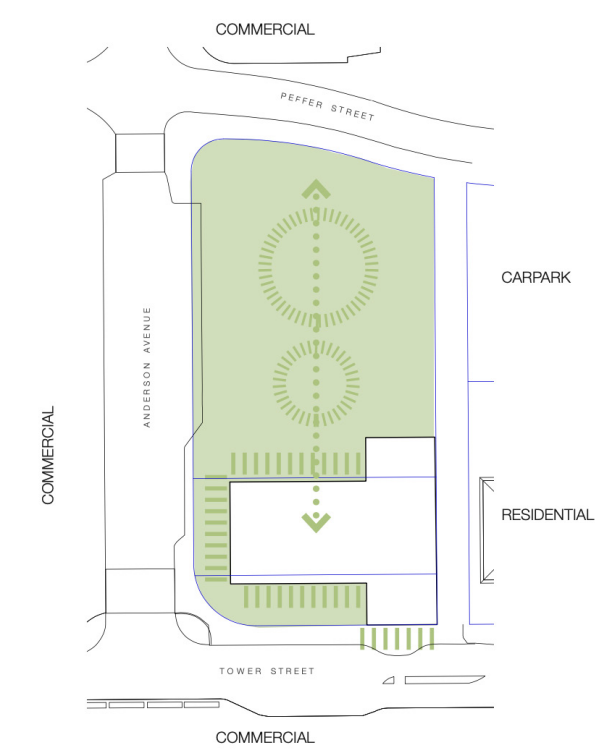


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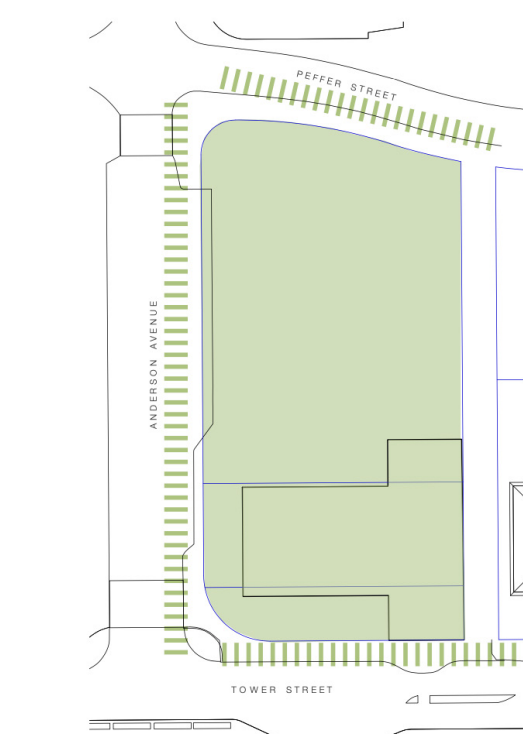


- 1 New Panania Library and Knowledge Centre
- 2 New plaza and lawn
- 3 Expanded carpark (5 spaces, 1 loading bay)
- 4 Existing significant trees maintained
- 5 Northern lawn and landscaping
- 6 New amenities block
- 7 Southern lawn and relocated Nurse Schwarzel monument
- 8 Existing council owned carpark

