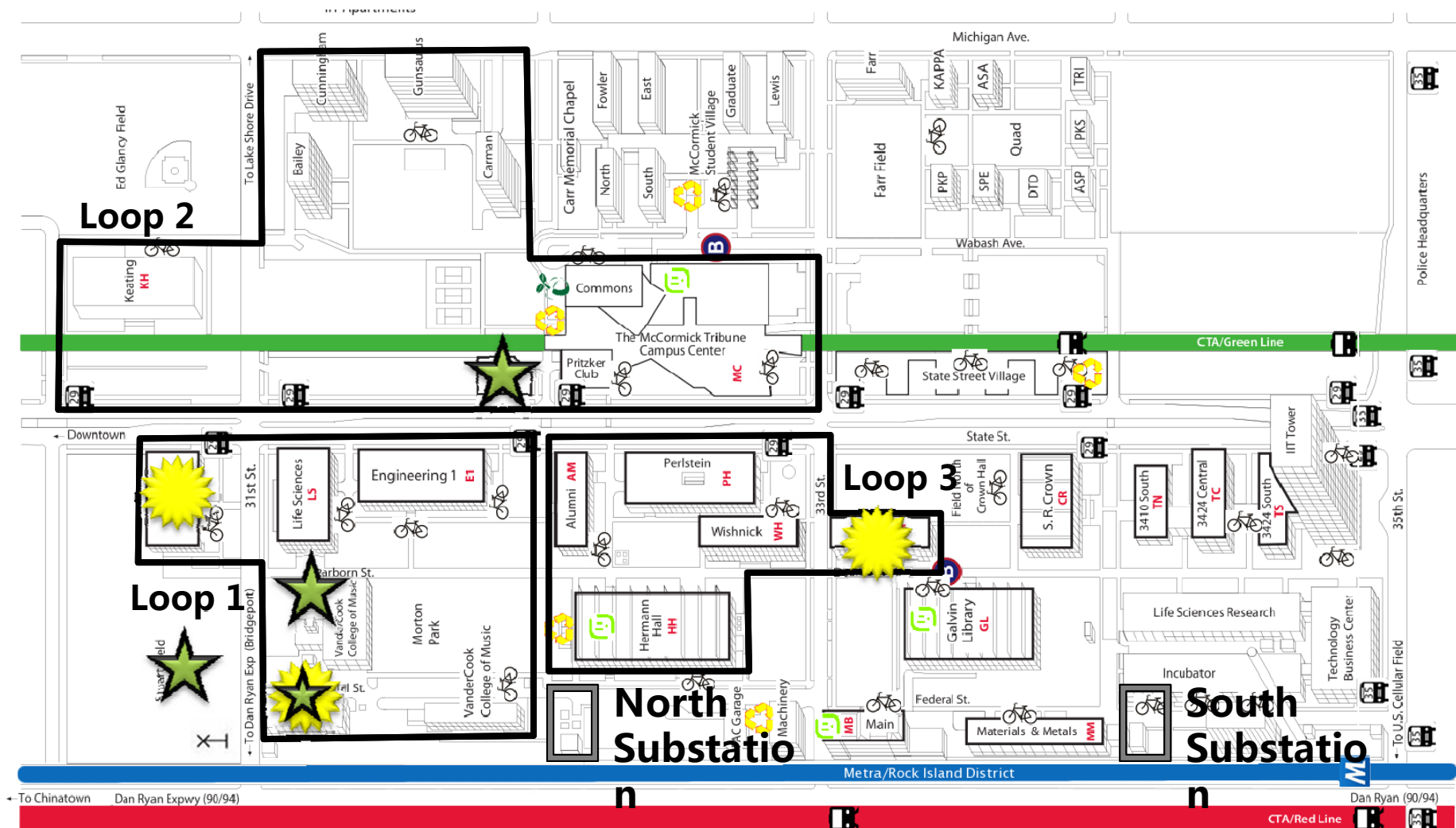


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\$4.36 million \$4.36 million

