Pulse Memorial Conceptual Design Workshop

December 12, 2024

Agenda

- Review where we are in the Process
- Overview of Site Options and Committee Comments from Last Session
- Present updated Design Concept
- Receive Committee Input on Concept
- Next Steps

Design Facilitators



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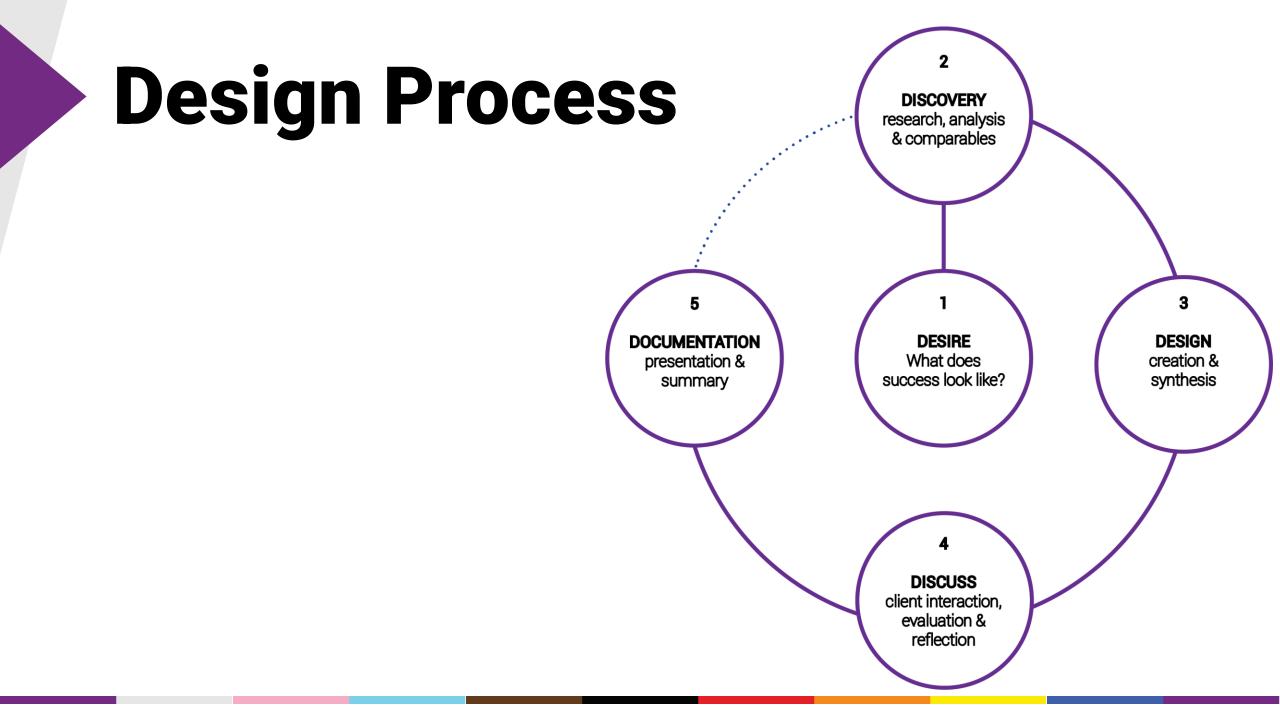
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Desire

Your Thoughts on the Memorial's Mission'

Sanctuary, tranquility, healing, reflection, contemplation

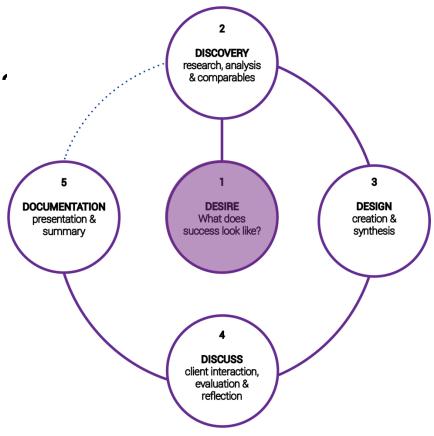
Remember the 49 whose lives were taken in a culturally and linguistically sensitive way, recognizing their identities from multiple backgrounds and sexual orientations (esp LGBTQIA+)

