# THE JUNCTION

#### Library / Art Gallery Convention / Performance Centre CGS City Council July 10, 2018



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# **PRESENTATION OUTLINE**

- 1. Projects History and Community Importance
- 2. Integrated Site Design
- 3. Project Deliverables and Next Steps



# LIBRARY/ART GALLERY WORKING GROUP

- Michael Bellmore, Co-Chair & GSPL Board
- Joseé Forest-Niesing, Co-Chair & AGS Board
- Demetra Christakos, Director / Curator
- Cindy Derrenbacker, GSPL Board
- Steven Townend, GSPL Board
- Christine Beaudry, GSPL Board
- Ann Suzuki, AGS Board
- Luisa Valle, CGS
- Chelsie Abraham, CGS
  - Meredith Armstrong, CGS



## CONVENTION/PERFORMANCE CENTRE WORKING GROUP

- John Caruso, Co-Chair & Synergy Centre Citizen Group
- Wendy Watson, Co-Chair & Greater Sudbury Development Corporation
- Alex Freedman, Laurentian University
- Brenda Tremblay, Science North
- Brian Tremblay, Synergy Centre Citizen Group
- Doug Morrison, CEMI
- Debbi Nicholson, Greater Sudbury Chamber of Commerce
- Erin Danyliw, Greater Sudbury Development Corporation
- Jean LeBlanc, Synergy Centre Citizen Group
- Rhonda Watson, Health Sciences North
- Scott Overton, Synergy Centre Citizen Group
- Carmen Simmons, Synergy Centre Citizen Group
- Viviane Lapointe, Community Champion
- Dana Jennings, CGS

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# HISTORY

- November 2015
  - Large Projects process initiated: 22 projects presented to Council for consideration
- April 2016
  - Council prioritizes four large projects to move forward: The Event Centre, Place des Arts, Convention / Performance Centre and a co-located Library/Art Gallery

"We're living in the hub of Northern Ontario, It's time to invest in our community" Mayor Bigger



# **History Continued...**

#### • June 2017

 Council directed staff to undertake site selection for Library/Art Gallery and Convention and Performance Centre with potential for a shared site development

- September 2017
  - Council approves site selection criteria
  - Delegated authority given to Director of Economic
     Development



# **History Continued...**

- November 2017
  - CGS staff presented Council with results of site selection including a recommendation for shared site development on the existing Sudbury Community Arena
- January 2018

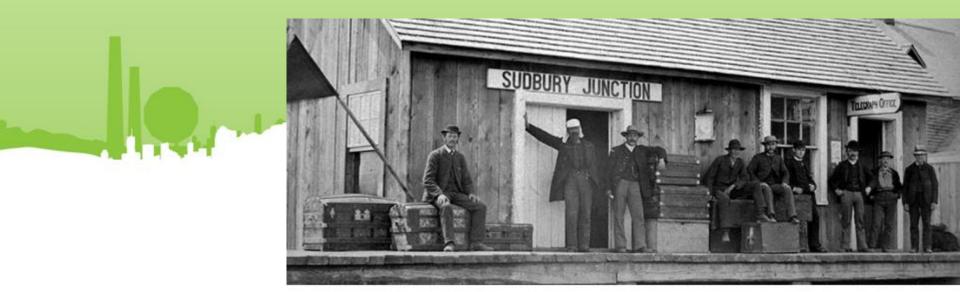
 Council selected 240 Elgin St. as preferred shared site for Library/Art Gallery and Convention and Performance Centre projects

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- One site: two projects
  - Library/Art Gallery
  - Convention and Performance Centre
- It's a Gathering place



## WHAT IS THE LIBRARY/ART GALLERY?

- A new co-located facility
  - 92, 700 sq. ft. building of which 27,000 sq. ft. is dedicated space for the Art Gallery of Sudbury
- Co-location has been identified as a way to reduce capital and operating costs relative to separate facilities.

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# WHY DO WE NEED THE LAG?

- Both have outgrown their current deficient facilities
- Art Gallery's Category A designation requirements
- Franklin Carmichael art collection valued at \$3.5M
- Council's Strategic Plan, Greater Together

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## **COMMUNITY IMPORTANCE OF LAG**

- More space to better serve the community
- Contributes to downtown revitalization
- Attracts and retains professionals
- Greater access to important collections
- Fosters a climate of learning and creativity



# WHAT IS THE CONVENTION /PERFORMANCE CENTRE?

- 60,500 sq. ft. that includes 19,500 sq. ft of rentable space
- 13,000 sq. ft. main plenary / live performance hall featuring 950 theatre-style soft seats.
- The largest, most flexible and economically viable meeting and performance facility in northern Ontario.



