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CENTER
PLAYGROUND RENOVATION
COMMUNITY MEETING
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Steep slopes



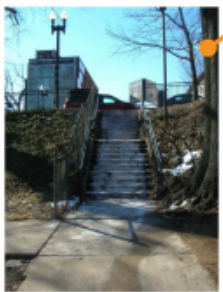
Existing memorial



Existing xylophone



Erosion at cut-thru



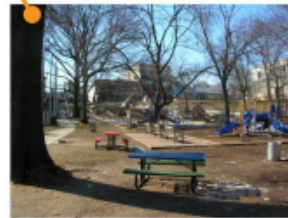
Steps to Wisconsin



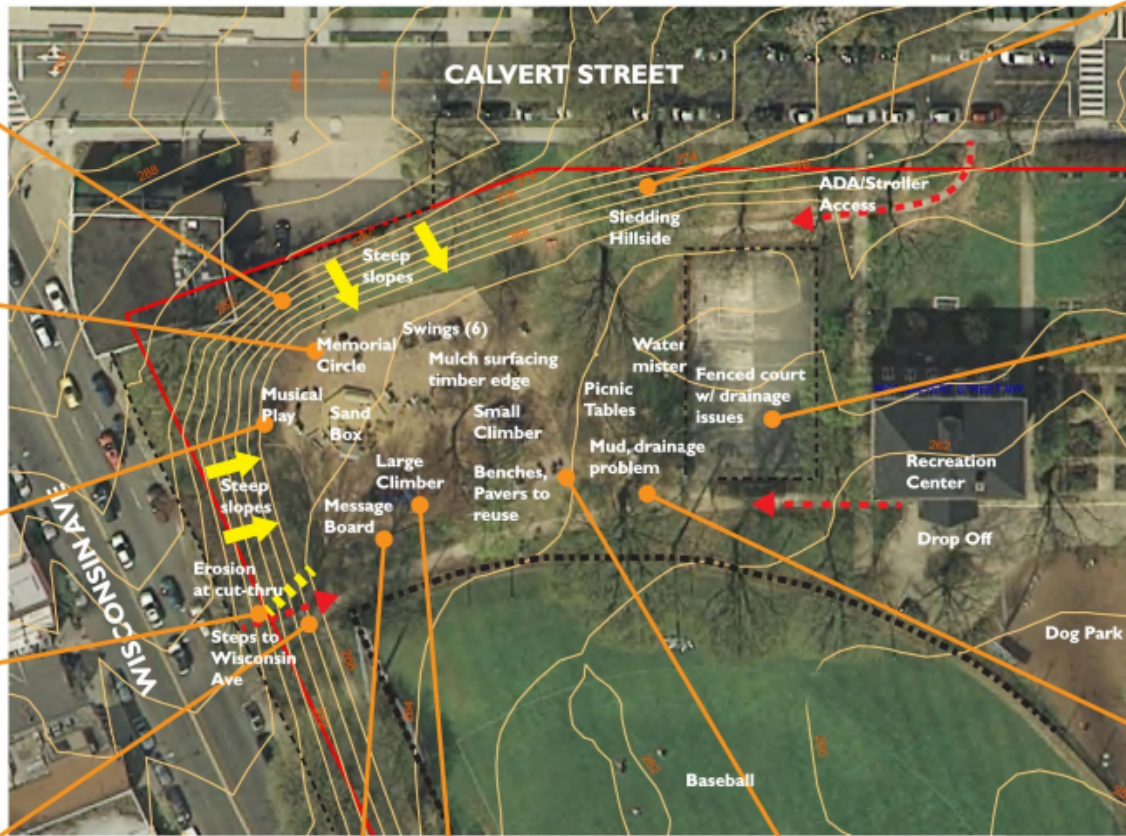
Message Board



Large climber w/mulch surfacing



Large caliper trees
Benches, pavers to be reused



Sledding hillside



Fenced court with drainage issues



Mud, drainage issues

SITE ANALYSIS



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Play incorporated into hillside



