

Sokolniki Park

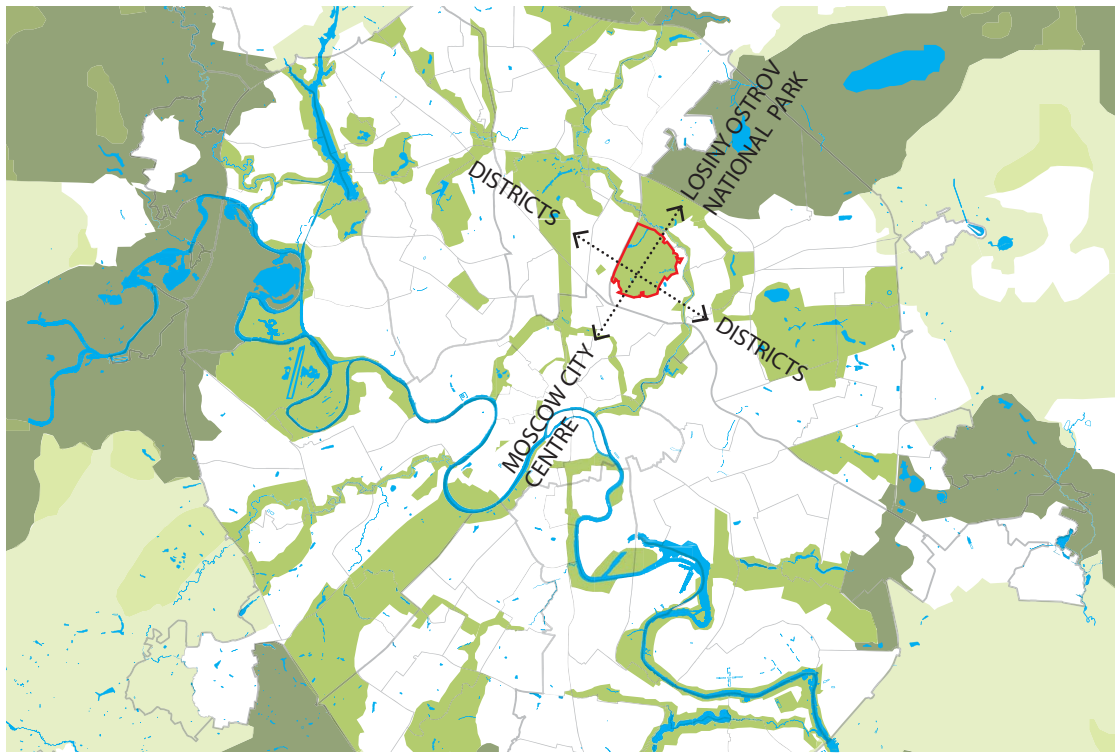
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[50 Gardens of Sokolniki - A Celebration of Russia]



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The park, a key piece of the city, sits at a crossroads between the city, the Taiga Forest and local communities.

1 CONCEPT:
50 GARDENS OF SOKOLNIKI
A CELEBRATION OF RUSSIA
50 Design Teams - 50 Gardens
An international Biennale festival to celebrate the landscape, culture and values of Russian society.



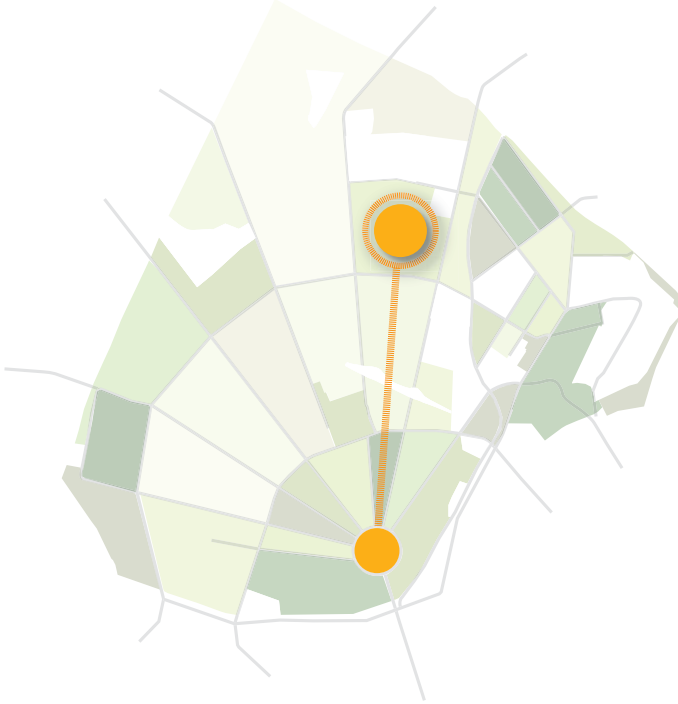
4 BIG MOVES:



