

HOTLINE CASE

2007-3

August, 2007

(Call to the Hotline)

A person called to inquire about a park on Ft. Caroline Road being leased to a developer for a project without any bidding process.

Referred to Inspector General.

IG spoke with head of Parks and Recreation who stated that a developer had approached the department with ideas, but nothing had been done on it. If anything was to be done, it would go out on a formal RFP.

As of 8/2008, there was still no development or RFP for any projects in this area.



Ethics Hotline Case #07-03

Complaint – Works on Rondette Park on Ft. Caroline being proposed without an RFP.

IG Actions Taken: Spoke with Kelly Boree, Deputy Director Recreation and Community Services

Results: According to Ms. Boree, a developer came to the City with some ideas for park improvements; however, no work would be done without first going out with an RFP. Spoke again to Ms. Boree on 8/18/08 and there are no plans to do anything private with this park. It is still open to the public. In fact, Councilmember Yarbrough is interested in adding trails to the park.