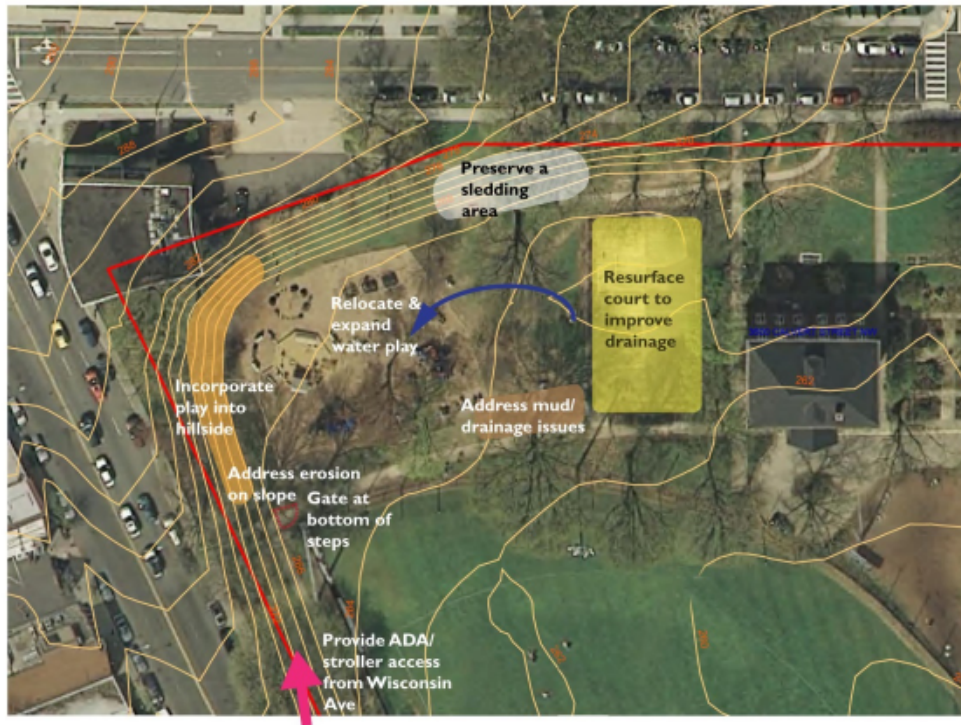
Water play



Sand Play



Music play



Standard and bucket swings



Green roof pavillion



Informal synthetic turf play area

- Preserve large caliper trees in good health
- Relocate (3) small trees to accomodate improved circulation and play spaces
- Preserve Memorial Circle, replace aged wood components & bring surfacing to current safety standards
- Preserve/relocate benches and pavers
- Preserve/relocate message board
- Preserve/relocate xylophone
- Pavillion with green roof
- Performance area
- Unique & interactive play
- Bucket and standard swings
- Water play
- Sand play
- Music play

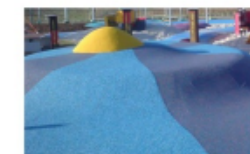
Safety surfacing



EZ Fall Tiles



Softile



Pebbleflex



Synthetic Turf

COMMON ELEMENTS TO ALL CONCEPTS

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**Concept Sketch:
View from
Wisconsin Avenue**