1 Protect the forest and the historical design framework



2 Entrance points, redistribute park facilities and rethink infrastructure



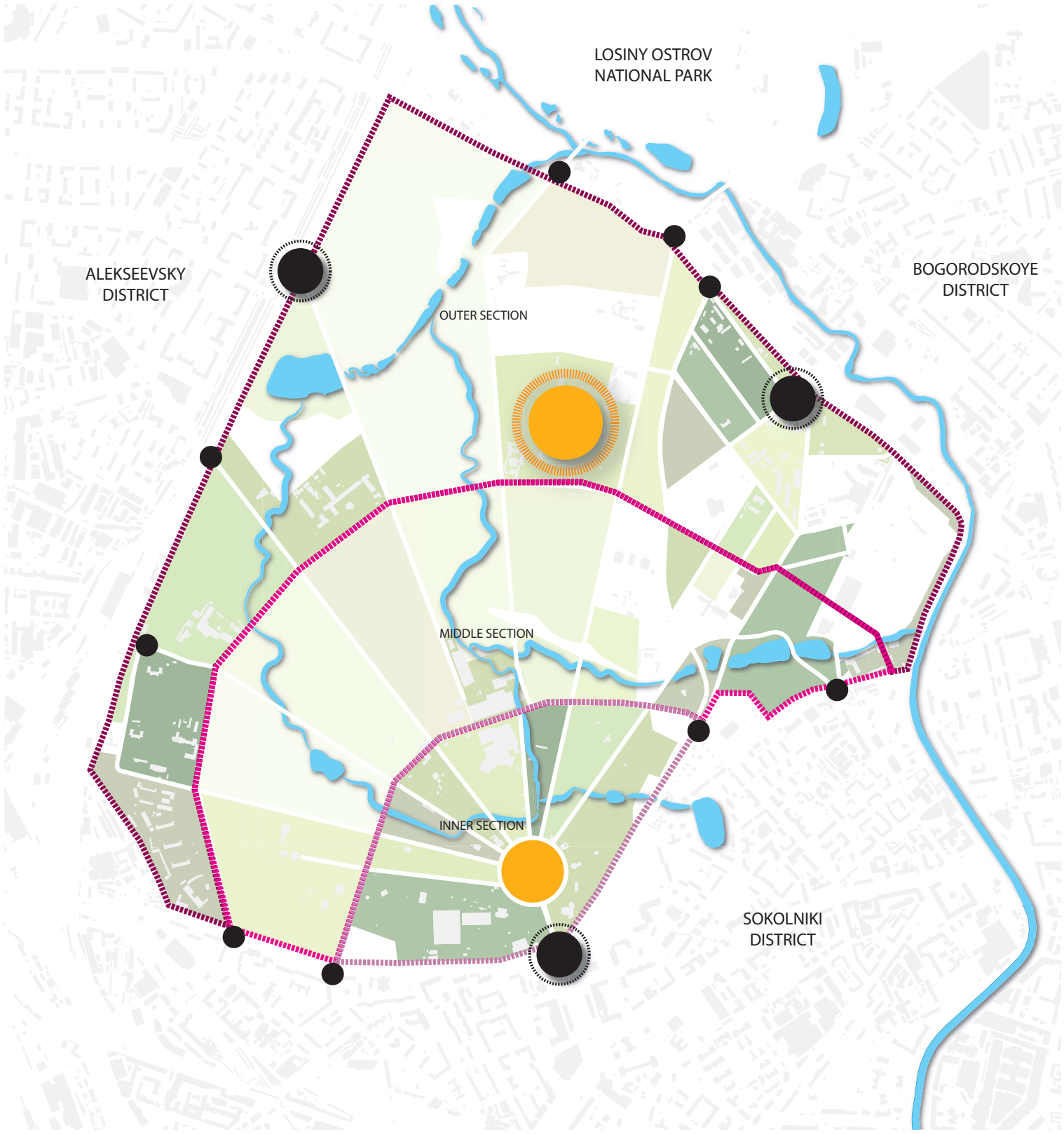
3 A new international park wide event and new destination



