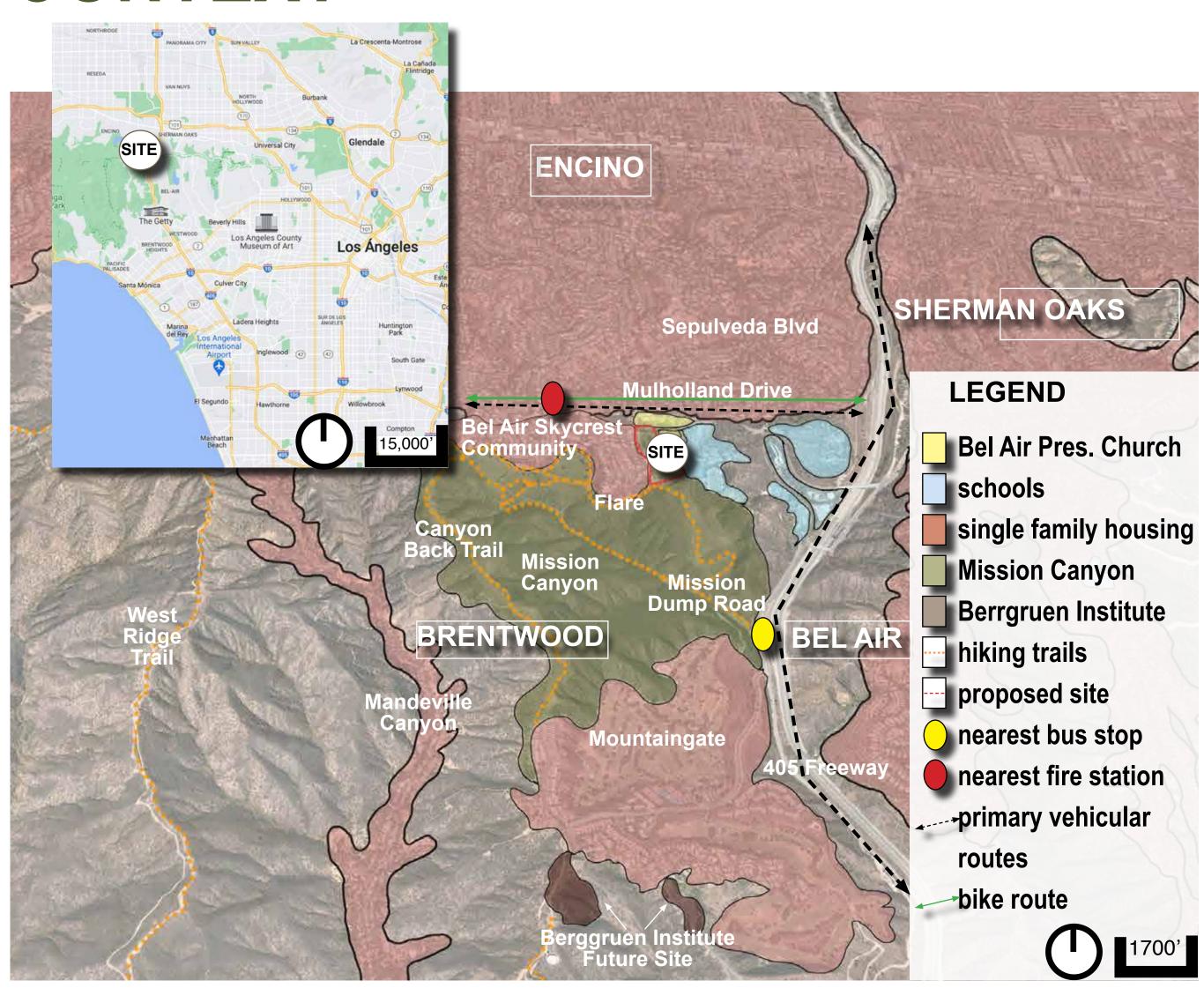
