



Belle Haven Community Center & Library

Community Meeting #2

FEBRUARY 9, 2020

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Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions

2. Today's Goals

3. Project Overview- *Overview of the project and constraints*

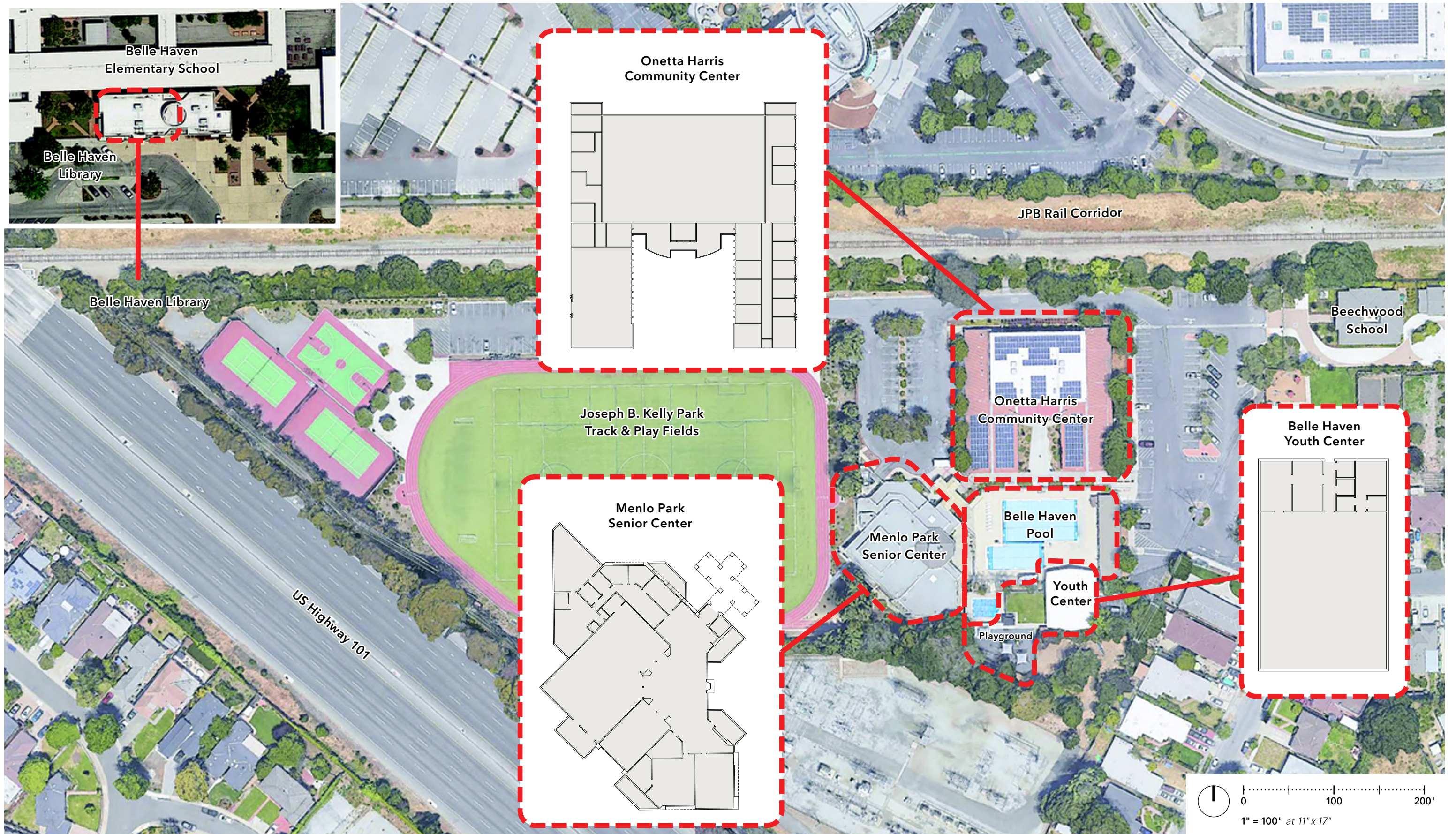
4. Lessons from Community Meeting #1- *Review public comments from our last meeting*

5. Group Exercise - *Discuss your ideas for different parts of the new facility: senior center, fitness center, meeting & classrooms, youth center, library and pool*

6. Final Remarks / Summary



Aerial - Existing Conditions



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Existing Layout

BELLE HAVEN POOL



ONETTA HARRIS COMMUNITY CENTER



JOSEPH B. KELLY PARK



BELLE HAVEN LIBRARY



MENLO PARK SENIOR CENTER



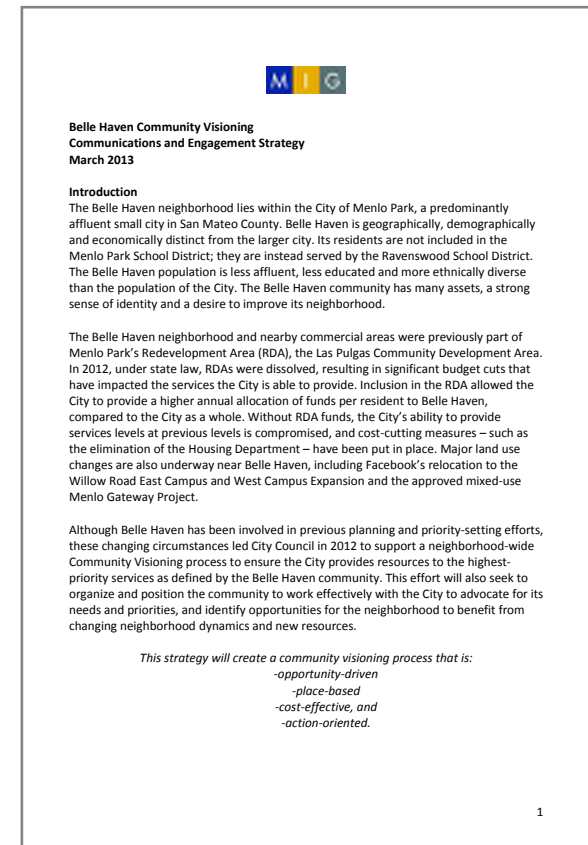
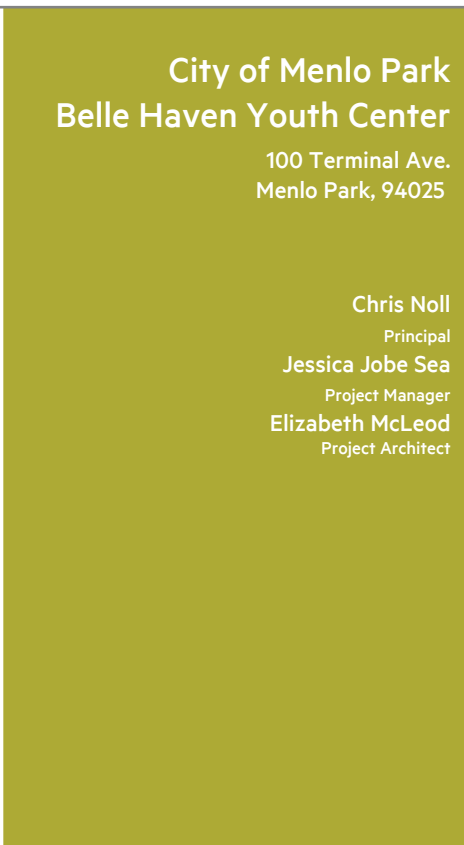
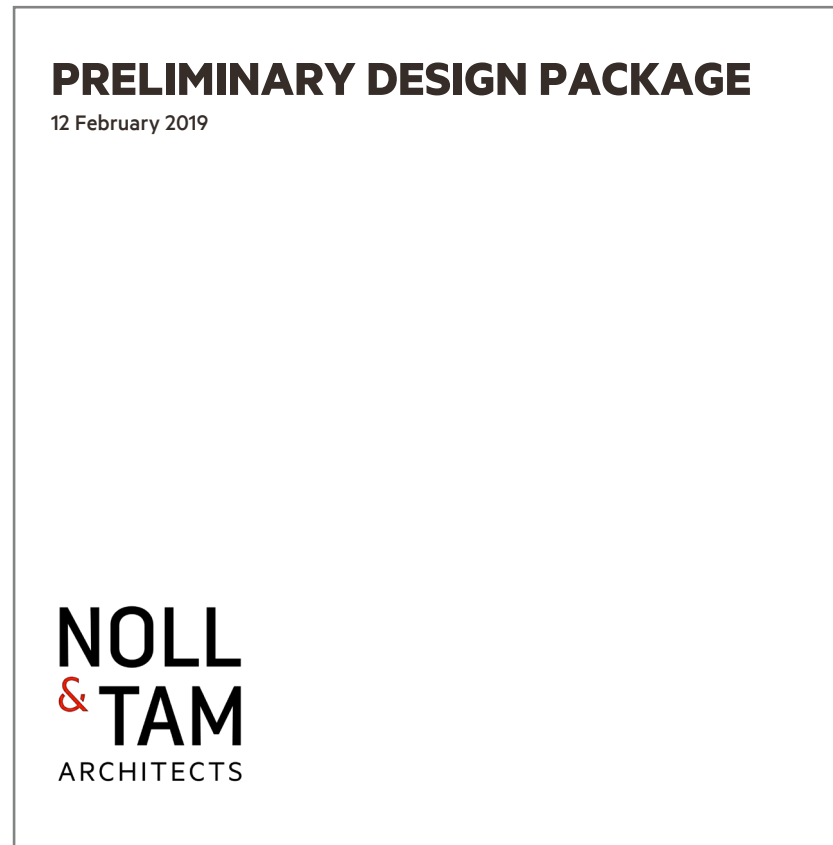
BELLE HAVEN YOUTH CENTER



