

# STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: August 8, 2023 AGENDA ITEM:

## TITLE:

Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2023-121 formally accepting the 2023 City of Bastrop Parks, Recreation and Open Space Master Plan.

## **AGENDA ITEM SUBMITTED BY:**

Terry Moore, Recreation Manager

## **BACKGROUND/HISTORY:**

City staff has been working with Stantec Consulting and Edge of Your Seat Consulting since January to develop a 10 year Parks and Recreation Master Plan. The plan is to encompass a comprehensive analysis of the City's parks and recreation assets, an extensive community needs assessment, provide recommendations to development, recreation, policies, land acquisition, and prioritize needs based on the community's short and long-term parks and recreation needs.

Through community interviews, over 1000 survey responses, community meetings and forums, staff and council meetings and workshops from March 6 to August 3, a proposed plan has been developed.

This document is designed to serve as a guide to City Officials, City Staff, and the Community in the enhancement of the City's Park and Recreation System. The Parks Master Plan includes a Vision Statement, Goals & Objectives, Recommendations, Conceptual Park Site Plans, Needs Based Assessments, Results from the Community Survey, Funding Source Matrix, Findings from the Economic Analysis on the proposed construction of a Sports Complex, Findings from the ADA Accessibility Study, and Implementation Plan Tables.

As requested by council, attached is a copy of the Park and Rodeo Conceptual Plan done in 2016 by mwm Design Group.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Requesting acceptance of the 2023 City of Bastrop Parks, Recreation and Open Space Master Plan as a foundation for future planning.

## ATTACHMENTS:

- Updated Draft of the Plan https://engagestantec.mysocialpinpoint.com/parksnrecplan/projectdocuments
- Resolution R-2023-121
- 2016 Park and Rodeo Conceptual Plan