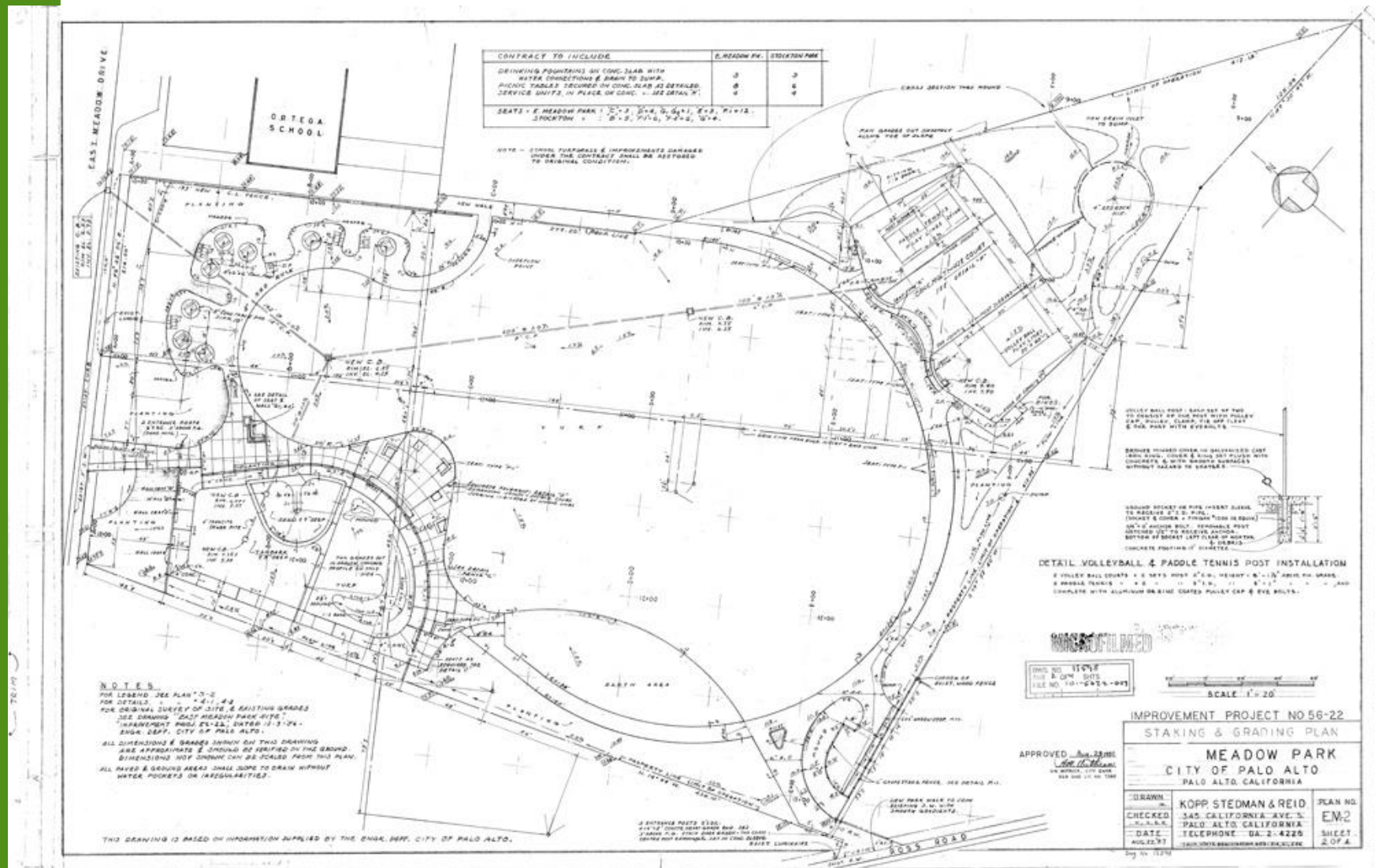


# Ramos Park Renovation Project

Community Meeting #2

August 13, 2020

# Historic Ramos Park





# Existing Ramos Park





# Existing Playground



# **Capital Improvement Project**

## **PG – 14000 Ramos Park Renovation Project** **Total Funding: \$271,000**

### **Renovations Include:**

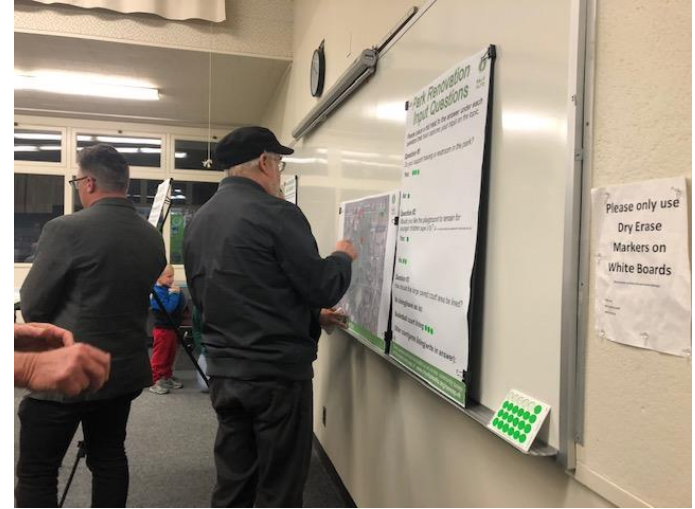
- **Replace Existing Playground Equipment**
- **Replace Site Amenities: Trash receptacles and drinking fountain**
- **ADA Improvements**
- **Renovation of the Existing Paved Court**

## **PG-19000 Park Restroom Installation** **Total Funding: \$350,000**

**Install a new restroom at park location every other year**



# Community Meeting #1



Park Renovation Input Questions	Park Renovation Input Questions
Please place a dot next to the answer that best captures your input on the topic.	Please place a dot next to the answer that best captures your input on the topic.
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# Community Meeting Survey Results

**Question #1:** Do you support having a restroom in the park?

**Yes:** 21 votes

**No:** 4 votes

**Question #2:** The existing playground features equipment for children of younger ages (2-5) only. Would you support having a mix of playground equipment for both younger (2-5) and older children (6-12).

**Maintain Playground for younger children only (2-5):** 8 votes

**Add a mix of playground equipment for both younger children (2-5) and older children (6-12):** 14 votes

**Question #3:** How should the large paved court area be striped?

**No stripping:** 0 votes

**Basketball court striping:** 19 votes

**Other:** 0 votes

# Community Meeting Survey Results

**Question #4:** What Location would you like to see the restroom installed?





# On-Line Survey

**Presented the same questions that were voted on at the community meeting.**

**As a result of the community meeting four additional questions were added to the survey.**

- 1. Security Lighting**
