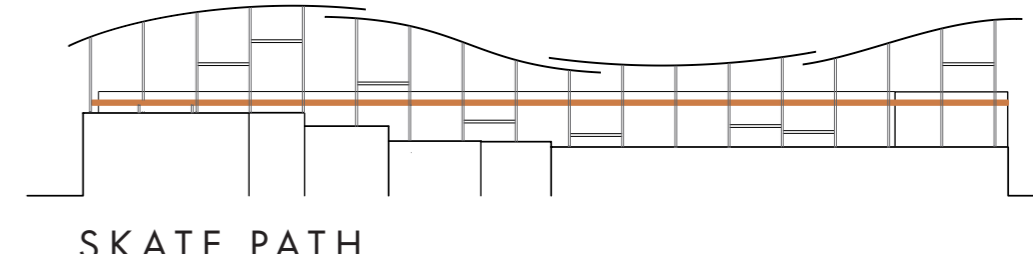
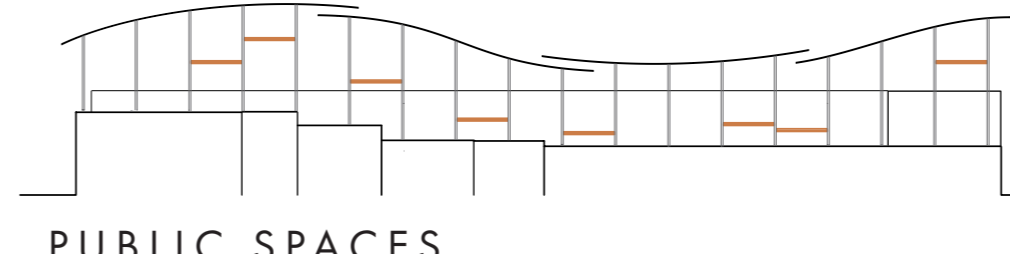
