



Public Presentation

# Haddam Jail Reuse Planning Project

June 29, 2017

# Criteria Used to Develop Reuse Options

#### Reuse Criteria

- Public Access
- Sites Physical Capacity
- Financially Self-Sustaining
- Historic Character Compatibility
- Market ready
- Sanitary Flow Limitations



#### Agenda

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- Parking considerations
- VI. Reuse Alternatives
- VII. Next Steps
- Selection of a Preferred Reuse Alternative
- ProForma Fiscal Analysis for Preferred Reuse Alternative
- Engagement with Real Estate / Developer Community
- Approaches to Resolve Fiscal Gap
- Final Report Summarizing Existing Conditions & Recommendations moving forward

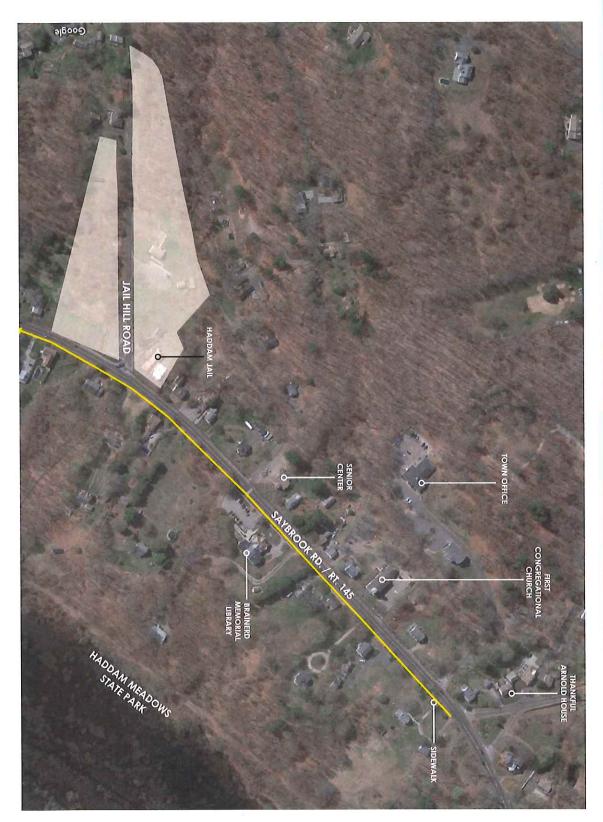
VIII.Public Discussion and Questions



### Background

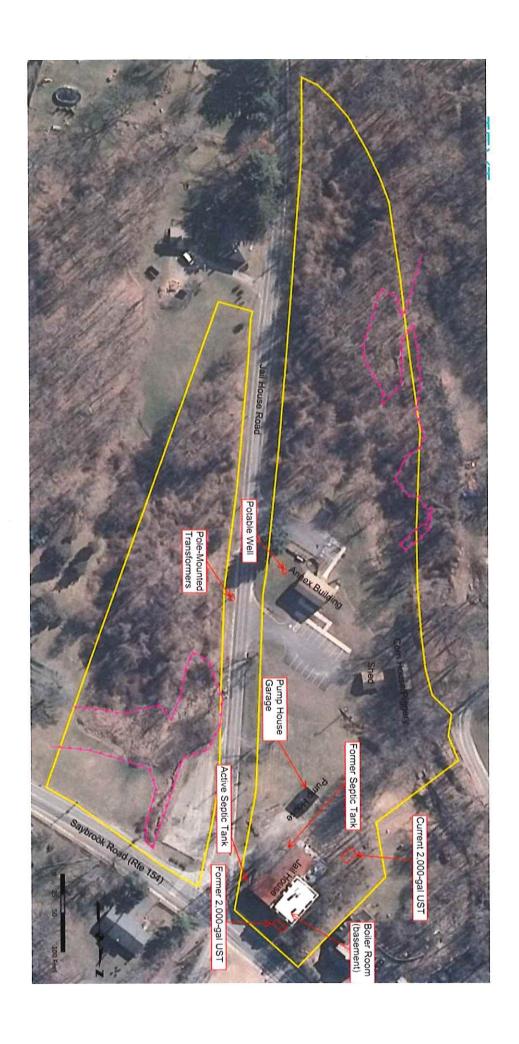


#### Site Setting





### Existing Conditions





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Currently storage space	Earm shed/storage	1277	O hoo
Currently storage space	Corn house & Piggery	~1855	Barn
Garage & Pump house Storage Garage & Pump house	Garage & Pump house	~early 1900s	Pump House
		Renovated for "Annex" use in ~2001	
Currently a meeting space & the Town of Haddam Health Denartment Office		Renovated as classrooms in 1973-	Building
Formerly classrooms for CT Justice Academy	Dairy/Cow barn	~late 1800s	Town "Annex"
Currently vacant		1878 - 1899	
correctional officers)	Jailers "Mansion"	With additions in	
Formerly Connecticut Justice Academy (Training facility for	Haddam County Jail &	1845	Jailhouse
Recent/Current Use	Historical Use	Construction Date	Building Name

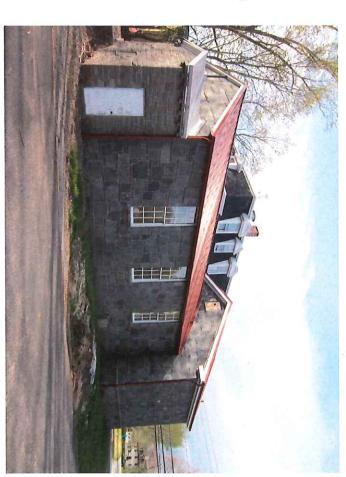


