



CITY OF HAMILTON

TURTLE MEETING PLACE

RED HILL VALLEY TRAIL

April 9th, 2015





TURTLE MEETING PLACE

LANDSCAPE CONCEPT

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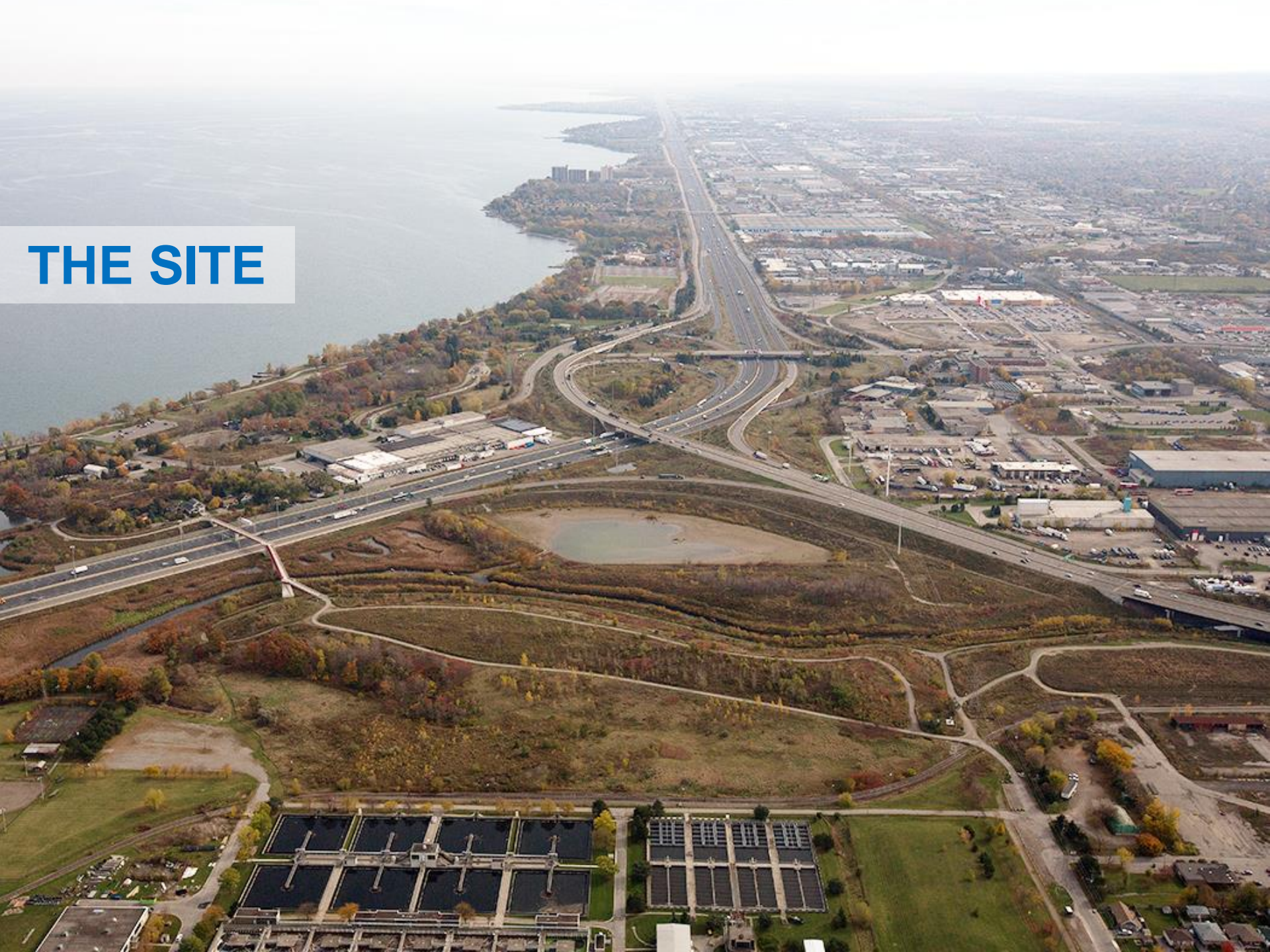
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Parks, Forestry and Recreation

Solid Waste Management & Technical Services

City Planning

THE SITE





PROPOSED LOCATION



An aerial photograph of a park area. In the foreground, there is a large, dark pond. To the right, a multi-lane highway with several cars is visible. A bridge crosses a stream or path that winds through the park. The park is filled with green grass and trees. The overall scene is a mix of natural and urban environments.

