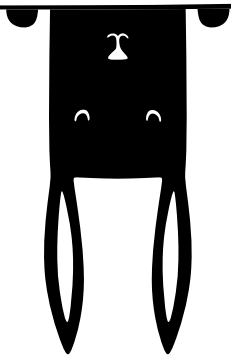


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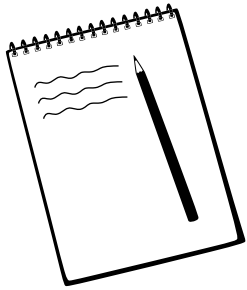
Traffic Garden Fun



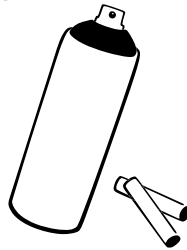
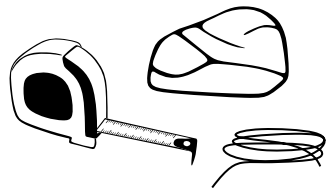
MAKE YOUR VERY OWN TRAFFIC GARDEN USING CHALK OR TAPE



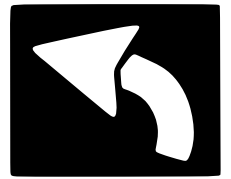
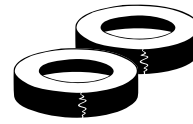
You Will Need



TAPE MEASURE + STRING + SMALL ROCK



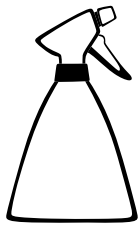
WHITE + YELLOW DUCT TAPE (OPTIONAL)



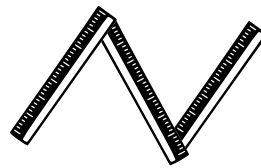
SKETCH PAD + PENS

SIDEWALK OR SPRAY CHALK

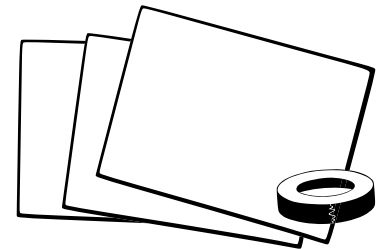
HOMEMADE SIGN STENCILS



RAG



YARD STICK(S)

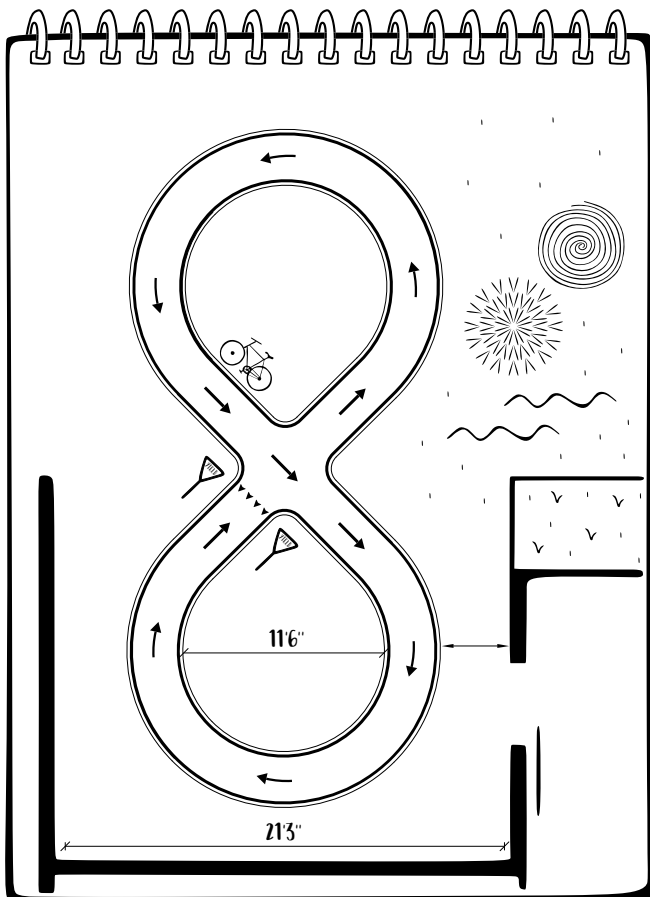
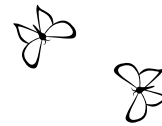


