



**Under • the • Overpass:  
A Day of Visions for a Sad Landscape**

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On a beautiful fall day in October 1998, a group of interested citizens gathered together for a community design event. The goal was to create a vision for the aging and forgotten urban open space that lies in the shadow of the Bowker Overpass. This booklet is a chronicle of that day.

The participants were asked to explore ways of restoring beauty and dignity to the Charlesgate Interchange Park. The concepts documented in this booklet are bold gestures for the future, but they are only a first step. This booklet is a tool to begin the long process of creating a rich urban resource.