

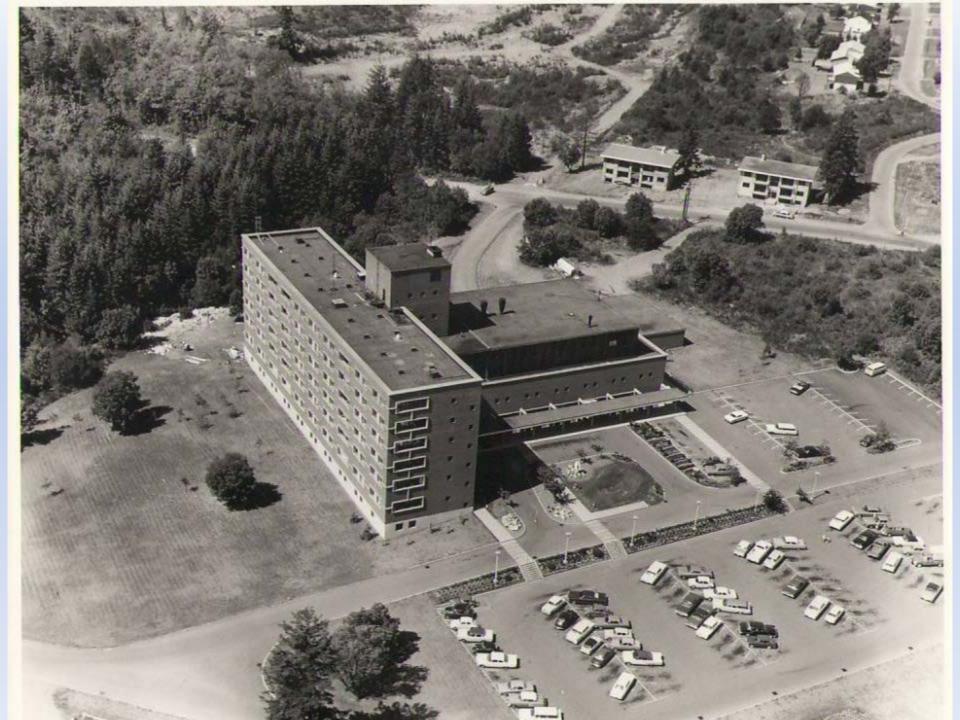
Hospital Area Plan Update



Community Planning and Development Committee
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2.1 Urban Nodes Cont.

Table 2 Urban Nodes - Focus and Character

Urban Node	Focus and Character
Downtown Centre	City-wide and regional centre for arts and culture, celebrations and festivals, commercial services, civic facilities, government and professional offices, and higher density residential
Woodgrove	Regional commercial centre characterized by intensive retail and service uses with future focus on expanding higher density residential uses
South Nanaimo	Regional commercial centre characterized by intensive retail and service uses as well as higher density residential and light industrial uses
Hospital	City-wide and regional centre for health services, seniors housing, professional offices, and higher density residential
University	City-wide and regional centre for educational and recreational services

Hospital Area

- 124.4 hectares (307 acres) in size
- Bounded by Bowen Road, Meredith Road, Townsite Road and Waddington Road
- Nanaimo Regional General Hospital (NRGH), which serves a population of 108,000
- Island Health currently completing a review of NRGH (expected Spring 2017) to expand service provision

Hospital Area

- Hospital Urban Node: health services, seniors housing, professional offices and medium/high density rental housing
- Plan Area outside the Hospital Urban Node primarily zoned Residential—single family dwellings
- Limited food service and retail options available
- Recent improvements to bicycle network in Plan Area, included community engagement

