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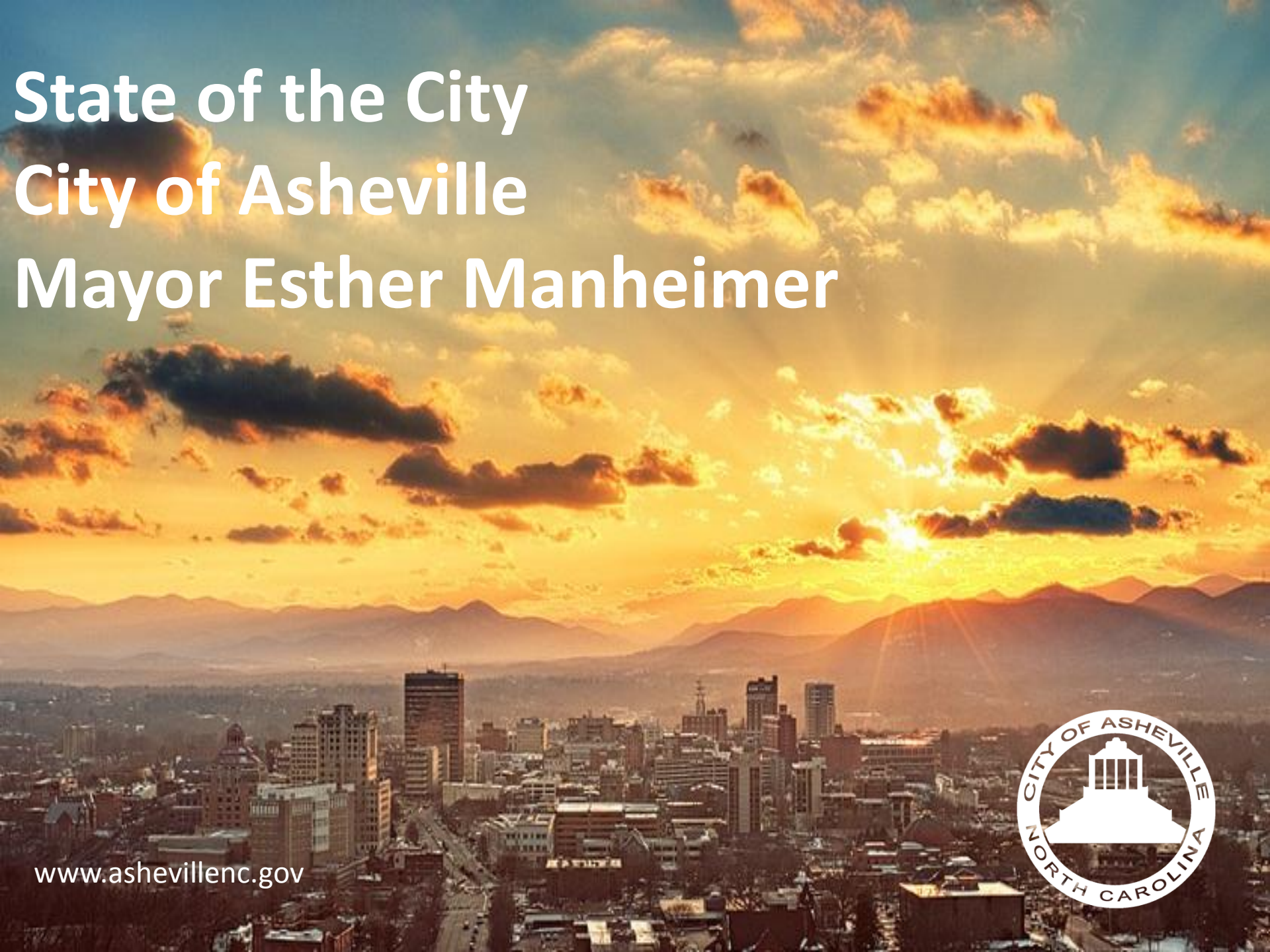
City of Asheville
Mayor Esther Manheimer



