

ROC City Skatepark – Phase 2

Public Meeting – December 5, 2024

 Malik D. Evans, Mayor



City of Rochester, NY
Rochester City Council

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Meeting Guidelines

- During presentation, please use respectful etiquette.
- The meeting is in-person and virtual. We have a City staff person online to assist with any online issues.
- We will respond to all questions and comments at the end of the presentation.
- We can allow comments at the end of the presentation one at a time. Please raise your hand (in-person) or put your question in the Q&A (virtual).

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Public Meeting Agenda

- Welcome & Introductions
- Project Overview
- Project Scope
- Site Location
- Phase 2 Design Review
- Schedule
- A Closer View
- Discussion & Questions



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Introductions

CITY OF ROCHESTER STAFF

Project Manager: Ellen Micoli Soffa, R.L.A. - Landscape Architect, DES
Operations Manager: Sara Scott – Director of Programs & Park Stewardship, DRHS

DESIGN TEAM

Stantec Consulting: Jim Hofmann, Jr., P.E. - Project Lead
Mike Mantell, P.E. - Civil Engineer
New Line Skateparks: Kanten Russell, Director of Design

Also includes: Architectura, Popli Design Group, CME Associates & Lu Engineers

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Project Overview

Joint project of 2 City Departments

- Department of Environmental Services (DES)
- Department of Recreation and Human Services (DRHS)

Partnership with Friends of the ROC City Skatepark

- Michael Riordan, President of the Executive Board
- Alan Presutti, Previous Executive Director

Many partners over the years

- NYS Department of Transportation – funding, site use
- NYS Department of State – additional funding



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Project Overview

HOW DID WE GET HERE?

- Years of effort advocating for a skatepark in Rochester
- ROC the Riverway Vision Plan in 2018
- Skatepark Master Plan developed in 2018-9
- Two phases were outside the available budget
- Construction of Phase 1 started in late 2019
- Skatepark opened to the public in November 2020
- Tremendous success!



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WHAT HAVE WE DONE LATELY?

- City started planning for next phase of development soon after Phase 1 opened
- \$3M Grant from NYS Department of State kickstarted design efforts
- Virtual public meeting – August 2, 2022
- Review of design alternatives – January 11, 2023
- Presentation of final design – December 5, 2024



