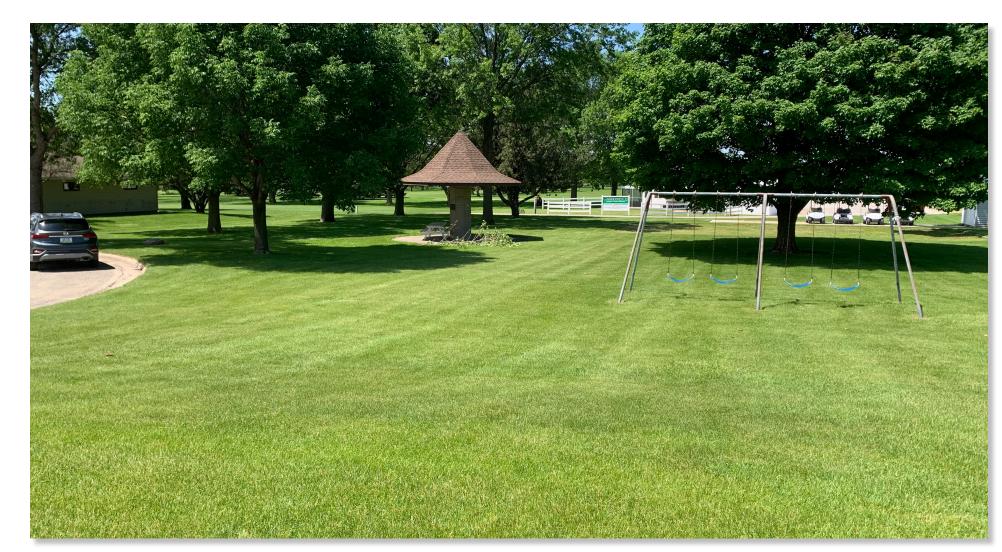


Proposed concept for a splash pad, includes benches and ADA accessible routes



Existing conditions of location for proposed splash pad

## Case Studies:







Concept plan for the proposed splash pad and pool park improvements.

1) Splash pad 2) Benches 3) Bicycle racks 4) Trash receptacles

6 Existing swing set to be relocated 7 Handicap Parking

(5) ADA-accessible Sidewalks

## Splash Pad

The visioning committee expressed interest in upgrading the current playground equipment located in the pool park. While exploring different ideas, a splash pad was suggested after seeing how successful they have been in nearby communities. More input was collected during the walk-by workshop, solidifying the desire for a splash pad in Wellsburg. Comment cards that were collected as a part of the workshop read, "I feel that [a splash pad] is a great idea for the pool! Give the children a place to play and keep them off the streets," and "Love the idea of a splash pad!"

The design places emphasis on a 2,000-square-foot splash pad with five to seven pieces of play equipment, ADA-compliant sidewalks, benches, trash receptacles, and bicycle racks.

Case studies were used during the walk-by workshop to show splash pads in nearby communities. Bristow, population 150, implemented a splash pad that was completed in 2019 and generated growth in the city park with the addition of an ice cream stand. Clarksville, population 1,300, completed it's splash pad in 2019 and since has updated the memorial park with new playground equipment and new seating, and currently have plans to develop a skate park.

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