

Peirce School

Playground Design

Community Meeting March 10, 2022



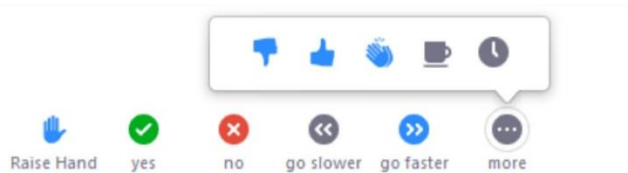


Zoom Tips

PRESENTATION:



PLEASE REMAIN MUTED



NON-VERBAL OPTIONS

CLICK ON PARTICIPANTS (BOTTOM OF SCREEN) AND THESE OPTIONS WILL POP UP IN A SIDE BAR

Q&A SESSION:



VIA PHONE

USE *9 TO RAISE HAND TO ASK QUESTIONS



VIA WEB

CHAT TO ASK QUESTIONS



RAISE HAND

FOR QUESTIONS/COMMENTS

PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL AND COURTEOUS OF ALL PARTICIPANTS WHEN ASKING QUESTIONS OR PROVIDING FEEDBACK SO ALL ATTENDEES ARE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING.



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Process

PROJECT GOAL

- START CONSTRUCTION THIS SUMMER INTO EARLY FALL
- TIMELINE DESIGNED WITH THIS GOAL
- EXPEDIENT DESIGN PROCESS

COMMUNITY INPUT

- ✓ SURVEY
- ✓ PUBLIC MEETING #1 FEB 17, 2022
- ✓ MEETING WITH STUDENTS AFTER VACATION
- SECOND PUBLIC DESIGN INPUT MEETING TO REVIEW FINAL DESIGN RECOMMENDATIONS MARCH 10th

TONIGHT'S MEETING

- BISHOP 6 PM, [PEIRCE 7 PM](#), STRATTON 8 PM



PLAYGROUND RENOVATION ONLY

- FOCUS ON PLAYGROUND RENOVATION ONLY
- ARPA (AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS) – ESTIMATING \$1.8 MILLION
- NOT A FULL PARK RENOVATION LIKE OTHER PARK COMMISSION PROJECTS
- KEEPING THIS FOCUS ALONG THE WAY WILL BE DIFFICULT TO DO!

DESIGN GUIDELINES

- REPLACEMENT OF PLAY EQUIPMENT AND SAFETY SURFACING
- FOCUS ON SCHOOL AGE-APPROPRIATE EQUIPMENT (5-12 AGES)
- DURABLE MATERIALS FOR HEAVY USE (PREFERENCE FOR METAL OVER WOOD STRUCTURES)

