## John Hay Art and Forest Park Comprehensive Integrated Master Development Plan

## Design Standards & Guidelines

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# Signage

#### 3.7.1 Intent

The guidelines for signage are meant to:

- Provide clear identification of and directions to places in the zone
- Maximize the effectiveness of signage while minimizing visual clutter
- Enhance the urban character of the zone and its districts

### Mandatory

- 3.7.2 Standalone billboards and hoardings shall not be permitted in the zone.
- All signage shall not obstruct pedestrian and cycle circulation, key 3.7.3 views, and building entry points.
- Moving lighting on signage shall not be permitted. 3.7.4

#### Roadway

3.7.5 Road traffic signage including regulatory road signs, directional signs, warning road signs, and road markings shall comply with the Philippines' DPWH 2012 Road Signs and Pavement Markings Manual.

#### Transit

3.7.6 Transit signage shall be consistent throughout the zone for easy recognition. More details are provided in Section 3.9.

#### Wayfinding

- 3.7.7 Wayfinding signage shall be placed at transit stations and all intersections. More signage may be needed along key pedestrian corridors.
- 3.7.8 Wayfinding signage shall contain clear directions to key destinations within the 400-meter radius of the sign. Maps are encouraged to be included.
- 3.7.9 Wayfinding signage shall be coordinated throughout the zone, be within the expected cone of vision for a person travelling on the route which the sign is intended for (Figure C18), and and be illuminated at night.
- Wayfinding signage shall incorporate braille on panel signage at 1.2 to 3.7.10 1.8 meters from the base of signage.

#### Gateway

- Gateway signage shall mark the entry to the zone and promote the 3.7.11 identity of the city. Its design shall be complementary to the designs of other signage in the district.
- 3.7.12 Consistent and visible gateway signage shall be provided at all major entry points.

#### Shopfront

- 3.7.17 Shopfront signages shall contain the tenant logo, name, and/or address only.
- 3.7.18 There shall be one shopfront sign per tenant, except where tenant space fronts two streets, in which case one sign per frontage is permitted.
- 3.7.19 Tenants shall have a shopfront fascia sign and may complement this with a projecting blade sign and/or window signs.

#### **Advertising**

- 3.7.20 Advertising signage include temporary marketing material in the form of free-standing, wall mounted, and streetlight display panels.
- 3.7.21 Advertising signage shall be in line with the theme and appearance of surrounding developments.
- 3.7.22 Advertisements on digital screens will be considered only at locations where the display of such digital screens would not adversely affect the amenity of the nearby residents or create visual clutter along the streetscape.

#### Construction

3.7.23 Temporary signages related to construction are discussed in Section 4.14.

#### Recommended

3.7.24 Overly bright signage should be discouraged because it harms amenity, safety, and ecology. For reference, signs smaller than 10 m2 should have a maximum luminance level of 500 cd/m2 while signs larger than 10 m2 should have a maximum luminance level of 250 cd/m2.



Figure C18: Cone of vision

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#### **Building Entrance**

- 3.7.13 Building entrance signages shall contain the building name and/or building address and street name only.
- 3.7.14 Building entrance signage shall be non-illuminated, positioned over main entry doors or applied to architectural elements near main doors, and located within the plot. Top-of-building signage is discussed in Section 4.9.
- Canopies and awnings shall not be introduced to a building facade 3.7.15 to serve as signage. Signage may be placed on canopies and awnings if these are integral to the building.
- Each building shall have an entrance signage facing its address 3.7.16 street, Signage on secondary entrances are permitted, but at a smaller scale than the main signage.

Source: Transport for London

Source: Danthonia Designs

| Signage Type                          | Quantity   | Location   | Size  | Illumination  | Material   |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
| Wayfinding                            |  |  |   |   |  |
|                                       | At all transit stations and all intersections; more signage may be needed along key pedestrian corridors                                   | Signs may be free-<br>standing or mounted on<br>wall or poles<br>Not obstructing<br>sidewalks and cycle<br>paths, but getting<br>enough illumination from<br>streetlight or transit stop | Face of sign shall not<br>exceed 2 square meters;<br>Maximum height of  | Not illuminated   | Texts and logos shall be easy<br>to read<br>Materials shall be durable             |
|                                       |  |  | 3.5 meters and width of<br>0.8 meters<br>Maximum thickness  |   | and complement the urban<br>character of the city                                  |
|                                       |  |  | 0.3 meters  |   |  |
| Gateway                               |  |  |   |   |  |
| City of W                             | One at each major entry<br>point to the city   | Landscape area   | Face of the sign shall not exceed 10 square meters  | Halo Illuminated,<br>internally illuminated<br>box letters, or<br>externally illuminated                    | Texts and logos shall be easy<br>to read   |
| Helcone Rando                         |  |  | Maximum height of<br>5 meters   |   | Materials shall be durable<br>and complement the urban<br>character of the city    |
|                                       |  |  | Maximum thickness<br>of 0.5 meters  |   |  |
| Building Entrance                     |  | _  | _   | _   |  |
| university<br>of the arts<br>fondon   | One per building on<br>address street<br>If building has two front-<br>ages on different streets,<br>one sign per frontage is<br>permitted | Over main entry doors or<br>applied to architectural<br>elements near main<br>doors, and located within<br>the plot  | Face of the sign shall not<br>exceed 4 square meters  | Not illuminated   | Shall contain the building name<br>and/or building address and<br>street name only |
|                                       |  |  | Maximum height of 0.5 meters  |   |  |
| entrapoe                              |  |  | Projection beyond the<br>property line is not<br>permitted  |   |  |
| Shopfront Fascia                      |  |  |   |   |  |
| TERMOTOTETATREE SAM MCCAULEY PHARMACY | One per tenant   | Building fascia panel  | May extend the entire<br>width of the<br>storefront   | If illuminated, halo<br>Illuminated, internally<br>illuminated box<br>letters, or externally<br>illuminated | Colors and materials shall<br>complement the architecture<br>of the host building  |
|                                       |  |  | Maximum height of<br>1 meter  |   |  |
| Shopfront Blade Signs                 |  |  |   |   |  |
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| Conazón                               | Optional; One per tenant   | Within the arcade and<br>canopied areas of<br>buildings, centered on the<br>fascia zone  | Exact size and uniformity<br>of the blade signs shall be<br>determined by the building<br>owner, but these shall not<br>exceed a width and length<br>of 50 cm | If illuminated, halo<br>Illuminated, internally<br>illuminated box<br>letters, or externally<br>illuminated | Colors and materials shall<br>complement the architecture<br>of the host building  |
| Shopfront Window Signs                |  |  |   | _   |  |

Source: Article Design Studio

Source: McCauley Pharmacy



Optional; If used, these, should not block views of the displays behind them

Within the window area

May extend the entire width of the window

Not illuminated

Decal

Maximum height of 1 meter

Advertising



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Table C4: Signage Types