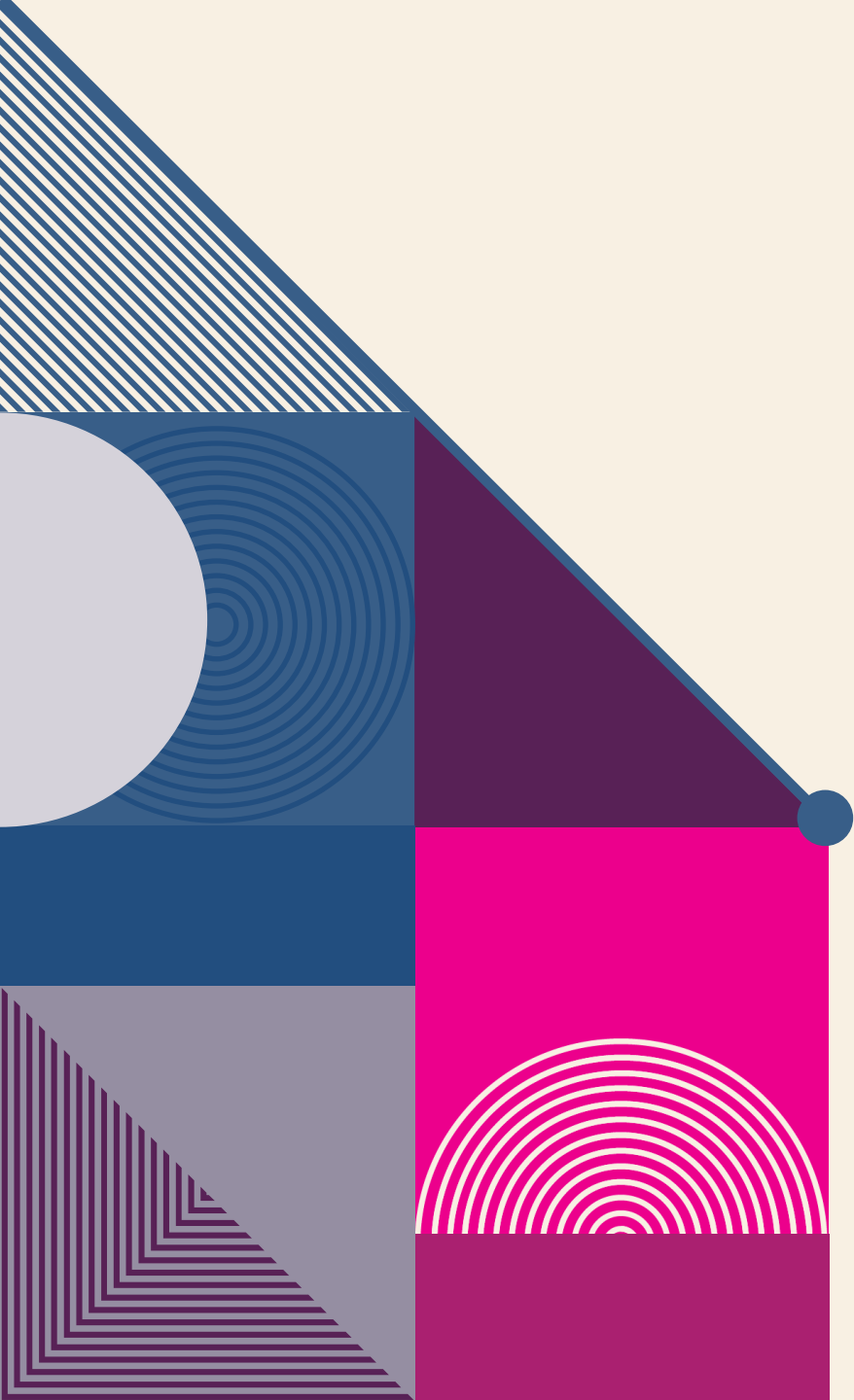




CIVIC CENTER PARK PLAYGROUND IMPROVEMENTS

City Council Study Session
May 22, 2025



AGENDA

Project Goals

Design and Engineering Contract

Public Engagement

Concept Plan

Timeline



PROJECT GOALS

- Remove and replace concrete
 - ADA Compliance
 - Reduce risk
- Replace playground
 - Slide broken late 2024 – removed
 - Increase accessible play features
 - Playground equipment life expectancy
- Refresh surrounding structures
 - Repaint restroom exteriors and pavilions