Plan Initiation

- Background Research
- Working Group Formation
- •Terms of Reference Approval



Issues & Opportunities



Options Development



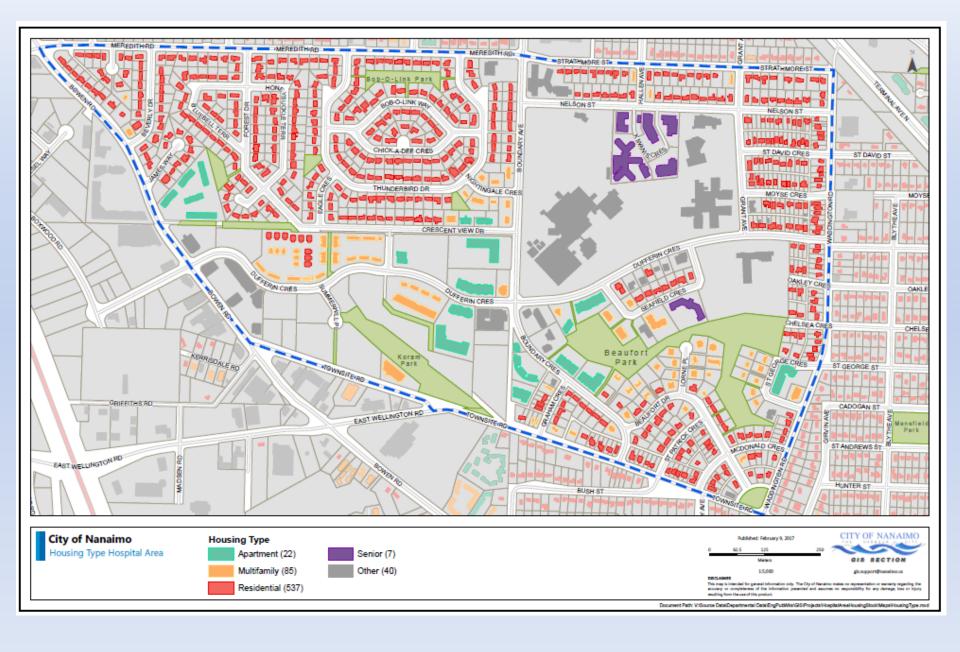
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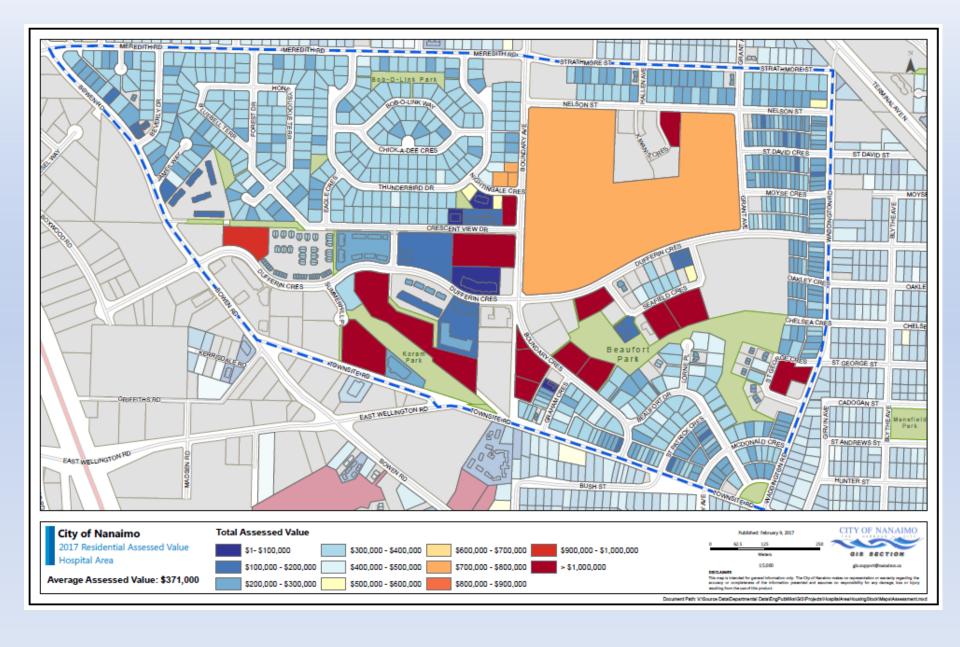


