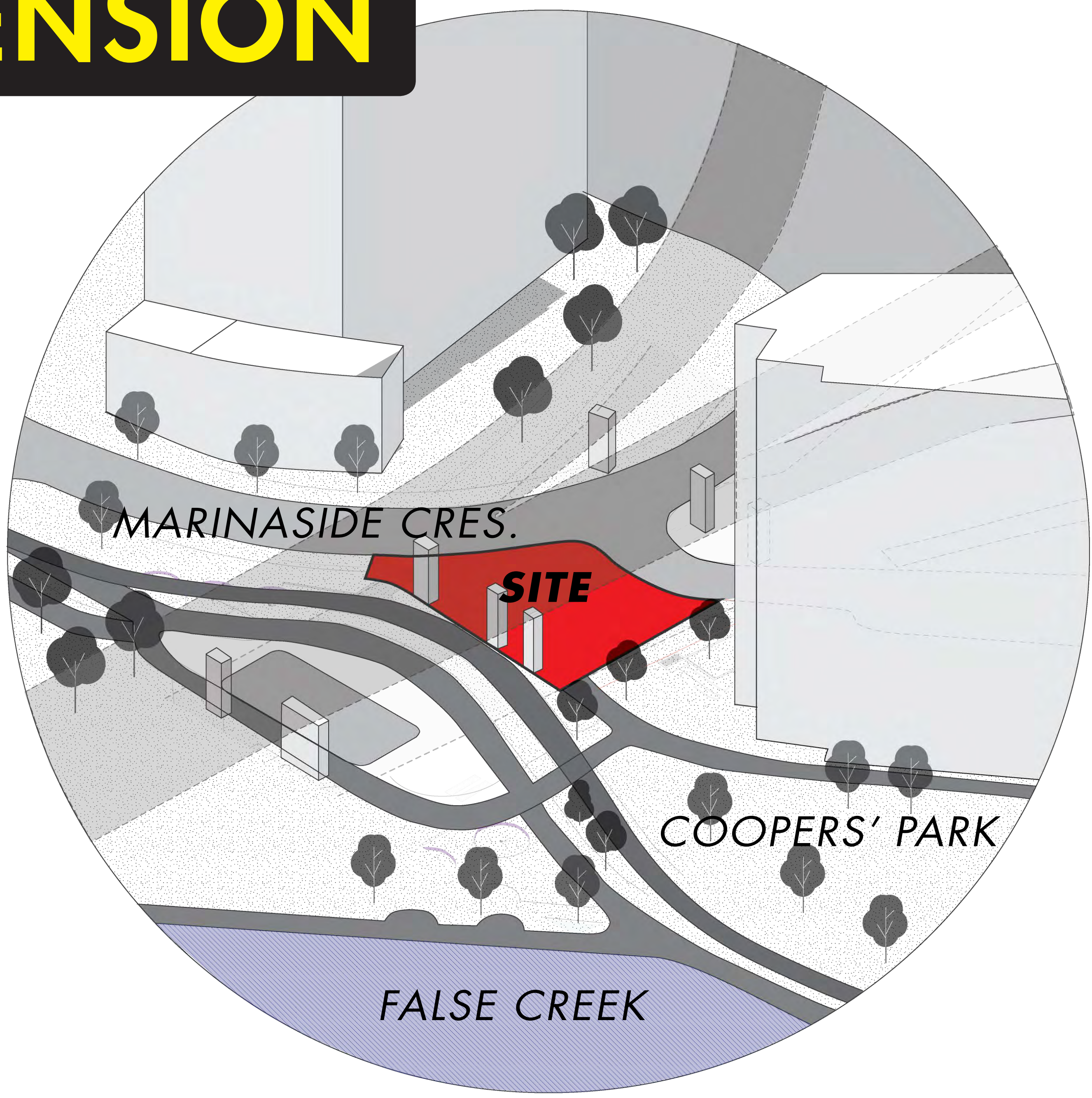


COOPERS' PARK EXTENSION

WELCOME!



WHAT'S HAPPENING?

COOPERS' PARK IS EXPANDING!

We have an exciting opportunity to expand Coopers' Park into the adjacent area under Cambie Bridge. The park already has a well-used playground and skate park under the bridge and we are exploring ideas for an additional activity.

Developing under the bridge provides a number of benefits such as:

- increased park space
- cover from the weather and the opportunity for activity year round
- a uniquely urban environment
- vertical surfaces and design opportunities
- entryway into the park from current pedestrian bridge access

Building public space under bridges is increasingly popular as available land becomes more limited in cities, and this is an opportunity to create something unique for Vancouver.

Our team has completed early site analysis and design research and a summary of that work is shown here.

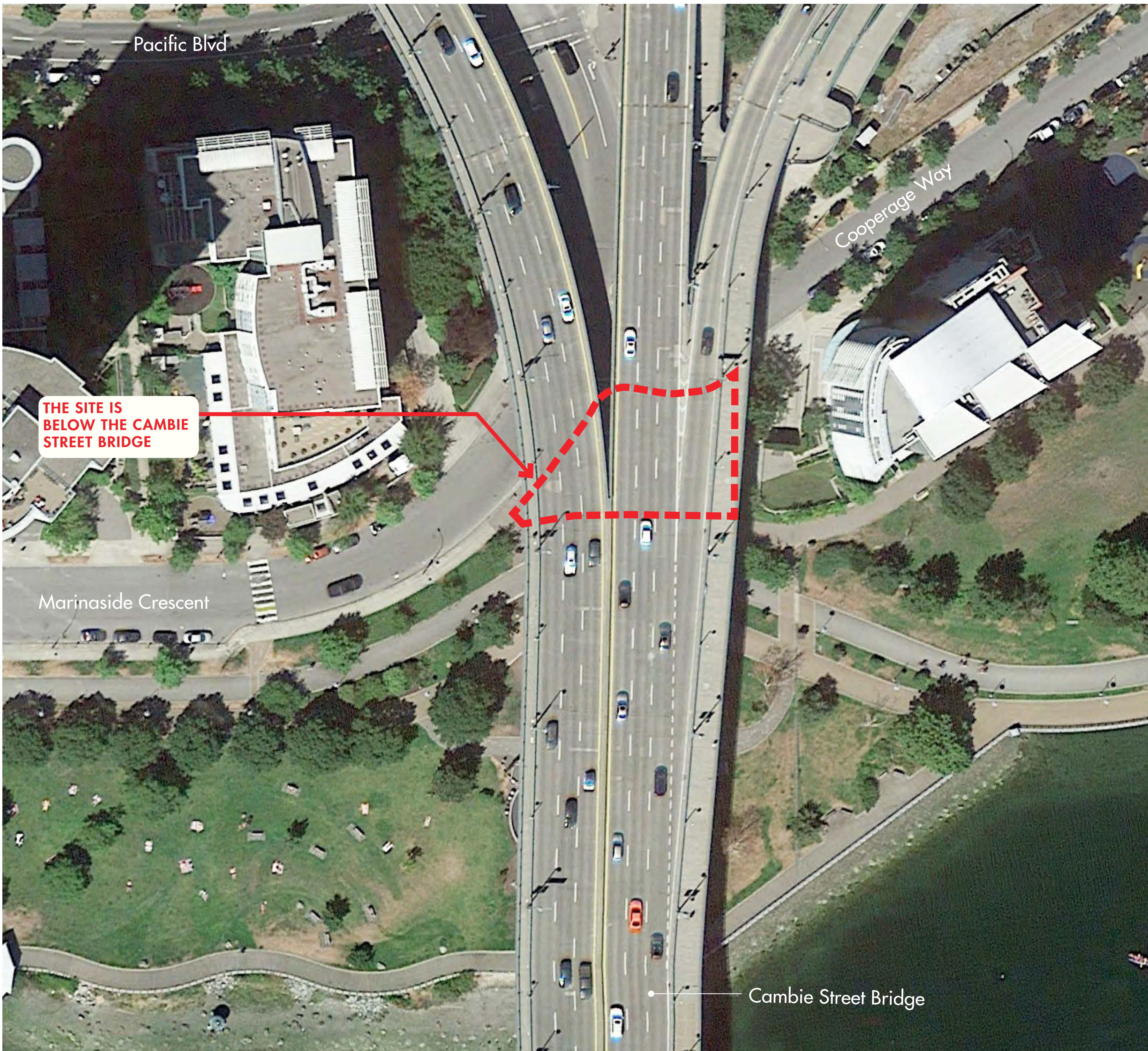
Options to activate the space are currently being explored, and we want to hear from you! Your feedback will help inform how the space is programmed and what features are included in the proposed design.

WHEN?

WE ARE HERE

FALL 2017	WINTER 2017	MAY 2018	SUMMER 2018	FALL 2018	WINTER 2018	2019
DESIGN TEAM ASSEMBLED	SITE ANALYSIS AND DESIGN RESEARCH	FIRST PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SESSION	CONCEPTUAL DESIGN DEVELOPMENT	SECOND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SESSION	SEEK PARK BOARD APPROVAL	DETAIL DESIGN CONSTRUCTION TBD

WHERE?