Educate on impact of Pulse on community and world

Love, hope, and acceptance

Resilience, moving forward through adversity

Voice for those affected (survivors, first responders) Honor and celebrate the lives that were brutally taken on June 12, 2016

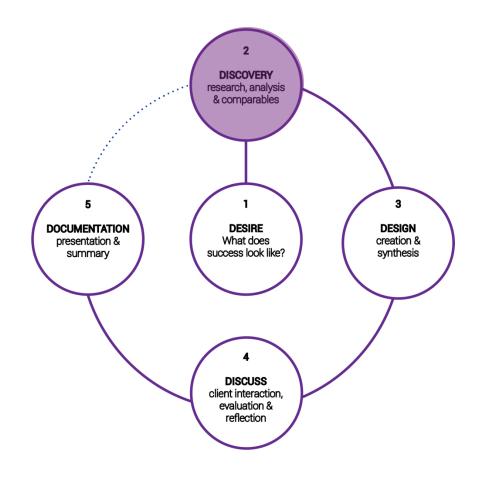


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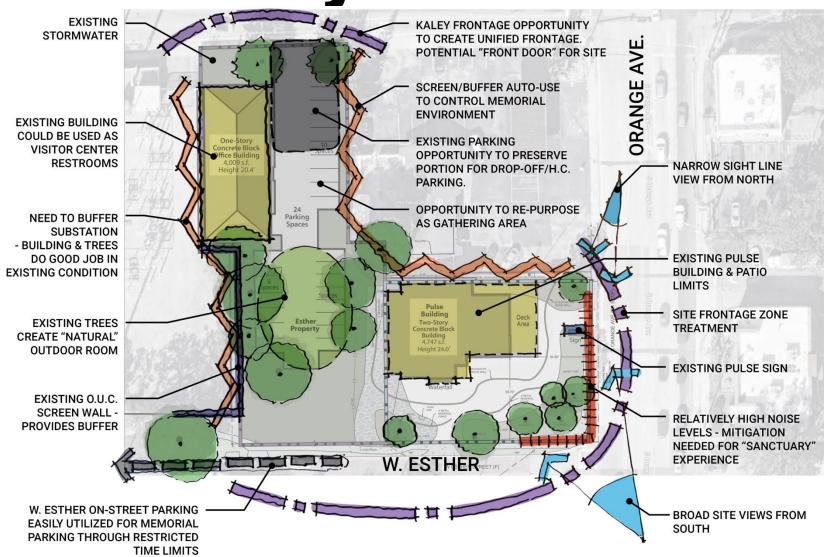
Site Analysis/Opportunities and constraints of the site, and where design elements can occur.

Examine potential **Design Elements**Based on the Surveys that Committee members completed

Measure **Preferences** of committee related to design element images



Site Analysis

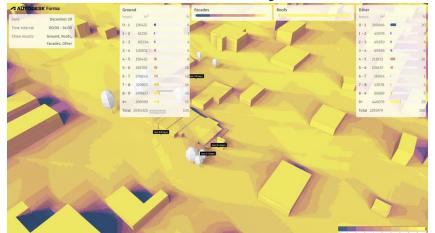


Site Analysis

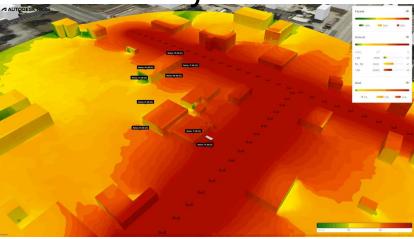
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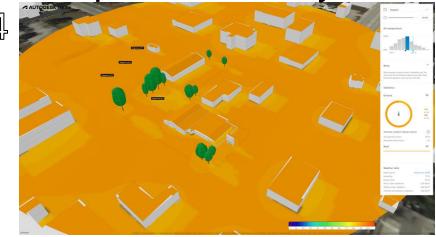
Sun Hours Study



