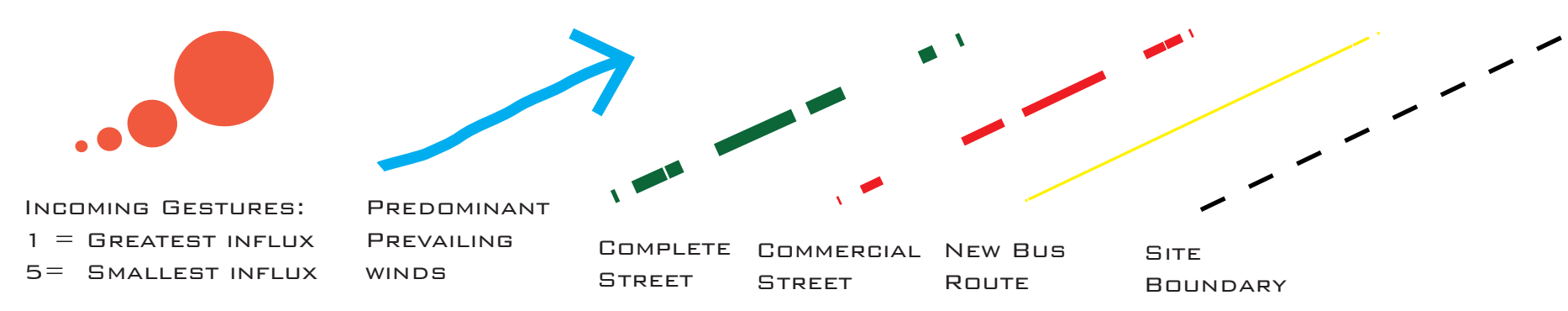
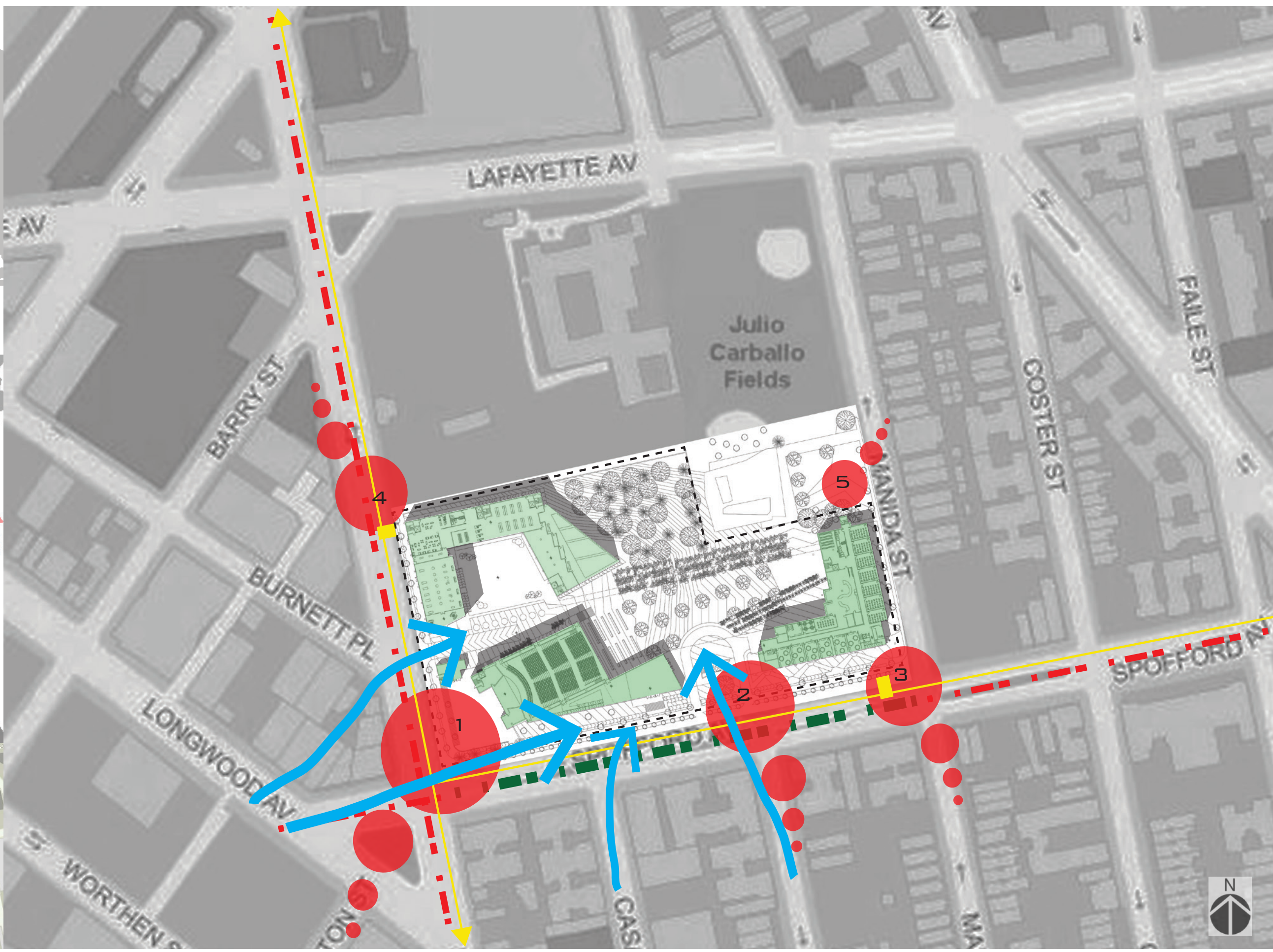
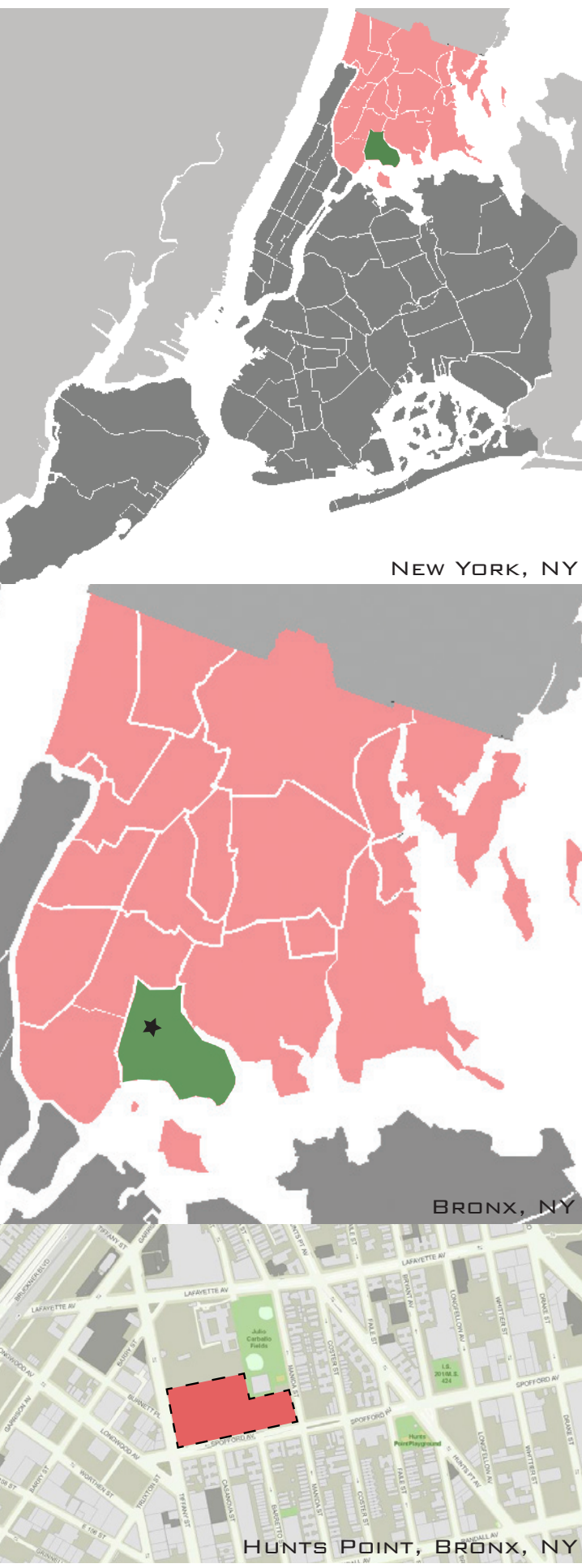


