## Welcome to the Virtual Visioning Session for

# Flushing Bay Promenade Flushing Meadows Corona Park





# Flushing Bay Promenade Improvements

Flushing Meadows Corona Park

Bounded by Whitestone Expressway, Flushing Bay, Harper Street, and LaGuardia Airport, Borough of Queens

Visioning Sessions October 29, 2020 November 18, 2020 7:00 p.m.

#### **Agenda**

- Welcome
- Presentation from NYC Parks
- Q&A
- Facilitated Small Group Discussion
- Wrap Up & Next Steps



# Project Background



## **Proposed AirTrain Alignment**







### **Proposed AirTrain Alignment - Park Impacts**



1. Marina Operations Relocation



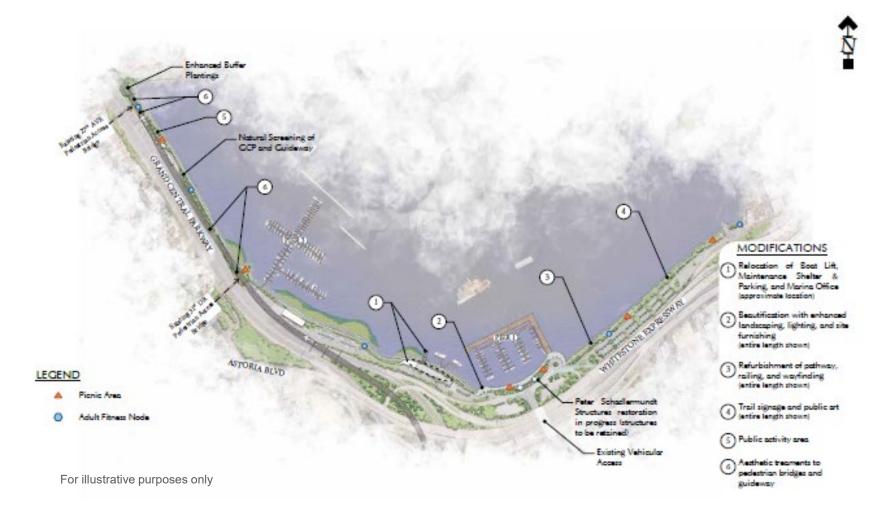
2. Passerelle Reconstruction



3. Flushing Bay Promenade



### **Conceptual Flushing Bay Promenade Improvements**





## Site Overview



#### **Site Location**





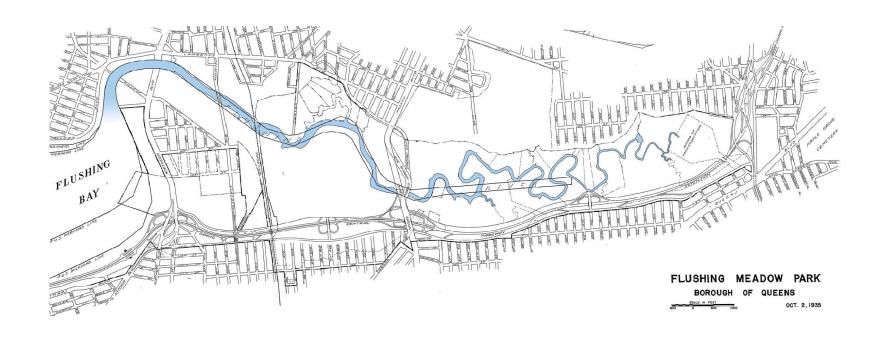


## **Before 1900: Tidal Estuary**





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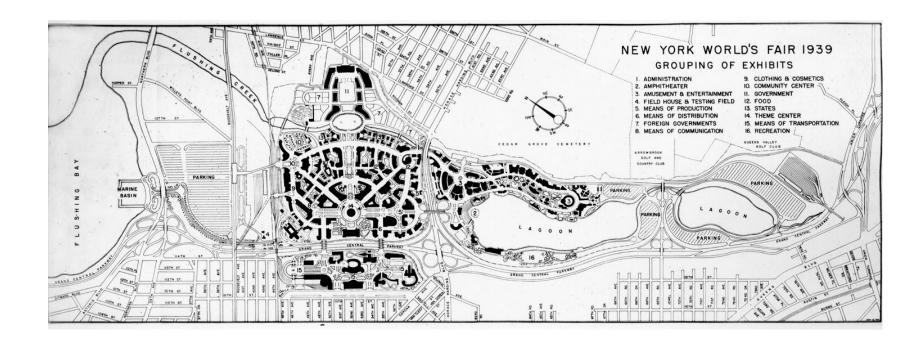


