Creating the Future of Recreation, Parks & Trails in Fife

Fife envisions a parks and recreation system that is a source of community pride, provides an expanded trails network, and provides a diversity of recreation programs and services that evolve as the city changes over time. (*Vision for the Future ~ 2007*)

What is the purpose of the Parks & Recreation Plan?

To establish a way forward to provide high quality, community-driven park facilities and recreation programs for Fife. The Plan will set goals and priorities for the City and recommend specific improvements for the next 6 years.

Primary Goals of Parks & Recreation Plan

- Hear from residents about priorities for parks and recreation services
- Conduct a conditions assessment of parks, programs and trails
- Examine the levels of service and on-going maintenance needs
- Strategize for future City-wide improvements and upgrades

What is the project timeline?

The planning project started in June. A draft plan will be discussed by the Parks & Recreation Board in late Fall, with adoption by City Council tentatively targeted for early next year.

TRAILS & LINKAGES: Connecting Across Fife

Walking, hiking and cycling consistently rank as top recreation activities

Are there streets or other rights of way that you use to connect to parks, work, shopping or play?

Where are the missing links?

What are the key routes you would take, but don't because of access restrictions or other concerns?

What improvements to streets would encourage you to walk or bike more frequently?

What types of experiences should exist within the trail network?

Parks, Places and Spaces for Active Lifestyles

What do you value most about Fife parks, trails and natural areas?

What do you want kids to remember about growing up in Fife?

How are (and how well are) parks used in your neighborhood? Is there a demand for more park space in your neighborhood? Where?

What other types of outdoor activities or park uses should Fife provide? What is missing? What is needed?

Are today's parks, ball fields and natural areas sufficient to keep our growing population healthy, active and engaged 20 years from now? How should the park system serve a changing Fife?

How do you see Fife's natural areas? As a place to hike or walk? Part of a great view? For their contributions to wildlife and stormwater quality?

INDOOR RECREATION: Promoting Active & Healthy Lifestyles

Providing a variety of recreational opportunities for all ages in all seasons

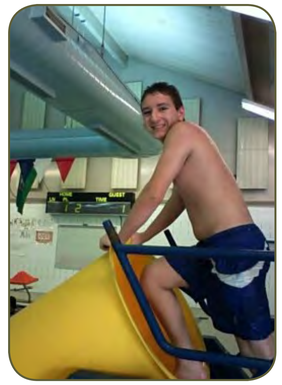
A wide array of activities exist today – from youth programs, to aquatics, to fitness, to senior programs, to arts programs. What recreation opportunities are missing?

What kinds of recreation programs, activities or classes would you or your family use - that are not currently offered?

Are there specific programs or classes that Fife should offer?

How satisfied are you with the Community Center, the Swim Center and recreation programs offered?

Are there specific age groups that need access to additional programs? What types of activities/programs should be available to them?



Overall Park & Recreation Priorities

What are your top priorities for Fife's parks facilities and amenities?

Please rank priority improvements for Fife over the next 6 years.

Facility Types	(place a dot on your priorities)
Water Spray Park or Splash Pad	
Additional or Synthetic Turf Sport Fields	
Build New Community Recreation Center	
Land Acquisition for Future Parks	
Off Leash Dog Areas	
Multi-Use, Paved Trails	
Expand and/or Renovate the Swim Center	
Picnic Shelters & Playgrounds	
Improve and/or Enhance Existing Parks	