

Raymond S. Kimbell Playground Renovation

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2008 Clean & Safe Neighborhood Parks Bond

Project Description:

The project scope will include the replacement of the restroom facilities, the children's play area, and lawns; restoration of pathways; upgrade to the infrastructure including lighting and irrigation, modifications to the site to remove barriers and improve accessibility, and overall reconditioning of the park landscape.

Project Budget: \$3,300,000



The 2008 Clean and Safe Neighborhood Parks Bond will:

- Fix and improve park restrooms citywide
- Eliminate serious earthquake safety risk in neighborhood and waterfront park facilities
- Renovate parks and playgrounds in poor physical condition
- · Replace dilapidated playfields
- Restore the health of the park's urban forest, planting new trees
- Repair nature trail systems in the city's parks
- · Attracting matching community and philanthropic support



Existing Site & Neighborhood Context

Gateway High School

Bleachers

Entry Plaza

Playground

Maxine Hall Center

Clubhouse



Meadow

Pathway System

Maintenance Storage

New Fields (renovated 2010)

Newly Renovated Landscape Perimeter

Red: Remove and Replaced

Yellow: Phased Removal





Design Goals

- 1 Relocate playground
- Replace playground with basketball/fitness area
- Replace clubhouse bathroom & storage bldg.
- Repair sidewalk/ curbs, as required
- 5 Install curb ramps
- Provide accessible seating at bleachers
- Renovate lawn and irrigation
- Renovate internal pathways
- 9 Improve pathway lighting



Existing Conditions/ Issues



External Restrooms (N. View)



Replace Clubhouse (West View)

- Restrooms
- Storage
- · Eliminate Loitering/ Sleeping
- Eliminate Debris/ Garbage Dump



Tot Play Structures (West View)



Older Play Structures (West View) Renovate Playground

Abate CCA



Existing Conditions/ Issues



Improve Entry Plaza (N. View)

- New Seating
- Enhance Planting
- Maintain New Art / Mural



Meadow Looking West

- Discourage Active Ground Sport Play
- Remove Stumps



Bleachers North View)

- Provide Accessible Seating
- Comply with ADA Code



Meadow Looking East

- Improve Drainage
- Repair Irrigation



Existing Conditions/ Issues



Pathway/ Tree Roots

- Reconfigure Pathway
- · Add Internal Loop Path



Install Curb Ramps (Pierce/ Ellis)

• Comply with ADA Code



Repair/ Relocate Lights



Berm along Geary Blvd
• Buffers Traffic and Noise



Sidewalk Repair (Geary St.)

• Safety Improvements

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Site Plan



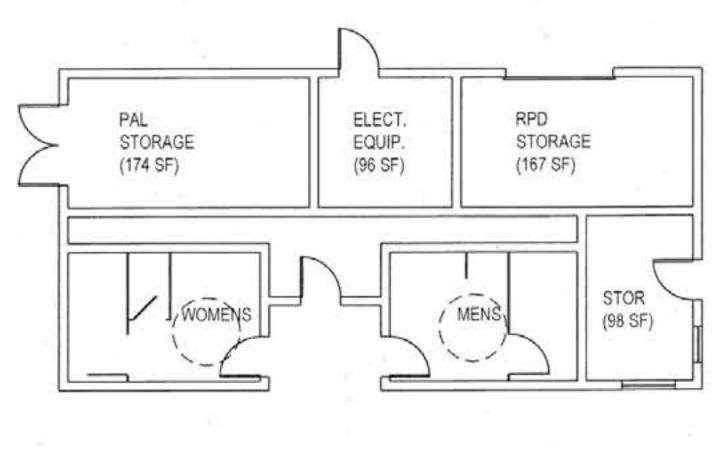
Restroom Structure Concept

(Sample of Styles / Finishes)



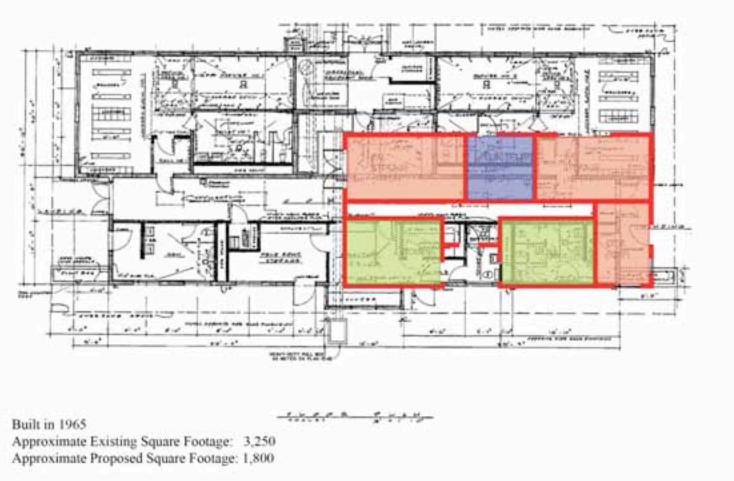


Proposed Restroom Floor Plan





New restroom and storage building footprint overlain on existing footprint





Existing Storage Structure – Alternate Roof Shingle Option





Playground Concept Plan





School Age Play Structure





School Age Equipment Options







(Option Only)



Pre-School Age Equipment









Climbing Boulders









Swing Equipment





Site Furnishings





Exercise Equipment

(Samples Only)









Basketball Court / Independent Play Pieces









Project Schedule / Next Steps

• Civic Design Phase I: Jan 2012

• Recreation & Parks Commission Approval : Feb 2012

• Construction Documents: Feb 2012 – June 2012

Bid & Award : July 2012 – Oct 2012

Construction: Nov 2013 – June 2013



