

Elmwood-Strand Park
Neighborhood Meeting #2
March 10, 2004
7:00pm, City Council Chambers

Present at the meeting:
Perry Vetter, Program Manager

Residents reviewed two park concepts. Concept A was chosen:

- No outhouse will be added.
- Residents decided to install new playground equipment now, removing the older equipment, which will be used in a more outdated park.
- Woodchips will replace the sand in the playground area.
- A parking lot is not recommended for this site.

Residents requested the following alterations:

- Walking path: Wind it behind the arbor structure.
- Add a picnic area with permanent tables and a simple roof structure.
- Add boulders/shrubbery on the South side of the park, to prevent cars from parking on the grass.
- Create a flower garden kept up by volunteers.
- Where the trail meets the street on the West side of the park, make sure trees have a higher canopy and are placed several feet away from the road, to make visibility of passing cars easier.
- Add some buffer trees/shrubs between adjacent yards.
- Existing game table and swing will remain; may be relocated.

The master plan will be reviewed at the Park Board Meeting, held April 21 at 7:00pm in the City Council Chambers. Residents are welcome to attend and speak their opinions!