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City of Monterey Park to Backfill Closed Barnes Park Pool for Safety

The City of Monterey Park is taking proactive steps to address safety concerns by backfilling the closed Barnes Park pool. Due to its aging condition, the pool has been out of service for an extended period and is beyond repair. As a result, all swim programs are being held at George Elder pool.

The empty pool presents several safety risks, including potential fall hazards, the accumulation of standing water, and the breeding of mosquitoes. To mitigate these issues, city crews will begin backfilling the pool in the coming weeks.

Currently, there are no plans for future projects at the site. However, the City is in the process of developing a [Parks System Master Plan](#), which will help identify the community's recreational priorities. Once completed, the plan will guide future projects and funding decisions based on the community's needs.

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact the Recreation & Community Services Department at (626) 307-1388.