PROJECT GOALS

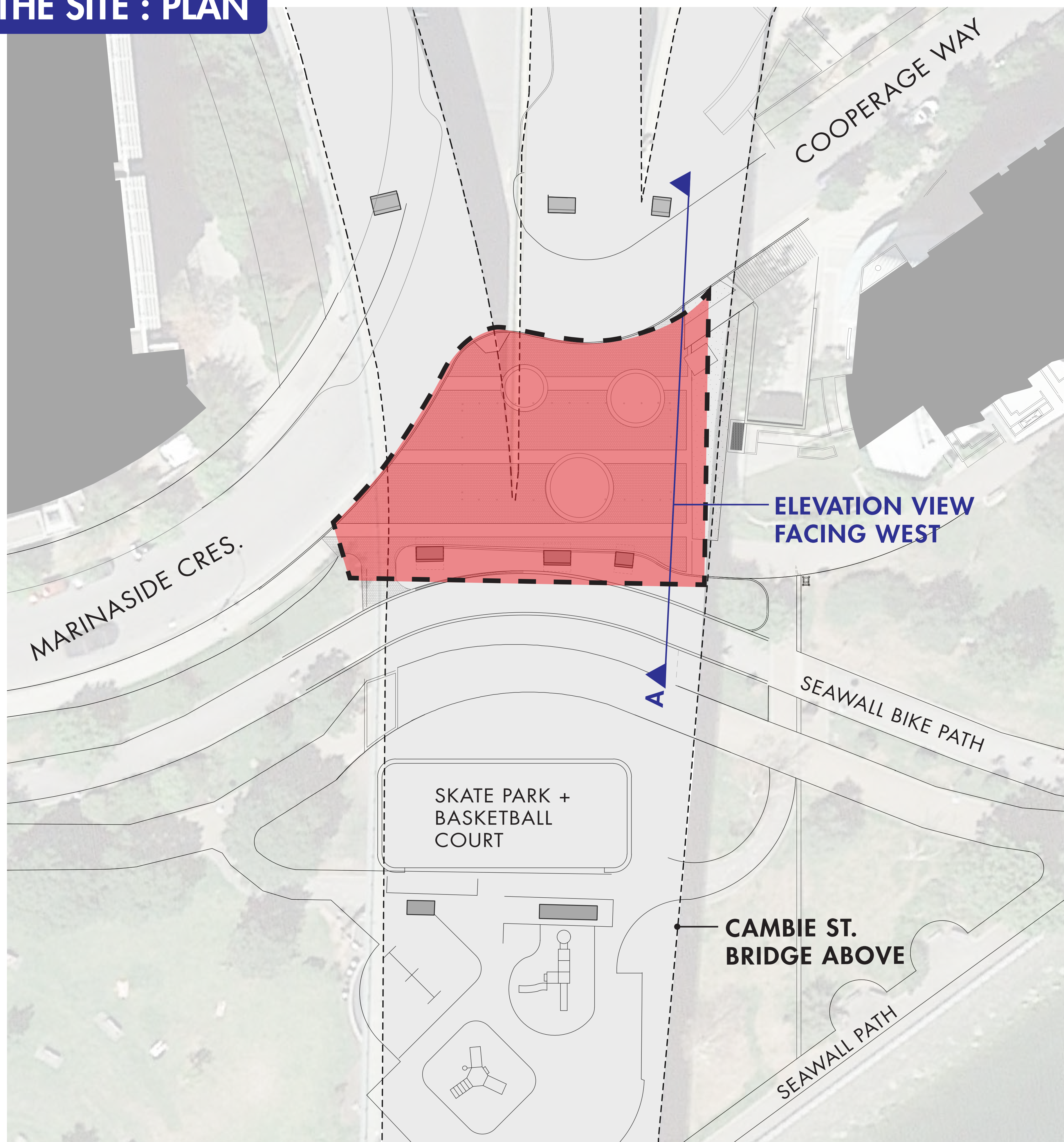
- Create a safe and welcoming environment
- Design an engaging and surprising activity or feature
- A design that reflects Vancouver culture
- Useable and inviting both day and night
- Make it fun!



COOPERS' PARK EXTENSION

ANALYSIS

THE SITE : PLAN



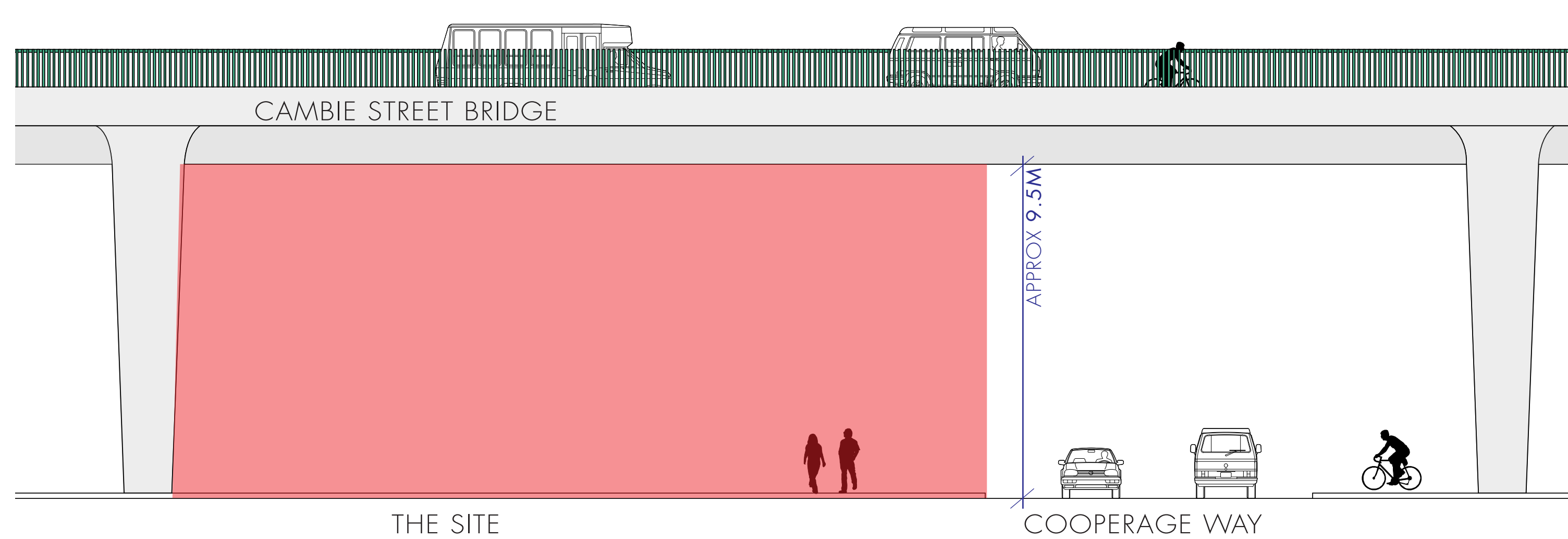
THE GOOD

- Large covered area
- Highly visible location in a dense urban setting
- On established pedestrian and bicycle routes
- Adjacent to well used park

AND THE NOT SO GOOD (FOR NOW)

- No reason to stop
- Lack of identity
- Noise from bridge above
- Lack of light during winter

