Participants were asked to comment on an aerial map that showed existing conditions of the park and surrounding context. Most comments described concerns and needs for additional parking, signage, and park entrance visibility. Below are key findings:

- Comments near the community garden included a need for additional parking, clear wayfinding signage, a community picnic shelter, and safe crossings across Perkins into the park from the neighborhood (including adding sidewalks to Perkins).
- Comments at the Kids Food Basket access point included suggesting new parking to an area that has already been developed, and to activate the south portion of the park that is currently hard to discover.
- At the Bali Ave. entrance, participants commented on the need for clearer signage, and potentially partnering with Berkley Church for additional parking.
- Participants also commented on their concerns of the water quality of the pond, and internal trail connections to the pond and bike path.

To the left is a summary of common themes for each Basic Need.
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PROPOSED - PROPUESTO

A LEONARD ST ACCESS & PARKING - 20 SPACES
ACceso y Estacionamiento Leonard ST - 20 Plazas
B PERKINS ST ACCESS & PARKING - 20 SPACES
ACceso y Estacionamiento Perkins ST - 20 Plazas
C PICNIC SHELTER
Refugio de Picnic
D EXTEND SIDEWALK CONNECTIONS
Ampliar las Conexiones de Aceras
E PRAIRIE OPENING / PRAIRIE RESTORATION
Apertura de Praderas / Restauración de Praderas
F UPLAND PRAIRIE RESTORATION
Restauración de Praderas en Altura
G PAVEMENT RESTORATION
Restauración de Pavimento
H HILLTOP OVERLOOK
Vista a la Cima

LEGEND - LEYENDA

CONSUMERS ENERGY UTILITY
SERVICIOS PÚBLICOS DE ENERGÍA PARA LOS CONSUMIDORES
PEDESTRIAN TRAIL
SENDERO PEATONAL
MOUNTAIN BIKE SINGLE-TRACK
BICICLETA MONTAÑA DE UNA PISTA
ENTRY SIGNAGE
SEÑAL DE ENTRADA
ENHANCED STREET CROSSING
CRUCE DE CALLE MEJORADO
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SECTION-1, NORTH
SECCIÓN-1, NORTE
Scale: 1/16" = 1'-0"

HILLTOP OVERLOOK - SEE ENLARGEMENT

RAVINE - SEE ENLARGEMENT

WOODLAND MANAGEMENT: SELECTIVE THINNING & UNDERSTORY DEVELOPMENT

SECTION-1 ENLARGMENT - HILLTOP OVERLOOK
AMPLIACIÓN DE LA SECCIÓN 1 - VISTA SUPERIOR
Scale: 1/16" = 1'-0"

RAVINE RESTORATION
SECCIÓN-1 AMPLIACIÓN - RESTAURACIÓN DE BARRANCO
Scale: 1/16" = 1'-0"

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GESTION DE ARBOLES

OPENING/ PRAIRIE RESTORATION
APERTURA / RESTAURACION DE PRADERAS

RAVINE RESTORATION
RESTAURACIÓN DE BARRANCO

SHELTER
SMALL
PEQUENO

MEDIUM
MEDIO

LARGE
GRANDE

ACTIVITIES
HIKE
IR DE EXCURSION

BIKE
EN BICICLETA

PLAY
JUGAR

DISCOVER
DESCUBRIR

INTERPRETIVE
INTERPRETIVO

SIGNAGE
GATEWAY
PUERTA

WAYFINDING
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