Noise Study



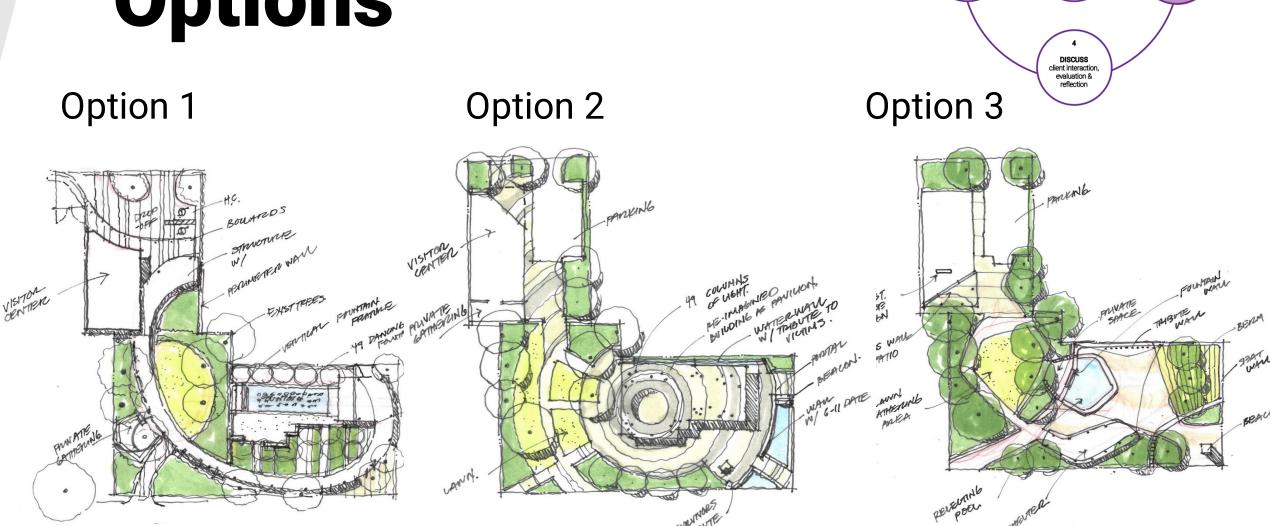
Temperature Study



Design Element Preferences



Site Organization Options



research, analysis & comparables

What does

success look like?

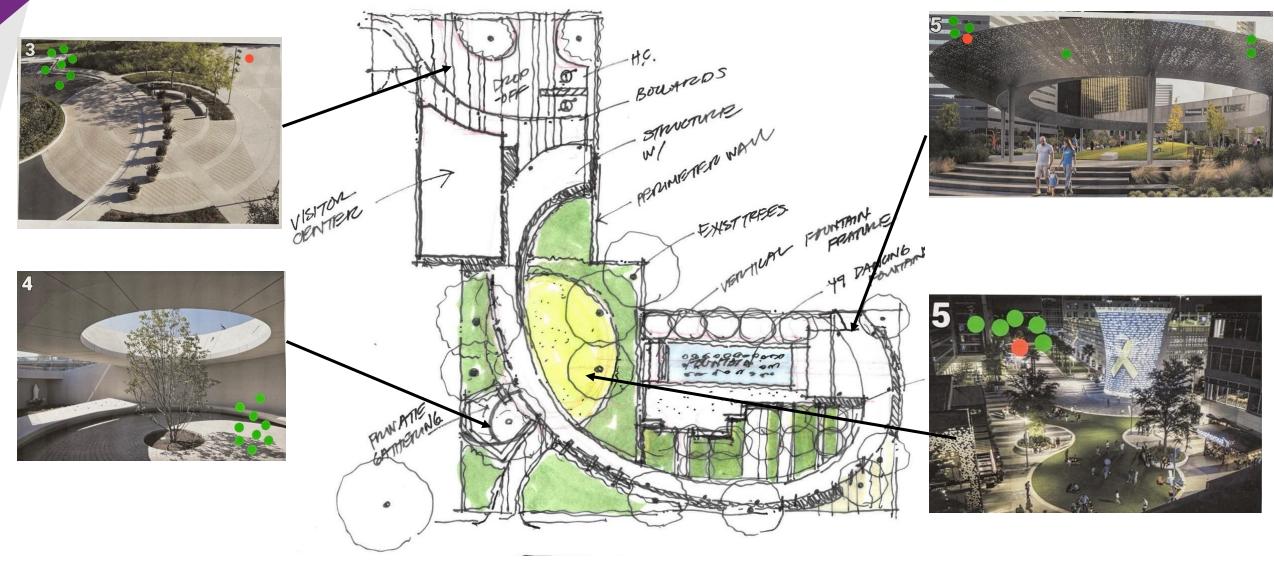
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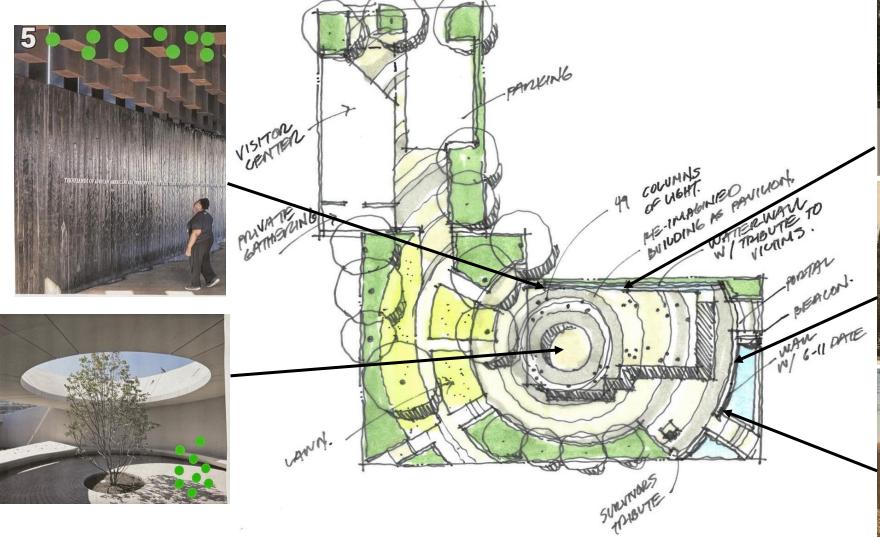
Site Organization Option 1



