

# Strategic Planning of Sports Fields and Lighting in the City of Tucson

*A Presentation  
for the Tucson  
Bond Advisory  
Committee*

*October 9, 2013*



# Successful Sports Fields and Lighting Citywide are Dependent on Capital AND Operating Expenses

- *Capital Funding for New Fields and Lights*

*Impact fees*

*CDBG*

*Bonds*

*COPs*

- *Operating Expenses for Existing Fields and Lights*

*Scheduling – city wide league use; lights on/off*

*Repair and maintenance*

*Testing*



# Proposed Bond Projects that Support the Development of Sports Fields and Lighting

- ***Individual Park Projects***

- Udall Park – Tentatively Approved*

- Purple Heart Park – Tentatively Approved*

- Lincoln Park – Tentatively Approved, Resubmitted with Scope Change*

- Murrieta Park – Newly Proposed Project*

- Kennedy Park – Resubmitted*

- ***Citywide Project***

- City of Tucson Sports Fields and Lighting*

Today we present the individual projects. Next meeting we present the city wide project and an overview of existing fields and lights.

# **PR 4 Udall Park**

## **Scope**

**Design and construction of improvements in accordance with the Udall master plan including new lighted sports fields, ramadas with picnic amenities, restrooms, walking paths and associated park landscaping, irrigation and parking.**

## **Requested Funding**

**\$4,000,000**

## **Status**

**Tentatively Approved by Pima County Bond Advisory Committee**

# **PR 29 Purple Heart Park**

## **Scope**

**Design and construction of an expansion of Purple Heart Park per the master plan including basketball courts, Little League fields, a soccer field, a children's play ground, ramadas with picnic amenities, jogging/walking path, volley ball courts, landscaping, irrigation, lighting and parking.**

## **Requested Funding**

**\$1,500,000**

## **Status**

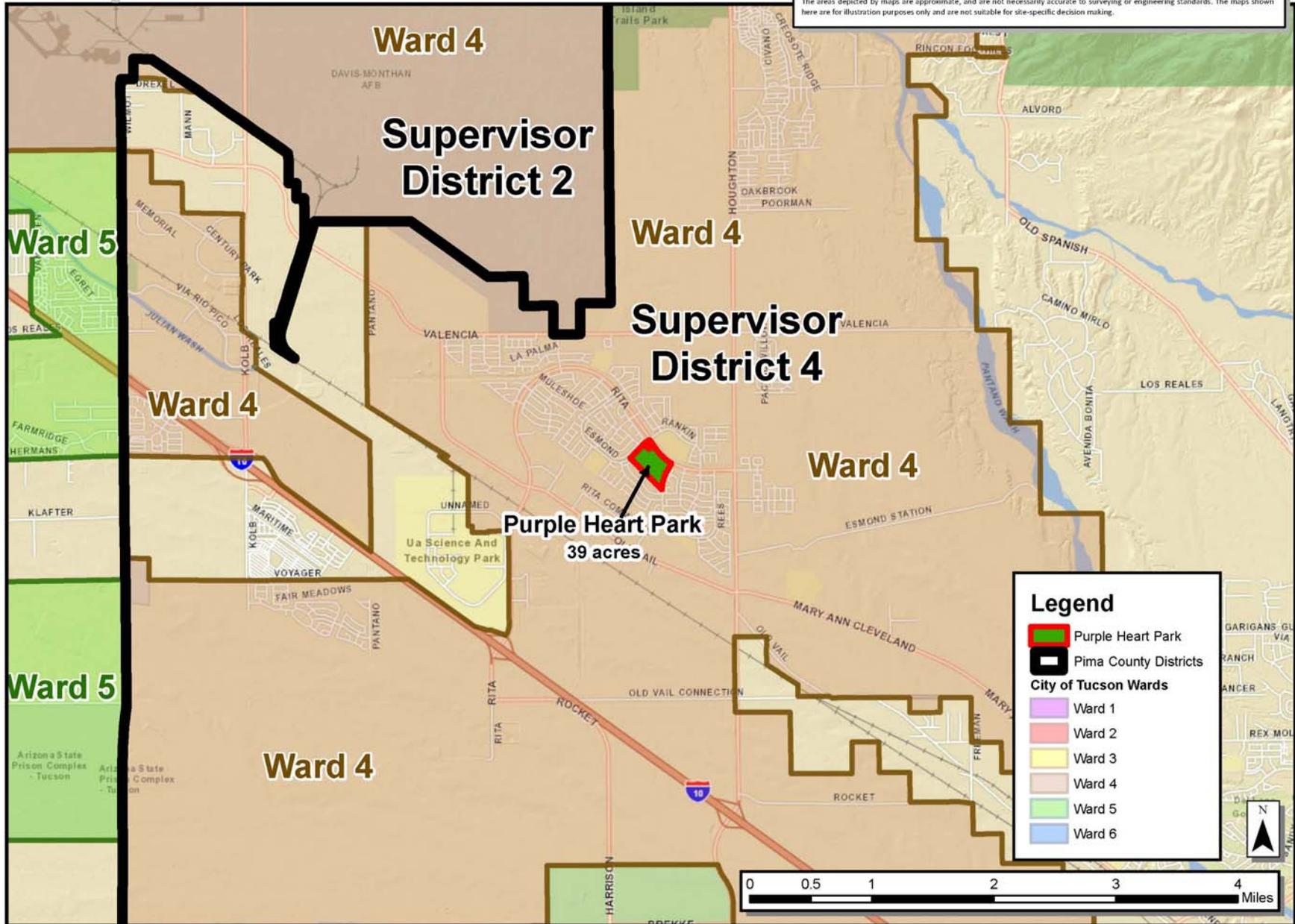
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# Purple Heart Park



