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Monmouth County Park System Reconstruction of Forest Edge Playground at Holmdel Park, NJ

PROJECT INFORMATION

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Forest Edge Playground is a well-loved, centrally located, playscape tucked into the woods at Holmdel Park. The 2024 playground reconstruction project will update playground equipment, surfacing and site furnishings while creating new opportunities for play.

REASON FOR PROJECT:

Forest Edge Playground was installed in 1999. Over the past 25 years, minor updates have been made to address surfacing and drainage issues, replace broken play equipment and repair timber edging. The playground is a well-used feature of Holmdel Park and this reconstruction will improve playground safety and visitor experience.

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS:

Playground upgrades will conform with all Federal, State and Local standards including ASTM F 1487 – 21, Handbook for Public Playground Safety, New Jersey Barrier Free Subcode and ADA. Playground design and equipment were selected to encourage nature-inspired play. The mature Oaks and Maples around the playground currently create a comfortably shady environment and trees surrounding the site will be protected throughout construction.

PROJECT STATUS: The project has been awarded to Precise Construction, Inc of Freehold, NJ for \$893,728.00. Construction is scheduled to commence in Fall of 2024 with anticipated completion in Spring 2025.

Forest Edge playground will be closed to the public during construction. Park visitors should expect disruption in the construction area.

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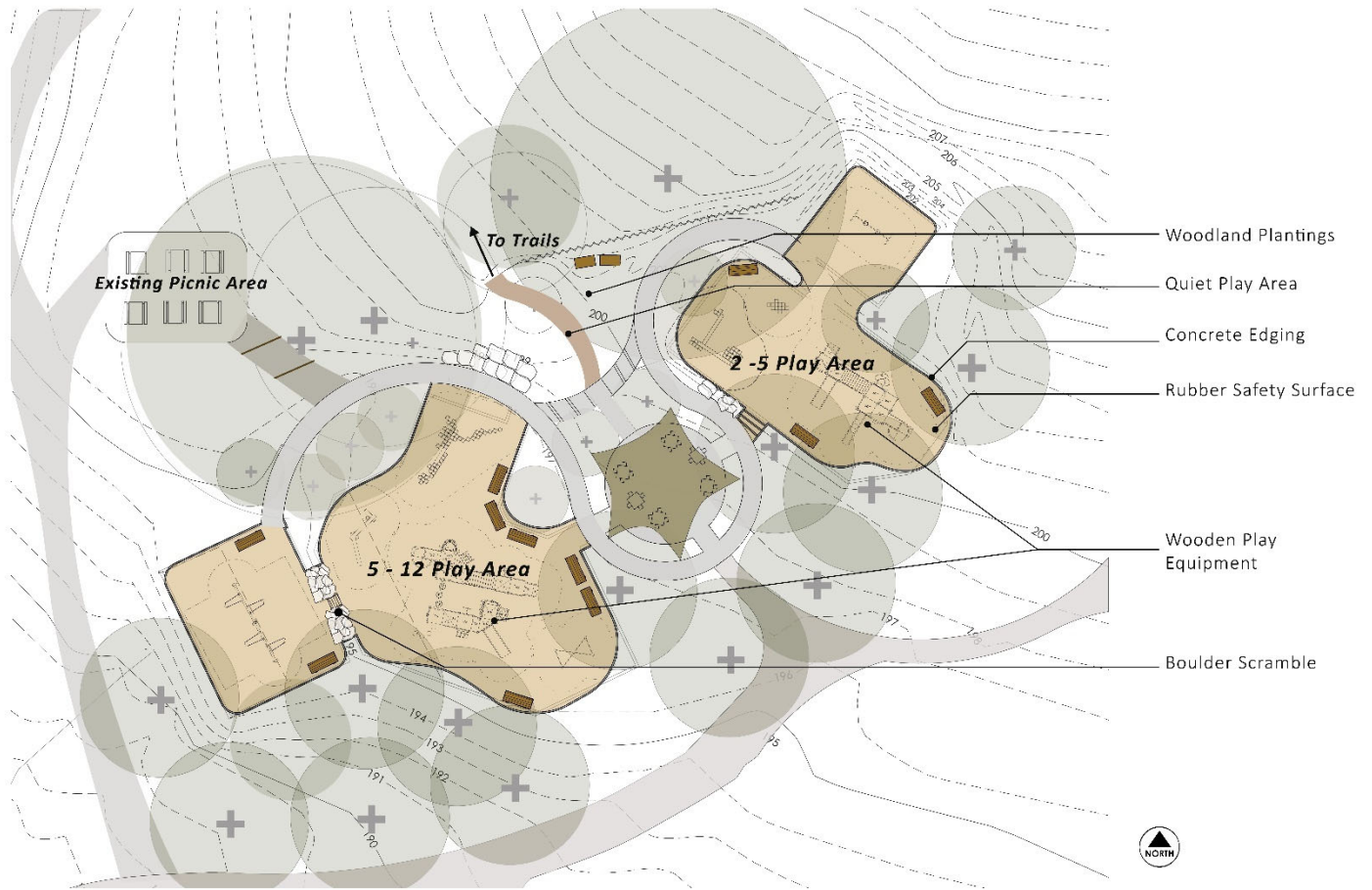
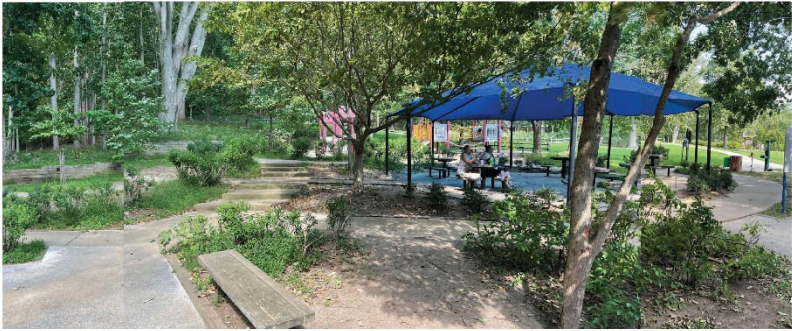


Photo Above: Playground Reconstruction Plan.

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Facing the 5 – 12 Play Area from the Hub



Facing the Hub and back garden from the 5 – 12 Play Area

Photo Above: Existing Playground Photos