

Anderson Playground Renovation Community Meeting #2 November 17th, 2022



Welcome & Introductions



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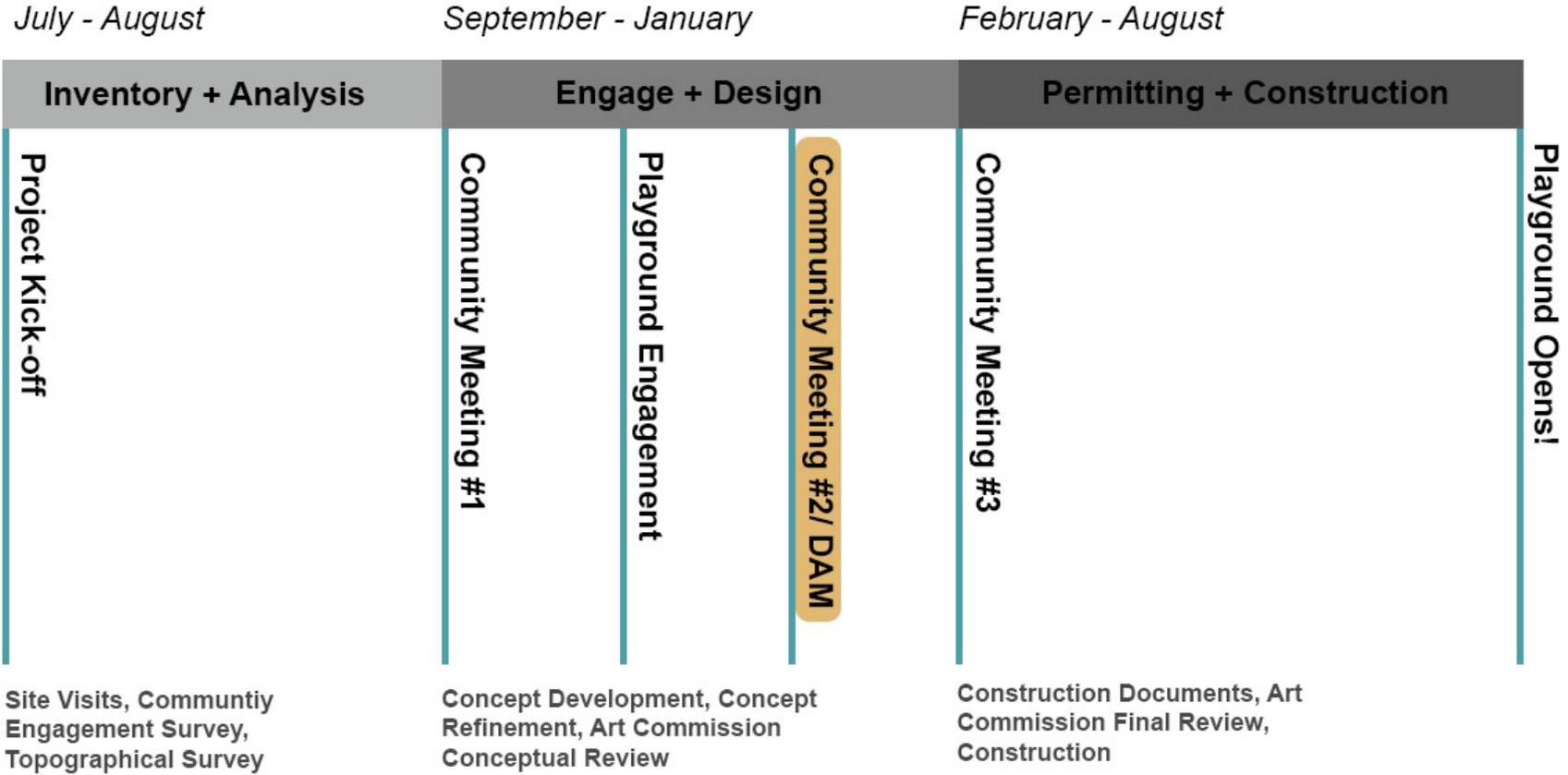
Meeting Expectations