4 Enhance park connectivity and biodiversity using water

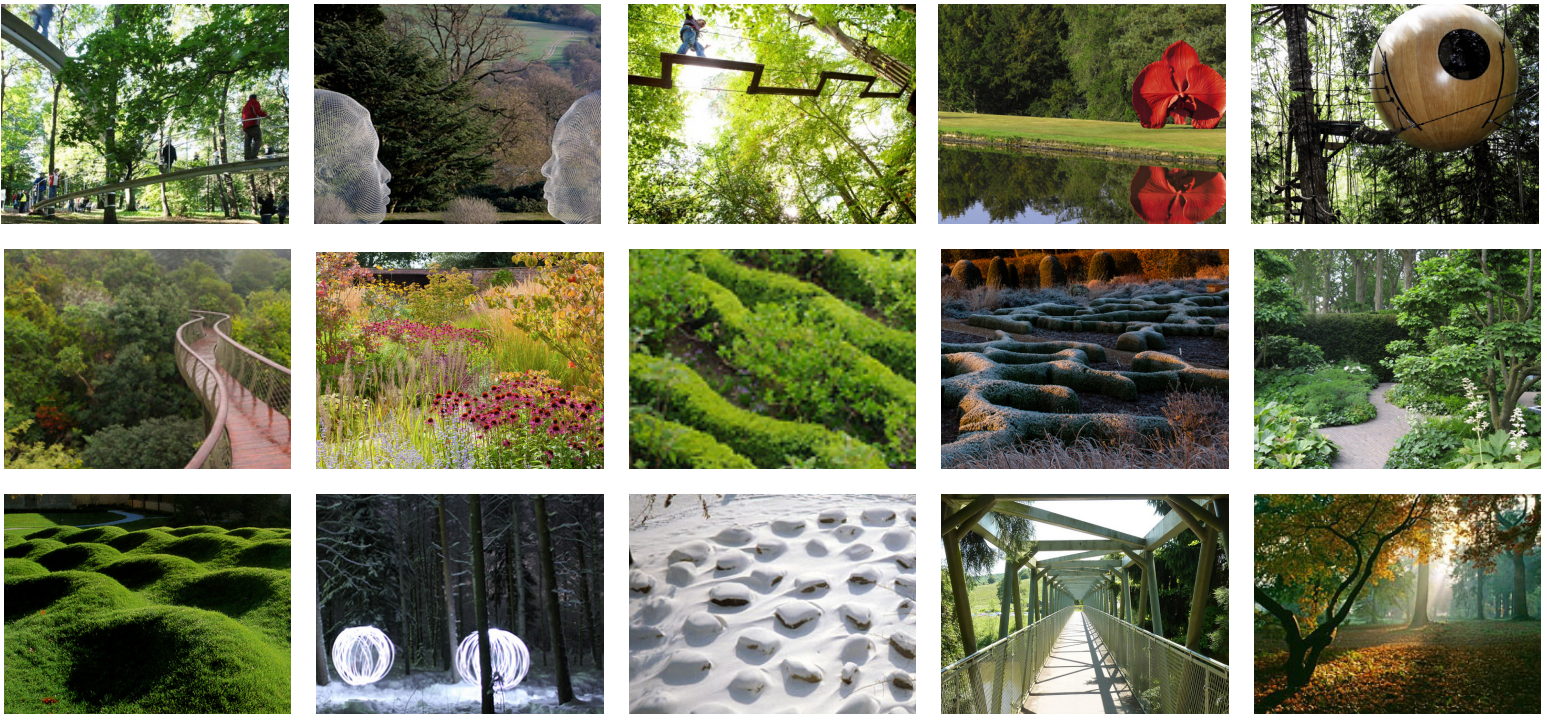
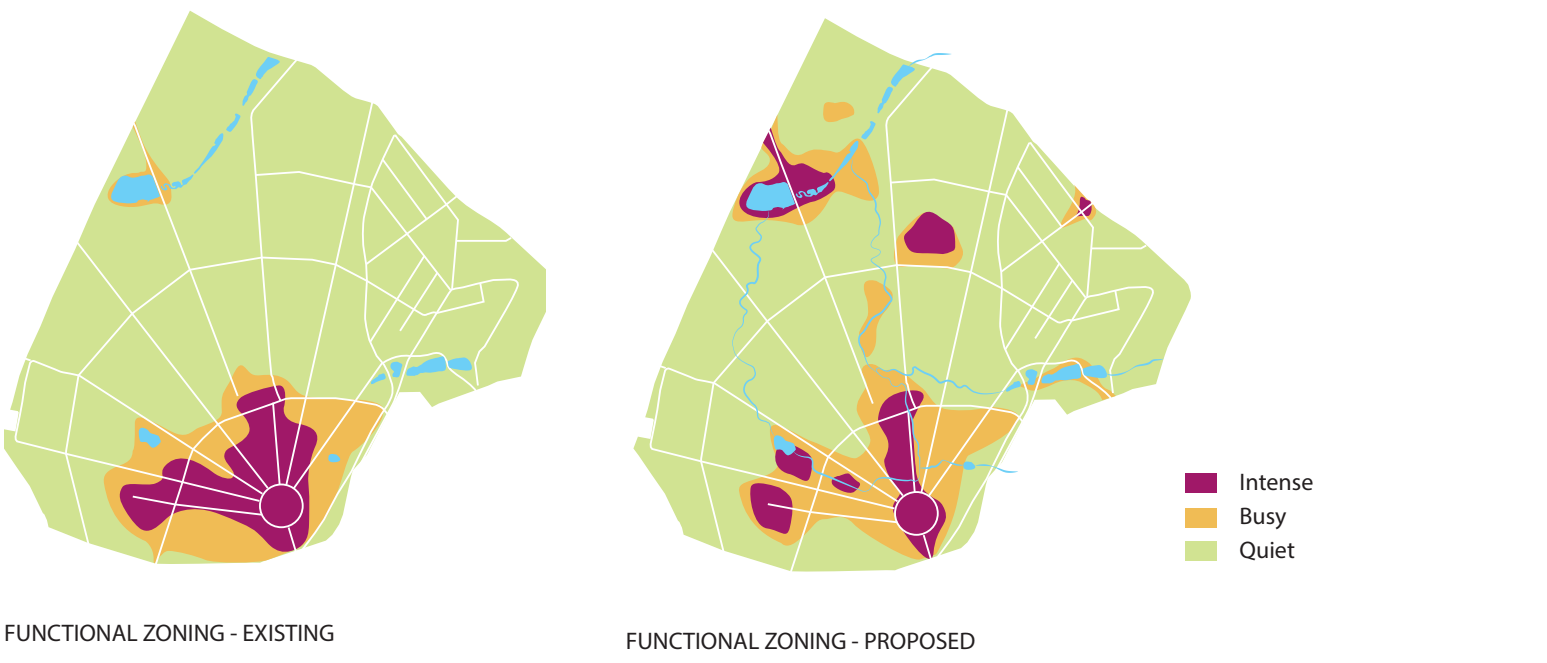
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1 CONCEPT + 4 BIG MOVES



