

COMMUNITY

COLLABORATION

New Granada Theater & Offices

COMMERCE

CULTURE



# Presentation to the Development Review Panel

Confidential.

# **Meet the Project Team**

- Development
  - Marimba Milliones, Hill CDC
  - Irvin Henderson, Henderson & Co.
- Design
  - Milton Ogot, Architect
- Preconstruction
  - Angelo Martini, Jr., A Martini Co.
  - Alexis Russell, Russell General Contracting



# **Development Team**



Marimba Milliones
President & CEO
Hill CDC



Irvin Henderson

Real Estate Development

Consultant

Henderson & Co.



Kevin Krulewitch
Real Estate Development
Consultant
Henderson & Co.



# **Design Team**



Milton Ogot, RA
Principal
Milton Ogot, Architect



Caplan Engineering Co





## **Preconstruction Services Team**





Angelo A. Martini, Jr. Chief Operating Officer A. Martini & Co.

George Germany
Subcontractor/ Diversity Liaison
A. Martini & Co.





Alexis Russell, MSL Community Involvement Russell GC

Aaron Reed
Supply Chain Education and Integration
Reed Building Supply



## **Our Mission**

The Hill CDC works in partnership with residents and stakeholders to create, promote, and implement strategies and programs that connect plans, policies and people to drive compelling community development opportunities in the Greater Hill District.





# **About the Hill CDC**

- Real Estate Development
  - Commercial Core
  - Homeownership
- Economic Development
  - Business & Entrepreneurship
  - Art and Culture
  - Innovation
- Policy & Planning
  - Promotion of Equitable Development







# GREATER HILL DISTRICT Master Plan







Community Masterplan is Currently being updated for formal adoption by City Planning.



# CENTRE AVENUE CORRIDOR REDEVELOPMENT AND DESIGN PLAN JUNE 2015

prepared for
The Hill Community Development Corporation
powered by
evolveEA and 4ward Planning







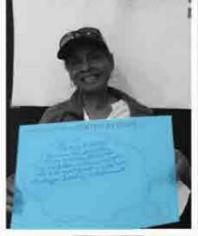


































#### **CENTRE AVENUE is...**

an African American cultural center (entertainment & arts)

innovative & entrepreneurial

diverse and welcoming

LAWRENCEVILLE is... artsy, funky, friendly

BLOOMFIELD is... Pittsburgh's Little Italy

SQUIRREL HILL is...
a Jewish neighborhood Good for students & families

A community's identity is defined by its unique places and landmarks, the activities and events happening at the neighborhood's public places and the values that residents appreciate the most. Communities hold multifaceted identities as a result of their history and ongoing transformation.

# **ECENTRE OF CULTURE** CENTRE AVE & DINWIDDIE

#### HERITAGE WALK

THE HERITAGE WALK IS A SERIES OF SMALL OPEN SPACES AND HERITAGE SITES THAT CELEBRATE THE HILL DISTRICT'S HISTORY. EACH OPEN SPACE HAS COMMON SIGNAGE AND AMENITIES TO CREATE AN IDENTITY.

## NEW GRANADA THEATER & SHOPS & RESIDENCES

CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS & AMENITIES CELEBRATE CENTRE AVENUE AT THE HEART OF THE HILL AND REPRESENT THE RICH CULTURAL LEGACY OF PITTSBURGH.

#### HERITAGE SQUARE

CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS (SUCH AS A LIVING MUSEUM AND CAFE) AND AMENITIES THAT ACTIVATE A PUBLIC PLAZA. A HIGHLY VISIBLE FIRST STOP FOR VISITORS WHO WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE HILL DISTRICT.



#### URBANIZED EXISTING BUILDINGS

LOW RISE OR BUILDINGS WITH SIGNIFICANT SETBACKS CAN BE RENOVATED TO INCLUDE UPPER LEVELS OR ADDITIONS THAT MEET THE STREET, BRINGING ACTIVITY TO THE STREET AND ATTRACTING VISITORS TO FIRST FLOOR USES.

