

# Improvements to **BILLINGS FIELD**

*Community Meeting #4*  
*January 25, 2024*



# ZOOM TIPS

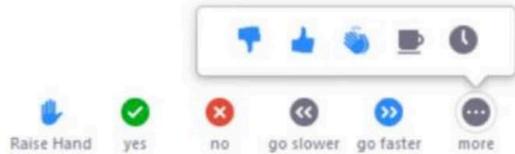
Here is how you can participate during the question and answer part of the presentation.

## DURING THE PRESENTATION:



### VIA WEB:

Turn video on / off.



To use these non-verbal options click on participants (bottom of screen); these options will pop up in side bar.

## DURING THE Q&A:



### JOINING VIA PHONE?

Use \*9 to raise hand to ask for audio / video permission to ask questions or provide comments.



### VIA WEB:

Chat to ask questions / comments or provide responses to poll questions



Raise hand to ask for audio / video permission to ask questions or provide comments.

# AGENDA

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**PROJECT TEAM AND SCHEDULE GOALS**

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**LISTENING & DISCUSSION**

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**CLOSING REMARKS AND NEXT STEPS**

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# PROJECT TEAM

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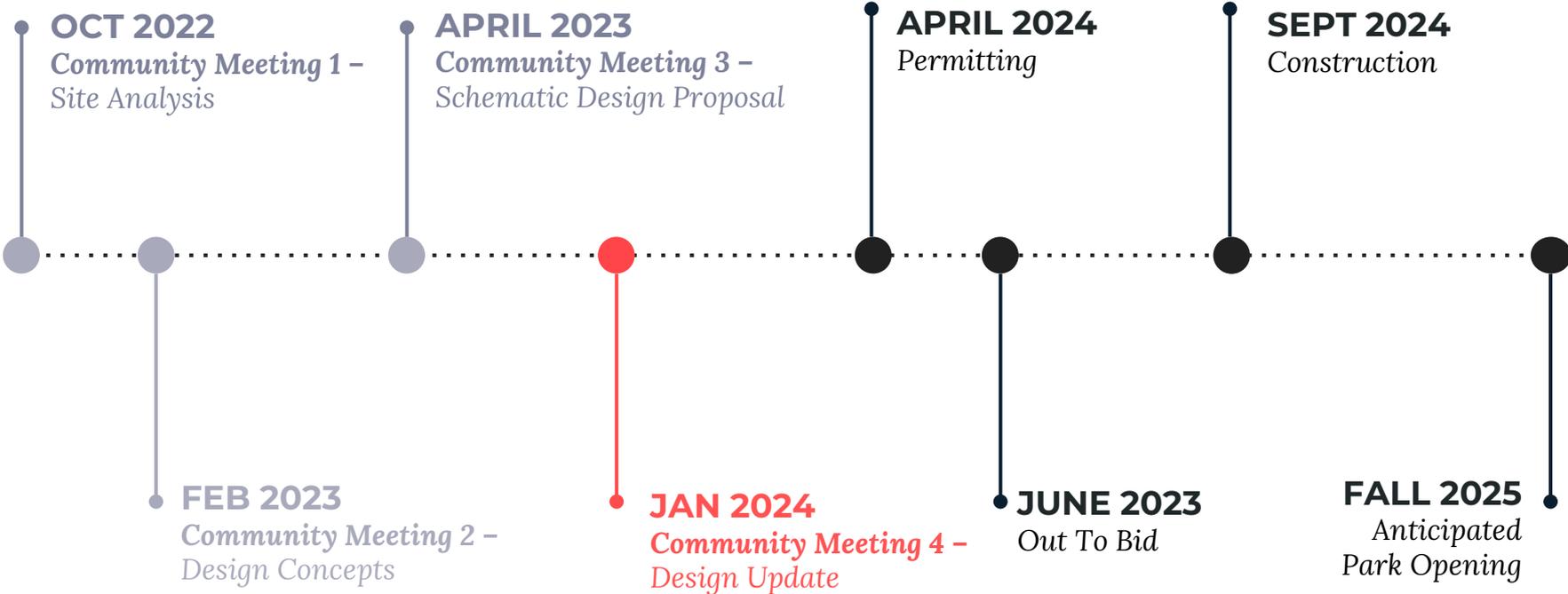
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# PROJECT SCHEDULE

