

IDAWRA: Annual Luncheon Meeting: "Esther Simplot Park - Innovative Stormwater and Flood Protection"; Thursday, April 14, 2016 11:45 - 1:00 Lunch, 1:15 - 3:00 Walking site visit (Waiting List open)

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Walking visit to the construction site, 1:15 to 3:00

"Esther Simplot Park - Innovative stormwater and flood protection"



Speaker: John Tensen, City Engineer, City of Boise

Site Visit: Andrew Pharis, McMillen Jacobs Engineering

Location: [The Riverside Hotel \(2900 Chinden Boulevard, Boise, ID\)](#)

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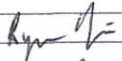
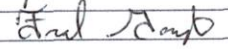


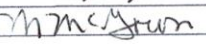
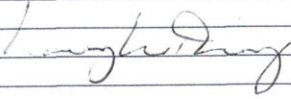
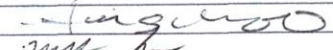
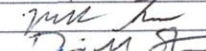

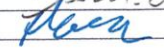
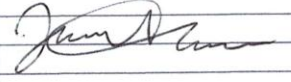
Walking site visit to the construction site 1:15 - 3:00

The Esther Simplot Park, bordered by Whitewater Park Blvd. and the Boise River, is designed to reduce flood risk and manage stormwater, as well as provide valuable recreational opportunities. Construction, under the direction of McMillen Jacobs Associates, began a year ago. The expansive 55-acre park site encompasses 17 acres of ponds suitable for fishing, wading and swimming and will include trails, docks, wetlands, boardwalks, shelters, grassy open areas, a playground, bridges and restrooms. A meandering stream will connect the park's two ponds with Quinn's Pond. Construction is expected to be completed by this summer. Hydraulic modeling and an application to FEMA for a Conditional Letter of Map Revision was prepared by HDR.

Funding for development of the park is provided by the Simplot Family Foundation.

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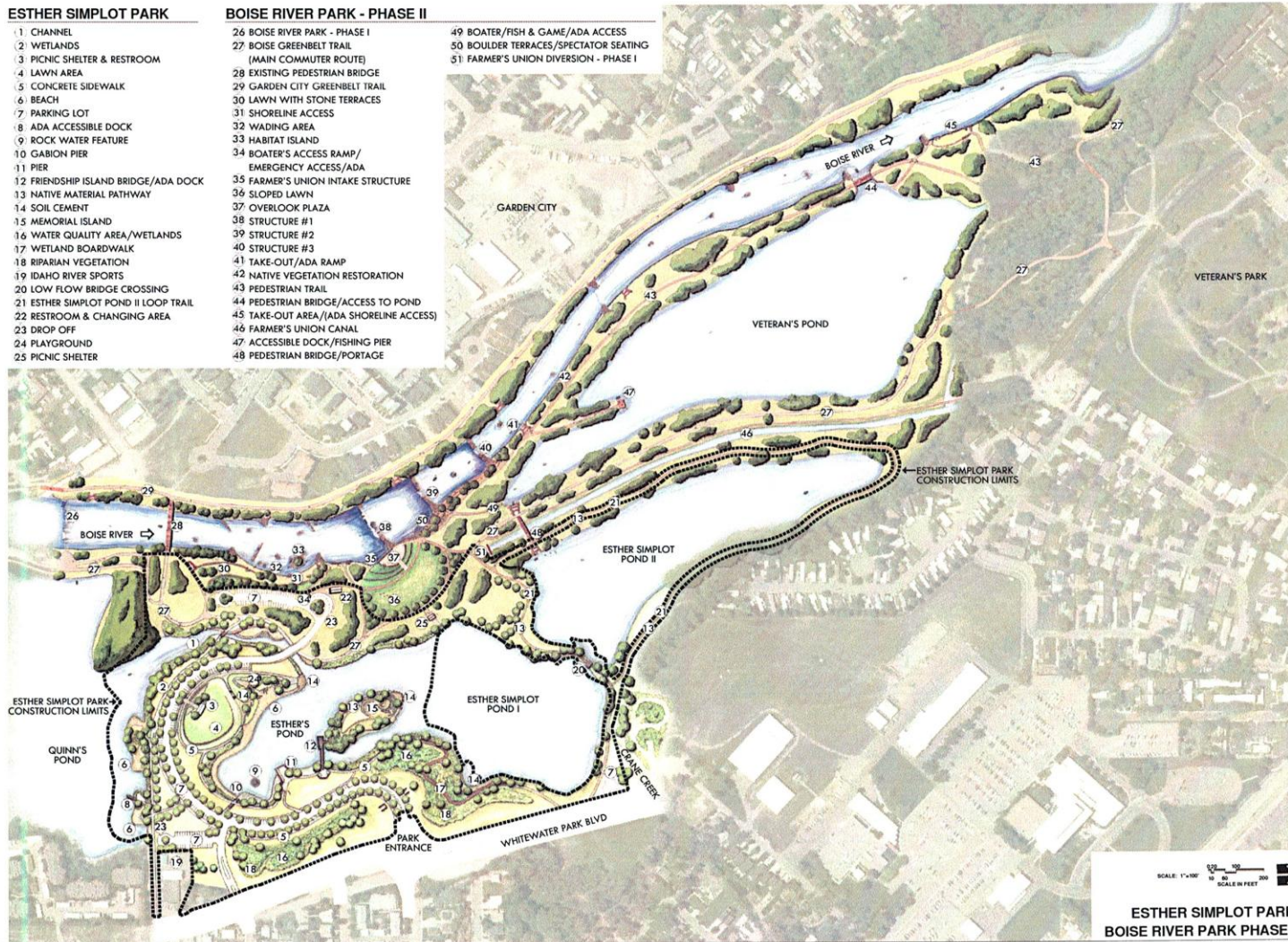
ESTHER SIMPLOT PARK