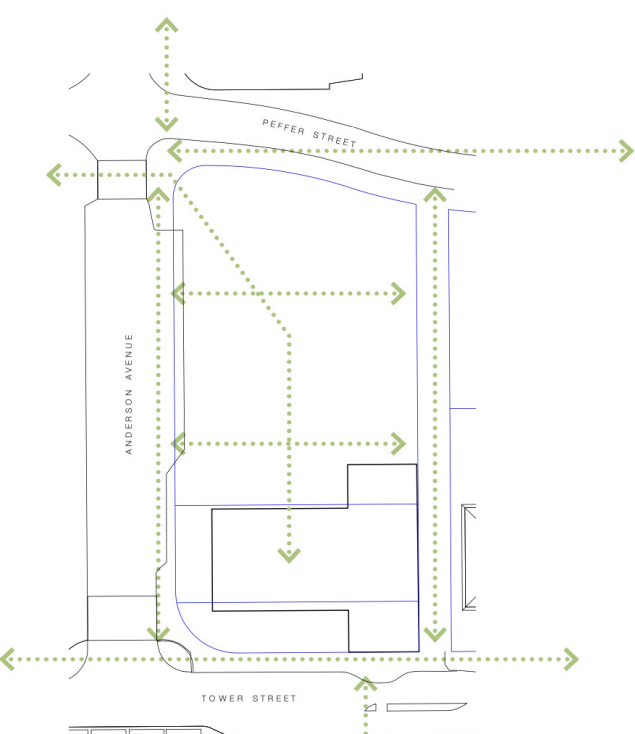
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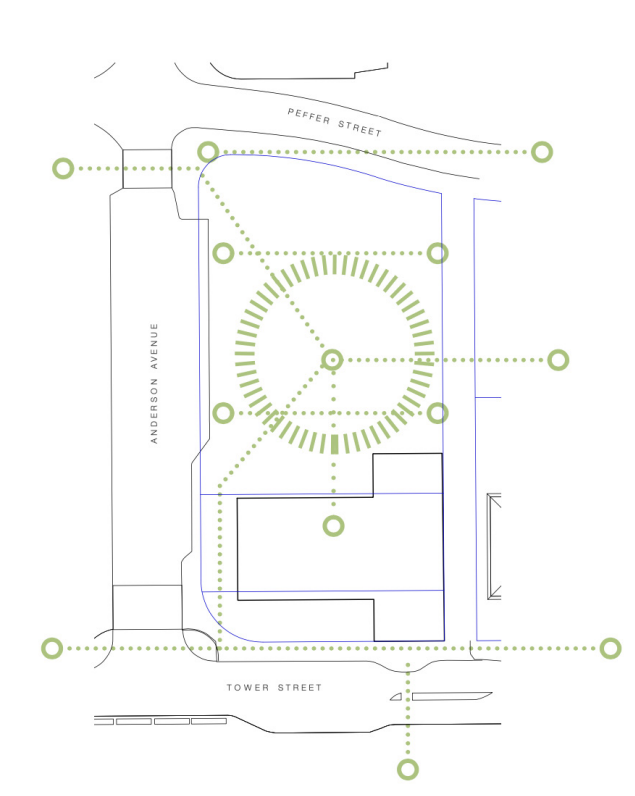
Context
A generous open green space linking the development seamlessly into the surrounding context and street network.



