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Life Science CRE Market Update
+
Discussion About the Return to Work

Lab Space Development in San Diego



- San Diego is the third-largest biotech market in the US
- \$2.5B in sales volume for life science properties in 2021 (\$1B in 2020, +70% from 2019)
- ~4% CAP rates, ~\$470 PSF
- Top buyers in past 3 years:
 - ARE = \$1.1B
 - Harrison Street/Sterling Bay = \$750M
 - Longfellow = \$720M

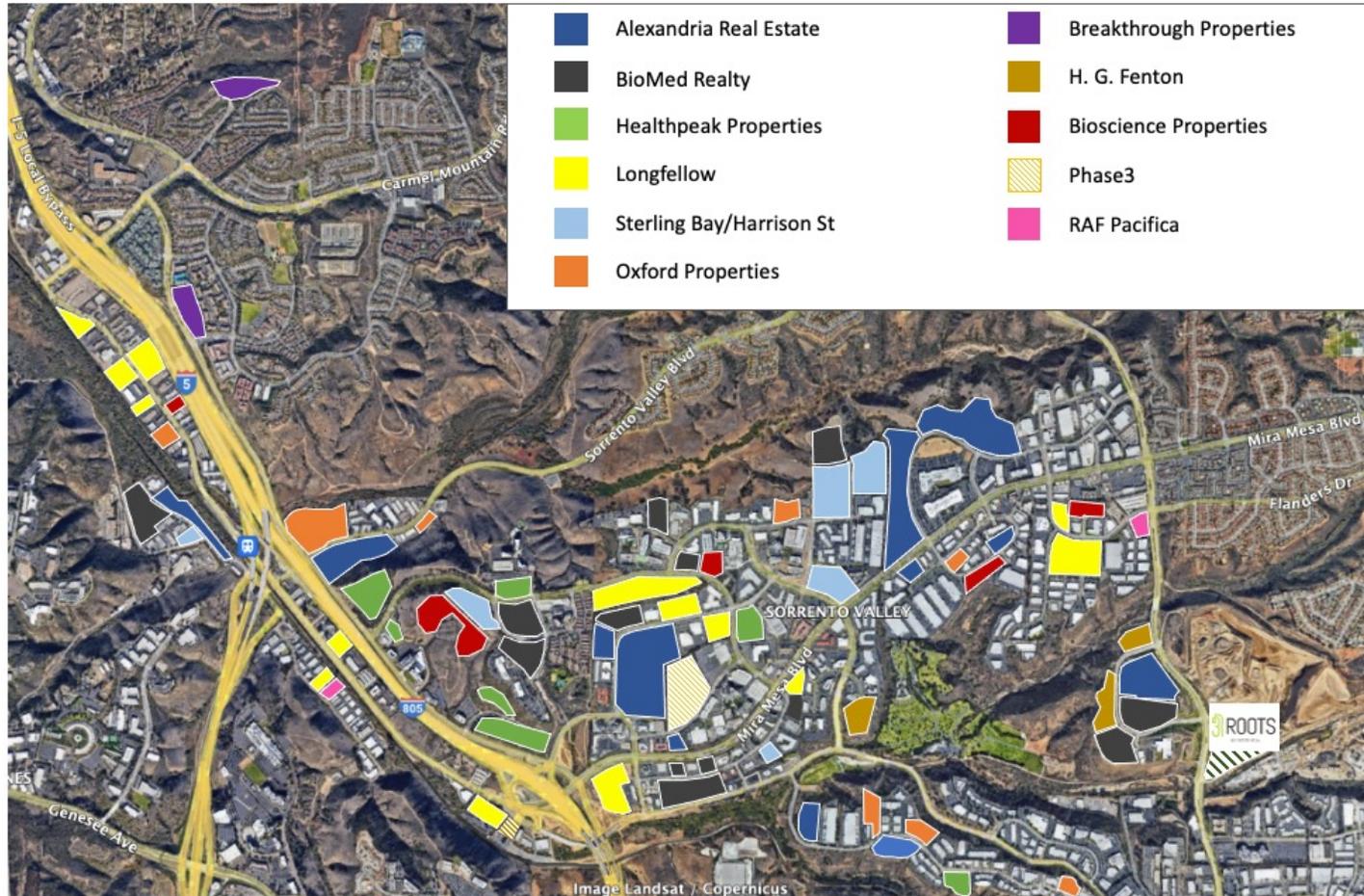
Life Science Project Growth

2020 Sorrento Mesa Overview



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2022 Sorrento Mesa Overview



Market Data



San Diego Life Sciences Submarkets					
	Sorrento Mesa	Sorrento Valley	Torrey Pines	UTC	Total/Average
