

HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 5



PUBLIC MEETING # 1
September 16, 2025



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MEETING RECORDING



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VIRTUAL MEETING ETIQUETTE

We want to ensure this conversation is a pleasant experience for all and that all community members/stakeholders are comfortable sharing their comments, questions and feedback.

Please be respectful and mindful of each other's time when asking questions/ providing comments, so that all attendees are able to participate in the meeting.

Keep questions/ comments project-specific and not personal to yield solution-driven discussion.

Please wait until all attendees have had the opportunity to ask a question/ provide a comment before providing additional questions/ comments.

You can always set up a conversation with **Amy Linné**, amy.linne@boston.gov, to further discuss the project or process.

ZOOM TIPS

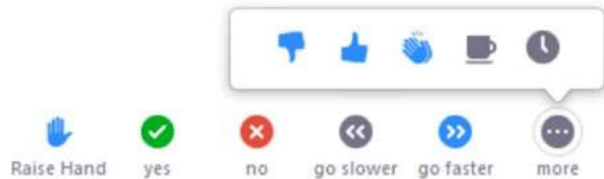
Here is how you can participate during the question and answer part of the presentation.

DURING THE PRESENTATION:



VIA WEB:

Turn video on / off.



To use these non-verbal options click on participants (bottom of screen); these options will pop up in side bar.

DURING THE Q&A:



JOINING VIA PHONE?

Use *9 to raise hand to ask for audio / video permission to ask questions or provide comments.



VIA WEB:

Chat to ask questions / comments or provide responses to poll questions



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MEETING AGENDA

- 1 PROJECT TEAM INTRODUCTION**
- 2 PROJECT SCHEDULE + FUNDING**
- 3 PROJECT APPROACH**
- 4 MASTERPLAN OVERVIEW**
- 5 PHASE 5 CONCEPT PLAN**
- 6 LISTENING & DISCUSSION**
- 7 CLOSING REMARKS & NEXT STEPS**

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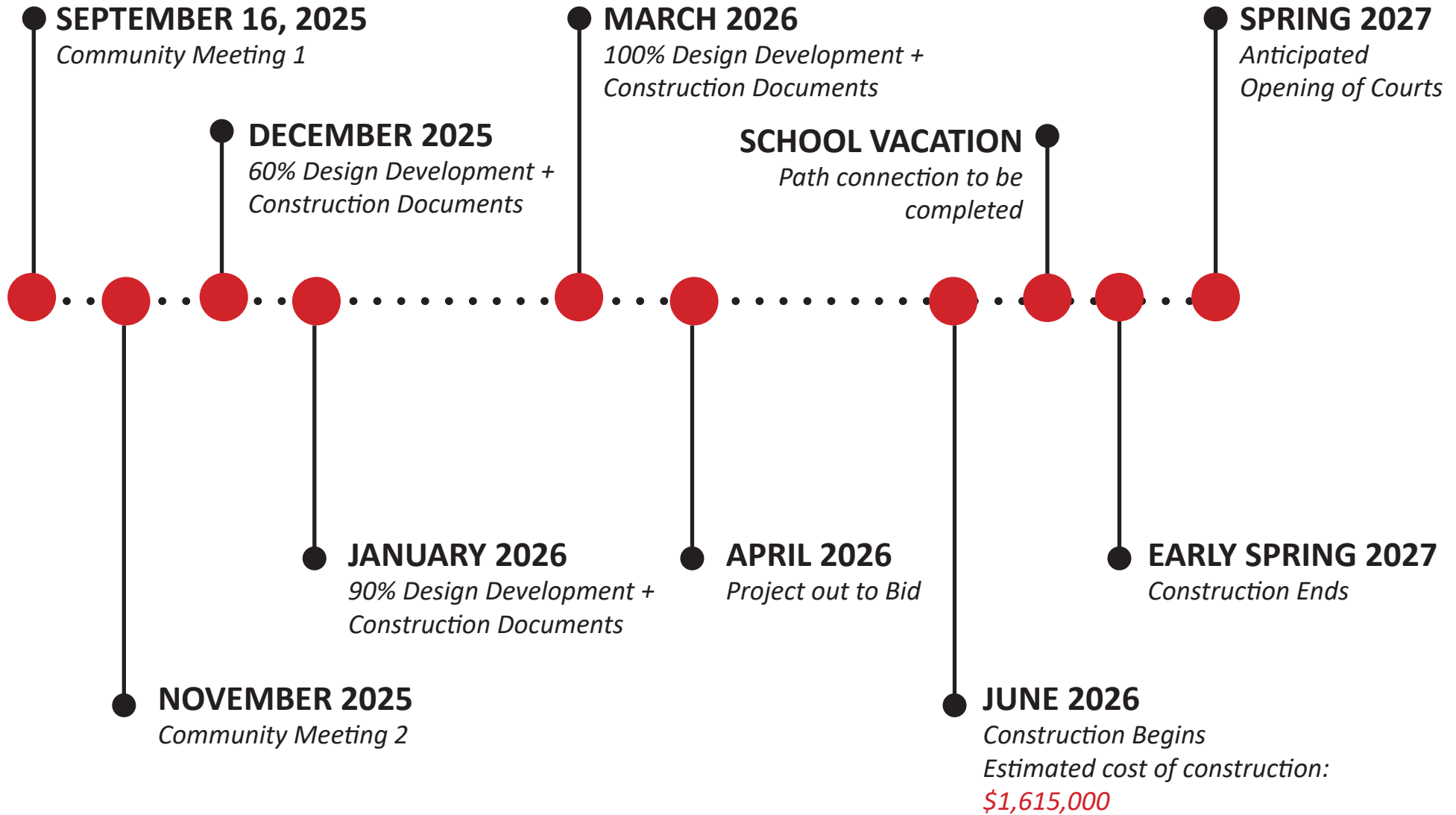
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PROJECT SCHEDULE + FUNDING



