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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Brent Walker, Parks and Recreation Director

Date: August 14, 2017

Subject: Approval of Parks and Recreation Master Plan Concept Designs

BACKGROUND

The City is prepared to finalize a Parks and Recreation Master Plan based on an evaluation of the existing park conditions, assessment of the City's future park needs, benchmarking against other local government park systems, and an extensive public involvement process.

Public input has been gathered through interviews, public meetings, focus group meetings, an open web-based survey and a statistically valid mail survey.

This Master Plan provides long-range guidance to the City of Dunwoody on park redevelopment, possible land acquisitions for future park space, staffing options, revenue sources and maintenance plans. Additionally, the Master Plan includes conceptual site plans for each existing park property.

DISCUSSION

Based on discussions and input from City Council, the attached Parks and Recreation Master Plan Concepts are presented for your review and discussion. If necessary, staff will take all feedback from Council and revise the plan to a final version.

REQUEST

Staff respectfully requests that Council review and discuss the Parks and Recreation Master Plan Concepts and provide staff direction to take the appropriate actions necessary to complete the plan. If no further action is necessary Staff requests that Council approve the concepts as presented to be included in the Parks and Recreation Master Plan.



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Dunwoody Parks and Recreation Master Plan Draft Update August 14, 2017







Process

- Start-up
- Community Input
 - Focus Groups
 - Stakeholder Meeting
 - Survey
- Inventory
- Level of Service Analysis
- Operational & Maintenance Analysis
 - Program & Other Service Provider Analysis
 - Organizational Analysis
- Findings Presentation
- Visioning Workshop
- Draft Plan Update Presentation
- Final Plan & Presentation

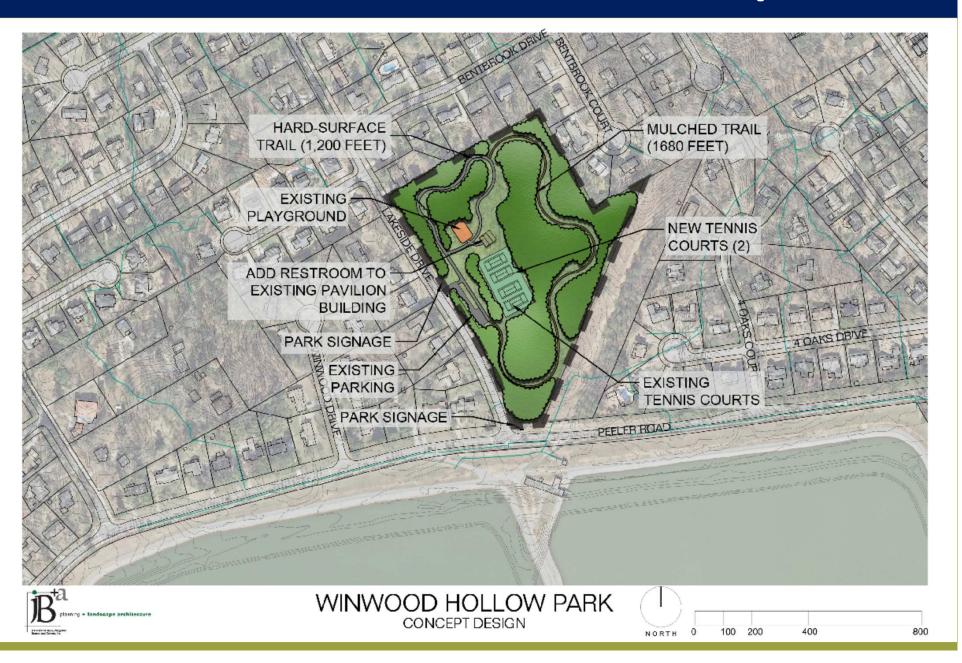


Recommendations

Action Plan, Cost Estimates and Prioritization

- Goals, Objectives, and Action Items for the recommendations are drawn from the public input, inventory, level of service analysis, findings feedback, and all the information gathered during the master planning process.
- All cost estimates are in 2017 figures where applicable.
- Most costs are dependent on the extent of the enhancements and improvements determined or known at this time.
- Timeframe to complete is designated as:
 - Short-term (up to 3 years)
 - Mid-term (4-6 years)
 - Long-term (7-10 years)

