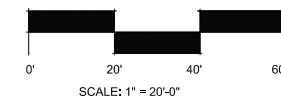


PLAN LEGEND

1. **PARK NAME SIGN:** Install park name sign, "Cesar Chavez Memorial Plaza".
2. **STREET CORNER LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS:** Provide raised planters at back of existing planting areas at four street corners entry points, planted with annuals or perennial color. Bark mulch placed under existing oak trees.
3. **J STREET VISUAL ACCESS:** Stripe loading zone, to create visual access to park along J Street, and loading area for park events
4. **LANDSCAPE PLANTER:** Provide planter area with low water-use and low maintenance shrubs, perennials and groundcover at J St. mid block access.
5. **EXTEND WALKWAY TO PLAZA:** Extend existing walkway from Stevens Monument to central plaza.
6. **PICNIC TABLE REPLACEMENT:** Replace the existing picnic tables in the park with steel strap tables with 3 or 4 seats.
7. **DECOMPOSED GRANITE AREAS:** Replace portion of turf and planting areas along major walkways and in high traffic and gathering areas with decomposed granite paving, to better facilitate the Beer Garden and Farmer's Market events and reduce maintenance.
8. **I STREET VISUAL ACCESS:** Stripe loading zone, to create visual access to park along J Street, and loading area for park events.
9. **CESAR CHAVEZ MONUMENT RELOCATION:** Relocate Chavez Monument from stage to street level along J Street facing City Hall and install on a 4 foot pedestal.
10. **STAIR IMPROVEMENTS:** Widen existing steps and walkway to stage. Reduce and replace existing planting will Cesar Chavez roses and low shrubs and ground covers to open up and enhance visual access to the park and reinforce the visual axis from J St. to City Hall.
11. **STAGE IMPROVEMENTS:** Raise the existing stage by 18", which also require modifying the side access ramps to the stage and additional stairs. Upgrade electrical power in the park.
12. **TURF IMPROVEMENTS AT AMPHITHEATER:** Replace existing turf in front of stage with more durable turf type, which can take high traffic.
13. **BENCHES ALONG GREAT CIRCLE:** Provide classic style, steel strap benches with and without backs with center armrests along the perimeter of the great circle to provide seating for park and event users, while leaving adequate room for Farmer's Market tents.
14. **TRASH RECEPTACLES (SOLAR SELF-COMPACTING):** Install solar-powered self compacting trash receptacles, to reduced trash pick-up requirements in the park.
15. **DECOMPOSED GRANITE IMPROVEMENTS:** Topdress existing decomposed granite paved areas throughout the park.
16. **INFORMATION BOOTH SHADE STRUCTURE:** Install a shade structure for the Downtown Partnership's information booth. Match architecture of Cafe Soleil building with brick columns and roof style and materials.



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