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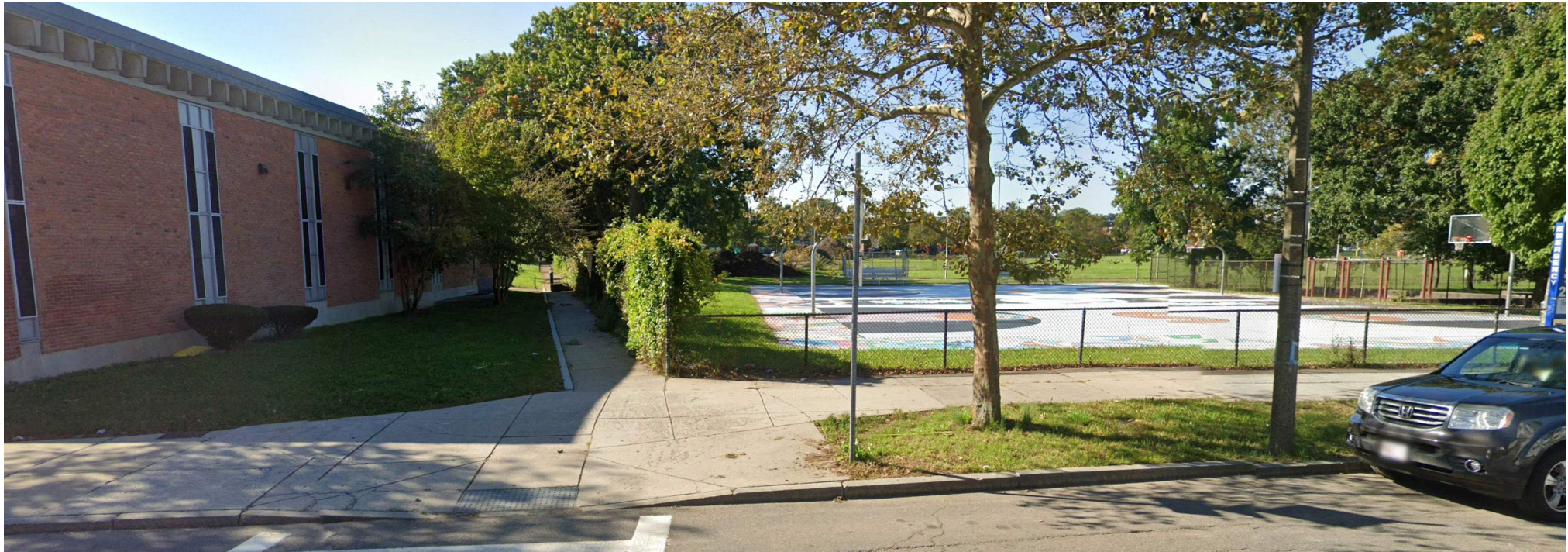
PROJECT APPROACH



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CITY OF BOSTON PRIORITIES

- Delivering Exceptional Constituent Services
- Green and Growing
- Family Friendly
- Closing the Racial Wealth Gap
- Healthy and Safe



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PARKS AND RECREATION GOALS

- Accessible and available to all
- Diverse, balanced, and efficient mix of uses
- Meaningful and inclusive community engagement
- Adaptive and resilient landscapes
- Promote connections



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MASTER PLAN IMPLEMENTATION



1. Harambee Park Master Plan: **COMPLETE!**
2. Harambee Park Phases 1 - 4: **COMPLETE!**
3. Harambee Park Phase 5: **IN PROGRESS**

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HARAMBEE PARK MASTER PLAN REVIEW 2016



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HARAMBEE PARK MASTER PLAN REVIEW



