

PROP **P** Parks Improvements



370 Lakeside Park Archery Range

St. Peters' Proposition P was approved by more than 68% of voters in August 2012, and in January 2013 the City started collecting an extra four-tenths of a cent sales tax on purchases made in St. Peters.

Because of Proposition P, visitors to our Senior Center are playing cards and eating lunch at brand new tables, and working out on some new fitness equipment.

Over at the Rec-Plex, swimmers and divers in the natatorium receive information on a brand new state-of-the-art scoreboard, and skaters can appreciate the new sound system in the ice rink.

The Parks Department does a great job providing a place for our residents to relax and play. And, now, thanks to Proposition P, our Parks staff is busier than ever.

A new scoreboard and field lights have been installed at the football field at Brown Road Park, and children visiting Shady Springs Park get to enjoy new playground equipment.

Field 18 at City Centre Park has new sideline turf along with an irrigation system. The soccer fields at Woodlands Sports Park received lights on fields 2 and 3, and parents will be grateful for a much-needed restroom facility to be built near fields 26, 27 and 28 in the northwest portion of the park. A new restroom with concession stand is also planned for Sports Center Park.

Thanks to Proposition P, 370 Lakeside Park is continuing to grow. An archery range is now complete at 370 Lakeside Park with both ground and elevated archer positions open to the public.

Construction began on the corporate pavilion complex at 370 Lakeside Park along with additional parking. Our talented City staff takes on as much of the work as possible on the projects throughout our parks and recreation facilities. This helps to keep project costs as low as possible.

These parks projects are just the beginning; there are plenty more to come.



Please help us welcome the following businesses to St. Peters. More information can be found about these businesses on our business directory at www.stpetersmo.net.

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 BADWAN LLC
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 CELFY
 CORE CONCEPTS CHIROPRACTIC LLC
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 CROSSFIT O'FALLON
 THE DAILY DOSE LLC

DOLLAR CENTRAL
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PROP **P** Storm Water Basin Construction Begins

This spring, earth-moving equipment arrived at Country Lake Estates' storm water detention basin to usher in a new era of storm water control in St. Peters. Many similar projects will follow in the coming months.



A project funded by Proposition P is reconstructing Country Lake Estates' storm water detention basin off of McClay Road.

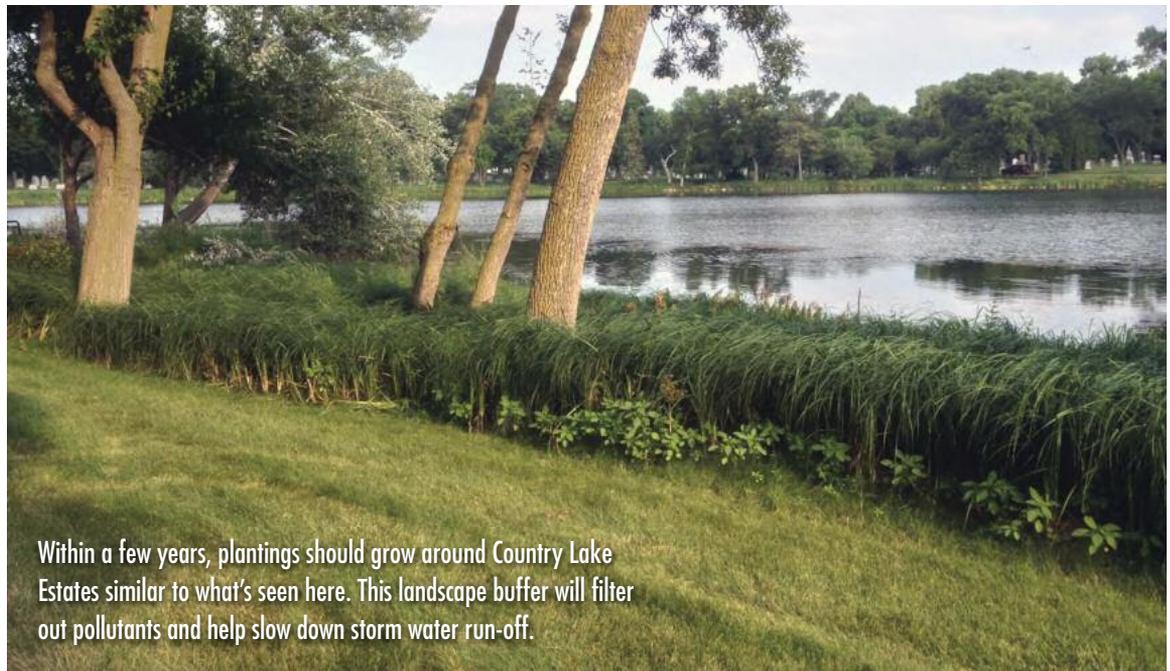
Storm water detention basins vary in appearance. Some are small ditch-like structures that help move along storm water. Other basins hold water year-round. A healthy storm water detention basin filters out pollutants as storm water slowly releases from the basin to nearby streams.

In St. Peters, storm water detention basins have historically been the responsibility of homeowners associations. Through time, many storm water basins have failed to do the job of filtering pollutants and slowing the release of storm water during heavy rains. Many of our community's 249 storm water detention basins need help.

St. Peters' voters passed Proposition P in 2012 to authorize a four-tenths of a cent sales tax to pay for storm water and parks improvements and maintenance. This new revenue is making it possible for the City to reconstruct storm water detention basins and restore streams as part of a plan to improve water quality and address neighborhood flooding in our community.

The project at Country Lake Estates off of McClay Road is a good example of how St. Peters intends to improve neighborhood detention basins in the coming years. A contractor is working to stabilize the shoreline and install native plants to provide a landscape buffer that will do two things: 1) filter out pollutants before they reach the basin, and 2) help slow down storm water run-off, spreading it out and soaking it into the ground. This will improve water quality and address neighborhood flooding issues for everyone who lives downstream from the storm water improvements.

One feature of the Country Lake Estates project is a sediment "forebay." This is a small pool located near the basin's inlet that traps and settles out



Within a few years, plantings should grow around Country Lake Estates similar to what's seen here. This landscape buffer will filter out pollutants and help slow down storm water run-off.

sediment and heavy pollutants before they reach the main basin. Forebays help with basin maintenance because it's easier and less costly to remove sediment stored in a small area rather than tackle sediment buildup in the larger basin.

Since the passage of Proposition P, City of St. Peters staff has received signed agreements from a number of homeowners' associations to provide the City with easements to both restore and maintain their storm water detention basins. Besides Country Lake Estates, Proposition P projects are expected to start in 2014 in Country Creek, Canyon Creek, St. Peters Villas, McClay Valley, Henry Street Sewer, Homestead Estates, Pegasus Farm, Willott Square, Englewood, Country Crossing/Country Crossing Estates, Ohmes Farm, Crescent Hills/Springwood, Applewood, Enwood and Highlands.

To learn more about Proposition P projects, go online to www.stpetersmo.net and click on Proposition P Projects on the left-hand side of the home page.