SAN ANTONIO MISSIONS NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

Construction of Visitor Services for
RANCHO DE LAS CABRAS

Why Proposed Changes are Needed:

- The Rancho de las Cabras site has the only physical remains of one of the ranches used to raise livestock for the San Antonio missions (in this case, Mission San Francisco de la Espada). The National Park Service (NPS) has pledged to develop this site for public use.
- Proposed changes are needed to preserve the rancho's cultural resources and provide for appropriate public use.

Proposed Changes:

- Construction of a paved entrance road and paved parking areas.
- Construction of hard-surfaced pedestrian pathways.
- Development of a staffed visitor contact station with shade structure, comfort facilities and maintenance storage.
- Creation of landscape improvements.
- Historic resource stabilization/preservation.

Environmental Assessment:

- To comply with applicable environmental regulations, NPS must analyze effects of these proposed changes on the human and natural environment in an Environmental Assessment (EA).
- The EA requires public input on the proposed changes as well as other alternatives.
- Three alternatives (no build, minimum, and maximum) for the changes at Rancho de las Cabras are being considered.

For further project details and to submit a comment on the project, please visit our website:

http://parkplanning.nps.gov/rancho_ea

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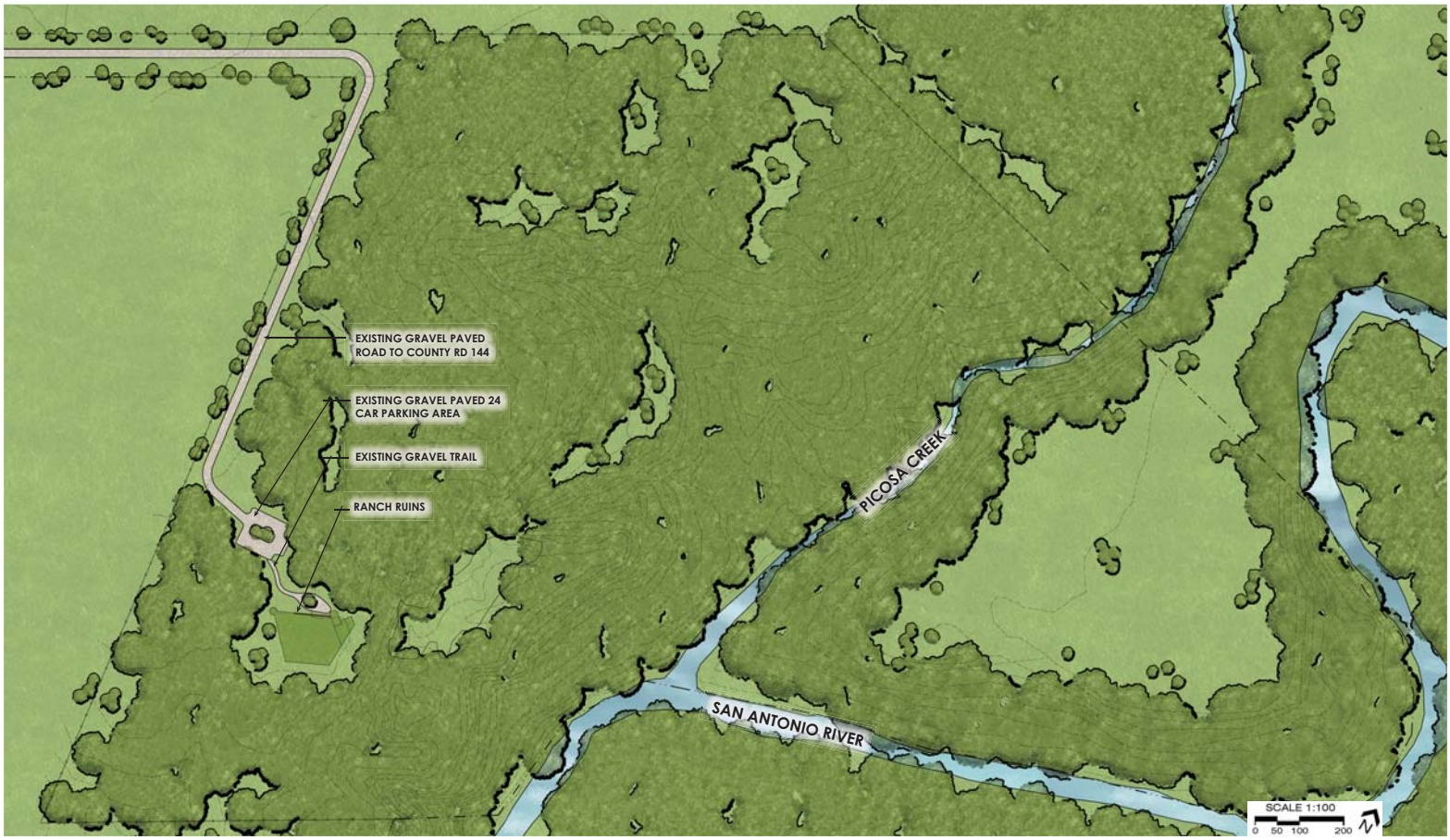

