

Oakridge Commons Programming



14 acres of total public space The following public amenities were identified as desirable by visitors to the mall public kiosk. This is still an evolving and ongoing consultation process.



1 Green Space



2 Play Area



3 Water Art



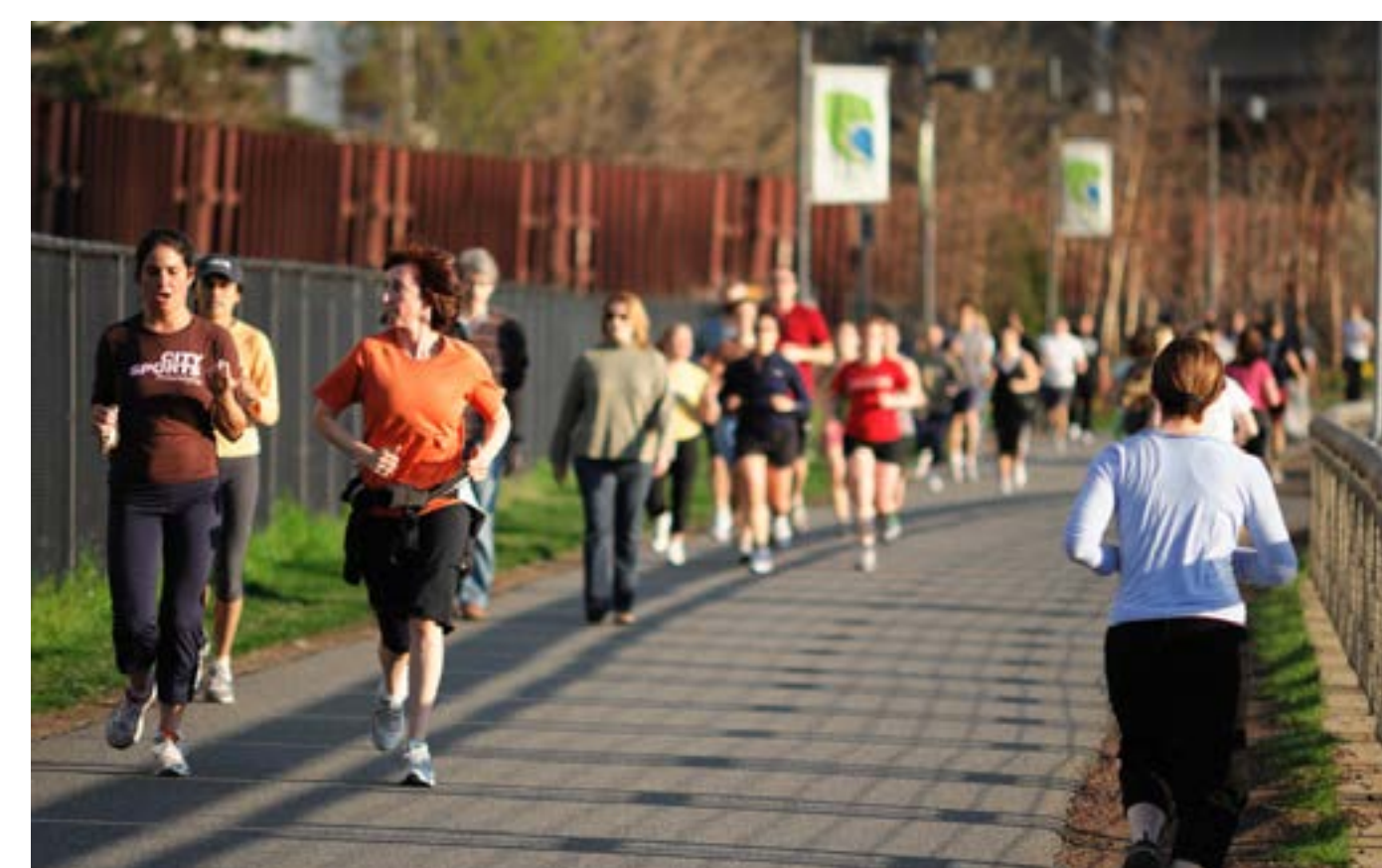
4 Children's Water Play



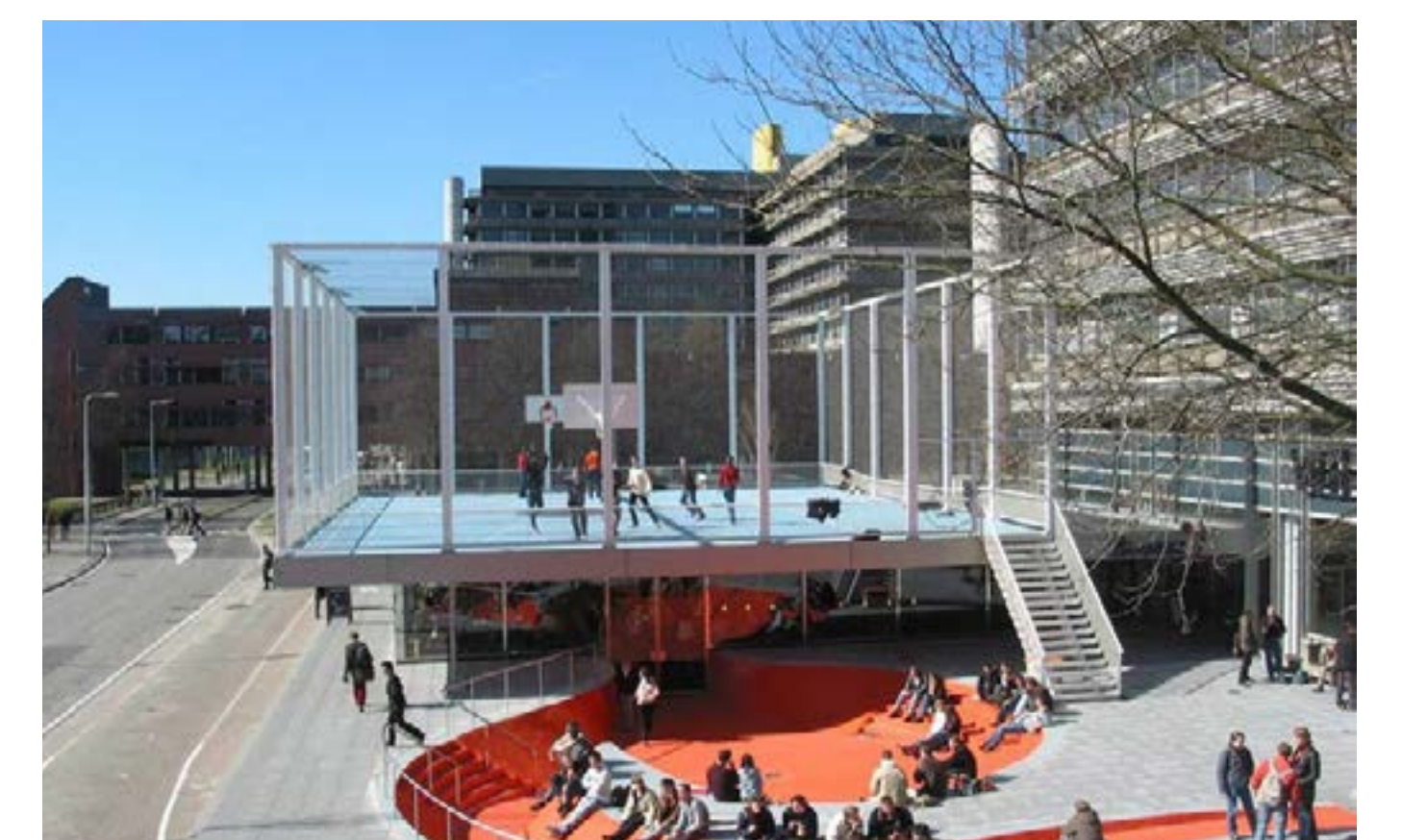
5 Wedding Pavilion



6 Community Garden



7 Running Loop



8 Multiuse Courts



9 Multiuse Space



10 Tai Chi Pavilion



11 Dog Park



12 Children's Activities

Ground Level Public Spaces

There are four major public spaces at grade: the Transit Plaza, the Neighbourhood Plaza, the Civic Plaza, and High Street/Central Court. At each of these nodes, there is a clear path to the Oakridge Commons.

Transit Plaza

- Welcoming arrival plaza
- Retail Kiosks
- Diverse seating opportunities

High Street Gateway

- Tree bosque
- Seating
- Direct entry to Community Commons and mall
- Bike Valet

Civic Plaza

- Public plaza with arrival/ drop off area
- Elevator and Stair to Community Commons
- Outdoor seating and water/art feature

High Street

- Key retail corridor
- Passage and gathering spaces
- Outdoor shopping street
- Feature planting and seating elements
- Amenities: seating, landscaping, kiosks, lighting etc.