#### COMMERCIAL PLAZA REDEVELOPMENT

A RECONFIGURED COMMERCIAL PLAZA PUTS
BUSINESSES ON THE AVENUE WITH DESTINATION
BUSINESSES ON THE LOWER LEVEL. FUTURE
DEVELOPMENT COULD INCLUDE A SIGNATURE
TOWER AS A BOUTIQUE HOTEL OR OFFICE. ON-SITE
HISTORIC SCULPTURE CAN BE RELOCATED.

#### INFILL MIXED USE BUILDINGS & PARKING PLAZAS

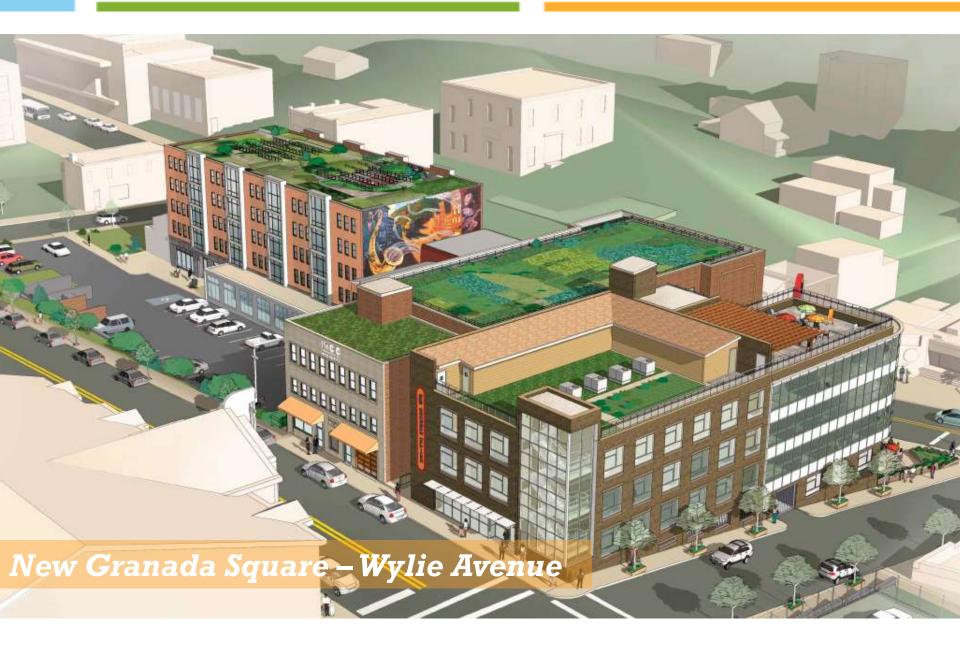
MIXED USE BUILDINGS WITH COMMERCIAL ON THE FIRST FLOOR AND RESIDENTIAL OR COMMERCIAL ON THE UPPER FLOORS, A PUBLIC PARKING PASSAGE IN THE REAR CONNECTS TO UPPER FLOOR TENANTS AND TO CENTRE AVENUE.

Tell us about places that are important to YOU, important to the COMMUNITY, and places that could be IMPROVED...







