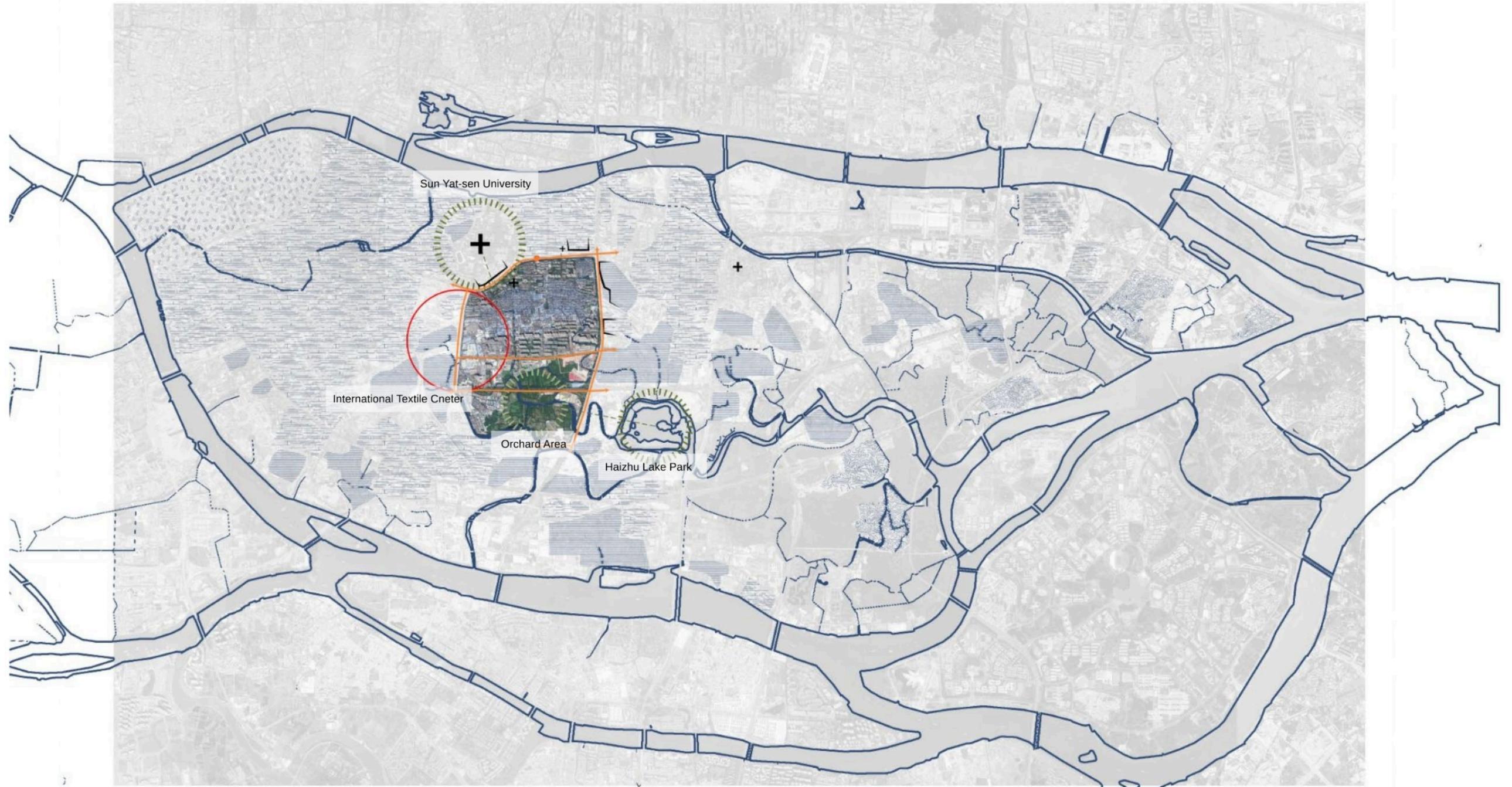
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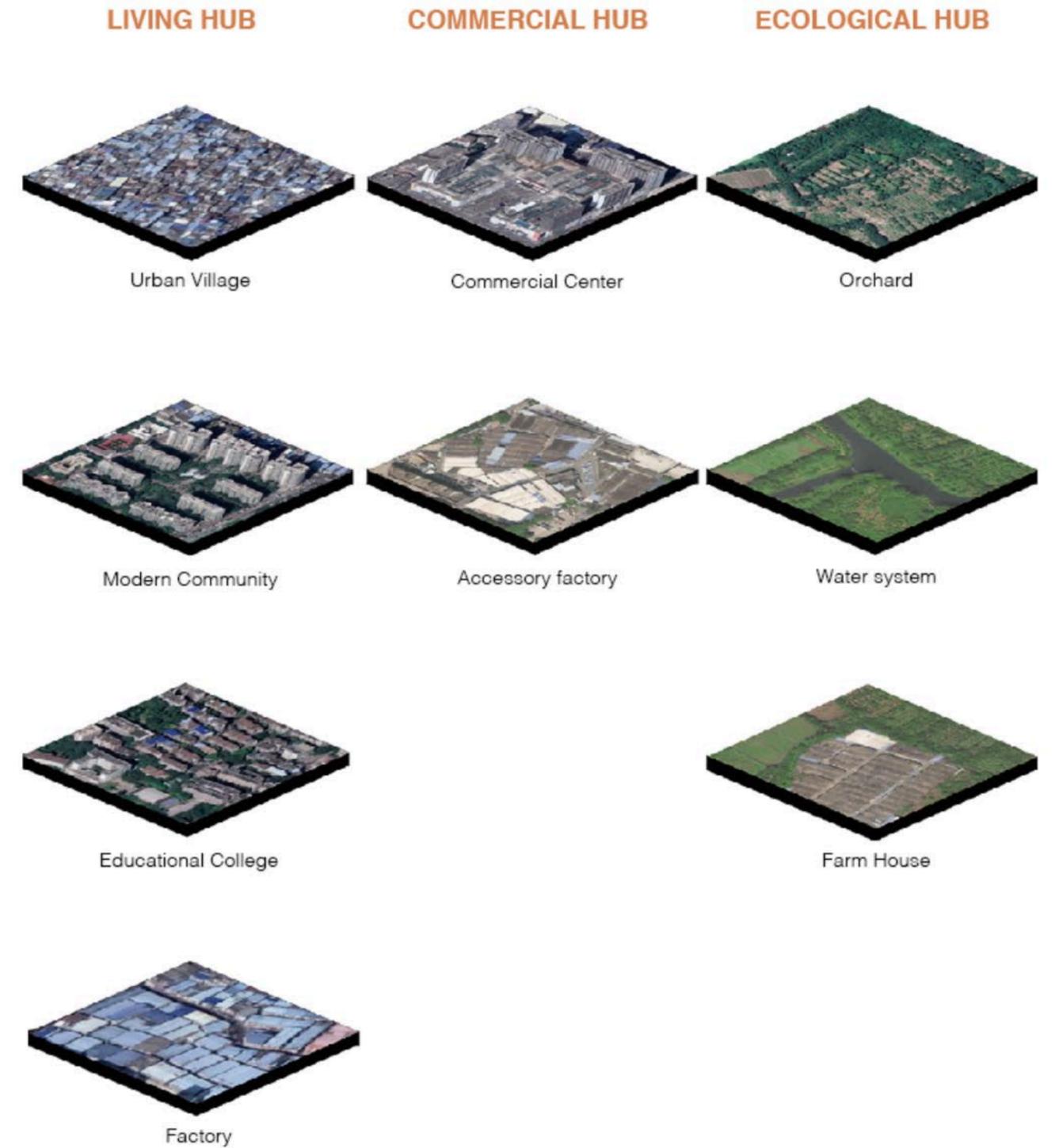
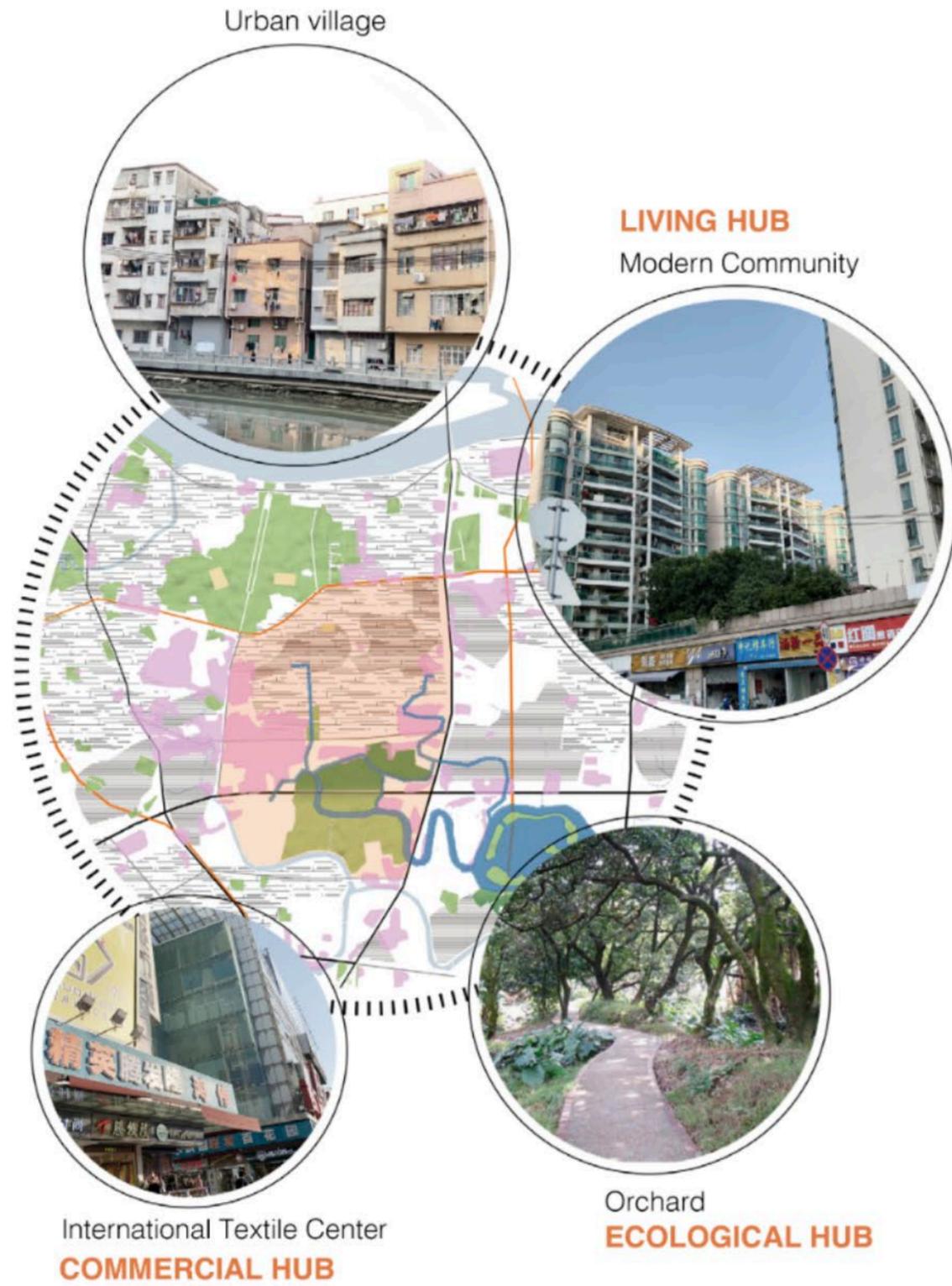
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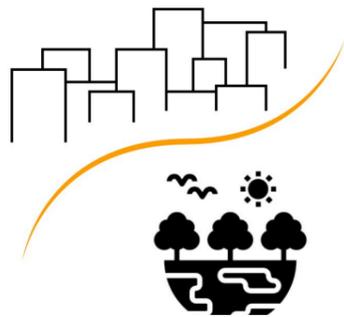
DESIGN EXPLORATION







ECOLOGICAL



Disconnection between ecological spaces and built environment



Lack of green spaces for ecological value



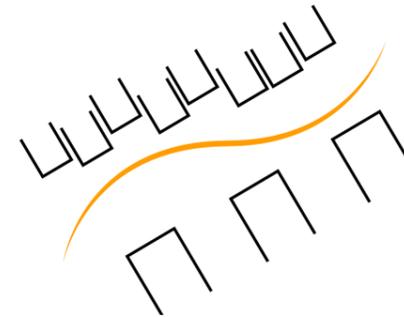
Poor water quality



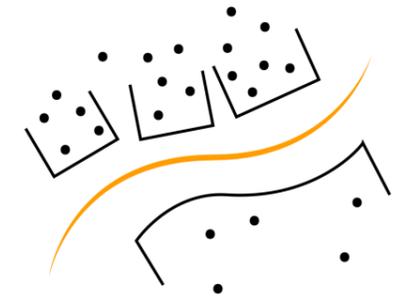
Lack of sustainable techniques of space confronting climate change



SOCIAL



Lack of spatial and functional connection between urban village and modern community



limited interaction between immigrants and local residents in the living hub



The connection between communities is blocked by certain boundaries

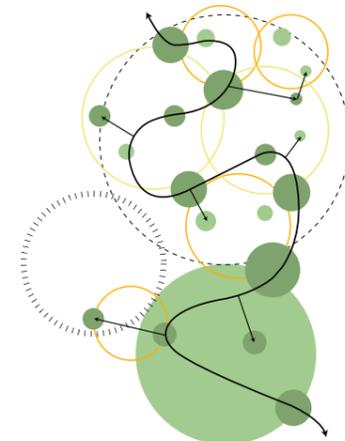
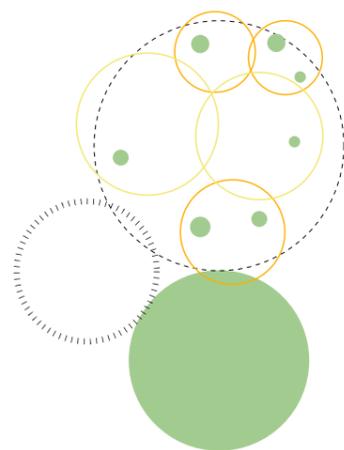
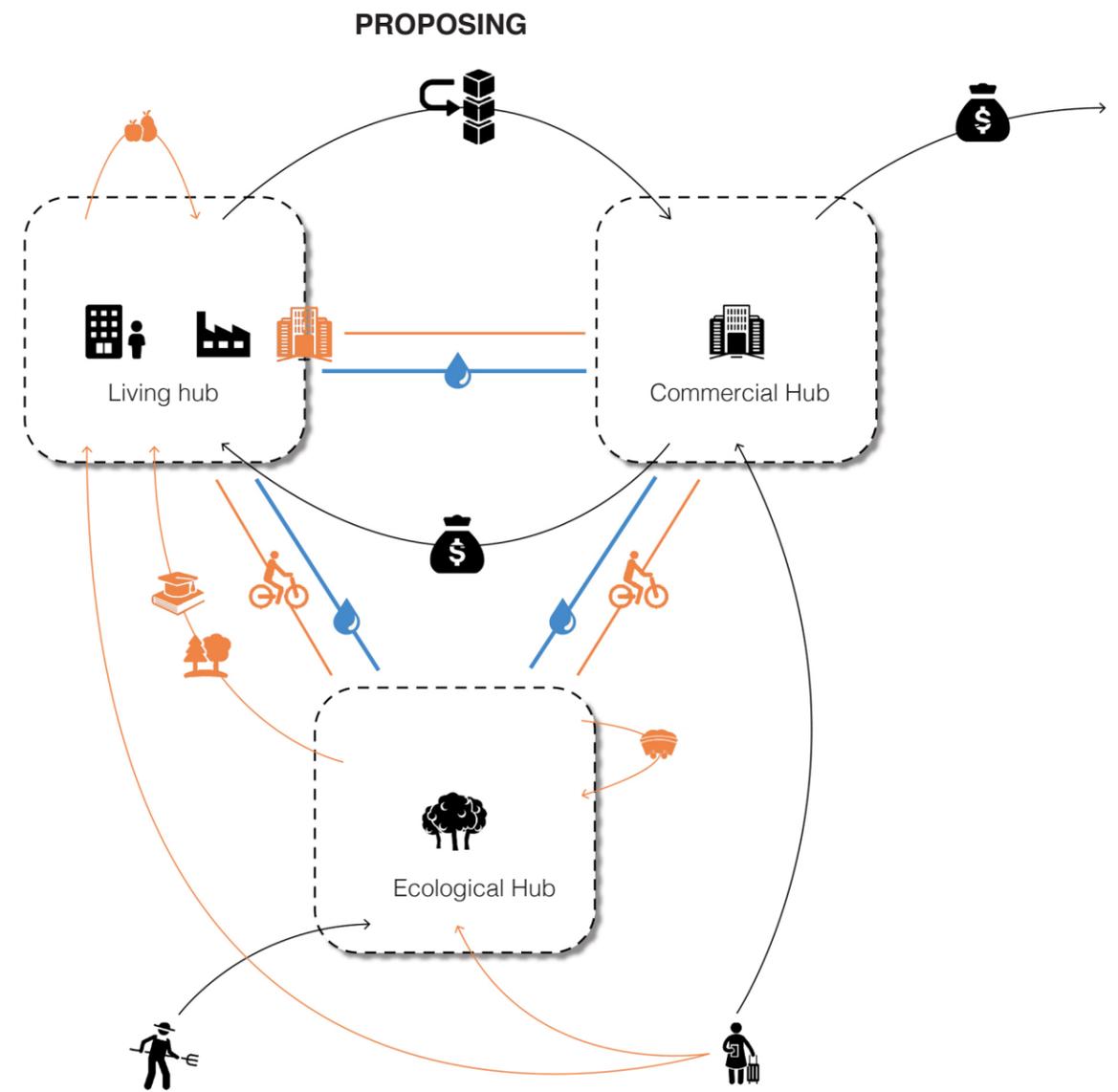
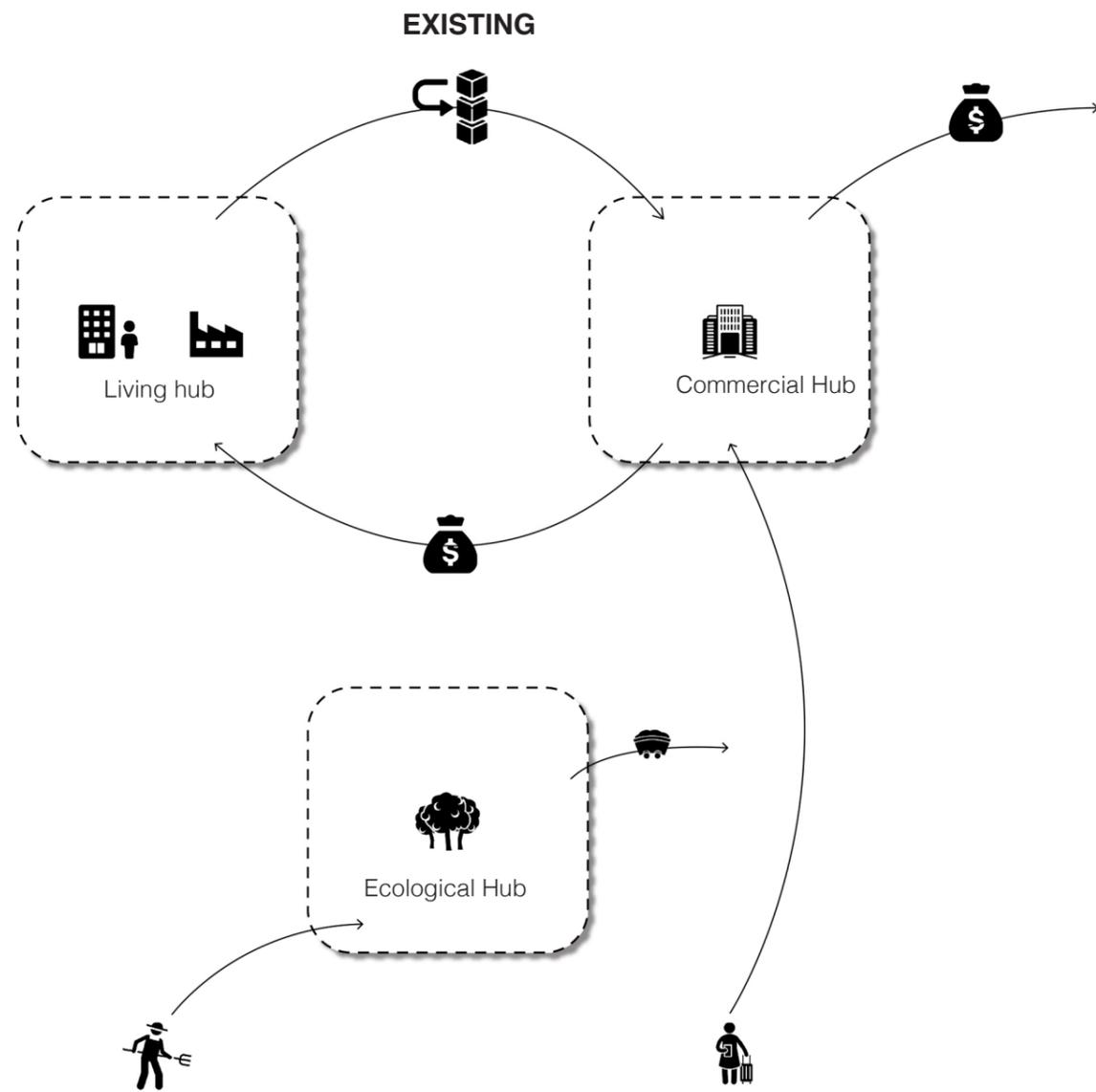


Lack of public space where residents can contact with each other



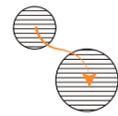
Lack of activities along the waterfront area





**INTEGRATE THE THREE HUBS
AND INCREASE INTERACTION BY
INTRODUCING CORRIDOR AND NODE
AS SOCIAL ECOLOGICAL NETWORK**

CORRIDOR AS CONNECTOR



CONNECT

Elements

- Infrastructure
- Waterway
- Roads
- Greenway
- Different experience routes

Improve interconnection and accessibility to social and ecological spaces

NODE AS INTERACTIVE SPACE

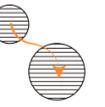


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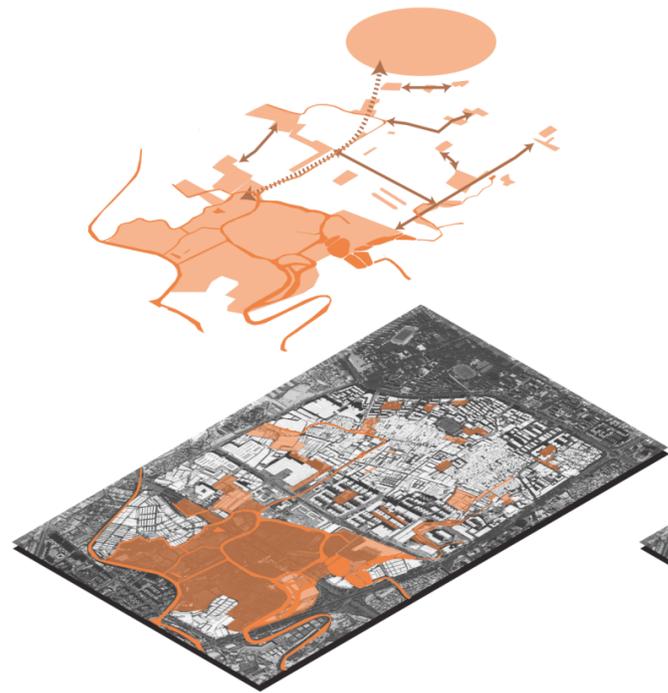
Elements

