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# PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN UPDATE 2019



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# 01 Introduction



# Introduction



The Town of Victor has assembled an incredibly rich and varied park and recreation system. With more than 450 acres of parkland and more than 60 miles of multi-use trails under its management, it is one of the most significant systems in the region. The Victor park system is further enriched and expanded by Dryer Road Park's adjacency to the 520 acre Ganondagon State Historic Site, the shared ownership of the 330 acre Boughton Park in the neighboring towns of East and West Bloomfield, and the strong connection the town has with the neighboring community of Farmington and its developing park and recreation program.

Victor's recreation system is particularly unique due to the dramatic glacial terrain and picturesque stream corridors found in some town parks and trails. Victor's natural landscape provides an enticing first impression of the dramatic Finger Lakes region located just a short distance to the south. The town's geographic location and recreation infrastructure explains why so many cyclists favor routes that include Victor.

The Victor community has accomplished much of what was outlined in the 2007 Parks and Recreation Master Plan (refer to table on page 9). In the past decade, Victor has experienced significant growth with many new areas of residential and commercial development along with a continuously growing population. With this growth and change in the community, it has become necessary to reassess recreation needs for the future and subsequently update the master plan. In January of 2018, the town engaged Bayer Landscape Architecture, PLLC. to study the existing park and recreation system and develop a new vision.



The Parks and Recreation Department, in coordination with the Citizens' Advisory Committee, offered a valuable insight into what the town's future recreational needs may require. Local and regional, stakeholder groups, athletic clubs and recreation organizations were contacted and asked to provide their input and note issues that were identified in this update of the master plan. Lastly, the community was engaged on multiple occasions and asked to give their input and overall views of the existing parks and recreation system including trails, parks and programs. This coordination with the various organizations and the public ultimately shaped the recommendations of this updated master plan.



The 2019 Parks and Recreation Master Plan will guide the town in planning for the future. The aim of the plan is to refine and enhance Victor's parks and recreation system for the current community, as well as the future. This work will serve in planning for needed improvements and enhancements to the parks, a clearer system-wide identity and create stronger, greener linkages throughout and between individual parks, the community, and the region.

# Project Objectives

The 2019 update to the 2007 Parks and Recreation Master Plan identifies the current recreation needs of the community and plans for the future of the parks and recreation system. This update was guided by the following project objectives:

- Engage the community, Parks and Recreation Department, Citizens' Advisory Committee, recreation stakeholders and town leadership to identify the community's recreational needs and build a shared vision for the parks and recreation system in Victor for the next 10 years plus
- Identify the current factors that shape the community's recreational needs and establish goals, programmatic improvements, and amenities for the future of the parks and recreation system
- Preserve and enhance the town's natural and historic park features
- Provide recommendations for improvements to undeveloped park lands and possible acquisitions that would benefit the parks and recreation system
- Develop an action and capital improvement plan to identify and budget for program and facility improvement and help guide future park and recreational projects



# Project Goals

The planning team collaborated with the town's Parks and Recreation Department and the Citizens' Advisory Committee to identify current and future program needs and to plan for the improvement and expansion of the town's park and recreation system and programs. The mission of the master plan update is to assemble a community supported plan that provides a framework for further improvements to the town's park and recreation facilities and programs, and to confirm that the recommendations are aligned with the existing needs of the residents, future growth, and changing demographics within the community. More specific goals include the following:



## Connectivity

Create a cohesive network of recreation facilities connected through a community wide path and trail system designed for both pedestrian and bicycle use.



## Branding

Build an identifiable image of the Victor parks and recreation system and provide a clear theme that is recognizable by both the community and visitors alike.



## Flexibility

Develop programs and facilities to be flexible and adaptable so they can accommodate the ever-changing resident population and rapid growth of the community. By evaluating current recreation trends, both locally and nationally, a master plan can be developed that will anticipate and evolve with the community's needs.



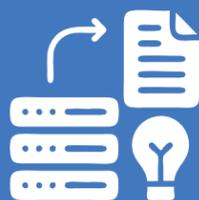
## Cooperation

Foster cooperation between stakeholders, community groups, and private recreational entities, and explore opportunities for new partnerships.



## Prioritization

Assist the town in prioritizing the community's primary park and recreation needs and provide a framework for making decisions regarding the allocation of resources.



## Implementation

Plan system and facility improvements with realistic budgets that can be used to develop a capital improvement plan, and ultimately result in the implementation of the proposed improvement projects.

# Related Studies, Plans & Projects

The Town of Victor has completed various studies and undertaken a number of planning efforts in recent years, some of which have resulted in completed improvement projects. As part of the research for this master plan update, these documents and projects were evaluated and used to inform this master plan. This plan builds on the following planning initiatives and improvement projects:



## TOWN OF VICTOR PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN 2007

The Town of Victor developed and adopted its initial Parks and Recreation Master Plan in 2002. The plan included the design and construction of the first phase of Dryer Road Park and acknowledged the importance of recreation for the quality of life in Victor. Dryer Road Park was subsequently dedicated to the community and opened in May 2014. This original plan was updated in 2007 and included the concept plans for Victor Municipal Park and Paparone Park with the approach that one park would be developed for more passive types of recreation (Victor Municipal Park) while the other could be developed for more active recreation pursuits (Paparone Park). Victor Municipal Park, with its enclosed lodge, timber frame picnic shelter, accessible fishing dock and special events amphitheater/ bandshell has been mostly completed. The park has become a very popular destination within the town. Paparone Park still remains undeveloped and is a prime location for a new park and/or recreation center within the Victor parks and recreation system.

Additional projects identified in the 2007 Parks and Recreation Master Plan that have and have not been completed:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Auburn Trail Extension Project (\$619,000 State &amp; Federal Grant)</li> <li>✓ Dryer Road Park artificial turf box rink</li> <li>✓ Dryer Road Park bicycle pump track</li> <li>✓ Fishers Park trail improvements</li> <li>✓ Harlan Fisher Park playground swings</li> <li>✓ Harlan Fisher Park drainage improvements</li> <li>✓ Harlan Fisher Park selective clearing &amp; landscaping improvements</li> <li>✗ Town-Owned Recreation Center</li> <li>✗ Paparone Park playground</li> <li>✗ Paparone Park athletic fields</li> <li>✗ Paparone Park basketball &amp; tennis courts</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Lehigh Crossing Park trail improvements</li> <li>✓ MaryFrances Bluebird Haven</li> <li>✓ MaryFrances Bluebird Haven access road paving &amp; widening</li> <li>✓ MaryFrances Bluebird Haven parking area reconstruction</li> <li>✓ Victor Municipal Park volleyball court</li> <li>✓ Victor Municipal Park bocce courts &amp; horseshoe pits</li> <li>✓ Victor Municipal Park lodge</li> <li>✓ Village on the Park sledding area</li> <li>✓ Village on the Park athletic field reconditioning</li> <li>✗ Harlan Fisher Park picnic shelter &amp; improved walkways from neighborhoods</li> <li>✗ Harlan Fisher Park additional playground for 5-12 year olds</li> <li>✗ Fisher Park stream bank stabilization</li> <li>✗ Additional athletic fields at Village on the Park</li> </ul> |
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Other projects assigned to the Department of Parks and Recreation that have been completed since the 2007 Parks and Recreation Master Plan:

- ✓ **Historic Parks Cemetery-** Landscaping and parking area
- ✓ **NYS Route 96/ Main Street Fishers Intersection-** Flower beds, hanging baskets, and signage
- ✓ **Safe Routes to School Project (\$330,000 State & Federal Grant)-** 6,000 LF of new sidewalks
- ✓ **Victor Community Connectivity Project (\$247,000 State & Federal Grant)-** 3,000 LF of new sidewalks and shared use paths
- ✓ **Town Hall Campus-** New tree, shrub and flower beds

In 2016, the department relocated from its 10,000 square foot leased recreation space at Blossom Drive to a newly constructed 15,000 square foot leased space at Lehigh Crossing Road in Fishers. While this offered the department an opportunity to expand its recreation programming base, it still offers challenges for residents due to its location and the increased overhead costs associated with leasing temporary space. It is important to note that since the 2007 Parks and Recreation Master Plan, the Department has grown its annual operating revenues from \$250,000 to more than \$500,000 in 2018. This had largely been driven by recreation program growth, the addition of the two rental lodges, and improvements to indoor and outdoor athletic facilities that support the growing Victor community.

**AUBURN TRAIL IMPROVEMENTS**

Following the improvement of the first segment to the Auburn Trail in 2006, land was sold in several places along the corridor so it was no longer possible to create a continuous trail following the original railbed and tracks of the Auburn and Rochester Railroad. Victor Hiking Trails (VHT) sought permission from landowners along Break of Day Road to allow the trail to continue through their property, instead of along the shoulder of the road. VHT was granted access through this stretch of the former rail line and adjacent lands, and volunteers cleared way for the Auburn Trail to extend to East Victor Road without pedestrians or bicyclists having to walk and bike along the road.



**ROUTE 96 TRANSFORMATIVE CORRIDOR STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN**

In November 2018, the Town of Victor adopted and began implementing the Route 96 Transformative Corridor Strategic Infrastructure Plan. The purpose of the project was to create sensible solutions to traffic jam issues along the NYS Route 96 corridor within the town and village. Six high priority projects were outlined that would alleviate the bulk of the congestion on Route 96 through 2040 including: creation of a new local street along Ontario Central Railroad, the Route 96 3-lane to 5-lane conversion, the Route 251/ Lane Road connection, the Omnitech Place/ Willowbrook Road connection, the Plastermill Road-Collett Road-Delray Drive connection, and the Lane Road/ Victor Egypt Road/ Lynaugh Road roundabout.

**TOWN & VILLAGE OF VICTOR ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN**

In association with the Route 96 Infrastructure Plan, recommendations were formed relating to access management along the corridor and other roads that feed into Route 96. The Town and Village of Victor are coordinating with the Ontario County Planning Department, New York State Department of Transportation, Genesee Transportation Council and Labella Associates. This process is currently ongoing and set to be completed in June 2019. The aim of this plan is to manage and improve vehicular access points to land parcels adjacent to roadways through planning, design and implementation of land use and transportation strategies. The Town of Victor's Access Management Plan outlines important strategies to promote a safe and efficient use of the transportation network including: access spacing, driveway spacing, safe turning lanes, median treatments, service roads and right-of-way management.

**DRYER ROAD PARK/ PUMP TRACK & BIKE PARK PROJECT**

A new bike park at Dryer Road Park was recently redesigned and built by the Department of Parks and Recreation in association with Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC). The bike park includes a youth and adult pump track as well as updated jump lines for beginners, intermediate and advanced bike riders. GROC raised about \$15,000 during the summer of 2017 to finance the project. Construction began in the summer of 2017 and finished in the fall of 2018. The prior pump track has been re-graded and the area has been re-established with fresh material. The bike park can now accommodate different sizes of BMX bikes and mountain bikes. Donations and designs from REI, Victor Excavating & Landscape, Admar Construction, Victor Town, Jim Martinez, and Truth Collective contributed to this project's development.



**Project Process**

Victor's existing park and recreation facilities and programs are a great foundation. The updated master plan builds on this foundation and reflects the town's current objectives and the community's future aspirations. Working with the town's Parks and Recreation Department and the Citizens' Advisory Committee, the planning team confirmed the project program, clarified long terms goals, and fully integrated public input from the residents of the community and key stakeholder groups into the planning process. A comprehensive and transparent approach has been utilized to achieve an updated master plan that includes all desired program items and meets the goals for the project.

**Phase One: Inventory & Assessment**

Through a detailed inventory of the existing parks, open space, trails, facilities, and programs, a greater understanding of the existing strengths, opportunities, and challenges has been achieved. The inventory catalogs specific amenities and assets within the parks and recreation system and provides an overview of the required renovations and improvements. Through this process potential easements and open space acquisitions have also been considered to enhance and expand the existing park and trail system and to create a more cohesive network of recreational amenities throughout the town.



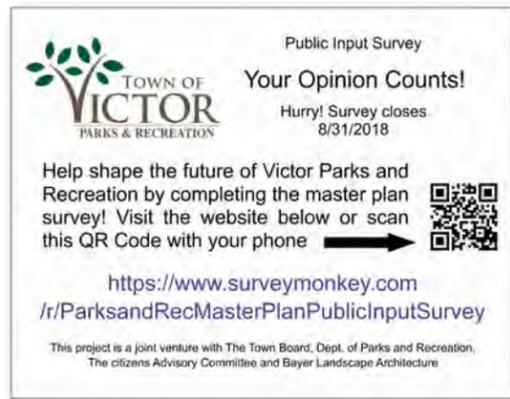
**Phase Two: Public Engagement**

Effective public engagement was a critical part of this project. True success in the master planning of a park and recreation system hinges on gaining the support of the community and ensuring that the master plan responds to the community's voice and reflects the recreational preferences and needs of the residents. The planning team's role throughout the community outreach process was to identify, discuss, and document the community's needs and concerns, as well as to excite the imagination of the town residents and build momentum for the future of the Victor parks and recreation system. Closely coordinating with the Town, the Parks and Recreation Department, and the Citizens' Advisory Committee, an expanded and customized public engagement program was developed and utilized to elicit this important input. The public engagement program included the components outlined on the following pages.



**COMMUNITY INTEREST SURVEY**

A community wide survey was conducted to elicit the input of residents that may not respond to traditional forms of public outreach. The survey was crafted to collect the data needed to supplement an understanding of the recreational needs and preferences of the community and facility users. There were 544 respondents to the public survey. Their responses are highlighted in Chapter 3.



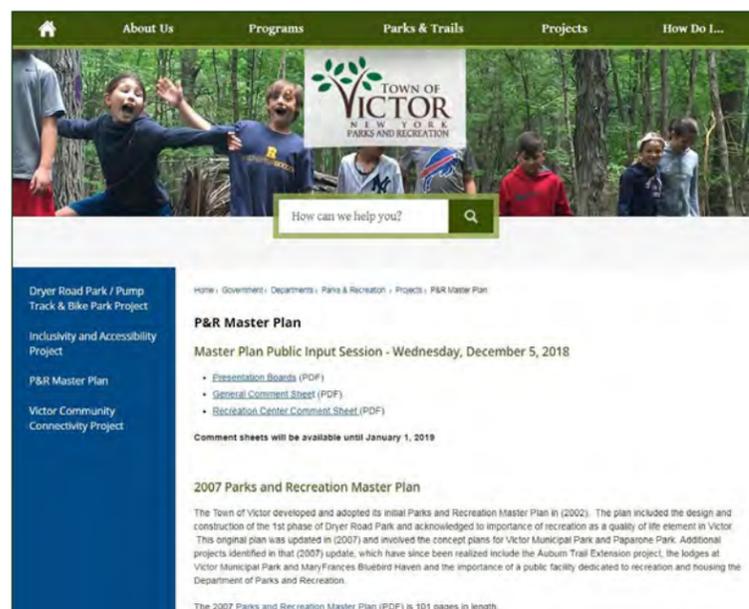
**SUPPLEMENTAL COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

In addition to organizing a public meeting and stakeholder group questionnaires, the project team participated in already scheduled and well attended community events. These events included the Summer Concert Series in Victor Municipal Park, Hang Around Victor Day and Summer in the Square, both of which were held in Mead Square Park. These events allowed the project team to actively listen to questions and provide information about the project in an informal setting. An open house style public forum was also held later in the process to solicit additional input from the public. The open house allowed community members to review and discuss survey results and other public feedback up until that point in the planning process.

This varied approach to outreach allowed the team to connect with a broad cross-section of the community including those who are not typically vocal during the planning process. Gaining community support and encouraging participation early on is a strategic approach that helped the project move forward in a positive light.

**PROJECT WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA**

The Victor Parks and Recreation Department did a great job posting information on various social media platforms and the community website. Currently, the town has a very active and well managed Facebook page and has recently introduced the "Everything Victor" mobile app. The Parks and Recreation section of the town website consistently had postings about the public outreach events, the online survey, and the public open house that was later held to present findings from the survey and public outreach events. Information that was presented at many of the public outreach events was also posted online. These resources allowed residents easy access to general project information and resources in order to generate a conduit for communication with the community.



**Phase Three: Analysis & Recommendations**

Utilizing the information gathered through the inventory and assessment, public engagement and outreach phases of the project, a comprehensive analysis was performed to identify key issues, opportunities, needs, and potential improvements to the park system, trail network, facilities, recreation programs, and the Parks and Recreation Department. With this analysis, recommendations were generated that respond specifically to the extensive public involvement and assessment of the existing Parks and Recreation System.

In Chapter 4, 5 and 6, several items have been addressed regarding the future of the parks and recreation system within the Town of Victor:

- Overall Demands Generated from Public Feedback
- General Parks and Recreation System-Wide Goals and Recommendations
- Individual Parks and Facility Goals and Recommendations
- Individual Trail Goals and Recommendations
- Phasing Recommendations
- Priority Projects
- Funding and Partnership Opportunities



# 02 Community Profile and Parks & Recreation Inventory



# Community Profile

The Town of Victor is a small community steeped in history, located in the northwest corner of Ontario County and between Rochester City and the Finger Lakes region. Today, as it is a link between Monroe County and Ontario County, Victor is one of the most desirable areas within the region to reside and work in.

Victor's inhabitants take pride in the atmosphere of their small town and sense of community. The town has built a remarkable community-supported parks and recreation system through the relentless efforts of the town's Parks and Recreation Department along with the work of many volunteer and community organizations.

To gain a better understanding of the parks and recreation needs of Victor, an updated community profile has been developed. The following topics are reviewed in this section:

- Historic Overview
- Physical Location and Landscape
- Land Use
- Population and Demographic Characteristics

## Historic Overview

### EARLY HISTORY

The rich historical characteristics of the Town of Victor have played a major role in shaping the modern day town. Some of the earliest inhabitants of the area were the Native American Senecas, who established a significant village on Boughton Hill in the early 17th century. In 1687, the French, led by the Marquis de Denonville, took control of the Seneca land in Victor and the Native American village never returned. The current day location of this Seneca Village is now Ganondagan State Historic Site, dedicated in 1987 by New York State. Following the Revolutionary War, the Town of Victor was purchased by Enos Boughton in 1788. Following the purchase, the planning and development of 'Boughton Town' at the Boughton Hill crossroads began. In 1812, the town separated from Bloomfield and was named Victor in honor of Claudius Victor Boughton, a hero of the War of 1812. The decades that followed saw an influx of settlers coming from New England and the rise of agriculture to become Victor's primary industry.

### INDUSTRIAL HISTORY

As agriculture continued to flourish, industry and manufacturing began to find a home within Victor. The town's location was centrally located between Canandaigua and Rochester, which led to three separate railways being built through Victor: The Auburn & Rochester Railroad (later The New York Central Railroad), the Lehigh Valley Railroad and the Rochester & Eastern Rapid Railway. Access to these transportation resources aided in the rise of Victor as a leading manufacturing center with notable industries such as the Wilcox-Johnson Tank Company, the Victor Preserving Company, and Locke Insulators taking up residence within the town. Following the expansion of the New York State Thruway in 1946, Victor began shifting towards the suburban image it has today, attracting city of Rochester commuters and middle-upper income families.



(Photo: Babette Huber, Victor town and village historian)

(Sources: Huber, Babette. "Victor - A Brief History"; Aldridge, Lewis Cass. "History of Victor, New York.")

## SUBURBAN GROWTH

Victor, like many other American towns that were located near larger cities in the late 20th century, saw immense growth following the construction of major highways within the area. The New York Thruway and Interstate 490, both constructed with exits that connected directly to Victor, provided easy access to and from the city of Rochester and beyond. The improved regional access and minor commute allowed Victor to become an attractive location for both residential and commercial development. This boom of development began in the early 1960s and by the 1970s the rural atmosphere of Victor was fading, especially with the addition of the Eastview Mall which catapulted the sleepy farming town into a retail hub.

(Source: Huber, Babette. "History of Ontario County: Victor, from small town to suburbia")



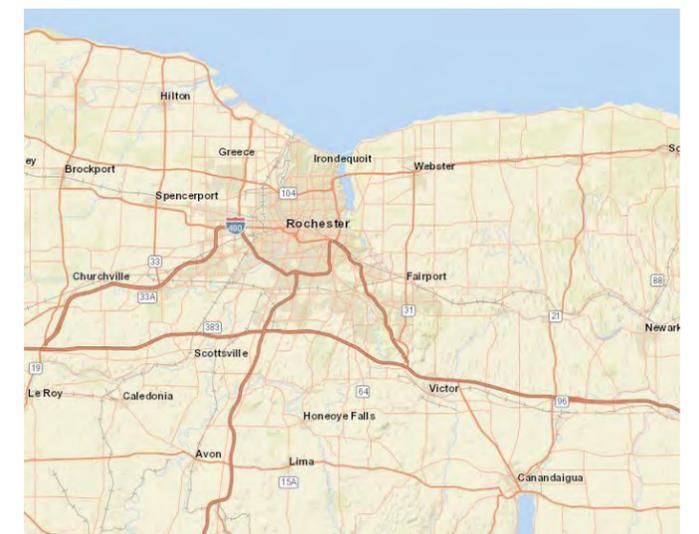
(Photo: Babette Huber, Victor town and village historian)

## Physical Location and Landscape

Victor is a 36 square mile township situated in the foothills of the Finger Lakes that offers inhabitants, companies and visitors a flourishing, increasing community that retains a sense of a small town. Victor is located in the northwest corner of Ontario County, less than 20 miles southeast of the city of Rochester. The town's location makes it a prime gateway town between Ontario County and Monroe County. Victor is just 12 miles from the north end of Canandaigua Lake, one of the most popular Finger Lakes in the region. The New York State Thruway, also known as I-90, cuts directly through the northern part of town and intersects I-490 just east of Fishers.



Victor's topography varies from steep slopes to moderately flat land. Glacially developed, the topography involves drumlins, moraines, eskers and steep slopes that have created numerous ridge regions throughout the town. Route 96 was built to closely follow a major east-west valley that cuts through the town and village. Streams, floodplains, and wetlands provide inhabitants with appealing and unique recreational possibilities. Low-lying wet areas, wetlands, and floodplains exist within Fishers Park, Victor Municipal Park, Harlan Fisher Park, Paporone Park and Lehigh Crossing Park. The Irondequoit Creek crosses through Fishers Park in the western portion of town, and Mud Creek and Ganargua Creek are in the eastern part of the town. Some smaller creeks exist within the town, such as White Brook Creek and Great Brook. The soils in the area vary from highly permeable sand and gravel, to moderately permeable stream alluvium, and less permeable unsorted glacial tills.



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(Source: Town and Village of Victor, New York Comprehensive Plan 2015, Chapter 1: Community Profile and Vision)

## Land Use



Residential  
**38%**



Agriculture  
**19%**



Municipal  
**8%**



Industrial  
**4%**



Commercial  
**3.8%**

### Residential

Residential land use accounts for approximately 38 percent of the total acreage in Victor and is by far the most land use. Residential development is mostly within and to the north and east of the village and to the northwest, around the hamlet of Fishers. While many traditional single-family homes exist within the town, newer development is beginning in the form of subdivisions which can be small scale with few lots to large scale with hundreds of lots. A majority of residential development within Victor is single-family, although some multi-family development occurs within the village and town.

### Agricultural

The Town of Victor is approximately 36 square miles, and despite continuous population growth, the community still retains a rural character. Agriculture is still a very significant part of Victor's economy and is the second largest land use within the town, at around 19 percent. Victor's 4,000 acres of active farmland are concentrated at the northeastern and southern edges of the town where there are excellent soils. Highly productive land, easy access to major transportation corridors and large population centers have been key factors contributing to the long history of farming in Victor.

### Municipal

Municipal facilities including government buildings, schools, emergency services and public parks account for 8 percent of the land use within Victor. The Victor Town Hall, built in 2009, is in the heart of the village. The Victor schools are an enormous asset to the community. The pre-K and kindergarten center, primary school, intermediate school, and junior and senior high school are consolidated on one campus located on High Street. Public parks account for over 450 acres of land within Victor. 25 percent of park land is developed recreational space, while 75 percent is open space or trails in undeveloped natural areas.

### Industrial

Industry within Victor accounts for almost four percent of the total land use. Industrial uses include quarries in the southwestern portion of the town and light industrial development along Route 251, Route 96, and Main Street, Fishers in the western and central part of the town.

### Commercial

Commercial land use accounts for close to four percent of the total acreage in the Town, the majority of which is concentrated along the central spine of Route 96. Most of this area is retail and service-oriented businesses that serve the residents of the Victor and Rochester region, as well as those traveling through the area. The largest commercial development within Victor is the Eastview Mall which houses approximately 170 stores. The mall is a significant contributor to the local economy. Victor's Economic Development Department provides services to assist businesses in starting, expanding or relocating to the town.

*(Source for Land Use and Population and Demographics Sections:  
Town and Village of Victor, New York Comprehensive Plan 2015, Appendix III: Land Use Inventory and Analysis)*

## Population and Demographics

The recreation needs and trends of a community are directly dependent on the preferences and lifestyle of the residents. As would be expected, age, gender, education and socioeconomic status often influence recreation preferences. Demographic research and public input provide data that allows us to anticipate public desires and predict the activities that will likely become most popular as a community's demographic profile changes over time. Accurate data is available every ten years, but in order to properly prepare for changing recreation trends, it's important to analyze the most recent data available.

### Population

Victor's population according to the 2010 census was 14,275, a substantial 30 percent increase from its 2000 population of 9,977. This is fairly close to the projections made by the Ontario County Planning Department's Town of Victor Build-Out Analysis of 2005, which estimated a 40 percent increase in population per decade between 2000 and 2040. However, a population estimate in 2017, showed 14,926 residents which was not a significant increase from the population in 2010. In 2019, the population is estimated to be about 16,000. In 2010 there were 5,470 households within Victor compared to 3,685 households in 2000, a 33 percent increase.

### Households & Age

The 2010 census gave us insight on the general demographics of the town's population along with the results from a more recent survey distributed by the Parks and Recreation Department. The largest age bracket, according to the Census, was between the ages of 40 to 49 years old. The second largest age bracket of the population was between the ages of five and 14 years old followed by 50 and 59 year olds. Lastly, the smallest portion of the population were between the ages of 20 to 29 years old and 80 to 85+ years old. The median age in Victor was 42.

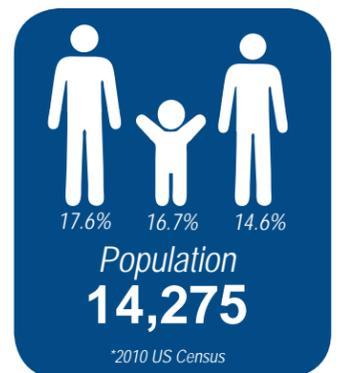
The 2018 Parks and Recreation survey reflected these findings as well, with 52 percent of respondents, with multiple members in their household, stating family members were between the ages of 30 and 49, 38 percent being between the ages of 5 and 12 years old and 34% between 50 and 69 years old. This suggests that a high percentage of families are having children, which would lead to the need for more active recreation facilities within the town that can be geared toward youth activities. Similarly, activities geared toward senior residents would also be worthwhile. Children and senior citizens generally have more time available for recreational activities, and such are more active users of recreational facilities and amenities than other age groups.

### Growth & Development

As a growing town that still has a significant amount of open space, Victor should work in conjunction with new developments in order to protect and preserve important and environmentally sensitive open spaces. Approval of developments should only be granted if the project and the site meet the planning and zoning objectives of the town. With the population continuing to grow in Victor, new residential development remains steady and more evident, mostly in the form of subdivisions, often on land that was formerly agricultural.

Victor also continues to have a thriving business environment that is attractive to companies ranging from retail operations, manufacturing and high-tech firms, to marketing and telecom businesses. For example, Constellation Brands is one of the world's leading producers and distributors of beer, wine and spirits and is headquartered in Victor. Dixon Schwabl also found its home in Victor as a full-service marketing and communications agency that provides advertising, public relations, research and media-placement services to more than 200 customers. High-tech businesses such as Han-Tek, L-Tron Corporation, OmniTech and Integrated Systems are located in the northwestern quadrant of the town, near County Rd. 42 and Rt. 251.

The 2015 Town of Victor Comprehensive Plan outlines specific goals that would guide growth in the town in positive ways such as promoting development that would have a low impact on the environment and maintaining the character of the community. Encouraging the use of rating systems to promote greener development practices such as Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design standards could also assure that Victor's community character is preserved.



### Transportation

Victor's location makes it a prime connector community between the Finger Lakes and the City of Rochester. A comprehensive regional transport network helps connect the town to these activity centers and offers easy access to local destinations. The main mode of transportation is automobile travel. Two major expressways exist within the limits of Victor: the New York State Thruway (I-90) and Interstate Route 490 (I-490). These highways receive heavy traffic, mostly due to commuters travelling to and from Victor, the City of Rochester and Canandaigua. I-90 is a major east to west corridor that connects Buffalo to Albany, and I-490 connects I-90 at exit 45 to major destinations within Monroe County, specifically the City of Rochester.

The roadway network in Victor consists of minor arterials, collectors and local roads. NYS Route 96 is the most prominent and well traveled road within the Town of Victor. Route 96 is classified as a minor arterial and directly connects to I-90 and I-490. This corridor runs directly through the town and village of Victor and serves all traffic traveling to the north and east. A majority of the commercial properties within Victor are located on this arterial. Victor is currently working to develop an Access Management Plan with the purpose of improving safety and traffic flow on the local roadway system, and Route 96 is a major part of the project. NYS Route 251 is another minor arterial that serves Victor. This route serves regional traffic traveling to and from the west of the town and connects I-390 with Route 96. A significant amount of the town's industrial development is located along Route 251. NYS Route 444 connects travelers to communities south of Victor. County Route 42 and 41 are local collector roads that allow easy access into the Town of Victor.



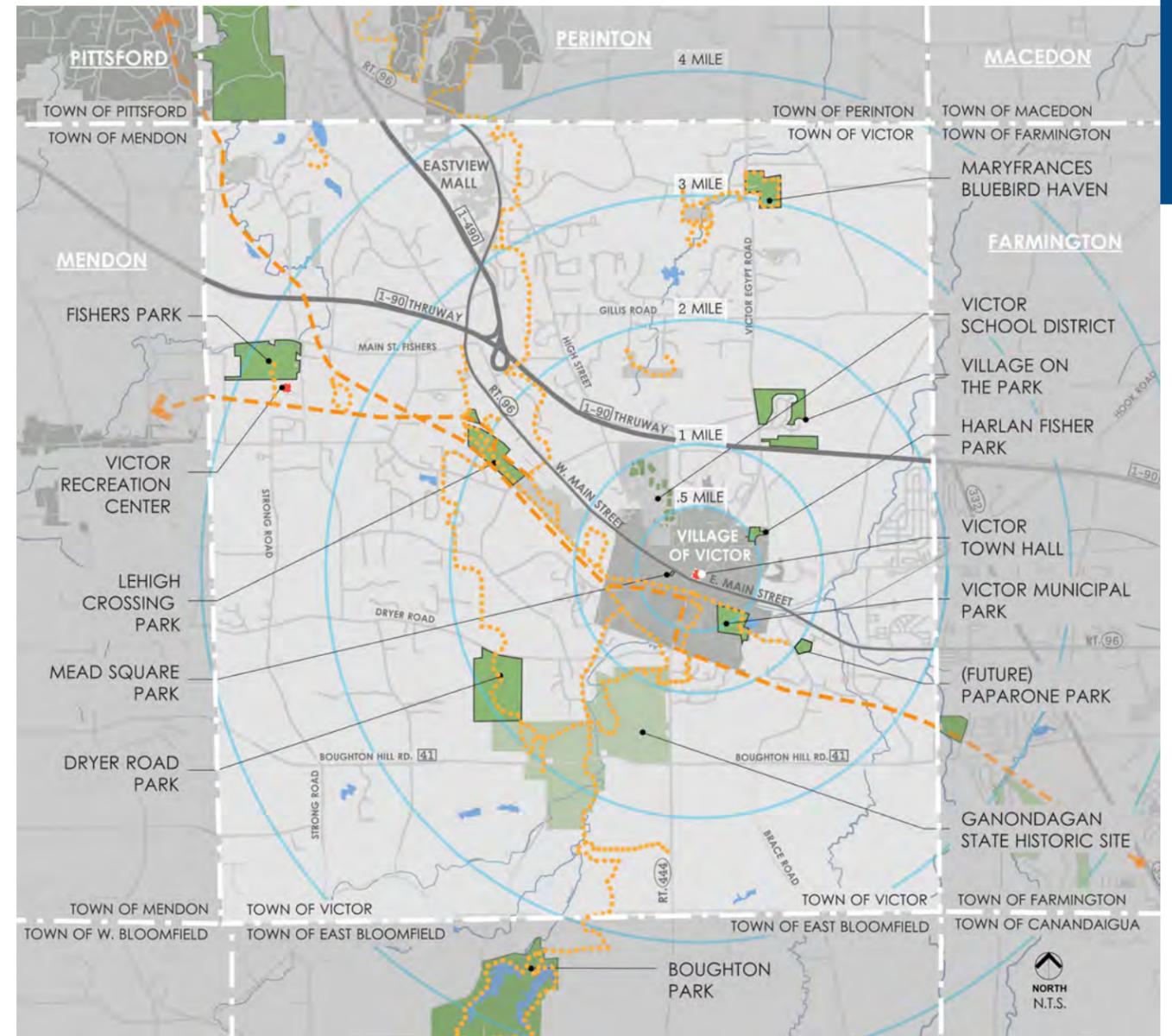
Public transportation is an important component of any transportation network and the Town of Victor is served by the Regional Transit Service (RTS). RTS Route 253 travels from Canandaigua's Transit Hub through Victor and to the Eastview Mall. With the increased popularity of ridesharing, Uber and Lyft have also become available within Victor. These services are private agreements between the ride service and the customer who has arranged for the ride, so it is not considered a public service.

Although Victor is served by many vehicular routes, these roads and highways lead to division and disconnection between the quadrants of the town. The NYS Thruway nearly divides the town into northern and southern parts, and access between the two is not optimal for pedestrians or cyclists. Sidewalks exist within the village, mostly on Main Street, Church Street, High Street, Maple Ave and some streets east of Maple Ave in the southern portion of the village. However, the need for more sidewalks is crucial because these will connect residents to Victor's more central areas such as the schools, parks, homes and shops. The Parks and Recreation Department has been responsible for the design and development of four federally aided transportation alternative projects which has resulted in \$3 million in bike/ pedestrian improvements. Victor has been implementing these designs through the Safe Routes to School and more recently the Victor Community Connectivity Projects and has completed new sidewalks along Lane Road and on High Street on or near the Victor Central School District campus. Continuing to implement this project will greatly contribute to the connectivity and walking safety of Victor residents.

In addition to pedestrian connections among neighborhoods and destinations within the town, it is also essential to establish bicycle links. The current multi-use trail system within Victor's park system is an excellent resource for many bikers, but creating safe routes along major roadways is a much needed addition. The existing roadways could be widened or re-striped to incorporate bike lanes to provide a safe zone for the many bikers that travel through Victor.

## Existing Parks & Recreation System

The Parks and Recreation Department has made great progress in its short existence in recognizing, improving, and maintaining lands for recreation. Residents of the town are offered a well-balanced system of parklands, open space, and recreational opportunities that promote a healthy lifestyle. The amenities offered range from children's playgrounds and sports fields to mountain bike trails and nature preserves.



# Parks & Facility Overview

Composed of more than 65 miles of trails, a dedicated parks and recreation center, approximately 457 acres of parkland, and an additional 330 acres of parkland within the neighboring Boughton Park, the existing network of parks and facilities in the Town of Victor provide residents and visitors with diverse opportunities for both passive and active recreation. The existing network of parks and facilities in the Town of Victor includes:

**EXISTING PARKS:**

1. FISHERS PARK
2. MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN
3. VILLAGE ON THE PARK
4. LEHIGH CROSSING PARK
5. HARLAN FISHER PARK
6. MEAD SQUARE PARK
7. VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK
8. DRYER ROAD PARK
9. BOUGHTON PARK

**EXISTING FACILITIES:**

10. VICTOR PARKS AND RECREATION CENTER

**PROPOSED PARK:**

- P1. PAPANONE PARK

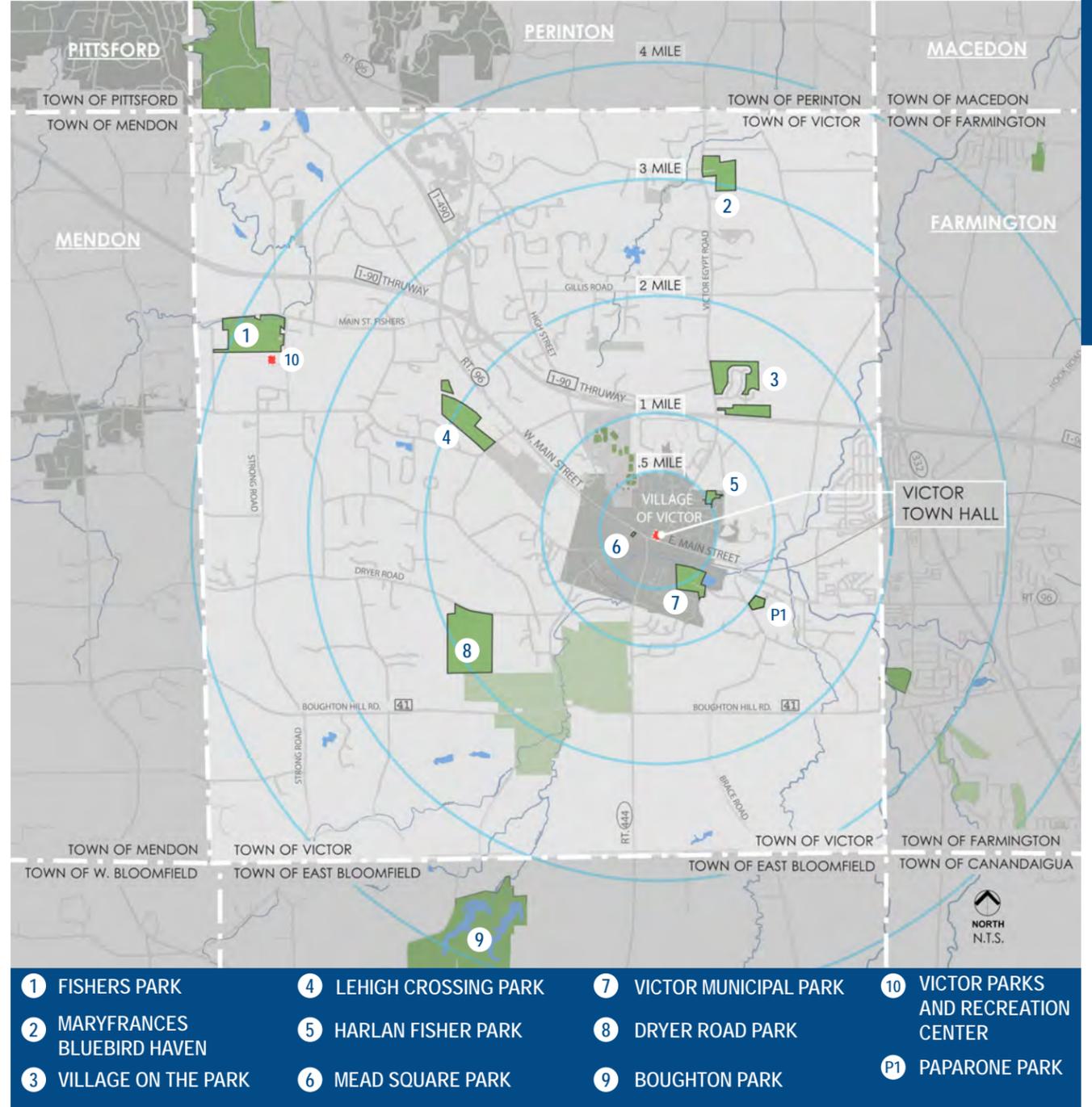
## Park Classifications

It is important to understand how individual parks within the recreation system are used by the community and how each classification of park provides a balanced offering of park and recreation services and amenities. The parks within Victor can be categorized into four distinct classifications: Mini-Park, Neighborhood Park, Community Park, and Regional Park, which are based on the "Park and Open Space Classifications" identified in the National Recreation and Park Associations "Park, Recreation, Open Spaces and Greenway Guidelines" published in 1996. These classifications are included in the inventory information for each park.

- **MINI-PARK:**  
The smallest of the park classifications is the mini-park which tend to serve limited or isolated recreational needs. User groups can be characterized by limited population areas, unique recreational opportunities, or isolated development areas. Mini-parks range in size from less than one acre to a five acre maximum.
- **NEIGHBORHOOD PARK:**  
The basic unit of the park system is the neighborhood park. These parks serve as a social and recreational center for the neighborhood and tend to focus on informal active and passive recreation. Neighborhood parks are focused around small populations within a neighborhood but serve a full range of age groups.
- **COMMUNITY PARK:**  
Community parks (also known as district parks) focus on the broad recreation needs of the community and preserving unique landscapes and open spaces. Community parks provide facilities geared towards specific recreation needs, such as athletic fields, sports courts, community gardens, specialized trail systems, and aquatic amenities.
- **REGIONAL PARK:**  
Regional parks serve larger areas encompassing several communities. These communities may draw from residents within a town, throughout a county, or across multiple counties. Regional parks offer recreational opportunities such as canoeing, kayaking, fishing, nature-wildlife observation, and camping. These parks showcase existing natural resources in a broad area and enhance the identity of the entire region.

Source: Mertes, James D. and Hall, James R. Park, Recreation, Open Space and Greenway Guidelines, A Project of the National Recreation and Park Association and the American Academy for Park and Recreation Administration, 1996.

# Key Map - Existing Parks & Facility Inventory



## Park Inventory/ Features

Each park in the Victor park system carries a unique set of park features which begin to define the recreation types and user groups for each individual park. Park features can be grouped into the following categories: active recreation, passive recreation, structures, access, and trails/ pathways.

- **ACTIVE RECREATION:**

Active recreation can be defined as a recreational activity that is generally organized and structured, requiring specialized facilities and infrastructure tailored towards a specific recreation activity, such as team activities or events. These recreational areas necessitate development of land and/or structures that require management and maintenance.

- Athletic fields (baseball and softball fields with/without dugouts, soccer fields, football fields, turf fields)
- Children's play areas (play equipment, swings)
- Athletic courts (volleyball, tennis, bocce)
- Specific recreation uses (bicycle tracks, off-road/ mountain bike trails, aquatic facilities, fitness areas, and dog parks)

- **PASSIVE RECREATION:**

Passive recreation can be defined as a recreational activity that is generally non-organized and occurs within an undeveloped or environmentally rich and sensitive area, and requires minimal development, alterations and maintenance. These recreational areas are geared towards the preservation of open space, wildlife and habitats, and the environment. This type of recreation can generally be provided to the community at a lower cost than active recreation and does not significantly impact the natural environment.

- Natural/ wetland areas
- Streams, ponds, and other water features
- Open meadows

- **STRUCTURES:**

Many of Victor's parks have structures that support and enhance community recreation.

- Pavilions, gazebos, shelters, band shells
- Picnic tables, trash receptacles, site furnishings, drinking fountains
- Facility, cottage, or lodge buildings
- Concession or maintenance/ storage buildings

- **ACCESS:**

Although many users walk or bicycle to nearby parks, accommodation for access to Victor's parks by automobile is a necessity. Providing safe, off-street parking areas allows the park to be accessible to a wide user base regardless of their proximity to the park or physical abilities.

- **TRAILS/ PATHWAYS:**

The trail and pathway systems within Victor provide a continuous connection between the parks and other important elements within the community. A majority of the trails follow a historic path or use, and link a broad range of landscapes, neighborhoods, municipal services, and serve as an amenity within individual parks.



## Existing Park Features

Park Name:	1. Fishers Park	2. Maryfrances Bluebird Haven	3. Village on the Park	4. Lehigh Crossing Park	5. Harlan Fisher Park	6. Mead Square Park	7. Victor Municipal Park	8. Dryer Road Park	9. Boughton Park
Identification:	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.
Park Signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Off-Street Parking Areas	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Picnic Tables	6	4	2	2	2	--	10	7	✓
BBQ's / Grills	3	1	--	--	--	--	4	2	--
Community Gardens	--	✓	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Trails	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	--	✓	✓	✓
Pavilion, Gazebo, Shelter, or Bandshell	--	--	--	1	--	--	2	--	1
Concession, Storage or Maintenance Building	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	3
Restrooms	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	--	✓	✓	✓
Facility or Lodge	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--
Playground / Swings	--	--	✓	--	✓	--	✓	✓	--
Tennis Courts	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Volleyball Courts	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--
Multi-Use Athletic Field	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	2	--
Multi-Use Turf Field	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--
Artwork/ Sculptures	1	1	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Open Meadow / Lawn Areas	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	--	✓	✓	✓
Wetland / Educational Observation Area	✓	--	--	✓	--	--	✓	--	✓
Stream, Pond, or Other Water Feature	✓	✓	✓	✓	--	--	✓	--	✓
Sledding Hills	--	--	✓	--	--	--	--	✓	--
Specific Recreation Use Areas*	--	--	--	--	--	--	✓	✓	--

\*Specific Recreation Use Areas include: Off Road / Mountain Biking Areas, Skills Areas, Bocce Courts, and Horseshoe Pits.

# 1 FISHERS PARK

**Park Type:** Community Park

**Recreation Type:** Active and Passive

**Size:** 93 Acres, 5 miles of trails

**Location Description:** The park is located in the Hamlet of Fishers in the northwest quadrant of the town. The main entrance to the park is located on Main Street Fishers (County Road 42) with secondary entrances on Wangum Road on the east side and Old Dutch Road on the western side of the park. A connector trail links the park to the Victor Recreation Center and the Lehigh Valley Trail.

**General Park Description:** The park contains five miles of looping trails that lead through wooded hillsides, through diverse wetland areas, and meander along the banks of Irondequoit Creek. At the main park entrance there is a picnic area with a small parking area and access to the park's trail system and creek. Tennis courts are located on the eastern side of the park along with a small picnic area and a larger parking lot. A large natural wooded area and open meadow space with a network of trails is located on the west side of the park.

**History & Significance:** Fishers Park was part of the original Fisher Homestead. A portion of the land was utilized for timber production and the cleared land was used for farming and later used as a nursery for apples and pears. The western part of the park once was a pasture for cattle and sheep. Fifty-six additional acres of the park were acquired in 2001. A pyramidal monument erected to commemorate European explorer Pabos (who is said to be buried in the general area) is located to the south of the main entrance along Wangum Road.

**Landscape Features:**

- Wooded hillside and flatlands
- Wetland and low-lying areas
- Irondequoit Creek
- Open fields and rolling meadow areas

**Recreational Amenities and Condition:**

- (2) Tennis courts and fencing- generally in good condition, areas of patching and cracking. Minor depressions hold water. Fencing and gates in fair condition- minor heaving at posts
- Picnic areas with tables and BBQs- generally in good condition
- Hiking/ snowshoe/ cross country skiing trails- mostly unpaved/ mown/ cleared trails in good condition.
- Accessible fishing areas along Irondequoit Creek- no dedicated dock or structure
- Parking areas- paved/ gravel- generally in good condition, areas of potholes and depressions
- Pull-off area along Old Dutch Road- expanded shoulder with small gravel area at trail head

**Signage and Structures:**

- Signage: entrance and trail signage at key locations, generally good condition- heavy bird damage to trail head signs
- Covered picnic area- good condition
- Seasonal bathrooms- good condition

**Park Assessment:**

- Recommendations for improvements to the park should work to preserve the natural beauty and assets within the park. Consider stream bank and erosion control improvements along the Irondequoit Creek where needed. Limit development to the areas along Wangum Road. Opportunities for active recreation programming at the corner of Main Street Fishers and Wangum Road, and adjacent to the tennis courts and parking area at Wangum Road. Potential passive recreation improvements could be recommended for upper open space.
- Provide additional parking at the trail head along Old Dutch Road- parking should be screened with planting and blend into the surrounding landscape. The natural/ agriculture setting should be preserved.
- Connect the park with the adjacent community parks and trail systems (Mendon and Pittsford)- strengthen and promote the connection to the Lehigh Valley Trail and Victor Parks and Recreation Center.

## Existing Conditions



Entrance to Park



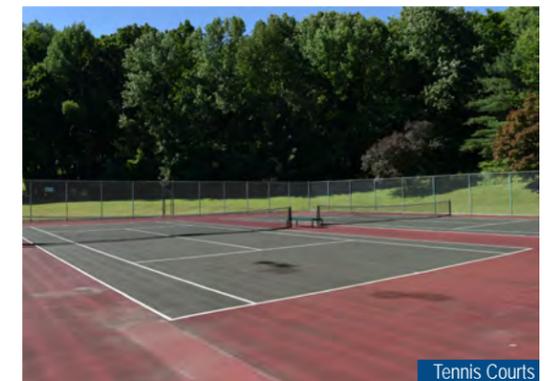
Picnic Area



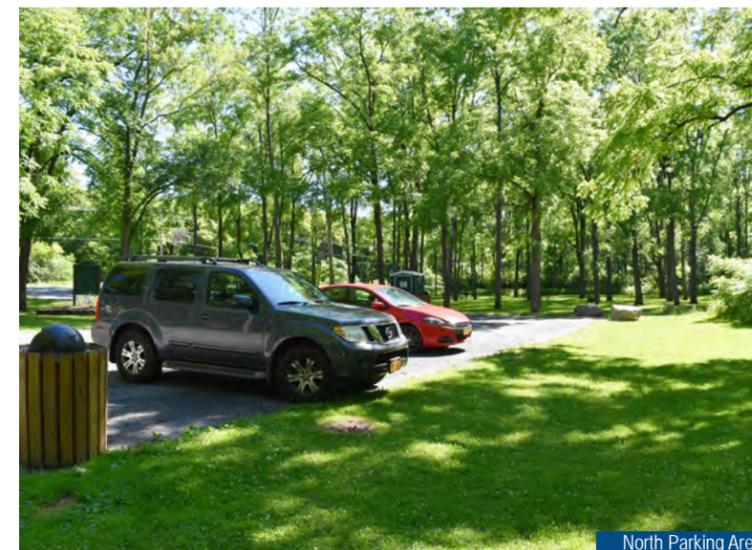
Irondequoit Creek



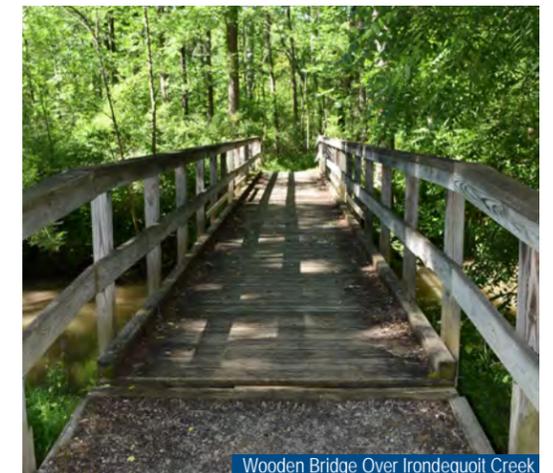
Trail Head & Bridge



Tennis Courts



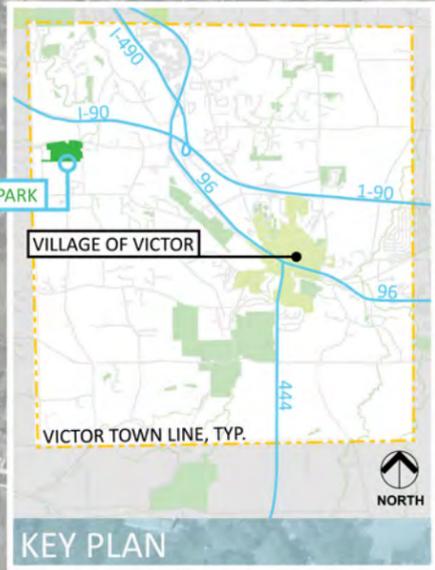
North Parking Area



Wooden Bridge Over Irondequoit Creek

# FISHERS PARK

93 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SUMMER 2018



**GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**

- Open lawn space at corner of Main St. Fishers and Wangum Road has potential to be a programmed space (i.e. multi-use field, arboretum, nature exploration programming) that can be screened from road and rest of park
- Natural feeling/ setting should be maintained - provides respite from surrounding commercial activity and Thruway
- Upper open space area off of old dutch road could be a programmed space (i.e. nature exploration area, natural play area, outdoor education area, pavilion / shelter, etc. - only passive recreation
- Irondequoit Creek utilized by community for fishing.
- Tennis courts and parking lot (gravel pavement) in good condition

## 2 MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN

**Park Type:** Community Park

**Recreation Type:** Passive

**Size:** 39 Acres, 1 mile of trails

**Location Description:** Located in the northeastern quadrant of the town along Victor-Egypt Road (County Road 9) and across from the Valentown Road intersection. The main entrance of the park is off of Victor- Egypt Road.

**General Park Description:** Fondly referred to as Victor's living classroom, MaryFrances Bluebird Haven's focus is on highlighting New York's official bird, the bluebird. The main trail loops the perimeter of the property and allows visitors to view bluebirds in their natural habitat along with various other species. Secondary mown trails weave through lush meadows and open spaces. A large fishing pond with a handicap accessible dock is situated in the northeast corner of the park. A small cottage (the Butler Cottage) with a deck, overlooks the park and pond and is available to the community for events. A community garden on site contains 14 plots. There are two parking areas, a smaller lot at the park entrance servicing the trail and a larger lot adjacent to the cottage.

**History & Significance:** This park was once the estate of Robert Butler and was acquired by the town in 1997 for use as a bluebird sanctuary in memory of his wife, MaryFrances. An angel statue was added to the property at the time of dedication. The Butler's bright blue house was renovated and is now known as the Butler Cottage.

**Landscaping Features:**

- Generally flat open meadows/ fields and mown trails
- Wooded areas at the perimeter of the park
- Seasonal stream and fishing pond
- Areas of distinctive planting (foundation planting, planting around signs, and parking areas).

**Recreational Amenities and Condition:**

- Trails- mown/ cleared trails in good condition
- Bluebird houses for nesting and observation- generally in good condition, season maintenance required
- Pond with fishing dock- pond in good health, stocked with fish. Invasive plant species noted at ponds edge. Ramp and dock structure in good condition
- Community gardens (14 total plots) with fencing and gate- In good condition, seasonal use and maintenance
- Picnic area with barbecue station- in good condition
- Parking areas and access drive- paved/ gravel- generally in good condition

**Signage and Structures:**

- Main entrance sign and wayfinding signs- generally in fair condition. Many signs have bird damage. Entrance sign is showing signs of wear
- Butler Cottage- excellent condition
- Garage/ storage building- good condition
- Fishing dock- good condition

**Park Assessment:**

- The theme of a living classroom should be promoted through the recommended improvements and maintenance plan. Work to preserve the natural beauty and diverse habitat within and adjacent to the park. Celebrate what is existing.
- Provide additional community garden plots and promote gardening, native plantings/ habitats, and stewardship throughout increased programs and events at the park. Highlight the park as a community education center and nature center. Consider using an area of the park for an arboretum.
- There is an opportunity to connect the park with the Monkey Run Trails to the west, the parks and trails of Victor to the south, and to the park and trail systems to the north/ adjacent communities. Review crossing potentials and shared parking areas.
- Pond aeration should be considered to improve the overall health of the pond's ecosystem and will allow visitors to enjoy fishing for prolonged periods of time.
- Consider shifting the park entrance drive to align with Valentown Road to provide a safe intersection for vehicles and pedestrians.

### Existing Conditions



Park Entrance Sign



Bluebird Statue at Entrance



Community Garden



Wooden Path Along Trail



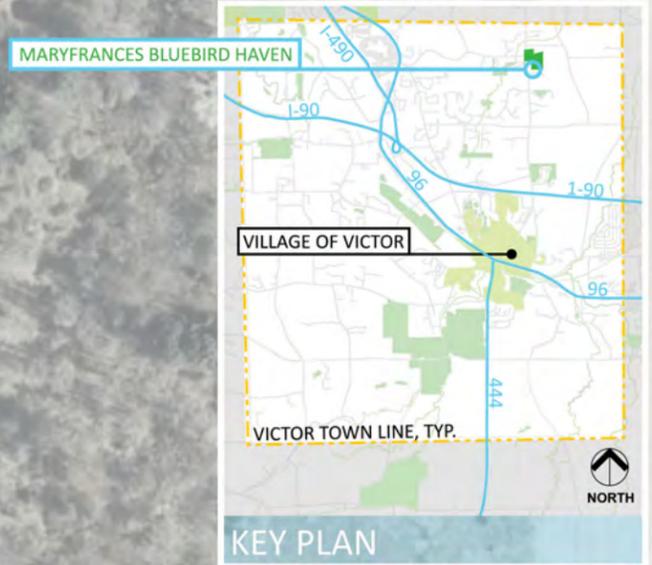
Pond with Fishing Dock



View Across Meadow Toward Cottage

# MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN

39 ACRES  
 TIME OF VISIT:  
 SUMMER 2018



PARK GATES

POTENTIAL FOR CROSSWALK TO ACCESS MONKEY RUN TRAILS TO WEST

VALENTOWN ROAD

INFORMATIONAL BOARD

PARK SIGNAGE

PARKING AREA (6 +/-) SPACES

TO MONKEY RUN TRAILS

INFORMAL PARKING AREA FOR MONKEY RUN TRAILS

STATUE IN MEMORY OF MARYFRANCES BUTLER

FISHING POND (1) FISHING DOCK

OPEN FIELD / MOWN PATHS (MEADOW)

ACCESS DRIVE

OPEN FIELD / MOWN PATHS (MEADOW)

PICNIC AREA (3) PICNIC TABLES (1) BBQ

COMMUNITY GARDEN (14) PLOTS

BUTLER COTTAGE LARGE OPEN SPACE, FULL KITCHEN, AND BATHROOMS (1) STATUE

STORAGE GARAGE / BUILDING

PARKING AREA (20 +/-) SPACES (1) PICNIC TABLE

OPEN FIELD / MOWN PATHS (MEADOW)

BLUE BIRD TRAIL (LOOP TRAIL)

**GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**

- Natural / open land setting promotes passive recreation, hiking, viewing, and educational opportunities
- Mown trails through open fields and meadows create ideal setting for bird watching and flora and fauna observations
- Butler Cottage - great asset for community gatherings / events
- Pond and dock - great for community fishing and nature viewing
- Pastoral landscape should be preserved

POSSIBLE EASEMENT FOR TRAIL CONNECTION

### 3 VILLAGE ON THE PARK

**Park Type:** Neighborhood Park

**Recreation Type:** Active/ Passive

**Size:** 70 Acres, 2 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located in the northeastern quadrant of the town, Village on the Park is unique in that it is located within a residential development. The park is comprised of two larger park areas at the perimeter of the development and one smaller active recreation area at the center of the development. The park areas are mostly accessible from within the development via pathways and a small parking area at the central recreation area and a larger parking lot at the two soccer fields at the south side of the park, adjacent to the NY State Thruway (I-90). A small, informal parking pull-off services the trail head along Victor-Egypt Road (Country Road 9).

**General Park Description:** The northern portion of the park includes a large open field/ meadow area with mown pathways to the west, and to the east is a heavily wooded area with a bioretention/ storm water pond. The central park area includes a play area with a mulch safety surface, play equipment for younger children, a swing set, open lawn area, a gazebo, picnic areas with tables and barbecues, and a paved parking lot. Two multi-sport/ soccer fields are located in the southern portion of the park and are accessible via Rainbow Run and include a parking area with seasonal/ temporary restrooms. There are three park easements located within the residential areas that link all three segments of the park- no formal trails are present.

**History & Significance:** The lands the development and the park now occupy were generally open rural land and wooded areas located atop of a glacial drumlin.

**Landscape Features:**

- Rolling drumlin meadow/ open fields
- Open lawn areas
- Wooded hillside and valley
- Bioretention/ storm water pond
- Planting areas

**Recreational Amenities:**

- (2) Multi-sport/ natural turf soccer fields- good condition
- Toddler-aged playground and swing-set area- good condition
- Mulch play area- good/ fair condition- annual maintenance required
- Picnic area with tables, seating, and barbecue- good/ fair condition
- Bioretention/ storm water pond
- Mown hiking, snowshoeing and cross-country skiing trails- cleared/ mown- good condition
- Sledding hill- mown lawn area- good condition

**Signage and Structures:**

- Entrance signage at main entrance (Duck Hollow Road)- good condition
- Wooden gazebo with seating- good condition
- Storage container/ shed (Victor Rotary)- good condition
- Seasonal/ temporary bathrooms

**Park Assessment:**

- Recreation areas within park are segmented. Provide additional/ formal connections to promote connectivity throughout the park and development.
- Review and provide opportunities for connectivity between trails within the park and the recreation/ trail system to the north and south of the park.
- The wooded area on the eastern edge of the park should be explored and additional trails and education areas could be provided.
- Explore the opportunities to create an access driveway and pathway from Victor-Egypt Road directly to the southern park area with multi-use/ soccer fields. This would avoid traffic from entering the development road network. Topography and distance from the Thruway Underpass may be an issue- coordinate with Ontario County and the town. Potential for additional parking areas (buffered from the adjacent neighbors) and multiple athletic fields to serve the needs of athletic organizations within the town and adjacent towns.

### Existing Conditions



Soccer Fields



Sledding Hill



View Towards Parking Area and Residential Development



Toddler-Aged Playground



View of I-90 Thruway from Soccer Field



Gazebo with Seating

# VILLAGE ON THE PARK

70 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SUMMER 2018



POTENTIAL CONNECTION TO NORTHEASTERN QUADRANT AND TRAIL SYSTEM

PARKING PULL OFF / TO TRAIL HEAD

COUNTY ROAD 9 (VICTOR-EGYPT ROAD)

OPEN FIELD / MEADOW AREA WITH MOWN PATHS

PARKING AREA (8 +/-) SPACES

PARK / COMMUNITY SIGNAGE

POTENTIAL ACCESS / DRIVEWAY CONNECTION TO FIELDS / PARKING LOT

POTENTIAL TRAIL CONNECTION TO SOUTHEASTERN QUADRANT WITH UNDERPASS UPGRADES

POTENTIAL BUFFERED PARKING AREA

RAVENWOOD GOLF CLUB

POTENTIAL FOR ADDITIONAL SOCCER / MULTISPORT FIELDS- UNDER-UTILIZED SPACE

WOODED AREA  
POTENTIAL FOR ADDITIONAL TRAILS / NATURE AREA

POTENTIAL TRAIL CONNECTION (TYP.)

CENTRAL PARK AREA  
TODDLER PLAYGROUND (2-5 YRS. OLD)  
(2) SWING SEATS  
(2) TODDLER SWINGS  
(1) PICNIC TABLE

PARKING AREA (10 +/-) SPACES

STORMWATER POND

PARKING AREA (32 +/-) SPACES  
(1) PORTABLE BATHROOM  
(1) TRASH RECEPTACLE  
(1) SOCCER STORAGE SHED

POTENTIAL LOCATION FOR SERVICE BUILDING (CONCESSION / MAINTENANCE)

POTENTIAL SECONDARY PARKING AREA WITH PAVILION

## GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

- Park separated into (3) areas by housing development. (1.) Passive open field / pathway area, (2.) Central play area with playground, (3.) Soccer field area with parking
- High potential for additional athletic field and supporting parking areas along south edge adjacent to Thruway

SLEDDING HILL

DUCK HOLLOW  
POND SIDE CIRCLE  
RAINBOW RUN

SOCCER FIELD 02

SOCCER FIELD 01

I-90 THRUWAY

## 4 LEHIGH CROSSING PARK

**Park Type:** Community Park

**Recreation Type:** Passive

**Size:** 54 Acres, 3 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located along Route 251 in the northwestern quadrant of the town, the park is situated in between the Lehigh Valley Trail to the north/ northeast and the Auburn Trail to the southwest. The Trolley Trail, linking to the Village of Victor, runs the length of the park while the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail connects to the southern trail and park system. The park is surrounded by commercial and educational developments, include the Victor campus of Finger Lakes Community College. Its proximity to the village and the central commercial corridor, route 96 and ease of access through the Victor Trail System, make it very accessible from many parts of the town.

**General Park Description:** The park offers a very diverse environment with a large network of multiuse trails and opportunities to view wild life. The park is very well connected to many trail systems that serve the community, including the Lehigh Valley and Auburn Trails and the Trolley and Auburn- Dryer Connector trails. The Lehigh Valley Trail begins at the entrance to the park and continues westward, beyond the park boundaries and crosses the rehabilitated Lehigh Valley trestle. The trails within the park direct visitors through marsh areas, meadows and wooded areas. A fishing pond is situated in the center of the park with a gazebo and seating area, with a large lawn area on the northwest side of the pond which provides a great view of the park and opportunities for active and passive recreation. A small (8) space parking lot is at the entrance along with seasonal bathrooms and park information.

**History & Significance:** The park was acquired in 2000 and is mostly undeveloped. It was donated by Henry Hansen and John Turner. It is bordered by both the Lehigh Valley Trail and the Auburn Trail. The Rochester and Eastern Rapid Railway once crossed the property. There was a freight train accident in 1960 on the now defunct trestle that still exists adjacent to the park and was re-purposed as a crossing for the Lehigh Valley Trail.

**Landscape Features:**

- Wooded areas
- Marsh and wetland areas
- Streams and creeks
- Open lawn areas
- Large pond

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Fishing pond- seasonally shallow, various forms of aquatic life, invasive plant species observed at edge of pond
- Multi-use trails- stone dust surface/ cleared and mown, generally in good condition areas are wet seasonally
- Seasonal/ temporary bathrooms- good condition
- Open lawn/ picnic area- good condition

**Signage and Structures:**

- Park signage- located at entrance to park is generally in good condition
- Interpretive/ educational signage- generally in good condition
- Trail signage- located at trail heads/ crossings- good condition. Additional trail signage is needed
- Wooden gazebo and seating- good condition
- Wooden boardwalks and observation areas- very good condition- many recently constructed

**Park Assessment:**

- Protect and celebrate the rich natural and historic resources located within and adjacent to the park. Provide additional interpretive signage and or special trail-educational hikes throughout the park.
- Evaluate access from Route 251 and parking location and quantity within park- additional parking may be required. Parking area is located a distance from the main park area and pond, and junctions of the major trails within the park.
- Provide additional trail markers and signage. Areas of the park are better marked than others.
- Consideration should be given to the width of the shoulder and safety of crossings along Route 251 as hikers connect to and from the Auburn Trail and the park.
- Trails are generally in good condition, review seasonal flooding and provide additional ecologically sensitive boardwalk structures.

### Existing Conditions



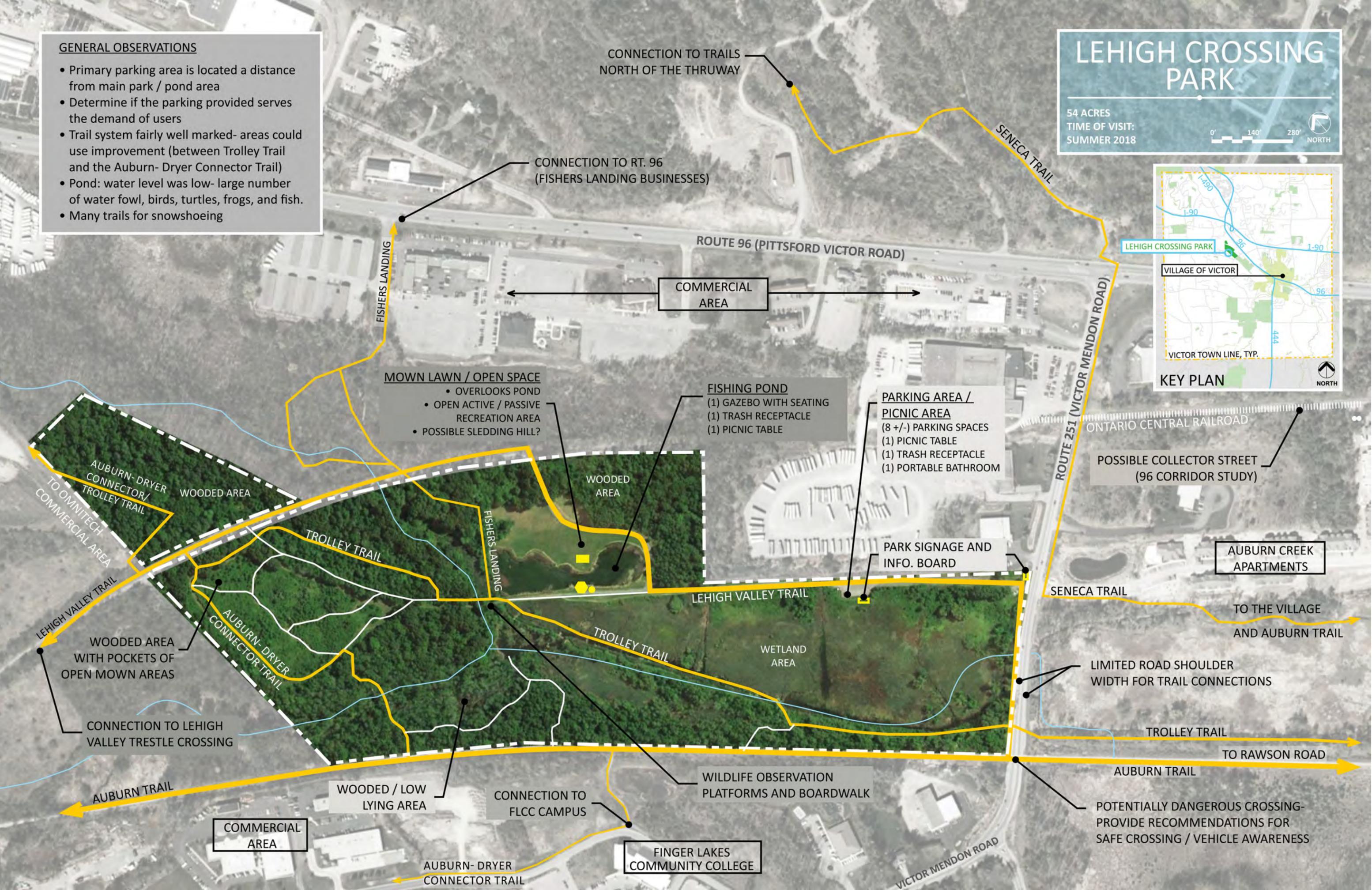
**GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**

- Primary parking area is located a distance from main park / pond area
- Determine if the parking provided serves the demand of users
- Trail system fairly well marked- areas could use improvement (between Trolley Trail and the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail)
- Pond: water level was low- large number of water fowl, birds, turtles, frogs, and fish.
- Many trails for snowshoeing

# LEHIGH CROSSING PARK

54 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SUMMER 2018

KEY PLAN



CONNECTION TO TRAILS NORTH OF THE THRUWAY

CONNECTION TO RT. 96 (FISHERS LANDING BUSINESSES)

COMMERCIAL AREA

**MOWN LAWN / OPEN SPACE**

- OVERLOOKS POND
- OPEN ACTIVE / PASSIVE RECREATION AREA
- POSSIBLE SLEDDING HILL?

**FISHING POND**

- (1) GAZEBO WITH SEATING
- (1) TRASH RECEPTACLE
- (1) PICNIC TABLE

**PARKING AREA / PICNIC AREA**

- (8 +/-) PARKING SPACES
- (1) PICNIC TABLE
- (1) TRASH RECEPTACLE
- (1) PORTABLE BATHROOM

PARK SIGNAGE AND INFO. BOARD

POSSIBLE COLLECTOR STREET (96 CORRIDOR STUDY)

AUBURN CREEK APARTMENTS

TO THE VILLAGE AND AUBURN TRAIL

LIMITED ROAD SHOULDER WIDTH FOR TRAIL CONNECTIONS

TO RAWSON ROAD

POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS CROSSING- PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SAFE CROSSING / VEHICLE AWARENESS

TO OMNITECH COMMERCIAL AREA

WOODED AREA WITH POCKETS OF OPEN MOWN AREAS

CONNECTION TO LEHIGH VALLEY TRESTLE CROSSING

AUBURN TRAIL

COMMERCIAL AREA

WOODED / LOW LYING AREA

CONNECTION TO FLCC CAMPUS

FINGER LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE

WILDLIFE OBSERVATION PLATFORMS AND BOARDWALK

VICTOR MENDON ROAD

SENECA TRAIL

AUBURN TRAIL

LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL

WETLAND AREA

TROLLEY TRAIL

TROLLEY TRAIL

WOODED AREA

WOODED AREA

FISHERS LANDING

ROUTE 96 (PITTSFORD VICTOR ROAD)

SENECA TRAIL

ROUTE 251 (VICTOR MENDON ROAD)

ONTARIO CENTRAL RAILROAD

VILLAGE OF VICTOR

VICTOR TOWN LINE, TYP.

NORTH

NORTH

## 5 HARLAN FISHER PARK

**Park Type:** Neighborhood Park

**Recreation Type:** Active/ Passive

**Size:** 6 Acres, .5 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located within the Village of Victor on the east side of town, this park is bordered by a dense residential neighborhood to the south, Ravenwood Golf Club to the east/ northeast and wooded lands to the north and northwest. The main entrance to the park, including an entrance driveway, is located along Lynaugh Road.

**General Park Description:** With its location in the Village of Victor, the park is underutilized by the surrounding neighborhood and community. The gravel entrance drive and parking area provide adequate parking for the park. The main features of the park include a mulched play area with play equipment for children ages 2-5 years old, a swing set, picnic areas with a barbecue and benches, a wooden bridge that was recently constructed allowing access over a seasonal creek, and an open lawn area. A wooded area surrounds the park on three sides and informal connection pathways lead to the adjacent neighborhoods at East Parkway and Ambassador Drive.

**History & Significance:** Noted as one of the first parks in Victor.

**Landscape Features:**

- Wooded areas with native/ specimen trees
- Open lawn area
- Seasonal stream/ creek
- Pockets of planting

**Recreational Amenities and Conditions:**

- Gravel entry drive and parking area- in fair/ good condition- signs of misuse
- Open lawn areas- In good conditional, some areas need reseeding
- Play area with natural mulch, play equipment (2-5 yr. olds), swing set, and benches- play equipment and swing set in good condition/ natural mulch safety surface requires seasonal maintenance
- Picnic area with (2) picnic tables in fair/ good condition
- Informal trail along perimeter- cleared footpath and mown pathway in good condition

**Signage and Structures:**

- Entrance signage and wayfinding signage in fair condition, bird damage present.
- Seasonal/ temporary bathrooms- in good condition
- Wooden bridge over seasonal creek- good condition

**Park Assessment:**

- High potential to be a great asset for the village, adjacent neighborhoods and community. Location provides potential for formalized connections to the adjacent neighborhoods. Existing trails are not inviting and should be rehabilitated.
- Perimeter wooded area creates a natural buffer/ screen between adjacent neighborhood and the park and should be preserved. Additional trails or nature classrooms/ play areas are recommended for the wooded areas of the park- potential programming and school/ library partnering opportunity.
- Opportunities for an expanded park program (active/ passive recreation), including additional play equipment and seating opportunities.
- Seclusion of the parking area and park may create safety and vandalism issues, recommendations should address this concern.
- Potential trail/ pathway connections from the park to the trails/ parks north of the park and the Auburn Trail, Route 96 and Municipal Park (Future Papparone Park) to the south.

### Existing Conditions



Entrance from Ambassador Dr.



Toddler-Aged Playground



Bridge over Dry Creek



Open Lawn



Entrance from Lynaugh Road



Parking Area

# HARLAN FISHER PARK

6 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SPRING 2019



KEY PLAN



- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- Under-utilized village/ neighborhood park
  - Parking area in fair condition- repave
  - Large amount of land- potential for trails and/ or nature play areas
  - Close proximity to downtown/ village- first link to east/north east recreation and trail opportunities
  - Great potential for various programs (i.e. nature play / outdoor education areas / field space / playground expansion)

RAVENWOOD GOLF CLUB

## 6 MEAD SQUARE PARK

**Park Type:** Mini Park

**Recreation Type:** Passive

**Size:** .3 Acres

**Location Description:** Located in the center of the Village of Victor, Mead Square is the primary park and open space within the downtown of Victor. The main pedestrian entrance is located along West Main Street (Route 96) and secondary entries are located to the south and west and connect the adjacent parking lots. The park is in the heart of the village business district, adjacent to the Victor Chamber of Commerce building, down the street from the Town Hall, and shares a parking lot with the Victor Farmington Library.

**General Park Description:** Mead Square is a small village park that provides respite to visitors to the Village of Victor. Linked to West Main Street through a curvilinear path, Mead Square offers many opportunities for seating and includes many lush planting areas that provide a seasonal interest to visitors. The planting areas are provided and maintained in partnership with the Victor Garden Club. A flagpole and “Horse on Parade” statue are along the pathway and centrally located within the park. Larger planting and shade trees provide a partial buffer to the adjacent paved parking areas and neighboring commercial buildings.

**History & Significance:** Mead Square is dedicated to the memory of Alfred M. Mead, M.D. who practiced medicine in the Village of Victor and was a committed member of the Victor community for almost 60 years.

**Landscape Features:**

- Shade trees (some with dedication plaques), small ornamental trees, and evergreen trees
- Planting areas with seasonal interest
- Small open mown lawn area- irrigated

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Seating areas with benches- good condition
- Curvilinear paver pathway- generally in good condition, few areas of settlement or heaving
- Adjacent concrete walkways and sidewalks- in good condition
- “Horse on Parade” statue and central flag pole (in remembrance of 9/11)- in good condition

**Signs and Structures:**

- Historic/ interpretive sign- Alfred M. Mead- in fair condition, showing signs of weather and aging
- Covered Auburn Trail kiosk- in good condition

**Park Assessment:**

- This small park is located in the heart of the village and is used mainly as an event space for community gatherings, concerts and other village and town sponsored events
- Potential to become a more vibrant/ well used park with additional partnership/ programming opportunities, i.e. food truck/ food vendor at lunch, weekly concert series, special events, etc.
- If the community supported expansion of the park, the adjacent parking areas could be utilized
- Bike racks should also be provided as a response to a growing number of community members being active bikers
- Connections to the Auburn Trail to the south could be made possible with a dedicated walk towards Adams Street
- Signage along West Main Street should be considered

### Existing Conditions



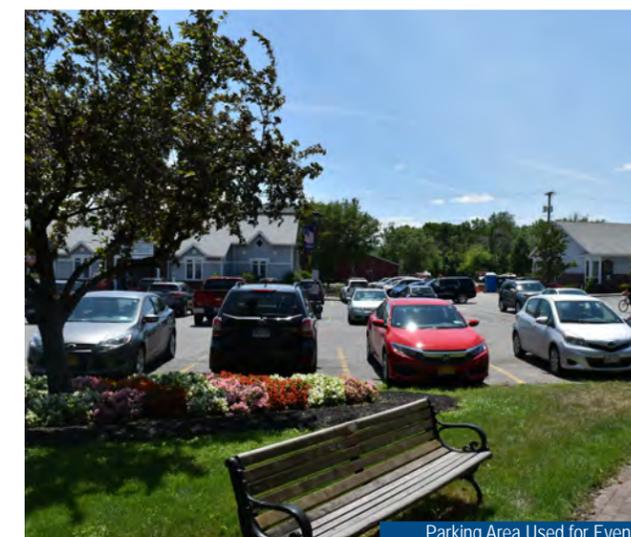
Park Entrance from Main Street



Park Seating Along Main Street



Historic Signage and Central Flag Pole



Parking Area Used for Events



Auburn Trail Information Kiosk



Park During Event

# MEAD SQUARE PARK

0.3 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SUMMER 2018



POTENTIAL SIGNAGE  
ALONG WEST MAIN ST.

