CAMP SHIWAKA MASTER PLAN VISION:

THE CAMP SHIWAKA MASTER PLAN CONSISTS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF AN URBAN FOREST, WHICH HAS, AT ITS CENTRAL FOCUS, THE DEVELOPMENT OF A THREE QUARTER-MILE DISCOVERY TRAIL. THE DISCOVERY TRAIL AT CAMP SHIWAKA WILL FORM THE BACKBONE THAT WEAVES THIS SPECIAL PLACE INTO THE FABRIC OF ITS SURROUNDING URBAN NEIGHBORHOOD, EDUCATING AND INFORMING CHILDREN AND VISITORS ABOUT THE SURROUNDING AREA, NATURE AND HABITATS. AS VISITORS HIKE THE TRAIL, THEY WILL DISCOVER A VARIETY OF SENSORY EXPERIENCES, BROUGHT TO LIFE THROUGH ACCOMPANYING INTERPRETIVE SIGNAGE, FORESTED AND OAK WOODLAND PLANT COMMUNITIES, AND VARIOUS BUILT AND NATURAL FORCES COMING TOGETHER IN A URBAN SETTING.

THERE WILL BE FOUR SEPARATE, HIDDEN AREAS OFF OF THE DISCOVERY TRAIL, KNOWN AS MAGIC CIRCLES. UNABLE TO BE SEEN FROM THE TRAIL ITSELF, THESE AREAS WILL HAVE ROUGH HEWN WOODEN LOGS AS BENCHES, AND AN EUSED FOR CLASSES, NATIVE AMERICAN TEACHINGS, AND OTHER SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR LEARNING.

THE CAMP SHIWAKA MASTER PLAN VISION WILL FILL AN URGENT NEED FOR 'WILD' AND FORESTED EXPERIENCES TO A POPULATION THAT HAS NEVER HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO 'ESCAPE' TO NATURE. THIS CONCEPT FORMS THE CORE OF OUR EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY AND EXEMPLIFIES OUR VALUE IN NATURE EDUCATION.

CAMP SHIWAKA MASTER PLAN

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PLANT PALETTE:



CALIFORNIA SYCAMORE



COAST REDWOOD



COAST LIVE OAK



PONDEROSA PINE



DEODAR CEDAR

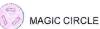
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SUGAR PINE

COULTER PINE

LEGEND:



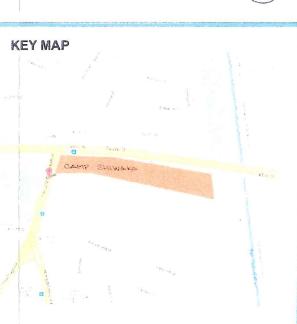






NATIVE AMERICANS REDWOOD GROVES CHALLENGE YOUR SELF

OAK WOODLAND



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