

**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**

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Question:

It is stated in paragraph 150 of the Budget Speech that to cater for people's diverse needs for fitness equipment, the LCSD will install some novel outdoor fitness equipment as appropriate when constructing new parks or renovating existing ones, such as the Yat Ming Road Park in North District which is near completion and the Butterfly Beach Park in Tuen Mun. Which parks will be constructed or renovated in the next 5 years? What is the estimated expenditure for each of the projects?

Asked by: Hon LAM Kin-fung, Jeffrey (LegCo internal reference no.: 3)

Reply:

To address people's needs for recreation and sports facilities, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) will review and upgrade recreation and sports facilities from time to time, including the installation of novel outdoor fitness equipment suitable for young users on a trial basis when constructing new parks or renovating existing ones. New projects with outdoor fitness equipment to be implemented/under construction in the next 5 years are listed at the **Annex**. As outdoor fitness equipment forms part of the park facilities, the LCSD does not have separate figures on the cost of the equipment. Subject to its effectiveness and public response, the LCSD will consider providing fitness equipment at more outdoor venues.

**New Projects with Outdoor Fitness Equipment to be Implemented in the Next 5 Years**

<b>District</b>	<b>Project with Outdoor Fitness Equipment</b>
Kowloon City	Avenue Park at Kai Tak
Kowloon City	Station Square at Kai Tak
Kowloon City	Hoi Sham Park Extension in Kowloon City District
Kwun Tong	Improvement of Lam Wah Street Playground and Adjacent Area
Kwun Tong	Improvement of Hoi Bun Road Park and Adjacent area
Wong Tai Sin	District Open Space Adjoining San Po Kong Public Housing Development
Yau Tsim Mong	Open Space at Hoi Fai Road, Tai Kok Tsui
North	Open Space in Area 47 and 48, North District
Tai Po	Open Space in Area 6, Tai Po
Tai Po	Sports Centre, Community Hall and Football Pitches in Area 1, Tai Po
Tuen Mun	Open Space in Site B2, Area 27, Tuen Mun
Yuen Long	Swimming Pool Complex and Open Space in Area 107, Tin Shui Wai

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