CITY OF ARVADA COUNCIL AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET WORKSHOP

Agenda No. 2.B City Council Meeting Date: February 8, 2016

Title: Apex Parks and Recreation District Projects Update

Action Proposed: Workshop

Information about the Project or Request: The purpose of this workshop is to update the City Council on the Apex Parks and Recreation District's capital projects and intention to conduct an election in May 2016 to authorize the issuance of debt in order to finance the projects. The projects that will be presented during the workshop were developed through an outreach process that involved members of the community and several public meetings. It is anticipated that the District will request the City Council to consider a resolution of support for the debt authorization election which would be considered during a future business meeting.

Background

The Apex Parks and Recreation District has conducted several community outreach processes in order to develop facility plans that will meet Arvada's community recreation facility needs well into the future. These processes have been called 2020 Vision and have utilized a citizen's committee and community meetings. The first 2020 Vision process occurred in 2005 followed by an updated process in 2012. The most recent 2020 Vision process occurred in early 2015 and generated a plan that was presented to the City Council during a joint meeting with the Apex Board in May 2015.

On Thursday, January 7, council members McGoff and Allard met with Apex Board members Jeff Glenn and Jim Whitfield as part of the City/Apex Coordinating Committee. The Coordinating Committee received an update on the District's recreation facility capital plan and discussed the debt authorization election which would be necessary to finance the projects. The projects discussed during the meeting are summarized as follows:

- Apex Center Splash Pad \$1,504,087
- Arvada Tennis Center \$5,760,810
- Fitzmorris Park Center/Pool \$4,842,366
- Long Lake Regional Park Improvements \$4,285,000
- Lutz Sports Complex Improvements \$4,310,000
- Secrest Recreation Center Renovation \$7,811,794

Total costs: \$28,514,057

Apex plans to seek voter authorization to issue \$25,000,000 of debt to finance the above projects. As a reminder, the debt authorization does not require a mill levy increase; Apex will have the capacity to issue new debt after they pay the remainder of existing debt in 2017. The debt authorization election is scheduled for May 3, 2016.

The difference between the debt authorization amount and the cost of the projects is \$3,514,057. During the May 2015 joint meeting the City reaffirmed that \$3.1 million had been set aside to address recreation facility needs in south central Arvada. These funds had been set aside in 2012 in response to community concerns associated with the lack of active recreation facilities in the area. In association with that commitment, the City developed a concept for a recreation center and neighborhood pool within Fitzmorris Park and utilizing part of the adjacent elementary school site. Recognizing the recreation facility needs of the area, the City's commitment of funds and the concept plan, the City and Apex agreed to explore joint development of the Fitzmorris facility. This effort has resulted in a commitment by Apex to include the Fitzmorris site in their list of projects. The commitment of the City funds set aside for the Fitzmorris project will make up most of the difference between the projected debt and the cost of the projects.

Therefore, it is important to recognize that the Fitzmorris project is a collaborative effort between Apex and the City in order to address a recognized community need. In association with this collaboration, the City, Apex, Jeffco Public Schools and the Citizens for a Livable Ralston Community (CLRC) are working together in order to develop the project plan. A Public Open House Meeting, co-hosted by the City, Apex and CLRC to discuss the Fitzmorris project, was held on January 26 at Fitzmorris Elementary School. This meeting continued the conversation regarding residents' recreational priorities using past public engagement results and studies.

Apex and their consultant, BRS Architects, presented the building concept and site layout plans in a scale designed to serve neighborhood level demands and an assumption of shared parking with the elementary school in an enlarged parking lot.

The February 8 workshop will provide the City Council with an opportunity to receive an update on the entire list of projects planned by Apex, the collaboration between the City and Apex to plan and develop the Fitzmorris site, and the debt authorization election. Staff anticipates that Apex will request a resolution of support for the debt authorization election.

The attached document summarizes each of the projects, the concept plan and capital project costs.

Next Steps: Based on Council feedback, staff will proceed with preparing a resolution of support for the debt authorization election.

