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TEMPLE , TX

MRB Group was contracted by Spare Time of Texas to provide architectural and engineering services to design the outdoor recreation expansion at its current location in Temple. The estimated \$5 million development called Shakers Backyard includes expansion services on the west side of the existing structure towards Kegley Drive.

The Architectural expansion included a six (6) stall batting cage, a "ropes course," a go-cart track, and two (2) sand volleyball courts. In addition to these recreational amenities, MRB designed a freestanding bar and seating area that includes full kitchen access. The design also includes two additional open-air buildings structures; a freestanding pavilion and a shade structure at the batting cage area. The facility expansion also includes site restrooms. MRB staff engineers worked on the site to ensure a flow of drives, paths, and walkways. Circulation was an essential part of this project, so our engineers prioritized this in their design. We also provided a preliminary landscaping plan in accordance with the City of Temple's UDC.

Coordination between the MRB team, the Client, and the independent vendors for specific design components and the dimensional guidelines for each proposed park feature was crucial.

PROJECT DETAILS

Contact: Tanya Mikeska-Reed, A.I.A.

Completion Date: Completed in 2020

Project Role: Architecture



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About MRB Group

MRB Group is an engineering, architecture and planning firm that specializes in municipal support. The firm currently assists more than 150 cities, towns, villages, and counties with design and operational support for public works functions, architecture for rehabilitation of public facilities, and asset management to preserve and maintain critical community infrastructure, like water and wastewater systems. MRB Group also provides long term strategic planning, development reviews and planning board support, as well as economic development services in an effort to strengthen and support local governments and their leadership.