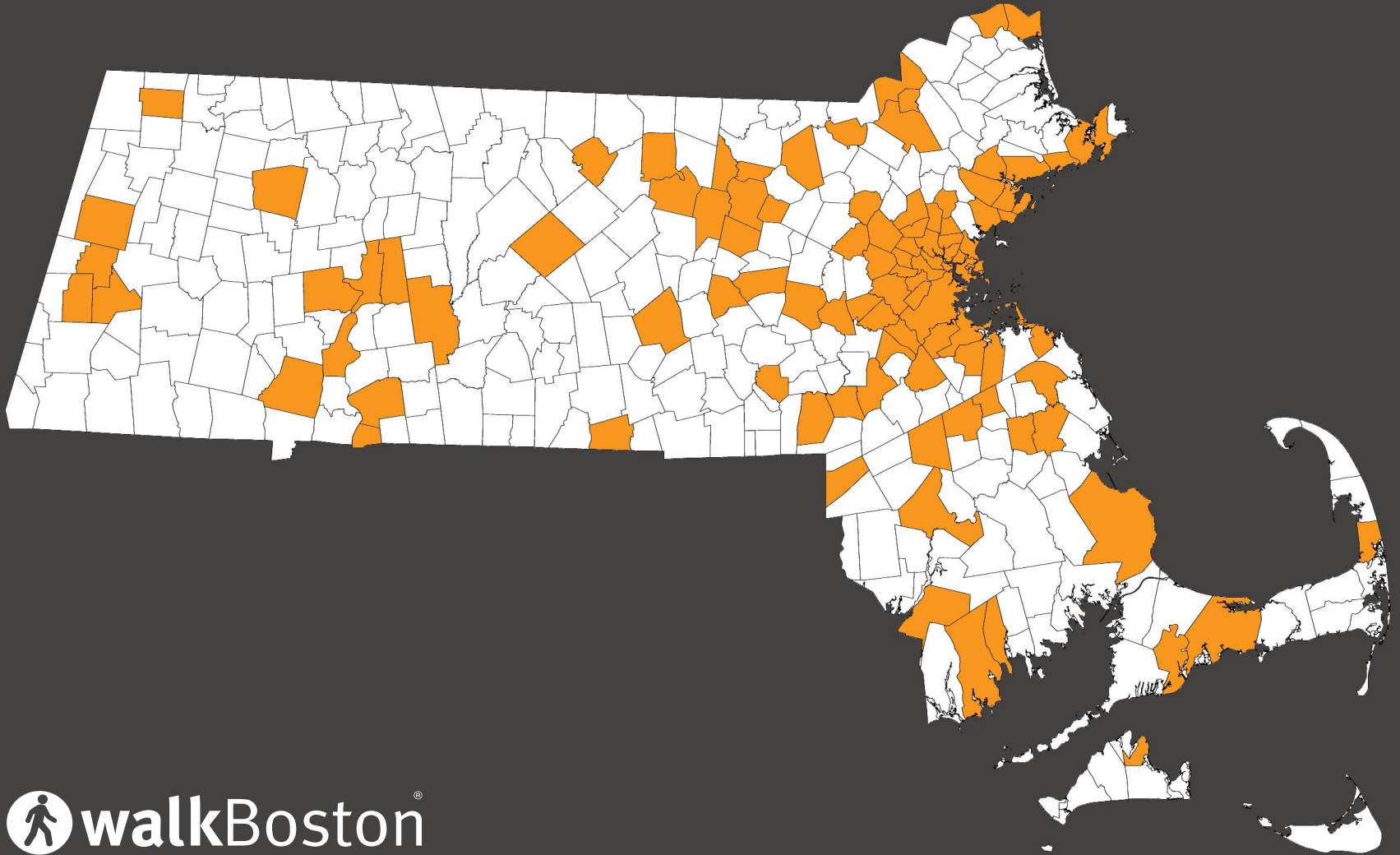


Walk to school?

But how do I get to the front door?

WalkBoston works with communities across the Commonwealth





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What is a walkable campus?

Campus core as vehicle-free as possible Reduced parking

Pathway network Adequate shade Human scale Clear wayfinding

Pedestrian movement as primary mode of transportation

Memorable Ease of access **Safe** Places to wait Consistent paving materials

Defined routes Limited vehicular through traffic Clear points of entry

Parking on the periphery **Minimize conflicts with pedestrians and vehicles**

What is a walkable campus?

