PACO SANCHEZ PARK
Terminology
Series
#1

Physical Development
Early ages – exploratory unstructured activities – play behavior
• explorations in effort;
• explorations in space; and,
• explorations in relationships

Motor Fitness
• coordination
• balance

Elementary ages – dominant play behavior – cooperative and parallel, competitive and solitary
• secondary
• guided discovery and
• leaping
• climbing

Physical Fitness
• muscular strength
• flexibility

Motor Fitness
• coordination
• agility
• balance

Mature – promoting skill refinement – structured activities i.e. competitive sports and solitary activities

Physical Fitness
• muscular strength
• muscular endurance
• respiratory endurance
• flexibility

Motor Fitness
• speed
• coordination
• agility
• power
• balance

PACO SANCHEZ DESIGN TEAM
EQUIPO DE DISEÑO PARA EL PARQUE
Despite having the lowest overall obesity rate in the US, Colorado’s childhood obesity rate is rising at the second fastest rate in the nation.
PROMOTING HEALTH & FITNESS
PROMOVER LA SALUD Y LA CONDICIÓN FÍSICA

PLAY FOR ALL AGES, ABILITIES AND BACKGROUNDS
JUEGOS PARA TODAS LA EDAD, HABILIDADES Y ANTECEDENTES
CIVIC PROGRAMMING AND ACTIVITIES

ENHANCING PACO SÁNCHEZ PARK, NOT JUST ADDING TO IT

PROGRAMAS Y ACTIVIDADES CIVILES

ENRIQUECER EL PARQUE PACO SÁNCHEZ, NO SOLO AÑADIRLE
TYPICAL SWING
COLUMPIOS TÍPICOS
BIGGO SWING
COLUMPIO BIGGO

BENCH SWING
COLUMPIO DE BANCAS
TYPICAL CLIMBING NET

ESTRUCTURA DE RED TÍPICA
Unique Climbing Net
Diseños Personalizados para las Redes
KICK-OFF EVENT, OCTOBER 5th, 2014

DESIGN PRESENTATION, NOVEMBER 12th/15th, 2014

STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOP, NOVEMBER 19th, 2014

COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS, DECEMBER 2014

PUBLIC MEETING, JANUARY 2015

STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOP, JANUARY 2015

FINAL PRESENTATION, SPRING 2015
KICK OFF EVENT
EVENTO DE INAUGURACIÓN

OCTOBER 5th, 2014
WATER FEATURE

PARQUE DE AGUA
CRAWLING TUBE
TUBO PARA GATEAR
CLIMBING NETS
REDES PARA ESCALAR
TUBE SLIDE

RESBALADERO DE TUBO
ICE SKATING

PATINAJE SOBRE HIELO
FARMER’S MARKET
MERCADO AGRÍCOLA
The park is nice, but it would be great to have more to do there. A variety of activities that appeal to all ages.

El parque está bonito, pero estaría mejor si hubieran más cosas que hacer. Una variedad de actividades que atraiga a personas de todas las edades.

The most common issues heard from park users were loitering and garbage left out.

Las preocupaciones más comunes de los usuarios del parque fueron que los indigentes vagan y que hay basura tirada.

The playground is great to have, but it’s small and only appeals to very young children.

Está bien tener los jueguitos, pero está chico y solo atrae a los niños pequeños.

Organized activities to draw people to the park would be appreciated. The disc golf has been a great addition.

Se apreciarían actividades organizadas para atraer a más personas. El Disk golf fue una buena adición.

MOST FREQUENT COMMENTS ON PARK USE

COMENTARIOS MÁS FRECUENTES SOBRE EL USO DEL PARQUE
The more activity in the park, the better.

Middle school and high school age kids should be considered more. They’re most likely to tag the park if they don’t value it. A skate park, basketball court, and soccer field are recommended options.

A dog park would be a welcome addition.

A community garden might be popular and would support the idea of intergenerational play. Long term operation and maintenance is a concern. Who would be the best group to manage it?

Ice skating would be popular if skates are available for everybody, regardless of wealth.

How can Parks ensure that the kiosk, ice rink, community gardens, and other features that require staffing or extra maintenance will be supported?

Bathrooms would be appreciated very much, as long as they can be maintained and don’t attract drug use.

PUBLIC MEETING COMMENTS
Paco Sanchez: Denver’s Hispanic social reform activist

DIAGRAMA DE LAS CARACTERÍSTICAS DEL SITIO
ACTIVITY ZONES

DIAGRAMA DE LAS ZONAS DE ACTIVIDADES
FAMILY GATHERING & PLAY AREA
ÁREA PARA REUNIONES FAMILIARES Y ÁREA DE JUEGOS
PLAY - HAVING FUN
CHALLENGE COURSE - BUILDING SKILLS
PLAY COURSE - HAVING FUN BUILDING SKILLS
PLAY COURSE - CONTINUOUS PLAY ENVIRONMENT
SMALL FEATURES
FAMILY PLAYING TOGETHER
LAS FAMILIAS JUGANDO JUNTOS
GROUP PICNIC
PICNICS EN GRUPOS
MULTI-GENERATIONAL PLAY

JUEGO DE MÚLTIPLES GENERACIONES
MUSIC EVENT

EVENTO MUSICAL
YOGA CLASS
CLASE DE YOGA
Field Games

Juegos de Campo
FOOTBALL
FÚTBOL AMERICANO
GROUP GAMES

JUEGOS DE GRUPO
NEW GAMES

JUEGOS NUEVOS
COMMUNITY PLAZA & ENTRY
PLAZA COMUNITARIA Y ENTRADA
FARMER’S MARKET

MERCADO AGRÍCOLA
FOOD TRUCKS
LONCHERAS
COMMUNITY GARDEN
JARDÍN COMUNITARIO
EDUCATIONAL DEMONSTRATIONS

DEMOSTRACIONES EDUCACIONALES
ART EVENT
EVENTO DE ARTE
Soccer Goals
Porterías de Fútbol

Building Blocks
Bloques para Construir
DAYTIME MOVEMENT
NIGHTTIME MOVEMENT
DAYTIME ACTIVITIES

KEY

1. Cooking class
2. People-watching on swings
3. Plant vegetables with family
4. Check out building blocks
5. Chalk art
6. Play basketball
7. Soccer game
8. Fly a kite
9. Disc golf
10. Someone working out
11. Family picnic
12. View downtown from a tower
13. Read a book on a bench swing
14. Slide to a different part of the park
15. Yoga class
16. Walk a dog
NIGHTTIME ACTIVITIES

1. Food truck festival
2. Watch the sunset from a lounging net
3. Learn about constellations
4. Check out board games
5. Eat on steps
6. Hide and seek around a mound
7. Soccer game under the lights
8. Movie in the park
9. Go down slides while parents watch a performance
10. Watch a movie in the park from swings
11. View downtown from a tower
12. Watch a performance from a bench swing
13. Play basketball under the lights
14. Walk a dog
Are we on the right track?

¿Vamos en la senda correcta?