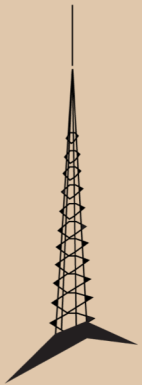


Town of Paradise Valley Spire Project Update & Site Enhancement Concept

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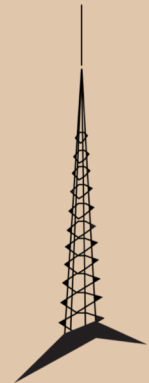
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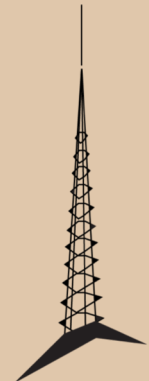
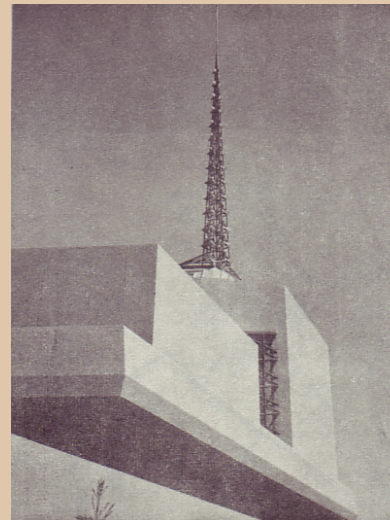
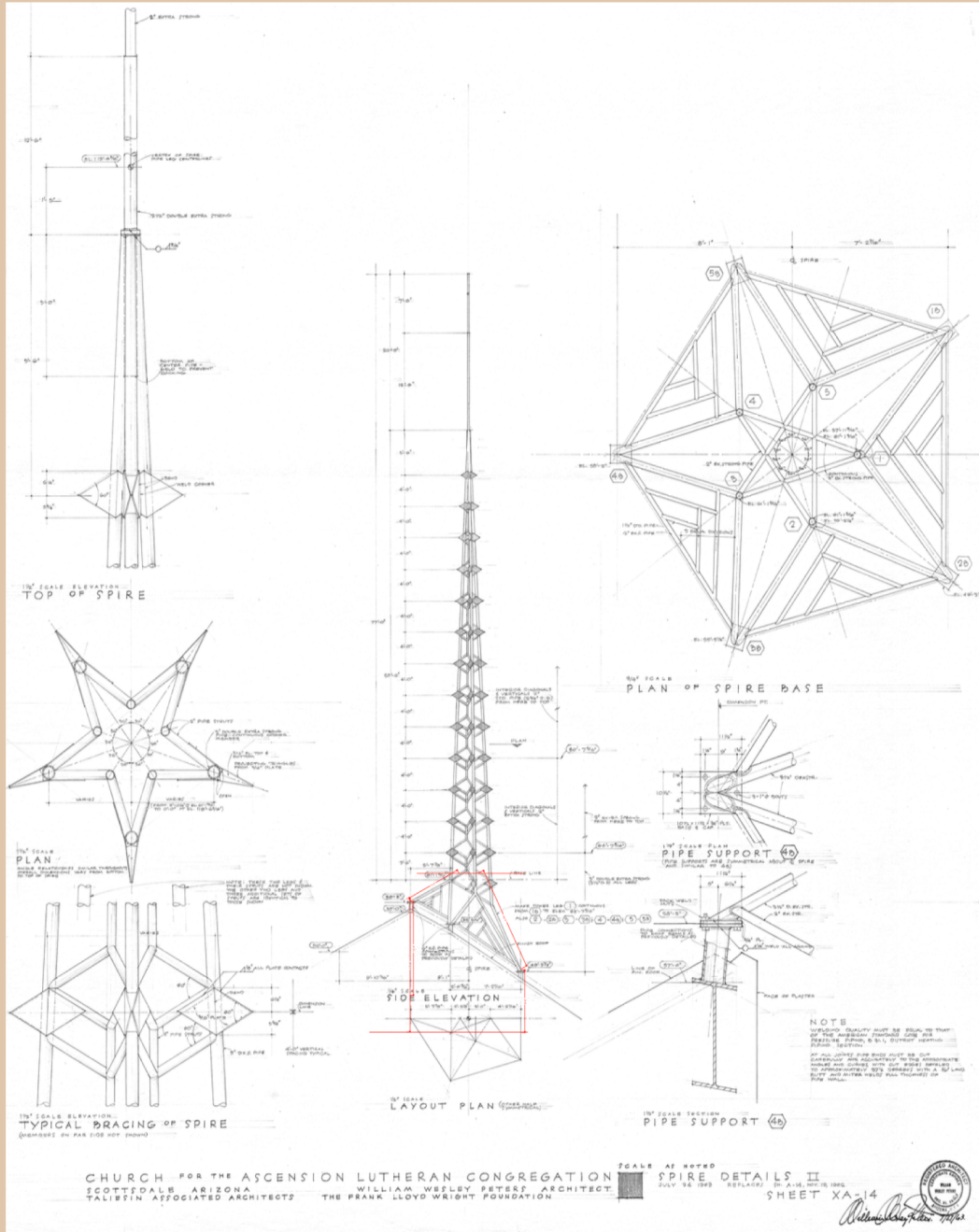
- Share current installation concept
- Review site and design direction
- Confirm alignment on next steps



