

# Putting Map Kit in Perspective

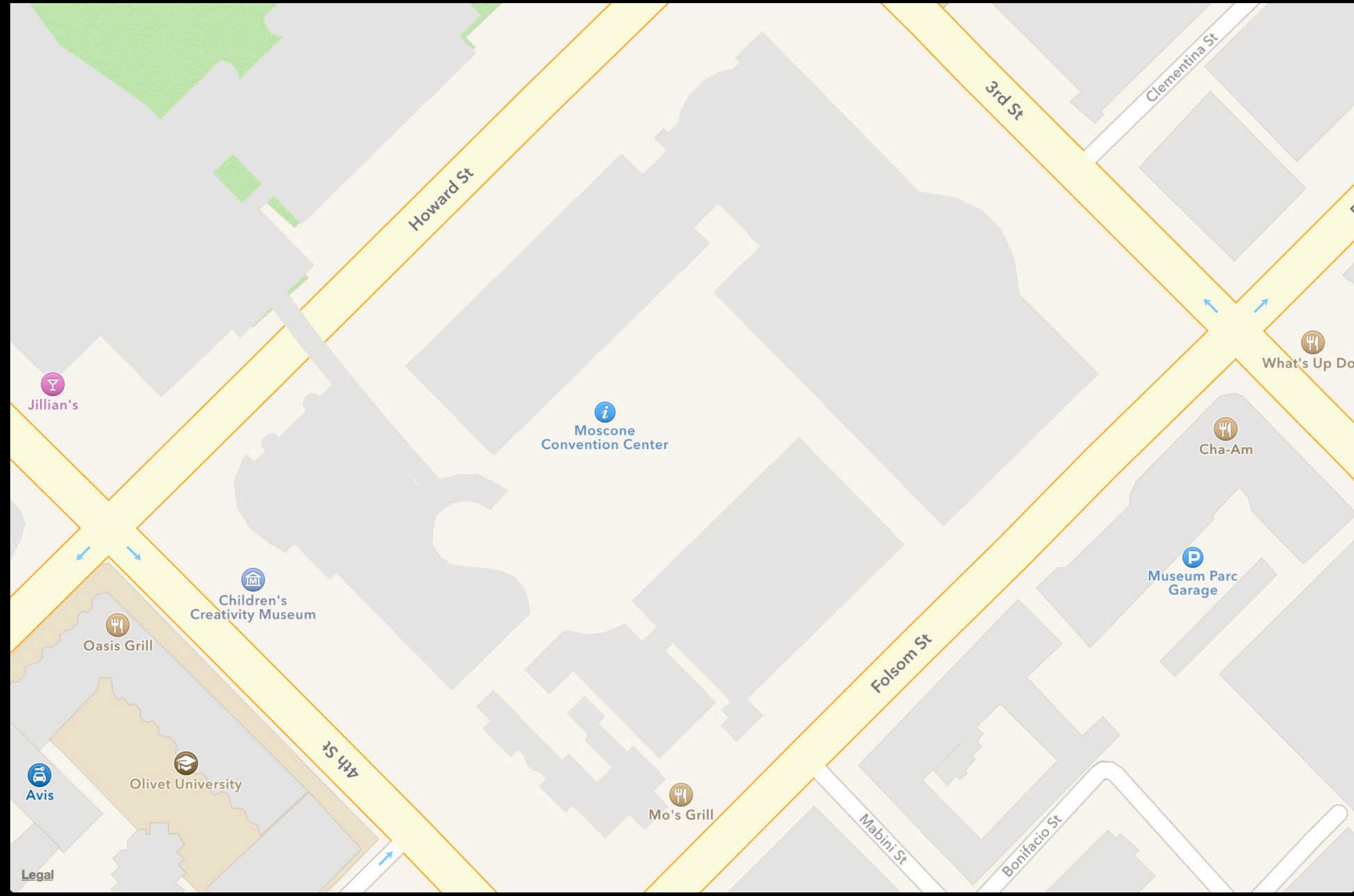
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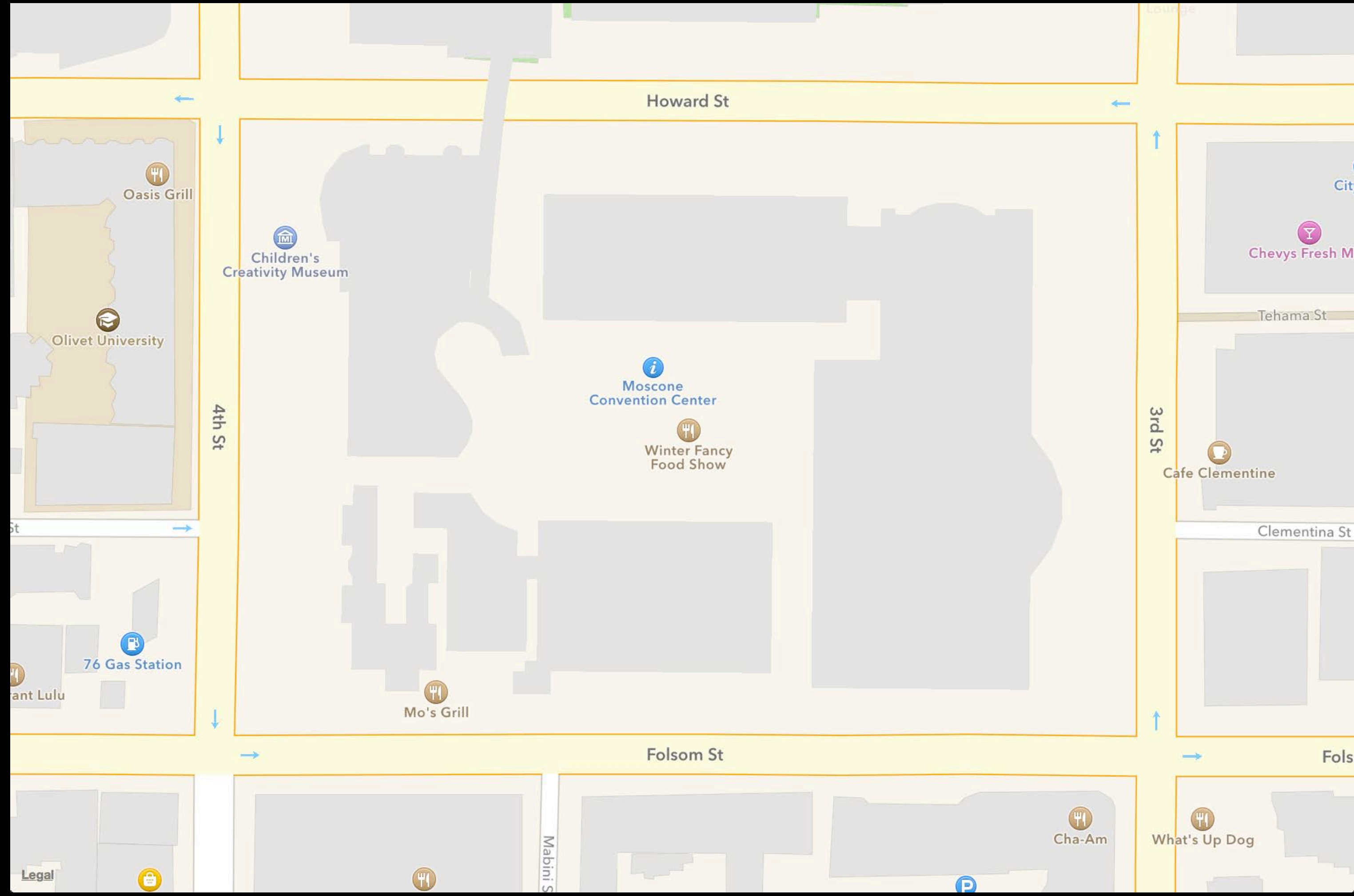
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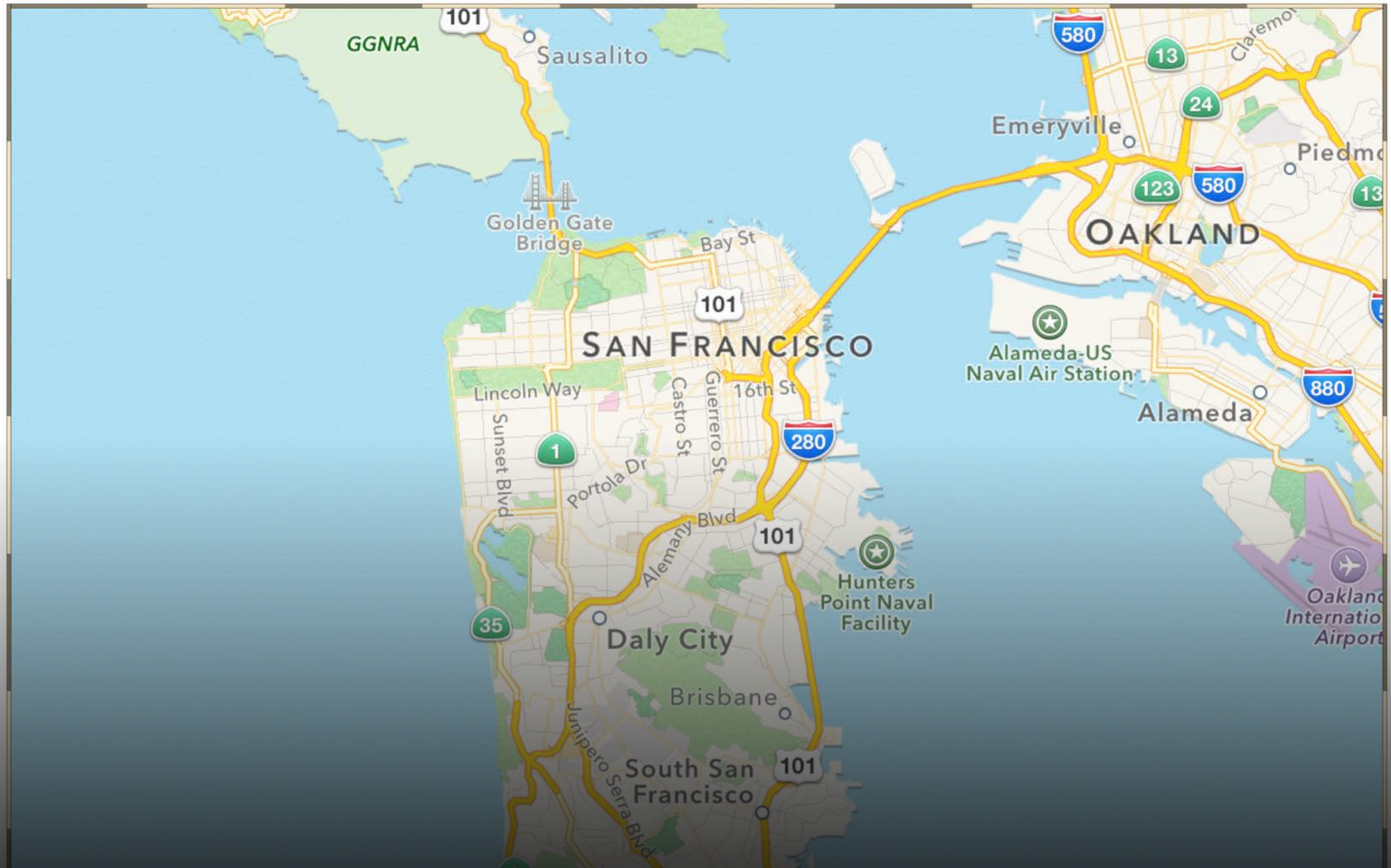
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**Now in *Map Kit***