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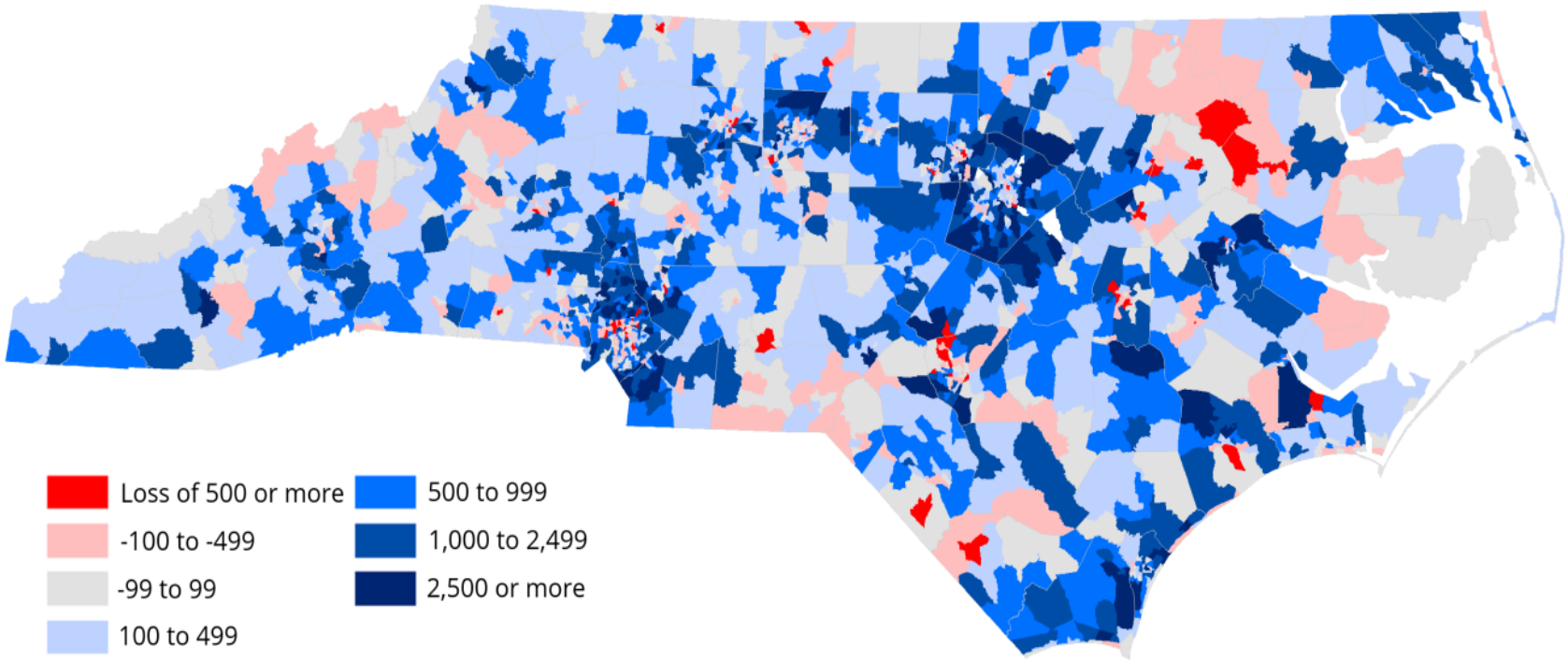
80.7% in urban areas

Population Change:
2000 to 2010



Data: 2000 and 2010 Census Summary File 1. 2000 Census tracts normalized to 2010 tract boundaries by Carolina Demography.

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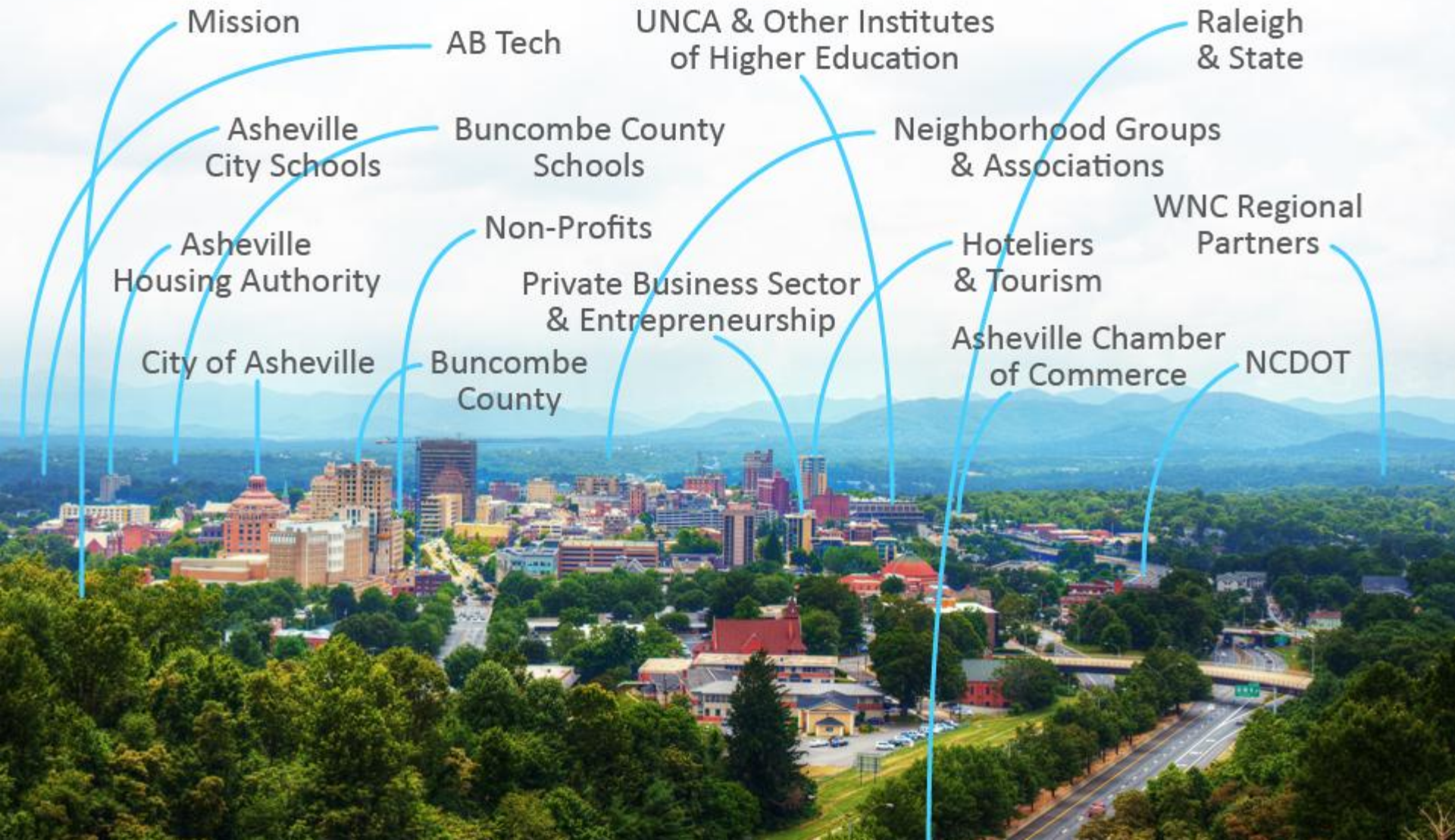
More than governments.
Networks.