PAINTER'S TAPE + CARDBOARD

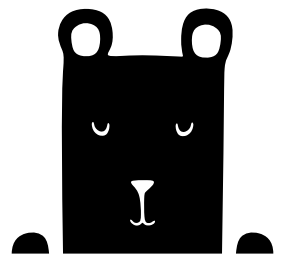
SPRAY BOTTLE

TRASH BAG

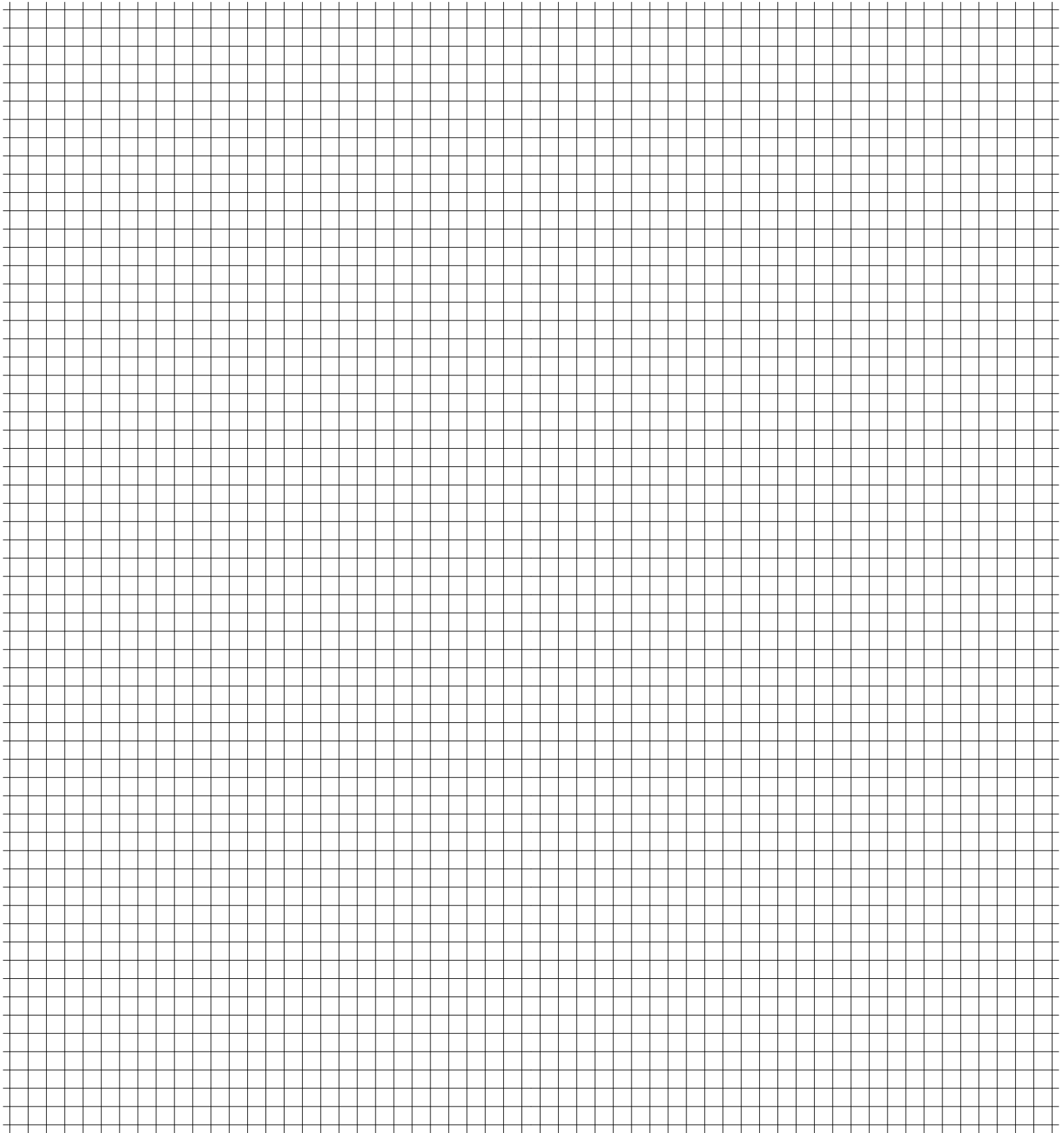
Traffic Garden Design



- MEASURE SPACE + SKETCH SITE OUTLINE
- TRY LAYOUTS FOR FIT (SUGGEST SCALE 1:100)
- KEEP AWAY FROM WALLS + FIXED OBJECTS
- 2-WAY STREETS = 4'-6' WIDE
- 1-WAY STREETS = 3'-4' WIDE
- ROUNDABOUTS = 1-WAY, COUNTERCLOCKWISE
- INSIDE BENDS/CORNERS = 3'+ RADIUS
- ARROWS FOR SIDES & DIRECTION
- FINALIZE DESIGN + ADD DETAILS