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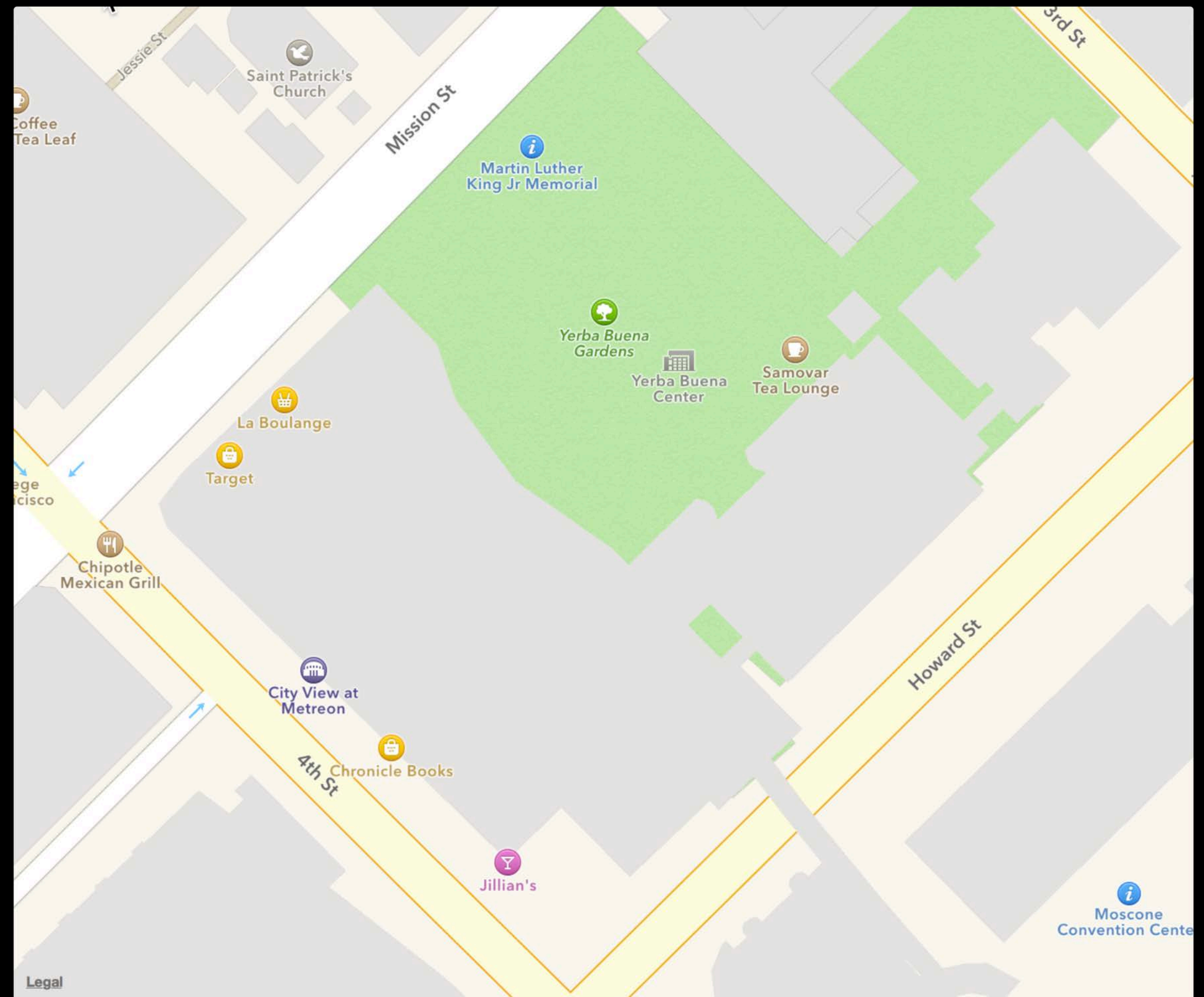
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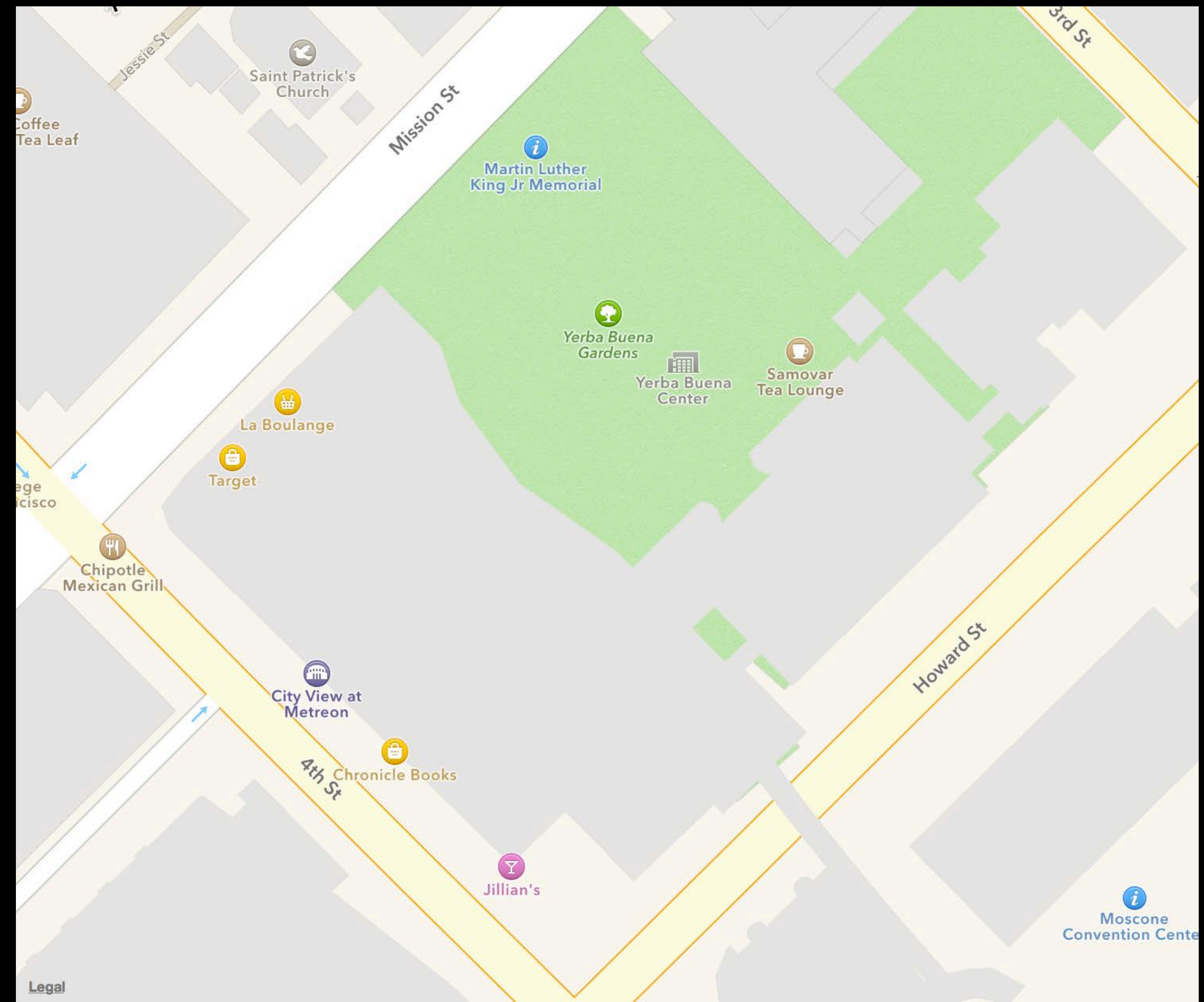
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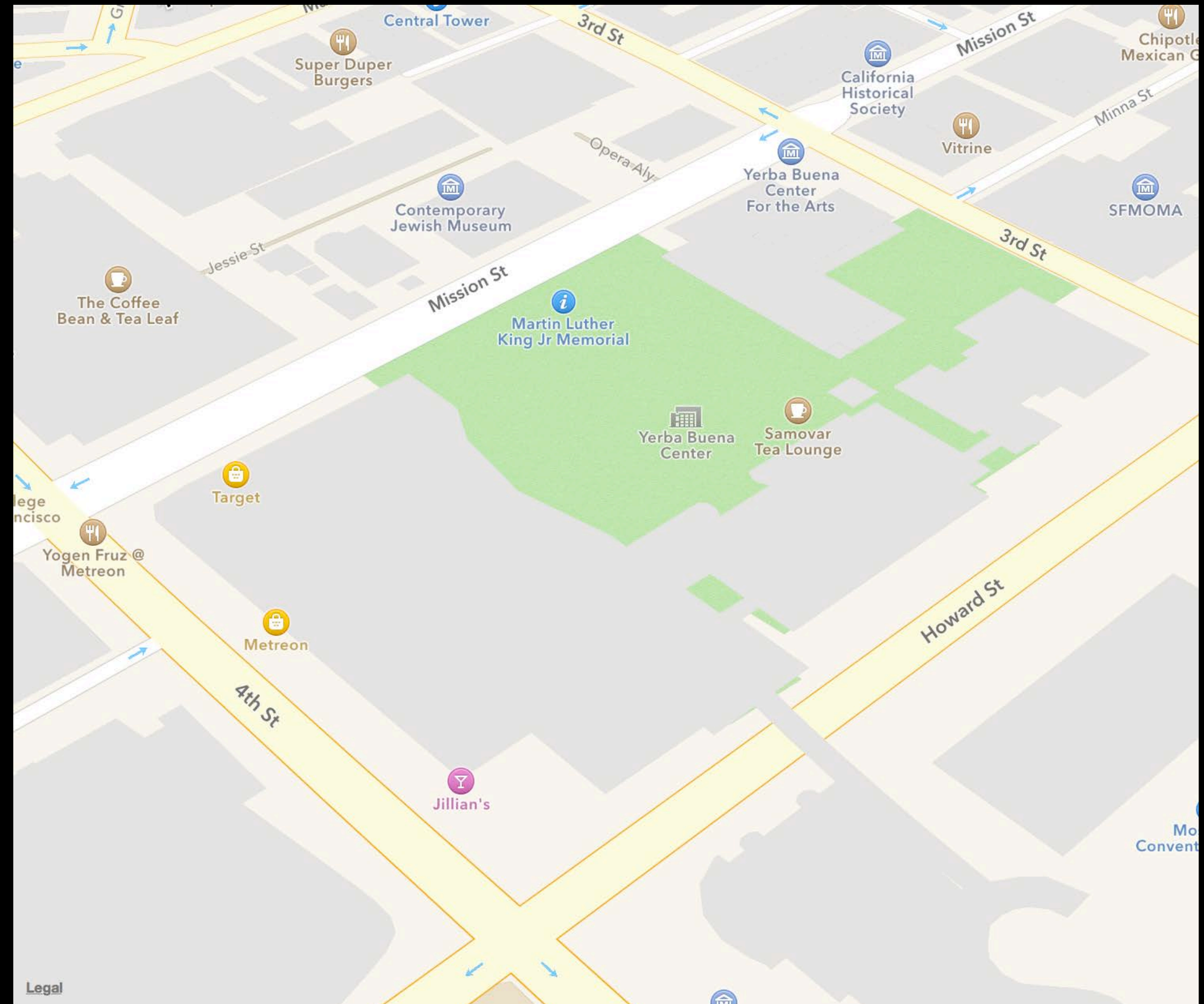
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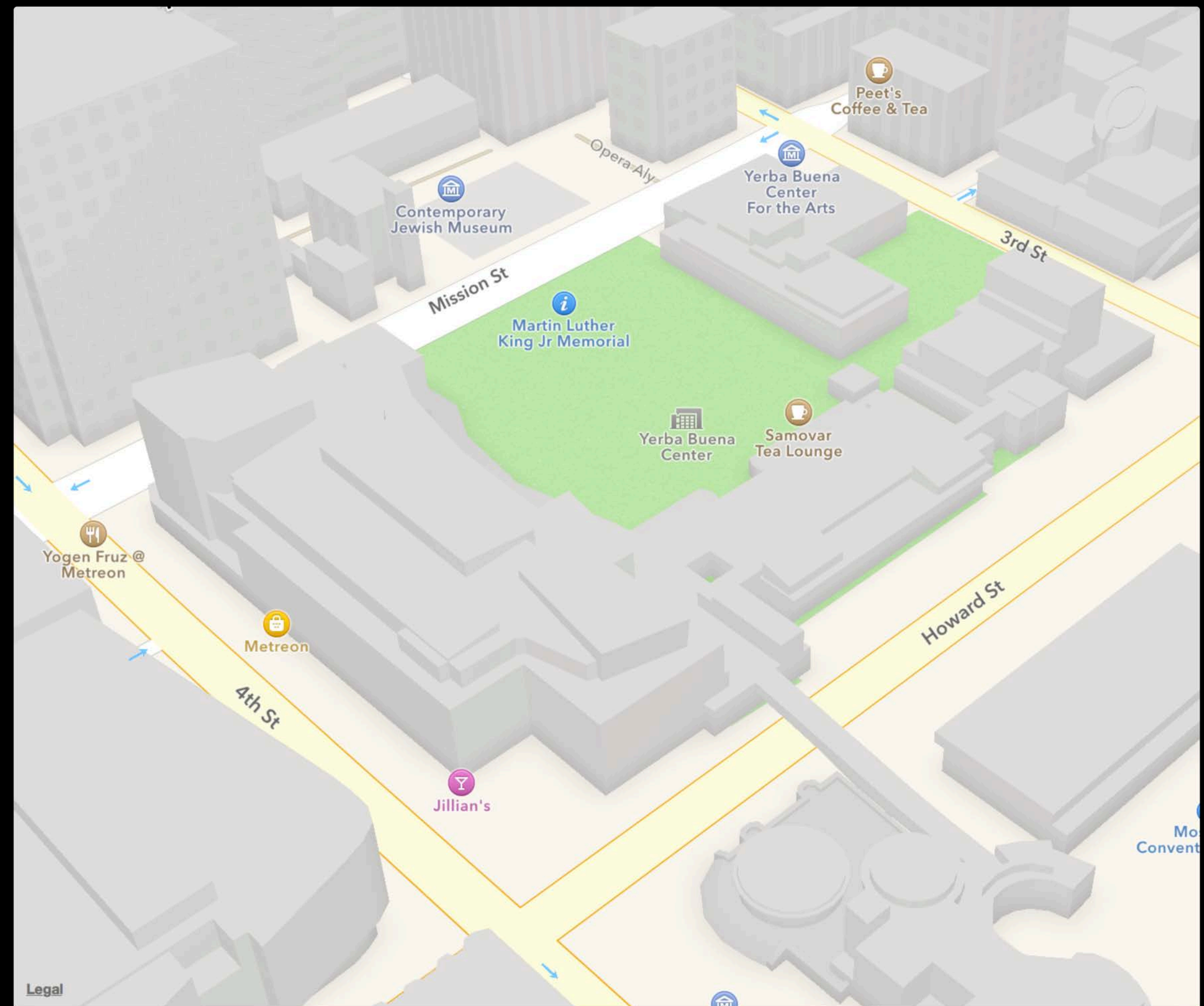
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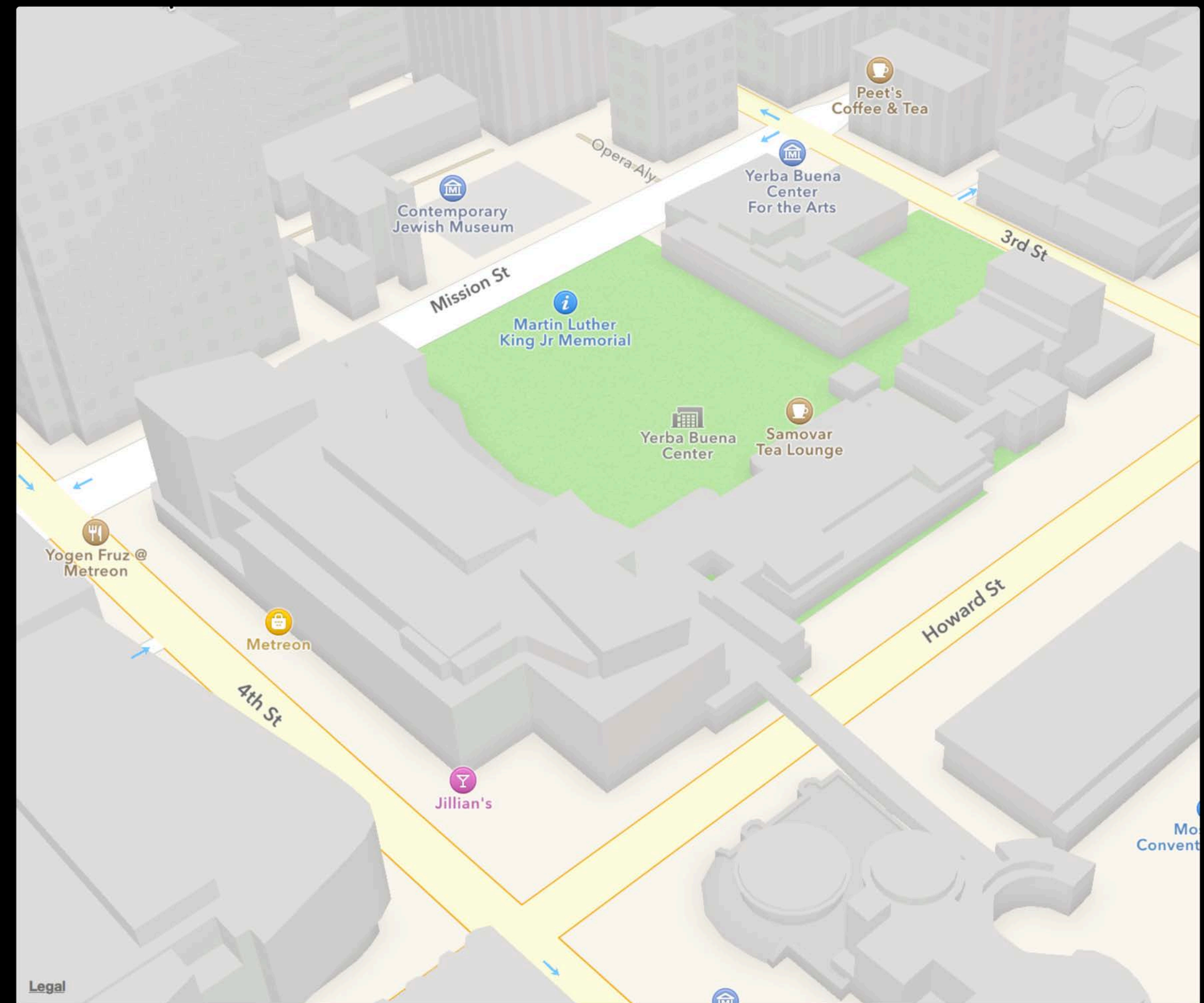
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A 2D map in a 3D environment



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- Available in the iOS Simulator
  - Rotate—option + drag in a circle
  - Pitch—option + shift + drag vertically

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## What you need to do

- **Recompile** with iOS 7 SDK
- **Adapt** to changes in existing API behavior
  - Map display
  - Annotations
  - Overlays
  - Geometry conversions
- **Adopt** new API to take advantage of 3D
  - Camera

# Adapting to Existing API Changes

## Map display

- Two APIs
  - [MKMapView setVisibleMapRect:]
  - [MKMapView setRegion:]
- Produces a 2D map, no rotation
- May span the 180th Meridian

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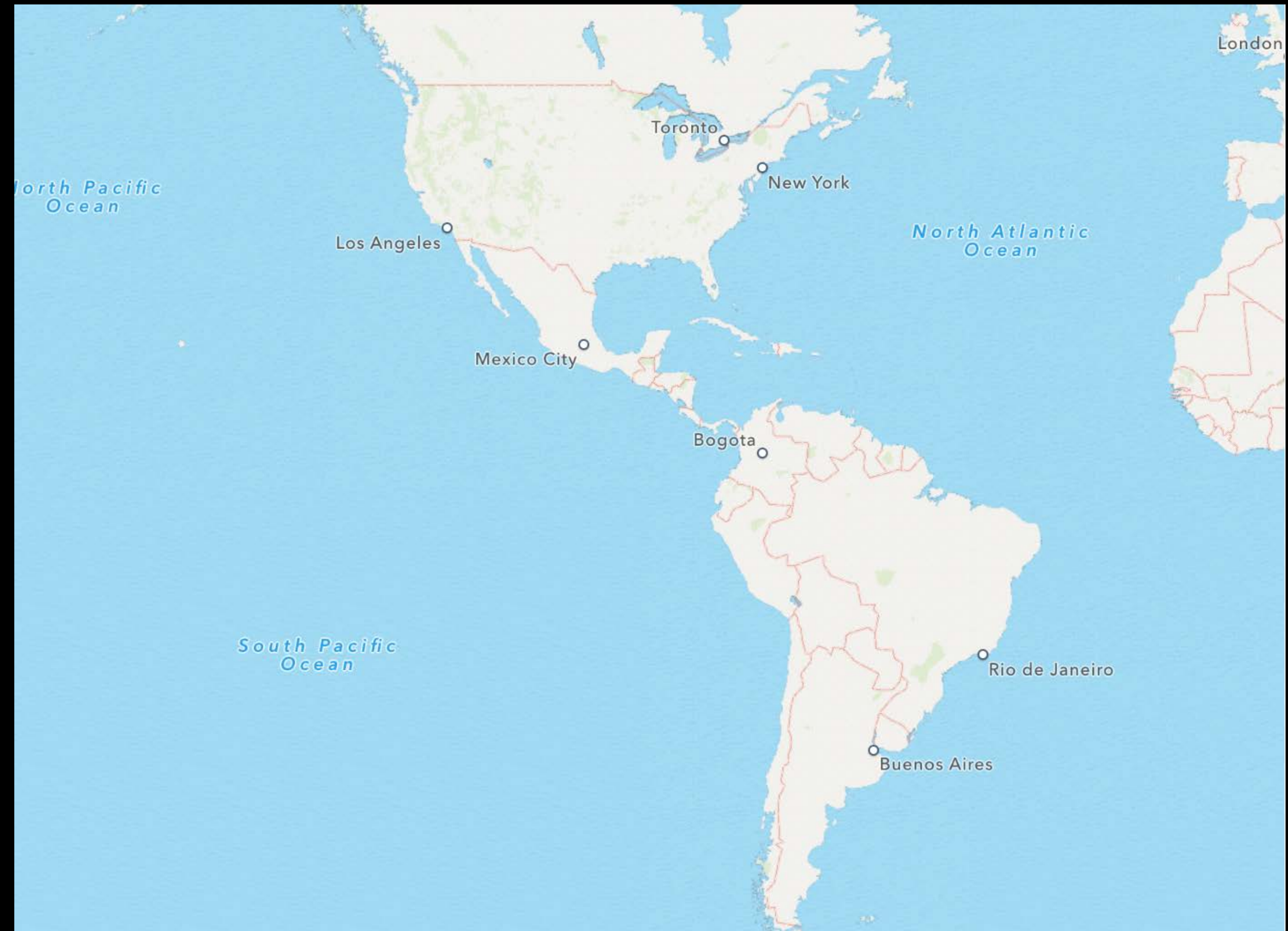
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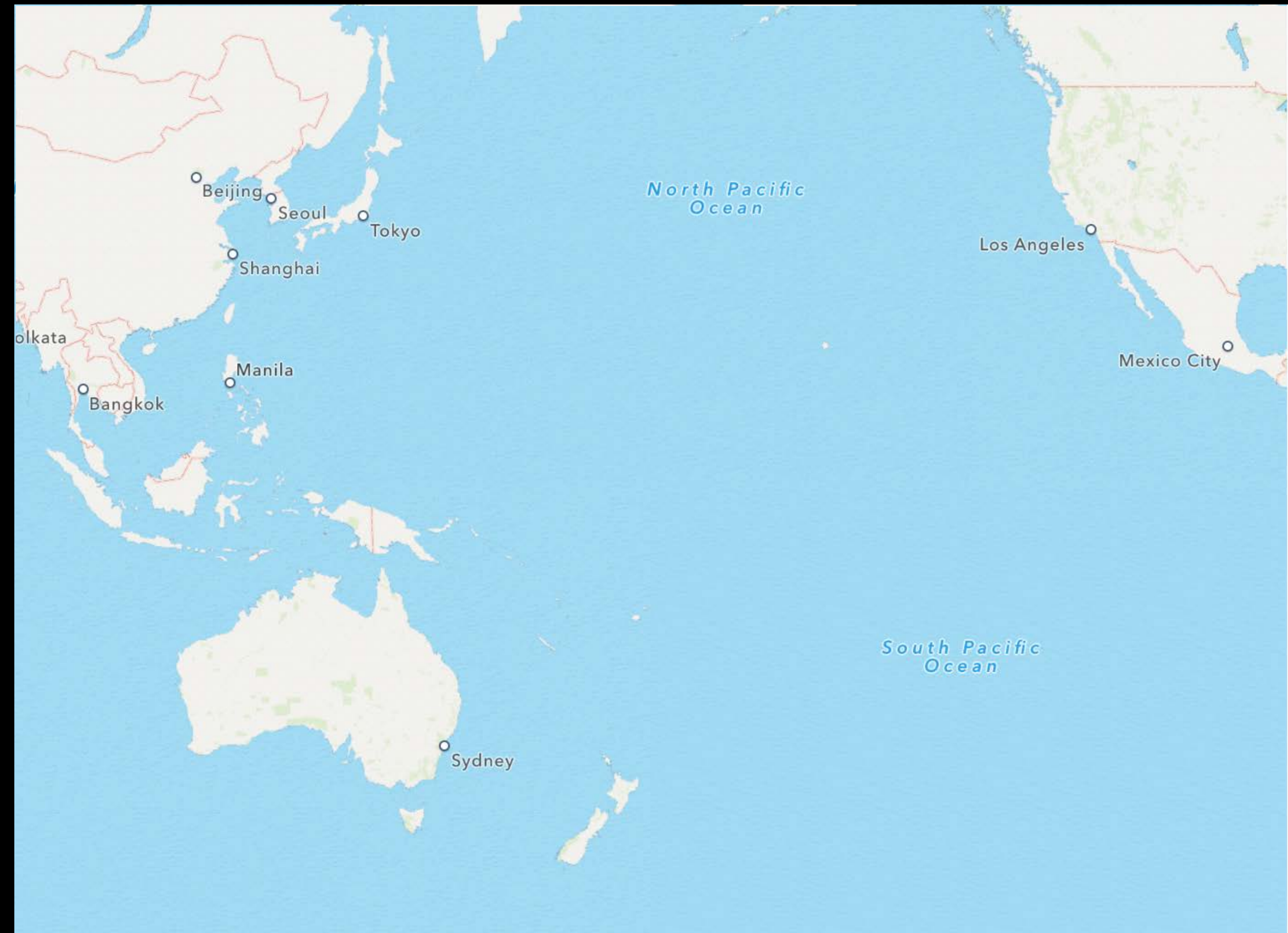
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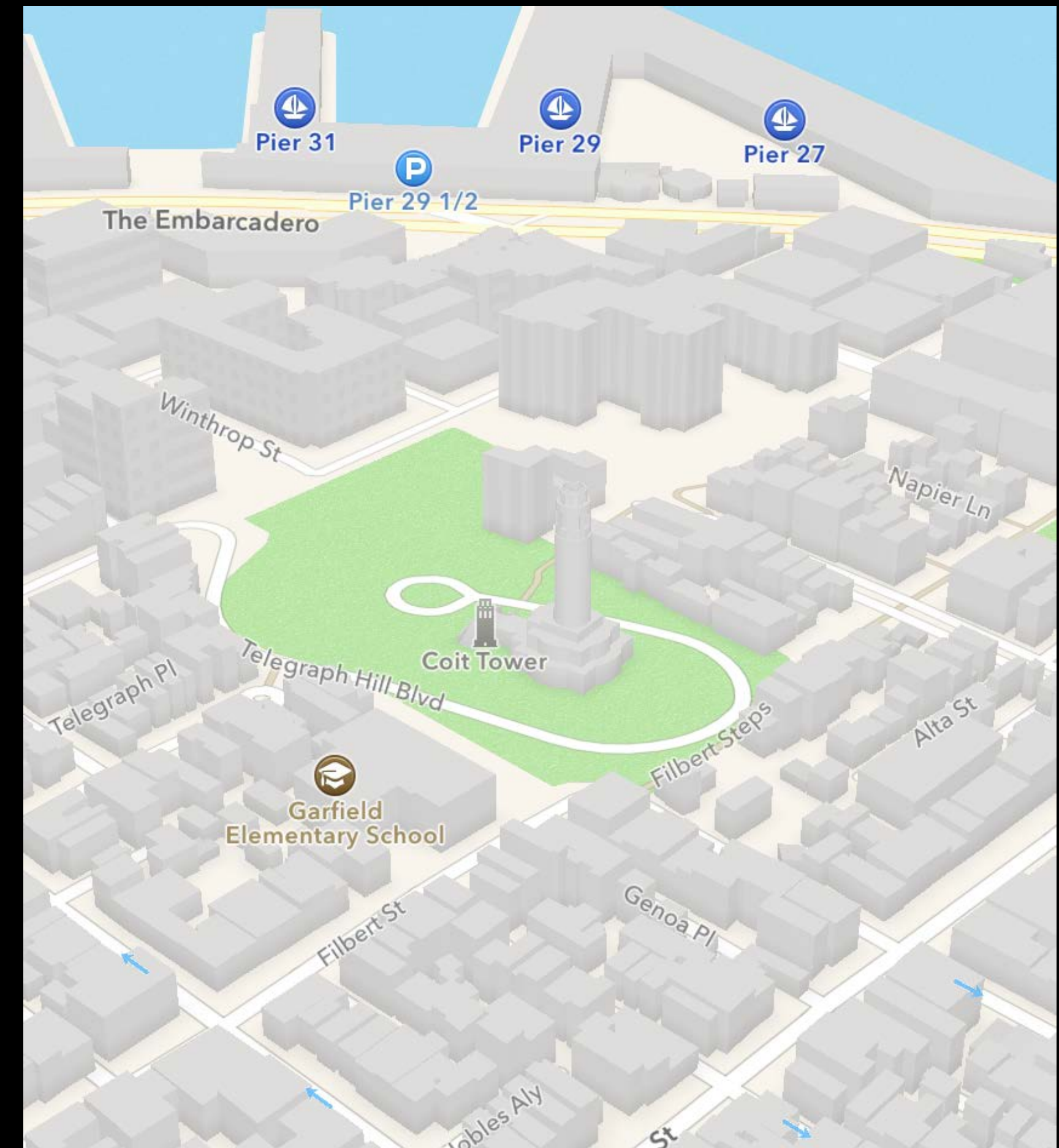
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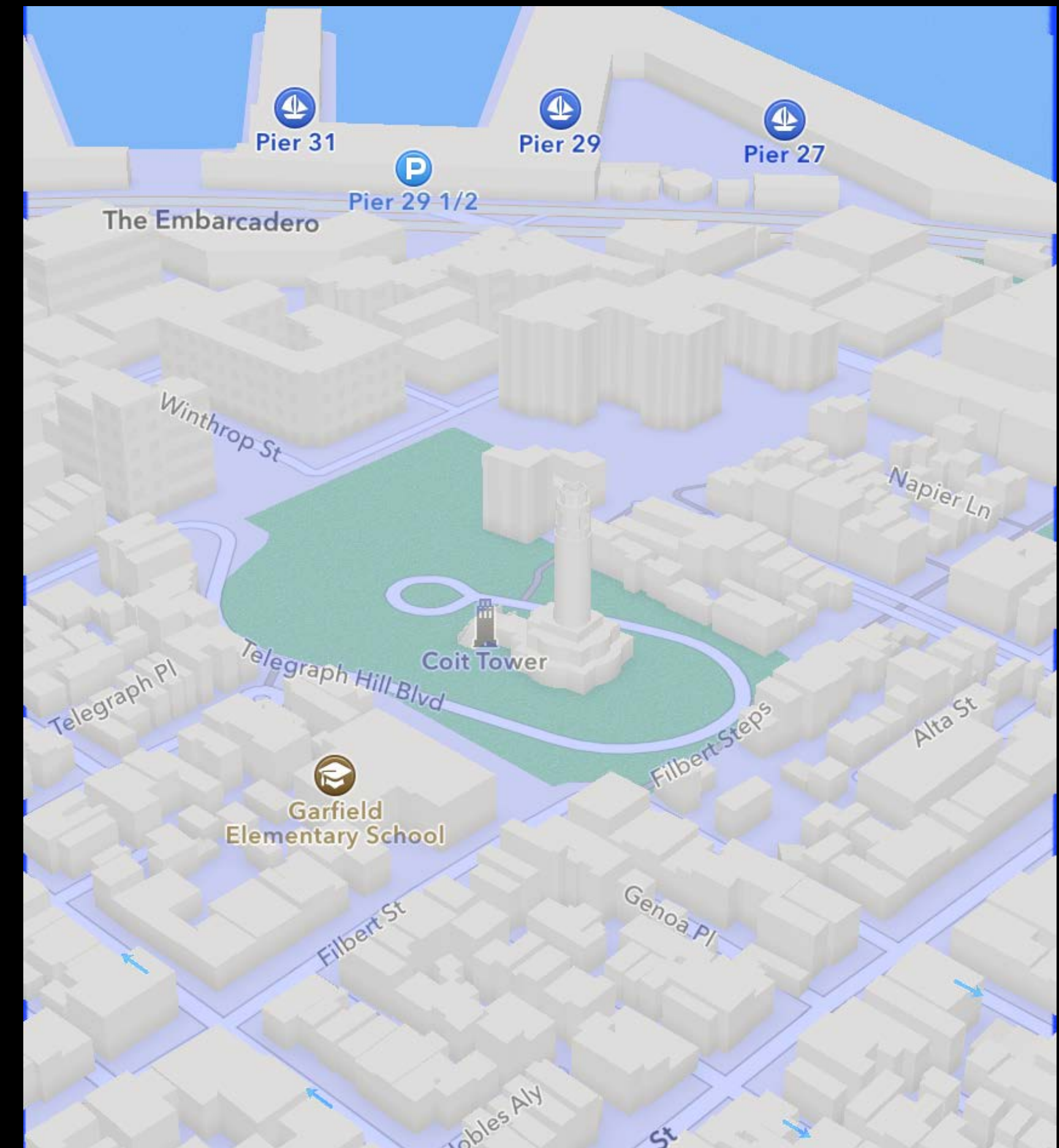
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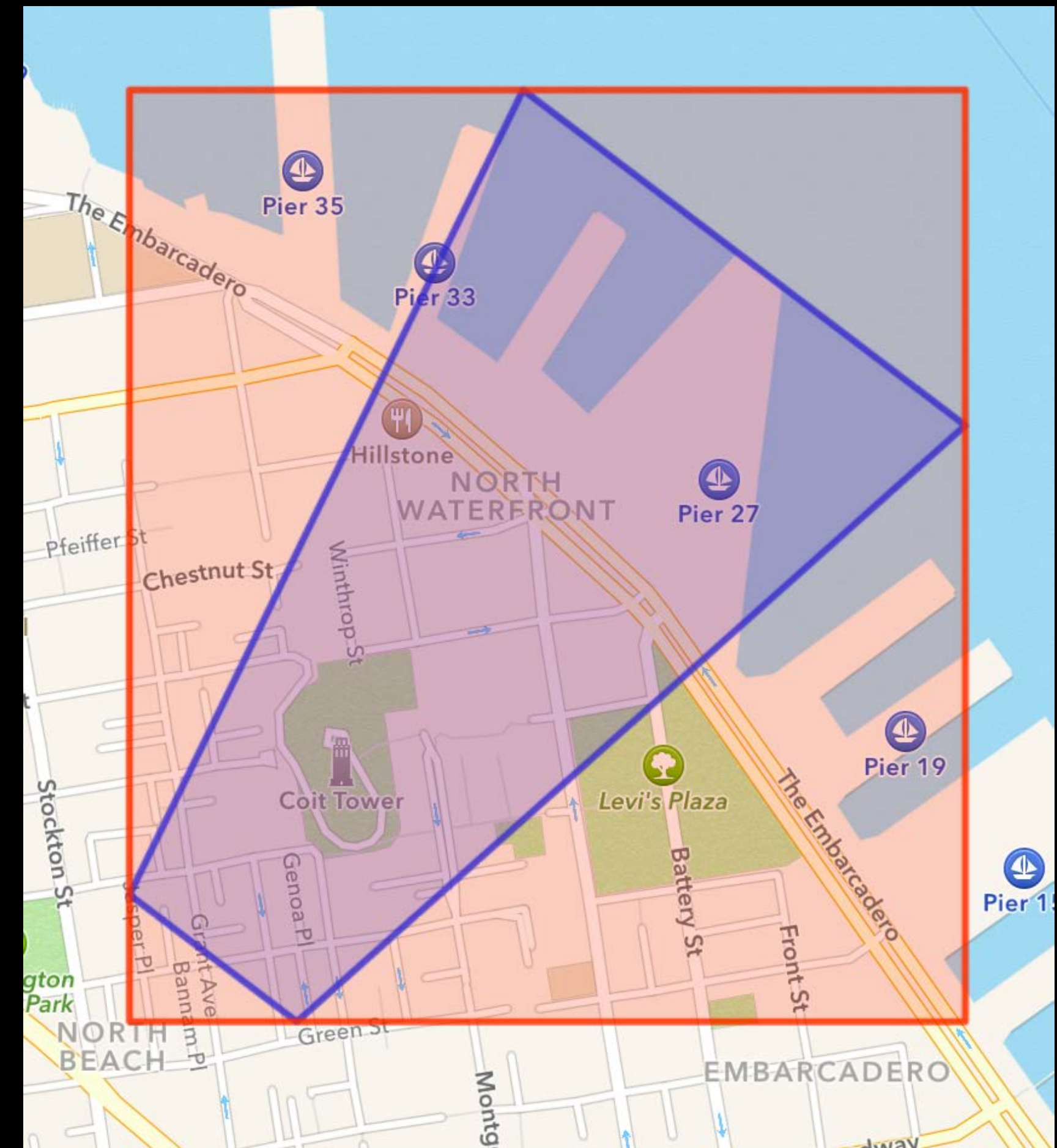
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- **Contains** the visible area
- May span the 180th Meridian
- Ideal for culling your data