- PRIMARY CORRIDOR
- SECONDARY PATHWAY
- TERTIARY PATHWAY
- PERIMETER CONNECTIONS
- WALKING + RUNNING LOOP



PRIMARY CORRIDOR - 10'-0" WIDE



SECONDARY PATHWAY - 8'-0" WIDE

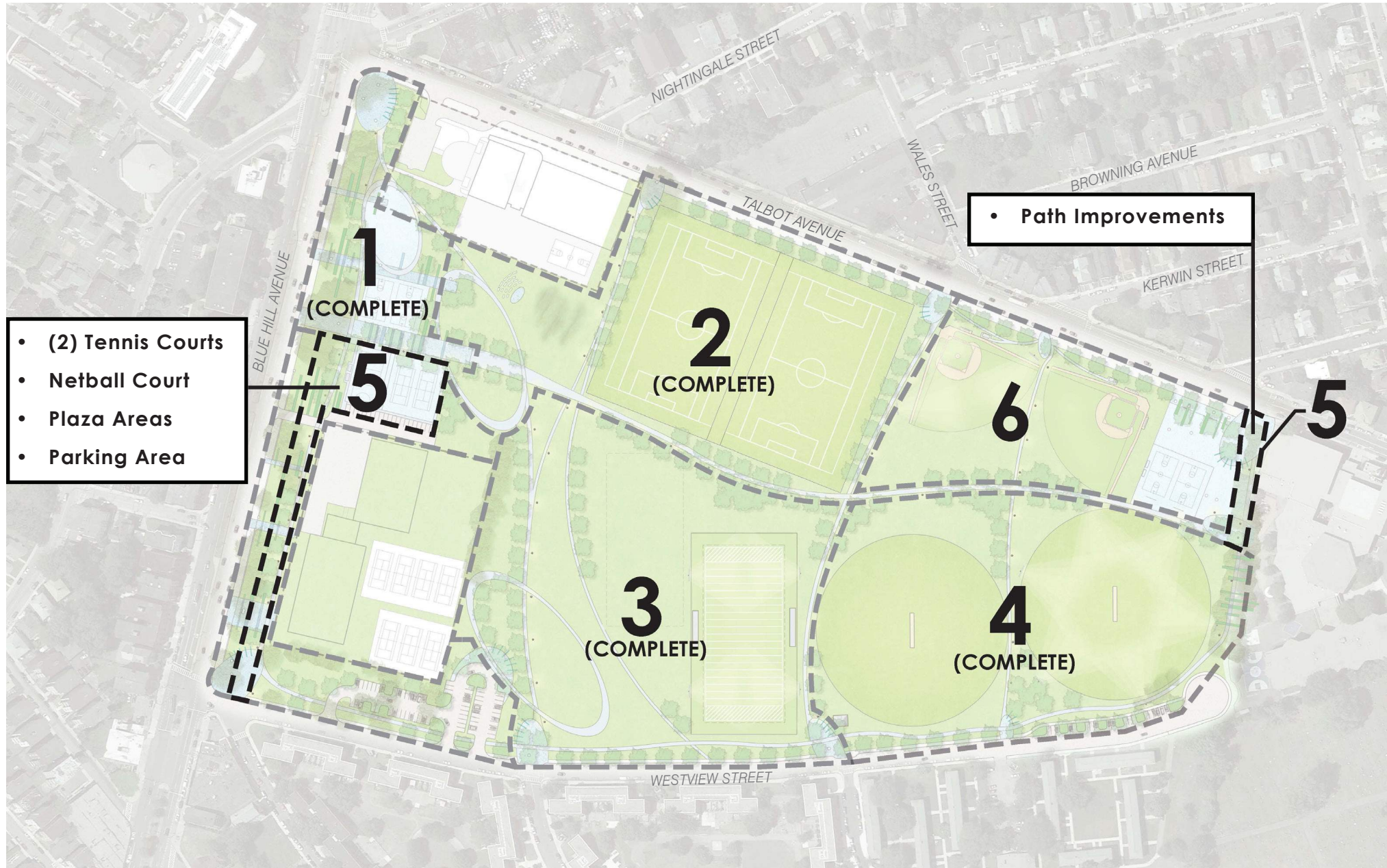


TERTIARY PATHWAY - 6'-0" WIDE

HARAMBEE MASTER PLAN - CIRCULATION DIAGRAM

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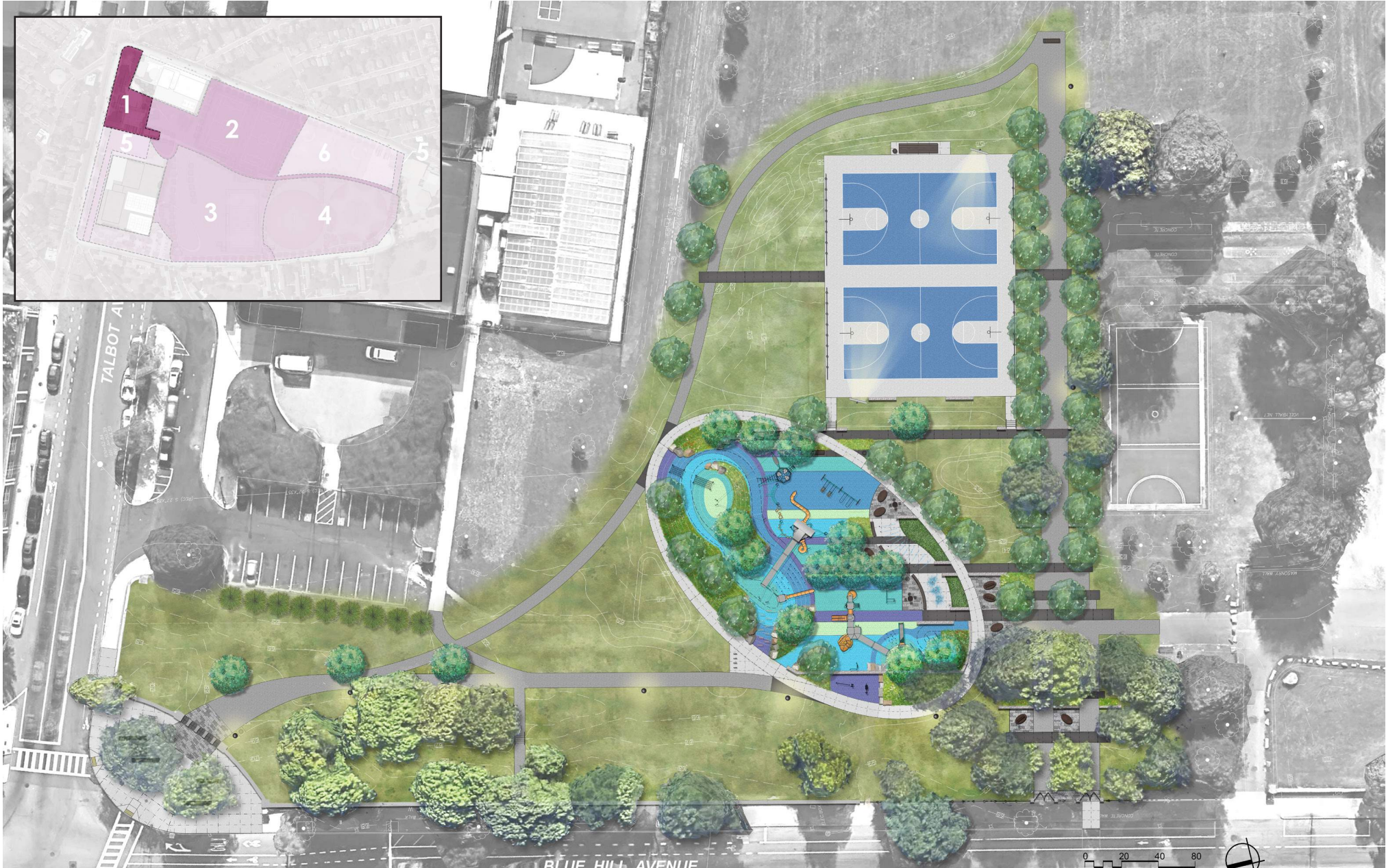
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HARAMBEE MASTER PLAN - PHASING

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HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 1 REVIEW - COMPLETE!



PHASE 1: FINAL PLAN

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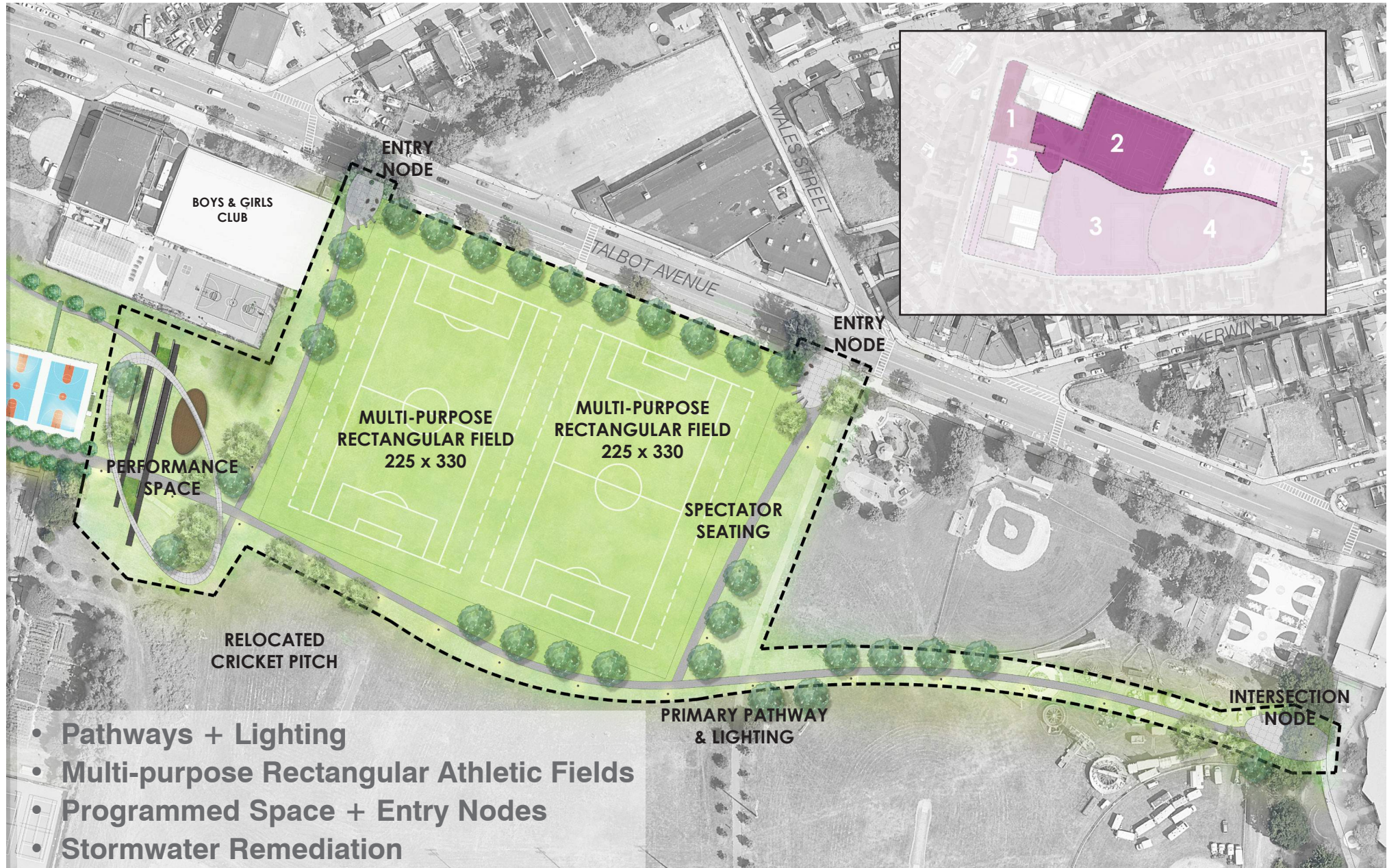
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PHASE 1 OPENING DAY PHOTOS