ROUTE 96 (WEST MAIN STREET)

CONNECTION TO NORTH  
SIDE OF MAIN ST.

COMMERCIAL  
BUILDING

PARKING AREA  
(14 +/-) SPACES

PARK SIGNAGE  
(1) HISTORIC SIGN

OPEN LAWN AREA WITH  
PERIMETER GARDENS

POTENTIAL CONNECTION  
FOR DEDICATED WALK  
WAY TO ADAMS ST.

INFORMATIONAL BOARD  
(AUBURN TRAIL)

MEAD  
LANE

TRASH RECEPTACLE (TYP.)  
(3) RECEPTACLES

CENTRAL AREA  
(1) HORSE ON PARADE  
(1) GRANITE TROUGH  
(1) FLAGPOLE  
(1) WATER FOUNTAIN

BENCH (TYP.)  
(11) BENCHES

PARKING AREA  
(2) HANDICAP SPACES  
(28 +/-) SPACES

POTENTIAL  
ACQUIREMENT OF PARCEL  
FOR PARK EXPANSION

POTENTIAL CONNECTION  
TO AUBURN TRAIL (S/W  
TO SCHOOL ST.)

MEAD SQUARE  
PHARMACY

VICTOR FARMINGTON  
LIBRARY

PARKING AREA  
(2) HANDICAP SPACES  
(66 +/-) SPACES

POTENTIAL CONNECTION  
TO AUBURN TRAIL (S/E  
TO MAPLE AVE.)

ADAMS STREET

ONTARIO CENTRAL RAILROAD

## GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

- Small village park - passive recreation
- Potential for gathering structure/ additional seating areas- food vendor
- Potential to expand park into parking areas. Partner with library on special weekly/ monthly events
- Gardens well maintained and planted
- High potential of support / benefit from commercial building to west

# 7 VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK

**Park Type:** Community Park

**Recreation Type:** Active/ Passive

**Size:** 47 Acres, 2 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located within the Village of Victor, in the southeastern quadrant of the town, Victor Municipal Park is easily accessible from all areas of Victor and adjacent communities. A main access drive is located on Brace Road to the east. A gravel pathway links the Village of Victor and the Jacobs Landing neighborhood with the park to the west, while a connection trail leading from the park's wooded trail system connects with the Trolley Trail, which continues through the park.

**General Park Description:** Victor Municipal Park is the community's newest park and is a true community park by all definitions. This park features a long paved access drive leading to a large parking area. Sidewalk and pathway connections lead into the park and connect with a community lodge with public restrooms, an open air bandshell, a multi-age playground with outdoor fitness stations, a sand volleyball court and horseshoe pits. A large open area pavilion is located to the east of the parking area while a large fishing pond with dock and large lawn area/ open space is located to the northwest. An extensive trail system meanders through the perimeter wooded and wetland areas, connecting back to the Trolley Trail and village. The park is home to the Sid Partington Summer Concert Series, a very well attended popular community event throughout the summer.

**History & Significance:** The planning and realization for this park started in the early 2000s. Through this detailed planning and design process, Victor Municipal Park was constructed and dedicated as a new village and town park in 2010. The adjacent Auburn Trail segment was constructed as part of a Federal Highway Administration (FHA) and State Department of Transportation (DOT) grant.

**Landscape Features:**

- Wooded areas
- Wetland/ marsh areas with streams and creeks
- Open lawn/ mown meadow areas
- Large pond
- Low lying drainage areas

**Recreational Amenities and Conditions:**

- Play area: multi-age playground with swings- good condition- minor areas of wear. Natural mulch safety surface has areas of wear- seasonal maintenance is required
- Fitness stations- good condition- minor signs of wear
- Sand volleyball court- good condition
- Bocce court- good condition
- Horseshoe pits- good condition
- Picnic areas, with tables and benches- good condition
- Stocked fishing pond with dock- pond in good health, some signs of invasive plant species around the edge and in adjacent wooded area
- Trails and pathways- concrete and asphalt pavement- in good condition, stone dust trails in good condition, seasonal maintenance required. Cleared/ mown trails in good condition, seasonal flooding occurs. Boardwalk structures- in good condition- help to mitigate impacts.
- Paved entry drive and parking area- generally in good condition

**Signage and Structures:**

- Community lodge with kitchen, fireplace, large open area, restrooms, and patio- in good condition
- Picnic pavilion shelter with tables and benches- in good condition
- Bandshell- in good condition
- Informational signage/ wayfinding signage- in good condition
- Park identification/ entrance signage- in good condition
- Trail signage- in various locations- good condition (additional signage needed)

**Park Assessment:**

- Very well programmed, new park. Many opportunities for various members of the community
- Additional parking is needed for large events (i.e. concerts/ parties) but not generally needed on an everyday basis
- Potential to expand trail network and include a nature center, natural play area or outdoor classroom
- Location would be well suited for a splash pad and/or dog park given its central location and connections to the village and adjacent neighborhoods
- Provide additional connections to adjacent trail system to the north, east and south and future Paparone Park across Brace Road to the east

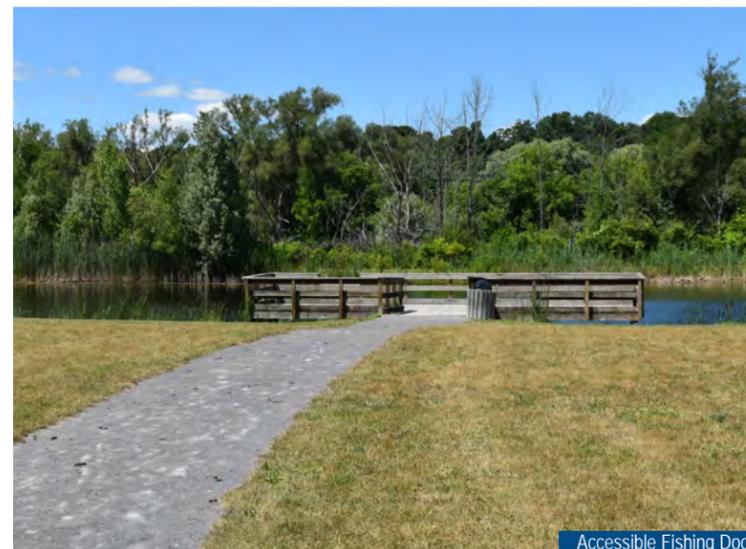
## Existing Conditions



Enclosed Lodge



Band Shell



Multi-Age Playground



Picnic Pavilion



Bridge Connection to Trolley Trail



Sand Volleyball Court

# VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK

47 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SUMMER 2018



- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- Most recent addition to Victor parks system
  - Well programmed park- heavily used by community (concerts/ events/ lodge/ pavilion)
  - Potential for additional trails and connections



ONTARIO CENTRAL RAILROAD

WETLAND AREA / GREAT BROOK -  
POTENTIAL OUTDOOR EDUCATION  
AREA / OBSERVATION DECKS

TRAIL SYSTEM  
THROUGH  
WOODED AREA

FISHING POND  
(1) FISHING DOCK

ROUTE 96 (E MAIN STREET)

CONNECTION TO SAINT  
PATRICK'S CIRCLE AND  
VILLAGE / MAPLE AVE.

BOARDWALK  
CONNECTION

BAT BOX (TYP.)

BAND SHELL  
W/ LAWN SEATING

BENCH (TYP.)

TRASH  
RECEPTACLE  
(TYP.)

LODGE  
RESTROOMS,  
FIREPLACE, KITCHEN,  
SEATING,  
OUTDOOR BENCHES/  
TABLES, WATER  
FOUNTAIN, BBQ,  
BIKE RACKS,  
FLAGPOLE

BIKE RACK (TYP.)

CONNECTION TO  
JACOB'S LANDING  
NEIGHBORHOOD

PICNIC TABLE (TYP.)

INFORMATIONAL BOARD

SCHOOL AGE PLAYGROUND  
5-12 YRS. OLD

SWING SET (4 SWINGS)  
(2) SWING SEATS  
(1) TODDLER SWING  
(1) HANDICAP SWING

JACOB'S LANDING

SWING SET  
(1) TIRE SWING

TEEN & ADULT  
FITNESS STATIONS

TROLLEY TRAIL

PARKING AREA  
(3) HANDICAP SPOTS  
(80 +/-) SPACES  
(1) TRASH RECEPTACLE

POTENTIAL TRAIL  
CONNECTION

HORSESHOE PITS  
(2) SETS

PICNIC AREA  
(7) PICNIC TABLES  
(2) TRASH RECEPTACLES  
(3) BBQS

VOLLEYBALL COURT  
(1) BENCH

PARKING AREA  
(1) HANDICAP SPOT  
(9 +/-) SPACES

VICTOR SEWAGE  
TREATMENT PLANT

GREAT BROOK

BAT BOX (TYP.)

PAPARONE DRIVE  
TROLLEY TRAIL

BOCCE BALL COURT

POTENTIAL FOR ADDITIONAL  
TRAILS / NATURE  
OBSERVATION AREAS

DORCHESTER  
PARK HOUSING  
DEVELOPMENT

SERENITY HOUSE  
(HOSPICE)

RAMPED  
CONNECTION TO  
TROLLEY TRAIL / PARK

PARK SIGNAGE

PARK GATES

BRACE ROAD

POTENTIAL CONNECTION TO  
FUTURE PAPARONE PARK

# 8 DRYER ROAD PARK

**Park Type:** Community Park

**Recreation Type:** Active

**Size:** 132 Acres, 15 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located in the southwestern quadrant of the town, Dryer Road Park is one of the most recognizable and popular parks in the town. The main entrance/ access drive is along Dryer Road, and services a large paved parking lot. The park is located on a glacial drumlin and the northern section of the park is adjacent to a sand and gravel pit. The park's trail system connects to the Ganondagan State Historic Site and Fort Hill. The Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail passes through Dryer Road Park, connecting the Seneca Trail, Ganondagan, and Fort Hill in the south and continues north to link the park with the primary trail system in the northwest quadrant of town.

**General Park Description:** Dryer Road Park is a destination park that includes the region's most diverse multi-use trail system. Utilizing the natural topography of the park, the southern area of the park was built on a glacial drumlin which provides varying terrain for a wide variety of multi-use trails and jump areas. In the fall of 2018, a new bicycle skills area/ pump track was built in the northeast corner of the park. In addition to the trails and skills area, the park includes two multi-sport athletic fields, a box sports rink utilized for lacrosse, soccer and other sports, a multi-age playground with a swing set, benches, and a pavilion with picnic tables, seating and barbecue area. A service building houses year-round restroom facilities, a concession stand, and an area for storage and maintenance.

**History & Significance:** Dryer Road Park is located in a rural/ residential area of town and was dedicated in 2004. The park provides a historical link with the town/ regions Native American past with pathways to Ganondagan State Historic Site.

**Landscape Features:**

- Wooded hillsides and rolling terrain
- Large gravel pit with sandy/ aggregate rich soils
- Mown- open lawn/ field areas

**Recreational Amenities and Conditions:**

- Paved access drive, parking area and drive circle- generally good condition, areas of deteriorated pavement and settlement. Worn parking stripes
- Box rink/ turf field- turf was recently installed, turf and wall surrounds are in good condition
- (2) Multi-use natural turf athletic fields- good condition, areas of worn turf- maintenance required.
- Covered picnic area with tables, seating and barbecues- good condition
- Play area with natural mulch safety surface, multi-age playground, and swing set- generally good condition, playground showing signs of wear/ weathering, natural mulch area to be addressed with seasonal maintenance
- Multi-use trail system- varied difficulty, cleared/ mown trail system in good condition- volunteer groups partner with town for maintenance.
- Pump track/ skills area and jump lines- good to new condition- require maintenance throughout the season- some areas closed in the winter and spring months/ weather dependent
- Upper fields- open lawn area utilized for active and passive recreation- good condition

**Sign and Structures:**

- Concession/ restroom/ maintenance & sports equipment storage building- good condition- general seasonal maintenance
- Picnic pavilion with concrete pad- good condition
- Entrance signage and park wayfinding signage- good condition, minor bird damage. Interior wayfinding signage in good condition.

**Park Assessment:**

- Upper field areas have potential for additional active recreation/ athletic fields- access to area from Dryer Road is a constraint
- Gravel pit/ undeveloped area on the eastern side of the park could be utilized for additional trail system/ off-road bicycle skills area
- Community organizations, Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC) and Victor Hiking Trials (VHT) partner with and volunteer to help maintain the extensive trail system within the park
- The park hosts many events throughout the year, included a off-road biking events, sponsored by GROC, camping and movie events, soccer and lacrosse events, and community/ individual parties and events

## Existing Conditions



Parking Area



Box Rink



Multi-Age Playground



View Across Athletic Fields



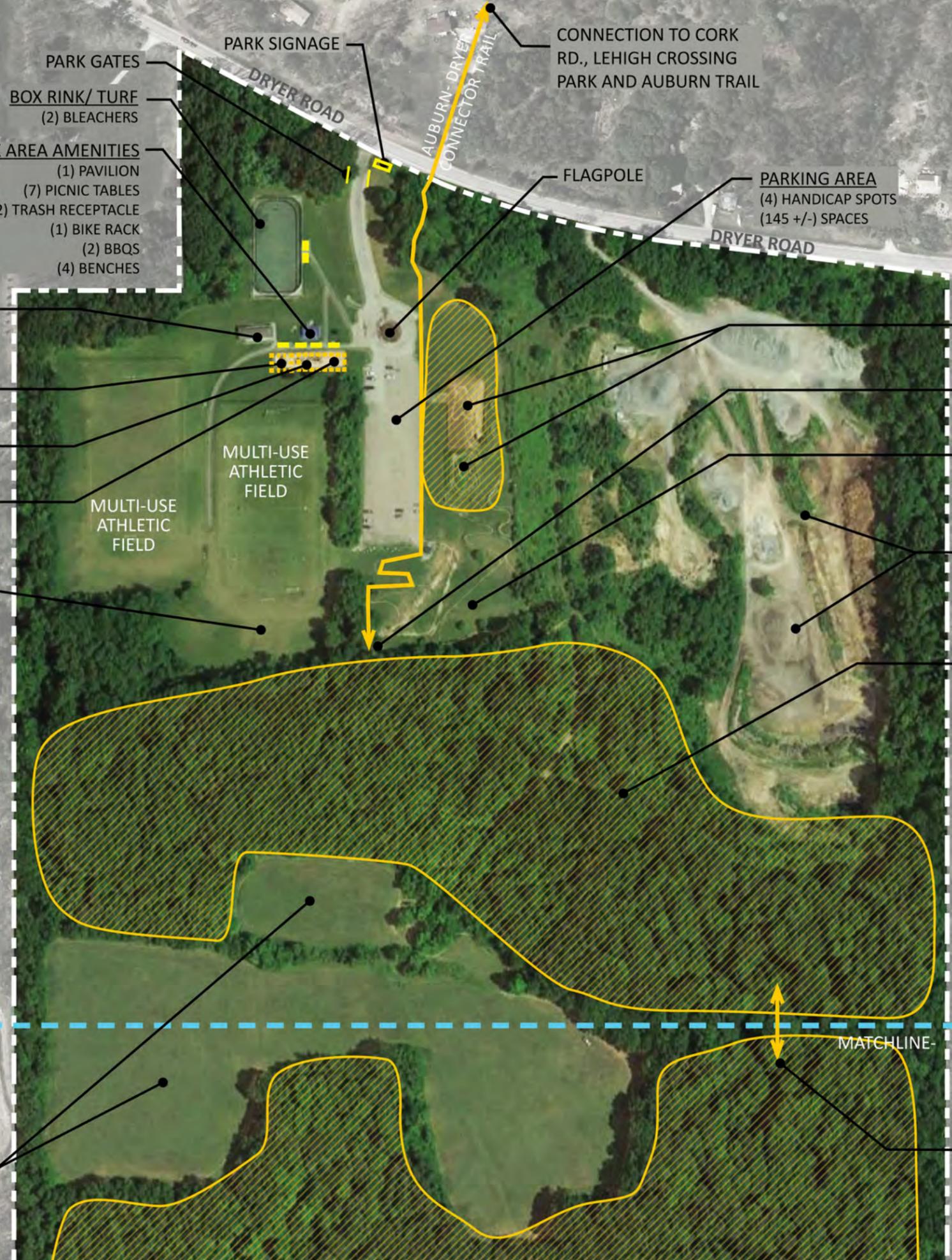
Picnic Pavilion



Bike Jumps Area

# DRYER ROAD PARK

132 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SUMMER 2018



- PARK GATES
- BOX RINK/ TURF (2) BLEACHERS
- MAIN PARK AREA AMENITIES
  - (1) PAVILION
  - (7) PICNIC TABLES
  - (2) TRASH RECEPTACLE
  - (1) BIKE RACK
  - (2) BBQS
  - (4) BENCHES

- CONCESSIONS, RESTROOMS AND MAINTENANCE/ STORAGE BUILDING
- TODDLER PLAYGROUND (2-5 YRS. OLD)
- SCHOOL AGE PLAYGROUND (5-12 YRS. OLD)
- SWING SET (4 SWINGS) (2) SWING SEATS (2) TODDLER SWINGS
- HILL USED FOR SLEDDING / VIEWING OF FIELDS

- PARK SIGNAGE
- CONNECTION TO CORK RD., LEHIGH CROSSING PARK AND AUBURN TRAIL
- FLAGPOLE
- PARKING AREA (4) HANDICAP SPOTS (145 +/-) SPACES
- BIKE SKILLS AREA / PUMP TRACK
- TRAIL CONNECTION TO MAIN PARK AREA
- BIKE JUMP LINES- BEGINNER / INTERMEDIATE / ADVANCED
- GRAVEL PIT WITHIN PARK LIMITS - POSSIBLE PARK / FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AREA

- CONNECTION TO SOUTH DRYER ROAD PARK AND FORT HILL

**GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**

- New bike park (pump track/ jumps) - (completed Fall 2018)
- Only water available at park building- needed for pump track and potential development of upper fields
- Box rink/ turf field used primarily for lacrosse and soccer
- Very well used and programmed park- all ages and activity types
- GROC and Victor Hiking Trails maintains trails to south of main park area

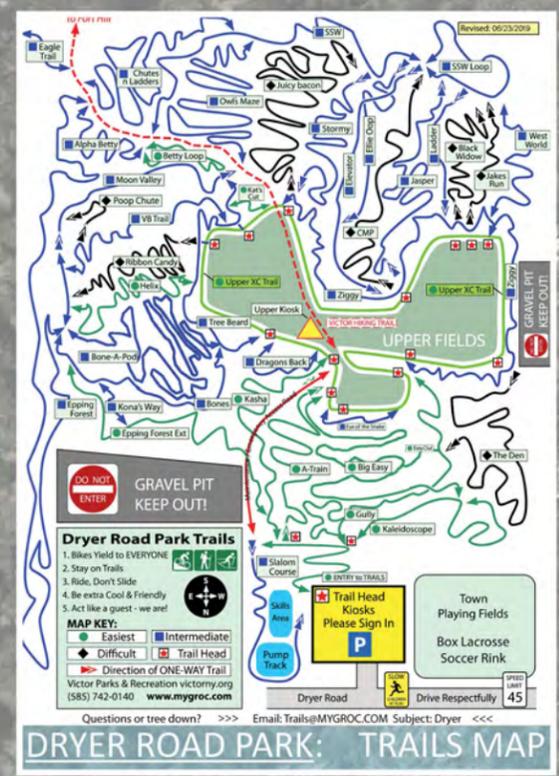
SYRACUSA SAND & GRAVEL

**UPPER FIELDS**

- LARGE / GENERALLY FLAT OPEN SPACE
- POTENTIAL ATHLETIC FIELD EXPANSION - ACCESS CONSTRAINTS.

NORTH DRYER ROAD PARK  
SOUTH DRYER ROAD PARK

CONNECTION TO SOUTH END OF DRYER ROAD PARK AND FORT HILL



# DRYER ROAD PARK

132 ACRES  
 TIME OF VISIT:  
 SUMMER 2018

VILLAGE OF VICTOR  
 DRYER ROAD PARK  
 VICTOR TOWN LINE, TYP.

KEY PLAN

NORTH DRYER ROAD PARK  
 SOUTH DRYER ROAD PARK

- MATCHLINE

SYRACUSA  
 SAND & GRAVEL

UPPER FIELDS

- LARGE / GENERALLY FLAT OPEN SPACE
- POTENTIAL ATHLETIC FIELD EXPANSION - ACCESS CONSTRAINTS.

MULTI-USE TRAIL SYSTEM:

OFF ROAD / MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAIL AREA - AND HIKING TRAILS IN WOODED AREA - SEE TRAILS MAP INSET BELOW

PRIVATE PROPERTY

LINK TO FORT HILL AND GANONDAGAN HISTORIC SITE

STATE OWNED LAND

FORT HILL

GANONDAGAN STATE HISTORIC SITE

PARKING AREA AT BOUGHTON HILL ROAD (COUNTY ROAD 41)

- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- Trail system is one of the region's most diverse multi-use trail systems - used by off road/mountain biking, hiking, snow shoeing, and cross country skiing
  - Total length of trail system is +/- 15 miles
  - Mainly single track with wider trails throughout

**DRYER ROAD PARK: TRAILS MAP**

DO NOT ENTER GRAVEL PIT KEEP OUT!

**Dryer Road Park Trails**

1. Bikes Yield to EVERYONE
2. Stay on Trails
3. Ride, Don't Slide
4. Be extra Cool & Friendly
5. Act like a guest - we are!

**MAP KEY:**

- Easiest
- Intermediate
- Difficult
- Trail Head
- Direction of ONE-WAY Trail

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Questions or tree down? >>> Email: Trails@MYGROC.COM Subject: Dryer <<<

## 9 BOUGHTON PARK

**Park Type:** Regional Park

**Recreation Type:** Passive

**Size:** 330 Acres, 5 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located in the Town of East Bloomfield, Boughton Park is owned and operated by the towns of East Bloomfield, West Bloomfield and Victor. The park is bordered to the south by Boughton Road, to the west by Stirnie Road, to the north by private lands, and to the east by Parkview Fairways Golf Course. The Seneca Trail leads into the park from the north and connects to Victor's trail network. Parking areas and access points are located on Stirnie Road and Boughton Road.

**General Park Description:** This 330-acre park includes 56 acres of ponds, with a multi-use trail network connecting uses and program elements throughout the park. The park has been preserved to highlight the beauty of nature in a passive recreational setting. Most of the land is undeveloped and with only mown footpaths or narrow cleared trails. The two ponds are a popular place for canoeing, kayaking, paddle boarding and fishing. A gravel service road, only open for park maintenance, connects the Boughton Road parking area with the interior portions of the park. Many trails lead to or bisect this service road. The trail system travels through varied ecosystems, including low lying wetland areas with raised boardwalks, to upland wooded areas along the ponds edge. Parking permits are required and can be obtained at the Victor Town Hall. Permits are free to Victor residents. The park is only open to Victor, East Bloomfield and West Bloomfield residents.

**History & Significance:** Boughton Park was originally agriculture land where pigs were raised, in 1923 the Town of Fairport purchased the lands and dammed the creeks to create West and East Pond to serve as a reservoir for drinking water. In 1989 the reservoir was decommissioned, and the land was purchased by the towns of East Bloomfield, West Bloomfield and Victor, and these towns formed an independent Board of Directors with representation from the 3 towns to preserve and create a park for the residents. This park is only open to residents of East Bloomfield, West Bloomfield and Victor.

**Landscape Features:**

- Wooded areas and hillsides
- Two large ponds totaling 56 acres
- Marsh and wetland areas
- Streams and brooks
- Open lawn area (adjacent to East Pond)

**Recreational Amenities and Conditions:**

- Multi-use trail system- gravel/ cleared/ mown- generally in good condition, most left natural
- Access drives and parking areas- gravel pavement- fair/ good condition, areas of potholes- seasonal maintenance required
- Covered pavilion, picnic areas and seating- generally in good condition
- Canoe/ kayak storage racks- good condition, additional racks installed recently

**Signage and Structures:**

- Limited signs preserve the parks natural setting and seclusion
- Trail markers and interior signage- very minimal
- Maintenance building located in parking area on Boughton Road- good condition
- Boat house and pump house structure- not accessible to the general public- in good condition
- Spillway structures and wooden boardwalks- in good condition
- Fishing dock on east side of West Pond in fair/ good condition
- Wooden pavilion with picnic and seating area- in good condition

**Park Assessment:**

- Park maintains its natural/ passive recreation setting- one of the most picturesque areas in the region
- Trail system offers varied terrain and difficulty
- Seneca Trail connection links to Victor through private lands, the Apple Farm, and to Ganondagan State Historic Site following the banks of Sucker Brook to Boughton Hill Road
- Potential to expand trail network and provide interpretive/ education observation areas and signage

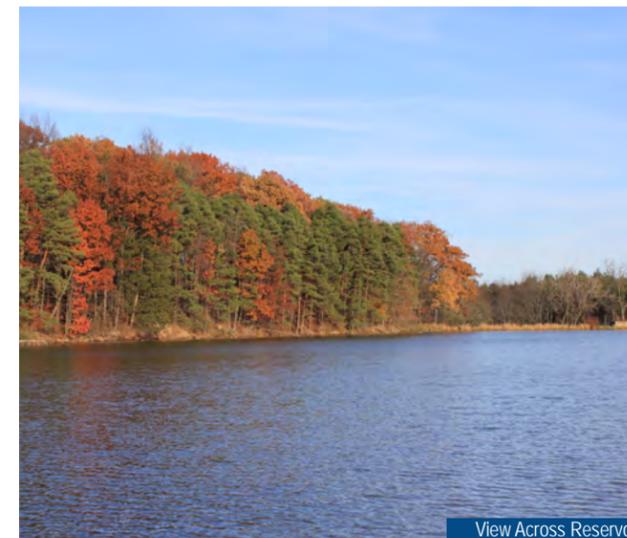
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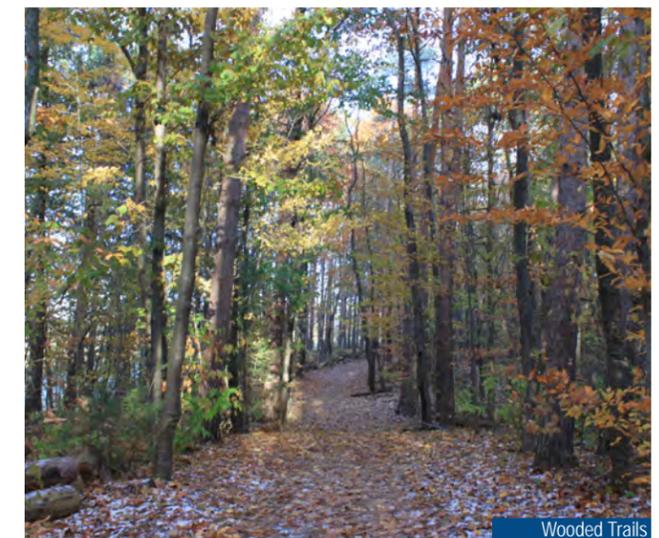
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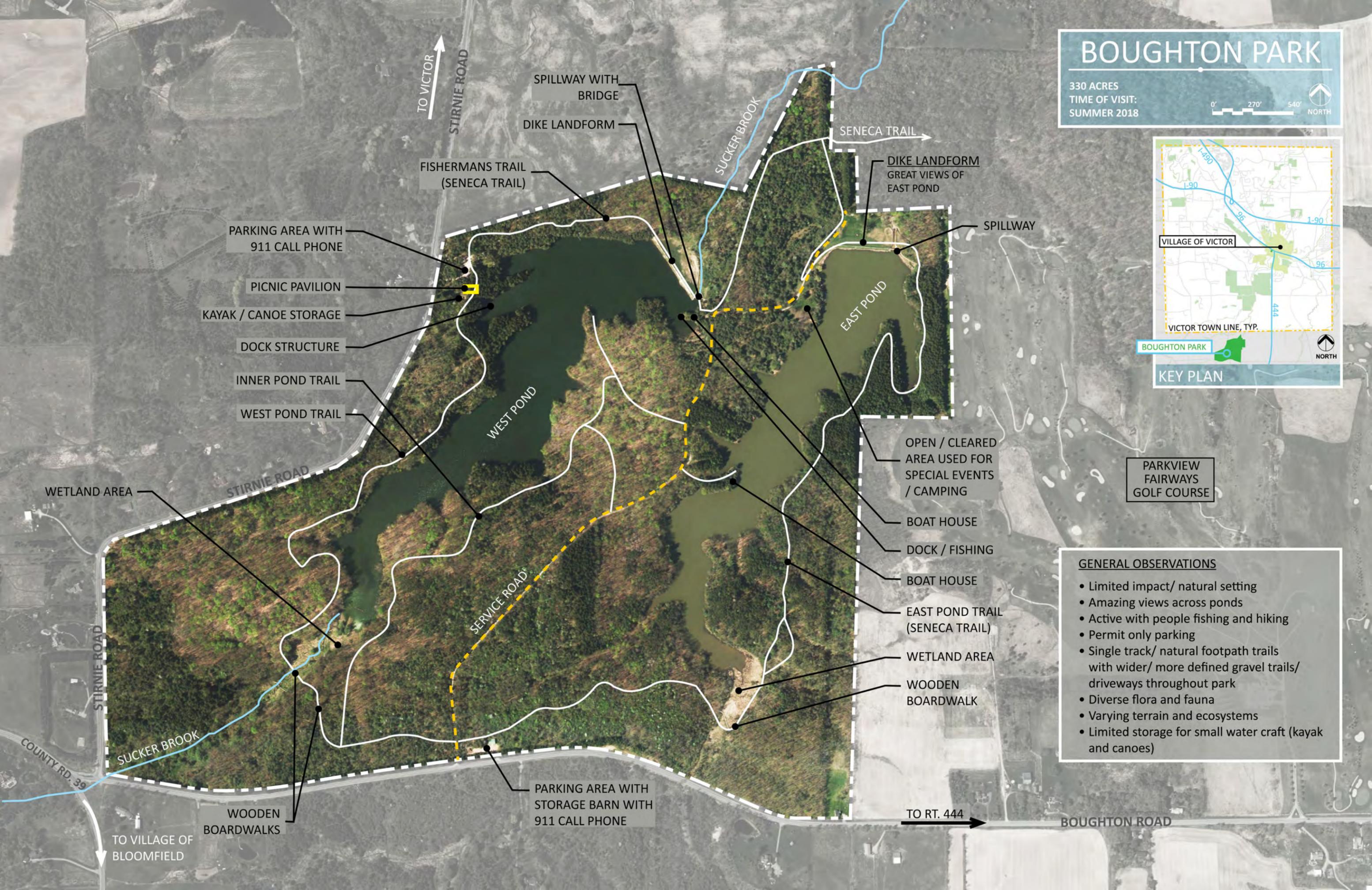
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Wooded Trails

# BOUGHTON PARK

330 ACRES  
 TIME OF VISIT:  
 SUMMER 2018



PARKING AREA WITH  
911 CALL PHONE

PICNIC PAVILION

KAYAK / CANOE STORAGE

DOCK STRUCTURE

INNER POND TRAIL

WEST POND TRAIL

WETLAND AREA

STIRNIE ROAD

STIRNIE ROAD

COUNTY RD. 39

SUCKER BROOK

WOODEN  
BOARDWALKS

TO VILLAGE OF  
BLOOMFIELD

PARKING AREA WITH  
STORAGE BARN WITH  
911 CALL PHONE

SPILLWAY WITH  
BRIDGE

DIKE LANDFORM

FISHERMANS TRAIL  
(SENECA TRAIL)

SUCKER BROOK

SENECA TRAIL

DIKE LANDFORM  
GREAT VIEWS OF  
EAST POND

SPILLWAY

EAST POND

WEST POND

SERVICE ROAD

OPEN / CLEARED  
AREA USED FOR  
SPECIAL EVENTS  
/ CAMPING

BOAT HOUSE

DOCK / FISHING

BOAT HOUSE

EAST POND TRAIL  
(SENECA TRAIL)

WETLAND AREA

WOODEN  
BOARDWALK

PARKVIEW  
FAIRWAYS  
GOLF COURSE

TO RT. 444

BOUGHTON ROAD

- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- Limited impact/ natural setting
  - Amazing views across ponds
  - Active with people fishing and hiking
  - Permit only parking
  - Single track/ natural footpath trails with wider/ more defined gravel trails/ driveways throughout park
  - Diverse flora and fauna
  - Varying terrain and ecosystems
  - Limited storage for small water craft (kayak and canoes)

# Existing Parks & Recreation Facilities

## 10 VICTOR PARKS & RECREATION CENTER

**Size:** 15,000 square feet

**Recreation Type:** Active/ Passive

**Location Description:** South of Fishers Park off of Wangum Rd.

**General Description:** The Victor Parks and Recreation Department moved into this brand new leased multi-use facility in the winter of 2016. The department previously shared facilities with other organizations within the town, including Victor Central Schools and churches, to provide programs and activities to community members. An 8,000 square foot gym provides adequate space for activities. The center is located adjacent to Fishers Park and connects directly to the Lehigh Valley Trail, so there is quick access for hikers and bikers. The facility also houses several rooms for hosting classes or private events.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Indoor soccer
- Board games & video games
- Aerobics and dance classes
- After-school clubs
- Music classes
- Art classes
- Meeting rooms
- Restrooms

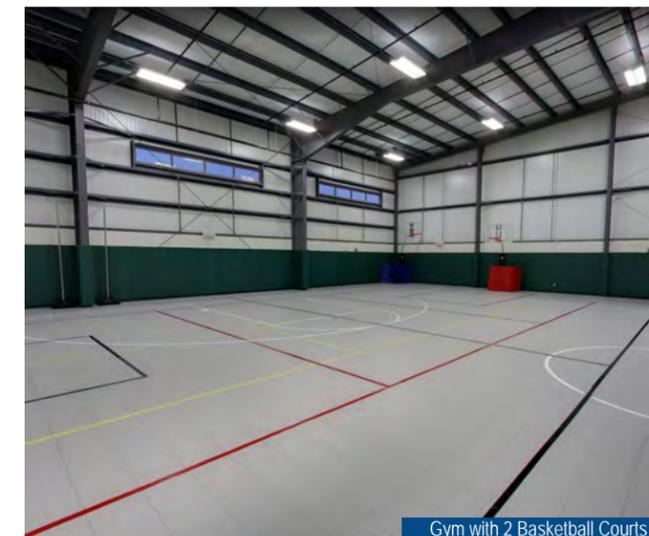
**Facility Assessment:**

- The recreation center is not centrally located within the town but rather is located in the commercial district
- There are limited services offered at the center because of the limited amount of rooms and space available
- Open space located adjacent to the center is currently underutilized and has the potential to be used for events, programs or other recreational functions
- The parking available is limited and could be expanded if there is a greater need
- There is a great connection from Fishers Park past the recreation center and onto the Lehigh Valley Trail which makes access to the facility for hikers and bikers very easy
- The space is leased short-term and a long-term Town-owned facility would provide a better service to the community

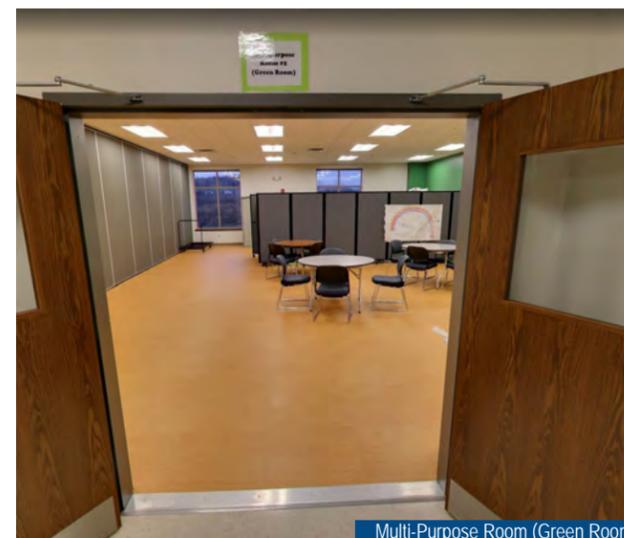
### Existing Conditions



View of Entrance



Gym with 2 Basketball Courts



Multi-Purpose Room (Green Room)



Multi-Purpose Room (Yellow Room)

FISHERS PARK

TRAIL CONNECTION TO FISHERS PARK

TOWN OF VICTOR (EASEMENT)

COMMERCIAL CAMPUS

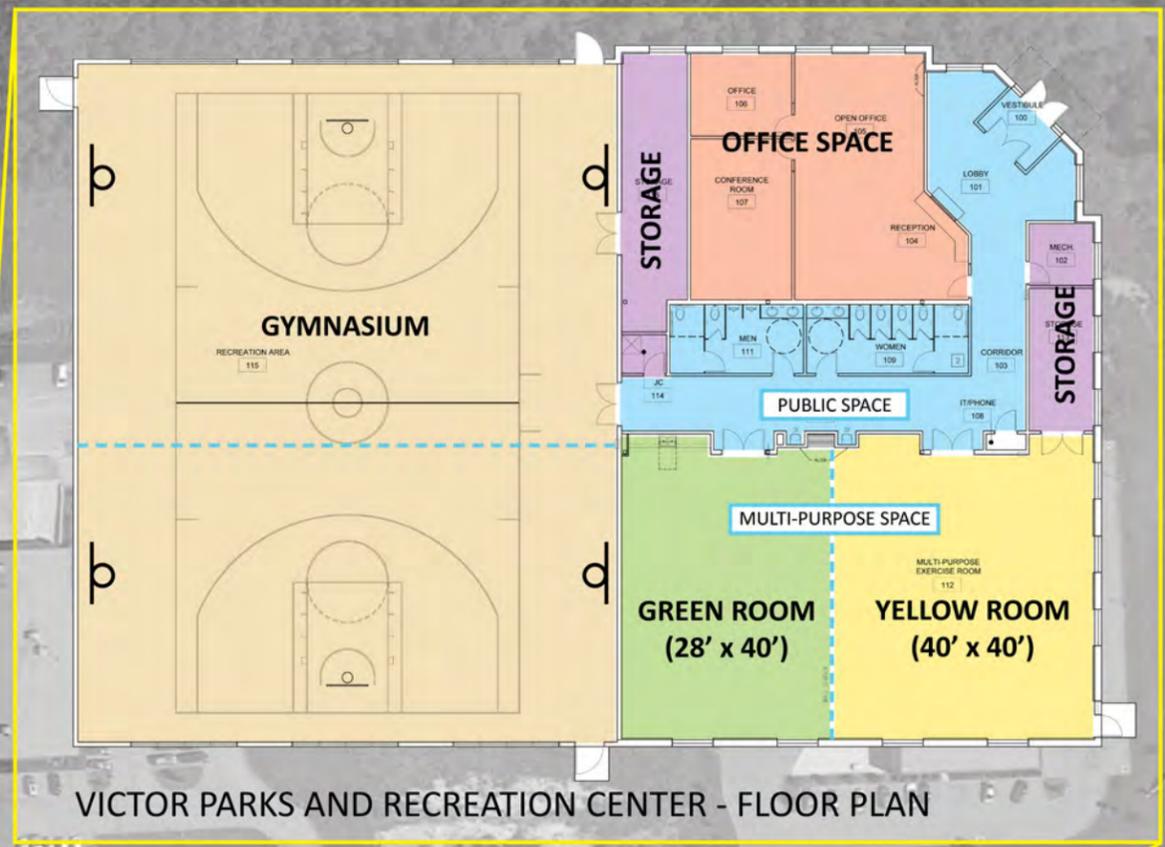
CENTRAL GAZEBO / SEATING AREA

POTENTIAL CONNECTION FROM SIDEWALK TO CONNECTOR TRAIL

AREA OF OPEN SPACE USE FOR EVENTS / PROGRAMS / FUNCTIONS

TOWN OF VICTOR (EASEMENT)

CONNECTION TO LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL



VICTOR PARKS AND RECREATION CENTER - FLOOR PLAN

COMMERCIAL CAMPUS

PARKING AREA (3) HANDICAP SPOTS (65 +/-) SPACES

LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL

# VICTOR PARKS AND RECREATION CENTER - LEASED SPACE

15,000 SQ. FT. (TOTAL AREA OF BLDG)  
 TIME OF VISIT: SUMMER 2018



- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- The town has a limited term lease.
  - Recreation center is not centralized within the town of Victor- north west quadrant (located within commercial zone).
  - Limited parking- determine if parking serves demand
  - Limited services offered at center
  - Outdoor/ open space around the building is under-utilized
  - Great trail connection to Fishers Park and Lehigh Valley Trail

# Trail System Overview

Victor's trail system includes more than 65 miles of multi-use trails that link and connect to many key elements within the town, including many of Victor's parks, Victor Central School, residential neighborhoods and regional trails that span communities. These trails range from formal paved and gravel surfaces to cleared and mown trails within wooded areas or through open fields and meadows. The geological makeup of the town and its varied topography provide trails of varied difficulty and experiences, while some trails follow historic railways providing a glimpse to the history of the region. Most trails within the town are recommended for multi-use, providing access for hiking, snowshoeing, cross country skiing, trail running and off road biking. This expansive network of varied trails makes Victor's trail system a destination for regional recreation.

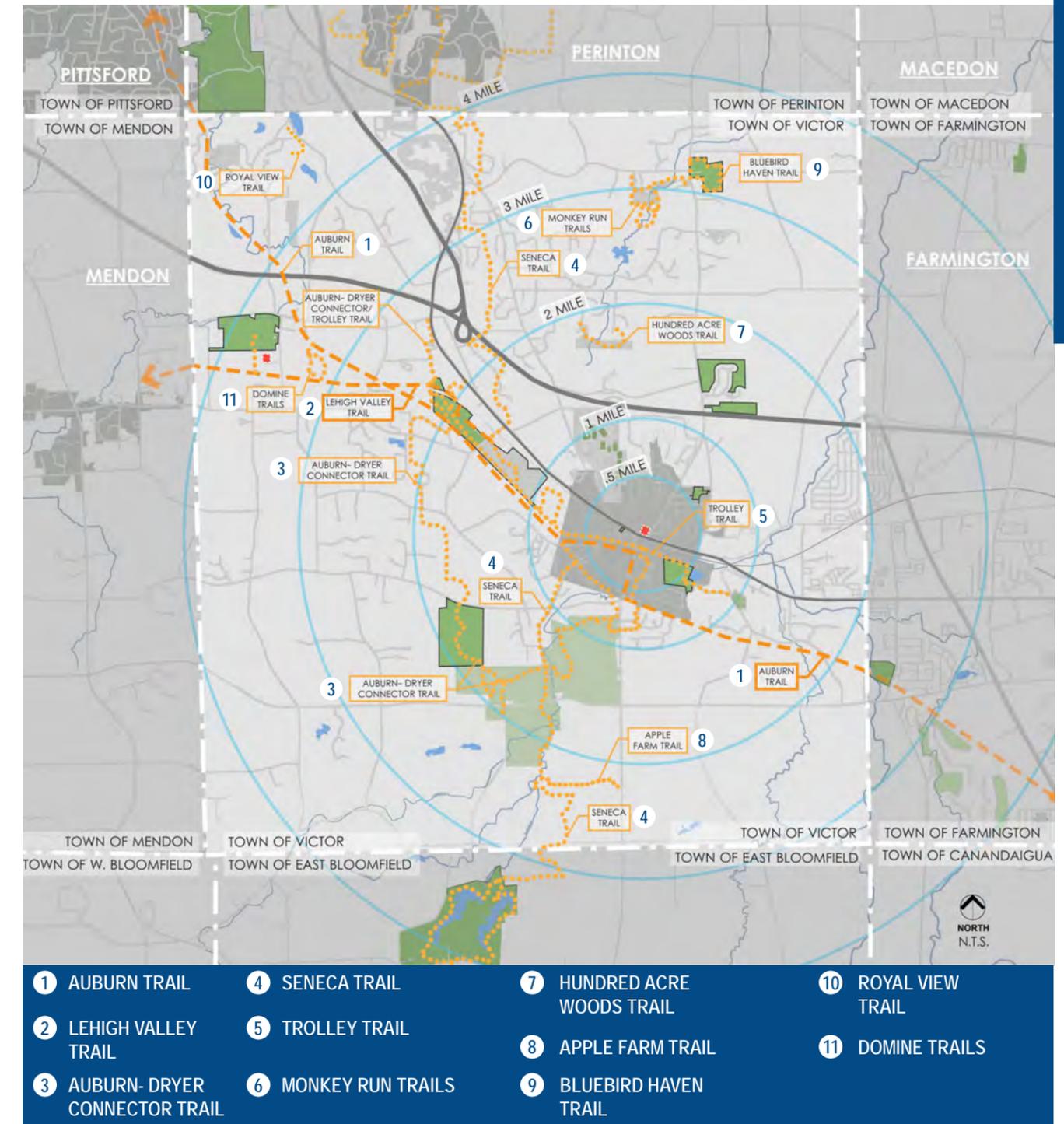
The trail system is always expanding and searching for new opportunities, routes and volunteers to maintain the system. Through the long partnership with Victor Hiking Trails and additional volunteers and support of Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC), the Parks and Recreation Department can provide this impressive trail system.

The trails that are included in Victor's Trail System include:

1. AUBURN TRAIL
2. LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL
3. AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL
4. SENECA TRAIL
5. TROLLEY TRAIL
6. MONKEY RUN TRAILS
7. HUNDRED ACRE WOODS TRAILS
8. APPLE FARM TRAIL
9. BLUEBIRD HAVEN TRAIL
10. ROYAL VIEW TRAIL
11. DOMINE TRAILS



# Key Map - Existing Trail System Inventory



## 1 AUBURN TRAIL

**Size:** 9 miles one way

**Location & Description:** The Auburn Trail is the primary multi-use pedestrian and cycle route linking the east part of town to the west and follows the bed of the historic rail line through the town's more rural neighborhoods and wooded areas and fields. The trail surface consists mainly of crushed stone or stone dust. The trail touches the south side of the village at Maple Avenue behind Victor Insulator. Leading out of the village, the trail continues into a commercial/ light industrial area and ultimately runs adjacent to Lehigh Crossing Park, and though to the northwest quadrant of town into the town of Pittsford.

**History & Significance:** Most of the trail within Victor follows the rail bed of the Auburn and Rochester Railroad, which started operation in the town in the mid-1800s. In later years it became part of the New York Central Railroad. During the 1960s and 1970s, this section of rail was decommissioned. The section west of Victor Village closed in 1960, and the east in 1978. Various art installations and interpretive signage/ elements are located along the trail to illustrate its history.



Trail Signage



Crushed Stone Trail

## 2 LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL

**Size:** 16 miles total

**Description:** This trail is a major trail connection between Victor and Mendon, and ultimately continues west to the Greenway Trail. The town's portion of the former Lehigh Valley Railroad corridor is approximately two miles in length and travels from the Auburn Trail connection at Phillips Road to the Victor-Mendon town line. This former railroad line has been converted to a trail with a smooth gravel and crushed stone path. The trail starts at Lehigh Crossing Park and passes through rural, wooded and areas of mixed light industrial and commercial zones, then continues to the center of Mendon and beyond.

**History & Significance:** The Lehigh Valley Trail follows the path of the former Lehigh Valley Railroad. Some refer to the trail as Black Diamond Trail, which stems from the Lehigh Valley Railroad's nickname, "The Route of the Black Diamond." The railroad's 435-mile main line between Buffalo and New York City was used for hauling anthracite coal (black diamonds) from Pennsylvania. A pedestrian and bicycle trail was created over the existing/ former Lehigh Valley Railroad trestle at Phillips Road by the Town of Victor and Victor Hiking Trails in November of 2007.



Auburn Trail and Lehigh Valley Trail Crossing



Lehigh Valley Trail Signage

## 3 AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL

This trail connects Fort Hill and Ganondagan State Historic Site to the south and continues from Dryer Road Park to the north through a series of town easements within the Auburn Hills and Stonington Ridge subdivisions. The trail passes through private land, and eventually meets up with the Auburn and Trolley Trails adjacent to and within Lehigh Crossing Park. The trail then joins the Trolley Trail and leads north to Route 96. The trail is mainly a cleared/ mown path leading through rural woodland and field areas.



Lehigh Valley Trail Trestle

## 4 SENECA TRAIL

The most historic of the trails within Victor, the Seneca Trail connects the communities to the north of Victor, through the center of the town, and extends to Ganondagan State Historic Site, then eventually leads into Boughton Park to the south. The trail follows the route of early Native Americans, that were the first settlers of Victor. The current trail follows closely to the historic path from Bare Hill along the shores of Canandaigua Lake, to Ganondagan and eventually to Irondequoit Bay in the north. Most of the trail is cleared and mown path through wooded hillsides and through open fields and wetland areas, while a portion of the trail follows paved areas and street crossings. Some of the trail follows closely to the Auburn Trail within the village and to the north.

## 5 TROLLEY TRAIL

Following the bed of the historic Rochester and Eastern Interurban Trolley, the Trolley Trail provides a great connection between the areas to the east and west of the Village of Victor. The original trolley ran between Rochester and Geneva from 1903 to 1930. The trail connects with and provides links between the major trails within the town, including the Auburn, Lehigh Valley, Seneca and Auburn- Dryer Connector Trails and direct connections between Victor Municipal Park and Lehigh Crossing Park.

## 6 MONKEY RUN TRAILS

This trail's name comes from an early name of what is now Valentown Road in the northeastern quadrant of the town. The Monkey Run Trails, which are some of the earliest within the Town of Victor, are accessible by two entrances, one at Springdale Court, directly adjacent to MaryFrances Bluebird Haven that includes a small parking lot, and the other is located on Valentown Road. The trails wind their way through a heavily wooded area, across wooden bridges that span White Brook and through woodland meadows. The trails are cleared and mown paths that vary in elevation.

## 7 HUNDRED ACRE WOODS TRAILS

This short trail system is mostly a wooded trail, with cleared and mown paths that traverse over 120 feet of elevation change. The trail system is located between Yale Court and Fox Hunt Drive in the Northeast quadrant of town, where it crosses White Brook at its center. Parking is available at the Yale Court end, though limited.



Trolley Trail at Victor Municipal Park



Trolley Trail bridge crossing

## ⑧ APPLE FARM TRAIL

Winding through the lower portion of the popular Apple Farm located along Route 444, this trail provides a connection between the Seneca Trail south of Ganondagan State Historic Site and Route 444 (Victor Bloomfield Road) to the east. The owner of the Apple Farm has granted the town rights to use the land as a trail.

## ⑨ BLUEBIRD TRAIL

Located along the perimeter of the MaryFrances Bluebird Haven and along Victor-Egypt Road in the Northwestern quadrant of the town, the Bluebird trail is a mown footpath that meanders through open meadows and wooded areas to the south. The trail provides great opportunities for bird and nature observation and active recreation, including hiking, snowshoeing, and cross-country skiing.

## ⑩ ROYAL VIEW TRAIL

Although it is the least frequented trail in the Victor trail system, Royal View Trail provides varied hiking terrain with spectacular views to the neighboring communities north and west of Victor. The trail is located in the Northwest quadrant of town and adjacent to the Royal View housing development, which is where it gets its name. This trail is a wooded trail with dramatic elevation changes providing a very distinct experience along its half mile stretch.

## ⑪ DOMINE TRAILS

This set of three loop trails links the Auburn Trail and Lehigh Valley Trail and is situated between Wangum Road and Phillips Road. The one mile trail loop is mostly wooded and flat, with a bridge that crosses the Irondequoit Creek. The trails were made possible with an easement on the land of Oldcastle Domine.



Domine Trail Bridge over Irondequoit Creek



Victor Hiking Trails Signage

# Additional Local Recreation Facilities

## VICTOR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Size:** 170 acre campus

**General Description:** The VCS campus offers various indoor and outdoor recreational amenities.

**Location Description:** Main entrances are located along High Street with secondary entrances along Lane Road. The school campus is accessible from adjacent neighborhoods through a comprehensive network of trails and pathways.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 2 Varsity softball fields
- 1 Varsity baseball field
- 6 Varsity lacrosse/ soccer fields
- 2 Modified soccer fields
- 1 Stadium field (multi-sport and track)
- 4 Multi-sport fields
- 2 Modified little league fields
- 4 Modified baseball/ softball fields
- 5 Modified little league/ softball fields
- 2 Basketball courts
- 6 Tennis courts
- Two playgrounds

**Structures:** The campus contains a junior-senior high school, intermediate school, elementary school, and the Victor Education Center, which contains the School District offices and the early childhood programs. The indoor recreational opportunities include:

- Five gymnasiums and one auxiliary gym/ wrestling room
- An aquatics center
- Fitness room
- Four auditoriums
- Arts and crafts rooms
- Five cafeterias and additional gathering areas

**Facility Assessment:**

- The public's access to school facilities is extremely limited due to school use especially related to athletics.
- During inclement/ rainy spring and fall seasons the school limits or restricts use of the school fields preventing youth sports from use, which in turn creates shortened seasons.



Soccer Fields



Football Field and Track



Baseball Field



Playground

## GANONDAGAN STATE HISTORIC SITE

**Size:** 520 acres, around 9 miles of trail

**Ownership:** State of New York

**Description:** Ganondagan State Historic Site is located on the land of what was one of the largest Seneca towns until it was destroyed by the French in 1687. Today, visitors can view art, culture and history through interactive and multi-media exhibits at the Seneca Art & Culture Center and enjoy self-guided tours through three interpretive trails and other general hiking trails.

**Location & Landscape Features:** North and South of Boughton Hill Road (County Route 41) from Victor-Bloomfield Road (State Route 444). The site is connected to Dryer Road Park and shares the Seneca and Auburn-Dryer Connector trails.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Trails
- Native American gardens
- Picnic area

**Structures:**

- Visitor/ interpretive center with gift shop
- Replica of a Seneca bark long house

## PINNACLE ATHLETIC CAMPUS

**Size:** 130,000 square foot campus

**Ownership:** Private, open to members

**Description:** This athletic campus is a sports destination that draws users from the Upstate New York region. It combines indoor and outdoor amenities, team and individual sports, training and competition facilities, as well as fitness center amenities.

**Location:** South of Main St. Fisher (42) on Phillips Road

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 2 Full size basketball courts
- Fitness center
- Two full size volleyball courts
- Batting cages
- Full size turf field
- Full time child care
- Before and after school programs
- Sports programs and clubs

## VICTOR YMCA ACTIVE FAMILY CENTER

**Ownership:** YMCA of Rochester

**Description:** The Victor YMCA has served the Victor community since 1998 as a non-profit organization. The YMCA's mission is to strengthen the community through youth development, healthy living, and social responsibility. Members enjoy benefits such as child care and health involved activities.

**Location:** Off of High Street, north of Rt. 96. Located just past the entrance of Victor Central School District. The center is located within walking distance of the Village of Victor.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Aerobics studio
- Cardiovascular equipment
- Child watch center- summer programs and before/ after school care
- Exercise equipment
- Exercise classes

## SPORTS ACADEMY OF VICTOR

**Ownership:** Private, open to public

**Description:** A family-owned sports and recreation center that specializes in cheer, gymnastics, after school programs and fitness.

**Location:** Off of High Street, north of Rt. 96. Located just past the entrance of Victor Central School District.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- After school programs
- Gymnastics and tumbling classes
- Tae Kwon Do
- Cheer programs and lessons
- Soccer camp

# Regional Recreation Amenities & Facilities

## FARMINGTON TOWN PARK

**Size:** 25 acres

**Ownership:** Town of Farmington

**Description:** The Victor Central School District does and will likely continue to use fields at this park. Area adult softball leagues also use this park.

**Location:** County Road 8, Farmington, adjacent to Farmington Town Hall

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Three softball fields
- One full size soccer field
- One small soccer field
- Two tennis courts
- Basketball court
- Children's play area
- Picnic area

**Structures:**

- Pavilion

## MERTENSIA PARK

**Size:** 22.4 acres

**Ownership:** Town of Farmington

**Description:** This park located in Farmington features both passive and active recreation amenities and is often used by Victor Soccer Club. The park is also located just off the Auburn Trail, making access to and from Victor easy.

**Location:** County Road 8, Farmington, adjacent to Farmington Town Hall

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Hiking trails
- 2 soccer fields
- Baseball field
- 2 tennis courts
- Basketball court
- Playground

**Structures:**

- Enclosed lodge

## PUMPKIN HOOK PARK

**Size:** 10 acres

**Ownership:** Town of Farmington

**Description:** This park was once a hamlet within Farmington Village and also used as pumpkin patch, where the name originated from. The park's sports fields are often used by Victor Soccer Club.

**Location:** Allen Padgham Road, Farmington

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 2 tennis courts
- Basketball court
- Picnic area
- Multi-use field
- 4 soccer fields
- Playground

**Structures:**

- 2 Pavilions

## BEAVER CREEK PARK (PLANNED/ PROPOSED)

**Size:** 87 acres

**Ownership:** Town of Farmington

**Description:** The park is broken into three sections and would connect three subdivisions: Auburn Meadows, the Estates at Beaver Creek and Monarch Manor. A preliminary concept plan was developed for Beaver Creek Park Section 1 in 2015. The Auburn Trail will connect Victor and eventually Canandaigua to this planned park.

**Location:** North of Canandaigua Farmington Town Line Road, east of New Michigan Road and south of County Road 41.

**Proposed Recreational Amenities (Section 1):**

- 2 multi-use fields
- Softball field
- 2-5 year old playground
- 5-12 year old playground
- Bocce court
- Basketball court
- 2 tennis courts
- Volleyball court
- Horse shoe pits
- Trails (continuation of Auburn Trail) and boardwalks
- Ponds

**Proposed Structures (Section 1):**

- Pavilion
- Lodge
- Maintenance shed

## EGYPT PARK

**Size:** 16 Acres

**Ownership:** Town of Perinton

**Description:** Located in the Hamlet of Egypt, within the Town of Perinton, this park offers a farm-themed accessible playground with open lawn areas for active and passive recreation.

**Location:** Victor-Egypt Road at Route 31

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Youth baseball field
- Accessible playground and play area
- Picnic areas
- Access to Rochester, Syracuse, and Eastern Trolley Trail

**Structures:**

- Pavilion
- Restroom facilities

## MENDON PONDS PARK

**Size:** 2,500 acres

**Ownership:** County of Monroe

**Description:** Mendon Ponds Park is the largest park within Monroe County and contains woodlands, ponds, wetlands and glacially created landforms.

**Location:** 10 miles southeast of Rochester on Clover Street, located south of I-90 in the Towns of Pittsford and Mendon.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Multi-use trails
- Boating (non-motorized)
- Camping
- Fishing
- Kayaking/ canoeing
- Multi-use athletic field
- Playground
- Rugby
- Sensory garden
- Sledding
- Snowshoeing

**Structures:**

- Lodges and shelters
- Wild Wings, Inc
- Bathrooms

## POWDER MILLS PARK

**Size:** 380 acres

**Ownership:** County of Monroe

**Description:** A unique park that offers steep hillsides, creekside meadows and wetlands with a variety of recreational activities.

**Location:** Route 96 near Bushnell's Basin in the towns of Perinton and Pittsford

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Downhill skiing
- Trails within the park and a connection to Auburn Trail
- Riedman Foundation fish hatchery
- Fishing
- Playground
- Snowshoeing

**Structures:**

- 6 Lodges
- 4 Shelters
- Bathrooms

## ERIE CANAL

**Size:** 363 miles

**Ownership:** State of New York

**Description:** A canal that runs east to west across the state of New York and links the Hudson River to Lake Erie.

**Location:** Traverses most of New York State. Nearest accesses to Victor are in the Town of Perinton.

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Boating
- Fishing
- Snow-mobiling
- Ice skating
- Multi-use trails

**Structures:**

- Locks and maintenance buildings

## CRESCENT TRAIL

**Size:** 30 miles

**Ownership:** Varies, public and private

**Location:** Town of Perinton

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Pedestrian trails
- Connected to Victor through the Seneca Trail

## VICTOR HILLS GOLF CLUB

**Size:** 63 holes

**Ownership:** Private, open to public

**Location:** 1450 Brace Road, Victor

**Recreational Amenities:**

- Three 18-hole Golf Courses
- 9-hole Executive Golf Course
- Driving Range
- Foot Golf Course

## RAVENWOOD GOLF CLUB

**Size:** 18 holes

**Ownership:** Private, open to public

**Location:** 929 Lynaugh Road, Victor

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 18 hole golf course
- Driving range

## PARKVIEW FAIRWAYS

**Size:** 18 holes

**Ownership:** Private, open to public

**Location:** Boughton Road, off State Route 444, East Bloomfield

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 18 hole golf course
- Driving range

## SPARTAN DISC GOLF COURSE AT THE APPLE FARM

**Size:** 18 holes

**Ownership:** Private, open to public

**Location:** 1640 State Route 444, Victor

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 18 hole disc golf course
- Located on functioning apple farm

## COBBLESTONE CREEK COUNTRY CLUB

**Size:** 18 holes

**Ownership:** Private, members only

**Location:** 100 Cobble Creek Road, Victor

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 18-hole golf course
- Private Fitness Center and Pool
- Tennis Courts
- Indoor Simulators

## CHAMPION HILLS COUNTRY CLUB

**Size:** 9 holes

**Ownership:** Private, members only

**Location:** 675 Championship Drive, Victor

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 9-hole golf course
- Outdoor pool
- Indoor simulators

## WINDING CREEK GOLF COURSE

**Size:** 9 holes

**Ownership:** Municipal course, open to public

**Location:** 6394 Plastermill Road, Victor

**Recreational Amenities:**

- 9-hole golf course
- Two tennis courts
- Outdoor swimming pool for members' use
- Meeting room

# The Parks and Recreation Department

**Mission Statement:**

*“The Town of Victor Parks and Recreation Department is dedicated to offering ALL residents of varying abilities a balanced system of park lands, preservation of open spaces, and broad-based leisure opportunities that will foster growth of healthy lifestyles.”*

With the increase of population within the town, the demands for parks and recreation within the community have also increased. Since its inception in 2000, the Parks and Recreation Department has established itself within the community as an organization that provides the highest quality parks and recreation amenities, while offering the community the opportunity to participate in a variety of recreation programs, classes, and events.

To meet the needs of the community, the department is comprised of 8 full time employees, including the Director Parks and Recreation, Assistant Director of Parks and Recreation, two Recreation Supervisors, three Park Operations and Maintenance staff members, and one Recreation Administrator, along with over 100 part-time and seasonal camp staff and program instructors.

To assist the Parks and Recreation Department, the Parks and Recreation Citizens’ Advisory Committee (CAC) was developed “to enhance, improve, and expand the level of recreation, parks, and leisure services in the community and support the Department of Parks and Recreation in its mission.” The CAC assists the Department in the review of and provides recommendations on plans and proposals for the acquisition and development of park lands and recreation areas, and ultimately presents their combined recommendations to the Town Board. The CAC is comprised of seven members from the Victor Community, two members from the village, two members from the town, and one member is a high school student. Members from the Village Board and Town Board also serve as liaisons to the CAC.

The Parks and Recreation Department has a 10,000 square foot maintenance building located adjacent to the Highway and Recycle facilities on Rawson Road. In addition to the operations and maintenance of the parks and recreation system, the department has taken on added responsibilities and now maintains two historic cemeteries within the town: Parks Cemetery located on Rowley Road and Victor Village Cemetery located in the village. They also maintain and plant the four corners at Route 96 and Main Street fisher (County Road 42), the Town Hall campus and Recreation Center.

With the anticipated growth of the community, the Parks and Recreation Department will continue to evolve to meet the needs of the community.

## Programs and Events

The Victor Parks and Recreation Department offers year-round events and programs that are very popular throughout the community and region. These events and programs are geared to be inclusive of all residents and non-residents regardless of age. The Department also provides a seasonal activity guide to all residents highlighting each of the programs and events that they offer.

Community Events

The Parks and Recreation Department partners with other organizations within the community, include the Victor Lions Club, Victor Chamber of Commerce, Victor Business Connection, Victor Central School, the American Legion, Victor Hiking Trails, the Victor Garden Club, and the Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists to name a few.

With these partnerships the Parks and Recreation department is able to provide the community with a variety of events that include, the Annual Memorial Day Parade, the Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series, and the Annual Summer in the Square, in the warmer months. Winter and Fall bring holiday themed events such as Christmas in the Village of Victor and VPR Winterfest along with the Annual Hang Around Victor Day and Jack-o'-Lantern trail, which is held in the Fall.



Recreational Programs

Victor offers close to 350 programs for residents and non-residents to participate in. These programs are offered for pre-school age children, school-aged children, pre-teens, adults and seniors. Depending on the season, various indoor and outdoor programs are offered. In the summer, sports and specialty camps are offered for children of all ages. Recess programs are available during the school year when parents are looking for alternative activities for their children when they are on break from school. Sports programs range from ice hockey and swimming to basketball and soccer. Fitness classes are also a popular source of recreation for community members with Zumba and yoga offered at the Victor Parks and Recreation facility. No matter the skill level or interests, Victor offers a wide range of programs that would fit into any resident’s lifestyle.

## Recreation Partnerships

As the population and a demand for additional parks and recreation services increase, partnership between community organizations becomes more important. These partnership opportunities allow the recreation department to provide a better quality of parks and recreation amenities and an increased level of maintenance throughout the system.

Over the years, the Town of Victor has built many public and private partnerships with various community organizations as a way to improve the parks and recreation services within the town and should continue to build these relationships into the future. A few examples of these partnerships and the services provided are listed below:

- The Village of Victor- working together for the maintenance of park and recreational amenities within the village, including Mead Square Park, Victor Municipal Park and trail and sidewalk connections.
- Victor Tree Board has aided the Parks and Recreation Department in tree planning and management efforts.
- Victor Chamber of Commerce sponsors events within Victor such as Hang Around Victor.
- Victor Central School District provided athletic field and recreational facilities to supplement the Parks and Recreation system sports fields which are used by many sports groups within Victor.
- Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC) maintains the off-road bike trails and recently constructed a bike skills/ pump track in Dryer Road Park.
- Victor Hiking Trails (VHT) maintains the trails in the Victor community and are continuously proposing updates and additions to the existing trail system.
- Victor Garden Club is a key contributor to much of the landscape improvements within Victor, including the flower beds and hanging pots and plantings at the four corners (Rt. 96 and Main Street Fishers), the planting of thousands of daffodils along Victor’s hiking trails, plantings at the Town Hall, Village Hall, and Mead Square Park in cooperation with the Parks and Recreation Department and the Department of Public Works.
- Victor-Farmington Rotary has contributed to various projects within Victor such as providing the Victor Municipal Park Pavilion as well as funding construction for an accessible seating area within the park.
- The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts have volunteered for and constructed many projects, including various Eagle Scout and Gold Badge projects throughout the Victor parks and recreation system and community.

# 03 Community Input & Needs Assessment



# Community Engagement

The park and recreation system of a town is not only successful due to its planning and design; true success hinges on community support of the process and a loyalty and ownership by the community. A vital step in master planning a park and recreation system is effective community engagement. It is a critical and essential process for gaining an understanding of the wants and needs of the community, responding to the voice of the residents, and effectively delivering recreational services.



Summer in the Square

The role of community outreach is to identify, discuss, and ultimately resolve community concerns, excite the imagination of the residents, and build momentum for the future of the parks and recreation system. Without the strong support of the community and broad usage, the parks and recreation system becomes ineffective.

Effective public engagement and ultimately public involvement provides an opportunity for the community, community leaders, property and business owners, and visitors to have a voice and contribute to the planning process.

# Community Involvement

Over the course of a year, the Victor Parks and Recreation Citizens' Advisory Committee, along with the Parks and Recreation Department, the Town Board, and the Village Board worked with the planning team to identify key issues and topics to address in the master plan update. Community stakeholder groups that utilize the parks and recreation system were identified and interviewed to gauge their current and future parks and recreation usage and needs.

The community and residents of Victor had many opportunities to be involved with the update of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan. These opportunities included public outreach at planned and well attended community events sponsored by the Parks and Recreation Department and other organizations in town, a public open house, social media outlets, and a community wide online survey.



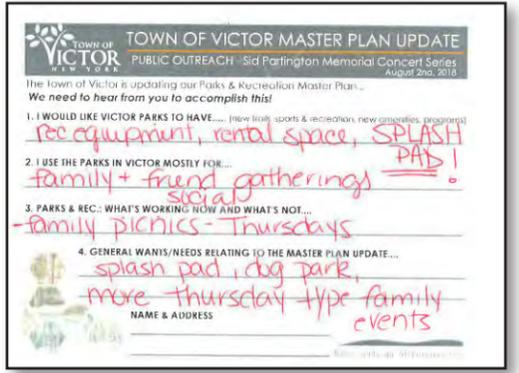
Hang Around Victor Day



Summer in the Square

# Community Outreach Events

The planning team worked with the Victor Parks and Recreation Citizens' Advisory Committee (CAC) early in the planning process to identify key, well attended, fun, and engaging events where community feedback and input could be gathered. The events selected offered a wide sampling of the community population in an effort to reach a broad range of residents with varying interests and opinions. These community events afforded the residents of Victor the opportunity to talk one on one with the planning team and to aid in the development of the master plan. The community outreach events proved to be a great tool to interact with community members that would likely not participate in more formal meetings or events.



The events that were selected gave the planning team the opportunity to connect with the community throughout the Spring, Summer and Fall of 2018. During these events the community was introduced to the project and the planning process. The community was able to review displays identifying the current parks, trails and recreation opportunities within Victor and comment on what they would like to see in their parks. Comment cards were also made available so residents could share information on how they use the parks and recreation system, what elements are important to them, what is working and what is not, and what they would ultimately like to see in the park and recreation system. A summary of the feedback that was collected during these events is presented on the pages to come.

These community outreach events included the following:



**Summer in the Square**  
July 14, 2018



**Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series**  
August 2, 2018



**Hang Around Victor Day**  
September 8, 2018

## Summer in the Square, Mead Square

July 14, 2018

Hosted by the Parks and Recreation Department, this event is the kick-off event of the Summer, comprised of live bands, food vendors, activities for kids and adults alike. The event was very well attended and was an excellent opportunity to introduce the project to the community and hear their ideas on the direction and future of the parks and recreation system.



"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE **BATHROOM FACILITIES** IN EACH PARK"

"PROVIDE MORE **PARKS AND/OR FACILITIES IN THE VILLAGE** THAT WOULD DRAW PEOPLE DOWNTOWN"

"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE A **TOWN OWNED POOL AND/OR REC. CENTER**"

"PROVIDE ON-ROAD AMENITIES/FACILITIES FOR **CYCLING** (I.E. BIKE LANES, WIDER SHOULDERS, ETC.)"

"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE MORE **HIKING TRAILS AND OUTDOOR EVENTS**"

## Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series, Victor Municipal Park

August 2, 2018

The highlight of the Summer...This concert series brings the community together select Thursday nights in the Summer. All concerts are well attended and bring residents of all ages to Victor Municipal Park to enjoy live music, food and beverage vendors, and the park amenities. This night was one of the most popular of the summer allowing the planning team the opportunity to connect with a wide range of residents and visitors to the community.



"KEEP FOCUSING ON **TRAILS AND CONNECTIVITY** OF FACILITIES AND PARKS"

"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE **PICKLEBALL, TRAILS, AND ADULT FITNESS PROGRAMS**"

"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE **BIGGER INDOOR FACILITIES, MORE OUTDOOR SPORTS FIELDS, AND A POOL**"

"I USE THE PARKS IN VICTOR MOSTLY FOR **HIKING, BIKING AND WALKING THE DOG**"

"I USE THE PARKS IN VICTOR MOSTLY FOR **PLAYGROUNDS, CONCERTS, AND FAMILY PICNICS**"

"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE **NEW TRAILS CONNECTING OUR COMMUNITY NEIGHBORHOODS**"

## Hang Around Victor Day, Mead Square and throughout the Village/ Town of Victor

September 8, 2018

A Victor Tradition: Hang Around Victor Day, sponsored by the Victor Chamber of Commerce, brings the residents of Victor and many visitors to the heart of the community to experience what Victor has to offer and celebrate the many accomplishments, organizations and interest groups that make Victor what it is today. This early fall weekend event was a great opportunity to reach many community members that don't regularly frequent the parks and recreation system, as well as residents that are very active in the recreation community and avid users of the parks and trail system within the town.



"I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE MORE **PAVILIONS, LODGES, AND PICNIC AREAS** FOR SOCIAL GATHERINGS"

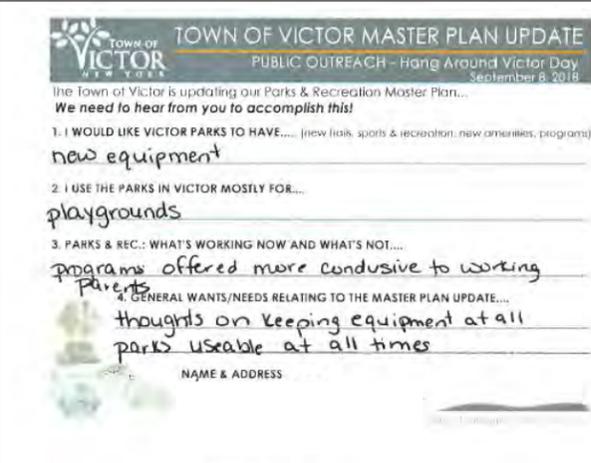
"VICTOR PARKS AND TRAILS ARE **VERY WELL MAINTAINED**-KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!"

"PROVIDE **CONNECTIONS** FROM THE VILLAGE TO THE PARKS IN THE NORTHEAST NEIGHBORHOODS OF TOWN"

"PROVIDE PROGRAMS MORE CONDUCTIVE TO **WORKING PARENTS**"

## Public Outreach Events Summary

The results from the public outreach events are highlighted on the following pages. Residents and community members were asked to choose specific amenities they thought were missing from Victor's parks or amenities which they would like to see included in the Parks and Recreation system. Some of the most popular features were dog parks, a swimming pool, a splash pad and additional trails.



TOWN OF VICTOR MASTER PLAN UPDATE  
PUBLIC OUTREACH - Hang Around Victor Day  
September 8, 2018

The Town of Victor is updating our Parks & Recreation Master Plan... We need to hear from you to accomplish this!

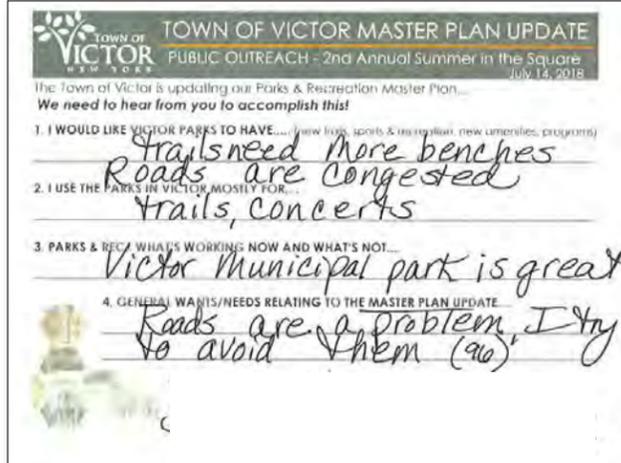
1. I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE... (new trails, sports & recreation, new amenities, programs)  
new equipment

2. I USE THE PARKS IN VICTOR MOSTLY FOR...  
playgrounds

3. PARKS & REC.: WHAT'S WORKING NOW AND WHAT'S NOT...  
programs offered more conducive to working parents

4. GENERAL WANTS/NEEDS RELATING TO THE MASTER PLAN UPDATE...  
thoughts on keeping equipment at all parks useable at all times

NAME & ADDRESS



TOWN OF VICTOR MASTER PLAN UPDATE  
PUBLIC OUTREACH - 2nd Annual Summer in the Square  
July 14, 2018

The Town of Victor is updating our Parks & Recreation Master Plan... We need to hear from you to accomplish this!

1. I WOULD LIKE VICTOR PARKS TO HAVE... (new trails, sports & recreation, new amenities, programs)  
trails need more benches  
Roads are congested

2. I USE THE PARKS IN VICTOR MOSTLY FOR...  
trails, concerts

3. PARKS & REC.: WHAT'S WORKING NOW AND WHAT'S NOT...  
Victor Municipal park is great

4. GENERAL WANTS/NEEDS RELATING TO THE MASTER PLAN UPDATE...  
Roads are a problem, I try to avoid them (90)

## Public Outreach Events Summary - Top 3 Amenities Wanted Per Park

While attending the 3 community events, the residents of Victor identified the amenities listed below as the most desirable/ important for each park to have.



DRYER ROAD PARK

- POOL
- DOG PARK
- ICE RINK



MEAD SQUARE

- BIKE RACKS
- ENTERTAINMENT SPACE/ PLAZA
- ARBOR/ GAZEBO



FISHERS PARK

- PLAYGROUND
- LODGE/ RESTROOM
- NATURE CENTER



VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK

- SPLASH PAD
- DOG PARK
- TRAILS



LEHIGH CROSSING PARK

- FISHING DOCK
- TRAILS
- RESTROOMS



VILLAGE ON THE PARK

- DOG PARK
- TRAILS
- SMALL ATHLETIC COURT (BASKETBALL, TENNIS, PICKLEBALL)



HARLAN FISHER PARK

- DOG PARK
- SPLASH PAD
- TRAILS



BOUGHTON PARK

- LODGE/ RESTROOMS
- FISHING DOCKS
- NEW SMALL BOAT LAUNCHES/ NEW CANOE & KAYAK RACKS



MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN

- TRAILS
- NATURE CLASSROOM
- ARBORETUM/ NATURE CENTER

## Public Information Open House Summary

To conclude the formal Public Engagement Campaign, the planning team hosted a Public Information Open House at the Town Hall on the evening of December 5, 2018. During this open house, the community was invited to view the material that was presented during the Public Outreach events held in the spring, summer and fall. Attendees were provided with a summary of findings and comments collected from the community both during the public outreach events and through the community-wide public survey, which was available online and in paper format. During this open house, the community was also able to comment and respond to the information collected and provide valuable feedback, particularly on one topic with a high-level of community interest: a town-owned recreation facility. The open house generated good discussion that was further highlighted in an article in the local newspaper, the Daily Messenger, on December 7, 2018. The feature article was a great way to further expand the awareness of the project and the update to the current Parks and Recreation Master Plan.

THE TOWN OF VICTOR CURRENTLY LEASES ITS 15,000 SQ. FT. FACILITY LOCATED ON LEHIGH CROSSING RD. AT A COST OF \$14,000/ MONTH AND HAS SHORT-TERM USE OF SPACE AT THE VICTOR SCHOOLS.

DURING THE RECENT PUBLIC SURVEY, 90% OF SURVEY PARTICIPANTS INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD LIKE THE TOWN TO PURSUE THE EVALUATION OF A TOWN OWNED RECREATION FACILITY

**WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK ON THIS TOPIC...**

## Community Interest Survey

A community interest survey is a great opportunity to elicit the input of residents that may not respond to traditional forms of public outreach. Working with the CAC and the Town/ Village Board, a Community Interest Survey was launched to the public on June 21, 2018 and closed in September of 2018.

The survey questions were generated in order to:

- Gather feedback about the users of the system
- Determine what parks and facilities within the town parks and recreation system and outside the system are most popular
- Gauge how the community uses the parks and recreation facilities
- Determine the barriers and issues that inhibit or limit use
- Identify what's working and what's not
- Find the key factors that should be considered during the planning process
- Identify what the most popular wants and needs that should be included in the updated master plan.

In addition, the community was asked if they would support the expansion of the existing sidewalks, shared use paths and trails system, and exploration of a town-owned recreation facility to replace the current leased recreation facility. Through extensive promotion on the Town of Victor's website, social media outlets, e-mail blasts, and flyers and posters at town facilities and community events, the survey was a great success. There were more than 540 responses, which was five times more than the responses that were recorded from a survey of this nature conducted in the past.

The information that was gathered as a result of the survey was very useful and provided valuable information to supplement the feedback received during the public outreach events. The key issues and feedback from the survey are presented on the following pages.



