

COTTONWOOD PARK SOFTBALL FIELD EXPANSION FACILITY FACTS

COTTONWOOD PARK, 2506 S 12TH ST. TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 2019

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About Cottonwood Park:

The first 89.3 acres of Cottonwood Park land that was purchased in 1989 was farm land. Now this 208-acre complex is full of activity and play options. The 1.6 miles of trail winds through the park and makes other trail connections on the park's boundaries. The park includes expansive green space that is used for soccer, bocce, lacrosse, flag football and cross country. There is an urban fishing pond, a BMX racing track, two playgrounds (soon to be four), picnic shelters, concessions and restrooms. There are 12 diamonds (soon to be 20) for softball as well as a youth baseball field, Haaland Field, complete with field lights, a batting cage, press box, ticket booth and scoreboard. The park is home to the Bismarck Marathon.



2019 Expansion:

\$4.3 million project with 119 donors contributing \$1.8 million, 42% of the total project cost, with Bismarck Parks and Recreation District responsible for the project balance.

- Four additional adult softball fields
- A four field youth fastpitch complex, including
 - Four covered dugouts
 - Scoreboards
 - Pressbox and grandstand with seating for 252
 - Two lighted fields
 - Concessions, restroom and ticketing booth
 - Additional parking
 - Green space for warm-up and practice
- Recreational trail connections
- Two new playgrounds
- Two new picnic shelters
- Fencing
- Natural areas
- 150 new trees and shrubs