

State Of Maryland

2024 Bond Initiative Fact Sheet

1. Name Of Project		
Annapolis Skatepark at Truxtun Park		
2. Senate Sponsor	3. House Sponsor	
Elfreth	D. Jones	
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)	5. Requested Amount	
Anne Arundel County	\$50,000	
6. Purpose of Bond Initiative		
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of Truxton Park		
7. Matching Fund		
Requirements:	Type:	
Grant		
8. Special Provisions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian	
9. Contact Name and Title	Contact Ph#	Email Address
Delegate Dana Jones		dana.jones@house.state.md.us
David Bernier (EEC Environmental)		(714) 814-5655
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)		
<p>On behalf of the City of Annapolis and with the support of the Barish family, our team (The Annapolis Skatepark, and extension of the City of Annapolis) have been working to secure funding to redevelop the Annapolis Skatepark at Truxtun Park. Our team was developed with the singular purpose of provide support and advocacy for the skateboard community of Annapolis. Our team lead the last redevelopment of the Annapolis Skateboard Park in 2014 which was viewed as Phase I of redevelopment. Our focus is to continue that mission by further expanded and upgrading the existing park.</p>		

11. Description and Purpose of Project (Limit length to visible area)

As mentioned above our organization goal is consistent with the project goal which is redevelopment of the current Annapolis Skatepark. Our previous redevelopment project was completed in a way that the existing features will not be lost as we add to the park. This phase will keep those features, add new ones, and replace the asphalt ground surface with concrete. These improvements will bring the park to the national and industry standard.

Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.

12. Estimated Capital Costs

Acquisition	\$0
Design	\$25,000
Construction	\$350,000
Equipment	\$0
Total	\$375,000

13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)

City of Annapolis Truxtun Park Grant	\$250,000
Barish Family Donations	\$75,000
Legislative Bond Initiative	\$50,000
Total	\$375,000

14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)			
Begin Design	Complete Design	Begin Construction	Complete Construction
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised	16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site	17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete	
75000.00	100s	100s	
18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years			
Legislative Session	Amount	Purpose	
2022	\$700,000	Truxton Park Improvements	
19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee		Project Address (If Different)	
City of Annapolis		160 Duke of Gloucester Annapolis, MD 21401	
20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located	30A - Anne Arundel County		
21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)			
Local Govt.	For Profit	Non Profit	Federal
[X]	[]	[]	[]
22. Grantee Legal Representative		23. If Match Includes Real Property:	
Name:	Roslyn Johnson	Has An Appraisal Been Done?	Yes/No
Phone:	410-263-7958		No
Address:		If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value	
rjjohnson@annapolis.gov 160 Duke of Gloucester Annapolis, MD 21401			

24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site			
Current # of Employees	Projected # of Employees	Current Operating Budget	Projected Operating Budget
0	0	0.00	0.00
25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)			
A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?			Own
B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?			No
C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?			No
D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:			
Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease	Square Footage Leased
N/A			
E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:			
Name of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew	
N/A			
26. Building Square Footage:			
Current Space GSF	5500 square feet		
Space to be Renovated GSF	same		
New GSF	same		

27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion

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28. Comments

While supporting the skateboard community is always enough motivation for a project of this type, this project has extra meaning for our community. Several years ago, Annapolis local skateboarder Tameron Barish passed away. The Barish family understood, on the deepest level, what skateboarding meant to their brother and son. Fueled by their love for Tameron and his passion for skateboard, they have raised \$75,000 in his honor to go directly to this project. Tameron sister Teegan wrote

"In the wake of my brother Tameron's unexpected passing, we grappled with the idea of a conventional funeral, but it felt inadequate for a spirited soul like his. Tameron was a vibrant, talented, inspiring skateboarder and we realized we could honor his memory by transforming the local Truxtun Skatepark he frequented growing up. While some upgrades have been made, the park in its current form does not do justice to the community it served, our beautiful hometown of Annapolis, Maryland. That is why we decided to embark on a mission to revamp the park, create a vibrant space befitting Tameron's legacy and fostering a haven for future generations of skateboarders."