

COOK PARK PLAYGROUND & SPORTS COURT REPLACEMENT



PROJECT LOCATION

21150 Cook Ave, Maple Ridge

OCTOBER 2022 – PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

The Maple Ridge Parks, Recreation & Culture department proposed replacing the playground and the sports court at Cook Park. We invited your feedback via an online comment form from October 18, 2022 to December 3, 2022.

JANUARY 2023 – WHAT WE HEARD

As part of our neighbourhood consultation process, we invited community feedback about what play features were desirable. We received 25 survey submissions.

The top play features requested by survey participants included:

- Spiral slide in the playground
- Child/adult and toddler swing seats
- Rock, wall or net climber play components

Of the survey, 48% participants indicated they liked to see a multi-use basketball and ball hockey court replacing the existing basketball court. The new sports court is located to minimize impacts to existing trees as much as possible. Pathways connecting to the basketball court and through the park are re-aligned.

MAY 2023 – PLAYGROUND CONSTRUCTION

The procurement process for the construction of the multi-use sports court and the playground was completed and suppliers for both projects were selected. Construction for the sports court took place in May 2023, and the replacement of the playground in June 2023.

JULY 2023 - CONSTRUCTION COMPLETE

Construction of the new playground and the multi-use sports court is now complete! The new play structure is accessible via a transfer station and does have a spiral slide, a net climber and rock wall climber as was requested through the neighbourhood engagement process. The playground also has a multi-seat rocker, barrel spinner, multiple climbing components and swings. The sports court is now a full-size basketball court with built in ball hockey nets.

Check it out when you are in the neighbourhood at 21150 Cook Ave.



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