ROC City Skatepark Project Scope

PHASE 2

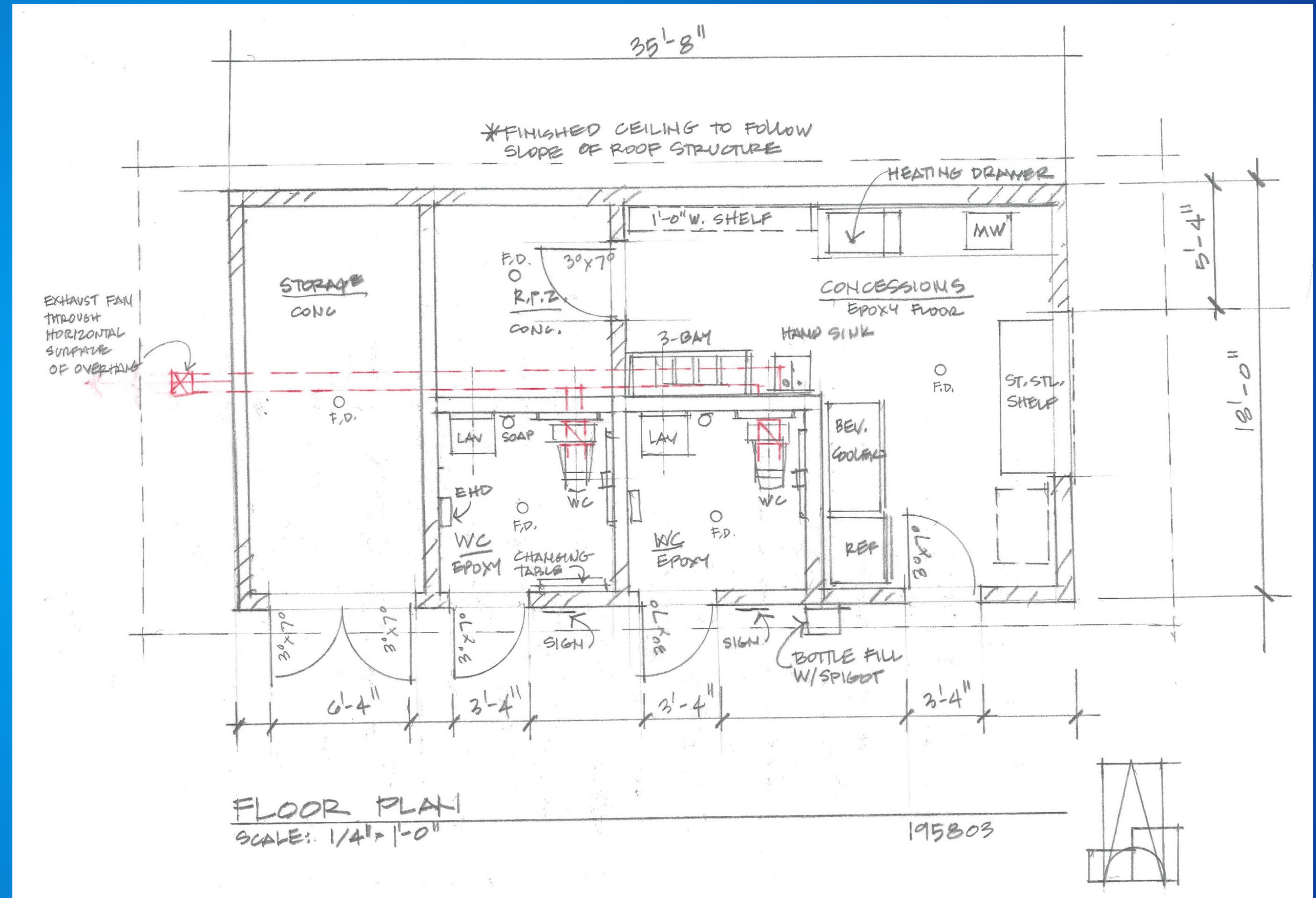
Expanded skate area

