Hearst Park PTA Update

Wednesday, April 10, 2019

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AGENDA:

1. Introduction
2. Progress Since Last Meeting
3. Project Overview
4. Trails, Field Layout, Bio-Filtration, Site Furnishings
5. Playground
6. Landscape Plans and Images
7. Next Steps
8. Contact Information

Progress Since Last PTA Meeting:

- Stormwater Management Remediation Permitting in review
- General Contractor Awarded and working on project schedule, budget and permits
- DC Water Approval in progress, Signage, Site Furnishings,
- Excavation (BCIV) permit under review by DOEE
- Foundation to Grade permit under review by DCRA, DDOT & DOEE
  waiting for final comments

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Hearst Park & Pool Overall Design

- Newly graded field
- Irrigation System
- Playground Shade
- Playground Structure
- Walking Trail
- Bio-filtration areas
- Trees and Plantings
- Site Furnishing
- New ADA Improvements
- Vegetation Enhancement on East & South Slopes
- New tennis courts
- New Outdoor Pool & Pool House

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Walking Trail Types

Boardwalks

Existing Concrete Paths

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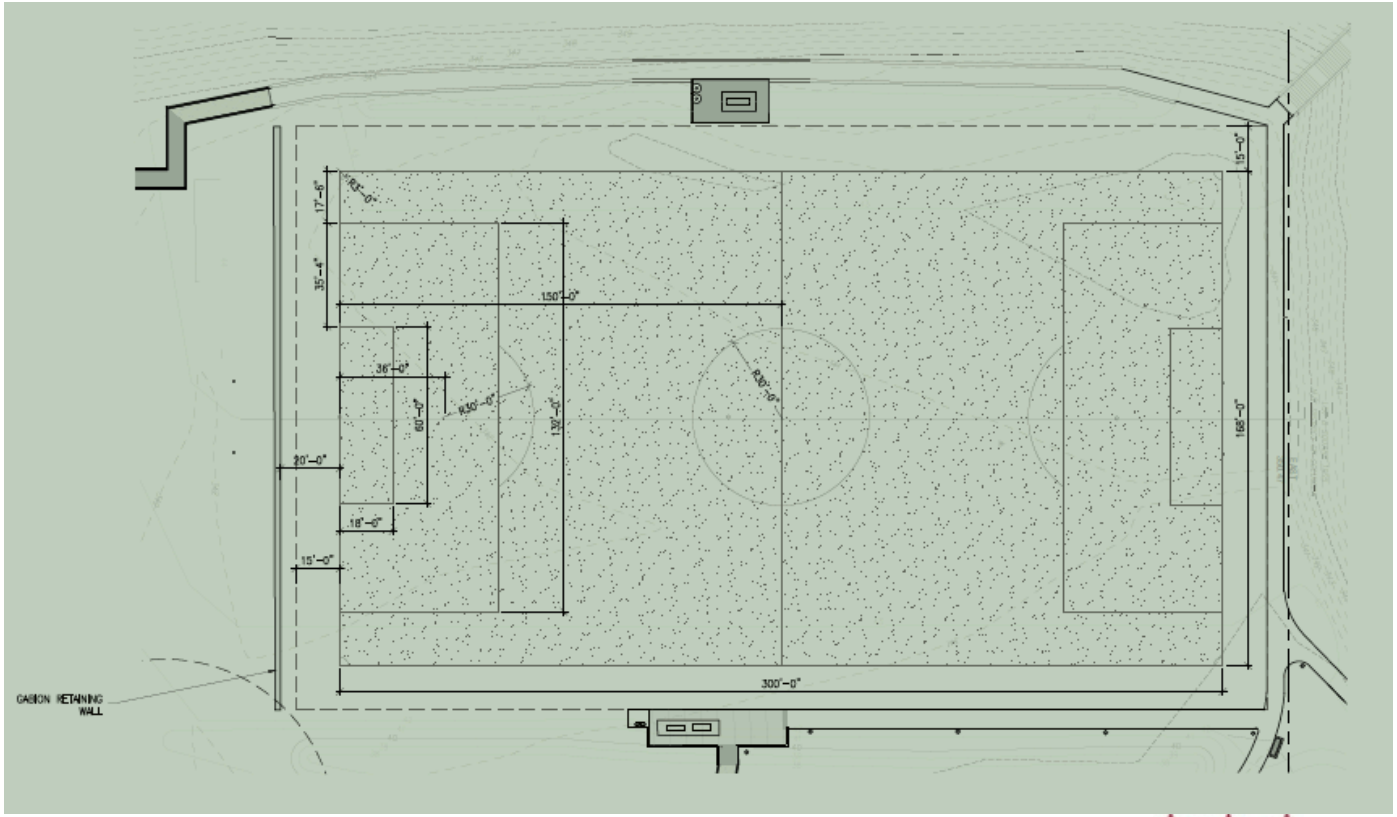