- Large Open Space
- Commercial Space
- Ecological Space
- Recreational Space
- Pocket Space in Community

Make use of the existing vacant areas to regenerate new public activities and vitalize the communities

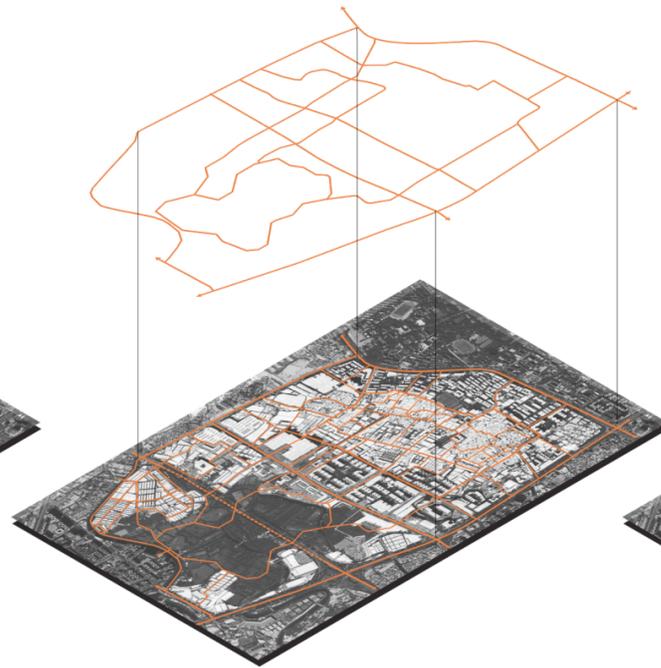


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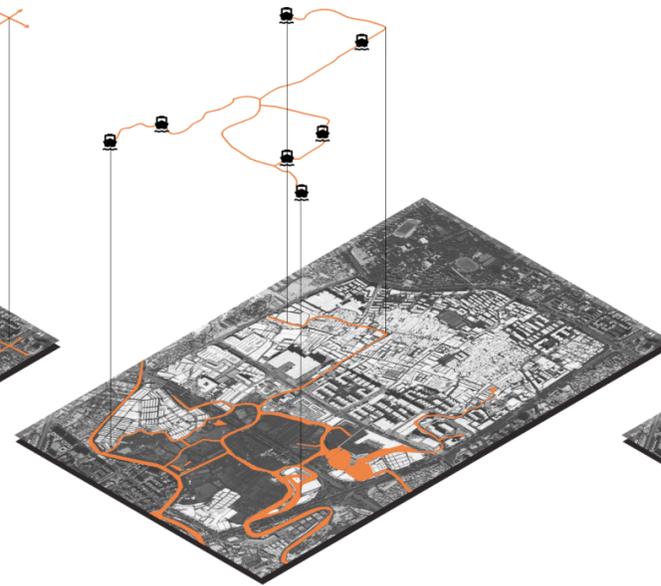
ECOLOGICAL CONNECTION

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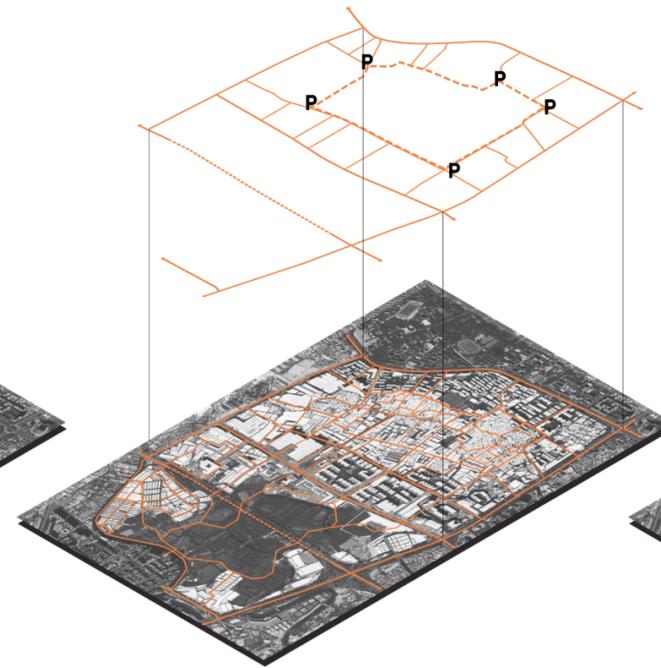
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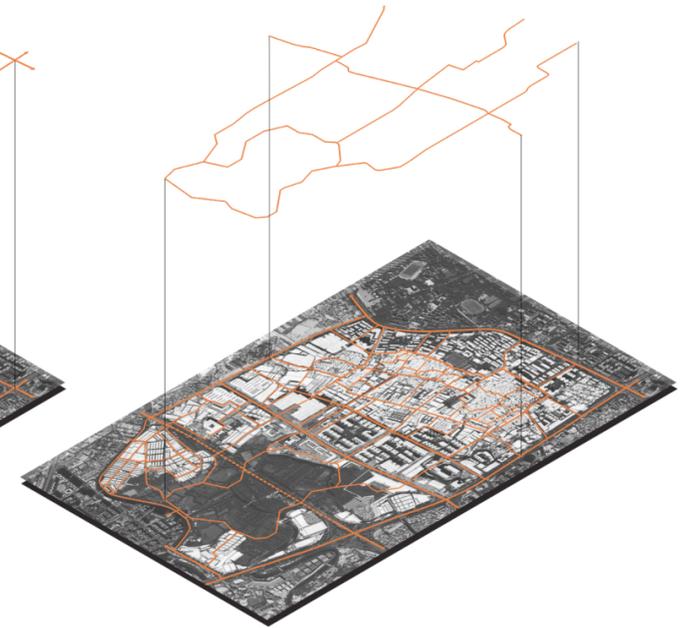
CRUISE

Principles



SLOW TRAM

Exploration



EXPERIENCE ROUTES

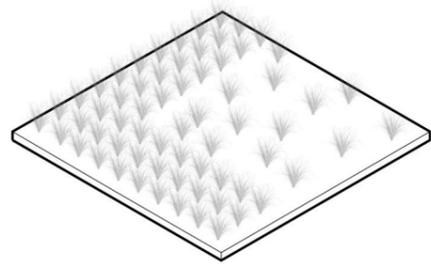
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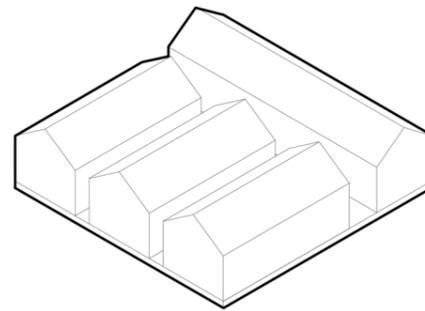


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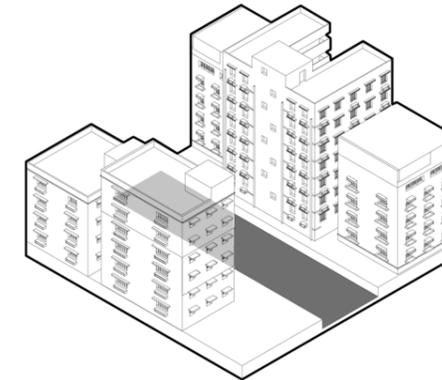
Before



Vacant land/ Parking lot

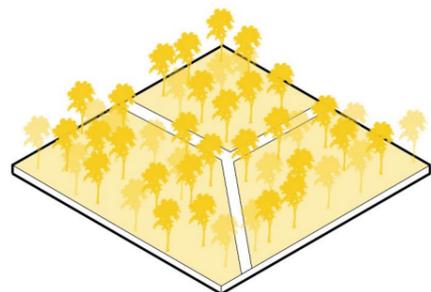


Abandoned Factories

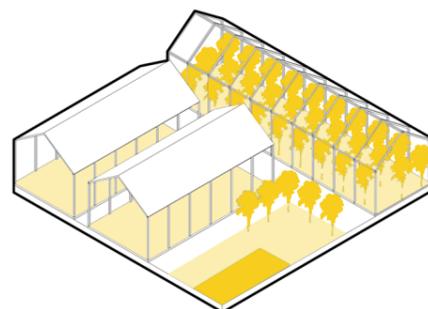


Water

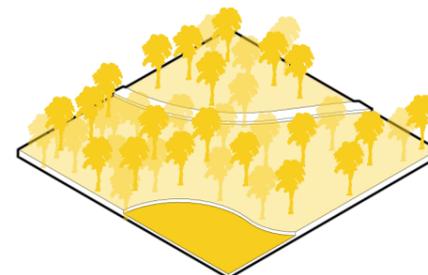
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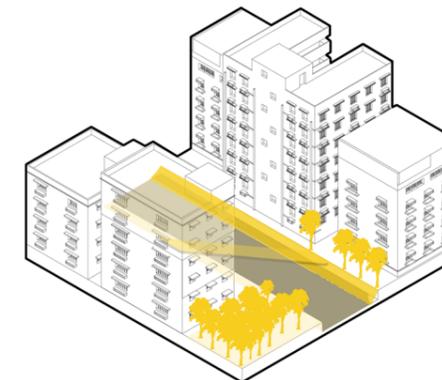
Transform into ecological / recreational space



Keep the existing structure
Transform factories into new functions as urban farming, cafe, etc.



Transform into ecological / recreational space

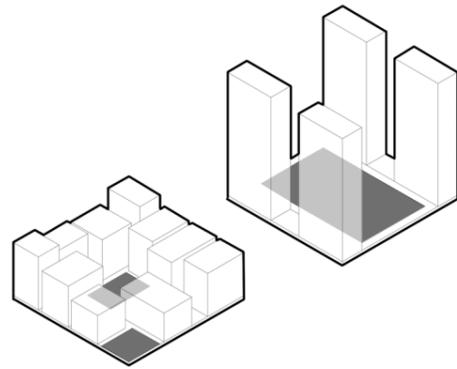


Create multifunctional waterfront area
Walking bridge for connection

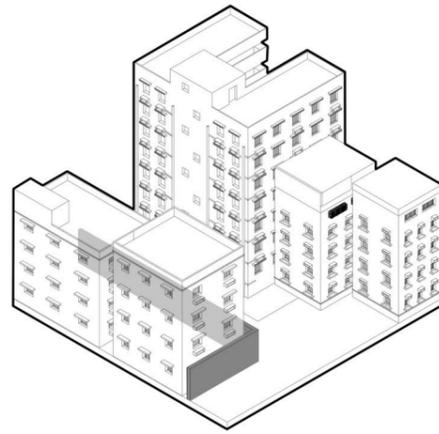


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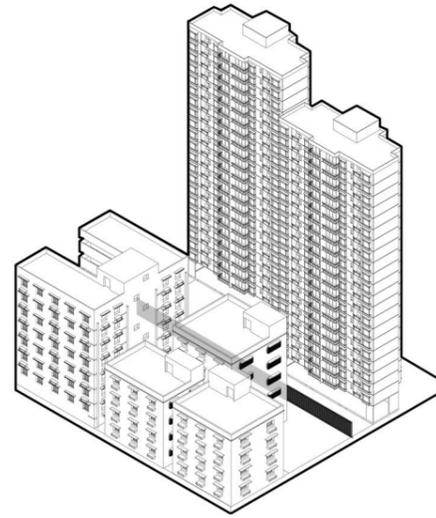
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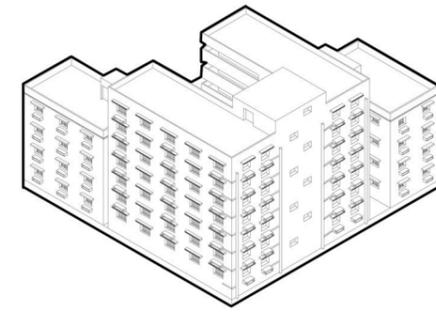
Quality of space



Wall

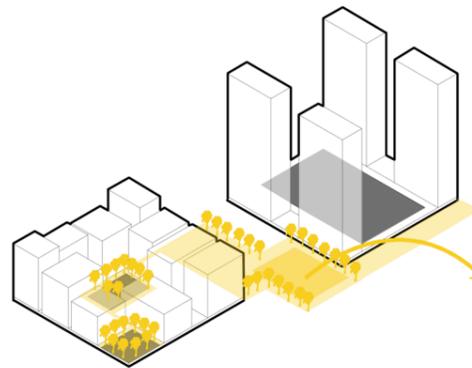


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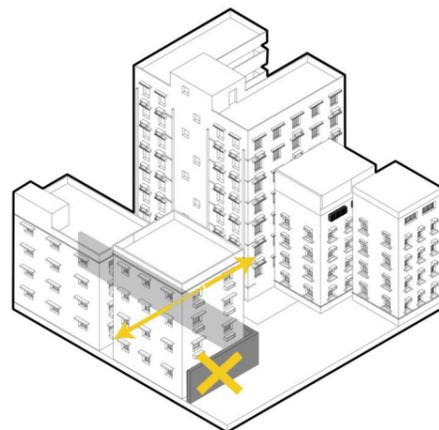


Building in bad quality

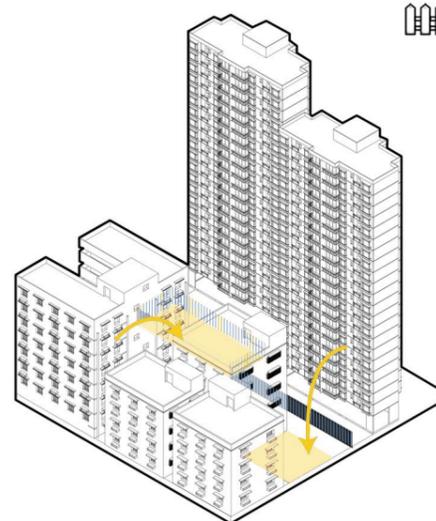
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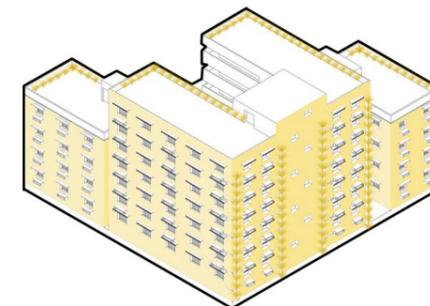
Renew public space with multiple uses & functions



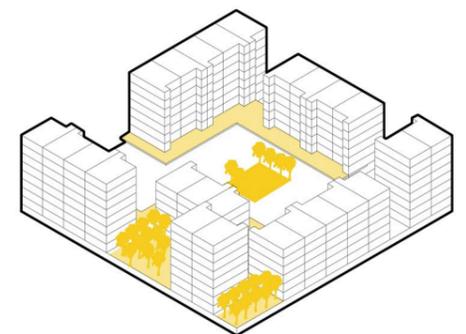
Remove the wall
Improve the connection



Relocate the fence
Open certain area for public

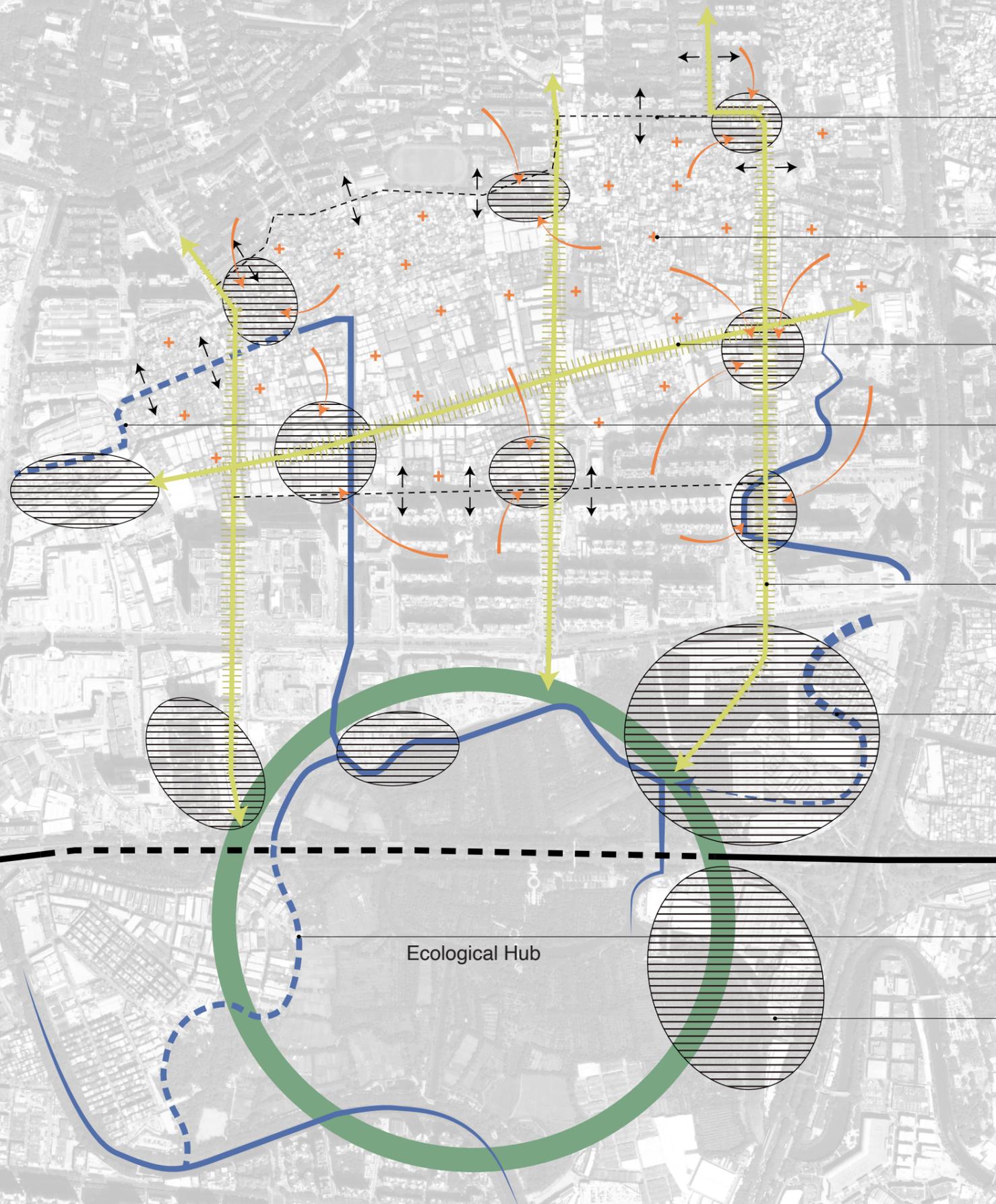


Renew the facade & rooftop



Create new building typology
as open community

Spatial Concept



Improve the integration and decrease the negative effect of boundary between the modern community and urban village

Create open public space inside the urban village for sharing, communicating, sports, etc.

