







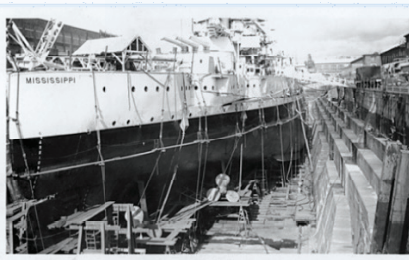
HISTORY, DEMOGRAPHICS AND SOCIAL FUNCTION



1990s: implementation of ongoing planning





1982: waterfront streetcar links waterfront activity
1970s: concerted effort for recreational development
1950s: 99 Viaduct built




1939-1945: World War II

1930s: Railroad Avenue is rebuilt as Alaskan Way/Seawall
1920s: World War I & the Great Depression retards growth





1911: Port of Seattle formed

1900s: transportation industry dictates development
1889: Great fire destroys much of downtown



1895: Klondike Gold Rush

1893: Great Northern Railroad is completed, ending in Seattle
1873: Seattle loses bid for Northern Pacific Railroad (N-S) terminus



1852: Henry Yesler develops Yesler steam mill

1900: large reclamation projects reshape the waterfront - monopolies

prior to 1792: Salish uses included hunting, fishing, gathering

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LEGEND







commuters (car)

commuters (foot/bike)




tourists (car)

tourist (foot/bike)

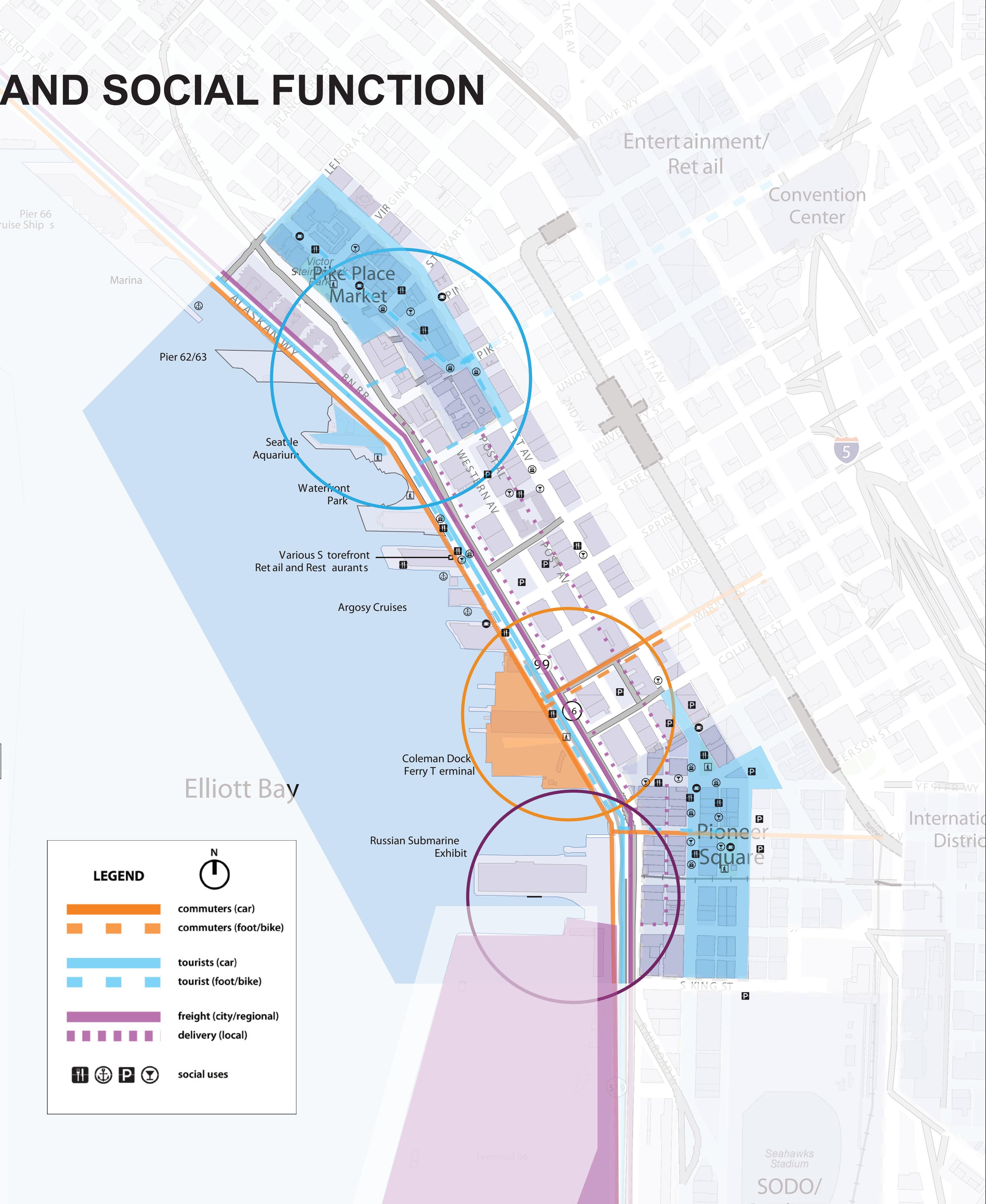


freight (city/regional)

delivery (local)



social uses



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