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**Legend**

- Purple Heart Park
- Pima County Districts
- City of Tucson Wards**
- Ward 1
- Ward 2
- Ward 3
- Ward 4
- Ward 5
- Ward 6

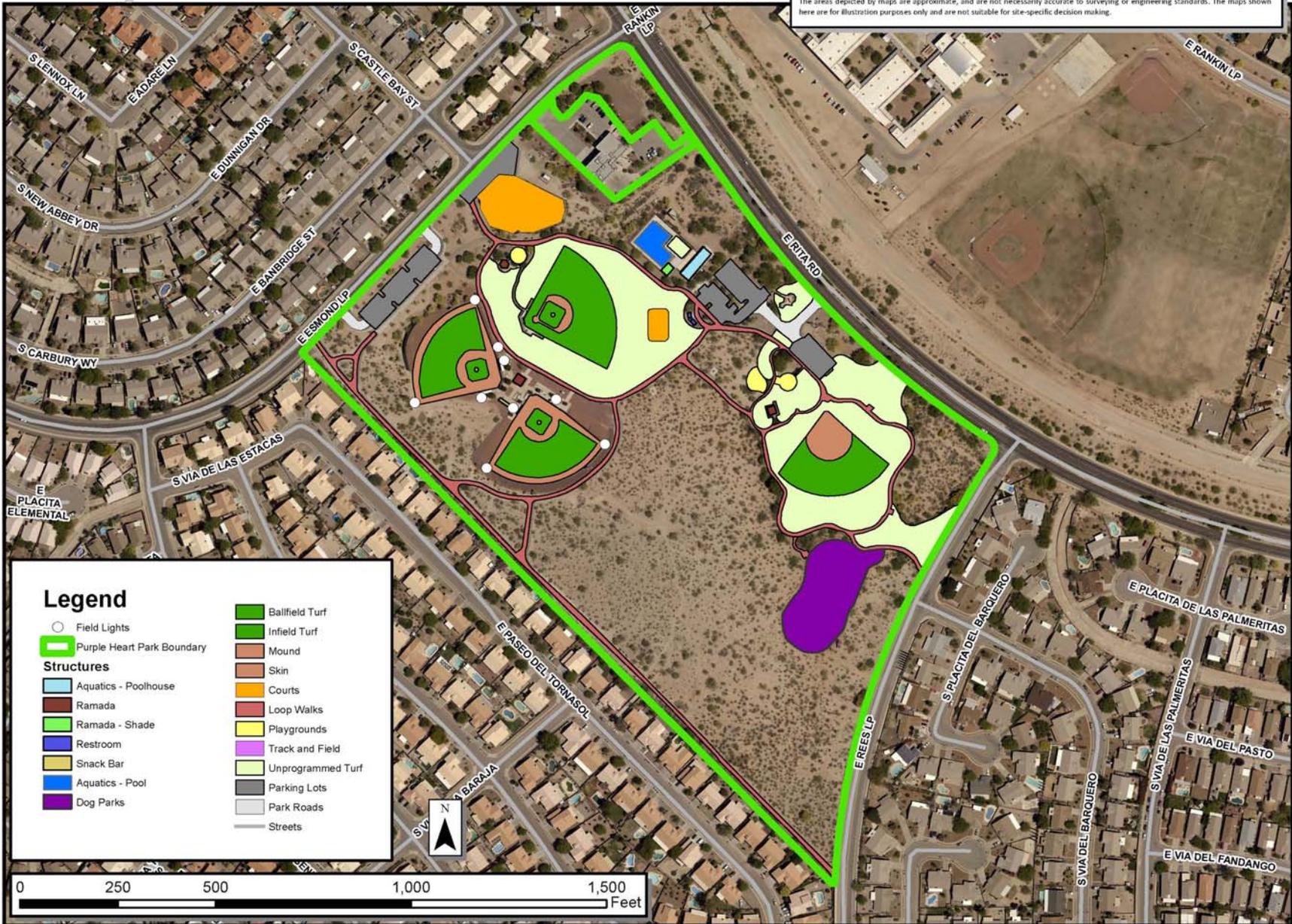


# Purple Heart Park



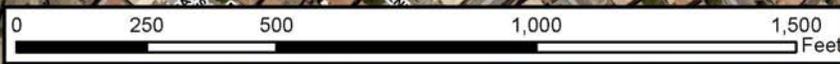
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**Legend**

○ Field Lights	■ Ballfield Turf
▭ Purple Heart Park Boundary	■ Infield Turf
<b>Structures</b>	■ Mound
■ Aquatics - Poolhouse	■ Skin
■ Ramada	■ Courts
■ Ramada - Shade	■ Loop Walks
■ Restroom	■ Playgrounds
■ Snack Bar	■ Track and Field
■ Aquatics - Pool	■ Unprogrammed Turf
■ Dog Parks	■ Parking Lots
	■ Park Roads
	— Streets









# PR 28 Lincoln Park

## Scope

Design and construction of two soccer fields or a new four field complex with lights and associated amenities.