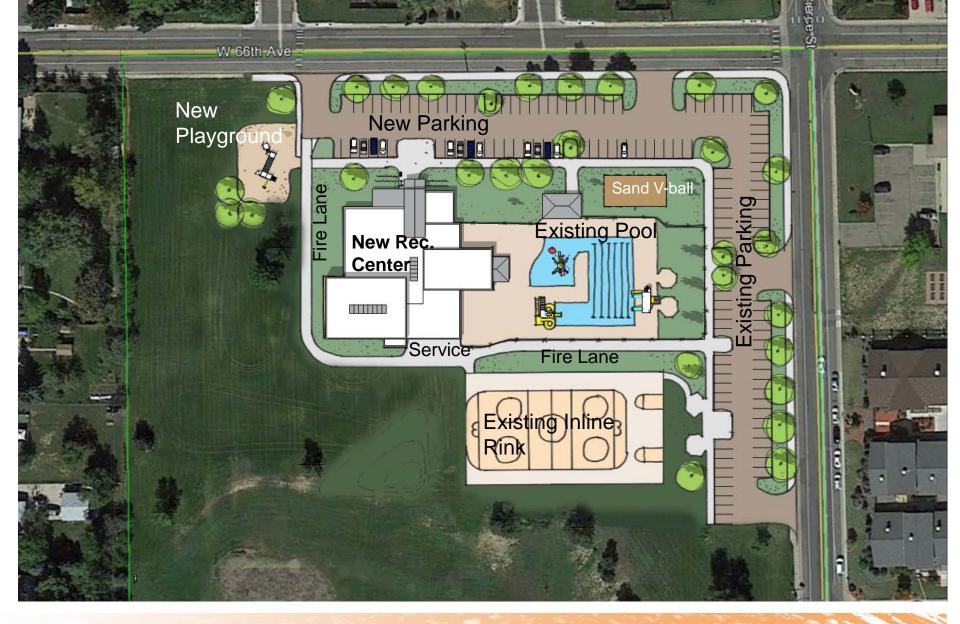


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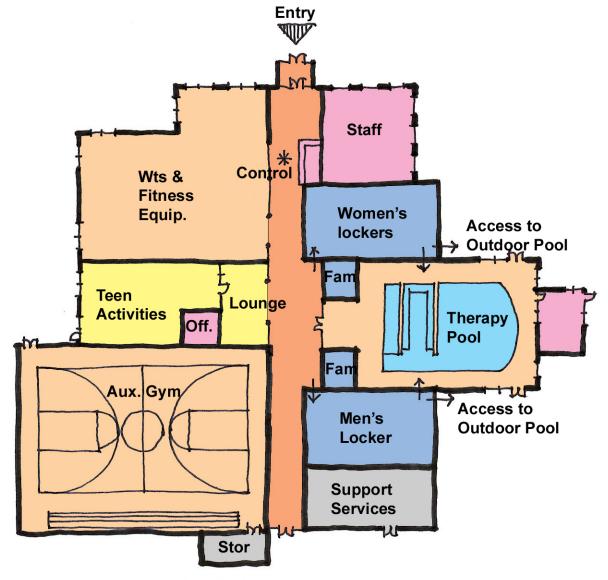
SECREST CENTER











SECREST CENTER REPLACEMENT



Secrest Recreation Center









Project: Secrest Center

Summary: Construct 21K+ sq.ft. replacement recreation center

to include small weight room, community/aerobics area

teen center, small gym, locker rooms, therapy pool

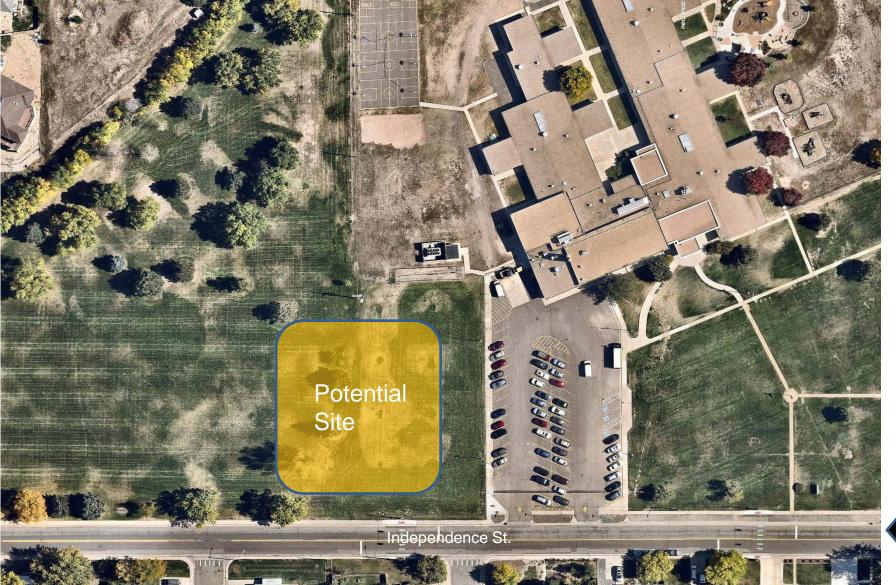
Estimated Cost: Facility construction cost \$5,153,000