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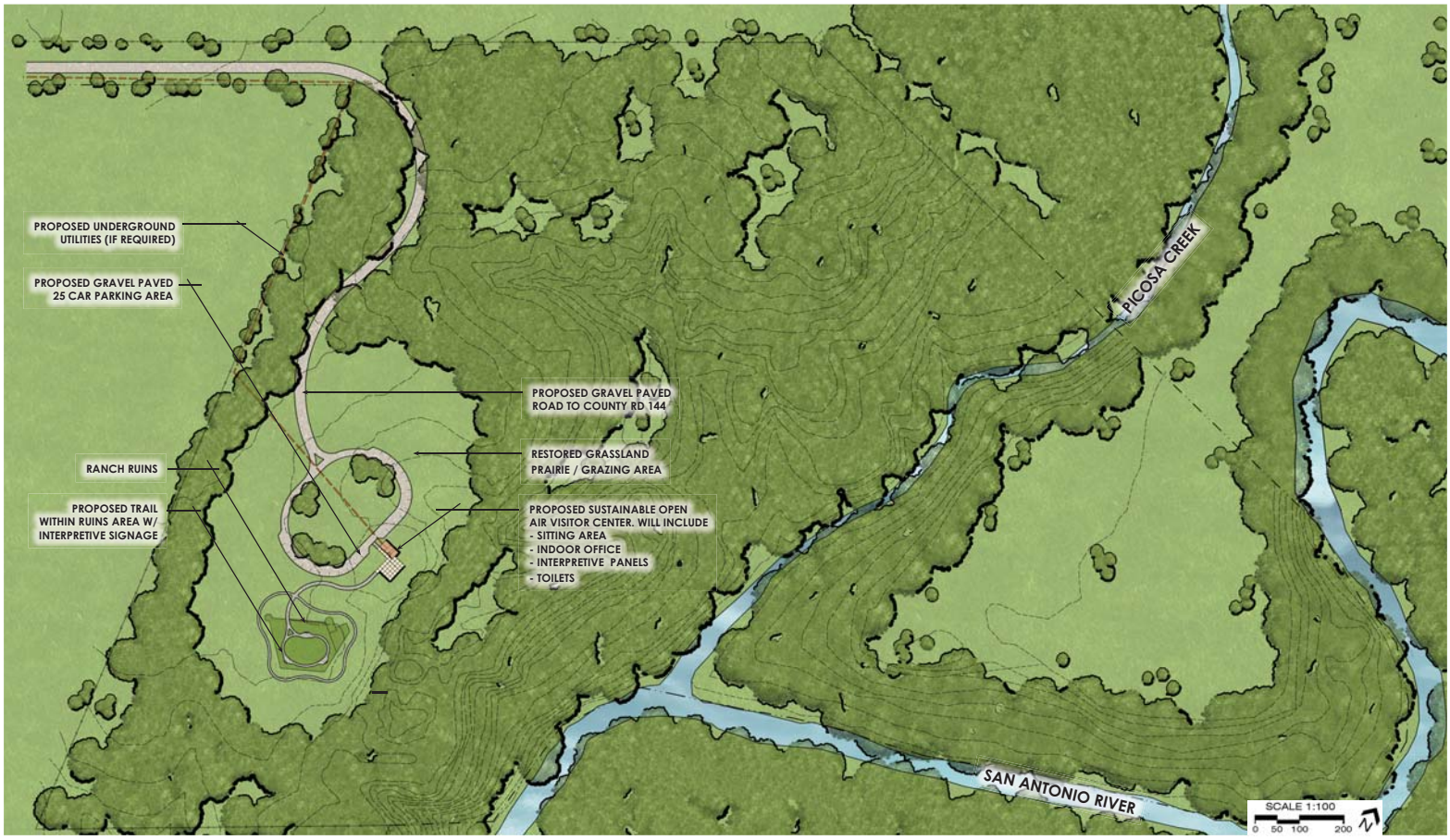

