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**GASLIGHT
VILLAGE**



1 INTRODUCTION

Parks, Recreation and Open Space are important elements of all communities and reflect positively on the quality of life for residents. In recent years, a more holistic approach to recreational planning has been encouraged, stretching beyond the boundaries of traditional parks to include sidewalks, linear trails, greenways, town squares, plazas and other publicly and privately owned lands. A variety of indoor facilities also serve the recreational and social needs of the public. In addition to the human benefits of recreation and open space, there are also important environmental benefits; such as water resource protection, reduced vehicular traffic, and plant and wildlife protection.

PLAN PURPOSE

The 2025 city of East Grand Rapids Community Parks and Recreation Plan has been prepared as a guide for future decision making concerning recreational facilities and services. This Plan presents an evaluation of East Grand Rapids recreation opportunities and needs. It considers the existing facilities in and around the city, the anticipated demand for additional or improved facilities, and the means for providing those facilities over the upcoming five-year period.

The city of East Grand Rapids regularly updates the Plan both to reflect the changed needs and goals of the community, and to meet the Michigan Department of Natural Resource's requirements for qualifying for Federal and State funding assistance. These funds are available for land acquisition and facility development and improvements to new and existing park lands. Eligibility under this 2025 Community Parks and Recreation Plan will be in effect for five years. It is recommended, however, that the Plan be reviewed and updated, as necessary, every year to reflect



the changing needs of the community. This will also help assure that the capital improvement schedule reflects the actual budget and grant funding schedule.

PLAN SCOPE

The scope of this plan includes the city’s active and passive recreation facilities, undeveloped open space and linear “green” corridors. Recreational programming is also an important consideration. The area of the plan is essentially limited to the city boundaries. However, consideration is also given to neighboring municipal facilities and regional facilities that influence use patterns. In terms of time, the Capital Improvement Schedule of this document covers development over the next five years. However, the Goals and Objectives developed to guide recreation planning may continue to be relevant for many more years to come.





2 COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION

The city of East Grand Rapids is located on the east side of metropolitan Grand Rapids in Kent County, in west Michigan. The city is bordered by the city of Grand Rapids to the south and west, and Grand Rapids Township to the north and east. The location map indicates the relationship of East Grand Rapids to neighboring communities.

East Grand Rapids is 3.404 square miles in area. One of the primary physical assets of the community is Reed's Lake, which covers 283 acres and is one of the larger lakes in Kent County. Fisk Lake, at 28 acres in size, is connected by channel to Reeds Lake.

The city of East Grand Rapids is one of the oldest suburbs in the Grand Rapids metropolitan area. Noted for its quality school system and quiet residential atmosphere, the city continues to enjoy the reputation established early in its development as a quality residential community. East Grand Rapids is primarily a residential community with the 2022 Census indicating a total population of 11,385 people. Gaslight Village is the heart of East Grand Rapids! This vibrant area of shops, restaurants, and service providers has all of your daily needs—from ice cream shops to dry cleaning, and everything in between. In addition to great shopping and dining, there are often events in or near the business district to provide your family with a fun-filled outing. East Grand Rapids features abundant Parks, Playgrounds, and Nature Areas - From the manicured lawn of Collins Park on the shores of Reeds Lake to hiking trails through Hodenpyl Woods and boardwalks extending out into Reeds Lake, there's something for every outdoor lover. Most parks and many of the natural areas are accessible to those with physical disabilities.



Before any recreation plan is adopted and enacted, it is first important to understand the needs of the community and its residents, what recreational opportunities already exist and what future projects and programs are relevant to the residents of the community. This is based on the age, ability, population, density and the availability of recreational in the surrounding communities. This input is a critical component for plan.

The foundation for the development of the East Grand Rapids Parks and Recreation Plan was based on the following goals:

- *Involve the community in the process*
- *Take inventory and map existing recreational facilities*
- *Build a strong foundation of stakeholders in addressing the future recreational needs and priorities of the community*
- *Enable the city to be eligible for financial assistance based upon the Recreation Plan*
- *Facilitate inter-agency collaboration in establishing recreation goals, objectives, and actions*
- *Continue to support and implement improvements for barrier-free universal access to city area parks*
- *Create consistency with and expansion upon goals and objectives set forth in existing planning documents that deal with recreation*

The new Recreation Plan is intended to guide city officials on future recreational and parks projects within the city of East Grand Rapids. Specifically, this plan is developed in accordance with the guidelines for Community Park, Recreation, Open Space and Greenway Plans published by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR). A five-year, MDNR approved Recreation Plan is necessary for the government entities to pursue MDNR-administered grants. This plan is written for the city of East Grand Rapids and it covers all aspects of park facilities and recreation within the community.



SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

POPULATION

As of July 1, 2023 the U.S. Census Bureau estimates the population of the city of East Grand Rapids at 11,429. This represents a 0.4% increase from the 2020 census population of 11,371.

MEDIAN AGE

While the overall population is the most important consideration, there are other characteristics to consider when planning for a community’s recreation. The age distribution of a community influences the types of facilities and programs needed. Table 2-2 shows that the city’s median age is a bit older than the County but lower than the State average. While 21% of the population is under 18yrs., the city should not ignore the other age groups since they still comprise a large proportion of the overall population.

Table 2.2 Median Age (Source: Data USA)	
	2022/2023
City of East Grand Rapids	37.5
Kent County	35.6
Michigan	39.9



OVERVIEW

In 2023, East Grand Rapids, MI had a population of 11.4k people with a median age of 37.5 and a median household income of \$160,417. Between 2021 and 2022 the population of East Grand Rapids, MI grew from 11,381 to 11,385, a 0.0351% increase and its median household income grew from \$145,000 to \$160,417, a 10.6% increase.

The 5 largest ethnic groups in East Grand Rapids, MI are White (Non-Hispanic) (92.6%), Two+ (Non-Hispanic) (2.72%), Asian (Non-Hispanic) (1.62%), Black or African American (Non-Hispanic) (0.975%), and White (Hispanic) (0.755%).

None of the households in East Grand Rapids, MI reported speaking a non-English language at home as their primary shared language. This does not consider the potential multi-lingual nature of households, but only the primary self-reported language spoken by all members of the household.

98.8% of the residents in East Grand Rapids, MI are U.S. citizens.

In 2022/2023, the median property value in East Grand Rapids, MI was \$451,900, and the homeownership rate was 95%.





TRANSPORTATION NETWORK

Major transportation access for East Grand Rapids is a connection to the north-south M-37 via Cascade Road. Other major transportation routes include: the north-south Breton Avenue; the east-west Lake Drive and Wealthy Street; as well as Hall Street and Robinson Road. Plymouth Avenue also provides north-south circulation within the city of East Grand Rapids. East Grand Rapids is on all local public (bus) transportation routes.

LAND USE

East Grand Rapids is a single-family residential community. By far, the largest land use is single-family homes. Much of the land not used for this purpose is devoted to public or quasi-public uses ancillary to the residences; churches, schools, medical facilities, and parks. There are other forms of residential use in the city but they make up a small proportion of the total housing units. The remainder of the non-single family dwellings are two family dwellings that were converted from single family homes. Nearly all of the non-single family dwellings are concentrated in and around the Gaslight Village district. A few are also located in the extreme northwest corner of the city near the Easttown shopping district in an area referred to as the Woodstone Neighborhood. The heaviest concentration of single-family conversions is found along Lovett and Croswell Avenues.

Commercial land use is mainly confined to the Gaslight Village business core, just west of Reeds Lake. Retail uses in this business district range from neighborhood oriented retail and service establishments such as a dry-cleaner, delis, convenience store, and pharmacy, to broader-based stores selling groceries, clothing, jewelry, gifts, antiques, and other merchandise. There is a popular restaurant on Reeds Lake. The largest retailer in the district, Jacobson's, closed in 2002 resulting in re-development of the Gaslight Village area and the influx of a variety of new businesses.



Two other retail centers are located just beyond the city limits: Breton Village Shopping Center, south of the city, and the Easttown Commercial district, west of the city. Breton Village is a “high-end” retail center oriented to the higher income levels of the southeast suburbs such as East Grand Rapids, Cascade, Ada, and Grand Rapids Township. Easttown offers an eclectic mix of specialty shops and galleries, restaurants, coffee houses, entertainment venues.

A few office uses are found in the city as well. These consist primarily of professional offices for doctors, dentists, architects, and sales offices for insurance and real estate. In general, the offices are intermingled with the retail establishments in Gaslight Village. Several professional buildings are also located on Greenwood, north of Gaslight Village.

The largest employer in the city of East Grand Rapids is Corewell Health, with the Blodgett campus located off Wealthy at the west city limits. Two college campuses are also located in the area. Aquinas College is a liberal arts college on an 107 acre campus between Robinson and Fulton, just north of the city limits. Calvin University is another liberal arts school with a student enrollment projected to be 3,600 for 2024-2025. It is located on a 390 acre campus, at the southeast corner of the city.



PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS & RESOURCE INVENTORY

Reeds Lake and Fisk Lake are the two most prominent natural features of the city. While Fisk Lake is encircled with single-family homes and generally hidden from public view, Reeds Lake is both visible and accessible to the public, and offers unique recreational opportunities in the midst of a dense urban area. Reeds Lake covers approximately 283 acres and is connected to the 28 acre Fisk Lake by channel. A channel exits Fisk Lake on its northwest side which drains into the city of Grand Rapids. Significant wetlands are adjacent to Reeds Lake along its northwest side, as well as within the east quadrant of the lake.

Reed's Lake is a popular summer and winter fishing destination. It supports Sunfish, Perch, Large-mouth Bass and Northern Pike. There is also a large Duck population and the surrounding wetlands are home to a variety of bird, insect and small mammal species.

The northwest area of the lakeshore provides a unique opportunity for bird watching within an urban environment. The Grand Rapids Audubon Club has recorded seeing over 190 species in the vicinity, including a number of rare species and species of special concern. Hodenpyl Woods provides nesting sites for Great Horned Owls, American Bald Eagles and there are resident White-Tailed Deer in the area.

The soils survey of Kent County, Michigan of 1986 provides soil classifications that are grouped into various associations, each of which has a distinctive pattern or soil type relief and drainage. These associations can be used to help determine suitability of large areas of general land uses. Soil characteristics can be used to determine soils that may be inadequate for recreational development, which can greatly increase cost and may lead to environmental problems such as erosion. In some cases, soils may be so poor that recreational development is prohibitively expensive.



The following soil types are found within East Grand Rapids:

Perrinton Complex - silty, loamy, well-drained, slowly permeable

Udorthents - loamy, mixed soils

Houghton Muck - mucky and loamy, poor drained soils

Spinks Complex - sandy and loamy soils

Pewamo Loam - loamy soils, poorly drained

The Perrinton Series is one of the predominant soil types within East Grand Rapids and consists of well-drained, moderately slowly permeable soils. These soils were formed in loamy and silty deposits. The slopes can range from 0%-40%.

CLIMATE

The influence of Lake Michigan on the climate of West Michigan is quite strong throughout most of the year. Westerly winds combined with water temperature create “lake effects”. During the summer months, the average daily temperature stays near 70 degrees (F). Days with temperatures exceeding 90 degrees are uncommon, usually occurring only a few times a year. The average daily temperature between the months of December and March is approximately 26 degrees (F). Snow flurries are frequent and the average annual snowfall is 78 inches within Kent County. The average date of the first freezing temperature in the fall is approximately September 24. Average annual rainfall in Kent County is 34 inches.

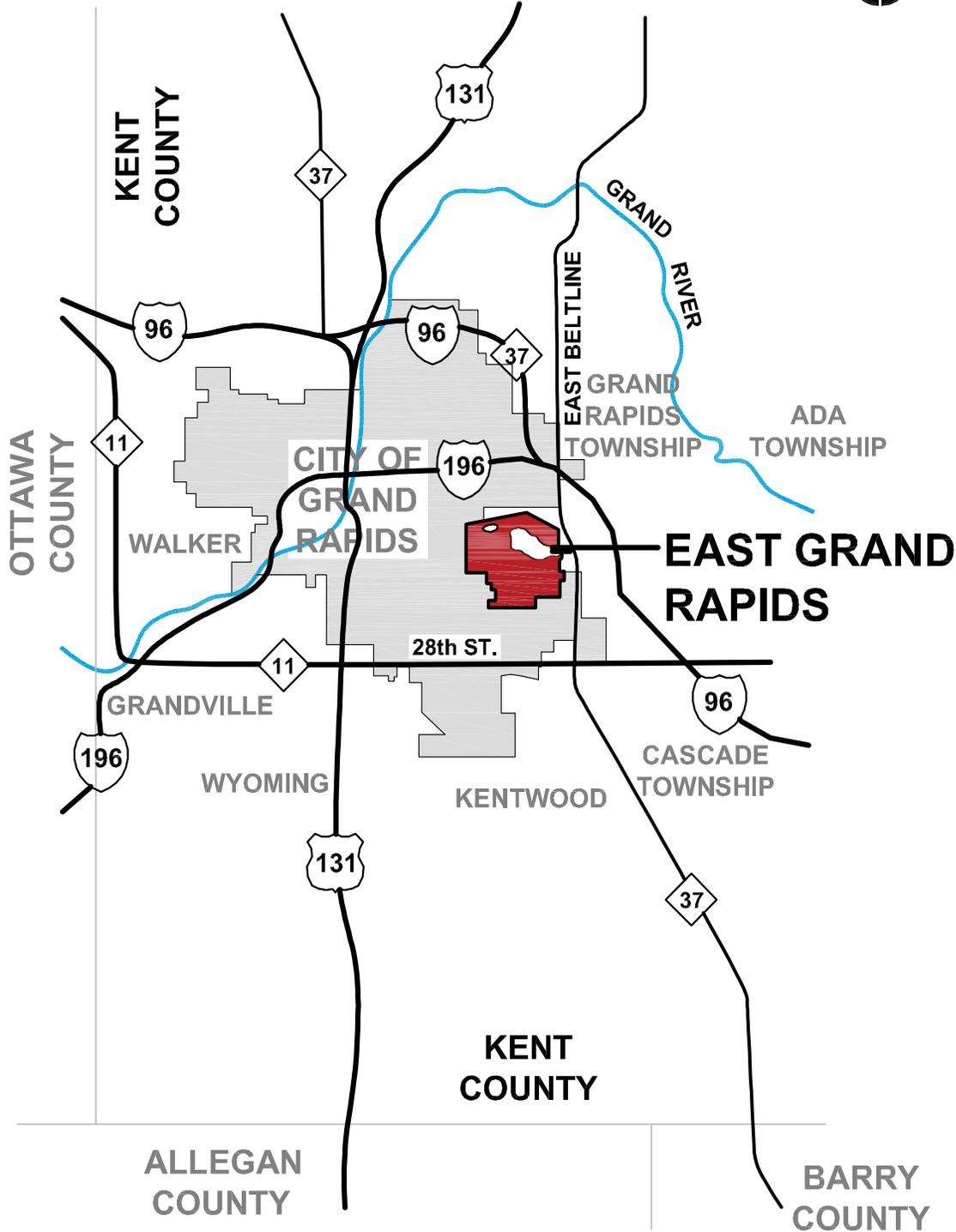
EDUCATION

East Grand Rapids public Schools educates approximately 3,000 students in Pre-K through 12th grade in three elementary schools (two of which are National Blue Ribbon Schools), a middle school, and a high school. Ranked by U.S. News and World Report and Newsweek Magazines, EGRPS was named the best school district in Michigan by 24/7 Wall Street. According to NICHE.com the district scored an A+ in academics, teachers, clubs, athletics, college prep and health and safety.



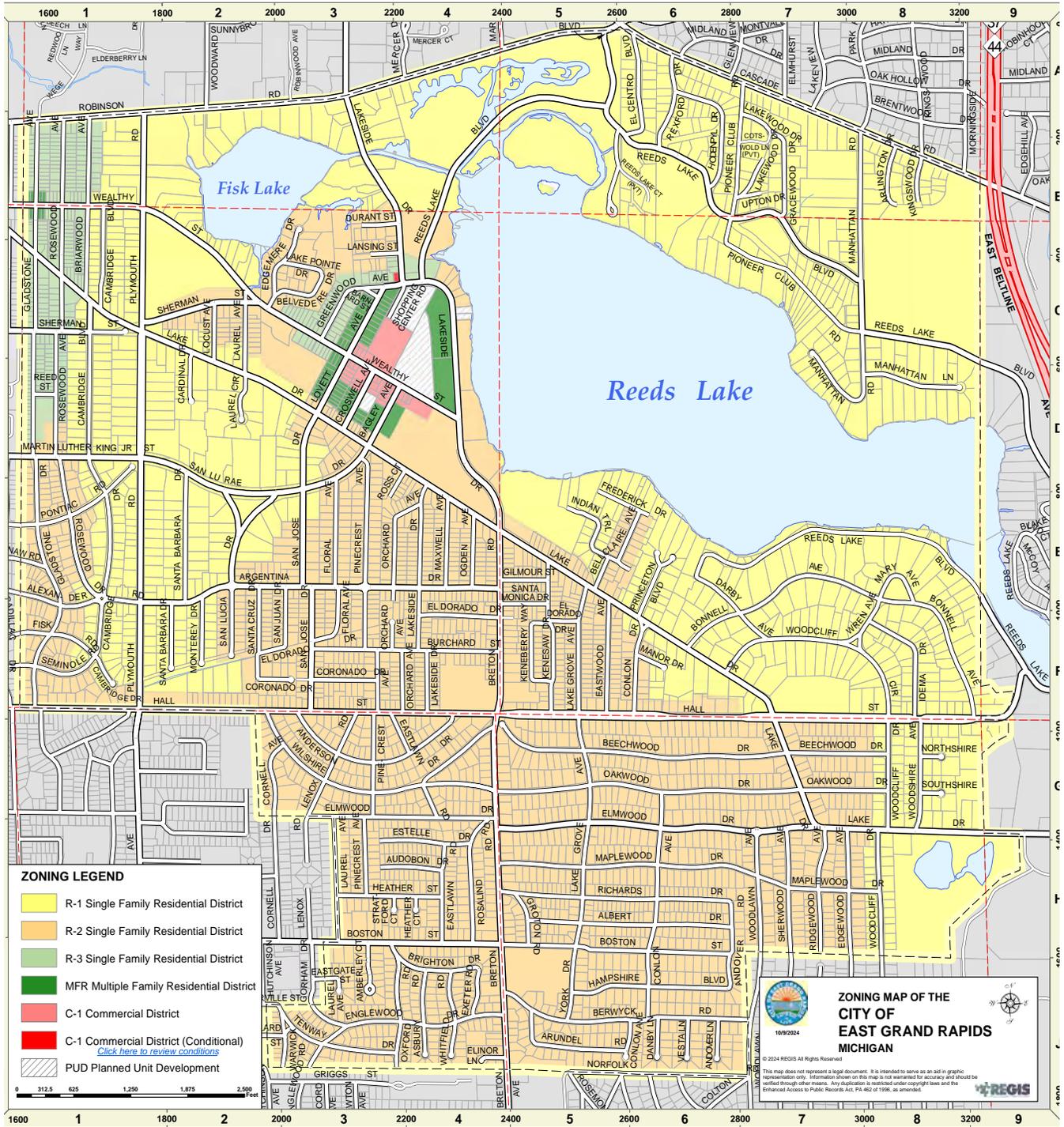
LOCATION MAP

REGIONAL LOCATION MAP





ZONING/FUTURE USE MAP

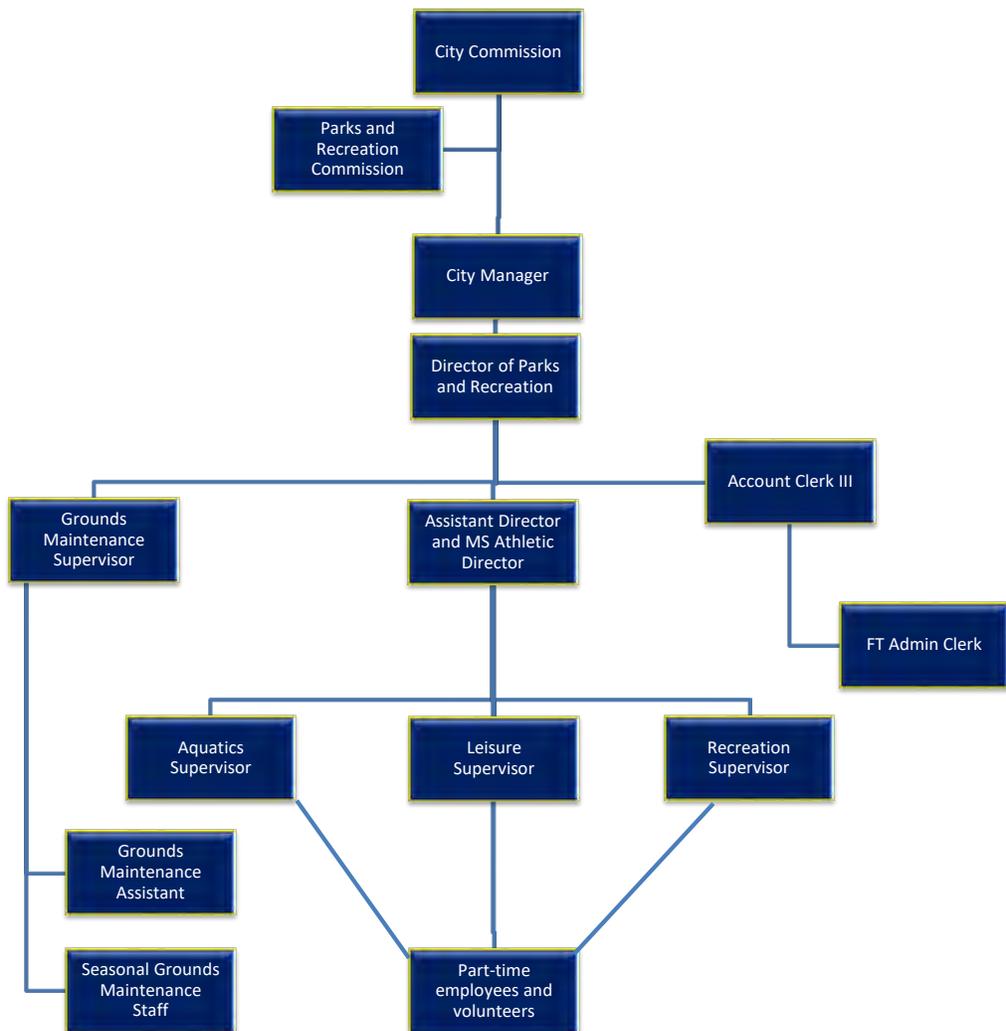






ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE 3

Recreation planning is a method for anticipating and arranging recreational improvements so that they may be implemented on a reasonable schedule and without an adverse effect on a community’s administrative and financial structure. An effective recreation plan will recognize the practical relationship between a community’s administrative structure and its ability to follow through on a recommended recreational improvement program. The city of East Grand Rapids Organizational Chart is as follows:





PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION

This commission has nine members, appointed to renewable three-year terms. They are responsible for developing and implementing policies for the operation of recreation and parks programming by gathering input from staff and citizens. They are also responsible for overseeing several yearly athletic and community special events.

PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The East Grand Rapids Parks & Recreation Department is committed to providing enrichment, educational and sports programming for all ages – from young children to senior adults – to promote healthy lifestyles, family interaction and a sense of community. Our programs – open to all residents and non-residents – challenge minds and bodies, allowing participants to express their creativity, form new bonds of friendship and create memories that will last a lifetime.

One cannot think of East Grand Rapids without children playing and neighbors walking and ball games, playgrounds and family gatherings in our parks. Today, the city’s public parks encompass more than 179 acres of land, including John Collins Park and Waterfront Park on the shores of Reeds Lake. Included in our overall park property the city has several passive natural areas, including Hodenpyl Woods, Remington Park, Steketee Woods, Schroeder Park and portions of Manhattan Park.

The beauty of the city’s parks is anchored by the passionate devotion to active recreation that has energized our community from its very beginning.

Department staff responsibilities can be found in the Appendices.



PARK AND RECREATION BUDGET

The city of East Grand Rapids Parks & Recreation budget is used primarily for grounds maintenance, capital improvement, and recreation programming. The budget also includes monies for professional services and contractual work. The majority of funding is through user fees and general fund taxes. Revenue is generated from both indoor and outdoor facility rentals, sponsorships and registration fees.

During the past, Federal and State Grant programs have assisted in providing funding assistance for capital improvements, as well as acquisition of park and recreation lands.

From year to year, the budget expenditures vary reflecting changing needs. The city and Parks and Recreation Budget summary can be found in Appendices.

RECREATION PROGRAMS

The Parks and Recreation Department dedicates an employee to administer the Middle School Interscholastic Sports Program. The sports program includes: Tennis, Cross Country, Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer and Swim and Dive.

Other youth programming includes spring and fall soccer, swim and dive, flag football, rocket football, volleyball, basketball and field hockey. The Department continues to evaluate its programming to respond to the Community's needs. Youth Enrichment programs including babysitting, yoga, fencing, self-defense and Improv are also offered. (See example of programming in Appendices)

The city has a lively and spirited appreciation of recreation and healthy lifestyles, and as such we offer special events throughout the year, including the Reeds Lake Run, Rhoades McKee Reeds Lake Triathlon/Duathlon, Corewell Health Fourth of July Celebration, Sweet Heart Dance and many others.



RECREATIONAL TRENDS

The 10 most common park features in 2023 include: playgrounds (83.7% of park respondents have playgrounds); park shelters such as gazebos and picnic shelters (80.7%); park restroom structures (79.3%); outdoor sports courts for sports like basketball, tennis and, of course, pickleball (73.6%); walking and hiking trails (71.2%); bleachers and seating (70.4%); natural turf sports fields (69.6%); open spaces like gardens and natural areas (67.9%); concession areas (63.3%); and classrooms and meeting rooms (62.5%). Classrooms and meeting rooms rose into the top 10, switching places with community or multipurpose centers.

The most commonly planned program additions in 2023 for parks include: 1. Teen programming (up from No. 5) 2. Environmental education programs (no change) 3. Educational programs (up from No. 8) 4. Programs for active older adults (did not appear in the top 10 for parks in 2022) 5. Fitness programs (down from No. 1) 6. Arts and crafts (did not appear in 2022) 7. Group exercise programs (down from No. 4) 8. Adult sports teams (down from No. 7) 9. Mind-body balance programs such as yoga (down from No. 3) and 10. Special needs programs (down from No. 9)

ROLE OF VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers play a vital role in the success of recreational programs and environmental efforts in parks and natural spaces within East Grand Rapids. For school aged programs, volunteers are utilized to help coach, supervise recreational activities, to support special events such as road races, assist with special children and guardian activity nights, etc. Additionally, volunteer efforts to remove invasive species within the city are coordinated with the Kent County Conservation District to help educate our citizens about the reality of invasive species while providing important community building volunteer opportunities. In total, volunteers provide thousands of volunteer hours each year for the benefit of the Parks and Recreation Department.





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RECREATION INVENTORY

EXISTING RECREATION INVENTORY

In order to determine the recreational needs for the city of East Grand Rapids, an analysis of the existing facilities was undertaken. The intent of the analysis is to provide a clear evaluation of the strengths and weaknesses of the existing recreational opportunities the city has to offer its citizens. The inventory is based on information provided by city staff and site inspections carried out by MCSA Group as part of the planning process.

CITY PARK AND OPEN SPACE FACILITIES

The city park properties both fall under the classification of community parks. This classification is adapted from “Park, Recreation, Open Space and Greenway Guidelines,” J. D. Mertes and J. R. Hall, 1995, as recommended by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. A more detailed description and photographic inventory of each site follows. An existing recreation facilities matrix provides a summary of the facilities provided at each location.

The city of East Grand Rapids provides a range of passive and active recreation opportunities for residents within its city Parks. There are eleven (11) city parks and natural areas and six (6) public school sites that have existing recreational facilities on approximately 180 acres of public or quasi-public land in the city of East Grand Rapids. This includes approximately 69 acres of currently undeveloped land for future recreational space. The city properties can be classified as follows: three neighborhood open spaces, four community parks, and four natural areas.



Accessibility

An accessibility assessment of each facility was undertaken using the following ranking system for the site elements based upon the 2010 Standards for Accessible Design:

- 1 - NONE
- 2 - SOME
- 3 - MOST
- 4 - ALL
- 5 - THE FACILITY MEETS THE PRINCIPALS OF UNIVERSAL DESIGN:

Equitable Design, Flexibility in Use, Simple and Intuitive Use, Perceptible Information and Tolerance for Error, Low Physical Effort and Size and Space for Approach and Use

MINI-PARKS

Mini-parks serve a concentrated or limited population or specific group, such as families with very young children or senior citizens, as determined by the distance that can be easily traveled by the local user. The facilities that are provided in these types of parks are generally specialized, such as play equipment or green space with benches for passive activities. The area served by a mini-park is generally considered to be less than one quarter 1/4- mile radius in size. This will vary slightly depending on ease or difficulty of access and the character of the facility. Nationally accepted standards for mini-parks recommend 0.25 to 0.5 an acre with one (1) acre as a desirable size.

NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS

Neighborhood parks remain the basic unit of the park system and serve as the recreational and social focus of neighborhoods. This type of park typically serves a ¼- to ½-mile distance and is uninterrupted by nonresidential roads and other physical barriers. A size of 5-10 acres is considered optimal for this type of park.



NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS CONTINUED

The focus is on informal active and passive recreational activities, such as walking, field games, court games, playground equipment, and picnicking. The city has three neighborhood parks.

COMMUNITY PARKS

Community-wide parks serve a broader purpose than neighborhood parks and provide a range of facilities and areas capable of supporting structured and unstructured community participation. These areas are typically between 30 and 50 acres in size and serve two or more neighborhoods within a half to three-mile distance. Facilities may include wooded or natural areas, picnic shelters and grills, bike or hiking trails and other semi-active and passive uses for large groups of people. They may also contain specialized recreational facilities such as swimming pools, community centers and lighted ball diamonds. Community parks should be easily accessible from throughout their service area. Currently there are four city parks classified within this category.

NATURAL RESOURCE AREAS

Natural resource areas are lands set aside for preservation of significant natural resources, landscapes, and open space. These sites are typically unsuitable for development but offer natural resource potential and can support recreational activities at a level that preserves the integrity of the natural resource. The location and size of these parks are largely governed by availability. There are four city park classified within this category.



SPECIAL USE FACILITIES

The Special Use classification covers a broad range of parks and recreation facilities oriented toward single-purpose use. Special uses generally fall into three categories:

- **Historic/Cultural/Social Sites:** Unique local resources offering historical, educational, and cultural opportunities. Examples include historic downtown areas, performing arts parks, arboretums, ornamental gardens, performing arts facilities, indoor theaters, churches, public buildings, and amphitheaters.
- **Recreation Facilities:** Specialized or single purpose facilities. Examples include community centers, senior centers, community theaters, hockey arenas, marinas, golf courses, and aquatic parks.
- **Outdoor Recreation Facilities:** Examples include tennis centers, softball complexes, sports stadiums.

Recreation needs, community interests, the type of facility, and land availability are the primary factors influencing location. Special use facilities should be viewed as strategically located community-wide facilities rather than as serving well-defined neighborhoods or areas. Where feasible, a geographically central site is optimal. The site should be easily accessible from arterial and collector streets, where feasible. Facility space requirements are the primary determinants of site size. As an example, a golf course may require 150 acres, whereas a community center with parking may fit on 10 or 15 acres. The city of East Grand Rapids has one facility that fits into this classification, which is the city's community center.



MARY AVENUE TRIANGLE



NEIGHBORHOOD PARK
1.09 ACRES

Address
3035 Bonnell Ave. SE

This open space, in a residential area on the east side of the city, is a sloping site characterized by mature trees and lawn. There are no developed recreation facilities.

Accessibility Rating: 3

This park has paved sidewalks all around the property and benches are located on perimeter walks, but there are no companion spaces and no barrier-free access within the site.

Accessibility Improvements:

Provide paved walkways within the site.

Condition:

This open space is well maintained by regular mowing. The concrete footings (water tower footings) at the top of the site should be removed.



SAN LU RAE TRIANGLE



NEIGHBORHOOD PARK
1.02 ACRES

Address
1990 San Lu Rae. Dr.

This is an open grass area within a residential neighborhood. This site has no formal recreation facilities, but there are four benches, waste receptacles, a dog waste container, and three decorative street lights at the three corners of the park.

Accessibility Rating: 2

This park has a paved pathway on the north side only.

Accessibility Improvements:

Provide paved walkways to benches and concrete pads with companion spaces under benches.

Condition:

This open space has benefited from a tree painting program. The benches and lighting are old, and replacement should be considered along with analysis on how this space is used.



SCHROEDER PARK



NEIGHBORHOOD PARK
1.48 ACRES

Address
2618 Reeds Lake Blvd.

This property was donated to the city of East Grand Rapids by the Schroeder family. The only development on the land is a monument dedicated to the Schroeder family and a walkway from the sidewalk on Reeds Lake Boulevard to the monument. This park also has an open lawn area and mature trees.

Accessibility Rating: 3

The walkway from the existing sidewalk to the monument is barrier-free.

Accessibility Improvements:

Any future development should comply with barrier-free requirements.

Condition:

This park is well maintained and in good condition.



JOHN COLLINS PARK



**COMMUNITY PARK
2.45 ACRES**

**Address
650 Lakeside Dr.**

This park is situated between the Grand Rapids Yacht Club and Rose’s Restaurant. It is named after John A. Collins, who was the East Grand Rapids mayor from 1933 to 1956. Despite its small size, it is considered a community park due to the facilities offered and the number of people who visit the park.

Amenities:

Public access boat launch, lakeshore walk, overlooks and fishing decks, benches, gardens, picnic tables, event space/plaza, and public restrooms.

Accessibility Rating: 5

This park meets the Principles of Universal Design.

Accessibility Improvements:

None required at this time.

Condition:

This park is well maintained but there are some drainage issues.



MANHATTAN RECREATION AREA



COMMUNITY PARK
46.19 ACRES

Address
430 Manhattan Rd. SE

This is the largest city park with two access points and parking areas off Cascade Road and Manhattan Road. The land was formerly a school property that was purchased by the city with grant funding in the 1990's. The park provides a range of active and passive recreation opportunities and is home to many activities hosted by the Parks and Recreation Department.

Amenities:

Softball fields, full-size soccer field, youth soccer field, tennis courts, multi-use nature trails, and public restrooms.

Accessibility Rating: 3

This park has paved walkway connections to most of its facilities.

Accessibility Improvements:

- Improve universal access throughout the park.
- Replace older walkways which are cracked and uneven.
- Improve surfacing around ballfields to remove trip hazards and improve accessibility to dugouts.

Condition:

This park in fair condition. Currently, the park is being renovated.



REMINGTON PARK



COMMUNITY PARK
23.96 ACRES

Address
2310 Reeds Lake Blvd.

This park is located at the city’s Public Works Complex and borders Hodenpyl Woods. It is the home to the Rusty Swaney baseball field. A new dog park was recently installed at this park and includes accessible picnic tables and drinking fountains.

Amenities:

Baseball field, bleachers with accessible seating, compost station, dog park, public restroom, and an undeveloped natural area.

Accessibility Rating: 2

The restroom building is barrier-free and designated parking is provided. Dugouts and some walkways are not accessible.

Accessibility Improvements:

- Provide accessible walkways and accessibility to dugouts.
- Install signs for barrier-free parking.

Condition:

This park’s restroom building is in good condition. Drainage issues on the ballfield are currently being addressed.



WATERFRONT PARK



COMMUNITY PARK
16.49 ACRES

Address
2206 Reeds Lake Blvd.

This park is located on the west shores of Reeds Lake and includes 6 acres of developed lakefront and 11 acres of undeveloped woodland and wetlands. A small parking area is provided off Reeds Lake Boulevard. This park offers unique experiences and perspectives of the lakeshore environment.

Amenities:

Universally accessible trails and boardwalks, overlook and fishing decks, information kiosks, shade shelters, picnic tables and benches.

Accessibility Rating: 4

This park is accessible with the exception of the walkway from the Reeds Lake Trail to the fixed boardwalk decks.

Accessibility Improvements:

None required at this time, but any future development in the undeveloped portions of the property should comply with barrier-free requirements.

Condition:

The walkway from the Reeds Lake Trail to the fixed boardwalk decks should be replaced due to root damage.



BEECHWOOD PARK



**NATURAL RESOURCE
4.23 ACRES**

**Address
2727 Beechwood Dr.**

Situated on either side of Beechwood Drive off a gravel road in a low-density residential neighborhood, this undeveloped natural area consists of wet woodlands with no site amenities.

Accessibility Rating: N/A

Accessibility Improvements:

Any future development should comply with barrier-free requirements.

Condition:

This natural area is currently unmaintained.



GRIFFITHS PARK



NATURAL RESOURCE
2.79 ACRES

Address
2816 Reeds Lake Blvd.

This area consists of natural mature woodlands. It is currently undeveloped for recreational use, but there is a paved walkway that runs along the south side of the property.

Accessibility Rating: 3

The walkway is barrier-free.

Accessibility Improvements:

Any future development should comply with barrier-free requirements.

Condition:

The walkway is in good condition and has been recently patched.



HODENPYL WOODS



NATURAL RESOURCE
39.62 ACRES

Address
2500 Robinson Rd.

This property was donated to the Grand Rapids Boulevard and Garden Society by Mr. Anton Hodenpyl in 1912 and became the property of East Grand Rapids in 1968. It consists of wooded wetlands and features a plant identification trail with boardwalk crossings and footbridges.

Accessibility Rating: 1

None of the pathways meet ADA standards.

Accessibility Improvements:

Provide barrier-free walkways through the natural area, and provide resting areas with benches on an accessible surface.

Condition:

This trail has been largely built by volunteers and is overgrown in many areas. Because much of the area is wetland, during the spring and fall the area is wet and unpassable. It would benefit from improved maintenance to clear the trail and open up views of the property. The footbridges are at the end of their lifespan and should be replaced.



STEKETEE WOODS



**NATURAL RESOURCE
9 ACRES**

**Address
2748 Reeds Lake Blvd.**

This property is an undulating parcel of undeveloped land with approximately 100 linear feet of frontage with deed restrictions on the north side of Reeds Lake. The property was donated to the city with the understanding that the property would remain largely in its natural state. It consists of mature woodlands on the upland areas and wetlands along the lakeshore. There is residential land use on either side of the property.

Accessibility Rating: N/A

Accessibility Improvements:

Any future development should comply with barrier-free requirements.

Condition:

This natural area is currently unmaintained.



SCHOOL PROPERTIES AND FACILITIES

There are five school sites in East Grand Rapids as well as Woodcliff Administration Building and Daycare Facility/Canepa Tennis Center. The school grounds aim to provide recreational opportunities for the community as well as for school use. The elementary schools double as neighborhood parks with varied equipment for preschool and school-age children, while the Middle and High School provide more sports facilities. Two indoor swimming pools are available for public use, a warm water facility at Wealthy Elementary, maintained by the city, and a competition pool at the High School.

The following School Properties and Facilities are described in detail:

- Breton Downs Elementary School
- East Grand Rapids High School
- East Grand Rapids Middle School
- Lakeside Elementary School
- Wealthy Elementary School
- Woodcliff Administration Building and Daycare Facility/Canepa Tennis Center

EXISTING CONDITIONS MAPS

See Appendices for the School Properties and Facilities Existing Conditions Maps.



BRETON DOWNS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



5.1 ACRES
Available for Recreation

Address
2500 Boston Street SE

Located at the intersection of Boston Street and Breton Road in the south of the city, this school has a variety of outdoor recreation facilities.

Amenities:

Half-court basketball hoops, tennis courts, playgrounds, ballfield, multi-purpose sports field, and new gaga ball bits and shade shelter.

Accessibility Rating: 4

Accessibility Improvements:

- Improve accessibility to all facilities.
- Provide barrier-free spectator area at the ballfield.

Condition:

Updates to the playground, sports fields, and general school sites were completed in 2024.



EAST GRAND RAPIDS HIGH SCHOOL



**7.9 ACRES
Available for Recreation**

**Address
2211 Lake Drive SE**

The High School houses the Memorial Athletic Field. It also has a 14-lane competitive pool with a diving well that is primarily used for varsity sports, recreation classes and lap swimming.

Amenities:

Memorial Athletic Field (football, lacrosse, and soccer), pool house, athletic track/lower practice field, and restroom and concessions building.

Accessibility Rating: 5

This school meets the Principles of Universal Design.

Accessibility Improvements:

None required at this time.

Condition:

This school is in excellent condition. The facility is in the process of improvements expected to be completed in 2028.



EAST GRAND RAPIDS MIDDLE SCHOOL



6.4 ACRES
Available for Recreation

Address
2425 Lake Drive SE

Centrally located off Lakeside Drive, the Middle School is home to the Mehney Athletic Field and other sports recreation.

Amenities:

Mehney Athletic Field (multi-purpose artificial turf field), tennis courts, multi-purpose natural turf practice field, and restroom and concessions building.

Accessibility Rating: 3

The school has paved walkway connections to most of the facilities but is not universally accessible.

Accessibility Improvements:

- Improve accessibility to all facilities.
- Provide accessibility to the natural turf practice field.

Condition:

The artificial turf field is in poor condition, and the tennis courts should be resurfaced. There are also some drainage issues that should be addressed and resolved.



LAKESIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



**3.1 ACRES
Available for Recreation**

**Address
2325 Hall Street SE**

Centrally located on the corner of Breton Road and Hall Street, this school provides many recreational opportunities.

Amenities:

Tennis/pickleball courts, ballfields, playgrounds, basketball court, gaga ball pits, and a new shade shelter.

Accessibility Rating: 4

All of the pathways meet ADA standards.

Accessibility Improvements:

None required at this time.

Condition:

Updates to the playground, sports fields, and general school sites were completed in 2024.



WEALTHY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



4.7 ACRES
Available for Recreation

Address
1961 Lake Drive SE

This school is located just west of Gaslight Village. It has many recreational facilities including a warm water, shallow bottom pool used for youth and adult programming.

Amenities:

Playgrounds, softball/recreation field, tennis courts, half-court basketball hoops, gaga ball pits, and a new shade shelter.

Accessibility Rating: 4

All of the pathways meet ADA standards.

Accessibility Improvements:

None required at this time.

Condition:

Updates to the playground, sports fields, and general school sites were completed in 2024.



WOODCLIFF ADMIN. BUILDING & DAYCARE FACILITY



**4.5 ACRES
Available for Recreation**

**Address
2915 Hall Street SE**

The Woodcliff Administration Building and Daycare Facility, also known as the James E. Morse Administration Center, features the Canepa Tennis Center with eight hard-surface courts.

Amenities:

Tennis courts, playground, accessible restroom building, and shade shelter.

Accessibility Rating: 3

The school has paved walkway connections to most of the facilities but needs more connections to make it universally accessible.

Accessibility Improvements:

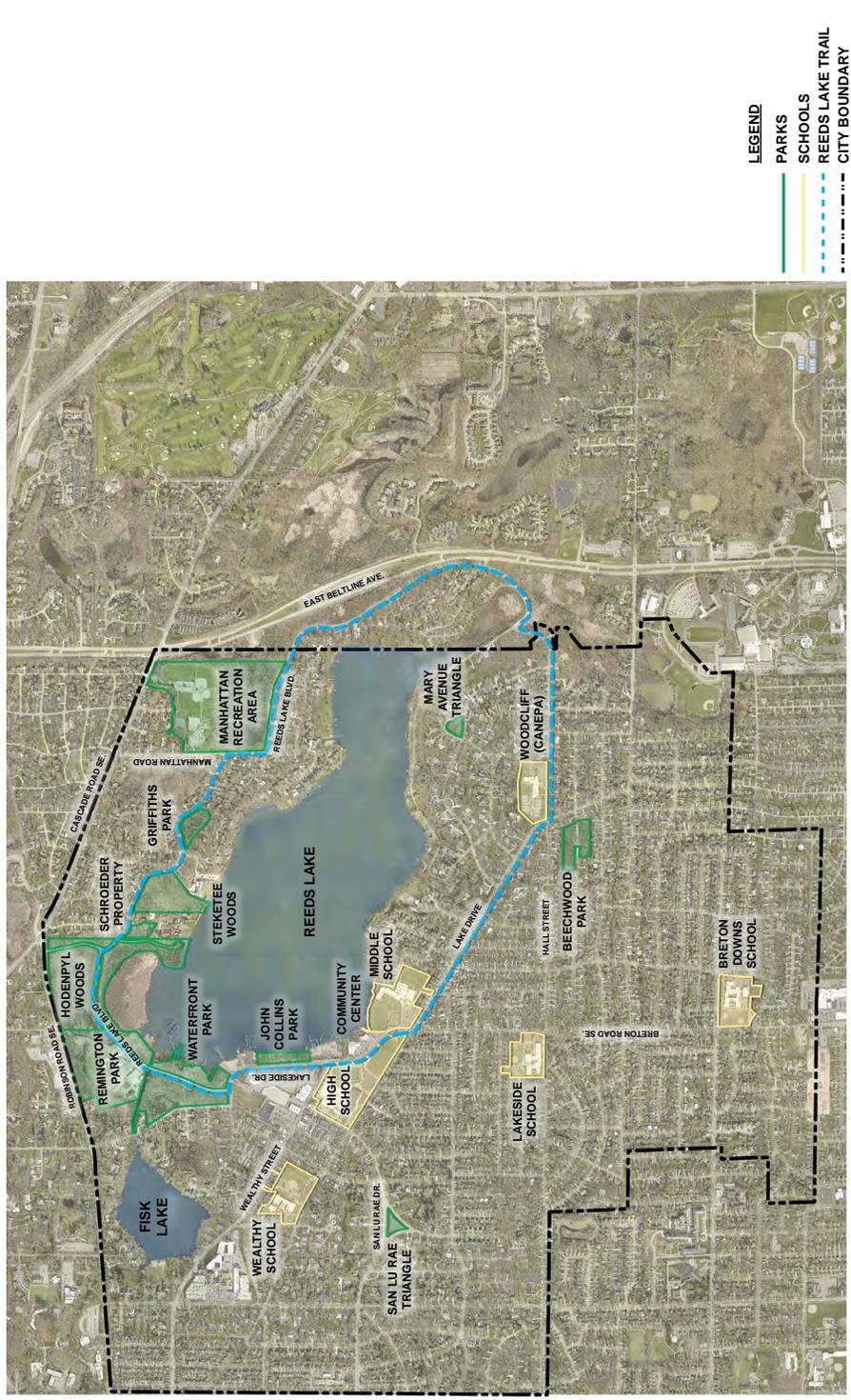
- Improve accessibility to all facilities.

Condition:

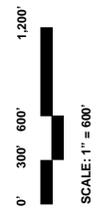
The tennis courts have recently been resurfaced and the school is completing an addition as well as new playground facilities.



EXISTING RECREATION FACILITIES MAP



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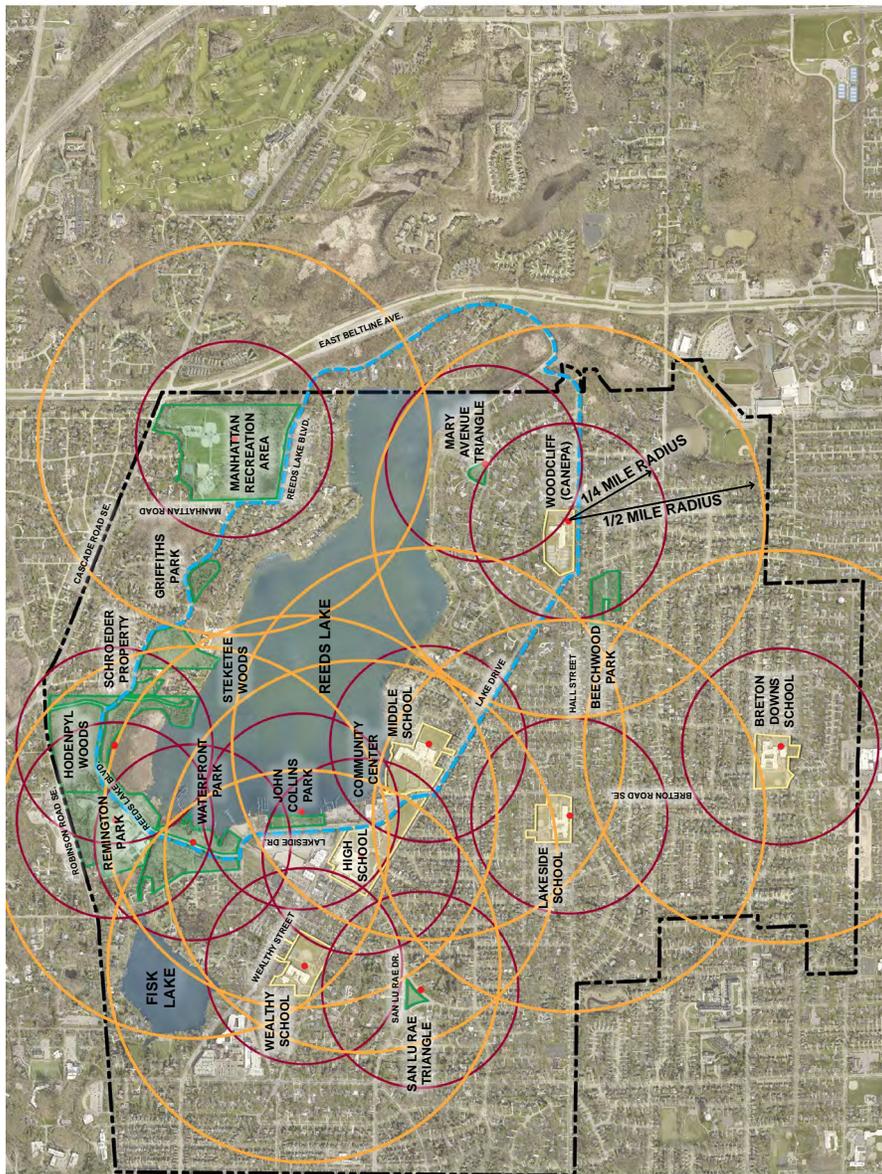


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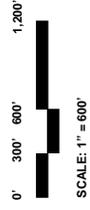
PARK WALKABILITY MAP



- LEGEND**
- 1/4 MILE RADIUS
 - 1/2 MILE RADIUS
 - PARKS
 - SCHOOLS
 - REEDS LAKE TRAIL
 - CITY BOUNDARY



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5-YEAR PARK & RECREATION PLAN RECREATION FACILITIES WALKABILITY MAP CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS





INDOOR RECREATION FACILITIES

The East Grand Rapids Community Center is a multi-function facility located on the shores of Reeds Lake in the center of the city. The Community Center houses the East Grand Rapids Branch of the Kent District Library as well as the city’s administrative offices, engineering operations, Parks & Recreation Department and several multi-purpose rooms used for programs, meetings, events and rentals. The facility opened in August 2006. The complex also includes the Wege Plaza, a “green roof” overlooking the lake and providing seating and event space. An accessible kayak launch provides ADA access to the lake.

PRIVATE PROPERTIES/FACILITIES

Private recreational facilities within the city of East Grand Rapids mainly center on Reeds Lake. There is a small marina/boat slip on the lake and the Grand Rapids Yacht Club is located adjacent to John Collins Park on Lakeside Drive. The Heather Downs Pool Association offers outdoor swimming opportunities to private members.

Although the private recreational facilities within the city are somewhat limited, the surrounding Metropolitan Area has numerous opportunities for indoor and outdoor recreation, including golf courses, bowling alleys, go-carting and health and fitness clubs.

REGIONAL FACILITIES

The location of East Grand Rapids means that its population has easy access to recreational facilities offered by the city of Grand Rapids, neighboring Townships and Kent County. Notable facilities of a regional nature include the Kent Trail System, White Pine Trail and Millennium Park, a 1,500 acre multi-purpose County Park.

There are also a number of State Parks within easy reach of East Grand Rapids residents, with those along the shore of Lake Michigan at Holland, Saugatuck and Grand Haven being the most popular.



LINEAR TRAILS

Reeds Lake Trail

There is a designated 4.2 mile trail loop around Reeds Lake, which is popular with walkers, joggers and cyclists. The route utilizes an off-road bike/walking trail, existing sidewalks and existing streets and is signed at key locations. The trail passes through natural wooded areas, wetlands and residential areas, and links many of the city's park facilities.

Bicycle Routes

There are also designated bicycle routes throughout the city that link to neighboring communities.

RECREATION GRANT INVENTORY

The city of East Grand Rapids has been fortunate to receive a total of seven (7) grants through the Michigan Department of Natural Resources over the last 49 years.

An itemized Recreation Grant History can be found in the Appendices.





5 PLANNING AND PUBLIC INPUT PROCESS

RECREATION PLANNING

Recreation planning plays an important role in maintaining the quality of life in a community. If a community is to provide effective recreational opportunities, it needs a way of identifying and solving current problems and anticipating future needs. Recreation planning is one means of obtaining a perspective on these problems; developing realistic alternatives; formulating goals, policies, and recommendations for public and private decisions; developing criteria to measure change; and involving people in the planning, design and decision processes.

This Parks and Recreation plan presents an evaluation of the city's recreational needs and opportunities. It considers the existing amenities in the city, the current and anticipated demand for additional or improved facilities, and the means for providing those facilities.

This plan is to serve as a guideline for directing the city in the operation and maintenance of existing and future facilities and programs to meet the recreational needs of its citizen's. The plan summarizes long-term recommendations intended to guide the development of recreation opportunities and describes an action and capital improvement program for implementation over the next five years.



PLAN PROCESS AND DEVELOPMENT

This 2025 Community Parks and Recreation Plan was developed by the city, with the assistance of MCSA Group, Inc, a park and recreation planning consultant. Staff met regularly with representatives of MCSA Group, between October 2024 and January 2025 for the development of this plan.

Criteria considered and evaluated for plan development evolved from the examination of goals and recreation standards determined through a wide variety of input sources. This information was collected from the inventory and review of existing facilities; the identification of recreation needs and deficiencies; public opinion; current statewide recreation issues and priorities; and future expectations.

Public input was sought throughout a survey held to solicit public desires and concerns regarding parks and recreation. The survey was advertised via email, the city website and social media. The survey was available on the internet via Survey Monkey. A total of 655 surveys were completed. The survey was well received and indicated a high level of satisfaction with the city’s Parks and Recreation system. Comments from the survey were incorporated into a final draft of the Plan. The public input schedule was as follows.

Plan Process Timeline	
Release/Distribute Public Survey	October 4, 2024
Survey Return Deadline	November 4, 2024
Public Review <i>Draft of Final Plan available for 30-day Public Review as required by the DNR</i>	December 10, 2024 - January 10, 2025
Public Hearing <i>Public Hearing & Adoption of Plan by Township Board of Trustees</i>	January 21, 2025
Plan Completion and DNR Submittal	January 27, 2025



PLAN PROCESS AND DEVELOPMENT CONTINUED

The survey found that the residents are satisfied with the park system overall and that most amenities are provided. They rated the overall facilities as good. John Collins, Manhattan and Waterfront Park are the most heavily used parks in the system. The facilities that residents use most include the library. The youth programming had the most participation. The activities/facilities that residents would like to see expanded include walking trails, natural open space and outdoor ice skating. Maintaining the existing facilities was ranked highest on how park and recreation funding should be spent.

A summary of all the answers and comments can be found in the appendices of this report.





RECREATION NEEDS AND DEFICIENCIES 6

This section of the plan identifies recreation deficiencies determined through a variety of means. Study methods include comparison to recreational standards for acreage and facilities, geographic distribution of existing facilities, direct input from the city of East Grand Rapids staff and representatives, and public input and participation. While each of these methods has its limitations, using a combination of methods will yield a more accurate assessment of recreational needs and deficiencies. The following is a brief description of each of the methods used.

RECREATION STANDARDS

While only a guide, recreation standards provide a benchmark for evaluating the relative adequacy or inadequacy of the city's recreation system. This plan has used as a guide the 1983 Recreation, Park, and Open Space, Standards and Guidelines and 1995 Park, Recreation, Open Space and Greenway Guidelines published by the National Recreation and Park Association.

Typical recreation standards establish a certain number of activity-specific recreational facilities per 1,000 of population (e.g. 1 tennis court per 2,000 persons). Other standards establish a certain number of acres per 1,000 of population for different types of park facilities, such as neighborhood, community and regional parks. These standards are adapted to reflect the city's character and compared with the existing and projected population. This plan will combine both approaches to ascertain deficiencies in recreational facilities and acreage. The 2023 U.S. Census Bureau population estimate was used for the purposes of this study.



There are two basic types of recreational experiences: “active” and “passive.” “Active” recreation requires space and facilities capable of accommodating exertive activities. Such facilities include: sports fields, play apparatus areas, open areas, special facilities, such as pools and court areas, and areas for organized activities. On the other hand, “passive” recreation requires little more than space and furniture for quiet, non-exertive activities for limited numbers of users. Recreation areas must provide for both types of use and preferably include a variety of opportunities for each to respond adequately to a wide range of interests and age groups.

Parks are generally classified by purpose and area per population served. They range in type from mini-playlots and green areas to large regional and national parks.

The categories used for this plan will be as follows:

1. Neighborhood Parks and Schools
2. Community Parks
3. Natural Resource Areas
4. Trails

RECREATION STANDARDS FOR ACREAGE

NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS AND SCHOOLS

Description

Neighborhood parks serve individual neighborhood populations as determined by the distance that can easily be traveled by local users for relatively short periods of recreation. Facilities provided in these parks are generally active in nature and include multipurpose open play areas for pick-up games, play apparatus, court areas, landscaping, site furnishings and possibly a shelter. Special areas for bike riding or specific court games may also be provided. Activities for all seasons should also be included.



Service Areas

The area served by neighborhood parks is generally considered to be a one quarter (1/4) mile to one half (1/2) mile radius in size and should be uninterrupted by non-residential roads or other physical barriers.

Neighborhood Park Acreage Standards

Nationally accepted standards for neighborhood parks recommend one or two (1-2) acres per 1,000 of population with five (5) acres as a minimum size and five to ten (5-10) acres optimal. It is recommended that the minimum of two (2) acres per 1,000 population be used as a guide for site selection.

Existing Neighborhood Recreation Acreage

The city of East Grand Rapids has three parks which would fall within the Neighborhood Park classification. For analysis purposes, neighborhood parks and school sites shall be combined, as they serve a similar purpose.

Mary Triangle	1.09 acres
San Lu Rae Triangle	1.02 acres
Schroeder Property	1.48 acres
Total	3.59 acres

The city has six school sites which provide neighborhood recreational areas and opportunities. The acreage is based on visual analysis and measurement of open space and site facilities on each school property that can be considered usable for neighborhood recreational purposes.

Breton Downs Elementary	5.1 acres
High School	7.9 acres
Middle School	6.4 acres
Lakeside Elementary	3.1 acres
Wealthy Elementary	4.7 acres
Woodcliff (Canepa)	4.5 acres
Total	31.7 acres



Needs and Deficiencies:

The table below compares the 2023 city population to the recreation standard of two (2) acres per 1,000 persons.

For the 2023 population, there is an excess of 12.49 acres for neighborhood recreation in accordance with the recreational standards.

2023 Population	Neighborhood Rec. Acreage Required	Neighborhood Rec. Acreage Available	Deficiency/Surplus
11,429	22.8	35.29	12.49

COMMUNITY PARKS

Description

Community-wide parks provide a range of facilities and areas capable of supporting organized community participation programs that would not be appropriate in neighborhood parks because of their average size or traffic volume generated. Facilities should be Centrally located, diverse enough to accommodate all age groups for both active and passive experiences and organized so that compatible uses relate to one another. Adequate parking and vehicular circulation is also important, since park users will generally arrive at these parks by vehicle. Lighted use areas significantly increase the recreational value of parks of this type. Typical facilities recommended for community parks include ball fields, open use areas, tennis courts, picnic areas, play apparatus areas, restrooms and shelters. Additional special facilities could include band shells, amphitheaters, swimming and wading pools, community-meeting buildings, skating facilities, bicycle courses and nature study areas.

As with neighborhood parks, it is often beneficial to develop community parks in conjunction with junior or senior high schools where practical because of the athletic fields and courts potentially available for public use. This arrangement assures the maximum level of use as well as the most practical expenditure of development funds.



Service Area

The area served by community-wide parks varies significantly from one municipality to another because of the distribution of population and related factors. However, a community park usually serves two or more neighborhoods in a half to three-mile radius.

Community Park Acreage Standards

The size of a community park varies according to the desired uses but is usually between 30 and 50 acres. It is recommended that a range of five (5) to eight (8) acres per 1,000 population be used as a standard basis for development.

Existing Community Recreation Acreage

The city of East Grand Rapids has four facilities which would fall within the Community Park classification. The high school track and athletic field are both available for community utilization and fit the description of city-wide community parks.

High School	7.9 acres
John Collins Park	2.45 acres
Manhattan Recreation Area	46.19 acres
Remington Park (developed portion)	21.15 acres
<u>Waterfront Park (developed portion)</u>	<u>6.09 acres</u>
Total	83.78 acres

Needs and Deficiencies:

The following table compares the 2023 city population to the recreation standard of eight (8) acres per 1,000 persons.

For the 2023 population, there is a deficiency of 7.62 acres for community recreation in accordance with the recreational standards.

2023 Population	Community Rec. Acreage Required	Community Rec. Acreage Available	Deficiency/Surplus
11,429	91.4	83.78	-7.62



NATURAL RESOURCE AREAS/OPEN SPACE

Description

Natural resource areas are lands set aside for preservation of significant natural resources, remnant landscapes, open space and visual/aesthetic buffering. These sites are typically unsuitable for development but offer natural resource potential and can support recreational activities at a level that preserves the integrity of the natural resource. The location and size of these parks are largely governed by availability.

There are currently six sites that fit into this category in the city of East Grand Rapids:

Beechwood	4.2 acres
Griffiths Park	2.8 acres
Hodenpyl Woods	39.6 acres
Remington Park (undeveloped portion)	2.8 acres
Steketee Woods	9.0 acres
Waterfront Park (undeveloped portion)	10.4 acres
Total	68.8 acres

Needs and Deficiencies - There are no recognized acreage standards for natural resource areas and the city is fortunate to have a significant amount of natural resource acreage within the city limits. Of those sites, only Hodenpyl Woods currently has any development, with a natural looped trail around the site. Increased barrier-free access to these sites, while protecting the natural resources, is desirable and would increase the amount of acreage available for passive Community recreation. The development of accessible trail systems, with woodland, wetland and lakefront viewing opportunities, is the most appropriate development to preserve the natural resources the sites have to offer. All of these properties have the advantage of potential connections to the Reeds Lake Trail.



TRAILS

Description

There are a number of different types of trails that can provide both transportation and recreation opportunities. Trails may be located within parks, on an independent right-of-way, or within the road right-of-way. Connector Trails are defined as “multi-purpose trails that emphasize safe travel for pedestrians to and from parks and around the Community” (J.D. Mertes and J.R. Hall, Park, Recreation, Open Space and Greenway Guidelines, 1995). These trails are generally located within the road right-of-way and can be divided into two types. Type I has separate paths for different user types, such as pedestrians and bicyclists. Type II has mixed uses and is suited to lighter use patterns.

The Reeds Lake Trail, a 4.2 mile loop around the lake, is an extremely popular resource for walkers, bicyclists and runners. The trail includes both off-road and on-road portions. The trail serves as a non-motorized link between many of the park’s facilities. A bicycle lane is also provided on Wealthy Street, linking to the city of East Grand Rapids. Trails within the parks include a 0.9 mile looped natural trail at Hodenpyl Woods and walking paths at Collins Park and Waterfront Park.

Needs and Deficiencies - There have been no deficiencies determined for this category and needs vary depending on the community. Further development of the Reeds Lake Trail to improve safety was identified as a high priority during the planning process.

The natural area owned by the city also presents an opportunity for additional trails providing viewing opportunities of Reeds Lake, the city’s primary natural resources and associated wetlands. Trail improvements should be integrated with other regional trail networks to create an interconnected trail system where possible.



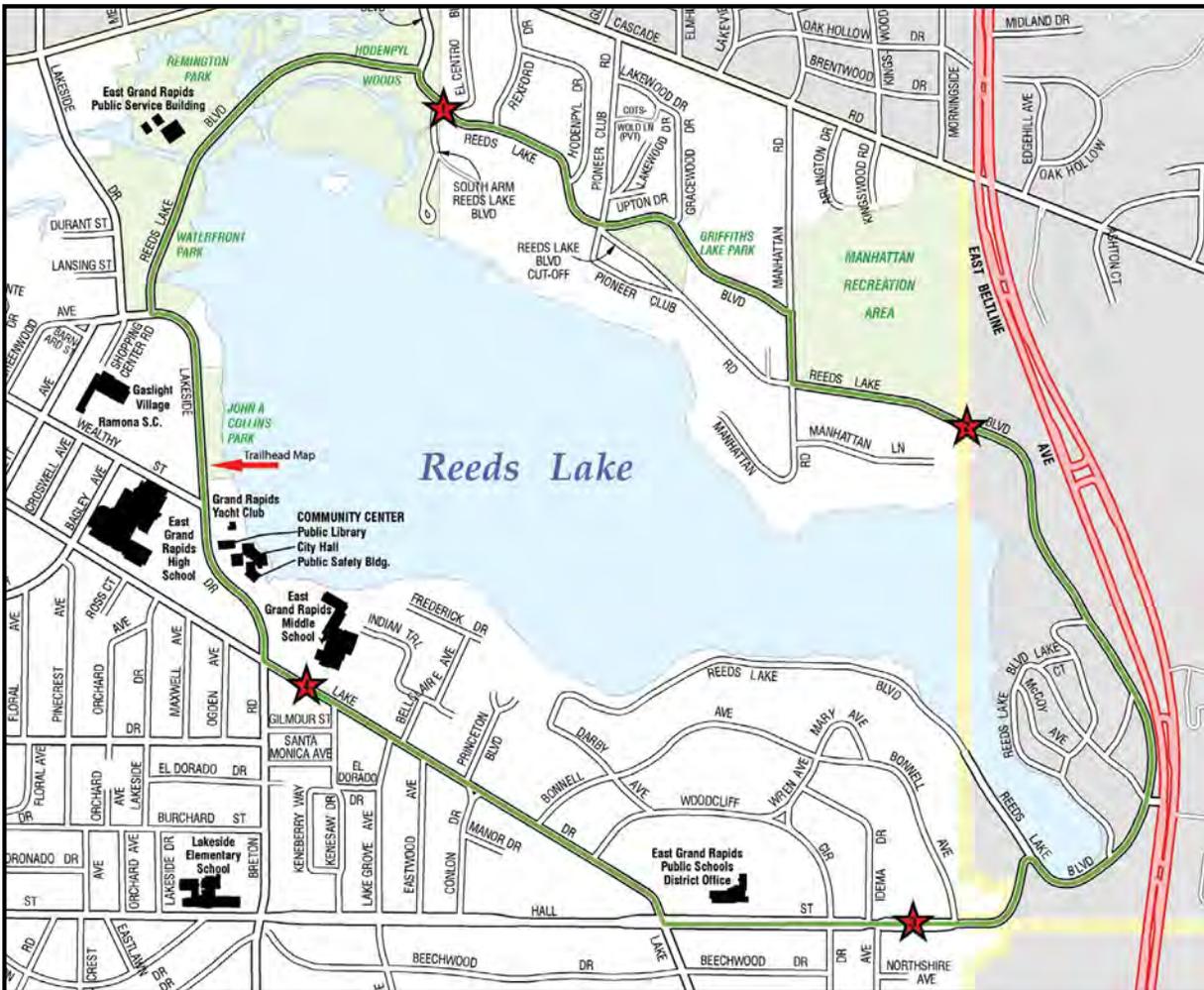
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Reeds Lake Trail Map

The **Reeds Lake Trail** (4.2 miles) is a combination of paved trails, boardwalks and sidewalks. There are wooden post 1/2 mile and mile markers along the route. You may also enjoy the 0.9 mile walk through Hodenpyl Woods (near the top left of the map). **By law, dogs must remain on a leash at all times while on the Reeds Lake Trail. You are held responsible for cleaning up after your dog.**



 Mile Markers



RECREATION STANDARDS FOR ACTIVITIES/FACILITIES

A comparison of activity-specific recreational facilities within the city of East Grand Rapids to recreation standards indicates that the city contains many of the recreational facilities desirable for the current population. The only deficiency identified is for baseball fields.

The table on the following page compares the recommended number of facilities per population for the city (11,429 as of 2023) with the existing facilities available and illustrates any current or projected deficiencies.

While standards for comparison address the quantity of facilities desirable for a particular number of persons, they do not address quality or location concerns. Consequently, any community that has the appropriate numbers of facilities may not have facilities of a useful or desirable quality or may not have facilities located where they would be most accessible to residents.