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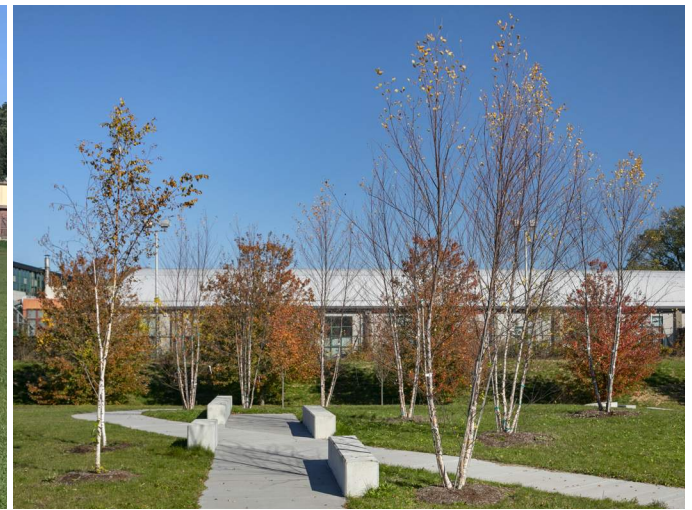
HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 2 - COMPLETE



PHASE 2 PROJECT AREA: FINAL PLAN

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HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 2 REVIEW - COMPLETE!



PHASE 2 PHOTOS

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HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 3 - COMPLETE!



PHASE 3 PROJECT AREA: FINAL PLAN

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HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 3 REVIEW - COMPLETE!



PHASE 3 CONSTRUCTION PHOTOS

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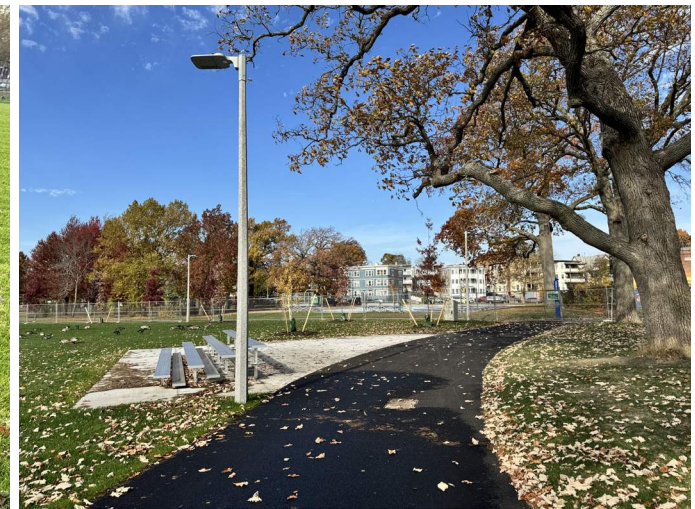
HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 4 - COMPLETE!



PHASE 4 PROJECT AREA: FINAL PLAN

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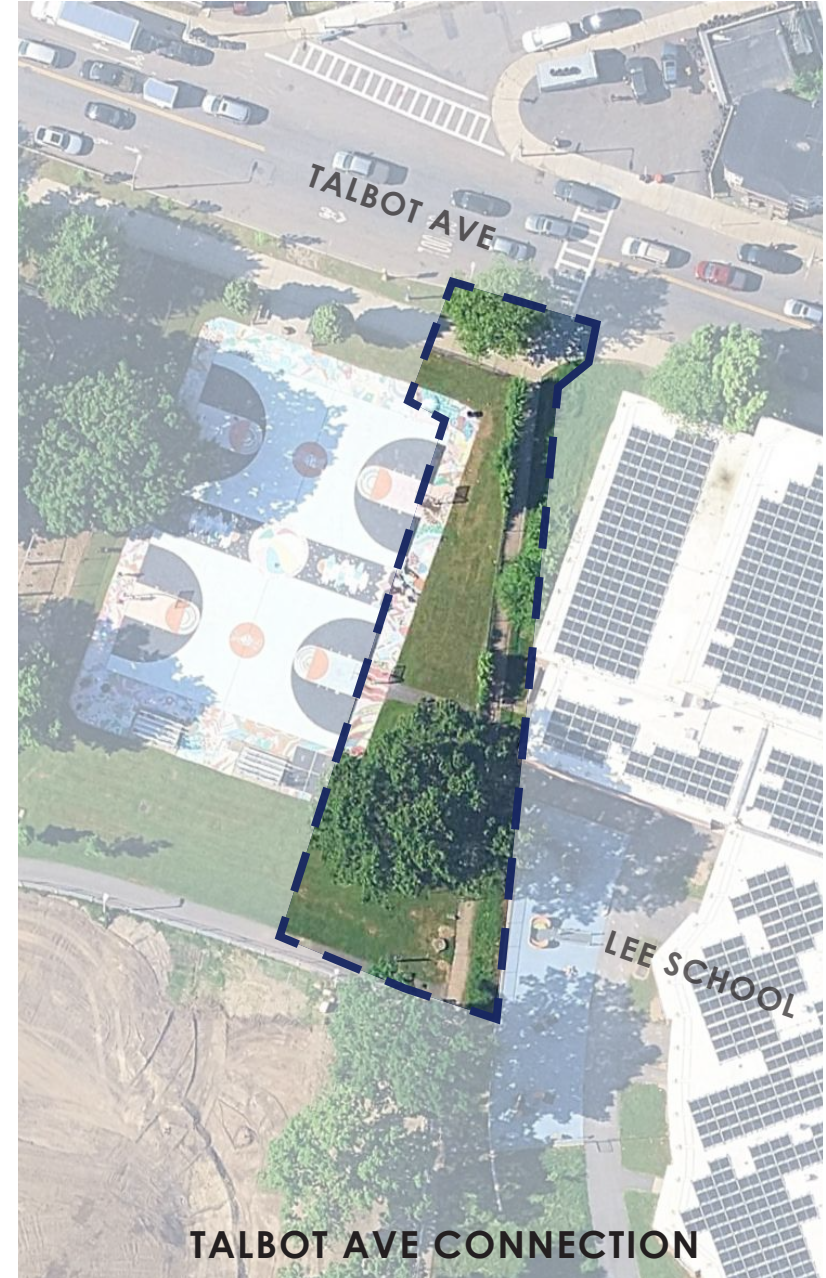
HARAMBEE PARK PHASE 4 REVIEW - COMPLETE!



