

PROCESS

Design + Community

RESEARCH & DOCUMENTATION

April - May 2006

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

June - July - August 2006

PRE-SCHEMATIC DESIGN

September 2006

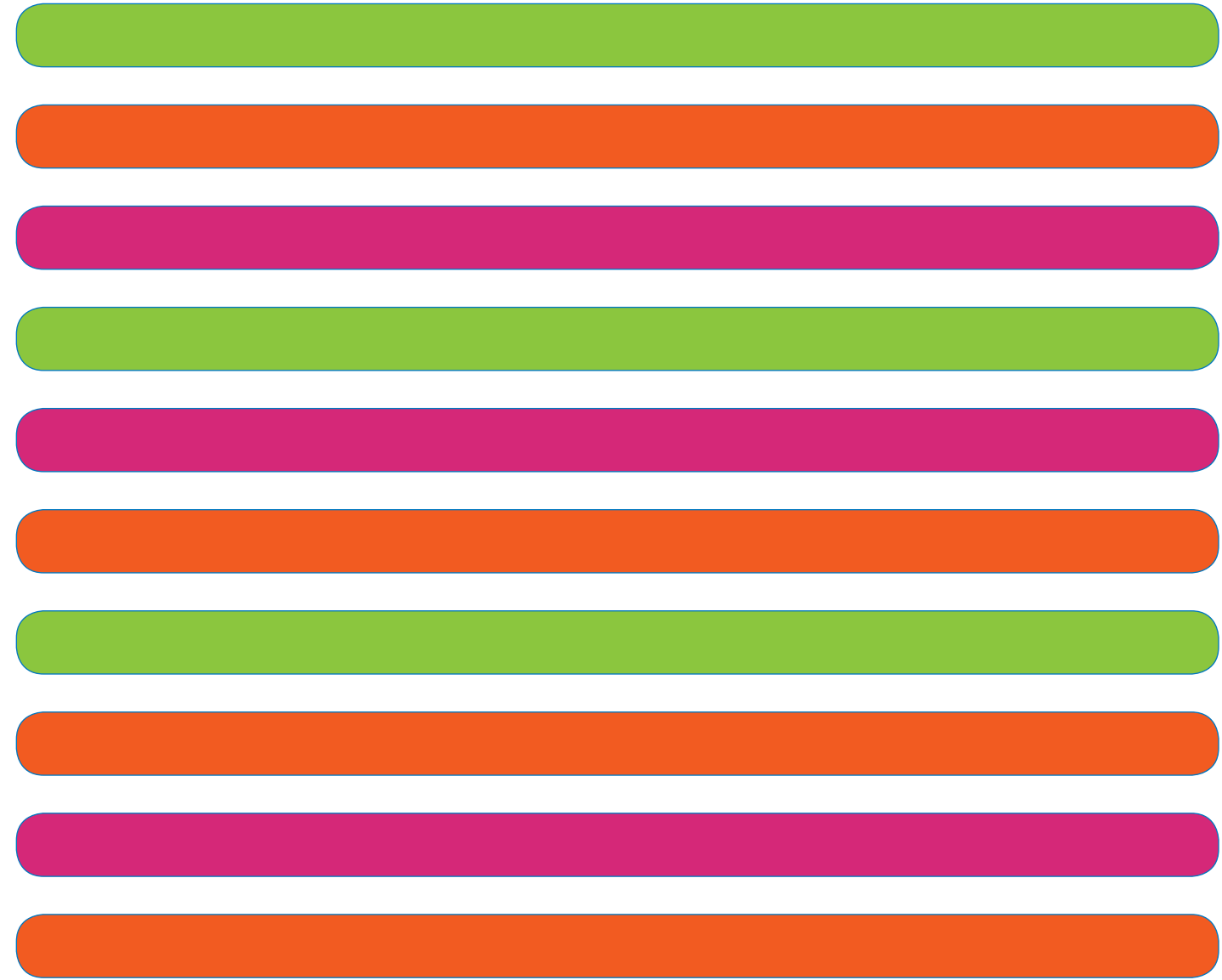


In this first phase of work, the design team reviewed and assembled all previous studies and proposals for the Civic Park, including those sponsored by the Norman Lear Center Grand Intervention.

We also documented the history and evolution of the site and its current condition, and gathered examples of urban parks and civic plazas around the world in order to develop criteria for creating public space for a culturally diverse population.

June 21 Community Workshop 1: Programmming

What do you want to do in this park? Now is your chance to tell us what kinds of activities you envision for Civic Park. Workshop participants will gather in groups and create programmatic arrangements which will help inform the design team.



community ideas

August 19 Community Workshop 2: Initial Design Concepts

The design team will present initial design concepts that synthesize the ideas and principles generated in the first workshop, and test them against the current budget. Community workshop participants will have the opportunity to give feedback to the design team.



design concepts

Community Presentation: Pre-Schematic Design

The design team, along with several collaborating design professionals, will develop a pre-schematic design that incorporates the community outreach process and a Park Program calendar for a "Year in the Life of Civic Park." The pre-schematic design will be developed to respond to the site's current context as well as potential future conditions, and will be presented in sketch and model form.



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July 24, 2006