


Date: July 12, 2021

To: Thomas B. Modica, City Manager 

From: Brent Dennis, Director of Parks, Recreation and Marine 

For: Mayor and Members of the City Council

Subject: **Grand Opening Ceremony for Cherry Park Playground – July 24, 2021**

Mayor Robert Garcia, Councilmember Roberto Uranga, and the Departments of Parks, Recreation and Marine and Public Works, invite you and your staff to attend the grand opening ceremony of the Cherry Park Playground, at 1901 East 45th Street. The ceremony will be held on Saturday, July 24th at 10:00 a.m. This event kicks off the first outdoor in-person event since the lifting of the State and City Safer at Home orders.

The Cherry Park Playground project was made possible with \$400,000 in funding from the 2016 voter-approved Measure A and is an upgrade to the existing playground facilities. The improvements include beautification and revitalization of the area with installation of new and improved playground equipment featuring separate, age-appropriate structures, enhanced safety elements including rubberized landing surfaces, and additional features to ensure ADA accessibility and compliance.

For more information regarding the event, please call Gladys Kaiser, Community Recreation Services Bureau Manager, at (562) 570-3150. We look forward to seeing you at this exciting event!

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