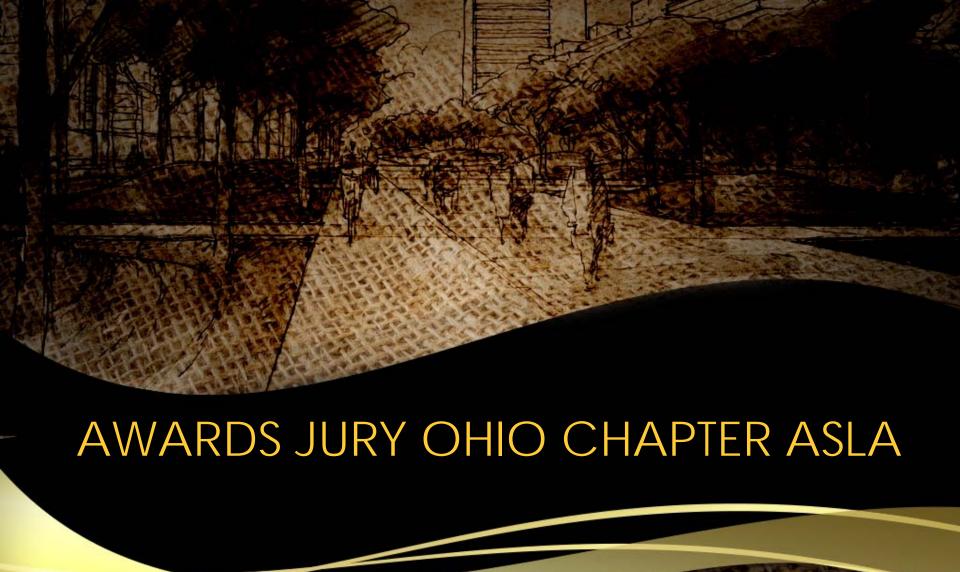
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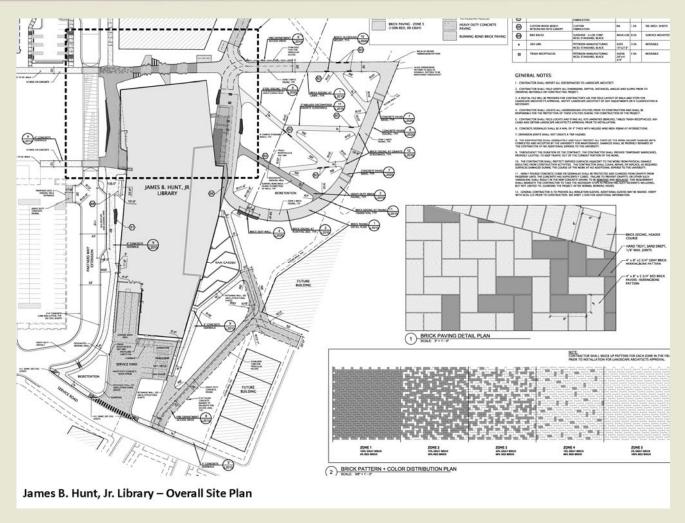
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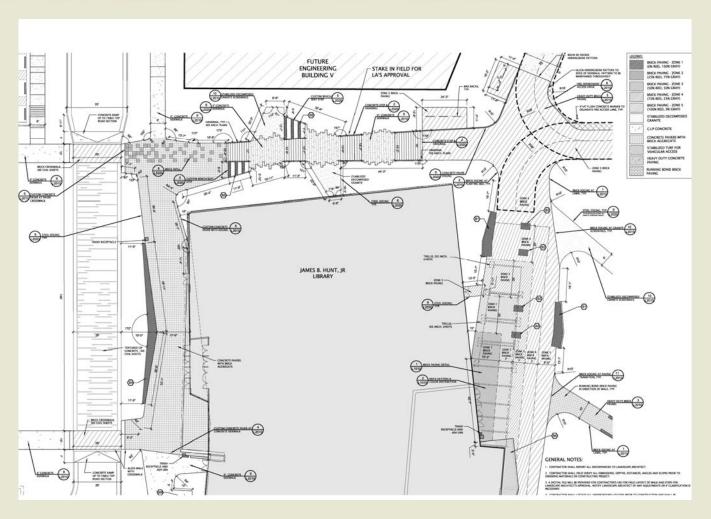