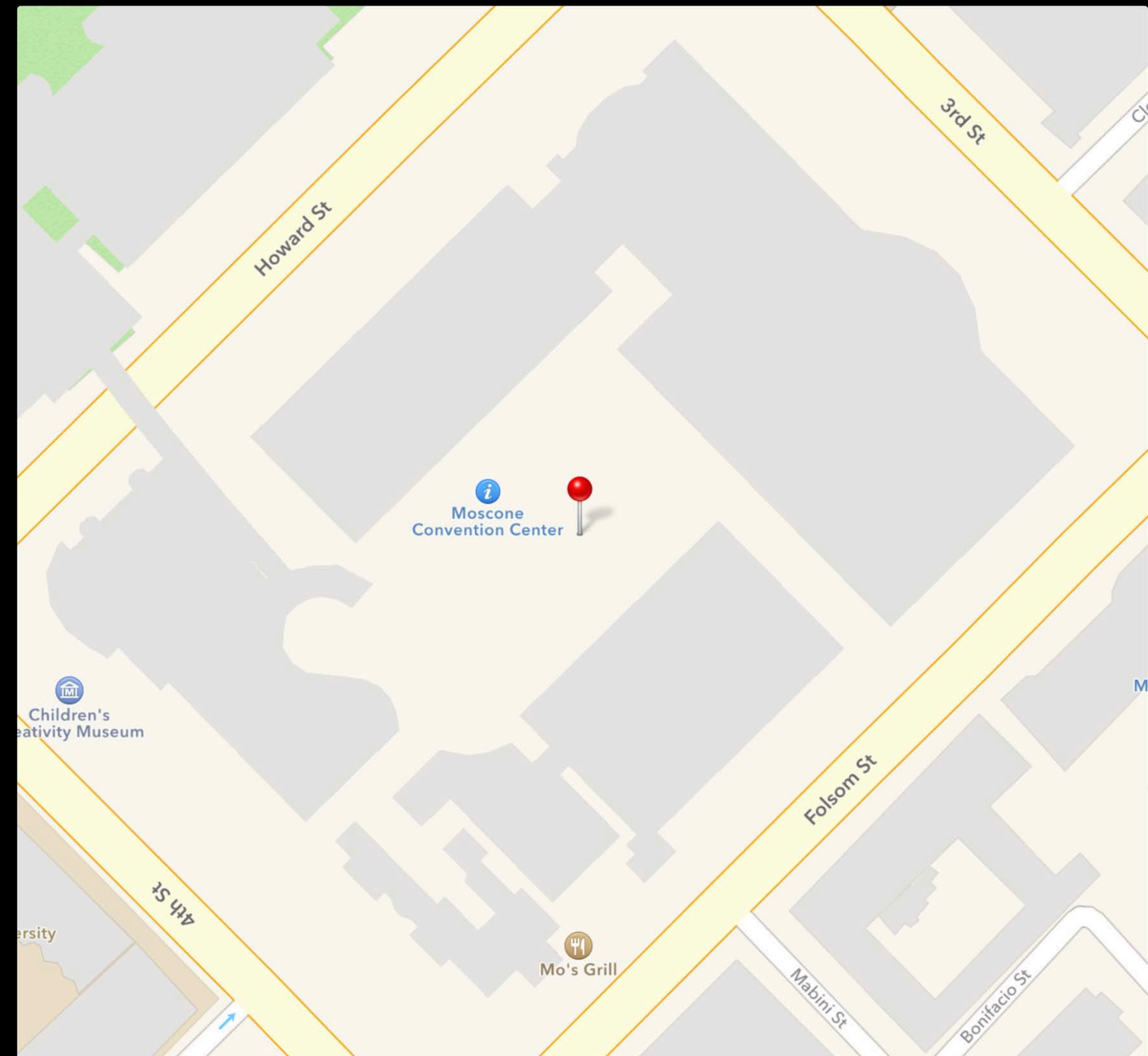
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## Map display

- One more API  
`@property centerCoordinate`
- Coordinate at center of screen
- Simulates panning

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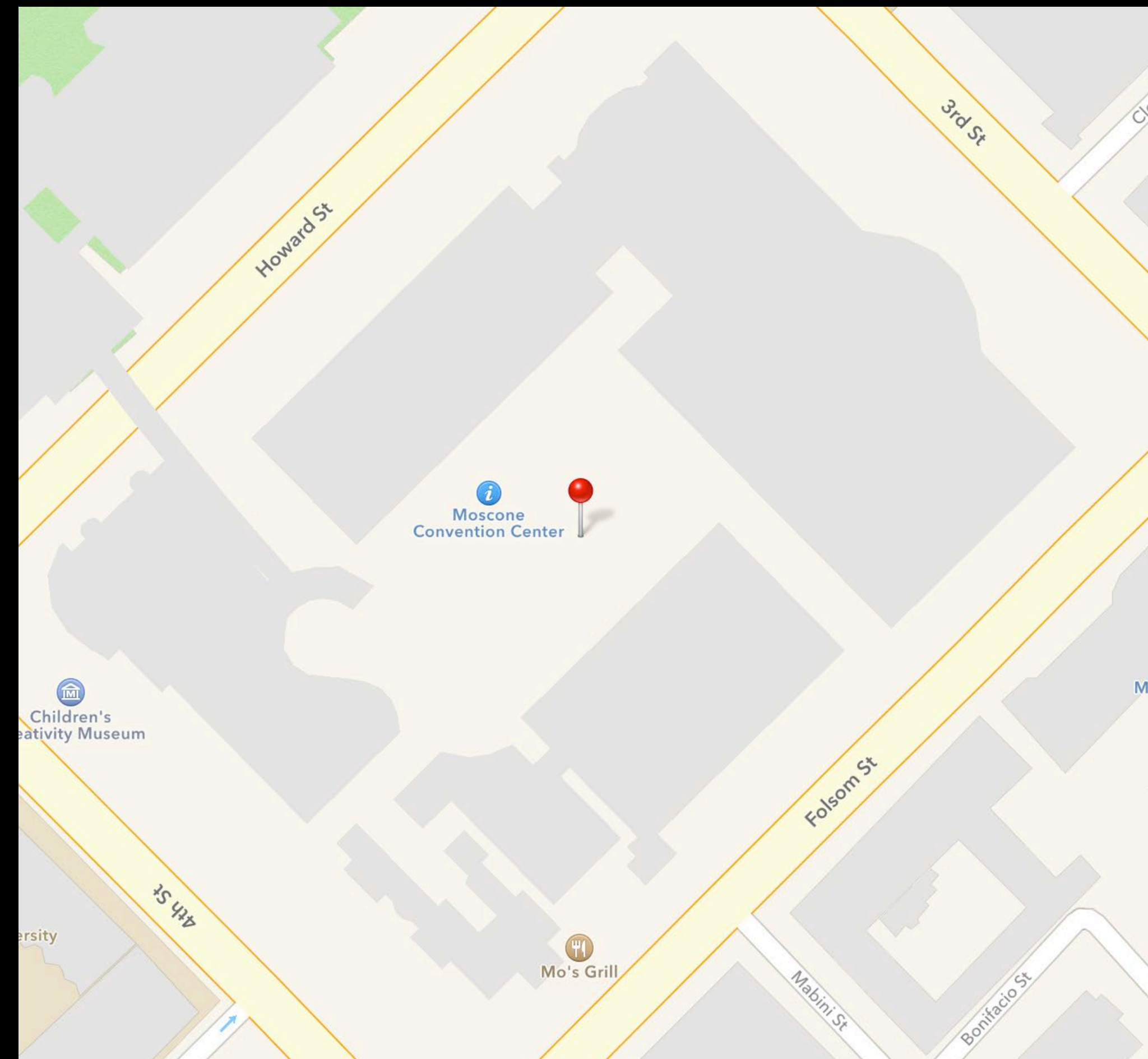
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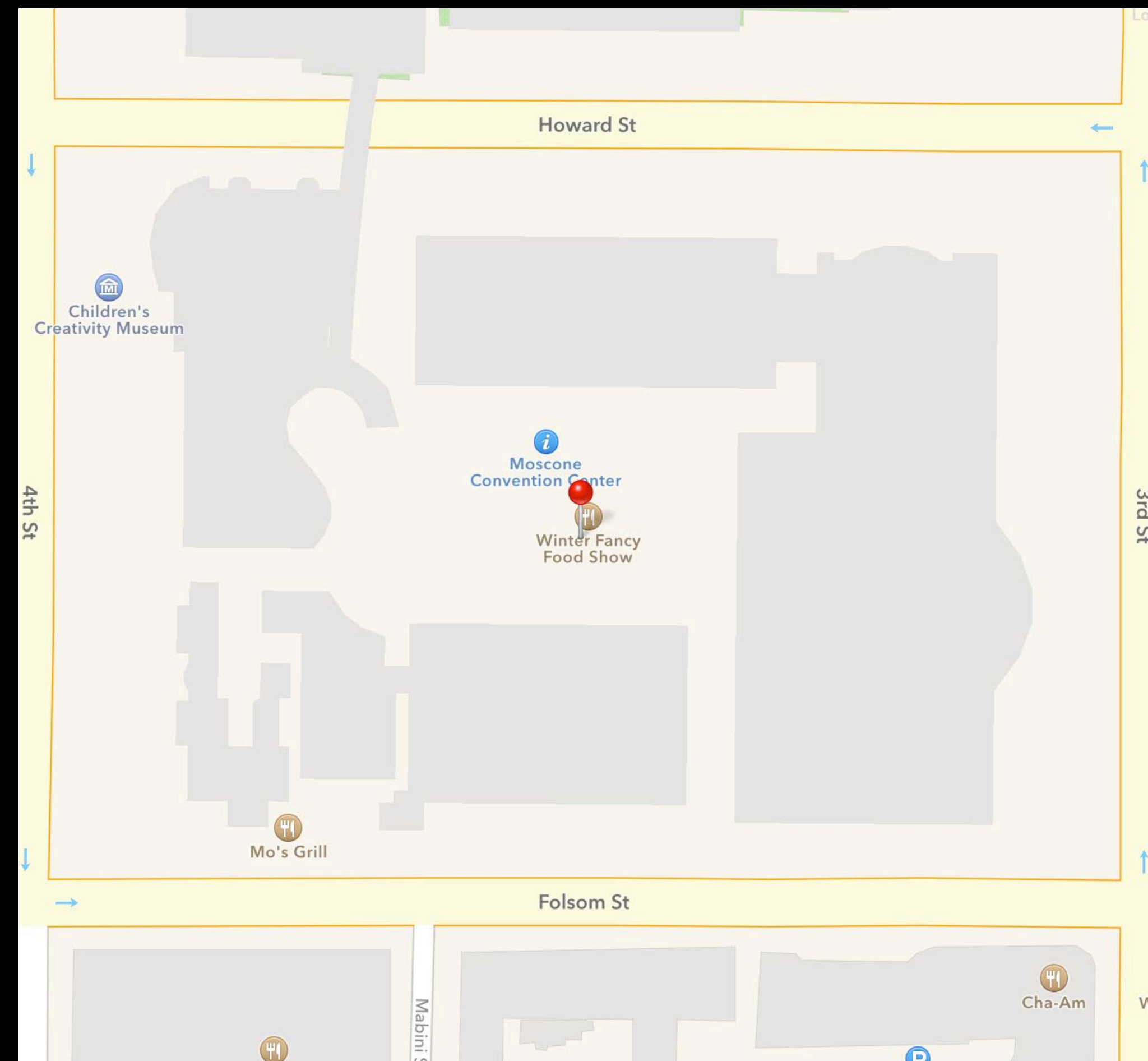
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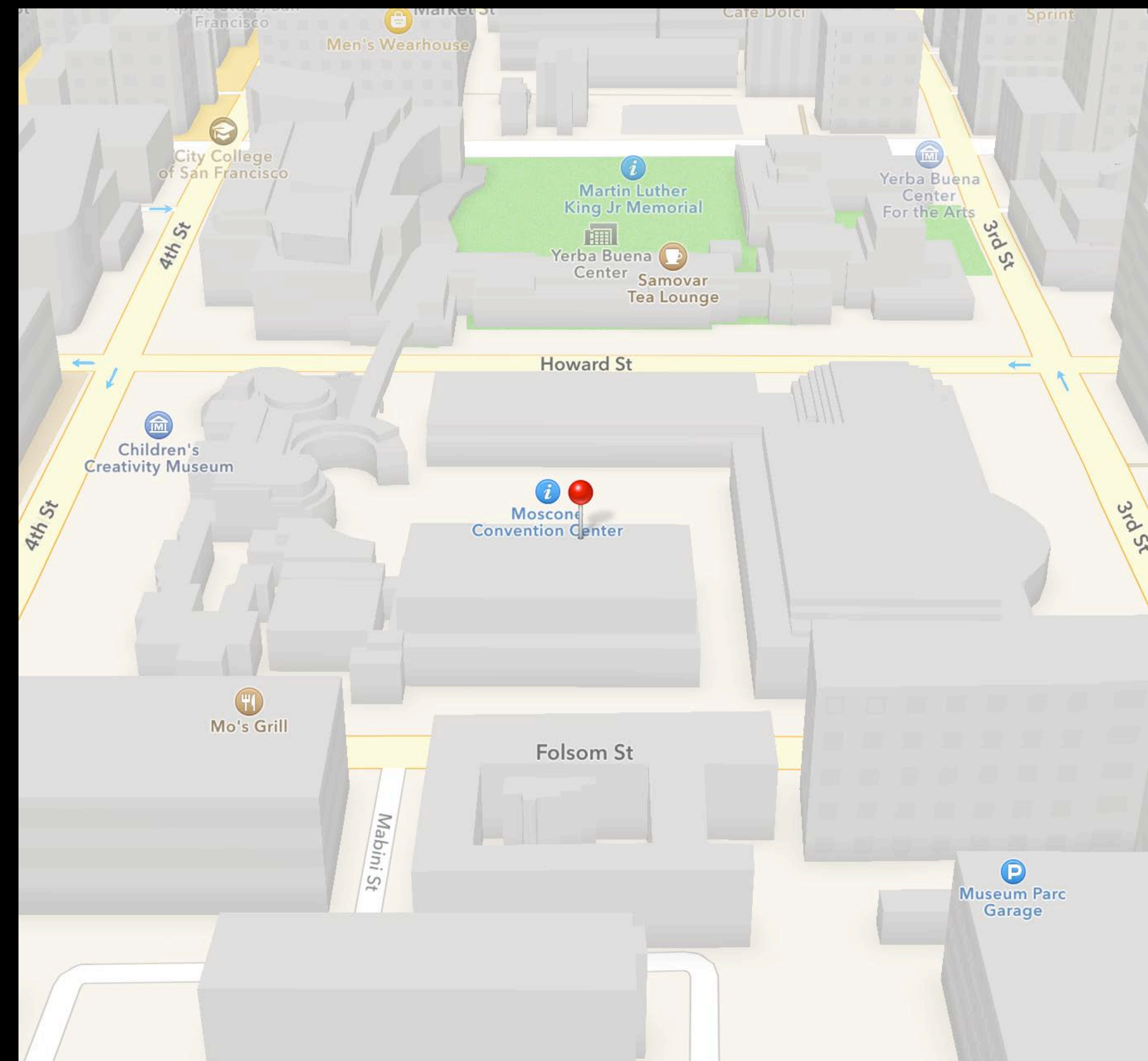