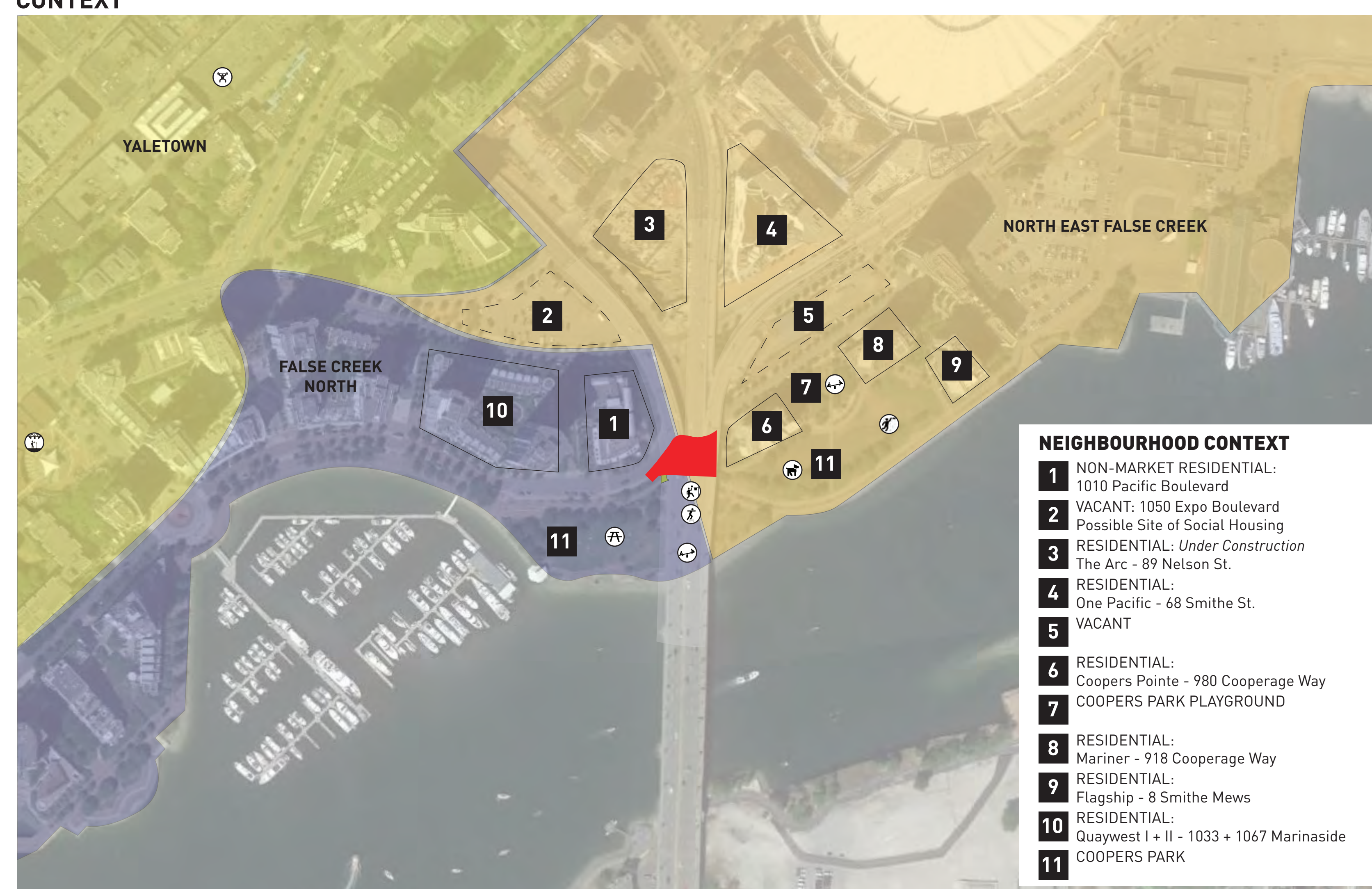
THE SITE : ELEVATION A



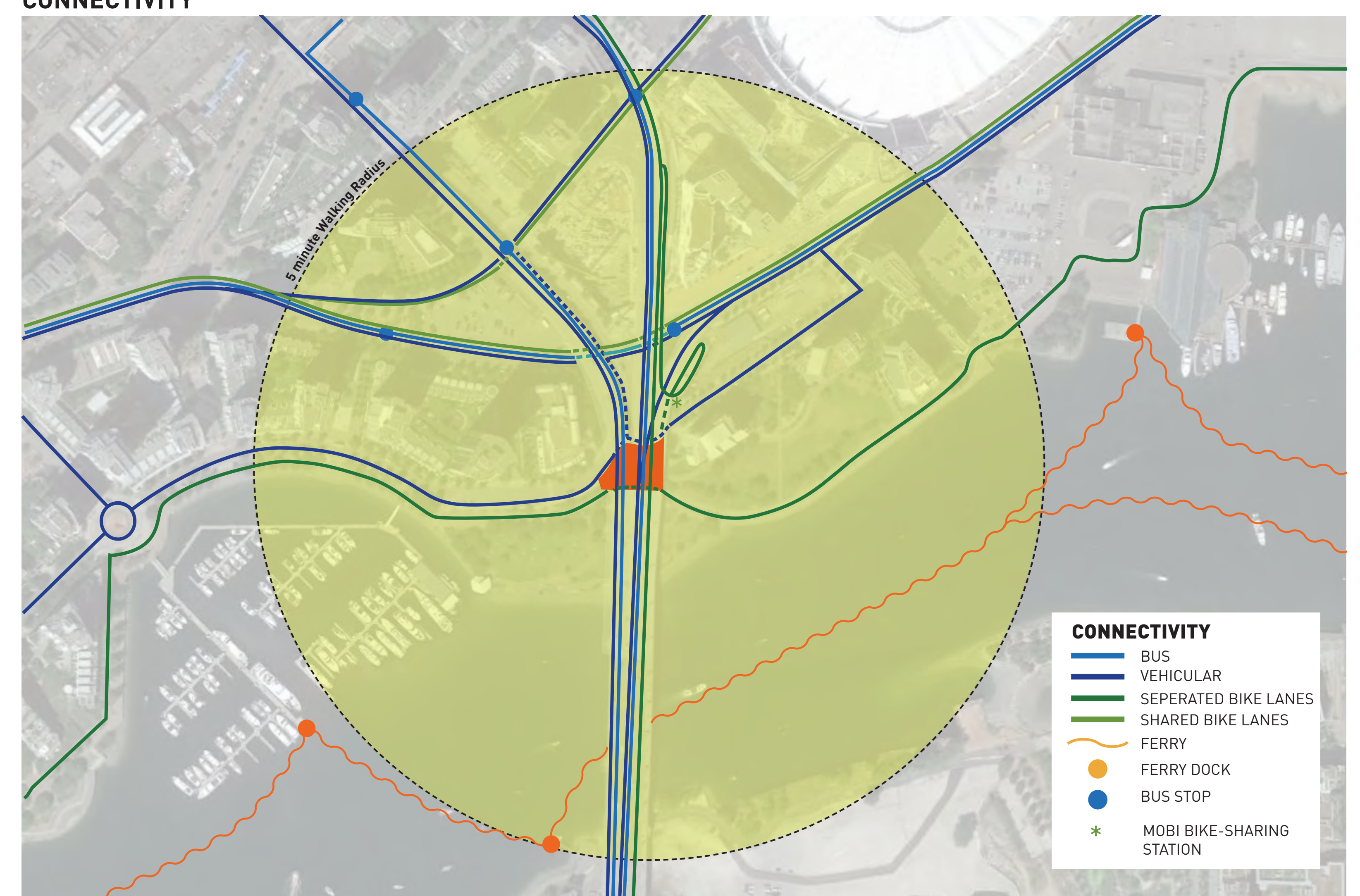
EXISTING CONDITIONS



CONTEXT



CONNECTIVITY



EXTENSION

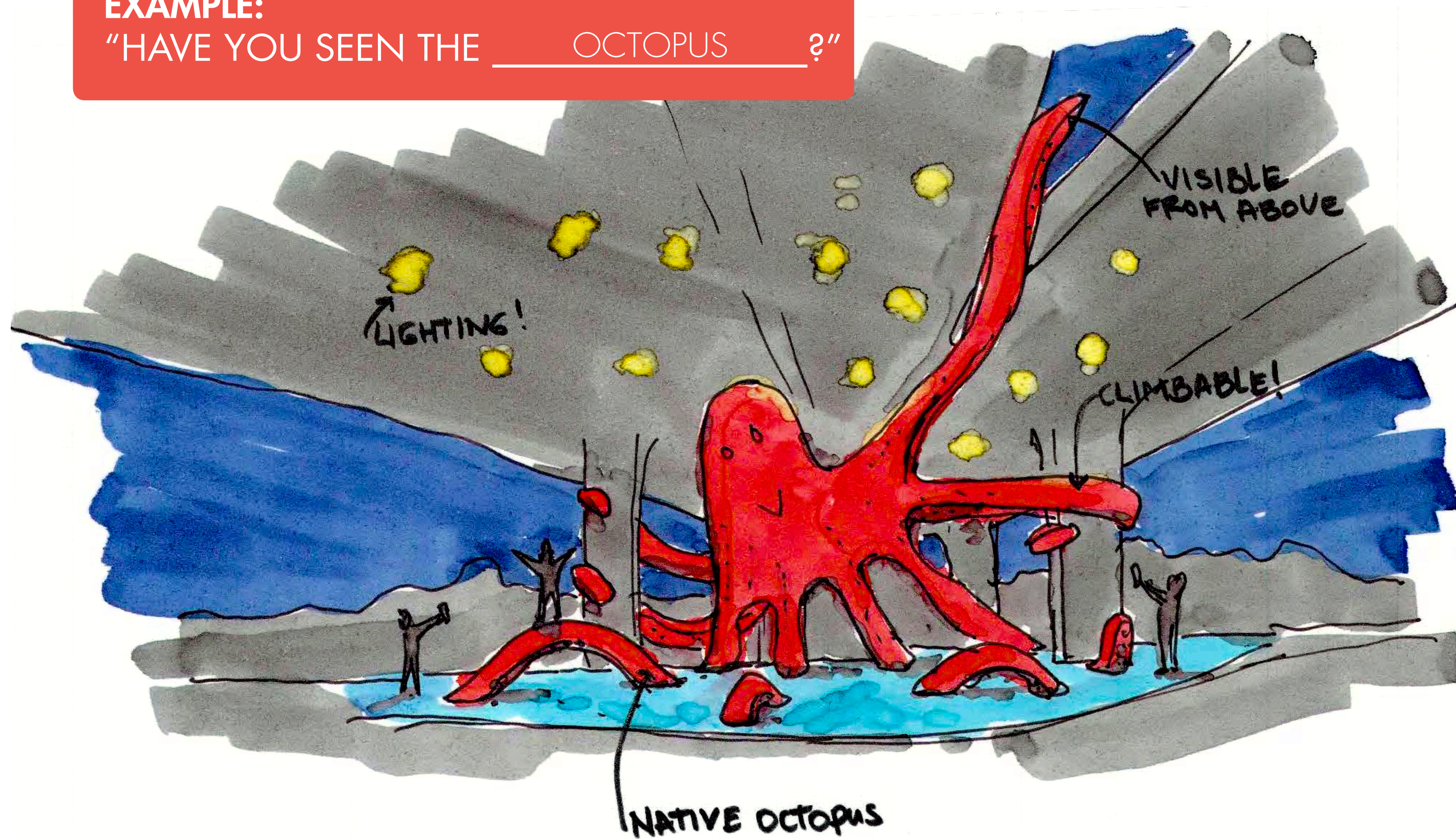
IDEA #1: HAVE YOU SEEN THE _____?

