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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony to Open Lindbergh Splash Pad

Milwaukee, WI (Aug. 29, 2013) – Milwaukee County Parks announced today that a ribbon-cutting ceremony will open the new splash pad at Lindbergh Park, Friday, Aug. 30 at 6:15 p.m. A concert will follow the opening at 6:30 p.m. The park is located at 3629 N. 16 St.

“In my budget last year, I made a commitment to fix Milwaukee County’s long neglected urban parks, and I’m happy the public is starting to see that commitment first-hand,” County Executive Chris Abele said. “This new splash pad at Lindbergh Park will benefit the community for years, and it’s only the start of more positive things to come.”

Families may want to arrive early, because the splash pad will be open from 5:30-7 p.m.

Features of the splash pad include 24 interactive ground sprays, benches, and tables with sun umbrellas. Adjacent to the splash pad is a picnic shelter with restrooms. The picnic shelter has a capacity of 32 people.

“I’m ecstatic to announce Lindbergh Park is now a great central city resource. At its opening this Friday, residents will experience the new amenities and feel how their quality of life is improving,” said County Supervisor David Bowen. “I thank the Justice Team from Incarnation Lutheran Church for their patient efforts, County Supervisor Theo Lipscomb for advocating for this project before I was on the Board, and the County Executive and entire County Board for approving the full renovation in the 2013 Budget.”

The splash pad will be open daily from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. through Labor Day.

Following the ribbon-cutting ceremony, Jon Pierre Gee and AhVantSoul will take the stage for an evening of soul, funk, and R&B.

For more information on the parks, go to countyparks.com

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