WELCOME TO THE 2ND PUBLIC MEETING!

AGENDA:

0. RECAP OF ANALYSIS FROM MEETING #1
1. REVIEW THE THREE ASSEMBLED CONCEPTS
2. RESPOND WITH FEEDBACK ON WHAT IS LIKED/PREFERRED
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PLANNING PROCESS

- **Master Plan Process Initiated**
  - Consultant hired
  - Spring 2023

- **First Public Meeting**
  - Gather ideas/vision
  - July 12th, 2023

- **Concept Design**
  - Develop concepts
  - August-October

- **Second Public Meeting**
  - Present design concepts
  - November 2023 (Today!)

- **Final Master Plan**
  - Release online
  - December, 2023

- **Future Phases**
  - Fund raising final design construction

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SURROUNDING RECREATIONAL AMENITIES

- **DAKOTA VALLEY PARK**
  - Joint use with Cherry Creek School District Elementary School
  - Athletic Fields

- **TALLGRASS PARK**
  - Playground
  - Shelter
  - Sledding Hill
  - Soccer Field
  - Basketball Court
  - Disc Golf

- **SPRING CREEK PARK**
  - Playground
  - Shelter
  - Baseball Fields
  - Football Field
  - Basketball Court
  - Nature Education

- **WILLOW TRACE PARK**
  - Playground
  - Shelter
  - Basketball Court

- **FOX HILL PARK**
  - Playground
  - Shelter
  - Basketball Court

- **GEOLgy PARK**
  - Playground
  - Nature Education

- **LOOKOUT PARK & POOL**
  - Lap and Leisure Pool
  - Shelter
  - Overlook

- **THE TRAILS RECREATION CENTER**
  - Skate Park Features
  - Courts
  - Fitness and Climbing Gym
  - Lap and Leisure Pools + Lazy River
  - Hot Tub, Steam Room, Sauna
  - Youth Programs: Art, Theater, Dance, Cooking, Camps, Travel

- **COTTONWOOD ECOLOGICAL PARK**
  - Nature Education
  - Art Installation

- **COTTONWOOD BARK PARK**
  - Dog Park

- **TALLGRASS PARK**
  - Playground
  - Shelter
  - Soccer Field
  - Basketball Court

- **COUNTRY PARK TRAILHEAD (FUTURE)**
  - Shelter
  - Connection to E-470 Trail

- **OAK PARK AT COPPERLEAF**
  - Playground
  - Shelter

- **ARBORETUM POOL & CLUBHOUSE**
  - Playground
  - Shelter
  - Sports Court
  - Garden, Pool
  - Splash Garden

- **WESTERN PARK**
  - Playground
  - Shelter

- **COTTONWOOD ECOLOGICAL PARK**
  - Nature Education
  - Art Installation

- **EAGLE CREST HIGH SCHOOL**
  - Tennis Courts
  - Athletic Fields

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  - Skate Park Features
  - Courts
  - Fitness and Climbing Gym
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VEGETATION & LANDSCAPE FEATURES

Legend
- Site
- Property Line
- Potential Future Development
- Riparian Zone
- Drainage Basins
- Upland - High Quality Short Grass Prairie
- Existing Trees
- Creek
- Drainage Flows
- Surface Flows
- High Point

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SITE IMAGERY
SURVEY RESULTS

As a part of APRD’s master planning effort for a new neighborhood park in the Copperleaf neighborhood, a first public meeting highlighted the opportunities, constraints, and related resources available to the project site located at the corner of S. Picadilly St. and E. Radcliffe Pkwy. (Please see the APRD website for information shared in the public meeting). This memo shares the results of the survey shared following the first public meeting. Stay tuned for the second public meeting in the upcoming weeks.

The results of this survey show that of the 199 responders, the typical responder was a parent between the ages of 35-54 (72%), with children under the age of 12 (63%) that lives where they can either see the site from their home or within 6 blocks of the site (86%), and would walk to the park (69%).

