

Enmax Legacy Parks Program 3 — Bowmont East Regional Park



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Project: This former gravel pit is immediately below the Varsity community and has been identified and supported as a future river-edge park for over 30 years. The 6-year expropriation of the site was completed in 2009. This has been a key long-term acquisition within the Bow River corridor and is an eastern extension to Bowmont Regional Park as well as a stormwater management facility for the northwest. The project is being coordinated and co-funded through Water Resources and Parks. \$2.5M has been previously approved.

Budget: \$3.86M unfunded balance of park construction budget.

Timeline: Design Development Plan complete.
Site development being coordinated with Water Resources stormwater work.

Status: Construction pending 2015.

Benefits: A strategically located piece of river valley property, this expansion to Bowmont Park will enhance the Bow River north shore. The site will incorporate a series of wetlands addressing one of the largest remaining untreated stormwater catchments in the city.

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