## Community Survey Summary

**50%** OF PARTICIPANTS INDICATED THAT IN ADDITION TO THE FACILITIES & PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE TOWN OF VICTOR, THEY PARTICIPATE OR USE THE FOLLOWING ELSEWHERE:

- FITNESS CENTER/ RECREATION PROGRAMS
- AQUATICS FACILITIES/ PROGRAMS
- PRIVATE SPORTS PROGRAMS

"I WISH THERE WAS MORE FOR THE SMALLER KIDS (5-7 YEAR OLDS) TO DO. I FIND MYSELF DRIVING TO SEVERAL OTHER TOWNS TO KEEP THE KIDS ACTIVE AND FUN."

MANY RESPONDENTS NOTED THAT THE COMMUNITY WOULD BENEFIT GREATLY FROM A TOWN OWNED COMMUNITY CENTER THAT IS CENTRAL TO VICTOR (AND POSSIBLY FARMINGTON)

OVER **60%** OF RESPONDENTS OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT THE TOWN OF VICTOR DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION FROM THE RECREATION BROCHURE OR THE TOWN WEBSITE

**90%** OF SURVEY PARTICIPANTS WOULD LIKE THE TOWN TO PURSUE THE EVALUATION OF A TOWN OWNED RECREATION FACILITY

RESPONDENTS INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO SEE MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- SPECIAL EVENTS LIKE OUTDOOR CONCERTS
- AQUATICS PROGRAMS INCLUDING YOUTH/ ADULT SWIMMING LESSONS
- ADULT PROGRAMS INCLUDING FITNESS, OUTDOOR RECREATION AND SPORTS PROGRAMS

"VERY HAPPY WITH CONSISTENT UPGRADES (WE HAVE BEEN HERE FOR 24 YEARS). KEEP UP THE GREAT JOB!"

**95%** OF SURVEY PARTICIPANTS SUPPORT EXPANDING THE COMMUNITY'S SIDEWALKS, SHARED USE PATHS, AND TRAILS TO PROMOTE CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN FACILITIES, NEIGHBORHOODS AND PARKS

THE TOP 2 REASONS WHY THE RESPONDENTS DO NOT USE PARKS & RECREATION FACILITIES/ PROGRAMS ARE THAT THEY DON'T MATCH THEIR INTERESTS OR THEY USE OTHER FACILITIES/ PROGRAMS

"WOULD LOVE TO SEE A SPRAY PARK! LOVE THE SUMMER CONCERTS AT MUNICIPAL PARK. WOULD LOVE MORE EVENTS LIKE THAT!"

**70%** OF THE RESPONDENTS WERE VICTOR RESIDENTS

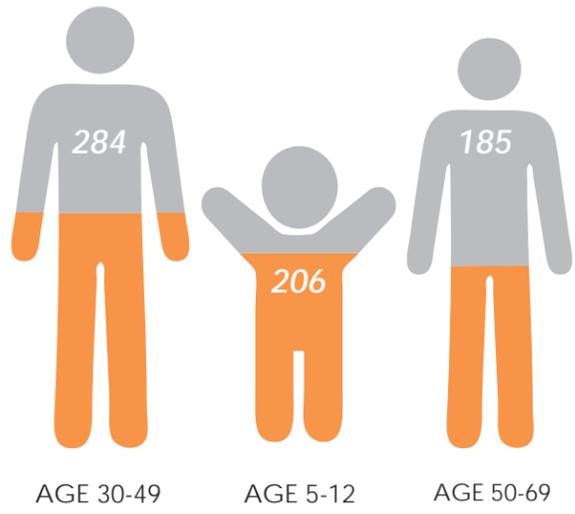
"THE CURRENT OUTDOOR WALKING TRAILS ARE AWESOME BUT ONLY WEATHER PERMITTING AND WHEN THE SNOW ISN'T TOO DEEP. NEED AN INDOOR WALKING VENUE FOR WINTERTIME THAT'S CLOSE TO VILLAGE."



# Community Interest Survey Results

\* NOTE: REFER TO APPENDIX I FOR A COMPLETE SUMMARY OF SURVEY RESPONSES.

## TOP 3 AGES WITHIN HOUSEHOLDS



## PARTICIPATION IN PARKS & REC. PROGRAMS: TOP 3 CATEGORIES

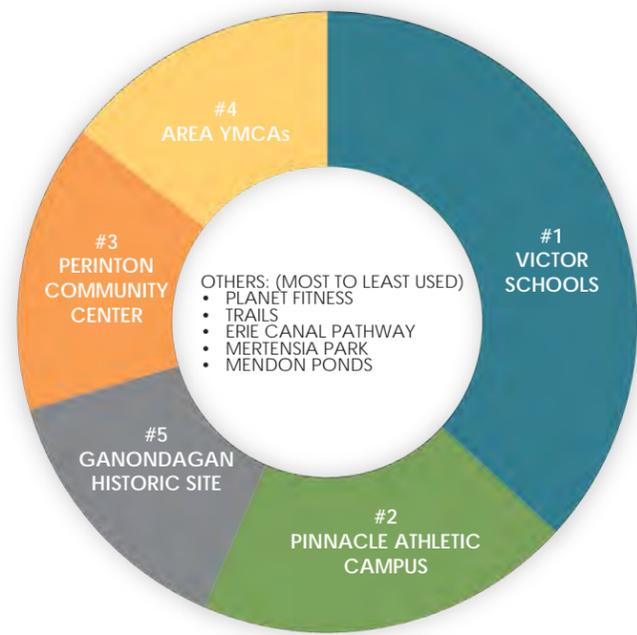


## PATTERNS OF RECREATIONAL USE

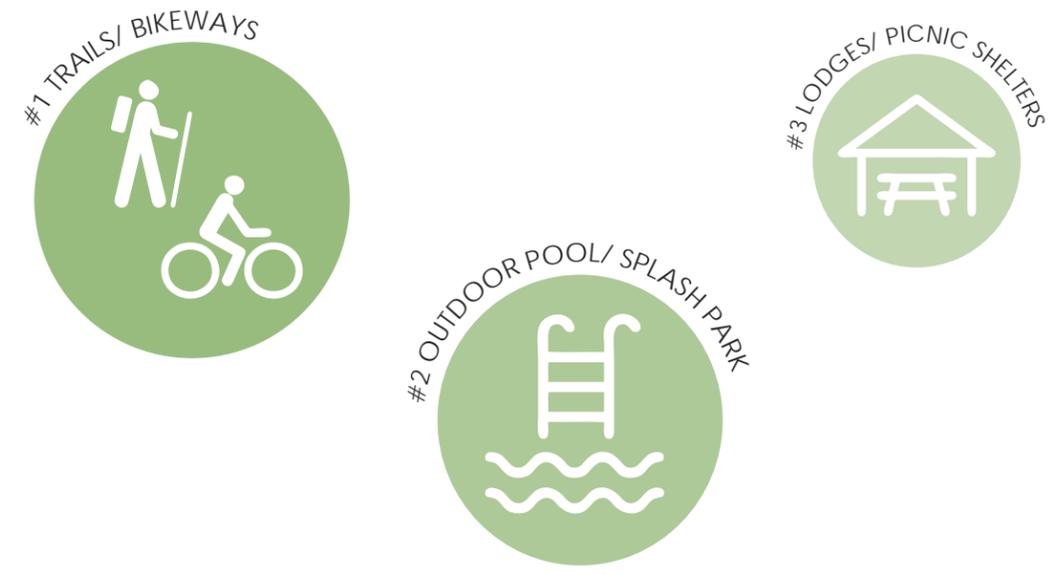
### TOP 5 - PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES USED



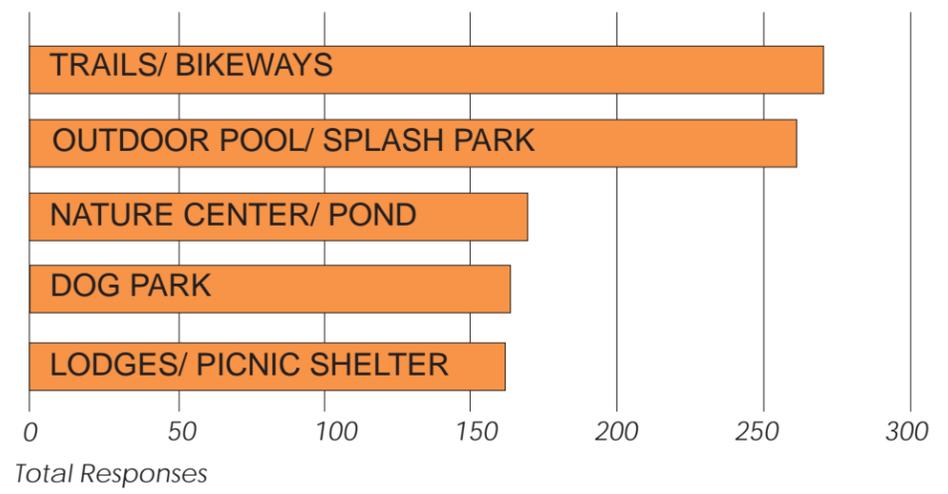
### TOP 5 - OTHER RECREATION FACILITIES USED



## TOP 3 PARK AND RECREATION AMENITIES TO BE INCLUDED IN THE UPDATED MASTER PLAN



## PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE: TOP 5 RECREATIONAL NEEDS FOR THE NEXT 5-10 YEARS



- OTHER WRITE-IN RESPONSES:
- COMMUNITY & FITNESS CENTER/ INDOOR POOL
  - SOCCER PROGRAMS
  - LACROSSE PROGRAMS
  - MULTI-PURPOSE FIELDS

## Community Stakeholder Outreach

The planning team worked with the Parks and Recreation Citizens' Advisory Committee to identify key organizations and community groups that are involved with and have a connection to the parks and recreation system. The team then conducted a written interview/ questionnaire with each organization to gain a greater understanding of important recreation issues and desires associated with each. The organizations were asked to describe their mission and how they directly interact with the parks and recreation system, their anticipated growth and development, and how changes in their organization could impact the planning and future of the parks and recreation opportunities provided by the town. Information was also gathered on how their partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department could be improved, and how their organization could support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the town.

Specific questions and conversations were had with the athletic stakeholder groups to further identify key issues and factors that should be addressed with the updated to the master plan. These organizations were asked to identify the specific parks or facilities that they currently utilize within the parks and recreation system, provide comments on why they continue to use these facilities, and note what could be improved. The planning team also aimed to identify if the organizations would rather partner with a private entity or with a municipal/ town entity to support the needs of their organization. If the preference was to partner with the town, the organizations were asked to elaborate on what specific parks and/or facilities would be most important to their organization, if there is a need for additional resources, and how the current resources can be improved on.

The stakeholder groups invited to provide feedback included:

- Boughton Park Commission
- Ganondagan State Historical Site & The Friends of Ganondagan
- Victor Garden Club
- Victor Tree Board
- Victor-Farmington Library
- Victor Hiking Trails (VHT)
- Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC)
- Rochester Accessible Adventures
- Victor Girls and Boys Youth Lacrosse
- Victor Ice Hockey Boosters
- Victor Jr. Blue Devils Football and Cheerleading
- Victor Youth Soccer
- Alliance F.C.

A summary of the findings is presented on the next pages.



## Stakeholder Interviews

"I [ALSO] BELIEVE AN **AFTER-SCHOOL CENTER** (THAT INCLUDED COMPUTERS, A THEATRE/ PROJECTOR, AND GAME ROOM) WOULD BE A BENEFIT TO THE COMMUNITY AND HELP GROW THE **AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM.**"

"IT WOULD BE GREAT TO COME UP WITH A PROGRAM TO ENCOURAGE CHILDREN TO GET MORE INVOLVED IN GARDENING OR PROTECTING OUR NATURAL RESOURCES."

"IT WOULD BE NICE TO HAVE A **PARKS & REC CENTER** SIMILAR TO HENRIETTA (MULTIPLE BASKETBALL COURTS, PLAY AREA FOR THE KIDS, GYMNASTICS EQUIPMENT, TRACK, ETC.)."

"WE NEED **INDOOR FACILITIES** TO PRACTICE IN THE WINTER"

"THE MASTER PLAN FOR **TRAILS** IN VICTOR SHOULD BE UPDATED TO SHOW WHERE THE TOWN WOULD LIKE TO HAVE (MORE) TRAILS"

"ALL FUTURE PLANNING SHOULD BE DEVELOPED THROUGH AN **INCLUSION LENS** SO THAT ANY NEW PLANS WILL PURPOSIVELY ANTICIPATE PARTICIPATION BY INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES WITH A **DISABILITY.**"

"WE WOULD LOVE IF PARKS & REC. COULD BUILD ADDITIONAL **INDOOR AND OUTDOOR FACILITIES** (ESPECIALLY INDOOR). WE PAY AN ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF MONEY EACH YEAR. WE WOULD LOVE TO GIVE THAT **MONEY BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY.**"

"WE WOULD BENEFIT FROM AN **ICE RINK.** THIS RINK WOULD NOT ONLY PROVIDE A HOME FOR OUR SCHOOL HOCKEY TEAMS, BUT ALSO PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A VICTOR CLUB PROGRAM."

"OUR PROGRAM IS FORCED TO GO OUTSIDE OF VICTOR (FOR USE OF ATHLETIC FACILITIES)"

# Summary of Findings

## Growth and Impact

As the population of the town increases, many of the stakeholder groups are also seeing an increase of growth within their organizations and anticipate consistent development over the years to come.

Victor Hiking Trails (VHT) is in need of a succession plan for recruitment of younger members to replace older members that may not be able to devote as much time, or that would like to phase out of their stewardship responsibilities. New volunteers are also needed for maintenance of the growing trail system. If new volunteers cannot be found, VHT may look to the Parks and Recreation Department for assistance maintaining trails on town owned property that are currently under the care of VHT.

With an increase in membership throughout the stakeholder groups, there will be more use of trails, off-road biking facilities, parks, athletic fields/ courts, and ice rinks for recreation, training and development. This in turn will require more maintenance or an increase in services and facilities provided by the park and recreation system.

## Partnership Opportunities

All stakeholder groups were very open and welcomed the opportunity to partner with the Parks and Recreation Department for the benefit of the community. Many athletic organizations would be vocal advocates in support of additional fields and facilities that would support the continuation of their sport. Organizations would also help pursue funding and aid in the organization and management of the additional fields and facilities.

Through this partnership, each organization will see added exposure and benefits from the promotion of their programs and services to the community. Increased awareness of proper use and maintenance of the facilities, parks, and trail systems, recognition of accessibility as a core value, and promotion of volunteer opportunities could all stem from this partnership along with a growth in membership.

Many organizations welcome the opportunity to share and partner in community events – to advocate for a common cause and/or service, to combine efforts in regard to community improvements, planting and maintenance, and training.

With talk of a town owned recreation center, many organizations have expressed an interest in utilizing a community center/ indoor athletic facility for community gatherings and events, library/ educational resources, athletic fields and courts, indoor aquatics facilities and an ice rink. Partnership with the organizations would provide revenue to help support the facility and improvements to the parks and recreation system.

When the stakeholders representing athletic organizations within the town were asked if they would rather partner with private sector organizations or a municipal entity, the overwhelming consensus was that they would prefer to partner with a municipal entity/ the Parks and Recreation Department for numerous reasons. These reasons include ease of operation, cost and supporting the mission and goals of the Parks and Recreation Department.

The community would benefit from a collaboration between the Parks and Recreation Department and organizations when seeking grants and funding opportunities.

Stakeholder partnerships could promote Victor as a “destination for recreation” including: hiking, off-road biking, athletics, passive recreation, and environmental and cultural education.



## Athletic Organizations

When asked how your organization support and supplement programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department, they said...

- We would be vocal advocates for the addition of fields/ facilities that support our sport.
- Many of our instructors are certified and/or division I, II, and III players that could supplement or run youth programming with the parks and Recreation Department.
- If fields and facilities were provided by the Parks and Recreation System, all organizations would utilize the space.
- Many organizations give back to the Parks and Recreation System and the town by helping to maintain the trails, fields and facilities currently provided and have vowed to help maintain both the current and new fields in the future.
- Dryer Road Park is the most used park by athletic organizations in the town.

## Athletics and the Future

Top priority fields and facilities requested by Community Athletic Stakeholder Organizations:



### Indoor Athletic Fields

Indoor fields would be heavily utilized during the winter months for both games and practices.



### Full-Size Soccer & Lacrosse Fields

The only lacrosse field utilized by lacrosse groups is at Dryer Road Park.



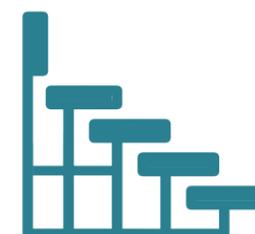
### Additional Outdoor Athletic Fields and Practice Spaces

More fields for soccer, lacrosse, baseball and softball are needed.



### Additional Turf Fields

Turf fields allow a longer season for various sports and is more durable than traditional fields.



### Additional Bleachers at Fields

More bleachers would be utilized and promote spectating of sports.



### Indoor Ice Rink

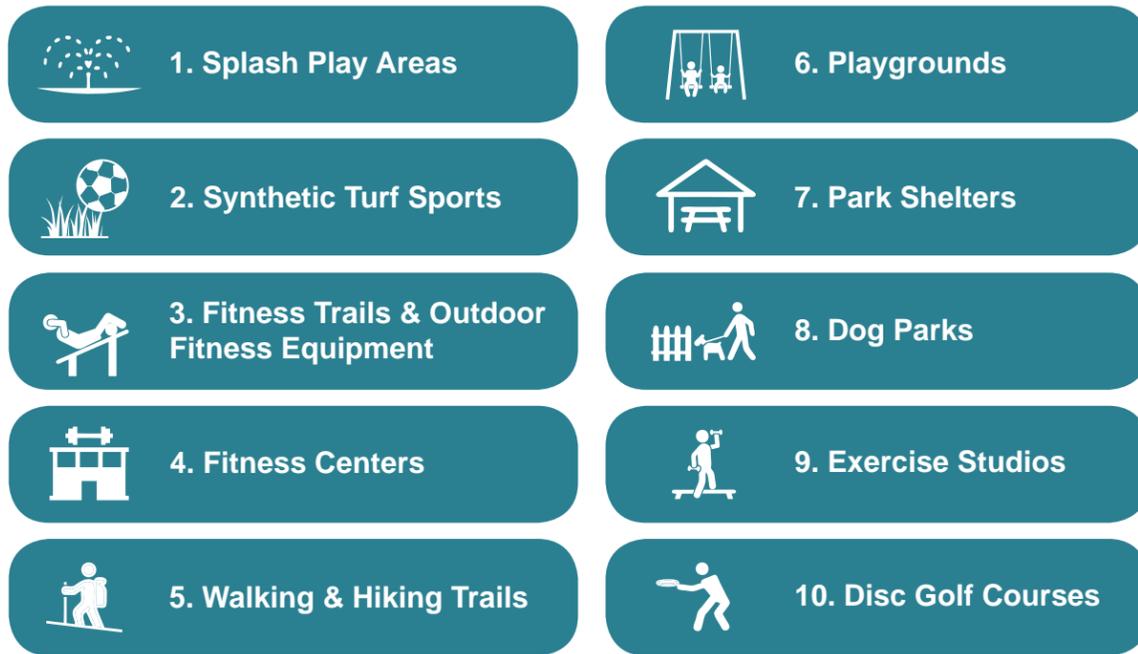
An indoor ice rink would benefit the community and numerous ice-related organizations.

# Current Recreation Industry Trends

Regular assessment and evaluation of current recreation industry trends is critical to evolving and best servicing the community. Using national benchmarks and findings to determine park and recreation offerings is a priority when planning for the future of any parks and recreation system.

Recreation Management Magazine annually releases a detailed “State of the Industry” report that documents the opinions and observations that many nationwide professionals within the parks and recreation industry are currently experiencing within their systems. It summarizes the future initiatives and improvements that are planned within their departments.

The “2018 State of the Industry Report” that was released in June of 2018, indicated that the top 10 planned recreation features for 2018 were:



And the Top 10 most commonly planned program additions for 2018 were:



\*Reference: Tipping, E. 2018 State of the Managed Recreation Industry. Recreation Management Magazine. June 2018

# Comparison of Similar Towns

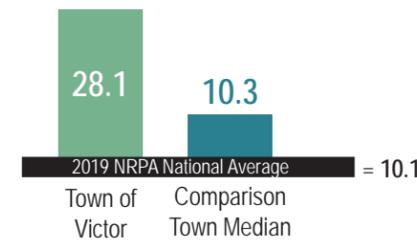
To further analyze the information collected through the public outreach events, stakeholder interviews, and inventory and research, the Town of Victor’s parks and recreation system was compared to similar communities throughout the northeastern United States. Utilizing the National Recreation and Parks Associations’ (NRPA) “Parks Metrics” resource, an online tool used to build customized reports that allow for comparisons with similar agencies (towns) and the 2019 NRPA national average, providing valuable insight on how the parks and recreation system in Victor measures up to similar sized communities.

The communities of similar size that were used as comparison were selected based on similar demographics, including geographical location, level of municipality (i.e. city, town, village, etc.), size, and population. The Parks and Recreation Department can then use the information as a benchmark to improve the management and operation of the system and to better serve the needs of the community. The following categories have been selected as the most valuable when evaluating the Victor parks and recreation system against comparison towns:

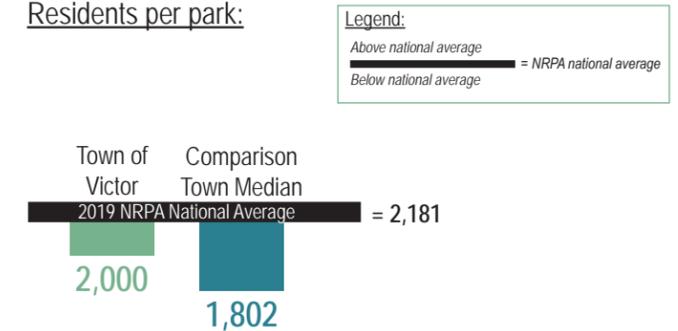
## Park Availability

Two simple ways to evaluate the level of recreation service provided to the community are the amount of park land available to its residents and the total number of residents per park. (A lower number of residents per parkland indicates there is more parkland available per resident.)

Acres of parkland per 1,000 residents:



Residents per park:

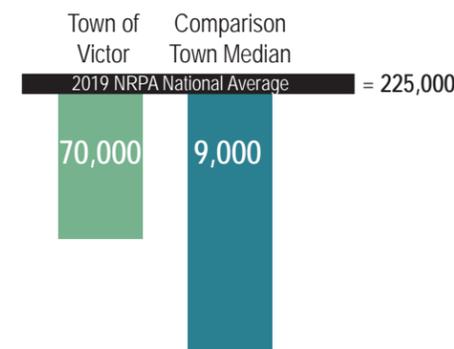


Legend:  
 Above national average = NRPA national average  
 Below national average

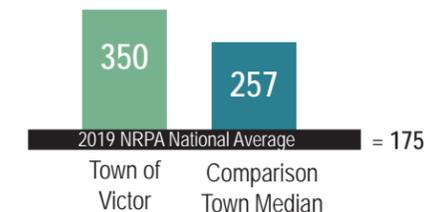
## Programming

Interaction between the residents of the community and the amenities and facilities provided by the parks and recreation system include many types of interactions including participating in recreation, fitness, educational, or arts programs, athletic events at the parks, or biking and hiking on one of the many trails and pathways throughout the town. These interactions are classified as “contacts.”

Total number of contacts of the parks and recreation system per year (parks and facilities):



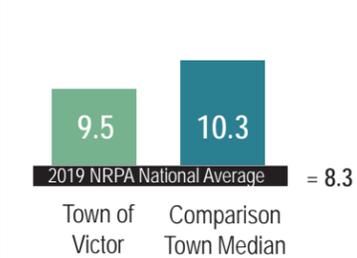
Total number of programs offered by the parks and recreation system per year:



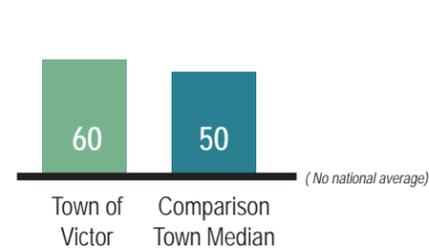
## Park and Recreation Responsibilities

With the evaluation of the physical park lands comes the analysis of the staff and volunteers needed to manage, maintain and serve the community.

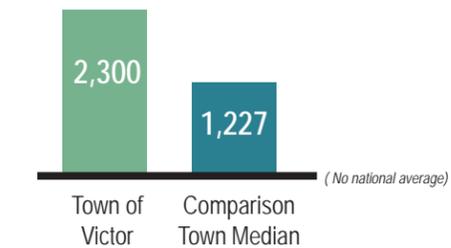
Full Time Employee (FTE) per 10,000 Residents:



Total number of Volunteers:



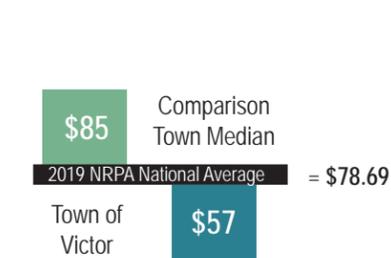
Total hours worked annually by Volunteers:



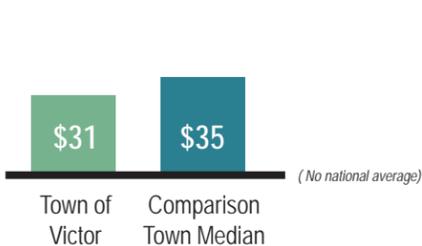
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## Budget and Operating Expenditures

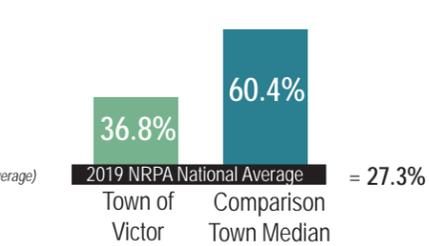
Operating expenditures annually per capita:



Revenue annually per capita:



Total revenue to operating expenditures (cost recovery):



## Needs Assessment & Opportunities

Through in-depth public outreach and general research, a needs assessment was generated for the town. The Community Interest Survey, public engagement/ outreach events, and detailed interviews with community stakeholder groups provided a balance of both quantitative and qualitative data. Meanwhile, research and analysis of comparison towns in the northeast and the NRPA national average, provided a solid comparison of the town's park and recreation system to local and national standards. The key factors and needs identified in this section will be used to guide the development of recommendations for the parks and recreation system.

### Key Factors & Needs

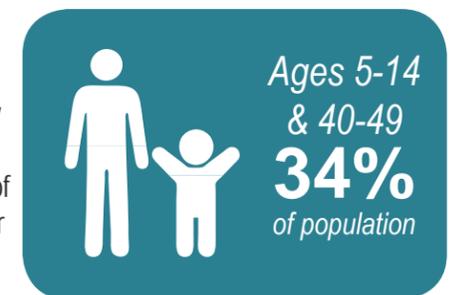
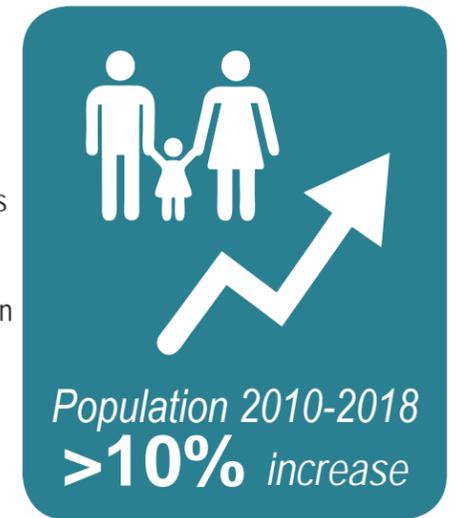
#### Population and Growth

As the town continues to grow, the parks and recreation system must evolve and respond to the increase in population, diversity of age groups, and recreational needs and trends. Victor is one of the fastest growing communities in the region. The residential and commercial population has increased dramatically over the past ten years, which creates new and additional demands on the parks and recreation system. Key demographic and population trends were gathered through the community interest survey and by reviewing the available figures from the 2010 Census Report and estimated values for 2018.

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, Victor's population has grown from 14,275 in 2010 to an estimated 16,000 in 2018, which is more than a 10 percent population growth in the last 8 years alone- well above the national average. Victor's population growth is mostly due to the geographic proximity to Rochester and the Finger Lakes Region, along with the wealth of services and opportunities that are available to the community. These include the highly ranked school system, commercial and industrial opportunities, recreational services and programs and a high standard of living. The highest percentage of the population is between the ages of 40 to 49, and 5 to 14, which accounts for over 34 percent of the population.

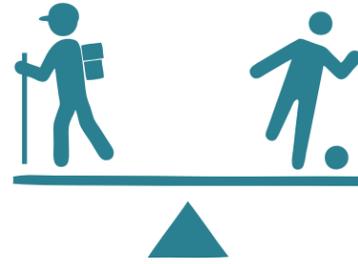
Results from the community interest survey, which support the findings of the 2010 U.S. Census, indicated that highest percentage of the population is between the ages of 30-49, with the 5-12 year age group in a close second. These findings suggest that families with children make up the majority of Victor's population.

Planning and providing recreation opportunities for families with children should be coupled with positioning the parks and recreation system to serve the growing senior population. With additional senior housing developments and neighborhoods being added to the Victor community, the older population of Victor will increase. The neighboring community of Farmington is seeing a population boom, as well. Though not technically part of the Victor community, a majority of the residents of Farmington attend the Victor school system and utilize the services and facilities within Victor. With this growth, the demand for parks and recreation services will also increase. By providing a diverse, well planned recreation system, the community as a whole will benefit.



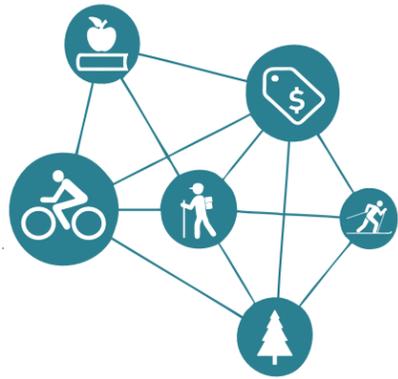
### Balance Between Passive and Active Recreation

The Victor community is very fortunate to have a mix of developed and undeveloped lands within its parks and recreation system. In order to preserve the beauty and serenity of Fishers Park and MaryFrances Bluebird Haven, and plan for the future programming and opportunities within Dryer Road and Paparone Park, a balance of passive and active recreation will need to be reached. Results from the community interest survey, public engagement events and stakeholder interviews indicate that having access to nature, through trails, nature centers, fishing ponds, and areas to picnic is as important as providing playgrounds, athletic field/ courts, dog parks, and splash pads for the future recreation system. The planning for a community supported parks and recreation system must strike the right balance between passive and active recreation.



### Increased Connectivity

As the community continues to grow and additional services and opportunities are provided, the connections between and accessibility of these key areas and needs of the town must also evolve. Through a series of recently completed and very successful projects, the Parks and Recreation Department and the town have made great strides in connecting the school campus to the surrounding neighborhoods and village along with increased access to the Auburn Trail, Trolley Trail, Lehigh Valley Trail and others. The community has indicated at the public outreach events and in the community interest survey, that they strongly support expansion of the sidewalk system, shared use paths, and trails to promote bicycle and pedestrian connectivity between the town's parks, schools, neighborhoods, businesses and community gathering places. **The town and its residents will gain significant benefits through connectivity.**



### Supporting Community Organizations

Victor is a very active community with a diverse and supportive organization base, ranging from clubs and committees focused on preserving and improving the natural assets of the town, to facilities that support and educate the community, and athletic organizations that promote healthy living and active recreation. With increased support and cooperation between the parks and recreation system and these organizations, the community will further benefit from these partnerships. Interviews with stakeholder groups indicated that with increased cooperation and support from the Parks and Recreation Department, they would be able to increase the awareness and involvement of the community in their organizations. When planning for the future of the parks and recreation system, the recommendations must recognize and support the needs of the community's organizations. Support from the town Parks and Recreation Department could include identifying joint event and outreach opportunities, providing additional outdoor and indoor athletic fields and courts, assisting organizations in garnering support and increasing their volunteer programs, creating an awareness campaign for key accessibility and educational topics, and working collectively to promote Victor as a destination for outstanding recreational opportunities.



### Maintain and Build on Already Great Parks and Recreation System



As noted previously, the Town of Victor has built an incredibly rich and diverse parks and recreation system. From the physical park lands and programmed uses within the parks, to the more than 350 diverse recreation programs offered to the community, the Parks and Recreation Department provides immense opportunities for the community to be active in recreation. The parks and recreation system can use this strong and stable base to build on and provide even more community supported improvements and programs throughout the town. By listening to the voice of the community, and responding to current and future needs and trends, recommendations can be established to sustain and improve on the existing the parks and recreation system.

## Key Factors & Needs- Focused

### Town-Owned Community Recreation Facility and Adjacent Lands/ Programs

Ninety percent of the community interest survey respondents supported the town in exploring a town-owned recreation facility that would replace the current leased recreation center managed and operated by the Parks and Recreation Department. During the public outreach and engagement events, many community members voiced their desire for a town-owned recreation center, comparable to, or better than those located in neighboring communities.



A large majority of the stakeholder groups interviewed, specifically the athletic organizations, were very interested in the town exploring a town-owned recreation facility. They cited specific partnership opportunities including: sharing multi-purpose/ community rooms for events and programs, athletic organizations sharing use of the facility, fields and ice rink for practice, games, and tournaments. They also noted the benefits of community members using the facility for daily gym/ fitness workouts, social gatherings and community functions.

A town-owned community center would increase the available space and program areas, help to support the diversity of programs that the Parks and Recreation Department offers, and provide additional opportunities to the community. **In addition, opportunities for cost recovery and revenue generation are substantially increased with year-round, indoor recreation spaces.**

### Athletic Fields & Courts

It should be noted that opinions expressed by the community at public engagement events indicated that athletic fields were not a high priority need and that the current number of fields offered by the Parks and Recreation system and those located on the Victor Central School campus can support the current demand.

However, during the interviews with the athletic stakeholder groups, municipal owned indoor and outdoor athletic fields and courts were a high priority and it was indicated that the demand for additional courts and fields would increase as the total population of the town and membership of their organizations increase. If additional fields and courts were available through the parks and recreation system, many athletic organizations stated that they would rather utilize the town owned facilities than locally owned and regional private facilities. There is a need for additional athletic fields and courts as many organizations must currently travel outside of the town for field and court space. **The town should continue to assess fees for its athletic fields to ensure that maintenance and upkeep is meeting the needs and expectations of the community and athletic organizations.**



Multi-Sport Fields at Dryer Road Park



Volleyball Court at Victor Municipal Park

## Increased Connectivity and Additional Trails

Many community members indicated that additional trails, pathways, bikeways, and pedestrian/ bike connections were a high priority need within the town parks and recreation system. They expressed strong support for and applauded the work completed to date within the village, adjacent to and within the Victor Central School campus, along High Street and Lane Road, and within the trail system. They specifically called attention to the village connection to the Auburn Trail at Maple Avenue, the connection to the east at East Victor Road, and the improvements to the Lehigh Valley and Auburn trail crossing at Lehigh Crossing Park. The town needs more of these connections and additional links to key areas, nodes and recreation offerings throughout the village and town.

High density residential areas tend to be clustered throughout the town. By providing an interconnected pathway and trail system linking these neighborhoods to the park and recreation system, residents will have more opportunities to utilize the amenities provided. Throughout the public engagement process, through the Community Interest Survey, and during interviews with the stakeholder groups, it was evident that expanding and improving the trail system was a high priority need.



Auburn Trail, Main St. Fishers

There is a strong trail network and good pathway connections on the west side of the town and to the south of the Thruway. However, trails and pathways on the east side of town, north of Route 96, are limited. Feedback from the community indicated a real need for new trail connections from the village and Harlan Fisher Park to the north, and connections from residential neighborhoods to Village on the Park, the Monkey Run Trails and Seneca Trail, and MaryFrances Bluebird Haven. There is also a desire to eventually connect to the adjacent communities and their trail systems.

The east-west Interstate 90 corridor bisects the town, and the Thruway underpasses at Fisher Road, Willowbrook Road, High Street, and Victor – Egypt Road/ County Road 9 are very narrow with almost no shoulder, creating a challenge for developing dedicated pedestrian and bicycle routes. Improved connections under the Thruway to link isolated areas of the town is a high priority. The options to improve clearance and increase the shoulder widths to accommodate pedestrian and bike traffic should be reviewed and discussed with NY State DOT and NY State Thruway Authority for inclusion in their future capital improvements projects/ plans.

## Branding- Building an Image

The development of a distinct brand and messaging that the community can embrace will help create a more cohesive and stronger parks and recreation system. A unique and identifiable brand can build loyalty for the parks and help to simulate growth of programs and services. This will lead to an increase in support and partnership opportunities throughout the community, encourage recreation sponsors, attract more users, and foster volunteer opportunities. Creating unified signage, marketing materials, and social media posts will allow the community and visitors to quickly identify with the recreation system.



## Key Parks and Recreation Needs identified Through the Public Engagement Process, Community Interest Survey, and Stake Holder Interviews



Splash Pads



Town-Owned Community Recreation Center



Nature Center/ Outdoor Areas and Classrooms



Trails & Bikeways



Playgrounds (Inclusive/ Accessible Play)



Dog Parks

### Recreation Program Needs

- Before school programs
- Evaluate hours and programs offered to appeal to larger community
- Develop programs and adapt/transition as the community grows and trends evolve
- Aquatics programs and varied times (VCS programs make hours limited)

### Parks Department Needs



Increased maintenance as services are expanded



Increased staff to help facilitate services, increase programs and keep up with park operations (Full Time and seasonal)



Expand volunteer network (trails, programs, maintenance) to support staff



Increased partnerships with community organizations and groups

# 04 Goals & Recommendations



# Goals and Recommendations

This chapter provides system-wide, general park, and individual park goals and recommendations intended to assist the town and the Parks and Recreation Department in future planning and decision making to ensure the parks and recreation system responds to the needs and evolves with the community. The goals and recommendations outlined in this chapter directly respond to the input gathered during the Public Outreach phase of the project and melds it with the feedback and insight of the Parks and Recreation Citizens' Advisory Committee and the Parks and Recreation Department.

## System-Wide Goals and Recommendations

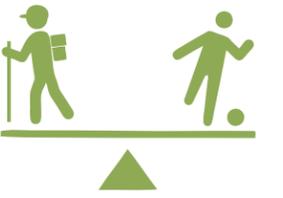
### 1 Adapt and Evolve with the Recreation Needs of the Community

- Adopt the Parks and Recreation Master Plan update by legislative action. Adoption of the plan by the Town and Village Boards will show the community a commitment to implement the recommendations outlined in this plan and enhance the town's parks and recreation system over time.
- Provide recreation opportunities for the changing population by evolving with the needs and wants of the community and staying current with emerging recreational trends and evaluating their relevance within the community.
- Consistently evaluate the needs of the community, including the incorporating community and athletic stakeholders, to gain a better understanding of their priorities. Provide specific amenities (i.e. community facilities, athletic fields, sports courts, additional trails, programs, bike share) that meet their wants and needs.
- Evaluate land use and development patterns and provide park and recreation amenities in areas of growth. These expanded resources should be linked to the existing network of trails and recreation zones.
- Actively engage with the community, solicit the support of active members within the community and request that they participate in the advancement of recreation within the community and potentially serve on the Parks and Recreation Citizens' Advisory Committee to aid in the review and development of parks and recreation improvements within the town.
- Update the Parks and Recreation Master Plan on a regular basis to understand and respond to the changing needs of the community. Provide recommendations to help guide the evolution of the future of the parks and recreation system.
- As growth continues throughout the town and land values increase, the size and availability of open space parcels available for acquisition will decrease. Land acquisitions should be focused on purchasing parcels adjacent to current town-owned land or by current temporary easements through private lands to create a larger, more usable park or recreation areas to provide connections and link existing trail systems, pathways, or routes to provide a connectivity town wide.



### 2 Create a Balance between Active and Passive Recreation

- The Parks and Recreation Department should be leaders in promoting land conservation, the protection of the environment, and utilization of sustainable design and planning practices.
- Preserve and maintain environmentally rich and diverse town-owned lands through sound planning and land use regulation. Explore the opportunity to acquire parcels of land within the town that will complement and enhance the network of passive recreation offerings.
- Create a balance between active recreation amenities (i.e. sports fields, playgrounds, splash pads, athletic courts, etc.) and passive, naturalistic recreation areas (i.e. nature trails, fishing ponds, wetland areas for birding, natural play areas, outdoor classrooms, etc.) through careful planning and evaluation of community desires, emerging and stable recreation trends, and through intelligent park and recreation land planning.
- Respond to the needs of the community by consistently evaluating the demand for active and passive recreation through community and recreation stakeholder outreach.
- Provide opportunities for environmental, historical, cultural, and geological education to promote life-long learning.
- Continue to identify and offer recreation programs, both for active and passive recreation, that fulfill the needs and desires of the community.



### 3 Increase Connectivity within the town and with the adjacent Communities

- Expand on the region's largest trail system and provide additional trail, pedestrian and bicycle connections that link key recreation and community elements.
- Partner with the village, town and state to identify potential partnerships used to provide access and connections to key local and regional assets.
- Work with public entities and private landowners to formalize and secure easements that are used to create a cohesive network of trails and pathways.
- Establish a process where all planned development in the town and village reviews the opportunity to include trail and pathway improvements as part of the project.
- Provide trailhead and pathway accommodations to help guide and facilitate the use of the network of trails and pathways within the town, including trail maps and wayfinding signage, adequate parking, and seating and resting areas.
- Strive to provide a recreation amenity within a 15 minute (+/-1 mile) walk from all areas of the town.
- Utilize the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan included in this document to guide future development and linkages within the town and to the neighboring recreation/ access systems.



## 4 Continue to Strengthen Community Partnerships

- Enhance existing partnerships and build new relationships between the town, village and municipal organizations to provide the public with the best recreational opportunities available.
- Further the town's partnership with Victor Central School District by working together to maintain existing recreation facilities and fields while also providing additional recreation opportunities to the public.
- Foster and build relationships with the community stakeholder groups and work collectively to provide the best and most desired recreation amenities to the public and identify future partnerships that will benefit the community.
- Continue to build on the partnership with the community's active adults/ seniors to identify recreation opportunities that will further engage them and offer additional programs that help to keep them active and involved in the community.
- Develop, and continue the relationship with youth and adult athletic and recreation organizations to identify and coordinate recreation improvements with their needs and growth in order to provide the best service and amenities possible.
- Continue the successful partnership with Victor Hiking Trails (VHT) and Genesee Regional Off-road Cyclists (GROC) on the oversight, management and maintenance of the town-wide trail network.
- Accommodate and provide park and recreation services and amenities to serve a range of ages, interests and provide universal opportunities for all members of the community.
- Explore and encourage partnerships with local and regional business, tourism councils, health care providers and wellness groups, cultural organizations and adjacent town and county recreation organizations to help promote and enhance value and offerings of the town's park and recreation system.



## 5 Explore the opportunity of a Town-Owned Recreation Facility

- As indicated in the Public Outreach Phase and through the interviews with the community Stakeholder groups, a Town-Owned Community Recreation Center is a high priority and a desire throughout the community.
- The community interest survey indicated that 90 percent of the respondents are in favor of the town exploring the possibility of providing a Community Recreation Center within the town.
- Given the overwhelming desire and potential need for the community, the Citizens' Advisory Committee and town Parks and Recreation Department selected this recommendation as one of three Priority Projects that will be explored further in this Master Plan. Refer to Priority Project No. 1 – Paparone Park and Community Recreation Center, included in Chapter 5 for additional information and recommendations.



## 6 Build an Identity through Branding

*"A brand is an identity. It helps an audience understand the purpose of an organization."*

The advancement of a unique and identifiable brand can help to build loyalty, and rally and excite participation. It can also increase support and partnership opportunities throughout the community, encourage recreation sponsors, attract more users, and foster volunteer opportunities.

But, how do brands become memorable?

It's important to remember that brands are both visual and verbal. While a visual brand identity (e.g., logo) is impactful, it's the message that will clarify your positioning and articulate your value to your target audiences. As such, it's extremely important to establish concise and clear messaging that defines your mission, speaks to your program services, and outlines an audience-specific call-to-action.

Because Victor Parks and Recreation already has an established visual identity and message platform, our recommendation is to refine your existing framework and then work to ensure that the visual identity and audience-specific messages are deployed community-wide. Anecdotal feedback from the community shows that there is an appreciation for the services that Victor Parks and Recreation offers (e.g., summer concert series, Summer in the Square, senior services, parks/ trails), but little understanding that these "town activities" are actually services of the Parks and Recreation Department. That needs to change.

As immediate next steps, we recommend that Victor Parks and Recreation:

**Listen to your target audiences.** We've spent the last eight months polling the community on the services and resources they'd like to see as part of the master plan. Given the feedback, we now have a better sense of what Victor residents are looking for from their Parks and Recreation department, and therefore, can begin to refine our messages and calls-to-action to speak to these specific audience needs.

With your target audiences in mind, **revisit your messaging** to ensure that it includes a combination of high-level, emotive and inspirational messages to engage audiences, as well as practical messages that outline program fundamentals. Below are some questions for consideration when revisiting your messaging:

- What is our park system known for?
- Is there a misconception about our programs/ services that we'd like to correct?
- Is there a role that we'd like our parks/ services to play that isn't yet realized?
- What sets us apart from others in the region?
- What ties our parks/ services together?

**Develop a tailored communications plan** that ensures your brand (both visual and verbal) is well-represented throughout the community. This may include increased use of digital platforms, unified signage, marketing materials and speaking platforms that will allow the community to quickly identify with the recreation system. A local marketing/ public relations firm can help to realize this type of action plan.

## 7 Activate the Community through Recreation Programs

- The Parks and Recreation Department should continue to survey the community to better understand the current recreation needs, trends and interests in order to provide the most appropriate programs and services to best serve the entire community.
- Develop programs and services for community members of all ages and people with disabilities that may have limited access to other recreational resources throughout the community and region.
- Continue to enhance partnership with Victor Central School and work in collaboration to offer a collection of diverse, unique and high-quality programs.
- Engage volunteers within the community and build on the opportunity to include these volunteers in the programs and services that are offered.
- Maintain and enhance public events, such as the concert series, seasonal festivals, holiday events, and activity specific offerings.
- Continue to monitor and assess the resources and facilities available to provide the high level of programs to the community and actively pursue additional space and resources as required to support the recreation programs.
- Survey program participants to understand if the programs offered meet/ exceed their expectations and identify any necessary improvements to the programs. Surveys should be conducted mid-term as well as at the end of the program. Format should be online or hard copy for participants without computer access.



## 8 Create an Asset Management Plan for Improvements and Maintenance

- Continue to follow the current maintenance plan and evaluate and develop new standards for maintenance for the various types of parks and recreation facilities under management by the department.
- Annually assess the condition and needs of all recreation properties, amenities and programs offered by the town and department, and develop a list of maintenance and renovation projects system wide per year. Prioritize annual projects based on the capital budget for the year.
- Develop and implement system-wide design standards to ensure only durable products are used for construction of parks and recreation facilities and amenities.
- Provide and construct parks and recreation improvements to facilitate ease and efficiency of maintenance and safety for the parks and recreation users.
- Continue to understand and evaluate maintenance cost and staffing needs associated with the development, improvements to, and maintenance of existing and new parks and recreation amenities, and adjust the annual operating budget to meet these needs.
- Continue to foster relationships and explore new partnerships with community organizations, groups and volunteers to assist the Parks and Recreation Department with general renovations and maintenance of the parks and recreation system.

## 9 Strengthen and Enhance the Parks and Recreation Department

- Assign dedicated responsibilities, resources, and develop a phasing plan/ schedule to implement the recommendations set forth by this update to the current Parks and Recreation Master Plan.
- Continue to provide and enhance financial and staff resources needed to maintain the high standard of park and recreation facilities (i.e. parks and trails) and programs.
- Continue to foster relationships and explore new partnerships with community organizations, private partners and sponsors, and volunteers to aid and assist the Parks and Recreation Department.
- Evaluate and improve operational efficiency to provide the same high level of service that the department is known for. Evaluate the need for private contracted services or assistance as needed.
- Encourage professional development and education opportunities at a department level to strengthen knowledge and skills of the department staff and volunteers. Keep current with the evolving trends and physical, recreational, cultural, sociological, and developmental needs of the community.
- Continue to evaluate and adapt the recreation budget to accommodate the growing recreational needs and desires of the community.
- Utilize the branding recommendations included in this chapter to enhance the image of the Parks and Recreation Department and System to educate and create awareness and support within the community.
- Continually evaluate the community's views and understanding of the Parks and Recreation Department and make the required improvements and modifications to address any issues and to ensure that the department is providing the community with a high level of recreation within the town.



Harlan Fisher Park

# General Park and Recreation Improvement Recommendations

## Inclusivity and Accessibility

Throughout the project's public outreach campaign, the community identified an ongoing need to provide park and recreation amenities, services, and programs that offer a full range of opportunities geared towards inclusivity and accessibility. The town should improve ADA accessibility within the park and recreation system by providing accessible, paved pathways and trails that link to recreation amenities and features within the parks and town, incorporate inclusive play elements into the existing and all proposed play areas, and continue to build and develop recreation programs to include all members of the community.



## Identification and Wayfinding

The Town of Victor and the Parks and Recreation System can benefit from increased and enhanced signage to generate an awareness and promote the use of the parks and trail system throughout the town. Improved signage, consistent branding and appearance, more park and trail maps, and interpretive and informational signage will further the understanding and increase the enjoyment of the park and will also help to encourage additional members of the community and visitors to use the park and recreation system.



## Trails and Connections

Victor's trail network is one of the largest, diverse and most popular system within the region providing connections that link a majority of the community's park, recreation, and municipal facilities and amenities. The Parks and Recreation Department should grow and enhance their partnership with the Victor Hiking Trails, GROC, and other community organizations to increase both on-road and off-road trails and pathways to serve pedestrians, cyclists, and other non-motorized recreational and transportation needs. To achieve this the Parks and Recreation Department should identify opportunities to create a cohesive network trails utilizing both public and private lands, through permanent easements and acquisitions.

Once land has been identified and added to the network, the trails should be constructed based on their level of use:

- Minor connector trails should be single track, mown pathways that weave through wooded areas, fields and neighborhoods.
- Intermediate trails that connect minor trails to more popular trails or amenities should be single or double track, mown or paved trails.
- Major and more popular trails, including regional trails (Auburn, Lehigh Valley, and Seneca Trails), sidewalk connections and interior park loop trails should be constructed to provide a smooth and accessible walking or riding surface to compliment the character of each trail. (i.e. stone dust surfacing, asphalt pavement, or concrete pavement)



Lehigh Valley Trail Signage

## Trails and Connections, Continued

All trails and pathways should be designed and constructed to meet the current recommendations and regulations identified through the International Mountain Bicycling Association (IMBA), American Hiking Society, American Trails, or American Association of State of Highway and Transportation Officials (ASHTO), as appropriate to the trail. All current and future trails and pathways shall be maintained and all required improvements for the betterment of the system and the safety of the community shall be made. Where trails or pathways interface with roadways or vehicular routes, the crossings should be highly visible, marked, signed crossings utilizing the recommendations of Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Manual on Uniform Traffic and Control Devices (MUTCD).

Refer to Priority Project No. 2- Town Wide Connectivity in Chapter 5 for additional information and recommendations.

## Basic Park Amenities

All parks should have basic amenities to serve the needs and increase the enjoyment and comfort of the park user. These basic amenities should include seating (benches, tables with chairs, picnic tables, seat walls, etc.), drinking fountains, bike parking and racks, trash receptacles, and shade structures. Larger parks and recreation areas that are well used and popular in the community should offer larger amenities such as pavilions and large shade structures, picnic shelters and picnic areas, and large seating areas. All basic park amenities and site furnishings should be carefully selected with respect to their visual impact on the broader park landscape, the ability of the Parks Department to maintain the amenity, and should be constructed of durable, vandal resistant materials.

## Community and User Safety

Promoting and keeping the parks and other recreation facilities safe for the community is a priority for the success of recreation within the town. The safety of the community should be considered when implementing any Park and Recreation improvements. Increasing community involvement within the parks and recreation system will increase a sense of self ownership leading the community to take pride in keeping parks in their neighborhood safe. Neighborhood watch groups, in coordination with local authorities and police, can reduce crime and increase safety throughout the recreation system. Key design strategies such as clear sightlines, easy and direct access into/ out of the park, good maintenance to deter vandalism, lighting and appropriate signage can create a safer park environment.

## Athletic Fields

There has been a steady increase in organized sports groups and teams within the Town of Victor and the region in the past decade or more. With this increase in popularity the demand for athletic fields is on the rise. As indicated through the public outreach phase and in the stakeholder group interviews, the fields that are located at Victor Central School, Dryer Road, and Village on the Park do not meet the needs of the community. Based on this feedback, the Parks and recreation Department should invest in additional athletic fields within the existing parks and recreation system. The town should be responsible for providing the athletic fields and access and management of field scheduling, but should look towards the community organized sports groups to help facilitate and maintain the fields. The town should also look to continue and foster their partnership with the community organized sports



groups to provide supplementary field amenities such as covered dugouts and benches, concessions stand, field lighting, irrigation systems, bleachers, benches, score boards, as well as assist with the seasonal maintenance and upkeep for the fields.

Given the high demand for additional athletic fields within the community and Parks and Recreation System, the Citizens' Advisory Committee and Town Parks and Recreation Department selected this recommendation as one of three Priority Projects that will be explored further in this Master Plan. Refer to Priority Project No. 1 – Paparone Park and Community Recreation Center, included in Chapter 5 for additional information and recommendations.

## Promoting Education and Awareness

The land and natural environments within the Town of Victor offer the community endless opportunities to explore and learn through nature. With increased improvements to the parks and recreation system, the community will become better connected to the environment and presented with better access to experience their natural surroundings firsthand. The Parks and Recreation Department should explore the possibility to partner with community, social, and civic organizations to further enhance and provide valuable education resources and programs to the community. These organizations include, but are not limited to; Victor-Farmington Library, Victor Lyons Club, Victor Central School, Kiwanis Club of Farmington – Victor, local Girl/ Boy Scouts, and Burroughs Audubon Nature Club (BANC).

There are many locations within Victor’s parks and throughout its trail system for opportunities to provide educational and interpretive elements that provide insight into the significance of the place, highlights unique ecosystems, flora and fauna, and provides a connection between recreation and the natural environment. Outdoor spaces and parks enhance what can be learned in a classroom, in books, or through the digital world. Select natural environments should be highlighted by providing:

- Educational or interpretive signage
- Learning/ educational stations
- Outdoor classrooms
- Overlooks and boardwalks that provide access to the significant environmental features

There are currently Little Free Libraries located in various parks, trailheads and areas throughout the town and village. Additional Little Free Libraries should be provided at each park and along select trails and trail heads. Each library should have a specific theme that highlights the park or trails environmental, historic, or cultural character. The theme can be conveyed through the design of the library and/ or by the books that are supplied and requested. These features can act as interpretive elements. For example, the theme of Little Free Library at Dryer Road Park could highlight the geological/ glacially shaped past of the land, or at Lehigh Crossing Park the theme of the library could educate the community on the historical significance of the railroad and how it helped to shape the town and region.



## Individual Park Goals and Recommendations

The community made it very clear during the public outreach events and through the community interest survey that they immensely value the parks and recreation opportunities available within the town. Through their interest and input on what they would like to see in their parks and in conjunction with various stakeholder interviews and in collaboration with the Parks and Recreation Citizens’ Advisory Committee (CAC), park specific goals and recommendations were developed.

This section outlines these goals and recommendations on the following pages, including a map with a key and detailed description of the recommended improvements, a detailed description of the recommended improvements, and a supporting table listing the recommended improvement, proposed timeline for implementation, and a magnitude of probable cost estimate. Key recommended improvements are identified as a priority. These priorities are based on community and stakeholder input as well as input from the CAC and Parks and Recreation Department.

### Time Frame

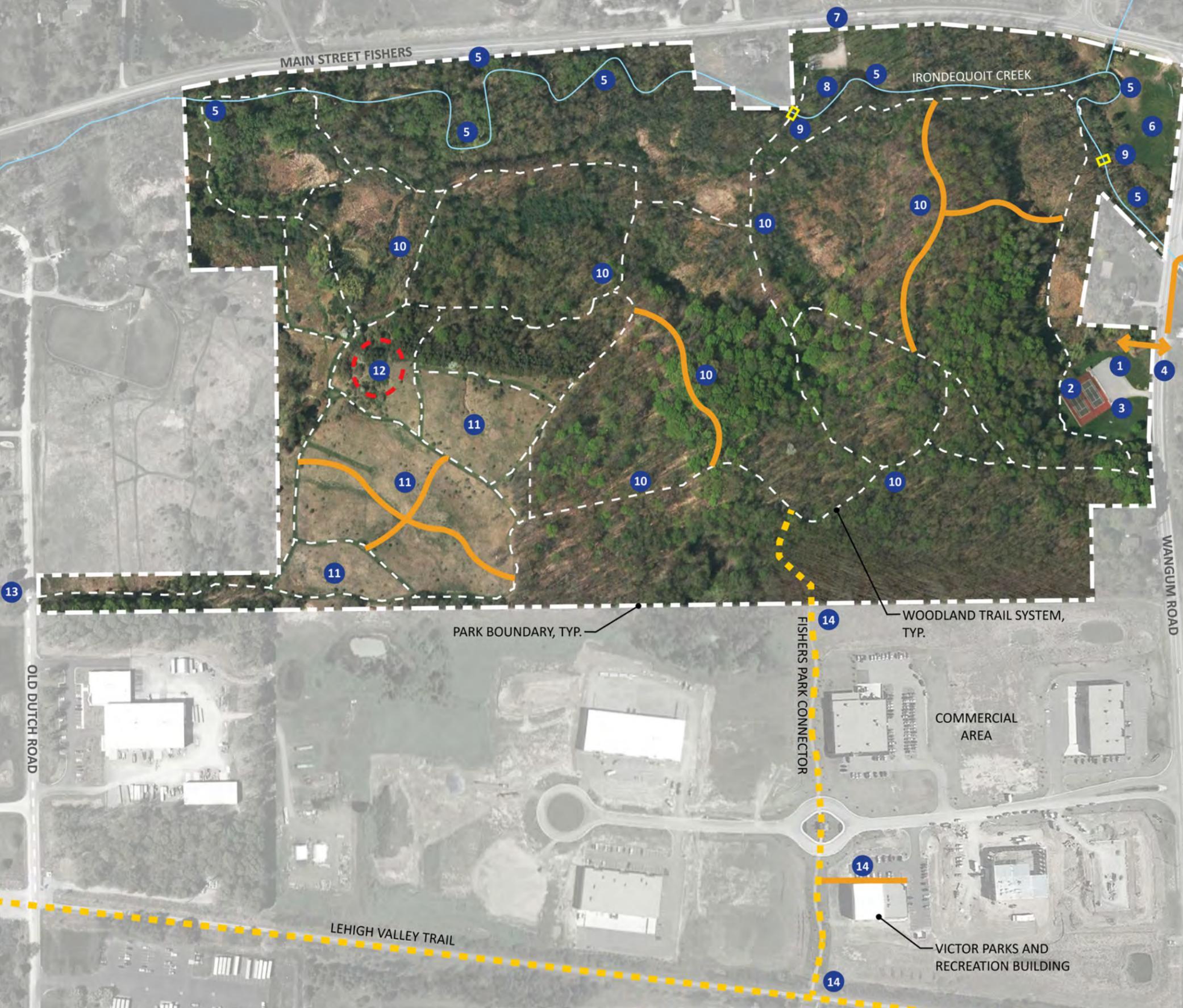
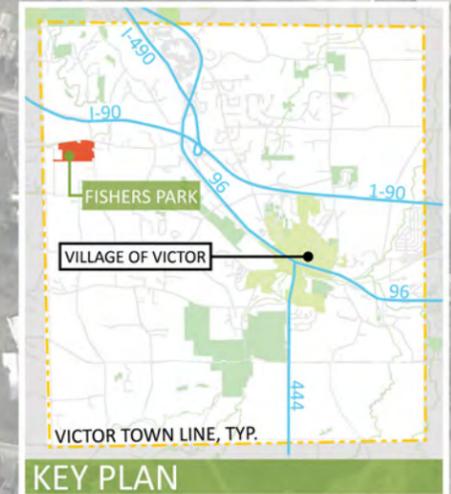
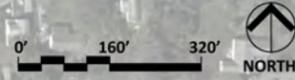
As the town moves forward to implement the recommendations identified in this plan, careful consideration shall be used to determine the priority of each recommended improvement. Many factors drive priorities, and each should be re-evaluated over time to best align with the current wants and needs of the community, available funding sources, and community growth patterns. Each recommendation should be prioritized using the following time frames:

<b>0-5 Years</b>	Short term projects that address immediate issues or opportunities. These projects can be used to continue the momentum of the planning and implementation process, showing immediate action to aid in garnering community support. Projects can be classified in this category to align with time-sensitive funding.
<b>6-10 Years</b>	Intermediate term projects that may require additional planning or funding development. These projects can build on the momentum from the short-term projects or be stand along initiatives.
<b>11-15 Years</b>	Long term generally more involved projects that require additional time for planning and fund allocation. These projects may not be as important to the community or they simply require additional time to implement.
<b>0-15 Years</b>	Ongoing projects- generally maintenance oriented- that must occur on a continuous basis or high cost projects that require further planning, community support, partnerships, and fund raising.

### Magnitude of Probable Costs

The magnitude of probable cost shown on the following park specific recommendations contains generalized planning level costs for each proposed park improvement recommendation. The information should be regarded as an “order of magnitude” projection of the likely cost, not an exact price tag. Each park recommendation and master plan are a conceptual level design that has not gone through the process of design development where many construction details are determined. It should be also noted that the cost for each park feature/ action item does not include “soft” costs, such as design and professional services, construction administration and inspection, or general design and construction contingency allowances. It should be assumed that full project costs will be 20-30% higher than the base figures provided for each item of work once soft costs and contingencies are factored in. Additionally, the estimates were based on 2019 costs, and inflation will have to be accounted for at the time of implementation.

# FISHERS PARK



## PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY

- 1 EAST ENTRANCE AND PARKING AREA
- 2 TENNIS COURT/ MULTI-SPORT ATHLETIC COURTS
- 3 PLAYGROUND AREA
- 4 TRAIL CONNECTION TO AUBURN TRAIL
- 5 IRONDEQUOIT CREEK - EROSION CONTROL (MULTIPLE AREAS)
- 6 OPEN LAWN/ FIELD AREA - NORTHEAST
- 7 NORTH ENTRANCE AND PARKING AREA
- 8 OPEN/ WOODED LAWN AND PICNIC AREA
- 9 WOODEN BRIDGE
- 10 WOODLAND TRAIL SYSTEM (EXISTING & PROPOSED)
- 11 OPEN MEADOW/ FIELD AREA
- 12 OUTDOOR CLASSROOM/ NATURAL ADVENTURE PLAY AREA
- 13 WEST TRAIL HEAD ENTRANCE AND PARKING AREA
- 14 TRAIL CONNECTION TO PARKS AND REC. CENTER

## LEGEND

- EXISTING CREEK
- EXISTING PARK TRAIL
- EXISTING BRIDGE
- EXISTING TRAIL (OUTSIDE PARK LIMITS)
- PROPOSED TRAIL
- PROPOSED SITE FEATURE

# FISHERS PARK

- 1 East Entrance and Parking Area:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing parking area by installing asphalt pavement with formal striped lines, including designated accessible spaces. Install new trees to shade the parking areas and ornamental plantings. Provide a new sign at the entrance along Wangum Road to clearly identify the park.
- 2 Tennis Court/ Basketball- Multi-Sport Athletic Court:**  
Maintain the existing tennis courts; including general crack and pavement repair, court marking repair and resurfacing, and net and pole maintenance. Repair the existing chain link fence by removing and resetting the posts that have heaved or provide new posts. Remove and reinstall the mesh as required and provide windscreen. As court pavement becomes further deteriorated it should be removed and replaced with new asphalt pavement with athletic court surfacing/ markings for tennis and pickleball. Provide a new basketball- multi-sport athletic court with perimeter chain link fencing and windscreen, directly adjacent to the existing tennis courts. Provide (2) basketball posts and goals and seating. Provide painted game lines for foursquare, skelly, hopscotch, etc.
- 3 Playground Area:**  
Community feedback indicated that the northwest region of the town is in need of a playground area. Provide a new playground area adjacent to the parking area to serve ages 2-12 by installing two play structures specific to ages 2-5 and 5-12. Install new safety surface material within the limits of the playground area as required and provide seating. Provide fencing and gates at the perimeter of the playground area. Provide a shade structure over a portion of the play equipment and plant shade trees at the perimeter to provide shade to the area.
- 4 Trail Connection to Auburn Trail:**  
Complete the link to connect the trail system of Fisher Park to the Auburn Trail to the west. Refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5, Priority Projects.
- 5 Irondequoit Creek- Erosion Control:**  
Continue to monitor the health of the creek as it passes through the park limits and identify areas of erosion control improvements as the creek evolves and implement erosion control methods as required to areas of the creek within the park limits. Methods include installing rock, log single and cross vanes, root wads, and vernal pools at key locations along the creek to help mitigate erosion and provide increased wildlife and aquatic habitat. The pools should be installed in areas that reduce negative impacts to the existing environment and trees. All erosion control improvements implemented should be in harmony with the natural environment.
- 6 Open Lawn/ Field Area- Northeast:**  
The existing open lawn/ field area should be maintained. The space can be used to host events, provide an area for informal active recreation (i.e. soccer, baseball/ softball, Frisbee, etc.) or passive recreation. Given the size and location no formal athletic fields are recommended.
- 7 North Entrance and Parking Area:**  
Install new gravel or asphalt pavement in the entry drive and parking area to reduce potholes and areas of standing water. Regrade and pitch to drain into the lawn areas (not the creek) as required. Provide marked parking spaces including designated accessible spaces. Provide a new sign at the entrance along Main St. Fishers to clearly identify the park. Maintain and enhance the pathways to the first wooden bridge that crosses the Irondequoit Creek and trail system by installing stone dust, millings or asphalt pavement.
- 8 Open/ Wooded Lawn and Picnic Area:**  
Regrade and reseed portions of the lawn area to reduce areas of standing water. Maintain lawn area and continue to assess the health of the trees and prune and remove trees as necessary. Remove and replace site furniture including picnic tables, benches, trash receptacle and barbecues. Update and replace existing informational and educational signage/ kiosk to educate the community on the special natural features existing with in the park and the path of Irondequoit Creek leading into and out of the park. Partner with local environmental education organizations and fishing enthusiasts to develop education programs within the park.
- 9 Wooden Bridges:**  
Regularly inspect the existing wooden bridges within the park for issues and address any issues that would pose a safety hazard. Perform regular maintenance, including sanding and staining (optional) the structure using products that are sensitive to the creek's ecosystem. Once the bridge has reached its usable life, replace the structure with new, sustainable materials.
- 10 Woodland Trail System (Existing and Proposed):**  
Maintain and enhance the existing trail system by working with Victor Hiking Trails and other community organizations to perform regular maintenance and care for the existing trail system including pruning of trees and plants, maintenance of markers and blazes, and addressing wet and muddy areas by installing planking or boardwalk structures. Provide new trail links that connect with the existing trails providing new experiences within the park. Provide benches in key viewing and resting locations along the trail system.
- 11 Open Meadow/ Field Area:**  
Preserve the open meadows and fields that make Fishers Park a destination for experiencing the town's diverse natural environments. Perform regular maintenance on the existing mown pathway network and provide new trails that connect to the existing providing new experiences and views to the park users. Maintain and provide new directional/ trail signs.
- 12 Outdoor Classroom- Adventure Play Area:**  
Utilize the existing topography and natural features to provide an outdoor classroom and adventure play area providing the park users the opportunity to learn about the natural environment, plants and wildlife that are found within the park and the region, and utilize natural materials to encourage play. Provide features that encourage the user to play and build using natural elements, including logs, rocks, vines, soils and sand. Provide a simple rope or climbing course and seating.
- 13 West Trail Head Entrance and Parking Area:**  
Provide a gravel or paved formal parking area for 3-5 vehicles off Old Dutch Road. Provide a new sign at the entrance along Old Dutch Road to clearly identify the park and an information sign/ kiosk with a trail map and information on the opportunities within the park.
- 14 Trail Connection to Parks and Recreation Building and Lehigh Valley Trail:**  
Maintain and enhance the connection between Fishers Park and the Parks and Recreation Building and Lehigh Valley Trail to the south through general maintenance of the stone dust pavement. Provide additional signage along Lehigh Valley Trail and at the Parks and Recreation Building informing the community of the connection to Fishers Park. Provide a dedicated trail from the Parks and Recreation Building entry to the Fishers Trail link.

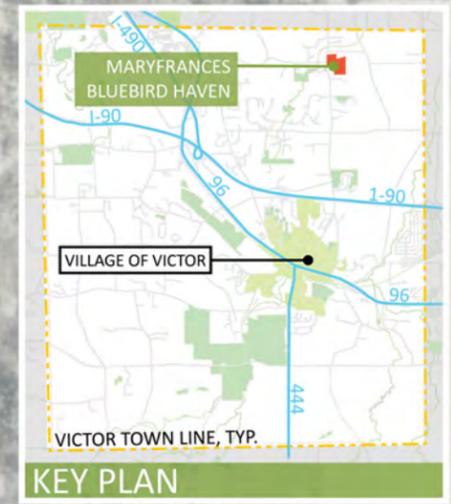
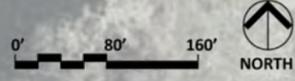
# FISHERS PARK: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
1. East Entrance and Parking Area	6-10 YEARS	\$70,00.00
2. Tennis Court/ Basketball- Multi-sport Athletic Court	0-15 YEARS	\$181,000.00
<b>P</b> 3. Playground Area	0-5 YEARS	\$187,000.00
4. Trail Connection to Auburn Trail	0-5 YEARS	\$2,500.00
<b>P</b> 5. Irondequoit Creek- Erosion Control	0-5 YEARS	\$60,000.00
6. Open Lawn/ Field Area- Northeast	0-15 YEARS	\$12,000.00
<b>P</b> 7. North Entrance and Parking Area	0-5 YEARS	\$22,000.00
8. Open/ Wooded Lawn and Picnic Area	0-10 YEARS	\$43,500.00
9. Wooden Bridges	0-15 YEARS	\$1,500.00
10. Woodland Trail System (Existing and Proposed)	0-15 YEARS	\$27,500.00
11. Open Meadow/ Field Area	0-15 YEARS	\$7,000.00
12. Outdoor Classroom- Adventure Play Area	6-10 YEARS	\$74,000.00
13. West Trail Head Entrance and Parking Area	6-10 YEARS	\$24,000.00
14. Trail Connection to Parks and Recreation Building and Lehigh Valley Trail	0-10 YEARS (Pending potential re-location)	\$7,000.00

**P** = Priority Improvement

*\*Refer to the Magnitude of Probable Cost Statement on Page 109 for additional information.*

# MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN



- PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**
- 1 MAIN ENTRANCE - REALIGNMENT
  - 2 PARKING AREA - BLUEBIRD TRAIL
  - 3 MONKEY RUN TRAIL CONNECTION & ACCESS
  - 4 ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION AREA/ MEADOW TRAILS
  - 5 BLUEBIRD TRAIL
  - 6 TRAIL CONNECTION TO VILLAGE ON THE PARK/ AREAS SOUTH
  - 7 MAIN PARKING AREA (BUTLER COTTAGE)
  - 8 OUTDOOR CLASSROOM/ SHELTER
  - 9 COMMUNITY GARDEN
  - 10 POND AND DOCK AREA
  - 11 ARBORETUM AND TRAIL SYSTEM
  - 12 BUTLER COTTAGE/ EDUCATION CENTER

- LEGEND**
- - - EXISTING PARK TRAIL (MOWN)
  - EXISTING TRAIL
  - PROPOSED TRAIL (MOWN PATH)
  - PROPOSED TRAIL (PAVED PATH)
  - PROPOSED PAVED TRAIL (IN PLACE OF EXISTING TRAIL)
  - ▤ PROPOSED ROAD CROSSING
  - ▭ PROPOSED ENTRANCE DRIVE
  - ▤ PROPOSED SITE FEATURE

# MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN

- 1 Main Entrance- Realignment:**  
Remove existing asphalt driveway and gravel parking area and realign the main park entry drive with Valentown Road. Connect the new asphalt entry drive to the existing and provide a widened entry along County Road 9/ Victor Egypt Road. The realigned entry drive will create a safer condition limiting conflicts with traffic entering Victor Egypt Road from Valentown Road. Provide a highly visible, marked and signed pedestrian cross walk leading from the Blue Bird Trail to a new connector trail along Victor Egypt road that links the Monkey Run Trails West of the park. Coordinate with the required utility agencies to relocate any conflicting utility services, poles, or structures as needed. Provide a new main park sign adjacent to the realigned entry drive.
- 2 Parking Area at the Bluebird Trail:**  
With the realignment of the main entry drive a new parking area should be constructed to service the Bluebird Trail and the Monkey Trails to the west utilizing the proposed connection. Remove the existing gravel parking area and install an asphalt parking area along the realigned entry drive with room for 5-7 vehicles. Provide an asphalt or stone dust pathway/ trail connection to the Bluebird Trail. Provide evergreen and ornamental plantings to screen the parking area from the road and the interior portions of the park. Provide a new informational kiosk with park trail map adjacent to the new parking area and trail head.
- 3 Monkey Run Trail Connection and Access:**  
Provide a new trail/ pathway connection to link the Bluebird Trail to the Monkey Run Trail. New pathway/ trail shall be asphalt or stone dust pavement and travel within the Country Right of Way at the Valentown Road Crossing leading south to connect to the trail head at the parking area along Springdale Court. Resurface the existing parking area at Springdale Court with new gravel/ millings or asphalt to create 6-8 formal parking spaces. Provide new signage to identify the parking area and trail system and kiosk with trail map and wayfinding information.
- 4 Environmental Education Areas/ Meadow Trails:**  
Preserve and enhance the pastoral meadows and mown trail system throughout the main fields of the park. These spaces enhance the park and make it a "Special Experience Park". Promote the diversely rich natural environments and wildlife that make this park special by providing educational stations and interpretive information signage/ kiosks throughout the mown trail system. Partner with local environmental organizations and the school to assist in developing the content. Continue to mow meadow trail system and make improvements where trails are wet, by adding soil and/ or installing drainage. Provide additional nesting areas/ bird houses and improvements to wildlife habitat, including native plantings, increasing cover areas (i.e. brush/ log piles, areas of dense plantings, etc.), and food sources/ fruiting native shrubs and trees. Provide benches in select area along the meadow trail system.
- 5 Bluebird Trail:**  
Preserve, maintain and enhance the Bluebird Trail that winds around the perimeter of the park and install stone dust pavement in the location of existing mown paths. Provide drainage and boardwalk improvements in wet locations. Provide a trail connection alongside of the existing entry drive to link with the Butler Cottage and the pond. The "paved" trail will provide a walking loop that will allow ease of use for all members of the community.
- 6 Trail Connection to Village on the Park/ Areas South:**  
Provide a link from the Bluebird Trail to Village on the Park and points south by a proposed trail, refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5, Priority Projects.
- 7 Main Parking Area (Butler Cottage):**  
Enhance and formalize the main parking area adjacent to the Butler Cottage by providing marked parking spaces and install a center planted island with native plantings and shade trees to break up the paved parking area. Provide (4) designated accessible spaces located adjacent to the Butler Cottage.
- 8 Outdoor Classroom/ Shelter:**  
Provide a shelter set on a concrete pad to serve as an outdoor classroom or meeting space geared towards hosting events that highlight the natural features and wildlife abundant throughout the park and the region. Provide interpretive signage and environmental information to educate the park user. Partner with the school and community environmental organizations to educate the community on the importance of land stewardship, public environmental education and awareness and the importance of nature and open space in the community.
- 9 Community Garden:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing community garden and provide additional garden plots as requested to fulfill the demands of the community. Provide or construct a garden shed or potting building to service the community garden. Provide a permanent fence and gate system at the perimeter of the garden and provide additional fencing and gates as required by the expansion of the garden. Provide an area adjacent to the garden for composting and soil storage.
- 10 Pond and Dock Area:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing pond and dock structure by removing existing invasive plants at the edge of the pond and planting native plant material that will aid in inhibiting invasive plant species and provide additional wildlife habitat at pond edge. Continuously monitor the water quality of the pond and address as required by providing aeration and oxygenation through the use of electric aerators and oxygenation systems and natural plant material. Monitor and provide additional fish to the pond as required. Perform monthly inspections and general maintenance on the dock structure to address any issues. Regularly sand and stain (optional) dock structure using products that are sensitive to the pond's ecosystem.
- 11 Arboretum and Trail System:**  
Utilize the southwestern corner of the park and provide a dedicated area for an arboretum, highlighting native trees found within the region and throughout the northeast. The arboretum will be a great teaching and educational resource. Install a trail network through the arboretum that provides access to all areas of the arboretum. Develop partnerships with the school and other community organizations to aid in educating the community on the stewardship of the land and the importance of trees in the environment.
- 12 Butler Cottage/ Educational Center:**  
The Butler Cottage is a major asset to the community and should be preserved and maintained to service the needs of the community. General maintenance on the exterior and interior of the building shall be performed. No major issues with the building are apparent. Partner with the school and community environmental organizations to develop an Environmental Education Center within the existing cottage or expand the structure to include a dedicated environmental education center that provides the community with the opportunity to learn of the importance to the natural environment in the community through a classroom setting with supporting stations or exhibits highlighting the resources and experience that are available in the park and throughout the region.