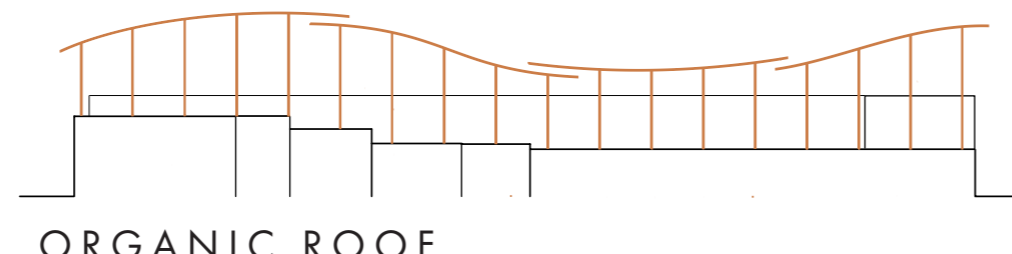
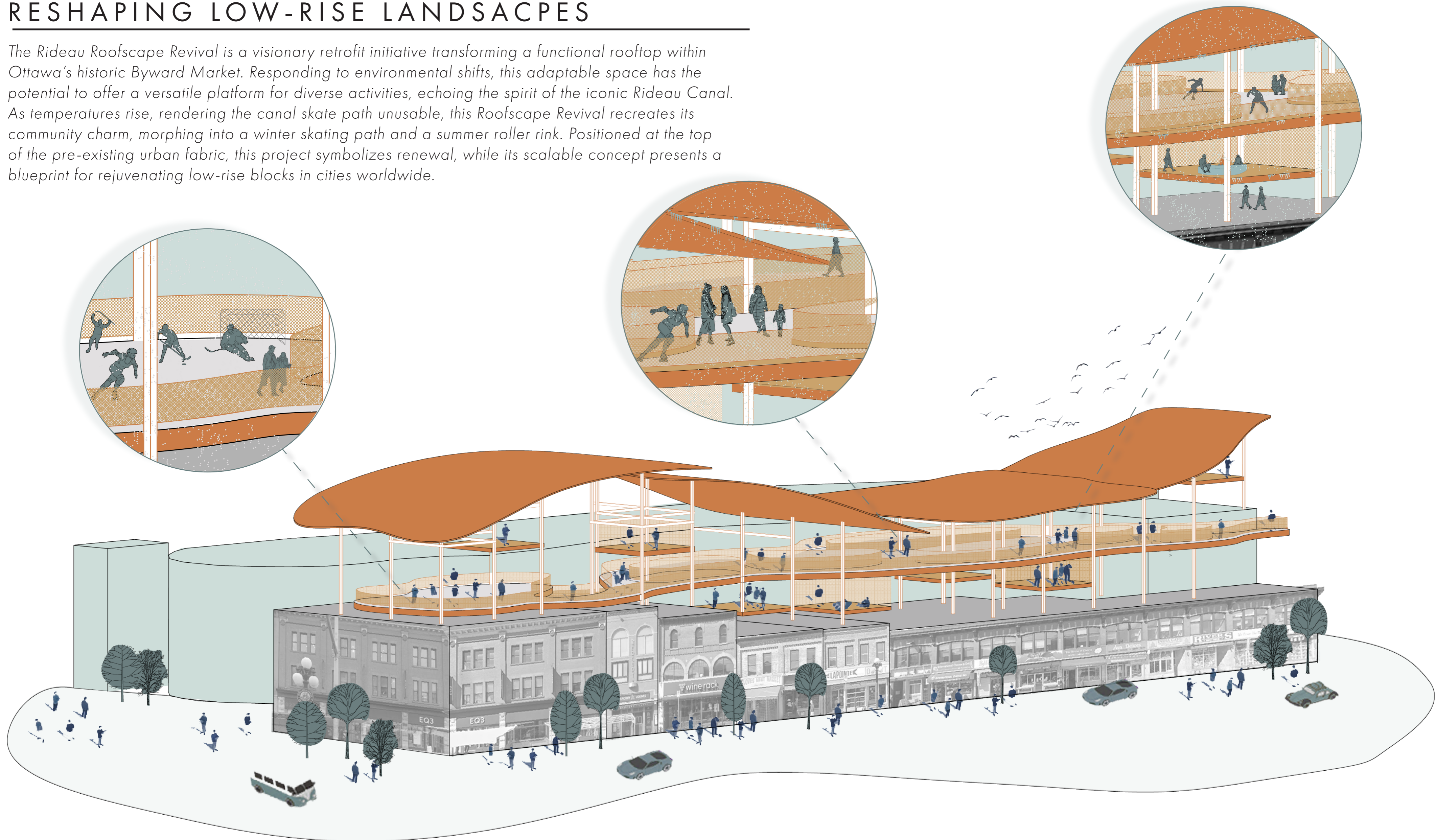


