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DEVELOPMENT APPROVAL

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NORTH STAR BUILDING

LOT 3A-2 CNR OF KNOWLEDGE AND BONNER STREET, SOUTHPORT

LANDSCAPE DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

PREPARED FOR GOLD COAST 888 TRUST

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We acknowledge and pay respects to the Yugambeh people of the Gold Coast and all their descendants both past and present. We also acknowledge the many Aboriginal people from other regions as well as Torres Strait and South Sea Islander people who now live in the local area and have made an important contribution to the community.

THE PROJECT VISION

NORTH STAR WILL CREATE A LANDSCAPE BLENDING THE SOUTHPORT COASTLINE WITH THE SUBTROPICAL ENVIRONMENT OF THE HINTERLANDS, IN A WAY THAT IS AUTHENTIC TO PLACE AND PRECINCT.

THE DESIGN OF NORTH STAR WILL ENCOURAGE SMART LANDSCAPING RESPONSES THAT CELEBRATES THE GOLD COAST AND 'COLLABORATIVE GREEN' NARRATIVE.

LANDSCAPE DRIVERS



RESPONSIVE TO WIND AND SUN

The design will ensure plants are selected based on the micro-climatic conditions



ACCESS TO DEEP SOIL AND WATER

Planting areas will provide adequate soil depth and volumes for their function and include irrigation



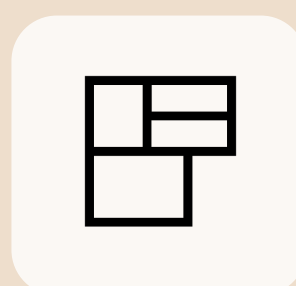
VERTICAL GREEN

The built form will include planting at various levels and blank walls will include climbers



DENSELY PLANTED EDGES

All site boundaries will be densely planted to create soft edges to neighbouring properties and the street



A SERIES OF LIVING SPACES

The landscape will create a series of functional outdoor spaces that include a combination of private and communal zones



GREEN LIVING WITH LANDSCAPE VIEWS

The site layout will maximise landscape zones to create a strong connection with the landscape - both internally and externally

SITE CONTEXT

North Star is located between the corner of Knowledge and Bonner Street. North Star adjoins the envisaged 'Collaboration Green' Precinct, acting as a gateway to the Gold Coast Health and Knowledge Precinct. The site sits adjacent the Griffith University Gold Coast Campus, and nearby Hospitals.



Subject Site

SITE ANALYSIS

LEGEND

- Collabrative Green
- Griffith University
- Southport Reserve
- Gold Coast Private Hospital



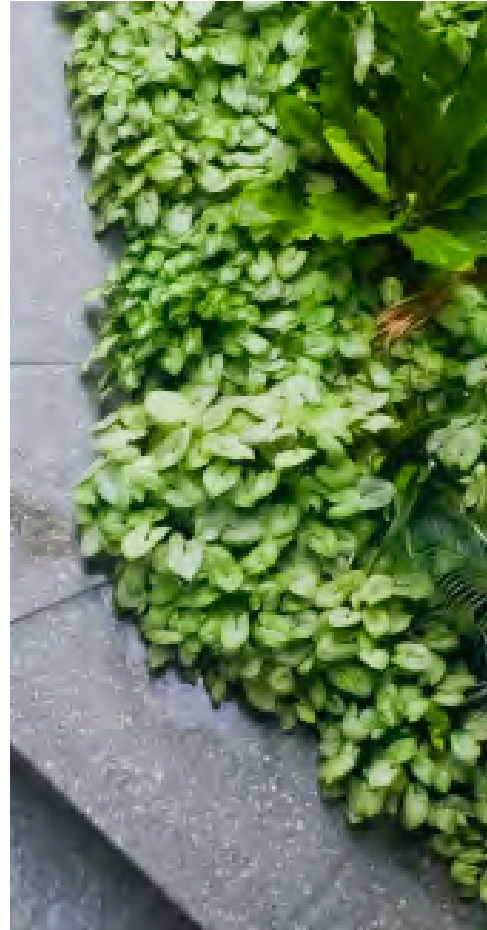
LANDSCAPE

INTENT

CHARACTER IMAGERY



PLANTING IMAGERY



PLANS & SECTIONS

GROUND FLOOR

LEGEND

Building entrance	01
Proposed service easement	02
Planting to street front	03
Facade planting	04
Seat	05
Planting facing Collective Green	06
Street trees	07
Collective Green (Design by Others)	08

