



# Vilas Park Master Plan

Resident Resource Group/  
Community Partner Advisory Group  
Meeting #3  
April 22, 2020



# PROJECT TIMELINE

## Vilas Park Master Plan: Phase II



December 2020

Site Analysis information compiled for master plan report and upcoming meetings; park use observations continue

February 2020

Youth Workshop, Focus Groups, Community Partners, Resident Resource Group & Interagency Staff meetings to review public comment



Spring 2020

Public Meeting to review Schematic Plans

DEC

JAN

FEB

MAR

APR

January 2020

Master Plan survey closes. Additional input received from Greenbush and Vilas Neighborhood Association Meetings. Public comments received to-date from all sources reviewed and compiled

March 2020

Development of Schematic Plans

Early Spring 2020

Combined Community Partners & Resident Resource Group Meeting and Youth Workshop follow-up to review Schematic Plans

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Project Schedule – Phase III

# PROJECT TIMELINE

## Vilas Park Master Plan: Phase III



## Themes from Public Engagement

### MOBILITY AND SAFETY

- Improve pedestrian safety along Vilas Park Drive corridor
- Consider accessibility in design of new trails and park features

### ENVIRONMENT

- Improve lagoon water quality and shoreline access and aesthetics
- Increase quality and size of natural areas within the park
- Address stormwater issues in pedestrian areas

## Themes from Public Engagement

### COMMUNITY

- Continued engagement with neighborhoods and park users for improvements and programming
- Provide space for local concerts or community events
- Incorporate park's history into design and programming

### CONNECTIVITY

- Improve physical connection to Madison through multimodal options (i.e. public transit, bike rental, canoe/kayak)
- Expand pedestrian connections within park
- Wayfinding improvements could alleviate traffic congestion during heavy visitation times

## Themes from Public Engagement

### A PARK FOR EVERYONE

- Offer programmed active spaces for adults
- Consider allowing dogs in some areas of park
- Continue to offer amenities and activities that can be enjoyed year round

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Historic Site Character



HEWBY VILAS PARK NEW ADDITION

Lagoon 1913

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Historic Site Character



HENRY VILAS PARK

## Wingra Meadow



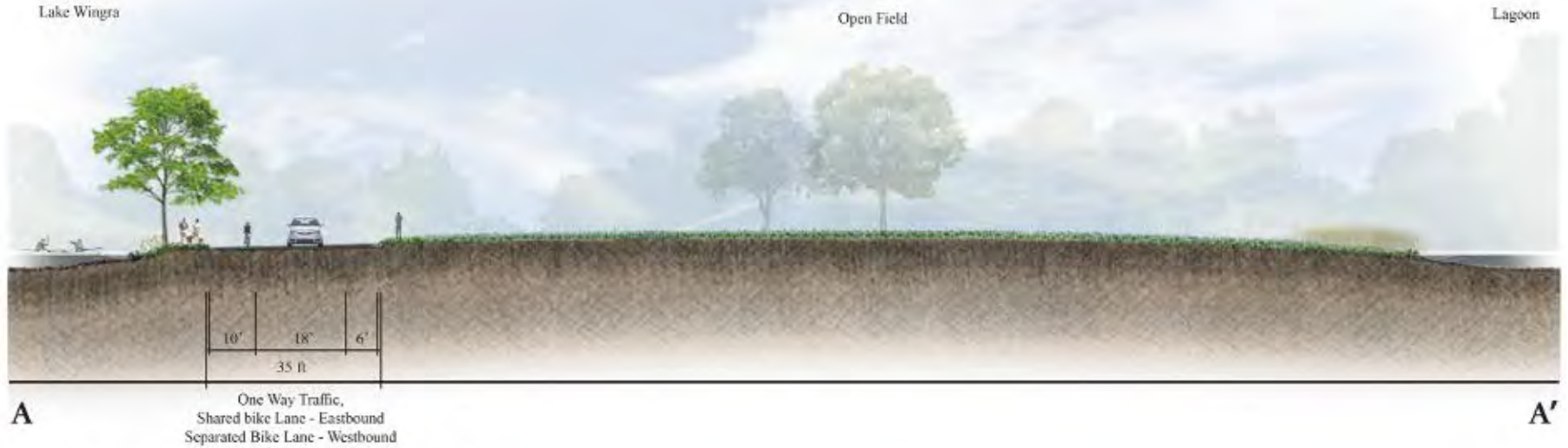
# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Existing Conditions



# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

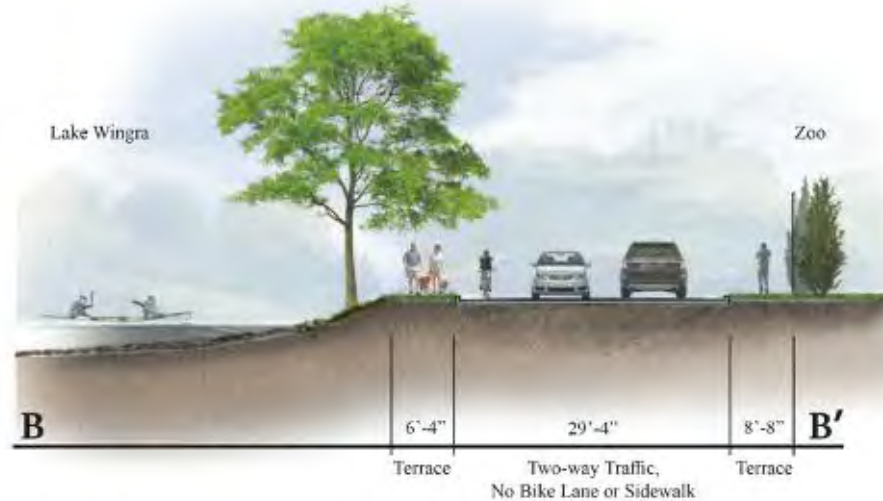
## Existing Conditions



VILAS PARK DRIVE EXISTING CROSS-SECTION - WEST BOUND

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Existing Conditions



VILAS PARK DRIVE EXISTING CROSS-SECTION - EAST BOUND

# Proposed Site Character – Lagoons and Wetlands



**LIBERTY PARK** Clarksburg, TN

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Proposed Site Character – Shelter



### ELVER PARK SHELTER (~ 6,000 SF)

- Covered Shelter
- Meeting Room
- Restrooms
- Storage

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A

**LEGEND**

- Maintained Open Space
- Natural Areas
- Wetlands Landscape
- Open Water
- Existing Trees
- Potential Trees
- Boardwalk
- Bike Parking
- Groomed Ice Skating
- Old Women in a Shoe



