



Park Improvements Project Scheduled for June 2011-Summer 2012

-- **Berkeley Lake Park improvements will begin June 2011.** The park, located at Sheridan and W 46th, is scheduled to be completed in Summer 2012. During construction, residents can expect areas of the park to be closed at various times.

The improvements on the park's lake include:

- Lake Dewatering and Fill Along the North Edge
- North Shore retaining Wall and Berm
- Drainage Improvements
- Irrigation
- Pedestrian Trail Construction
- Landscaping
- Fencing

Beginning in June of 2011, a construction project to improve the north shore of Berkeley Lake will be undertaken. The majority of the \$3,000,000 project is funded by the Denver Better Bond Program with a portion being funded by a Colorado Division of Wildlife Fishing is Fun program grant of \$55,000. This work will involve the construction of a new wall along Interstate 70 and a landscaped berm to help screen the view and mitigate noise from the Interstate. The work will also include a new pedestrian trail, improved fishing access, fish habitat improvements and storm water quality improvements.

The construction will require that the pedestrian trail around the north side of the lake and north shore be closed during the duration of improvements.

To kick off the project, fencing for the current dog park will be modified and during construction a temporary substitute location will be open to the public. The temporary dog park will be located south of its current location along the lake's western shore, northwest of Scheitler Recreation Center. Future construction on the dog park will commence following the completion of the Berkeley Lake north shore project.

The construction project will have no impact on Scheitler recreation center's schedule and normal hours of operation will remain in affect.

Scheitler Center Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri 6:00am-7:00pm

Sat: 10:00am-4:00pm

Sun: Closed

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