

Cordata Community Park Master Plan



City of
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January 19, 2017

Cordata Community Park Agenda



- Meeting Purpose
 - Show-n-Tell final park master plan design**
- Housekeeping
- Introductions
- Project Schedule
- Brief Presentation
- Open discussion and viewing of plans
- Adjourn 8PM



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Housekeeping

- **Meeting runs 6PM-8PM**
- **Meeting format: Open-house style, feel free to enter comments on comment forms or verbally to park staff.**
- **Vote for a park name**



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Project Schedule

- ✓ **Concept Plans Phase Public Meeting #1** **July 2016**
- ✓ **Preferred Concept Plan Public Meeting #2** **October 2016**
- ✓ **Final Park Master Plan Public Meeting #3** **January 2017**
- **Cordata Design Review Committee** **February 2017**
- **Parks/Rec Advisory Board approval** **March 2017**
- **Comprehensive Plan Amendment** **2017**
- **Rezone Park** **2017**
- **City Council Adoption** **2017**
- **Acquire Wetland A Parcel** **Uncertain**

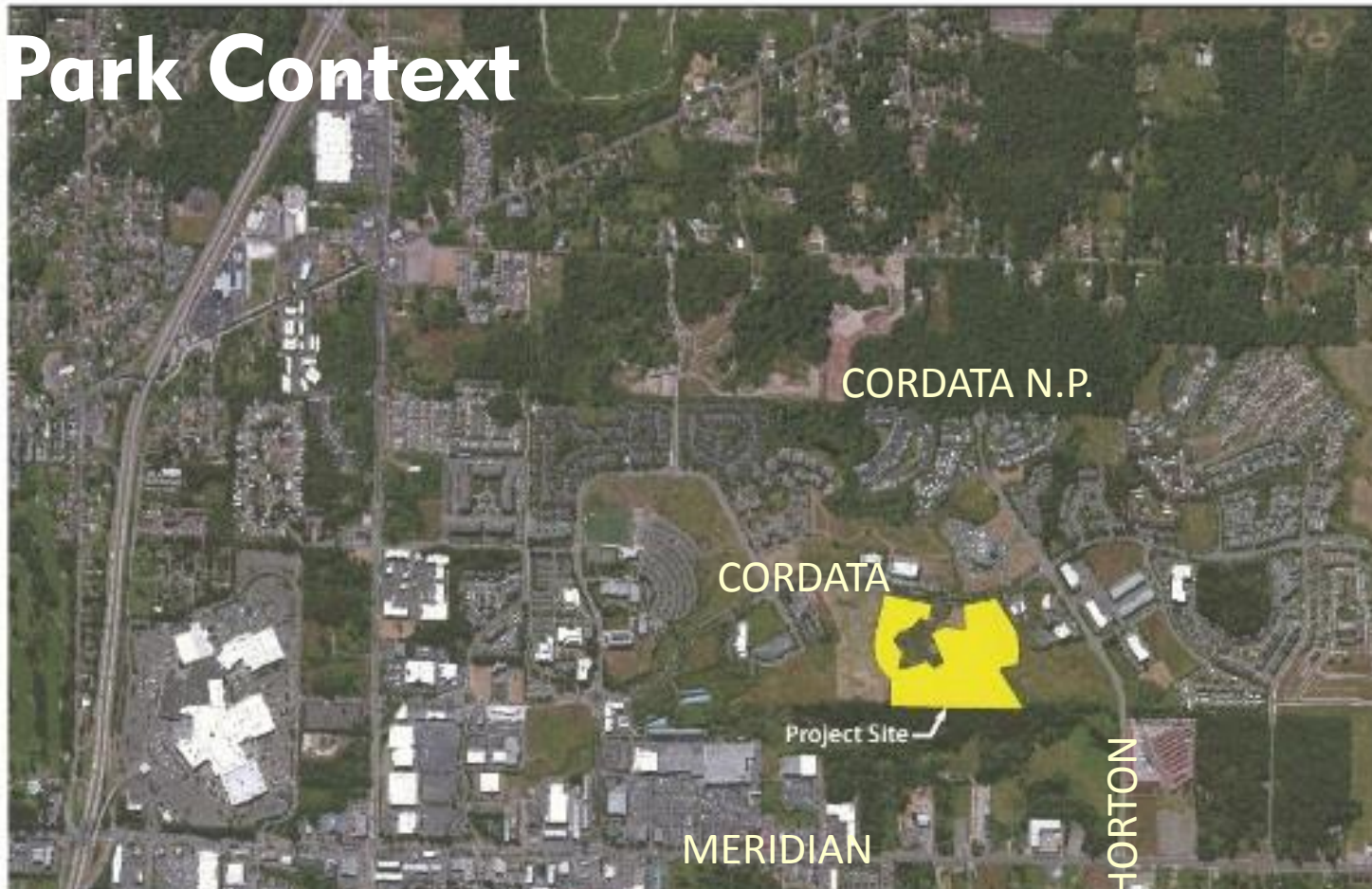
Park Context

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Site Analysis

Vicinity Aerial



Area: 20.59 acres + 4.24 acres (CBPA Wetland A)

Date Acquired: 2015 (20.59 acres only)

Cost: \$3,620,000 Greenways Three Funds

Cordata Neighborhood

Land use falls under Planned Urban

Zoning: Commercial/Industrial/Residential Multi (Areas 10 and 11) PUD

Critical Areas and buffers in the Park: 17.6 acres

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FINAL MASTER PLAN

Legend

- 1 Parks Ops Maintenance Building
- 2 Outdoor Exercise Equipment
- 3 Parkour Course
- 4 Pump Track
- 5 Park Core- Playgrounds, Large Shelter, Restrooms
- 6 Parking Lot- 51 Spaces + 2 for Maintenance
- 7 Enhanced Pedestrian Park Access from Cordata Parkway
- 8 Covered Stage w/ Open Grass Seating
- 9 Open Play Field w/ Picnic Area
- 10 Open Play Area w/ Shelter and Picnic Tables
- 11 Sport Courts- Basketball and Pickleball Courts
- 12 Pavilion w/ Restrooms and Plaza- Outdoor Children's Activity Area
- 13 Parking Lot- 50 Spaces
- 14 Emergency Vehicle and Maintenance Entrance/Exit
- 15 Future Access Road
- 16 Cordata Business Park Association Property
- 17 Connections to Future Off Site Trails
- 18 Trail Crossing Through CPBA Property is Dependent Upon the Transfer of Property to the City or CPBA Granting Access Rights



