

FINAL CONCEPT DESIGN

# TOOLANGI CASTELLA BUSHFIRE MEMORIAL

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KEY DEFINITIONS

Repeated terms and organisational acronyms used throughout this report are defined for clarity as follows:  
**MSC** - Murrindindi Shire Council  
**MBM** - Murrindindi Bushfire Memorials

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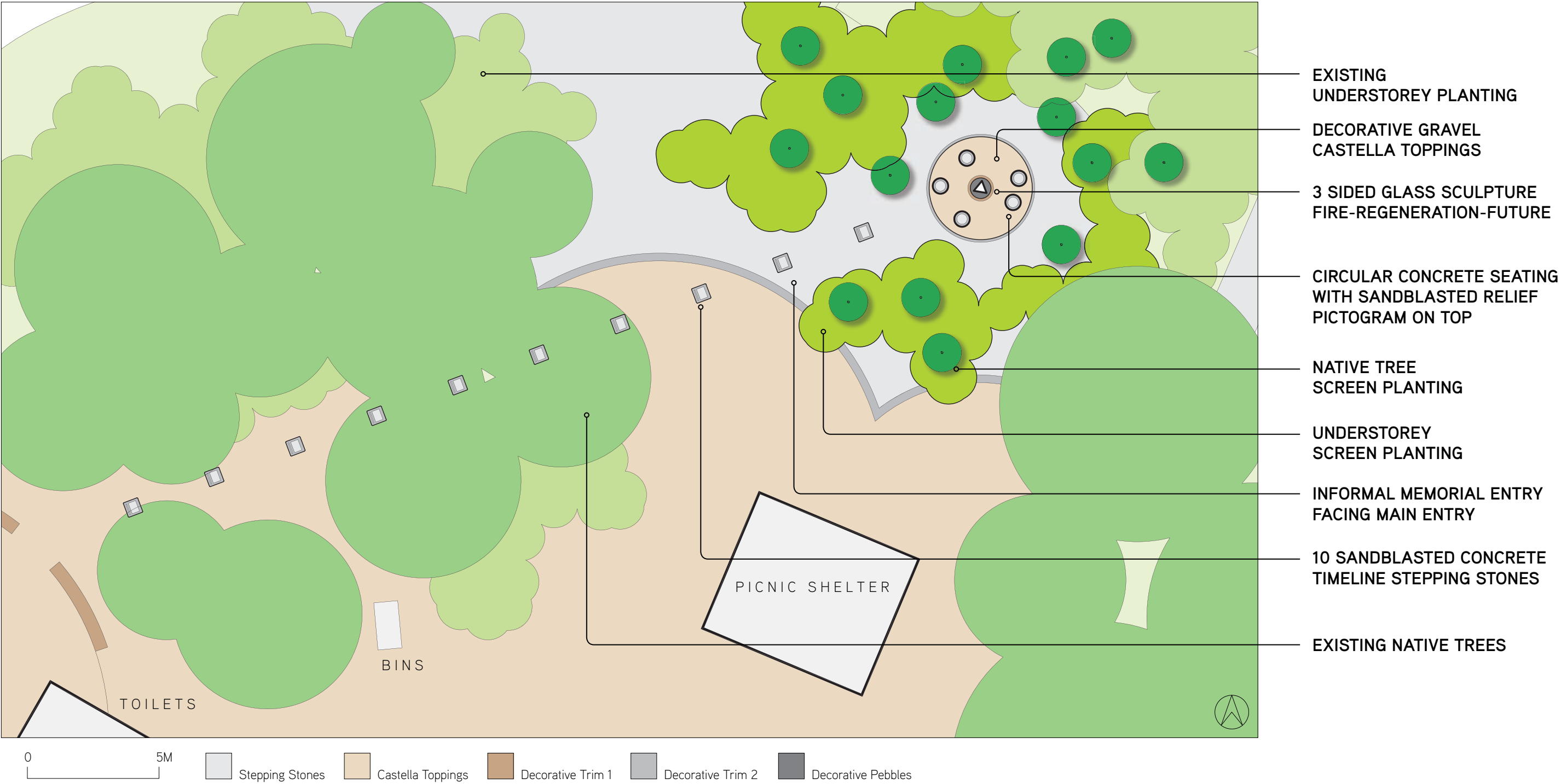
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BUSHFIRE  
MEMORIALS:  
DEVELOPING MEANINGFUL  
MEMORIALS FOR THE SIX  
COMMUNITIES OF MURRINDINDI  
AS PLACES OF  
REMEMBRANCE, REGROWTH  
AND RENEWAL.

