# City of Southfield



# Small Cell Facilities Sub Areas' Design Standards and Branding Guidelines

Adopted March 22, 2021

Pursuant to the January 25, 2021 City Council adoption of Ordinance No. 1731, Small Cell Wireless Facilities, the following design guidelines address the regulation and installation of small cell wireless facilities throughout five designated districts in the City. Photo examples of the design of permitted facilities as well as color guidelines for each district are below:

#### **Southfield City Centre**

Color: Powdercoated silver

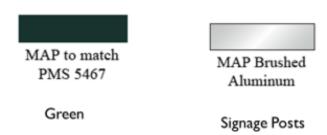
Grecian Bronze Metallic (MP20305)



The City Centre features silver powdercoated benches and trash receptacles and wayfinding signage with Grecian Bronze Metallic posts.

#### **Centrepolis**

Color: Brushed aluminum Green (PMS 5467)



Centrepolis features brushed aluminum signage posts along with shades of green on its branding and signage. The Planning Department selected the dark green shade (PMS 5467) as the primary color.

#### **Southfield DDA**

Color: Black

The Southfield DDA, from an earlier branding initiative, features black furnishings for its benches and trash receptacles, to district monuments.

#### **Southfield Historic Neighborhoods**

Color: Bosporus (SW 6503)



Two Southfield neighborhoods, Plumbrooke Estates and Northland Gardens, have been nationally recognized as historic neighborhoods (Plumbrooke Estates: November 22, 2019, Northland Gardens: January 24, 2020) due to their extensive Midcentury Modern Architecture. Recent signage features the unique color "Bosporus" (SW 6503).

#### **Southfield Historic Districts**

Color: Black

To date, the City of Southfield has recognized four local historic districts: The Burgh, the Southfield Log Cabin, Southfield Transit Center, and the McDonnell House. The Planning Department recommends a black accent for these districts.

The Intent of these guidelines is to prevent undesirable design and placement of small cell facilities.



Example large cell wireless facilities - Undesirable



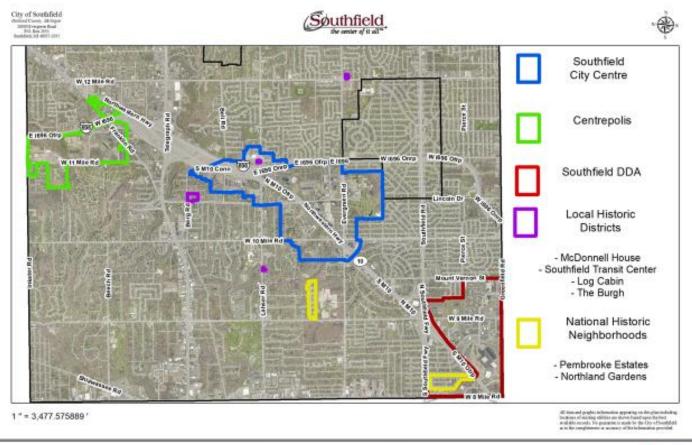
To reduce visual clutter, it is the intent of these guidelines to streamline the casings and placement of small cell facilities.



Example small cell wireless facilities - Desirable



NOTE: The maps may reflect certain design requirements for particular districts identified in these maps and the City reserves the right over time and with greater actual experience with installation management, to require further particularized installation design schemes consistent with the adjacent area in each district. These potential design requirements could include but not be limited to: color, height, size, separation, camouflaging, construction materials and pole size including capacity to place all wireless equipment inside the pole itself.





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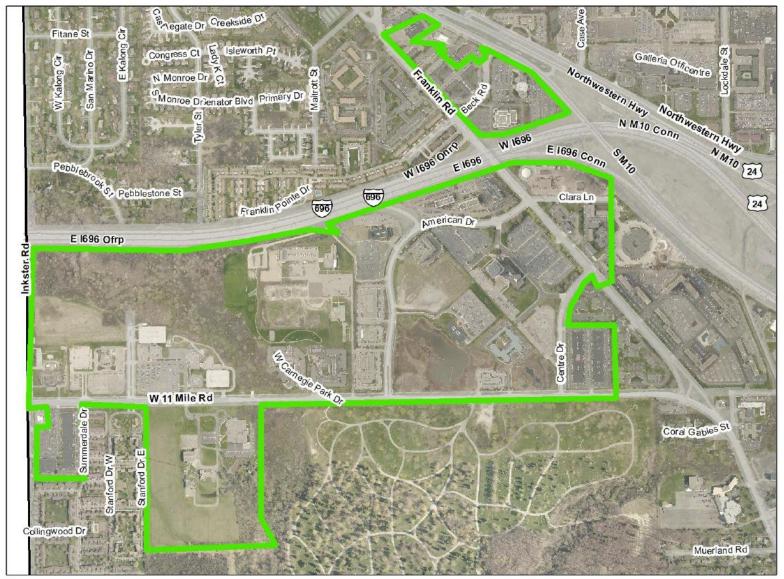


