

OLD CHARLES TOWNE DISTRICT

These maps and illustrations reflect a vision for the Old Charles Towne District forged by residents during a weeklong workshop in March, 2000. This vision depicts a future that complements the history and culture of this unique area of the City. Essential elements of this vision are:

- **Repairing the Center**—Coordinated planning and reinvestment in the business district along Sam Rittenberg Boulevard and Old Towne Road,
- **Creating a Human Scale**—Respecting the pedestrian scale so the District will be safe, comfortable, and attractive to local residents and visitors,
- **The Plaza**—Reinvestment in the Ashley Landing block as the heart of the district, and
- **Celebrating the Public Realm**—Making public streets, parks, and other spaces of which residents can be proud.

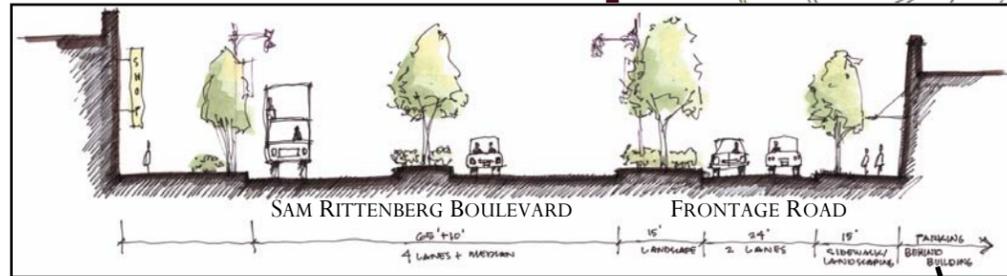
Conceptual idea for visual statement at the rear of Piggly Wiggly



Proposed "gateway" entrance from the Northbridge



Future Sam Rittenberg Boulevard Cross-Section



Frontage road realignment with pedestrian and bicycle access



Ashley Landing Shopping Center as it exists today



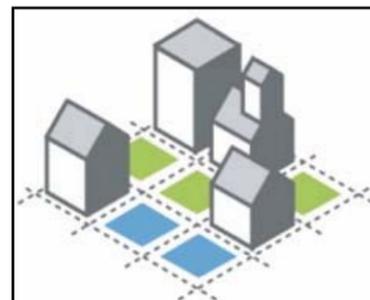
Ashley Landing as a redeveloped "green" or neighborhood center with a central public space



New landscaping is being put in place in the Sam Rittenberg/Old Towne Road intersection with funds raised by the Task Force



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