2025 RECREATION STANDARDS AND DEFICIENCIES CITY OF EAST GRAND RAPIDS

FACILITY	STANDARD	RECOMMENDED FACILITIES	EXISTING FACILITIES	FACILITY DEFICIENCIES
Softball Field	1:5,000	2	6	OK
Baseball Field	1:5,000	2	2	OK
Soccer Field	1:10,000	1	7	OK
Football Field	1:20,000	1	1	OK
Basketball Court (Outdoor)	1:5,000	2	3	OK
Tennis/Pickleball Court	1:2,000	6	23	OK
Volleyball Court	1:5,000	2	4	OK
Running Track	1:20,000	1	1	OK
Swimming Pool (Indoor)	1:20,000	1	2	OK
Playground Equipment	1:3,000	4	9	OK
Picnic Shelter	1:2,000	6	7	OK
Boat Ramp	As available	--	1	OK
Sledding Area	As available	--	1	OK
Trail System	1 per region	--	3	OK

RECREATION FACILITIES SUMMARY

The city of East Grand Rapids takes pride in its park and recreation facilities and demonstrates good stewardship of its natural resources. While substantial improvements have been achieved over the last 10 years, a variety of improvements are recommended to fully utilize the city’s recreational land and improve accessibility for all users.



GOALS AND OBJECTIVES 7

The city of East Grand Rapids has developed the following goals and objectives for park and recreation facilities and programs. These Goals and Objectives are based upon input from citizens, elected and appointed city officials, and city staff. The goals are long-range in nature and intended to be broad in scope and flexible enough to accommodate future change. The objectives are intended to direct specific program and development decisions to be made within the next five years. Both the goals and objectives are intended to guide actions but be flexible enough to reflect changing attitudes and opportunities as they may present themselves. Time and attitude changes can have an impact on specific options, and it is essential for the city of East Grand Rapids to be responsive to its citizens.

The goals and objectives for the city in meeting the recreation needs of residents are outlined below.

GOAL 1:

Provide recreational opportunities and programs for East Grand Rapids residents of all ages and abilities.

Objectives:

- Improve and develop park resources within East Grand Rapids which will offer unique opportunities for persons of all ages and abilities
- Plan park areas which will offer passive, as well as active opportunities



Potential Actions:

- Provide appropriate access opportunities to areas within all parks
- Plan park areas which will offer passive, as well as active opportunities

GOAL 2:

Continue cooperation between the school district and city with the joint facilities agreement

Objectives:

- Provide accessibility to recreational opportunities at all schools
- Update and expand existing facilities as needed
- Continue to improve and maintain outdoor athletic facilities within the community

Potential Actions

- Continue to make facilities barrier free when improvements/ upgrades are made to outdoor facilities

GOAL 3:

Optimize the community-wide opportunities for improved access to the Reeds Lake frontage

Objectives:

- Provide opportunities for all East Grand Rapids residents to enjoy the beauty of the lake
- Provide for lakefront access to those of all abilities
- Ensure all improvements are sensitive to the existing environment

Potential Actions:

- Provide accessible walkways/trails and overlook decks in South Hodenpyl Woods
- Provide lake viewing opportunities from appropriate observation deck at Steketee Woods
- Investigate the opportunity to provide swimming in Reeds Lake



GOAL 4:

Improve and define the Reed's Lake Trail for recreational use and non-motorized transportation linkages throughout the community

Objectives:

- Continue improvements to provide a safe, defined, marked and well signed walkway system which is accessible to the East Grand Rapids community
- Provide improved trail systems within recreation areas and parks linked to the Reeds Lake Trail

Potential Actions:

- Develop paved trail connection on south side of Reeds Lake Boulevard from Schroeder Park to Griffiths Lake cutoff
- Develop the Schroeder property as a passive recreation space for trail users
- Trail improvements (mill/overlay) along Reeds Lake Boulevard from Lakeside Drive to Reeds Lake Arm Boulevard with the addition of bike lanes on the roadway
- Additions to the Safe Routes to School pathway from El Centro Boulevard to Manhattan Road

GOAL 5:

Preserve and protect the city's natural resources and habitats

Objectives:

- Future Development Projects should be designed mindful of wildlife habitats within the city
- Protect environment for future generations
- Protect and enhance wetlands to maintain water quality and as a habitat resource

Potential Actions:

- Provide environmental education opportunities at Hodenpyl Woods and Waterfront Park Phase II
- Restore/expand the wetlands of Waterfront Park (Phase 2) and provide access opportunities to the re-created habitats



GOAL 6:

Appropriately utilize the natural areas owned by the city

Objectives:

- Provide equal access and recreation opportunities for all
- Protect environment for future generations

Potential Actions:

- Provide barrier-free boardwalks and trails in Hodenpyl, Remington, Steketee and Schroeder Parks
- Implement Phase 2 development of Waterfront Park - include expanded wetlands and additional parking

GOAL 7:

Utilize existing available land to reduce the existing acreage deficit in city-wide community park facilities

Objectives:

- Increase acreage of park land for city-wide community utilization
- Provide park facilities and acreages which are consistent with accepted National Standards

Potential Actions:

- Improve Waterfront Park (Phase 2), Steketee Woods and the Schroeder property for passive community use

GOAL 8:

Consider acquisition of additional properties



Objectives:

- Provide for recreation needs and demands
- Approximate National Standards for city-wide community acreages

Potential Actions:

- Evaluate opportunities to acquire land which may become available, especially in the south and east of the city

GOAL 9:

Update existing facilities to meet the needs and expectations of city residents

Objectives:

- Improve existing facilities to meet or exceed ADA requirements and where feasible Universal Accessibility
- Continue to monitor and update equipment and facilities to comply with current safety standards

Potential Actions:

- Improve trails and site amenities in all parks to provide improved barrier-free access

GOAL 10:

Achieve carbon neutral operations by 2040 by implementing environmental stewardship and sustainability

Objectives:

- Develop sustainability partnerships with utilities
- Provide citywide sustainability programs

Potential Actions:

- Support carbon action plan by planting additional trees within parks as part of a strategic invasive species removal and reforestation effort
- Consider sustainable building and maintenance practices when performing park improvement projects



- Consider transitioning the city motor vehicle fleet and hand tools to electric options





ACTION PROGRAM & 8 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT SCHEDULE

ACTION PROGRAM

The Action Program and Capital Improvement Schedule for the city of East Grand Rapids' Community Park and Recreation Plan states the proposed course of development or improvement that will be taken over the next five years. The Goals and Objectives, from the previous section, serve as guidelines for the development of the Action Program. The Capital Improvement Schedule which follows will focus on the needs identified in the Action Program and will project potential expenditures for the five-year action period on a year-by-year basis. The five-year period will begin in 2025 and extend through 2029. This time period will not be sufficient to accomplish all of the goals and objectives but begins to prioritize those projects that may be achievable within the initial five years.

The Action Program focuses on reduction of deficiencies and expansion and improvements of facilities in a manner that not only meets current needs, but also diversifies the type and quality of recreational opportunities within the city. The Community Park and Recreation Plan identifies these needs in general terms in the Recreation Needs and Deficiencies section; the Action Plan describes specific actions to be taken to address these needs; and the Capital Improvement Schedule specifically itemizes those projects which will be most feasible during the next five years. The proposed schedule will allow for flexibility as funds become available and as opportunities are presented.

The following actions are comprehensive and will require more than five years to complete. Concept Plans illustrating the proposed improvements are included for each of the major park properties.



Waterfront Park

This 17-acre property was purchased in 1992 with assistance from the MNRTF for development for recreation and natural resource protection. Phase one of Waterfront Park was completed in 2010. The city desires to continue the development to realize the full potential of the purchase. Phase 2 development concentrates on the west side of Reeds Lake Boulevard. Plans include re-creating the natural woodlands by removing fill that was placed on the property prior to purchase and a comprehensive natural re-vegetation program. The proposed development includes a trail system through the park and linking residential areas west of Lakeside Drive and the Remington and Hodenpyl recreation areas. The project will serve as an environmental demonstration site and natural resource education tool.

Waterfront Park was identified as one of the top 3 visited parks in the Community Recreation Survey for the last two Recreation Plan Updates. The city is committed to restoring this property and realizing its full potential for passive recreation and environmental education. The site is in a prominent location close to gaslight village, residential neighborhoods and alongside the Reeds Lake Trail. Improvements to the Waterfront Park area will help to reduce the acreage deficiencies in city-wide community park facilities, as well as provide the opportunities for environmental education facilities.

Due to increased use of the Collins Park, Waterfront Park and Reeds Lake Trail, parking is needed to allow for more additional users.

Remington Park/Hodenpyl Woods

Proposed improvements include a construction of the “lower Reeds Lake Trail” along the northwest side of Reeds Lake. This work is currently under construction with funding assistance from the Kent County Road Commission. Additional improvements may include opportunities for lake and wetland viewing, overlook decks and providing new and improved trail linkages to Waterfront Park Phase 2 and the Reeds Lake Trail.



Remington Park is one of the least visited parks in the city. The large natural area supports a variety of wildlife and natural woodland and wetland habitats. The existing trails are un-surfaced. Improvements within these areas will provide a higher level of accessibility to the natural areas and waterfront areas for East Grand Rapids’ residents of all ages and physical abilities. Additionally, the footbridge immediately adjacent to Remington Field is in need of replacement.

Because a large portion of the site is a designated wetland, boardwalks and other elevated trails meeting Department of Environmental Quality Regulations must be considered in the improvements.

Manhattan Recreation Area

Proposed improvements at Manhattan Park include renovating the softball fields drainage and fencing systems

Schroeder Property

This site is currently undeveloped for recreation – there is a volunteer-based wildflower/butterfly/pollinator garden. Trails through the site and linking to the Reeds Lake Trail will allow for passive recreation on this property which also features a memorial to the former owners.

Steketee Woods

This property, with its mature woodland and undulating topography, offers opportunities for trail development and lake viewing. Proposed development includes natural chips and fines trails and boardwalk ramps to provide barrier-free access to the lakeshore. Quiet seating opportunities will also be provided. The proposed improvements will be carefully designed to minimize impact on the natural environment.

San Lu Rae Triangle

Barrier free access, seating and possible shade shelter.



CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT SCHEDULE

As stated in the Action Program, improvements and development will occur as funds and opportunities evolve. Assistance will be solicited from all available sources and will include both physical and financial support.

The city will take maximum advantage of any job training and related work programs to assist in clean-ups and basic miscellaneous construction and general recreation facility maintenance projects. The city will also seek funding assistance from all available sources such as trusts, charitable foundations, private contributions, and all Federal and State funding programs.

The following schedule is a breakdown of the anticipated projects and projected funding for the next five years. Projections are based upon order-of-magnitude 2025 costs and will be detailed with refined programs and plans. Changes in the program may occur if projected funding levels increase or decrease but it is anticipated that the changes would be related more to adjustments in the time schedule rather than specific projects themselves. Refer to the following site concept plans for more site-specific information.

These actions address those programs and opportunities which have potential for implementation within the next ten years. These actions do not address every element within the goals and objectives section of this Master Plan, but address those which have high priority and potentials for improvement. As the plan progresses, opportunities may present themselves which will revise and refine these actions based upon funding opportunities, as well as community opinion, consensus, and direction.

The following projects have been identified for improvements and will occur as funds are identified and ARE NOT listed in order of priority.

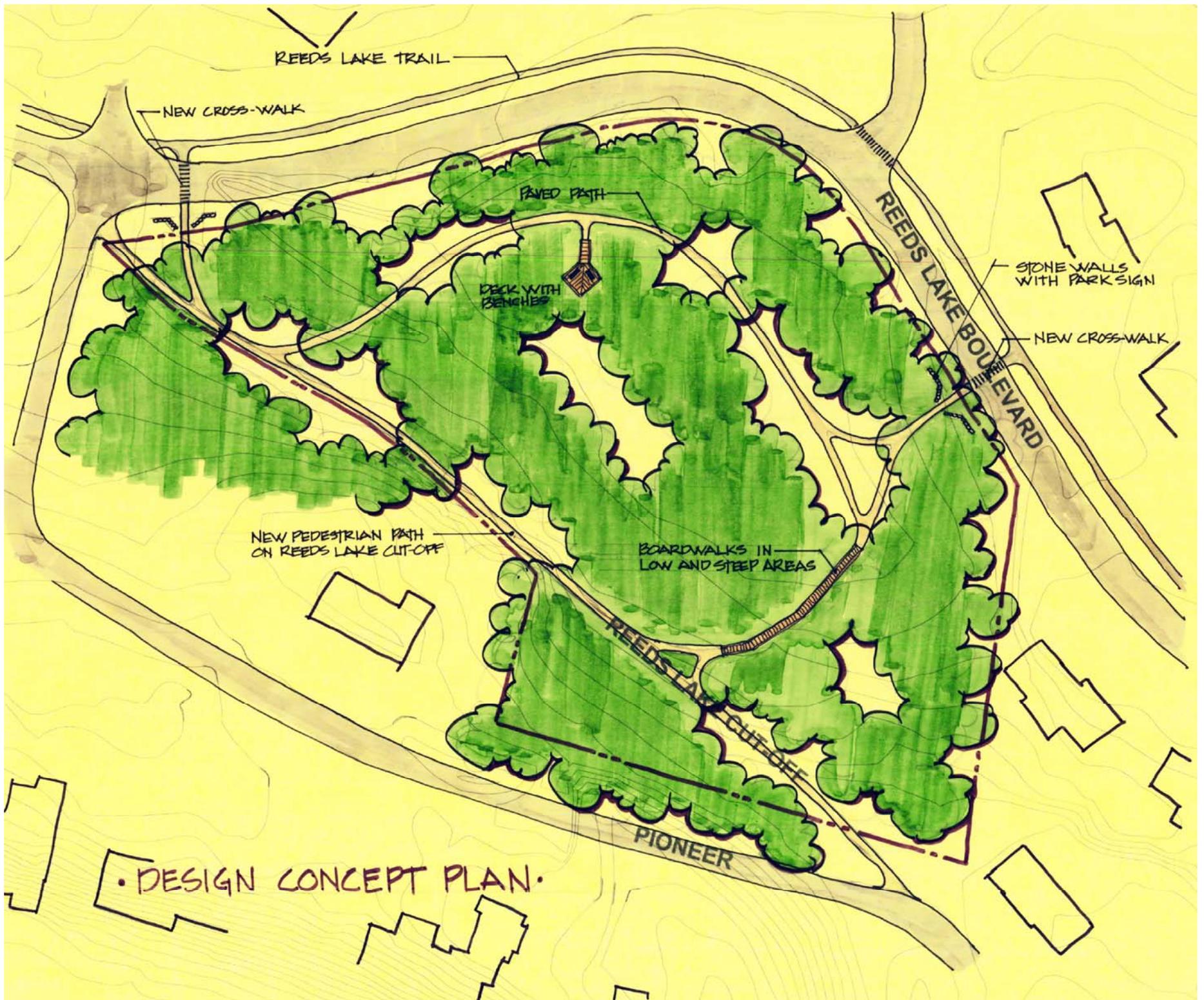


Project:	City	Other Funds	Total Project Cost
<u>Remington/Hodenpyl Trail Improvements</u> Up-grade trails to provide barrier-free access with wetland and lakefront overlooks, bridge replacement and a connection to Waterfront Park	\$250,000	\$275,000	\$525,000
<u>Hodenpyl South Trail</u> Provide barrier-free trail south of Reeds Lake Boulevard	TBD	TBD	TBD
<u>Manhattan Field Renovations - Manhattan Field #1</u> Shared baseball and soccer field leveling and drainage improvements, fencing cement and dugout refurbishment	\$400,000		\$400,000
<u>Manhattan Field Renovations - Manhattan Field #2</u> Baseball field leveling and drainage improvements, fencing replacement and dugout refurbishment, replacement scoreboard	\$400,000		\$400,000
<u>Manhattan Field Renovations - Manhattan Field #3</u> Softball field leveling and drainage improvements, fencing replacement and dugout refurbishment	\$300,000		\$300,000
<u>Manhattan Field Renovations - Manhattan Field #4</u> Shared lacrosse and football field leveling and drainage improvements, fencing replacement	\$200,000		\$200,000
<u>San Lu Rae Triangle</u> Small shade shelter with picnic tables and benches with barrier free companion space along existing north sidewalk	\$80,000		\$80,000
<u>Waterfront Park Phase 2</u> Natural Play Area	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$300,000



Project:	City	Other Funds	Total Project Cost
Waterfront Park Phase 3 Woodland and wetland restoration, trail and boardwalk development, additional parking and environmental education opportunities	\$1,600,000	\$300,000	\$1,900,000
Steketee Woods Provide accessible trail linking to Reeds Lake Trail, including a hilltop terrace, lake viewing area and boardwalk ramp/stairs	\$400,000	\$300,000	\$700,000
Schroeder Property Provide a trail through park to lakefront with viewing decks	\$200,000	\$150,000	\$350,000
Property Acquisition Acquisition of additional park property as it becomes available	TBD	TBD	TBD
Recycle Containers Provide Recycle/Composting Containers in Strategic locations throughout the City	\$650 EA		\$650 EA
Interurban Trail Improvement Plymouth to Santa Cruz - ADA improvements	\$72,000	\$168,000	\$240,000





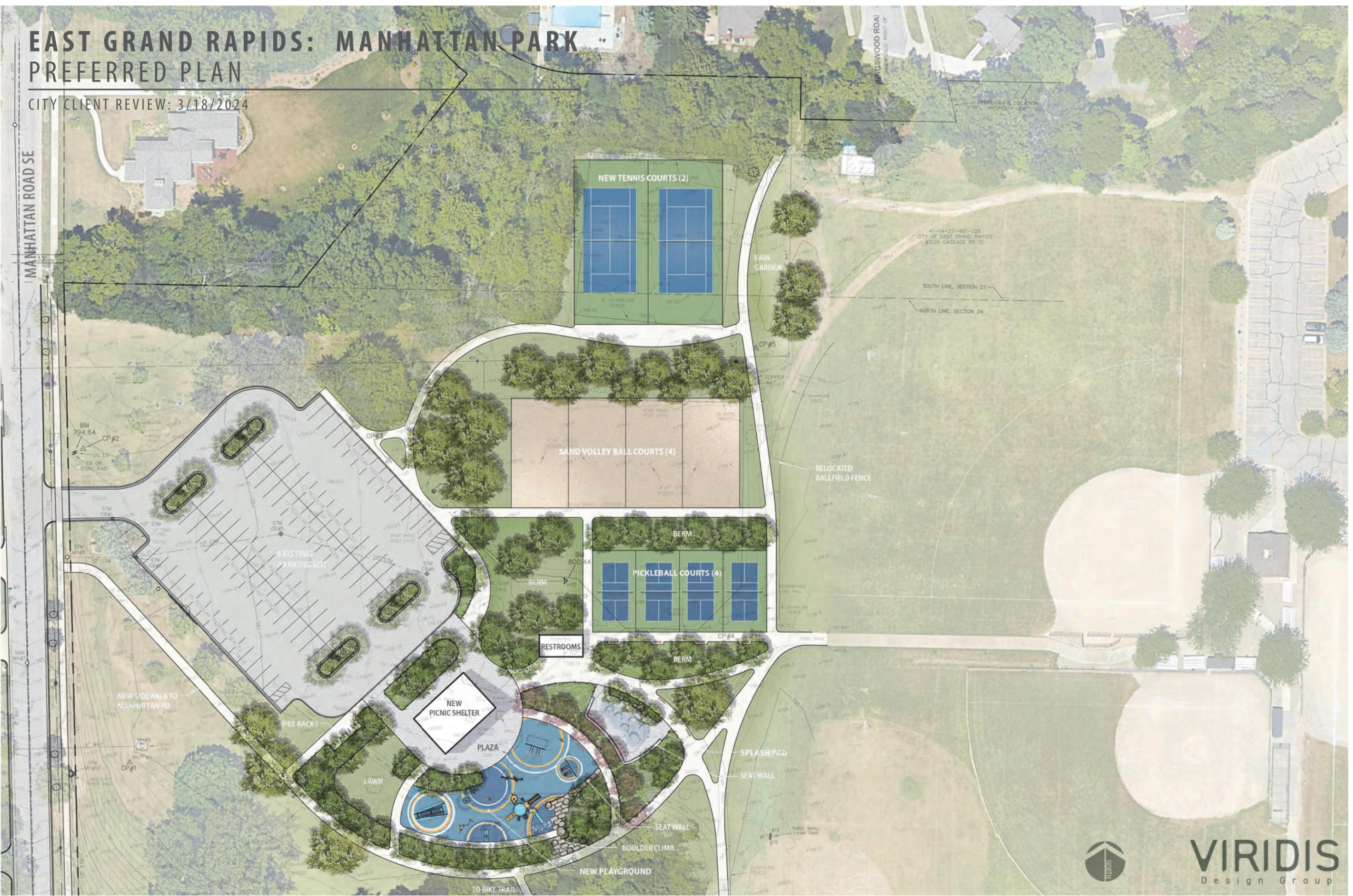
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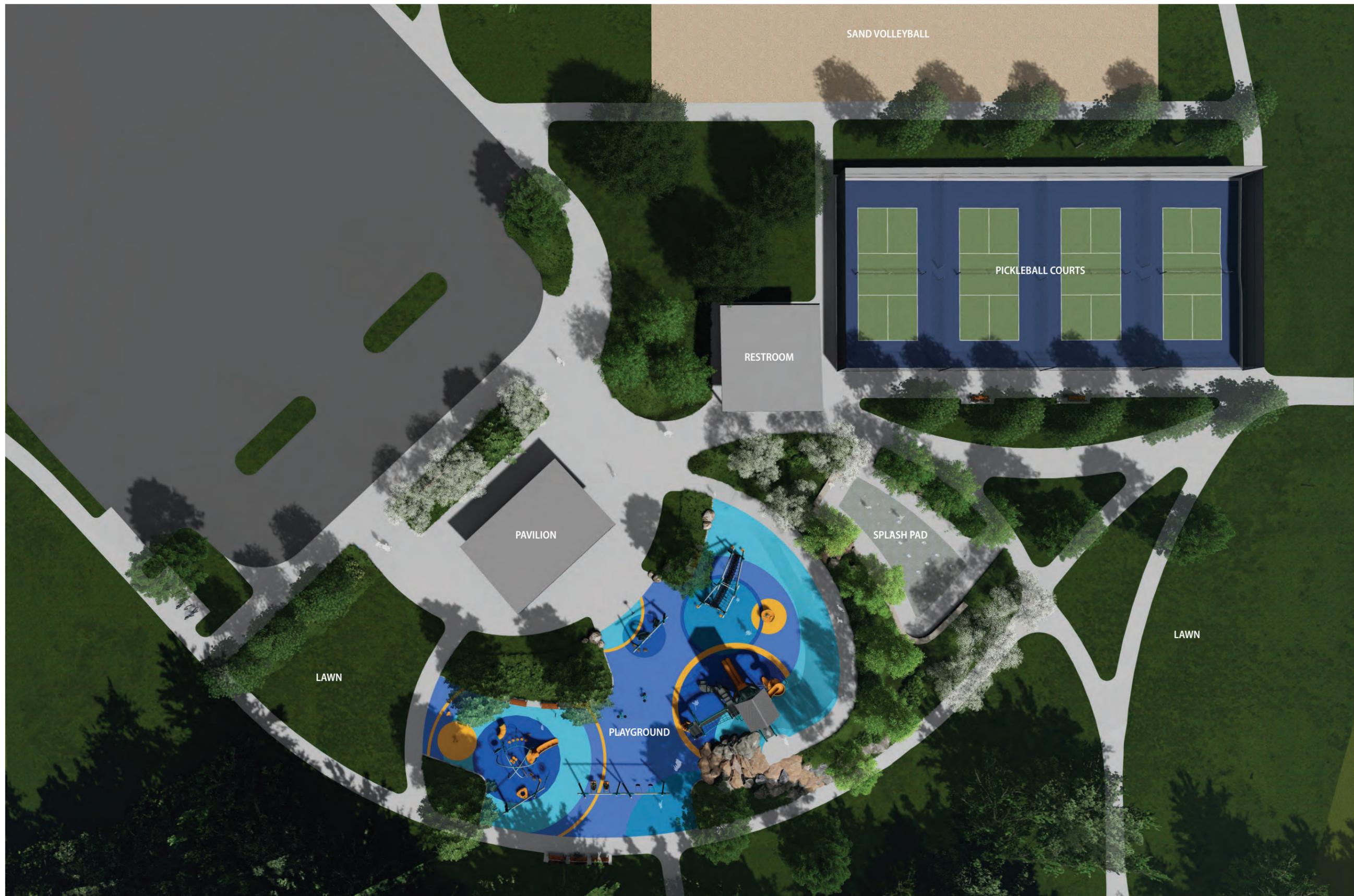


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SAN JOSE DRIVE

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SAN LU RAE DRIVE

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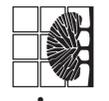
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SAN LU RAE TRIANGLE

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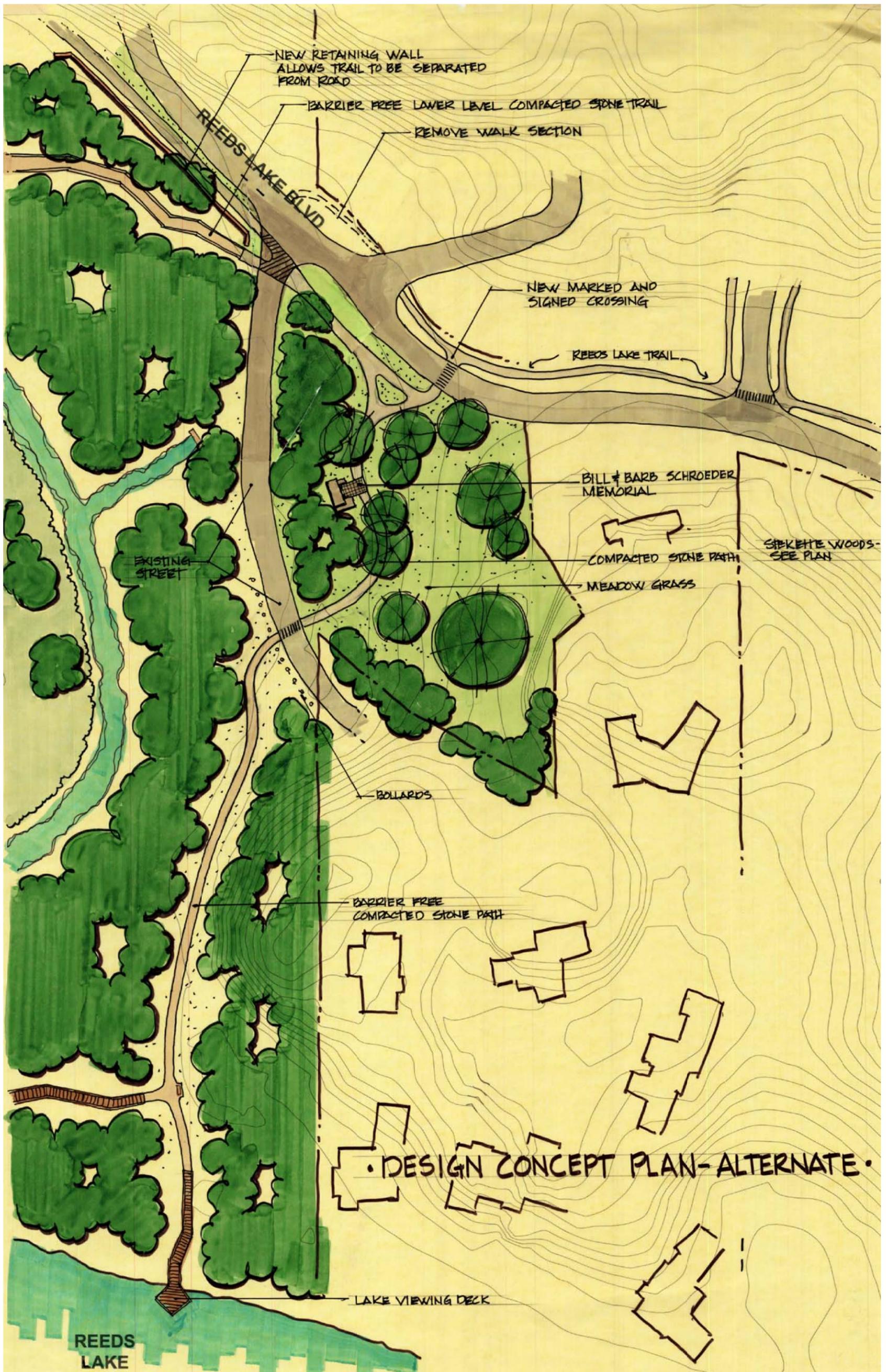


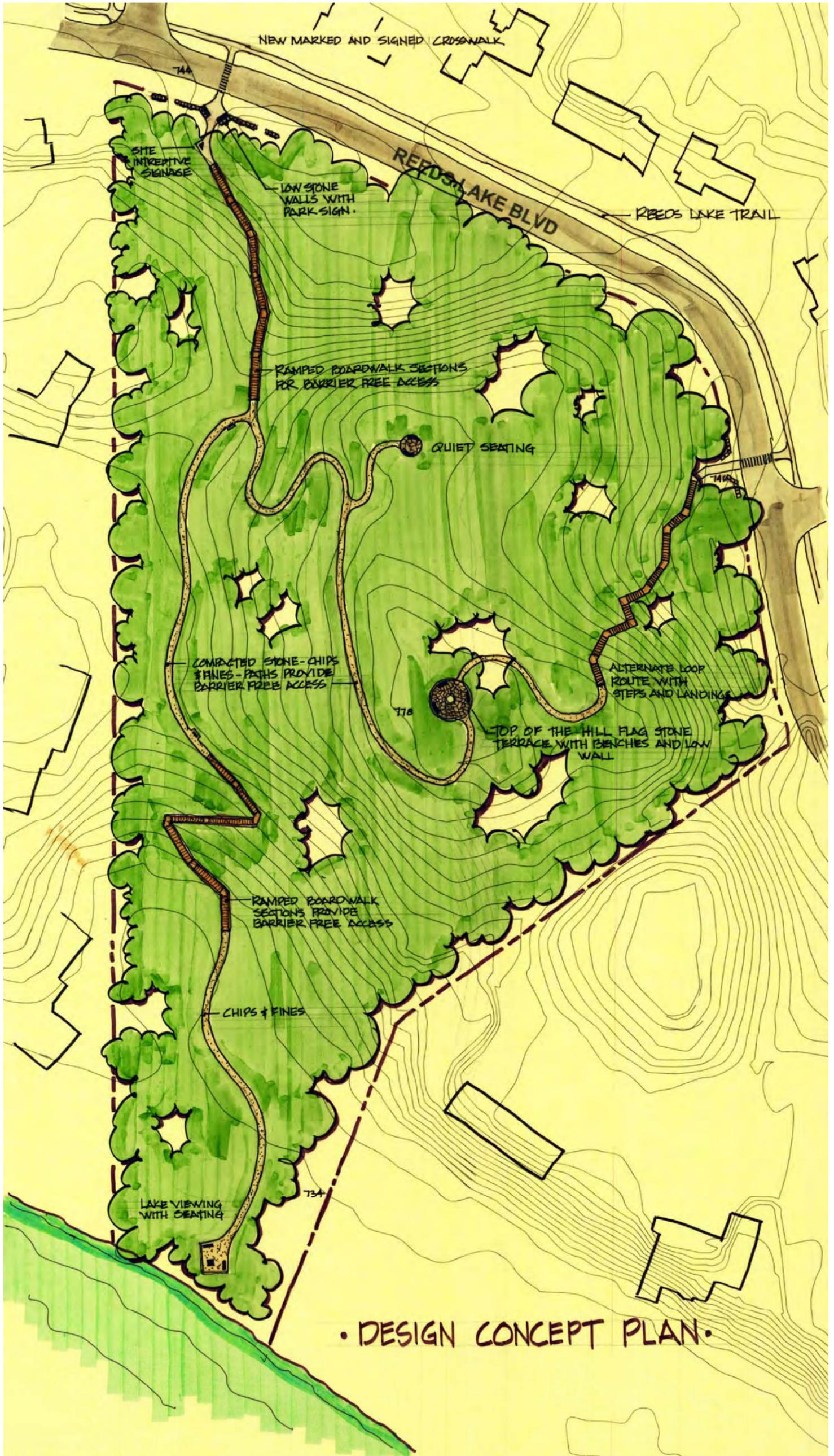
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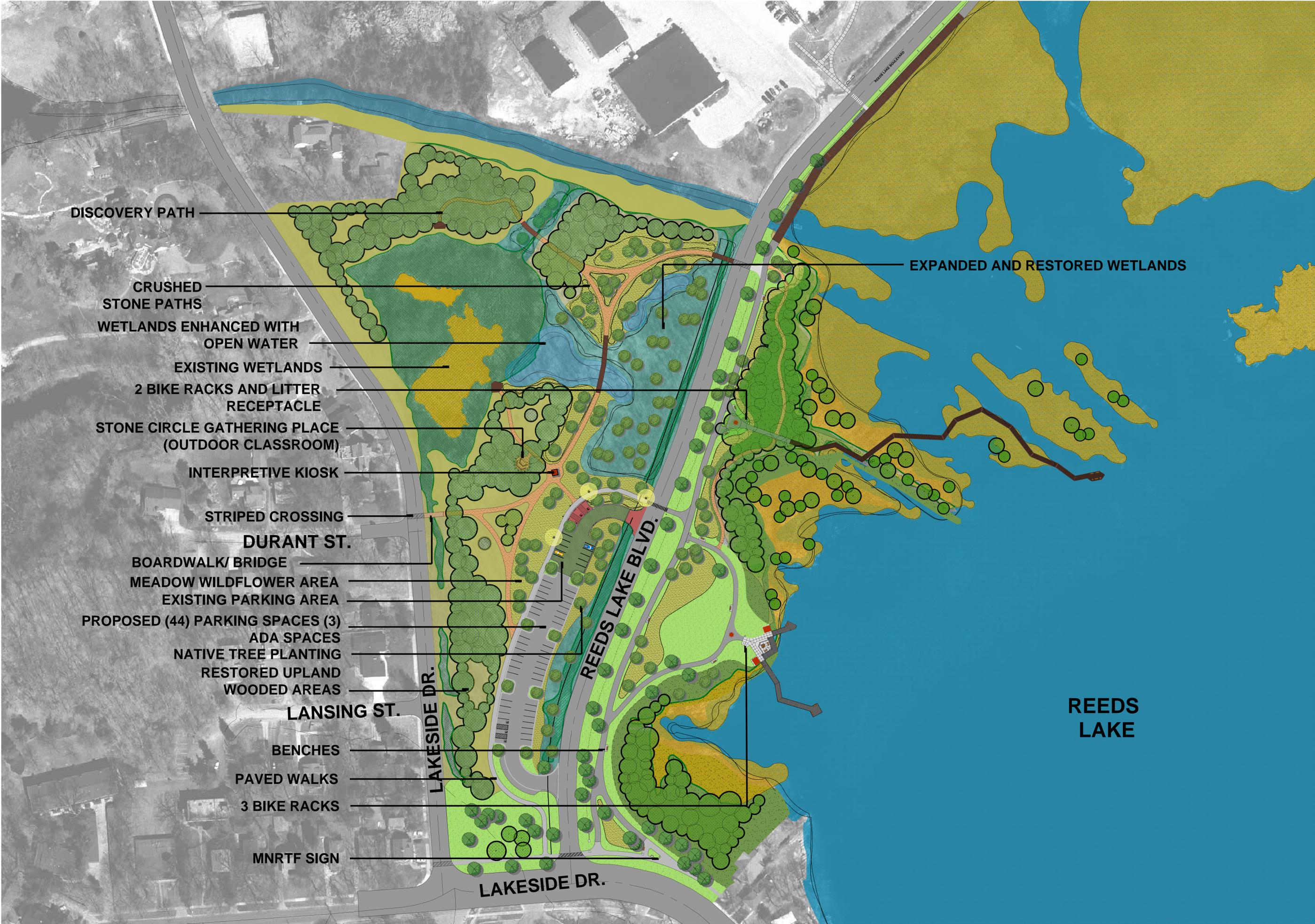


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STONE CIRCLE GATHERING PLACE
(OUTDOOR CLASSROOM)

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STRIPED CROSSING

DURANT ST.

BOARDWALK/ BRIDGE

MEADOW WILDFLOWER AREA

EXISTING PARKING AREA

PROPOSED (44) PARKING SPACES (3)

ADA SPACES

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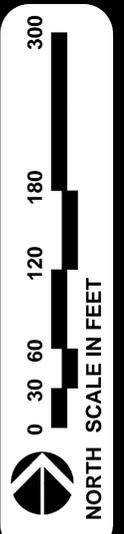
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FRED BUNN MULTI USE TRAIL MAP



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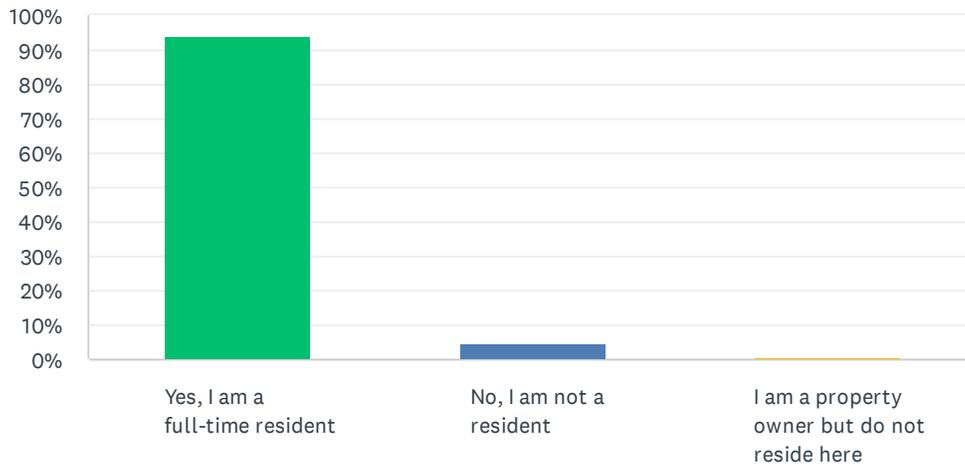
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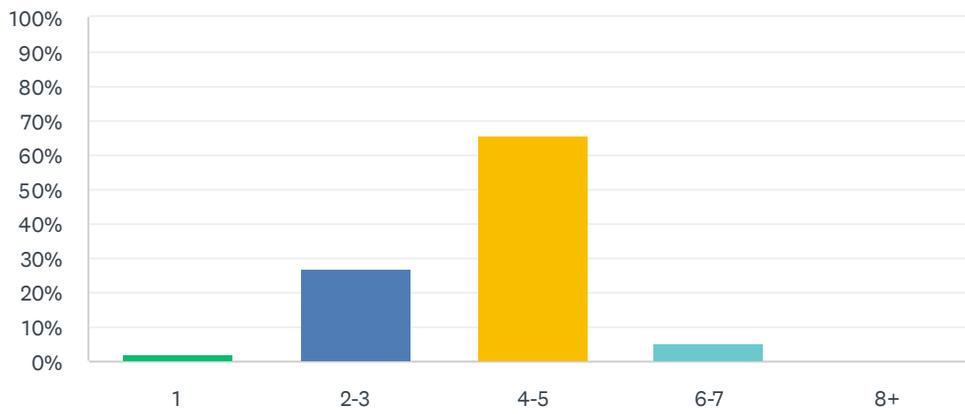
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Q2 How many people currently live in your household?

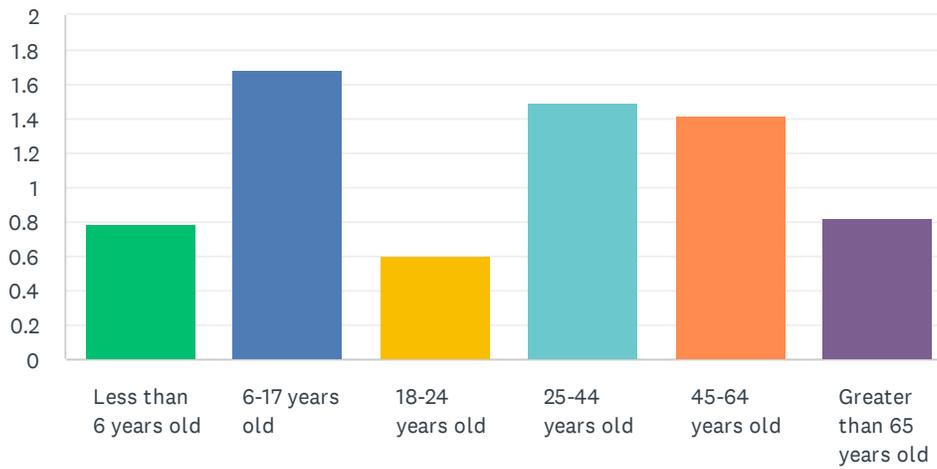
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Q3 How many people in your household are:

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39	2	10/25/2024 6:18 PM
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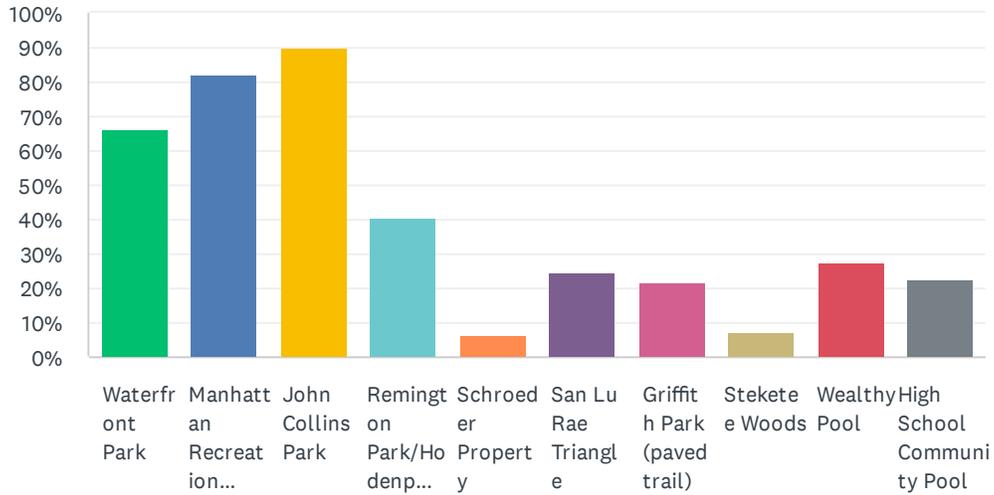
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Q4 Which of the City's parks and facilities have you or members of your household utilized in the last 12 months?

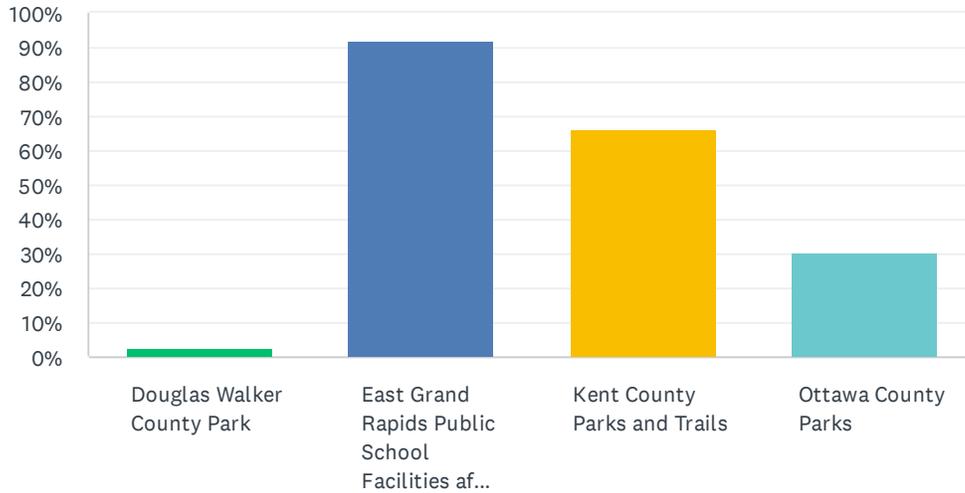
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Waterfront Park	66.09%	423
Manhattan Recreation Area	82.03%	525
John Collins Park	90.16%	577
Remington Park/Hodenpyl Woods	40.78%	261
Schroeder Property	6.25%	40
San Lu Rae Triangle	24.69%	158
Griffith Park (paved trail)	21.56%	138
Steketee Woods	7.50%	48
Wealthy Pool	27.50%	176
High School Community Pool	22.50%	144
Total Respondents: 640		

Q5 Check any of these Parks and Recreation Facilities you or members of your household have utilized in the last 12 months.

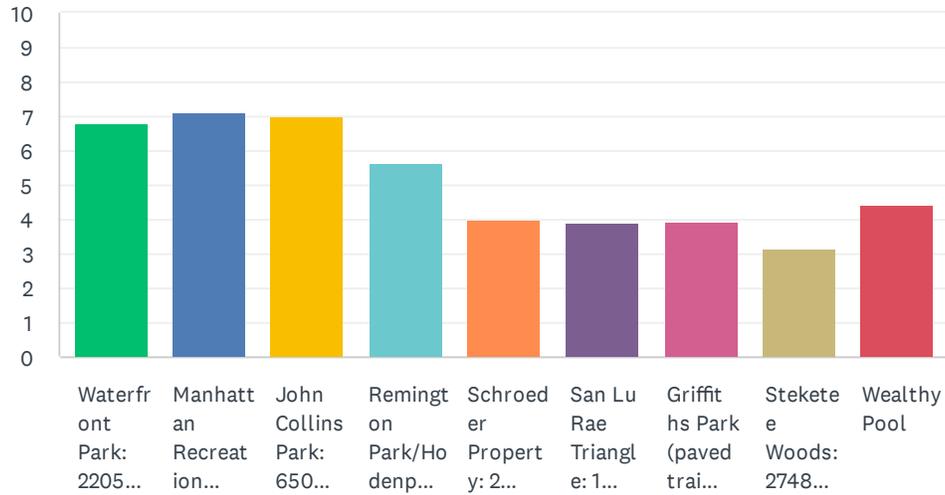
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Douglas Walker County Park	2.44%	15
East Grand Rapids Public School Facilities after school hours (playgrounds, track, ball fields)	91.87%	565
Kent County Parks and Trails	66.34%	408
Ottawa County Parks	30.41%	187
Total Respondents: 615		

Q6 Please rank the City's facilities you would like to see improved or expanded. 1=High Priority, 8=Low Priority

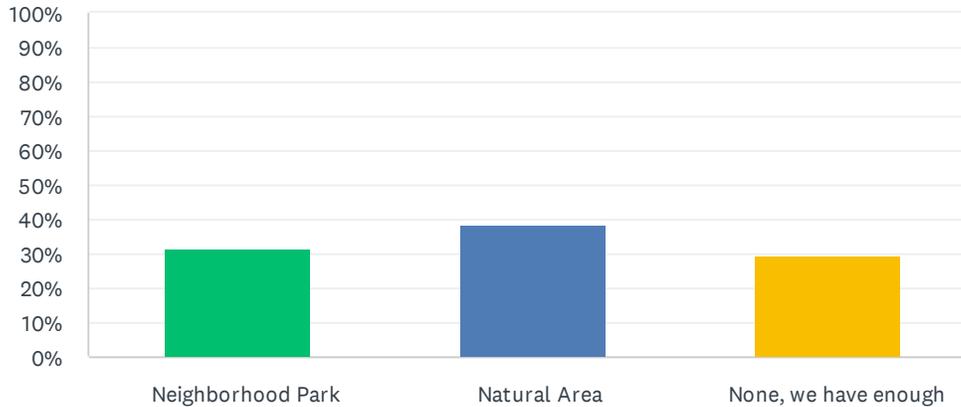
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Waterfront Park: 2205 Reeds Lake Blvd.	18.51% 97	26.72% 140	20.04% 105	11.07% 58	10.11% 53	5.73% 30	3.24% 17	2.10% 11	2.48% 13	524	6.77
Manhattan Recreation Area: 3180 Cascade Rd.	33.33% 184	23.01% 127	14.31% 79	11.41% 63	5.07% 28	3.80% 21	2.54% 14	2.72% 15	3.80% 21	552	7.10
John Collins Park: 650 Lakeside Dr.	24.50% 134	22.85% 125	25.05% 137	10.79% 59	4.39% 24	4.75% 26	3.66% 20	2.56% 14	1.46% 8	547	7.02
Remington Park/Hodenpyl Woods: 2500 Robinson Rd.	8.95% 46	10.31% 53	12.84% 66	23.93% 123	18.68% 96	9.92% 51	8.56% 44	3.31% 17	3.50% 18	514	5.65
Schroeder Property: 2618 Reeds Lake Blvd.	1.86% 9	3.51% 17	5.36% 26	8.87% 43	16.49% 80	22.27% 108	20.21% 98	13.40% 65	8.04% 39	485	4.02
San Lu Rae Triangle: 1900 San Lu Rae Dr.	6.94% 35	3.77% 19	6.35% 32	8.73% 44	8.73% 44	15.08% 76	14.29% 72	14.09% 71	22.02% 111	504	3.87
Griffiths Park (paved trail): 2816 Reeds Lake Blvd.	4.05% 20	3.64% 18	4.66% 23	6.28% 31	13.97% 69	17.81% 88	25.30% 125	18.62% 92	5.67% 28	494	3.96
Steketee Woods: 2748 Reeds Lake Blvd.	2.44% 12	3.25% 16	3.86% 19	5.28% 26	7.32% 36	11.79% 58	15.85% 78	28.86% 142	21.34% 105	492	3.17
Wealthy Pool	8.73% 46	8.35% 44	10.06% 53	12.33% 65	12.90% 68	5.50% 29	4.36% 23	13.09% 69	24.67% 130	527	4.40

Q7 What additional types of new parks would you most like to see in the City?

Answered: 588 Skipped: 67



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Neighborhood Park	31.80% 187
Natural Area	38.61% 227
None, we have enough	29.59% 174
TOTAL	588

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Tot park for babies and toddlers and caregivers	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
2	please stop cutting down trees it has been sad to see now. even near the rock. That path and manhattan woods are a sad disaster	11/4/2024 3:39 PM
3	Access to Schroder Property	11/3/2024 7:05 PM
4	If St. Stephen is no longer using the playgrounds, maintain them and make them available for neighbors to use.	11/2/2024 9:29 PM
5	Triangle park have small playground & Collins park	11/1/2024 5:32 PM
6	Update the natural areas we have; include areas to sit or eat, to enjoy the scenery.	10/31/2024 1:18 PM
7	Disc golf park	10/30/2024 5:55 AM
8	None need money invested	10/29/2024 10:10 PM
9	NONE	10/29/2024 7:48 PM
10	Athletic fields — our teams and rec programs don't have enough space, and parks and rec rents to too many outside groups	10/28/2024 11:59 PM
11	Gaslight area playground	10/28/2024 10:49 PM
12	Wow!! How many trees can you cut down. Let's focus on traffic calming and better crosswalks. So much habitat for nature has been cut down.	10/28/2024 7:01 PM
13	Improvements to wooded areas to make more usable.	10/28/2024 6:55 PM
14	Fixing reeds lake blvd portion of the trail by the Beltline.	10/28/2024 6:25 PM

15	Leave our city ALONE	10/28/2024 5:20 PM
16	Splash pad	10/28/2024 4:15 PM
17	Indoor sports facility	10/28/2024 3:56 PM
18	Neighborhood Parks and Natural areas....many more trees planted across our city!	10/28/2024 1:23 PM
19	We have spent a lot on parks. We have what we need. Leave the rest of the property natural, enjoy nature	10/27/2024 5:32 PM
20	Toddler playgrounds, within walking distance, available during school hours	10/25/2024 11:30 PM
21	Take care of existing parks	10/25/2024 4:46 PM
22	A park in the Breton Downs neighborhood that isn't on school grounds would be welcomed!	10/25/2024 12:31 PM
23	Schroder park could be a children's garden or a fun maze for kids, similar to what is available at Frederick Meijer Gardens.	10/24/2024 10:56 AM
24	Splash pad	10/24/2024 6:34 AM
25	Park near Breton downs, not enough on this side of town, can't visit during school hours	10/23/2024 6:22 PM
26	disc golf course	10/22/2024 3:46 PM
27	please leave our natural areas protected not everything needs a trail. Preserve all trees	10/22/2024 2:08 PM
28	We have very little park areas on the west/southwest area. Triangle park should be a priority.	10/22/2024 8:28 AM
29	Trails	10/21/2024 8:48 PM
30	Improvement of the reeds lake trail. Rest rooms and water fountain	10/21/2024 7:56 PM
31	Dog park	10/21/2024 7:29 PM
32	Community pool!!	10/21/2024 5:48 PM
33	Swimming at Collins Park. Boardwalk with a bump out or two along the Middle School's lake frontage. By the soccer field.	10/21/2024 4:14 PM
34	More tennis courts, or at least open lakeside courts for more than a few weeks	10/21/2024 4:09 PM
35	Place for picnics and portable hammocks	10/21/2024 3:59 PM
36	Nothing with splash pads	10/21/2024 3:27 PM
37	We don't need more. Our kids and grandkids use what we have and it's smough	10/21/2024 2:21 PM
38	Would like to see different uses of some of our existing parks	10/19/2024 9:57 AM
39	Triangle park seems to be used for testing the firefighting equipment and that is it. Turning it into a natural area with trees plus minus with a water feature would be a nice addition	10/17/2024 11:44 AM
40	natural geocache park	10/16/2024 1:08 PM
41	Mountain Bike & Bike Trails / Paths	10/16/2024 9:58 AM
42	Please replace the turf at Mehney field	10/16/2024 9:28 AM
43	Is it possible to develop the wooded lots on the dirt road part of Beechwood?	10/15/2024 2:16 PM
44	If St. Stephen church/school property ever comes available we and many neighbors use that playground and it would be great to see it continue being available for neighborhood use	10/15/2024 12:13 PM
45	Paved path from "the rock" to the Pioneer Club/RLB 4-way stop. Massive bottleneck in this stretch w/ bikes & walkers in the road.	10/15/2024 11:32 AM
46	Additional nature trails or better equipped to be utilized during wet conditions.	10/15/2024 11:23 AM
47	We need to upgrade our sport courts, fields.	10/15/2024 11:20 AM
48	pickleball courts	10/15/2024 9:17 AM
49	Mountain bike trails and trail upgrades.	10/15/2024 9:06 AM

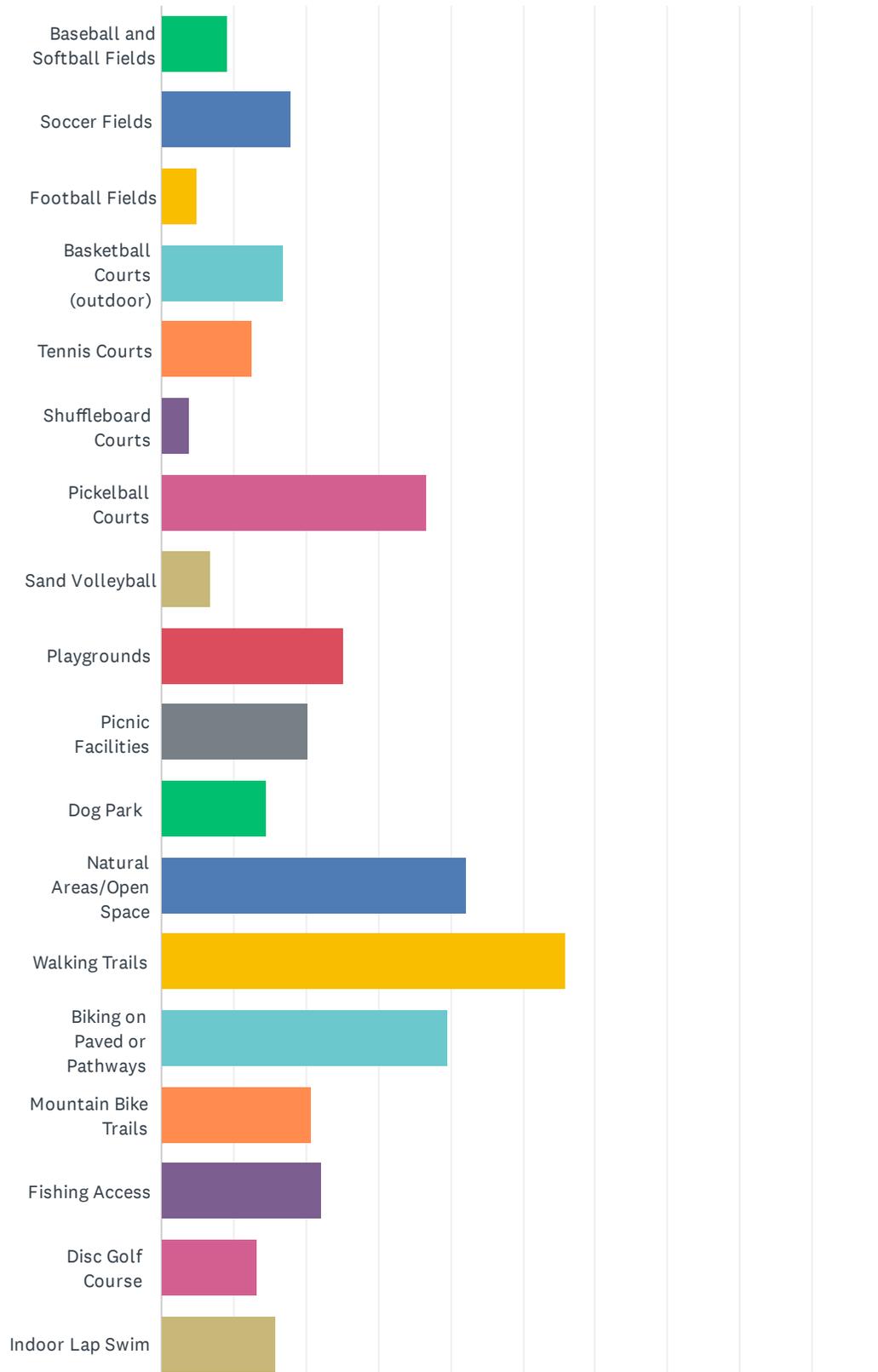
50	Mountain biking	10/15/2024 8:58 AM
51	More public athletic fields (soccer, ultimate Frisbee, softball).	10/14/2024 11:07 AM
52	Community garden	10/14/2024 10:34 AM
53	we need a community pool	10/14/2024 10:03 AM
54	Public beach/water access for kids	10/14/2024 9:31 AM
55	Waterfront	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
56	More Tennis courts at Canepa	10/14/2024 7:44 AM
57	Keep nature in its natural state, do not mow down nature to add an an additional parking lot across from Waterfront Park.	10/13/2024 10:23 PM
58	More public bathrooms	10/13/2024 7:01 PM
59	splash pad, piazza- type gathering places	10/13/2024 6:46 PM
60	More trails	10/13/2024 4:08 PM
61	another ballfield	10/13/2024 4:01 PM
62	splash pad	10/13/2024 8:06 AM
63	Grooming on wooded trails for CC skiing	10/13/2024 7:13 AM
64	The new Elementary playgrounds, specifically Lakeside is extremely disappointing.	10/12/2024 9:12 PM
65	St Stephens school converted to a park	10/12/2024 5:17 PM
66	Let's focus on maintaining the parks that we've invested in.	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
67	trails - reeds lake trail is mostly residential roads	10/12/2024 10:23 AM
68	Splash pad	10/12/2024 9:19 AM
69	Better fields!! We could develop Manhattan as an incredible sports facility to host many tournaments.	10/12/2024 9:02 AM
70	Splash pad	10/12/2024 9:01 AM
71	more turf fields	10/12/2024 8:54 AM
72	Community outdoor summer pool within East Grand Rapids	10/12/2024 8:17 AM
73	In the question above, I'd welcome improvement to waterfront parks, but the question assumes all parks need improvement and forces the answer on the reader (flawed question)	10/12/2024 8:07 AM
74	with a playground! We cannot use the other ones during school time.	10/11/2024 9:51 PM
75	Pickle Ball Park	10/11/2024 7:53 PM
76	More pickleball	10/11/2024 6:35 PM
77	Pickleball courts	10/11/2024 6:06 PM
78	Tennis courts	10/11/2024 5:35 PM
79	Reeds Lake swimming access	10/11/2024 4:41 PM
80	Advertisement/Knowledge ABOUT our parks/spaces available, I have lived in East for 11 years, and have NEVER seen the map above with all the different park spaces. what do they offer?	10/11/2024 4:37 PM
81	More pickle ball courts	10/11/2024 3:13 PM
82	A turf field with a surrounding walking track	10/11/2024 2:50 PM
83	Outdoor pool/swimmimg	10/11/2024 2:44 PM
84	futsal courts	10/11/2024 1:41 PM
85	Playground facility downtown (John Collins or similar)	10/11/2024 1:18 PM

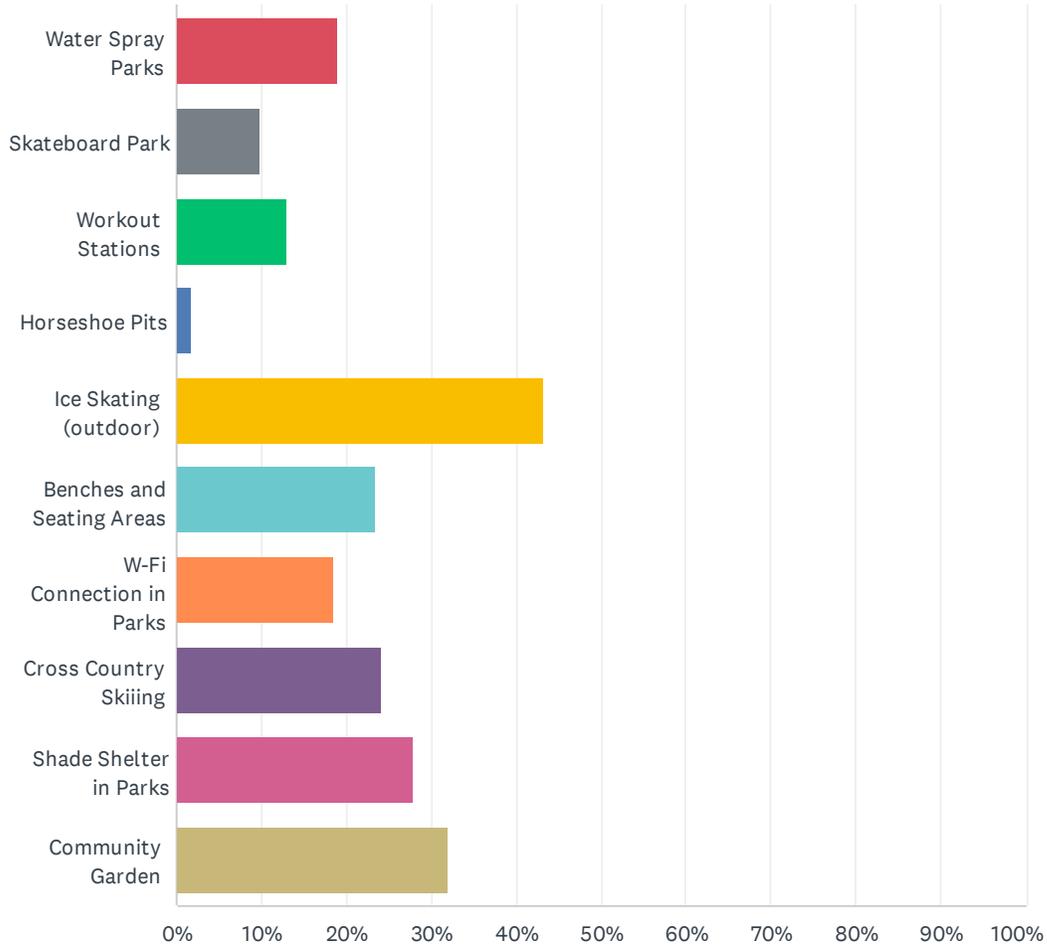
86	Ice skating rink! Skate park	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
87	beach, downtown park	10/11/2024 1:14 PM
88	Community pool	10/11/2024 11:54 AM
89	More spaces for people to come shop, eat and gather. Similar to Ada or downtown holland	10/11/2024 11:43 AM
90	Bathrooms around trail	10/11/2024 11:43 AM
91	A park in the possible new development in GLV or in john near the lake would be a welcome addition to the community. Currently we don't really have parks we have school playgrounds.	10/11/2024 11:38 AM
92	Pickleball nice rec sports complex. Public sauna	10/11/2024 11:35 AM
93	Love a play scape playground, less traditional looking playgrounds	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
94	Outdoor exercise equipment-European inspired style	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
95	Promote the Inter-Urban Trail	10/11/2024 11:23 AM
96	More playgrounds for use during school hours.	10/11/2024 11:18 AM
97	Better activate John Collins. Make it an area attraction for Gaslight area.	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
98	Keep remaining parks "natural" - no need to carve them all up with trails.	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
99	Skate Park	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
100	Skate park!	10/11/2024 11:12 AM
101	I like trails and preserving the nature we already have. I think improving Manhattan playground will be a game changer. I also wish there was some public beach access to Reeds Lake.	10/11/2024 11:11 AM
102	Improve wayfinding and trail quality in natural areas	10/11/2024 10:56 AM
103	Wooded walking trail	10/11/2024 10:50 AM
104	Better bike trails	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
105	disc golf	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
106	splash pad and playground	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
107	Athletic fields - soccer, lacrosse etc	10/11/2024 10:45 AM
108	a small public beach space for Reeds Lake	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
109	More basketball hoops and turf fields	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
110	Mountain bike trails in Hodenpyl Woods or Steketee Woods.	10/11/2024 10:39 AM
111	available pickle ball courts (upgrade)	10/11/2024 10:37 AM
112	more paths to walk, run, bike	10/11/2024 10:33 AM
113	Renovate John Collins parks to allow cars/trailers/boats to safely pull into and turn and launch. It doesn't need to include parking, but the current scenario with the traffic and pedestrians is not safe.	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
114	bike path- expanded sidewalk on lake ave for kids	10/11/2024 10:30 AM
115	Making use of the vacant lot behind D&W	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
116	more trash cans for dog waste	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
117	exercise paths	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
118	perhaps a swimming area at Reeds Lake	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
119	Neighborhood pool-Heather Downs is great but too small	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
120	SPORTS FIELDS	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
121	a splash pad	10/11/2024 10:23 AM

122	More area to expand social zone to Collins park	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
123	I would like an indoor facility for sports	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
124	public water access on Reeds Lake	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
125	nature based parks (natural features vs metal and plastic)	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
126	We need more playing fields for our many youth sports teams	10/11/2024 10:18 AM
127	Places focused on older kids ages 10 and up	10/11/2024 10:16 AM
128	All the elementary playgrounds look fabulous we don't need any more parks what we need our walking trails bike trails additional parking. We do not need a water park	10/7/2024 11:35 AM

Q8 Which of the following activities/facilities would you most like to see expanded or added in the City?

