31ST and STATE ST PARKING LOT/BUS STOP



McCORMICK TRIBUNE STUDENT CENTER SITE



ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY **CAMPUS SITE PLAN**



The 31st Street parking lot is a large area, ideal for collecting water run-off. The BMPs will divert destructive chemicals from entering our sewage system and instead will process these chemicals through biological functions. The redesigned bus stop will serve as an educational tool to inform the public about BMP's and their purpose.



Wha	at is Porous Concrete?
	Porous Concrete , like porous asphalt, can bear frequent traffic and is universally accessible. It's quality depends on its installer's experience and knowledge.
How	/ it works?
	Porous Concrete is a type of permable paver that allows water run off from the surfac to be absorbed down into the ground, throug multible layers of agregate, easing the threat of flooding.
Why	/ Natural Grasses?



parking lot.

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The 33rd and State St. site is locally known for flooding even during light rain. An ecological park would alleviate the areas drainage concerns.

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Planted Grasses are not native to the Illinois Region, but they can contribute to a well-manicured look to a green sirface of an eco-boulevard.

Mainly decorative use, unless excessive care (in addition to watering) is assumed. The planted grass does not hold water very well, therefore the sod requires high







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Situated along the highly visible State Street, the State Street Village (SSV) compliments a modern and sustainable design. Architectural and eco-friendly feature are visible to both students and locals.



What is Grass Block? Grass Blocks are designed to overcome some of the difficulties associated with early pre-cast systems

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STATE STREET VILLAGE/PARKING LOT