PHASE 4 CONSTRUCTION PHOTOS

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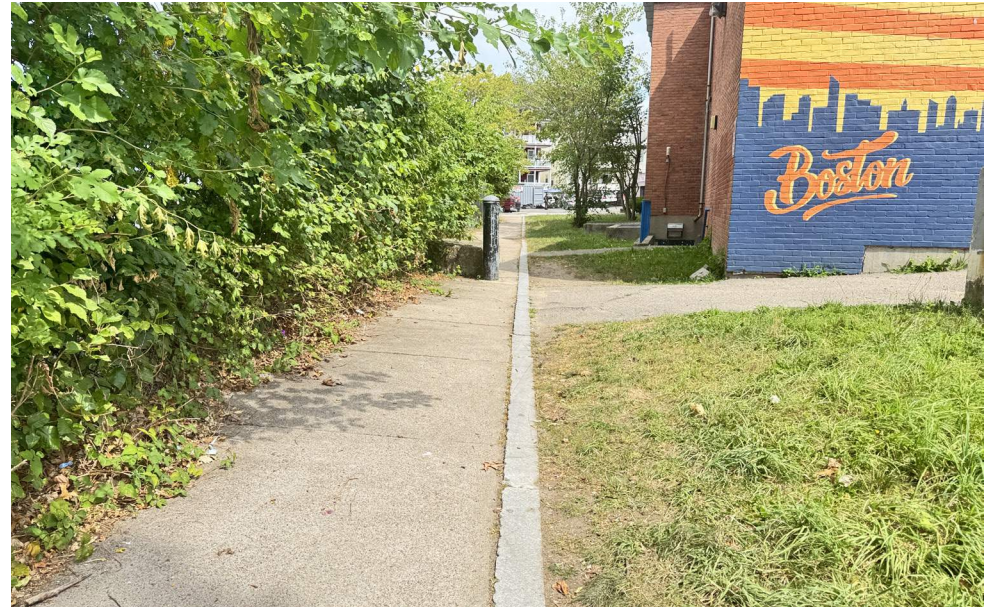