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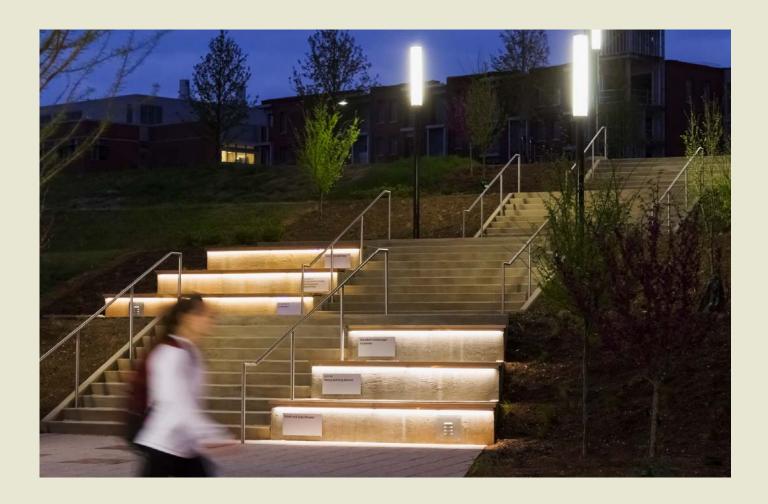
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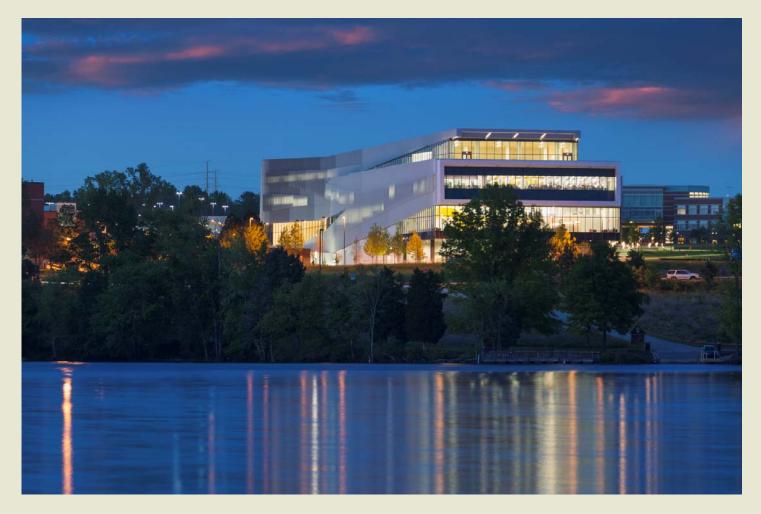
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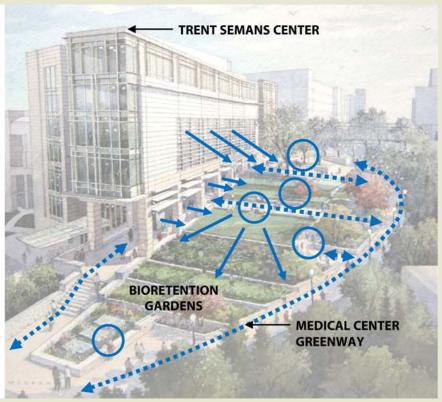


