

# Fort Washington Park

## Increase playground and active recreation areas:

Add a playground and comfort station to the south end of the park; improve the volleyball area and athletic fields

## Improve forest health:

Remove invasive trees and vines; enhance habitat for birds

## Enhance the shoreline and

**natural areas:** Improve access to beaches and rock outcroppings, improve shoreline stability through addition of boulders and plantings

## Create opportunities for adventure:

Activate the isolated section of the park east of the Henry Hudson Parkway, consider activities such as skateboarding, and BMX biking

## Improve connections to the community and other parks:

Construct handicapped accessible, well lit and safe connections to the waterfront from the community; reduce bicycle and pedestrian conflicts; improve perimeter appearance

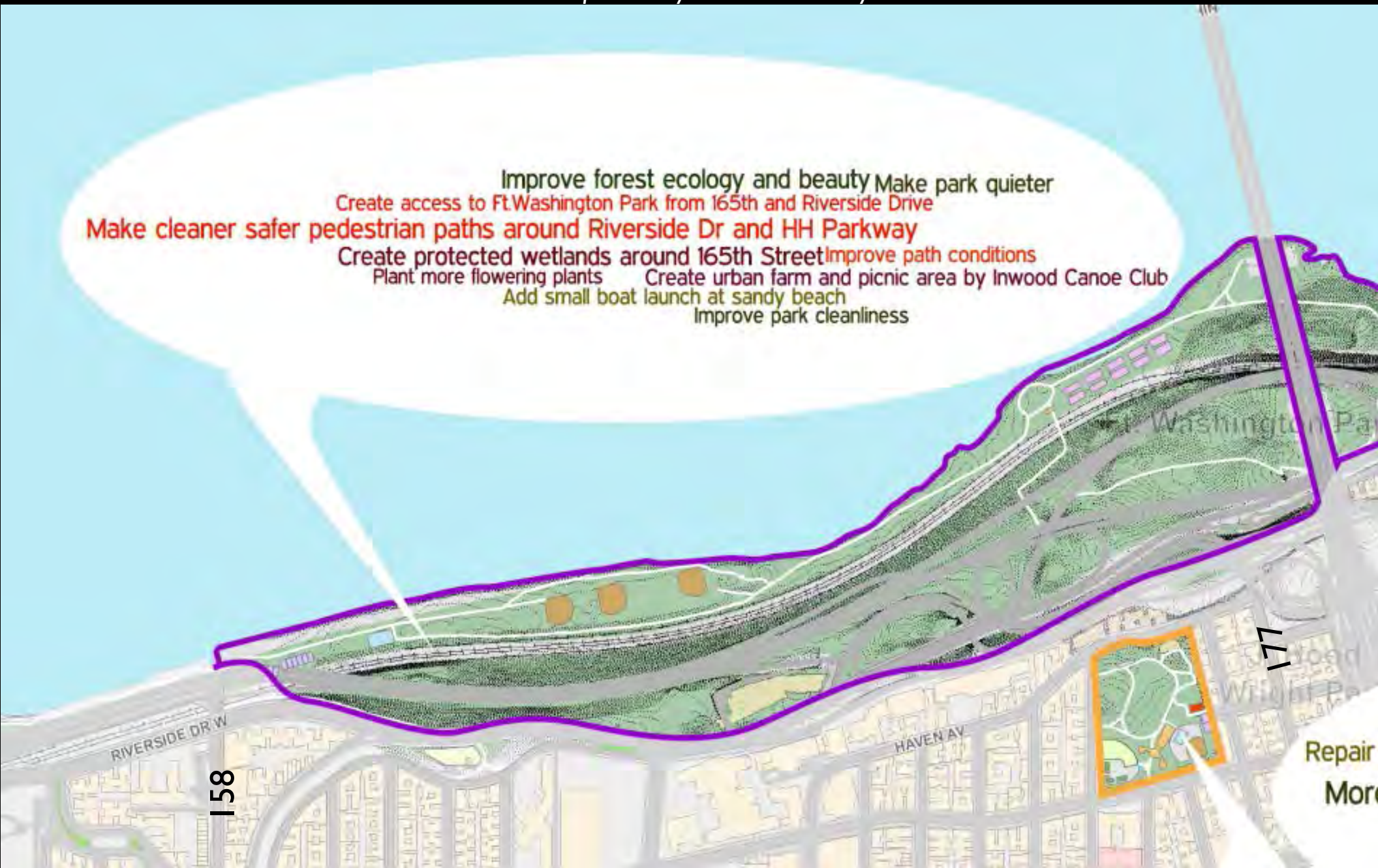




# Fort Washington Park South

## Community Concerns reported on All Our Ideas

Each “word cloud” shows the top ten concerns people mentioned.  
If the type is larger, it means the item has a high probability of being requested by other community members.