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Project Context

- Architecturally significant spire
(Taliesin Associated Architects, 1961-63)
- Accepted by Town as a civic gift
- Direction established to identify placement and pursue installation



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Current Focus

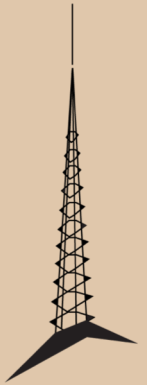
Where We Are Now

- Installation concept refined
- Placement options evaluated
- Site integration advanced



Site Overview

Campus Plan with Proposed Placement



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Site Strategy

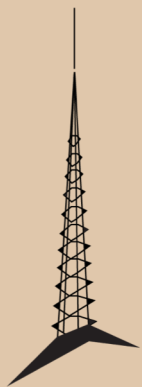
Why this Location?

- Central to the Town campus
- Strong visibility and civic presence
- Balanced integration within existing context



Design Concept

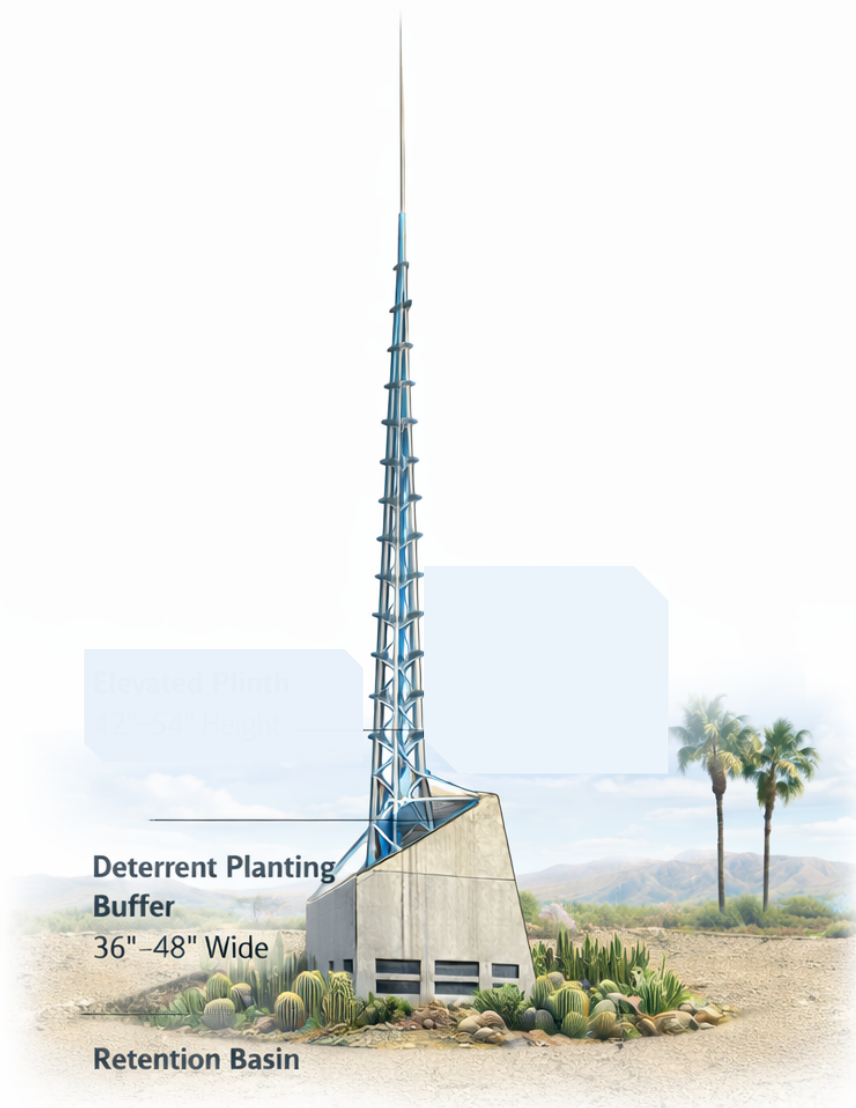
Concept Rendering
(Illustrative)



