

As with all new buildings and renovations, environmental concerns were front and center when the School of Journalism's new Lee Hills Hall was on the drawing board. Planners designed the main entrance at Elm and Eighth streets to accommodate the old sycamore tree that has shaded the corner for decades.

The 40,000 square-foot-building is named in honor of MU alumnus Lee Hills, a Pulitzer Prize winner and former chairman and CEO of Knight-Ridder newspapers Inc. The project was initiated in 1985 with a \$2 million challenge grant from the Knight Foundation. The school met that challenge with the support of more than 300 private donors and a \$500,000 challenge grant from the Kresge Foundation.

Lee Hills Hall will be the new home of the Columbia Missourian newsroom and will house the school's photojournalism sequence, including electronic photo-imaging and digital equipment, state-of-the-art design laboratories, new classrooms, a student lounge and a conference center.

Photos by Nancy O'Connor



A master plan is an overall guide. It does not describe specific projects or design details, but rather establishes the larger context for them. Since the Campus Master Plan focuses on campuswide issues, specific projects are dealt with separately.

At any one time, more than 700 campus improvement projects are in process. The funding for these projects comes from many public and private sources, often in complex combinations. The master plan helps ensure the value of the expenditures and the success and long life of the projects.

Much improvement has come to the campus in the past few years, with much more under way. Great changes have come to the campus and to the city of Columbia in the past 30 years, and more change is likely in the coming decades. As the city grows and changes on all sides of the campus, Mizzou must plan carefully for the best use of every square foot of its land because a significant increase in land holdings is not expected.

Independent studies by outside consultants have identified space needs for many parts of the campus. Program planning for colleges, schools and services

helps develop the best match between programs, people and facilities. As with campus land, campus buildings are under continuing study for optimum efficiency and attractiveness.

The plan seeks to identify the campus' enduring features of design, which are expected to remain unchanged as Mizzou continues with the constant adjustments to facilities that are characteristic of a large university. The recommendations result from an effort to secure maximum

campuswide improvements as simply and quickly as possible, in a manner consistent with University assumptions for limited funding, a limited construction program, a stable population and a permanent campus of great importance. Most complex issues are located in the center of campus, which also offers the greatest opportunities for improvement. Therefore, it has been the focus of attention so far. Other areas will be studied more fully as the planning process continues.

## COME SEE THE SHOW

If you'd like to learn more about the evolution and aspirations for our campus, the campus planning committee wants to invite you to a slide presentation of the Campus Master Plan. Presentations are scheduled from 11:40 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Feb. 14 and 15 in the Hulston Hall Courtroom.

"The spirit of Mizzou is captured in the character, use and delight of our architecture," says Ruth Brent, chairwoman of the campus planning committee and professor and chairwoman of the Environmental Design Department. "With this visual presentation of the MU plan, you will be sensitized to the history and logic of our buildings in the overall landscape. I think those in attendance will experience a new appreciation of *connectedness* and

meaning of our campus. It's pride of place."

Consultant Jack Robinson will provide commentary as he presents more than 75 slides of old and current photographs, maps and drawings that document the evolution of the campus over the years. "Did you know, for instance, that the Memorial Union was 40 years in the making?" he says. "The tower stood by itself for more than 30 years. There are some intriguing stories here."

In addition, the slide show presentation may be scheduled for any campus group by calling 882-2661.

Brent adds that as the Campus Master Plan is reviewed and updated each year, comments and suggestions are encouraged from students, staff, faculty and visitors.

### CAMPUS PLANNING COMMITTEE

The campus planning committee advises the vice chancellor for Administrative Services on the facility needs of the University. Members for 1994-95 are:

#### Chairwoman:

Ruth Brent, professor and chairwoman of environmental design

#### Faculty:

Linda Chapman, associate professor of biological sciences  
Richard Cox, professor and chairman of health and physical education  
Karen Debord, assistant professor of human development and family studies  
Speer Morgan, professor of English  
H. Clyde Wilson, professor of anthropology

#### Staff:

Ginny Booker, assistant to the director, Career Planning and Placement  
Tim Byrd, architectural assistant, Planning, Design and Construction  
Sue Porter, administrative associate I, Animal Science

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Jim Massey, MSA representative  
Ken Smith, GPC representative