Field Layout: 300’x168’

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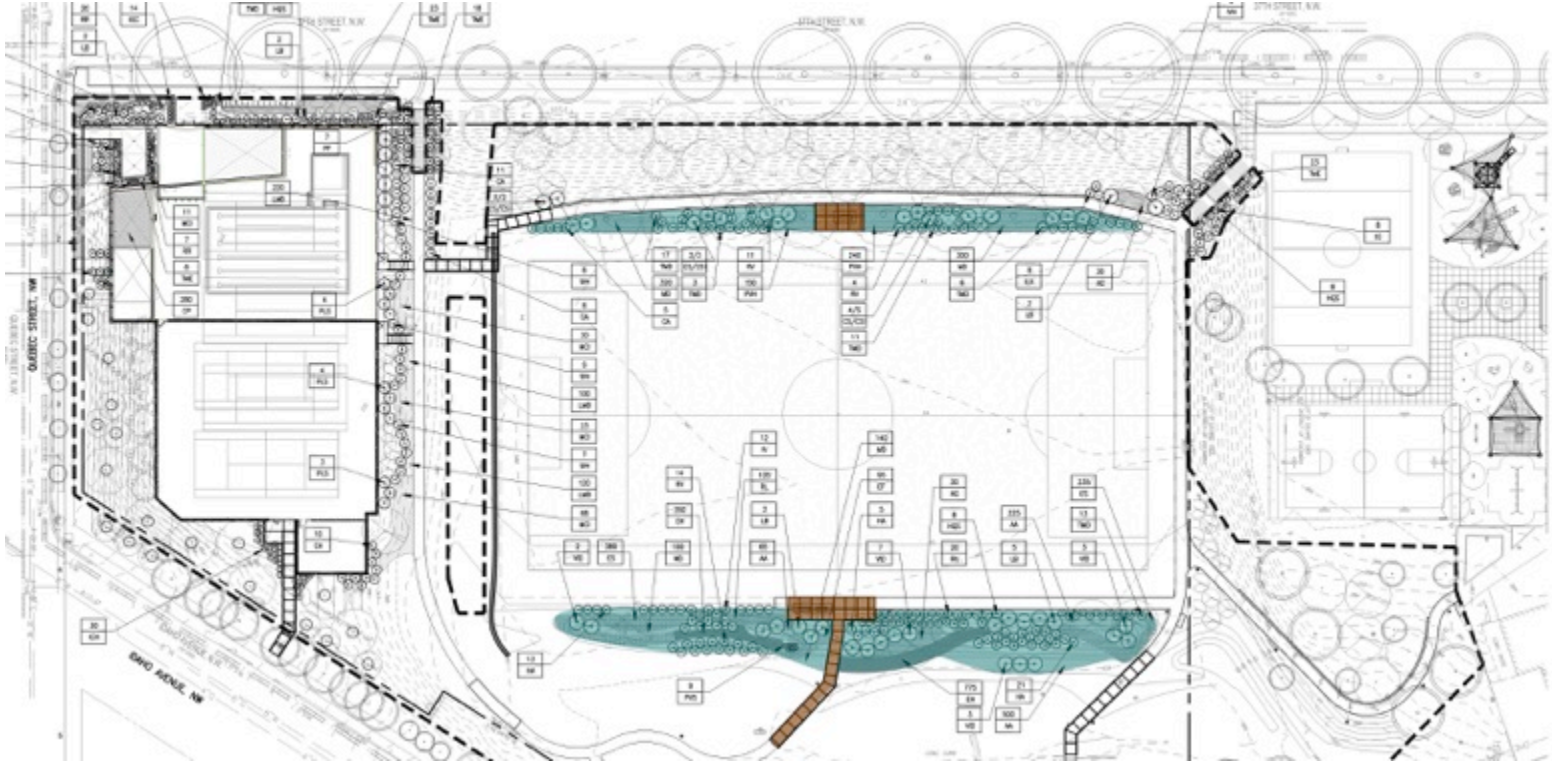

