



City of Long Beach

The New Georgia Ave. Playground



Designed in Partnership with the Community, for the Community

The City of Long Beach is proud to announce the awarding of bids for the reconstruction of the Georgia Ave. playground. City Councilman Anthony Eramo and Commissioner of Public Works Jim Lacarrubba worked hand-in-hand with the community and Playground Systems, the equipment supplier, to develop the design and pick the equipment for this new playground.

New features and improvements:

- ✓ Removal of the old safety surface, which was damaged during Superstorm Sandy, and the installation of a new one, paid for by grant monies from FEMA.
- ✓ All new equipment and benches, leading to a longer life span for the playground as a whole.

The City expects that the reconstruction of the Georgia Ave playground will be completed by Memorial Day.

The remainder of the funding for this project is being provided by Community Development Block Grant funds, which will cover the costs not borne by FEMA.

The spray park, which was constructed in 2009, requires no improvements or repairs and is not part of this project.

Upcoming Park Projects

The next park to be redone will be the Leroy Conyers Park playground, located in the North Park neighborhood. Also, thanks to earmarked relief funds, a number of pieces of equipment damaged during Sandy at Pacific Blvd playground are due to be replaced as well. All other City parks have recently been refurbished.



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