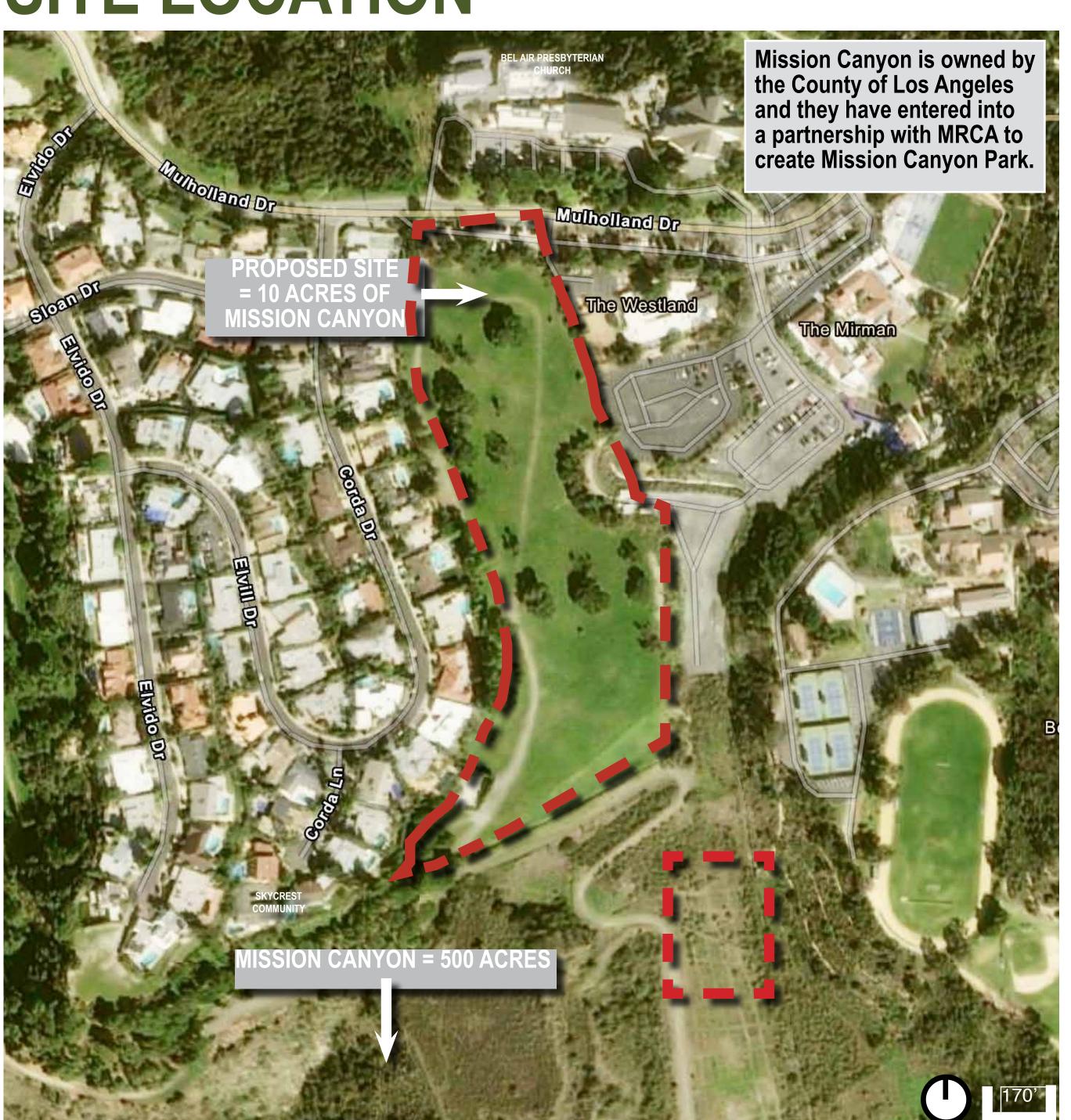
PROJECT STATEMENT