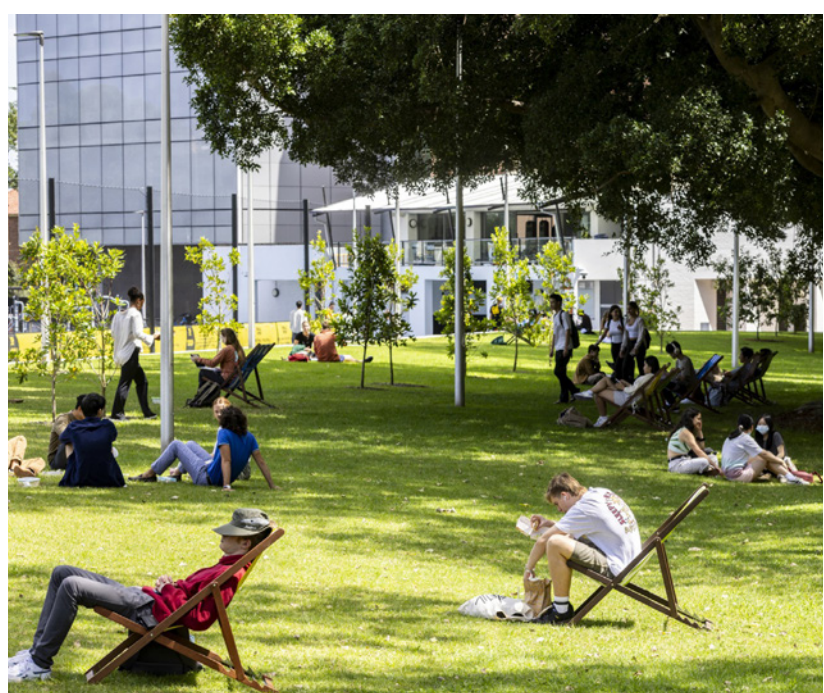
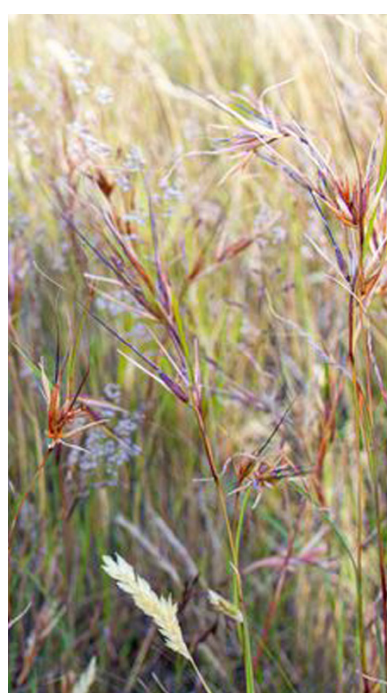
Cohesive
An overarching vision and design philosophy for a distinct urban landscape, reflective of the local community, history, site, and environment.



Connectivity
Enhanced permeability through pedestrian connection throughout. Improved access to public spaces that are visible and inclusive.



Responsive
Responds to surrounding natural features promoting visual connections to flora and fauna to allow nurturing and healing through landscape.



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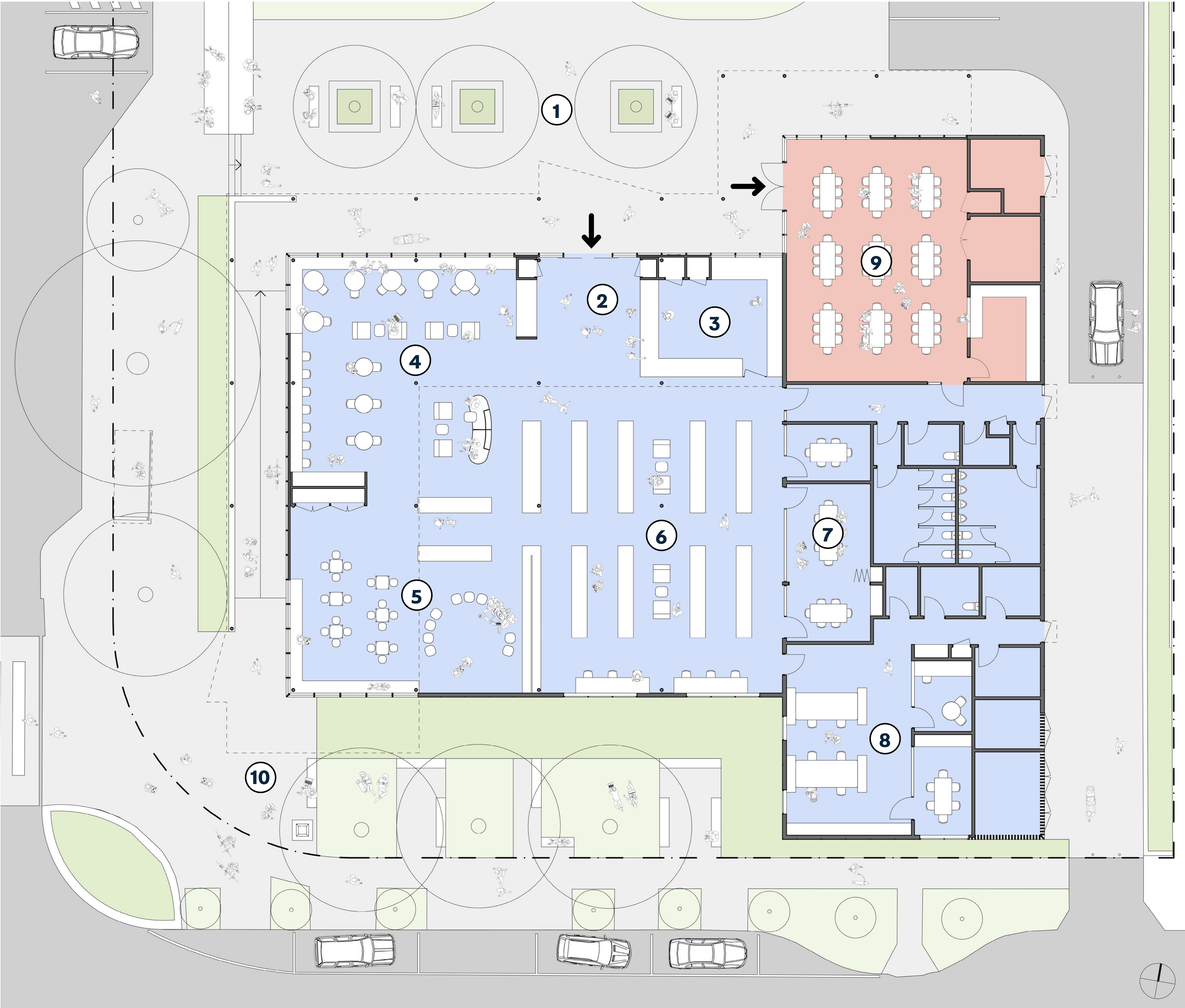