## Assess Existing Conditions



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- Objectives:
- Evaluate physical condition for potential reuse
- Determine drivers that affect the potential for reuse
- Identify the challenges
- associated with site reuse





## **Assess Existing Conditions**

### Summary of Tasks Undertaken

- Environmental Site Assessment, Wetlands
- Hazardous Building Material Survey
- Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing
- Structural/Architectural Floor Plans
- Septic Evaluation
- Septic Leaching Field
- Market Analysis



## Environmental Assessment

### Scope – Phase I & Phase II ESA

Ground penetrating radar	Septic tank sample & analysis
Soil borings & soil analysis	Potable supply well sampling & analysis
Monitoring wells & groundwater analysis	Concrete chip sampling & analysis

#### Results

- 2,000-gallon fuel oil UST
- Low concentrations of pesticides and lead in soil
- Non detect for potable supply well sample



# Hazardous Building Material Survey

Asbestos

	Window & flashing caulking
Pipe insulation	Adhesives
Sheet rock	Flooring

Lead Based Paint

Wood (floor, wall)	Painted Plaster
Metal	Painted Brick



# Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing & Water

Jail building existing MEP systems are not usable and will need to be replaced

#### Water Supply

Location	Condition	Re-Usable
Jail Pump House	6-inch drilled well Well depth & yield unknown Inoperative ~1980's	Well - Possibly
Cistern Well	8-inch drilled 191 feet Reported ~30 gal/min yield	Well - Yes Cistern - No
Annex Building	6-inch drilled 360 feet Reported ~22 gal/min yield	Well – Yes

