



Proposed Hildale Pocket Park Project

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Proposed Park Information

- **Proposed Project:** Pocket Park (roughly 18 ft by 50 ft)
- **Location:** Jordan Avenue between Hilldale Drive and Forbes Avenue
- **Why:** Provide a community space for neighbors per the request of Jordan Avenue neighbors

Location and Potential Layout



*design idea courtesy of Jordan Ave. neighbors

Next Steps

- June 14 – Survey sent out
 - 270 residents in a 300 ft radius of potential park location received by mail
 - 100+ individuals who receive Town newsletter
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- July 7 – Zoom meeting with community (Thursday, 6pm-7pm)
 - July 9 – On-site meeting with community (Saturday, 9am-10am)
 - July 10-17 – Analyze feedback and determine next steps ("level" of park)

Project Input

Input Received From:

- Marin Fire Marshalls
- San Anselmo & Fairfax
Community Members

Input Needed From:

- Marin Sanitary Service
- San Anselmo Town Council
- Contractor
- Architect
- [Potentially] Local Town
Artists

Summary of Current Survey Data

- 77% of respondents want a park
- 30% of respondents would be willing to contribute additional time and money & 30% of respondents would not be willing to contribute additional time and money
 - 33 responses*
- **Surface:** Tanbark
- **Purpose:** Children's play area/relaxation spot with shaded area
- **Features:** Benches, picnic tables and play structure
- **Gate Access to United Market:** Yes
- **Bike Access:** Yes, but walk bikes on sidewalk
- **Primary age group of respondents:** 65+
- **Primary location of respondents:** San Anselmo, with ½ mile of the park location

*123 total respondents

Concerns Raised by the Community

- Flow of traffic between Hilldale and Forbes
 - Speed bumps and stop signs
- Smoking, homelessness and drug use in location
 - San Anselmo ordinances limit this type of behavior
- Garbage & keeping space clean
 - Town works with Marin sanitary service to provide trash and recycling bins
- Loiterers & nighttime curfew
 - Specific town hours for parks opening and closing
- Exclusionary of other San Anselmo residents
 - Other park options: Memorial Park, Landsdale Park, Imagination Park

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Thank You!

Please feel free to now ask questions or give feedback on the potential park project

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