- Show each other respect
- Save questions for end of presentation or type them in the chat
- Raise your virtual hand when you want to speak
- Share the conversation time with everyone

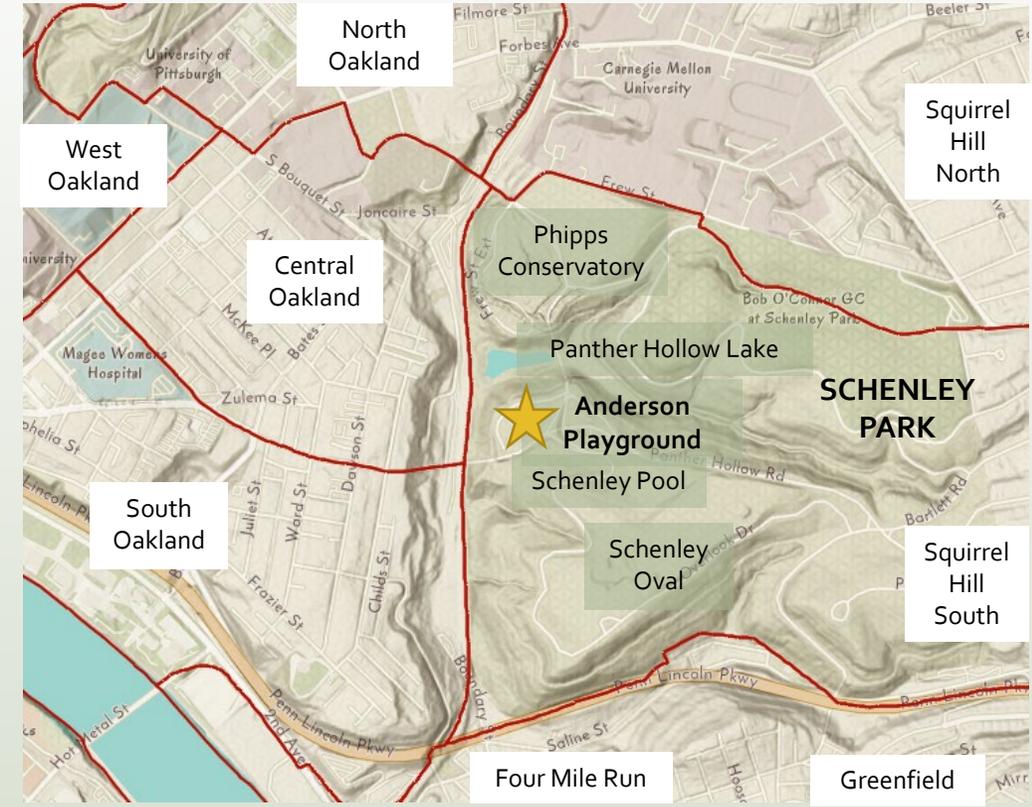
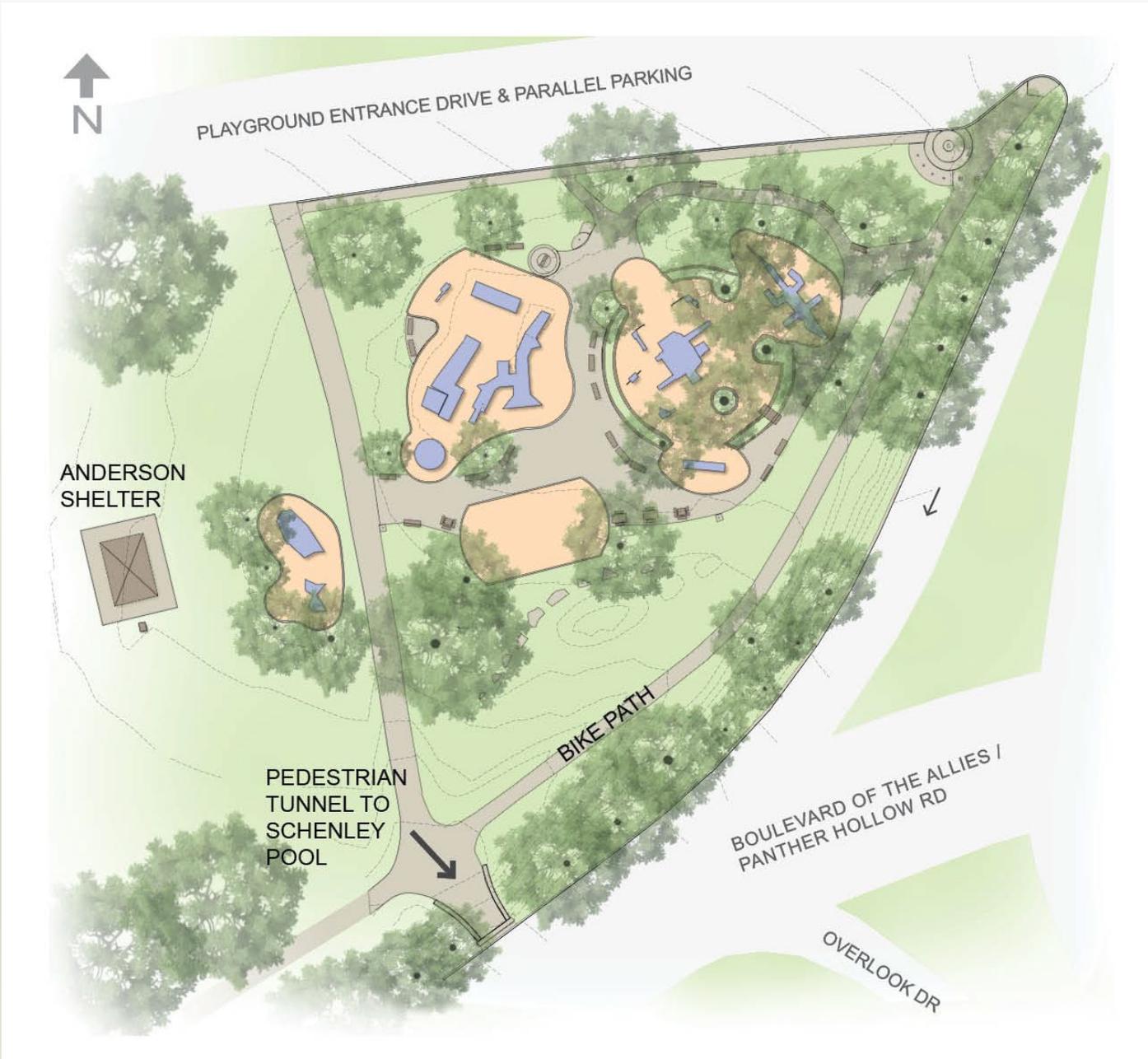
Agenda

