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Play. Every day.

The mission of the Department of Parks and Recreation is to preserve our parks and open spaces and provide essential recreational programs and cultural services in a safe, professional and friendly manner.

The Racine Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Services Department has parks totaling over 1,100 plus acres. Five community centers and many other facilities are



Latest Parks Department News



Support Youth Activities in Racine!

posted on *Tuesday, January 23, 2018.*

Have fun with your friends and family while raising funds for Youth Programs in Racine

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Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Open House

posted on *Friday, January 19, 2018.*

Notice of Open House for PRCS Park and Open Space Plan

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City of Racine, Parks, Recreation and
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How to make a donation to parks

Donations are important to the vitality of the City of Racine and its mission to preserve our parks and open spaces and provide essential recreational programs and cultural services in a safe, professional and friendly manner.

Add to the beauty of a park, make a difference in a child's life, or honor someone or something special by making a gift to the City of Racine Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Donation Program. There are three options for donations:

[Monetary Donation](#)

Your donation can be targeted for a specific purpose, like sponsoring an event or program, or a general donation.

[Bench Donation](#)

The bench program is a unique and lasting way to remember those who have passed, honor those who have made great achievements, or celebrate those who have reached a milestone in their lives.

[Tree Donation](#)

The City of Racine takes pride in its trees. A beautiful tree benefits everyone now and for future generations. It can inspire energy, faith, devotion, and courage and carry forward the name of those memorialized in a living, vital way that grows grander with the years.



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Donation Program

6' Victor Stanley Backless



6' Victor Stanley



6" Burke Pine Series

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Find out about donating a bench:

You can donate a bench to one of the City's many parks. Choose an undedicated park bench to donate, or donate a bench in a new location. We need to review and approve the location. Once approved, we will install a plaque on the bench to recognize your donation.

On your donation application, make sure to include what you want your plaque to say.

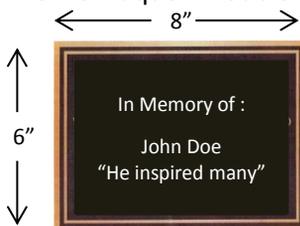
Keep in mind:

- you can't use the plaque as a memorial marker (we don't allow birth or death dates)
- you can't put a logo on the plaque, and
- we will have to approve your message before creating the plaque.

Bench	Existing Bench	New Bench
6" Burke Pine Series	\$0.00	\$0.00
6' Victor Stanley Backless	\$0.00	\$0.00
6' Victor Stanley	\$0.00	\$0.00

- Prices subject to change
- Pricing includes: bench, bronze plaque, cement, and installation

Bronze Plaque – Double Line Bevel



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Donation Program

TIME LIMIT

Donations are on a 12-year cycle. After 12 years, we make a renewal inquiry to the original donor. If the donor chooses not to renew, we will make the bench available to others.

(*Tree and Bench Donation Program Policy PDF will be here...)**

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Complete your application online

Please fill out [the online donation application](#).

* The online application is a hyperlink that will take you to a fillable online form to submit the donation via the website.

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CAN'T SUBMIT ONLINE?

FILL OUT A PAPER APPLICATION

If you can't use our online option, please [print and fill out the donation application](#). (*Link to a printable PDF form)

Submit your completed application to:

City of Racine Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services

Attn: Tree and Bench Donation Program

800 Center St., Room #127

Racine, WI 53403

Email: jaimie.kirkwood@cityofracine.org

Phone: (262) 636-9131

If you mail your donation, we accept checks or money orders. Make payable to *City of Racine Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services*. If you visit our office, you can also pay with a credit /debit card.

Office hours: Monday through Friday
8 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.