# Community Parks

# Community Concerns as reported on *All Our Ideas*

Adjacent community and small parks

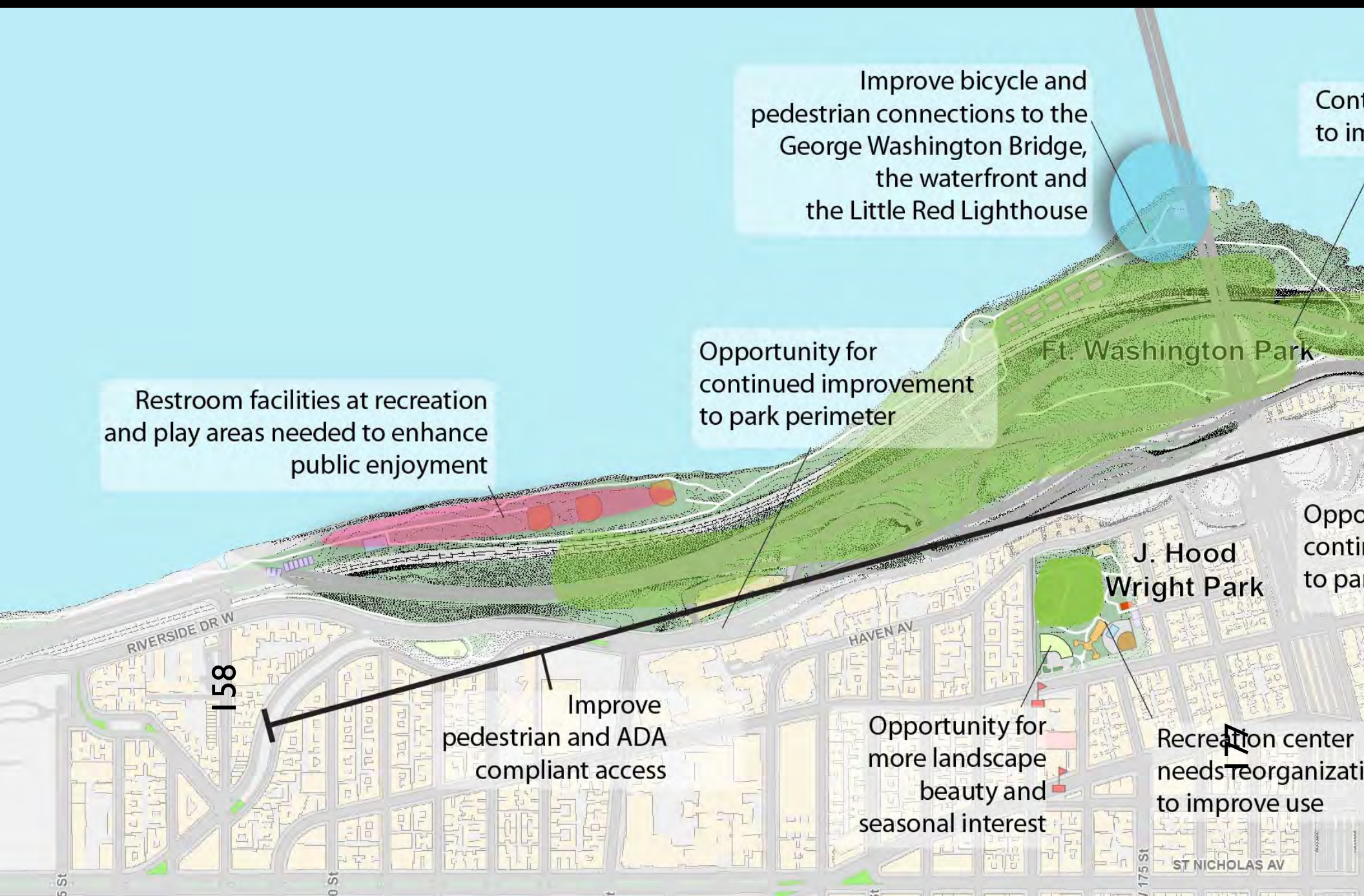




# Fort Washington Park

## South

# Physical Issues South



Improve bicycle and pedestrian connections to the George Washington Bridge, the waterfront and the Little Red Lighthouse

