

Parks and Recreation Monthly Report

October 2016

Collin County Assistance Grant

The Town has received notice that Collin County has awarded \$375,000 in assistance toward the construction of Frontier Park. These items are to include reimbursement for the hike and bike trail, pedestrian bridge and playground. The ILA was approved by Town Council on October 25, 2016.

Punt, Pass and Kick Sectional

In conjunction with PISD, Recreation staff organized the annual Punt Pass & Kick Sectional competition at 6:00pm on October 19, 2016, at Eagles Stadium. Forty-one athletes competed. Seven youths took first place in their age group and were submitted to move on to the next competition. Should one score the best in the Sectional, he or she would move on to compete in the Regionals at AT&T Stadium.

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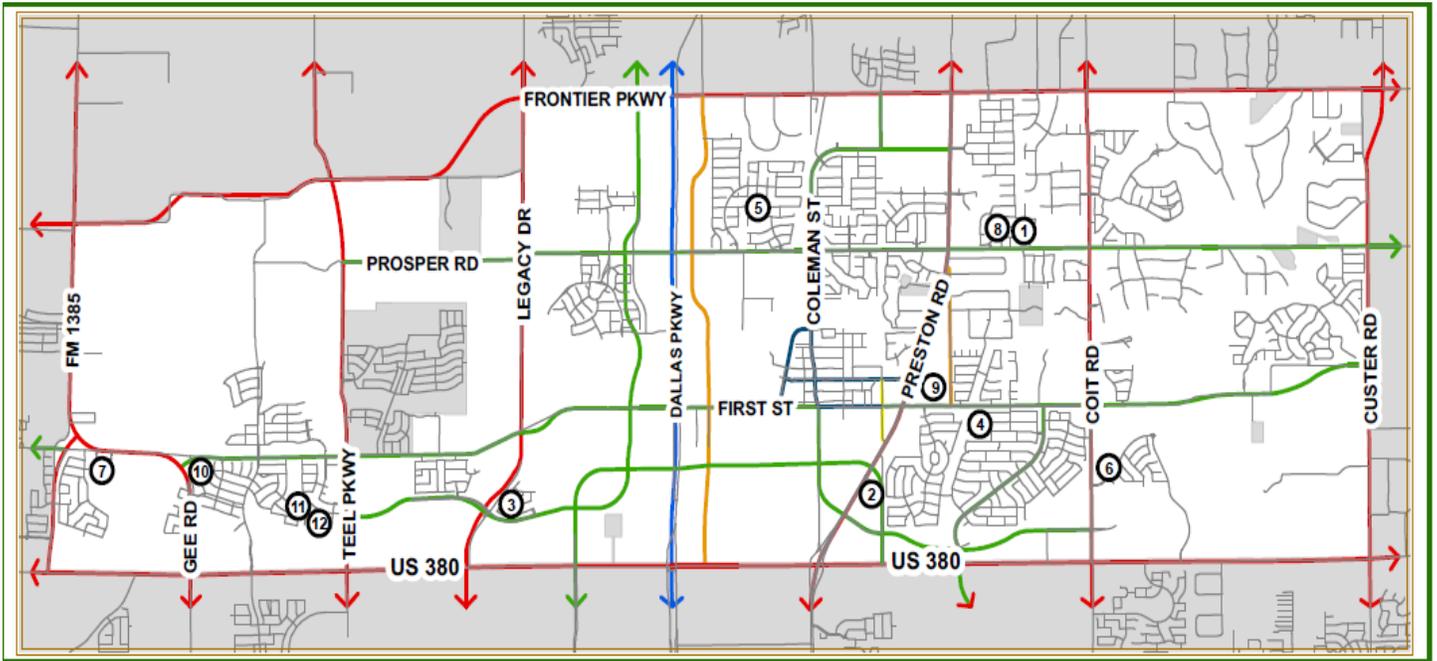
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PARK DEVELOPMENT

Park Improvement Projects Under Construction



- 1 Falls of Prosper Trail, Phase 1**
Hike and Bike Trail
- 2 Gates of Prosper, Phase 1**
Hike and Bike Trail
- 3 Hills at Legacy**
Hike and Bike Trail
- 4 Lakes of La Cima**
Hike and Bike Trail
- 5 Lakes of Prosper**
Hike and Bike Trail in ATMOS easement (COMPLETED 10/21/2016)
- 6 Lakewood, Phase 1**
Hike and Bike Trail
- 7 Preserve at Doe Creek, Phase 1**
Hike and Bike Trail
(COMPLETED 11/4/2016)
- 8 Preston Lakes on Prosper Trail, Phase 1, Hike and Bike Trail**
COMPLETED 10/28/2016
- 9 Prosper Town Center Memory Care, Hike and Bike Trail**
- 10 Windsong Ranch, Phase 1D**
Hike and Bike Trail
- 11 Windsong Ranch, Phase 2D-1**
Windsong Neighborhood Park
- 12 Windsong Ranch, Phase 2D-1**
Hike and Bike Trail
COMPLETED 11/1/2016