TONIGHT'S PRESENTATION

- FINAL DESIGN WALKTHROUGH AND FEEDBACK
- HOLD ALL QUESTIONS UNTIL THE END

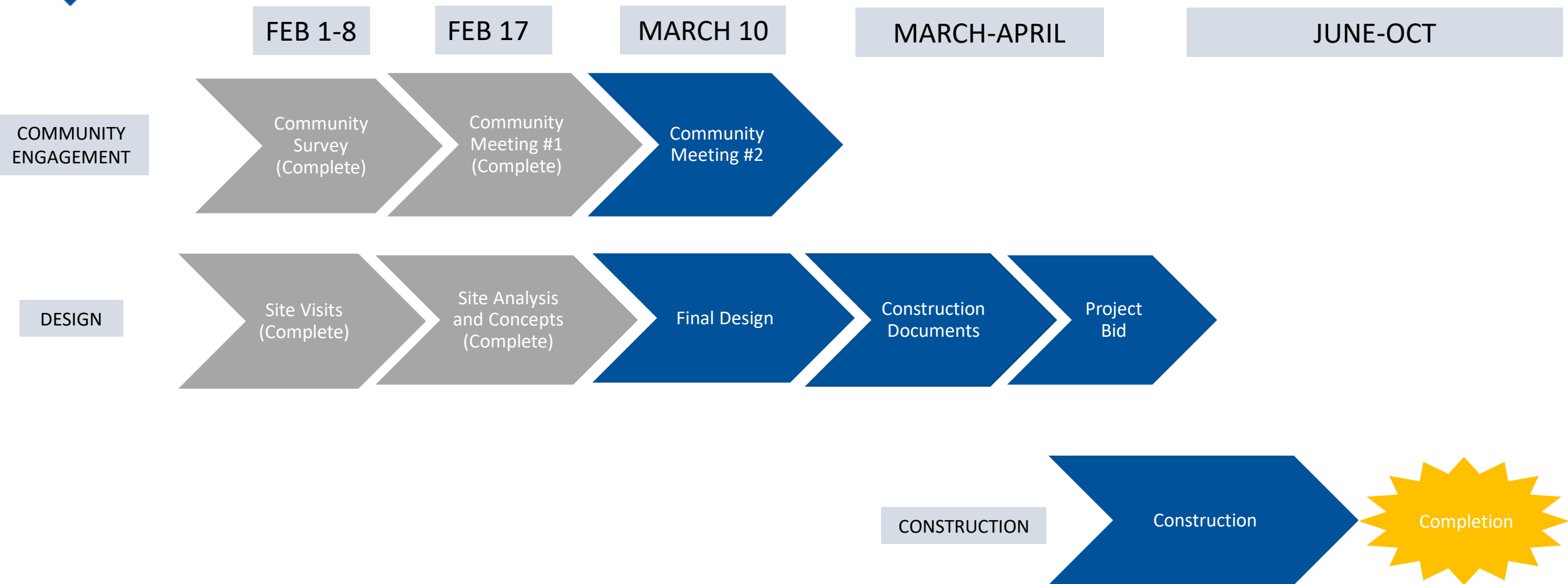


Agenda

1. PROJECT SCHEDULE/SCOPE
2. MEETING #1 RECAP
3. SCHOOL FEEDBACK
4. PROPOSED DESIGN
5. FEEDBACK
6. NEXT STEPS

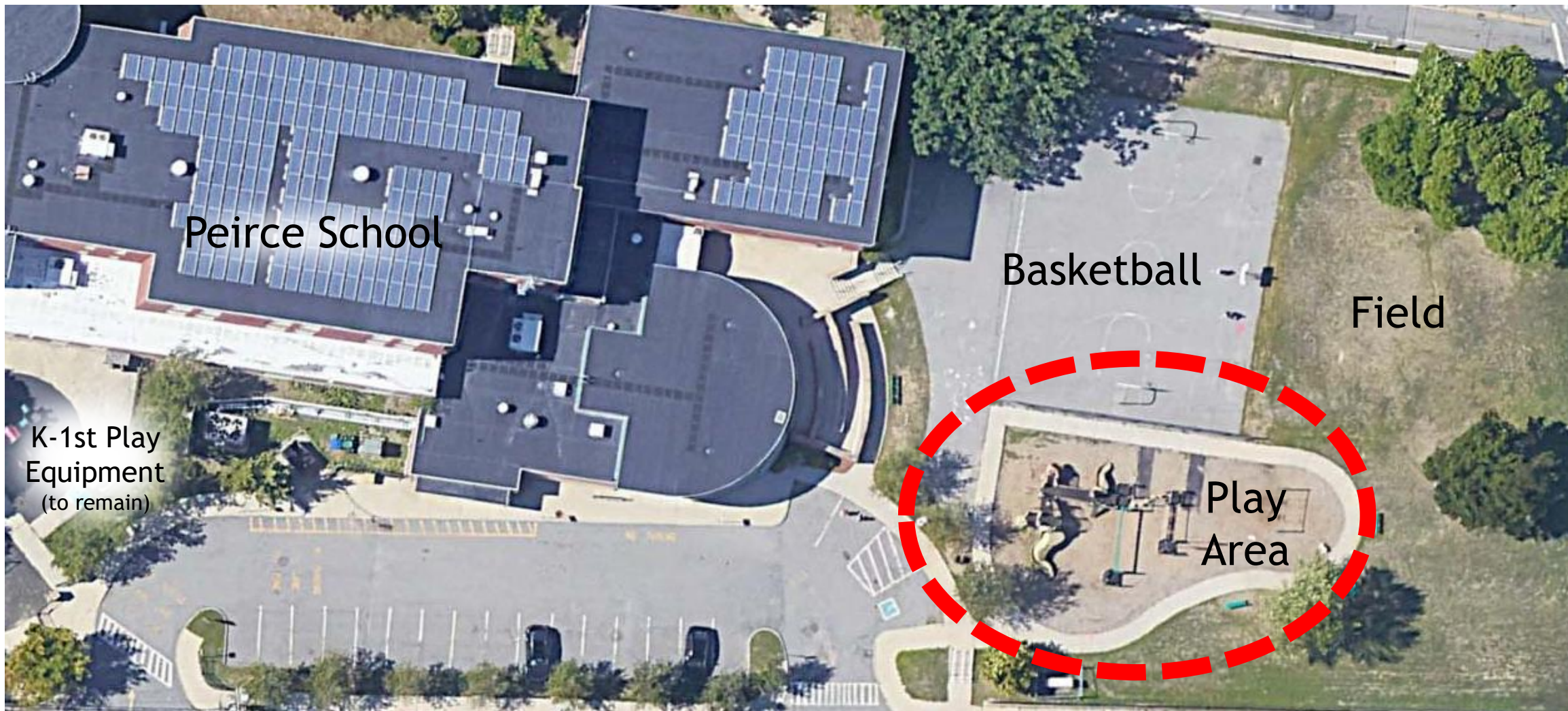


Project Schedule