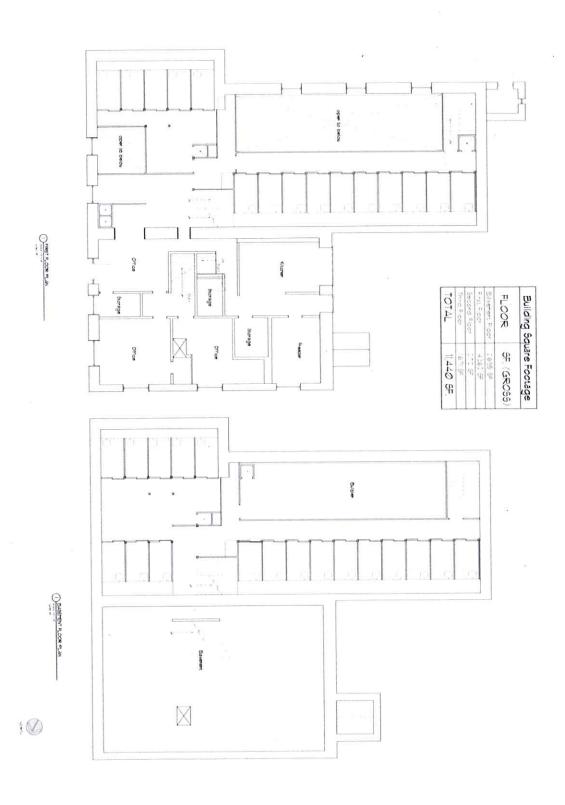


### Structural Evaluation

Root Cellar	Shed	Cornhouse/Piggery •	Jail Pumphouse •	Jailhouse •
Chambers have different construction methods Roof slab of the center chamber has radial cracks and is sagging Ceiling is buried under several inches of soil	Gaps between stone walls and wood framing allow infiltration Posts supporting frame set on floor slabs rather than foundations	Deterioration of wood floor deck and framing Evidence of water and insect damage	Cracking in exterior concrete walls	Intact and suitable for reuse Exterior walls require repointing Water infiltration damage mitigated by Town's actions



# Jail Building Architectural Floor Plans



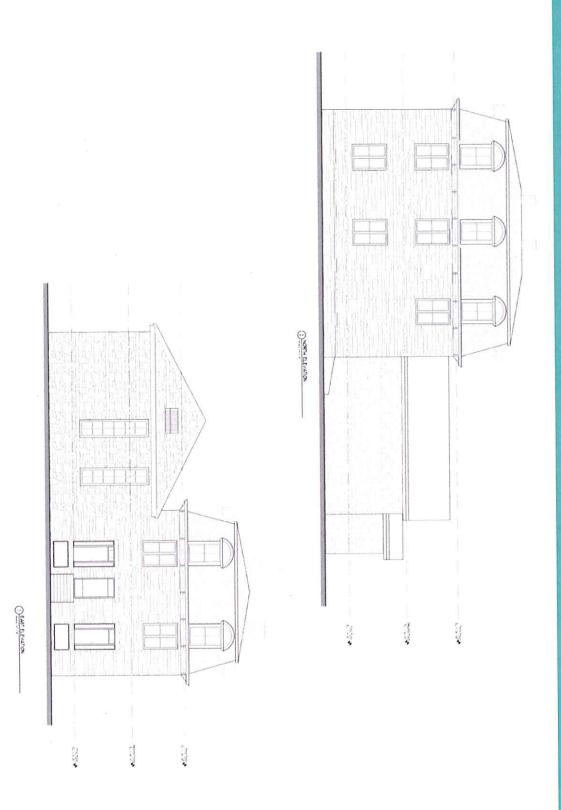


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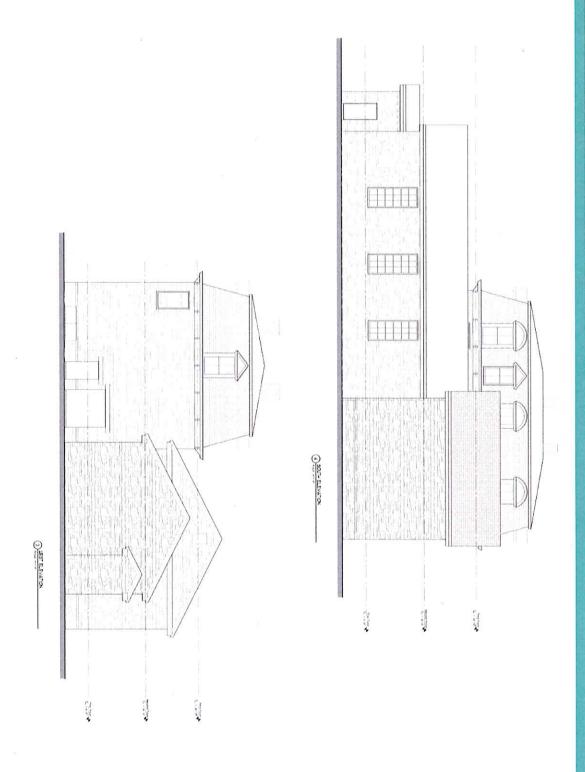