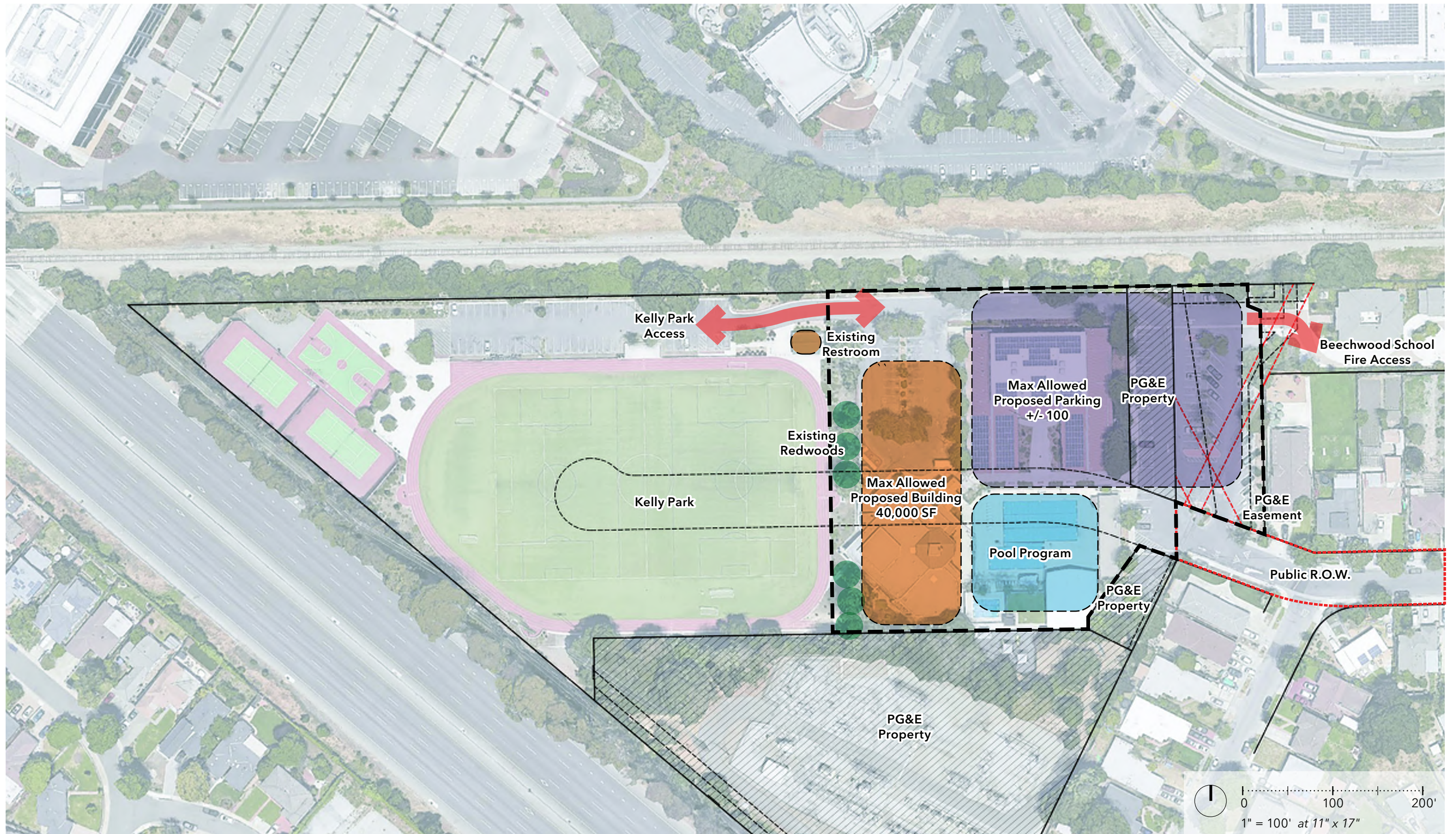
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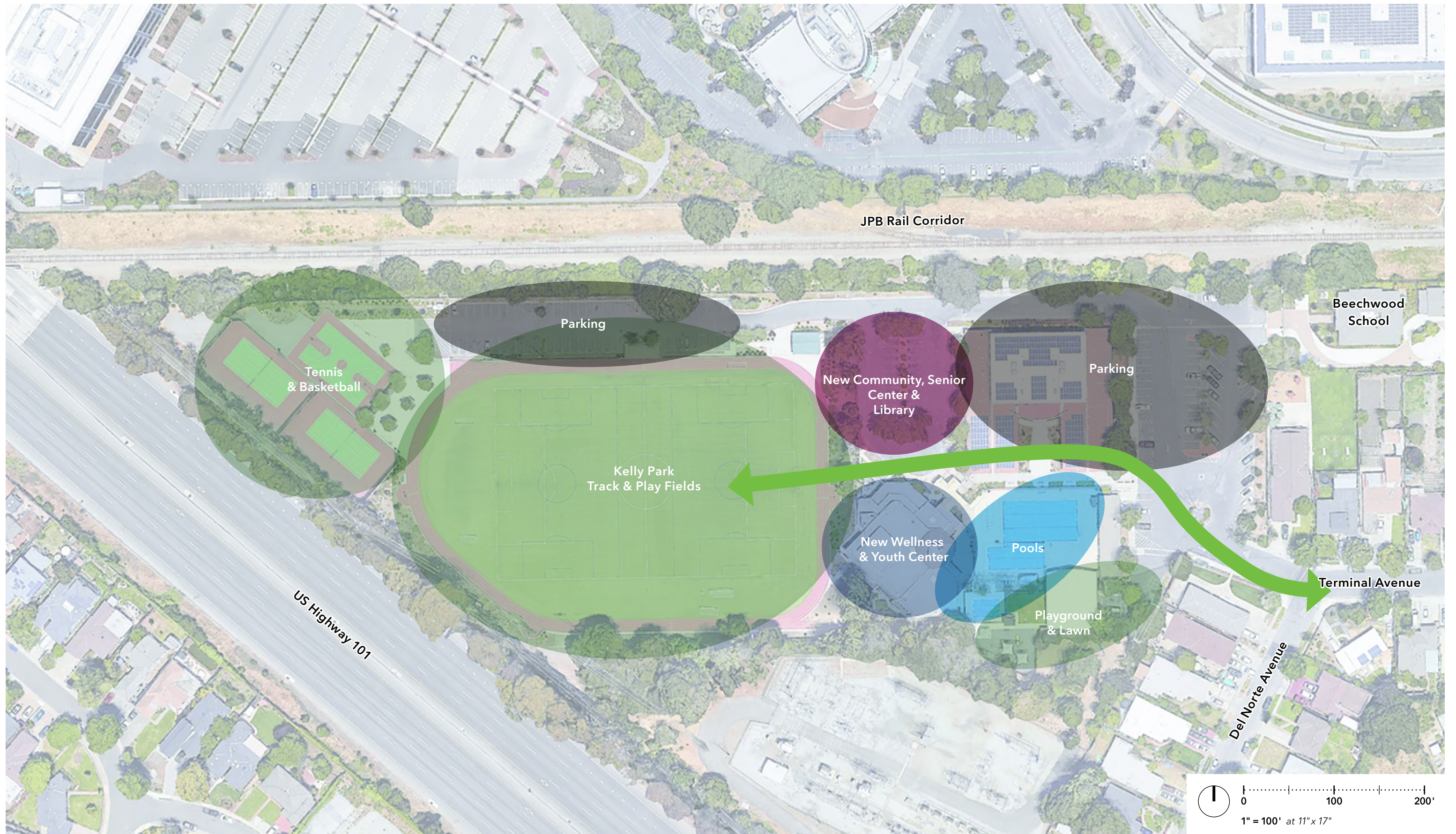
Existing Conditions | Site Photos



What We've Learned | City Reports & Community Outreach Programs



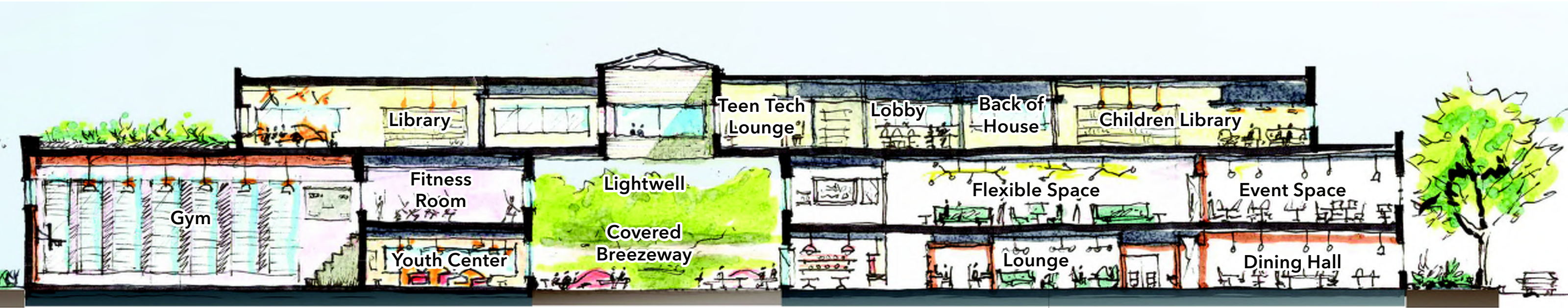
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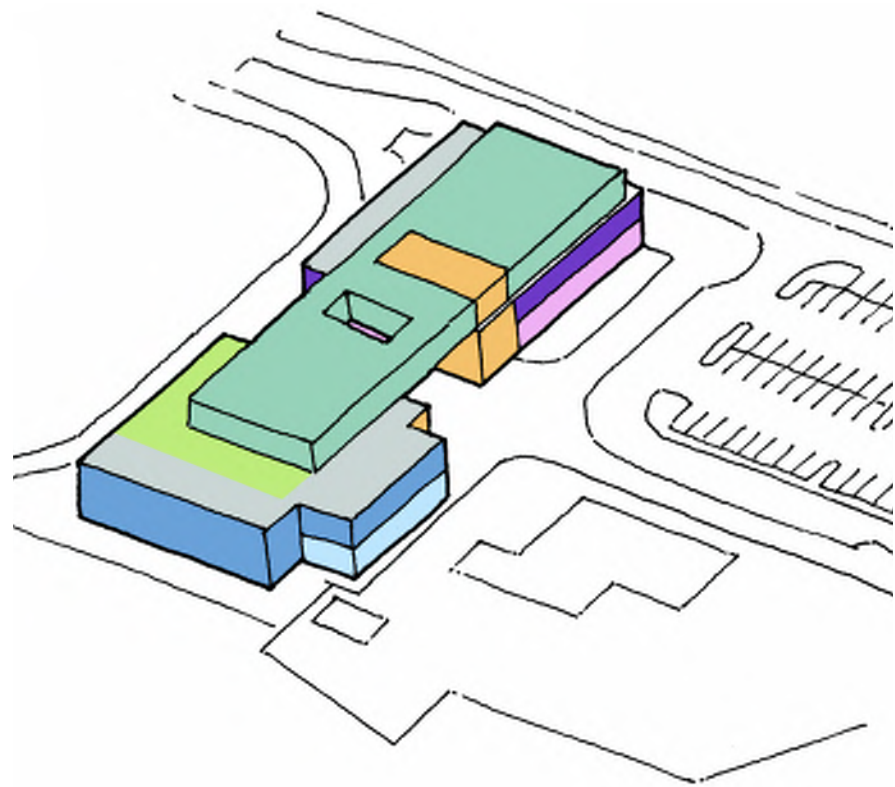
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Proposed Site Plan



