The Big Sky Community Organization

Community Park Renovation - Camp Big Sky



Our Work

Big Sky Community Organization (BSCO) exists to strengthen community life in Big Sky by providing accessible recreation, shared spaces, and programs that support connection, health, and belonging for everyone in Big Sky.

As our community continues to grow, BSCO plays a critical role in ensuring that dedicated community-infrastructure keeps pace—so that residents of all ages and incomes have access to the spaces and services that make Big Sky a place to live, not just visit.

Camp Big Sky

Camp Big Sky is our community's only 11-week, fulltime, affordable childcare option for working families throughout the summer months. Camp Big Sky is a hub for adventure, creativity, and unforgettable summer experiences.

It's new home – **The Community Campus** – will be a vibrant, year-round gathering place designed to meet Big Sky's greatest needs – space to connect, learn, play, and access essential programs. Featuring flexible indoor and outdoor areas, thoughtfully designed yurts, and a central pavilion, the campus will create a true home base for youth activities, wellness programs, community events, and nonprofit services.

In a growing community with limited public facilities, **this campus is more than a set of structures– it's the backbone of a healthy, connected Big Sky.**

111

campers served in 2025

80

families supported in 2025

74.2%

lower weekly tuition than other camps in Big Sky

Community Impact



The Community Need

Big Sky's long-term livability depends not only on housing, but on the **community infrastructure that allows working families to truly thrive here.** As our town and region continues to grow, the need for dedicated, year-round spaces for childcare, youth programming, and community connection has become increasingly urgent.

This need is accelerating with the Coldsmoke neighborhood coming online, which will add more than 380 new workforce housing units to Big Sky. As more families move into the community full-time, demand for reliable childcare, structured youth programming, and shared gathering space will grow significantly—yet some of our existing facilities remain limited and outdated.

Camp Big Sky plays a vital role in meeting this need by providing safe, enriching programming that allows parents and caregivers to work, contribute to the local economy, and stay rooted in the community. **The Community Campus expansion is the next critical step in building the dedicated spaces Big Sky needs now—creating a legacy asset that will support working families and strengthen community life well into the future.**

Meeting The Need

Camp Big Sky

The expansion and relocation of Camp Big Sky will allow for more families and youth the opportunity of affordable and accessible childcare throughout the summer months.

The new campus includes

- Three 4-season yurts
- Dedicated bathrooms with flushing toilets
- River access
- Private parking and drop off zone
- Open space
- Shade pavilion

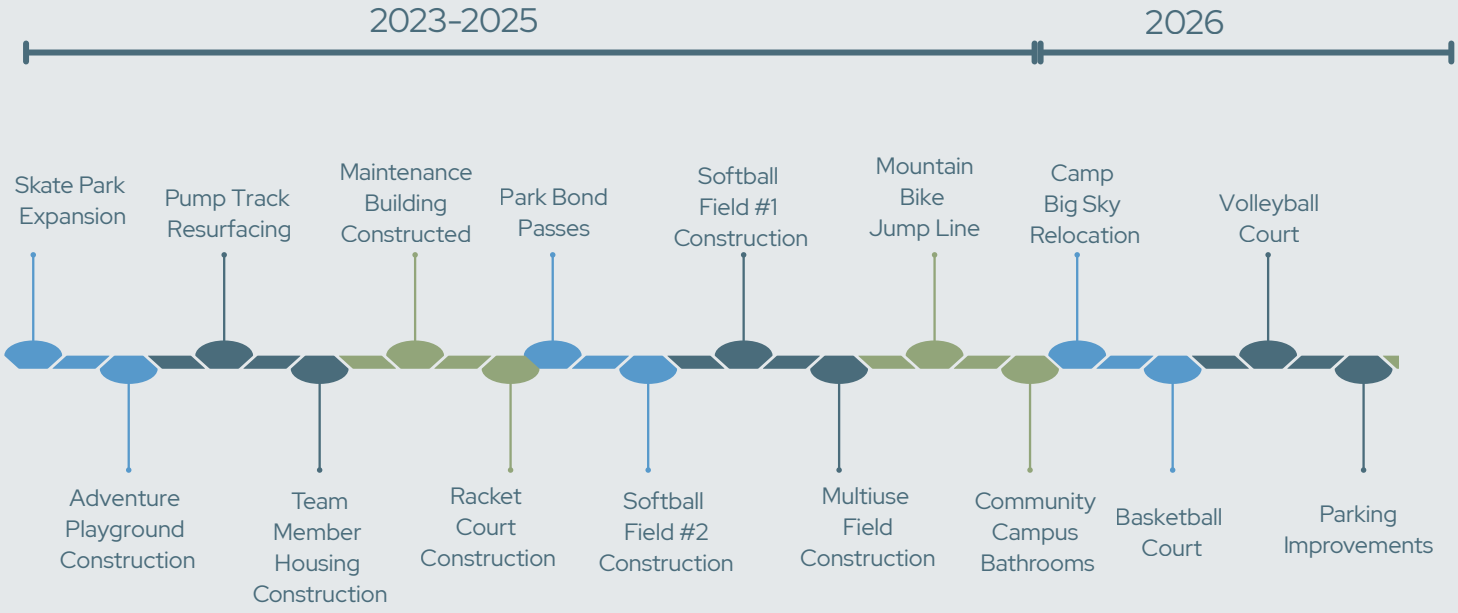
Community Campus

The Community Campus will be a space dedicated to the Big Sky community, intended for year-round programming and events that meet the needs of Big Sky to day and tomorrow. From team building to leadership trainings to yoga retreats and cultural events – this space is built by the community, for the community.

$12M

committed to date

The Story of the Community Park Renovation



Community Support

Thank you to those partners who have already stepped forward to support this relocation!

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