Answered: 639 Skipped: 16





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Baseball and Softball Fields	9.23%	59
Soccer Fields	18.00%	115
Football Fields	5.01%	32
Basketball Courts (outdoor)	16.74%	107
Tennis Courts	12.52%	80
Shuffleboard Courts	3.91%	25
Pickelball Courts	36.78%	235
Sand Volleyball	6.89%	44
Playgrounds	25.20%	161
Picnic Facilities	20.19%	129
Dog Park	14.55%	93
Natural Areas/Open Space	42.25%	270
Walking Trails	55.87%	357
Biking on Paved or Pathways	39.59%	253
Mountain Bike Trails	20.66%	132
Fishing Access	22.22%	142
Disc Golf Course	13.15%	84
Indoor Lap Swim	15.81%	101
Water Spray Parks	18.94%	121
Skateboard Park	9.86%	63
Workout Stations	12.99%	83
Horseshoe Pits	1.72%	11
Ice Skating (outdoor)	43.35%	277
Benches and Seating Areas	23.47%	150
W-Fi Connection in Parks	18.62%	119
Cross Country Skiing	24.10%	154
Shade Shelter in Parks	27.86%	178
Community Garden	32.08%	205
Total Respondents: 639		

Q9 How many times have you or members of your household visited the Community Center in the past year? If you answered "none" please proceed to question 11

Answered: 586 Skipped: 69

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Adults	98.63% 578
Children	84.47% 495

#	ADULTS	DATE
1	Often	11/4/2024 7:25 PM
2	25	11/4/2024 5:57 PM
3	10	11/4/2024 4:55 PM
4	2	11/4/2024 4:31 PM
5	25	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
6	2	11/4/2024 3:39 PM
7	2	11/4/2024 2:48 PM
8	5	11/4/2024 9:47 AM
9	10	11/3/2024 8:42 PM
10	Library a few times	11/3/2024 7:05 PM
11	6	11/3/2024 4:05 PM
12	3	11/3/2024 3:00 PM
13	2	11/3/2024 9:06 AM
14	6	11/2/2024 10:15 PM
15	15	11/2/2024 9:29 PM
16	None	11/2/2024 11:57 AM
17	10	11/1/2024 5:32 PM
18	too many to count	11/1/2024 4:36 PM
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22	6	10/31/2024 1:18 PM
23	40	10/30/2024 10:01 PM
24	None	10/30/2024 1:40 PM
25	3	10/30/2024 5:55 AM
26	31	10/29/2024 10:55 PM
27	10	10/29/2024 10:18 PM

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61	more than 5	10/28/2024 4:30 PM
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75	40	10/27/2024 6:21 PM
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239	30	10/14/2024 10:34 AM
240	NONE	10/14/2024 10:29 AM
241	5	10/14/2024 10:03 AM
242	Too many to count!	10/14/2024 9:31 AM
243	20	10/14/2024 9:26 AM
244	1	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
245	10	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
246	20+	10/14/2024 8:35 AM
247	60	10/14/2024 8:07 AM
248	12	10/14/2024 7:47 AM
249	12	10/14/2024 7:44 AM
250	100	10/14/2024 12:06 AM
251	Can't recall	10/13/2024 10:23 PM
252	20	10/13/2024 8:49 PM
253	10	10/13/2024 8:27 PM
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255	none	10/13/2024 8:13 PM

256	multiple for kids classes	10/13/2024 8:04 PM
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260	None	10/13/2024 4:08 PM
261	100	10/13/2024 4:01 PM
262	None	10/13/2024 3:43 PM
263	50	10/13/2024 2:21 PM
264	16	10/13/2024 2:18 PM
265	none	10/13/2024 1:36 PM
266	50	10/13/2024 1:08 PM
267	none	10/13/2024 12:21 PM
268	1	10/13/2024 12:09 PM
269	10	10/13/2024 10:59 AM
270	10	10/13/2024 9:26 AM
271	none	10/13/2024 9:03 AM
272	2	10/13/2024 8:57 AM
273	0	10/13/2024 8:50 AM
274	50	10/13/2024 8:49 AM
275	10	10/13/2024 8:34 AM
276	12	10/13/2024 8:30 AM
277	10	10/13/2024 8:15 AM
278	5	10/13/2024 8:06 AM
279	40	10/13/2024 7:48 AM
280	50	10/13/2024 7:13 AM
281	1-2	10/12/2024 11:36 PM
282	50	10/12/2024 10:18 PM
283	0	10/12/2024 9:22 PM
284	10+	10/12/2024 9:12 PM
285	12	10/12/2024 5:44 PM
286	12	10/12/2024 5:17 PM
287	24	10/12/2024 5:05 PM
288	4	10/12/2024 4:32 PM
289	3	10/12/2024 3:34 PM
290	3	10/12/2024 3:32 PM
291	Weekly	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
292	Weekly because of kids	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
293	3	10/12/2024 2:44 PM

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294	0	10/12/2024 2:21 PM
295	35	10/12/2024 1:42 PM
296	10	10/12/2024 12:44 PM
297	15	10/12/2024 11:50 AM
298	24	10/12/2024 11:41 AM
299	50	10/12/2024 11:25 AM
300	12	10/12/2024 10:25 AM
301	10	10/12/2024 10:23 AM
302	5	10/12/2024 10:23 AM
303	15	10/12/2024 10:16 AM
304	40	10/12/2024 10:02 AM
305	20	10/12/2024 9:51 AM
306	15	10/12/2024 9:31 AM
307	2	10/12/2024 9:19 AM
308	12	10/12/2024 9:02 AM
309	3	10/12/2024 9:02 AM
310	6	10/12/2024 9:01 AM
311	5	10/12/2024 8:54 AM
312	30	10/12/2024 8:40 AM
313	Monthly	10/12/2024 8:36 AM
314	2	10/12/2024 8:17 AM
315	24	10/12/2024 8:14 AM
316	24	10/12/2024 8:07 AM
317	5	10/12/2024 7:56 AM
318	1	10/12/2024 6:55 AM
319	5	10/12/2024 6:43 AM
320	10	10/12/2024 6:23 AM
321	12	10/11/2024 11:59 PM
322	0	10/11/2024 11:49 PM
323	2	10/11/2024 11:35 PM
324	8	10/11/2024 11:35 PM
325	None	10/11/2024 11:17 PM
326	10	10/11/2024 10:45 PM
327	10	10/11/2024 10:33 PM
328	4	10/11/2024 9:51 PM
329	many times	10/11/2024 9:21 PM
330	30	10/11/2024 8:18 PM
331	10	10/11/2024 7:53 PM

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332	2	10/11/2024 7:47 PM
333	15	10/11/2024 7:43 PM
334	1	10/11/2024 7:35 PM
335	2	10/11/2024 7:26 PM
336	None	10/11/2024 6:48 PM
337	20+	10/11/2024 6:44 PM
338	None	10/11/2024 6:36 PM
339	Dozen	10/11/2024 6:35 PM
340	20	10/11/2024 6:28 PM
341	1	10/11/2024 6:06 PM
342	6	10/11/2024 5:50 PM
343	none	10/11/2024 5:43 PM
344	2	10/11/2024 5:35 PM
345	None	10/11/2024 5:06 PM
346	12	10/11/2024 5:06 PM
347	2	10/11/2024 4:55 PM
348	30	10/11/2024 4:45 PM
349	20+	10/11/2024 4:44 PM
350	6	10/11/2024 4:41 PM
351	10	10/11/2024 4:41 PM
352	0	10/11/2024 4:37 PM
353	2	10/11/2024 4:28 PM
354	5	10/11/2024 4:23 PM
355	6	10/11/2024 4:03 PM
356	20	10/11/2024 3:48 PM
357	50	10/11/2024 3:34 PM
358	20	10/11/2024 3:27 PM
359	None	10/11/2024 3:13 PM
360	0	10/11/2024 3:08 PM
361	12	10/11/2024 3:06 PM
362	24	10/11/2024 3:04 PM
363	none	10/11/2024 3:02 PM
364	0	10/11/2024 2:58 PM
365	5	10/11/2024 2:58 PM
366	50	10/11/2024 2:55 PM
367	5	10/11/2024 2:54 PM
368	5	10/11/2024 2:51 PM
369	12	10/11/2024 2:51 PM

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370	12	10/11/2024 2:50 PM
371	0	10/11/2024 2:50 PM
372	20+	10/11/2024 2:48 PM
373	1	10/11/2024 2:47 PM
374	50	10/11/2024 2:47 PM
375	12	10/11/2024 2:44 PM
376	0	10/11/2024 2:40 PM
377	8-10	10/11/2024 2:39 PM
378	0	10/11/2024 2:32 PM
379	10	10/11/2024 2:30 PM
380	10	10/11/2024 2:28 PM
381	50	10/11/2024 2:28 PM
382	3	10/11/2024 2:26 PM
383	6-8	10/11/2024 2:26 PM
384	3	10/11/2024 2:19 PM
385	40	10/11/2024 2:19 PM
386	10	10/11/2024 2:19 PM
387	None	10/11/2024 2:14 PM
388	40	10/11/2024 2:12 PM
389	15	10/11/2024 2:03 PM
390	None	10/11/2024 1:57 PM
391	25	10/11/2024 1:55 PM
392	30+	10/11/2024 1:55 PM
393	2	10/11/2024 1:42 PM
394	5	10/11/2024 1:42 PM
395	100	10/11/2024 1:41 PM
396	0	10/11/2024 1:37 PM
397	2	10/11/2024 1:37 PM
398	8	10/11/2024 1:28 PM
399	100	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
400	2	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
401	4	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
402	15	10/11/2024 1:14 PM
403	5	10/11/2024 1:12 PM
404	2	10/11/2024 1:10 PM
405	0	10/11/2024 1:07 PM
406	2	10/11/2024 12:52 PM
407	0	10/11/2024 12:52 PM

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408	25	10/11/2024 12:51 PM
409	6	10/11/2024 12:48 PM
410	12	10/11/2024 12:47 PM
411	None	10/11/2024 12:46 PM
412	10+	10/11/2024 12:42 PM
413	lots	10/11/2024 12:38 PM
414	none	10/11/2024 12:30 PM
415	10	10/11/2024 12:26 PM
416	2	10/11/2024 12:26 PM
417	100	10/11/2024 12:24 PM
418	1	10/11/2024 12:19 PM
419	0	10/11/2024 12:14 PM
420	6	10/11/2024 12:13 PM
421	too many to count	10/11/2024 12:07 PM
422	2	10/11/2024 12:07 PM
423	10	10/11/2024 12:04 PM
424	10	10/11/2024 11:57 AM
425	1	10/11/2024 11:57 AM
426	40	10/11/2024 11:55 AM
427	12	10/11/2024 11:54 AM
428	10	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
429	52	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
430	lots	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
431	15	10/11/2024 11:46 AM
432	None	10/11/2024 11:43 AM
433	0	10/11/2024 11:43 AM
434	52	10/11/2024 11:41 AM
435	4	10/11/2024 11:40 AM
436	2	10/11/2024 11:39 AM
437	20	10/11/2024 11:38 AM
438	0	10/11/2024 11:36 AM
439	10	10/11/2024 11:35 AM
440	5	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
441	3	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
442	15	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
443	12	10/11/2024 11:32 AM
444	10	10/11/2024 11:32 AM
445	5	10/11/2024 11:30 AM

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446	None	10/11/2024 11:28 AM
447	10	10/11/2024 11:27 AM
448	200	10/11/2024 11:27 AM
449	5	10/11/2024 11:23 AM
450	0	10/11/2024 11:21 AM
451	50	10/11/2024 11:20 AM
452	6	10/11/2024 11:19 AM
453	4	10/11/2024 11:19 AM
454	many times	10/11/2024 11:19 AM
455	4	10/11/2024 11:18 AM
456	12	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
457	None	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
458	10	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
459	10	10/11/2024 11:16 AM
460	None	10/11/2024 11:15 AM
461	5-7	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
462	10	10/11/2024 11:12 AM
463	12	10/11/2024 11:11 AM
464	10	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
465	10	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
466	20+	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
467	None	10/11/2024 11:04 AM
468	Several	10/11/2024 11:01 AM
469	2	10/11/2024 11:00 AM
470	8	10/11/2024 10:58 AM
471	12	10/11/2024 10:57 AM
472	5	10/11/2024 10:56 AM
473	15	10/11/2024 10:56 AM
474	10	10/11/2024 10:55 AM
475	None	10/11/2024 10:55 AM
476	20	10/11/2024 10:54 AM
477	2	10/11/2024 10:53 AM
478	12	10/11/2024 10:50 AM
479	5	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
480	45 or more	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
481	3	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
482	15	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
483	none	10/11/2024 10:47 AM

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484	none	10/11/2024 10:47 AM
485	5	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
486	4	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
487	10+	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
488	15 plus	10/11/2024 10:45 AM
489	Numerous	10/11/2024 10:45 AM
490	5	10/11/2024 10:45 AM
491	20	10/11/2024 10:45 AM
492	10	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
493	2	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
494	0	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
495	MORE THAN 20	10/11/2024 10:43 AM
496	20	10/11/2024 10:42 AM
497	Many	10/11/2024 10:41 AM
498	None	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
499	2	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
500	over 20	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
501	50	10/11/2024 10:39 AM
502	12	10/11/2024 10:39 AM
503	2-3 x per month	10/11/2024 10:38 AM
504	none	10/11/2024 10:38 AM
505	8	10/11/2024 10:37 AM
506	2	10/11/2024 10:36 AM
507	10	10/11/2024 10:35 AM
508	10	10/11/2024 10:35 AM
509	4	10/11/2024 10:33 AM
510	Several times a week	10/11/2024 10:33 AM
511	None	10/11/2024 10:32 AM
512	15	10/11/2024 10:32 AM
513	12	10/11/2024 10:32 AM
514	15	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
515	52	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
516	10	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
517	0	10/11/2024 10:30 AM
518	2	10/11/2024 10:30 AM
519	12	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
520	50+ (at least weekly)	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
521	20	10/11/2024 10:28 AM

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522	6	10/11/2024 10:28 AM
523	2	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
524	0	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
525	2	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
526	12	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
527	over 50	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
528	20	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
529	12	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
530	None	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
531	None	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
532	2	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
533	30	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
534	50+	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
535	None	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
536	0	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
537	None	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
538	10	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
539	7	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
540	2	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
541	1	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
542	12	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
543	5	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
544	What is that?	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
545	4	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
546	10	10/11/2024 10:20 AM
547	5	10/11/2024 10:20 AM
548	10	10/11/2024 10:20 AM
549	10	10/11/2024 10:20 AM
550	50	10/11/2024 10:19 AM
551	over 25	10/11/2024 10:19 AM
552	none	10/11/2024 10:18 AM
553	0	10/11/2024 10:18 AM
554	4	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
555	2	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
556	1	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
557	8	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
558	5	10/11/2024 10:16 AM
559	10	10/11/2024 10:16 AM

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560	2	10/11/2024 10:16 AM
561	25	10/11/2024 10:14 AM
562	6	10/11/2024 10:14 AM
563	2	10/11/2024 10:14 AM
564	<10	10/11/2024 10:13 AM
565	Several	10/11/2024 10:13 AM
566	1	10/11/2024 10:11 AM
567	30	10/11/2024 9:25 AM
568	20	10/11/2024 8:12 AM
569	30	10/10/2024 9:26 PM
570	every week	10/10/2024 8:46 PM
571	30	10/10/2024 6:09 PM
572	6	10/10/2024 11:40 AM
573	20	10/9/2024 3:11 PM
574	0	10/7/2024 3:37 PM
575	30	10/7/2024 12:35 PM
576	1	10/7/2024 11:32 AM
577	20	10/6/2024 8:41 AM
578	didn't keep count, but plenty	10/4/2024 7:26 AM
#	CHILDREN	DATE
1	Often	11/4/2024 7:25 PM
2	6	11/4/2024 4:55 PM
3	3	11/4/2024 4:31 PM
4	15	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
5	2	11/4/2024 3:39 PM
6	25	11/4/2024 9:47 AM
7	Library a few times	11/3/2024 7:05 PM
8	6	11/3/2024 4:05 PM
9	2	11/2/2024 9:29 PM
10	too many to count	11/1/2024 4:36 PM
11	8	10/31/2024 3:15 PM
12	6	10/31/2024 1:18 PM
13	31	10/29/2024 10:55 PM
14	20	10/29/2024 10:18 PM
15	25	10/29/2024 10:10 PM
16	Monthly	10/29/2024 3:13 PM
17	40+	10/29/2024 1:57 PM
18	2	10/29/2024 12:09 PM

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19	50	10/29/2024 11:30 AM
20	30+	10/29/2024 10:50 AM
21	Dozens	10/29/2024 10:48 AM
22	52 (weekly)	10/29/2024 9:41 AM
23	30	10/29/2024 9:29 AM
24	10	10/29/2024 9:00 AM
25	5	10/29/2024 6:52 AM
26	50	10/28/2024 11:59 PM
27	10	10/28/2024 10:49 PM
28	8	10/28/2024 10:19 PM
29	10	10/28/2024 9:41 PM
30	Many	10/28/2024 9:40 PM
31	50+	10/28/2024 8:40 PM
32	20	10/28/2024 8:34 PM
33	4	10/28/2024 7:07 PM
34	1	10/28/2024 7:01 PM
35	45	10/28/2024 6:25 PM
36	12	10/28/2024 5:56 PM
37	20	10/28/2024 5:48 PM
38	6	10/28/2024 5:32 PM
39	6	10/28/2024 4:53 PM
40	20	10/28/2024 4:36 PM
41	more than 5	10/28/2024 4:30 PM
42	55	10/28/2024 4:27 PM
43	3	10/28/2024 4:15 PM
44	12	10/28/2024 4:15 PM
45	12	10/28/2024 3:12 PM
46	25	10/28/2024 1:23 PM
47	20	10/28/2024 8:13 AM
48	30	10/27/2024 6:21 PM
49	10	10/27/2024 5:32 PM
50	3	10/27/2024 1:21 PM
51	n/a	10/27/2024 12:54 PM
52	1	10/27/2024 12:44 PM
53	0	10/27/2024 12:19 PM
54	60	10/27/2024 11:18 AM
55	2-3 times	10/27/2024 10:58 AM
56	0	10/27/2024 7:54 AM

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57	0	10/26/2024 10:13 AM
58	with our grandkids	10/25/2024 11:30 PM
59	1	10/25/2024 10:29 PM
60	300	10/25/2024 6:18 PM
61	10	10/25/2024 2:42 PM
62	30	10/25/2024 12:31 PM
63	3	10/24/2024 4:11 PM
64	52	10/24/2024 4:10 PM
65	10	10/24/2024 2:55 PM
66	2	10/24/2024 11:56 AM
67	80	10/24/2024 10:56 AM
68	2	10/24/2024 7:41 AM
69	20	10/24/2024 6:34 AM
70	3	10/23/2024 11:26 PM
71	6	10/23/2024 9:25 PM
72	20	10/23/2024 6:22 PM
73	10	10/23/2024 6:03 PM
74	12	10/23/2024 11:12 AM
75	20	10/23/2024 8:01 AM
76	None	10/22/2024 10:13 PM
77	12	10/22/2024 7:36 PM
78	None	10/22/2024 6:25 PM
79	Many	10/22/2024 4:49 PM
80	2	10/22/2024 3:46 PM
81	3	10/22/2024 2:08 PM
82	none	10/22/2024 10:34 AM
83	20	10/22/2024 10:03 AM
84	20	10/22/2024 9:12 AM
85	40	10/22/2024 8:56 AM
86	3	10/22/2024 8:28 AM
87	20	10/22/2024 7:50 AM
88	12	10/22/2024 7:02 AM
89	12	10/22/2024 6:56 AM
90	2	10/22/2024 6:14 AM
91	none	10/21/2024 11:35 PM
92	None	10/21/2024 9:38 PM
93	None	10/21/2024 9:28 PM
94	0	10/21/2024 8:48 PM

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95	2	10/21/2024 8:20 PM
96	0	10/21/2024 8:00 PM
97	None	10/21/2024 7:29 PM
98	4	10/21/2024 6:21 PM
99	We go to library a lot	10/21/2024 6:08 PM
100	12	10/21/2024 6:05 PM
101	0	10/21/2024 6:04 PM
102	0	10/21/2024 5:33 PM
103	20	10/21/2024 4:55 PM
104	50	10/21/2024 4:43 PM
105	15	10/21/2024 4:31 PM
106	4	10/21/2024 4:26 PM
107	40	10/21/2024 4:19 PM
108	30	10/21/2024 4:15 PM
109	6	10/21/2024 4:14 PM
110	12	10/21/2024 4:11 PM
111	3	10/21/2024 4:09 PM
112	3	10/21/2024 3:59 PM
113	Son visits library daily after school	10/21/2024 3:27 PM
114	2	10/21/2024 3:25 PM
115	None	10/21/2024 3:24 PM
116	5	10/21/2024 2:29 PM
117	20	10/21/2024 1:58 PM
118	10	10/21/2024 12:48 PM
119	0	10/21/2024 12:23 PM
120	4	10/20/2024 8:48 PM
121	30-40	10/19/2024 5:27 PM
122	50	10/17/2024 6:08 PM
123	10	10/17/2024 3:28 PM
124	30	10/17/2024 3:19 PM
125	24	10/17/2024 11:44 AM
126	5	10/17/2024 11:09 AM
127	Once	10/17/2024 2:42 AM
128	25	10/16/2024 10:44 PM
129	4	10/16/2024 9:43 PM
130	0	10/16/2024 5:56 PM
131	20+	10/16/2024 9:28 AM
132	3	10/15/2024 11:03 PM

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133	8	10/15/2024 2:16 PM
134	5	10/15/2024 1:53 PM
135	12	10/15/2024 12:43 PM
136	24+	10/15/2024 12:13 PM
137	4	10/15/2024 11:32 AM
138	30	10/15/2024 11:23 AM
139	6	10/15/2024 11:20 AM
140	>20	10/15/2024 11:07 AM
141	12	10/15/2024 10:11 AM
142	15	10/15/2024 10:07 AM
143	2	10/15/2024 9:17 AM
144	None	10/15/2024 9:06 AM
145	5	10/15/2024 8:38 AM
146	2	10/15/2024 8:27 AM
147	Multiple times after. School	10/15/2024 7:02 AM
148	20+	10/15/2024 6:13 AM
149	20+	10/15/2024 6:12 AM
150	2	10/15/2024 12:38 AM
151	12	10/14/2024 11:35 PM
152	4	10/14/2024 9:56 PM
153	6	10/14/2024 7:54 PM
154	10	10/14/2024 6:18 PM
155	A ton	10/14/2024 5:58 PM
156	20	10/14/2024 5:19 PM
157	3	10/14/2024 4:48 PM
158	0	10/14/2024 4:32 PM
159	25	10/14/2024 4:30 PM
160	5	10/14/2024 4:22 PM
161	12	10/14/2024 2:18 PM
162	1	10/14/2024 2:09 PM
163	20	10/14/2024 2:00 PM
164	100	10/14/2024 1:28 PM
165	20	10/14/2024 1:09 PM
166	10	10/14/2024 1:08 PM
167	6	10/14/2024 12:32 PM
168	20	10/14/2024 12:04 PM
169	30	10/14/2024 11:07 AM
170	20	10/14/2024 10:34 AM

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171	NONE	10/14/2024 10:29 AM
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346	12	10/11/2024 11:54 AM
347	5	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
348	52	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
349	lots	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
350	100+	10/11/2024 11:46 AM
351	None	10/11/2024 11:43 AM
352	0	10/11/2024 11:43 AM
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354	2	10/11/2024 11:39 AM
355	20	10/11/2024 11:38 AM
356	0	10/11/2024 11:36 AM
357	10	10/11/2024 11:35 AM
358	A lot	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
359	50	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
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368	30+	10/11/2024 11:20 AM
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370	6	10/11/2024 11:19 AM
371	30+	10/11/2024 11:19 AM
372	dozens	10/11/2024 11:19 AM
373	10	10/11/2024 11:18 AM
374	10	10/11/2024 11:18 AM
375	12	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
376	None	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
377	4	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
378	30	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
379	10	10/11/2024 11:12 AM
380	12	10/11/2024 11:11 AM
381	10	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
382	5	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
383	20+	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
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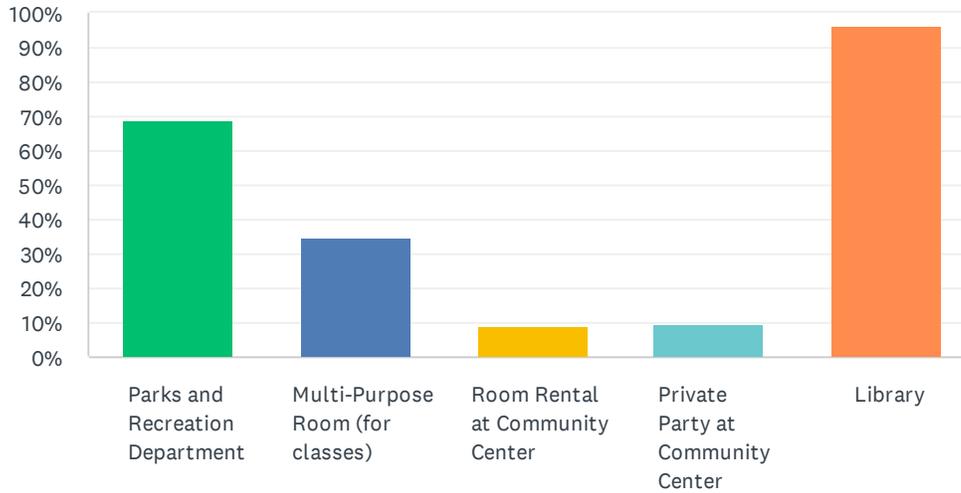
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411	1	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
412	5-6?	10/11/2024 10:43 AM
413	20	10/11/2024 10:42 AM
414	Many	10/11/2024 10:41 AM
415	None	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
416	3	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
417	over 20	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
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419	12	10/11/2024 10:39 AM
420	2-3 x per month	10/11/2024 10:38 AM
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423	2	10/11/2024 10:36 AM
424	20	10/11/2024 10:35 AM
425	10	10/11/2024 10:35 AM
426	4	10/11/2024 10:33 AM
427	Several times a week	10/11/2024 10:33 AM
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430	50 plus	10/11/2024 10:32 AM
431	20	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
432	100	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
433	0	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
434	12	10/11/2024 10:30 AM
435	5	10/11/2024 10:30 AM
436	12	10/11/2024 10:29 AM

437	50+ (at least weekly)	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
438	50	10/11/2024 10:28 AM
439	6	10/11/2024 10:28 AM
440	2	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
441	30+	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
442	10	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
443	12	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
444	over 50	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
445	15	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
446	12	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
447	None	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
448	None	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
449	lots	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
450	10	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
451	None	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
452	0	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
453	1	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
454	10	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
455	20	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
456	3	10/11/2024 10:23 AM
457	1	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
458	12	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
459	36	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
460	What is that?	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
461	8	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
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465	10	10/11/2024 10:20 AM
466	20	10/11/2024 10:19 AM
467	over 50	10/11/2024 10:19 AM
468	monthly	10/11/2024 10:18 AM
469	0	10/11/2024 10:18 AM
470	0	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
471	2	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
472	3	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
473	12	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
474	10	10/11/2024 10:16 AM

475	10	10/11/2024 10:16 AM
476	2	10/11/2024 10:16 AM
477	5	10/11/2024 10:14 AM
478	6	10/11/2024 10:14 AM
479	Non	10/11/2024 10:14 AM
480	Lots	10/11/2024 10:13 AM
481	3	10/11/2024 10:13 AM
482	Many	10/11/2024 10:13 AM
483	10	10/11/2024 10:10 AM
484	30	10/11/2024 9:25 AM
485	20	10/11/2024 8:12 AM
486	15	10/10/2024 9:26 PM
487	every week	10/10/2024 8:46 PM
488	30	10/10/2024 6:09 PM
489	10	10/10/2024 11:40 AM
490	20	10/9/2024 3:11 PM
491	0	10/7/2024 3:37 PM
492	25	10/7/2024 12:35 PM
493	12	10/7/2024 11:32 AM
494	50	10/6/2024 8:41 AM
495	didn't keep count, but plenty	10/4/2024 7:26 AM

Q10 Please indicate which facilities you or members of your household have used or visited:

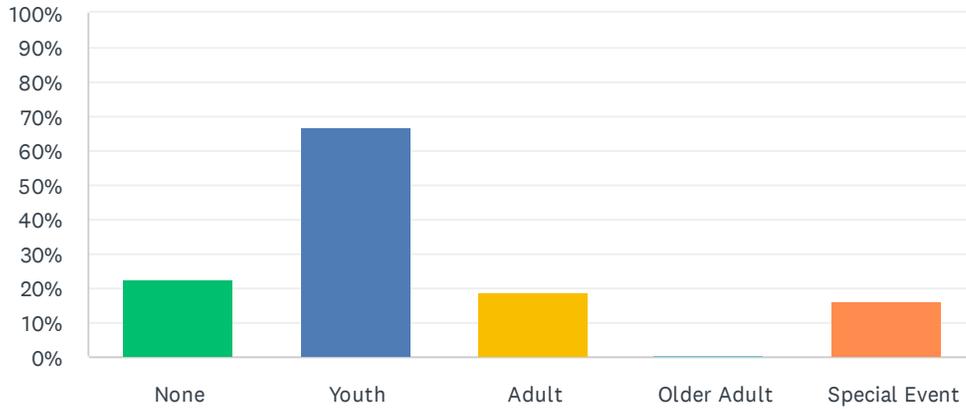
Answered: 593 Skipped: 62



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Parks and Recreation Department	69.14%	410
Multi-Purpose Room (for classes)	34.74%	206
Room Rental at Community Center	8.94%	53
Private Party at Community Center	9.27%	55
Library	96.12%	570
Total Respondents: 593		

Q11 In what recreation programming offered by The City of East Grand Rapids have you or your family participated in the last year?

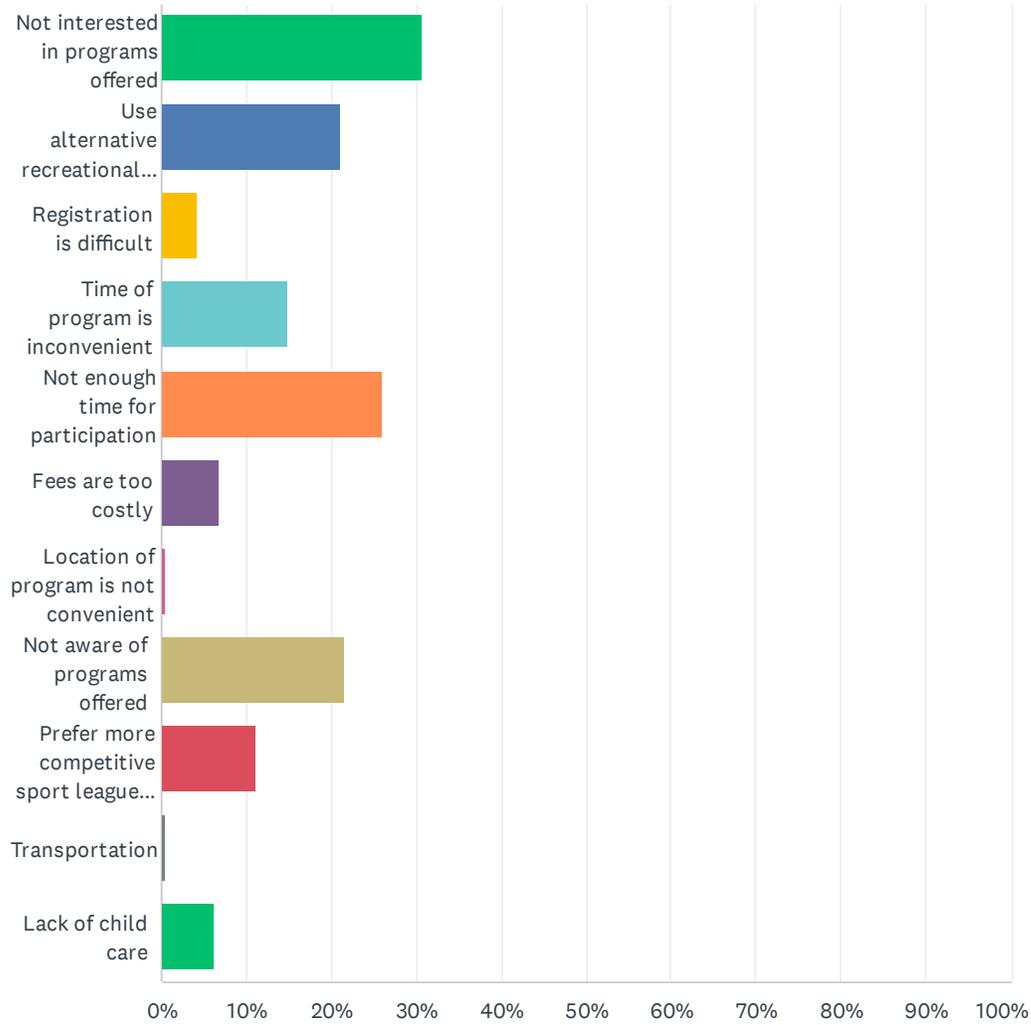
Answered: 643 Skipped: 12



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None	22.86%	147
Youth	66.87%	430
Adult	19.13%	123
Older Adult	0.62%	4
Special Event	16.33%	105
Total Respondents: 643		

Q12 If you answered "none" to Question 12 above, please indicate your reason for non-participation.

Answered: 208 Skipped: 447



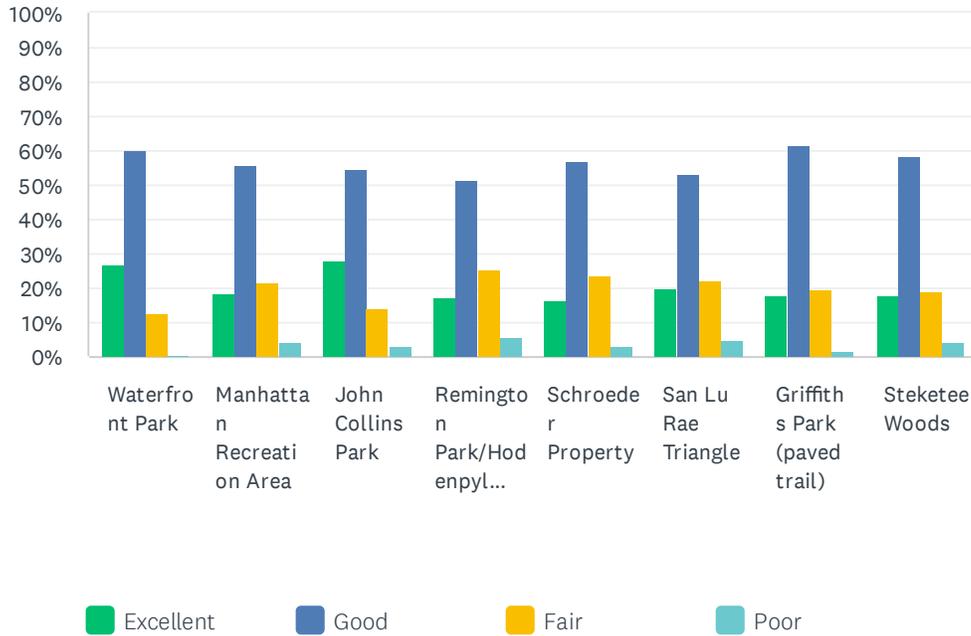
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Not interested in programs offered	30.77% 64
Use alternative recreational programming	21.15% 44
Registration is difficult	4.33% 9
Time of program is inconvenient	14.90% 31
Not enough time for participation	25.96% 54
Fees are too costly	6.73% 14
Location of program is not convenient	0.48% 1
Not aware of programs offered	21.63% 45
Prefer more competitive sport leagues for my child	11.06% 23
Transportation	0.48% 1
Lack of child care	6.25% 13
Total Respondents: 208	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	None	11/3/2024 7:05 PM
2	Crazy year no time	11/3/2024 4:05 PM
3	No time and have a YMCA membership	11/3/2024 9:06 AM
4	It would be nice if things for 3rd shifters were available	10/30/2024 5:55 AM
5	This question is probably an error since it's #12 but is "if you answered "none" to Question 12 above	10/29/2024 10:55 PM
6	N/A	10/29/2024 7:51 AM
7	Na	10/28/2024 7:07 PM
8	LEAVE OUR CITY ALONE. Been here 30 years and I don't recognize it. Time to move	10/28/2024 5:20 PM
9	Swimming classes fill up too quickly.	10/28/2024 5:04 PM
10	some programming is only offered during working hours which is very challenging for families with two working parents	10/28/2024 4:30 PM
11	The one program I registered for was cancelled.	10/28/2024 3:29 PM
12	N/a	10/28/2024 8:13 AM
13	No need	10/26/2024 4:54 PM
14	I concentrate on the EGR History Room...I am the curator	10/26/2024 2:03 AM
15	No kids at home and not interested in offerings for adults.	10/25/2024 4:55 PM
16	We don't look to City for programming.	10/25/2024 4:46 PM
17	Sometimes Wealthy Pool is not very clean	10/22/2024 6:16 PM
18	illness	10/22/2024 2:19 PM
19	currently busy with high schoolers schedule	10/22/2024 11:31 AM
20	NA	10/21/2024 4:26 PM
21	NA	10/21/2024 4:15 PM

22	I have a disease that makes me sensitive to the building	10/18/2024 4:58 PM
23	coaches are substandard across the board. need to spend more time & expertise of professionals to find better coaches.	10/17/2024 3:19 PM
24	N/a	10/15/2024 10:11 AM
25	Mountain biking is my only sport	10/15/2024 8:48 AM
26	Child has outgrown P&R but we used & loved before he aged out	10/15/2024 7:42 AM
27	N/A	10/15/2024 6:13 AM
28	Adult tennis would be a great offering	10/14/2024 4:30 PM
29	Child age programs typically occur during the work day	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
30	no real reason	10/14/2024 8:32 AM
31	Spots fill	10/13/2024 8:27 PM
32	I didn't answer none	10/13/2024 10:59 AM
33	There is better options outside of East	10/12/2024 9:51 AM
34	None	10/12/2024 9:02 AM
35	This is well know, but it is very difficult to get into the youth programs under 5 if you have two working parents	10/12/2024 8:07 AM
36	.	10/11/2024 11:35 PM
37	na	10/11/2024 4:37 PM
38	None	10/11/2024 4:03 PM
39	NA	10/11/2024 2:54 PM
40	Registration fills too quickly	10/11/2024 2:47 PM
41	na	10/11/2024 2:19 PM
42	Daughter does HS sports.	10/11/2024 1:42 PM
43	We used it a lot when my kids were younger but have not used any adult programming.	10/11/2024 11:57 AM
44	NA	10/11/2024 11:54 AM
45	N/A	10/11/2024 11:46 AM
46	didn't answer none	10/11/2024 11:39 AM
47	Kids high school age, no longer play rec	10/11/2024 11:36 AM
48	My kids have aged out and play club sports	10/11/2024 11:32 AM
49	Np sports in kids' age group. Love love more intramural	10/11/2024 11:20 AM
50	as an adult the programs are not appealing, but kids offerings are great	10/11/2024 11:01 AM
51	programs of interest are already full	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
52	East needs a community gym/rec center	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
53	We have	10/11/2024 10:41 AM
54	N/A	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
55	too many classes are only during the day which only works for parents that don't work	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
56	na	10/11/2024 10:20 AM

Q13 How would you rate the maintenance of East Grand Rapids Parks you have visited?

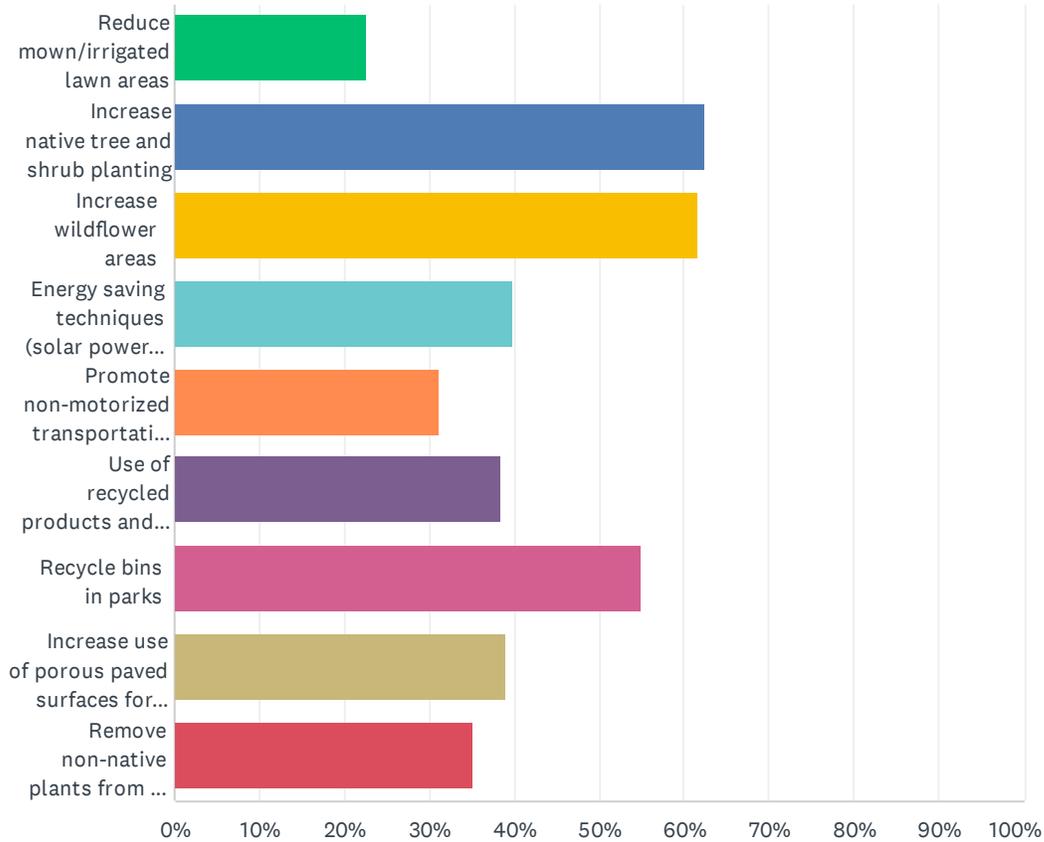
Answered: 626 Skipped: 29



	EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR	POOR	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Waterfront Park	27.00% 152	60.04% 338	12.43% 70	0.53% 3	563	1.87
Manhattan Recreation Area	18.55% 110	55.82% 331	21.59% 128	4.05% 24	593	2.11
John Collins Park	27.76% 166	54.85% 328	14.05% 84	3.34% 20	598	1.93
Remington Park/Hodenpyl Woods	17.22% 78	51.43% 233	25.39% 115	5.96% 27	453	2.20
Schroeder Property	16.23% 49	56.95% 172	23.51% 71	3.31% 10	302	2.14
San Lu Rae Triangle	20.20% 82	52.96% 215	22.17% 90	4.68% 19	406	2.11
Griffiths Park (paved trail)	17.80% 60	61.42% 207	19.29% 65	1.48% 5	337	2.04
Steketee Woods	18.09% 55	58.55% 178	19.08% 58	4.28% 13	304	2.10

Q14 Please indicate which green initiatives you think would be most effective.

Answered: 590 Skipped: 65



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Reduce mown/irrigated lawn areas	22.54%	133
Increase native tree and shrub planting	62.37%	368
Increase wildflower areas	61.53%	363
Energy saving techniques (solar power, LED lights, timers, etc)	39.83%	235
Promote non-motorized transportation to parks	31.19%	184
Use of recycled products and materials	38.47%	227
Recycle bins in parks	54.92%	324
Increase use of porous paved surfaces for natural drainage (parking areas)	38.98%	230
Remove non-native plants from our natural areas located in our parks	35.08%	207
Total Respondents: 590		

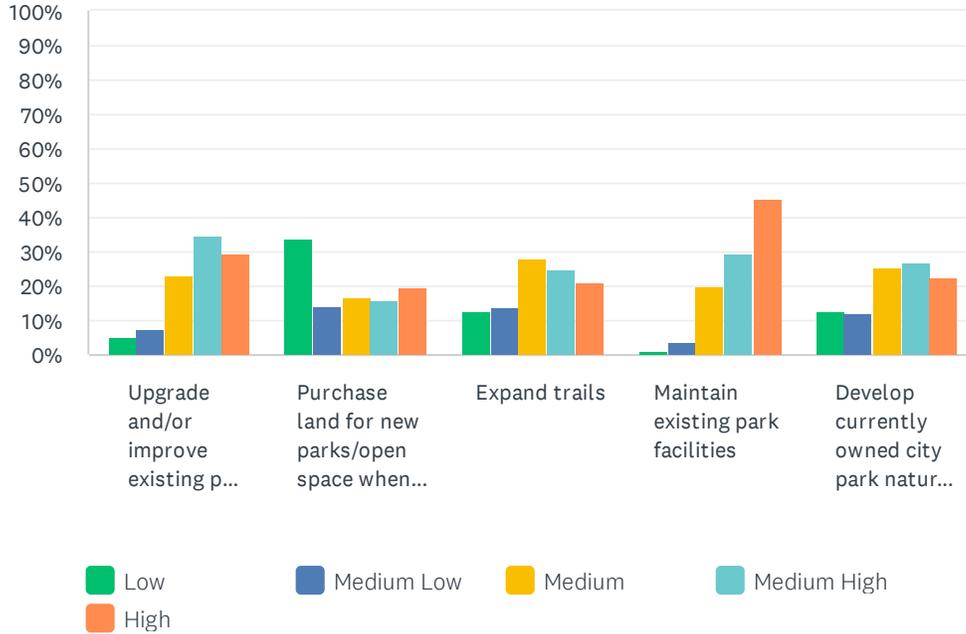
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1	None	10/31/2024 2:46 PM
2	Stop wasting money	10/29/2024 10:10 PM
3	drainage seems to be a big issue everywhere with all our seasons	10/29/2024 9:41 AM
4	Love to see a community garden where we can rent a plot or two for the season	10/28/2024 11:10 PM
5	Clean better for goose and duck poop	10/28/2024 7:09 PM
6	NONE	10/28/2024 5:20 PM
7	Invasive species like buckthorn are a huge issue in the EGR parks I've been to so this would be a major priority for me (and city-led volunteer work days are something I'd love to join in to tackle it!)	10/28/2024 4:22 PM
8	Please stop cutting down trees and less pavement. Manhattan trails are sad with no respect for nature and wildlife	10/27/2024 8:36 PM
9	Not using fertilizers in lawns around Reed's Lake that runs into it	10/26/2024 10:13 AM
10	Maintain plantings better so they last longer and are healthier.	10/23/2024 3:15 PM
11	EV Charging Station	10/22/2024 6:25 PM
12	Stop prioritizing vehicles/speed in design	10/22/2024 8:56 AM
13	Eliminate the round about, they are too small to be effective and people are very frustrated	10/22/2024 7:48 AM
14	None	10/21/2024 6:08 PM
15	Stop paving over green areas. Splash pad is misguided	10/21/2024 4:43 PM
16	Increase number of female trees vs male trees	10/21/2024 3:59 PM
17	None	10/19/2024 5:27 PM
18	outdoor programs; yoga, pilates, other exercise and movement classes for spring summer and fall	10/17/2024 3:19 PM
19	Increased train maintenance at manhattan park.	10/17/2024 2:42 AM
20	Easy/safety of access for nonmotorized use (foot, bike, stroller)	10/15/2024 12:13 PM
21	Ban cars from Lakeside Dr between the yacht club and the middle school. Make it ped/bikes only + emergency vehicles. EGR is way too car-friendly.	10/15/2024 11:32 AM
22	more natural playground features i.e. Sally Smoly Nature Playscape	10/15/2024 11:23 AM
23	City owned public safety and public works vehicles/equipment - turn off when idle, not being used. I see city vehicles running idle frequently	10/14/2024 1:09 PM
24	Transition to electric lawn maintenance equipment; increase use of rain gardens and other natural irrigation/drainage solutions; sustain/expand compost program; offer mulch/compost generated by community tree maintenance/participation in compost program to community members for use in home projects (as well as use these in community projects)	10/14/2024 9:31 AM
25	Irrigate San lu ray triangle and spry weed killer	10/13/2024 8:21 PM
26	None, these are a waste of our money	10/13/2024 9:03 AM
27	None	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
28	We need to mow are fields. Or put in more turf fields	10/12/2024 9:02 AM
29	Most Important: Keep the high quality of biking and running paths. Dedicated bike lanes are necessary but at times can be dangerous (biking)	10/12/2024 8:40 AM
30	Natural/organic turf fertilization	10/12/2024 8:14 AM
31	Not paving over a park with a splashpad would be an green initiative.	10/12/2024 8:07 AM
32	Remove goose poop	10/11/2024 7:53 PM

33	Leave the trees stop tearing them down. thousands gone from Manhattan Trails. Safety is an issue for walkers with the mountain bikes.	10/11/2024 4:55 PM
34	More trash cans. Emptied more often	10/11/2024 4:23 PM
35	I would like money spent on maintaining the current property and adding nice landscaping that is maintained properly to look lovely. I think a lot of the "green" choices sound more expensive, possibly ugly and probably won't be appreciated. Just spend the money on what will actually be used and appreciated and do it well. budget to maintain it. Fixing the walking path around Reed's lake should be included.	10/11/2024 3:02 PM
36	Some of the properties listed I've never heard of!	10/11/2024 2:44 PM
37	I'm a limnologist. You could really improve Reeds Lake if people didn't use fertilizer.	10/11/2024 2:40 PM
38	Improved access to lake for egr residents who are not lakefront property owners. Perhaps a swimming area, kayak storage, or boat docks	10/11/2024 2:30 PM
39	Community internet service	10/11/2024 1:37 PM
40	I would love to see recycling , but people dont use it. They all throw it into the same bin. I love the park signs with the littered items and how long it takes for them to decompose	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
41	Eliminate pesticide/fertilizer usage for any green space	10/11/2024 12:42 PM
42	Protected bike lanes	10/11/2024 11:41 AM
43	Anything we can do emphasizes the natural beauty of our community.	10/11/2024 11:38 AM
44	More bike lanes and bike parking.	10/11/2024 11:35 AM
45	Honestly, I would trim the growth behind the soccer field and cut down that very large dead tree	10/11/2024 11:28 AM
46	Recycling in schools!!! All are extremely important. Sustainability is key!	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
47	More drainage, recycling and trails, better lighting	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
48	Creating roof green space at bus stops for pollinators like bees	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
49	Garbage cans with dog bags	10/11/2024 10:25 AM
50	Improved drainage of parks specifically John collins	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
51	I would love to see EGR do a better job of making our town a safer pedestrian/bike community - increased flashing pedestrian lights at cross walks.	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
52	Please add more trash cans on reeds lake trail	10/11/2024 9:25 AM
53	All of the above are appealing and helpful, but the priority for EGR -- not just in parks but throughout the city -- should really be in energy savings to reduce dependence on fossil fuels everywhere. EGR should be a leader in electrification and alternative power sources, and should do so ASAP. We don't have time to waste in this regard!	10/10/2024 8:46 PM
54	Adding water bottle filling stations, dog water stations	10/10/2024 11:40 AM
55	remove invasive species as a priority when removing non-native plants, such as tree of heaven	10/9/2024 3:11 PM

Q15 Please rate, in order of priority, how you feel park and recreation funding should be spent.

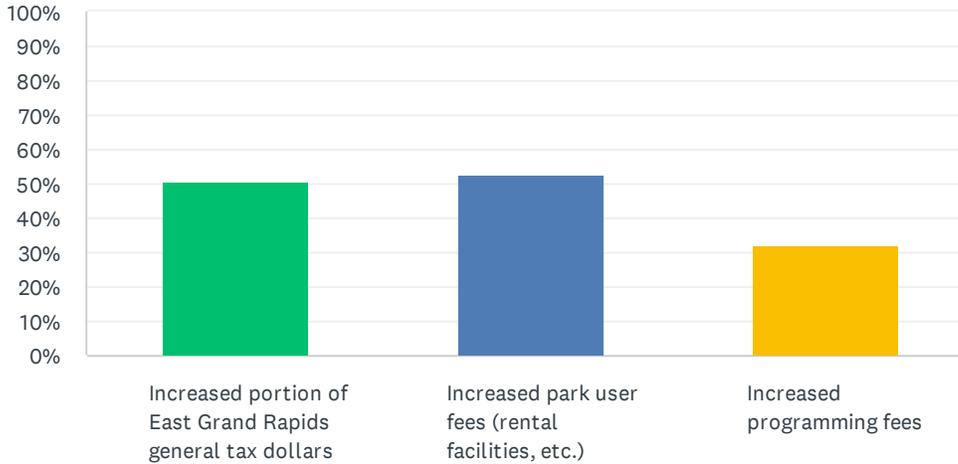
Answered: 635 Skipped: 20



	LOW	MEDIUM LOW	MEDIUM	MEDIUM HIGH	HIGH	TOTAL
Upgrade and/or improve existing park facilities	5.26% 33	7.18% 45	23.13% 145	34.77% 218	29.67% 186	627
Purchase land for new parks/open space when available	33.71% 208	14.42% 89	16.86% 104	15.56% 96	19.45% 120	617
Expand trails	12.48% 77	13.45% 83	28.04% 173	24.80% 153	21.23% 131	617
Maintain existing park facilities	1.29% 8	3.86% 24	19.94% 124	29.42% 183	45.50% 283	622
Develop currently owned city park natural areas with trails	12.66% 78	12.34% 76	25.49% 157	26.79% 165	22.73% 140	616

Q16 The City will continue to solicit state and federal grant funding and private donations/fund raising for recreation facility development and improvements. What other funding options should be considered?

Answered: 472 Skipped: 183



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Increased portion of East Grand Rapids general tax dollars	50.42% 238
Increased park user fees (rental facilities, etc.)	52.75% 249
Increased programming fees	31.99% 151
Total Respondents: 472	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	charge a fee to take boats in and out at the launch. Also have a designated parking area for vehicles with trailers.	11/4/2024 7:25 PM
2	No increased fees for residents	11/4/2024 5:57 PM
3	none of the above	11/3/2024 3:00 PM
4	No tax increases	10/31/2024 2:46 PM
5	None	10/29/2024 10:10 PM
6	I don't think we should make EGR an even more expensive place to live	10/29/2024 10:48 AM
7	STOP TAXING THE HECK OUT OF EVERYONE . Be good stewards with what we have	10/28/2024 11:10 PM
8	None	10/28/2024 9:41 PM
9	Pass to bring motorized boats into Reeds Lake. Require permit to use motorized boats on the lake.	10/28/2024 6:25 PM
10	TIME TO MOVE	10/28/2024 5:20 PM
11	Private money for our tax payer parks is not fair or just. We have seen the mountain bikers take our public trails over with private funds . Please stop this madness. Trees and natural areas should be left untouched.	10/27/2024 8:36 PM
12	None. Live within budget	10/27/2024 6:21 PM

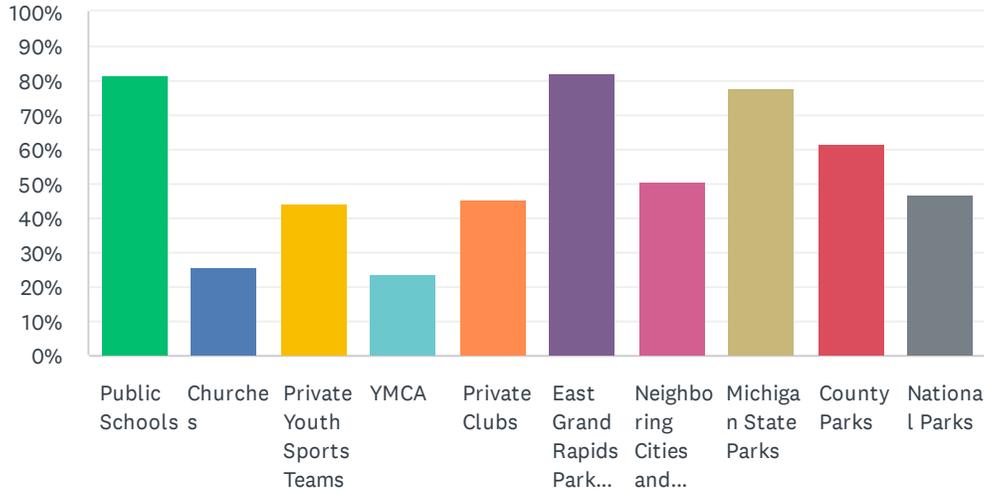
13	A hard NO on those 3 options	10/27/2024 5:32 PM
14	Charge fee for boat launch	10/27/2024 12:44 PM
15	More marketing of rental space. Community events in these wonderful spaces to raise funds. I'm not sure how much Harvest Fest raised, but we could have 4 targeted events like that per year to raise money.	10/27/2024 7:54 AM
16	None	10/25/2024 11:30 PM
17	No additional tax! Already too high	10/24/2024 4:11 PM
18	none	10/24/2024 10:56 AM
19	Maintain the existing parks better.	10/23/2024 3:15 PM
20	No increase	10/22/2024 10:13 PM
21	Ideally none of these	10/22/2024 7:36 PM
22	None of the above. Stop spending money period.	10/22/2024 6:16 PM
23	none	10/22/2024 2:19 PM
24	Charge fee for boat launch	10/22/2024 7:59 AM
25	Boat launch fees	10/21/2024 6:21 PM
26	None	10/21/2024 6:08 PM
27	Stop rebuilding save money	10/21/2024 6:04 PM
28	None.	10/21/2024 4:43 PM
29	None	10/21/2024 2:21 PM
30	None	10/21/2024 12:48 PM
31	Increase fees for non-residents, or have rental fees associated with new options for residents (pickleball)	10/19/2024 9:57 AM
32	attracting more participation through better youth sports to boost overall revenue, make pie bigger	10/17/2024 3:19 PM
33	None of the above	10/15/2024 10:11 AM
34	philanthropy	10/14/2024 7:54 PM
35	none, taxes and fees are high enough	10/14/2024 2:09 PM
36	Leave as it is, but continually revisit efficiencies in the system.	10/14/2024 11:07 AM
37	None of the above, let's keep access affordable	10/14/2024 10:34 AM
38	Named donor opportunities for new/improved developments (e.g., community gardens, pavilions, etc. w/ named donors); co-ownership programs for maintenance of select trails/parks with local organizations (e.g., girl/boy scouts); buy-in programs for certain new features (e.g., community garden plots) or expanded green initiatives (e.g., compost/mulch buy-back)	10/14/2024 9:31 AM
39	None	10/13/2024 4:08 PM
40	Please do not raise taxes just re-allocate what you have. Explore ways to save money as well.	10/13/2024 12:09 PM
41	none	10/13/2024 10:59 AM
42	No increase	10/13/2024 9:26 AM
43	Donations-plenty of financial support available within the community	10/13/2024 8:50 AM
44	City should better with Donors	10/12/2024 5:44 PM
45	community foundation grants	10/12/2024 5:17 PM
46	Permitted stickers for residents, non residents pay to park	10/12/2024 3:34 PM

47	For non-EGR residents	10/12/2024 3:32 PM
48	Pay to park for non-EGR residents on streets and in gaslight	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
49	Metered parking for non-residents	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
50	None	10/12/2024 10:16 AM
51	metered parking	10/12/2024 10:02 AM
52	I think you should cut something and then move the funds to park and rec. the taxes are high enough in this community	10/12/2024 9:51 AM
53	No new taxes!	10/12/2024 8:14 AM
54	Very against tax increases	10/12/2024 8:07 AM
55	Stop expanding and use current tax dollars to maintain	10/12/2024 6:55 AM
56	Use current funds	10/11/2024 7:53 PM
57	Access to Reeds Lake for swimming	10/11/2024 4:41 PM
58	Advertising, pay to use trails and parks for on residents, swimming area with fee	10/11/2024 4:23 PM
59	just manage what we have and make it nice. If there is more in the budget, then possibly add, but don't increase cost to residents.	10/11/2024 3:02 PM
60	Not growing scope of voter approved projects at the expense of other planned initiatives. Scope creep at Breton playground has me voting "no" on any and all spending requests currently. Spend more wisely vs requesting additional fees. I paid fees for the Reeds Lake trail, and now the nice trail on the back side of the lake is gone!	10/11/2024 2:30 PM
61	None	10/11/2024 1:28 PM
62	no new fees or taxes	10/11/2024 12:47 PM
63	Use what you've got and grants	10/11/2024 11:48 AM
64	No new taxes	10/11/2024 11:41 AM
65	Charge non-residents who come in and use all the parking to use our lake, paths, trails and fields a fee.	10/11/2024 11:36 AM
66	Paid parking	10/11/2024 11:35 AM
67	City wide fundraiser	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
68	Everything is too expensive as it is. Taxes are ridiculous.	10/11/2024 11:21 AM
69	Charge non-residents for Manhattan splash pad.	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
70	Fees from running events: Dog Jog, Stroller Roller, Kid Sprint, etc	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
71	None	10/11/2024 11:12 AM
72	Additional revenue unnecessary. We should prioritize maintaining and improving the amenities we have.	10/11/2024 10:56 AM
73	None	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
74	None. We pay enough in taxes in this community, we should be able to find resources to maintain what we have.	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
75	Somehow charge non-residents for use of our facilities.	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
76	Could we charge for the boat launch use and maintenance? Pay station? This is the norm at other lakes.	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
77	Community fundraiser	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
78	None	10/11/2024 10:24 AM
79	annual raffles are fun, i'd certainly buy a ticket if you partnered with local distilleries/breweries	10/11/2024 10:23 AM

80	we dont need to spend more money! no new taxes	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
81	Millage extension	10/6/2024 8:41 AM

Q17 Check all of the organizations that you or members of your household have used for indoor and outdoor recreation activities during the last 12 months.

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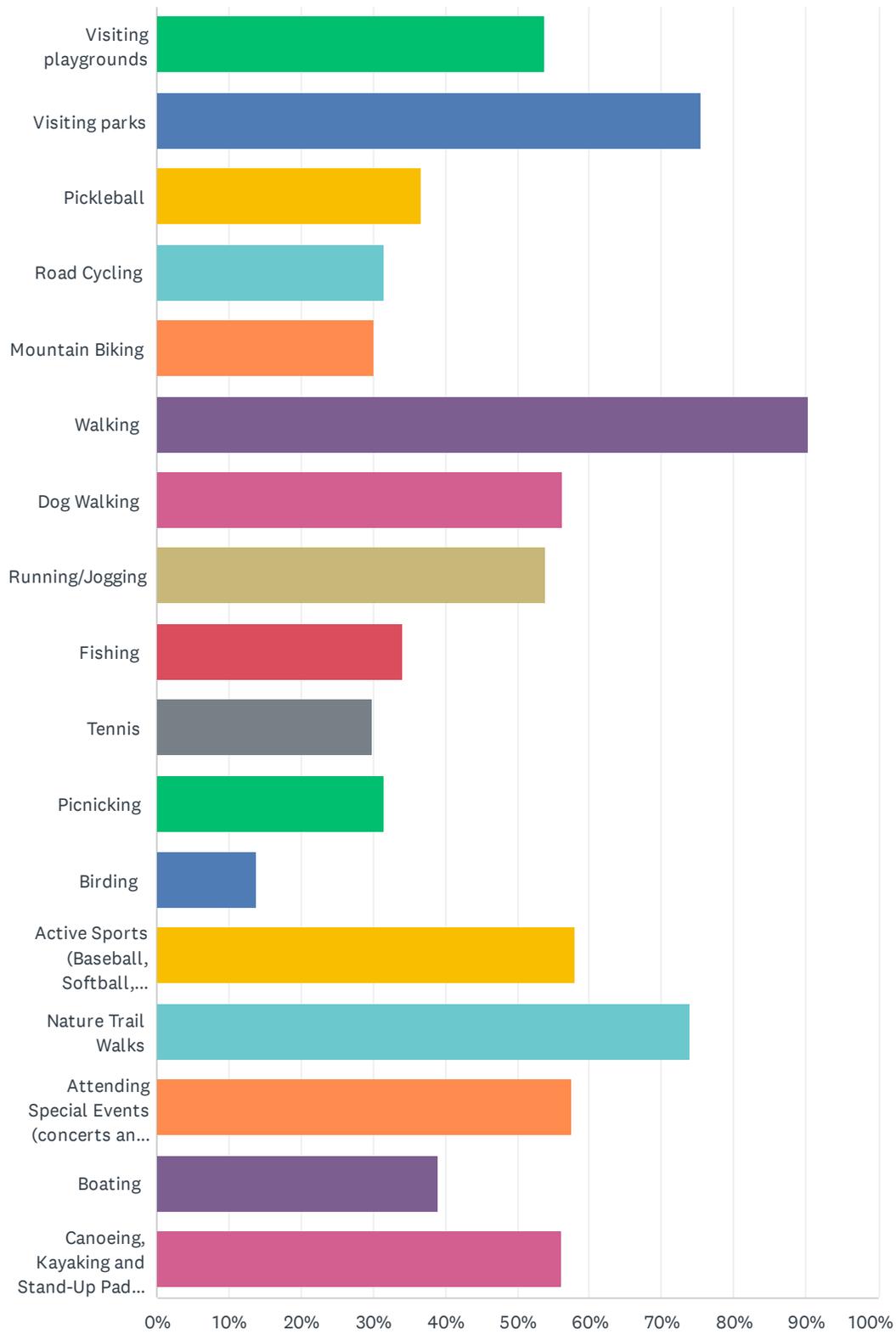


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Public Schools	81.67% 517
Churches	25.59% 162
Private Youth Sports Teams	44.08% 279
YMCA	23.70% 150
Private Clubs	45.02% 285
East Grand Rapids Parks and Recreation	82.31% 521
Neighboring Cities and Townships	50.55% 320
Michigan State Parks	77.88% 493
County Parks	61.61% 390
National Parks	46.92% 297
Total Respondents: 633	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Dance academy (CARE)	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
2	Scouts programs and scout campgrounds, state and national forest lands	10/14/2024 1:09 PM
3	Ohio State Parks	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
4	Grand Rapids ballet school& MVP tennis	10/11/2024 10:16 AM

Q18 Please indicate activities you and/or members of your household enjoy:

Answered: 642 Skipped: 13



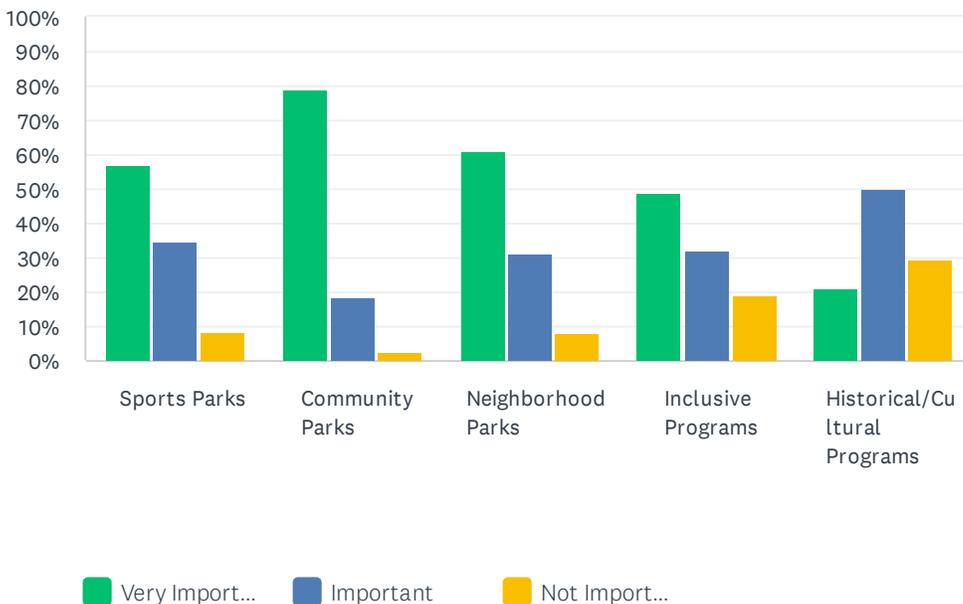
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Visiting playgrounds	53.74% 345
Visiting parks	75.39% 484
Pickleball	36.60% 235
Road Cycling	31.46% 202
Mountain Biking	30.06% 193
Walking	90.34% 580
Dog Walking	56.23% 361
Running/Jogging	54.05% 347
Fishing	34.11% 219
Tennis	29.75% 191
Picnicking	31.46% 202
Birding	13.86% 89
Active Sports (Baseball, Softball, Basketball, Soccer, Football, etc.)	58.10% 373
Nature Trail Walks	73.99% 475
Attending Special Events (concerts and movies, etc.)	57.48% 369
Boating	38.94% 250
Canoeing, Kayaking and Stand-Up Paddle Boarding	56.07% 360
Total Respondents: 642	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Climbing trees (kids)	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
2	We currently rarely use playgrounds, but when the kids were younger, all the time!	11/2/2024 9:29 PM
3	Yoga	10/30/2024 10:01 PM
4	I wish there were kayak rentals on reeds lake.	10/28/2024 8:16 PM
5	Sailing, rowing	10/28/2024 6:25 PM
6	Learning about unique local history via EGR Park signage	10/26/2024 2:03 AM
7	Gardening	10/23/2024 2:32 PM
8	Cross country skiing	10/23/2024 9:41 AM
9	Sailing	10/21/2024 4:14 PM
10	Cross country skiing	10/16/2024 10:44 PM
11	Sailing, sledding, swimming	10/14/2024 1:09 PM
12	Disc Golf	10/14/2024 12:32 PM
13	Horseback Riding, Hiking	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
14	We need adequate parking! Especially at Manhattan Park!	10/11/2024 12:52 PM
15	Cross country skiing	10/11/2024 11:57 AM

16	Bocce Ball :)	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
17	Swimming outdoors and Beach	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
18	ice Hockey	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
19	Swimming	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
20	Lacrosse	10/7/2024 3:37 PM

Q19 How important is it to have the following in The City of East Grand Rapids:

Answered: 638 Skipped: 17

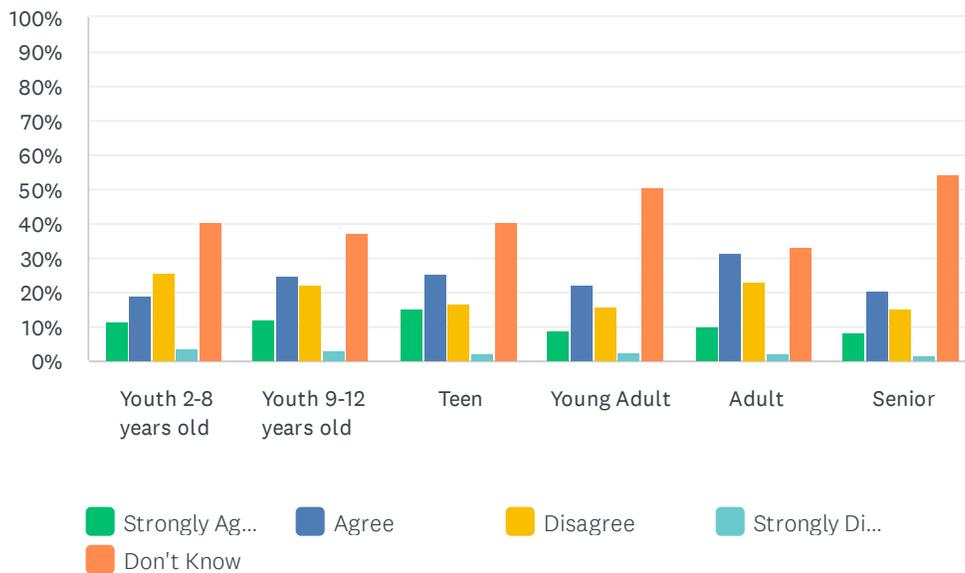


	VERY IMPORTANT	IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Sports Parks	56.60% 356	34.98% 220	8.43% 53	629	1.52
Community Parks	78.80% 498	18.67% 118	2.53% 16	632	1.24
Neighborhood Parks	60.89% 383	31.16% 196	7.95% 50	629	1.47
Inclusive Programs	49.02% 299	32.30% 197	18.69% 114	610	1.70
Historical/Cultural Programs	20.92% 128	49.84% 305	29.25% 179	612	2.08

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Sports Night Out and Sweetheart dance are special for my kids	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
2	Historical signage at Collins Park and other historically designated areas in the City	10/26/2024 2:03 AM
3	What is the purpose of this question	10/21/2024 6:08 PM
4	Not sure how you are defining all of the labels, some examples might have been helpful to be sure you are collecting useful data.	10/11/2024 2:30 PM
5	Again as a person who lives off Manhattan park - more parking	10/11/2024 12:52 PM
6	Daytime playgrounds for parents and grandparents with young children, dog parks, outdoor work/homework spaces	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
7	Neighborhood Parks do not seem as necessary in EGR because the 3 elementary schools, plus Woodcliff funtion as these.	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
8	Swimming Pool - VERY IMPORTANT	10/11/2024 10:27 AM

Q20 There is a need for more programs for the following ages:

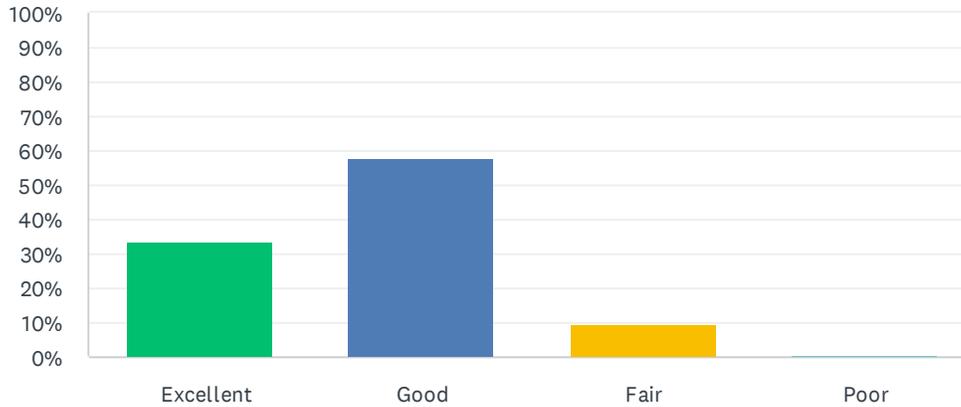
Answered: 611 Skipped: 44



	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DON'T KNOW	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Youth 2-8 years old	11.39% 67	18.88% 111	25.68% 151	3.74% 22	40.31% 237	588	3.43
Youth 9-12 years old	12.24% 72	24.83% 146	22.28% 131	3.40% 20	37.24% 219	588	3.29
Teen	15.11% 89	25.47% 150	16.64% 98	2.04% 12	40.75% 240	589	3.28
Young Adult	9.00% 52	22.15% 128	15.74% 91	2.60% 15	50.52% 292	578	3.63
Adult	9.98% 58	31.50% 183	23.41% 136	2.07% 12	33.05% 192	581	3.17
Senior	8.35% 48	20.70% 119	15.13% 87	1.57% 9	54.26% 312	575	3.73

Q21 How would you rate the overall Parks and Recreation Facilities provided by The City of East Grand Rapids?

