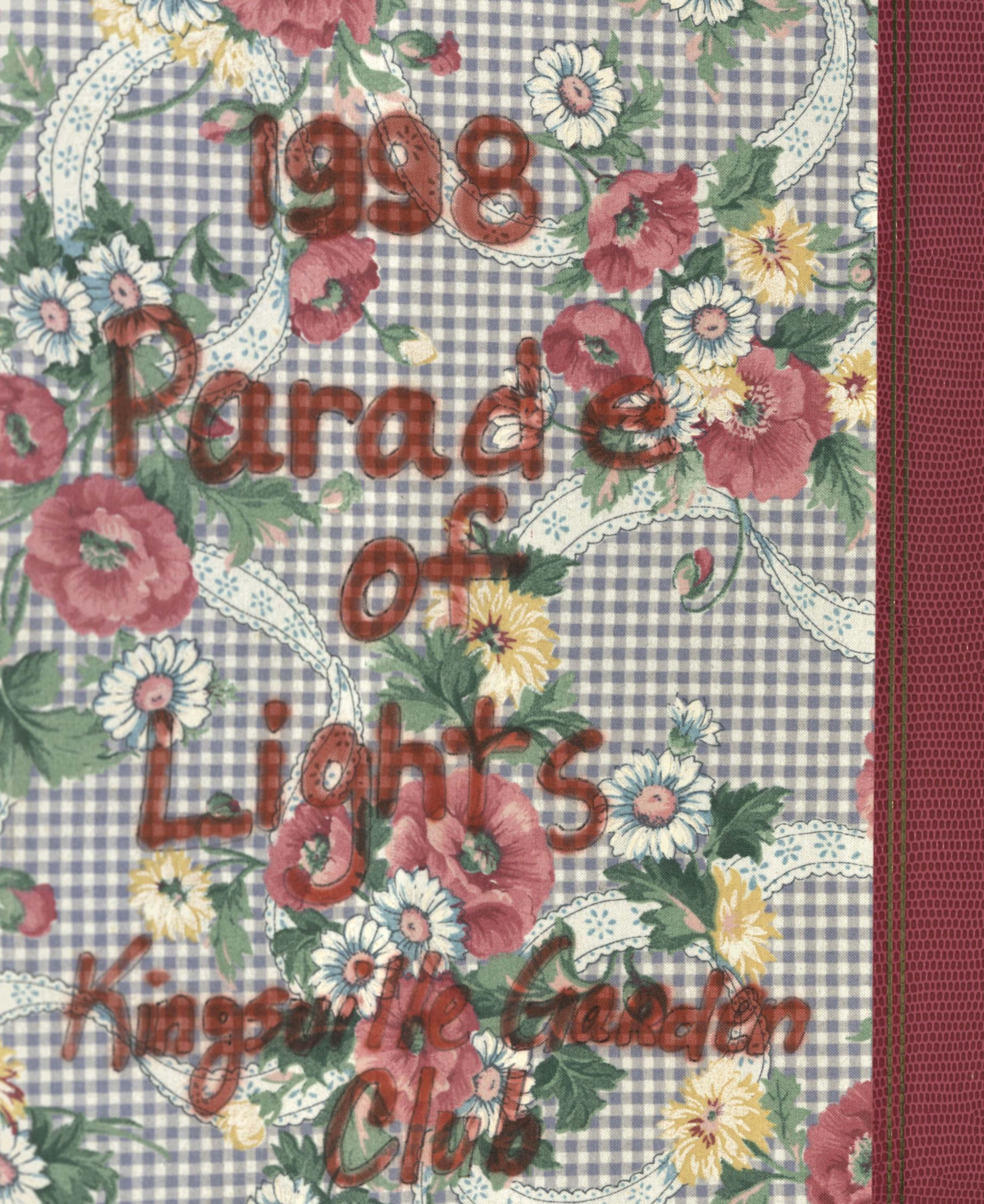




1998

Parade
of
Lights
Kingsville Garden
Club



Kingsville Garden Club

1998 Parade of Lights

In grateful recognition of dedication and generous support

Jim & Shonnie Conley

December 5, 1998

— A CELEBRATION OF LIGHTS™ —

La Posada de Kingsville
Parade of Lights
December 5, 1998

Greetings 1998 Parade of Lights Entry # 60 :
Kingsville Garden Club

Welcome to one of the spectacular events of the La Posada de Kingsville celebration. We are so pleased that you will be a part of this year's parade!!

Enclosed you will find a parade "staging map". Find your entry number on this map. This location is tentative, and could change before Saturday. We ask that you are in place by 4:45 p.m.. Judging will begin promptly at 5 p.m. We also request that you send one **ADULT** representative from your entry to Parade Headquarters for check in and any last minute changes. Please keep in mind that if you need any assistance you will be able to find a "Parade Official" at the Parade Headquarters.

We look forward to meeting with you and to having a great parade!! If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 516-0076 (home).

Thank You!!

Jim and Shonnie Conley

PARADE OF LIGHTS

Registration Form
Saturday, December 5, 1998 at 7:00 p.m.

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION: November 20, 1998

Title of Entry:

BLOOMERS FOR 50 YEARS

Name of Sponsor:

(Organization/Business/School/etc) KINGSVILLE GARDEN CLUB

Contract Person:

Maggie Fugitt

Phone: 595-0698

Fax: 516-1490

Street:

420 University Bl

City:

Kingsville

State: TX

Zip: 78363

Name of Adult Walking with Float:

(MANDATORY) Stephen Davis

PHONE:

592-0284

Select Entry type below

☐ Animal

☒ Float

☐ Vehicle

☐ Walking Group

☐ Other (explain)

Select Entry type below

☐ Elementary School

☐ Middle School

☐ High School

☐ Band/Band Auxiliary

☐ Commercial

☐ Youth (Non-School)

☒ Church/Civic Club

☐ Family/Group

☐ Organization

☐ Business

Entry Dimensions: (include width and length and number of vehicles:)

8 1/2' X 24' gooseneck trailer pulled by pickup truck

Number of Lights: (give an estimate) Bazillion

Describe your entry below: (If required, use an additional sheet of paper. If possible, please include a sketch of your entry.)

