

MEETING NOTES

Project:	Wissahickon Gateway Trailhead Vision Plan	Project No.:	24031.10
Location:	Venice Island PAC 7 Canal St, Philadelphia, PA	Meeting Date/Time:	Dec 09, 2024 6:00 PM
Topic:	Public Meeting #2 – Concepts	Issue Date:	12/10/2024

ATTENDEES:

See attached sign-in sheets.

NOTES:

1. Welcome remarks by Gwen McCauley, Executive Director of the Manayunk Development Corporation.
2. Peter Simone of Simone Collins Landscape Architecture reviewed the project goals, planning process, and project site constraints before sharing precedent examples and initial concepts for the design of the trailhead.
3. The public shared their responses to the initial concepts. See “Public Input” section below for details.
4. Peter Simone thanked attendees for participating and asked the public to take some time to review the concepts and reply to us with their feedback by January 15th, 2025, so that we can include their ideas in our final Vision Plan, expected to be completed in February 2025.

PUBLIC FEEDBACK:

See next page.

NEXT STEPS:

1. Please review the Draft Concept Plan, which will be posted to the Manayunk Development Corporation (MDC) website: www.manayunk.org.
2. Please email your feedback to all three contacts below:
 - a. gmccauley@manayunk.org
 - b. psimone@simonecollins.com
 - c. dbender@simonecollins.com

PUBLIC FEEDBACK:

WILDFLOWER GARDENS INSTEAD OF LAWN FOR BETTER STORMWATER INFILTRATION	DOES CAFÉ RECREATE ISSUES FROM SEPTA SITE?	TRAFFIC CALMING ON RIDGE!	ARE OLD BRIDGE ABUTMENTS STABLE? (SC NOTE: NOT BEING USED)
CAN FULL SITE JUST BE MADE GREEN/RIPARIAN EDGE, NO PAVING?	RESTROOM ONLY, NO CAFÉ?	PEDESTRIAN + BIKE TUNNEL TO CROSS UNDER RIDGE?	STREETS DEPT. PUBLIC MEETING ON FEB 5TH ABOUT TRAIL + BRIDGE @ VENICE ISLAND PAC
CENTRAL OVAL NOT LAWN?	OR RESTROOM + SPACE FOR FOOD TRUCK?	SWAP TRAIL & CANOE CLUB DRIVEWAY TO REDUCE PEDESTRIAN + VEHICLE CONFLICTS?	STREETS DEPT MEETING TO BE HELD FEB 5 TH AT VENICE ISLAND P. A. C. TO REVIEW BRIDGE DESIGN
USE PERVIOUS ASPHALT?	FOOD TRUCK ACCESS FROM SEPTA/PECO DRIVEWAY?	PEDESTRIAN + BIKE ACCESS FROM ROXBORO & MANAYUNK?	
	UTILITY HOOKUPS BEING CONSIDERED NOW?		

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Sincerely,
SIMONE COLLINS, INC.
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

David Bender, IDSA, Associate ASLA
Staff Landscape Architect

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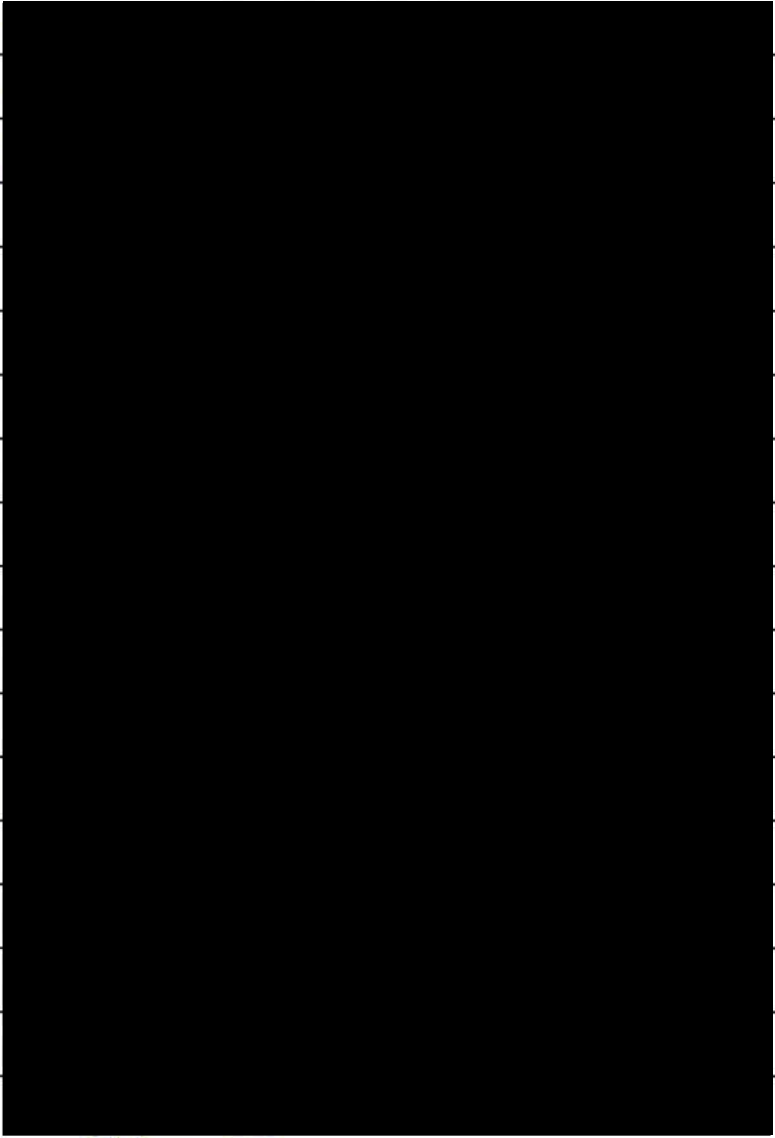
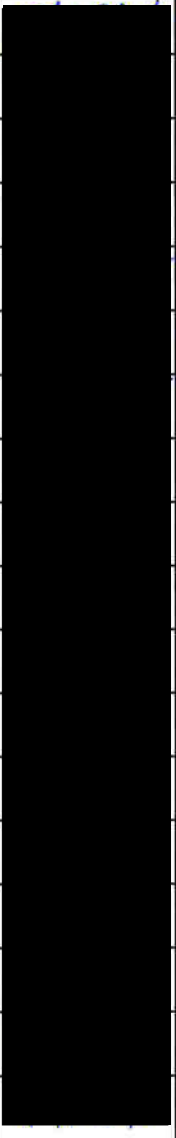
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