

Be a Part of the South Oxnard Aquatics Center Design Process!

The **City of Oxnard** selected **ELS Architecture and Urban Design** to design the **South Oxnard Aquatics Center**. Together with members of our community, we are creating a facility that will serve South Oxnard for many decades to come, delivering excitement, delight and fun while creating significant opportunities for greatly needed water safety and learn-to-swim programs.

In November - December 2021, the City gathered feedback from more than 1,000 residents, including youth, seniors, and families, on potential design features for the Aquatics Center. These insights have allowed ELS to draft potential design ideas that we will share with the community through collaborative workshops.

The community’s feedback is important during this stage of the design process! At these workshops, ELS will gather comments from attendees that will help guide the final proposed design that will be presented to the Oxnard City Council. Please RSVP TODAY to join us at these sessions: <http://SouthOxnardAquaticsCenter.eventbrite.com>.

South Oxnard Center 200 East Bard Road, Oxnard CA 93033	
Wednesday, June 29, 2022 6:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m.	Monday, August 1, 2022 6:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m.
Presentation of Draft Concepts and Tabletop Design Session	Presentation of Preferred Draft Concept and Tabletop Design Session
Attendees will preview ELS design concepts based on community feedback from the previous outreach efforts that will show how the Aquatics Center and its program elements will fit within the City-owned property adjacent to College Park.	Attendees will receive a project overview and an outline of the potential features and a preferred draft concept of the South Oxnard Aquatics Center as determined by previous community input.
Following the ELS presentation, all attendees will be invited to join a Tabletop Design Team for a twenty-minute design session where attendees can comment on and evaluate the concepts, as well as suggest other ideas!	Following the ELS presentation, everyone will be invited to join a final Tabletop Design Team for a twenty-minute design session, again allowing each Design Team to comment on and evaluate the overall conceptual direction.
Each Tabletop Design Team will present its findings in a brief presentation. ELS and the City team will collect and record each team’s findings and synthesize all data into a preferred conceptual direction reflecting the consensus achieved.	Each Tabletop Design Team will present their findings in a brief presentation. ELS and the City team will collect and record each team’s findings before synthesizing all data into a preferred final draft concept that reflects the consensus achieved.
The preferred direction will be presented at the next Community Workshop.	

Can’t make these dates? Don’t worry, the City and ELS will also offer you the chance to comment via community surveys this summer. Based upon all this feedback, the preferred draft concept will be presented to City Council on September 6, 2022, for approval to advance the project to the next phase, Schematic Design.

We look forward to participation from all age groups. We look forward to collaborating with you!

Thank you,

District 5 Councilwoman Gabriela Basua
District 6 Councilmember Vianey Lopez
The City of Oxnard & ELS Architecture and Urban Design