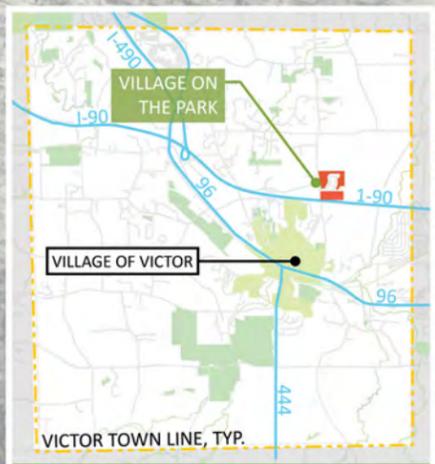
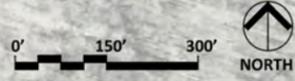
# MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

	Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
P	1. Main Entrance Realignment	0-5 YEARS	\$84,000.00
P	2. Parking Area at the Bluebird Trail	0-5 YEARS	\$45,000.00
	3. Monkey Run Trail Connection and Access	6-10 YEARS	\$26,000.00
	4. Environmental Education Areas/ Meadow Trails	6-10 YEARS	\$43,000.00
P	5. Bluebird Trail	0-5 YEARS	\$115,000.00
P	6. Trail Connection to Village on the Park/ Areas South	0-10 YEARS	\$4,000.00
	7. Main Parking Area (Butler Cottage)	6-10 YEARS	\$12,000.00
	8. Outdoor Classroom/ Shelter	6-10 YEARS	\$80,000.00
	9. Community Garden	6-10 YEARS	\$30,000.00
	10. Pond and Dock Area	0-15 YEARS	\$8,000.00
	11. Arboretum and Trail System	0-15 YEARS	\$39,000.00
	12. Butler Cottage/ Educational Center	0-10 YEARS	\$34,000.00 (within existing footprint of the cottage)

**P = Priority Improvement**

*\*Refer to the Magnitude of Probable Cost Statement on Page 109 for additional information.*

# VILLAGE ON THE PARK



KEY PLAN

## PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY

- 1 NEW PARK ENTRY ON VICTOR-EGYPT ROAD W/ ACCESS DRIVE
- 2 NEW PARKING AREAS & SERVICE DRIVES
- 3 ATHLETIC FIELDS (NATURAL & SYNTHETIC TURFS)
- 4 DOG PARK AREA
- 5 MULTI-SPORT ATHLETIC COURT
- 6 PAVILION
- 7 FORMALIZED PARK ACCESS TRAILS AND ROUTES
- 8 EXPANDED TRAIL NETWORK AT WOODED AREA
- 9 TRAIL CONNECTION TO MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN
- 10 ENTRY SIGN & WAYFINDING MAP
- 11 SIDEWALK AND TRAIL LINK
- 12 FORMALIZE PARKING AND TRAIL HEAD AT VICTOR-EGYPT ROAD
- 13 EXISTING MEADOW TRAIL SYSTEM
- 14 EXISTING PLAY AND PICNIC AREA & SLEDDING HILL
- 15 TRAIL CONNECTION TO VICTOR-EGYPT RD. (SOUTH)
- 16 TRAIL CONNECTION TO VICTOR-EGYPT RD. (NORTH)

LEGEND	
	EXISTING PARK TRAIL
	PROPOSED TRAIL
	PROPOSED SITE FEATURES
	PROPOSED DRIVE



REFER TO TOWN-WIDE CONNECTIVITY PLANS IN CHAPTER 5: PRIORITY PROJECTS FOR VICTOR-EGYPT ROAD TRAIL

ANTON RISE ROAD

ALDRIDGE ROAD

EXISTING OPEN FIELD / MEADOW AREA WITH MOWN PATHS

SLEDDING HILL

DUCK HOLLOW

SETTERS RUN

DUCK HOLLOW

NEW PAVILION WITH RESTROOM AND MAINTENANCE

POND SIDE CIRCLE

RAINBOW RUN

I-90 THRUWAY

"ACTIVE RECREATION ZONE"

RAVENWOOD GOLF CLUB

LANE ROAD

# VILLAGE ON THE PARK

- 1 New Park Entry on Victor Egypt Road with Access Drive:**  
Provide a dedicated park entry drive to the South of the existing entry at Duck Hollow for access to the "Active Recreation Zone" along the south side of the park and adjacent to the NYS Thruway. Clearing of existing trees and vegetation, and regrading of the site will be required. New asphalt pavement should be installed leading to the new parking area. Provide park and informational signage at new entry.
- 2 New Parking Areas and Service Drives:**  
Provide new and dedicated parking areas to serve the "Active Recreation Zone" in the south section of the park. One parking area should be located to the west end of the zone and the other to the east end. Parking areas shall be gravel or asphalt pavement. Provide access roads linking the parking area to the entry and parking area at Rainbow Run. Parking areas should plan for a total of 50-75 vehicles each with 3-4 accessible spaces, or as required.
- 3 Athletic Fields (Natural and Synthetic Turf):**  
Maintain and enhance the (2) existing soccer fields located in the "Active Recreation Zone" and provide (3) additional soccer fields. Clearing of existing trees and vegetation and regrading and earthwork will be required. A new underdrain system should be provided to adequately drain the fields. Synthetic turf should be explored for at least one, if not all the new fields. This will allow the community to use the fields in the early and late part of the season when other fields are unable to be used given the wet weather experienced in the spring months.
- 4 Dog Park Area:**  
Provide a fenced and formal dog park area for use by the Village on the Park development and community. The dog park shall include an ornamental fence with entry gate, trees and plantings installed along the perimeter to screen the area from the surrounding park and to provide shade to the dog park area, and benches and trash receptacles for the users. Provide a water fountain and hose bib for general clean up. Seek partnership opportunities for the general oversight and maintenance of the dog park.
- 5 Athletic Court:**  
Provide a new basketball- multi-sport athletic court with perimeter chain link fencing and windscreen in the "Active Recreation Zone". Provide (2) basketball posts and goals, and seating. Explore the opportunity of converting the court to an ice rink during the winter months. Provide painted game lines for foursquare, skelly, hopscotch, etc.
- 6 Pavilion with Restroom and Maintenance Storage:**  
Provide a new 1,500-1,700 square foot pavilion with areas for picnic tables and seating. A portion of the structure shall include restrooms, drinking fountains and room for storage of maintenance equipment.
- 7 Park Access Trails and Routes:**  
Utilize the existing public easements to provide a formal access trail or pathway linking the sidewalk network along Duck Hollow, Setters Run, and Pond Side Circle with the active and passive recreational opportunities within the park. Provide a new trail or pathway that connects from Victor Egypt Road, linking the amenities in the "Active Recreation Zone" and to the park wide trail network. Provide new plantings and trees to screen the adjacent residential properties.
- 8 Expanded Trail Network in Wooded Area:**  
Provide new trails that link the existing trail network within the park to the wooded and pond area to the east side of the park. The trail should be a mown/ cleared trail that links to various environmentally interesting elements within the wooded area, including wetland areas, streams, and areas of native trees. Provide signage and a trail map at the trail head to the north and south of the area.
- 9 Trail Connection to MaryFrances Bluebird Haven/ Areas North:**  
Provide a link from the trail system within the park to MaryFrances Bluebird Haven and points north by a proposed trail, refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects
- 10 Park Entry Sign and Wayfinding Kiosk:**  
Provide a park entry sign clearly identifying the driveway as the entry drive to Village on the Park and a park informational kiosk and wayfinding map identifying the areas that are public parklands and a trail map showing the connections throughout the park. During the public outreach events many community members were not aware of this park.
- 11 Sidewalk – Trail Link:**  
Provide a direct link between the trail network in the meadow area to the sidewalks of the housing development at the main entry at Duck Hollow. Trail shall be a paved/ stone dust trail leading from the sidewalk, through the public right of way, to the mown meadow trails.
- 12 Parking and Trail Head at Victor-Egypt Road:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing entry drive along Victor-Egypt Road and provide a formal driveway and parking area for 5-10 cars, with one being an accessible space. The entry drive and parking area should be gravel or asphalt pavement. Install a trail head sign or kiosk to provide the park user with information on the trail network and offerings within the park.
- 13 Existing Meadow Trail System:**  
Preserve the open meadows and fields that make this area of Village on the Park special. Perform regular maintenance on the existing mown pathway network and provide new trails that connect to the existing to provide new experiences and views to the park users.
- 14 Picnic and Play Area:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing picnic and play area. Perform regular inspections on the existing play equipment, swing set and mulch safety surfacing, and repair and replenish the mulch as required. Within the next 7-10 years the play equipment will need to be replaced. When equipment is replaced install new rubberized safety surface within the play zone. Provide play features that promote inclusive/ accessible play, including additional swings, at-ground play panels, and ramped landings. Perform regular maintenance on the existing gazebo, including sanding and staining (optional) of all wood, replacing damaged boards, and installing a new shingled roof. Remove and replace all site furniture with new, including picnic tables, benches, trash receptacles, and barbecue grills.
- 15 Trail Connection to Victor-Egypt Road (South):**  
Provide a link from the trail system within the park to points south, refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects.
- 16 Trail Connection to Victor-Egypt Road (North):**  
Provide a link from the trail system within the park to points north, refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects.

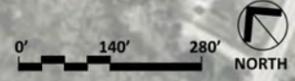
# VILLAGE ON THE PARK: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

	Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
P	1. New Park Entry on Victor Egypt Road with Access Drive	0-5 YEARS	\$164,000.00
P	2. New Parking Areas and Service Drives (Asphalt Pavement)	0-10 YEARS	\$440,000.00
P	3. Athletic Fields (Natural and Synthetic Turf)- Each	0-10 YEARS	\$375,000.00 (Natural Turf) \$1,500,000.00 (Synthetic Turf)
P	4. Dog Park Area	0-5 YEARS	\$100,000.00
	5. Athletic Court	6-10 YEARS	\$140,000.00
	6. Pavilion with Restrooms and Maintenance Storage	0-10 YEARS	\$175,000.00
	7. Park Access Trails and Routes	0-15 YEARS	\$70,000.00
	8. Expanded Trail Network in Wooded Area	0-15 YEARS	\$33,000.00
P	9. Trail Connection to MaryFrances Bluebird Haven/ Areas North	0-10 YEARS	\$4,100.00
P	10. Park Entry Sign and Wayfinding Kiosk	0-5 YEARS	\$10,000.00
	11. Sidewalk – Trail Link	0-5 YEARS	\$15,000.00
	12. Parking and Trail Head at Victor-Egypt Road	6-10 YEARS	\$47,500.00
P	13. Existing Meadow Trail System	0-15 YEARS	\$2,600.00
	14. Picnic and Play Area	0-10 YEARS	\$18,000.00
	15. Trail Connection to Victor-Egypt Road (South)	0-10 YEARS	\$2,700.00
	16. Trail Connection to Victor-Egypt Road (North)	0-10 YEARS	\$2,700.00

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# LEHIGH CROSSING PARK



- PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**
- 1 MAIN ENTRY ON RT. 251/ VICTOR MENDON RD.
  - 2 PICNIC AND PARKING AREA - SOUTHEAST
  - 3 NEW PARKING AREA - CENTRAL
  - 4 NEW ACCESS DRIVE AND PARKING AREA - NORTHWEST
  - 5 LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL EXTENSION AND CROSSING
  - 6 NEW FISHING DOCK AND EXISTING POND
  - 7 OUTDOOR CLASSROOM/ EDUCATION AREA
  - 8 OPEN LAWN AREA
  - 9 ADDITIONAL TRAILS/ CONNECTIONS/ STATIONS
  - 10 RT. 251/ VICTOR MENDON ROAD TRAIL CROSSINGS
  - 11 AUBURN - SENECA - LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL LINK
  - 12 WOOD DECKED BRIDGE



- LEGEND**
- - - EXISTING PARK TRAIL
  - EXISTING CREEK
  - - - EXISTING TRAIL
  - PROPOSED TRAIL
  - ▤ PROPOSED ROAD CROSSING
  - PROPOSED BRIDGE
  - ▤ PROPOSED SITE FEATURES



ACCESS DRIVE WITH PARKING AREA FROM OMNITECH

PARK BOUNDARY, TYP.

ROUTE 251 (VICTOR MENDON RD.)

SENECA TRAIL TO THE VILLAGE AND AUBURN TRAIL

TROLLEY TRAIL TO RAWSON ROAD  
AUBURN TRAIL

AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL TO RT. 251

FINGER LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE

VICTOR MENDON ROAD

# LEHIGH CROSSING PARK

- 1 Main Entry on Rt. 251/ Victor Mendon Road:**  
Create a formal park entrance along Rt. 251/ Victor Mendon Road that clearly identifies the access drive as the main entry to the park. Provide an expanded entrance with width for two-way traffic, reuse or provide a new park sign and provide planting beds and trees to highlight the entry and to shield the above-ground utility structures. The entry should entice visitors to explore the park. Maintain and enhance the main entry drive- regularly resurface and regrade gravel drive or install asphalt pavement to the parking area (east)
- 2 Picnic and Parking Area – Southeast:**  
Maintain or enhance parking area by regularly resurfacing the gravel pavement or installing new asphalt pavement. Provide striped/ marked parking spaces and include 1-2 designated accessible spaces. Clear vegetation and provide a level paved area for picnicking, including a small picnic shelter, picnic tables, and trash receptacles. Reuse or provide a new park Informational sign/ kiosk to provide information and a trail map for the park users.
- 3 New Parking Area – Central:**  
Provide seasonal access utilizing the existing service road to the central park area. Resurface the existing gravel access drive and provide a small gravel parking area for 5-7 vehicles, one space being accessible. Clear vegetation and/ or regrade lawn areas to provide a level paved area for picnicking, including a small picnic shelter, picnic tables, and trash receptacles. Reuse or provide a new park informational sign/ kiosk to provide information and a trail map for the park users. Install male and female composting toilets adjacent to the picnic area.
- 4 New Access Drive and Parking Area – Northwest:**  
Coordinate with the owners of the Omnitech Commercial Development (MCA Group, LLC) to provide permanent access from Omnitech Place to the northwest corner of the park through the commercial development. Clear a portion of the park land or coordinate with Omnitech and provide a small gravel parking area with room for 5-7 vehicles, one space being accessible, providing access to the park's trail system through the existing Auburn- Dryer Connector/ Trolley Trails.
- 5 Lehigh Valley Trail Extension and Crossing:**  
Extend the Lehigh Valley Trail to provide a connection across Rt. 251/ Victor-Mendon Road, into the proposed sidewalk/ bike lane system for the proposed local road. Refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects. Coordinate with the current owners of the historic rail-bed to secure a dedicated trail easement. Continue stone dust pavement through expanded section of the trail. Provide additional signage at the connection to Rt. 251/ Victor-Mendon Road to inform the community of the trail and connections.
- 6 New Fishing Dock and Existing Pond:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing pond by removing the invasive plants at the edge of the pond and planting native plant material that will aid in inhibiting invasive plant species and provide additional wildlife habitat at pond edge. Partner with local environmental organizations and local and State agencies to deepen areas of the pond allowing for a more diverse community of aquatic life, and stock the pond with fish. Continuously monitor the water quality of the pond and address as required by providing aeration and oxygenation through the use of electric aerators and oxygenation systems and natural plant material. Monitor and provide additional fish to the pond as required. Provide a new fishing dock/ structure to promote catch and release fishing and for wildlife viewing and observation. Perform monthly inspections and general maintenance on the dock structure to address any issues. Regularly sand and stain (optional) dock structure using products that are sensitive to the pond's ecosystem.
- 7 Outdoor Classroom/ Education Area:**  
Utilize cleared open space adjacent to the open lawn area and Lehigh Valley Trail to create an outdoor classroom and education stations to provide information on the rich and diverse natural environment existing within the park and the region. Provide a wooden shelter set on a concrete pad with room to host small gatherings/ classes and include supporting interpretive signage and information kiosks. Provide benches, tables and trash receptacles to service the shelter.
- 8 Open Lawn Area:**  
Preserve, maintain and enhance the existing open lawn area in the center of the park which provides a great vista to the pond and trail system within the park. Use sustainable and environmentally friendly treatments on the lawn and maintain regularly.
- 9 Additional Trails, Connections and Stations:**  
Provide new trails that link the existing trail network within the park that highlight the park's rich and diverse natural environments. The trail should be a mown/ cleared trail that links to various environmentally interesting elements including wetland areas, streams, open meadows and areas of native trees. Maintain existing and provide new wooden boardwalks and overlook/ view areas and provide new stations with interpretive signage in areas of interest and boardwalks/ bridges over streams and wetland areas. Provide signage and a trail map at all major trail heads and smaller markers and or blazes at all minor trail heads or crossings.
- 10 Rt. 251/ Victor-Mendon Road Trail Crossings:**  
Provide traffic safety measures to alert drivers of the Auburn, Trolley, Seneca, Auburn-Dryer Connector and Lehigh Valley Trail crossings along Rt. 251. Combine the trail crossings into three, highly visible crossings: one at the southern end of Lehigh Crossing Park for the Auburn and Trolley Trails, one at the Rt. 96 local street connector improvements route for the Lehigh Valley Trail and Seneca Trails, and one at the intersection of Rt. 251 and the Auburn-Dryer Connector Trail. Proposed improvements include highly visible pavement markings and signage (potentially flashing) in advance of the crossings to the northeast of the Cork Road intersection and to the south of the Rt. 96 Intersection/ light to alert motorists of the blind crossings ahead. Refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects.
- 11 Auburn – Seneca – Lehigh Valley Trail Link:**  
Provide an off-road link between the Auburn Trail/ Trolley Trail to the Seneca trail. The trail shall be constructed of asphalt pavement and be located behind the vehicular guardrail. Bridging of a stream or culvert may be required. Refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5, Priority Projects.
- 12 Wood Decked Bridge:**  
Provide a wood decked bridge that spans between the existing concrete abutments on either side of the Lehigh Valley Trail. Bridge will link the park with the Trolley Trail to the north over the Lehigh Valley Trail.

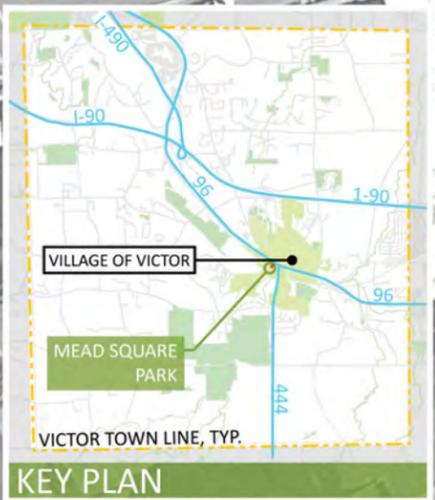
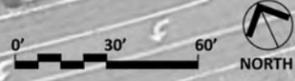
# LEHIGH CROSSING PARK: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

	Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
P	1. Main Entry on Rt. 251/ Victor Mendon Road	0-5 YEARS	\$90,000.00
	2. Picnic and Parking Area – Southeast	6-10 YEARS	\$60,000.00
P	3. New Parking Area – Central	0-5 YEARS	\$30,000.00
P	4. New Access Drive and Parking Area – Northwest	0-10 YEARS	\$18,000.00
	5. Lehigh Valley Trail Extension and Crossing	6-10 YEARS	\$40,500.00
	6. New Fishing Dock and Existing Pond	0-10 YEARS	\$10,000.00
P	7. Outdoor Classroom/ Education Station	0-5 YEARS	\$90,000.00
	8. Open Lawn Area	0-15 YEARS	\$15,000.00
	9. Expanded Trails, Connections and Stations	0-15 YEARS	\$65,000.00
P	10. Rt. 251/ Victor -Mendon Road Trail Crossings	0-5 YEARS	\$8,000.00
	11. Auburn – Seneca – Lehigh Valley Trail Link	0-5 YEARS	\$11,000.00
P	12. Wood Decked Bridge	0-5 YEARS	\$50,000.00

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# MEAD SQUARE PARK



- PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**
- 1 WEST MAIN STREET ENTRY
  - 2 SOUTH ENTRY AND AUBURN TRAIL KIOSK
  - 3 CENTRAL GATHERING AREA
  - 4 EXPANDED PARK LIMITS
  - 5 LAND AQUISITION
  - 6 VILLAGE - PARK CONNECTIVITY

- LEGEND**
- - - EXISTING PARK SIDEWALK
  - PROPOSED TRAIL
  - PROPOSED PARK EXPANSION



# MEAD SQUARE PARK

- 1 West Main Street Entry:**  
Enhance the pedestrian entry to the park along Main Street to promote the park and clearly identify the space as a public amenity through increased signage, specialty paving materials and partner with the Victor Garden Club to provide enhanced (in-ground) plantings or container plantings. Provide additional amenities such as bike parking, trash receptacles and seating along Main Street.
- 2 South Entry and Auburn Trail Kiosk:**  
Provide a small entry plaza within the lawn and parking area with specialized paving. Utilize the existing information kiosk in the new design and provide interpretive elements within the paving. Provide an accessible entrance from the parking area to the park.
- 3 Central Gathering Area:**  
Create a gathering place within the center of the park that will draw the community to the space for opportunities to listen to music during the day or evening, view performances throughout the year, or gather for a special event. Provide additional paved space with a covered pavilion or arbor and include additional seating (benches, café style tables and chairs, stone or concrete seatwalls) and trash receptacles. Promote the park as an entertainment destination for the village and community. Partner with the Victor Local Development Corporation to partner on events.
- 4 Expanded Park Limits:**  
Review the potential to expand the limits of the park into the existing parking area. Expansion of the park will present an opportunity to provide additional amenities to the community and village, including additional gathering spaces for entertainment, an area for café style seating and food vendors, space for special events such as Farmers Markets and festivals, and additional lawn and planting areas in the heart of the village. Coordination with the village will be required.
- 5 Land Acquisition:**  
Evaluate the potential to acquire vacant lot at the corner of School Street and Adams Road for active or passive recreation. Potential offerings may include a dedicated space/ park for farmers markets, food vendors, or entertainment, a village/ community dog park, or a satellite/ village based Parks and Recreation building/ facility.
- 6 Village – Park Connectivity:**  
Provide dedicated pedestrian walkways that connect the park to areas of community interest within the village, including the Auburn Trail and sidewalk system on Maple Avenue, the potential bike and pedestrian trail and sidewalk system included with the potential local street connection from Rt. 251, and to the potential additional parcel along School Street and Adams Street.

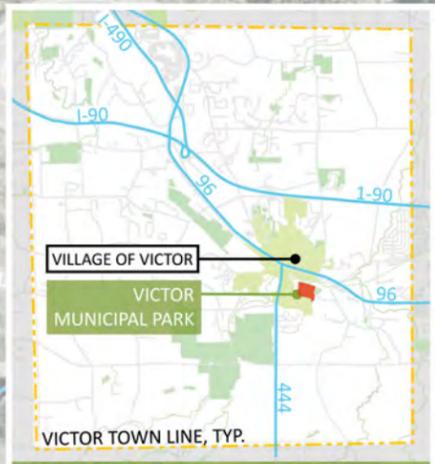
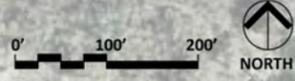
# MEAD SQUARE PARK: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

	Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
<b>P</b>	<b>1. West Main Street Entry</b>	0-5 YEARS	\$24,000.00
<b>P</b>	<b>2. South Entry and Auburn Trail Kiosk</b>	6-10 YEARS	\$20,000.00
<b>P</b>	<b>3. Central Gathering Area</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$58,500.00
	<b>4. Expanded Park Limits</b>	11-15 YEARS	\$10,000.00
	<b>5. Land Acquisition</b>	0-15 YEARS	\$ N/A
	<b>6. Village – Park Connectivity</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$30,000.00

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# VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK



**LEGEND**

- EXISTING BROOK
- - - EXISTING PARK TRAIL
- EXISTING TRAIL
- PROPOSED TRAIL
- PROPOSED ROAD CROSSING
- PROPOSED SITE FEATURES
- PROPOSED SPLASH PAD
- PROPOSED DRIVE/ PARKING

**PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**

- 1** SPLASH PAD (A OR B)
- 2** PLAY AREA PAVILION/ PICNIC AREA
- 3** EXISTING PLAYGROUND ENHANCEMENTS
- 4** EXPANDED TRAIL NETWORK/ BOARDWALK CONNECTIONS
- 5** MAINTAIN & ENHANCE PARKING AREA
- 6** EXPANDED PARKING AREA
- 7** NATURE PLAY AREA/ OUTDOOR CLASSROOM
- 8** MULTI-SPORT COURT
- 9** POND TREATMENT
- 10** PARK ACCESS ROAD
- 11** EXISTING TRAIL CONNECTION TO ELLIS STREET
- 12** TRAIL LOOP
- 13** TRAIL CONNECTION TO AUBURN TRAIL



CONNECTION TO SAINT PATRICK'S CIRCLE AND VILLAGE / MAPLE AVE.

ONTARIO CENTRAL RAILROAD

ROUTE 96 (E MAIN STREET)

FUTURE CONNECTION TO POTENTIAL LOCAL ROAD/ PEDESTRIAN-BIKE ROUTE

VICTOR SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT

PARK BOUNDARY, TYP.

SERENITY HOUSE (HOSPICE)

JACOB'S LANDING

DORCHESTER PARK HOUSING DEVELOPMENT

BRACE ROAD

# VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK

- 1 Splash Pad:**  
Provide a new splash pad area adjacent to the existing park lodge and playground area. Utilize the existing water source at the lodge. The splash pad should include 5-7 water features on a concrete base with specialized non-slip safety surface treatment. Expended water will be drained and not recirculated. Two location options are presented on the plan. Final location to be evaluated during the design phase. Determining factors include; ease of utility connections, program, and size of splash pad area desired.
- 2 Play Area Pavilion and Picnic Area:**  
Provide a picnic pavilion on concrete pad to service the existing playground area. Structure shall be large enough to house 15-30 park users. Provide picnic tables, benches and trash receptacles and pathway connection to existing playground.
- 3 Existing Playground Enhancements:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing and well used playground area and fitness equipment. Regularly inspect and repair existing equipment and maintain plastic edging and ramps, and supplement mulch safety surface as required to maintain a safe play environment. Provide additional play features that promote inclusive/ accessible play, including additional swings, at-ground play panels, and ramped landings. Provide a shade structure to shield portions of the play equipment from the sun while existing shade trees grow and develop. As budget allows, provide rubberized safety surfacing to entire play area.
- 4 Expanded Trail Network/ Boardwalk Connections:**  
Provide new trails that connect to the existing trail network within the park, highlighting the park's rich and diverse natural environments. The trails should be mown/ cleared trails linking to various environmentally interesting elements including wetland areas, streams, open meadows, and areas of native trees. Maintain existing wooden boardwalks and overlook/ view areas and provide new stations with interpretive signage in areas of interest and boardwalks/ bridges over streams and wetland areas. Provide signage and a trail map at all major trail heads and smaller markers and or blazes at all minor trail heads or crossings. Provide a direct connection across Brace Road to the future Paparone Park, as an extension of the cross-town Trolley Trail.
- 5 Maintain and Enhance Parking Area:**  
Maintain the existing parking area and repair asphalt pavement as required. As budget allows, install planting islands within the existing footprint of the parking area to provide shade and breakup the expanse of pavement. Regrade the parking area to provide positive surface drainage into planting islands, planting island can be used to filter and absorb stormwater before it is released into the drainage system. Restripe and provide designated accessible spaces adjacent to the pathway to the lodge and bandshell. Provide designated pathways at the perimeter of the parking area that link to the lodge and bandshell area.
- 6 Expanded Parking Area:**  
Provide an expanded parking area including an additional 110 parking spaces including 4 accessible spaces that links to the existing parking area. Install new shade trees and planted medians with perimeter pathways that connect to the exiting pathways and trails within the park. The planted medians that will collect storm water can be used to filter and absorb storm water before it is released into the drainage system.
- 7 Nature/ Adventure Play Area and Outdoor Classroom:**  
Utilize existing wooded area to create a nature/ adventure play and outdoor classroom area with room to host small gatherings/ classes and supporting interpretive signage and information kiosks, providing the park users with the opportunity to learn about the natural environment, plants and wildlife that are found within the park and the region and utilize natural materials to encourage play. Provide features that encourage the user to play and build using natural elements, including logs, rocks, vines, soils and sand. Provide a simple rope or climbing course and seating.
- 8 Multi-Sport Court:**  
Provide a new basketball- multi-sport athletic court with perimeter chain link fencing and windscreen, directly adjacent to the existing sand volleyball courts. Provide (2) basketball posts and goals, and seating. Provide painted game lines for foursquare, skelly, hopscotch, etc. Reorient the existing volleyball court to relate to the new multi-sport court during design.
- 9 Pond Treatment and Dock Structure:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing pond by removing the invasive plants at the edge of the pond and planting native plant material that will aid in inhibiting invasive plant species and provide additional wildlife habitat at pond's edge. Continuously monitor the water quality of the pond and address as required by providing aeration and oxygenation through the use of electric aerators and oxygenation systems and natural plant material. Monitor and provide additional fish to the pond as required. Perform monthly inspections and general maintenance on the dock structure to address any issues. Regularly sand and stain (optional) dock structure using products that are sensitive to the pond's ecosystem.
- 10 Park Access Road:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing park access road and repair asphalt as required. Provide a widened asphalt shoulder in select areas to provide additional parking when devoted parking area has reached capacity. Provide wooded guardrails at shoulder of road in areas of steep drop-offs and culverts for safety. Coordinate the increase in shoulder width with existing Trolley Trail to maintain full access when vehicles are parked along the road. Expand parking area adjacent to volleyball court to include head-in parking for an additional 15-20 vehicles. Provide new/ additional signage on Brace Road to clearly identify the park.
- 11 Existing Trail Connection to Ellis Street/ Jacobs Landing:**  
Maintain existing gravel trail/ service road as required. Fill and regrade low areas to reduce ponding water. Work with the village to provide additional seating and interpretive elements/ signage along the trail to highlight areas of environmental interest and wildlife. Provide trail signage and blazes/ markers where the park's trail system connects to this trail. Refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects.
- 12 Trail Loop:**  
Provide a continuous perimeter paved with stone screenings or asphalt pavement around the perimeter of the main park area and connect with the existing Trolley Trail. The Trolley Trail shall be paved with stone screenings or asphalt pavement to create the connection with the future Paparone Park.
- 13 Trail Connection to Auburn Trail:**  
Provide a trail connection to link the Trolley Trail within the park to the Auburn Trail to the south, utilizing a permanent conservation/ trail easement through the planned Phase II development of Dorchester Park. Coordinate trail layout and connection with the developers of Dorchester Park. Trail shall be stone dust pavement. Provide new signage at the trailhead within the park and at the Auburn Trail informing the community of the connection. Refer to the Town-Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5: Priority Projects.

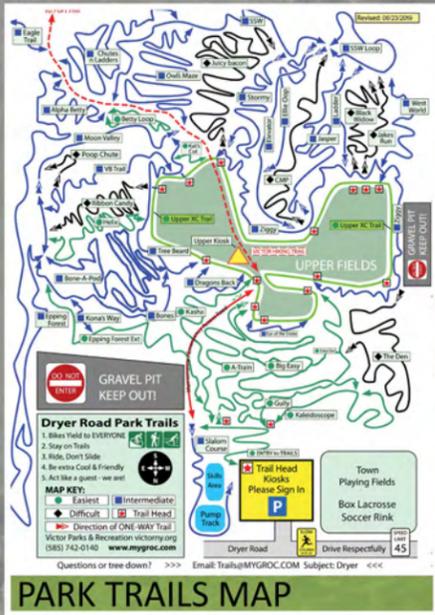
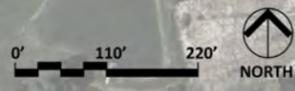
# VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

	Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
P	1. Splash Pad	0-5 YEARS	\$356,000.00
P	2. Play Area Pavilion and Picnic Area	0-5 YEARS	\$77,000.00
	3. Existing Playground Enhancements	0-10 YEARS	\$37,500.00
	4. Expanded Trail Network/ Boardwalk Connections	0-15 YEARS	\$126,000.00
P	5. Maintain and Enhance Parking Area	0-5 YEARS	\$125,500.00
	6. Expanded Parking Area	0-5 YEARS	\$300,000.00
	7. Nature/ Adventure Play Area and Outdoor Classroom	0-10 YEARS	\$80,000.00
	8. Multi-Sport Court	6-10 YEARS	\$128,500.00
	9. Pond Treatment and Dock Structure	0-15 YEARS	\$3,500.00
P	10. Park Access Road	0-5 YEARS	\$160,000.00
	11. Existing Trail Connection to Ellis Street/ Jacobs Landing	0-10 YEARS	\$26,000.00
P	12. Trail Loop	0-5 YEARS	\$34,500.00
	13. Trail Connection to Auburn Trail	0-10 YEARS	\$5,000.00

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# DRYER ROAD PARK NORTH



EXISTING PARK GATES

EXISTING CONCESSIONS, RESTROOMS AND MAINTENANCE/STORAGE BUILDING

CONNECTION TO CORK RD., LEHIGH CROSSING PARK AND AUBURN TRAIL



- PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**
- 1 MAIN ENTRY AT DRYER ROAD & AUBURN-DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL
  - 2 ENTRY PLAZA/ INFORMATION KIOSK
  - 3 BOX RINK
  - 4 PICNIC AREA W/ PAVILION
  - 5 PARK BUILDING/ STORAGE/ CONCESSION STAND
  - 6 PLAY AREA AND SEATING
  - 7 PARKING AREA
  - 8 BIKE SKILLS AREA & PUMP TRACK
  - 9 BIKE JUMP LINES
  - 10 SPLASH PAD AREA
  - 11 EXISTING MULTI-USE ATHLETIC FIELDS
  - 12 TRAIL LOOP
  - 13 AUBURN-DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL
  - 14 PARK EXPANSION
  - 15 DRYER ROAD PARK TRAIL NETWORK
  - 16 UPPER ATHLETIC FIELDS

- LEGEND**
- MATCH LINE
  - EXISTING TRAIL
  - EXISTING PARK TRAIL SYSTEM
  - PROPOSED SITE FEATURE
  - PROPOSED SIDEWALK
  - PROPOSED ACCESS DRIVE
  - PROPOSED PARK TRAIL

# DRYER ROAD PARK - NORTH

- 1 Main Entry at Dryer Road and Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail:**  
Enhance the main entry drive leading to the park from Dryer Road; replace the park sign and partner with the Victor Garden Club to provide enhanced plantings at the entrance, provide a dedicated bike lane on either side of the vehicular travel lane, provide a marked road crossing and additional signage where the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail crosses Dryer Road. Provide a secondary park sign with park and trail map where the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail enters the park. Repair and replace the asphalt pavement as required.
- 2 Entry Plaza and Information Kiosk:**  
Create a formal entry plaza adjacent to the accessible parking spaces and replace the existing kiosk with a new kiosk highlighting the opportunities within the park. Plaza shall include specialized pavement, seating (benches or stone seatwalls), park and trail information kiosk, interpretive signage and ornamental plantings and shall serve as a gateway to the active and passive recreation areas of the park.
- 3 Box Rink:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing box rink and synthetic turf. Provide additional seating and connections to the trail loop.
- 4 Picnic Area and Pavilion:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing picnic shelter and picnic area. Perform regular inspections and repairs as needed, provide additional-matched picnic and café style tables, chairs and benches, trash receptacles and planters.
- 5 Park Building/ Storage/ Concession Stand:**  
Maintain the existing restroom facilities with in the building and re-evaluate the additional building space. Reprogram the concession stand to serve as a meeting room or educational space highlighting the various uses within the park and the natural environment or as space for Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC) to use as a satellite facility or storage space to aid in their partnership with the park.
- 6 Play Area and Seating:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing, well-used playground area. Regularly inspect and repair existing equipment, plastic edging and ramps, and supplement mulch safety surface as required to maintain a safe play environment. Provide additional play features that promote inclusive/ accessible play, including additional swings, at-ground play panels, and ramped landings and transfer points. Provide a shade structure to shield portions of the play equipment from the sun while existing shade trees grow and develop. As budget allows, provide rubberized safety surfacing for entire play area. Provide additional seating (benches) adjacent to the play area.
- 7 Parking Area:**  
Maintain the existing parking area and repair asphalt pavement as required. As budget allows, install planting islands within the existing footprint of the parking area to provide shade and breakup the expanse of pavement. Regrade the parking area to provide positive surface drainage into planting islands. The planting island can be used to filter and absorb stormwater before it is released into the drainage system. Restripe and provide designated accessible spaces adjacent to the pathway leading to the picnic shelter and play area and at the bike amenities. Provide designated pathways at the perimeter of the parking area that link the parking area to the play and picnic area, box rink, trail loop and bike facilities.
- 8 Bike Skills Area and Pump Track:**  
Continue partnership with Genesee Regional Off-Road Bicycle Club to provide oversight and maintenance of the newly installed bike skills area and pump track. Work to complete the entry plaza and gateway as designed. Provide a covered pavilion structure with benches adjacent to the area. Provide connection to link the skills area with the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail and the internal park trail system to the south.
- 9 Bike Jump Lines:**  
Continue partnership with GROC to provide oversight and maintenance of the bike jump lines. Provide additional features and jumps to meet the demands of the park riders. Provide connection to link the jump area to the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail and the internal park trail system to the south.
- 10 Splash Pad Area:**  
Provide a new splash pad area adjacent to the existing park building and playground area utilizing the existing water source at the park building. The splash pad should include 5-7 water features on a concrete base with a specialized non-slip safety surface treatment. Expended water will be drained and not recirculated. Earthwork and regrading will be required. Final location to be evaluated during the design phase. Determining factors include; ease of utility connections, program, and size of splash pad area desired.
- 11 Existing Multi-Purpose Athletic Fields:**  
Maintain and enhance the (2) existing multi-purpose athletic fields. Provide general maintenance and repair to the turf and drainage system. Provide portable bleachers for spectators and ground hydrants for manual irrigation during times of drought.
- 12 Trail Loop:**  
Provide a continuous trail paved with stone screenings or asphalt pavement around the perimeter of the main park area and connect with the existing and proposed recreation amenities to provide a walking loop for park users.
- 13 Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail:**  
Formalize the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail within the park limits by installing stone dust pavement to connect Dryer Road to the existing trail system within the wooded area to the south of the main park area. Provide an information sign and trail map where the trail enters the main park area adjacent to the bike skills area.

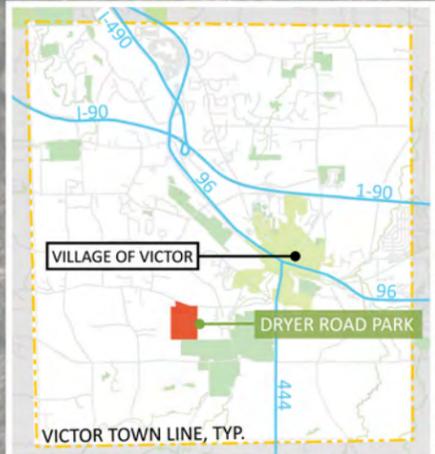
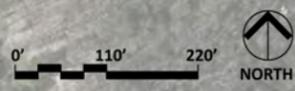
- 14 Park Expansion:**  
As the existing gravel pit area becomes obsolete, utilize the varied terrain to create an expanded park recreation and natural preservation area comprised of off-road bike trails and skills area and natural environmental areas to highlight the distinct and unique glacially created environment.
- 15 Dryer Road Park Trail Network:**  
Continue partnerships with Victor Hiking Trails (VHT) and GROC to maintain and provide oversight to the trail network within the park. Strive to preserve the natural environment through community education noting the importance of proper trail use and etiquette. Provide additional trail connections as seen to be sustainable and required to link existing trails or amenities.
- 16 Upper Athletic Fields:**  
Utilize generally level open field and mowed areas elevated above and to the south of the main park area for multi-purpose athletic fields. Coordinate with the adjacent gravel pit/ private property owner to secure a permanent easement allowing vehicular and pedestrian access to the upper portion of the park through their property, linking west to Malone Road. Provide a parking area for 30-50 vehicles, including 2-3 accessible parking spaces. Provide (2) multi-purpose fields and (1) baseball/ softball field with an underdrainage system to serve the communities soccer, lacrosse, and baseball/ softball needs. Provide portable bleachers, benches, and a trail connection to the existing trail network within the park. Provide male and female composting toilets.

## DRYER ROAD PARK - NORTH: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
<b>1. Main Entry at Dryer Road and the Auburn-Dryer Connector Trail</b>	0-5 YEARS	\$37,000.00
<b>2. Entry Plaza and Information Kiosk</b>	0-5 YEARS	\$54,500.00
<b>3. Box Rink</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$9,000.00
<b>4. Picnic Area and Pavilion</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$23,500.00
<b>5. Park Building/ Storage/ Concession Stand</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$10,000.00
<b>6. Play Area and Seating</b>	0-15 YEARS	\$40,000.00
<b>7. Parking Area</b>	6-10 YEARS	\$226,500.00
<b>P 8. Bike Skills Area and Pump Track</b>	0-5 YEARS	\$70,000.00
<b>P 9. Bike Jump Lines</b>	0-5 YEARS	\$20,000.00
<b>10. Splash Pad Area</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$360,000.00
<b>11. Existing Multi-Purpose Athletic Fields</b>	0-15 YEARS	\$22,000.00
<b>P 12. Trail Loop</b>	0-5 YEARS	\$73,500.00
<b>13. The Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$42,000.00
<b>14. Park Expansion</b>	0-20 YEARS	\$ N/A
<b>15. Dryer Road Park Trail Network</b>	0-15 YEARS	\$ 12,000.00
<b>P 16. Upper Athletic Fields</b>	0-10 YEARS	See Dryer Park South

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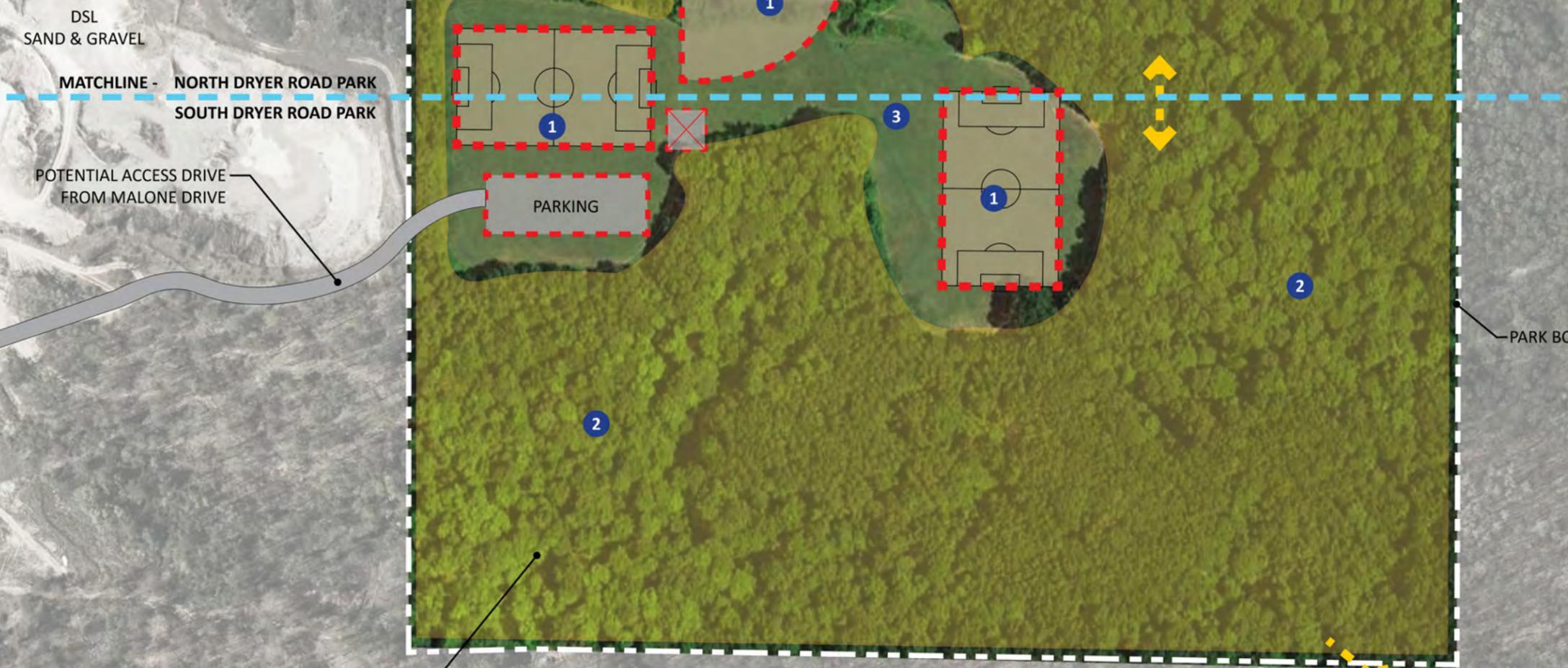
# DRYER ROAD PARK SOUTH



KEY PLAN

- PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**
- 1** UPPER ATHLETIC FIELDS
  - 2** DRYER ROAD PARK TRAIL NETWORK
  - 3** AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL

- LEGEND**
- MATCH LINE
  - EXISTING TRAIL
  - EXISTING PARK TRAIL SYSTEM
  - PROPOSED SITE FEATURE
  - PROPOSED ACCESS DRIVE



DSL SAND & GRAVEL  
MATCHLINE - NORTH DRYER ROAD PARK  
SOUTH DRYER ROAD PARK

POTENTIAL ACCESS DRIVE FROM MALONE DRIVE

PARKING

PARK BOUNDARY, TYP.

PRIVATE PROPERTY

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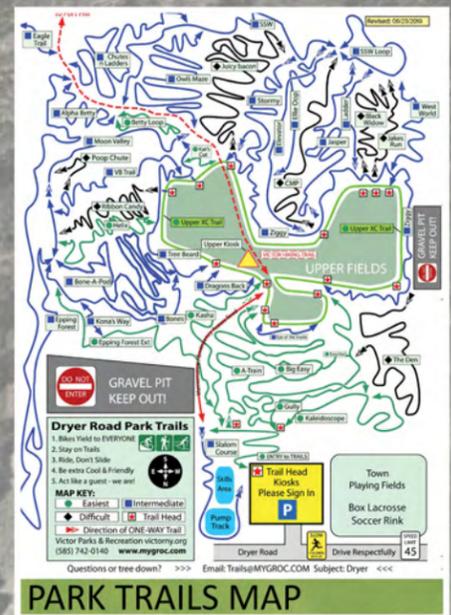
STATE OWNED LAND/  
GANONDAGAN STATE HISTORIC SITE

AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL

LINK TO FORT HILL AND GANONDAGAN HISTORIC SITE

GRANARY TRAIL

EXISTING MULTI-USE TRAIL SYSTEM:  
OFF ROAD / MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAIL AREA - AND  
HIKING TRAILS IN WOODED AREA - SEE TRAILS MAP  
INSET BELOW



PARK TRAILS MAP

# DRYER ROAD PARK - SOUTH

- 1 Upper Athletic Fields:**  
Utilize generally level open field and mowed areas elevated above and to the south of the main park area for multi-purpose athletic fields. Coordinate with the adjacent gravel pit/ private property owner to secure a permanent easement allowing vehicular access to the upper portion of the park through their property, linking west to Malone Road. Provide a parking area for 30-50 Vehicles, including 2-3 accessible parking spaces. Provide (2) multi-purpose fields and (1) baseball/ softball field with an underdrainage system to serve the communities soccer, lacrosse, and baseball/ softball needs. Provide portable bleachers, benches, and a trail connection to the existing trail network within the park. Provide male and female composting toilets.
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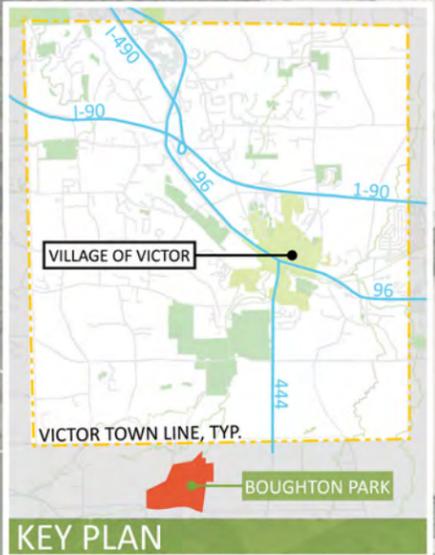
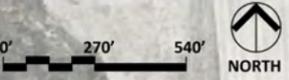
# DRYER ROAD PARK - SOUTH: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
<b>P 1. Upper Athletic Fields</b>		
Multi-purpose Soccer Field (Each)	0-10 YEARS	\$375,000.00 (Natural Turf) \$1,500,000.00 (Synthetic Turf)
Baseball/ Softball Field	0-10 YEARS	\$428,000.00 (Natural Turf) \$2,000,000.00 (Synthetic Turf)
<b>P 2. Dryer Road Park Trail Network</b>	0-15 YEARS	Ongoing
<b>3. The Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail</b>	0-10 YEARS	\$32,500.00

**P = Priority Improvement**

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# BOUGHTON PARK



- PARK RECOMMENDATIONS/ PROGRAM KEY**
- 1 SOUTH ENTRANCE AND PARKING AREA
  - 2 WEST ENTRANCE AND PARKING AREA
  - 3 FISHING DOCKS
  - 4 LODGE/ RESTROOM FACILITIES
  - 5 CANOE/ KAYAK LAUNCHES AND RACKS
  - 6 WOODLAND TRAIL SYSTEM (EXISTING AND PROPOSED)

- LEGEND**
- EXISTING CREEK
  - - - EXISTING PARK TRAIL
  - EXISTING SERVICE ROAD/ TRAIL
  - PROPOSED TRAIL
  - - - PROPOSED SITE FEATURE



# BOUGHTON PARK

The following recommendations are based on feedback that we received during the Public Outreach phase of this Parks and Recreation Master Plan update project and should be reviewed and approved by the Boughton Park Commission for consideration prior to implementation.

- 1 South Entrance and Parking Area:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing access drive and parking area by installing new gravel or millings pavement. Provide designated and signed accessible spaces. Provide a new park sign at the entrance along Boughton Road to clearly identify the park.
- 2 West Entrance and Parking Area:**  
Maintain and enhance the existing access drive and parking area by installing new gravel or millings pavement. Provide designated and signed accessible spaces. Provide a new park sign at the entrance along Stirnie Road to clearly identify the park.
- 3 Fishing Docks:**  
Community feedback indicated that the ponds are in need of additional fishing docks. Provide fishing docks in both the West and East Ponds in areas of limited impact to the natural and aquatic environment and adjacent to trail access.
- 4 Lodge/ Restroom Facilities:**  
Provide a lodge building or structure to house select community and educational events that focus on the natural environments and highlight the experiences found in the park. Provide composting restroom facilities adjacent to the lodge structure.
- 5 Canoe/ Kayak Launches and Racks:**  
Provide additional canoe and kayak racks and new launches at the northwest corner of West Pond adjacent to the parking area on Stirnie Road and new racks adjacent to the service road at East pond.
- 6 Woodland Trail System (Existing and Proposed):**  
Maintain and enhance the existing trail system by working with Boughton Park Commission and other community organizations to perform regular maintenance and care for the existing trail system including pruning of trees and plants, maintenance of markers and blazes, and addressing wet and muddy areas by installing planking or boardwalk structures. Provide new trail links that connect with the existing trails providing new experiences within the park.

# BOUGHTON PARK: PARK RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
1. South Entrance and Parking Area	0-15 YEARS	\$20,000.00
2. West Entrance and Parking Area	0-15 YEARS	\$17,500.00
<b>P</b> 3. Fishing Docks (Each)	0-5 YEARS	\$5,000.00
<b>P</b> 4. Lodge/ Restroom Facilities:	0-10 YEARS	\$400,000.00
<b>P</b> 5. Canoe and Kayak Launches and Racks	0-5 YEARS	\$18,500.00
<b>P</b> 6. Woodland Trail System (Existing and Proposed)	0-15 YEARS	\$115,000.00

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# 05 Priority Projects



## Priority Projects Introduction

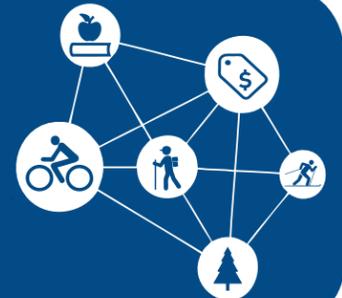
Listening to the community during the public outreach process and working closely with the Parks and Recreation Department and the Citizens' Advisory Committee (CAC), three key projects and improvements were identified as Priority Projects. The recommendations that are included in the three projects directly respond to the most significant needs that were identified through the inventory and analysis process. This chapter outlines the background, inventory, and analysis of the specific project areas, and provides specific recommended improvements to better serve the recreation needs of the community.

The three Priority Projects are:

### 1 Paparone Park & Community Recreation Center



### 2 Town-Wide Connectivity



### 3 Harlan Fisher Park



# 1 Priority Project: Paparone Park & Community Recreation Center



## Project Introduction

In 2006, the Town of Victor acquired a 16-acre parcel on Brace Road once owned by the Paparone Family, a family with a long agricultural history within the town. Today, this parcel of land is affectionately known as Paparone Park. With its adjacency to Victor Municipal Park and proximity to the Village of Victor and Route 96, this land has great opportunity and potential to be a premier recreation facility within the town.

One of the most important components in the process to update the Parks and Recreation Master Plan was to engage the community and understand their needs and wants for recreation within the Town of Victor. Through this process a need and desire for a Town-Owned Recreation Center was identified. The Community Interest Survey indicated that over 90 percent of the respondents would support the evaluation of a Town-Owned Recreation Facility, while countless community members indicated through written comments and discussions that the community needs a recreation center for indoor recreation, fitness, community gatherings, education and for the wellness of the community.

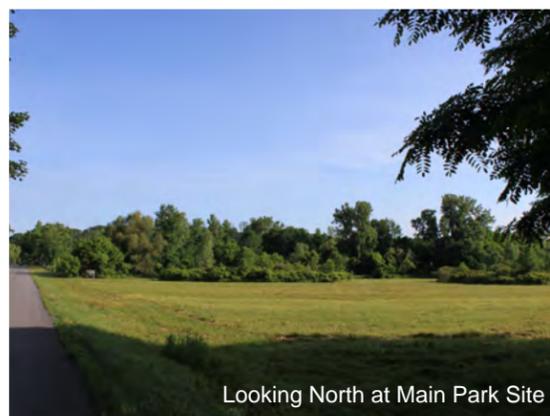
A Public Open House was held in December of 2018 to review the inventory and analysis completed for the project and to gather input on the community's desire for a Town-Owned Community Recreation Center. In addition to gathering feedback on what amenities should be offered within the recreation center, the team asked the community where the community recreation center should be located, and the top location indicated was at the future Paparone Park.

In addition to public outreach within the community, key stakeholder organizations were interviewed to gather information on the services and facilities needed for their organizations and how the Parks and Recreation Department could best partner with their growing organizations. Many organizations indicated they have a need for additional facilities and athletic fields to continue to offer their programs at the highest level. The athletic stakeholder organizations specifically indicated that there is a need for both indoor and outdoor athletic fields and courts, as there is a high demand for field and court space within the region and it can be difficult to secure a field or court for practices or games. With the continued population growth in the town, the amenities provided by the town and Parks and Recreation Department will need to expand with the community.



Wetland - Mown Field Area

Priority Project No.1 is focused on the planning of Paparone Park and the Community Recreation Center, including inventory and analysis of the site and its connectivity to the village, town and adjacent recreation offerings including parks and trails. Through identification of existing opportunities and constraints, and an analysis of the research and community input assembled in Phase 1 and 2 of the overall Master Plan Update Project, specific goals and program elements were refined and recommendations for the park, amenities, and the Community Recreation Center were developed. With careful planning and implementation, Paparone Park and the Community Recreation Center will create a destination for recreation within the community of Victor.



Looking North at Main Park Site

## Paparone Park - Location Map



NOT TO SCALE

# Paparone Park

## Inventory & Analysis

- The 16-acre parcel is generally void of trees and vegetation except at the perimeter and at the northwest side where there are areas of wetland shrub marsh and wooded areas. A small stream meanders along the northwest property line and flows into the Great Brook and eventually to Mud Creek to the north. The north section of the site is located within a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) regulated floodplain. The land minimally slopes from the south to the north, draining into the small stream.
- The land was previously owned and used by the Paparone family for their farm. The fields were used to grow peppers and other vegetables.
- The proposed park is accessible from Brace Road, which leads to Route 96 and Break of Day Road.
- Planning initiatives developed in conjunction with the town's Access Management Plan, have recommended that an access road be constructed to link Brace Road to Anthony Drive/ Route 96- this road would run through the adjacent parcel to the south of the park.
- The site is located on the east side of town, within a mile of the Village of Victor, and within a few miles of the Town of Farmington. The park is adjacent to Victor Municipal Park (across Brace Road), the Trolley and Auburn Trails, existing and planned housing developments, and the commercial corridor along Route 96.
- The proposed park can serve as a complement to Victor Municipal Park, which can be classified as a passive park with hiking, fishing, open lawn and a community entertaining destination with the lodge, bandshell, picnic shelter, with some active recreation features such as playground and volleyball and bocce courts. Whereas Paparone Park can serve as an active park with multi-sport athletic fields and courts and a community center. Passive recreation components such as hiking, community gardening areas, a farmers market/ event space, environmental education and viewing areas, interpretative elements, and open lawn/ meadow areas, can be intermixed.
- The town should explore the potential to acquire two parcels adjacent to the park, one (3) three-acre parcel to the northwest that is primarily a wooded parcel with cleared land adjacent to Brace Road - a portion of the property is within the FEMA Regulated floodplain - and one (6) six-acre parcel to the south, which is primarily agricultural land.



Looking East at Main Park Site



Existing Stream at North End of Site

## Opportunities & Constraints

### Land

- Given the relatively flat site, the park is ideal for multi-sport athletic fields (i.e. soccer, lacrosse, baseball, softball, and tee-ball) with minimal amount of earthwork required to level and grade the land.
- Based on the available cleared land, this site presents a great opportunity for a Community Recreation Facility. Placement of the building and parking areas will need to be coordinated with the existing floodplain, wetland, and environmentally sensitive and valued areas on site.
- The floodplain and wetland areas at the north end of the park will need to be preserved and protected. These areas can potentially be used for environmental education and viewing opportunities showcasing the varied environments and natural habitats.
- A loop trail can be installed to link the natural environmental portions of the park with the more active recreation areas.
- The wooded areas of the site have potential for an exploratory/adventure play area, utilizing natural materials to create a distinct play environment, different from the traditional play equipment driven playground.

### Location

- With its proximity to the central area of town, the village, high-medium density residential areas and current recreational offerings (Victor Municipal Park, the Trolley and Auburn Trails), the new park will add to the attraction and promote this section of the town as a destination for recreation.
- With the potential local road connection of Brace Road to Route. 96, the community will have improved access to the site.
- Given that the park is in a primary residential area of town, adequate and appropriate screening (vegetative and fencing) should be utilized to provide privacy to the adjacent property owners.

### Community Needs

With the town's increase in population:

- Youth and adult athletic organizations have an increased demand for recreation facilities (indoor and outdoor athletic fields, courts, pools).
- Community organizations have a need for multi-purpose community rooms, educational space, and gathering areas.
- The Parks and Recreation Department has growing responsibility and will continue to offer more recreation programs to the community which will require additional space and staff to facilitate, including outdoor and indoor recreation facilities, community rooms, and dedicated parks and recreation offices.

# PAPARONE PARK

16 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SPRING 2019



- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- Has been vacant since acquired by the town in 2006.
  - The site is well suited for recreational activities (soccer, baseball, lacrosse, etc.)
  - Potential for trails and connections to Victor Municipal Park and the village.
  - Wetlands on site should be protected and offer a great educational opportunity.
  - Potential for wetland education/ viewing areas.
  - The site is a prime location for a recreation center which is a desired by the community.

**SOILS**

- Primarily Lamson fine sandy loam with some Phelps gravely silt loam along the southern property line

# Town-Owned Community Recreation Center

## Community Recreation Center Introduction

The Victor Parks and Recreation Department has evolved over the past decade to meet and serve the recreation needs within the community and beyond. As part of this evolution, the town determined the need for a standalone parks and recreation building to house the department offices, provide community gathering rooms and a dedicated gymnasium to support the many programs offered by the department. The town currently leases the building on Lehigh Crossing for \$14,000 a month, or more than \$168,000 a year. The town entered the lease agreement and opened the building to the public in February of 2016. The terms of the lease are for a 10-year period. After the lease is complete the town will have paid approximately \$1.68 Million. Since 2000, the town has accrued \$2.45 million in lease payments (at VCSD, Willowbrook, Blossom Drive, and Lehigh Crossing). The current lease and tax payment could be applied to a new recreation center if one were to be built.



The popularity and success of the existing recreation center and the support from the community has driven the interest in evaluating the feasibility for a Town-Owned Recreation Facility. The new facility will serve to support the recreation, educational, and informational programs offered by the department and the increasing recreational needs and services desired by community and stakeholder organizations.

### Benefits of a Community Recreation Center

Community recreation centers offer many programs and amenities that directly impact and benefit the entire community, offering activities and opportunities for all ages. Community recreation centers:

- Provide a central gathering space to promote a sense of community
- Create a destination for recreation within the town and region
- Support the enhancement of social functions
- Improve health and wellness by offering opportunities for exercise and recreation
- Provide a combination of uses for varied ages to promote inter-generational interaction
- Provide a safe area for children to socialize, exercise and engage in recreation activities
- Increase the quality of life in the community
- Improve local tax base and property values by keeping revenue within the town
- Benefit working families by providing after school activities
- Decrease dependency on other facilities within the town, such as Victor Central School District and Pinnacle Sports
- Generate revenue for the town and Parks and Recreation Department allowing for additional and improved services and programs
- Provide a permanent, town-owned home for the Parks and Recreation Department
- Provide employment opportunities for varying age groups

## Community Recreation Center Indoor Amenities

The facility should be situated in a way that there are areas accessible to the “public” and areas accessible to the “members” (paid public). Public areas can be areas that any member of the community can access without being charged such as the lobby, meeting rooms, multi-purpose rooms, etc. The member areas are areas such as the fitness center, fitness studios, gymnasium, walking track and aquatics center.

The facility will be competing with existing providers in the area and so the pricing will need to be competitive and reasonable to meet an appropriate cost recovery.

The Community Recreation Center will need to be multi-generational and include facilities and programs that serve a wide variety of age groups. Further analysis of the median age within Victor is needed to determine which spaces and programs will be needed to target those groups. A sampling of potential amenities that could be included within the Recreation Center, with typical square foot areas of space required, are shown below:



**Lobby/ Lounge**

2,000 - 6,000 SF



**Meeting/ Activity/ Multi-Purpose Rooms**

800 - 1,000 SF



**Public Restrooms**

300 - 400 SF



**Parks & Recreation Offices**

2,000 - 3,000 SF



**Multi-purpose Gym with Basketball Court**

10,000 - 12,000 SF



**Elevated Walking/ Jogging Track**

4,000 - 5,000 SF



**Multi-Purpose Fitness Studios**

1,500 - 2,000 SF



**Indoor Turf Field House**

60 yards x 100 yards Field:  
55,000 - 60,000 SF



**Party Rooms**

600 - 800 SF



**Toddler/ Children Care Center**

800 - 1,000 SF



**Men's & Women's Locker Rooms**

1,500 - 2,000 SF



**Indoor Multi-Sport Courts**

Four Courts: 12,000 - 14,000 SF



**Fitness Center**

4,000 - 5,000 SF



**Cafe/ Concessions**

1,000 - 3,000 SF



**Aquatic Center - Leisure & Lap Pools**

6,000 - 8,000 SF



**Aquatic Offices**

200 - 250 SF

# Community Recreation Center Design and Operation Study

With the support of the community, the town should take the next steps to study the opportunity of a constructing and operating a Town-Owned Community Recreation Facility within the Town of Victor. A Design and Operation Study should be conducted to identify the opportunities and future needs of the community. Through the inventory, analysis, and evaluation of the following components, a clear and sound recommendation can be developed for the Community Recreation Center.

Based on the evaluation and recommendations indicated in the completed Design and Operation Study, the town can move forward to garner the full support of the community through community education, a public hearing, and through the necessary town level approvals to plan, design and build the new Town of Victor Community Recreation Center.

## Study Outline

### 1 Phase

#### Research, Inventory and Analysis

*During the preparation of this master plan update, a majority of the items listed below have been completed. At the time of the design and phasing study, the following should be reviewed and updated as required:*

- Service area, demographics, and recreation users
- Town, regional and national recreation uses and trends
- Market analysis- regional and local recreation market opportunities and constraints
- Specific site identification, inventory and analysis
- Identification of potential services and amenities to be offered

### 2 Phase

#### Public Outreach and Needs Assessment

*During the preparation of this master plan update, a majority of the items listed below have been completed. At the time of the design and phasing study, the following should be reviewed and updated as required:*

- Facilitate public outreach events to gather information and feedback from the community
- Key stakeholder interviews and workshops to identify areas of partnership and shared/provided services
- Community input survey- solicit feedback from the community
- Public information open house- to gather additional feedback and present research and inventory to date.
- Develop a needs assessment based on Phase 1 and public outreach findings.
- Continuation and identification of partnership opportunities (athletic, fitness, community, civic, seniors, education, awareness)
- Specific program offerings and expanded programs

### 3 Phase

#### Program and Recommendations

- Refinement of site selection, evaluation and recommendations, including:
  - Location to adjacent town center, village, and other amenities
  - Transportation and accessibility to, from and within the site.
  - Evaluation of the site (soils, topography, natural environments, wetland/flood restrictions)
  - Natural and environmental benefits and impacts,
  - Relationship to the adjacent community and land use
  - Utility access and opportunities
- Develop a specific program of services and amenities to be offered (type, number, size allotment), including:
  - Lobby, entry, reception area, public gathering space
  - Community rooms and educational spaces (seniors, school age, adult programs, education)
  - Fitness and weight room areas
  - Gymnasium athletic courts (basketball, pickleball, volleyball, etc.) with track
  - Indoor athletic fields and rinks
  - Aquatic center (lap pool, leisure pool, splash pad)
  - Additional rooms and areas for parks and recreation programs
  - Services and locker rooms
  - Parks and Recreation Department offices and meeting rooms
  - Parking and access drives
  - Exterior/ outdoor services and amenities
- Concept development, including building massing, space organization, architectural style
- Magnitude of probable costs estimate, with phasing options
- Potential construction schedule and phase project approach
- Impacts to the community

### 4 Phase

#### Phase 4: Operating Budget - Pro forma

- Identification of operating expenditures including:
  - Personnel/ staff services
  - Maintenance
  - Commodities
  - Marketing and promotion
  - Overhead, utilities and services
  - Insurance
  - Capital improvements
- Identification of operating revenues including:
  - Community fees and memberships
  - Corporate fees and memberships
  - Facility rentals and events
  - Programs (recreation, aquatics, athletic, fitness, community, educational)
  - Special events and tournaments
  - Retail/ café/ vending
  - Misc. revenue
- Operating expense ratio (OER)
  - Comparison between operating expenditures vs. revenue (divide the operating expenses by the revenue generated)
  - Evaluation and projections of OER over the first 0-5 Years, 5-10 years, and 10 years and beyond.
  - The lower the % OER the more profitable and sustainable the Community Recreation Center.
  - Provide a summary of operating expenses, revenues, and return in investment.

# Park & Community Recreation Center Program Recommendations

A Park and Community Recreation Center Program was developed that directly responds to the information gathered from the community at the public outreach events, the stakeholder interviews, and the Community Interest Survey. These program recommendations are also based on the inventory and analysis of the site, the existing recreation offerings within the town and region, and an assessment of recreation needs of the within the community.

## Park Program

Passive Recreation	Description
• <b>Hiking Trails</b>	Trails will offer connections to other parks within the system and local/ regional trails such as the Auburn and Trolley Trails.
• <b>Paved Trail Loop/ Park Track</b>	A paved trail loop offers visitors a track that circles the entirety of the park, making it a destination for avid walkers.
• <b>Nature Areas/ Pond</b>	With the varying natural areas within the park, there is an opportunity to highlight those and educate visitors through viewing docks/ platforms, a nature trail walk and interpretive signage.
• <b>Adventure Playground</b>	An adventure playground offers a more natural, unstructured play experience through the use of ropes courses, tree logs, stumps and boulders.
• <b>Picnic Shelters</b>	Picnicking areas are common in most parks, and shelters can be reserved for parties or events.
• <b>Community Garden/ Exploratory Garden</b>	Promotes sustainable living and gardening and encourages community participation by working with one another to grow produce, herbs, flowers and other plants. Interpretive signage could highlight the history of the pepper farm that once existed on site.
• <b>Tree and Ornamental Planting</b>	The planting of native trees and shrubs is imperative to preserving the natural habitat of the site.
• <b>Tree Grove/ Orchard</b>	A “donor” orchard would be a good source of funding for the park and would promote community interest in the site.
• <b>Event/ Farmers Market Space</b>	A multi-use space can be utilized for farmers markets or other outdoor events such as flea markets. Interpretive signage throughout the space would link the park to its historic past.
• <b>Rain Gardens/ Green Infrastructure</b>	Rain gardens and green infrastructure help to capture rain water in an ecologically friendly way. Interpretive signage will help educate visitors about the impact of unfiltered rain water on the environment.
• <b>Donor Plaza</b>	A donor plaza will help raise funds by allowing community members to purchase a personalized brick to be laid in the plaza.

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



Active Recreation	Description
• <b>Athletic Fields</b>	Soccer, lacrosse, baseball, softball and tee-ball fields offered by the park will be heavily utilized by the community sports organizations.
• <b>Athletic Courts</b>	Outdoor courts including basketball, pickleball, tennis and painted games would provide additional recreational activities.
• <b>Parking Areas and Drop-off Loop</b>	A parking area and drop-off is needed adjacent to the proposed community center for ease of access. A secondary parking area is located within the northwest portion of the park.
• <b>Access Drive/ New Road Connection</b>	An extension of Anthony Drive off of Route 96 would allow direct access to the park as part of the Access Management Plan.
• <b>Community Center and Concessions</b>	A proposed community center offers indoor recreation activities such as basketball, aquatics and fitness. A concession building can also be utilized by the outdoor sports fields.
• <b>Playground Area</b>	A traditional playground including swings, a play structure, and slides with accessible and inclusive features.
• <b>Splash Pad Area (Optional)</b>	An outdoor splash pad area is an optional amenity and can be utilized in the warmer months.

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images





PROGRAM KEY	
1	TRAIL CONNECTION TO VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK
2	TRAIL LOOP
3	NEW TRAILS AND CONNECTIONS
4	NATURAL ADVENTURE PLAY AREA
5	PICNIC AREA AND PAVILION
6	MULTI-PURPOSE ATHLETIC FIELD (2 TOTAL) WITH BLEACHERS
7	COMMUNITY RECREATION CENTER
8	FUTURE POOL EXPANSION
9	FIELD HOUSE
10	PARKING AREA WITH DROP-OFF LOOP
11	FARMER'S MARKET/ EVENT AREA
12	COMMUNITY EDUCATION GARDEN
13	OUTDOOR CLASSROOM/ WETLAND EDUCATION STATION

LEGEND	
	PROPOSED SIDEWALK
	PROPOSED TRAIL
	PROPOSED ROAD CROSSING
	FUTURE SITE FEATURE
	SIDEWALK/ TRAIL CONNECTION

**PRIORITY PROJECT NO. 1 – PAPANONE PARK ORIGINAL PARCEL**

# Paparone Park - Original Parcel

- 1 Trail Connection to Victor Municipal Park:**  
Provide a highly visible, marked and signed pedestrian cross walk linking the Trolley Trail within Victor Municipal park with the trail system within the new Paparone Park.
- 2 Trail Loop:**  
Provide a continuous trail paved with stone screenings or asphalt pavement around the perimeter of the main park area that connects to the proposed elements within the park and to the adjacent Victor Municipal Park.
- 3 New Trails and Connections:**  
Provide new trails to link all proposed elements of the park and highlight the site's rich and diverse natural environments. The trails shall be mown or paved with stone screenings. Provide boardwalk structures in areas of wetland as required for access.
- 4 Natural Adventure Play Area:**  
Provide a natural play and adventure area under the existing tree canopy working to preserve the wooded area. Provide features that encourage the user to play and build using natural elements, including logs, rocks, vines, soils and sand. Provide a simple rope or climbing course with seating.
- 5 Picnic Area and Pavilion:**  
Provide a picnic pavilion constructed on a concrete pad adjacent to the adventure play area. Picnic area shall include picnic tables, benches and trash receptacles.
- 6 Multi-Purpose Athletic Fields (2 -Total) with Bleachers:**  
Provide new multi-purpose fields with underdrainage systems to serve the community's soccer and lacrosse needs. Minor earthwork and regrading will be required and clearing of existing trees and vegetation may be required in select areas. Synthetic turf should be explored for at least one, if not both, new fields to allow for a longer playing season. Provide portable bleachers and benches.
- 7 Community Recreation Center:**  
A Community Recreation Center shall be centrally located within the park and will serve as the hub for recreation. Refer to the Community Center Program section of this chapter for additional information on the services and amenities housed within the building.
- 8 Future Pool Expansion:**  
Based on the need and support of the community, provide an aquatic center including a leisure and/or full-size lap pool with supporting locker room, offices, and equipment/maintenance rooms.
- 9 Field House:**  
Incorporate a field house which could house 1-4 indoor turf fields and 4 team rooms and will be utilized by various indoor sports throughout the season, including soccer, lacrosse, and baseball or softball.
- 10 Parking Area with Drop-off Loop:**  
Provide a new parking area to serve the Community Recreation Center and the adjacent recreation amenities. The parking area shall be asphalt pavement with access to the proposed road linking Brace Road to Anthony Drive. The parking area shall be designed to accommodate 120-130 vehicles. The total number of parking spaces is based on comparative data of recreation centers within the region. Provide a partially covered drop-off loop for direct visitor access to the main entrance and lobby / reception area of the Community Recreation Center. Provide ornamental plantings and planting areas around the perimeter of the parking area to capture and filter all storm water run-off before it enters the storm sewer.
- 11 Farmers Market/ Event Area:**  
Provide a paved gathering space that can be utilized for entertainment purposes or special events such as a farmers markets or festivals. Provide benches, tables and trash receptacles. Provide evergreen or ornamental plantings to screen the area from the parking lot as well as shade trees around seating and gathering areas.
- 12 Community Education Garden:**  
Provide a new community education garden that will serve the community and can be directly linked to the adjacent farmers market area. Provide a permanent fence and gate system at the perimeter of the garden. Provide an area adjacent to the garden for composting and soil storage. Provide or construct a garden building or potting shed to service the community garden. The community education garden will be an interpretive element for the park highlighting the past agricultural use of the land, Paparone Farm and the roots of agriculture and its role in the development of the town and region.
- 13 Outdoor Classroom/ Wetland Education Station:**  
Utilize space adjacent to the existing wetland areas to create an outdoor classroom and education station that will provide the park user with information on the rich and diverse natural environment that exists within the park and region. Provide overlook/ viewing areas that highlight wetland areas and areas of native trees. Include interpretive signage in areas of interest and information kiosks. Provide benches, tables and trash receptacles to serve the stations/ classrooms.

# PAPARONE PARK Original Parcel - Magnitude of Probable Cost

Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
1. Trail Connection to Victor Municipal Park	0-5 YEARS	\$11,500.00
2. Trail Loop	0-5 YEARS	\$111,000.00
3. New Trails and Connections	0-5 YEARS	\$163,500.00
4. Natural Adventure Play Area	0-5 YEARS	\$118,000.00
5. Picnic Area and Pavilion	0-5 YEARS	\$86,500.00
6. Multi-Purpose Athletic Fields with Bleachers- Each	0-5 YEARS	\$535,500.00 (Natural Turf) \$1,500,000.00 (Synthetic Turf)
7. Community Recreation Center	0-5 YEARS	\$10,500,000.00
8. Future Pool Expansion	0-20 YEARS	\$4,250,000.000
9. Field House	0-5 YEARS	\$15,400,000.00
10. Parking Area with Drop-off Loop	0-5 YEARS	\$663,500.00
11. Farmers Market/ Event Area	0-5 YEARS	\$80,000.00
12. Community Education Garden	0-5 YEARS	\$31,000.00
13. Outdoor Classroom/ Wetland Education Stations	0-5 YEARS	\$94,500.00

*\*The magnitude of probable cost tables contain generalized planning level costs for each proposed park improvement recommendation. The information should be regarded as an "order of magnitude" projection of the likely cost, not an exact price tag. Each park recommendation and master plan are a conceptual level design that has not gone through the process of design development where many construction details are determined. It should be also noted that the cost for each park feature/action item does not include "soft" costs, such as design and professional services, construction administration and inspection, or general design and construction contingency allowances. It should be assumed that full project costs will be 20-30% higher than the base figures provided for each item of work once soft costs and contingencies are factored in. Additionally, the estimates were based on 2019 costs, and inflation will have to be accounted for at the time of implementation.*

# Community Recreation Center Program Recommendations

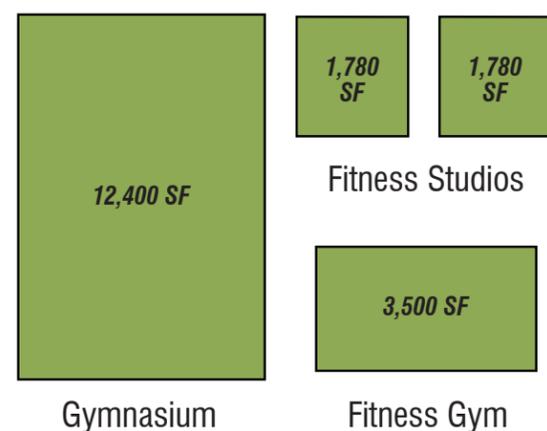
## Original Park Limits

A Community Recreation Center program recommendation was formed for the original limits of Paparone Park, which limited the size of the facility in order to include an appropriate amount of outdoor fields and other recreation amenities. The following Community Recreation Center program is also based on the input gathered from the community along with the analysis of the current recreation system within Victor and the future recreation needs of the community.

### Community



### Fitness



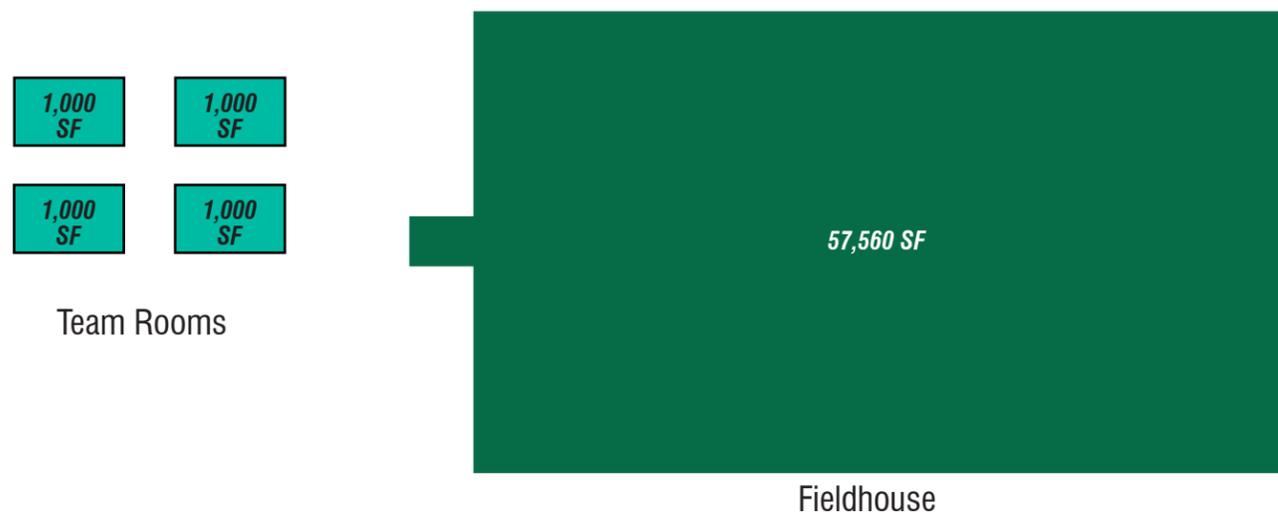
### Administration



### Lockers



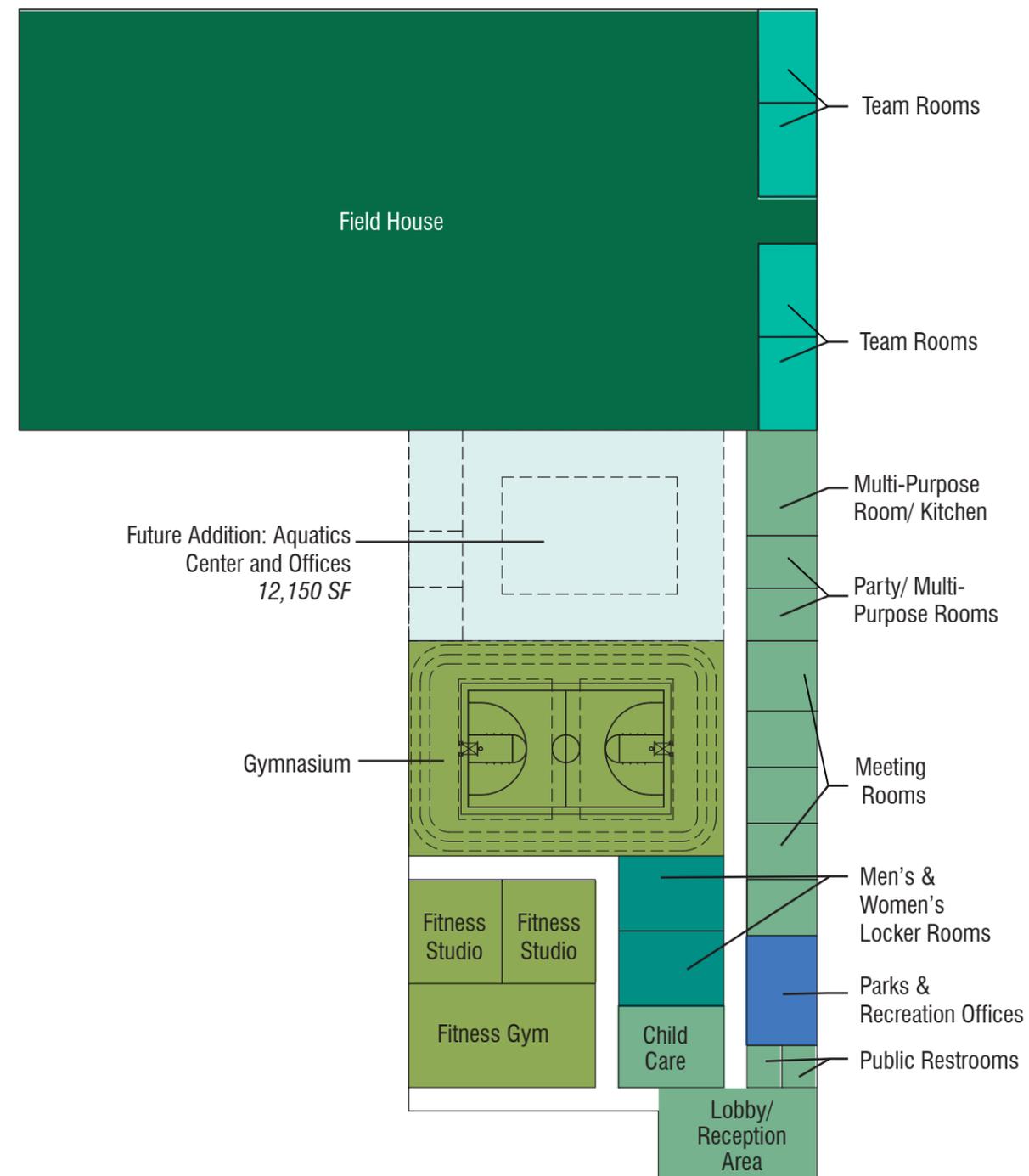
### Fieldhouse



## Proposed Community Recreation Center - Original Park Limits

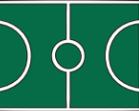
Total Square Footage of Community Recreation Center: 40,815 SF

Total Square Footage of Field House & Team Rooms: 61,560 SF



## Community Recreation Center Estimated Cost

The following *estimated* costs were generated based on comparison of local, regional, national community recreation centers and should be used as a guide for planning purposes only. With further planning and design development the estimated cost should be refined to provide the most accurate budgetary numbers for evaluation.