Peirce Playground Renovation Scope





Community Meeting Play Structure Preference

✓ **CLEAR WINNER** (*Menti-meter*)



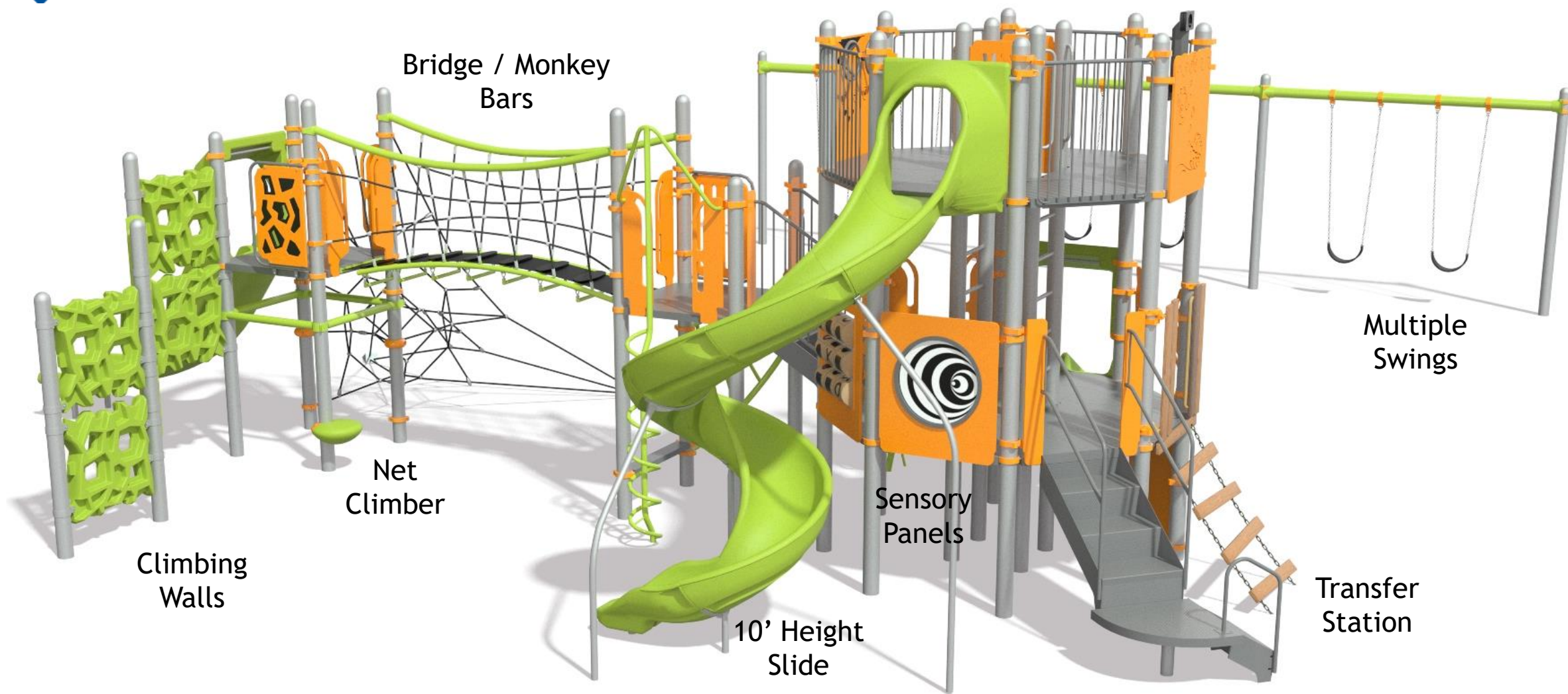


Student / Principal Feedback

- Keep a loop
- Keep the Basketball Court
- Keep as much asphalt as possible
- Like to see a group spinner
- Add shade/seating