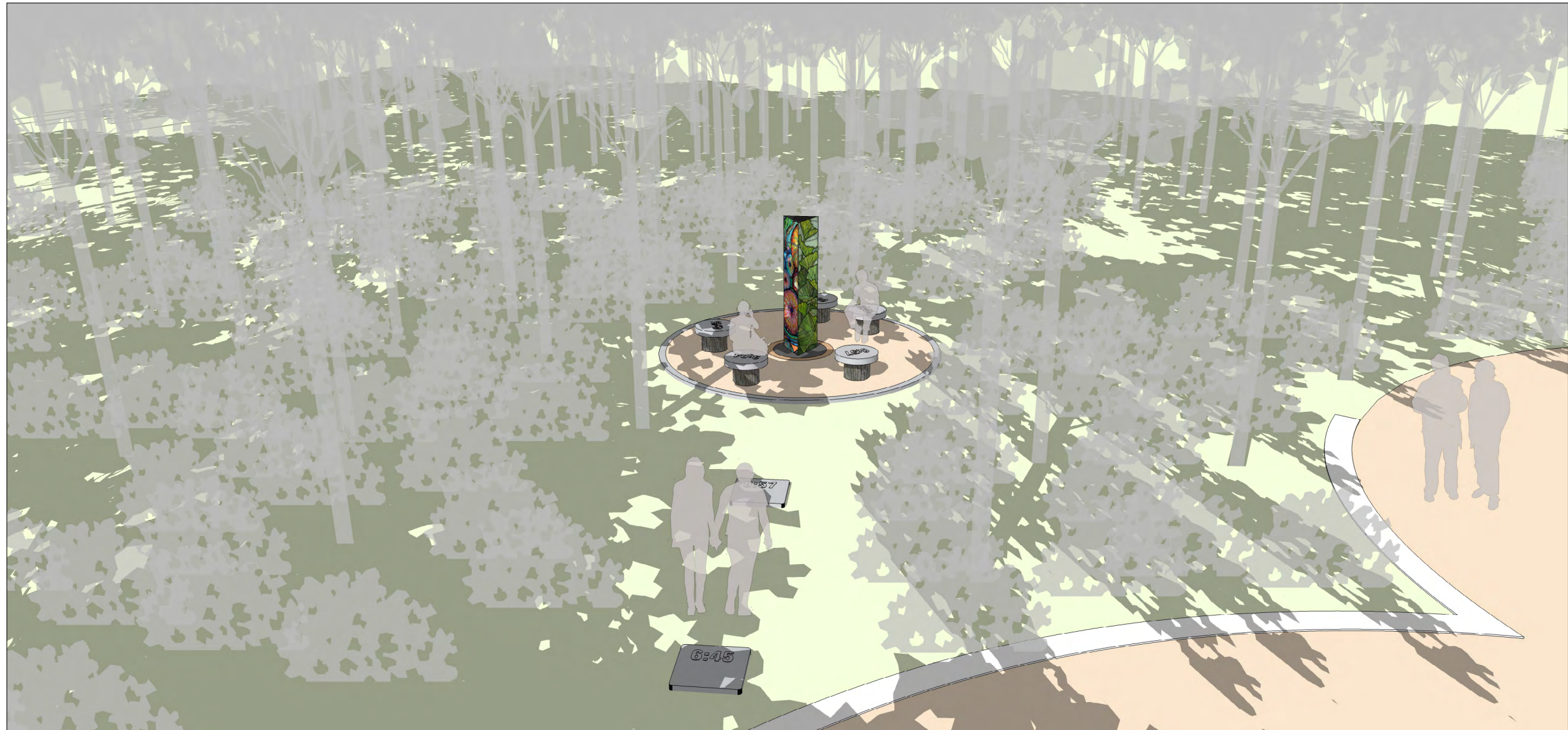
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# PLAN + DETAIL

## PLAN

The memorial is sited north of the main picnic shelter. It tells the story of the past through a series of 10 stepping stones that lead from the main entry adjacent to the toilet block, and the present-future through a sculptural glass element located as the centre piece of a small memorial gathering space. The sculptural feature is surrounded by informal timber log seats made from a large trunk which currently rests on the place of the proposed memorial.

