A vibrant, accessible community space adjacent to the Library where learning and nature give rise to a sense of discovery and delight.

- **Sky Garden:** Sculpture Garden. All about the sky and air. Flags, bird sculptures, wind socks, blowing ribbons, chimes and weather station stuff. New accessible path to Hazel Ave with benches. Tie into ex. sculpture and bench.
- **Alder Maze:** Trim existing alder to create a maze/circulous trail where future games with hidden clues or objects could occur.
- **Hidden Cove Gathering Space:** Reading circle or corner circle for small groups (Sh/1). Varied size colorful benches (remove compost and establish properly boundary with colorful bollards, open art fence).
- **Natural Play Area:** Add balance activities (ropes at trees, stepping logs, logs, driftwood, over/under tunnel, slide and ladders. Build to protect trees.
- **Wetlands:** Interpretive signs, dry streambed, wetlands grasses and sedge. Perimeter area with picnic tables, benches and open lawn area.
- **Bridge over "creek"** creates perennial wetland feature. Boulder, thin alder, interpretive signs. Viewing platform, meeting area, small group gathering area.
- **Grewing Gardens:** Use round concrete planters to retain slope and provide areas to grow strawberries, rhubarb, veggies. Each planter could include tribute to donor.
- **Outdoor Classroom/Covered Gathering Space:** Redesign existing plaza to create meeting, gathering, presentation space able to accommodate larger groups. Protect grasses and natural edge. Advocate for sidewalk along Heath Street.

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