

Parks & Recreation Department Updates

Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee

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PRAC Follow-Up Questions



PARK UPDATES



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Sherrill Park

- PARD has requested Engineering Services obtain a cost estimate for full design of Sherrill Veterans Memorial Park based on the Master Plan.
- This process will take some time as it requires professional estimators.
- The Master Plan includes a conceptual, pergola-style shade covering over the event seating area.
- Exact shading specifications are unknown until a full design has been completed.

Cole Park

- City Council awarded the construction contract to Gourley on January 18th. Construction will begin within the next several weeks, after the pre-construction kickoff meeting (TBD).
- Estimated opening of Playground & Splashpad is still projected for May.
- Notification signs regarding the playground closure will be placed once the demo timeline has been established. The Notice to Proceed has not been issued (3 to 4 weeks).
- A Press Release will be issued to announce closure/estimated project completion.

Wranosky Park - Inquiry RE: Additional Cement Area for Skating

There are currently no plans for this but it could be a potential, future budget proposal.



GOOD NEWS ☺



Sherwood Dog Park



GOOD NEWS

PARD Promotional Video

Staff have met with the City's Communication Department on creating a couple of promotional videos to be tentatively released at the beginning of the Summer Season.

Mirador Lighting Project

- This project was successfully completed and also includes the Selena Memorial.
- A Ribbon Cutting event will soon follow (TBD).



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Agenda Items



Upcoming PARD Agenda Items

March 19, 2024 - Tentative

- Purchase of Exercise Equipment for City Senior Centers
(2024 Budget Initiative)
- PARD Briefing – 10-Year Master Plan Updates
- Lease Agreement between the City & Padre Island Business Association (PIBA) for the Construction, Donation & Maintenance of a Sign at the North Padre Island Seawall Parking Lot.
- Ordinance Regarding Prohibition of Smoking/Tobacco Products in Certain Outdoor Areas