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Restroom facilities at recreation and play areas needed to enhance public enjoyment

Opportunity for continued improvement to park perimeter

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J. Hood Wright Park

Improve pedestrian and ADA compliant access

Opportunity for more landscape beauty and seasonal interest

Recreation center needs to be organized to improve use

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# Fort Washington Park South

## Concept Plan South

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### Fort Washington Park

- Improve active and passive recreation areas
- Improve park access from the community
- Improve and connect the north-south bikeway
- Restore the health of the forest and ecologies
- Improve shoreline access

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# Fort Washington Park North

Concerns as reported on *All Our Ideas*



Provide restroom south of Dyckman  
Add pedestrian bridge across HHParkway  
WATERFRONT ACCESS for FISHING BOATING HIKING BIKING WALKING  
FROM LIGHTHOUSE TO DYCKMAN MARINA  
Provide more trash cans  
Improve bike/pedestrian safety  
Increase police presence  
Add formal garden  
Remove parking lot  
Improve and winterize rest areas  
Improve forest ecology and beauty

air path walls near Bennett and Broadway  
ore garbage cans with lids  
Mark and enforce "no bikes" on pedestrian paths  
Enforce dog-waste dog-fight leash laws  
Redo 181st street pedestrian/bike bridge  
Increase police presence  
educational vegetable garden  
coordinate volunteer ground maintenance  
footbridge across highway  
Restore pathway lighting