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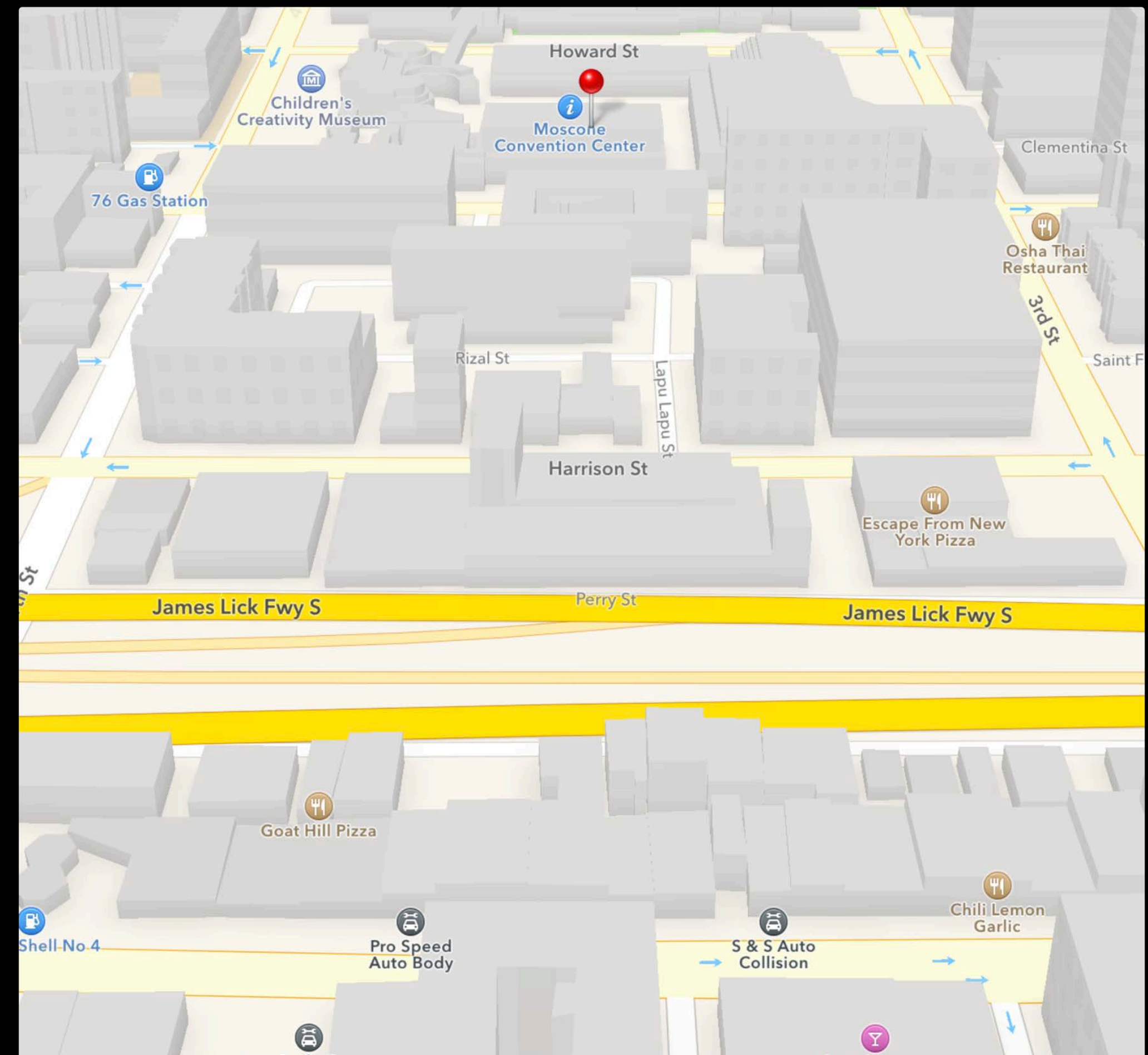
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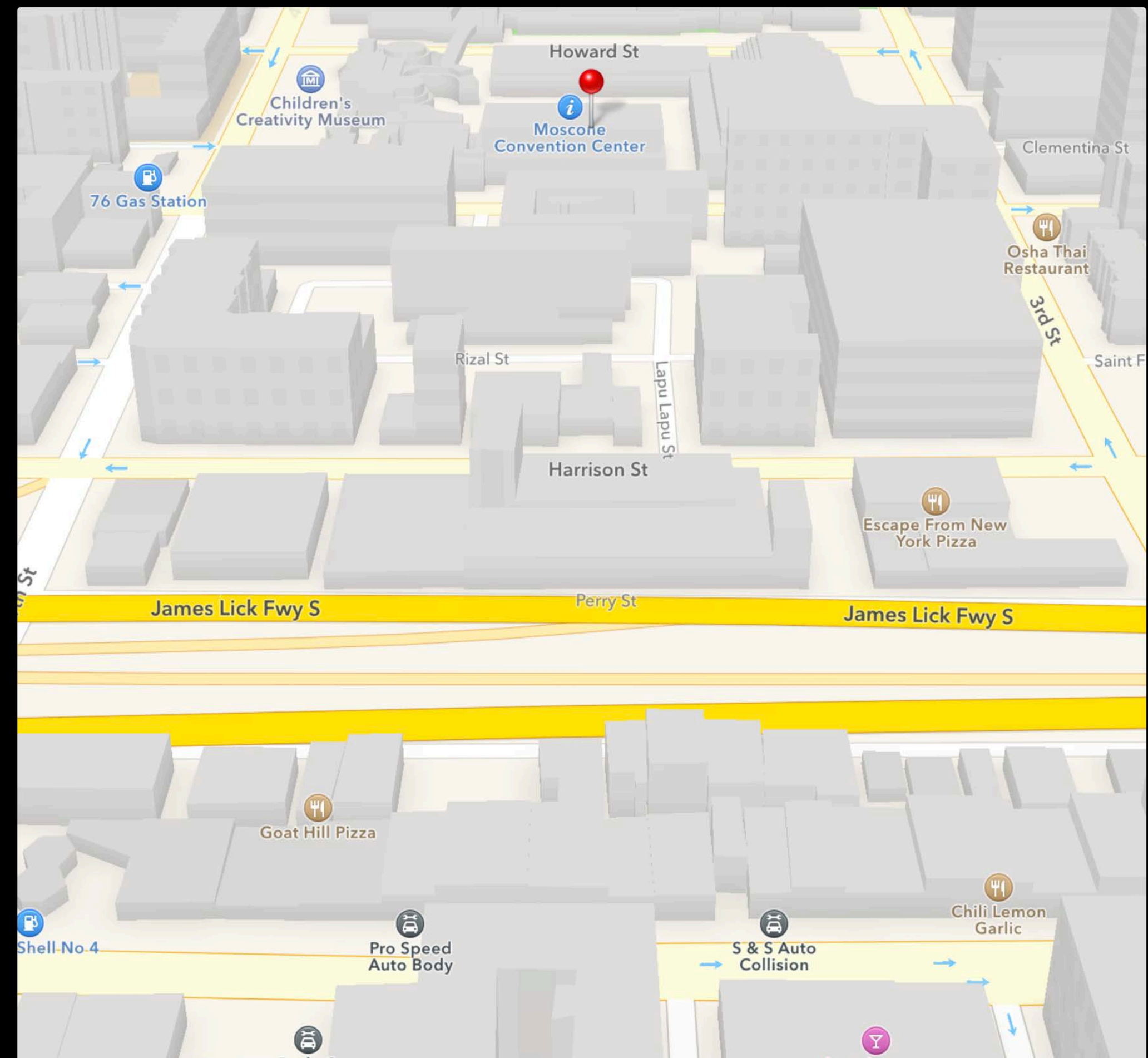
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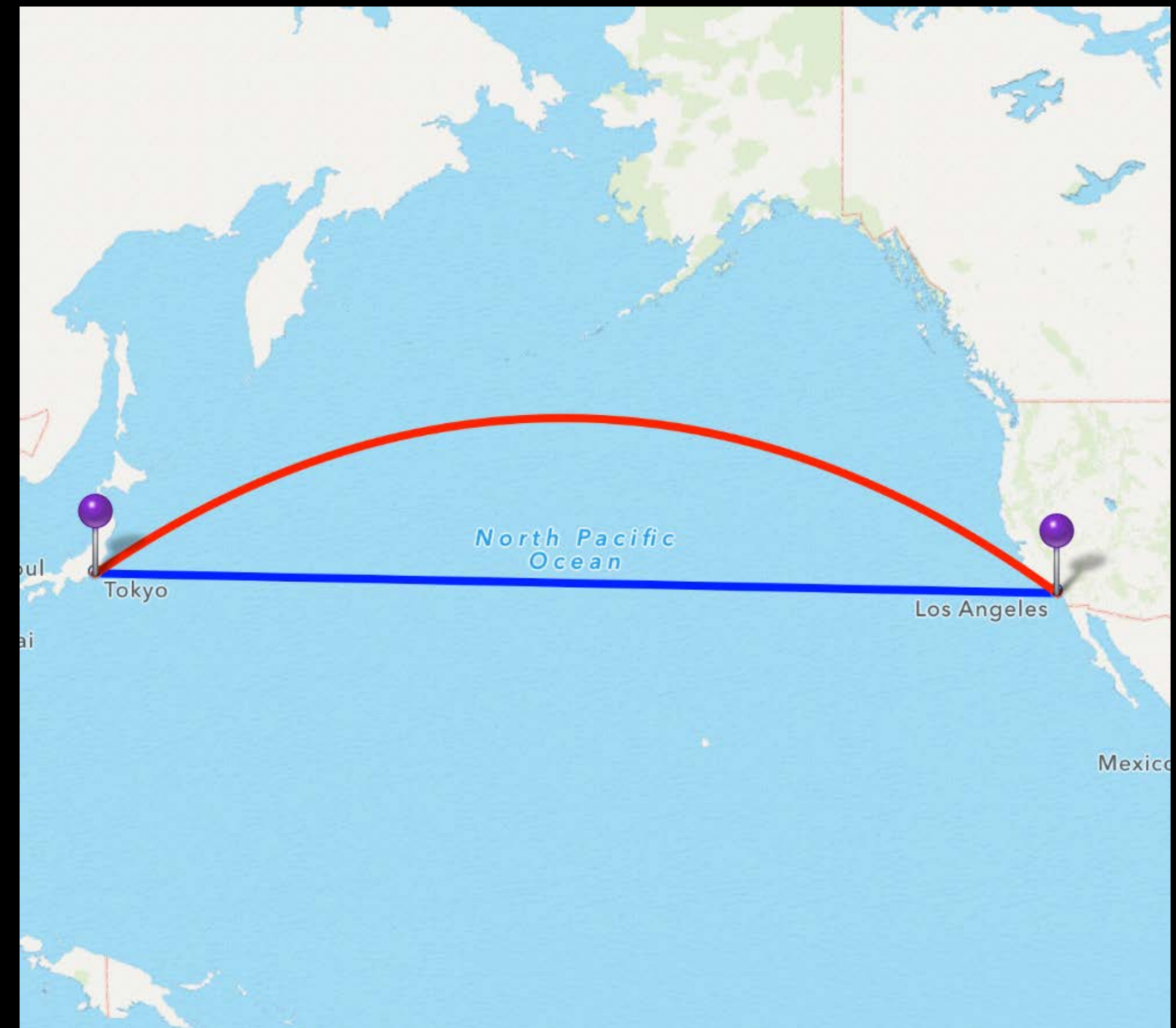
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- iOS—based on UIView
- OS X—based on NSView



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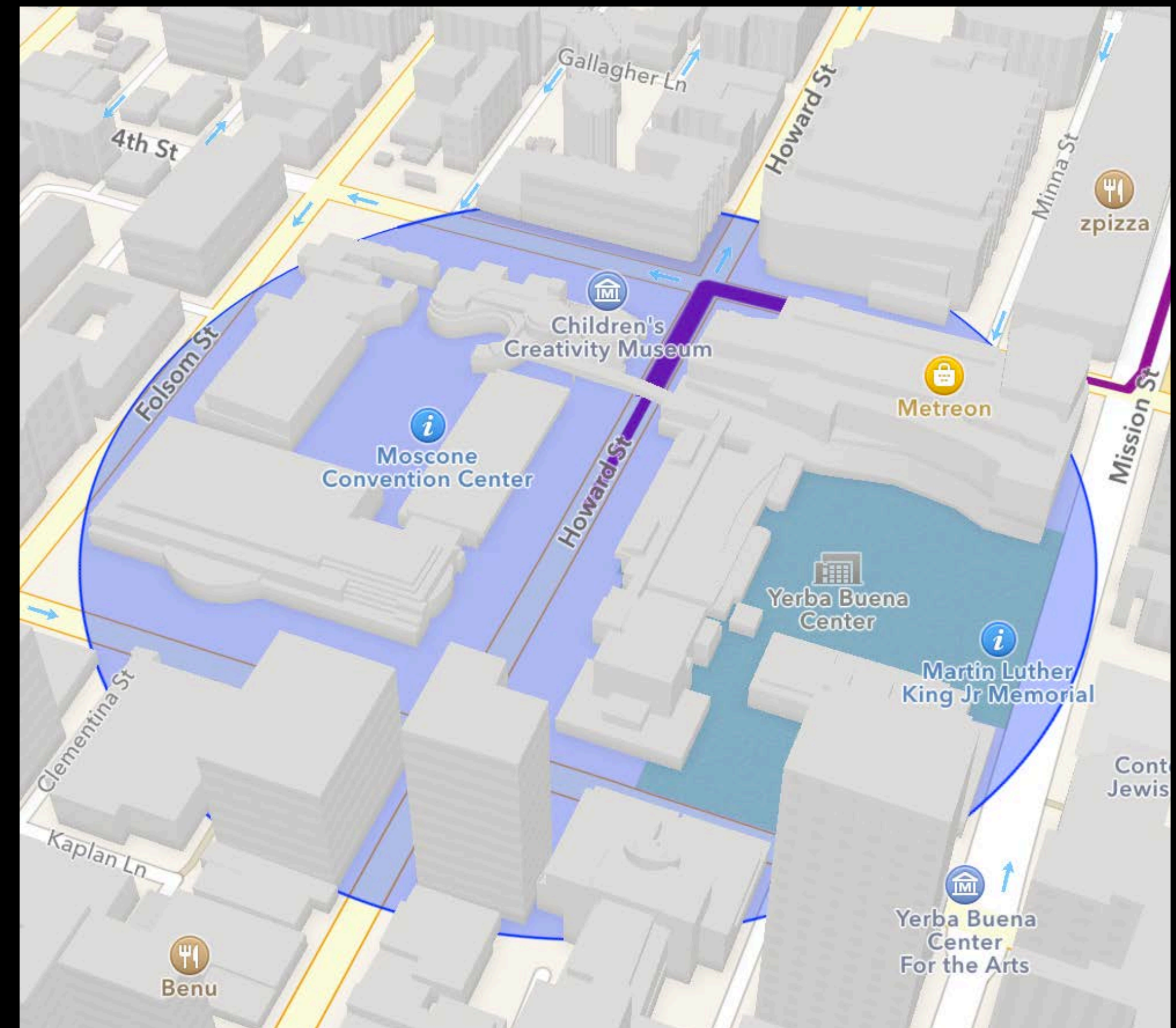
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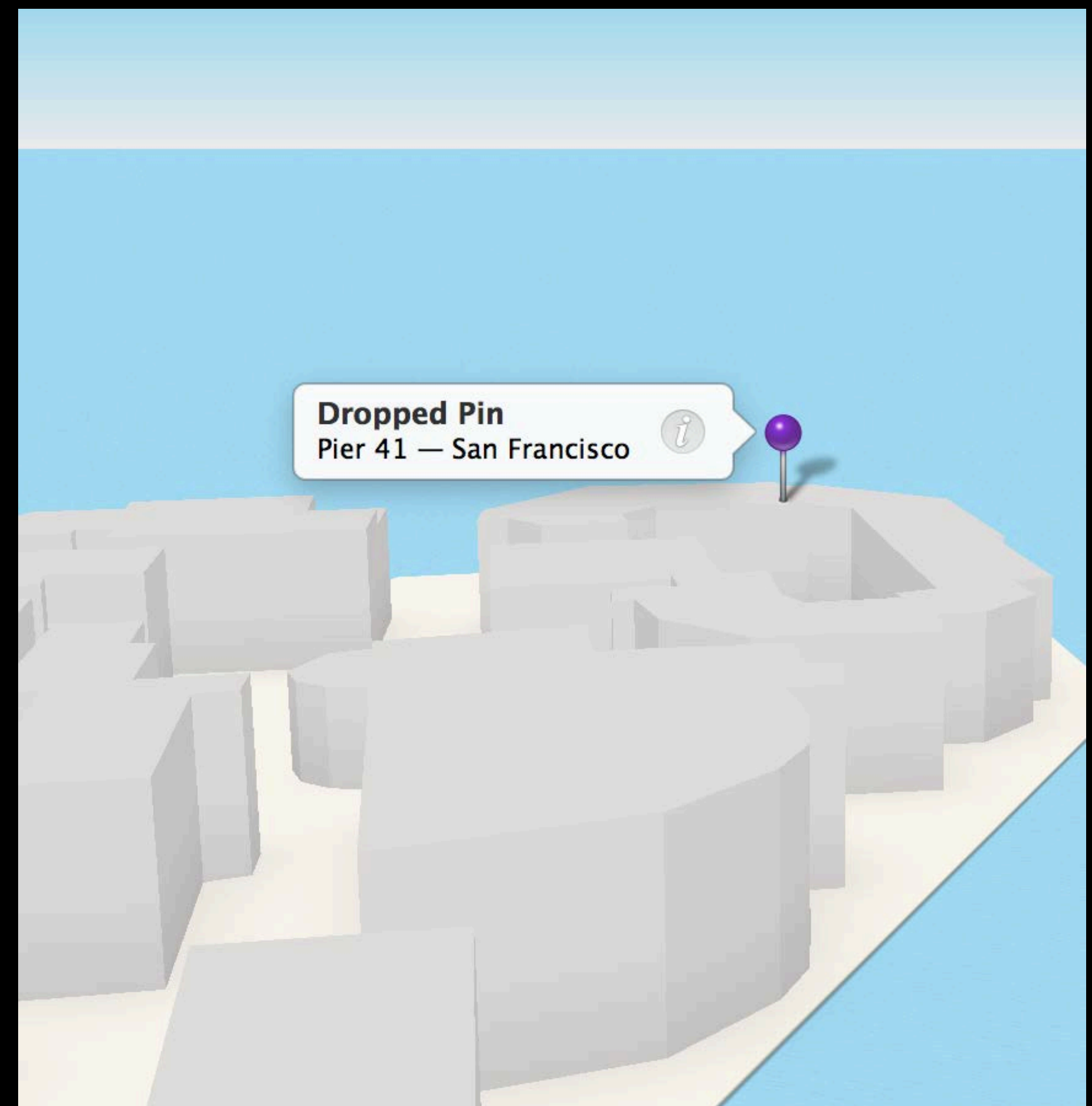


