## **SITE IMPROVEMENTS**



# Community Meeting #4 March 23, 2016

## **Meeting Goals**

- Present park and playground designs
- Gain input on design and elements from the community
- Review construction schedule

### Medal of Honor Park & Christopher Lee Playground





### What we have done

- Park entrances
- Historically inspired fence study
- Proposed bench locations
- Determine areas for additional lighting
- Memorial plaza
- Memorial pillars
- Playground design
- Programming





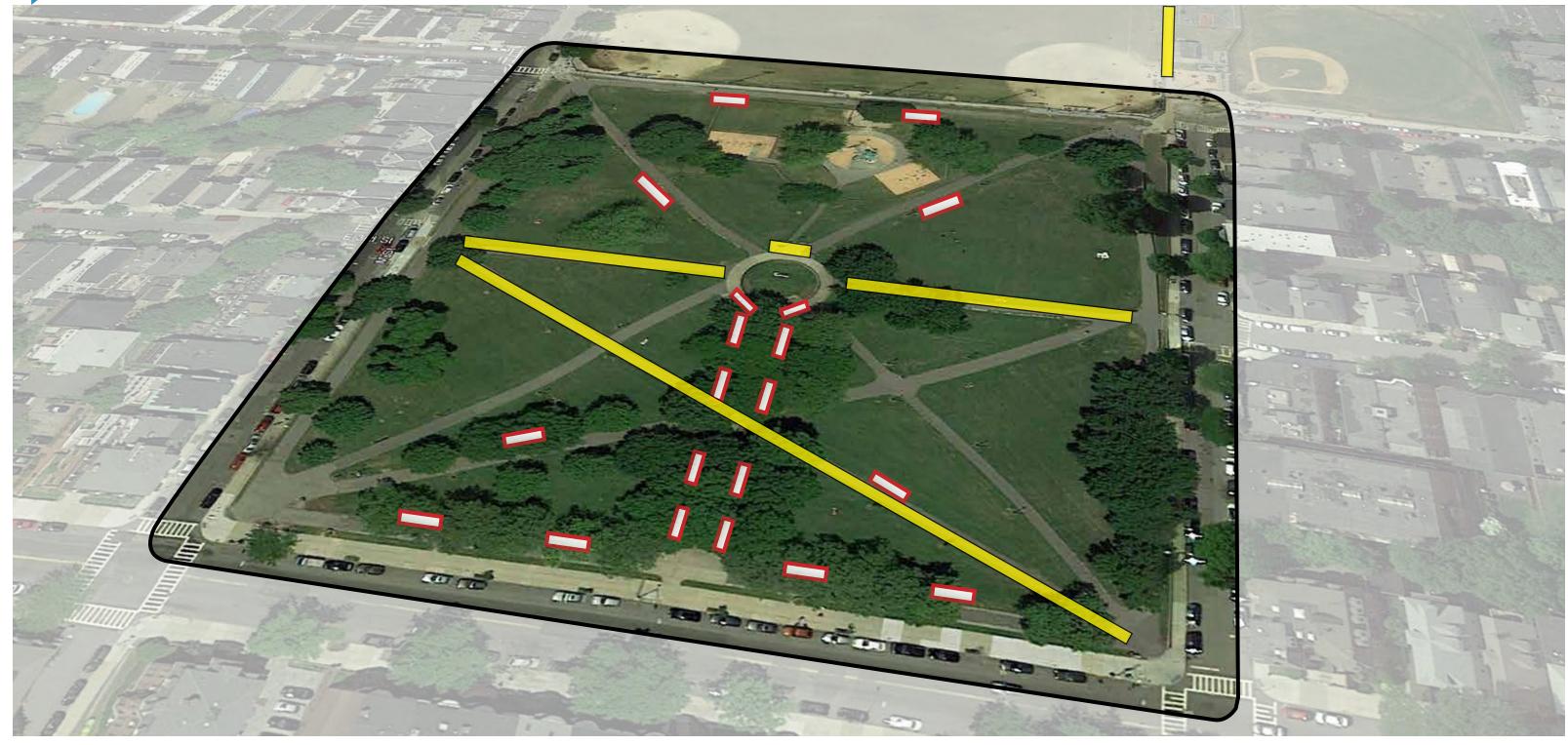


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### **Park Improvements**



proposed bench locations **m** proposed lighting locations **m** 