Option 1 Comments

- Ties everything together well
- colors in the ring or on the columns
- Option 1 seems more beautiful
- too grandiose for intimacy
- 4 (Private Gathering Area) speaks the most
- like that you kept the schematic outline of the building Maybe outline the floor plan in rainbow mosaic
- I do like the 49 (columns)
- I don't think I would want names on those (Orange Avenue) columns
- fountains are too reminiscent of theme parks.
- like the placement of the privacy gathering
- could we include nationalities
- like the flag or something similar next to the name
- I do like the garden and the path

Site Organization Option 2





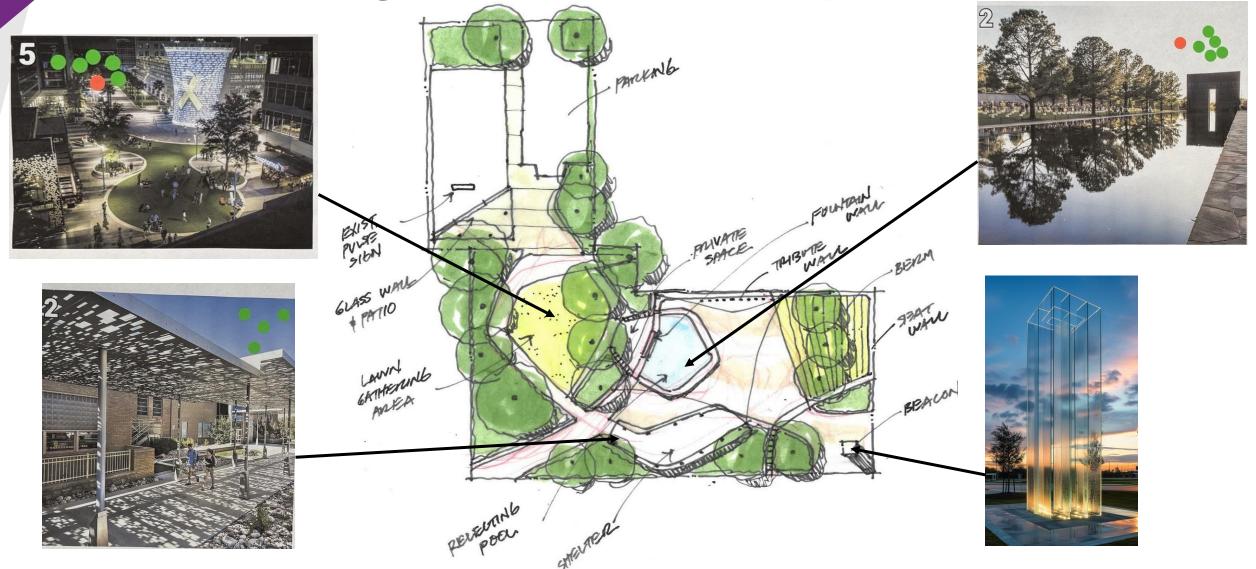




Option 2 Comments

- Dignified, more of a memorial feel, inspires hope, change
- I like the idea of the shoes
- Appreciate keeping the floorplan as the pavilion
- I did not like Option 1. I love Option 2
- As Latins we celebrate with music. If there is a funeral, or a celebration, there is music.
- Need a small monument for each one who was killed. for when family members go there, Could we place a capsule there, with objects given by the family members, under a plaque Bringing in something spiritual. I think that is missing
- The Pulse sign was something that stayed lit for years after the tragedy...I would love to see the sign stay.

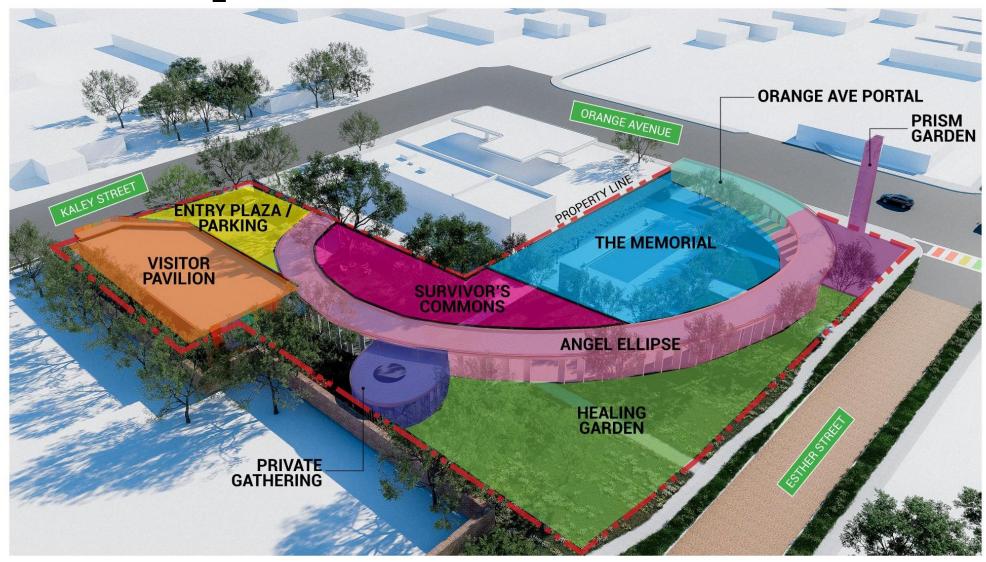
Site Organization Option 3



Option 3 Comments

- I do like the glass element
- Reminds me of a park (not in a good way).
- Would like to relocate the Pulse sign to that corner
- Regarding the objects from the families....it would take time to contact the families and get the objects. I love the ideas, but we would have start right now.
- What I like about this design is that it changes the landscape. I like that you know there is a memorial from a distance. It will become an icon of that street. All of the options should have that quality
- I like the art element
- The preservation of the building, there is so much symbolism, as you heard, it is sacred. If parts can be kept and covered, or sealed in, I would like that....I think it would be meaningful to keep them within the site

