

# Iroquois Park

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# North Overlook Design

## Design Team



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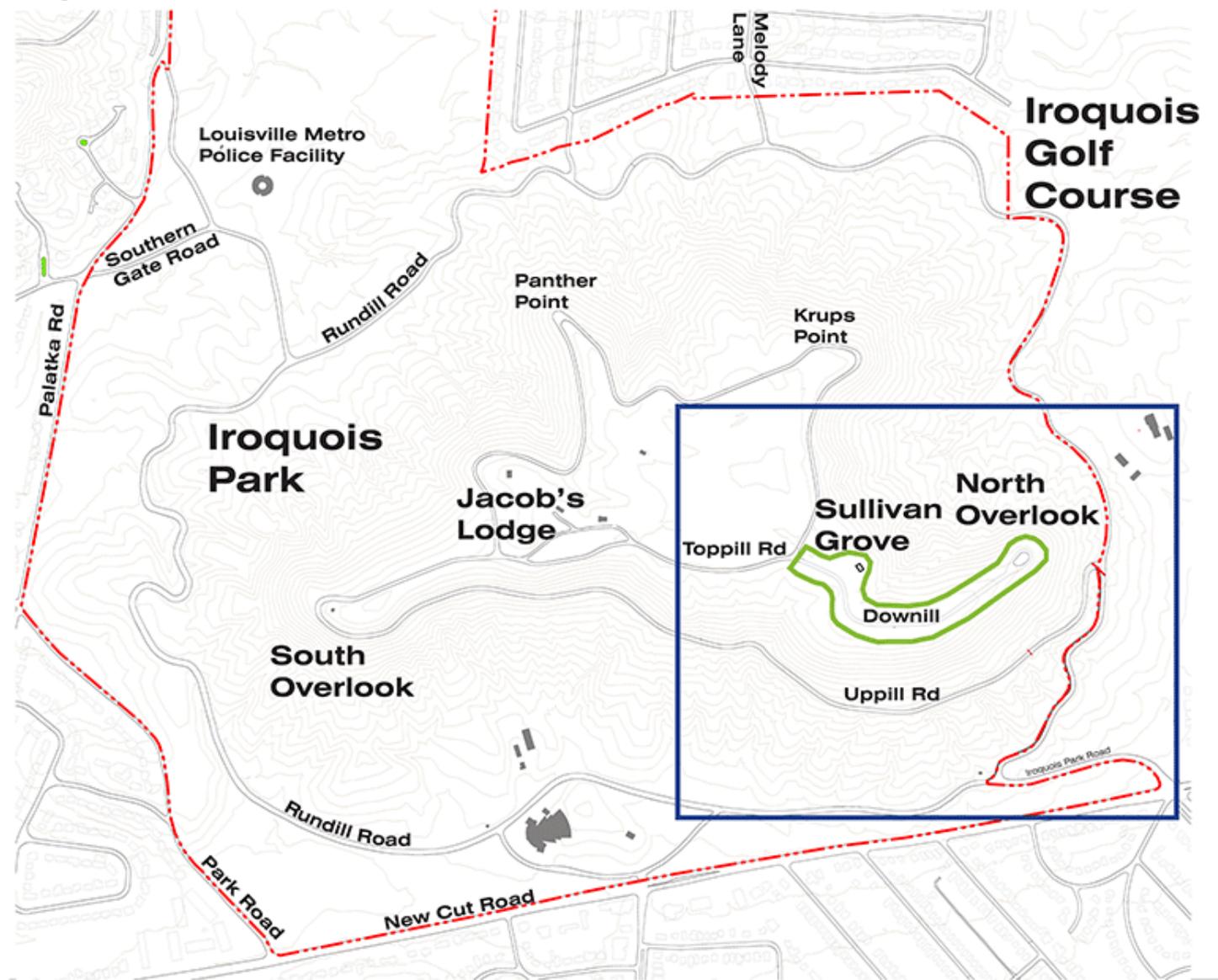


