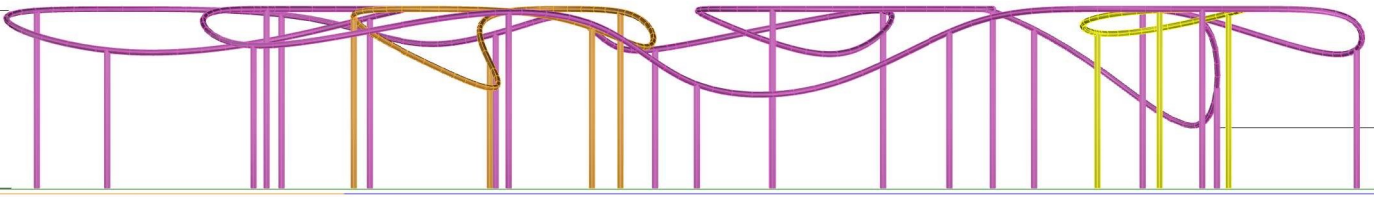


My project a playscape- *Petal Railing* is a brilliantly colored railing flowing over a colorfully planted garden in the form of a flower petal. The garden and railing provide for multiple sensory experiences. Running your hand along the rail one follows the form of the petals as it bends and dips. Children may swing or jump over the railing and play with the inside outside additions of smaller railing constructions inside the larger petal. The railing rises four feet bending back down to two feet above the ground. Directly under the railing is a two-foot-wide path of sod, allowing for walking around the contour while being amongst the flowers.

The ground plan of the planted garden would measure 20 x30 feet. Various colored plantings would be used to distinguish each petal, forming the contour of a flower on the ground. The specificity of planting is not important it is the mass of color that is critical to the overall concept and form. Ideally the layout could be placed in such a way that there is a hidden quality.

4'



18''