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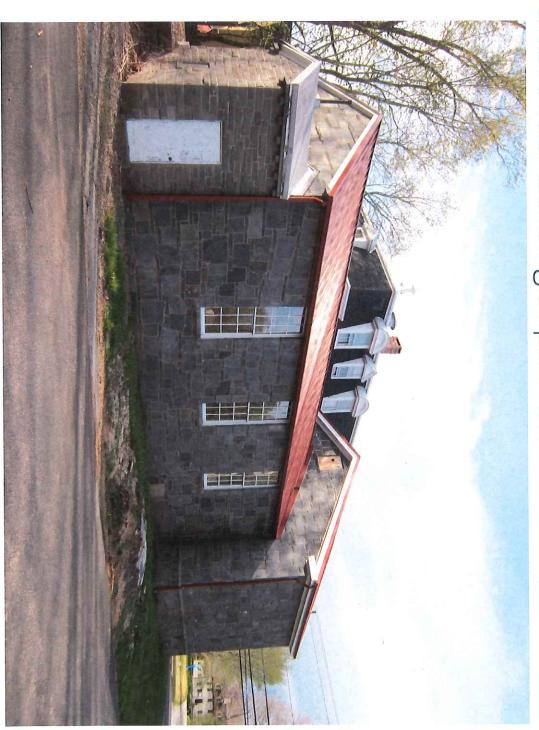
### Architectural Plans





### Septic Evaluation

Jail and Annex Building Septic Tank



### Septic Leaching Field





# Septic Leaching Field - Station Hill Road

- Station Hill Road Parcel
- Approximately 0.75 acres
- System <5,000 gallons per day State Health Department Regulated
- 12-inches of cover & 48-inches deep
- Footprint of 44 feet x 163 feet
- Replacement of piping from the jail parcel required
- either Station Hill Road or Jail parcel is unlikely Permitting of a >5,000 gpd system (DEEP Approval) on
- Setback distances (wetlands, property line, utilities)
- 21-day travel time



# Septic Leaching Field Station Hill Road





# Market Analysis – Camoin Associates

- Assessment of Supply and Demand for:
- Retail
- Office
- Residential
- Public

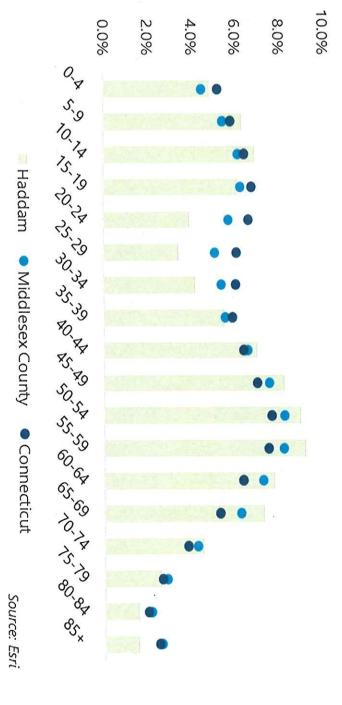




#### Market Analysis

- Two market segments
- Baby Boomers
- School Age Kids
- Notable lack of young adults







## Market Analysis Observations

### Socioeconomic Characteristics

- No population growth = Limited new demand
- Town's population is bi-modally distributed
- Aging Market
- Middletown presents an opportunity as Haddam's neighbor



## Market Analysis Observations

#### Residential

- Limited activity following the recession
- family homes Older housing stock dominated by expensive single-
- Rental or affordable options present an opportunity



## Market Analysis Observations

#### Retail & Services

- Strong Household Income = Spending Power
- Underserved Market
- Full-service restaurant is needed



# Marketing Analysis - Conclusions

#### **Bottom Line**

- There is little diversity and not a lot of movement in the market.
- of capitalizing on emerging trends or growing markets Immediate opportunities are about re-capture instead
- Quality will be important. Tying in re-use to Haddam's history and telling a compelling story will be critical.



