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## 1: The Marshall

Status: Complete

<u>Development</u>: New Jersey-based Aptitude Development is in the process of building a 369,000 sqft student apartment building with 508 beds and 282 parking spaces at 3834 Forest Park Ave next to City Foundry. A \$28M building permit was issued in May 2023. This project completed April 2025.

Investment: \$40M

### 2: Albion West End

Status: Planned

Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: The proposed Albion West End apartment tower at 4974 Lindell Blvd would built next to the 100 Above the Park luxury apartment tower & St. Regis historical hotel/ apartment building. The project is proposed to be 30-stories tall with 293 luxury apartments at the front door of Forest Park. Also featured will be ground-floor retail spaces to create a mixed-use development. After being put on hold for over a year, the project is finally moving forward, with construction slated to start early in 2025. Investment: \$145M

## 3: 4050 Lindell Blvd

Status: Proposed

Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: Local developers Sansone & Steadfast City have Lindell Red Cross property under contract & plan to renovate it into 109 apts + 166 new construction units on surface lot facing West Pine Investment: Unknown

## 4: 4175 Washington Ave

Status: Proposed

**Expected Completion: Unknown** 

Development: A single family home is set to be built on a plot of vacant land at 4175 Washington Ave. A \$325K building permit was submitted in early August. Investment: \$325K

## 5: Cortex SCIF

Status: Planned

Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: A new 120,000 sqft SCIF (sensitive compartmented information facility) located at 4052 Forest Park Ave is coming to the Cortex, aimed at accommodating geospatial companies conducting classified business. The SCIF was initially estimated to begin construction in 2022 and open to tenants in early 2024, but may now be behind schedule. Investment: Unknown

## 6: 4311 Olive St

Status: Planned

Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: 17 townhouses have been proposed on a parking lot used by The Sanctuary, an apartment building next door to the property. The townhouses are designed to look modern and brick cladded. A \$4.4M builidng permit was submitted in July 2022 and variances were approved at a Board of Adjustent meeting in March 2023. Investment: \$4.4M

## 7: The Bridge

Status: Planned Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: The Bridge is a mixed-use project planned for an empty lot on the corner of Delmar and Euclid. It will include 199 units, 12,000 sqft of retail, a pool, courtyard, rooftop patio, and more. There are over 330 structured parking spaces for residents and the general public. Building permits worth over \$35M were submitted in 2022, but no signs of construction have appeared yet. Investment: \$63M

8: 4235 Lindell Blvd

Status: Proposed Development: A building permit was submitted in June 2025 for the development of a 13 room hotel at this location.

Investment: \$400K

## 9: Carriage Works

Status: Under Construction

Expected Completion: Spring 2025

<u>Development</u>: Developer CW Laclede LLC was recently granted a building permit for \$500,000 in interior and exterior alterations to convert this former carriage manufacturer to office and retail space. Construction is underway, and so far has included new windows and doors for both buildings. The exterior is complete and the interior work is nearing completion as of June 2025. Investment: Unknown

**10: Makers District East Gateway** 

Status: Planned

Expected Completion: Unknown

<u>Development</u>: Developers plan to replace this strip center with a new entry plaza to the Makers District. This location was greatly impacted by the tornado in April 2025, so work will likely be stalled going forward. Investment: Unknown

**11: Cortex Apartments** Status: Planned Expected Completion: Unknown Development: A 262-unit apartment building will be built on what is currently a surface parking lot. The six-story building would include a 515-stall parking garage and 10,000 sqft of retail along Duncan and Boyle. Cortex plans to start construction Q1 of 2025. Investment: \$50M

## 12: 4430-4432 Laclede Ave

Status: Proposed **Expected Completion: Unknown** Development: A new home will be built on 4430-4432 Laclede. The proposed 3,686 sqft home is designed to be accessible on the first floor with an attached garage. Investment: Unknown

13: BJC Plaza West Tower Status: Under Construction

Expected Completion: Fall 2025 Development: Construction has started on a new 660,000 sqft inpatient building on the site of the demolished Queeny Tower. It will include 224 private care rooms, 56 ICU rooms, and a variety of other facilities. The project is nearing completion as of June 2025. Investment: Unknown

14: Independent Center Senior Apartments Status: Under Construction Expected Completion: Unknown

<u>Development</u>: A new 4-story apartment building for seniors is being planned by the Independence Center and ND Consulting Group at 4221 Forest Park Ave. It will contain 38 apartments, 34 of which will be reserved for tenants with low-income salaries. Construction has begun as of October 2024. Investment: \$11M+

15: Goodwill Building Redevelopment

Status: Under Construction Expected Completion: Unknown <u>Development</u>: Washington University is currently in the process of renovating what used to be the local headquarters of Goodwill at 4140 Forest Park Ave into a business and innovation hub. A \$27M building permit was issued in March 2024 and construction is underway. Investment: \$33M+

16: Saint Louis Chess Club Expansion Status: Under Construction Expected Completion: Unknown Investment: \$8M

Development: The renowned Saint Louis Chess Club is expanding its current site into multiple retail bays next door. The plans include new classroom space, more room for tournaments, and chess-inspired restaurant. An \$8M building permit was issued in January 2023. Exterior alterations are complete while interior work continues to drag on.

