

Announcing the Collaborative's Project Prospects: Spring 2008



The Community Design Collaborative is currently reviewing applications from the following nonprofits who have applied to receive preliminary design services in our second round of grants for 2008. All applicants will be notified of selection by 5/31/08 and all selected projects are scheduled to begin in **June, July, or August**.

Please review this list and respond via email if you're interested in working with us on any of these potential projects. You may consider expressing an interest in more than one project just in case your first choice does not get selected during this round. Don't wait – project teams fill up quickly!

Be sure to keep us updated if your contact information has changed (new email, change of work/home address, new professional registration, etc.). To receive future volunteer notices, sign up here: [Online Volunteer Form](#).

PROJECTS

[Advocacy for Health, Education, Awareness & Development \(AHEAD\)](#), Upper North Philadelphia (Nicetown), 1701-15 W. Cayuga Street

Existing conditions assessment for an existing warehouse to be renovated for organization and community use

Volunteers needed: structural engineer, cost estimator

[Cook-Wissahickon Elementary School Home & School Assoc./ Cook-Wissahickon Green Committee](#), NW Philadelphia, 201 E. Salignac Street

Conceptual design for a sustainable landscape plan

Volunteers needed: landscape architect, cost estimator

[Friends of Seger Park Playground/ Central Phila. Development Corp.](#), Center City, 10th and Lombard Streets

Conceptual master plan for park renovation

Volunteers needed: landscape architect, planner, cost estimator

[Lansdowne Economic Development Corporation](#), Lansdowne, 12 S. Lansdowne Avenue

Conceptual design for renovation of an existing building for community use

Volunteers needed: architect/intern architect, landscape architect, planner, historic preservationist, cost estimator

[Mt. Sinai Church/ Mt. Sinai Stretch the Limits](#), SW Philadelphia, 7282 Woodland Avenue

Master plan for expansion of childcare and elementary school facilities

Volunteers needed: architect/intern architect, structural engineer, MEP engineer, cost estimator

[Samuel S. Fleisher Art Memorial](#), South Philadelphia, 719 Catharine Street

Conceptual master plan for improvements to Palumbo Park

Volunteers needed: landscape architect, planner, cost estimator

OTHER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Nonprofit Advisory Position

Many nonprofit organizations would benefit from having an experienced architect either on their board or on a committee who can advise them on building issues ranging from general maintenance and repair of their facility to plans for renovation, expansion, or new construction. If you are interested in volunteering to serve in an advisory role, please contact us at the phone number or e-mail addresses listed below and we will let you know when future opportunities become available.

Volunteers needed: experienced design professionals

Architects on Call

We know that seasoned architects have plenty of expertise to share, but are often short on time. By adding your name to our **Architects on Call** pool, you can make a difference by donating a few hours to provide an opinion on the feasibility of a nonprofit's potential development project. This guidance early in the development process will enable nonprofits to make educated decisions regarding their communities, allowing them to more effectively allocate their limited resources. Projects include a 1-2 hour on-site consultation, plus a written assessment. Contact us for more information or to sign up.

Volunteers needed: experienced architects

CONTACT US

Questions? Please contact us at 215-587-9290 or by email: emily@cdesignc.org or heidi@cdesignc.org. Thank you for your interest in volunteering with the Collaborative and we look forward to working with you soon!

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