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### **Park Entrances**



Memorial Entrance + Streetscape



#### **Corner Entrances**



**Side Entrances** 

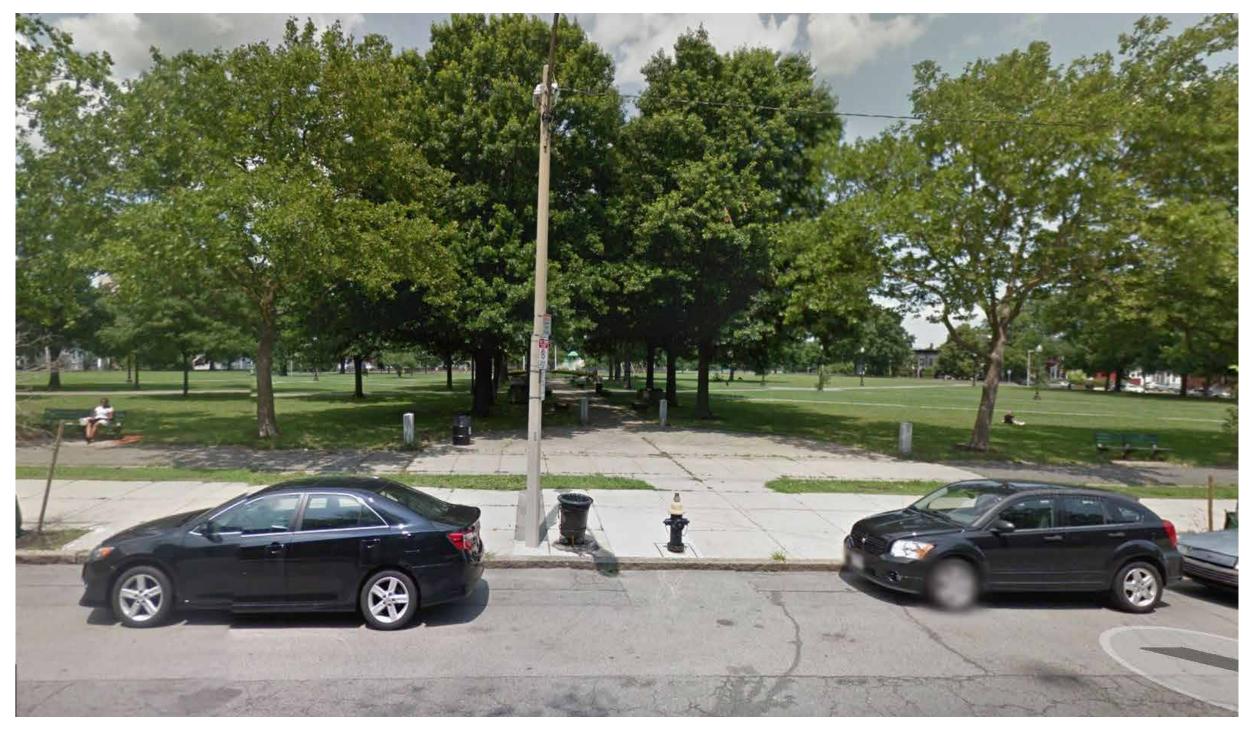


**Plan View - Park Entries** 

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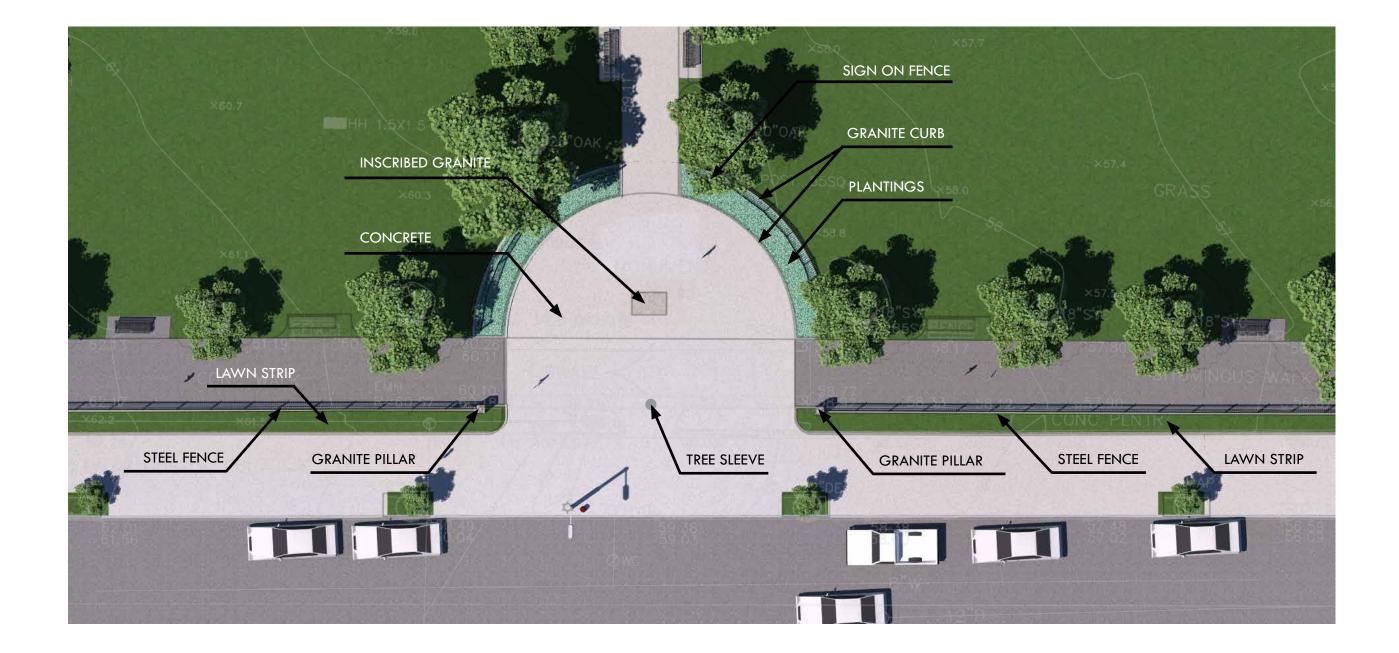


**Existing Conditions** 

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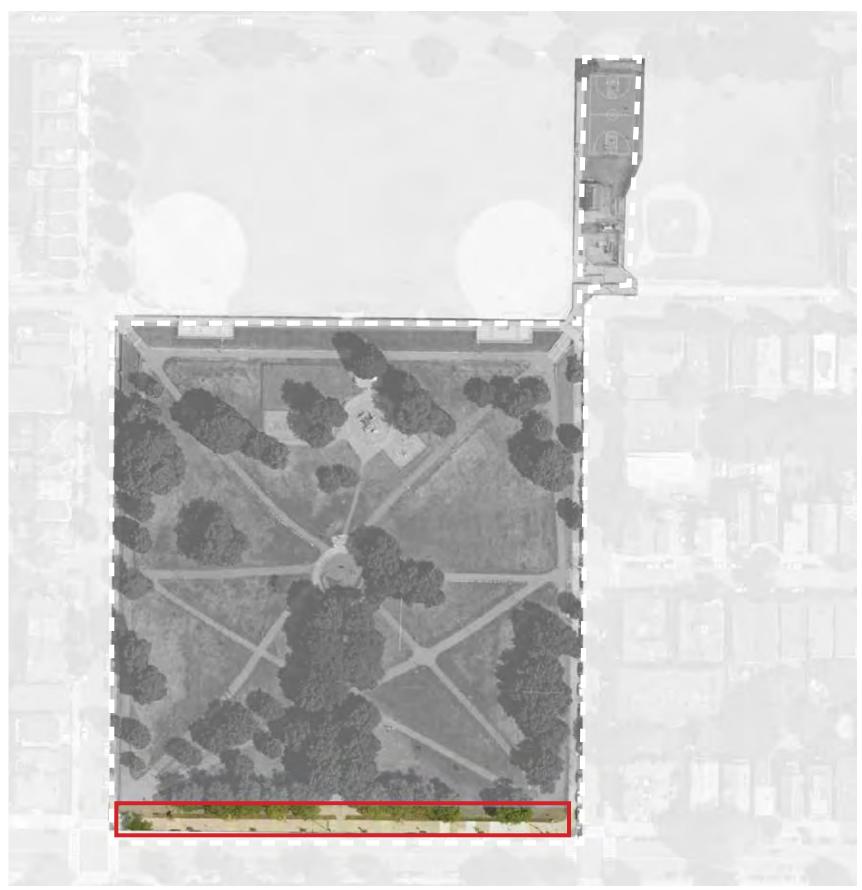
### **Streetscape** - East Broadway



**Existing Conditions** 

**Desired Amenities:** 

- Seating
- Seasonal plantings
- Tree plantings
- Signage
- Historically inspired fence