*Historic Preservation*



*Landscape Architecture*

Panel 1  
Project Location

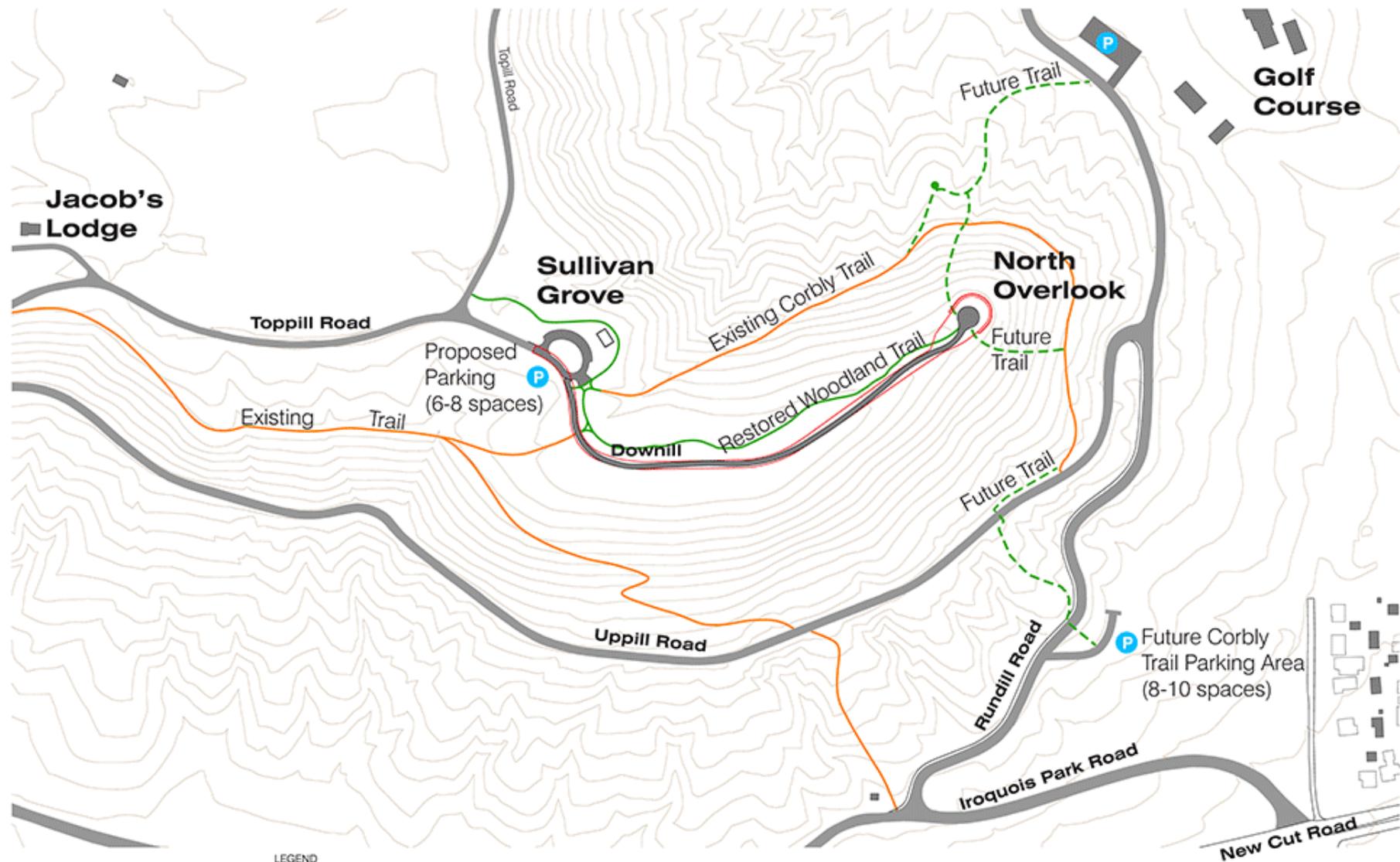


Existing Conditions Legend

-  Park Boundary
-  Project Study Area
-  Construction Area



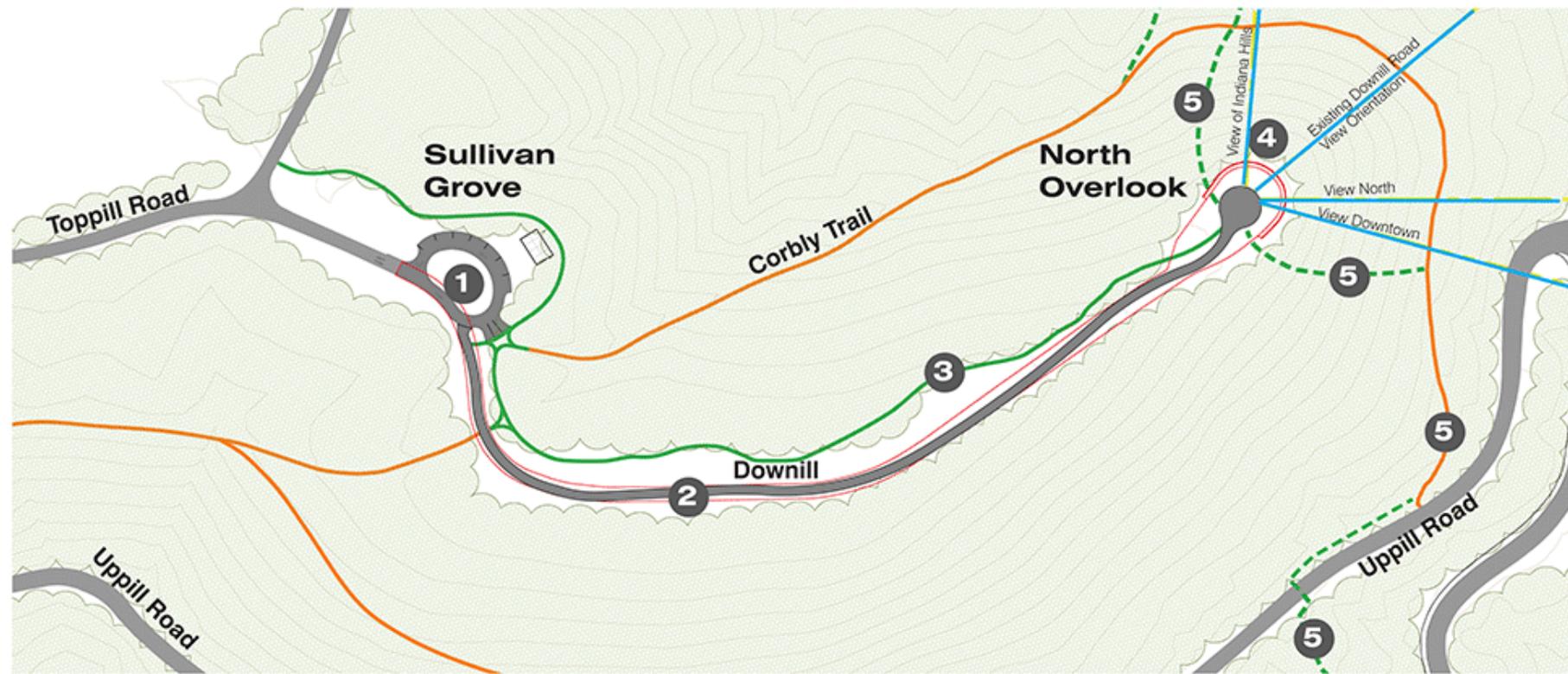
Panel 2  
Pedestrian Circulation Study



LEGEND  
— Existing Trail  
— Proposed Trail  
- - - Future Trail  
P Parking



Panel 3  
**Sullivan Grove to North Overlook**



**1**

**Sullivan Grove Trailhead and Picnic Area**

- a Trailhead.
- b Two ADA parking spaces.
- c Seven layby parking spaces.
- d Picnic tables.
- e Hub for woodland trail network.
- f Beginning of accessible path to North Overlook.

