

# City of Port Lavaca Parks and Recreation Master Plan:

A Presentation to Introduce the LJA Team, Scope, and Process



## Parks & Recreation Master Plan Report: Overview

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- 3. Timeline & Deliverables

## **Meet Your Planning and Landscape Architecture Team**



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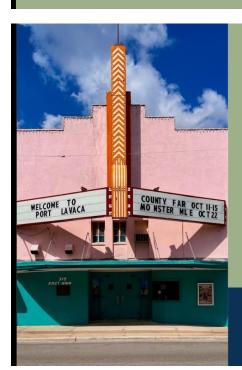
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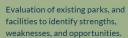
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### **Scope of Work & Process**



#### Inventory and Analysis





#### Park Recommendations

Includes cost projections, funding alternatives, and implementation strategies



## Determination of Requirements

Comprehensive determination of current requirements, locations, & standards of City Parks



#### Needs Assessment

Based on trend analysis, stakeholder/community engagement, and public workshop

The Parks and Recreation Master Plan provides a roadmap to enhance the community's parks, facilities, and recreation opportunities to better serve the needs of residents.

## **Community Engagement**

#### **Public Workshop**

LJA, in conjunction with City staff, will conduct one public workshop to present findings from the information gathering and existing inventory analysis phase. The goal will be to have a collective vision for what City of Port Lavaca Parks could be, what the residents want them to be.

#### Virtual Meetings

LJA will participate in monthly status meetings to keep city staff and stakeholders alike updated on the development of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan. These meetings may include the parks board, city staff, the Visioning committee, or any other invited guests.

#### **Open House**

The LJA team will host an Open House that will coalesce the findings from the Public Workshop, Inventory Analysis, and various meetings, into one collected, interactive presentation. This will function as the immediate pre-cursor to the final report.

#### Community Engagement Completion

These three major events will comprise the entirety of the community engagement effort for the Master Plan report.





## **Next Steps**

Begin Inventory Analysis

The Parks Board should formally adopt the Master Plan, providing the necessary policy directive and guidance for implementation.

Prepare Detailed Timeline

Develop a clear and detailed timeline for the overall Master Plan report, identifying the community engagement work, the information gathering phase, recommendation effort, etc.

Schedule Community Workshop

Identify possible dates for the first of the three major community engagement pieces.