Grand Plaza Great Stairs

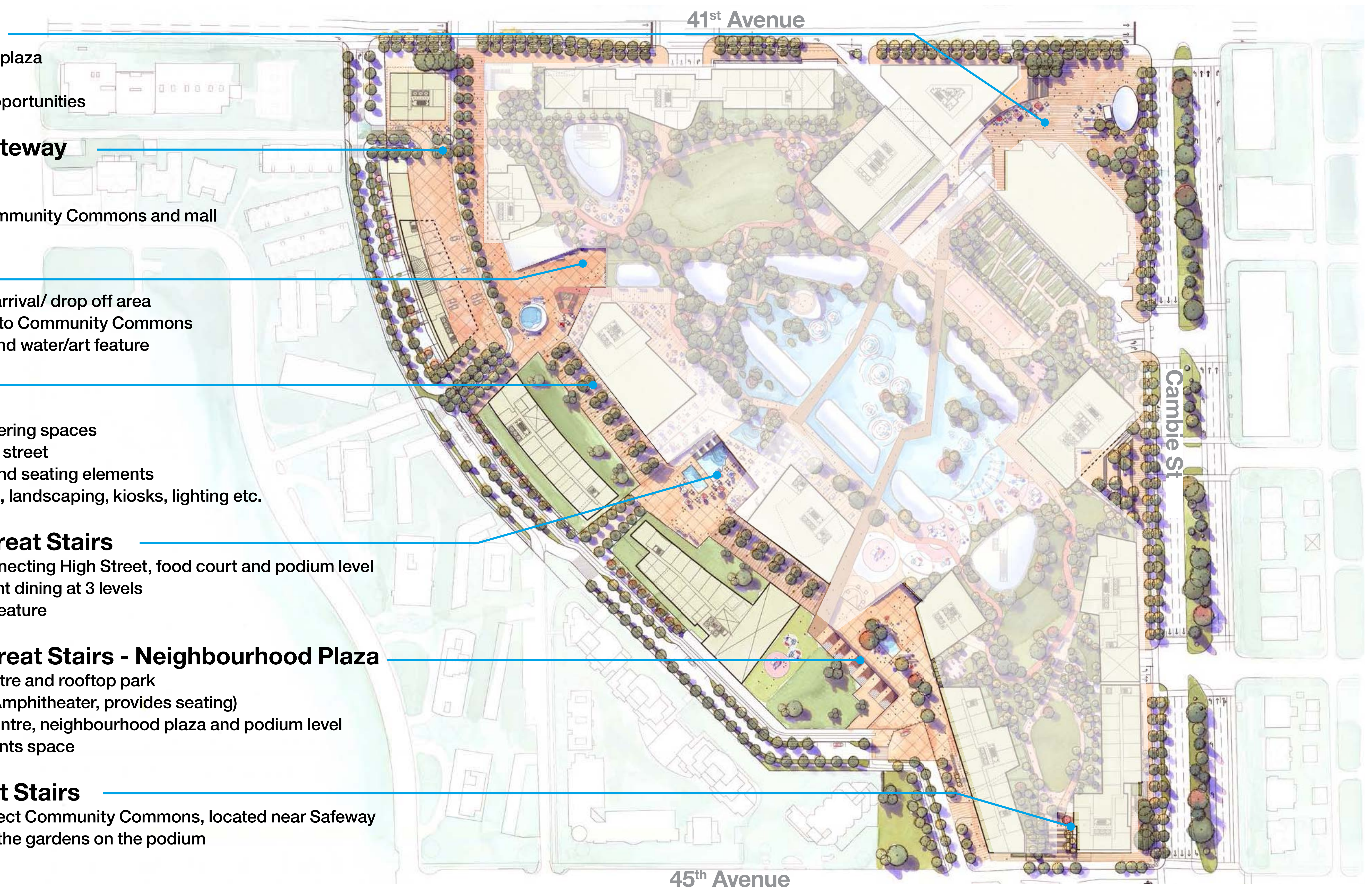
- Vibrant space connecting High Street, food court and podium level
- Terraced restaurant dining at 3 levels
- Cascading water feature

Civic Centre Great Stairs - Neighbourhood Plaza

- Stairs to Civic Centre and rooftop park
- Theatrical stairs (Amphitheater, provides seating)
- Connects Civic Centre, neighbourhood plaza and podium level
- Gathering and events space

Southern Great Stairs

- Urban stairs transect Community Commons, located near Safeway
- Links 45th Ave. to the gardens on the podium



Precedent Images



Transit Plaza



Civic Plaza



Neighbourhood Plaza



High Street/ Central Court

Oakridge Commons

Oakridge Commons provides a variety of programming options available to the public.