Existing Inventory	6,756,665	1,522,789	5,754,066	4,022,468	18,055,988
Inventory Under Conversion	2,752,692	207,949	309,094	999,861	4,269,596
Direct Vacant Available¹	2.4%	0.3%	1.4%	2.7%	2.0%
Sublease Vacant Available¹	3.6%	2.1%	0.5%	2.6%	2.3%
Total Vacant Available¹	6.0%	2.4%	1.9%	5.3%	4.3%
New Construction Deliveries	0	0	74,000	0	74,000
New Space Asking Rent (NNN)	\$5.75-\$6.95	\$5.75-\$6.75	\$6.75-\$7.15	\$5.95-\$6.95	\$6.11-\$7.00
4Q 2022 Net Absorption	(33,837)	59,485	57,627	(79,961)	3,314
2022 Year End Net Absorption	261,868	158,004	317,515	(72,132)	665,255

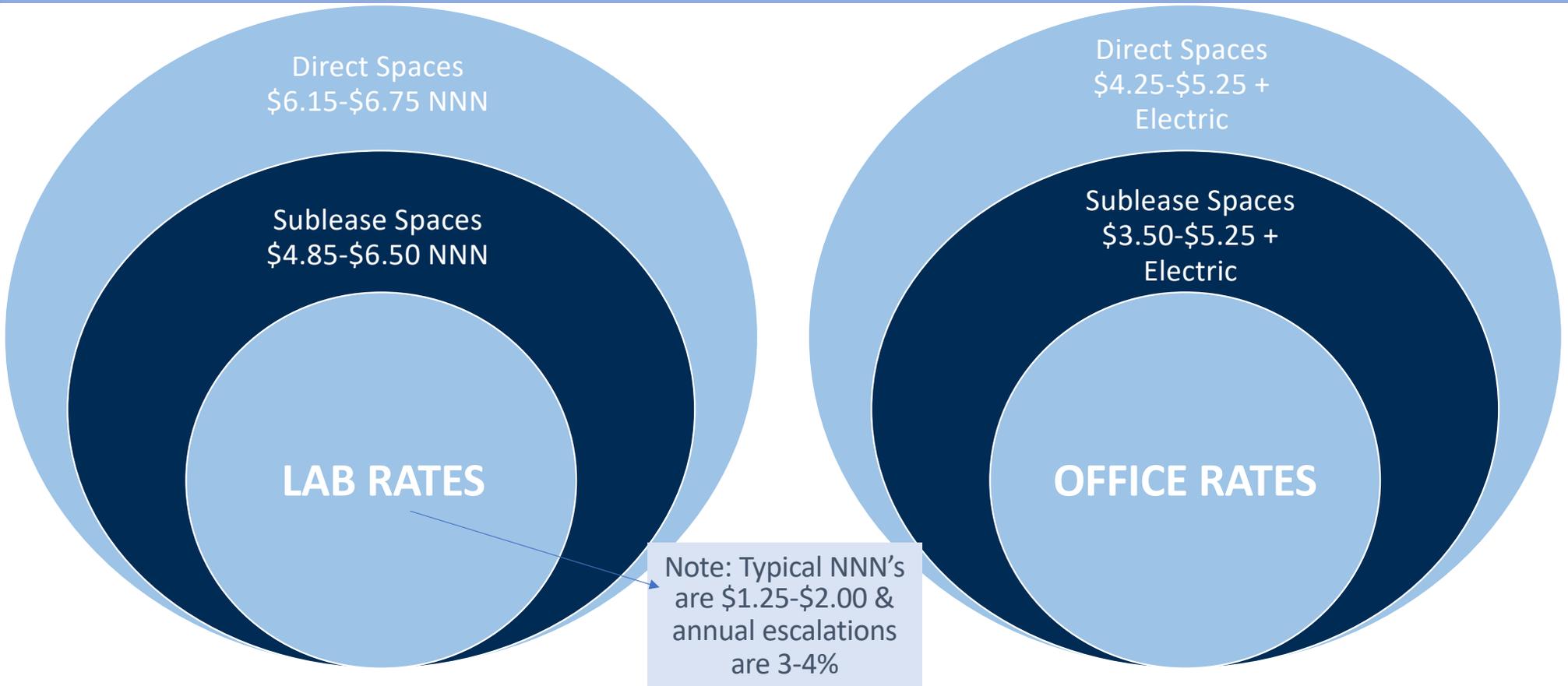
¹ Vacant Available excludes space that is being converted or is not actively being marketed

