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MISSOULA COUNTY ANNOUNCES UPGRADES TO TWO AREA PARKS

East Missoula and Lolo residents will enjoy some upgrades to their parks this fall. The East Missoula Lions Park parking lot received some much needed attention thanks to the efforts of the East Missoula Lions Club who voluntarily work to keep the park maintained. Club members identified the needed repairs and worked with the County Park Board, County Public Works, and the County Commissioners to bring the project to fruition. County Public Works coordinated the repaving and striping of the parking lot for visitors to enjoy. The project is funded through cash-in-lieu of parkland dedication funds, received from approved area subdivisions.

The Lolo Parks Advisory Committee partnered with the Missoula County Park Board and County Public Works to rehabilitate the basketball court at Westview Park. The court was resurfaced and commercial grade basketball standards were installed. Fencing was also added along Ridgeway Drive to provide a safety barrier.

“These two projects are great examples of the incredible partnerships between community groups and Missoula County. The Lions and the Lolo Parks Advisory Committee have been great supporters of County parks and their efforts to improve these parks are wonderful examples of their stewardship of public lands,” remarked Lisa Moisey, County Parks and Trails Manager. “We’re lucky to have such dedicated volunteers in our community.”

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