Suggested Layout | Section

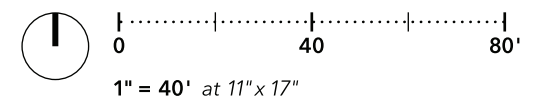


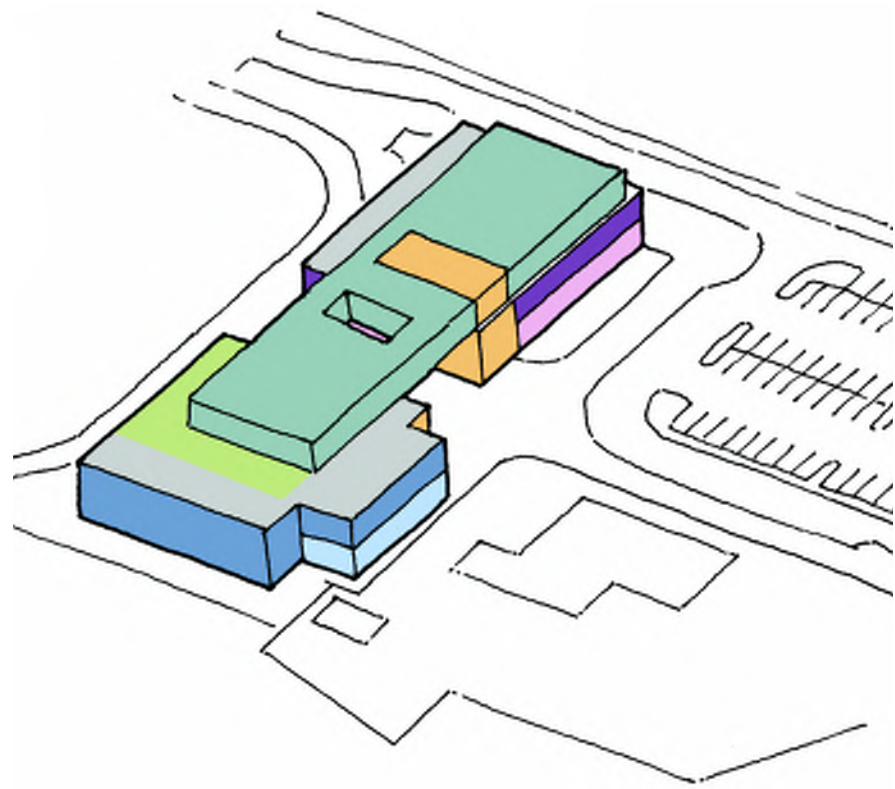
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- Lobby / Circulation
- Fitness / Wellness
- Lockers
- Senior Center
- BOH / Kitchen
- Youth Center
- Library
- Event
- Flexible Classrooms
- Core / Circulation / Support
- Roof Terrace



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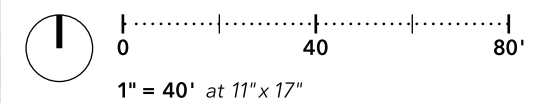


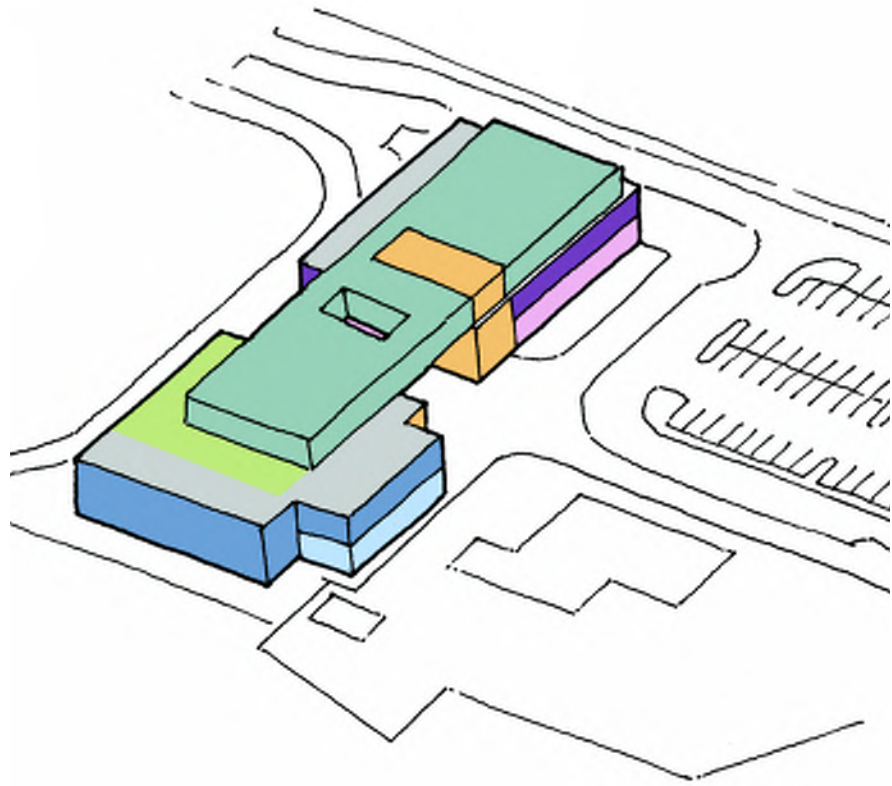
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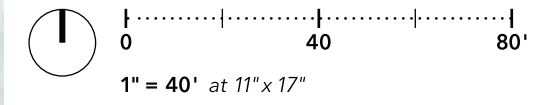
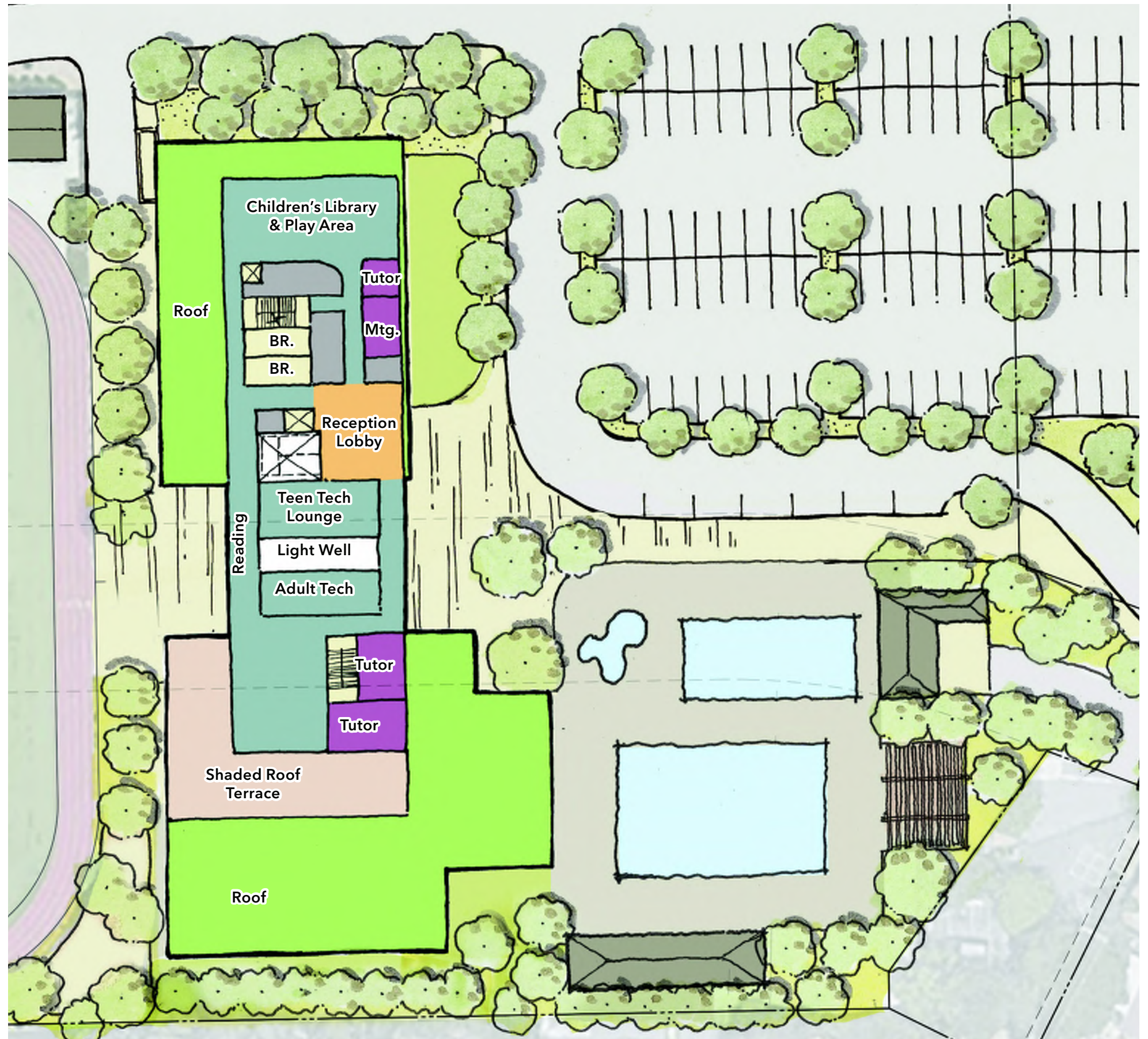
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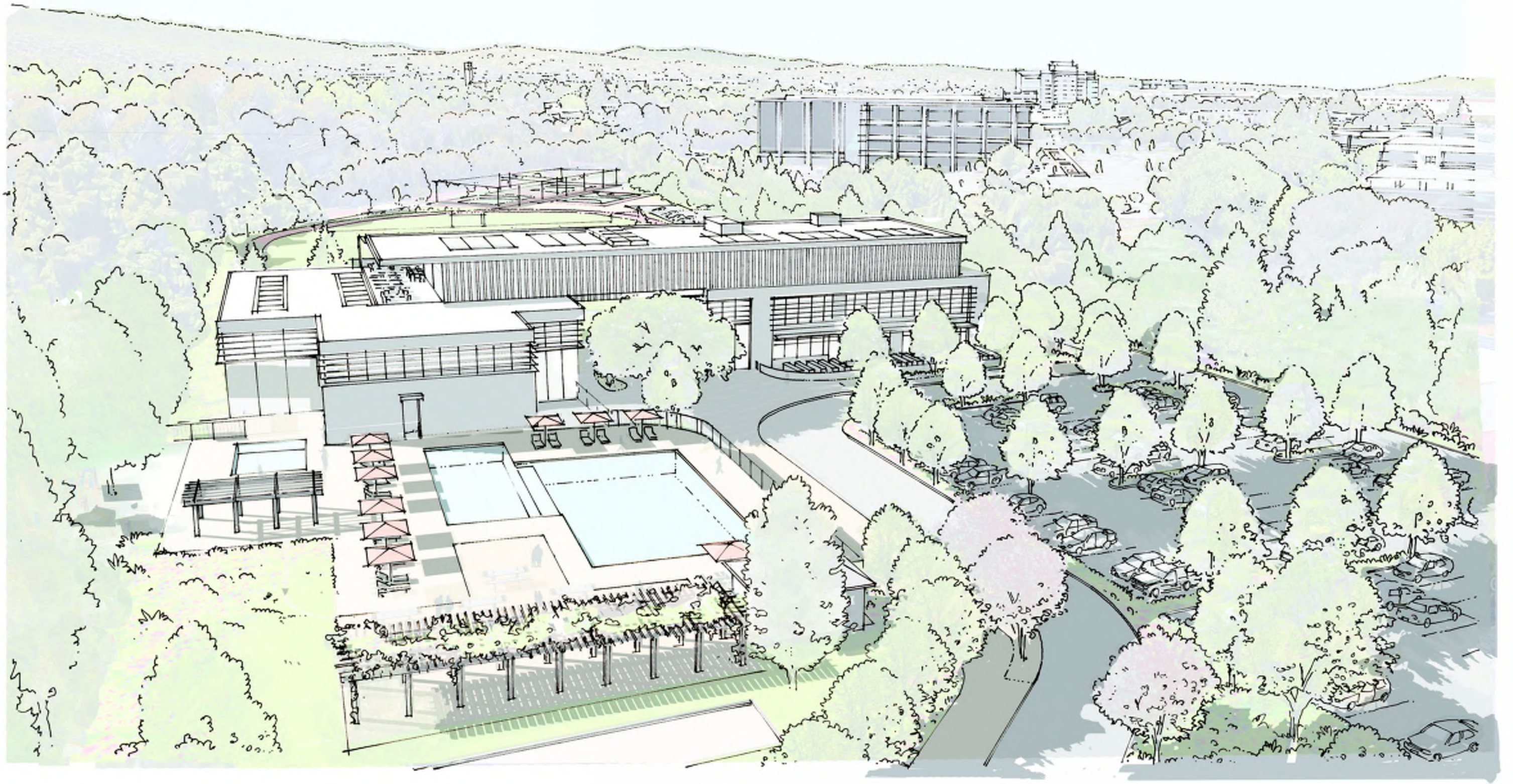