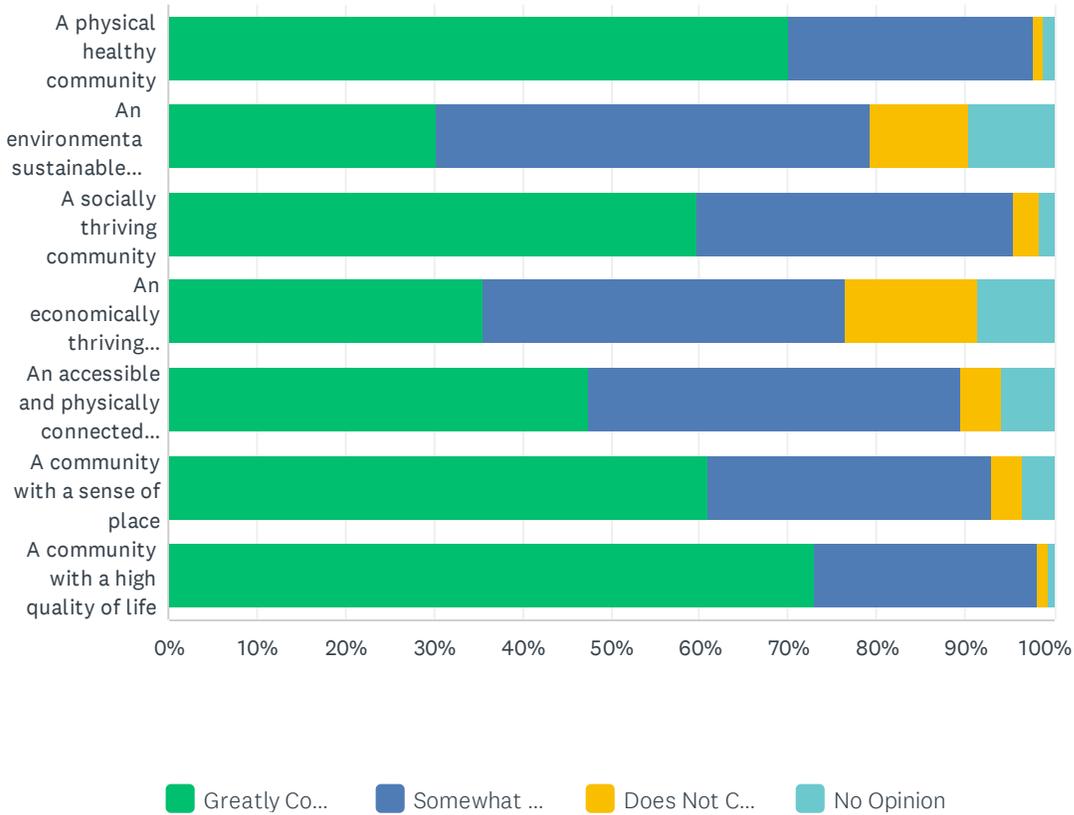
Answered: 640 Skipped: 15



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Excellent	33.75%	216
Good	57.81%	370
Fair	9.53%	61
Poor	0.47%	3
Total Respondents: 640		

Q22 To what degree do you think Parks and Recreation contribute to East Grand Rapids being....

Answered: 626 Skipped: 29



	GREATLY CONTRIBUTES	SOMEWHAT CONTRIBUTES	DOES NOT CONTRIBUTE	NO OPINION	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
A physical healthy community	70.24% 439	27.52% 172	0.96% 6	1.28% 8	625	1.33
An environmentally sustainable community	30.23% 188	49.20% 306	10.93% 68	9.65% 60	622	2.00
A socially thriving community	59.65% 371	35.85% 223	2.89% 18	1.61% 10	622	1.46
An economically thriving community	35.60% 220	40.94% 253	14.89% 92	8.58% 53	618	1.96
An accessible and physically connected community	47.50% 294	42.00% 260	4.52% 28	5.98% 37	619	1.69
A community with a sense of place	60.87% 378	32.21% 200	3.38% 21	3.54% 22	621	1.50
A community with a high quality of life	72.96% 456	25.12% 157	1.28% 8	0.64% 4	625	1.30

Q23 Thank you for your participation. If you have additional comments or suggestions please feel free to use the space below.

Answered: 169 Skipped: 486

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	I strongly feel that we do not need a splash pad at Manhattan. There are plenty around our neighborhoods and it would not lure people into our community to spend money. It is too far away from Gaslight.	11/4/2024 7:25 PM
2	Lighting at the middle school tennis courts (and one additional court) and resurfacing would be nice. Also, access to Wealthy tennis court. Thank you. Also, the bathrooms at Canepa haven't been cleaned in awhile. Thank you for all you do	11/4/2024 7:01 PM
3	I love the ideas of a natural play area at waterfront park, or even back along the reeds lake trail walk at one of the smaller named parks. It would be nice to have a walkout with view to the lake at one of these spaces (I saw that at the open house). It's never occurred to me that I could walk out on those pieces of land and it would make the walk around the lake even more enjoyable.	11/4/2024 4:24 PM
4	I am concerned that we have lost so much natural habitat and that we are allowing mountain bikers in Manhattan Woods some powered bikes. It is impossible to enjoy nature when they speed by. Esp the electric bikes.	11/4/2024 3:39 PM
5	Strongly support adding trails to natural areas on Reeds Lake Blvd., especially Schroeder Property.	11/3/2024 7:05 PM
6	Plant more trees. I am very sad and angry at the large number of mature trees that were cut down at Manhattan park for the biking trail. We need to preserve the natural habitat we have. They are limited and precious.	11/3/2024 3:00 PM
7	Get rid of the Canadian Geese, and their droppings, in the parks. Dogs walking the perimeters every so often can keep them away.	11/2/2024 10:15 PM
8	I very much appreciate everything the parks offer currently, and it's great that more options are being considered. Thanks for surveying us! :)	11/2/2024 9:29 PM
9	Thank you!	11/2/2024 11:57 AM
10	Please stop using tax dollars on a Splash pad. Nobody wanted it, but city council. They didn't let anyone vote. They decided for us. Stop it! Ask first. Manhattan is a disaster. From 1.8 million to million? Who do you think has to wait for this project to complete? Hire people 12 hrs a day, 7 days to hurry it along. Those workers have no drive to finish, timely. Get them moving! Like a roofing team, who knows how to work! These people need a push! 2 months taken Manhattan down. The community is not happy with council or this company. Fire them. Get someone else to move along. They should be done by now. There was nothing wrong with the tennis courts at Manhattan. You are wasting money that's not funny or yours to waste.	10/31/2024 2:46 PM
11	In the triangular spaces (SanLuRae for example), it would be nice to develop that into having a presence instead of a plain flat grass area with only a couple trees. It feels boring right now. I know we can do better!	10/31/2024 1:18 PM
12	Would like more easy yoga classes	10/30/2024 10:01 PM
13	I think utilization of Remington park for a disc golf course would be the best use of land and the city would be able to maintain that "natural" feel	10/30/2024 5:55 AM
14	The EGR Parks and Rec staffers are amazing. Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of updates to existing amenities and engaging Parks & Rec programs/classes. We participate in programs all year long: Youth Sports (soccer, basketball, tee-ball), dance, Peaceful Dragons to name a few. In addition to the updated playgrounds & parks, sports leagues, and Community Center programs, we have loved the new Gaslight festivals: Night Market and HarvestFest. They were well organized, safe, and fun. We appreciate your hardwork and innovation!	10/29/2024 10:55 PM

15	No splash pad!!	10/29/2024 10:10 PM
16	Please clean the debris on the Manhattan bike trails as promised. How are such narrow trails multi purpose? Over promised, under delivered. Please do not cut any more trees down.	10/29/2024 7:48 PM
17	thanks!	10/29/2024 11:30 AM
18	Regarding my statement that I believe more programming is needed for young children: I believe the programming offered currently is excellent and sufficient, but that there are often not enough spaces within the current offerings -- so I would love to see additional capacity within the current offerings.	10/29/2024 9:00 AM
19	Love the updates that are happening at Manhattan park. Would love to see more parks that can be used while school kids are in session (non-school parks). Also would love for the full circle around reeds to be more bike/walk friendly (larger shoulders, clearer lanes, less risk of cars being close to pedestrians)	10/28/2024 10:49 PM
20	The staff at parks and rec are always helpful when I call.	10/28/2024 8:16 PM
21	Please preserve nature.	10/28/2024 7:01 PM
22	I support adding a paved trail on the south side of Reeds Lake by Steketee Woods, Griffith Woods to Manhattan. There is too much traffic - strollers, dogs, kids in bikes for the sidewalk on the north side. I routinely have to walk or run in the road. My other concern is the paucity of trash cans on the route around the lake. Why is there not a trash can at Schroeder or Griffiths or Steketee woods - the distance between trash cans seems excessive, especially when you are walking a dog. There are benches - why no trash cans?	10/28/2024 6:55 PM
23	The youth sports programs are painfully run and do not communicate rosters and schedules early enough. Also struggles with households who have two users signed up and whom to email even when they have access to both emails. Additionally, more art classes in general and adult art classes at times that aren't during business hours.	10/28/2024 6:25 PM
24	After 30 years of being a proud Pioneer it's time to move. I don't recognize this town. Shameful what you did to Manhattan Park. Shameful!	10/28/2024 5:20 PM
25	The very frequent bright lights and loud noise on the HS football field after 8pm detract from the residential quality of life in EGR.	10/28/2024 5:04 PM
26	I think the city P n R sh have an indoor facility. HS sports teams and rental to tournaments/ fund raising activities Manhattan has space. Good luck I would love to be part of that adventure 🤪	10/28/2024 3:56 PM
27	We should be planting trees across our city like the City of Grand Rapids. They are making huge progress where I believe East is falling behind. Wherever there is an open space along our streets, we should be planting trees. I see them being cut down all the time, but we are not replacing at the same rate. More trees would give the whole city a "park-like" feeling! I am sure community members like me would volunteer their time to help with this initiative. Let's get planting!	10/28/2024 1:23 PM
28	I have noticed the city no longer seems to listen to nature lovers and is focused on money and private groups pushing their desires. Please less pavement more trees and better crosswalks and roundabouts. We are a migration stop over for many species of birds and in my option the city taking private money for the benefit of few destroyed thousands of trees and hundreds of small animals and birds.	10/27/2024 8:36 PM
29	Do not need a splash pad. Expensive up front. Continued high expense. Please do not put in a splash pad. We easily use other splash pads around town.	10/27/2024 5:32 PM
30	The north side of the lake needs more trash cans on the reeds lake Blvd walk. Specifically between the rock and Manhattan. There currently are none.	10/27/2024 2:25 PM
31	Need better maintenance of tennis courts	10/27/2024 12:54 PM
32	Strongly support the need for another tennis court at the middle school and resurfacing existing courts	10/27/2024 12:44 PM
33	I utilize total body workouts through the Rec department. The room that it is held in is often not clean with dirt and hair on the floor and the air vents are really really dirty. Some of the fans don't work.	10/27/2024 12:19 PM

34	I strongly discourage over development of natural spaces. One of the things residents and nonresidents enjoy is being able to enjoy so much green space, natural space near an urban area. There is a difference between cultivated park space and natural space. Human wellbeing need natural space. I would love to see a way for walkers to enjoy the woods again at Manhattan Park. Now that the mountain bike trail exists, walkers are never safe there. A single fast biker eliminates anyone else from using the trails.	10/27/2024 11:18 AM
35	East Grand Rapids has an important and unique history that needs to be taught via historical signage at historically significant locations.	10/26/2024 2:03 AM
36	I live near Woodcliff and don't have a playground within walking distance to enjoy with my young (1-4 year old) grandkids when I'm with them during the day. All playgrounds in the central city are off limits during the day, and Woodcliff until 6 pm! Even a small/toddler play area at Collins Park would be accessible enough.	10/25/2024 11:30 PM
37	More sports fields! Hard to get home field scheduling for upper elementary/middle school sports due to lack of fields	10/25/2024 10:29 PM
38	No additional taxes. More natural (truly natural) spaces	10/24/2024 4:11 PM
39	We walk daily in our community and would love expanded trails. However, please do not expand trails without plans/resources to maintain them. For example, the city woodchips the Reeds Lake side of Hodenpyl trail every year around May/June. Sections of it wash away after a couple rains, then it is muddy and rutted by bikes for weeks after every good rain. Similarly, it seems like an error to build the dog park on a swamp. Really dirty dogs for days after a rain. Would LOVE more paved paths like Griffiths Park, a paved expansion into Steketee Woods would be wonderful. Also, PLEASE consider added trash cans throughout the city, especially on highly traveled walkways like Reeds Lake Trail. For example, there is no trash can from Hodenpyl Rock to the corner of Manhattan/Reeds Lake Blvd. With basically no cans in the entire Manhattan neighborhood, we feel this discourages people from cleaning up their dog's poo. There is no can at Griffiths Lake Park, why? Thank you very much for soliciting resident input!	10/23/2024 2:32 PM
40	None	10/23/2024 11:12 AM
41	I would like the city to make cycling to and from our parks and schools more user friendly and safer. The design of Lake Drive and Breton Road (use of curb squeeze to slow vehicle traffic) makes it dangerous for cyclists. There is no space for cars to move around cyclists.	10/23/2024 8:01 AM
42	I really think that East Grand Rapids should not ask the residents for any more millage increases. Many here are tax poor and can barely afford to stay here.	10/22/2024 8:10 PM
43	Appreciate our city workers!	10/22/2024 7:36 PM
44	We do not need a dog park at the SanLuRae Triangle.	10/22/2024 6:16 PM
45	Need better/more parking at Manhattan Park.	10/22/2024 4:49 PM
46	Less is more. Please just slow traffic and cut down less trees. Less pavement more nature.	10/22/2024 2:08 PM
47	Would love a park area near the "woods" streets/Breton down area. Somewhere to sit outside and walk to with shade. There isn't really anywhere within a 10 min walk for us and we live on Maplewood	10/22/2024 11:36 AM
48	I suggest more waste receptacles in and around Memorial Field, the track and Mehney field, as these are often overflowing during weekend events and no one comes to empty them until Monday. Dedicated pickle ball courts will be used from morning to night, hopefully they could be lit.	10/22/2024 11:31 AM
49	Would love to see a playground as part of the gaslight village development. Similar to the downtown playground in Saugatuck. San Lu Rae would benefit from plantings around the borders to keep kids away from the road. Additional shade would be nice as well.	10/22/2024 10:03 AM
50	I would love to see a greater focus on walkability improvements. More bike lanes, slowing vehicles. I think gas light would benefit from pedestrian improvements even to the point of limiting vehicle traffic from sections.	10/22/2024 8:56 AM
51	Recommend adding park amenities similar to the Grosse Pointe parks (See Pier and Osius Parks). These are resident only city parks that take advantage of the lake with swimming	10/22/2024 7:50 AM

	pools, beaches, and marinas.	
52	Love the parks and the current emphasis is great. Keep up the great work!	10/22/2024 6:56 AM
53	Thank you for all your hard work.	10/21/2024 8:48 PM
54	You didn't ask about bike lanes which should be an integral element that supports all of these efforts.	10/21/2024 7:56 PM
55	Please restrict boat trailer parking at Goodrich park and charge a fee for using the boat launch. Launch fees are not unusual at our lakes.	10/21/2024 6:21 PM
56	Seems like a very biased survey intended to only produce one result... more "investment" higher taxes. Question 8 was particularly odd - none of those areas need improvement they all just got improved	10/21/2024 6:08 PM
57	Lower taxes so people can afford to live in EGR	10/21/2024 6:04 PM
58	A community pool would be a hugely beneficial addition the to the community - to provide a gathering place in the warmer months, foster community and belonging, etc. I hope this has been seriously considered.	10/21/2024 5:48 PM
59	Similar surveys have used gathered information dishonestly and inaccurately. Please consider all feedback, not just what you'd like to hear.	10/21/2024 4:43 PM
60	I'm aware we have some very lightly used park land (eg plot of woods near lake). I'd like to see us put that land to use for simple walking and biking trails and to promote awareness of use of those resources.	10/21/2024 4:21 PM
61	Would like to know how the Gaslight Investors property development will include more park like amenities such as benches, green patches and EV charging. Also consider incorporating solar covered shade shelter spots. More native plants in the right of way/low maintenance.	10/21/2024 4:19 PM
62	Please open lakeside school tennis courts earlier in the season and leave nets up longer.	10/21/2024 4:09 PM
63	Home cross country meets	10/21/2024 3:59 PM
64	Na	10/21/2024 2:29 PM
65	Do not move the track. It is a vital part of our community and is a center point. I think that buying the lot behind the D&W and turning that into temporary track or park would be smart.	10/21/2024 1:58 PM
66	Much could be done with just tree-cutting, trimming/pruning alone in and around our parks and trails. This has gotten so neglected and in certain areas out of hand. For just one example, as you head northbound on Breton Rd and approach the traffic light at Boston, you can hardly see the traffic light due to the overgrown trees.	10/21/2024 12:23 PM
67	Small Outdoor skating rink put up in the winter for local hockey players and community skating would be great. I always thought the baseball field at Breton Downs would be great for it.	10/21/2024 11:55 AM
68	The Parks are great, but I think could be better. I think having a designated area for EGR residents to use pickleball courts, with some added features of shuffleboard/horse shoe, tether ball, etc... would be amazing. Somewhat of a "lawn games" park... with a small shade shelter and water available. The facility would be best placed in more of a "community friendly" spot, near Gaslight... near the baseball diamond/dog park. Manhattan is too secluded and not close enough to bring the walking/biking crowds. For ideas on how to run a thriving Rec department for tax paying residents, research could be done to see how other communities are doing this well... such as the Grosse Pointe communities. It is vital for helping keep housing values and the demand to live in EGR high... having parks and facilities that are in demand (a big one being pickleball). Thank you!!	10/19/2024 9:57 AM
69	the selection of coaches and the quality of youth programs (items not disconnected from one another) need to be prioritized. the space to host programs like these with the priority being our 0-18 year old residents should be prioritized to the top.	10/17/2024 3:19 PM
70	We STRONGLY want Steketee Woods to be developed as was in the original plans, as well as the bike lane along the south side of Reeds Lake Boulevard from Manhattan into gaslight.	10/16/2024 1:08 PM
71	Thanks for the great work you do! The parks facilities and rec programming are one of the things that makes living in EGR special! Special shout out for the amazing wealthy pool and	10/15/2024 12:13 PM

opportunity to take private lessons and fantastic dance teachers/programs that are fun and not overly intense for little ones. We love the community center and library being together too!

72	The recent school playground upgrades have been amazing, thank you! The addition/expansion of bike trails at Manhattan were also a much needed and effective use of the land. I had no idea that Sketetee and Schroeder were EGR parks, seems to me that they could be utilized in some way? Public bathrooms at Manhattan could use an update, opportunity for public bathrooms at Waterfront park?	10/15/2024 11:23 AM
73	John Collins Park should be upgraded to allow for use after rain or storms. Drainage must be improved. We should look to Big cities and premiere destinations to see how they use waterfront parks. I believe there is much more we could be doing to take advantage of Reed's Lake and John Collins Park.	10/14/2024 5:19 PM
74	Adult tennis offerings	10/14/2024 4:30 PM
75	A community rowing program would be a wonderful addition given the access to Reeds Lake. Even having community access to the ergs in the high school crew boathouse would be awesome. Open it up when the team isn't using them, they are unused for hours each day. It may even be a revenue-generating opportunity for the team as well. It would be nice to have an athletic facility like the YMCA/MVP in EGR The playground renovations at the elementary schools are great! Dont ban/restrict the use of saunas. The city got involved in a neighbor dispute and overstepped.	10/14/2024 1:09 PM
76	Good luck with your efforts.	10/14/2024 11:07 AM
77	Although not Parks and Rec, accessibility on sidewalks is a huge issue for me. Sprinklers over sidewalks and overgrown trees/hedges are more common than not and prevent easy use.	10/14/2024 10:03 AM
78	I wish there were more ways to enjoy the beautiful waterfront in our community. Boardwalks that connect on both ends to the trail (not out and back) would be fantastic. Beach access would be great. And access to the water around other parts of Reeds Lake Trail or Reeds Lake Blvd would be great - even just to let my dog get a drink on a long walk.	10/14/2024 9:22 AM
79	The parks are pretty good.	10/14/2024 8:35 AM
80	We need more tennis courts in a group not scattered around the community. We also need more sporting fields to accommodate clubs & teams. And maintained to the highest quality for the sport.	10/14/2024 7:44 AM
81	Please keep walkers safe & disallow motorized bikes, scooters & one wheeler's off of paths & walk ways, including sidewalks. As a walker, motorized devices are extremely dangerous on our walkways.	10/13/2024 10:23 PM
82	Many facilities are falling apart. Dugouts at Manhattan need to be covered, drainage at Remington should be a top priority, tennis courts at the middle school are crumbling. Not many people in the community will utilize a splash pad but many of multiple ages would use pickleball courts. You can't walk around the loop at Collins Park without stepping through mud, water puddles, and goose poop (these things are across the sidewalks). The weeds need to be removed from Reeds Lake so it's actually swimmable. Can Reeds Lake be stocked with fish for better fishing?	10/13/2024 12:09 PM
83	none	10/13/2024 10:59 AM
84	Before expanding and investing in new. Let's make sure our existing is top notch. Sustainability is about rejuvenating what we have and enhancing the natural areas to native and not developing	10/13/2024 8:50 AM
85	I would love to see the bathroom facilities be open year round and possibly have additional ones built on or near the reeds lake trail near Manhattan Park section of the trail. I would also love to see a flatter trail (Hodenpyl) dedicated to CC skiing in the winter and groomed for classic skiing when conditions allow.	10/13/2024 7:13 AM
86	I would really like to see the city make additional efforts to improve the trail around Reeds Lake. As you know, it is a mix of dedicated trails and streets. If land is unavailable to expand the dedicated trail portion, I really would like to see the City do more to set up a dedicated bike/running lane on the street portion of the trails with dividers and safety measures.	10/12/2024 11:36 PM
87	There needs to be a serious reconsideration of the Lakeside playgrounds, specifically the	10/12/2024 9:12 PM

Lakeside Lower Elementary playground. I am not sure what falls under EGR dollars vs. school dollars, but it is a total disaster.

88	The geese poop throughout Collins park is a real eyesore and deters people. Collins park needs manicuring. The cones around the flooded pot is really annoying and has been there most of the summer. Please cover the utility equipment near lakeside (some of the shrubs died). More attention to weekly maintenance and cleanup maintenance at Collins. More trees so people can put there hammock.	10/12/2024 5:17 PM
89	I would love if we have more restaurants (sushi comes to mind) and places like that in Gaslight, rather than an upscale sofa shop most people probably don't visit, or a flooring shop that sits on a prominent corner that is never opened. Move that to an upstairs location somewhere, and capitalize on the gaslight village area you have to bring more families in on nights and weekends. Thank you!	10/12/2024 4:32 PM
90	Thank you for asking us to give feedback.	10/12/2024 3:34 PM
91	Tax dollars should focus on residents, not bring non-residents into the city	10/12/2024 3:32 PM
92	Gaslight needs a vision and support. We need more restaurants and town housing for young families that can support the school system. Ada, by comparison, is investing in their downtown and it's really nice.	10/12/2024 3:31 PM
93	I think with the update to Manhattan happening and the expansion of the trail by the "rock" that our parks, playground and trails are exactly where they should be and it's time to leave everything alone and focus on continued maintenance. I am STRONGLY against any additional trails being added to more wooded areas.	10/12/2024 10:02 AM
94	Please mulch Hodenpyl Trail while we are waiting for the paved path. Please, please keep the paved path as narrow as possible so you are not taking down trees. Don't need much more than the width of a wheelchair. People can move over or wait to pass. This should be a walking trail not a biking trail. Try not to disturb nature with over development. Thank you.	10/12/2024 9:31 AM
95	I think Parks and Rec is an incredibly important and positive component of our community. I also think EGR has an untapped potential to increase the benefits we could provide to our community. Thanks to parks and rec we have amazing youth sports, however our facilities are lackluster. Elementary fields are now better, however we can improve our facilities. I think this is the most important improvement we can make in our community. I think we need to build an indoor sports facility- with one or 2 fields. It would get non- stop usage.	10/12/2024 9:02 AM
96	I feel mostly that adding a seasonal outdoor community pool somewhat centrally located in East Grand Rapids would create a wonderful community feeling and keep all our members swimming well	10/12/2024 8:17 AM
97	Focus on existing park maintenance and smaller scale upgrades. No new "destination park" attractions or anything that requires additional costs for upkeep.	10/12/2024 8:14 AM
98	I appreciate the parks we have. We dont need more facilities. Open up walking trails and green space. Stop spending tax dollars to pave over park spaces. This survey forces respondents to say each park needs improvement (ranking them without an option not to). This is going to create flawed data to pull analysis from the survey.	10/12/2024 8:07 AM
99	I believe the amount of parks we have should just be maintained and not expanded. Maintenance is always a long term issue in the aging of infrastructure and is expensive. Natural areas should be left natural and monitored for invasive harmful plants.	10/12/2024 6:55 AM
100	Please look at other financial avenues than property taxes.	10/11/2024 11:35 PM
101	More neighborhood parks because all the playgrounds are off limits when school is in session. We really love being able to walk to a playground with the kids but cannot use them during school season.	10/11/2024 9:51 PM
102	Need more areas to practice sports, pickleball (see Grand Haven!), outdoor basketball courts, a way to keep the goose poop out of John Collins - so gross we stop going by mid summer.	10/11/2024 7:53 PM
103	Parking within the city is a problem. During the summer boat hauling cars take up 2-3 spots alone. I am also a employee at Woodcliff and parking for work can be impossible bc walkers/runner take every spot. Please consider solutions	10/11/2024 5:07 PM
104	I didn't know most of these parks existed. I'm aware of John Collins, Manhattan, Hodenpyl and	10/11/2024 4:48 PM

Remington, but the others are a mystery. I'm generally in favor of keeping things natural, but we have not gone to Hodenply due to the high volume of poison ivy.

105	Please create swimming access to Reeds Lake. Our summer have continued to get warmer. With a lake less than a mile from any of us it makes no sense for our residents to have to drive to Lake Michigan for swimming access.	10/11/2024 4:41 PM
106	you need a better softball program for girls and better baseball program for boys. you need a more Elite (out of city) basketball program that plays other teams outside of the community. you need gymnastics, you need Youth Dance for older girls - just FUN dancing - hip hop, etc. You need a MIDDLE SCHOOL dance (informal), but I monthly city hosting gathering for Middle Schoolers (see what Grosse Point does with the War Memorial dances). There should be NO CAP for youth soccer, everybody plays.	10/11/2024 4:37 PM
107	I think that middle school sports should be run by the schools. That would help our kids more once they get into high school. The soccer and baseball fields need upgrades. Baseball field is not good at all when compared to similar schools in the area and conference (besides Ottawa Hills). Even with the drainage fixes it needs updating and better overall facility amenities. Collecting entry fees for middle school sports should go into the sports. Football field will always be nice because of their resources.	10/11/2024 4:23 PM
108	More nature area/hiking trails as my vote! :) Thanks for all you do!	10/11/2024 3:27 PM
109	We would love to see triangle park be more of a natural/native landscape. More trees, wildflowers, community gardens. More seating/picnic areas. Less of a wasted burnt grass space.	10/11/2024 2:47 PM
110	Thank you!	10/11/2024 2:30 PM
111	Longer duration youth swim options would be awesome. Similar to what is done for other sports like soccer and basketball for elementary age kids.	10/11/2024 2:28 PM
112	Too much concentration north of Reeds Lake, not enough small playgrounds for kids, too much goose poop in Collin's Park	10/11/2024 2:03 PM
113	Safer infrastructure for biking from place to place, schools and playgrounds and library, please!!!	10/11/2024 1:55 PM
114	More trash receptacles for dog poop around town!	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
115	In Colorado/MN they have this big troll made out of natural products by Thomas Dambo. They are in the middle of the woods and are awesome. It would be so cool if we had a sculpture in Hodenply or even in any of the woods here in EGR. More art!	10/11/2024 1:18 PM
116	I would like to see a feeling of welcome to all to use EGR facilities and more emphasis on the environment. Ask users not to use plastic water bottles, etc. if possible, promote this for all users, uses of parks.	10/11/2024 1:14 PM
117	Recycling bins at all parks please. This is really shocking that we don't have this.	10/11/2024 1:12 PM
118	We really need more parking at Manhattan Park - especially during soccer season. This was my one issue with the expansion of the park. We have people constantly parking on our street, blocking mailboxes and keeping us from receiving mail. I think the parks are great but the parking is really getting out of control.	10/11/2024 12:52 PM
119	There was no distinction between walking or biking trails in the questions about expanding the trails. We do not need anymore biking trails as those have ruined it for the walkers at Manhattan park. We could use more walking trails however.	10/11/2024 12:37 PM
120	The city does a poor job of cleaning up facilities it shares with the schools. When Mehney and other facilities are rented by the city for private use (especially on weekends), the city needs to pick up the trash and do a better job overall.	10/11/2024 11:57 AM
121	Adding paddle boards to the kayak rental system would be excellent	10/11/2024 11:41 AM
122	I do have a recommendation. I am an avid runner and someone with ulcerative colitis. During winter months when bathrooms at John Collins and Remington are closed, I often find myself without needed facilities during my run. In fact, many runner who do not have GI conditions have the same challenges. I strongly advocate for the placement of year round bathroom	10/11/2024 11:40 AM

facilities (weather plumbed or outhouse format) at multiple locations along the around the lake path. This would be amazing and very helpful. Bill Hoefer 757-403-1072

123	Thank you for the survey. Creating an area where people can gather in or close to GLV is needed. The lake does not seem connected to the area.	10/11/2024 11:38 AM
124	I wish the school and the city would get together and discuss the best way to use and design these facilities. It seems like the city does not use these limited space the best way. We waste too much tax dollar money on projects where these projects don't get the max out of the space. There is a lot of waste. The city doesn't plan properly.	10/11/2024 11:36 AM
125	The parks are not the problem. It's access to the parks through biking and walking trails	10/11/2024 11:35 AM
126	I feel like East is very behind on more creative alternatives to parks and playgrounds. Everything is super traditional and doesn't allow for creative thinking. My hope is that whom ever is making these final choices considers newer more improved choices and ways of thinking. Aka playscapes, gardening, water features, etc.	10/11/2024 11:33 AM
127	Maintenance of high school fields should be improved or at minimum better maintained, as a representation of our community	10/11/2024 11:32 AM
128	Again, please consider trimming up the overgrown trees along reeds lake: middle school & soccer field. It would make a big difference. Thanks.	10/11/2024 11:28 AM
129	Can parks and rec make people less mean?	10/11/2024 11:27 AM
130	Please don't spend time and resources carving up every natural space with paths. The abomination of the bike trails at Manhattan are bad enough.	10/11/2024 11:17 AM
131	San Lu Rae triangle would make an excellent neighborhood park.	10/11/2024 11:16 AM
132	Additional Water fountains around the lake loop and at playgrounds would be quite nice.	10/11/2024 11:13 AM
133	Please put in a skate park at Manhattan, they have a ton of unused space. Also, can we please get a cross country trail in East!	10/11/2024 11:12 AM
134	I love trails but not at the expense of taking away existing wildlife habitats. I also think it's sad that only children of members of the GRYC (or Reeds Lake home owners) have access to swim in Reeds Lake. It's elitist. I am very happy a new playground / splash pad is in the works at Manhattan, though. Lastly, I would LOVE to see a community garden in our town. Thanks for all you do!	10/11/2024 11:11 AM
135	.	10/11/2024 11:09 AM
136	A water fountain on the "other" side of the lake somewhere along the path. The library, John Collins, and the dog park area are all so clumped, would be great to see a water fountain maybe at the corner of Reed's lake and Manhattan	10/11/2024 11:06 AM
137	It would be awesome to have neighborhood parks that weren't just school playgrounds	10/11/2024 11:04 AM
138	Really would love a neighborhood playground somewhere near Gaslight for young children during the school year - it could even be a nature based play area. Also would love to see more trails being made and maintained for walking in all of the woodland areas.	10/11/2024 10:57 AM
139	The greatest opportunity for parks and rec is to improve parkland in the city center, helping to promote gaslight village as a destination. Ada has a park adjacent to its new downtown which is a major draw, helping support the businesses there.	10/11/2024 10:56 AM
140	as a parent of a new middle school cross country runner, it would be great if we had a cross-country track for the kids to have home meets.	10/11/2024 10:55 AM
141	More and more progressive cycling infrastructure -- protected bike lanes, bike boulevards, green boxes for turns, signage, education. Also, traffic circles are the best.	10/11/2024 10:53 AM
142	Sustainability should be prioritized!	10/11/2024 10:49 AM
143	a cross country course would also be great	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
144	Thank you for your work and this survey. Parks are very important to my family's quality of life.	10/11/2024 10:46 AM
145	Please consider how to make John Collins Park more of a socially thriving place and a place where there are activities for children. Without a public beach or without a playground, it is not	10/11/2024 10:44 AM

	somewhere we choose to go often and it's a lost opportunity in the center of town. Manhattan is too far away.	
146	Another turf field for youth sports to take pressure off of mehney and memorial. Recycling and water stations. Wish list- Community weight room and indoor turf.	10/11/2024 10:44 AM
147	Need to build an ice rink in East Grand Rapids	10/11/2024 10:40 AM
148	Now that the school playgrounds are nearing a year of use, I would like to see the company come back and review/improve some areas. I.e., one area that was designed to be a green grassy area to play has been nicknamed, "the dust bowl". It's all dirt and rocks. The kids play soccer, fall, and cut their knees open on all the rocks. Turf would probably be a better option in this small area. Another example on a playground is the height of some of the new equipment being either too high (the kids drag over a bench to reach), or too low (the kids don't use it). I'm sure the kids and parent would have a lot of suggestions to continue the improvement of these new and highly utilized town parks.	10/11/2024 10:39 AM
149	I think Stevekee Woods and Hodenpyl Woods could be great properties for quality of life if we had better (or any) trails there.	10/11/2024 10:39 AM
150	The drainage at John Collins Park needs to be repaired near the boathouse	10/11/2024 10:38 AM
151	A group of male adults have been playing pickleball mainly at wealthy. They have (3) nice courts. Any way lighting can be added so we can utilize these courts when daylight is reduced in the fall. thanks!	10/11/2024 10:37 AM
152	Would be very interested if there could be greater use of the beechwood park areas if those are owned by the city. I didnt even know that was a park, i thought it was private property. Would be very interested if that could be developed into a park/playground area	10/11/2024 10:35 AM
153	I would most like to see development of the additional park properties on Reeds Lake for more community access to the lake.	10/11/2024 10:33 AM
154	Maybe we should be charging for the use of the boat and kayak launches? i.e. permit to us	10/11/2024 10:31 AM
155	Thank you for gathering this feedback.	10/11/2024 10:30 AM
156	Johns Collins Park is basically unusable due to all the goose droppings. What can be done about this? Additionally it would be nice to have a playground within the gaslight area. Either right downtown or at John Collins Park. I can see that being a great gathering spot for families. Once you're downtown there aren't currently great spots to hangout with young children that aren't concrete.	10/11/2024 10:29 AM
157	Parks and Rec does a poor job of maintaining and cleaning the HS pool. It is a flagship for he community and used widely in our household. Despite multiple comments to the Aquatics director on this issue it has not been addressed. The Aquatics director is largely non-responsive on such issues.	10/11/2024 10:27 AM
158	I would like to see a community workout facility. Also, better access to a pool - outdoor preferred but a better indoor pool for rec would be welcomed. also, reeds lake trail is dangerous and needs to be addressed. a designated bike lane should be considered. the trail is truly a cornerstone of our community and we should take more time and \$\$ to improve. Additionally, a kayak launch at john collins would be helpful.	10/11/2024 10:26 AM
159	Build and Indoor turf athletic facility.	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
160	I appreciate seeing EGR staff come through and empty trash bins regularly and not let them build up. I also love the hanging flower baskets in downtown EGR.	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
161	the park system is great, please stop trying to find new sources of money just for the sake of spending money to add things	10/11/2024 10:21 AM
162	Why are we trying to spend more \$\$ and higher taxes in this economy?!	10/11/2024 10:20 AM
163	We are desperately short on field availability for youth sports. With the high school renovation and temporary loss of the track field, this problem will only grow worse. EGR need to assess long term how we can acquire land for more practice fields and an indoor field house. Our community is already falling behind our neighbors in this regard, we need to find solutions	10/11/2024 10:18 AM
164	Your youth football program needs to be improved with coaching.	10/11/2024 10:18 AM

165	We would love to see lighted outdoor basketball courts!	10/11/2024 10:17 AM
166	We need a larger space for recreational boating. More boat launch space not located so inconveniently in a busy area.	10/11/2024 10:13 AM
167	Please take on board the comments about energy savings in #14 above. EGR needs to be a leader in incorporating renewable energy sources and reducing reliance on fossil fuels throughout the city -- including but not limited to our parks and recreation. The city should incorporate and promote solar power whenever and wherever possible, and as efficiently as possible!	10/10/2024 8:46 PM
168	Recycling, water stations better drainage on trails needed. Skate park and baseball hoops near lake. Give kids more to do. More turf for sports.	10/7/2024 3:37 PM
169	A decision needs to be regarding which organization will actually claim responsibility for the maintenance of tennis courts that are on school property. It's clearly obvious that no one is regularly mowing the facilities. The landscaping is overgrown. Some of the fencing needs repair. The bathrooms are horrible. The high school athletic director has too many other things to manage. Someone needs to step up.	10/3/2024 8:23 PM



GRANT HISTORY

Grantee

City of East Grand Rapids - Kent County

Project No. 26-00628 **Project County:** Kent **Project Year:** 1975

Project title: Manhattan Project-Phase I

Project Status: Grant Closed

Grant Amount:
\$14,184.78

Scope Item

Project Description: One softball/football field, soccer/field hockey field, and LWCF sign

Project No. 26-00705 **Project County:** Kent **Project Year:** 1976

Project title: Manhattan Project

Project Status: Grant Closed

Grant Amount:
\$26,903.00

Scope Item

Project Description: 2 tennis courts, shelter, trails with observation area, primitive amphitheater, and LWCF sign

Project No. BF89-447 **Project County:** Kent **Project Year:** 1989

Project title: Manhattan Site Improvement

Project Status: Grant Closed

Grant Amount:
\$400,000.00

Scope Item

- fencing/backstop
- fitness trail equipment
- irrigation
- parking area, paving,curb
- restroom/maint. bldg.
- seeding & landscaping
- site equipment
- site lighting
- site prep. & grading
- softball stonedust
- storm drainage
- topographic survey
- topsoil
- trail system



GRANT HISTORY

Grantee

City of East Grand Rapids - Kent County

Project Description: Construct parking lot, softball and soccer field, relocate present soccer & softball field, fitness course, jogging & cross-country trail, and restroom/maintenance building.

Project No. 26-01505 **Project County:** Kent **Project Year:** 1991

Project title: Manhattan-Phase II

Project Status: Grant Closed

Grant Amount:
\$135,538.02

Scope Item

Project Description: Construct four sand volleyball courts/ice skating rink surface, playground, picnic shelter, parking lot adjacent to the newly developed Manhattan Recreation Area.

Project No. TF91-177 **Project County:** Kent **Project Year:** 1991

Project title: Waterfront Park Expansion

Project Status: Grant Closed

Grant Amount:
\$800,300.00

Scope Item

Project Description: Acquire 10.3 acres to increase public access to Reeds Lake, to provide public park development capability (including possible boat launch and on-site parking), and to preserve wetlands.

Project No. CM99-112 **Project County:** Kent **Project Year:** 1999

Project title: John Collins Park

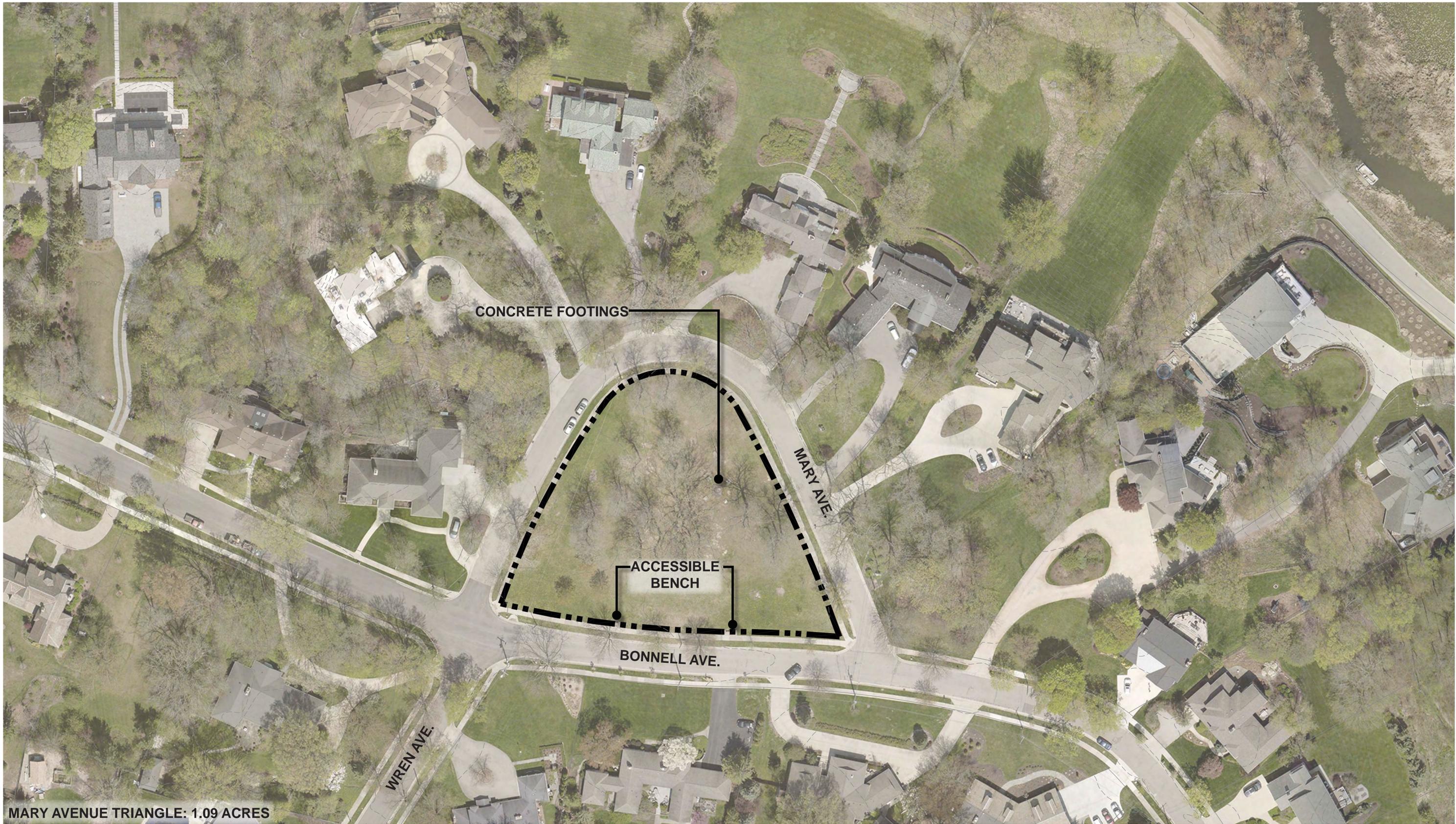
Project Status: Grant Closed

Grant Amount:
\$338,357.00

Scope Item

- Barrier free fishing deck
- Barrier-free Overlooks(2)
- Barrier-Free Restrooms
- Barrier-Free Walks, concrete/bricks
- Concrete Steps and retaining walls
- Decorative City Map Plaza
- Historic Walk with benches & decorative paving
- Irrigation and Landscaping
- Shoreline Stabilization

Project Description: Improvements at Collins Park and Reeds Lake with the addition of restroom facilities and a fishing pier plus shoreline erosion control measures.



MARY AVENUE TRIANGLE: 1.09 ACRES



5-YEAR PARK & RECREATION PLAN

MARY AVENUE TRIANGLE

3035 BONNELL AVE. SE.

0' 20' 40' 80'



SCALE: 1" = 40'



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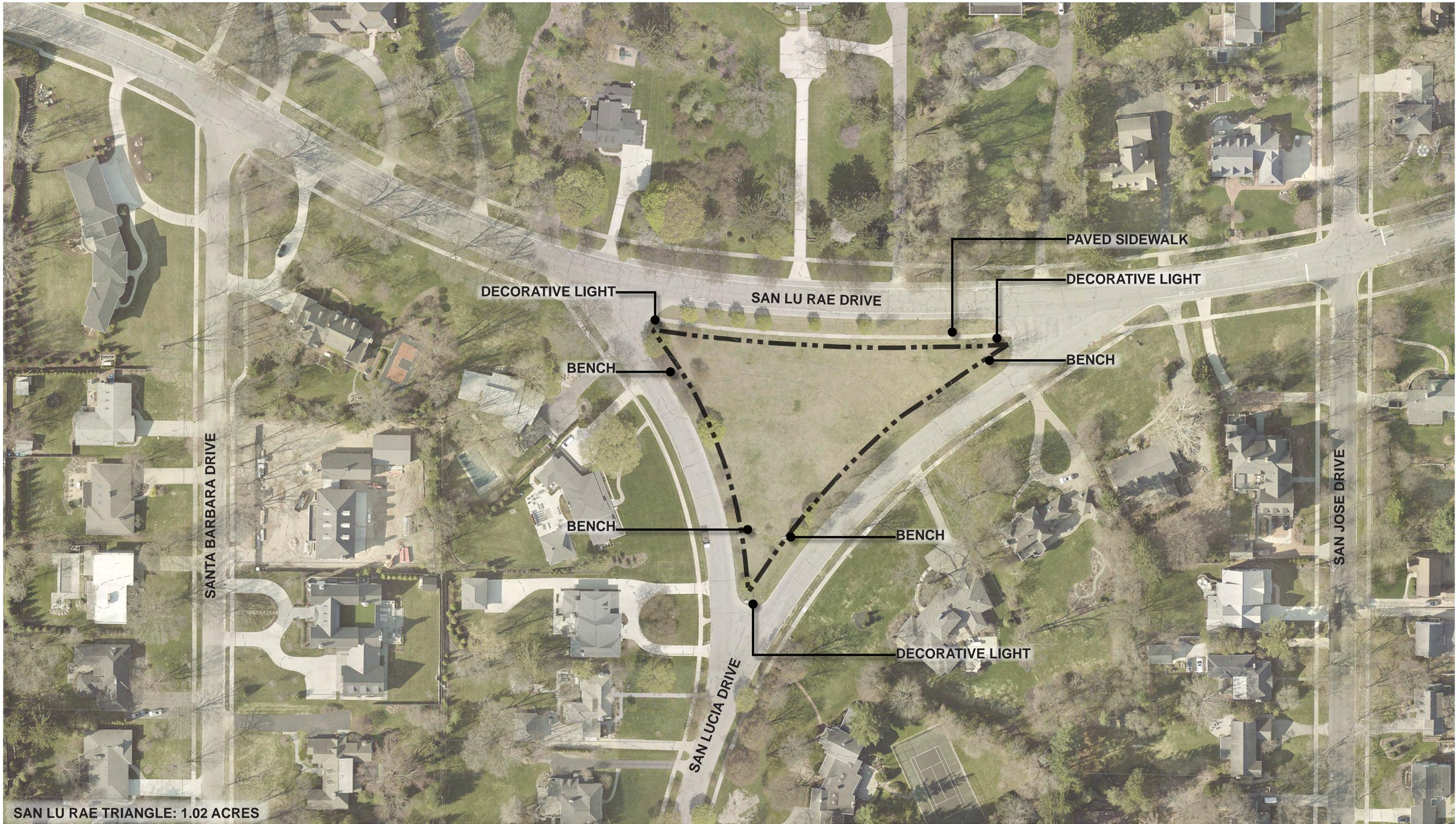


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SAN LU RAE TRIANGLE: 1.02 ACRES



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SAN LU RAE TRIANGLE

1990 SAN LU RAE DR. SE.

0' 25' 50' 100'



SCALE: 1" = 50'

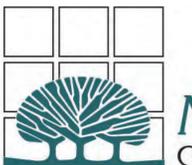


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SCHROEDER PARK: 1.48 ACRES



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SCHROEDER PARK

2618 REEDS LAKE BLVD. SE.

0' 25' 50' 100'



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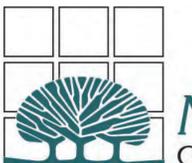


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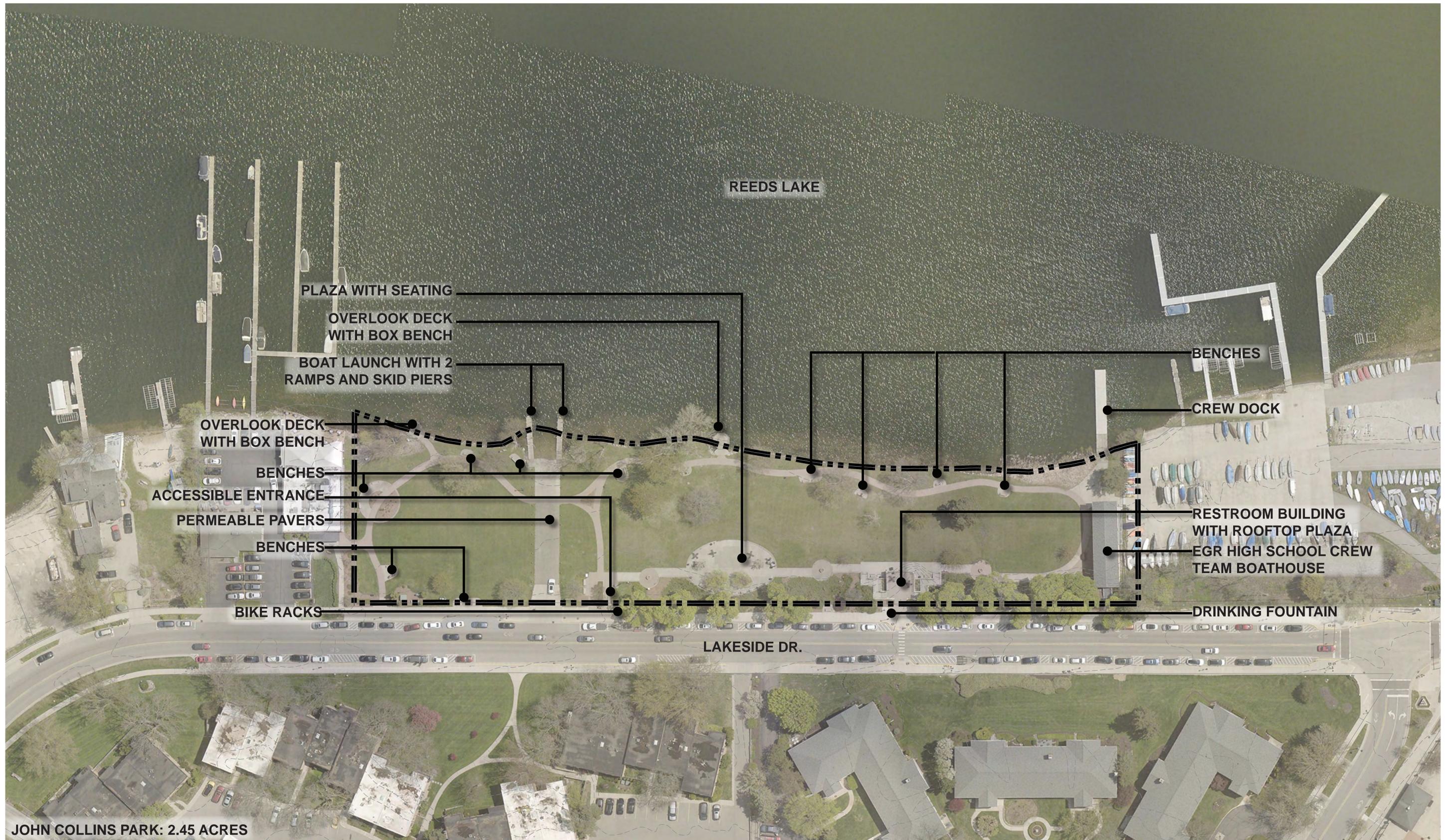
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JOHN COLLINS PARK

650 LAKESIDE DRIVE SE.

0' 20' 40' 80'



SCALE: 1" = 40'

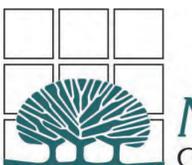


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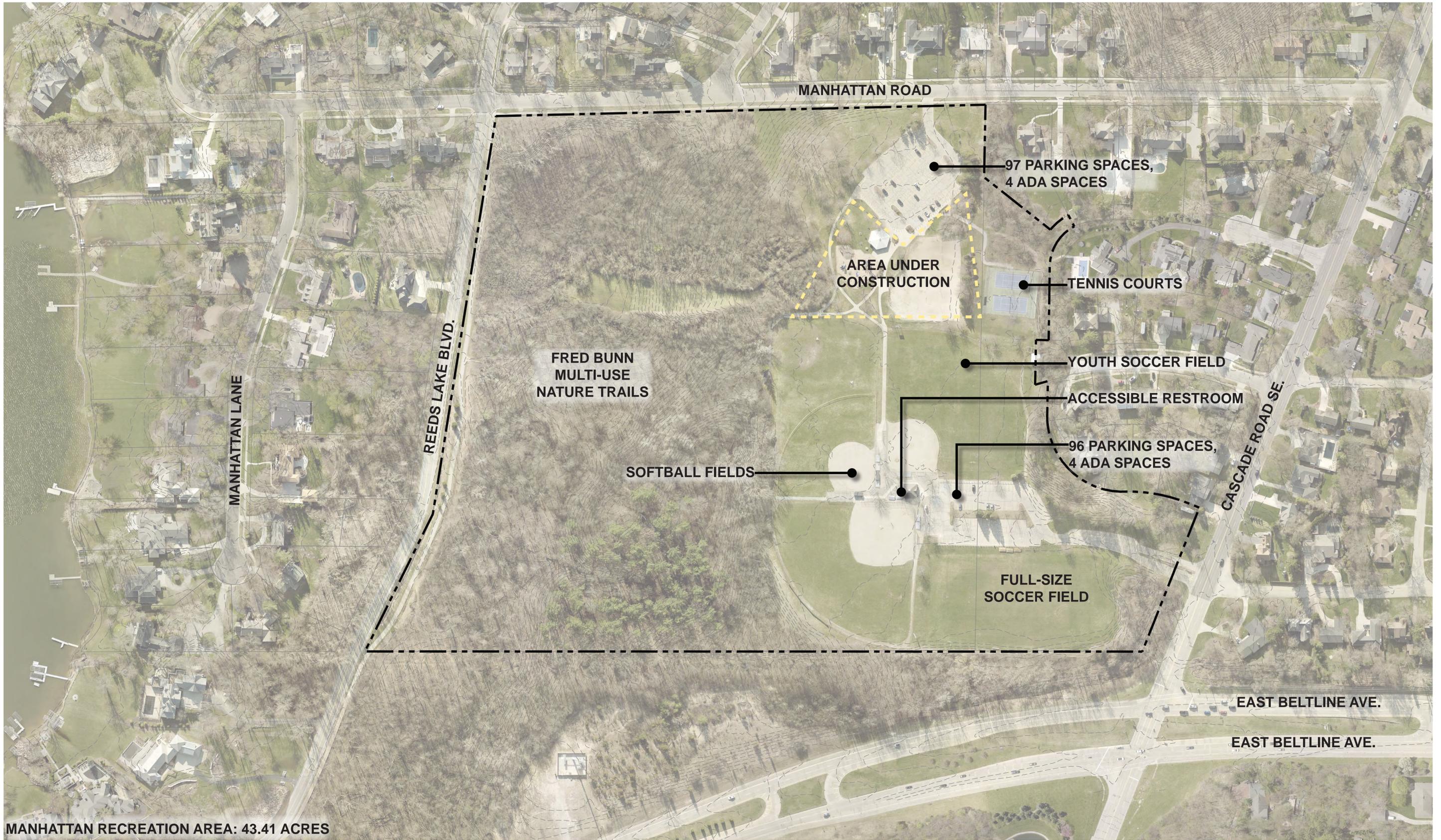


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MANHATTAN RECREATION AREA

430 MANHATTAN ROAD SE.

0' 50' 100' 200'



SCALE: 1" = 100'

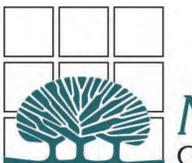


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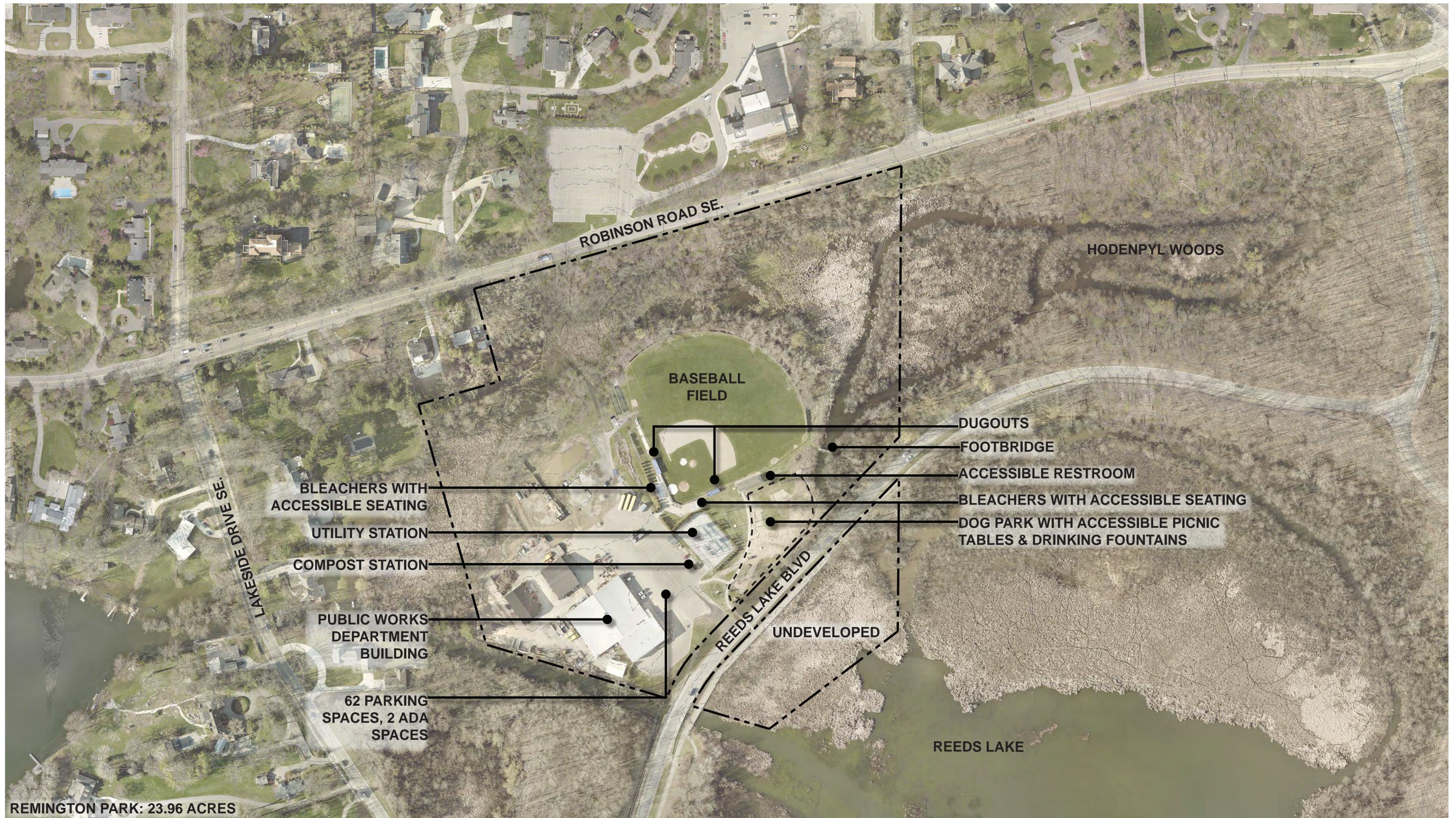


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REMININGTON PARK

2310 REEDS LAKE BLVD. SE.

0' 50' 100' 200'



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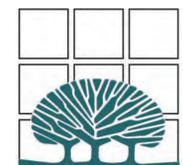


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WATERFRONT PARK: 17.26 ACRES



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WATERFRONT PARK
2206 REEDS LAKE BLVD. SE.

0' 40' 80' 160'



SCALE: 1" = 80'



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BEECHWOOD PARK

2727 BEECHWOOD DR. SE

0' 25' 50' 100'



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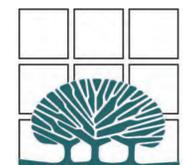


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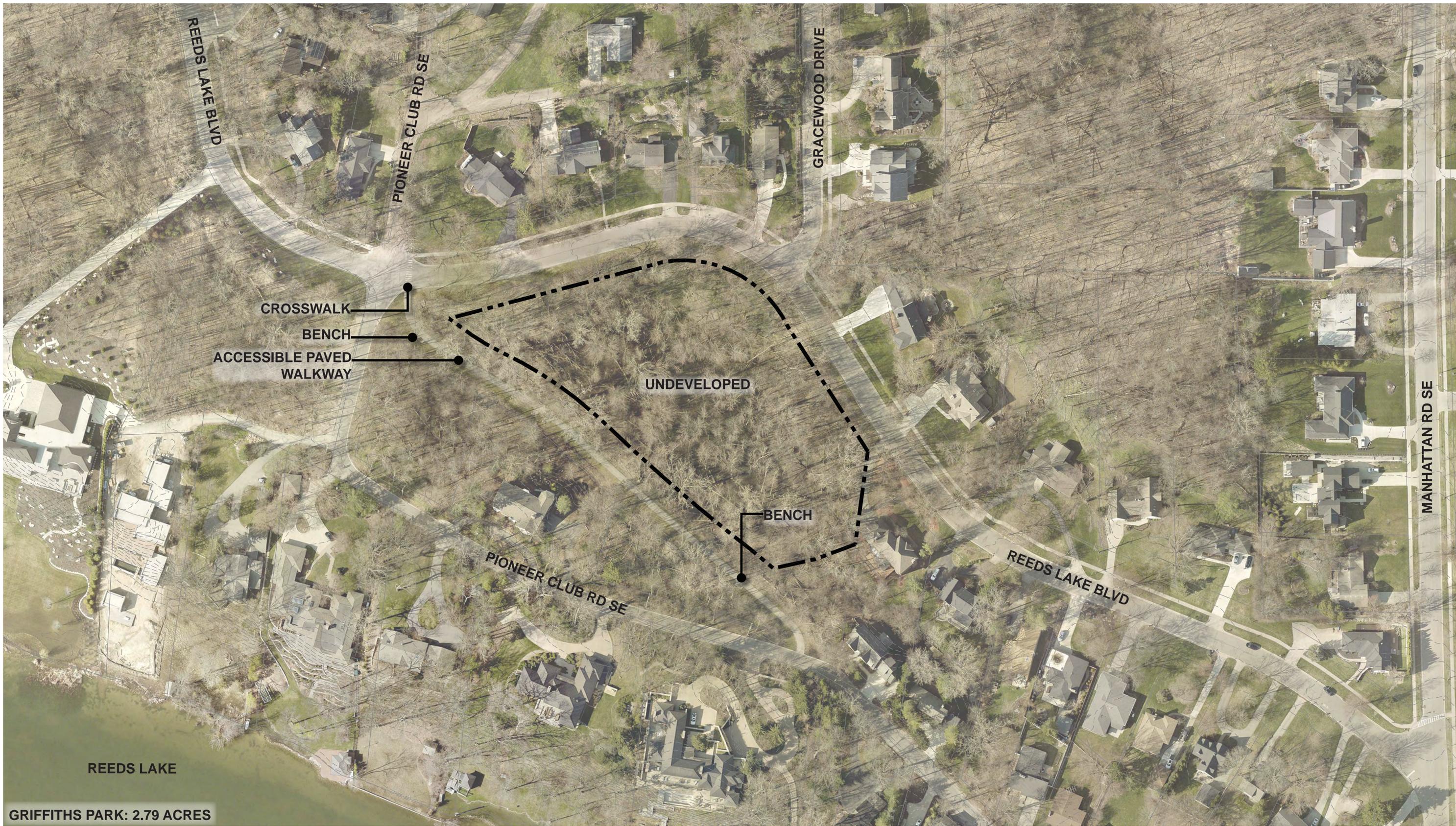


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REEDS LAKE



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GRIFFITHS PARK

2816 REEDS LAKE BLVD. SE.

0' 30' 60' 120'



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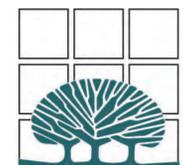


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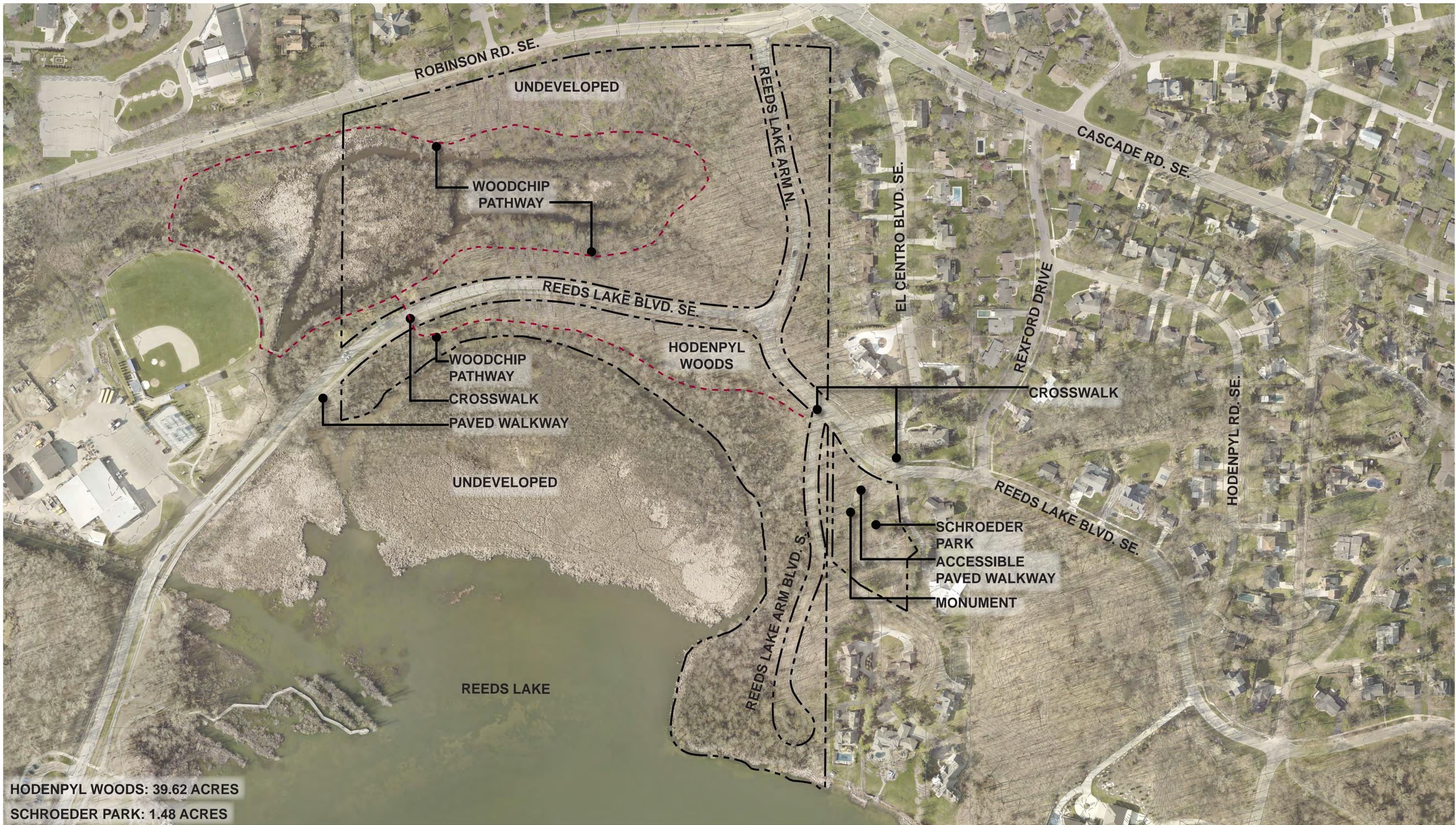


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HODENPYL WOODS & SCHROEDER PARK

2500 ROBINSON ROAD SE. | 2618 REEDS LAKE BLVD. SE.

0' 60' 120' 240'



SCALE: 1" = 120'



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STEKETEE WOODS: 9 ACRES

HODENPYL ROAD

REEDS LAKE BLVD.