- 2. Loop Path Connection**
- 3. Native/Habitat Garden**
- 4. Dog Park**

**Survey Duration: 2/3/2020 – 2/28/2020**

**Total Number of Participates: 167**

# On-Line Survey Results

**Question #1:** Do you support having a restroom in the park?

**Yes:** 86 votes (52%)

**No:** 80 votes (48%)

**Question #2:** The existing playground features equipment for children of younger ages (2-5) only. Would you support having a mix of playground equipment for both younger (2-5) and older children (6-12).

**Maintain Playground for younger children only (2-5):** 54 votes (33%)

**Add a mix of playground equipment for both younger children (2-5) and older children (6-12):** 111 votes (67%)

**Question #3:** How should the large paved court area be striped?

**No stripping:** 54 votes (34%)

**Basketball court striping:** 91 votes (57%)

**Other:** 13 votes (8%) – 2 vote tennis, 3 vote half court basketball court only, 2 vote pickle ball, 1 vote to redo the surface, 3 votes to leave as is, 1 vote to add signs to limit play/noise at night, 1 vote walking loop

# On-Line Survey Results Cont.

**Question #4:** Would you support adding one security light post to the center area of the park ? (Low intensity lighting)

**Yes:** 140 votes (84%)

**No:** 26 votes (16%)

**Question #5:** Would you support extending the existing walkway that currently ends in the middle of the park to connect to East Meadow Drive, creating continuous paved loop walking path around the park that doesn't cut through the picnic area?