<p><b>\$500k - \$1.8 million</b> \$250 - \$300 per SF</p>  <p><b>Lobby/ Lounge</b></p>	<p><b>\$160k - \$250k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Meeting/ Activity/ Multi-Purpose Rooms</b></p>	<p><b>\$60k - \$87k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Public Restrooms</b></p>	<p><b>\$400k - \$750k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Parks &amp; Recreation Offices</b></p>
<p><b>\$2 million - \$3 million</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Multi-purpose Gym with Basketball Court</b></p>	<p><b>\$800k - \$1.25 million</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Elevated Walking/ Jogging Track</b></p>	<p><b>\$300k - \$500k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Multi-Purpose Fitness Studios</b></p>	<p><b>\$8.25 million - \$12 million</b> \$150 - \$200 per SF</p>  <p><b>Indoor Turf Field House</b></p>
<p><b>\$120k - \$200k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Party Rooms</b></p>	<p><b>\$160k - \$250k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Toddler/ Children Care Center</b></p>	<p><b>\$300k - \$500k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Men's &amp; Women's Locker Rooms</b></p>	<p><b>\$1.8 million - \$2.8 million</b> \$150 - \$200 per SF</p>  <p><b>Indoor Multi-Sport Courts</b></p>
<p><b>\$800k - \$1.25 million</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Fitness Center</b></p>	<p><b>\$60k - \$87k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Cafe/ Concessions</b></p>	<p><b>\$600k - \$2.0 million</b> \$300 - \$400 per SF</p>  <p><b>Aquatic Center - Leisure &amp; Lap Pools</b></p>	<p><b>\$40k - \$62k</b> \$200 - \$250 per SF</p>  <p><b>Aquatic Offices</b></p>

The average building cost per square foot of a community center can range from \$200/sf to \$300/sf.

## Proposed Community Center Cost - Original Park Limits

**Community**

- Lobby/ Reception Area: 2,700 SF, \$675,000 - \$810,000
- Meeting Rooms: 720 SF, 720 SF, 720 SF, 900 SF, \$720,000 - \$1,125,000
- Multi-Purpose/ Kitchen: 1,350 SF, \$270,000 - \$337,500
- Party/ Multi-Purpose Rooms: 675 SF, 675 SF, \$270,000 - \$337,500
- Restrooms: 270 SF, 270 SF, \$108,000 - \$135,000
- Child Care: 1,120 SF, \$224,000 - \$280,000

**Fitness**

- Gymnasium: 12,400 SF, \$2,480,000 - \$3,100,000
- Fitness Studios: 1,780 SF, 1,780 SF, \$712,000 - \$890,000
- Fitness Gym: 3,500 SF, \$700,000 - \$875,000

**Administration**

- Parks & Recreation Department Offices: 1,400 SF, \$280,000 - \$350,000

**Lockers**

- Men's/ Women's Locker Rooms: 1,440 SF, 1,440 SF, \$576,000 - \$720,000

**Fieldhouse**

- Team Rooms: 1,000 SF, 1,000 SF, 1,000 SF, 1,000 SF, \$800,000 - \$1,000,000
- Fieldhouse: 57,560 SF, \$8,634,000 - \$11,512,000

## Phasing & Funding Sources

The planning, design and construction of Papparone Park and a new Community Recreation Center is an investment and will need to be strategically implemented considering potential phases along with researching and exploring many funding opportunities as indicated below. The implementation of this Priority Project should be aligned with the recommendations for implementation and phasing as outlined in Chapter 4.

### Funding Option A

- Fully fund the planning, design, and construction of Papparone Park and a new Community Recreation Center using the current Parks and Recreation Capital Trust Funds, the current Land and Building Reserve Fund, and the Victor Community Center Fund.
- By constructing a new recreation facility, the current \$14,000 per month lease payment for the current recreation building can be repositioned to a bond payment of \$14,000 per month.
- Seeing that there has not been a re-evaluation review of the Parks and Recreation fee for the past 10 years, increase this fee of \$1,500 per new home built to \$2,500 and apply it to the Parks and Recreation fund. The benefits of the additional park and recreation center should outweigh the additional fee seeing that the town's standard of living will be increase by its addition to the community.

### Funding Option B

- Utilize recommended funding sources as listed in Option A above.
- Enter into an Intermunicipal Agreement and an Intermunicipal Operating Agreement to include operating expenditures with the Victor Central School District providing funding aid.
- Apply for the New York State Local Government Efficient Grant Program.

### Funding Option C

- Utilize recommended funding sources as listed in Option A above.
- Enter into an Intermunicipal Agreement and an Intermunicipal Operating Agreement to include operating expenditures with the Town of Farmington providing funding aid.
- Utilize the Town of Farmington Parks and Recreation Capital Trust Fund.
- Apply for the New York State Local Government Efficient Grant Program.

### Funding Option D

- Utilize recommended funding sources as listed in Option A above.
- Creation of a Special Taxing District between the towns of Victor and Farmington to generate money to fund a Multi-Community Park and Recreation Center.
- Utilize the Town of Victor and Town of Farmington Parks and Recreation Capital Trust Fund.
- Apply for the New York State Local Government Efficient Grant Program.

## Additional Funding Sources

- Explore and apply for one or more of the following grant opportunities. The list of possible funding sources includes both private and governmental (State and Federal) organizations that offer grants for the implementation of specific parks and recreation projects. Continuing identification and evaluation of potential funding sources will be required to ensure that all avenues are explored:

### New York State Opportunities

- Consolidated Funding Application (CFA)
- Environmental Protection Fund Grant Program for Parks, Preservation and Heritage (EPF)
- Recreational Trails Program (RTP) – assistance program with the US Department of Transportation's Federal highway Administration (FHWA)
- Parks Matching Grants Program
- Land and Water Conservation Fund Program
- New York State (NYS) Park and Trail Partnership Program Grants
- NYS Office for Small Cities – Community Development Block Grant
- NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
- NYS Department of State
- NYS Department of Transportation

### Federal and Additional Opportunities

- Transportation Alternatives Program
- The Trust for Public Land
- National Scenic Byways Program
- American Hiking Society National Trails Fund
- American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) Community Challenge Grant Program
- US Department of Agriculture Community Facility Grants
- Partners for Wildlife
- National Parks Service Land and Water Conservation Fund
- National Parks Service Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership
- National Parks Service river, trails and Conservation Assistance Programs
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
- Finish Line Youth Foundation
- KaBOOM!
- People for Bikes
- Shane's Inspiration
- Rochester Accessible Adventures (RAA) - Consultation
- National Recreation and Parks Association (NRPA)

# 2 Priority Project: Town-Wide Connectivity



## Connecting the Community to Recreation

The Community Interest Survey and conversations with the community during our Public Outreach Campaign clearly identified connectivity, additional trails and promoting access to the Parks and Recreation offerings within the town and the region as one of the primary goals to explore as part of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan Update. The community strongly supports the expansion of the sidewalk system, shared use paths, and trails that promote pedestrian and bicycle connectivity. Building on a series of recently completed and highly successful community connectivity projects, this Priority Project analyzed the existing sidewalk, trail, and pedestrian and bike routes currently offered by the town and looks at ways to provide “links” to further connect the community through an accessible network of pedestrian and multi-modal corridors.

### Connectivity: Vision/Goals

- Identify the existing pedestrian and bicycle connectivity network and points of public interest that are currently connected by the network.
- Provide connections/links between the existing connectivity network and limit the introduction of new trails that do not have a direct connection to the town’s parks, open spaces, trails, streets, roads and public points of interest.
- Provide a seamless multi-modal network that provides access to every community member.
- Build on and coordinate with the ongoing planning and access management projects and initiatives currently active in the town and fully integrate these future connectivity improvements throughout the town and region. All future road improvement projects should include provisions for wider shoulders and/or bike lanes.
- Develop a recognizable branding campaign that is fully identifiable by the community, that says: “This is the town’s connectivity network, and I can use this to access the town’s Parks and Recreation System.”
- All trails and pathways should be designed and constructed to meet the current recommendations and regulations identified through the International Mountain Bicycling Association (IMBA), American Hiking Society, American Trails, or American Association of State of Highway and Transportation Officials (ASHTO), as appropriate. All current and future trails and pathways shall be maintained and all required improvements for the betterment of the system and the safety of the community shall be made. Where trails or pathways interface with roadways or vehicular routes, the crossings should be highly visible, marked, signed crossings utilizing the recommendations of Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the Manual on Uniform Traffic and Control Devices (MUTCD).
- Work with private land owners to transfer all temporary easements to permanent easements or land acquisitions.



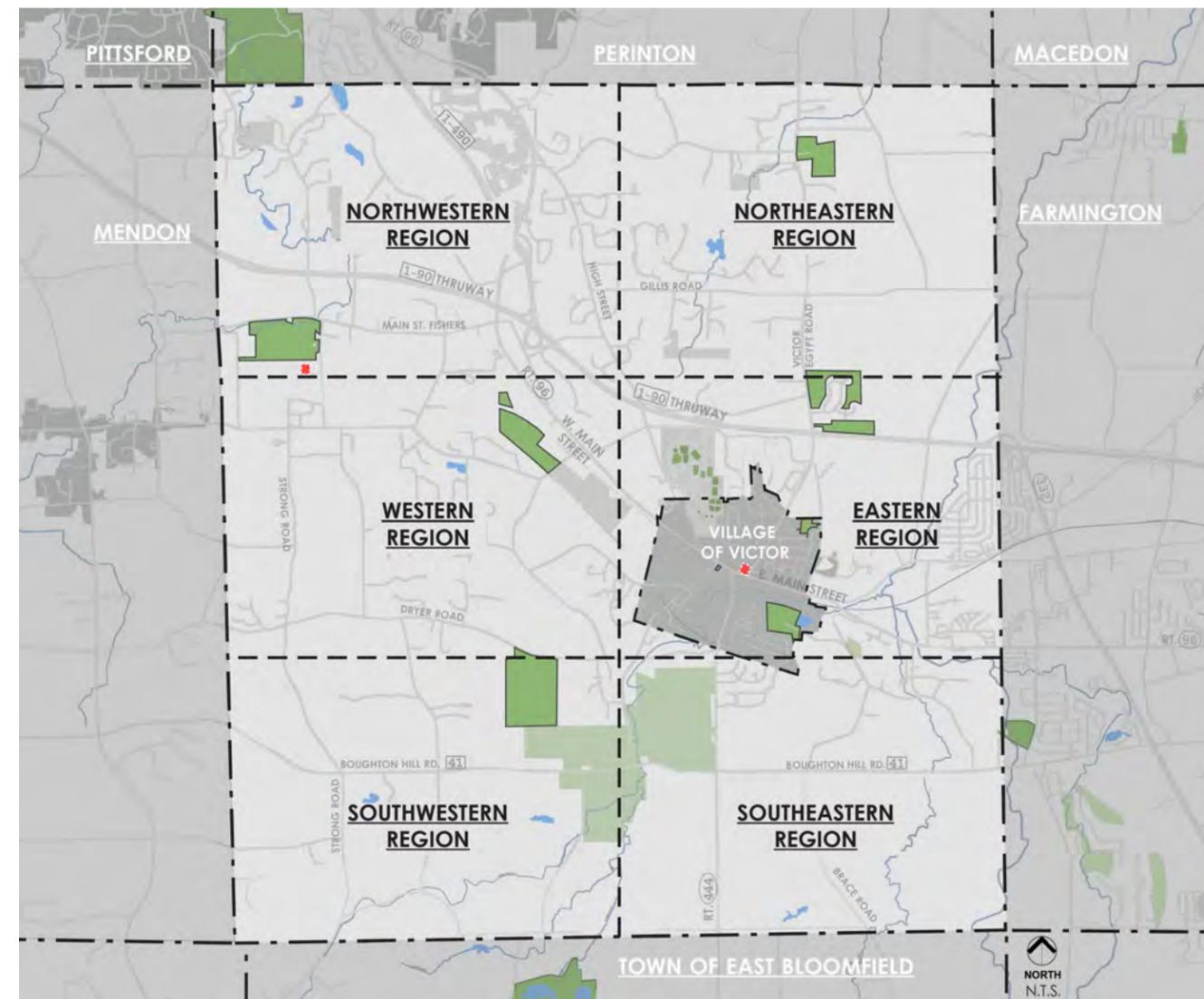
### Process

- Develop a base map using GIS data and aerial imagery of the town showing all major and minor roadways, parcels, and natural features (i.e. streams, ponds, wooded areas, open land). Base map information was used to analyze the data and make recommendations.
- The town was divided into (6) six regions: Northwestern, Western, Southwestern, Northeastern, Eastern, and Southeastern.

## Process, Continued

- Layers were then added to the base map that identified:
  - All non-motorized routes of travel and recreation, such as trails, public sidewalks, and bicycle routes
  - Locations of public interest, i.e. parks, schools, municipal buildings, state historical sites, private recreation facilities, etc.
  - Locations where adjacent community or state recreation opportunities abut the town.
- The town’s extensive network of trails, sidewalks and on-street/road connections were overlaid on the base map and were used to identify areas of the town that were disconnected - gaps in the pedestrian/bike network.
- Through field analysis, research, town stakeholder interviews, and through analyzing aerial imagery, parcel data, areas of undeveloped land, and environmental easements, locations of potential links/ connections between the existing network of trails and multi-modal access routes were identified.
- The town’s existing road network was analyzed to identify potential pedestrian and bike corridors and routes that link to areas within the town and to points of interest in the neighboring communities and throughout the region.
- Each recommended improvement was identified as a short term (0-5 year), Medium term (6-10 year), or Long term (11-15 year) project goal and is shown on next to the recommendation on the following pages. Priority improvements are indicated with the following symbol: P.

## Key Map - Town of Victor Connectivity Regions



CONNECT TO POWDER MILLS PARK & PITTSFORD

CONNECT TO TRAILS SYSTEM OF PERINTON

TOWN OF PERINTON

NORTHEASTERN REGION

WOODS AT VALENTOWN  
PLANNED  
SUBDIVISION



### CONNECTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS

- 1 POWDER MILLS TRAIL LINK VIA. BENSON ROAD
- 2 FISHERS PARK - AUBURN TRAIL LINK
- 3 MAIN STREET FISHERS PEDESTRIAN/BIKE ROUTE
- 4 WILLOWBROOK UNDERPASS LINK
- 5 HIGH STREET PEDESTRIAN/BIKE ROUTE
- 6 CROSTOWN CONNECTION - SENECA TRAIL TO VICTOR EGYPT PED./BIKE ROUTE
- 7 SENECA TRAIL - EASTVIEW LINK
- 8 LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL - AUBURN TRAIL - PINNACLE LINK
- 9 VALENTOWN ROAD BIKE ROUTE W/ TRAIL LINK FROM "WOODS AT VALENTOWN" TO SENECA TRAIL

### LEGEND

- EXISTING SIDEWALKS
- EXISTING MINOR TRAILS (VICTOR)
- EXISTING MAJOR TRAILS (VICTOR)
- EXISTING PARKS
- PROPOSED TRAILS
- PROPOSED BIKE ROUTES
- PROPOSED STREET (ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN)

WESTERN REGION

NORTHEASTERN REGION

WESTERN REGION

EASTERN REGION



# Northwestern Region

		<u>Time Frame</u>
1	<b>POWDER MILLS TRAIL LINK VIA. BENSON ROAD</b> Provide pedestrian trail connection to link existing sidewalk/ the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail -Trolley trail along Rt. 96 to Benson Road to the north. Coordination will be required with NYS DOT and the NYS Thruway Authority to reconfigure lane widths/underpass clear opening to allow for trail to pass beneath the Thruway. Trail shall run along Benson Road to the north and meet up with the existing Royal View Trail and continue to the existing utility easement that runs East-West. Coordination with utility company/ private land owners will be required for trail to follow proposed route to link in with the trail network at Powder Mill Park to the north of Victor.	11-15 YEARS
<b>P</b> 2	<b>FISHERS PARK – AUBURN TRAIL LINK</b> Provide a trail connection from the Fisher Park entrance along Wangum road to the Auburn trail. Coordination with private landowners (TCG Materials LLC /Oldcastle-Domine Supply) on the west side of Wangum Road will be required to grant an easement for the trail through their land or consider an on-road connection along Fowler Street. Trail shall be a mown trail or stone dust pavement.	0-5 YEARS
3	<b>MAIN STREET FISHERS PEDESTRIAN / BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road pedestrian/ bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the Auburn Trail and the Seneca Trail along Rt. 96.	6-10 YEARS
4	<b>WILLOWBROOK UNDERPASS LINK</b> Provide a safe and expanded pedestrian and bike trail/ access under both underpasses of the NYS Thruway and along Willowbrook Road. Coordination will be required with the NYS Thruway Authority to reconfigure lane widths/ underpass clear opening to allow for trail to pass beneath the Thruway.	6-10 YEARS
5	<b>HIGH STREET PEDESTRIAN / BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road pedestrian/ bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the village, school and the Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail/ Trolley Trail and Eastview Link.	11-15 YEARS
6	<b>CROSTOWN CONNECTION – SENECA TRAIL TO VICTOR EGYPT PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a multi-use trail by utilizing an existing utility/ natural gas easement to provide a link between the Victor Egypt Road Pedestrian and Bike Route, Monkey Run Trails and the proposed High Street Pedestrian and Bike Route to the west side of town and through to the Seneca Trail. Coordinate with utility company/ private land owners in order for trail to follow proposed route.	0-5 YEARS
<b>P</b> 7	<b>SENECA TRAIL – EASTVIEW LINK</b> Provide an on-road pedestrian/ bike route utilizing a new sidewalk and/or expanded shoulder with markings/signage along High Street Extension and High Point Drive to provide a connection between the Seneca Trail and the Eastview Mall commercial area via the center drive at High Point Drive.	0-5 YEARS
8	<b>LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL - AUBURN TRAIL - PINNACLE LINK</b> Provide a multi-use trail connection between the Auburn Trail, Lehigh Valley Trail, and Pinnacle Athletic Campus. Coordination will be required with private landowners (Genesee Sand and Gravel LLC, Pinnacle Athletic Campus LLC, and Phillips Road Land Company) to grant an easement for the trail on their lands.	6-10 YEARS
9	<b>VALENTOWN ROAD BIKE ROUTE WITH TRAIL LINK FROM “WOODS AT VALENTOWN” TO SENECA TRAIL</b> Provide a designated bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage on Valentown Road, creating a link between the proposed Victor Egypt Road pedestrian and bike route and the High Street pedestrian and bike routes. Provide connector trail to planned “Woods at Valentown”.	0-5 YEARS

**P** = Priority Improvement

## Existing Conditions



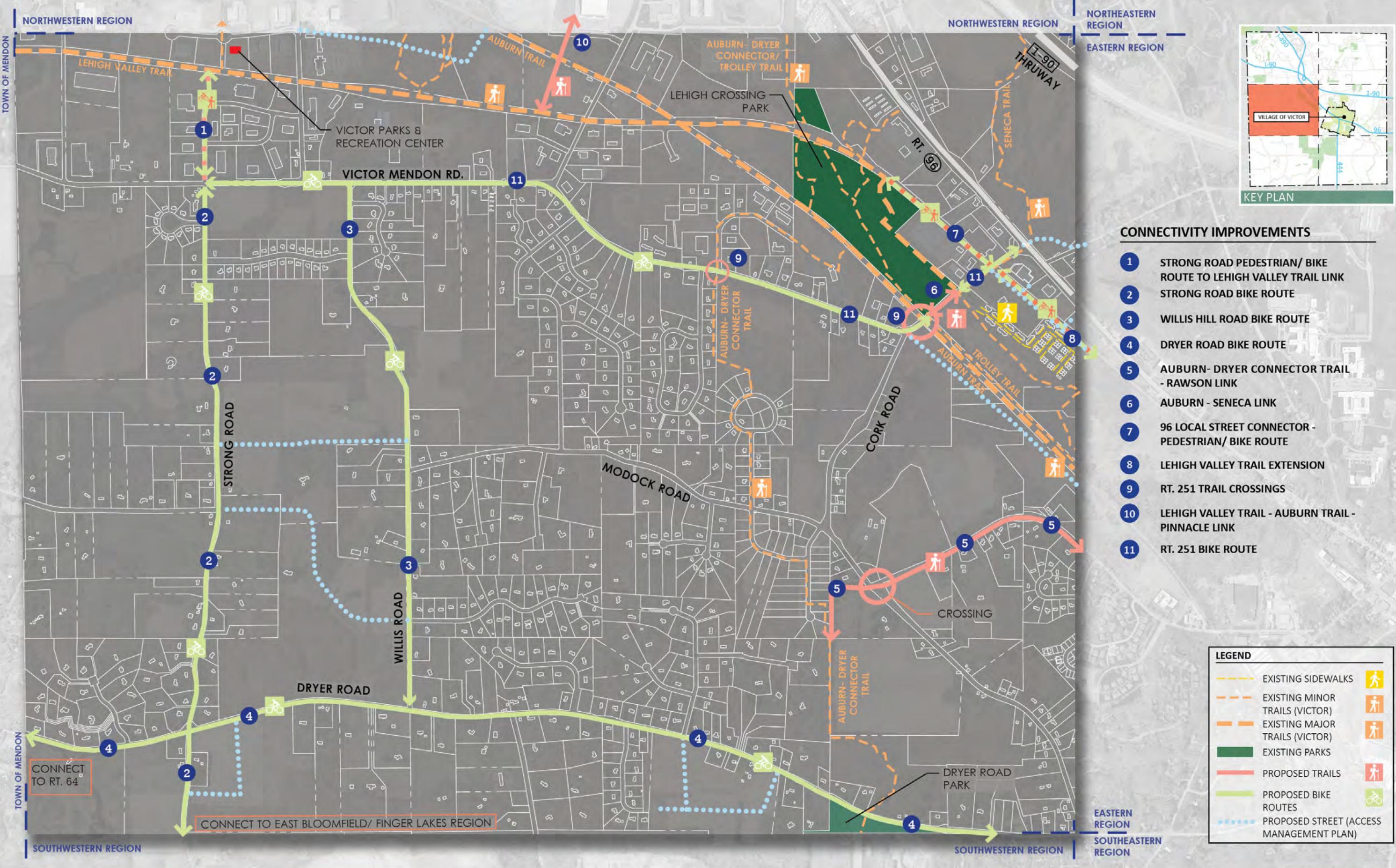
MAIN STREET FISHERS - AUBURN TRAIL CROSSING



WILLOWBROOK ROAD UNDERPASS - EXPAND FOR PEDESTRIAN & BIKE ACCESS



VALENTOWN/ SENECA TRAIL LINK - LOCATION OF TRAIL CONNECTION



**CONNECTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS**

- 1 STRONG ROAD PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE TO LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL LINK
- 2 STRONG ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 3 WILLIS HILL ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 4 DRYER ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 5 AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL - RAWSON LINK
- 6 AUBURN - SENECA LINK
- 7 96 LOCAL STREET CONNECTOR - PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE
- 8 LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL EXTENSION
- 9 RT. 251 TRAIL CROSSINGS
- 10 LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL - AUBURN TRAIL - PINNACLE LINK
- 11 RT. 251 BIKE ROUTE

**LEGEND**

	EXISTING SIDEWALKS	
	EXISTING MINOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING MAJOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING PARKS	
	PROPOSED TRAILS	
	PROPOSED BIKE ROUTES	
	PROPOSED STREET (ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN)	

# Western Region

		<u>Time Frame</u>
(P) 1	<b>STRONG ROAD PEDESTRIAN / BIKE ROUTE TO LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL LINK</b> Provide an on-road and multi-use trail connection between the Strong Road bike route and the Lehigh Valley Trail. Eliminate access through the commercial area parking lot. Coordination will be required with private landowners (770 Canning Parkway LLC) to grant an easement for the Trail on their lands. Trail shall follow Canning Parkway and continue north at the bend via a stone dust trail connecting to the Lehigh Valley Trail.	0-5 YEARS
2	<b>STRONG ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the Lehigh Valley Trail and points south. The bike route will provide access to East Bloomfield and the Finger Lakes Region and points in between.	6-10 YEARS
3	<b>WILLIS HILL ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between Rt. 251 bike route, Lehigh Valley Trail (via the Lehigh Valley Trail Link at Strong Road) and the Dryer Road Bike Route.	0-5 YEARS
(P) 4	<b>DRYER ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on street/ road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage from School Street bike route to Dryer Road linking the village with Dryer Road Park and the Strong Road bike route.	0-5 YEARS
5	<b>AUBURN- DRYER CONNECTOR TRAIL – RAWSON LINK</b> Provide a trail connection leading from the existing Auburn- Dryer Connector Trail through private land to the Cork Road / Rawson Road intersection. The trail will continue to Rawson Road via an on-street, marked crossing along and offset from the southeast shoulder of Rawson Road. The trail will be constructed of stone dust pavement and will lead to the existing concrete sidewalk at the limits of the village at the intersection of Rawson Road and Burlington Road. This connection will link the Auburn-Dryer Connector Trail to the village sidewalk/trail network. Coordination will be required with private landowners (Victor and Helen Clarise) to grant an easement for the Trail on their lands.	0-5 YEARS
(P) 6	<b>AUBURN – SENECA LINK</b> Provide an off-road link between the Auburn Trail/ Trolley Trail to the Seneca trail. Trail shall be constructed of asphalt pavement and be located behind the vehicular guardrail. Bridging of a stream or culvert may be required.	0-5 YEARS
7	<b>LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL EXTENSION</b> Extend the existing limits of the Lehigh Valley Trail to the southeast to link with the Rt. 96 local street connector improvements route. Coordination will be required with private landowners (WAM Properties, LLC) to grant an easement for the trail on their lands.	0-10 YEARS
8	<b>96 LOCAL STREET CONNECTOR – PEDESTRIAN / BIKE ROUTE</b> Coordinate with the improvements proposed for the Route 96 Transformative Corridor Strategic Infrastructure Plan / Local Street along the Ontario Central Railroad Corridor and provide a dedicated pedestrian and bike lane(s) to create a link from the Auburn/Trolley/Seneca Trails and Lehigh Crossing Park with the commercial offerings along Rt. 96 and with the village at the School Street intersection.	0-10 YEARS
(P) 9	<b>RT. 251 TRAIL CROSSING</b> Provide traffic safety measures to alert drivers of the Auburn, Trolley, Seneca, Auburn-Dryer Connector and Lehigh Valley Trail crossings along Rt. 251. Combine the trail crossings into three, highly visible crossings: one at the southern end of Lehigh Crossing Park for the Auburn and Trolley Trails, one at the Rt. 96 local street connector improvements route for the Lehigh Valley Trail and Seneca Trails, and one at the intersection of Rt. 251 and the Auburn-Dryer Connector Trail. Proposed improvements include highly visible pavement markings and signage (potentially flashing) in advance of the crossings to the northeast of the Cork Road intersection and to the south of the Rt. 96 Intersection/ light to alert motorists of the blind crossings ahead.	0-5 YEARS
10	<b>LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL - AUBURN TRAIL - PINNACLE LINK</b> Provide a multi-use trail connection between the Auburn Trail, Lehigh Valley Trail, and Pinnacle Athletic Campus. Coordination will be required with private landowners (Genesee Sand and Gravel LLC, Pinnacle Athletic Campus LLC, and Phillips Road Land Company) to grant an easement for the trail on their lands.	6-10 YEARS
11	<b>ROUTE 251 BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the Strong Road bike route and Rt. 96.	0-5 YEARS

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## Existing Conditions



STRONG ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDER FOR BIKE ROUTE



DRYER ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDER FOR BIKE ROUTE



RT. 251 & LEHIGH VALLEY TRAIL CROSSING - PROVIDE SAFER CROSSING FOR PEDESTRIANS & BIKES

TOWN OF MENDON

WESTERN REGION

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**CONNECTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS**

- 1 STRONG ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 2 BOUGHTON HILL ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 3 PARRISH ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 4 MALONE ROAD BIKE LINK
- 5 UPPER DRYER ROAD PARK ACCESS DRIVE AND BIKE ROUTE

**LEGEND**

	EXISTING SIDEWALKS	
	EXISTING MINOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING MAJOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING PARKS	
	PROPOSED TRAILS	
	PROPOSED BIKE ROUTES	
	PROPOSED STREET (ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN)	
	PROPOSED ACCESS DRIVE	

SOUTHEASTERN REGION

TOWN OF EAST BLOOMFIELD

TOWN OF MENDON



# Southwestern Region

**1 STRONG ROAD BIKE ROUTE**

Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the Lehigh Valley Trail and points south. The bike route will provide access to East Bloomfield and the Finger Lakes Region and points in between.

**2 BOUGHTON HILL ROAD BIKE ROUTE**

Provide a cross-town on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the east side of town and the neighboring community of Farmington to the west side of town and Mendon, and all connection points in between.

**3 PARRISH ROAD BIKE ROUTE**

Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the Strong Road Bike Route and Rt. 64 to the West of Victor in Mendon. Rt. 64 provides access to Pittsford, Mendon, East and West Bloomfield and the Finger Lakes Region.

**4 MALONE ROAD BIKE LINK**

Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between the Boughton Hill Road Bike Route and the proposed access drive/multi-use trail connection to upper Dryer Road Park athletic field and trail network.

**5 UPPER DRYER ROAD PARK ACCESS DRIVE AND BIKE ROUTE**

Provide an access drive / multi-use trail through the southern limits and on an existing access drive of DLS Sand and Gravel to link Malone Road with the upper portions of Dryer Road Park, including proposed athletic fields and the existing trail network. Coordination will be required with private landowners (DLS Sand and Gravel INC./ Syracuse) to grant an easement for the trail on their lands.

**Time Frame**

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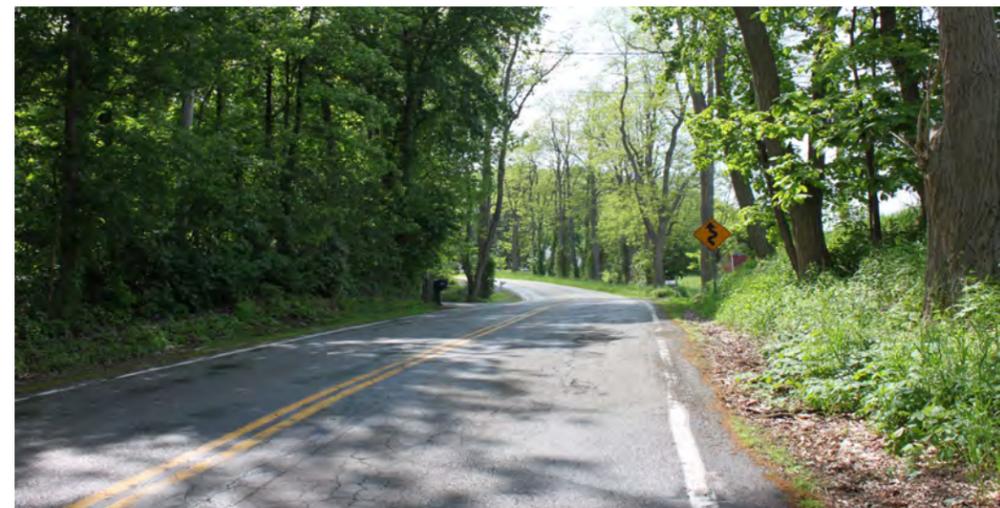
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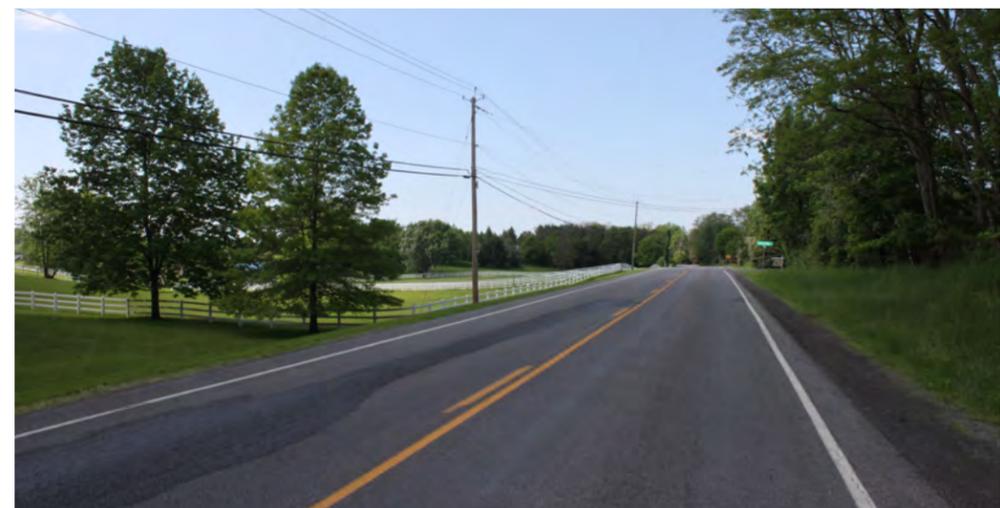
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BOUGHTON HILL ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDER FOR BIKE ROUTE



PARRISH ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDER FOR BIKE ROUTE



MALONE ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDER FOR BIKE ROUTE

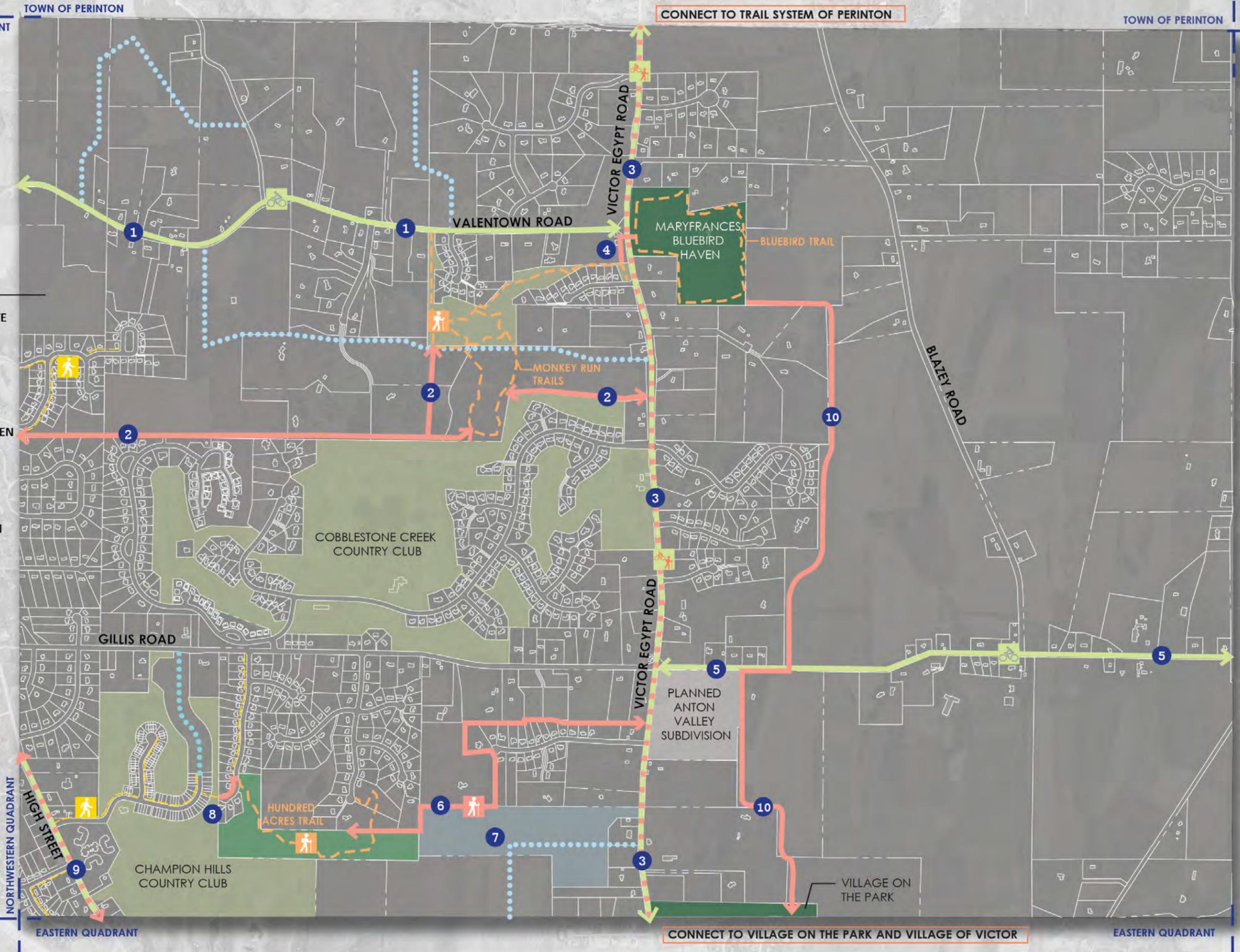


CONNECTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS

- 1 VALENTOWN ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 2 CROSS-TOWN LINK - VICTOR EGYPT ROAD TO SENECA TRAIL
- 3 VICTOR EGYPT ROAD PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE
- 4 MONKEY RUN TRAILS & MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN LINK
- 5 GILLIS BIKE ROUTE
- 6 VICTOR EGYPT ROAD & HUNDRED ACRES TRAIL LINK
- 7 POTENTIAL LAND ACQUISITION
- 8 HUNDRED ACRES TRAIL & HIGH STREET LINK
- 9 HIGH STREET PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE
- 10 MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN & VILLAGE ON THE PARK LINK

**LEGEND**

	EXISTING SIDEWALKS	
	EXISTING MINOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING PARKS	
	PROPOSED TRAILS	
	PROPOSED BIKE ROUTES	
	PROPOSED STREET (ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN)	



# Northeastern Region

		<u>Time Frame</u>
1	<b>VALENTOWN ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a designated bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage on Valentown Road, creating a link between the proposed Victor Egypt Road pedestrian and bike route and the High Street pedestrian and bike routes.	0-5 YEARS
2	<b>CROSS-TOWN LINK - VICTOR EGYPT ROAD TO SENECA TRAIL</b> Provide a multi-use trail by utilizing an existing utility/ natural gas easement to provide a link between the Victor Egypt Road pedestrian and bike route to the Monkey Run Trails. Utilizing the same utility easement, provide a trail that links the Monkey Run Trails to the proposed High Street pedestrian and bike route to the west side of town. Coordinate with utility company/ private land owners in order for trail to follow proposed route.	0-5 YEARS
<b>P</b> 3	<b>VICTOR EGYPT ROAD PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a dedicated pedestrian and bike route adjacent to Victor Egypt Road providing a needed link from the Village of Victor to parks, other trail networks and points of interest on the east side of the town. The route shall be a mix of an on-road pedestrian/ bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage or a multi-use trail set off the road, running parallel with the vehicular travel lanes utilizing the town and county right of way. Coordination with Ontario County will be required.	0-5 YEARS
<b>P</b> 4	<b>MONKEY RUN TRAILS &amp; MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN LINK</b> Provide a well-marked and signed road crossing at the intersection of Victor Egypt Road and Valentown Road along with a trail running along the western shoulder of Victor Egypt Road to provide a link between the Bluebird Trail and Monkey Run trails.	0-5 YEARS
5	<b>GILLIS BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a designated bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage on Gillis Road, creating a link between the proposed Victor Egypt Road pedestrian/ bike route and the road network in the Town of Farmington.	11-15 YEARS
6	<b>VICTOR EGYPT ROAD &amp; HUNDRED ACRES TRAIL LINK</b> Provide a trail to link the proposed Victor Egypt Road pedestrian/ bike route to Hundred Acres Trail by utilizing easements on private lands. Coordination will be required with private landowner (Gayle Reh) to grant an easement for the trail on their lands.	6-10 YEARS
7	<b>POTENTIAL LAND ACQUISITION</b> Evaluate the potential acquisition of undeveloped private land (owned by Gayle Reh) set between the town-owned parcel that contains a portion of the Hundred Acres Trail and Victor Egypt Road. The land would create a desired link between the two and could be a great addition to the parks and recreation system working to preserve undeveloped and natural land.	6-10 YEARS
8	<b>HUNDRED ACRES TRAIL &amp; HIGH STREET LINK</b> Enhance the trail link between where the Hundred Acres Trail meets Yale Court in the Hamptons Development and the sidewalk network along Champion Drive in the Fairways Development. Coordination will be required with private landowner (Rochester Fairways II Owner, LLC) to grant an easement for the trail on their lands.	0-5 YEARS
9	<b>HIGH STREET PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a dedicated pedestrian and bike route adjacent to High Street providing a needed link from the Village of Victor, the school campus, other trail networks, and points of interest/Eastview Mall central to the town. The route shall be a mix of on-road pedestrian/ bike routes utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage or a multi-use trail set off the road, running parallel with the vehicular travel lanes utilizing the town and county right of way.	6-10 YEARS
<b>P</b> 10	<b>MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN &amp; VILLAGE ON THE PARK LINK</b> Provide a trail to link MaryFrances Bluebird Haven to Village on the Park by utilizing easements on private lands. Coordination will be required with private landowners to grant an easement for the trail on their property.	0-5 YEARS

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## Existing Conditions



VALENTOWN ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDER FOR BIKE ROUTE



MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN & MONKEY RUN TRAILS LINK - POTENTIAL TRAIL LINK ACROSS VICTOR EGYPT ROAD



HIGH STREET - POTENTIAL FOR PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE



CONNECTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS

- 1 HIGH STREET PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE
- 2 LANE ROAD TO HIGH STREET LINK
- 3 VICTOR EGYPT PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE
- 4 VICTOR EGYPT TO VILLAGE ON THE PARK LINK
- 5 LANE ROAD TO VICTOR EGYPT ROAD LINK
- 6 CHURCH STREET BIKE ROUTE
- 7 HARLAN FISHER TO CHURCH STREET SIDEWALK LINK
- 8 HARLAN FISHER TO VILLAGE SIDEWALK LINK
- 9 PROPOSED ROUNDABOUTS
- 10 PROPOSED ON-STREET PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE LANE
- 11 POTENTIAL TRAIL ON EXISTING ONTARIO CENTRAL RAILROAD CORRIDOR
- 12 PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE LINK FROM RT. 96 TO TROLLEY TRAIL
- 13 PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE FROM VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK/ PAPANONE PARK TO AUBURN TRAIL
- 14 AUBURN TRAIL RE-ALIGNMENT
- 15 MAPLE AVE/ RT. 444 BIKE ROUTE

LEGEND

	EXISTING SIDEWALKS	
	EXISTING MINOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING MAJOR TRAILS (VICTOR)	
	EXISTING PARKS	
	PROPOSED SIDEWALKS	
	PROPOSED TRAILS	
	PROPOSED BIKE ROUTES	
	PROPOSED STREET (ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN)	



# Eastern Region

		<u>Time Frame</u>
1	<b>HIGH STREET PEDESTRIAN/BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a dedicated Pedestrian and Bike route adjacent to High Street providing a needed link from the Village of Victor, the school campus, other trail networks, and points of interest/Eastview Mall central to the town. The route shall be a mix of on-road pedestrian/ bike routes utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage or a multi-use trail set off the road, running parallel with the vehicular travel lanes utilizing the town and county right of way. Coordination with Ontario County and the NYS Thruway authority to expand the width of the Thruway underpass will be required.	6-10 YEARS
<b>P</b> 2	<b>LANE ROAD TO HIGH STREET LINK</b> Continue sidewalk along Lane Road to connect the existing sidewalk at the north end of the school campus to the existing sidewalk along High Street.	0-5 YEARS
<b>P</b> 3	<b>VICTOR EGYPT PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a dedicated pedestrian and bike route adjacent to Victor Egypt Road providing a needed link from the Village of Victor to parks, other trail networks and points of interest on the east side of the town. This route shall be a mix of on-road pedestrian/ bike routes utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage or a multi-use trail set off the road, running parallel with the vehicular travel lanes utilizing the town and county right of way. The southern end shall link to the existing village sidewalk network. Coordination with Ontario County and the NYS Thruway authority to expand the width of the Thruway underpass will be required.	0-5 YEARS
<b>P</b> 4	<b>VICTOR EGYPT TO VILLAGE ON THE PARK LINK</b> Provide a pedestrian and bike link to the proposed Victor Egypt pedestrian/bike route leading to the trail network within Village on the Park.	0-5 YEARS
<b>P</b> 5	<b>LANE ROAD TO VICTOR EGYPT ROAD LINK</b> Continue the existing sidewalk/ trail along Lane Road to link the proposed Victor Egypt pedestrian/ bike route to the school campus and other residential areas.	0-5 YEARS
6	<b>CHURCH STREET BIKE ROUTE</b> Utilize the existing sidewalk or provide a designated bike route along the existing shoulder of Church Street to link directly into the proposed Victor Egypt pedestrian/bike route to the north.	6-10 YEARS
7	<b>HARLAN FISHER TO CHURCH STREET SIDEWALK LINK</b> Provide a multi-use trail to link Church Street to Harlan Fisher Park with sidewalk along proposed Gullace Development.	0-5 YEARS
8	<b>HARLAN FISHER TO VILLAGE SIDEWALK LINK</b> Provide a sidewalk along the west side of Lynaugh Road to link Harlan Fisher Park with the Village of Victor and points/residences in between. Coordination with future traffic calming initiatives (roundabout at Lynaugh/Rt. 96) will be required.	6-10 YEARS
9	<b>PROPOSED ROUNDABOUTS</b> Coordination with future traffic calming initiatives (roundabout) at Lynaugh/Rt. 96 and School Street/ local road adjacent to Rt. 96 will be required. Provide safe pedestrian and bike circulation through improvements.	0-5 YEARS
10	<b>PROPOSED ON-STREET PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE LANE</b> Coordinate with the improvements proposed for the Route 96 Transformative Corridor Strategic Infrastructure Plan/ local street along the Ontario Central Railroad Corridor and provide dedicated pedestrian and bike lane(s) to create a link from the Auburn/Trolley/Seneca Trails and Lehigh Crossing Park with the commercial offerings along Route 96 and with the village at the School Street intersection.	6-10 YEARS
11	<b>POTENTIAL TRAIL ON EXISTING ONTARIO CENTRAL RAILROAD CORRIDOR</b> Evaluate the potential to utilize a portion of the Ontario Central Railroad corridor for a multi-use trail that would provide a link between the Village of Victor and points east to Farmington and beyond.	11-15 YEARS
12	<b>PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE LINK FROM RT. 96 TO TROLLEY TRAIL</b> Provide a multi-use trail to link Victor Municipal Park/Trolley Trail to the proposed local street and pedestrian/ bike improvements along Rt. 96.	6-10 YEARS
13	<b>PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE ROUTE FROM VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK/ PAPANONE PARK TO AUBURN TRAIL</b> Provide an on-street bike/pedestrian connection from the Trolley Trail at Victor Municipal Park to the future Papanone Park. After Papanone Park, the trail shall utilize an expanded shoulder with markings/signage along Brace Road leading to the Auburn Trail and existing bike route along Break of Day Road.	6-10 YEARS
<b>P</b> 14	<b>AUBURN TRAIL RE-ALIGNMENT</b> Provide a continuation of the Auburn Trail along the existing railroad corridor. Utilize the on-street/ sidewalk portion on Maple Ave to provide a direct link with the village.	0-5 YEARS
15	<b>MAPLE AVE/ RT. 444 BIKE ROUTE</b> Create an on-street bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to connect the Auburn Trail and Maple Ave to the Town of East Bloomfield and the Finger Lakes region to the south.	6-10 YEARS

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## Existing Conditions



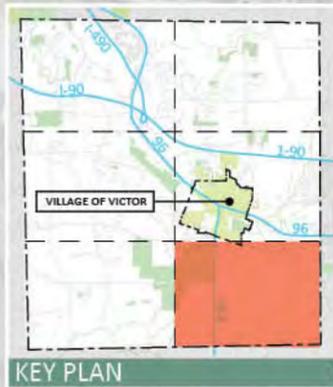
CHURCH STREET - POTENTIAL FOR BIKE ROUTE



ADAMS STREET - POTENTIAL FOR NEW STREET AND ON-STREET PEDESTRIAN/ BIKE LANE



AUBURN TRAIL AT MAPLE AVE - POTENTIAL TO CONTINUE AUBURN TRAIL ACROSS MAPLE AVE

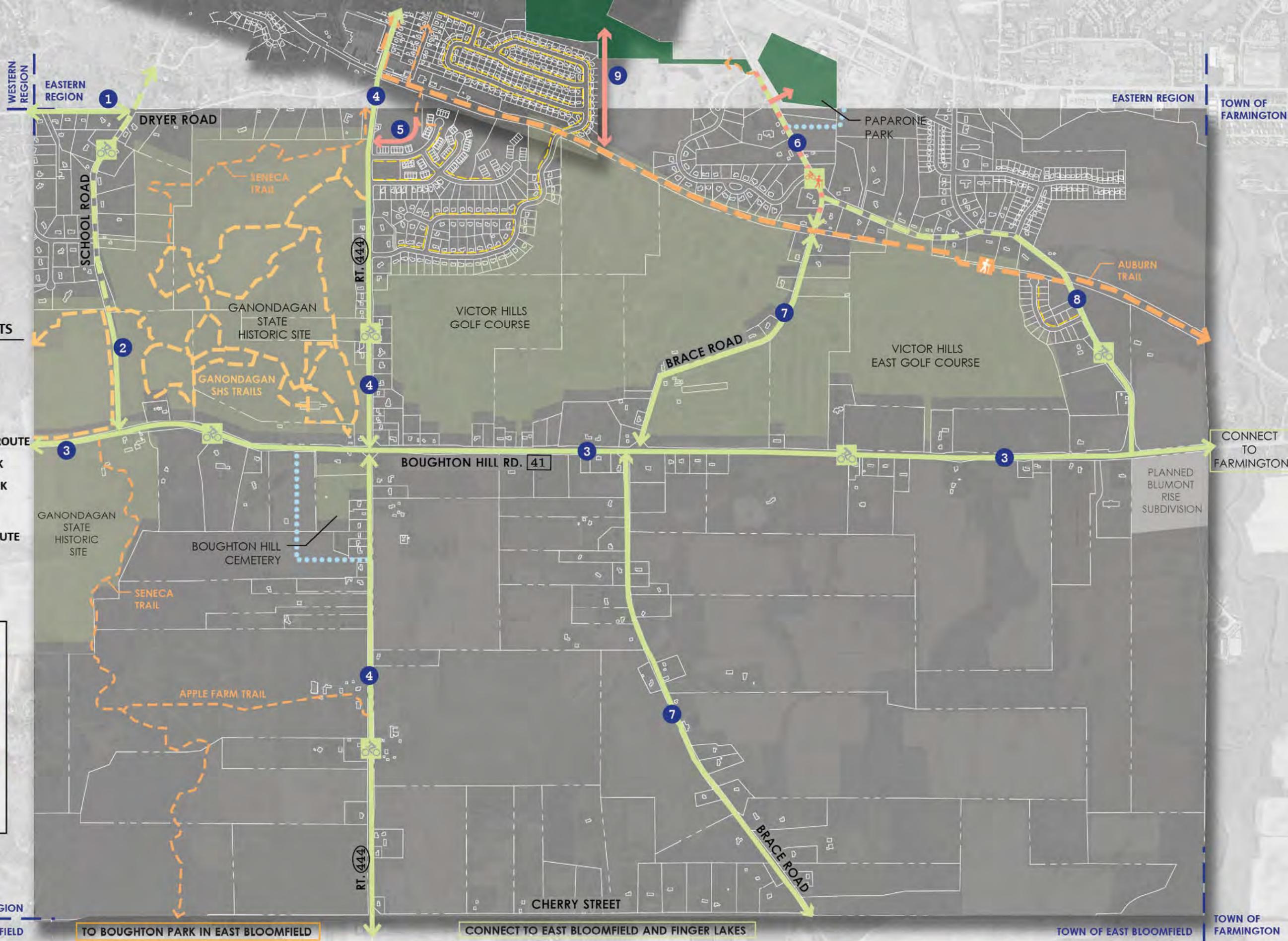


**CONNECTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS**

- 1 DRYER ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 2 CONTINUATION OF SCHOOL ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 3 BOUGHTON HILL ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 4 VICTOR-BLOOMFIELD BIKE ROUTE
- 5 SENECA-AUBURN TRAIL LINK
- 6 TROLLEY-AUBURN TRAIL LINK
- 7 BRACE ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 8 EAST VICTOR ROAD BIKE ROUTE
- 9 VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK/AUBURN TRAIL LINK

**LEGEND**

- EXISTING SIDEWALKS
- EXISTING MINOR TRAILS (VICTOR)
- EXISTING MAJOR TRAILS (VICTOR)
- EXISTING PARKS
- PROPOSED TRAILS
- PROPOSED BIKE ROUTES
- PROPOSED STREET (ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN)



# Southeastern Region

		<u>Time Frame</u>
<b>P</b> 1	<b>DRYER ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage from School Street bike route to Dryer Road, linking the village with Dryer Road Park and the Strong Road bike route.	0-5 YEARS
2	<b>CONTINUATION OF SCHOOL ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Continue an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/ signage from the existing bike route on School Street, linking the village with the Boughton Hill bike route.	0-5 YEARS
3	<b>BOUGHTON HILL ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide a cross-town on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/signage to provide a connection between Mendon and the east side of town to Farmington in the west, and all connection points in between.	6-10 YEARS
4	<b>VICTOR-BLOOMFIELD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/ signage to provide a connection between the Maple Avenue bike route and the Town of East Bloomfield and the Finger Lakes region to the south.	11-15 YEARS
5	<b>SENECA-AUBURN TRAIL LINK</b> Re-route the existing on-street trail and link to the Seneca Trail along Rt. 444 with a marked and signed crosswalk, leading through (a potential) conservation easement along the property lines of the Silverton Glenn Development, to link into the Auburn Trail.	0-5 YEARS
6	<b>TROLLEY-AUBURN TRAIL LINK</b> Provide an on-street bike/ pedestrian connection from the Trolley Trail at Victor Municipal Park to the future Papparone Park. After Papparone Park, the trail shall utilize an expanded shoulder with markings/signage along Brace Road leading to the Auburn Trail and existing bike route along Break of Day Road.	6-10 YEARS
<b>P</b> 7	<b>BRACE ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/ signage to provide a connection between the Trolley – Auburn Trail Link, the Auburn Trail, the Boughton Hill Road bike route, and points south (East Bloomfield and Canandaigua)	6-10 YEARS
8	<b>EAST VICTOR ROAD BIKE ROUTE</b> Provide an on-road bike route utilizing an expanded shoulder with markings/ signage to provide a connection between the existing bike route along Break of Day Road and the Boughton Hill Road bike route.	6-10 YEARS
<b>P</b> 9	<b>VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK/ AUBURN TRAIL LINK</b> Provide a trail connection utilizing the conservation easement in the Dorchester Park neighborhood to link Victor Municipal Park with the Auburn Trail.	0-5 YEARS

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## Existing Conditions



SCHOOL ROAD - POTENTIAL FOR EXTENSION OF BIKE ROUTE



BOUGHTON HILL ROAD & BRACE ROAD - POTENTIAL TO WIDEN SHOULDERS FOR BIKE ROUTES

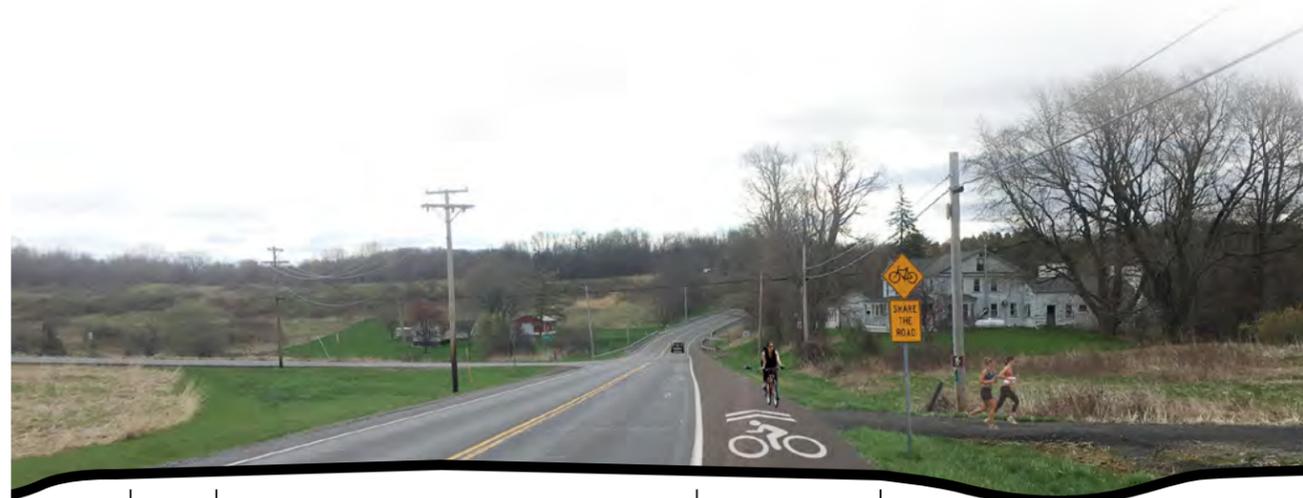


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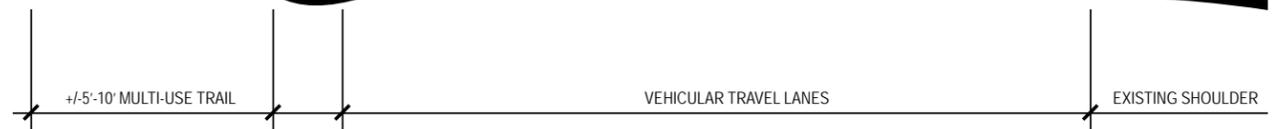
# Section Studies



1 BOUGHTON HILL ROAD - LOOKING EAST



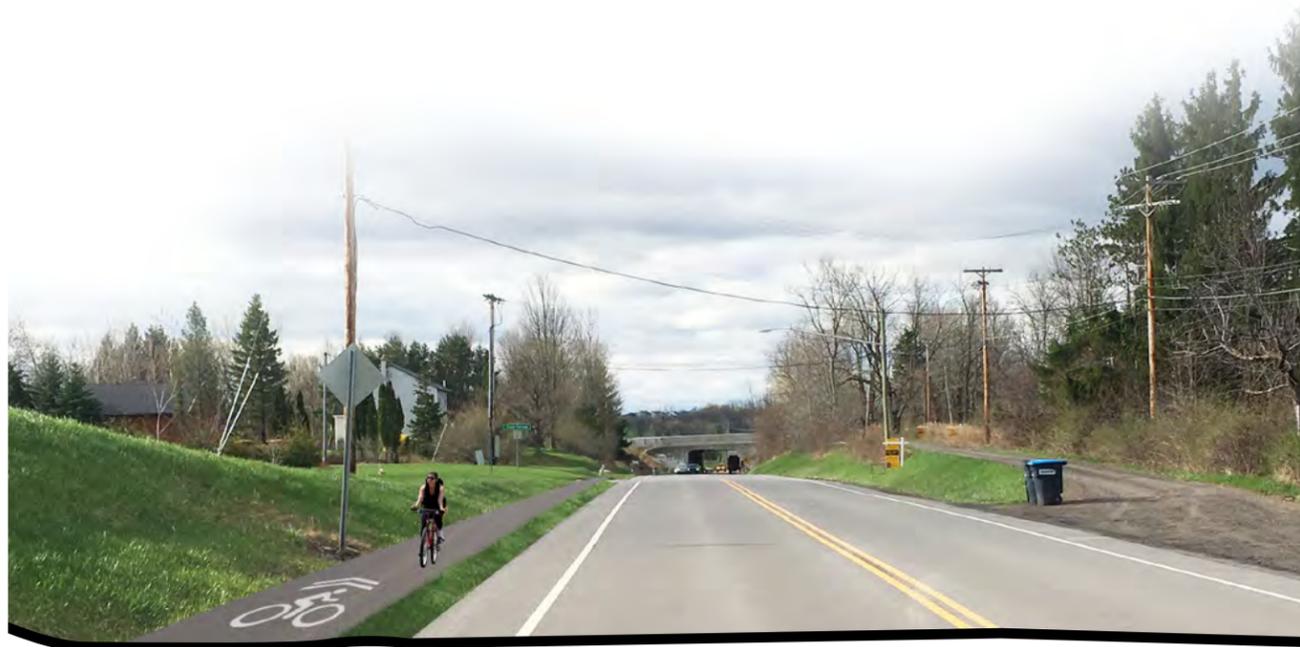
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3 HIGH STREET - LOOKING SOUTH



4 ADAMS STREET - LOOKING SOUTHEAST



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7 VICTOR EGYPT ROAD - LOOKING NORTH

# Town Recreation Hub

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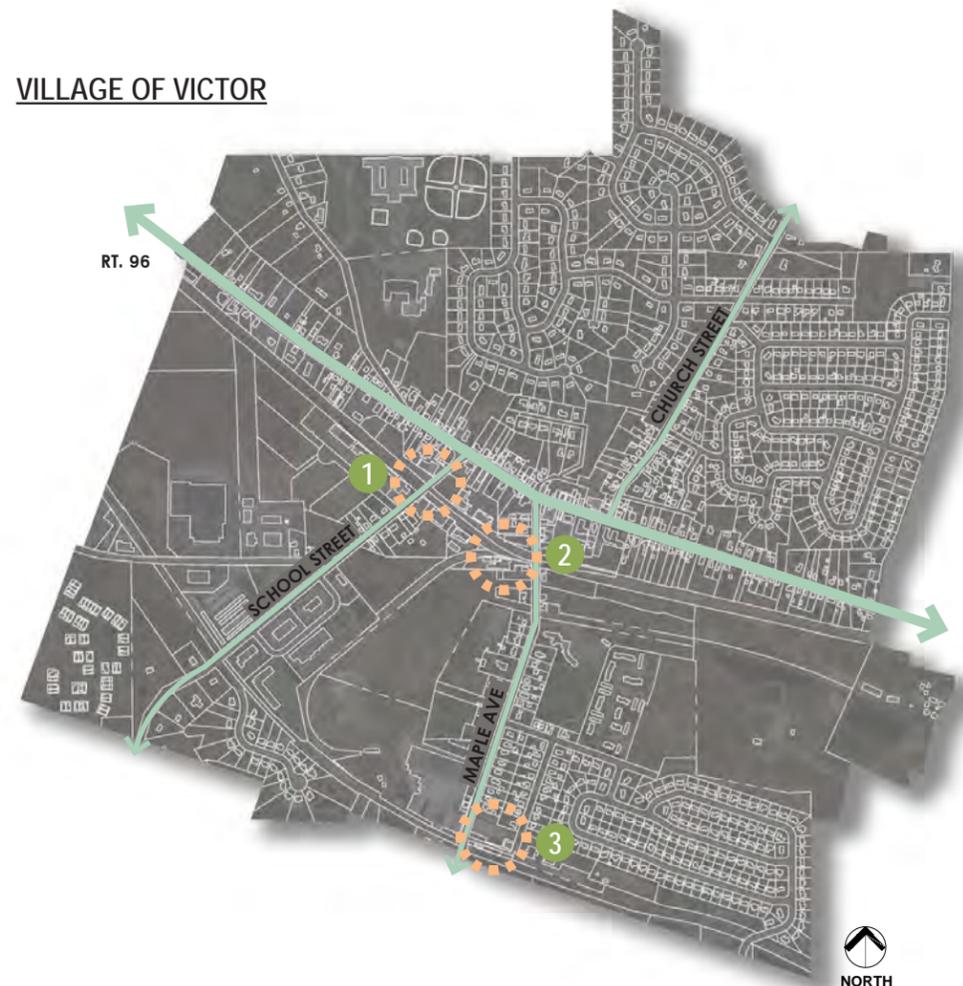
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definition : a center around which other things revolve or from which the radiate; a focus of activity. Authority, commerce, transportation, etc.

source: dictionary.com

By definition a “hub” is the center of an activity - a place from which things revolve and radiate. When developing the recommendations for a Town- Wide Connectivity Plan, the concept of providing a centralized hub for recreation was identified. The Village of Victor is the most logical location for such a hub by providing a meeting point for recreation within the town and region. The consultant team analyzed potential locations within the village and identified three contenders. Each potential “hub” was selected given its proximity to recreation opportunities (trail connections, sidewalks, pathways, bike routes) and amenities (commerce, restaurants, bars, breweries, shops, services). The village, town, and recreation system will benefit both economically and recreationally with the creation of a centralized gather place or hub where recreation users can congregate and socialize. To make the hub a success, partnerships with local commercial developers will be essential in redeveloping or construction a new built gathering place, such as a store geared towards recreation, a restaurant/bar/brewery to provide services to the users before or after their activity, and ample parking and staging area to act as a jumping off point.

The potential ‘hub’ locations are shown on the map below and identified by a corresponding number:



1

### SCHOOL STREET & ADAMS STREET INTERSECTION



A prime location adjacent to Route 96 and the heart of the village. Offers a potential meeting spot for bicyclists coming from either direction of Route 96 as well as from points south from School Street and the Auburn Trail. The vacant lot and available building that was once Victor Coal and Lumber provides the land for future development. With its proximity to the potential Route 96 Local Connector Road Improvements, this location could become a center for activity.

2

### ADAMS STREET & MAPLE AVE INTERSECTION



Located within the core of the village and situated between the Auburn Trail and Route 96 this location provides ample room for parking and staging, just off of Rt. 96 and Maple Ave. The current development along Adams Street would be an ideal location for a recreation themed business or restaurant/bar/brewery serving the recreation users of the town and region.

3

### MAPLE AVE & RAILROAD STREET INTERSECTION



Although further from the center of the village, this potential hub is located along the Auburn Trail and Maple Ave. The existing businesses, restaurant and bar offer a “turn-key” opportunity. Partnership with the existing businesses would provide an instant “hub” for recreation within the town.

# 3 Priority Project: Harlan Fisher Park



## Project Introduction

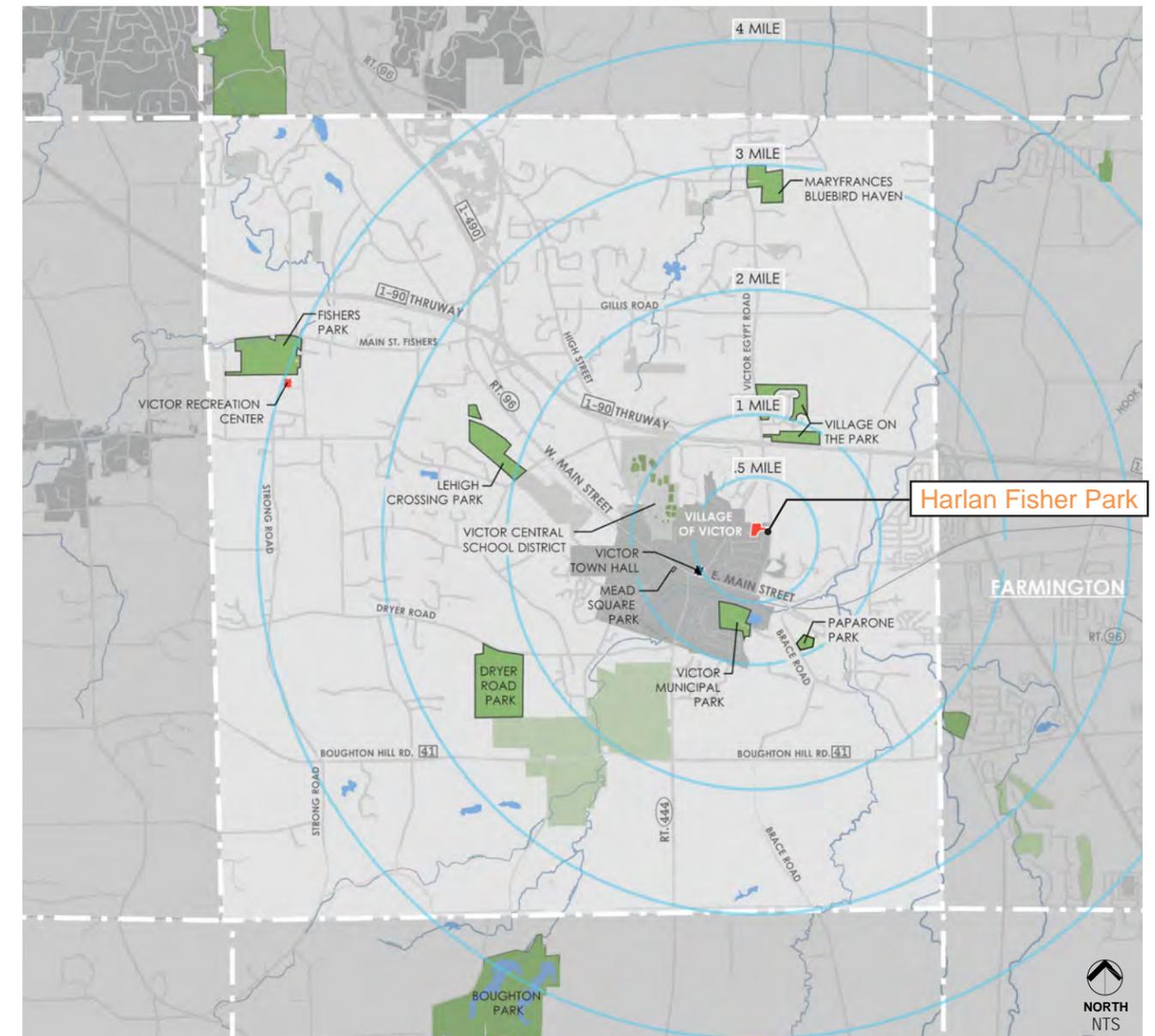
Harlan Fisher Park is located just east of the village center within a high-density residential neighborhood and is one of Victor's first parks. Within walking distance to the businesses along Main Street and the Victor Central School Campus, Harlan Fisher Park has the potential to be a recreation destination within the village.

The park's location provides an important foundation for the proposed connectivity on the east side of town, providing a starting point for the link between the village, Lane Road pedestrian connection, Village on the Park, and MaryFrances Bluebird park to the north. The proposed connections are noted within Priority Project No. 2 – Town-Wide Connectivity. With its intimate, pastoral setting, Harlan Fisher Park provides the community with an intimate park within a mainly residential setting. Surrounded by stands of trees on three sides, the main lawn area within the central portion of park provides a lush open space for active and passive recreation. The seasonal stream and wooden bridge add to the charm of the park.

Priority Project No. 3 is focused on the development of a site improvements master plan for Harlan Fisher Park. This process included a detailed inventory and analysis of the site and the existing recreation features and amenities, the topography and natural environments located within and adjacent to the park, the parks connectivity to the village, town, and adjacent existing and planned residential neighborhoods and developments. During phases 1 and 2 of the overall Master Plan Update Project, the community was very excited about the potential of Harlan Fisher Park and provided valuable insight and recommendations to further enhance this village park. Through the inventory and analysis process recommendations for improvements to the park were generated, these recommendations are included in the following pages.



## Harlan Fisher Park - Location Map



# Inventory & Analysis

**Park Type:** Neighborhood Park

**Recreation Type:** Active/ Passive

**Size:** 6 Acres, .5 miles of trails

**Location Description:** Located within the Village of Victor on the east side of town, this park is bordered by a dense residential neighborhood to the south, Ravenwood Golf Club to the east/ northeast and wooded lands to the north and northwest. The main entrance to the park, including an entrance driveway, is located along Lynaugh Road.

**General Park Description:** With its location in the Village of Victor, the park is underutilized by the surrounding neighborhood and community. The gravel entrance drive and parking area provide adequate parking for the park. The main features of the park include a mulched play area with play equipment for children ages 2-5 years old, a swing set, picnic areas with a barbecue and benches, a wooden bridge that was recently constructed allowing access over a seasonal creek, and an open lawn area. A wooded area surrounds the park on three sides and informal connection pathways lead to the adjacent neighborhoods at East Parkway and Ambassador Drive.

**History & Significance:** Noted as one of the first parks in Victor.

### Landscape Features:

- Wooded areas with native/specimen trees
- Open lawn area
- Seasonal stream/creek
- Pockets of planting

### Recreational Amenities and Conditions:

- Gravel entry drive and parking area- fair/good condition- signs of misuse.
- Open lawn areas- in good conditional, some areas need reseeding
- Play area with natural mulch, play equipment (2-5 yr. olds), swing set, and benches- play equipment and swing set in good condition/ natural mulch safety surface requires seasonal maintenance.
- Picnic area with (2) picnic tables in fair/good condition
- Loop trail along perimeter- cleared footpath and mown pathway in good condition.

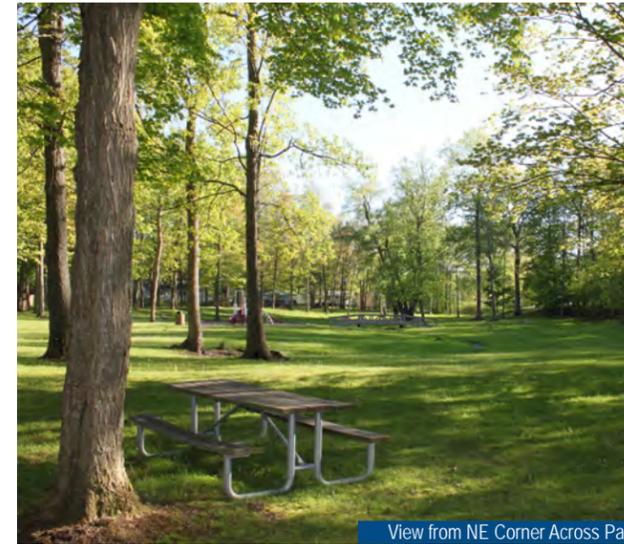
### Signage and Structures:

- Entrance signage and wayfinding signage in fair condition, bird damage present.
- Seasonal/ temporary bathrooms- good condition
- Wooden bridge over seasonal creek- good condition

## Opportunities and Constraints

- High potential to be a great asset for the village, adjacent neighborhood and community. Location provides potential for formalized connections to the adjacent neighborhoods. Existing trails are not inviting and should be rehabilitated.
- Perimeter wooded area creates a natural buffer/screen between adjacent neighborhood and the park- preserve. Additional trails or nature classrooms/play areas could be recommended for the wooded areas of the park- potential programming and school/library partnering opportunity.
- Opportunities for an expanded park program (active/passive recreation), including additional play equipment and seating opportunities.
- Seclusion of the parking area and park may create safety and vandalism issues, recommendations should address this concern.
- Potential trail/pathway connections from the park to the trails/ parks north of the park and the Auburn Trail, Rt. 96 and Municipal Park (Future Papparone Park) to the south.

## Existing Conditions



View from NE Corner Across Park



Centralized Playground



Seasonal Stream



Bridge over Seasonal Stream



Parking Area



Entrance from Lynaugh Road

# HARLAN FISHER PARK

6 ACRES  
TIME OF VISIT:  
SPRING 2019



- GENERAL OBSERVATIONS**
- Under-utilized village/ neighborhood park
  - Parking area in fair condition- repave
  - Large amount of land- potential for trails and/ or nature play areas
  - Close proximity to downtown/ village- first link to east/north east recreation and trail opportunities
  - Great potential for various programs (i.e. nature play / outdoor education areas / field space / playground expansion)



PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT - PHASE III

PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT - PHASE I & II

PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT - PHASE IV

WOODLAND (BUFFER)

WOODLAND (BUFFER)

HARLAN FISHER PARK

EXISTING PARKING AREA

WOODED LAWN AREA

EXISTING CONNECTION TO RESIDENTIAL AREA VIA PATHWAY TO AMBASSADOR DRIVE

EXISTING CONNECTION TO RESIDENTIAL AREA VIA EAST PARKWAY

EXTEND SIDEWALK IN FRONT OF PLANNED DEVELOPMENT TO LINK IN WITH POTENTIAL TRAIL/ PATH TO THE NORTH - LEADING TO LANE ROAD AND PARKS NORTH

EXISTING/ PROPOSED SIDEWALK CONNECTION

RAVENWOOD GOLF CLUB

**LEGEND**

- PRIVATE PROPERTY
- PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT PHASE I, II & III
- PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT PHASE IV

**KEY PLAN**

*\*NOTE: Information for the planned residential development was taken from "Preliminary/ Final Site Plans" prepared by BME Associates dated July 31, 2018*

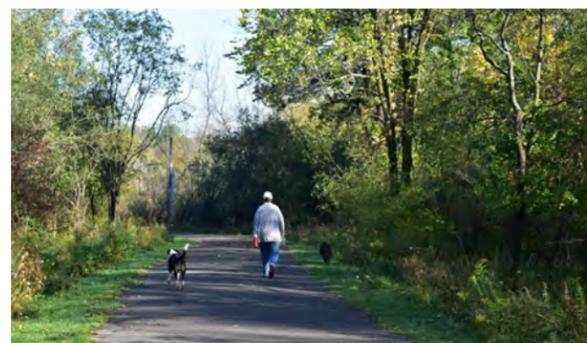
## Park Program Recommendations

A Park Program was developed that directly responds to the information gathered from the community at the public outreach events, the Stakeholder interviews, and the Community Interest Survey. These program recommendations are also based on the inventory and analysis of the site, the existing recreation offerings within the town and region, and an assessment of recreation needs of the within the community.