The Kingsville Garden Club is celebrating 50 years of growing, blooming
and serving the community through projects including city beautification
and TAMUK scholarships. Happy Anniversary, Kingsville Garden Club!

Return completed form, waiver, and fee to:

Jim / Shonnie Conley

Parade of Lights

P.O. Box 6021

Kingsville, Texas 78364-6021

Questions? Contact:

Jim / Shonnie Conley

HOME: 512-516-0076

(evenings, or please leave a message)

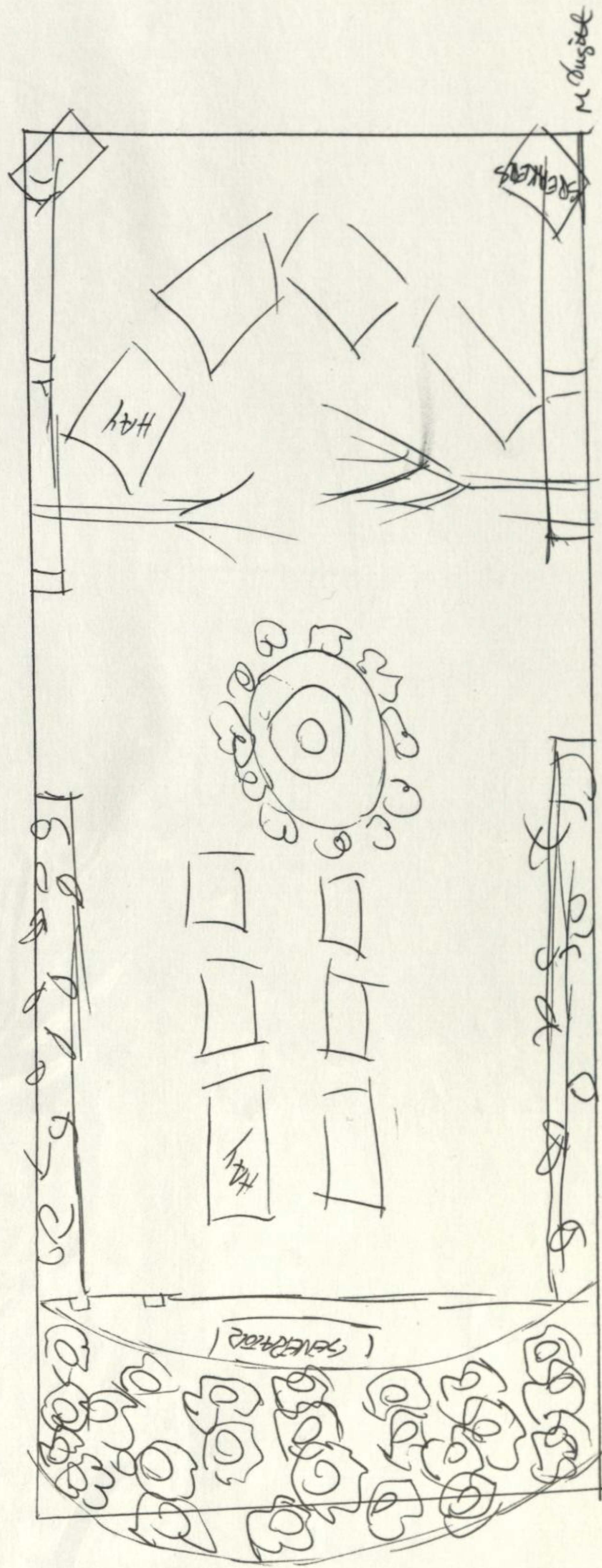
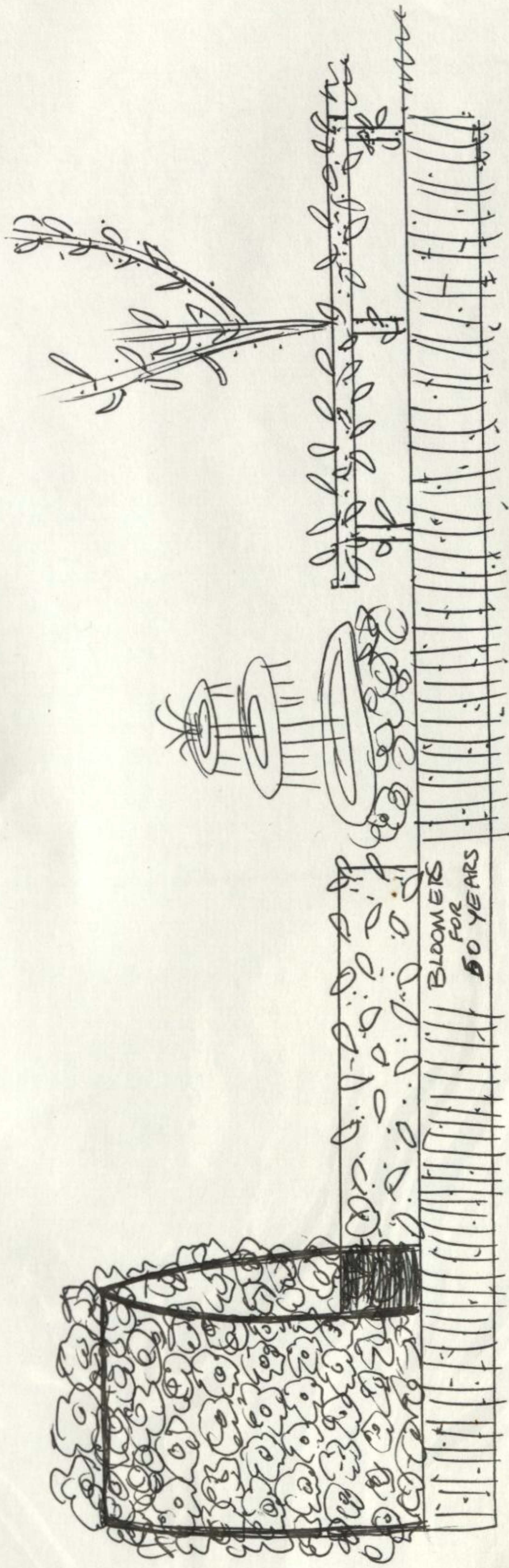
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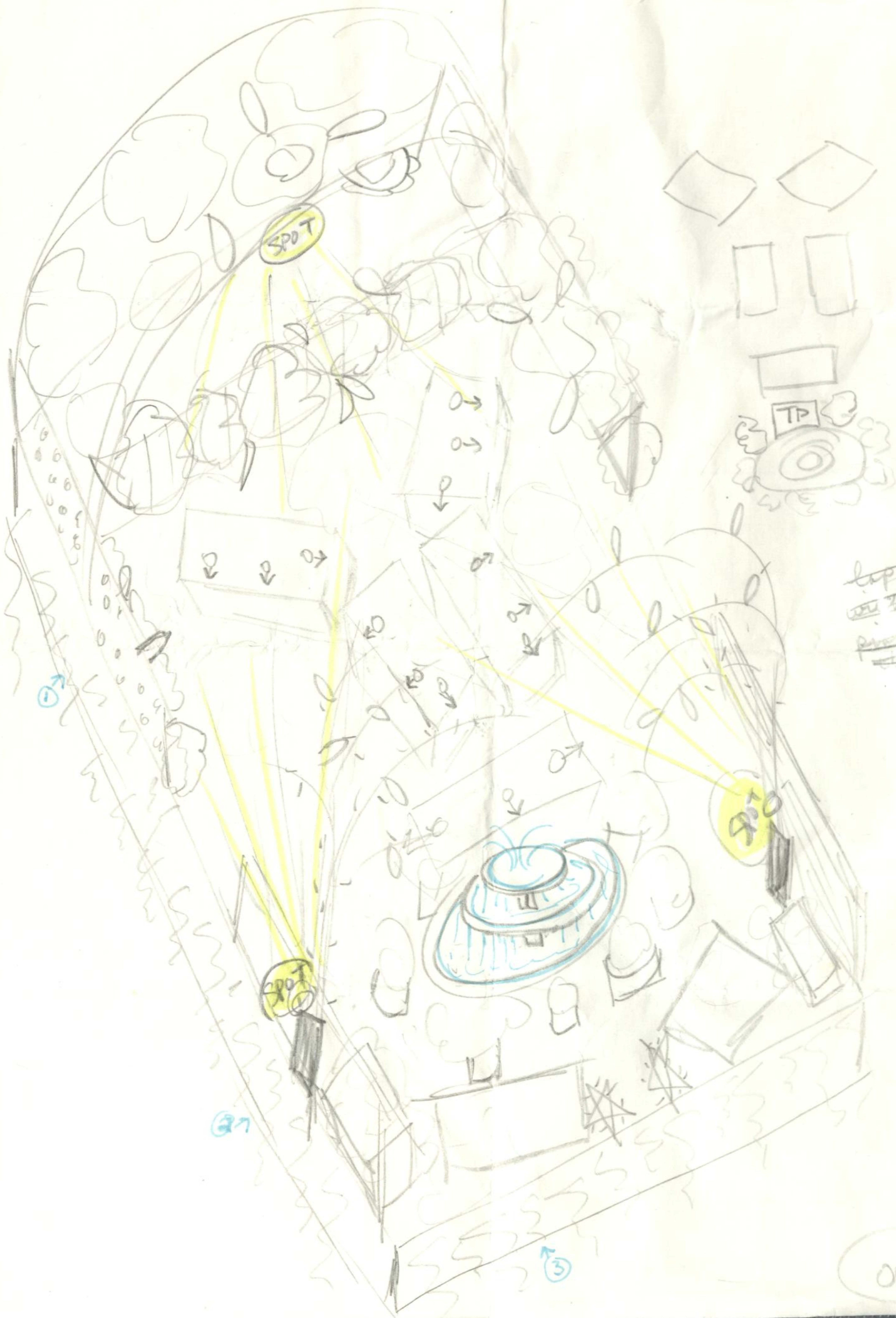
WORK FAX 592-5552

