

JOLLYMAN PARK



1000 SOUTH STELLING ROAD, NEAR CARRIAGE CIRCLE



Description

Constructed in the early 1990's, this 11.2-acre park offers soccer play, baseball field with batting cage, 2 playground areas, a basketball hoop, turf areas, family picnic areas with barbecues, restrooms and a walking loop.

FOCUS

Neighborhood and community hub for sports, recreation programs and activities.

RECENT/PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS

Accessibility upgrades were added in 2018 at the north playground plus a walkway to the south playground from Stelling Road. A drinking fountain with water bottle filler was also added in 2018. An inclusive playground project is being proposed in association with a recent grant award. Benches were recently added, the fence at Stelling Road entry replaced and extended, and trees planted in the southwest part of the site.

SITE ENHANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Short Term

- Pursue adding an all-inclusive play area, grouped seating, a picnic shelter, continuous all-weather loop path (that includes the east part of the park), and neighborhood-serving event utilities and infrastructure.
- Sustain existing uses.
- Respond to community request for trial off-leash dog area.

Longer Term

- Consider additional diverse amenities, such as outdoor fitness equipment/parcourse or a full-size basketball court.
- Provide connections to bikeway improvements on Stelling Rd.
- Consider for location of development of major new facilities.

LINDA VISTA PARK



11111 LINDA VISTA DRIVE, NEAR COLUMBUS AVENUE



Description

This 11-acre park site includes a reservable large group picnic/barbecue area, two playground areas (pre-school and elementary), a fitness station, restrooms, and an extensive turf area. It was acquired in 1968 and renovated to its current configuration in 1986.

FOCUS

Neighborhood and community hub for picnicking and nature-based recreation.

RECENT/PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS

No currently planned improvements.

SITE ENHANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Short Term

- Select design concept to repair or repurpose the inactive ponds. Sustain existing uses.

Longer Term

- Repair or renovate the ponds (per 2014 technical report).
- Consider adding neighborhood-serving event utilities and infrastructure, a picnic shelter or pavilion, a destination nature play and/or water play area, and diverse recreation elements, potentially including adventure and challenge elements.
- Consider a community garden or demonstration, healing or rain garden.
- Provide trailhead amenities and connections to the proposed off-street trail. Consider installing outdoor exercise equipment in addition to, or as replacement for, existing parcourse equipment.