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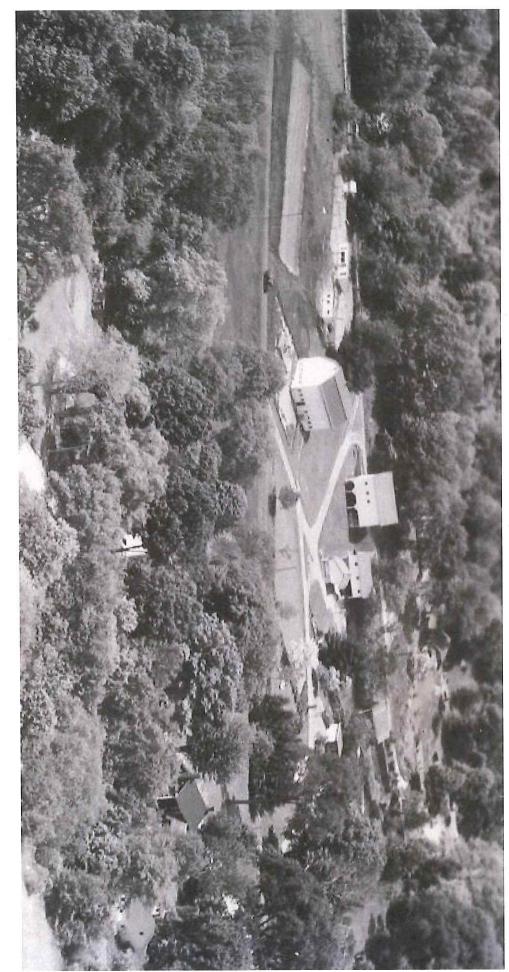


## Site & Context



### Historic Character

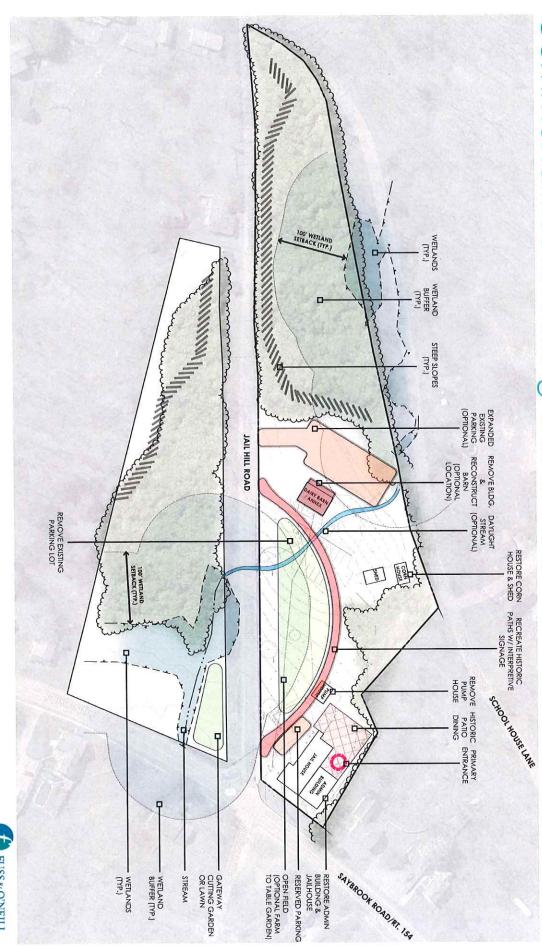
# Jail Property from the Middle 20th Century