Mission Canyon exhibits common characteristics of a former landfill: excessive methane gas in the ground, settlement, and poor air quality. The site will be a model for land reclamation and sustainability design, to promote ecological by incorporating REGENERATI RESILIENCY, and provide RECREATION, and RESOURCE opportunities

CONTEXT



SITE LOCATION



RECLAIMING MISSION CANYON PROJECT GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

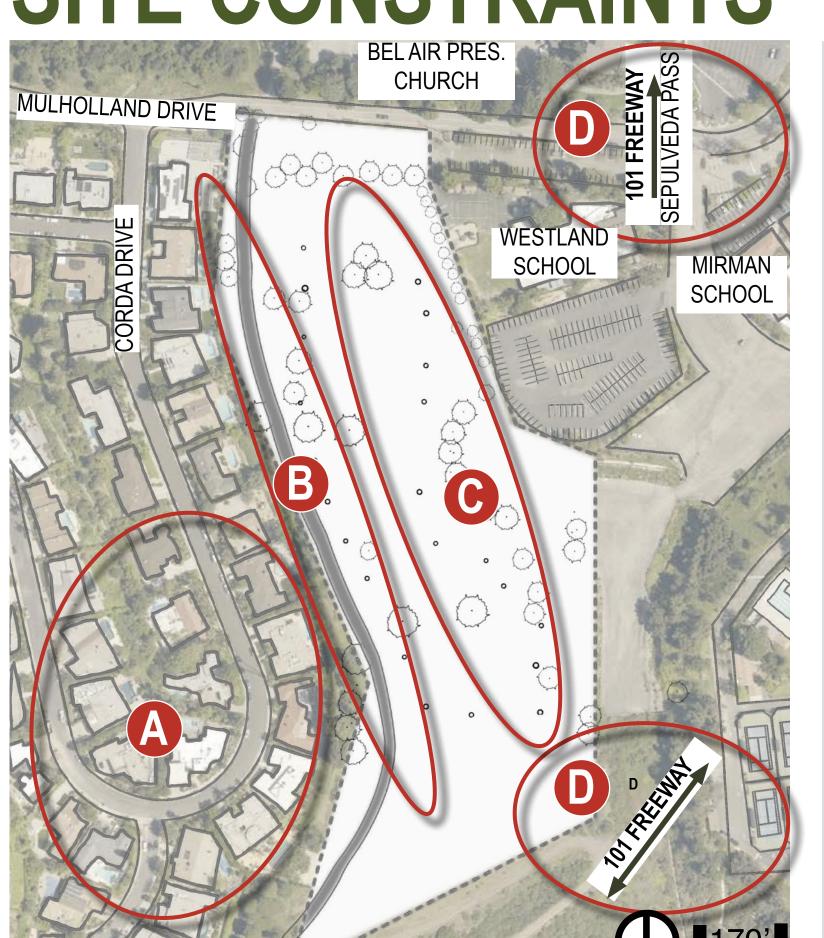
- 1. site safety REGENERATIVE design
- reduce green house gas
- improve soil quality
- safe gas wells
- plan for settlement from soil compaction

- 2. improve ecological RESILIENCY for wildlife and community
- stormwater management
- drought tolerant/native plants
- fire safe habitat
- heat island reduction

- 3. RECREATION for the community
- hiking/biking paths
- community green space
- engagement with nature
- education

- 4.RESOURCES for the community
- ranger residence
- fire fighting resources
- helipad for fire department
- educational signage

SITE CONSTRAINTS

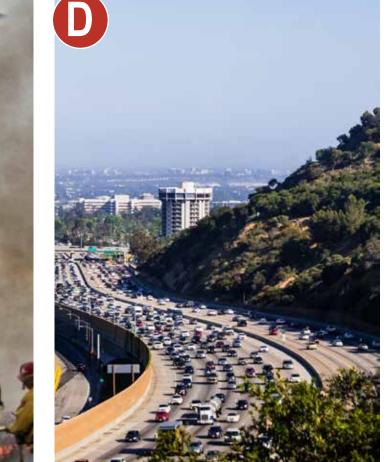


LEGEND

- residential neighborhood on western border will not want loss of privacy
- location is high fire severity zone, must keep fire road and choose fire safe plants
- Gas wells can't be moved and need to have safety covers
- Freeway noise and pollution