DIY Design Sheet

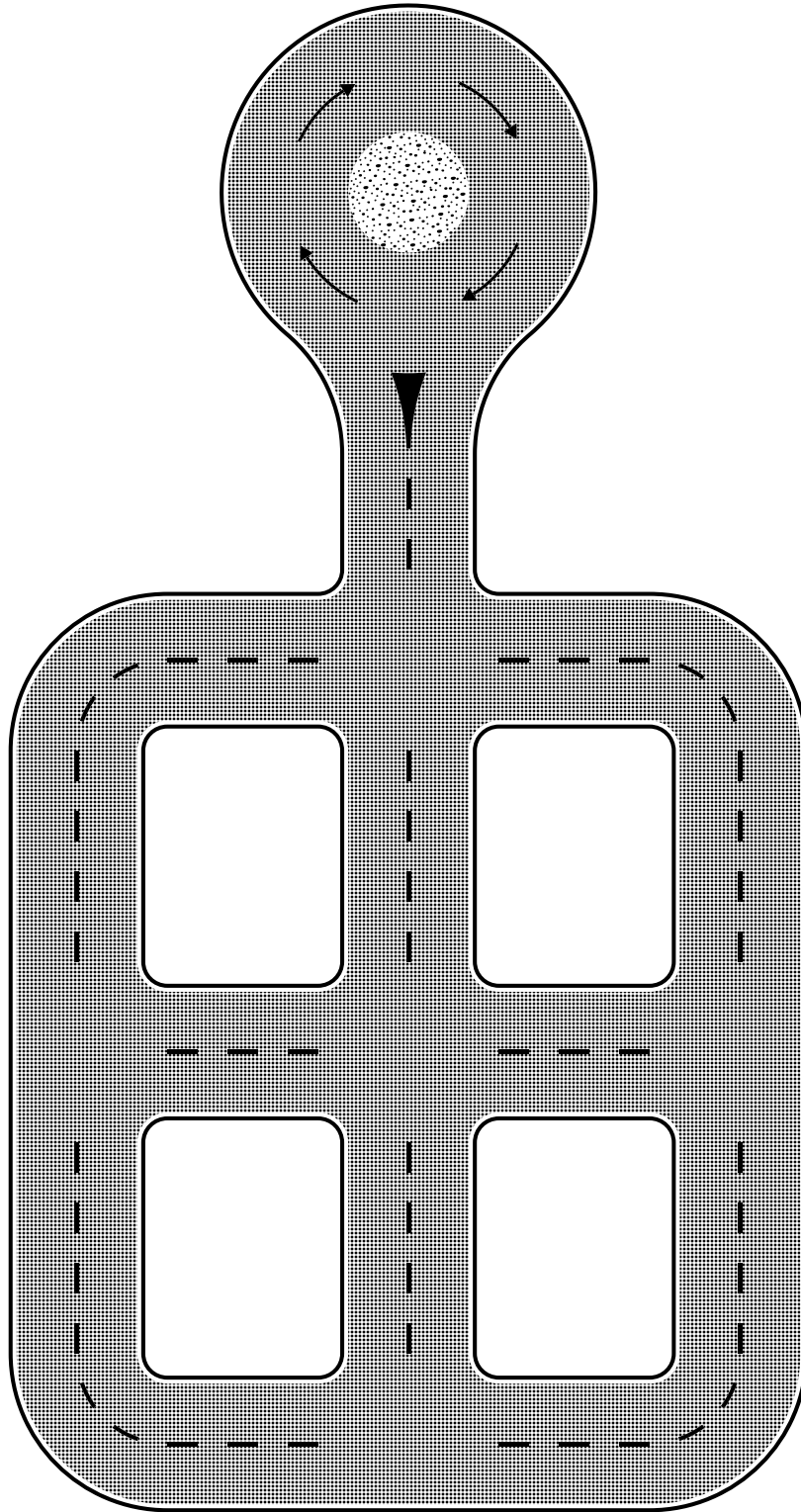


FIND A SAFE OUTDOOR HARD