# Site Elements & Physical Capacity

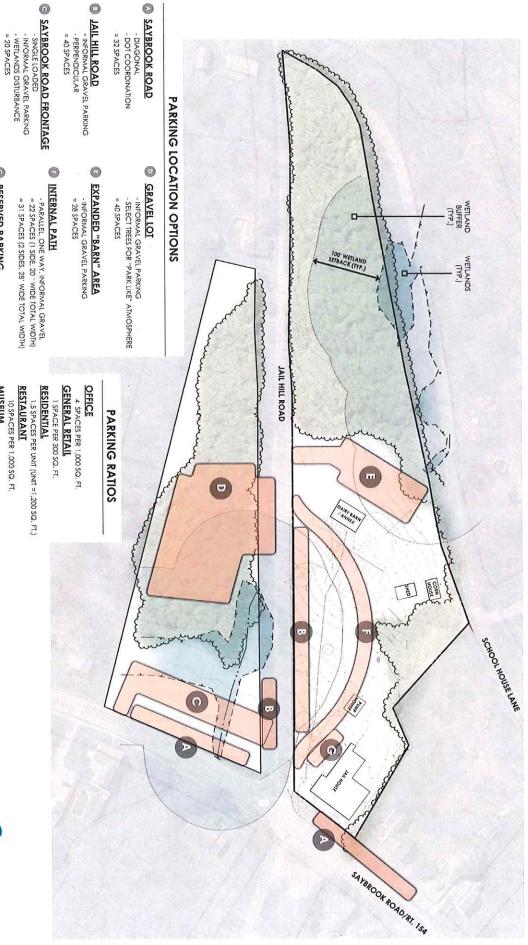
## Commonalities & Existing Conditions





### Parking Considerations

# Parking Options In Context Of Maintaining Historic Campus





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RESERVED PARKING
- HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE

= 31 SPACES (2 SIDES, 28' WIDE TOTAL WIDTH)

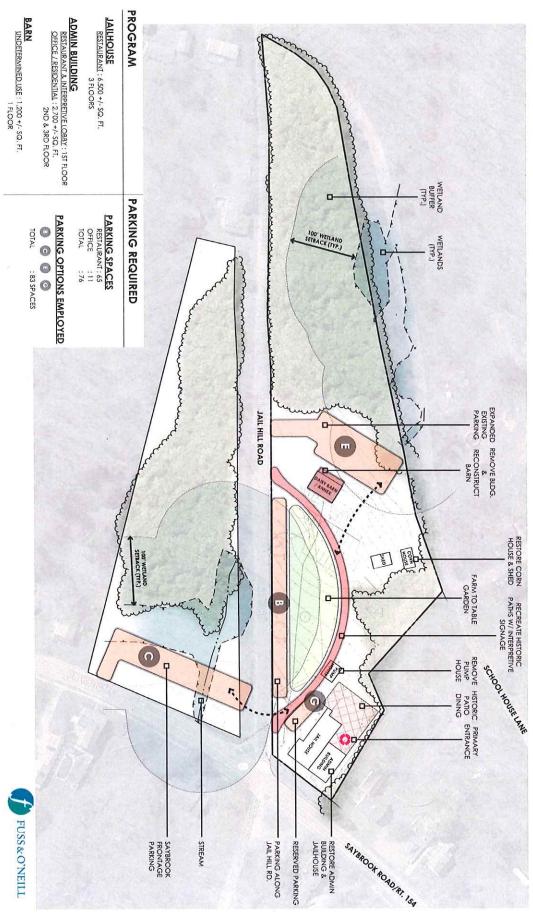
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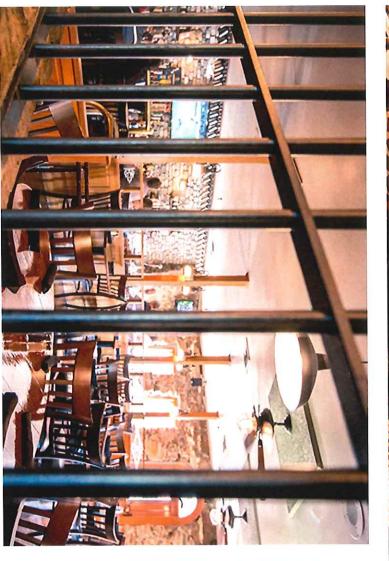
# Reuse Alternatives