### Park Program:

Passive Recreation	Description
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Paved Trail Loop/ Park Track</b></li> </ul>	A paved trail loop offers visitors a track that circles the entirety of the park, making it a destination for avid walkers.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Seating Areas</b></li> </ul>	With the varying natural areas within the park, there is an opportunity to highlight those and educate visitors through viewing platforms and interpretive signage.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Picnic Shelters</b></li> </ul>	Picnicking areas are common in most parks, and shelters can be reserved for parties or events.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Tree and Ornamental Planting</b></li> </ul>	The planting of native trees and shrubs is imperative to preserving the natural habitat of the site.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Rain Gardens/ Swale</b></li> </ul>	Rain gardens and green infrastructure help to capture, hold and filter rain water to decrease stormwater run-off. Interpretive signage will help educate visitors about the impact of unfiltered rain water on the environment.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Outdoor Education</b></li> </ul>	An outdoor education area can provide an alternative to the traditional classroom and will help educate students about the diverse natural environment of their town.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Parking Areas and Drop-off Loop</b></li> </ul>	A parking area and drop-off to serve the park and provide better access to the park amenities.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Access Drive/ New Road Connection</b></li> </ul>	Formalize the entry drive off of Lynaugh Road should be realigned to provide a more efficient and clearly defined entry into the park.

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



Active Recreation	Description
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Adventure Course/ Natural Play</b></li> </ul>	An adventure playground offers a more natural, unstructured play experience through the use of ropes courses, tree logs, stumps and boulders
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Traditional Playground</b></li> </ul>	A traditional playground including swings, a play structure, and slides with accessible and inclusive features.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Dog Park</b></li> </ul>	A fenced dog park will provide a safe area for both dogs and their owners to socialize and exercise.

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



## Specialized Park Program

### Dog Park/ Run

"...spaces where dogs can play off-leash are the fastest-growing feature in parks today. Dog parks are sought after by pet owners for multiple reasons. They provide socialization for both pets and their owners. They bring people of all walks of life together in a space where they can form bonds and friendships based on their shared love of dogs. For dogs, especially ones whose owners work long hours, regular dog park visits can provide an outlet to expend stored energy." – "Dog Parks", Parks & Recreation Magazine. November 2, 2018.

Dog parks can be designed to fit within the fabric of most parks and provide an amenity that aids to rejuvenate seemingly underutilized parks and can range in size from less than an acre to multi-acre sites that provide access to varied natural environments. Dog parks offer off-leash play and recreation areas located in a park-like setting, giving dogs and their owners the opportunity to socialize, creating a sense of community.

Dog parks and runs are becoming increasingly popular and according to the National Recreation and Park Association's (NRPA) 2019 Agency Performance Review, close to 60 percent of park and recreation agencies have established dog parks in recent years. The ever-growing dog ownership within the country has contributed to this demand of more off-leash dog areas within towns and public parks. This was made clear during the public outreach events and through the Community Interest Survey conducted in phase 2 of this project, where the community cast 150 votes in favor of including one or more dog park into the town's park and recreation system. Key parks that were identified included: Dryer Road Park, Mead Square Park, Victor Municipal Park, Village on the Park, and the focus of this Priority Project, Harlan Fisher Park.

The benefits of dog parks within the community stray beyond just that of the dogs, a summary of these benefits is noted below:

#### Dog Parks...

- Provide a safe space for the community to exercise their dogs
- Promote increased exercise, physical activity, and outdoor activities in dog owners
- Provides socialization for dogs as well as humans. Dog walking has been proven to encourage people to walk more and helps promote moderate physical activity, thus provides various physical health benefits to owners
- Promote walkable communities and enhance a sense of community and safety with more activity in the community
- Shows a town's commitment to offering various amenities that attract a diverse and active population
- Designated dog areas allow pets to play safely without impacting traffic, walking on private property or creating litter on public streets
- Dog parks can rejuvenate under-utilized parks and spaces



Community interest survey:  
When asked "As the Town of Victor continues to grow, what additional recreation amenities or programs do you think the town should consider for the next 5-10 years?"

**Dog Park Ranked 4th**

Reference: Spencer, A. Dog Parks. Parks & Recreation Magazine. November 2018.

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



Ellison Dog Park, Rochester NY



C. Mitchell Rowe Dog Park, Rochester NY

## Adventure/ Natural Play

The trend in play has been evolving over recent years favoring a more natural, wholistic play, utilizing nature to drive experiences. Natural and adventure playgrounds are important elements with the parks and recreation system and the community because they encourage people to spend time in the outdoors and with the natural environment. Adventure/natural playgrounds encourage children to use their imagination and teach them to take risks while exploring play features that they don't commonly experience in a traditional playground setting. Adventure/natural playgrounds are made of elements that are found in nature such as logs, rocks, sticks, vines, sand and water. These elements can be moved and manipulated to create custom play and exploratory environments fostering a diverse and dynamic play. This type of play aids in childhood development, creativity, peer cooperation and spontaneous play. There are many benefits to adventure/ natural play, many of which are listed below:

#### Adventure / Natural Play ...

- Connect children and adults with the natural environment through natural play
- Creates dynamic and fluid play areas with ever changing parts keeping the interest of the users to promote creativity
- Encourages cooperation and teamwork with others. As children plan and create projects in natural play areas they tend to work cooperatively with other children and can form a sense of camaraderie
- Encourage children to think creatively and use problem solving skills to achieve a desired outcome
- Improve physical fitness and strength, along with balance and coordination skills. Children exercise by running along trails, jumping and climbing over logs, stumps and boulders, rolling down hills, crawling through tunnels and other structure
- Create an appreciation for the natural environment and promote environmental stewardship

Reference: Crampton, Linda Natural Playground for Children: Advantages and Problems, 01/04/2018

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



The Harley School, Rochester NY



Highland Park Lilac Adventure Zone: Rochester, NY

## Outdoor Classroom/ Education

An outdoor classroom/ education area is an extension of a traditional indoor classroom setting that provides a broad array of learning environments, experiences and opportunities for hands-on, real-world education in the outdoors. It is commonly believed that children and adults benefit from spending more time in the outdoor environment, as outdoor experiences stimulate the senses, provide the opportunity to observe and experience what is being taught, and teach the community how to connect with nature.

Outdoor classrooms/ education areas provide a gathering space for the community to come together and learn about the natural environment through organized workshops or seminars, school age class field trips, education events facilitated through community organizations, or through personal exploration and education. Education stations and interpretive signage and elements can help to reinforce and support the underlying education message and theme of the classroom or area. There are many forms and shapes an outdoor classroom/nature area can take but the primary goal of these area is to connect the community with nature in a fun and exciting learning environment. Outdoor classrooms/natural areas are valuable resources within the community that should be included within the Parks and Recreation System and have many benefits within the community as indicated below.

**Outdoor Classrooms / Nature Areas ...**

- Promote learning that can only take place outdoors
- Provide an opportunity for hands-on, experience-based learning for all community members of all ages and abilities
- Increase a student's physical, mental and social health by reducing stress and restoring attention while being engaged in thoughtful and interesting activities
- Promote a comprehensive and holistic educational and social background
- Provide a stimulating and engaging environment for students who may struggle in a traditional classroom setting
- Prepare the community for life-long environment values and stewardship

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



The Harley School, Rochester NY



Woodland Outdoor Classroom

### Precedent/ Inspiration Images



Bio-swale at Twelve Corners Middle School, Rochester NY



Interpretive Signage at Twelve Corners Middle School, Rochester NY



Interpretive Signage at the Brickyard Trail, Rochester NY

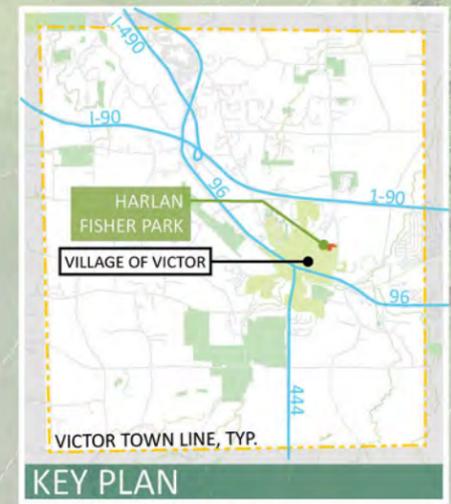


PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT (GULLACE DEVELOPMENT)

TOWN OF VICTOR LIMITS

SIDEWALK CONNECTION AT PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT

RAVENWOOD GOLF COURSE



**PROGRAM KEY**

1	MAIN ENTRANCE - REALIGNMENT/ EXPANSION
2	PARKING AREA
3	PICNIC AREA AND PAVILION
4	TRADITIONAL PLAY AREA
5	TRAIL LOOP
6	FENCED DOG PARK AREA
7	SEASONAL STREAM/ WOODEN BRIDGE
8	OPEN LAWN
9	NORTH CONNECTION
10	ADVENTURE COURSE/ NATURAL PLAY AREA
11	WEST NEIGHBORHOOD ENTRANCE
12	OUTDOOR LEARNING/ EDUCATION AREA
13	WOODLAND SEATING AREA
14	SOUTH NEIGHBORHOOD ENTRANCE
15	PLANTING BUFFER AT PROPERTY LINE

**LEGEND**

	EXISTING SIDEWALK
	PROPOSED SIDEWALK
	PROPOSED TRAIL
	FUTURE TRAIL/ SIDEWALK
	SIDEWALK/ TRAIL CONNECTION
	PROPOSED DECIDUOUS TREE
	PROPOSED CONIFER TREE

SAVE AND PROTECT EXISTING SPECIMEN OAK TREE  
 MAINTAIN SELECT TREES/ EXISTING TREE CANOPY, REMOVE NON-VIABLE/ DEAD TREES

REMOVE EXISTING PARKING AREA  
 EXISTING SIDEWALK ALONG LYNAUGH RD.

REMOVE EXISTING PATHS AND PLAYGROUND

PROTECT AND PRESERVE EXISTING WILLOW TREE

MAINTAIN EXISTING TREE CANOPY

POTENTIAL SIDEWALK CONNECTION TO RESIDENTIAL AREAS/ VILLAGE TO THE SOUTH

**PRIORITY PROJECT NO. 3 - HARLAN FISHER PARK**

# Harlan Fisher Park

- 1 Main Entrance – Realignment/Expansion:**  
Remove the existing asphalt/ gravel driveway and parking area and provide a new asphalt park entry driveway leading from Lynaugh Road to the new parking area within the park. The realigned entry drive will create a more appealing entry into the park for both pedestrians and vehicles. Provide a new pedestrian crosswalk at the entrance drive to provide a safe crossing and connect the existing sidewalk along Lynaugh Road to the proposed sidewalk at the planned residential development to the north of the park. Provide a new sidewalk/path connection to the north of the main entry drive to link the street sidewalk system with the pathway/trail network within the park. Provide new tree plantings along the entry drive and sidewalk to enhance the planted buffer between the park and the adjacent property line to the north and south. Provide new park signage along Lynaugh Road. Coordinate with the required utility agencies to relocate any conflicting utility services, poles or structures as needed.
- 2 Parking Area:**  
Remove the existing asphalt/ gravel parking area and install a new asphalt parking area to accommodate 20-25 vehicles. Provide a drop-off loop for pedestrian access to the new picnic pavilion and play area. Provide an asphalt or concrete path adjacent to the drop-off area and to link the western most parking spaces to the picnic and play area. Provide planting islands and evergreen and ornamental plantings to screen the parking area from the adjacent properties.
- 3 Picnic Area and Pavilion:**  
Provide a new picnic pavilion on concrete pad adjacent to the new playground area. Structure shall be large enough to house 15-30 park users. Provide picnic tables, benches and trash receptacles and seating area and pathway connection to proposed playground.
- 4 Traditional Play Area:**  
Provide a new traditional play area adjacent to the parking area and pavilion to serve ages 2-12. Install new play equipment to serve all age groups and user levels. Provide play features that promote inclusive / accessible play, including additional swings, at-ground play panels, and ramped landings and transfer points. Provide a shade structure to shield portions of the play equipment from the sun while existing shade trees grow and develop. As budget allows, provide rubberized safety surfacing to entire play area. Provide fencing at the perimeter of the playground area to segregate the play area from the parking area.
- 5 Trail Loop:**  
Provide a continuous perimeter trail paved with stone screenings or asphalt pavement around the perimeter of the park linking all park amenities. Trail loop shall connection to north, west, south and parking area trail/path connections.
- 6 Fenced Dog Park Area:**  
Provide a fenced and formal dog park area for use by the adjacent residential areas and the entire community. The dog park shall include an ornamental fence with entry gate, trees and plantings installed along the perimeter to screen the area from the surrounding park and to provide shade to the dog park area, and benches and trash receptacles for the users. Provide water fountains for both dogs and people and a hose bib for general clean up. Seek partnership opportunities for the general oversight and maintenance of the dog park. Preserve select trees and protect them from the general dog park area. Selective pruning and removal will be required to install the paved dog park area and fencing.
- 7 Seasonal Stream/Wooden Bridge:**  
Enhance the existing seasonal stream/ swale within the central portion of the park to create a learning/ educational stream. Enhancements to include the addition of natural rounded stone for creek beds, native wetland type plantings, and marginal stream plantings. Stream to be used in conjunction with the outdoor learning/educational area to educate the community on stormwater management and wetland ecosystems. The existing bridge shall remain. Perform regular inspections and address any issues. Regularly scheduled maintenance should be performed on the bridge, including sanding and staining (optional) the structure using products that are sensitive to the creek’s ecosystem. Once bridge has reached its usable life, replace the structure with new, sustainable materials.
- 8 Open Lawn:**  
Preserve and enhance the existing open lawn areas within the park. Regular care and maintenance will be required.
- 9 North Connection - To Planned Residential Development (Gullace Development):**  
Provide a connection to the planned residential development (Gullace development) to the north of the park. Coordinate connections with planned pathways within the planned development and the developer. Refer to the Park Context and Connection Map in this Priority Project section and to the Priority Project No. 1- Town Wide Connectivity Plan in Chapter 5, Priority Projects.
- 10 Adventure Course/Natural Play Area:**  
Utilize the unique wooded area located in the northwest area of the park to create a nature play/ adventure play and outdoor classroom area. Provide features that encourage the user to play and build using natural elements, including logs, rocks, vines, soils and sand. Provide a simple rope or climbing course and seating. Provide an educational area with room to host small gatherings/classes and supporting interpretive signage and information kiosks, providing the park users with the opportunity to learn about the natural environment, plants and wildlife that are found within the park and the region.
- 11 West Neighborhood Entrance:**  
Provide a formal entrance to the existing neighborhood west of the park. The new pathway shall be asphalt/ stone dust pavement, with a potential drop off at the end of East Parkway to service the park. Provide new park signage at all entrances.
- 12 Outdoor Learning/ Education Area- “Learning Ring”:**  
Utilize the cleared open lawn area beneath the existing tree canopy to create an outdoor classroom and education station that will provide information on the rich and diverse natural environment existing within the park and the region. Include supporting interpretive signage and information kiosks. The design of the area was influenced by the cross-section of a tree – tree rings. Provide seating arranged in a ring pattern facing a presentation area/ stage to the northeast portion of the space.

- 13 Woodland Seating Area:**  
Provide a designated seating area along the trail loop to take advantage of the wonderful view that this area has of the entire park. Provide benches and an expanded trail area.
- 14 South Neighborhood Entrance:**  
Provide a more appealing park access path and entry by removing the chain link fence adjacent to the east and replace with a wood/vinyl fence along the adjacent properties. Provide a paved surface (asphalt or stone dust) linking the trail loop within the park to the existing sidewalks along Ambassador Drive. Coordinate the removal of the existing fence and new ornamental plantings along the perimeter of the path with the adjacent neighbors to create a more inviting access path. Provide new park signage at all entrances.
- 15 Planting Buffer at Property Line:**  
Provide additional shade and evergreen trees and screening plants at the perimeter of the park at the property lines to screen the park from the neighbor’s fence and properties.

## HARLAN FISHER PARK - Magnitude of Probable Cost

Recommended Action	Time Frame	Magnitude of Probable Cost
1. Main Entrance - Realignment/ Expansion	0-5 YEARS	\$80,000.00
2. Parking Area	0-5 YEARS	\$133,500.00
3. Picnic Area and Pavilion	0-5 YEARS	\$95,500.00
4. Traditional Play Area	0-5 YEARS	\$330,500.00
5. Trail Loop	0-5 YEARS	\$40,000.00
6. Fenced Dog Park Area	0-5 YEARS	\$103,000.00
7. Seasonal Stream/ Wooden Bridge	0-5 YEARS	\$88,000.00
8. Open Lawn	0-5 YEARS	Ongoing
9. North Connection	0-5 YEARS	\$7,500.00
10. Adventure Course/ Natural Play Area	0-10 YEARS	\$114,000.00
11. West Neighborhood Entrance	0-5 YEARS	\$9,000.00
12. Outdoor Learning/ Education Area	0-5 YEARS	\$28,000.00
13. Woodland Seating Area	0-5 YEARS	\$9,400.00
14. South Neighborhood Entrance	0-5 YEARS	\$13,500.00
15. Buffer/ Screen Property Line	0-5 YEARS	\$44,000.00

*\*Refer to the Magnitude of Probable Cost Statement on Page 109 for additional information.*

# 06 Implementation Approach



# Implementation

This Park and Recreation Master Plan Update incorporates the community's shared vision for the future of the parks and recreation system within the Town of Victor. The previous chapters identified system-wide and specific park and recreation improvements desired to enhance and improve the services and amenities offered in the community. This chapter provides the framework needed to implement these goals and recommendations.

## Prioritization & Phasing

As detailed in Chapter 4 of this Master Plan, establishing specific timelines to accomplish the improvements recommended for the parks and recreation system and individual parks is a critical component in the success of the master plan and the evolution of the parks and recreation system within the Town of Victor. By establishing a set timeline for implementation, the support and funding for specific projects can be planned for and included in the town's capital plan for the coming years. The community's support for the parks and recreation system will grow as they see the town's commitment for implementing the projects and needs identified during the public outreach process.

It will be important to reevaluate the current recreation needs and desires of the community, its stake holder organizations, and partners over time. The priority improvements and projects listed within this document may change depending on community support, current trends, and available funding sources.

## Partnership & Collaboration

### Volunteer and Community Based Action

Through the public outreach and stakeholder interviews the community expressed a great interest and desire to be involved with the planning and implementation of parks and recreation improvements within the community. It should be the charge of the Parks and Recreation Department and the members of the Parks and Recreation Citizens' Advisory Committee to foster this relationship and work with the community to implement the recommendations of this master plan. Specific events and activities should be planned to achieve a common goal, such as semi-annual park clean up days, manageable scale site improvement or park enhancement projects, and continued stewardship for the park and recreation assets within the community.



## Stakeholder Community Organizations

In addition to partnering with community volunteers and as indicated throughout this Master Plan, the Parks and Recreation Department should strive to enhance and build new connections to assist in planning, funding and implementing specific improvements.

**Victor Hiking Trails and Genesee Regional Off-road Cyclists**



Trails and Pathways

**Victor Central School District**



Athletic fields, Recreation Center/ Facility, Aquatics, Town-Wide Connectivity

**Victor Farmington Public Library**



Education, arts, special events

**Historical, Cultural, Environmental Organizations**



Interpretive, educational, cultural, events

**Civic Organizations**  
(Lyons Club, Boy Scouts, Local Development Corporation, Religious Organizations, United Way, Kiwanis Club of Farmington – Victor, Rotary Club of Victor – Farmington)



Specific community-based projects, events and educational programs

**Private Organizations**  
(Rochester Accessible Adventures and Private Companies)



Programs, inclusive/ accessible recreation upgrades and planning, event/ educational program partners, specific projects supporting themes and goals

**Athletic Organizations**



New Fields, Amenities, capital improvements, maintenance, increased awareness

**Town, County and State Organizations and Departments**



Coordinate projects, on road and off, comprehensive approach, funding resources, land acquisitions for public and park projects, transportation initiatives

**Current and potential residential and commercial developers**



Parks & Recreation Trust Fund, environmental easements, partnership on events/ special projects

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# Funding Sources & Financing

## Parks and Recreation Trust Fund

Continue to maintain the Parks and Recreation Trust Fund enabled by Section 277 of the New York State Town Law which states that a town may, “prior to approval by the planning board of plats require developers to reserve land suitable for parks, playground, or other recreation purposes or, in lieu thereof, to pay money to the town to be held in a trust fund for the purchase of land for recreation or park purposes, construction of recreation facilities, or maintenance of existing recreation facilities”.

As stated in the 2007 Master Plan, the recommendations of this Master Plan Update should also be used as documentation of the appropriateness of accepting specific parcels of land. Unless a proposed parcel is specifically desired by the town for a stated recreation purpose, the town should accept payment of fees for the trust fund to acquire and develop park land as proposed in this Master Plan Update.

Seeing that there has not been a reevaluation review of the parks and recreation fee for the past 10 years, increase this fee of \$1,500 per new home built to \$1,750- \$2,000 and apply it to the parks and recreation fund. The benefits of the additional park lands and recreation amenities should outweigh the additional fee seeing that the town’s standard of living will be increased by its addition to the community.

### Local Funding Sources

Identify dedicated funding opportunities to support the implementation of specific improvement projects and/or programs that would benefit the community. A town-initiated bond or levy could be recommended to fund specific recreation improvements, land acquisitions, or programs. The Parks and Recreation Department and the Citizens’ Advisory Committee should identify specific recommendations outlined in this master plan and develop a project outline and funding package, including community benefits, potential revenue, and potential community and town based support. The community will then be required to approve the initiative through a vote to approve the bond or levy.

### Cost Sharing

Building on the current inter-municipal agreements the town has with the village and Victor Central School District, continue to foster and develop new agreements with community, municipal, and private organizations to share in the costs of implementing, maintaining and enhancing the recreation services and amenities provided to the community. Explore the potential to partner with adjacent communities and regional entities through inter-municipal agreements created to share in the costs of the recommendation outlined in this Master Plan Update.

### Donations

Preserve and build relationships with potential recreation advocates including special interest groups, service clubs, developers, corporations, and individuals with sources of money, land, materials, and volunteers able to be donated to assist in the implementation and maintenance of the recreation amenities and services as identified in the recommendations.

### Foundations

Foundations are valuable partners that can assist with and promote a specific recreation programs geared towards a theme or mission. The Parks and Recreation Department should continue to collaborate with community and regional foundations to implement the recommendation of this plan.

Victor Community Center Inc. is a local tax-exempt organization that can receive tax-deductible gifts or donations. Created in 1993, the foundations mission is to “promote wholesome recreation, maintain a place or headquarter to arrange activities, and to promote and be a focal point for lawful recreation activities”. The funds generated through this foundation are primarily intended for the planning and implementation of a community recreation center and can also be used to support other initiatives presented in this plan.

### User Fees

With the improvements and added amenities recommended as part of this Master Plan Update, recreation fees should be reviewed and adjusted to help support and maintain the current and future offerings of the parks and recreation system. Users fees generated through recreation programs are a valuable revenue source that should be applied directly to maintaining the operations and expanding the offerings of the Parks and Recreation Department. Fees should be regularly evaluated and adjusted as required to provide the community with the high level of service that is accustom in the Town.

### Additional Funds or Grants

Explore and apply for one or more of the following grant opportunities. The list of possible funding sources includes both private and governmental (State and Federal) organizations that offer grants for the implementation of specific parks and recreation projects. Continuing identification and evaluation of potential funding sources will be required to ensure that all avenues are explored:

#### New York State Opportunities

- Consolidated Funding Application (CFA)
- Environmental Protection Fund Grant Program for Parks, Preservation and Heritage (EPF)
- Recreational Trails Program (RTP) – assistance program with the US Department of Transportation’s Federal highway Administration (FHWA)
- Parks Matching Grants Program
- Land and Water Conservation Fund Program
- NYS Park and Trail Partnership Program Grants
- NYS Office for Small Cities – Community Development Block Grant
- NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
- NYS Department of State
- NYS Department of Transportation

#### Federal and Additional Opportunities

- Transportation Alternatives Program
- The Trust for Public Land
- National Scenic Byways Program
- American Hiking Society National Trails Fund
- AARP Community Challenge Grant Program
- US Department of Agriculture Community Facility Grants
- Partners for Wildlife
- National Parks Service Land and Water Conservation Fund
- National Parks Service Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership
- National Parks Service river, trails and Conservation Assistance Programs
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
- Finish Line Youth Foundation
- KaBOOM!
- People for Bikes
- Shane’s Inspiration

# Appendices

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# Appendix I: Community Interest Survey Results



# Community Interest Survey

The following pages will showcase the Community Interest Survey Results. This survey was launched to the public on June 21, 2018 and was closed in September 2018.



## Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey

**Objective:** The Town has initiated the process of updating its Parks and Recreation Master Plan. Our goal is to build upon past plans to ensure that we are providing the quality of life facilities and services that you see as important in our community. The results of this survey will help guide us in the funding and implementation of future parks and recreation improvements. *We will accept individual responses or one from a household.*

**Age** (Please check all that apply to you or the members of your household)

- |  |   |   |   |
|--|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preschool<br>Ages Infant - 4 yrs. | <input type="checkbox"/> School<br>Ages 5 – 12 yrs.     | <input type="checkbox"/> Teen<br>Ages 13 – 18 yrs.        | <input type="checkbox"/> Young<br>Adult Ages 19 – 29 yrs. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adulthood<br>Ages 30 – 49 yrs.    | <input type="checkbox"/> Adulthood<br>Ages 50 – 69 yrs. | <input type="checkbox"/> Adulthood<br>Ages 70 yrs. & over |   |

**Are you a Victor Resident?**

- Yes     No – What Town do you reside in? \_\_\_\_\_

### Current Patterns of Recreational Use:

**Recreation Facilities:** Please indicate **all** Town and Village owned facilities that you currently use.

- |   |   |  |  |   |
|---|---|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Victor Recreation Center (Lehigh Crossing Rd)          | <input type="checkbox"/> Victor Municipal Park (Paparone Dr/Brace Rd) | <input type="checkbox"/> Lehigh Crossing Park (Victor-Mendon Rd) | <input type="checkbox"/> Dryer Road Park (Dryer Road)                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Village on the Park (Duck Hollow /Rainbow Run) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MaryFrances Bluebird Haven (Valentown/Victor-Egypt Rd) | <input type="checkbox"/> Fishers Park (Main St. Fishers)              | <input type="checkbox"/> Harlan Fisher Park (Lynaugh Rd)         | <input type="checkbox"/> Boughton Park (Boughton / Stirine Rd)           |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Auburn Trail   | <input type="checkbox"/> Lehigh Valley Trail                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Seneca Trail                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Monkey Run Trails (Valentown & Victor-Egypt Rd) |   |

**Other facilities that I use** (Ex: Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools, Perinton Comm.Ctr.) \_\_\_\_\_

**Recreation Programs:** Please indicate **all** programs that you or your family **currently** participate in or attend.

- Special Events** (Ex: Concerts in the Park, Memorial Day Parade, Egg Hunt, Fishing Derby, Trunk or Treat...)
- Pre-School Activities** (Ex: Come & Play, Dance, Little Dribblers, Sporty Sprouts...)
- Youth Activities** (Ex: Day Camp, Basketball League, Afterschool Program, Recess Days, Nature Camp...)
- Pre-teen / Teen Activities** (Ex Adventure Club, Trip Camp, Babysitting Classes, Ski Club...)
- Aquatics Programs** (Ex: Swim Lessons, Tot Swimming, Lap Swim in the A.M....)
- Adult Programs** (Ex: Drop-in Sports, Fitness, Community Band & Chorus, Financial Planning, Art Club...)
- Senior Citizen Programs** (Ex: Out to Lunch Bunch, Coach Bus Trips, Monthly Luncheons, Wii Bowling, Monthly Luncheons...)

Other recreation programs and activities that are not currently offered by the Dept. of Parks and Recreation that I participate in elsewhere would include:

If you do not currently use Department of Parks and Recreation facilities or participate in recreation programs, what are your **barriers to participation**?

- |   |   |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cost / Too Expensive | <input type="checkbox"/> Location / Too Far | <input type="checkbox"/> Facilities / Programs Don't Match My Interest | <input type="checkbox"/> I Use Other Facilities / Programs |
|---|---|--|--|

**Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey**

**Future Recreation Needs / Improvements / Desires:**

As the Town continues to grow, what additional recreational amenities or programs do you think the Town should consider for the next 5 to 10 years?

**Recreation Facilities** Check all that apply and please write in suggestions.

- |   |  |  |   |
|---|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lodges / Picnic Shelters   | <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Athletic Fields Type: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Playground | <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Basketball / Tennis / Pickle Ball Courts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Pool / Splash Park | <input type="checkbox"/> Skate / BMX / Action Sports Park    | <input type="checkbox"/> Dog Park              | <input type="checkbox"/> Indoor Basketball / Tennis / Pickle Ball Courts  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Indoor Turf Athletic Field | <input type="checkbox"/> Nature Center / Fishing Pond & Dock | <input type="checkbox"/> Trails / Bikeways     | <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Skating / Hockey Rink                        |

**Other** recreation facilities that I would suggest \_\_\_\_\_

Which three (3) of the above facilities do you feel are the most important to include in the updated Parks and Recreation Master Plan?

1<sup>st</sup> Priority \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Priority \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> Priority \_\_\_\_\_

**Recreation Programs:** Please indicate **all** program areas that you or your family would like to see more of!

- Special Events** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Pre-School Activities** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Youth Activities** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Pre-teen / Teen Activities** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Inclusive Programming for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Aquatics Programs** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Adult Programs** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Senior Citizen Programs** including \_\_\_\_\_
- Other** programs or activities of interest include: \_\_\_\_\_

The Town currently leases its recreation facility at a cost of \$14,000 / month. **Should we pursue the evaluation of a Town-owned recreation facility?**

- Yes  No

Do you support the Town **expanding its existing system of sidewalks, shared use paths and trails** to promote bicycle and pedestrian connectivity between our parks, schools, neighborhoods, businesses and community gathering places?

- Yes  No

**How do you obtain information about the Department of Parks and Recreation?** (Check all that apply):

- |  |                                  |   |                                       |
|--|----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation Brochure | <input type="checkbox"/> Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media       | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Mouth       | <input type="checkbox"/> School  | <input type="checkbox"/> Business / Library | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

**Is there anything else that you would like to share?** \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your input. Once community priorities are determined and costs assigned, additional public outreach will occur. Results of this survey will be published at public input sessions and as part of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan update. If you would like to be added to a project email notification list to keep updated on the progress of our project, please provide your contact information below:

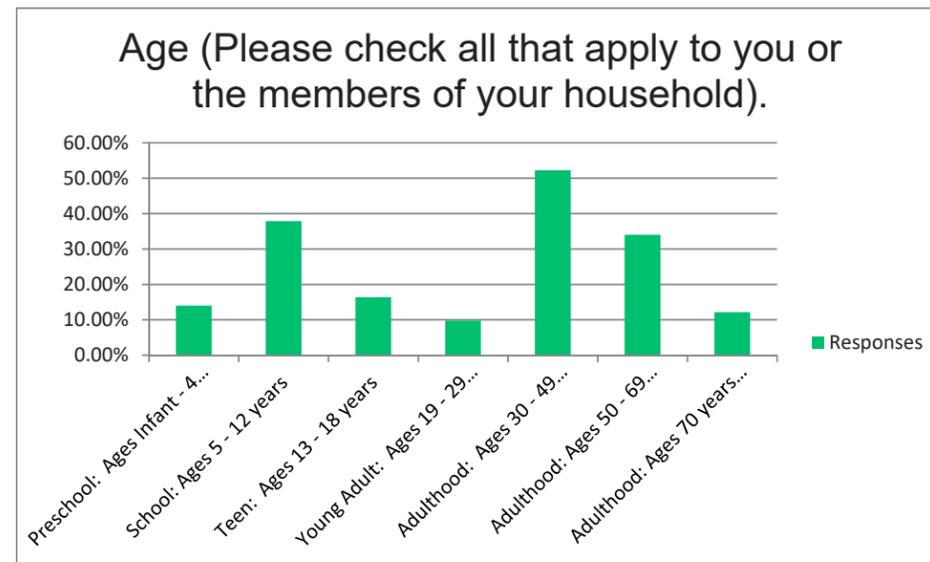
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**Question 01**

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey

**Age (Please check all that apply to you or the members of your household).**

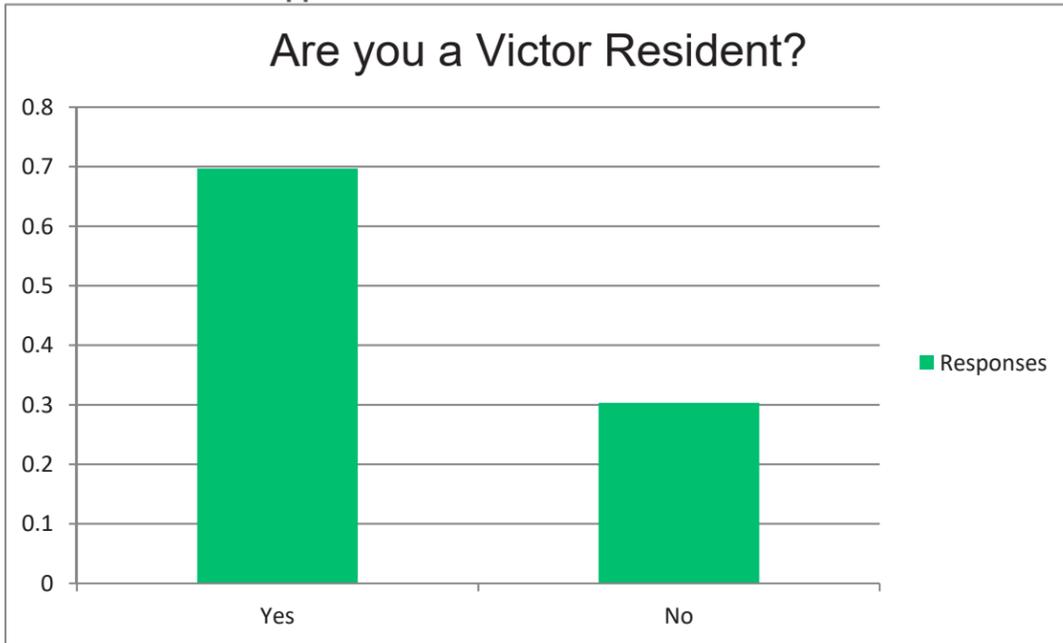
Answer Choices	Responses	
Preschool: Ages Infant - 4 years	13.97%	76
School: Ages 5 - 12 years	37.87%	206
Teen: Ages 13 - 18 years	16.36%	89
Young Adult: Ages 19 - 29 years	9.74%	53
Adulthood: Ages 30 - 49 years	52.21%	284
Adulthood: Ages 50 - 69 years	34.01%	185
Adulthood: Ages 70 years and older	12.13%	66
<b>Answered</b>		<b>544</b>
<b>Skipped</b>		<b>1</b>



## Question 02

### Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey Are you a Victor Resident?

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	69.67%	379
No	30.33%	165
Town do you reside in?		263
<b>Answered</b>		<b>544</b>
<b>Skipped</b>		<b>1</b>



Date	If No - What Town do you reside in?
1 Oct 23 2018	Victor
2 Oct 23 2018	Farmington
3 Sep 26 2018	Victor
4 Sep 18 2018	Victor
5 Sep 17 2018	Bloomfield
6 Sep 15 2018	Victor
7 Sep 14 2018	Victor
8 Sep 13 2018	Victor
9 Sep 08 2018	VICTOR
10 Sep 05 2018	Victor
11 Sep 03 2018	Victor
12 Aug 30 2018	Farmington
13 Aug 30 2018	Brighton
14 Aug 28 2018	Walworth
15 Aug 28 2018	Rochester
16 Aug 27 2018	Fishers
17 Aug 25 2018	Farmington
18 Aug 25 2018	Canandaigua
19 Aug 25 2018	Victor

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20 Aug 24 2018	Irondequoit
21 Aug 24 2018	Canandaigua
22 Aug 24 2018	Farmington
23 Aug 24 2018	Victor
24 Aug 23 2018	Victor
25 Aug 23 2018	Bloomfield
26 Aug 23 2018	Mendon
27 Aug 23 2018	Victor
28 Aug 23 2018	Victor
29 Aug 23 2018	Farmington
30 Aug 22 2018	Fairport
31 Aug 22 2018	Canandaigua
32 Aug 22 2018	Farmington
33 Aug 22 2018	Penfield
34 Aug 22 2018	Farmington
35 Aug 22 2018	Canandaigua
36 Aug 22 2018	Farmington
37 Aug 22 2018	Waterloo
38 Aug 22 2018	Victor
39 Aug 13 2018	Farmington
40 Aug 10 2018	Walworth
41 Aug 08 2018	Victor
42 Aug 07 2018	Victor
43 Aug 02 2018	Canandaigua
44 Aug 02 2018	Canandaigua
45 Aug 02 2018	Victor
46 Aug 01 2018	Farmington
47 Aug 01 2018	VICTOR
48 Aug 01 2018	Victor
49 Aug 01 2018	Farmington
50 Jul 31 2018 C	Farmington
51 Jul 31 2018 C	Farmington
52 Jul 31 2018 C	Farmington
53 Jul 31 2018 C	Farmington
54 Jul 31 2018 C	VICTOR
55 Jul 31 2018 C	Farmington
56 Jul 31 2018 C	Farmington
57 Jul 31 2018 C	VICTOR
58 Jul 30 2018 C	Farmingotn
59 Jul 30 2018 1	VICTOR
60 Jul 28 2018 C	Farmington
61 Jul 27 2018 C	Victor
62 Jul 26 2018 C	FARMINGTON
63 Jul 23 2018 1	Farmington
64 Jul 22 2018 1	Farmington

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Are you a Victor Resident?**

65	Jul 20 2018	1	Victor
66	Jul 18 2018	0	Victor
67	Jul 18 2018	0	Victor
68	Jul 17 2018	1	Farmington
69	Jul 16 2018	1	Branchport
70	Jul 15 2018	0	Victor
71	Jul 15 2018	1	Victor
72	Jul 15 2018	0	Farmington
73	Jul 15 2018	0	Farmington
74	Jul 15 2018	0	Farmington
75	Jul 14 2018	1	Victor
76	Jul 14 2018	0	East Bloomfield
77	Jul 13 2018	0	Victor
78	Jul 12 2018	0	Victor
79	Jul 12 2018	0	Farmington
80	Jul 12 2018	0	Victor
81	Jul 12 2018	0	Victor
82	Jul 12 2018	1	Victor
83	Jul 12 2018	0	Victor
84	Jul 12 2018	0	Farmington
85	Jul 12 2018	0	Farmington
86	Jul 12 2018	0	victor
87	Jul 12 2018	0	Victor
88	Jul 11 2018	0	VICTOR
89	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
90	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
91	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
92	Jul 11 2018	0	Victor
93	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
94	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
95	Jul 11 2018	0	VICTOR
96	Jul 11 2018	0	Victor
97	Jul 11 2018	1	Farmington
98	Jul 11 2018	1	VICTOR
99	Jul 11 2018	1	Victor
100	Jul 11 2018	1	Victor
101	Jul 11 2018	1	Victor
102	Jul 11 2018	1	Victor
103	Jul 11 2018	1	Victor
104	Jul 11 2018	1	Farmington
105	Jul 11 2018	1	Perinton
106	Jul 11 2018	1	Farmington
107	Jul 11 2018	1	Victor
108	Jul 11 2018	1	Macedon
109	Jul 11 2018	0	Victor

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Are you a Victor Resident?**

110	Jul 11 2018	0	Victor
111	Jul 11 2018	0	Bergen
112	Jul 11 2018	0	Mendon
113	Jul 11 2018	0	Mendon
114	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
115	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
116	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
117	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
118	Jul 11 2018	0	Farmington
119	Jul 11 2018	0	Victor
120	Jul 09 2018	1	Farmington
121	Jul 09 2018	1	Victor
122	Jul 09 2018	0	Farmington
123	Jul 09 2018	1	victor
124	Jul 09 2018	1	Fishers
125	Jul 08 2018	1	Victor
126	Jul 05 2018	0	Henrietta
127	Jul 04 2018	0	Perinton
128	Jul 04 2018	0	farmington
129	Jul 02 2018	0	Victor
130	Jul 02 2018	0	Victor
131	Jul 01 2018	0	Rochester
132	Jun 30 2018	0	Victor
133	Jun 28 2018	0	Canandaigua
134	Jun 28 2018	0	Irondequoit
135	Jun 28 2018	0	Fairport
136	Jun 28 2018	0	rochester
137	Jun 28 2018	0	Rochester
138	Jun 28 2018	0	Brighton
139	Jun 27 2018	0	Webster
140	Jun 27 2018	0	Fairport
141	Jun 27 2018	0	Pittsford
142	Jun 27 2018	0	Victor
143	Jun 27 2018	0	Rochester
144	Jun 27 2018	0	Webster
145	Jun 27 2018	0	WEBSTER
146	Jun 27 2018	0	Ontario
147	Jun 27 2018	0	Ionia
148	Jun 27 2018	0	Perinton
149	Jun 27 2018	0	Pittsford
150	Jun 27 2018	0	Brighton
151	Jun 27 2018	0	Irondequoit
152	Jun 27 2018	0	Rochester
153	Jun 27 2018	0	Walworth
154	Jun 27 2018	0	Penfield

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey

**Are you a Victor Resident?**

155	Jun 27 2018	Farmington
156	Jun 27 2018	Fairport
157	Jun 27 2018	Victor
158	Jun 27 2018	rochester
159	Jun 27 2018	Fairport
160	Jun 27 2018	Brighton
161	Jun 27 2018	Rochester
162	Jun 27 2018	Henrietta
163	Jun 27 2018	Webster
164	Jun 27 2018	East Rochester
165	Jun 27 2018	Wheatland
166	Jun 27 2018	West Henrietta
167	Jun 27 2018	Rochester
168	Jun 27 2018	Hilton
169	Jun 27 2018	Brighton
170	Jun 27 2018	Victo
171	Jun 27 2018	Webster
172	Jun 27 2018	Canandaigua
173	Jun 27 2018	Victor
174	Jun 27 2018	Webster
175	Jun 27 2018	Webster
176	Jun 27 2018	Fairport
177	Jun 27 2018	Victor
178	Jun 27 2018	Rochester
179	Jun 27 2018	City of Rochester
180	Jun 27 2018	Farmington
181	Jun 27 2018	Webster
182	Jun 27 2018	Irondequoit
183	Jun 27 2018	Pittsford/Mendon
184	Jun 27 2018	Rochester
185	Jun 27 2018	Fairport
186	Jun 27 2018	Macedon
187	Jun 27 2018	Victor
188	Jun 27 2018	Penfield
189	Jun 27 2018	Penfield
190	Jun 27 2018	Gates
191	Jun 27 2018	Perinton
192	Jun 27 2018	Rush
193	Jun 27 2018	Penfield
194	Jun 27 2018	Irondequoit
195	Jun 27 2018	Webster
196	Jun 27 2018	Scottville
197	Jun 27 2018	East Irondequoit
198	Jun 27 2018	Rochester
199	Jun 27 2018	Victor

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey

**Are you a Victor Resident?**

200	Jun 27 2018	Scottsville
201	Jun 27 2018	Ogden
202	Jun 27 2018	Pittsford (schools & mailing) & Perinton (town taxes)
203	Jun 26 2018	Pittsford
204	Jun 26 2018	Farmington
205	Jun 26 2018	Rochester
206	Jun 25 2018	Henrietta
207	Jun 25 2018	Perinton
208	Jun 25 2018	Farmington
209	Jun 25 2018	Pittsford
210	Jun 25 2018	Rochester
211	Jun 25 2018	Pittsford
212	Jun 25 2018	Penfield
213	Jun 25 2018	Rochester
214	Jun 25 2018	Pittsford
215	Jun 25 2018	Victor
216	Jun 25 2018	Farmington
217	Jun 25 2018	Victor
218	Jun 24 2018	Farmington
219	Jun 24 2018	Farmington
220	Jun 24 2018	Victor
221	Jun 24 2018	Victor
222	Jun 22 2018	Farmington
223	Jun 22 2018	victor
224	Jun 22 2018	Victor
225	Jun 22 2018	Farmington
226	Jun 22 2018	Victor
227	Jun 22 2018	Victor
228	Jun 22 2018	Farmington
229	Jun 22 2018	farmington
230	Jun 22 2018	Manchester
231	Jun 22 2018	VICTOR
232	Jun 22 2018	Farmington
233	Jun 22 2018	Victor
234	Jun 22 2018	Victor
235	Jun 21 2018	Victor
236	Jun 21 2018	Victor
237	Jun 21 2018	Farmington
238	Jun 21 2018	Victor
239	Jun 21 2018	Victor
240	Jun 21 2018	Victor
241	Jun 21 2018	Victor
242	Jun 21 2018	Canandaigua
243	Jun 21 2018	Victor
244	Jun 21 2018	Victor

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Are you a Victor Resident?**

245	Jun 21 2018	Victor
246	Jun 21 2018	Victor
247	Jun 21 2018	Victor
248	Jun 21 2018	Victor
249	Jun 21 2018	Victor
250	Jun 21 2018	Victor
251	Jun 21 2018	Farmington
252	Jun 21 2018	Rochester
253	Jun 21 2018	farmington
254	Jun 21 2018	Farmington
255	Jun 21 2018	Farmington
256	Jun 21 2018	Canandaigua
257	Jun 21 2018	Farmington
258	Jun 21 2018	Victor
259	Jun 21 2018	Victor
260	Jun 21 2018	Victor
261	Jun 21 2018	Farmington
262	Jun 19 2018	Fishers
263	Jun 09 2018	Victor

### Question 03

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Current Patterns of Recreational Use: Recreational Facilities: Please indicate all Town and Village owned facilities that you currently use.**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Victor Recreation Center (Lehigh Crossing Rd)	43.73%	230
Lehigh Crossing Park (Victor-Mendon Rd)	20.91%	110
Dryer Road Park (Dryer Rd)	72.05%	379
Village on the Park (Duck Hollow/Rainbow Run)	11.60%	61
MaryFrances Bluebird Haven (Valentown/Victor-Egypt Rd)	19.20%	101
Fishers Park (Main St Fishers)	21.86%	115
Harlan Fisher Park (Lynaugh Rd)	5.89%	31
Boughton Park (Boughton/Stimie Rd)	41.83%	220
Auburn Trail	66.54%	350
Lehigh Valley Trail	51.52%	271
Victor Municipal Park (Paparone Dr/Brace Rd)	55.13%	290
Seneca Trail	18.44%	97
Monkey Run Trails (Valentown Rd. & Victor-Egypt Rd.)	11.98%	63
<b>Answered</b>		<b>526</b>
<b>Skipped</b>		<b>19</b>



## Question 04

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Please list other recreational facilities that you use (Ex: Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools, Perinton Comm. Ctr.)**

**Answered 449**  
**Skipped 96**

	Date	Responses	Tags
1	Nov 05 2018	Victor Schools, Sidewalls on Lane Rd	
2	Oct 23 2018	Victor Schools - pool	
3	Oct 23 2018	Pinnacle, Victor Schools	
4	Oct 23 2018	Perinton Comm Ctr	
5	Oct 23 2018	Victor Schools	
6	Sep 26 2018	Victor Schools early morning fitness	
7	Sep 24 2018	Victor Schools	
8	Sep 22 2018	Victor Schools	
9	Sep 18 2018	Victor Schools	
10	Sep 17 2018	none	
11	Sep 16 2018	Perinton community center, Cobblestone Creek Country Club	
12	Sep 15 2018	YMCA	
13	Sep 15 2018	Ganondagan	
14	Sep 15 2018	Pinnacle	
15	Sep 14 2018	Ganondagan, VCS	
16	Sep 14 2018	For Victor Girls Youth Lacrosse programming we currently use: Dryer Rd Park, Victor Central School Fields, Pinnacle Athletics, Tri-County Sportsplex, Brighton Sportszone, Turin, East Rochester TSE	
17	Sep 14 2018	YMCA	
18	Sep 13 2018	Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle	
19	Sep 13 2018	Ganondagan	
20	Sep 12 2018	Ganondagan	
21	Sep 10 2018	Victor Schools, Pinnacle	
22	Sep 08 2018	Ganondagan	
23	Sep 08 2018	Victor School Pool	
24	Sep 05 2018	YMCA	
25	Sep 02 2018	done	
26	Sep 02 2018	Planet Fitness, Victor schools	
27	Aug 31 2018	Santa Train Rides	
28	Aug 30 2018	Victor Schools, some Pinnacle but after they increased prices we dropped our membership	
29	Aug 30 2018	YMCA Canandaigua, Victor Schools, Ganondagan	
30	Aug 30 2018	Ganondagan trails, canal paths	
31	Aug 28 2018	Victor Santa Train Rides - huge hit with kids. Sells out every year	
32	Aug 28 2018	Train rides	
33	Aug 27 2018	pinacle, victor schools,	
34	Aug 26 2018	Victor schools	
35	Aug 25 2018	Ganondagon, Victor Schools	
36	Aug 25 2018	On and a park, flcc trails, Cdga lake beaches, mertensia park, Ontario county trail ways, Erie canal pathway, Ontario county park	
37	Aug 25 2018	YMCA; Pinnacle	
38	Aug 24 2018	excursion trains on Finger Lakes Railway	

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Please list other recreational facilities that you use (Ex: Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools, Perinton Comm. Ctr.)**

39	Aug 24 2018	Victor schools, Cobblestone Creek Country Club, victor library	
40	Aug 24 2018	Ganondagan	
41	Aug 24 2018	Ganondagan	
42	Aug 24 2018	None	
43	Aug 24 2018	none	
44	Aug 24 2018	YMCA	
45	Aug 24 2018	Ganondagan, Southeast YMCA	
46	Aug 23 2018	Perinton CC	
47	Aug 23 2018	Perinton CC	
48	Aug 23 2018	Ganondagan	
49	Aug 23 2018	Ymca	
50	Aug 23 2018	JCC	
51	Aug 23 2018	YMCA, Victor Schools, Pinnacle	
52	Aug 23 2018	train tours starting at village hall	
53	Aug 23 2018	YMCA schools	
54	Aug 23 2018	Victor Schools, Mertensia Park	
55	Aug 22 2018	Perinton Community Center	
56	Aug 22 2018	Santa Train every year!	
57	Aug 22 2018	Canandaigua Schools, Ganodagan	
58	Aug 22 2018	Victor schools, pinnacle	
59	Aug 22 2018	YMCA, Pinnacle, Victor Schools, Perinton Rec	
60	Aug 22 2018	Pinnacle and victor train excursions	
61	Aug 22 2018	Ymca	
62	Aug 22 2018	Victor schools	
63	Aug 22 2018	Santa Train Polar Express Ride	
64	Aug 22 2018	Pinnacle	
65	Aug 22 2018	Victor Schools, perinton, smoothfit, pinnacle	
66	Aug 22 2018	Victor Schools, Egypt Park, Outhouse Park	
67	Aug 22 2018	State parks	
68	Aug 22 2018	Perinton, victor schools' pool, ganondagan, santa trains in the winter	
69	Aug 22 2018	YMCA, Train Excursions	
70	Aug 22 2018	Victor HS Swimming pool	
71	Aug 21 2018	Railroad Excursion (Santa Train)	
72	Aug 16 2018	Ymca	
73	Aug 16 2018	ymca	
74	Aug 15 2018	YMCA victor schools	
75	Aug 14 2018	Perinton Comm. Ctr.	
76	Aug 14 2018	Pinnacle Athletic Campus	
77	Aug 13 2018	Victor Schools	
78	Aug 10 2018	Ganondagan, Perinton Comm Center, Penfield Comm Cent, Victor Comm Center, Victor Municipal Park, Dryer Road Park, Lehigh Crossing Park, Auburn Trail, etc. Basically, we visit all parks in the whole Greater Rochester area.	
79	Aug 08 2018	Ganondagan, YMCA, area beaches	
80	Aug 07 2018	Victor Schools Pool	
81	Aug 07 2018	Planet Fitness	
82	Aug 06 2018	perinton community center	
83	Aug 06 2018	Perinton Comm. Center, Canal Trails, Ganondagan	
84	Aug 06 2018	none	

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Please list other recreational facilities that you use (Ex: Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools, Perinton Comm. Ctr.)**

85	Aug 04 2018	Pinnacle victor csd
86	Aug 04 2018	Ymca, pinnacle, victor schools
87	Aug 03 2018	Ymca
88	Aug 03 2018	Victor CrossFit
89	Aug 02 2018	None
90	Aug 02 2018	Ontario county park, Ontario county pathways
91	Aug 02 2018	Pinnacle, Victor Schools, Southeast YMCA
92	Aug 01 2018	Canal trail, Perinton community center
93	Aug 01 2018	Victor Schools
94	Aug 01 2018	None
95	Aug 01 2018	Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle
96	Aug 01 2018	Victor Schools and smoothfit fitness
97	Aug 01 2018	Kershaw Park, Powder Mills, Mendon Ponds
98	Aug 01 2018	Victor Schools
99	Aug 01 2018	TSE, pinnacle, victor schools
100	Aug 01 2018	Victor Schools
101	Jul 31 2018 1	Victor Schools Perinton community center
102	Jul 31 2018 1	Victor Schools
103	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor School
104	Jul 31 2018 0	Perinton community center, Ymca, pinnacle athletic campus, victor schools
105	Jul 31 2018 0	Pinnacle (although they suck now), victor schools
106	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor Schools
107	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor schools
108	Jul 31 2018 0	Ymca victor schools
109	Jul 31 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor Schools and Perinton Rec Center
110	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor School, YMCA
111	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor School, YMCA
112	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor Schools
113	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor schools
114	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor Schools
115	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor YMCA (now closed)
116	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor Schools, Pinnacle
117	Jul 31 2018 0	Victor Schools, Pinnacle, Monroe County Parks, Beaches
118	Jul 30 2018 0	YMCA, Ganondagan, Pumpkin Hook Park Farmington, Farmington Town Park
119	Jul 30 2018 1	Pinnacle, Ganondagan
120	Jul 28 2018 0	Victor Schools
121	Jul 27 2018 0	Pinnacle Athletic Campus, VCS, Perinton Community Center
122	Jul 26 2018 0	Planet fitness
123	Jul 25 2018 0	Victor Aquatic Center
124	Jul 23 2018 1	Victor Schools
125	Jul 22 2018 0	school
126	Jul 22 2018 1	Victor schools
127	Jul 22 2018 0	Perinton Comm. Center
128	Jul 21 2018 0	YMCA Pinnacle
129	Jul 20 2018 1	Ganondagan...ymca...pinnacle athletic
130	Jul 20 2018 1	Victor Schools, Pinnacle and Monroe Golf Club
131	Jul 19 2018 0	Pinnacle, ganondagan
132	Jul 19 2018 1	Victor school, Rochester racquet club, perinton rec

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133	Jul 18 2018 0	Ganondagan
134	Jul 18 2018 0	Victor schools, cobble stone
135	Jul 18 2018 0	Perinton Community Center
136	Jul 17 2018 0	YMCA and vcs
137	Jul 17 2018 1	Ganondagan
138	Jul 16 2018 1	Pinnacle, victor school, Perinton Rec center, TSE east Rochester and Gates
139	Jul 16 2018 1	Ganondagan and Victor Schools
140	Jul 15 2018 0	Victor Schools
141	Jul 15 2018 0	Canal Trail
142	Jul 15 2018 0	Victor school
143	Jul 15 2018 1	Victor Schools
144	Jul 15 2018 1	none
145	Jul 15 2018 1	victor schools
146	Jul 15 2018 0	Perinton Comm CRT, USA Masters Academy, Farmington Rec
147	Jul 15 2018 0	Victor school, ganondagan
148	Jul 15 2018 0	Perinton Comm Ctr, Victor Schools Pool
149	Jul 14 2018 0	Ganondagan, Library
150	Jul 14 2018 0	YMCA VICTOR
151	Jul 13 2018 1	Pinnacle
152	Jul 13 2018 0	Ganondagan
153	Jul 13 2018 0	ymca
154	Jul 13 2018 0	Ganondagan, YMCA
155	Jul 13 2018 0	Ganondagan, YMCA
156	Jul 13 2018 0	Ganondagan
157	Jul 13 2018 1	Victor schools, pinnacle
158	Jul 13 2018 1	Perinton
159	Jul 13 2018 1	Pinnacle, school
160	Jul 12 2018 1	YMCA, Pinnacle Athletic Campus
161	Jul 12 2018 1	Victor Schools, Perinton Community Center
162	Jul 12 2018 0	Victor Schools, Planet Fitness
163	Jul 12 2018 0	Ganondagan, Dryer Rd Park, Erie Canal Trails
164	Jul 12 2018 0	None
165	Jul 12 2018 0	Victor Schools
166	Jul 12 2018 0	YMCA
167	Jul 12 2018 0	Ganondagan, schools, Pinnacle
168	Jul 12 2018 0	Victor Schools, Perinton Park, Canal path, Mendon Pnds Park
169	Jul 12 2018 0	YMCA
170	Jul 12 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor schools, ymca
171	Jul 12 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor schools, ymca
172	Jul 12 2018 1	YMCA, Victor Schools, Perinton Community Center
173	Jul 12 2018 1	Pinnacle, Vic schools,
174	Jul 12 2018 1	Pinnacle, Victor School, Perinton Rec.
175	Jul 12 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
176	Jul 12 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor Schools, Victor Soccer Club
177	Jul 12 2018 0	YMCA, Perinton Community Center
178	Jul 12 2018 0	pinnacle
179	Jul 12 2018 0	Victor Schools, Perinton Comm Ctr, Mertensia Park
180	Jul 12 2018 0	Victor Schools
181	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle, vcs

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182	Jul 11 2018 0	pinnacle
183	Jul 11 2018 0	Perinton REC
184	Jul 11 2018 0	Ganondagan, Victor Schools
185	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle but that's going down hill fast.
186	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle, YMCA, Mertensia Park
187	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor school, Pinnacle
188	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools
189	Jul 11 2018 0	Planet Fitness, Smooth Fit
190	Jul 11 2018 0	Perinton community center
191	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools
192	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor schools, pumpkin hook, mertensia park
193	Jul 11 2018 0	Planet Fitness
194	Jul 11 2018 0	Ganondagan and Victor Schools
195	Jul 11 2018 0	Ganondagan
196	Jul 11 2018 0	YMCA, pinnacle, Perinton Community center, victor schools
197	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor schools, Perinton community center, Pittsford ark and rec
198	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle and VCS
199	Jul 11 2018 0	None
200	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools
201	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor school, YMCA
202	Jul 11 2018 1	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
203	Jul 11 2018 1	YMCA, Victor Schools, Perinton CC
204	Jul 11 2018 1	Ganondagan, Planet Fitness, 5k's sponsored by the YMCA
205	Jul 11 2018 1	YMCA, Victor Schools, Pinnacle Athletic Campus
206	Jul 11 2018 1	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
207	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor Schools, Victor Summer Rec
208	Jul 11 2018 1	Pinnacle, Victor schools, ymca
209	Jul 11 2018 1	N/A
210	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor Schools, Perinton Comm Center, Pinnacle, Thomas Creek
211	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor school swimming pool
212	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor Schools
213	Jul 11 2018 1	Ganondagan
214	Jul 11 2018 1	Perinton Comm Center
215	Jul 11 2018 1	pinnacle, victor schools
216	Jul 11 2018 1	Pinnacle, Victor Schools, Turin (Fairport)
217	Jul 11 2018 1	Perinton Community Center-Victor School-Southeast YMCA
218	Jul 11 2018 1	Perinton Community Center
219	Jul 11 2018 1	Ganondagan, victor schools, perinton Community Center
220	Jul 11 2018 1	Ganondagan
221	Jul 11 2018 1	Perinton community center, Planet fitness, YMCA in pittsford
222	Jul 11 2018 1	Canandaigua YMCA
223	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor schools
224	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor schools
225	Jul 11 2018 1	Perinton Comm. Ctr, Perinton town parks
226	Jul 11 2018 1	Ganondagan, Canandaigua parks, Farmington parks
227	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor Schools, Perinton pool
228	Jul 11 2018 1	Victor Schools, Perinton Comm Ctr, Pinnacle, YMCA
229	Jul 11 2018 1	Pinnacle, Victor Schools Baseball Fields
230	Jul 11 2018 0	Perinton, victor schools / pool, ganondagan

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231	Jul 11 2018 0	Planet Fitness
232	Jul 11 2018 0	Pumpkin Hook Park, Mertensia Park
233	Jul 11 2018 0	City Recreation
234	Jul 11 2018 0	YMCA, Pinnacle, Perinton Community Center, HFL Community Programs
235	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools
236	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor YMCA, victor schools (love the sidewalks and tennis courts),Mertensia Park, Farmington town hall park
237	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
238	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor schools
239	Jul 11 2018 0	Egypt park, powder mill park
240	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor Schools, Perinton Comm. Ctr
241	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools, Perinton Community Center, Ganondagan, Victor Club soccer
242	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor schools, Perinton rec, ganondagan
243	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools, YMCA
244	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle
245	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle
246	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor school field, pool. Perinton community center & pools. Genesee valley pool, TCR pool.
247	Jul 11 2018 0	None
248	Jul 11 2018 0	None
249	Jul 11 2018 0	Victor Schools
250	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
251	Jul 10 2018 0	None
252	Jul 10 2018 0	Ganondagan, periton rec,
253	Jul 10 2018 0	All other VHT trails. Woodcliff Sports Club
254	Jul 10 2018 1	YMCA
255	Jul 10 2018 0	Victor schools
256	Jul 09 2018 1	Pinnacle takes my money every month but I wouldn't say I *use* it hahaha
257	Jul 09 2018 1	Perinton community center
258	Jul 09 2018 1	Village Sports
259	Jul 09 2018 0	Perinton Comm center, TSE
260	Jul 09 2018 0	Perinton comm Center
261	Jul 09 2018 0	None
262	Jul 09 2018 0	Victor Schools, Planet Fitness, SmoothFit
263	Jul 09 2018 1	Ellison Park Dog Park
264	Jul 09 2018 1	ymca, perinton com
265	Jul 09 2018 0	Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools
266	Jul 08 2018 0	Ganondagan, Woodcliff Center & trails
267	Jul 08 2018 1	Ganondagon
268	Jul 03 2018 0	Ganondagan
269	Jul 03 2018 0	ganondagan
270	Jul 02 2018 0	Planet fitness
271	Jul 02 2018 0	Victor Schools, PowerTrain, Tennis Club of Rochester
272	Jul 02 2018 0	ganondagan
273	Jul 02 2018 1	YMCA
274	Jul 02 2018 0	Ganondagan
275	Jul 01 2018 1	Pinnacle
276	Jul 01 2018 0	ymca

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277	Jun 30 2018	Ganondagan
278	Jun 30 2018	Victor "mini" YMCA
279	Jun 30 2018	Victor Aquatic Center
280	Jun 29 2018	Victor school, pinnacle
281	Jun 29 2018	none
282	Jun 28 2018	School, pinnacle Ganondagan, YMCA, Pinnacle, Perinton rec, Onanda park, Kershaw Park, Mendon Ponds
283	Jun 28 2018	Park, Powder Mills Park, Erie Canal trail, Greenway Trail, Ontario County Park, Bristol Mountain, Harriet Hollister Spencer State Park, RIT
284	Jun 28 2018	Schools, Pinnacle, Victor YMCA, Pittsford YMCA, Penfield YMCA
285	Jun 28 2018	Ganondagan, streets throughout the town for biking
286	Jun 28 2018	Perinton Comm Ctr.
287	Jun 28 2018	Pinnacle
288	Jun 28 2018	Victor Schools, Pinnacle, Champion Hills Pool
289	Jun 28 2018	none
290	Jun 28 2018	None
291	Jun 27 2018	None
292	Jun 27 2018	none
293	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan
294	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan, Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools
295	Jun 27 2018	YMCA
296	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan
297	Jun 27 2018	North Ponds Park, Irondequoit Bay Park West, Tryon Park
298	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan, Perinton Rec, Tryon/Westbay, Nazareth College
299	Jun 27 2018	Pinnacle, Ganondagan
300	Jun 27 2018	none
301	Jun 27 2018	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
302	Jun 27 2018	Victor school
303	Jun 27 2018	Monroe County Parks, Perinton Community Center
304	Jun 27 2018	Victor Schools
305	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan
306	Jun 27 2018	Perinton Comm Ctr
307	Jun 27 2018	Victor Schools
308	Jun 27 2018	None
309	Jun 27 2018	Harriet Hollister State Recreation Area, Ontario County Park, Mendon Ponds Count Park, Oatka County Park, Black Creek Park, Genesee Valley Greenway
310	Jun 27 2018	YMCA
311	Jun 27 2018	Victor schools, pinacle
312	Jun 27 2018	None
313	Jun 27 2018	Worlds Gym, Webster bike path, various ski resorts
314	Jun 27 2018	NA
315	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan
316	Jun 27 2018	YMCA, Victor Cross Fit, Pinnacle
317	Jun 27 2018	Victor Schools
318	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan, Perinton Rec Center, JCC, Webster Aquatic Center
319	Jun 27 2018	None in victor
320	Jun 27 2018	Perinton Comm. Ctr
321	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan, VCS
322	Jun 27 2018	none

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323	Jun 27 2018	Pinnacle, victor schools
324	Jun 27 2018	Ontario County Park
325	Jun 27 2018	Ganondagan
326	Jun 27 2018	Perinton community ctr, ymca
327	Jun 27 2018	Planet Fitness
328	Jun 27 2018	YMCA, Penfield fitness
329	Jun 27 2018	None
330	Jun 27 2018	Ontario county Park, Ontario pathways
331	Jun 27 2018	NA
332	Jun 27 2018	Bay park West, Tryon, Oatka Creek, Black Creek
333	Jun 27 2018	West Bay Trails, Tryon Park
334	Jun 27 2018	Regional Mountain Biking parks (Tryon Park, Harriet Hollister, etc)
335	Jun 27 2018	None
336	Jun 26 2018	Pittsford
337	Jun 26 2018	Mertnesia Park, Victor Schools Tryon Park, Irondequoit Bay Park West, Crescent Trail, Erie Canal Trail, Genesee Riverway
338	Jun 26 2018	Trail, BANC
339	Jun 26 2018	NONE
340	Jun 25 2018	YMCA
341	Jun 25 2018	none
342	Jun 25 2018	YMCA, Pittsford schools, Boy Scouts/ Scouting USA, Girl Scouts USA
343	Jun 25 2018	YMCA, Local Trail systems
344	Jun 25 2018	N/A
345	Jun 25 2018	Ganondagan
346	Jun 25 2018	Pinnacle Athletic Campus
347	Jun 25 2018	Ganondagan, Pinnacle, Perinton soccer fields Ganondagan, Victor School, Perinton Community Center, Woodcliff, Pinnacle, Mertensia
348	Jun 25 2018	Park
349	Jun 25 2018	Victor Schools
350	Jun 24 2018	Ganondagan, Victor Schools Pool
351	Jun 24 2018	Victor Schools, Perinton Community Center
352	Jun 24 2018	Ganondagan, Victor Schools
353	Jun 24 2018	Victor Schools, Perinton Rec.
354	Jun 24 2018	JCC
355	Jun 24 2018	Victor Schools Pool, YMCA
356	Jun 24 2018	YMCA Canandaigua
357	Jun 23 2018	Pinnacle, vcs, Perinton community center, victor athletic company, orange theory fitness
358	Jun 23 2018	Pinnacle, Victor Schools, Pumpkin Hook
359	Jun 23 2018	Ganondagan
360	Jun 23 2018	Ganondagan, Victor Schools, planet fitness
361	Jun 23 2018	Victor schools
362	Jun 23 2018	none
363	Jun 22 2018	Victor School Pool, Pinnacle, Ganondagan
364	Jun 22 2018	pinnacle, victor school, sports academy
365	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools
366	Jun 22 2018	JCC
367	Jun 22 2018	None
368	Jun 22 2018	ymca

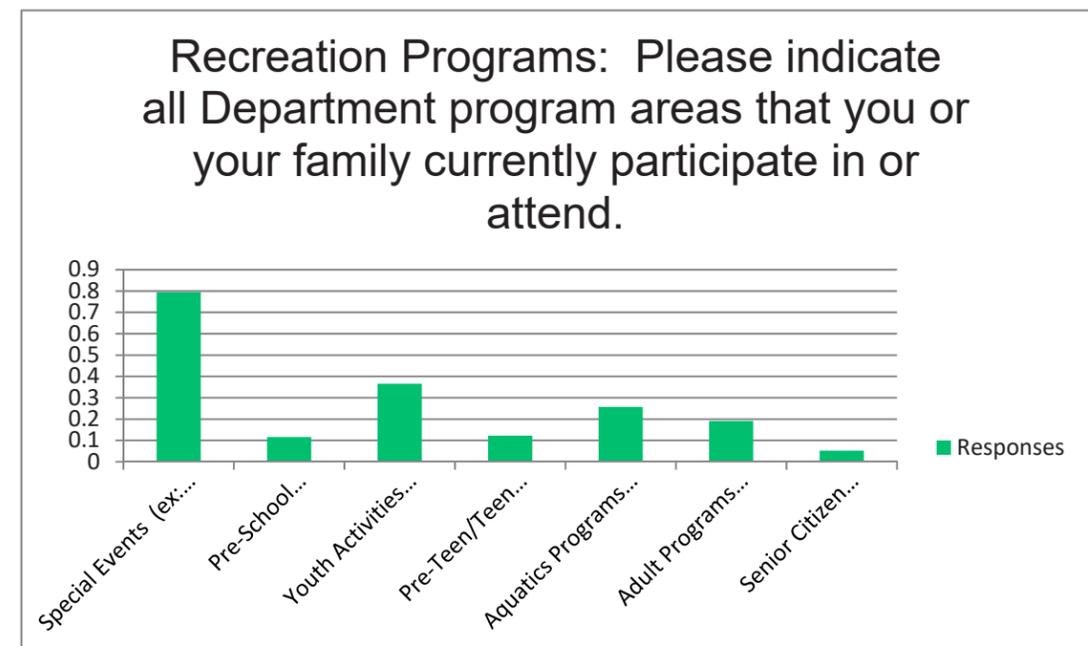
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369	Jun 22 2018	Victor schools, perinton aquatic center
370	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan, Pinnacle, Perinton Rec
371	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan trails
372	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan
373	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools
374	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools, Planet Fitness
375	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools, Perinton Community Center
376	Jun 22 2018	Victor school, Perinton, pinnacle, Bristol my, Mendon ponds, powder mill
377	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan, Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools, UMAC
378	Jun 22 2018	YMCA, Ganondagon
379	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools, Farmington Parks, Perinton community Center
380	Jun 22 2018	Pinnacle, Victor schools
381	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan, Victor Schools, SFT
382	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools, Perinton Community Ctr
383	Jun 22 2018	Trails in Perinton and Canandaigua
384	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools
385	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan, Victor Schools, Farmington Town Parks
386	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools
387	Jun 22 2018	ymca,victor schools
388	Jun 22 2018	Pinnacle, Victor Schools
389	Jun 22 2018	YMCA
390	Jun 22 2018	Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools, Perinton Comm. Ctr.
391	Jun 22 2018	Victor schools, Mertensia park,
392	Jun 22 2018	Victor schools
393	Jun 22 2018	YMCA
394	Jun 22 2018	Victor Schools, Pinnacle
395	Jun 22 2018	Victor School, Pinnacle
396	Jun 22 2018	Tennis courts on Wangum Road, tennis courts at VCSD, many hiking trails throughout Victor — use those daily. Also use the JCC, the Erie Canal, Genesee River, several Finger Lakes, Mendon Ponds Park. Victor
397	Jun 22 2018	Ganondagan Park and trails
398	Jun 22 2018	Perinton Rec
399	Jun 22 2018	Pinnacle Athletic Campus, Victor Schools
400	Jun 22 2018	Victor schools; pinnacle
401	Jun 21 2018	Victor schools, perinton community ctr
402	Jun 21 2018	Victor schools and Perinton rec
403	Jun 21 2018	Victor schools, Perinton
404	Jun 21 2018	Victor school
405	Jun 21 2018	Victor Aquatic Center
406	Jun 21 2018	Orangetheory Fitness
407	Jun 21 2018	Perinton Comm Center, Aquatic Center
408	Jun 21 2018	Victor schools
409	Jun 21 2018	Victor School, Perinton Comm ctr,
410	Jun 21 2018	Pinnacle
411	Jun 21 2018	YMCA
412	Jun 21 2018	Ganondagan, Pinnacle, Penfield YMCA
413	Jun 21 2018	Pinnacle
414	Jun 21 2018	Victor schools
415	Jun 21 2018	Perinton comm

## Question 05

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Recreation Programs: Please indicate all Department program areas that you or your family currently participate in or attend.**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Special Events (ex: Concerts in the Park, Memorial Day Parade, E	79.48%	337
Pre-School Activities (ex: Come & Play, Dance, Little Dribblers, Hi	11.56%	49
Youth Activities (ex: Day Camp, Basketball League, Afterschool Pr	36.56%	155
Pre-Teen/Teen Activities (ex: Adventure Club, Trip Camp, Babysitt	12.26%	52
Aquatics Programs (ex: Swim Lessons, Tot swimming, Lap Swim i	25.71%	109
Adult Programs (ex: Drop-in Sports, Fitness, Zumba, Community E	19.10%	81
Senior Citizen Programs (ex: "Out to Lunch" Bunch, Coach Bus Tr	5.19%	22
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>424</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>121</b>



## Question 06

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**Other recreation programs and activities that are not currently offered by the Town of Victor Parks & Recreation that I participate in elsewhere would include:**

**Answered 271**  
**Skipped 274**

	Date	Responses	Tags
1	Nov 05 2018	Crew, Sailing, Pottery, Gym, Chess	
2	Oct 23 2018	rowing / kayaking / cross country skiing / biking	
3	Oct 23 2018	Used Pinnacle b/c the summer camp was full	
4	Oct 23 2018	Concerts at the Legacy on High Street, Concerts at Tom Wahls in Avon, "Returns" for Honor Flight in Rochester	
5	Oct 23 2018	free family ice skating	
6	Sep 22 2018	N/a	
7	Sep 17 2018	none & none on #5 too, there just isn't that option - strange	
8	Sep 16 2018	Aquatics pool and fitness at Perinton Rec., fitness program at Cobblestone Creek Country Club asking to please build a facility like the Perinton Community Center which includes a large pool, three pools total, fitness center, seniors center, kids center, basketball courts, runner floor walking track.	
9	Sep 16 2018	Gentle Yoga for those adults who are NOT requiring a chair based yoga program. Tai-Chi.	
10	Sep 15 2018	Tennis	
11	Sep 15 2018	Crossfit, Skiing	
12	Sep 14 2018	NA	
13	Sep 05 2018	swimming, kayaking	
14	Sep 02 2018	Train Depot	
15	Aug 31 2018	More fall concerts	
16	Aug 30 2018	pick up soccer	
17	Aug 30 2018	Under 4 yrs Old Swim Lessons- Canandaigua YMCA (Saturday Morning)	
18	Aug 28 2018	Trampoline parks, bounce it out, ontario play, billie beez, wickham farms, rush train museum, mini golf,	
19	Aug 28 2018	Bring back the Blues and Brews and Halloween train excursions. My whole family loved them. All that's left is the Santa train	
20	Aug 26 2018	Tennis lessons for higher level than beginners	
21	Aug 25 2018	Fencing at Rochester Fencing Club	
22	Aug 24 2018	Na	
23	Aug 24 2018	None	
24	Aug 24 2018	none	
25	Aug 24 2018	Community outdoor Swimming pool	
26	Aug 23 2018	Perinton Rec programs and swim lessons	
27	Aug 23 2018	None	
28	Aug 23 2018	Swimming Lessons	
29	Aug 23 2018	Amusement Park & Train Tours	
30	Aug 23 2018	A recreation and wellness facility	
31	Aug 23 2018	Dance classes, art classes, yoga	
32	Aug 22 2018	travel lacrosse, baseball	
33	Aug 22 2018	Swim splash park	
34	Aug 22 2018	Santa Train	
35	Aug 22 2018	Santa Train Polar Express Ride	
36	Aug 22 2018	Santa train	
37	Aug 22 2018	Santa trains	
38	Aug 14 2018	Walking the track	
39	Aug 14 2018	beer festivals, wine tastings, etc.	
40	Aug 10 2018	Birding	
41	Aug 08 2018	Personal exercise, walks, dance, music fests, art shows	

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42	Aug 07 2018	Running club, yoga	
43	Aug 07 2018	N/A	
44	Aug 06 2018	perinton rec center indoor pool	
45	Aug 06 2018	Adult Swim ( lap swim), Concert series in other towns	
46	Aug 06 2018	none	
47	Aug 04 2018	Excercise classes	
48	Aug 04 2018	I would do the swimming lessons but the times are before I get home from work so I am unable to get the kids there in time	
49	Aug 03 2018	None required	
50	Aug 03 2018	None	
51	Aug 02 2018	Geocaching	
52	Aug 02 2018	Frisbee golf	
53	Aug 01 2018	I'm just learning of the programs. Pickle ball courts would be great.	
54	Aug 01 2018	N/A	
55	Aug 01 2018	Kayaking	
56	Aug 01 2018	Kayaking, Hiking, Biking, Yoga	
57	Aug 01 2018	youth baseball, youth wrestling, youth football	
58	Aug 01 2018	Karate, Orange Theory, other Victor Sports	
59	Aug 01 2018	Softball, tennis, racquetball	
60	Jul 31 2018 1	Summer T-ball and little league	
61	Jul 31 2018 0	Adult softball, kickball	
62	Jul 31 2018 0	None	
63	Jul 31 2018 0	Fitness	
64	Jul 31 2018 0	Fitness	
65	Jul 31 2018 0	Softball?	
66	Jul 30 2018 0	Canandaigua Family YMCA aquatics programs	
67	Jul 27 2018 0	Additional lap swimming hours	
68	Jul 26 2018 0	NA	
69	Jul 23 2018 1	Splash Pads, Swimming/beach	
70	Jul 22 2018 0	Train excursions	
71	Jul 22 2018 1	Tennis	
72	Jul 22 2018 0	Open gym for ages 2-5 Perinton	
73	Jul 21 2018 0	Lap swimming, indoor walking track	
74	Jul 19 2018 1	Outdoor pool, splash area	
75	Jul 18 2018 0	n/a	
76	Jul 18 2018 0	Water aerobics	
77	Jul 18 2018 0	none	
78	Jul 18 2018 1	Health Club, Downhill Skiing	
79	Jul 16 2018 1	Indoor lacrosse, turf fields, open gym time, batting cages	
80	Jul 15 2018 0	Victor soccer	
81	Jul 15 2018 0	none	
82	Jul 15 2018 1	N/A	
83	Jul 15 2018 1	none	
84	Jul 15 2018 1	none	
85	Jul 15 2018 0	Spray park	
86	Jul 15 2018 0	TCR tennis	
87	Jul 15 2018 0	N/A	
88	Jul 14 2018 0	Splash pads, public pool	
89	Jul 14 2018 1	gymnastics, kids ninja warrior	
90	Jul 13 2018 1	None	
91	Jul 13 2018 0	cooking classes, piano classes, math classes, manners and etiquette school, ballet, art lessons, all fpr children and grown ups	
92	Jul 13 2018 0	N/A	

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93	Jul 13 2018 0	ice skating at Thomas Creek
94	Jul 13 2018 0	N/A
95	Jul 13 2018 1	Fairport Crew Club, Rochester Boat Club, Eastside YMCA
96	Jul 13 2018 1	A
97	Jul 13 2018 1	Na
98	Jul 12 2018 1	N/a
99	Jul 12 2018 0	Community center and dog park
100	Jul 12 2018 0	Aquatic center
101	Jul 12 2018 0	Water aerobics
102	Jul 12 2018 0	Silver & fit. Zumba gold
103	Jul 12 2018 1	NA
104	Jul 12 2018 1	Hockey
105	Jul 12 2018 1	Pickleball
106	Jul 12 2018 0	Preschool Programs, Opportunities at the YMCA such as Aquatics Center/Outdoor Aquatics Center, babysitting care while working out, adventure center and activities for preschool age children
107	Jul 12 2018 0	None
108	Jul 11 2018 0	Pinnacle before school care
109	Jul 11 2018 0	summer outdoor volleyball
110	Jul 11 2018 0	water walking
111	Jul 11 2018 0	Larger number of offerings of fitness classes
112	Jul 11 2018 0	N/A
113	Jul 11 2018 0	Running club
114	Jul 11 2018 0	Table tennis
115	Jul 11 2018 0	Cruise Night at Victor Brewery exercise class at Smooth Fit
116	Jul 11 2018 0	Wider variety alternate instructor pre-school programs Perinton community, swim Perinton community
117	Jul 11 2018 0	Canandaigua hockey, Victor soccer club
118	Jul 11 2018 0	Book club
119	Jul 11 2018 0	Additional lap swimming (availability issues)
120	Jul 11 2018 0	Ballet/tap class for preschool and youth (not movement class)
121	Jul 11 2018 0	Spinning Class at Compass Cycle Studio
122	Jul 11 2018 0	Not Sure
123	Jul 11 2018 0	Greece splash pad
124	Jul 11 2018 1	Piperwood GS Camp, RMSC camp, pool at Perinton CC
125	Jul 11 2018 1	Local 5k/10k/5milers, Victor Library programs.
126	Jul 11 2018 1	before and after school care by the YMCA
127	Jul 11 2018 1	Acquatic center, town gym
128	Jul 11 2018 1	Before school care
129	Jul 11 2018 1	Karate/martial arts for kids
130	Jul 11 2018 1	N/A
131	Jul 11 2018 1	Little league, Karate (UMAC)
132	Jul 11 2018 1	None
133	Jul 11 2018 1	None that I can think of
134	Jul 11 2018 1	Syncho Swimming(daughter) Book Club - Running Group
135	Jul 11 2018 1	None
136	Jul 11 2018 1	School age drawing/art classes
137	Jul 11 2018 1	Fairport and Brighton adult programs
138	Jul 11 2018 1	Gym with childwatch
139	Jul 11 2018 1	Dancing lessons
140	Jul 11 2018 1	dance lessons
141	Jul 11 2018 1	N/a
142	Jul 11 2018 1	Perinton/ Water exercise classes

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143	Jul 11 2018 0	n/a
144	Jul 11 2018 0	Photography classes
145	Jul 11 2018 0	Planet Fitness
146	Jul 11 2018 0	Outdoor pickup soccer, Next Level training
147	Jul 11 2018 0	Junior Rugby
148	Jul 11 2018 0	Quality open swim hours. Outdoor community pool. Girls youth summer sports programs.
149	Jul 11 2018 0	None
150	Jul 11 2018 0	None
151	Jul 11 2018 0	fitness center
152	Jul 10 2018 0	None
153	Jul 10 2018 0	Hikes, bike tours, kayak, canoe.
154	Jul 10 2018 1	Pools. Aquacize. Aqua yoga. Indoor walking track
155	Jul 09 2018 1	Hockey for preschool; more art for adults; more swimming lessons
156	Jul 09 2018 0	None
157	Jul 09 2018 1	Monroe County Dog Parks
158	Jul 09 2018 1	None
159	Jul 08 2018 1	Victor Hiking Trails, Rochester Bicycling Club
160	Jul 05 2018 0	Group bike rides
161	Jul 03 2018 0	none
162	Jul 02 2018 0	Cardio Tennis, "boot camp"
163	Jul 02 2018 1	none
164	Jul 02 2018 0	golf and community pool at country club
165	Jul 01 2018 1	Nothing
166	Jul 01 2018 0	Triathlon club, JCC, Rock Ventures
167	Jun 30 2018 1	none
168	Jun 30 2018 1	LA Fitness - daily swimming
169	Jun 28 2018 1	Lax programs for 7-12 that do not make the school teams
170	Jun 28 2018 1	N/a
171	Jun 28 2018 1	Lap swim, Zumba more frequently.
172	Jun 28 2018 1	Youth Football Lacrosse, and Wrestling; Travel basketball and Lacrosse;
173	Jun 28 2018 1	Some in the city
174	Jun 27 2018 1	I wish we had a place like Perinton aquatic center
175	Jun 27 2018 1	Victor Hiking Trails, GVHC,
176	Jun 27 2018 1	N/A
177	Jun 27 2018 1	crossfit
178	Jun 27 2018 1	Gymnastics, Ice Hockey
179	Jun 27 2018 1	nordic skiing, orienteering
180	Jun 27 2018 1	Bike riding in groups/hiking
181	Jun 27 2018 1	na
182	Jun 27 2018 1	Mountain bike races, bike festival
183	Jun 27 2018 1	None
184	Jun 27 2018 1	NA
185	Jun 27 2018 1	Group bike rides/hikes
186	Jun 27 2018 1	Mountain Biking
187	Jun 27 2018 1	Master's Swim program at Webster Aquatic Center
188	Jun 27 2018 1	ldk
189	Jun 27 2018 1	Trail crew
190	Jun 27 2018 1	none
191	Jun 27 2018 1	Mountain biking
192	Jun 27 2018 1	All cycling events
193	Jun 27 2018 1	N/a
194	Jun 27 2018 1	Mountain biking in more parks

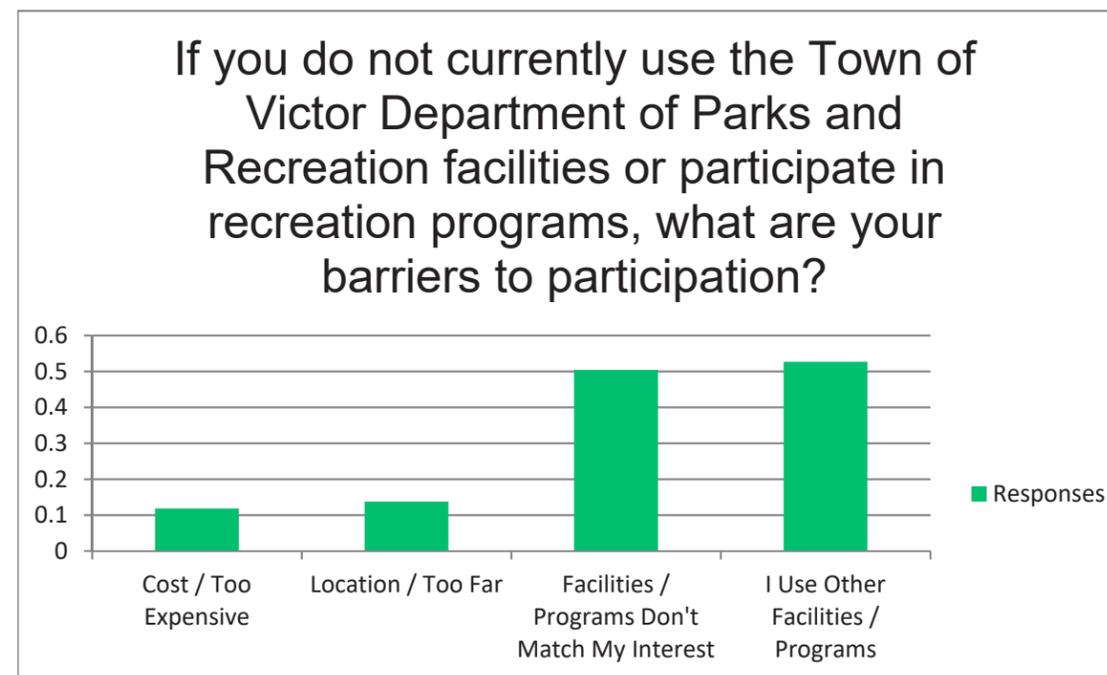
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**Other recreation programs and activities that are not currently offered by the Town of Victor Parks & Recreation that I participate in elsewhere would include:**

195	Jun 27 2018	None
196	Jun 27 2018	NA
197	Jun 27 2018	Mountain bike clinic
198	Jun 27 2018	many outdoor activities
199	Jun 27 2018	Unknown
200	Jun 26 2018	Singletrack Academy
201	Jun 26 2018	NA
202	Jun 26 2018	NONE
203	Jun 25 2018	More mountain biking
204	Jun 25 2018	Additional mountain biking/trail bike opportunities (additional to Dryer Road).
205	Jun 25 2018	YMCA Camps and Swim Lessons
206	Jun 25 2018	Mountain biking programs
207	Jun 25 2018	golfing, downhill skiing
208	Jun 25 2018	lacrosse
209	Jun 24 2018	Nature Center camp, pool at Perinton Rec, gymnastics
210	Jun 24 2018	pickleball
211	Jun 24 2018	Swimming water aerobics and senior fitness
212	Jun 23 2018	Private swim lessons- which we have to go to Perinton rec center to get
213	Jun 23 2018	Handicapped sports (not just basketball), book clubs, volunteerism
214	Jun 23 2018	Gymnastics
215	Jun 23 2018	none
216	Jun 22 2018	none
217	Jun 22 2018	Non competitive gymnastics
218	Jun 22 2018	Bicycle Rides formerly Perinton
219	Jun 22 2018	Jazzercise
220	Jun 22 2018	Golf for seniors
221	Jun 22 2018	pickle ball
222	Jun 22 2018	N/A
223	Jun 22 2018	N/A
224	Jun 22 2018	Swim lessons, baby story time
225	Jun 22 2018	Triathlon, x country skiing
226	Jun 22 2018	biking, running
227	Jun 22 2018	cross country skiing
228	Jun 22 2018	.
229	Jun 22 2018	Painting Classes
230	Jun 22 2018	none
231	Jun 22 2018	Scrapbooking for adults
232	Jun 22 2018	ymca
233	Jun 22 2018	Fitness (cardio/Weights) Victor Soccer Club, Victor Lacrosse
234	Jun 22 2018	Swimming/Aquatics classes
235	Jun 22 2018	Qi Gong
236	Jun 22 2018	N/A
237	Jun 22 2018	Victor softball, Recreation soccer
238	Jun 22 2018	Member of Champion Hills for Golf and pool. Member of JCC. Have participated in many more of those Victor programs in the past while my son was growing up. Now that he's grown we participate in fewer.
239	Jun 22 2018	Water walking and water aerobics
240	Jun 21 2018	Additional kids classes
241	Jun 21 2018	C
242	Jun 21 2018	pool, spray park, strength training
243	Jun 21 2018	Ice Skating Lessons - Perinton Community Center
244	Jun 21 2018	Orangetheory Fitness workouts, Adult Softball
245	Jun 21 2018	More group mountain bike rides through the trails. Similar to the Victor Hiking Group.

