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by Lori Tipton
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ANCHORAGE, Alaska -- Ira Walker Park on 6th Avenue was given a makeover Saturday. It's one of eight Anchorage parks that will receive fixes this summer.

Volunteers in Northeast Anchorage worked hard to make the park look like new.

"Well, today we started by just doing a fix-up," said Northeast Community Council President Kevin Smestad. "So we cleaned up the gravel, got rid of the weeds out of the playground equipment, and then got rid of the graffiti off the equipment and just straightened this place up, so it will look like a good park for everyone to come play in again."

New play equipment is expected to be installed at the park in 2011.

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