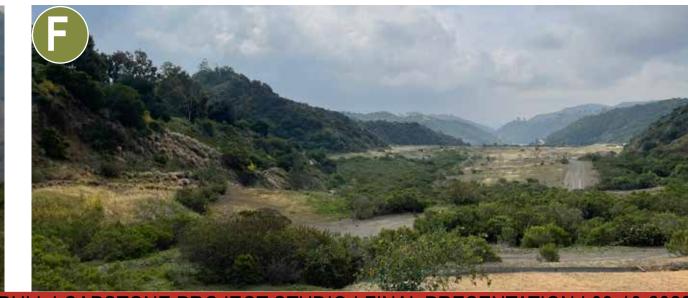
SITE OPPORTUNITIES

MULHOLLAND DRIVE

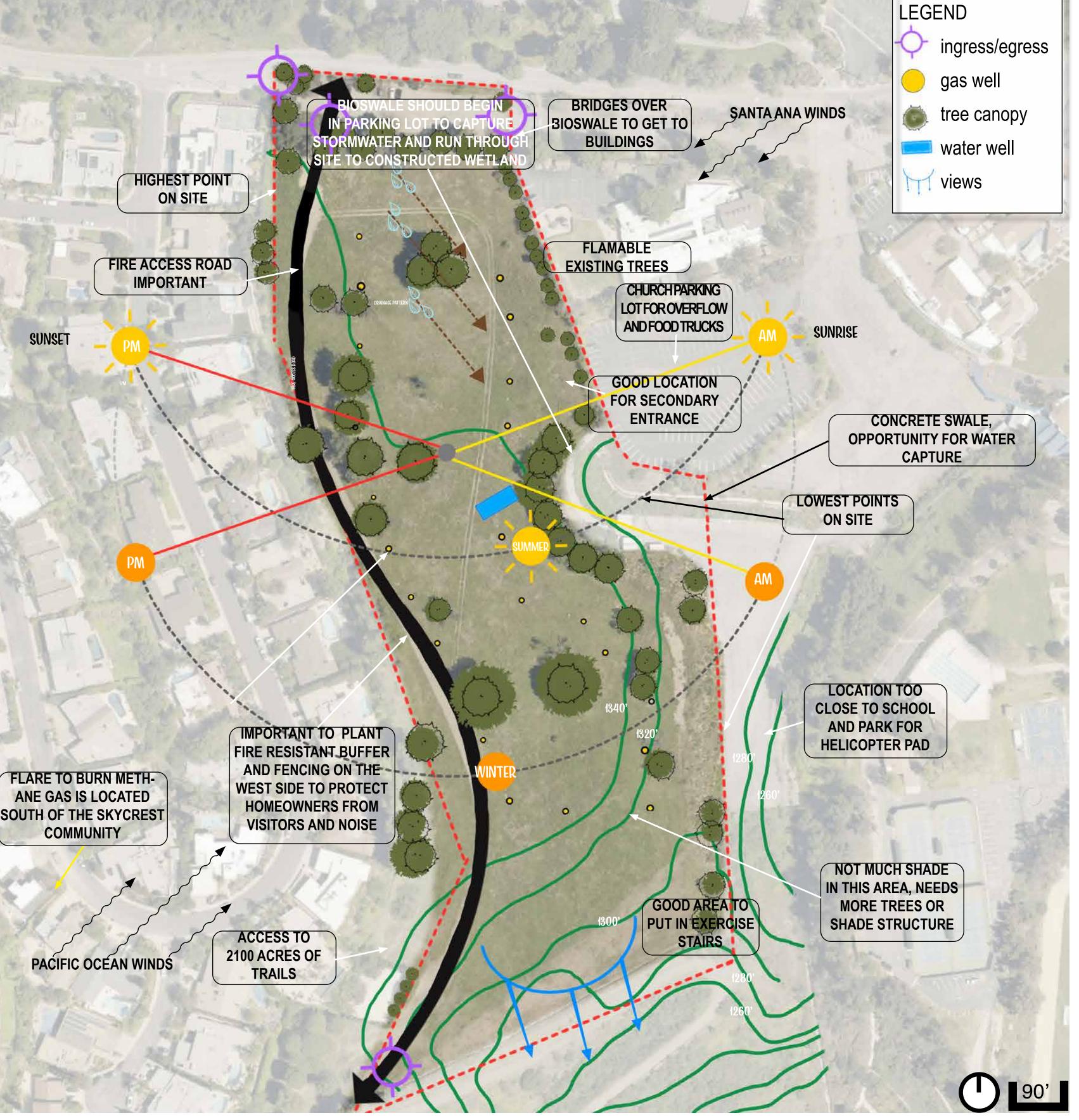
LEGEND

- methane gas from landfill has collection system in place. The gas is flared, it could be used to power microturbines.
- Many schools are located within a close proximity to the site for field trips.
- parking lot owned by Bel Air Pres. Church could be used for extra parking and food trucks
- concrete swale could capture water to be reused in the park
- access to 2100 acres of hiking trails in the Santa Monica Mountains
- amazing canyon views





SITE ANALYSIS



SITE HISTORY

1950s - Site Purchased by Los Angeles County
1950 - 1980 - Site used as a dump for the City of Los Angeles for non-hazardous waste
1960s - County agreed to leave land "in a condition usable for park and recreational purposes" when no longer needed as a trash disposal site. late 1960s-early1970s - Site stopped accepting trash.

