



ORION TOWNSHIP PARKS & PATH COMMITTEE

Annual Report 2023



PATHS

- Safety Path Maps Outline
- Safe Routes to Schools classes held for 5th and 7th grades
- Orion Center Trailhead paving completed
- Gregory Meadows Path completed

- Clarkston Rd Boardwalk rehab
- Clarkston Rd/Buckhorn Lake Boardwalk restoration began June 2022
- General Repairs



WHERE LIVING IS A VACATION

5 Developed Parks

2 Nature Areas & Trailways



2 Gazebos & Amphitheaters

8 Covered Pavilions



11 Baseball & Softball Fields

1 Miracle Field

18 Soccer Fields



1 Community Center
2,400+ Senior Members



1 Exercise Room
Mountain Bike Trail
290+ Exercise Participants



10 Tent Campsites
2 Sleeping Lodges
1 Disc Golf Course
Public Beach



930+ Youth Sports Participants
70+ Miles of Trailways

430+ Programs Offered
500+ Acres

5 Playgrounds
3 Fully ADA Accessible
1 Sledding Hill
Fitness Course

22 Large Community Events
18 Free Events

\$1.7M Generated Millage Dollars Annually
29 Projects Completed
8 Projects Scheduled for 2022

Making a Positive Impact

2023 PARKS REPORT

ORION TOWNSHIP PARKS & RECREATION

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PROMISES KEPT

- Additional Friendship Park restroom & concession stand
- Friendship Park ballfield dugouts
- Orion Center LED billboard
- Sealcoating and road repairs
- Security upgrades
- Green Infrastructure (over 500 trees planted)
- Additional Tennis & Pickleball Courts
- Adult fitness court
- Mountain biking adventure trail
- Wildwood Amphitheater facility improvements
- Pavilion at Wildwood Amphitheater
- Updated Orion Center kitchen appliances
- Wildwood Events
- Civic Center playground renovation
- Orion Center AV upgrades
- Orion Center Trailhead paving
- Friendship Park ballfield lights
- Upgraded Orion Center exercise equipment
- New Park Entrance Signs
- Camp Agawam Beach Expansion

2023 & THE FUTURE

- Additional ballfield dugouts covers
- EV Charging stations
- Peterson Lodge
- Camp Agawam vault toilet updates
- Sheardy Pavilion renovations
- Additional outdoor exercise stations



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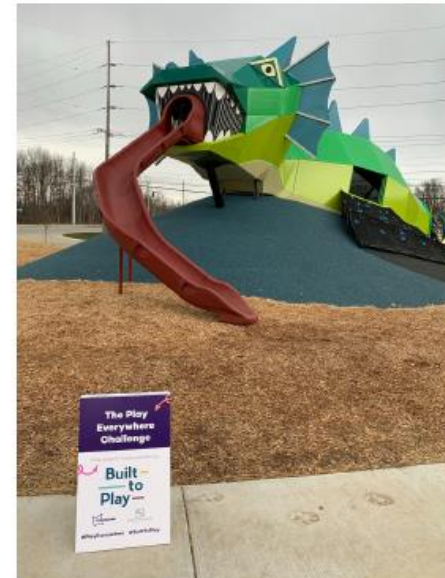
ORION PARKS

PARKS

- Miracle Field & Concession Stand
- Wildwood Pavilion Improvements
- Parks and Recreational Scholarship- Coming Soon
- EV Chargers-
 - Civic Center/Friendship Park
- Friendship Park Baseball Lighting Completed
- Dragon Slide Pocket Park Fencing Completed

2022 and 2023

- Disc Golf Course improvements
- Fitness Course Completed
- Wildwood Lighting Pathway
- EV Charging Stations
- Pickleball & Tennis Courts at Friendship Park
- Friendship Park Ballfield Lighting
- Orion Center Trailhead paving
- Friendship Park Mountain Bike Trails
- Wildwood Shelter





CAMPING

- Beach expansion
 - nearly doubled the size of the beach
- Bicycle Camping
 - First bike tour stay at Camp Agawam using the bike sites



2023 AND BEYOND

- Tennis/Pickleball courts at Friendship Park completed
- Volleyball courts in process
- Mountain Bike Trails at Friendship Park completed
- Wayfinding signage in process
- Future Pocket Parks
- Adult Fitness Course at Civic Center completed
- Peterson Lodge renovation
- Camp Agawam Beach Expansion completed
- Sheardy Pavilion renovation





THANK YOU

Looking forward to 2023/2024 projects