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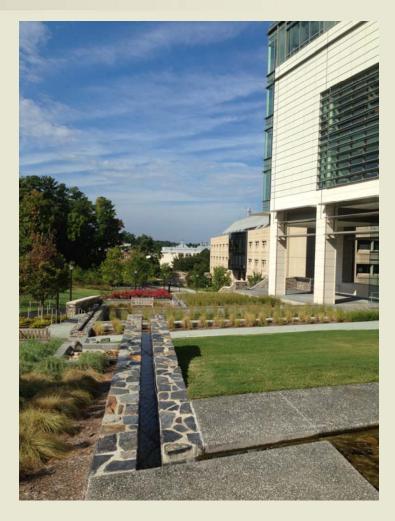


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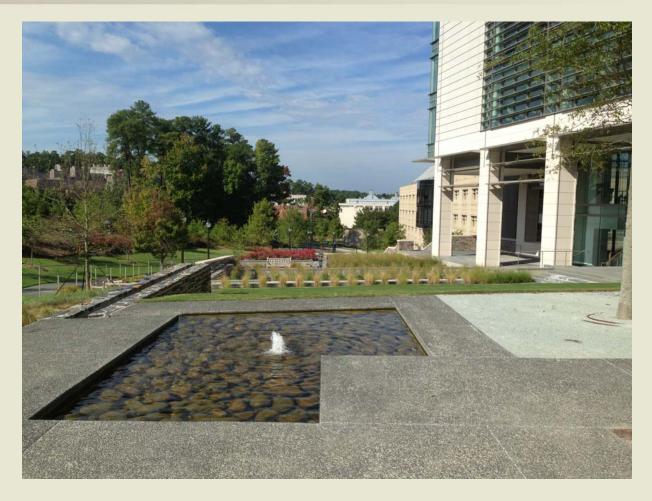




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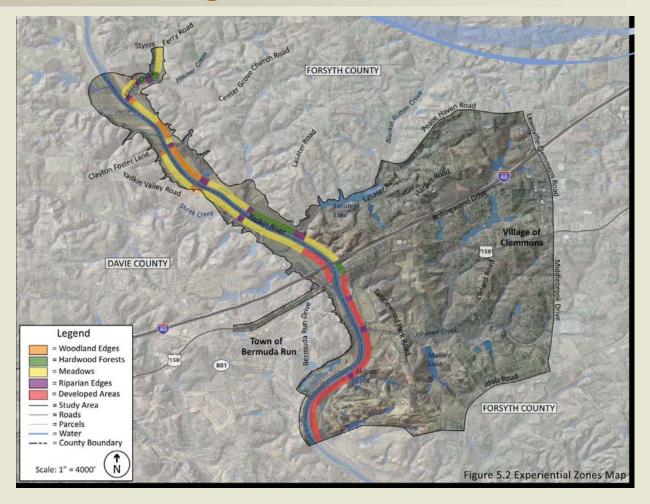


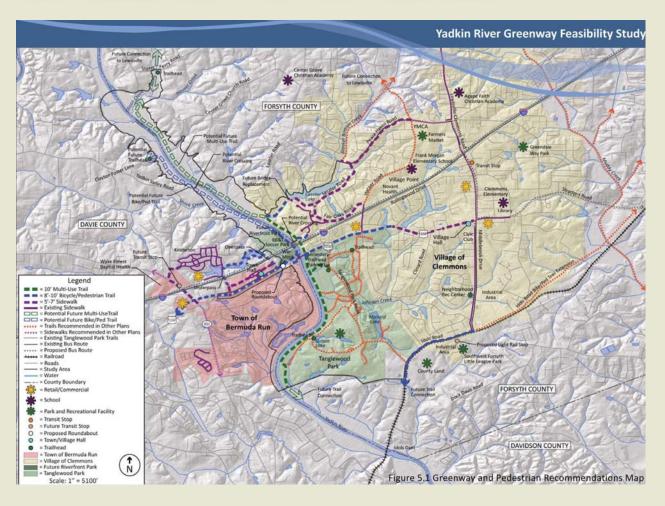
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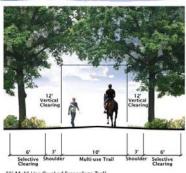
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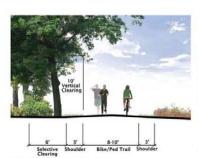




Yadkin River Greenway Feasibility Study



10' Multi-Use Crushed Screenings Trail



8'-10' Blke/Ped Paved Trall (off-street)

trail for bicycle and pedestrians, an on-street eight to ten foot wide paved trail, and an on-street five to seven foot wide paved concrete sidewalk. In order to provide connectivity across I-40 which bisects the study area east to west, a combination of existing overpasses/bridges and underpasses will be utilized. The existing pedestrian access across the new US 158 bridge over the Yadkin River includes a five and a half foot concrete sidewalk immediately adjacent to the roadway on the south side. Narrow sidewalks also exist in both directions on the I-40 overpass on Lewisville-Clemmons Road. An existing bridge over I-40, and an underpass under I-40 will be converted to pedestrian crossings for connectivity to the first phase of the Kinderton residential areas.