architectural, site expenses, development costs \$2,289,806

Total Project \$7,442,806



FIZMORRIS PARK CENTER/POOL



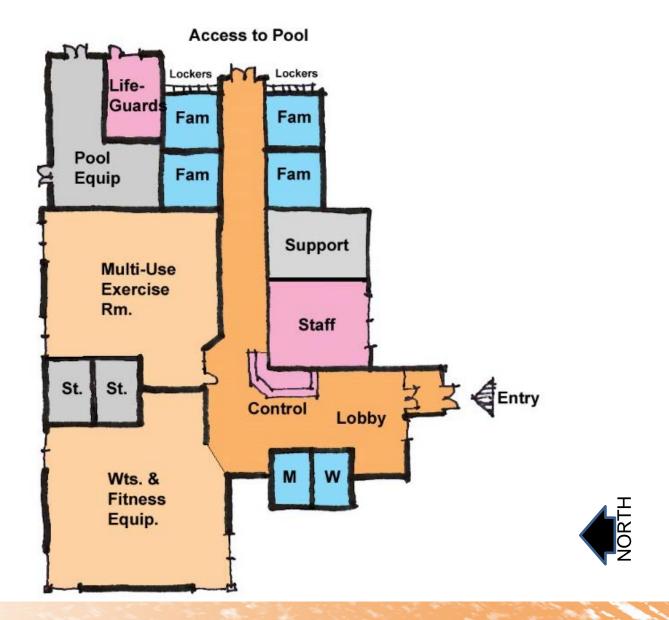








Fitzmorris Park Center/Pool







OPTION ONE – MID-CENTURY MODERN





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OPTION TWO – TRADITIONAL SUBURBAN





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Project: Fitzmorris Park center/pool project estimate

Summary: Construct 8500+ sq.ft. recreation center, 6 lane pool

to include small weight room, community/aerobics area

Estimated Cost: Facility construction cost \$3,249,665

architectural, site construction expenses \$1,646,266

Total Project \$4,895,931



ARVADA TENNIS CENTER

















Project: Arvada Tennis Center

Summary: Renovate 8 outdoor courts with post tension surfaces, new lights, fences

Addition of facility with 4 new indoor courts and

controlled access to all areas of the tennis complex

Estimated Cost: Renovation of existing 8 courts incl. lights, fencing \$550,000

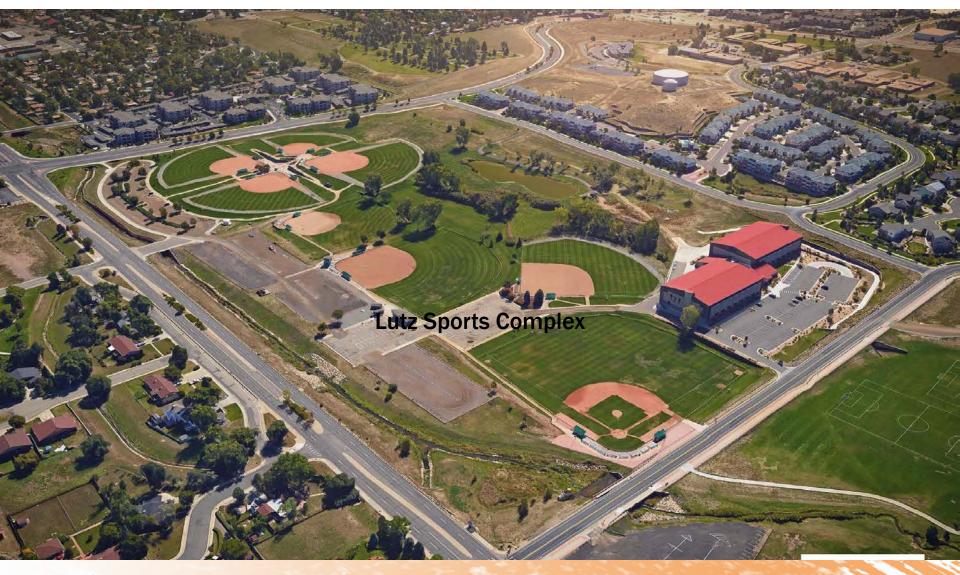
Structure to enclose 4 new courts incl. associated \$5,210,810

construction expenses

Total Project \$5,760,810



SPORIS COMPLEX





Harold D. Lutz Sports Complex PRELIMINARY CONCEPT PLAN









Project:

Lutz Sports Complex Improvements

Summary: Construct a new 4 field baseball/softball pod complex with lighting,

parking, restroom/concession

Estimated Cost: New 4-plex fields only \$2,100,000

Parking Lot \$575,000

Lighting \$210,000

Landscaping \$125,000

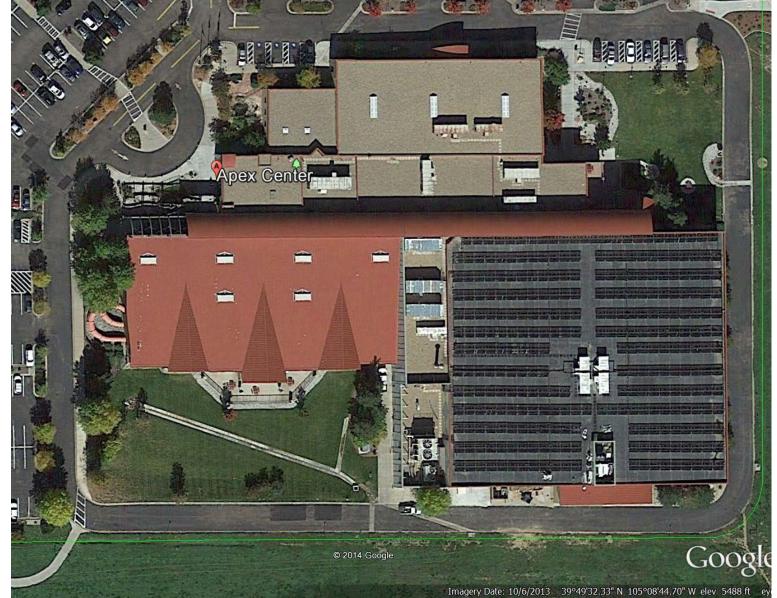
Sub-Total Base Project \$3,010,000

Restroom/Concession Building \$1,300,000

Total Project \$4,310,000



APEX CENTER SPLASH PAD)