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Donation Program

Applicant Information

NAME:

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

FULL ADDRESS:
STREET ADDRESS

<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>

CITY	STATE	ZIP
<input type="text"/>	Choose State <input type="button" value="v"/>	<input type="text"/>

PHONE NUMBER:

<input type="text"/>

xxx-xxx-xxxx

EMAIL:

<input type="text"/>

example@domain.com

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Park Bench & Concrete Pad

Park Bench Details

(FM-314) Victor Stanley Framers Modern™ Series
Backless Bench



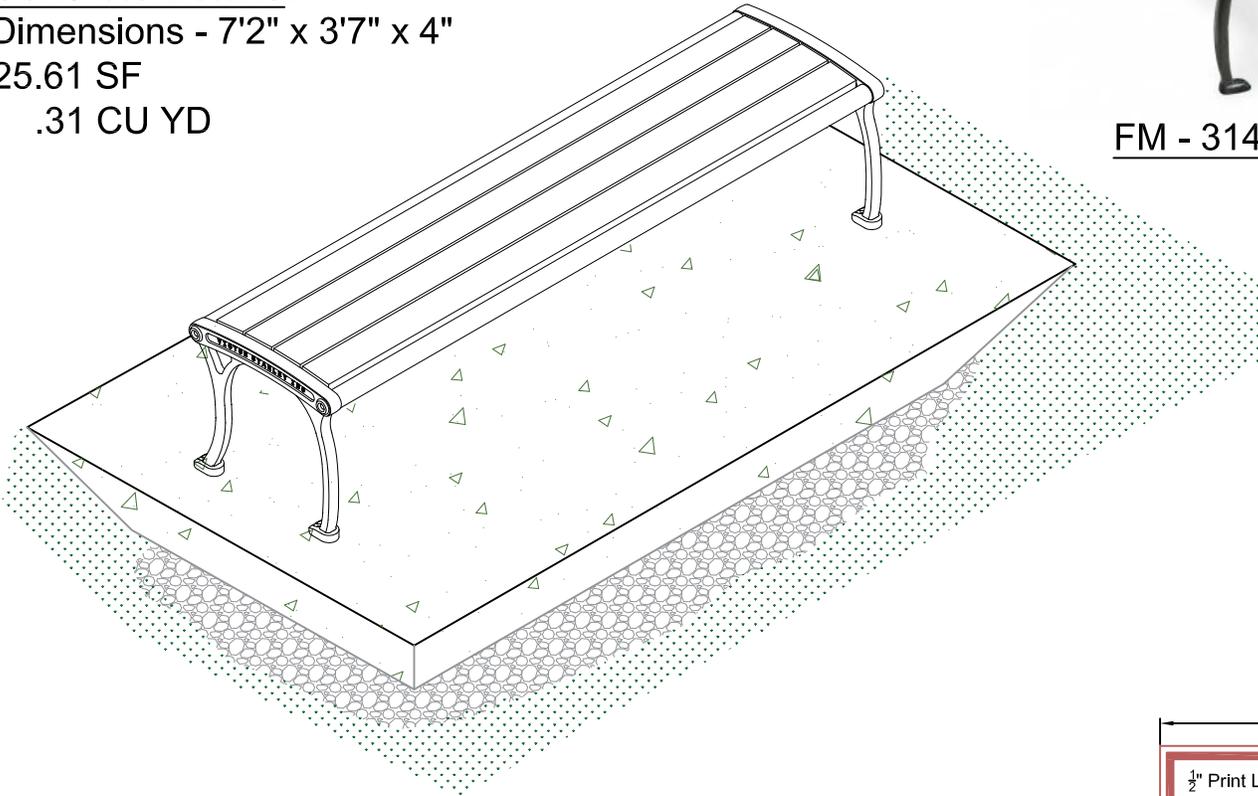
FM - 314 Park Bench

Concrete Details:

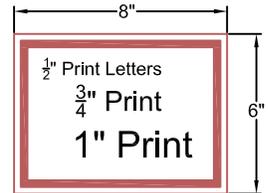
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25.61 SF