Current Design Budget: \$500,000



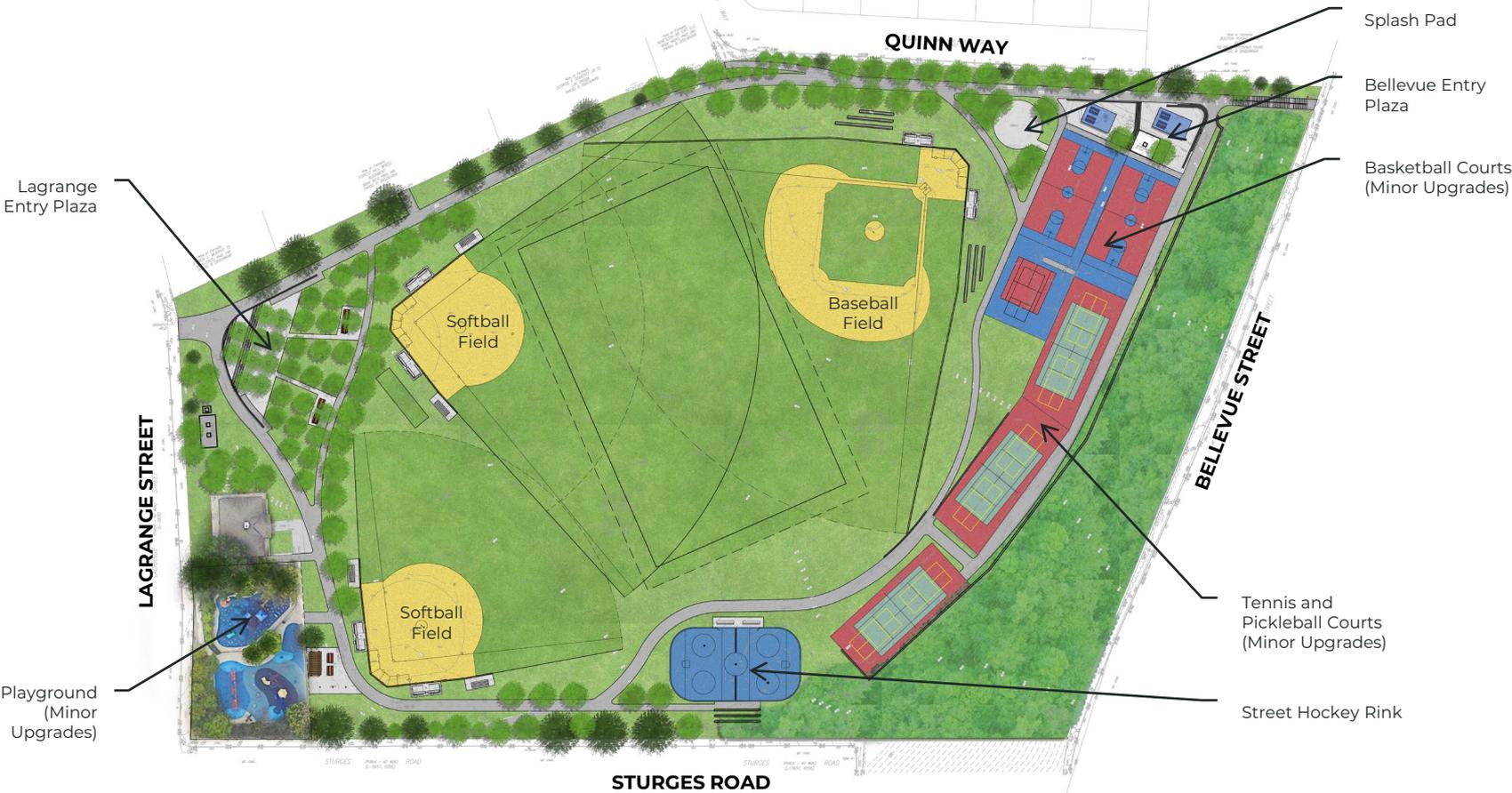
# DESIGN UPDATES