Connect commercial and living hub

Extend the existing canal and create livable waterfront space

Integrate ecological value from the ecological hub to the living hub and build up interconnection

Purify the water from the living hub and activate the site as a recreational park where residents can have social activities and the ecological value can be strengthened and realized

Remove the road and create connection between ecological spaces between both sides

Extend canal for better water management in the ecological hub

Create more room for the water, reactivate the space with floodable islands and floating housing for future sustainable development

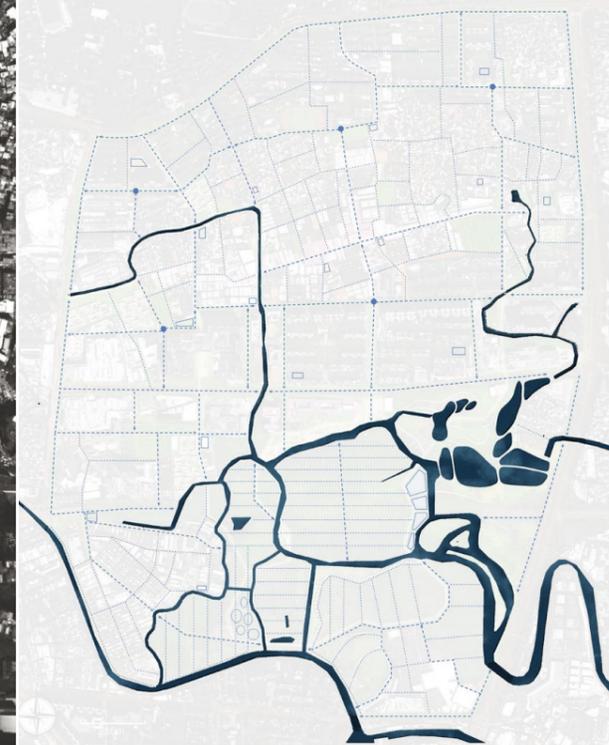
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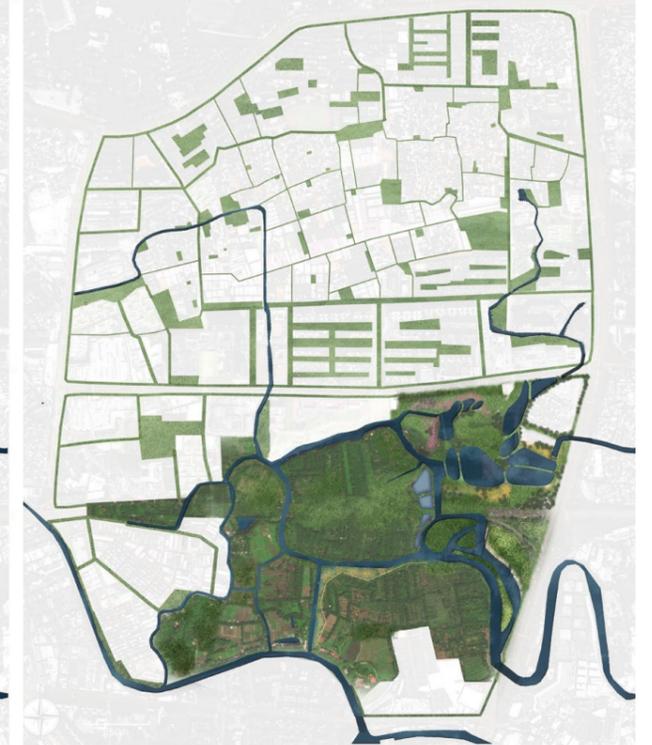
Master Plan



Water System



Green Network



Mobilized Infrastructure



Public Facilities



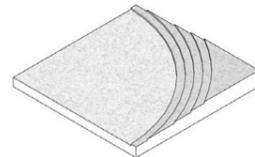
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2. retention ponds
3. pedestrian path
4. flower field
5. playground
6. waterfront space
7. open community
8. urban farming
9. community park
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14. floating houses
15. public space
16. flooding plain
17. urban plaza

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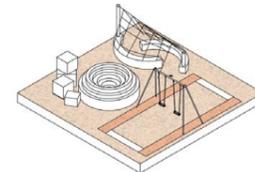
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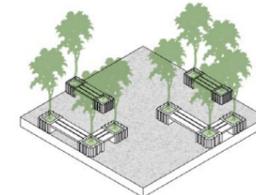
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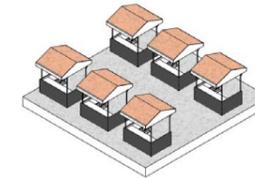
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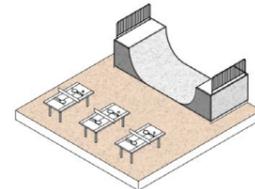
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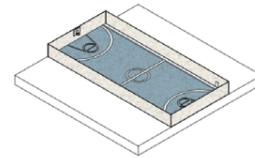
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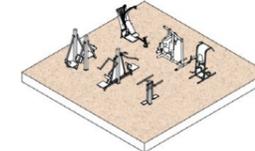
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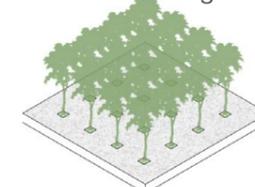
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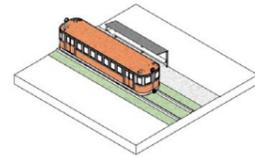


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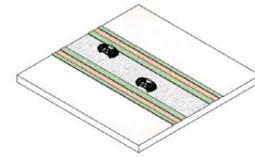


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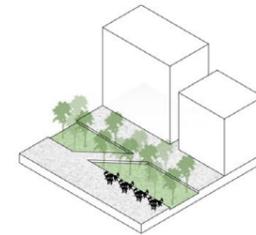
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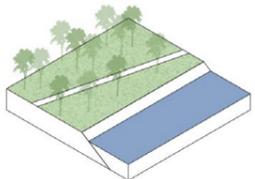
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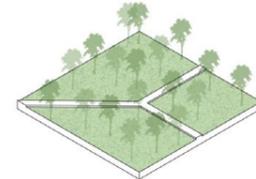
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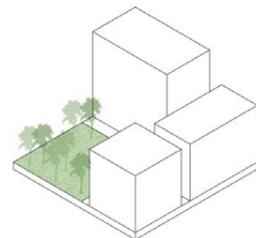
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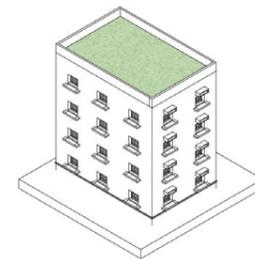
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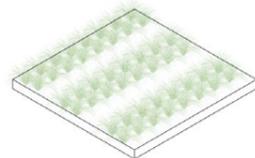
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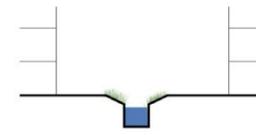


urban farming

Blue Space



water square



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permeable pavement



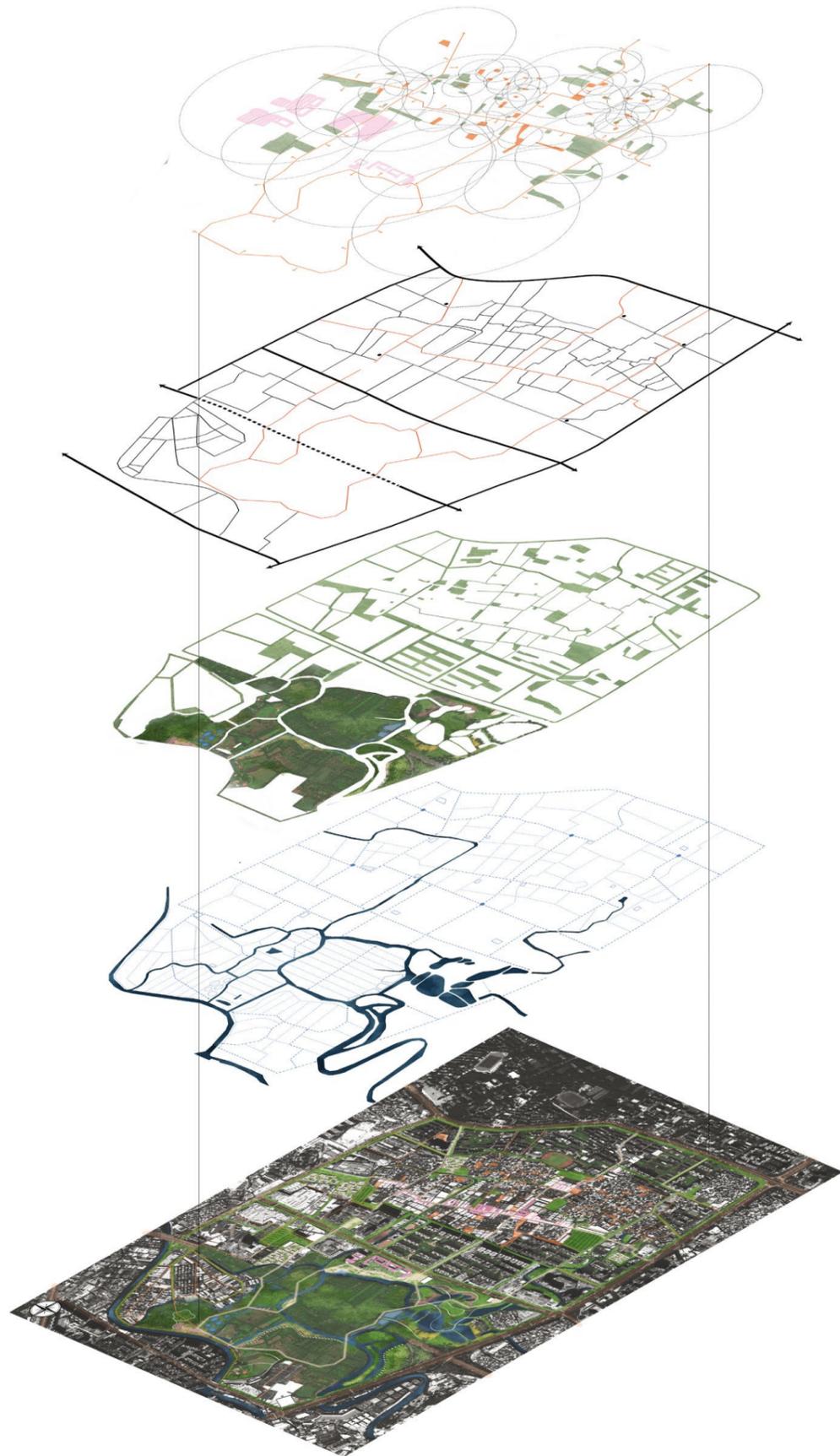
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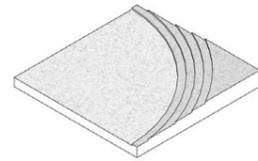
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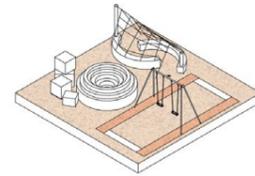
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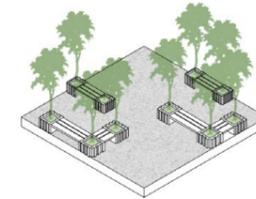
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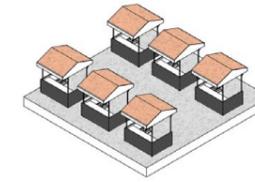
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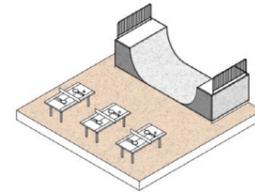
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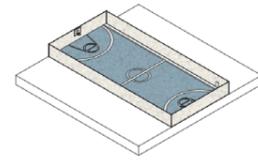
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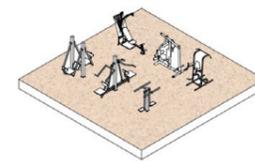
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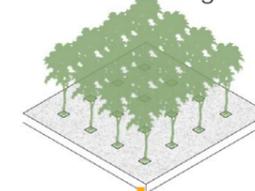
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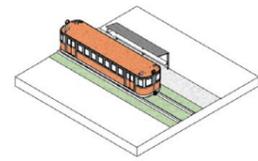


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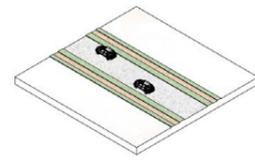


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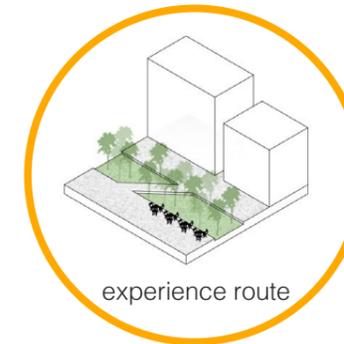
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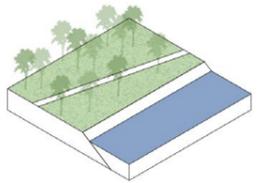


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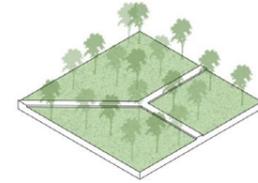
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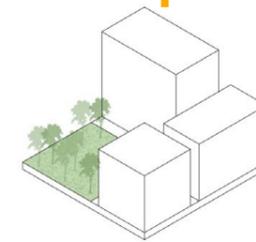
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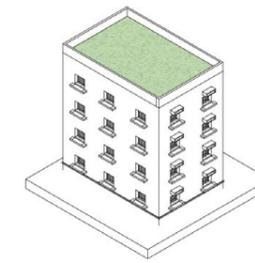
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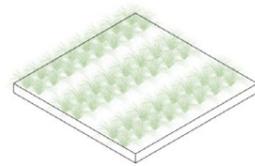
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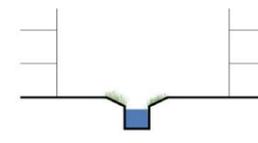


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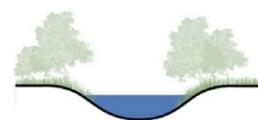
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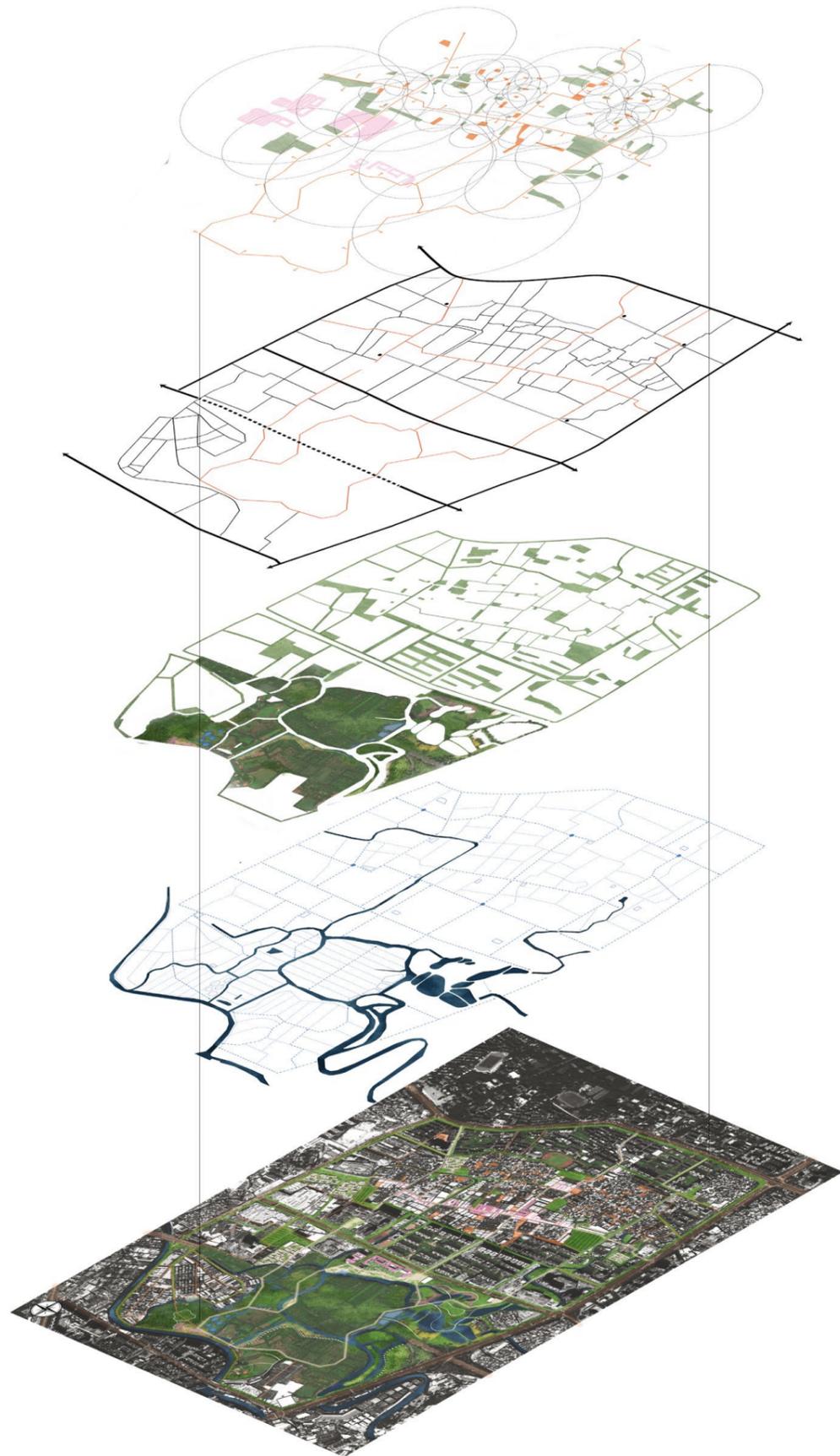
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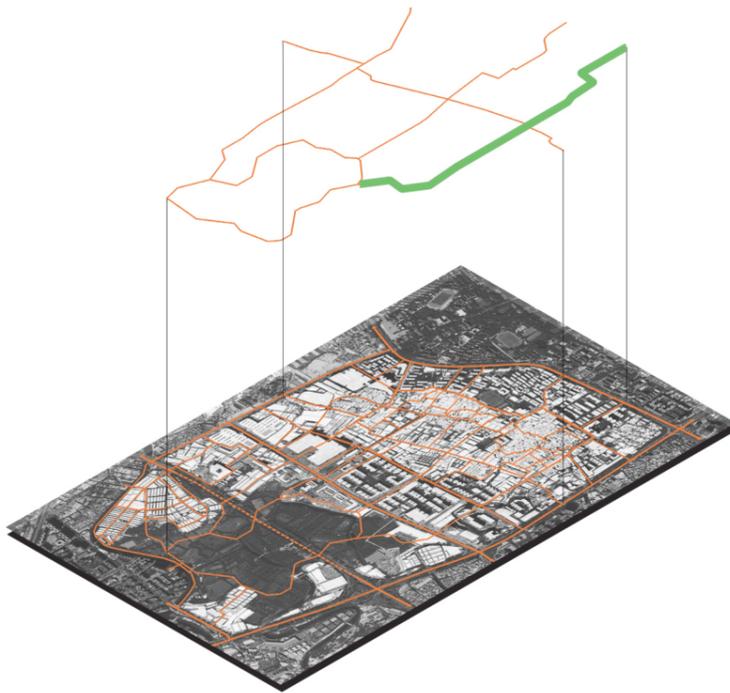


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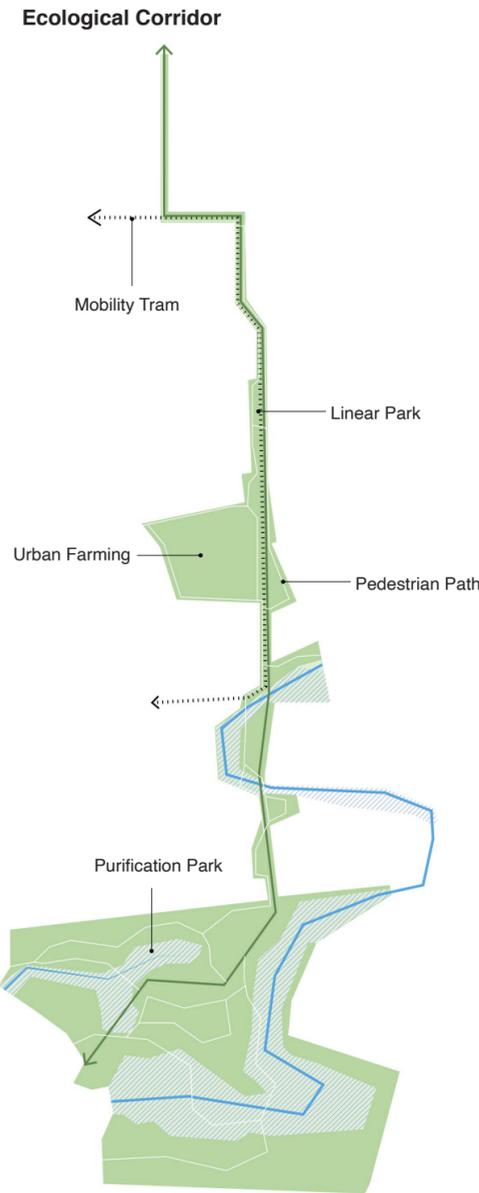
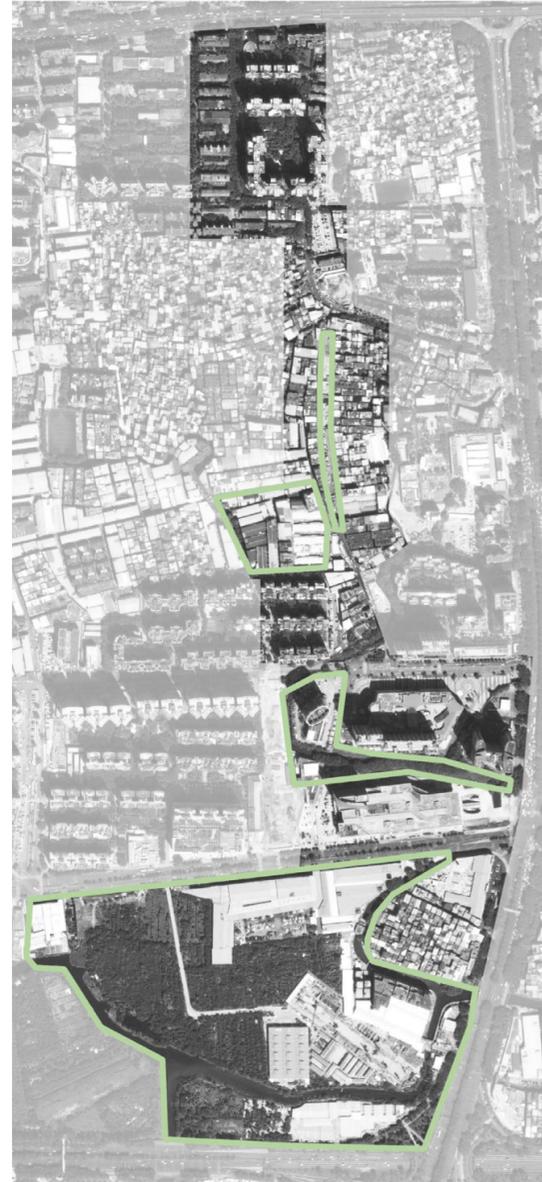




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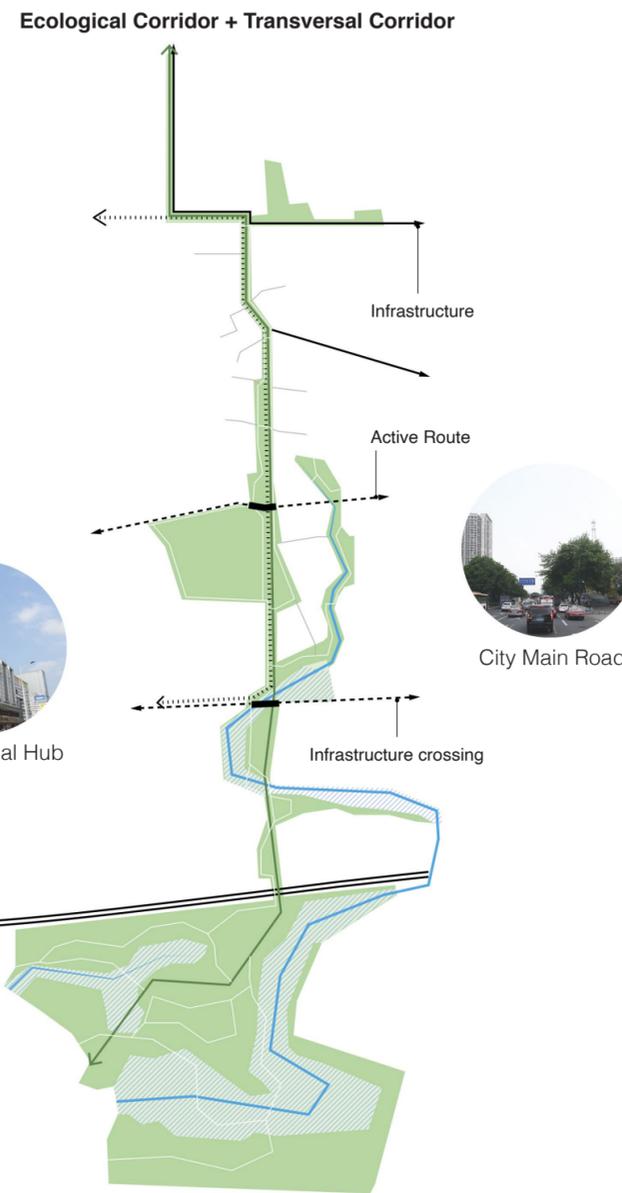
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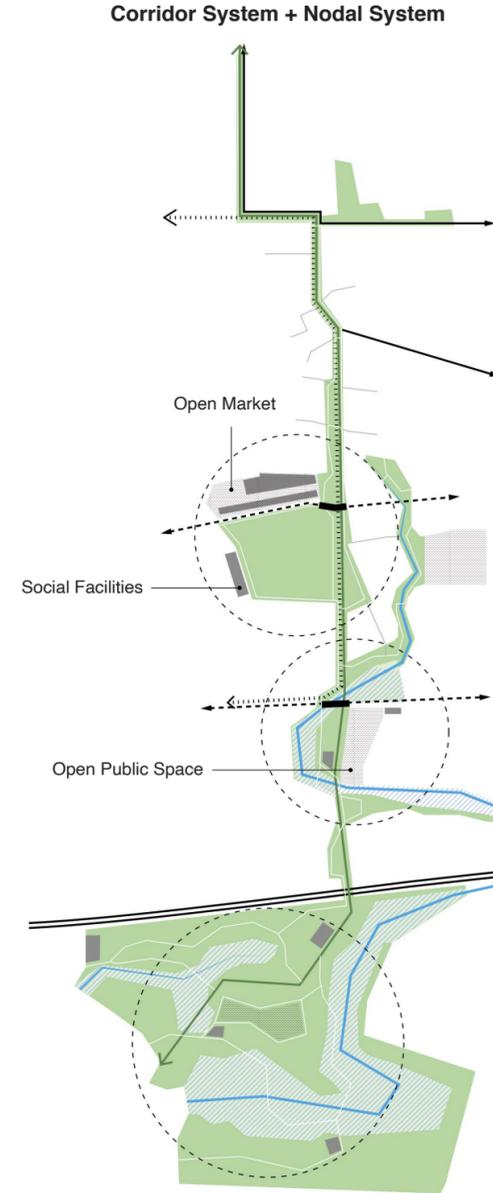