# WHY DO WE NEED THE GSCPC?

 Increases ability to attract large conventions and other live performance talent

- Product growth and development
- Addresses gap in the community
- Reflects existing strategic plans

## **COMMUNITY IMPORTANCE OF GSCPC**

- A significant new demand generator
- Attracts talent to the community
- Creates new jobs
- Increases flow of new money into the community
- Downtown development and revitalization



# **INTEGRATED SITE DESIGN**

- Engaged Centerline Design Architectural Studio
- Community Engagement Campaign
  - 550 people provided more than 900 comments
  - 580 people were reached online providing an
    additional 22 ideas



### **KEY THEMES**

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Design Parking Location Programs & Entertainment Walk-ability Shops Roadways Sudbury History Hotel Development Transit/Shuttle

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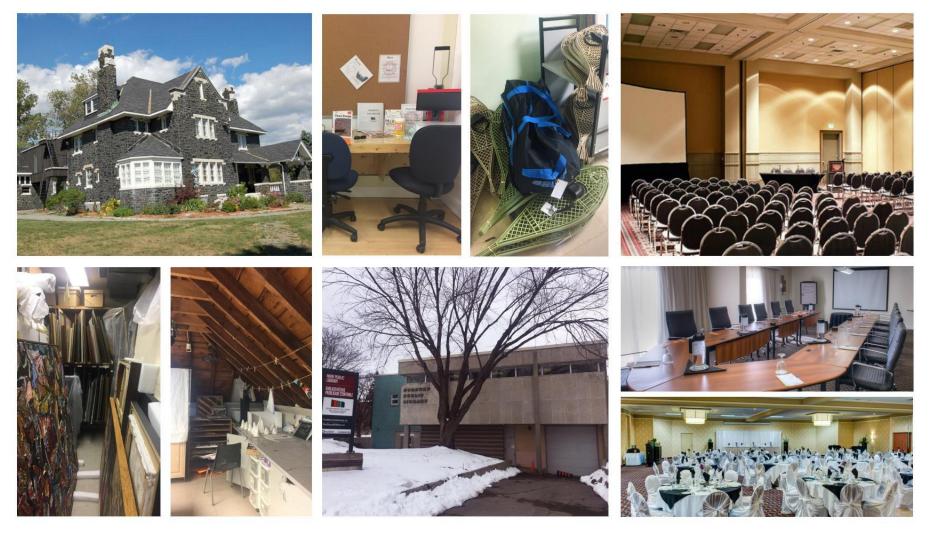
INTEGRATED SITE DESIGN JULY 10, 2018



#### **ART GALLERY**

LIBRARY

#### **CONVENTION CENTER / HOTEL**







# LIBRARY

REMAI MODERN, SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN

HALIFAX CENTRAL LIBRARY, HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

CONVENTION	CENTER	/HOTEL
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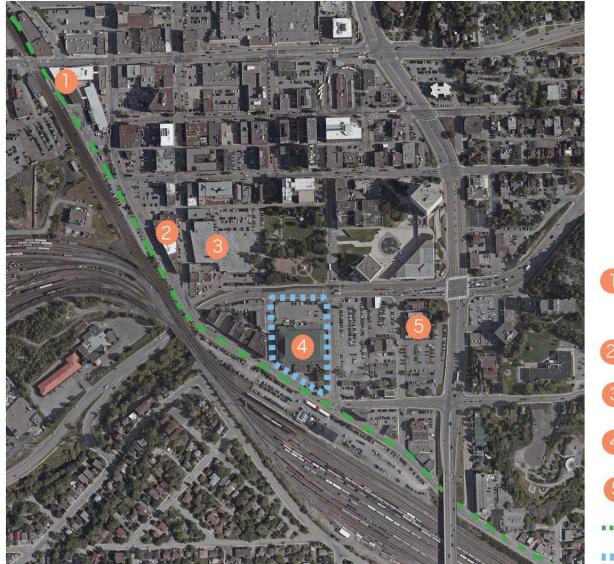
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#### **ART GALLERY**





CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION EXISTING SITE PLAN 2018/07/10









