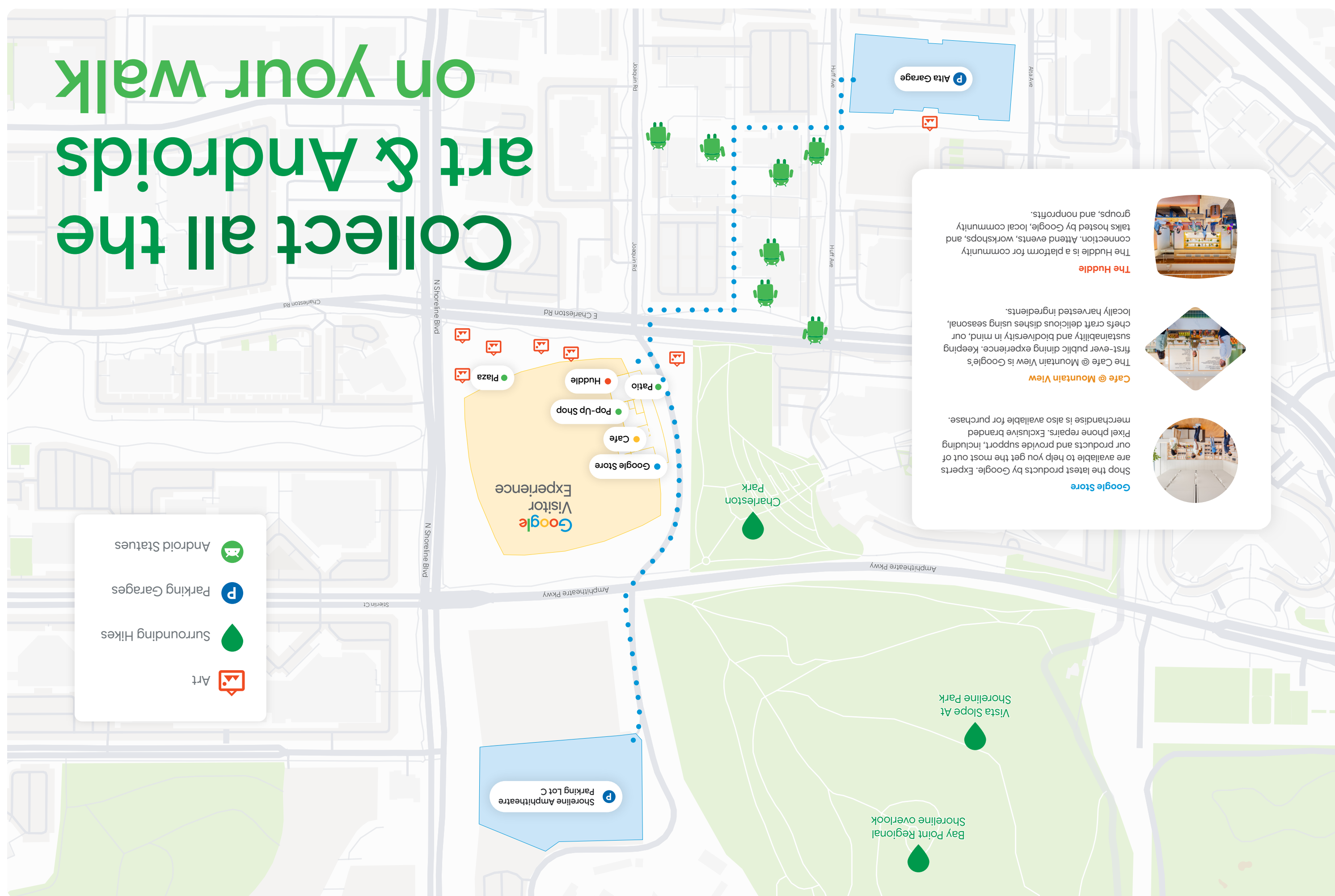


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The Huddle
The Huddle is a platform for community connection. Attend events, workshops, and talks hosted by Google, local community groups, and nonprofits.

Ecology



Pollination Station

Gradient Canopy features more than 4 acres of native pollinator habitat, which is critical to healthy ecosystems and local food production. We've paid special attention to the threatened Western monarch butterfly, by planting locally native milkweed and wildflowers that provide nectar throughout the year.



Re-Oaking the Valley

We have planted nearly 200 new native oaks at Gradient Canopy. Reintroducing native oaks to the landscape is one strategy for building ecological resilience in the region: native oaks are more drought tolerant, store more carbon, and support more bird and insect species than non-native trees.



A Bird's Eye View

Gradient Canopy's native tree canopy offers high-value habitat for resident and migratory birds. To help bolster a safe environment for birds in this ecologically rich landscape, the building's windows feature integrated "frit" patterns to help them perceive the glass as an obstacle to be avoided.

Sustainability



Sustainable Lumber

Over 99% of the lumber used to build this building comes from responsibly managed forests certified by the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC). Even the wood used temporarily during construction, such as the lumber used to shape the concrete foundation, was FSC-certified or salvaged from other construction sites.



Rainy Day Harvest

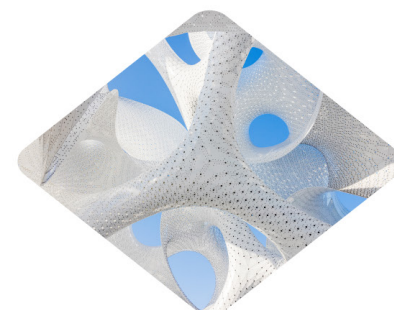
Gradient Canopy collects rainwater from the roof and stores it in basement cisterns that can hold 721,000 gallons of water—more than an Olympic-sized swimming pool. This water can be reused for non-potable needs such as irrigation and toilet flushing.



Here Be Dragonscale

Individual solar panels create Gradient Canopy's distinct silver "dragonscale" solar skin. The first-of-its-kind solar shingles capture the sun at different angles to maximize the amount of solar energy generated throughout the day—a huge step forward toward a carbon-free future.

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Like oil or soap bubbles, the dichroic film on the crystalline interior of *Halo* produces its beautiful effect through the principle of thin-film interference — selectively passing the light of a small range of colors while reflecting others.

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