## Question 07

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**If you do not currently use the Town of Victor Department of Parks and Recreation facilities or participate in recreation programs, what are your barriers to participation?**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Cost / Too Expensive	11.83%	31
Location / Too Far	13.74%	36
Facilities / Programs Don't Match My Interest	50.38%	132
I Use Other Facilities / Programs	52.67%	138
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>262</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>283</b>

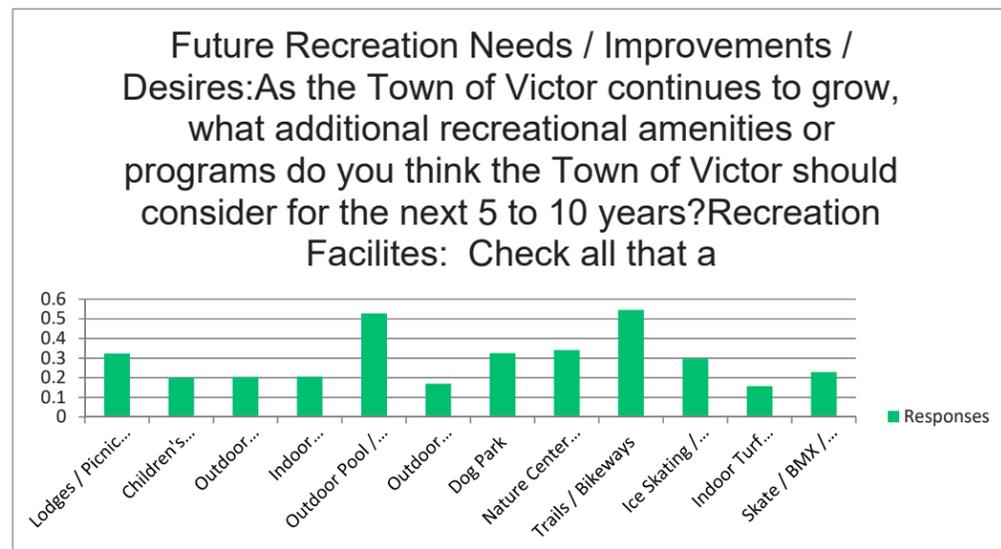


## Question 08

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**Future Recreation Needs / Improvements / Desires:**As the Town of Victor continues to grow, what additional recreational amenities or programs do you think the Town of Victor should consider for the next 5 to 10 years? **Recreation Facilities:** Check all that apply and please write in suggestions.

Answer Choices	Responses	
Lodges / Picnic Shelters	32.35%	164
Children's Playground	19.92%	101
Outdoor Basketball / Tennis / Pickle Ball Courts	20.32%	103
Indoor Basketball / Tennis / Pickle Ball Courts	20.51%	104
Outdoor Pool / Splash Park	52.66%	267
Outdoor Athletic Fields (Baseball, Softball, Soccer, Lacrosse, etc...)	16.96%	86
Dog Park	32.54%	165
Nature Center / Fishing Pond and Dock	34.12%	173
Trails / Bikeways	54.44%	276
Ice Skating / Hockey Rink	29.78%	151
Indoor Turf Athletic Field	15.78%	80
Skate / BMX / Action Sports Park	22.88%	116
Type of Athletic Field?		93
<b>Answered</b>	<b>507</b>	
<b>Skipped</b>	<b>38</b>	



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Date	Tags
1 Nov 05 2018	Also, sidewalks and trails to connect all (feasible) neighborhoods.
2 Oct 23 2018	Pickleball Court
3 Oct 23 2018	consider the number of people that would actually use each facility verses expenses. (Person feels that most of the facilities suggested would be too expensive and that there would be far too few users.)
4 Sep 18 2018	Soccer
5 Sep 17 2018	not turf for kids - it is known to cause Cancer
6 Sep 14 2018	Currently our program does not have an issue for outdoor fields for lacrosse programming. Our biggest challenge is finding indoor space from Nov-March for 150 girl program with either turf or multi-use floor. We have been using other local indoor providers, but Pinnacle has been very difficult to work with. Our lacrosse community is willing to pay premium rates for local / indoor turf space. At any time we have 5 or 6 teams of 20 kids from grades K-6 practicing and playing games.
7 Sep 12 2018	More hiking trails, more diversity in exercise programs foe senior
8 Sep 02 2018	multipurpose
9 Aug 30 2018	table tennis seems popular in some areas of Rochester, but no courts around Victor
10 Aug 30 2018	Outdoor/indoor Turf Multi Sport Field, Soccer and Baseball
11 Aug 28 2018	Better loading area for the train excursions and restroom facilities, maybe in a Depot?
12 Aug 24 2018	We don't really use or would use any of these.
13 Aug 23 2018	More indoor pool swimming lessons
14 Aug 22 2018	Soccer
15 Aug 22 2018	Lacrosse
16 Aug 22 2018	Open natural space- will be valuable when Victor is over developed in the future
17 Aug 22 2018	Soccer
18 Aug 14 2018	Walking track
19 Aug 08 2018	Lacrosse fields, Rugby pitch
20 Aug 06 2018	don't we have enough already?
21 Aug 04 2018	Soccer
22 Aug 04 2018	Love these ideas!
23 Aug 01 2018	Checked tennis basketball for pickleball
24 Aug 01 2018	Indoor fields for multiuse
25 Aug 01 2018	baseball!!!
26 Aug 01 2018	Lacrosse soccer
27 Jul 31 2018 C	Softball
28 Jul 31 2018 C	More soccer fields
29 Jul 31 2018 C	Buy Pinnacle
30 Jul 27 2018 C	More availability to pool! Such limited hours....
31 Jul 20 2018 1	All sports
32 Jul 18 2018 C	Gym, weight room
33 Jul 16 2018 1	Indoor turf, basketball courts
34 Jul 15 2018 1	not necessary
35 Jul 13 2018 C	biking,ice skating, roller blading, obstacle courses!
36 Jul 13 2018 1	Soccer, lacrosse, tennis,
37 Jul 12 2018 1	Baseball,football
38 Jul 12 2018 1	Lacrosse
39 Jul 12 2018 1	Dedicated pickleball courts
40 Jul 12 2018 C	Outdoor Pool & Splash Park would be amazing!

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41	Jul 12 2018	C	Indoor and outdoor fields should be multi-purpose to accommodate all sports (soccer, lax, baseball, etc.)
42	Jul 11 2018	C	outdoor sand volleyball
43	Jul 11 2018	C	If you could offer open gym times for families to come and play like you would at Pinnacle you would get a lot of business.
44	Jul 11 2018	C	Table tennis
45	Jul 11 2018	1	Over 60 softball/basketball, more 5k runs & 20k bikes
46	Jul 11 2018	1	Lax/soccer
47	Jul 11 2018	1	Bocce Courts
48	Jul 11 2018	1	Indoor track, 50 plus activities
49	Jul 11 2018	C	Grass, not turf
50	Jul 11 2018	C	indoor pool like in Perinton
51	Jul 10 2018	C	More parks: southwest, southeast
52	Jul 09 2018	1	I know it's listed but DOG PARK DOG PARK DOG PARK.
53	Jul 09 2018	1	Indoor pool
54	Jul 09 2018	C	Any
55	Jul 02 2018	1	adult boxing class
56	Jul 02 2018	C	badminton, driving range
57	Jun 28 2018		Seriously, an outdoor pool in our climate? Build an indoor pool like Penfield or Perinton
58	Jun 28 2018		Type should be based on assessed need
59	Jun 28 2018		Multi Purpose Fields; Outdoor Turf; Baseball Fileds;
60	Jun 28 2018		Soccer
61	Jun 27 2018		None
62	Jun 27 2018		This is only my preference. I support the community's needs overall.
63	Jun 27 2018		Outdoor Sand Volleyball
64	Jun 27 2018		Connect all trails
65	Jun 27 2018		Indoor running track
66	Jun 27 2018		Mountain bike trails
67	Jun 27 2018		Dryer Park
68	Jun 27 2018		Indoor turf would Be great !!
69	Jun 27 2018		Mountain biking trails/park such as that at Dryer Road Park!
70	Jun 25 2018		Mountain biking trails, skills area and pump track
71	Jun 24 2018		Tennis Courts
72	Jun 23 2018		Handicapped sports (not just basketball)
73	Jun 22 2018		Splash park
74	Jun 22 2018		Shuffleboard courts
75	Jun 22 2018		Indoor pool splash park
76	Jun 22 2018		soccer, lacrosse
77	Jun 22 2018		Help school with dome over tennis courts.
78	Jun 22 2018		Ninja warrior type obstacle course
79	Jun 22 2018		Indoor pool
80	Jun 22 2018		Love love love the dog park idea because we go all the way to Henrietta to use theirs. And we are members of amending Tennis Center for their indoor bubble. Ice skating would be fabulous. We have done that in Montreal, Quebec, Toronto. We would love to have that in Victor!!!
81	Jun 22 2018		Soccer or lacrosse
82	Jun 22 2018		All types of athletic fields
83	Jun 21 2018		Outdoor skating rink would be great for winter community activity. Community pool would be awesome!
84	Jun 21 2018		Indoor kids play center like bounce it out
85	Jun 21 2018		multi use
86	Jun 21 2018		Bocce ball courts

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87	Jun 21 2018		Lodges, outdoor AND indoor pools, dog park, nature center, fishing pond, trails are my top picks. In general, I think all recreation facilities are worthwhile. The trails alone in Victor make me proud to be a resident.
88	Jun 21 2018		Soccer, Lax indoor turf
89	Jun 21 2018		track
90	Jun 21 2018		Additional turf rink like at Dryer Road Park as well as additional indoor space for winter use.
91	Jun 21 2018		Lacrosse - turf or grass
92	Jun 21 2018		Multi-purpose outdoor turf,
93	Jun 18 2018		Multi Purpose

## Question 09

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#### Other recreation facilities I would suggest:

Answered 207  
Skipped 338

	Date	Responses	Tags
1	Nov 05 2018 12:13 PM	Trails where dogs can go off leash.	
2	Oct 23 2018 12:10 PM	trail to towpath	
3	Sep 26 2018 11:10 AM	none	
4	Sep 18 2018 12:35 PM	Sledding hills!!!	
5	Sep 17 2018 11:00 AM	none	
6	Sep 16 2018 04:55 PM	Indoor pool	
7	Sep 16 2018 01:00 PM	A large YMCA facility. What currently exists is notufficient to draw people of any age.	
8	Sep 15 2018 10:14 AM	I wish the town would keep 1 or 2 canoes, on the rack at Boughton Park for Victor residents to use. We could stop by the town Hall and get a key to unlock the canoe and return the key when we are done.	
9	Sep 15 2018 08:40 AM	None	
10	Sep 14 2018 08:37 AM	Indoor turf dome - seems to be most cost efficient way to add indoor turf space to a community. We also LOVE the Dryer Rd box, adding that at another park would be great.	
11	Sep 12 2018 10:53 PM	The Victor YMCA is totally inadequate...Perinton Community Center far superior for seniors	
12	Sep 08 2018 03:33 PM	Host a triathlon - pool swim, then a outdoor bike and run	
13	Sep 05 2018 07:30 AM	indoor pool at Pinnacle	
14	Sep 02 2018 01:24 PM	Train tourism	
15	Sep 02 2018 08:29 AM	community center	
16	Aug 30 2018 03:44 PM	paddle tennis	
17	Aug 28 2018 09:26 PM	Offer more train ride opportunities. Also, the Santa train ride is such a big hit, we all wish they could do it more than one day. Cuz, so many people are missing out.	
18	Aug 28 2018 08:10 AM	Railroad park depicting Victor RR history. Display? Interactive with the kids.	
19	Aug 25 2018 03:46 AM	Hiking trails and bike paths	
20	Aug 24 2018 09:57 PM	Please continue the Santa trains and other excursions on the Finger Lakes Railway	
21	Aug 24 2018 04:49 PM	None	
22	Aug 24 2018 03:07 PM	Outdoor gym equipment	
23	Aug 24 2018 01:25 PM	none	
24	Aug 24 2018 09:11 AM	none	
25	Aug 24 2018 08:58 AM	Just maintain what you have. There are lots of choices here	
26	Aug 24 2018 12:00 AM	Indoor walking track	
27	Aug 23 2018 05:54 PM	Bigger YMCA	
28	Aug 23 2018 10:15 AM	Bike lanes	
29	Aug 23 2018 09:59 AM	Expand Aquatics and programs for kids with special individual needs	
30	Aug 23 2018 09:42 AM	A train depot station for passenger trains to take tourists rides to and from.	
31	Aug 23 2018 09:14 AM	Reduction in current expenditures and programs	
32	Aug 23 2018 08:46 AM	Yoga and racquetball	
33	Aug 23 2018 07:31 AM	Swimming	
34	Aug 22 2018 09:05 PM	Expand train rides - more oppurtunities	
35	Aug 22 2018 07:41 PM	Santa Train!!!!	
36	Aug 22 2018 06:19 PM	Non	
37	Aug 22 2018 05:30 PM	Santa Train Polar Express Ride	
38	Aug 22 2018 04:08 PM	Keep Santa train, more pools, Victor school pool is full to capacity	
39	Aug 16 2018 08:09 PM	More swings on playgrounds. Especially swings for babies and toddlers!	
40	Aug 15 2018 09:37 AM	Stop stealing activities from other organizations and calling them. Victor parks and Rex activities. You are devastating the ability of local churches and others to raise funds. Truck or treat, pumpkin walk etc	
41	Aug 14 2018 02:37 PM	Exercise room with machines in larger facility.	
42	Aug 14 2018 12:51 PM	adult activities	
43	Aug 08 2018 05:29 PM	Community garden, labyrinth, outdoor theater space, sculpture park, rowing tank, adult retreat center/overnight camp, outdoor reading spaces,	
44	Aug 07 2018 08:52 PM	Enlarge the shoulders on the roads. They are busy and tough for biking and running.	
45	Aug 07 2018 08:56 AM	N/A	

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#### Other recreation facilities I would suggest:

46	Aug 06 2018 08:35 PM	indoor pool available during the day	
47	Aug 06 2018 08:22 PM	indoor year round pool and full service work out gym - like Perinton	
48	Aug 06 2018 05:23 PM	none	
49	Aug 04 2018 11:55 PM	Pool and indoor track	
50	Aug 04 2018 08:57 PM	Rock climbing wall	
51	Aug 03 2018 10:59 AM	None required	
52	Aug 03 2018 07:04 AM	Not sure	
53	Aug 02 2018 06:58 PM	None	
54	Aug 02 2018 06:53 PM	Um	
55	Aug 01 2018 10:50 PM	None	
56	Aug 01 2018 07:18 PM	Really interested in indoor walking track	
57	Aug 01 2018 07:08 PM	Outdoor yoga space	
58	Aug 01 2018 03:33 PM	Indoor/Outdoor pool with some sort of water feature like slides	
59	Aug 01 2018 08:11 AM	It's really important to get more baseball fields, so we're not forced to drive to Farmington.	
60	Aug 01 2018 03:22 AM	None	
61	Jul 31 2018 09:42 PM	Perinton rec center is ideal set up	
62	Jul 31 2018 09:20 PM	Perinton, Henrietta	
63	Jul 31 2018 08:46 PM	None	
64	Jul 31 2018 08:08 PM	A fenced in playground. Better accessibility for those with disabilities.	
65	Jul 31 2018 07:43 PM	Indoor pool space	
66	Jul 31 2018 07:20 PM	Gym and fitness center	
67	Jul 31 2018 07:20 PM	Gym and fitness center	
68	Jul 31 2018 07:13 PM	I can't think of any	
69	Jul 31 2018 05:51 PM	A senior rec center with pool	
70	Jul 31 2018 05:46 PM	A facility that both Victor and Farmington residents can use jointly, at the same cost. A facility closer to Farmington would be ideal	
71	Jul 30 2018 03:46 PM	expanded public library facility	
72	Jul 27 2018 04:47 PM	Aquatic Center - much like Perinton OR negotiated rates with Perinton facility to extend opportunities for Victor residents.	
73	Jul 25 2018 06:49 AM	As above, a splash park would be an amazing addition to the Victor community.	
74	Jul 23 2018 11:42 PM	Splash Pads/Parks	
75	Jul 22 2018 09:11 PM	Train depot including meeting & picnic facilities	
76	Jul 22 2018 07:45 AM	Team up with YMCA so we can have a pool, indoor facilities	
77	Jul 21 2018 04:22 PM	Indoor pool because the schools pool has very limited use, indoor walking track, more exercise classes	
78	Jul 18 2018 02:24 PM	none	
79	Jul 16 2018 10:04 PM	Batting cages	
80	Jul 15 2018 05:33 PM	none	
81	Jul 15 2018 01:22 PM	Splash park	
82	Jul 15 2018 12:02 PM	N/A	
83	Jul 15 2018 11:15 AM	splash pad!!	
84	Jul 15 2018 11:11 AM	anything to keep trails and open/green space	
85	Jul 15 2018 09:31 AM	No	
86	Jul 15 2018 08:55 AM	None	
87	Jul 14 2018 03:51 PM	Toddler friendly playgrounds and more poured rubber surfaces	
88	Jul 14 2018 12:53 PM	indoor running track	
89	Jul 13 2018 04:25 PM	labyrinth, climbing wall, natural obstacle course, all wood, old fashioned playground. lots of old fashioned games and activities please!!!!!!!!!!	
90	Jul 13 2018 03:44 PM	More picnic facilities	
91	Jul 13 2018 01:17 PM	Archery Range	
92	Jul 12 2018 11:47 PM	Batting cages, obstacle courses, mountain bike trails more accessible	
93	Jul 12 2018 11:42 PM	Community Center like Perinton's	
94	Jul 12 2018 09:15 PM	I would like to see a program that offers exercise for beginners to build stamina and toning of muscles. Offered in the evenings around 6:30 ish.	
95	Jul 12 2018 09:12 PM	None	
96	Jul 12 2018 06:19 PM	Indoor walking/running track	
97	Jul 12 2018 04:03 PM	Indoor pool	
98	Jul 12 2018 11:26 AM	Splash park	
99	Jul 12 2018 08:35 AM	NA	

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## Other recreation facilities I would suggest:

100	Jul 12 2018 08:27 AM	Adventure Center or Indoor Playgroud for long fall/winter months in addition to an outdoor pool/splash pad area for summer
101	Jul 11 2018 08:38 PM	swimming pool
102	Jul 11 2018 08:36 PM	Indoor turf fields.
103	Jul 11 2018 08:29 PM	Bocce courts, lawn games (chess, yatzee)
104	Jul 11 2018 08:27 PM	Fitness center
105	Jul 11 2018 07:15 PM	Table tennis
106	Jul 11 2018 04:41 PM	Photo darkroom, studio spaces for artists
107	Jul 11 2018 04:36 PM	Greater access to pool
108	Jul 11 2018 03:26 PM	Indoor pool, indoor track
109	Jul 11 2018 02:49 PM	A dog park would be awesome!!!
110	Jul 11 2018 01:46 PM	Greece community center has a lot of free kids activities which would be nice in Victor. Also, an indoor track for walking/running in the winter!
111	Jul 11 2018 12:05 PM	Scout hut for both Girl Scouts and Scouts (formerly Boy Scouts)
112	Jul 11 2018 11:48 AM	none
113	Jul 11 2018 11:47 AM	Town gym, school hours are limited and options in town are limited. Memberships could cover the costs. An outdoor Town pool would be great.
114	Jul 11 2018 11:34 AM	N/A
115	Jul 11 2018 11:20 AM	None at this time
116	Jul 11 2018 11:10 AM	Not sure?
117	Jul 11 2018 10:54 AM	Victor needs a community pool ! exercise room with equipment would be nice too
118	Jul 11 2018 10:51 AM	None
119	Jul 11 2018 10:43 AM	Outdoor Community Pool!
120	Jul 11 2018 10:25 AM	Gym with childwatch.
121	Jul 11 2018 09:46 AM	Aquatics center
122	Jul 11 2018 09:39 AM	I think a community pool would be so welcomed and appreciated!!!
123	Jul 11 2018 09:23 AM	None
124	Jul 11 2018 09:22 AM	Handicap accessible playground and pool
125	Jul 10 2018 09:41 PM	Victor offers a great assortment of facilities, no more are needed.
126	Jul 10 2018 03:39 PM	More sidewalks in neighborhoods
127	Jul 10 2018 11:12 AM	We need a facility like Perinton Rex center in Victor. Especially the pool. HS poolhas too many black out times and not enough offerings.
128	Jul 09 2018 10:16 PM	Aquatic Center like in Perinton
129	Jul 09 2018 12:32 PM	DOG PARKS!!
130	Jul 08 2018 12:58 PM	Recreation equipment rental
131	Jul 03 2018 03:57 PM	none
132	Jul 02 2018 09:26 AM	badminton courts and driving range
133	Jul 01 2018 08:20 PM	Mountain biking trails connecting parks
134	Jun 30 2018 08:54 PM	More activities that match 55+ residents - perhaps Victor could offer better facilities for Silver sneakers classes
135	Jun 28 2018 08:30 PM	Skate park!!!
136	Jun 28 2018 08:18 PM	N/a
137	Jun 28 2018 07:59 PM	Indoor pool
138	Jun 28 2018 02:47 PM	More trails!
139	Jun 28 2018 12:44 PM	Health and Wellness Center that offers activities for all ages from Seniors to Pre-Schoolers
140	Jun 28 2018 08:48 AM	Anything pertaining to trail running
141	Jun 27 2018 11:20 PM	Aquatic center like Perinton
142	Jun 27 2018 03:34 PM	None
143	Jun 27 2018 03:10 PM	not sure
144	Jun 27 2018 03:03 PM	eBike access to trails
145	Jun 27 2018 02:21 PM	Mountain Biking Trails
146	Jun 27 2018 01:37 PM	none
147	Jun 27 2018 01:22 PM	None
148	Jun 27 2018 01:08 PM	Mountain bike trails
149	Jun 27 2018 01:08 PM	A drop in style workout center
150	Jun 27 2018 12:47 PM	A better place to hold an outdoor festival that serves alcohol. Dryer would be great but no alcohol can be served
151	Jun 27 2018 12:44 PM	Just more wooded space generally
152	Jun 27 2018 12:40 PM	Splash pad
153	Jun 27 2018 12:25 PM	More bike connection trails!

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## Other recreation facilities I would suggest:

154	Jun 27 2018 12:22 PM	NA
155	Jun 27 2018 12:22 PM	Bike park
156	Jun 27 2018 12:22 PM	More MTB trails!
157	Jun 27 2018 11:17 AM	Cross-country ski trails, fatbiking and shared use trails, more mountain biking trails/parks, and anything to make cycling of all kinds more accessible, safe, and fun for all!
158	Jun 26 2018 01:52 PM	Mountain Biking Trails
159	Jun 26 2018 01:50 PM	NA
160	Jun 26 2018 09:21 AM	Summer Cornhole league
161	Jun 25 2018 04:20 PM	Mountain bike trails expansion
162	Jun 25 2018 02:50 PM	None
163	Jun 25 2018 01:20 PM	Mountain bike and trail bike routes/trails
164	Jun 25 2018 10:50 AM	Fat Tire Bike Groomed Trails
165	Jun 24 2018 09:43 PM	Upgrade outdoor roller rink at Dryer Road to ice rink in winter
166	Jun 24 2018 08:42 AM	adult swimming classes
167	Jun 23 2018 07:17 AM	none
168	Jun 22 2018 11:12 PM	Pickleball
169	Jun 22 2018 09:48 PM	indoor trampoline park
170	Jun 22 2018 07:41 PM	Community Pool
171	Jun 22 2018 05:34 PM	Splash park
172	Jun 22 2018 05:28 PM	Larger YMCA
173	Jun 22 2018 04:13 PM	Bring back the senior golf program at Victor Hills.
174	Jun 22 2018 03:43 PM	bandshell for small/selective performances and concerts
175	Jun 22 2018 02:55 PM	N/A
176	Jun 22 2018 02:13 PM	indoor pool with better hours than the school one (OR just BETTER hours for school pool, i.e. evenings )
177	Jun 22 2018 01:24 PM	Indoor pool splash park
178	Jun 22 2018 12:48 PM	.
179	Jun 22 2018 12:10 PM	Area dedicated for sledding - winter obviously, outdoor "pond" skating.
180	Jun 22 2018 10:52 AM	Batting Cages and Dog Park
181	Jun 22 2018 10:41 AM	none
182	Jun 22 2018 09:20 AM	A bigger workout facility
183	Jun 22 2018 08:45 AM	POOL with open hours!!!!!! Water Aerobics!
184	Jun 22 2018 08:19 AM	Indoor playground/space for winter
185	Jun 22 2018 07:34 AM	Definitely a dog park!!!!
186	Jun 22 2018 07:10 AM	Pool
187	Jun 22 2018 12:17 AM	Indoor pool
188	Jun 21 2018 09:49 PM	None
189	Jun 21 2018 08:07 PM	A new YMCA!
190	Jun 21 2018 07:15 PM	indoor pool like Perinton Rec Center and YMCA
191	Jun 21 2018 06:44 PM	Indoor pool
192	Jun 21 2018 06:29 PM	None
193	Jun 21 2018 05:56 PM	none
194	Jun 21 2018 05:35 PM	Senior Citizen or Communtiy Center
195	Jun 21 2018 05:28 PM	None
196	Jun 21 2018 04:59 PM	It is sometime hard to break into new forms of recreations where the intital costs are high or the knowledge base is harder to acquire, e.g., kayaking/boating, hunting, fishing, etc. Do we have community gardens for people who rent or have shaded properties?
197	Jun 21 2018 04:55 PM	out door community pool
198	Jun 21 2018 04:41 PM	Indoor turf, hockey rink
199	Jun 21 2018 04:38 PM	None
200	Jun 21 2018 04:33 PM	Indoor children's play space
201	Jun 21 2018 04:14 PM	space for music or theater performances either indoor or outdoor (or both!)
202	Jun 21 2018 04:13 PM	We need something to keep our youth occupied in the cold months...bowling, movies, etc
203	Jun 21 2018 04:08 PM	Rock wall climbing at the empty barn next to lovely
204	Jun 21 2018 03:56 PM	na
205	Jun 21 2018 03:52 PM	You need to build a Rec center in a central location that meets the needs of our community.
206	Jun 21 2018 03:33 PM	Dog park. Dog park. Dog park
207	Jun 21 2018 03:24 PM	soccer field complex with 7 to 10 fields

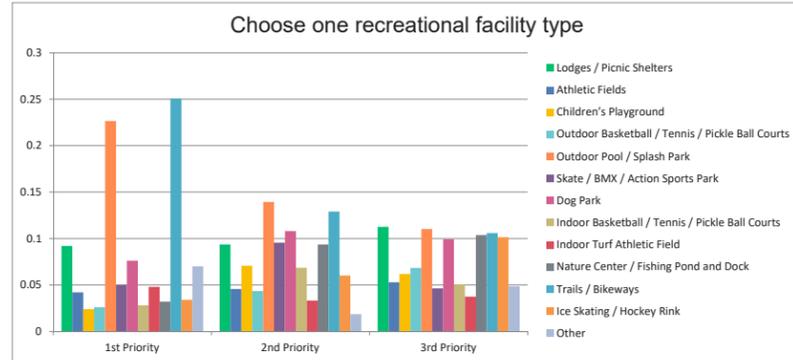
# Question 10

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
 Which three (3) of the above facilities do you feel are the most important to include in the updated Town of Victor Parks and Recreation Master Plan?

Choose one recreational facility type

	Lodges / Picnic Shelters	Athletic Fields	Children's Playground	Outdoor Basketball / Tennis / Pickle Ball Courts	Outdoor Pool / Splash Park	Skate / BMX / Action Sports Park	Dog Park	Indoor Basketball / Tennis / Pickle Ball Courts	Indoor Turf Athletic Field	Nature Center / Fishing Pond and Dock	Trails / Bikeways	Ice Skating / Hockey Rink	Other	Total
1st Priority	9.2%	4.2%	2.4%	2.6%	22.7%	5.0%	7.6%	2.8%	4.8%	3.2%	25.1%	3.4%	7.0%	499
2nd Priority	9.4%	4.6%	7.1%	4.4%	13.9%	9.6%	10.8%	6.9%	3.3%	9.4%	12.9%	6.0%	1.9%	481
3rd Priority	11.3%	5.3%	6.2%	6.8%	11.0%	4.6%	9.9%	5.1%	3.8%	10.4%	10.6%	4.9%	2.2%	453

If Other, what? 82  
 Answered 500  
 Skipped 45



- | Date           | Other, what Tags   |
|----------------|--|
| 1 Nov 05 2018  | 1 Trails where dogs can go off leash.  |
| 2 Sep 12 2018  | 1 Victor Community Center like Perinton's  |
| 3 Sep 02 2018  | 1 Train Depot  |
| 4 Sep 02 2018  | 1 community center   |
| 5 Aug 28 2018  | 1 Train ride opportunities. Kids are fascinated by trains.                       |
| 6 Aug 28 2018  | 1 Railroad excursions and displays   |
| 7 Aug 24 2018  | 1 Excursion trains on Finger Lakes Railway                                       |
| 8 Aug 24 2018  | 1 N/A  |
| 9 Aug 24 2018  | 1 Indoor walking track   |
| 10 Aug 23 2018 | 1 Bigger YMCA - #1, Victor train rides   |
| 11 Aug 23 2018 | 1 Minimize spending. Nothing else is really needed.                              |
| 12 Aug 23 2018 | 1 A train depot station for passenger trains to take tourists rides to and from. |
| 13 Aug 23 2018 | 1 Downsizing of department   |
| 14 Aug 22 2018 | 1 Keep the Santa Train   |
| 15 Aug 22 2018 | 1 Train excursions!!! Kids love it   |
| 16 Aug 22 2018 | 1 Splash park  |
| 17 Aug 14 2018 | 1 Indoor walking track   |
| 18 Aug 14 2018 | 1 adult activities   |
| 19 Aug 08 2018 | 1 Labyrinth  |
| 20 Aug 07 2018 | 1 Making road shoulders larger for bikes and runners                             |
| 21 Aug 06 2018 | 1 indoor pool  |
| 22 Aug 06 2018 | 1 Indoor pool, thats not part of school  |
| 23 Aug 01 2018 | 1 Indoor walking track   |
| 24 Jul 31 2018 | 0 Senior rec center with pool  |
| 25 Jul 30 2018 | 0 public library expansion   |
| 26 Jul 21 2018 | 0 Indoor pool and walking track  |
| 27 Jul 18 2018 | 0 Gym  |
| 28 Jul 18 2018 | 0 none   |
| 29 Jul 15 2018 | 1 everwild   |
| 30 Jul 13 2018 | 0 Old fashioned play ground!   |
| 31 Jul 12 2018 | 1 Community Center   |
| 32 Jul 12 2018 | 0 Indoor pool  |
| 33 Jul 12 2018 | 1 Athletic fields  |
| 34 Jul 12 2018 | 0 Indoor Playgroud/Adventure Center  |
| 35 Jul 11 2018 | 0 indoor pool  |
| 36 Jul 11 2018 | 0 A town outdoor pool would be amazing!  |
| 37 Jul 11 2018 | 0 Art center, studio spaces, darkroom  |
| 38 Jul 11 2018 | 0 Community Pool   |
| 39 Jul 11 2018 | 1 Scout hut that is free to use.   |
| 40 Jul 11 2018 | 1 Bike ways by road  |
| 41 Jul 11 2018 | 1 I know I didn't select indoor turf previously but I missed it!                 |
| 42 Jul 11 2018 | 1 indoor track   |
| 43 Jul 11 2018 | 1 Ice skating rink   |

## Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey Which three (3) of the above facilities do you feel are the most important to include in the updated Town of Victor Parks and Recreation Master Plan?

- 44 Jul 11 2018 0 Indoor bubble/options for winter tennis would be wonderful! (Now go to tennis club of rochester)
- 45 Jul 11 2018 0 Safe bikeways/lanes on road for road biking.
- 46 Jul 11 2018 0 Handicap accessible playground and pool
- 47 Jul 10 2018 0 We have great trails, lodges, and fields. You are doing an awesome job.
- 48 Jul 10 2018 1 Rec center like Perinton with full services. Their community use age is proof it works on so many levels.
- 49 Jul 09 2018 1 Aquatic Center
- 50 Jul 05 2018 0 More mountain bike trails
- 51 Jun 30 2018 0 Victor needs a community center like Perinton has. Also need to communicater better what facilities/activities are available
- 52 Jun 30 2018 0 Indoor swimming
- 53 Jun 28 2018 0 Indoor pool
- 54 Jun 27 2018 1 The town provides plenty of stuff
- 55 Jun 27 2018 0 Lehigh/Auburn/Seneca Trails for connectivity
- 56 Jun 27 2018 0 Lehigh and Auburn trails connectivity
- 57 Jun 27 2018 0 Would like an indoor running track around the Indoor trf
- 58 Jun 27 2018 1 Dryer and Lehigh/Auburn/Seneca Trails for connectivity
- 59 Jun 27 2018 1 Splash park would be awesome
- 60 Jun 27 2018 1 Nature preserves that allow non-motorized forms of recreation.
- 61 Jun 27 2018 1 Mountain biking trails/park, such as that at Dryer Road Park!
- 62 Jun 26 2018 0 Mountain Biking Trails
- 63 Jun 23 2018 0 More accessible parks and programs
- 64 Jun 22 2018 0 Community pool
- 65 Jun 22 2018 0 Covered shuffleboard courts. At least 8 courts.
- 66 Jun 22 2018 0 indoor pool
- 67 Jun 22 2018 0 Dog Park
- 68 Jun 22 2018 1 Better bathroom facilities at parks besides port a johns
- 69 Jun 22 2018 1 Sidewalks along busy roads like County Road 9, High Street, Gillis, Bowerman to promote safe bike, walking and running for pedestrians.
- 70 Jun 22 2018 0 A bigger workout facility :)
- 71 Jun 22 2018 0 Indoor Pool
- 72 Jun 22 2018 0 Help school with dome over tennis courts.
- 73 Jun 22 2018 0 Ninja warrior obstacle course, indoor playground/space for winter

# Question 11

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**Recreation Programs: Please indicate all program areas that you or your family would like to see more of!**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Special Events including	35.64%	98
Pre-School Activities including	13.82%	38
Youth Activities including	24.36%	67
Pre-Teen / Teen Activities including	13.45%	37
Inclusive Programming for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities including	7.27%	20
Aquatics programs including	31.64%	87
Adult Programs including	28.36%	78
Senior Citizen Programs including	15.64%	43
Other Programs or Activities of Interest include:	21.45%	59
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>275</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>270</b>

	Special Events including	Pre-School Activities including	Youth Activities including	Pre-Teen / Teen Activities including	Inclusive Programming for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities including	Aquatics programs including	Adult Programs including	Senior Citizen Programs including	Other Programs or Activities of Interest include:
1	yes							bowling	
2									orientteering
3			summer camp / afterschool activities	programs					
4	summer evening movies						concerts (ALL summer - May thru September) wish there were no dogs	van rides to various area restaurants, activities	
5	More activities in the village						More classes in conjunction with FLCC		
6								Computer instructions	
7	More activities in the summer (movies outside, IC by library).				crafts, sing-alongs, pool nights.	(see above) pool nights.	soccer, indoor soccer, euchre, day trips (like senior citizens get), singles group (21-55) that meet diff place ea month, ropes courses, brewery tours or wine trails.		
8			Non-sports based activities.		Adaptive sports in general (my son has spina bifida).	More open swim at the high school.			
9									none
10						Lap pool and leisure pool with water fitness classes		Travel bus trip	
11						Swimming lessons for adults; programs to address the benefit of water for those with arthritis		See adult program input.	
12	Holiday events especially at Christmas								
13								What's going on in Community drugs, etc. safety for adults	
14	the concert series was great!		continue all the recreation programs introducing all sports to our youth	preparing tween age children for growing responsibilities: babysitting, staying home alone, intro to finance					
15						free swim for adults			
16							Exercise programs, exercise machines/equipment, swimming, biking, hiking	same as response to Adult Programs	
17									Host a triathlon - pool swim, outdoor bike and run
18									Train Tourism
19	cultural/performing arts				special olympics and or physical activities/competitions		exercise , cultural ,educational	same as above	community meals/gatherings
20	more concerts, Enhanced Farmers Market, Village Concerts	Swimming, Soccer, Baseball/softball				More Time slots for open swim and leassons	Team Sports after 6pm		

	Special Events including	Pre-School Activities including	Youth Activities including	Pre-Teen / Teen Activities including	Inclusive Programming for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities including	Aquatics programs including	Adult Programs including	Senior Citizen Programs including	Other Programs or Activities of Interest include:
21	More Concerts, More Train Rides								Beer and Chili Walks, Holiday Themed events, Carnival
22	Train ride opportunities	Swimming lessons during school months and summer months,	Swimming lessons during school months and summer months,				Financial planning	Financial planning	
23	Themed Railroad events								Halloween, Easter Bunny, Adult themed railroad excursions
24				Tennis					
25	Train Rides, Holiday Events, Farmers Market								
26	Santa train, railroad excursions								
27	Excursion trains on Finger Lakes Railway								
28	Santa train-please keep!! Fourth of July parade								
29							Adult sports (Soccer, softball, kickball, volleyball, flag football)		
30									none
31									Dont need more of anything
32	Victor Train rides	Hockey							Na
33									
34					More Aquatics Programs. Programs designed for kids with "special needs"				
35	train tours	train tours	train tours	train tours	train tours	under water train tours... < It's okay to laugh!	train tours	train tours	Did I mention train tours!
36	Holiday lights in a park fundraiser with Santa, hot chocolate, children activities	Sing a long, outdoor storytime, nature walk,	Dancing, art classes, winter festival during breaks with sledding and snow sculptures		Art classes, swimming, dancing, story hours, music concerts		Beer and wine festivals in park during fall		
37	Concerts		Organized sports						
38									Fireworks
39	Santa Train	gymnastics							More train rides/keep Santa train
40									
41	Santa Train Polar Express Ride	Ice Skating	Water Park	Water Park			Swim Lessons		
42	Santa Train								Santa train
43									
44	Santa Trains	Afternoon yoga	More sports like lacrosse for kids older than 5				More lesson times		
45	Santa, Foliage trains. Other train rides taking advantage of the tracks through the village		More options for activities that are not mid day. Some of the programs are difficult for families with two working parents						
46	Trains like the Santa train								
47							More lap swim times.		
48									Railroad excursions
49	yes								
50							Programs for babies and parents		
51								Zumba gold	

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52							Beer festivals, wine tours, live music, longer hours on the farmer's market - essentially things that would occur later in the day which allow those of us who work until 7 or 8pm 5 days a week something to do. To be fair though, these types of requests should really take a backseat to what those with kids or the larger public would require, but by not having kids I'm not the best one to ask about that.		
53	Life-size Chess Game, Guinness World Record event for something					Learn to Row	Outdoor Public Art Participation Projects, ballet-barre exercise, dance troupe		Polo exhibitions or other unique outdoor "tourism" activities, more (quiet) activities at Boughton Hill
54	Festivals, Fireworks on July 4th			Really no place for kids to gather - not sure what the programming is.					
55									N/A
56						indoor pool lap swim during the day			
57							beginner weight loss/exercise program		
58	Charity races								
59	Concerts								X None Outdoor pickleball for free use.
60									
61									
62	Holiday related activities: sleigh rides, etc.								
63							Cooking classes, Yoga, Hiking, Kayaking		
64				keep the skiing trips		scuba certification	wine tours of the area		
65							Foreign language class	Foreign language class	Dog training class or bring your dog events
66			Just more options! Especially ones kids can ride the bus directly to after school.						
67	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
68	5k or 10k trail run		Running/Biking Group	Running/Biking Group					
69	Food truck rodeos				Inclusive activities and support from victor parks staff. Sports and school age programs like music and cooking classes				
70			Dance classes at more convenient times						
71						Pool	Fitness		
72						Pool	Fitness		
73	Family events		Training and safety classes. Fishing, archery, Atv, boating...	Training and safety classes. Fishing, archery, Atv, boating...					
74	Revive Community Chorus				playgrounds			rec center with pool	
75	Outdoor concerts		Flag football						
76						outdoor facility			more meeting space availability
77						indoor pool			
78						lap swimming after 7:30 AM	improvement of strokes, water aerobics		
79	Concerts, summer in the square, victorfest etc.	More offerings for the five and under children, sports and music				Tot swim/two week sessions, Saturday tot swim, and ideally Saturday sessions (more sessions not time)	A learn to swim program would be nice for adults	Water aerobics	
80	Summer in the Square/Sidewalk Sale								
81	Local bands								
82				Adventure club, bike club					
83						Lap swimming and water exercise	Tennis lessons		

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84	Music								
85	"Victor Fest" summer and fall event?, concerts targeted to younger audience								
86									
87									
88	Carnival		Before school care						
89								Events/ trips	
90				arts and crafts, cooking classes					
91		Art, muic, swim	Indoor basketball league, indoor lacrosse, swim						
92			Longer basketball season		More open court time for basketball, sewing class for beginners, more art classes				
93	More concerts are paparone park						Book club		
94									
95									green space
96									
97		More Theater projects for kids (L.e. Broadway Bound)	More Theater projects for kids (L.e. Broadway Bound)						
98	Food truck rodeo (w vegan options)	Family dance					Free swim lessons	Local beer/wine taste test contests	
99			arts and crafts, homeschool programs				offered more frequently		hiking, stargazing, rowing, kayaking,
100	tea parties! barn dancing, old fashioned fun!	manners classes, obedinece games	manners classes, sewing, teaching to do debates	teaching selfless giving and service	reading together books aloud and talking about it. Intentional Listening to easyvclassical music	splash parks, wateraerobics!!!	time management lessons, budget planning, preparing to retire, gardening sesions, teachings on parenting, forgiveness, board games, old fashioned fun!	reading aloud and conversations about life lessons to younger generation.	Please, classic - good quality information and lessons!
101									
102					No specific ideas, just like to see more inclusive programs.				
103	We love the special events in the village					More available, more often.			
104	Thursday Concerts								More summer concerts
105			Sports programs for those not seeking the competitive level of jr high and high school teams.						
106								I answered this earlier not realizing it had its own area to fill in.	
107		None							
108							More evening or weekend availability for all ages		
109						Aquatic center with child and adult areas	Variety of fitness classes		
110						Water aerobics			
111	Fourth of July picnic and fireworks				options for adults such as dances or sports teams		yoga		
112								Daily lunches like Perinton rec center	
113				Art and community theater programs					
114				Art and community theater programs					
115					Music, dance, gym time		Spinning or running programs		
116									NA
117		Activities for 2-4 year olds in the evening for working parents							

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118						programs for adults - exercise		easy exercise, stretch, chair	craft classes - paint, draw, cooking
119							How to hem pants		
120							Running club		
121		Dance, karate	Dance, karate	Dance, karate					
122			Dance						
123							Book club, sports, art classes		
124						Lap swimming - expanded options			
125			Sports classes thru Parks & Rec						
126		Dance class	Dance class			More free swim/recreational swim			
127	Concerts in the park								
128		science camp	science camp				exercise programs		
129								Day Events with more advance notice	
130			Karate/Martial Arts			Instruction in water sports (kayaking, canoeing)			
131	Love the outside concerts at Paparone & Victor Hiking Trails							Senior sports: runs, bikes, softball, basketball	
132		yes				more swimming lesson times available			
133			Evening hours are best!				Workout classes and facility,		
134			Before school care held at the school (and after care also held at the school)			Swim lessons in the evenings			
135	Concerts/movies in parks!								
136	band concerts								a town "read" ~ all read the same book
137						Day time swimming		More activities	
138						Private Swim Lessons	more yoga options, spinning		
139							Dancing lessons?		
140					CPR, health training				
141									
142	stuff for teens - so instead of hanging at the mall they have cool and fun ways of getting together -- even volunteer opportunities-holiday parties-craft nights-food and movie night-open game night-sledding-hikes...			teen activities that kids can do on a friday/saturday night - like a teen club		family pool, lap swim, splash park - community pool	more exercise classes with more choices		book club, activities for people that are between the ages of 30-50 -- the seniors have a lot of fun activities for social activities.....
143	Concerts					once per week swimming lessons Non-competitive swim club			
144		Art classes		Parkour!					
145	food truck rodeos, more bands and 'concerts'						craft and art classes		
146	outdoor movies			discount purchases at amusement and waterparks. outdoor movies, indoor track			murder mysteries dinners, adult education courses		defensive driving courses at a reduce price for town members, beer, wine ,cider and distillery tastings
147						swimming lessons at a variety of times and a town pool to go to in summer			
148							Bridge/games, painting, dancing lessons	Trips, lunches	Computer lessons
149							More Zumba and dance		
150		Any and all.	Floor hockey or hockey on dryer road field						

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151			Basketball league or skills workshops/practice for kids older than 4th grade			Weekend classes during summer			
152							Volleyball, Pickleball		
153					More accessibility for Deaf community members. Sign language interpreters and/or captioned events	Outdoor summer swim team			Bus trips to NYC or Toronto boradway shows
154		Gymnastics	Golf Lessons with a pro			Diving lessons, advanced swim class (above competitive swim.lv16)			
155			gymnastics/tumbling, kids yoga/meditation, learning a skill like sewing, working with tools etc						
156							Yoga,		Yoga
157	Village of victor fair/carnivals/music/food truck rally		Girls Summer sports team programs (baseball/soccer/...)			Actual open swim hours a family can use. More than 2 times & 3 hours (sometimes) a week.			
158			Kids programming						
159								Lectures, travel log	
160		Coach Steve!						Time with toddlers. Short amounts of time but maybe a snack hour mid morning kinda like come and play.	
161						Aquacize. Yoga. Water walking. Open free swim etc	Circuit like curves offers.	Varied like the Y offers for active to disabled seniors	
162	More community events. Expand hang around Victor day to a whole weekend								
163						Open swim if you don't already have it			
164		more sports, arts etc in the evenings/weekends				swimming lessons			
165			Sports as classes for children age 5						
166			Irish dance, softball						
167							Jazz Dancing	Bocce or croquet or badminton	
168	Food-truck rodeo, "get people on bike" programs (group rides, demos, etc.)								
169	festivals								
170							Strength training, cardio-not just offered during the day		
171	Concerts		boys' dance classes--hip hop, etc.	Driving lessons			Organized tennis		
172									
173						outdoor pool			
174							Mountain biking lessons		
175							yoga		
176								better locations for Silver Sneakers classes the local Y is just awful	
177						aqua exercise programs			
178	Concerts/Family events		More sports selections for school age kids to "try out"						
179			Gymnastics	Outdoors/hiking					
180						Year-long evening swim lessons year			

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181	More live music					Indoor pool	More Zumba		
182								Sessions/classes that are of interest to seniors eg- trusts, residential alternatives, caring for elderly parents	
183						Water aerobics			
184									Youth travel sports programs to keep our kids local and is more affordable than paying expensive Club Team Fees Trail Race Events, MTB Events, Road Bike Events
185									
186	Nope	Nope	Nope	Nope	Maybe something...	Nope		Who knows what they even have right now?	Nope
187							volleyball		
188	live music								
189	Lacrosse tourneys								
190									
191	music			evening golf			bike rides on trails		None
192							Lap/fitness swimming		
193									
194	Bike festivals								
195	Dryer Road Mountain Biking events								
196									
197	COncerts								
198	Mountain bike festival	Playgrounds for little kids	Soccer and lacross				Sport leagues		
199	Mountain bike events								
200	Concerts	Outdoor movies		Bike trails		Splash pad	Biking		
201			Mountain Biking	Mountain Biking	Mountain Biking		Mountain Biking	Mountain Biking	
202	Outdoor Concerts	Playground equipment, playtime activities				Pre-school swimming classes/time			
203									
204									
205	concerts, fairs with activities (rock climbing, bungee, etc.), biking oriented events		mountain biking, fatbiking, cross-country skiing	mountain biking, fatbiking, cross-country skiing		pool parties	mountain biking, fatbiking, cross-country skiing		
206									the timing of the activities- during the day is not helpful for working parents. More options in the week and several days a week (particularly for divorced families)
207	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na
208	musical events		alternatives to traditional team sports	alternatives to traditional team sports					
209									MTB Events (Fat Tire Festival)
210			yoga			more frequent swim sessions; more capacity			
211	Outdoor movie nights	Dance, gymnastics, arts, sports classes on the AM (young kids nap in PM)							
212						water aerobics, adult swimming lessons			
213	Music					aerobics		Fitness	
214	More preschool/youth family activities	Private swim lessons	Private swim lessons			Private swim lessons			
215						Yes. More swimming programs for kids			

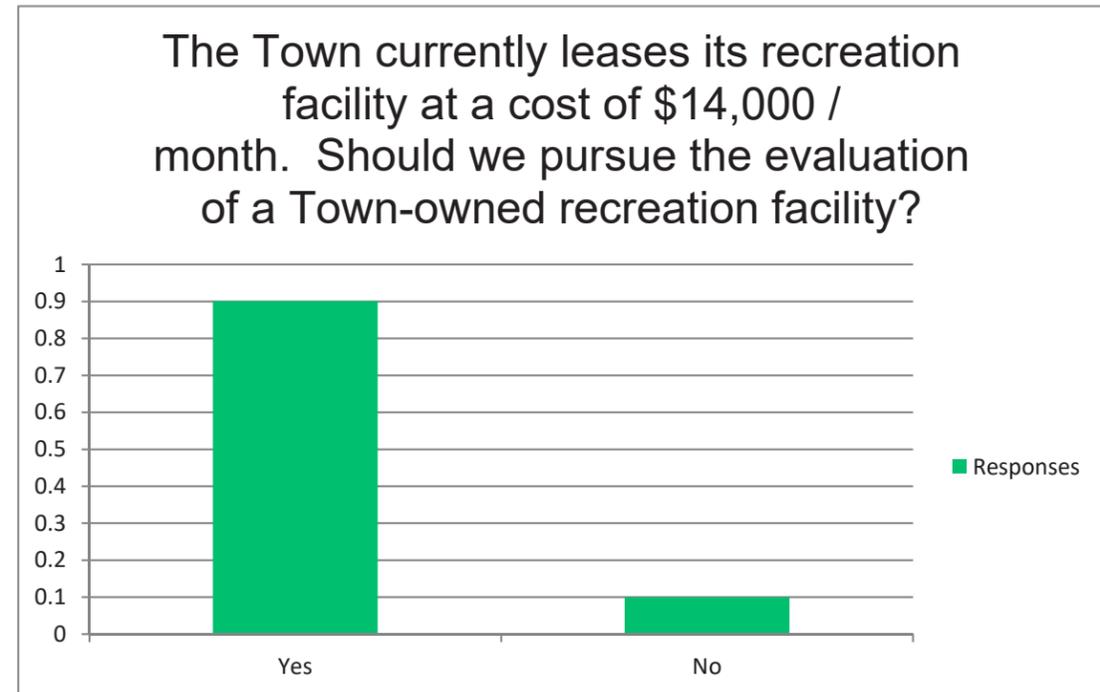
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216	Programs with families of high school age children						Exercise for disabled people who are not senior citizens		
217	Summer in the square, Christmas in the square, movie days, pumpkin walk, ... love them all!					More sections of swim classes			
218	concerts		Pickleball				trails	Eurchere	
219			Gymnastics dance						
220							Bicycling	Exercise groups	
221							Jazzercise		
222	Msic in the Park					Family swimming	More YMCA activities		
223									Golf and Shuffleboard Courts.
224	music, concerts								hunter education
225							More flexible cost effective access to weight room (i.e. Victor Schools)		
226				basketball leagues					
227		Anything not during the workweek. Most preschool events are weekdays, and working parents can't go!				pool with family locker room, walk in splash park	Baking classes		
228						more times for seniors to use the pool	art classes, drawing, carving etc.		We need a larger YMCA
229						Program for older kids who want to get more swim experience but don't want to compete at club level			crossfit for kids/teens
230			Water based activities (paddling, etc.)						
231	GPS Scavenger Hunt					Adult Learn to Swim	Real Estate Tips and Tricks	Seniors matched up with younger kids for reading practice or anything else.	family bus trips to places like Buffalo, Cananda, NYC
232						Swimming, field trips			
233	concerts				special olympic type events	more lessons during the school year		trips,	
234									A larger facility with cardio machines, weights and classes
235							Crafting classes		
236	More concerts, day trips						Tai Chi, Qi Gong		
237	Movies in the park are down to one a sumer								
238	Outdoor movie, community events that would appear to 10-15 year olds, community plays		Rec nights, field hockey		Similar to the volleyball events where everyone can play together				Family scavenger hunts, bike/hikes with picni/park time,
239						Adult swim lessons for stroke improvement. Also SCUBA certification / recertification.			
240	Holiday parades and events are great!								
241			More summer camp opportunities						
242		Yoga, dance, more evening classes				Water workouts			
243				Most rec sports end at age 12. If a child is not good enough for school athletes- all possibilities disappear at an age where it is so very needed. More rec opportunity for teens. Jr high and high school.					

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244			Mommy and Me Classes				Cooking/Special Diet Classes, Running Programs		
245	Concerts, Festivals						Adult Basketball, Volleyball		
246			spring sports 'camps' such as baseball to introduce kids to it or lacrosse or soccer 'camp' like it is offered for little kids at VPR						
247			Mountain biking	Camping/hiking					
248	Out door music venues, carnival								
249			Classes for kids coordinated with the school. For example, biology, math fun class			We do not take lessons at Victor bc I have been very unhappy with the quality of instructors.			
250								zumba gold, Silver Sneakers, Silver n Fit	watercolor classes, cooking classes,
251						Aqua fitness			
252	Movie night camp out								
253		evenings and weekends for working families				swimming lessons offered more often			
254									n
255				Concerts					
256							Group music lessons; gardening classes		
257						free swim, water aerobics		much more senior programming in all areas	
258				Athletic skill building programs					
259		more little strikers					Bocce leagues	Bocce leagues	
260		Outside of business hours							
261						Larger variety of class times for swim lessons			
262					Day camps; All	Senior citizen water exercise		Crafts, card playing.	Senior citizen programs offered in the evening. Not all seniors are retired and available during the day
263	Movies			Trips					
264		Music/art classes				Mommy&me swimming			
265	music performances	music classes, dance classes, intro to sports and arts with and without parent involvement	theater opportunities year round				stuff for mom's during the day!		
266			Karate, STEM or inventors club	Karate & Dance					None
267									
268							programs for 50+ instead of 55+		track, running
269							softball, ultimate frisbee, soccer leagues on wednesdays		
270			Track and field						
271								Yes	
272			Basketball			Swimming lessons			
273			Dance and gymnastics						
274							Adult Lacrosse League		
275	Victorfest, Concerts								

## Question 12

Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey  
**The Town currently leases its recreation facility at a cost of \$14,000 / month.**  
**Should we pursue the evaluation of a Town-owned recreation facility?**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	90.08%	445
No	9.92%	49
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>494</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>51</b>

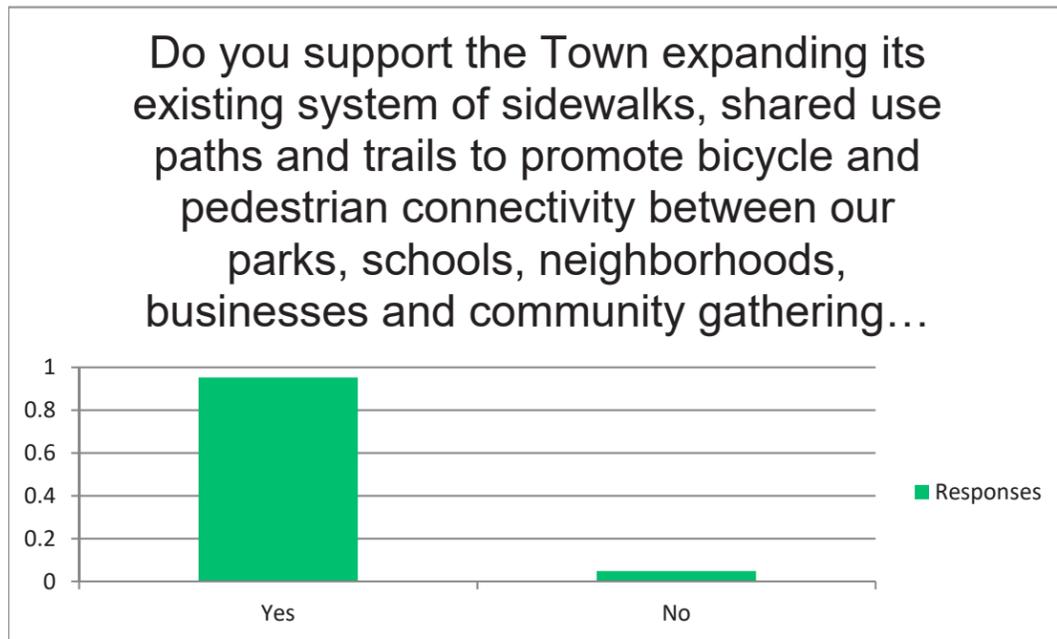


## Question 13

### Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey

**Do you support the Town expanding its existing system of sidewalks, shared use paths and trails to promote bicycle and pedestrian connectivity between our parks, schools, neighborhoods, businesses and community gathering places?**

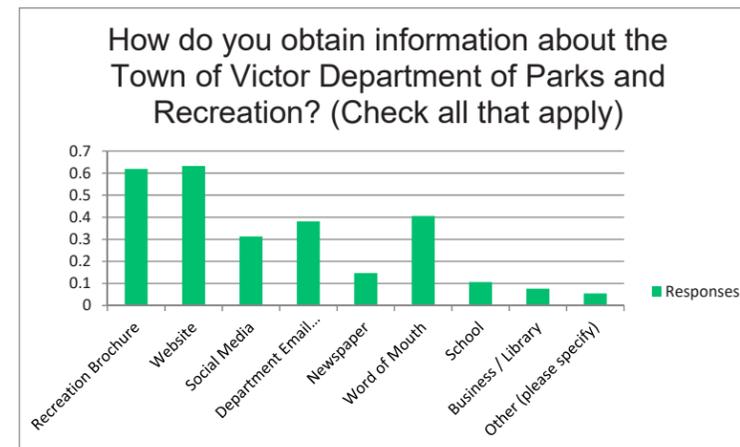
Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	95.23%	499
No	4.77%	25
<b>Answered</b>		<b>524</b>
<b>Skipped</b>		<b>21</b>



## Question 14

### Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey How do you obtain information about the Town of Victor Department of Parks and Recreation? (Check all that apply)

Answer Choices	Responses	
Recreation Brochure	61.90%	325
Website	63.24%	332
Social Media	31.24%	164
Department Email Messages	38.10%	200
Newspaper	14.67%	77
Word of Mouth	40.57%	213
School	10.67%	56
Business / Library	7.62%	40
Other (please specify)	5.52%	29
<b>Answered</b>		<b>525</b>
<b>Skipped</b>		<b>20</b>



Date	Other (please specify)
1 Nov 05 2018 12:13 PM	Notifications on trails, like this one
2 Aug 30 2018 07:00 AM	App
3 Aug 30 2018 06:28 AM	Google Maps
4 Aug 28 2018 09:26 PM	i find it difficult to find out what is going on in victor. It should be easier website and promoting.
5 Aug 25 2018 03:46 AM	Concerned citizen
6 Aug 24 2018 09:57 PM	e-mail sfrom fellow railfans regarding train excursions
7 Aug 24 2018 09:11 AM	I contact the Town offices directly Town Hall, Village Hall, Victor Voice Newsletters, signs posted while driving around, while walking my dog, looking out my front window,
8 Aug 23 2018 09:42 AM	
9 Aug 22 2018 06:19 PM	Signs around town
10 Aug 22 2018 05:30 PM	Mailing Adress
11 Jul 22 2018 09:11 PM	Attendance at special events
12 Jul 13 2018 04:25 PM	library
13 Jul 12 2018 09:12 PM	Sandwich board in the village
14 Jul 11 2018 04:36 PM	VHT meeting minutes
15 Jul 11 2018 11:48 AM	facebook
16 Jul 11 2018 10:54 AM	miss getting the brochure in the mail-sometimes my family miss things because we forget -- participated a lot more when the brochure came in the mail
17 Jul 10 2018 03:39 PM	I wish I could say something cheaper like your website
18 Jul 08 2018 05:51 PM	Silverton Glenn assoc./friends
19 Jul 01 2018 08:20 PM	Groc
20 Jun 29 2018 11:45 PM	Signs in the village
21 Jun 28 2018 11:34 PM	Groc
22 Jun 28 2018 07:59 PM	Victor Post
23 Jun 28 2018 05:36 PM	Thru participation on CAC
24 Jun 28 2018 09:31 AM	GROC website
25 Jun 27 2018 06:09 PM	Victor Voice Newsletter
26 Jun 27 2018 03:03 PM	Groc
27 Jun 27 2018 01:19 PM	IS there an email I can sign up to receive?
28 Jun 24 2018 06:49 PM	Email
29 Jun 22 2018 08:45 AM	Town Hall

## Question 15

### Department of Parks & Recreation Master Plan Public Input Survey Is there anything else that you would like to share?

Answered 230  
Skipped 315

- Responses
- 1 More trails that allow dogs off leash!
  - 2 very happy with consistent upgrades (we have been here for 24 years) keep up the great job!
  - 3 I am very thankful for all the activities offered to us as Victor residents  
Parks & Rec does a GREAT job now. They are all friendly and willing to help if needed. Mike Stockman is EXCEPTIONAL. RE. LEASE: An indoor gym or similar is NOT WORTH the building of a facility. (only a small number of people would use it.) RE. SIDEWALKS/TRAILS: "I doubt will not be enough use" "Victor Hiking Club already does trails"
  - 4 Look for more coordination and participation by FLCC and Victor Schools
  - 6 Just more programs for adults.
  
  - 7 I noticed that the official website for Boughton Park states that it is for Victor residents. Please note that the park is also for Bloomfield residents. The park is becoming overrun with Non Resident people and dogs. Also, not okay for our private park to be shut down for Rochester Runners Association. Over the past 2-3 years the park has become run down - tractor tire marks ruining the side trails, the trails not being kept up (there have always been muddy areas that were well maintained with wood overlays/gravel/etc.), fruit trees, raspberr patches being chopped/cut/mowed down, roundup or some pesticide being sprayed around the base of trees/buildings that was never done before and shouldn't be done in a park, garbage everywhere - especially at the fishing spots. I have been coming to this park for over 20 years - this park used to be kept up well - what is going on? Please help keep our park private and beautiful.
  - 8 I'd be curious to know how much the Town of Farmington residents partipate in Victor Rec programs. If it is substantial, their input should be sought as well. After all we share a school district and a library, and those entities do tend to bring people together and blur the 2 different towns distinction.
  - 9 We need to think about how this effects our taxes. Our town is not large enough to support a Rec facility or an ice rink. There is Pinnacle which Victor schools use and ice rinks in Canandaigua and Perinton
  - 10 The Parks & Rec team is doing a great job and very easy to work with from a Youth Sports Program perspective. I think we need to have town hall meetings where youth programs can work collectively with P&R to advocate for future initiatives and expansion of facilities to benefit the community. It should be a common voice of the town youth programs and I know that is a common voice
  - 11 The yes or no question about rent and building a new facility is extremely pigeon-holed. The determining factor would be the overall cost.
  - 12 no
  - 13 Thank you for the oppportunity for input and for guiding our community in efforts to enhance our quality of life.
  - 14 n/a
  - 15 We really enjoy the outdoor concerts and would like to have more of them. Some fall ones would be fun. Also really enjoy the train rides. Would like the town to consider helping them keep the train rides going.
  - 16 I wish there was more for the smaller kids to do. Like 5,6,7 year olds. I find myself driving to several other towns to keep the kids active and fun.
  - 17 nope
  - 18 keep up the good work!
  - 19 Please don't stop the Santa train my family has gone every year. The train has become a cherished tradition the my self and I am sure many others don't want to loose.
  - 20 I think Victor does a great job providing activities, indoors and outdoors for our residents and visitors.
  - 21 Please do not dismantle the Finger Lakes Railway
  - 22 Please keep the Santa train! We're so lucky to have something like that conveniently located in our town! There's no other town in Rochester that has that!
  - 23 no
  - 24 # 7 should have had "Other" or a narrative space...We're not 'into' the facilities, but it's great you're doing this survey!
  - 25 More is not needed. There are many activities here in Victor. Why do they need their own office? Use the Town Hall. There is certainly room there.
  - 26 Program fees seem high. I think they should benlower d. Especially for senior citizens.  
Victor should have a community center like Perinton's
  - 27 It is always busy. I believe Victor residents would use it if available. It is short sided not to have one.  
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  - 29 We need a bigger Rec center/ YMCA for the growing Victor population. Hockey rink would be nice too
  - 30 Get rid of rec...keep trails and parks. Take count of how many residents use rec programs. One person should be counted as one...no matter how many programs they use. All residents should not be paying for rec used by a few.
  - 31 No
  - 32 I would like to see some programming that is for kids with specific needs. Not necessarily Developmental Disabilities, but for kids, like my son, that are low on the Autism Spectrum. He operates mostly like other kids but struggles with anxieties that prevent him from trying new things, most specifically when it is in front of other kids and he is lacking in confidence in the activity. Programs, such as, one-on-one swimming lessons for example, would be very useful for him.

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- 33 Train tours are quite popular and/or profitable in many areas of our region. In fact Manchester and Phelps in partnership with Ontario county (and others) are ramping up their efforts to restore many sections of the Lehigh Railway line for this purpose and others. Although the Ontario County owned section of the Lehigh Railroad coming into the village from the SE itself is in need of some repair prior to it being considered suitable and/or safe for regular passenger tourist trains on an ongoing basis, in my opinion it would be a shame to omit this from Victor, NY's planning process for recreation all together. In fact I believe that at present we are uniquely suited to be a start/end point. It is my understanding that every tour run from our location in the past, including the annual Santa trains tours, have been filled to capacity.
- 34 Less money spent on parks and rec which would lower taxes.
- 35 I really appreciate everything that we currently offer and am elated at opportunity to share additional ideas to further improve as our communities develop. Way to go!
- 36 We have enjoyed the Santa Train over the past years and would love to see that continue for future use. It's a unique adventure that makes Victor a desirable town to live in or visit.
- 37 Making memories as a family is #1
- 38 I rec'd an email from the friends of the railroad that the Santa Train wasn't even in the plans for this coming year. It SELLS OUT within days and brings so much traffic to the shops of Victor. It would be a real loss for the families and businesses of Victor to disregard the value of this event.
- 39 Please keep the Santa Train--it has become a family tradition
- 40 Having the Railroad in Victor for a Christmas Holiday tradition is important for children. Let the Santa Train in Victor continue.
- 41 Love events for entire family like hang around Victor day, pumpkin walk, Santa train
- 42 keep up the great work!
- 43 Love the Santa train ride with my grandkids!!
- 44 No
- 45 You guys do a good job. Please keep it up...and thank you.
- 46 I love the direction that the parks department has been going in! The Victor Municipal Park in particular is awesome. Keep up the great work!
- 47 The facility should be more centrally located in the village
- 48 I like the way the Perinton Comm Ctr is set up for all activities.
  
- 49 Questions #12 & #13 are extremely ambiguous and their responses will be difficult to intemperate. For example, I support evaluating a town owned rec facility in theory, but what's the payback on that? If it's going to cost \$200k to do the study, \$2m to do the build-out, then it seems to me like that's a 13 year payback without taking into account maintenance and whatever else is covered in the rent. I'd need to know more about the cost of the study relative to what we might expect to get out of the study before you can answer that with any degree of certainty.  
Same holds true for expanding sidewalks and footpaths. How can I say that I support doing that without understanding what it would cost to do it? Outside of that, not a bad survey.
- 50 I think you should consider that children that attend Victor schools should not have to pay the extra fee for youth/teen programs if they live in Farmington. The extra fee should only be for residents who do not attend Victor Schools. This should be especially true for the kids programs.
- 51 I would love to see a cooperative effort between P&R and the Y to build AND maintain a community pool & aquatics program, with a good balance of programming for adults and disabled persons as well as children and youth. I'd also love to see a continued/increased and pro-active effort to do as much cooperative programming with other Victor not-for-profit groups (Hiking & Trails, Art Club, VFLibrary, local artists, Gardening Club, Ganondagan, the Y, etc.) to capitalize on combined strengths and resources to create a more synergistic & unique quality of life for Victor residents.  
Victor needs to lighten up - for example no alcohol if you are renting a lodge. Most of these rentals are by families and I don't think they are going to throw a keg party!
- 52 We are the only community that does not offer a fourth of July celebration - let's start.
- 53 N/A
- 54 no
- 55 Thank you for asking
- 56 No
- 57 Wish Canandaigua had parks yours
- 58 Not really
- 59 No
- 60 The current outdoor walking trails are awesome but only weather permitting and when the snow isn't too deep. Need an indoor walking venue for wintertime that's close to village. An indoor walking venue where dogs are welcome could be interesting, too.
- 61 I love using the hiking trails and local parks. Thank you to those who volunteer to keep them maintained.
- 62 Everyone at VPR works very hard, so thank you!  
I didn't realize sidewalks were a part of this. As a runner I would LOVE to see more sidewalks. I run up high street and Gillis because I need to, but I feel unsafe every time I do.  
Thank you for listening and working so hard on this!
- 64 No
- 65 Your staff is wonderful, kind & dedicated! I've always loved your dedication! Thank you!  
It annoys me that Victor Parks and Rec charges Farmington residents an out of area fee. We don't have a parks dept and part of the school district. If the program is child age and they go to the local school, a non resident fee should not be charged. It annoys me we have to pay more to hang out with their peers. I am part of Girl Scouts and we are always working in the community. It just stink that there is always the reminder we don't belong. That we divide at the town line.
- 66
- 67 No
- 68 Get the YMCA to provide a decent Y (with a pool) between Victor and Farmington. Pittsford is too far.

