

2024 Goals

Parks, Recreation and Open Space Commission

Approved by the Parks Commission at their December 20, 2023 meeting

Develop a network of multi-purpose **TRAILS** connecting neighborhoods to parks and open space

- Address trail and greenway connectivity with new developments
- Pursue North Star Wetland Bank and trail construction
- Construct passive trails near Oneka Place and Hugo Meadows
- Support Washington County in completing the Hardwood Creek Regional Trail
- Support Washington County in Master Planning the Glacial Hills Regional Trail

Utilize facilities to provide active and passive **RECREATION** options for all Hugo residents

- Provide for the changing recreation needs of our diverse population through partnerships
- Seek partnerships with emphasis on the teens and youth to utilize park facilities
- Evaluate recreation programs and plan new events and programs

Manage and optimize all **EXISTING PARKS AND TRAILS**

- Continually inspect existing parks and trails and maintain and enhance as necessary
- Draft a park sign and landscaping replacement plan
- Evaluate neighborhood parks and replace one playground as needed

Expand **COMMUNITY PARKS**

- Plan for construction of improvements to the Bernin properties and seek funding
- Prepare construction plans for Clearwater Creek Preserve trail improvements
- Evaluate recognition opportunities at Lions Volunteer Park

Administer the Parks, Trails, and Open Space **PLAN and POLICIES**

- Actively utilize the Comprehensive Plan as a planning tool
- Respond to resident input
- Review development applications with respect to the Parks, Trails, and Open Space Plan and Park Dedication Policy