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WETLANDS AND BUFFERS

Legend

- Wetland
- Wetland Buffer
- Unencumbered Area
- Potential Mitigation Area

Buffer Impact	0.16
Direct Wetland Fill	0.13
Indirect Wetland Impact	2.33



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Details, Variables & Plan Flexibility

- Stormwater treatment and flow control
- Sanitary sewer connection(s)
- Final location of south trail connection depends on further discussion with adjacent developer
- Cordata Design Review Committee



Cordata Community Park Pavilion



Next Steps

- Cordata Design Review Committee Feb 2017
- Parks/Rec Advisory Board approval March 2017
- City Council Adoption March 2017
- Comprehensive Plan Amendment 2017
- Rezone Park 2017
- Transfer Ownership of Wetland A Parcel Uncertain

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CORDATA COMMUNITY PARK MASTERPLAN

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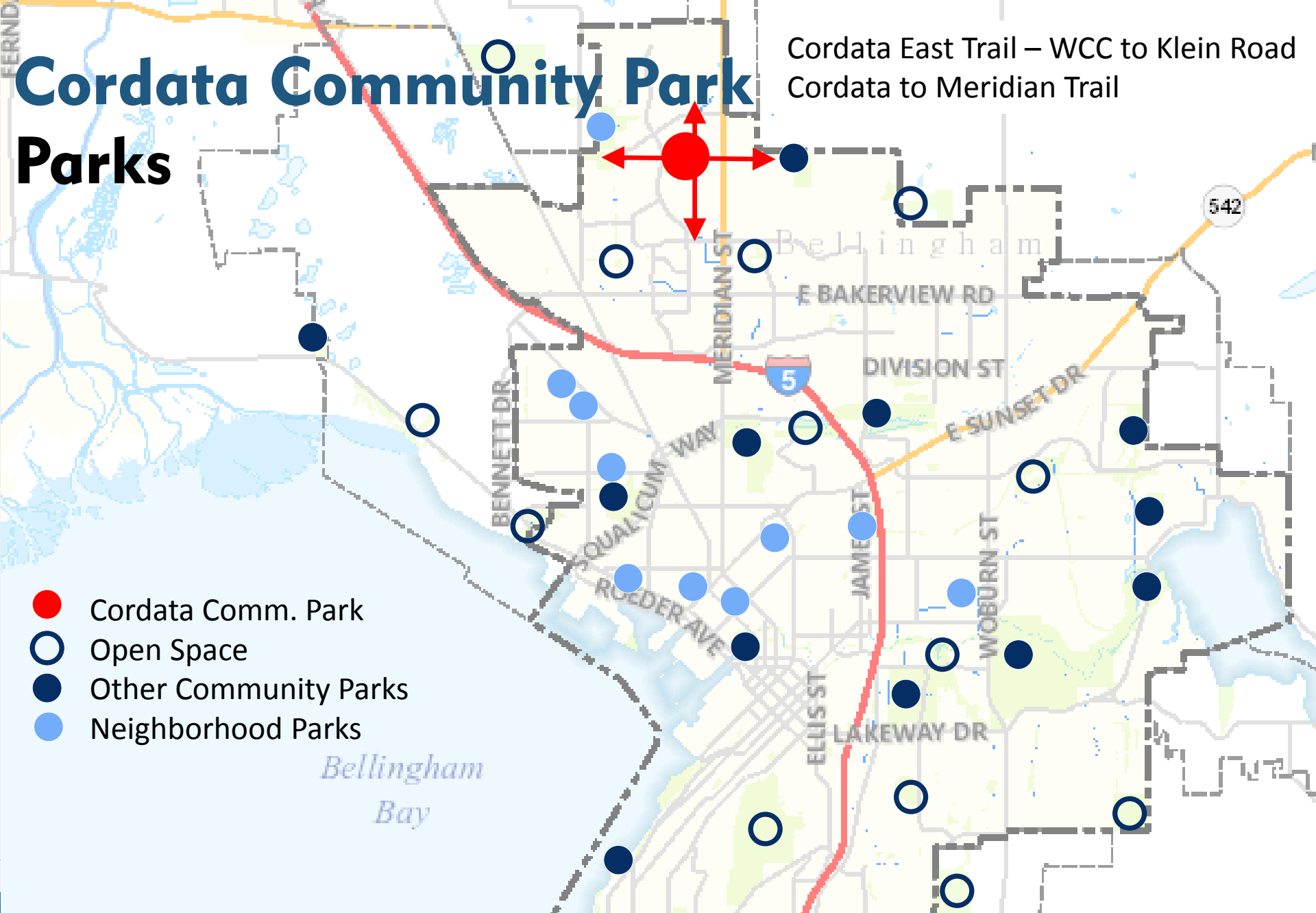
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Cordata East Trail – WCC to Klein Road
Cordata to Meridian Trail



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Topographic Survey

Cordata Parkway

Generally naturally occurring rolling topography with wet depressions. A few berm shaped features exist.