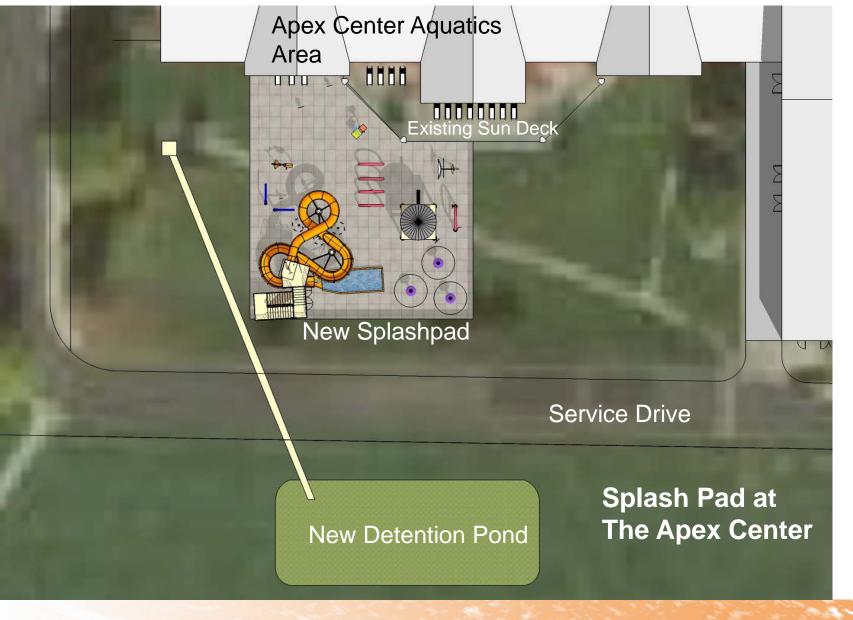




Splash Pad at The Apex Center

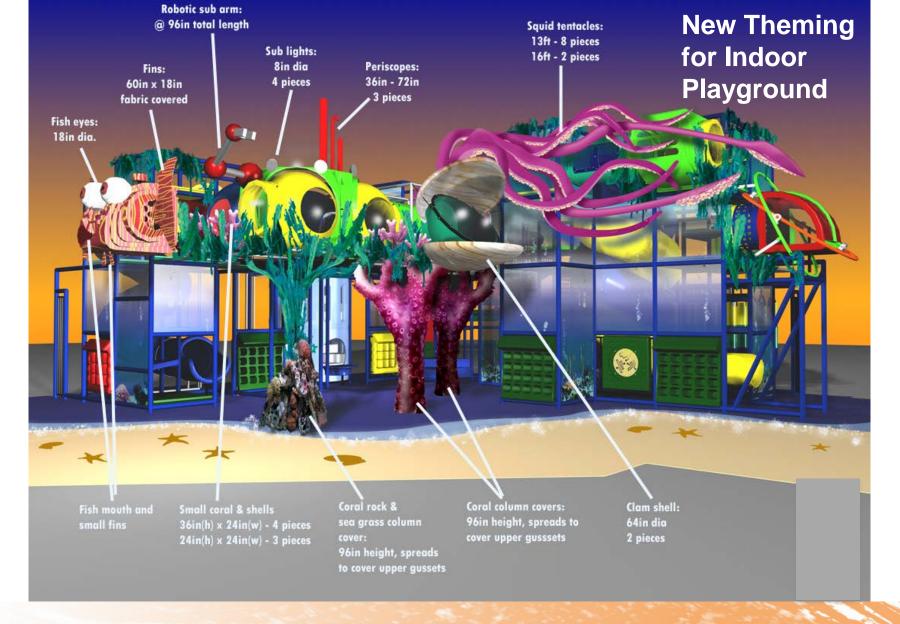












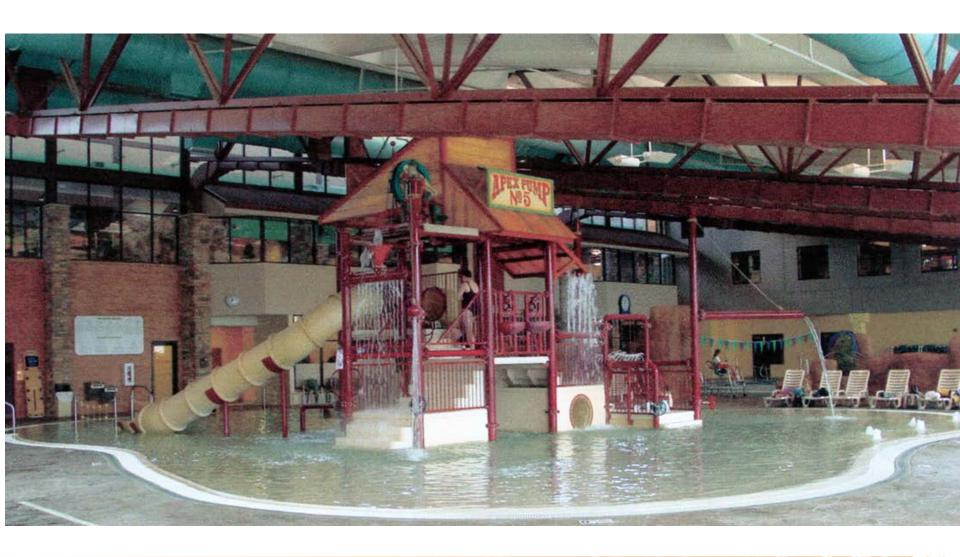














Project: Apex Center renovation/addition project

Summary: Construct 7800 sq.ft. outdoor splash pad, renovate aquatics

area center pool, renovate indoor playground

Estimated Cost: Facility construction cost \$1,133,000

architectural, site expenses, development costs \$420,895

Total Project \$1,553,895



LONG LAKE RANCH









Long Lake Regional Park PRELIMINARY CONCEPT PLAN









Project: Long Lake Ranch Regional Park Improvements

Summary:

Construct two new baseball/softball fields, including backstops, to complete the first 5 field complex, lighting for all five baseball/softball fields; construct a restroom/concession building.

construct 2 new synthetic multi-sport turf fields (lacrosse, rugby & football), with parking and lights.

Estimated Cost:

2 new fields with backstops	\$1,100,000
Additional lighting to complete lighting the 5-plex	\$285,000
Restroom/Concession Building	\$1,300,000
2 new sports turf fields, parking, lights	\$1,600,000
Total Project	\$4.285.000



2016 Election Project Cost Estimates

Arvada Tennis Center	\$5,760,810
Long Lake Ranch field, parking, light additions	\$4,285,000
Lutz Field renovation/reconfiguration	\$4,310,000
Fitzmorris site center/pool	\$4,895,931
Secrest site center	\$7,442,806
Apex Center - renovation, splash pad addition	<u>\$1,553,895</u>
Total estimate project budget Amount from Apex PRD General Fund Bond amount Amount from the City of Arvada towards outdoor pool	\$28,248,442 -\$148,442 -\$25,000,000 -\$3,100,000