## Requested Funding

\$1,500,000

## Status

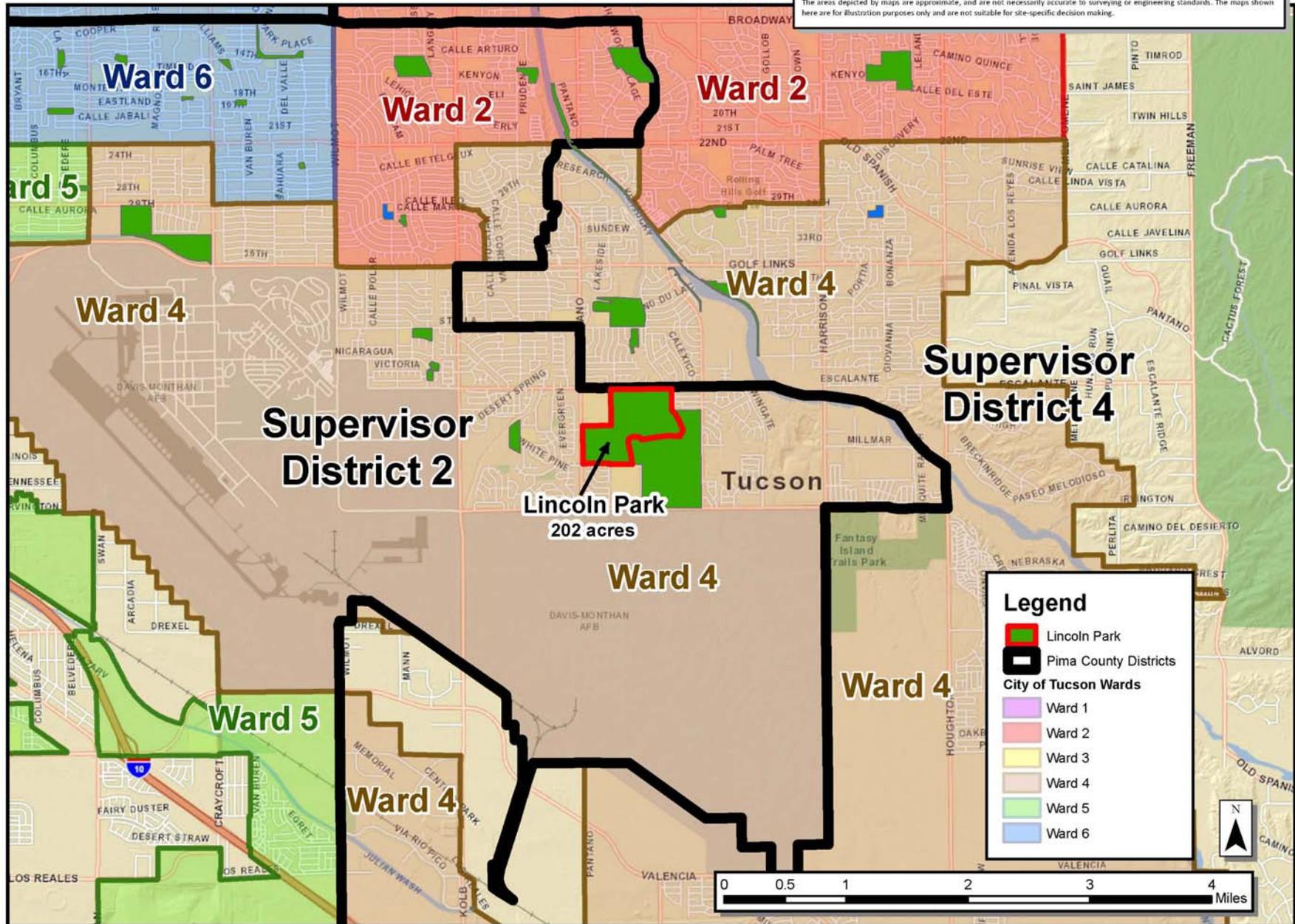
Tentatively Approved with changes submitted 2013

