Six Points Community Advisory Committee Meeting #1

June 14, 6:30 – 8 PM



New and expanded parks (approximate boundaries)



Thank you for being here!



I'd like to begin by honouring the land that I'm on. If you are not currently in Toronto, I encourage you to learn about the lands you're on.

We acknowledge the land we are meeting on is the traditional territory of many nations including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples. We also acknowledge that Toronto is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit.





The City of Toronto acknowledges all Treaty peoples – including those who came here as settlers – as migrants either in this generation or in generations past - and those of us who came here involuntarily, particularly those brought to these lands as a result of the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade and Slavery. We pay tribute to those ancestors of African origin and descent.





Round of Introductions



Project background & "What We Heard"



PLANT Architect Project precedents and more about PLANT



Discussion



Next steps and adjourn at 8:00 p.m.



Project Team

City of
Toronto
Parks,
Forestry and
Recreation

Lara Herald – Senior Project Coordinator - Parks, Forestry and Recreation
Eli Bawuah – Senior Consultation Coordinator - Parks, Forestry and Recreation
Michael Bromley – Park Supervisor - Parks, Forestry and Recreation
Wayne Robinson – Community Development Officer, South Etobicoke Cluster

Design
Consultant
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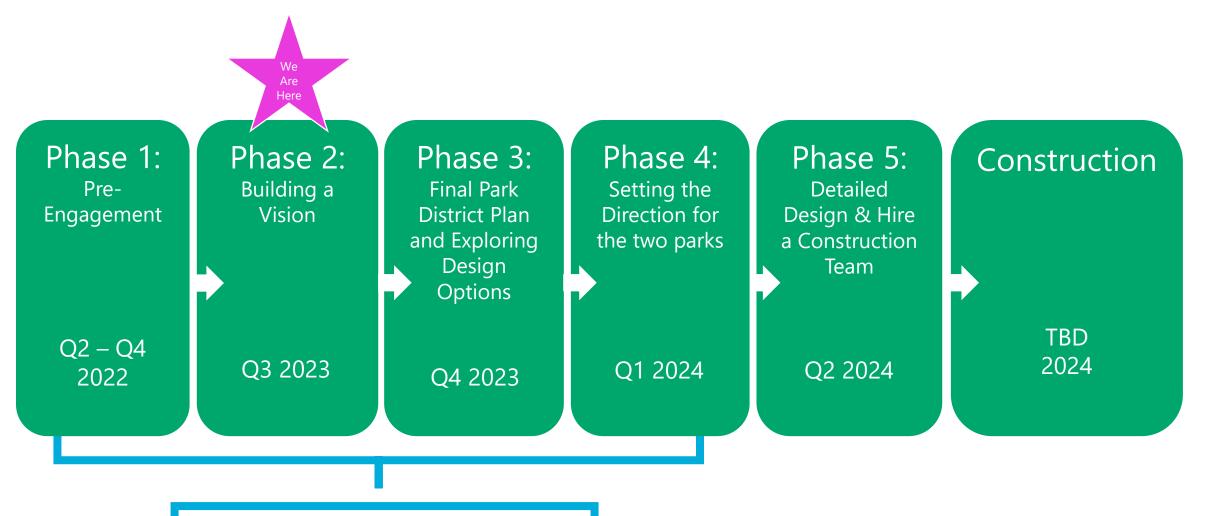
Mary Tremain – Engagement Lead, Senior Landscape Architect
Eric Klaver – LA Design Lead, Senior Landscape Architect
Margot Shafran – Landscape Architect/Project Manager
Tanya Pande – Landscape Designer

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Project Background



Project Timeline



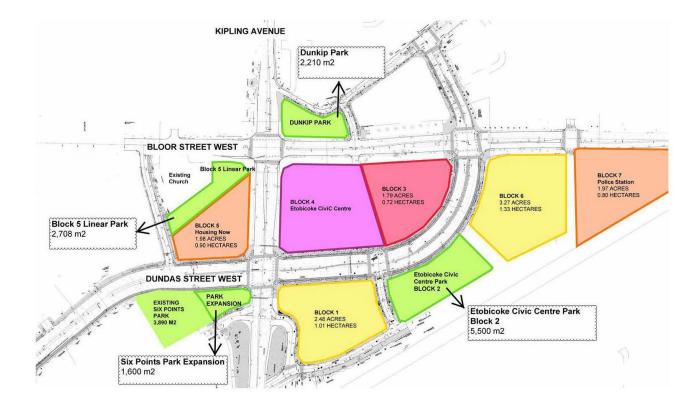
Community Engagement



Timelines are subject to change.