- Project schedule and work-to-date
- Overview of scope of work
- Review playground concepts
- Review playground equipment styles
- Discussion & feedback
- Next steps

Project Schedule



Site Location and Context



Scope of Work

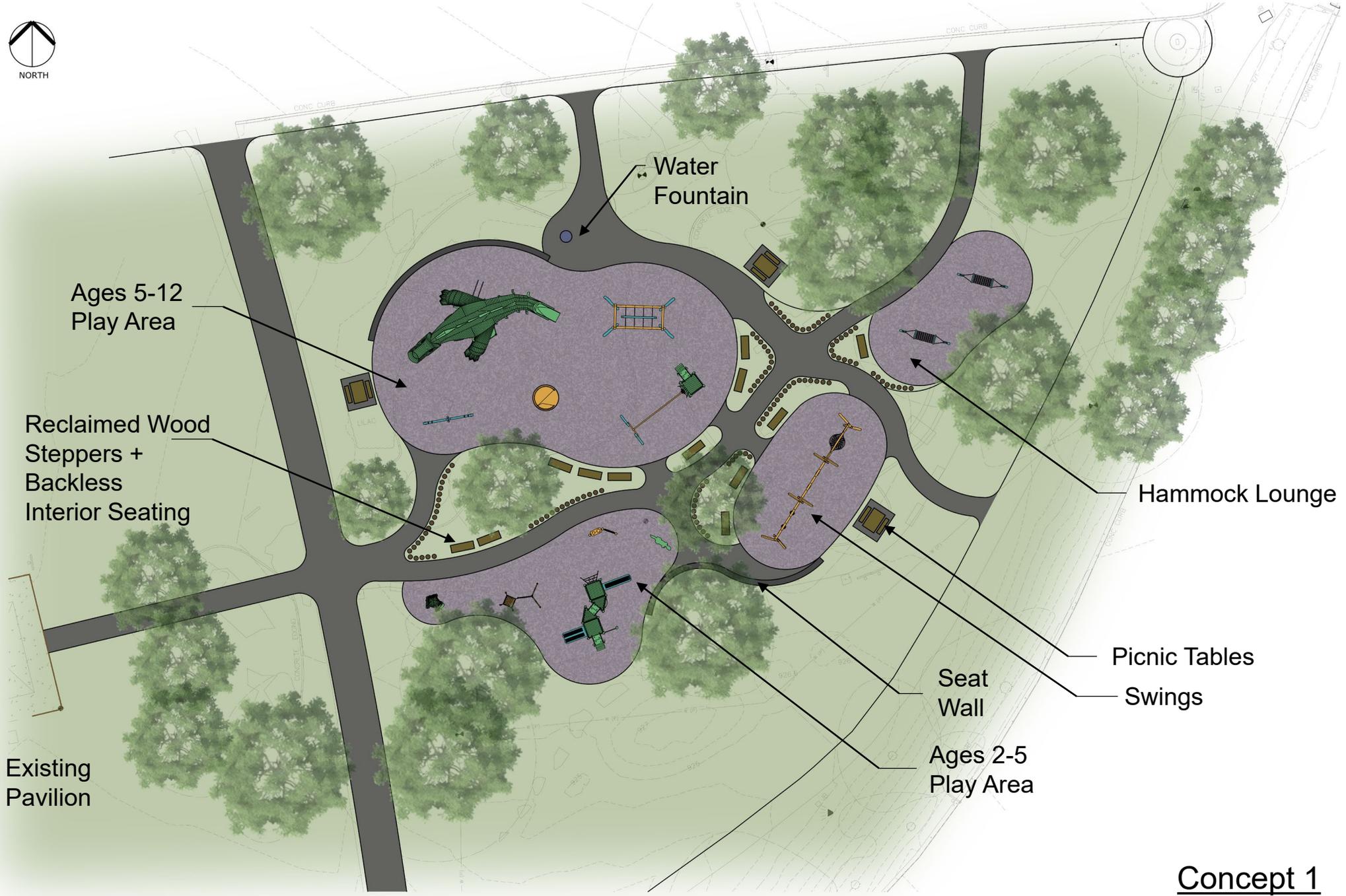
Budget: \$1,250,000 RAD Funding



Note: Restrooms + spray features are not part of the scope.

Summary of Feedback from Community Meeting #1 & Park Engagement Event:

- Age-appropriate challenges
- More cohesive space, but age-separation is important
- Consider teens and college students
- Embrace dinosaur theme
- Bring back swings
- Preservation of shade/ shade trees
- Good parent visibility
- Link areas / create good transitions between play areas
- Good parent visibility / sight lines are key
- Provide physical barrier between parking and play areas
- Bike/ tricycle track
- More picnic tables, spread out
- 360-degree seating