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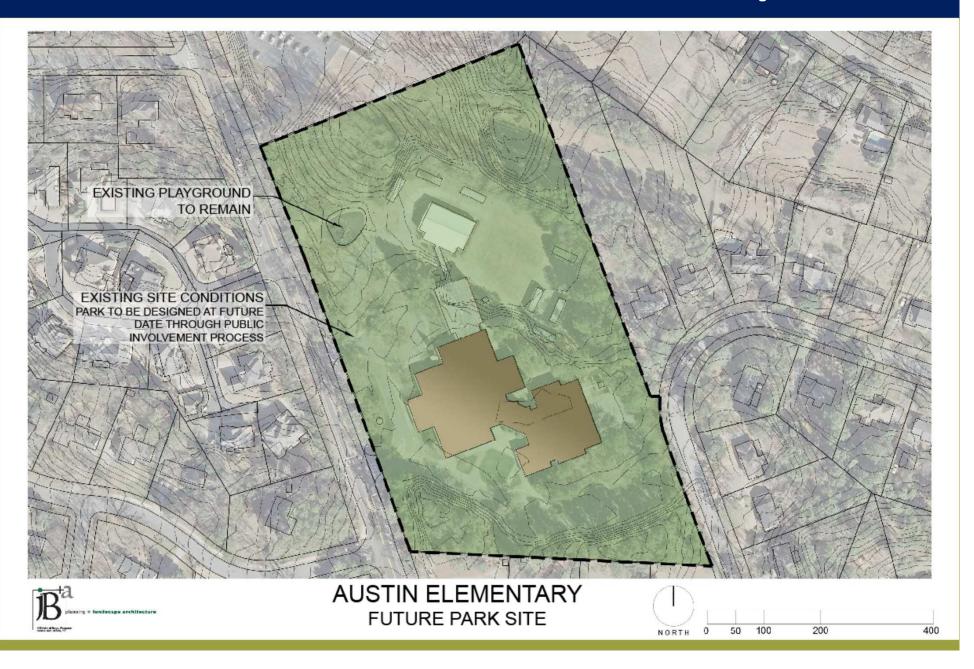


