

Hidalgo County • Department of Budget & Management

American Rescue Plan Act 2021

Project Name

Precinct 3 Parks Improvements

Project Number

ARPA-21-123-023

Precinct/Department Name

Hidalgo County Precinct 3

ARPA Expenditure Category

3: Services to Disproportionately Impacted Communities

ARPA Eligibility Category

Social Determinants of Health: Other

Project Description

Precinct 3 Park Improvements Project, will include the following parks; Katarina North Park, Katarina South Park, Santos Saldana Pavilion, Los Ebanos Park & Pavilion, Messians Pavilion, and Veterans Pavilion. Precinct 3 Park Improvements will assist in improving recreational parks and pavilions as it plays a critical role in protecting public health. This project will improve the accessibility and function of the Precinct 3 Park Improvements to constituents living in and around Qualified Census Tracts (QCTs), as they will be designed to benefit the health and well-being of QCT populations.

Treasury's Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (CSLFRF) Interim Final Rule recognizes parks and other recreational spaces as methods of creating stronger communities, addressing social determinants of health and confronting public health disparities.

Need Assessment

Precinct 3 Park Improvements will contribute to the community by providing essential park, hike & bike tails, and other recreational services making our community a more desirable place to live, work, and play.

ARPA funds, tends to recreate and renovate current parks by adding more recreational space, restrooms for the public, and better equipment. In addition to creating more recreational space, Hike & bike trails are being created for the community to enjoy outside areas where they can exercise, explore, and create that access that lacks from low to moderate income communities.