Asheville Network



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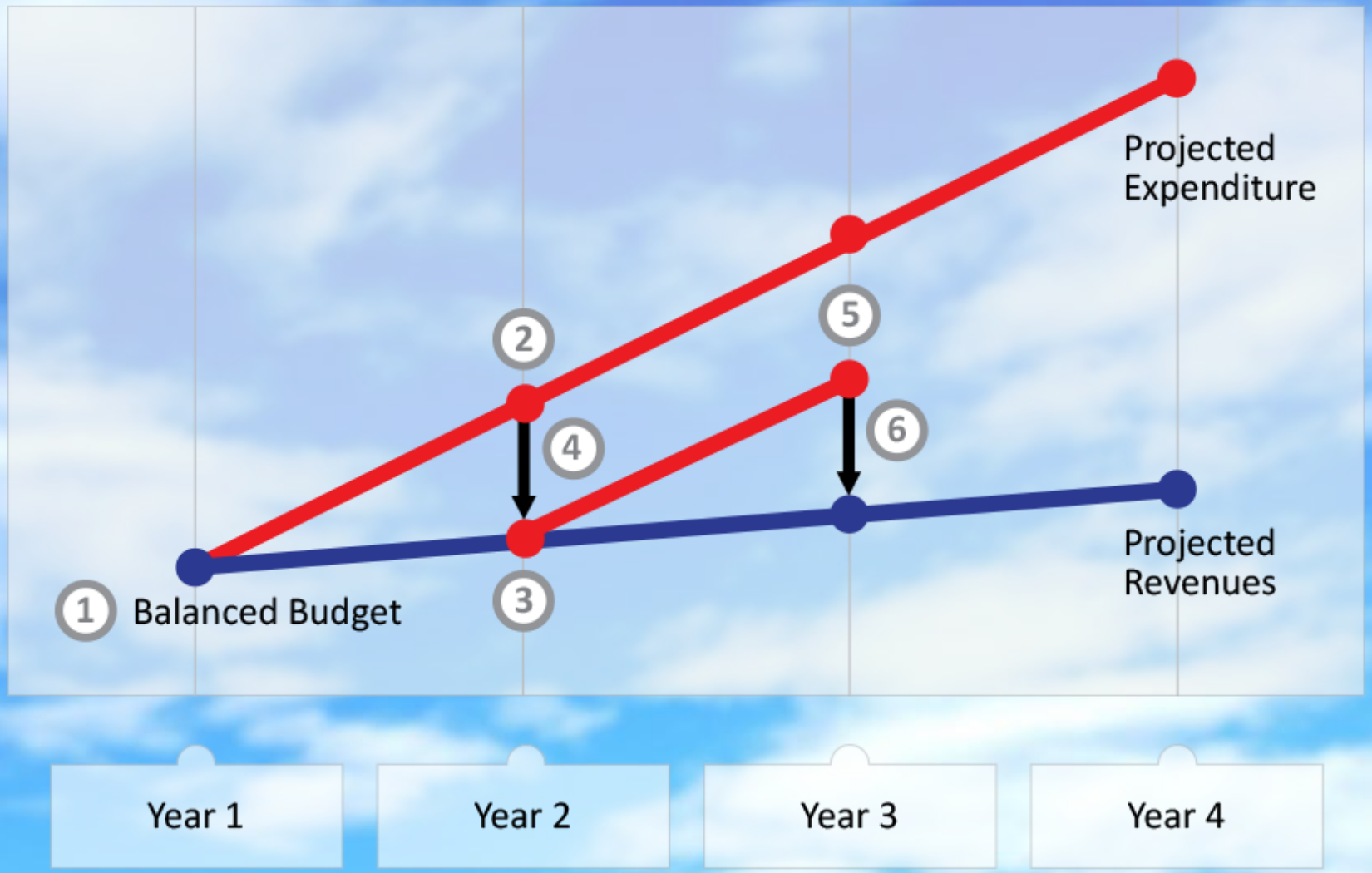
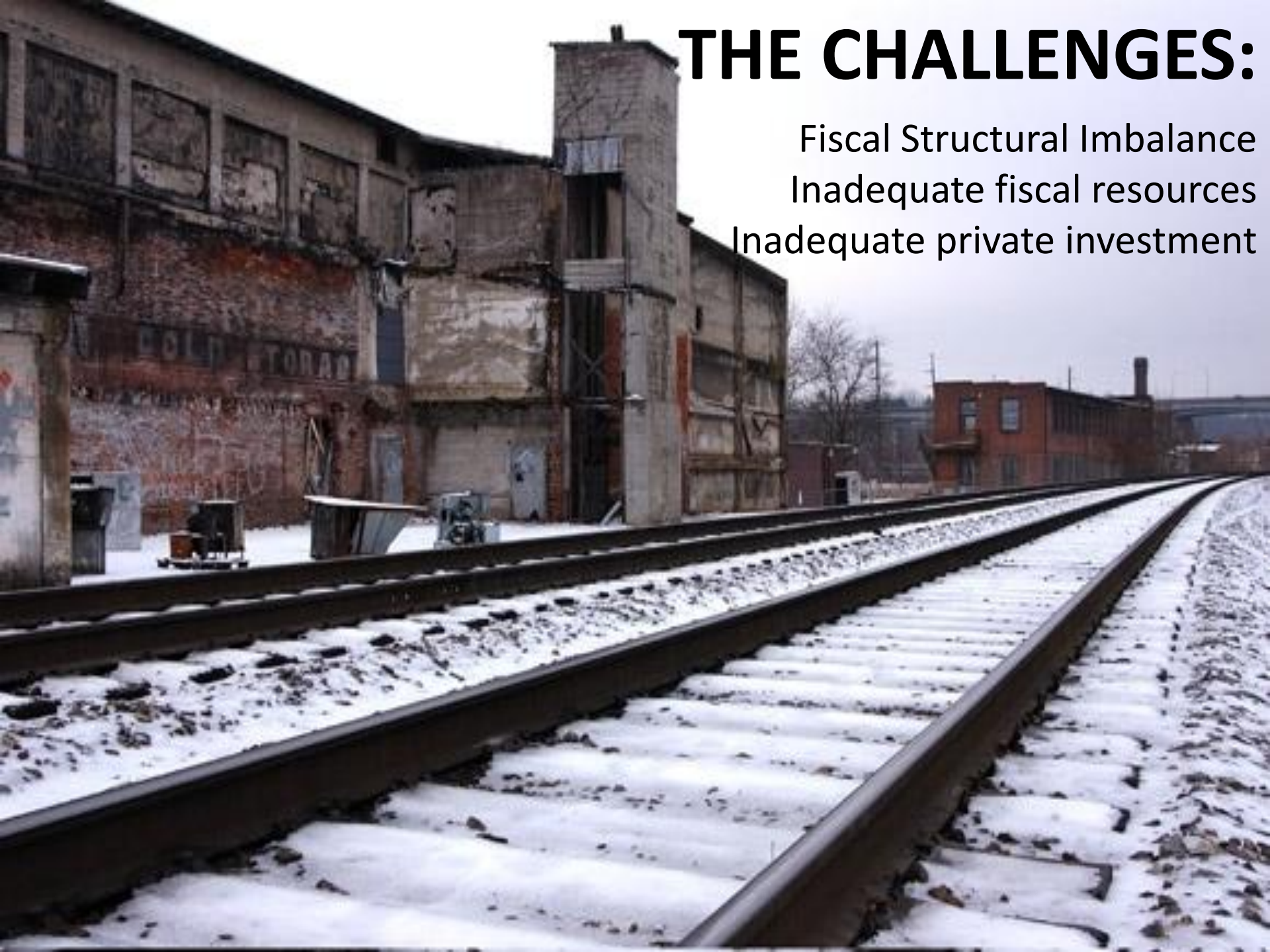
Structural Imbalance