Dyckman

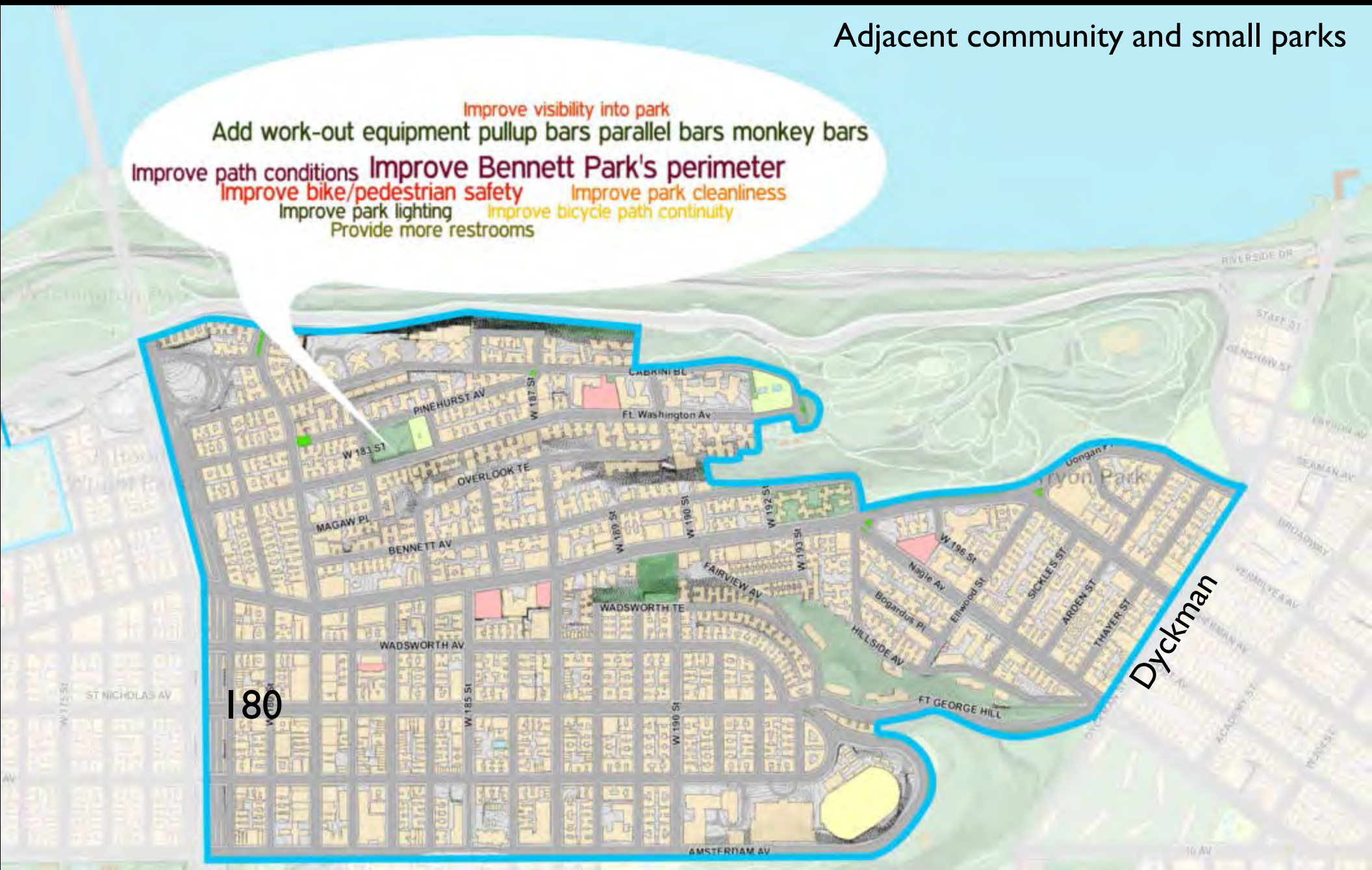


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- Improve visibility into park
- Add work-out equipment pullup bars parallel bars monkey bars
- Improve path conditions
- Improve Bennett Park's perimeter