**KEY**

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A

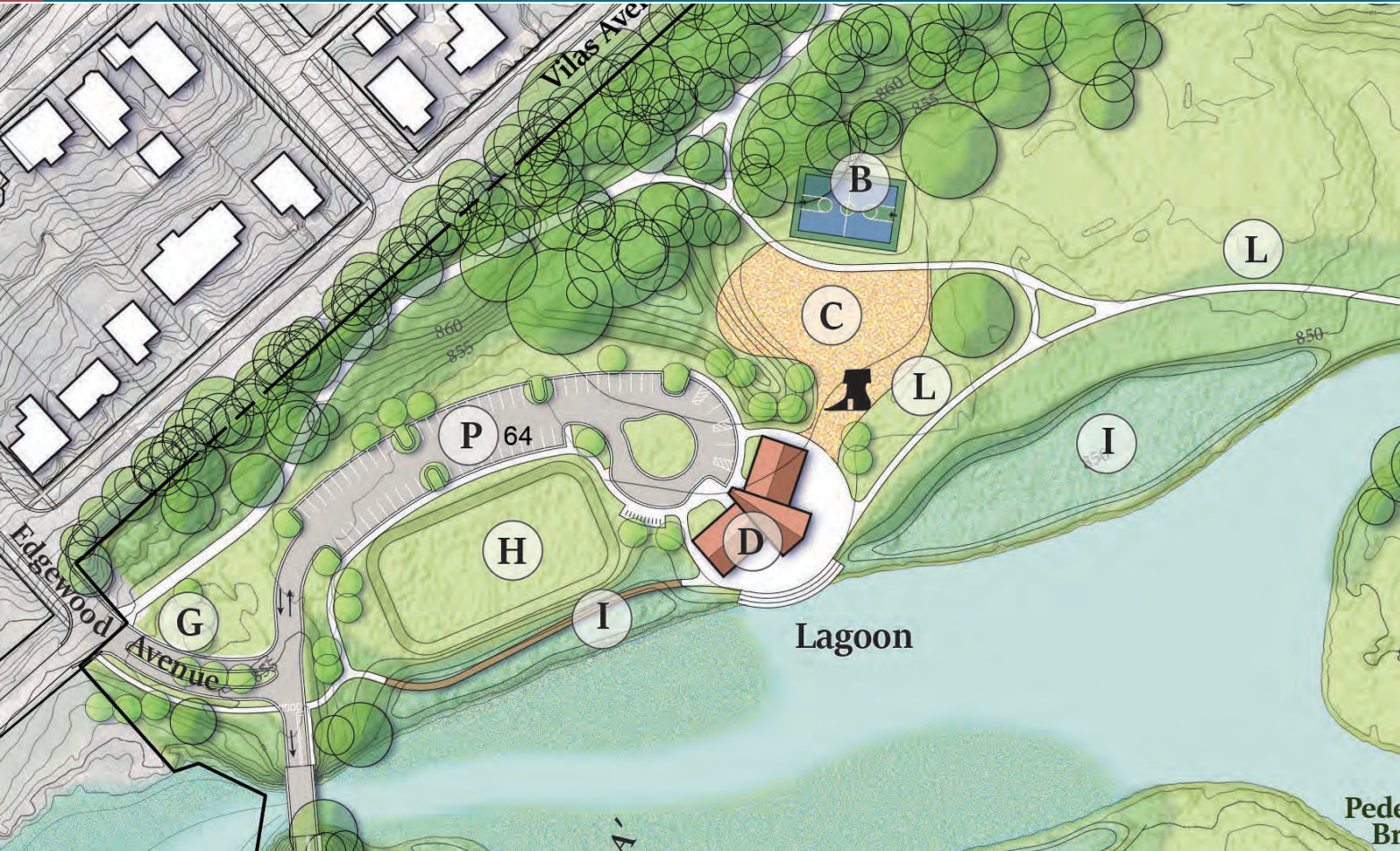


### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis



# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A

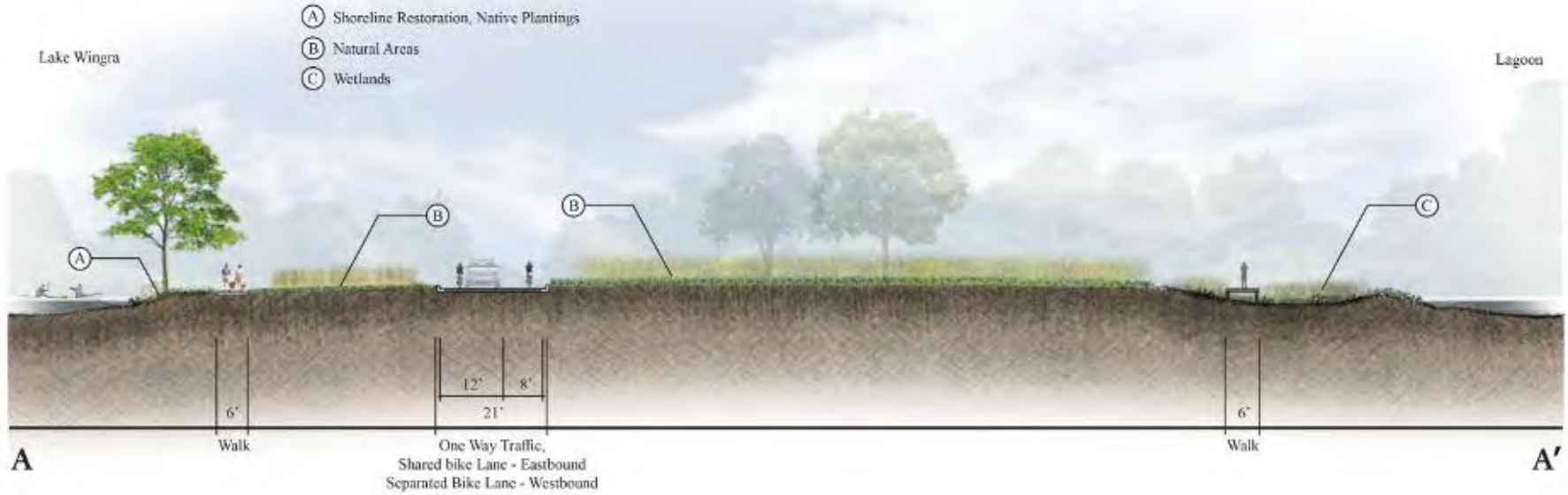


### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

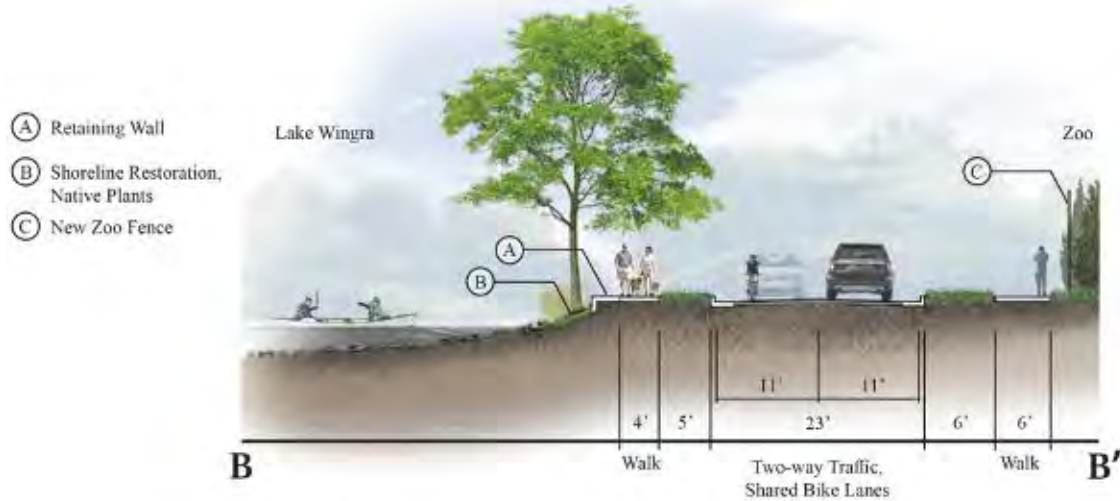
## Concept Plans – Concept A Sections



VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT A CROSS-SECTION - WEST BOUND