PURPOSE:

TO CREATE A DESTINATION AND IDENTITY
TO BE MEMORABLE
TO BE BIG AND BOLD

EXAMPLE:

"HAVE YOU SEEN THE _____ OCTOPUS _____?"



WHAT BIG AND BOLD IDEA
WOULD BRING YOU TO
THE SITE?

Write your
ideas here.....

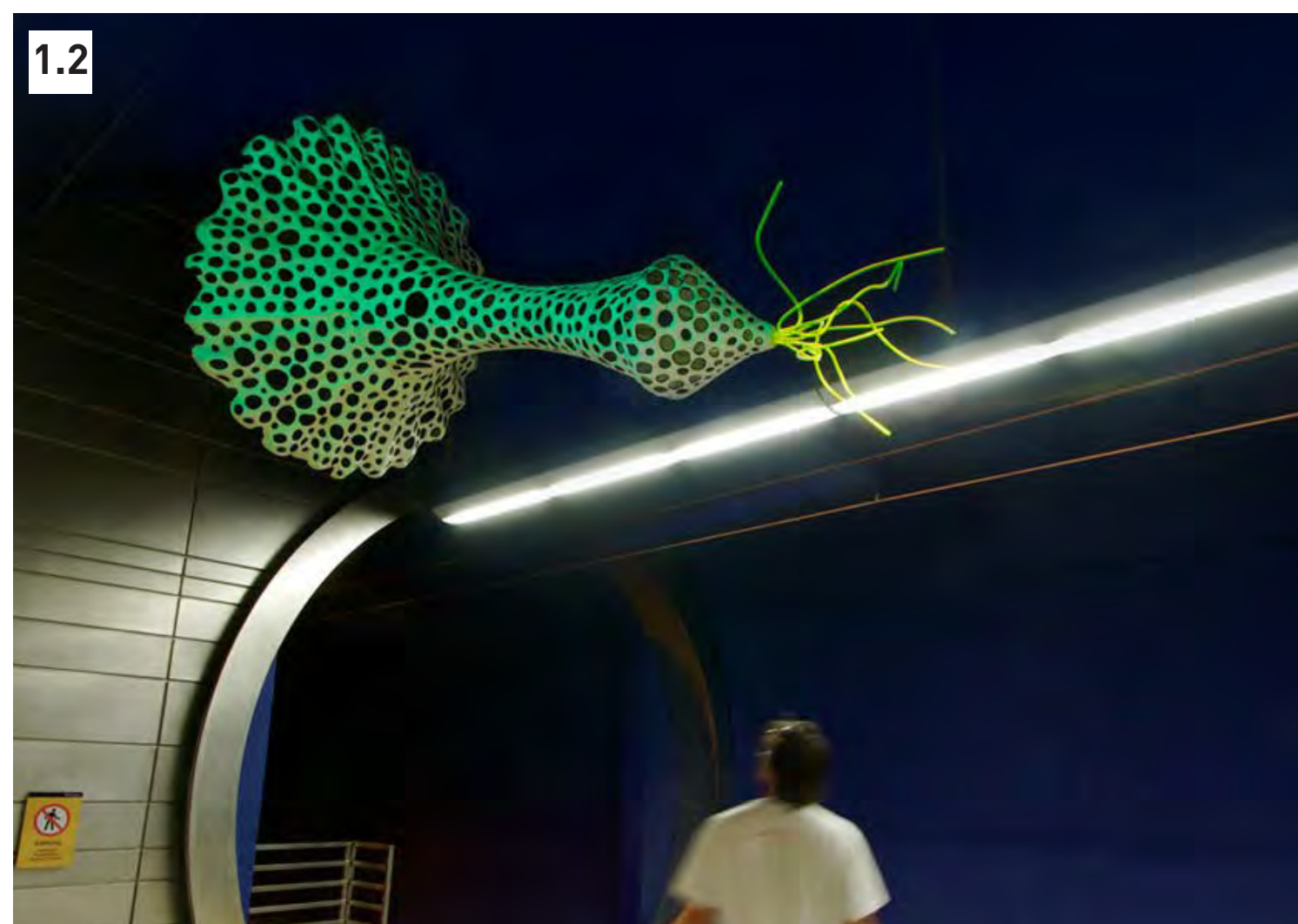
INSPIRATION USE DOTS TO MARK YOUR FAVOURITE IDEAS

THE PARTY AARDVARK
HOLLAND



THE BLUE BEAR
DENVER, USA

SPACE FORMS
SEATTLE



OY/YO
BROOKLYN



THE BIG RED BALL
CHANGES LOCATION

EXTENSION

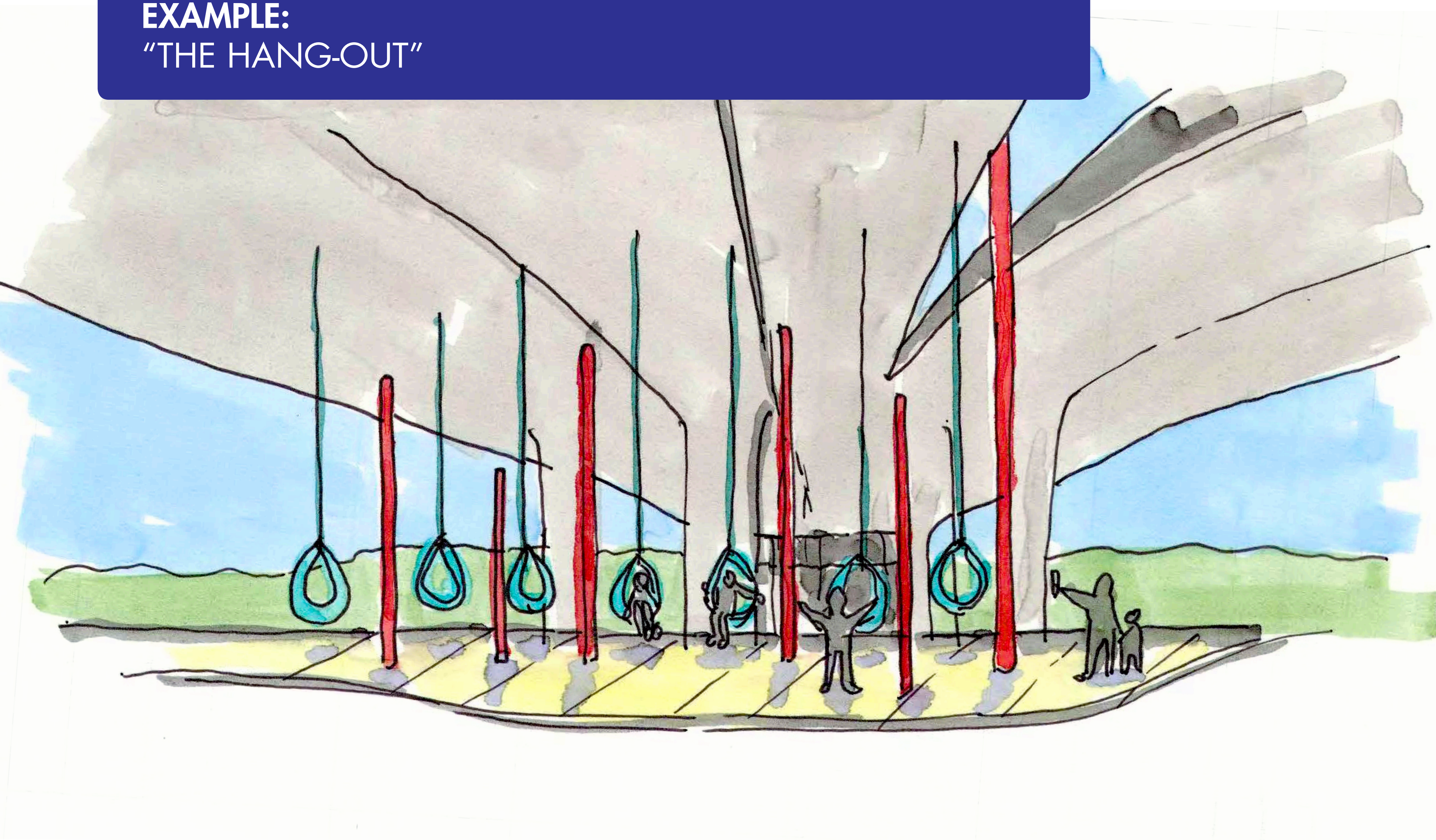
IDEA #2: THE "HANG-OUT"

PURPOSE:

TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE OVERHEAD STRUCTURE
TO BE PLAYFUL
TO ENCOURAGE COMMUNITY INTERACTION

EXAMPLE:

"THE HANG-OUT"



