

Smart Pole Aesthetics

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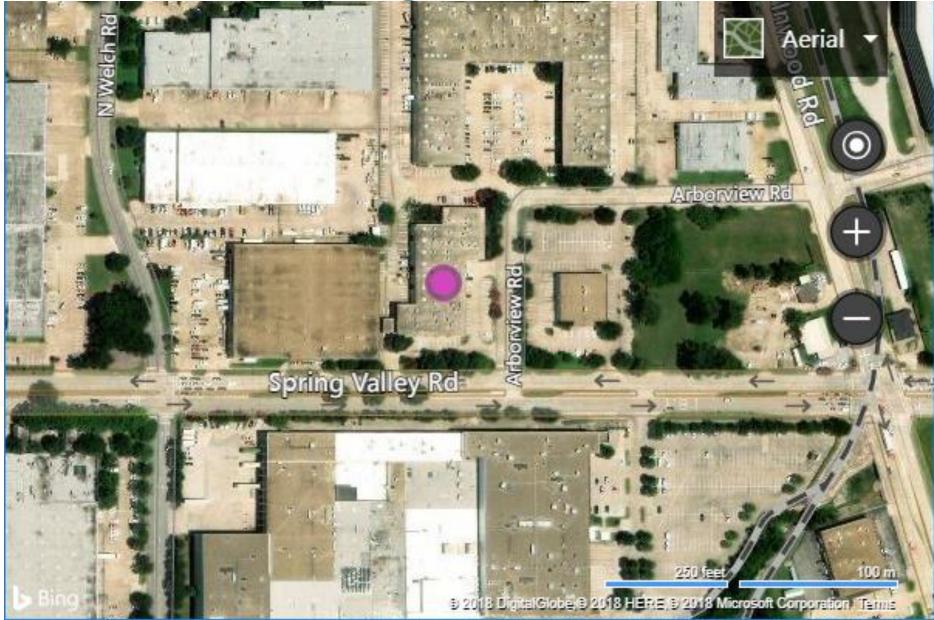
Overview

 Chapter 284 of the Local Government Code allows certain wireless network providers to install in the publics rights-of-way. Currently, the City has received a permit application for four sites to install KitstiKs in the City of Farmers Branch. As seen in the Smart City Project in The Grove, the KitstiK is designed to host small cell nodes. The City's Design Manual prescribes two primary options for the color of the KitstiK: bronze or black. There is discretion in the color choice and it can be altered by the City Manager.



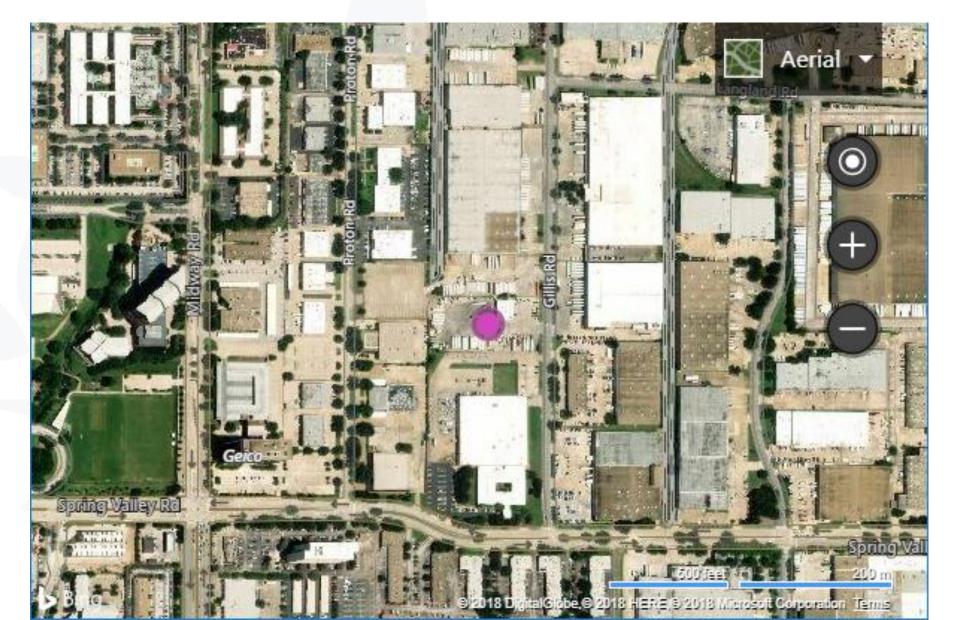


Site Location: 4801 Spring Valley Rd.



