



LOCAL PARK GRANT AWARDED TO PARKS AND RECREATION

PR-25-005

February 18, 2025

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- ❑ Texas Parks & Wildlife Department (TPWD) Local Park Grant Program (LPGP) assists local governments with acquisition and/or development of recreation areas and facilities throughout the State of Texas. The Program provides 50% matching grants on a reimbursement basis to eligible applicants.
- ❑ City Council approved the grant application July 18, 2024.
- ❑ City Staff submitted the application to TPWD July 31, 2024.

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- ❑ The LPGP was approved for funding the by Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission on January 23, 2025.
- ❑ Killeen ranked #8 out of the pool of 58 Non-Urban Outdoor Applicants; only 22 projects were funded in this category.

The grant pays for:

- ❑ Long Branch Park – Resurface (1) existing tennis court to (4) new pickleball court surfaces, plated pickleball nets, net posts, sidewalk repair, & curb ramp. The estimated cost is \$25,000.

Long Branch Park

111 Branch Dr
Killeen, TX 76543

Replace
(1) existing
Tennis Court
w/
(4) Pickleball
Courts

Repair sidewalk
& add curb
ramp to this
side

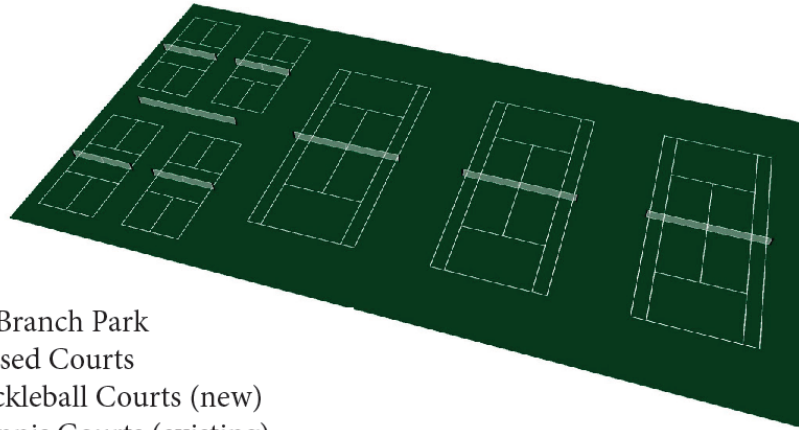
Repair sidewalk

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Google Earth

Lake Hills Ave

96 ft



Long Branch Park
Proposed Courts
(4) Pickleball Courts (new)
(3) Tennis Courts (existing)

QUESTIONS?