.31 CU YD

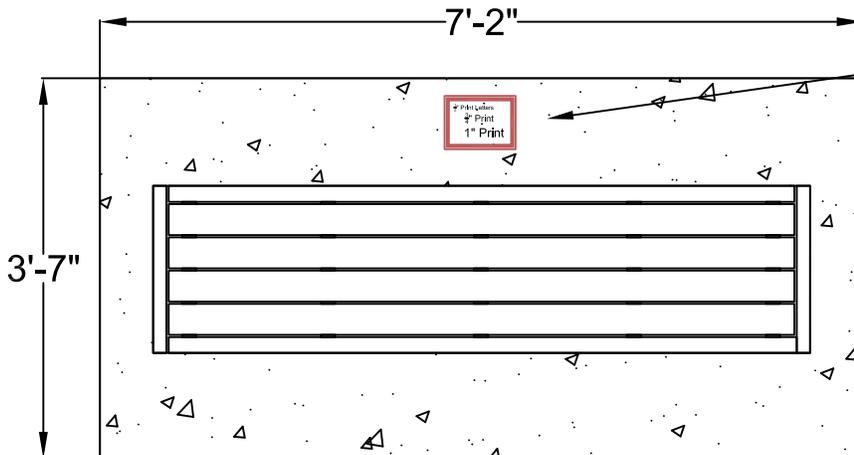


1 Park Bench & Concrete Pad - 3D View



Bronze Plaque

6" x 8" mounted flush with concrete - Not to Scale



2 Park Bench & Concrete Pad - Top View

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	Park Bench & Concrete Pad Details Victor Stanley FM 314	Drawing Number: Schedule "A"
Drawn by: R. Rafael	Scale: None	Date: Jan 2018
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Park Bench & Concrete Pad

Park Bench Details

(FM-324) Victor Stanley Framers Modern™ Series
Contour Bench



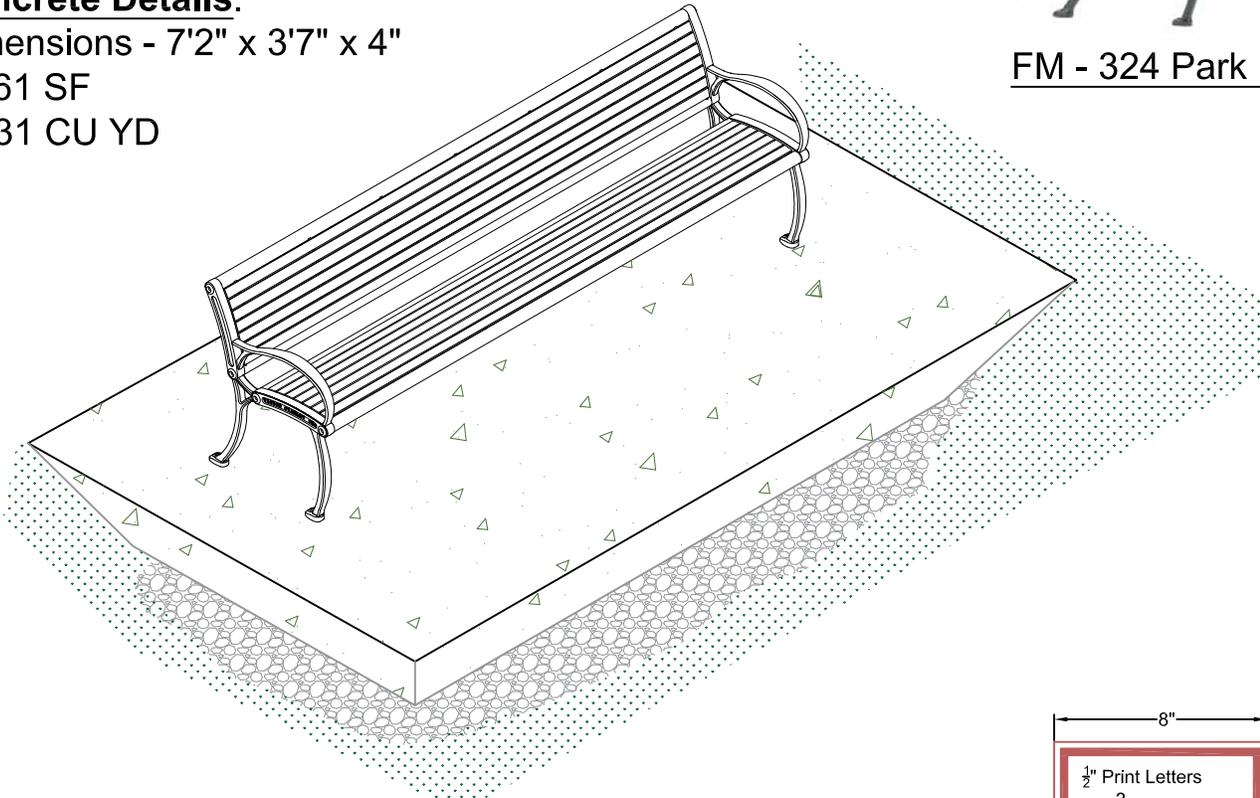
FM - 324 Park Bench

Concrete Details:

