

**Six Pillars of Character Pavilion Proposal**

**Presented by**

**The Rapid City Area CHARACTER COUNTS! Coalition**

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**Introduction:** CHARACTER COUNTS! is a partnership of schools, communities, governmental agencies and the nation's leading human-service organizations working to advance nonpartisan, nonsectarian character education by teaching the Six Pillars of Character: Trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship. Taken together, these values are used as the foundation for making ethical decisions. CHARACTER COUNTS! is a project of the Josephson Institute of Ethics. It was brought to South Dakota in 1995 by the leadership of the South Dakota 4-H Foundation. The Cooperative Extension Service administers it through South Dakota State University. The Rapid City Area CHARACTER COUNTS! Coalition is a voluntary organization that concentrates its time and resources on creating a community of character. Our local board consists of a group of dedicated and public-spirited people. Among them are:

Nancy Trautman, Coalition President - Loan officer, American State Bank.  
George Black – West District Supervisor, SDSU's Cooperative Extension Service  
Robin Buckingham – Owner, Karate for Kids  
Dr. Patrick Clinch – Chiropractor and President of the Rapid City Soccer league  
Bill Keck – Pennington County Cooperative Extension Educator  
Leah Lutheran – Businesswoman and member of the Rapid City School Board  
Pamela Teany Thomas – Coordinator, RCAS Safe and Drug Free Schools project  
Dr. John Usera – President, Chiesman Foundation for Democracy  
Dr. Peter M. Wharton – Superintendent, Rapid City Area School System

Year over year statistical data generated at both the local and state level demonstrates that where our young people are effectively exposed to the CHARACTER COUNTS! Project examples of anti-social behavior (lying, cheating, stealing, for example) are trending downward. The next generation will be the stewards of our communities, nation and planet in extraordinarily critical times. The present and future well being of our society requires an involved, caring citizenry with good moral character. A symbol of our focus on developing good character could well be the Pillars of Character Exhibit described below and on the attachments included.

**Proposal:** To privately fund, design, locate on public land, and build a structure similar to that described in the drawings and photographs attached. The structure depicted was erected in Tulare County, California. In adapting the design and structure to our climate, geography, and building codes, Glenn Barber and Associates estimate that the project would cost approximately \$62,000.00 Once the City has approved the design and determined an optimal location, the timeline for completing this project would be driven principally by the Coalition's ability to raise the necessary funds from private resources.

Attachments



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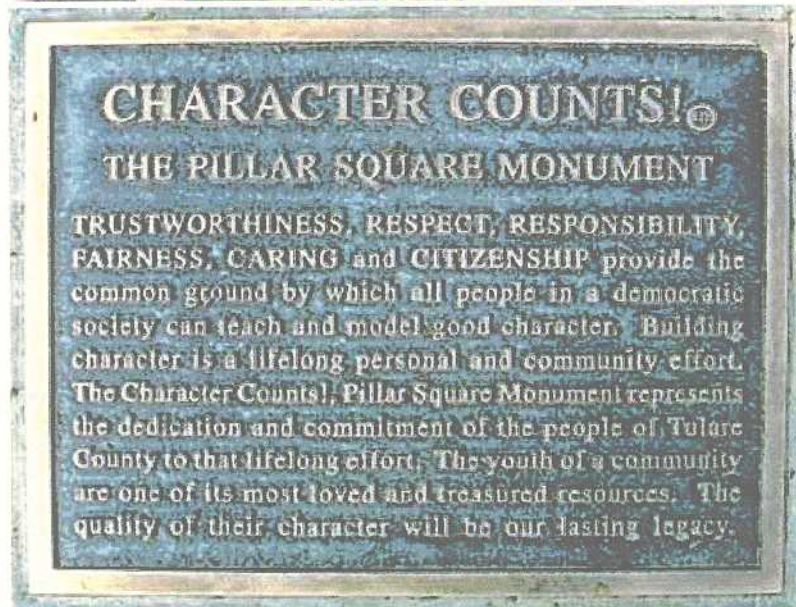
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- Current
- Year 2001
- Year 2000

