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COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE FY17 FUNDING RECOMMENDATION FOR *WINTER HILL COMMUNITY SCHOOLYARD, CITY OF SOMERVILLE PARKS AND OPEN SPACE DIVISION*

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The City of Somerville will construct a new schoolyard for the Winter Hill Community Innovation School.

ELIGIBILITY

Open space/recreation land: This project will rehabilitate outdoor recreation land.

RECOMMENDED FUNDING

On April 26, 2017, by a vote of 8-0, the Community Preservation Committee recommended appropriating \$500,000 for this project, \$56,233 from the open space and recreation land reserve and \$443,767 from the undesignated reserve budget to the control of the City of Somerville for the overall purposes summarized in this document.

Project Budget

Expenses	Amount
Study	\$0
Soft costs	\$0
Construction	\$800,000
Total	\$800,000
Sources	
CPA open space/recreation land funds- requested	\$500,000
Community Development Block Grant	\$300,000
Total	\$800,000

ALIGNMENT WITH FY17 COMMUNITY PRESERVATION PLAN

The Community Preservation Plan prioritizes the rehabilitation of existing recreational land according to need. In the 2015 open space inventory, the Winter Hill Schoolyard was found to be in poor condition.

FUNDING CONDITIONS

1. Upon commencement of the Project and as appropriate, the City of Somerville agrees to post a sign stating that the Project was funded through the City of Somerville's Community Preservation Act program.

MEASURES OF SUCCESS

The measures of success for this project are:

- Robust neighborhood and school community design process
- Renovation of schoolyard on budget
- Renovation of schoolyard on time

The full proposal is available at: <http://www.somervillema.gov/departments/community-preservation-act/2017-cpa-projects>.