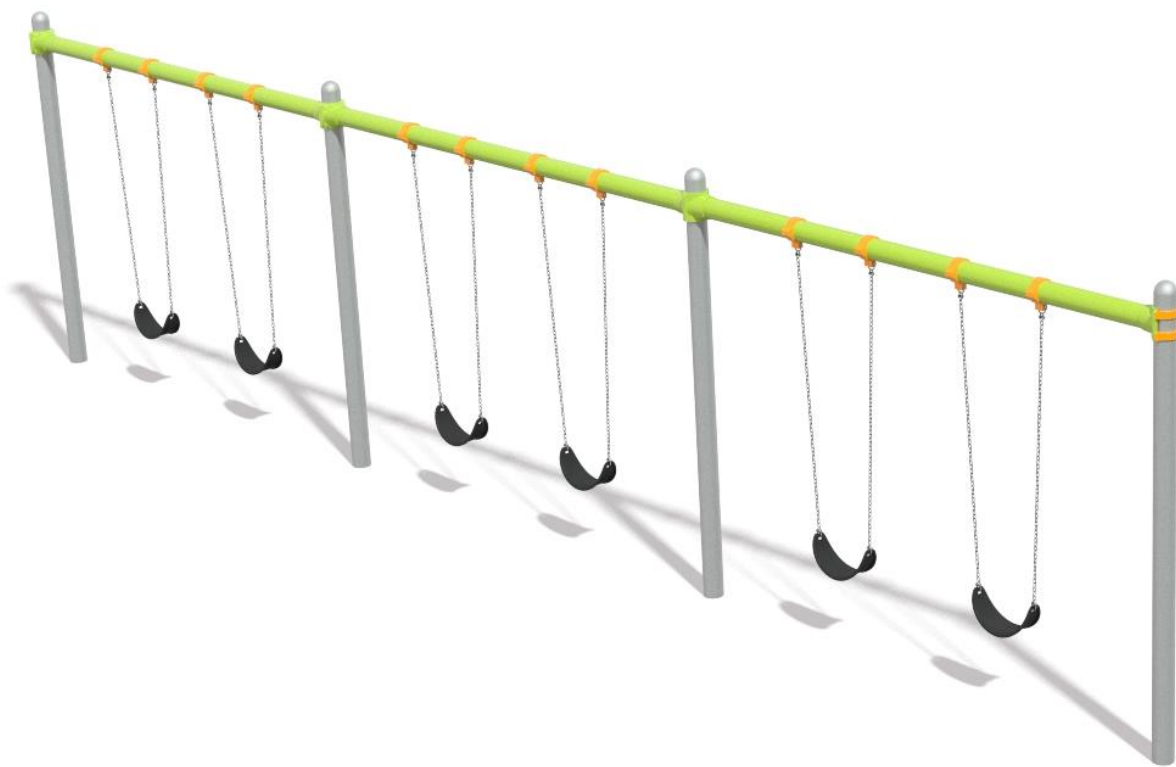
Peirce Playground Structure





Other Play Elements

6 BELT SWINGS

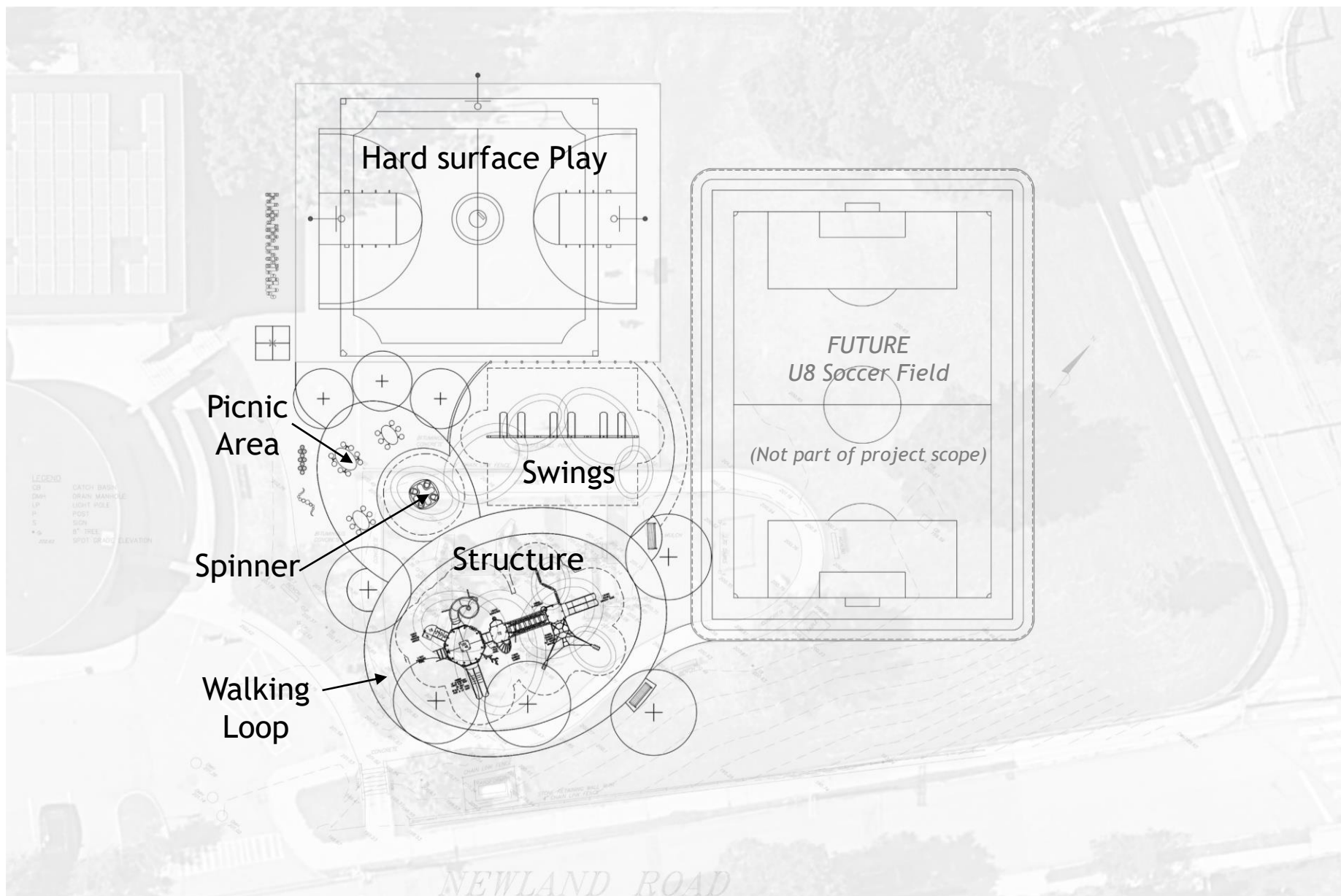


GROUP SINNER (ACCESSIBLE)





