



## Special Meeting Notice

### City of Spokane

### Joint Arts Committee Meeting

11:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 25, 2018

Tribal #2 Conference Room, 5<sup>th</sup> floor City Hall  
808 W. Spokane Falls Blvd., Spokane, WA 99201

#### Joint Arts Committee Members

- X Garret Daggett  
Dean Davis (alternate)
- X Ginger Ewing
- X Jim Kolva
- X Ted McGregor, Park Board
- X Jennifer Ogden, Park Board
- X Chris Wright, Park Board

#### Staff/Guests

- Leroy Eadie, Parks
- Garrett Jones, Parks
- Pamela Clarke, Parks
- Melissa Huggins, Spokane Arts
- Meejin Yoon (call-in)
- Neil Legband (call-in)

### Notes

#### A. Roll call/sign in

See above

#### B. Discussion items

A. [Stepwell siting options](#) – Meejin Yoon provided information regarding a second location to consideration for the Stepwell siting. During the March 22 Joint Arts Committee meeting, the committee determined Site #2 in the Clocktower Meadow was the preferred site. Upon further review following that meeting, Ms. Yoon re-evaluated the location and felt it may be too crowded. She suggested the group consider Site #4 near the Conservation area. Ms. Yoon believes this location is more in line with the original concept to use the landscape topography to gain a higher elevation point which offers connection with the falls. She also added the “wildness” at this site is a positive aspect to consider. Most committee members preferred Site #4, in part, because this location allows the art piece to perch on the hillside offering spectacular views. The Conservation area site would be adjacent to a future playground. Ginger Ewing explained she prefers Site #2 because it would allow a connection to the built environment, such as the neighboring Carrousel, Clocktower and Pavilion. In spite of this, Ms. Ewing believes Site #4 will work well. Ms. Yoon plans to work with staff as they determine landscaping around the artwork. The landscaping is a budget item and not part of the Lead Artist contract. There was discussion to include native grasses and shrubs, and possibly use decomposed granite or crushed basalt for ground cover. Ms. Yoon discussed some ideas regarding lighting on and around Stepwell. The lighting scheme is not part of this art budget, but Ms. Yoon would like to better understand the lighting plans from Berger Partnership. Once the site is determined, Ms. Yoon will need additional data on the following: 1) geotechnical information; 2) playground design details; and 3) lighting scheme information from Berger.

**C. Action item**

A. Site recommendation – The Joint Arts Committee is tasked with offering a recommendation to the Riverfront Park Committee for consideration at the May 7 RFP Committee meeting. If RFP accepts the recommendation, it will come before the Park Board May 10 for final approval.

**MOTION #1:** Melissa Huggins moved to recommend Site #4 to the Riverfront Park Committee as the site location for Stepwell.

Jim Kolva seconded.

Motion passed with a 5-1 vote.

