

# 2007 Park Bond Projects

- **Anchorage Multi-Use Athletic Fields** **\$500,000**  
Bond funding will be used to rehabilitate some of the 110 existing multi-use fields in Anchorage, working with community partners such as the Soccer Task Force.
- **Anchorage Neighborhood Playground Safety Upgrades** **\$895,000**  
Anchorage's playgrounds offer healthy and safe play opportunities for families and neighborhood gatherings. Funding will be used to make safety upgrades to the 82 playgrounds in municipal parks.
- **Anchorage Veteran's Memorial Redevelopment** **\$200,000**  
The active Anchorage veterans community proposes to improve the Veteran's Memorial in Delaney Park by reorienting the memorial area to the northeast, and redesigning the space to meet growing community needs, including full accessibility to the disabled.
- **Cuddy Family Midtown Park** **\$200,000**  
Cuddy Family Midtown Park is the heart of Midtown. Plans call for a great lawn, Betti's Garden, an amphitheatre, a speed skating oval, walking trails and a children's playground. Bond funding will tie the park to the Loussac Library creating even more of a connection for this "Central Park" to its community.
- **Delaney Park Repair** **\$250,000**  
Repairs to Anchorage's defining park include installing an irrigation system, replacing garbage cans and bike racks, upgrading existing turf, and improving the tennis courts and outdoor hockey rink.
- **Far North Bicentennial Park** **\$250,000**  
Funding for Anchorage's largest park will be used to upgrade and connect trails, repair the Tour of Anchorage bridges, improve trailheads, and upgrade parking to enhance this four-season recreation destination.
- **Jewel Lake Park** **\$500,000**  
One of two Anchorage swimming beaches, plans for Jewel Lake Park include improvements to the beach, lifeguard area, parking lots, and play areas.
- **Russian Jack Springs Park** **\$250,000**  
The bond will help transform the old golf course to a PGA-authorized First Tee Learning Center, and 9 hole par three course for all ages. Other improvements include picnic areas, a playground, a sledding hill, a skating pond, and lighted multi-use trails including a Nordic start and finish area.
- **Skate Park Repairs and Upgrades** **\$100,000**  
To provide safe and appropriate places for the growing number of skateboarders and BMX riders in Anchorage to recreate, "skate spots" (small skate parks) will be developed in Spenard and Northeast Anchorage.
- **South Anchorage Sports Park** **\$650,000**  
Funds will be used to complete little league ball fields, provide upgrades to existing multi-use fields, develop an irrigation system, provide a potable water supply, electricity, landscaping, and parking.
- **Town Square Park** **\$250,000**  
The bond will enhance Anchorage's beautiful downtown gathering place for public events. Connections and visibility will be improved to the PAC, Egan Center and the E and F Street corridors. Improvements include a summer reflecting pool/winter ice skating rink, lighting, outdoor seating areas, vendor facilities, repair and replacement of the brick walkways, an irrigation system and signage.
- **Valley of the Moon Park** **\$250,000**  
Valley of the Moon Park is a recreation destination for rocketship lovers. Plans include upgraded turf and irrigation, stabilized stream banks, playground safety upgrades, and new garbage cans and benches.
- **Goose Lake Park** **\$500,000**  
The plan is to replace the aging "boathouse" with a new facility that will include restrooms, showers, and a café. Safety improvements include the enhancing the beach and lifeguard areas, and play areas.
- **Russian Jack Springs Park Greenhouse & Chalet** **\$200,000**  
The Anchorage greenhouse requires a new roof and other improvements to supply our parks and streets with more than 80,000 flowers annually. The Dr. Lidia Selkregg Chalet is in need of major maintenance in order to continue to host gatherings, sports events, and provide meeting space.