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The Village of Spring Grove is proud to announce the planning of a new community sports park! The Vern and Bunny Thelen Family Park, to be built on 25 acres of donated land from the Thelen family, will feature football, soccer and baseball fields along with a skate park, walking path, pavilion and concession stand.

While the community is coming forward with donations of labor and equipment to help offset costs, funding the approximately \$800,000 price tag is difficult as the Village does not have a park district to support a project of this size.

If you are looking for a way to support your community and provide name recognition for your company or organization, please consider a sponsorship. The Village is offering naming rights for the ball fields, skate park, concession stand, pavilion and roadway with the corporate name and logo of businesses like yours for generous cash, service or material donations in the range of \$25,000 - \$100,000. Donations will help with engineering, field construction, lighting, parking lots, equipment, landscaping and other costs for the park development.

Other donation levels will be accepted for scoreboard, bleachers, walking path and playground naming. In addition, a permanent benefactor wall will be erected in the park recognizing all sponsors who donate in the following amounts:

<b>Platinum Level - \$50,000 and up</b>	<b>Silver Level - \$10,000 - \$24,999</b>
<b>Gold Level - \$25,000 - \$49,999</b>	<b>Bronze Level - \$5,000 - \$9,999</b>
<b>Copper Level - \$1,000 - \$4,999</b>	

The minimum donation amount to earn naming rights is \$25,000 for five years. An additional donation of \$5,000 over the \$25,000 amount will equal another year of naming rights. The company with the largest donation of cash, service or materials will have the first choice of naming rights.

Sporting events reach hundreds of residents from Spring Grove and nearby communities. You will receive publicity and recognition and the satisfaction that you have helped your local community. A donation in any amount will be greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,



Mark Eisenberg  
Village President