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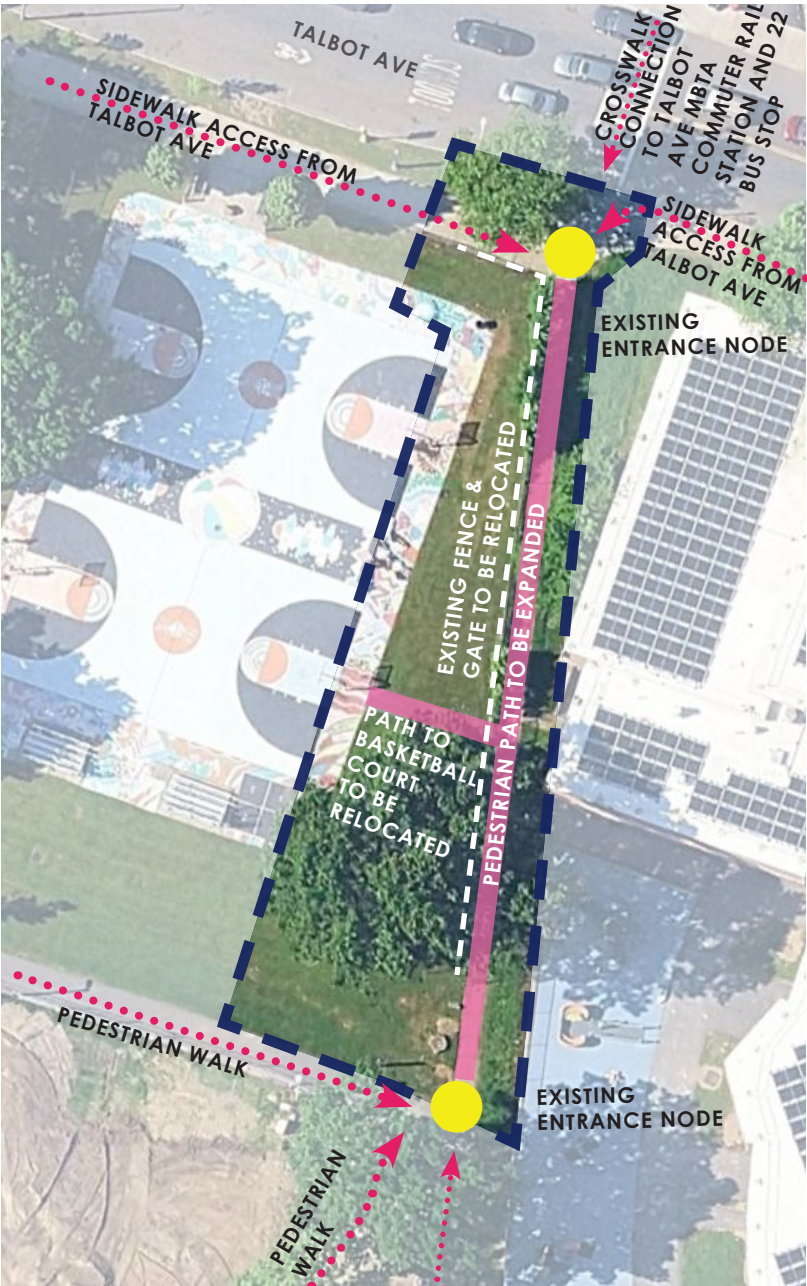
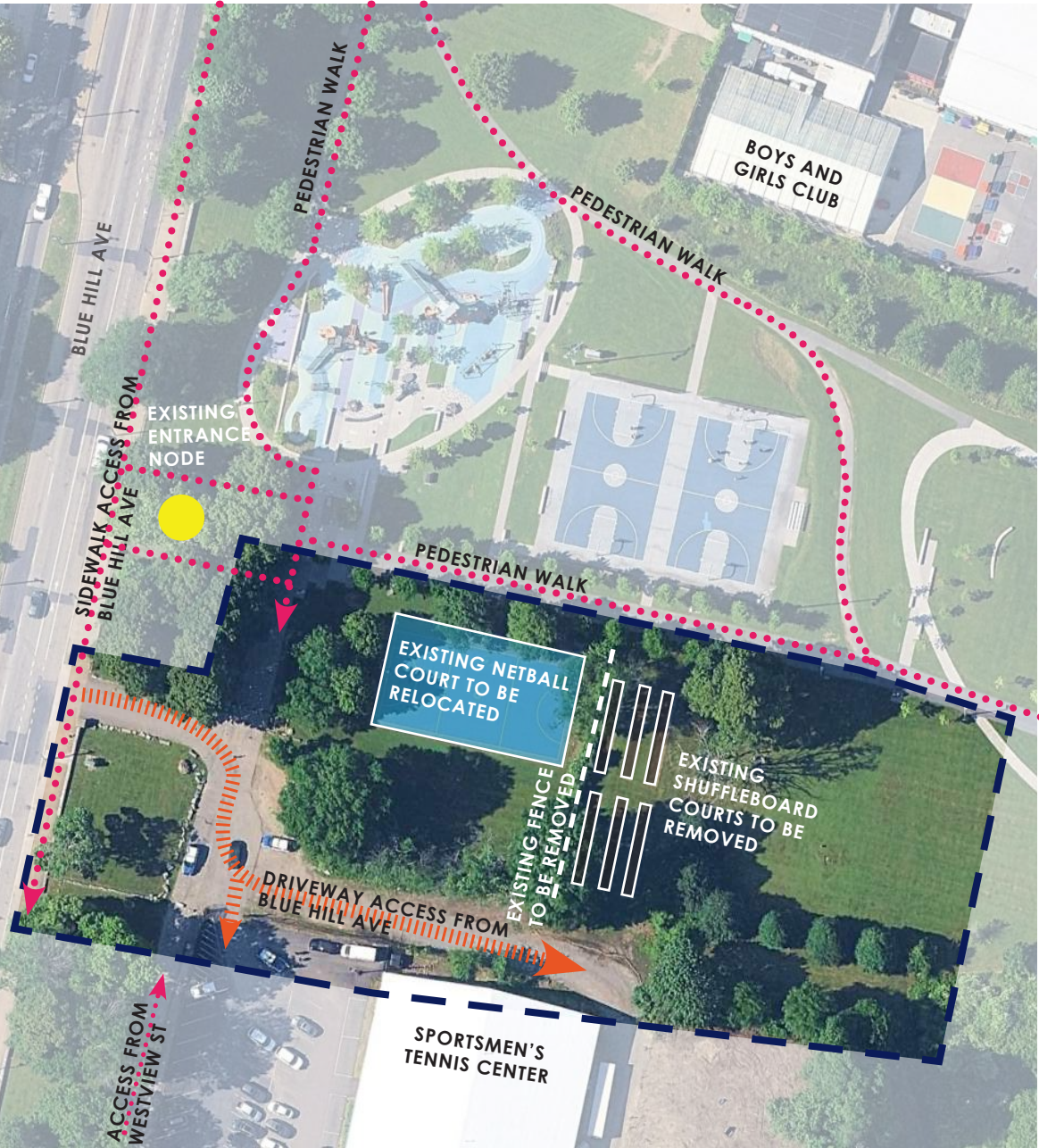
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TALBOT AVE CONNECTION

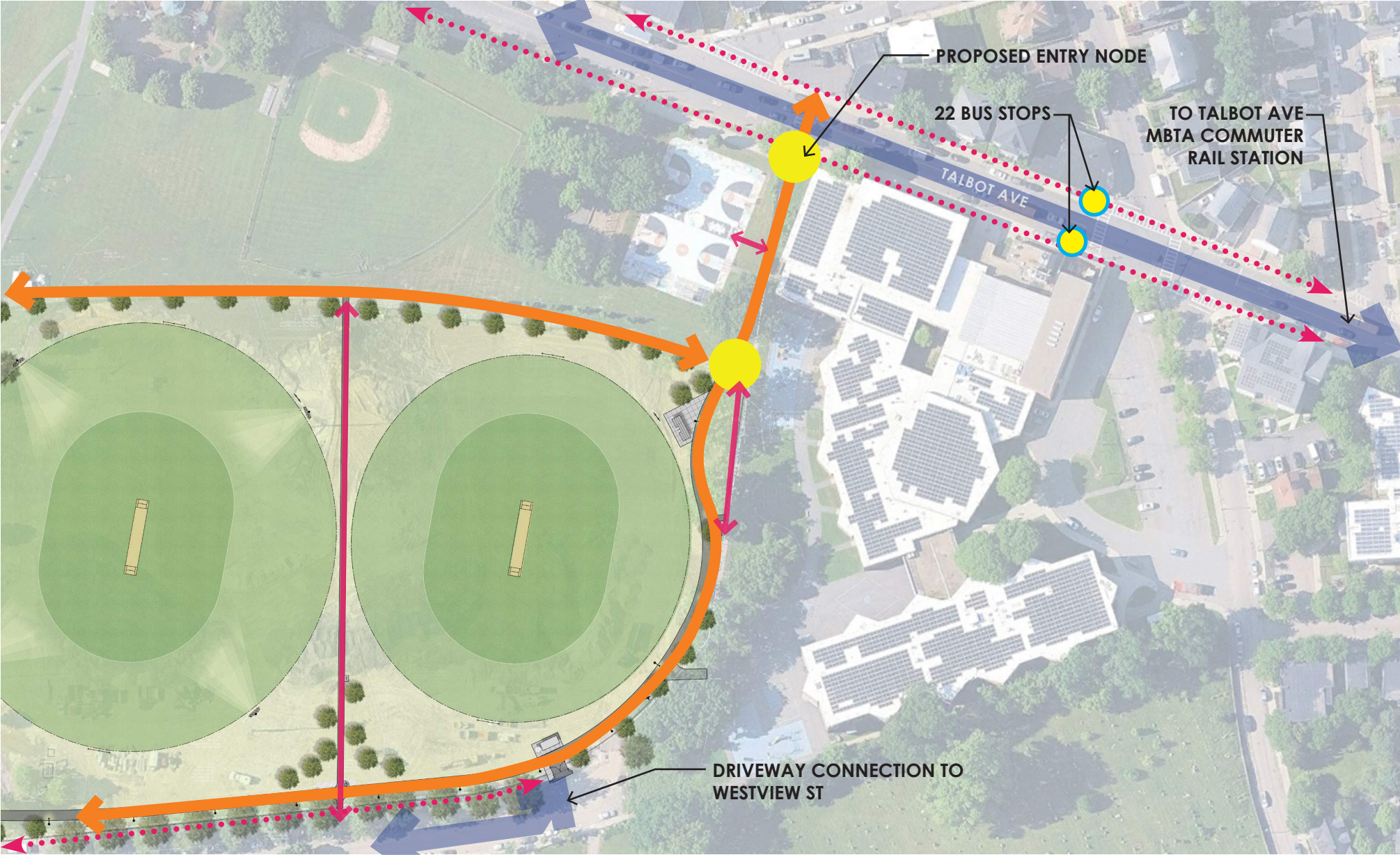
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SITE ANALYSIS