**Yes:** 128 votes (78%)

**No:** 32 votes (22%)

**Question #6:** Would you support the addition of a native/habitat garden in the park?

**Yes:** 100votes (62%)

**No:** 62 votes (38%)

**Question #7:** Would you support a fenced in dog park area added to the park?

**Yes:** 100 votes (60%)

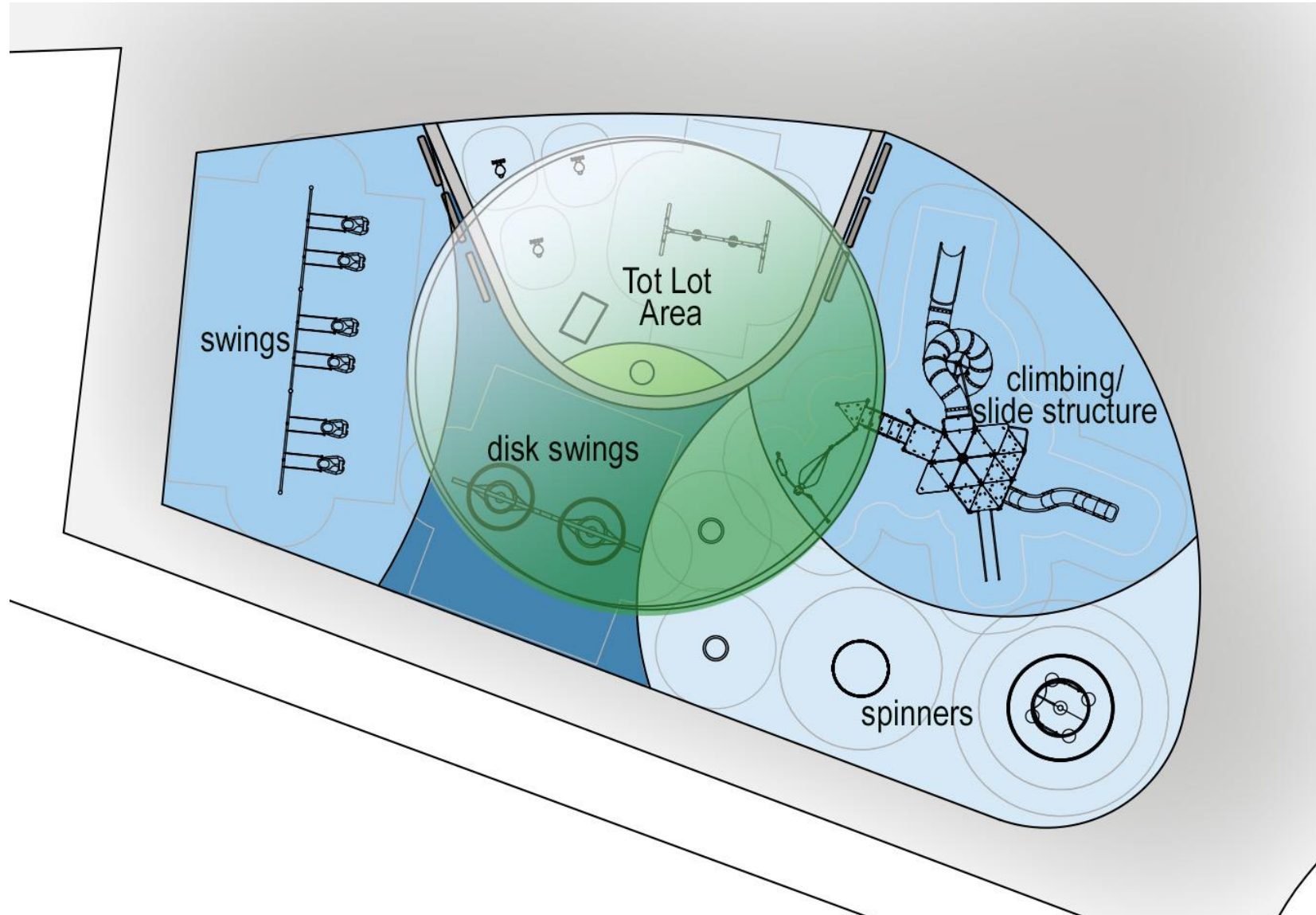
**No:** 67 votes (40%)