← Corner view of Anderson Avenue and Tower Street

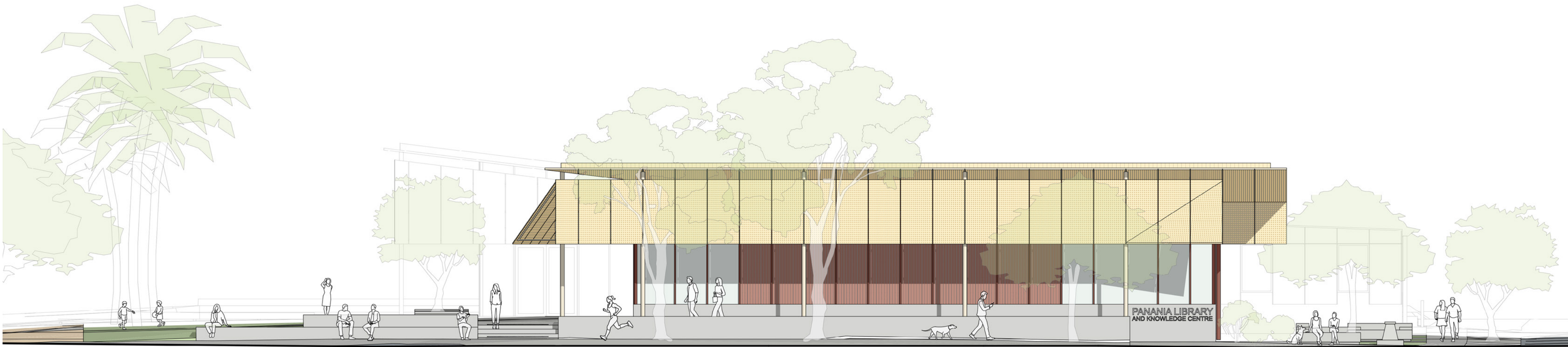
The building opens up to the town centre at the corner of Anderson Avenue and Tower Street, inviting the community in. Large windows reveal the library activities within and engage with the street.