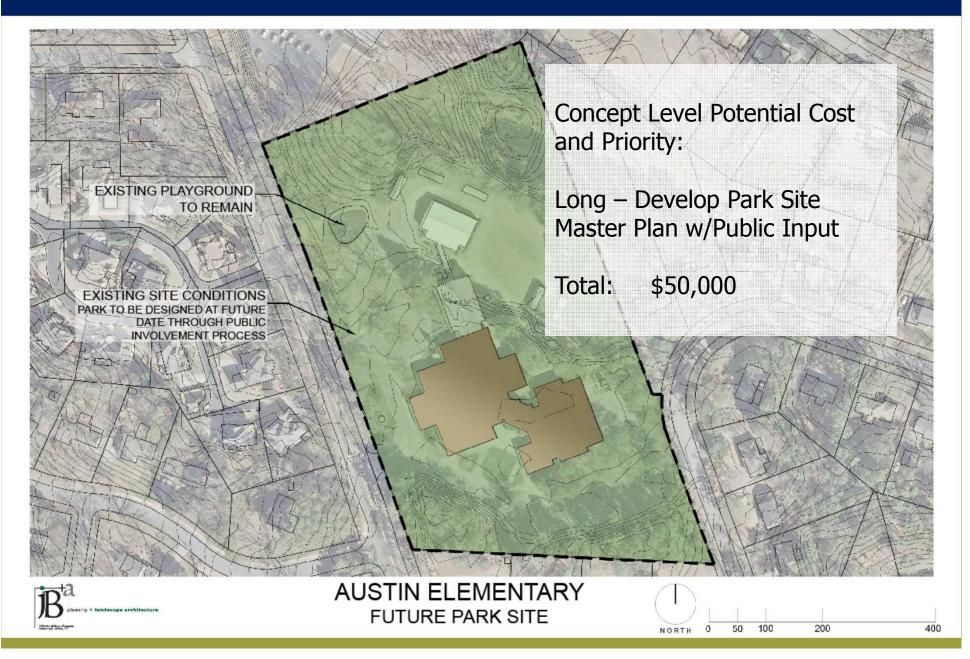


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CONCEPT DESIGN





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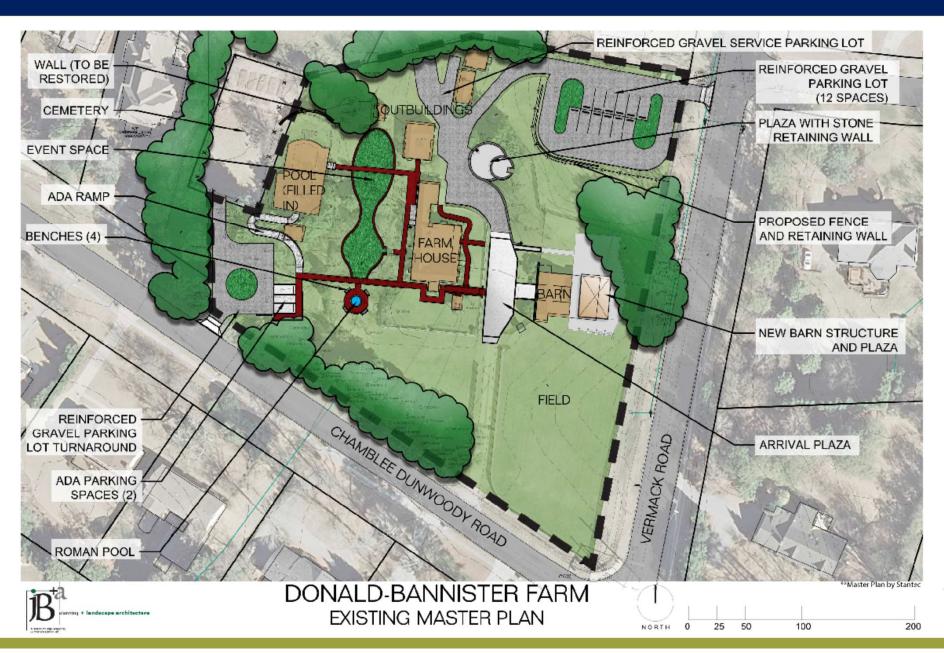
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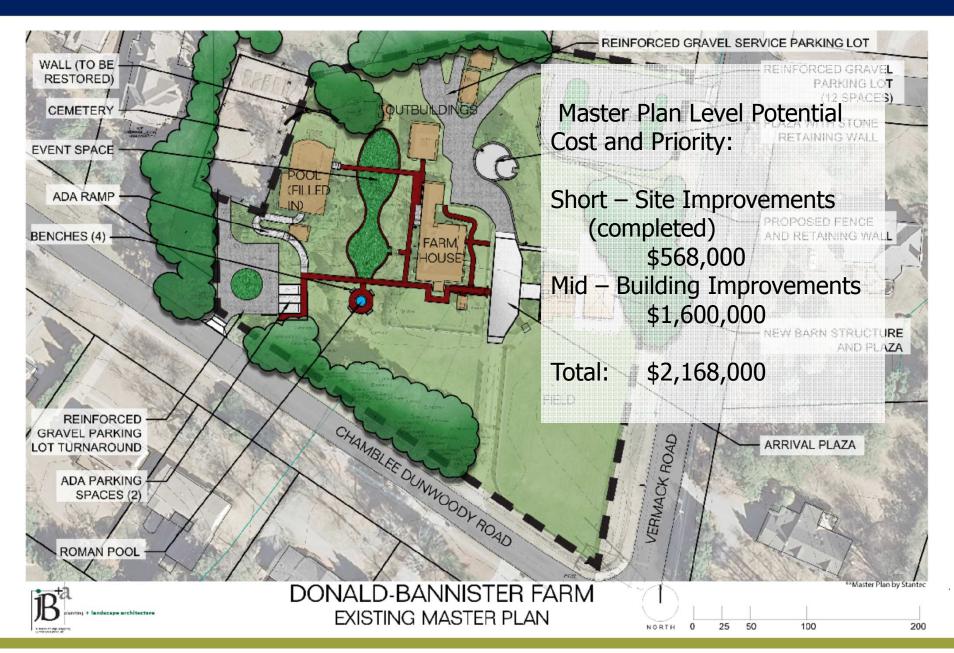