## Southfield City Centre: Sample Streestcape Elements





## **Centrepolis:**

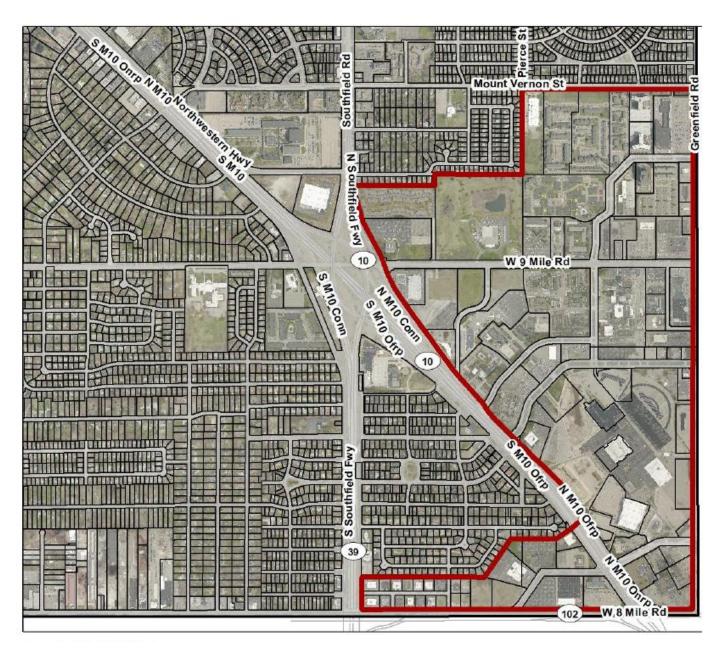


# Centrepolis: Sample Streetscape Elements





#### **DDA**:



**DDA:** Sample streetscape elements

Preferred color: Black



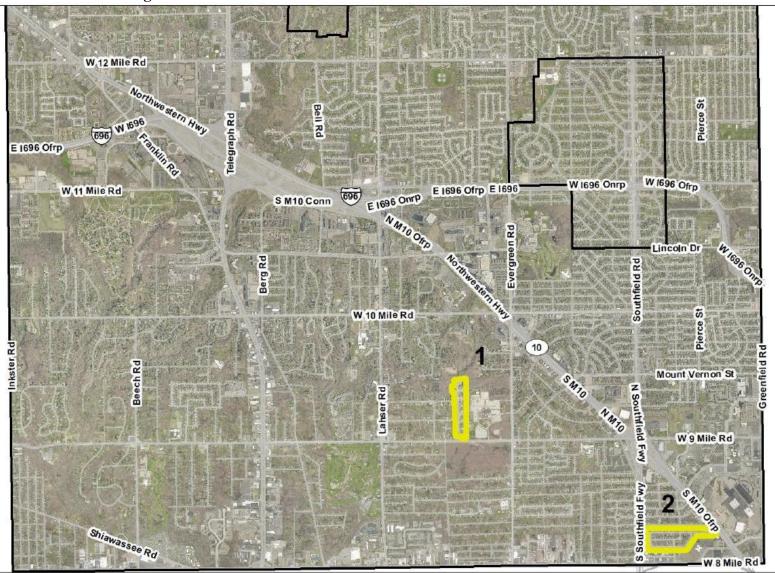


Existing Obelisk

Existing Bench and Trash

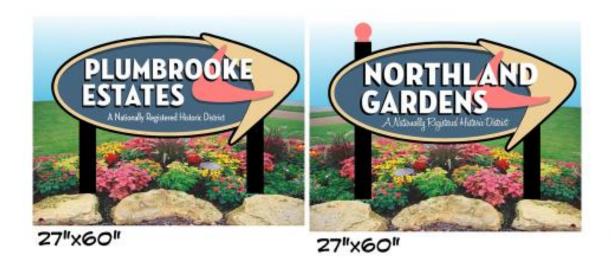


# **National Historic Neighborhoods:**



National Historic Neighborhoods: Gateway features

**Preferred color:** Bosporus



Proposed District Signage



#### **Local Historic Districts:**





Local Historic Districts: Preferred color: Black



Existing black fixtures at Historic Southfield Transit Center