Project History

- The new parks are a result of the recentlycompleted Six Points Interchange Reconfiguration project which realigned several roads, including Kipling Avenue, Bloor Street West and Dundas Street West.
- The road reconfiguration has created four new park sites and several new development areas.
- The parks will surround the new Etobicoke Civic Centre and Civic Plaza.
- This project will focus on a Park District Plan and development of Six Points Expansion and Dunkip parks; Block 2 (Etobicoke Centre Park) will be a separate project.
- Funding sources include development charges as well as Section 37, 42 and 45 funds







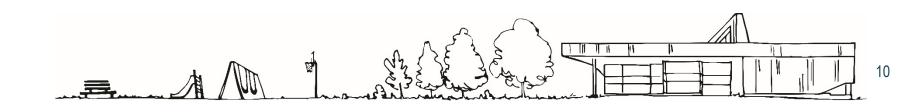
Project History

2022 to first half of 2023

Parks, Forestry and Recreation:

- Pre-Engagement
 - ThoughtExchange
 - Online Survey
 - Community Inquiries
- Completed background reports
- Hired a Landscape Architect
- Beginning site investigation and analysis





Existing Conditions

• Dunkip

- One mature tree
- Open lawn area
- Site is irregular shape
- Paved entrances
- Catch basin
- Adjacent to Kipling transit stop



- Six Points Expansion
 - One mature tree
 - Open lawn area
 - Site is triangular shape
 - Gentle slope from north to south
 - Electrical pole and catch basin
 - Adjacent to existing Six Points Park



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We are PLANT



Design Team

Landscape Architect: PLANT Architect Inc. Arborist: Urban Forest Associates Civil Engineer: Aplin Martin Lighting Designer + Electrical Engineer: Crossey Engineering Mechanical Engineer: Crossey Engineering Ltd. Structural Engineer: Engineering Link Irrigation Design: Creative Irrigation Solutions Inc. Cost Consultant: Marshall & Murray Inc.