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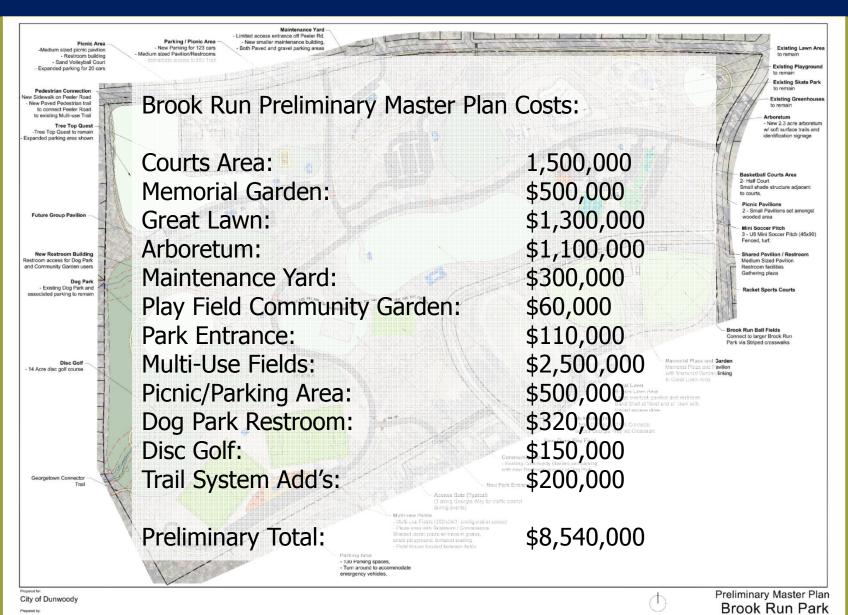