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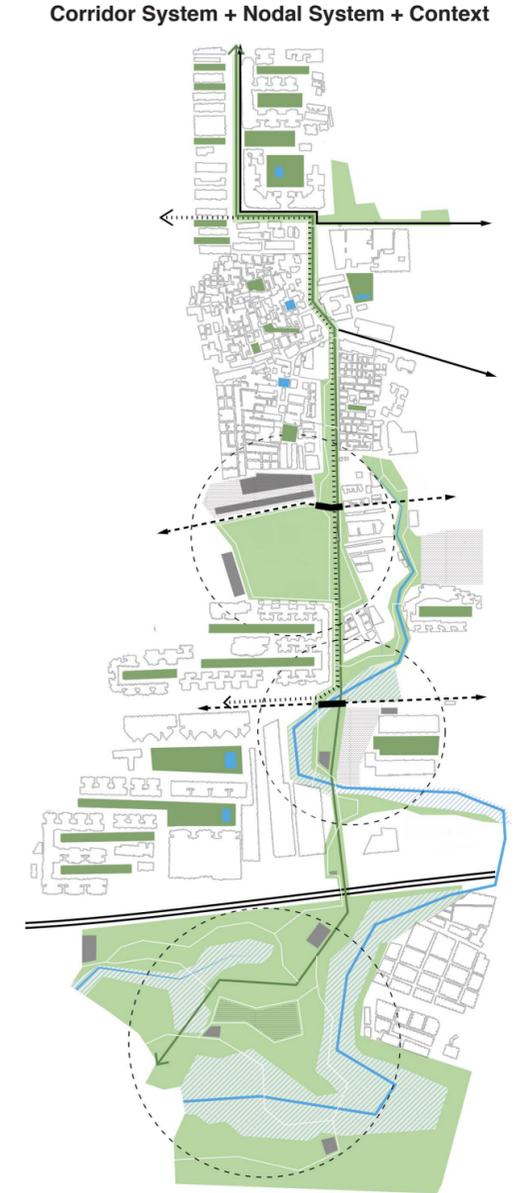
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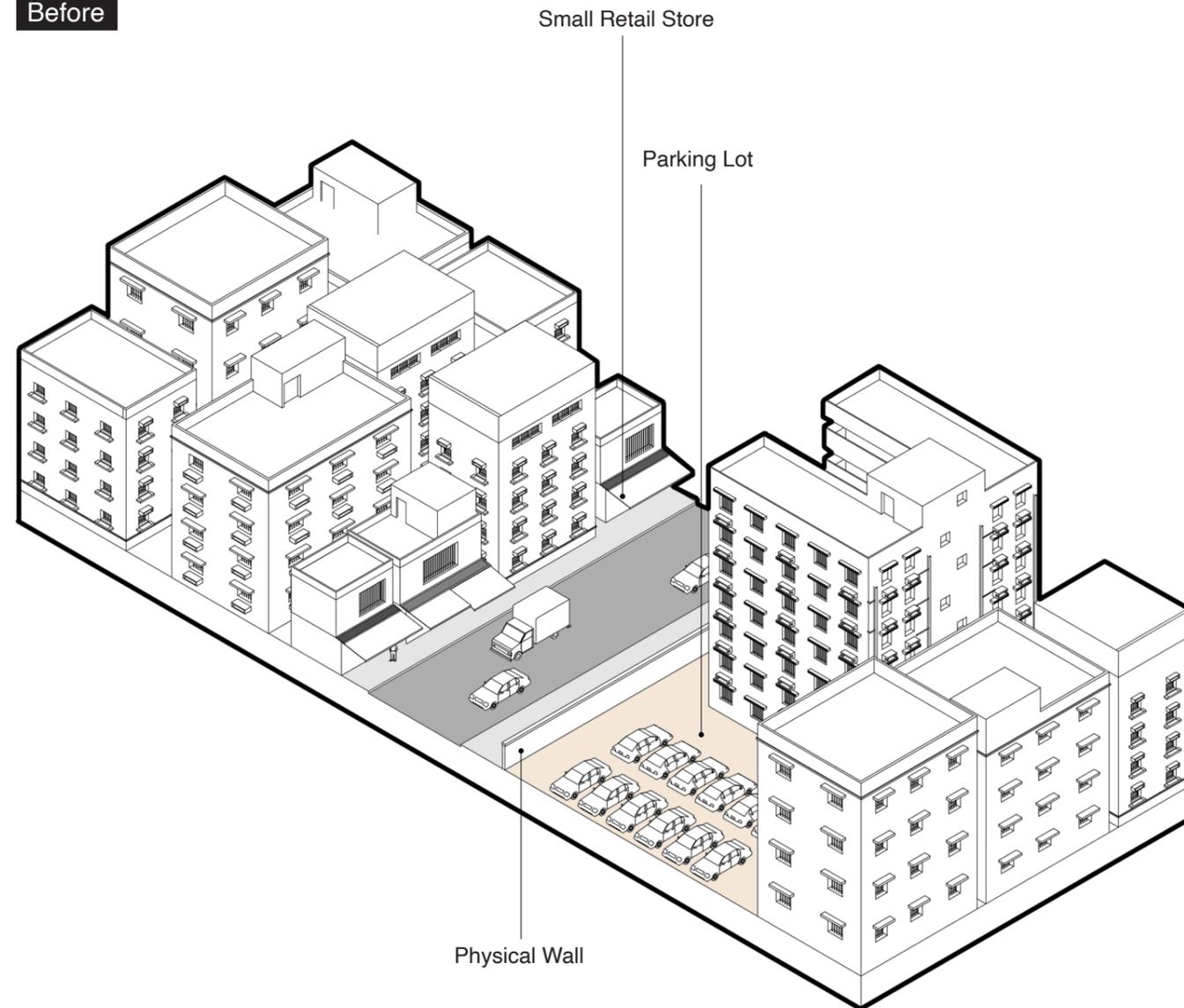


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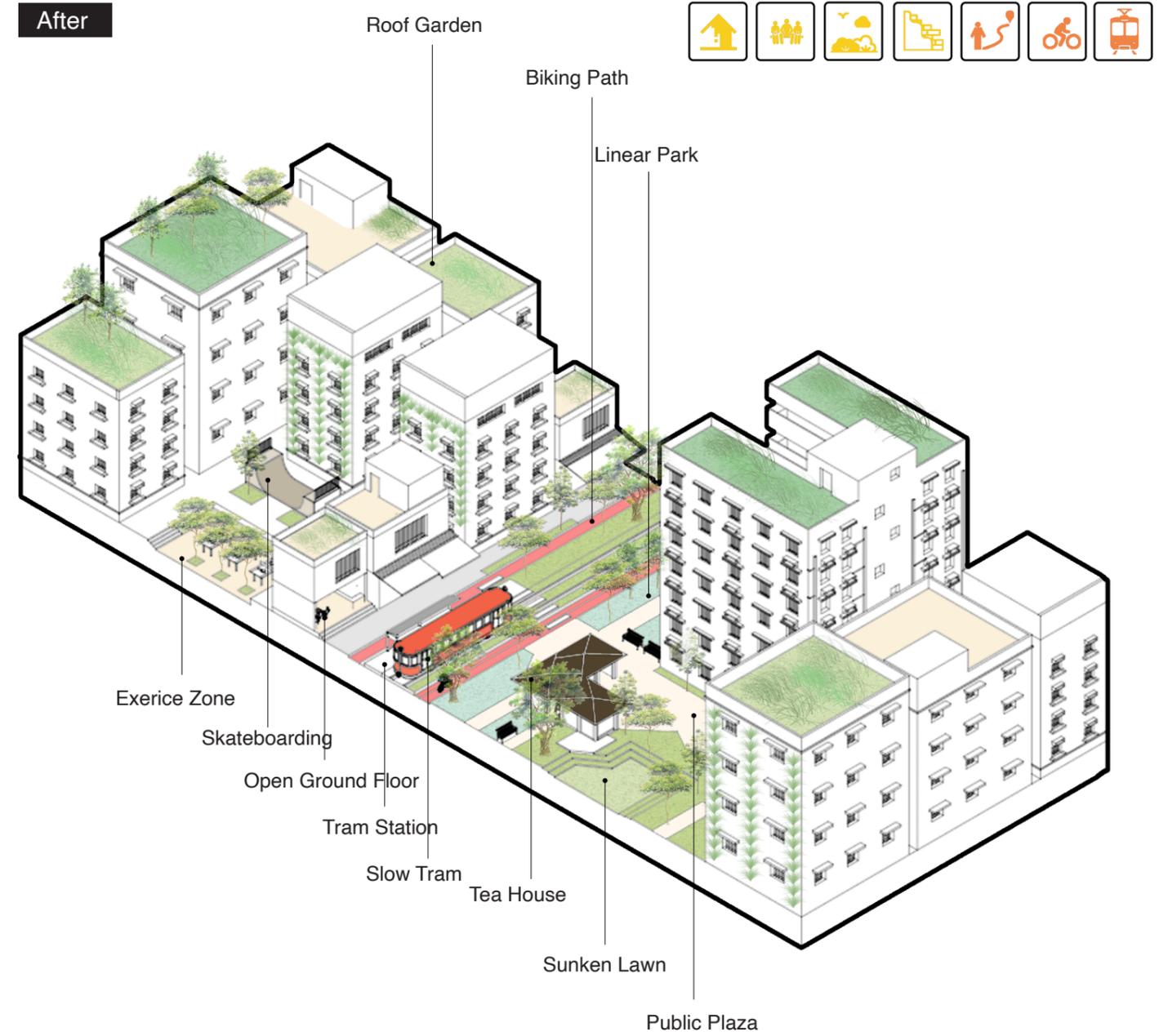
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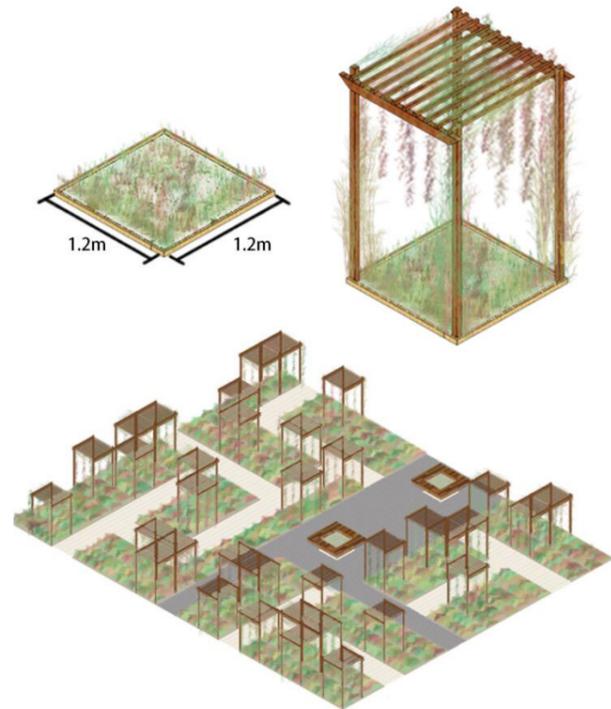
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Urban Farming Area

Modular urban farming area



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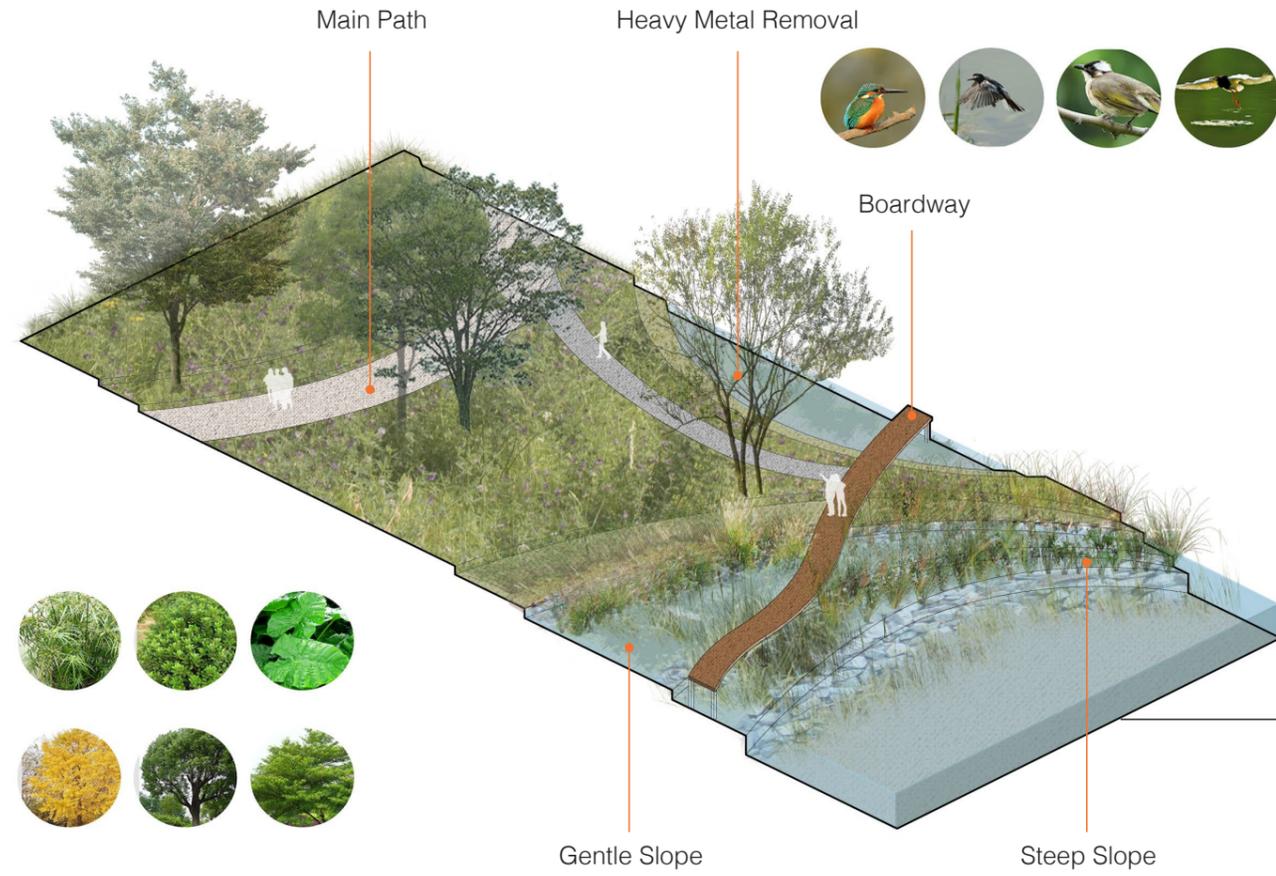
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Purification Park



Clean Water Impoundment

Sand Filter

Water Stabilization

Biological Purification

Nutrient Removal

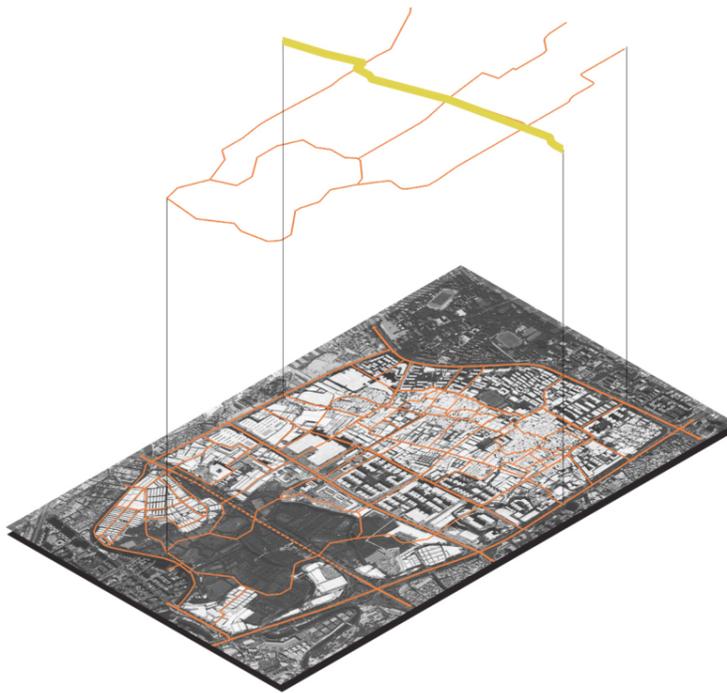
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Heavy Metal Removal

Subsurface Filtration

Bio-Purification

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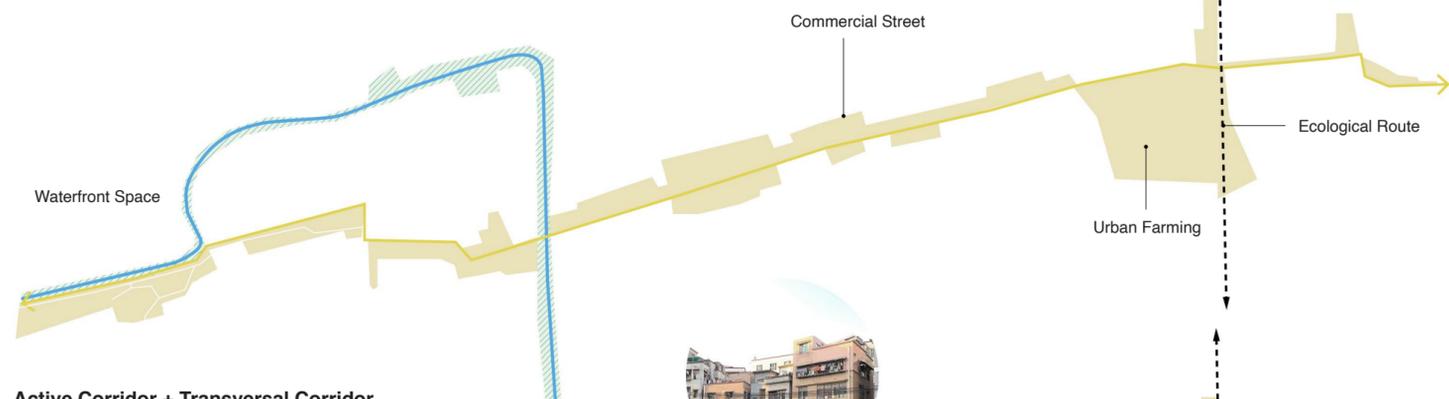
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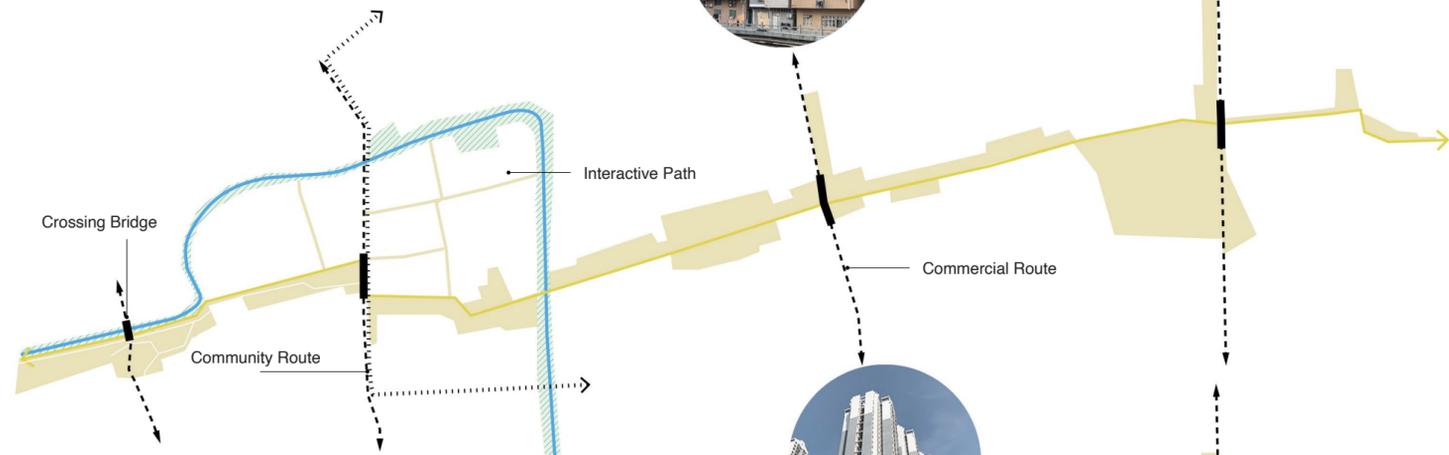
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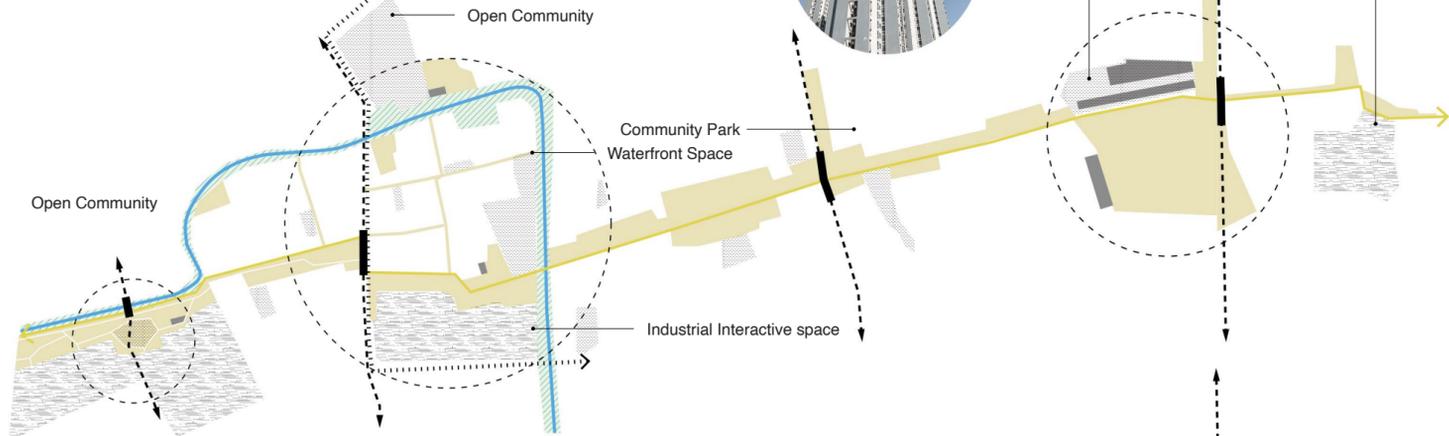
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Active Corridor + Transversal Corridor



