

# Welcome!

Buddy Attick Park Master Plan Public Kick-Off

AUGUST 17, 2023



# Team Introduction

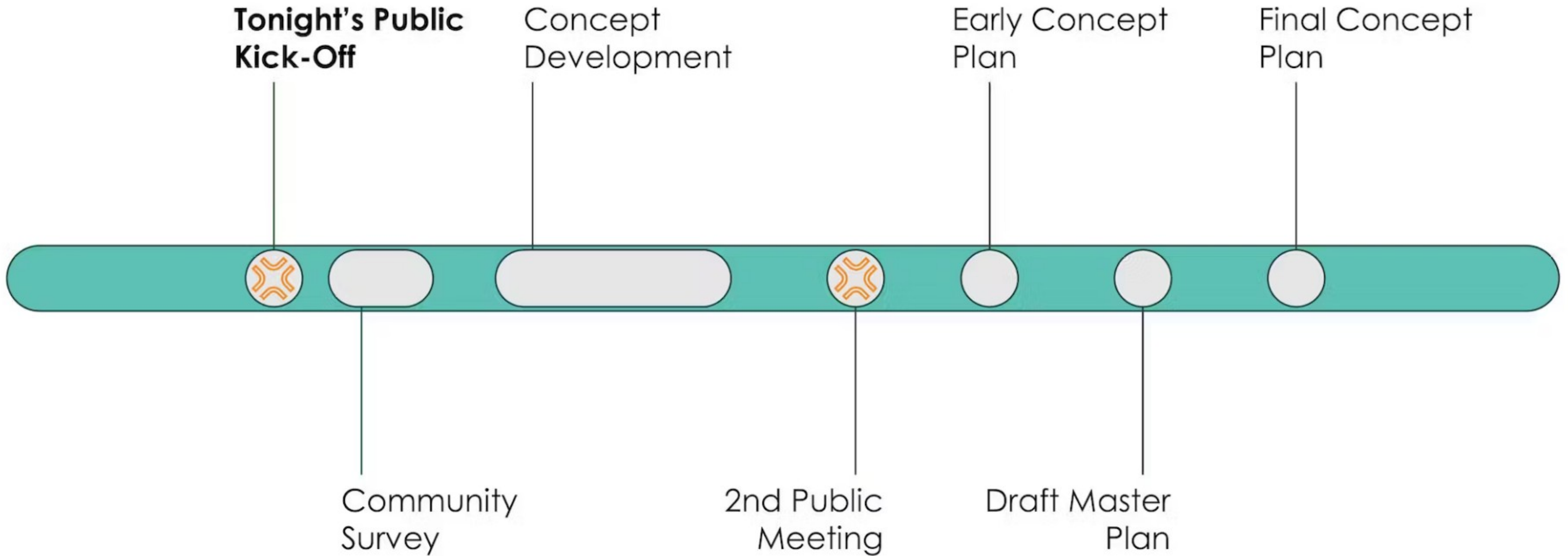
# Tonight's Meeting

- Introduction
- Master Plan Purpose
- Process for Master Plan Development
- Master Plan Objectives
- Park Overview
- Discussion
- Next Steps

# Master Plan Purpose

Provide a vision and accompanying strategic for the future utilization of Buddy Attick Park that will guide short- and long-term improvements, protect the parks natural resources, and improve management practices.

# Process Outline



# Overview of Buddy Attick Park

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LEGEND

- Basketball Court
- Picnic Table
- Playground
- Restroom
- Shelter
- Trash and Recycle Bins
- Signage
- Pollinator Garden
- Benches
- Walking Path
- Tree Canopy (2020)
- Property Lines