**2**

**Accessible Path to Overlook**

- a Path meanders within existing Downhill Road pavement area to minimize impacts on existing trees.
- b Sitting places provided at 300 feet +/- intervals.
- c Path terminates at the North Overlook aligned with view of Ohio River valley and Indiana knobs.
- d Road steepness reduced for wheelchair accessibility.

**3**

**Restored Woodland Trail**

- a Follows historic trail alignment.
- b Foot path width, mulch surface.
- c Connects to accessible path to form a loop.
- d Ends at the redesigned North Overlook.

**4**

**Northern Overlook**

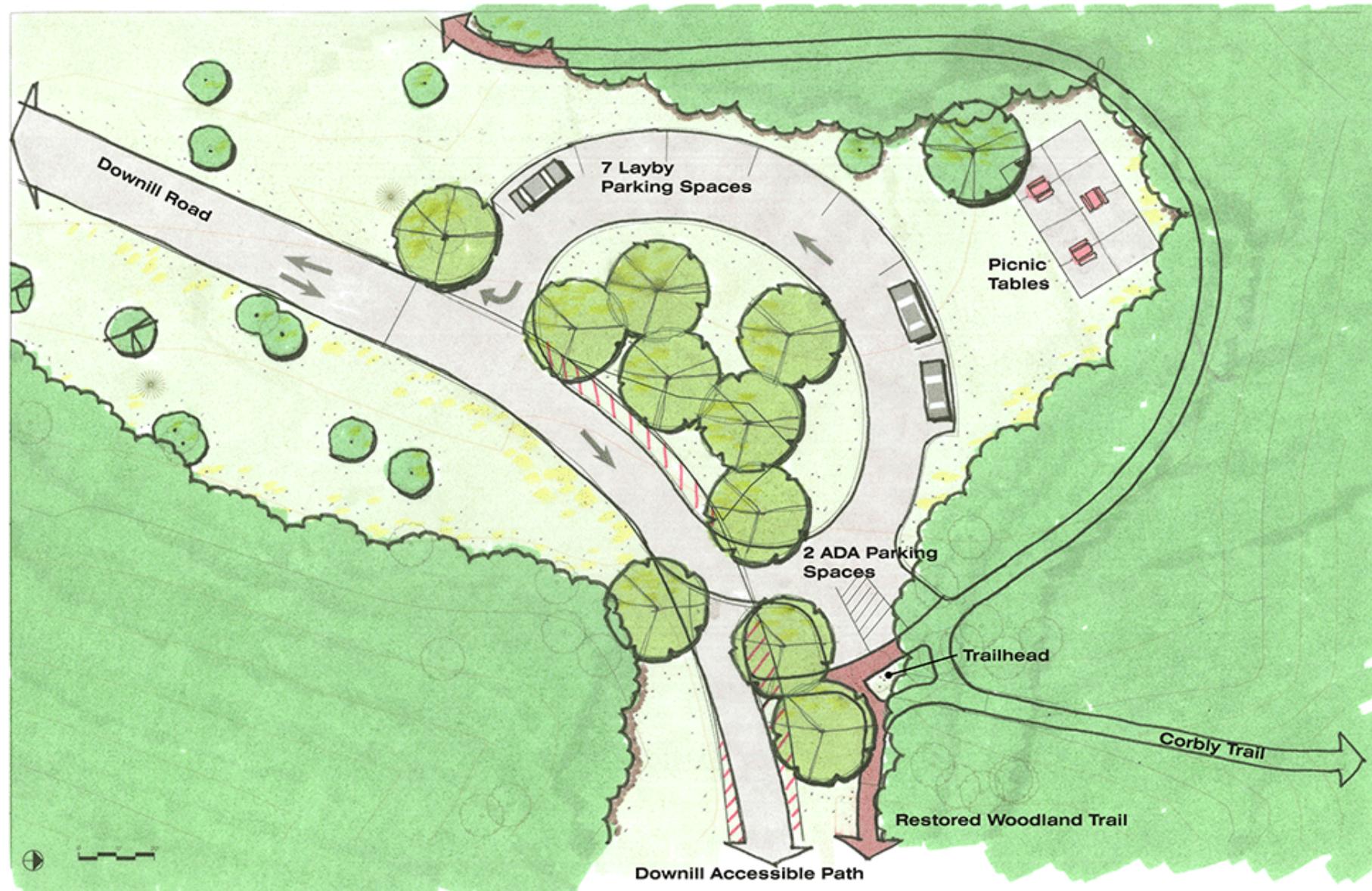
- a Human scale overlook.
- b Rustic stone seating tiers oriented to view.
- c Natural overlook design with grassy open slopes and raingardens.
- d Regrade slope to open views.

