MANTUA’S ROOTS

A PROJECT THAT WILL INJECT ACTIVITY TO AN EXISTING COMMUNITY RESOURCE WHILE CREATING A FRAMEWORK FOR FUTURE CONNECTIONS, NEIGHBORHOOD IDENTITY AND HAPPINESS.
COLOR EXERCISE WITH REBECCA ROSE

DULL
STRUGGLE
VIOLENCE

HERITAGE
CULTURE
HISTORY
ROYALTY

VIBRANCE
LIFE
NATURE
UNIVERSITY CITY
• Technology-focused
• Millennials, Young Professionals, Professors

KIMEY'S PLACE
• Bodega, Existing Resource

POWELTON VILLAGE / MANTUA

EXISTING CONDITIONS | NEIGHBORHOODS
DEVIL’S POOL
WISSAHIICKON, PA
• Brings together diverse communities around central recreational element and relief from the city

BAOBOB TREE VILLAGE
SENEGAL (AFRICA)
• Brings together communities around a food source, source of shade, and landmark
EAST ELEVATION
1/4" = 1'-0"
SOUTHEAST AXONOMETRIC

CANOPY
TO PROVIDE SHELTER AND A UNIFIED EXPERIENCE

MARKET
TO BRING SEASONAL PRODUCE, LOCAL GOODS TO THE COMMUNITY

ROOTS SEATING
TO PROVIDE COMFORTABLE, FLEXIBLE SEATING FOR VISITORS

SOUTHEAST AXONOMETRIC
INTERIOR VIEW FROM FARMER’S MARKET