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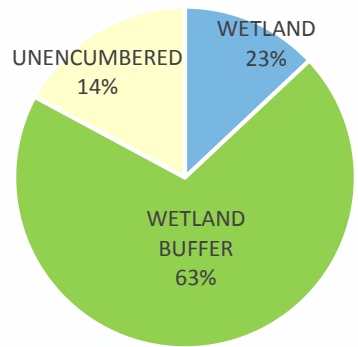
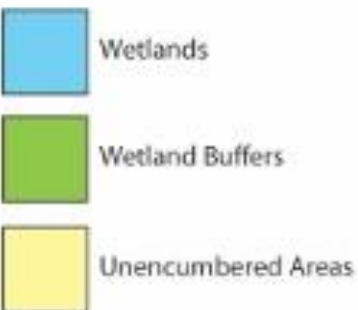
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Wetlands and Buffers



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Site Analysis

Archaeological Predictive Model

Brown: Moderate
Probability

Yellow:
Low Probability

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Site Photos



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Design Considerations

- **Identify & Locate Desired Park Uses**
- **Place Making/Inviting Spaces**
- **Balancing Programming and Critical Areas**
- **Promote Health, Happiness & Well Being**
- **Crime Prevention thru Environmental Design**
- **Maintain Views, as possible**
- **Cohesive, Common Design Theme**



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Concept Plans

Option #1



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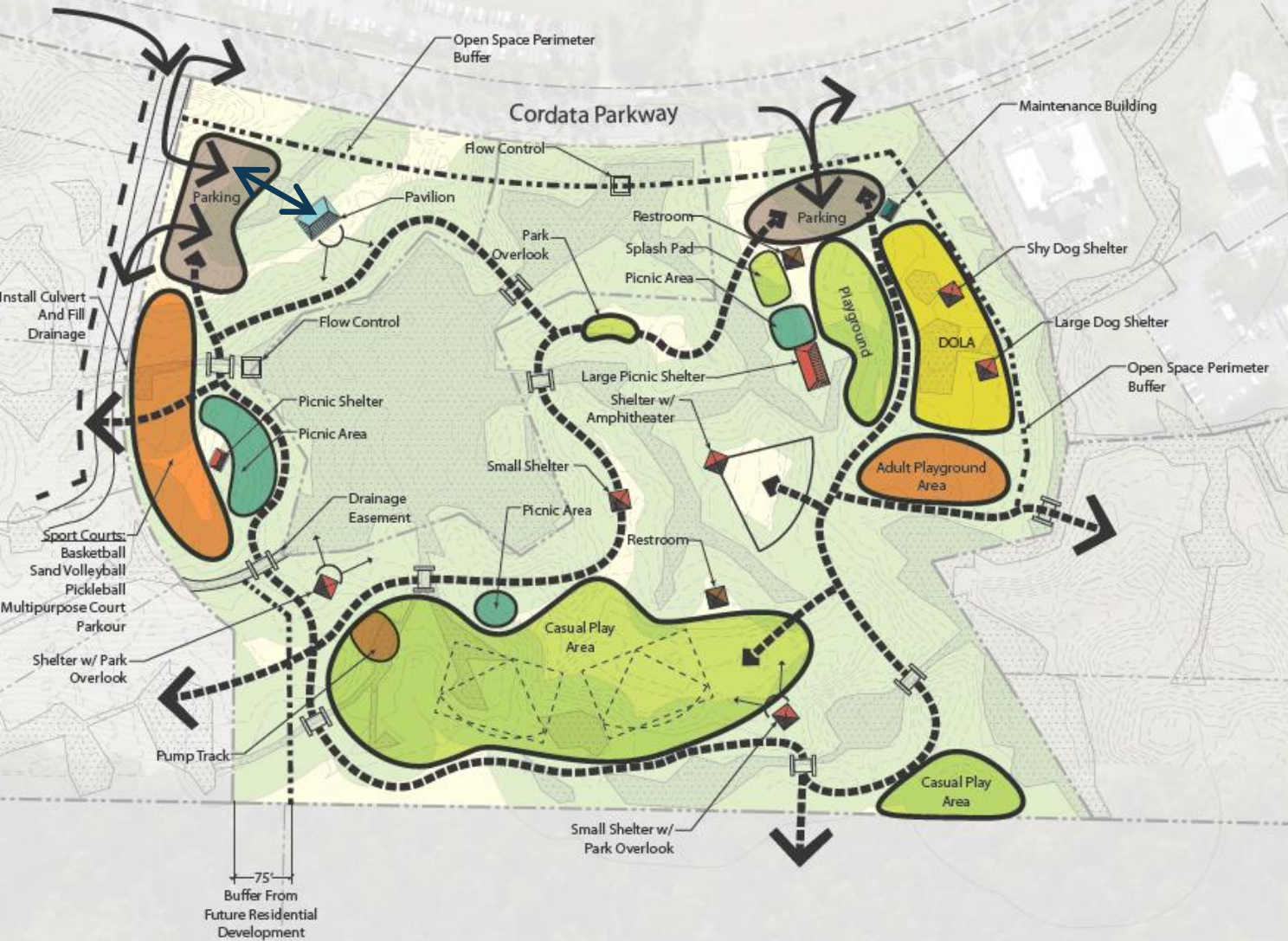
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Option #2



0' 50' 100' 200' 300' 400' 500'

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Preferred Conceptual Master Plan



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Legend

-  Rolling, rough lawn play areas mowed less frequently
-  Mowed lawn for active play. Higher quality lawn than rolling, casual play areas.
-  Mowed Lawn with Picnic Tables and benches
-  Connection to Existing Trails

Note

Central Wetland: Potential enhancement stormwater capacity. Start discussing what that means.