↓ Ground floor plan

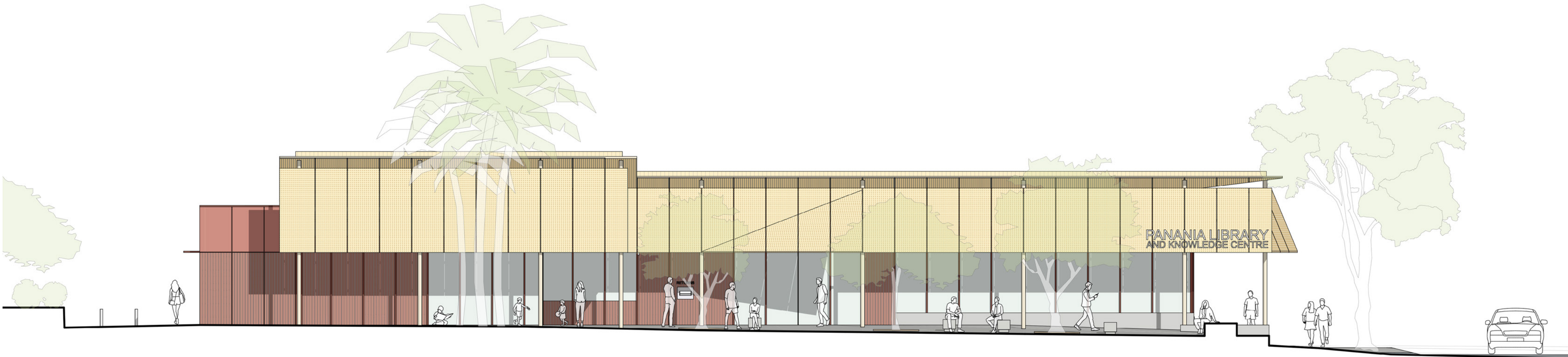
- 1 Plaza
- 2 Entry foyer
- 3 Information desk
- 4 Study lounge
- 5 Children's library
- 6 Library collection
- 7 Meeting rooms
- 8 Staff
- 9 Community room and kitchen
- 10 Approx. location of relocated Nurse Schwarzel monument



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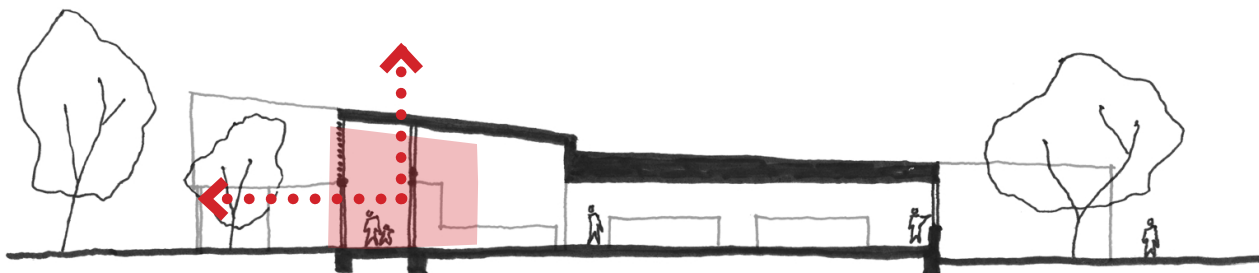
↑ West elevation (Anderson Avenue)



