

Marina, Parks & Forestry Meeting

Parks Report

Operations

- Routine fall operations are underway, including leaf removal and pickup, splash pad shutdown and cleaning, facility winterization, pressure washing and deep cleaning of facilities, grass mowing, grounds maintenance, and facility cleaning and maintenance.
- Evergreen Park was closed beginning September 21 to accommodate road construction activities.
- Park restrooms, open-air shelters, the parklet, and fish cleaning stations were closed on October 15.
- Portable restrooms remain available at:
 - 18th Street Dog Park
 - Quarry Disc Golf Course
 - Maywood Environmental Park
 - Vollrath Park
 - South Pier Turnaround
- Seasonal recreational amenities, including pickleball and tennis nets and kayak launches, will be removed and stored for the winter beginning November 1.
- Staff continue to coordinate with the GIS team to map park amenities throughout the system. The first phase focused on documenting the location and condition of all park benches.
- Park Reservation Day was held on October 19. This was the final year of in-person park reservations. Beginning January 1, 2027, all park shelter reservations may be made in-person at the Municipal Service Building or online up to 365 days in advance, providing a more convenient and accessible reservation process for the public.

2026 Projects

- Installation of the new open-air shelter at Evergreen Park Area 3 has been completed.
- Engineered Wood Fiber safety surfacing was installed at all playground locations.
- Road construction improvements at Evergreen Park have been completed.
- Landscaping improvements were completed at the Wildwood Hardball Complex.
- Landscaping improvements were completed at the Deland Community Center.
- New lighting installation at the Quarryview building has been completed, finalizing the interior renovation project.
- Contractors completed emergency roof repairs at the Maywood Environmental Center. A full roof replacement is scheduled for 2027.
- Installation of new shingle roofs on the Cemetery Schoolhouse storage building and the Wildwood Hardball storage building is scheduled to begin November 5.
- A new steel door will be installed at the South Pier restroom facility this fall.

- Landscaping renovation of old playground area completed at End Park.

Agreements

- Staff are working with Stantec to finalize a contract for completion of the final engineered design for the Maywood Water Quality Improvement Project.
 - **Tributary Beer Garden:** The first year of operations was successful. Parks staff are coordinating with Tributary to shut down and winterize the facility and store equipment for the season.
 - **Maywood MOU:** Continued coordination with the City Legal Department and Maywood representatives is underway to finalize an updated agreement.
 - **Farmers Market Agreement:** Staff are coordinating with the City Legal Department and the Sheboygan County Interfaith Organization to update the Farmers Market agreement.
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