**5**

**Path Connections**

- a Connect to Corbly Trail.
- b Connect to trailhead parking on Uppill Road.
- c Accommodates different origin points and creates loops for walks.
- d Both gentle and steep route alternatives.

# Sullivan Grove Trailhead and Picnic Area Plan



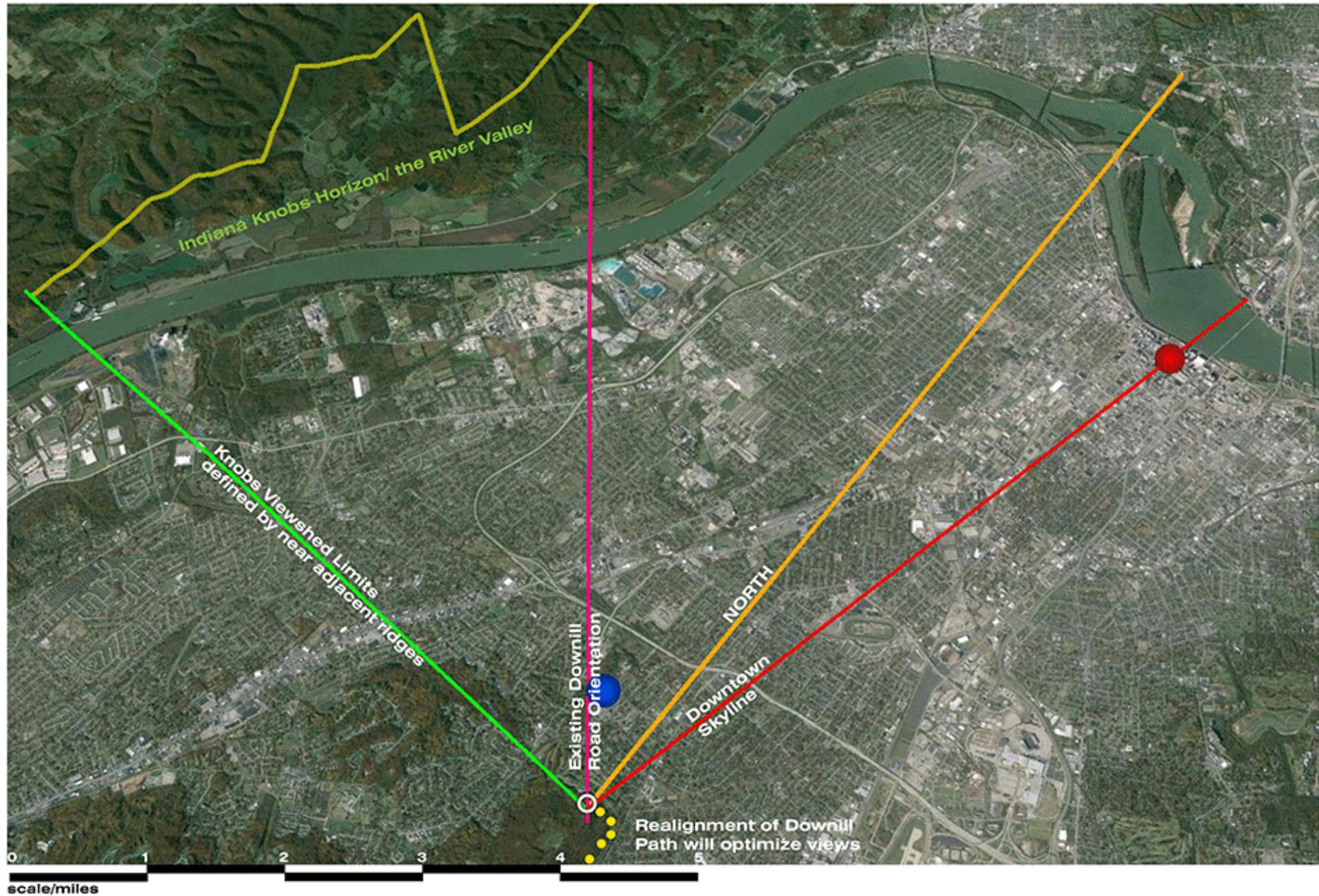
**Panel 5**  
**Sullivan Grove Trailhead and Picnic Area Character Sketch**