Corridor System + Nodal System



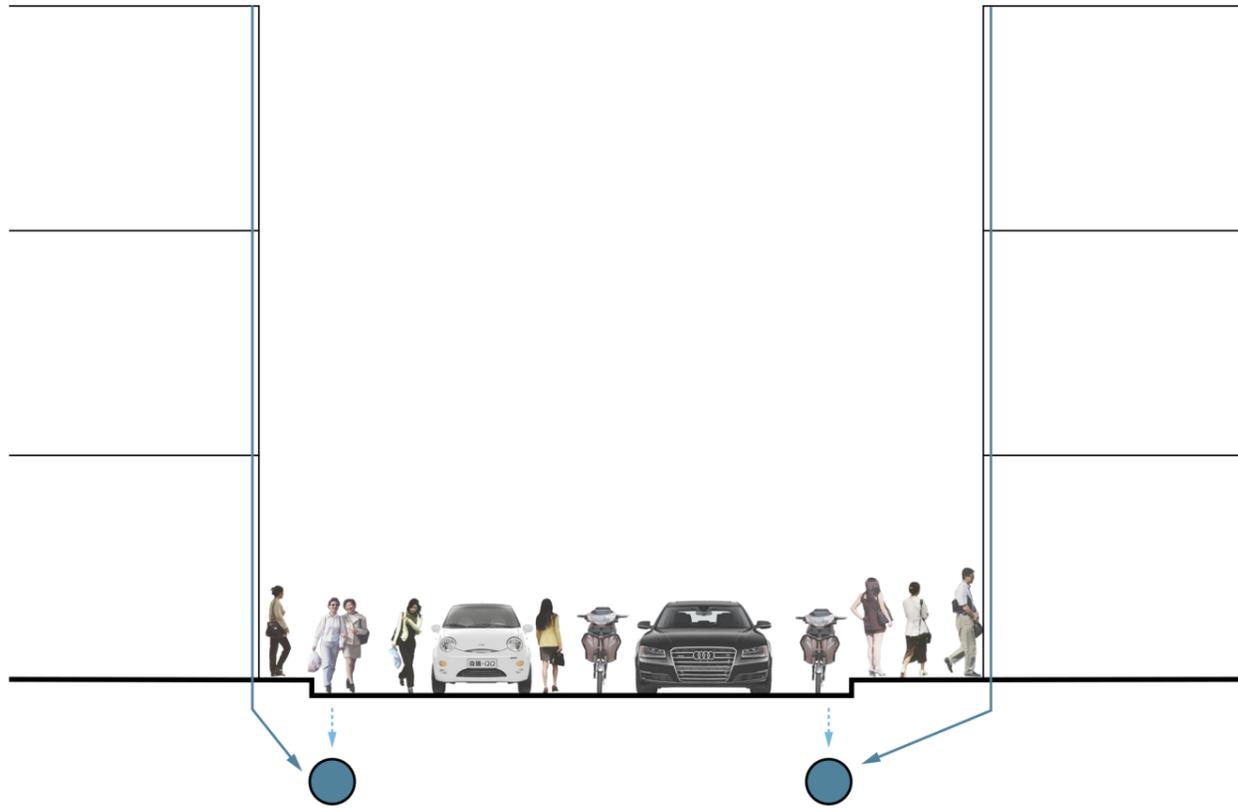
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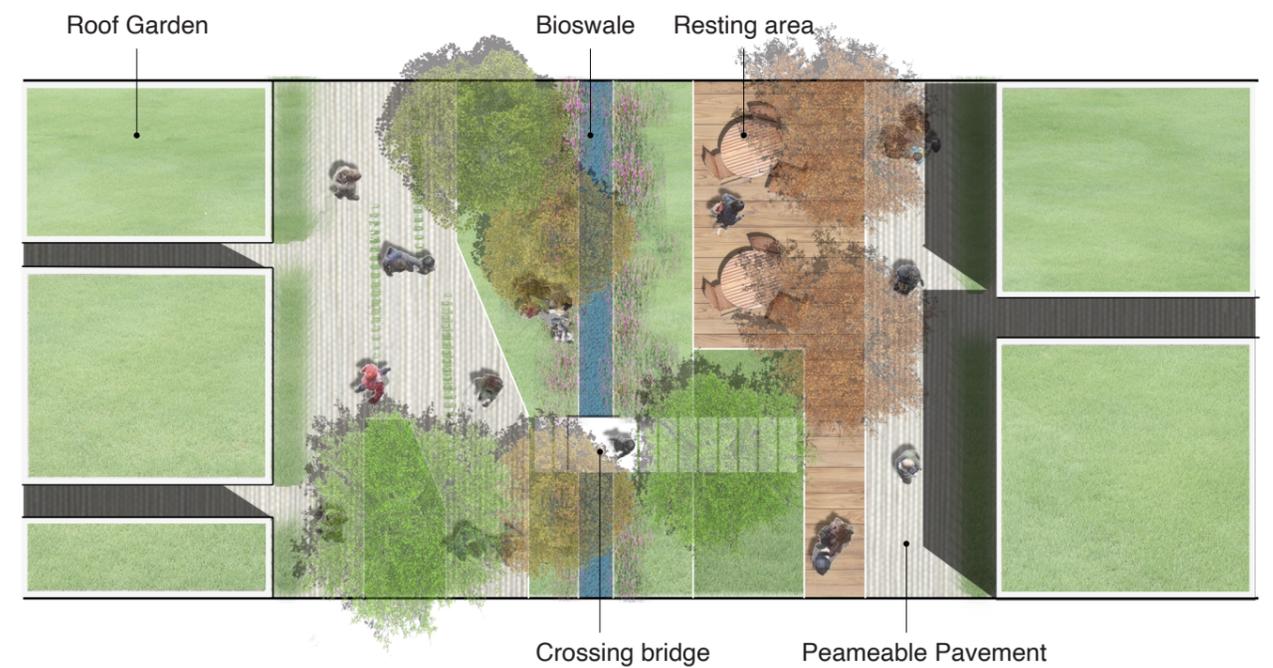
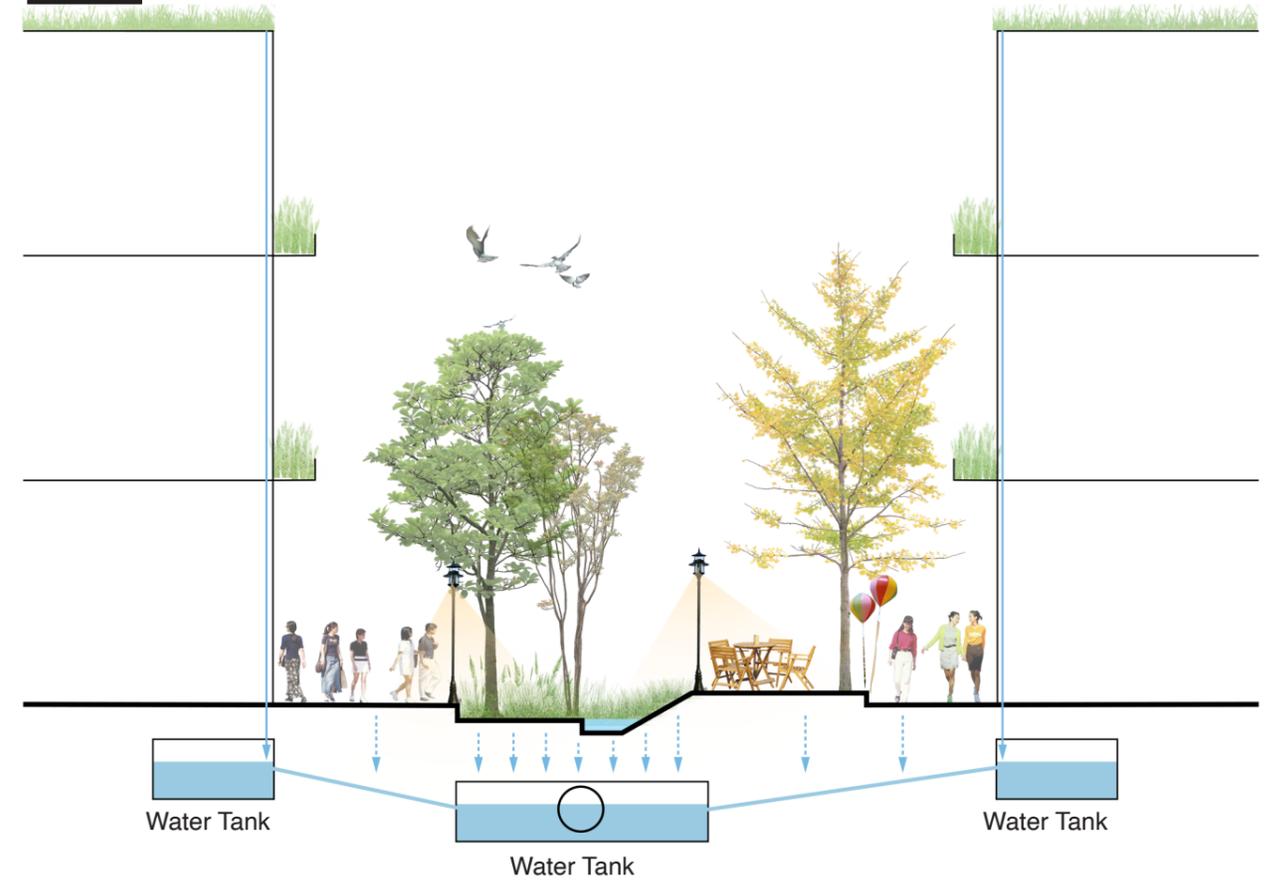
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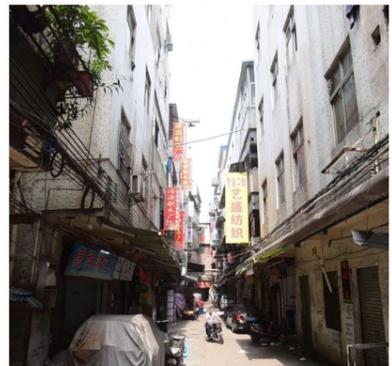
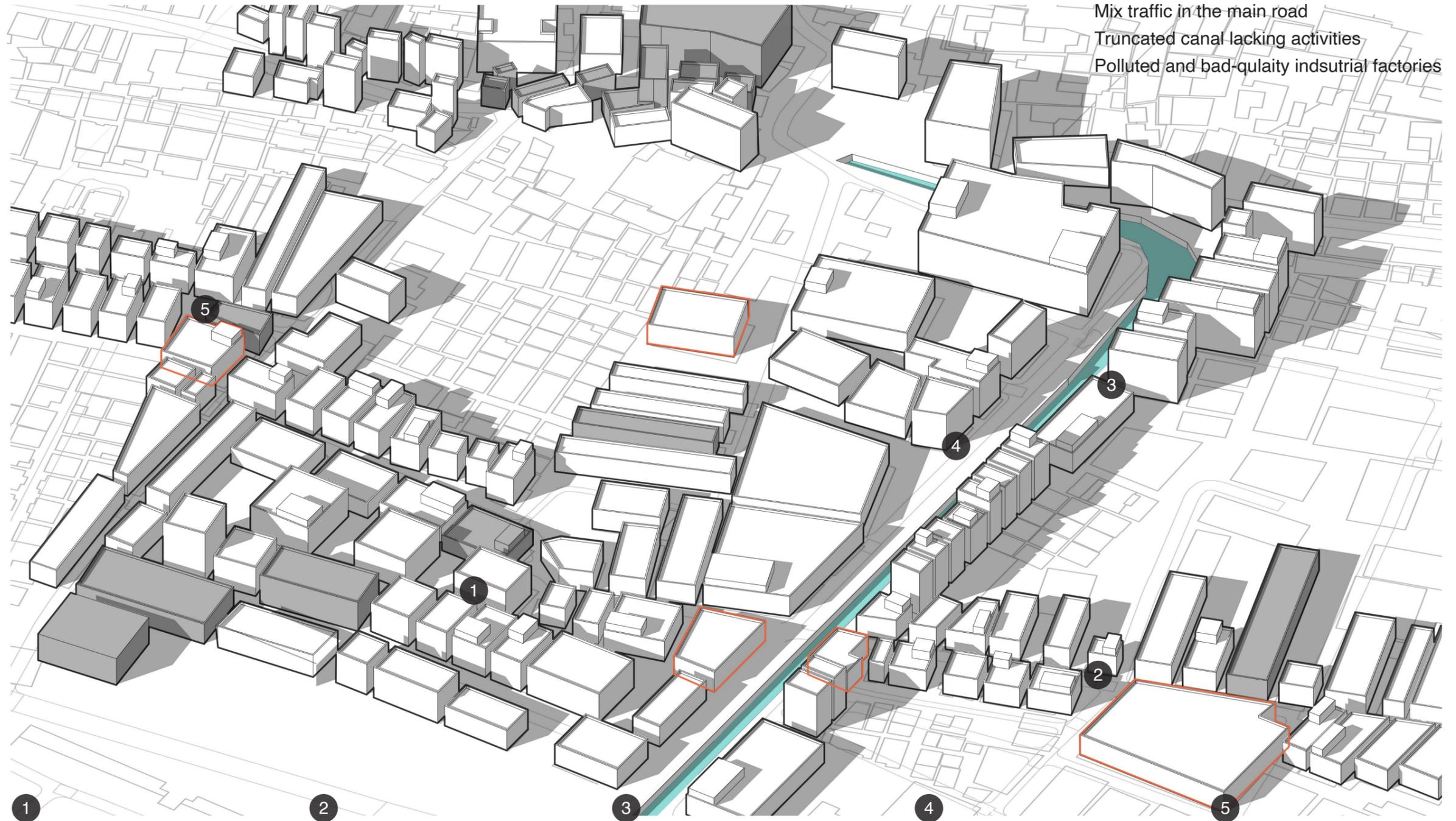


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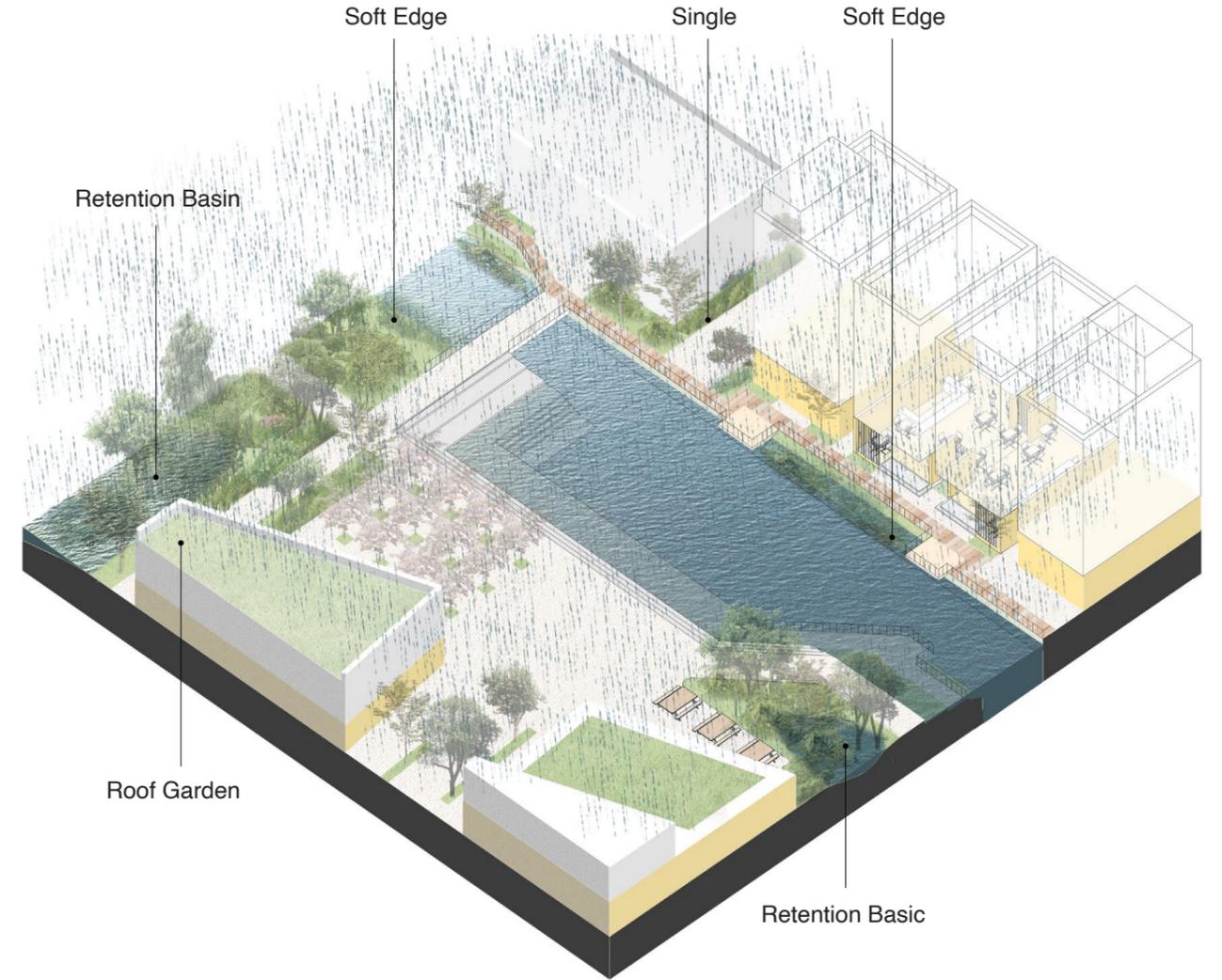
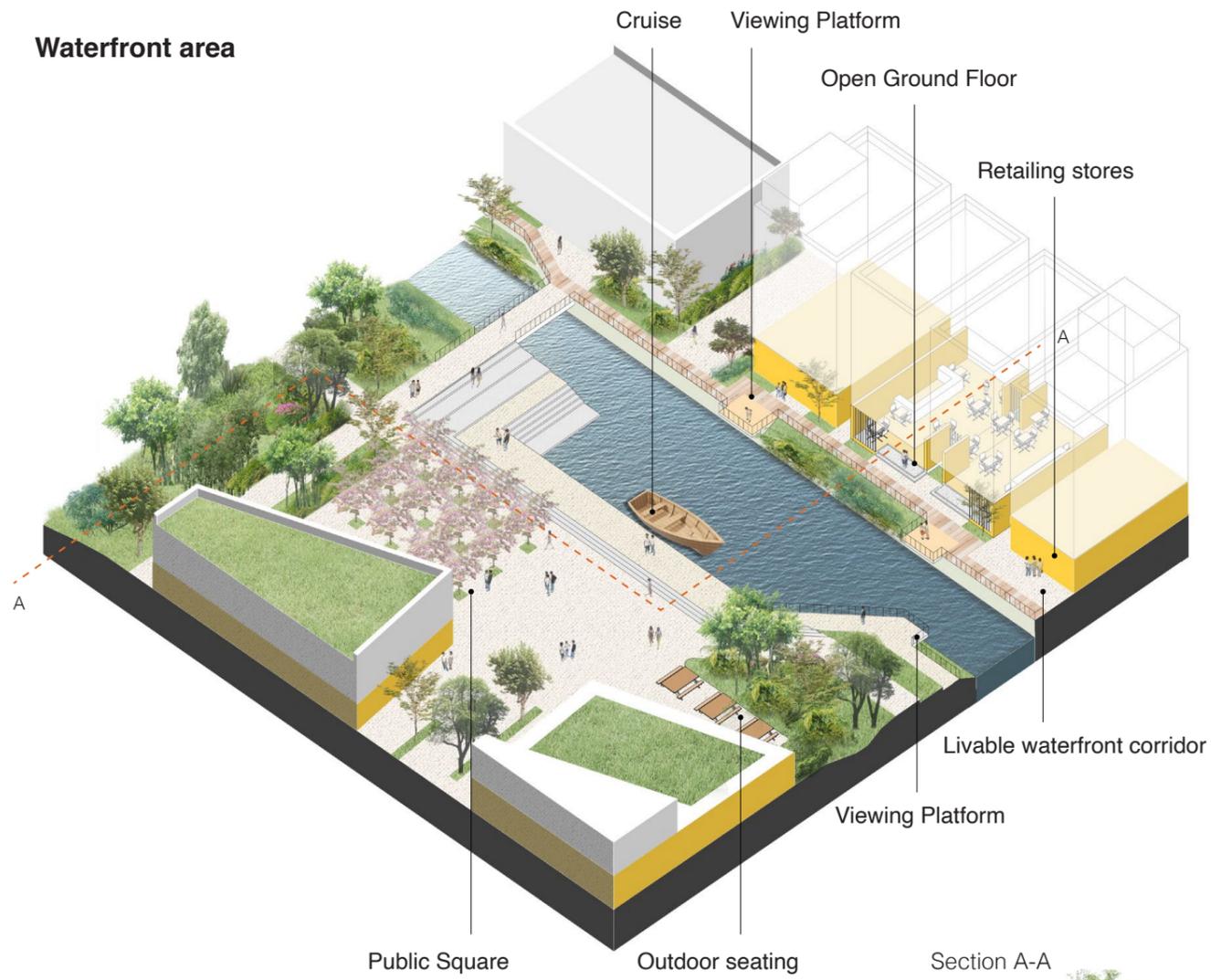
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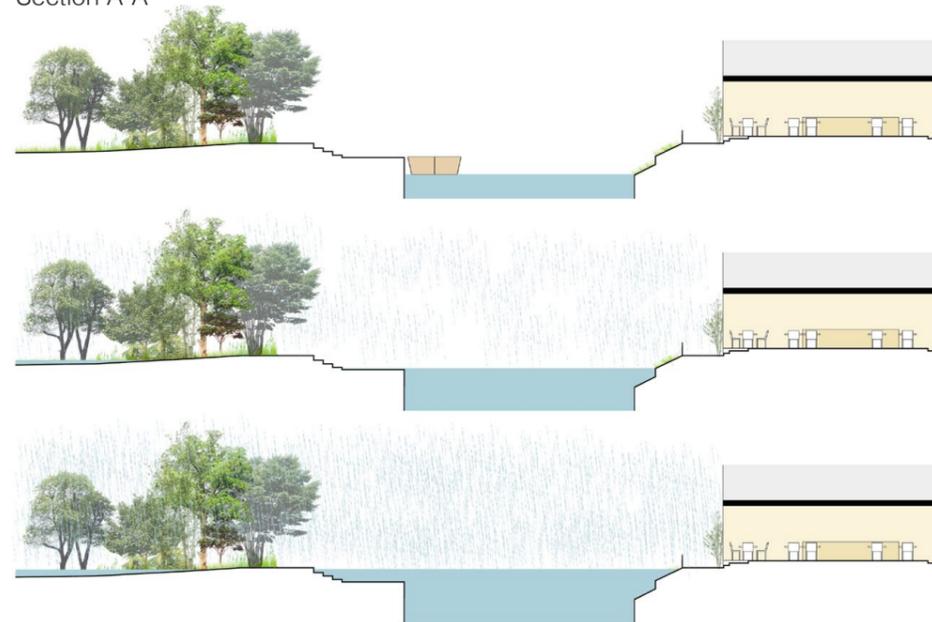
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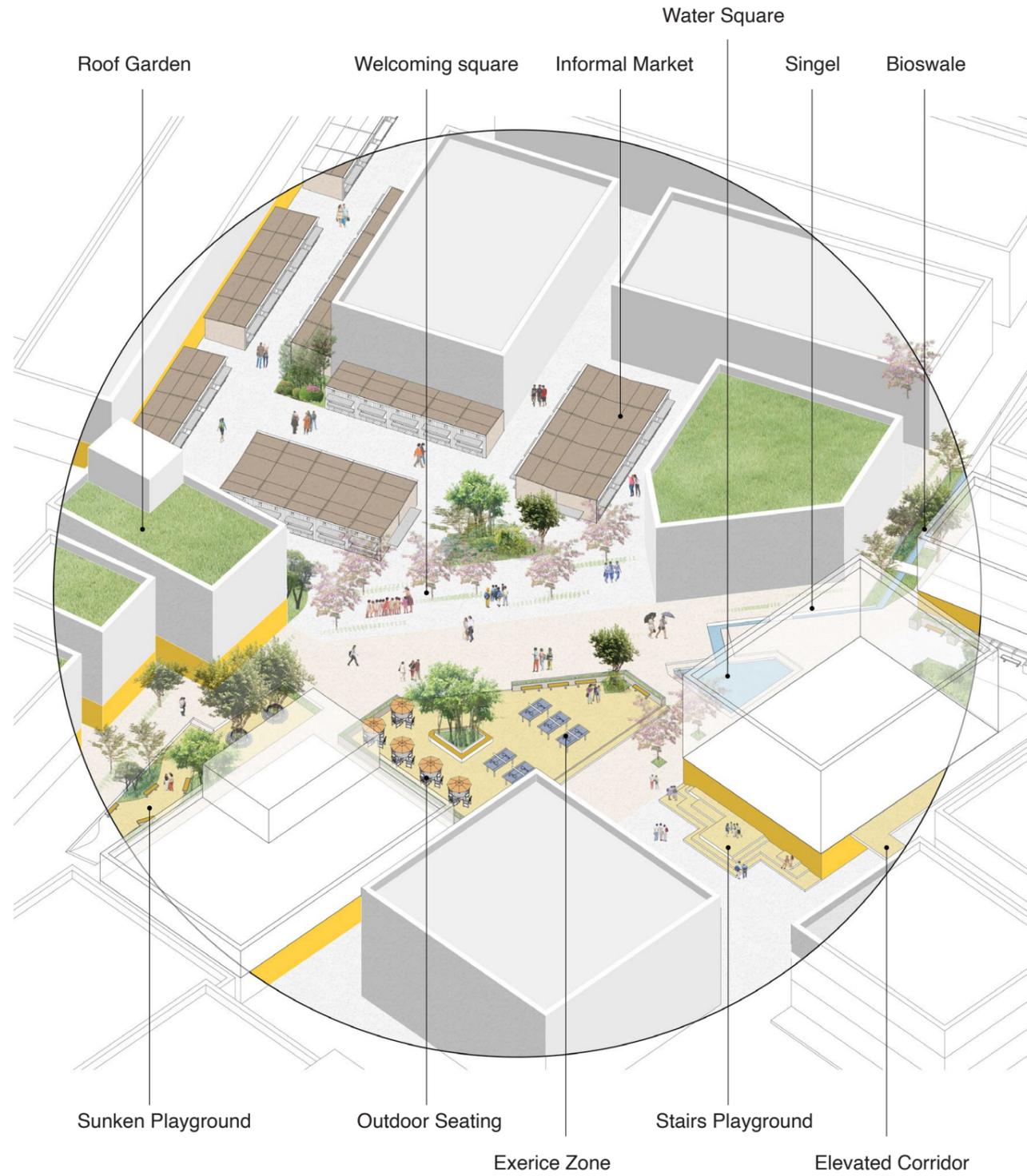
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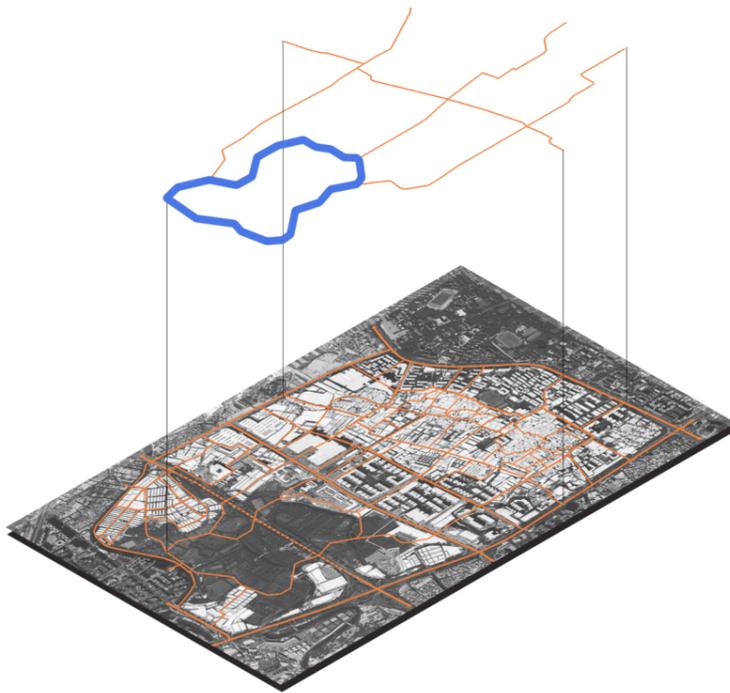


