

Group 1 Game Board

- Want to bring the two halves of the park together unify them so not half park and half recreational. To do this want to have a market zone in the middle of the park where people can try the food grown on site.
- Group together the picnic area, farm play, storage, market, and the wash and pack station
- Entry sequence from north-central area grouping bus /unloading, parking, interpretive signage, bike rack, gathering area and rest rooms.
- In the south, an expansion of farming, livestock area
- For recreation, want to create a neighborhood edge where community and environment activities happen together group the multi-use building with catchment that attaches to the swale, a natural play area, and a map for wayfinding.
- Want there to be clear indication from the edges what is happening in the center of the park clear visibility, distinct access points, easy to monitor and know what should or shouldn't be happening.



Group 2 Game Board

- Wide space for walking, jogging, biking, especially for elderly folks who want to use that space.
- Group member who farms- protect farming activity from visitors, encourage visiting around the perimeter.
- Can we survey the Latino farmers in Spanish?
- They like the idea of extending the farm and diversifying it.
- Can the gathering space be used to sell what they grow during the summer and enclosed during the Winter for gathering, meeting, and celebrating.
- Power for outside performances and improved security.
- More traditional play.
- Places for kids of all ages.
- Like the idea of exercise machines.
- Locate parking away from farm activity.



Group 3 Game Board

- Keep it simple.
- Improve pathways first- make it easier for everyone to get around.
- Make it easy to maintain. Visits the park every day and has noticed more positive activity when they have been mowing- more activity, frisbee, golf, catch. Less positive activity when overgrown and full of trash.
- Biggest appeal of the park is the farm- seeing the seasons change, seeing where food comes from-expand farming and support more community involvement. Encourage that-fix greenhouse.
- Expand the architectural part of the park.
- Is size of P-Patch equal to demand?
- Basic vegetation maintenance. Can't walk through apple orchard.
- Many treacherous spots throughout.
- It would be great to have an asphalt parking lot, to prevent rocks getting kicked up and at their house, across the street.
- Closing gate to help enforce park hours?

Marra-Desimone Park



HIGHLIGHTS / BIG MOVES PROPOSED

Group 4 Game Board

- Focus is on how to make this community friendly, safe, and inviting to all ages and abilities
- The historical tree line that has divided the park is becoming hazardous clear it out and put in a agricultural learning center. It could have a historical component to explain everything that has happened to the site.
- Add a natural play area and fix the parking
- Keep the open field
- Add bathrooms, easier maintenance access, and vegetation maintenance Key is to keep the plum tree it has historical significance for the park as is quite old
- Put in a picnic area
- Add another entrance
- Would like to see a few covered plazas

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Group 5 Game Board

- · Farm is a significant emblem of what United States offers to immigrants (MEIN) so want to maintain farm character
- Don't want to have the parking too close to farming area because it is dangerous muggings can happen
- Provided good visibility throughout the park for safety, but also so community can see changes to gardens throughout the seasons
- Want a playground or festival area so there can be international celebrations of cultures in park at different times of the year. This allows different cultures to grow closer.
- Bathroom should be close to the parking area and not close to the garden area.
- Recreation area close to the bathroom and parking
- Would like a shade area for people who work in the garden all day rest, eat lunch, etc.
- Want a windmill or other emblematic item to distinguish the farming area
- Blueberry field between gardens and parking
- Take out big trees because they are dangerous for everyone
- Picnic area for the people who work in the garden a place where they can be with their family on the weekend and can mix people of different cultures, etc.
- Like design B the best



Group 6 Game Board

- Would like to have a public gathering space
- Want an entrance as shown in option A
- Think wayfinding is good
- Want farming specific theme play equipment rather than something general
- Center area for farm gathering area equipment, etc.
- Want market area but not sure if should be centrally located or near the parking
- Group maintenance equipment and farm animals
- Demonstration area for farming near market area, probably near buses and parking area



- Like Option B the best
- Want the parking further away from the garden area
- Like:
 - Entrance Marker
 - Restroom by the Parking Lot
 - Bike Racks by the Parking Lot
 - Mulit-Use Community Building by the Parking Lot that can double as a market and learning area
- Want 'Farm' back in the name because of the history associated with title
- Want the colorful bandshell for performance space
- Utilities would be near the bandshell
- Like current chicken coop and want to add more livestock to that area
- Want natural play, farm play, picnic tables, and benches

- Group 7 Game Board
- Also want a wash station
- Livestock can be managed by the community and things like goats can be rented out for brush removal, etc.
- Edible forest near the livestock area
- Facility to support sustainable farming practices near the greenhouse
- Add a restroom and picnic area
- Improve the wash area the farmers use
- A fix for flooding?
- Make the path through the center stronger

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Group 8 Game Board

- Liked the sun arc path of the MP/ its representation of the seasons
- Located the bandshell as an anchor to the open area and to draw people to the middle of the park.
- Overlook good line of sight
- Make use of grade changes
- Like different play areas- farm play, farm animals, little goat, more farm critters.
- Bring power in for bandshell, for lighting and to deter crime.