Water Art Garden

Scenic water feature with gardens and art
Accessible through a series of boardwalks, overlooks and the Tai Chi Pavilion
Public arts as focus
Key public destination and attraction

The Great Lawn

Open-air performance/ gathering area suitable for a range of activities
Frisbee, picnics, games, etc.
Opportunity for recreation, relaxation and fun for people of all ages and abilities

Dining Terraces

Dining in the Community Commons
Variety of restaurants with outdoor terraces

Community Gardens

Urban agriculture
Tool storage, plant exchange, compost, meeting place

The “Rec” Room

Outdoor fitness and exercise area
Places for yoga, bootcamps, fitness classes
Games ie. Ping Pong, Badminton
Programmable outdoor space for the Civic Centre

Children’s Play Area

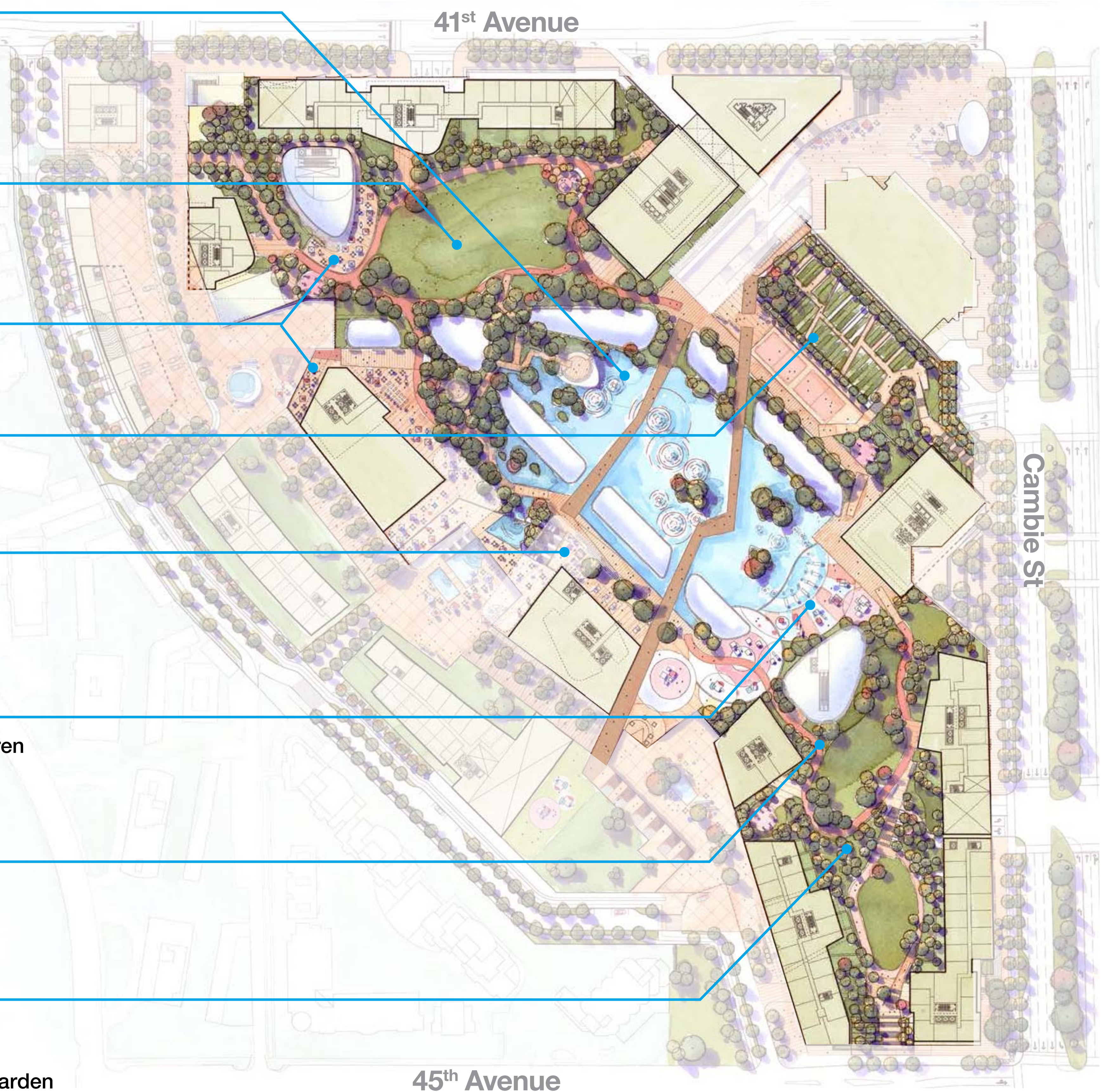
Major children’s play area for both pre-school and elementary school age children
Variety of play opportunities ie. water play, sculptural climbing structures
Family Gathering