SURFACE THAT YOU HAVE PERMISSION TO USE, MAYBE A CLOSED OFF PARKING LOT OR OLD BASKETBALL COURT

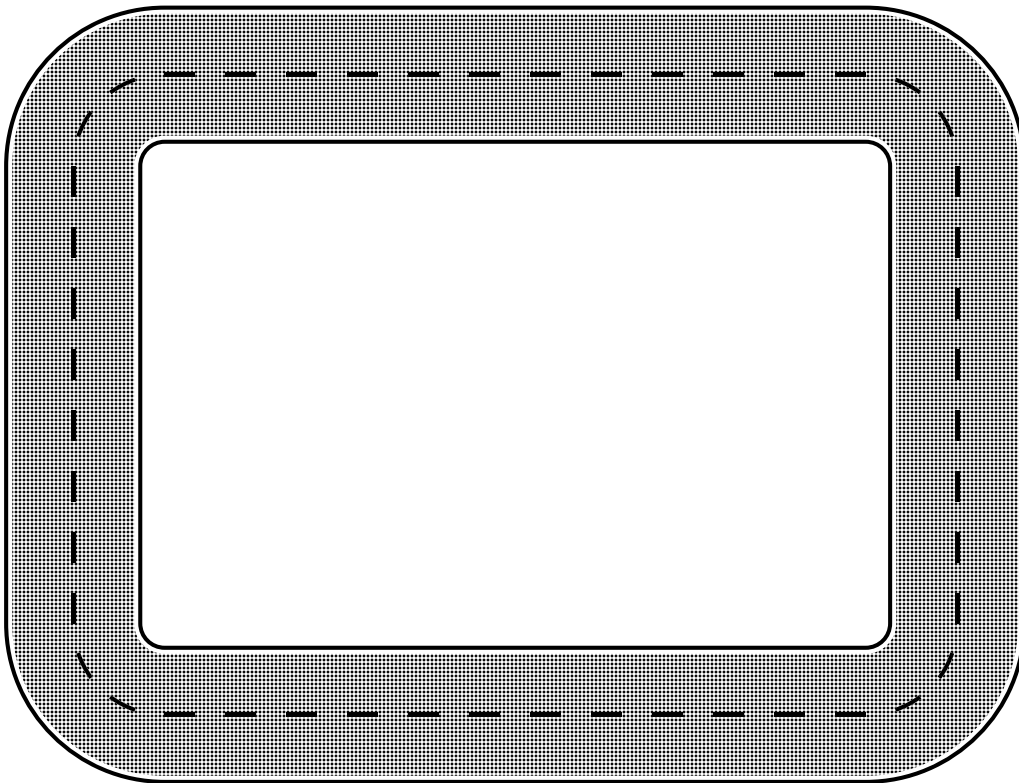
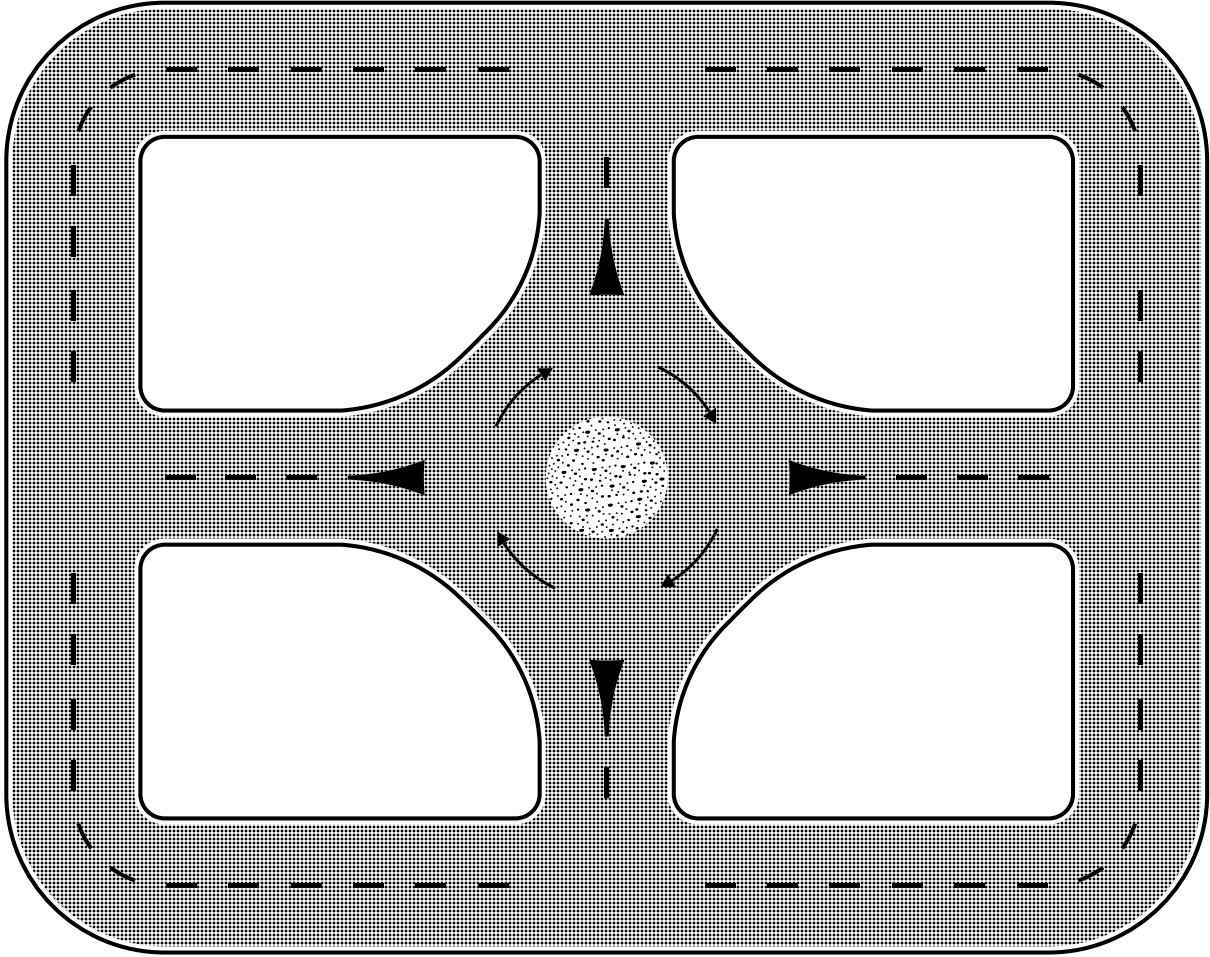


