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Recommendations: Asking for **Exception to Fence Height Requirement**

relating to the proposed basketball court fencing as part of the Wilderness Park Playground Renovation project.

Summary: This project is a Playground Renovation at Wilderness Park, which is located at 514 City Springs Road. Installing a fenced basketball court is part of the project. The fence around the court is the fence we are asking for the height exception on. This fence will be 12 feet in height.

Project Description:

The main goal of this project is to provide a safe and updated playground and basketball court. The fence will provide a barrier around the court so that the ball is not going out into the street. The fence must be tall enough to stop basketballs that have been shot at the hoops and the 12 foot height will accomplish this. It is common practice to fence courts in this nature. We anticipate this project will be completed by August 1, 2009.