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**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the North Port Commission

**FROM:** A. Jerome Fletcher II, ICMA-CM, MPA, City Manager

**TITLE:** Presentation Regarding Existing Park System Service Areas and Future Planning.

### **Recommended Action**

Commission review the presentation regarding existing park system service areas and future planning.

### **Background Information**

During the City Commission Regular Meeting held on July 11, 2023, discussion took place regarding Parks & Recreation Department Capital Improvement Program projects. A motion was approved to direct staff to bring back a Parks Plan featuring possible future park locations East of Toledo Blade Boulevard for various types of parks. The Parks & Recreation Department has been working with the Information Technology Division and Development Services Department to gather data and create various maps showing existing parks by type and service area; planned/future park sites, and areas of the City where there are gaps in service.

Staff have prepared an informational presentation which includes the following:

- An overview of the current park system.
- Park classifications and definitions.
- Established service areas in accordance with the adopted Parks & Recreation Master Plan.
- City's Comprehensive Plan, as well as industry best practices that support equitable access for our residents.

### **Strategic Plan**

Quality of Life

### **Financial Impact**

Not applicable.

### **Procurement**

Not applicable.

Attachments:

1. 7-11-23 City Commission Regular Meeting Minutes
2. 2024 Park System Planning
3. Parks & Recreation Master Plan

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