We believe the park should be designed and managed to leave a Legacy for local communities and people of Russia.

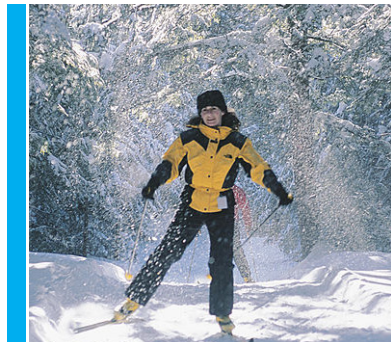
Redistribution of activities will free up capacity in the park core to give better capacity for major events and bring activities closer to communities which surround the park.



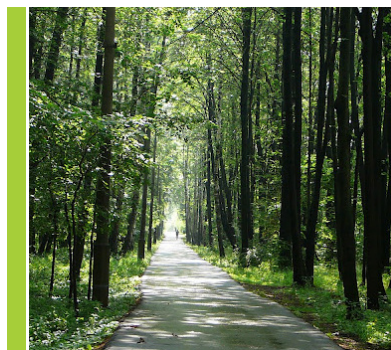
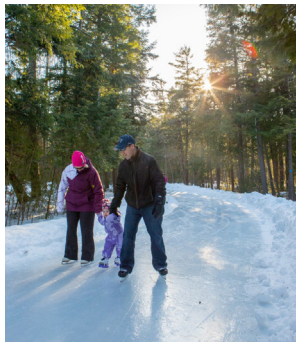
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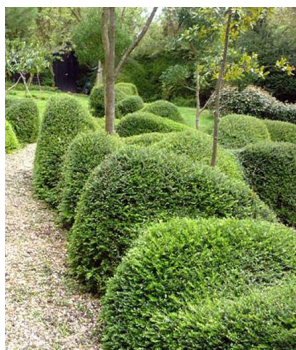
WATER WALK