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CIRCULATION IMPROVEMENTS



PROPOSED ENTRY NODE



PRIMARY PEDESTRIAN WALK



SECONDORY PEDESTRIAN WALK



DRIVEWAY CONNECTION



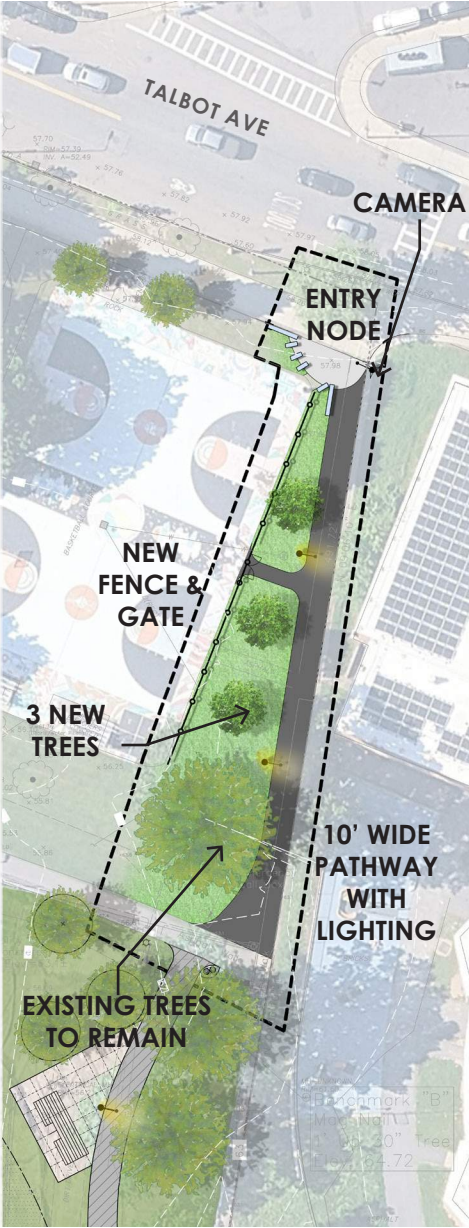
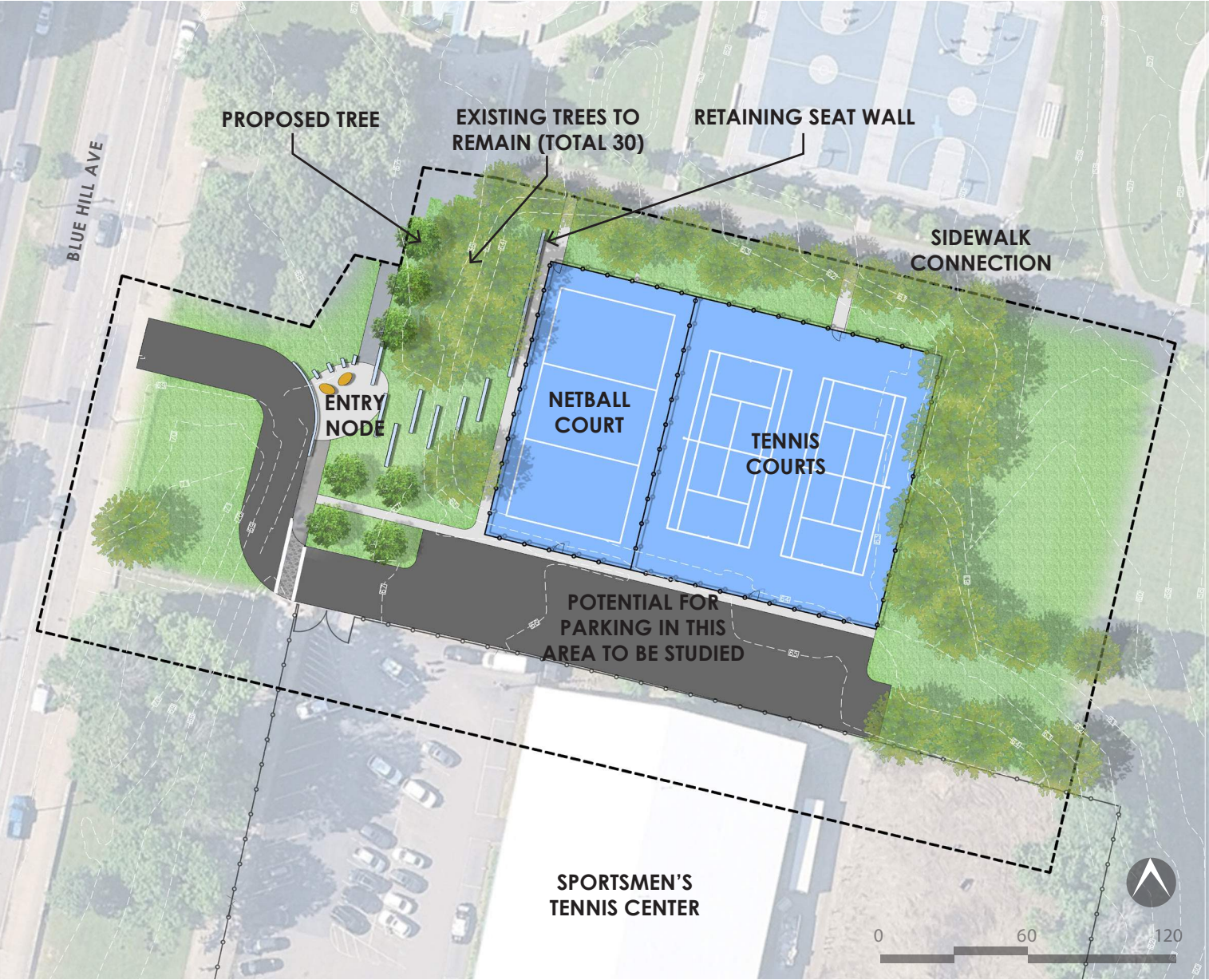
SIDEWALK CONNECTION