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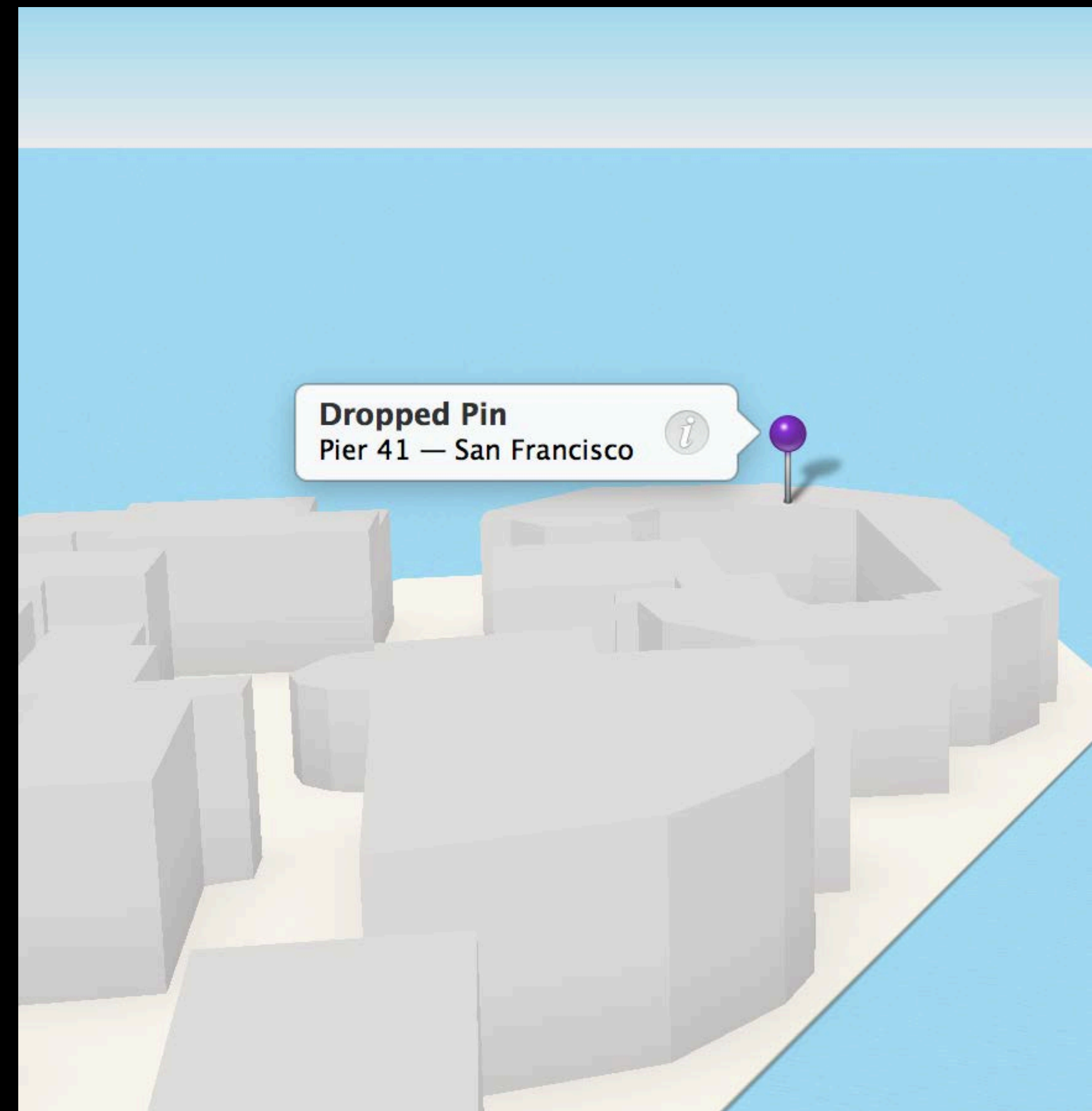
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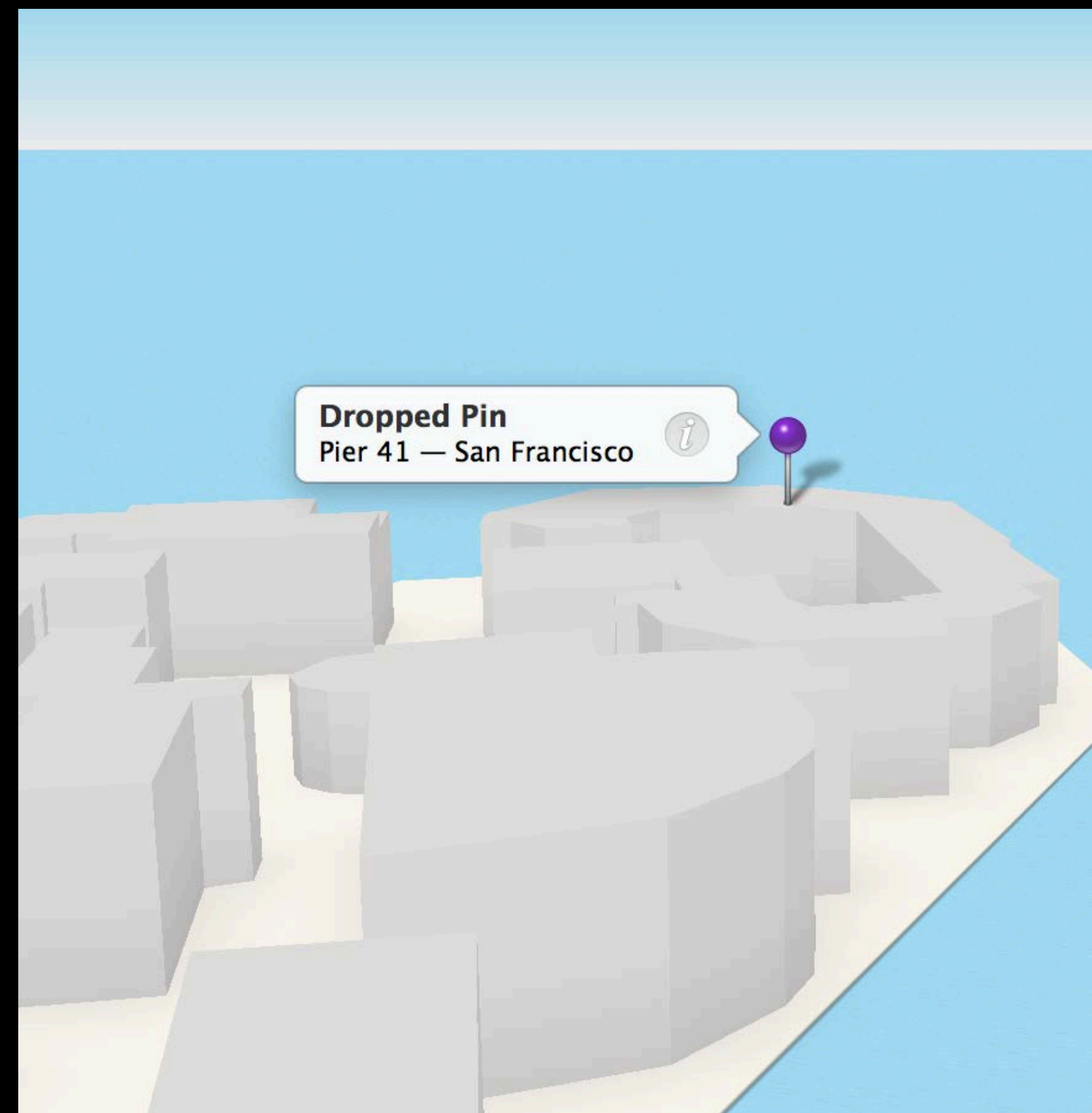




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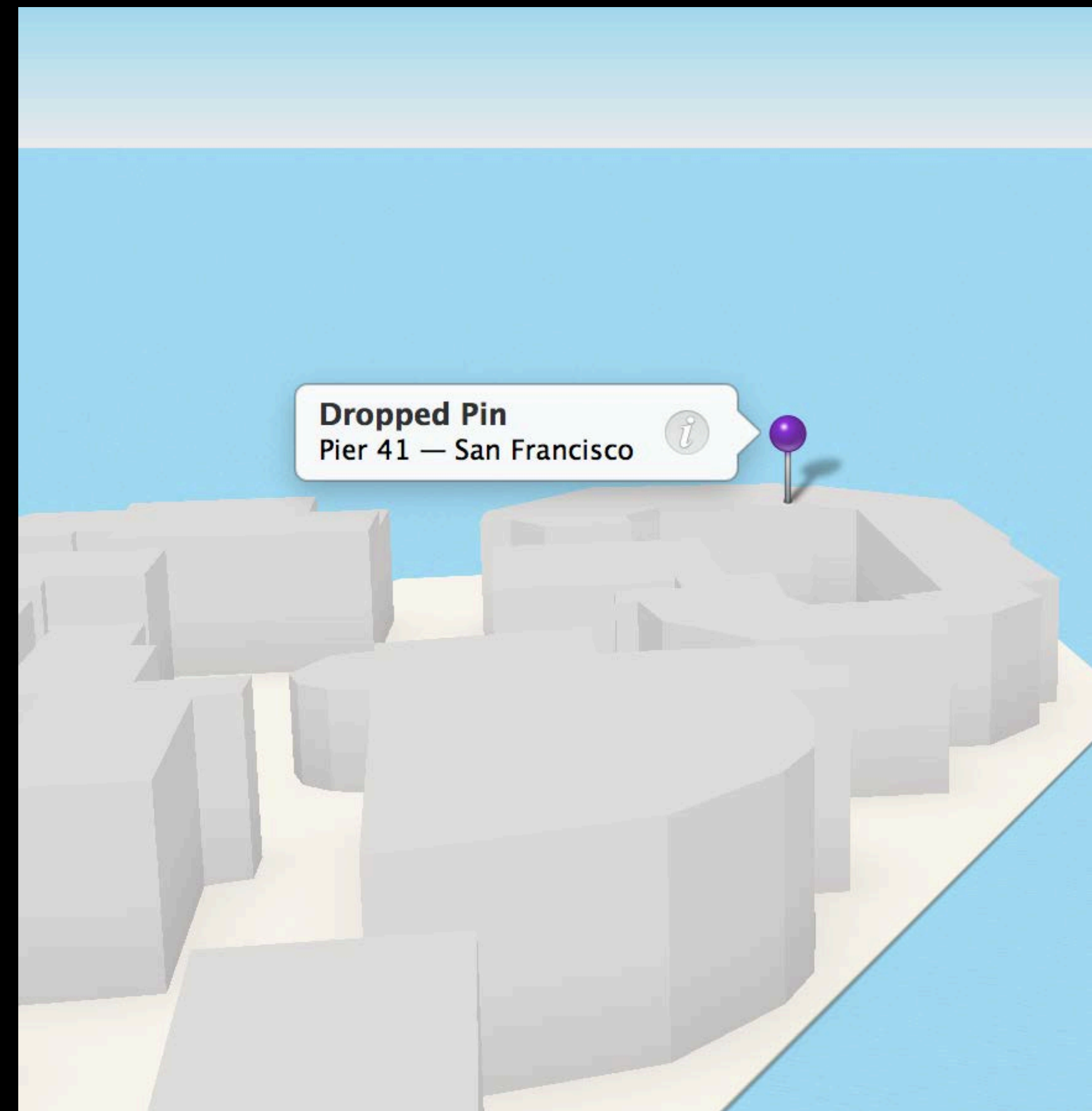
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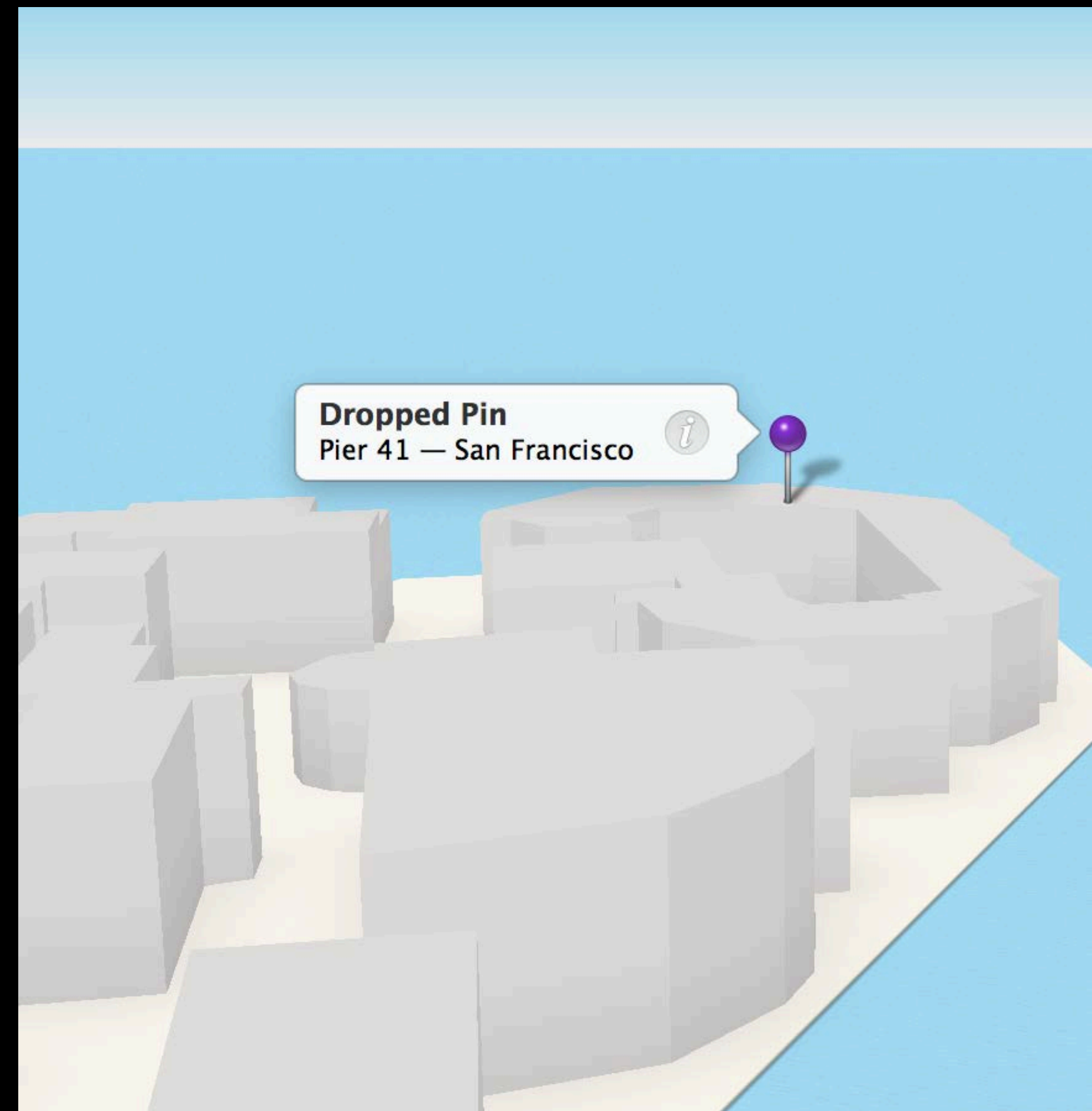
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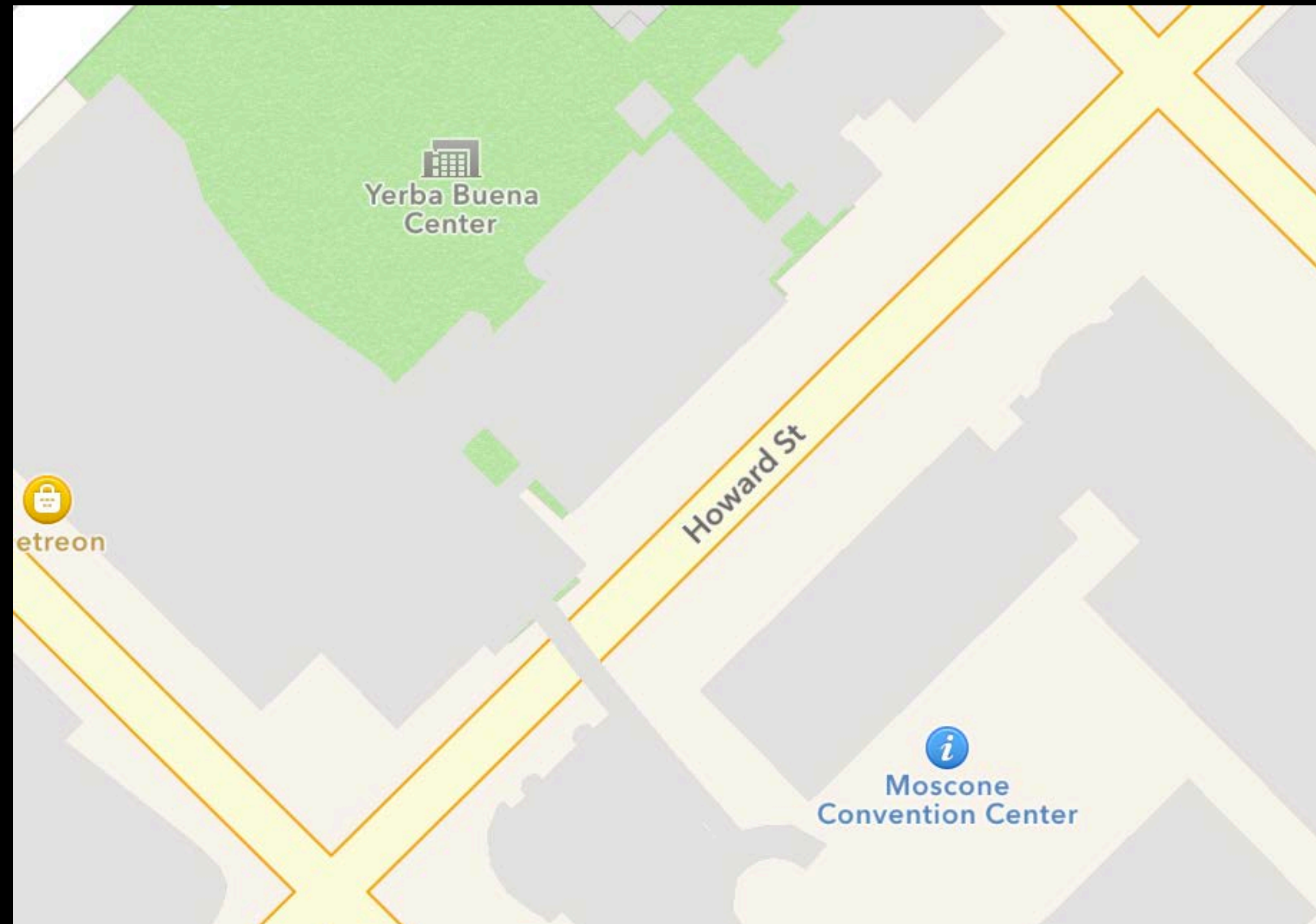
- Mostly compatible
- Annotations track the map
- Overlays cross the 180th Meridian
- Check for invalid geometry

