
 **Euclid-Wilson STORM DRAIN IMPROVEMENTS**
Parks Board Committee Meeting, January 25, 2011

Introduction

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Agenda

- Brief Project Overview
- Gillis Park
- Discussion



Project Information

- Project to help with localized flooding
- Flooding is caused by inadequate drainage system






Use of Gillis Park

- Upgrade a pipe running through the park
- Modify the outfall and water quality pond
- Staging area
- Requires permanent and temporary easements



Impact to Park


- No direct impact to pool, playground or basketball court
- Beach (sand) Volleyball court closed
- Kickball fields moved and reconfigured
- Most trees protected



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Drainage Easement





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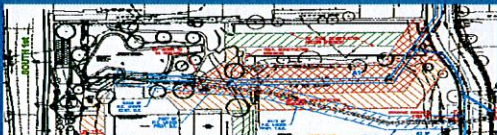




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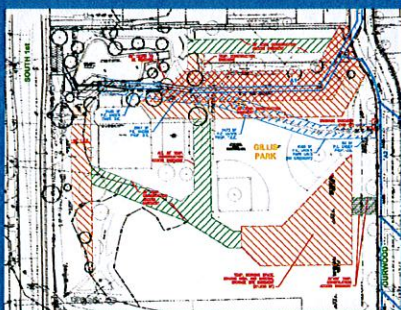
- Drainage easement is permanent
- Easement gives us ability to maintain pipe, outfall and pond
- Limits trees that can be planted over easement
- No walls, buildings or permanent structures over easement





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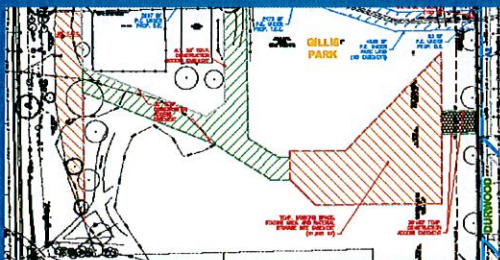
Kickball Fields





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Staging Area





Staging Area Needs

- Must be approximately 20,000 S.F. in size
- Most desirable to be within project limits, or be within 1/4 miles of site
- Must be open land




Others Sites Considered

- Vacant portion of San Jose Church property on west side of S. 1st Street between Cumberland and Olton
- Vacant portion of St. Ignatius Church property on north side of Olton
- Vacant tract at 2602 Wilson Street, just north of Cumberland



Staging Areas Investigated





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Temporary Access Easements






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Anticipated Schedule

- City Council public hearing, not scheduled yet.
- Construction anticipated to begin in fall of 2011
- Construction will likely last at least 20 months



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Questions?

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