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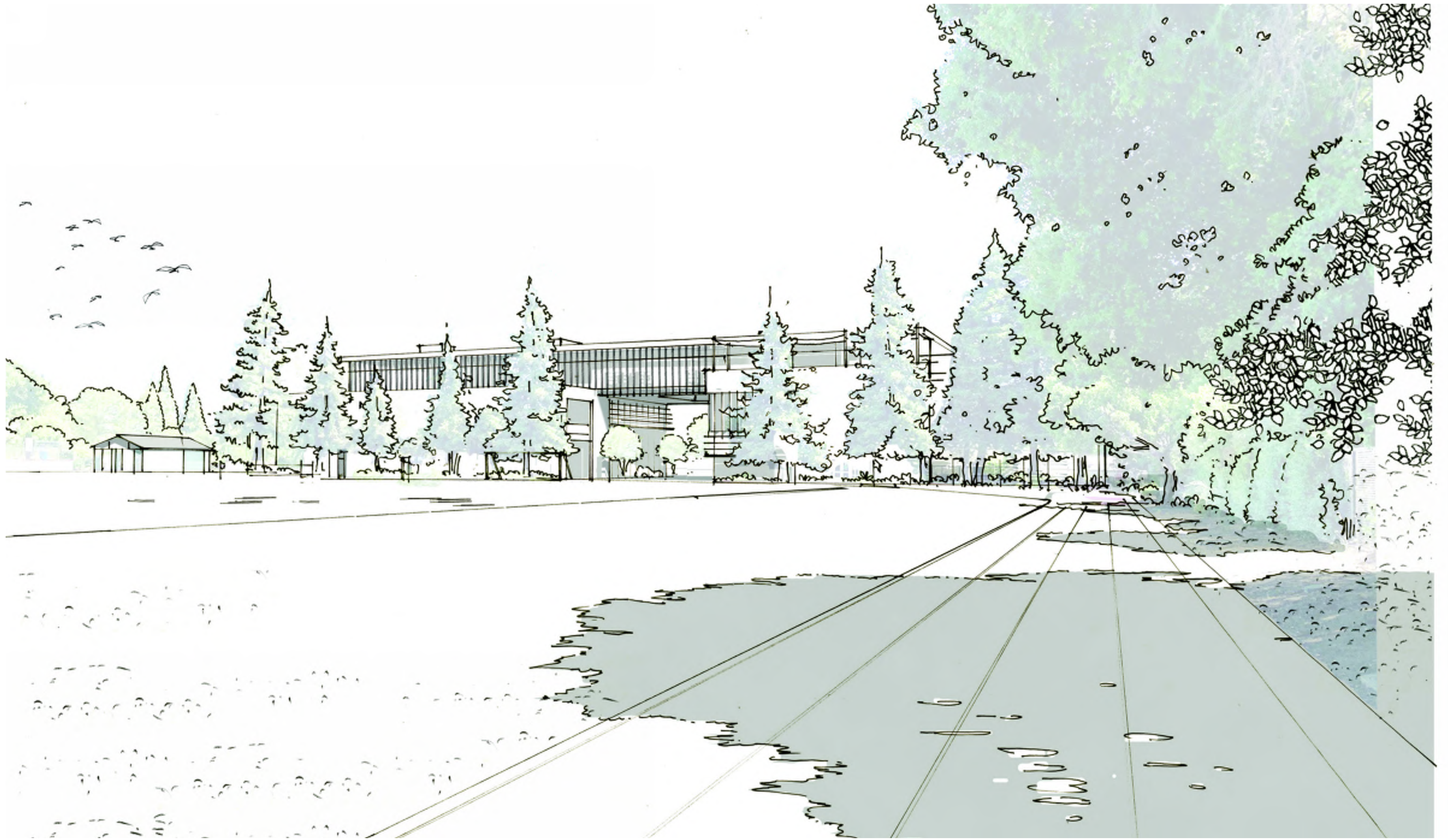
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Suggested Layout | Level 3



Conceptual Aerial View



Conceptual View from Track

Lessons Learned from Community Meeting #1

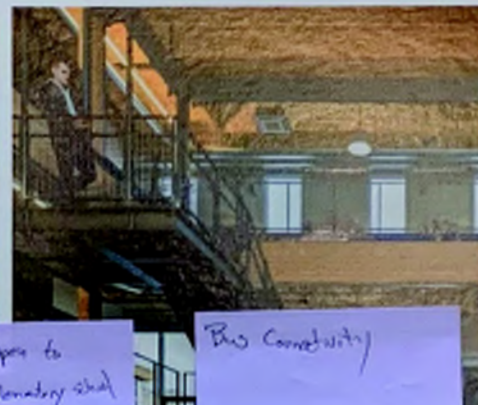


COMMUNITY CENTER CENTRO DE COMUNITARIO

How do you envision your new community center? ¿Cómo imagina su nuevo centro de comunitario?

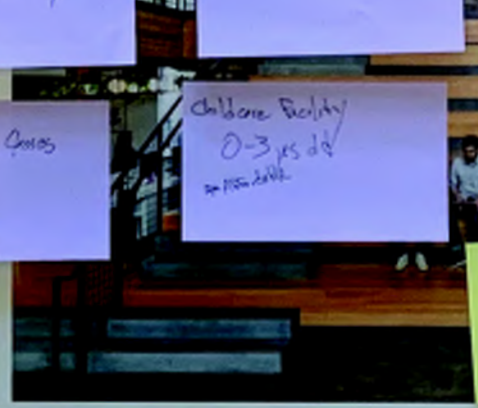
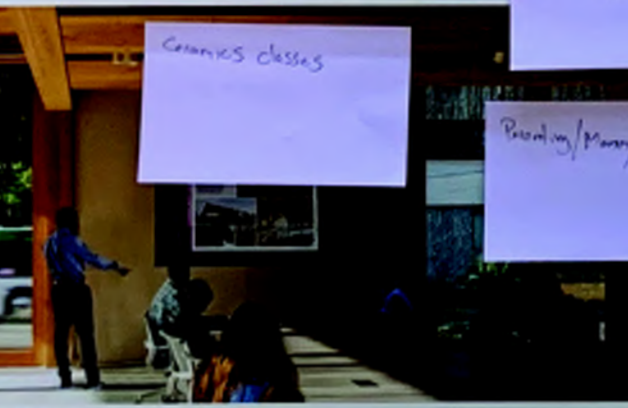
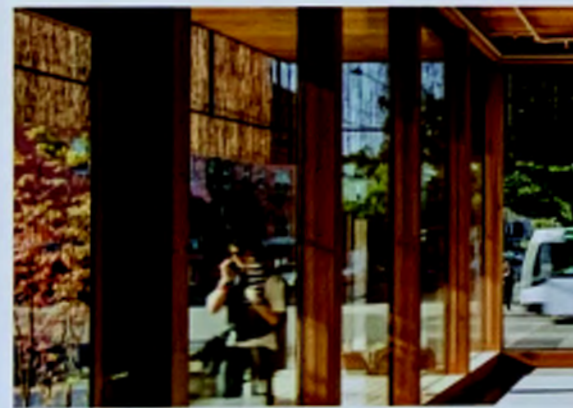


Onet Harris Community Center
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RESIDENTS OF EMER
HARRIS PARK 7
GIVE THE ATR
THE NAME IS
WELCOME TO THE COMMUNITY.



Connectivity/open to
neighborhood/Plenary school

Bus Connectivity



Ceramics classes

Painting/Memory Games

Childcare Facility
0-3 yrs old
→ preschool

What do you like about the Onetta Harris Community Center?
¿Qué es lo que le gusta del Centro de Comunitario Onetta Harris?

WRITE YOUR IDEAS ON A POST-IT

Seems like the new plan replaces the spaces like-for-like, but what is the plan to accommodate for growth in community?

Continue bring local community state

The City

Community FUNDING - Grants

Programming of activity for kids at school breaks

lets make it look like its part of community physical in history

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY LEARNING CENTERS (EXAMPLE)

What would you like to see changed?
¿Hay algo de las facilidades existentes que mejoraría?

ESCRIBA SUS IDEAS EN UN POST-IT

Too many sharp edges - Not a friendly looking building

Natural Sun Light

More Technology

For the city: How will you integrate library/community center programming?