## Alternative # 1 : Restaurant

- Restaurant = 145 Seating for a One Meal Sitting
- Combination Office / 2 Bedroom Residential



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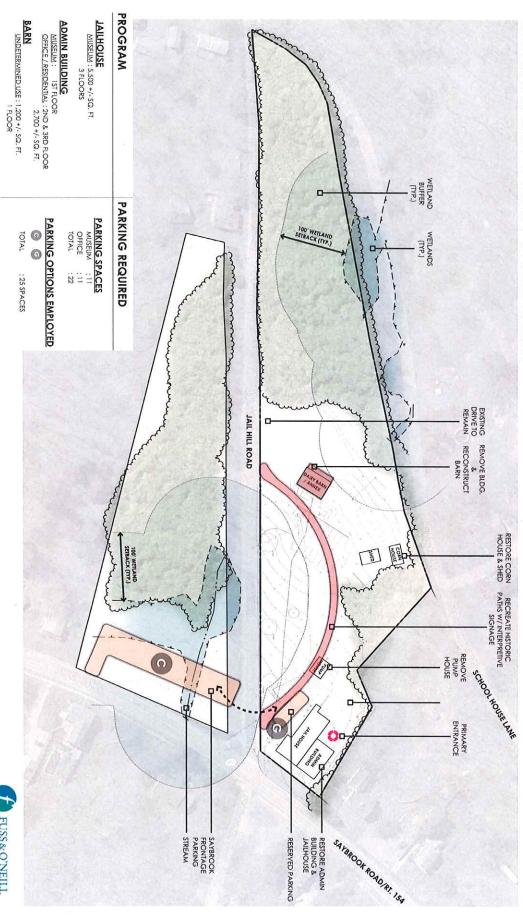






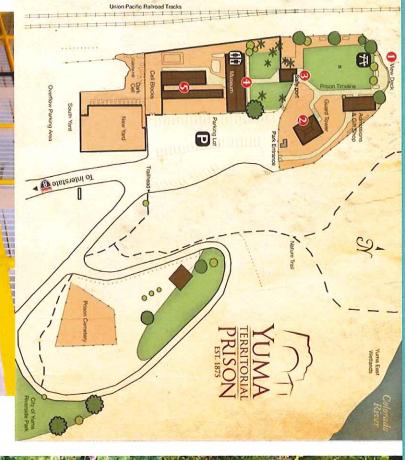
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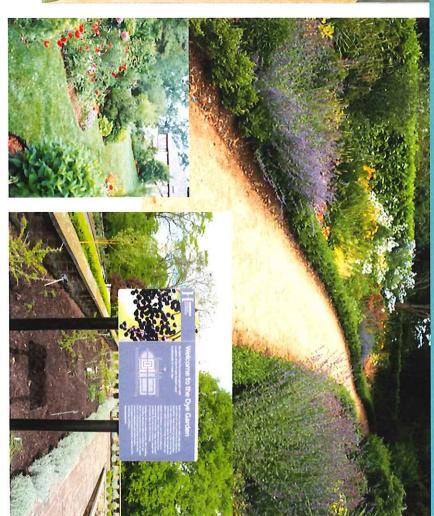
- Museum (Non-Profit / Private)
- Combination Office / Residential

