

COUNTY PINES RECREATIONAL PARK COMPLEX AT SAMUEL FRIEDLAND PARK

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Urban Design Kilday Studios was selected as part of a team consultants in October of 2003 by Palm Beach County to provide professional services that included due diligence, zoning approvals and landscape architectural services for a sixty-acre district park for the area in western Palm Beach County known as the "Acreage."

The programming for this park included baseball, softball, Little League baseball and soccer fields, as well as a picnic pavilion, barbecue area, and restroom facilities. The park is situated adjacent to an offsite twelve acre lake that provides for aesthetically pleasing views from within the park. In addition, the plans also provided for future equestrian facilities, a Community Center/Gymnasium, as well as a perimeter heart trail. The program also included parking areas sufficient to accommodate the park's needs. UDKS guided the team through the Palm Beach County Planning and Zoning process acquiring all the necessary approvals for rezoning the property and landscape variances needed prior to submitting for Building Permits.

Landscape services provided to the client included, conceptual design, cost estimation and finalization of construction plans for bidding purposes. UDKS also provided construction administration services for the landscape installation during construction. The park was for open for play in the summer of 2007.

Client: Craven Thompson + Associates, Inc.

Site Area: 60 acres

Amenities:

- 30,000 sf community center/gymnasium
- 8 baseball fields
- 3 soccer fields
- 2 tennis courts
- 3 basketball courts
- equestrian ring