The Half Mile Loop

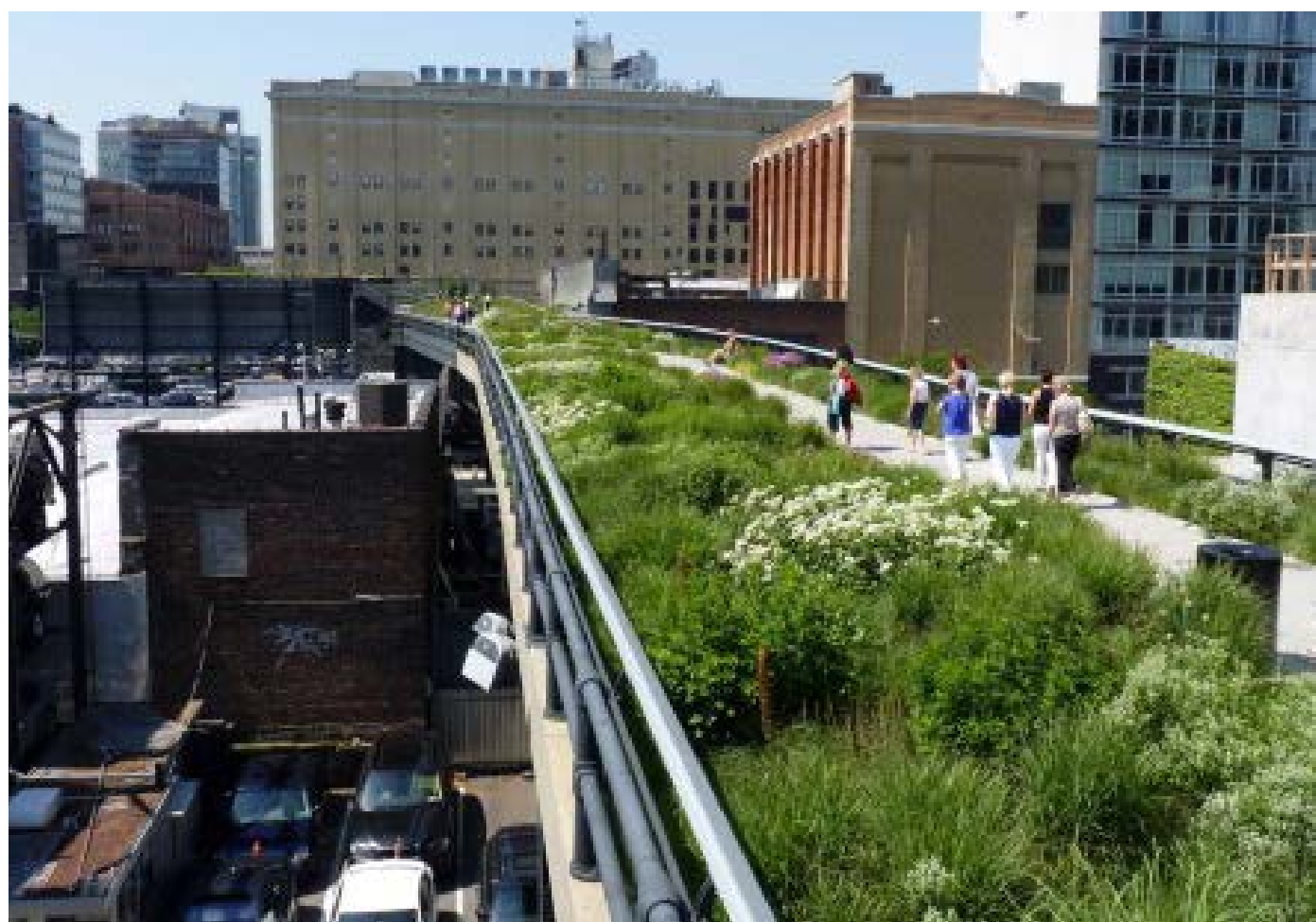
Half mile (0.8km) walking and running loop trail
Links recreation areas
Resilient surface and exercise stations

Seasonal Gardens

Walkways through passive public gardens
Seating, gathering and games areas
Seasonal celebration of horticulture ie. Spring blossoms to summer perennial garden



Precedent Images



High Line, New York



Lincoln Center, New York



Millennium Park, Chicago



La Vache Noire, Paris