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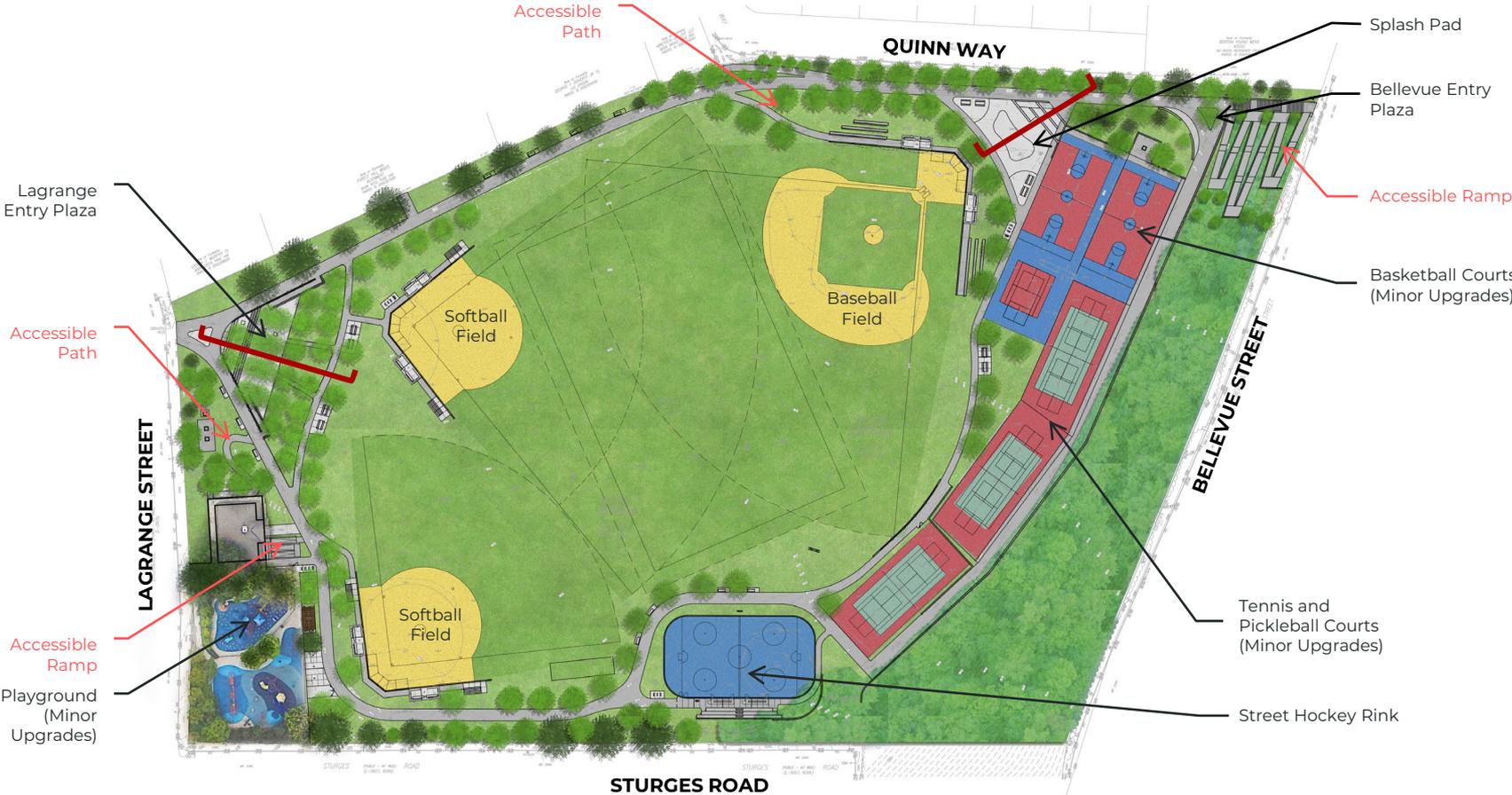
# PREVIOUS PROPOSAL