The highest ranking typical activities when survey participants go to a park are:
- Playground (45%)
- Exercise (22%)
- Sports (19%)

The three highest character attributes that participants felt that this new neighborhood park should have were (all with a majority of participants selecting these):
- Kids Play Areas (61%)
- Active, Social, Community Gathering Spaces (52%)
- Sports and Fitness Oriented (52%)

Considering specific programming and activities for the site, responders showed their highest interest in the following listed options:
- Walking Paths/Running Loop (65%)
- Playground (62%)
- Picnic Areas/BBQ Grills/Shade Shelters (58%)
- Games (Cornhole, Horseshoes, etc.) (45%)
- Nature Trail (44%)
- Athletic Fields (40%)

Additionally, in the survey, we asked participants to write in and share their thoughts on what other activities and programming they would like to see in the park. Common ideas seen throughout the answers included:

- Parks Mentioned as Inspiration:
  - Cheyenne Arapaho Park
  - Central Park at the Farm
  - Red-Tailed Hawk Park
  - Centennial Park
  - Long’s Pine Grove Park
  - Deputy Zach S. Parrish III Memorial Park
  - Wheatlands Community Park

- Keep Natural
- Safe Connections to Neighborhood
- Shade for Gathering
- Stay Cool
- Pump Track/Biking
- Adult Oriented Not Just Playground
- Splash Pad
- Larger Scale Playground
- Restrooms
- Basketball/Multi-Use Courts
- Older Kid Play
- New, Engaging Playground
- Teen Activities

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PUBLIC MEETINGS
The public will have the opportunity to ask questions at the public meetings and engage directly with the project team and presentation content.

PUBLIC OPINION SURVEYS
Survey data will be collected following both public meetings. Results will be combined with feedback during the meetings.

ONLINE FEEDBACK ON DRAFT MASTER PLAN
Online feedback pertaining to the draft master plan will contribute to the creation of the master plan.
POTENTIAL PARK CONCEPTS

CONSIDER WHAT ASPECTS YOU LIKE ABOUT:

1. LAYOUT (LOCATION OF PARK ELEMENTS)
2. ACTIVITIES / ELEMENTS / AMENITIES
3. DESIGN FOCUS / THEME
CONCEPT 1: COMMUNITY HUB

Legend
- Property Line
- Community Hub - Core Area
- Turf Grass
- Stage and Event Lawn
- Play Area
- Splash Pad
- Social Plaza/Hangout Space
- Courts/Games
- Bike Course
- Nature Paths
- Bridge
- Restrooms
- Picnic Shelter
- Parking

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CONCEPT 2: PLAY FOCUS

Legend
- Property Line
- Turf Grass
- Play Focus - Core Area
- Play Area
- Splash Pad
- Social Plaza/Hangout Space
- Courts/Games
- Bridge
- Restrooms
- Picnic Shelter
- Parking

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SPLASH PAD
LAWN GAMES
SPLASH PAD
SPORTS FIELDS (U-12 SOCCER, SOFTBALL DIAMOND)
CONCEPT 2: PLAY FOCUS

Legend
- Property Line
- Turf Grass
- Restored Riparian Ecosystem
- Preserved Short-Grass Prairie
- Foothills Pines Grove
- Existing Detention Basin
- Primary Concrete Paths
- Nature Paths
- Bridge
- Potential Connections
- Parking

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CONCEPT 3: NATURE & TRAILS

- Bridge Connection
- Shaded Seating Node (Typical)
- Creekside Boulder Seating
- Adventure Play Path
- Basketball Courts
- Shelter (Typical)
- Boardwalk Crossing
- Extensive Nature Paths
- Fitness Circuit
- Trail Connection Opportunity
- Shaded Seating Node

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WHAT DID YOU LIKE FROM THESE CONCEPTS FOR THE PARK?

Consider Activities:
What amenities are you most excited about?
What amenities compliment each other?
What sort of theme is important to you? Nature? Play? Social?

Consider Layouts:
Where do you want parking? On the edge or more centrally?
Have programming along the creek or keep natural buffer?
Do you want amenities spread out or more centralized?

New APRD Neighborhood Park - Public Meeting #2 Survey
https://forms.office.com/r/G24GvWNwnB
PLANNING PROCESS: NEXT STEPS

- **MASTER PLAN PROCESS INITIATED**
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**CURRENT PROJECT**
- **SPRING 2023**
- **JULY 12TH, 2023**
- **AUGUST-OCTOBER**
- **NOVEMBER, 2023**

**FUTURE**
- **DECEMBER, 2023**
  - **NEXT!**
This presentation and the survey will be posted on the APRD website.

*Thank you for your participation!*

**FINAL QUESTIONS?**