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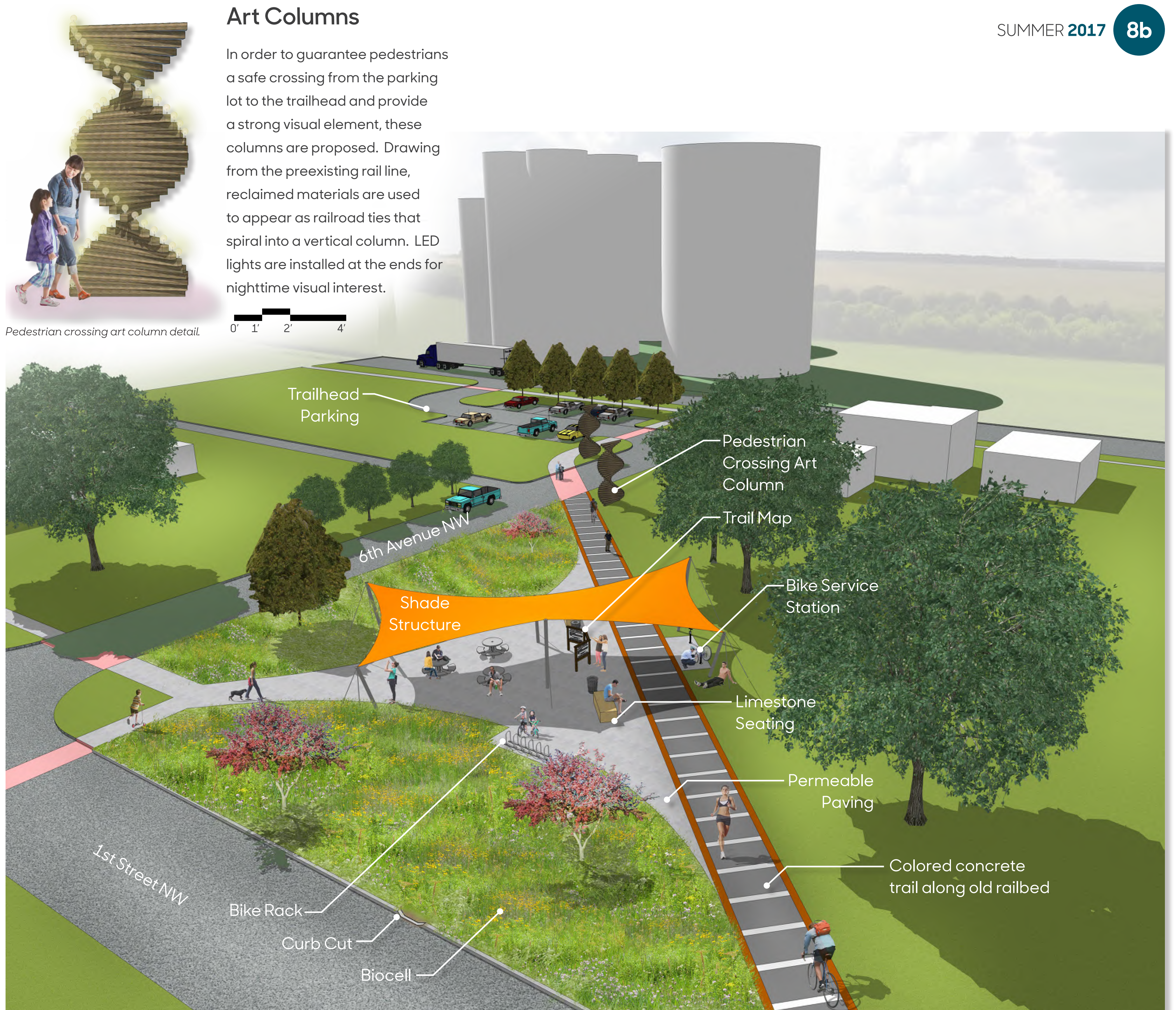
New Trailhead

The unused railway that traverses the northern edge of Clarion is a great opportunity for a walking/bike trail. There are several parcels owned by the local Co-op where the trailhead and a parking area is sited. Located in close proximity to County K, visitors park on the south side of 6th Avenue and walk across to the trailhead area. Pedestrians coming from the east are able to enter from the southeast corner.

At the center of the space is a trail map kiosk showing the route it takes throughout town. Surrounding the kiosk is a bike repair station, various seating options, and artwork commemorating the decommissioned railroad.

Environmental concerns are present with any new project. Permeable pavers are used in the primary gathering area and bio cells capture excess stormwater from the street. Prairie plantings within those bio cells help with soil remediation and provide year-round color and fragrances.

Clarion
Trailhead



Bird's eye view of the trailhead, looking southwest.

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