From Meeting #3, April 2023

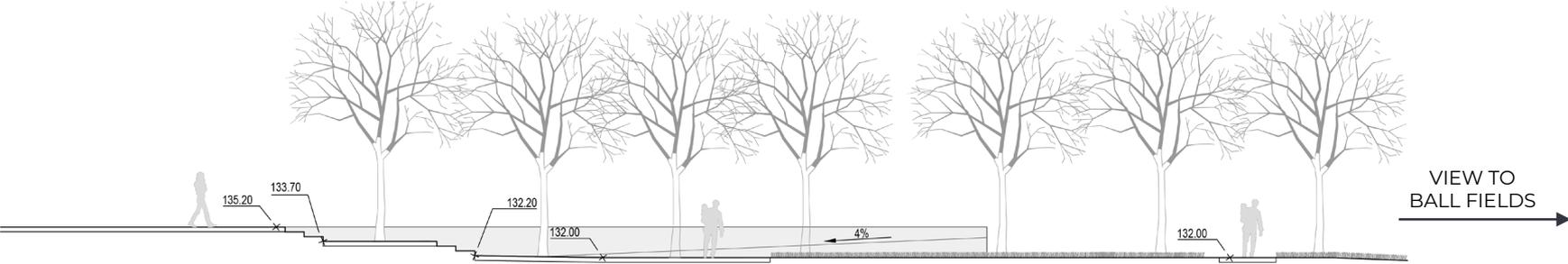


# UPDATED CONCEPT PROPOSAL

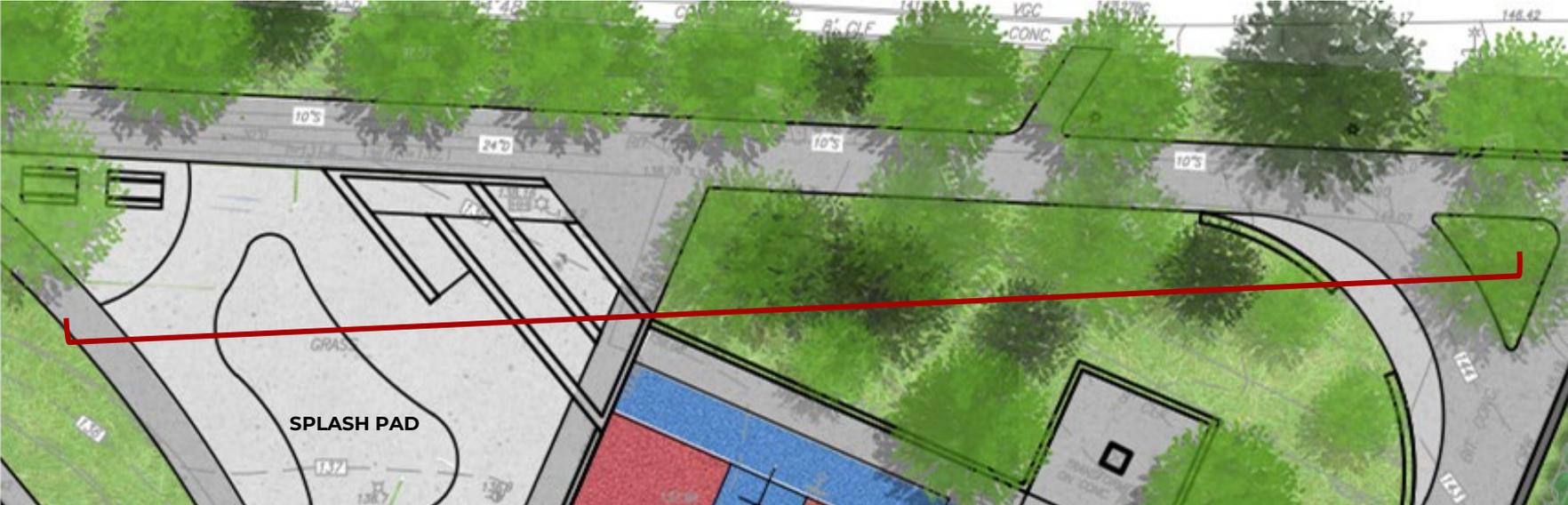
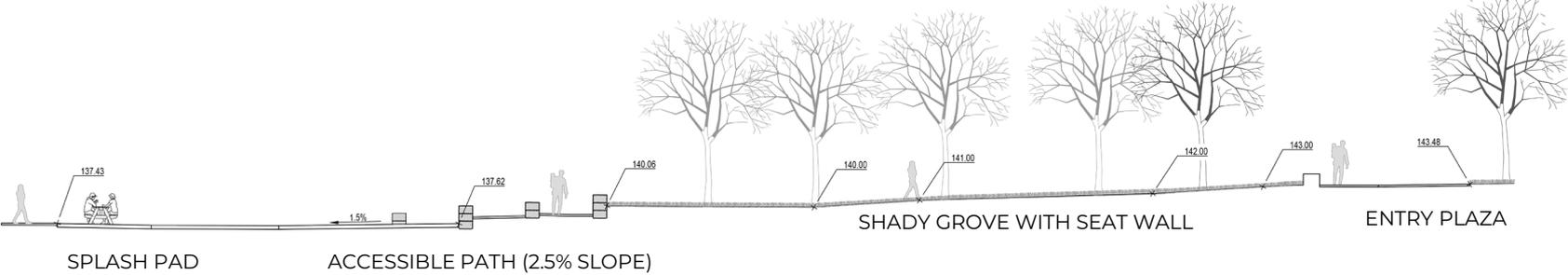
*New access routes added*