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LA ROSADA 1998
FLOAT DESIGN

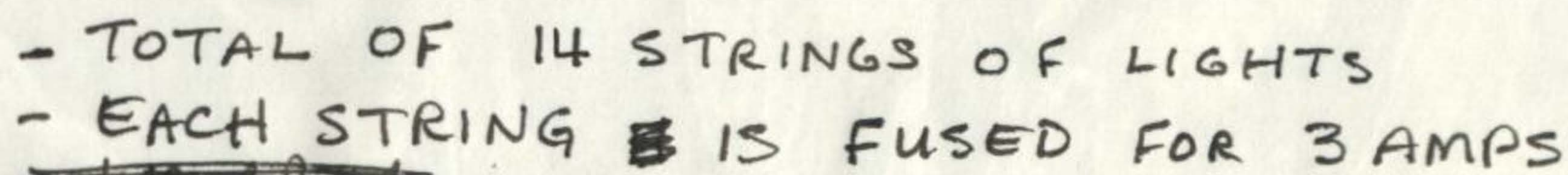




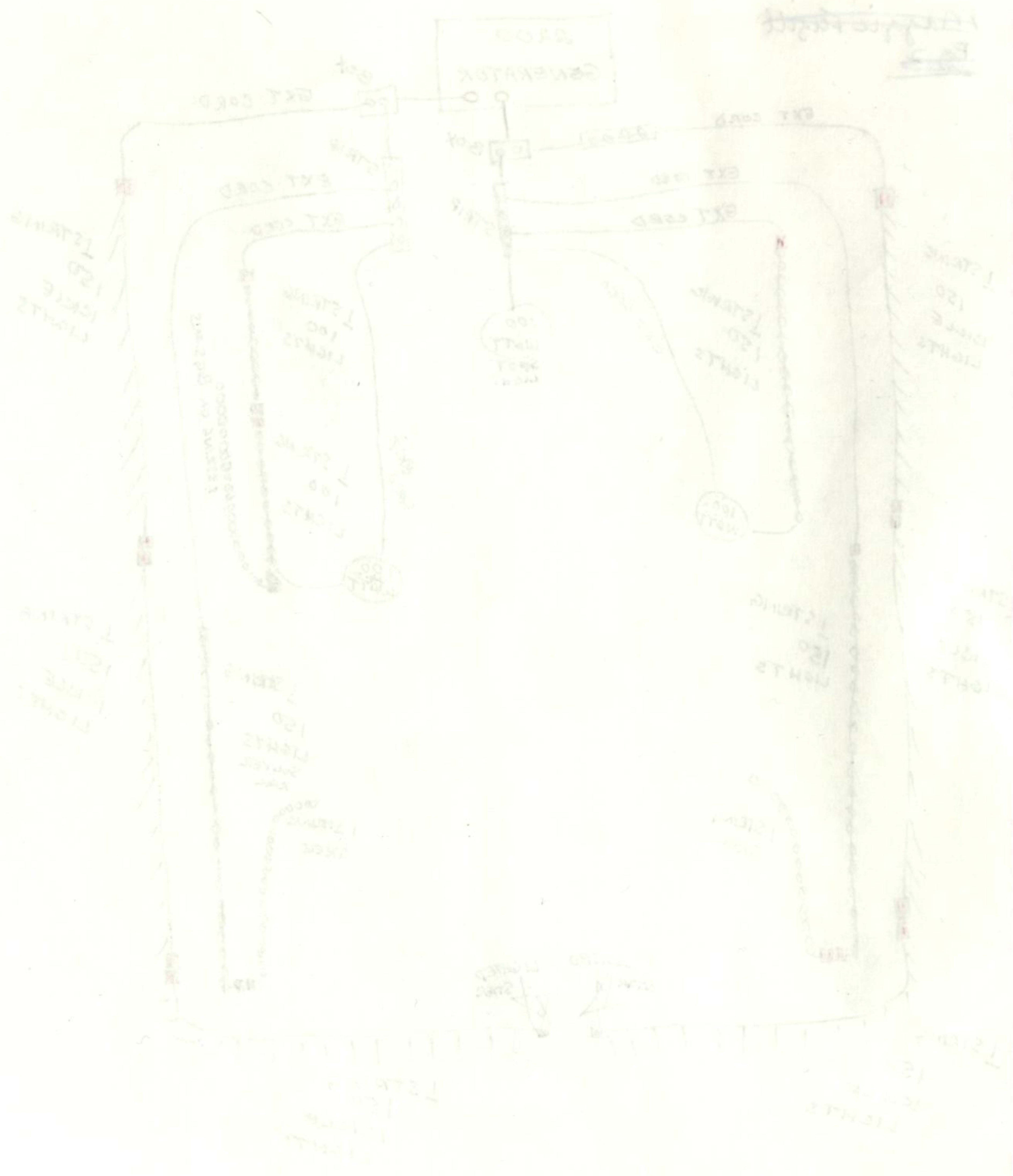
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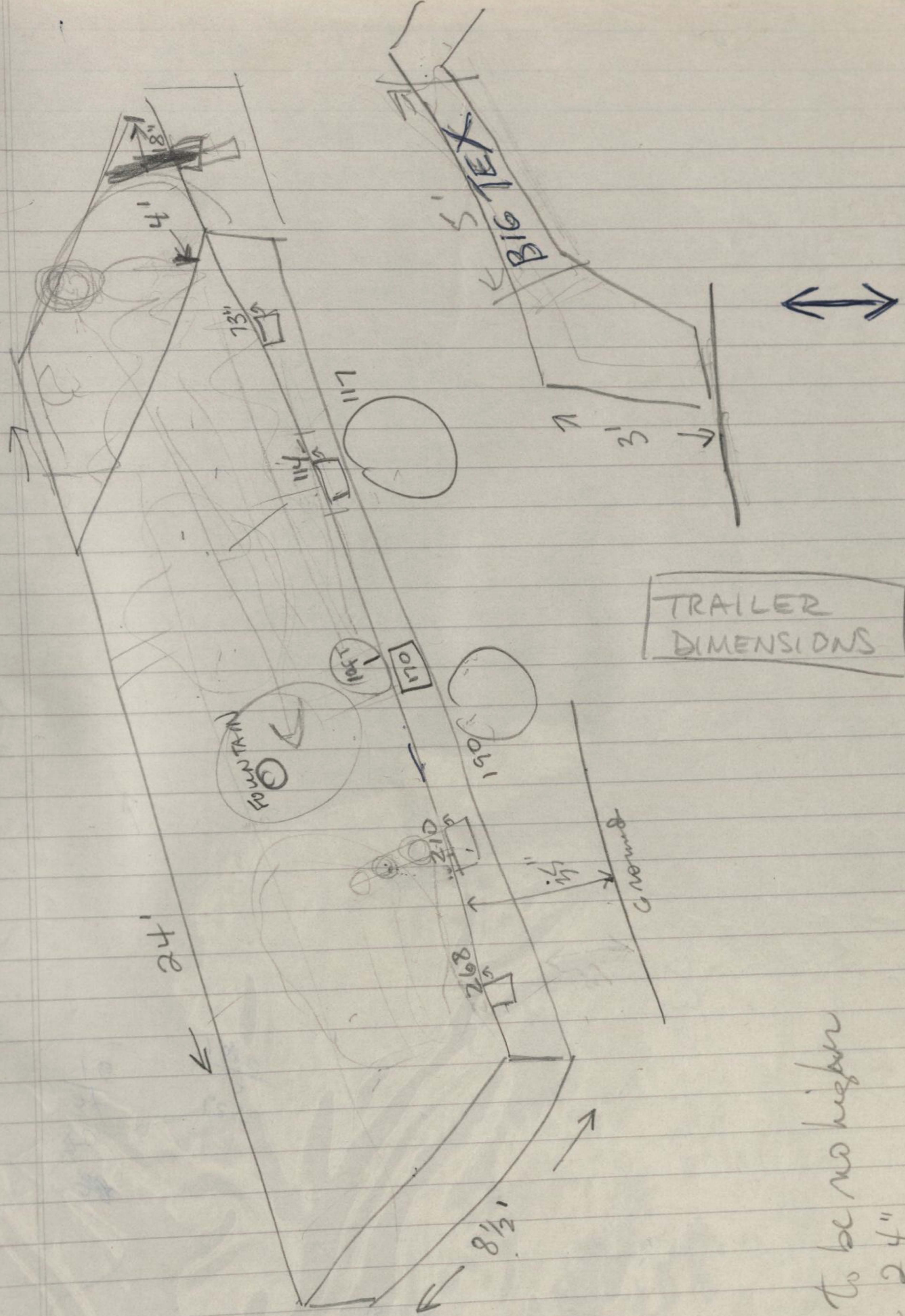
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- TOTAL OF 14 STRINGS OF LIGHTS
- EACH STRING IS 120 FEET LONG
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Sides to be no higher
than 24"