**Panel 6**  
**North Overlook Approach Character Sketch**



# Overlook Viewshed Analysis



**View from current Downhill Alignment**



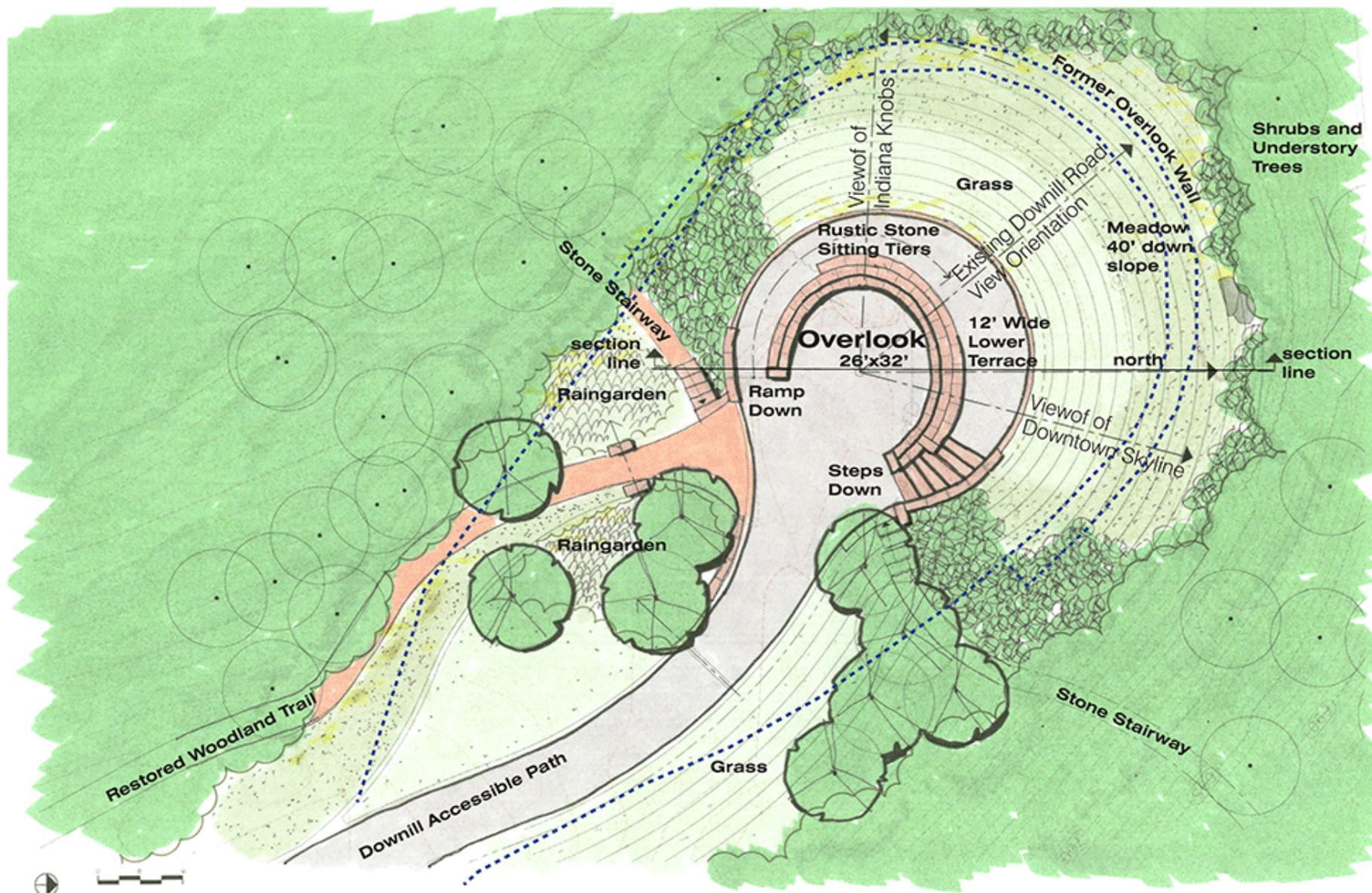
# Ohio River valley and Indiana ridge line view alignment of new Overlook Design