Proposed Design





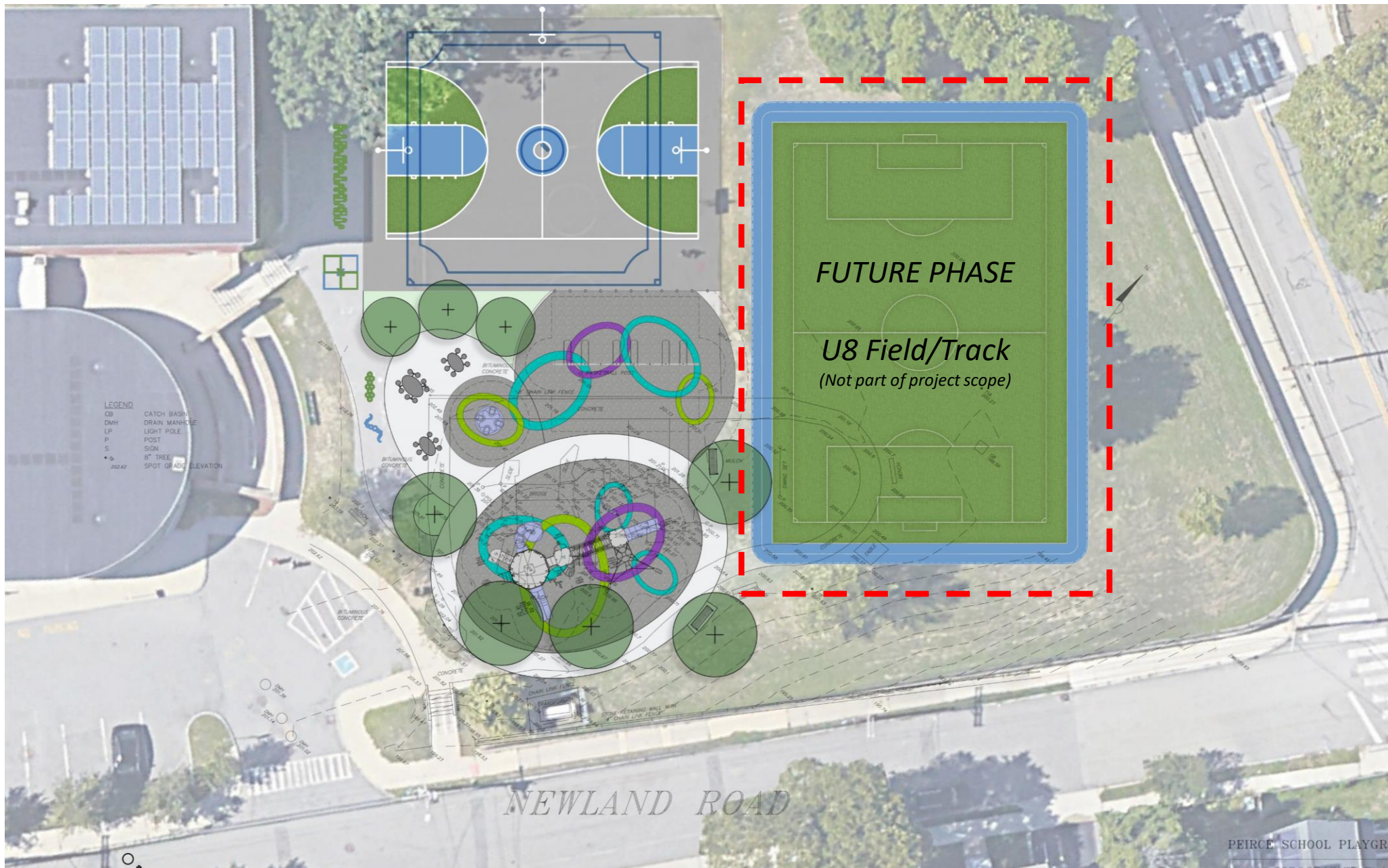
Proposed Design and Color Inspiration

Lighter fun colors (structure/surfacing) stay cooler in summer
Integrate shade and ornamental trees