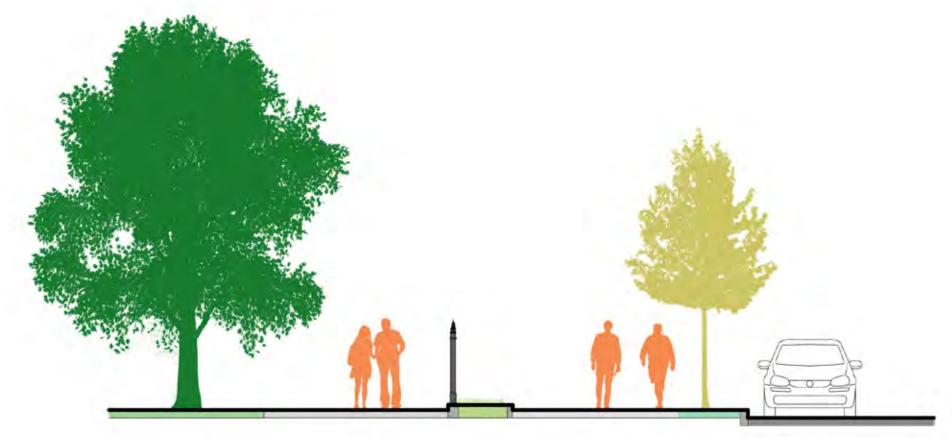


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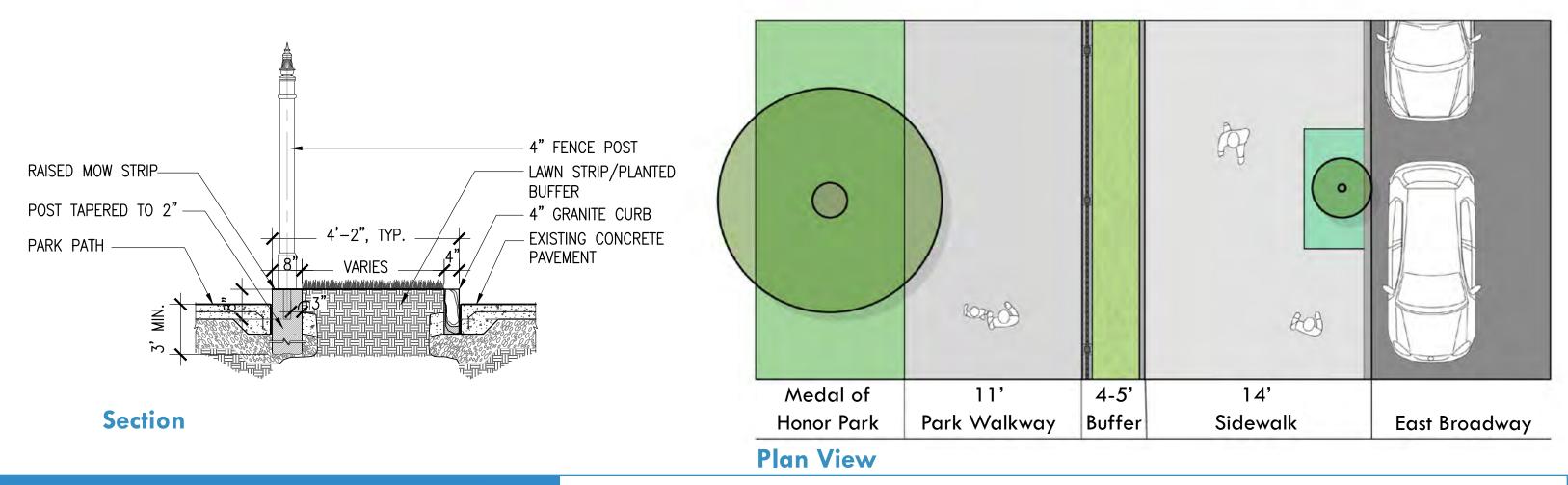




- retain existing duplicate sidewalks at current width
- add historically inspired 5' height fence in lawn between two sidewalks



#### Section



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**Memorial Fence** 

Lincoln Square



**South Boston Residence** 

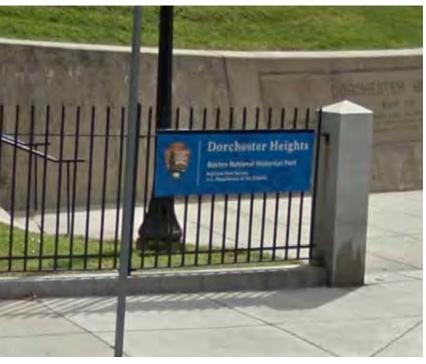
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**South Boston Residence** 

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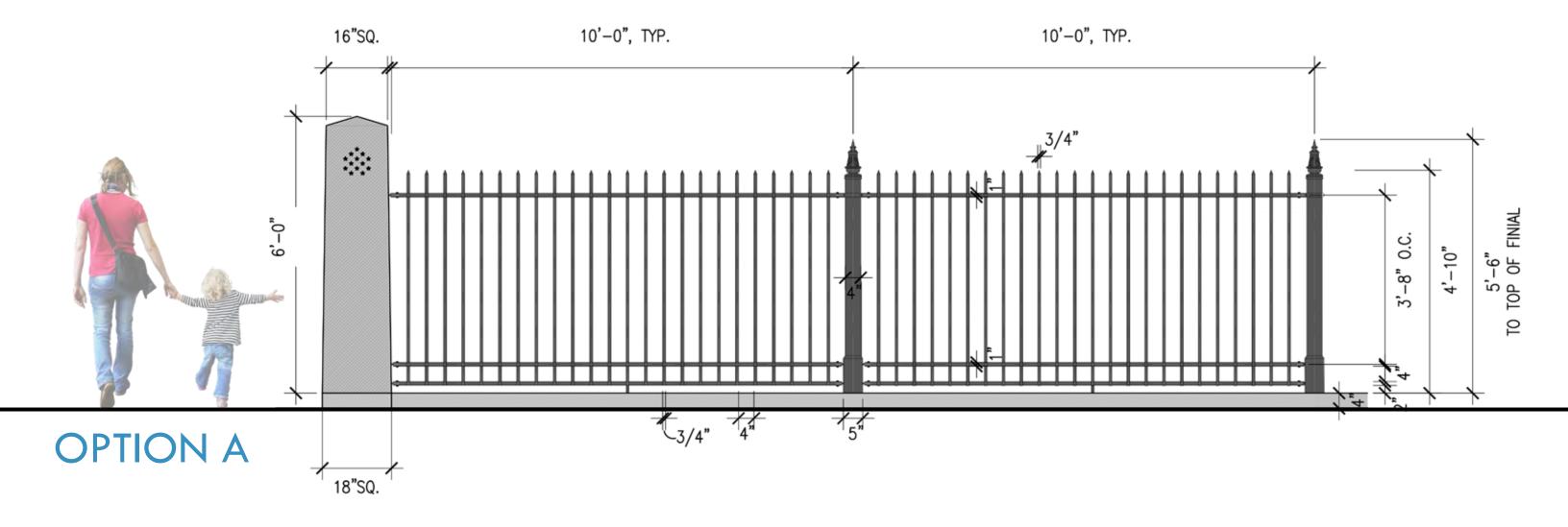
#### Blackstone Square



