

Battery Lane Urban Park (P118701)

Category M-NCPPC
 Sub Category Development
 Administering Agency M-NCPPC (AAGE13)
 Planning Area Bethesda-Chevy Chase

Date Last Modified 3/6/14
 Required Adequate Public Facility No
 Relocation Impact None
 Status Planning Stage

Total	Thru FY13	Est FY14	Total 6 Years	FY 15	FY 16	FY 17	FY 18	FY 19	FY 20	Beyond 6 Yrs
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EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000s)

Planning, Design and Supervision	283	0	0	189	0	0	100	24	30	35	94
Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	2,216	0	0	736	0	0	0	176	192	368	1,480
Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2,499	0	0	925	0	0	100	200	222	403	1,574

FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000s)

Park and Planning Bonds	2,499	0	0	925	0	0	100	200	222	403	1,574
Total	2,499	0	0	925	0	0	100	200	222	403	1,574

APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE DATA (000s)

Appropriation Request	FY 15	0
Appropriation Request Est.	FY 16	0
Supplemental Appropriation Request		0
Transfer		0
Cumulative Appropriation		0
Expenditure / Encumbrances		0
Unencumbered Balance		0

Date First Appropriation	
First Cost Estimate	
Current Scope	FY 15 2,499
Last FY's Cost Estimate	2,349

Description

Battery Lane Urban Park, 4960 Battery Lane, Bethesda, is a 1.9-acre existing park located at the edge of the Bethesda Central Business District. The approved facility plan includes the renovation of the following amenities in the park: tennis court, enlarged playground, walking path, basketball court, improved entryway, lighting, seating, drinking fountain, landscaping, and bike racks. The plan provides for better maintenance access.

Estimated Schedule

Design will commence in FY17 with construction beginning in FY18.

Cost Change

Cost increase due to inflation.

Justification

The Woodmont Triangle Amendment to the Sector Plan for the Bethesda CBD (2006) lists Battery Lane Urban Park as a priority public amenity and facility. It recommends the completion of a facility plan for the park by a private developer in exchange for additional density under the optional development method of development. The park is one of the two major green spaces within the Woodmont Triangle area. The Facility Plan was approved by the Planning Board on July 30, 2009.

Other

Parks staff will continue to coordinate with Planning staff in the implementation of an amenity fund recommended by the sector plan to receive financial contributions from future development projects within the sector plan area. These contributions may be used to off-set the Park and Planning Bonds in this project or for additional improvements to the park.

Disclosures

A pedestrian impact analysis has been completed for this project.

Coordination

Developer, Montgomery County Planning Department