Market Data – Life Science Availability



Life Science Availability Summary (Q4 2022)		
	Sorrento Mesa	Sorrento Valley
Total RBA	6,656,871	1,437,248
Direct Vacant (SQF)	349,232	12,681
Direct Vacant (%)	5.20%	0.90%
Sublease Vacant (SQF)	198,869	68,315
Total Vacant (SQF)	543,101	80,996
Overall Vacant (%)	8.20%	5.60%
Direct Available (SQF)	486,467	112,729
Sublease Available (SQF)	245,424	86,447
Total Available (SQF)	731,891	199,176
Total Available (%)	11.00%	13.90%
Average Asking Lease Rate (NNN)	\$6.54	\$5.82
Under Construction (SQF)	986,105	0
Percent Committed (LOI/Lease)	17%	N/A
Direct Leasing Activity Q4 2022	32,926	10,842
Net Absorption (Q4 2022)	-145,118	-32,864
Leasing Activity (YTD)	521,884	159,694
Net Absorption (YTD)	258,264	-17,463

Rates for Lab & Office



Estimated Lab TI from Shell Condition = \$150-\$225 per SF

Estimated Office TI from Shell Condition = \$75-\$95 per SF

Plan Accordingly



It used to take 8-10 weeks to get a new building permit for office/lab tenant improvements in San Diego.

Now it takes 29-30 weeks.

Sources:
Space Matters (Sandra Clark)
City of San Diego Development Services (<https://www.sandiego.gov/development-services/permits/timeline>)

What do Employees Care About?

Professional
Development

Fairness
&
Equality

Well-Being &
Mental
Health

Flexibility

Culture

What do Employees Care About? Professional Development

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94%

Percentage of Employees that would stay at a company that invests in their careers.



- **Training & Education**
- **Reevaluate the Metrics for Advancement**
 - Value output/task completion over presence
 - There is a bias with work assignments and promotions.
- **Take Steps to Ensure Access to Managers**
 - Remote “open door” policies
 - Create opportunities to interact (in-person days = collaborative)
- **Share the Information – Who is Doing What?**

- **Do Not Give Managers Too Much Discretion**
- **Create a Policy-Based Approach for Consistency**
 - Example: 3 Days a Week
 - Extreme Example: No More, No Less
- **Make Decisions Based on Departments with Similar Functions**

The conversation around fairness & equality is not centered around what you would likely expect (gender, race, etc.). Instead, it is about employees with similar job functions wanting to be treated the same.

658%

Percentage increase in CEOs talking about the issue in S&P 500 earnings calls since 2018.

What do Employees Care About? Flexibility

2.6x

EMPLOYEES ARE 2.6 TIMES
HAPPIER IF THEY HAVE
FLEXIBILITY

+343%

PER LINKEDIN, THIS IS THE
PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN
WHICH JOB POSTS MENTION
FLEXIBILITY AS A BENEFIT
SINCE 2019.

