

Preliminary Schematic Design March 2024



Northfield Blvd



Schematic Design



PHASE 1 CONSTRUCTION: 2025

PHASE 2 CONSTRUCTION: 2026/2027

PHASE 3 CONSTRUCTION: TBD

Future Oak
Park Senior
Housing or Rec
Center



Schematic Design – PHASE ONE





- Site clearing/grading
- Minor parking lot repairs
- Remove existing restroom
- Gathering/welcome plaza
- Pavilion repairs/updates
- Warming kitchen/storage
- Restroom (4 seasons)
- Playground with Poured-In-Place Surfacing
- Site lighting
- Infrastructure for EV charging stations
- Amenities
 (tables, benches, bike racks, trash, signs)
- Landscaping

Oak Park Woods SCHEMATIC DESIGN PRECEDENTS

EDGES & ENTRIES

- Naturalized no mow seed mix along street and parking lots
- Widen sidewalk along Northfield
- Green(er) parking lots
- Welcoming entrance points into parking areas and from parking areas into the park















GATHERING AND PLAY SPACE

- Protection of as many trees as possible
- Remove existing restroom building
- Periodic vehicle access
- Repair shelter/new pad/lighting/amenities
- Warming kitchen/storage on west end of shelter
- Centrally-located restroom
- Picnic pods for small gatherings



Complementary Warming Kitchen and Storage











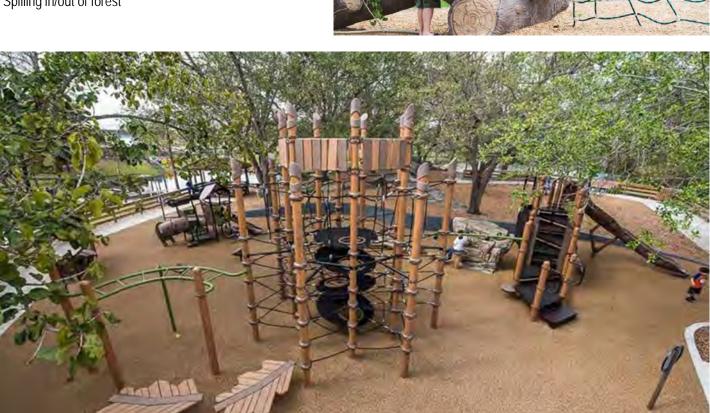
Updated Lighting

Oak Park Woods **SCHEMATIC DESIGN** PRECEDENTS

GATHERING AND PLAY SPACE

- Destination playgroundSpilling in/out of forest









Oak Park Woods
SCHEMATIC DESIGN PRECEDENTS

GATHERING AND PLAY SPACE LANDSCAPE

- Transitional from sunny meadow to woodland understory
- Defines spaces
- Edges control access to planted areas
- Transition from seed mixes at edges to more formalized, but low maintenance, landscapes at the center of the gathering area

















