



WALNUT PARK PLAY AREA

PROJECT UPDATE

12/06/2022

Thank you for your interest in the Improvements to Walnut Park Play Area!



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- Construction is proceeding at Walnut Park Play Area.
- Pre-cast concrete curbs are being installed along the Walnut Park side of the site and the back of the site. The curbs will line the edge of new planting areas, creating space for new trees and lawn.
- The trees that were in decline have been taken down to remove any potential hazards, including the two silver maples along Walnut Ave. and the stumps have been ground.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION:

- The playground will be closed for use through construction. We anticipate a playground reopening in Spring 2023.
- Construction vehicles will be using on-street parking spaces adjacent to the park on Walnut Ave and Walnut Park during business hours.
- During this closure, please visit another nearby park:
 - **Crawford Street Play Lot**, 320 Walnut Ave, Roxbury (on the Crawford Street side of the park)
 - **Trotter School Playground**, 59 Waumbeck Street, Roxbury
 - **El Parquesito Playground**, Franklin Park, 450 Walnut Ave, Roxbury

OTHER ITEMS:

Please use [311](#) to document non-emergency issues relating to park use, and 911 for emergency situations relating to public safety.

PROJECT WEBSITE: <https://www.boston.gov/departments/parks-and-recreation/improvements-crawford-street-and-walnut-avenue-playgrounds>

Please reach out with any additional questions:

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