- **Goal: Flexibility within a Framework**
- **Goal: Readjust Productivity Metrics to Focus on Measuring Outcomes & Tasks Completed vs. hours of face time.**

What do Employees Care About? Well-Being & Mental Health

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- Benefits & Amenities
- Help Employees Set Boundaries – avoid blurring the line
- Use Technology to Block Time (remote “closed door” for focused work or for breaks)

63%

Percentage of professionals that select work-life balance as a primary priority when picking a new job.

What do Employees Care About? Culture

- Create Community – events, meetings, opportunities for creative collisions
- Ensure a Critical Mass
- Use Office Time for Collaboration (in-person meetings, whiteboarding, one-on-one's, etc.).

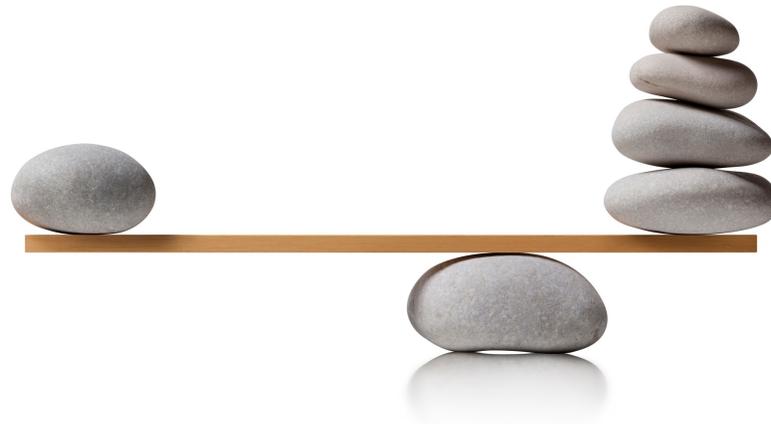


60%

Percentage of employees working from home who say they feel less connected to their coworkers.

What Do I Do With That Information? Ask Questions.

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Where Does
Your Team
Live?

What is the
Average
Tenure &
Level of Each
Employee?

Can the Job
be
Performed
Well at
Home?

What is the
Average Age
of Your
Team?

OFFICE WORKERS PREFER A HYBRID MODEL



Preferred Number of Days:

2-3 (Employees)

3-4 (Employers)

Preferred Day:

Tuesday

In-Person Days

People need to feel like it is worth their time to come into the office. Companies need to make it collaborative, interactive and provide opportunities to socialize, network and conduct in-person meetings that would otherwise be held on Zoom/Teams/etc.

Remote Days (Full-Time or via Hybrid Schedule)

Companies need to work with employees to set boundaries so that they have a separation between home/work life. Managers need to block out time (a virtual "open door" policy) for people to ask questions or connect. In order to encourage retention, promote professional development & preserve company culture, companies need to create virtual and in-person opportunities for learning and to connect.

How Do We Make This Work?

In-Office Days

Require people come in on consistent days to achieve a critical mass of people

Consider which departments collaborate and require that those departments are in-person on at least one day together.

Ensure managers are onsite when their team members are to provide training, mentoring & networking opportunities.

Ask employees about what could be replicated in the office to ensure the same efficiencies when employees are working onsite (ex: dual screens).

Use the time in the office to collaborate - work that is independent and needs to be uninterrupted should be done at home.

Remote Days (Hybrid or Full-Time)

Managers should block specific windows of time on their calendars for a remote work "open door" policy so people can reach out with questions or to connect

Encourage employees to block their own schedules for breaks and also private, uninterrupted work. This replaces visual cues of doors being open/shut.

Work with managers to evaluate employees based on task completion vs. hours of face time.

Encourage employees to have hard stops at the end of the day to avoid employee burnout.

Host virtual events and training or schedule in-person meetups like team lunches or happy hours to foster a sense of belonging and culture.

