



Aerial view, existing



Existing plan



Recap – Public Consultation 1 & 2

Hidden Park



Mud Creek (1878)



Mud Creek (1909)



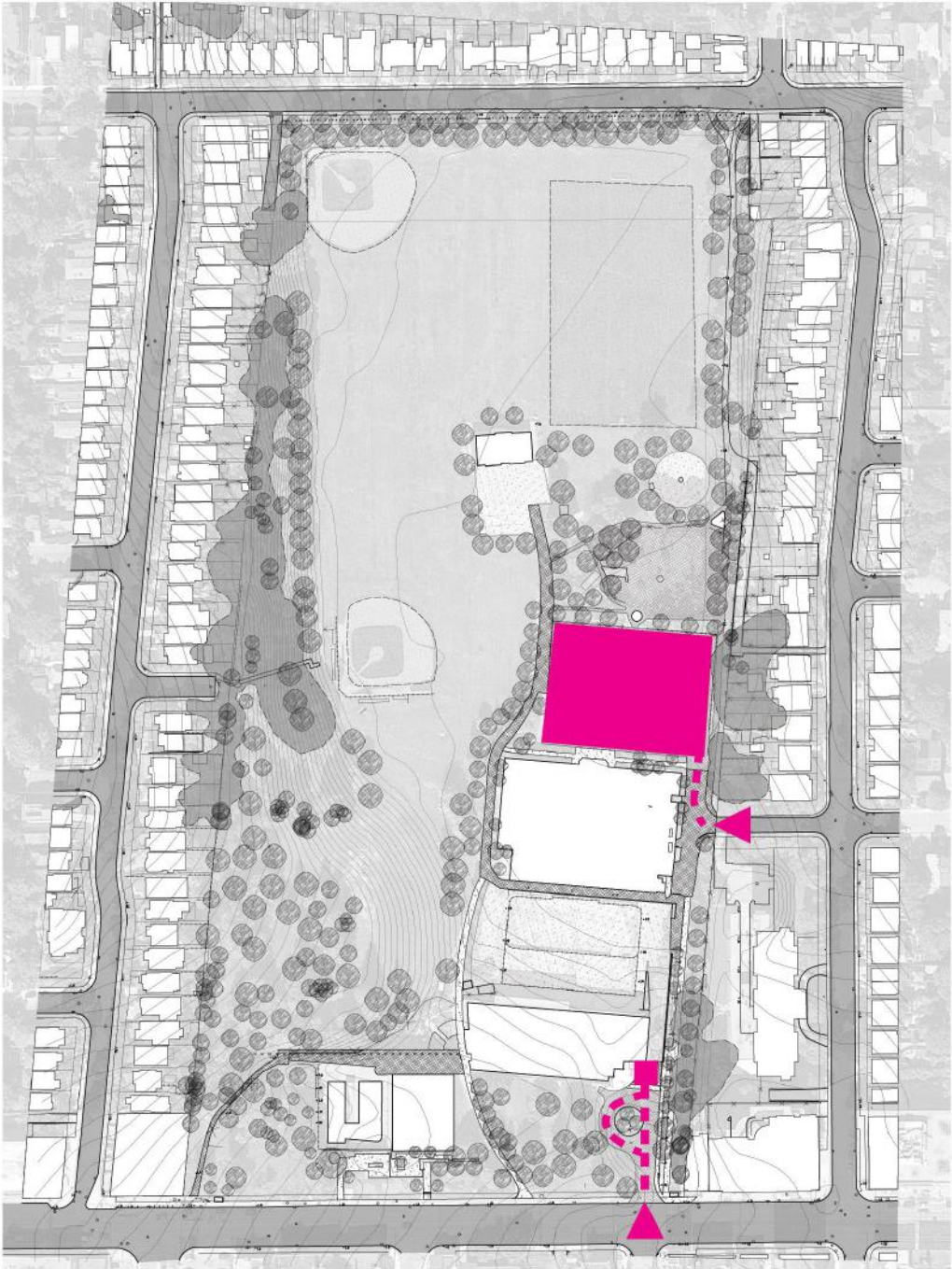
Green Enclosure



**Building Entrances &
Pedestrian Access**



Vehicular Access



Winter Use



Underused Areas



KEY OBJECTIVES

- **Active Recreation**
Soccer fields, baseball diamond, cycle path, trail loop, dog park, winter recreational activities
- **Passive Recreation**
Reading, sunbathing, quiet areas, winter uses
- **Social & Cultural Activities / Places to Gather**
Performance space / amphitheatre, fire pit, public art, history narrative
- **Park Improvements**
Pathways, tree planting, planting beds, benches, community garden, coffee vendor
- **Borders / Organization**
Improve circulation, frontages and entrances