REXFORD DRIVE

UNDEVELOPED

REEDS LAKE



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STEKETEE WOODS

2748 REEDS LAKE BLVD. SE.

0' 30' 60' 120'



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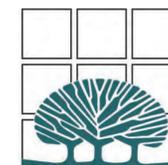


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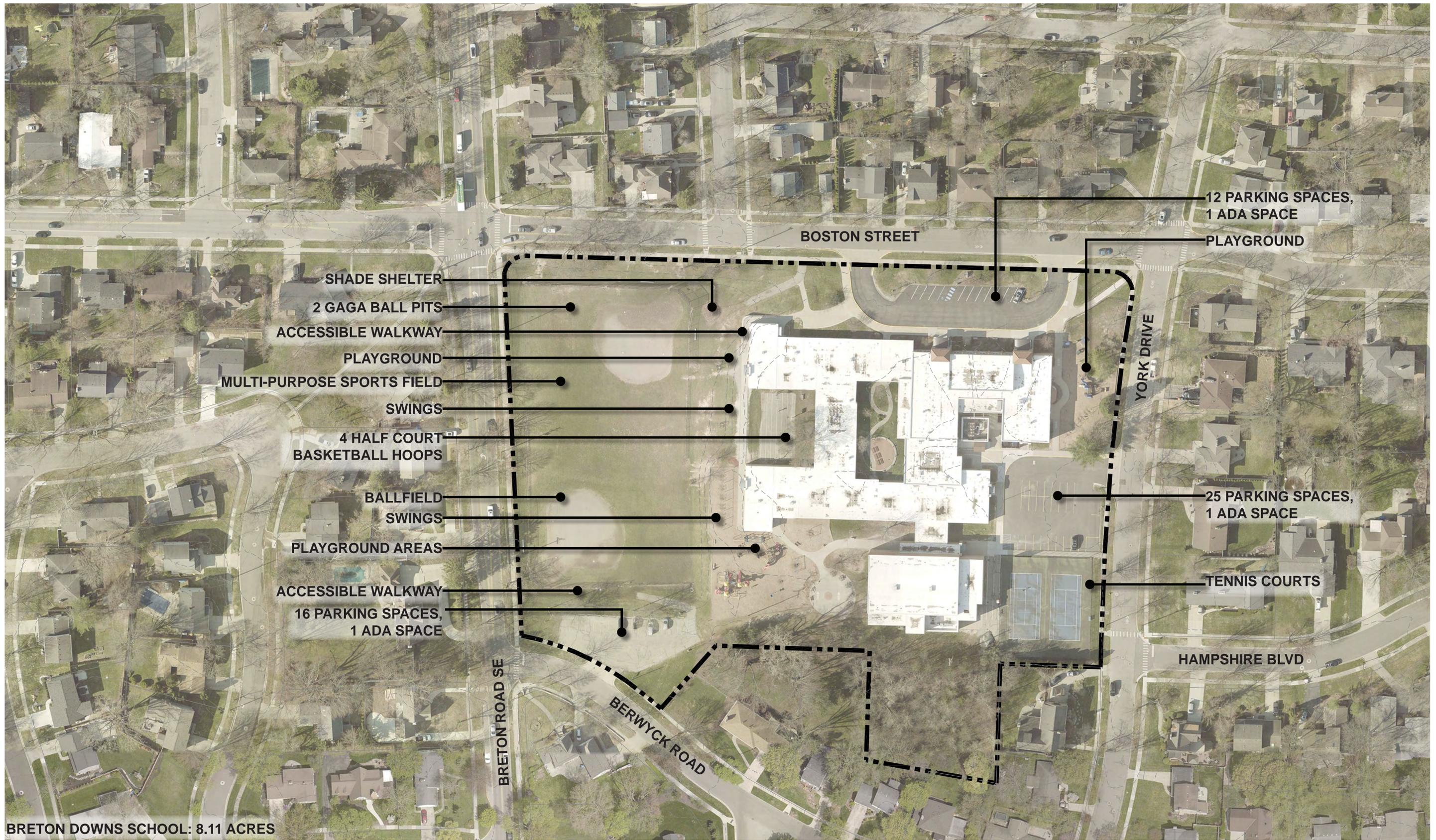


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BRETON DOWNS SCHOOL

2500 BOSTON STREET SE

0' 25' 50' 100'



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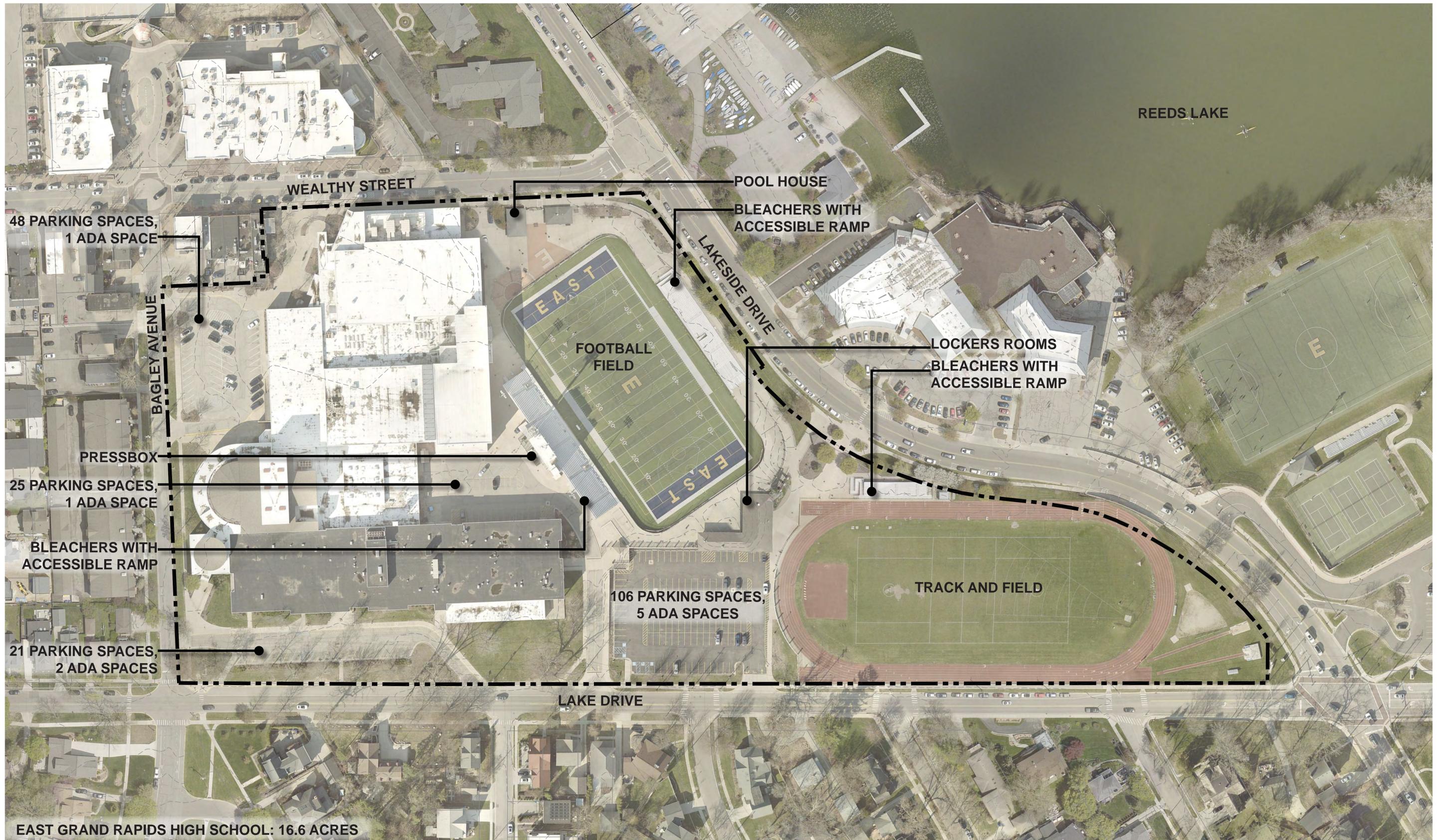
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EAST GRAND RAPIDS HIGH SCHOOL

2211 LAKE DRIVE SE

0' 30' 60' 120'



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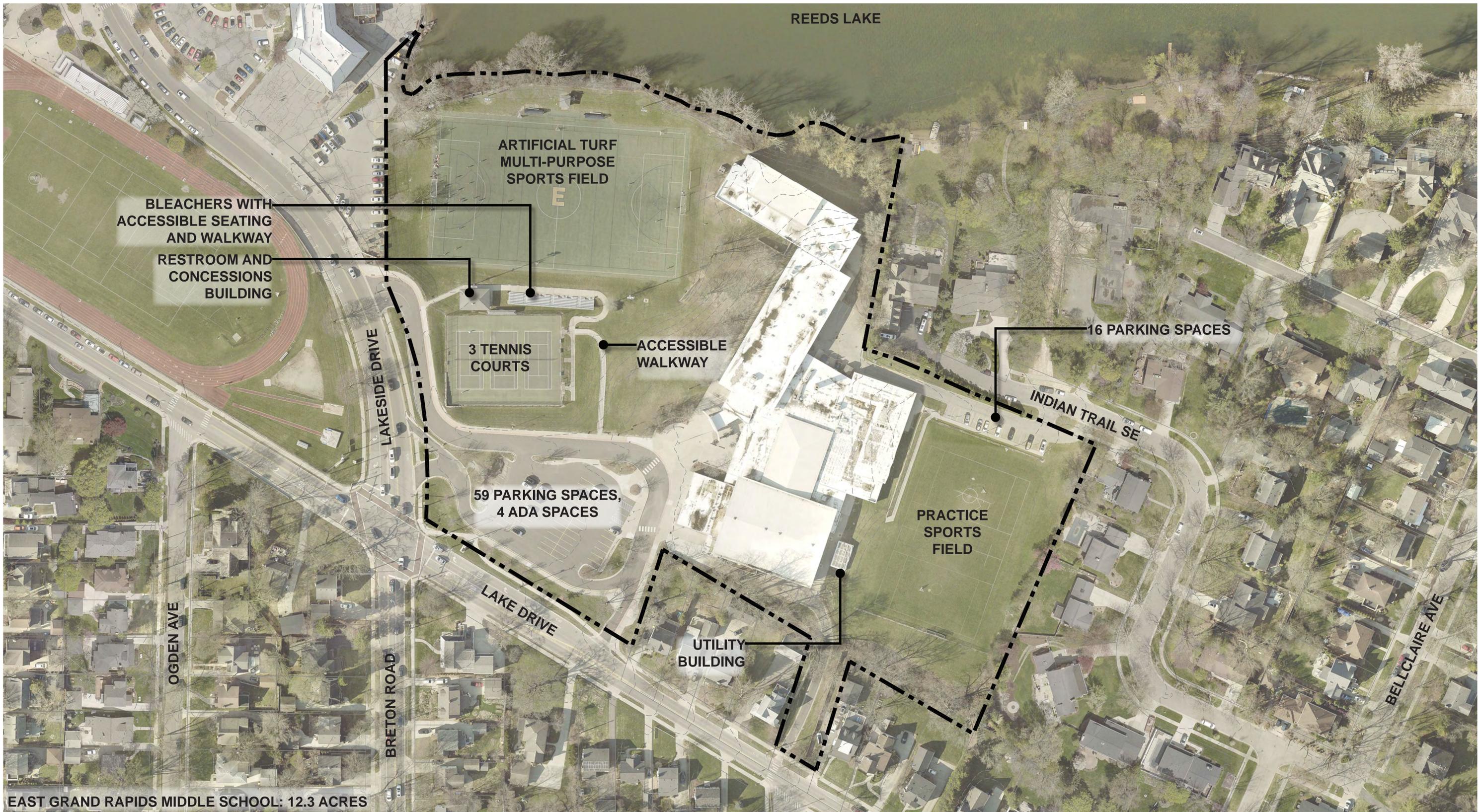


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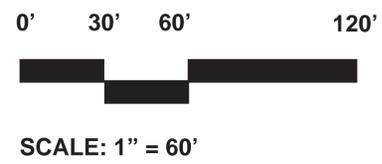


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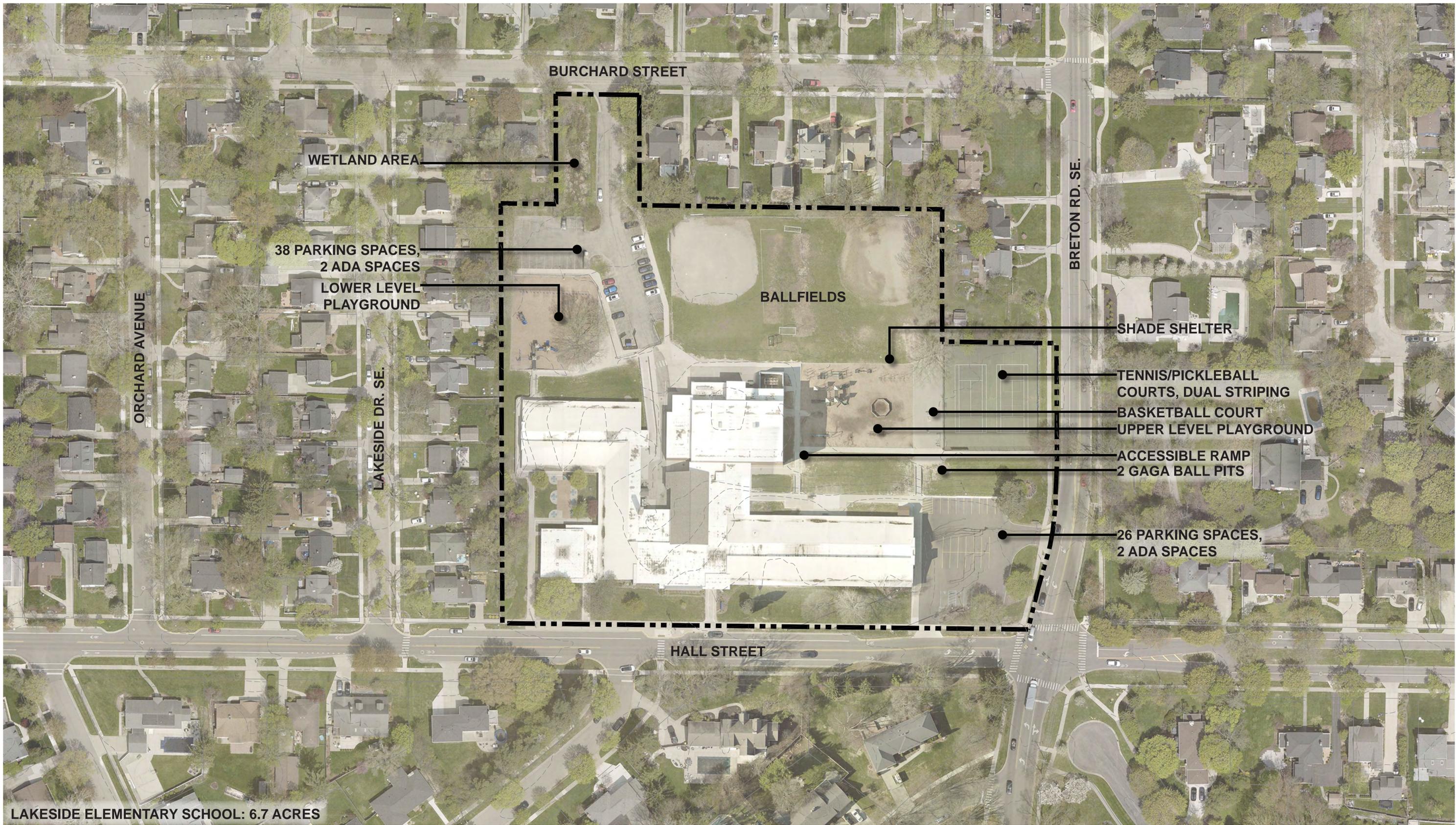
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EAST GRAND RAPIDS MIDDLE SCHOOL
 2425 LAKE DRIVE SE



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LAKESIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: 6.7 ACRES



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LAKESIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

2325 HALL ST. SE.

0' 25' 50' 100'



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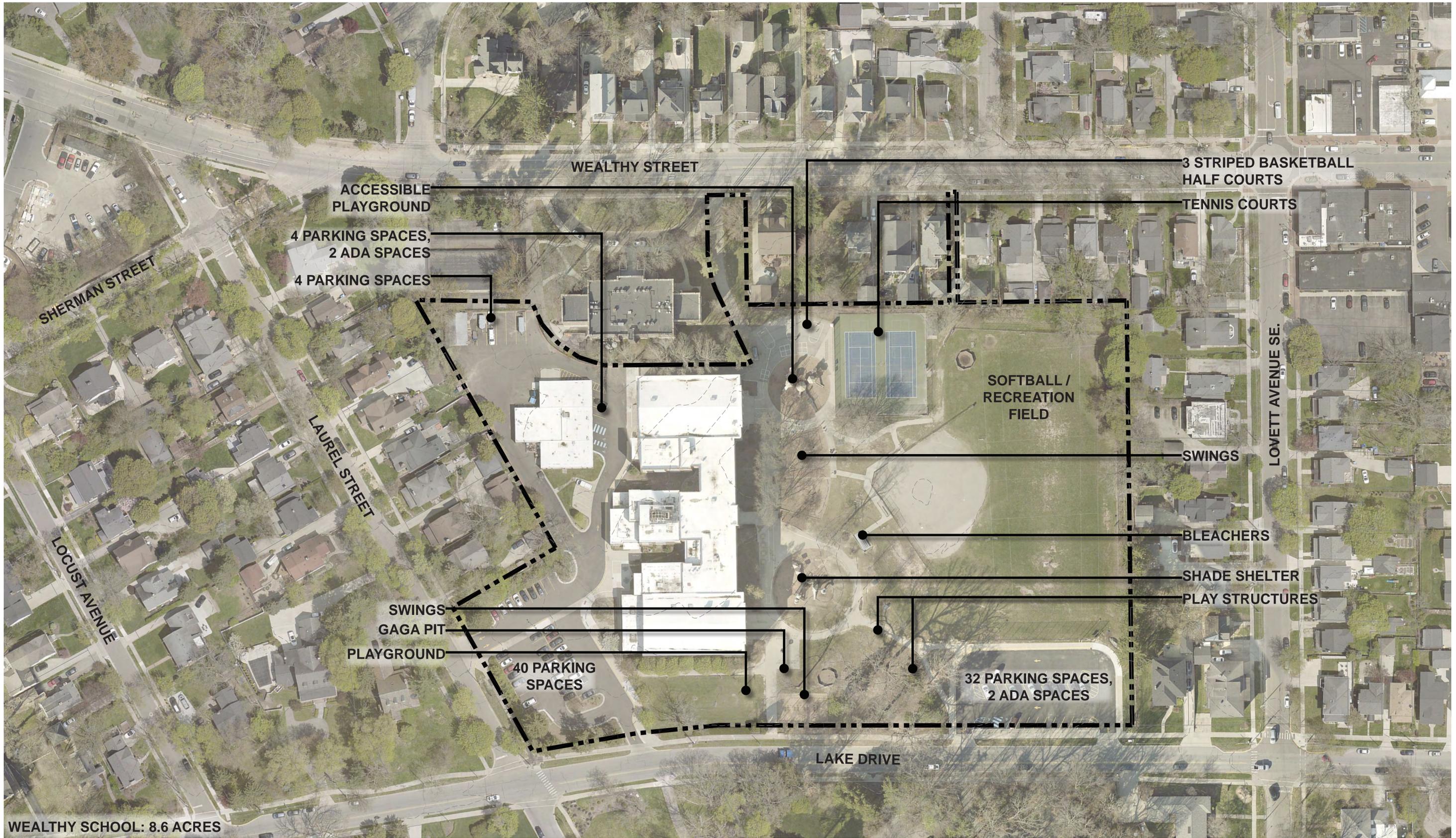


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WEALTHY SCHOOL

1961 LAKE DRIVE SE.

0' 25' 50' 100'



SCALE: 1" = 50'



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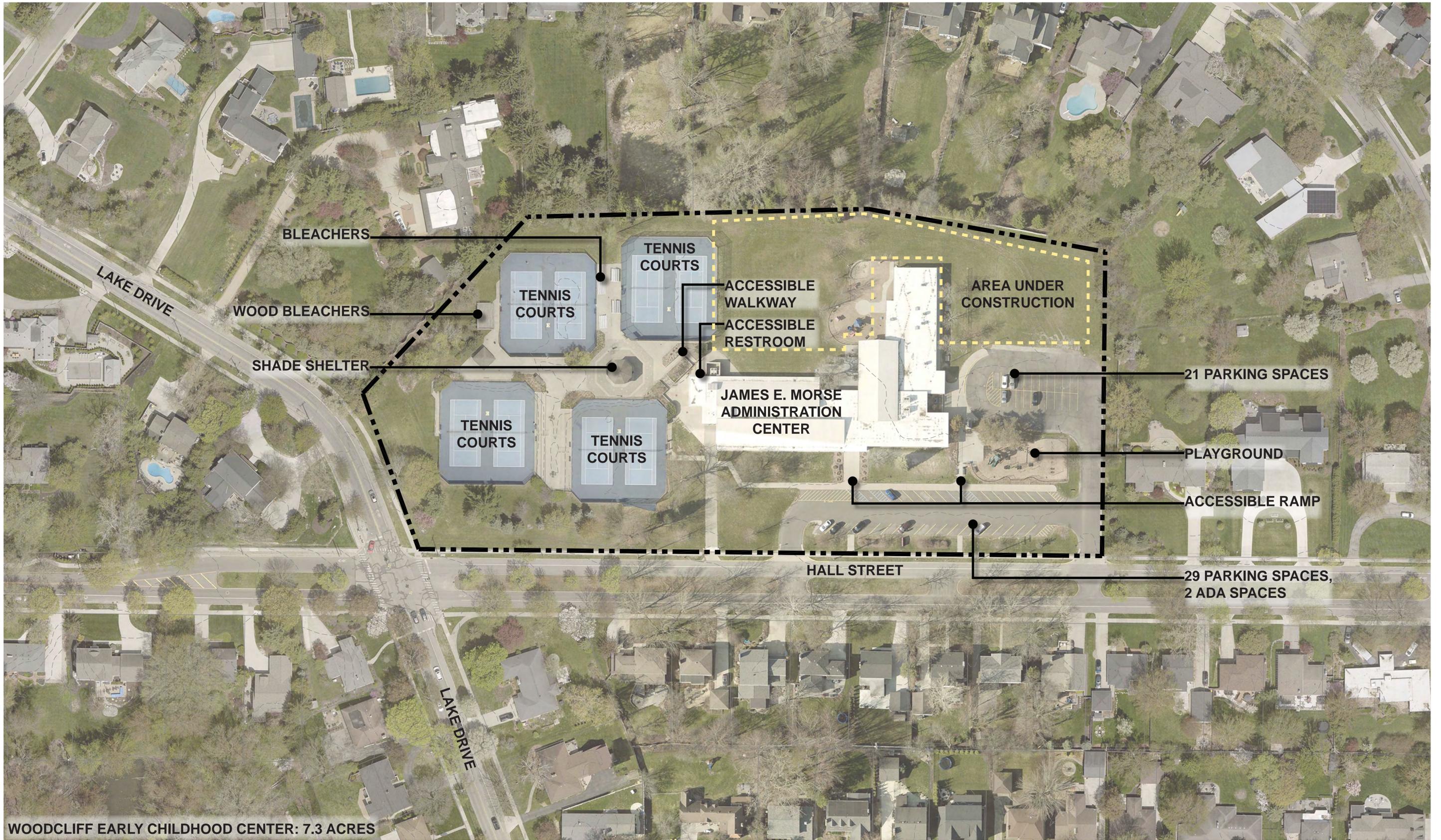


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WOODCLIFF EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

2915 HALL ST. SE.

0' 25' 50' 100'



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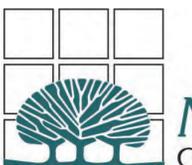


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MOBILITY - BIKE ACTION PLAN

GUIDE SIGNS:
LOCATED AT ALL CHANGE IN
DIRECTIONS WITHIN NETWORK
TOTAL SIGNS: 56

PAVEMENT MARKINGS:
INTERVAL ~ 500FT
TOTAL MARKINGS: 228

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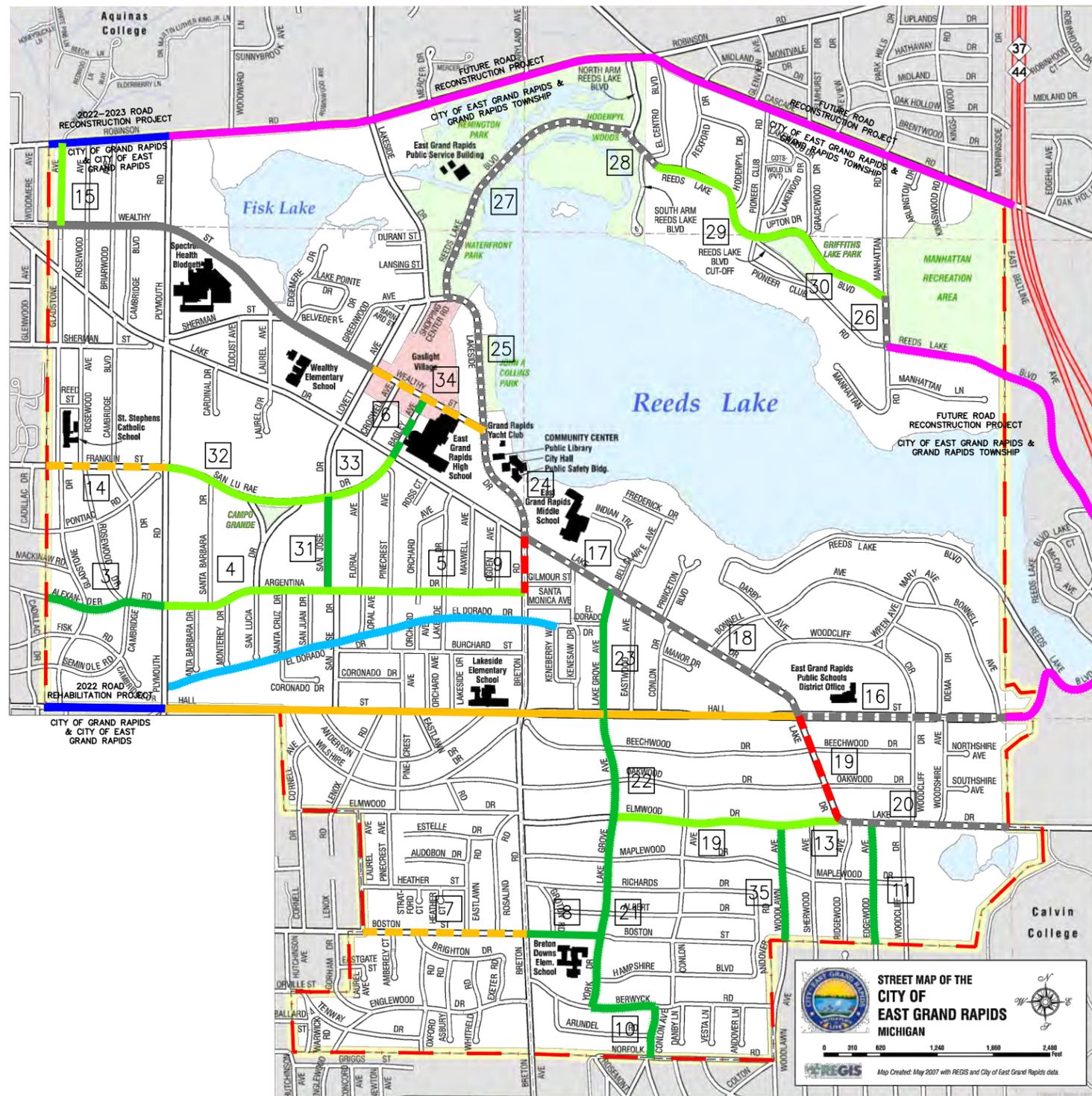
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- CROSSTOWN CONNECTOR
- NETWORK RESIDENTIAL
- LINK RESIDENTIAL
- NEIGHBORHOOD RESIDENTIAL
- PEDESTRIAN WALKING PATH
- EX. EGR MULTI-USE, BICYCLE, OR PED FACILITIES
- - - - EX. FACILITIES (UPDATED IN BIKE MOBILITY PLAN)
- FUTURE PROJECT WITH CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS
- FUTURE PROJECT WITH KCRC, GR TOWNSHIP
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25	LAKESIDE DR (WEALTHY ST TO REEDS LAKE BLVD)
26	MANHATTAN RD (REEDS LAKE BLVD TO REEDS LAKE BLVD)
27	REEDS LAKE BLVD (LAKESIDE DR TO PEDESTRIAN CROSSING)
28	REEDS LAKE BLVD (PEDESTRIAN CROSSING TO EL CENTRO BLVD)
29	REEDS LAKE BLVD (EL CENTRO BLVD TO GRACEWOOD DR)
30	REEDS LAKE BLVD (GRACEWOOD DR TO MANHATTAN RD)
31	SAN JOSE DR (ARGENTINA DR TO SAN LU RAE DR)
32	SAN LU RAE (PLYMOUTH RD TO SAN LUCIA DR)
33	SAN LU RAE (SAN LUCIA DR TO LAKE DR)
34	WEALTHY ST (LOVETT AVE TO LAKESIDE DR)
35	WOODLAWN AVE (CITY LIMITS TO ELMWOOD DR)

NOTE: THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MOBILITY – BIKE ACTION PLAN ADDRESSES ALL SHORT TERM PROJECTS, SOME MID AND LONG TERM PROJECTS WITH INTERMEDIATE UPGRADES SLATED FOR FUTURE RECONSTRUCTION, AND UPDATES SOME EXISTING FACILITIES IDENTIFIED IN THE MOBILITY-BIKE ACTION PLAN PREPARED BY PROGRESSIVE AE-JUNE 2021.

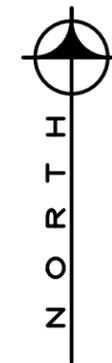
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ALEXANDER RD (CITY LIMITS TO CAMBRIDGE DR)
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ALEXANDER RD (CAMBRIDGE DR TO PLYMOUTH RD)
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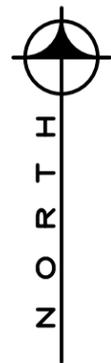




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ARGENTINA DR (SAN LUCIA DR TO FLORAL AVE)
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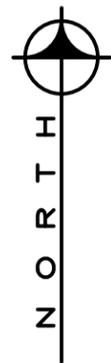




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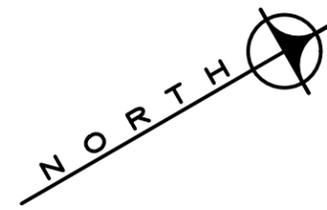


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BAGLEY AVE (LAKE DR TO WEALTHY ST)
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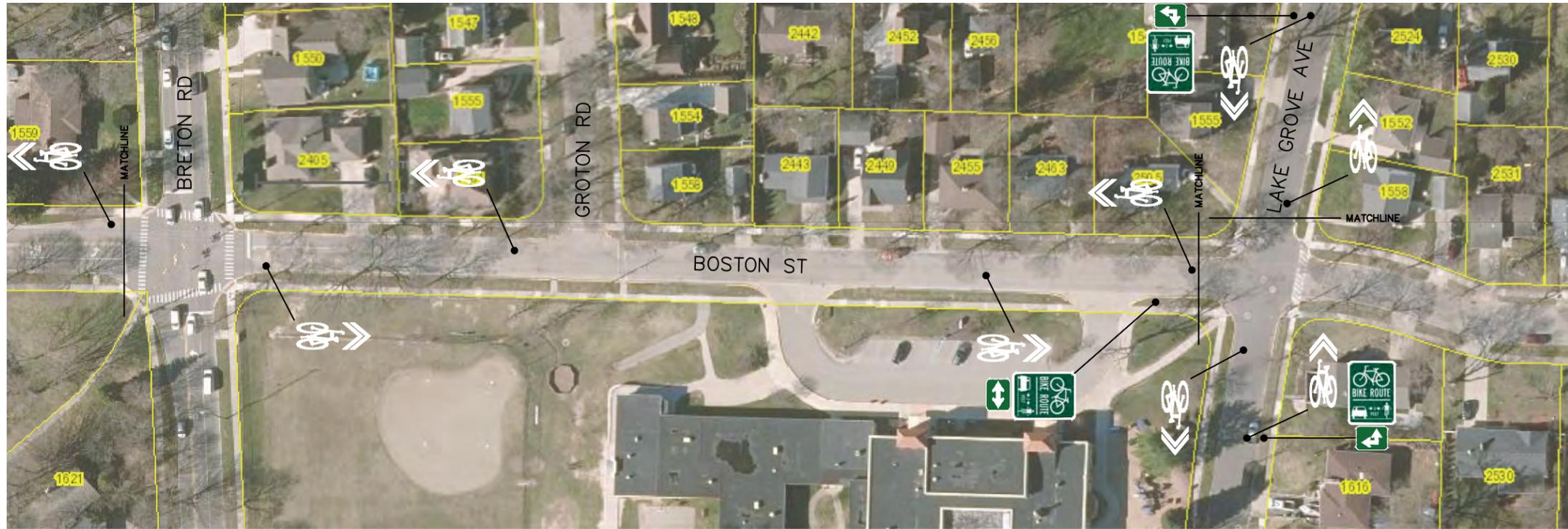


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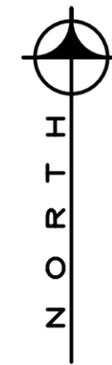


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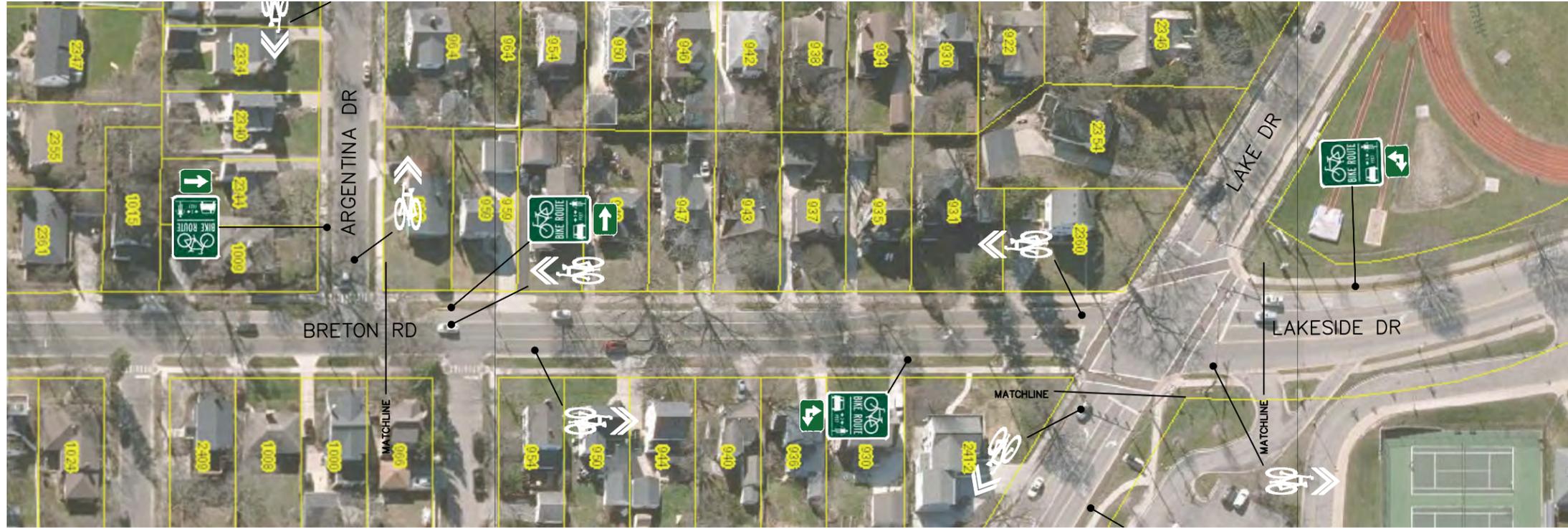


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CONLON AVE (CITY LIMITS TO BERWYCK RD)

BERWYCK RD (CONLON AVE TO YORK DR)

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EDGEWOOD AVE (CITY LIMITS TO MAPLEWOOD DR)
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EDGEWOOD AVE (MAPLEWOOD DR TO LAKE DR)
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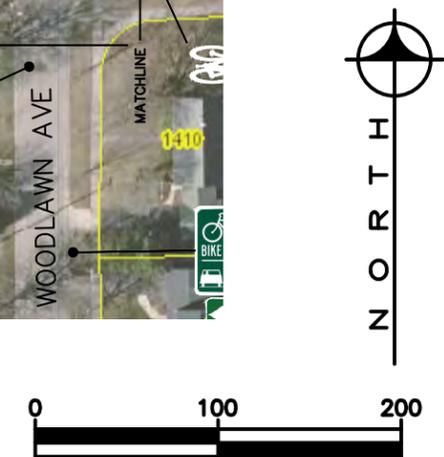




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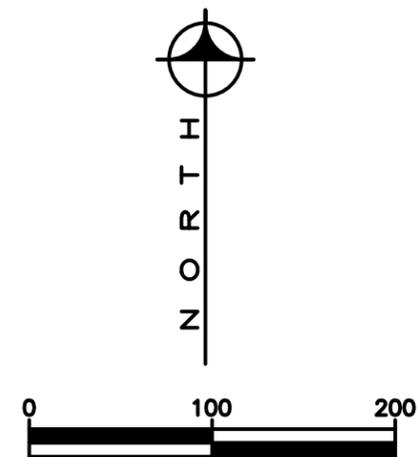


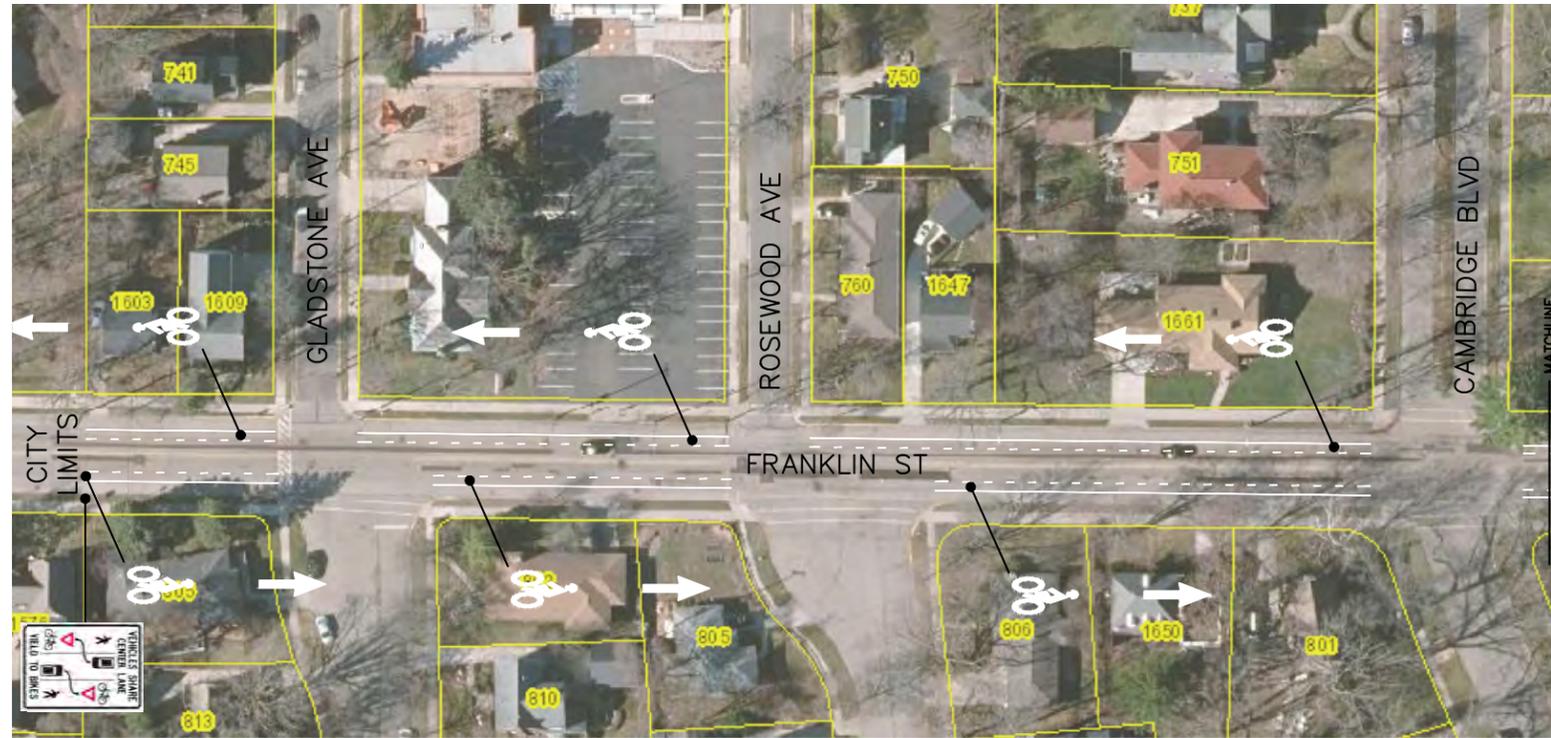
ELMWOOD DR (CONLON AVE TO WOODLAWN AVE)
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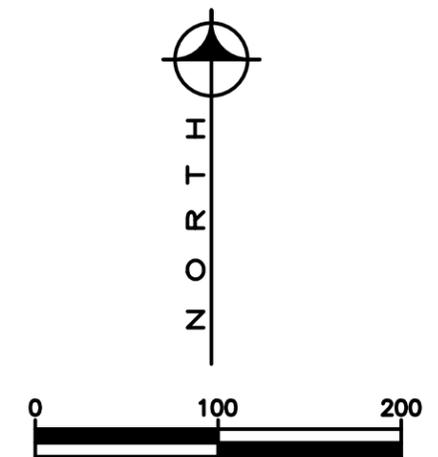




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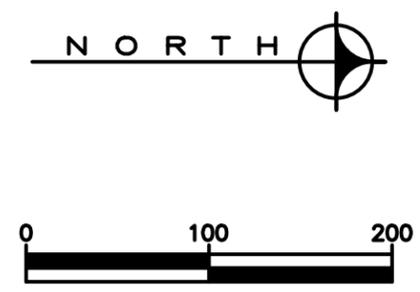


FRANKLIN ST (CAMBRIDGE BLVD TO PLYMOUTH RD)
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GLADSTONE AVE (WEALTHY ST TO ROBINSON RD)
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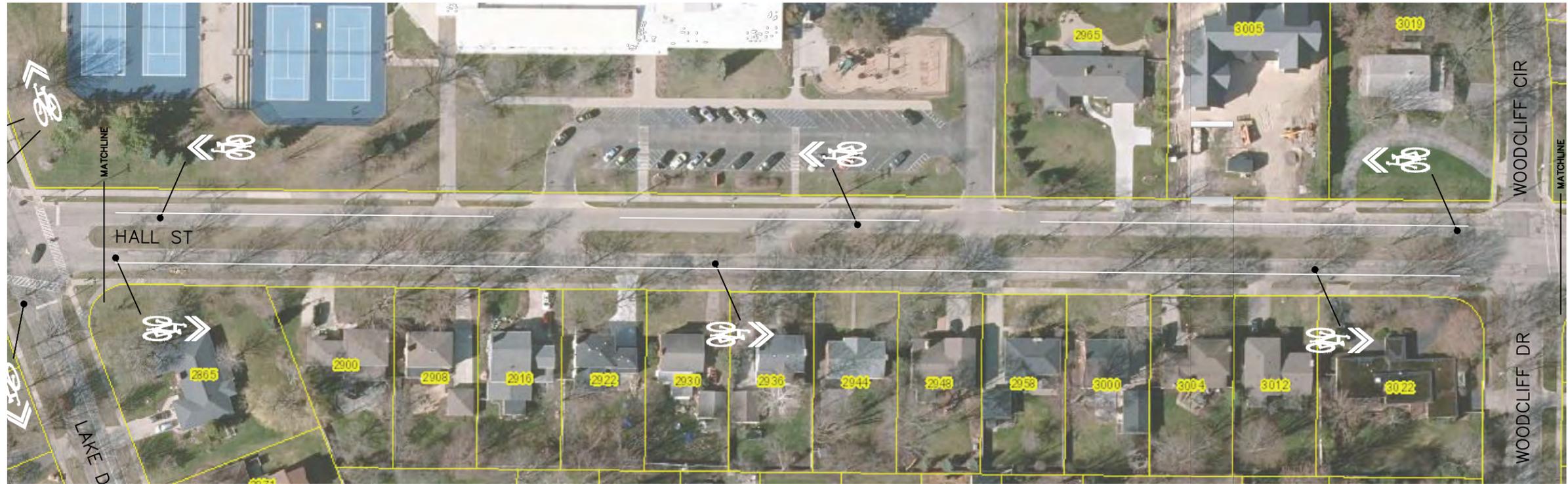
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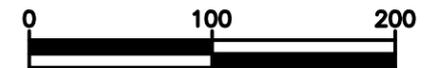
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HALL ST (LAKE DR TO WOODCLIFF CIR/DR)
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HALL ST (WOODCLIFF CIR/DR TO CITY LIMITS)
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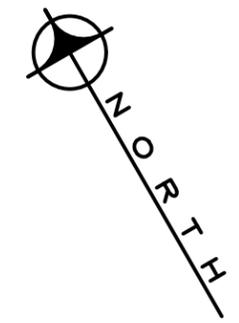




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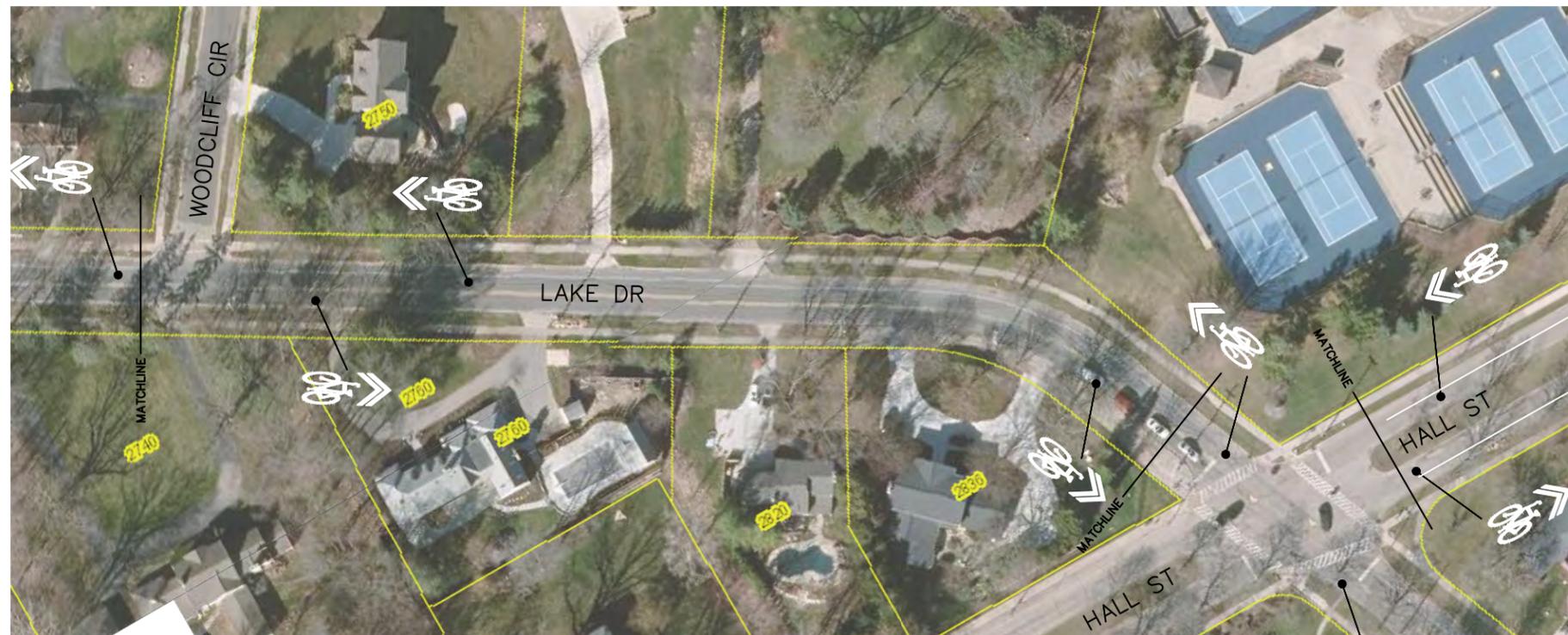


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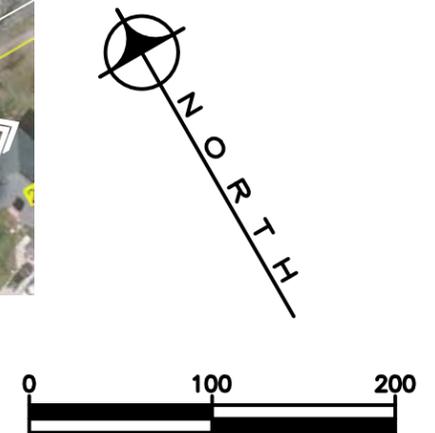




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LAKE DR (WOODCLIFF CIR TO HALL ST)
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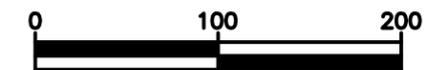
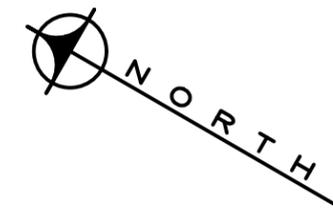




LAKE DR (HALL ST TO OAKWOOD DR)
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LAKE DR (OAKWOOD DR TO ELMWOOD DR)
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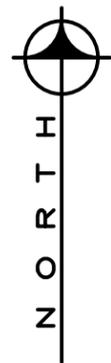


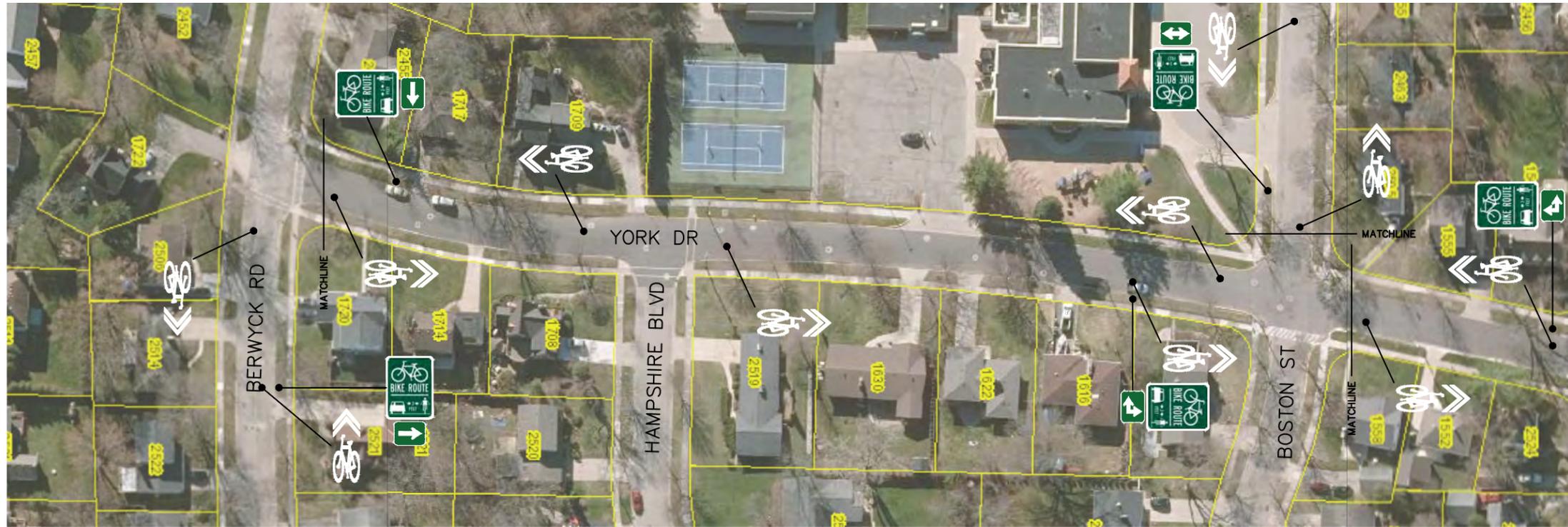


LAKE DR (ELMWOOD DR TO WOODCLIFF DR)
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LAKE DR (WOODCLIFF DR TO CITY LIMITS)
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YORK DR (BERWYCK RD TO BOSTON ST)
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LAKE GROVE AVE (BOSTON ST TO MAPLEWOOD DR)
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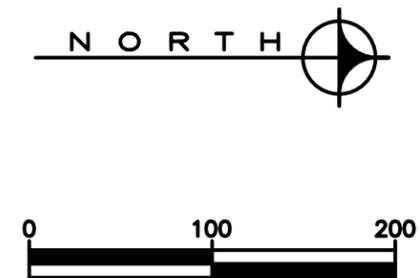




LAKE GROVE AVE (MAPLEWOOD DR TO OAKWOOD DR)
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LAKE GROVE AVE (OAKWOOD DR TO HALL ST)
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LAKE GROVE AVE (HALL ST TO EL DORADO DR)
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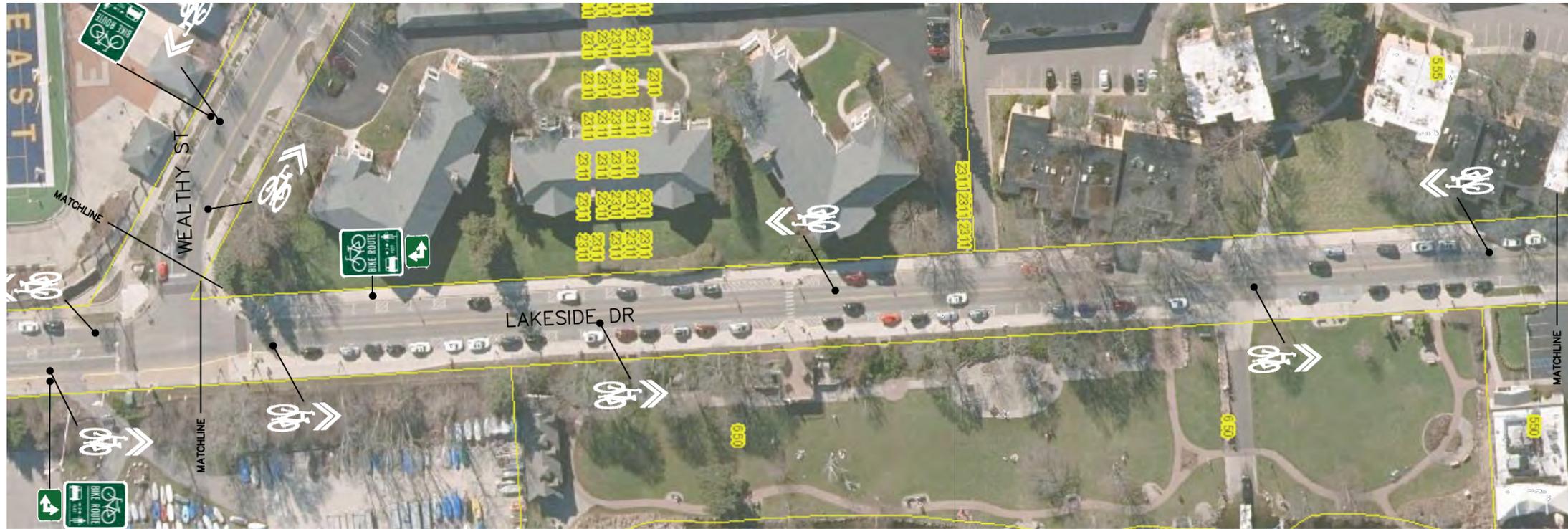
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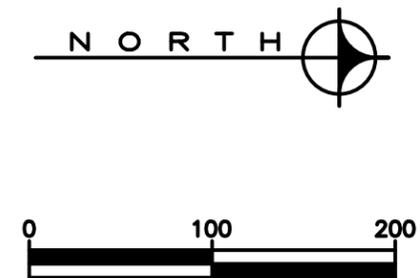




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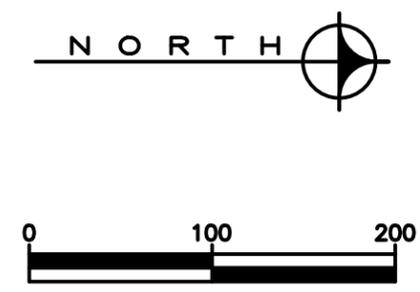


LAKESIDE DR (550 LAKESIDE DR TO REEDS LAKE BLVD)
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MANHATTAN RD (REEDS LAKE BLVD TO REEDS LAKE BLVD)
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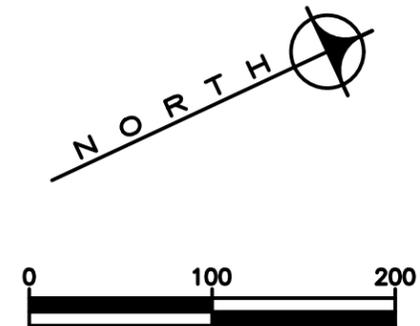
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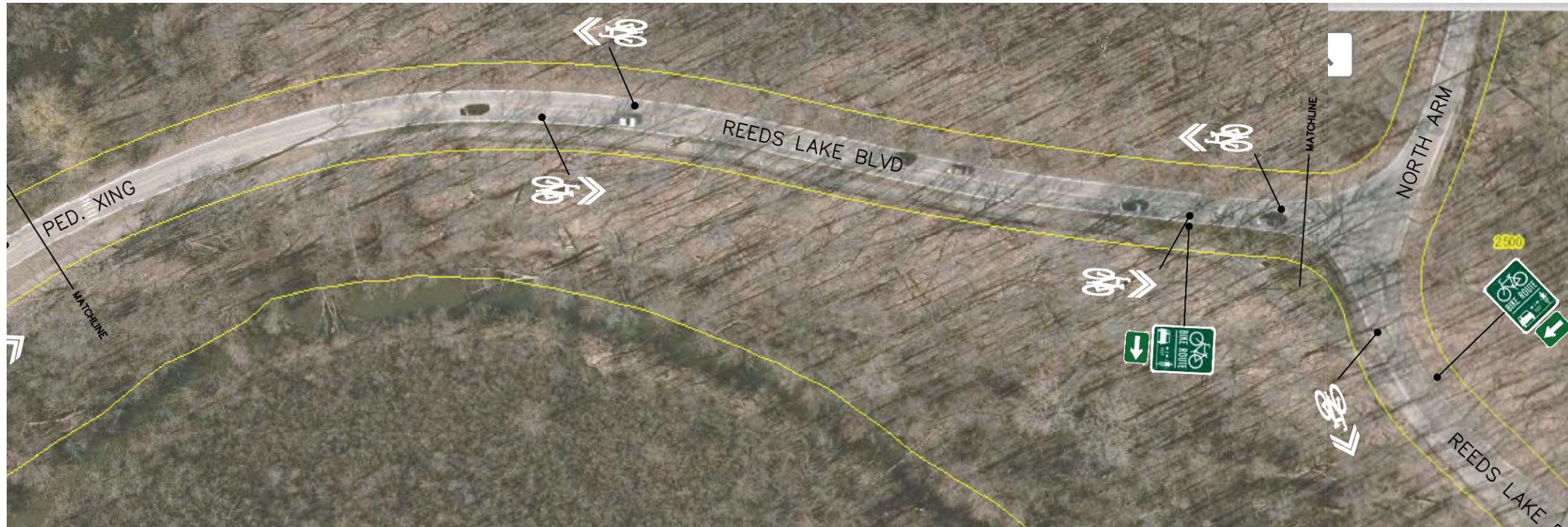


REEDS LAKE BLVD (LAKESIDE DR TO BRIDGE)
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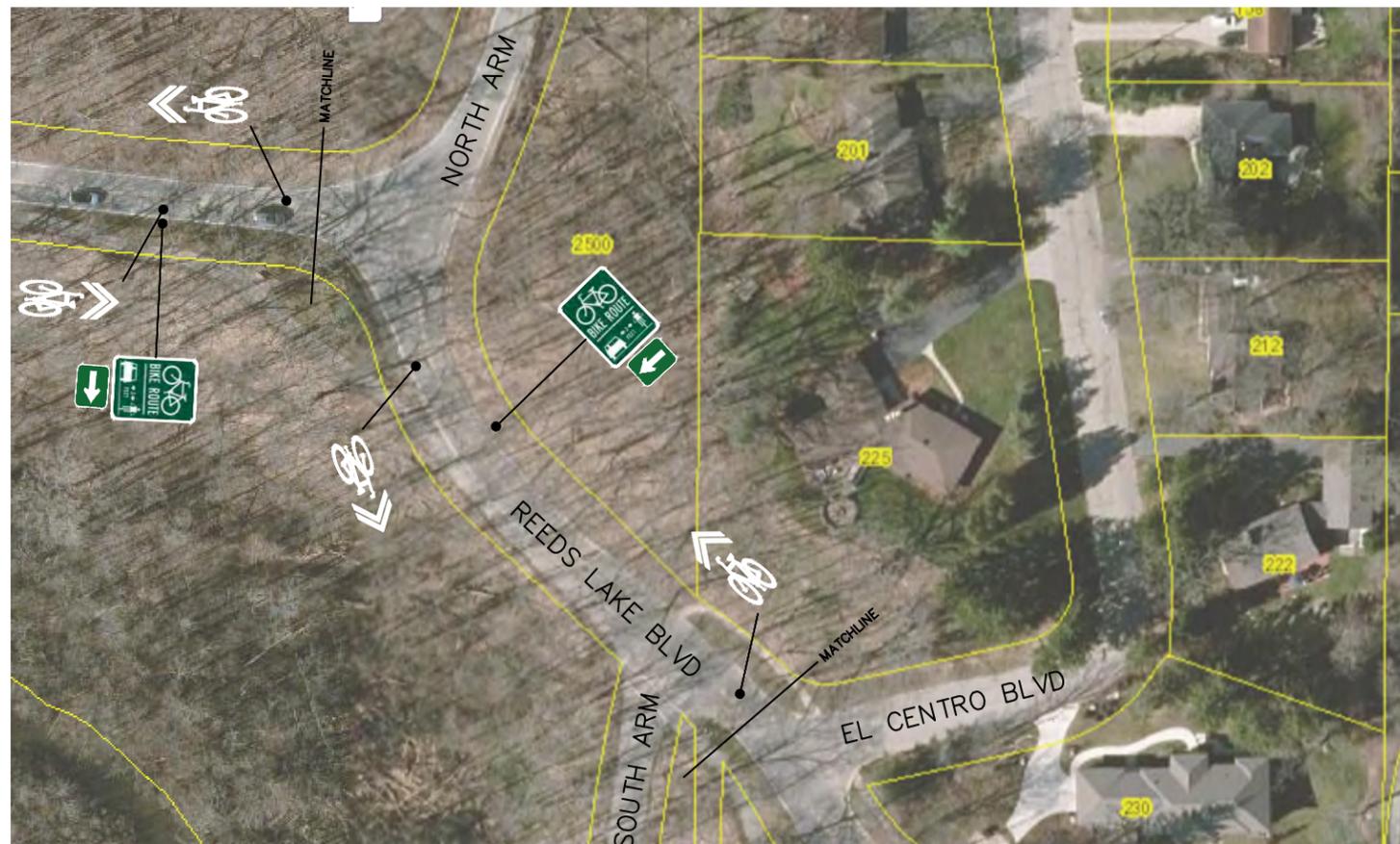


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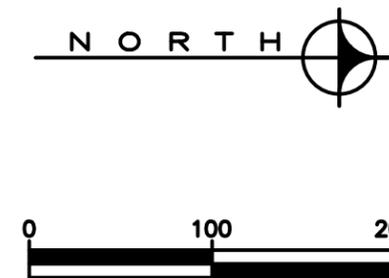




REEDS LAKE BLVD (PEDESTRIAN CROSSING TO NORTH ARM)
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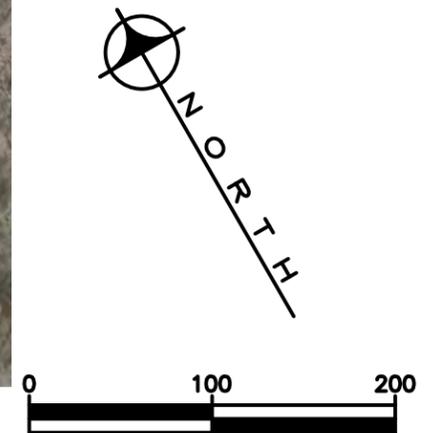




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REEDS LAKE BLVD (HODENPYL DR TO GRACEWOOD DR)
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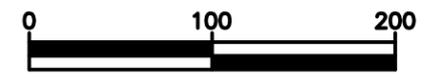


SAN JOSE DR (ARGENTINA DR TO SAN LU RAE DR)
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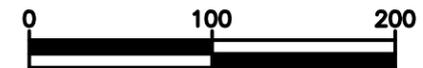
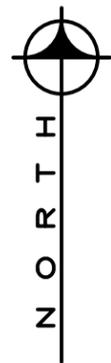
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SAN LU RAE DR (SAN LUCIA DR TO LAKE DR)
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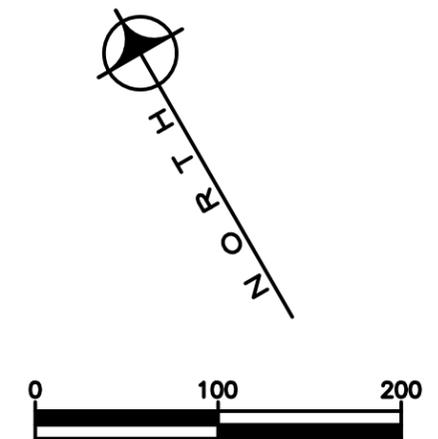




