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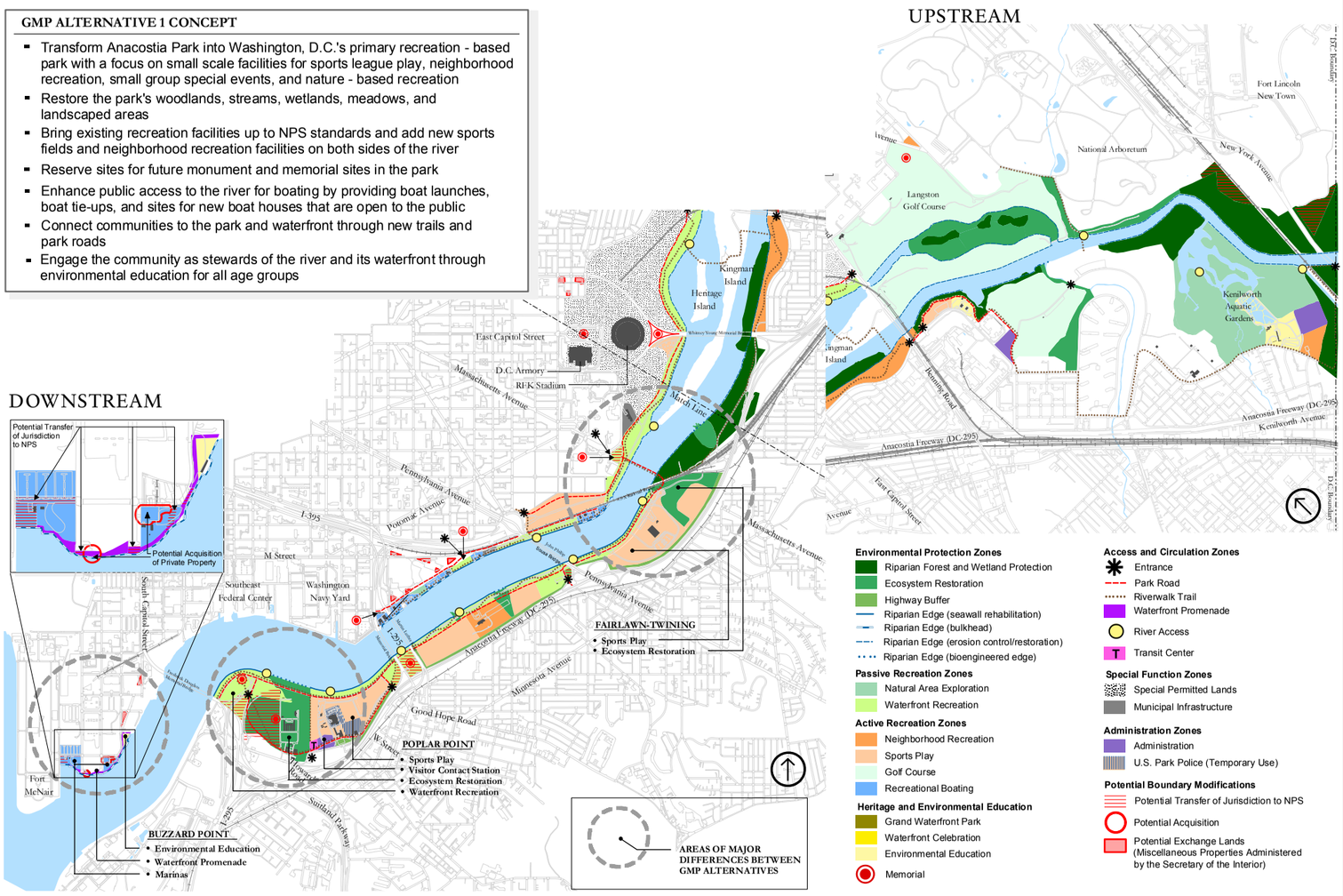
GMP ALTERNATIVE 1 CONCEPT

- Transform Anacostia Park into Washington, D.C.'s primary recreation - based park with a focus on small scale facilities for sports league play, neighborhood recreation, small group special events, and nature - based recreation
- Restore the park's woodlands, streams, wetlands, meadows, and landscaped areas
- Bring existing recreation facilities up to NPS standards and add new sports fields and neighborhood recreation facilities on both sides of the river
- Reserve sites for future monument and memorial sites in the park
- Enhance public access to the river for boating by providing boat launches, boat tie-ups, and sites for new boat houses that are open to the public
- Connect communities to the park and waterfront through new trails and park roads
