MIBOR ECDC 2022 GRANTEE

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\$2,000

Project Overview:

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For more information on the Decatur County Inclusion Park, follow the link: Greensburg Inclusion Park - Greensburg Inclusion Park With support from the MIBOR ECDC, Decatur County is working to build an Inclusion Park for the community and surrounding communities, with a goal to break ground in 2023. Inclusion Parks are thoughtfully designed to provide a safe place where children of all abilities can play together and are developmentally appropriate for children of all abilities. An inclusive playground takes away the barriers to exclusion, both physical and social, providing a "sensory-rich" experience for all.

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- + Improves Quality of Life
- + Improves Community Livability
- + Creates Greenspace Improvement
- + Advocates for Expanding Green Spaces and Beautification Efforts
- + Promotes Cultural Opportunities
- + Increases Community Engagement and Participation
- ♣ Increases Accessibility of Public Amenities
- + Increases Programing at Local Parks and Recreation Department
- + Enhances Parks and Recreation Department Assets
- + Fosters Distinctive, Attractive Communities with a Strong Sense of Place
- + Encourages Collaboration among Organizations, Agencies and Local Government
- + Increases Tourism Opportunities
- + Promotes Unique Visitor Experiences
- + Provides Additional Amenities to Attract New Visitors
- + Increases Safety
- + Improves Standards of Health and Living
- + Promotes Active Living
- + Promote Inclusive Activation and Programming



