

Redevelopment of the former ASARCO Globe Plant

Proposed Globeville Commercial Urban Redevelopment Area

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City Council Briefing

March 2011

DURA Overview

- Basis for DURA Involvement
- Project Overview
- •Questions and Answers





Former ASARCO Globe Plant Site

Context Map





- A blight study was performed by URS for DURA in October 2008, identify the following factors of blight:
 - Slum, deteriorated and deteriorating structures
 - Defective and inadequate street layout
 - Faulty lot layout
 - Unsanitary or unsafe conditions
 - Deterioration of site and other improvements
 - Unusual topography and other improvements
 - Environmental contamination of buildings and property



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Conformance with Plans



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<u>Denver Comprehensive Plan 2000</u>

- Encourage redevelopment of vacant, underutilized and environmentally compromised land known as brownfields (page 37)
- Support metropolitan cooperation in partnership with state, federal, and other regional governments on economic development initiatives. A healthy core city must continue to be recognized as fundamental to the economic vitality of the region. (Page 133)
- Enhance existing business centers and establish new business centers in a manner that offers a
 variety of high quality uses that support Denver's business environment, complements neighboring
 residential areas, generates public revenue, and creates jobs. (4-B, Page 135)

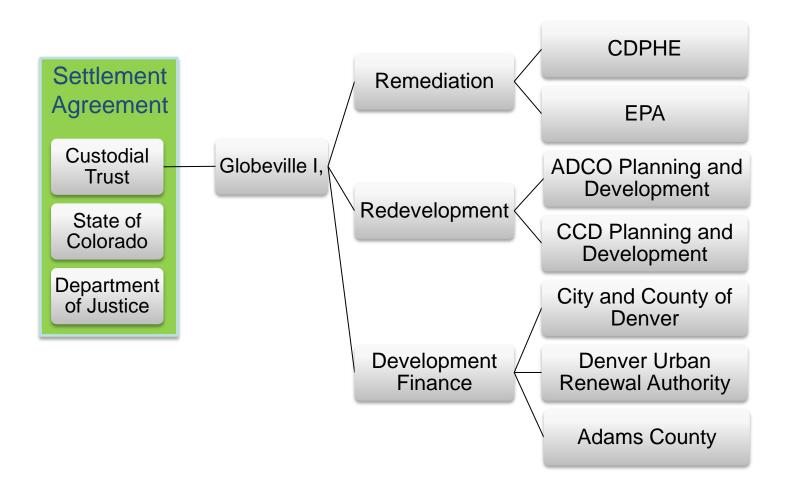
Adams County Comprehensive Plan

- Attract high-quality commercial growth and economic development. (Page 18)
- Improve the southwestern area of the County. (Page 18)
- Preserve and enhance surface and groundwater quality. (Page 28)
- Enhance the quality of existing commercial corridors along Federal Boulevard, Pecos Street, and Washington Street. (Page 39)
- Revitalize older commercial and industrial areas to preserve jobs and take advantage of existing infrastructure. (Page 39)



Project Overview: Participating Entities and Their Roles

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Remediation Steps and Schedule

1. Bind Environmental Insurance – Q2 2011

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- 2. Regulated Building Material Abatement and Building Demolition Q2 2011
- 3. First Phase of Groundwater Remediation Q2 2011
- 4. Removal of Foundations and Subsurface Structures Q3 2011
- 5. Soil Mixing, Stabilization and Grading Q3 2011 through Q1 2012
- 6. Second Phase of Groundwater Remediation beginning Q4 2011
 - Estimated duration of 18-24 months

7. Remediation Completion

 No further remediation required other than GW monitoring and monitoring of any cap



Next Step: Position the Site for Sales and Redevelopment

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- Design and construct major site-wide infrastructure
- Market and position property for sale
- Reuse will <u>not</u> include major industrial, manufacturing, or refining activities
- Reuse will <u>not</u> include residential development
- Reuse <u>will</u> be a modern business park and allow for light industrial and other commercial uses
- Reuse will include Significant leveraging of private and federal investment
- Reuse will create between 500 and 2000 new jobs in the community



Sample Schematic development rendering showing north-south orientation and approximately 1 million SF of new commercial space



Financing Overview: Sources and Uses

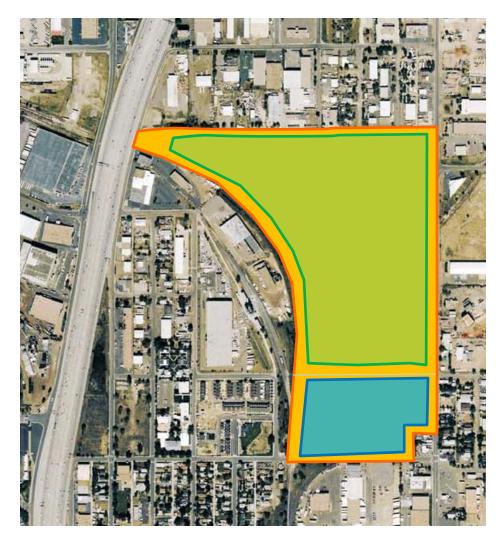
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Uses		Uses by Sources
Remediation	\$14.4 million	Bankruptcy Trust
Insurance	\$1.3 million	HUD Loan/Grant Funds
Site Wide Improvements	\$6.2 million	HUD Loan/Grant Funds
	\$21.9 million	

Sources		Repayment Sources
Bankruptcy Trust	\$14.4 million	NA
Grant Funds	\$750,000	NA
HUD Loan / Grant Funds	\$10.0 million	Land Sales / TIF
	\$25.1 million	



Proposed Urban Renewal +TIF Structure



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- One Urban Redevelopment Area / Plan → Approved by Denver City Council & Adams County Board of Commissioners
- Two TIF Areas →
 - One with Adams County
 - One With Denver
- DURA contracts with developer for reimbursement of eligible costs associated with site development
 - Gap is a function of price difference between backend land price and cost to deliver developable property

Next Steps / Questions?



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• Now: Public outreach and support

• Spring: Document approval by City and County of Denver and Adams County

(Targeting April 25 for Adams County and May 2 for Denver)

• Late Spring: Finalize project financing in late spring

• Summer: Begin site mobilization and first phase of remediation