

# Bill LaFave Park



- This park is commonly known as “The Beach”
- In 1923 City purchased “Tindolph Point” for park purposes for \$870.00. In 1945, the City purchased more land for \$600.00. In 1947, additional property was purchased for a sum of \$2,000.00. In 1957, another parcel of land was purchased for \$3,876.23 for parking purposes.
- December 12, 1972, Tindolph Park was renamed the “William LaFave Park” honoring Mr. LaFave, a longtime Park Board Member who devoted time, energy & talent to the recreation system for the City.
  - 1983 – Old bath house torn down & new restrooms built.
  - 1996 – Bank Stabilization Project funded by the Red Lake Watershed.
  - 2000 – River dredged to help with the weed problem in the swimming area.
    - 2000 – Gene Beito family donated tot playground equipment.
    - 2006 – New lifeguard stand built by an Eagle Scout Project.

<b>Location:</b>	Taft Street/Crocker Avenue
<b>Size:</b>	4.13 Acres
<b>Classification:</b>	Mini/Neighborhood Park
<b>Usage:</b>	Swimming, Picnicking, Basketball, Playground