## Pillar Square at Mooney Grove Park, Visalia, CA





Beginning of  
Photo Album



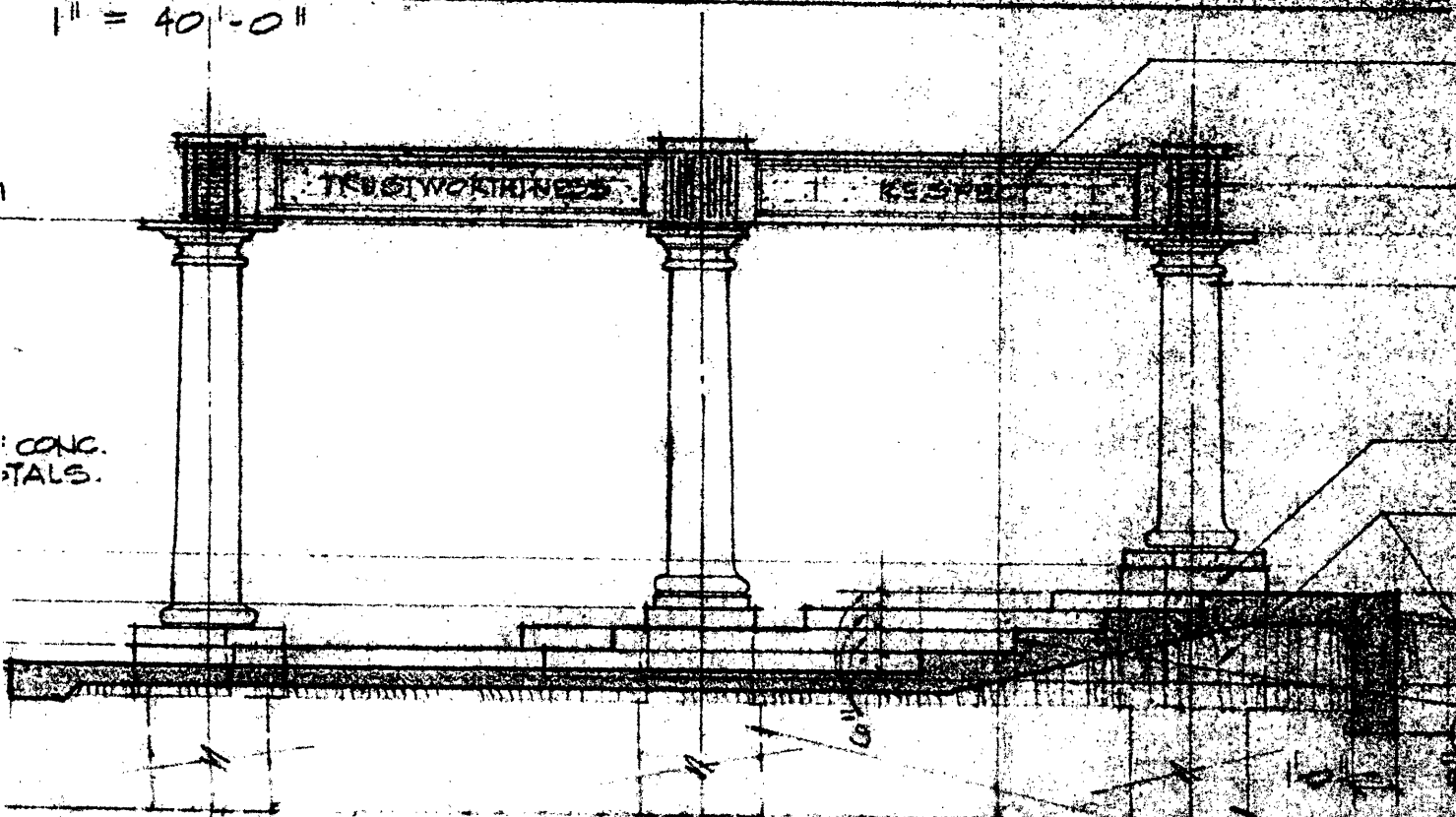
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# SITE PLAN

1" = 40'-0"



CONC. SLABS.

SHAPED & SANDCASTED  
PRECAST CONCRETE PANELS  
WITH REINFORCING STEEL

CURVED BRONZE CAPS, 600  
LBS.