OBJECTIVES

- ❖ **create a gathering and meeting place**
- ❖ **support habitat protection, revitalization and enhancement**
- ❖ **provide opportunities for inclusive use**
- ❖ **maintain views**
- ❖ **encourage engagement with the site and environment**
- ❖ **enhance learning opportunities that the site and natural environment provides**



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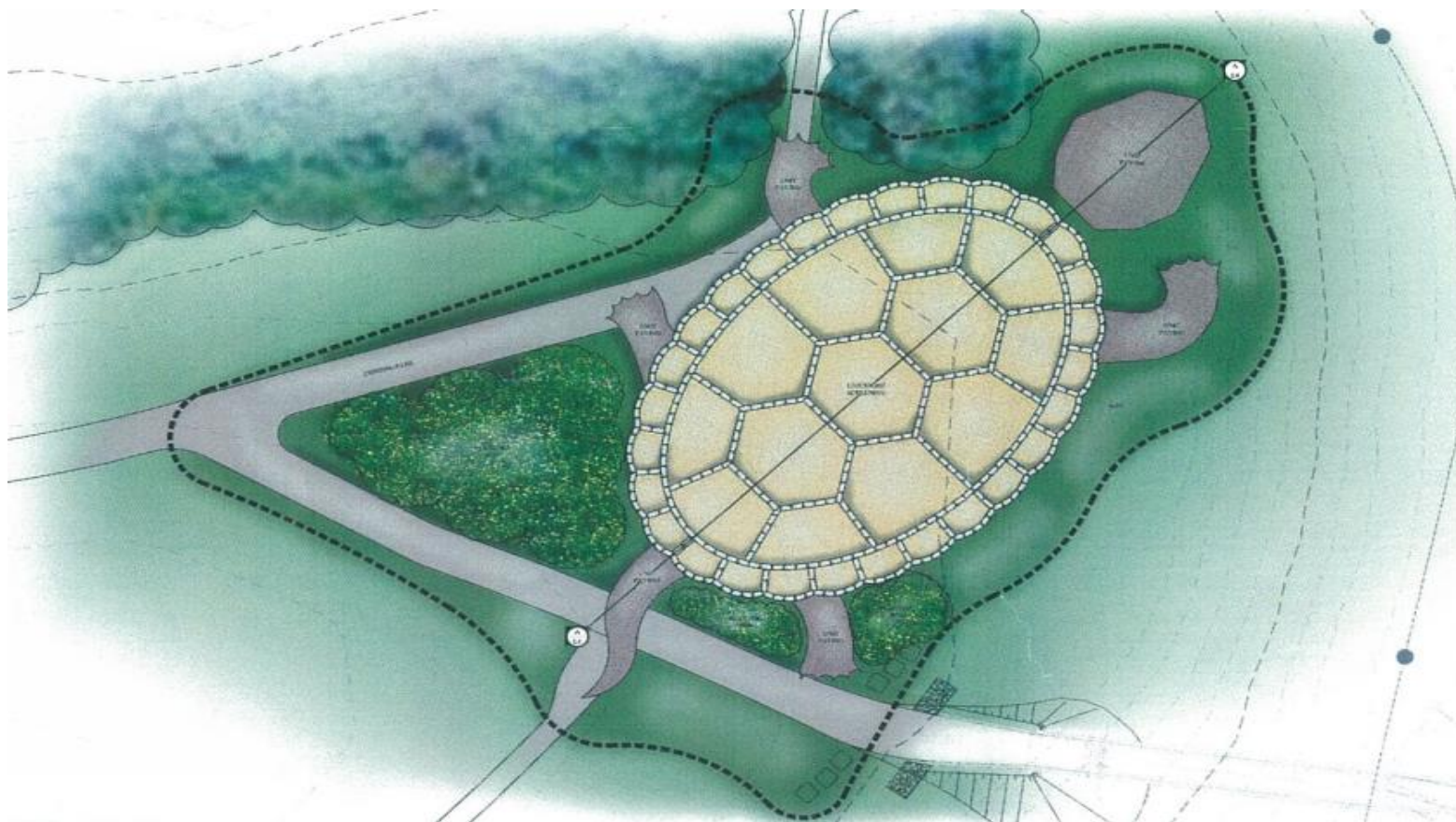