Layout Ideas No. 1

ADJUST TO FIT AVAILABLE SPACE

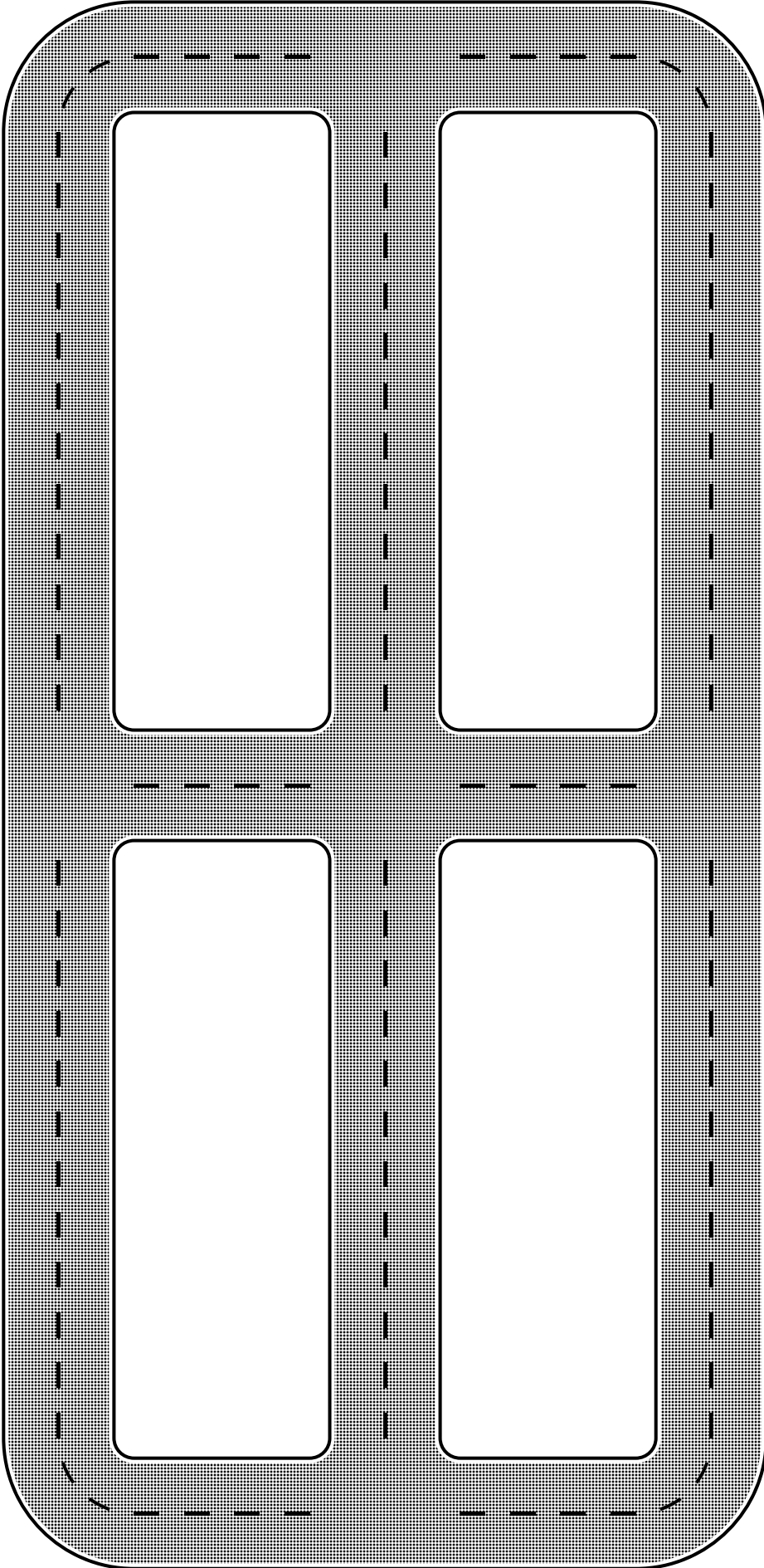


Layout Ideas No. 2