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept A Sections



VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT A CROSS-SECTION - EAST BOUND

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B

**LEGEND**

- Maintained Open Space
- Natural Areas
- Wetlands Landscape
- Open Water
- Existing Trees
- Potential Trees
- Boardwalk
- Bike Parking
- Groomed Ice Skating
- Old Women in a Shoe



**KEY**

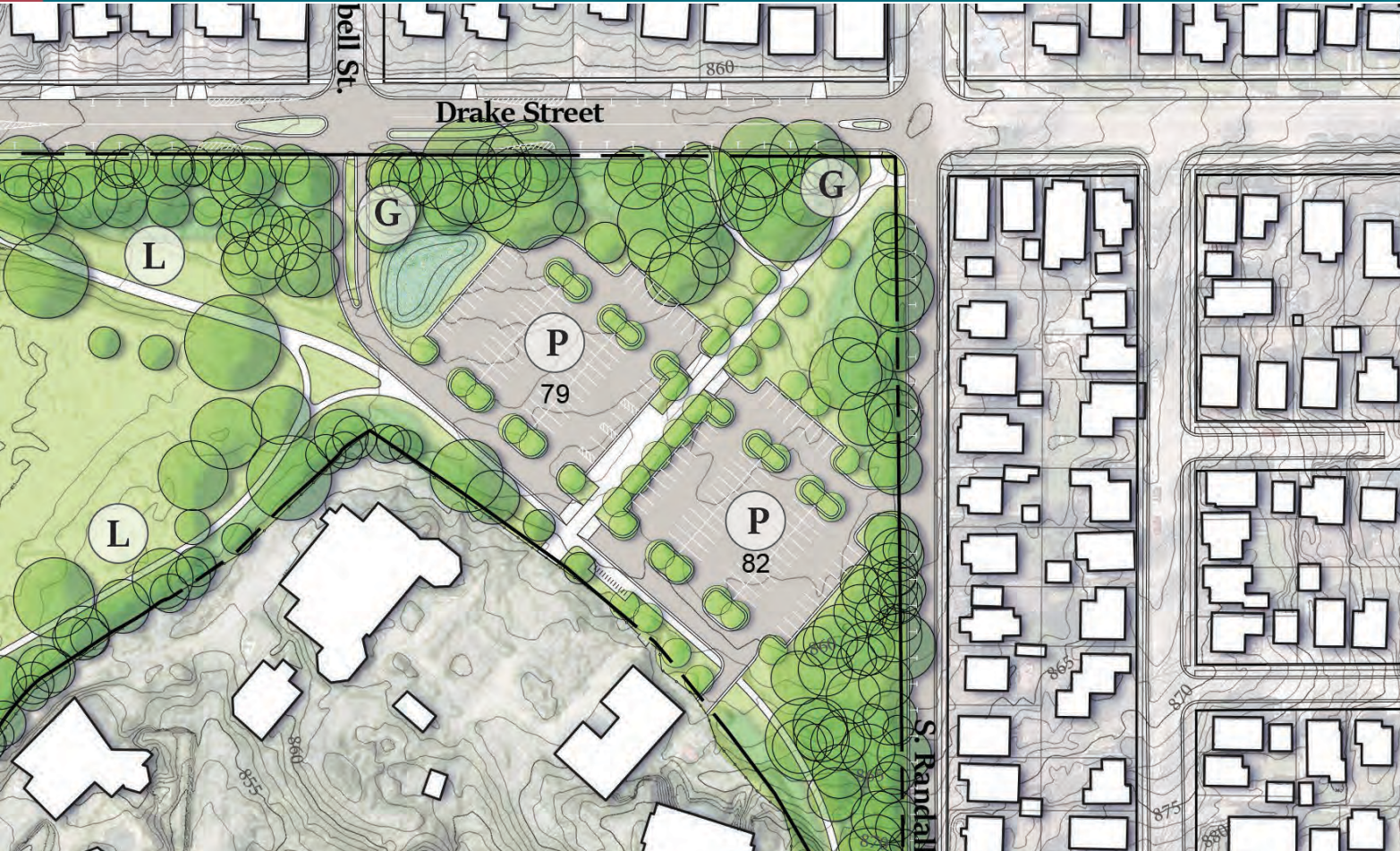
ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

Concept B

SCALE  
0 50' 100' 200'