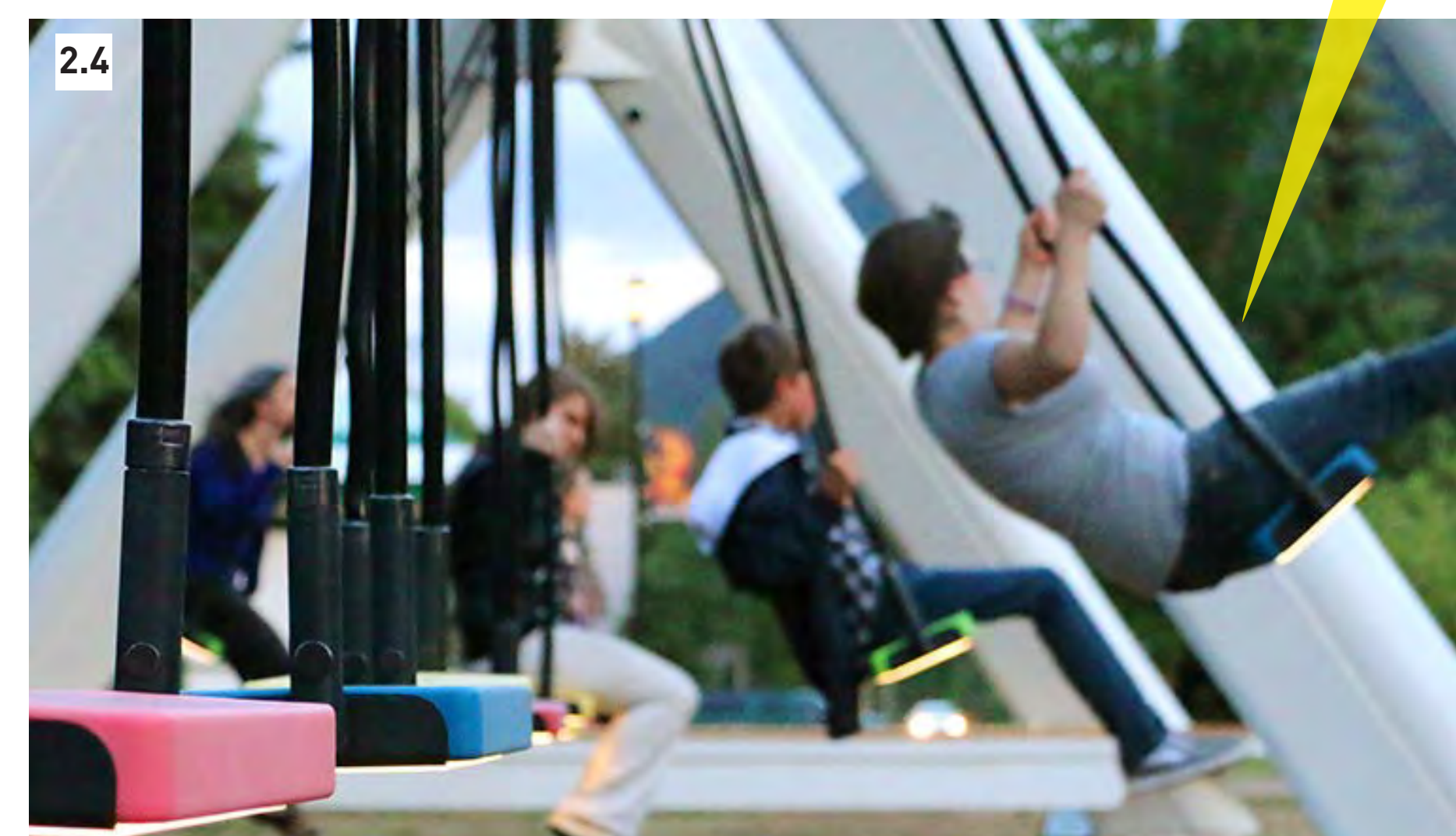
HOW WOULD YOU "HANG OUT" IN THIS SPACE?

Write your ideas here.....

INSPIRATION

USE DOTS TO MARK YOUR FAVOURITE IDEAS

THE ROPES
COPENHAGEN



MUSICAL SWINGS
MONTREAL

SWING TIME
BOSTON



POLE DANCE - MoMa PS1
NEW YORK

SWING PARK
MILWAUKEE



OUTDOOR AERIAL YOGA
DUBAI

EXTENSION

IDEA #3: A GATEWAY

PURPOSE:

TO CONNECT SITE BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH
TO CREATE AN EXPERIENCE OF MOVING THROUGH

EXAMPLE:

"TUNNEL VISION"

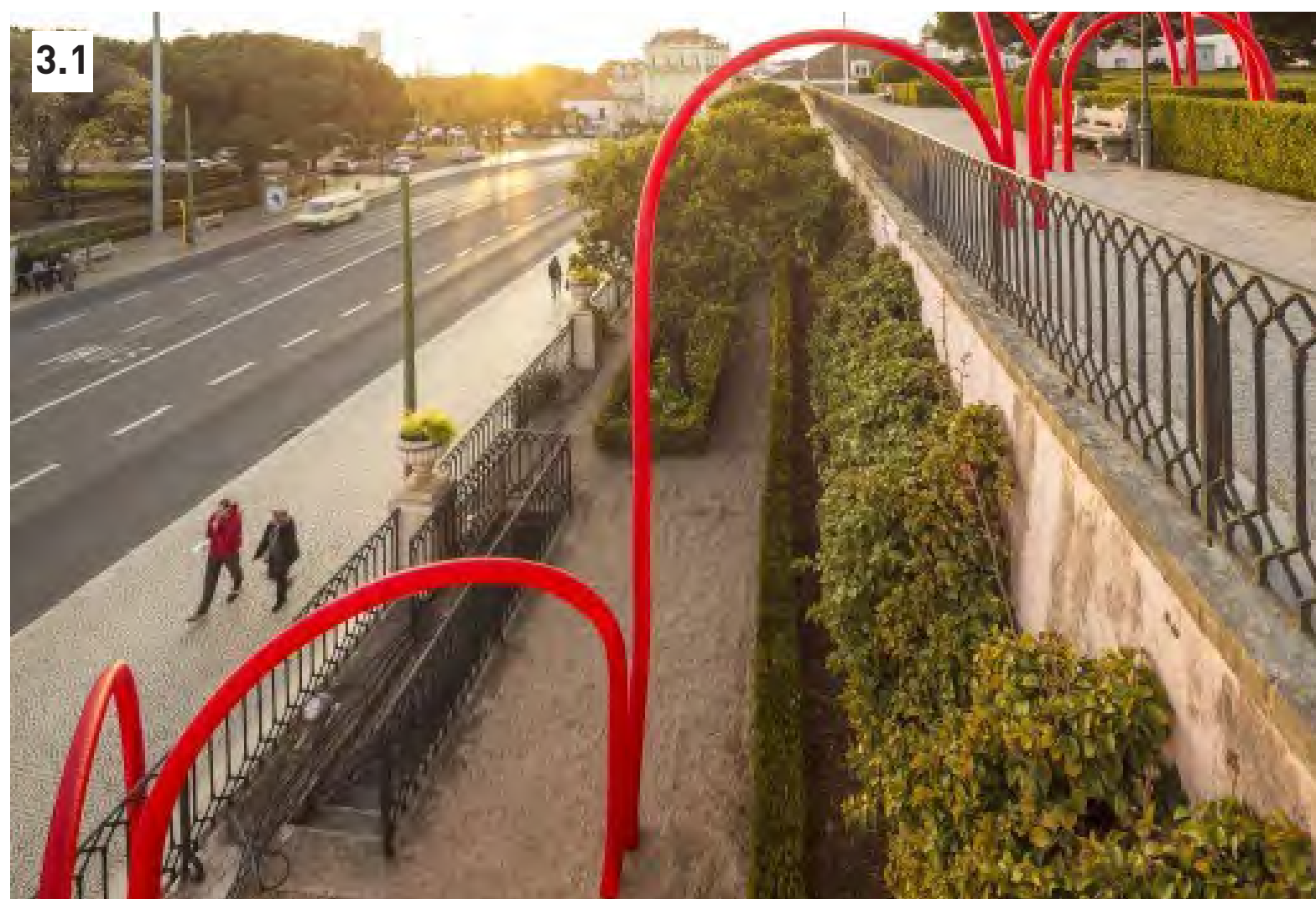
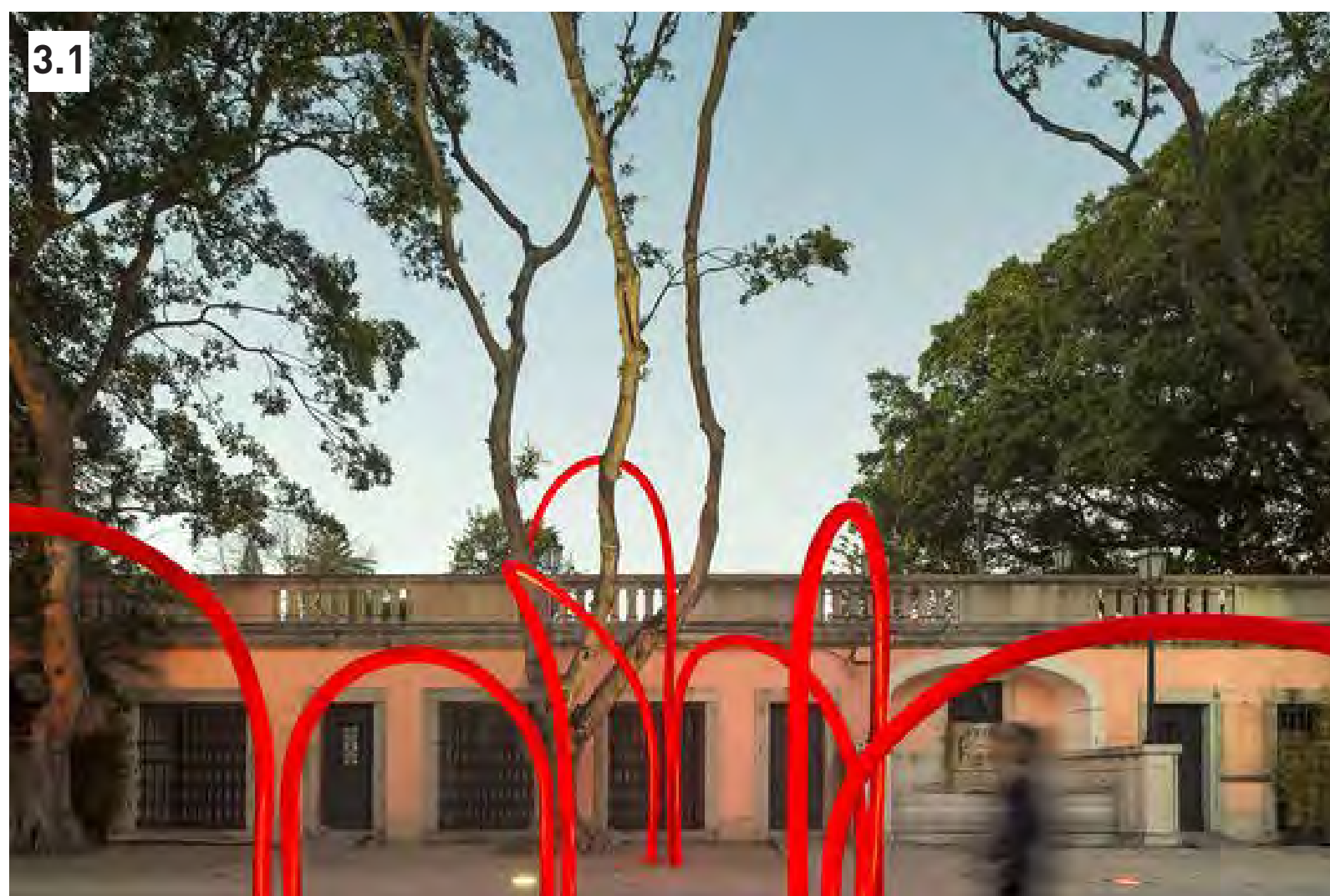