## Early 1900's: The Infamous Ash Dumps





#### 1939-1940 World's Fair





#### 1964 Word's Fair

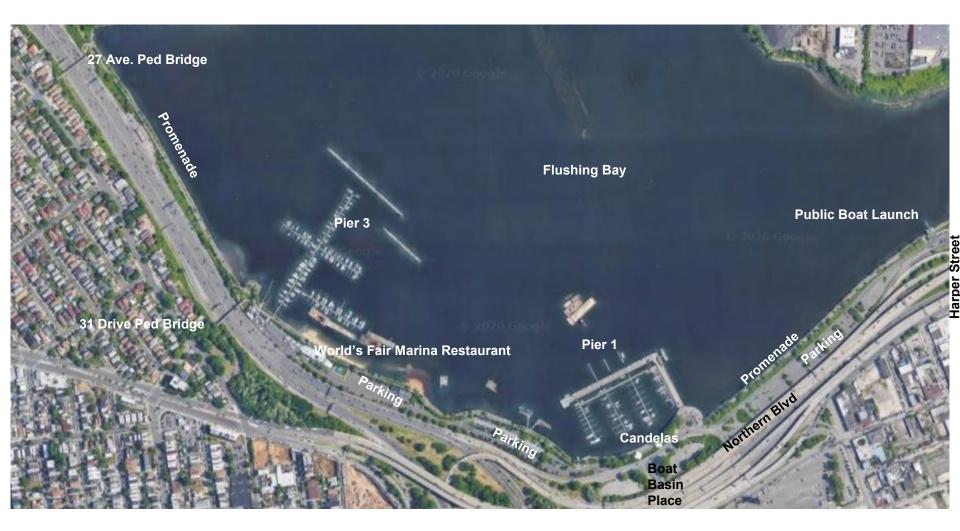




# **Existing Conditions**



### Flushing Bay Promenade





#### **Entrances**





Northern Blvd Harper Street





**NYC Parks** 

**Boat Basin Place** 

### 27<sup>th</sup> Ave Pedestrian Bridge







## **31<sup>st</sup> Drive Pedestrian Bridge**







#### **Amenities**













### Uses











### **Site Furniture**











#### **Conditions – Rail and Pavement**



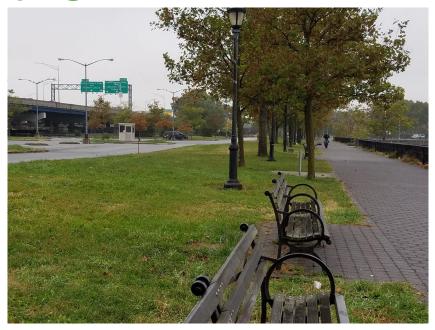








## **Landscaping – Linear**







#### **Upcoming NYC Parks Capital Projects**

World's Fair Marina Reconstruction (Piers 1 & 3)



Candela Restoration & Intersection Improvements at Boat Basin Place

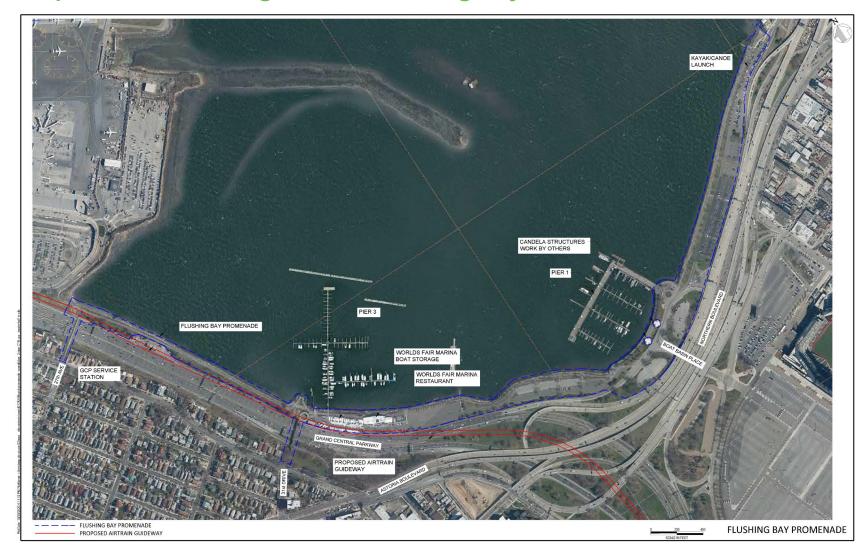


#### **Proposed AirTrain Alignment – Marina Operations Relocation**





#### **Proposed AirTrain Alignment – Flushing Bay Promenade**





## Design Precedents – Linear Parks

Possible Types of Amenities for Discussion Purposes during Group Break Out Sessions



## **Landscape - Berm**





## **Landscape - Water's Edge**





## **Seating Areas**





## **Outdoor Classroom / Multi Purpose Space**





## **Playgrounds – Linear / Nautical**











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## **Water Play**



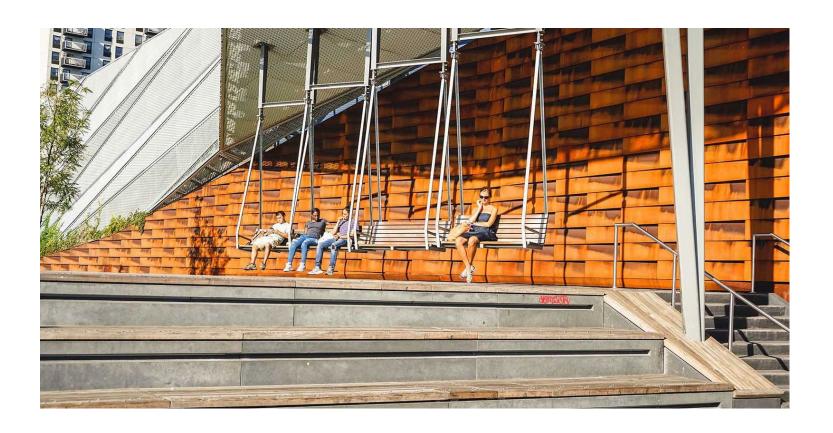


## **Adult Fitness Equipment**





## **Giant Swings / Unique Seating**





## **Temporary Art Displays**









## Q & A



## Group Discussion:

What do you want to see?



#### **Facilitation Questions**

How do you currently use the **Promenade?** 

What improvements would you like to see at this site?

What features would you like to be added?



## **Community Input Meetings**

Help us build a Bright Green Future

Thank you for your feedback

Give more input or forward to a friend:

<u>https://anewlga.com/airtrain/flushing-bay-promenade-improvements/</u>

The survey will be active until November 30, 2020

Kindly share this link with anyone who may have an interest in this project

We want to hear from you!

