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## CITY OF CHINO HILLS TO CELEBRATE GRAND REPOPENING OF COMMUNITY PARK ON SEPTEMBER 6 FOLLOWING \$10 MILLION REHABILITATION PROJECT

Chino Hills, CA – The City of Chino Hills invites the community to celebrate the grand reopening of Chino Hills Community Park, located at 3280 Eucalyptus Avenue, on Saturday, September 6 with a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 8:30 am. After the ribbon-cutting guests are invited to stay to receive a free City of Chino Hills cooling towel giveaway (while supplies last), and enjoy light refreshments, fun craft activities for kids provided by Mobile Recreation, and speak with City staff about the project until 11:00 am.

Major highlights of the project include the complete revamping of all six ball fields with replacing or installing new artificial turf. Parking capacity was expanded with the addition of 84 new spaces by paving the grass area at the southwest corner of the park near the Eucalyptus Loop trailhead. Improvements also included exterior repair work, repainting, infrastructure upgrades to existing park buildings and fencing, and landscaping improvements throughout the park.

Community Park originally opened in its current location in 2007 after relocating from the corner of Grand and Peyton Avenue. Since then, it has become a hub for youth sports and recreation enjoyed by tens of thousands of residents and visitors each year. The multi-phase \$10 million rehabilitation project was designed to modernize facilities, improve ball field conditions, and enhance the experience for the thousands of residents who use the park each year. Construction was completed in phases between November 2022 and August 2025 to minimize disruptions to youth sports groups.

The total project cost for the Community Park rehabilitation project is \$10.1 million and was funded in support with \$250,000 from San Bernardino County Supervisor Curt Hagman, and \$1 million by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding. The remaining \$8.8 million was funded by the City's General Fund, Parks Maintenance, and various Community Facilities District Funds. For questions, please contact Community Services at (909) 364-2700.