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# Kestrel Park

### Park Development Design Input

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# City Staff

• Adam Kaniewski, Landscape Architect, Madison Parks Division



## **Meeting Agenda**

Review of Park Development Plan

**Project Timeline** 

Community Patio Design

Playground Design

Next Steps

## Park Development Plan

#### Park Development Plan Summary

#### Introduction

Kestrel Park is located on the far west side of Madison. At the time of this plan, no previous official planning documents were known to exist. The land was dedicated as parkland as part of the Hawks Valley Plat in 2015. Grading activities, including a drainage swale and culvert, were installed in 2021.

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#### **Existing Facilities**

There are no existing park facilities in Kestrel Park.

#### **Proposed Facilities**

This plan includes a mowed open play field on the north half of the park and a playground area and community patio area on the south side. The playground area will be a typical post and platform structure. The community patio will include a sun shelter and a selection of permanent outdoor yard games such as corn hole, ping pong, etc., and be location for community gatherings. The playground and community patio will be accessible from the street via a paved path. Selection of playground equipment and yard games will be done with input from neighborhood residents. Park areas with steep slopes will be established with native grasses and forbs. A mowed path is required to be maintained on the northwest edge of the park to allow maintenance access to the stormwater management facilities on the adjacent parcel to the west.

#### **Special Conditions**

A 12' wide public utility easement is present on the edges of the park adjacent to public right-of-ways. The park is subject to a Public Sanitary Sewer Easement over its entirety. As of 2023, the only existing sanitary sewer pipe within the park is in the northwest corner.

Board of Park Commissioners Approval: June 7, 2023



## Project Timeline

Public Input Meeting #1 (2/22/24) Public Input Meeting #2 (March/April 2024)

Construction (Summer/Fall 2024)

\*Construction timeframe may be impacted by equipment manufacturing lead times/delays

# Park Development Plan

- Managed Meadows
  - Native wildflowers and grasses
  - Will be installed by a contractor with a minimum 3-year maintenance contract
  - Will be managed in accordance with Madison Parks Land Management Plan (https://www.cityofmadison.com/parks/docu ments/LandMgmPlanAdopted2023.pdf)





## Community Patio

- Sun Shelter
- Porch Swing
- Outdoor Yard Games
  - Bags/Cornhole
  - Chess/Checkers
  - Connect 4
  - Ladder Toss
  - Ping Pong



# Draft Site Plan

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## Sun Shelter





### Galaxy Park

# Porch Swing





## **Outdoor Yard Games**



### Bags/Cornhole

- Regulation ACA board size and slope
- 2. Reinforced with steel and fiber reinforcing Strong 5000 PSI concrete
- Polished surface for great bag slide All boards are polished using a commercial platen polisher
- 4. Entire board is sealed with two coats of water based concrete sealer
- **5** Open back for easy bag removal







### **Chess/Checkers Table**

- Sloped bag drop area Will not harbor animals
- Sloped bottom Sheds water, stays clean
- Lightly sandblasted sides
- **9.** No grass or debris under the boards

## **Outdoor Yard Games**



### Connect 4



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Concrete Ladder Toss



Steel Ladder Toss



# **Outdoor Yard Games**

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### Ping Pong/Table Tennis





# Community Patio – Lawn Game Preferences

- Q: Select your top two lawn game options.
  - 1. Bags/Cornhole
  - 2. Chess/Checkers Table
  - 3. Connect 4
  - 4. Ladder Toss
  - 5. Ping Pong/Table Tennis



# Playground Design





# PLAYGROUND DESIGN PROCESS



#### Neighborhood Input

Playground
 Manufacturer
 Options

# Playground Equipment Standards

- **1. National Recreation and Park Association**
- 2. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC)
- 3. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
- 4. American National Standards Institute (ANSI)



# Playground Equipment Standards

- CPSC Design Age Ranges
- Colors
- Equipment
- Surfacing
  - **1. Wood Fiber Mulch**
  - 2. Recycled Rubber Mulch





## **Playground Budget and Fundraising**



City of Madison Playground Options Age Range: 5-12 Years Old



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City of Madison Playground Options Age Range: 5-12 Years Old

#### **Company: Little Tykes**



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### **City of Madison Playground Options**

Colors





### **City of Madison Playground Options** Surfacing

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#### **City of Madison Playground Surfacing Options Comparison**

	Recycled Shredded Rubber	Engineered Wood Fiber Mulch
. '	<ul> <li>Meets U.S. Access Board's ADA Accessibility Guidelines for Play Areas</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Meets U.S. Access Board's ADA Accessibility Guidelines for Play Areas</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Meets CPSC fall height requirements</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Meets CPSC fall height requirements</li> </ul>
	Softer play surface material	<ul> <li>Not as soft as recycled shredded rubber</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Provides alternative use for recycled tires</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Created by the City from fallen trees and limbs that would otherwise be chipped for mulch</li> </ul>
. 0	<ul> <li>Sandalwood/brown color-coated to reduce heat impact compared to non-coated black recycled rubber</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>More likely to get mold and mild spores</li> </ul>
•	<ul> <li>Higher initial cost, lower</li> <li>maintenance cost</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Lower initial cost, higher maintenance cost</li> </ul>
	Needs to be topped off every 5	<ul> <li>Needs to be tonned off every 1 t</li> </ul>

- Needs to be topped off every 5 years depending on site conditions and use
- Non-biodegradable

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• Thaws fast, playgrounds available throughout the year

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- Needs to be topped off every 1 to 3 years depending on site conditions and use
- Biodegrades
- Thaws slowly, playground use limited during winter conditions





### City of Madison Playgrounds Next Steps



Please plan on joining Madison Parks for the second meeting for the development of Kestrel Park, where we will be reviewing and discussing proposed playground designs.

Next Meeting (via Zoom): March of April 2024 (Date TBD)

Additional information related to this project is posted on the Parks Project Portal, here: <a href="https://www.cityofmadison.com/parks/projects/kestrel-park-development">https://www.cityofmadison.com/parks/projects/kestrel-park-development</a>

Contact Adam Kaniewski, project manager, with additional questions or comments. (608) 261-4281 or adamkaniewski@cityofmadison.com



### Thank You!

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