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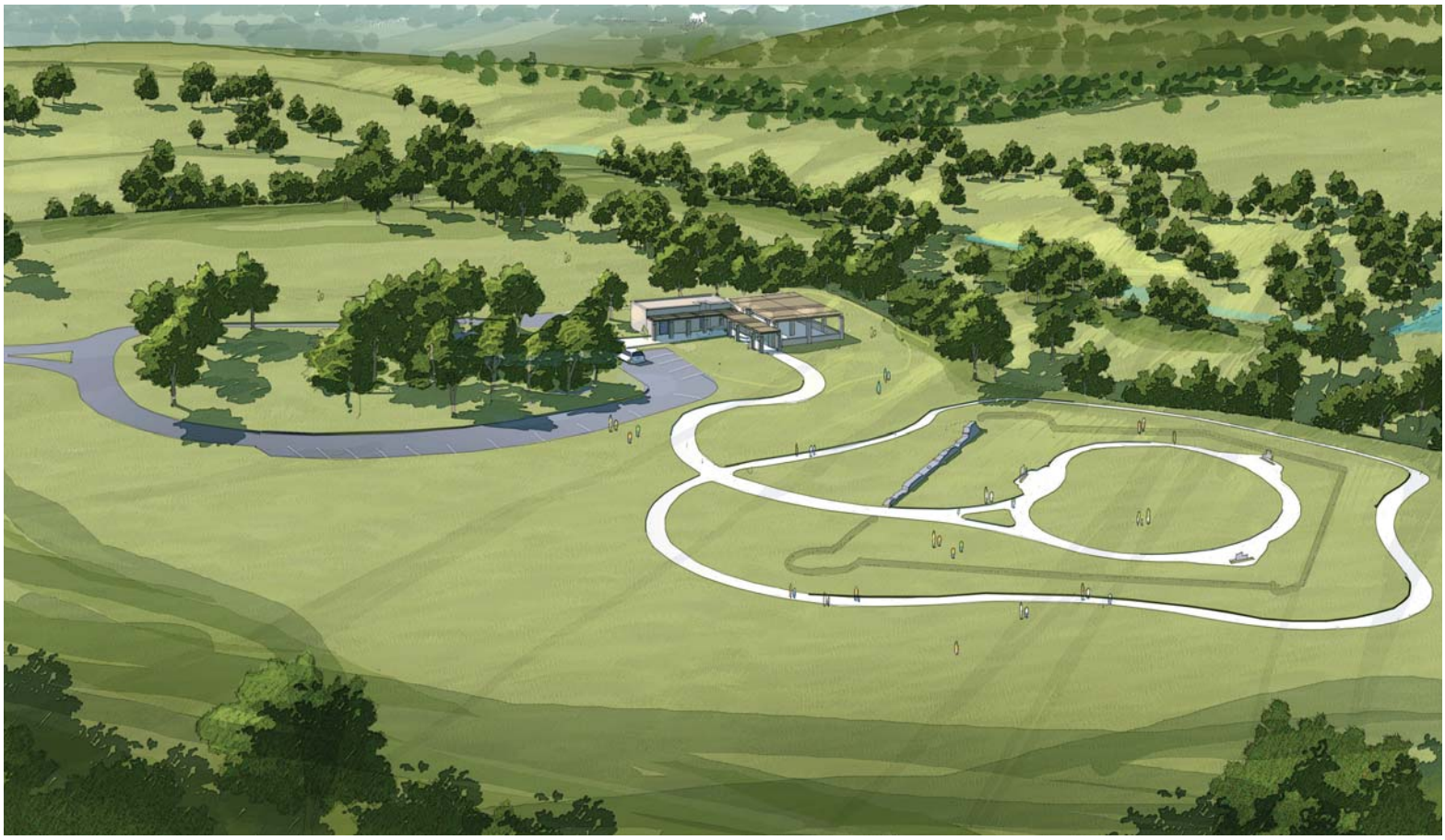