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Park Facilities



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FENCED OFF
LEASH AREA



PICKLEBALL



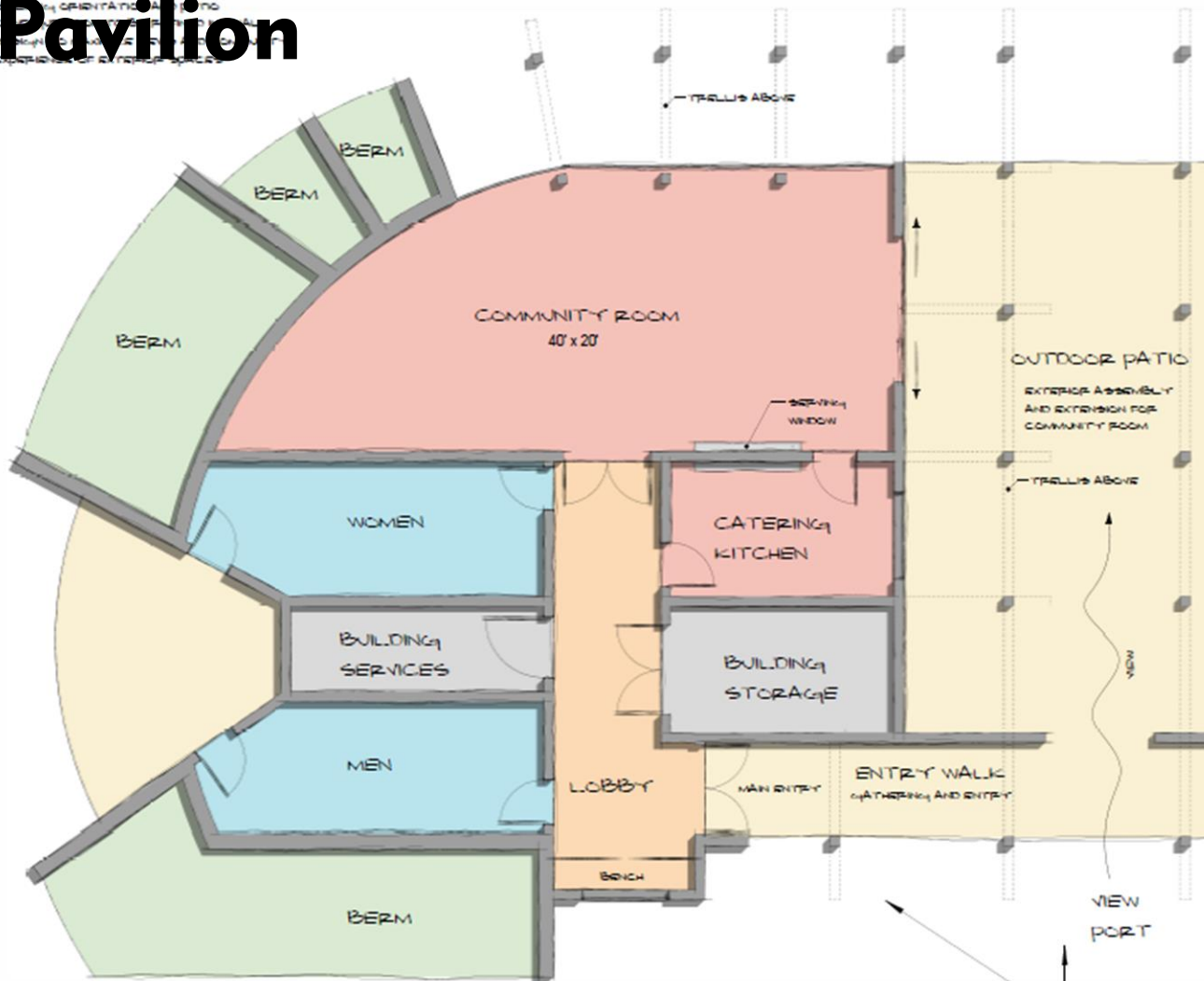
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Pavilion