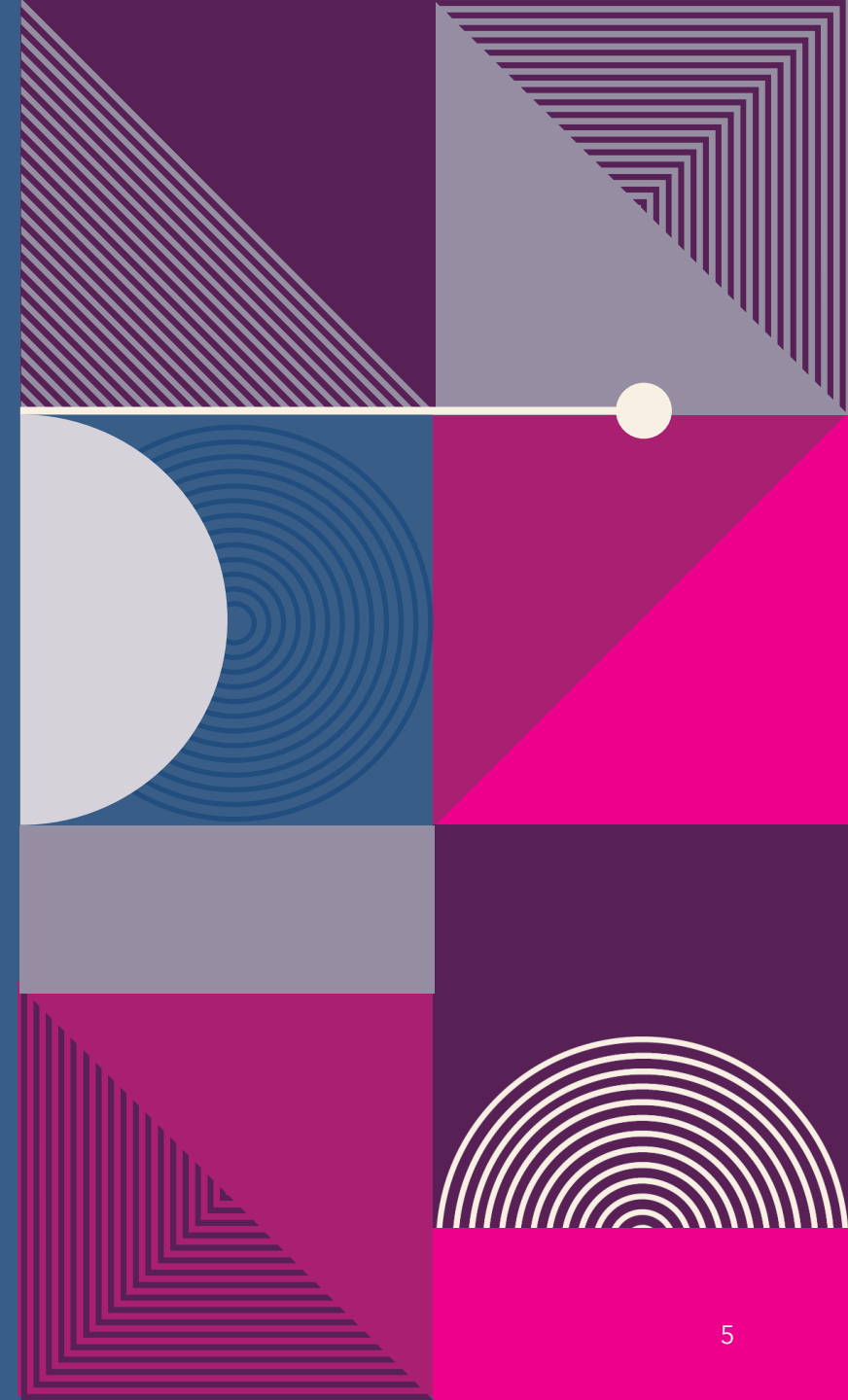
DESIGN AND ENGINEERING CONTRACT

Michael Baker International, Inc.
Subcontract: In-Site Landscape
Architecture

- Demolition plan
- Precise grading plan
- Flatwork
- Playground equipment
- Shade structures
- Landscape and irrigation
- Public engagement

