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PRESS RELEASE

Public meeting scheduled to review concepts for Community Playground at Martin Luther King, Jr. Park

WINTER PARK, FL, an internationally recognized, award winning city with multiple accredited agencies (January 31, 2023) The [City of Winter Park](#) and its [Community Redevelopment Agency \(CRA\)](#) will host a community meeting on **Tuesday, February 7, at 6 p.m.**, in the Winter Park Community Center located at 721 West New England Avenue. The purpose of this meeting is to review concepts developed from the public and stakeholder input received regarding enhancements to the Community Playground and surrounding area in [Martin Luther King, Jr. Park](#).



During the summer 2022, the city held public meetings to receive feedback on necessary renovation and upgrades of the [Community Playground](#), also known as Castle Park. After decades of wear and tear, the playground is in need of enhancements including improvements to bring the playground into compliance with today's safety standards.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Park has become enlivened and engaged with the opening of the new [Winter Park Library & Events Center](#) in 2021, which overlooks Lake Mendsen and the 23-acre park. In recent years, the CRA has worked to establish parameters for public investment into the park, including a memorial corner near the intersection of South Denning Drive and West Morse Boulevard, and an overall park concepts package.

For additional information regarding the community meeting, please contact the Parks & Recreation Department at 407-599-3357 or MLKParkReno@cityofwinterpark.org.

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