Concept Site Zones











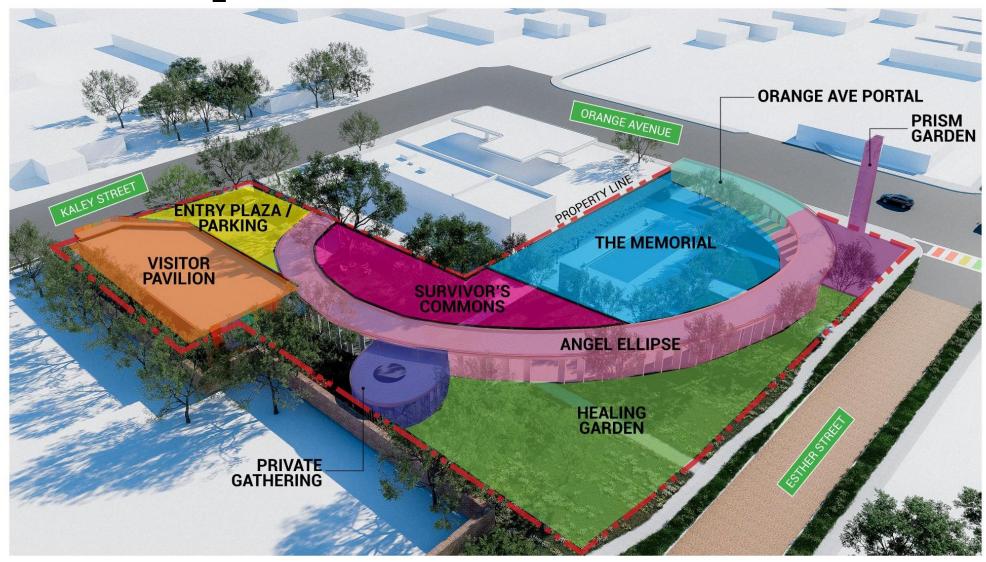








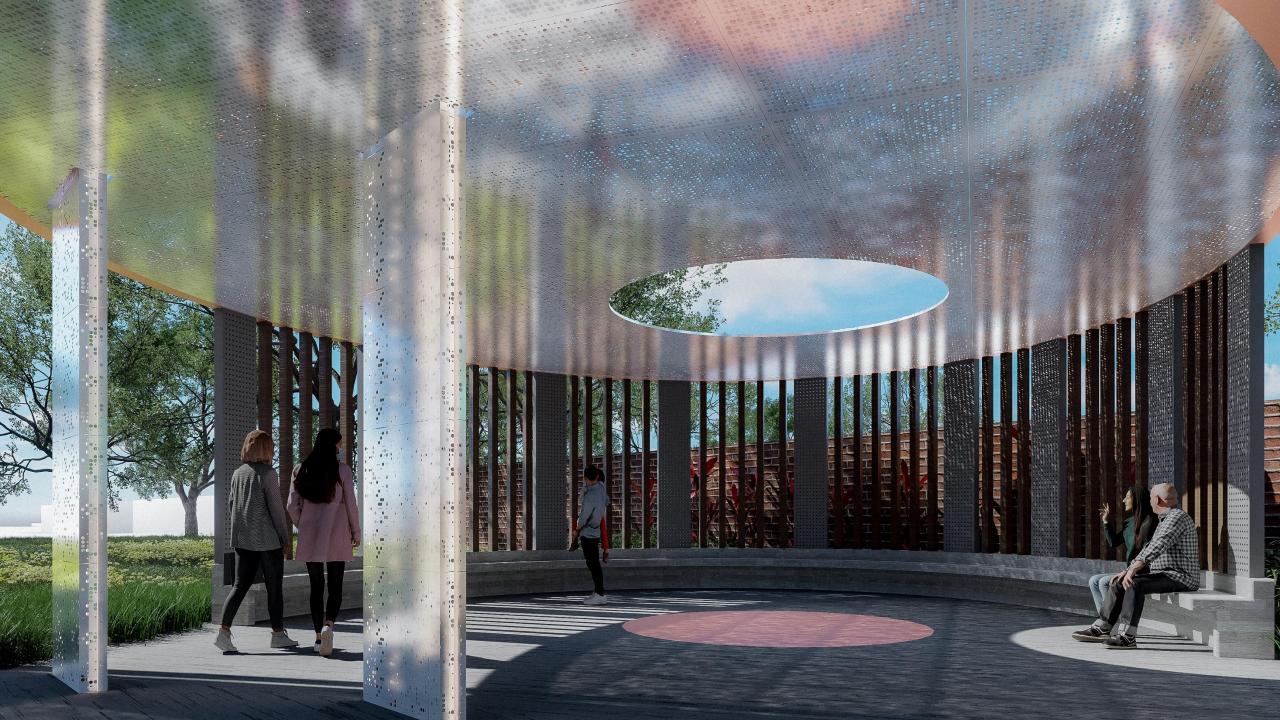
