

Jefferson Township Recreation Complex

Community Improvement for all to enjoy.

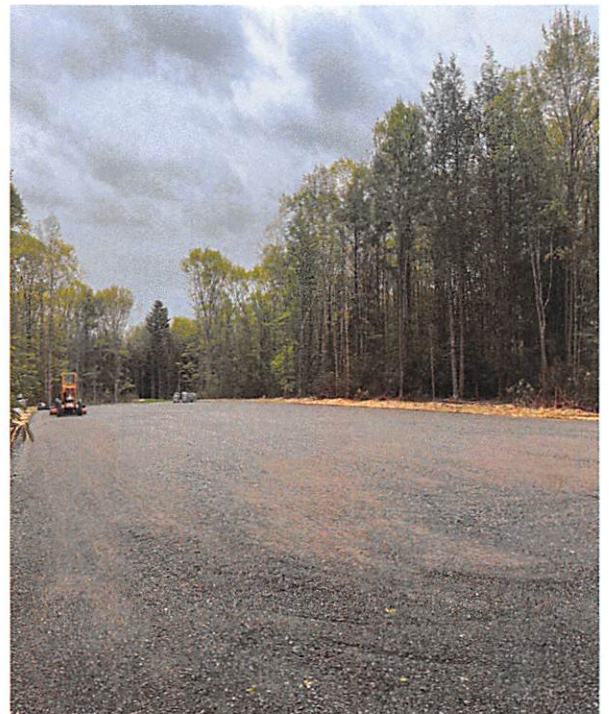
2012, Jefferson Township purchased the 42-acre complex with a desire to provide more recreational opportunities for residents. Phase I of development consisted of the installation of a paved parking area at the trailhead, situated just off Route 348 and construction of more than 1300 feet of new trail, which connects to a former logging road leading to a pond which is on the recreation complex.

2015, the master plan was completed with input from community survey.

2019, Phase 1 trail opening and parking area opening: Jefferson Township celebrated Independence Day 2019 by cutting the ribbon on a new place to walk, run and enjoy the outdoors. The first phase of the trail is ADA accessible and a small parking area is available at the trailhead, located on Community Drive (off of Route 348 near Ritter's Farm Market).

The first phase of this project cost approximately \$78,000 and was made possible by a grant from the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development. The trail is a great addition to our community and was enjoyed by residents through the remainder of 2019.

2023-2024 Road extension to main parking area, stormwater infrastructure installed, trail extended.



Recreation Complex Continues



2024 to present– Phase 2 under construction utilizing \$300,000 American Rescue Funds matched with \$300,000 DCNR Grant to complete perimeter trail network, install comfort station, and install 2 multi-purpose fields.

Below pictures show installation of the perimeter trail, nearly 1-mile loop around the perimeter of the property.