THE CHALLENGES:

Fiscal Structural Imbalance
Inadequate fiscal resources
Inadequate private investment

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ARTERY
open
pink dog
creative

East of the Riverway Presents

THE COMMUNITY SPEAKS:

PRESENTATIONS AND PERFORMANCES BY COMMUNITY MEMBERS & ORGANIZATIONS

PRESENTATIONS AND PERFORMANCES FROM COMMUNITY MEMBERS THAT ARE STRENGTHENING OUR EXISTING NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITIES.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2012 / 6:00 – 8:30PM

DR. WESLEY GRANT SR. SOUTHSIDE CENTER
285 LIVINGSTON STREET, ASHEVILLE, NC

***** FREE DINNER PROVIDED! *****

PRESENTING:

- AB TECH MINORITY STUDENT LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
- GREEN OPPORTUNITIES
- HILLCREST RESIDENT ASSOCIATION
- JUST FOLKS
- LEAF IN SCHOOLS & STREETS
- SOUTHSIDE COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD
- URBAN ARTS INSTITUTE
- WECAN ASSOCIATION

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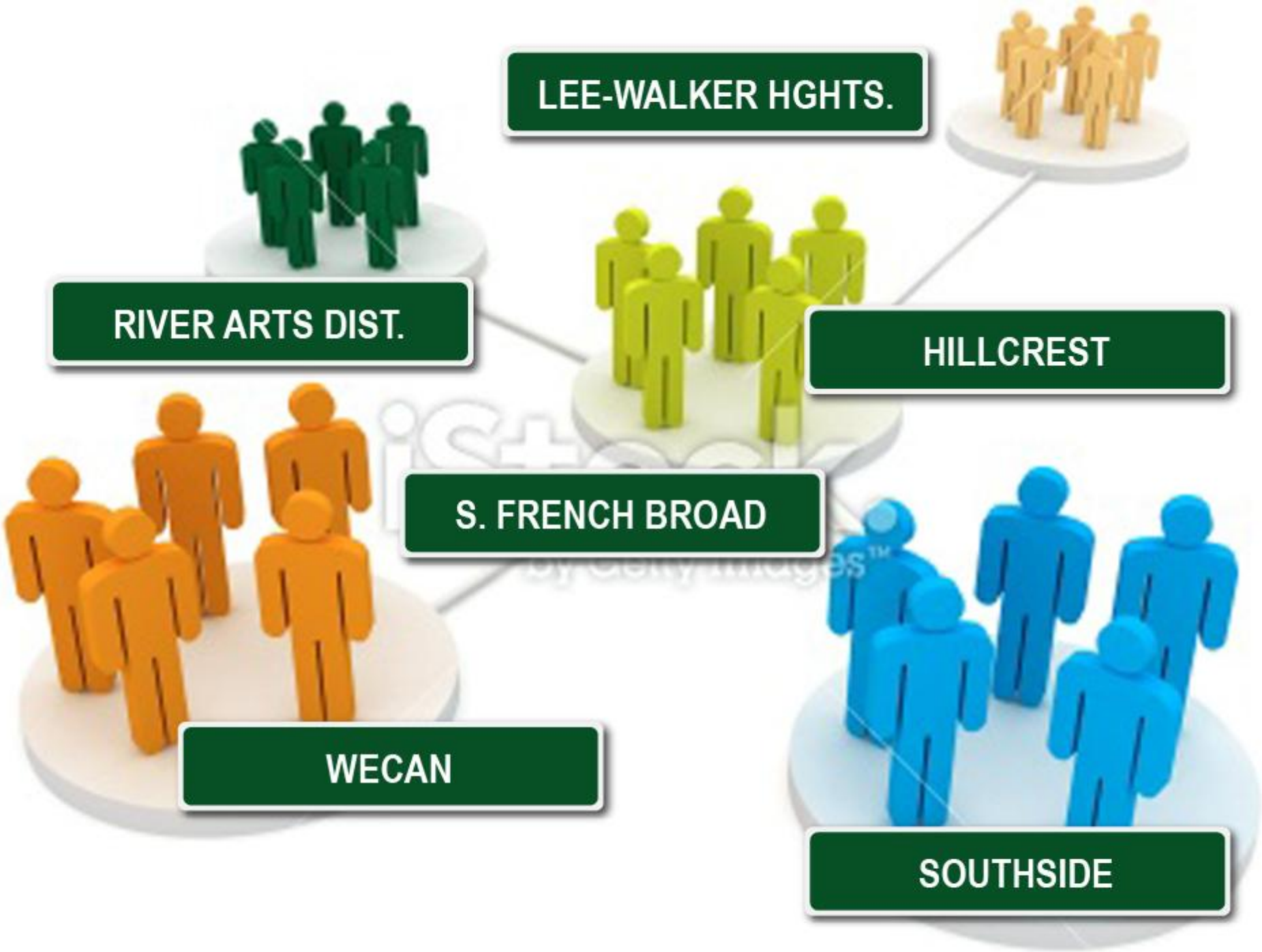
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RIVER ARTS DIST.
HILLCREST
S. FRENCH BROAD
WECAN
SOUTHSIDE

HILLCREST
DOWNTOWN ASHEVILLE
SIGNAL TO SLOW TRAFFIC?
ADD SIDEWALK
Remove Slip lane
Public Purpose

