



ROCHESTER  
PARKS &  
RECREATION

# Soldiers Field Memorial Park

## DETOUR INFORMATION



**Excuse our construction and still enjoy the fun!**  
*Easy ways to get to Soldiers Field.*

### Vehicle, Bike & Pedestrian Access

- A 7th Street & George Gibbs Dr
- B 7th Street at Veterans Memorial
- C Solidiers Field Dr **CLOSED TO VEHICLES 8/5**
- D 1st Avenue SW **VEHICLE DETOUR**
- E Broadway Ave & 9th St **PED DETOUR**

### Bike & Pedestrian Only Access

- 1 Broadway Ave at Zumbro River bridge
- 2 Broadway Ave & 12th Ave
- 3 Southwest Trail (coming soon)
- 4 Memorial Parkway
- 5 6th Avenue SW
- 6 George Gibbs Drive
- Bus stop

**Soldiers Field Memorial Park** is a hub of recreational activity in the heart of Rochester. There is something for everyone at Soldiers Field!

**Park Improvements** The Parks & Recreation Department is concluding a two-year, \$22 million project to improve the park facilities including a new aquatic center with a 50-meter lap pool and waterpark amenities for all ages; a new inclusive playground and shelter at Roy Sutherland Park (east side); new and improved courts; and a connection with the Southwest Trail. Learn more by visiting [arcg.is/1uyWO8](http://arcg.is/1uyWO8)



**Utility project at Soldiers Field** Starting in summer of 2024, a project to upgrade Rochester Public Utilities infrastructure will affect Soldiers Field Park. Although no park amenities will be closed, there will be temporary closures of some road and trail sections. Measures are being taken to minimize impact and inconvenience to visitors. Below is a list of traffic changes that park users can expect.

Impacts	Timing (subject to change)
<b>Pedestrian detour:</b> Path from Broadway Ave and 9th Street to the east parking lot.	In place until bridge is replaced.
<b>Vehicle detour:</b> Soldiers Field Drive, and parts of 2nd Avenue and 7th Street SW will detour to 1st Ave. and a temporary road.	Starts Aug. 5, approx 6 weeks.
<b>Lane shifts:</b> Two-way traffic will be maintained. Watch for signs.	Starts July 26.
<b>Parking:</b> Removal of 8-10 parking spaces at the lane shift near the east lot.	Starts July 26.
<b>Pedestrian detour:</b> Additional path closures as needed for visitor and worker safety.	As needed.



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