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Jim Joy, director of Parking and Transportation Services  
Chris Koukola, assistant to the chancellor for University Affairs  
Carma Messerli, coordinator of the Access Office  
Frankie Minor, director of Residential Life  
Pat Morton, chief planning and budget officer and director of Institutional Research, Budget and Planning  
Alan Warden, assistant vice chancellor for Facilities

### CAPITAL REVIEW GROUP

The capital review group reviews campus planning and project issues for recommendation to the chancellor. Members are:

#### Chairman:

Kee W. Groshong, vice chancellor for Administrative Services

#### Members:

Edward Sheridan, provost  
Brady Deaton, chief of staff  
Hal Jeffcoat, vice chancellor for Development and Alumni Relations  
Pat Morton, chief planning and budget officer and director of Institutional Research, Budget and Planning  
Charles Schroeder, vice chancellor for Student Affairs

# The Campus Master Plan



Academic Hall was the focus of the campus in 1875.

## THE PLAN BUILDS ON TRADITION TO CREATE AN INVITING CAMPUS.

Mizzou's Campus Master Plan is an ongoing process that began in 1980 to study the use of campus land and buildings for optimum efficiency and aesthetic appeal.

This supplement summarizes the plan's accomplishments, shown on the map inside, and the next steps in the process. Readers' comments are welcome — feel free to write in the margins and return the supplement to the campus planning committee, c/o Ruth Brent, chairwoman, 142C Stanley Hall.

A videotape on the master plan may be borrowed by calling 882-2661.

"Comments and reactions have helped to shape the plan," says Jack Robinson, consultant to the campus administration who works with the campus planning committee, which includes faculty, staff and students. The committee advises the vice chancellor for Administrative Services on campus planning issues.

In forming the plan, more than 50 public hearings were held for the campus and community in the past 11 years. They included slide shows and status reports on space needs and specific projects. In addition, progress reports are presented annually in open meetings. "New ideas always are welcome," Robinson says.

He describes the master plan as building on Mizzou's traditional campus to create a unified, efficient environment that is inviting to students and conducive to teaching, research and support

### PLANNING PRINCIPLES

- **PRIDE OF THE STATE:** visual and functionally expressive of the importance of this campus to the state of Missouri
- **RECRUITMENT-RETENTION AID:** environmental qualities which help attract and hold faculty, staff and students
- **STRONG "SENSE OF PLACE":** distinctive and memorable to entering freshmen and visiting scholars alike
- **UNIFIED TOTAL CAMPUS:** the totality of the campus revealed and

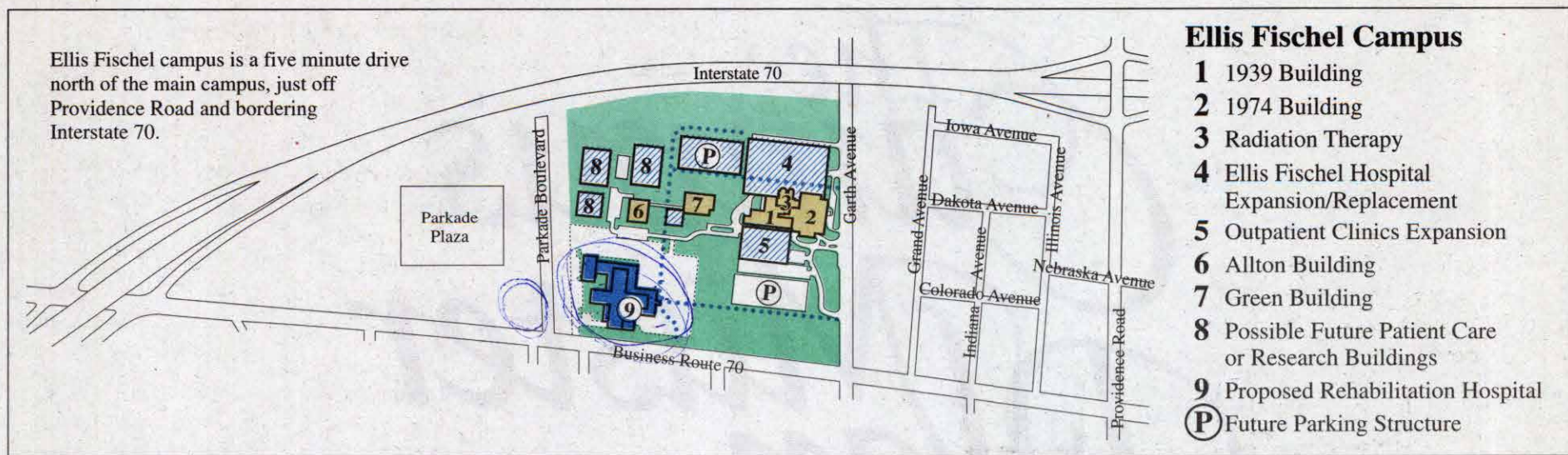
clarified to all observers, dominating component parts

