JORDAN RIVER PEACE PARK
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PROJECT CONCEPT
PROJECT CONCEPT: SPECIFIC GOALS

• Contribute to and set an example for the rehabilitation of the Jordan River

• Promote sustainable tourism as an economic development engine for the region

• Protect and present the history of the site and its artifacts in a spirit of understanding and cooperation
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PROCESS
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ECOLOGIES OF LAND AND WATER
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ARID LANDSCAPE
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ARID AGRICULTURE
1. WETLAND GARDEN
SOUTHEAST (NAHARIYIM)
ACACIA, GRASSES

2. RIVER GARDEN
SOUTHWEST (OLD GESHER)
REEDS, SHRUBS, WILLOWS

3. ARID GARDEN
SOUTHEAST (NORTH SHUNAH)
DESERT PALMS, DESERT WILDFLOWERS

4. ARID SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE
EAST (BAKOURA)
OLIVES, FIGS, POMEGRANATES, GRAPES
ENTRANCES AND VISUAL STRUCTURE
ENVIRONMENTAL AND HERITAGE SITES
NORTH SHUNAH ENTRANCE

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GROWTH OF TOURISM AS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The rich natural resources of the Middle East will also benefit from an inventory and management plan.

Increased eco-tourism such as bird-watching will bring economic benefits to the region.
ECOLODGE AND CONFERENCE CENTER

Legend
1. Passport Control
2. Main Entry to Peace Park - ticket booth
3. Dinging
4. Information Center - W.C.
5. Parking
6. Guest Services
7. Rotenberg Housing ruins and wheatfield
8. New Eco lodges and wheatfields
9. New Eco lodge Reception and Dining Building
10. Jordan Military Campus
11. New Eco lodges

DIAGRAM OF WIND FLOWS ACROSS SITE
DIAGRAM OF CROSS VENTILATION
DIAGRAM OF EXISTING HOUSE
DIAGRAM OF PROPOSED RENOVATED HOUSE

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LAKE AND RIVER ECOSYSTEMS
BIRDWATCHING THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND IN THE REGION
ROTENBERG HYDROELECTRIC SITES
APPROACHES TO CONSERVATION OF EXISTING STRUCTURES

AS RUINS: stabilize with minimum reconstruction and present to public with appropriate infrastructure for safety and interpretation

ADAPTIVE REUSE: new uses involving limited and clearly articulated architectural interventions

RESTORATION: More dramatic refurbishment of particular structures based on original plans (may include adaptive reuse)
ROTHENBERG HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS – NAHARAYIM AREA
GUEST HOUSES
ROTENBERG HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS – POWERHOUSE AREA

Legend
1. Former Powerstation - Visitor Center and Cultural Event Space
2. Footpath
3. Observation Point
4. Landscape of Relics
5. Open Air Theatre
6. Stairs

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OLD GESHER AREA
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Legend
1. Passoort Control
2. Long-term Parking
3. Existing Fish Ponds
4. Forest
5. Restaurant
6. Vehicular Drop-off
7. Information Center
8. Train kiosk
9. Breadshop
10. Dining
11. W.C.
12. Pavilion
13. Museum
14. Entry Ticket Booth
15. Bus pavilion
16. Mamluk Khan, rehabilitated as Outdoor Performance Theatre
17. Ottoman Customs House
18. Viewing Pavilion
19. Main Entry to Peace Park and Pedestrian Entrance across Ottoman Bridge
20. New Station Stop
21. British Police Station, rehabilitated as hotel or conference center
PHASING