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## Is there anything else that you would like to share?

- 69 We are mostly interested in having a town owned facility that can be shared with Victor and Farmington. We have hesitated to use Victor Rec because we have to pay more for programs in Farmington, and it doesn't seem fair. We would support a new facility in Victor if it were close to Farmington, perhaps near Brace Rd.
- 70 The Victor Farmington Library has great potential in providing additional activities and opportunities to all if it is expanded.
- 71 Santa Trains are a wonderful activity that are well attended by Victor residents.
- 72 Victor need either a recreation center or a YMCA that can provide space and services for such a large and growing community
- 73 Keep community informed of developments and be proactive to engage interested adult resident involvement in the entire process  
The trails are amazing in Victor and would love to see more. While facilities are important, the staffing at the rec programs is also critical and can't say enough good things about Coach Steve and his team!
- 74 I have provided comments on the town's route 96 corridor and think sidewalks/crossing guards near the school would be a major enhancement, but probably not parks and rec's place to get .
- 75 Thanks for all you are doing!
- 76 no
- 77 not at this time
- 78 whatever is decided, it needs to be financially sustainable in the event of an economic downturn
- 79 No
- 80 No
- 81 if it aint broke dont fix it
- 82 More sidewalks would be great. We often see people walking down 96 and it's super dangerous. We live on Break of Day within walking distance of the auburn trail and Victor Park, but there are no sidewalks to get to either. It's scary for us walking with a 1 year old baby in tow.  
We had his bday party at MaryFrances Bluebird Haven and it was wonderful there, but it would have been nice to have more than 2 lodges to choose from, especially since the one at Victor Park was already booked (we called 4 months in advance, too) and we had many more than 45 people on our invite list. We would have loved a lodge with a playground.
- 83 younger kids sports programs that are offered all summer not just in April/May. The timing of spring programs start date and spring brochure mailing is very tight
- 84 You have an awesome program and our family of 3 older adults feels privileged to be able to use your facilities.
- 85 Please, give us good manners and proper speaking classes. it is so needed. children grow up with out any worthy example! Tea parties! All love tea parties! Don't we?
- 86 Please finish the sidewalks on High Street from Lane Rd. down to Rt. 96. You have to cross the street to stay on a sidewalk. Great project completeted but with a few missing parts.
- 87 I think Brian Emelson is doing a great job. I've worked with him on improving our hiking/biking trails.
- 88 I feel you need to encourage a more welcoming environment of location for the bike trails. They are so distant making to be very inconvenient. Id like to see some nearer to the school rather down past the village
- 89 i know ALOT of people at school who use the perinton recreation center and i wanna see that but in victor
- 90 We moved to Victor, in part, because it maintained its green spaces while still developing the area. Our family has participated in many activities over the past 3 1/2 years. We love Victor Parks & Rec!
- 91 no
- 92 Please fix the traffic issues on 96
- 93 I think there needs to be an older adult available at all times of summer rec. If there is one I don't know where to find this person.
- 94 As residents for 13 years, we like the way the various community groups work together to support each other and think the Rec Dept offers a wide range of activities!
- 95 Not at this time
- 96 Please explore joining forces with Farmington.
- 97 I do not want to pay higher taxes for whatever you do.
- 98 Thanks for all you do!
- 99 Thank you for asking for our feedback!
- 100 I think the Parks & Rec department does a wonderful job providing free/low-cost programs and events for my family (kids ages 5 and 9). Being residents of Victor for the past 14 years, we have both seen a tremendous growth in school enrollment and participation in athletic programs in Victor. I strongly believe that a town-owned indoor community center (with multi-use fields and courts) would be a great asset to the community.
- 101 Only that I think the current facility is so far out of the Victor "hub" area. I dont go on senior trips anymore because im not driving to the Mendon/Bushnell Basin area
- 102 I love living in Victor! The quality of life here is outstanding, and the Parks Dept does a fantastic job.
- 103 thank you for all of your hard work
- 104 I think the programs you run are wonderful. I wish that town of Farmington residents didn't have to pay \$10 more per program. It gets expensive when you have four kids and I would be able to sign up for more programs if we didn't have that extra charge.
- 105 Great offerings and staff! Any improvements would make a great program even better
- 106 No
- 107 Parks and Rec provides fantastic programming! Thank you!
- 108 No.
- 109 We usually plan trips, outings, etc. as much as a year in advance. Your calendar with senior events is so late coming out we often have some of the events already planned with one of the suppliers. I have talked with rec dept. about that and they say there is nothing they can do. Seems a bit unorganized to me.;
- 110 No

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## Is there anything else that you would like to share?

- 111 The Victor Hiking Trails crew and Boughton Park Board deserve kudos for continued efforts - all pro-bono. Those include real responsibilities w/little recognition.
- 112 nothing, thank you
- 113 Coach Steve is amazing with the kids. Our town is growing, please provide programs and services to support the growth.
- 114 Question 16 should not be a mandatory question (and it is...it will not let you submit the survey without putting information in every box).
- 115 We love Victor Parks and rec!!!! Thank you for all of the work you do to build a community that we love living in!
- 116 N/A
- 117 Not that I can think of?
- 118 The town offers plenty of parks and trails currently and does a great job promoting and maintaining them.
- 119 I really enjoy the Perinton Rec Center and wish Victor had something similar-The Victor YMCA is too small-I love the ideas regarding the new Southeast YMCA except that now it is even farther for Victor Residents - Penfield YMCA is wonderful as well yet too far
- 120 No
- 121 No
- 122 Town of Victor staff at the Rec center desk is always very courteous and helpful!
- 123 We enjoyed the basketball league for 3rd/4th grade and would like basketball leagues for grades 5+.
- 124 Overall the Town of Victor should slow or halt development! The traffic on route 96 is insane, historic places (e.g. Parks house) are being ruined, there is increased traffic on other roads, such as Route 251, and all of the houses being built contribute to light pollution! We used to be able to see dark skies in Mendon, now the light pollution from all of the development along Route 251 has ruined that. The hillsides have been scarred where trees were removed to build housing tracts, all the paving causes more runoff and flooding, plus the traffic causes noise and air pollution. Be sensitive to the natural surroundings and environment and protect your historic buildings!
- 125 Sidewalks/trails from Victor to Farmington are a wonderful idea! Also wish Farmington residents wouldn't have to wait to register for activities.
- 126 As a user of the Victor Parks and Rec program, I would like to see Farmington Residents NOT have to pay so much extra to participate. Summer Rec Camp is almost double for Farmington residents...
- 127 Brian Emelson and his staff are awesome. Thank you for choosing to work in Victor!
- 128 Having the Rec center a little closer to victor proper would encourage me to use services more. It seems out of the way now
- 129 We really enjoy the concerts in the park!
- 130 Have an air conditioned summer program for kids.
- 131 Victor is awesome !
- 132 We participated in a lot of toddler programs and they are wonderful. Felisha and Coach Steve are pleasures to see nearly daily!
- 133 Thanks for doing this
- 134 DOG PARK!
- 135 Farmington and Victor seem to share a lot including Victor schools. It would be nice if Farmington residents at least got a discount when signing up for activities through the rec department.
- 136 I would not use other facilities if the times that are offered for children's sports and activities are conducive for working parents. I am not able to sign my son up for anything because I work until 5. Most classes or sports are either in the morning during the week or too early in the evening.
- 137 No
- 138 You are very fortunate to have Brian Emelson as your parks director. His vision and commitment for shared use trails has been the foundation of legal, responsible off-road cycling in the entire area. He has an excellent crew. The only weakness of the current paradigm for trail building and maintenance is the dependence on volunteers. Land managers are going to at some point have to commit to hiring personnel to do much of this work.
- 139 Communication in Victor about activities is very poor.
- 140 Would love to see a spray park! Love the summer concerts at Municipal Park. Would love more events like that!  
We also love the Parks and Rec summer camp! Our family appreciates everything you guys do!
- 141 No
- 142 Great park leadership and stewardship! While I live in Canandaigua, I volunteer at Dryer MTB and also help manage Ontario County Park trails. Our area is building a reputation for great bike trails and we need to continue that effort for our residents and visitors who come and expect great trails and connectivity between our trail systems so more collaboration is needed. Thanks for all your efforts!
- 143 None
- 144 No
- 145 We need to build our own Parks & Recreation Center that would be home to residents of all ages, all walks of life, all abilities, and where our residents can seek health and wellness advice as well as activities.
- 146 Given how much of the building and upkeep of trails is done by members of GROCC, and how good they are for the upkeep of trail systems and promotion of responsible use, it would seem reasonable to expand the number of legal shared-use trails.
- 147 You guys are doing great work so far! Dryer Park is one of the most well-kept trail systems I've ever ridden or ran on.
- 148 Problem with sidewalks- new ones are near my neighborhood but aren't plowed in winter. Look at long term costs before implementing ANYTHING new.
- 149 Love the mountain biking opportunities. Please add more!
- 150 Love Dryer Road Park for MTB. It's one of the highest rated in the state. Great job! Thank you.
- 151 Victor is a great town. I work in Bloomfield and enjoy going to Dryer Road Park after work. I wish I lived closer to take more advantage of the other programs/facilities.
- 152 I LOVE the newish connection between the FLCC and Dryer Road park. This makes it possible to ride from the more populated areas to the all the way to Dryer and back with only minimal need to ride on the road. Love it!

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Is there anything else that you would like to share?

- 153 No  
154 no  
155 Keep up the great work!  
156 No  
157 I think Victor does an awesome job and that other towns should learn from them and emulate. Thank you so much for all you do.  
158 No
- 159 Question 12 and 13 do not provide enough information to make an informed decision. It seems misleading therefore I have not answered.  
160 Safer bike lanes.  
161 Victor Parks and Rec Department is very progressive in regards to offering biking and trail opportunities to it's residents and those people living near and far. Keep up the great work. Thank you.  
162 Dryer Road Park is a great start for a cycling Mecca. Increasing the capabilities of the park to introduce better trails for young and new riders would boost the economy in Victor.  
163 It would be great if all of the trails in the town allowed bicycles on them. A decent bit of the Seneca and crescent trails don't.  
164 Thanks for all the good work you already do!!!!  
165 Thank you for looking for an opinion  
166 Dryer Road Park, Auburn Trail and Lehigh Valley trails are major reasons as to why I chose to buy a house in Victor. Keep expanding and keep the maintenance up for future generations  
167 We enjoy the Dryer Rd. park at least once a week & also maintain the trails occasionally. Thanks for providing a nice place to ride - wish more of our parks were as bike friendly!  
168 Not at this time.  
169 The skills area at dryer Rd park needs to be updated and maintained.  
170 Nope  
171 Thank you so much for supporting Dryer Rd Park for use by mountain bikers of all ages and interests! It's truly an amazing facility. I have greatly enjoyed using the off road cycling facilities at Dryer Road Park. The skills area in particular is unique in Rochester. Though I'm not currently a resident, I travel to use the park 1 - 2x a week and often patronize some of the local businesses while I'm in Victor. These facilities have a positive economic impact on the Town.  
172 We LOVE Dryer Road Park's mountain biking trails! There are far too few such options locally, and continued maintenance/improvements/expansions would be most welcome.  
173 Our family enjoys mountain biking at Dryer Road Park and are impressed with the Town of Victor for facilitating healthy activity while simultaneously preserving and leveraging nature.  
174 I am a single working mother with 50/50 custody of my four year old. I have not been able to participate in as many of the pre-k programs for my son because they are offered at times I'm at work. And, some of the evening times they offer are nights he's with his father. Offering more activities after work hours and several days a week (or different days a week) is helpful for children who may be living between two homes.  
175 I take my kids (ages 9 and 11) biking at Dryer. If there were bike/multi-use paths from Dryer to the village, we would ride there to restaurants instead of getting back in the car and stopping in Rochester on the way home.  
176 I love the exercise program on M, W and F and how affordable it is, I would love to see it add affordable yoga as well.  
177 No  
178 The town of Victor made it possible for me and my family to learn to and enjoy mountain biking. Parents, young children, all together with the help of GROCC and "Little Rippers" program. Thank you and keep up the great work!  
179 I would really like to see my Farmington taxes "buy in" to the Victor Parks & Rec program so I receive "resident" rates and privileges.  
180 I encourage each new housing development to consider connecting to the existing trail system.  
181 Mats, equipment, toys, etc. need to be cleaned and sanitized more regularly, especially during flu season!  
182 Wish there wasn't a fee to register online for programs.  
Would like to see a diverse offering of programs on half days and Supt. Days off from school....constructive arts & crafts choices and sports activities/games.  
183 Please do not expand the access/use of Boughton Park to Farmington or any other towns. To be able to determine whether to build/buy our own facilities instead of rent, I need to understand the costs to buy and operate.  
184 I think the Parks and Rec department should consider the purchase of Pinnacle, if at all possible. It is very poorly managed, which is a shame since it has a lot of potential, including their original master plan for outdoor athletic facilities, trails, etc. that would align with Parks&Rec vision.  
185 My family really enjoys and appreciates all of the activities put on by the town. You guys do a great job!  
186 no  
187 I think you are currently doing a good job- keep the progress going!  
188 No  
189 N/A  
190 I'm a swimmer and I would really love to use the school pool but that early morning time is very inconvenient ... I WOULD LOVE TO HAVE SOME EVENING TIMES AVAILABLE  
191 Victor parks and Rec does a great job and has some great staff with Brian and Christine and others. Thanks and keep up the great work!  
192 Any chance on getting a larger or brand new YMCA

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Is there anything else that you would like to share?

- 193 I think the town should buy or lease Pinnacle. It is an under utilized facility due to the owner's control. We need this space for our community. We need more outdoor fields- the school is filled and the youth sports are often disregarded when space is needed. Victor parks and rec does a great job but they are limited by space and trying to compete with Pinnacle. keep up the good work!  
194 Nothing additional  
195 We have a wonderful town and the list of places to enjoy is extensive. I am really hoping we can get a dog park soon.  
196 We have worked with Mike Stockton on several requests for special needs kids and Mike has always been very responsive and gets it done. Great job  
Mike  
197 Nope, just thank you for what you do!  
198 We need a Pool, other than the HS! With hrs other than EARLY am! Expensive, I'm sure, but there is no exercise safer for the body.  
199 There would be benefit in not duplicating offerings by other companies and profit/non-profit organizations. There would be benefit to partnering with other organizations. Some organizations activities and events are critical fundraising activities.  
VPR email messages are typically very large in size. For example, the one on 6/20 was almost 1 MB. The same content and images can be communicated using compression and lower resolution images.  
200 Park and Rec is important to the community. Wish it was more utilized. Love Coach Steve. :) Sometimes the non-resident fee makes a program cost prohibitive.  
201 We have a great town. Love the hiking trails. Dog park is a natural. Skating rink too — perhaps on one of the Boughton Park ponds? Or the Dryer Road lax box?  
202 We love Victor and all that it has to offer! We love the idea of parks with facilities like Dryer Rd that we frequent a lot. And a dog park would be awesome!  
203 Put a playground in the village for kids!  
204 No  
205 These programs have saved my life as we are 'second time around' grandparents. I only have praise for the programs offered and nothing bad to say. I hope a broader variety could be offered but it's ok if not, it has helped me through some dark times! I appreciate it.  
Keep doing what you're doing! We are so fortunate to have all of the activities that we do through your facility and the surrounding parks and trails, it's hard to ask for more. However, you have and given us the opportunity for input. However you can bring more family, community, healthy living projects to our area the better we and our families will be. Thank you so much!  
206 Vixtor is a great place to raise a family and if there were more family centered things to do, that would be great.  
207 In our climate, we need indoor activities. Turf field, badminton, pickle ball.  
208 With the Victor YMCA closing and limiting hours, maybe VPR can partner with the Y to build a joint facility that would have a pool, exercise equipment and indoor/outdoor fields. It would bring the community together in a multitude of ways in a manner that Pinnacle and other facilities can't.  
209 Na  
210 We can be very proud of the accomplishments of the Parks and Recreation Department.  
211 No  
212 not at this time  
213 You should consider offering to purchase Pinnacle Athletic Campus and expand it/renovate it to incorporate all program offerings. I stopped being a member there recently as there has been a lot of mis-management and extreme price hikes.  
214 Overall we think the parks & rec department does a good job of offering programs for all ages.  
215 Victor has many great park facilities. Please improve the quality of your senior programming. Look at other suburbs of Rochester for what they offer, and focus on the senior programming!  
216 No  
217 No  
218 Number 13, about town connectivity, is so important. I think it's one of the most important things and requires planning and cooperation. Also, I'd love to see a bigger, better library (Rec/library partnership?); possibly a park/facility in the center of the village; a community pool (indoor and outdoor) and a large recreation facility where inter-generational mixing is supported. The town facilitating programs between Victor retirees and youth would benefit everyone.  
219 There is a lot of great programming offered but the times aren't conducive to families where both parents work.  
220 No  
221 No  
222 No  
223 I think the town would be well served to bolster the library services and trails to be competitive with other towns with similar real estate pricing.  
224 no  
225 We love the parks and rec programs! Keep up the good work.  
226 With our growing community you need to put resources into a Rec center and stop relying on the school because that partnership won't last forever. It is embarrassing a town our size has such poor facilities compared to other towns in the area.  
227 I feel that anyone in the school district should count as a "resident".  
228 After I first moved to this area in early 2014, I heard about your programs and registered for several. However, every one was eventually cancelled due to lack of enrollment. I lost interest and still have, I believe, a credit from the fees I had paid. I may or may not register for something in the future. One activity/class that would be of interest is a "learn to fish" for senior women.  
229 No  
230 No

## Appendix II: Community Outreach Events Summary



# Community Outreach Event No. 1

The following pages will contain feedback collected from the Community Outreach Event No. 1: Summer in the Square which took place on July 14, 2018. The public was asked to vote for specific amenities they wanted to see in each individual park as well as throughout the park and recreation system. Comment cards were also available for residents to share additional information.



**Summer in the Square**  
July 14, 2018

# Public Outreach Event - 2nd Annual Summer in the Square July 14, 2018

## Interactive - Park Amenity Board Feedback

*“What do you want for the future of Victor’s Parks?”*

DRYER ROAD PARK		FISHERS PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	3	Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	1
<b>Dog Park</b>	22	<b>Playground/ Swings</b>	6
Skate Park	6	<b>Lodge/Restroom</b>	4
New/ Additional multi-use trails	10	Small Athletic Court	2
New/ Additional multi-use fields	0	Additional Parking	0
Outdoor Stage/ Entertainment Area/ Bandshell	5	<b>Nature Center</b>	6
<b>Outdoor Pool</b>	19	Basketball Courts	3
<b>Box Rink Winterization/ Ice Rink</b>	12	Pickleball Courts	1
Other:		Other:	
Bocce Courts	2	Trail Markings	1
Splash Pad	3		
Basketball	1		
Baseball	1		
Bring turf back	1		
LEHIGH CROSSING PARK		HARLAN FISHER PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	3	Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	1
Larger Parking Area	0	<b>Dog Park</b>	6
<b>Fishing Dock</b>	13	<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	4
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	10	Volleyball Court	2
Playground/Swings	4	Basketball Courts	0
Small Athletic Court	1	<b>Splash Pad</b>	6
Nature Center	4	Small Athletic Court	3
<b>Restroom Facilities</b>	6	Other:	
		Tennis Courts	1
MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN		MEAD SQUARE	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	2	Arbor/ Gazebo w/ Seating	4
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	8	<b>Bike Racks</b>	9
<b>Outdoor Nature Classroom</b>	8	Improved Lighting	1
Additional Restrooms	1	Additional Gardens	3
<b>Arboretum/ Nature Center</b>	4	Additional Seating	1
Additional Community Garden Plots	1	Acquire Additional "Park Space"	2
		Streetscape Improvements	3
		<b>Entertainment Space/Plaza</b>	6
		Other:	
		Acquire Extra Lot	2
		Ice Cream Truck	1
		Small Playground	1
		Little Library	1
		More Sidewalks/Connectivity	1

## Public Outreach Event - 2nd Annual Summer in the Square July 14, 2018

### Interactive - Park Amenity Board Feedback

*“What do you want for the future of Victor’s Parks?”*

VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK		VILLAGE ON THE PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	1	Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	4
Small Athletic Court	3	<b>Dog Park</b>	9
Additional Play Equipment	8	Skate Park	2
<b>Dog Park</b>	15	New/ Additional multi-use trails	3
<b>Splash Pad</b>	21	Additional Soccer Fields	1
<b>Additional multi-use trails</b>	14	Small Athletic Court	3
Community Garden	7	Baseball/ Softball Fields	0
Additional Parking	0	Outdoor Turf Fields	0
Other:		Other:	
Fence Around Playground	1	<b>Little Free Library</b>	5
ADA accessibility	2		
Pool	4		
BOUGHTON PARK		HIGHEST RANKED	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	2	Dryer Road Park	Dog Park
Additional Canoe/ Kayak Racks	5	Fishers Park	Nature Center & Playground
Additional Small Boat Launches (Kayak/Canoe)	5	Lehigh Crossing Park	Fishing Dock
<b>Fishing Docks</b>	8	Harlan Fisher Park	Dog Park & Splash Pad
Additional Parking	2	MaryFrances Bluebird Haven	New Trails & Nature Classroom
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	8	Mead Square	Bike Racks
<b>Lodge/ Restroom Facilities</b>	8	Victor Municipal Park	Splash Pad
<b>Outdoor Nature Classroom/ Play Area</b>	9	Village on the Park	Dog Park
Other:		Boughton Park	Nature Classroom/ Play Area
Stand-up Paddle Boarding (SUP)	2		

## Public Outreach Event - 2nd Annual Summer in the Square July 14, 2018

### Comment Card Feedback

Card #	I would like Victor Parks to have...	I use the parks in Victor mostly for...	Parks & Rec.: What's working now and what's not...	General wants/ Needs...
1		Auburn Trail		
2		Auburn Trail		Not sure, we enjoy the ones that we use
2	Challenging hiking trails	Hiking & kids		Concessions at parks
3	Trails	Trails	Too new here to know	
4	Mountain biking slide	Playing with my brother	Everything seems to work	
5	More Trails	Playing tennis	Playgrounds are good	
6	Amenities	Walking, kids	All good	
7	New trails	My granddaughter	All good	More bathrooms
8	Trails, playgrounds	Playgrounds		
9	Pickle ball - not on tennis courts!	Tennis		
10	Longer programs, more concerts	Concerts, fishing, hiking	Everything's fine	
11	Outdoor pool for summer programs		Given shared school district, Farmington having to pay non-resident is annoying. Have a Victor-Farmington Parks & Rec	
12	Nature trails, nature classrooms	Walking my dog		Community Center!!! Desperately needed
13	Trails, dog areas	Exploring		
14	Trails need more benches; Roads are congested	Trails, concerts	Victor Municipal Park is great	Roads are a problem. I try to avoid them (96)
15			More accessibility	Park w/ Fenced in Area
16	Public pool, ice skating rink/ splash pad	Bike trails, hiking (also bike course)	Too new to area to know	
17	More concerts	Walking my dogs	Parks are great in Victor	Traffic flow
18	More programs	Trails	Good programs	Traffic flow

## Public Outreach Event - 2nd Annual Summer in the Square July 14, 2018

### Comment Card Feedback

Card #	I would like Victor Parks to have...	I use the parks in Victor mostly for...	Parks & Rec.: What's working now and what's not...	General wants/ Needs...
19	Hiking trails	For my kids		More outdoor events!
20	New trails	Kids	Traffic & parking	Length of time to do the update
21	Outdoor pool/ ice rink	Recreation	Everything!	
22		Playground, trails		Something like Perinton Recreation Center
23	Splash park	Kids, hiking		Something like Perinton Recreation Center
24	More general use space	Exercise		
25	Ice skating, pool	Kids activities	Everything is working, what's not: availability at times	Facility that will be well utilized
26	Pool, Rec center (owned!)	Hiking, bike riding, fishing	Renting is a bad idea!	Purchase a rec center. Property across from Aldrich would be perfect
27	Rec. Center - Preferably "owned" & in partnership w/ Farmington	Hiking & biking, x-country skiing	Great park system	On-road amenities/ facilities for cycling (i.e. bike lanes, wider shoulder)
28	Playgrounds & trails	Kid play	Small main facility	Better trail maintenance
29	Dog park	Playing, fishing	everything works, nothing doesn't	Sammy playing
30	World class MTB trails	MTB	P & R Department is great, needs more funding	Dryer Road MTB plan
31	Splash park would be wonderful!	Running w/ my dog	Better spring & fall mowing of Auburn Trail. So many tics- keeping weeds short helps, fine in summer	
32	Ice rink/ roller hockey rink, Splashpad!	Concerts, picnics	Everything is great	
33	Restrooms	Fishing	More canoe & kayak racks	
34	Trails, bathrooms	Walking, hiking, play w/ grandkids	Camps, events, variety, zumba & fitness	
35	Dog parks, basketball courts	Playing	everything works, nothing doesn't	Pool
36	Splash pad	Dog walking		
37	Ice rink/ splash pad	Trails		
38	Dog park	Sports for kids	Kids programming is working	Easier time walking through village

## Public Outreach Event - 2nd Annual Summer in the Square July 14, 2018

### Comment Card Feedback

Card #	I would like Victor Parks to have...	I use the parks in Victor mostly for...	Parks & Rec.: What's working now and what's not...	General wants/ Needs...
39	Bathroom facilities in each park, dog park w/ waste bag dispenser station	Playgrounds for kids	More parks in village would draw people downtown	Slower growth. Better traffic plan/ bypass or Rt. 96
40	New trails	Running		Restrooms
41	Splash pad	Sports/ recreation for kids	Special needs/ disability needs more updated	
42	Recreation Center	Hiking	Enforce leash laws	
43	Splash pad/ pool	Playgrounds	Love the playgrounds, but bigger ones?	

# Community Outreach Event No. 2

The following pages will contain feedback collected from the Community Outreach Event No. 2: Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series which took place on August 2, 2018. The public was asked to vote for specific amenities they wanted to see in each individual park as well as throughout the park and recreation system. Comment cards were also available for residents to share additional information.



**Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series**  
August 2, 2018

## Public Outreach Event - Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series August 2, 2018

### Interactive - Park Amenity Board Feedback

*“What do you want for the future of Victor’s Parks?”*

DRYER ROAD PARK		FISHERS PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	0	Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	0
<b>Dog Park</b>	2	<b>Playground/ Swings</b>	3
Skate Park	1	<b>Lodge/Restroom</b>	3
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	2	Small Athletic Court	1
Athletic Court(s)	0	Additional Parking	0
Outdoor Stage/ Entertainment Area/ Bandshell	1	Nature Center	1
<b>Outdoor Pool</b>	2	<b>Basketball Courts</b>	3
Box Rink Winterization/ Ice Rink	1	Pickleball Courts	0
Other:		Other:	
Splash Pad	1	Putting Green	1
LEHIGH CROSSING PARK		HARLAN FISHER PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	0	Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	0
Larger Parking Area	0	Dog Park	1
Fishing Dock	0	<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	2
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	2	Volleyball Court	0
Playground/Swings	0	Basketball Courts	0
Small Athletic Court	1	<b>Splash Pad</b>	2
Nature Center	1	Small Athletic Court	0
Restroom Facilities	1		
MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN		MEAD SQUARE	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	0	<b>Arbor/ Gazebo w/ Seating</b>	4
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	3	Bike Racks	3
Outdoor Nature Classroom	2	Improved Lighting	2
Additional Restrooms	1	<b>Additional Gardens</b>	4
Arboretum/ Nature Center	1	Additional Seating	3
Additional Community Garden Plots	0	Acquire Additional "Park Space"	2
		Streetscape Improvements	2
		Entertainment Space/Plaza	2

## Public Outreach Event - Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series August 2, 2018

### Interactive - Park Amenity Board Feedback

“What do you want for the future of Victor’s Parks?”

VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK		VILLAGE ON THE PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	3	Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	1
Small Athletic Court	3	Dog Park	3
Additional Play Equipment	5	Skate Park	0
Dog Park	4	<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	4
<b>Splash Pad</b>	10	Additional Soccer Fields	0
Additional multi-use trails	4	Small Athletic Court	1
Community Garden	5	Baseball/ Softball Fields	1
Additional Parking	3	Outdoor Turf Fields	1
Other:			
Putting Green	1		

BOUGHTON PARK		HIGHEST RANKED	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	0	Dryer Road Park	Dog Park, Trails, Pool
<b>Additional Canoe/ Kayak Racks</b>	4	Fishers Park	Playground, Lodge, Basketball
Additional Small Boat Launches (Kayak/Canoe)	3	Lehigh Crossing Park	Trails
Fishing Docks	1	Harlan Fisher Park	Trails & Splash Pad
Additional Parking	2	MaryFrances Bluebird Haven	New Trails
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	4	Mead Square	Gazebo w/ Seating
Lodge/ Restroom Facilities	3	Victor Municipal Park	Splash Pad
Outdoor Nature Classroom/ Play Area	2	Village on the Park	Trails
Other:		Boughton Park	Canoe/ Kayak Racks & Trails
More Grills	1		
Disc Golf	1		

## Public Outreach Event - Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series August 2, 2018

### Comment Card Feedback

Card #	I would like Victor Parks to have...	I use the parks in Victor mostly for...	Parks & Rec.: What's working now and what's not...	General wants/ Needs...
1	New trails would be excellent!	Hiking/ Walking the dog	N/A	Dog Park!! - that would be cool
2	Splash Park (water)	Grandkids	Music in the Park is Great!	Lacrosse Nets
2	Trails, programs, hikes	Hiking trails, looking at flowers, concerts	No dogs at concerts	Accessible Bathrooms
3	Pickleball, trails, adult programs (yoga/zumba)	Music	Love Thursdays in the Park	Keep up the good work
4	More Mountain Biking Trails	Biking & walking the dog	Everything is great	Dog park!!
5	Bigger indoor facilities, more outdoor sports fields, pool	Fishing, lodges, dryer LAX, brace lodge	Insurance for sports teams is very difficult to meet reqs.	Meet programming for population expansion
6	More trails are good. Less effort & unorganized sport. Love concerts @ paparone	Sid P. Concerts, hiking Boughton Park (What a Jewel)	Lehigh Valley trails, bike trails, bring back the 5K's - more runs	Place/list all zoning reviews on the town website
7	Rec equipment, rental space, Splash PAD!	Family & friend social gatherings	Family picnics - Thursdays	Splash pad, dog park, more Thursday type family events
8	New trails connecting our community neighborhoods	Hiking, biking, walking the dog	Variety of programs (+), Nature programs for kids (-)	Splash pad, keep focusing on trails, connectivity of facilities, parks
9	Trails, programs	Hiking trails, concerts, looking at flowers	No dogs at concerts	Accessible Bathrooms
10	Volleyball league, beer shares	Playground	Very clean! More swings, splash pads needed!	Movie night outside
11	More swings	Playgrounds	Public events are a yes!	Few things come to mind to make the parks better, LOVE them!
12	Community pool!	Hiking, kid walks	All Great	N/A
13	Park on a stream	Music & picnics	Dryer Rd. bike trails A+	Master plan?
14	Disc golf, hiking trails	Kayaking/ hiking	New to area	N/A
15	More trails	Walks, runs	Love the park	Dog park
16	Trails, social gathering w/ music	Playground for the kids	N/A	N/A
17	Splash pad, rec center w/ pool	Kids	N/A	Dog park
18	Trails	Hiking	N/A	More Trails
19		Playing with my children	Love the family-friendly events	N/A

**Public Outreach Event - Sid Partington Memorial Concert Series  
August 2, 2018  
Comment Card Feedback**

20	Kickball league, volleyball	Walking and running	N/A	N/A
21	Programs - sports leagues	Hiking trails	Splash pad	N/A
22	Ice rink (outdoor)	Playgrounds	Love the trails	Goose poop @ Thursday band @ municipal park
23	Trails, restrooms	Biking, hiking	N/A	N/A
24	More bike trails & walking trails to connect them together	Walking/ biking/ lodge	N/A	N/A
25	Splash park/ outdoor pool	Playground	Music in the Park is Great!	N/A
26		Concerts, lunches	N/A	Need a senior center of our own!
27	A new Senior Center	Senior Trips	N/A	N/A
28	I like the concerts!	Hiking/ walking	N/A	Dog park
29	Trails - concerts	Hiking	Love Boughton Park!	Have not read master plan
30	Splash pad	Lego club, concerts, festivals, summer camp	N/A	N/A
31	Senior Center	Trips & Activities	All good	N/A

# Community Outreach Event No. 3

The following pages will contain feedback collected from the Community Outreach Event No. 3: Hang Around Victor Day which took place on September 8, 2018. The public was asked to vote for specific amenities they wanted to see in each individual park as well as throughout the park and recreation system. Comment cards were also available for residents to share additional information.



**Hang Around Victor Day**  
September 8, 2018

# Public Outreach Event - Hang Around Victor Day September 8, 2018

## Interactive - Park Amenity Board Feedback

*“What do you want for the future of Victor’s Parks?”*

DRYER ROAD PARK		FISHERS PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	7	Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	1
Dog Park	15	<b>Playground/ Swings</b>	7
Skate Park	5	Lodge/Restroom	6
New/ Additional multi-use trails	7	Small Athletic Court	3
Athletic Court(s)	7	Additional Parking	0
Outdoor Stage/ Entertainment Area/ Bandshell	9	<b>Nature Center</b>	7
<b>Outdoor Pool</b>	24	Basketball Courts	4
Box Rink Winterization/ Ice Rink	20	Pickleball Courts	5
LEHIGH CROSSING PARK		HARLAN FISHER PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	3	Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	3
Larger Parking Area	0	<b>Dog Park</b>	19
<b>Fishing Dock</b>	8	New/ Additional multi-use trails	5
New/ Additional multi-use trails	5	Volleyball Court	4
Playground/Swings	6	Basketball Courts	3
Small Athletic Court	2	Splash Pad	12
Nature Center	4	Small Athletic Court	2
Restroom Facilities	5		
MARYFRANCES BLUEBIRD HAVEN		MEAD SQUARE	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	4	Arbor/ Gazebo w/ Seating	3
<b>New/ Additional multi-use trails</b>	6	Bike Racks	5
Outdoor Nature Classroom	4	Improved Lighting	3
<b>Additional Restrooms</b>	6	Additional Gardens	2
Arboretum/ Nature Center	4	Additional Seating	3
Additional Community Garden Plots	4	Acquire Additional "Park Space"	3
		Streetscape Improvements	0
		<b>Entertainment Space/Plaza</b>	7
		Other:	
		Dog Park by IGA Lot	4

## Public Outreach Event - Hang Around Victor Day September 8, 2018 Interactive - Park Amenity Board Feedback

“What do you want for the future of Victor’s Parks?”

VICTOR MUNICIPAL PARK		VILLAGE ON THE PARK	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	7	Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	2
Small Athletic Court	15	<b>Dog Park</b>	14
Additional Play Equipment	10	Skate Park	5
Dog Park	24	New/ Additional multi-use trails	3
<b>Splash Pad</b>	28	Additional Soccer Fields	0
Additional multi-use trails	10	Small Athletic Court	7
Community Garden	7	Baseball/ Softball Fields	3
Additional Parking	0	Outdoor Turf Fields	3
Other:		Other:	
Shade on Equipment	4	Indoor/Outdoor Pool	2
Pool	2		
Turf Field	1		
In-ground bounce pad	3		
BOUGHTON PARK		HIGHEST RANKED	
Additional Picnic Areas/ Pavilions	3	Dryer Road Park:	Pool
Additional Canoe/ Kayak Racks	7	Fishers Park:	Playground, Nature Center
Additional Small Boat Launches (Kayak/Canoe)	9	Lehigh Crossing Park:	Fishing Dock
Fishing Docks	9	Harlan Fisher Park:	Dog Park
Additional Parking	1	MaryFrances Bluebird Haven:	New Trails, Restrooms
New/ Additional multi-use trails	4	Mead Square:	Entertainment space/Plaza
<b>Lodge/ Restroom Facilities</b>	10	Victor Municipal Park:	Splash Pad
Outdoor Nature Classroom/ Play Area	5	Village on the Park:	Dog Park
Other:		Boughton Park:	Restroom/Lodge
Floating Kayak Launch	3		
Open to Farmington Residents	5		
Trail Maintenance/ Poison Ivy Control	1		
GENERAL SUGGESTIONS			
Trash Cans on All Trails (Poop Bags)	1		
Outdoor Lap Pool/ Splash Park	11		
Indoor Pool	4		
Indoor Tennis Court	1		
Frisbee Golf Course	1		

## Public Outreach Event - Hang Around Victor Day September 8, 2018 Comment Card Feedback

Card #	I would like Victor Parks to have...	I use the parks in Victor mostly for...	Parks & Rec.: What's working now and what's not...	General wants/ Needs...
1	East Side/ N-S Connection from Bluebird to Village and Other Trails			Black Diamond 1/2 Marathon
2	Trails (bike/ hike)	Biking	Rec Center too far out of town	More trails, wider shoulders on roads
2	New equipment	Playgrounds	Programs offered more conducive to working parents	Thoughts on keeping equipment at all parks useable at all times
3	Love the trails! Outdoor Pool/ splashpad needed	Sports, family fun	Geese at Victor Municipal (yuck!)	N/A
4		Playground, hike, biking		
5	New Trails	Hiking		
6	More Parks	Dog walking & trails	There is no trash!	
7	Skating rink/roller blade rink	Walking, picnics, swingsets	Pavillions, trails, recreation, swing sets	Maintenance of Pavillions. More than 1 pavillion per park, etc.
8	More Restrooms/ porta potties!	Dog walking	Beautiful trails, well maintained	
9	New trails	Walking		More parks north of thruway
10	Everheart @ Partington	Biking to B.K.		
11	New trails (uphill climbs)	Walking/hiking, social gatherings	N/A	More updates to old playgrounds
12	More hiking trails & biking trails	Hiking & biking	Good variety of programs	
13	Basketball/ Tennis courts	Family, exercise	Please add more garbage cans along Auburn trail, dog bags too	Add more things for older kids, Dog Park
14	Outdoor Pool! Ice Skating!	Kids play/ hiking		
15	New trails - for Mt. bikes	Dryer Road	Maybe a clear map showing the trails	
16	New trails	Walking/ outdoor hobbies	Everything is good	Misting station in hot summer/ water access of some sort on trails
17	Sports & Recreation	Hiking	Trail Maintenance	Dog Parks
18		Kids, playground, fishing, pavillion		Wifi @ pavillion?
19	Fishing, splash parks	Fishing, softball, basketball		More fishing

## Public Outreach Event - Hang Around Victor Day September 8, 2018

### Comment Card Feedback

20	Pool community use indoor	Playgrounds, picnics		
21	Trails & ice rink!!	Kids activities, summer camp!	Love new facility	Love the ice rink & pool ideas
22	More lodges (for parties/picnics)	Meeting with friends	It's well maintained/ good trails	More lodges/ picnic areas
23	Sports	Kids Playing	I'm happy with summer programs	
24	I cannot come up with anything better than what you have and you keep on expanding!	Daily walks, fun for kids, nature exploration	Programs are diverse & well presented; good seasonal variety	Help preserve the greenery in the nature
25	Trails	Hiking & children's programs	Working - Trails Not - Inter-connectivity	

# Community Outreach Event No. 4

The following pages will contain feedback collected from the Community Outreach Event No. 4 which was a Public Information Open House that took place on December 7, 2018. During this event, the public was asked to provide feedback on whether the town should pursue a town-owned recreation facility, as well as where it should be located and what amenities should be offered there. Comment cards were also available for residents to share additional information.



**Public Information  
Open House**  
December 5, 2018

# Public Outreach Event - Public Information Open House December 5, 2018 Interactive - Recreation Center Board Feedback

*“During the recent public survey, 90% of survey participants would like the town to pursue the evaluation of a town owned recreation facility. We want your feedback on this topic..”*

WHERE DO YOU THINK THE RECREATION FACILITY SHOULD BE LOCATED IF ONE WAS BUILT?	
WITHIN THE VILLAGE	PAPARONE PARK
0	16
LEHIGH CROSSING PARK	OTHER LOCATION
2	LEHIGH CROSSING/ PINNACLE
IF A RECREATION FACILITY WAS BUILT, WHAT AMENITIES WOULD YOU LIKE INCLUDED/ OFFERED?	
INDOOR BASKETBALL COURTS	INDOOR VOLLEYBALL COURTS
11	6
INDOOR PICKLEBALL COURTS	MULTI-SPORT GYM
10	9
INDOOR TURF FIELD	INDOOR TRACK
4	12
INDOOR CLIMBING WALL	INDOOR POOL
4	12
OUTDOOR POOL	SPLASH PAD
1	5

## Public Outreach Event - Public Information Open House December 5, 2018 Interactive - Recreation Center Board Feedback

“During the recent public survey, 90% of survey participants would like the town to pursue the evaluation of a town owned recreation facility. We want your feedback on this topic..”

LOCKER ROOMS/ SHOWERS	DANCE/ FITNESS STUDIO
7	4
FITNESS/ WEIGHT ROOMS	MULTI-PURPOSE ROOMS
17	13
DAY CARE FACILITY	LIBRARY
10	7
SENIOR CENTER	OTHER
5	JUICE/ COFFEE BAR 5 ICE RINK 2 MULTI-PURPOSE TURF FIELD 2

## Public Outreach Event - Public Information Open House December 5, 2018 Comment Card Feedback

PARKS & REC COMMENT SHEET					
Card #	I use the parks in Victor mostly for...	I would like Victor Parks to have...	Parks & Rec.: What's working now and what's not...	General wants/ Needs...	
1	Exercise, physical fitness, socialization and entertain grandchildren	Winter alternatives. Corrdination w/ library & school to avoid duplication of services	Trails are great in the summertime. Need winter walking/ jogging options		
2		New programs: card/ board games		Dog park- huge attraction for everyone. A great socializer for humans as well as dogs	
2	Walking trails, fishing, youth sports and light bike riding	1.An ice rink (Dream: a 3-4 rink enclosed facility) (Reality: 1 rink- enclosed) (review it: a seasonal outdoor "free rink" 2. More youth athletic fields- soccer!	Working- responsive to wants/ needs of the community. Not working- recreation needs seem to be lagging behind still compared to levels of speed of development. More green spaces - a % of green space per development	Ice rink (see above). More youth athletic fields. A multi-purpose turf/ athletic field w/ lights too	
RECREATION FACILITY COMMENT SHEET					
Card #	If the town of Victor were to own a recreation center...	Do you think there is a benefit to combine a rec. facility with other organizations/ services?	Do you have any concerns w/ a town-owned rec. facility	General comments...	Amenities that you would like included
1	I would use the facilities here; just for convenience and to get to know the members of our community.	Yes; combine grant monies			Indoor pickleball courts Multi-sport gym Indoor pool Outdoor pool Splash pad Locker room/ showers Dance/ fitness studio Fitness room/ weight room Day care Senior Center Other: Outside dog park
2	Yes, would rather do that than join a private club	Yes, it helps share costs of both building & maintaining these facilities (i.e. ice rinks in Canada are municipally owned & maintained. Leave the library in current spot though, good location	Cost to tax payers? Based upon ability to pay vs. property tax. Cost to use facilities?		Indoor pickleball courts Multi-sport gym Indoor turf field Indoor track Indoor climbing wall Indoor pool Splash pad Locker room/ showers Fitness room/ weight room Other: Ice rink
3	Yes, definitely	Yes	None	Would love to see something at Papparone Park!	Multi-sport gym Indoor track Indoor climbing wall Locker room/ showers Dance/ fitness studio Fitness room/ weight room Other: Ice rink
4	Yes	Yes	How it would impact taxes		Indoor pickleball courts Indoor track Indoor climbing wall Locker room/showers Fitness room/ weight room Multi-purpose rooms day care facility Senior center

# Appendix III: Stakeholder Interview Summary



# Community Stakeholder Outreach

The following pages contain questionnaires submitted by the stakeholder groups within the Victor community. These groups include sports organizations and general community groups. Each group was given a questionnaire to gain a better understanding of recreation issues and desires associated with each organization.

The stakeholder groups invited to provide feedback included:

- Boughton Park Commission
- Ganondagan State Historical Site & The Friends of Ganondagan
- Victor Garden Club
- Victor Tree Board
- Victor-Farmington Library
- Victor Hiking Trails (VHT)
- Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC)
- Rochester Accessible Adventures
- Victor Girls and Boys Youth Lacrosse
- Victor Ice Hockey Boosters
- Victor Jr. Blue Devils Football and Cheerleading
- Victor Youth Soccer
- Alliance F.C.



# General Community Groups



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Name of Organization Boughton Park Commission (BPC)

1. Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?

**BPC is a not-for-profit corporation created by the Towns of Victor, East Bloomfield and West Bloomfield. Its mission is to act as the administrator to carry out the day-to-day management of Boughton Park. The Commission has the authority to determine all questions of management, maintenance and development of the Park.**

**The goal of the BPC is to maintain the Park property as a park and to preserve the land in a natural state for the use and enjoyment of the residents of the three sponsoring Towns and the public at large.**

2. How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?

**The BPC makes the Park available as needed for programs and activities sponsored by the Town of Victor.**

3. What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? Could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?

**The BPC currently serves the residents of East and West Bloomfield and Victor. The three Towns are considering the addition of the Town of Farmington. If this were to happen and the Park is opened to residents of Farmington, it is likely that parking and sanitation facilities would need to be expanded and/or upgraded and Park security would need to be beefed up.**

4. How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)

**The relationship with the Victor Parks and Recreation Department is good and the Department has always been most helpful when called upon for advice or assistance. We would be happy to meet with the department to explore any ideas that would lead to closer coordination.**

5. How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?

**Boughton Park provides an undeveloped property that is ideal for hiking, canoeing and kayaking, and the pursuit of a pristine and peaceful experience with nature. We would be pleased to work with Victor Parks in any way possible so that Victor's residents can enjoy that experience.**



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Name of Organization **Ganondagan S.H.S. & The Friends of Ganondagan inc.**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization’s Mission and Goals?*

Ganondagan is comprised of a Ganondagan State Historic Site and The Friends of Ganondagan inc. a not-for-profit organization. Our mission is to honor and promote the history and culture of the Haudenosaunee and to strengthen those traditions through inspirational and transformative programming and other activities.

2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*

At this point, we do not interact directly with VPR programming.

3. *What is your organization’s current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*

Current F.O.G. membership is 600 and the projected membership increase is 15%

Programming will continue to evolve as a way to engage diverse audiences.

4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*

The potential for collaborative programming opportunities could be a source for deeper Victor community involvement, revenue and greater exposure to the local public.

5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*

Ganondagan can offer a wide range of exceptional and authentic programming related to the Haudenosaunee and Native people in general.

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*



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Name of Organization **Victor Garden Club**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization’s Mission and Goals?*

The goals of the Victor Garden Club are to:

- a. Promote an interest in the development and maintenance of gardens and home ground improvements
- b. Promote interest in and develop programs to aid in the preservation of our natural resources
- c. To promote and beautify the Town and Village of Victor through civic beautification

We have several committees which work to achieve these goals. Members plan and provide planting each spring and clean up each fall at designated sites which include the Individual Residential Association, the Victor Farmington Library, the Victor Post Office and Serenity House.

2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*

On Memorial Day, instead of marching in the Memorial Day parade, we deliver a potted flower to five local government offices in the Victor Farmington area in tribute to local military families that currently have a family member in active military service.

A special project last year was to purchase a tree to honor the founder of our club. Parks and Recreation assisted in the selection, purchase, pick-up and planting of the tree at the Victor Municipal Park.

Most of our monthly meetings take place at the Victor Town Hall.

3. *What is your organization’s current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*

We currently have 34 active members in our club. Membership is limited to 37 members.

4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*

In the past, the Victor Garden Club planted several thousand daffodils on one of Victor’s hiking trails. Maybe we, jointly with Parks and Recreation, could plant more bulbs along trails such as the Auburn Trail and the Lehigh Trail.

5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*

It would be great to come up with a program to encourage children to get more involved in gardening or protecting our natural resources. We do provide a scholarship for a high school student to attend a DEC camp for a week, but perhaps a beginner’s class at Parks and Recreation would be helpful.

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*



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Name of Organization **Victor Tree Board**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization’s Mission and Goals?*

Managing the Village or Victor Urban Forest

2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*

- Planting of trees in HF Park and Municipal Park
- Management of Trees in HF Park and Municipal Park
- Utilization of Municipal Park Facility for training
- Signage for Trees in Municipal Park

3. *What is your organization’s current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*

Tree board consists of 7 volunteers, 1 village trustee and contract arborist.

4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*

- Share training opportunities related to trees
- Town should establish its own tree board
- Continue our cooperation and communication

5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*

Sharing of expertise

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*



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Name of Organization **Victor-Farmington Library**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization’s Mission and Goals?*

VFL is an Association library, which means it is not part of a municipality. The library used to be called the Victor Free Library, with the “Free” meaning free from any city, town, or village jurisdiction. Many people think “free” means the books are free to borrow. Not so. We are still “free” even though we have a different name. VFL is part of the Pioneer Library System, which represents 42 public libraries from the counties of Ontario, Wayne, Wyoming, and Livingston counties. We share resources, with delivery vans running daily between all libraries.

The mission statement of VFL is as follows:

“The Victor Farmington Library promotes and nurtures a sense of community by offering the space and resources for educational, recreational, and cultural enrichment for patrons of all ages.”

The library primarily serves the residents of the Victor Central School district, but we will also serve anyone from anywhere. We have people from South Africa with a library card. We are dedicated to lifelong learning, no matter what age, whether it’s through books, classes and events, or digital literacy. We are not limited to these areas of learning, however.

2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*

Over the years, the library and Parks & Rec realized we sometimes overlap on our offerings. We have been able to find opportunities to work together, improving the content offered to the community. It is my desire that we continue to grow and nurture these opportunities! I believe we could be doing so much more together. I am appreciative of Parks & Rec including the library in their plans whenever possible.

3. *What is your organization’s current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*

The library sees on average 300 – 400 people a day. During the summer months, we see on average closer to 500 people a day. With the continued fast-paced growth of Farmington, and our continued outreach throughout the community, we expect that number to rise over the next few years. Additionally, the library is in the early stages of exploring a new facility, similar to Parks & Rec. We hope to enlarge our current space of 9100 square feet to 18,000 or more. This, as you know, is a monumental task – for a multitude of reasons – and will take a few years to see it completed. We would expect an increase in the door count from this is well.

4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*

One idea – I think possibly presented to me by Lisa Roberts – was a joint facility hosting the library and Parks & Rec under one roof. It’s a wonderful idea that would certainly help both organizations, and something worth exploring. However, there are many complications to actually seeing this come to fruition, and I’d love to talk more about the library’s current situation. Regardless, I hope to continue what we’ve started in collaborating on joint projects, and finding future opportunities that benefits us both!

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**5. How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?**

One topic that I've brought up in the past – and that I believe we've implemented – is to offer joint courses with the library and Parks & Rec. The first class would be held at the library for free, and if the participants wanted to continue, they would move to Parks & Rec and pay for the remainder of the course. I think this model would work for any age group, and one I would like to continue to explore.

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*

There are many events and classes that just won't overlap between the two organizations. But there are many others where we could certainly collaborate and work cooperatively to benefit the community. I think a brainstorming session between our librarians and Brian and Mike and their staff could prove beneficial, not for our separate groups, but for the residents.

I would also like to talk more about a joint use of space. I don't know where it will end up, but I'd like to see what the possibilities are.



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Name of Organization Victor Hiking Trails (VHT)

**1. Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?**

We are an all-volunteer, non-profit corporation that has been creating and maintaining multi-use, non-motorized trails in the Town of Victor since 1992. We partner with the Victor Parks and Recreation Department on many projects to improve the trails in our parks. Our mission has always been to build trails that are:

- of various terrain, landforms, views and habitats for various plant and animal species.
- in various geographic sections of the Town of Victor with access by as many residents as possible.
- of various lengths and difficulties.
- for foot traffic and paths for multi-use including bikes.

Our goal is to complete a system of trails in Victor that connect most of the major key points and that are located within one mile or less of every residence. We also strive to connect with existing and future trails in our neighboring towns.

**2. How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?**

We organize guided hikes on our trails as well as trails in the region. We encourage the use of the trails for exercise to promote good health. We encourage people to use the trails as an alternate means of transportation for work and shopping. We use the town facilities for special events like National Trails Day in June. We promote the town by leading hikes for the Genesee Valley Hiking Club in the town and state parks and on our trails. We participate in town events like the Winter Festival.

**3. What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?**

Our current paid household membership is 273. We also have over 900 members on our Meetup page. We encourage our Meetup members to become full VHT members. We do not see this as having an impact on future parks and facilities at this time. If participation in our guided hikes and special events increases, we will need to adjust our plans.

Our big concern is continued excellent maintenance of our trails as our volunteers continue to age out. We are working on a succession plan for recruiting younger volunteers and youth, but we may need more help from the Parks department to maintain trails on town property, including single-track trails that require small power tools like walk-behind brush hogs and gas-powered hedge trimmers.

**4. How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)**

- More discussions about trail maintenance. There are trails that could be maintained by the Town that are on Town easement and/or Town land that the Parks and Recreation Department could take over reducing the everyday burden on VHT and allowing VHT more time for special projects. This will become more critical as we acquire more parkland and trails.
- Possible equipment sharing arrangements or coownership of specialized equipment.
- Better communication around scout and/or other community groups that want to do projects for VHT and/or the Parks and Recreation Department
- Dedicated budget line for VHT in the Parks and Recreation budget that VHT has a say in how it is used.

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Name of Organization Victor Hiking Trails (VHT)

- Work together in making sure that all connectivity and trail possibilities are pursued. There are many areas of the Town that do not have dedicated public trails. Where there are trails and/or facilities work together for connectivity.
  - Help in writing and administering grants that help fund projects throughout the general trail complex within the Town of Victor.
  - Help find volunteers to take on leadership roles for VHT.
  - We should work with the state and county DOT to ensure that all road crossings have crosswalks and proper signage to warn motorists of pedestrians crossing the road. Where there are traffic signals, there should be a button for pedestrians to cross safely.
  - All roads should have wide shoulders for road bike safety.
  - Consider a small building centrally located to house trail maintenance equipment so it does not have to be kept in a member's garage.
  - Continue to promote Victor as a destination for hiking and biking.
  - Over the next few years we need to replace the trail signs that have faded due to the sun.
  - We need to have better signage on the trails in town parks, especially at intersections.
  - New trail signs should display the town and VHT websites as well as QR codes.
  - Updated park and trail maps should be in every issue of the town newsletter so new residents are aware of these amenities.
5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*
- VHT can provide leadership and direction for the development of new trails and improving the existing system.
  - VHT could provide more frequent guided hiking opportunities within the Parks and Recreation Program geared toward getting various user groups out and in touch with nature in the Town of Victor and/or elsewhere.
  - VHT could acquire revocable permits for trails on property that landowners do not want to give an easement to the Town initially.
  - Keep the Explore Victor Trails initiative alive through partnership with Town, Village and merchants.

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*

The Master Plan for Trails in Victor should be updated to show where the town would like to have trails. Then it would be referenced to when new developments and projects are reviewed by the Conservation and Planning Boards.

As noted on our maps, the southwest quadrant of the town does not have many trails or parks. As this section of town grows and develops in the next 5 to 10 years, consider what lands would be suitable for parks and trails.



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Name of Organization Genesee Regional Off-Road Cyclists (GROC)

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?*  
We are an organization that builds, maintains, and advocates for shared use trails. In the Victor Community, we actively maintain trails in Dryer Road Park and have recently built a skills area that will promote additional recreation in the community. This skills area was strategically developed to be approachable for both children and adults, with a goal of bringing additional trail riders and opportunity for outdoor activity to the Victor area.
2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*  
We currently develop and maintain trail at Dryer Road Park. In addition, our patrol unit is frequently on trails at Dryer Road advising on small bike repairs, providing first aid, and assisting with wayfinding. Our organization also uses the trails to host mountain bike group rides for off-road cyclists of all ages and abilities.
3. *What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*  
Our membership is currently over 300, with many non-member off-road cyclists availing themselves to the opportunities in Victor. This season our membership grew approximately 20%. Though we do not anticipate similar annual growth, the community of off-road cyclists has grown consistently over the past ten years. The increase in ridership over the coming years may lead to overuse thereby requiring more consistent maintenance. Having additional places for off-road cyclists to recreate will help disperse cyclists.
4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*  
"The water lines and storage tanks for the pump track and jump lines at Dryer Road Park are temporary. Replacing these with permanent infrastructure as well as adding a shelter near the pump track would add to the aesthetics of the park as well as provide a comfortable area for parents to supervise their kids while using the pump track.  
Shared events could help advocate for proper use and maintenance of the skills area and trails.  
Hiring a small seasonal maintenance staff would alleviate the regular maintenance required by our organization to keep the facilities safe, enjoyable and aesthetically pleasing to users.  
Storage space for tools and equipment at Dryer Road Park is a need for our organization. We are currently sharing space in the storage garage, which is working, but it's tight. Reorganization of that space would make it more functional and easier to access equipment."
5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*  
We are dedicated to continuing our stewardship of trails and bike park features in Dryer Road Park. In addition, our organization provides education (through signage, trail condition reports, website and social media notices/articles, and mentorship from group ride leaders) to facility users to help them understand cycling etiquette and safe riding practices. This education improves user interactions and protects the facilities from damage.

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*

Dryer Road Park is a model facility for off-road cycling in the Rochester area. It does offer challenges for beginner level riders and those that wish to ride in the winter. This is primarily due to topography, trail density, and design. Given the popularity and steady increase in the off-road cycling population, consider offering additional bike facilities in other park spaces.



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Name of Organization Rochester Accessible Adventures

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?*  
 Rochester Accessible Adventures (RAA) has a vision of a healthy and vibrant community that is accessible and inclusive of everyone who wants to participate in recreation and sport opportunities. We are committed to a) creating Community Health Inclusion (CHI) initiatives with recreation businesses and municipalities to ensure children and adults with disabilities can play, recreate, and access sports in their hometown communities alongside their family and friends b) building long-term sustainability for adaptive sports teams, and c) operating a regional resource network for individuals with disabilities, their families, and service providers so that they not only stay informed of new inclusive opportunities, but that they have a voice in shaping them. RAA is engaged in a Community Health Inclusion (CHI) initiative with VPR. Beginning in 2017 with a J.M. McDonald grant to fund our consultation services with VPR, we have been providing support in the development and implementation of an Inclusion Action Plan (established through a grant funded initiative with Cortland's Inclusive Recreation Resource Center) to enable VPR to operate inclusively of people with disabilities whenever their doors are open.
  
2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*  
 RAA's Inclusion Specialist has provided consultation services to enhance the ability of the department to evaluate programming and policies which impact the community -- especially those with disabilities and medical conditions who may wish to participate. RAA also works within the Victor community to develop relationships with other community organizations who provide services to people with disabilities in order to reach families and individuals who may not be aware VPR is committed to inclusion.
  
3. *What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*  
 On a bit of a side answer to this question...RAA's goal is to increase participation in VPR parks and recreation programming by people who may not be participating -- particularly, those with a variety of disabilities and medical conditions. We anticipate that there are families with a member with a disability who have opted to NOT participate at VPR parks and recreation programming due to their concern that a) facilities may not have the physical accessibility they need (whether in design or adaptive equipment), b) staff may not have the knowledge and/or confidence to provide inclusive services that meet their/their family member's needs, c) the programs/facilities/social media/calendars of events may not intentionally portray that people with disabilities are welcome to participate (social inclusion). RAA addresses these types of barriers and we would project that, according to the current Inclusion Action Plan, VPR will be addressing both physical barriers (eg, much like they have already done in lowering a railing at a fishing dock, installing a removable width of edging for the bocce court, adding wheelchair accessible picnic tables in parks, etc) and social barriers (eg, purposely making disability visible through choice of pictures in Recreation Catalogs, on social media, on website, and in facilities). Every enhancement can be considered through Universal Design principles during planning stages, rather than having to make costly retrofits later. For example: a) When moving out old facilities or features, replace with ones that work for everyone (eg, wheelchair accessible picnic tables); b) When designing parking lots, consider accessible parking spaces, signage, and routes of travel to sidewalks and curb cuts; c) When making pathways, consider materials that make access easier for those with mobility devices.

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Name of Organization Rochester Accessible Adventures

4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*  
 As our contractual relationship develops between RAA and VPR, I believe we will discover the desire for a community-wide approach to inclusion in recreation, such that new partnerships and existing Town partnerships will embrace Inclusion as a core value and will work together to ensure outreach to ALL community members is being conducted, not only for participation in recreation, but also for providing critical input and feedback during planning stages of any projects and developments.
  
5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*  
 We will provide ongoing support to VPR as they continue to process of Inclusion, through provision of training resources, broad promotion of VPR events and programming, and continued community networking to reach individuals with disabilities as well as community health care providers. We can guide VPR in fostering new networks within the community and help negotiate the complex systems which exist with municipal recreation in order to remove barriers to participation by an often overlooked segment of the community.

*Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*

We would project that all future planning in parks and recreation will be developed through an Inclusion lens so that any new plans will purposively anticipate participation by individuals and families with a member with a disability. With this viewpoint, the master plan can purposively and strategically consider each aspect of the plan by including the voices of people with disabilities in the planning phases. Whether by inviting people with disabilities to the advisory committees to seek input during design stages or by asking people with disabilities to review each section of the Plan as it is crafted -- these are ways to make your Master Plan intentionally work for more people in your community...from the start.

# Sports Groups



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Name of Organization **Victor Girls Youth Lacrosse**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?*  
Victor Girls Youth Lacrosse is a not-for-profit organization that's mission is to introduce the sport of lacrosse to our community for grades K-6. We currently offer four seasons of programming to girls of all skill levels K-6.
2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*  
Our program currently utilizes Dryer Road Park (including box) for spring, summer and fall programs. We also use VCS campus during spring and Pinnacle Athletics from January 1st to April 30th.
3. *What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*  
Our program has consistently drawn 130-150 youth female players each Spring (prime season) and approx. 70-100 during the off-seasons (Fall, winter, and summer). We also offer specialty clinics from time to time.
4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*  
We would love to utilize indoor turf facilities through Parks and Rec.
5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*  
We have many certified level 1 and 2 instructors, including Div. I, II and III players that could supplement or run youth programming w/ Parks and Rec.
6. *Given the option, would your organization rather partner with a private sector organization (i.e. Pinnacle Sports Complex, YMCA, etc.) OR a municipal entity like the Parks and Recreation Department to support your organization's needs?*  
There appears to be a direct conflict of interest with certain private organizations that perceive a threat against their own lacrosse programs by working or leasing to our program. We would prefer to work with municipal entities for price, ease of operation and location.
7. *What other factors would you like us to consider as we plan for the next 10 years (plus) of Parks and Recreation in Victor?*  
Girls lacrosse is one of the biggest growing sports in the nation. We expect with the growth of Victor population and success of our youth and scholastic program it will continue to grow.
8. *Please tell us what specific Parks and/or Parks and Recreation Facilities your organization currently uses (i.e. Soccer Fields at Dryer Road Park, the Gym at the Recreation Center, etc.)?*  
Soccer field 1 at Dryer Road Park and Box Rink

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9. *Are there specific fields, courts, or facilities that your organization currently or potentially will require in order to continue the successful operation of your organization?*  
We need indoor space and currently use Pinnacle 16 weeks a year and participate in Leagues at TSE Gates in Fall/ Winter for 20 weeks.
10. *What improvements could the Park and Recreation department make to the Towns' Fields and Facilities to better assist/partner with your organization?*  
Bleachers near fields could help spectators during games. The field managers have been great to work with on Lining Field/ Diagrams.
11. *What are the critical issues that your organization faces in its partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department? What could the Parks and Recreation Department do to address these issues?*  
Some of the insurance requirements were difficult to implement (but I understand) and reservations seem to take some time.



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Name of Organization **Victor Boys Youth Lacrosse**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization’s Mission and Goals?*

Victor Boys Youth Lacrosse (VBYL) is a community organization dedicated to the development of boys lacrosse players who attend the Victor Central Schools (grades K-6). Our mission is to develop an enjoyment of the game of lacrosse, while providing the scholastic program players who have a solid foundation not only on the field, but as a strong teammate, as well.

2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*

VBYL primarily uses the facilities and fields available on the VCS Campus. However, there are several occasions throughout the Spring and Summer months where we email requests for use of Dryer Rd.’s grass fields and/or the box facility.

3. *What is your organization’s current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*

Over the past 10 years, the organization has had between 180 and 260 participants, with an average over the past 5 years of 200. We are hopeful to continue grow the participation toward the 220 to 250 range and could require additional field/space requirements.

4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*

The primary limitation for our program is access to indoor facilities suitable for lacrosse at a reasonable rental rate, within the 14564 area. Current for-profit facilities are not always easy to gain access and can push the prices that need to be charged beyond affordable limits. Additional indoor facilities, with turf flooring, would be a major asset to our program.

5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*

First, and foremost, we would be a vocal advocate for the addition of fields/facilities that are suitable for lacrosse. We have a large community base and would be a proponent of Victor Parks & Rec seeking the necessary funding to support such facilities, for the betterment not just for our program, but the larger Victor Youth Sports community.

6. *Given the option, would your organization rather partner with a private sector organization (i.e. Pinnacle Sports Complex, YMCA, etc.) OR a municipal entity like the Parks and Recreation Department to support your organization’s needs?*

Given the option, VBYL would prefer to partner with a municipal entity.

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7. *What other factors would you like us to consider as we plan for the next 10 years (plus) of Parks and Recreation in Victor?*

The primary factor is the growth of the community and our (hopeful) growth within our organization. Lacrosse is the fastest growing sport in the country and, with the success of the scholastic program over the past few years, we can see the need for additional fields and indoor facilities continue to rise.

8. *Please tell us what specific Parks and/or Parks and Recreation Facilities your organization currently uses (i.e. Soccer Fields at Dryer Road Park, the Gym at the Recreation Center, etc.)?*

Lacrosse field at Dryer Rd and the Boarded Box Lacrosse Field at Dryer Rd.

9. *Are there specific fields, courts, or facilities that your organization currently or potentially will require in order to continue the successful operation of your organization?*

At minimum, additional fields that can support full-size and developmental size outdoor lacrosse. Currently, the only field available (historically) is Dryer Rd., field 1. If there were other locations/fields that could support lacrosse (lines and goals), it would afford us the opportunity to make use of those facilities, in addition (or in place of) those at VCS. +

10. *What improvements could the Park and Recreation department make to the Towns’ Fields and Facilities to better assist/partner with your organization?*

The fields we have used have always been in excellent shape and the communication with the team at Victor Parks & Rec has always been stellar. I think the fields themselves are wonderful, having additional ones that are geared toward lacrosse would be our only comment.

11. *What are the critical issues that your organization faces in its partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department? What could the Parks and Recreation Department do to address these issues?*

VBYL has been blessed for over a decade to have parent coaches who have played and/or coached lacrosse at a high level. Being a non-profit, volunteer coaches are the lifeblood of our program. Having programs, hosted/managed, by Victor Parks & Rec could be a huge benefit to our program.



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Name of Organization **Victor Ice Hockey Boosters**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?*
  - a. The Victor High School Ice Hockey Program has been part of the school since 2002. Currently our program has over 50 student athletes in grades 9-12 that participate. We have a Varsity program and a JV club program.
  - b. Our program participates within the Section V athletic membership. We offer an opportunity to student athletes to participate in Ice Hockey. Part of our mission is to provide opportunities to help high school student athletes become better overall individuals in society and life. We provide opportunities for student athletes to become better teammates, serve each other, and serve their community. We provide opportunities that help become mature individuals.
2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*  
 Currently we have no interaction with our program and the facilities in Victor. We practice and play contests at Rochester Ice Center. We would like to have a facility in our own community.
3. *What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*  
 We currently have over 50 students in grades 9-12....we have over 30 students in grades 6-8...and around 50 students in grades K-5. These numbers are for current hockey players only. It does not include students who figure skate and/or recreational skate.
4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*  
 We would benefit from an ice rink. This rink would not only provide a home for our school hockey teams, but also provide an opportunity for a Victor Club program. Students currently must play for a neighboring community club (Canandaigua, Perinton, Rochester, etc.). This facility would also increase number of teams participating at it. Many neighboring programs are in need of practice and game ice time.
5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*  
 Our program would utilize this facility for 3 hours per day during the seasons....youth organizations would utilize this facility for evening hours....and possibly adult leagues would utilize this facility during late night hours. During the day, recreation skates, school PE units, skate and shoots would utilize this facility
6. *Given the option, would your organization rather partner with a private sector organization (i.e. Pinnacle Sports Complex, YMCA, etc.) OR a municipal entity like the Parks and Recreation Department to support your organization's needs?*  
 Either would work for our program....however, municipal allows for more help to run the facility and possibly at a cheaper rate
7. *What other factors would you like us to consider as we plan for the next 10 years (plus) of Parks and Recreation in Victor?*  
 An ice rink is number one priority.... increase the size to offer a second ice sheet would be great...possibly a combination of one ice rink and one indoor turf field?

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8. *Please tell us what specific Parks and/or Parks and Recreation Facilities your organization currently uses (i.e. Soccer Fields at Dryer Road Park, the Gym at the Recreation Center, etc.)?*  
 None
  9. *Are there specific fields, courts, or facilities that your organization currently or potentially will require in order to continue the successful operation of your organization?*  
 This would be a new facility.
  10. *What improvements could the Park and Recreation department make to the Towns' Fields and Facilities to better assist/partner with your organization?*  
 A new indoor ice rink
  11. *What are the critical issues that your organization faces in its partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department? What could the Parks and Recreation Department do to address these issues?*  
 As of right now I feel we do not have a partnership with Parks and Recreation due to not having a facility we can use. I feel we could make a facility like this work in Victor.
- Please share with us any other comments that may be beneficial as we develop the Parks and Recreation Master Plan:*
- Building an ice rink has many benefits to our community.. especially a growing community such as Victor with a prime location near the 90.
  - There are numerous organizations in the area that are looking for more space....creating this facility would encourage and allow a Victor Youth Hockey organization as well as a Victor Figure Skating organization. This facility would also be utilized by our PE classes at Victor (all levels) and would increase interest in ice skating.
  - Depending upon the facility, hosting area competitions would draw in large crowds as well as large amounts of revenue for our community.



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Name of Organization Victor Jr. Blue Devils Football and Cheerleading

1. Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?

**Our goal is to provide a safe and enjoyable sports experience that will help build a foundation of physical fitness and love of sports for years to come**

2. How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?

**Currently we do not interact with the facilities, programs and offerings**

3. What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?

**Current program has about 300 kids (k-7th grade) and we project a flat growth over the next few years**

4. How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)

**it could be improved with additional facilities and availability**

5. How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?

6. Given the option, would your organization rather partner with a private sector organization (i.e. Pinnacle Sports Complex, YMCA, etc.) OR a municipal entity like the Parks and Recreation Department to support your organization's needs?

**Absolutely 100% we would prefer to go to a municipal entity**

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7. What other factors would you like us to consider as we plan for the next 10 years (plus) of Parks and Recreation in Victor?

8. Please tell us what specific Parks and/or Parks and Recreation Facilities your organization currently uses (i.e. Soccer Fields at Dryer Road Park, the Gym at the Recreation Center, etc.)?

**We currently only use the Soccer fields at Dryer Rd for Flag football when school fields are unavailable**

9. Are there specific fields, courts, or facilities that your organization currently or potentially will require in order to continue the successful operation of your organization?

**We would currently only be seeking back up for the school facilities**

10. What improvements could the Park and Recreation department make to the Towns' Fields and Facilities to better assist/partner with your organization?

**N/A**

11. What are the critical issues that your organization faces in its partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department? What could the Parks and Recreation Department do to address these issues?



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Name of Organization **Victor Youth Soccer**

1. *Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?*  
Our organization helps to develop and train our community youth soccer programs and skills
2. *How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?*  
We interact all year with the facilities, programs and some events offered by Victor Parks and Rec. We depend on VPR for so many of our games, tournaments, practices, etc.
3. *What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?*  
Between all our programs (Micro, travel, recreation and special needs soccer) we have over 1200 youth players involved each year. We have been growing at 10-12%. The impact is that we are running out of facilities and fields to train, play and develop.
4. *How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)*  
We would love if Parks & Rec. could build additional indoor and outdoor facilities (especially indoor). We pay an enormous amount of money (120k-150k) each year. We would love to give that money back to our community.
5. *How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?*
  - We are forced to go outside of Victor.
  - We are forced to use Pinnacle (overpriced).
  - We inconvenience our community with additional cost.
6. *Given the option, would your organization rather partner with a private sector organization (i.e. Pinnacle Sports Complex, YMCA, etc.) OR a municipal entity like the Parks and Recreation Department to support your organization's needs?*  
Municipal entity all the way. It is refreshing and much easier for us to work with VPR. They are an exceptional partner. When we are forced to use other private resources, it is a tough experience.
7. *What other factors would you like us to consider as we plan for the next 10 years (plus) of Parks and Recreation in Victor?*
  - Indoor facility (is desperately needed)
  - Turf Fields
  - Outdoor fields
  - Our community keeps growing
8. *Please tell us what specific Parks and/or Parks and Recreation Facilities your organization currently uses (i.e. Soccer Fields at Dryer Road Park, the Gym at the Recreation Center, etc.)?*  
We use ALL of the VPR facilities.  
We could use more facilities and fields

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Name of Organization **Victor Youth Soccer**

9. *Are there specific fields, courts, or facilities that your organization currently or potentially will require in order to continue the successful operation of your organization?*  
Yes
  - Indoor facilities to practice in the winter (Pinnacle not enough)
  - Turf fields and more outdoor field
10. *What improvements could the Park and Recreation department make to the Towns' Fields and Facilities to better assist/partner with your organization?*
  - Building more parks
  - Building an indoor facility
  - Building an additional turf field or expanding it.
11. *What are the critical issues that your organization faces in its partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department? What could the Parks and Recreation Department do to address these issues?*
  - Growth in our program and our soccer sport.
  - We use all year round their services.
  - We can't keep up and are forced to use fields outside our community.



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Name of Organization **Alliance FC (Formerly WNY Soccer Assist)**

### **1. Please describe your organization and the role that it plays within the Victor Community. What is your organization's Mission and Goals?**

Alliance F.C. is a non-profit soccer club headquartered in Victor with a very simple mission – to keep kids in the game. 70% of children dropout of youth sports by the age of 13. To combat this statistic, we provide a positive learning environment for players, families, and coaches designed to build skill, self-confidence, and exceptional young adults while helping to nurture a genuine love for the game, leading to long-term player development and a lifetime of success and involvement in the sport.

### **2. How does your organization interact with the facilities, programs, and offerings that the Victor Parks and Recreation currently provides?**

Our club rents field space at Dryer Road park from April – October and indoor gym space from January – March. We also rent rooms at Victor Parks & Rec for meetings and team events.

### **3. What is your organization's current number of participants/members and what is your projected rate of growth? How could this impact future parks and recreation programming and facility needs?**

In 2018, we currently have 45 players/participants, which is up 25% from 2017 and 50% from 2016. With these stats in mind, we project to continually grow 25% each year over the next 3-5 years. This means that we will continue to request 25% more outdoor field space and indoor gym space each year.

### **4. How could your partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department be improved? (i.e. improved or additional facilities, additional joint operated events or programs, etc.)**

Our immediate needs would be additional indoor space to meet the needs of all four of our teams. We have seemed to max out the number of hours gym space is available this winter (2018/19). Long term, an additional outdoor field (possibly turf, like the one at Dryer Road) would help us to lengthen our outdoor season (April – November, instead of mid-May – October). I also believe an after-school center (that included computers, a theatre/projector, and game room) would be a benefit to the community and help grow the after-school program.

### **5. How could your organization support and supplement the programs and facilities provided by the Parks and Recreation Department?**

From a support standpoint, our players and their families are familiar with Victor Parks & Rec and use their programs regularly. A year ago, most families in our club didn't even know the Rec Center existed until we started running practices there. As a club, we are very supportive of the programs that are run by VP&R. When asked by parents of what sports programs are out there for younger siblings, I always recommend programs run by Coach Steve and VP&R because they align with our club's mission of creating a positive youth sports experience for players and their families. My 6-year old son signs up for all of Coach Steve's programs because of how wonderful Steve is with the kids, and in return, my son participates in sports that I never would have thought he would be interested in (volleyball, gym hockey, tennis, etc.). Because our club encourages our players to play multiple sports

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(not just soccer), many of our 2008/2009 girls are playing in the Rec basketball league this winter and have said nothing but nice things about the program, the coaches, and the kids. In the spring of 2018, as a way to give back to VP&R, our players and parents volunteered to clean up the hiking trails at Dryer Road Park for two hours on a Sunday morning. Our club will always support the Victor Parks & Rec programs, and hopefully as our numbers grow, participants in VP&R programs grow as well.

From a monetary standpoint, we would be willing to fundraise for future projects that would benefit our players and their families.

### **6. Given the option, would you rather partner with a private sector organization (i.e. Pinnacle Sports Complex, YMCA, etc.) OR a municipal entity like the Parks and Recreation Department to support your organization's needs?**

We would prefer to partner with an entity that is trustworthy, honest, and has a similar mission like Victor Parks & Rec.

### **7. What other factors would you like us to consider as we plan for the next 10 years (plus) of Parks and Recreation in Victor?**

In the next 10 years due to the rapid growth of the population in Victor, it would be nice to have a Parks & Rec center similar to Henrietta (multiple basketball courts, play area for the kids, gymnastics equipment, track, etc.). Obviously, indoor space and turf fields are a premium around here for teams. I assume eventually more outdoor fields (soccer, lacrosse, and baseball) will be needed. As my kids grow (6 and 9-year old), it would be nice to be able to take them to a playground that is more age appropriate. Our family has found some really cool, ropes-course/Warrior Factory-like playgrounds out-of-state that engage not only the younger kids but the 8-14 year old ages as well.

### **8. Please tell us what specific Parks and/or Parks and Recreations Facilities your organization currently uses (i.e. Soccer Fields at Dryer Road Park, the Gym at the Recreation Center, etc.)?**

Dryer Road Park soccer fields and turf rink. Gym and meeting rooms at the Rec Center.

### **9. Are there specific fields, courts, or facilities that your organization currently or potentially will require in order to continue the successful operation of your organization?**

[See answers to questions #2 and #4]

### **10. What improvements could the Parks and Recreation department make to the Town's Fields and Facilities to better assist/partner with your organization?**

I think the Towns' Fields and Facilities department does a great job maintaining the fields throughout the season.

### **11. What are the critical issues that your organization faces in its partnership with the Parks and Recreation Department? What could the Parks and Recreation Department do to address these issues?**

a.) One suggestion would be to invest in some sort of online calendar/reservation system that individuals/clubs/teams can use to reserve facilities and fields. On a few occasions, reservation dates and times have overlapped due to multiple hand-written facilities calendars/schedules.

b.) I used to run soccer camps through Victor Parks & Rec for ages 2-7. While I enjoyed this immensely, it became much more difficult for me due to the increased insurance coverage I was required to have for the program, which ultimately made the camps unaffordable for families. I just wonder how many other programs that would be beneficial to kids in our community are deterred from running their programs through VP&R for similar reasons.