Space Plays a Role in Achieving the Company's Goals

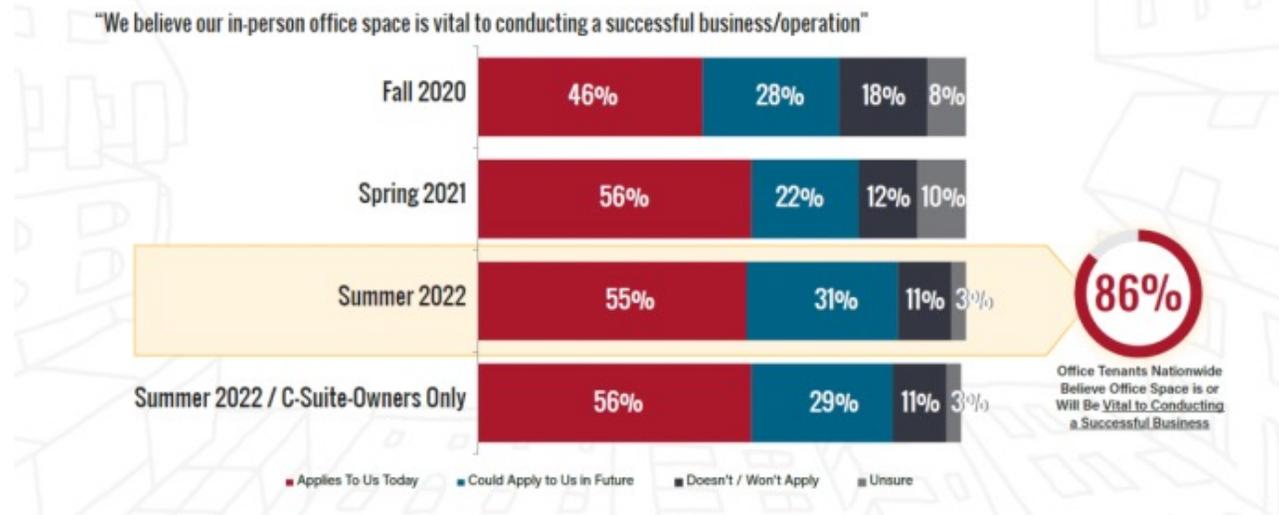


Chart courtesy of BOMA International

Companies continue to believe a physical presence is important.
Many companies are redefining their space to adjust to the post-pandemic world.

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Create Space for Group Work & Meetings

1:1

The ratio of conference seats to individual desk seats. Pre-Pandemic it was 0.27:1.

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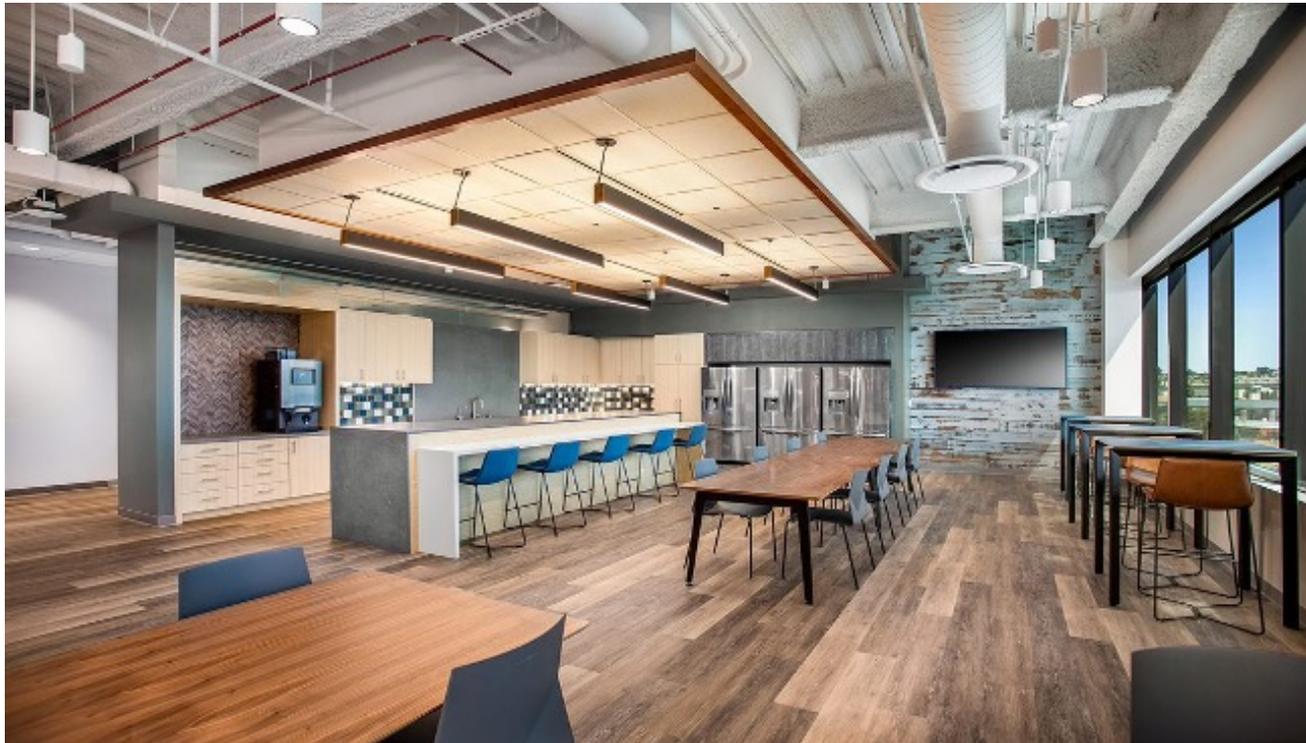
Create More Collaborative & Break Out Spaces

