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City of Agoura Hills Partners with Rotary Club of Westlake Village On Inclusive Playground Project

(Agoura Hills, CA — June 17, 2022) The City of Agoura Hills is pleased to announce that it has joined forces with the Rotary Club of Westlake Village to collaborate on the Morrison Park Play Equipment Renovation Project. The two organizations, along with the Westlake Village Rotary Foundation are launching a fundraising effort to renovate the entire playground area at Morrison Park. The group approached the City with an interest to replace existing play equipment with one that was more innovative and more inclusive. The project's mission is to create an inclusive play space where children of ALL abilities can play together. This playground will now meet the highest standards of ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) by incorporating a poured in place rubber flooring surface. Skylar Goldman, a 5 year old local resident diagnosed with cerebral palsy, is the inspiration behind this playground project.

Both organizations are excited to see the new play equipment and the benefit it will bring to the children and families of Agoura Hills and the surrounding communities. Along with new play, climbing and educational amenities, the project will also include an updated and more accessible path of travel to the new equipment. The total cost of the project is estimated to be about \$500,000. The Rotary Club of Westlake Village will be hosting fundraising activities and events to kick off their fundraising efforts in the coming months. For more information about this project and how to make a donation and/or become a sponsor please visit the website www.morrisonparkplayground.com or www.agourahillscity.org, contact Rocky Sheppard at (818) 597-7361 or email rsheppard@agourahillscity.org.

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