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis



# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B

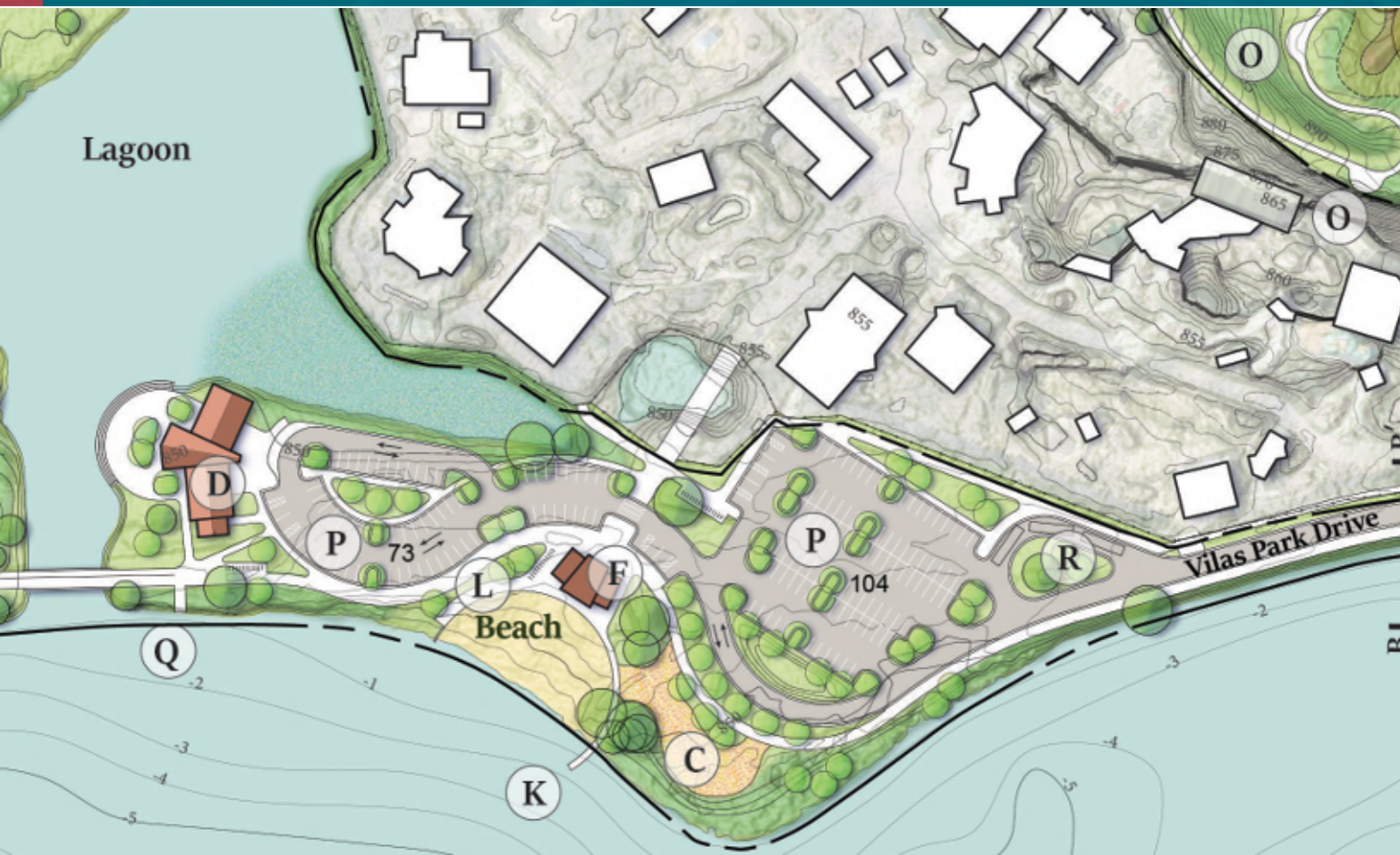


### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B

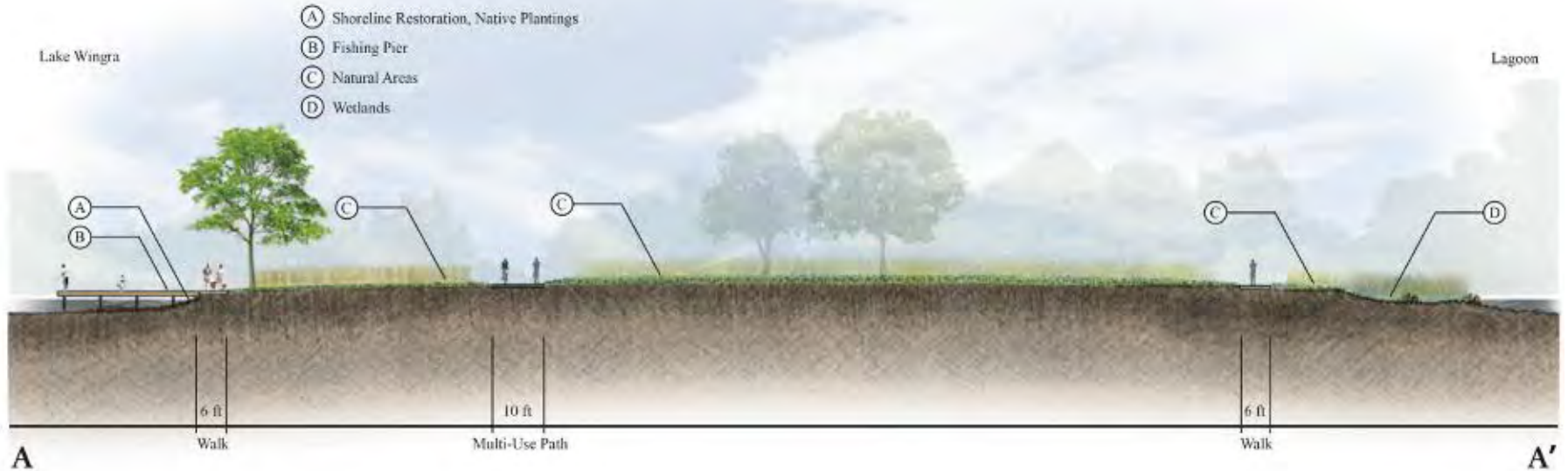


### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B Sections



VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT B CROSS-SECTION - WEST BOUND

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept B Sections



VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT B CROSS-SECTION - EAST BOUND

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept C

**LEGEND**

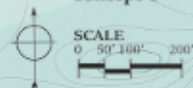
- Maintained Open Space
- Natural Areas
- Wetlands Landscape
- Open Water
- Existing Trees
- Potential Trees
- Boardwalk
- Bike Parking
- Groomed Ice Skating
- Old Women in a Shoe



**KEY**

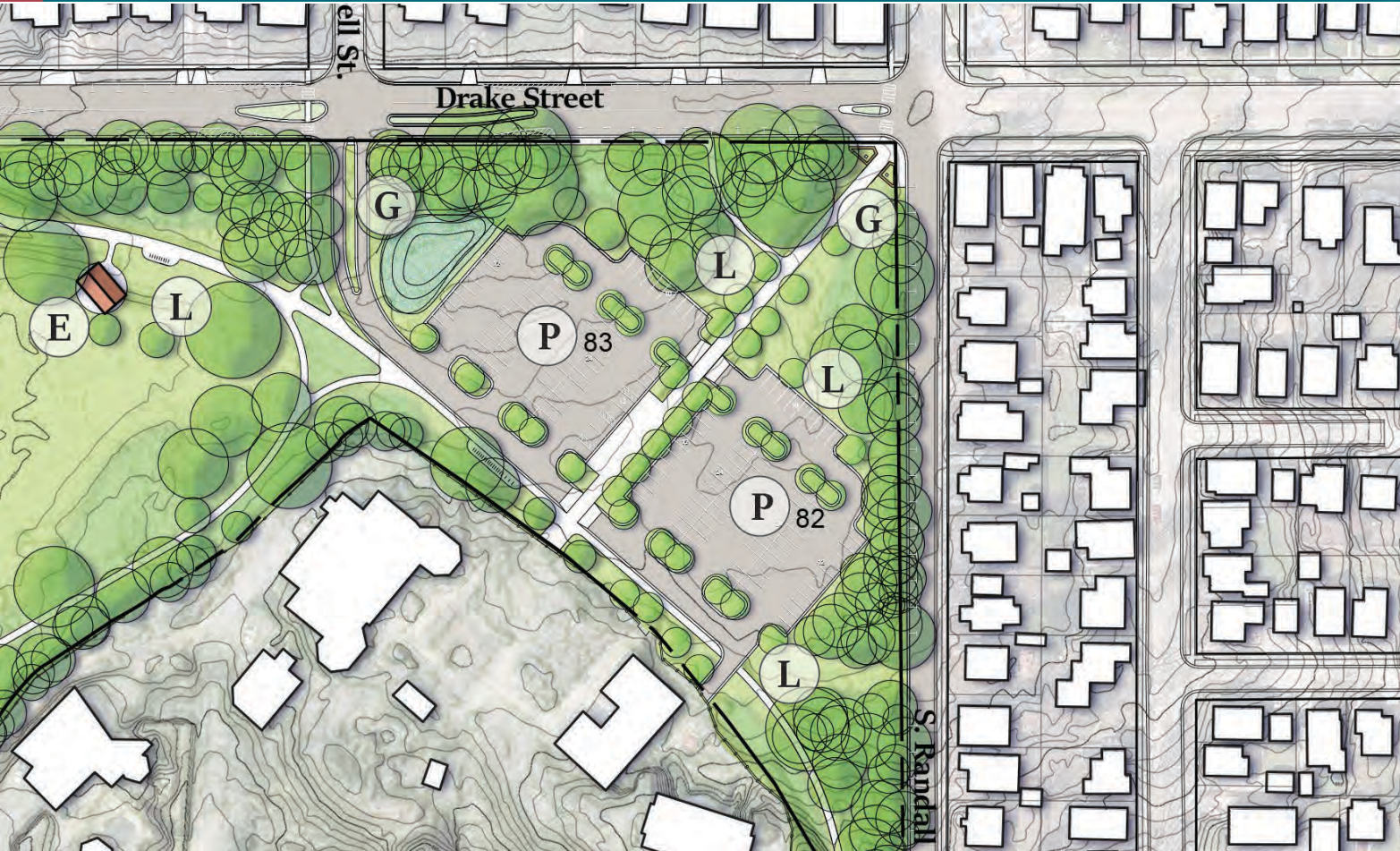
ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