TOTAL GROUND FLOOR SITE AREA:2,554m²

TOTAL DEEP PLANTING ON GROUND FLOOR120m²

TOTAL DEEP PLANTING TO SITE AREA RATIO ACHIEVED: 4.7%



LEVEL ONE

LEGEND

Carpark entrance	01
Proposed service easement	02
Ramp access to level 2 carpark	03
Facade Planter with Vertical Trellis	04
Loading bay	05



LEVEL TWO

LEGEND

Ramp access	01
Facade planting	02
Facade Planter with Vertical Trellis	03



LEVEL THREE

LEGEND

Ramp access	01
Facade Planter with Vertical Trellis	02



LEVEL FOUR

LEGEND

Facade planting	01
Outdoor terrace	02
Feature tree	03
Raised planter beds on podium	04
Planter flush with podium floor	05



LEVEL FIVE

LEGEND

Feature tree (from level 4)	01
Facade planting	02

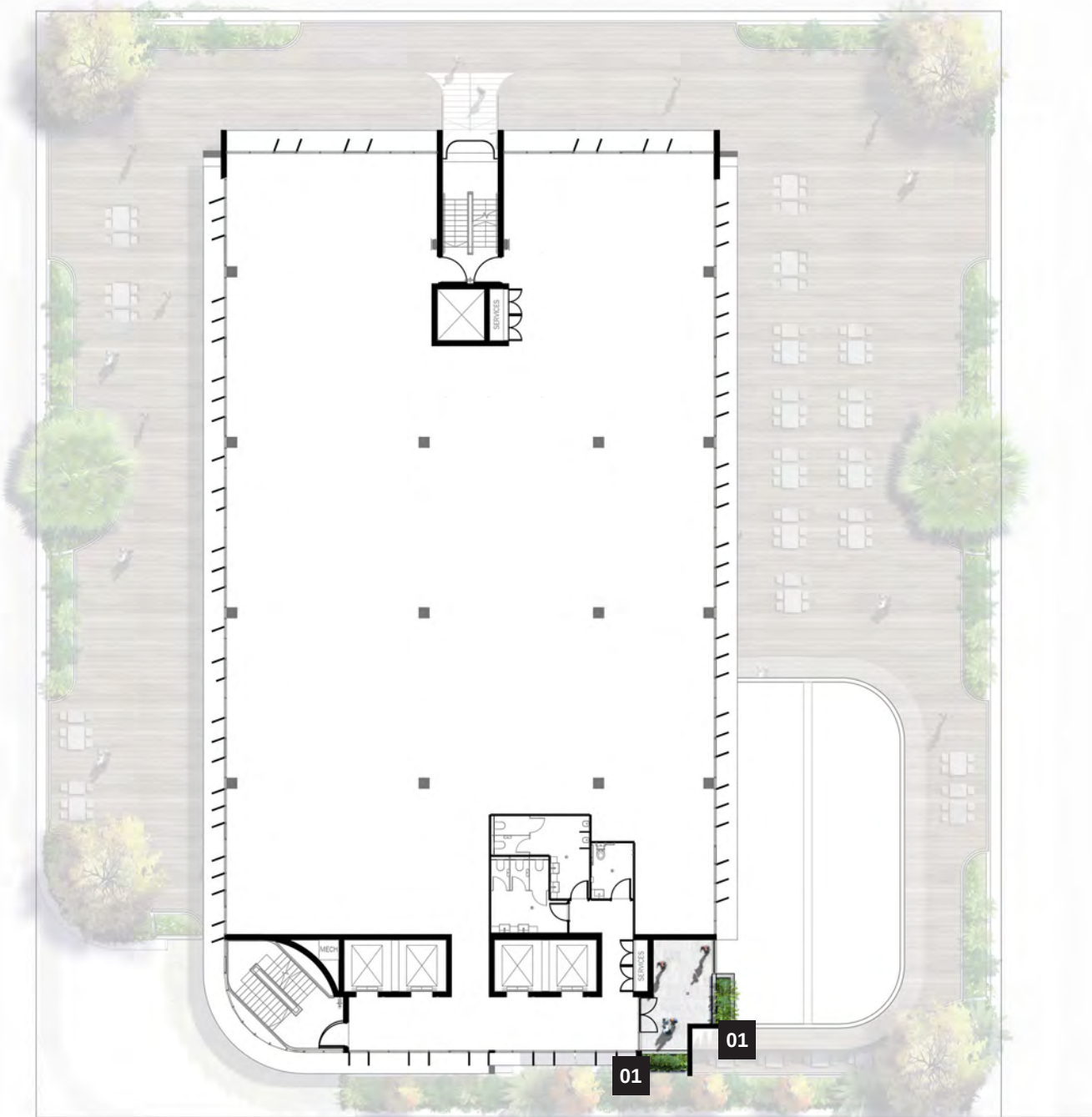


LEVEL SIX

LEGEND

Facade planting

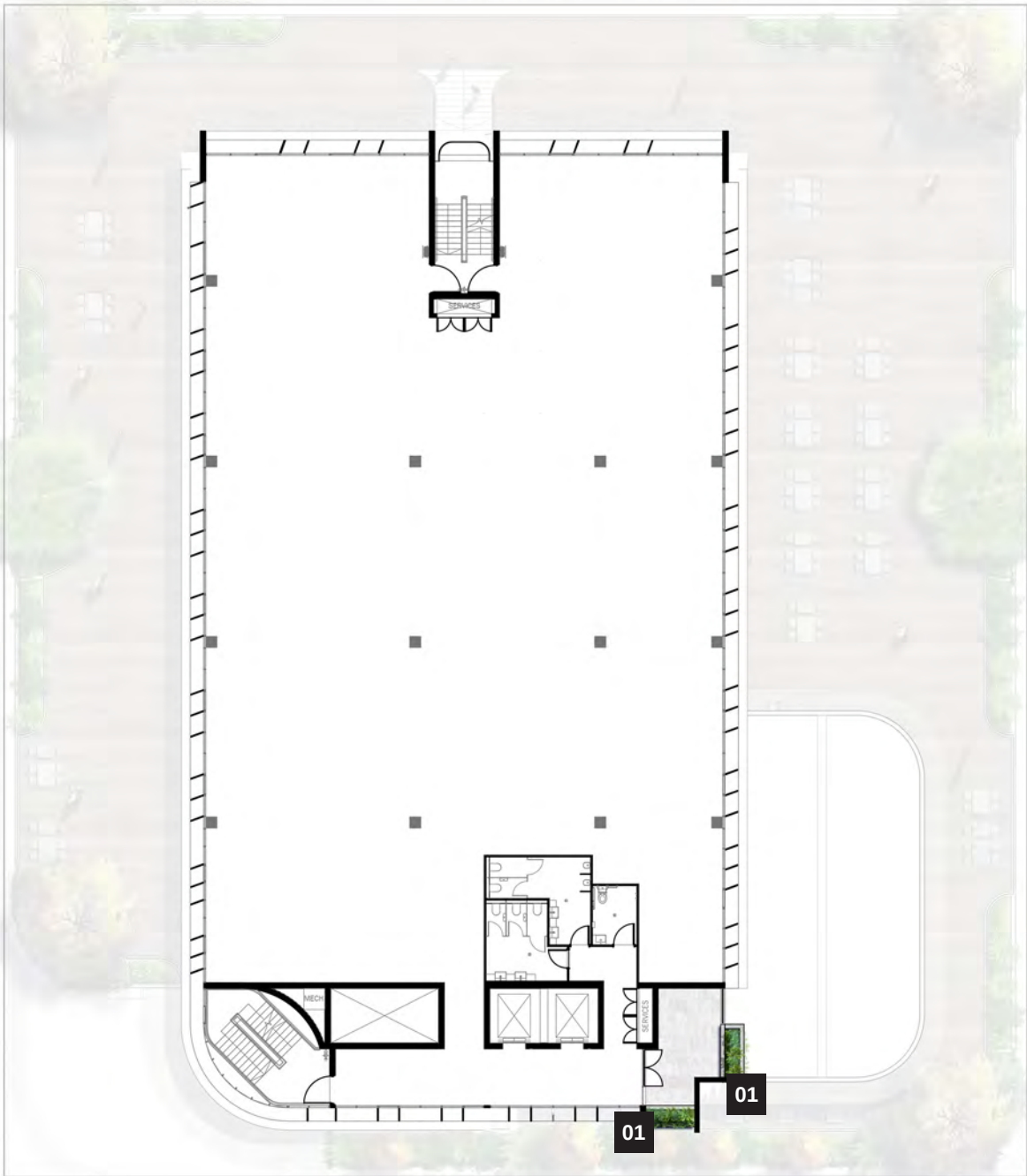
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LEVEL SEVEN