A **walkable** campus considers the needs of walkers first when organizing the movement of people, bicycles, cars, and buses on the school grounds.

Walkable campus design principles

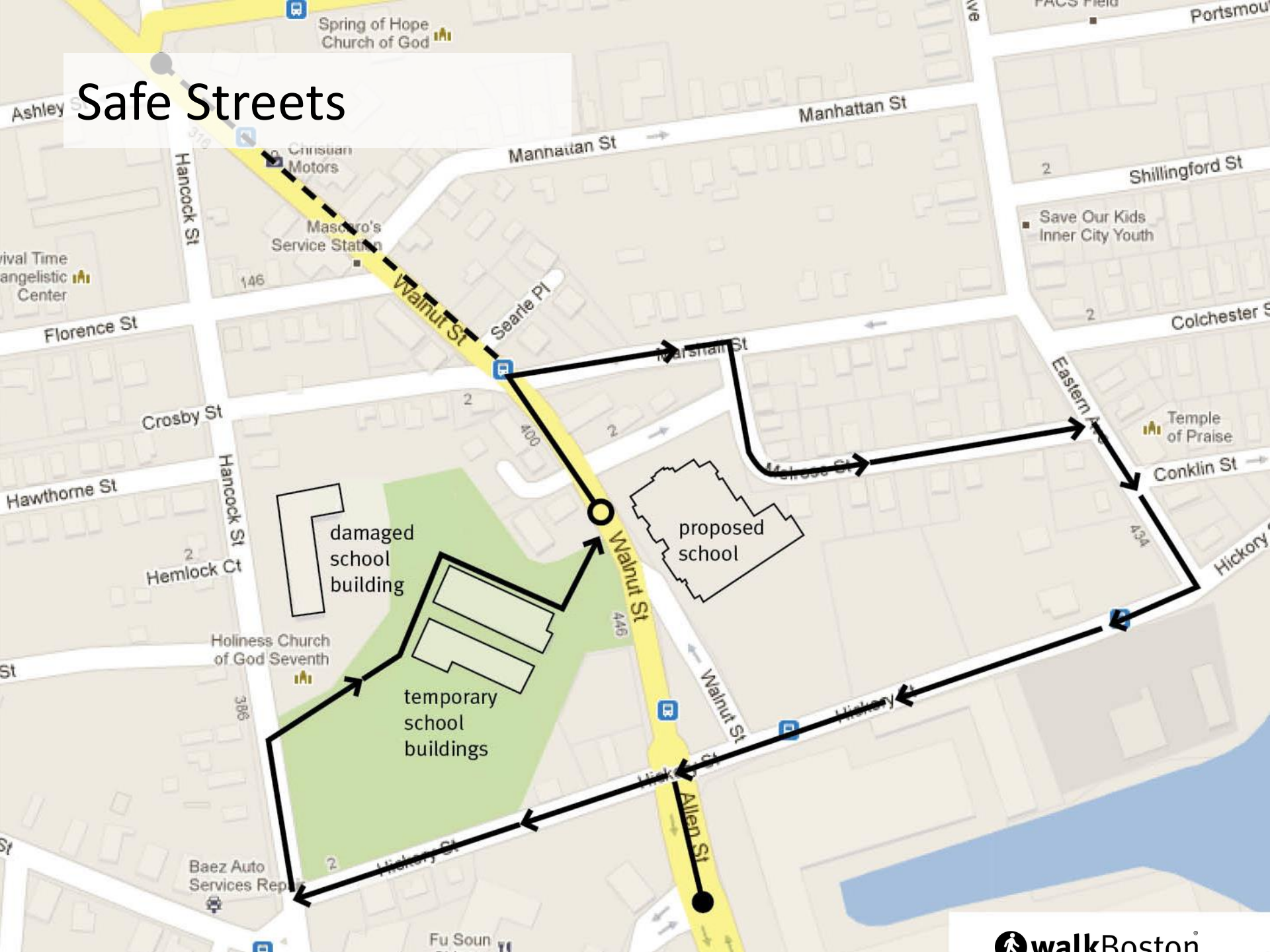
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- Safe crossings
- Safe drop-off/pick-up
- Safe parking lots
- Safe front doors
- Safe spaces