# Preliminary Park Layout Plan

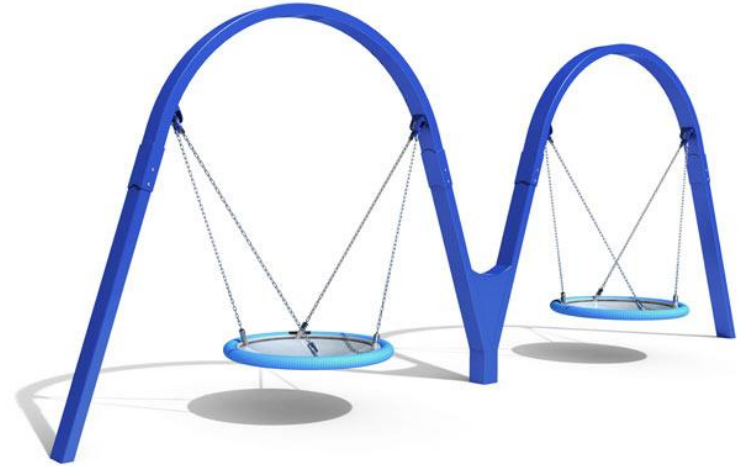


# Preliminary Playground Plan





# Proposed Playground Equipment

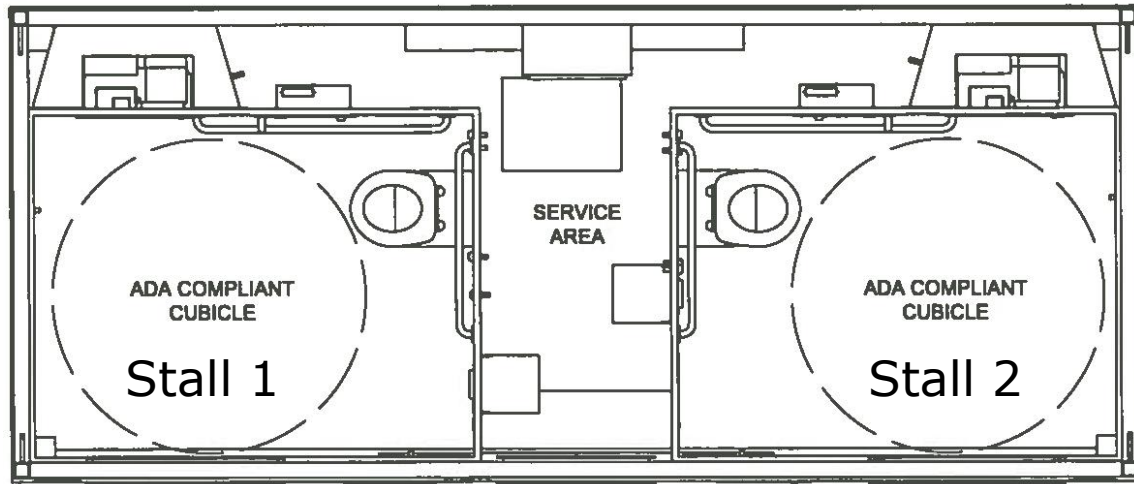




# Proposed Restroom Layout

## Restroom Features

- Two ADA stalls (unisex)
- Easily accessible service area
- Anti graffiti exterior
- Time locks during no field use hours
- Easily cleaned interiors
- Durable stainless steel amenities
- Limited 10 min. door locking option
- Security lighting options (motion)



Restroom Layout



Restroom Exterior

# Why is a Restroom Needed

**Ramos Park contains several community facilities:**

- **Children's Playground**
- **Open Turf Active Play Area – Soccer Field**
- **Open Turf Passive Area - East Side & at Picnic Area**
- **Group Picnic Area**
- **Basketball Court**
- **Walking Paths**
- **Exercise Stations**

# Native Planting





# Project Schedule

- Community Meeting #2 Preliminary Plan Review: Today
- Architecture Review Board Restroom Review #1: August 2020
- Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting #2 Review Final: Summer 2020
- Community Meeting #3 Finalize Park Layout Plan Design **(if Needed)**: September 2020
- PRC Meeting #3 – Adoption of Park Improvement Ordinance (PIO): September/November 2020
- Bid Document Preparation: Winter 2020
- Council to Adopt (PIO) and Approve Contract: Spring 2021
- Project Bidding: Spring 2021
- Construction Begins: Spring/Summer 2021

# Questions & Comments

# Project Status

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# **Ramos Park**

## **Renovation Plan**