Event space

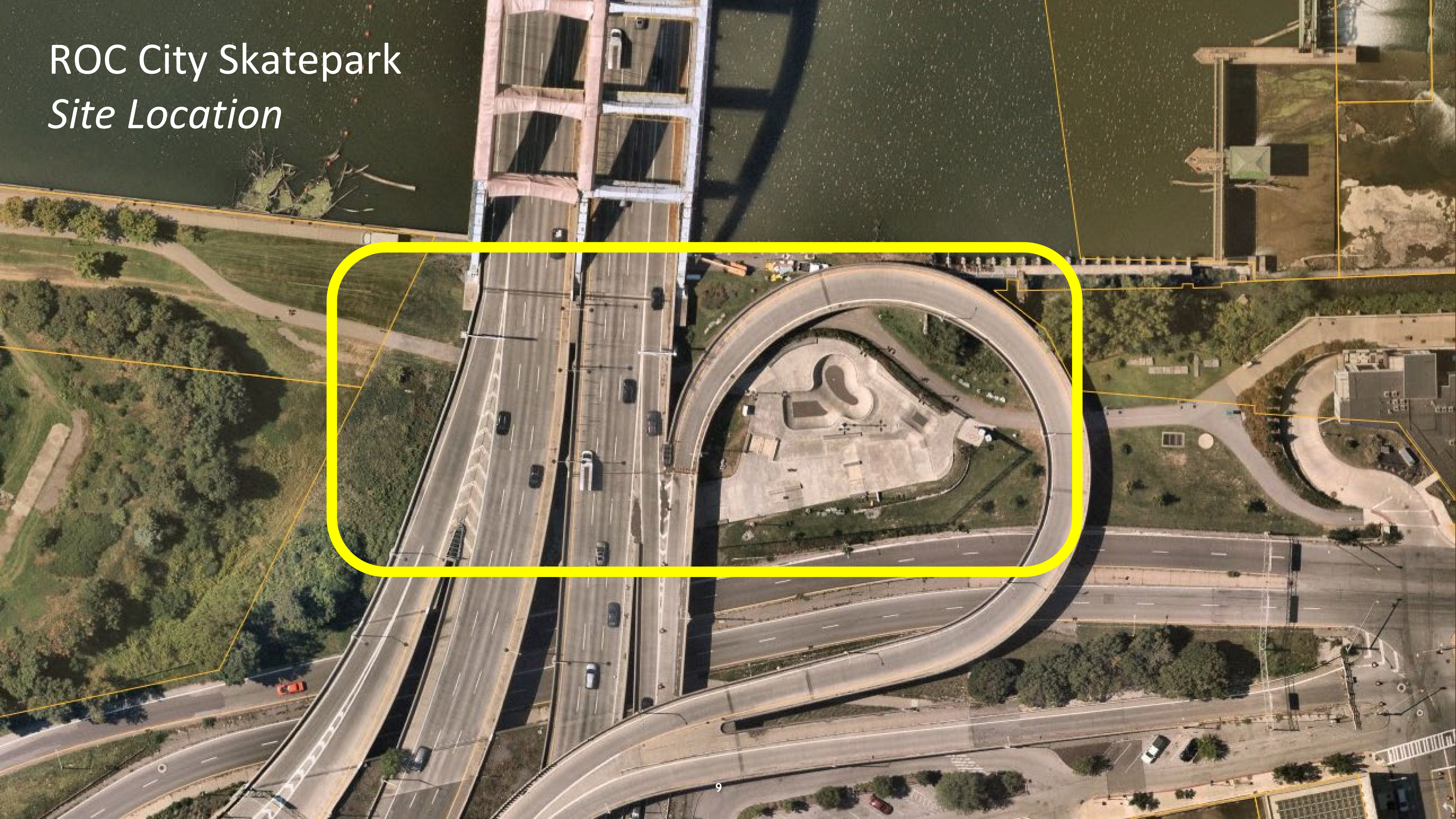
Site amenities (seating, lighting)