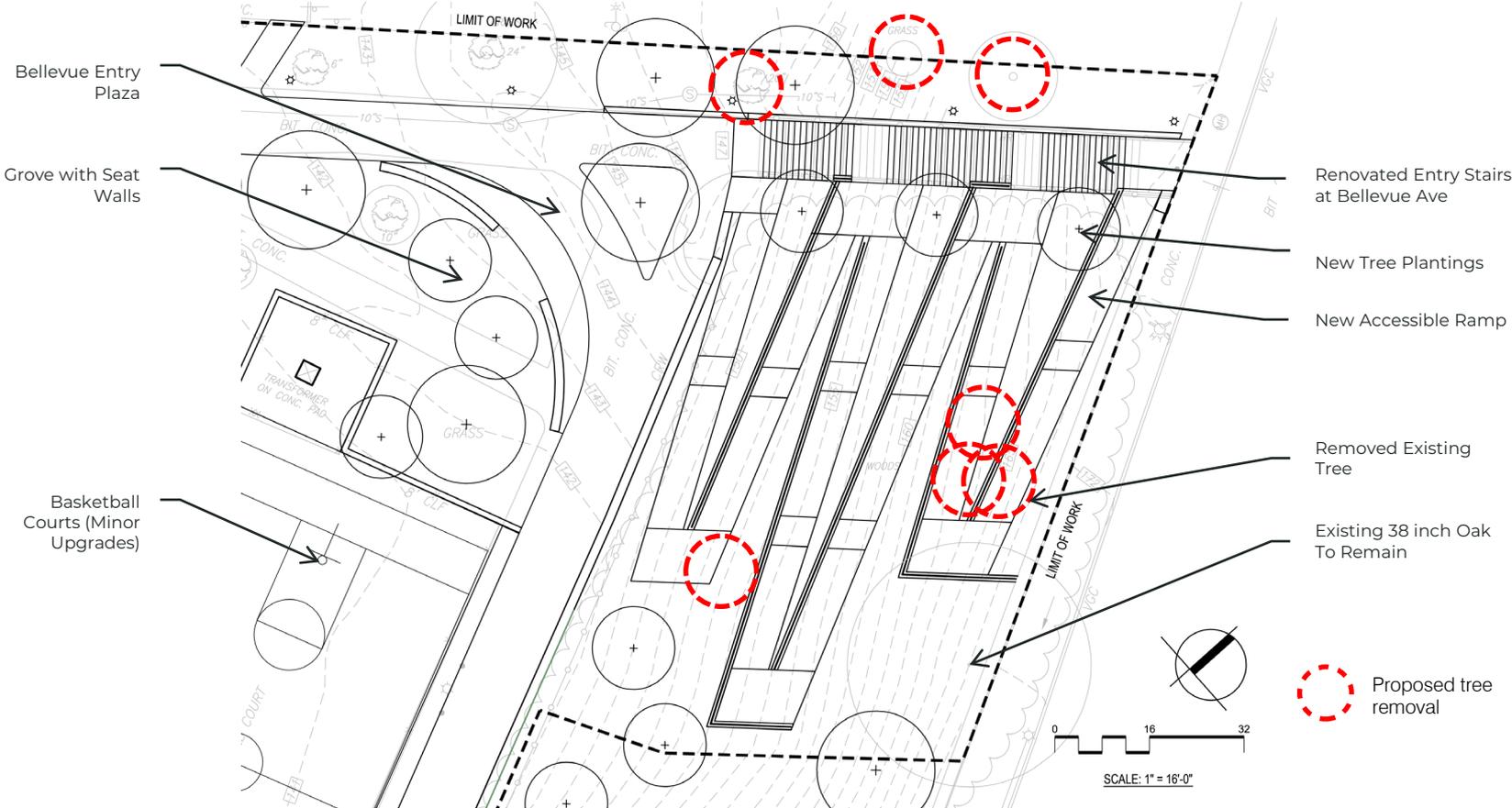
# PLAZA AT LAGRANGE ENTRANCE



# PLAZA AT BELLEVUE ENTRANCE



# RAMP AT BELLEVUE ENTRANCE



Bellevue Entry Plaza

Grove with Seat Walls

Basketball Courts (Minor Upgrades)