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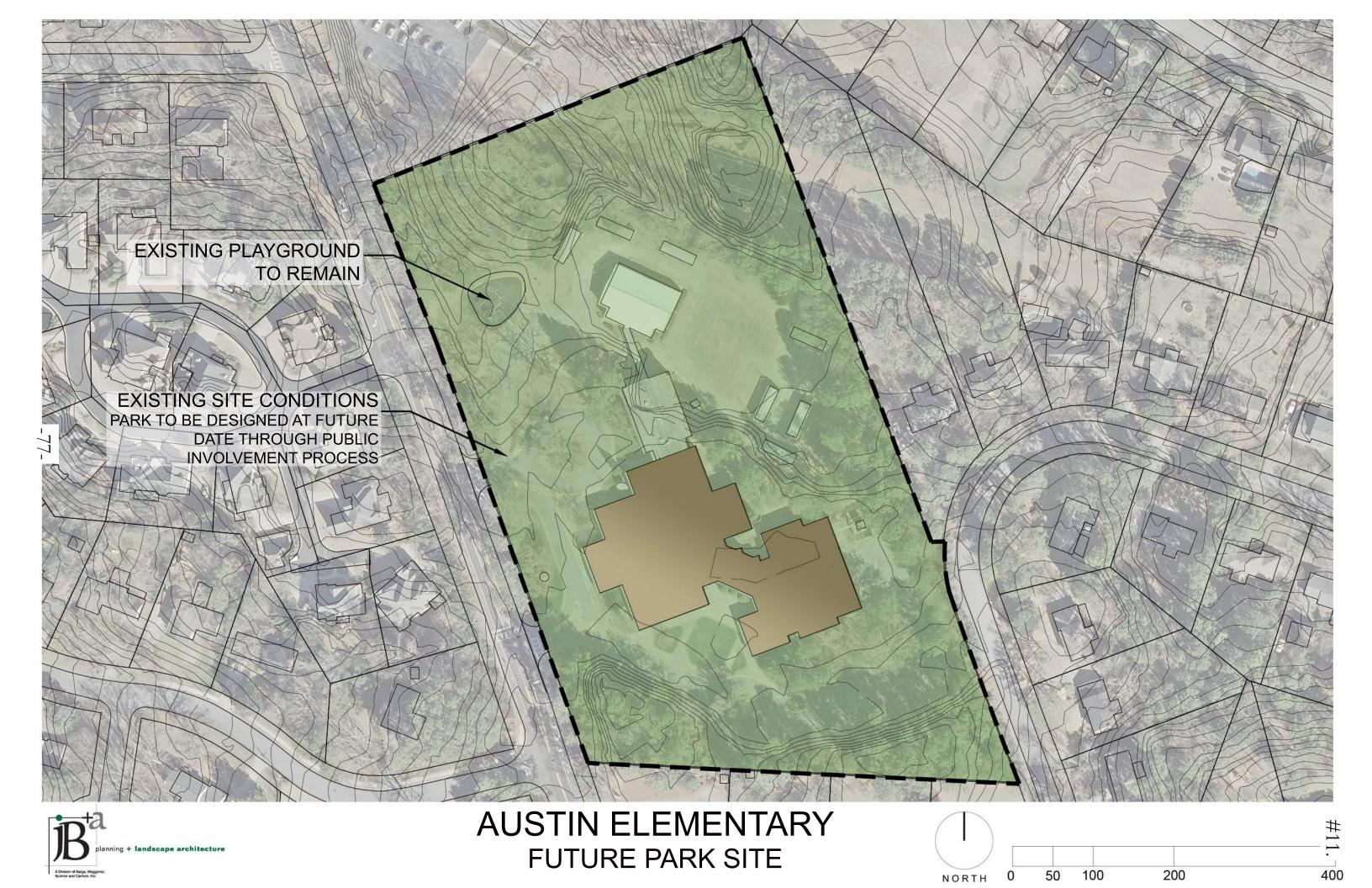
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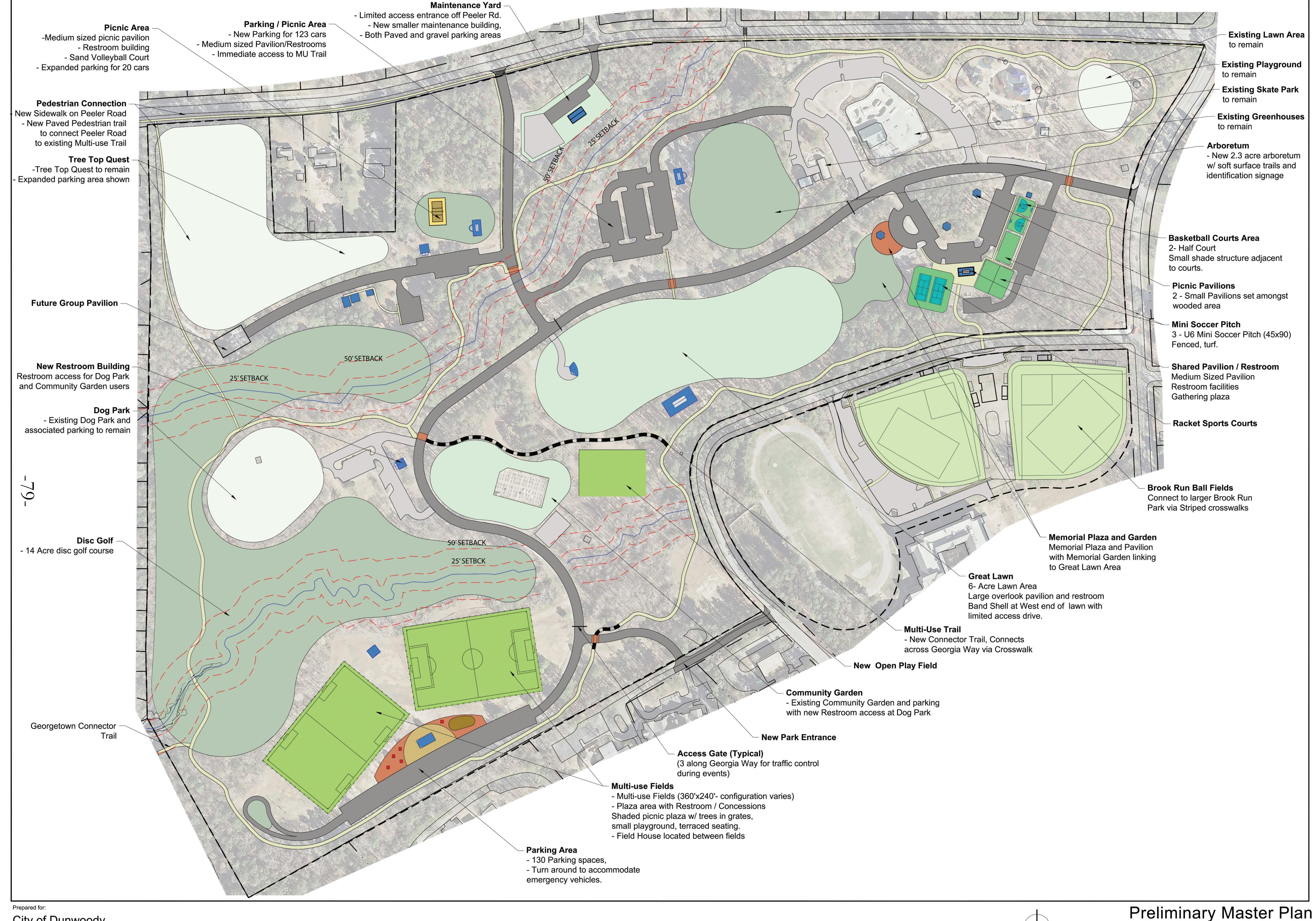
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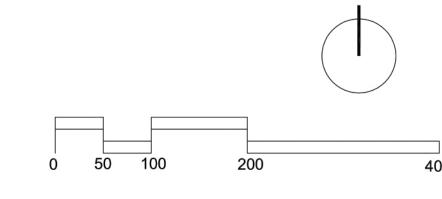


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