WEALTHY ST (LOVETT AVE TO BAGLEY ST)
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WEALTHY ST (BAGLEY ST TO LAKESIDE DR)
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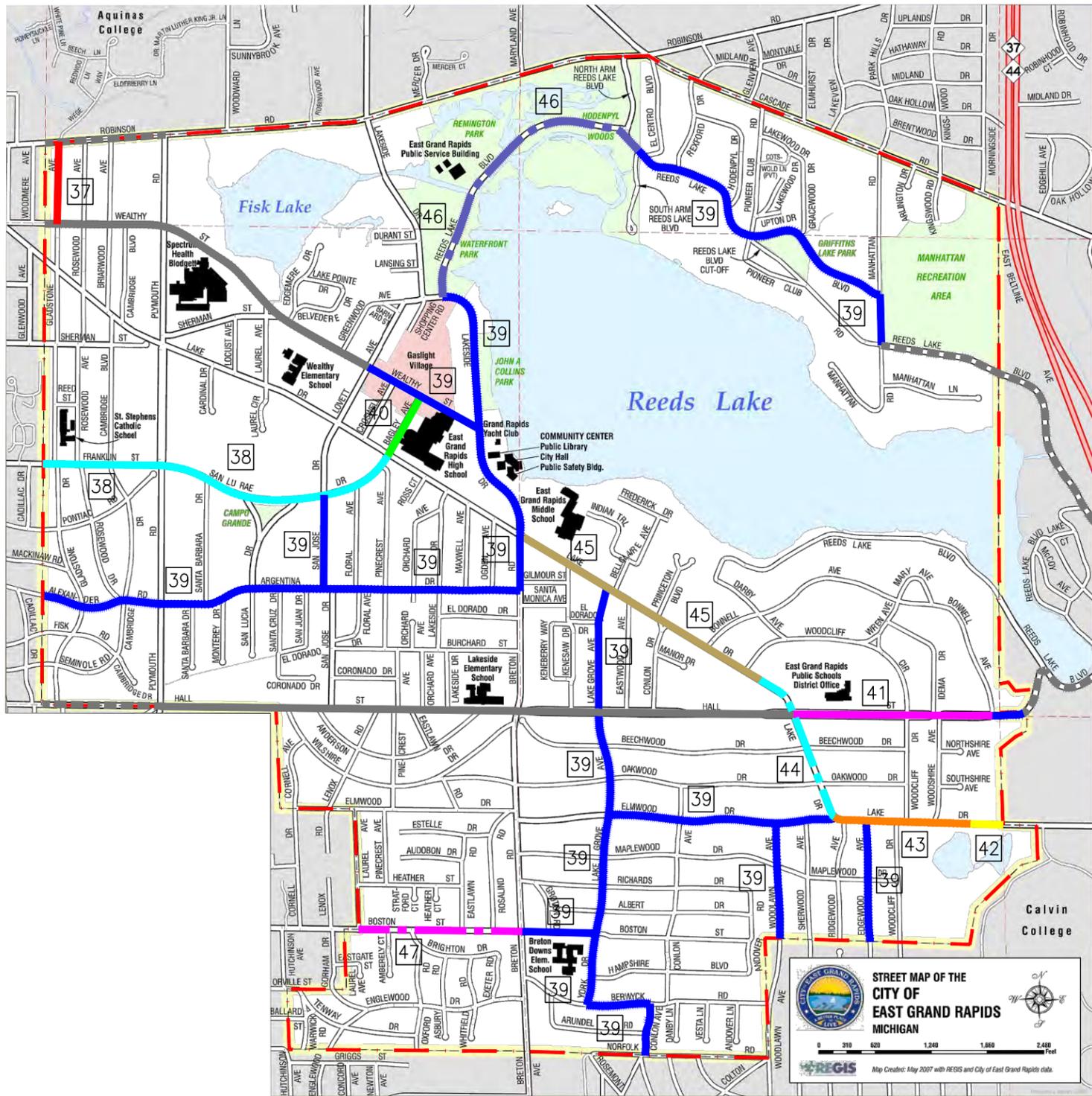


WOODLAWN AVE (CITY LIMITS TO MAPLEWOOD DR)
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WOODLAWN AVE (MAPLEWOOD DR TO ELMWOOD DR)
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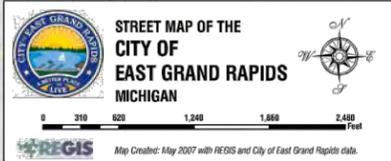


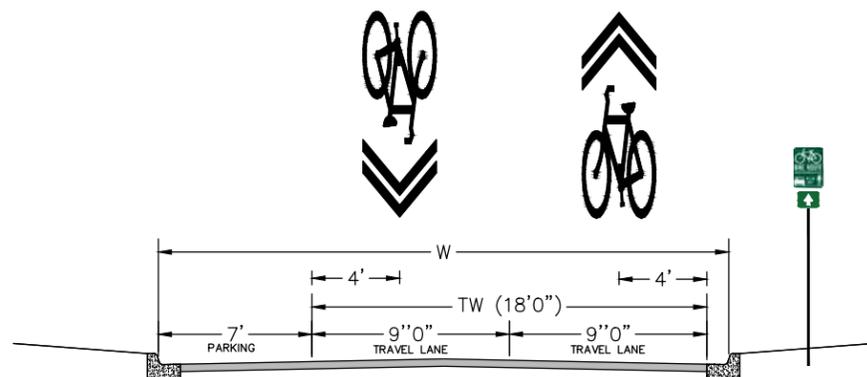


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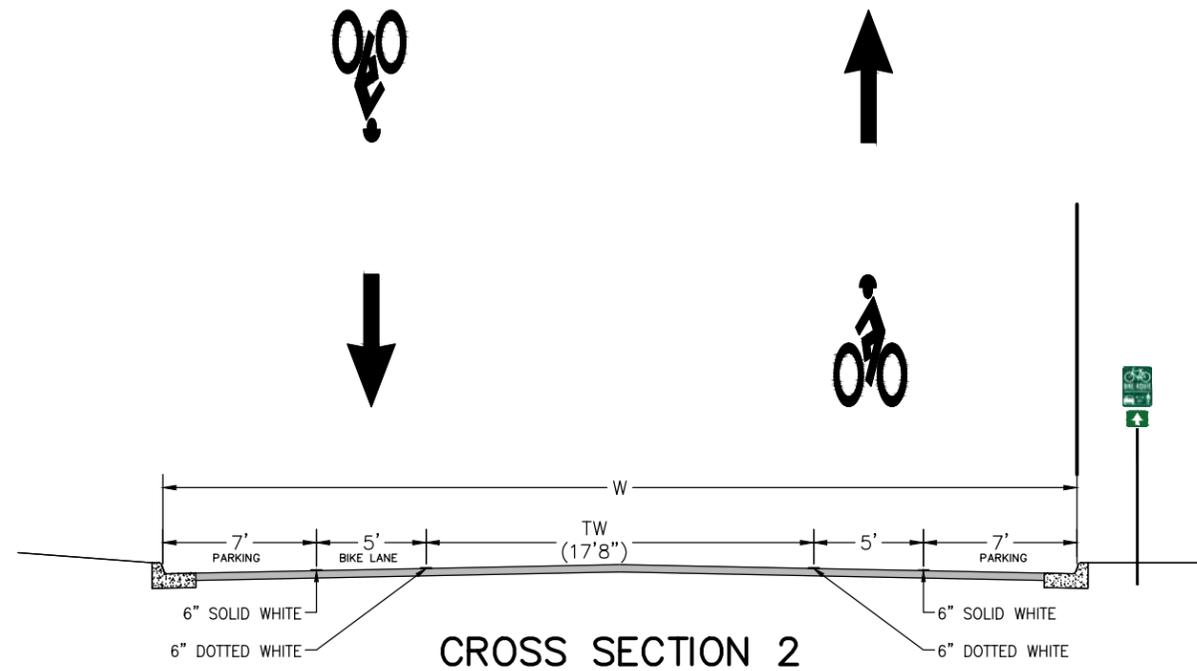


CROSS SECTION 1

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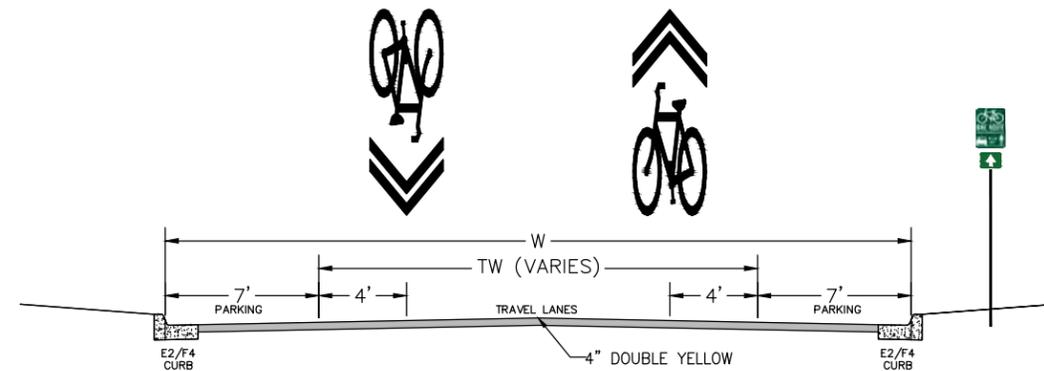
EXAMPLE LOCATION: OAKLAND AVE & LAUREL ST



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STREET NAME	WIDTH (W)	TRAVEL WIDTH (TW)	PARKING WIDTH
FRANKLIN ST (CITY LIMIT TO PLYMOUTH RD)	41'8"	17'8"	7' / 7'
SAN LU RAE DR (PLYMOUTH RD TO LAKE DR)	41'8"	17'8"	7' / 7'



EXAMPLE LOCATION: JEFFERSON AVE & BROWN ST



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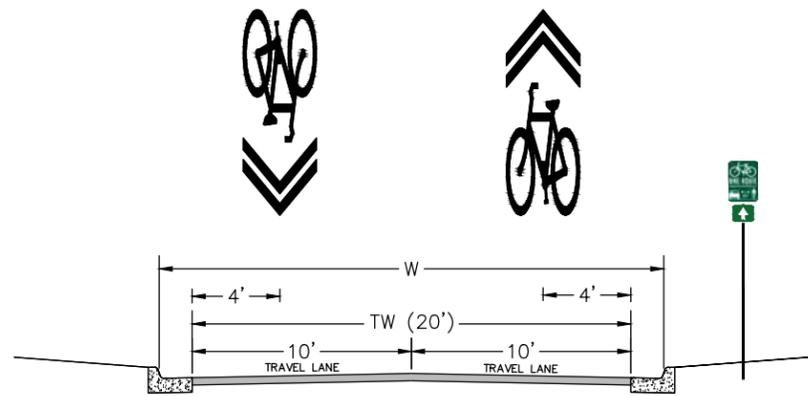
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ALEXANDER RD (CITY LIMIT TO PLYMOUTH RD)	34'6"	20'6"	7' / 7'
ARGENTINA DR (PLYMOUTH RD TO ORCHARD AVE)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
ARGENTINA DR (ORCHARD AVE TO BRETON RD)	26'0"	12'0"	7' / 7'
BERWYCK RD (YORK DR TO CONLON AVE)	29'11"	15'11"	7' / 7'
BOSTON ST (BRETON RD TO LAKE GROVE AVE)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
BRETON RD (ARGENTINA DR TO LAKE DR)	34'2"	20'2"	7' / 7'
CONLON AVE (CITY LIMITS TO BERWYCK RD)	29'10"	15'10"	7' / 7'
EDGEWOOD AVE (CITY LIMITS TO LAKE DR)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
ELMWOOD DR (LAKE GROVE AVE TO LAKE DR)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
HALL ST (CITY LIMITS TO BONNELL AVE)	29'0"	15'0"	7' / 7'
LAKE GROVE (BOSTON ST TO ALBERT DR)	30'5"	16'5"	7' / 7'
LAKE GROVE (ALBERT DR TO RICHARDS DR)	26'3"	12'3"	7' / 7'
LAKE GROVE (RICHARDS DR TO LAKE DR)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
LAKESIDE DR (LAKE DR TO REEDS LAKE BLVD)	40'0"	23'0"	*8'6" / *8'6"
MANHATTAN RD (REEDS LAKE BLVD TO REEDS LAKE BLVD)	34'6"	20'6"	7' / 7'
REEDS LAKE BLVD (NORTH ARM TO MANHATTAN RD)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
SAN JOSE DR (ARGENTINA DR TO SAN LU RAE DR)	30'4"	16'4"	7' / 7'
WEALTHY ST (LOVETT AVE TO LAKESIDE DR)	40'0"	22'0"	*9' / *9'
WOODLAWN AVE (CITY LIMITS TO ELMWOOD DR)	30'0"	16'0"	7' / 7'
YORK DR (BERWYCK RD TO BOSTON ST)	30'5"	16'5"	7' / 7'

*PARKING WIDTH MATCHES EXISTING GEOMETRIC CONFIGURATION AND IS LOCATED IN A HEAVILY UTILIZED BUSINESS/RECREATIONAL PARKING CORRIDOR



EXAMPLE LOCATION: LAKE DR & DWIGHT AVE

NOTE: 4" DOUBLE YELLOW ONLY PRESENT ON LAKESIDE DR (LAKE DR TO REEDS LAKE BLVD) AND WEALTHY ST (LOVETT AVE TO LAKESIDE DR)



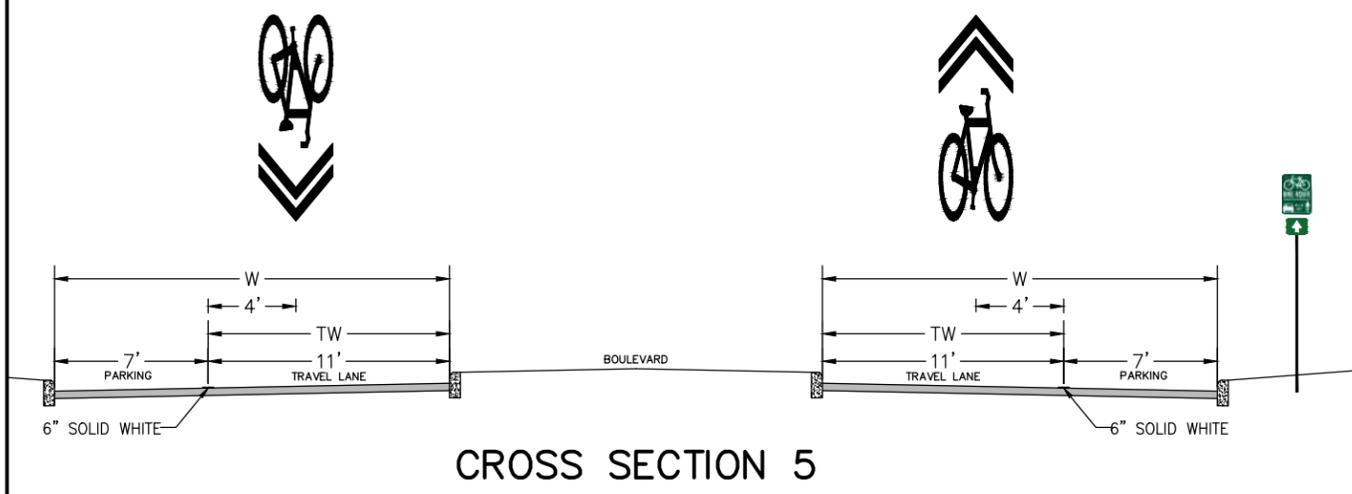
CROSS SECTION 4

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STREET NAME	WIDTH (W)	TRAVEL WIDTH (TW)
BAGLEY (LAKE DR TO WEALTHY ST)	23'0"	20'0"



EXAMPLE LOCATION: CHERRY ST & SHELDON BLVD

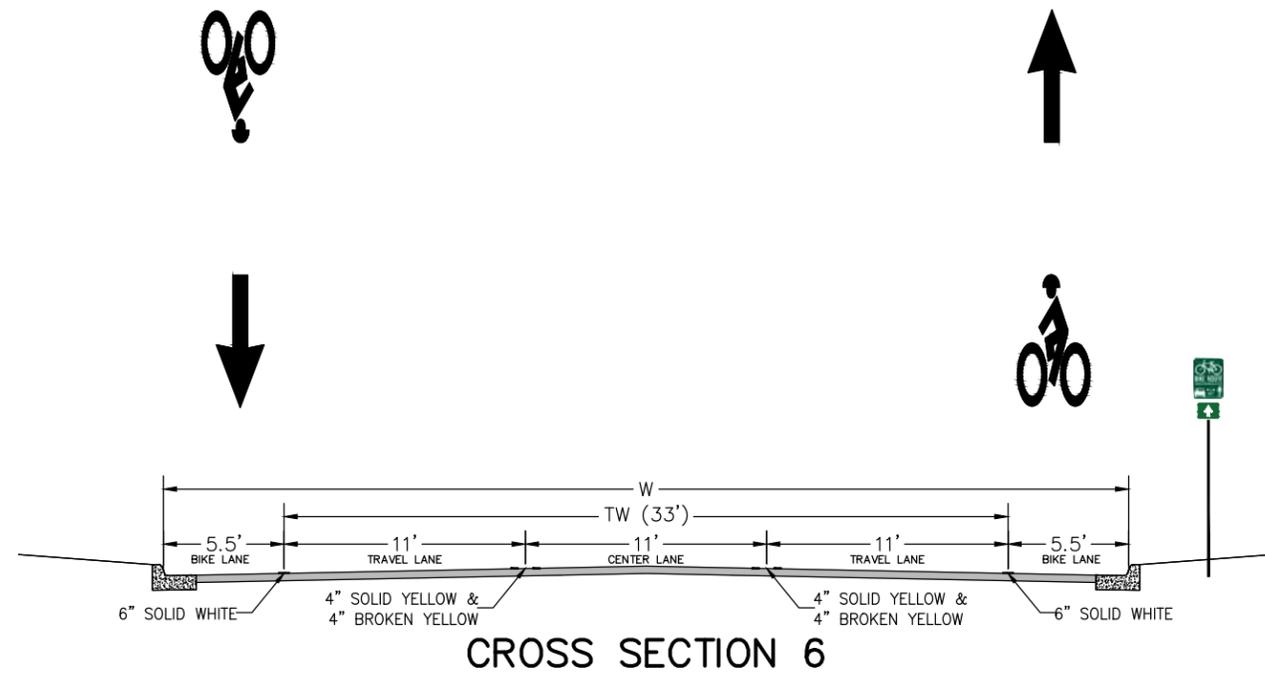
NOTE: 4" DOUBLE YELLOW SHOWN ABOVE IS NOT PROPOSED ON BAGLEY AVE (LAKE DR TO WEALTHY ST)



EXAMPLE LOCATION: HALL ST & BRETON RD

CROSS SECTION 5 – INDEX			
STREET NAME	WIDTH (W)	TRAVEL WIDTH (TW)	PARKING WIDTH
HALL ST (LAKE DR TO CITY LIMIT)	18'0"	11'0"	7' / 7'

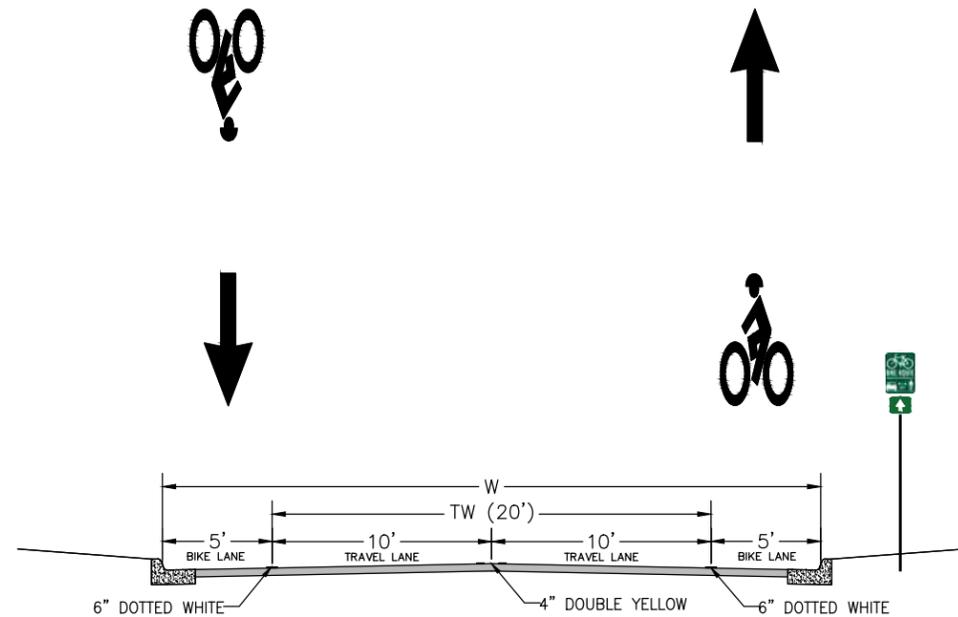




CROSS SECTION 6 - INDEX		
STREET NAME	WIDTH (W)	TRAVEL WIDTH (TW)
LAKE DR (TAPER TO CITY LIMIT)	44'0"	33'0"



**EXAMPLE LOCATION: LAKE DR & CALVIN UNIVERSITY
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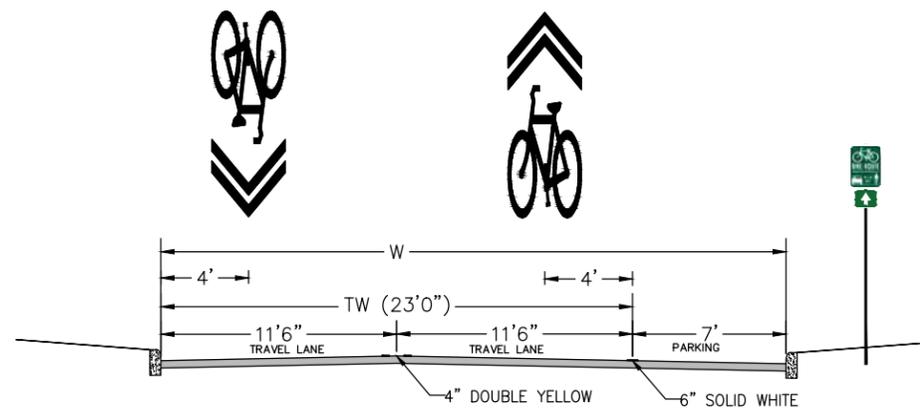
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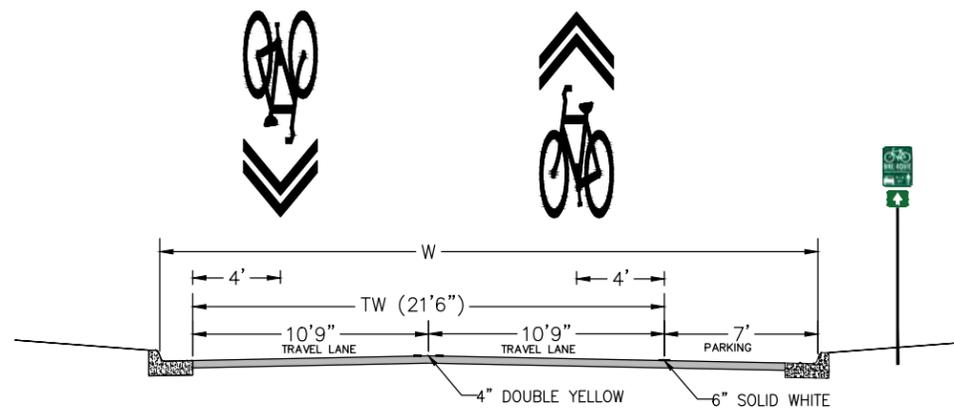
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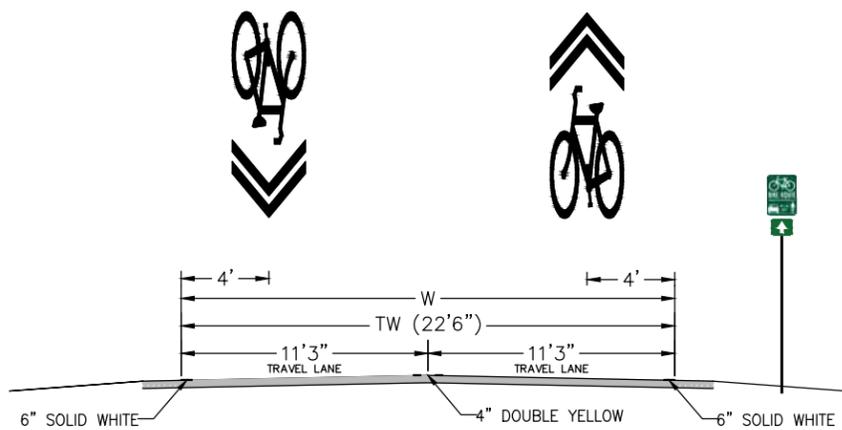
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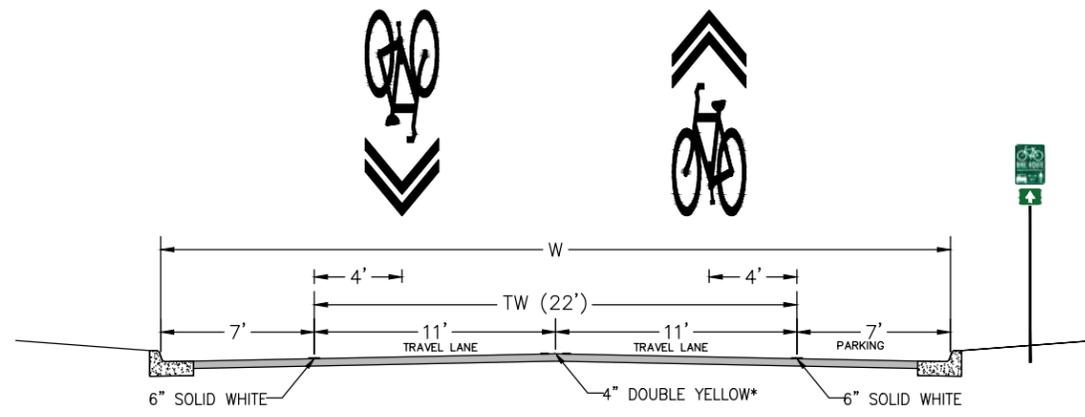


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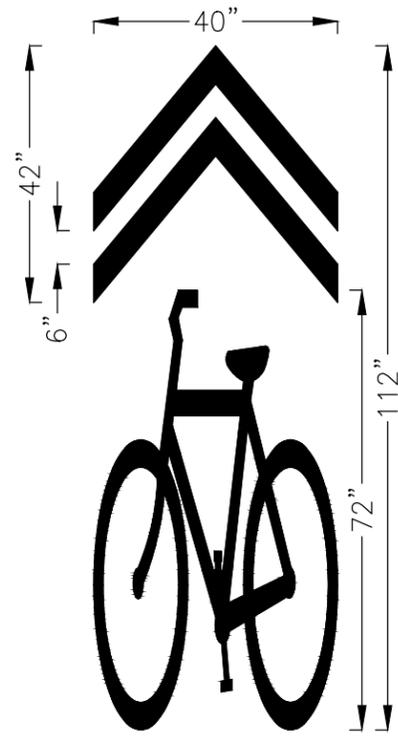


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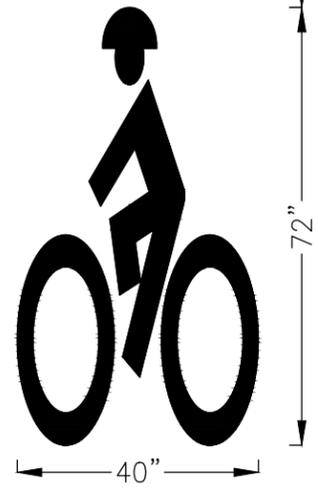
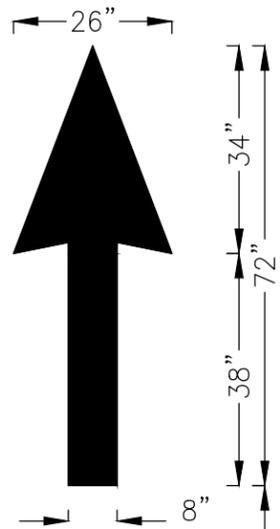
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EXAMPLE LOCATION: BROADWAY AVE & 6TH ST



SHARED LANE MARKING



BIKE LANE MARKING



D11-1 (MOD.)



M6-3



M6-1R



M6-1L



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EAST GRAND RAPIDS Climate Action Plan



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MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR: KATIE FAVALE



In East Grand Rapids (EGR), we pride ourselves on our relationship to the nature around us. As a community that is deeply connected to our local environment, there is a strong desire amongst residents to be stewards of our environment^[1]. Throughout our history, we have relied on Reeds Lake for business and recreation alike, and residents of EGR have long enjoyed the natural beauty of our tree-covered parks. We pride ourselves for being a community that is walkable and has plentiful access to green space and outdoor recreation areas. However, as many scientists agree, human-generated activities are causing damage to the global environment, including our beautiful community.

In recent years, we have observed more intensity in terms of our local climate impacts: hotter summers, lack of snow in winters, and an increase of intense weather events^[2]. For many in the community, it is clear that we must take more immediate action. In the recent past, we have made significant progress towards a more sustainable future—so great, in fact, that we received the MI Green Communities Challenge Gold recognition in 2023 and 2024^[3]. We committed to reducing our carbon footprint by being the first municipality in the state to participate in DTE Energy’s CleanVision Natural Gas Balance program^[4], which helps customers and municipalities address their buildings’ greenhouse gas emissions. We were recognized by the Arbor Day Foundation for our ninth year in a row due to its Tree City USA program^[5], which recognizes our sustainable forestry operations. Our progress is more visually evident than ever before through the installation of solar arrays^[6] on City-owned buildings, which also helps reduce the City’s reliance on fossil fuels to power our operations.

However, we recognize that there is a need to continue with the work that is being done. As many cities globally are now on track to become carbon neutral in the near future, we wish to also function as leaders in this capacity. Thus, we have issued a Proclamation of Support for climate action goals to reduce energy use, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and reduce government operation costs. In so doing, the City has taken its crucial first step in the process of local climate action and set a goal to achieve carbon neutrality for City operations by 2040. Carbon neutrality is an immense responsibility for the City to undertake, but we see this challenge as an opportunity to demonstrate our leadership as an adaptable and resilient community.

The enclosed Climate Action Plan is designed to help our City meet our strategic environmental goals and implement necessary actions and measures to achieve carbon neutrality by 2040. By implementing these actions, EGR will join leading municipalities in doing our part to deliver on our commitments to a sustainable future. We encourage residents of EGR to join the City in taking steps to foster sustainability in your own homes and businesses, and together, we will make great strides in contributing to sustainability at home, at work, and in our community.

Sincerely,

Katie Favale

Mayor of the City of East Grand Rapids





INTRODUCTION



East Grand Rapids is a vibrant, diverse community that is closely connected to its natural surroundings. EGR is highlighted by our safe neighborhoods, active community, and recreational activities. No matter where you work or live, EGR has something to offer. Most of our community is tight-knit and within close proximity, which values the strengthening of communal activities. EGR's population continues to shift and evolve which is influencing the preferences and needs of the community when it comes to our development strategies. The community is reliant upon the numerous facilities and services that are available, including the library, local nature trails, and the excellent school systems. The convenience of our infrastructure has facilitated a community that is “family-oriented and civically engaged^[7].”

Since its early settlement in 1833, EGR has been a forward-thinking, lively community. In recent years, we have begun to work toward inclusivity and enhancing the already innovative character of the City. EGR recognizes that evolution is constantly underway, and in order to keep up, we too must always be changing. In our 2018 Master Plan, we reinforced our underlying goal:

“To create a community atmosphere that reinforces the residential character and the high standards of excellence that have come to be the symbols of East Grand Rapids.”

Objectives involved in the 2018 Master Plan included improving walkable infrastructure; attracting desired reinvestment and new development; increasing the amount of attached residential; and ensuring new development is compatible with the existing character of Gaslight Village and the City's neighborhoods. In the future, we will continue to work toward the successful completion of these goals, as well as taking into consideration our environmental impacts so we can be better prepared for the necessary transition to climate-friendly infrastructure in the near future.





CLIMATE CHANGE

Following the Industrial Revolution, greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions have been steadily increasing. While many of these impacts do occur naturally, human activities have exacerbated the production of these gases at an unstable rate. To prevent the most significant consequences of climate change, leading cities worldwide have committed to driving action to reduce GHG emissions and energy consumption. The City of East Grand Rapids finds that it is imperative to join these leaders in responding to this call to action and commit to a sustainable future. This commitment is a result of the City's dedication to being a leader in environmental stewardship, along with engaged community members that brought carbon neutrality to the forefront of the City's agenda.

Scientists agree the planet is facing a climate emergency, and this emergency stems from human activity, most prominently from the release of greenhouse gases into the atmosphere. The three major GHG's—carbon dioxide (CO₂), methane (CH₄), and nitrous oxide (N₂O)—have already caused large-scale changes in every inhabited region around the world, from air temperature changes to coral reef damage. Climate scientists agree that without rapid changes, from world governments to individual actions, the impacts will be irreversible. The most recent Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) report has acknowledged that human influence has warmed the atmosphere, ocean, and land, and the goal of 1.5-degree to 2-degree Celsius warming will be exceeded during this century unless reductions in GHG emissions occur^[8].

These goals of 1.5- to 2-degree Celsius warming are significant indicators of the impacts that climate change will have on the planet. These numbers may seem small in isolation, but the 1.5-degree threshold is an important goal because with every additional 0.5-degree Celsius of warming, there are expected to be increases in the frequency of heat extremes, agricultural and ecological droughts, and extreme weather events^[9]. There have also been observed impacts on natural ecosystems. Biome shifts have already begun to disrupt species range and abundance, creating an imbalance of biodiversity in both water-based and terrestrial ecosystems^[10]. One of the major ecosystems already feeling this disruption are ocean ecosystems, where framework organisms—organisms that are essential to the success of the ecosystem—have been unable to adapt to changing temperatures, which has threatened food systems on all levels^[11]. More locally, evidence suggests that the Great Lakes region of North America will experience its own unique set of challenges with regard to temperature extremes, precipitation, and weather extremes^[12].

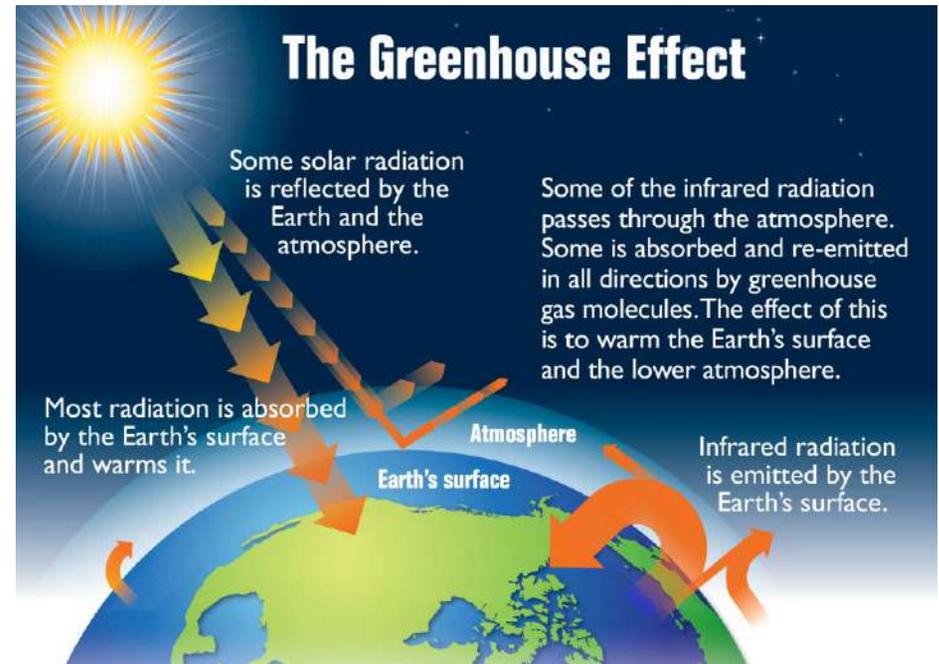
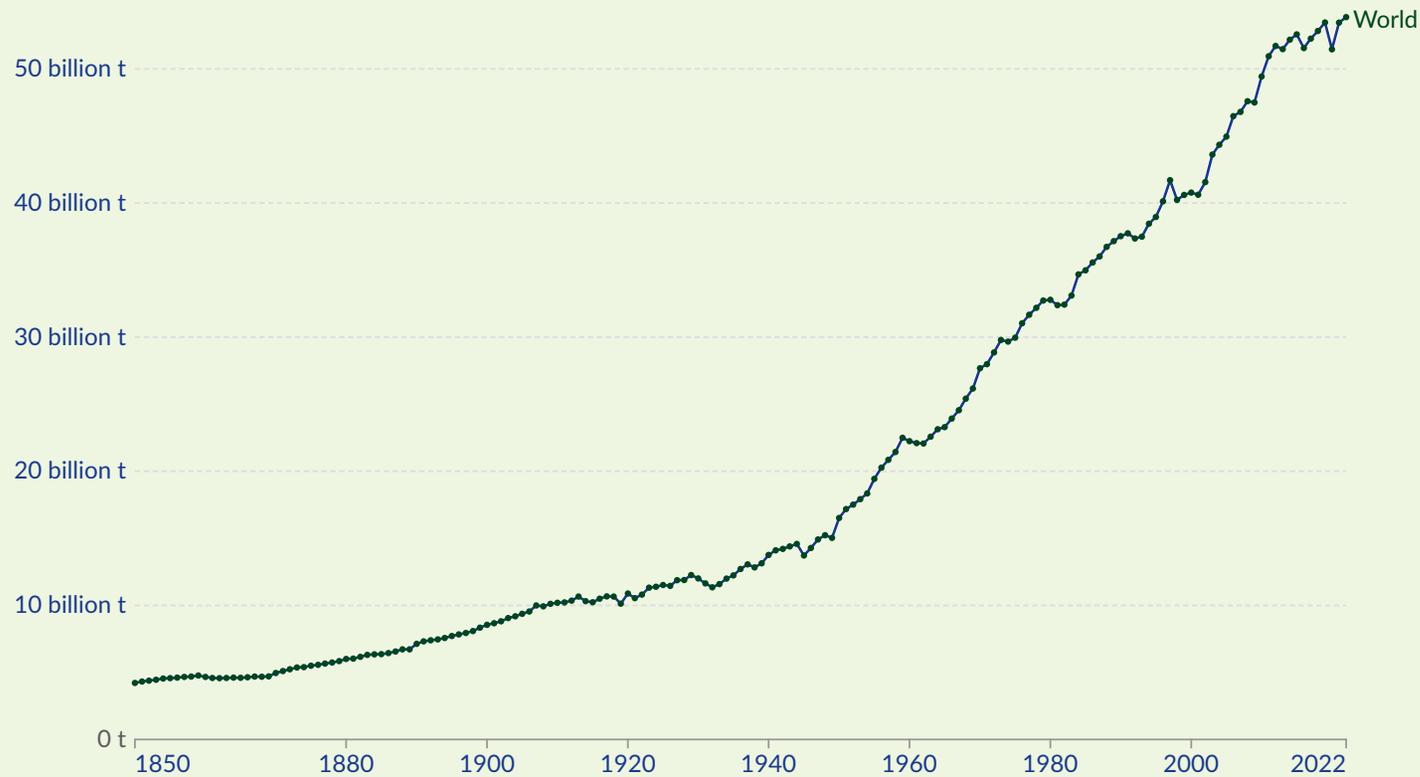


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Greenhouse gas emissions

Greenhouse gas emissions¹ include carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide from all sources, including land-use change. They are measured in tonnes of carbon dioxide-equivalents² over a 100-year timescale.



Data source: Jones et al. (2024)

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Note: Land-use change emissions can be negative.

1. Greenhouse gas emissionsA greenhouse gas (GHG) is a gas that causes the atmosphere to warm by absorbing and emitting radiant energy. Greenhouse gases absorb radiation that is radiated by Earth, preventing this heat from escaping to space. Carbon dioxide (CO₂) is the most well-known greenhouse gas, but there are others including methane, nitrous oxide, and in fact, water vapor. Human-made emissions of greenhouse gases from fossil fuels, industry, and agriculture are the leading cause of global climate change. Greenhouse gas emissions measure the total amount of all greenhouse gases that are emitted. These are often quantified in carbon dioxide equivalents (CO₂eq) which take account of the amount of warming that each molecule of different gases creates.

2. Carbon dioxide equivalents (CO₂eq)Carbon dioxide is the most important greenhouse gas, but not the only one. To capture all greenhouse gas emissions, researchers express them in “carbon dioxide equivalents” (CO₂eq). This takes all greenhouse gases into account, not just CO₂. To express all greenhouse gases in carbon dioxide equivalents (CO₂eq), each one is weighted by its global warming potential (GWP) value. GWP measures the amount of warming a gas creates compared to CO₂. CO₂ is given a GWP value of one. If a gas had a GWP of 10 then one kilogram of that gas would generate ten times the warming effect as one kilogram of CO₂. Carbon dioxide equivalents are calculated for each gas by multiplying the mass of emissions of a specific greenhouse gas by its GWP factor. This warming can be stated over different timescales. To calculate CO₂eq over 100 years, we’d multiply each gas by its GWP over a 100-year timescale (GWP100). Total greenhouse gas emissions – measured in CO₂eq – are then calculated by summing each gas’ CO₂eq value.

LOCAL IMPACTS

Though impacts of the climate crisis will be felt worldwide, the Great Lakes region, including EGR, will face unique challenges in the next century. Impacts such as extreme temperatures, dam failures, wildfire, drought, and flooding are all predicted by mid- to end-century, as well as a decrease in snowfall.

- Currently, average temperatures in the area have increased by 2.3 degrees Fahrenheit since 1951, which is higher than the global and national average rates.
- By 2050, temperatures are projected to increase by another 3 to 6 degrees Fahrenheit.
- Temperatures are projected to warm at a pace near or faster than the current rate, so changes we are currently observing will only accelerate.
- In terms of weather, precipitation has increased by 14% since 1951. While this may not sound concerning, extreme precipitation events, meaning the heaviest 1% of storms, have also become more frequent since 1951. More intense storms are likely to continue in the future.

Models also predict extreme temperatures, both hot and cold, which can disturb processes like agriculture and general daily life^[13].

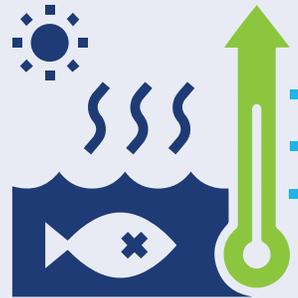
The City has already started to realize some of the impacts of climate change locally, most notably variability in weather conditions. East Grand Rapid's typical cold winters with lake effect snow have been less frequent year-over-year, yet summers are increasingly becoming hotter. From a GHG emissions perspective, we have observed a smaller footprint in the winter due to milder temperatures resulting in less heating and use of the City's snowmelt system. However, a larger footprint is observed in the summer due to higher temperatures and greater cooling (electricity) demand.



Increased temperature by 2.3°F since 1951



Temperatures increase another 3 to 6°F by 2050



Temperatures projected to warm at a faster pace

Precipitation increased by 14% since 1951 with more intense storm events



Extreme temperatures can disturb agriculture and daily life



The intensity of storms being experienced are also becoming more significant and unpredictable. More intense storms place a stress on stormwater management within the City, as well as water quality challenges. To address these challenges, EGR has completed a number of improvements throughout the City:

- Installation of storm sewer separators at John Collins Park in Gaslight Village, the Community Center Complex, and the Wealthy Street- Blodgett Hospital were funded by a Corewell Health, the City, and a grant through the Wege Foundation. Storm Separators remove sediment, oil, refuse, and debris from Reeds Lake, Fisk Lake, and the Silver Creek Drain System. Specifically, the installation of a Vortechs stormwater treatment system removes sediment, oil, and debris from stormwater runoff prior to outfall into Reeds Lake.
- In the winter, sensors determine the need for salt on the roads which has the potential to pollute the local water systems. If the temperature indicates that the use of salt on roads would be ineffective, it is not used.
- With over 50,000 storm drains that are a part of the Grand River Watershed, about 1,300 of these storm drains are located in EGR handling stormwater from rain and snowmelt which flows into drains that deliver it to nearby lakes, rivers, or streams. EGR implemented the Adopt-a-Drain program in partnership with Lower Grand Rapids Organization of Watershed (LGROW) encouraging residents to positively impact their community. Participation in the Adopt-a-Drain program involves keeping your drain free of leaves or other debris. Participants will ensure that their drain is free of trash, leaves, or other debris and that approximately 10 feet on both sides of the drain is clear.
- EGR has also implemented various green infrastructure elements within the City. Stormwater detention sites have been created at Breton Downs Ele-

mentary School, Kreiser Detention Basin, Boston, Elinor Lane, Laurel Circle, Amberly Court, and Arundel Road in order to minimize the risk of flooding and contamination of local waterways. Another benefit observed from these sites is the increase in wildlife habitat within the City. Also, EGR is in the process of creating additional rain gardens in the City. Currently, a rain garden is located in John Collins Park. Two additional curb cut right-of-way rain gardens were approved and installed in 2024 at Wealthy Street and Gladstone Avenue and Hall Street and Gladstone Avenue. The rain gardens primarily consist of native plants and work to improve both water and environmental quality.

Another form of action EGR has taken to address current and future impacts from climate change is through its forestry management program. EGR prioritizes tree maintenance and management practices in the public right-of-way area. Proper management strategies and programs can improve both public health and environmental quality. A tree inventory conducted by the Davey Resource Group in 2016 indicated that there were a total of 7,113 urban forest sites (including trees and stumps). This quantity of trees is responsible for improving air quality by removing 15,245.3 pounds of pollutants and managing 9,975,209 gallons of stormwater. In addition, the net total carbon sequestered and avoided is 4,410,593 pounds and 1,251.2 megawatt-hours of energy saved. To ensure that the tree population located in the public right-of-way is in good condition, EGR has implemented a right-of-way tree pruning maintenance program, and a right-of-way tree planting program.

Addressing the impacts of climate change involves a variety of actions to create a more resilient community. However, if GHG emissions are not reduced in a meaningful and timely fashion, the extent of actions needed to address more significant climate challenges will only increase and become more costly to the community over time.



MI HEALTHY CLIMATE PLAN

The State of Michigan has been actively taking steps to mitigate the impacts of climate change. One of the bold actions that Michigan has taken is the introduction of the MI Healthy Climate Plan^[14]. This plan is an all-encompassing, state-wide plan to address the climate crisis and the potential fallout that could come from the crisis. Michigan is one of 14 states with similar bold climate goals, including economy-wide carbon neutrality by 2050 and maintaining net negative emissions thereafter. This plan has positioned Michigan among the leaders in the climate space, and the statewide goals rely on cooperation from cities like EGR.

There are six categories of actions within the MI Healthy Climate plan:

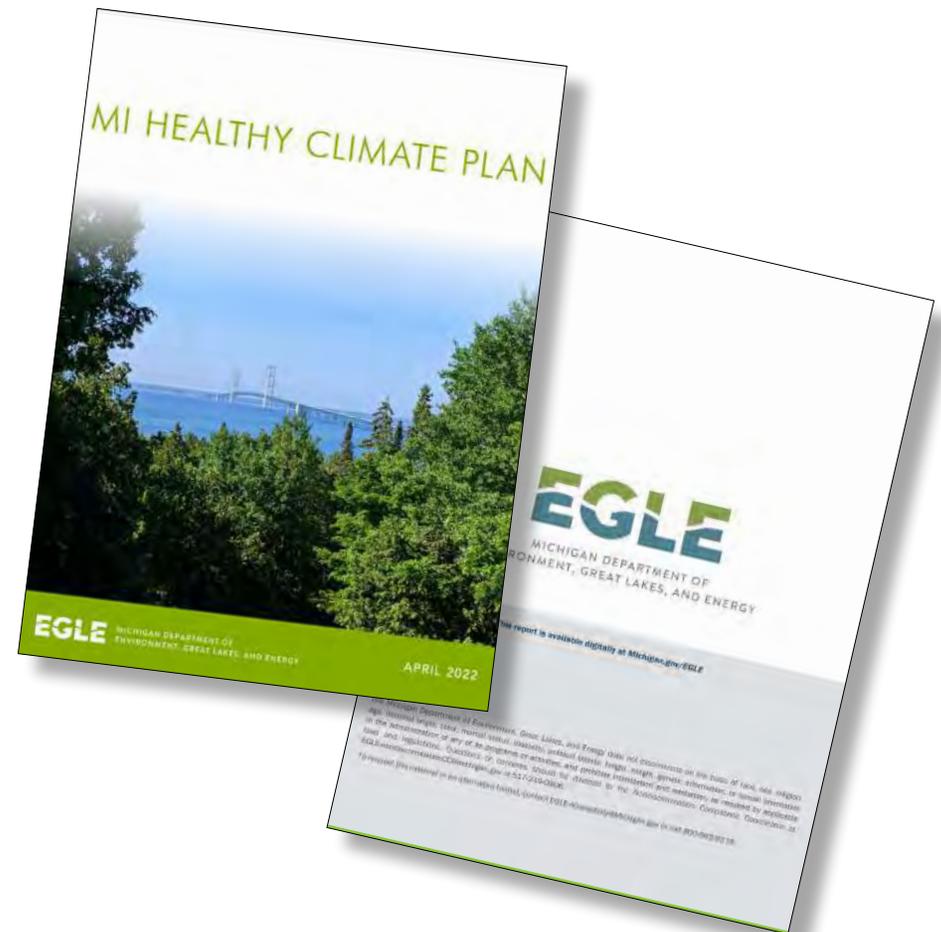
1. Commit to environmental justice and pursue a just transition;
2. Clean the electric grid;
3. Electrify vehicles and increase public transit;
4. Repair and decarbonize homes and businesses;
5. Drive clean innovation in industry; and
6. Protect Michigan's land and water.

Each of these goals reflects the goals that we in EGR hope to achieve. To drive participation in the plan, municipalities are eligible to receive funding and grants from the state to mobilize their sustainable development, including the GGRF, the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund^[15], and funding programs for energy efficiency improvements in homes and vehicles^[16]. Through development of this Climate Action Plan, it is our intent to position EGR to capitalize on these opportunities that fit within our strategy.

ENERGY INDEPENDENCE

Many cities, including EGR, are working to mutually gain energy independence while working toward mitigating GHG emissions through advancements in energy efficiency and conservation. From simple, individual practices like turning off lights when you leave the room, to city-wide initiatives, like our clean energy partnership with DTE, we are committed to moving toward more adequate energy sources that support the transition to a low-carbon economy. Beyond increased resiliency, there are many benefits to city-wide energy efficiency improvements including reduced operation costs and emissions. Though the City has already begun reducing energy usage and switching to more efficient sources, additional action will be needed in order to achieve the City's carbon neutrality goal and vision for 2040.

Energy independence is not only important from a climate protection perspective; transitioning to primarily clean energy sources will usher the community into greater independence and security. By leveraging broader availability of domestic clean energy sources—like solar, hydroelectric, and wind power—we can move away fossil fuel use as a primary source of GHG emissions. In the United States, currently about 20% of energy consumption is generated from renewable sources, and many municipalities around the nation are working to increase that number^[17]. Clean energy also has the potential to grow the economy by decreasing reliance on foreign energy sources and development of new clean energy infrastructure. In order to transition our grid to clean energy sources, new jobs in sectors such as manufacturing will be created, which supports the prosperity and growth of our communities and the U.S. as a whole. Renewable energy is the most cost-effective source of energy in many situations, so the transition would result in cost savings.



MI Healthy Climate Plan

Commit to environmental justice and pursue a just transition



Clean the electric grid



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Drive clean innovation in industry



Repair and decarbonize homes and businesses



Electrify vehicles and increase public transit



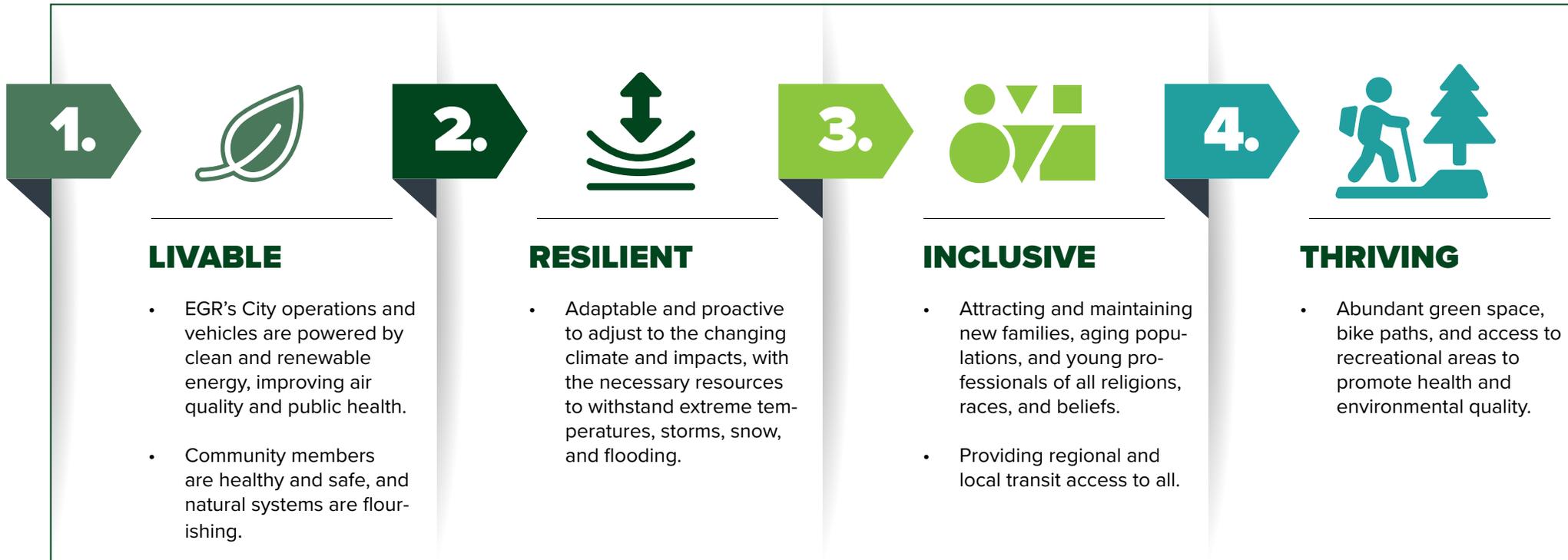
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OUR VISION AND PRINCIPLES

Our vision for City operations is a derivative of EGR's desire to maintain the beautiful character of the City from the traditional gaslights that light Gaslight Village to the serene Collins Park with abundant greenspace and views of Reeds Lake – all while planning for a future in which the community can transition away from non-renewable energy sources and improve air quality and public health.

VISION



The elements of this vision set the foundation for where EGR is headed in 2040 and what carbon neutrality will mean for the community.

Furthermore, this plan is guided by the following key principles:

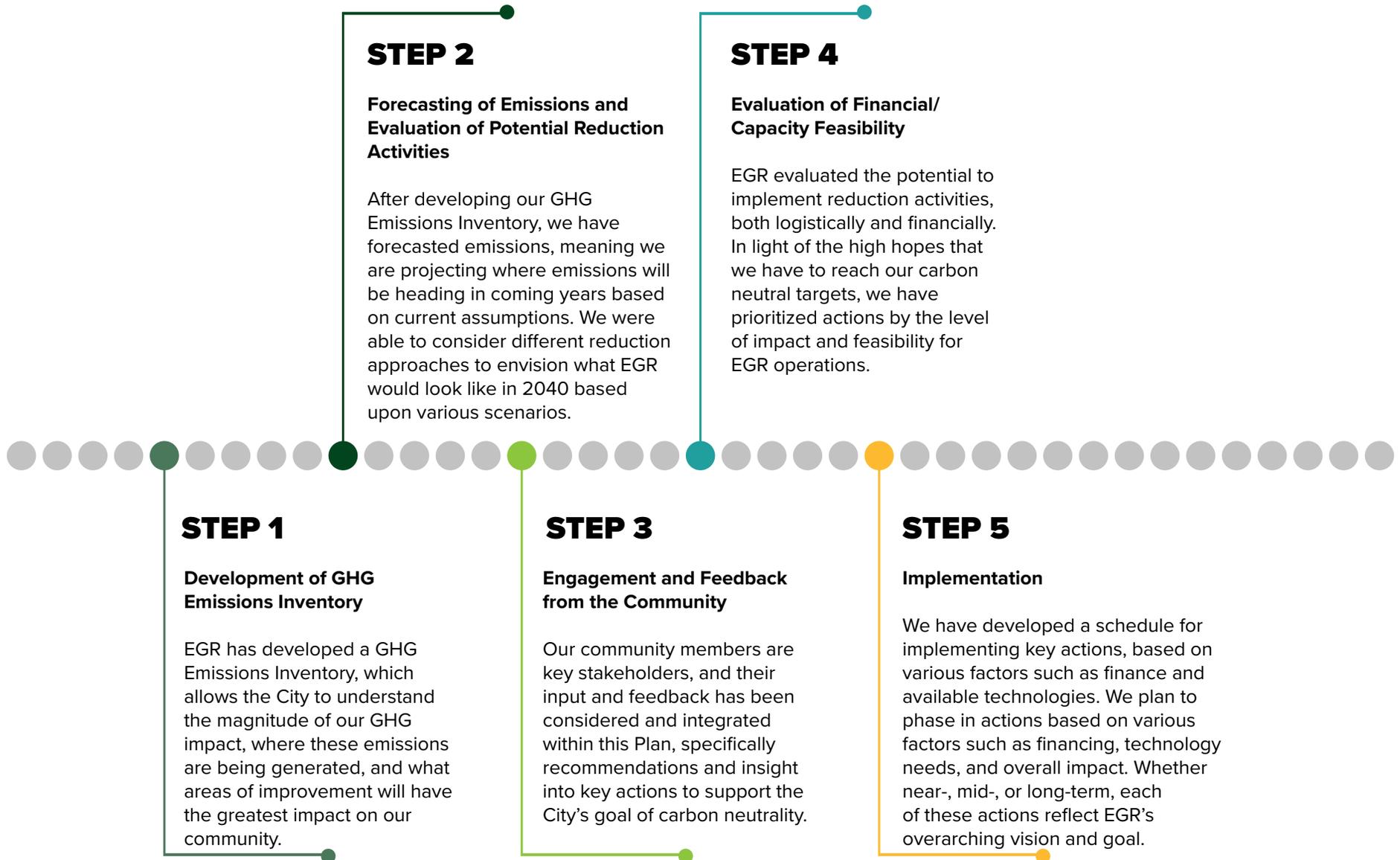
PRINCIPLES



These principles are intended to effectively guide the overall strategy and plan.

HOW WE'LL GET THERE

Achieving the City's overall vision and goal of achieving carbon neutrality by 2040 takes careful analysis, planning, and engagement in order to develop a plan that meets the City's ambitious goal and is suitable for the community's unique needs and resources. The City is committed to reaching this goal and will do so through the following key activities the City has completed, which are outlined within this Climate Action Plan.





GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

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Measuring and managing GHG emissions is integral to properly track progress and achieve the stated goal. GHG emissions are gases that trap heat in the atmosphere, therefore creating a greenhouse effect that is triggering changes to the climate. Primary greenhouse gases include carbon dioxide (CO₂), methane (CH₄), nitrous oxide (N₂O), and fluorinated gases, such as SF₆, HFCs, and PFCs.

There are various reasons why a City – or any organization – conducts a GHG Emissions Inventory. EGR plans to use the GHG Emissions Inventory to satisfy the following objectives:



OBJECTIVE 1

Demonstrate environmental leadership for broader community action.

OBJECTIVE 6

Compare performance against peers.

OBJECTIVE 2

Support LGO near-term energy and/or GHG emission reduction targets.

OBJECTIVE 7

Support partnerships and collaborative opportunities.

OBJECTIVE 3

Consider strategies to reduce and/or offset GHG emissions.

OBJECTIVE 8

Ensure alignment with industry best practices and global initiatives (e.g., UN SDGs, GRI, SBTN, etc.).

OBJECTIVE 4

Identify a long-term plan and schedule to achieve carbon neutrality.

OBJECTIVE 9

Manage climate risk by documenting actions to reduce GHG emissions.

OBJECTIVE 5

Support community engagement and stakeholder education.

OBJECTIVE 10

Prepare a framework to follow for other environmental sustainability initiatives (e.g., water consumption).

The GHG Emissions Inventory has been developed consistent with the following standards and guidance:

- ICLEI Local Government Operations Protocol (LGO Protocol) Version 1.1
- The Greenhouse Gas Protocol: A Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard (Revised Edition);
- The Greenhouse Gas Protocol: GHG Protocol Scope 2 Guidance;
- The Greenhouse Gas Protocol: Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Accounting and Reporting Standard; and

These frameworks have been adopted by cities globally and are preferred given their focus on local government operations.

In order to assess EGR's impact, a GHG Emissions Inventory was conducted for calendar years 2017-2023, specific to the emissions directly associated with Local Government Operations (LGO) within the jurisdictional borders of the City. City owned buildings and operations were included in the GHG emissions inventory boundary as defined in accordance with the ICLEI LGO Protocol. EGR has elected to apply an Operational Control approach to set its organizational boundary. Under the operational control approach, a local government accounts for 100 percent of the GHG emissions from operations over which it has the full authority to introduce and implement its operating policies at the operation.

EGR has determined it maintains operational control of the Community Center Complex, Public Safety building, Public Works building and operations (i.e., water distribution and sanitary collection system), streetlights, snowmelt system, and the City's vehicle fleet. The Community Center Complex consists of the EGR branch of the Kent District Library, as well as the City's administrative offices, engineering operations, Parks and Recreation Department, and several multi-purpose rooms used for programs, meetings, events, and rentals. The Public Works operations include the Public Works building, as well as the City's water distribution and sanitary collection operations.

Emissions sources from these City operations include fuel and electricity usage from the aforementioned buildings, vehicle fleet, streetlights, and snowmelt system. GHG emissions are limited to CO₂, CH₄ and N₂O, from each of these sources. Emissions for other gases, such as SF₆, HFCs and PFCs, were considered but it has been uncommon for communities to account for these emissions given they are not typically material or present within government operations.

The GHG Emissions Inventory was conducted over the calendar year 2017-2023 timeframe as this provides an adequate number of years to evaluate how emissions are trending. This timeframe also represented the availability of data need-

ed to calculate the City's emissions. Energy consumption data is available for the 2009-2021 timeframe, however, fleet data is only available beginning in 2017. A baseline for measuring progress earlier than 2017 is likely unnecessary as a 7-year lookback provides a sufficient frame of reference to understand trends and develop a representative baseline for target-setting and other initiatives.



A GHG Emissions Inventory calculation system has been developed to support this initial Emissions Inventory, as well as future annual updates. This calculation system is supported by an Inventory Management Plan (IMP). The IMP maintains information in a single location related to how EGR defines, quantifies and reports GHG emissions. The intent is for EGR to maintain and update this IMP over time to reflect organizational and operational changes, as well as the City's evolving climate change and sustainability strategies.

The inventory groups emissions into three categories based on where they occur: Scope 1, Scope 2, and Scope 3 emissions.

Scope 1: Direct GHG emissions from activities at facilities that are owned or operated by EGR. A portion of the fleet is leased under an Operating Lease arrangement which falls under EGR's operational control and GHG emissions inventory.

Scope 2: Please add the following verbiage under paragraph 4 detailing Scope 2: Indirect GHG emissions from the generation of purchased or acquired energy (e.g. electricity, heating, cooling, etc.) which is consumed at facilities that are owned or operated by EGR. There are two types of Scope 2 emissions: location-based emissions (LB) and market-based emissions (MB). Location based emissions method reflects the average emissions intensity of grids on which energy consumption occurs (using mostly grid-average emission factor data). A market-based method reflects emissions from electricity that companies have purposefully chosen (or their lack of choice). It derives emission factors from contractual instruments, which include any type of contract between two parties for the sale and purchase of energy bundled with attributes about the energy generation, or for unbundled attribute claims.^[18]

Scope 3: Other indirect emissions that occur in EGR's value chain (i.e., emissions from sources that are upstream or downstream of EGR's owned and controlled operations).

EGR views these Scope 3 emissions calculations as advanced and voluntary given most municipalities do not address Scope 3 emissions in their inventory. We have estimated impacts from the following Scope 3 categories at this time:

Scope 3 Category 1: Purchased goods and services – emissions resulting from the extraction, production, and transportation of goods and services purchased or acquired by the City.

Scope 3 Category 2: Capital goods – emissions resulting from the extraction, production, and transportation of capital goods purchased or acquired by the City.

Scope 3 Category 3: Fuel-and-energy-related activities – emissions resulting from the extraction, production, and transportation of fuels and energy purchased or acquired by the City, not already accounted for in Scope 1 or 2.

Scope 3 Category 4: Upstream transportation and distribution – emissions resulting from transportation and distribution.

Scope 3 Category 5: Waste generated in operations – emissions resulting from the disposal and treatment of waste generated in the City's operations.

Scope 3 Category 7: Employee commuting – emissions resulting from commuting by EGR employees to-and-from work.

EGR will explore additional, relevant Scope 3 categories as needs arise and data becomes available. However, we believe the only remaining Scope 3 categories that may be relevant include Category 6 (business travel) and Category 9 (downstream transportation and distribution). Most downstream Scope 3 categories are typically not applicable to municipalities as they do not produce a good that contains a downstream impact, maintain leased assets, or have franchise or investment options.

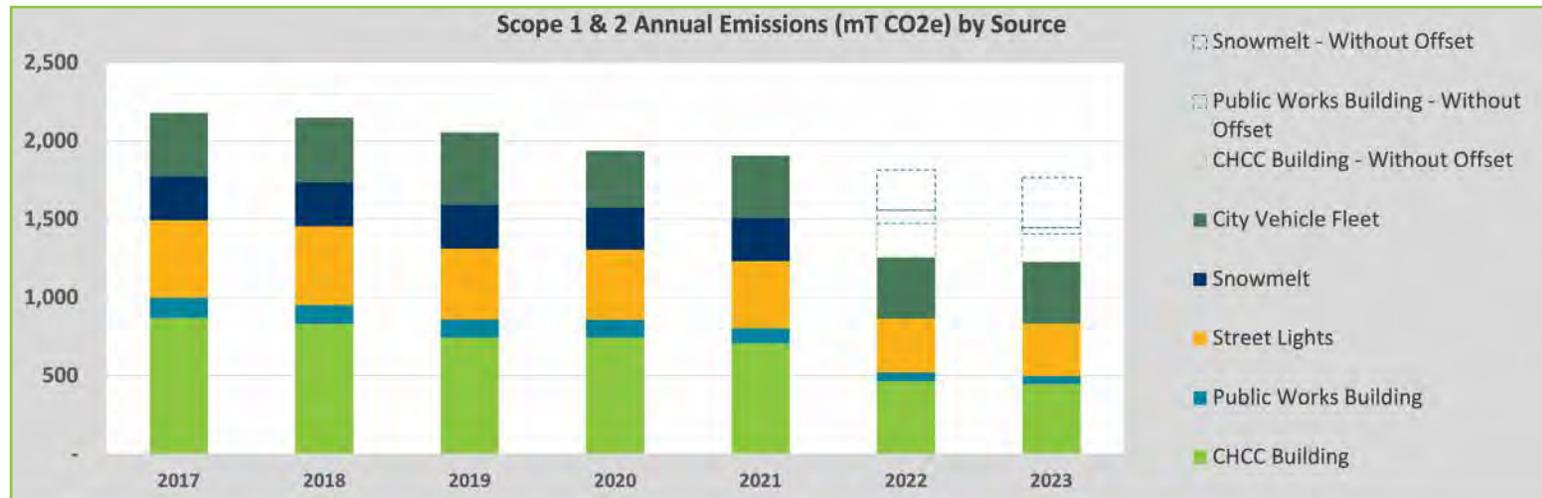
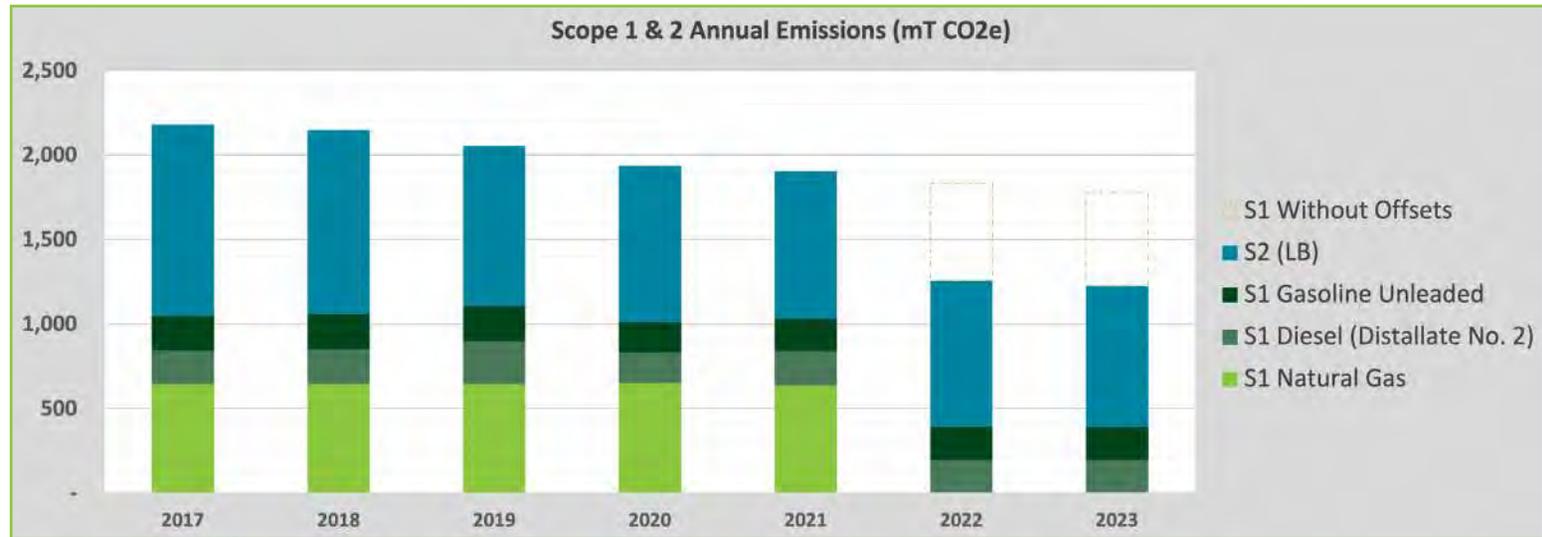


EMISSIONS FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Based on the GHG Inventory results, in 2023, EGR produced 1,225 metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (mtCO₂e) emissions which represents a 44% reduction from 2017 levels of 2,178 mtCO₂e. Emissions have decreased year-over-year since 2018. One significant action that has resulted in meaningful reductions has been the purchase of carbon offsets beginning in 2022.