# Lincoln Park



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**Supervisor District 2**

**Supervisor District 4**

**Lincoln Park**  
 202 acres

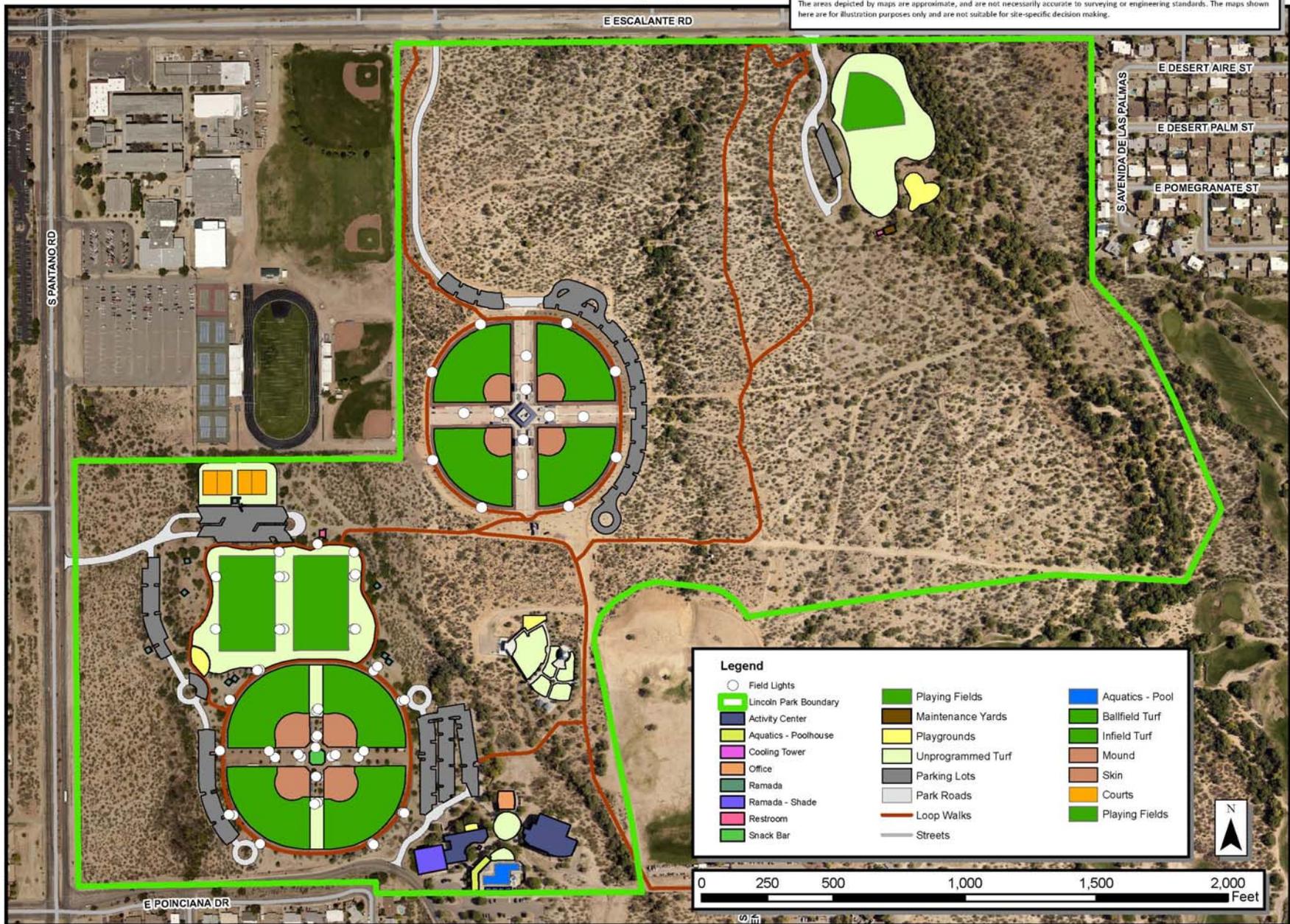
**Legend**

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- City of Tucson Wards**
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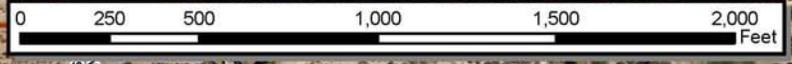
# Lincoln Park