More Technology

Not by design/structure space take

Walkability

Karate Classes

¿Qué otras cosas...

Like the sample layout.

How CAN WE PLAN FOR THE CENTER TO EXIST IN THE FUTURE AS THE NEED INCREASES?

Meeting rooms and for various group size for nonprofit

Jobs training or GED classes

Employment/Entrepreneur center is come with work opportunities

Legal assistance or immigration (extending visas)

GYM, Health of fitness classes, enough parking to accommodate working and children and youth classes.

Routes to new center that aren't cars?

• Food Pantry
• Financial Planning/management
• Vol. Staff

amphitheater space for community meetings would be nice.

Zumba classes, longer hours for the center access, kids classes like the PACE, events has large tentable for outdoors

State of the art Facility inside and out - Welcoming/Friendly Facility & staff.

More adult classes GYM Family activities for young and teen

hire teen as volunteers to help w/ operations

Beginner Sustainability, Water Reclamation Green Building Teaching Space/opportunity to learn

Make on. Build it as early as possible.

Be on Junata Building, Sale Local lumber

Therapy for Non-profits space to use.

Be on Junata Building, Sale Local lumber

Programs
→ Health
→ mental health care
→ new. how to talk
→ offer the classes in appropriate consistent point
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The Family resource center across the street is a good example.

Bible Study in a home like space. Living/Family Room atmosphere

Feedback from Community greatly positive/EOI 2017 Planning

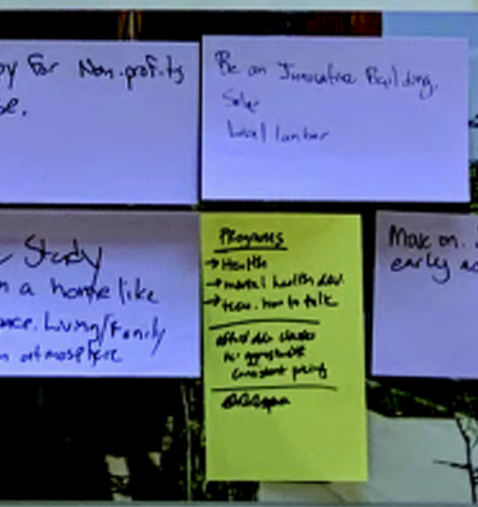
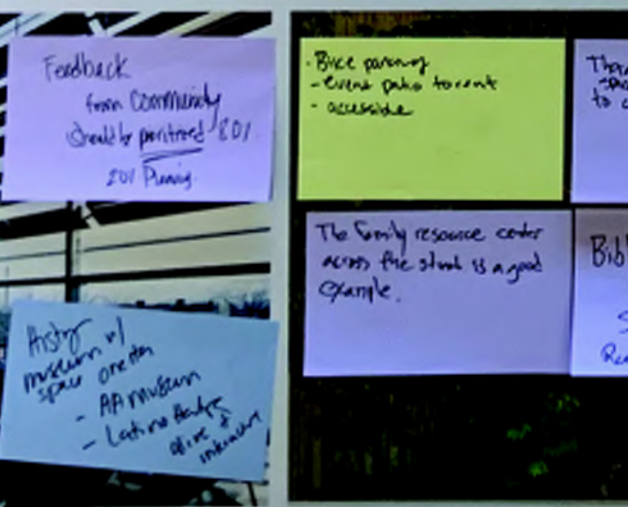
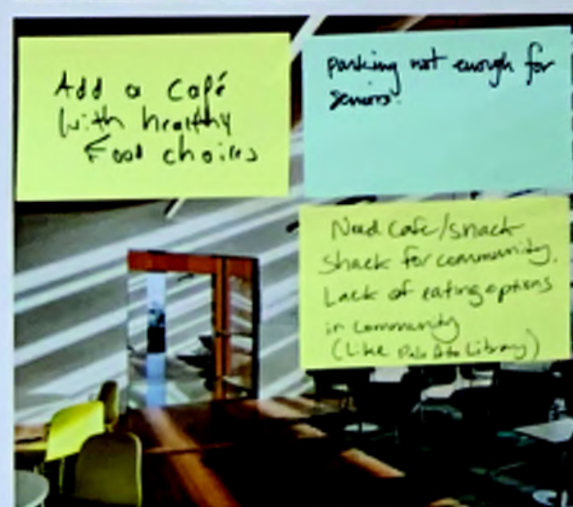
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Add a Café with healthy food choices

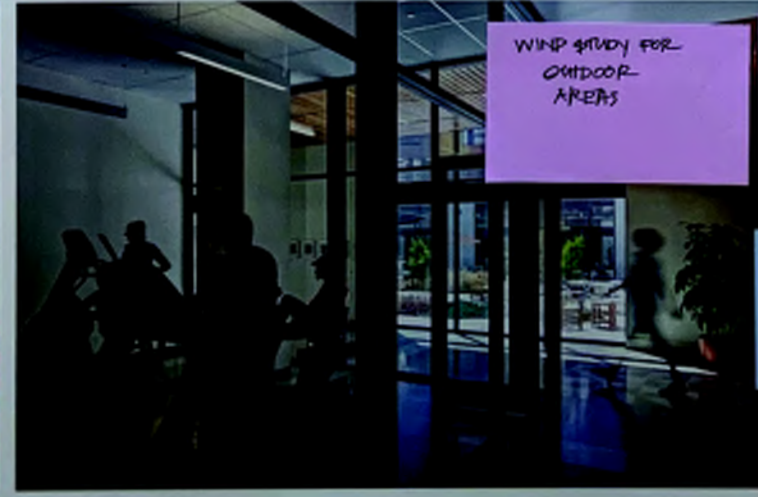
parking not enough for seniors.

Need Café/snack Shack for community. Lack of eating options in community (like the library)

History w/ museum of space creation - AA museum - Lack no history of the industry



How do you envision your senior center? ¿Cómo imagina su nuevo centro de personas mayores?



What do you like about the Menlo Park Senior Center?
¿Qué es lo que le gusta del Centro de Personas Mayores en Menlo Park?

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All the classes that are available to us

WHAT I ENJOY ABOUT THE SENIOR CENTER IS THE COMMUNITY AND THAT IT IS FREE TO USE AND THAT IT IS OPEN TO ALL. I LOVE THAT THE SENIOR CENTER IS A PLACE THAT IS ALWAYS THERE FOR US AND THAT IT IS A PLACE THAT IS ALWAYS THERE FOR US.

COST OF CLASSES (FREE!)

THE FREE CATERED SERVICES THE CITY (WELL) PROVIDES

Art classes

More space
Operational hours
Dining hall is too small
Max 130 people
1 1/2 or 2 more people get into many

WHAT CATERED SERVS LINE UP
→ LANGUAGE CLASSES
→ CATERED MEALS
→ CRAFTS
→ COMPUTER ROOM
→ FOOD LAUNCH
→ DANCES (SCHEDULED)
→ VIDEO CLASSES
→ DANCING - OLD SCHOOLS

SHUTTLE BUSES
DAILY LUNCH
+ GO PPL

GARDEN
WALKING AROUND
THAT IS AFTER LUNCH
EATERS - TEACH ABOUT DIET CULTURE / FOOD / MOVIES INCLUDING RECIPES

What exists now that you would like to see changed?
¿Hay algo de las facilidades existentes que mejoraría o le gustaría cambiar?

Free fees for Seniors for the gym

We would have more jump of art and sewing

longer hours for center access

- Keep what exist, Make it bigger & better.
- New kitchen

Co-space for Grandparents raising or caring for young grandkids year-round or summer

MORE signage to orient ourselves better

AREA DE RECREACIÓN PARA EL INVIERNO.

I think the plans sound great, but keep the community in the loop.

What additions would you like?
¿Qué otras cosas les gustaría al Centro de Personas Mayores?

WIND STUDY FOR OUTDOOR AREAS

Cafe for public operated by seniors

PARKING CAPACITY FOR EACH USE

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION/ ACCESS

MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK - SAN FRANCISCO - EQUIPMENT / PAYS CARDS

SEATING AREA @ CHECK-IN (IF THERE IS A LINE)

GARBAGE # OF KITCHENS

More parking for seniors close to entrance

TEACHING CLASSES
computer language (novice, none)
Boys' Rights
Cultural Education

ONETIA HARRIS MURKIN

HISTORY OF THE COMMUNITY - GALLERY WALL

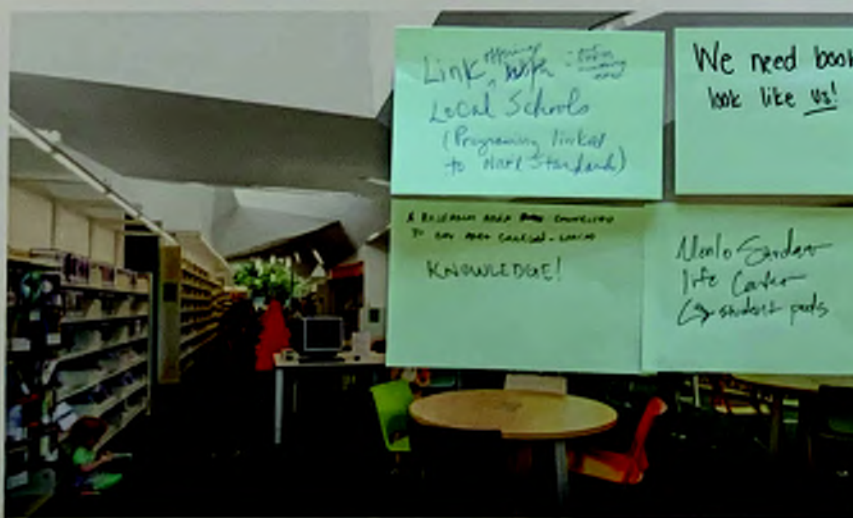
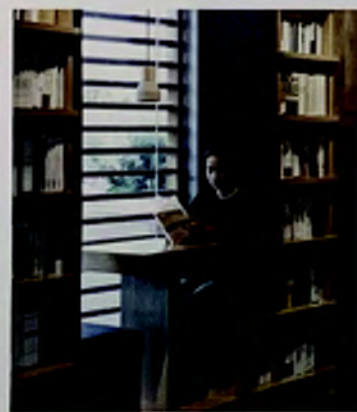
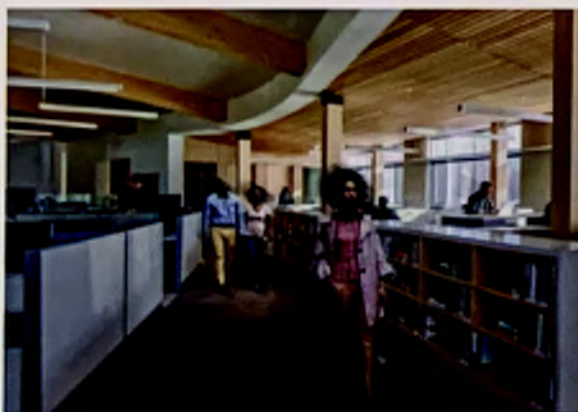
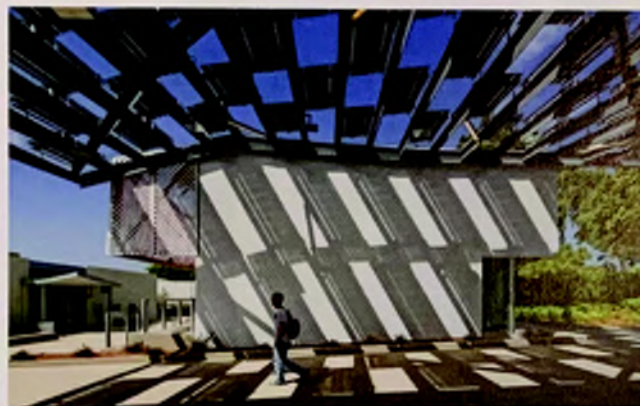
Community Mural

Game Room - Pool table - etc
Craft Art Room

PARKING IN NEIGHBORHOOD

Community Mural

How do you envision your new library? ¿Cómo imagina su nueva biblioteca?