PHASE 3

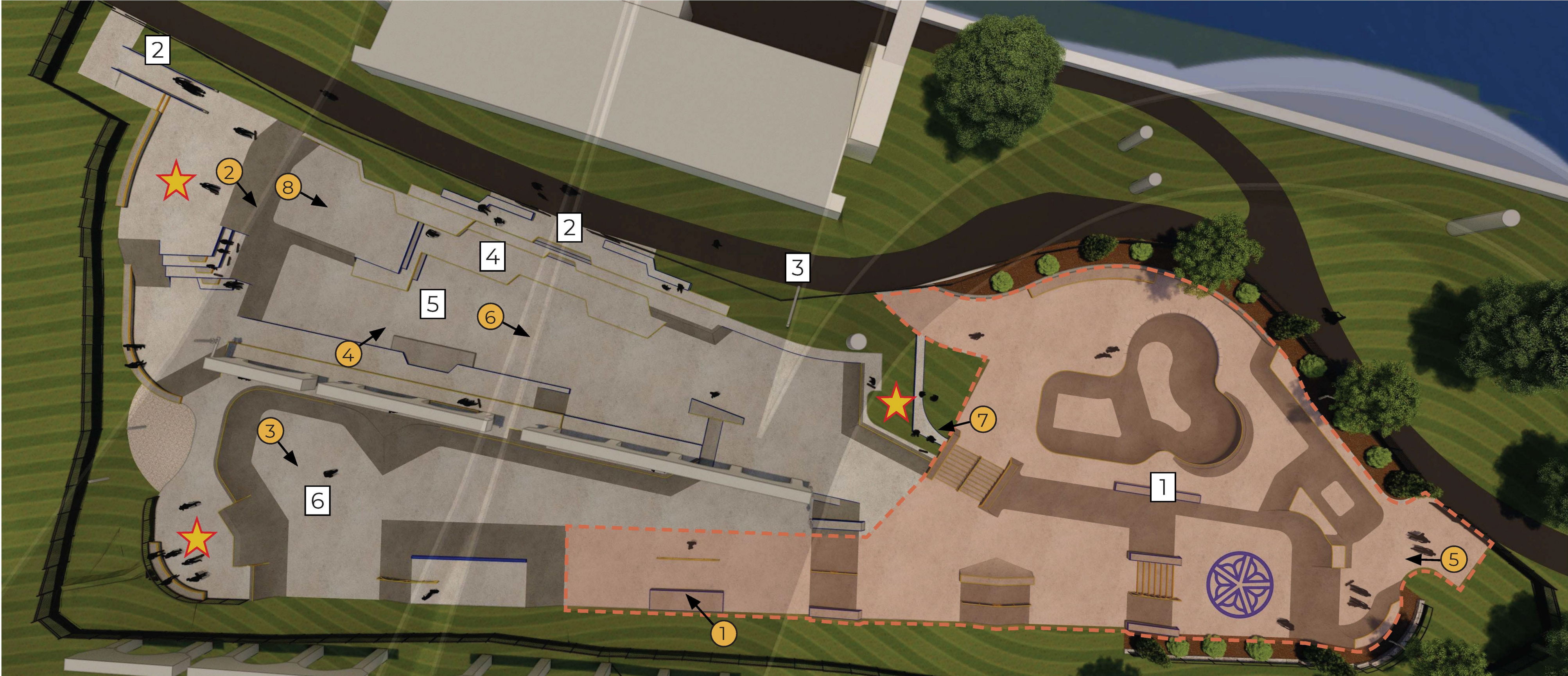
Restroom/ Concession Building



ROC City Skatepark *Site Location*



ROC City Skatepark Skatepark Site Plan



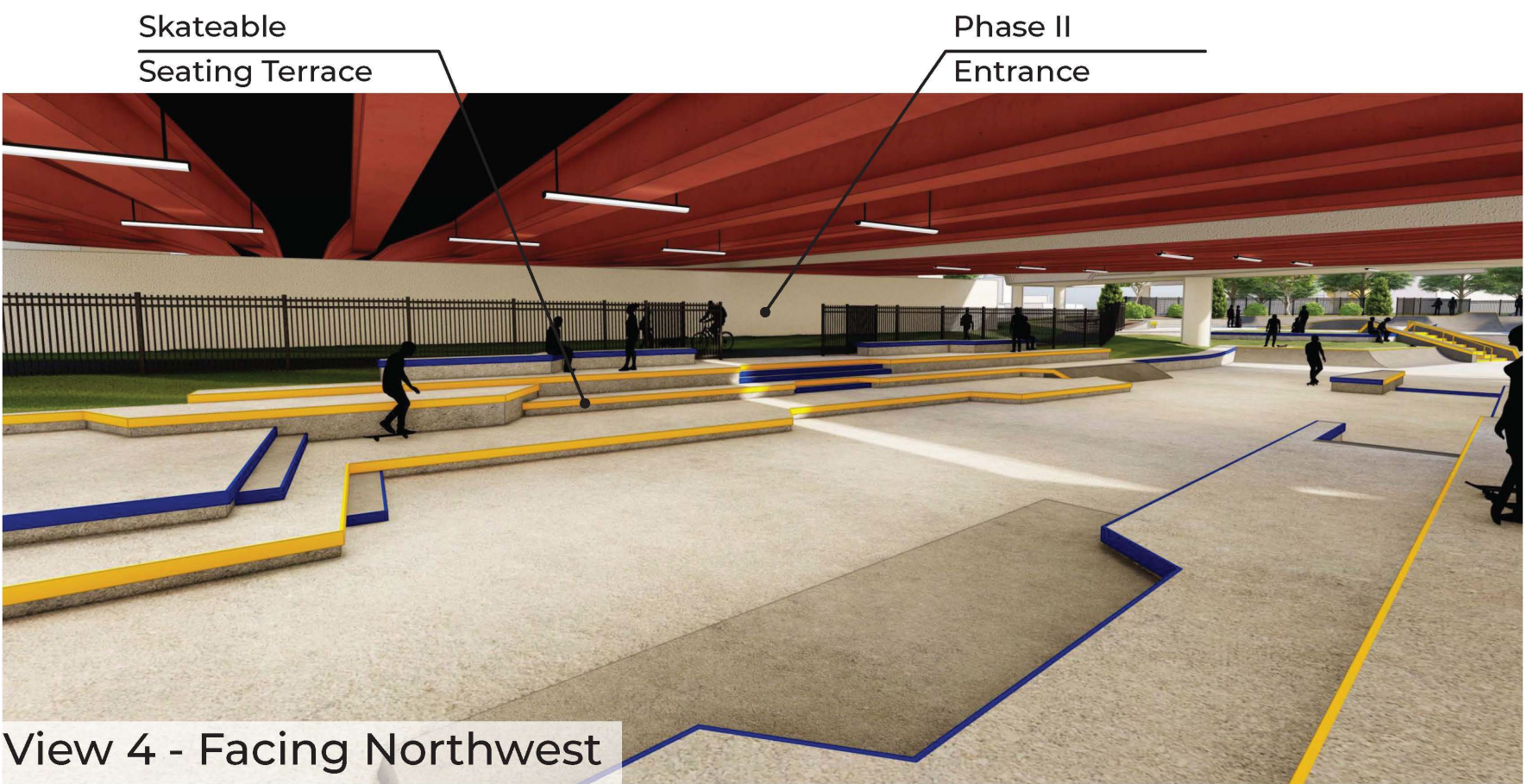
