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Godwin Community Park Receives State Grant

GODWIN, NC – The Town of Godwin and the Fayetteville-Cumberland Parks and Recreation Department have received a \$150,000 North Carolina Parks and Recreation Trust Fund (PARTF) grant to develop Godwin Park.

Mayor Deborah Godwin said the town recently purchased approximately 34 acres, of which 12.2 acres in the town limits will be devoted to the neighborhood park. The Fayetteville-Cumberland Parks and Recreation Department will develop 6.37 acres of the land this fiscal year as Phase I, and the remaining 5.83 acres will be developed at a later date as Phase II.

The total cost of the project is \$300,000. The Town of Godwin, Cumberland County and Fayetteville-Cumberland Parks and Recreation will provide the matching funds and resources.

“The development of the Godwin Park was contingent upon the PARTF grant and now we can move forward with this project,” said Mayor Godwin.

“This is a dream come true. Having lived in Godwin my entire life, I’ve heard more than once that Godwin needed a park – a place that encourages outdoor activities with family and friends. Now our citizens in Godwin and northern Cumberland County will enjoy good physical activity without having to travel away from home. I look forward to seeing more folks out and about – both young and old,” she said.

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