LEGEND

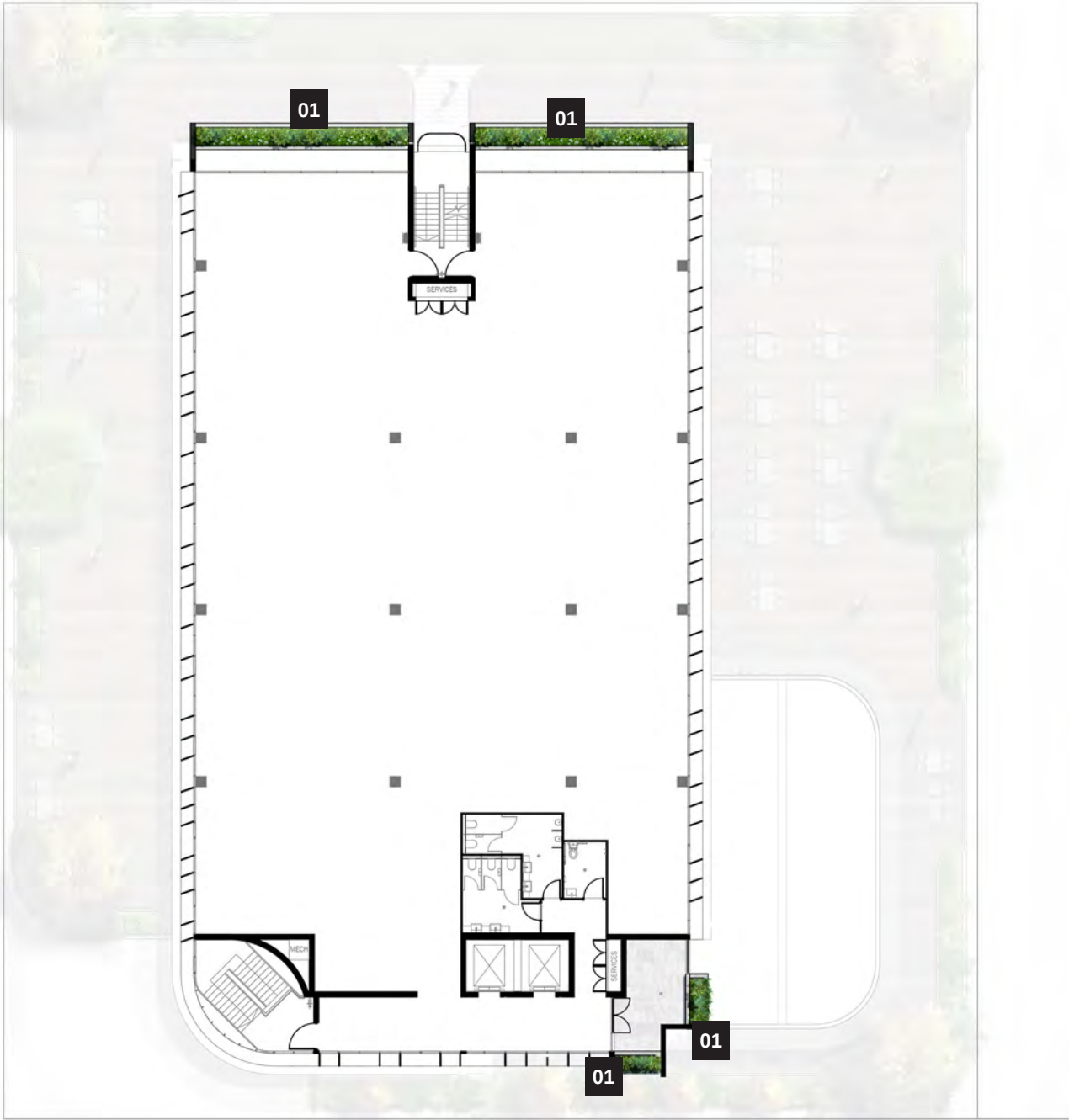
Facade planting 01



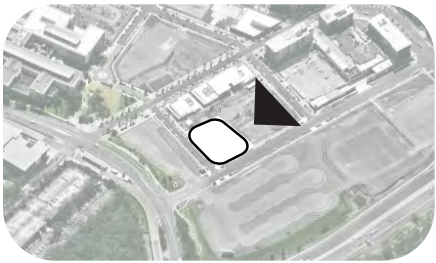
LEVEL EIGHT-NINE

LEGEND

Facade planting 01



ELEVATIONS

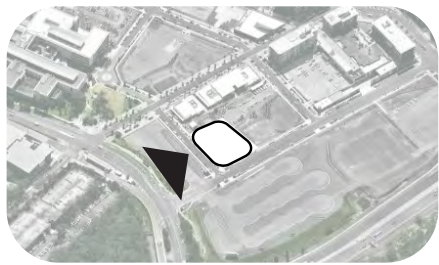


COLLABORATIVE GREEN SPINE ELEVATION

LEGEND

Facade planting	01
Feature tree	02
Building entrance	03
Podium courtyard	04
Collective Green landscaping	05



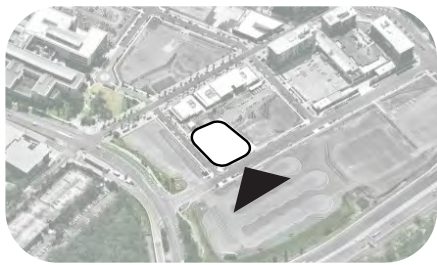


BONNER STREET ELEVATION

LEGEND

Facade planting	01
Feature tree	02
Building entrance	03
Podium courtyard	04
Planting to street interface	05





KNOWLEDGE STREET ELEVATION

LEGEND

Facade planting	01