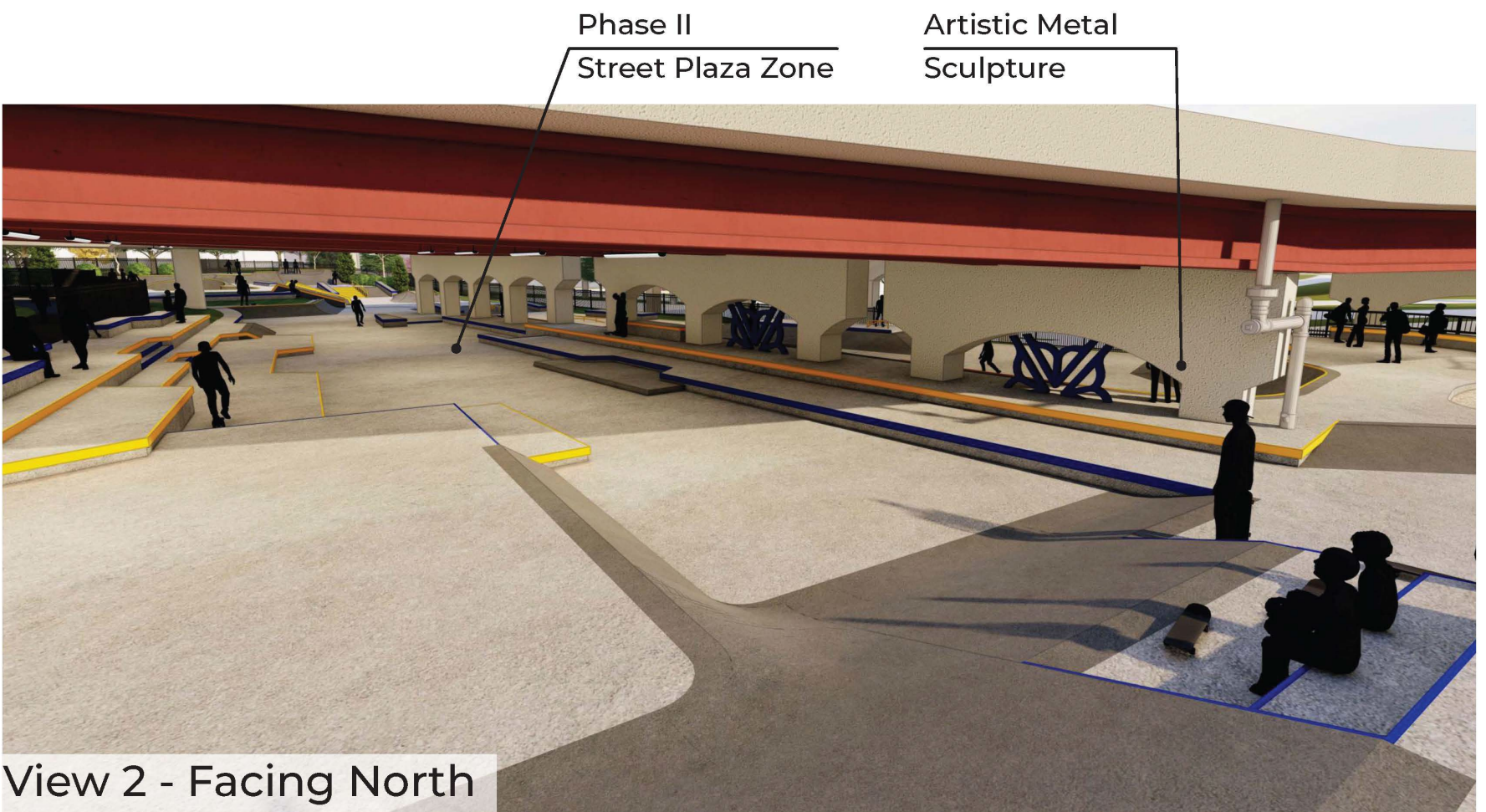
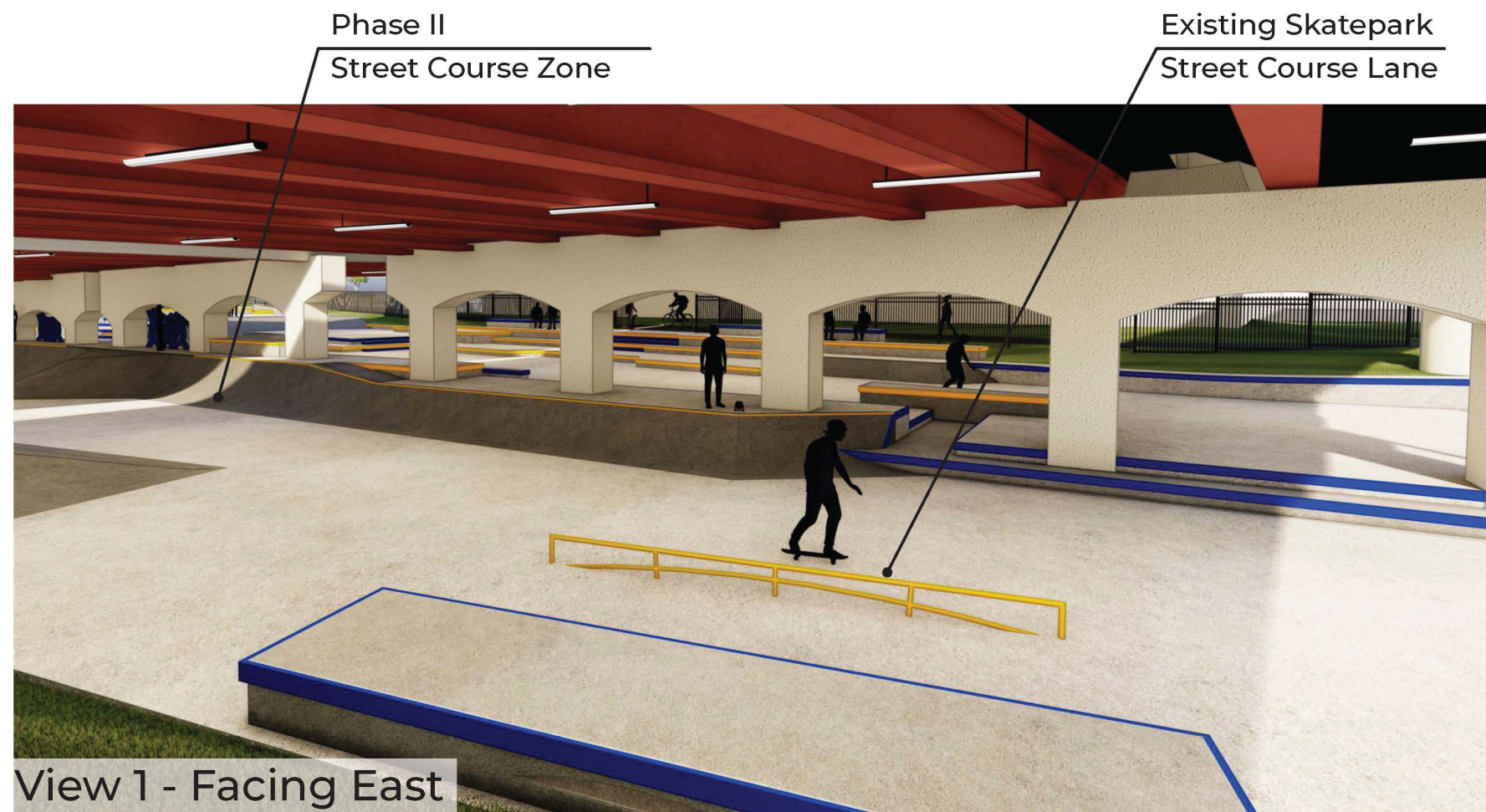
Legend