1980 - Site was covered with three feet of clean earth that was compacted to accommodate park and recreational use.

1980s - LA County considered lease or sale of the land to a third party for a golf course, housing project, or land trade with a luxury developer.

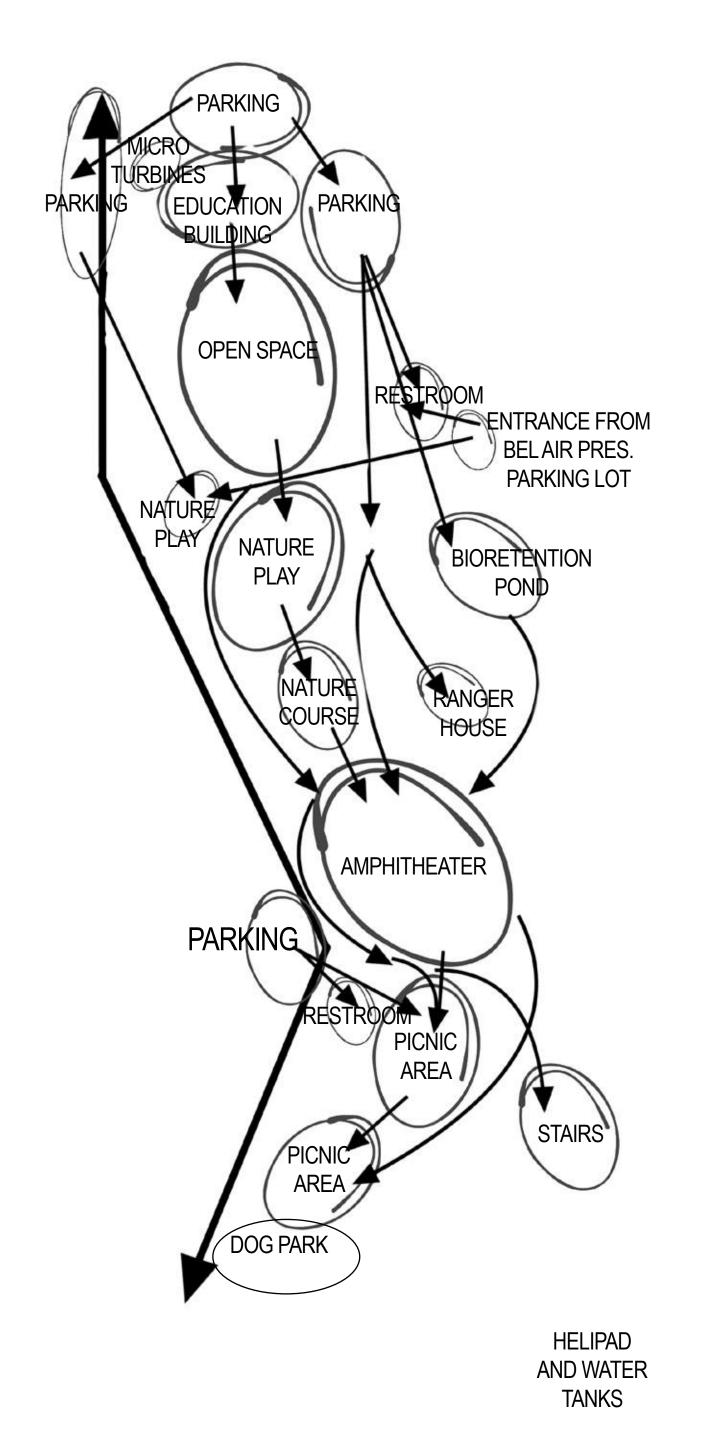
1990 - Court ruling caused developer Ray Watt to abandon his plans for a land swap.

2014 - County funded MRCA to develop designs to turn the 500 acres of decommissioned landfill site into the Mission Canyon Park Project.