D. Adjournment – The meeting adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

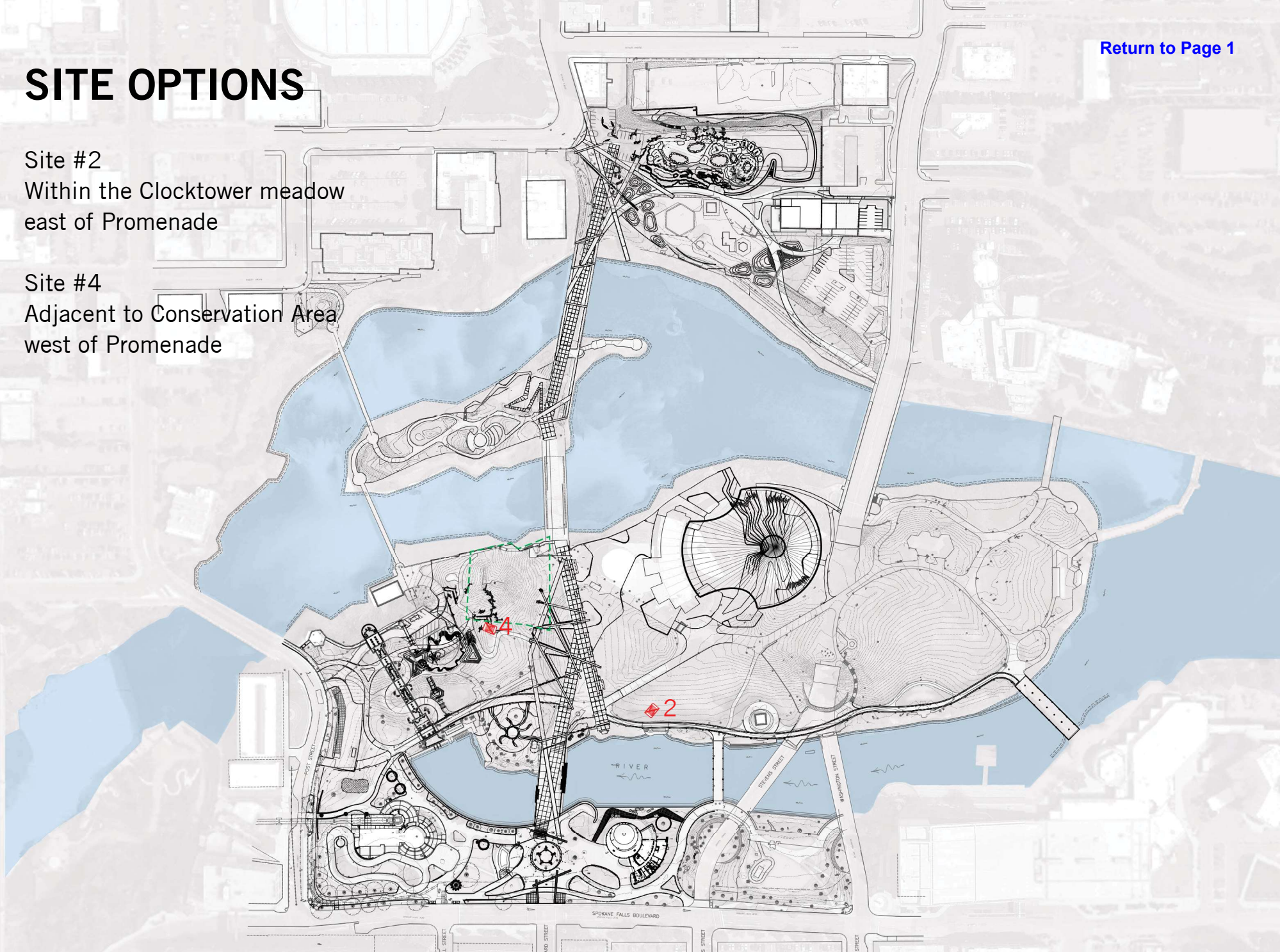
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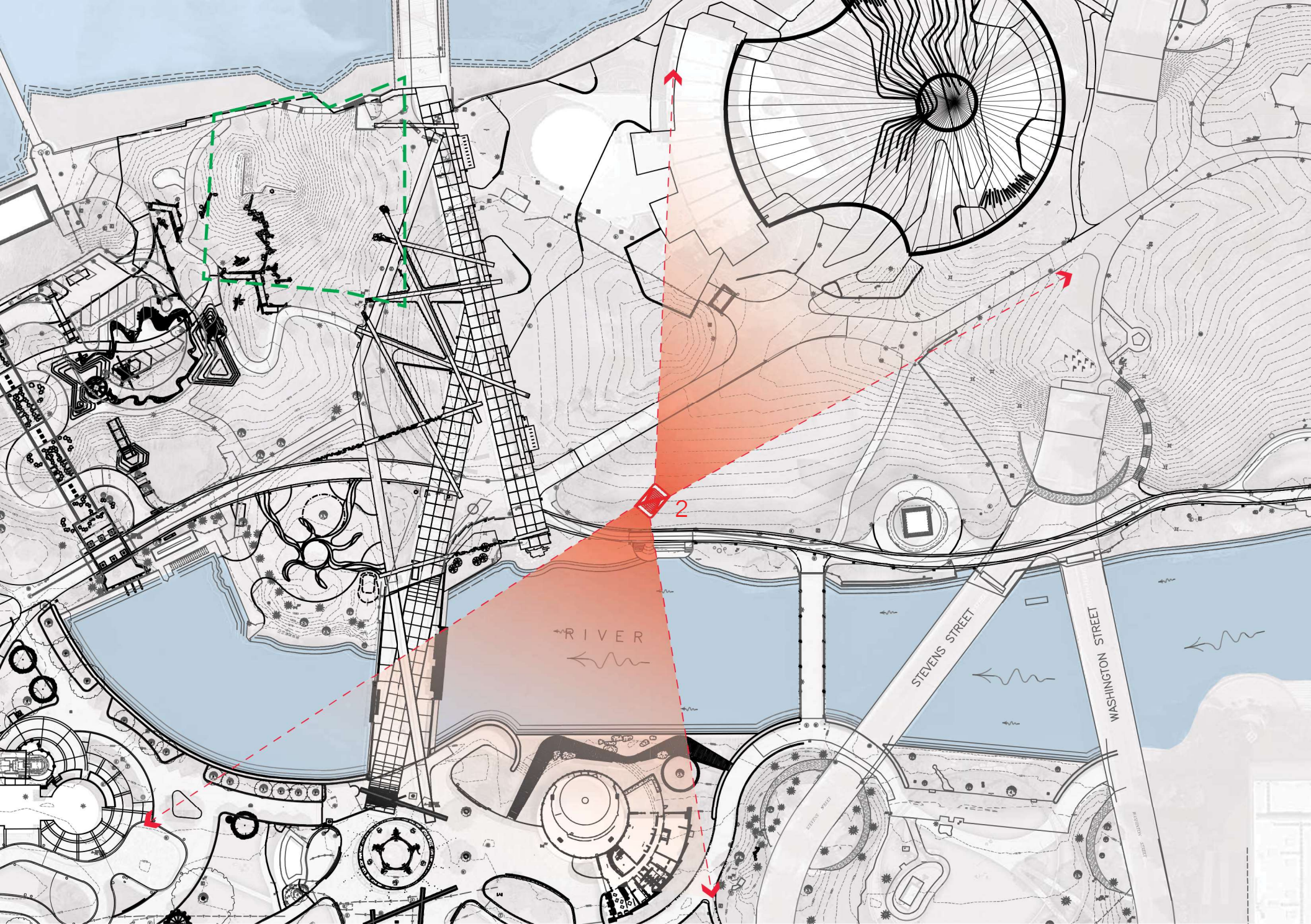
## Site #2

