



DHM DESIGN

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Sheena joined DHM Design in June of 2016 with an interest in landscapes that allow us to interact and explore the world around us. She likes to connect people to the land and brings a thoughtful aesthetic to recreation and civic projects. On her own time, she enjoys the outdoors with her dog Shelby and is an avid photographer (and sometimes NHRA Drag Racer!) as she explores our beautiful state.

ABOUT

EDUCATION

B.S. Landscape Architecture
Colorado State University, 2014
Associates of Applied Science in Architectural Design
and Technology and Certificate in 3D Auto CAD
Arapahoe Community College

RECENT PROJECTS

Lutz Sports Complex; Arvada, CO
Solstice Planned Community; Littleton, CO
Civic Commons Park; Cheyenne, WY
Hidden Brook at North Fork; Colorado Springs, CO
Continental; Aurora, CO
Cherry Creek Middle School #11; Cherry Creek, CO
Pueblo CDOT R2; Pueblo, CO
Northglenn Northwest Open Space; Northglenn, CO
Columbine Country Club; Littleton, CO
Barnum Park Improvements; Denver, CO
Cahill All-Abilities Playground; Cheyenne, WY
Cordera Filing 4 & 5; Colorado Springs, CO
Pikes Peak America's Mountain; Colorado Springs, CO
Sandy Hook Maintenance Facilities; Gateway NRA, NY
Erie Downtown Redevelopment Plan; Erie, CO

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NOTABLE WORK

Civic Commons Park | Cheyenne, WY

DHM Design is working with the City of Cheyenne to design and implement the Civic Commons Park in the West Edge District. This project is part of a large scale revitalization of the area adjacent to the west of Cheyenne's central business district. The project will combine public infrastructure, parks, open gathering space, and infill development opportunities.

North West Open Space Athletic Field Complex | Northglenn, CO

DHM Design was tasked with planning and creating a needs assessment, conceptual designs, master planning and construction documents for the redevelopment of the Northwest Open Space athletic field complex. The primary intent for this redevelopment is to enhance the existing site, creating a regional destination for a variety of large scale outdoor sporting events as well as home fields for local sports organizations. As much as possible, the City would like to maximize the usage of this site by increasing the number of sports fields, increasing the efficiency and capacity of the existing parking facilities and provide additional convenience for spectators.

Solstice Planned Community | Lakewood, CO

Solstice is an approximately 380-acre parcel of land whose history is connected to the Phipps Ranch which encompassed what is now Highlands Ranch and extended west towards the Platte River. This 380 parcel came about when in 1965 the Army Core of Engineers designated through condemnation thousands of Acres of the Phipps Ranch for the Chatfield dam and reservoir project. The Solstice Parcel was excluded from the condemnation as it lay outside of the flood control boundaries determined by the Army Core. The parcel remained in Agricultural use until 2016 when DHM Design as part of the Shea Homes consultant team helped successfully rezone the 380 acres from Agriculture to Planned Development.

Successful community planning and entitlement projects require an understanding of the local jurisdictional requirements as well as the requirements of other local, state, and federal agencies and stakeholders. The level of understanding that is required necessitates the involvement of an multidisciplinary consultant team comprised of Land Planning, Civil, Transportation, Environmental, Legal and Community Outreach expertise. DHM's success as Land Planning consultant is a result of our understanding of the roles and responsibilities of the project team and our ability to work closely with the team members.