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March 5, 2010

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The BCRD is asking to amend the Pump Park CUP from 2009. We would like to add a Kiddy portion to the existing park. The Pump Park that will build last fall came with an enormous success. We saw all ages using the park from sunrise to sunset. So we are proposing to build an extension of the existing Park for the smaller folks which make up a big portion of the users. By having a place with smaller features for the kids to ride they will be able to work on the skills needed to ride in the other Pump Park. This is a much needed progression for these kids as well as first timers the area will have smaller skill features made of dirt. The area would be to the north east of the start bump of the existing park. The park would be 40 by 60 feet see attached map. Any Questions feel free to contact me 208-720-6719

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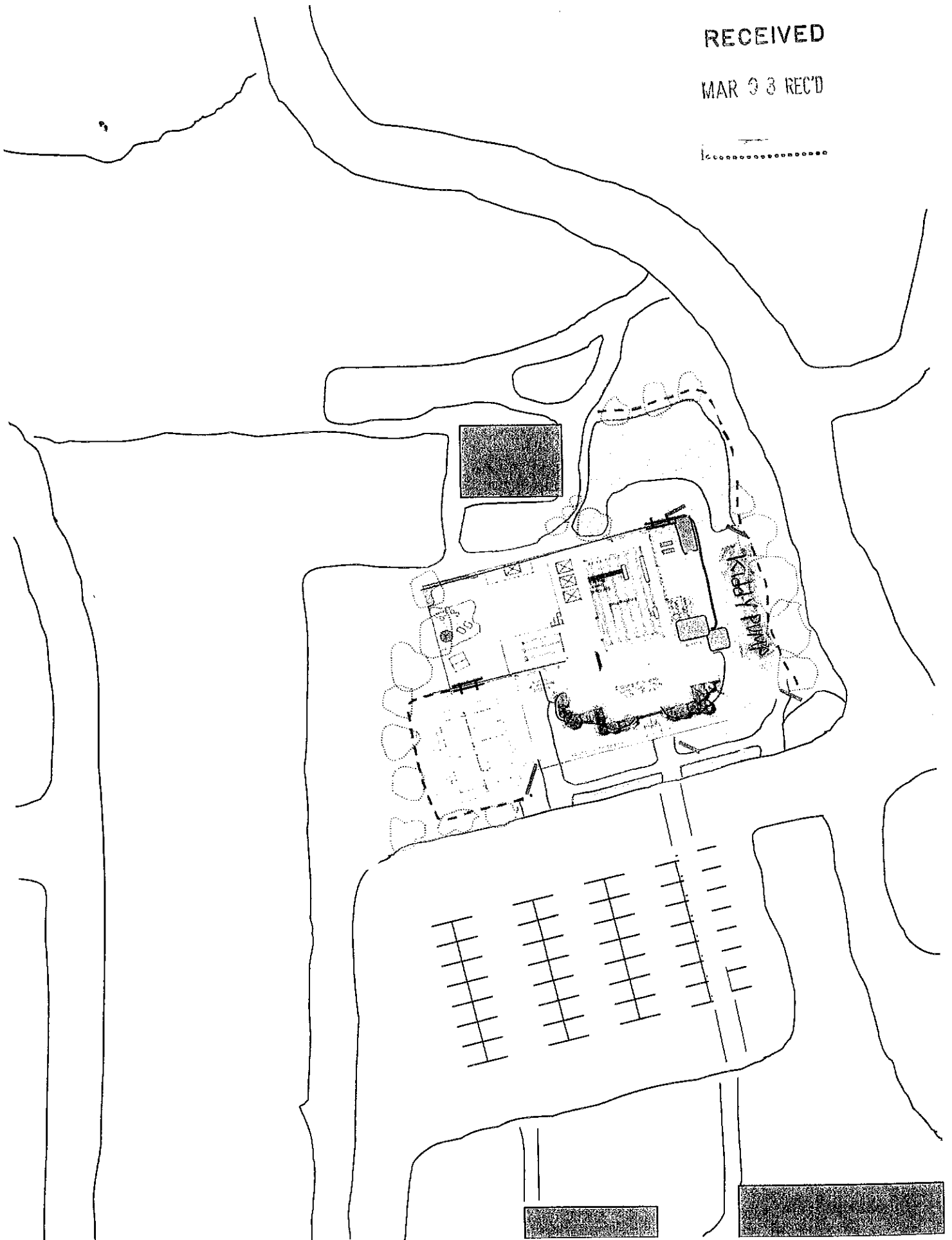
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**Proposal – Volleyball courts at BCRD Aquatic Center  
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**Summary**