Within the Clocktower meadow  
east of Promenade

## Site #4

Adjacent to Conservation Area  
west of Promenade

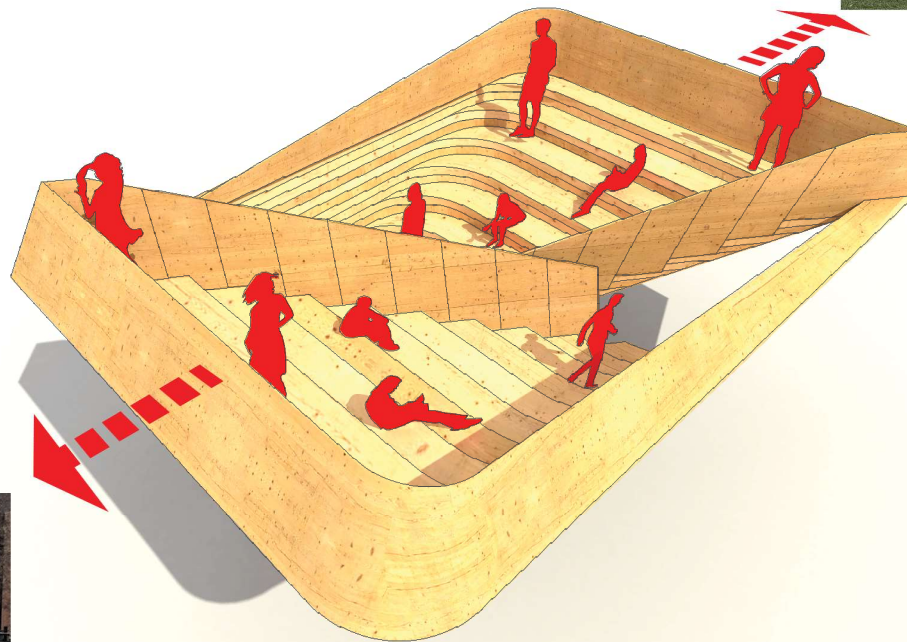




View to Pavilion



View to Carousel







View to Pavilion



View to Falls