Concept C



# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept C



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept C



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis



# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept C



### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept C

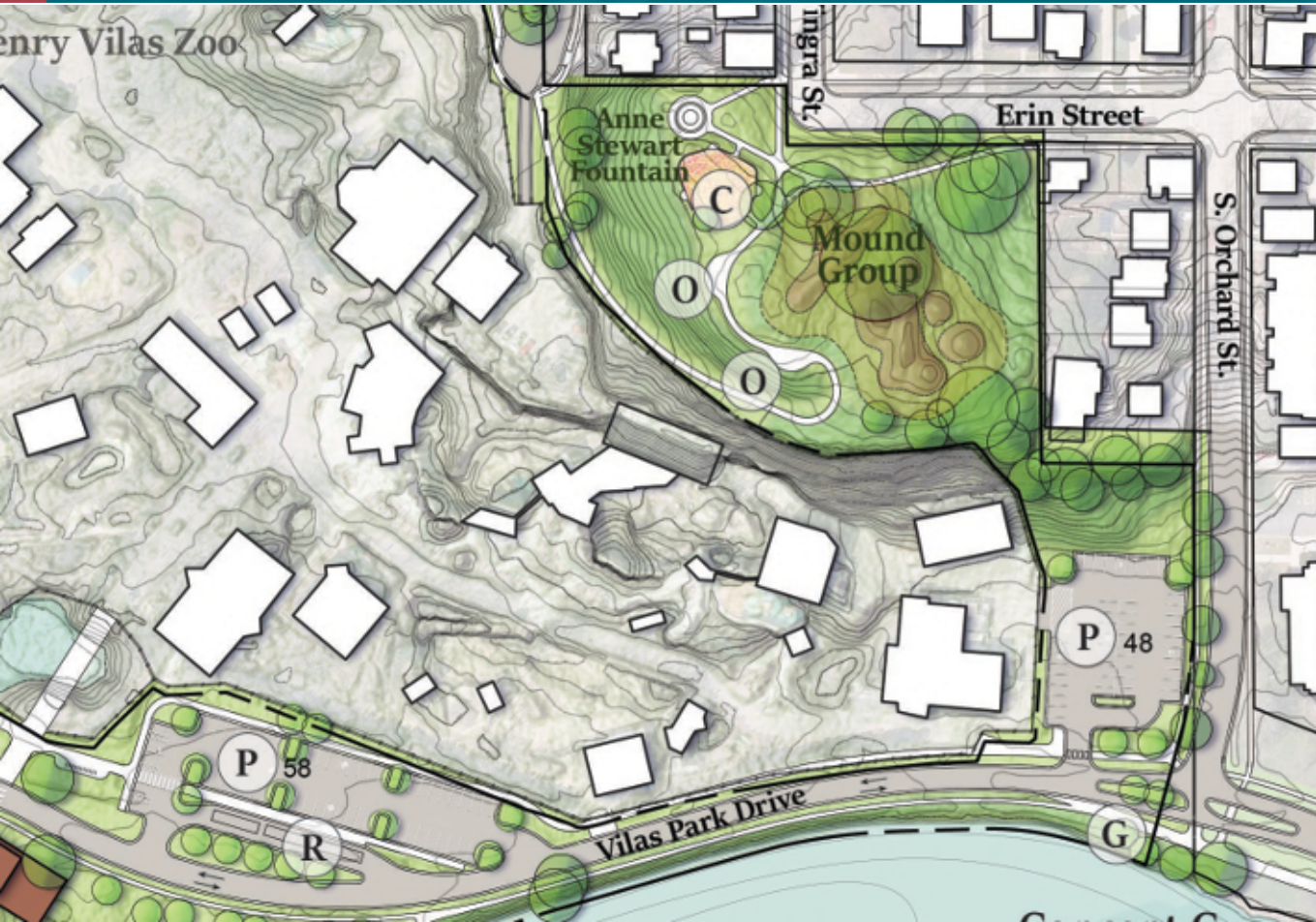


### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Concept C

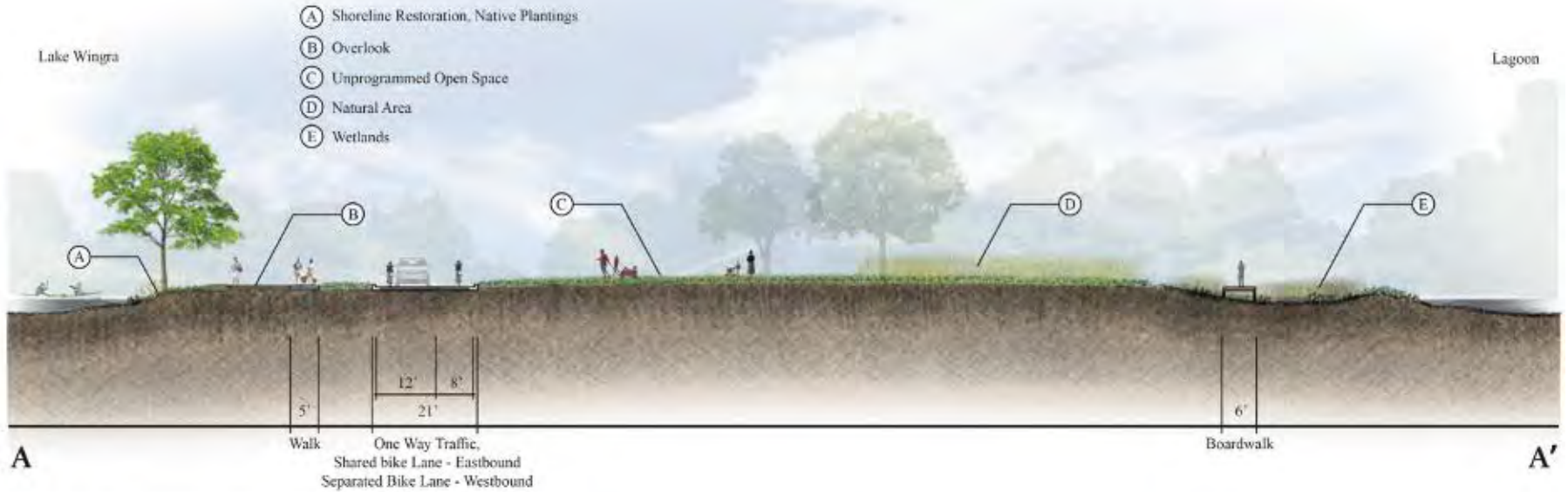


### KEY

ID	FEATURE
A	Unprogrammed Open Space
B	Basketball
C	Playground
D	Main Shelter w/Restrooms
E	Small Shelter (Open Air)
F	Beach House
G	Park Gateway
H	Hockey Rink
I	Fore-bays/Wetlands
J	Accessible Fishing Piers
K	Accessible Swimming Ramp
L	Flex Picnic Space
M	Multi-use Path (Existing)
N	Multi-use Path (Proposed)
O	Viewing Nodes/Overlooks
P	Parking Lot
