

CLIENT: GIRL SCOUTS OF NORTH EAST OHIO (GSNEO)

LOCATION: PENINSULA, OHIO



CAMP LEDGEWOOD STEM CENTER OF EXCELLENCE



Impact

- Design concept is both achievable and aspirational
- Meets programmatic and operational requirements
- Generates excitement and donor interest
- Helped increase project budget by over 50% since initiation

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Scope of Service

Environmental Design Group teamed with Sol Harris Day Architects to evaluate the existing conditions, collaborate with project stakeholders and potential donors, develop a master plan, and finally provide construction and permit documents. The project will be implemented by a Construction Manager at Risk.

Project Description

Located between Cleveland and Akron, in the village of Peninsula in Summit County, Camp Ledgewood is surrounded by the beautiful Cuyahoga Valley National Park. The new STEM Center of Excellence will provide a living laboratory for Girl Scouts and a larger group of youth to collaborate with local educators and experience year-round opportunities in robotics, computer coding, botany, chemistry, and more.

The design concept reflects the Council's vision with geometric forms, a wide variety of enhanced eco-systems, green infrastructure, formal and informal program areas, and sustainable design principles that are integrated into the design to not only tell a story, but also create an immersive experience where campers, students, and