Renovated Entry Stairs at Bellevue Ave

New Tree Plantings

New Accessible Ramp

Removed Existing Tree

Existing 38 inch Oak To Remain

Proposed tree removal

SCALE: 1" = 16'-0"

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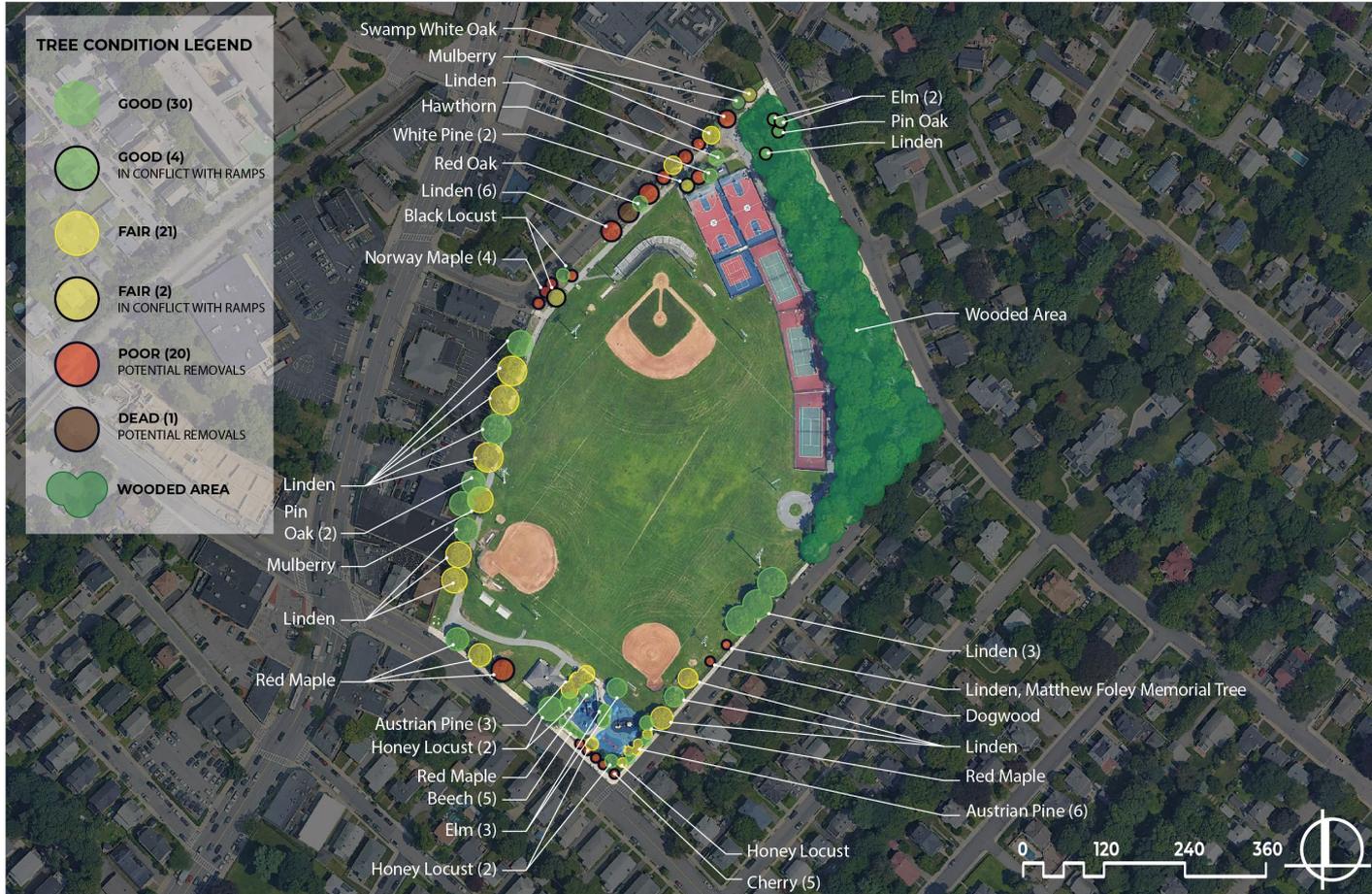