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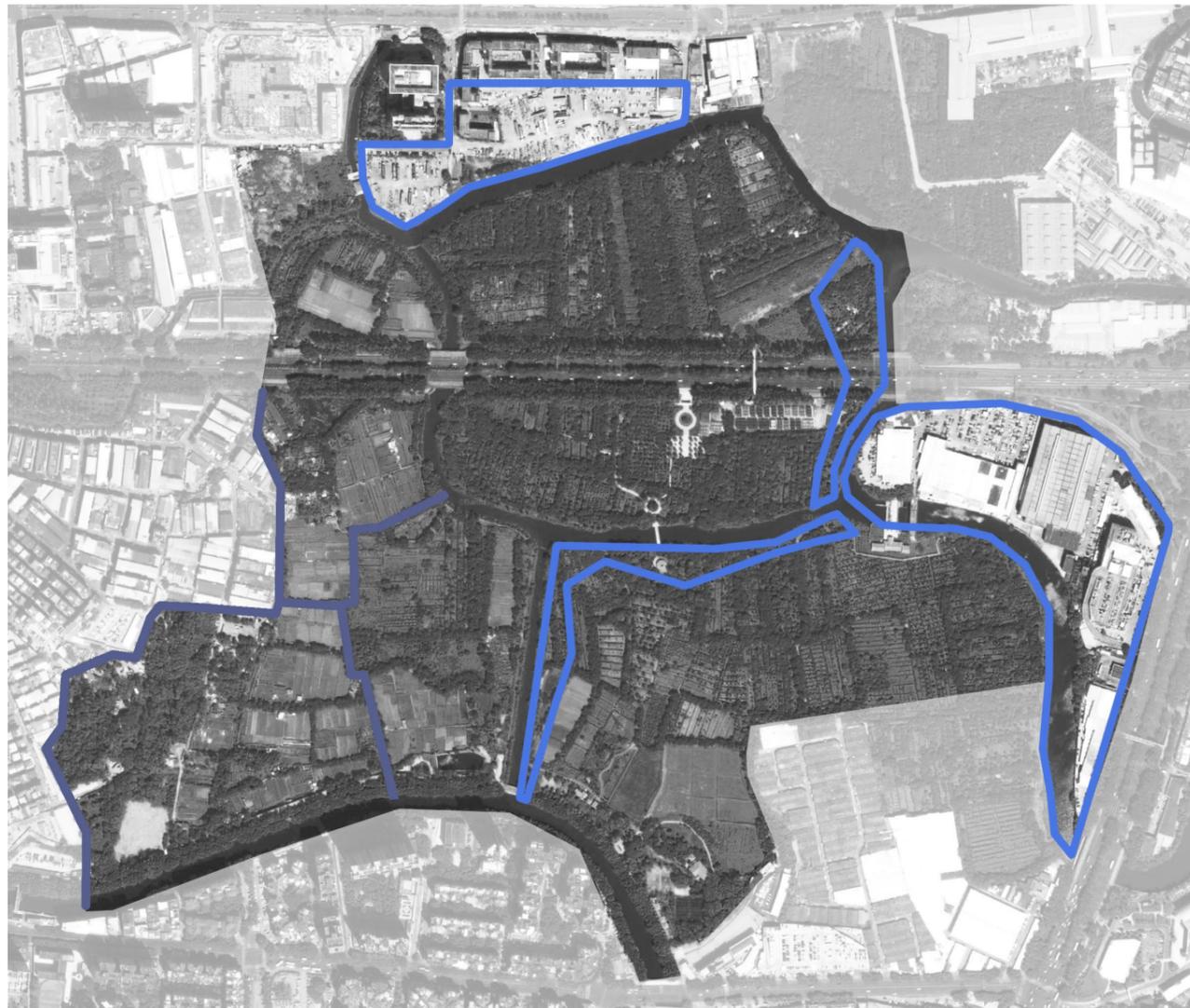
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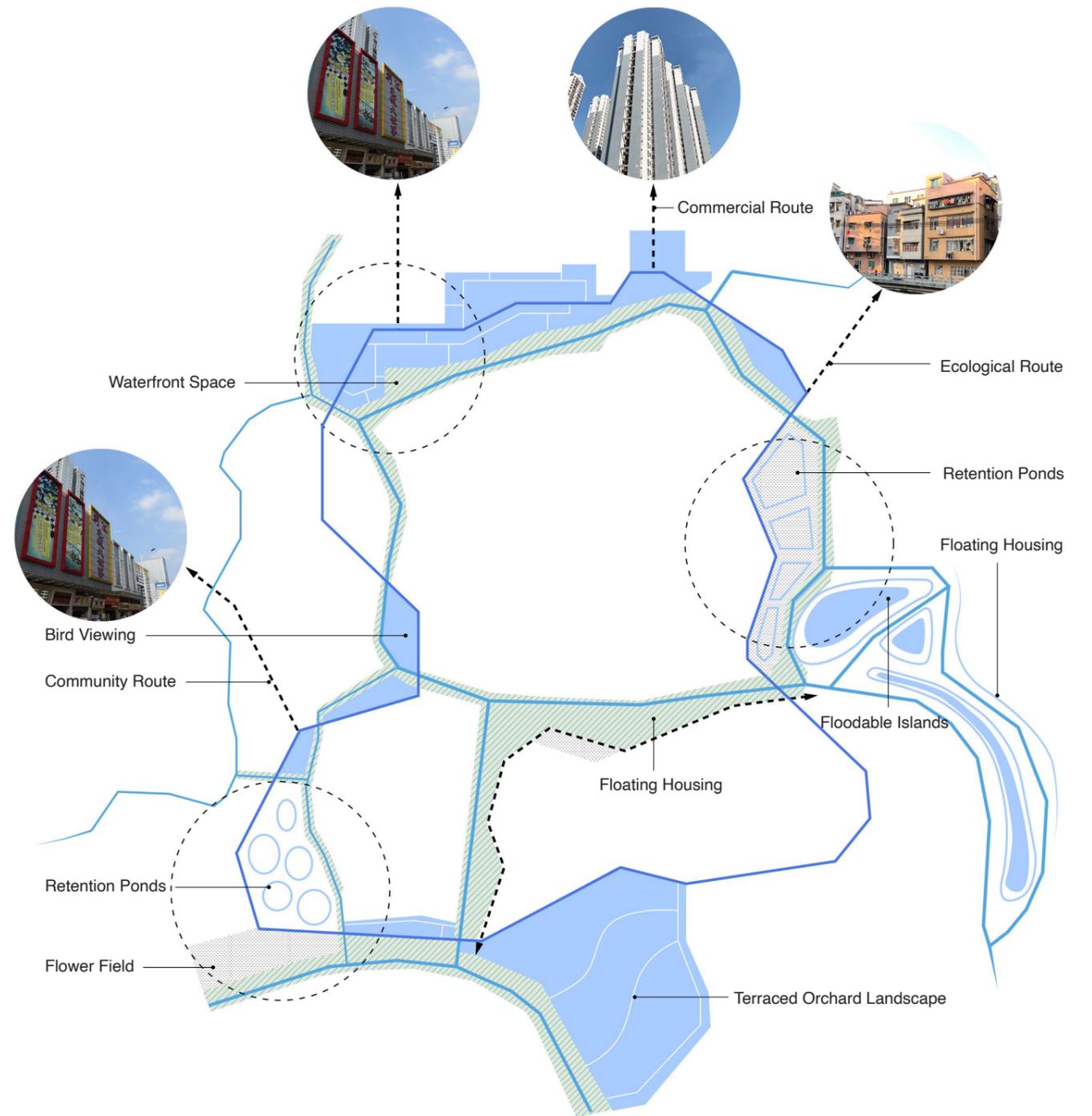




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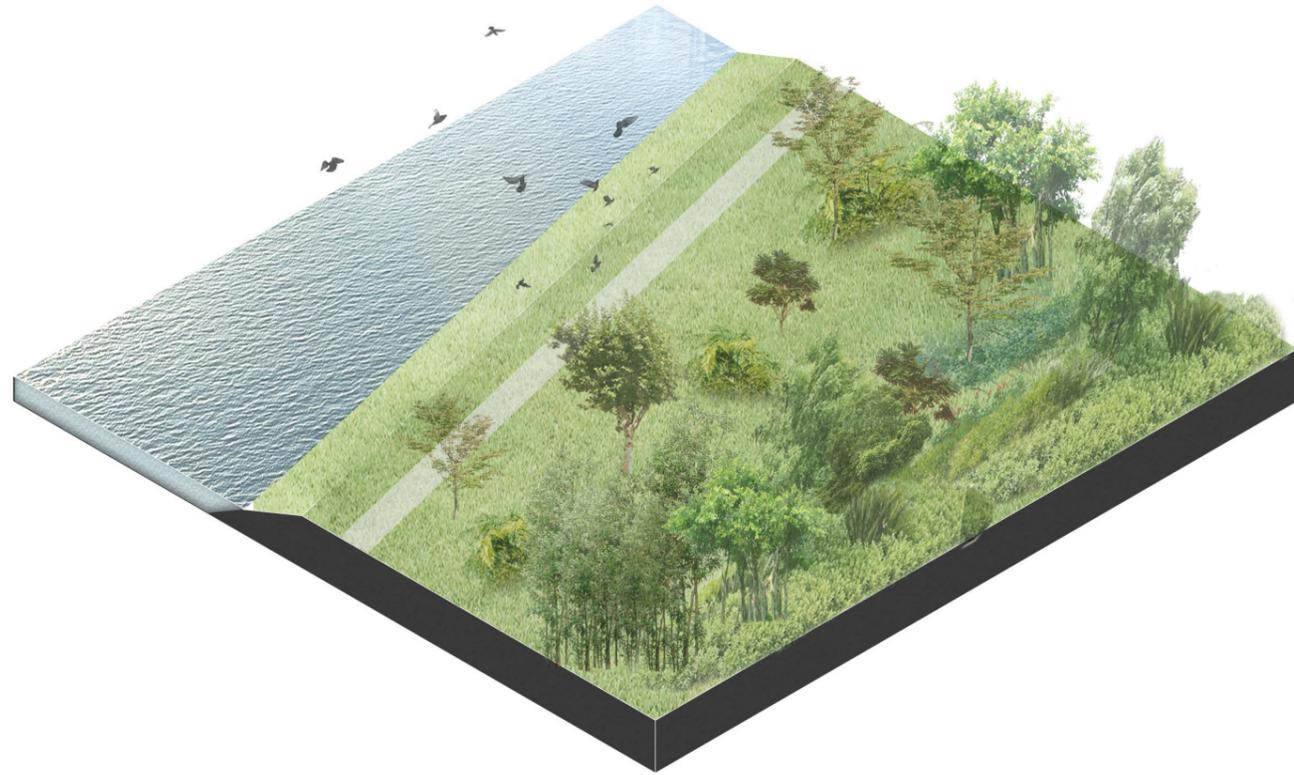
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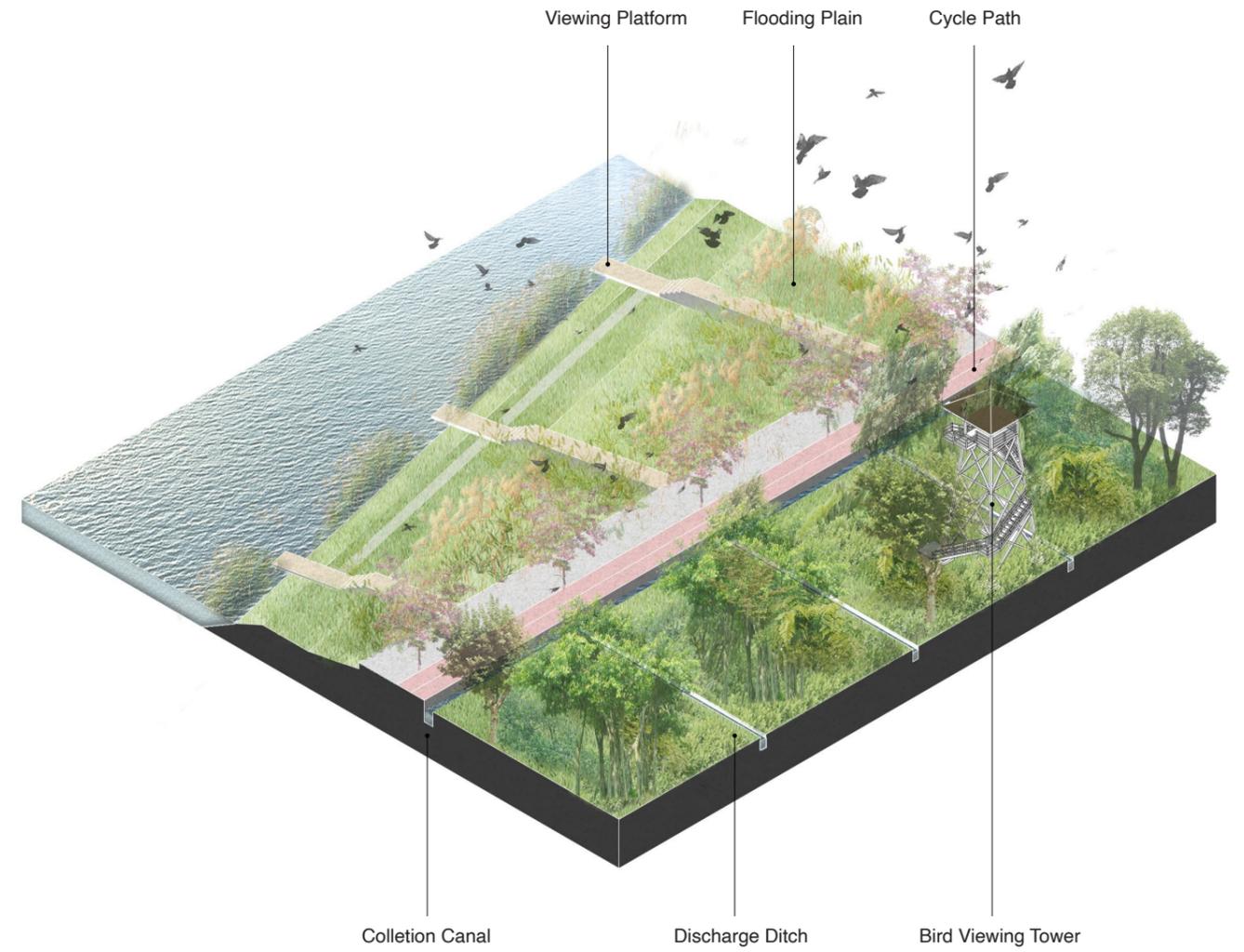
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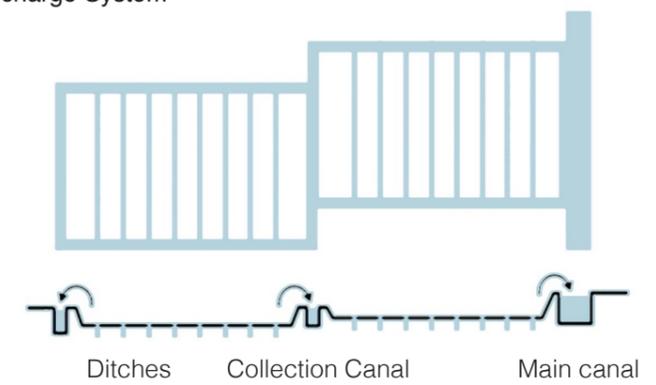
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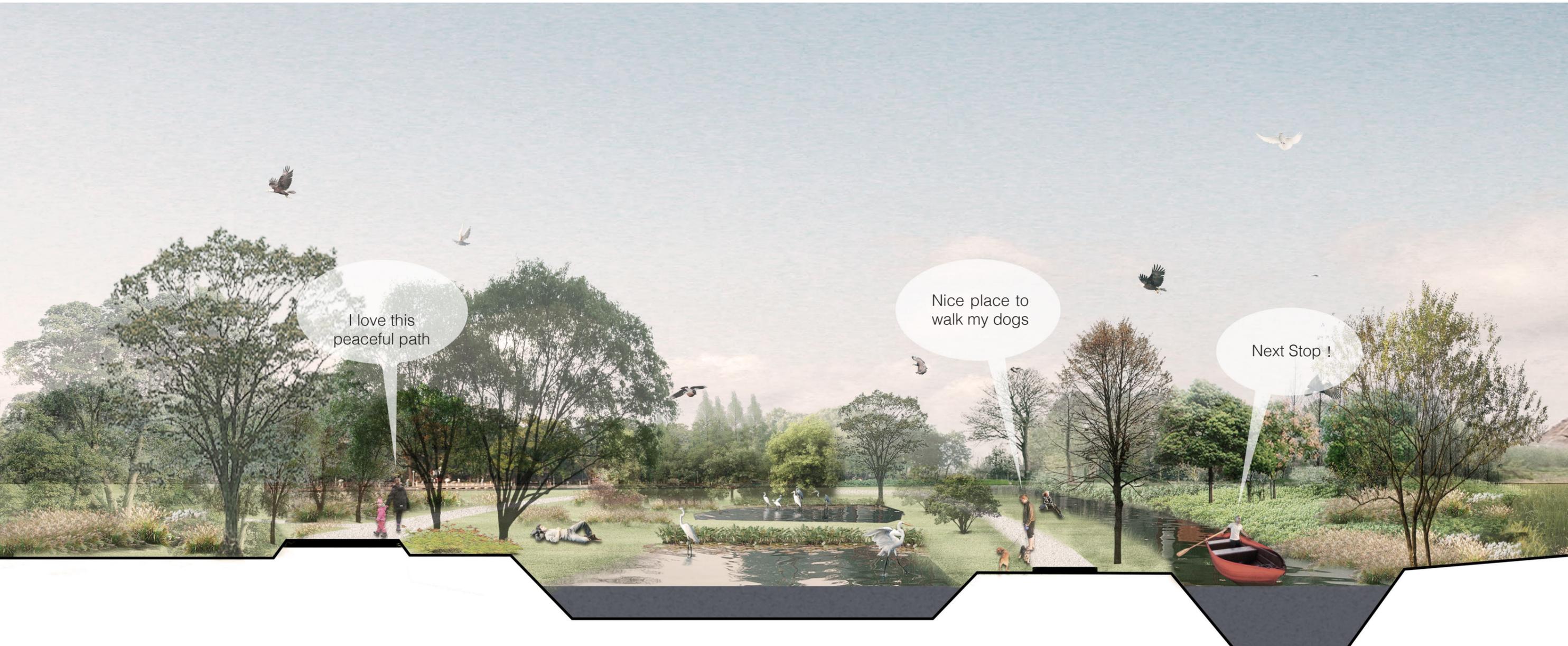
Discharge System