Feature tree	02
Building entrance	03
Podium courtyard	04
Entry planters	05



DETAILS

PLANTING PALETTE

The planting palette is made up predominantly of species native to the gold coast region as defined by CoGC.

The aim of the planting design is to create sustainable garden spaces that do not require constant resources to stay alive due to their ability to adapt to the coastal conditions.

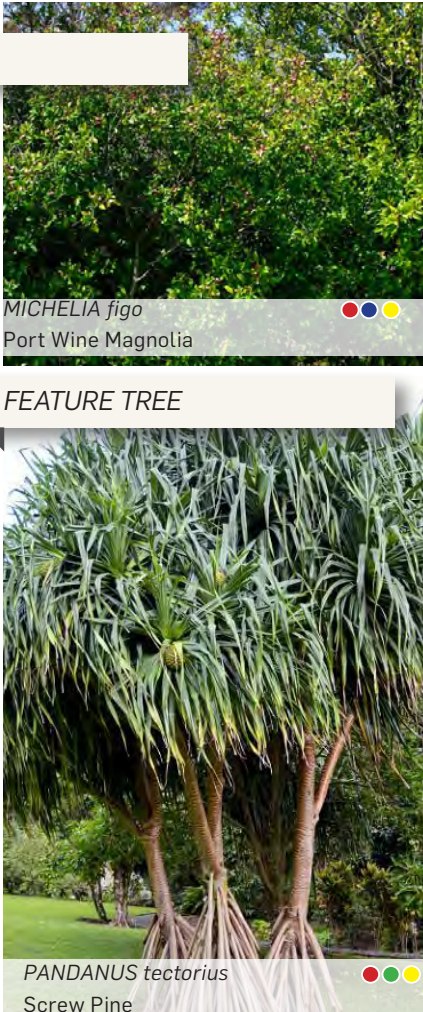
This native palette will ensure that the project has a positive impact on the local ecology with many of the plants attracting birds, native bees (non-stinging) and butterfly's.