EGLINTON PARK MASTER PLAN ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

*A revised planter scattered throughout park
is one designated garden area*

DESIGN ELEMENT PRIORITY

- ① DOG PARK (small, properly located, 40m x 40m)
- ② Establish path system (Accessible, permeable paving)
- maintain better in winter. Pathway lighting (low level (minimal))
- ③ ADDITIONAL TREE COVER
- ④ INVASIVE SPECIES CONTROL (WEST BANK)
- ⑤ Amphitheatre westbank, (Low priority)
Buffer westside with caliper tree planting (min 60mm)
- ⑥ Enhance local biodiversity values, increase native tree, shade, groundcover. Remove turfgrass. Mulch existing trees with shredded pine bark mulch (75mm depth) to maximum extent or 3m minimum.
- ⑦ Bubble over hockey + tennis courts.

Table #1

Transparencies

- Kept baseball diamond on Roselawn Avenue; eliminated interior diamond
- Kept soccer field in place; mini soccer fields on top of baseball diamond
- Performance Space at foot of slope opposite Arena / adjacent interior baseball diamond
- Sledding on slope opposite outdoor rink
- Public Art at southwest corner of park on Eglinton Avenue
- Reading a book at top of hill at southwest corner

Paper

- Plantings at southeast corner in front of Community Centre entrance
- Dog park at base of staircase on top of interior baseball diamond. Plant trees all around.
- Plantings to the west of the playground
- Coffee vendor at paved area south of Field House
- Benches: top of hill, along nature trail, along paved cycle route, along Roselawn Ave

Linear

- Re-establish perimeter trail
- Connect base of staircase with paving to centre path
- New path from Pool / Memorial Gardens to Community Centre Entrance

Comments on stickies

1. Preserve trees
2. Better tennis surface
3. Improve pedestrian access (north side of Orchard View Blvd)
4. Provide pavement (north half of east path)
5. Isolate noise (of dog park) with new trees
6. Invasive species control
7. Manage trees
8. Entrance stairs

Additional comment sheet - see scan to the left

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- Additional tree cover
- Invasive species control (west bank)
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- Enhance local biodiversity values, increase native tree, shade, groundcover. Remove turfgrass. Mulch existing trees with shredded pine bark mulch (75mm depth) to maximum extent or 3m minimum.
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#1 – The park needs a pathway / trail system of its own

- create a multi-purpose year-round perimeter trail connecting to all park entrances
- provide accessible paved walking paths within park that make a loop
- provide diagonal paths that cross at the central area
- connect buildings with activity spaces and park entrances
- provide a separated pedestrian / cyclist path on east side; consider elevating above Orchard View entrance
- provide a trail through the woodlands on the west side; integrate trail with west staircase
- consider permeable and ecologically sensitive paving materials

#2 – The park should be more visible at Eglinton Avenue

- regrade lawn to open onto street, or
- rethink grades with stepped seating / amphitheatre
- reconsider veteran's memorial gardens
- provide plantings, benches, tables, lighting to activate space & visual cue for the park on Eglinton
- consider a coffee vendor in this location
- potential for public art, farmer's market

#3 – Dog park

- interior location on existing baseball diamond is preferred; this is the current area where dogs run
- southwestern location on Eglinton Ave is acceptable, but safety concerns with dogs running onto street.
- provide fencing and lighting for safety; provide seating all around
- plant trees as a buffer
- locate entrance corral away from playground
- keep existing dog fountain

#4 – One baseball diamond with extended play hours

- general preference north location on Roselawn
- provide fencing to keep ballplay inside
- lighting for evening play & shoulder season
- incorporate seating for spectators
- consider multipurpose use of diamond when not in play, ie. outdoor movies

#5 – Keep soccer field in the same place

- provide benches or seating for spectators, at goalposts or along east path

#6 – How did basketball get overlooked?