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PREVIOUS CONCEPT - B

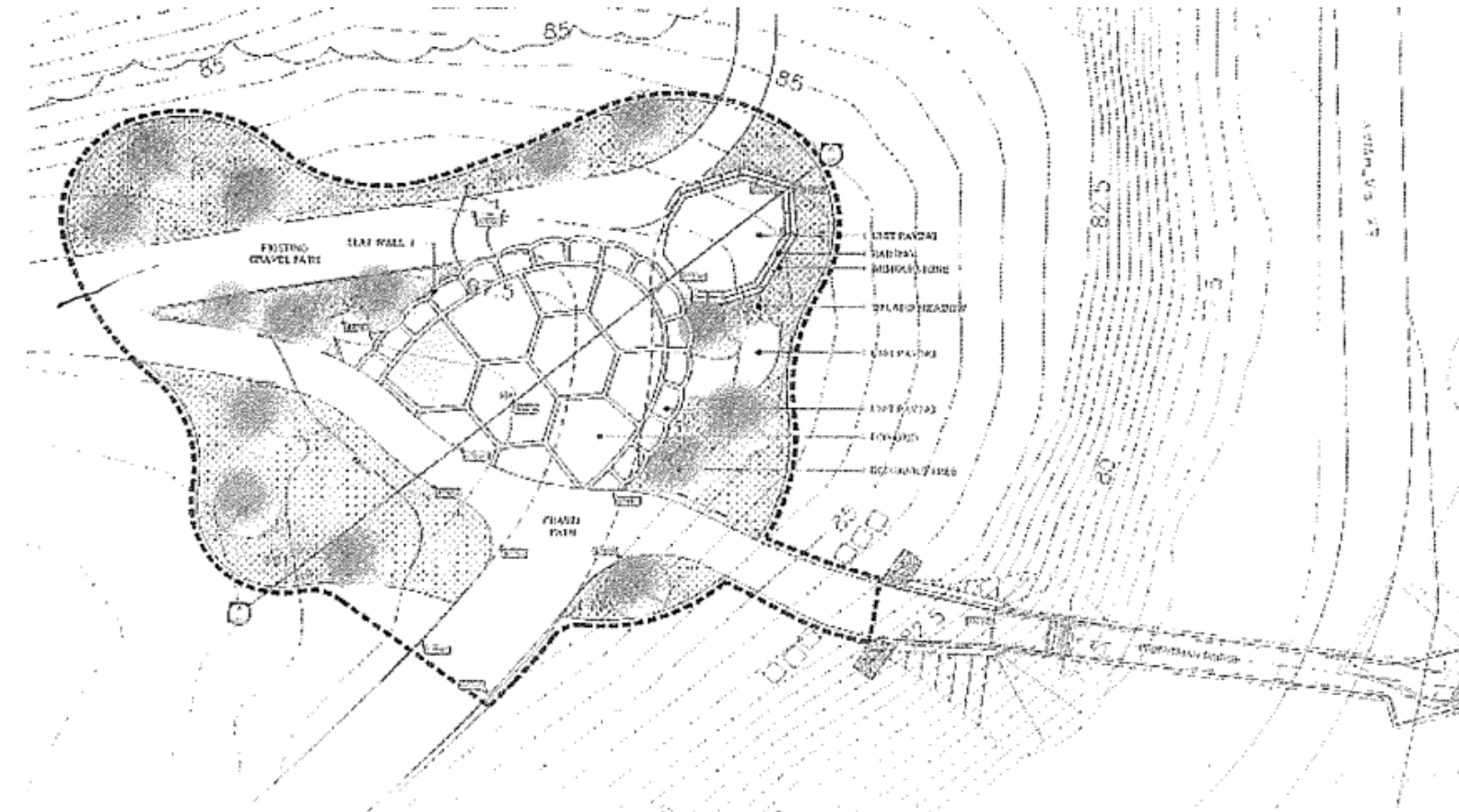


