

Scenario Planning with Envision Tomorrow

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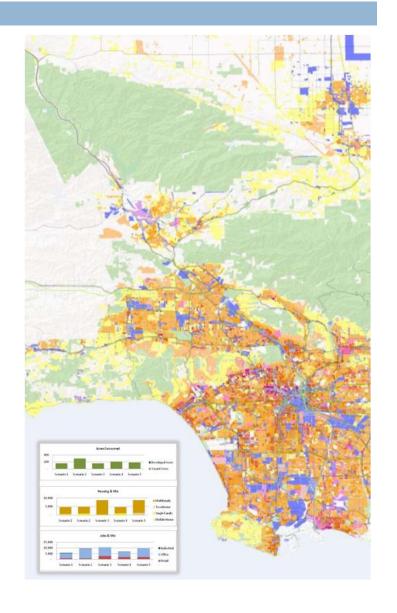


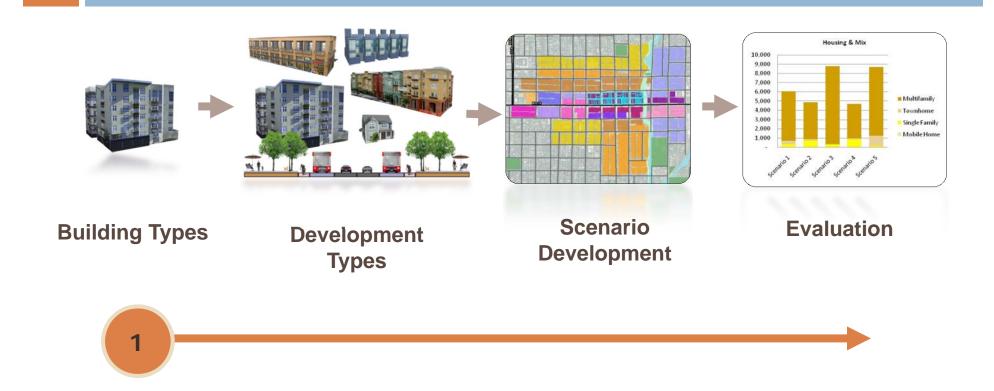


What is Envision Tomorrow?

- Suite of planning tools:
 - Prototype Builder
 - Return on Investment (ROI) model
 - Scenario Builder
 - Extension for ArcGIS







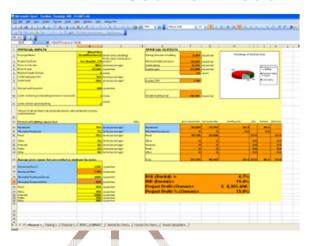
Step 1: Model a library of building types that are financially feasible at the local level.

Create Prototype Buildings

Why start with buildings?

- Easily modeled & lots of existing data
 - Density and Design
 - Rents and Sales Prices
 - Costs and Affordability
 - Energy and Water Use
 - Fiscal Impacts

Use ROI Model...