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# EXISTING SITE: TREE CONDITION FROM 2022 REVIEW + POTENTIAL REMOVALS



## Number Of...

Existing Trees Outside of Wooded Area: 65

Proposed Removals: 23

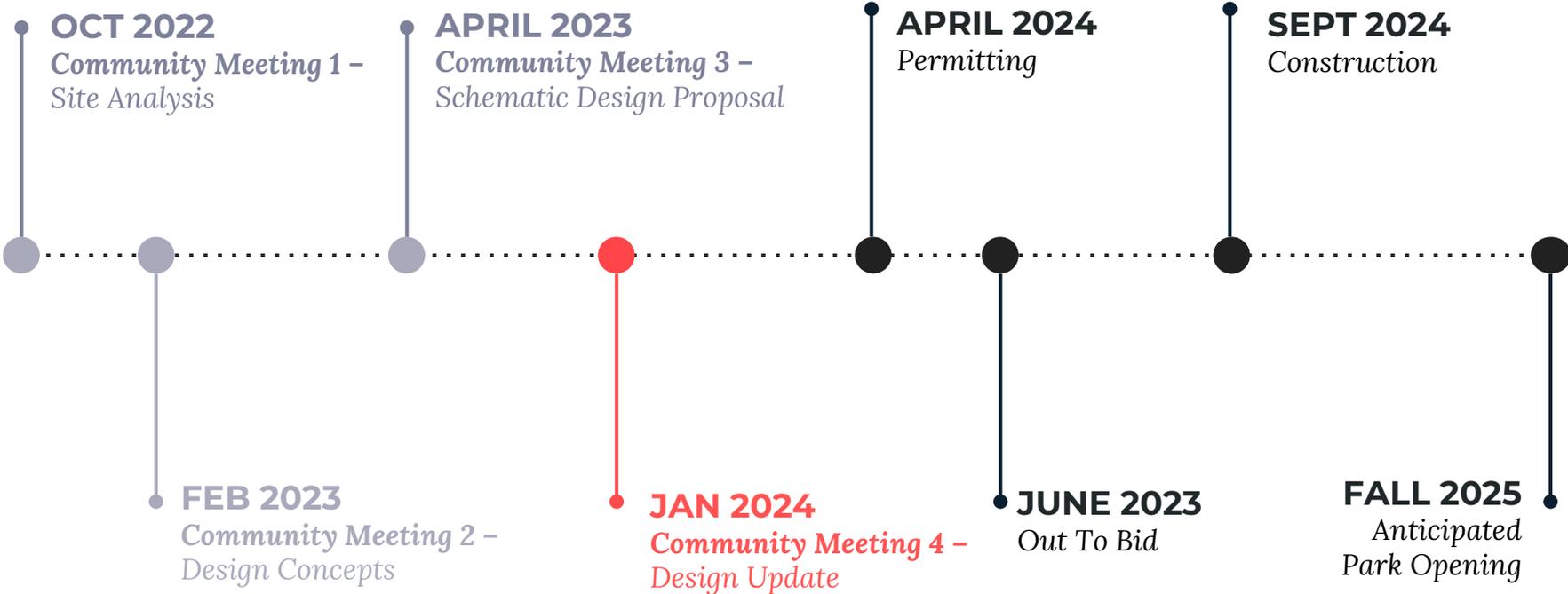
Proposed New Trees: 121

## Note:

All removals pending approval of Boston City Arborist

# PROJECT SCHEDULE

Current Design Budget: \$500,000



# THANK YOU

Have questions? Contact:

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# SPLASH PAD PROPOSED LAYOUT