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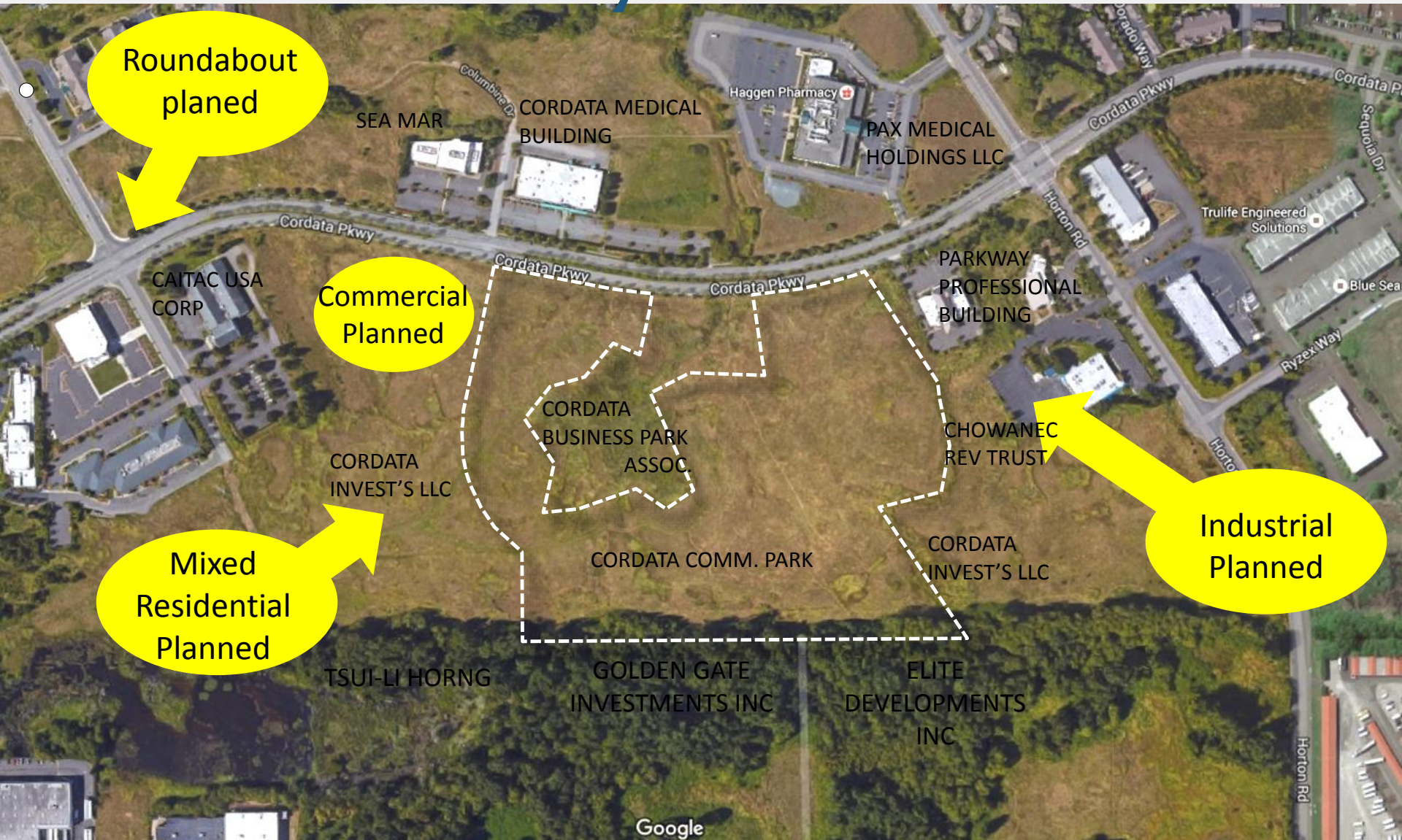
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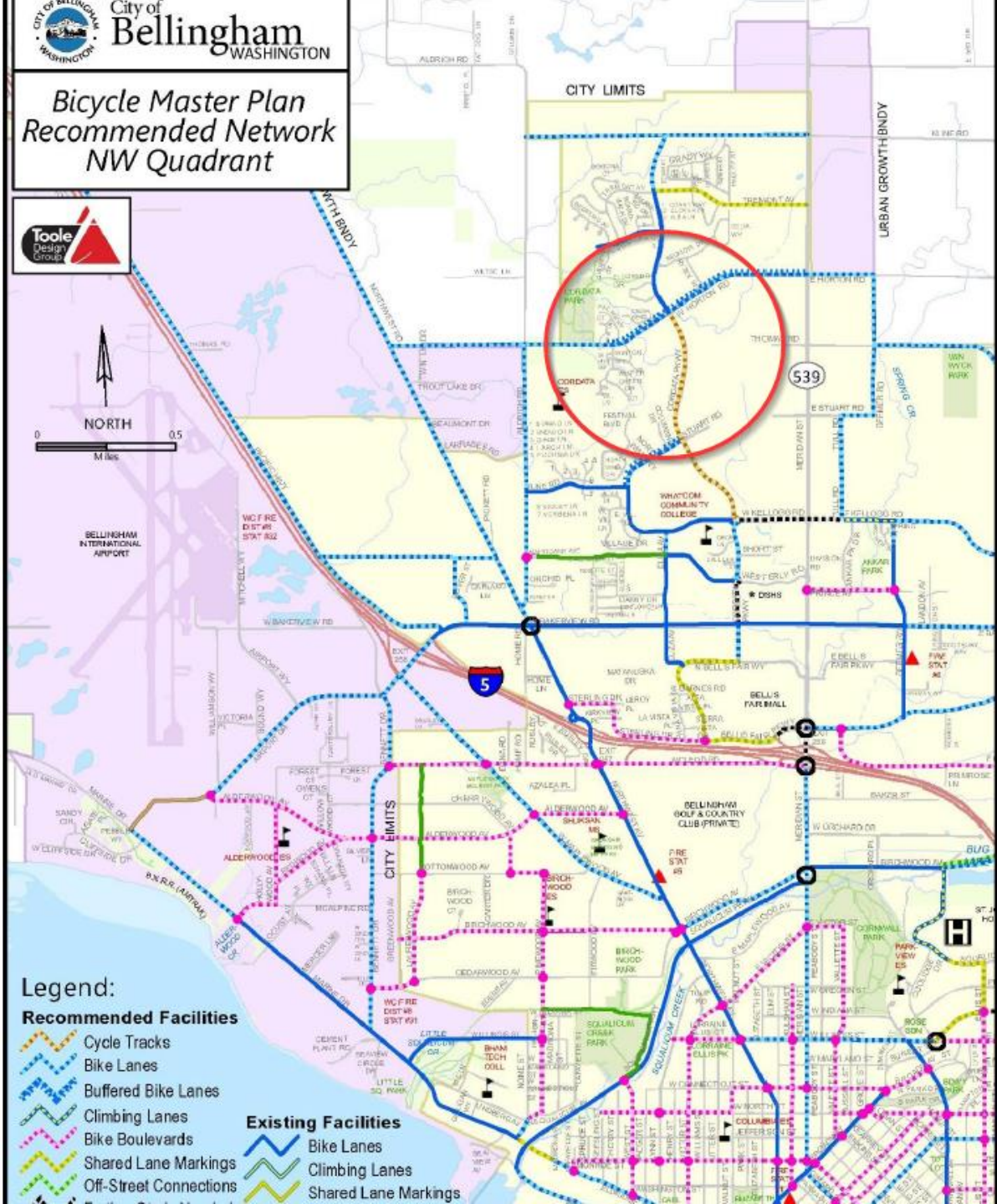
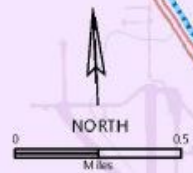
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RMC ARCHITECTS

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Bicycle Master Plan Recommended Network NW Quadrant



Legend:

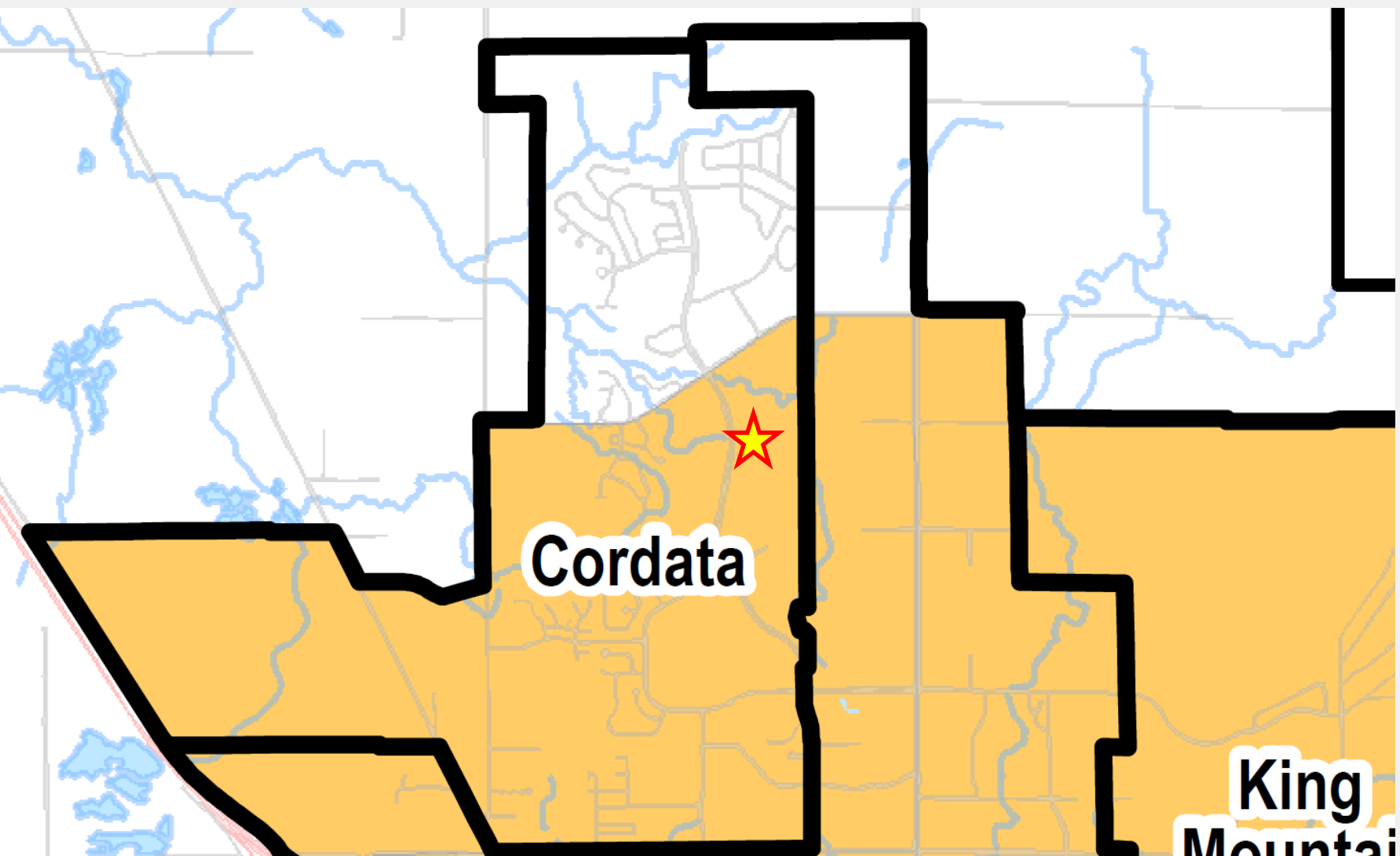
Recommended Facilities

- Cycle Tracks
- Bike Lanes
- Buffered Bike Lanes
- Climbing Lanes
- Bike Boulevards
- Shared Lane Markings
- Off-Street Connections