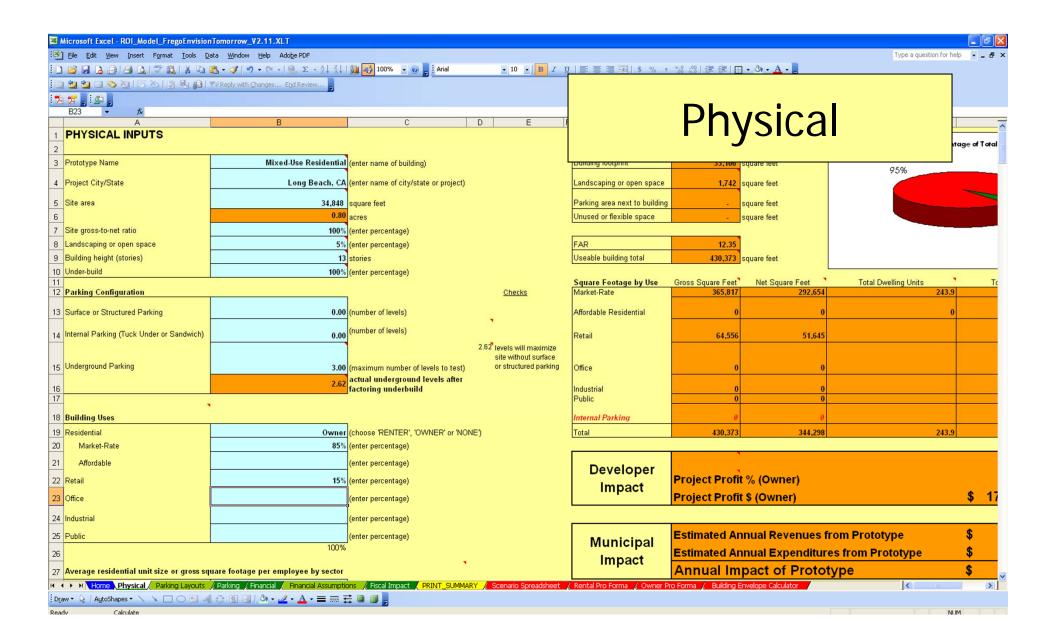


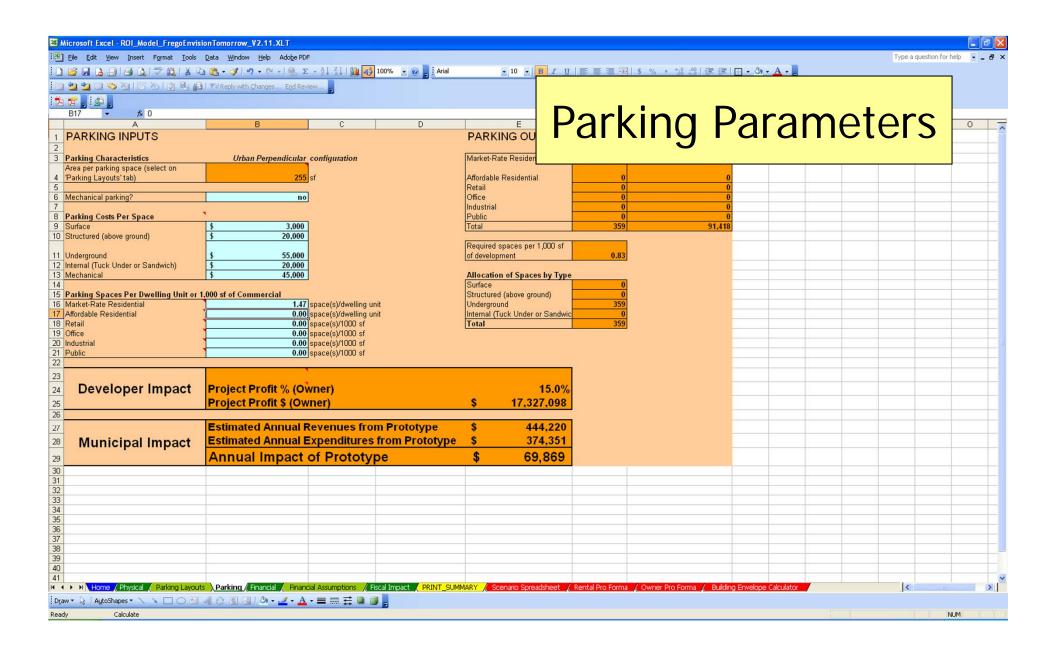
...to Create a Range of Buildings

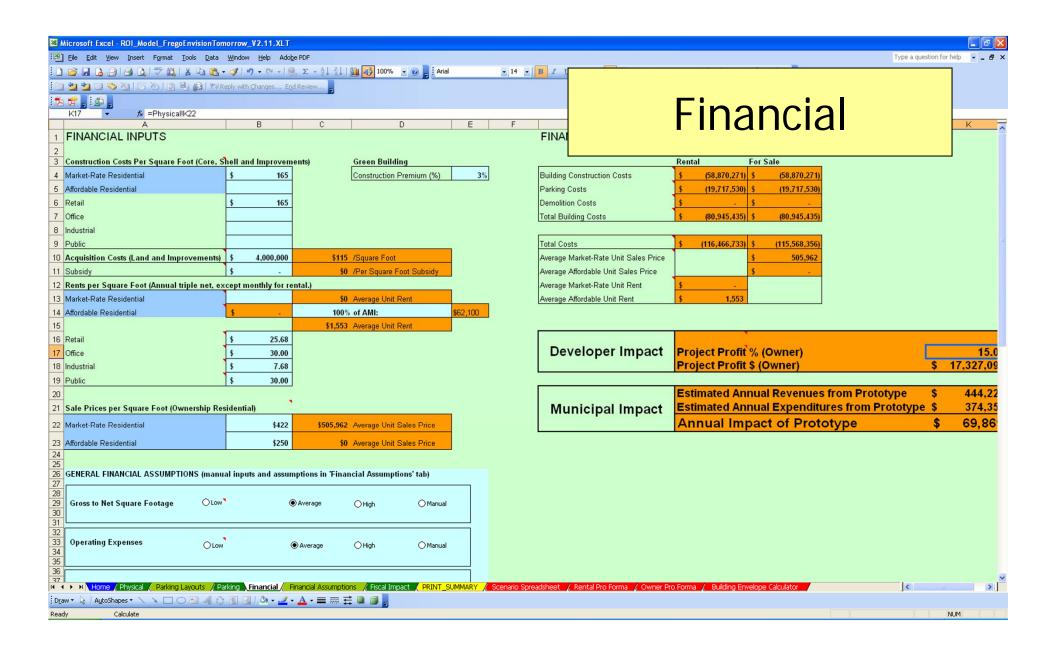












Market Research: Residential

Fair Market Rents (2012)				
Studio	\$638			
1 BR	\$702			
2 BR	\$829			
3 BR	\$1,209			

Source: HUD Fair Market Rent, FY 2012

Sample New Construction Rents (2012)			
1 BR	\$750		
2 BR	\$950		
2 BR (townhome)	\$1,350		

Source: Listings for H Street and Iron Bird Lofts

New Home Construction	
Median Sale Price, Homes	Median Sale Price, Condos
\$118 - 140 / sq ft	\$113 / sq ft

Median Home Sales Price (2011): \$146,400

Source: Zillow

Note: Includes both new and existing rents

Market Research: Commercial

Average Lease Rates	
Retail	\$15 / sq ft
Office	\$16 / sq ft
Industrial	\$6 / sq ft

Source: Loopnet

Market Research: Construction Costs

Building Type	Fresno, CA		
Apartment, 1-3 story	\$107		
Apartment, 4-7 story	\$166		
Apartment, 20 story	\$152		
Office, 1 story	\$120		
Medical Office	\$142		
Office, 5-10 story	\$120		
Restaurant (not fast food)	\$150		
Retail store, 1 story	\$85		
Senior Housing	\$110		
Large Retail	\$85		