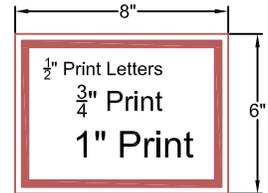
Dimensions - 7'2" x 3'7" x 4"

25.61 SF

.31 CU YD

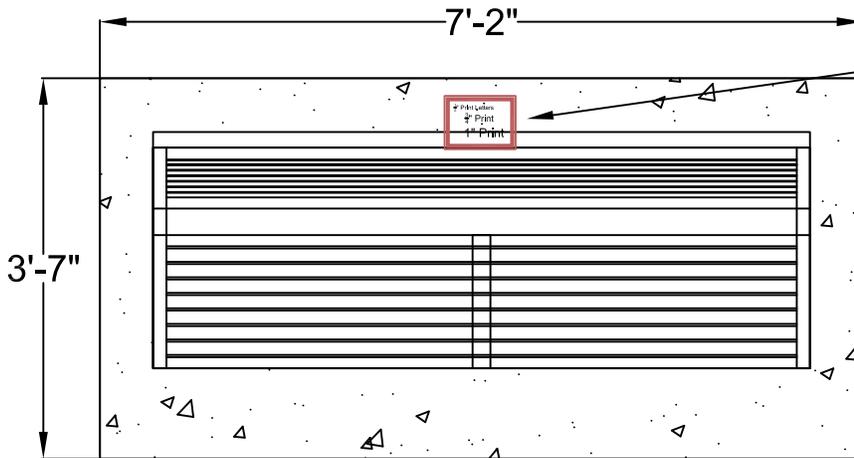


1 Park Bench & Concrete Pad - 3D View



Bronze Plaque

6" x 8" mounted flush with concrete - Not to Scale



2 Park Bench & Concrete Pad - Top View

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	Park Bench & Concrete Pad Details Victor Stanley FM 324	Drawing Number: Schedule "A"
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Standard Park Bench & Concrete Pad

Standard Park Bench Details

Burke 6' Pine Series - Flange Mount

Concrete Details:

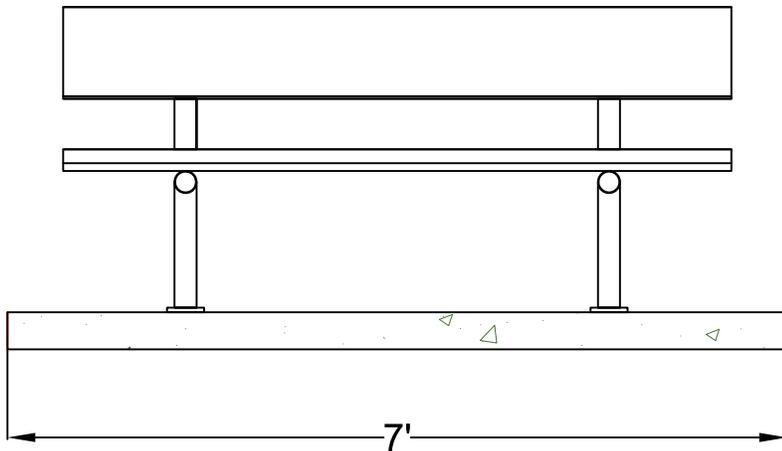
Dimensions - 7' x 3' x 4"

