

**EBMUD Memorial Park Bench Donation Program**  
**At**  
**Lafayette Recreation Area**

Thank you for your interest in the Memorial Park Bench Program at Lafayette Reservoir. A donation of a park bench is a wonderful way to commemorate someone special and to provide a useful amenity to the park. However, due to the many bench donations received and the limited space of the Lafayette Reservoir, all inquiries are placed on a waiting list and will be contacted in order of date requested as approved locations become available.

To ensure uniformity and to preserve the aesthetics of the park, EBMUD has set required standards for all bench donations. **The District approved standard for the Rim Trail and Lakeside Nature Trail is Du Mor Inc. "Bench 163": 8ft., recycled plastic bench; for the picnic areas, the approved standard is Du Mor Inc. "Bench 88", 8 ft., recycled plastic.** Both benches are ordered through Ross Recreation.

Memorial plaques are optional and are purchased through Ross Recreation. Inscriptions must be approved in advance (in writing) by the EBMUD's Manager of Watershed and Recreation.

The donor must purchase the bench through Ross Recreation and make the necessary arrangements for delivery to the park. Park staff will provide the necessary materials and labor to install the bench at the pre-approved location. It is the responsibility of the donor to resolve any damaged material issues or delivery problems with the manufacturer directly.

The approved bench is commercial quality and is expected to last many years. However, the bench will not last indefinitely and will eventually need to be replaced. The donation is accepted with the understanding that it may be replaced in the future with another donor bench.

If you wish to be placed on our bench donation waitlist, or if you have any questions, please contact:

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