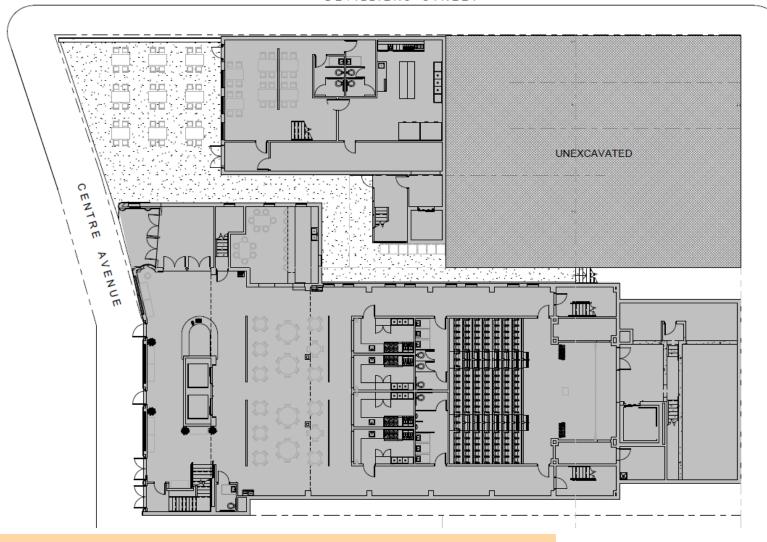






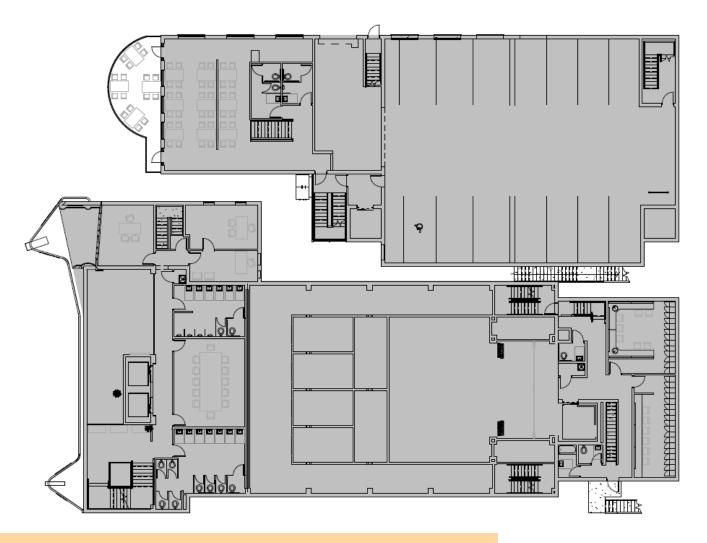
New Granada Square - Centre Avenue





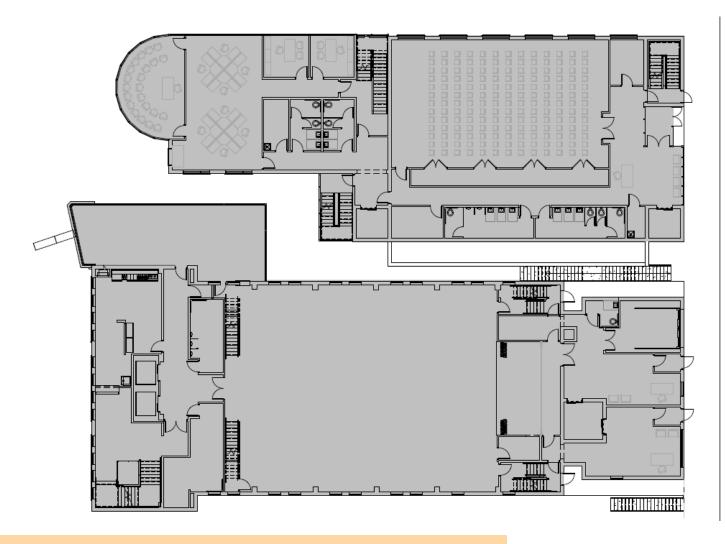
First Floor & Ground Floor Plans





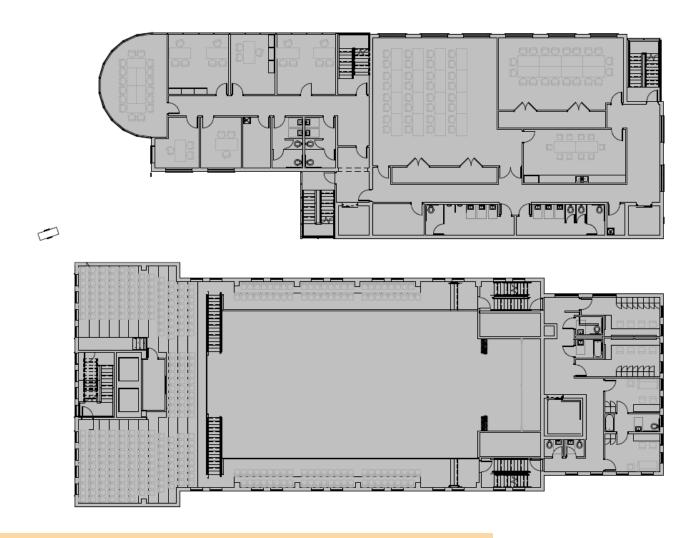
Garage Floor & Mezzanine Plans





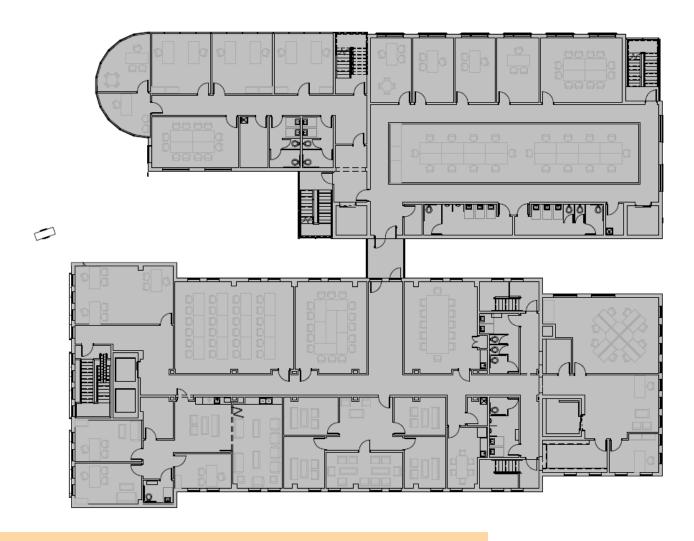
First Floor & Second Floor Plans





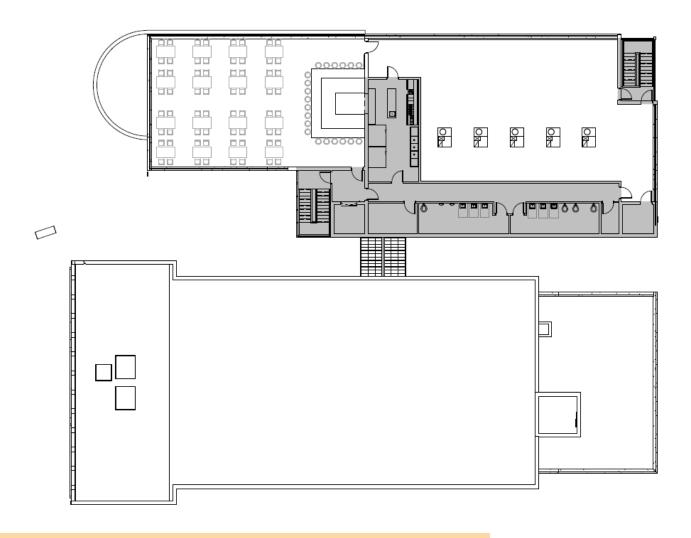
Second Floor & Balcony Floor Plans





#### **Third Floor Plans**





#### Fourth Floor & Roof Plans



# **New Granada Artists Apartments**

40 Units & 5K Sqft Commercial Space Construction starts July 2021







Hill District Based Artist, Charlotte Ka



# Minority and Women Owned Business Maximization on New Granada Apartments

Over 40% MBE on hard construction! Over 15% WBE on hard construction!

