# Agenda Housing and Redevelopment Authority Work Session Meeting City of Edina, Minnesota Edina City Hall Council Chambers

#### Tuesday, September 19, 2017 5:30 PM

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Implementing Affordable Housing Strategy
- IV. North Parking Expansion Update
- V. Adjournment

The Edina Housing and Redevelopment Authority wants all participants to be comfortable being part of the public process. If you need assistance in the way of hearing amplification, an interpreter, large-print documents or something else, please call 952-927-8861 72 hours in advance of the meeting.



Edina Housing and Redevelopment Authority Established 1974

#### **CITY OF EDINA**

# HOUSING & REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

4801 West 50th Street Edina, MN 55424 www.edinamn.gov

**Date:** September 19, 2017 **Agenda Item #**: III.

To: Chair & Commissioners of the Edina HRA

Item Type:

Report / Recommendation

From: Bill Neuendorf, Economic Development Manager

Item Activity:

Subject: Implementing Affordable Housing Strategy Discussion

#### **ACTION REQUESTED:**

No action required; for discussion only.

#### **INTRODUCTION:**

There are several alternatives that can be considered when preparing a strategy to create and retain affordably-priced housing in Edina. This discussion seeks to identify priorities which will be explored further.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Affordable Housing Topics to discuss



# Affordably-Priced Housing in Edina

Creating and Implementing an Active Strategy

Edina HRA Work Session September 19, 2017

### Funds are Available Now



The Edina HRA has several options available now. Approx \$7 million is available to facilitate affordable housing.

- Traditional TIF statutes can be applied
- Special TIF legislation can provide funding until 2019
- HRA Affordable Housing Fund has \$1.2 million available
- Edina Housing Foundation also has funds available
- Several market-rate developments pending

### Issues to Discuss



- What is the size and scale of projects?
- Should focus be on existing buildings or new construction?
- Rental or owner-occupied?
- Who is the target resident?
- How is "affordably-priced" determined?
- Which strategies should be explored?

# Scale and Size – several options



Single Family

Duplex

Townhouse

Multi-Family

Condominium

Apartment

Co-operative

# Existing Buildings or New



Existing Housing Stock
 Apartment buildings
 Townhouse complexes
 Condominiums
 Co-ops





New Construction

Affordable units intermixed with market-rate All affordable units included in one building



# Rental or Owner-occupied



### **Rental units**

- Affordable rates
- Minimal down payment
- Flexible term
- Easier to relocate
- Easier to downsize or upsize

### **Owner-occupied units**

- Affordable rates
- Require down payment
- Longer term commitment
- Opportunity for wealth creation

Are owners different from tenants?

Can owners and renters make a positive contribution to Edina?





- Senior citizens on fixed incomes
- Young people
- Working families

Many groups are burdened by student debt, automobile debt or credit card debt that limits ability to purchase housing.

# What is "affordable"?



Household budgets have many pressures:

- Rent or mortgage
- Transportation and parking
- Condominium fees
- Utilities
- Healthcare
- Debt
- Family size

Programs can be targeted to serve different income levels:

	2 person household	4 person household
30% AMI		\$27,120
50% AMI		\$45,200
60% AMI	\$43,440	\$54,240
80% AMI		\$72,320
100% AMI		\$90,400
120% AMI		\$108,480

# Strategies to Consider

E CORPORATED A COR	The CITY of EDINA
--	-------------------

	Single Family / Duplex	Town- house	Apart- ment	Condo- minium	Co- operative
1) Purchase existing, remodel, and re-sell using land-trust model with long-term land lease	X	X	X	X	X
2) Purchase existing and re-sell with deed restriction or first-right-of refusal	X	X	X	X	
3) Assemble land and construct new housing owned and operated by <b>City</b>	X	X	X	X	X
4) Assemble land and partner with non- profit developer to build new housing that is owned and operated by the <b>developer</b> ; (land could be leased or sold)	X	X	X	X	X
5) Partner with market-rate developer to include affordable units intermixed with market-rate units		X	X	X	

### Issues to Discuss



- What is the size and scale of projects?
- Should focus be on existing buildings or new construction?
- Rental or owner-occupied?
- Who is the target resident?
- How is "affordably-priced" determined?
- Which strategies should be explored?