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The Spire Element

Civic Landmark

- Vertical focal point
- Identity feature
- Anchors civic space

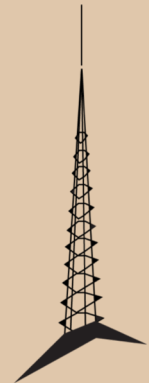




Ground Experience

Human Scale

- Accessible and open
- Pedestrian-friendly circulation
- Integrated with movement paths



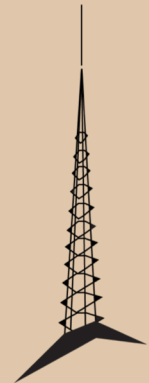
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Public Benefit

Enhanced Civic Use

- Gathering space
- Informal public use
- Supports daily activity



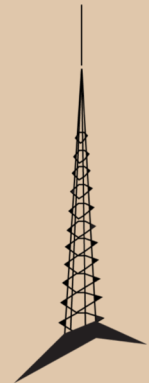
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Community Use

Flexible Activation

- Civic events
- Public gatherings
- Existing programming support

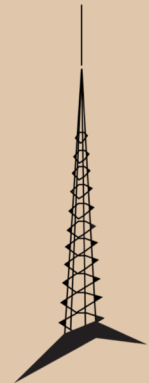


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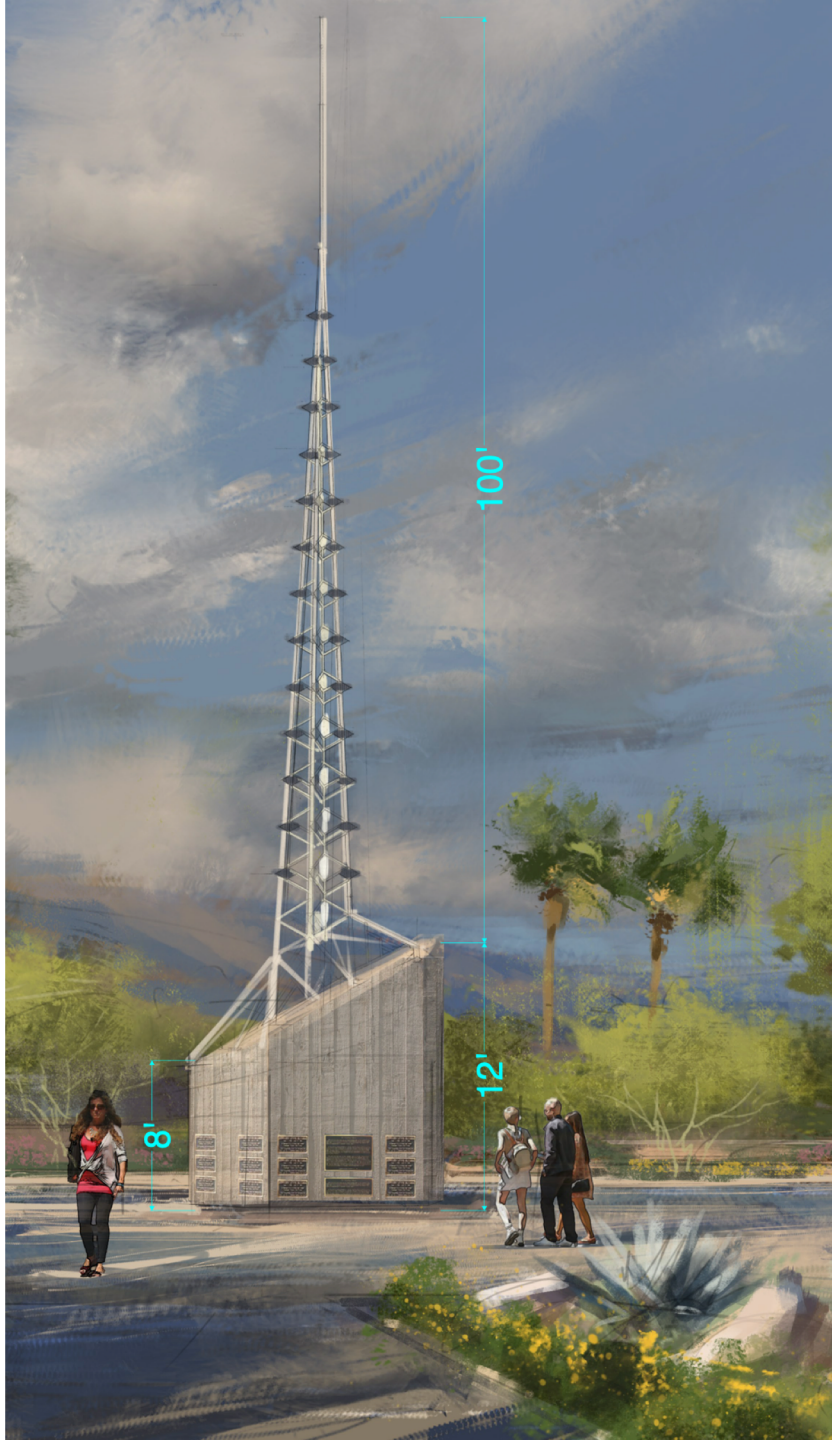