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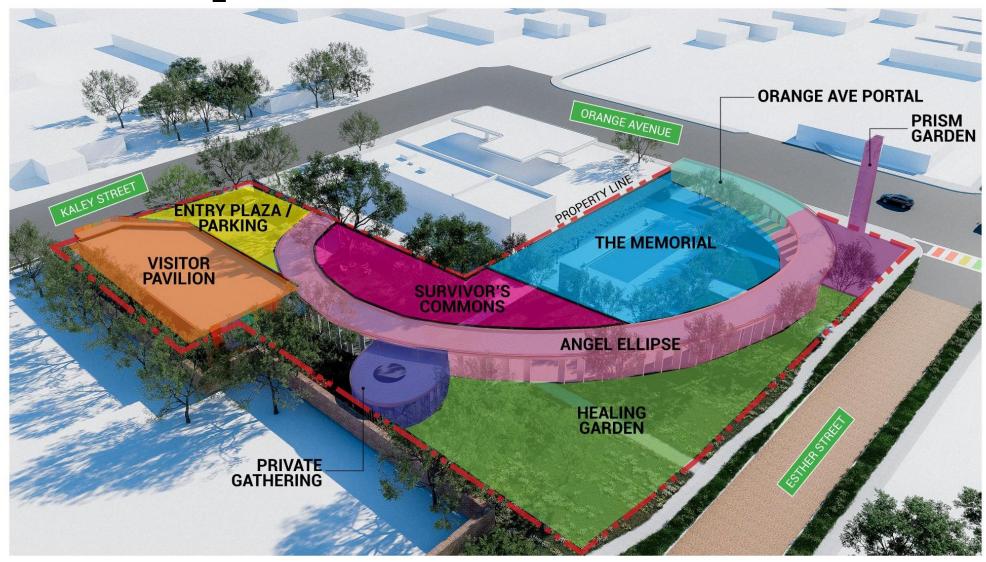