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Made for 3D

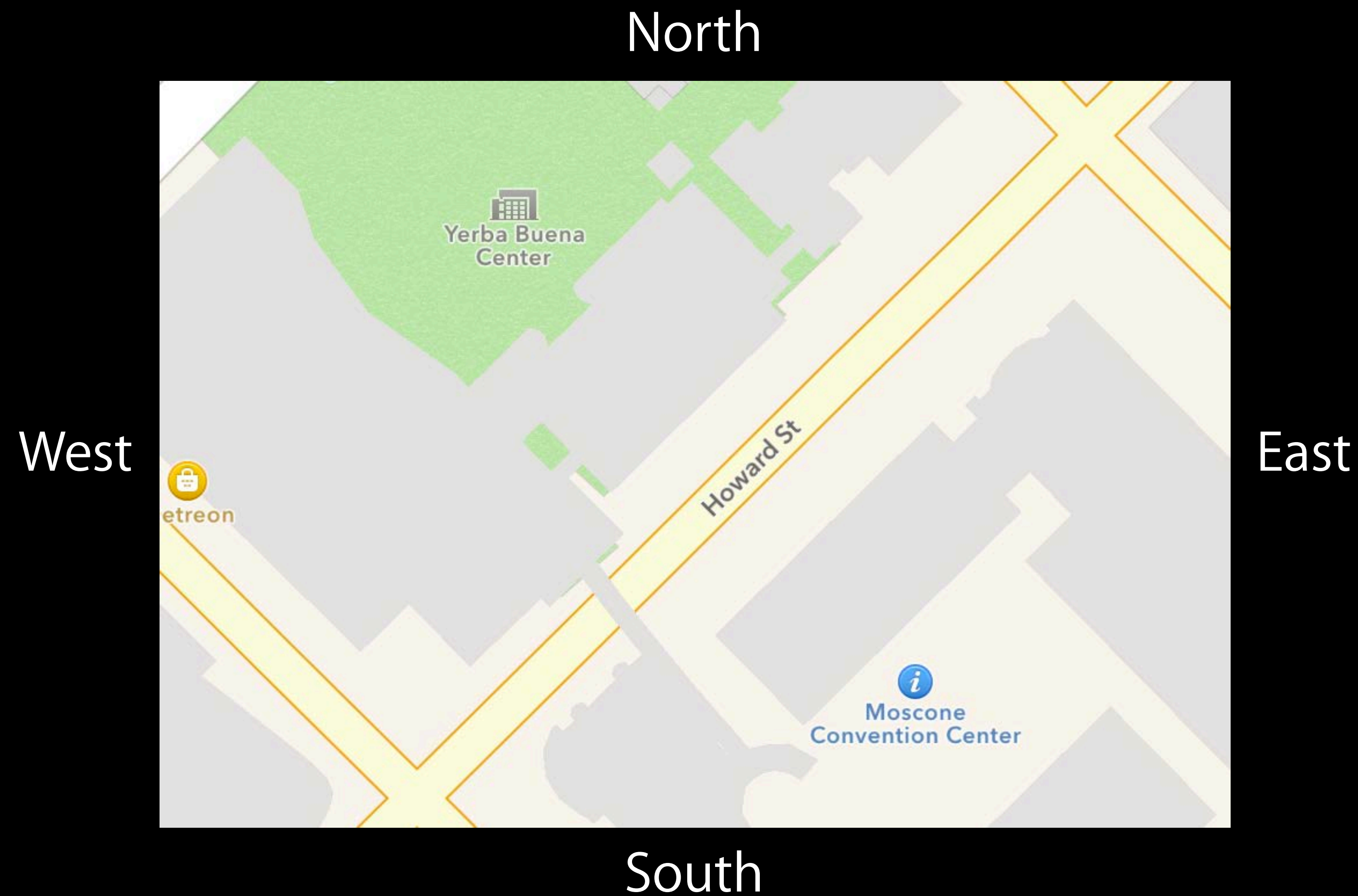
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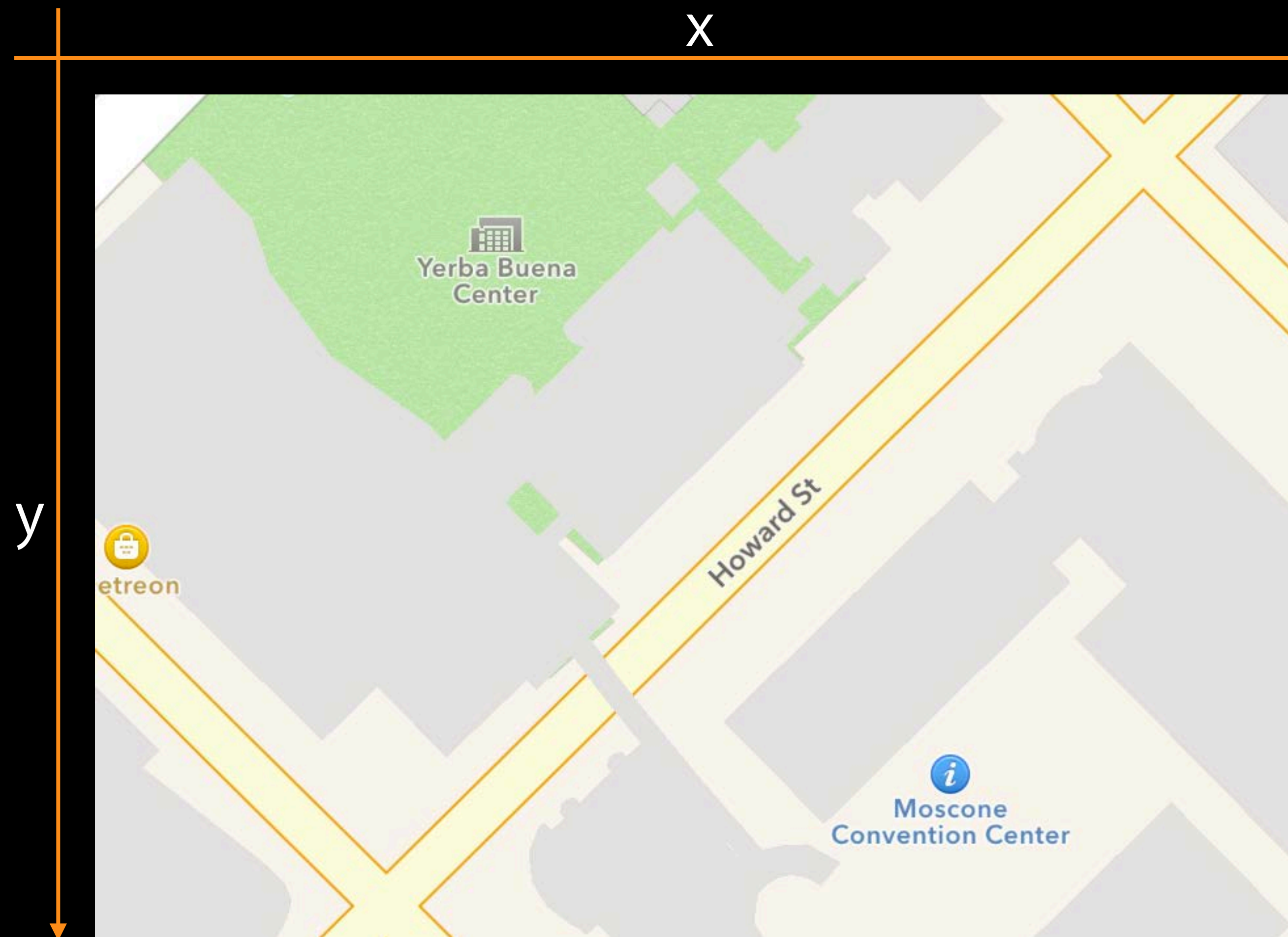
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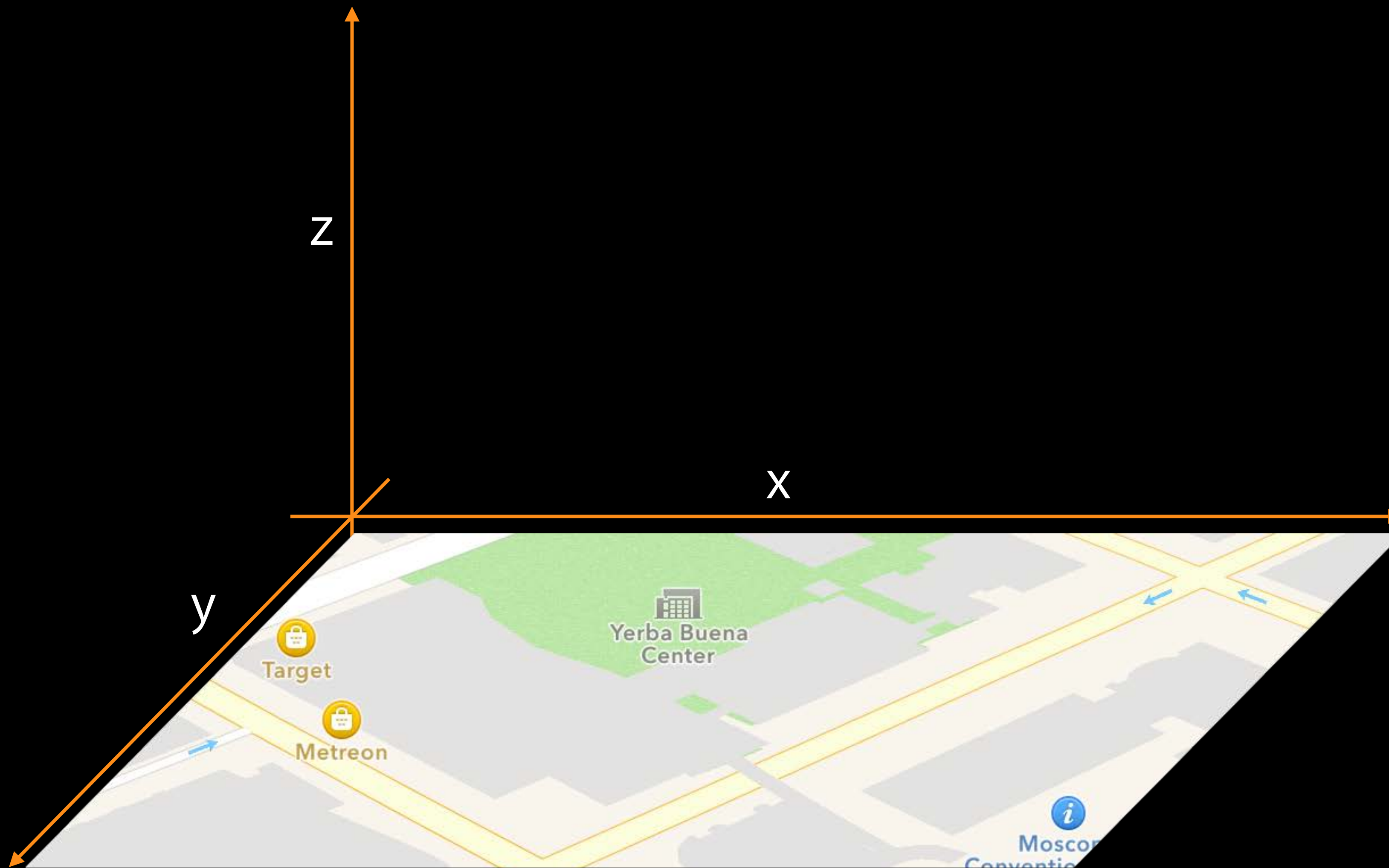
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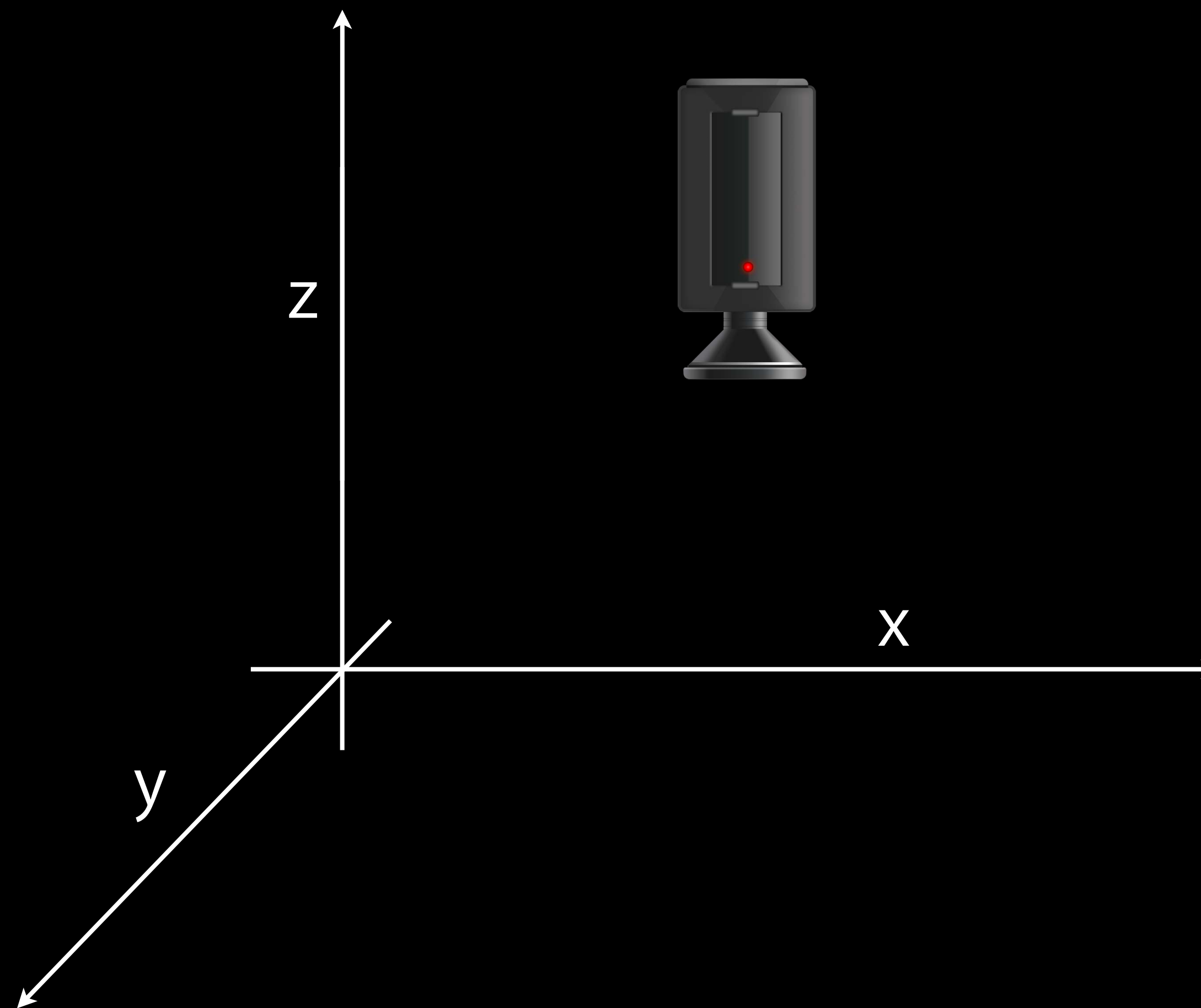
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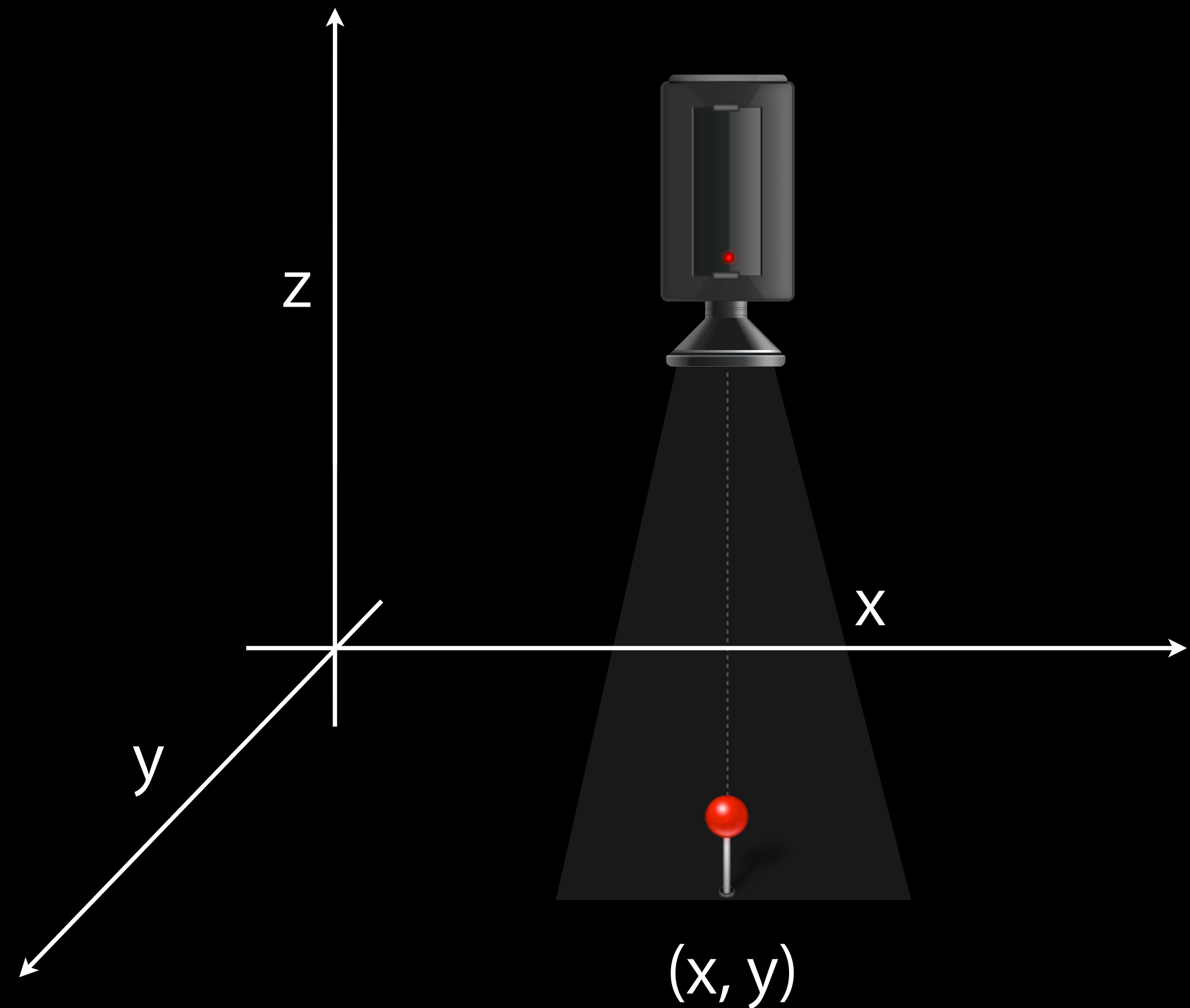
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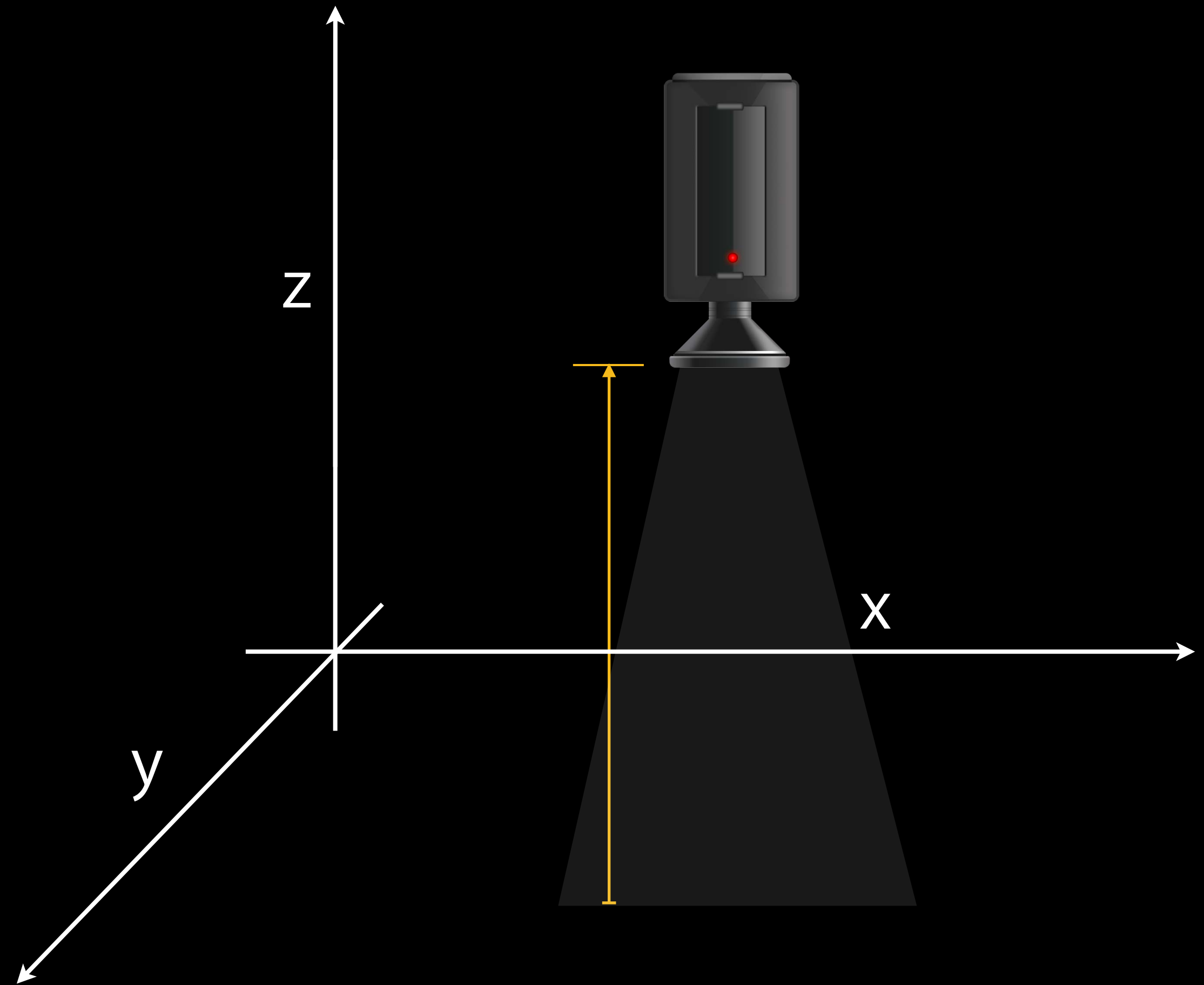
