



Floral Park – Proposed Amenity Modification

Santa Cruz County Parks
Department
Parks Commission Meeting
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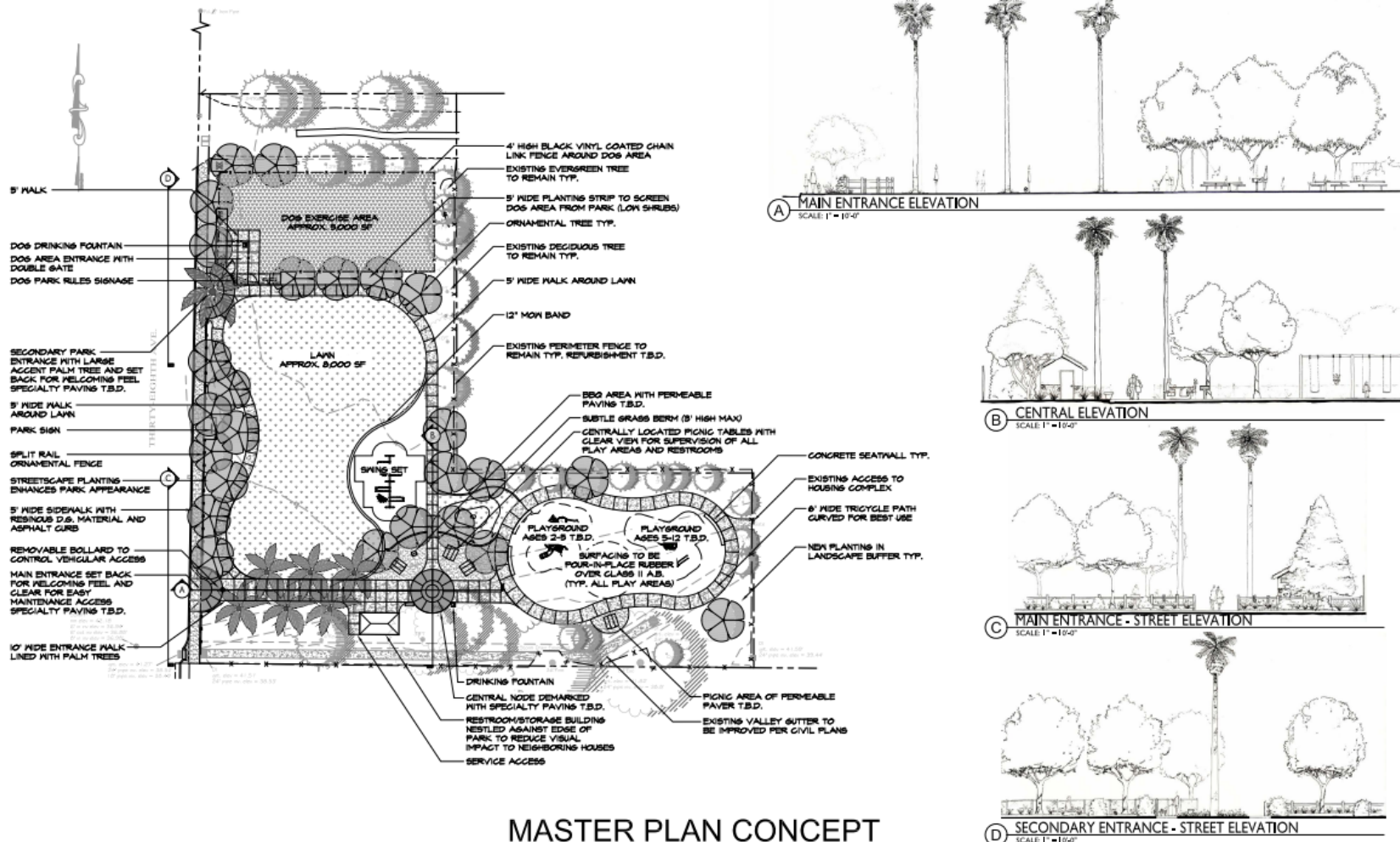
Discussion Overview

- Project background and planning history
- Overview of approved master plan concept
- Description of proposed amenity modification
- Summary of community outreach and feedback
- Commission discussion and direction

Floral Park Timeline (Key Milestones)

- **1973–1990:** Park dedication, planning, and initial construction of park
- **2007–2009:** Concept plan and development permit approval updated by RDA; Parks Commission and Board of Supervisors Approves of Master Plan Concept
- **2010–2024:** Plan modifications made towards final Master Plan; dissolution of RDA (2012); and phased improvements including new playground and play surfacing in 2024
- **2025:** New concepts for additional park renovations presented and community meeting held

Approved Master Plan Concept – Floral Park



Option 1A

- Co-locates active park uses by adding a **half basketball court** along the southern edge.
- Preserves as much **unprogrammed open turf** as possible.

Benchmark:

Elevations for this map are based on Santa Cruz Co. Benchmark #1 (3) - 6800 ft. at a 12' contour interval. Located 45°W of C&G of 41st Ave. at 11°2'N of C&G of R.R. tracks.
Elev. = 62.00 (NGVD 29)

Legend:

- Light Post
- Trees, use 4 type codes
- Single Post Sign
- Double Post Sign
- Irrigation Control Valve
- Drain Inlet
- Fountain monument, as noted
- Water Valve

Distances Expressed in Feet and Decimals Thereof

GRAPHIC SCALE

1" = 30' ft.

Proposed Replacement: Half Court Basketball Court

Replace dog park active recreation amenity (~5K SF) with a half-court basketball court active recreation amenity (~5K SF) in Floral Park Master Plan Concept Design

- No expansion of park boundaries
- No new major structures or circulation changes
- Maintains neighborhood-scale recreation
- Consistent with neighborhood park purpose
- Similar scale and intensity of use
- No material change to environmental assumptions

Community Outreach

- Community Meeting – November 5, 2025
- Digital Survey
- Parks Commission Meeting – December 8, 2025

Commission Considerations

- Consider replacement of conceptual dog park amenity with half-court basketball court
- Evaluate whether a half-court basketball court is an appropriate addition to the park

Questions?

Thank You