- 1 CHANNEL
- 2 WETLANDS
- 3 PICNIC SHELTER & RESTROOM
- 4 LAWN AREA
- 5 CONCRETE SIDEWALK
- 6 BEACH
- 7 PARKING LOT
- 8 ADA ACCESSIBLE DOCK
- 9 ROCK WATER FEATURE
- 10 GABION PIER
- 11 PIER
- 12 FRIENDSHIP ISLAND BRIDGE/ADA DOCK
- 13 NATIVE MATERIAL PATHWAY
- 14 SOIL CEMENT
- 15 MEMORIAL ISLAND
- 16 WATER QUALITY AREA/WETLANDS
- 17 WETLAND BOARDWALK
- 18 RIPARIAN VEGETATION
- 19 IDAHO RIVER SPORTS
- 20 LOW FLOW BRIDGE CROSSING
- 21 ESTHER SIMPLOT POND II LOOP TRAIL
- 22 RESTROOM & CHANGING AREA
- 23 DROP OFF
- 24 PLAYGROUND
- 25 PICNIC SHELTER

BOISE RIVER PARK - PHASE II

- 26 BOISE RIVER PARK - PHASE I
- 27 BOISE GREENBELT TRAIL (MAIN COMMUTER ROUTE)
- 28 EXISTING PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE
- 29 GARDEN CITY GREENBELT TRAIL
- 30 LAWN WITH STONE TERRACES
- 31 SHORELINE ACCESS
- 32 WADING AREA
- 33 HABITAT ISLAND
- 34 BOATER'S ACCESS RAMP/ EMERGENCY ACCESS/ADA
- 35 FARMER'S UNION INTAKE STRUCTURE
- 36 SLOPED LAWN
- 37 OVERLOOK PLAZA
- 38 STRUCTURE #1
- 39 STRUCTURE #2
- 40 STRUCTURE #3
- 41 TAKE-OUT/ADA RAMP
- 42 NATIVE VEGETATION RESTORATION
- 43 PEDESTRIAN TRAIL
- 44 PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE/ACCESS TO POND
- 45 TAKE-OUT AREA/(ADA SHORELINE ACCESS)
- 46 FARMER'S UNION CANAL
- 47 ACCESSIBLE DOCK/FISHING PIER
- 48 PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE/PORTAGE

- 49 BOATER/FISH & GAME/ADA ACCESS
- 50 BOULDER TERRACES/SPECTATOR SEATING
- 51 FARMER'S UNION DIVERSION - PHASE I



ESTHER SIMPLOT PARK/
BOISE RIVER PARK PHASE II
EXHIBIT A 6.24.2014