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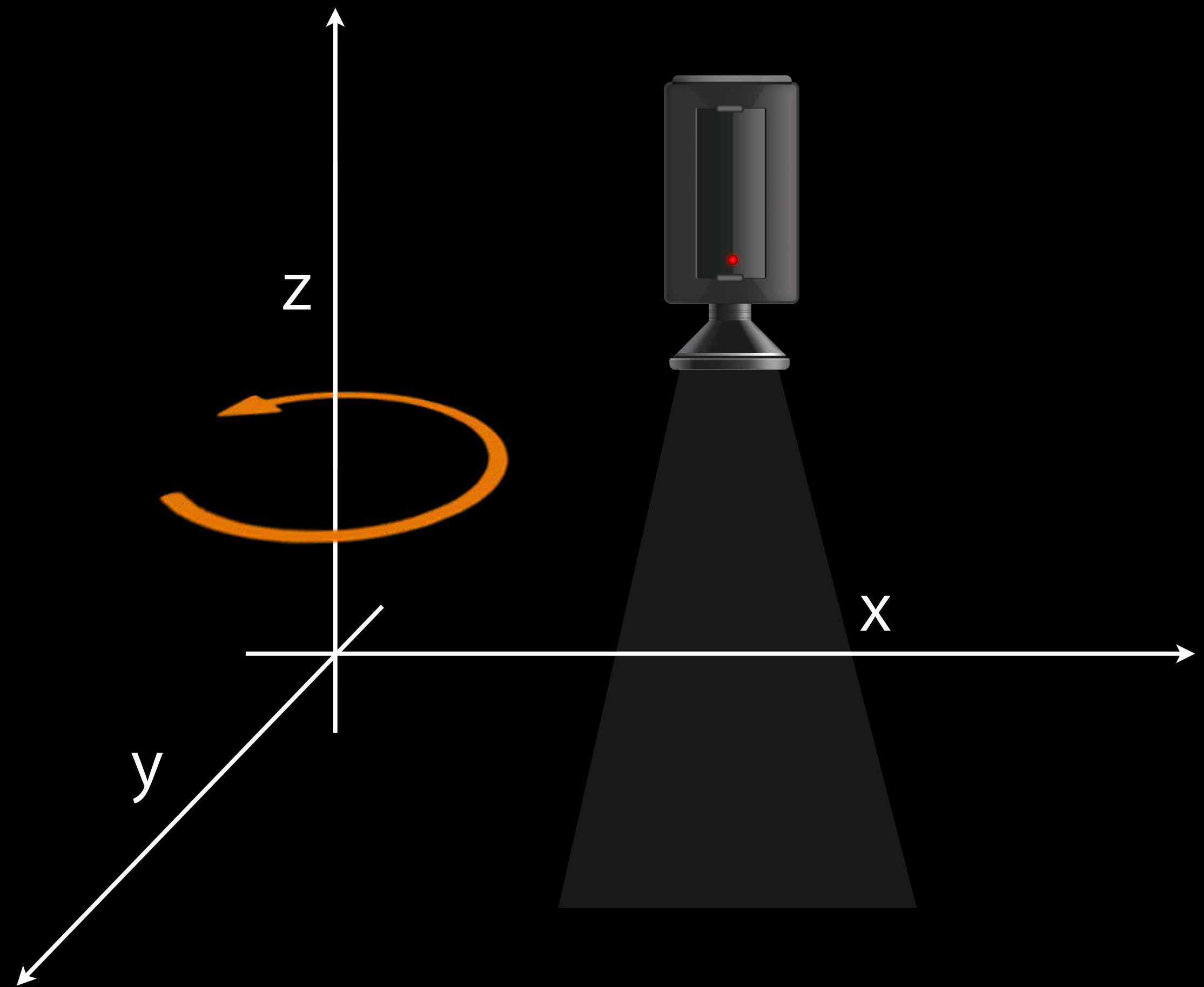
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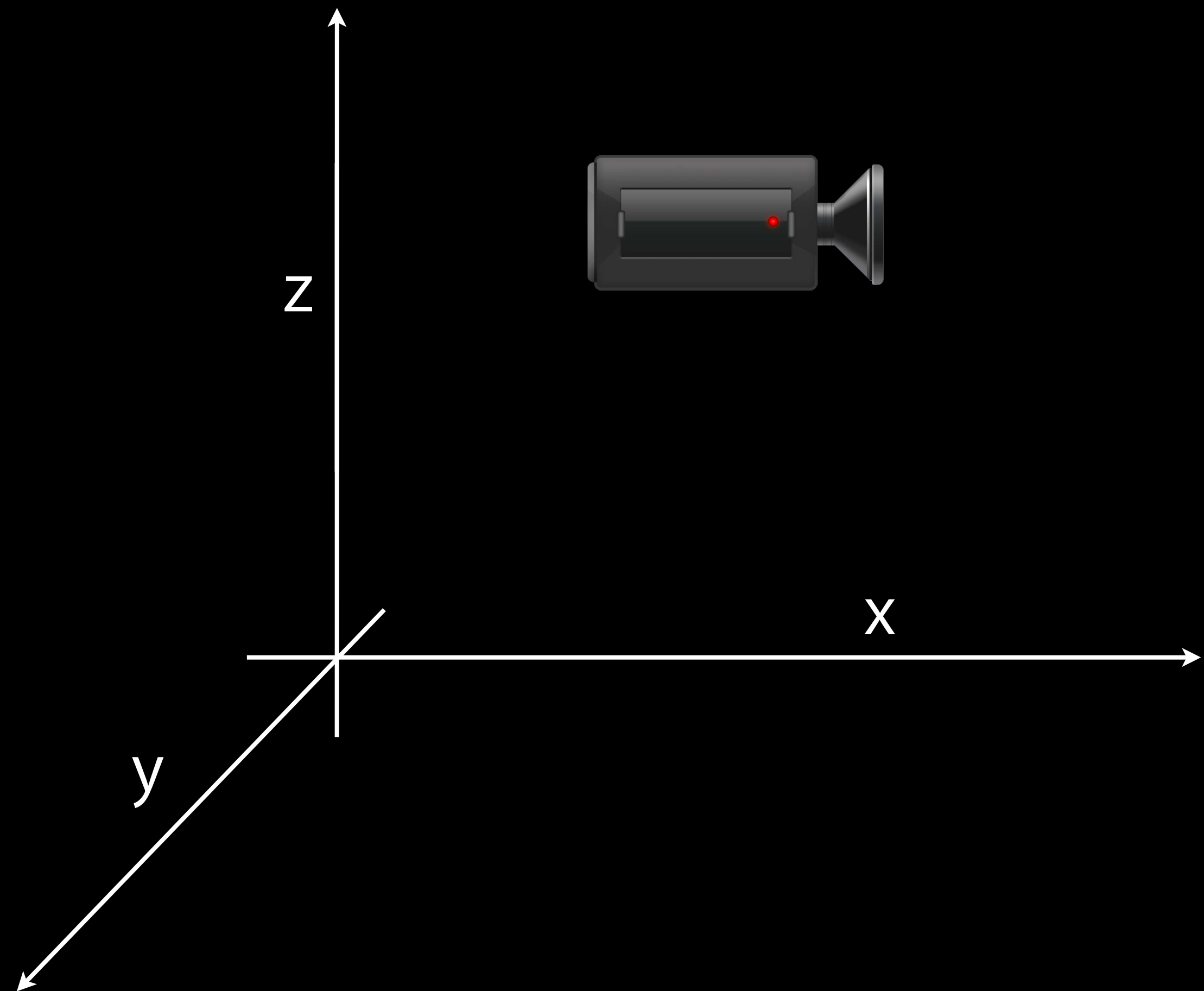
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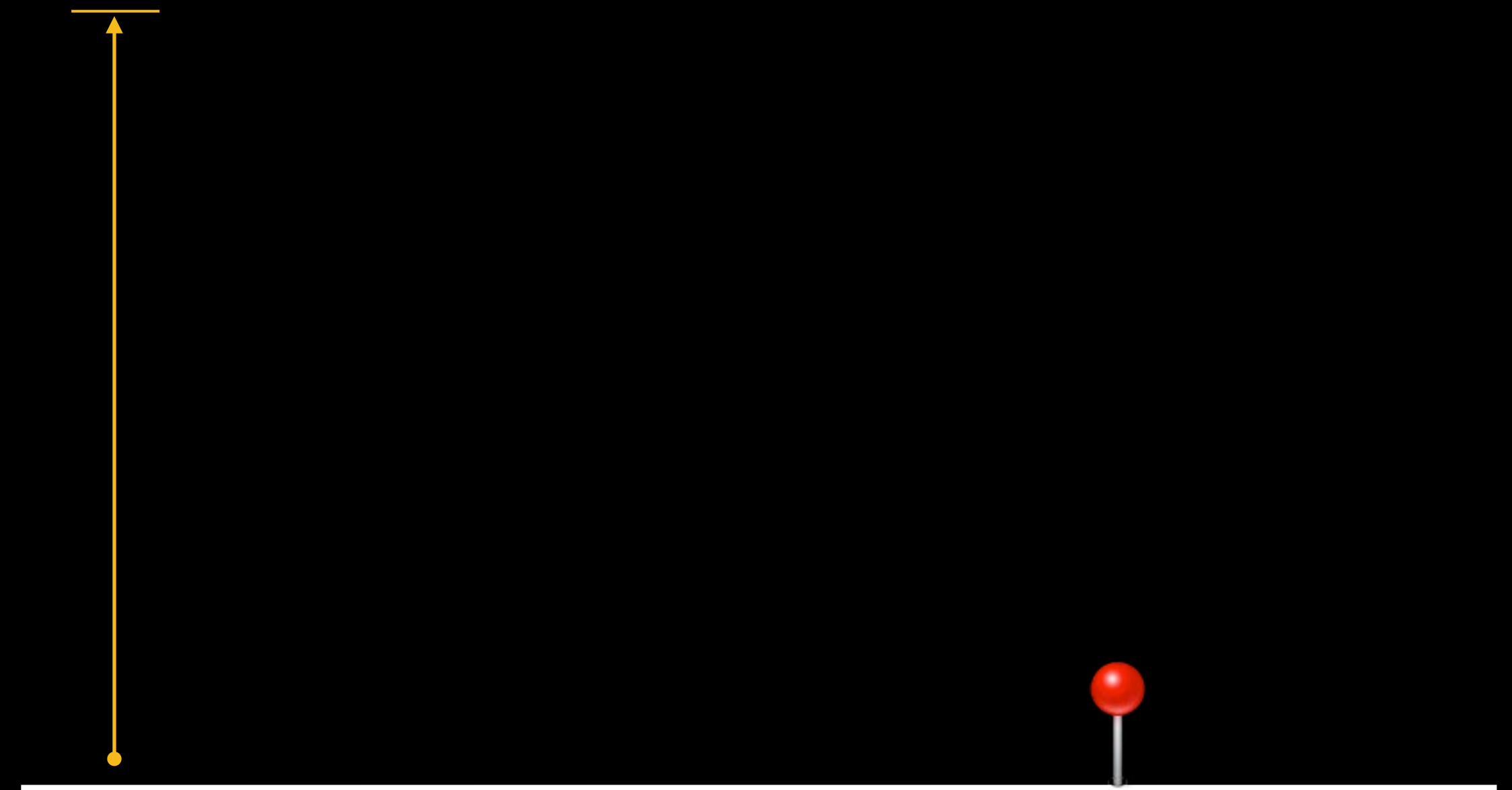
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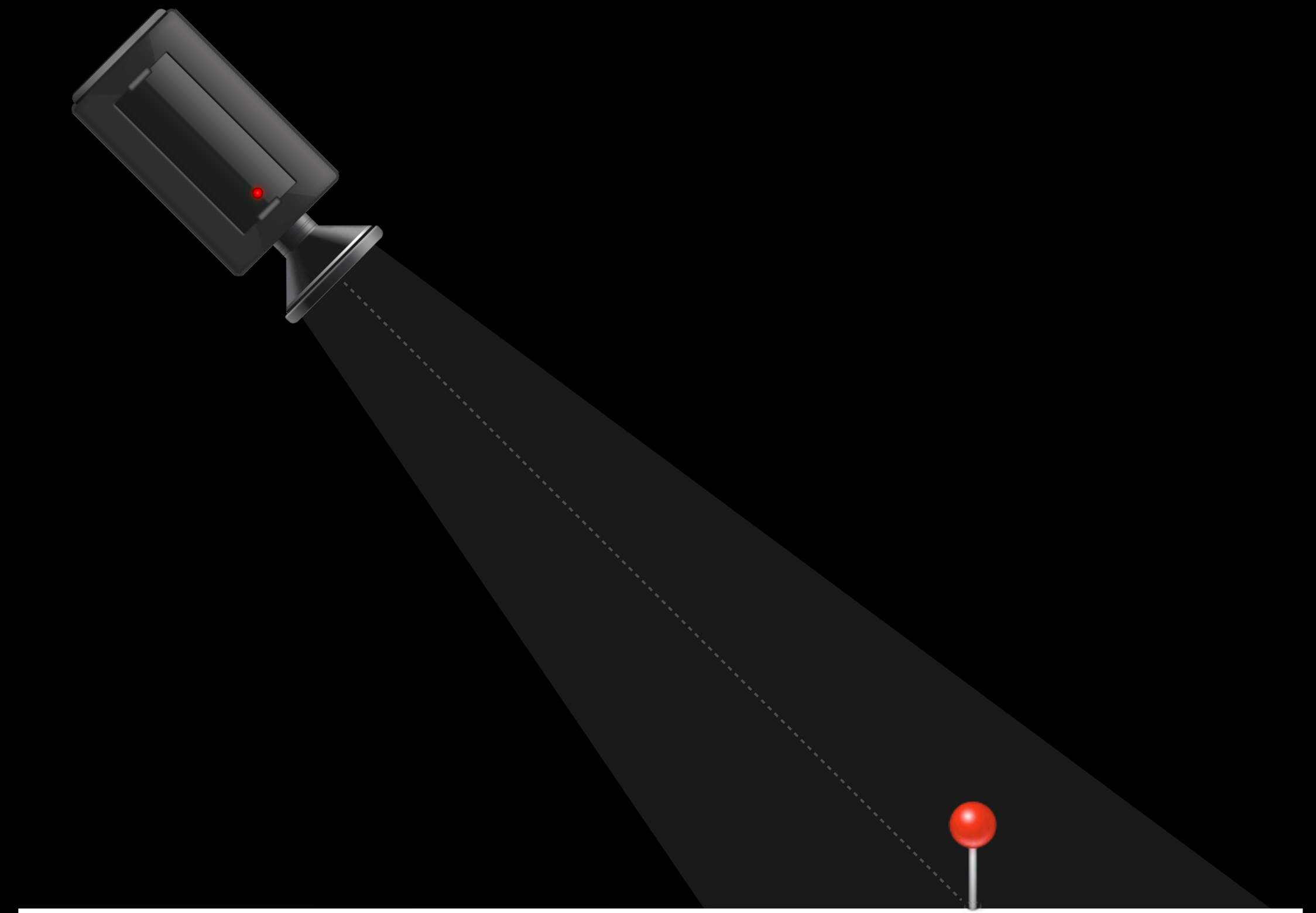
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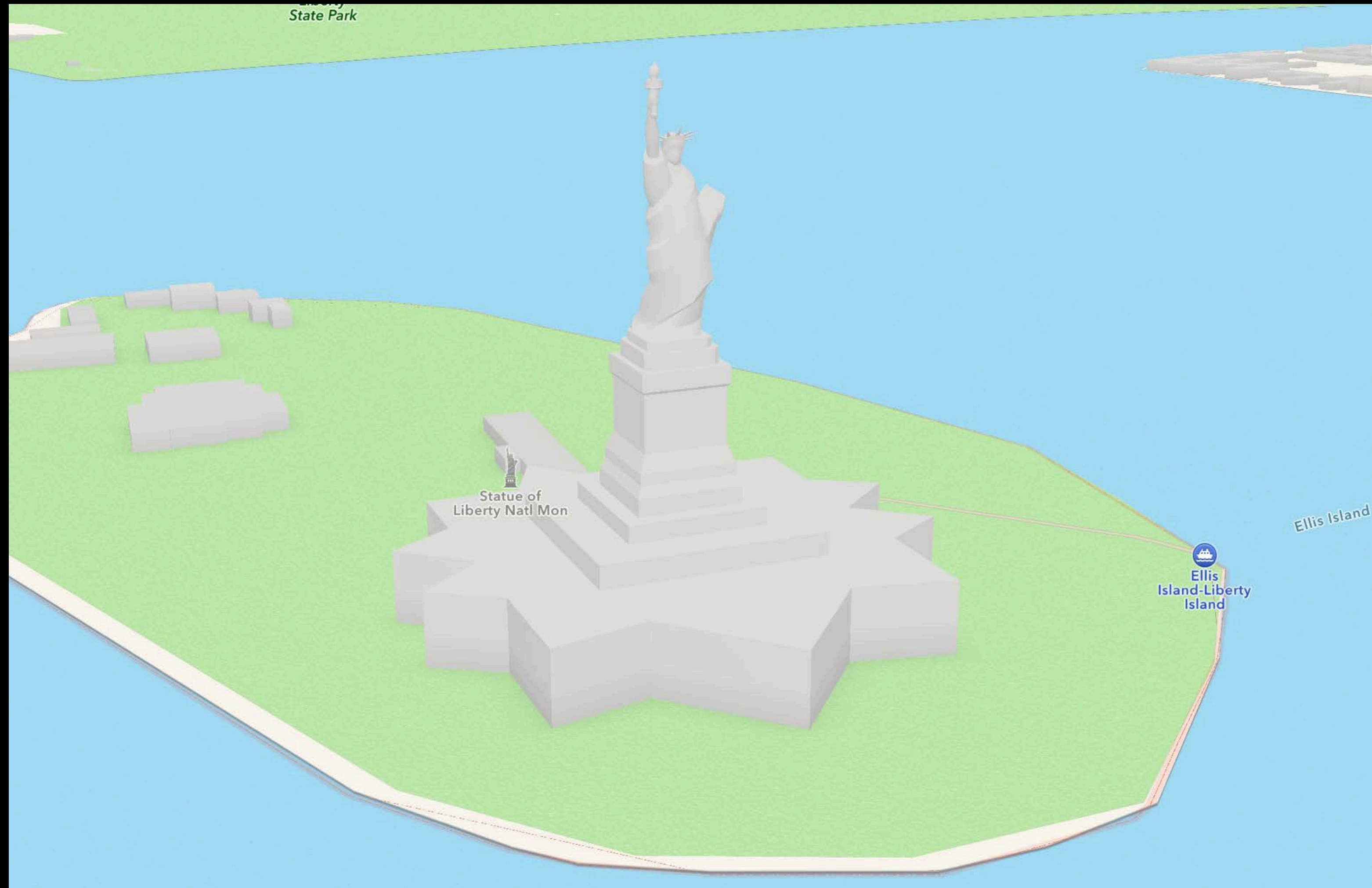
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# Same API on OS X

