



Chinatown 10th Street Plaza Improvements

Philadelphia, PA

CLIENT:

Philadelphia Chinatown Development Corporation

The 10th Street Plaza over the Vine Expressway was built in the 1980s as part of the expressway construction. It was intended to function as a focal point for the community; however, the design of the plaza was not conducive to community use. KSK's redesign included removal of planters that separated the plaza from the sidewalk, construction of a pergola to provide shade for seating areas, installation of benches and tables, and accommodations for vendor carts. Giant Foo dogs flanking the plaza create a new image and identity for the plaza.

Project area before changes



Photosimulation to illustrate proposed improvements



Completed pergola with Foo dog.