Frontier Park North Field Improvements

Construction documents are 99% complete. The latest, approved design includes providing a 3-plex softball/baseball complex, a concession stand, two-multi-purpose fields, hike and bike trail, bull pens, lacrosse wall and a pavilion. The latest approved budget amount for the project is \$10,451,225. A construction agreement with Hellas

Construction Inc. is anticipated to be approved early November 2016 for the turn-key design/build for the artificial turf of Frontier Park North. The CMAR is estimated to give a Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) in early December for Town Council, with construction to begin soon after. A ground-breaking ceremony is being discussed for early 2017.



Non-Urban Texas Parks & Wildlife Grant

On March 24, 2016, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission notified the Town that its grant request in the amount of \$500,000 to assist in the development of Frontier Park North had been approved. The project is to be funded through the Federal Land & Water Conservation Fund (LWCF). All grant-assisted sites must be dedicated as parkland in perpetuity, properly maintained, and open to the public. The project will add amenities to the existing Frontier Park at 1551 Frontier Parkway such as lighted sports fields, a covered group pavilion for community gatherings, a hike and bike trail, and additional parking. Blais & Associates has been hired to assist with the management of the grant. Plans have been approved by Texas Parks and Wildlife and are ready for bidding.

Preston Lakes Park

The Bid Opening for the Preston Lakes Park Playground project was held October 21, 2016. The Town received three bids from American Parks Company (\$102,960), Schmoldt Construction, Inc. (\$140,700), and North Rock Construction, LLC. (\$144,934). The low bid, American Park Company, was \$12,960 over the original budget of \$90,000. To bring the project back within budget, it was decided to provide and install the benches, trash receptacle, and playground surfacing using the Park Operations Staff. This brought the adjusted bid to \$77,578 (American Parks Company). This Bid Item will be brought to Town Council on November 8, 2016.



PARK OPERATIONS

All Park Properties

Completed pre-emergent on all properties; adjusted all irrigation down for autumn.

Cockrell Property

Located and applied parking material; mowed pasture.

Coit Road

Removed Weeping Love grasses from crosswalk.

Frontier Park

Purchase lawn vacuum for ballfield crew; continued improving West side creek line.

General

Fertilized all crapes/yuccas in all medians (14-14-14); added new GL codes for 'Irrigation', 'Chemical/Fertilizer' and 'Ball Field Maintenance' (pulled money from 'Repairs/Maintenance'); moved furniture for Utility Billing; posted for two vacant Maintenance Crew positions; treated for ants and placed out rat bait on all properties; trimmed Vitek trees on Prosper Trail, Coit and First Street.

Main Street Park

Removed basketball goals.

Prosper Trail

Removed Weeping Love grasses from medians; planted Hamlin grasses; removed/replaced drip irrigation in those locations; began replacement of plant materials that are dead.

Reynolds

Repaired tennis courts lights.

Whispering Farms

Re-painted fence; cleaned area to add drainage/erosion control; removed roof from gazebo.

RECREATION SERVICES

Annual Mayor's Luncheon

Forty-one people attended the Mayor's Luncheon for Active Adults (ages 50+) on October 19, 2016, from 11:30am to 1:00pm, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints on Coit. Mayor Smith gave an update on Town happenings and all enjoyed lunch.



Archery

Fall classes ended October 20, 2016. For this session, Archery I and Archery II were combined. Class was held 4:15 - 5:00pm, with nine students registered.



Cedarbrook PumpkinFest

Staff worked Cedarbrook Media Group's PumpkinFest on October 22, 2016. Town provided the location, as well as five staff members (four Parks crew and one from Recreation). Staff kept trash picked up, helped with parking control, hosted pumpkin decorating and kept the restrooms clean. Approximately 200-300 residents attended.



DDP Yoga

Classes continue at Frontier Park on Tuesday and Thursday from 9:30 - 10:30am.

Fall Adult Softball

The season began September 8, 2016, with seven teams. Originally scheduled to end October 27, 2016, games were postponed due to rain.

Stroller Strides (FIT4MOM)

FIT4MOM classes continue at Frontier Park on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:30 - 10:30am, with 11 participants plus their children. The new Body Back 6-week session runs from September 20 through October 27, 2016, on Tuesday and Thursday from 9:15 - 10:15am. The class has three students and meets at the southwest corner of Frontier Park.

Tennis Programs

Fall tennis classes started September 7, 2016, and runs for three sessions: September 7 - October 7; October 10 - November 11; and November 16 - December 14. October classes had 31 students.