# Overview of Buddy Attick Park



# PARKING LOT AND ARRIVAL



# PICNIC AREAS



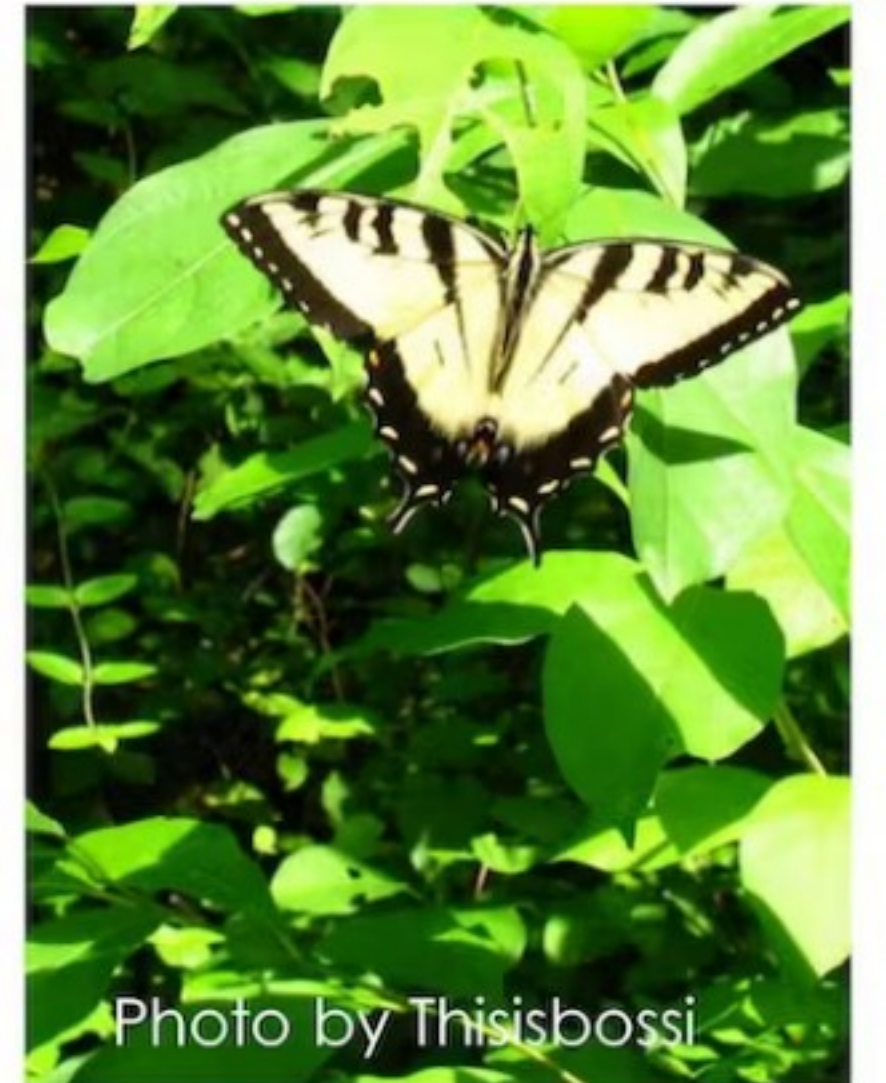
# PLAYGROUND



# ADDITIONAL PARK AMENITIES



# FLORA + FAUNA



# Discussion & Exercises

# Discussion

**Board Exercise:** Likes/Dislikes

**Notecards:** What do we need to know about Buddy Attick Park?

# Instructions



What are the 3 most SACRED THINGS about Buddy Attick Park for you and/or your household?

71 Responses



# 10 years from today: Look back and list 3 THINGS that have occurred that indicate this planning effort was a success.

48 Responses

People feel safe when walking around the lake.

Make it accessible for all residents.

Nothing wonderful was destroyed

Increased accessibility

The turtle pond is clean.

Nature is protected

Wear and tear

Increased accessibility

Clean water

# 10 years from today: Look back and list 3 THINGS that have occurred that indicate this planning effort was a success.

48 Responses

Better accessibility;

Maintained biodiversity

Preservation of trails; preservation of memorial benches;  
nature is not disturbed

Planning for resilience related to climate change,  
accessibility for all users, maintain beauty of nature

There are new trees growing to replace the old ones.

Paved trail

We had sustainability in mind, reducing need for single use  
items like plastic bottles, having green minded choose.  
Everyone has access. Via language, physical access, etc.

Preserve wildlife diversity  
Clean water

Control erosion

# 10 years from today: Look back and list 3 THINGS that have occurred that indicate this planning effort was a success.

48 Responses

Cleanliness

Healthy tree canopy

There have been some parties on the hill by the berm.

Vibrant community

sustainable maintenance practices

Opportunities for all ages to enjoy the park

Park free of trash, water is kept pure, kids are safe and welcome to be in nature

Sustainability

Protect lake water quality and the ecosystem trails accessible by all reforestation

# 10 years from today: Look back and list 3 THINGS that have occurred that indicate this planning effort was a success.

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Kids from greenbelt elementary get to walk down to the lake.

Jogging friendly  
Kept nature  
Wild life preserved

Signage and way finding in multiple languages

Habitat preservation

The parking lot still has water retention.

Four bay maintenance

The tree canopy grew. New species are thriving in an expanded habitat. I can choose a side trail when I don't want to walk on the main one. My teenagers kayak there

There were resting spots added along the path.

the park is still a place for everyone, there is food growing and wildlife thriving

# 10 years from today: Look back and list 3 THINGS that have occurred that indicate this planning effort was a success.

48 Responses

Signage that explains certain bio diversity, Street names etc

Have some safety apparatus for community to use

Covered bandstand, stage area for programming

Native Species

We have a boat flotilla on the lake occasionally. .

Bandstand  
Healthier water quality and trees  
Sound system that works for announcements and emergencies

People see the lake as part of their community and are inspired to take care of it.

Biodiversity Trail remains permeable  
Lake water quality

There is shade along the berm section of the trail with large trees.

**10 years from today: Look back and list 3 THINGS that have occurred that indicate this planning effort was a success.**

48 Responses

protect native plants, insect, and animal biodiversity

Elementary schoolers can visit on field trips.

Balance Stormwater management with trail optimization

# GUIDING PRINCIPLES: Please provide 3-5 PRIORITIES that you feel are important to the overall success of Buddy Attick Park.

73 Responses





# What do you feel is CURRENTLY MISSING from the park that you would like to see?

54 Responses



# Closing and Next Steps

# Closing Remarks + Next Steps

- Community Survey (forthcoming)
- Public Meeting #2 (Date TBD)