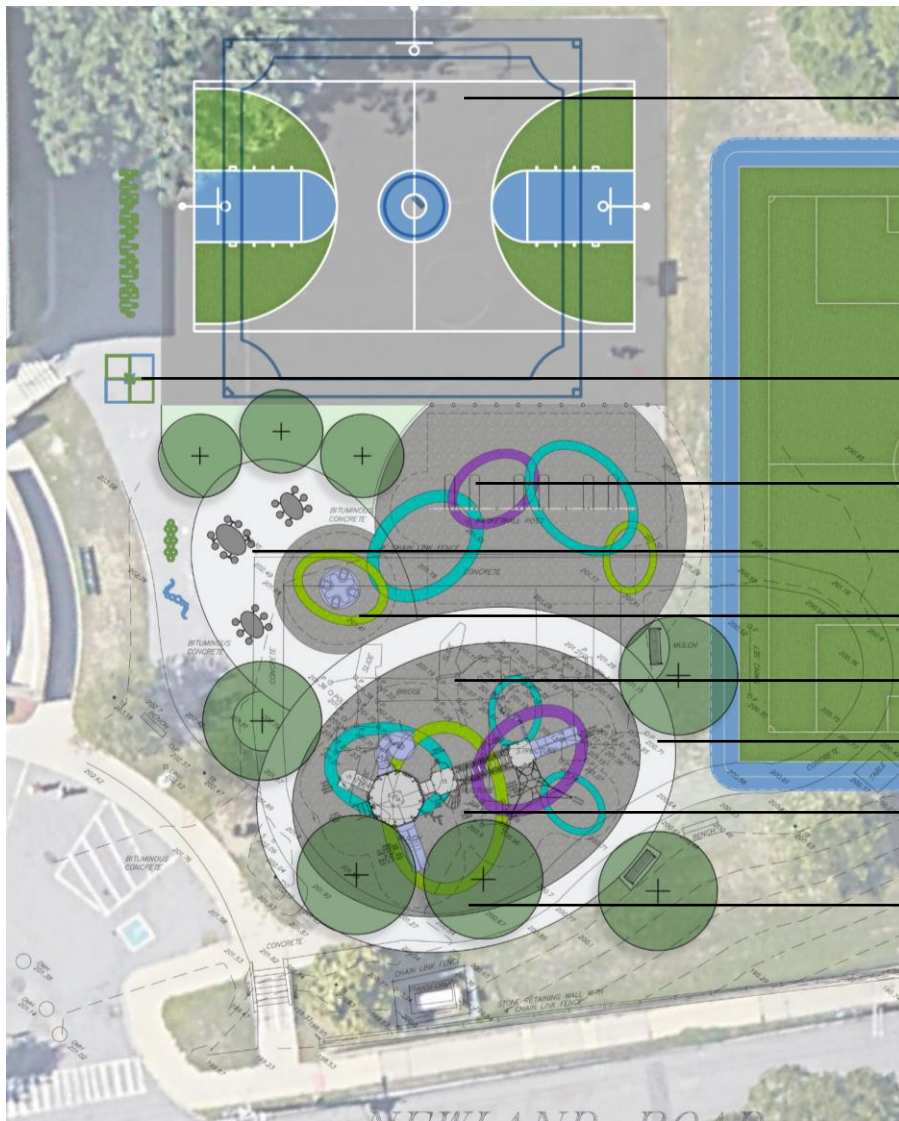


Rendered Design - "LOOP"





