

### Concept Overview

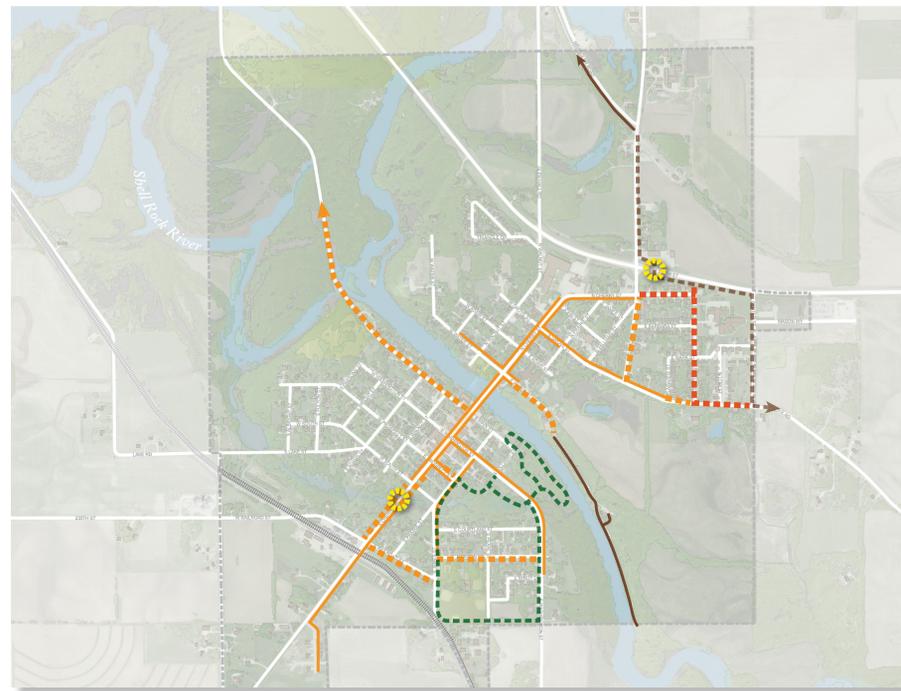
During the Design Workshop, residents had an opportunity to come visit with the design team to learn about the Community Visioning process and potential community projects. Residents were encouraged to review the analysis boards created by Iowa State University and asked to leave feedback on the projects chosen by the Shell Rock visioning committee.

Residents would like better pedestrian circulation routes in Shell Rock. During the open house, residents had the opportunity to highlight key routes they use or would like to use to walk or bike. Based on this public input, the design team was able identify priority routes and analyze the current connectivity of the routes and the desired destinations. This analysis determined the priority sidewalk and trail routes for walkers, runners, and bicyclists to use to connect to popular destinations in town, as shown on the Sidewalk + Connectivity, board 6.

Trail accessibility is an issue because pedestrians have to cross Highway 3 to get to Rolling Prairie Trailhead. A pedestrian underpass or crosswalk would offer a safer route between the trailhead and the community. Creating a pedestrian crossing and extending Rolling Prairie Trail to Waverly would benefit Shell Rock and nearby communities by connecting them and a longer bike route for people to enjoy.

McCague Memorial Park Enhancements are focused on providing accessibility and circulation throughout the park. The proposed sidewalks in the park create a smooth, paved surface that gives residents better access to the park features such as the playground, shelter, and restrooms.

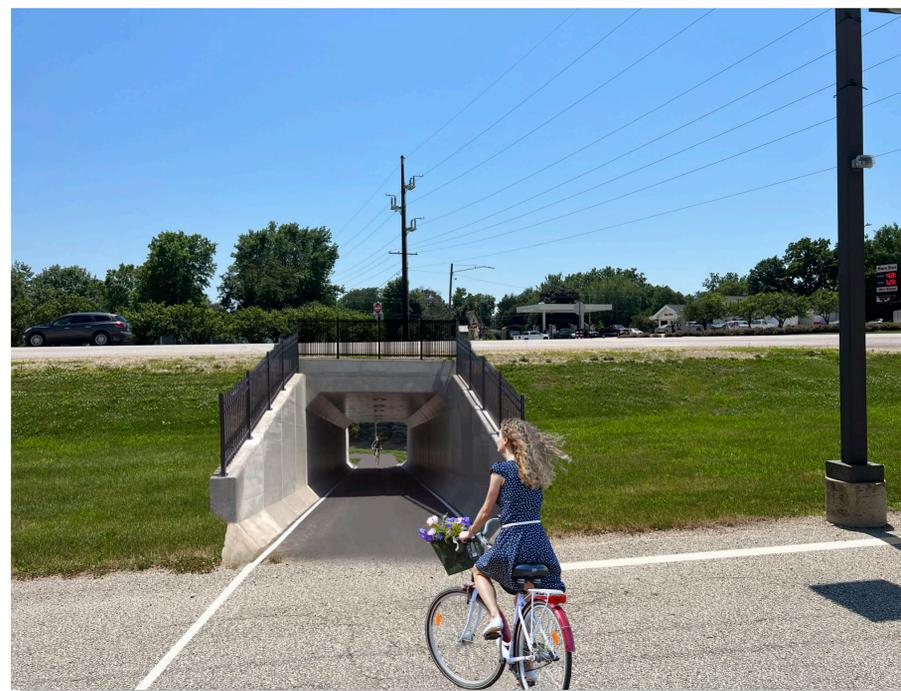
The downtown gathering space would create a permanent outdoor location where the community can come together and hold events, such as a holiday celebration or concert. The proposed gathering space provides seating, lighting, and shade for residents to enjoy on a daily basis.



Sidewalks + Connectivity, board 6



McCague Memorial Park Enhancements, board 8



Trail Connections Plan, board 7



Downtown Gathering Space, board 9

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