- strong support for outdoor basketball court(s)
- consider upgrading existing paved areas for basketball, ie. field house
- consider underused paved area between arena and community centre
- consider sharing parking lot (time of use)

#7 – Performance / gathering area

- no objection to performance area
- preference for interior location at base of hill or near field house
- consider multi-purpose use as seating for baseball diamond or mini soccer fields
- consider natural amphitheatre for defining edge along Roselawn or northwest entrance
- consider utilizing hill for natural amphitheatre

#8 – Provide more seating

- benches / seating requested at dog park, soccer field, baseball diamond, playground
- seating along paths - east ped / cycle path, perimeter trail, west staircase
- provide benches along Eglinton Ave & Roselawn Ave

#9 – Improve Parking

- Improve surface to be permeable; plant more trees
- consider multiple uses, ie. basketball courts, food vendor, music / entertainment
- consider reclaiming for valuable park space
- generally perceived as not desirable from a park point of view
- consider moving parking underground; connect with community centre parking

#10 – Keep hilltop as quiet area

- build on arboretum quality; plant native vegetation & control invasive species
- contemplative activities, ie. reading
- best views of park from hilltop

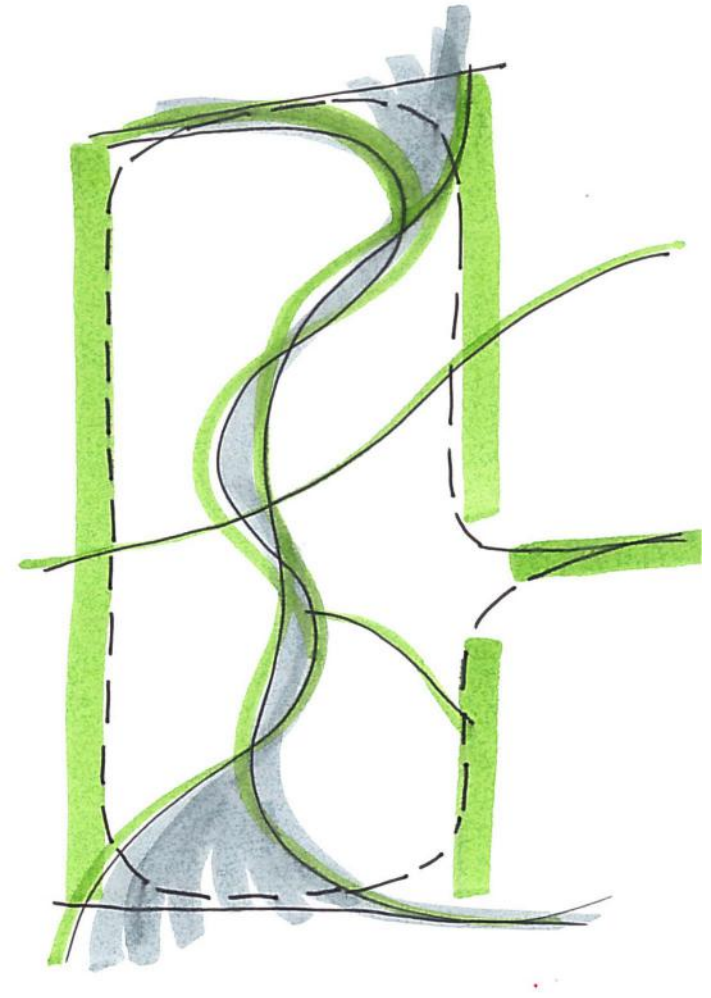
#11 – Improve and enhance park entrances

- improve visibility and access of existing park entrances, upgrade paving, signage, lighting & plantings
- consider steel for west staircase
- redesign vehicular / pedestrian / cyclist circulation at Orchard View Blvd