21.00 SF

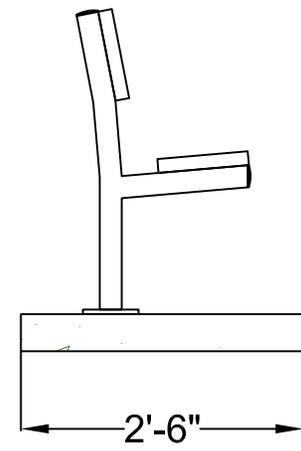
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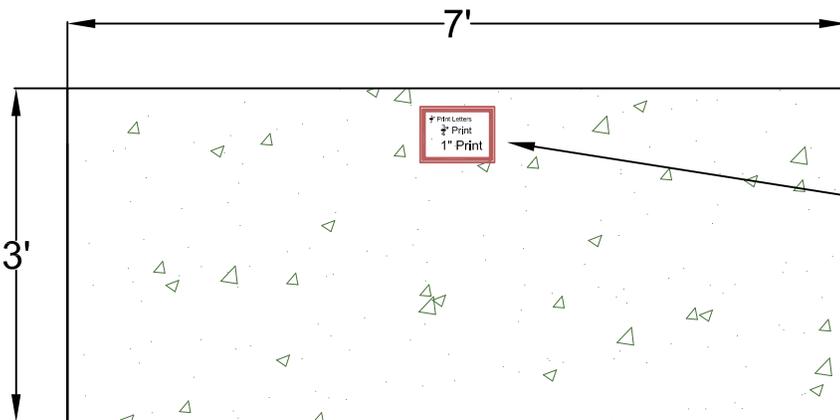
Standard Park Bench
Flange Mounted to Concrete Pad



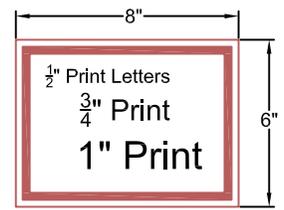
1 Park Bench & Concrete Pad - Front View



2 Park Bench & Concrete Pad - Front View



2 Concrete Pad - Top View



Bronze Plaque
6" x 8" mounted flush with concrete - Not to Scale

	CITY OF RACINE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES		Drawing Number: Schedule "A"
	Bench & Concrete Pad Details Burke 6' Pine Series		
Drawn by: R. Rafael	Scale: None	Date: Jan 2018	Page 1 of 1



Tree and Bench Donation Program

The City of Racine Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Department (PRCS) welcome and encourage donations from private individuals and entities that support the programs and service the Department provide to the public. Trees and benches make a great gift to both our loved ones and your favorite park. Best of all, your donation helps support parks throughout the city!

Park Benches

Donations for new or existing benches are accepted. The bench program is a unique and lasting way to remember those who have passed, honor those who have made great achievements, or celebrate those who have reached a milestone in their lives. A donor recognition plaque will be installed at the base of the bench.

Park Trees

STILL UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Bench	Existing Bench	New Bench
6" Burke Pine Series	\$0.00	\$0.00
6' Victor Stanley Backless	\$0.00	\$0.00
6' Victor Stanley	\$0.00	\$0.00

Tree and Bench Donation Program Policy (Please read before signing):

- This policy is designed to enable residents and park users to support the City of Racine Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services through a donation. Donations will be acknowledged by a plaque. The plaque is symbolic of the donation and does not entitle the donor to ownership of the particular donated element. Donation applications will be due by January 1st for summer installation and May 1st for fall installation. Due to the unpredictability of weather and staffing demands, we cannot guarantee a specific installation date within a given season.
- Complete funding for the donation must be processed before the commencement of any work. The current donation levels are stated herein. These amounts are subject to change.
- A donation period will last 10 years. Within this time, the Department will replace, at no cost to the donor, a park tree or bench recognition plaque one time if it is damaged or stolen. The cost of any subsequent replacement plaques will be the financial responsibility of the donor and must be coordinated through the Department. New park trees will be replaced once within two years of the original planting date if deemed necessary by the Department.
- After 10 years, the donated element will be available for renewal for the cost of a new donation with the first right of refusal given to the original donor. If the original donor opts not to renew, the donated element and plaque may be removed or rededicated at any time.
- The Department retains the right to relocate a donated element and plaque at any time. If an element needs to be relocated, the Department will attempt to contact the donor to discuss alternative locations; the Department will make the final determination.
- For new park trees, the donor may request a specific tree species and / or planting location, but the Department will make the final determination.
- The donor may select a bench from the existing undedicated park benches. A new bench may only be installed in a new location with the approval of the Department.
- A maximum of 3 lines of text and 48 characters is permitted for ground-mounted tree / bench plaques. Text is subject to approval of PRCS.
- The recognition plaque is not intended to serve as a memorial marker; birth and/or death dates are not permitted. Messages should be simple statements recalling the event or person(s) recognized.
- No logos of any kind are permitted on plaques.
- Only tree and bench donations are covered by this policy. A donor requesting any other donation, dedication, or memorial must contact PRCS for further information.

–End of Policy–