

## **Zilker Neighborhood Park & Zilker Elementary School Campus**

### **About The Park**

Zilker Neighborhood Park provides recreational, fitness and outdoor experiences for the surrounding neighborhood and community. A City of Austin facility maintained by the Parks and Recreation Department, it adjoins the campus of Zilker Elementary School, which is maintained and operated by Austin ISD.

### **Mission Statement**

*Master Plan, Zilker Neighborhood Park & Elementary School Campus*

Our mission is to work together as a neighborhood and school community to develop the park-campus as an excellent public space. By improving the park collaboratively, we will build bonds between neighbors and the school.

### **The Park Master Plan**

The combined Master Plan for the Zilker Neighborhood Park & Elementary School Campus supports these goals:

- Compatible and complementary uses by both the neighborhood and the school
- Ongoing improvement of facilities, amenities, outdoor spaces and landscaping
- A cohesive, well-designed vision that can be implemented in stages over time
- Promote health and fitness, by providing quality athletic and fitness facilities
- Promote the Central Texas natural environment and ecological awareness
- Foster a strong sense of neighborhood investment, pride and community
- Anticipate that the Master Plan will be updated periodically

*9/20/2007*

*Master Plan Committee*

Little Zilker account at APF

info as of:

6/22/2015

6/22/2015 account balance

ZNA is holding these funds for ramp reconfiguration

ZNA - Stones	Open - Non Stones	arts in aducation	drinking fountain	notes:	Total in APF account
5,393.22	521.65	-	-		5,914.87



COMMUNITY INITIATED IMPROVEMENT PROJECT APPLICATION

Community Initiated Improvement Projects provide a process for partners to raise funds and in-kind contributions in order to design and build improvements projects at Austin Parks and Recreation (PAR) parks and facilities that are in alignment with PAR plans and strategic priorities.

Include as much detail as possible in your proposal so that it can be review accurately.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Location information

Park name: Little Zilker Neighborhood Park

Project summary

Provide a description of the proposed improvement. Please provide some information about size and materials. Provide new amenities at the Bluebonnet Lane playscape and access ramp - see attached sketch

Applicable Dates

Proposed Start Date: Expected Completion Date:

Results and Benefits

Desired Outcome or End Results A new shaded seating near the Bluebonnet playscape & more pervious area at the existing tree.
Description of Benefit to the Public: Improved safety at the existing access and added seating.
What would be the Benefit(s) to PAR: Improved safety, reduced maintenance, improved tree health, and beautification of the park area.

Project funding

What do you estimate the cost of the proposed project?
How did you arrive at this figure? \$ 8,000 to \$10,000 depending on final design
What is your proposed source of funding? Co-funding by Zilker Neighborhood Association-Friends of Little ZilkeAustin Parks Foundation and PAR funds. \$5,000 has been dedicated to the project and deposited in the FLZP APF account.

PAR Roles and Resources

Describe what, if anything, you are requesting for PAR's Participation/Contribution: design guidance/recommendations and co-funding

Support

Is there community support for the project from the neighborhood association, local school principals, other park user groups, etc? Please list. Zilker Elementary CAC and Zilker NA
\*There is no need to collect letters of support at this time, but we ask for documented support in the future.

Send this form along with any drawings, plans, photos or supporting documents to:

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