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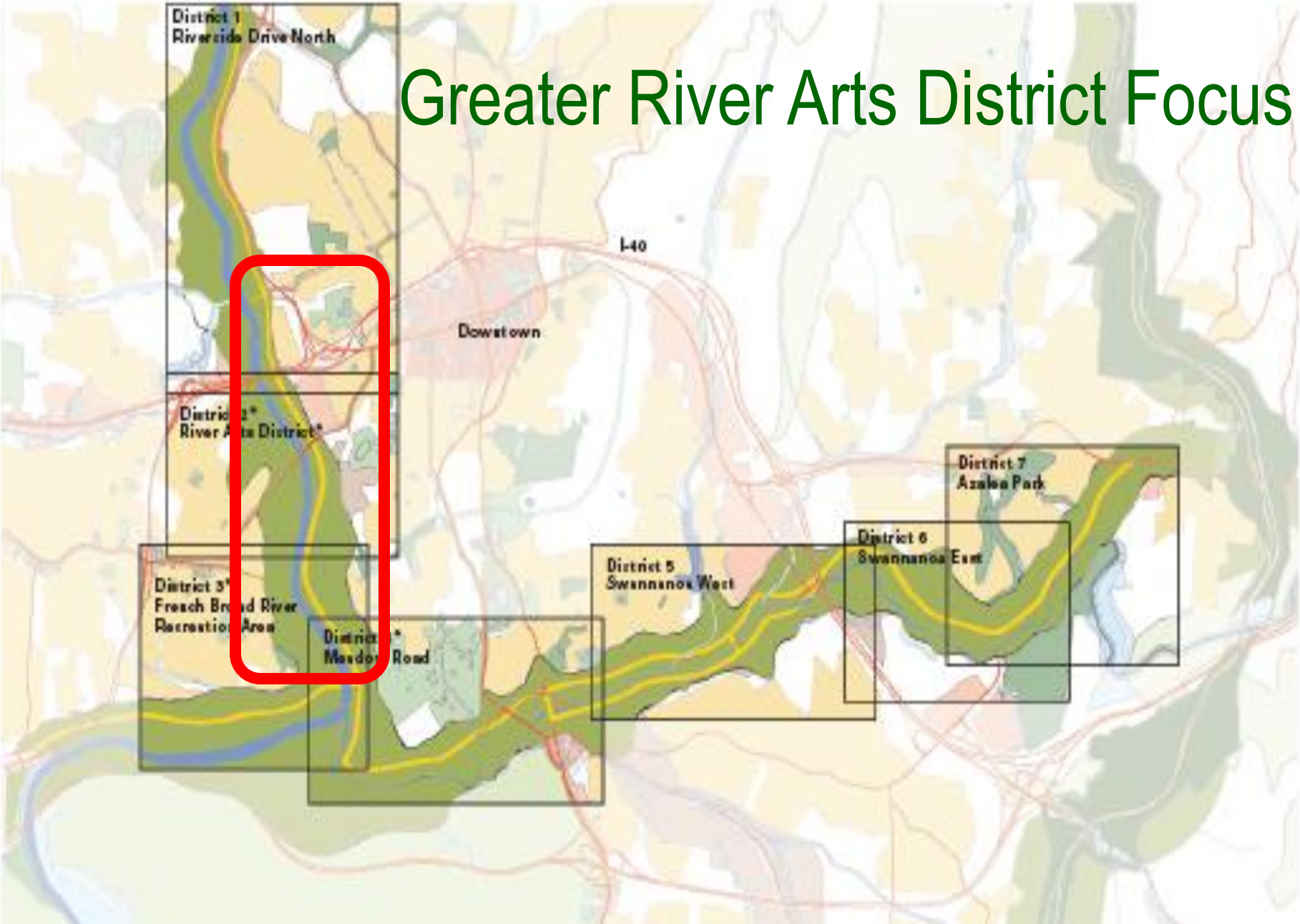
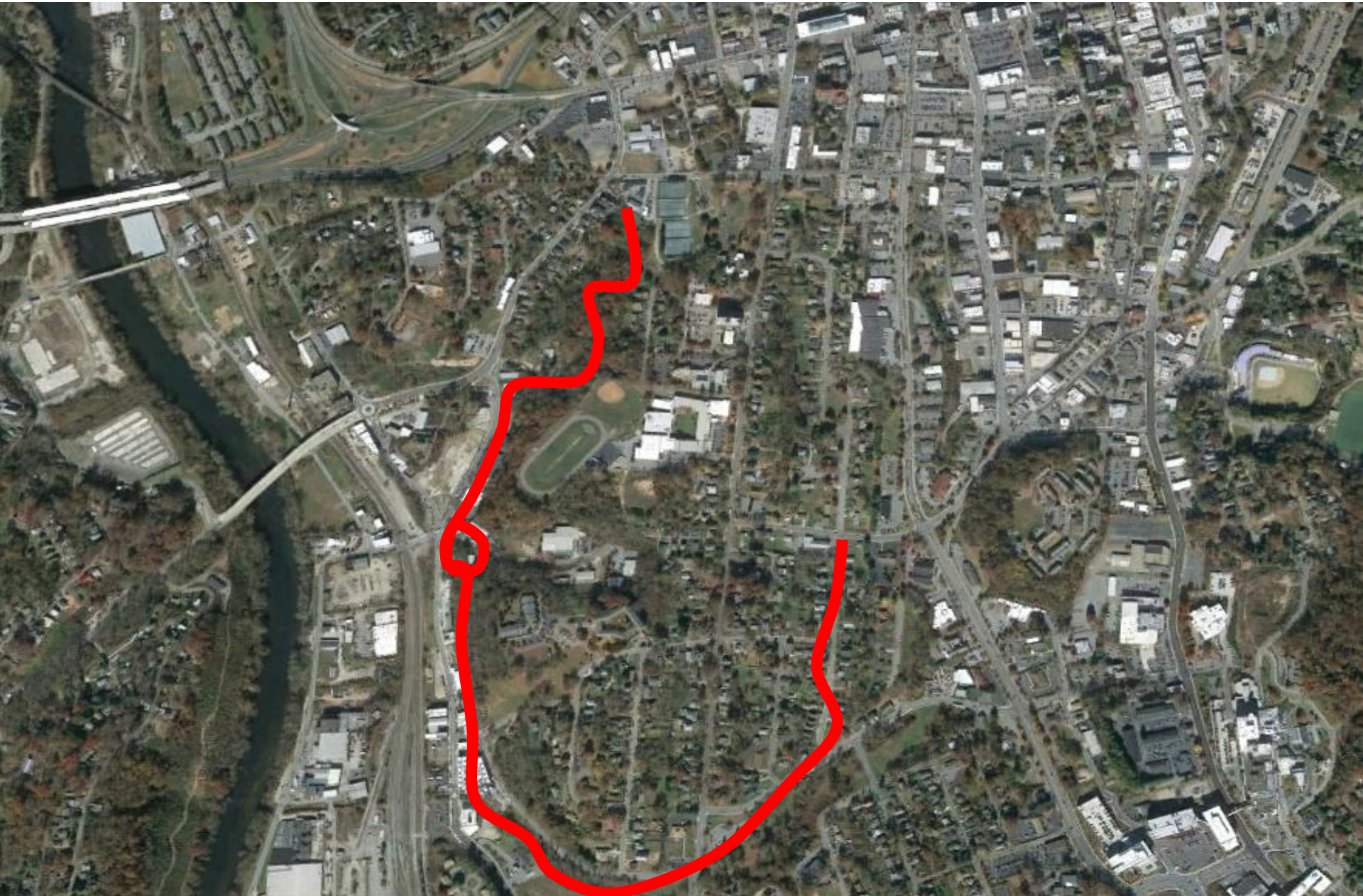
Greater River Arts District Focus