WINTER ROUTE



HORTICULTURAL AND GARDEN ROUTE



FITNESS TRAIL



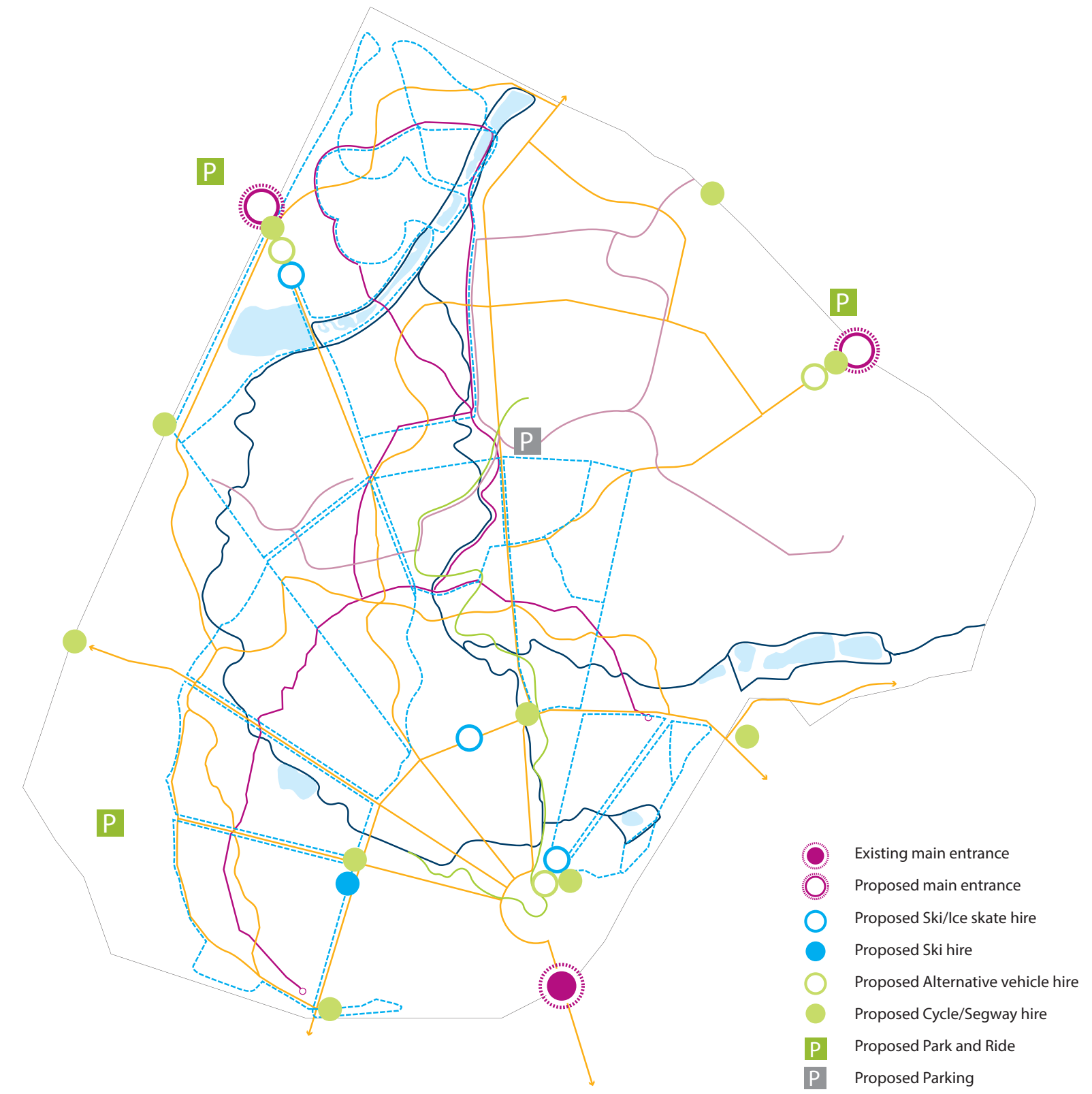
CULTURAL ROUTE



CYCLE ROUTES



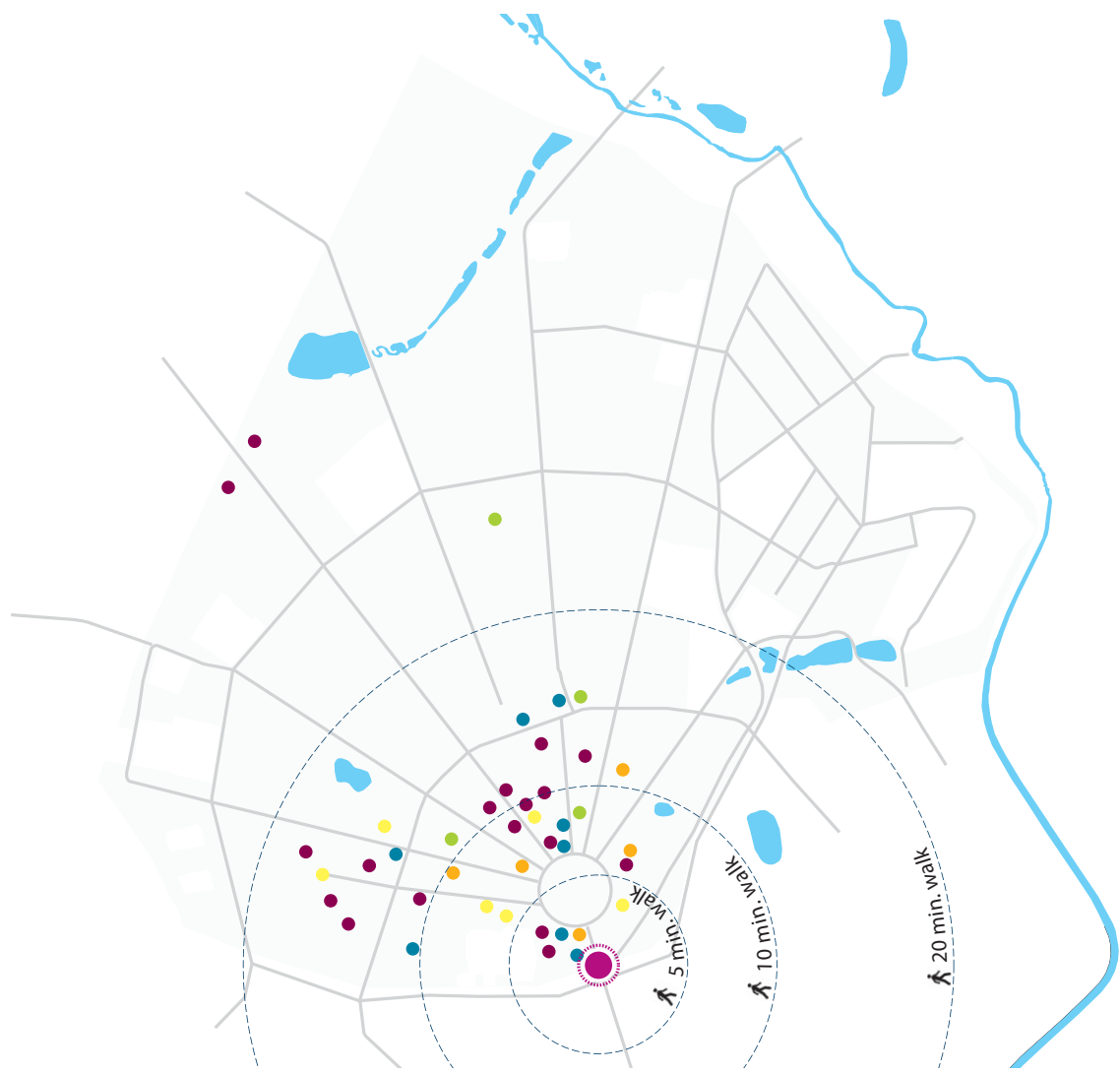
SIGNAGE AND WAYFINDING EXAMPLES



NETWORK OF ROUTES

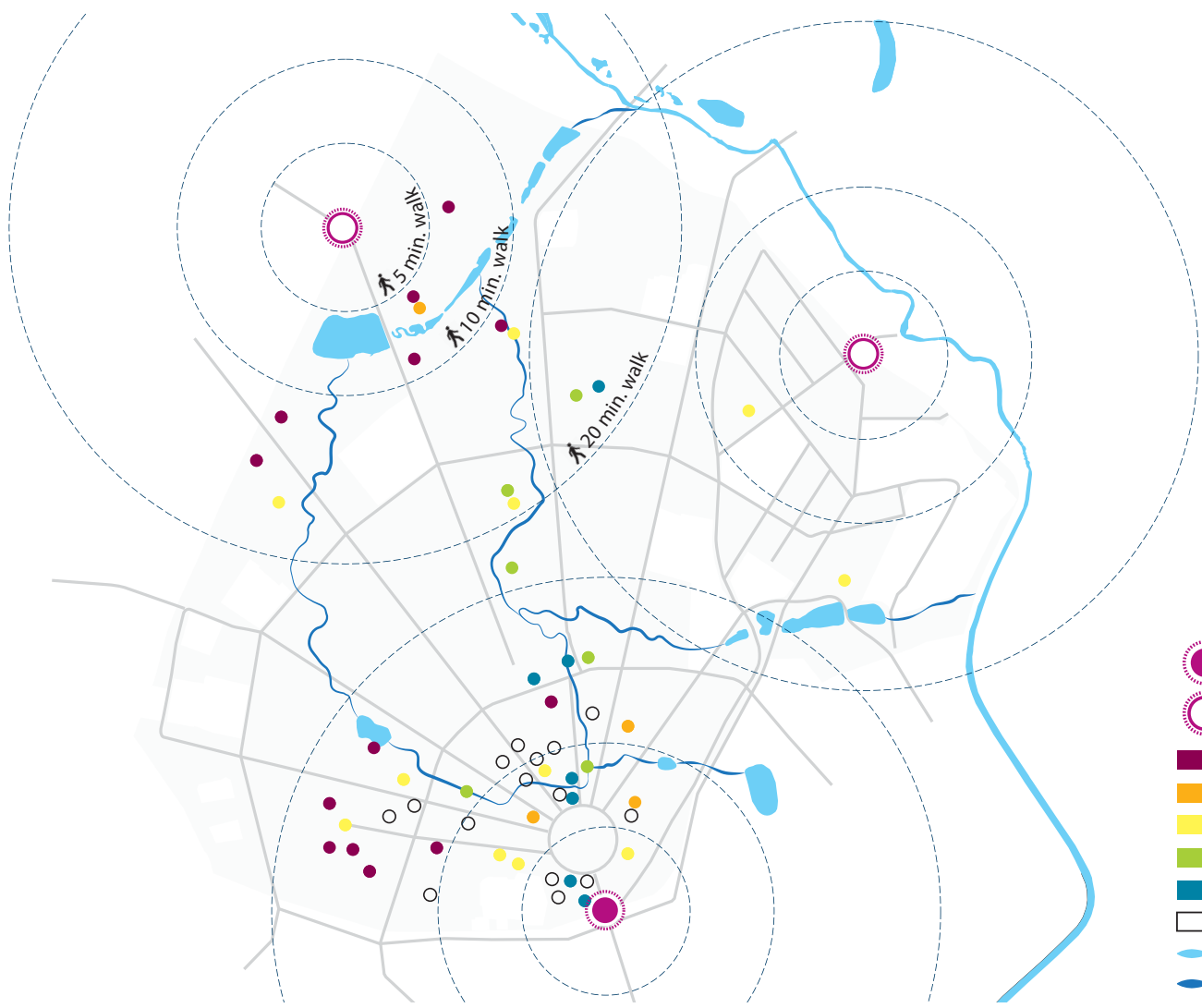
Information systems need to be live so they provide up to date information, which is reliable, user friendly and educational.