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Legend		
○ Field Lights	■ Playing Fields	■ Aquatics - Pool
■ Lincoln Park Boundary	■ Maintenance Yards	■ Ballfield Turf
■ Activity Center	■ Playgrounds	■ Infield Turf
■ Aquatics - Poolhouse	■ Unprogrammed Turf	■ Mound
■ Cooling Tower	■ Parking Lots	■ Skin
■ Office	■ Park Roads	■ Courts
■ Ramada	■ Loop Walks	■ Playing Fields
■ Ramada - Shade	■ Streets	
■ Restroom		
■ Snack Bar		

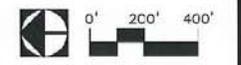




THIS PROJECT

LOCATION MAP  
T-14-S, R-15-E, SEC 33 CASM  
Pima County, Arizona 2" = 1 MI

- Legend**
- Ramada
  - Bleachers
  - ◆ Concessions/Restrooms
  - Maintenance Yard (30x30 enclosed building + 30x30 covered work area)
  - Proposed Unpaved Walking Path
  - Existing Walking Path
  - Proposed Paved Path
  - ▭ Paved entry roads & parking, New curb & gutter to match existing.
  - Chain Link Fence
  - Post & Cable Barrier
  - Retaining Wall/ Slope
  - Approximate Limits Riparian Area
  - Warm-up Area



# Lincoln Park Softball Complex

## Master Plan



Lincoln Park Softball Complex





10.12.2011









02.09.2009

# PR 28 Murrieta Park

## Scope

Design and construction of improvements to Murrieta Park based on recent master planning to include a new tournament level sports complex with fields, irrigation, concession stands and bleachers as well as a new pool, multiuse paths and other related park infrastructure.

## Requested Funding

\$5,000,000

## Status

Newly submitted 2013

# PR 46 Kennedy Park

## Scope

Design and construction of improvements to Kennedy Park including field renovations, new lighting systems, new irrigation systems and a concession stand.