BUS STOP

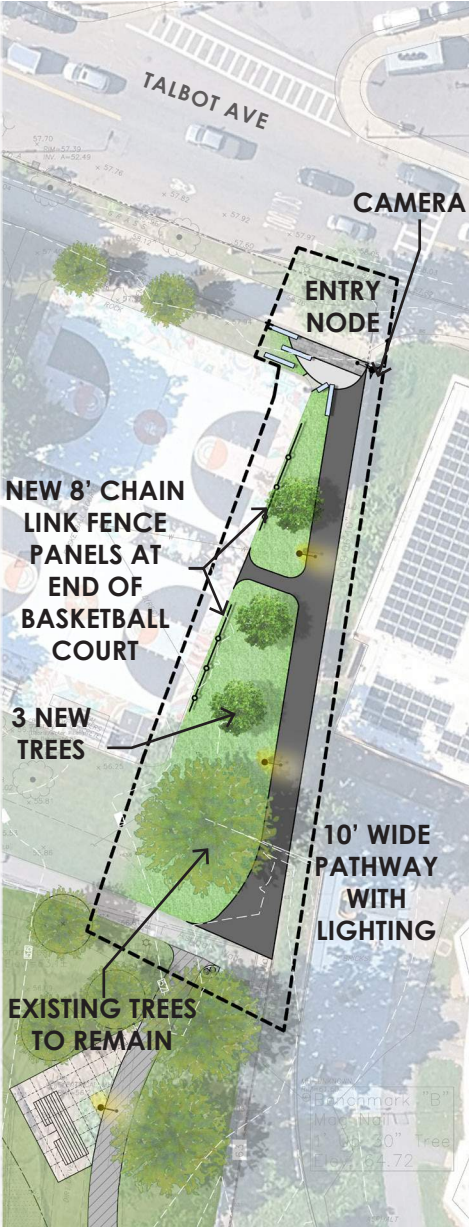
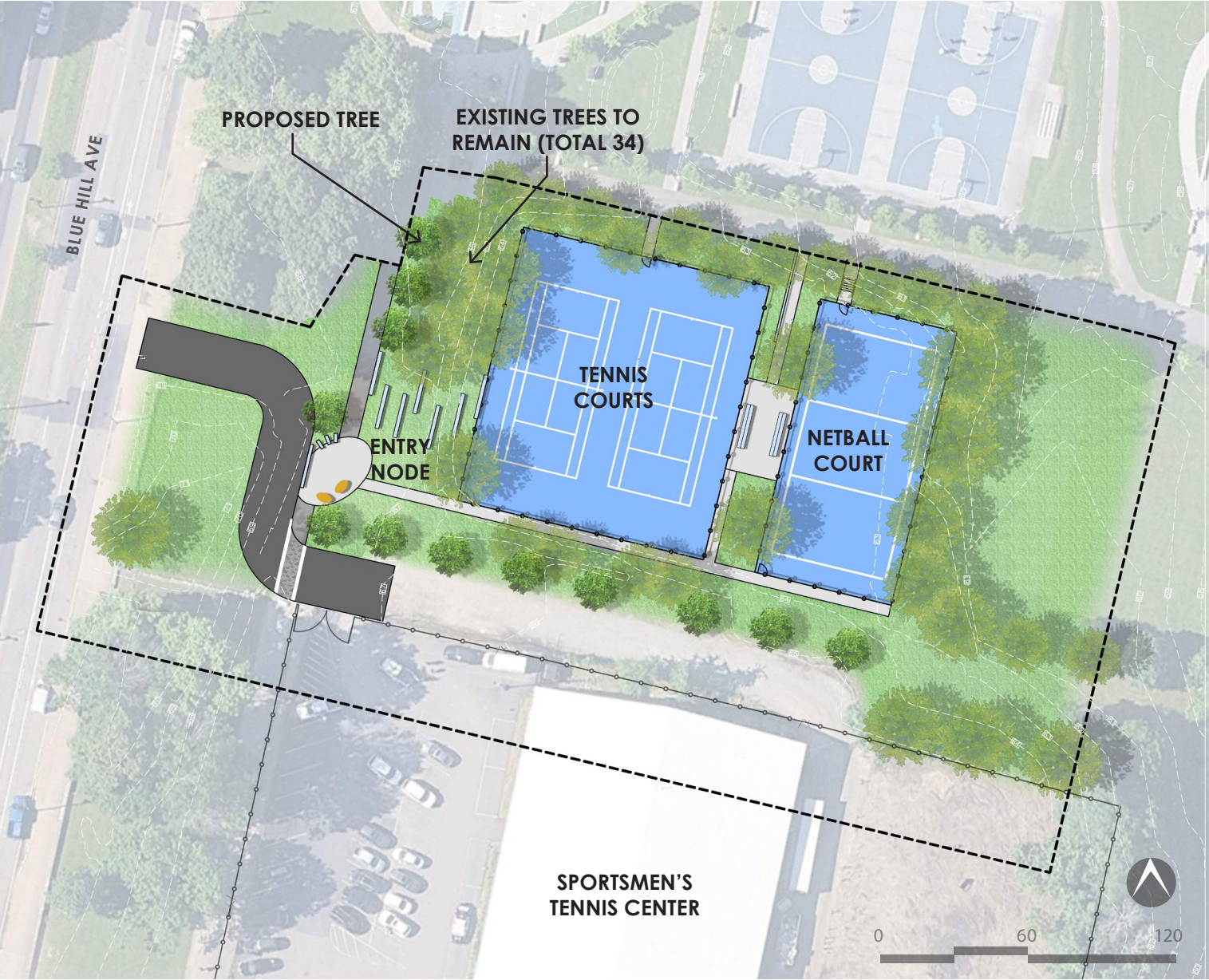
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DESIGN CONCEPT 1



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DESIGN CONCEPT 2



CONCEPT PLAN





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CONCEPT PRECEDENT IMAGES



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-  **EXISTING CAMERAS**
3 OR 4 HEAD CAMERA
-  **PHASE 5 CAMERA LOCATION**
3 HEAD CAMERA
-  **FUTURE PHASE**
3 HEAD CAMERA
-  **BLUE LIGHT INSTALLED**

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LISTENING & DISCUSSION



ISSUES | WANTS | NEEDS | VISIONS

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CLOSING REMARKS & NEXT STEPS

Community Survey

<https://forms.gle/cBhX18UFZTzuCAEr5>

Harambee Park - BPRD Webpage

www.boston.gov/improvements-harambee-park

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