**NEW OPPORTUNITIES WITH THE NEW FACILITY**

- Collaborations with Recreation and Libraries to develop new programming
- Room and facility rental space
- Public WiFi
- Outdoor designated walking trail/area
- Outdoor play equipment, picnic shelter, games, basketball, play field
- Group fitness and wellness classes
- Fitness/exercise machines

**CONTINUE LIBRARY PROGRAMS**

- Books and DVDs for children, teens, and adults
- Weekly Storytimes
- Summer Reading Program
- Community Learning Center (CLC) Clubs
- Outdoor activity and programming area for kids, teens, and adults
- Dedicated Children’s section with discovery learning opportunities.
- Comfortable seating space with a cozy fireplace
- Community meeting room
- Free Internet and Computer Use

**CONTINUE RECREATION PROGRAMS**

- Before and After School and Summer Day Camps
- Gym use for basketball, volleyball and pickleball
- Outdoor Garden
- Gameroom
- Rock Steady Boxing (International exercise program for people with Parkinson's disease)
- Open Door Senior Time
- Goju Ryu Karate

**PROJECT TIMELINE**

- Fall 2021: Site preparation and grading
- Spring 2022: Construction of new building starts
- Spring 2023: Construction completion
- Summer 2023: Transition current operations to new facility
- Fall 2023: Complete exterior site work and landscaping
- Fall 2023: Dedication and operational

**PROJECT QUESTIONS:**

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**VISION**

Our vision is to create a campus that includes the Williams Branch Library and Air Park Recreation Center, Arnold Elementary School and nearby neighborhood park improvements. This facility will create a distinct area designed for recreation and literary experiences for all ages.

**SUSTAINABILITY**

- Highly efficient geothermal heating and cooling is planned for the new facility. A building management system provides automated control of the system for energy efficiency.
- Low energy use lighting is provided by LEDs throughout the building and site.
- The building is designed with energy efficient walls, windows & roof.
- Plantings on the site are planned to be drought tolerant, native to our area, and support pollinators.
- The site includes installation of a bio-retention area to clean, filter, and cool the storm water from the parking lot.
- Reduced water consumption by providing limited site irrigation, low flow plumbing fixtures and pervious pavement for some walkways.
- In order to reduce vehicular exhaust, site access encourages multi-modal transportation through pedestrian connections, being a bike friendly site and located adjacent to a future bus stop.
- Where possible, low carbon building materials and finishes have been selected.

Project information and updates can be found by scanning the QR code or visiting parks.lincoln.ne.gov (Search: Air Park Project).