Energy consumption is a significant contributor to EGR's GHG emissions footprint. To the right, you will find the energy use trend over the 2017-2023 timeframe.

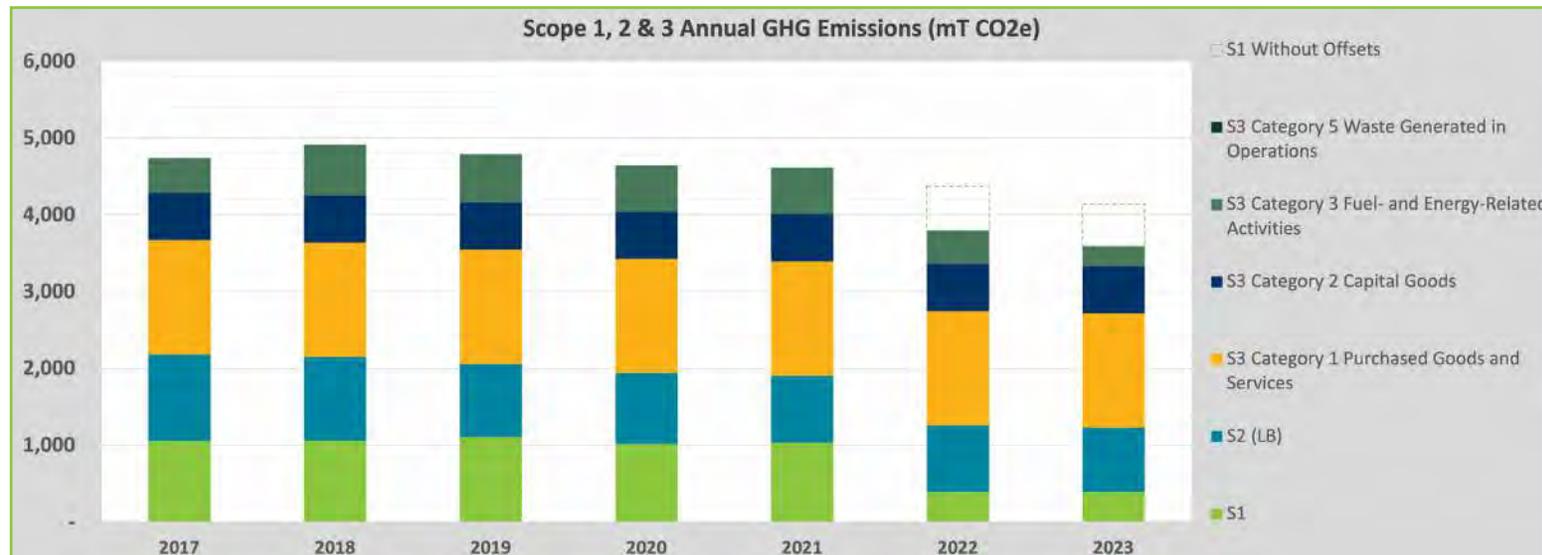
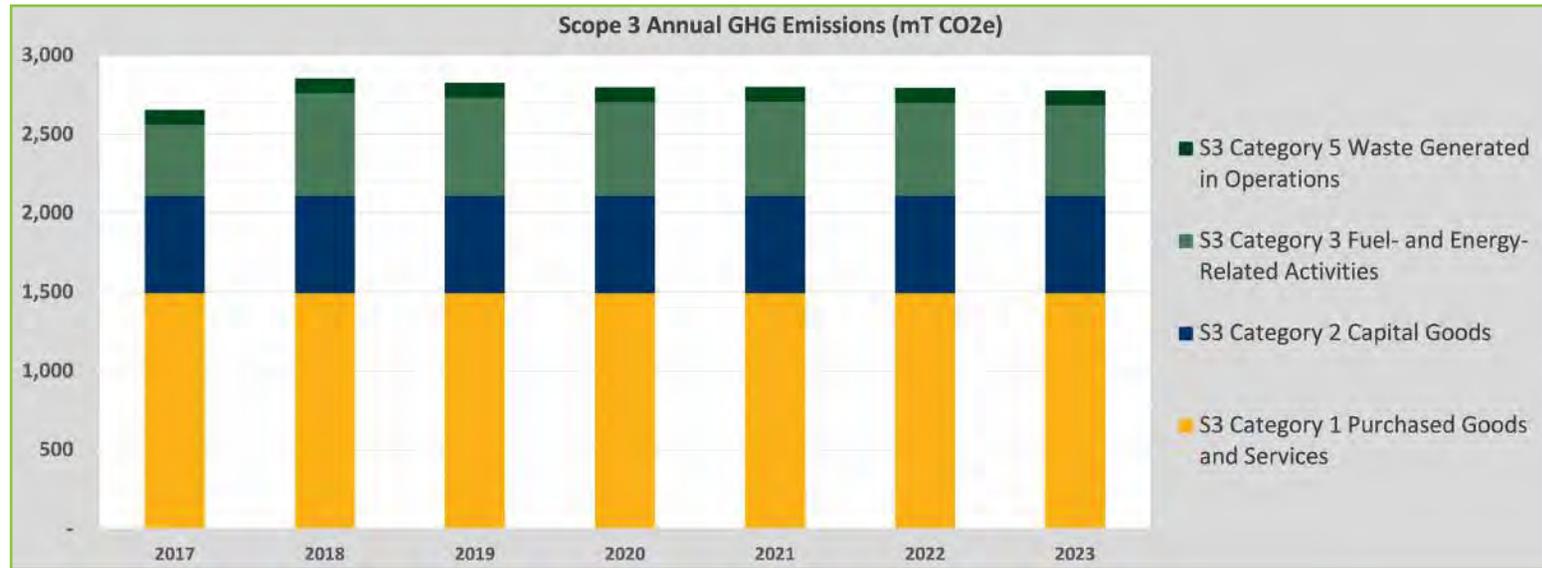
When evaluating emissions results by emissions source, we find the Community Center Complex, Public Works Building and City Vehicle Fleet are the leading contributors to EGR's footprint.



Beyond evaluating the City's Scope 1 and 2 emissions, Scope 3 emissions were also evaluated. Although Scope 3 emissions are not included in EGR's carbon neutrality target, these are emissions that EGR can influence by carefully selecting partners or suppliers with a commitment to the environment (such as purchasing low-carbon and sustainable chairs for City facilities, working with waste operations that use renewable energy, and more). Ultimately, selecting low-carbon partners will have a ripple effect on EGR's Scope 3 emissions, therefore supporting a decrease in the City's Scope 3 emissions.

For this evaluation, a spend based approach was utilized using life cycle GHG emissions by commodity and EGR's spend data for various purchased goods and services, fuel-and-energy related activities, capital goods, transportation and distribution, and waste. [19]

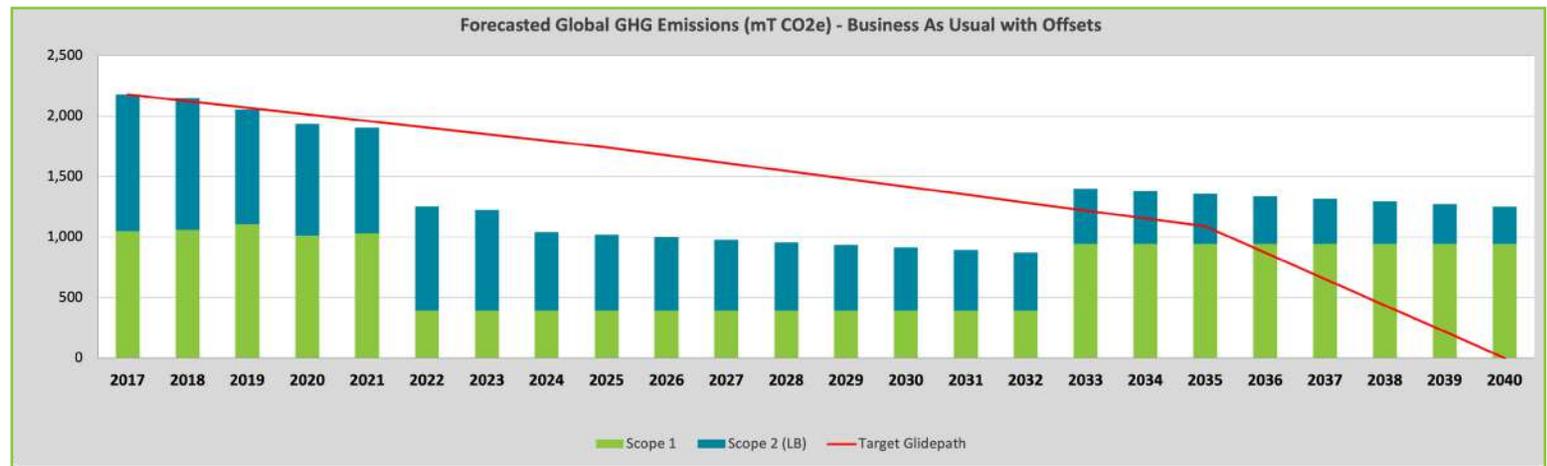
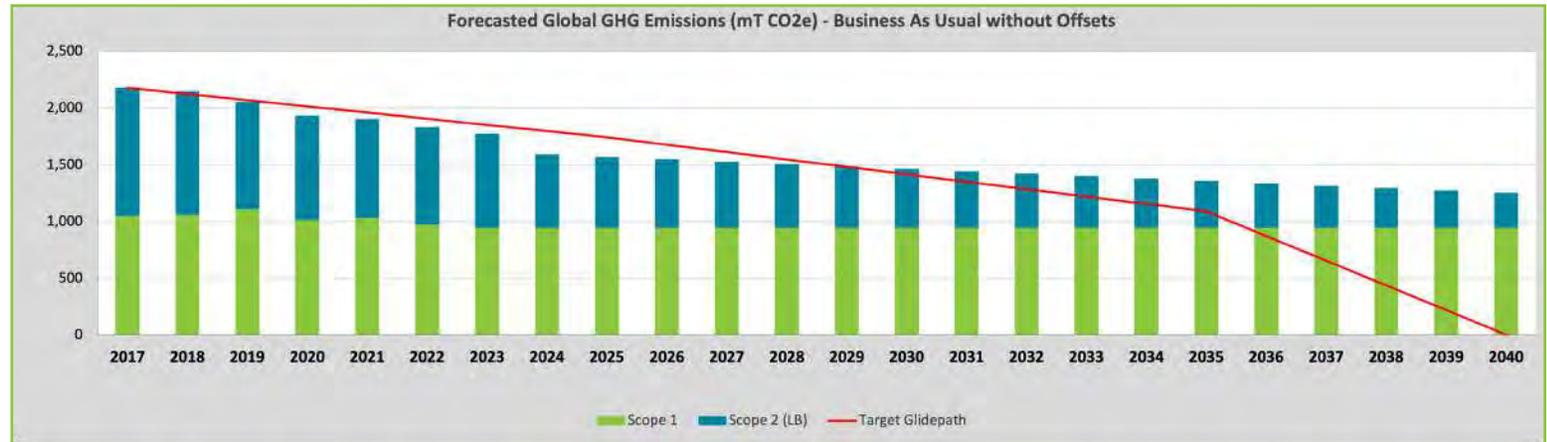
Overall, purchased goods and services represents over 50% of the City's Scope 3 emissions, followed by capital goods and fuel-and-energy related activities.



FORECASTED EMISSIONS

The City of East Grand Rapids' GHG Inventory also calculates emissions from activities that are related to the City's operations from 2017-2023. Utilizing data from 2023, the City prepared a business-as-usual (BAU) forecast of future estimated GHG emissions through 2040. The intention of the BAU scenario is to show projected emissions if the City does not implement further initiatives to reduce emissions.

Additionally, the City has two different scenarios depending on whether or not EGR pursues natural gas offsets by 2033, which is when the current contract expires. The result of this forecast demonstrates that EGR will need to take additional actions to achieve its goal of being carbon neutral by 2040. As mentioned above, a majority of emissions in 2023 is derived from purchased electricity; so, the current implementation of solar panels will be a significant driver of reduction in future years.



Jump in emissions that occurs in 2033 is a result of the DTE partnership for renewable natural gas ending

CLIMATE GOALS



Understanding EGR’s GHG emissions impact and progress achieved through past and current reduction initiatives has been instrumental in assessing the “gap” to meeting EGR’s carbon neutrality goal by 2040. Simply put, carbon neutrality means cutting carbon emissions through the procurement and/or generation of renewable energy and technological advances and removing any remaining carbon emissions through carbon offsets or renewable energy certificates (RECs), ultimately leaving zero emissions in the atmosphere on a net basis.

For the City, our goal to achieve carbon neutrality by 2040 is specifically limited to reducing energy use and GHG emissions within government operations. Therefore, the GHG emissions that are a focus of reduction are as follows:

- **Scope 1:** Natural gas combustion from the Community Center Complex, Public Safety building, Public Works building and operations (i.e., water distribution and sanitary collection system), and snowmelt system
- **Scope 1:** Fossil fuel mobile fuel source combustion from the City’s vehicle fleet
- **Scope 2:** Purchased electricity consumption from the Center Complex, Public Safety building, Public Works building and operations (i.e., water distribution and sanitary collection system), and streetlights.

The Community Center Complex consists of the EGR branch of the Kent District Library, as well as the City’s administrative offices, engineering operations, Parks and Recreation Department, and several multi-purpose rooms used for programs, meetings, events, and rentals. The Public Works operations include the Public Works building, as well as the City’s water distribution and sanitary collection operations.

Ultimately, this goal is intended to institute sustainability practices that translate into savings for EGR and taxpayers, while also paving the way for a more sustainable future and inspiring commitment and action from the broader community.

So far, more than 140 countries, including the United States, have set a net-zero target, as well as over 1,000 cities^[20]. Committing to carbon neutrality is integral to the EGR community as it will allow us to join a global community of municipalities that work as one to “avert the worst impacts of climate change and preserve a livable planet^[21].” With 2040 in our sights, this will require the implementation of additional key strategies and actions to put the City on the path to carbon neutrality by 2040, as well as ensuring maintainable solutions to city-wide issues now.





STRATEGIES AND ACTIONS



PAST & CURRENT ACTIONS

EGR has been proactive in reducing energy consumption and GHG emissions over the years. These actions position EGR in an ideal situation to achieve its carbon neutrality aspiration. Several key actions are beginning to significantly improve our GHG emissions output:

- The EGR Community Center Complex was built to achieve Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design (LEED) Silver Certification status. The building was assessed and scored on a point system that analyzed adherence to carbon, energy, water, waste, transportation, materials, and health and indoor environmental quality standards. Due to the advanced construction attributes, EGR has been able to avoid a more significant GHG emissions footprint from its operations since 2006.
- One of our most successful actions has been our participation in DTE's Clean Vision Partnership. EGR was the first municipality in Michigan to participate in the Clean Vision Natural Gas Balance voluntary program. This program gave us the opportunity to purchase Renewable Natural Gas-Environmental Attributes (RNG-EA) and Nature-Based Carbon Offset Credits (COCs) to reduce the emissions of our Natural Gas usage. We opted to purchase 95% carbon offsets and 5% renewable natural gas, creating 100% offset of natural gas carbon emissions for City operations. The RNG-EA component creates a greater local impact by leveraging our existing partnership with the City of Grand Rapids' Biodigester. This action is evaluated by the Midwest Renewable Energy Tracking System (M-RETS) which verifies the RNG-EA component. Meanwhile, the COCs are sourced from the Pigeon River forest near Gaylor, MI which is tracked by the American Carbon Registry (ACR). These evaluation and tracking processes ensure that our goals for carbon offsetting are being reached.
- Solar panels are installed on city-owned facilities, including our Community Center Complex and Public Works buildings. Through our partnership with BluePath Solar, we have executed a Power Purchase Agreement that will last for 25 years, with the potential for renewal for two, 5-year extensions. It is estimated the savings for the City will be over \$240,000, and as this program grows, it will be an important partnership to generate reductions toward our carbon footprint. The solar arrays will generate 24% of the current annual

electricity usage for the Community Center Complex and 100% or more of the Public Works building annual electricity usage.

- EGR purchased three F-150 Ford Lighting Supercrew electric vehicles for use by the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety and Parks and Recreation. These vehicles will be tested to provide necessary feedback to help determine the opportunity to transition the remaining fleet to electric vehicles.

We have many other actions that have been completed city-wide that encourage environmental protection and GHG emission reductions, including:

- The gaslights in EGR's historic Gaslight Village were converted from natural gas to electricity in 2020.
- A new high-efficiency boiler for the City's snowmelt system was installed. Another boiler is planned for installation to replace the remaining two natural gas-fired boilers.
- Through a partnership with Hage Automotive of Detroit, MI, EGR has installed four Level 2 Electric Vehicle charging stations at no cost to the City. These charging stations are available for public use and EGR will maintain these spaces and, in the future, work toward expanding this program as our electric vehicle fleet grows. These stations will provide valuable data on the extent of charging station use within the community.

FUTURE ACTIONS

Current reduction initiatives will play a key part in supporting EGR's path to carbon neutrality. However, additional actions and strategies will be necessary to meet EGR's 2040 carbon neutrality goal. However, this strategy needs to be met with a sense of flexibility. New technologies are consistently evolving and new partnerships for decarbonization will continue to arise. The costs for implementing these actions are also certain to change. While the following actions support decarbonization by 2040, these actions may shift or be modified based on emerging technologies, solutions and cost effectiveness.



REDUCTION STRATEGIES KEY

REDUCTION POTENTIAL

Low = 0-5 MT CO₂e 
 Moderate = 5-75 MT CO₂e 
 High = >75 MT CO₂e 

REDUCTION POTENTIAL

Low = <\$25k 
 Moderate = \$25k- \$250k 
 High = >\$250k 

TIMEFRAME

Near-term = 0-3 years
Mid-term = 4-9 years
Long-term = 10 or more years
Ongoing = Present through 10 years or more

Although Scope 3 emissions are not part of the City's carbon neutrality goal, there is opportunity to support reductions as these are areas that can be influenced by partnering and selecting environmentally-focused suppliers, as well as pursuing internal adjustments to support Scope 3 reductions.

SCOPE 1 - VEHICLE FLEET

CATEGORY	STRATEGY	REDUCTION POTENTIAL	FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	POTENTIAL PARTNER(S)	TIMEFRAME
Fleet Strategy	Properly Maintain Vehicle Fleet			EGR Staff/Police/Fire Department	Short-term
EGR should ensure the vehicle fleet is properly maintained in order to save fuel usage. Keeping tires properly inflated can improve gas mileage by 0.6% on average. The proper tire pressure for vehicles can be found in the owner's manual for the vehicle. Additionally, vehicle gas mileage can improve by 1-2% by using the manufacturer's recommended grade of motor oil. These simple maintenance techniques are minimal in cost, but improve vehicle efficiency.					
Fleet Strategy	Electrify Vehicles			Local Dealerships	Long-term
Based on total cost of ownership, vehicles up for retirement in a 15-year timespan, and ICE vehicles with a comparable electric option, there are roughly 10 current fleet vehicles that could be electrified from 2024-2039. However, new technologies and options may be available for specific vehicles' needs (street sweeper, vocational truck, etc.) as organizations continue to advance technologies, so continue to evaluate new options as they reach the market.					
Fleet Strategy	Support EV Infrastructure			HAGE Automotive	Mid-term
Continue to support infrastructure improvements and funding opportunities to install more charging stations to facilitate the transition to an electric vehicle fleet (and broader community-wide electric vehicle conversions).					
Fleet Strategy	Offsets			DTE	Long-term
If complete EV conversion is not reasonable by 2040, fuel offsets can support carbon neutrality. Given the longer lifetime of the City's vehicles and the challenge of cost-effectively converting the entire fleet, this strategy will likely be needed to achieve carbon neutrality by 2040. However, the City should continue to convert the fleet beyond 2040 to eliminate the need to purchase offsets.					



SCOPE 1&2 - ENERGY AND BUILDINGS

CATEGORY	STRATEGY	REDUCTION POTENTIAL	FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	POTENTIAL PARTNER(S)	TIMEFRAME
Electricity Strategy	LED Lighting Improvement - Streetlights and Community Building			Consumers Energy	Near-term
Streetlights, depending on the location, are either owned or maintained by Consumers Energy or the City. The gaslights in Gaslight Village are owned and maintained by the City. The gaslights were converted from natural gas to electric in 2020 and are entirely LED lights. The remaining streetlights throughout the City that are being converted to LED over time by Consumers Energy. Approximately 50% of these streetlights have not yet been converted to LED. The last form of lighting improvements will take place in community buildings where approximately 20% of the lighting remains for conversion to LED. The proposed reduction action of upgrading conventional lighting to LED also includes occupancy sensors to reduce lighting based on occupancy in office buildings to reduce energy consumption.					
Electricity Strategy	Solar Arrays			Blue Path Solar, Harvest Solar, Consumers Energy	Mid-term
EGR is currently installing solar arrays that will generate 24% of the current annual electricity usage for the Community Center Complex and 100% or more of the Public Works building annual electricity usage. This will have a meaningful positive impact on EGR's footprint. Implementation of additional solar arrays, including rooftop, ground mount, and carports to decarbonize the remaining 250 mT CO2e from electricity usage offers great potential. Consumers Energy also offers a renewable energy program (solar blocks) that offers an alternative to on-site solar array installations.					
Electricity Strategy	Grid Decarbonization			Consumers Energy	Short-term through long-term
Dearbonization of the grid will be a cornerstone of our reduction actions that is expected to take place regardless of EGR's actions, but this will offer reduction potential to EGR's footprint by relying upon a cleaner grid to power our operations.					
Natural Gas Strategy	Efficiency Improvements - HVAC and Building Envelope			DTE	Mid-term
EGR should evaluate additional efficiency improvements, such as HVAC and building envelope improvements (e.g. retrofits and improvements to building envelope materials). EGR installed a new high-efficiency natural gas boiler in 2023 to support the snowmelt system. A second high-efficiency boiler is also planned for installation later in 2024. The installation of these two new boilers will allow the City to decommission the existing third boiler. Overall, these changes are projected to further reduce natural gas consumption from the snowmelt system. In the interim, EGR should consider working with DTE for a comprehensive tune-up. This is a service that DTE provides by sending contractors to perform an advanced diagnostic test to fully analyze your systems and identify issues that rob your system of efficiency or present potential health and safety issues. In the future, as these boilers reach the end of their useful life as 2040 approaches, the City should consider alternatives to move away from natural gas completed by employing the use of heat pump technologies or other alternative technologies that are expected to become more cost effective and technologically feasible by this timeframe.					
Natural Gas Strategy	Efficiency Improvements - Smart Sensing Technology			DTE	Short-term
The implementation of smart sensing technology can increase building efficiency and reduce utility bills. According to the American Council for an Energy Efficiency Economy (ACEEE), the following smart sensing technologies can help to reduce emissions by increasing efficiencies. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Installing occupancy-based wireless thermostats. This can save 5-10% of HVAC energy costs if programmed to allow the HVAC system to reduce its operation when the building or zone is unoccupied. • Advanced rooftop unit (RTU) controls. RTUs have the potential to cut HVAC energy use by 20-40%, depending on how they are set up and what components are used. • O2 demand-controlled ventilation (DCV) sensors, which can be coupled with sensors that detect a building's occupancy and adjust ventilation accordingly. Though costly to install, they can make the most sense in a building retrofit. 					
Natural Gas Strategy	Convert Space Heating to Heat Pumps				Long-term
Heat pumps are a technology that can provide heating and cooling without the use of fuels. According to DTE, geothermal heat pumps, for example, are estimated to save between 30-60% on heating and cooling costs and are four times more efficient than conventional systems. Consumers Energy currently provides rebates on equipment (including air-source pumps and ground-source heat pumps).					
Natural Gas Strategy	Evaluate New Technologies and Equipment As Needed				Mid-to-long term
Evaluate opportunities to replace existing equipment with low-carbon solutions, such as monitoring systems, snowmelt biofuels, and other emerging technologies. This will be a major strategic move to reduce emissions, as efficiency improvements will be long-lasting.					
Natural Gas Strategy	Renewable Natural Gas and Carbon offset Program			DTE	Long-term
Pursue continuation of the 100% renewable natural gas and carbon offset program through 2040 through the DTE Clean Energy program, if the implementation of electrifying equipment and efficiency measures are not sufficient. While renewable natural gas and carbon offsets are effective at eliminating near-term natural gas emissions until other technologies are more cost and technically feasible, it is recommended to pursue long lasting solutions which will benefit the City without an added cost.					

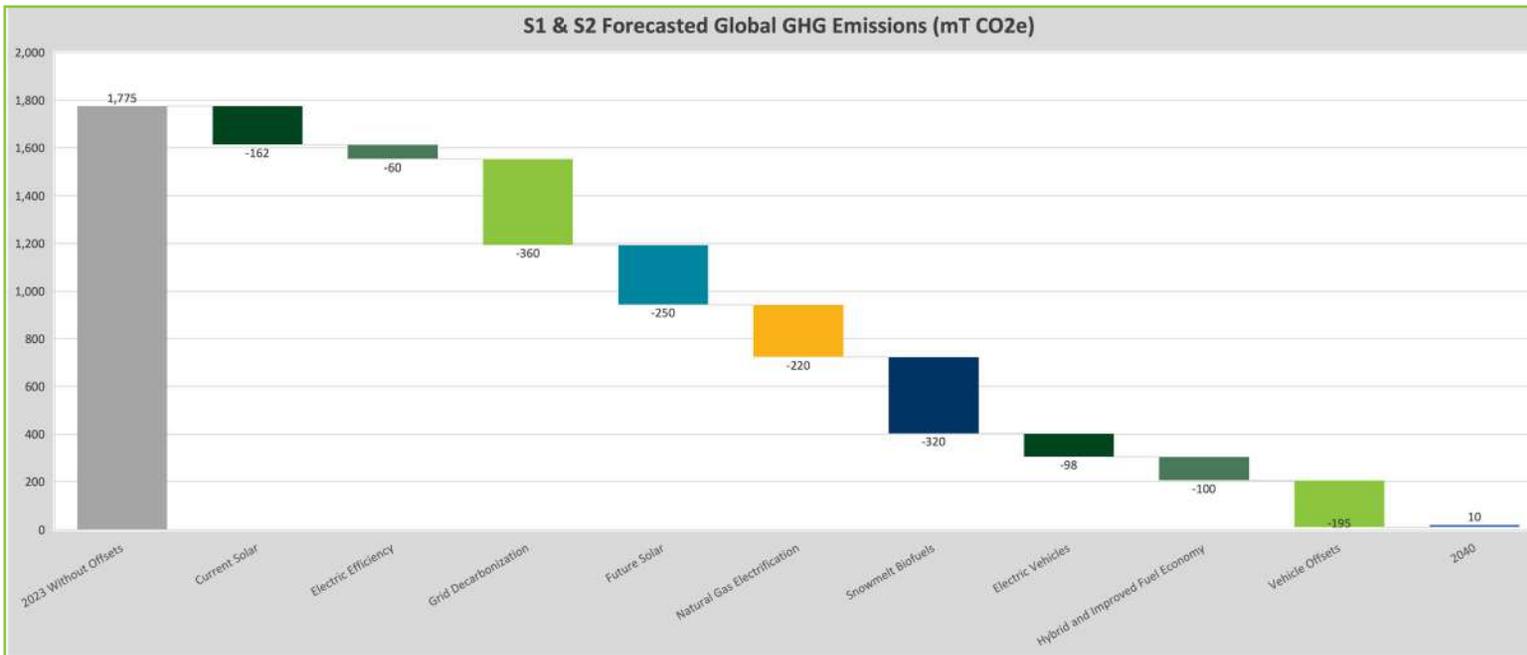
SCOPE 3 (VALUE CHAIN EMISSIONS)

CATEGORY	STRATEGY	REDUCTION POTENTIAL	FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	POTENTIAL PARTNER(S)	TIMEFRAME
Scope 3: Purchased Goods and Services	Select Partners with Reduction Initiatives and Targets		\$0		Ongoing
<p>Purchased goods and services represents 54% of EGR's emissions. Many of these purchases are related to cement/asphalt for road work, finance and professional services, electronic equipment, and salt for roads. Carefully selecting partners and suppliers that have low-carbon products, emissions reductions initiatives, and GHG reduction targets would help to reduce these emissions. In order to reduce EGR's Scope 3 footprint, suppliers need to focus on reducing their own Scope 1 and 2 emissions. Many organizations have sustainability reports or information on their website regarding their environmental commitments. Additionally, inquiring about an organization's environmental practices during the RFP period will help to select the best partner.</p>					
Scope 3: Capital Goods	Select Partners with Reduction Initiatives and Targets and Low Emissions Equipment		\$0		Ongoing
<p>Capital goods represents 22% of EGR's Scope 3 emissions. Many of these emissions are resulting from construction, machinery, and transportation equipment. These emissions can be reduced by selecting suppliers that utilize lower-emissions technologies like electric equipment. These actions will likely be taken by environmentally conscious organizations. Similar to purchased goods and services, identifying partners with GHG reduction targets that are actively mitigating their impacts will help to reduce these emissions. By inquiring with suppliers, this may influence or inspire suppliers to prioritize working to reduce emissions.</p>					
Scope 3: Waste Generated in Operations	Waste Disposal Education		\$0		Ongoing
<p>Waste generated in City operations accounts for 12% of the City's Scope 3 emissions. Tracking waste types and implementing waste disposal education can reduce the amount of recyclables accidentally sent to landfill and promote mindful consumption in City buildings. Many organizations and municipalities alike have implemented educational material around disposal bins identifying how waste should be sorted to promote proper waste disposal, and work to eliminate or reduce materials (water bottles, handouts, etc.) in City operations that may require disposal.</p>					
Scope 3: Employee Commutes	Work from Home Policy		\$0		Ongoing
<p>Although employee commutes account for less than 1% of the City's Scope 3 emissions, there is opportunity to reduce this further, if desired. If the City were to allow employees to work-from-home 1 day a week, this would reduce employee commutes by roughly 20% for this category.</p>					
Scope 3: Upstream Transportation and Distribution	Electric Distribution Trucks/ Offsets		\$0		Transportation Suppliers
<p>Upstream and downstream distribution accounts for less than 1% of the City's Scope 3 upstream emissions, but there is opportunity to reduce this further. EGR could work with transportation and distribution companies to see if they use electric trucks to deliver materials. Additionally, transportation companies may offer the opportunity to offset delivery emissions at an additional cost</p>					
Scope 3: Fuel-and-Energy Related Activities	Reduce Fuel and Electricity Usage		\$0		Ongoing
<p>EGR's fuel-and-energy related activities emissions account for 11% of the City's Scope 3 emissions. These emissions are a result of the production of fuels and energy purchased and consumed. Therefore, in order to reduce the associated emissions with fuel and energy, EGR should continue to focus on reducing it's reliance on natural gas and fuels and non-renewable electricity. As EGR reduces energy consumption and becomes more efficient and moves away from fossil fuels, these emissions will naturally decrease.</p>					
Upstream Scope 3	Quantify Scope 3 Reductions to Measure Progress			Preferred Service Provider/ Internal Staff	Near-Term
<p>For the quantification of Scope 3 emissions, a spend based approach was utilized using life cycle GHG emissions by commodity and EGR's spend data for various categories. While this approach is valuable as an initial step to get an estimate of emissions and understand hotspots, it is recommended that in the future EGR pursues using activity data in order to calculate the specific Scope 3 category, as recommended through The Greenhouse Gas Protocol's Scope 3 Methodology. This will yield more accurate results, and allow the City to track and measure progress. It is recommended that an evaluation occurs every 2-3 years to capture updates.</p>					

ROADMAP TO CARBON NEUTRALITY

In terms of forecasting future emissions in EGR, the City is not anticipating any change to its footprint looking out to 2040. The community buildings and services are expected to remain viable without any significant change. Despite certain planned developments, overall the City’s population is also projected to remain relatively steady given the mature status of the community.

Ultimately, a roadmap to achieve carbon neutrality must involve a suite of options. Illustrated below are projections of achievable reductions based on currently viable projects.



Carbon neutrality will take some financial investment as new technologies will be necessary to support this transition. There are opportunities through both the state and the federal government for financial support or assistance with some of the expenses associated with the transition to carbon neutrality. The City will continue to monitor funding opportunities to assist implementation.

DTE

EGR was the first municipality in the state to take part in a mutually beneficial partnership with Clean Vision through DTE. This collaboration aims to offset 100% of EGR’s natural gas carbon emissions through the purchase of Renewable Natural Gas-Environmental Attributes (RNG-EA) and Nature Based Carbon Offset Credits (COCs).

BLUEPATH SOLAR

A partnership with BluePath Solar has been cultivated with the goal of generating electricity to reduce our carbon emissions and utility costs. A Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) has been established between EGR and BluePath Solar, with Harvest Solar taking up the mantle of installing and managing the City’s own on-site solar array. This agreement will last for 25 years with no direct cost to the City, saving approximately \$241,000. EGR will evaluate the success of this program to consider additional opportunities for community solar in the future.

COLLABORATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS

We understand that in order to achieve our goal of carbon neutrality by 2040, this will include greater partnership and collaboration with businesses (perhaps NGOs, community members, and more). We currently have a multitude of partnerships to leverage and build upon for implementation of future strategic actions.

HAGE AUTOMOTIVE

In another effort to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions, the City has collaborated with Hage Automotive of Detroit to provide Level 2 electric vehicle charging stations in EGR. Four stations have been installed at no cost to the community. Electric vehicles (EVs) create zero tailpipe emissions, and their total greenhouse gas emissions are much lower than a typical vehicle. This will help the City as well as residents to reduce carbon emissions as well as reduce noise pollution, as electric engines are typically much quieter. Additionally, there are economic benefits for the City, as electric charging stations will encourage EV owners to dine and shop in EGR. The City will maintain these parking spaces and receive revenue sharing from the stations.



TREE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT

In partnership with local vendors, the City wishes to ensure proper maintenance and management of trees in the public right-of-way area. In EGR, there are 7,113 urban forest sites (as indicated by an inventory conducted by the Davey Resource Group, 2016). This quantity of trees improves air quality by removing 15,245.3 pounds of pollutants, sequestering 4,410,593 pounds of carbon and manages 9,975,209 gallons of stormwater, as proper maintenance of our trees is imperative to sustaining the environment in EGR. With a cost between \$20,000-\$30,000 for this program, the tree population in EGR will remain in good condition and can continue to benefit the City in both visual appeal and reduction of harmful pollutants.



CONSUMERS ENERGY AND ICF

The City purchased three F-150 Lightning Supercrew Electric Vehicles in 2024. These vehicles will be tested in various City operations and will provide necessary feedback regarding the overall experience and effectiveness of electric vehicles for our fleet. The City has partnered with Consumers Energy and ICF who have provided a fleet electrification assessment, which evaluated our current vehicles and identified potential electric vehicles that meet the City's needs along with an evaluation of the total cost of ownership. We recognize that electric vehicles have several advantages, including lower costs for fueling and maintenance over time, reduced vehicle emissions which improve local air quality and health, improved resiliency, and an overall reduction in the footprint for the City. We will continue to evaluate the potential for further integration of electric or hybrid vehicles in the City's fleet.



As we move forward, additional partnerships will be necessary to meet our goals. We will continue to prioritize local and regional partners to enhance our energy efficiency, advocate for sustainable improvements city-wide, and provide education and outreach opportunities. Potential partnership opportunities include the following:

- Nurturing and growing connections with our existing partnerships; for example, potentially growing the DTE Clean Vision partnership to offset fuel usage from our vehicle fleet and the BluePath Solar on-site solar array which could support additional solar panels on carports or other buildings (if feasible).
- Partnering with Consumers Energy to explore additional renewable energy options, including Consumer's Energy renewable energy program to support Michigan-based wind or solar energy and/or the renewable energy credit program.
- Working with the East Grand Rapids School District to integrate sustainable design into their practices, including solar panel expansion where applicable. The City plans to work with the school district on redevelopment plans and ensure that sustainable options are considered and chosen whenever possible.
- Working with public safety authorities, such as the police force and firefighters, to improve their internal sustainability practices, including vehicle use practices and equipment procurement.
- Connecting with our sustainability committee to discern areas through which community members can become involved.

COMMUNITY WORKSHOP

To supplement the City's analysis and proposed reduction actions, we felt it was important to garner participation and feedback from the residents of EGR. We invited residents to join the Climate Action Planning team on June 13, 2024 for a preview of the Climate Action Plan's development and to provide input on the strategies and actions they would like to see implemented by the City.

During our Community Workshop, we shared a preview of our Greenhouse Gas Inventory results and findings (2017-present), as well as projected emissions through 2040. We also shared the foundation for the Climate Action Plan, and how we envision EGR reaching its goal.

Input was requested from attendees through the following questions:

1. What drew you to attend this community workshop?
2. What are your initial thoughts on the City's emissions and actions completed to date?
3. What recommendations or actions do you have that you would like to see implemented within the community?
4. What types of concerns do you have regarding the reduction projects and implementation?
5. What would help ensure residents feel aware and updated on progress?

An afternoon and evening session was hosted by EGR and our consultant, GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc., which included attendees from a variety of backgrounds, including citizens, members of EGR's EGreen sustainability initiative, City employees, and a member of the Michigan Healthy Climate Corps. We received insightful feedback from attendees, which has helped to focus and inform our strategies for achieving carbon neutrality.

Topics discussed varied with a focus on the impacts from upcoming developments within the City and how to expand our partnerships with other elements of the city's administration—for example, Public Safety, Public Works, and the East Grand Rapids Public School District. The school system operates independent of the City so greater collaboration on upcoming developments would support reductions to overall citywide impacts. Thanks to the feedback we received from EGR residents and workshop attendees, we are able to better understand the needs of the community which has been considered as part of our strategy to achieve our carbon neutrality goal.

We appreciate all of the feedback we received, and we hope that as we approach 2040, we can exhibit progress toward the evolving needs and expectations of the community.

IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE

An integral aspect of the Climate Action Plan is how the Plan will be implemented. To achieve our commitments, we must take a multi-level approach toward implementing the strategy set forth herein. We will engage with a range of activities with the ultimate purpose of achieving our 2040 carbon neutrality target.

TASK 1

Timeline: Ongoing



Update and maintain EGR's Climate Action Plan interactive website.

TASK 2

Timeline: Annually



EGR's GHG Inventory for City Operations is updated.

TASK 3

Timeline: Ongoing



Engage with the community to enhance our city-wide sustainability.

TASK 4

Timeline: Regularly
Until 2040



Continue to support our collaborations and partnerships

TASK 5

Pursue energy efficiencies, to decrease energy used and realize cost savings.

Timeline: Regularly
Until 2040



TASK 6

Increase number of buildings completely powered by renewable energy.

Timeline: 2033



TASK 7

Continue to transition the vehicle fleet to electric or hybrid vehicles.

Timeline: Continually
Until 2040



TASK 8

Continue to implement offsets where efficiency and energy improvements cannot be made due to technology.

Timeline: Continually
Until 2040



As we move toward our 2040 target year, these implementation actions will evolve to reflect the progression of the City's sustainability efforts.

TASK 1

Update and maintain EGR's Climate Action Plan interactive website.
Timeline: Ongoing
Indicator of Success: Residents of EGR are up to date on our evolving climate goals and progress.

TASK 2

EGR's GHG Inventory for City Operations is updated annually to ensure the City is measuring progress and on track to achieve the carbon neutrality target.
Timeline: Annually
Indicator of Success: By 2040, City Operations achieve carbon neutrality.

TASK 3

Engage with the community and discern new ways to work with community members to enhance our city-wide sustainability.
Timeline: Ongoing
Indicator of Success: Community members feel empowered by the collaboration with city officials and able to make sustainable shifts to help accelerate the City's initiatives.

TASK 4

Continue to support our collaborations and partnerships, both new and existing. Each of these partners is essential to the City's success, so we will continue to nurture cooperation amongst EGR and our partners.
Timeline: Regularly until 2040
Indicator of Success: EGR and our partners will continue to successfully scale-up our sustainable operations as we reach the 2040 threshold. We will add new partnerships as needs arise, and work with local organizations to electrify our operations and vehicles.

TASK 5

Pursue energy efficiencies (such as LED replacements, tune-up evaluations of existing equipment, motion sensors, etc.) to decrease energy used and realize cost savings. Evaluating the potential for efficiency increases should occur routinely.
Timeline: Regularly until 2040
Indicator of Success: Efficiency gains are made on an annual basis as the result of tune-ups and smart technologies.

TASK 6

Electrify natural gas equipment by converting existing systems to heat pumps or other emerging technologies.
Timeline: As EGR has a natural gas offset program through 2033, electrifying equipment would be most beneficial to pursue by 2033. It is recommended that EGR monitors technological changes and works with utility partners to identify the most beneficial equipment based on energy needs and cost.
Indicator of Success: Natural gas equipment is electrified by 2033 and natural gas emissions are eliminated.

TASK 7

Continue to transition the vehicle fleet to electric or hybrid vehicles as resources and technology become available.
Timeline: Continually until 2040
Indicator of Success: 100% of EGR's vehicle fleet are hybrid or electric.

TASK 8

Continue to implement offsets where efficiency and energy improvements cannot be made due to technology and/or infrastructure challenges.
Timeline: continually until 2040
Indicator of Success: Any emissions not already accounted for will be addressed through high-quality, verifiable GHG offsets.

FOOTNOTES GLOSSARY

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OCTOBER 29, 2024

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OCTOBER 29, 2024

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From: Carey Portzline <careyportzline@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, October 31, 2024 2:48 PM

To: Tiffany Smith <tas@mcsagroup.com>

Subject: EGR Parks & Recs comments

Hi Tiffany,

Nice to meet you on Tuesday at the open house.

I don't have any specific feedback, but here is my general comment:

It is so great that EGR continues to upgrade and stay current with things like playgrounds, sport courts, road and pedestrian safety, etc. I know that is part of the draw (amongst so many other things) for people to want to live in our community. I appreciate all who do this work!

My comment or request would be that as we move forward, we keep a close eye on not reducing and carving into all of the naturally beautiful areas of our town. All of the trees and green that surround us are not only pretty, but also so important to our ecosystem. As well as for the mental and physical health of everyone who lives here.

That is all. Thank you for being part of the group that takes care of our gorgeous neighborhood.

Happy day,

Derek Melville

To: Matt Feyen
Subject: RE: Draft Copy of Parks Master Plan

From: Matt Feyen <matt.feyen@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, December 18, 2024 6:30 PM
To: Derek Melville <dmelville@eastgrmi.gov>
Subject: Re: Draft Copy of Parks Master Plan

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Thank you Derek.

The first link works, and if I save it as a pdf as you suggested, the pages can be manually rotated, but that does require rotating every single page individually. Which is obviously a bit cumbersome. If that is the way this link presents itself to other users, it would probably be good to reformat it.

The second link works much better. There is a page upside down (p.43) and a few graphs that would benefit from being rotated.

All in all the plan looks great! Well done.

The only comment I would make is that I'm not thrilled to see more parking proposed for Waterfront Park. Woods like that are rare, and somewhat sacred in my book. I would prefer to see the larger existing parking lot by the DPW building dressed up and "beautified" with parking islands, trees, landscaping, lighting, better signage, etc... to attract and accommodate more park users. And there is a public bathroom right there too, which is a bonus. I would begin with that before I would start taking out trees.

If St. Stephens is ever redeveloped, it might make a lot of sense to create a city-owned pocket park if possible.

Thanks again, I appreciate it!

Matt

From: [Anna Anderson](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 12:26:22 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of Grayson Anderson, a child who plays lacrosse, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth lacrosse and football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these two asks.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thank you,
Anna Anderson

From: [S.B](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: RE: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Sunday, December 15, 2024 4:19:21 PM

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To EGR Commissioners:

It was recently brought to my attention that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend approximately \$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As the parent of Holden Baudo an East Pride lacrosse goalie and EGRPS student, I have three specific concerns to be addressed:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. Considering the upcoming construction of the EGR High School, I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside the EGR city boundaries but within proximity so that young players can travel to it independently. The construction project will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long-term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. Lastly access to an indoor field during the Winter months for all sports and recreation activities. For example a seasonal dome over Mehney Field.

Supporting Rationale:

There have been multiple youth athletes injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields. The fields are multiple-use and suffer from uneven surfaces with numerous holes.

Despite the subpar field conditions, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every Fall. East Pride lacrosse players practice and play there every Spring. These athletes represent a large portion of parental constituents within EGR.

Upon commencement of construction at the EGR High School, there is an anticipated increase in usage of these two fields. Please keep in mind that there will be no access to the high school track and inner field for the duration of construction.

As such, it is even more imperative for the City Commissioners to support the hundreds of children in our community. Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf. Not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Kind regards,
Sara Baudo

From: [Chris Camfferman](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Wednesday, December 18, 2024 2:24:10 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I have learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of a child who plays lacrosse, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long-term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

I have personally seen multiple youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, and uneven and unprepared for sports use behind the Middle School.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these two asks.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thank you,
Chris Camfferman
616-304-9400

From: [Nick Erikson](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: Parks master plan
Date: Saturday, December 14, 2024 3:15:49 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I understand that the Commission is contemplating how to spend significant funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR. As a parent of 2 children who play lacrosse and soccer, I request that you prioritize resolving several field issues:

1. Quality of the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS: they should be upgraded to make them suitable for sports practices and games.
2. Field access during the High School construction when the track field is unavailable: this field is highly utilized and replacement access that is close to EGR should be a priority.

Thank you,

Nick Erikson
231-632-4492
1051 Santa Cruz Dr. SE
East Grand Rapids

EGR Commissioners:

We recently learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As parents of 4 children who play soccer, lacrosse, football, and baseball, we would like to give our input.

1. First and foremost, we ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields at the local elementary schools and behind the Middle School to be more suitable for sports practices and games.

The **fields at Wealthy Elementary** are large and conveniently located for our youth, however the surfaces are not well maintained. Our children go through a few weeks of sore, swollen ankles at the beginning of each season of play at Wealthy. The mud pits in front of the goals each lacrosse season represent us poorly.

The **field space behind the middle school** has similar issues and is typically not well prepared for sports practices.

Field space at Lakeside Elementary could provide a wonderful space for sports practices. During the recent playground renovations, one of the baseball diamonds was replaced with a large grass area. Thinking outside the box a bit, I can see wonderful opportunities at Lakeside to have team practices going on in the larger green space, while coaches pull small groups over to the smaller green space behind the lower elementary playground. Unfortunately, neither of these grassy areas are suitable for any type of practice since the recent playground renovations. There has been no successful grass grown. They remain uneven, muddy, and in poor condition.

We are not as familiar with **Breton Elementary's green spaces**, but it appears similar to other schools and our conveniently located elementary schools would be a wonderful way to allocate money.

We would like to see a large portion of this money put into these green spaces. They are conveniently located, but generally unusable for sports as they stand. They have great potential as practice spaces. If these funds allow for artificial turf to be installed at Wealthy, Lakeside or behind the middle school, that would be our first preference.

2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from

use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long-term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.

3. We ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities.

Indoor field space does not necessarily have to house a full-sized field. Smaller buildings can accommodate small group practices and training – Rite Aid, Breton Village Auto Wash? They don't have to be large enough for entire team practices.

We have also seen a widely distributed email template suggesting a seasonal dome for Mehney Field. **We are strongly opposed to a seasonal dome at Mehney Field.** These domes are large, unsightly, and loud. They do not belong in a residential community, especially one that is about to be disrupted by construction noise from extensive high school renovations and Gaslight Village renovations.

- At a time when that corner of EGR will be unsightly due to construction, a seasonal dome will add a huge eye sore.
- A seasonal dome is loud, and will create noise pollution in a typically peaceful location of town, with the noise traveling far across town given the proximity to the lake. Installing something that makes more noise, when our village will already be noisy from construction seems inappropriate.
- A dome would be very expensive to obtain and maintain, and a poor choice when we haven't yet maintained the green spaces that we do have.
- This idea **takes away green space** during the cold months. Many families and kids use that field all winter long. Again, the track field will be gone, and I can't imagine if we then make Mehney unusable for families that just want to go play catch and run around. We live in Michigan, it's cold, but many families embrace the cold. Families in EGR use Mehney as it is, 12 months of the year. During the snowy months, it is still used by kids playing ball sports, building snowmen, and running around. The hill down to it is constantly used for sledding by local kids during the winter months. Please don't consider taking the winter fun away from that outdoor field. It is a beautiful, large green space in a beautiful location overlooking Reeds Lake.

Thank you for your consideration,
John and Jessica Kemppainen

jmkemppainen@gmail.com

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From: [Ashley Fouch](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 12:46:50 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of 2 children who play lacrosse, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

I have personally seen multiple youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, and uneven and unprepped for sports use behind the Middle School.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these two asks.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thanks,
Ashley Fouch

From: [Chip George](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: Input on fields
Date: Monday, December 16, 2024 2:34:25 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of 2 children who play football, girls lacrosse and boys lacrosse, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games. This should not take much work and it would be less embarrassing when hosting other community sports teams that expect a great experience when coming to East Grand Rapids.

2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR. Maybe even Calvin College.

3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution. This is an awesome idea and seems like it would help all sports compete with other communities that have better facilities.

Supporting Rationale:

I have personally seen multiple youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy and Middle School fields due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, and uneven and unprepped for sports use behind the Middle School. Nice grass fields do not seem like to much to ask for young athletes.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these two asks.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes and continuing with the East Grand Rapids tradition of winning. We should look for a solution.

Please let me know if I can help with any of this.

Thanks,

Chip George

CHIP GEORGE

AMBASSADOR OF AWESOME

616.308.5058



COMFORT RESEARCH
CREATORS OF BIG JOE

From: [Emily Gorashko](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Saturday, December 14, 2024 12:29:36 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I recently learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of a child who plays lacrosse I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or city of GR park.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

I have personally heard of multiple youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, and uneven and unprepped for sports use behind the Middle School.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these asks.

Surrounding communities have constructed indoor turf sports facilities in recent years, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our EGR athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thanks to the commissioners for your service to our community,

Emily Gorashko

From: [Patrick Gushee](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Saturday, December 14, 2024 10:40:38 AM

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EGR Commissioners:

I recently learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent and coach of children who play lacrosse, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or city of GR park.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

I have personally seen multiple youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, and uneven and unprepped for sports use behind the Middle School.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these asks.

Surrounding communities have constructed indoor turf sports facilities in recent years, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our EGR athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thanks to the commissioners for your service to our community,

Patrick Gushée
C: 313-450-3399

From: [Emily Lorden](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 11:07:59 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of 4 children who play lacrosse, football, soccer and flag football, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

I have heard of multiple youth athletes being injured while running on the Wealthy and MS fields due to their surfaces being either hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, or uneven and unprepped for sports use behind the Middle School.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields (Wealthy and behind the MS) once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use during the HS construction. As such, it is VERY important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by prioritizing the above - improving our current fields as we prepare for an exponential increase in usage, and also securing an alternative location for practices, and/or creating enclosed turf space so that our athletes can grow and compete at the same level of surrounding schools.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution. Thank you!!

Emily Lorden, EGR resident

From: kylyn.mead@gmail.com
To: [Public Input](#)
Cc: ["Joe Mead"](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 2:23:14 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of JJ Mead, Billy Mead and Jack Mead who play every sport that has a field and a ball (lacrosse, soccer, football, baseball, ect.)

I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

I have personally seen multiple youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt at Wealthy, and uneven and unprepped for sports use behind the Middle School.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction

removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these two asks.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution.

Additionally, as collegiate athlete graduates, my husband and I know first-hand the importance sports have played in our lives both personally and professionally. Our alma mater, Tufts University, has achieved national level success both academically and athletically. Proper fields are of extreme importance to continue to support our children as they look to build skills as future leaders and stewards of the local and global communities.

From: [Randall Meulenberg](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Field Funding
Date: Monday, January 6, 2025 8:54:52 AM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of a son who plays football. I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

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Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these two asks.

Surrounding communities have been constructing indoor sports facilities with turf, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our young athletes. We should look for a solution.

Randall Meulenberg

From: [Kate Rowe](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: Funding input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 3:03:31 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of 2 children who play lacrosse and soccer, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR.

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Best regards,
Kate Rowe

From: [John Speer](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 3:52:17 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I recently learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to direct a significant piece of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of two children who play lacrosse and football, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.

2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or city of GR park.

3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

Supporting Rationale:

I personally saw a 6th grade athlete injured last year while running on Wealthy Elementary due to the surface being hard, smooth dirt. I have heard of many injuries to children over the past several years. This is not an acceptable situation to have children injured by our community neglect of a sports field.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on these two fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of constituents within EGR. Both sports

frequently hold games at these fields against opposing teams from other communities—it is embarrassing to host these teams and their parents at such sub-par fields.

We anticipate increased usage of these two fields once the high school construction removes the HS track field from sports use for the duration of the HS construction, so it is even more important for the city commissioners to support our hundreds of children in our community by responding to these asks.

Surrounding communities have constructed indoor turf sports facilities in recent years, and not having one is a serious disadvantage to our EGR athletes. We should look for a solution.

Thanks to the commissioners for your service to our community,

John Speer

From: [Aiko W](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: Improvements of EGR Sports fields - Funding
Date: Tuesday, December 17, 2024 10:18:05 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I understand that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend roughly \$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As parent of Kaleb Walson who plays lacrosse and has played soccer and football in prior years, I have a few considerations:

1. Improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. Secure field access outside of EGR, but close enough for players to travel during HS construction.
3. Consider an indoor field solution that can be used year round by all sports.

On a side note, I have personally known and heard of youth athletes being injured while running on Wealthy/MS fields due to the hard surface conditions, smooth and/or uneven dirt at our sports fields.

Despite their poor condition, hundreds of youth football players practice and play on the Wealthy and Middle School fields every fall, and hundreds of youth lacrosse players practice and play there every spring, representing a large portion of athletes within EGR.

When the high school construction begins there will be a greater reliance on elementary and middle school fields, so it is very important for the city commissioners to support and protect our youth in order to sustain a tradition of excellence in education and athletics!

Aiko Walson
1433 Edgewood Ave SE, East Grand Rapids, MI 49506

From: [Tim Weaver](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: EGR Parks Master Plan Input
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 2:24:44 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of 4 children who play lacrosse, I have three specific asks:

1. I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the fields behind Wealthy Elementary and the field behind EGRMS to be suitable for sports practices and games.
2. I ask the commissioners to consider securing field access outside EGR city boundaries but near enough that young players can travel to them independently for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously disrupt the cadence of youth and HS sports practices. This could be done by lease or long term agreement with a nearby church or the city of GR.
3. I ask the commissioners to search for an indoor field solution that can be used in the winter months by all sports and recreation activities. This could be at Mehney Field via a seasonal dome or some other solution.

I have coached youth lacrosse in EGR for the past 8 years and have not only seen injuries on our fields due to their poor quality but have first hand experience of the quality of fields our neighboring communities provide for their teams. We are way behind. For a community that has so few fields, we must invest in the ones we have.

Not only that, many surrounding communities have begun construction of indoor field houses to provide practice spaces for lacrosse, football, soccer, field hockey, marching band and a place for the community to walk during the winter months. This trend will only continue and we are being caught flat footed. This must be in our near future if we want EGR sports to continue to compete at the levels that we are accustomed to.

Thank you for your time

Tim Weaver
2060 Robinson Rd

From: [Eric Weiler](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: Improvement of Athletic Fields / Facilities
Date: Friday, December 13, 2024 2:05:45 PM

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Dear EGR Commissioners:

It has come to my attention that the EGR City Commissioners are in the process of deciding how to spend approximately \$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in East.

As a youth sports coach and parent of three children who play lacrosse and football, I have some specific requests:

I ask the commissioners to seriously consider improving the athletic fields at Wealthy Elementary and the middle school to be suitable for sports practices and games. These fields are generally filled with pot holes and in rough condition for play and practice. These fields are used by youth lacrosse and football, two of the communities most successful turf sports.

I also ask the commissioners to look at field access outside EGR city boundaries, close enough that young players can travel to them for the duration of the HS construction project that will remove the HS track field from use and seriously limit youth and HS sports practices for football and lacrosse. This could be done by lease or long term agreement, the city of Grand Rapids or through land acquisitions that will likely appreciate in value after the use is no longer needed.

We have a serious need for an indoor field solution that can be used in the colder months by all sports. I have wondered for quite a while why the space at Meheny field was not an indoor turf solution prior. I'm involved with indoor football and lacrosse in the winter months and there's a huge shortage of indoor practice space in the Grand Rapids area. In addition to the use by EGR athletics programs, there is a real revenue stream that can be realized with an indoor facility that is available to area club sports like soccer and football throughout the cold months which also brings people to our town for which the community business benefit similar to the benefit we see with NFL Flag at the high school on Sundays in the spring and fall. These clubs are willing to practice at late and early when EGR is not utilizing the space and pay handsomely for it as well as the ability to host tournaments and events. While we need more space short term to accommodate the high school project and improvement / expansion of the natural grass spaces, the long term answer is year round, multipurpose indoor space that can be used by boys and girls teams that play on turf. I understand the costs associated with building indoor facilities and strongly urge that the City work on a longterm plan to develop indoor resources for our kids.

The city has done a great job of providing community assets that people outside of EGR have access to as well as our tax payers, its time to look at improvements specifically for our youth athletes in a more serious fashion. We're drastically losing ground to other schools in our area. I find it hard to believe that schools like Hudsonville and Jenison can build the significant indoor facilities they have recently and East Grand Rapids cannot. We don't have as much land, but we certainly have enough land available.

In the short term, properly cared for athletic fields available to EGR youth sports is a must. I wouldn't allow our football team to practice at Wealthy after watching both of my boys get hurt the spring prior playing lacrosse on the field in the spring (when the turf is softer) and the middle school field is not much better. When we travel to other communities for sports, their fields are well taken care of, level, and mowed. In the case of the elementary schools, I understand those are playgrounds so they are going to take a beating but they can be certainly better maintained.

East Grand Rapids has a rich sports history, community pride in our athletics and I have not seen the interest of the city in supporting our young people in athletics the way other communities in the area have. Athletics is a very important factor in developing young people and fostering community involvement. Beyond the current decisions at hand to apply funds available, our tax base is capable of providing first class athletic practice and game spaces.

I strongly urge the City Commissioners to consider that the improvement of our athletic fields and facilities, in the short and longterm, stabilizes community value and provides the greatest resource for our kids and a large portion of our tax base. The benefit reaches beyond the youth sports in that if we have attractive athletics and facilities from youth through high school, we also benefit with the number of families enrolling their children in our schools vs private or other school districts. We're all aware that state school funding is a numbers game. Athletics are important and vital to the community, let's embrace the growing number of kids wanting to participate in sports and give them the spaces needed to do so.

Thank you for your consideration.

Eric Weiler

Principal

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From: [Meagan Zerfas](#)
To: [Public Input](#)
Subject: Egr funding
Date: Monday, December 16, 2024 2:15:55 PM

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EGR Commissioners:

I learned that the EGR City Commissioners are contemplating how to spend ~\$1M of funding on turf improvements for sports fields in EGR.

As a parent of 3 children who play (lacrosse, football, soccer, other sports I), I have three specific asks:

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Thank you,
Meg & Ben Zerfas

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2325 Hall St. SE

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2425 Lake Drive SE

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Welcome

For decades, the EGR Parks and Recreation Department has provided a diverse array of seasonal programming and cherished events and traditions, helping people explore, create and participate in our community.

In this guide, you will find our latest program offerings. We encourage you to peruse the guide and try something new, develop your skills and stay active. Registration and program-specific communications will be available on CivicRec – our online system that notifies participants of new classes, time changes, cancellations and more.

For questions and assistance with registration and venue rentals, please reach out to the Parks and Recreation team at 616.949.1750 and make sure to follow us on Facebook.

We look forward to seeing you enjoy all that we have to offer!



Derek Melville

EGR Parks & Recreation Director

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Our Mission

The East Grand Rapids Parks and Recreation Department, in strong partnership with the community and school district, is committed to providing courteous and efficient delivery of services in safe and secure facilities.

We are committed to providing enrichment, educational and sports programming for all ages to promote healthy lifestyles, family interaction and a sense of community.

We are dedicated to preserving, enhancing and protecting our parks, green spaces and indoor and outdoor facilities in a fiscally responsible manner for present and future generations.

SPECIAL EVENTS



SPORTS NIGHT OUT
2025

Saturday, February 8
5:30pm-8:30pm

**Register kids ages 5+
and chaperone**

<i>Residents</i>	\$24
<i>Non-Residents</i>	\$29

SIGN UP BY 1/5 TO SAVE \$5

EGRHS GYMNASIUM




GASLIGHT VILLAGE
East Grand Rapids, Michigan

Holiday
TREE LIGHTING

FRIDAY, NOV. 29
REGATTA PLAZA

details coming soon
gogaslight.com

INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

Interscholastic League Sports

- Participants must be enrolled as EGRMS students and are required to carry a 2.0 GPA per marking period.
- A current athletic physical must be on file with EGRMS dated on or after April 15 of the current school year.
- Transportation is not provided. Parents will need to car pool to away competitions.
- All registration takes place through the Parks & Recreation Department. You may register in person, over the phone or online with a user name and password provided by the Recreation Department.
- We are part of the West Michigan Middle School Conference.

Interscholastic Girls Swim and Dive Team | 6th-8th Grade

Athletes will choose to participate on the Swim team or Dive team when registering.

The team will participate against other schools in the West Michigan Middle School Conference.

Meets: Tuesdays and Thursdays (Meet Times: 4:00-5:30 and 6:00-7:30)

League Schools: Forest Hills, Byron Center, Wayland, GRPS, East Kentwood

Swim team: Open to 6th-8th grade
Depending on pool availability a 1-hour practice will be held between the time frame of 3:30-7:00.

Events: Swimmers will have the opportunity to participate in 2-3 events (3 events not guaranteed)

Dive Team: Open to 7th and 8th grade
Depending on pool availability a 1-hour practice will be held between the time frame of 3:30-7:00.

Events: Depending on the school location limited divers will participate at meets.

Conference Meet: Dec. 18 = Dive at EGR HS
Dec. 19 = Swim at EGR HS

Location: High School Pool
Transportation not provided.

Mo-Th 10/28-12/19 4:00-7:00PM R\$187 NR\$207

Sign up by the registration deadline of Oct. 23.

Interscholastic Boys Swim and Dive | 6th-8th Grade

Athletes will choose to participate on the Swim team or Dive Team when registering.

The team will participate against other schools in the West Michigan Middle School Conference.

Meets: Tuesdays and Thursdays (Meet Times: 4:00-5:30 and 6:00-7:30)

Swim team: (Open to 6th-8th grade)
Depending on pool availability a 1-hour practice will be held between the time frame of 3:30-7:00.

Events: Swimmers will have the opportunity to participate in 2-3 events (3 events not guaranteed)

Dive Team: (Open to 7th & 8th grade)
Depending on pool availability a 1-hour practice will be held between the time frame of 3:30-7:00.

Events: Depending on the school location limited divers will participate at meets.

Conference Meet: TBD

Transportation not provided.

Location: High School Pool

Mo-Th 1/06-2/28 4:00-8:00PM R\$217 NR\$237

Sign up by the registration deadline of Jan. 6.

INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

Interscholastic Boys Basketball | 7th-8th Grade

Interscholastic Teams: will have a 10-12 match schedule and play against schools in the surrounding area. Depending on enrollment after evaluations, players will be placed onto specific teams (A,B or Rec) based on their skill level.

Evaluation Goal: To ensure that team placements are fairly and objectively determined. To give each player the opportunity to be selected onto the A, B or Rec. teams depending on skill level, hard work and attitude.

Location: EGR Middle School Gym

New Evaluation Dates: Mon. Oct. 21 and Thurs. Oct. 24
Monday, Oct. 21 (7th) 4:00-5:30 and (8th) 6:00-7:30
Thursday, Oct. 24 (8th) 4:00-5:30 and (7th) 6:00-7:30

Interscholastic Games: Begin the week of Nov. 4.

"A" Teams play first with "B" teams to follow. Games are scheduled for a 4 or 4:15 PM start. If a game at a site is played where no "B" Teams are involved but instead both "A" Teams (7A/8A), the 7A game will start at 4:00pm with the 8A team to follow.

Rec Team: Players will receive a reduced fee and play 6 matches against other schools or inter-squad games.

Game dates and times: TBA

A Sports Physical is needed on or after April 15 of the previous school year.

League Rules: (4) 8-minute quarters. All players must play the equivalent of one quarter.

Practices are M-TH: Coaches will pick a 1.5 hr practice time between the hours of 3:30-7:30.

Transportation not provided.

Mo-Th 10/21-12/18 4:00-7:00PM R\$195 NR\$215

Sign up by the registration deadline of Oct. 21.

Interscholastic Girls Basketball | 7th-8th Grade

Interscholastic Teams: will have a 10-12 match schedule and play against schools in the surrounding area. Depending on enrollment after evaluations, players will be placed onto specific teams (A,B or Rec) based on their skill level.

Evaluation Goal: To ensure that team placements are fairly and objectively determined. To give each player the opportunity to be selected onto the A, B or Rec. teams depending on skill level, hard work and attitude.

Location: EGR Middle School Gym

Evaluation Dates: Jan. 6 and Jan. 7 (2 days)
7th Grade: 4:00-5:30
8th Grade: 5:30-7:00

Interscholastic Games: Begin the week of Nov. 4.

"A" Teams play first with "B" teams to follow. Games are scheduled for a 4 or 4:15 PM start. If a game at a site is played where no "B" Teams are involved but instead both "A" Teams (7A/8A), the 7A game will start at 4:00pm with the 8A team to follow.

Rec Team: Players will receive a reduced fee and play 6 matches against other schools or inter-squad games.

Game dates and times: TBA

A Sports Physical is needed on or after April 15 of the previous school year.

League Rules: (4) 8-minute quarters. All players must play the equivalent of one quarter.

Practices are M-TH: Coaches will pick a 1.5 hr practice time between the hours of 3:30-7:30.

Transportation not provided.

Mo-Th 1/06-2/26 4:00-7:30PM R\$202 NR\$222

Sign up by the registration deadline of January 6.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS



Boys 6th Grade Basketball League

The 6th grade league will include 1-2 practices a week beginning the week of Nov. 4. The format of the league will be a mix of instruction, scrimmage and games.

Practices: 6:00-7:30 (Tuesdays and Thursdays)
-subject to change

Games: 4 to 6 games vs various Grand Rapids Public Schools

Time: 5:15 or 5:30

Day: Mondays or Wednesdays

Location: Lakeside Elementary School Gym

Mo-Th 11/04-12/18 5:00-7:30PM R\$107 NR\$127

Sign up by the registration deadline of Oct. 11 to save \$20.

Girls 6th Grade Basketball League

The format of the league will be a mix of instruction, scrimmage and games.

Practices: 6:00-7:00 (Tuesdays and Thursdays)

Games: 4 to 6 games against various Grand Rapids Public Schools

Times: 5:15 or 5:30

Day: Mondays or Wednesdays

Location: East Grand Rapids Middle School Gym

Mo-Th 1/07-2/13 5:00-7:30PM R\$107 NR\$127

Sign up by the registration deadline of September 20 to save \$20.

Girls Volleyball League 5th & 6th Grade

This league is a great stepping stone to middle school volleyball. Teams will have a 1 day a week/1 hour practice determined by the coaches either from 6:00-7:00 or 7:00-8:00 and (1) match will be played on Saturdays.