Ages 5-12
Play Area

Reclaimed Wood
Steppers +
Backless
Interior Seating

Existing
Pavilion

Water
Fountain

Hammock Lounge

Picnic Tables
Swings

Seat
Wall

Ages 2-5
Play Area

Concept 1



Water Fountain

Ages 5-12 Play Area

Reclaimed Wood Steppers + Backless Interior Seating

Hammock Lounge

Perimeter Walking/ Tricycle Track

Central Seating Area

Picnic Tables

Swings and Hammocks

Existing Pavilion

Concept 2



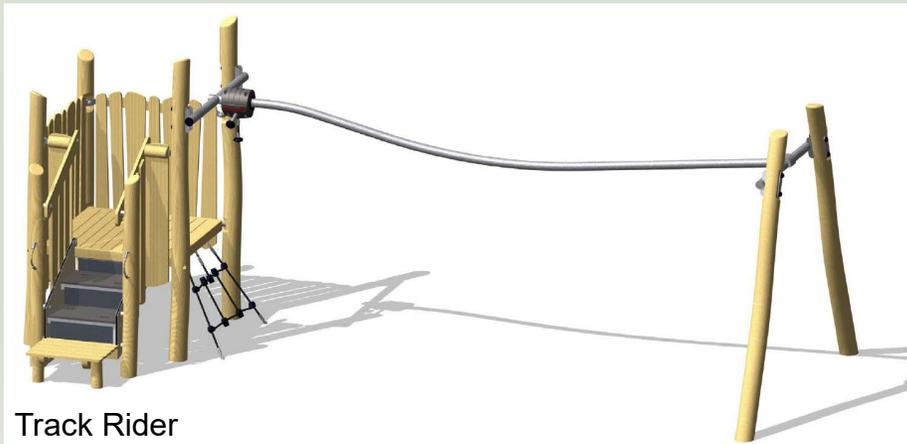
Play Equipment – Wooden Sculpture (Ages 5-12)



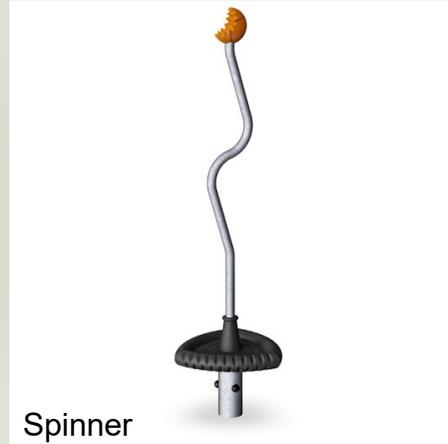
Robinia Sculpture



Key Map



Track Rider



Spinner



Carousel

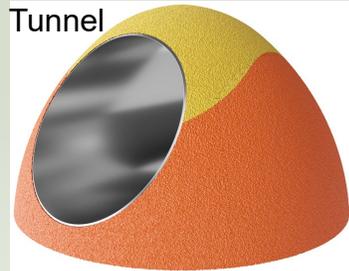
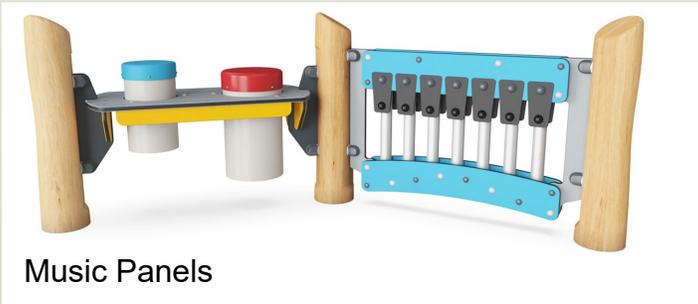


Seesaw



Pendulum Swing

Play Equipment – Wooden Sculpture (Ages 2-5)



