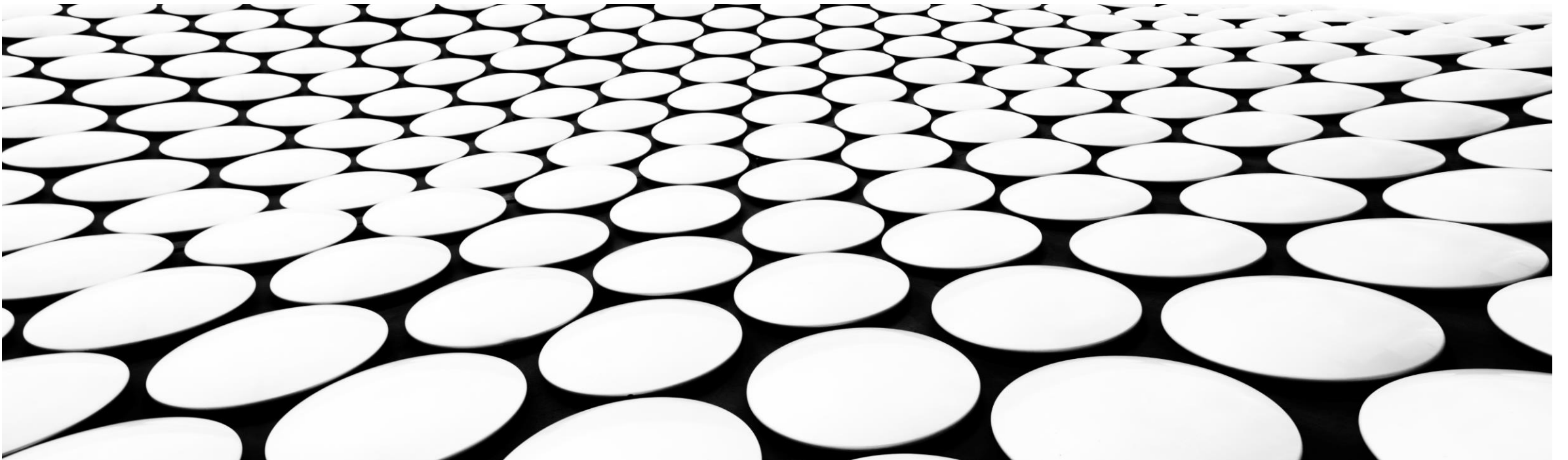

VILLAGE OF MARQUETTE PARK PLAN FOR THE VILLAGE CENTER

APRIL 2023





VILLAGE OF MARQUETTE PARK TIMELINE

ARPA Funds Obtained and Park Planning and Fundraising begins

Park equipment Bidding finalized and Fund Raising Continues



2021

2022

2023

Park Location finalized and Fund Raising begins

PARK FUND RAISING STARTED 2021

Village of Marquette
PO Box 61
127 East 4th St.
Marquette WI 53947

To Whom it may concern:

Help to fund the development of our first park in the Village of Marquette!!


We currently have no developed green space for our residents within our village. Historically we are a resort community that has turned into a rural residential community with an influx of children. In order to have access to recreation space, the children must be driven to park space in neighboring communities at a minimum distance of over 4 miles, or have impromptu basketball games by setting up a goal with a net on our residential streets which is not safe.

The village has a large parcel of land adjacent to our Village Hall which we have allocated for this park. This park will not only be utilized by our Village but also the neighboring township which has the same issue as us.

The main park will be dedicated space for children from babies to 13 year-olds. It will be located adjacent to a picnic pavilion across from the Village Hall.

I have attached a rendering of what the park areas will look like and spreadsheet indicating project costs and donations received thus far.

We are currently soliciting grants to fund this purchase of equipment and installation costs. Additional installation costs of the playground material will be done via volunteers within our village. We welcome any assistance that can be provided to make our park become a reality, and installation would be targeted for this **Thanking** you in advance for any financial assistance you could provide for this much-needed play space for our children.

Sincerely,

Art Cybul
President
Village of Marquette

PARK FUNDING YTD—NO IMPACT ON TAXPAYERS

Donations Received			
ARPA			16,230.00
Municipal League			500.00
Alliant Energy			1,000.00
Green Laker Basic Needs Fund			12,000.00
		Total	29,730.00



THREE VENDORS SOLICITED FOR BIDS

- 1. Play Wisconsin—Middleton Wi.
- 2. Lee Recreation—Cambridge Wi.
- 3. Northland Recreation –Woodbury Mn.
- We evaluated metal versus wood playgrounds as well. Both options can last 30 years and cost is the same when you factor in maintenance of wood systems. Insurance company and state statutes are Ok with either option as well.
- Wood systems provide for more capability for much lower up front costs.

PLAY WISCONSIN WOOD SYSTEM WAS SELECTED AS OUR CHOICE



COST FOR INITIAL KIDS PLAYGROUND-INSTALL AROUND END OF JUNE

Estimated Costs--Kids Playground				
				rubber
Equipment				
Premier system 61/2 ' dual play system				\$11,649
mulch				\$4,400
Assembly/Installation				\$2,023
26 Border Timbers				\$1,716
Landscape fabric and stakes				\$300
			total	\$20,088

PROJECT 2 WILL BE HALF COURT BASKETBALL COURT

			\$9,702	leftover for basketball	
Basketball Pole /Installation			\$3,000		
Asphalt			TBD		



QUESTIONS???

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