Practice day: TBD by Coach
Volunteer coaches needed

Practices Begin: Week of Jan. 13, 2025

Practice Time: 6:00-7:00 or 7:00-8:00

Saturday Games: (1) match will take place between 8:00am-1:00pm

First Games: Jan. 25

Teams will randomly be put together. (1)Buddy request per player

Needed Supplies: Athletic Shoes and Knee pads

Location: Lakeside Elementary School Gym

Sa 1/13-3/08 8:00AM-1:00PM R\$85 NR\$100

Sign up by the registration deadline of December 2 to save \$20.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS

Spring Baseball | 7th-8th Grade

In this league our teams will play against other members of the Michigan Middle School Baseball League at the Meijer Sport Complex in Rockford. Registration is open to current 7th and 8th graders and is first come first served. Unfortunately, we cannot control the weather and therefore will not issue refunds for practices or games.

Any player who registers before September 30th will be placed on a team if a roster spot opens. Any player registering after September 30th will only be placed on a team if a roster spot opens.

Due to the league requiring payment in winter to hold our spot in the league, no refunds will be given after November 4.

Game Location: Meijer Sport Complex- Rockford MI

* If your child was a part of the 2024 Middle School Baseball League as a 7th grader, registration is still required for the 2025 Middle School Baseball League.

3/24-5/09 4:00-8:00PM R\$239 NR\$259

Registration deadline, September 30.

Refund deadline, November 4.

UPCOMING SPORTS DEADLINES

INTERSCHOLASTIC

- Girls 6th-8th Swim & Dive: 10/23
- Boys 7th & 8th Basketball: 10/21
- Girls 7th & 8th Basketball: 1/06
- Boys 6th-8th Swim & Dive: 1/06

MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Boys 6th Grade Basketball: 10/11
- Girls 5th & 6th Volleyball: 12/02

ELEMENTARY

- Boys "In Training" League: 12/09
- Boys Basketball League: 12/09
- Pee Wee Soccer: 2/28
- K-5th Coed Soccer League: 2/28
- Little Sluggers: 5/05

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

BUDDY SYSTEM

Is designed for those signing up without a team and to allow children to know at least one child on their team. It may also help families with carpool issues.

We require a Buddy Request Form to be completed in person or online. Each child's parent or guardian must complete the form to be valid. Limit one buddy request per child.

Once the program deadline has passed, we will not accept any other requests. Due to various situations, the Buddy System does not guarantee your request will be honored.

YOUTH SPORTS

Girls and Boys Soccer Spring Academy League | K-5th Grade

This recreational soccer league is open to children currently in Kindergarten through 5th grade. The program consists of (1) 1 hour week day team practice which is TBD by volunteer coach, (1) 1 hour Saturday game and (4) week day optional Academy Training sessions per week which is included in your fee. Coached by the Academy staff sessions will focus on player development through enhancing the technical skill of each player in a structured environment that is challenging and fun. The program is committed to offering the highest level of soccer coaching for beginners and experienced players alike. More information about the drop-in training session times will be emailed out at a later date.

Practices: Start the week of April 13th and volunteer coaches will choose a 1 day a week and 1 hour practice time and day.

Game Dates: Saturdays April 19-May 31 (No games 5/24)

Game Times: Range between 8:00am-4:00pm

Needed Supplies: Molded soccer cleats/Athletic shoes, Shin guards and a soccer ball for practice with name written on it. Kindergarten (Size 3), 1st-5th (Size 4)

Kindergarten - Size 3 soccer ball for practice/Game Play (4) 6 minute quarters/ 5 v 5 NO Goalie
1st-2nd - Size 4 soccer ball for practice/ Game Play (4) 8 minute quarters/ 7 v 7 plus Goalie
3rd-5th- Size 4 soccer ball for practice/ Game Play (4) 10 minute quarters/ 8 v 8 plus Goalie

Volunteer coaches will choose a 1 day a week and 1 hour practice time and day.

Location: Manhattan Park

Sa 4/14-5/31 8:00AM-4:00PM R\$80 NR\$95

Sign up by the registration deadline of Feb. 28 to save \$20 and take advantage of the buddy system.

Little Sluggers League | PK - 2nd Grade

The Little Sluggers league is a great way to build a foundation of baseball basics.

Please enroll your player into the grade they are currently enrolled in for this school year.

- Games will take place on weekday nights beginning June 10.
- Players will receive a team T-shirt.
- Practices and games will be held on EGR fields.
- Each coach schedules practices for one hour on a weeknight.
- Coaches will contact players by mid-late May with schedules
- PK/K league is teeball for the entire season.

PK/K Grade League | Grades: PK-K

- This league is teeball for entire season.
- Practices will begin the week of June 2.
- Game will begin June 16 on weekday evenings.
- First two weeks will be a practice and a game.
- Remaining two weeks will be 2 games per week.

Daily 6/02-7/11 All Day R\$81 NR\$96

1st/2nd Grade League | Grades: 1st-2nd

- This league is teeball for the first few weeks, then coach pitch the remainder of the season.
- Practices will begin the week of June 2.
- Game will begin June 16 on weekday evenings.
- First two weeks will be a practice and a game.
- Remaining two weeks will be 2 games per week.

Daily 6/02-7/11 All Day R\$81 NR\$96

Sign up by the deadline of May 5 to save \$20 and take advantage of the buddy system.



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YOUTH SPORTS

Youth Indoor Soccer Camp (Coed) | Age: 7-13

EGR youth soccer camps are a great opportunity for your child to learn and better develop the game of soccer in a friendly atmosphere. Each camper will be in a positive environment and have an overall fun experience while learning the proper techniques of Dribbling, passing, shooting, defending, and communication.

Needed Supplies: Athletic shoes (No Cleats), Shin Guards, Water bottle

*No pro-rating/discounts for missed sessions if not able to attend during Winter Breaks.

Camp will not meet on: 12/27, 1/24

Location: Lakeside Elementary School Gym
Instructor: EGR HS Varsity Girls/Boys Soccer Coach Rodriguez and staff

Birth Year 2016-2017 Age: 7-8

Fr	12/06-1/10	4:00-5:15PM	R\$100	NR\$120
Fr	1/17-2/21	4:00-5:15PM	R\$100	NR\$120

Birth Year 2014-2015 Age: 9-10

Fr	12/06-1/10	5:15-6:30PM	R\$100	NR\$120
Fr	1/17-2/21	5:15-6:30PM	R\$100	NR\$120

Birth Year 2011-2013 Age: 11-13

Fr	12/06-1/10	6:30-7:45PM	R\$100	NR\$120
Fr	1/17-2/21	6:30-7:45PM	R\$100	NR\$120

Girls Basketball Camp | 3rd-8th Grade

EGR youth basketball camps are a great opportunity for your child to learn and better develop the game of basketball in a friendly atmosphere. Each camper is placed in their age group and skill level to ensure a positive environment and an overall fun experience!

Location: East Grand Rapids High School Gymnasium
Instructor: EGR HS Varsity Girls Basketball Coach Hengesbach, and Staff

Sa	1/11	10:30AM-12:00PM	R\$26	NR\$36
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Coed Soccer Spring Pee Wee League | Age: 4-5

The Pee Wee league is open to all players turning 4-5 years of age.

Current Kindergarten students are allowed to play in this league or the Pioneer soccer academy. Games and practices will take place on Saturdays. Each team will have a 30 min practice and a 30 min game consisting of four 6 minute quarters with a 4 minute half time break. If you would like to volunteer to coach or assist, let us know when you register your child.

Needed Supplies: molded soccer cleats or athletic shoes, shin guards and a size 3 soccer ball for practice with your name on it.

Location: Manhattan Park Soccer Field

Sa	4/19-5/31	8:00AM-4:00PM	R\$65	NR\$80
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Sign up by the registration deadline of Feb. 28 to save \$20 and take advantage of the buddy system.

Girls Volleyball Camp | 3rd-8th grade

This program will focus on fundamental training and concentrate on individual skills. Coaches will instruct the fundamentals of passing, spiking, serving, setting and game play.

Location: East Grand Rapids Middle School Gym
Instructor: EGR Varsity Coach Hungerford and staff.

Session 1 | Mo, Tu 12/30-12/31

3rd-4th	9:00-10:30AM	R\$54	NR\$69
5th -6th	11:00AM-1:00PM	R\$72	NR\$87
7th -8th	1:30-3:30PM	R\$72	NR\$87

Session 2 | Mo, Tu 1/02-1/03

3rd-4th	9:00-10:30AM	R\$54	NR\$69
5th -6th	11:00AM-1:00PM	R\$72	NR\$87
7th -8th	1:30-3:30PM	R\$72	NR\$87

YOUTH BOYS BASKETBALL

Boys "In Training League" | PK-1st Grade

This is a fun introductory program for Pre-Kindergarten through 1st graders.

Practice time will be designed by using coaching stations. The players will be divided into groups and will rotate between coaches. This will allow for a nice flow of activity for the players and exposure to different coaching styles. Each coaching group will have a skill that they are working on during their rotation. The length of each rotation will be determined by the number of stations for that practice.

The goal of this program is to build a strong foundation of basketball knowledge for PK-1st grade boys. This will be an instructional and fun program. All players will be given opportunities to develop and progress their basketball skills.

Please bring your own basketball, size 27.5 and labeled with your name.

Additional Fee: \$15.00/Reversible EGR Jersey

Volunteer coaches needed for this program.

** Game times could range from 8am - 5pm based on number of teams.*

Program will not meet on: 2/15

Location: EGR Gyms

Sa 1/25-3/08 8:00AM-5:00PM R\$95 NR\$115

Sign up by the registration deadline of December 9 to save \$20.

Boys Basketball League | 2nd-5th Grade

Team or individuals welcomed! There are two options for registration. 1) Team coaches can submit a roster of 6-12 players and selected team players will register individually through the EGR Rec. Dept. If a team does not meet a 12 player roster, the team will be open to receive individual players. 2) Individuals may enroll and be placed to a team and request 1 buddy.

This league will include 1 practice a week beginning the week of January 13. Practice days and times will be determined by the volunteer coach and availability of facilities. Games will be played on Saturday mornings and afternoons. Game day league rules: (4) 8-minute quarters and a 6 minute halftime. * No evaluations.

*If you want to bring a team, the team MUST have a coach.

*Coaches must turn in a roster for their team by:
Boys League: 12/2/2024

If a player from a team is not enrolled by the deadline date, their spot will become available for other placement.

* Participants can only play for one team.

*Buddy System is available for those who register without a team.

Additional Fee: \$15.00/Reversible EGR Jersey
Please bring your own basketball (28.5 size and labeled with name).

** Game times could range from 8am - 5pm based on number of teams.*

Games will not meet on: 2/15

Location: EGR Gyms

Practices: Begin the week of January 15

Sa 1/25-3/08 8:00AM-5:00PM R\$107 NR\$127

Sign up by the registration deadline of December 9 to save \$20.

SPORTS CALENDAR

EGR PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS

	FALL	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER
BASEBALL/TEE-BALL				
7th-8th Grade Middle School Baseball			X	
K-2nd Little Sluggers			X	
Pee Wee Tee-Ball Camp			X	
BASKETBALL				
PK-5th Grade Boys Basketball		X		
PK-5th Grade Girls Basketball - Late Fall	X			
6th Grade Boys Basketball		X		
6th Grade Girls Basketball		X		
7th-8th Grade Boys Basketball		X		
7th-8th Grade Girls Basketball		X		
CROSS COUNTRY				
6th-8th Grade Coed Cross Country	X			
FIELD HOCKEY				
7th-8th Grade Girls Field Hockey	X			
FOOTBALL				
7th-8th Grade Football	X			
2nd-6th Grade Youth Football	X			
LACROSSE				
K-8th Grade Boys Lacrosse	Please visit East Pride Lacrosse at eastpridelacrosse.com for more information, or see the EPL advertisement in the program guide.			
1st-8th Grade Girls Lacrosse				
SOCCER				
6th Grade Coed Middle School Soccer	X		X	
7th-8th Grade Soccer	X = Boys		X = Girls	
PK-5th Grade Coed Youth Soccer	X		X	
SWIM & DIVE				
6th-8th Grade Boys Swim & Dive		X		
6th-8th Grade Girls Swim & Dive		X		
SWIM LESSONS				
All Ages (Group and Private)	X	X	X	X
SUMMER SPORTS/CAMPS				
Summer Sport Camps and Clinics				X
TENNIS				
7th-8th Grade Middle School Boys Tennis	X			
7th-8th Grade Middle School Girls Tennis			X	
TRACK				
6th-8th Grade Middle School Coed Track			X	
VOLLEYBALL				
5th-6th Grade Volleyball		X		
7th-8th Grade Volleyball	X			
WATERPOLO				
6th-8th Grade Middle School Coed Waterpolo			X	

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Galaxy Far Away | K-5th Grade

Join us for a journey through one of the greatest space stories of all time! If you favor building vehicles such as the Millennium Falcon, characters such as AT-ST, or good guys and bad guys battling with laser fighters, this is the class for you! During this unit students will build models from the Star Wars franchise, and engage in weekly trivia related to each weeks model! We use age-appropriate models for different levels of building skill. This class explores STEAM concepts (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) primarily using LEGO Bricks, in which children will grow familiar with problem-solving and critical-thinking skills. Models will include both technic/motorized builds and mosaics!

Class will not meet on: 11/25, 11/26, 11/27

Location: Breton Elementary Art Room
Mo 10/28-12/9 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

Location: Lakeside Elementary Art Room
Tu 10/29-12/10 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

Location: Wealthy Elementary Small Conference Room
We 10/30-12/11 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

A Pirate's Quest | K-5th Grade

"Shiver me timbers!" Explore the popular culture behind the life of a pirate! We'll build a motorized pirate ship, a capstan, a helm and an anchor, as we batten down the hatches and prepare for mutiny. We'll try to protect all hands on deck by building a launching trebuchet. Watch out for crocodiles! Anchors aweigh!

Class will not meet on: 1/20

Instructor: Sheryl Egner

Location: Breton Elementary Art Room
Mo 1/13-2/10 3:20-4:35PM R\$69 NR\$84

Location: Lakeside Elementary Art Room
Mo 1/14-2/04 3:20-4:35PM R\$69 NR\$84

Location: Wealthy Elementary Small Conference Room
Mo 1/15-2/05 3:20-4:35PM R\$69 NR\$84

Jurassic Brick Land | Ages: 5-11

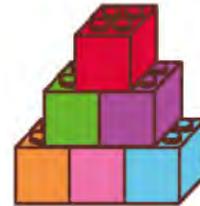
Put on your hiking boots and camouflage...you're about to enter Jurassic Brick Land! Students will build a world that comes to life with the giant Brontosaurus, ferocious Velociraptor, terrifying T. Rex, and more. We'll learn about amazing dinosaurs that lived during the Jurassic period, and other extinct, prehistoric animals that roamed the earth and swam the seas during that era. Show us your building skills using our specialized project kits!

Instructor: Sheryl Egner

Location: Breton Elementary Art Room
Mo 2/24-3/31 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

Location: Lakeside Elementary Art Room
Tu 2/18-3/25 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

Location: Wealthy Elementary Small Conference Room
We 2/19-3/26 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128



Life Science | K-5th Grade

Explore the fascinating science of living things, and build engaging models of creatures from caterpillars to spiders and snakes. During this unit, students will explore topics such as how the human body stays cool, the amazing life cycle of a butterfly, and investigate the Venus Fly Trap, a plant that eats bugs! If you love creatures, this is the class for you.

Instructor: Sheryl Egner

Location: Breton Elementary Art Room
Mo 4/14-5/19 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

Location: Breton Elementary Art Room
Tu 4/15-5/20 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

Location: Wealthy Elementary Small Conference Room
We 4/16-5/21 3:20-4:35PM R\$108 NR\$128

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

Babysitting | Age: 11-18

This class will incorporate babysitter basics, mealtime do's and don'ts, changing diapers and toddler games as well as basic first aid and CPR. Each participant will receive a certificate of completion through Heartbeat, LLC. American Heart Association CPR will be taught. Please bring a lunch.

Location: Community Center Rooms 101 & 102
Instructor: Cari O'Connor

Sa 3/08 9:00AM-2:00PM R\$56 NR\$71

Youth Yoga | Age: 6-12

Join the fun! We'll practice a variety of kid-friendly yoga poses, increasing flexibility, strength, and coordination. Yoga mats are available at the Parks & Recreation Dept., or bring your own mat. Your child should wear comfortable exercise clothing and bring a water bottle. Also, please be courteous and arrive a few minutes early and silence all cell phones. We also ask that no perfume or cologne be applied prior to class.

Location: Community Center Room 102
Instructor: Denise Mollenhauer

Mo 1/06-3/31 4:30-5:15PM R\$137 NR\$157



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Fencing - Youth | Age: 5-15

Fencing is a dynamic sport that combines physical agility and strategic thinking. As one of the original Olympic disciplines, it offers a unique blend of challenge and excitement. In the United States, also known as "Physical Chess," fencing is one of the fastest-growing sports, and for good reason. Training in fencing enhances hand-eye coordination and sharpens concentration, flexibility, reflexes, and mental agility.

Our class is designed to introduce beginners to the fundamental skills needed to fence. We provide all necessary equipment at no additional cost.

This class will be taught by experienced GRAFA coaches who trained US National Cadets and Junior teams.

Join us at the Grand Rapids Area Fencing Academy (GRAFA) at 1345 Monroe NW, Suite 102, Grand Rapids, MI 49505. Whether you're looking to take up a new sport or explore the art of fencing, this is the perfect opportunity to start.



Location: GRAFA
Instructor: GRAFA Instructors

Beg. Youth Age: 8-15

Tu 1/7-2/11 6:00-7:00PM R\$108 NR\$128
Tu 2/18-3/25 6:00-7:00PM R\$108 NR\$128

In this playful and imaginative class designed for kindergarteners, children will step into the shoes of brave musketeers and learn the basics of fencing in a fun and dynamic environment.

Led by our experienced instructors, children will be introduced to the fundamental concepts of fencing through interactive games and activities. They'll learn how to hold a foil, basic footwork techniques, importance of coordination and balance, and respecting their fellow musketeers in the fencing arena.

Children will be equipped with child-friendly plastic fencing equipment suitable for their age.

Kinder Age: 5-7

We 1/8-2/12 5:00-6:00PM R\$108 NR\$128
We 2/19-3/26 5:00-6:00PM R\$108 NR\$128

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

Peaceful Dragons | Age: 5-15

This fun course is designed for self defense purposes emphasizing child safety awareness. The children practice martial arts moves to help them get out of dangerous situations. We show them how to walk away from a fight and when necessary, defend themselves. The students have the opportunity to spar (light contact) and to progress to higher belts. Additional fees apply in these. The children can also earn certificates and medals. This program is designed specifically for children ages 5-15 and is taught by a black belt who has extensive training in teaching children.

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Peaceful Dragons

Age: 5-8

Beginning

Tu 1/14-3/11 6:00-6:45PM R\$79 NR\$99

Returning

Tu 1/14-3/11 6:45-7:30PM R\$79 NR\$99

Age: 9-15

Beginning

Tu 1/14-3/11 7:30-8:15PM R\$79 NR\$99

Returning

Tu 1/14-3/11 8:15-9:00PM R\$79 NR\$99



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SCRATCH Camp | Age: 5-11

In this class, students will learn how to design, code, and publish games and animations using the building block coding language, "Scratch". Students will create two projects over the course of the class, hoping to promote STEM and especially computer science.

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Ray Flanagan

A computer or device that can access the internet during class is required.

Tu 4:00-5:00PM R\$32 NR\$47

Intro to Improv Comedy | Age: 8-12



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YOUTH DANCE



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Tiny Toes Dance | Age: 2-3

Your child will have fun in this beginning movement class. This class will help build independence and help ready your child for preschool. The parents will ease out of the room by the last class. Ballet or gym shoes.

Class will not meet on 1/20

Location: Community Center Room 104
Instructor: Shannon Fauble

Mo*	1/13-2/17	10:45-11:15AM	R\$48	NR\$63
Mo*	1/13-2/17	11:25-11:55AM	R\$48	NR\$63
Mo	2/24-3/31	10:45-11:15AM	R\$57	NR\$72
Mo	2/24-3/31	11:25-11:55AM	R\$57	NR\$72
Tu	1/14-2/18	5:15-5:45PM	R\$57	NR\$72
Tu	1/14-2/18	10:45-11:15AM	R\$57	NR\$72
Tu	2/25-4/01	5:15-5:45PM	R\$57	NR\$72
Tu	2/25-4/01	10:45-11:15AM	R\$57	NR\$72
We	1/15-2/19	5:00-5:30PM	R\$57	NR\$72
We	2/26-4/02	5:00-5:30PM	R\$57	NR\$72

Mo* indicates 5 week session, instead of 6.

Classes will meet over EGR winter break 2/17.

Twinkle Toes 1 Dance | Age: 3-4

In this class dancers will be introduced to basic positions and terminology while learning the grace of ballet and exciting rhythms of tap. Ballet and tap shoes required.

Class will not meet on: 1/20, 4/07, 4/08, 4/09

Location: Community Center Room 104
Instructor: Shannon Fauble

Mo*	1/13-4/21	9:45-10:30AM	R\$127	NR\$147
Tu	1/14-4/22	4:15-5:00PM	R\$135	NR\$155
Tu	1/14-4/22	9:45-10:30AM	R\$135	NR\$155
We	1/15-4/23	4:00-4:45PM	R\$135	NR\$155

Mo* indicates 13 week session, instead of 14.

Photo: Adobe Express



YOUTH DANCE

Twinkle Toes 2 Dance | Age: 4-6

In this class dancers will learn positions, basic terminology and continue to expand ballet and tap skills. Dancers will also work on rhythm, locomotor skills and coordination. This is a great class for the new or returning 5 year old dancer or for 4 year olds with at least one session of TT1. Ballet and tap shoes required.

Class will not meet on: 4/08, 4/09

Location: Community Center Room 104
Instructor: Shannon Fauble, Annie Vandenberg

Tu	1/14-4/22	11:30AM-12:20PM	R\$143	NR\$163
Th	1/15-4/23	10:00-10:50AM	R\$143	NR\$163
We	1/15-4/23	4:30-5:20PM	R\$143	NR\$163
We	1/15-4/23	5:45-6:30PM	R\$143	NR\$163
We	1/15-4/23	6:40-7:30PM	R\$143	NR\$163

Big Kids Ballet | Age: 6-9

This class is for the dancer who would like to concentrate their training in ballet. Dancers will do barre work, center work and across the floor exercises. Ballet shoes required by the second class.

Class will not meet on: 4/08

Location: Community Center Room 104
Instructor: Shannon Fauble

Tu	1/14-4/22	6:00-6:50PM	R\$143	NR\$163
Tu	1/14-4/22	7:00-7:50PM	R\$143	NR\$163

Big Kids Combo | Age: 6-9

This class is for experienced dancers to continue expanding their skills. Dancers will work in tap and jazz and will also start learning how to work together to create their own choreography. Jazz and tap shoes required.

Class will not meet on: 4/09

Location: Community Center Room 102
Instructor: Annie Vandenberg

We	1/15-4/23	5:30-6:30PM	R\$152	NR\$172
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Irish Dance | Age: 5-13

Our mission is to offer quality Irish Dance instruction for boys and girls, while providing a safe, supportive and positive learning environment that lends itself to developing well-rounded and confident dancers. Please wear ballet flats or jazz shoes. *Must NOT be enrolled in another CLRG certified Irish dancing school.

Location: Community Center Room 104
Instructor: SRNB Dance Academy

Irish Dance 1

This class offers entry-level instruction in Irish dancing technique and provides an excellent cardio workout while building confidence. No prior dance experience is required.

Mo	1/06-3/03	4:30-5:30PM	R\$85	NR\$105
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Irish Dance 2

For dancers who have taken Irish Dance 1. This class improves basic Irish Dance technique and explores the continuation of soft shoe dancing as well as introductory lessons in hard shoe dancing. Our mission is to offer quality Irish Dance instruction for boys and girls, while providing a safe, supportive and positive learning environment that lends itself to developing well-rounded and confident dancers. Please wear ballet flats or jazz shoes. *Must NOT be enrolled in another CLRG Irish dancing school.

Location: Community Center Room 104
Instructor: SRNB Dance Academy

Mo	1/06-3/03	5:30-6:30PM	R\$85	NR\$105
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YOUTH ART



Photo: Adobe Express

Location: Community Center Room 103
Instructor: Cultivate Art Instructors

Young Artist Series | Age: 3-6

This course is an exciting, play-based opportunity for children to explore their creativity, develop fine motor skills, and express themselves through various art mediums. Each month offers different lessons, and we invite kids to repeat classes as often as they, like!

An intro art class for our youngest art masters. A play-based approach to art-making: we will read a book on an artist and then create art about their work, including painting, printmaking, clay, drawing, and more. This class focuses on a different artist and medium every week, so you can do one session or all!

Th	1/09-1/30	10:00-10:45AM	R\$68	NR\$83
Fr	1/10-1/31	10:00-10:45AM	R\$68	NR\$83
Th	2/06-2/27	10:00-10:45AM	R\$68	NR\$83
Fr	2/07-2/28	10:00-10:45AM	R\$68	NR\$83
Th*	3/06-3/20	10:00-10:45AM	R\$51	NR\$66
Fr *	3/07-3/21	10:00-10:45AM	R\$51	NR\$66

*3 week classes

Elementary Art Classes | Age: 6-12

Elementary Art Classes will offer an opportunity explore various forms of art during each class.

Sculpture with Recycled Materials

Create sculptures using recycled materials in this eco-friendly class. Kids will learn to think creatively about repurposing items.

Class will not meet on 1/20

Mo 1/06-2/03 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Comics and Storytelling

Combine art and narrative in this creative class. Artists will develop their storytelling skills while drawing their own comic strips.

Tu 1/07-1/28 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Exploring Painting Techniques

Discover a variety of painting techniques in this hands-on class. From watercolors to acrylics, kids will explore different ways to paint.

We 1/08-1/29 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Fundamentals of Drawing

Master the basics of drawing in this foundational class. Kids will learn important skills that will help them in all their future art projects.

Th 1/09-1/30 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Introduction to Comics

Get started with the basics of comics in this introductory class. Kids will learn about character creation, storytelling, and drawing comic panels.

Tu 2/04-2/25 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Watercolor Painting Fun

Have fun with watercolors in this playful class. Kids will explore different techniques and create vibrant paintings.

We 2/05-2/26 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

YOUTH ART & MUSIC

Elementary Art Classes | Age: 6-12

Drawing Animals

Learn to draw your favorite animals in this fun and educational class. Kids will study different animals and practice drawing them realistically.

Th 2/06-2/27 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Nature Inspired Sculptures

Use natural materials to create stunning sculptures. This class encourages kids to look at nature for inspiration for their art.

Mo 2/10-3/03 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Superhero Comics

Create your own superhero comics in this exciting class. Kids will design their own heroes and villain's and develop their stories.

Tu 3/04-3/25 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Landscape Painting

Paint beautiful landscapes in this relaxing and creative class. Kids will learn techniques for capturing the beauty of nature on canvas.

We 3/05-3/26 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Portrait Drawing Basics

Learn the basics of drawing portraits in this detailed class. Kids will study facial proportions and practice drawing realistic faces.

Th 3/06-3/20 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87

Paper Mache Creations

Get hands-on with paper mache in this fun class. Kids will create unique and exciting sculptures using this versatile material.

Mo 3/10-3/31 4:00-5:00PM R\$72 NR\$87



Photo: Adobe Express

Winter Fun Music Camp | Age: 1-5

Spend some time with your child while you enjoy musical themed camps. We will sing, dance, make crafts, and play instruments. Each class will have a specific theme. Sign up for one or all themes! This is an adult/child class.

Instructor: Janet Kremers

Join Miss Janet for a class to celebrate the season through song, dance and a craft.

Mo 12/16 10:00-10:45AM R\$13 NR\$18

Wiggle and Grow | Age: 1-3

Kindermusik is a researched-based program focused on whole-child development and learning through musical play. Your child will interact with other children and engage in movement, rhythmic, instrumental, and vocal activities that develop far more than just music skills. The activities feature multi-sensory learning, small and large motor muscle development, inhibitory control practice, singing and chanting new vocabulary words, simple instrument experimentation, collaboration with peers, parents, and teachers, and much more. Kindermusik class is a place where children and their parents strengthen their bond with each other while developing relationships with other families. Music will begin to positively affect your family, life at home, in the car, in public places, and in play with other children. Our approach to early childhood education and award-winning, developmentally appropriate curricula primes children for success in school and in life.

Winter Themes: Go, Go, Go!
How Do You Feel?

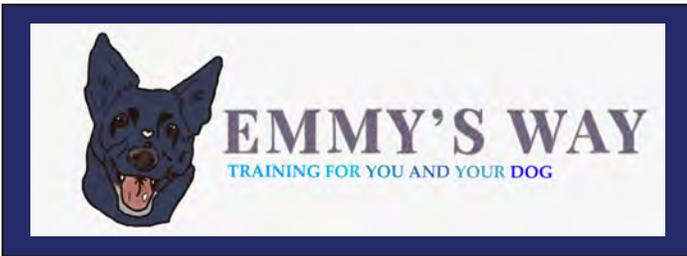
Location: Community Center Room 101
Instructor: Janet Kremers

Mo 1/27-3/31 9:45-10:30AM R\$112 NR\$132

Location: Community Center Room 101
Instructor: Ashley Lomasney

Tu 1/28-4/01 9:45-10:30AM R\$112 NR\$132

ADULT ENRICHMENT



Vet Approved Vaccinations required: please email to alex@emmysway.com

Location: Community Center Rooms

Puppy Class- Welcome to the world! | Dog Ages: 10wk - 5 months

This class is designed to welcome those sweet pups into our world and help set them up for success! We will teach you about dog training, dog ethology, socialization and what it means, potential for play groups, foundational work, support with common puppy challenges such as potty training, crate training, puppy biting, and jumping, and body language explanations!

Instructor: Sam Goosen

We 1/15-2/05 5:30-6:30PM R\$135 NR\$155

Train with your Dog | Dog Ages: 6 months+

For those who have not taken a class before, but are comfortable and able to work in the presence of other dogs. You will learn basic obedience skills such as leash walking and place behavior in addition to assistance with common behavior challenges such as listening skills, coming when called, barking at other dogs.

Instructor: Sam Goosen

We 1/15-2/05 6:45-7:45PM R\$135 NR\$155

Intro to Sports | Dog Ages: 6 months+

This course is designed for dogs who have completed a Puppy or Adult course with us or an equivalent at a local dog training facility. We will cover the following dog sports: parkour, scentwork, and tricks. You will learn the foundational skills and how to advance these skills within each sport during this time. This is a great class to do something fun with the kids and dogs, bond with your pup, and/or help your dog gain confidence!

Instructor: Alex Dunn

Th 1/16-2/20 6:00-7:00PM R\$150 NR\$170

Scentwork | Dog Ages: 6 months+

* Previous dog obedience class required.

* Dog must be comfortable around other dogs.

This class is designed for dogs to introduce and grow skills in the sport of scentwork. All clients will be provided with a scentwork tin containing birch essential oil for practice at home. This class is great for sensitive dogs, high-energy dogs who need to burn more energy, and clients looking for something fun to do with their dogs when the weather is nasty. We will be doing a variety of different style searches and have lots of fun along the way!

Instructor: Alex Dunn

Th 1/16-2/20 7:15-8:15PM R\$150 NR\$170

Young 5's | Dog Ages: 5+ months - 8 months

This class is designed for those who have not taken a formal class. You will be given an introduction to dog training, dog ethology, socialization and what it means, and foundational work (handler focus, leash walking, recall, etc)!

Instructor: Sam Goosen

We 2/19-3/12 5:30-6:30PM R\$135 NR\$155

Teenagers and Beyond | Dog Ages: Any

Those who have taken a formal class - building on training skills - work focused on basic obedience: recall, leash walking, polite greetings, place behavior, and more!

Instructor: Sam Goosen

We 2/19-3/12 6:45-7:45PM R\$135 NR\$155

ADULT ENRICHMENT

Beginning Adult Fencing | Age: 16+

Welcome to our unique adult fencing class, a place where enthusiasts of all levels come together to hone their skills, compete, and immerse themselves in the elegant Olympic Sport of Fencing.

Known also as "Physical Chess" fencing combines anaerobic and aerobic elements, developing eye and hand coordination and a great sense of balance and flexibility.

Our adult fencing class is led by experienced coaches who are US National Champions. The class begins with a focus on the fundamentals of fencing, including proper en garde, footwork, and blade work.

Safety is paramount so that participants will be equipped with regulation fencing gear, including masks, jackets, and gloves. Our coaches prioritize creating a supportive and inclusive environment where all fencers can learn and grow without fear of injury.

As the class progresses, participants can engage in friendly sparring sessions to apply their skills during the fencing bouts.

Whether your goal is to improve your fitness, unleash your competitive spirit, or indulge in the thrill of swordplay, our adult fencing class offers a welcoming and stimulating environment for fencers of all backgrounds and aspirations.

Join us as we embark on this exhilarating journey through the art and sport of fencing!

Location: GRAFA
Instructor: GRAFA Instructors

We	1/8-2/12	7:00-8:00PM	R\$135	NR\$155
We	2/19-3/26	7:00-8:00PM	R\$135	NR\$155



Photo: Adobe Express

Lunching at Local Restaurants | Age: 50+

Are you interested in dining out with others once a month at a local restaurant? The purpose of the group is to build community and connect with others, while discussing topics of interest...come and make some new friends! We'll meet at the restaurant at 11:30 a.m. Order and pay for what you'd like off the menu. Please call the Parks and Recreation Dept. at 949-1750 to RSVP.

January Lunch - Golden Wok				
Fr	1/17	11:30AM-1:00PM	R/NR Free	
February Lunch - On The Border				
Fr	2/21	11:30AM-1:00PM	R/NR Free	
March Lunch - TBD				
Fr	3/21	11:30AM-1:00PM	R/NR Free	

Beginner Bridge | Age: 14+

Do you enjoy playing card games? Would you like to learn a game you can enjoy throughout life? Then bridge is for you! It can be learned and enjoyed by anyone from late elementary school throughout life. You can play socially with a group of 4, or competitively at a local club throughout the U.S., and many other countries. This beginner class will teach you modern bridge bidding, play of the hand and defense. Class will consist of a lesson and then practice hands.

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Karen Cornelius

We	1/15-3/05	6:00-8:00PM	R\$92	NR\$112
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Continuing Bridge

This class is for those who have completed the beginner's class or those who already have some bridge experience. This class will focus on learning bidding conventions such as stayman, transfers, opening weak-two bids, negative doubles, and more if time allows!

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Karen Cornelius

Th	1/16-3/06	6:00-8:00PM	R\$92	NR\$112
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ADULT ART & YOGA



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Watercolors for Beginners | Age: 18+

Learn the essentials of watercolor painting in a supportive and relaxed environment. This class covers basic techniques and helps you build confidence as you explore this versatile medium.

Location: Community Center Room 103
Instructor: Cultivate Instructor

Class will not meet on: 1/20

Mo 1/06-1/27 6:00-8:00PM R\$100 NR\$120

Introduction to Garden Design | Age: 18+

Gain the foundational skills needed to design your own garden, including principles of layout, plant selection, and aesthetic planning. This course will help you create a garden that is both beautiful and functional.

Location: Community Center Room 103
Instructor: Cultivate Instructor

Garden Design 1

Mo 2/03-2/24 6:00-8:00PM R\$100 NR\$120

Garden Design 2

Mo 3/03-3/24 6:00-8:00PM R\$100 NR\$120

Beginning Yoga with Pilates | Age: 18+

Everyone can benefit from practicing yoga and Pilates! Come join us in a class paced just right for beginners. You'll improve your strength, flexibility, coordination and range of motion. You'll also enjoy improved circulation, cardiovascular health, and reduced stress. Yoga mats are available at the Parks & Recreation Department, or feel free to bring your own mat. Please wear comfortable exercise clothes. You may also want to bring a water bottle and blanket or towel. Please be courteous and arrive a few minutes early and silence all cell phones. We also ask that no perfume or cologne be applied prior to class.

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Denise Mollenhauer

Mo 1/06-3/31 6:35-7:35PM R\$137 NR\$157

Continuing Yoga with Pilates | Age: 18+

Now that you've mastered the beginning stages of yoga, you're ready to move to the next step! This class introduces more challenging poses, while enhancing familiar poses with more detail. We'll incorporate the Pilates method, famous for developing strength, flexibility and coordination. Participants should have completed at least one session of Beginning Yoga with Pilates and/or have some previous experience with yoga and Pilates. Yoga mats are available at the Parks & Rec. Dept., or bring your own. Please wear comfortable exercise clothes; you may also want to bring a blanket or towel and water bottle. Also, please arrive a few minutes early and silence all cell phones. We also ask that no perfume or cologne be applied prior to class.

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Denise Mollenhauer

Mo 1/06-3/31 5:30-6:30PM R\$137 NR\$157



ADULT YOGA & FITNESS

Gentle Chair Yoga | Age: 18+

With the aide of a chair, everyone can benefit from practicing yoga and Pilates! You'll improve strength, flexibility, coordination and range of motion. You'll also enjoy reduced stress, relaxation, and improved circulation. Please bring your own yoga mat, wear comfortable exercise clothes and bring a water bottle. Also, please be courteous and arrive a few minutes early and silence all cell phones. We also ask that no perfume or cologne be applied prior to class.

Location: Community Center
Instructor: Denise Mollenhauer

Tu 1/07-4/01 10:00-11:00AM R\$137 NR\$157

Aerial Yoga | Age: 16+

Ariel yoga is a low impact workout using a fabric hammock, suspended from the ceiling that supports full body weight to assist in postures and inversions. Improve strength and flexibility in a beginner-friendly class. Students must bring a yoga mat and wear form fitting clothing (no jewelry or zippers.) Float into a new level of fitness!

Location: Blackport Building in Ambrose Theater
959 Lake Dr. SE #200, Grand Rapids MI 49506
Instructor: Aerial Yoga

We 1/08-1/29 6:10-7:10PM R\$125 NR\$145
We 2/05-2/26 6:10-7:10PM R\$125 NR\$145
We 3/05-3/26 6:10-7:10PM R\$125 NR\$145

Twilight Yoga | Age: 16+

Go from busy day to serene evening in 50 minutes. A dimly lit room and flickering candlelight sets the tone for a relaxing yoga experience. This class is for all levels and includes breathing techniques, a blend of yoga styles, and postures intended to help you unwind and put the day to rest.

* Please bring your own yoga mat

Location: Community Center Room 102
Instructor: Melissa Tungl

Class will not meet on: 2/05, 2/19

We 1/08-3/12 7:30-8:20PM R\$91 NR\$111



Photo: Adobe Express

Elite Karate and Fitness | Age: 18+ **NEW**

Welcome to Elite Karate & Fitness, a premier karate program based upon the principles of Black Belt - Education, Leadership, Integrity, Teamwork and Excellence. In this context, we teach our students how to be disciplined, respectful, considerate, focused and mentally and physically strong. To us, a Black Belt is a metaphor for personal excellence, which we help our students achieve in the classroom and in all facets of life.

During the [10] week course, you will learn hand techniques, kicks, and self-defense tactics and principles used in the Shorin Ryu Shorinkan style of karate. Dedicated students will see an increase in their strength, flexibility and overall fitness, and be eligible to test for their next belt during the last week of the course. Included in the course fee is a uniform, or gi, which includes a jacket, pants and white belt.

The course is taught by Sensei Sherman McElwee, the founder, owner and lead instructor at Elite Karate & Fitness. Sensei McElwee has been practicing karate for 40 years. During this time, he has earned his 6th degree black belt and 2nd degree black belt in weapons.

Location: Community Center Room 101
Instructor: Sensei Sherman McElwee

Mo, We 1/06-3/13 6:00-7:00PM R\$145 NR\$165

ADULT FITNESS

Total Body Workout | Age: 15+

This year-round fun class provides an excellent overall workout! Come join us! We'll focus on cardio and strength training using hand weights, resistance tubes, weighted bars, and workout balls. This class incorporates a lot of variety to keep you motivated! Choose any combination of days and times that fit your schedule! Total Body Workout is ideal for beginner through advanced exercisers. Please bring a clean pair of gym shoes and water bottle to class.

Instructor: Joan Otte
Mo, We, Fr year-round 7:30-8:20AM
8:30-9:20AM

Zumba | Age: 13+

You'll have an absolute blast in one exhilarating hour of calorie burning, heart racing, muscle pumping, and body energizing movements. By integrating Zumba into your life, you'll achieve long term benefits! Salsa/Merengue, Samba, Cumbia, African, Reggaeton, Belly Dance and more. Simple dance steps for an efficient workout with international music. Zumba is for everyone! Choose Mondays, Fridays or both. Please wear comfortable exercise clothes, gym shoes, and bring a water bottle.

Instructor: Annie Vandenberg
Mo, Fr year-round 9:45-10:45AM

- PUNCH CARDS -

- Punch card classes include Total Body Workout and Zumba.
- Fitness punches have no expiration date and classes are offered year-round!
- Upon purchase, photos will be required and must be taken at the Parks & Recreation Department counter or uploaded.
- After initial purchase, punches can be renewed at the Department, over the phone or online.
- You may bring a family member, friend or guest, but you must be present.
- The punch card continues to allow flexibility and the possibility to try a mix of classes.

Number of Punches	Resident/ Nonresident
5	\$38/\$48
10	\$70/\$85
20	\$125/\$145
Drop-in	\$8/\$10

POOL MEMBERSHIPS & INFORMATION

Pool Memberships

Memberships are available for residents and non-residents. All passes may be purchased over the phone, online or at EGR Parks & Rec. Dept. during normal business hours; Monday through Friday 8:00A-5:00P. We no longer accept membership purchases on site.

Resident Membership

Type	Adult	55+	19 & Under	Family
10 Visit	\$25	\$18	\$18	NA
3 month	\$52	\$36	\$36	\$108
6 month	\$91	\$62	\$62	\$188
1 year	\$160	\$107	\$107	\$275

Non-Resident Membership

Type	Adult	55+	19 & Under	Family
10 Visit	\$35	\$24	\$24	NA
3 month	\$72	\$49	\$49	\$152
6 month	\$126	\$84	\$84	\$265
1 year	\$220	\$147	\$147	\$358

Pricing subject to change.

Memberships include any swimmer who enters the water during their visit to the pool.

SILVER SNEAKERS

Wealthy Pool and the EGR High School Pool are hosting locations to this program.

If you are 55 years of age or older and have qualifying insurance, email our office at recadmin@eastgrmi.gov or call 616-949-1750 for more information.

Eligibility includes pool membership for drop-in swimming.

*Not eligible for programs.

Pool Rental Information

Wealthy Pool and the High School Pool are available for private rental based on space/lifeguard availability. Please complete the online pool rental form to begin the rental process.

To register call 616.949.1750 or visit eastgr.org for rules, policies and schedule.

Rental Rates (Includes Lifeguard Fees)

	RES	NR
Wealthy Pool	\$80/hr.	\$100/hr.
Wealthy Party	\$150/party	\$199/party
High School Pool	\$165/hr.	\$205/hr.
Add Lifeguard	\$18/hr.	\$18/hr.

High School Pool

Rental rate includes the cost of two guards, which can accommodate up to 50 swimmers (use of the diving board may require a third guard).

Wealthy Pool

Rental rate includes the cost of one guard, which will accommodate up to 25 swimmers. Rentals that have a majority of users under the age of 11 may require a second guard.

Wealthy Pool Party

Rental rate includes 2 hours, the cost of two lifeguards, the use of the multi-purpose room (great for presents & cake time) and swimming for up to 35 swimmers.

AQUATICS

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The Aquatics Department is excited to announce our swimEGR Learn to Swim program. swimEGR offers a progression of Learn to Swim classes to meet the needs of your swimmer. Class focus is on skill development and swimmer safety. Our instructors provide a safe, educational and fun environment for your swimmer to excel. Group and private lessons are available.

Location: Wealthy Elementary Pool

Baby & Me Swim Lessons | Age: 4/under

This class allows parents and children to learn together to increase a child's comfort level in the water and build a foundation of basic skills, such as arm and leg movements and breath control. The classes are fun-filled and help introduce water safety concepts and encourage a healthy recreational habit that your family can enjoy. e prepared to sing songs and make a SPLASH. Some swimmers transition to Tiny Tots following this class others may jump to Beginner or Advanced Level 1.

Tiny Tots Swim Lessons | Age: 2-4

Has your child been through our Baby & Me program? Tiny Tots is designed to allow for an easy transition to Beginner Level 1. Parents will participate in the water on day #1 and day #2. On day #3 parents will be in the water for half the class. Day #4 through the end of the session swimmers will be in the water with just the instructor. Students will work on many of the same skills as the Baby & Me program but will be building independence by transitioning to skills with the instructor. Swimmers transition to Beginner or Advanced Level 1 upon completing this class.

Beginner Level 1 Swim Lessons | Age: 2-7

This is a swimmer's first class without a parent in the water. This class will help swimmers gain greater independence in their skills and develop more comfort in and around the water. Skills include: open eyes under water and retrieve submerged objects and front and back floats and glides. Confidence is the deciding factor between Beginner Level 1 and Advanced Level 1. If your swimmer is hesitant about putting their face in and still likes to hold the teacher's hand when paddling or kicking - Beginner Level 1 is the correct class. If your swimmer likes to put their face in and push off the wall independently check out Advanced Level 1. Upon completion swimmers may repeat Beginner Level 1 or Advanced Level 1 or Level 2.

Advanced Level 1 Swim Lessons | Age: 3-7

This level helps swimmers to gain basic swimming skills including jumping in, front and combined arm and leg action on front and back. Swimmers will begin work on recovering to a vertical position, alternating and simultaneous leg actions on front and back.

Level 2 Swim Lessons | Age: 4/up

Swimmers will focus on the following skills: fully submerge and hold breath, rolling from front to back and back to front. Swimmers will continue working on building confidence with front and back crawl and begin work on endurance skills. Swimmers should be able to swim the width of the pool front crawl and back crawl before advancing to Level 3. There are lots of skills to learn in Level 2 and swimmers often repeat this level.

Level 3 Swim Lessons | Age: 5/up

Level 3 encourages stroke development through additional guided practice in deeper water. New techniques and strokes are learned while building endurance of fundamental and new skills. Skills include: rotary breathing, streamline, and flutter and dolphin kicks.

Stroke Camp | Age: 5/up

Stroke Camp builds confidence and endurance in the water. Skills include: headfirst entries from the side in compact and stride positions, open turns, added technique to strokes, survival swimming, and tread water using two different kicks.

Private Swim Lessons | Age: All

Do you want to become a stronger swimmer for a triathlon? Does your little swimmer need some extra attention while learning how to put their eyes in the water? Are you trying to perform a flip turn? Private swim lessons are a great way to meet one on one with an instructor who can assist you with mastering swimming skills.

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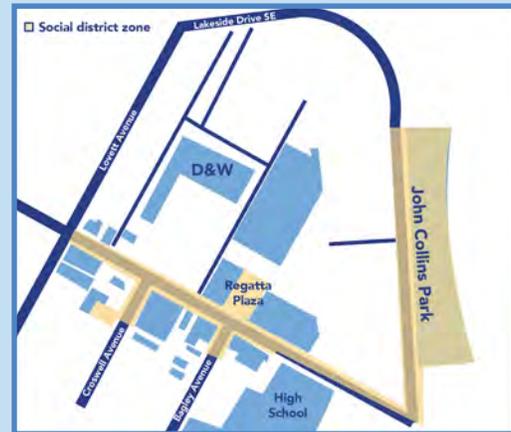
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Save the Date: September 06, 2025

SOCIAL DISTRICT INFORMATION



The City of East Grand Rapids welcomes West Michigan to its new social district in the Gaslight Village business district, Regatta Plaza and Johns Collins Park.

The social district enables individuals 21 and older to consume alcoholic beverages sold by qualified Gaslight Village establishments within the designated social zone.

FAQs:

1. What is the social district?

The new social district enables individuals 21 and older to consume alcoholic beverages sold by qualified Gaslight Village establishments within the designated social zone. Beverages will be sold in approved cups with a branded East Grand Rapids social district sticker.

2. Where is the social district?

In East Grand Rapids, the designated social zone includes:

- Wealthy Street SE from Lovett Avenue to Lakeside Drive, excluding the sidewalk in front of East Grand Rapids High School and Memorial Field on the south side of the street.
- Croswell Avenue from Big Bob's Pizza to Wealthy Street.
- Bagley Avenue from Crazy Charlie's to Wealthy Street.
- Lakeside Drive from Wealthy Street to the north end of John Collins Park.
- Regatta Plaza on Wealthy Street in the heart of Gaslight Village.

3. What are the hours of operation?

The social district will be open from 11 a.m.-10 p.m. during the summer season, which will run the first

Monday after the end of the East Grand Rapids Public Schools academic year in June through the first Sunday before the start of the next school year in August.

During the school year, drinks can be purchased and consumed in the social district 4-10 p.m. Monday through Friday and 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

4. Can I bring or consume my own beverages in the social district?

No. Individuals cannot bring or consume outside beverages – all beverages must be purchased from participating establishments within the social district during hours of operation. Beverages will be sold in approved cups with a branded East Grand Rapids social district sticker.

5. Can I exit the social district with a properly obtained beverage?

No. Properly obtained beverages can only be enjoyed within the social district, which will be delineated with sidewalk decals and other signage.

6. When was the social district approved?

City Commission unanimously approved the creation of the social district at its July 17 meeting after careful consideration, research and consultation with City staff – including Public Safety.

Spring 2025 Registration Dates

Resident

Thursday, January 9

Non-Resident

Thursday, January 16

The quarterly program guides are emailed and posted online.

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Long or Short Term Sponsorship Opportunities

Why be a Sponsor? Sponsoring a Parks & Recreation Department event or program can help you in several ways:

- achieve major brand awareness
- find more leads
- enhance your credibility
- stand out from the crowd
- build relationships with new and existing customers
- many events allow a relaxed “face to face” environment and networking atmosphere

We welcome your inquiries!

Contact Pam Slater at pslater@eastgr.org or call (616) 949-1750 for more information



EMAIL RECEIPT

DON'T FORGET TO CHECK YOUR RECEIPT
FOR IMPORTANT PROGRAM
INFORMATION AND DETAILS

Stay in the know

Thanks to our program registration and email system, Rec 1, we are able to keep in touch with our participants, residents and nonresidents alike, notifying them of new classes, time changes, cancellations, etc. However, we know that not everyone wants to receive an abundance of emails if they are not interested in specific programming. To opt out of emails regarding a particular program, we advise you to login to your Rec1 account and adjust your contact preferences, rather than unsubscribe from the general email.

By unsubscribing altogether, you risk missing out on important information from the department such as park construction updates, public input opportunities, registration deadlines or program changes/cancellations and much more.

As an active community we want to make sure you're receiving information you're interested in, providing you the best opportunities to remain active and stay up-to-date through our programs and around the City.



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TERMS & CONDITIONS

Why do nonresidents pay higher fees?

As the City of East Grand Rapids Parks & Recreation Department receives municipal tax revenue paid by the residents living within the City limits, households living outside City limits are charged a higher program rate because they do not pay City of East Grand Rapids taxes.

Join the Fun!

Is there a program that interests you, but has already begun? We will reduce your program registration fee based on the number of remaining classes. The reduced rate does not apply to the cost of supply fees associated with the program. Please note, not all of our programs allow late registration so this option may not be available for every program.

Program Participation

Failure to attend a program or activity does not entitle the participant to transfer, make-up, or receive a refund for the day(s) missed.

Household Transfers

Household account members (immediate family includes father, mother, son or daughter) may transfer from an enrolled program to another currently publicized program without incurring a processing fee. Transfers must be made prior to the starting day of the program you are transferring from. If there is a difference in registration fees, the difference will need to be paid at the time of the transfer and/or any remaining credit balance will be placed on your household account for future use and will expire in one year.

User Credit

If a user credit is placed on your household account, it must be used by you or an immediate household account member (father, mother, son or daughter). If user credits are available they must be used within one year or they will expire.

Refunds May be Granted for the Following Reasons

Injury or illness - a doctor's statement, verifying the illness or injury, must be received within two weeks from the time of the illness or injury for a refund to be considered for a program. The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to issue a partial refund determined by the amount of participation in the program prior to the illness or injury.

Participant moves more than 20 miles away from the City of East Grand Rapids.

If our department cancels a program, participants will receive a full refund.

If our department cancels a class or program due to inclement weather, instructor illness, mechanical failure or other unforeseen issues the participant will be issued an appropriate refund for the date missed, if it can't be rescheduled. A household credit will be issued for all refunds under \$10. This does not apply to league sports.

Program Cancellation Requests

If you are unable to attend a program, a cancellation request can be made in writing, by phone or in-person a minimum of two full business days prior to the program start. If a refund is granted, an \$8 processing fee for each program registration cancellation will be charged. Requests made less than two full business days prior to the start of the program are not eligible for a refund.

Youth League Sport Cancellation Requests

If you are unable to participate, a cancellation request can be made in writing, by phone or in-person two full business days prior to the league's first practice. If a refund is granted, an \$8 processing fee for each league sport registration cancellation will be charged. League sport cancellation requests made less than two full business days prior to the league's first practice are not eligible for a refund.

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Adult League Sport Cancellation Requests

If you are unable to participate, a cancellation request can be made in writing, by phone or in-person prior to the league game schedule being completed. Cancellations will incur a \$50 processing fee for each team registration. Adult league sport cancellation requests made after game schedules are complete are not eligible for a refund.

Waiting List Guidelines

We will create waiting lists for programs/activities that reach maximum capacity and/or for registrants who register after the deadline. Waiting lists are kept in chronological order for placing enrollees if openings develop. It is important for parents/participants to understand coaches and instructors do not have the authority to add participants to their roster. Waiting list placement will be made solely by the departmental staff for consistency and fairness. Any participant added to a roster without the consent of the Recreation Department will be grounds for dismissal from the activity and a one-year suspension from future programs.

Signup Guidelines for Youth League Sports

We will accept all sign ups for youth league sports by the deadline date unless there are roster limits noted. Signing up prior to the deadline, where indicated, participants receive a \$20 discount. Participants may sign up for a sport after the deadline only if slots are available. If teams are filled, participants will be placed on a waiting list and placement on a team will only occur if an opening develops. Waiting lists are kept chronologically and placement will occur accordingly. Signing up after the deadline jeopardizes your child's opportunity to participate.

Memberships or Punch Card Passes

Refunds will not be granted for fitness or aquatic passes, punch cards or memberships. We will be happy to transfer any remaining "punches" on a punch card to a CURRENT punch card holder.

Buddy System

The buddy system applies to the following youth sports: K-5 Soccer Leagues, Little Sluggers Tee Ball Leagues, 2nd-5th Girls/Boys Basketball and 3 & 4 Girls Lacrosse. The buddy system is designed to allow children to know at least one child on their team. It may also help families with carpool issues. The form must be completed in person or online so we know that you, the registrants, have requested your child to play with one other child. Limit one buddy request per child and must be completed by the program deadline. Due to various criteria, the "Buddy System" does not guarantee that your request will be honored. This is a service our department provides for our patrons.

Photo Disclaimer

EGR Parks & Recreation is committed to providing timely information to the public about our many offerings and programs. We accomplish this through regular printing of detailed brochures and updates on our website. These publications often include pictures of participants in action to give the public a sense of the fun and adventure awaiting them. If you don't want to be in photos for publicity please let the individual know that is taking pictures.

Weather Policy

Cancellations of programs and pool closings due to the weather can be found on the City website (www.eastgr.org) on ALERT bar and CivicRec registration site. Patrons are welcome to call our office (616-949-1750) during business hours for cancellation update information.



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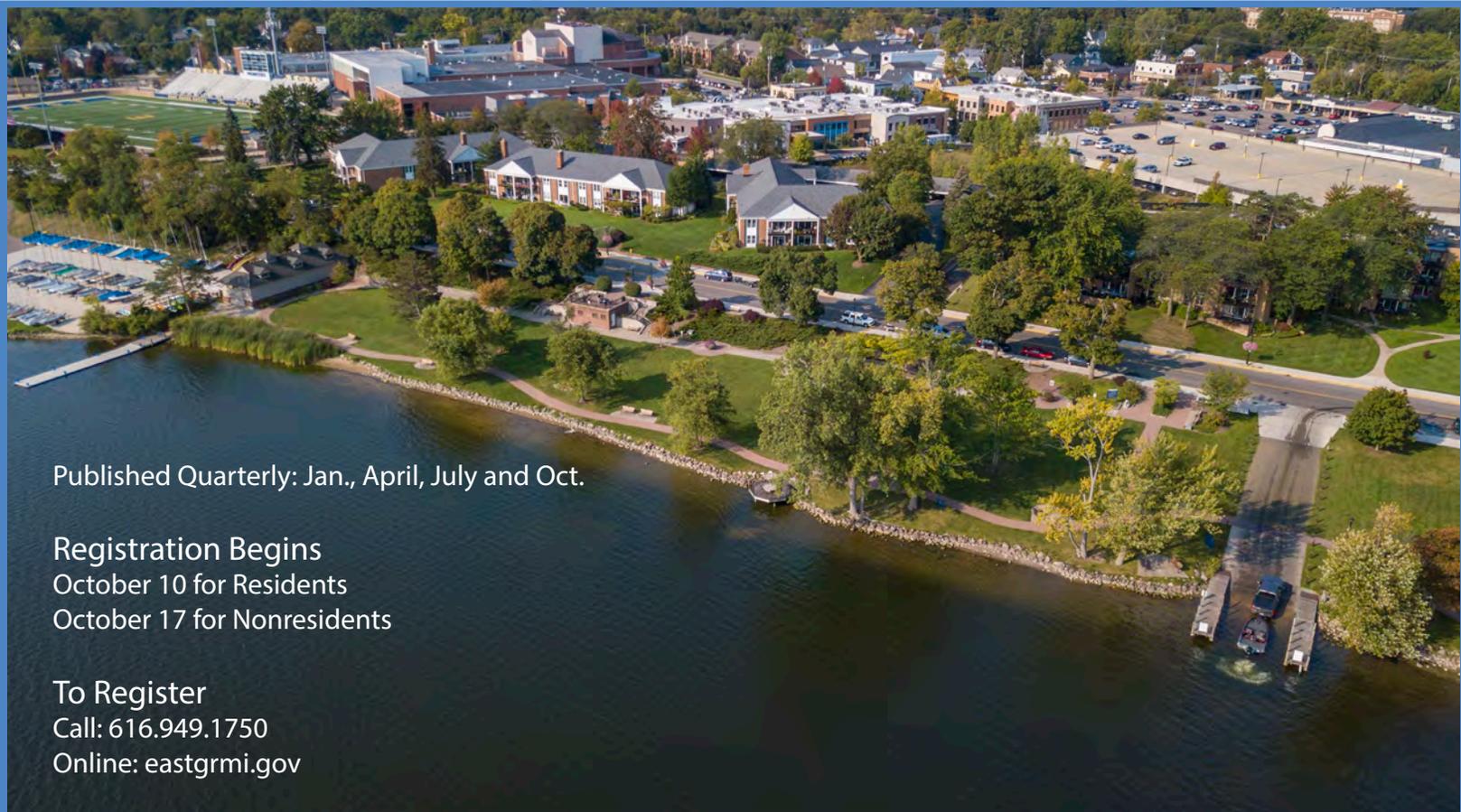
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October 10 for Residents
October 17 for Nonresidents

To Register
Call: 616.949.1750
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Department Job Responsibilities 11/14/24

Account Clerk III

Sara Coffey (FT)

Daily Accounting Procedures
 Departmental Finance & Budget
 Parks & Recreation Commission
 Billing Misc. Receivables
 NeoGov Point Person
 Rec 1 Point Person
 Special Events
 All-Star Billing

Administrative Clerk I

Kira Christofferson (FT)

Minor Accounting
 Program registrations
 Assist Supervisors
 Mailings
 Indoor Facility & Equipment Rentals
 Pavilion rentals
 Program Guide & Marketing
 Website updating/Electronic Sign
 Social Media
 Silver Sneakers Billing

Leisure Supervisor

Pam Slater (FT)

Leisure Programs Youth
 Concerts in the Park
 Summer Camps
 Youth Baseball & Softball
 Reeds Lake Run/ Tri Volunteers
 Sports Night Out
 Youth & MS Football
 Baseball Camp Pee Wee
 Scholarship Program
 Department Technology
 Football Camps
 Dance

Recreation Supervisor

Rachel Seese (FT)

Leisure Programs Adult
 Movies in the Park
 Youth Boys Basketball PK – 5th
 Youth Girls Basketball PK – 5th
 Sweetheart Dance
 78er Baseball & Softball
 Reeds Lake Run/Tri Volunteers
 4th of July Parade and activities
 Safety Town
 Facility Room Setups

Aquatics Supervisor

Betsy Granstra (FT)

EGR Aquatic Club (WAVES) scheduling
 Administration of Wealthy and HS Pool
 Aquatics Programming
 Adult Softball Leagues
 Reeds Lake Triathlon
 First Aid Supplies for Dept.
 Reeds Lake Run
 Apparel bid process
 NeoGov Point Person
 Race Equipment Rentals
 Fundraising Group Donations

Assistant Director & Athletic Director Shannyn

Fasbender (FT)

EGR Middle School Interscholastic Program
 MS Rec Soccer Coed 6-8th
 Youth Coed Soccer Fall and Spring
 NFL Flag Football Rental
 Adult Tennis Lessons
 Youth Sport Camps
 Girls Volleyball 5th & 6th
 Adult Soccer Leagues
 Reeds Lake Run Kid's Races
 Athletic Field & Park Rentals
 Boys & Girls Basketball 6th
 Rec1 Point Person
 East Pride Lacrosse Rental
 Facility Scheduling Point Person

Director

Derek Melville (FT)

Budget, Goals & Objectives and CIP
 Daily Departmental Operations
 Oversee Grounds Maintenance
 Grants
 Joint Facilities
 Fireworks Contract/Firework Coordinator
 Private Fireworks Permits
 Photo & Film Permits
 Special Event Permits
 Community Donations (benches, tables, etc.)
 Department Technology
 Joint Facilities Committee/Agreement
 EGRPS Collaboration
 GVBA Support
 EGR Community Foundation Support
 Park Improvement Projects
 Parks and Recreation Commission

Grounds Maintenance Supervisor

Chad Mazie (FT)

All City Grounds Maintenance
 Special Events
 Assist with programs as necessary
 Grounds Volunteer Opportunities
 Oversee lawn contractor
 Room set-up
 Playground Inspections/repairs
 Dog Waste Program
 Organic Turf Program

Grounds Maintenance Assistant

Cody Browneye (FT)

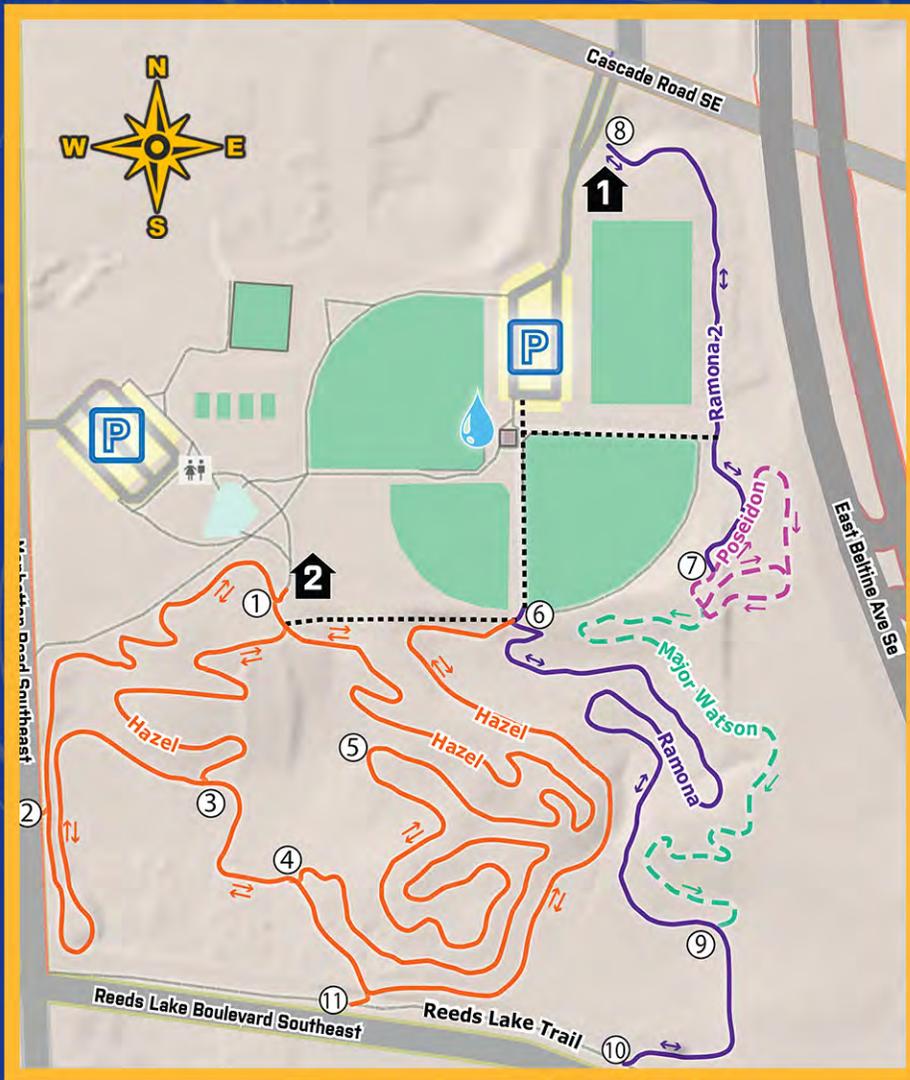
All City and School Grounds
 Assist with programs as necessary
 Special Events
 Maintain equipment/storage areas
 Room set-up
 Playground Inspections/repairs



**EAST GRAND RAPIDS
PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
2024/25
APPROVED BUDGET**

		7060	7070	7080	7090	7150-7190	7400	8010	8090	8800	9300	9470	9550	9560	9570	9640	9700	9701	9760	TOTAL	TOTAL	
	FUND CATEGORY	SALARIES PERMANENT	SALARIES TEMPORARY	SALARIES CONTRACT	SALARIES OVERTIME	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	OPERATING SUPPLIES	CONTRACT SERVICE	J.F. AGREE POOL	COMMUNITY PROMOTION	REPAIRS MAINT.	AUTO EXPENSES	MISC. EXPENSES	DUES & SUBSCRIP.	PROF. DEVELOP.	BANK SER. FEES	CAPITAL EXPENSE	SMALL CAPITAL	JOINT FAC. CAPITAL	OPERATION	REVENUES	NET
1.	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	491,000.00	10,500.00	-	12,000.00	225,300.00	4,150.00	63,800.00				500.00	300.00	1,600.00	4,600.00	17,000.00	-	1,500.00	60,000.00	892,250.00	65,000.00	(827,250.00)
2.	POOL PROGRAMS		104,998.00			8,000.00	12,500.00	40,832.00	123,905.00											290,223.00	136,478.00	(153,745.00)
3.	SPECIAL EVENTS		3,260.00		2,300.00	590.00	61,995.00	38,650.00		48,000.00										154,795.00	172,800.00	18,005.00
4.	RECREATION PROGRAMMING		55,283.00			5,086.00	5,495.00	42,761.00												108,625.00	168,795.00	60,169.00
5.	GROUNDS MAINTENANCE	135,000.00	50,000.00		4,000.00	79,500.00	42,600.00	100,050.00			8,500.00	25,000.00		400.00	2,000.00					447,050.00		(447,050.00)
6.	REC SPORTS		105,863.92	44,920.00		4,199.81	41,701.39	2,500.00										10,000.00		209,185.12	314,609.00	105,609.00
7.	MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS		51,645.00	10,448.00		4,654.84	8,955.00	1,200.00										5,000.00		81,922.84	102,599.00	20,676.16
8.	AQUATIC CLUB (WAVES)		39,288.06			3,405.54	1,080.00	7,639.75	102,021.37											153,434.72	117,057.21	(36,377.51)
24/25 APPROVED BUDGET		626,000.00	420,837.98	55,368.00	18,300.00	330,736.19	178,476.39	297,432.75	225,926.37	48,000.00	8,500.00	25,500.00	300.00	2,000.00	6,600.00	17,000.00		16,500.00	60,000.00	2,337,485.68	1,077,338.21	(1,260,147.47)

Fred Bunn Multi-Use Trails at MANHATTAN PARK



-  **1 TRAIL HEAD**
331 Cascade Rd SE,
East Grand Rapids, MI 49506
-  **2 TRAIL HEAD**
430 Manhattan Rd,
East Grand Rapids, MI 49506
-  **BATHROOM**
-  **PARKING**

~3.2 MILES OF TRAIL

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TRAIL SEGMENTS:

RIDE AT YOUR SKILL LEVEL!

HAZEL

Direction by Day
1.95 miles of flow trail

RAMONA

2 Way Flow Trail
.75 miles of trail

POSEIDON

1 Way Advanced Trail
.25 miles of downhill

MAJOR WATSON

1 Way Downhill
.25 miles of downhill

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