Bio-Filtration Areas

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Raised boardwalk & western bio-retention area

Bio-Filtration Area

- Stormwater Management
- Native Habitats
- Butterfly Garden
- Educational Signage
- Boardwalks

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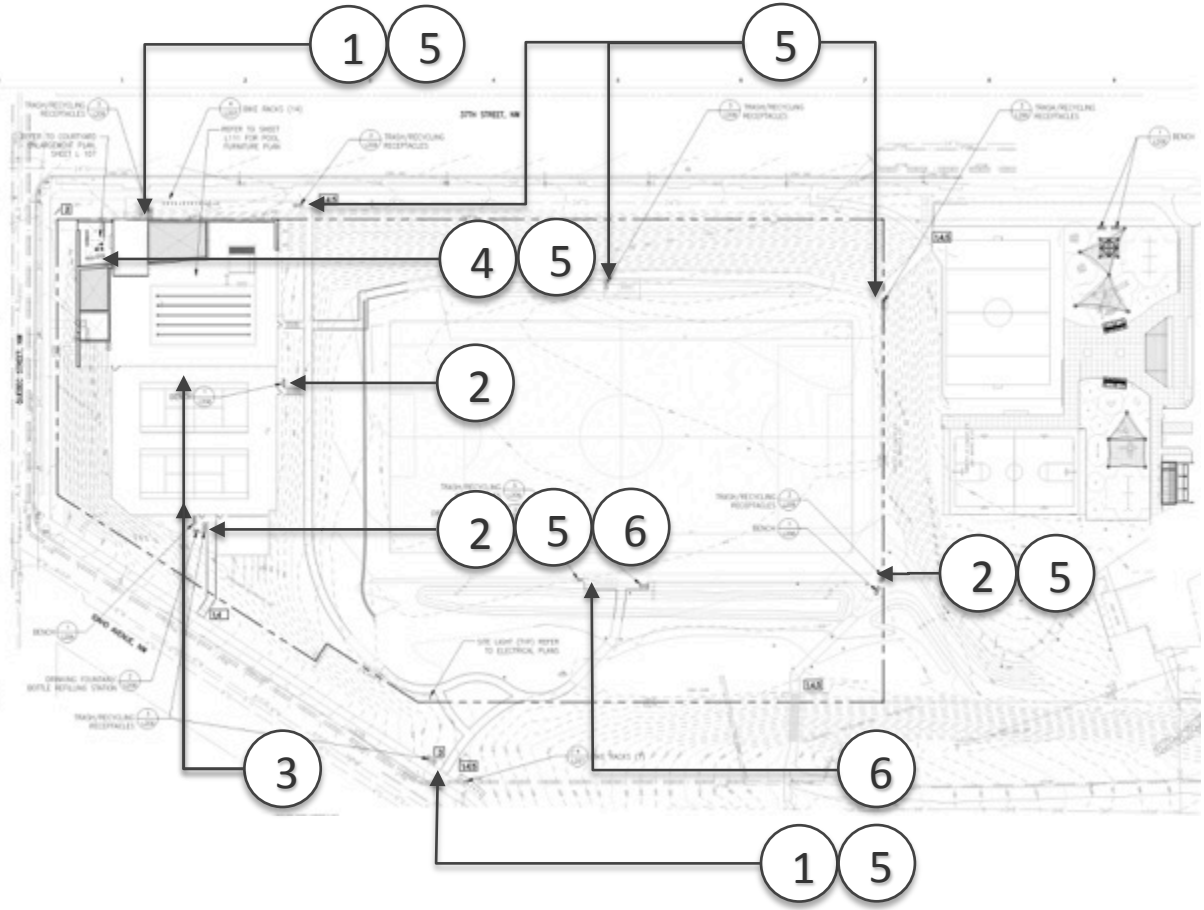
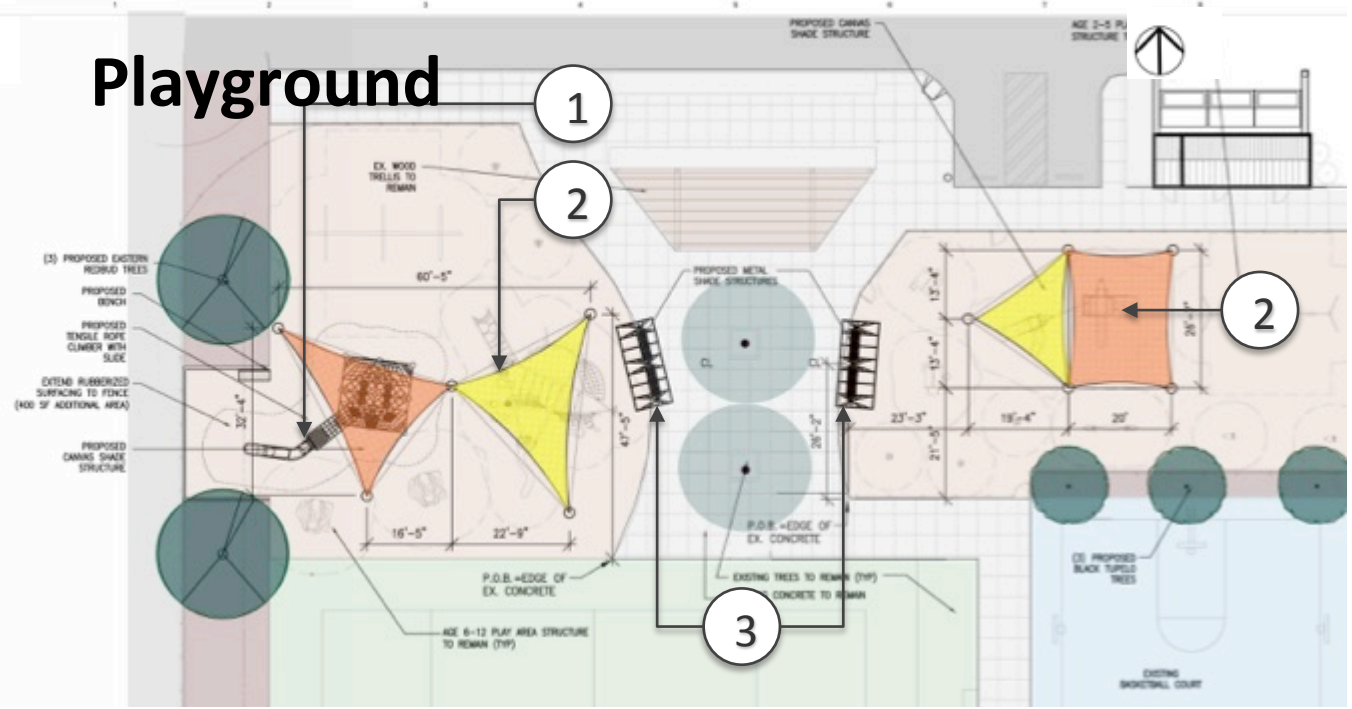