*Demo*

Cinematic camera motion

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## Recap

- One stop shop for 3D
- Save and restore state
- Add a special touch to your app

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- In these cases **pitchEnabled** will always return **NO**

# Static Map Snapshots

Producing beautiful maps without disrupting interaction



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Why use a snapshot

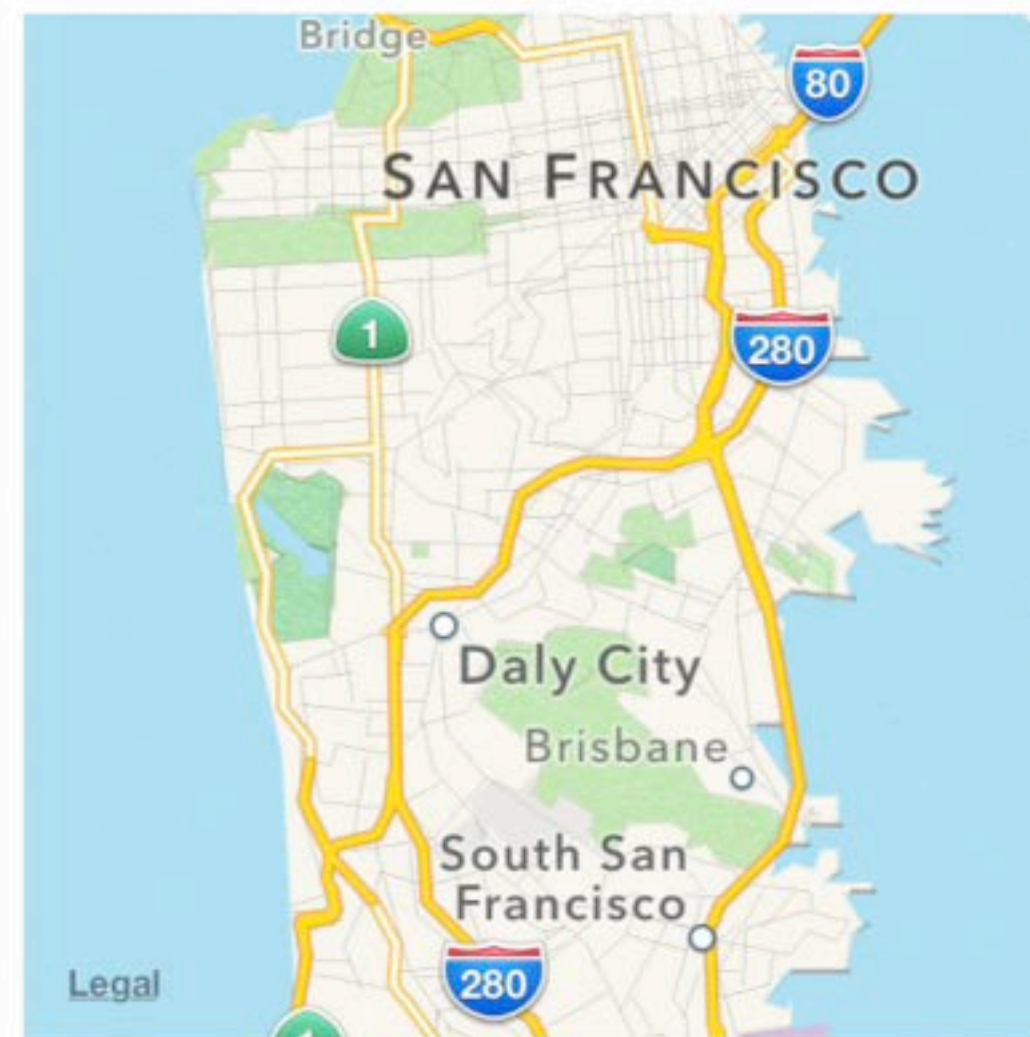


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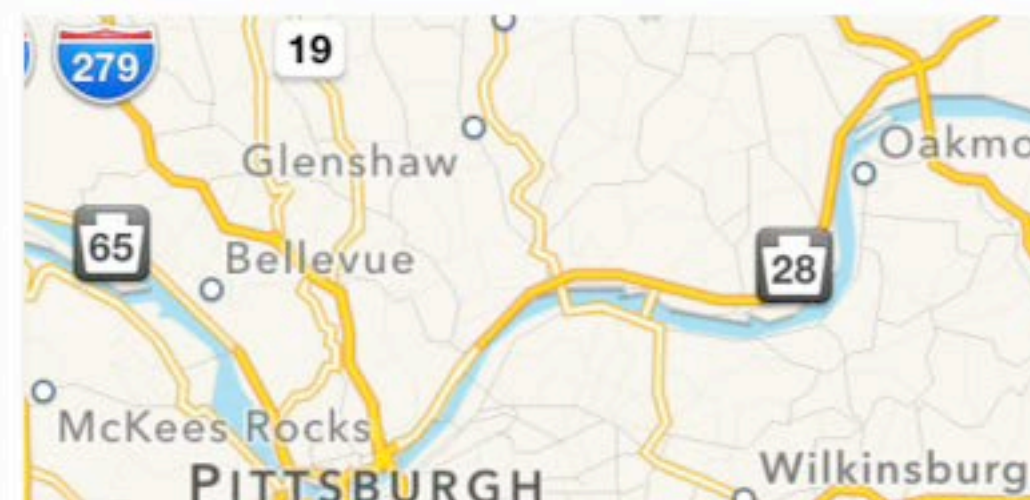
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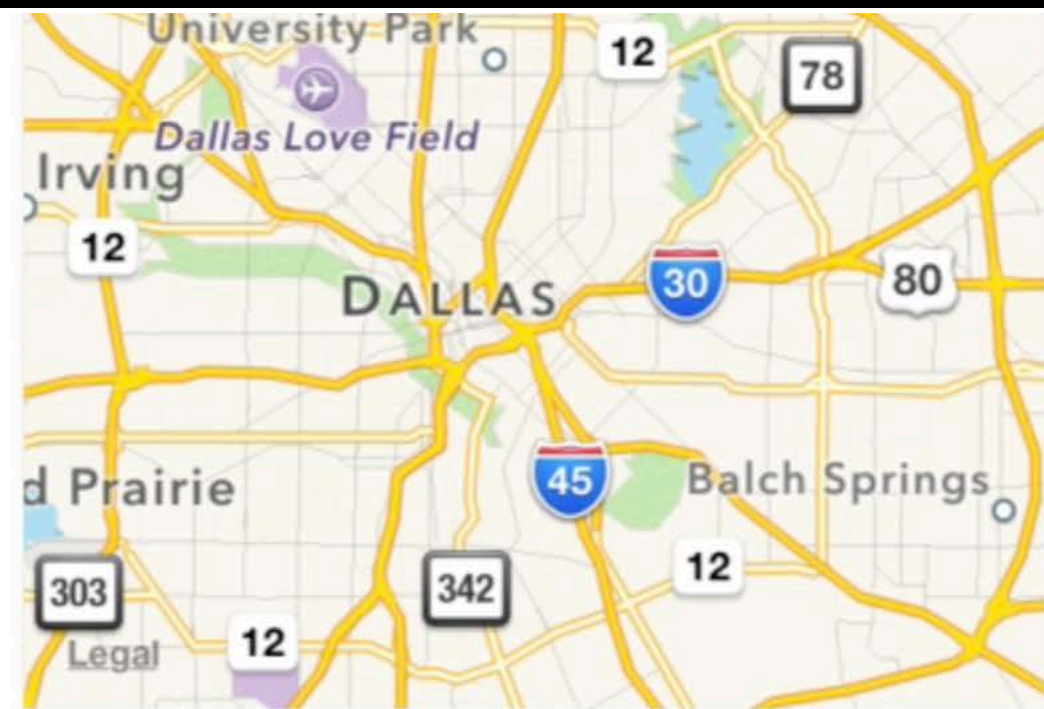


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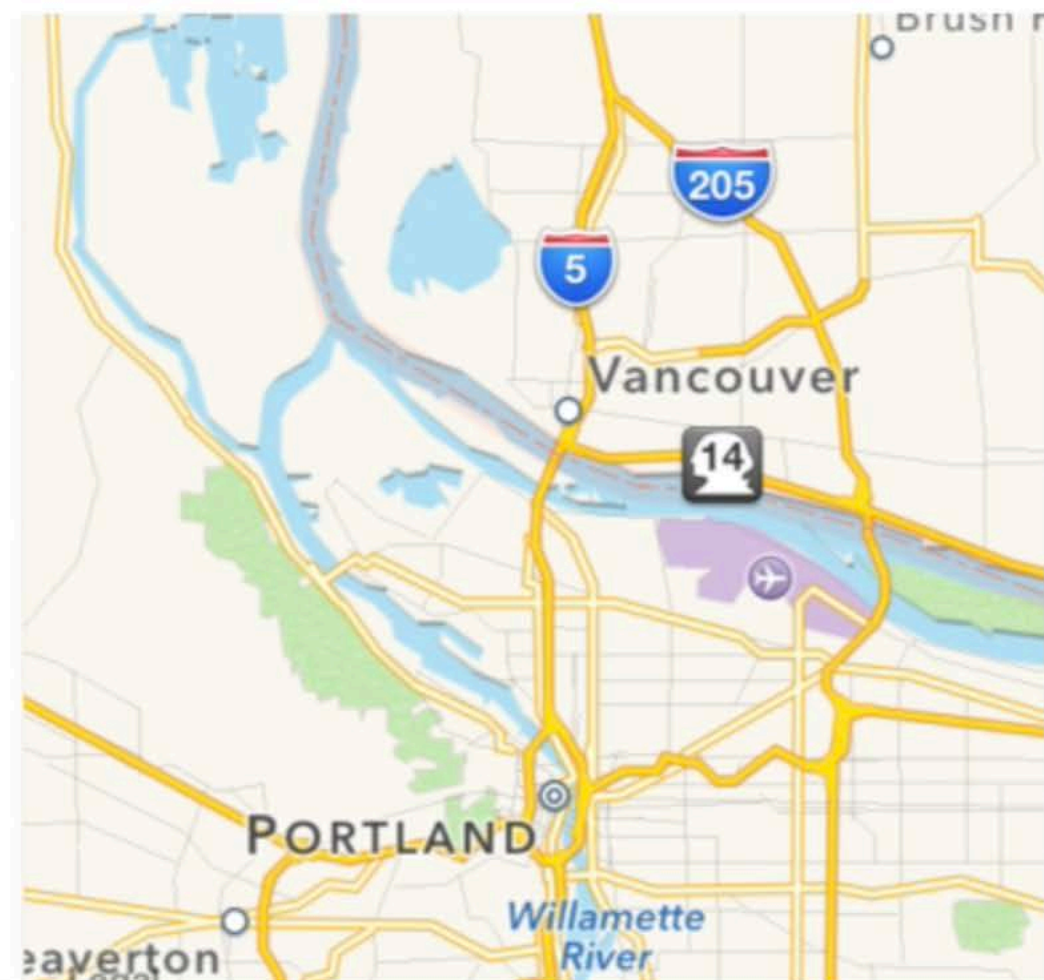


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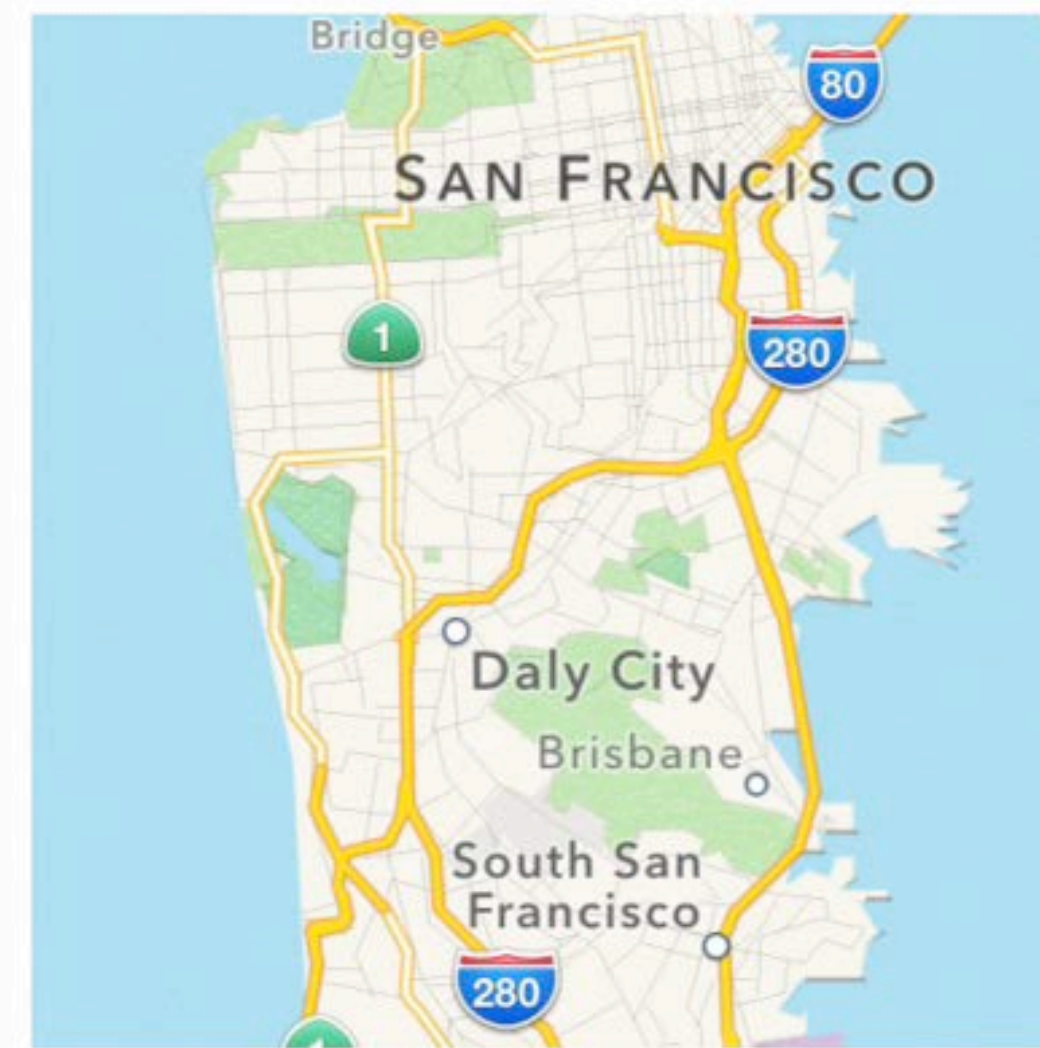
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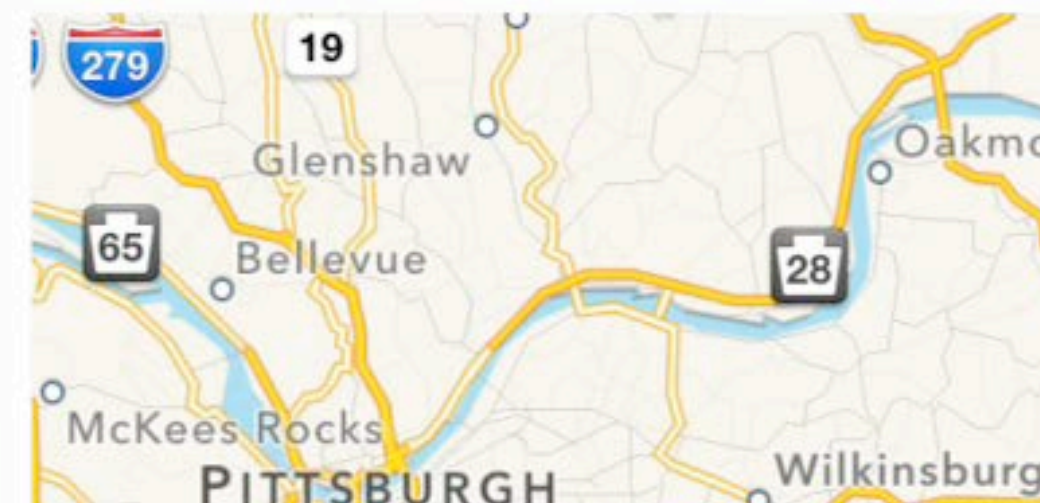
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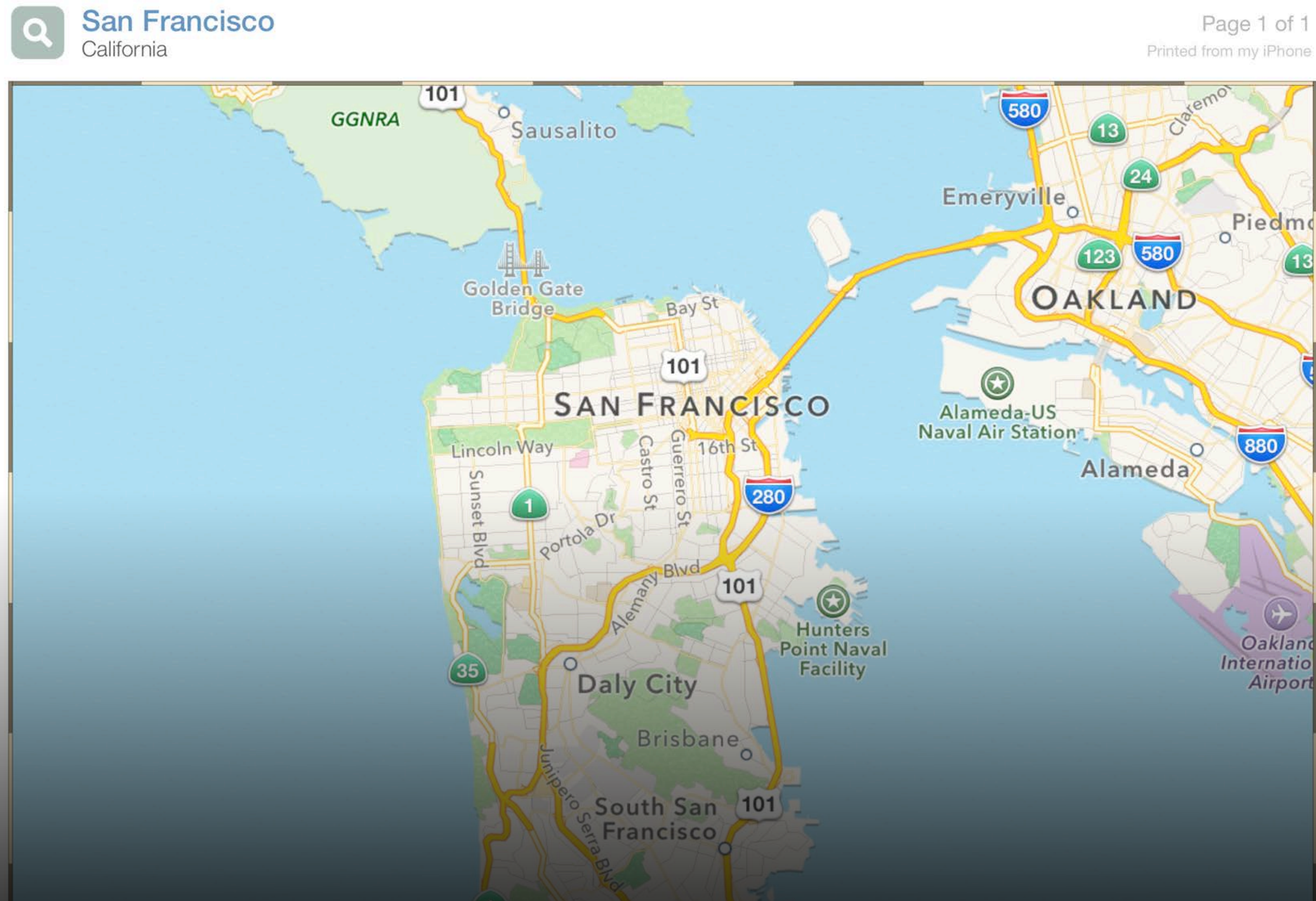


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Why use a snapshot



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## Configuring MKMapSnapshotOptions

- Image size
- Map region or camera
- Map type
- Scale (iOS only)



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## Creating a snapshot (for printing)

- Configure options
- Create a snapshotter
- Create a semaphore
- Choose a dispatch queue
- Create result variables
- Start the snapshotter
- Wait for snapshotter to complete

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## Creating a snapshot (for printing)

```
options.scale = 2; // iOS only
dispatch_semaphore_t snapshotSem = dispatch_semaphore_create(0);
dispatch_queue_t queue = dispatch_get_global_queue(...);
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*Demo*

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- iOS and OS X share similar APIs
- Reuse annotation view classes

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## Recap

- Performance
- Printing
- Replace use of `-renderInContext:`
- Anytime you want an image



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- Use MKMapSnapshotter

# More Information

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## Documentation

MKMapView

[http://developer.apple.com/library/ios/#documentation/MapKit/Reference/MKMapView\\_Class/](http://developer.apple.com/library/ios/#documentation/MapKit/Reference/MKMapView_Class/)

Location Awareness Programming Guide

<http://developer.apple.com/library/ios/#DOCUMENTATION/UserExperience/Conceptual/LocationAwarenessPG/>

## Apple Developer Forums

<http://devforums.apple.com>

# Related Sessions

What's New in Map Kit

Presidio  
Thursday 9:00AM





# Labs

Map Kit Lab	Service Lab B Thursday 10:15AM	
Map Kit Lab	Service Lab A Thursday 3:15PM	

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