Integration with Campus

- Consistent material language
- Aligns with existing site features
- Complements memorial elements



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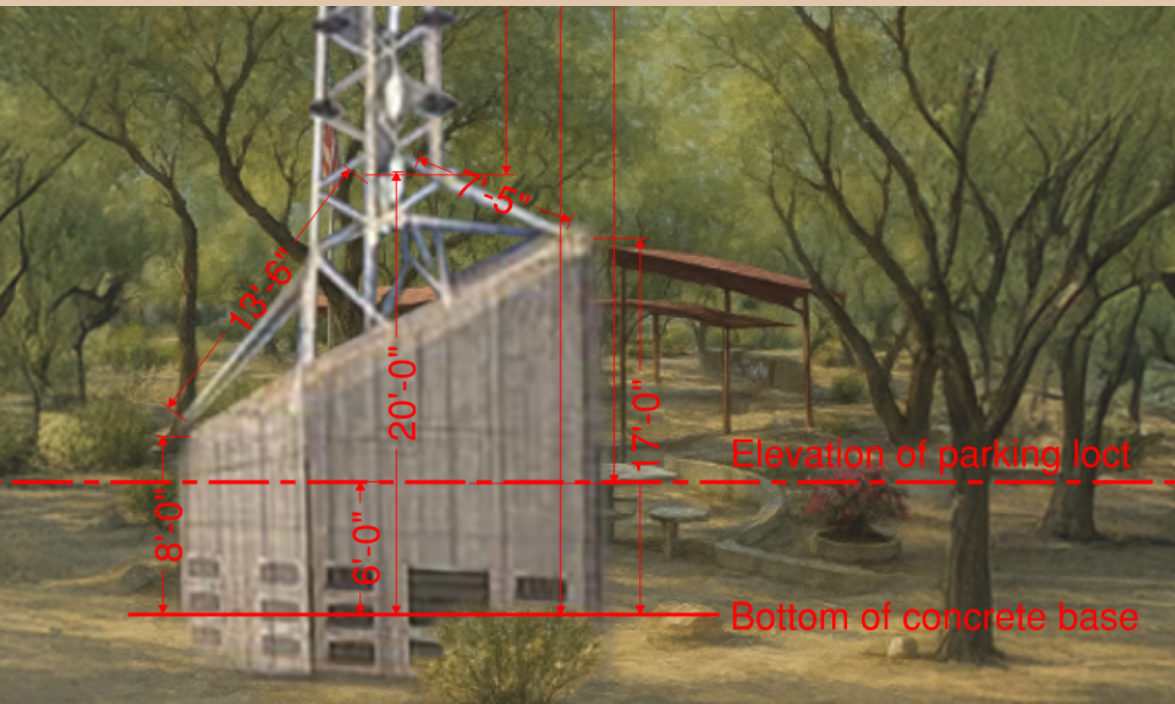


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Project Approach

- Estimated range ~500k+
- Community contribution opportunities
- Refinement continues with funding and final design





Next Steps

- Confirm direction
- Move into implementation planning



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Thank You!

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Feedback and
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