Progress on Master Plan
Why is the work of Selby Gardens important?
All Life on Earth Depends on Plants

- Plants provide
  - 96% of the oxygen we breathe
  - Food
  - Medicine
  - Shelter
  - Clean water
  - A cooling system for our planet
Selby Gardens’ Role

• Advance plant research to inform worldwide conservation efforts

• Build awareness about the importance of plants to life as we know it
Why must we make Selby Gardens’ new Master Plan a reality?
To solve these key challenges:

• World’s best scientifically-documented collection of Orchids and Bromeliads housed in aging infrastructure located in a flood zone

• Thousands of visitors who wish to connect with Selby Gardens can not be accommodated

• Preserving historical treasures and our 15-acre oasis in the heart of downtown for generations to come
Consolidation of Operations into Efficient Structures = 50 % More Green Space

• All new structures feature the most cutting-edge sustainable architecture to make Selby Gardens an international model
  • Solar energy
  • Green roofs
  • Storm water management systems that return clean water to Sarasota Bay
  • Resilience standards up to a Category 5 hurricane
Breakthroughs and Innovations

- World’s first certified Net Positive Energy botanical garden complex
- World’s first certified Net Positive Energy Living Community
- World’s first certified Net Positive Energy restaurant
2015 IECC
U.S. Green Building Council
Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Rating System

International Living Futures Institute (ILFI) Rating System

MARIE SELBY BOTANICAL GARDENS
Rooftop Edible Garden
Three-phase, 10-Year Master Plan
Phase Two
Phase Three
Phase I Timing

• Largest portion of the project
• Contingent on securing funding, permitting, and zoning – break ground in fall 2019
• Construction – 14 months
The Team
INNOVATING A GREENER FUTURE

Living Inspiration for a Living Museum: The Campaign for Selby Gardens
$92,000,000,000
Campaign Goal
$72,000,000
Capital Costs

$20,000,000
Endowment and Operating
Phase One Goal

$42,500,000
Total raised to-date

$21,800,000

More than 50%!