HOW WOULD YOU **MOVE**
THROUGH THIS SPACE?

Write your
ideas here.....

INSPIRATION USE DOTS TO MARK YOUR FAVOURITE IDEAS

CONSTELLATION
LISBON



RAINBOW TUNNEL
JAPAN

VIVID SYDNEY
SYDNEY



PLEATED INFLATION
ARGELES, FRANCE

DOBLER INTERACTIVE LED INSTALLATION
NORWAY



THE LOOP
MONTREAL
An interactive light show activated by visitors

EXTENSION

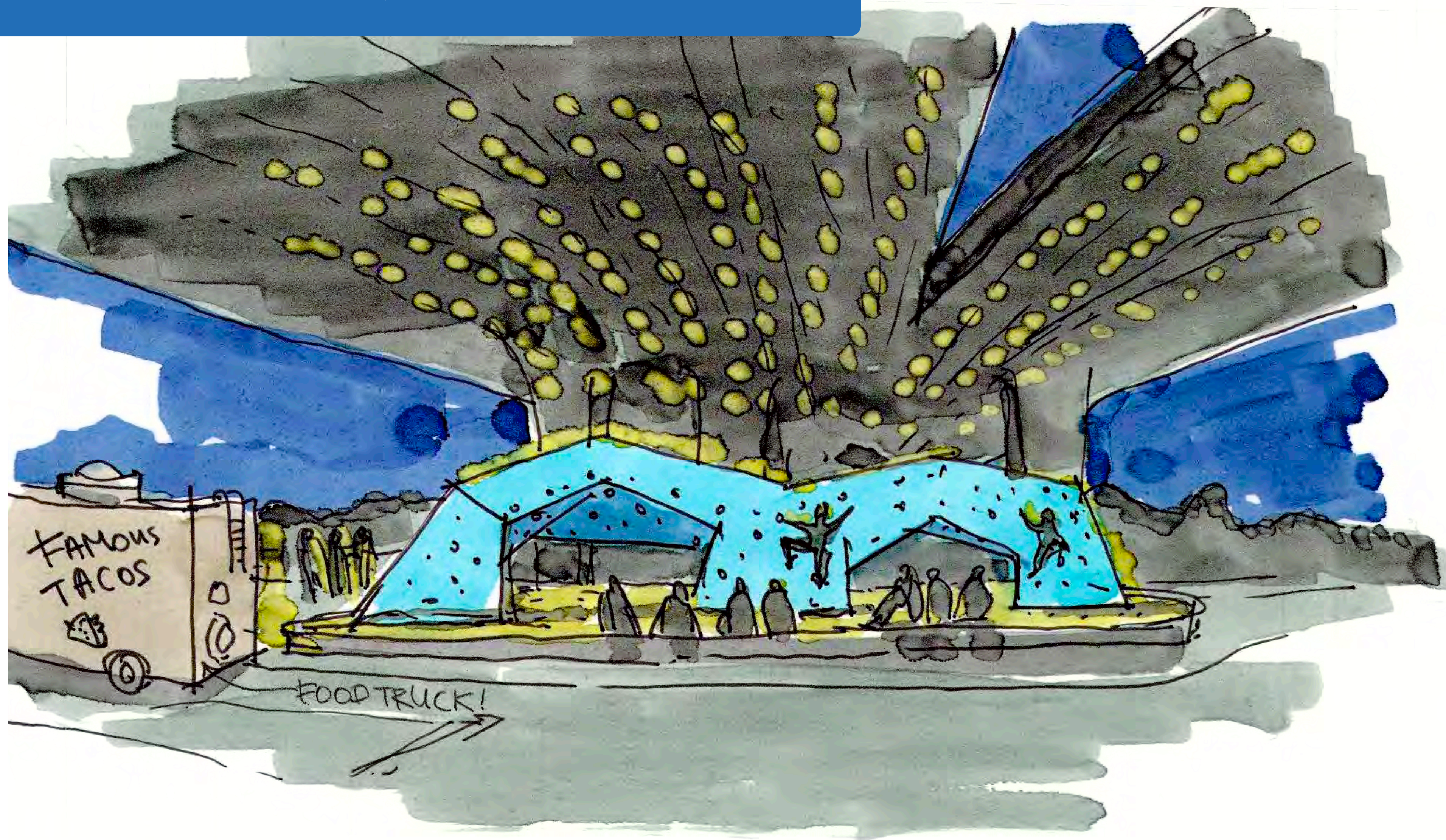
IDEA #4: LET'S CLIMB

PURPOSE:

TO ACTIVATE THE SITE THROUGHOUT THE DAY
TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE COVERED SPACE
PROVIDE RECTREATIONAL OPPORTUNITY

EXAMPLE:

"VERTICALLY CHALLENGED"



HOW WOULD YOU WANT TO
CLIMB IN THE SPACE?

Write your
ideas here.....