- Engage the community as stewards of the river and its waterfront through environmental education for all age groups



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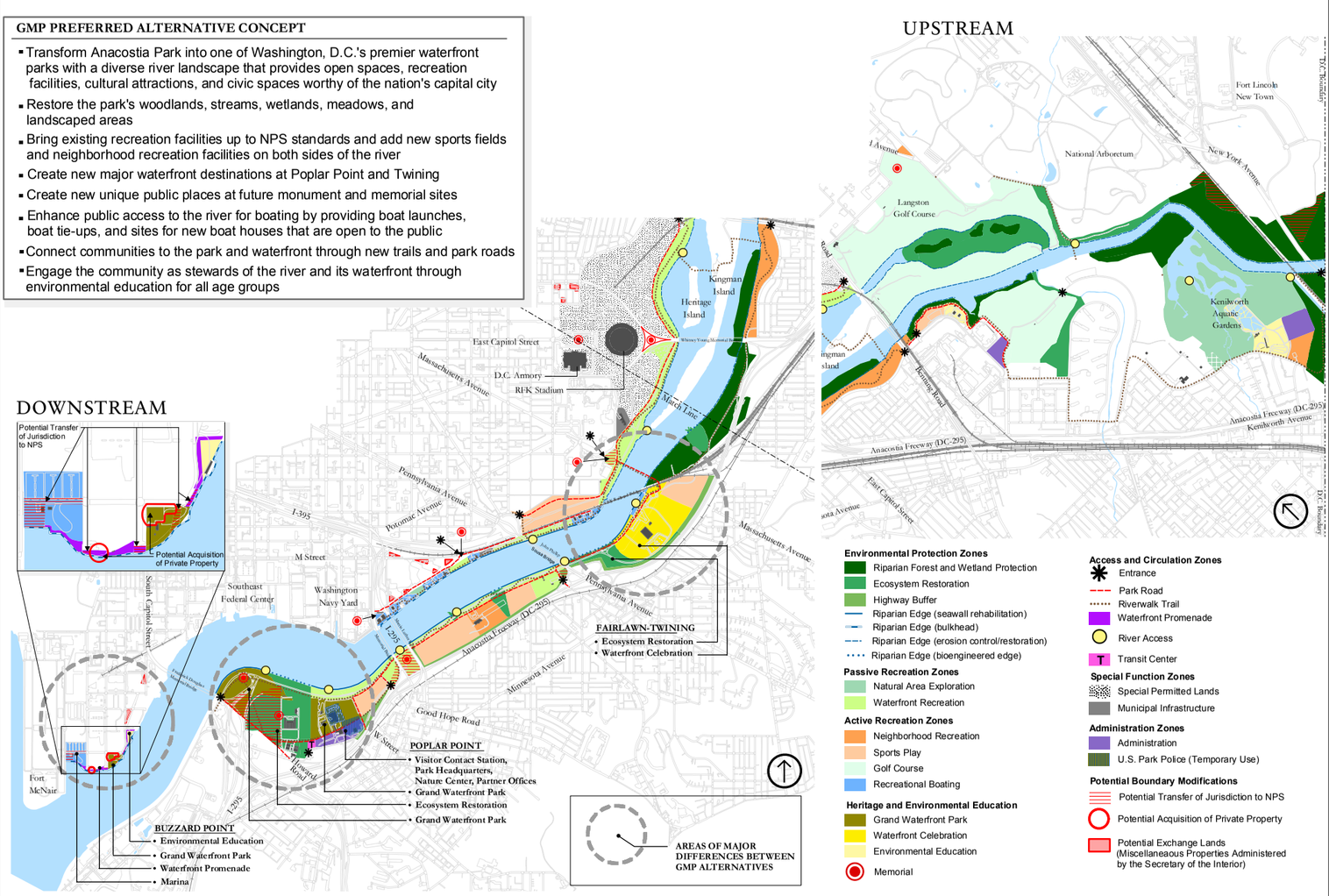
- Transform Anacostia Park into one of Washington, D.C.'s premier waterfront parks with a diverse river landscape that provides open spaces, recreation facilities, cultural attractions, and civic spaces worthy of the nation's capital city
- Restore the park's woodlands, streams, wetlands, meadows, and landscaped areas
- Bring existing recreation facilities up to NPS standards and add new sports fields and neighborhood recreation facilities on both sides of the river
- Create new major waterfront destinations at Poplar Point and Twining
- Create new unique public places at future monument and memorial sites
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