REAR BUFFER



STRELITZIA reginae
Giant Bird of Paradise

FEATURE TREE



PANDANUS tectorius
Screw Pine

SMALL NATIVE TREE

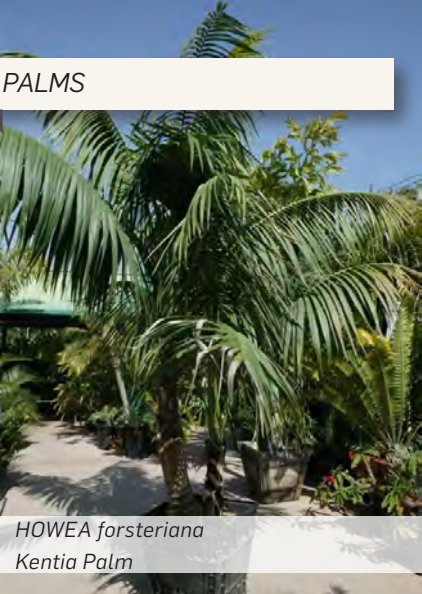


RANDIA fitzalanii
Native gardenia



BANKSIA spinulosa
Hairpin banksia

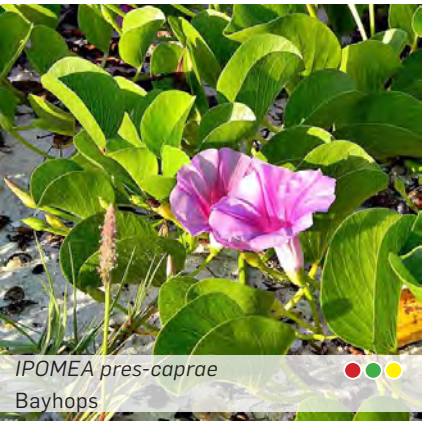
PALMS



HOWEA forsteriana
Kentia Palm



LIVISTONA australis
Cabbage Palm



IPOMEA pes-caprae
Bayhops



GAZANIA rigens 'silver'
Bayhops

SUN ●

SHADE ●

NATIVE TO GC ●

DROUGHT TOLERANT ●

GREEN ROOF/FACADE PLANTER ●



WESTRINGIA fruticosa
Coastal rosemary



LOMANDRA longifolia
Mat Rush



DORYANTHES excelsa
Gynea Lily



CARPOBROTUS glaucescens
Pigface



FICUS pumila
Creeping fig



ALOCASIA macrorrhiza
Elephant's ear



CASUARINA glauca
Cousin it



MYOPORUM parvifolium
Creeping boobialla



VIOLA hederaceae
Native violet



DOCHONDRA
Silver Falls



DENSE MAT REDUCING WEEDS

PLANTING STRATEGY AND SOIL DEPTHS

In order to achieve the optimal plant growth, the planting areas have been laid out in contiguous areas to maximise soil volume. Additional depth in the soil has also been included along boundaries to provide greater growth performance for screening.

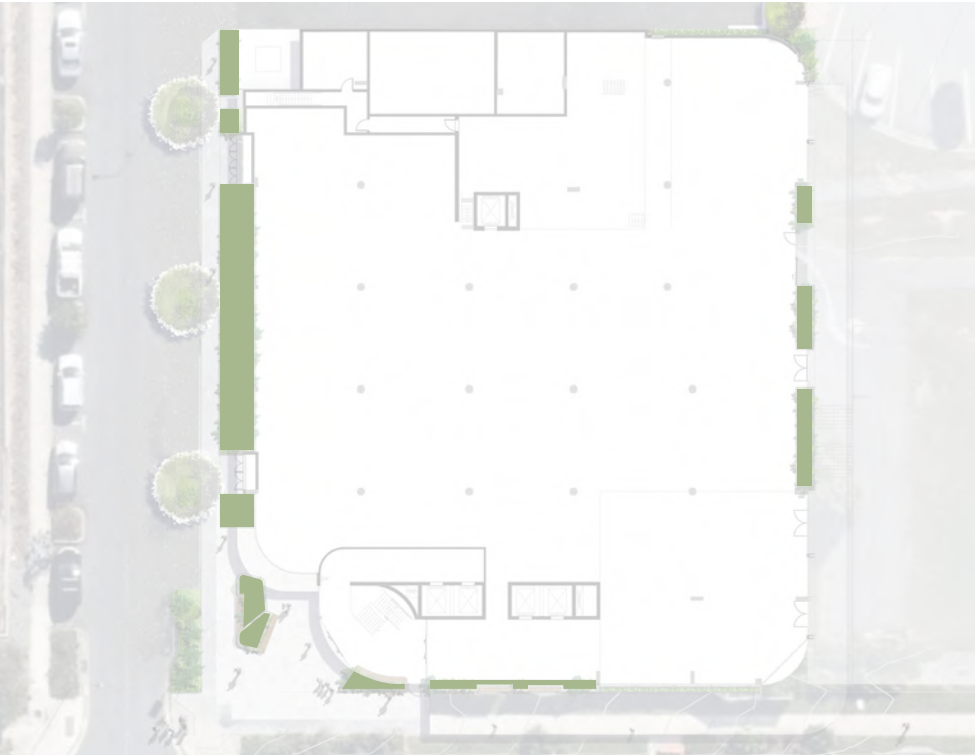
In order to allow for safe maintenance of the facade landscape and accessibility of planting areas within POS, a harness system from the roof with safety anchors will be provided. This will also provide secondary access into other containerized planting areas and deep planting areas within private areas when direct access can not be achieved. This will allow for routine maintenance to occur across all planting areas. A maintenance program and schedule will be devised by a landscape contractor as part of the building maintenance under the body corporate that will ensure on-going successful growth of the planting.