#### **Dorchester Heights**



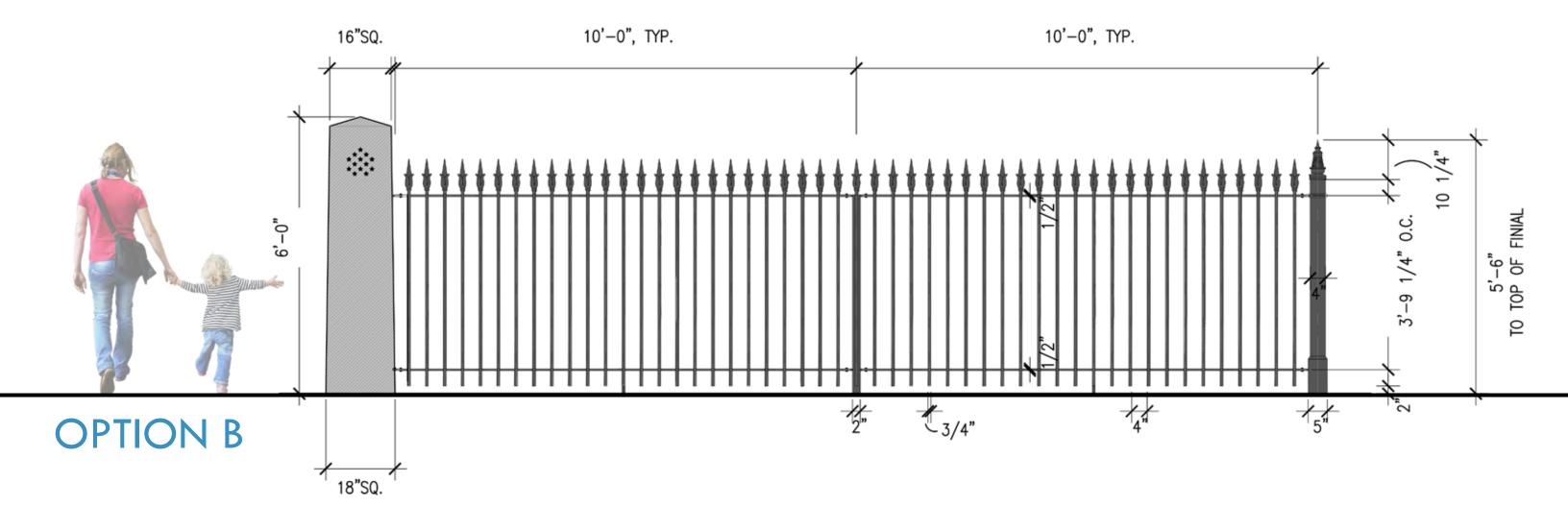




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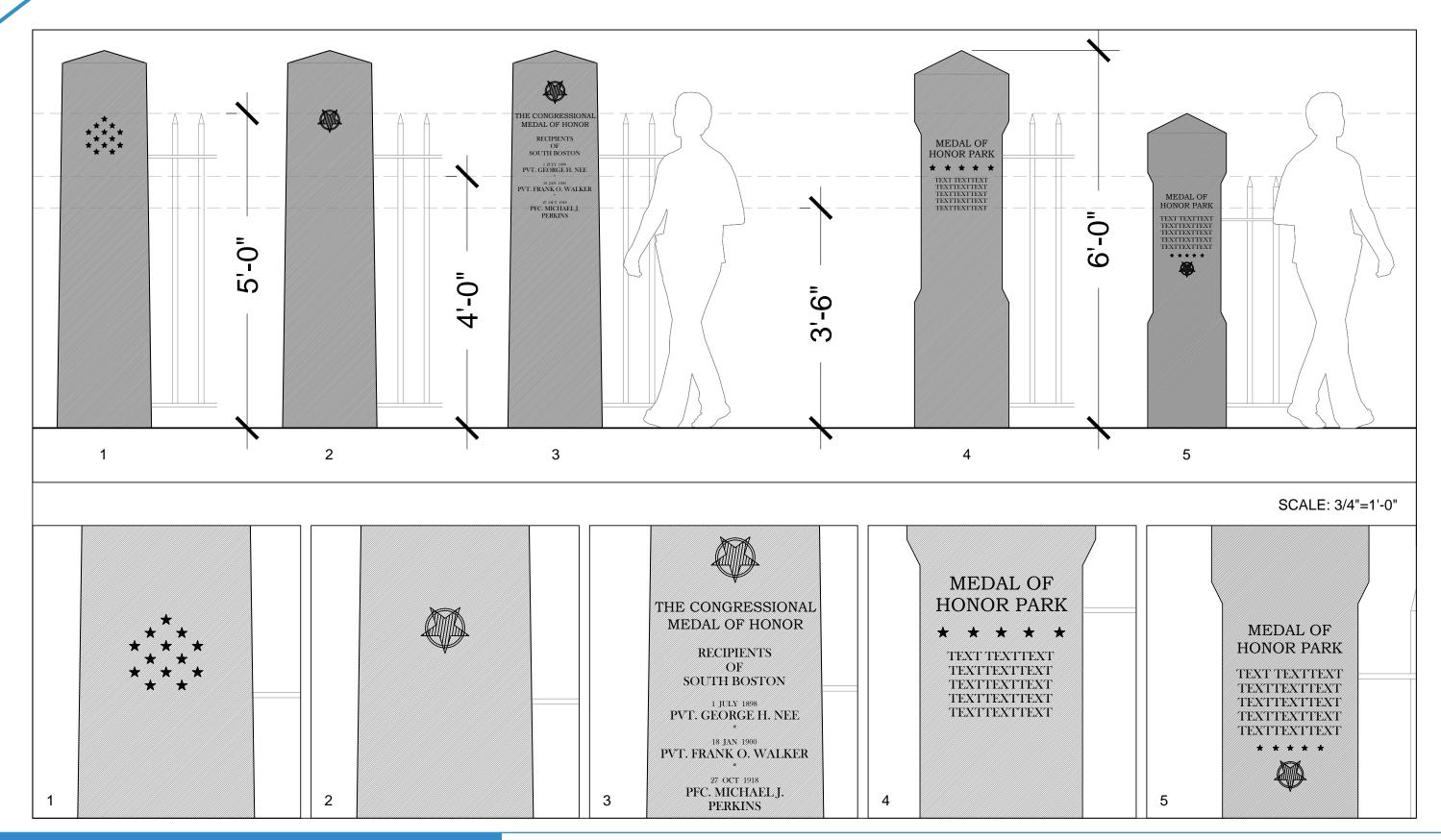