Site Furnishings

Playground



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Hearst Park Pool & Pool House

Design Overview:

- All work is to stay south of the existing tennis fence
- The heritage trees are a minimum of 40' away from the limit of work

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Pool House

View facing north from corner of 37th Street and Quebec Street

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Pool & Tennis Courts

Aerial View Facing North

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Pool & Tennis Courts

Aerial View Facing South

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Pool Overlook

View facing north Quebec Street

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Tennis Overlook

View facing north Quebec Street

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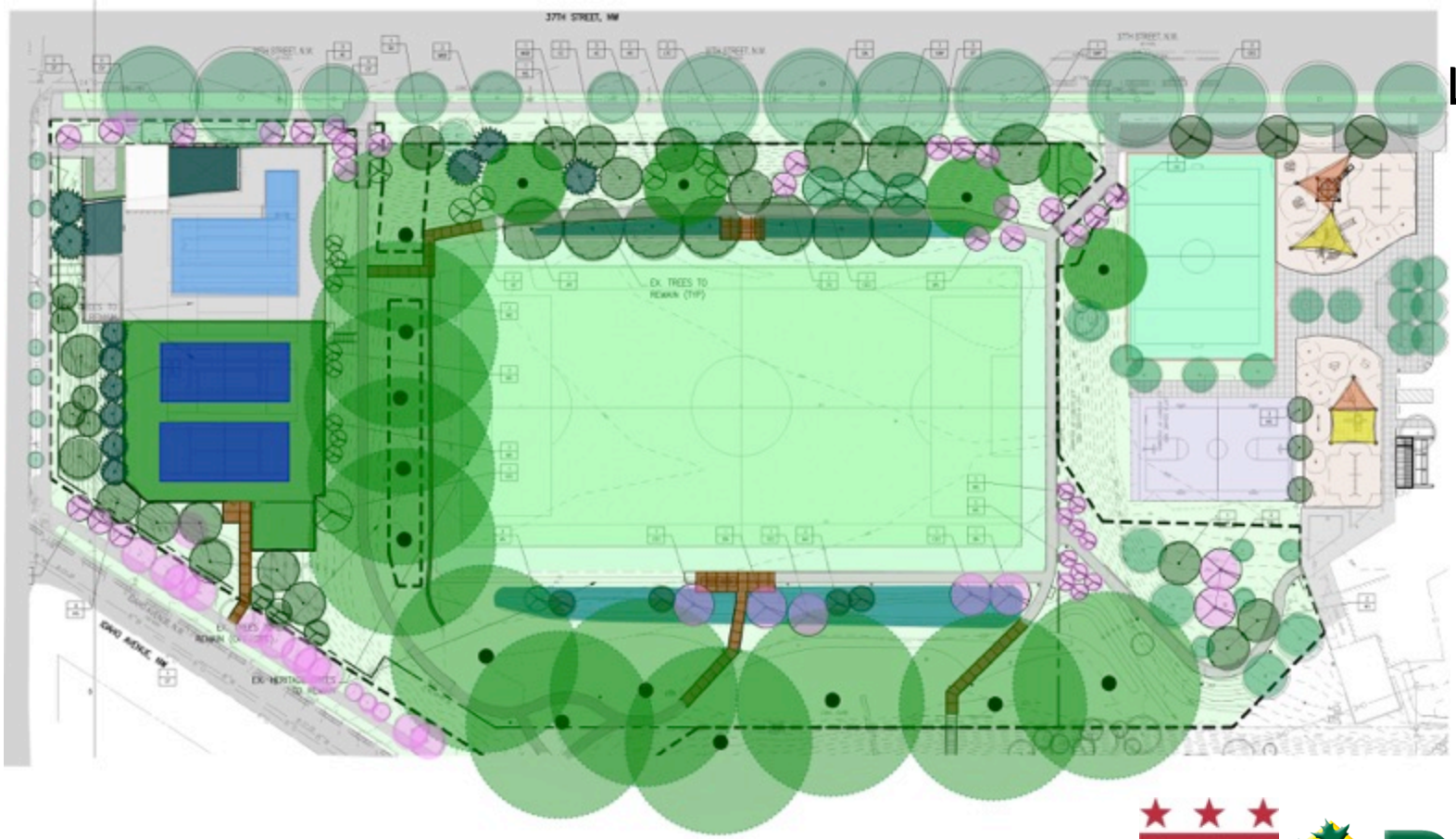
Landscape Plan



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Landscaping – Trees Examples

Fagus grandiflora
American Beech
Height: 50'
Bloom: April-May | Yellow-Green
Fall Interest

Betula nigra 'Heritage'
River Birch
Height: 80'
Bloom: April-May | Brown
Fall Interest

Carpinus caroliniana 'Palisade' American Hornbeam
Height: 30'
Bloom: February | White-Green
Fall Interest

Prunus serrulata 'Kwanzan'
Kwanzan Cherry Tree
Height: 25'
Bloom: April | Pink
Fall Interest

Gleditsia triacanthos
Honeylocust Tree
Height: 70'
Bloom: April-May | Yellow-Green
Fall Interest

Amelanchier arborea
Common Serviceberry
Height: 36'
Bloom: April-May | White-Green
Spring Interest

