

South West Community Centre Playground

Presentation to the Accessibility Advisory Committee, March 22, 2018

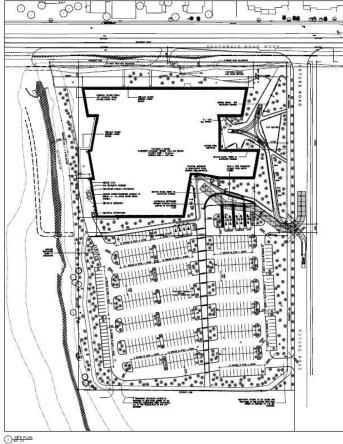
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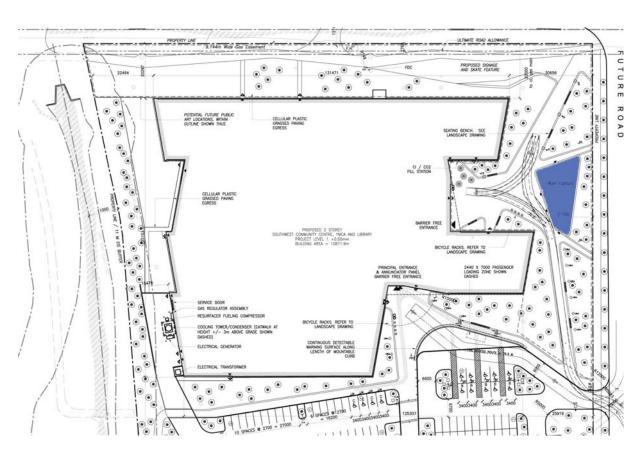
South West Community Centre Location Map







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Playground Accessibility

Two options are presented for this site.

- ✓ Both options meet AODA:
 - Physical play
 - Sensory play
 - · Firm and stable safety surfacing
- ✓ Both options have a rubber safety surfacing
- √ Both options have some motion play
- ✓ Both options have some collaborative play
- ✓ Both options have some independent play
- ✓ Both have partial ramp access leading to a play opportunity

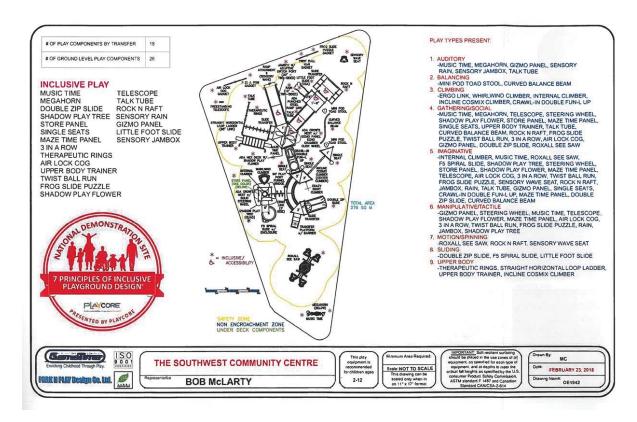


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Playground Option 1



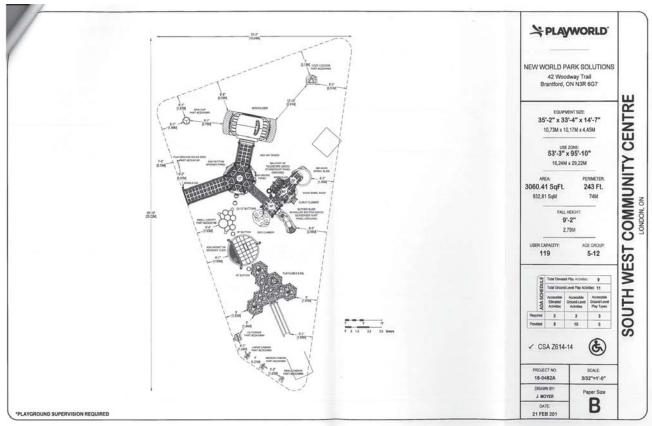


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Playground Option 2



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Comparison

Option 1

- Lots of accessible play opportunities:
 - · Rock and Raft
 - Roxall See Saw (Tr)
 - · Upper body trainer
 - Sensory wave seat (Tr)
 - Double slide (Tr)
 - · Sound elements
 - Talk tubes
 - · Adaptive Switch Technology
- Less challenging for the 5 to 12 age group
 - Height of most platforms is 3' or less
 - Only one slide at 6' high

Option 2

- More challenging for the 5 to 12 age group
 - Play cubes 10' high
 - · 2 Slides at 6' high
- Some accessible play opportunities:
 - Aeroglider
 - Spinner (Tr)
 - Net with sensory cues (Tr)
 - · Sound elements
 - Cozy cocoon (Tr)



Discussion

- 1) Recommendation to go with Option 1 as it offers more in terms of accessible play opportunities and creates a more inclusive play space.
- 2) Consult on the needs of people with disabilities and care givers regarding the play space.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F2Uf-4hhCmE