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### Entry Pillars - Inscriptions



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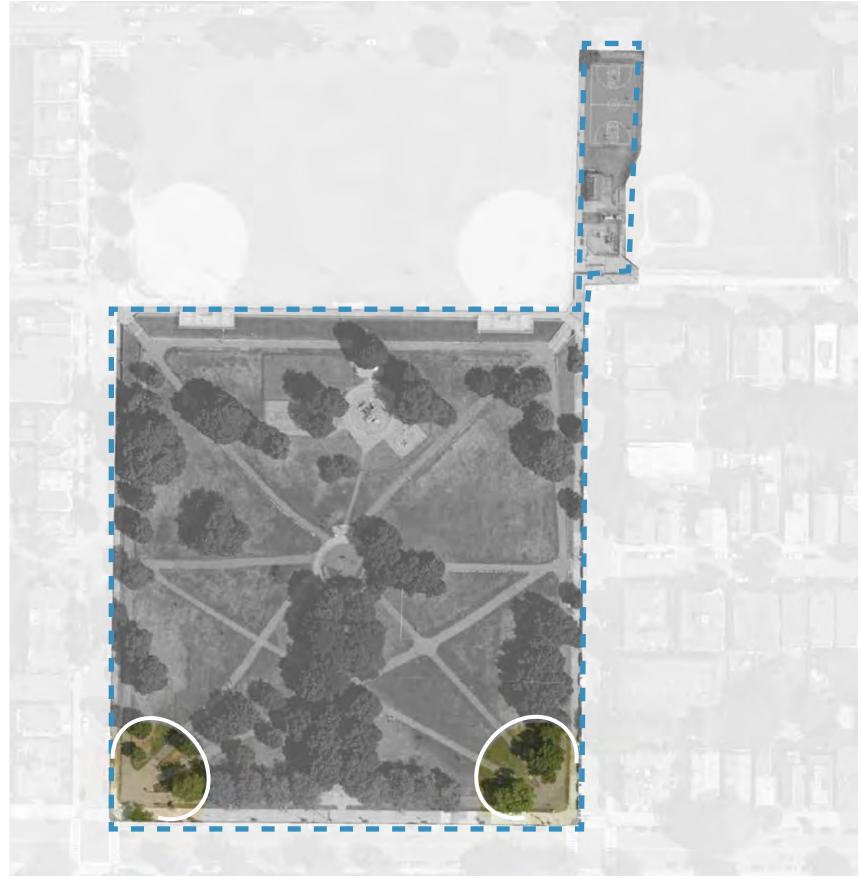
## **M/N Street Corner Entrances**



East Broadway / M Street



East Broadway / N Street



**Plan View - Park Entries** 

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## **M/N Street Corner Entrances**



**Plan View** 

- historically inspired fence
- seasonal plantings by entrance
- creates space for bus stop

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- park identity signage on fence panel





### **M/N Street Corner Entrances**



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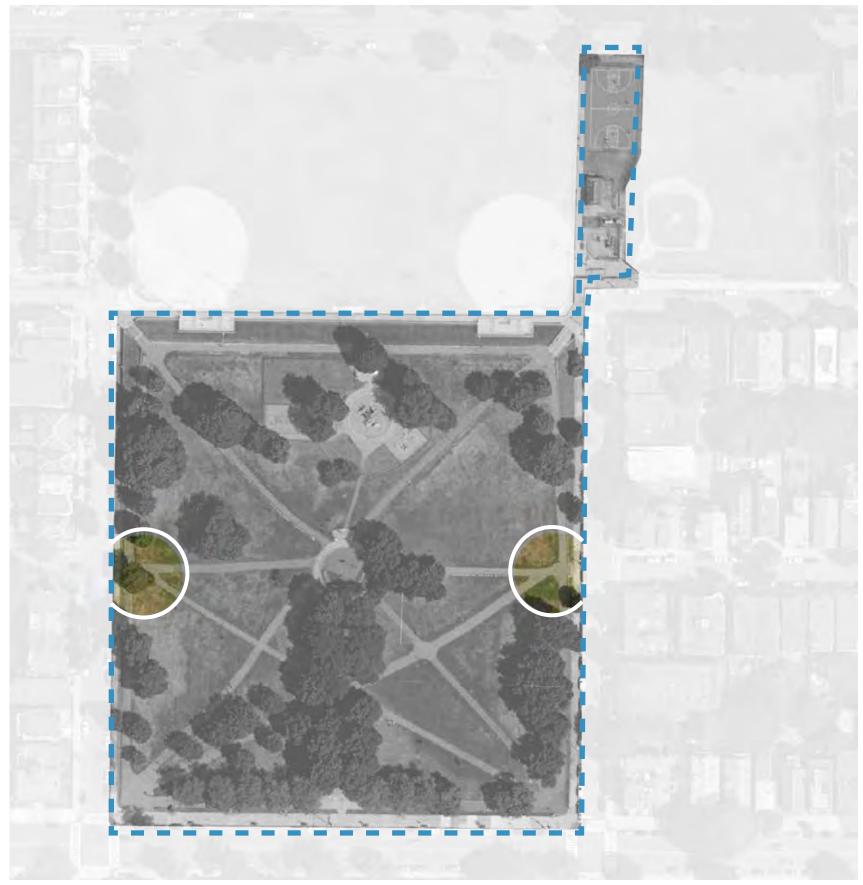
## **M/N Street Side Entrances**



**M Street Side Entrance** 



**N Street Side Entrance** 



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# **M/N Street Side Entrances**



#### **Plan View**

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### **M/N Street Side Entrances**



**Entering Park from N Street** 

- regrade walks to
  accessible
  re-use existing a
- entrance

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#### - regrade walks to remove steps and make

#### - re-use existing granite bollards from front







**Existing Conditions** 

- Honor South Boston MoH recipients
- Enhance procession from memorial entrance
- Improve lighting of monument
- Install benches for park users
- Maintain space for traveling wall

