# DO YOU HAVE 20/20 VISION?



# Temple Emanu-El's 2020 Vision Project

## **Temple Emanu-El Project Vision 20/20 FAQ**

### 1) Why are we doing this project?

- a. Brings Temple facility in sync with the vitality of the congregation
- b. L-Dor V-Dor- puts temple facility in a condition to be used for generations
- c. Provides for actual use of our facility grounds
- d. Gives flexibility for new programs
- e. Increase pride of membership in our Temple
- f. Shows social responsibility in green campus approach
- g. Much needed- current configuration not meeting our needs
- h. Security Updates- bring facility in line with current security needs

#### 2) What is the timing of the project?

- a. Fundraising 1-19 to 12-19 (major underwriting 1-19 to 6-19)
- b. Design Work/Permitting- Ongoing through 7-19
- c. Construction 6-20 to 9-20
- d. Dedication 10-20

#### 3) What is the origin of the design and its inspiration?

- a. Partnership of Facility Committee and dedicated architect/member
- Biblical elements provide inspiration- Sea of Reeds along Contemplation Walk, Purim festival in front Courtyard, Story Telling in RS/PS Garden, Singing and Music in Summer Songs Patio
- c. Use of biblical materials- Limestone, etc.,.- continue Jewish historical theme

#### 4) What is the source of funding for the project?

a. Funding comes from member discretionary gifts- not from temple operating resources.

- b. 95+ % of project budget comes from lead donors; Founding and Enabling Donors for overall support of the project with Benefactors and Area Hosts targeted towards their respective areas of their interest among the 6 project elements.
- c. All inclusive- wide range of donation levels gives everyone an opportunity, if desired, to participate

### 5) How can I support the project?

a. Gifts to the project can be made by check or even individual stocks directly to the temple.. Gifts of stock directly the temple makes any appreciation on them tax free (info available-please inquire) Gifts can also be made from IRA accounts and when made per IRS guidelines are completely tax exempt. (info available-please inquire)