## SPLASHPAD DIMENSION

TOTAL AREA : 1431 ft<sup>2</sup>      133m<sup>2</sup>

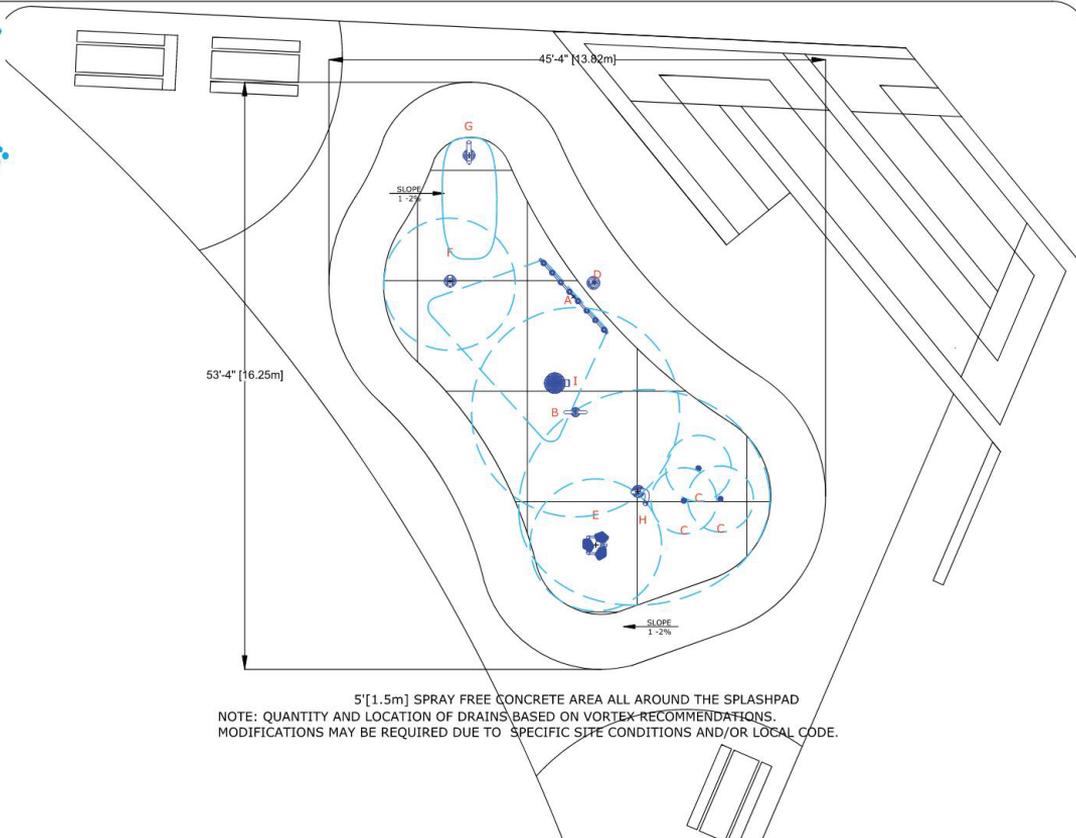
SPRAY AREA : 760 ft<sup>2</sup>      71m<sup>2</sup>

GRID SIZE : 10 x 10ft      3 x 3m

## PRODUCT LEGEND

REF	PRODUCT	QTY	GPM	LPM
A	Activator N°3 VOR 0611	1	0	0
B	Playsafe Drain N°4 VOR 1004	1		
C	Spraylink Funnel VOR 3006	3	21	79.4
D	Spraylink Tunnel N°2 VOR 3055	1	8	30.2
E	Hop N°1 VOR 7133	1	10	37.8
F	Silhouette N°1 VOR 7772	1	32.5	122.9
G	Silhouette N°3 VOR 7774	1	6	22.7
H	Silhouette N°5 VOR 7777	1	5.5	20.8
I	Bamboo Ring VOR 7787	1	2	7.6
	TOTAL	11	85	321.4

\* NOTE: SEQUENCING REQUIRED



5' [1.5m] SPRAY FREE CONCRETE AREA ALL AROUND THE SPLASHPAD  
 NOTE: QUANTITY AND LOCATION OF DRAINS BASED ON VORTEX RECOMMENDATIONS.  
 MODIFICATIONS MAY BE REQUIRED DUE TO SPECIFIC SITE CONDITIONS AND/OR LOCAL CODE.

Billings Field Splashpad, MA

41394 Version-A

December 11, 2023



SPLASHPAD LAYOUT DRAWING

SCALE : 1/8" = 1'



11" x 17" sheet size

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