10' Multi-use Crushed Screenings Trail

This type of trail is constructed using compacted crushed screenings and can be used by pedestrians, bicycles, and equestrians. The trail is ten feet wide, with three foot shoulders on each side. The center of the trail should be crowned to help drainage. Beyond the three foot shoulders, a six foot wide zone of selective vegetative clearing on each side of the trail will ensure a clear zone of vision along the trail. A 12' zone of vertical clearing is necessary for equestrian users. The advantages to using a crushed screenings trail are that the trail cost is moderate, it is a firm surface, a natural material, and can accommodate equestrian use. The disadvantages to this type of trail are that it is not as ideal for flood prone areas and will require regular maintenance to keep a consistent surface. This type of trail can rut or erode with heavy rainfall if not designed with proper drainage, and is not suitable for steep slopes.

8-10' Bike/Ped Paved Trail (off and on-street)

This type of trail is typically constructed with asphalt and is used primarily by pedestrians and bicyclists. The trail is eight to ten feet wide, depending on its location in the trail system, with three foot wide shoulders on either side. The center of the trail should be crowned to help drainage. Beyond the three foot shoulders, a six foot wide zone of selective vegetative clearing on each side of the trail will ensure a clear zone of vision along the trail. A ten foot zone of vertical clearing is necessary for user safety. The advantages of this type of trail are that the trail surface is hard and all-weather, it accommodates most users, and does not erode. The disadvantages to this type of trail are the high installation cost, and the effects of freeze and thaw. It is more durable than crushed screenings trails in flood prone areas, but not as durable as concrete which has an even higher installation cost. Flooding also negatively impacts paved trails by undermining the subgrade. A paved trail is not suitable for equestrian use. When the trail is proposed in an on-street location, a five foot or wider grass or vegetated area separating the user from the road should be included to buffer the sounds and sights of traffic where feasible. A grass swale between the walk and the road is also needed to maintain proper drainage.

Yadkin River Greenway Feasibility Study



Woodland Edges



Hardwood Forests

Woodland Edges

Walking along woodland edges will allow the trail user to see a variety of native trees and shrubs and the types of wildlife that habitat these areas. Meandering through dappled shade and spots of sunlight creates a calming and restful experience.

Environmental Educational Opportunities:

Songbirds, native understory trees/shrubs, wildlife food sources, edge habitats

Hardwood Forests

A trail through a hardwood forest offers a different experience than walking along a woodland edge. Canopy and understory trees provide more shade and a cooler climate in the summer months. Many interesting things can be seen in this type of habitat including herb layer vegetation and other woodland herbaceous species, as well as songbirds and insects.

Environmental Educational Opportunities:

Tree rings and growth, tree identification, fern life cycles, poisonous plant identification, leaf shapes and arrangements

Cultural and Historic Educational Opportunities: Forestry Products

Riparian Edges

Humans and wildlife are naturally drawn to river or riparian edges. These environments offer a different type of user experience that includes stunning views of the Yadkin River and sunny spots to picnic and overlook the water. Many animals, amphibians, and insects populate this type of habitat, so it will be possible for trail users to happen upon them.

Environmental Educational Opportunities:

Wetland habitats, waterfowl, water quality, Pee-Dee River Basin, reptile and amphibian identification