Kew Gardens The Beaches, Toronto





Alexandra Park Waterloo







iberty Village, Toronto Parkettes





ThoughtExchange

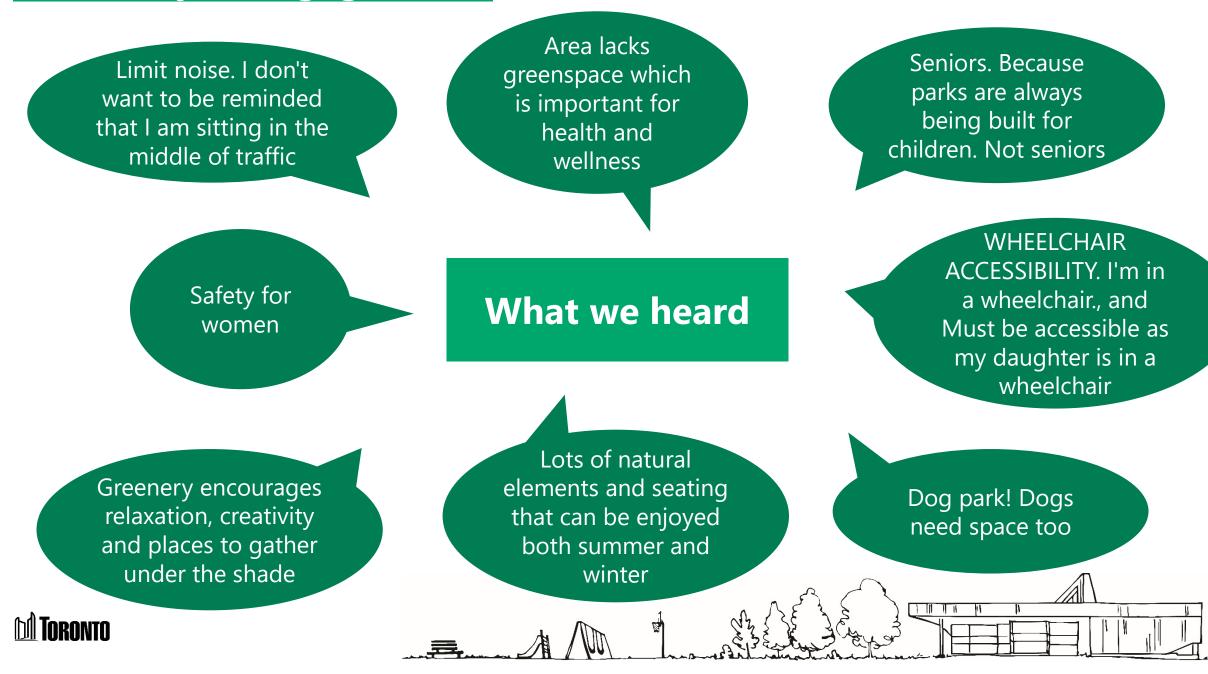
- A ThoughtExchange was available from June 15th to July 1st, 2022
 - ParticipantsThoughtsRatingsRatings ratio ()1,6611,38348,32135

Online Survey

• An Online Survey was available from November 4th to 18th, 2022



Summary of Engagement



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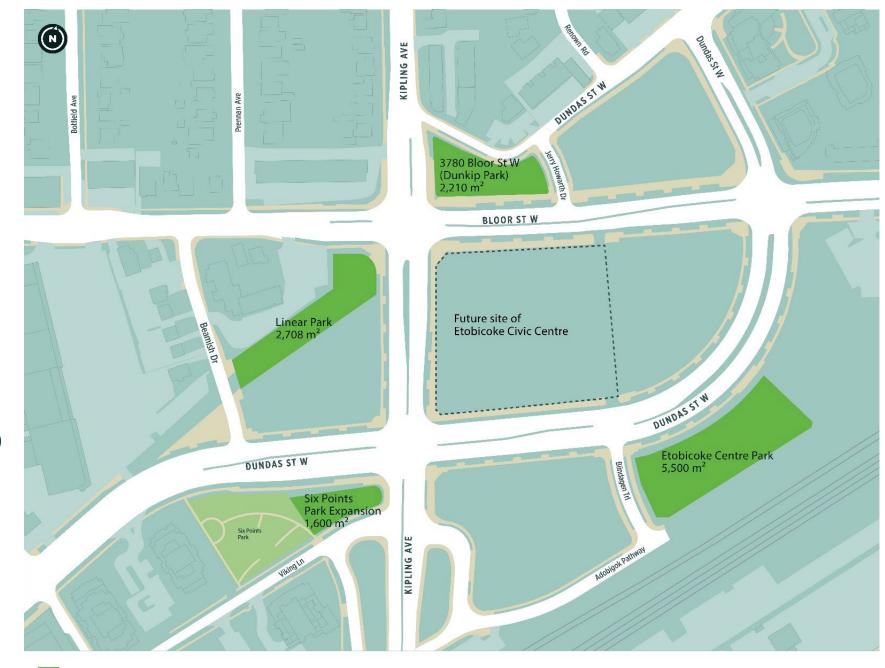


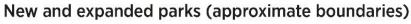
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Discussion

1. How would you describe your vision for one or all three of the parks (Dunkip, Six **Points Expansion** and/or Etobicoke Centre Park) in 1 to 2 sentences?









- Please send additional ideas, comments, or suggestions to <u>Elijah.Bawuah@Toronto.ca</u>
- Staff will compile a written summary of the meeting and post on the project website.
- Please complete the ToR forms and submit back to Eli at Elijah.Bawuah@toronto.ca





