



## New Places, New Names: We Need Your Help!

With the construction of our first park well underway and several more amenities at The Tree Farm just around the corner – we are at an impasse! We need your help to “Name That Amenity.” This month, we need your help naming two upcoming features. Community Center: a gathering place for area residents to enjoy social events and activities, swim in the outdoor pools and enjoy the unique landscaping around the center, which reflects the land’s history as a tree nursery. New Park: see our “recent news” section below for details on this great new park/riparian area on the north rim. Next month we’ll be asking for your input on more upcoming community amenities.

## It’s All About the Land at The Tree Farm



Meridian has never seen a project with the amount of landscaping that will be included in The Tree Farm. In fact, according to Steve Ryals, owner of CSMC Landscape Company, the neighborhood has more than three times the city’s minimum requirements for landscaped areas. Ryals said, “A tremendous amount of thought and detail has gone into this project. In addition to planned parks and green space, many areas are designed to be low maintenance and low water-use areas.” CSMC is managing all aspects of landscaping for The Tree Farm, including maintaining 1,400 trees that will be used in the neighborhood.

## Recent News: New Park on North Rim Underway with Riparian Cleanup

We are in the process of conducting extensive riparian cleanup and habitat restoration in what will become The Tree Farm’s first park on the north rim of Meridian. The restoration project includes stabilizing the north rim bank, re-vegetation of native plants, preserving existing trees and cleaning debris from the entire area. Part of the project included utilizing excess irrigation runoff water to create a daylighted water amenity to help attract wildlife and encourage native plant growth.



The nearly three-acre park overlooks the SpurWing Golf Course and provides sweeping views of the Boise river valley, Boise front and Squaw Butte. And all this beauty is easily accessible through The Tree Farm’s advanced network of connective pathways. For more go to our [Web site](#).