

EDH Rotary steps up with \$100,000 donation to commemorative field Jeff Mitchell Little League Field nearing reality

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Fundraising for the commemorative Little League field in El Dorado Hills honoring the memory of Deputy Jeff Mitchell is entering the home stretch.

Following El Dorado Disposal's \$100,000 matching contribution last month, the EDH Rotary Club recently committed \$100,000 over five years, joining EL Dorado Disposal, Bank of America, Land Architecture and Roebellen as a major contributor.

"Two years ago we said we wanted to either build or improve a sports field," said Rotary President and EDH Fire Chief Brian Veerkamp. "What better thing can Rotary do than to support youth this way?"

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**\$1.2
Million**



TAKE YOUR TURN AT BAT and score a run for Little League players. To donate, visit www.jeffmitchelfield.com. (Note: Project cost and contribution estimates include many cash and in-kind commitments. Overall project cost and final features will depend on total contributions.)

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Organizers insist that a recent "donor breakfast" was more of an information-exchange than a fundraising pitch. Over 50 local construction company owners were politely encouraged to donate "in-kind" contributions of materials or labor. Flat-out cash contributions are also welcome, and would be matched by El Dorado Disposal.

The two recent high-profile donations leave organizers looking for \$100,000 in cash contributions to trigger the match, plus another \$200,000 in cash or in-kind contributions to achieve the \$1.2 million needed to break ground for phase one.

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