Play Equipment – Swings and Hammocks



3-Bay Robinia Swing



Key Map



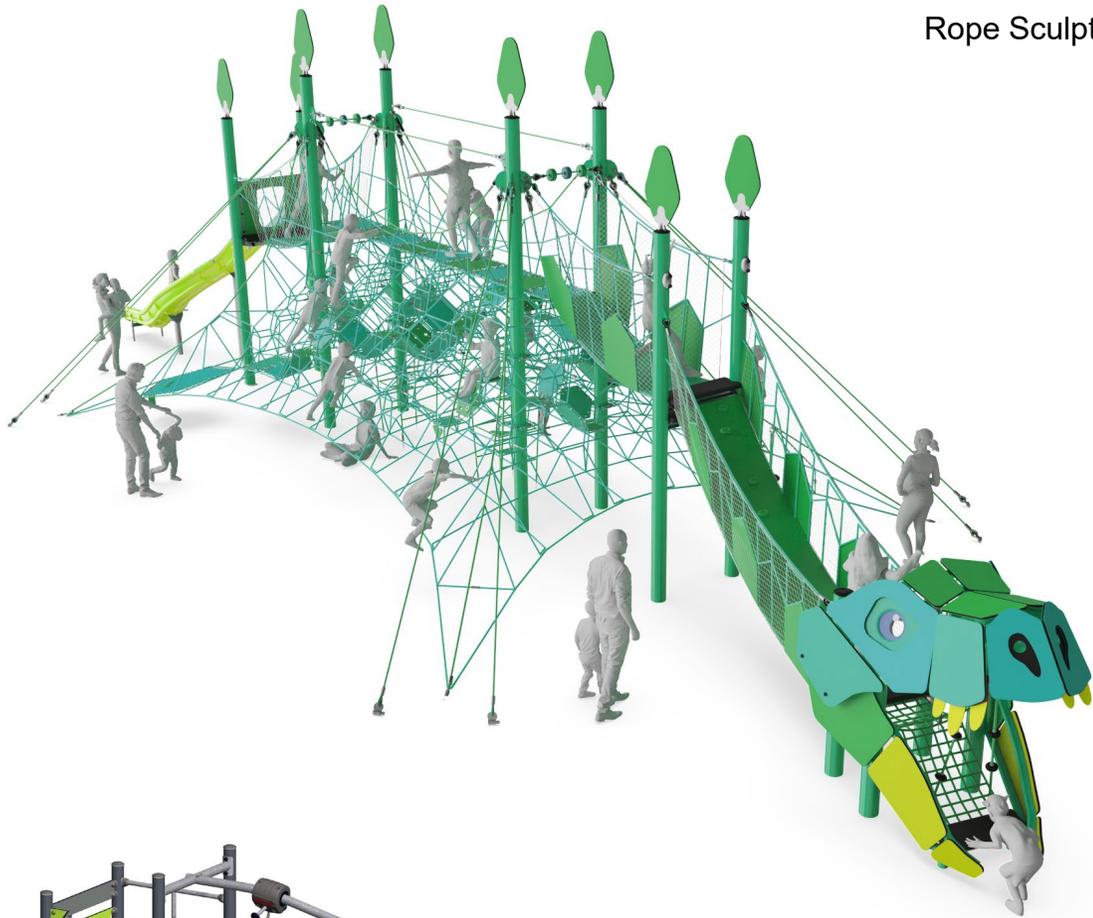
Robinia Net Hammock

Play Equipment – Wooden Sculpture



Play Equipment – Rope Sculpture (Ages 5-12)

Rope Sculpture



Key Map



Seesaw



Track Rider



Cup Spinner



Carousel

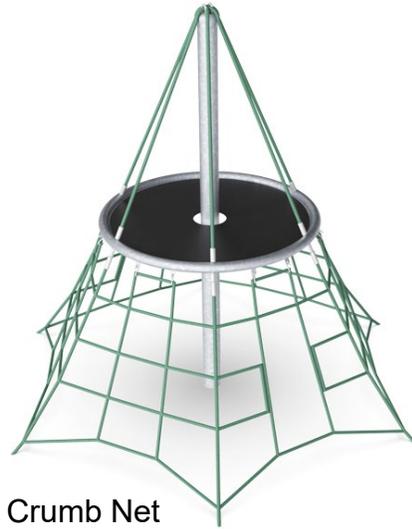


Spinner

Play Equipment – Rope Sculpture (Ages 2-5)