What do you like about the Belle Haven Library?
¿Qué es lo que le gusta de la biblioteca Belle Haven?

- Belle Haven Library -
Great Place for
FAMILIES TO COME
& BORROW BOOKS. GET
information on community
activities

✓ Hours of operation
✓ Access to materials
✓ Community work
✓ Family friendly

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- Current computers are
old!
- too small of a
space.

More / adult books
to borrow

↑ + 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
↑ agree good point!

1 + 0 = 10

New & Challenging books
for children of all
ages.
- STEAM
- English
- Spanish books

What add
¿Qué otras

Comfort
↳ seating POD
- SENSORY

Seating Pods
not
nooks

Link with
Local Schools
(Programming linked
to Next Standard)

We need books that
look like us!

technology / kid
friendly activities
for children

Multicultural titles
A collection that
represents our diverse
community. More books in
our languages beside Spanish
bilingual options

COFFEE SHOP
LARGE ROOF TOP
GARDEN

Brand New Computers
- printers
- scanners
- Homework Center
- tutoring

KNOWLEDGE!
A BELLEVILLE AREA AND COUNSELING
TO GET MORE CARRIAGE - LEARN

Nono Sanders
Life Center
↳ student pods

More exciting +
current titles

Storytime for
infants
toddlers
children

More children activities
community hours for TEENS

longer hours for center
classes + programs, kids
activities, computers +
tech workshops for kids
young teens

HOURS OF
OPERATION >

A SPACE FOR
HOMEWORK CENTER

OPEN LEARNING
SPACES → PROGRAM-
MABLE COMMUNITY SPACES

high-technology to goal, with
available like the book shelving,
the building looks sustainable
& futuristic not too
attractive; spanish books

How do you envision your new youth center? ¿Cómo imagina su nuevo centro para jóvenes?



What do you like about your current youth center and after school program?
¿Qué es lo que le gusta del actual centro para jóvenes y el programa de actividades extraescolares?

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Tutoring program

Affordable program for the community.

The Staff is Great! They need to have a job during the changes

Gymnastics here too

Where do the construction workers go?

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What exists now that you would like to see changed?
¿Hay algo del programa existente que mejoraría o le gustaría cambiar?

Need More Space to hold more programs/activities (and to divide the room)

More space for youth activities space

Strong college (ACES) program

Kids entrepreneurial space

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What additions would you like to see?
¿Qué otras cosas les gustaría añadir al programa extraescolar?

Manding programs that include parents and their kids: Tech classes, Health and Science class, Mentors.

More programs available during after school or within after school program! Space is the current issue.

Make Programs for Teens & Popular Classes like them (even on West Side)

State of the art facility that is safe for everyone.

Teen Mentoring
College Prep/SAT training
Mentors to guide to teens

Cosme Room
- Board games
- Engineering toys
- Build kits
- Origami

More TEENS programs educational and fun. Tutoring programs about college.

Programming for
- Cooking
- Software
- Resume-bills

Please refer to Mountain Lake Playground in San Francisco as a ref simple creative design that we would like to see in the new community/youth center.

Performing Arts Course Dance, music, etc.

Programs for children 0-5 years!

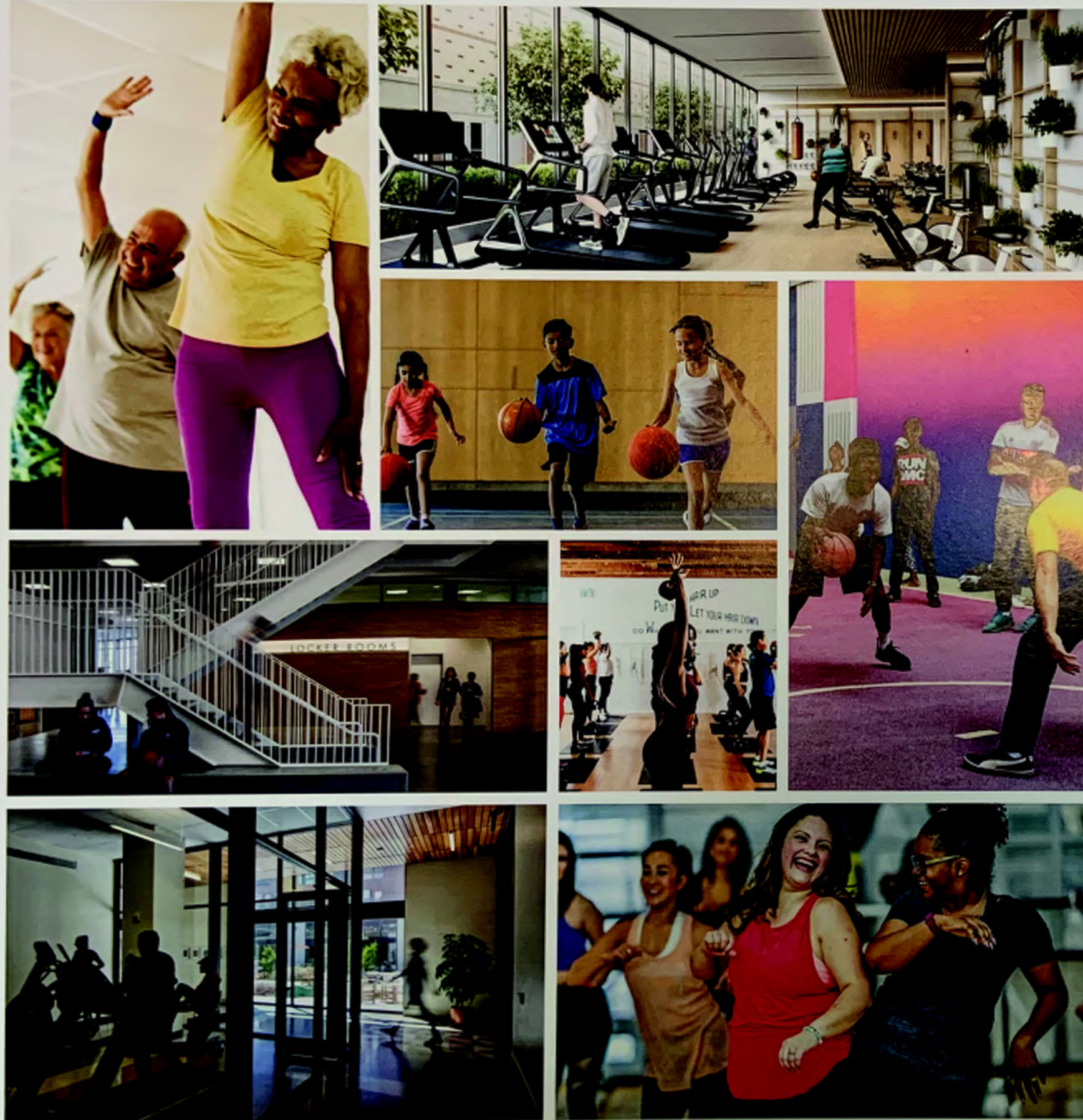
Developmentally appropriate programs across all ages

New computer and other electronics equipment - Affordable programs

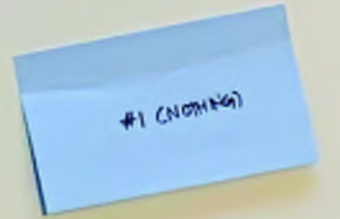
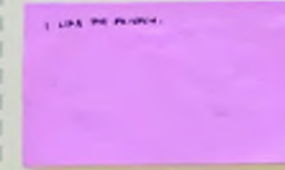
Safe space for teens + middle school students

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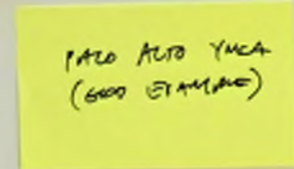
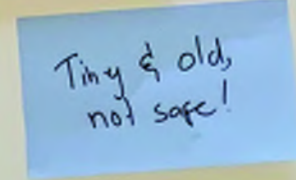
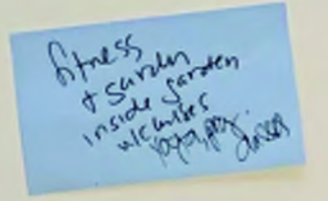
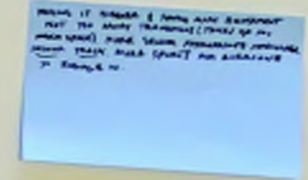
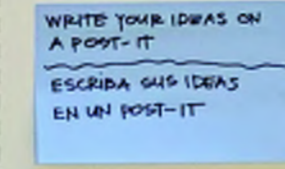
How do you envision your new fitness center? ¿Cómo imagina su nuevo gimnasio?



