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| Project Overview | 10 Minutes |
| Plan Options     | 15 Minutes |
| Other Amenities / Next Steps | 5 Minutes |
| Questions & Answers | 30 Minutes |
WEAVER + PRAIRIE PARK MASTER PLAN

PROJECT OVERVIEW

• Welcome and Thanks!
• Benefits of Master Planning
• Early Site History and First Master Plan
• Kickapoo Rail Trail Connection
• Expansion and Growth
• New Master Plan
# Weaver + Prairie Park Master Plan

## Process to Date

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### Tell the Park District your thoughts about the future of athletic courts, fields and amenities

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Urbana Park District Outdoor Courts, Fields, and Amenities Survey

**Section 1: Outdoor Fields**

1. Does your household use any of the Urbana Park District’s athletic fields? (softball, baseball, t-ball, soccer, cricket, etc.)
   - Yes
   - No (If yes, you will automatically skip to the next section: Outdoor Courts)

**Athletic Field Popularity**

- Softball
- Sand Volleyball
- Basketball
- Pickleball
- Tennis
- Cricket
- Soccer
- T-Ball
- Baseball

**Frequency of Other Suggested Outdoor Amenities**

- Pump Track
- Pickleball Courts
- Dog Park
- Splash Pad
- Activity Center
- Outdoor Exercise Equipment
- Natural Areas
- Fitness Classes
- Skate Park

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Urbana Park District invites the community to take an online survey to tell planners their thoughts about the future of the park district’s outdoor courts, fields and amenities.
EXISTING CONDITIONS

WEAVER + PRAIRIE PARK MASTER PLAN

Washington Street
Main Street
Lierman Avenue
Art Bartell Road
Canady Park
Leeman Avenue
Art Bartell Road
Brookens Administrative Center
Prairie Park (20 ac.)

Weaver Park (59.25 ac.)

Dr. Preston L. Williams Jr. Elementary School

Prairie Park
Washington Street
HEALTH & WELLNESS FACILITY
OPTION 1
OPTION 1 – MASTER PLAN

WEAVER + PRAIRIE PARK MASTER PLAN

Total Area (Weaver Only) 59.25 acres

Natural Area (Weaver Only) ~29.25 acres (49%)

Parking Data

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Suggested New Amenities

**Weaver Park:**
- (4) Large Soccer Fields (180' x 330')
- (2) Small Soccer Fields (141' x 225')
- (2) Softball Diamonds (300')
- (1) Multi-Purpose Field (180' x 330')
- (1) Restroom Building
- (1) KRT Trailhead with Restroom
- (1) Small Playground
- (1) Storage Shed (Softball)
- (1) Wetland Overlook
- 10' Wide Concrete Paths
- 5' Wide Soft Surface Paths

**Prairie Park:**
- (4 to 8) Pickleball Courts
- (5) Sand Volleyball Courts
- (1) Skate Park
- (1) Splash Pad
- (1) Large Playground
- (1) Restroom (Splash Pad)
- (3) Half-Court Basketball
- (1) Full-Court Basketball (50' x 75')
OPTION 1 – SOCCER FIELD ROTATION AND OVERFLOW PARKING
OPTION 1 - TRAILWAYS

- Washington Street
- Lerman Avenue
- Art Bartell Road
- Bakers Lane

Running Loop ~1.5 Miles

- Existing Multi-Use Path
- ITEP Funded Multi-Use Concrete Path (Est. 2025 Construction)
- Multi-Use Concrete Path to Complete Loop
- KRT Trailhead (Est. 2025-26 Construction)
- Multi-Use Concrete Maintenance and Recreation Paths
- Natural Surface Narrow Walking Trails
- Adjacent Pedestrian / Bicycle Networks

WEAVER + PRAIRIE PARK MASTER PLAN
**OPTION 2 – MASTER PLAN**

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**Art Bartell Road**

**Lierman Avenue**

**Washington Street**

**Baker’s Lane**

**Main Street**

**Weaver North:** 170

**Weaver South:** 155

**Weaver Overflow:** 165

**Prairie East Ph. 1:** 81

**Prairie East Ph. 2:** ~ 71

**Prairie West:** 60

**Total:** ~ 702
OPTION 2 – SOCCER FIELD ROTATION AND OVERFLOW PARKING
OPTION 2 - TRAILWAYS

- Washington Street
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DARK SKY LIGHTING

**Ground View Looking West** (Lighting Simulation Provided by Musco Sports Lighting, LLC)

**Aerial View Looking East** (Lighting Simulation Provided by Musco Sports Lighting, LLC)
**Other Amenities**

Other amenities were also identified by the community as important, some of these are listed below and survey-takers will be asked to rank from most important to least important in their opinion.

A. **Amphitheater** - casual or more natural looking for concerts, performances, fitness classes, etc.

B. **Basketball courts**

C. **Bicycle opportunities** - such as bike courses, pump tracks, or a bicycle safety course for kids

D. **Concrete game board tables** (chess, checkers, backgammon)

E. **Concrete ping pong tables**

F. **Gaga ball pits**

G. **Interpretive exhibits and overlooks** - for wetlands and natural areas

H. **Multipurpose fields** (soccer, football, ultimate Frisbee, lacrosse, etc.)

I. **Unique playground amenities** - such as rock climbing or zip lines
NEXT STEPS

- Presentation recording posted to project website
- Survey posted for three weeks, from August 23-September 13
- Input used to create a final master plan
- Open-house style meeting in late fall with master plan and vision book

Project Website:
https://www.urbanaparks.org/projects/weaver-and-prairie-parks-planning/
END OF VIDEO PRESENTATION
WEAVER + PRAIRIE PARK MASTER PLAN

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Dr. Preston L. Williams Jr. Elementary School

Brookens Administrative Center

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Art Bartell Road
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Brookens Administrative Center
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1. Which master plan option do you prefer (Option 1 or Option 2)?
   A. Why do you prefer this option?
   B. How would you improve this option?

2. In your opinion, what is the one most important amenity or activity to ensure is included in the final master plan?

3. Other comments or questions