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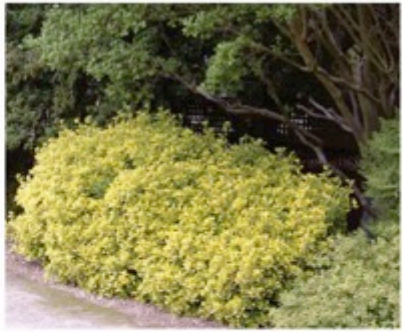
Landscaping – Shrubs

Examples

Viburnum dentatum
Arrowwood Viburnum
Height: 10'
Bloom: May-June | White

Rhododendron
Azalea
Height: 4-5'
Bloom: April-June | Red, White, Pink, Lavender



Euonymus fortunei 'Emerald 'n' Gold'
Wintercreeper Euonymus
Height: 1.5-2'
Bloom: June | Greenish white or yellow
Fall Interest

Spiraea japonica
Japanese Meadowsweet
Height: 4-6'
Bloom: June-July | Pink

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Landscaping – Grasses Examples

Carex pensylvanica
Pennsylvania Sedge
Height: 6-18"
Fall Interest

Chasmanthium latifolium
Sea Oats
Height: 2-5'
Bloom: July-September | Tan

Eupatorium hyssopifolium
Hyssop-leaved Thoroughwort
Height: 1-4'
Bloom: July-October | White

Schizachyrium scoparium Little Bluestem
Height: 1-4'
Bloom: July-October | White

FERNS

Dryopteris cristata
Crested Wood Fern
Height: 18-30" bioretention | Evergreen

GROUNDCOVER / VINES

Asarum canadense
Wild Ginger
Height: 6"
Semi-evergreen

Pennisetum alopecuroides 'Hameln'
Fountain Grass
Height: 1.5-2.5'
Bloom: August-October | white

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Rudbeckia hirta
Black-eyed Susan
Height: 1-3'
Bloom: June-October | Yellow

Solidago flexicaulis
Broad Leaf Or Zig Zag Goldenrod
Height: 1-3"
Bloom: June-October | Yellow

Iris versicolor
Blue Flag
Height: 3'
Bloom: May-June | Blue
Bioretention

Echinacea purpurea
Purple Coneflower
Height: 5'
Bloom: June-August | Purplish-Pink

Leucanthemum × superbum 'Becky'
Shasta Daisy
Height: 4'
Bloom: July-September | White with Yellow Center

Perovskia atriplicifolia
Russian Sage
Height: 5'
Bloom: July-October | Lavender-Blue

Agastache 'Blue Fortune'
Giant Hyssop
Height: 2-3'
Bloom: July-September | Blue

Geranium macrorrhizum
Bigroot Cranesbill
Height: 1'
Bloom: April-July | Magenta

Landscaping - Perennials & Bulbs Examples

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Mimulus ringens
Allegheny Monkeyflower
Height: 1-3'
Bloom: June-September | Purple

Penstemon digitalis
'Husker Red'
Husker Red Penstemon
Height: 2-3'
Bloom: April-June | Purple

Fothergilla gardenii 'Mount Airy'
Dwarf Fothergilla
Height: 1.5-3'
Bloom: April-May | White
Fall Interest

Ilex glabra 'Nigra'
Nigra Inkberry Holly
Height: 5-8' Bloom: April |
White Evergreen

Ilex verticillata
Winterberry Holly
Height: 3-12'
Bloom: June-July | Green-white
Year Round Interest

Kalmia angustifolia 'Little Linda'
Mountain Laurel
Height: 3'
Bloom: May-June | White-pink
Spring Interest

Myrica pennsylvanica
Northern Bayberry
Height: 6-8'
Bloom: May | Yellow-green
Winter Interest

Yellow Twig Dogwood
Red Twig Dogwood
Height: 6'
Bloom: May-June | White

Cornus sericea 'Cardinal'
Red Twig Dogwood
Height: 9'
Bloom: May-June | White

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Next Steps:

- This presentation will be posted on the DGS website
- Next community meeting will be held in ~~April 23, 2019~~. NOW MAY 7th!
- Field Restoration – summer 2019 - fall of 2019
- Playground Construction – summer 2019 (after June 17th) ~ 1 month
- No summer DPR camps summer 2019
- Stormwater Remediation – summer 2019
- Pool and Pool House Construction Start – fall 2019 (tennis courts offline)
- Project Completion – Summer 2020

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