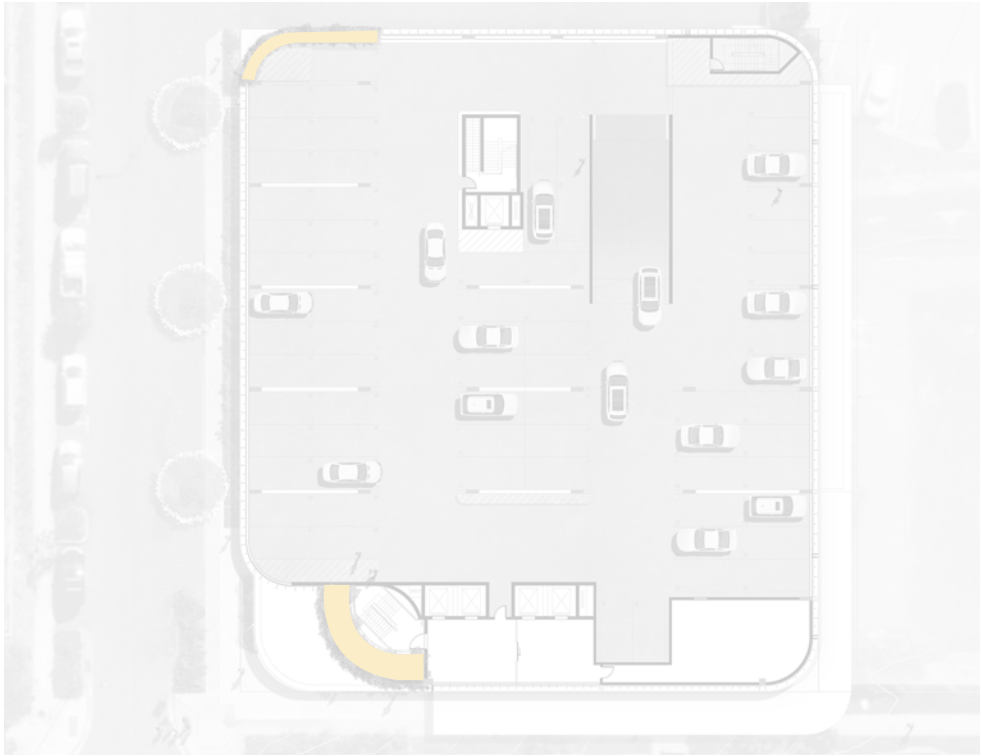
LEVEL 01

LEGEND

600mm	
Inground	

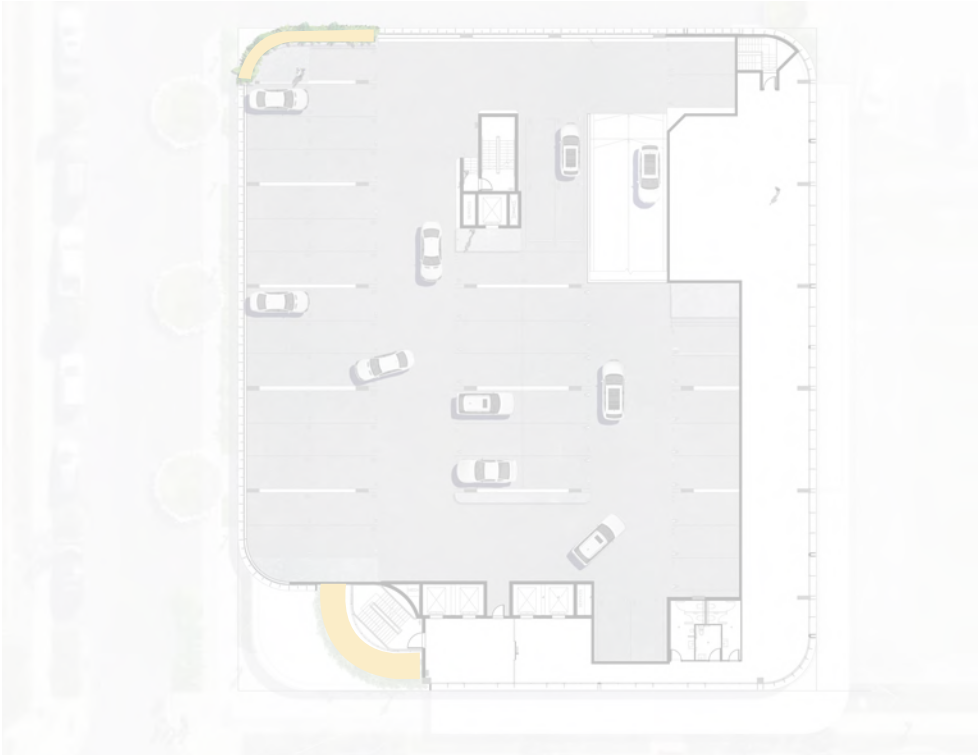


LEVEL GROUND



LEVEL 02

