



Waterfall & Brown Parks

merriam, kansas

Waterfall Park

Concept A: Open Meadow

- Multi-Use fields (entire area north of brown creek)
- Open meadow areas for kite flying
- Restroom (1-south of brown creek)
- Small pond / wetland
- Parking at south end of park (8 spaces)
- Picnic areas
- Shelters / playgrounds
- Trails
- Overlook to waterfall

Concept B: Waterfall Express

- Focus on railroad
- Train ride
- Depot / Shelter / Overlook
- Multi-Use fields
- Large pond for fishing & ice skating (?)
- No parking at south end of park
- Trails
- Native prairies areas
- Overlook to waterfall

Brown Park

Concept A: Neighborhood Green

- Neighborhood gathering area for small craft shows, art shows, etc.
- Formal space with rose garden, interactive fountain, & historical element
- Playground remains in small location
- Parking near playground (25 spaces)
- Shelter (screen) for portable restrooms
- Tennis court remains (add basketball goal)
- Walking connection to neighborhood up hill to west
- Remove south parking lot
- Remove basketball court

Concept B: Sculpture Garden

- Garden theme throughout park for placing art or sculpture
- Pavillion with seating area for outdoor movies & music
- Multi-Use field
- Playground re-located
- Parking connection from 51st Terrace to Booker Drive
- Walking connection to neighborhood up hill to west
- Remove south parking lot
- Remove basketball court
- Remove tennis court