**Downtown View Alignment of new Overlook Design**



Panel 8  
North Overlook Plan



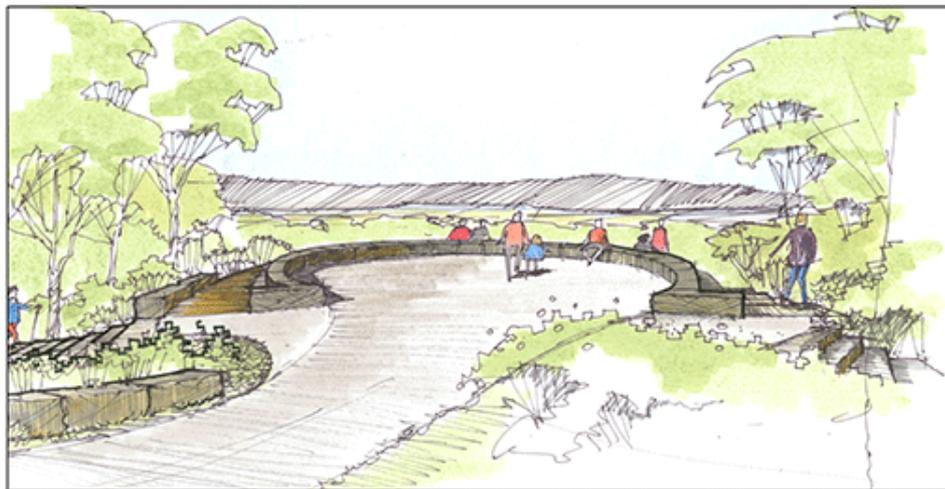
**Panel 9**  
**North Overlook View Character Sketch**