- Improve bike/pedestrian safety
- Improve park cleanliness
- Improve park lighting
- Improve bicycle path continuity
- Provide more restrooms





## Physical Issues North





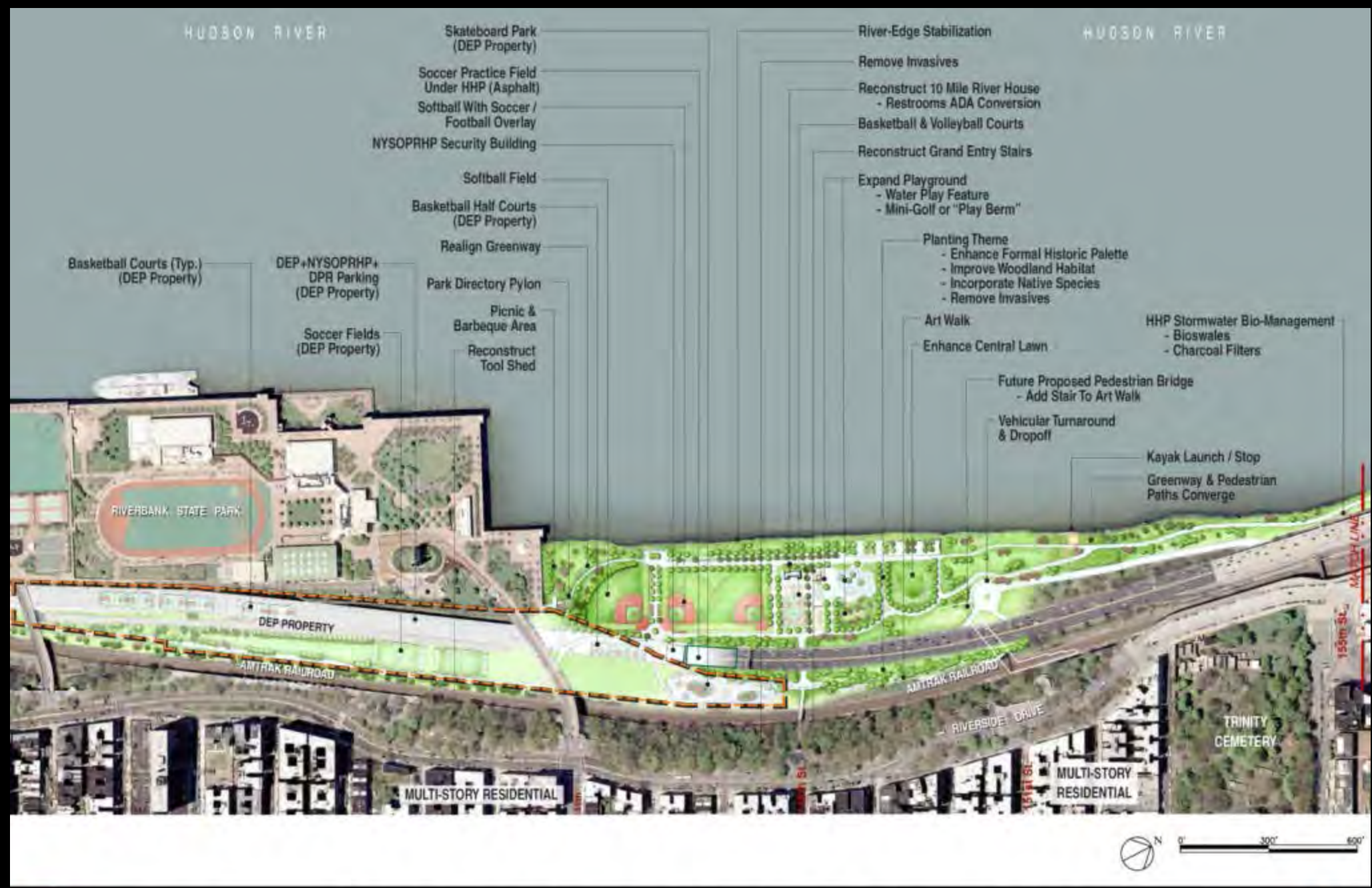
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## North