#### Edina Housing and Redevelopment Authority Established 1974

#### **CITY OF EDINA**

# HOUSING & REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

4801 West 50th Street Edina, MN 55424

www.edinamn.gov

**Date:** September 19, 2017 **Agenda Item #**: IV.

To: Chair & Commissioners of the Edina HRA

Item Type:

Report / Recommendation

From: Bill Neuendorf, Economic Development Manager

Item Activity:

Subject: North Parking Expansion Update Discussion

#### **ACTION REQUESTED:**

No action requested; for discussion only.

#### **INTRODUCTION:**

Staff will provide an update on the design of the North Parking Ramp for discussion purposes. Some alternatives have been suggested that could impact the budget.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Update Memo 9-13-17

Vegetative Screen options

Alternate for more parking

3918 Market office concept

#### **CITY OF EDINA**

#### **MEMO**

Economic Development / HRA
Phone 952-826-0407 • Fax 952-826-0390 • www.EdinaMN.gov



Date: September 13, 2017

To: Chair and Commissioners of the Edina Housing and Redevelopment Authority

cc:

Bill Neuendorf

From: Economic Development Manager

Re: North Ramp Expansion - Project Update and Discussion

#### 1) Design Update

The design team has been meeting on a weekly basis to advance the construction documents. Based on input and suggestions from neighbors in the business district, the design features on the south side of the facility are being refined.

A snow chute has been incorporated to simplify maintenance. The arrangement of vegetative screens and art panels continues to evolve to satisfy the limitations of the Building Code and to create an attractive and unique facility that makes a positive impression on the customers. Several options are available with the vegetative screening.

The new structures on the 3930 and 3944 parcels are being constructed with flat floors and with higher design strength to accommodate adaptive re-use in the future, if parking is not needed. The new foundations are being designed to accommodate vertical expansion, if necessary in the future.

Roof mounted light poles will be lower than normal to minimize light "spill" to neighboring properties.

**DISCUSSION QUESTION - Are there any concerns or suggestions regarding the building design?** 

#### 2) Vertical Expansion

The project architects have noted that additional parking could be delivered if the vertical expansion on the 3930 and 3944 parcels went up an additional half level. This should be able to accomplished using the zoning approvals that have already been secured for the site. About 40 stalls could be added on the east and about 30 stalls could be added on the west. The cost to add these stalls is in the \$2 million range.

#### **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS -**

Should the structure be designed to be expanded in the future?

Should additional parking stalls be constructed in 2018 as part of the North Ramp Expansion?

#### 3) Commercial Space on 3918 Market Street

Representatives from KM2 Development, the owners of the adjacent single-story commercial building have suggested a new concept. They would like to construct a new multi-story commercial office building that would be connected to the North Ramp. The building would be in the 4 to 5 story range; this is twice the "typical" size anticipated at 50<sup>th</sup> and France.

The construction of the office building could be accomplished separately from the construction of the ramp, but the two would need to be designed to work well together. The patrons of this building would use the public parking ramps.