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INSPIRATIONS



SNAPPING TURTLE

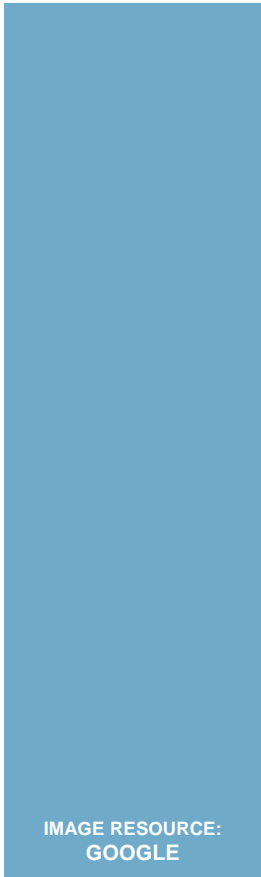
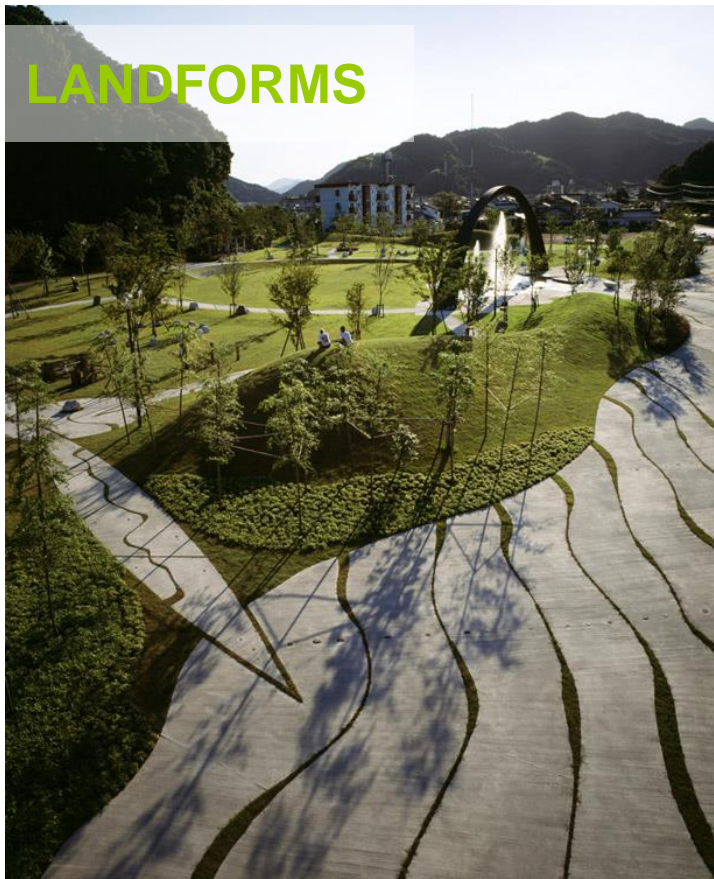


