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## Pitchford Park Takes One Step Closer to Reality

Board of Trustees Awards Construction Contract for New Park

*Macomb Township, Mich.*, — Construction for a brand-new park is on the horizon after the Macomb Township Board of Trustees awarded a construction contract to Warren Contractors during the Wednesday, Nov. 16 Board Meeting.

Construction for the long awaited Pitchford Park is set to begin by the end of 2022 and expected to be finished by Fall 2023.

Warren Contractors was chosen among five other proposals and come with glowing references and extensive experience building beautiful parks in Metro Detroit.

“We truly believe Warren Contractors is the best company for this project,” said Parks and Recreation Director Sal DiCaro. “Their experience creating incredible parks not only proves they are up to the task but also gave the selection committee a look into what their finished products look like.”

The Board of Trustees had a mission: create a brand-new park for Township residents at no cost to taxpayers. Now, it’s coming to fruition.

The land for the park was donated to the township by Pamela Pitchford and Joe Kay in memory of Bill and Joyce Pitchford and their son Todd Pitchford. The money from the sale of the properties will go toward the development of the park which will include tennis courts, pickle ball courts, a dog park, walking paths and restroom facilities.

“We are thrilled to be able to approve the choice of contractors,” said Macomb Township Supervisor Frank Viviano. “We are continuing to invest into this community while giving our residents the best value in the state.”

In May 2022, the \$1.2 million sale of the property on the northeast corner of 24 Mile and Foss roads was the final of three land sales the township is using to fund development of Pitchford Park on Romeo Plank Road north of 22 Mile Road. These sales will allow the township to provide residents with a beautiful, brand-new park at no cost to taxpayers.

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