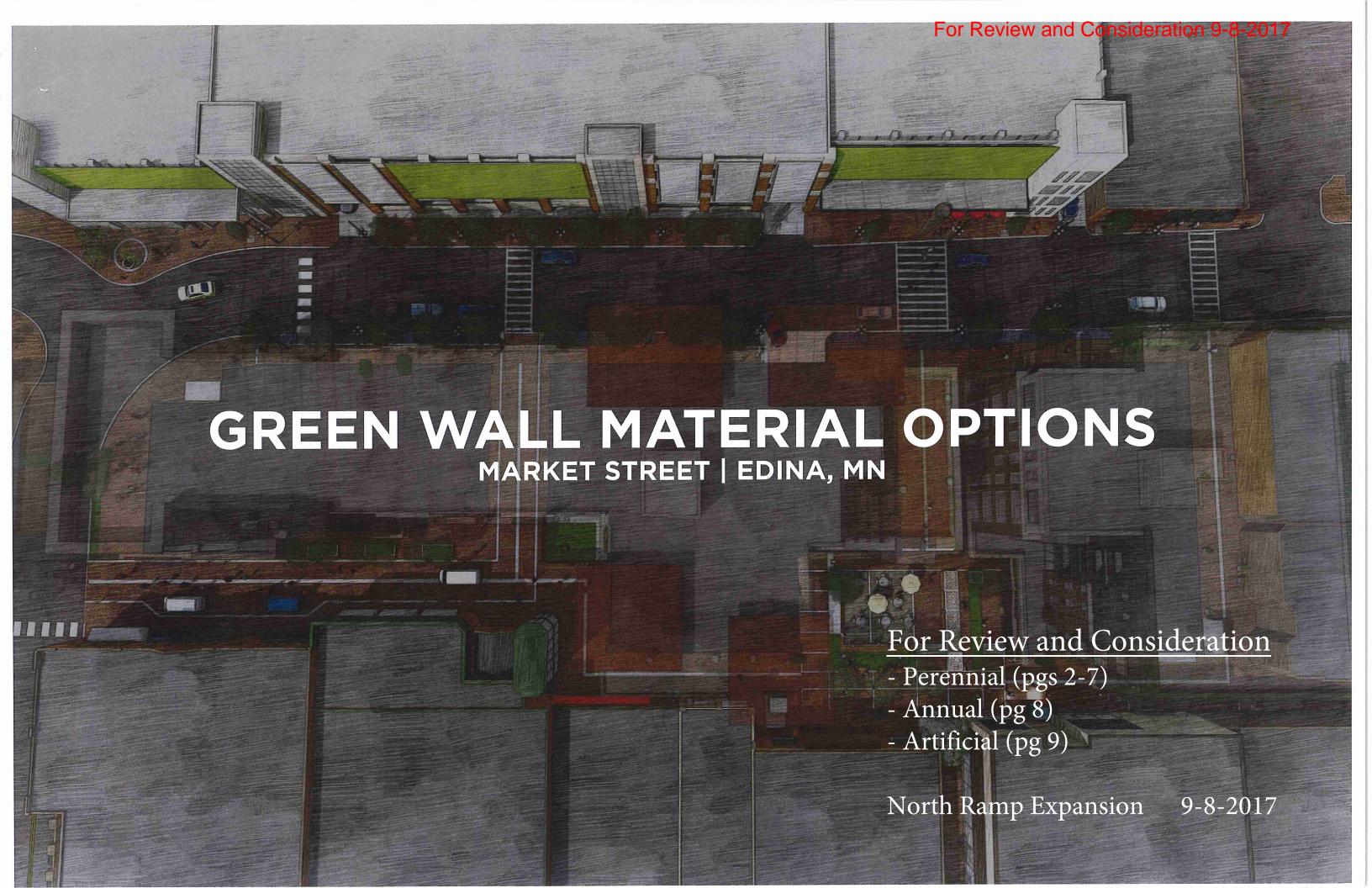
Shared underground parking was also explored, but it appears that underground parking is costprohibitive on the 3918 parcel and complicates and delays the expansion of the North Ramp. Patrons of any new commercial space could be accommodated in the North Ramp if the additional level of parking is constructed.

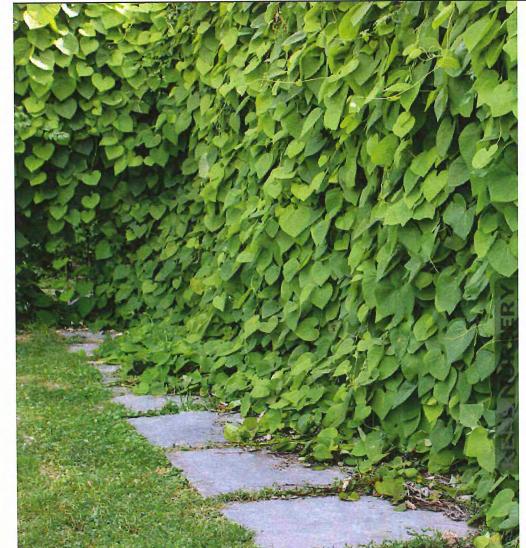
Past practice allowed property owners to use the public parking for their "typical" building size but required them to provide their own parking or pay for additional parking to construct a larger building. Tax Increment Financing (TIF) might be one tool to use to fund additional parking.

#### **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS -**

Are there any concerns with designing the North Ramp to "connect" to a future privatelyowned building?