- # → 3D Perspective View
- ★ Phase II Staging Area
- Existing Skatepark Footprint
- 1 Existing Skatepark
- 2 Phase II Site Access
- 3 Existing Pedestrian Pathway
- 4 Skatable Seating Terrace
- 5 Phase II Street Plaza Zone
- 6 Phase II Street Course Zone

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Skatepark 3D Perspectives

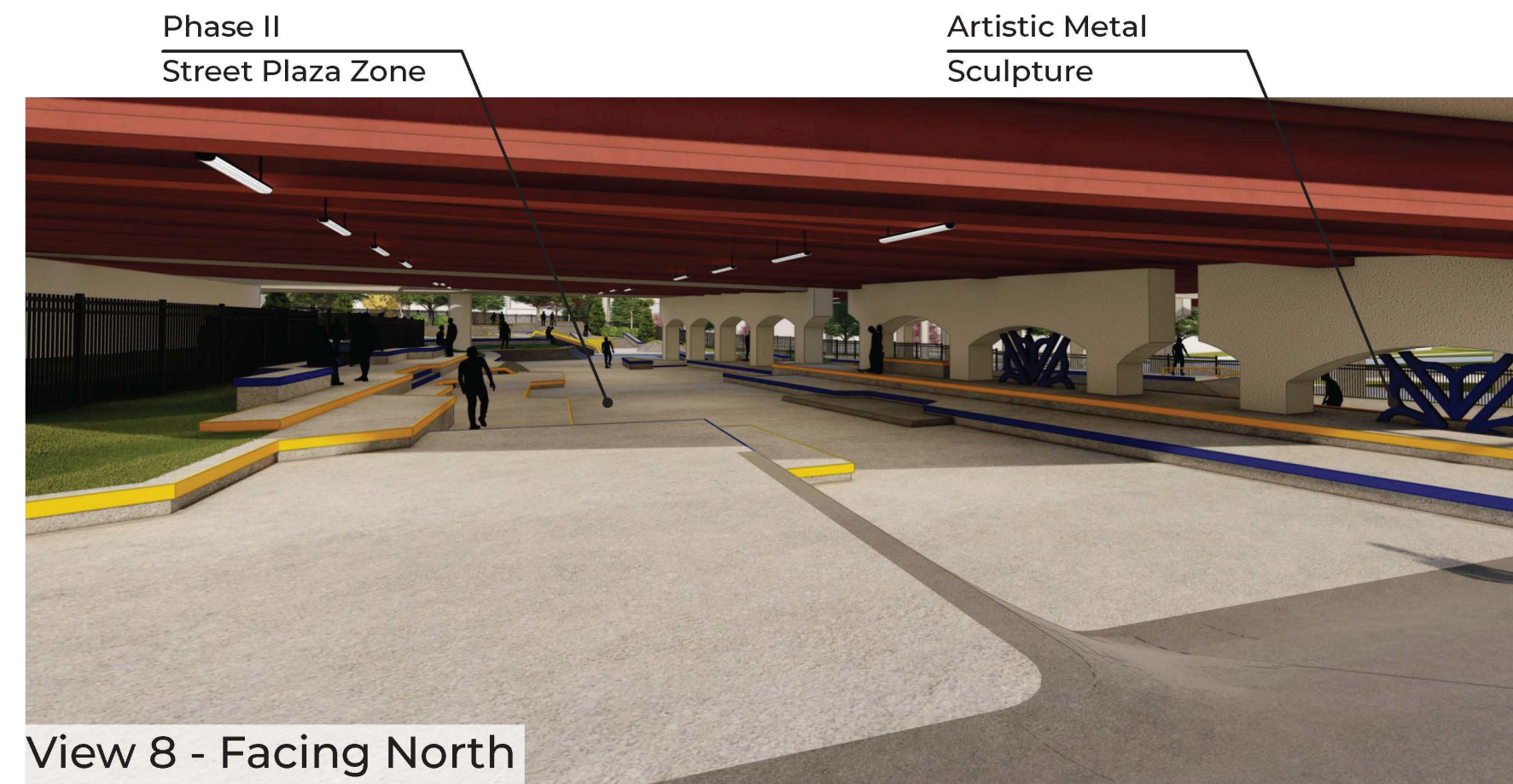
