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More upgrades coming to Municipal Park

Franconia Township's Municipal Park is more than just a traditional park. It's a place where friends and neighbors come together as a community to share special moments. For generations it's been the site for family reunions, birthday celebrations, and watching your child's first hit in their baseball/softball game.

Just recently, the playground on the Allentown Road side of the park was significantly upgraded for accessibility with new play equipment, a new rubberized play surface, shade structures and Adirondack chairs. But more is coming....

New entrance signs will be installed on both the Godshall Road side of the Park and the Allentown Road side of the park. The decades old 'tot lot' on the Godshall Road side will be replaced with all new equipment and a rubberized play surface in the spring of 2026. Prior to replacement, significant grading work at that location will be done by our Public Works Department to remedy storm water issues. Further, you may have noticed dozens of new trees were planted, with dozens more new trees planned for 2026.

These upgrades are a part of significant investments throughout the park system which included new pickleball, tennis and basketball courts at Branchwood Park and upgrades to the walking path, trail and pond at Enos Godshall Park. The crosswalk at Enos Godshall Park was relocated when the multi-way stop was installed at Lower and Godshall Roads. The new crosswalk removes the former mid-block cross and replaces it with a safer way to cross Godshall Road.

The Franconia Township park system is truly something special in our community. I hope everyone enjoys the improvements, and as always, if you have any suggestions, feel free to reach to me at admin@franconia-township.org.

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