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The planning, environmental review and entitlement phase of Meriam Park has taken approximately 4 years (May 2003 - April 2007).

May 2003	Begin Initial Site Studies & Analysis
December 2003	Charrette #1: 7-day public design process held in downtown Chico storefront
June 2004	Charrette #2: 3-day mini-charrette to plan restoration and enhancement of Little Chico Creek greenway
October 2004	Charrette #3: 3-day mini-charrette to plan mixed-use Meriam Center
January 2005	File initial applications with City of Chico
July 2005	Environmental Review Process begins with Notice of Preparation (NOP) and Initial Study (IS)
April 2006	Charrette #4: Mini-charrette for an expansion of Bidwell Presbyterian Church in Meriam Park
November 2006	Draft Environmental Impact Report (Draft EIR) released by the City of Chico
March 2007	Public hearings following release of Final EIR
Late 2007	Begin Phase 1 infrastructure improvements
Early 2008	Begin Phase 1 building construction
Mid 2008	Initial homes and commercial buildings available for occupancy
2018-2020	Probable completion of Meriam Park



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