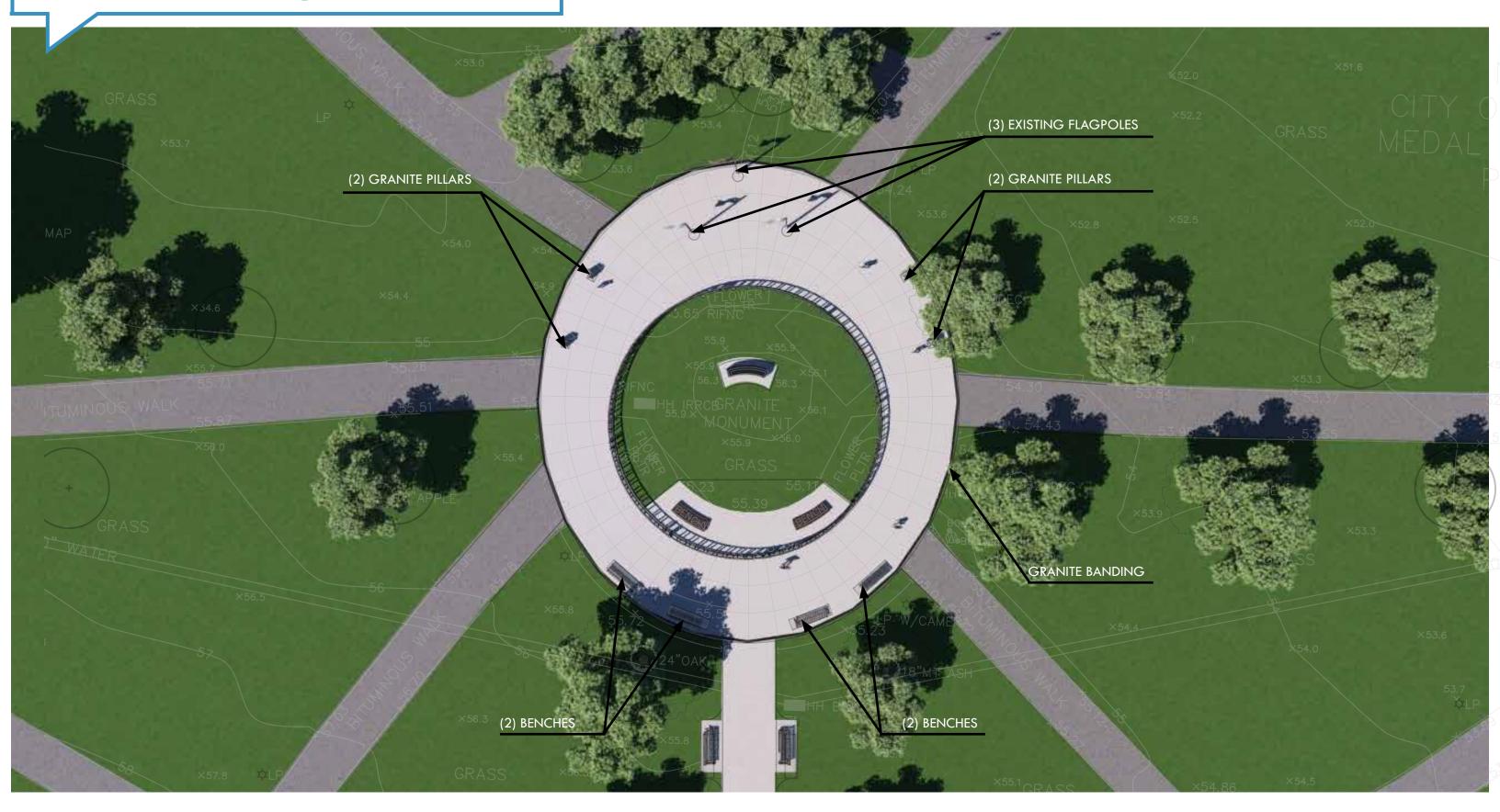


**Plan View** 

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- Expand memorial plaza

- Add accent pavers at perimeter of walks

- Add four granite bollards for Medal of Honor recipients

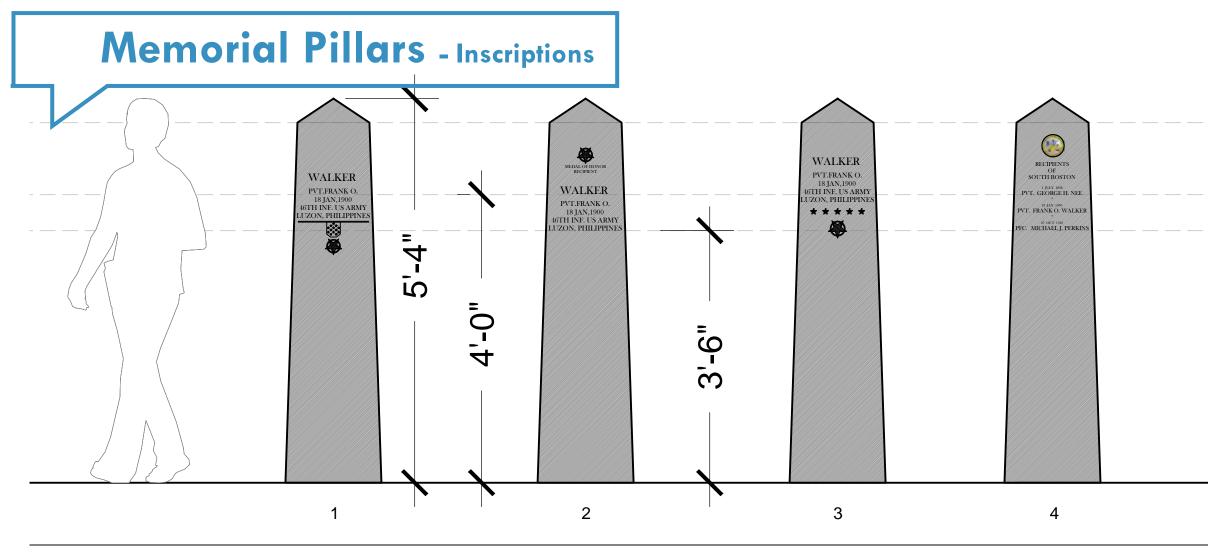
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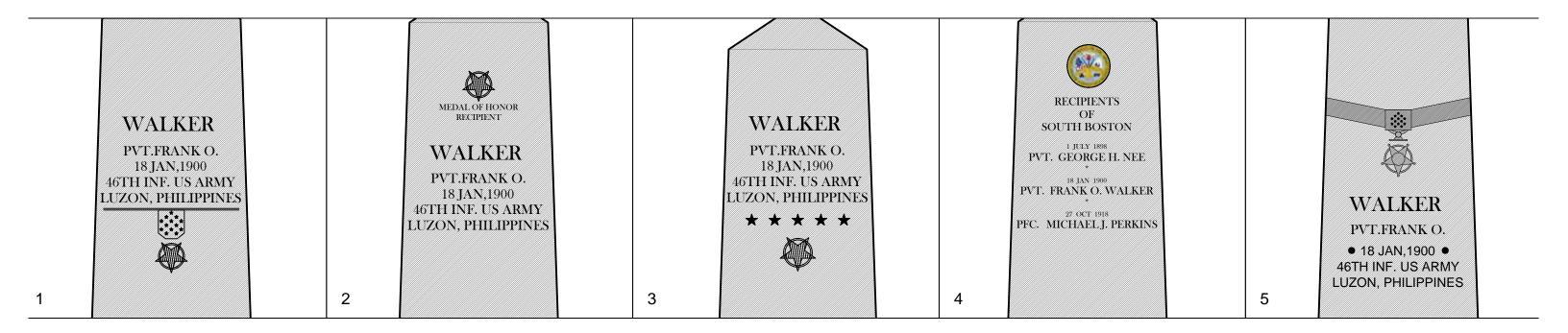
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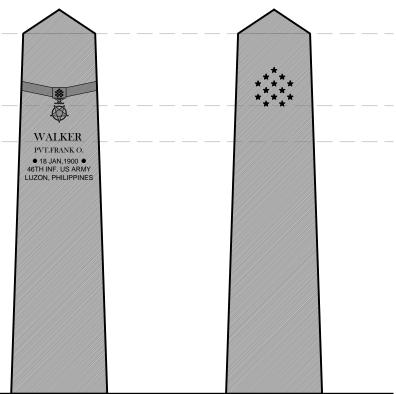