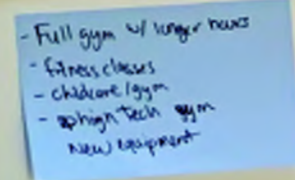
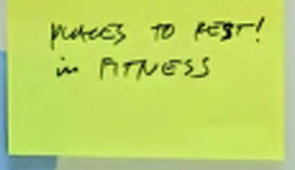
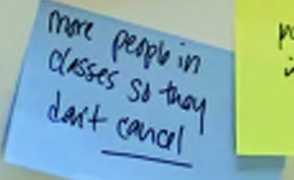
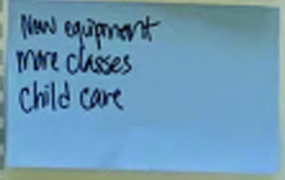
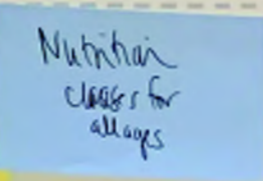
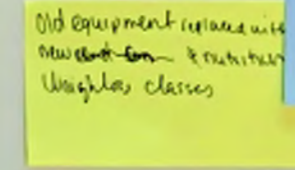
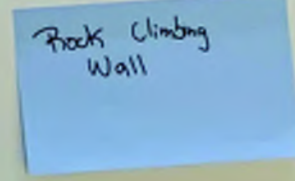
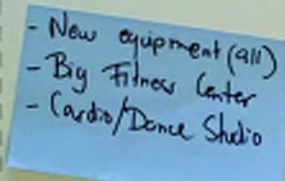
What do you like about your current fitness center?
¿Qué es lo que le gusta del gimnasio actual?



What exists now that you would like to see changed?
¿Hay algo de las facilidades existentes que mejoraría o le gustaría cambiar?



What additions would you like to see?
¿Qué otras cosas les gustaría añadir al gimnasio?



How do you envision your new pool? ¿Cómo imagina su piscina?

WRITE YOUR IDEAS
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What do you like about the Belle Haven pool?
¿Qué es lo que le gusta de la piscina Belle Haven?

What exists now that you would like to see changed?
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Existing pool is too small. Needs to be replaced Burgess pool is tired. We should have the best pool in MP

A big pool for laps
A 2nd pool dedicated to swimming lessons. A 3rd pool for children's use. All the community would have access to this location

Expand program for community

Let's Water Play?
Picnicking
Activities Center for the Summer
Water Play?

Indoor?

All nice landscaping - make it beautiful

UNDERSTANDING THAT THIS PROJECT DOES NOT HAVE THE BUDGET FOR A NEW POOL, HOW CAN WE PLAN FOR THE WATER AQUATIC CTR WE NEED?

Party area w/ lounge

- Winter tent
- new restrooms
- infant classes for swimming
- open hours
- kids stay home bc pool under views

What additions would you like to see?
¿Qué otras cosas les gustaría añadir a la piscina?

Infant classes - 2 months up

- Winter tent!
- More open hours
- shaded seating area

Be accessible to every one

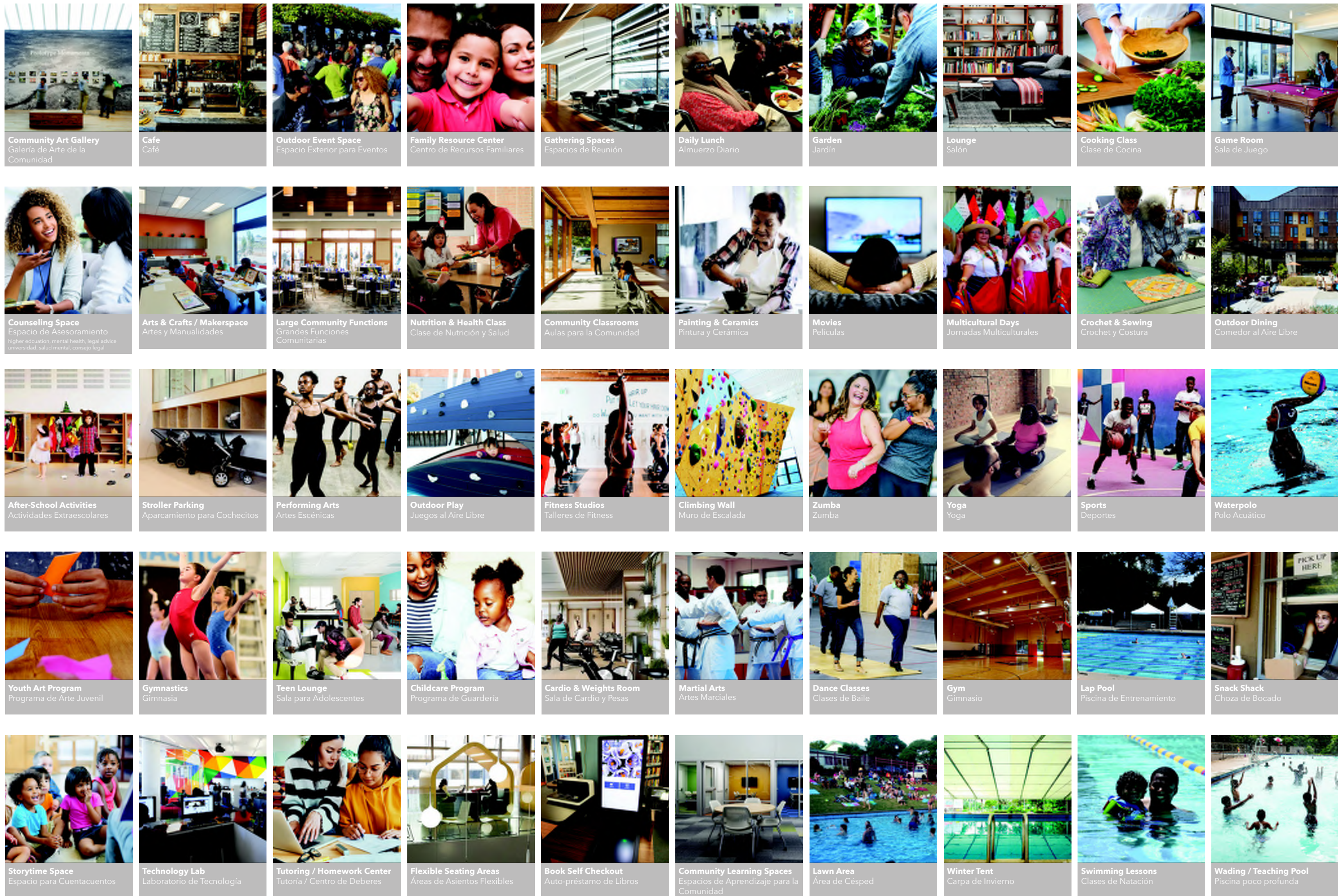
Bigger pool, open access to community/guests

Winter tent

MORE WEEKEND HOURS - SWIM CLASSES

Handicap Access & Support

Bigger pool



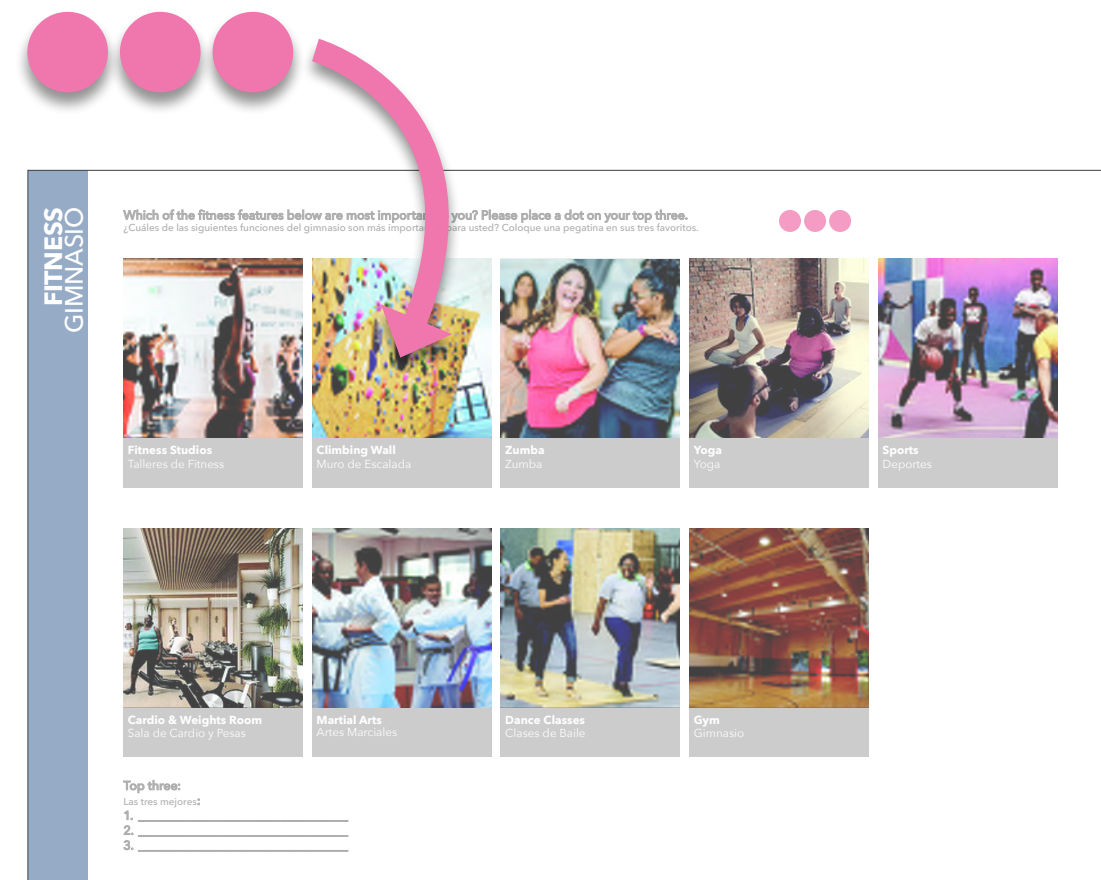
Your Feedback from January

Group Exercise

At your table, we will discuss the following topics for **10 minutes each**:

1. Community Center
2. Senior Center
3. Youth Center
4. Library
5. Fitness Center
6. Pool

For each board, place your sticker dots on the (3) items that are most important to you:



Which of the community center features below are most important to you? Please place a dot on your top three.
¿Cuáles de las siguientes funciones del centro comunitario son más importantes para usted? Coloque una pegatina en sus tres favoritos.