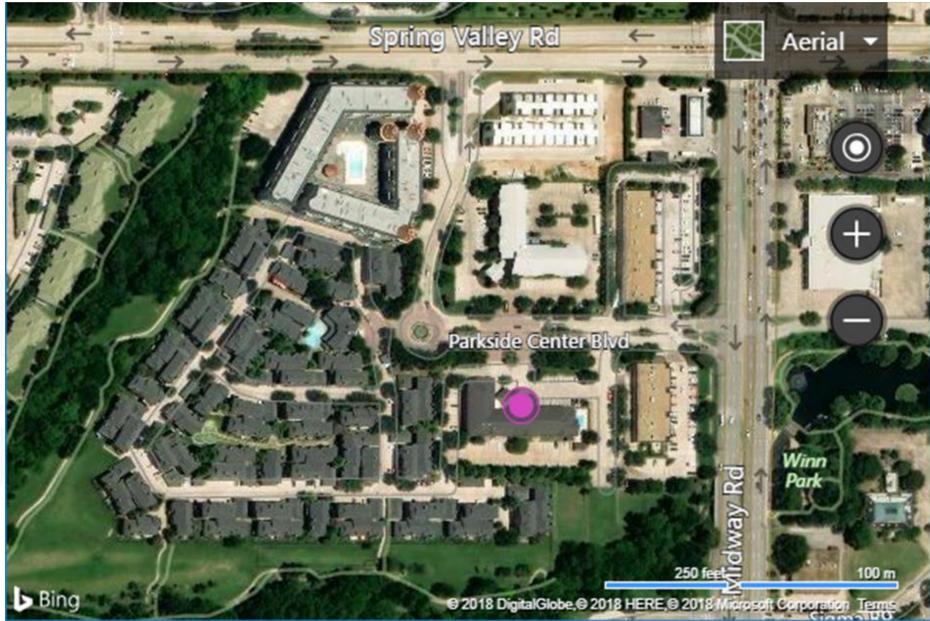


Site Location: 14315 Gillis Rd





Site Location: 4022 Parkside Center Blvd.





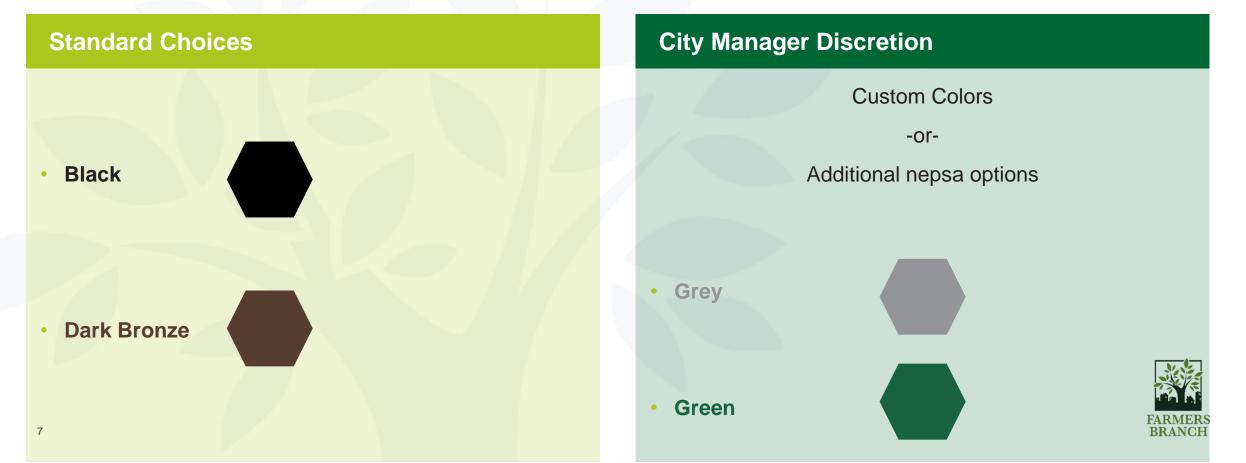
Site Location: 1881 Valley View Ln.





Aesthetic Options

City Farmers Branch adopted Ordinance No. 3458, for the design manual for the City of Farmers Branch that states, "Colors in Historic Districts and Design Districts must be approved by the City Manager from a palette of approved colors. Unless otherwise provided, all colors shall be dark bronze or black, or as approved by the City Manager shall match the background of any structure the facilities are located upon and all efforts shall be made for the colors to be inconspicuous."



Additional Considerations: Traffic Lights

Traffic Light Poles

- Resolution No. 89-011
 - Traffic poles shall be white at intersections at major thoroughfares.
 - The street lights on Marsh Lane from Valley View Lane north, shall be "kim" type fixtures on anodized bronze poles and the traffic signal poles shall be bronze color.
- Resolution No. 2007-024
 - The color of traffic signal poles shall be bronze color within the Transit Station Area, Mercer Crossing area, and the Mira Lago development. Repainting of existing traffic signal poles shall occur based