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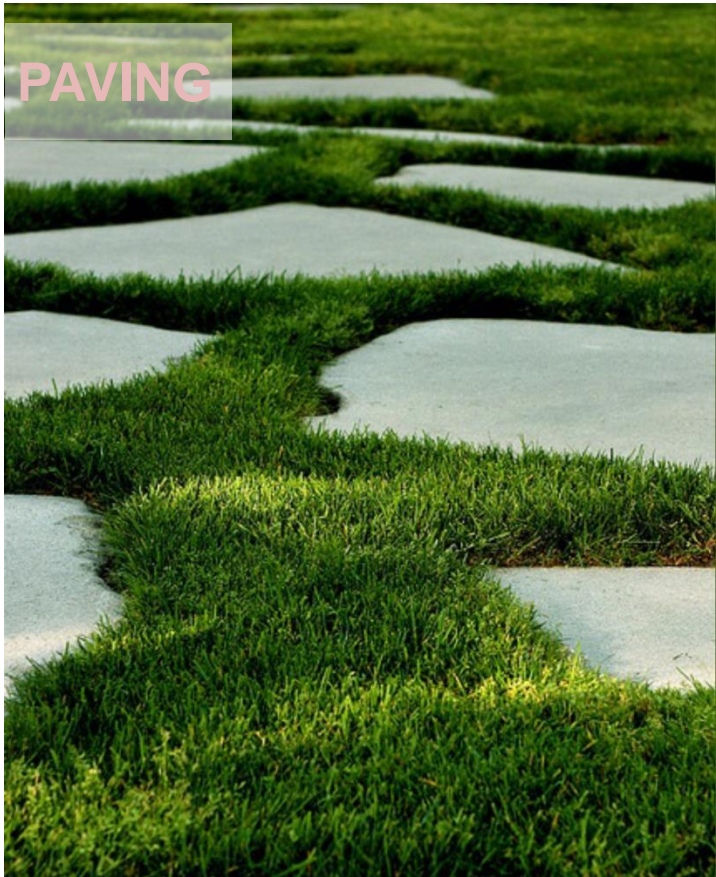
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BUTTERFLY HABITAT



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INSPIRATIONS

SEATING



An aerial photograph of a park area. In the foreground, there is a large, dark pond with several small islands. A winding path or stream flows through the park. In the background, a multi-lane highway with a bridge crosses over a road. The overall scene is a mix of natural greenery and urban infrastructure.

CONSIDERATIONS

- ❖ protect existing habitat
- ❖ protect use by species at risk
- ❖ enhance meadow habitat
- ❖ consider existing regeneration plantings
- ❖ protect existing vantage points and views
- ❖ enhance educational opportunities for engaging with the site's natural and cultural heritage through recreation and interpretation
- ❖ provide inclusive access