## Requested Funding

\$2,500,000

## Status

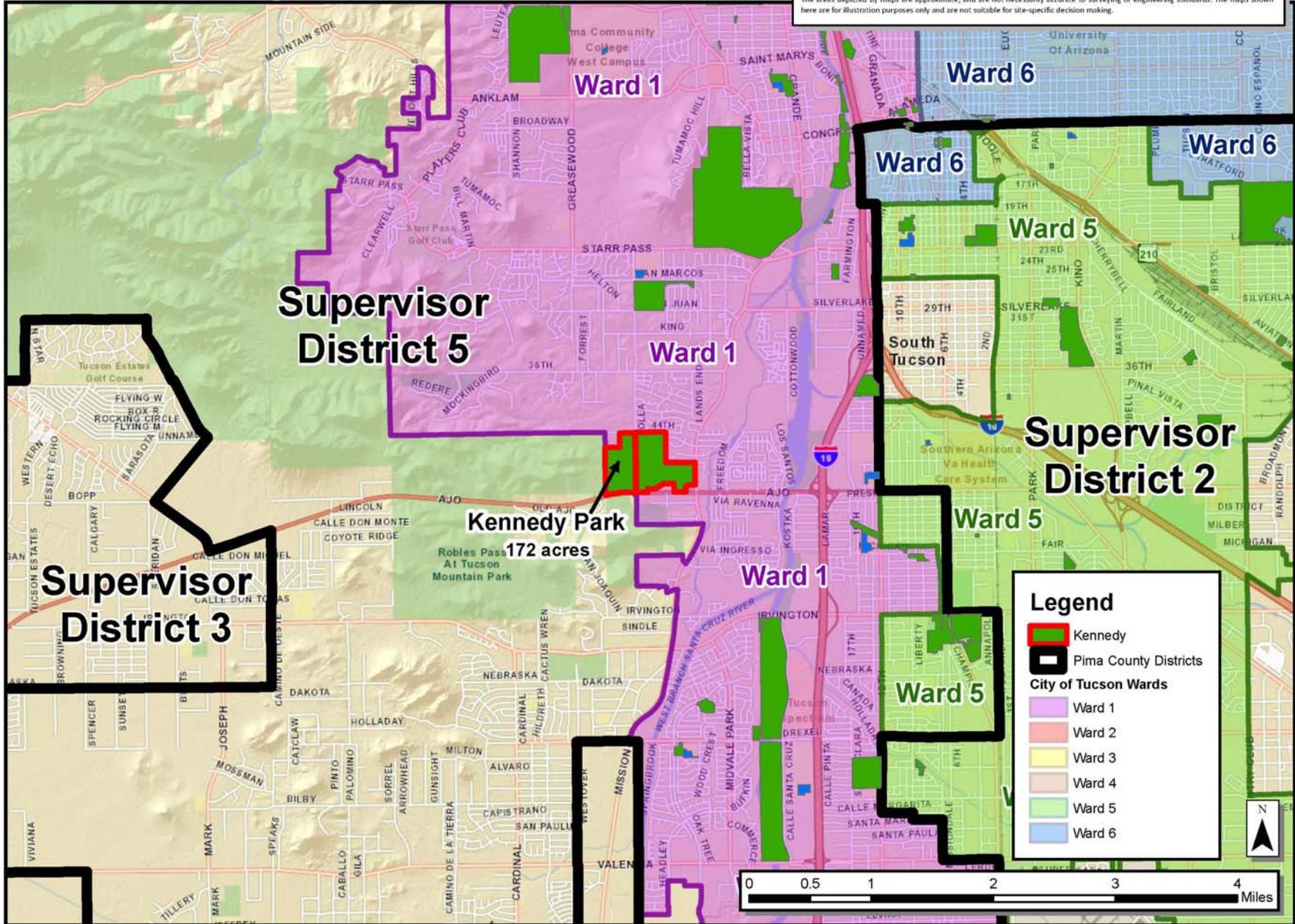
Resubmitted 2013

# Kennedy Park



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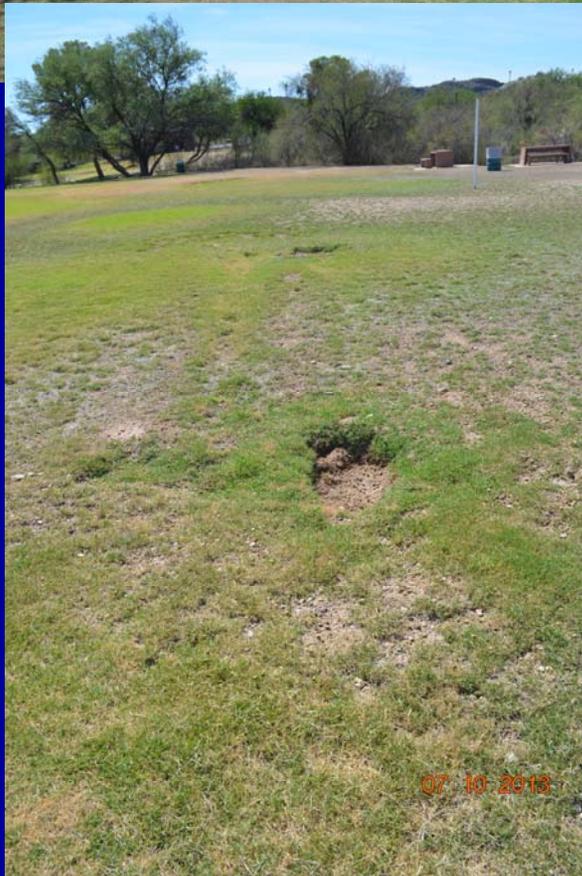
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# PR 46 Kennedy Park

## Previous Submittal

**Funding - \$800,000**

**Scope - “ramadas with associated picnic amenities, renovation and conversion of the old marina building into a waterfront ramada, and adding lights to two existing soccer facilities.”**

**The original submittal was not recommended by the Pima County Bond Advisory Committee for inclusion into the bond issue.**