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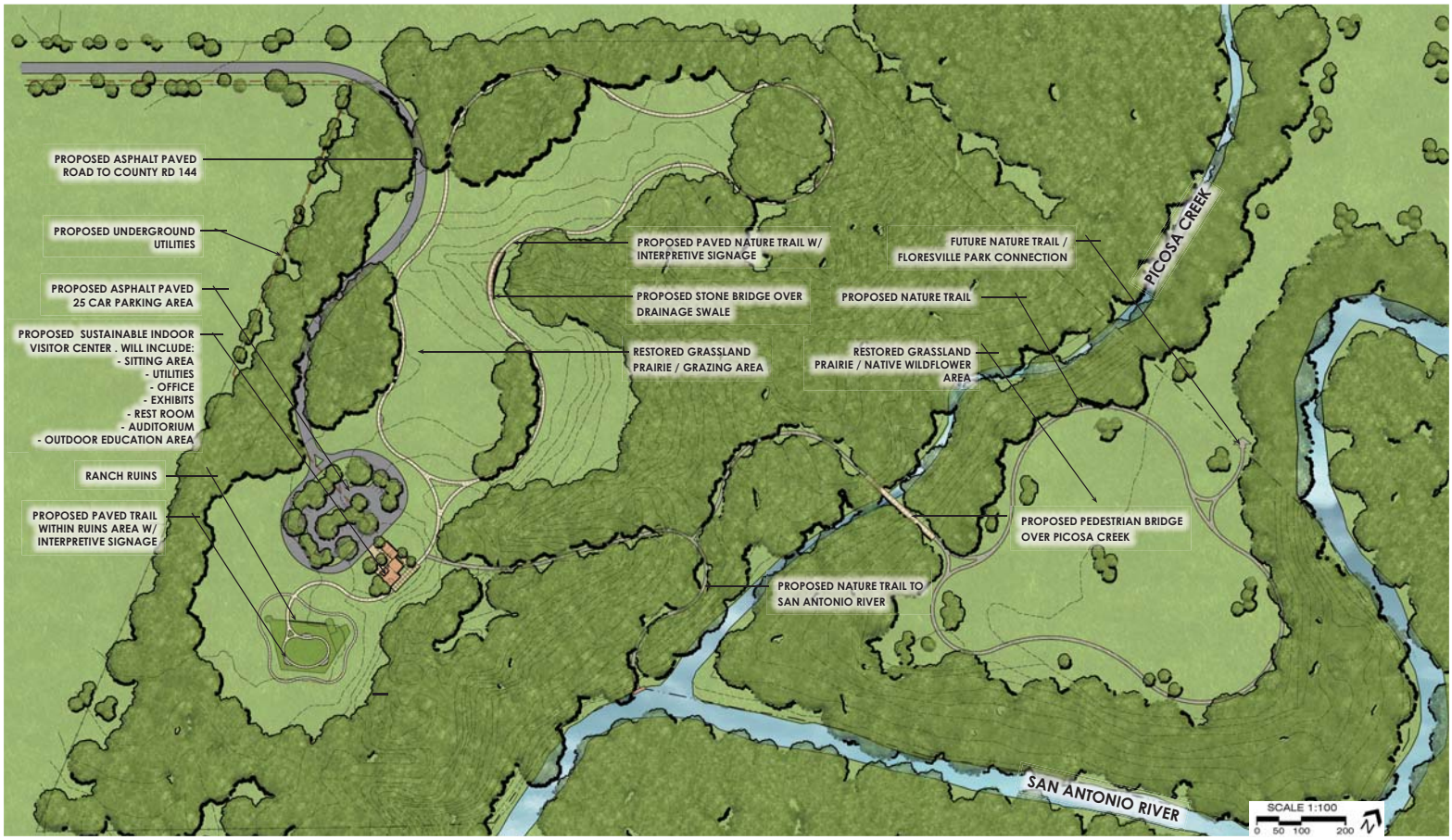

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