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Existing Overlook View



Proposed Overlook View

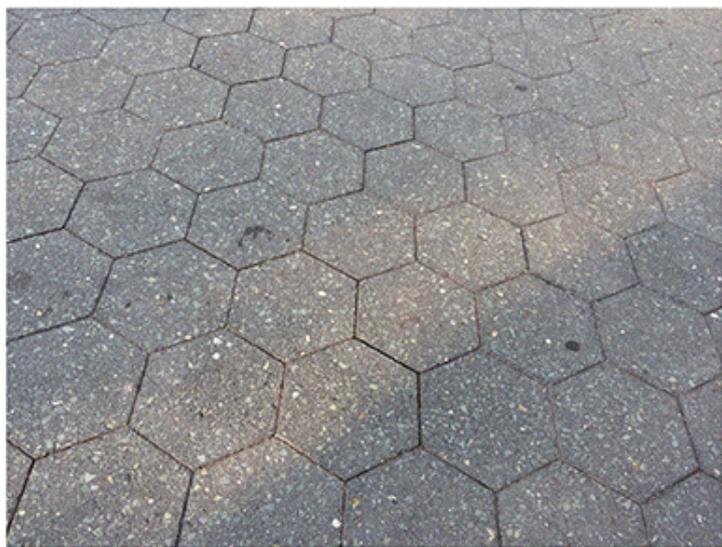
## Material Palette Examples



Rustic Stone Seating Tiers and Stone Block Wall



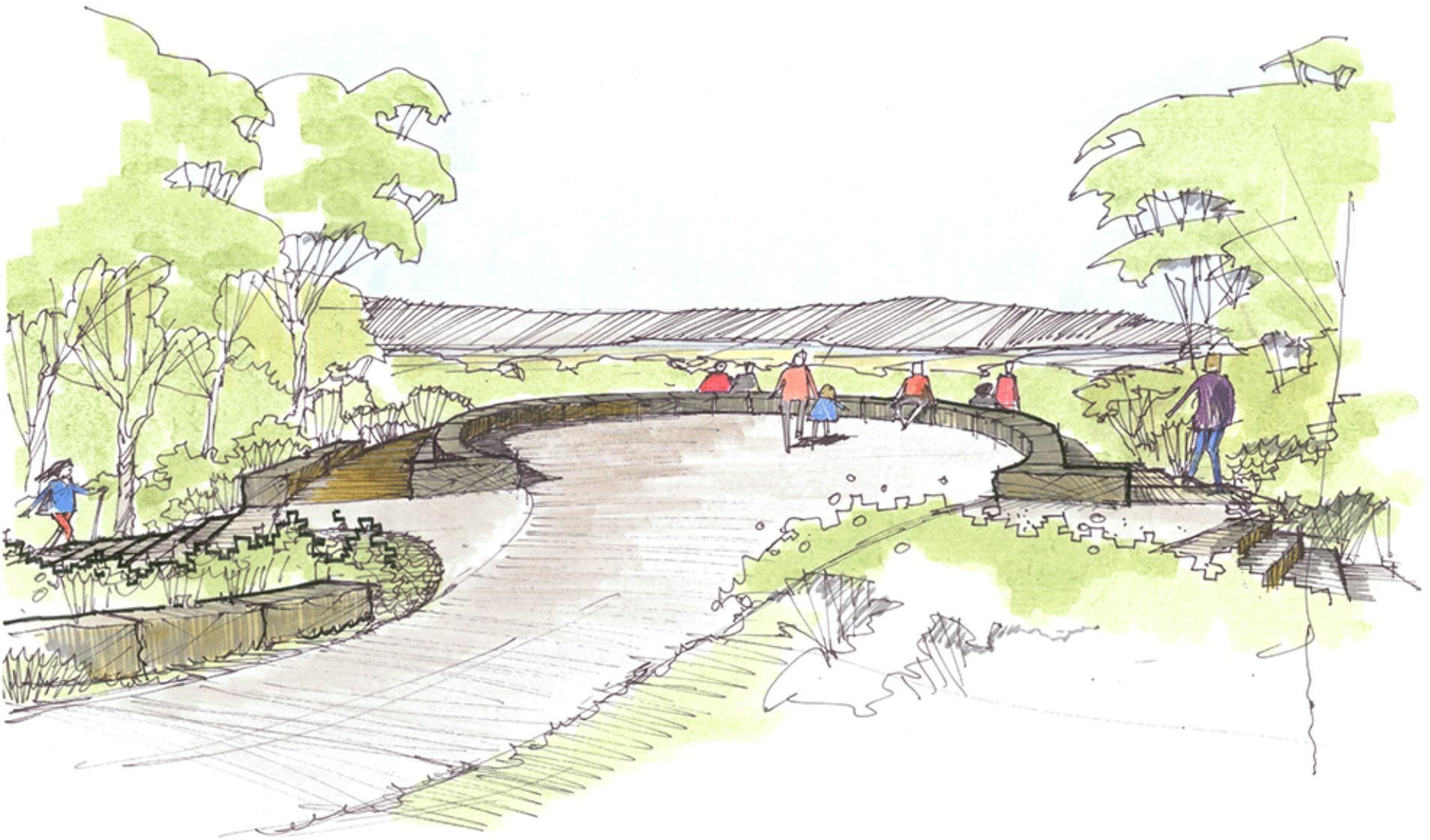
Raingarden Plantings



Asphalt Pavers at Overlook Terrace



Asphalt Pavement for Downhill Accessible Path



Thank You

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Visit Stations and Talk with Representatives



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