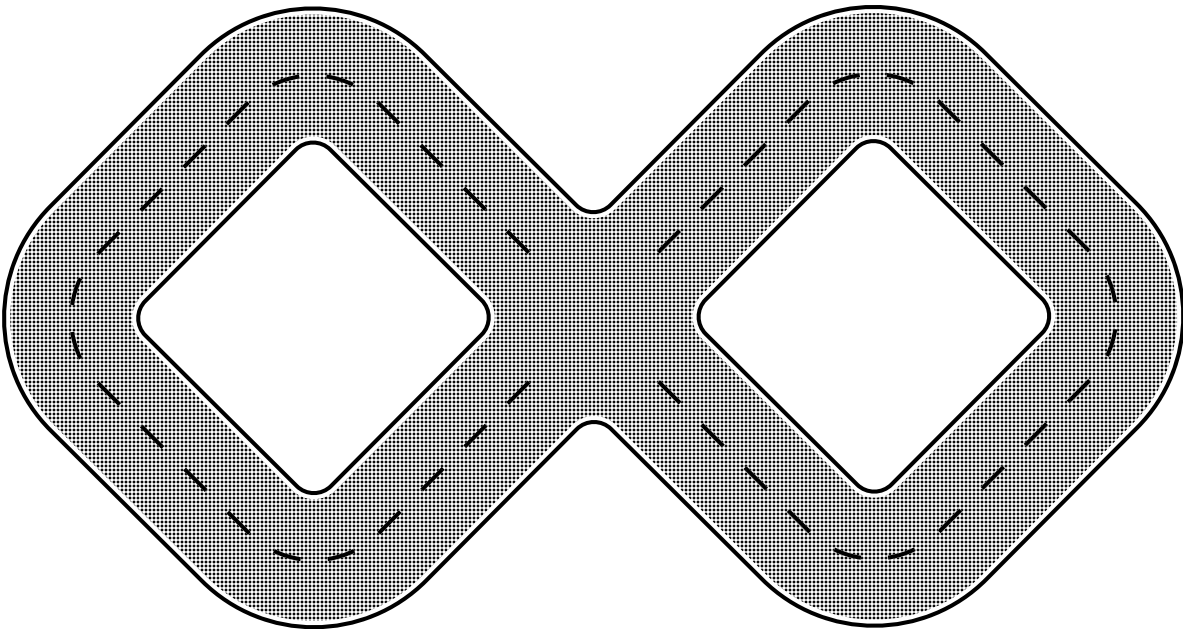
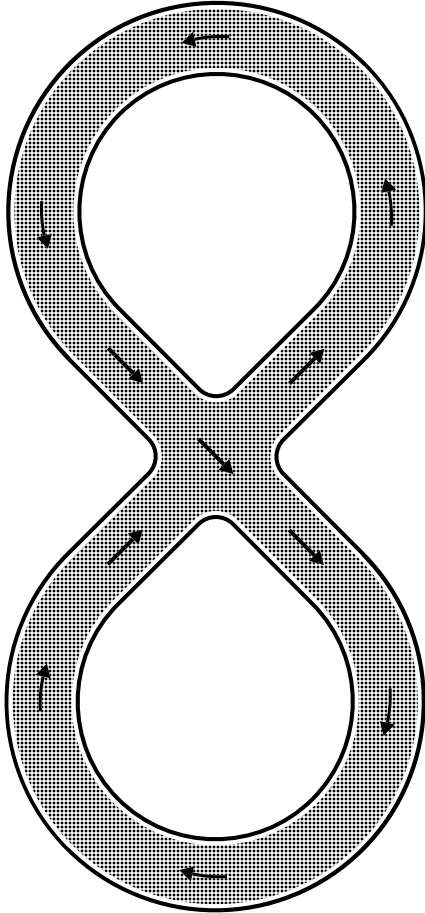
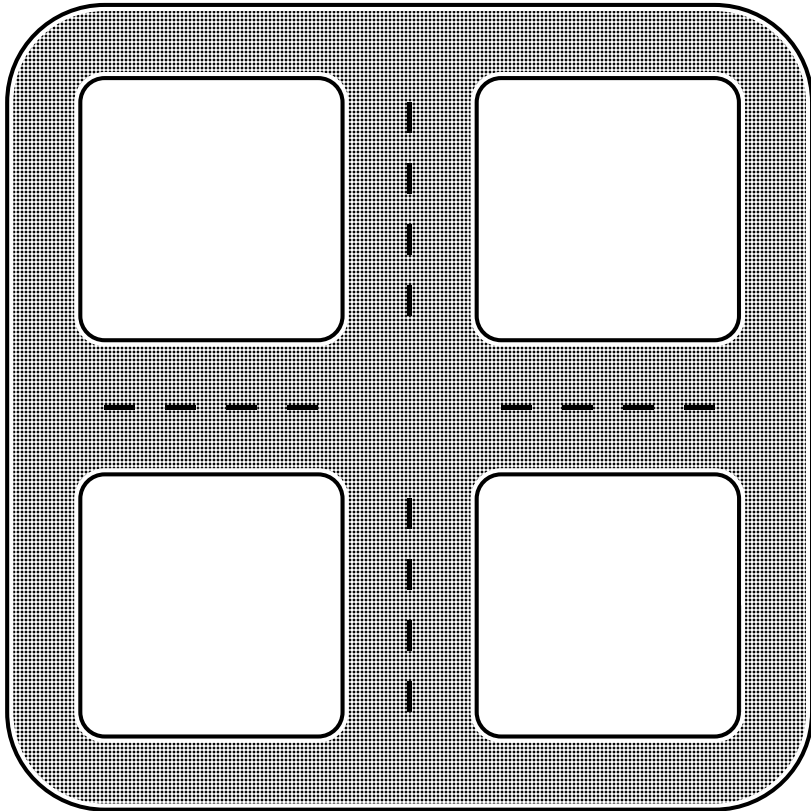


