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MOULTON PARK & PLAYGROUND REDEVELOPMENT – PROJECT PROGRESS REPORT

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History...

2018 – Division of Recreation hires consultant to perform Community Outreach Survey and Public Input Sessions/Forums geared at assessing the community’s wants/needs specific to Recreation. Final report identifies the development of a “Central Playground” somewhere in town as a priority.

2019 – Recreation Town-Wide Master Plan is completed and the redevelopment of Moulton Park and Playground is highlighted as a priority item.

February 2020 – Park Commission reviews the Recreation Town-Wide Master Plan and commit to prioritizing various projects including the renovation of Moulton Park & Playground, to include a “Central Playground”, based on planning efforts performed in both 2018 and 2019.

March 2020 – Covid strikes. All projects put on hold with the exception of the Centennial Beach Renovation Project.

Spring/Summer 2021 – Division of Recreation explores potential funding sources to complete project design and identifies use of Community Preservation Funds (CPC), as the most probable funding source.

Fall 2021 – Town allocated ARPA funds identified as an alternative funding source for design (in lieu of CPC funds).

March 2022 – Park Commission – Division of Recreation submits request to the Executive Assistant and Select Board for use of Town ARPA funds to complete two projects, one of which is the redevelopment of Moulton Park & Playground (Design Phase).

April 2022 – ARPA funding request approved.

Spring 2022-Fall 2024 – Division of Recreation having secured design funds to support the project, shifts focus to completing other projects in town, including the installation of playgrounds at both Riverside and Wood Park.

October 2024

Town solicits design consultants/firms to complete Moulton Park and Playground Redevelopment Project – Design Phase.

January 2025

Town hires Copley Wolff (CW) to serve as the Design Consultant/Firm.

CW meets with town staff to review project scope and begin developing various schematic site layouts based on the previously completed Recreation Town-Wide Master Plan.

February 2025

CW hosts public input session on February 12, 2025 at the Quinn Middle School. During this meeting various schematic site layout options are presented, boards are displayed and attendees provide initial feedback. For a copy (pdf) of the presentation, please [CLICK HERE](#)

February-March 2025

CW solicits additional project feedback via an online survey. Survey available online through March 9, 2025. [CLICK HERE](#) for survey.

Next Steps...

CW to meet with the Park Commission on Tuesday, March 25, 2025 at 6:00pm at the Community Meeting Room – Hudson Police Station to present updated schematic plan and solicit additional public input. All are welcome to attend and encourage to participate during this in-person public meeting.