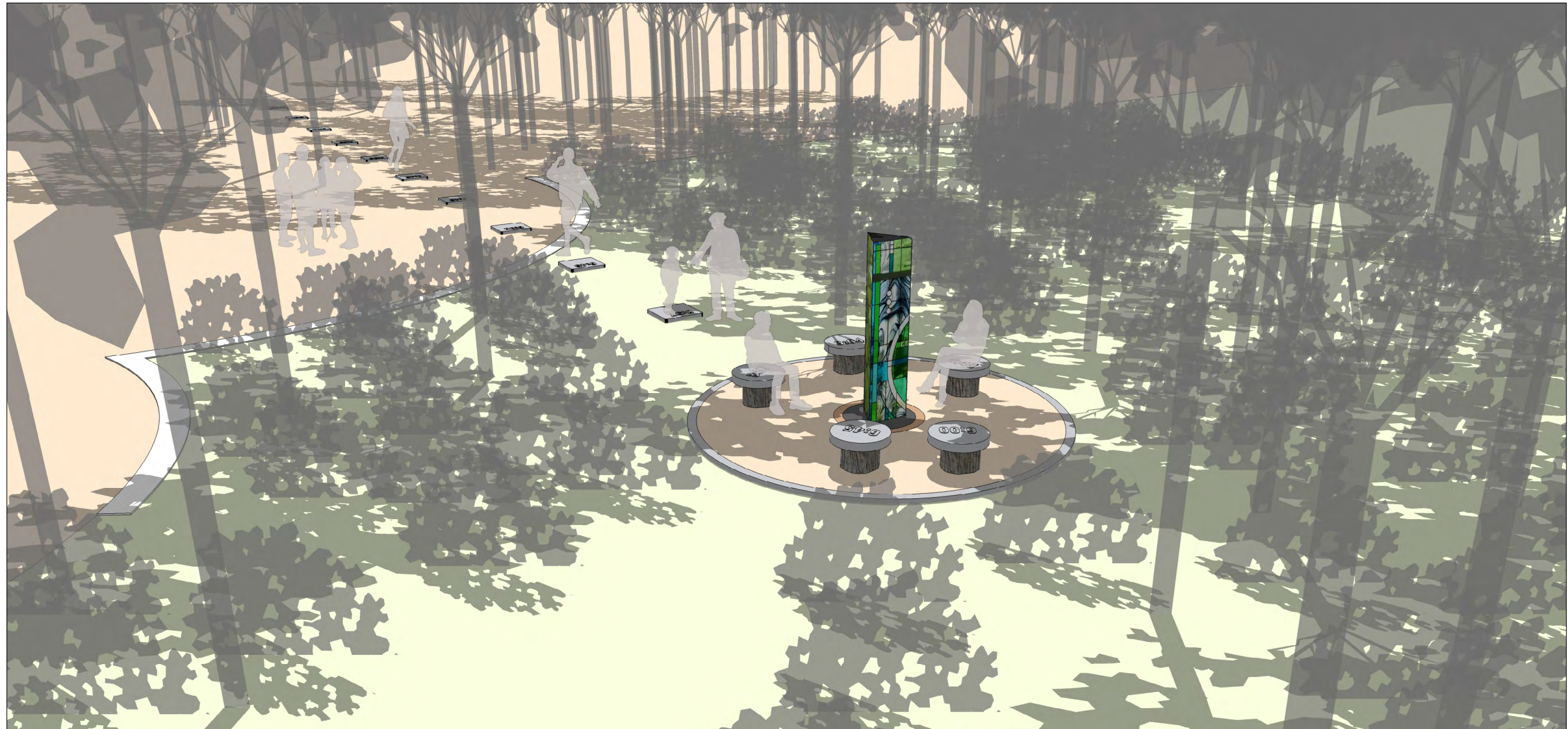




## VIEW 1

The memorial on approach from the west. The stepping stones each have a time, map and description of events and the journey the fire took on the 7th of February 2009 inscribed. The stepping stones lead into the memorial space which is nestled into newly planted native trees and shrubs.





## VIEW 2

The memorial from the east behind the memorial space and adjacent bushland. The bushland provides an ideal backdrop to the proposed memorial space offering a place for quiet reflection while maintaining passive surveillance from the adjacent picnic facilities.

