









The Department Of Public Works is seeking funding in the amount of \$816,793 for improvements to the Centerville playground.

The playground does not meet current safety standards with worn, out of date wooden structures that need replacement.

Improvements would include:

- Community playground development workshops.
- The playground should reflect the character of the community.
- New accessible playground equipment.
- New accessible access path.
- Installation of compliant surfacing.
- Grading to fill 3 or 4 feet of the existing hollow to create an accessible path.
- Seating / Shade
- Landscaping
- Water bottle filling station

This work is the first phase of a multi-phase approach to improvements at the site.

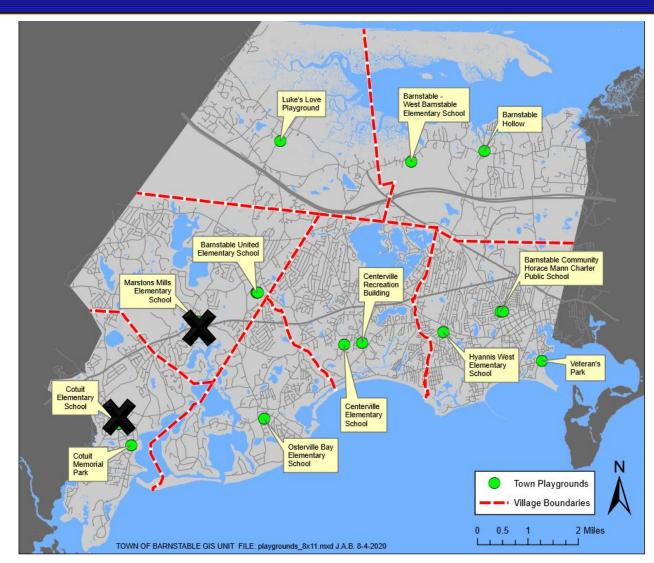


Barnstable Playgrounds



There are 11 playgrounds located throughout the 7 Villages of Barnstable.

•Hyannis	(3)
Barnstable	(2)
•W. Barnstable	(1)
Centerville	(2)
Marstons Mills	(1)
Osterville	(1)
•Cotuit (1)	. ,



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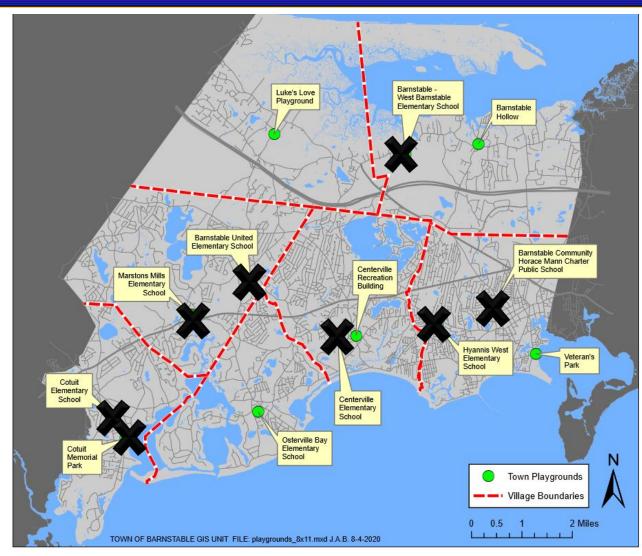
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- •Of the 11 only 5 are available to the public.
- •Of the 5, only 2 are accessible.

•Hyannis	(1)
Barnstable	(1)
•W. Barnstable	(1)
Centerville	(1)
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Benefits of this location

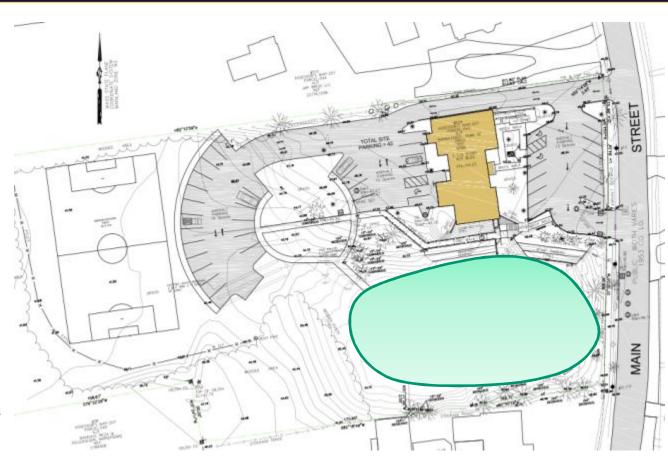
Centrally located in the center of the village

- Candy stores
- •lce-cream
- •Shopping

Located in a historic district.

Sloped site will allow for accessible access to a higher elevation.

Play area contained within a defined area.

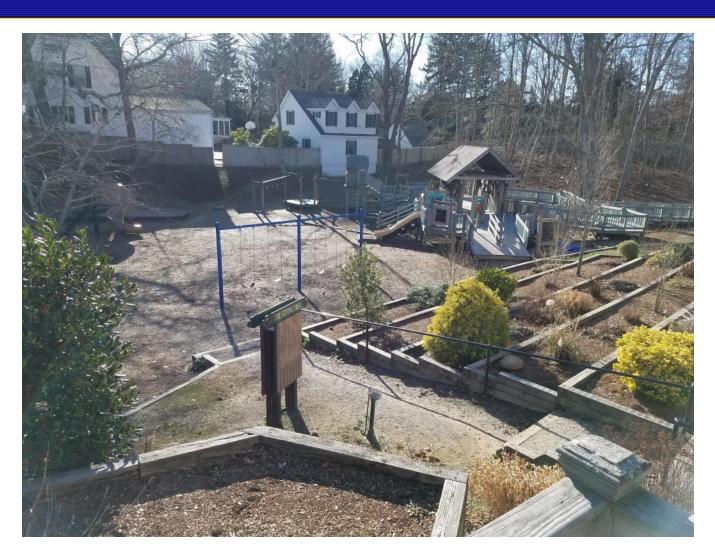




Centerville Playground Existing Conditions



- The playground is not accessible
- Some equipment is aged and outdated.
- Some equipment does not meet current play and safety standards.
- Surfacing is inadequate



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Playground Benefits To The Community

- •Attracts families to the community
- •Shows that it is a friendly place to be
- •Engage long time residents
- •Encourage young people to get outside
- •Encourages community interaction
- •Increased visitation to surrounding businesses.

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Play Considerations

- •Early childhood play area (2 to 5 years)
- •Older play area (6 to 12 years)
- Challenging play
- Accessible equipment
- Appropriate for the community



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