Double Tower with Slides



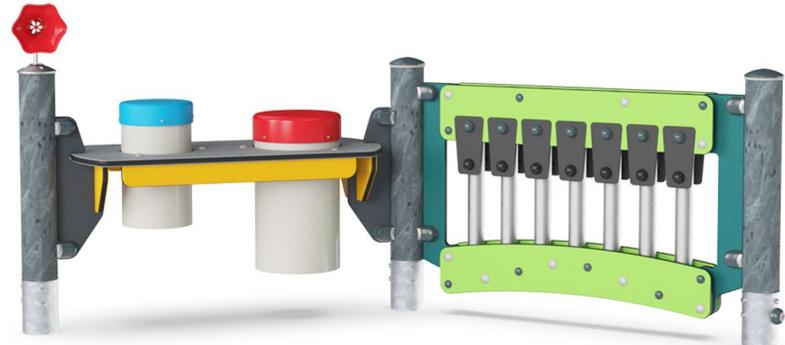
Crumb Net



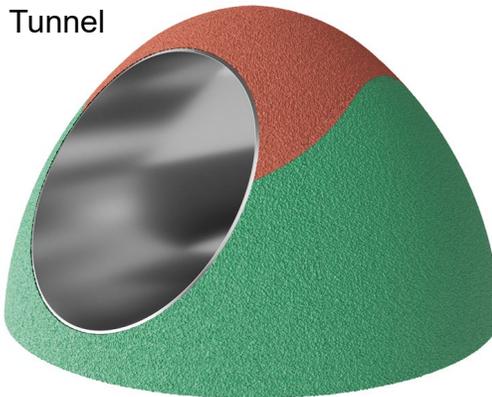
Dino Sculpture



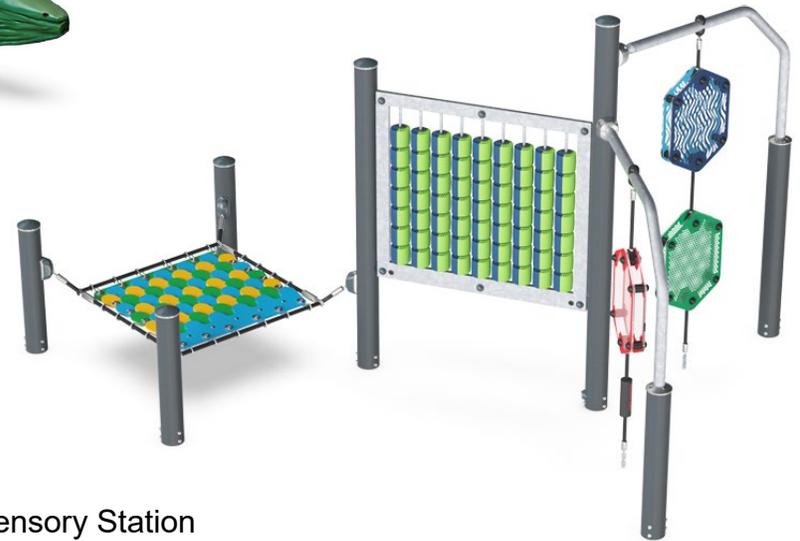
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Music Panels

