

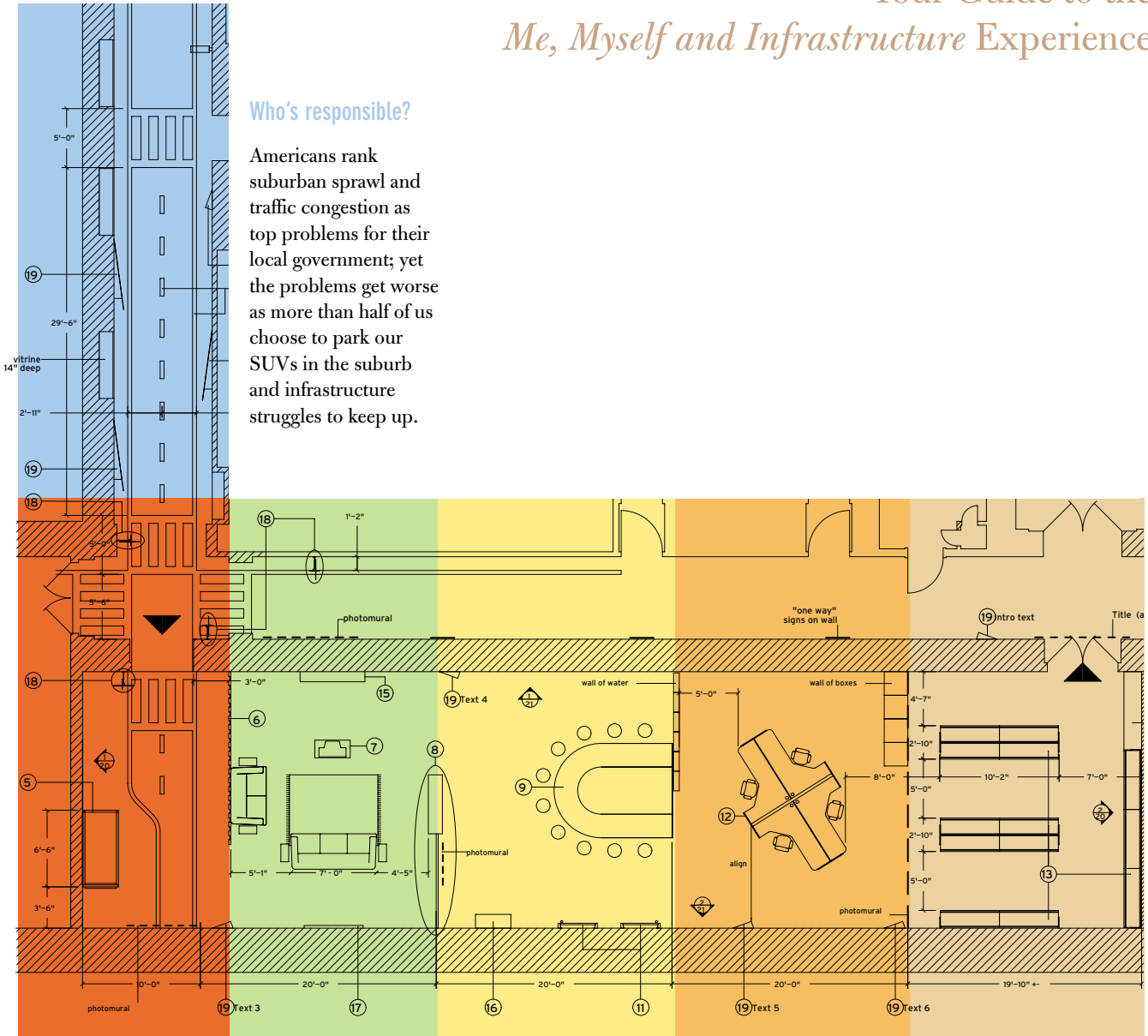
ME, MYSELF AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Private Lives and Public Works in America

Your Guide to the *Me, Myself and Infrastructure* Experience

Who's responsible?

Americans rank suburban sprawl and traffic congestion as top problems for their local government; yet the problems get worse as more than half of us choose to park our SUVs in the suburb and infrastructure struggles to keep up.



① Plan

Is it Safe?

A walk across the street seems natural, but it is an engineered activity. The road, traffic light, crosswalk, warning sign, street lighting, and sidewalk provide the infrastructure behind pedestrian and vehicle traffic.

Why So Big?

From the rivers, dams and pipes that carry clean water, to the intricate technology infrastructure behind cellular telephones and the Internet, “home sweet home” relies on a series of hidden, yet massive infrastructures.

Is It Available?

Dependable, safe and affordable water is the basis of all life. Our water supply infrastructure makes it easy to take the most precious resource for granted, daily, in a cup, with coffee, milk, and sugar.

How Much Does It Cost?

From the microchip and cathode ray tube (CRT) to the World Wide Web, infrastructure plays a vital role in the information age.

How Long Will It Last?

Most Americans have shopped in a “big box” discount store at one time or another. Consider the permanence of infrastructure and the products it delivers by exploring this trend in suburbia.