RAD
Arts & Culture Dispensary
PERFORMANCES
PERFORMER APPS
RAD INFO

2015: Greenway Expansion



2016: Trailhead, Parking and Launch Pad; and FBR Greenway, West Bank

2016/2017: RADTIP: Infrastructure Project to Create an Urban Parkway & Train Viewing Platforms Open

2018: Riverside Drive

RAD and EoTR Network

- Citizens of Asheville
- City of Asheville
- AB Tech
- Asheville Area Riverfront Redevelopment Commission
- Asheville Design Center
- Asheville Housing Authority
- Duke Energy
- French Broad River MPO
- Green Opportunities
- Land of Sky Regional Council
- Mission Hospital
- Mountain Housing Opportunities
- River Arts District Business Association
- Riverfront Redevelopment Commission
- RiverLink
- Southside Community Advisory Board
- UNCA – NEMAC
- WECAN
- Federal and State Agencies: DOT, HUD, Federal Transit Administration, EPA, Federal Highway Administration, EDA, DENR, NCDOT.

Asheville gets $14M to develop riverfront

City site of first TIGER grants announcement

By Romando Dixson
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ASHEVILLE — U.S. Transportation Secretary Anthony Foxx compared being awarded a federal transportation grant this year to being accepted to Harvard.

In other words, there was a lot of competition for the funding, and the U.S. De-

Funding Partners

- Asheville Housing Authority
- EPA
- EDA
- Clean Water Management Trust Fund
- Golden Leaf Foundation
- City of Asheville and its citizens
- USDOT/NCDOT
- HUD
- French Broad River MPO
- Tourism Development Board (pending)

THE JUNCTION
DEPOT

EXIT
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Coxe Ave
Buxton Ave
THE LOFTS
APARTMENT HOMES
NOW LEASING!
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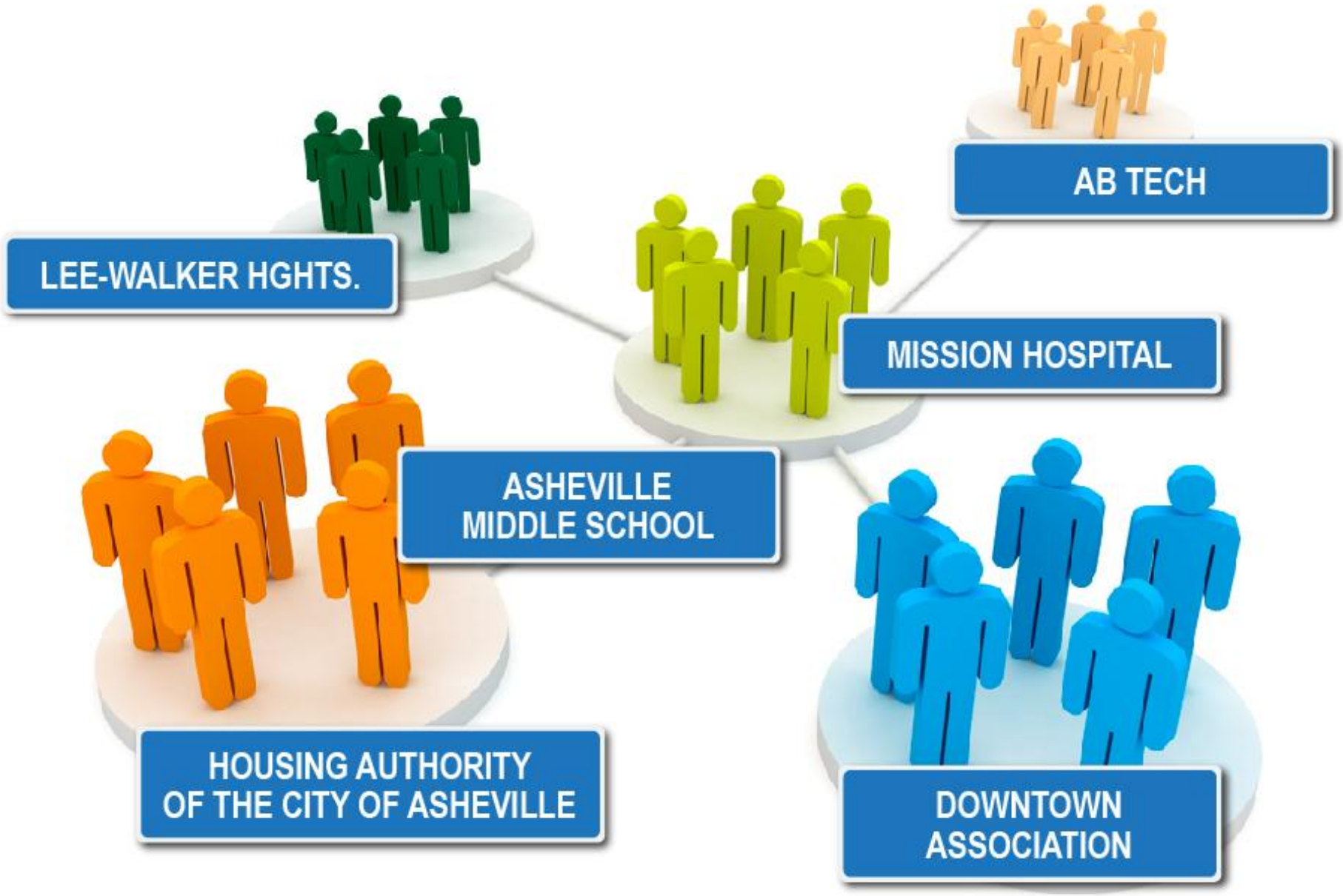
FIRE DEPARTMENT
ENTRANCE