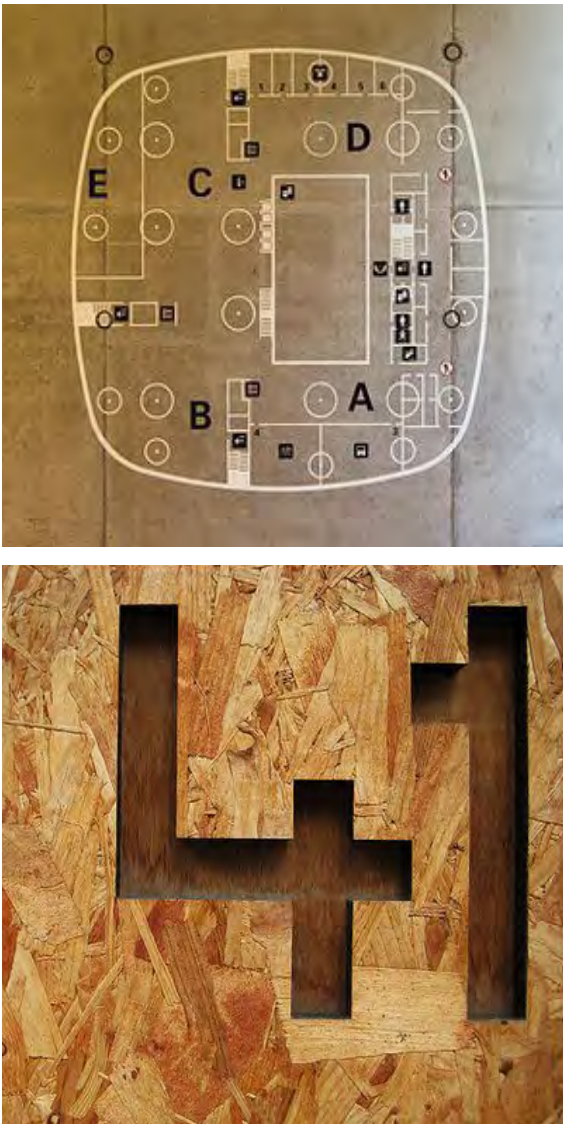


# REFERENCE IMAGES

GLASS SCULPTURE



DECORATIVE PICTOGRAMS



SEATING



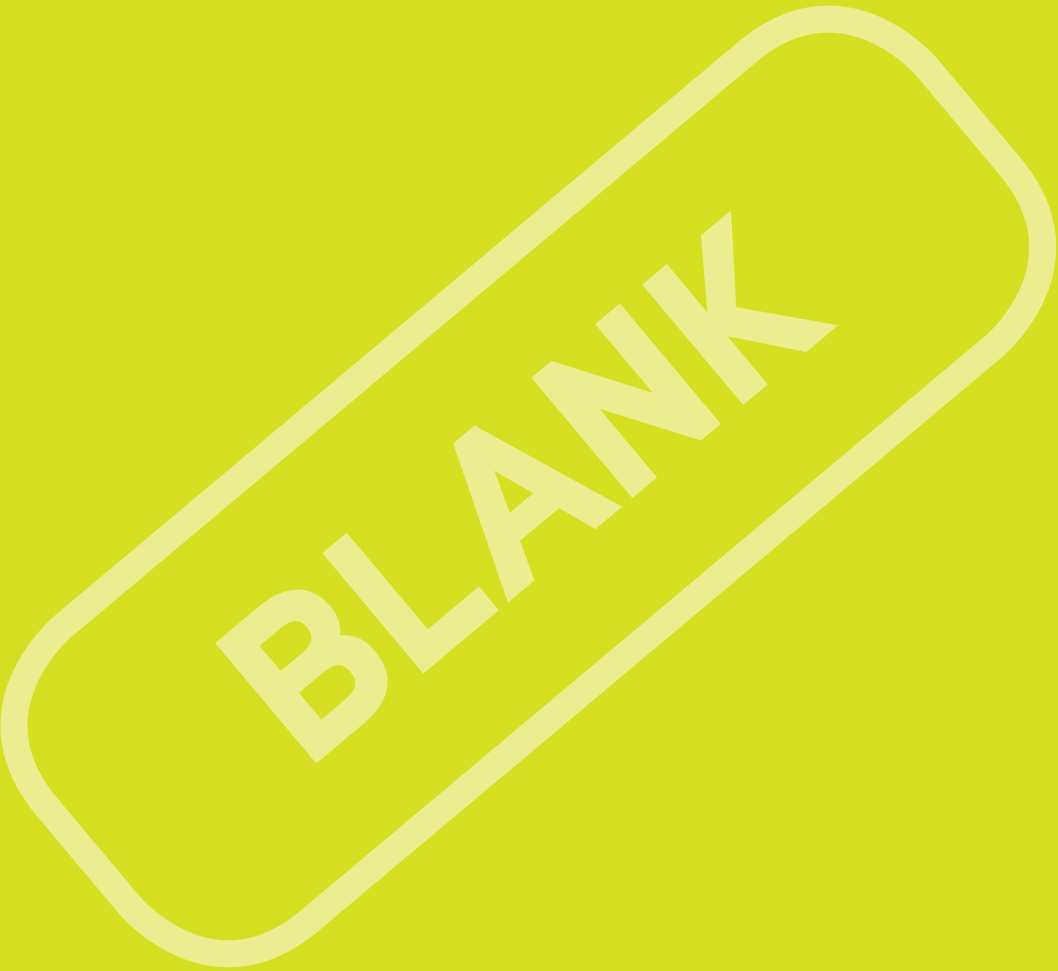
VEGETATION



## REFERENCE IMAGES

Bright laminated glass prisms of the rainbow, delicate, refined, refracting the daylight and casting shadows of colour. Pictograms that educate and illuminate as bold storytelling motifs. A sea of flowing gums and native groundcovers adds to the splendour of colour and new hope.







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