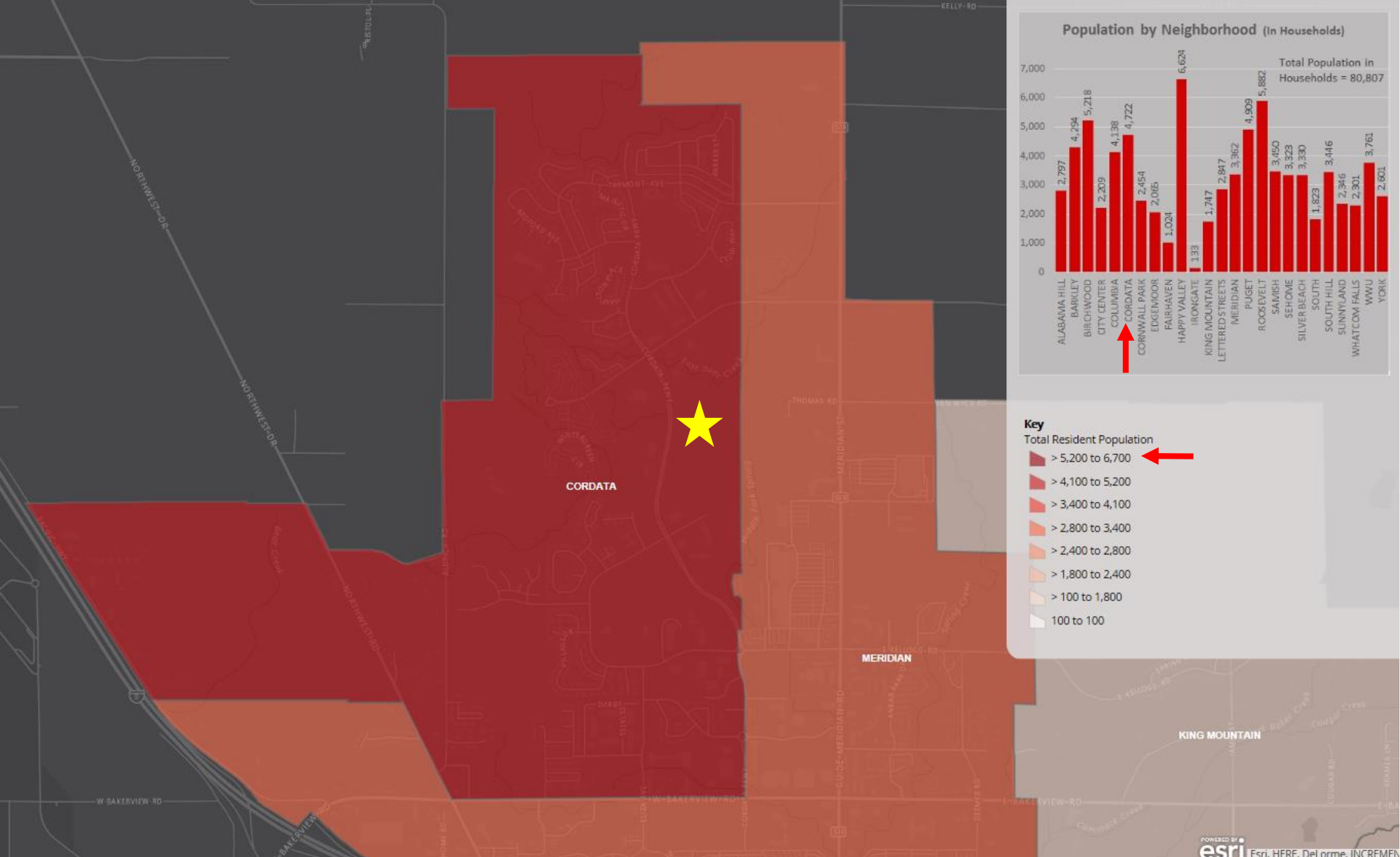
Existing Facilities

- Bike Lanes
- Climbing Lanes
- Shared Lane Markings

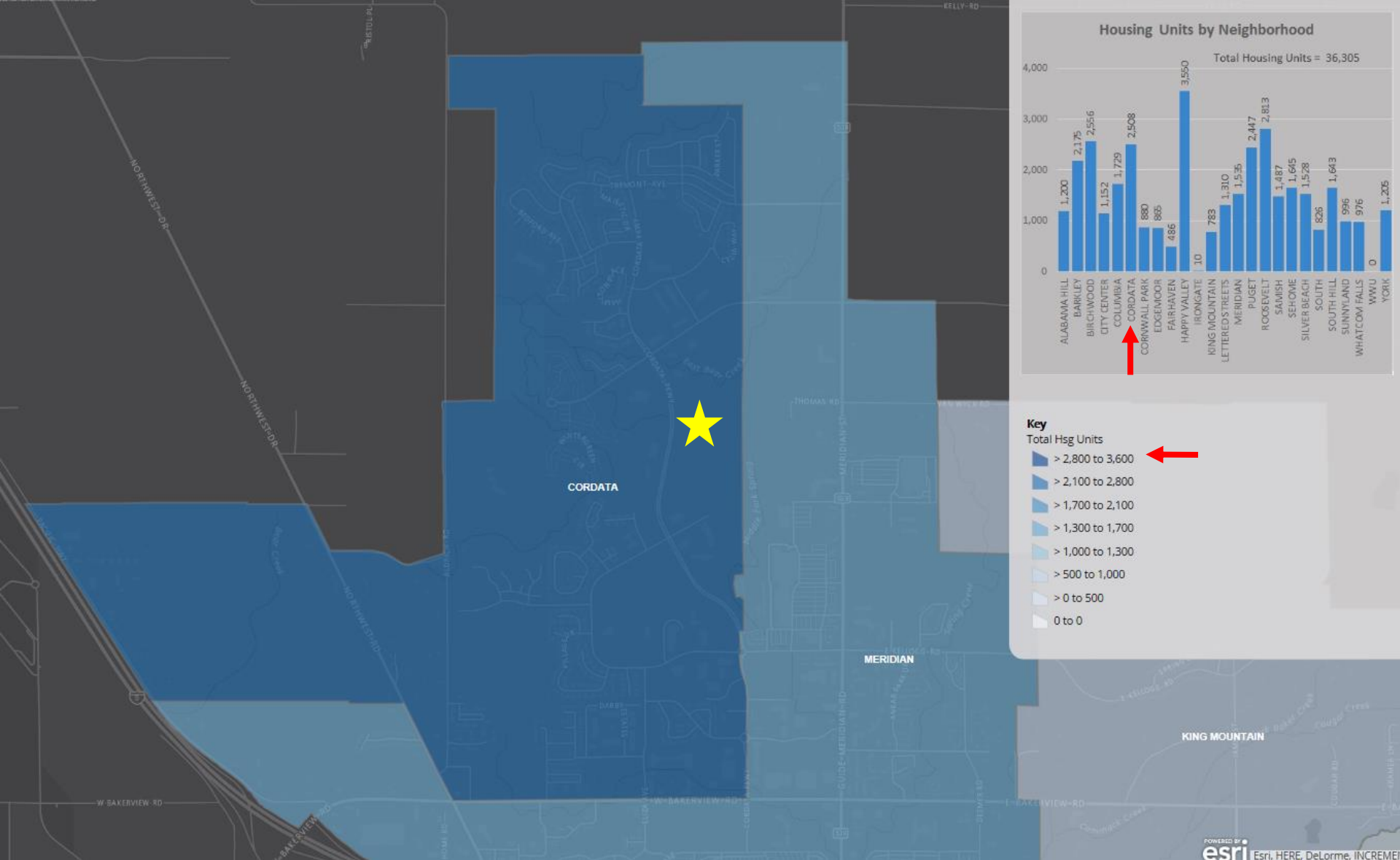
Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population.....	80,885	100.0
Hispanic or Latino.....	5,665	7.0
White alone.....	2,745	3.4
Black or African American alone.....	53	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone.....	124	0.2
Asian alone.....	49	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone..	13	0.0
Some other race alone.....	2,067	2.6
Two or more races alone.....	614	0.8
Not Hispanic or Latino.....	75,220	93.0
White alone.....	65,907	81.5
Black or African American alone.....	1,015	1.3
American Indian and Alaska Native alone.....	964	1.2
Asian alone.....	4,086	5.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone..	201	0.2
Some other race alone.....	177	0.2
Two or more races alone.....	2,870	3.5