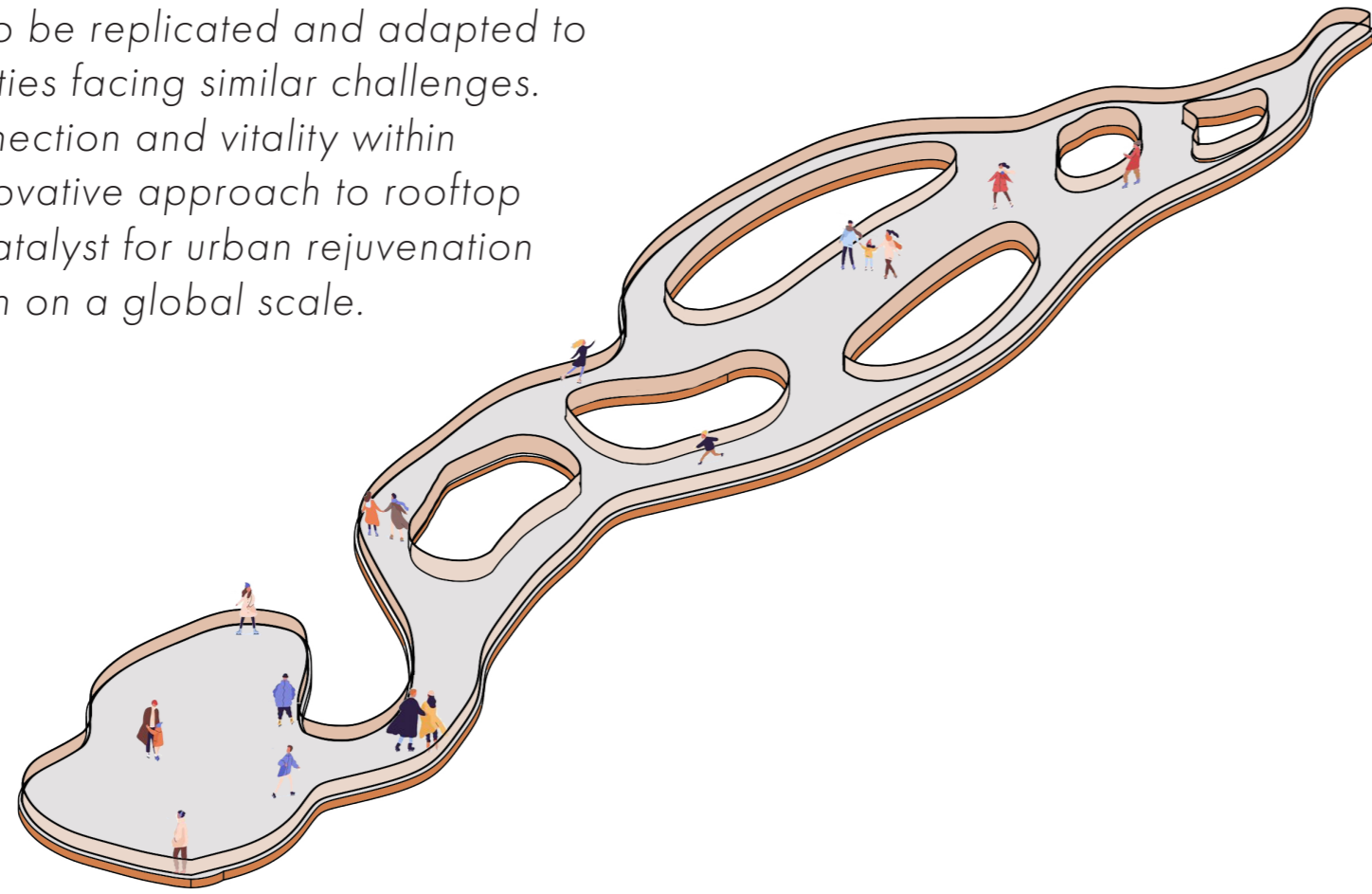
RIDEAU ROOFSCAPE REVIVAL

RESHAPING LOW-RISE LANDSCAPES

The Rideau Roofscape Revival is a visionary retrofit initiative transforming a functional rooftop within Ottawa's historic Byward Market. Responding to environmental shifts, this adaptable space has the potential to offer a versatile platform for diverse activities, echoing the spirit of the iconic Rideau Canal. As temperatures rise, rendering the canal skate path unusable, this Roofscape Revival recreates its community charm, morphing into a winter skating path and a summer roller rink. Positioned at the top of the pre-existing urban fabric, this project symbolizes renewal, while its scalable concept presents a blueprint for rejuvenating low-rise blocks in cities worldwide.



Beyond its immediate context, the overarching idea of the project holds the potential to be replicated and adapted to low-rise blocks in various cities facing similar challenges. By fostering a sense of connection and vitality within urban environments, this innovative approach to rooftop retrofitting can serve as a catalyst for urban rejuvenation and community revitalization on a global scale.



During winter months, the rooftop will transform into a skating path



In the warmer seasons, the space will transition into a vibrant roller rink, fostering a sense of community and leisure reminiscent of summer days by the canal