**SUSTAINABILITY** – ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND POLITICAL

#### **CELEBRATED ARCHITECTURE**

A **DESTINATION** FOR TOURISTS

#### A CATALYST FOR COMMUNITY GROWTH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

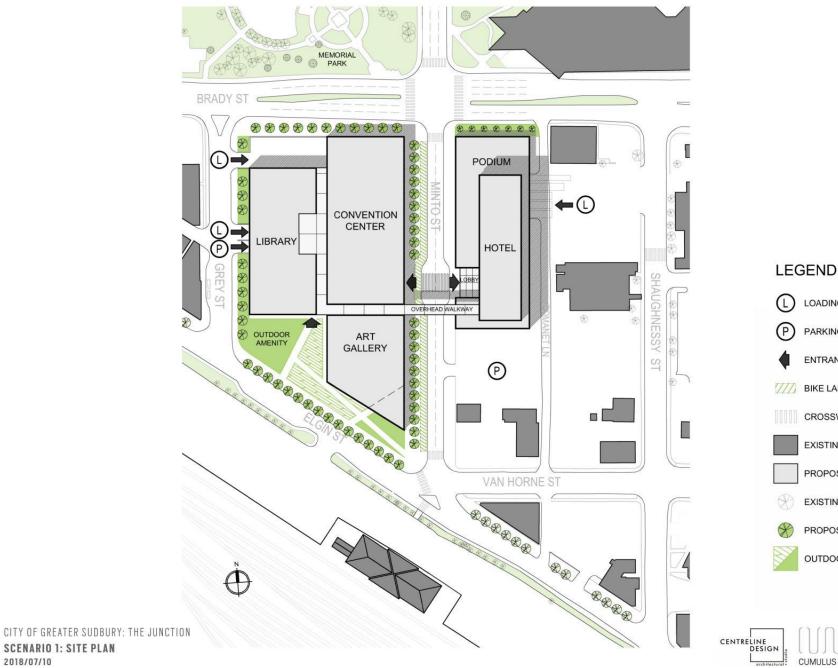
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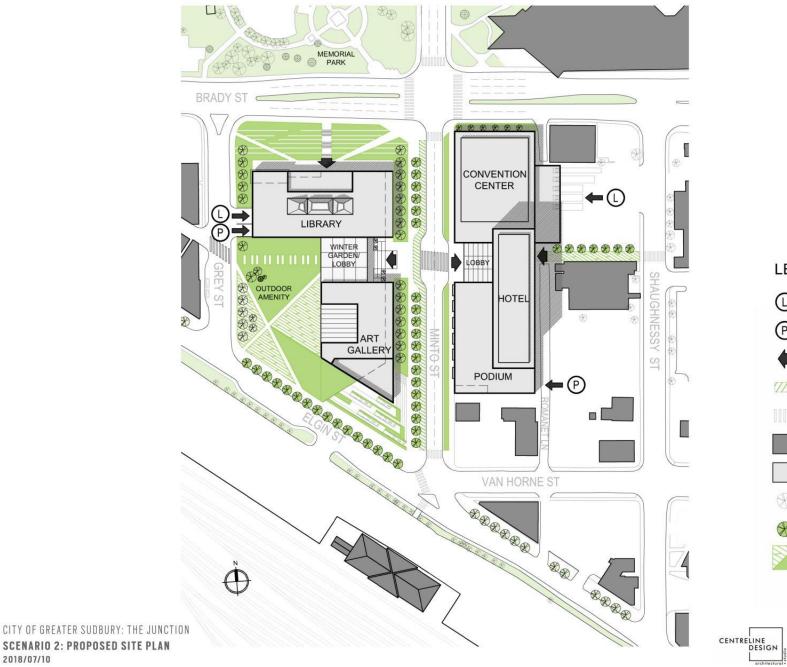
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**SCENARIO 1: SITE PLAN** 2018/07/10





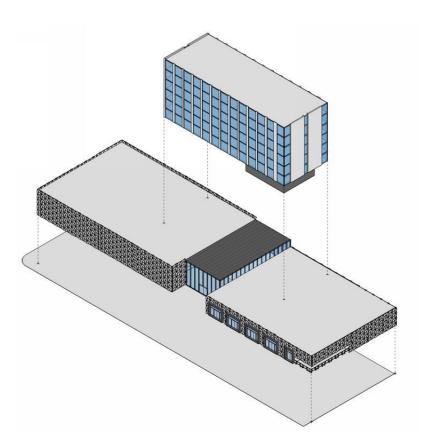
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**SCENARIO 2: PROPOSED SITE PLAN** 2018/07/10