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## 17: Cortex K and MX

Status: Planned

### Expected Completion: Early 2027

Development: KDG Development has proposed a 3-part project on approximately 20 acres bounded by Boyle, Sarah, the MetroLink tracks, and I-64. This development, Cortex K, will contain office, residential and parking space alongside pedestrian improvements. The main office complex will be comprised of a 125,000 sqft office building with 7,000 sqft of retail and a 610 space parking garage. The adjacent apartment building - Cortex MX - will contain 160 units spread over 7 stories, 18,500 sqft of office space, and 2,150 sqft of retail The developer has sought \$14M in TIF assistance. A \$27M building permit application was submitted for the first project in March 2023. Construction is set to begin early 2025. Investment: \$99M

## 18: Ambulatory Cancer Building (Siteman Cancer Center)

Status: Complete

<u>Development</u>: WUSM has constucted a cancer center at the SW corner of Forest Park Avenue and Taylor Avenue. The building includes five floors of clinic space, one floor of office space, and a 430-space parking garage for patients. The project also involves street improvements. A \$75.9M building permit was issued in August 2022. The center opened its doors to the public on September 30th, 2024.

Investment: \$1.1B

## 19: Steven & Susan Lipstein BJC Institute of Health Expansion

Status: Under Construction

Expected Completion:Spring 2025

Development: WUSM is adding 6 floors to a its Steven & Susan Lipstein BJC Institute of Health building located at 425 S Euclid Ave next to the Central West End MetroLink station. This expansion will add 160,000 sqft to the existing structure, including a 7,900 sqft infectious disease lab. At present, the new floors are near completion, though the outdoor plaza is still yet to be renovated. Investment: \$165M

## 20: 4384 McPherson Ave

Status: Planned

Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: A \$550k building permit has been issued for a custom new construction single-family home. The most recent building permit was submitted in November 2023. Investment: Unknown



Status: Proposed Expected Completion: Unknown Development: Proposed 7-story, 185-unit apartment building at 4494 Lindell Blvd, modernizing and adding onto the Optimist International Building. The project would includes 3,600 sqft of ground-floor retail space and a 206-space parking garage. However, the Cultural Resources Office has recommended denial due to concerns about preserving the existing building's architectural significance. Investment: N/A Expected Completion: N/A

## 22: 4308 Laclede Ave

21: The International Hotel

Status: Complete

Development: A 3-unit townhome is being constructed on a formerly vacant lot. Work on this development completed in May 2025.

Investment: \$900K

## 23: The Flats at Forest Park

Status: Planned Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: Pier Property Group plans to add 5 floors to the old Reliance Automotive building at 490 North Kingshighway. The final product would include 120 high-end apartments, doing so by adding the 5 residential floors to the current Reliance building with 2 floors being reserved for parking. Construction is projected to begin in January 2025. Investment: \$45M

24: 3910 Olive St Status: Planned Expected Completion: Unknown Development: A \$690K building permit was issued for a new 3-family home on the Eastern edge of the neighborhood. Investment: \$690K

Investment: \$25M 29: Bel Air Social Status: Planned Expected Completion: Summer 2025

## **25: Altitude Student Housing**

Status: Planned

Development: SLU is partnering with 2 developers to build a new 12-story apartment tower oriented towards graduate students just south of campus at 3800 Laclede Ave. It will have 314 units, 178 parking spots, and 3,000 sqft of retail space. An \$85M building permit was submitted in November 2023.

Investment: \$85M

26: 41 Lindell Apartments Status: Planned Expected Completion: Unknown Investment: Unknown

# 27: 4376 Washington Blvd Status: Under Construction Expected Completion: Summer 2025 Investment: \$180,000

28: Air St Louis

Status: Proposed

Development: Kansas City-based Garrison and MW Companies are planning 212 apartments over 7 stories at 4120-4144 Lindell Blvd. It will include 1,350 sqft of retail space and 2 levels of parking. The property requires approval for its site plan and tax abatement application. The project has stalled but plans are still in place as of November 2024.

Development: A two story home and detatched garage set to be constructed on a vacant lot. Construction appears to have begun as of April 2025.

Expected Completion: Unknown

Development: DMG Investments, a New York-based real estate firm plans to develop apartments at 3901 Forest Park Ave. The proposed \$25 million project, called "Air St. Louis," is still in its early stages, with a zoning-only permit filed in August. Preliminary plans include ground-floor retail and multiple floors of apartment.

Development: Abbott Hospitality is renovating the historic Bel Air Motel located at 4630 Lindell Blvd into a gathering space with coffee bar, cocktails, and dining vendors. The project is slated to open to the public in summer 2025. Investment: Unknown