Master Plan Concept Options



Preferred option: The Mud Creek Spine



Preferred Option



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Diagrams



Circulation and
perimeter circuit



Gathering

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Planters with benches



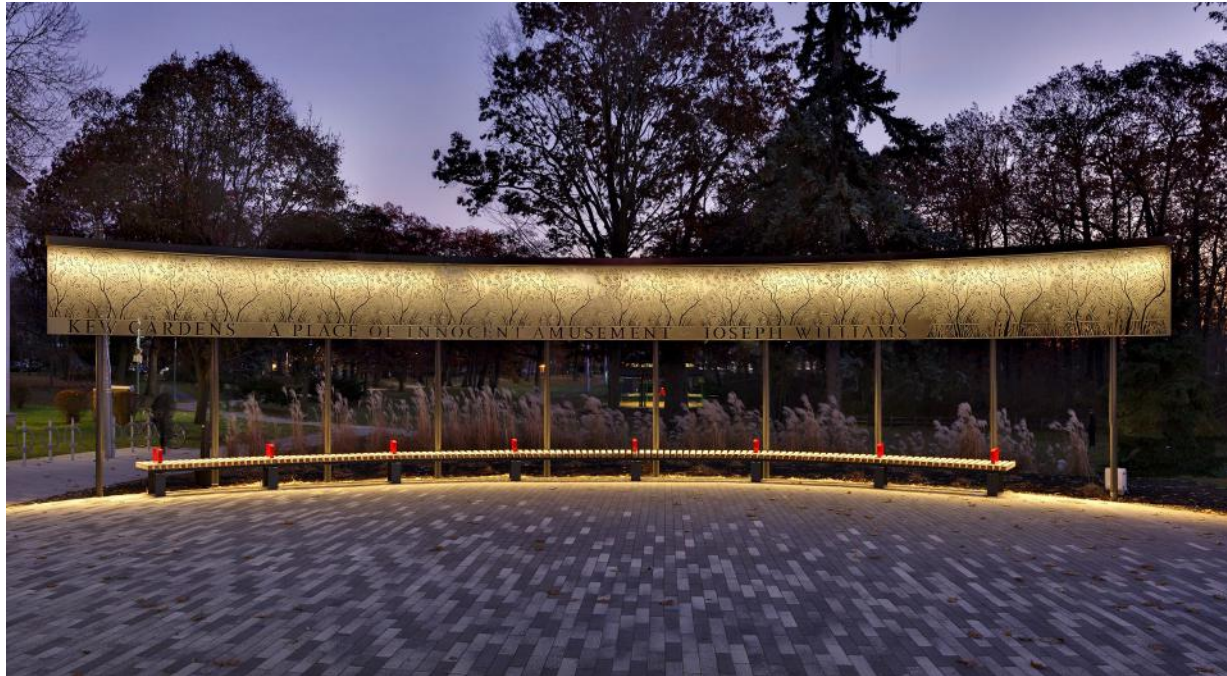
Continuous curved benches at entry plaza
(Eglinton Avenue)



Water feature (streetscape)



Park Signage



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Paving



Heritage & Community Gardens



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Skateboard stop



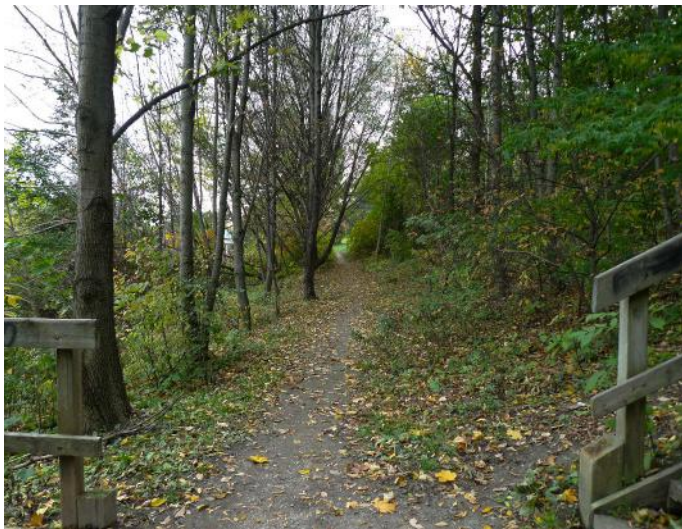
Stepped seating & planting



Painted athletic courts with seating



Pathways, staircase and exercise circuits



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Water Play



Activities in park centre



Dog Off-Leash Area (DOLA)



Pergola / Shade Structure / Trellis



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Expanded Streetscape
(Roselawn Avenue)



Grassy berm +
Retaining wall with bench



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What is your preferred priority area?



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