Community Art Gallery
Galería de Arte de la Comunidad



Cafe
Café



Outdoor Event Space
Espacio Exterior para Eventos



Family Resource Center
Centro de Recursos Familiares



Gathering Spaces
Espacios de Reunión



Counseling Space
Espacio de Asesoramiento
higher education, mental health, legal advice
universidad, salud mental, consejo legal



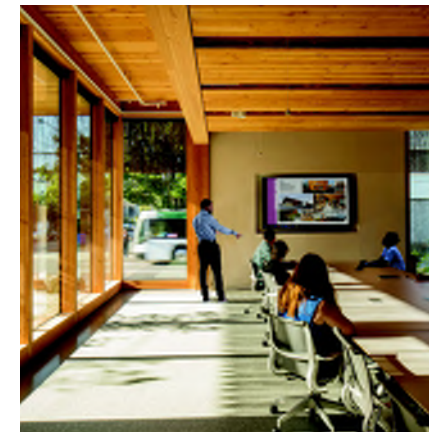
Arts & Crafts / Makerspace
Artes y Manualidades



Large Community Functions
Grandes Funciones Comunitarias



Nutrition & Health Class
Clase de Nutrición y Salud



Community Classrooms
Aulas para la Comunidad

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¿Cuáles de las siguientes funciones del centro de personas mayores son más importantes para usted? Coloque una pegatina en sus tres favori-



Daily Lunch
Almuerzo Diario



Garden
Jardín



Lounge
Salón



Cooking Class
Clase de Cocina



Game Room
Sala de Juego



Painting & Ceramics
Pintura y Cerámica



Movies
Películas



Multicultural Days
Jornadas Multiculturales



Crochet & Sewing
Crochet y Costura



Outdoor Dining
Comedor al Aire Libre

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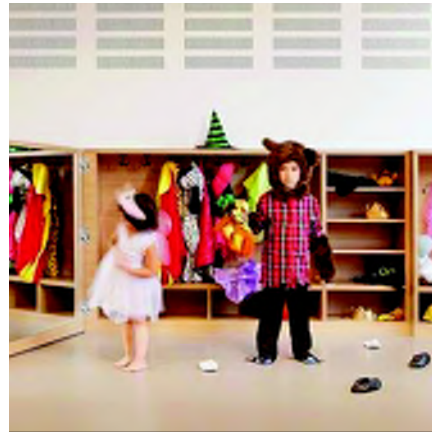
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YOUTH CENTER
CENTRO PARA JOVENES

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After-School Activities
Actividades Extraescolares



Stroller Parking
Aparcamiento para Cochecitos



Performing Arts
Artes Escénicas



Outdoor Play
Juegos al Aire Libre



Youth Art Program
Programa de Arte Juvenil



Gymnastics
Gimnasia



Teen Lounge
Sala para Adolescentes



Childcare Program
Programa de Guardería

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Storytime Space
Espacio para Cuentacuentos



Technology Lab
Laboratorio de Tecnología



Tutoring / Homework Center
Tutoría / Centro de Deberes



Flexible Seating Areas
Áreas de Asientos Flexibles



Book Self Checkout
Auto-préstamo de Libros



Community Learning Spaces
Espacios de Aprendizaje para la Comunidad

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Fitness Studios
Talleres de Fitness



Climbing Wall
Muro de Escalada



Zumba
Zumba



Yoga
Yoga



Sports
Deportes



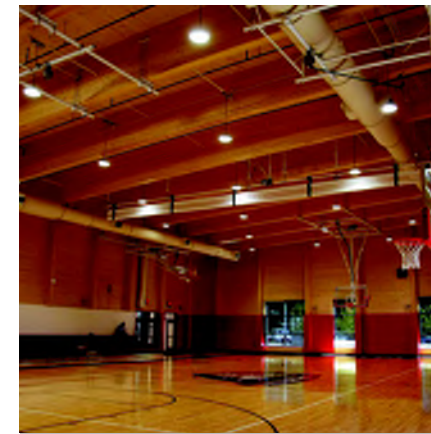
Cardio & Weights Room
Sala de Cardio y Pesas



Martial Arts
Artes Marciales



Dance Classes
Clases de Baile



Gym
Gimnasio

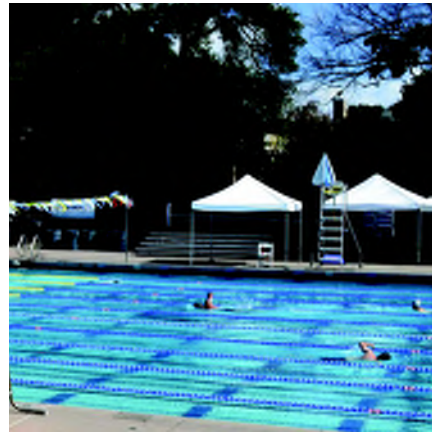
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Lap Pool
Piscina de Entrenamiento



Snack Shack
Choza de Bocado



Waterpolo
Polo Acuático



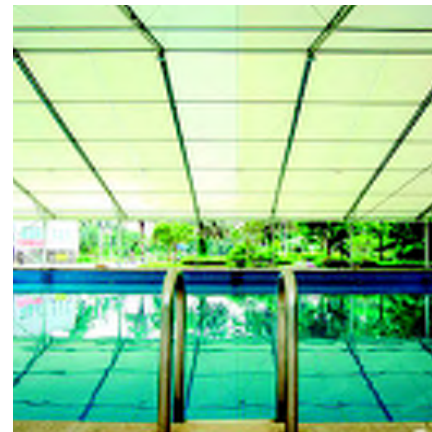
Wading / Teaching Pool
Piscina poco profunda



Underwater Hockey
Hockey Subacuático



Lawn Area
Área de Césped



Winter Tent
Carpa de Invierno



Swimming Lessons
Clases de Natación



Splash Pad
Juegos de Agua



Pool Games
Juegos de Piscina

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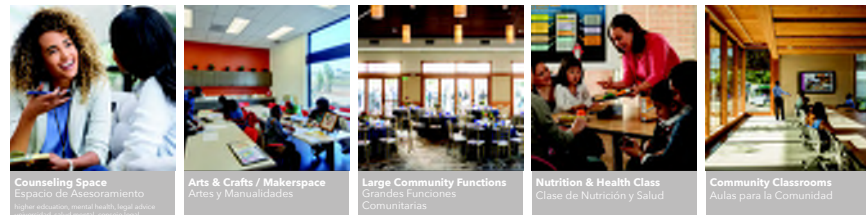
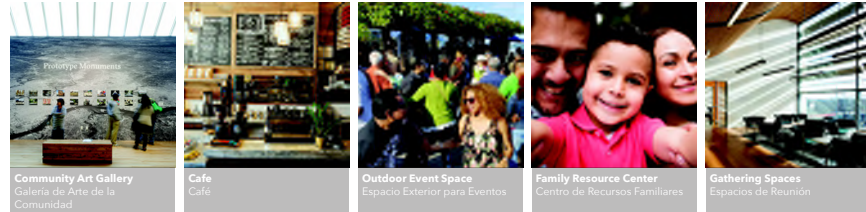
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COMMUNITY CENTER
CENTRO COMUNITARIO

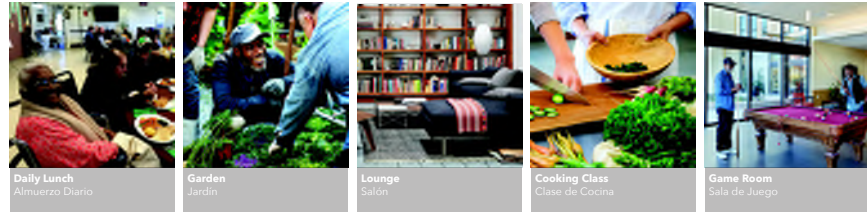
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SENIOR CENTER
CENTRO DE PERSONAS MAYORES

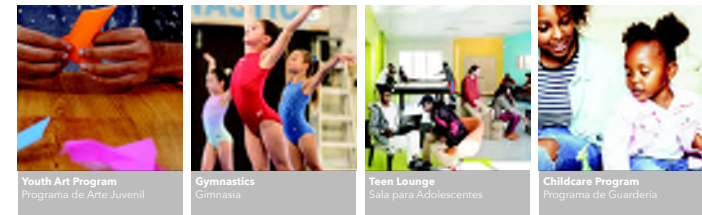
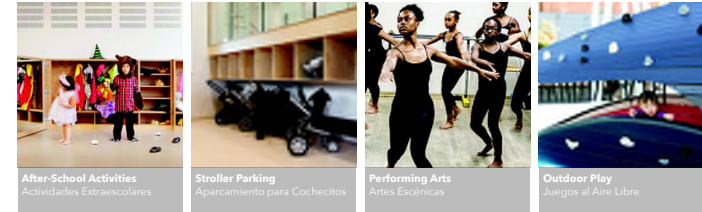
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YOUTH CENTER
CENTRO PARA JOVENES

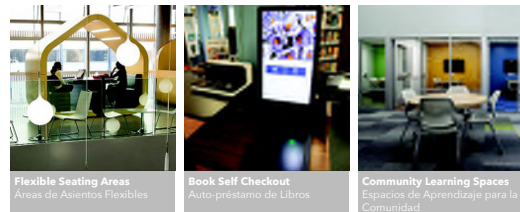
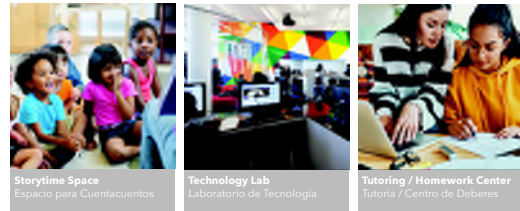
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LIBRARY
BIBLIOTECA

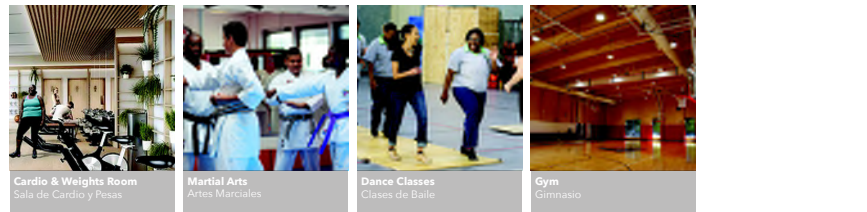
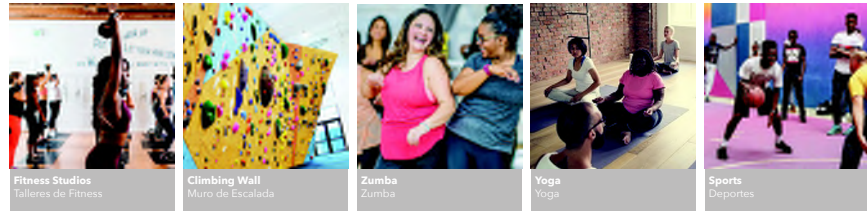
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FITNESS
GIMNASIO

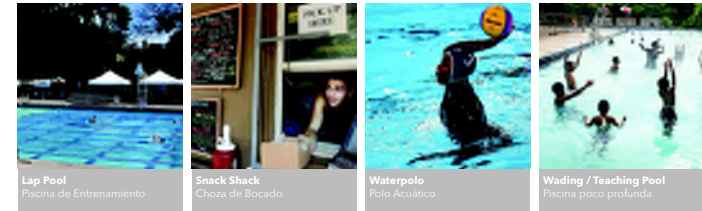
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POOL
PISCINA

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