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EXISTING LEISURE USE DISTRIBUTION

The existing zoning pattern does not realise the full potential of the park.

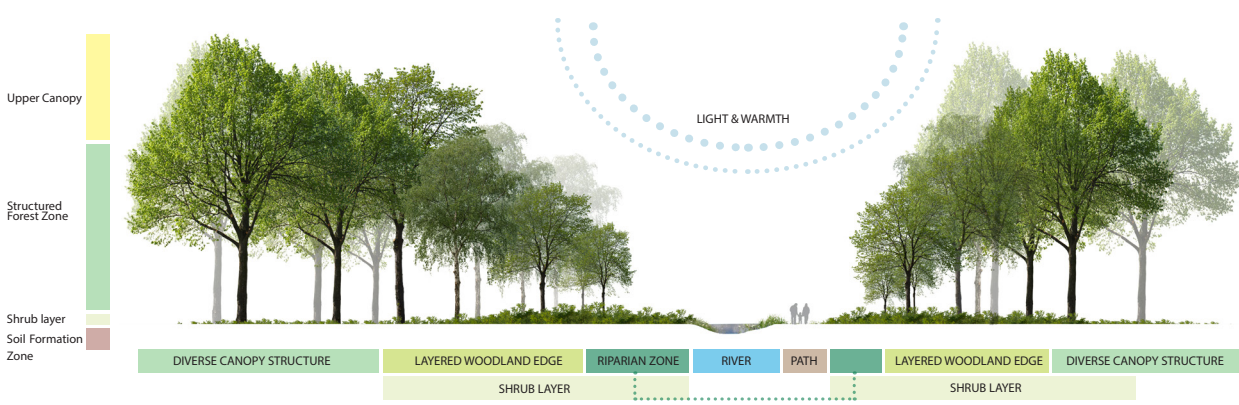


RESTRUCTURING AND RECONFIGURATION OF USES

Equality can be achieved through simple zoning and using water to recognise the full potential of the wilder and more remote parts of the park.



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PROPOSED WOODLAND EDGE TREATMENTS

The intention of the conceptual framework is not to make the experience throughout the park too similar, it is to ensure that visitors feel that they are within the park and know when they have left it.