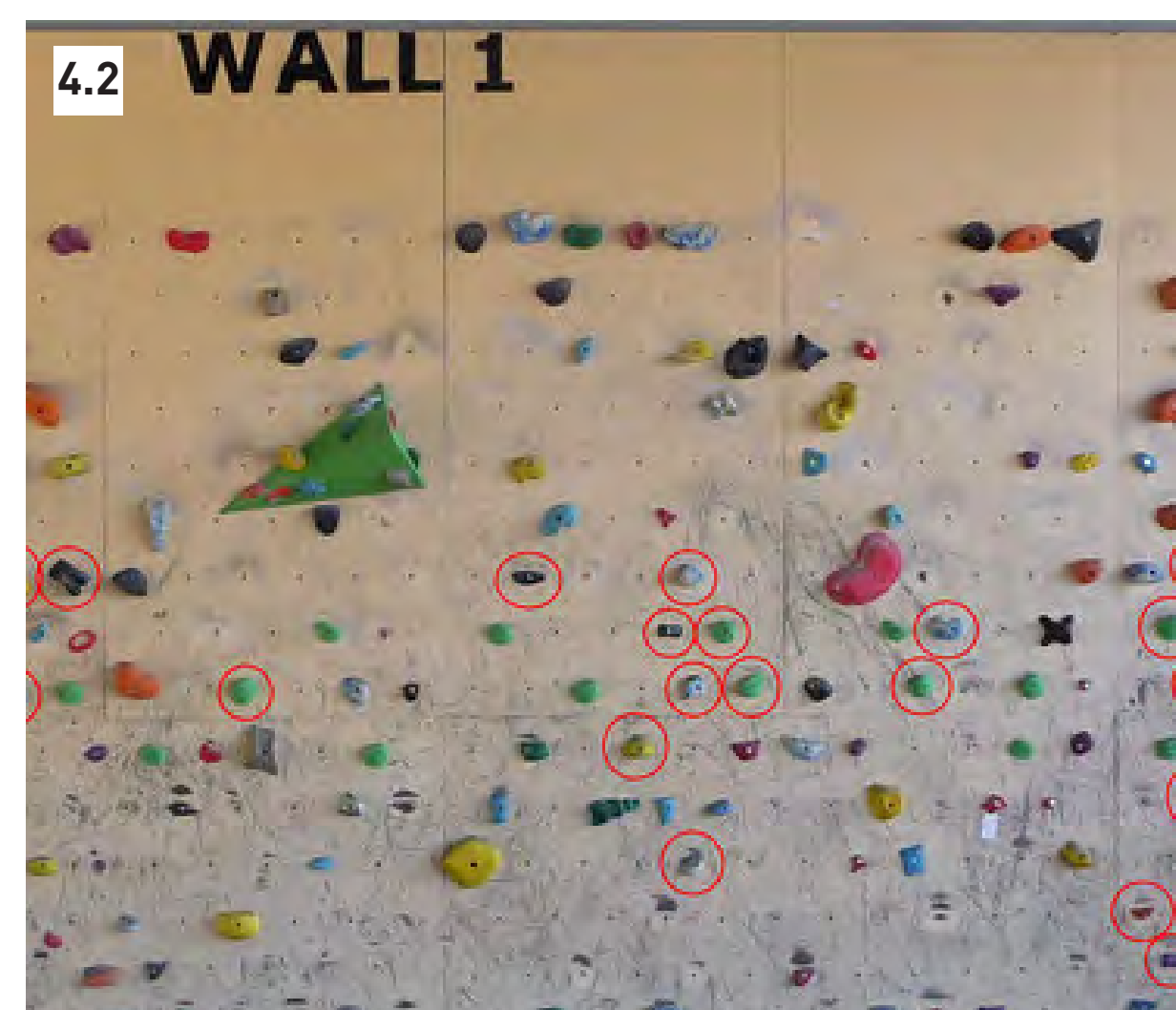
INSPIRATION USE DOTS TO MARK YOUR FAVOURITE IDEAS

CLIMBING WALL
BROOKLYN



LIONS PARK
UTAH

BURNLEY WALL
RICHMOND, AUS



EXPLORATORIUM
CALIFORNIA

PEAK EXPERIENCE
SAN FRANCISCO



RILEY PARK
VANCOUVER

EXTENSION

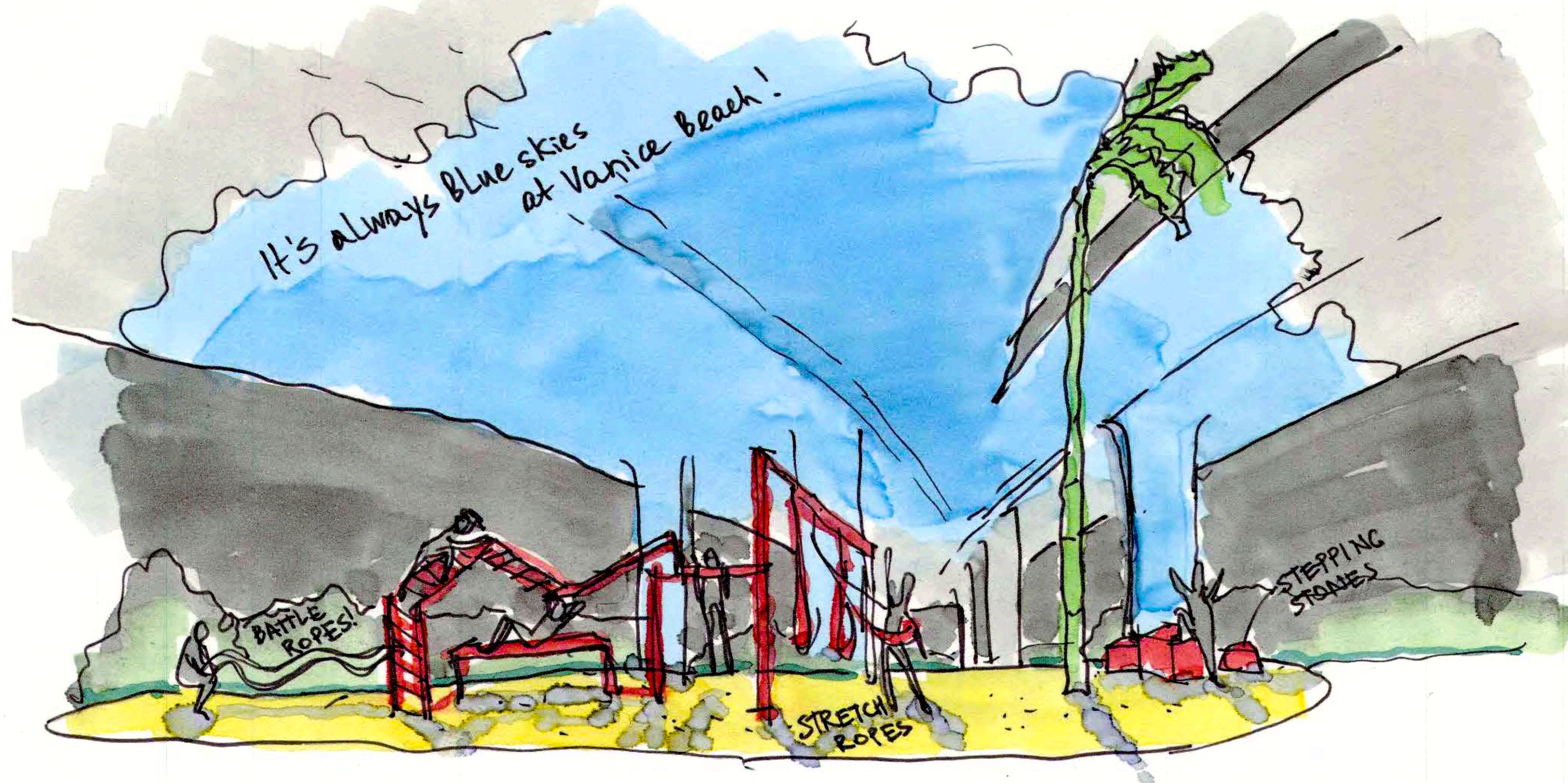
IDEA #5: A WORKOUT SPOT

PURPOSE:

TO ACTIVATE THE SITE THROUGHOUT THE DAY
TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE COVERED SPACE
PROVIDE RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITY

EXAMPLE:

"VANICE BEACH"



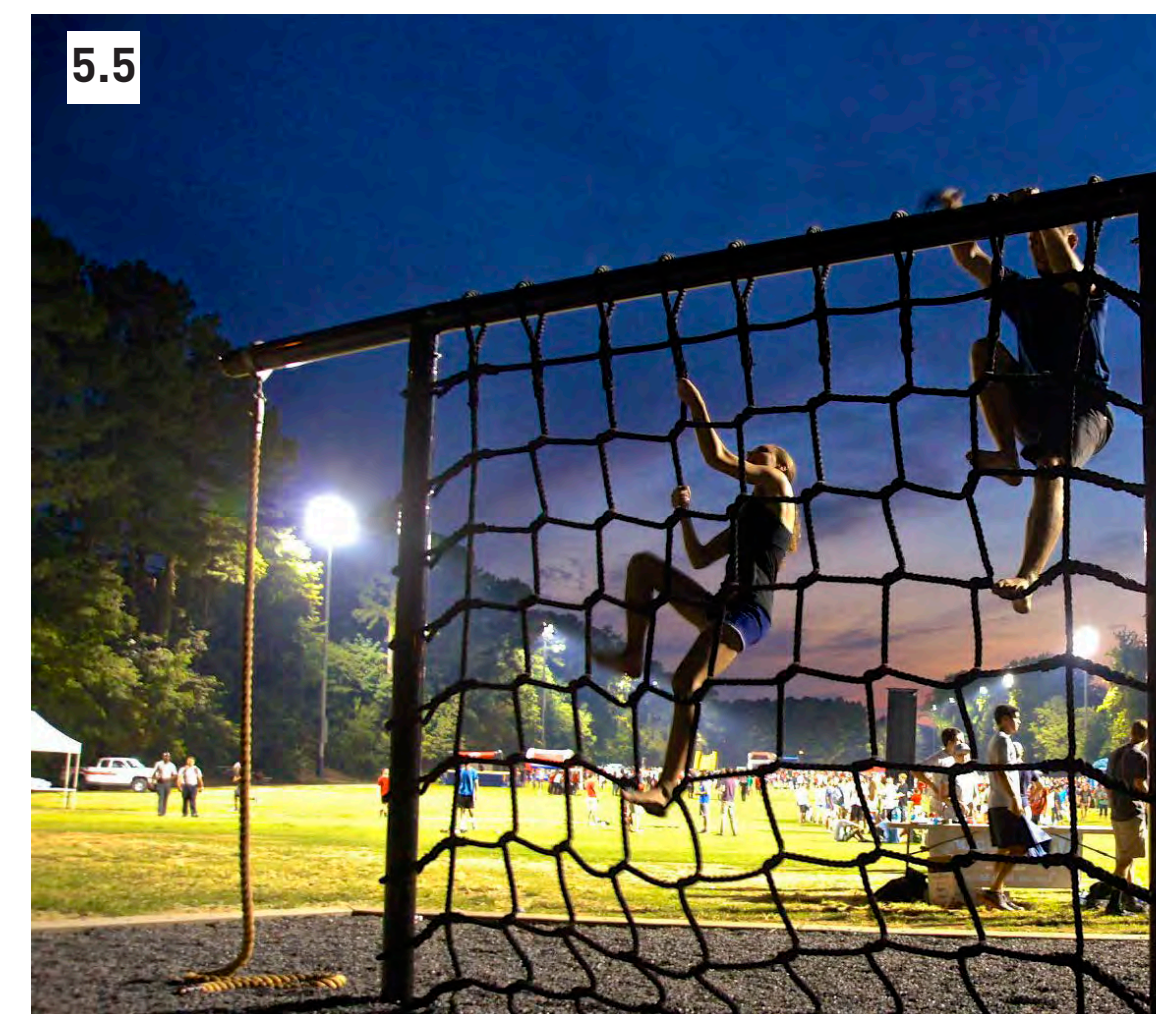
HOW WOULD YOU WORK OUT
IN THIS SPACE?