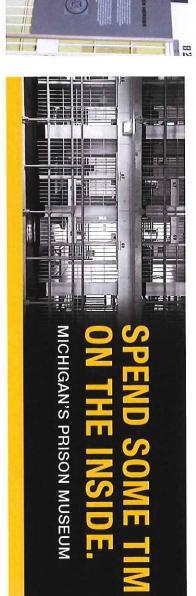




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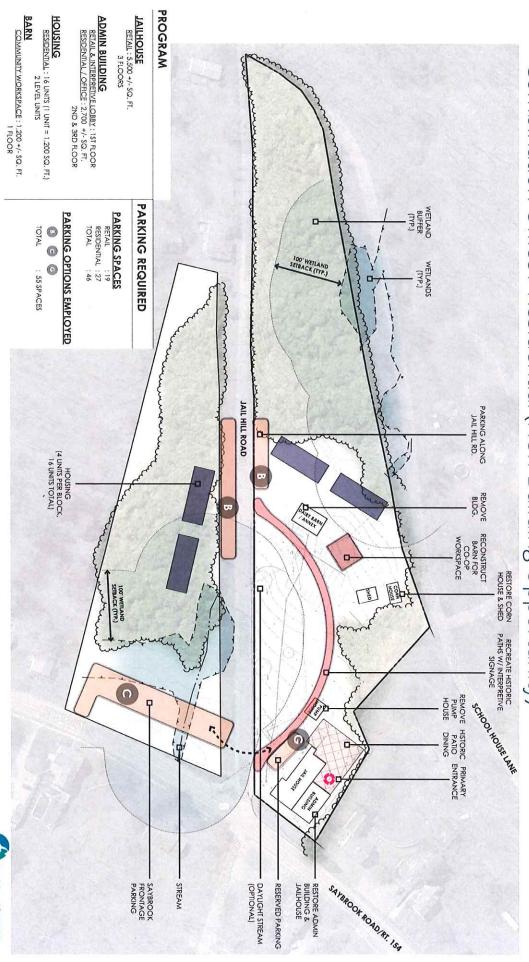






### Alternative #3: Retail

- Retail
- Combination Office / Residential (New Building Opportunity)

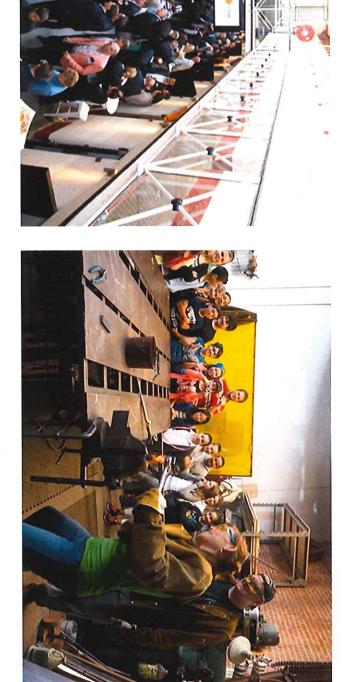




### Alternative #3: Retail









# Selection And Refinement of a Preferred Reuse Alternative

- Incorporate public comments
- Vetting the Preferred Reuse Alternative for:
- strength of market position
- financial sustainability
- ease of implementation
- physical program and land-use adaptability to the site
- conformance with historic preservation goals
- compatibility with the vision of the community



# ProForma Fiscal Analysis for the Preferred Reuse Option

- Cost Estimates for
- Hazardous Material Abatement
- Subsurface Environmental
- Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing
- Septic
- Structural Repairs
- Rehabilitation and site costs



- Identification of the Financial Gap for the Preferred Reuse Option
- Identify a path forward to address financial gaps
- Preparation of a Final Report Summarizing
- Existing Conditions
- The Preferred Reuse Alternatives
- Recommendations on the path moving forward
- Approaches to Resolve the Financial Data Gaps



# Potential Continued Municipal Assistance

- Solicit state commitments on potential gap financing funding mechanisms
- Develop re-use market brochure for publication
- Assist with development of developer RFQ/RFP
- Assist with remaining funds disbursement options
- Assist with grant applications as applicable
- Assist with options to structure public private partnership (PPP)
- Assist with selection of preferred development entity







#### ublic Discussion & Questions