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Dry Season



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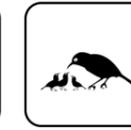
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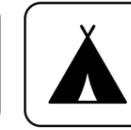
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Bird Watching



Picnic



Camping

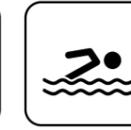
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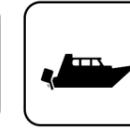
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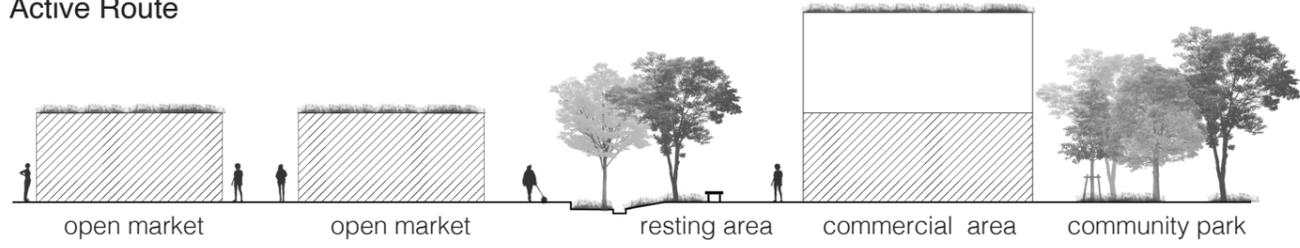
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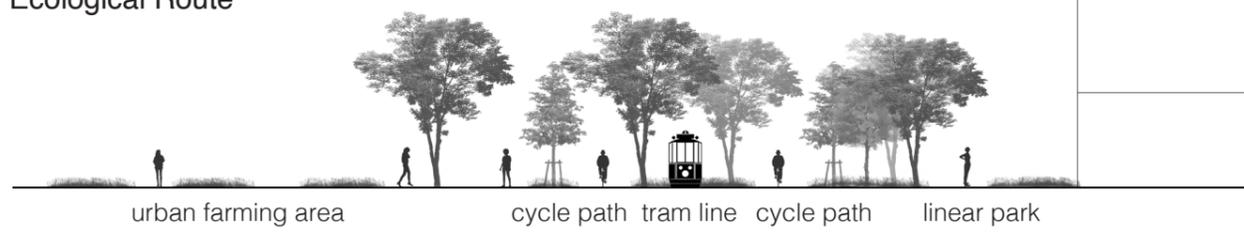
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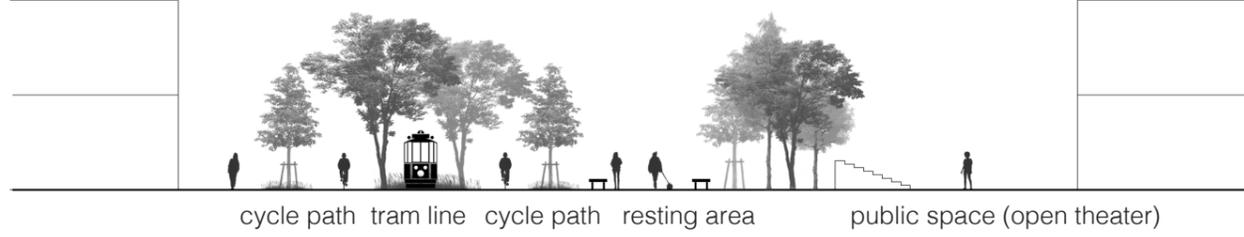
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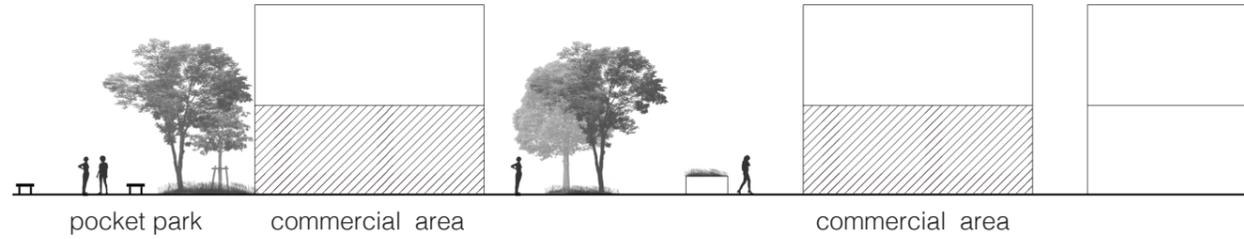
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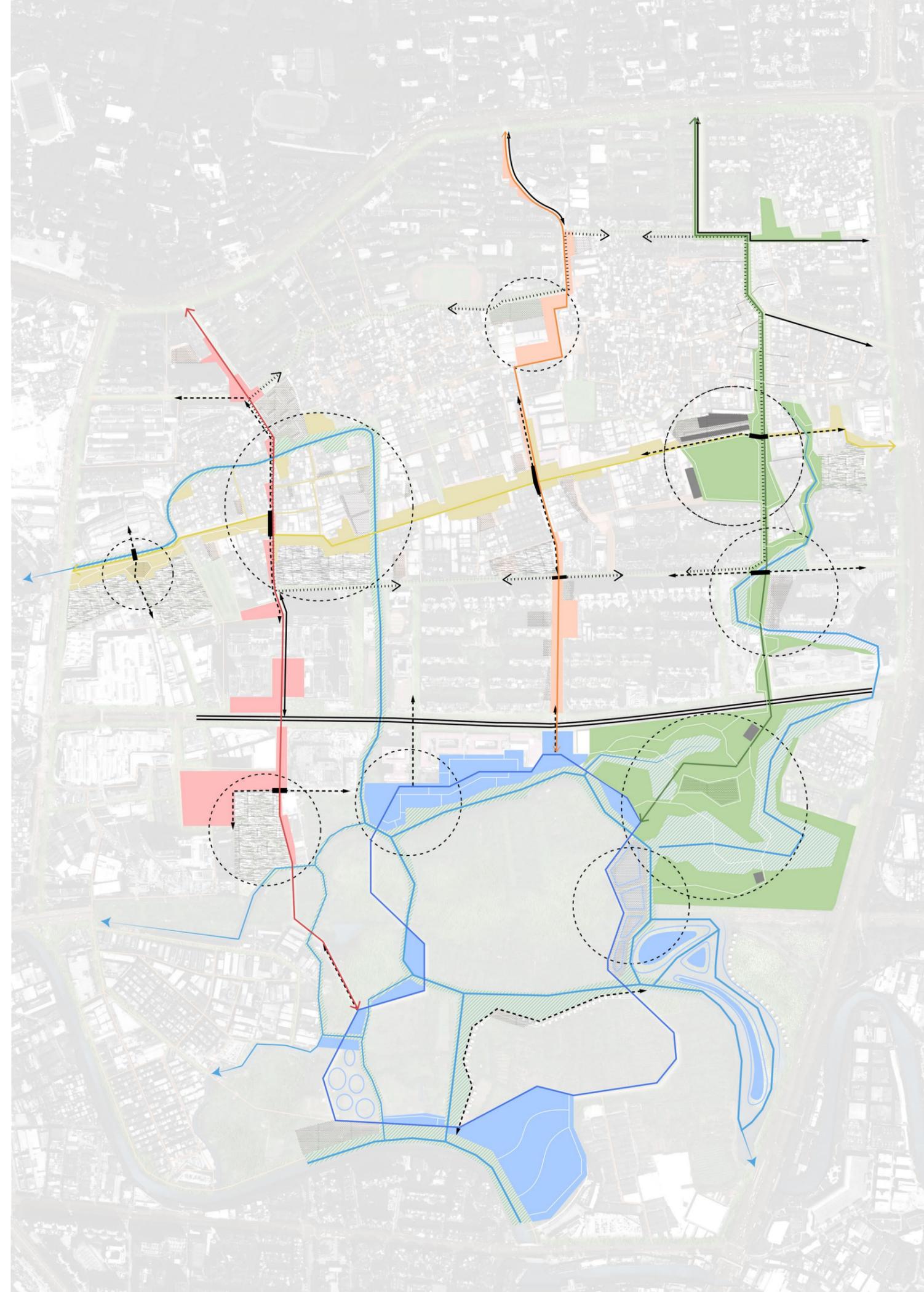
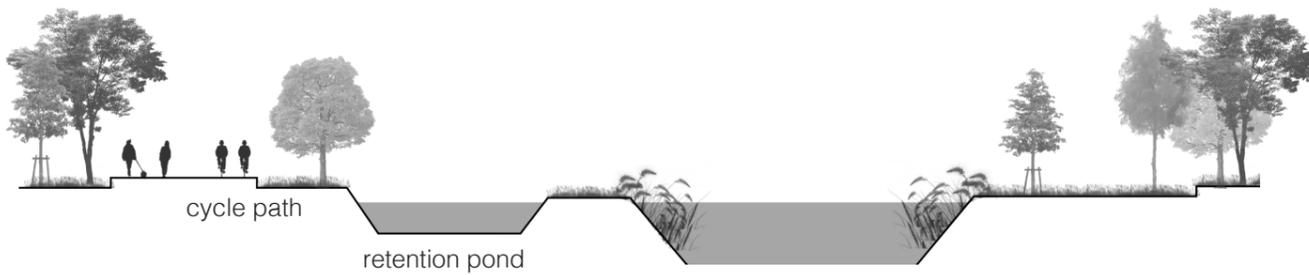
Community Route



Commercial Route



Orchard Route

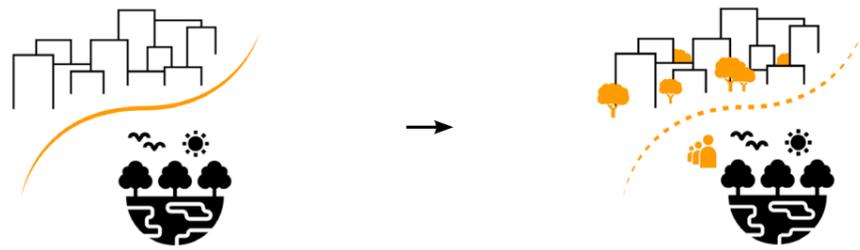




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SOCIO-SPATIAL INTEGRATION

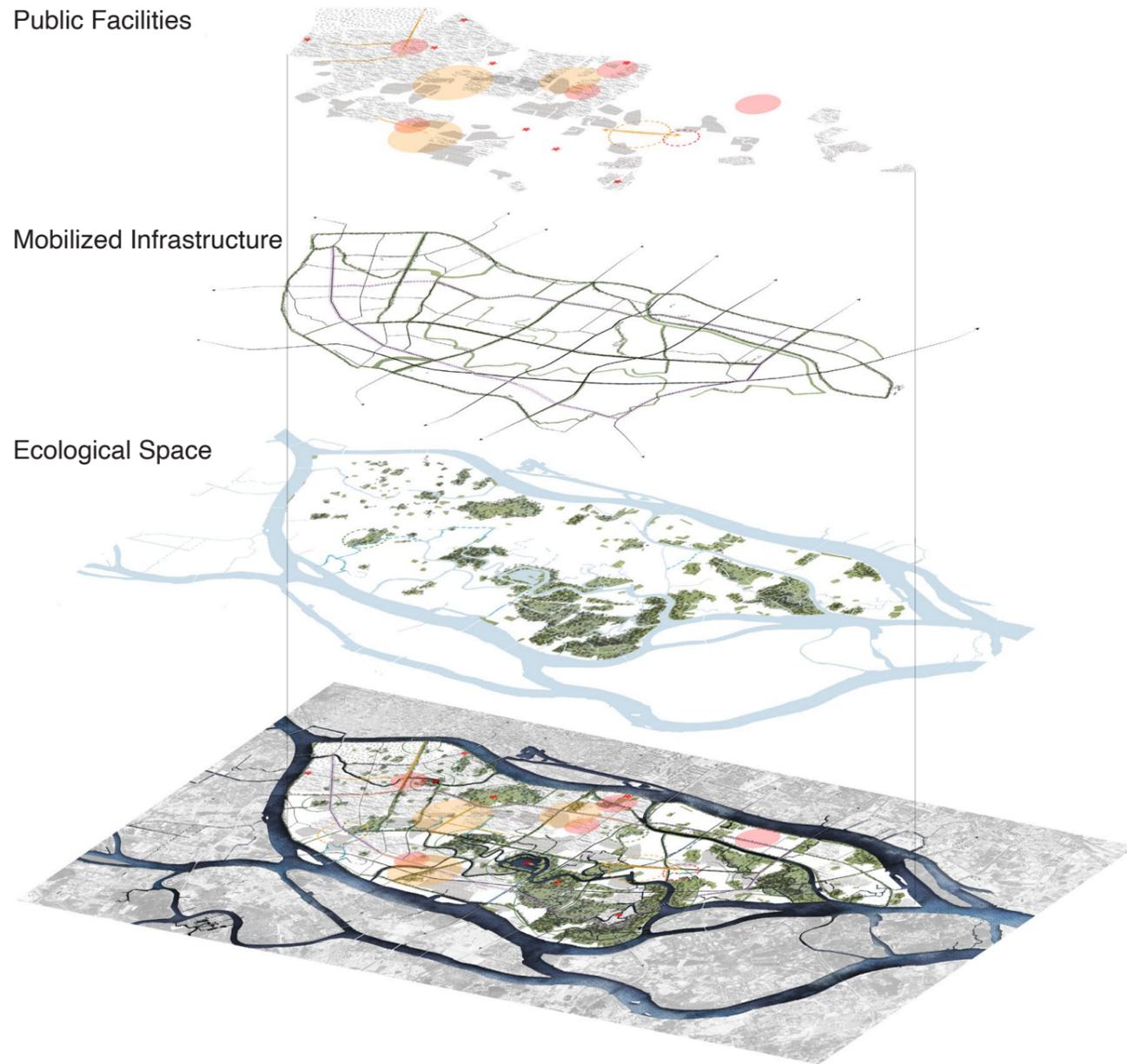


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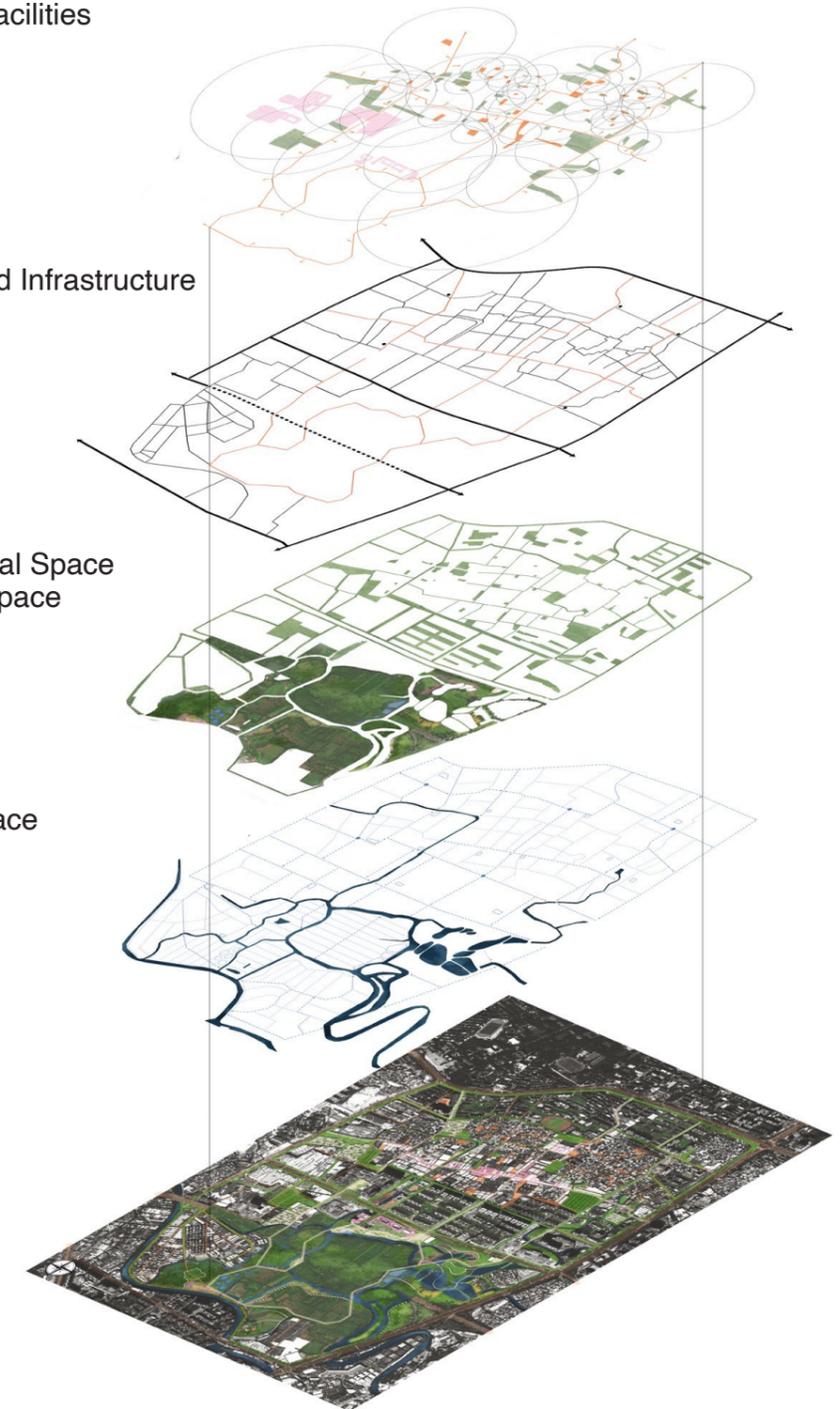


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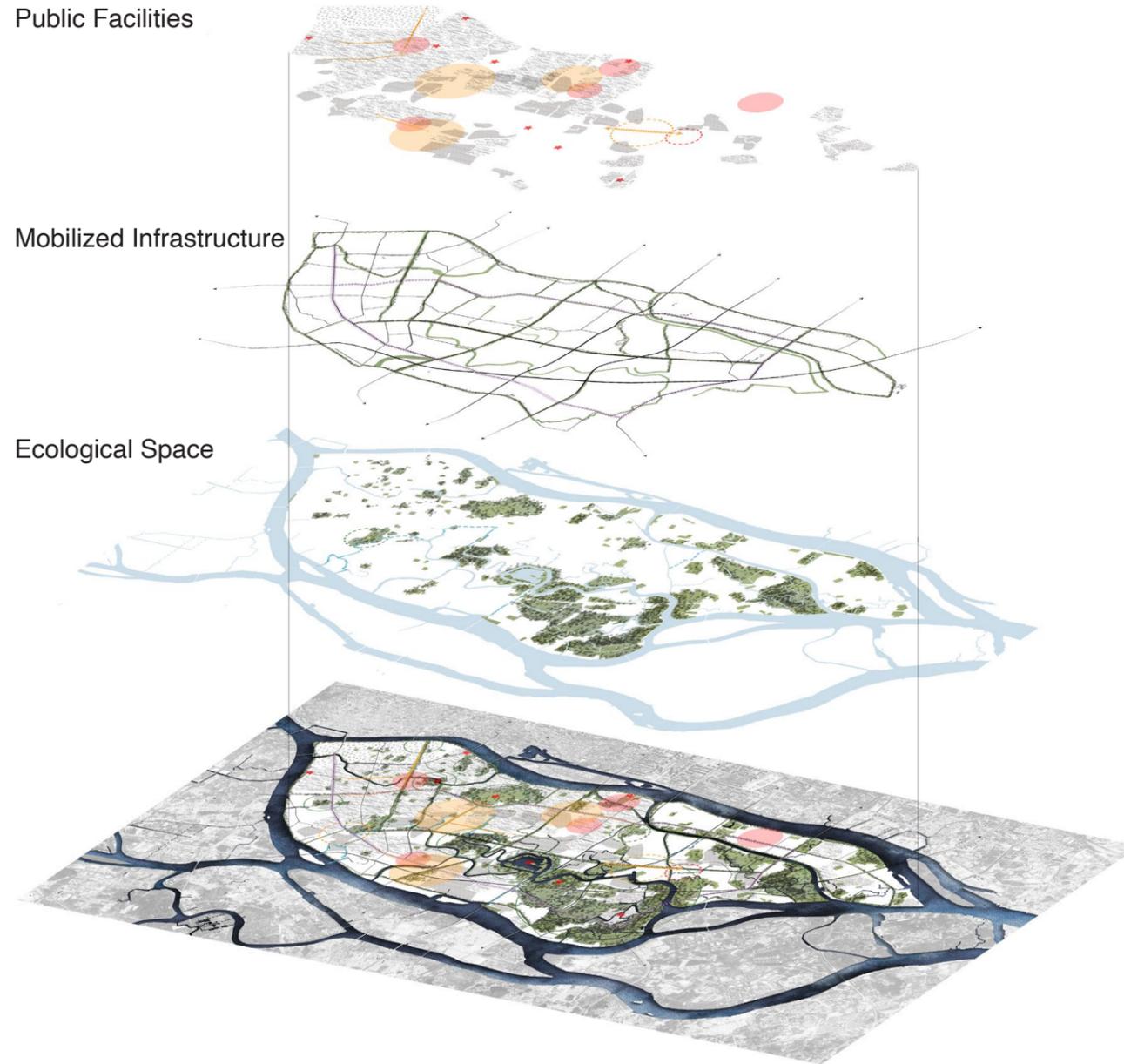
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Green Space