Biophilic BRONX



CREATING AN URBAN COMPLEX TRANSFORMS THE SOUTH BRONX NEIGHBORHOOD FROM AN INDUSTRIAL WORN DOWN SECTION OF ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST PROSPEROUS CITIES. A BOROUGH THAT IS KNOWN INTERNATIONALLY FOR ITS FOOD DISTRIBUTION CENTER WITH HUGE AMOUNTS OF EXPORT, BUT BETTER FOR THE NOTORIOUS CRIME AND POVERTY.

A PLACE ONCE CONSIDERED THE UPSCALE RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT IN THE EARLY 20TH CENTURY, IS NOW A MELTING POT WAITING FOR RENOVATION AND PERSPECTIVE BUSINESS.

ONE CITY BLOCK WILL PROPOSE HOW A MODERN METROPOLIS CAN DIVERSIFY WITHOUT GROWING VERTICALLY, BUT RATHER ENGAGING WITH ITS CONTEXT AND INVITING ITS INHABITANTS TO TAKE CONTROL, CELEBRATE AND MULTIPLY THIS BIOPHILIC ARCHITECTURE, WHICH WILL ENRICH SOCIETY AND PROVIDE MULTISENSORY ENVIRONMENTS THAT WILL CONNECT TO NEW YORK CITY, AND AROUND THE WORLD.



THE INTENT OF CREATING A MAJOR MULTI-COMPLEX SYSTEM IS TO DEMONSTRATE HOW MANY DIFFERENT PROGRAMS CAN FUNCTION WITHIN ONE CONSTRUCT, WHILE ACHIEVING PRIVACY, INTERACTION, ACCESSIBILITY, AND SAFETY ON A HUMAN SCALE, AND CONTINUITY, LANDSCAPE, IDENTITY, AND BIOMIMICRY ON AN ARCHITECTURAL LEVEL. THIS URBAN INTEGRATION ON A UNIQUE TOPOGRAPHICAL SITE ENHANCES ITS COMPLEXITY AS A LANDMARK, WHILE MAINTAINING SIMPLICITY IN FORM FOR PERFORMANCE EFFICIENCY.