Infrastructure
improvements

\$4.00 million

Research

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\$300-500k

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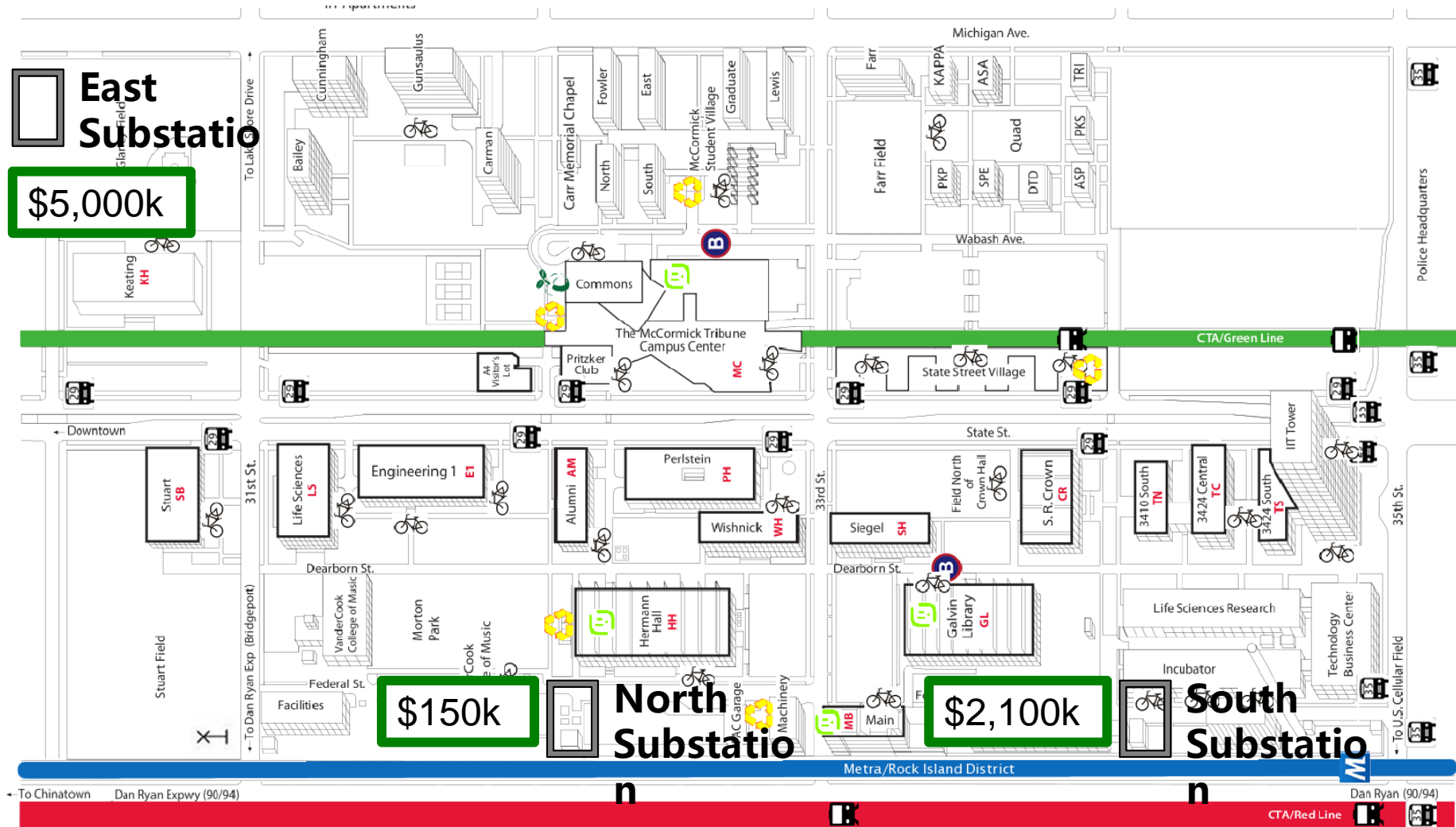
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Annually



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IIT Investment:

Needed North Substation
Investment:

\$4.36 million

Needed South Substation
Investment:

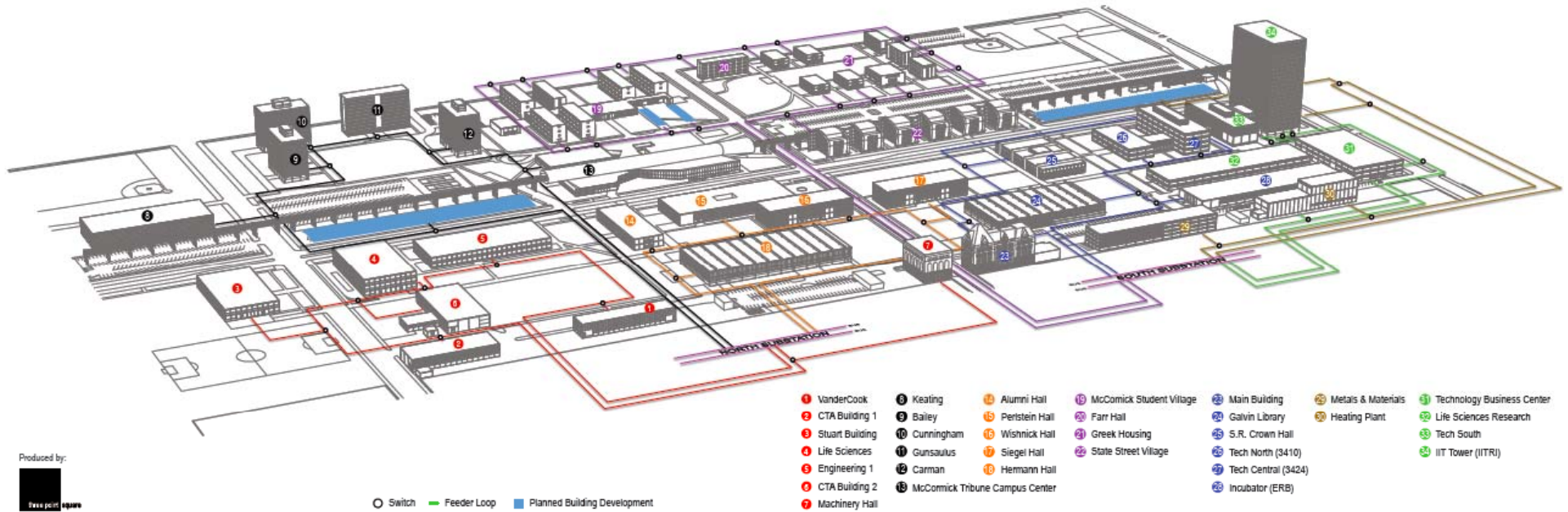
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Needed East Substation
Investment:

\$2.10 million

\$5.00 million

High Reliability Distribution System (drawing not to scale)
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