Safe Streets



Source: MA SRTS

Safe Streets



Safe Crossings



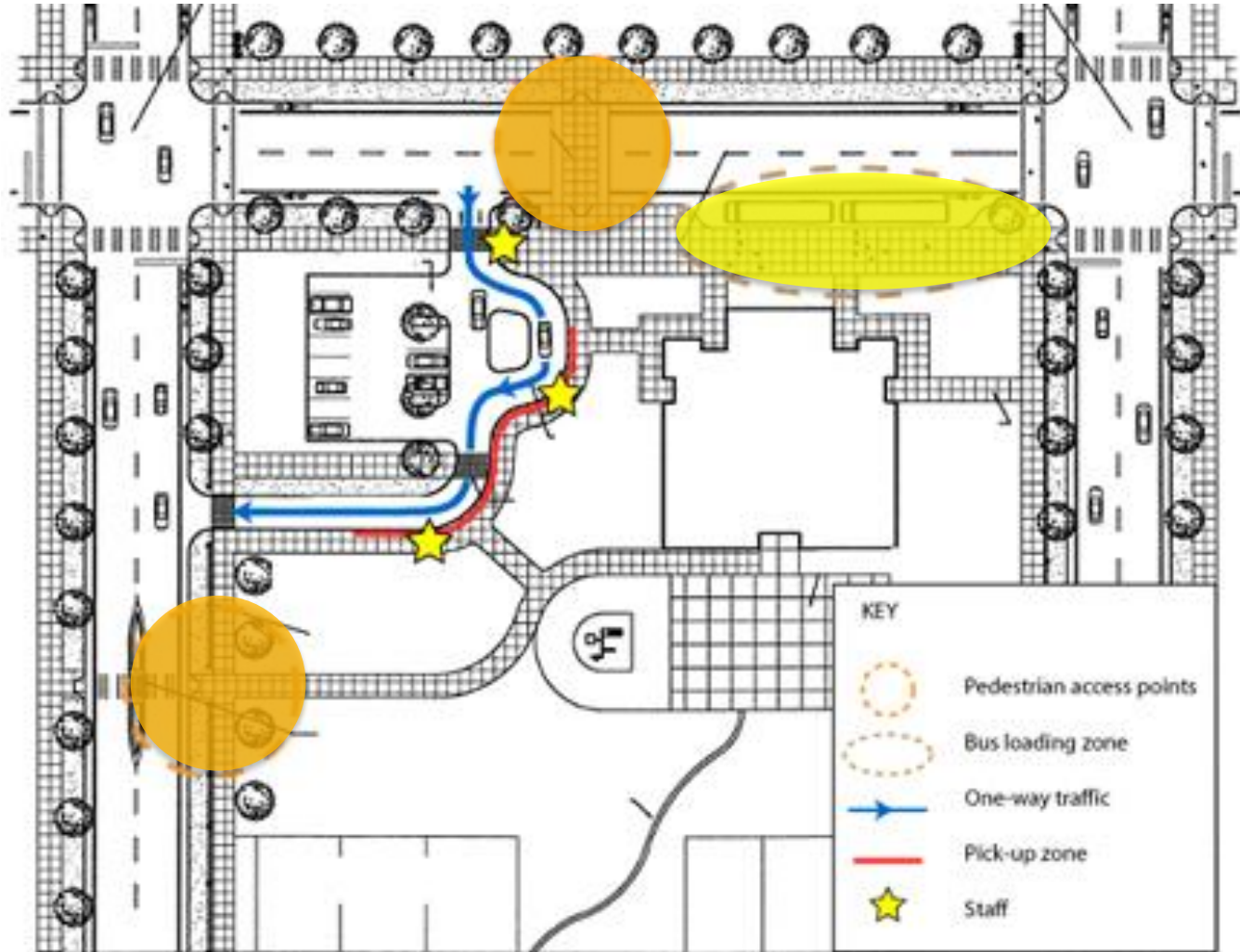
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Safe Drop-off Zones



SCHOOL

good bye honey mommy loves you forever and ever and I will never stop loving you have a good day at school and I can't wait for you to come home!

Mom, chill, you're embarrassing me. I'm fifteen!!!

Here you go. Have fun today!