Decorations Rec'd for float (loaned)

Name

Maggie Fugitt

Judy Anthony

Sizie Compton

Vivian Sheffey

Linda Hamilton

Wilma Smith

Jan Meyer

Riche Cunningham

Ann Rutherford

Barbara Kelley

Sheila Harris

Polly Davis

Ther Hozwood

Item

~~three~~ spotlights, 3 outlet strips, lights

white lights, 3 short orange + 2 short green ext cords

white lights, 2 strings

2 strings white lights, one outlet strip

extension cords, one orange long

{ 1 battery pack lights
1 yellow + 1 orange extension cords (long) on ^{orange} rocks

{ gold garlands, gold flower picks

{ extension cord + white lights

lights, extension cords, outlet strip

lights, extension cord

lights, garland

spotlight, Tape player + speakers

small generator

extension cord

Kingsville Garden Club - La Posada Float *CONSTRUCTION - AC LAWN + GARDEN

*CONSTRUCTION							FLOAT TEAR DOWN	BARN CLEAN-UP
11-18	11-20	11-28	11-30	12-2	12-3	12-5		
	✓		✓				Judy Anthony ✓ + HARRY	
			✓				Susan Aregood	
							Beth Baker	
							Bettie Bedingfield	
							Illa Clement	
							Melinda Clement	
	✓		✓				Sigie Compton ✓ + PHIL	
	✓			✓ + STEVE	✓ + STEVE		Polly Davis ✓ + STEVE	
							Audrey DeRouen ✓ + PEGGY	
							Betty Eshom	
							MaryMarg Ewert	
JIM ✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ + JIM	Maggie Fugitt ✓	✓
							Mattie Gaston	
	✓						Linda Hamilton ✓	
✓	✓	✓			✓		Sheila Harris ✓	✓
	✓						Fran Hegwood ✓ + DON	✓
	✓						Anna Marie Hope	
							Goldia Hubert	
							Jane Ibanez	
							Shirley Jones	
	✓			✓ + KEN			Barbara Kelley ✓ + KEN	
							Pat Kirby	
							Helen Mar Laykasek	
							Miriam Lemmons	
	✓						Helen McFarland	
			✓	✓			Jean Meyer ✓ + GEORGE	
			✓				Joan Nuesch	
✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		Ann Retherford ✓	
							Henny Rhoad	
							Ellen Risken	
							Fay Robins	
							Lorell Ryan	
		✓					Vivian Sheffey ✓ + WAYNE	✓
	✓	✓					Wilma Smith	✓
							Dorothy Smyer	
							Nancy West	
				✓	✓		Pat Lemmons ✓	
	✓		✓				Ricki Cunningham	
							Edie Cisneros	

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

MARTIN CLEMENT
trailer, hay, barn, driver
GEORGE MEYER
trailer, generator
hay, tailgate party
MIKE WEBB
barn, generator
JIM FUGITT
electrical, structural consultant
STEVE DAVIS
generator, mandatory float walker
KEN KELLEY
fountain

DRIVER

VERN FAHNHOLZ

* ADDITIONAL HELP WITH FLOAT TEAR DOWN

GARDENING ANGELS DRILL TEAM:

MICHELE AKIN
SARA AKIN
ANITA BIGBEE
CATHERINE BIGBEE
JERI GOEHMERT
JUDY GOEHMERT
GRACE LEWIS
MELONY YARBOROUGH

FLOWER/LEAF CONSTRUCTION SESSIONS

Kingsville Garden Club - La Posada Float - *Christmas Parade 1998*

9/23	10/6	10/21	10/22		
✓	✓		✓	Judy Anthony	592-7595
				Susan Aregood	296-3973
✓				Beth Baker	592-7881
				Bettie Bedingfield	592-3699
				Illa Clement	592-6733
				Melinda Clement	595-4372
			✓	Sigie Compton	595-1507
✓	✓			Polly Davis	592-0284
✓				Audrey DeRouen	592-9601
				Betty Eshom	592-1010
				MaryMarg Ewert	296-3672
✓	✓	✓	✓	Maggie Fugitt	595-0698
		✓	✓	Mattie Gaston	592-3632
				Linda Hamilton	348-3784
✓		✓		Sheila Harris	595-1285
		✓	✓	Fran Hegwood	592-5802
✓			✓	Anna Marie Hope	592-4904
				Goldia Hubert	297-5745
				Jane Ibanez	854-5818
✓				Shirley Jones	592-7737
✓	✓			Barbara Kelley	595-1867
				Pat Kirby	592-5908
				Helen Mar Laykasek	592-2756
				Miriam Lemmons	210-425-4765
✓	✓			Helen McFarland	592-4684
✓	✓			Jean Meyer	595-7114
✓	✓		✓	Joan Nuesch	592-6579
		✓		Ann Retherford	592-1363
✓				Henny Rhoad	592-2592
	✓			Ellen Risken	296-3324
				Fay Robins	595-1983
				Lorell Ryan	592-7951
✓			✓	Vivian Sheffey	592-0738
			✓	Wilma Smith	592-1917
				Dorothy Smyer	296-3999
				Nancy West	
		✓		Ricki Cunningham	592-4343
				Pat Lemmons	297-5791