The BCRD currently operates the BCRD Aquatic Center on Fox Acres Road across from the Community Campus. This amenity has offered residents of the County and the City of Hailey aquatic programming and amenities for more than 25 years. The location of the pool is also directly across the parking lot from the Community Campus where the BCRD operates close to 30,000 of recreation space inside this community center with other tenants like the College of Southern Idaho.

The BCRD proposes to add 2 sand volleyball courts to the BCRD land directly adjacent to the pool grounds to be completed for the summer of 2010. Volleyball is an extremely popular sport in the Wood River Valley but with few available locations outdoors in the valley. The BCRD proposes to help meet some of this need recycling some of its existing space. This will increase the total value of a visit to the Aquatic Center or the Community Campus and is planned to be available as free amenity for the public unless reserved for tournaments or private gatherings.

**Benefits**

- Increased affordable and accessible recreation within the City of Hailey
- Increased usage of existing recreational space
- Relatively low investment needs for significant value of the public
- Increased access to healthy, active recreation in the City of Hailey
- Continued use of organic, low impact materials in volleyball courts
- Complimentary to other recreation and educational assets at the BCRD Aquatic Center and the Community Campus.

**Proposed Execution**

1. BCRD proposes to construct and maintain the sand volleyball courts starting in summer of 2010. All maintenance will be managed by existing Trails and Facilities department of BCRD.
2. Construction - BCRD
  - a. Location – BCRD proposes to locate the volleyball area (sand area) directly to the south of the Aquatic Center building and directly west of the existing Community Campus parking lot area. Please see diagram (1) below:
  - b. Dimensions – Each of 2 sand volleyball courts would conform to standard non professional design standards of approximately 30 feet by 60 feet. The depth of sand would target 12 inches. A sand perimeter of 5 feet would be outside of the court area and there would be 10 feet between the 2 courts. The total sand grid would be 80 feet by 70 feet. All earth removed to 12 inches within this grid would be placed on

premises in approximate 2 foot high by 3-4 foot deep grassy berm around the sand. Please see detailed Diagram #2 below:

- c. Materials – Sand utilized within the court area would be sourced locally. BCRD would supply standard volleyball nets, posts and balls.
- d. Landscaping – BCRD proposes to surround the sandy area with a 2 foot high and 3-4 foot deep berm. Said berm will contain dirt from the court preparation, reduce noise, and be covered with grass. BCRD proposes to surround total area with a post and beam fence on east, west and south sides of 2 courts to contain area and create visual barrier. The BCRD also proposes to plant 3 trees along southern edge of court area directly outside of fence.
- e. Irrigation Needs – BCRD will alter existing irrigation system already in place at site to irrigate grass on edge of berms. Native grasses planned to continue on border of entire fenced court area as it exists today.
- f. Drainage – BCRD will install a dry wells at lowest point of court under sand.

7 days

- 3. Management/Operations – BCRD intends to have the court available for public use from dawn to dusk. There is no intent to light the courts. BCRD intends to have the courts open from late spring to early fall as snow cover permits. Court will be free for public use on first come first serve basis unless public chooses to reserve the courts for a reservation fee set by the BCRD. Staffing for questions around court usage will be available through the BCRD Aquatic Center during summer months of June, July, and August and through the BCRD front office in Community Campus during shoulder months of spring or fall as snow or weather permits. BCRD will maintain the courts and have trash receptacles available and takes responsibility for operation and cleanliness of the amenities.
- 4. Signage – BCRD proposes a 1 foot by 1 foot sign to be affixed to fence by entrance of volleyball courts with rules and guidelines for usage.
- 5. Fencing – Plan is to enclose volleyball courts on three sides (south, east, and west) with a post and beam fence approximately 4 feet in height with pig wire on the bottom.

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# of players (max)

Type of Trees (per Smith)

**Diagram #1 - Court Placement**



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Diagram #2 - Court Schematic

