



# CITY OF LODI

# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Review Conceptual Plan for Kofu Park  
Batting Cage

MEETING DATE: March 18, 1992

PREPARED BY: Parks and Recreation Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: To review conceptual plan and location of Kofu Park Batting Cage and give approval for project development.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: At the meeting of the City Council of February 19, 1992, the Parks and Recreation Department staff, Boosters of Boys/Girls Sports organization (B.O.B.S.) and Tokay High School baseball program reviewed with the Council a proposed location of a batting cage at Kofu Park. The suggestion of the Council, after review, was to go out to the site, look over the recommended location, and explore possible other sites for this installation. As such, Director Williamson was asked to set up tours of the site with the Council and report back their findings at the next meeting, March 18, 1992.

I have met with four of the five Council people at this time, and it was generally felt that a better location would be in the back area of the Park, behind the hardball backstop, and adjacent to the corporation yard fence on a high ground area.

A member of the B.O.R.S. organization was present, as was Tokay High varsity coaches, Paul Lovotti and John Nilmeyer. Generally, at the site, there was discussion as to how it could work, pros and cons, and some detailed thoughts for construction.

The B.O.B.S. representatives will be present at the Council Meeting to discuss their views on the project and the new site. Tokay High representatives, likewise, will be asked to be present to discuss the project in more detail.

See Exhibit A - original plan/location.  
see Exhibit B - revised plan/location.

APPROVED

THOMAS A. PETERSON  
City Manager



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FUNDING: I remind the Council that the "batting cage" project would be funded by the B.O.B.S./Tokay High baseball, with minimal City involvement. They would likewise be constructing the area and purchasing all materials, fencing, pitching machines, etc.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ron Williamson".

Ron Williamson, Director  
Parks and Recreation

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cc: Bob McNatt, City Attorney

Attachments