PRECAST CONCRETE  
COLUMNS ASSEMBLED BY  
TWO WORKERS AND GROUTED  
WITH WHITE INSULATED  
FINISH

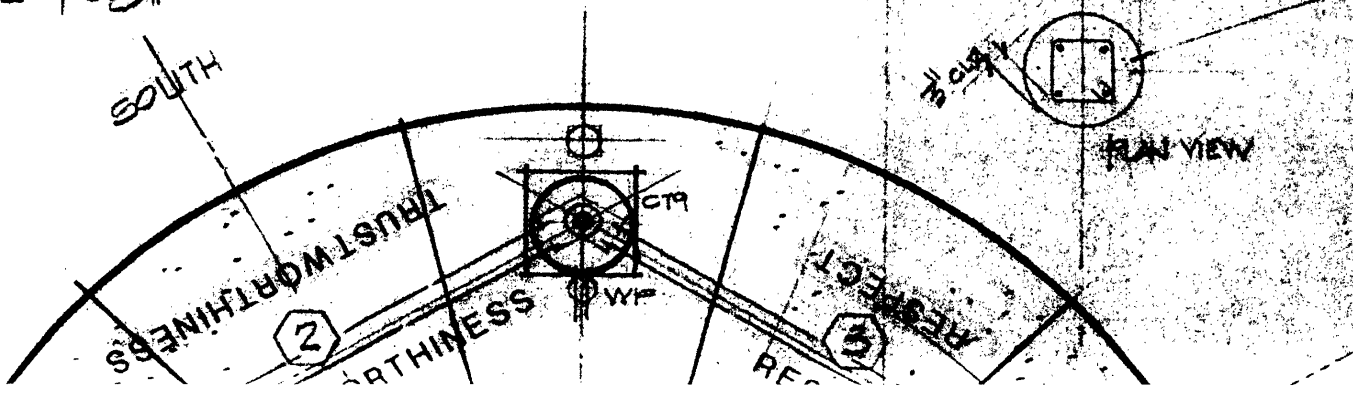
CONCRETE PEDESTAL  
FOOTINGS

COMPACTED FILL  
2'-0"

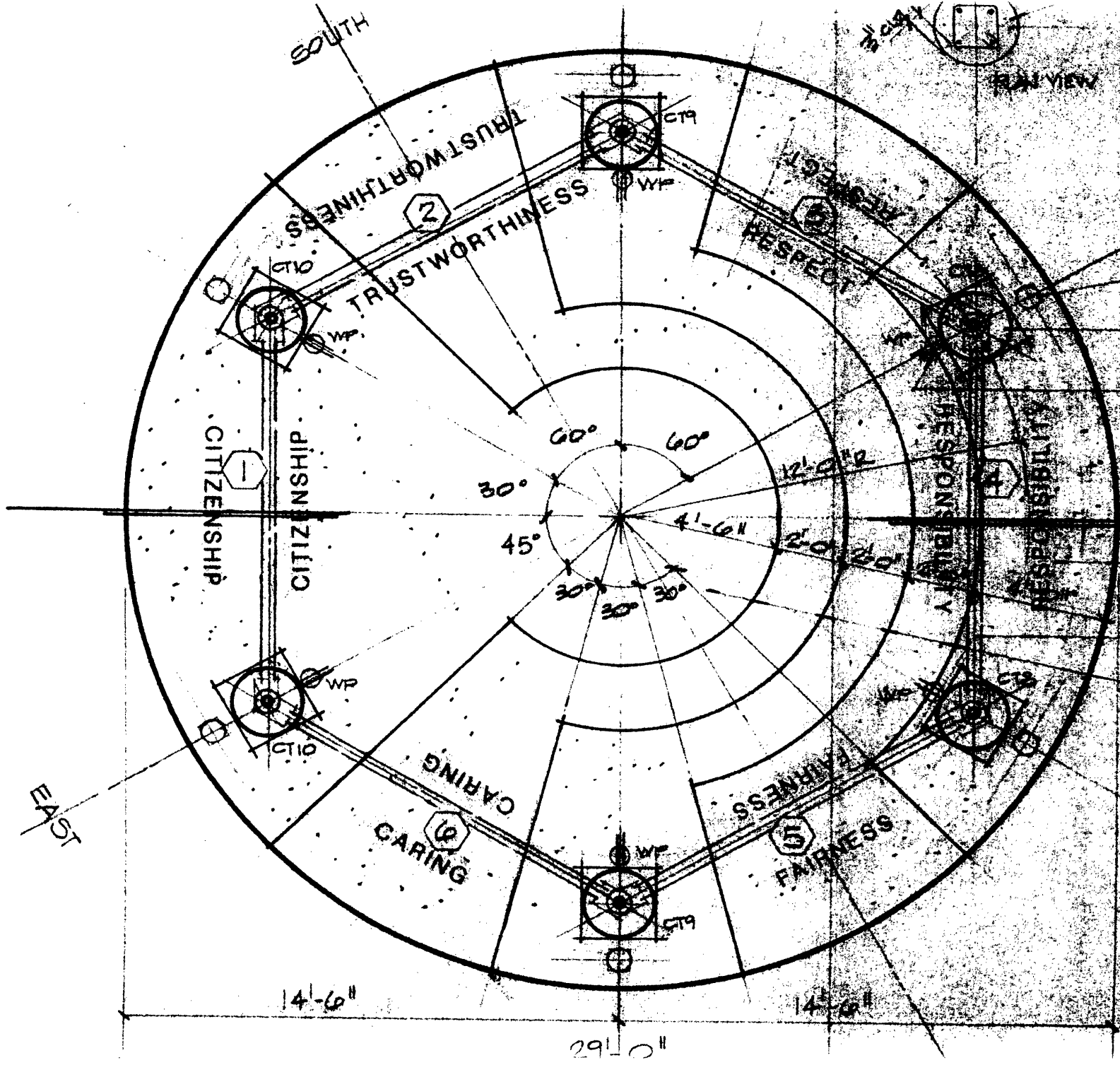
SHAPED CONCRETE  
SLEEPS, CAPS AND 4" X  
8" SLAB. PEDESTAL  
FINISH AND BRONZE  
SAND