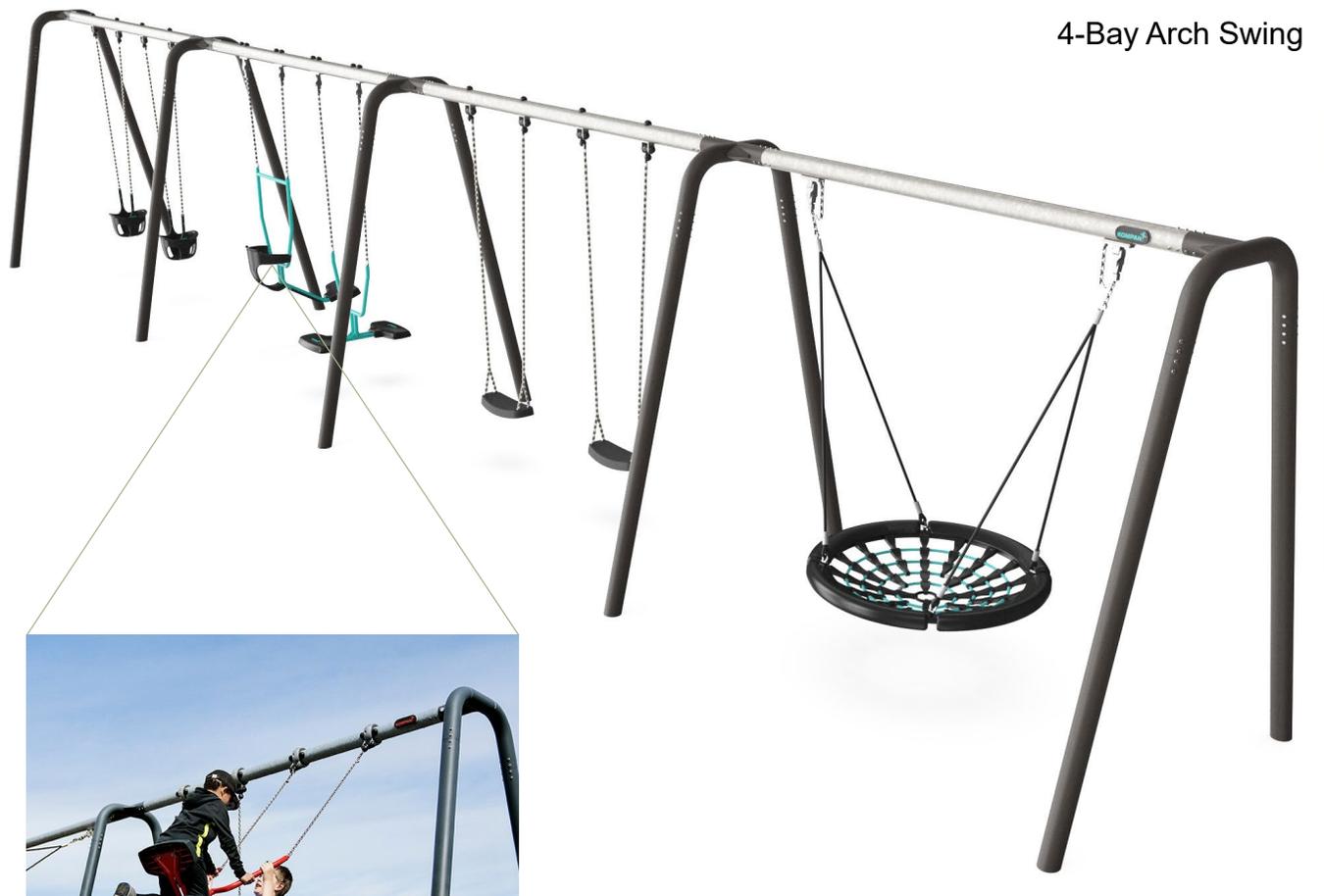


Tunnel



Sensory Station

Play Equipment – Swings and Hammocks



4-Bay Arch Swing



Key Map



Hammock

Play Equipment – Rope Sculpture



Questions/ Discussion:

1. What is your preferred conceptual layout?
 - Concept 1
 - Concept 2
2. What style of equipment do you prefer?
 - Wood Dino Sculpture
 - Rope Dino Sculpture
3. How would you like to see landscape incorporated into the design?

Next Steps

- Design Refinement
- Art Commission Conceptual Review
- Community Meeting #3 – Date TBD
 - Present Final Design
- Questions? Contact: andrea.ketzel@pittsburghpa.gov
- Follow Updates: <https://engage.pittsburghpa.gov/anderson>