But we're not there yet. I can't walk all that way!!!

See ya. Bye.

Whoa, Dad, slow down! I'm not out of the car yet!!!

Safe Car Drop-off Zones



Safe Bus Drop-off Zones



Safe Parking Lots



Source: MA SRTS

Safe Parking Lots



Safe Front Doors



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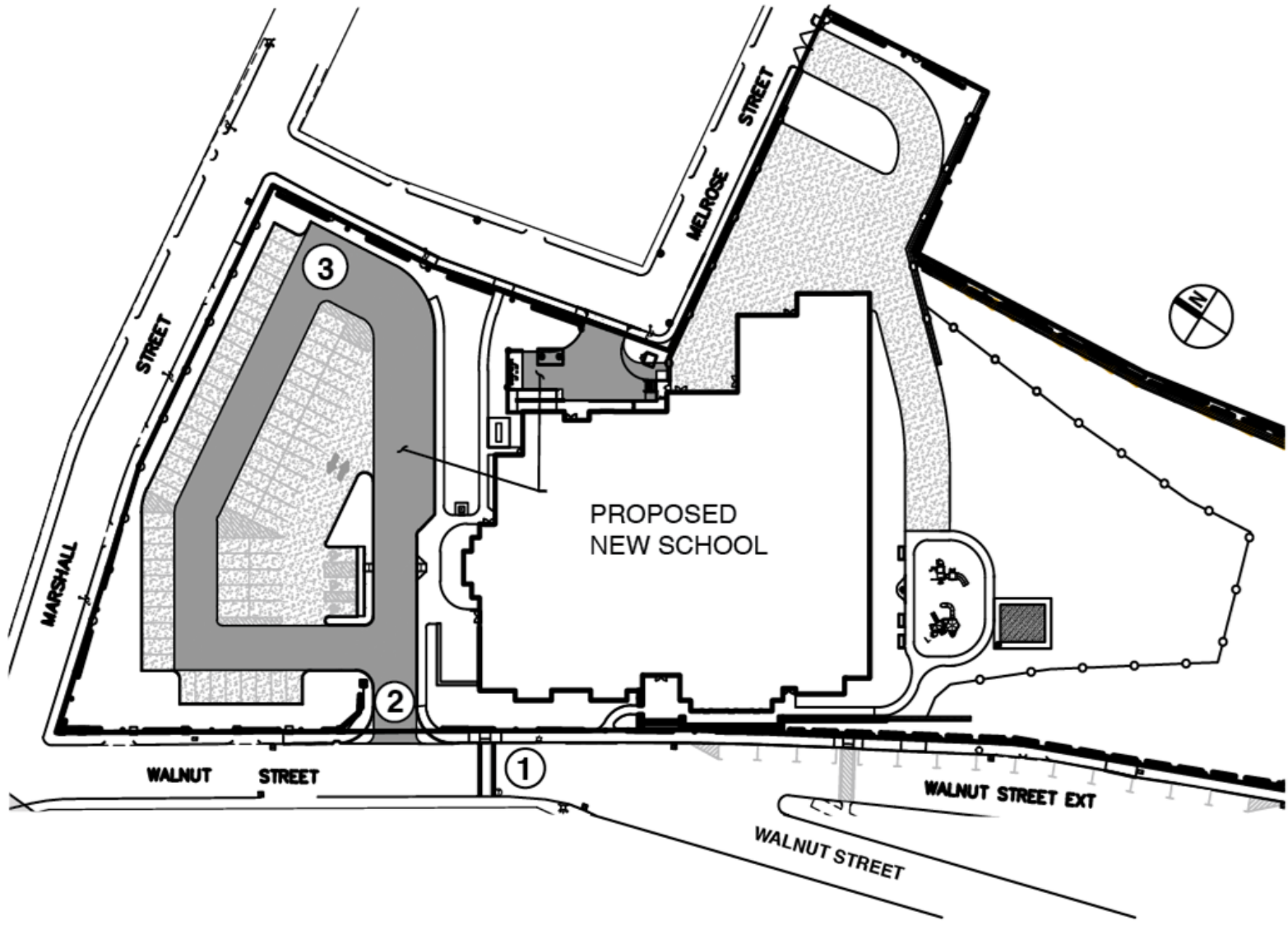
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