Blue Space



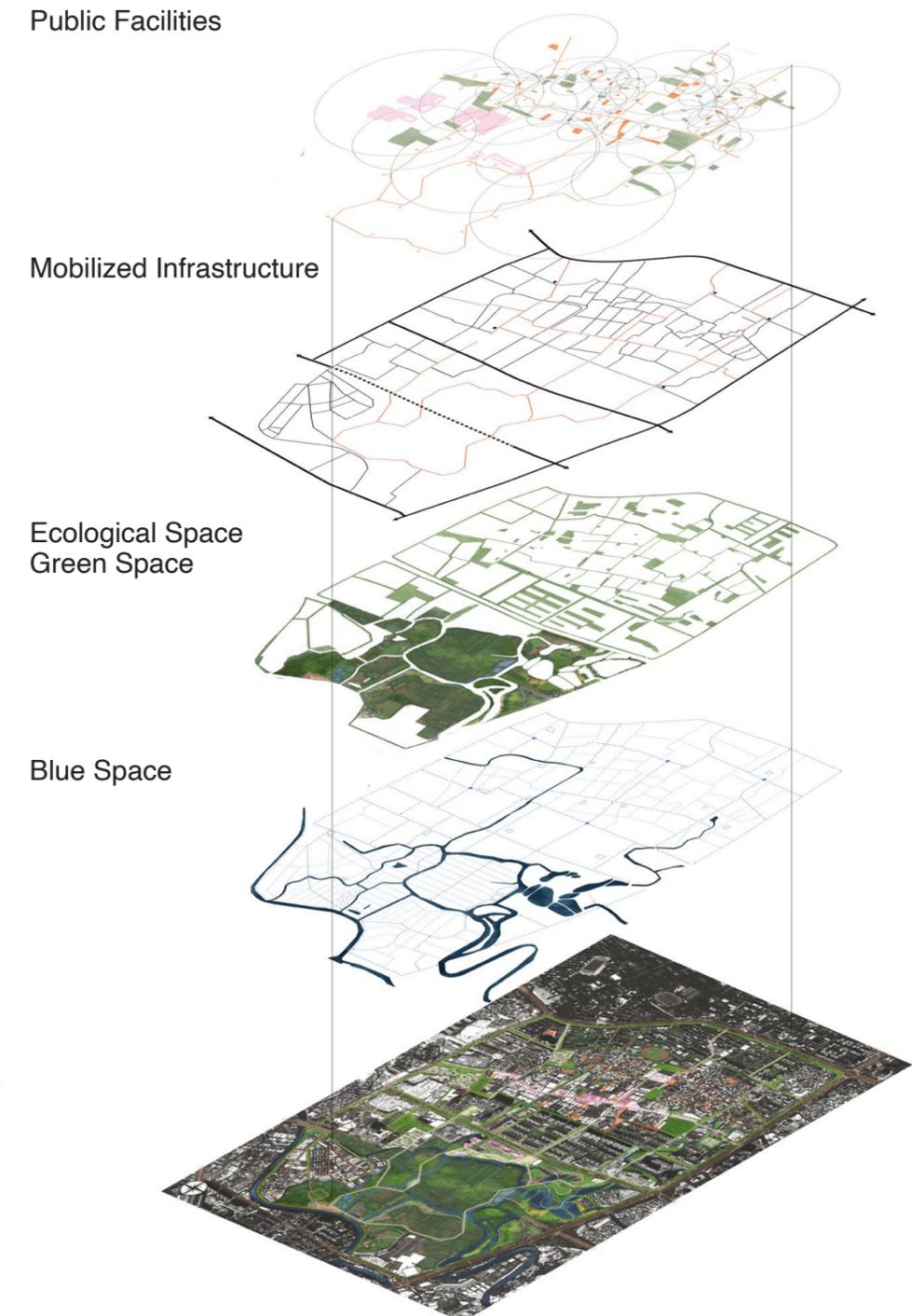
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Restore ecological in urban area

Resilient towards flooding issues



Improve connectivity and accessibility between different neighborhoods

Provide more social and ecological space for interaction in community

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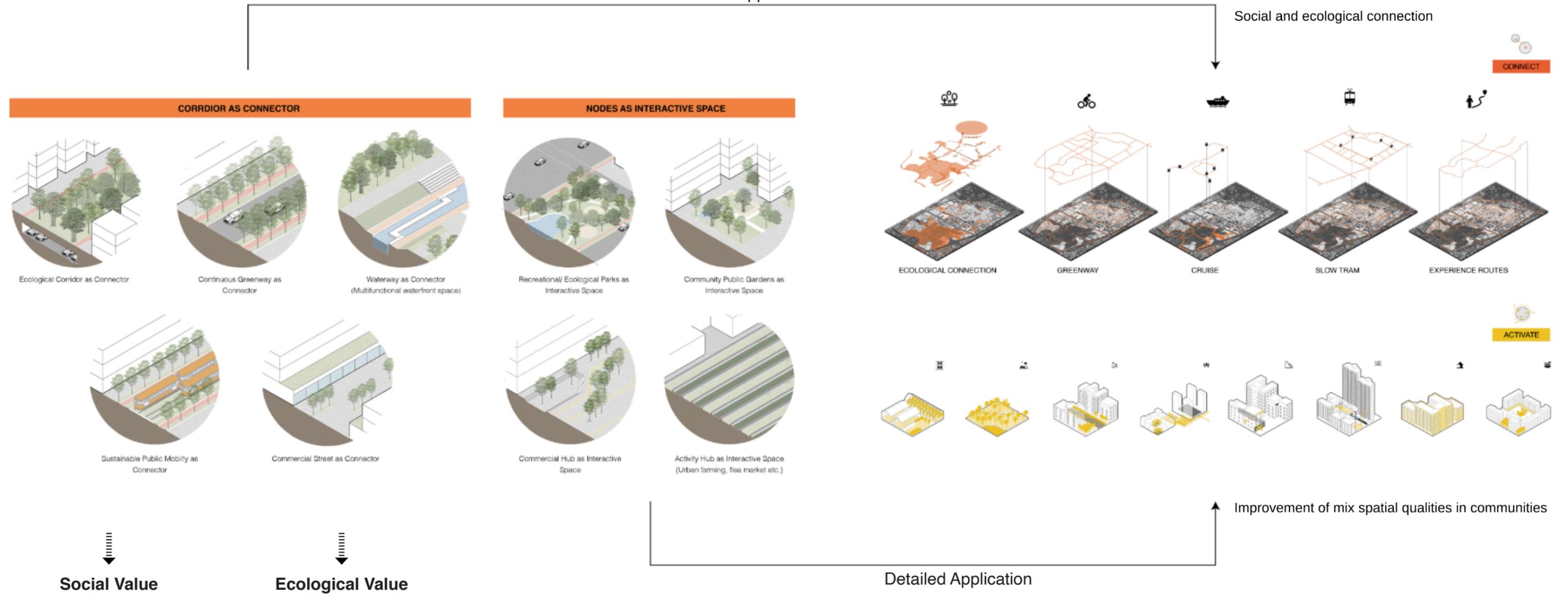
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Corridor as Connector

Node as Interactive Space



Detailed Application



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Integration at Neighborhood Scale

Modern Community

High-income immigrants & Local people

- Dance
- Chat
- Sit
- Read
- Shopping
- Exhibition
- Art
- Eat
- Sport
- Entertained facilities
- ...

Urban Village

Low-income immigrants & Local villagers

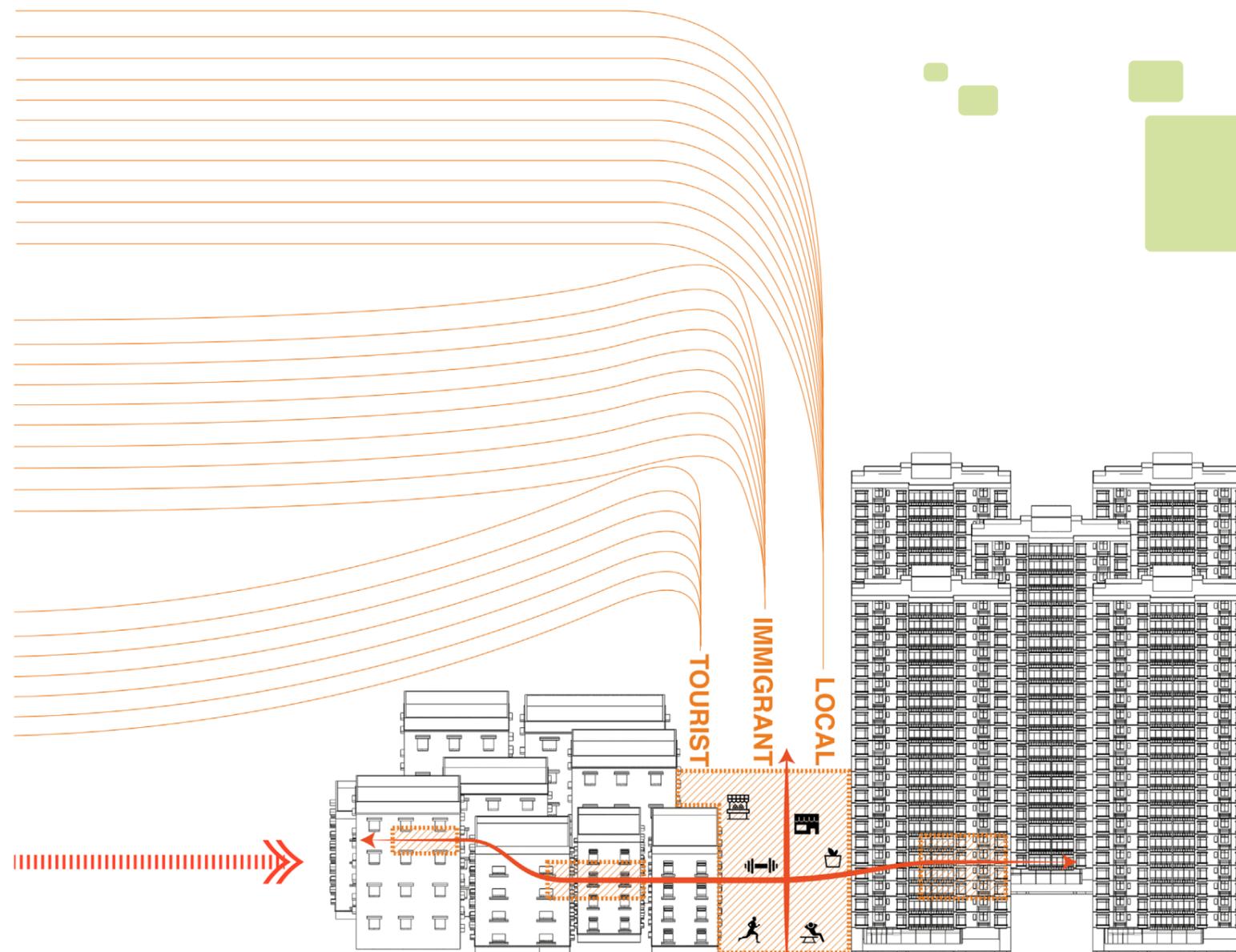
- Work
- Chat
- Sit
- Catering
- Shopping
- Eat
- Chess, Majhong
- Fitness facilities
- ...

Tourist

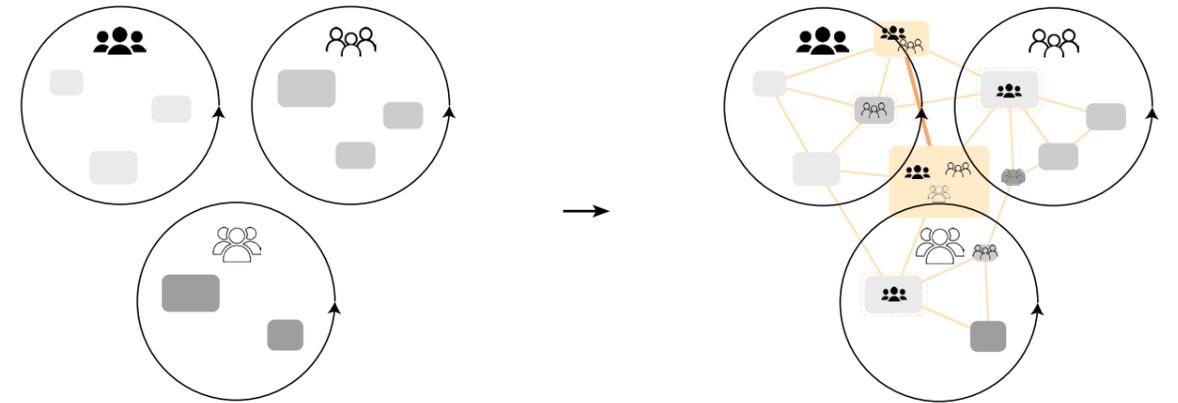
- Shopping
- Sightseeing
- Eat
- Rest
- Exhibition
- art
- ...

Events

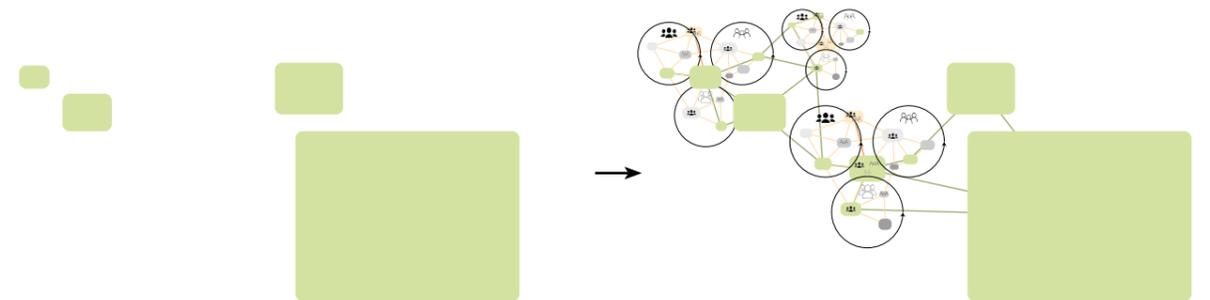
- Open market
- Workshop
- Sport activities
- Recruitment day
- ...



Integration at Local Scale



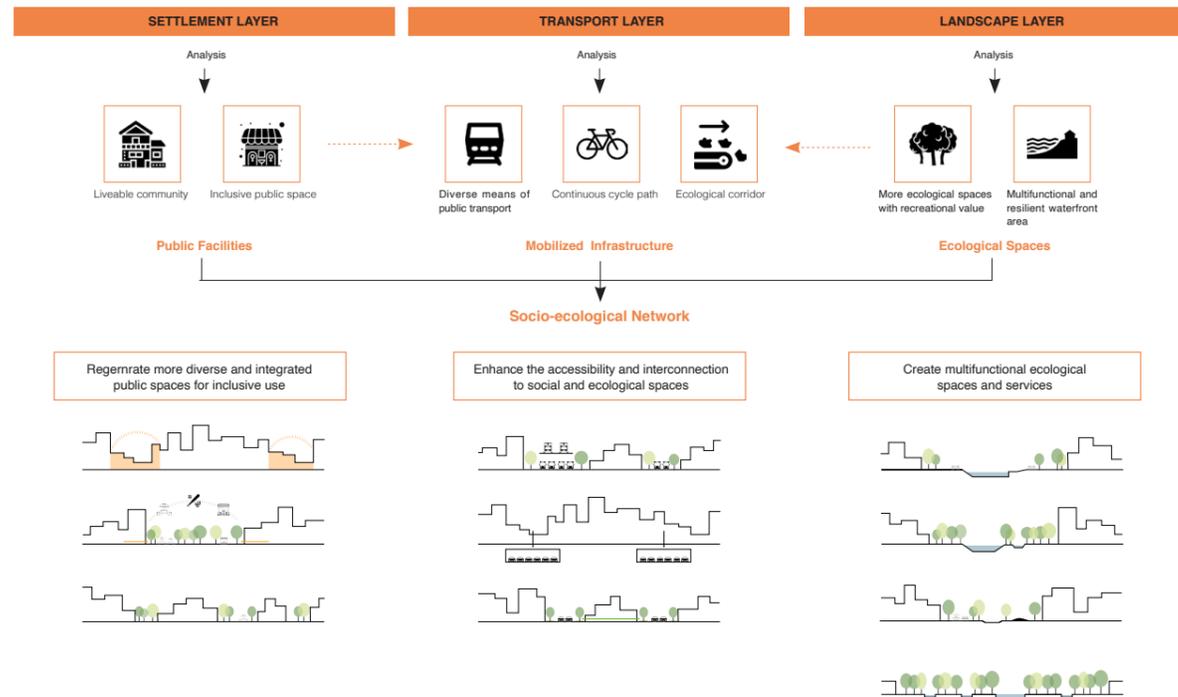
Integration at Regional Scale



Reflection

Research sets up a framework to lead the design explorations, providing tools and potential elements and information to support and realize the design.

The framework of the research is made up of three layers, settlement, transport and landscape, where the three characters of the network are created for building up a new comprehensive socio-ecological structure.

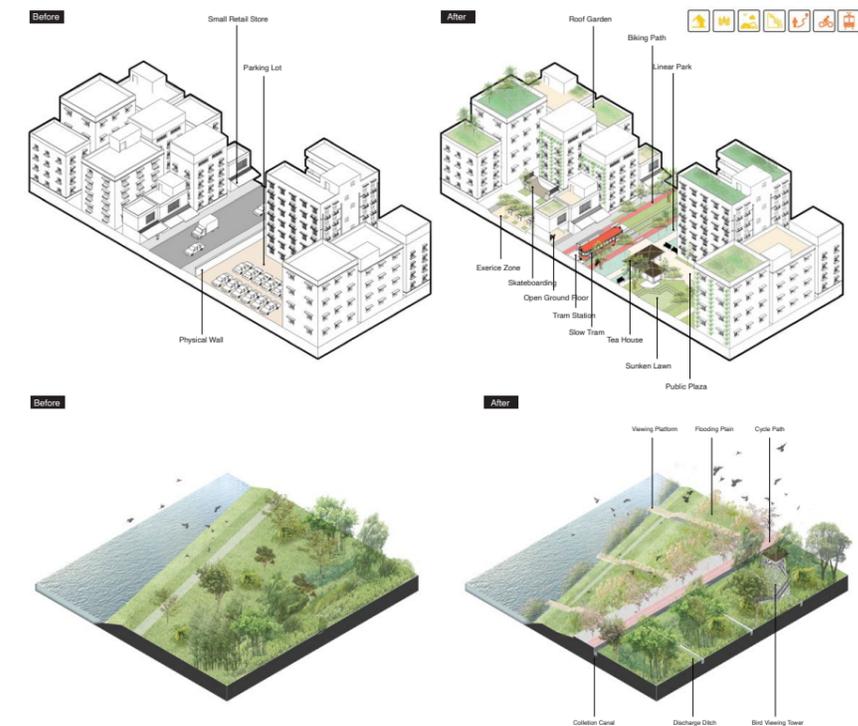


Limitation & Difficulties

- Limited practical implementation in a dense urban area due to the strict policy
- Complicated stakeholder's system, especially in urban village
- Essential inclusion of other disciplines, urban planning, sociology, engineering etc.

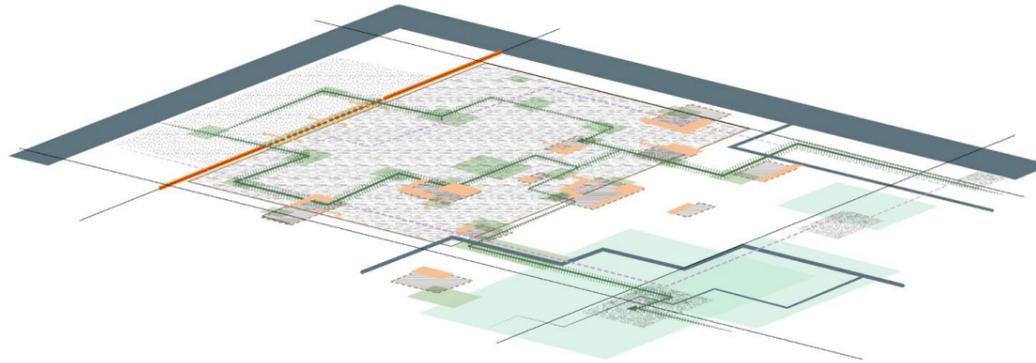
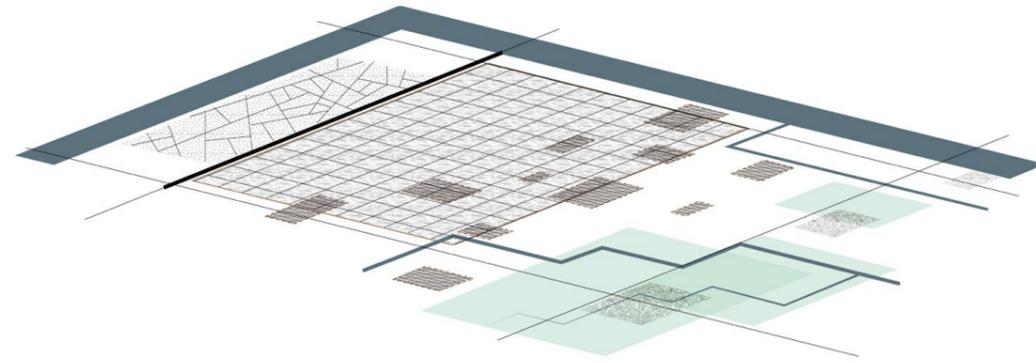
Further design explorations help to explain the research result with interventions that facilitate the objective under the framework.

The framework of the socio-ecological network is applied on local scale with specific elaboration based on the principles with corridors and nodes concerning about the social and ecological value related back to the problem field.



Lessons learned

- Multiscalar working method
- Synthetic of landscape and urban environment
- Landscape as a complex system of different layers with dynamics
- Collaboration of social and ecological functions (flows & cycles)
- Mix spatial uses and experience of individuals towards socio-spatial integration



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