Agile houses and neighborhoods
What makes places unplanned?

Unique framework
Non-zoning regulations
Spontaneous/temporal/incremental development
Rapid change
Micro organization without macro
Overview

Informal

Formal

New Ideas

Conclusion

Figure 2 Typical Examples of Temporary Dwellings
Unplanned neighborhood: Salvador, Brazil

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Unplanned Boston: 1838
Unplanned home: Mobile home

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Disadvantages

- Lack of coordination
- Illegible street system
- Expensive infrastructure
- Uncertainty for future
- Overcrowding
- Specific desires are fulfilled
- Creation of unique places and agile spaces
- Mixed uses
- Less waste of space
- Promotes community relationships
Examples

Downtown Chicago
Manhattan
Boston
  Back Bay
  Rindge Towers, near Alewife
  CambridgePark Place
Levittown
Provide advantages of unplanned

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Agile spaces
Community relationships
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### Imposters

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This is the IMAGE CITY
ARCHITECT AND URBAN DESIGNER’S CONTRIBUTION TO THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT.
IF WE ADDED ONE MORE FLOOR TO BOSTON BACK BAY, WE COULD SOLVE THE HOUSING SHORTAGE IN THE CITY

ZONING – prevents agility?
Buckminster Fuller, 1945
Kas Oosterhuis, 2003
Infrastructure:
- Search engines (Google)
- Electric outlets
- Power sources
- Sensors and devices
1. Clockwork City
2. Streamline City
3. Quantum City
4. Image City
5. Agile City
Can you *plan* agile communities?