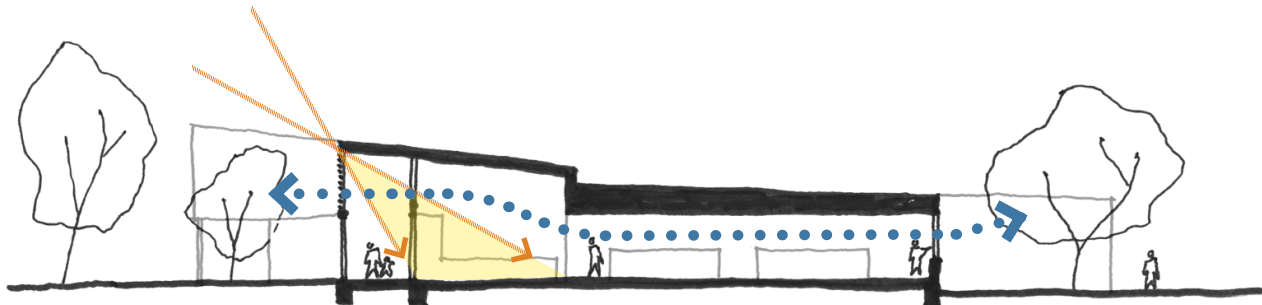
↑ North elevation (park)

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Expression
Primary active spaces are expressed as a taller, more civic scale volume. Secondary spaces are lower and encourage quieter activities.



Light and ventilation
The taller volume brings northern light deep into the active spaces, with high and low level windows drawing air through the space.



↓ View looking south from Anderson Avenue



A new plaza connects the Panania Library + Knowledge Hub to Anderson Avenue and a north facing park. The plaza includes a generous lawn, seating and areas for community activities such as markets.

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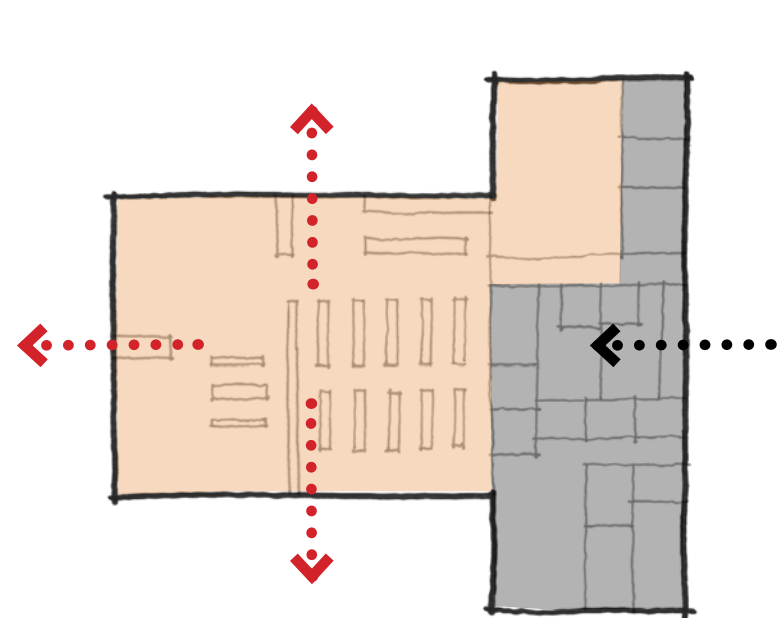
↑ View of library study lounge

A sunlit, north facing 'public room' with views to the town centre and a new park. The study lounge includes spaces for individual and group learning, reading and computers.