Layout Ideas No. 3





Layout Ideas No. 4

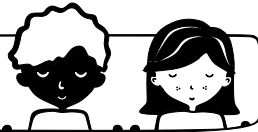


Installing Your DIY Traffic Garden

KEEP LAYOUT HANDY FOR REFERENCE



1. ROUND UP SOME HELPERS



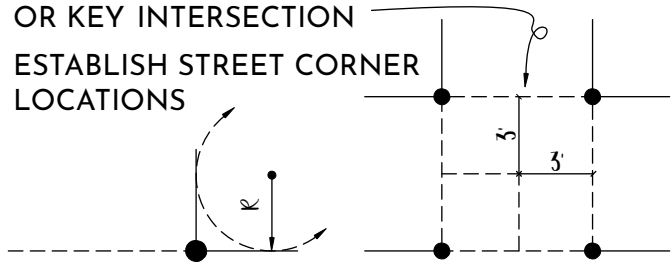
2. SWEEP DEBRIS & SMALL PEBBLES AWAY



3. ROUGHLY LOCATE STREETS + INTERSECTIONS

4. START MEASURING FROM LAYOUT CENTER OR KEY INTERSECTION

5. ESTABLISH STREET CORNER LOCATIONS



6. MARK RADIUS START POINTS & DRAW IN ROUNDED CORNERS

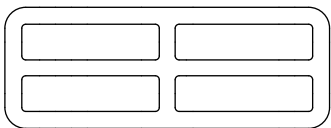
7. MARK STREET WIDTH AT POINTS ALONG LENGTHS

8. STAND BACK TO SEE IF LAYOUT ADJUSTMENTS NEEDED . . .



9. MARK OUT ENTIRE LAYOUT BEFORE ADDING IN FINAL STREET LINES

10. ADD STREET LINES USING SIDEWALK CHALK OR SPRAY CHALK OR DUCT TAPE



11. USE YARD STICKS TO KEEP STRAIGHT LINES & MAINTAIN WIDTHS

12. ADD CROSSWALKS, STOP BARS, RAILROAD LINES & MARKINGS



TIPS FOR USING SPRAY CHALK

- ✓ Test how chalk applies & dries beforehand
- ✓ For crisp lines, use templates or painter's tape
- ✓ Parallel painter's tape lines with 2" gap between + spray = long street lines
- ✓ Spray lightly 6"-12" from surface
- ✓ Use cardboard to prevent overspray beyond template
- ✓ Use foam brush to push extra chalk into the corners
- ✓ Wait for chalk to dry before moving template
- ✓ Wipe off the template between uses
- ✓ Fix mistakes with water spray + scrubbing brush
- ✓ For longer-lasting sidewalk chalk, 'fix' with hair spray



DRAWING CORNER OR ROUNDABOUT

- ✓ Tie string securely around sidewalk chalk + other end to rock
- ✓ Wrap string around rock until it is size of radius & place rock at radius start point
- ✓ Stretch string firmly while holding chalk upright
- ✓ Draw chalk quarter circle for corner or full circle for roundabout