# TYPICAL SECTION

1/4" = 1'-0"



30" Ø CONCRETE FOOTING  
TO N.G. THEN 2'-0" SQUARE  
PEDESTAL ELEVATION  
SHOWN. USE ALL REINFORCING  
3" Ø LONG W/ 2" HEIGHT  
12" O.C. (C = 2000) TYPICAL



PEDESTAL TO BE  
 SHOWN IN  
 PLAN VIEW

NEW FLUSH MOUNTED  
 OF EIGHT, TYPICAL AT  
 PRE-MIXED TUSCAN  
 WHITE UNGRAINED  
 MASONRY BLOCKS  
 AT 8" SPACING FROM  
 TAMPERPROOF COVER



TEXT AT EACH BEAM  
 SEE LEGEND

SHAPED BEAM ARM  
 COLUMN

SHAPED CONCRETE  
 SEATS AND 4" X 4" SI  
 WITH BRISTED TEXTURE  
 OVER 1/2" SAND

NOTES:

- SEE SITE PLAN FOR  
 PROPER ORIENTATION
- LANDSCAPE LIGHT  
 SHALL BE PROVIDED  
 AS PER DT PLAN  
 PROVIDE CRUSHED  
 DRAINAGE UNDER

14'-6"

14'-6"

29'-0"

# GBA inc

## SCHEDULE OF VALUES WORKSHEET

<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>Pillars of Character</b>

<b>Date</b>	2/22/02
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<b>Contract Total:</b>	\$ 70,209.00
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A	B	C	D	E
item no.	Description of Work	Materials	Labor	Construction Budget
1	Site Demolition/Strip	\$ 848.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 1,648.00
2	Earthwork	\$ 5,065.00	\$ 3,440.00	\$ 8,505.00
3	Cast Concrete/Foundation	\$ 11,090.00	\$ 9,349.00	\$ 20,439.00
4	Precast Columns	\$ 15,501.00	\$ 1,280.00	\$ 16,781.00
5	GlueLams	\$ 3,216.00	\$ 2,165.00	\$ 5,381.00
6	Structural Columns	\$ 756.00	\$ 120.00	\$ 876.00
7	Stain/Paint Beams	\$ 91.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 391.00
8	Electrical outlet/light	\$ 1,940.00	\$ 640.00	\$ 2,580.00
			<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$ 56,601.00</b>
				\$ -
	9 General Conditions		\$ 6,400.00	\$ 6,400.00
	10 Structural Design		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
				\$ -
	11 Fee		\$ 3,800.00	\$ 3,800.00
	12 Contractors Excise Tax		\$ 1,408.00	\$ 1,408.00
<b>Summary</b>		<b>\$ 38,507.00</b>	<b>\$ 18,094.00</b>	<b>\$ 70,209.00</b>

For Total Cost Address the Following items in Contingency

- 1 **Repair Surfaces of Existing Terrain Damaged by Construction**
- 2 **Electrical Service to Pillar Structure from Existing Utility**
- 3 **Building Permit Cost ( assumed waived by CORC )**