General Development Plan

McGonigle Canyon Neighborhood Park

Park & Recreation Board

March 18, 2021





- Introductions
- Site Analysis
- Community Feedback Summary
- Draft General Development Plan (GDP)
- Questions

AGENDA



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City of San Diego Parks & Recreation Dept.

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Site Analysis



PROJECT CONTEXT



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What We Heard



GDP PROCESS



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General Development Plan (GDP)

PHR Community Recreation Group (CRG)

- CRG Meeting #1 Sept. 8, 2020
 - Introduction and Park Visioning
- CRG Meeting #2 **November 10, 2020**
 - Schematic Design Alternatives
 - Collect Feedback
- CRG Meeting #3 January 12, 2021
 - Draft GDP Presentation
 - Collect Feedback & CRG Action

WHAT WE HEARD

Workshop #1 – Sept. 8, 2020

GDP Feedback

- 1. Comfort Station (79%)
- 2. Children's Playground (72%)
- 3. Hardcourts (69%)
- 4. Multi-purpose Turf Area (63%)
- 5. Active Recreation Field (59%)
- 6. Picnic Pavilion (58%)
- 7. Walking/Jogging Loop (54%)
- 8. Off Leash Dog Run (22%)
- 9. Canyon Interpretive & Educational (17%)10.Exercise Stations (16%)11.Skate Plaza (13%)

% = percentage of community members ranking amenity as a high priority.

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1. Comfort station/restroom (#1)





1. Hardcourt(s)

High	69%
Medium	13%
Low	18%

1. Multi-purpose turf area (open grass)



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* Prior Community Survey

- 1. Public Bathrooms (4.2)
- 2. Walking Loop (4.0)
- 3. Shaded Playground (4.0)
- 4. Tennis/Pickleball (3.8)
- 5. Passive Use Grass (3.8)
- 6. Outdoor Party Pavilion (3.4)
- 7. Basketball (3.3)
- 8. Dog Park (2.4)

* Independent survey conducted by Karen Dubey prior to GDP process.

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Workshop #2 – Nov. 10, 2020

Concept A



Concept B



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Workshop #2 – Nov. 10, 2020

Feedback Themes

- Preference for "Canyon & Coast" Concept.
- 2. Request for additional tennis.
- 3. Concern over the amount of parking in the park.
- 4. More shade on the playgrounds.
- 5. More seating and picnic options in the park.



Draft General Development Plan









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Pedestrian Circulation and Loop Path







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Scenic Overlook & Interpretive Opportunity





Existing View into Park Site



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Swale and Water Quality



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On-Street Parking



Parking for +/- 17 parallel stalls on-street

Convert Eastbound Class II Bike Lane to Class III Bike Lane

Add ADA ramps and cross walks

Bulb outs or similar traffic calming measures

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Sloped Lawn at Comfort Station











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Children's Playground – Rubber and Sand Surfacing





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Slope Play



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Shaded Play Structures





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Rope Structure





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Natural Play – Boulder "Nests"



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Side Elevation







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Flexible Multi-Purpose Grass







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Youth Infield and Backstop (200' foul line) – Non-Lighted





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Two Lighted Tennis Courts





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Two Lighted Pickleball Courts





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Full Size Basketball Court





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Shaded Picnic Area







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Arbutus x Marina Arbutus x 'Marina'

TREES



Australian Willow Geljera parvitiora



Coast Live Oak Quercus agrifolia

Brisbane Box Tree Lophostemon confertus



Forest Pansy Cercis canadensis



Desert Willow Chilopsis linearis



Torrey Pine Pinus torreyana

SHRUBS/GROUNDCOVER



Galvezia spp.



Agave Agave spp.



Toyon Heteromeles arbutifolia



Coyote Brush Baccharls pilularis 'pigeon point'



Coffeeberry Rhamnus californica 'Eve Case'



Grevillea Grevillea spp.





Autumn Moor Grass Sesleria autumnalis



Lantana White Lightin'

Tipu Tipuana tipu



San Diego Sunflower Vigulera lancinata





Coast Rosemary Westringia fruticosa



Sand Dune Sedge Carex pansa



Orchid Rockrose Cistus x purpureus

Pine Muhley Muhlenbergla dubla

Red Flowering Gum



Questions & Discussion