# Same goal for New Granada Commercial



**MBE Engagement** 





# New Granada Square Goals

#### **Arts and Culture**

Ignite the full cultural potential of the Hill District

#### **Historic Preservation**

Restoration of iconic, historic structure

#### **Social Equity**

Racial equity and inclusion

Community voice and power

Social and economic opportunities and benefits through the advancing of a just and sustainable city

#### **Economic Development**

Catalyze new development on the Centre
Avenue corridor

Build density through new commercial development

Promote equitable, mixed-use, mixed-income development



Historic New Granada Building
National Significance

 National Treasure designation by the National Trust for Historic Preservation

- Example of New Urbanism
- Consideration for an African AmericanCultural Heritage ActionGrant
- Proposed venues for national heritage tours



Historic New Granada Building
First Floor

Food Hall

Black Box Theater(Approximately 100 seats)

Accessible community space



Historic New Granada Building
Second Floor

#### Second Floor

- Flexible event space performances, corporate events, TED Talks, business conferences, weddings, etc.
- 900+ occupants
- Balance of national and local acts
- Fosters 16-hourenvironment (day/night)





Historic New Granada Building
Third Floor



University of Pittsburgh
Community
Engagement Center

- Center for African AmericanPoetry and Poetics
- Jazz Center
- Institute for Entrepreneurial Excellence
- STEAM program
- Lecture spaces





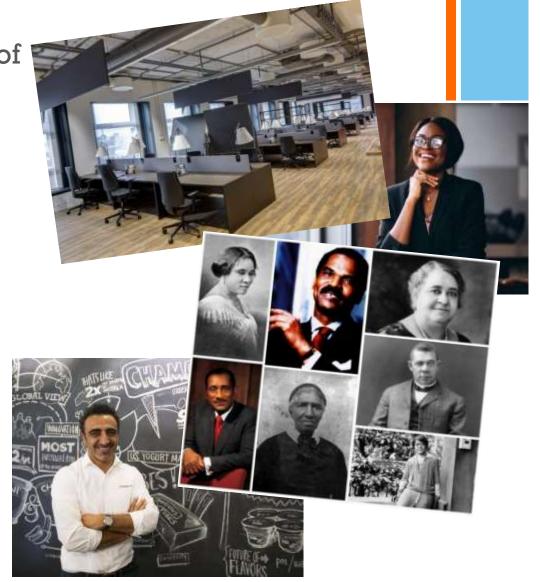
## **New Granada Offices**



Three floors of flexible commercial office space

University of Pittsburgh
 Community Engagement
 Center to occupy 10,000 SF
 in new building

- Café (Multi-Genre Music)
- Indoor Parking





## **New Granada Offices**

Outdoor Plaza

Rooftop

Reception and

**Dining Venue** 





# **Venue Comparison**



Event Venue	O'Reilly Theater	Mr. Smalls Funhouse	New Granada	Carnegie of Homestead Music Hall	Byham Theater	Greensburg Palace Theater	Roxian Theater
Location	Downtown	Millvale	Pittsburgh	Homestead	Downtown	Greensburg	McKees Rocks
Capacity	650	650	900+	1,022	1,300	1,369	1,400