Small warehouse	\$90		
Warehouse	\$58		

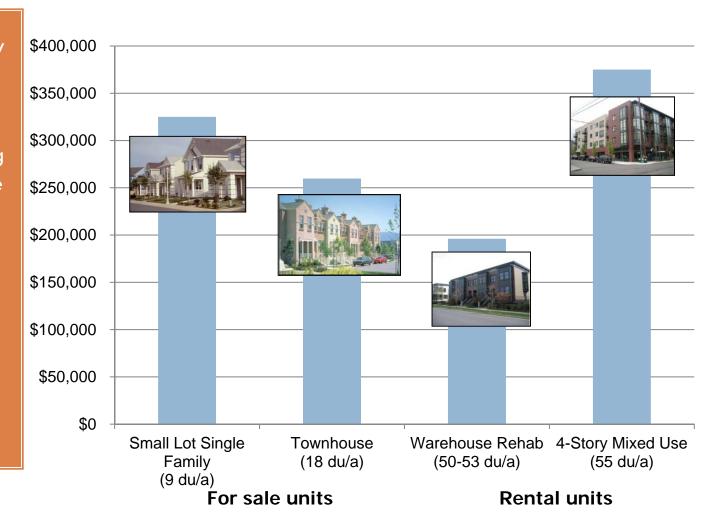
Source: RSMeans CostWorks Square Foot Estimator; 2011

Total Unit Cost of Building Higher Density Housing

Higher density buildings are costly.

Lower parking ratios improve feasibility.

Rehab can be less costly than new construction.



Mixed-Use

- Neighborhood Mixed-Use
- Mixed-Use Residential (3-Story)
- Mixed-Use Residential (5-Story)
- Mixed-Use Residential, Mid-Rise (10-Story)
- Mixed-Use Residential, High-Rise (20-Story)
- Mixed-Use Office, Small Downtown
- Mixed-Use Office (5-Story)
- Mixed-Use Office, Mid-Rise (10-Story)







Residential

- Student Housing
- Senior Housing
- Apartment (5-Story)
- Apartment (3-Story)
- Duplex
- Townhomes
- Small Lot Single Family (4,500 sf lots)
- Traditional Single Family (6,000 sf lots)
- Large Lot Single Family (7,500 sf lots)
- Estate Single Family (1 acre lots)
- Rural Residential (2 acre lots)







Commercial

- Low Rise Office
- Medical Office
- Educational/School
- Large Format Retail
- Low Density Commercial
- Main Street Commercial
- Business Park/Flex Space
- Light Industrial
- Heavy Industrial