Rendered Design - "LOOP" Zoomed In



Basketball Court and Kickball

FUTURE PHASE - U8 Field/Track

Pavement Play/Learning Games

Swings

Picnic Tables

Group Spinner

Safety Rubber Surfacing

Walking Loop

Main Structure

Shade Trees

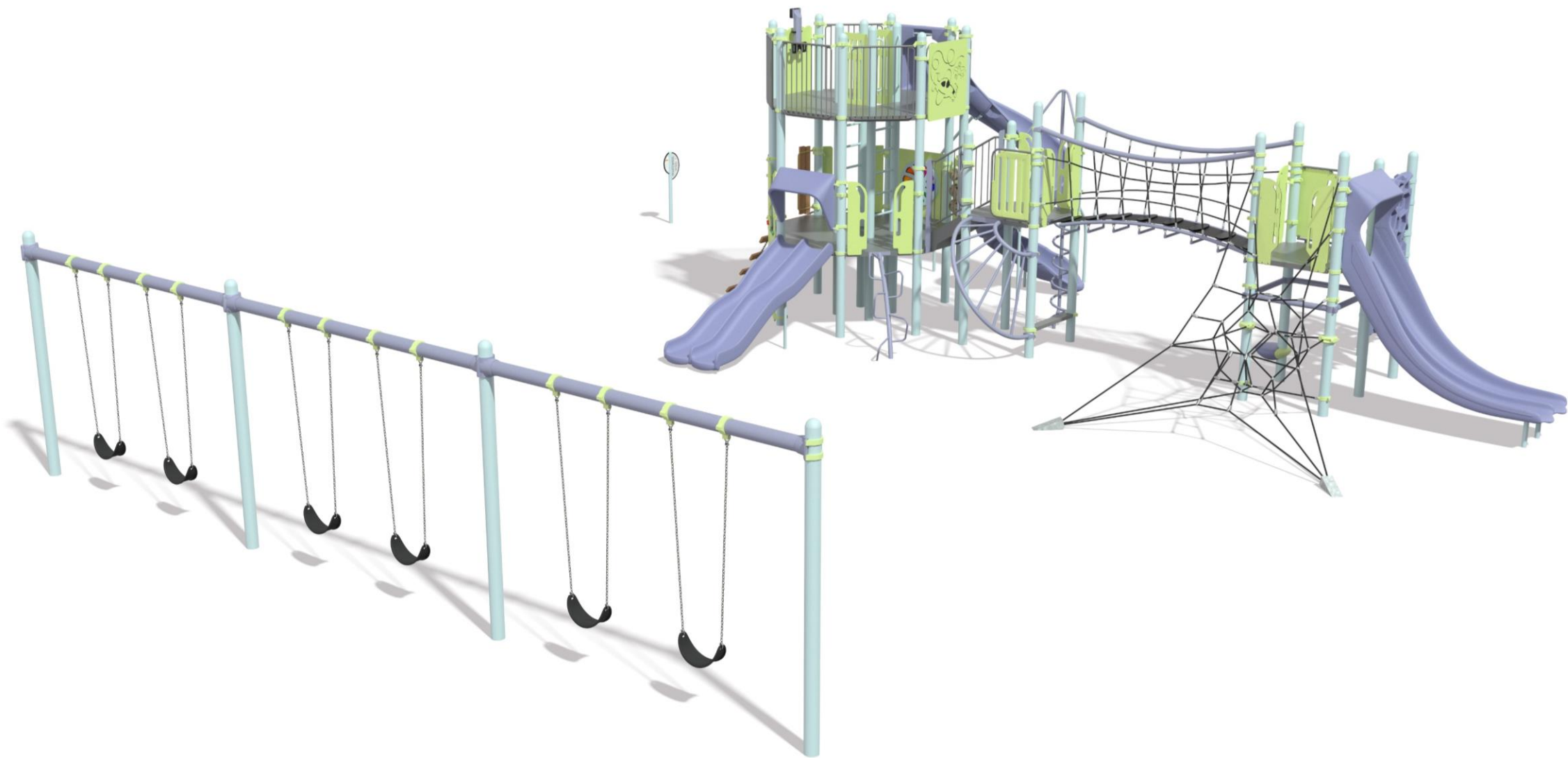


Peirce Playground Structure Colors