- **DIVERSITY WITHIN THE UNITY:** clarifying and expressing the variety of activities, of people, of inheritance from the past
- **PEDESTRIAN DOMINANCE:** visual and functional pedestrian dominance over vehicles within the campus
- **VEHICLES RECOGNIZED:** the needs of an automobile-oriented society accommodated gracefully without being permitted to dominate pedestrians within the campus

- **FUNCTIONAL ADEQUACY:** each activity of the campus with facilities appropriate for its purposes; not constrained, not lavish, but adequate
- **RESPONSE TO ACCESSIBILITY NEEDS:** continuing the campus tradition of providing optimal access to people with disabilities
- **PROXIMITIES ENHANCED:** activities located close to each other whenever required or potentially beneficial
- **EXPANSION OR RELOCATION PROVIDED:** clear identification of at least one logical way for

- expansion (or relocation) of an activity, should such a change be desirable
- **RESPONSIVE TO CLIMATE:** careful design of building and of landscape so as to serve as models for others in similar climates
- **RESPECT FOR INHERITANCE:** accenting and continuing the topographic and architectural history of the best parts of the campus
- **RESPECT FOR NEIGHBORS:** avoiding adverse impacts and cooperating wherever possible to achieve civic objectives.





**New Buildings Recently Completed:**

- 1 Donald W. Reynolds Alumni and Visitor Center
- 2 Engineering Addition
- 3 Schlundt Annex Addition
- 4 Clydesdale Hall (Veterinary Medicine)
- 5 Anthropology Lab and Storage Building
- 6 Intercollegiate Athletics Additions

**New Buildings in Design or Construction:**

- 7 Lee Hills Building (Journalism)
- 8 Natural Resources
- 9 Chemistry Addition
- 10 Biosciences Research Center

- 11 Eckles Addition
- 12 Critical Care Tower and Ambulatory Care Clinics
- 13 Research Reactor Addition
- 14 Intercollegiate Athletics Additions