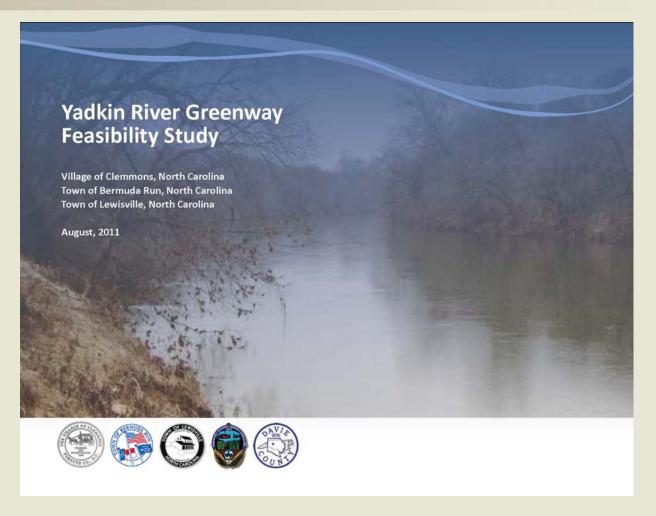
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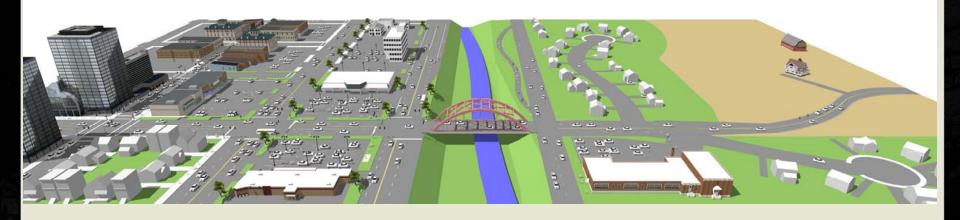
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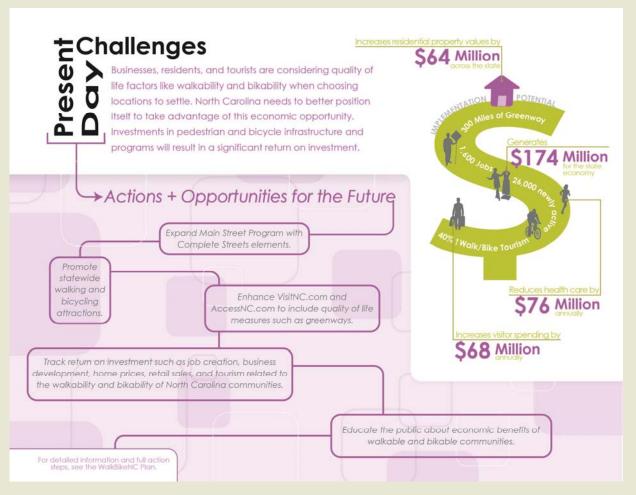
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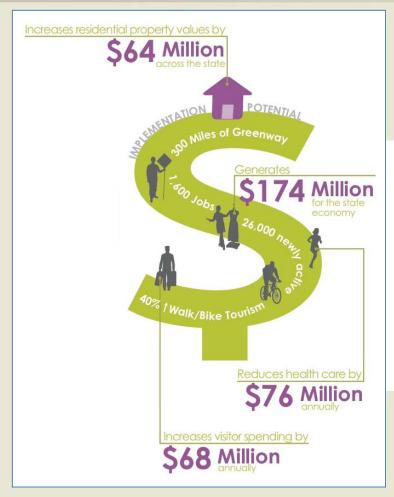


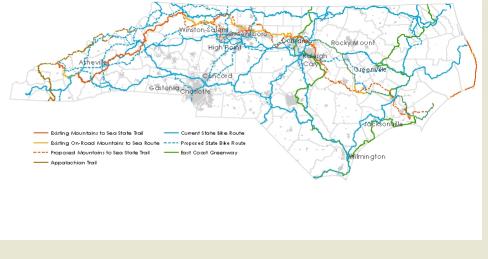
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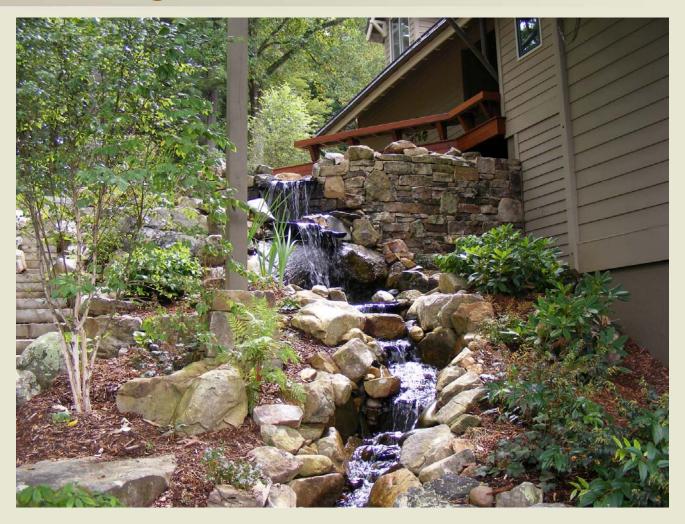




