Neighborhood Park Redevelopment

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Project Timeline

Where are we currently? As it stands, many of our neighborhood parks are the focus of \$500,000 of American Rescue Plan (ARPA) funding.

- In **December 2022**, we sought the public's input on how best to spend the money. We heard overwhelmingly that the public favors parks and recreation.
- In **February 2023**, Town Council voted to approve appropriating \$500,000 of Edenton's American Rescue Plan (ARPA) funding for recreation usage.
- Over the **summer of 2023**, we conducted a public survey of adults and youth (over 550 responses) as to what they would like to see most in their neighborhood parks. The target parks are Morgan Park, Paxton Lane Park, Stratford-Hawthorne Park, and MLK Park.
- In **September 2023**, the results of the survey were brought before the Town Council.
- As of November 2023, Town Hall staff is working with contractors to develop site plans of each neighborhood park, so we know what the improvements and upgrades will look like. From there, we can share the designs with the public and move forward. We have chosen to take our time with this project, so that quality products are delivered to our residents and nothing is rushed. With our ARPA funds allocated, they will no longer expire.
- As of **January 2024**, we are in the process of receiving site plans and renderings from a firm we have partnered with -- Carolina Parks and Play -- for each of the parks. When this is complete, we hope to share some of the designs with the public for feedback before moving forward with preliminary work. We are also looking at grant funding to supplement our existing \$500,000.
- In **February 2024**, we are now publishing the first site renderings from Carolina Parks and Play!
 - Griffith Park Renderings
 - Morgan Park Renderings
- In **March 2024**, we received our next park rendering, this one for Paxton Lane Park. This rendering does not include the basketball court or wooded area that still exists on the property, so please keep that in mind.

• Paxton Lane Park Renderings

Stay tuned for more updates as we move forward. We are excited to revamp our parks across town and hope this will increase the quality of life for our residents and neighbors.

Supporting Documents

Griffith Park Renderings 1.26 MB

Morgan Park Renderings 1.65 MB

Paxton Lane Park Renderings 609.85 KB

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Park Redesign Feedback Form

Please share your feedback below. **Please keep in mind** that these renderings may NOT be final, and some changes may occur (example: adding covered pavilions for birthday parties). These are just initial renders to gauge public thought!

Please provide your street address for residency verification, this information is kept confidential! If you live outside of Chowan, please write your town/county name.

Which park(s) are you submitting feedback for? Morgan Park Griffith Park Paxton Lane Park

How do you feel about what you saw on a scale of 1-5, with 1 being HATE IT and 5 being LOVE IT? Please select "N/A" if you are not submitting feedback for that certain park.

Questions	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Morgan Park?	O_1	Ο2	О 3	Ο4	05	$O_{N/A}$
Griffith Park?	O_1	0 2	О 3	Ο4	05	$O_{N/A}$
Paxton Lane Park?	O_1	Ο2	О 3	Ο4	05	^О N/А

Please share your feedback and suggestions about the park renderings you have seen so far in this box!

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