Our biodiversity strategy builds upon the existing ecological diversity of the park and proposes an overlay management system to increase connectivity, protection, integration and education.

- * Redevelop and enhance gardens
- * Enhance natural wetland edge
- ↔ Enhance links to surrounding districts
- ↔ Link across railway/ Restructure entrance
- ↔ Link across road/ Restructure entrance
- Existing asphalt roads
- ▤ Proposed permeable 'ground' surface
- ▤ Existing permeable 'ground' surface
- Redevelop and restructure southern section
- Proposed cultural destination with viewing tower
- Proposed amphitheatre and stage
- Forest
- Forest glades
- Reconfigure routes
- Existing water bodies
- Proposed water bodies



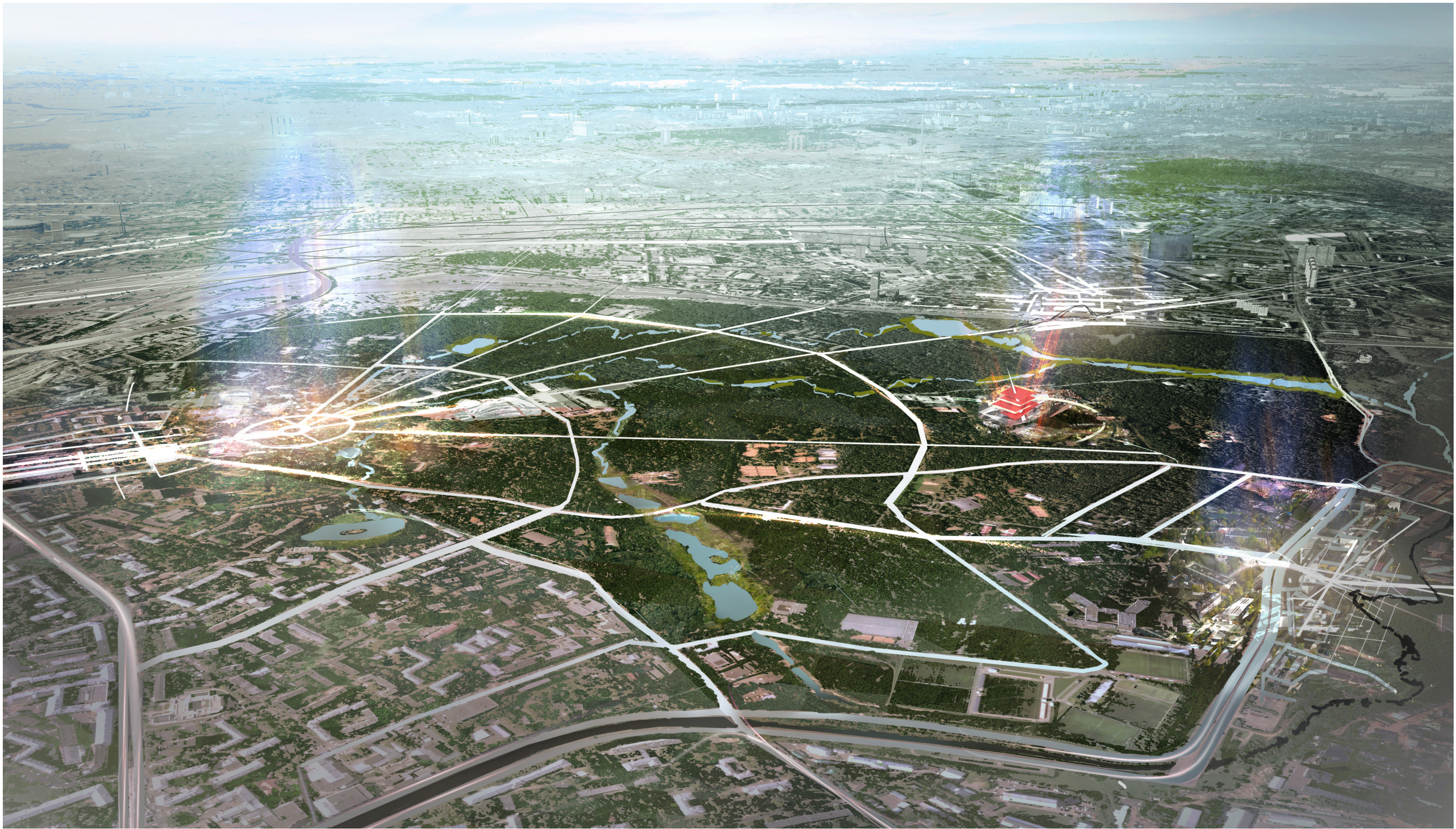
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