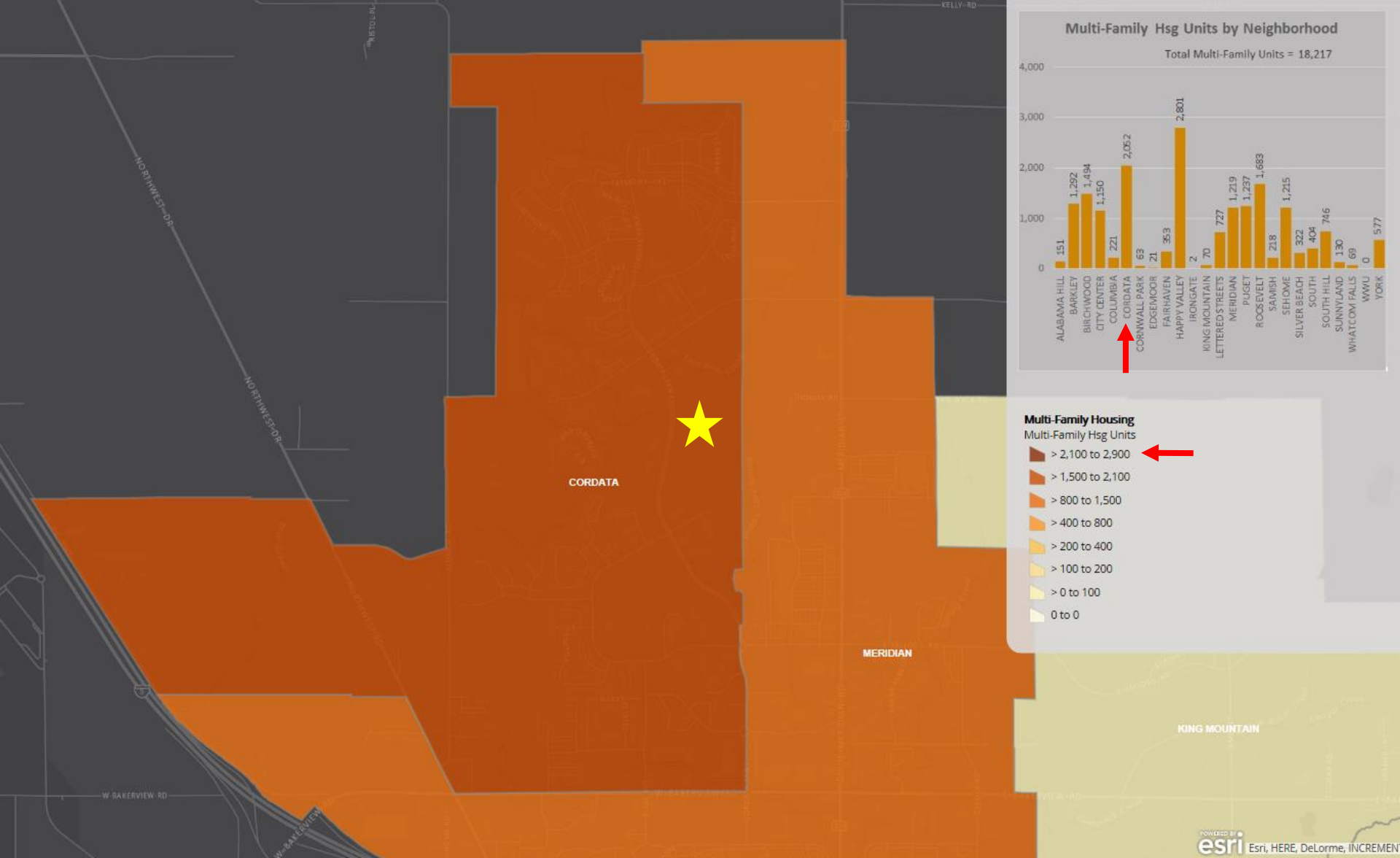
COB LOW & MOD INCOME BLOCK GROUPS (2006-2010 American Community Survey)



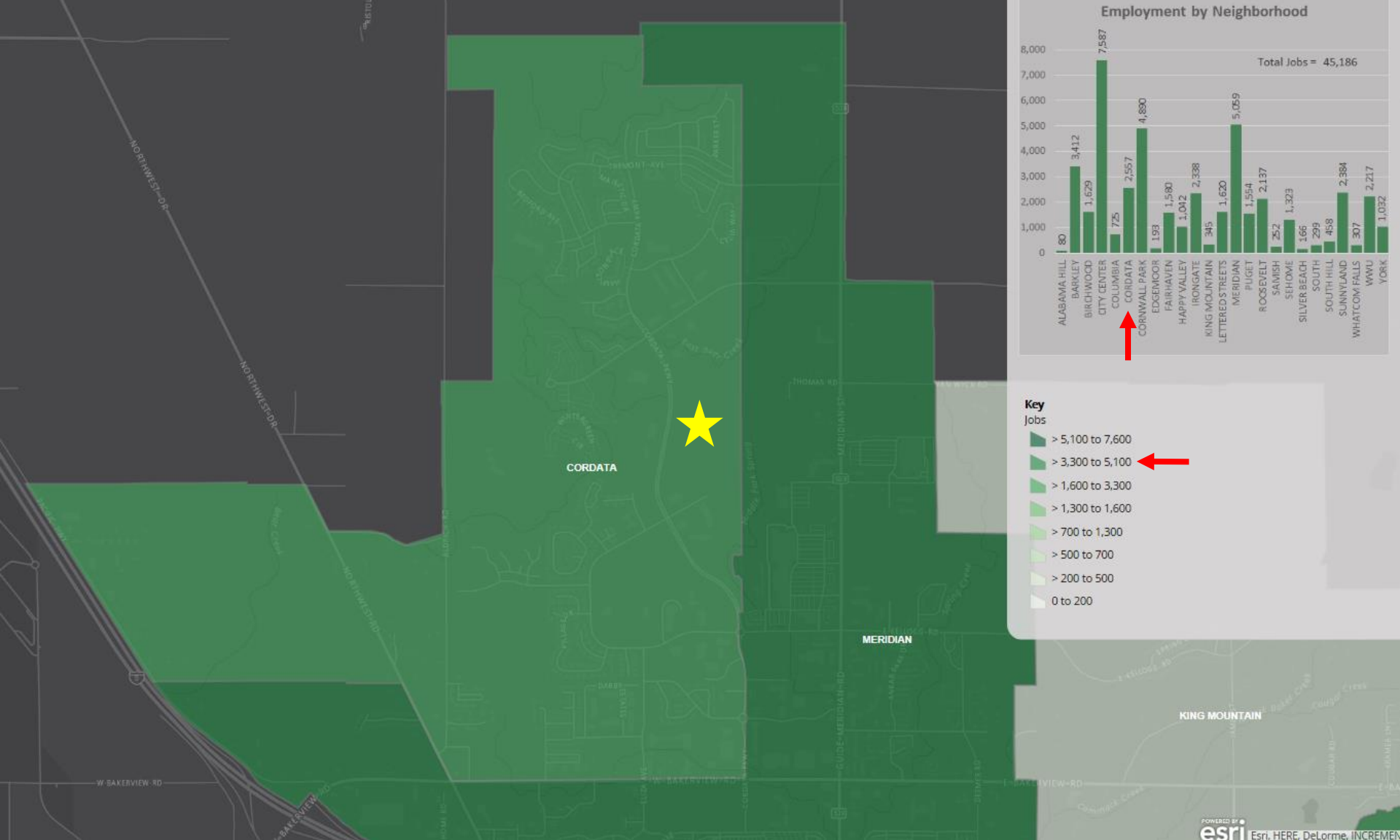
TOTAL RESIDENTIAL POPULATION



TOTAL HOUSING UNITS



MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING



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