1. Load your Prototype buildings	Site and Bui	ilding Char	acteristics	Residential	Employment
Building Name	Lot Size	Height (Stories)	Floor Area Ratio (FAR)	Dwelling Units / Acre	Total Jobs / Acre
Mixed-Use Residential, Mid-Rise	40,000	10	6.39	163.8	43
Mixed-Use Residential, 5 Story	43,560	5	3.40	106.0	46
Mixed Use Residential, 3 Story	30,000	3	1.91	36.7	2
Neighborhood Mixed-Use	10,000	2	0.91	29.5	1
Mixed-Use Residential High Rise	40,000	20	10.23	256.6	4
Mixed-Use Office Mid Rise	43,560	10	7.83	0.0	75
Mixed-Use Office 5 Story	43,560	5	2.78	0.0	24
Mixed -Use Office Small Downtown	10,000	2	1.00	0.0	7
Multifamily - Student Housing	15,000	3	1.74	100.9	
Multifamily - Senior Housing	15,000	3	1.85	91.8	1
Multifamily - Medium Density	43,560	5	1.63	70.9	
Multifamily- Moderate Density	20,000	3	1.08	40.1	
Duplexes	10,000	2	0.62	15.0	
Townhomes	10,000	3	0.83	20.2	
Single Family Residential Urban	4,500	2	0.52	10.0	
Single Family Residential Standard	6,000	2	0.42	7.3	
Single Family Residential Large Lo	7,500	2	0.23	3.3	
Single Family Estate	43,560	2	0.08	1.1	
Rural Residential	87,120	2	0.03	0.5	
Low Rise Office	40,000	1	0.39	0.0	4
Medical Office	40,000	6	1.36	0.0	19
Educational	40,000	2	1.02	0.0	10
Low Density Commercial	20,000	1	0.35	0.0	1
Main Street Commercial	5,000	1	0.95	0.0	5
Large Format Retail	100,000	1	0.37	0.0	1
Business Park /Flex	150,000	1	0.32	0.0	1
Light Industrial	100,000	1	0.32	0.0	1
Heavy Industrial	250,000	1	0.48	0.0	1

Preliminary Analysis: Prototypes Vary in Feasibility



Main Street Retail



Townhomes



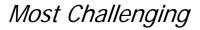
2- 5-story mixed-use

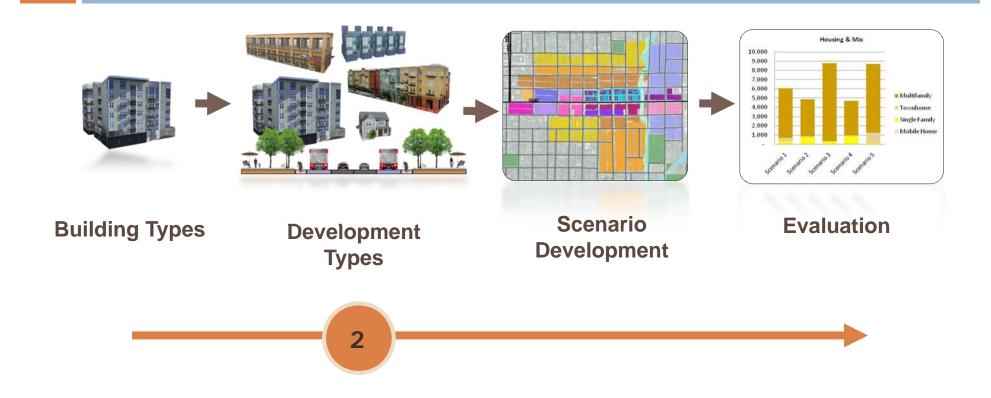


Midrise mixed-use



Most Feasible





Step 2: Define the buildings, streets and amenities that make up all the "places" in which we live, work and play.

Development Type Mix

A Variety of Buildings, Streets and Amenities Create a "Place"