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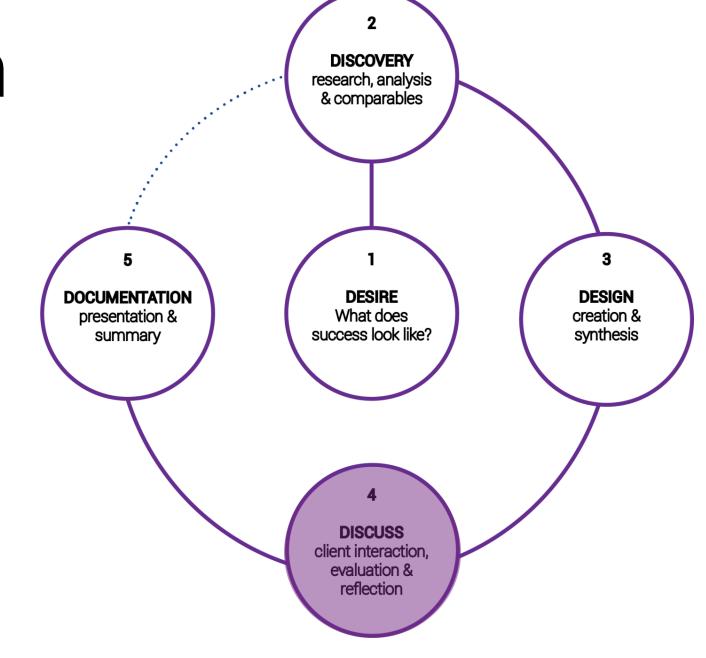


Design Concept Update



- ENTRY PLAZA
- 2 PARKING
- **3** VISITOR PAVILION
- 4 ANGEL ELLIPSE
- 5 PRIVATE GATHERING
- SURVIVOR'S COMMONS
- SURVIVOR'S WALL
- 8 HEALING GARDEN
- 9 FOUNTAIN WALL
- 10 REFLECTION POOL
- 11 OBELISK
- 12 PRISM PLAZA
- 13 PARALLEL PARKING

Discussion



Next Steps

Design Team will Refine Plan Based on Tonight's Discussion

January – Present Final Concept

Issue Design/Build Request for Proposal (RFP)

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