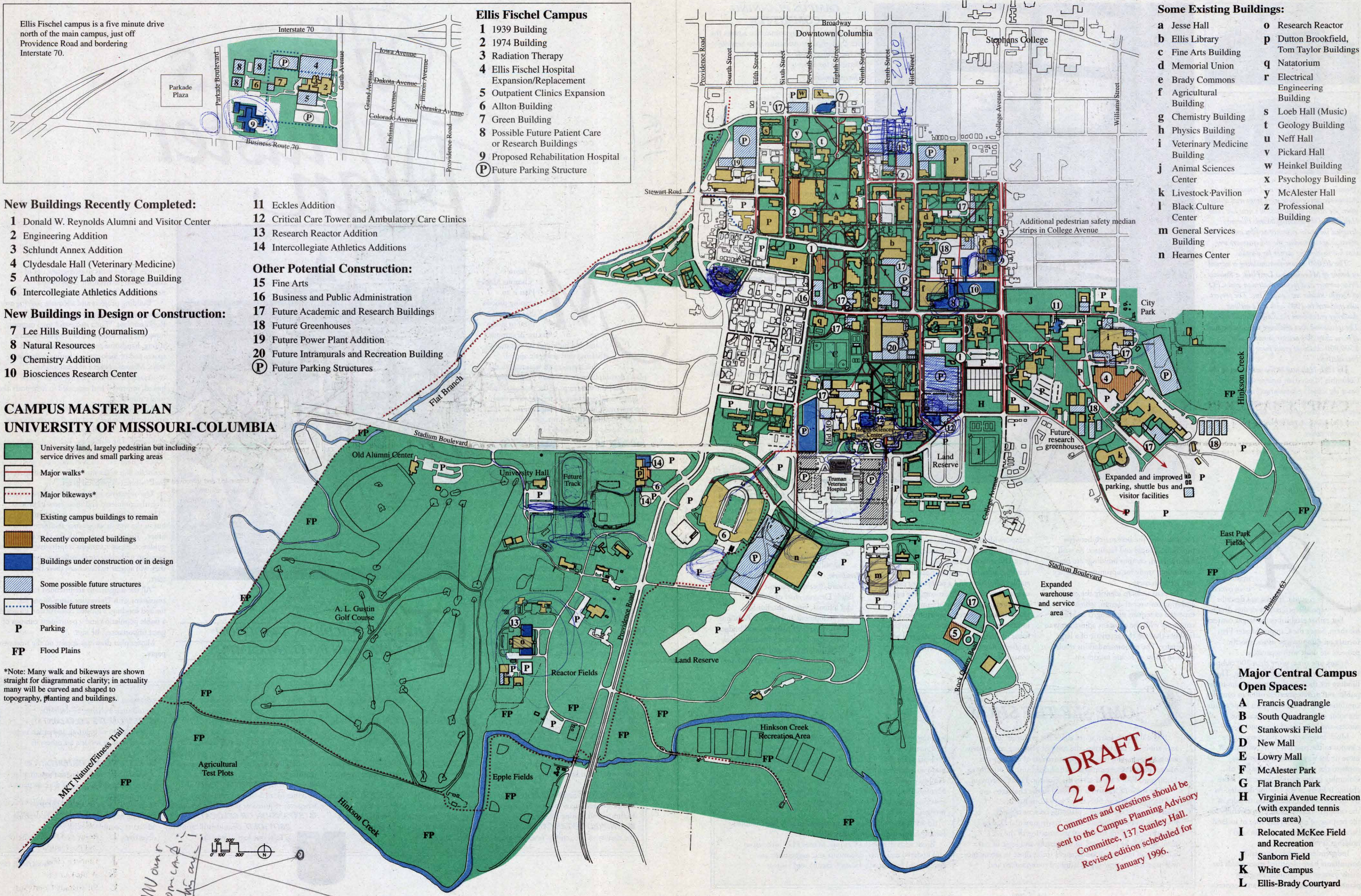
**Other Potential Construction:**

- 15 Fine Arts
- 16 Business and Public Administration
- 17 Future Academic and Research Buildings
- 18 Future Greenhouses
- 19 Future Power Plant Addition
- 20 Future Intramurals and Recreation Building
- Future Parking Structures

**CAMPUS MASTER PLAN  
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- University land, largely pedestrian but including service drives and small parking areas
- Major walks\*
- Major bikeways\*
- Existing campus buildings to remain
- Recently completed buildings
- Buildings under construction or in design
- Some possible future structures
- Possible future streets
- P Parking
- FP Flood Plains

\*Note: Many walk and bikeways are shown straight for diagrammatic clarity; in actuality many will be curved and shaped to topography, planting and buildings.



**Some Existing Buildings:**

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|--------------------------------|---|
| a Jesse Hall                   | o Research Reactor                        |
| b Ellis Library                | p Dutton Brookfield, Tom Taylor Buildings |
| c Fine Arts Building           | q Natatorium                              |
| d Memorial Union               | r Electrical Engineering Building         |
| e Brady Commons                | s Loeb Hall (Music)                       |
| f Agricultural Building        | t Geology Building                        |
| g Chemistry Building           | u Neff Hall                               |
| h Physics Building             | v Pickard Hall                            |
| i Veterinary Medicine Building | w Heinkel Building                        |
| j Animal Sciences Center       | x Psychology Building                     |
| k Livestock Pavilion           | y McAlester Hall                          |
| l Black Culture Center         | z Professional Building                   |
| m General Services Building    |   |
| n Hearnes Center               |   |

**Major Central Campus Open Spaces:**

- Francis Quadrangle
- South Quadrangle
- Stankowski Field
- New Mall
- Lowry Mall
- McAlester Park
- Flat Branch Park
- Virginia Avenue Recreation (with expanded tennis courts area)
- Relocated McKee Field and Recreation
- Sanborn Field
- White Campus
- Ellis-Brady Courtyard

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