Write your
ideas here.....

INSPIRATION

USE DOTS TO MARK YOUR FAVOURITE IDEAS

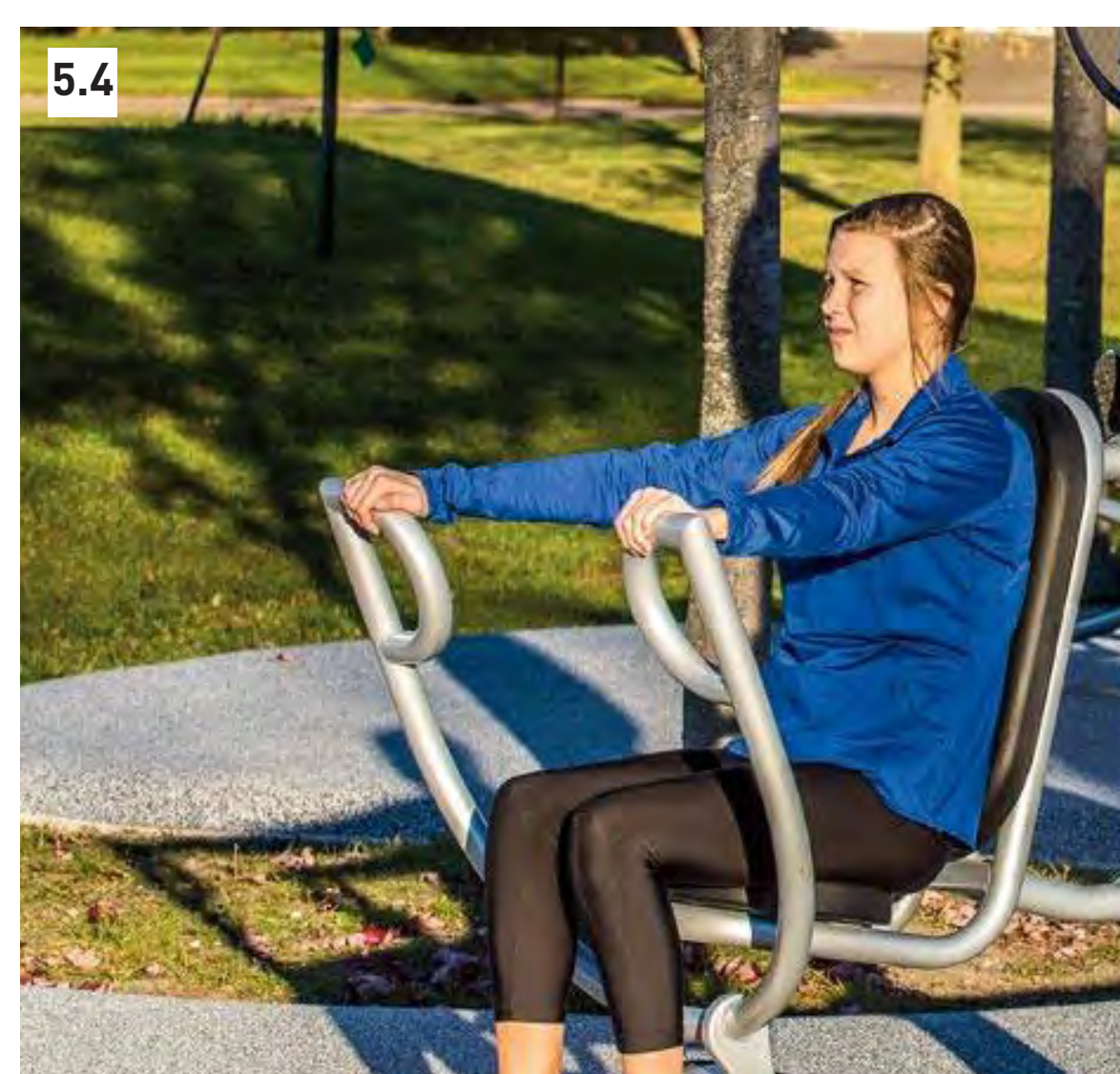
INTEGRATED EXERCISE EQUIPMENT



PARKOUR / OBSTACLE COURSES AND CIRCUITS



TRADITIONAL EXERCISE EQUIPMENT



EXTENSION

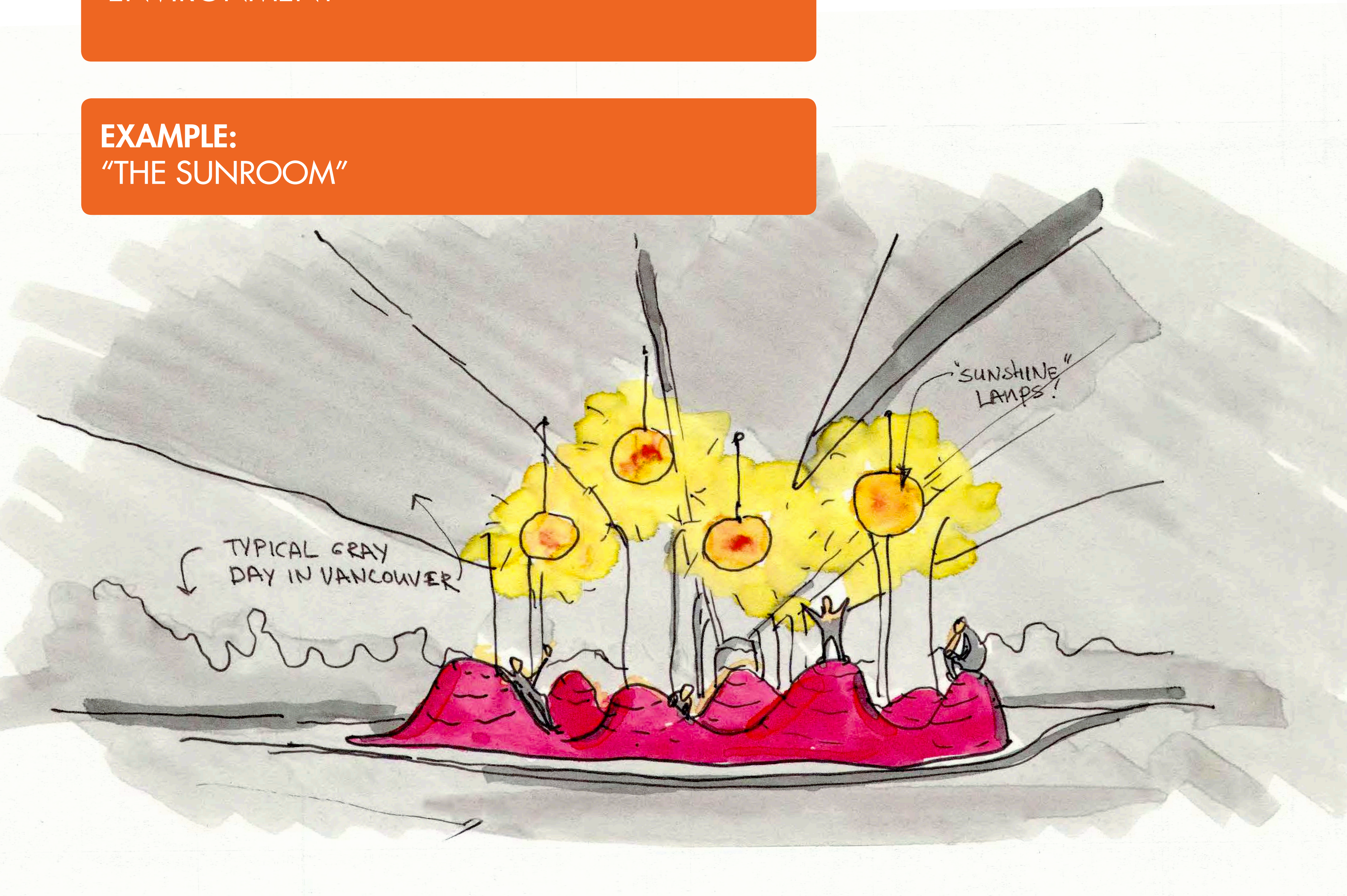
IDEA #6: A BRIGHT SPOT

PURPOSE:

TO PROVIDE RESPITE FROM RAINY DAYS
TO BRING BOLD COLOUR TO THE URBAN
ENVIRONMENT

EXAMPLE:

"THE SUNROOM"



HOW WOULD YOU CHILL OUT
IN THIS SPACE?

Write your
ideas here.....

INSPIRATION

USE DOTS TO MARK YOUR FAVOURITE IDEAS

SEART SYLVIA PARK
AUCKLAND



PHOENIX FLOWERS
GLASGOW

SUPERKILEN
COPENHAGEN



THE WEATHER PROJECT
LONDON

THE PINK GHOST
PARIS