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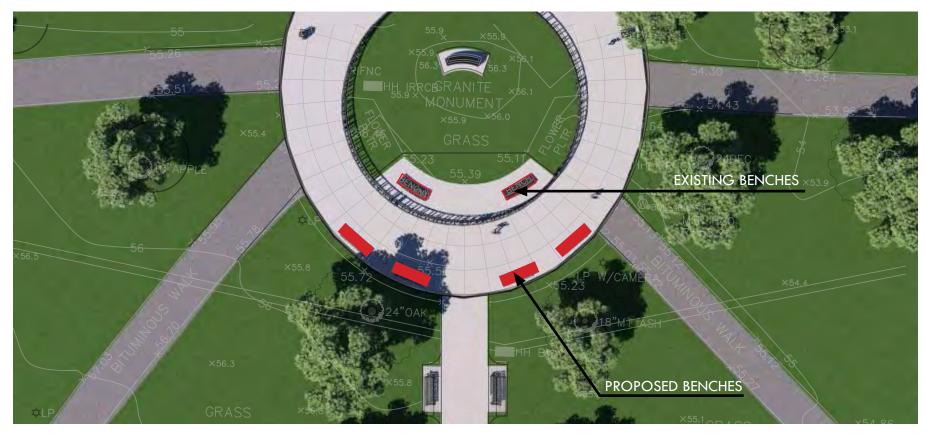
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**EXISTING BENCH AT MEMORIAL** 



**PLAN VIEW** 





**PROPOSED PARK BENCH** 

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**PROPOSED BACKLESS PARK BENCH** 







#### **Playground Existing Conditions**



**Plan View** 

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- organic layout with low wall/berm separating play equipment from passive areas
- splash pad/stage on edge of gathering lawn
- age groups separated







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# Splash Pad/Lawn Area



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# **Equipment Option #1**





2-5yr Playstructure

5-12yr Playstructure

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**Equipment Option #2** 



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# **Play Equipment**



**Bobble Riders** 

#### Saddle Spinners





Swings (2-5yr + 5-12yr)

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#### **Climbing Structure**







#### Playground - Colors



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## **Color Scheme - Purple/Blue**









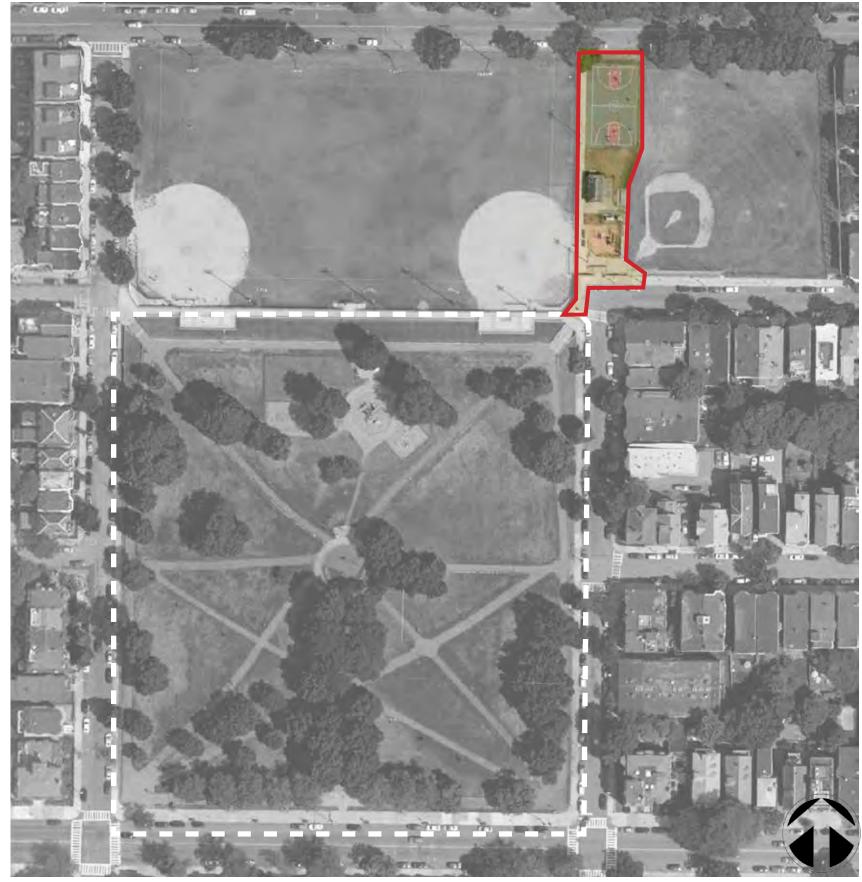
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**Playground Existing Conditions** 



**Plan View** 

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#### Entrance at E 2nd Street/N Street