"[T]he typical office layout has undergone a complete turnaround from prioritizing desk allocation to focusing on spaces that enable collaboration and high-quality experiences."

Fortune Magazine

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Create Amenity-Rich Spaces for Creative Collisions & Socialization

83%

Percentage of employees willing to return to the office if their ideal experiences were met (*i.e.*, hospitality focused experiences)

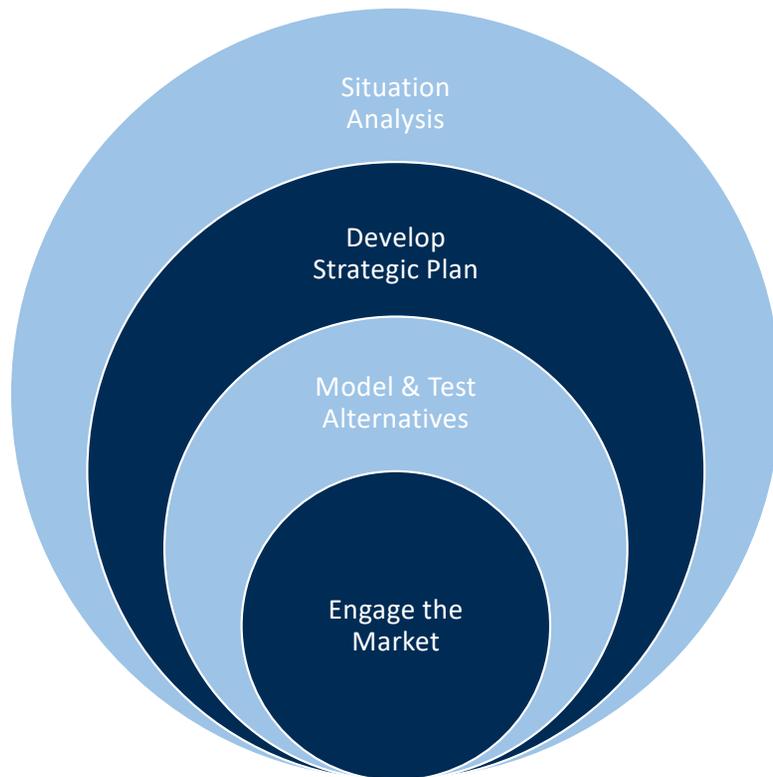
Location Matters.

Proximity to Retail
(Make the Commute
Productive)

Critical Mass of People

Amenity-Rich Campus





Think Inside the Box!

Modeling & Testing Alternatives in Advance Saves Time, Money and Maximizes Negotiating Leverage

Negotiating Leverage Declines Once You Engage the Market

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