-PRECUTTERS

9/23
Maggie Fugitt (host)

10/6
Polly Davis
Audrey DeRouen
Joan Nuesch (host)
Vivian Sheffey

10/21&10/22
Maggie Fugitt (host)
Linda Hamilton
Joan Nuesch
Vivian Sheffey

-PHONE COMMITTEE

Joan Nuesch
Polly Davis

-Fountain Construction

Barbara Kelley

-Sign Construction

Susan Aregood

-Decoration Storage

Maggie Fugitt
Anna Marie Hope

-PROGRAM CHAIRPERSON

Jean Meyer

-FLOAT CHAIRPERSON

Maggie Fugitt

-FLOAT RIDERS

Sigie Compton
Polly Davis
Audrey DeRouen
Linda Hamilton
Fran Hegwood
Barbara Kelley
Jean Meyer
Vivian Sheffey

**La Posada de Kingsville...A Celebration of Lights
Parade of Lights
Waiver and Release**

Waiver and release ("release") executed on _____ (date),
by _____ ("participant") releasing the La Posada
Board of Directors (LPBOD) and others from any and all claims of participant arising from participation
in the event known as Parade of Lights (Event)

In exchange for the right to participate in the event, participant hereby waives, releases, and discharges any and all claims for injuries to person, including death, or to property that participant may incur as a result of participation in the event. This release discharges the LPBOD and all other promoters, sponsors, promoting clubs, officials, and may municipality or other public entity and their respective agents and employees ("others") associated with the event, from and against any and all liability arising out of or connected in any way to the event, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of LPBOD or others, or participants.

Participant understands and acknowledges that a serious accident can occur during activities such as this event. Knowing such risk, participant hereby assumes all said risk of injury to person, including death, and/or to property related to this event and releases and holds harmless and indemnifies LPBOD and others from any negligence or carelessness including but not limited to all cost and attorneys fees.

Further, participant hereby grants full permission to any or all of the foregoing to use any photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings, or other such record of this event for any purpose deemed appropriate by the LPBOD.

Participant agrees that this waiver and release shall be binding on participant's personal representatives heirs, assigns, and next of kin.

Participant has carefully read and understands the forgoing waiver and release and signs this release as participant's own free act.