PLANTING STRATEGY AND SOIL DEPTHS



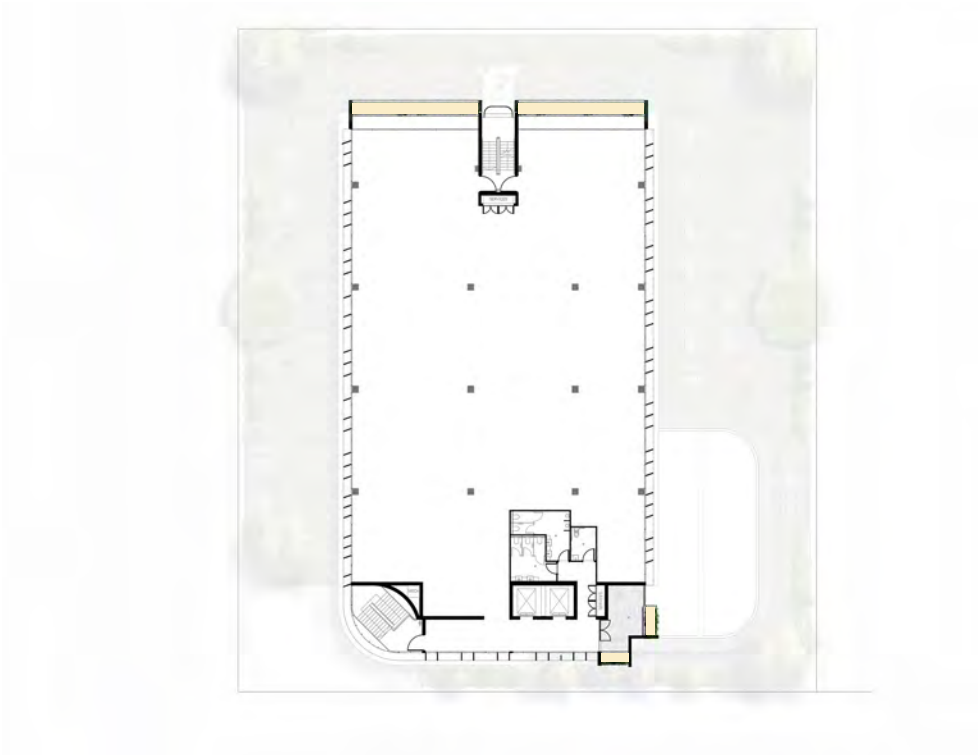
LEVEL 03



LEVEL 04



LEVEL 05-07



LEVEL 8

LEGEND

600mm



1200mm