3D Model Perspectives



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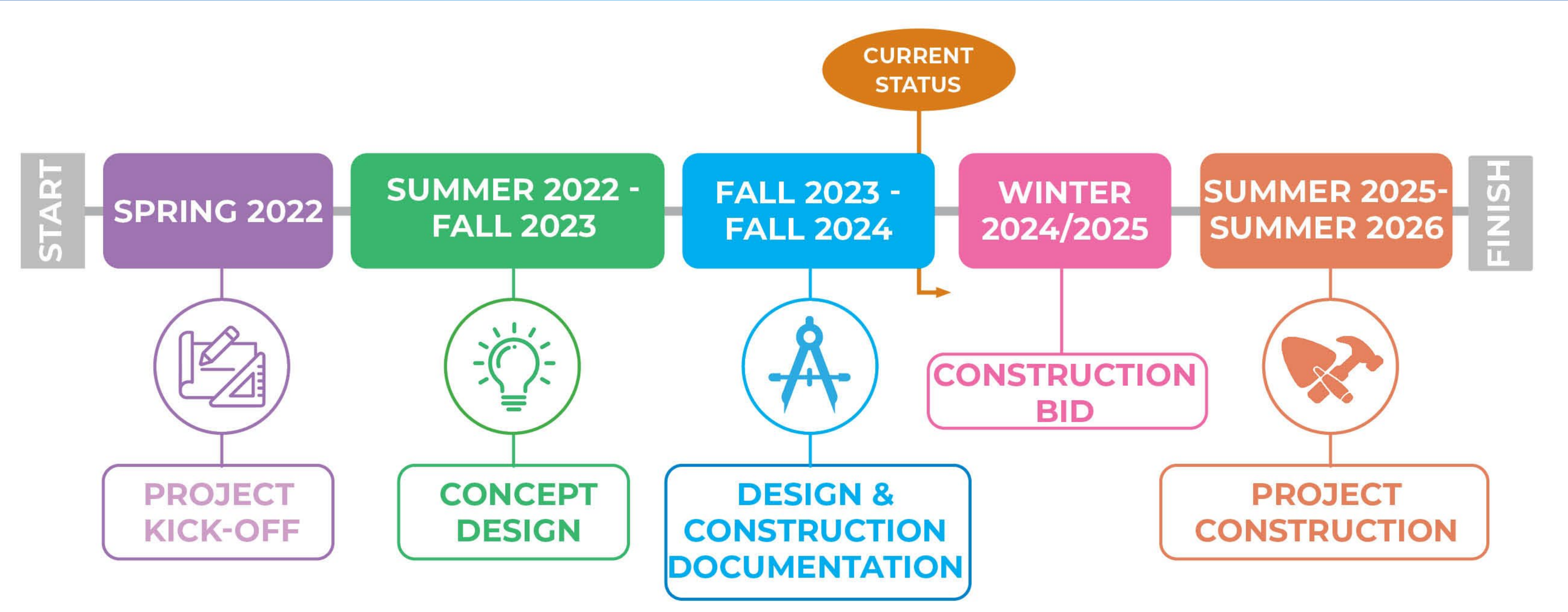


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Discussion and Questions

- Virtual attendees: Type questions in the Q&A for a response now
- In-person attendees: Raise hand
- Submit questions or comments to:
ellen.soffa@cityofrochester.gov