**Ropes Course to
observation deck
and embankment slides**



Amphitheatre



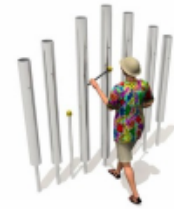
"Orbit" structures



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Space climber



"Deep Space" Chimes



Water Play



**Constellation map
of the Summer Sky**



**Observation Deck
with Viewfinders**



**Constellation
Chalk Wall**



Constellations as play mounds



**SUMMER TRIANGLE
OBSERVE & EXPLORE**

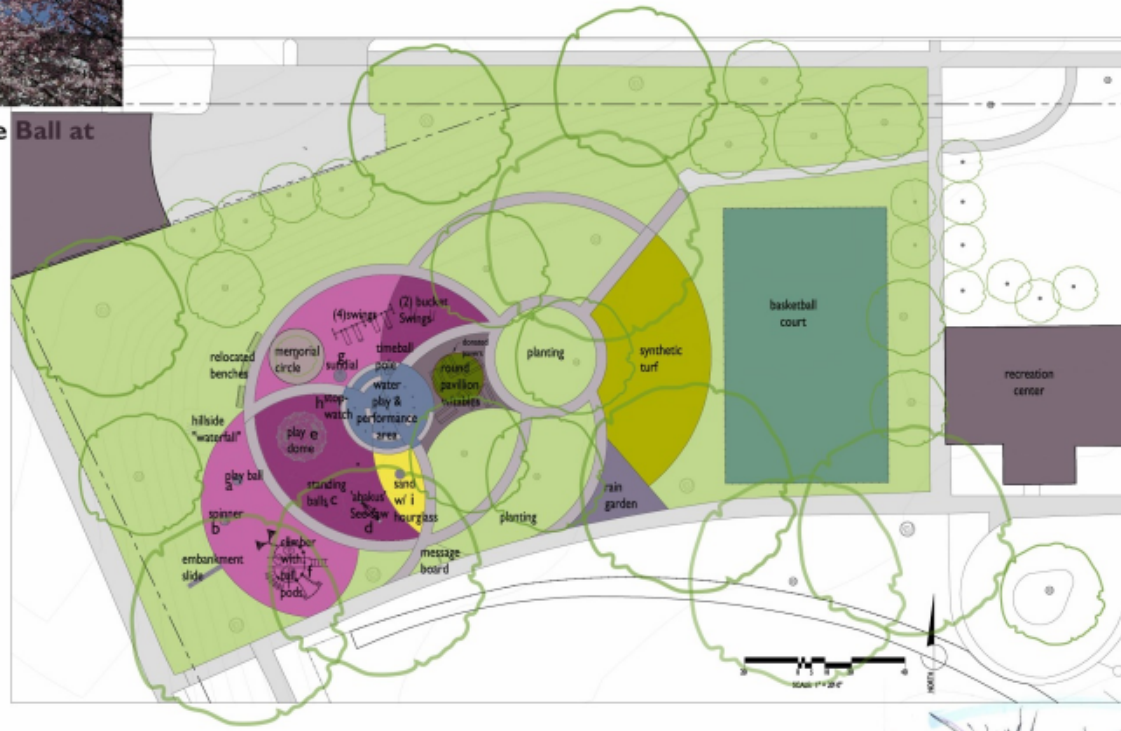
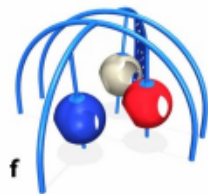
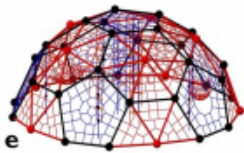
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Chronometer and Time Ball at Naval Observatory

Sphere and ball themed play elements



Time related play elements



Concept Sketch: View from existing walkway



CHRONOMETER

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ANIMAL HOME PLAY ELEMENTS



Ant farm



Caves



Webs



Nest



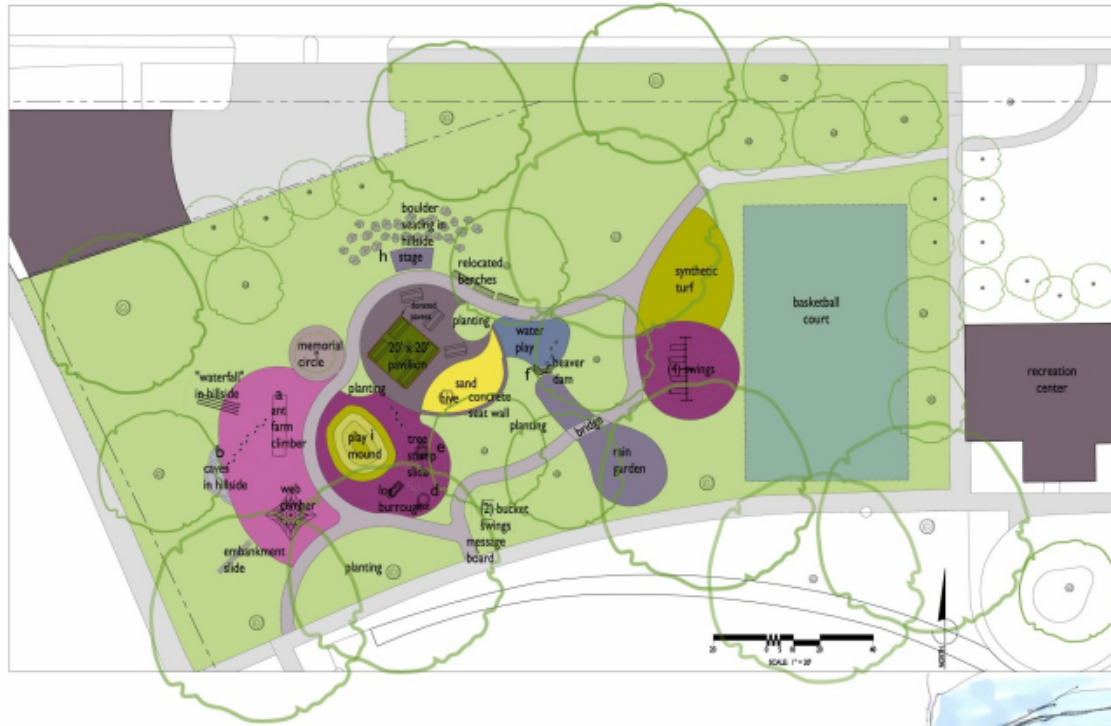
Hive



Snag



Dam



Animal tracks in surfacing, leading to their home



Hillside performance area



Play mound



Concept Sketch: View from walkway



HILLS & HOUSES

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