HARDWARE
chocolates
factory & tasting

South Slope Network



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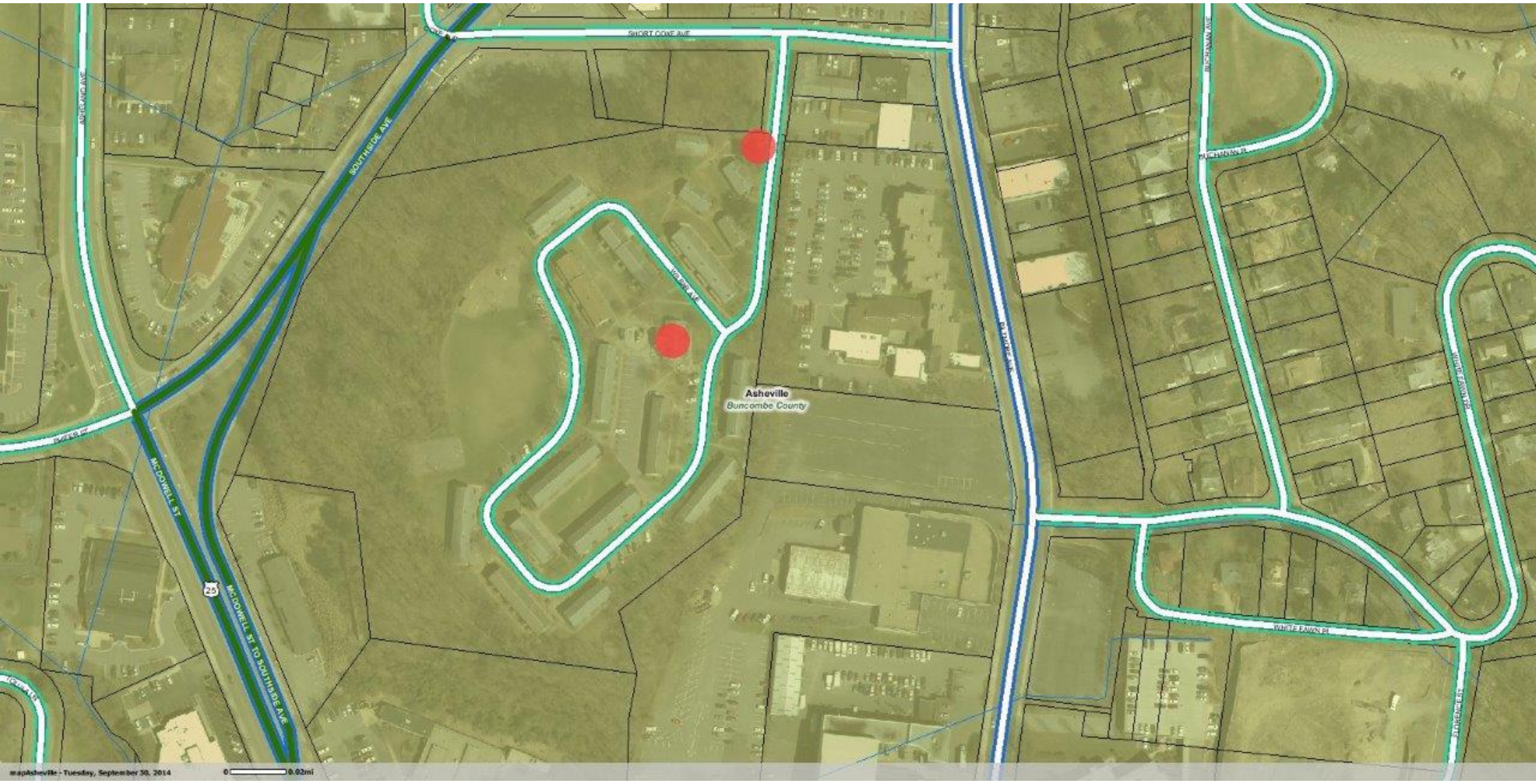
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Find out who you are,
and do it on Purpose.

- Dolly Parton