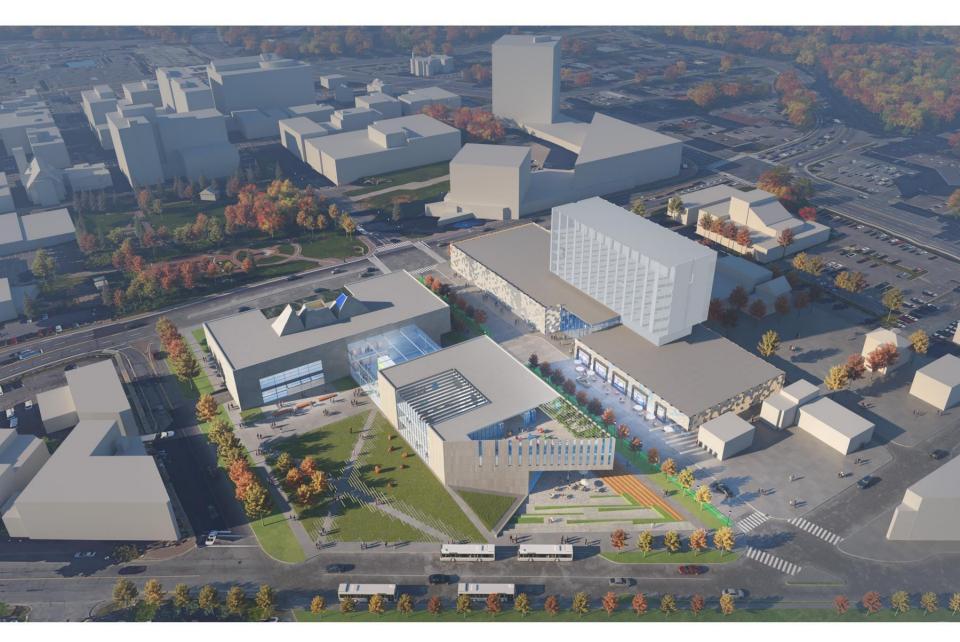


CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION **PROPOSED BUILDING: CONVENTION CENTER / HOTEL** 2018/07/10



CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION **PROPOSED BUILDING: ART GALLERY + LIBRARY** 2018/07/10





CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION AERIAL VIEW 2018/07/10





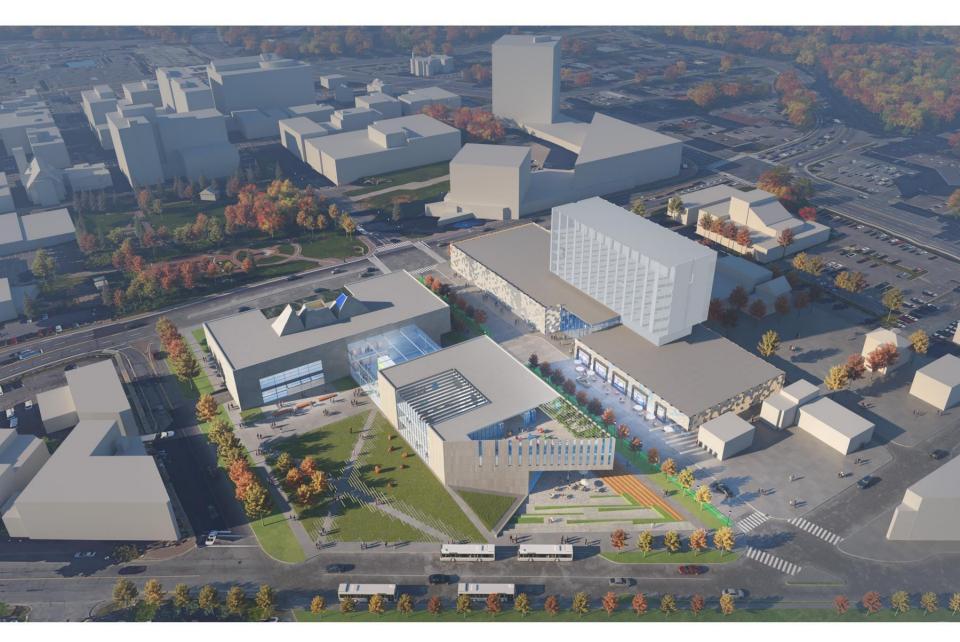
CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION Sculpture garden view 2018/07/10





CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION COURTYARD VIEW 2018/07/10





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## DELIVERABLES

- Business Plans
  - Finalized
  - 'Living documents'
- Organizational governance

   Municipal Services Corporation
- Financial plan
  - Business case for 2019 Budget Process

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# **RECOMMENDED NEXT STEPS**

- 1. Site Investigation
- 2. Refining Project Design and Capital Costs
- 3. Selection of Key Suppliers
- 4. Municipal Services Corporation
- 5. Hotel Developer Attraction
- 6. 2019 Budget Business Case for Financial Plan
- 7. Request for Additional Funding Resources



# RESOLUTION

- 1. Approve Business Plans
- 2. Direct staff to finalize governance model
- Endorse Integrated Site Design for The Junction to move forward with refinement of design
- 4. Direct staff to prepare Business Case for capital financing for The Junction
- 5. Authorize an additional \$175,000 to advance The Junction project



## **QUESTIONS?**





CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY: THE JUNCTION AERIAL VIEW 2018/07/10

