

RECREATION FACILITIES MASTER PLAN

Applicant: Canton Recreation Commission



Project Description:

The Town of Canton Recreation Commission manages more than twenty outdoor recreational facilities including parks, playgrounds and athletic fields. As these resources age and as the demand for recreational programming grows, there is an ever-more urgent need to understand existing conditions; to plan for upgrading, replacing or creating recreational resources; and to prioritize facility improvements.

If approved by Town Meeting, the recommended CPA funding of \$50,000 will be used to hire a consulting firm with expertise in recreational facility planning and design to conduct a background investigation and facilities assessment; to quantify demands for recreational facilities; to develop cost-estimates and schematics for facility improvements; and draft phasing recommendations for undertaking facility improvement and/or expansion projects. The proposed project will create a professionally developed plan - including extensive public input - that will guide the Recreation Commission as they endeavor to maintain the properties under their care.