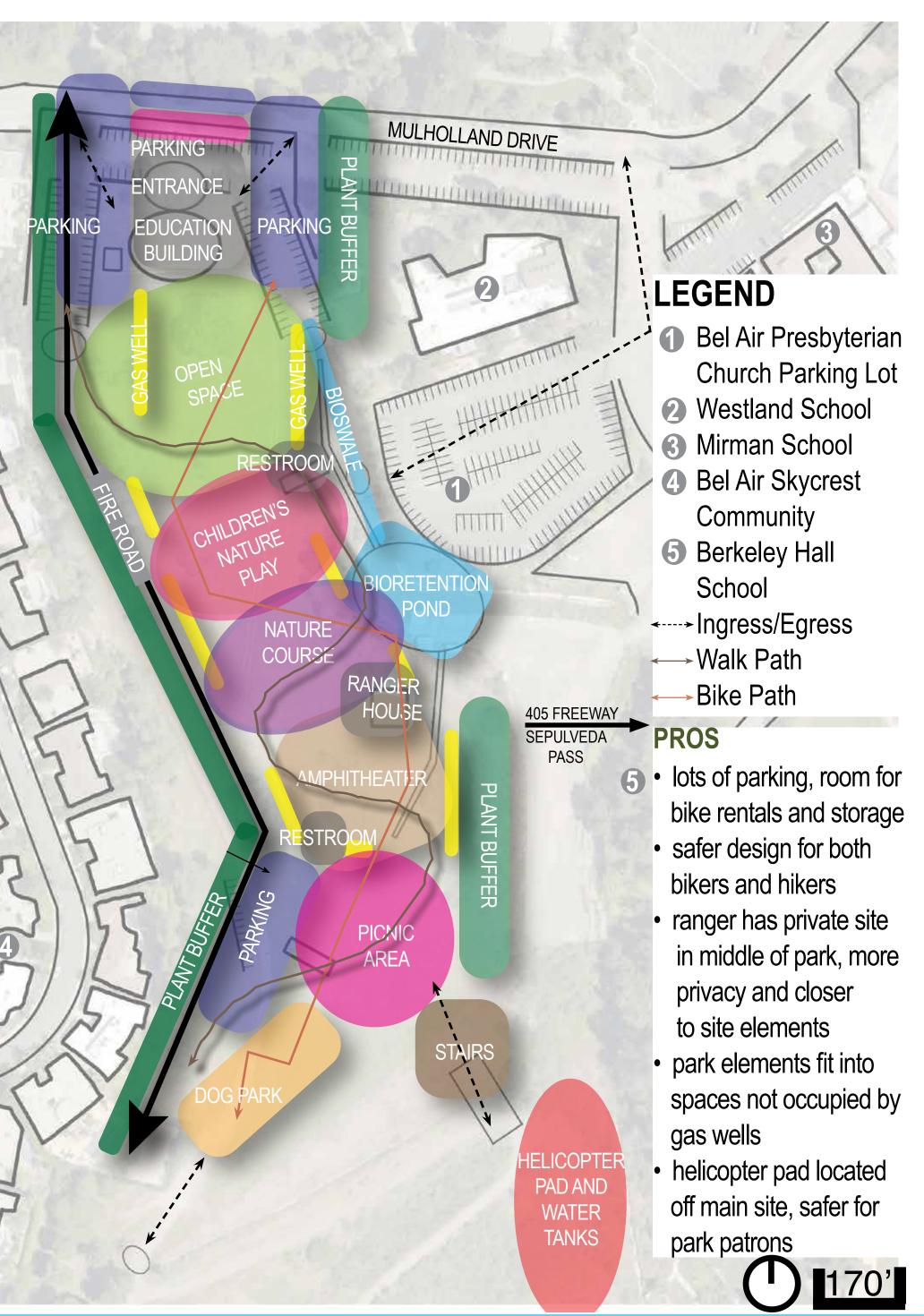
RECLAIMING MISSION CANYON

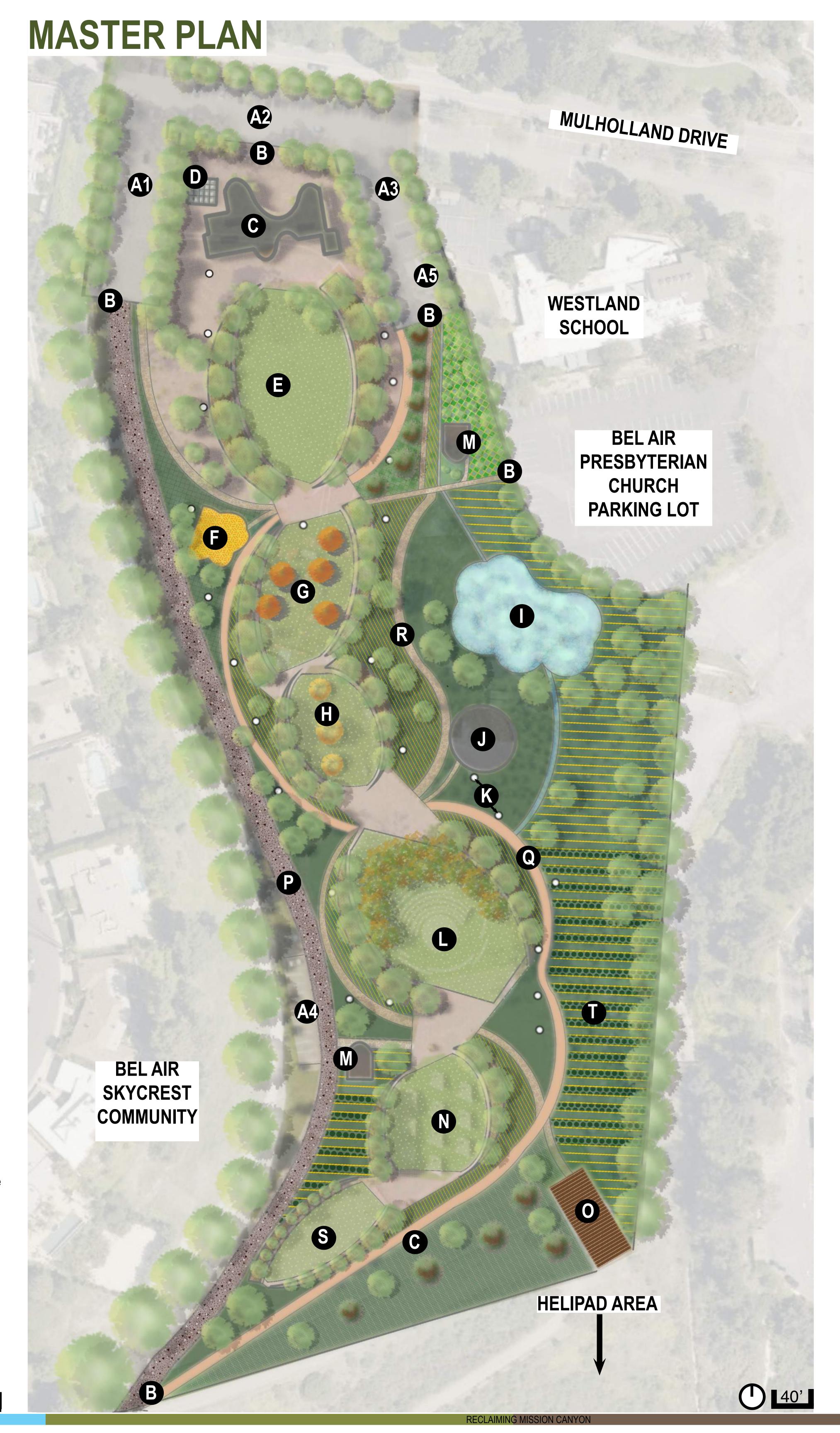
CONCEPTUAL DESIGN

FLOW CHART



CONCEPT DIAGRAM







LEGEND

- Apparking lot 36 spaces
- parking lot 26 spaces
- parking lot 16 spaces
- parking lot 14 spaces
- solar powered bicycle rental
- B entrance/exit structure
- education building with green roof
- microturbine area
- **G** community open space
- Children's nature play area
- G older children's nature play area
- madult exercise nature course
- bioretention pond and bioswales
- **I** ranger house
- **G** gas well
- amphitheater
- **M** restroom
- picnic area
- O exercise stairs
- Pfire road
- **Q** bike path
- R walking path
- S dog park
- opuntia garden

 helipad and water tanks