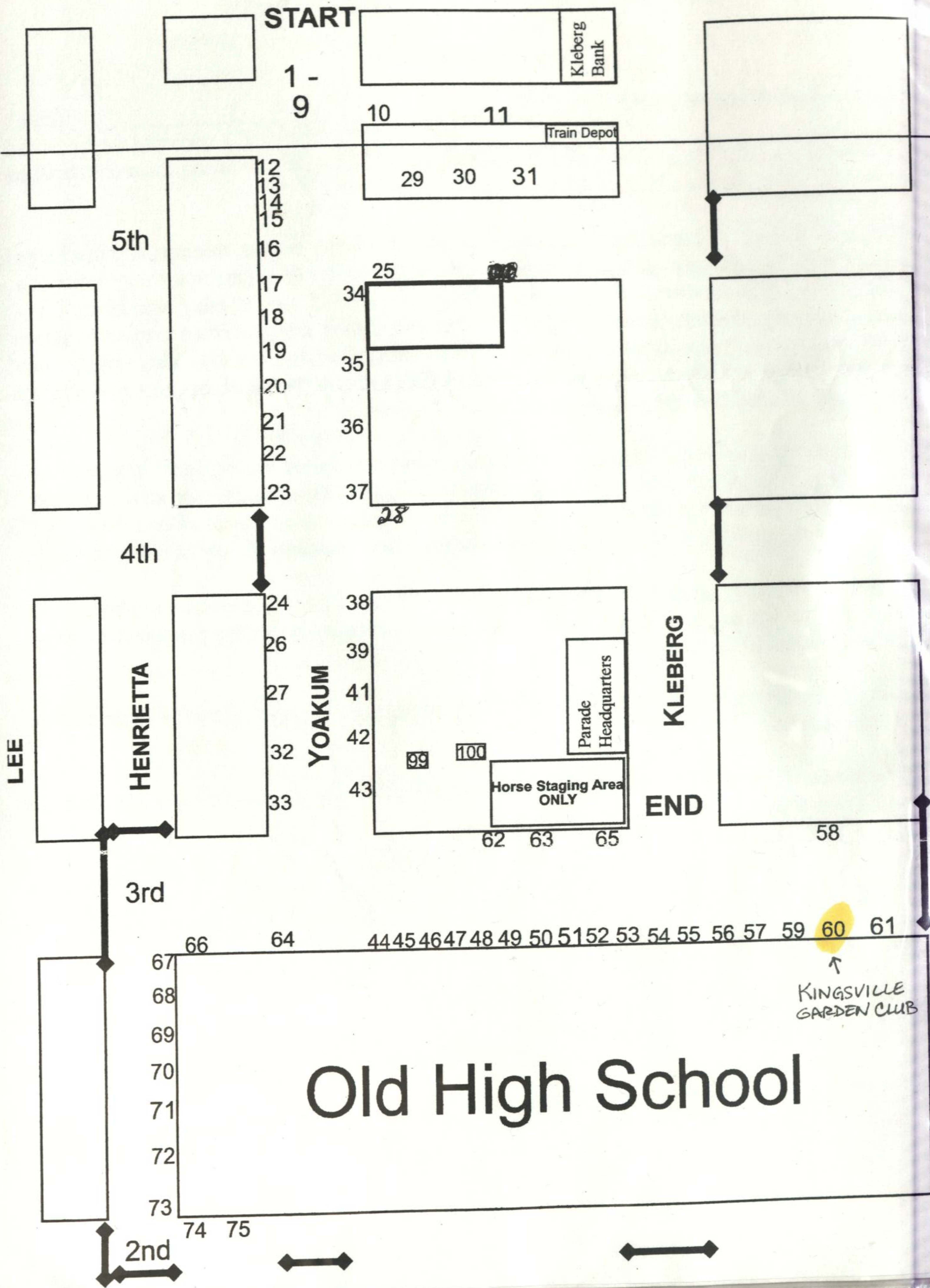
Date: _____

Organization Name: KINGSVILLE GARDEN CLUB

Participant: _____

Parent/Guardian: (if participant is under 18 years of age) _____

PARADE STAGING MAP





Flower and Leaf Construction
9-23-98

PARADE

STAGING MAP

START

1-9

5th

HENRIETTA

YOAKUM

Parade Head

Horse Staging Area ONLY

END

3rd

2nd

Old High School

KING STREET

KING GAP



Flower and Leaf Construction
9-23-98





Flower and Leaf Construction
10-21-98





Flower and Leaf Construction
10-22-98





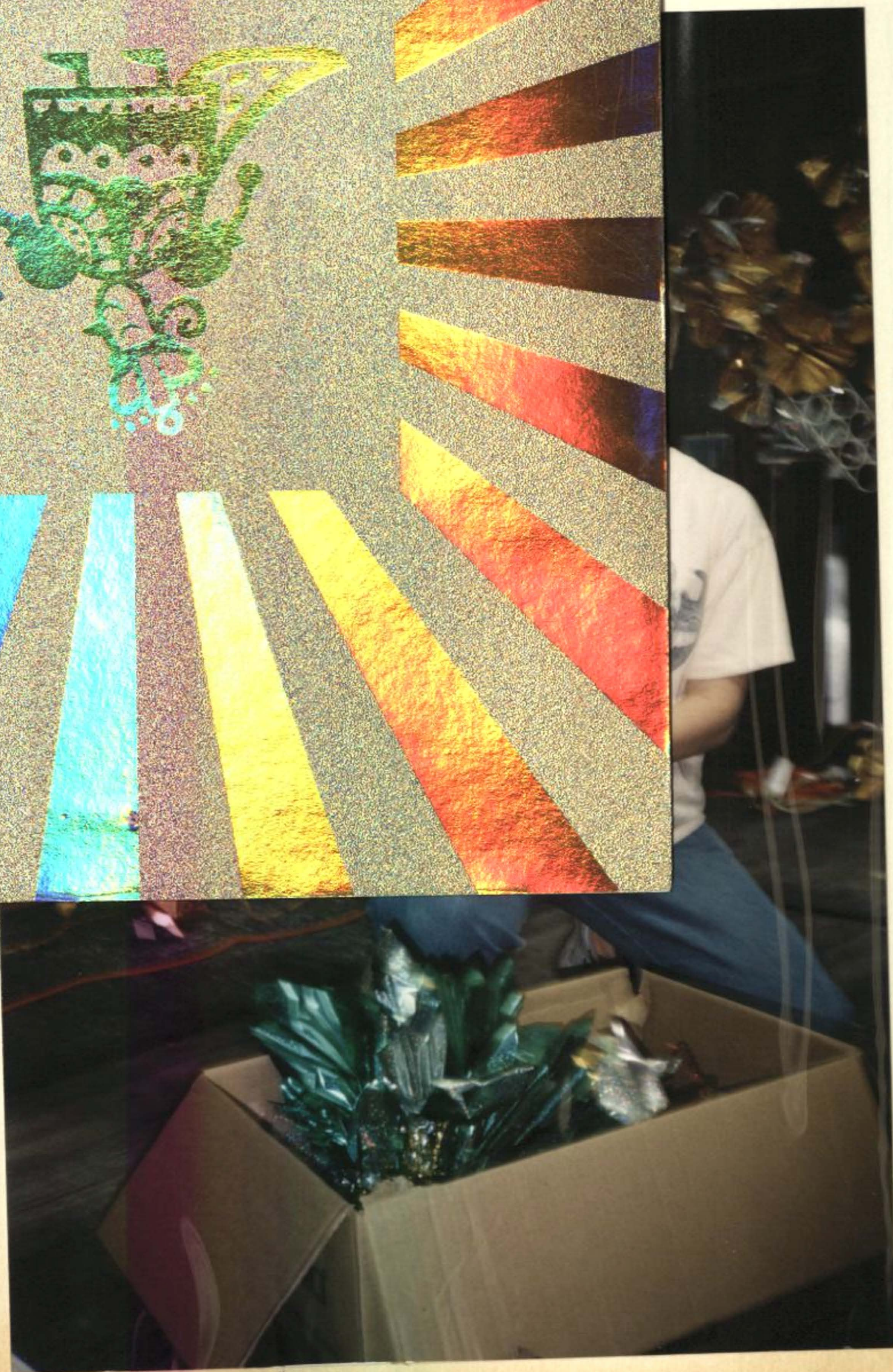
Build a Float Phase I
11-30-98



















Build a Float Phase II
11-20-98







Day and Night of Parade







La Posada de Kingsville Meet the winning

4B, Kingsville Record, Dec. 9, 1998

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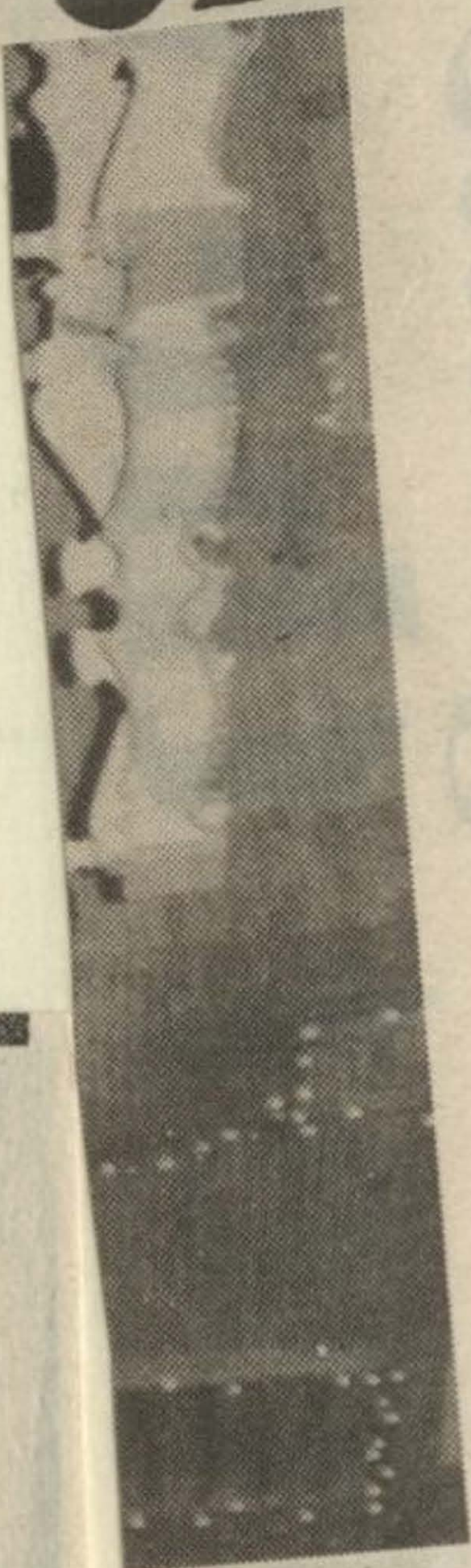


BEST ALL AROUND
Kingsville Garden Club

entries

1 Pastorela Moments Remembered

Kingsville Record, Dec. 9, 1998, 3B



here's a windmill and a barn, it must be the Parade of Lights





There's room for even the ttiest of angels at La Posada

Thousands of residents gathered in downtown Kingsville Saturday night for the annual Parade of Lights, sponsored by Posada de Kingsville. A smaller, but enthusiastic crowd returned Sunday night for a traditional procession and pastorela, which recreated Mary and Joseph's quest for she-

before the birth of Christ, attracted everyone from toddlers barely old enough to walk to senior citizens. Photographs of winning organizations in the parade are located on Pages 4B and 5B. More La Posada de Kingsville...A Celebration of Lights photographs of the parade and procession are on Page 3B.



50 Cents

Letters to the Editor

Dreaming of a *clean* Kingsville Christmas

Dear Editor,
How do people become so trashy?
I would like to comment about the Christmas Parade. I take my four children to this wonderful event every year. This year I went with two other

mom's and we had 12 children in tow of the trash in the streets. Even ages 12 and under. where the judges sat, I could not believe the amount of trash left on the (the) main street(s) to see all of through. lights, and look at the courthouse. Th I can't believe that the good people place looked like Gotham City, with South Texas have stooped so low

as to just toss out whatever they want, it doesn't matter who has to work to clean it up.

Come on folks. We went to the parade to celebrate the season, the birth of the Savior, and this is the respect we show to all who worked so hard to put on the parade.

Isn't there any pride anymore? I don't even live in this city, but there is no way I would let my kids get away with just leaving their trash behind. It's a matter of virtue and self-respect. Doesn't anyone else have any?

Respectfully,
Julie Vier

Convention and Visitor's Bureau defends position

Editor,