Is there interest in working with KM2 Development to explore this project in full detail; including the potential for TIF?



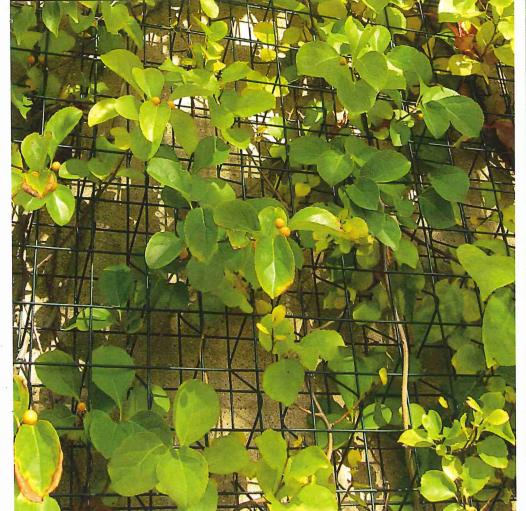




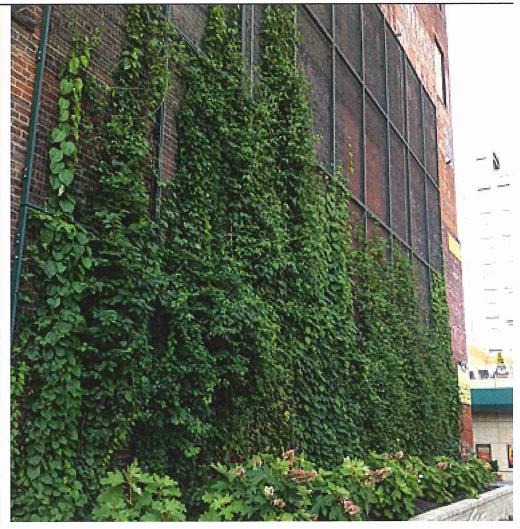


The native vines planted include Dutchman's pipe, American bittersweet, virgin's bower clematis and two colors of local honeysuckle.

Genus species	Common name	Features	Climbing mechanism	USDA hardi- ness zone	Dies back?	Growth rate; total height	Light require- ments
Aristolochia durior (A. macrophylla)	Dutchman's pipe	dense screen, coarse foliage	twining	4	no	6'/year; up to 30'	sun to part shade

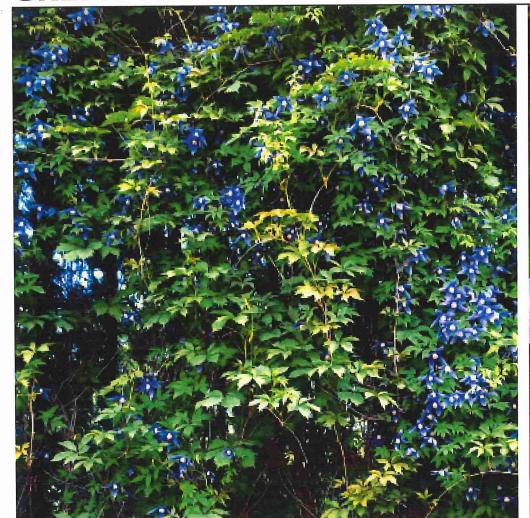






The native vines planted include Dutchman's pipe, American bittersweet, virgin's bower clematis and two colors of local honeysuckle.

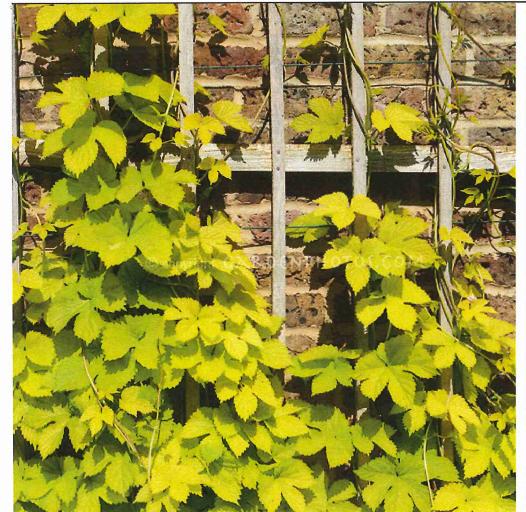
Genus species	Common name	Features	Climbing mechanism	USDA hardi- ness zone	Dies back?	Growth rate; total height	Light require- ments
Celastrus scandens	American bittersweet	orange and yellow fruits	twining	2	no	10'/year; to 30' or more	sun to part shade