Q	Canoe/Kayak Launch
R	Bus Drop-off
S	Pickle Ball
T	Tennis

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

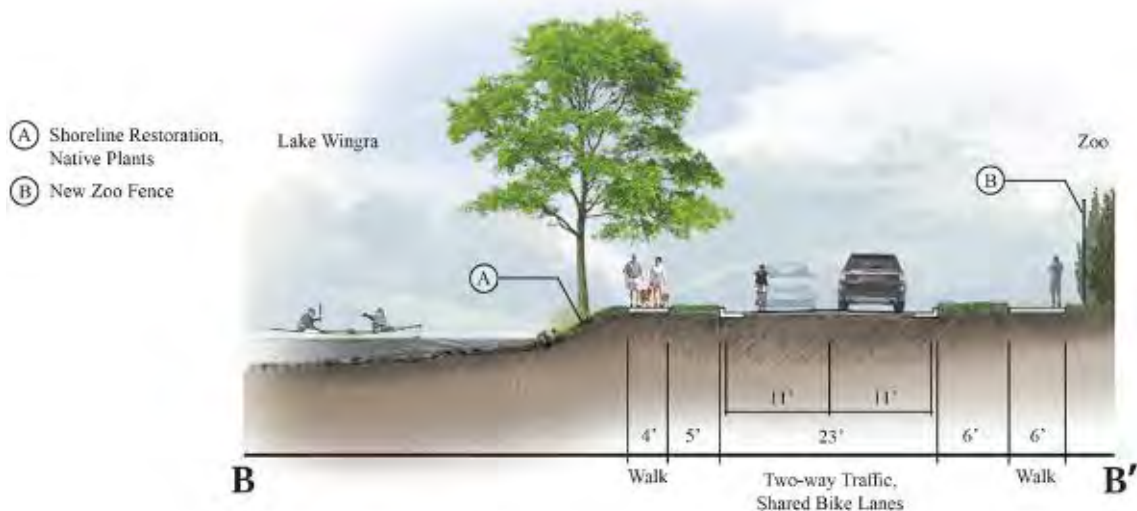
## Concept Plans – Concept C Sections



VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT C CROSS-SECTION - WEST BOUND

# Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

## Concept Plans – Parking and Pavement Comparison



VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT C CROSS-SECTION - EAST BOUND

## **Poll Questions**

- 1. Do you have a favorite concept? Concept A, B or C**
- 2. Which main shelter location do you prefer? Concept A, B, or C**
- 3. Should Vilas Park Drive be closed to through traffic? Y/N**
- 4. Which concept provides the best parking distribution? Concept A, B, or C**
- 5. Which concept has the best playground location? Concept A, B, or C**



**MSA**