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

- Community survey 3/31/25 through 4/21/25 on EngagePalmDesert.com
- Two in-person outreach events
 - Saturday, April 5 from 9 – 11 am
 - Wednesday, April 9 from 2 – 4 pm
- Social media posts
- 147 survey respondents
- Survey Report on engagement outcomes





PALM DESERT

Let your voice be heard!



CIVIC CENTER PARK Playground Upgrade Project

The City of Palm Desert would like your input to help determine priorities for the future Playground Upgrade Project:



Take the Online Survey (prior to April 18th)



Join us for ice cream at the Park

**Saturday April 5, 9am - 11am
Wednesday April 9, 2pm - 4pm**

For more information please visit www.engagepalmdesert.com/playground

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

CIVIC CENTER PARK Playground Upgrade Project





PALM DESERT CIVIC CENTER PARK PLAYGROUND UPGRADE PROJECT



TAKE THE SURVEY:

Help us plan for future upgrades to the playground at Civic Center Park! Take a quick survey to let us know what new equipment or upgrades you would like to see!

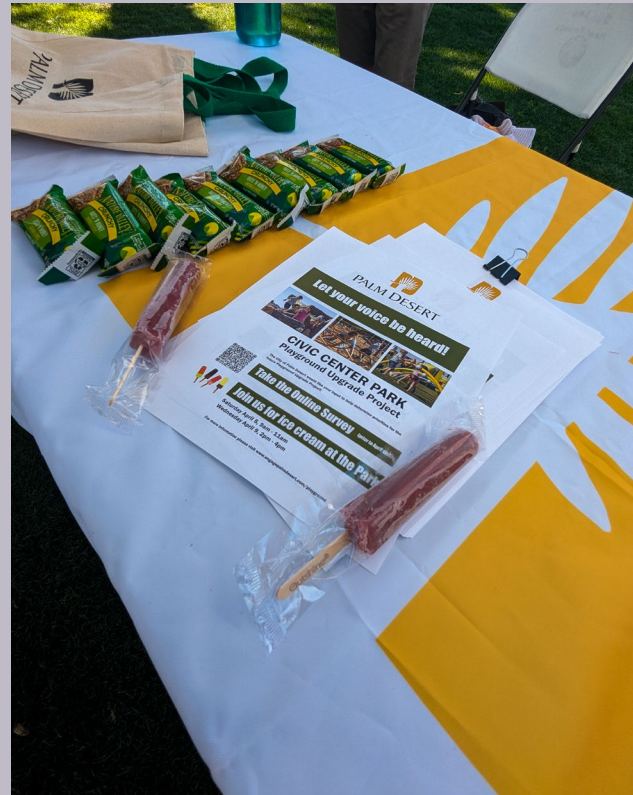


**MORE
INFORMATION**

EngagePalmDesert.com/Playground



PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT



SURVEY RESULTS

- Majority visit playground for children's play
- 2/3 in morning or evening, 1/3 in afternoon
- Age groups balanced, but less in over 10 group
- More than half are satisfied with current facilities
- Most feel the playground is safe
- More than half feel there is enough shade
- About half feel there is adequate seating and ADA-accessible equipment
- About 75% would like to see more Nature-Based elements (rocks, native plantings, birds, butterflies)
- Mixed responses on overall design style
- restrooms, drinking fountains, lighting, and picnic tables



CONCEPT PLAN



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PLAY EQUIPMENT





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TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
4/5/2025 & 4/9/2025	Outreach Events
5/6/2025	Parks & Recreation Committee
5/22/2025	City Council Study Session
June 2025	Finalize Bid Package and Construction Bidding
July 2025	Start Construction
September 2025	Estimated Construction Completion



THANK YOU

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