# **Parking**

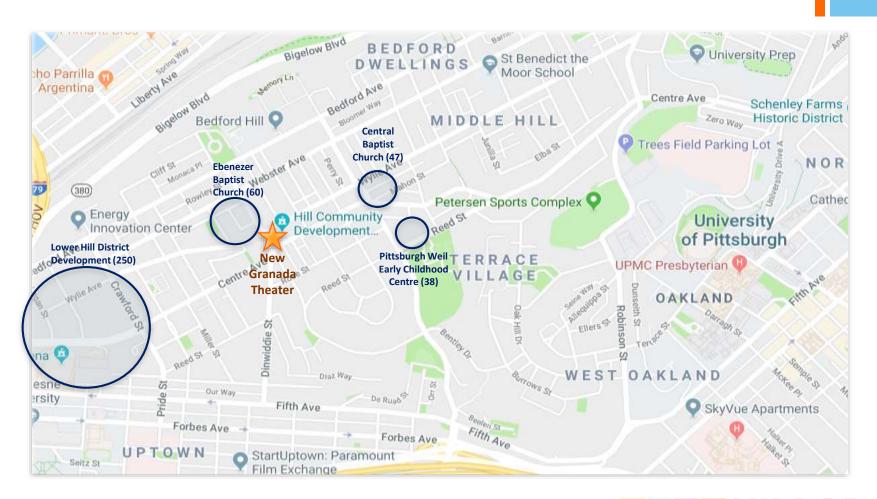
Parking Requirement by Use					
University of Pittsburgh	30				
Event Spaces	210				
Black Box Theater	30				
Food Hall	15				
Office Spaces	40				
Café (Multi-Genre)	25				

# Parking Requirement at Peak Occupancy: 280

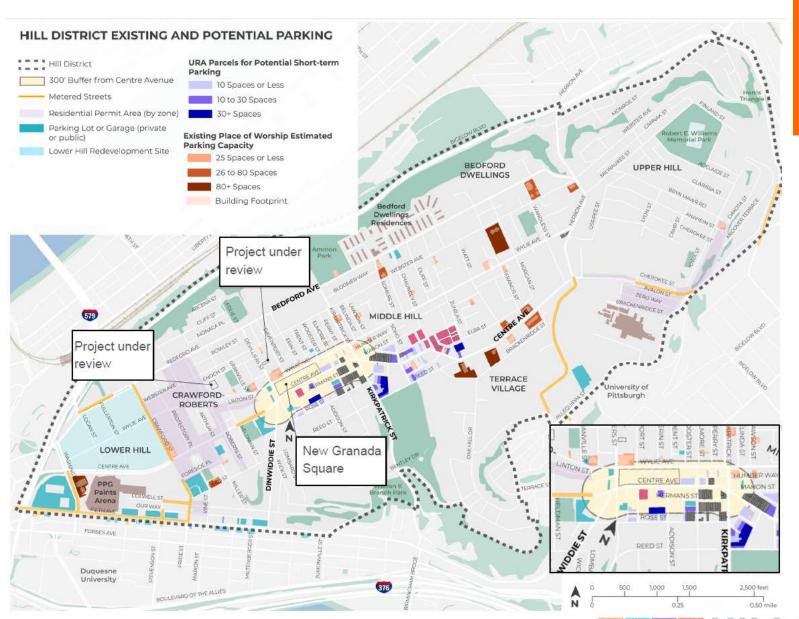
- Parking requirement is lower than occupancy due to use of public transit, ride sharing, and other alternative transit options
- Parking requirement at peak occupancy is lower than the total because not all portions of the building are occupied simultaneously

# **Parking**

#### Potential Parking – 395









### **Team Members & Partners**

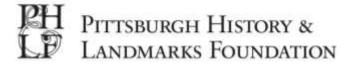


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GENERAL CONTRACTORS



# University of Pittsburgh



# **Henderson and Company**





# EdenHall











Milton Ogot

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## **Timeline**

# Historic New Granada Building and Offices

- Renovation of Historic New Granada Building Begins ~ Q2 2021
- Construction of New Granada Offices Begins ~ Q3 2021
- Complete Renovation of Historic New Granada Building ~ Q1 2022
- Complete Construction of New Granada Offices ~ Q4 2022
- Grand Opening ~ Q4 2022



# What does restoration of the historic New Granada mean to the Hill District?

Let some of our Main Street neighbors speak for us.



Meaning of New Granada Restoration - YouTube



# **Question & Answer**

- What market research has been done to support the uses of the development?
- What is the design for the preservation of the building façade, including the murals?
- What is being done to gather information about the building's history, and what are the plans to present and display said information in the finished building?
- How will this development, including the apartments, affect traffic during and after construction?



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