LANDSCAPE CONCEPTUAL PLAN

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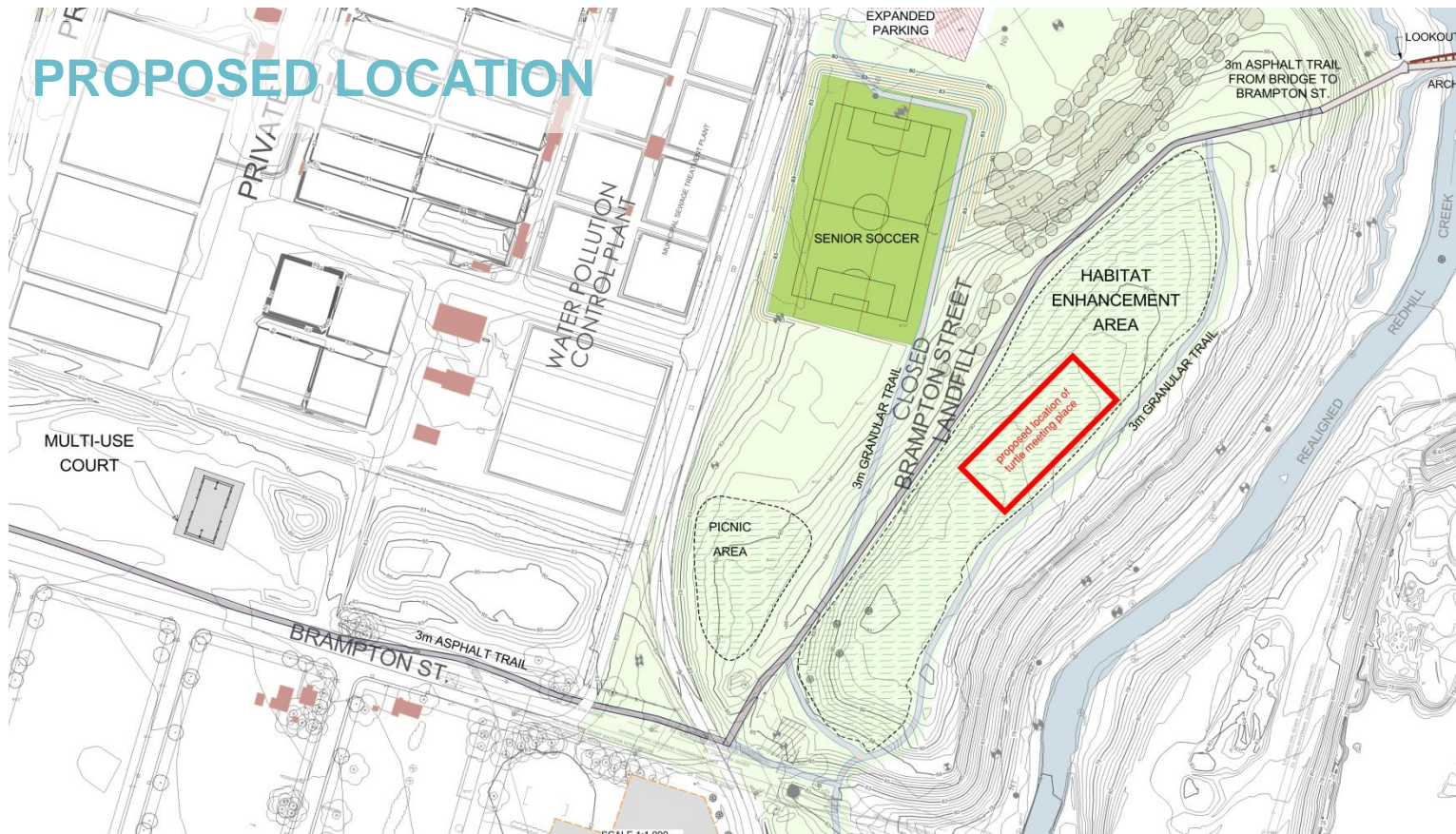
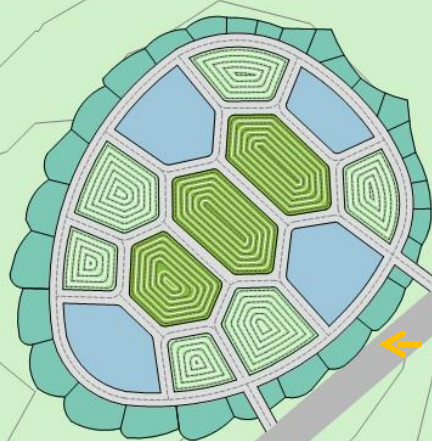


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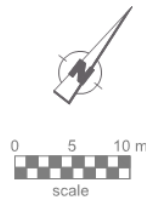
THE DESIGN