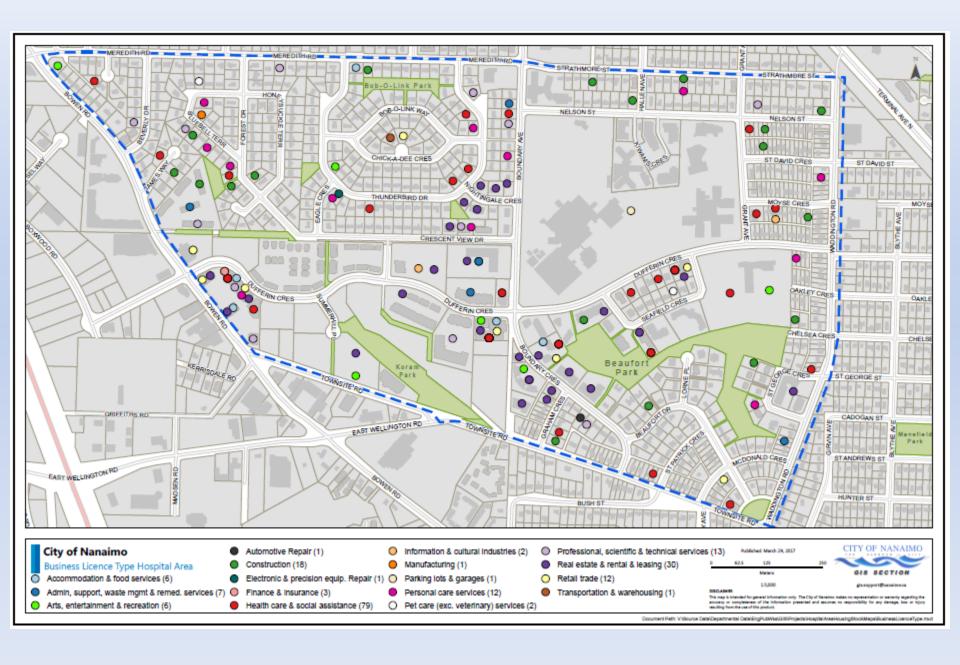
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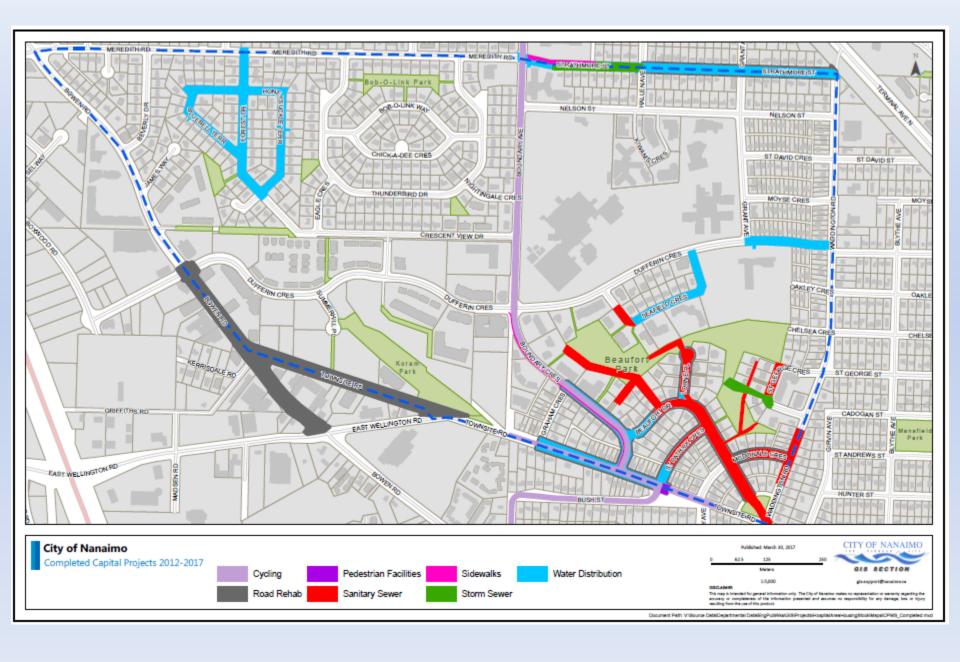
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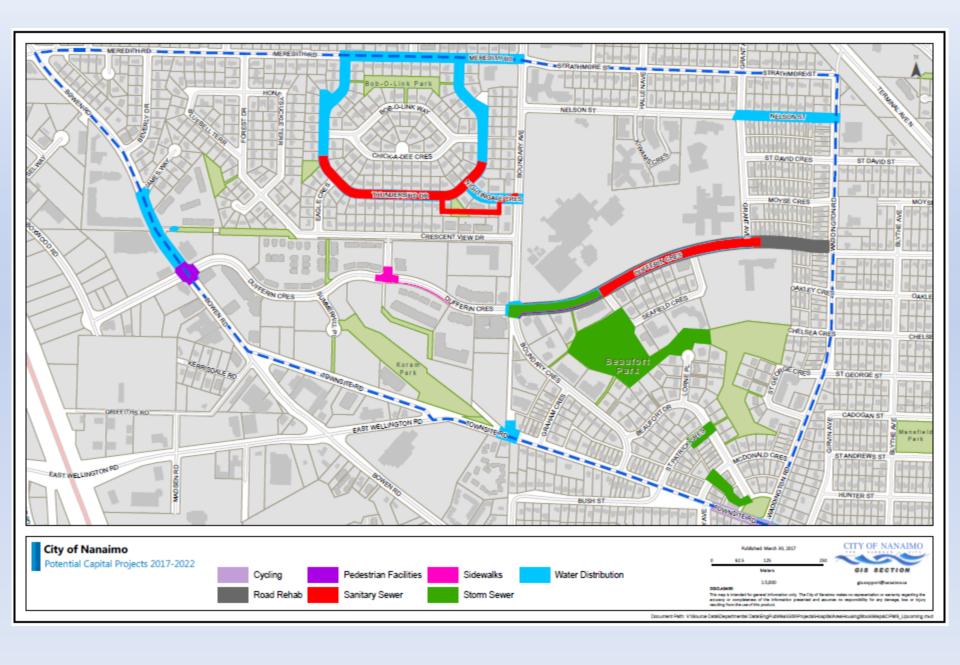
- Terms of Reference approved by Council
- Review of existing data
- Internal Technical Working Group meeting
- Awarded RFP for Parking Strategy consultant
- Real Estate Market Analysis











Plan Initiation



Issues & Opportunities

- Parking Data Collection
- Stakeholder Meetings
- Open House and Survey



Options Development



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Final Plan to Council

Next Steps

- Issue RFP for Urban Design, Streetscape and Open Space services
- Parking Study begins
- Receive and review market analysis
- Commence key stakeholder meetings