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## Bloomington's Kessler Park to See Enhancements with Support from Supervisor Joe Baca, Jr.

**BLOOMINGTON, Calif.** - In a collaborative effort, Fifth District Supervisor Joe Baca, Jr. announced a series of significant enhancements to Kessler Park as part of its ongoing Revitalization Project. Among the upgrades is the much-anticipated addition of WiFi connectivity.

"We are making impactful strides in our park – from the enhanced snack bar to support our local little league families, to the new WiFi connection ensuring every Bloomington resident has access to the internet," Baca, Jr. shared. "It's a step towards creating a more connected community."

When funds from the American Rescue Plan Act became available, Baca, Jr. strongly advocated for utilizing these resources to integrate WiFi across county parks. "This development is a milestone Bloomington can truly take pride in," he added.

Tony Carrasco, Vice President of the Bloomington Little League, echoed the sentiment during his speech, "I want to thank the support and effort that is put into this community. I've been here coaching for 10 years, and as a dad and as a coach, I'm really excited to see the changes that are going on in this community and the commitment that Joe Baca, Jr. and the county have made to this park."

By Spring 2024, residents and visitors will be welcomed into a refreshed park setting. This includes a 1,383-square-foot layout, decorative shade improvements, modern restrooms, a refurbished snack bar, and state-of-the-art, vandalism-resistant exterior lighting.

"We're all working hand-in-hand to create a space where Bloomington can come together and connect," Baca, Jr. mentioned. "I'm thankful for the county teams, partners, and especially the community members for their input and dedication."

Operated by the Bloomington Recreation and Park District, Kessler Park exemplifies San Bernardino County's dedication to community pride and well-being.