



## **Dayton Recovery Plan funds McIntosh Park improvements**

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The City of Dayton announces upcoming improvements to McIntosh Park through the latest investment of Dayton Recovery Plan funds, following City Commission approval of a contract on February 22.

The \$365,000 project will provide parking lot construction and curb/sidewalk repairs at the popular park at 882 W. Riverview Ave. The contract was awarded to Double Jay Construction, LLC, and the City of Dayton Department of Public Works will oversee the work.

McIntosh Park is named in memory of Dayton civil rights leader W.S. McIntosh and is located at Edwin C. Moses Boulevard and West Riverview Avenue. It is home to many community gatherings, sports activities, and a splash pad. The park currently does not have a dedicated parking area. The new lot will have 70 parking spaces. The project is scheduled for completion by July 3, 2023 and has 25% Minority Business Enterprise participation.

Funding for the McIntosh Park improvements is provided through the Dayton Recovery Plan as part of the \$55 million Improving Our Neighborhoods initiative which focuses on City-led and managed projects that support healthier lifestyles through neighborhood revitalization efforts.

### ***About the Dayton Recovery Plan***

The Dayton Recovery Plan is a once-in-a-generation opportunity to address the infrastructure, economic and equity issues that exist in the city by using a data-driven approach to analyze socio-economic, health, and demographic data to make informed funding decisions. These investments directly impact minority communities disproportionately impacted by the pandemic and long-standing economic and social inequities in Dayton. The Dayton Recovery Plan is our city's innovative plan to utilize Dayton's share of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds. The \$138 million award is the largest grant in Dayton's history. For a plan overview, go to [daytonohio.gov/drp](http://daytonohio.gov/drp).



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