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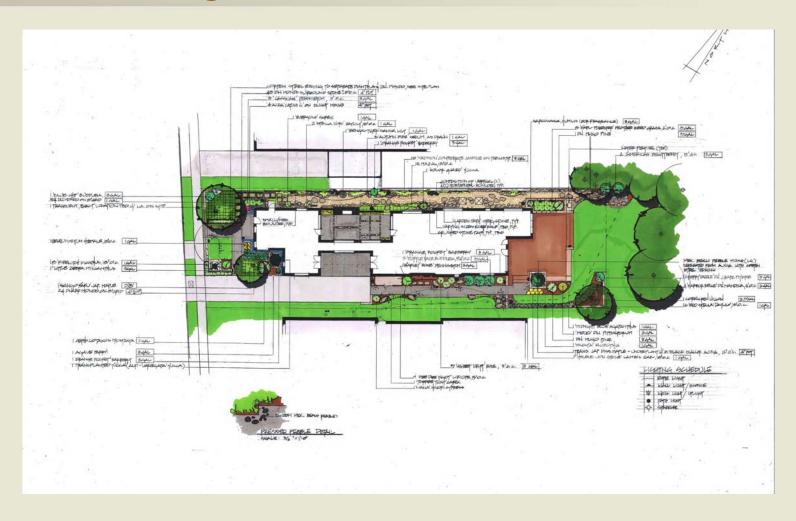








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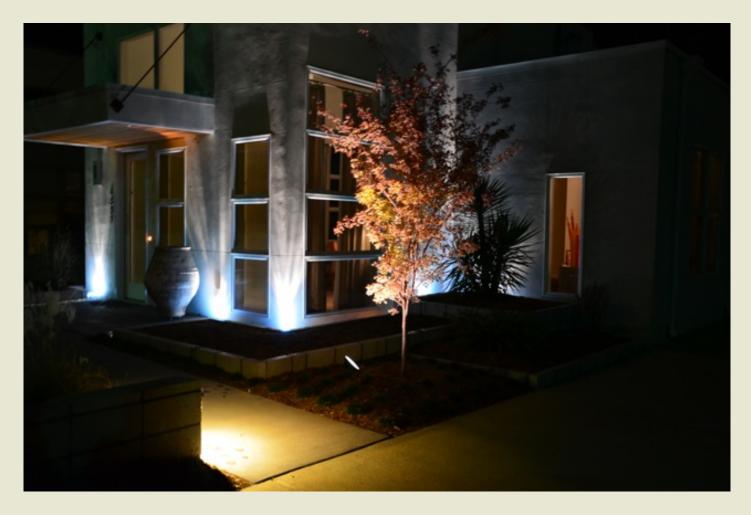
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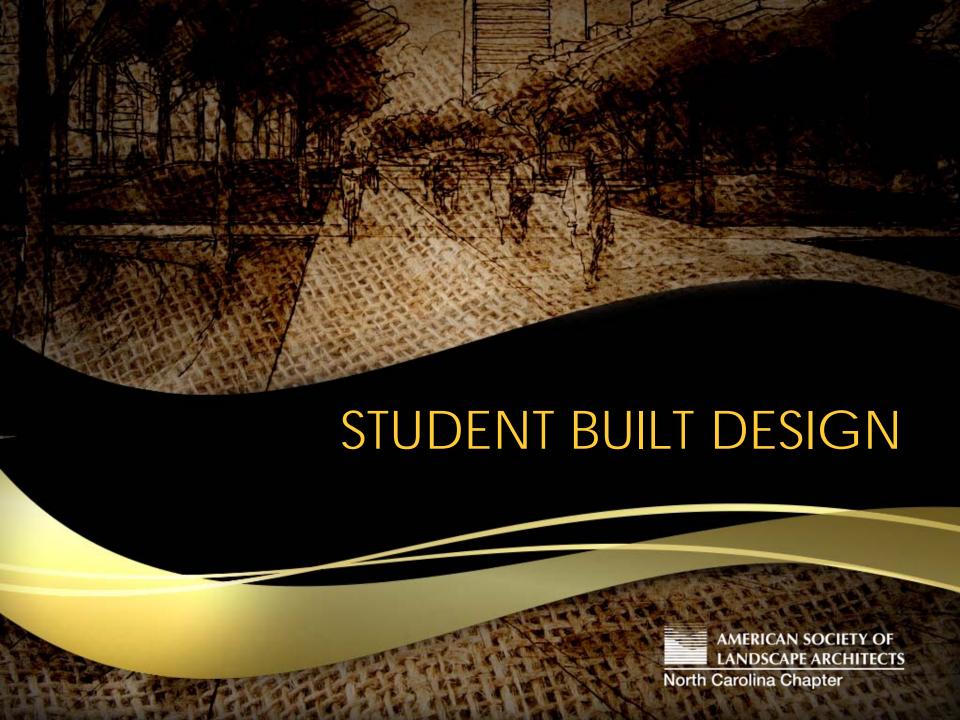
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