LEGEND

- PROPOSED SEATING AREA
- PROPOSED HERBACEOUS SEEDING AREA WITH 3:1 SLOPE
- PROPOSED MIXED HERBACEOUS AND GRASSES

- PROPOSED ORNAMENTAL GRASSES SEEDING AREA WITH 4:1 SLOPE
- PROPOSED 1.2m WIDE PATHWAY
- EXISTING MULTI-USE PATH





LANDSCAPE PLANTING PLAN

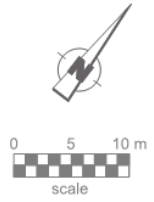


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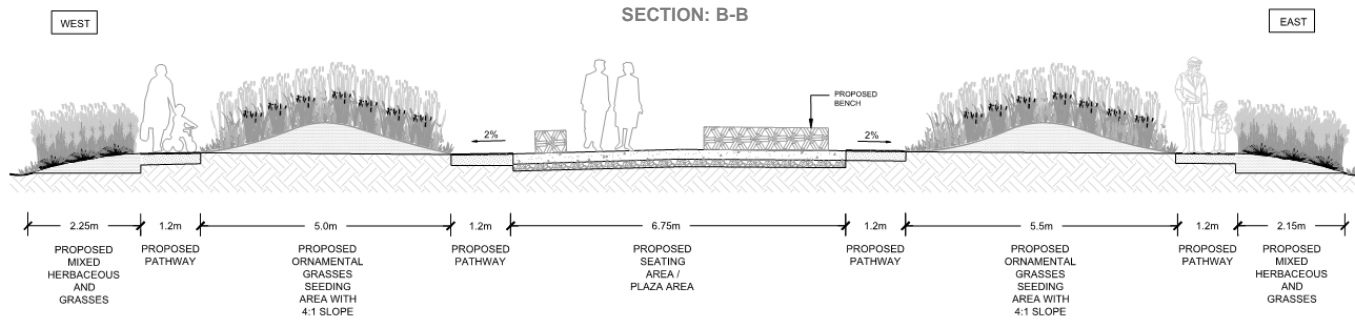
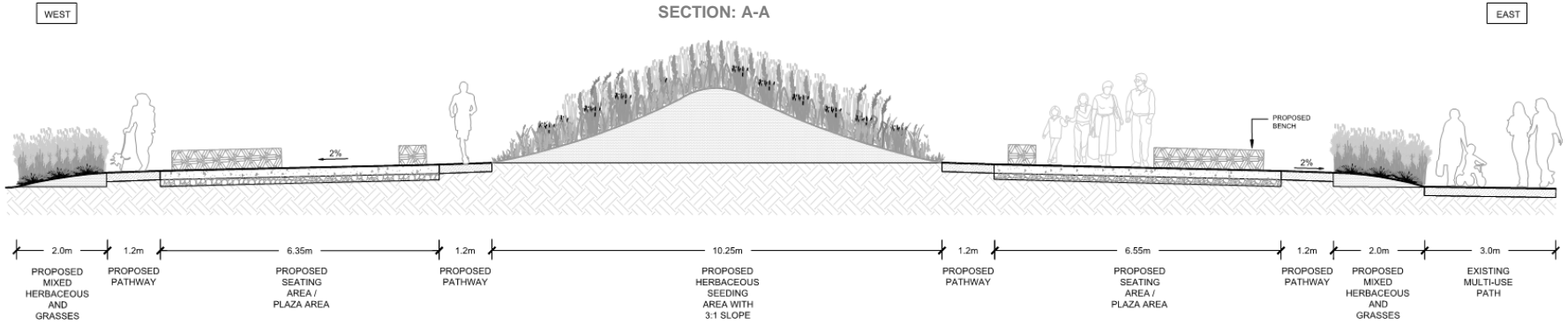
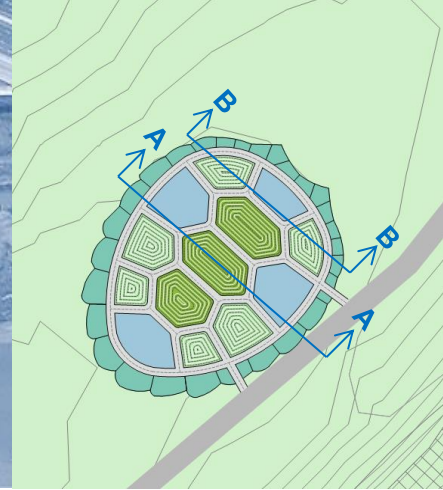
PLANTING SPECIES TO BE SELECTED FROM CONSERVATION HALTON'S RECOMMENDED UPLAND SPECIES LIST

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THANK YOU

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