In response to Mr. Raul Garza's letter to the editor (Nov. 18, 1998) we want to explain our position as a Convention and Visitors Bureau (Tourist Bureau). We love Winter Texans! Without a doubt, they are wonderful "part-time" residents and are overall great people to know.

They boost our economy: by shopping for groceries, buying gasoline, purchasing clothing and gifts at department stores and shops, attending our local churches, obtaining prescriptions and other necessities at our local Wal-Mart and Eckerd, purchasing our local newspaper, attending local fund raisers and service clubs, seeking treatment at our local health facilities, parking their RVs at local and area parks and eating at our local restaurants.

Many become badly needed volunteers in our city. They also contribute to our local tax base. Because of all of this, we integrate them into our community and consider them "residents" not "tourists."

Note-we did not mention "stay in our local motels." The Convention and Visitors Bureau operates solely on taxes collected at the local hotels/motels and B and B's. These taxes are paid, not by locals, but by the visiting tourists that stay from one night to 29 nights. Those visitors that stay in our local motels for 30 days or more are exempt from paying this 7 percent tax. The Conventions and Visitors Bureau,

and we are contracted by the city or ward and that a reasonable solution Kingsville to legally spend this "non-local" money, we have to abide by extremely strict guidelines set up by the Legislature of the State of Texas and the City of Kingsville. It is imperative to our organization that we protect our budget by using as much of the 6 percent of collections as possible to bring tourists to our city. The balance (one percent) must be used for Arts/History according to state law that also, not only improves the quality of life in our city, but ultimately brings visitors to our city.

We feel strongly that the Winter Texans are special people in our city that definitely contribute to the many entities that make up a community. We hope organizations that benefit from our residents from the North will come

Oscar Fuentes
Kingsville Convention and Visitors Bureau

Protest march set for Saturday

or:
The Ad-hoc Committee on Responsible Law Enforcement will lead a protest march on Saturday. The march is to protest the beating of Cresencio "Chencho" Noz on Nov. 25. (He was found on Nov. 26) The march will start at 3 p.m. at four different locations: corner of 14th and Ave A (I Palmas Drive Thru), corner of

13th and Santa Gertrudis (Hermanos Flores Park), corner of 14th and Henrietta, and the corner of 14th and King. The march will culminate at the new Kingsville Police Department. The public is invited and posters will be provided. For further information, call 592-9026.

Enrique S. Alvarado

HOLIDAY SALE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER

9 AM - 11 PM