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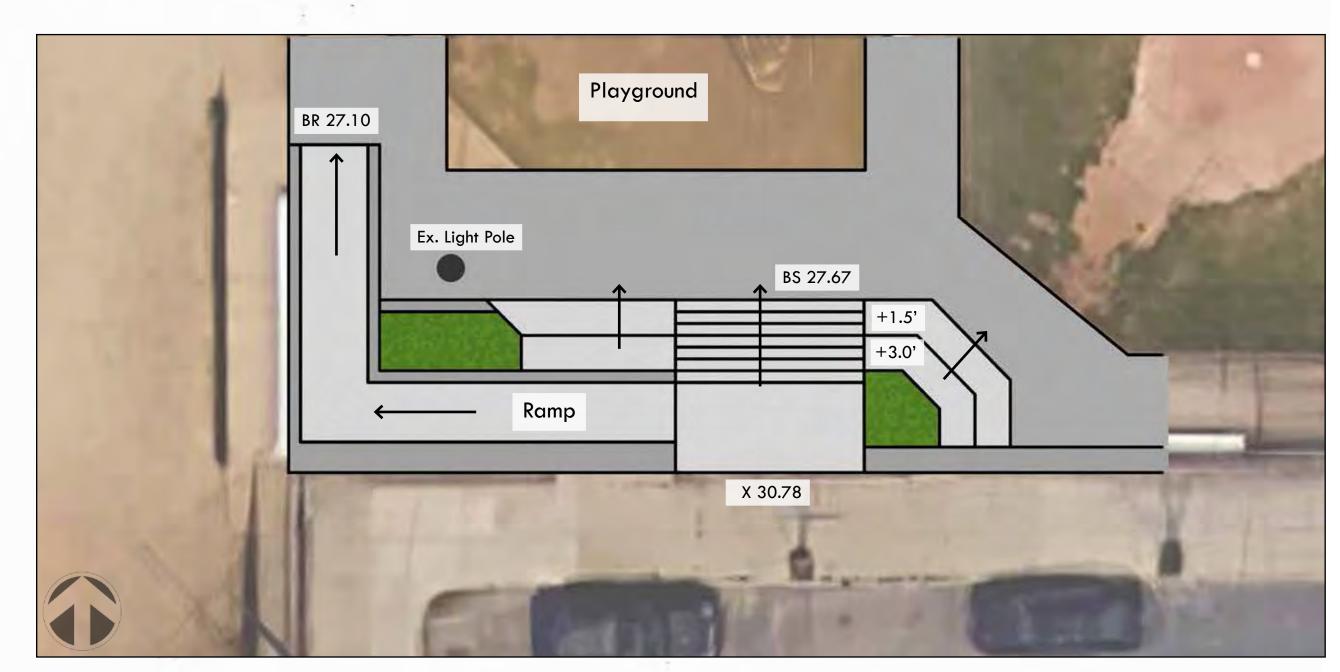


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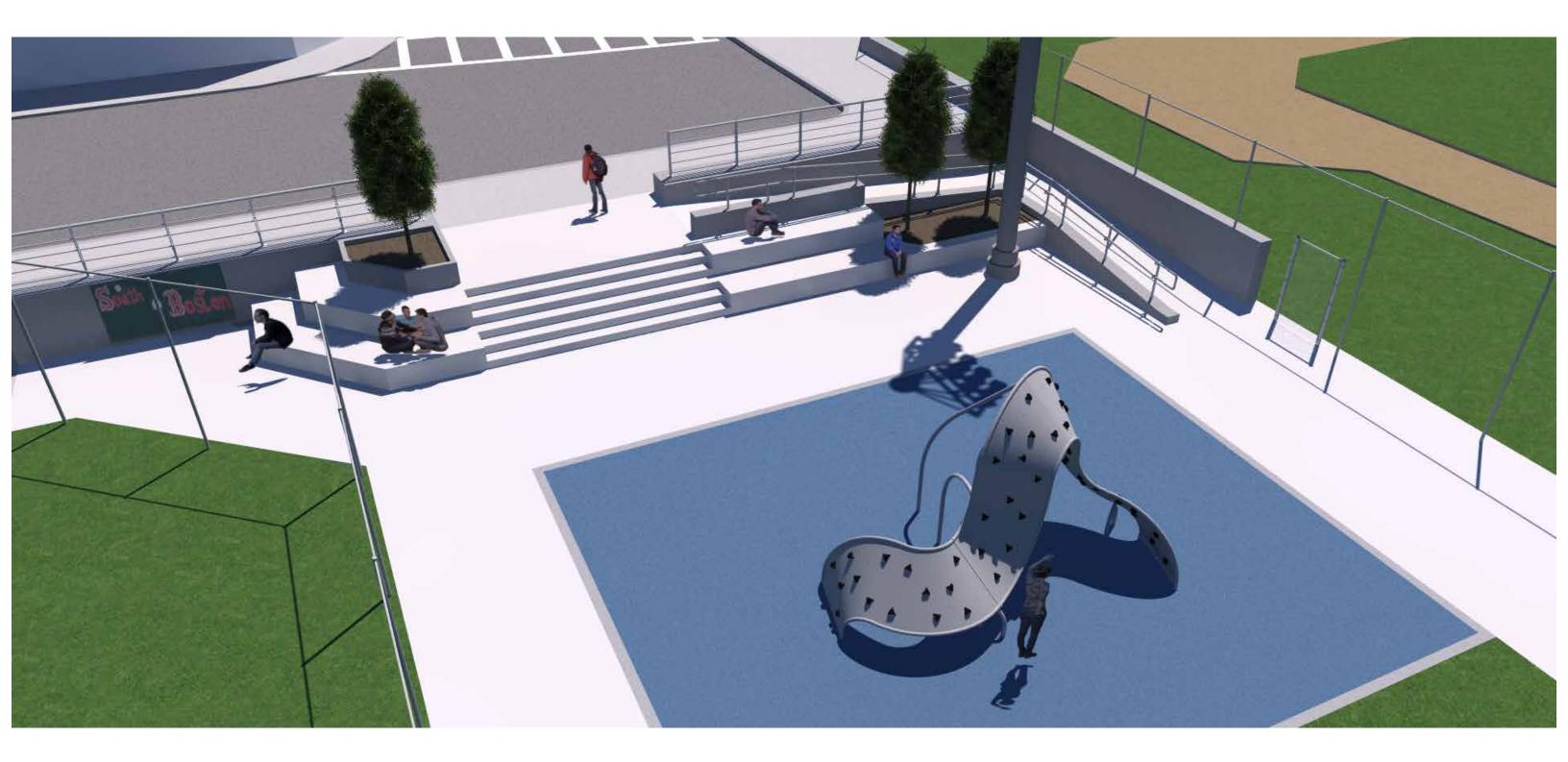
**Plan View** 

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#### Playground Equipment & Basketball Court





**Play Equipment + Surfacing** 

Full Depth Basketball Court

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**Playground Equipment** 



**Repair/Improve Existing Equipment** 

OR

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New play structure with rubber surfacing





**Project Timeline** 

**Spring - Construction Documents** 

**Summer - Begin Construction** 

**Fall - Construction** 

\* September - Memorial 35th Anniversary

2017 - Complete

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