Town Center



Medium-Density Residential

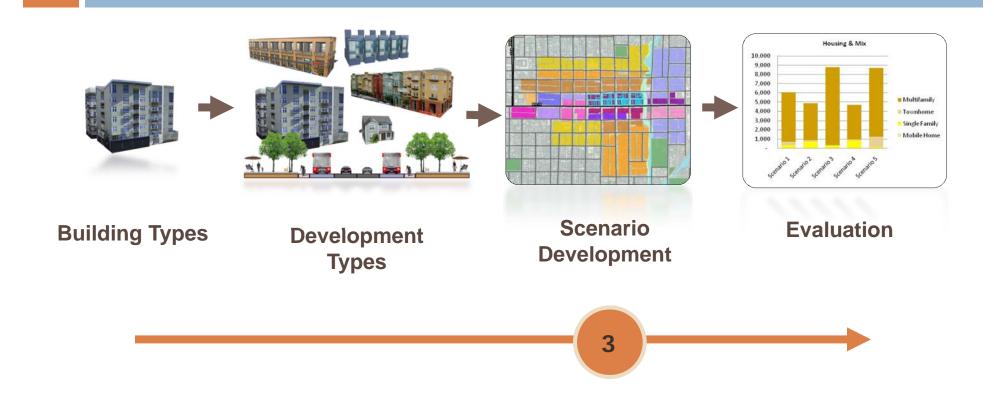


Single-Family Residential

Potential Development Types - Brainstorm

- Downtown
- Downtown Residential
- City Center
- Urban Neighborhood
- Town Center
- Town Neighborhood
- Neighborhood Center
- Compact Neighborhood
- Main Street
- Mixed-Use Corridor
- Suburban Residential
- Large Lot Residential
- Rural Residential
- Employment Center
- Activity Center
- Arterial Commercial
- Industrial

Others?



Step 3: Painter future land use scenarios to test the implications of different decisions or policies.

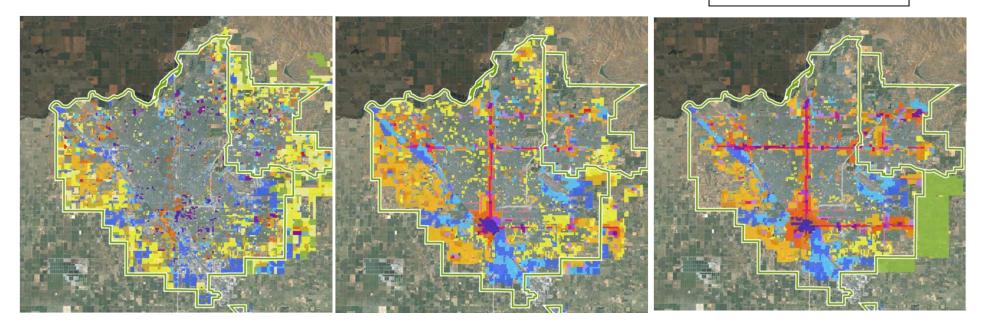
Compare Multiple Scenarios

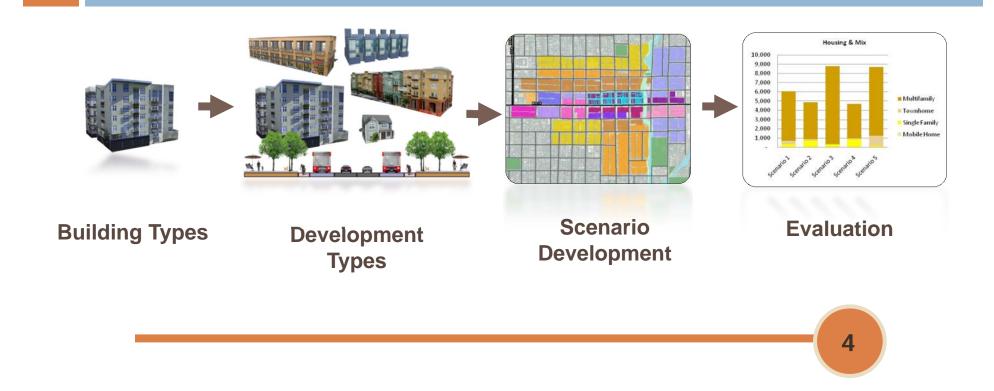
- Test land use policies
- Experiment with new development patterns

COG Trend/ Forecast

Constrained TOD

Full Build-Out (Aggressive Transit)





Step 4: Compare the scenarios and monitor the impact of land use decisions in real-time.

Scenario Indicators:

- Anything we can know about a building, we can know about a scenario...
 - Housing and Jobs: mix and density
 - Land Consumption: vacant, agricultural, infill
 - Housing Affordability
 - Employment Profile: sq ft, jobs, income
 - Resource Usage: energy and water
 - Waste Production: water, solid, carbon emissions
 - Fiscal Impact: local revenue and infrastructure costs



Next Steps

- Finalize market research (Dec.)
- Finalize building prototype library (Dec.)
- Create development types (Jan.)
- Choose scenario themes (Jan.)
- Begin scenario development (Feb.)