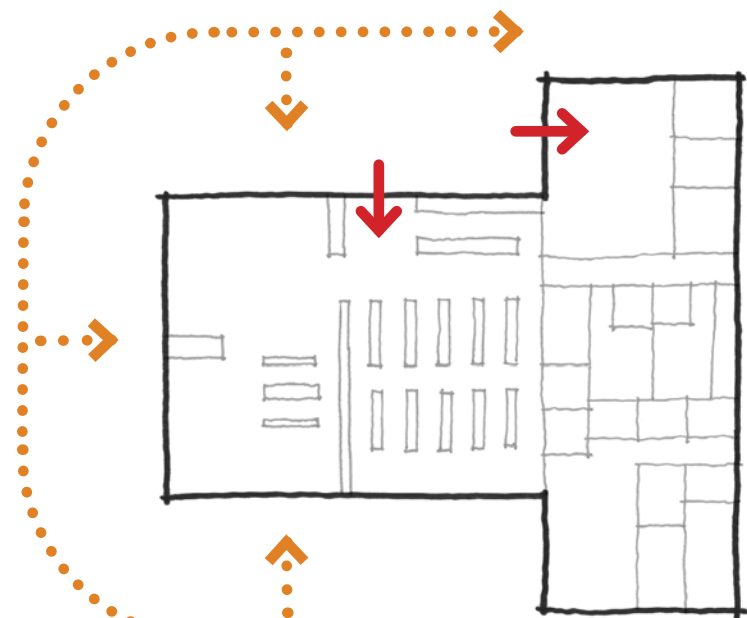
← View of community room

A hireable space for community activities such as dance classes, birthday parties, and presentations. The space is equipped with a kitchen, furniture store, and access to shared amenities.

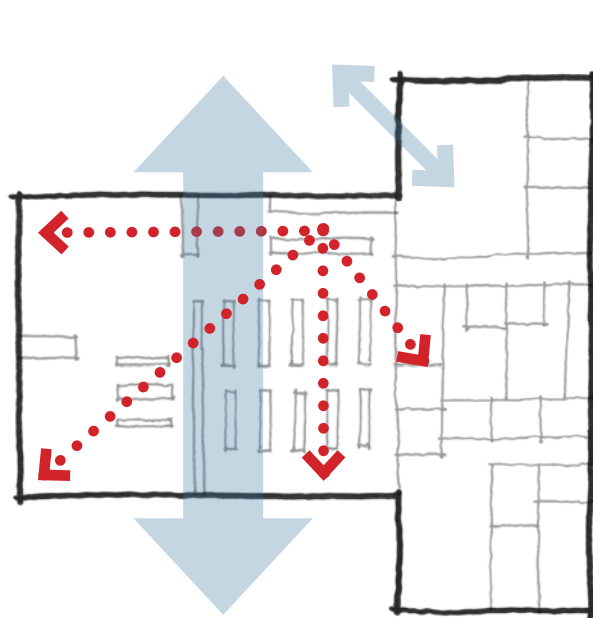
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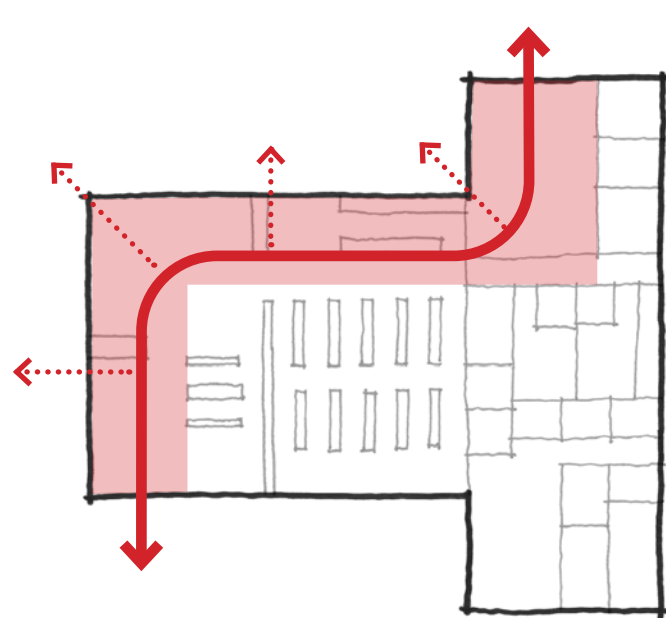
Primary and secondary
Primary library spaces address the street and park frontages. Secondary spaces address the lane for servicing and vehicular access.



Access and wayfinding
A building in the round. The library and community room entries address the park and are situated between the town centre and carpark.



Visual connection and supervision
The building promotes visual connection between Tower Street and the park landscape. Staff located for maximum supervision across the open plan library space.



A ribbon of activity
Active, primary spaces address the street frontages and park, creating a ribbon of activity.