# Concept Plan North







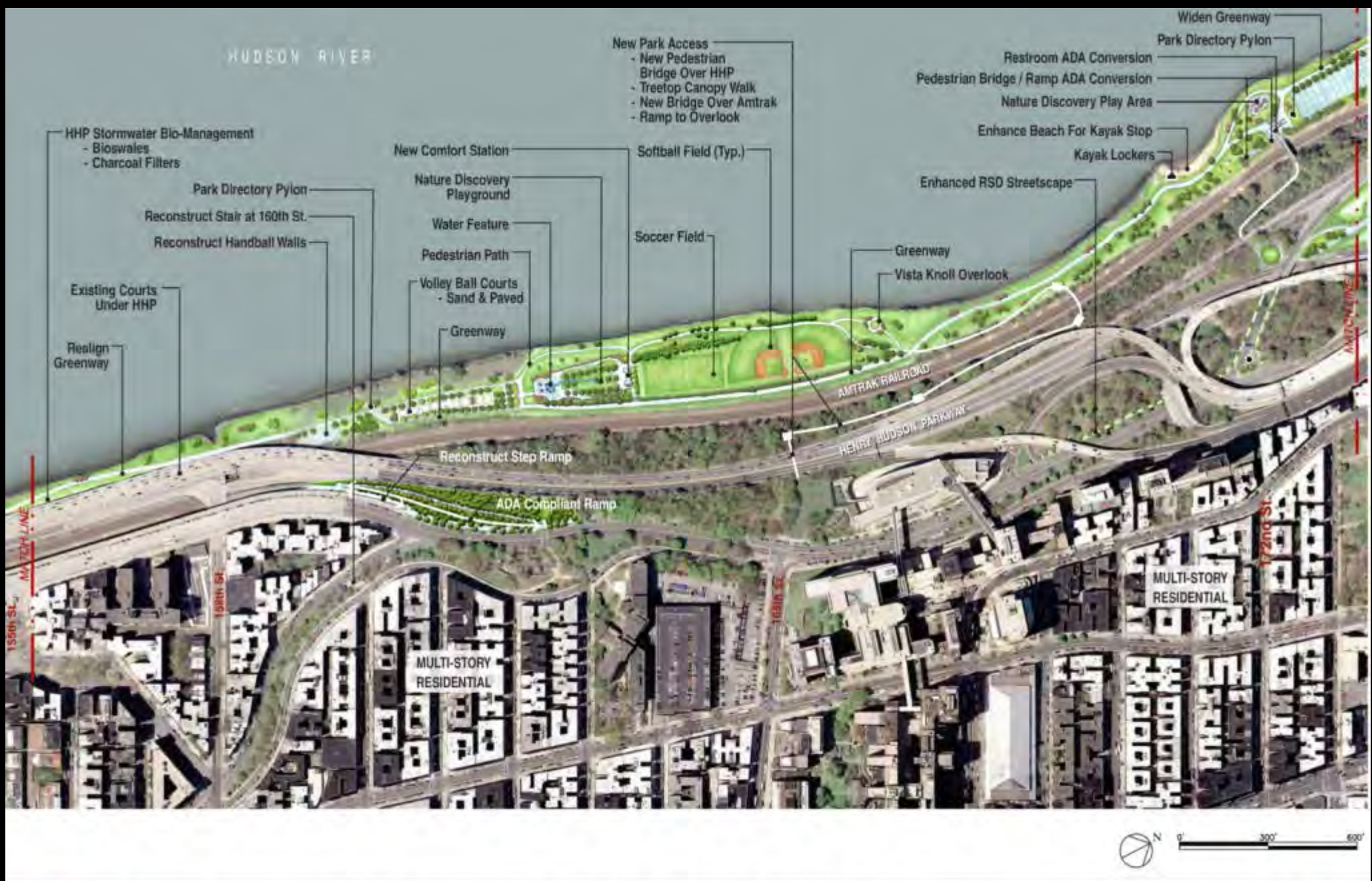
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**Master Plan**  
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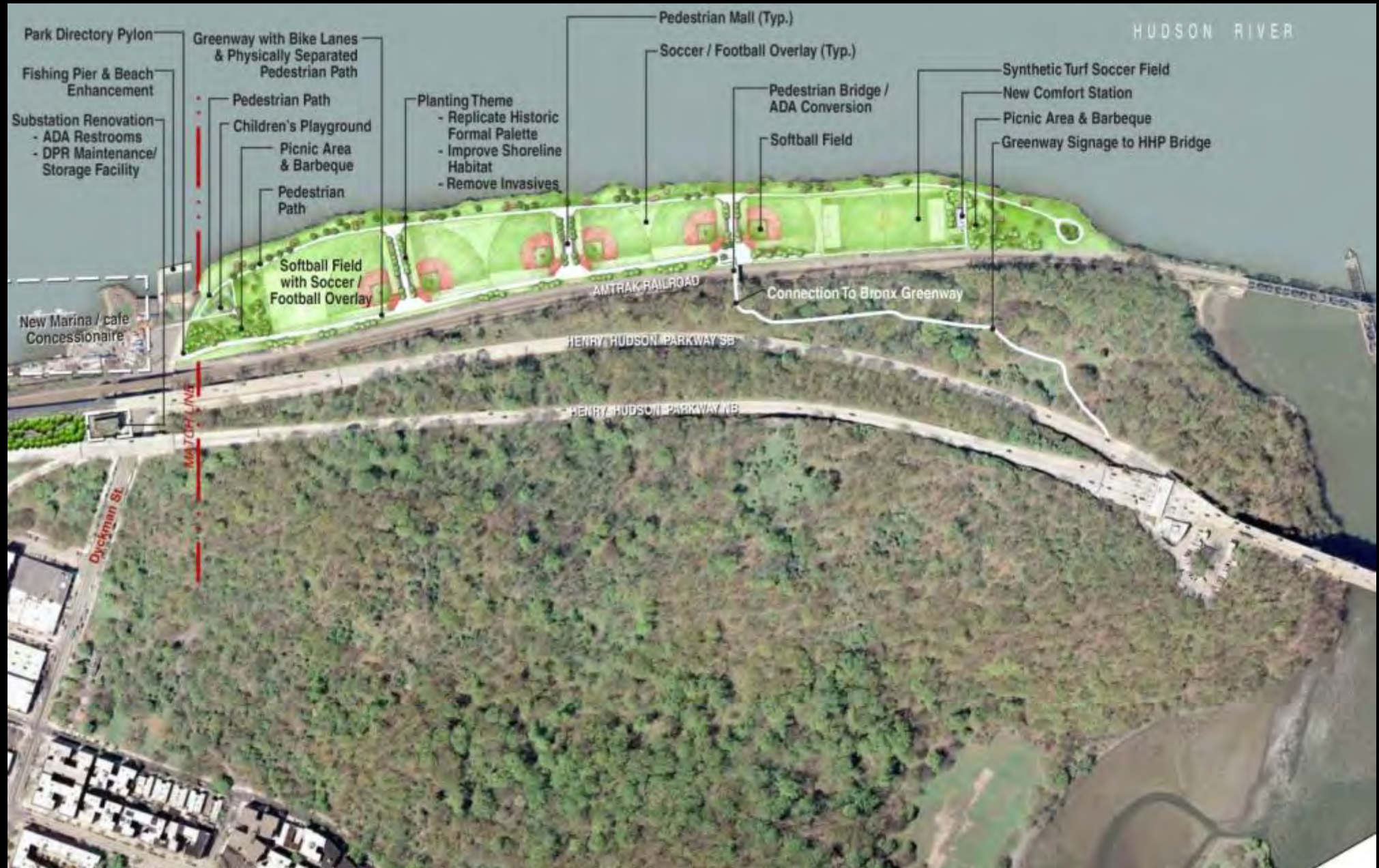












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