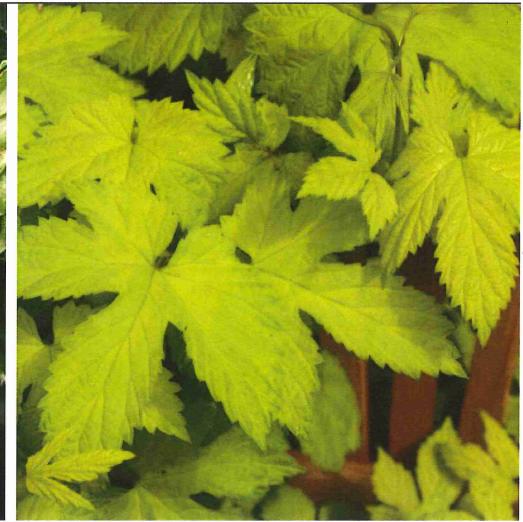




Genus species	Common name	Features	Climbing mechanism	USDA hardi- ness zone	Dies back?	Growth rate; total height	Light require- ments
Clematis hybrids	clematis	large purple, white, pink or maroon flowers, delicate foliage	modified petioles act as tendrils	4	yes	12'/year	full sun to part shade







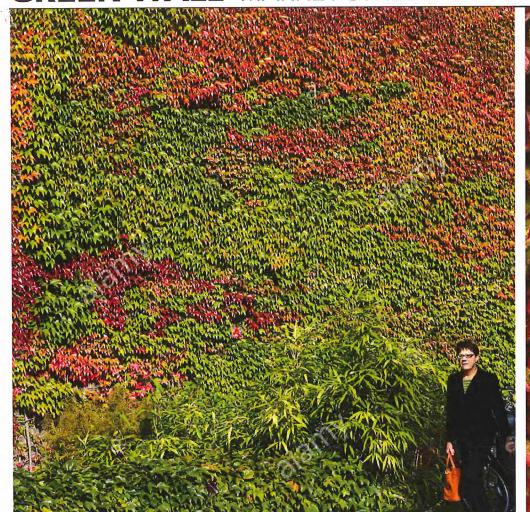
Genus species	Common name	Features	Climbing mechanism	USDA hardi- ness zone	Dies back?	Growth rate; total height	Light require- ments
Humulus lupulus	hop vine	fast growth, green flowers used to flavor beer	twining	3	yes	20'-30'/year	sun to part shade



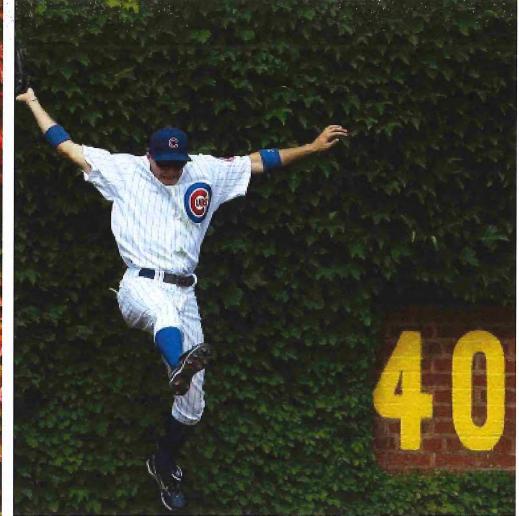




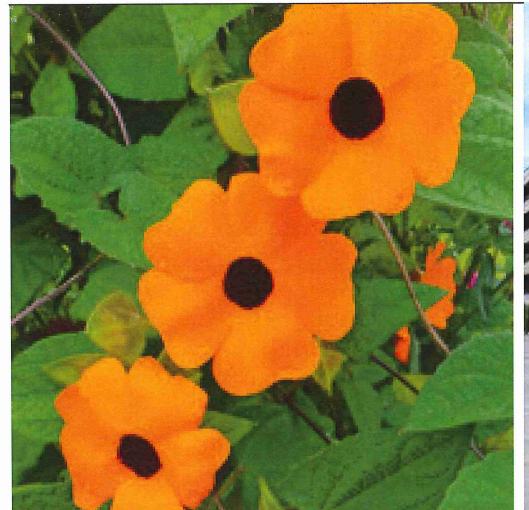
Genus species	Common name	Features	Climbing mechanism	USDA hardi- ness zone	Dies back?	Growth rate; total height	Light require- ments
Lonicera x brownii 'Dropmore Scarlet'	Dropmore scarlet honeysuckle	red flowers	twining	3	no	6'/year; up to 20'	sun to part shade