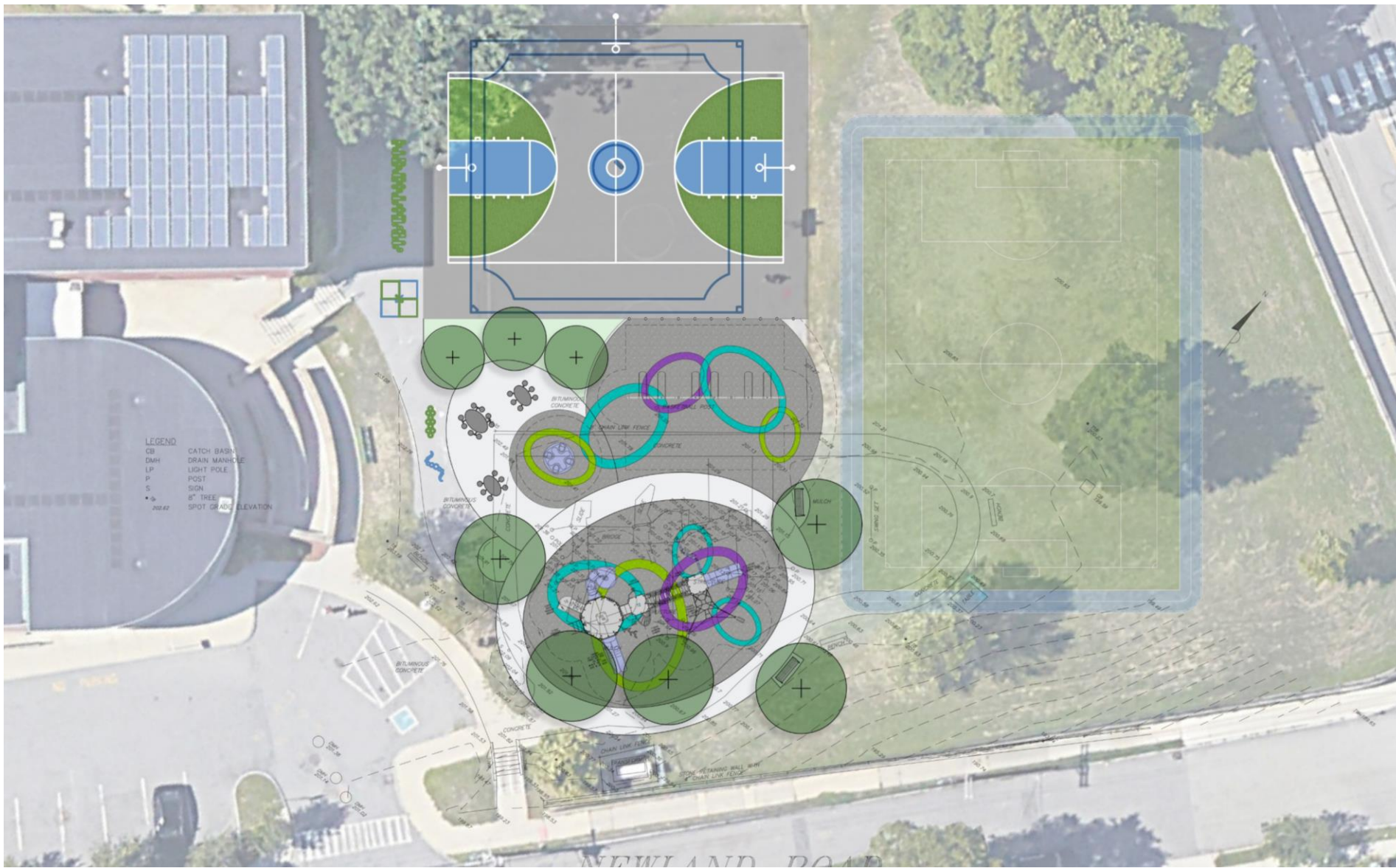


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Feedback / Questions





Next Steps

- Final Cost Estimates and Adjustments to Proposed Design
- Final Design Published On Town Website
- Construction Documents and BID Set
- Summer Construction
- Project Completion