Genus species	Common	Features	Climbing mechanism	USDA hardi- ness zone	Dies back?	Growth rate; total height	Light require- ments
Parthenocissus tricuspidata	Boston ivy	dense screen, red fall color, clings to masonry	clinging, tendrils with suction cups	2	no	10'/year; up to 50'	full sun to deep shade







Genus species	Common name	Features	Climbing mechanism	Height
lpomoea quamoclit	cardinal climber	red flowers, delicate foliage	twining	to 10'
lpomoea tricolor	morning glory	blue, purple or pink flowers	twining	to 10'
Thunbergia alata	black-eyed susan vine	yellow and orange flowers with dark centers	twining	to 6'







### North Ramp Expansion August 2017



Purple outline illustrates how the high point of Level 5 could be extended horizontally to create additional roof top parking. The parking on 3930 parcel is more efficient because it is a larger parcel of land. The 3944 parcel can effectively create more parking but is less efficient.

For HRA Discussion 9-13-2017





Collage | architects

DRAFT For HRA Discussion 9-13-2017





Edina, MN

AUG 29, 2017

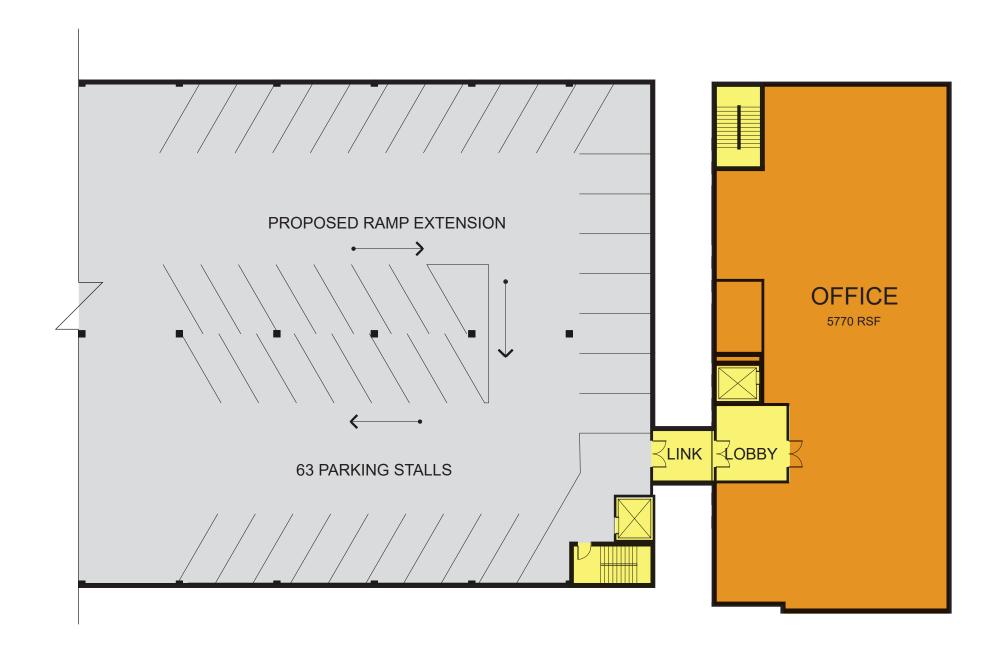
#### **OFFICES**

FIRST LEVEL 5250 NSF SECOND LEVEL 5770 NSF THIRD LEVEL 5770 NSF FOURTH LEVEL 5770 NSF FIFTH LEVEL 4570 NSF

FIRST LEVEL PLAN 1/16" = 1'=0"







49.5 & FRANCE

Edina, MN

AUG 29, 2017







