





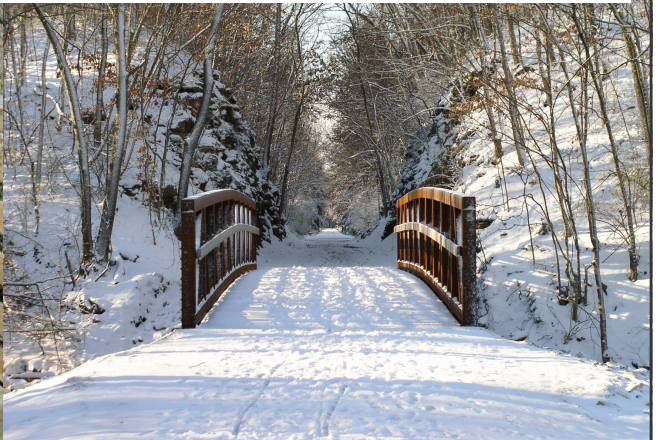
## **Agenda –September 17, 2009**

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| 1. Approval of Agenda  | Action |
| 2. Approval of Minutes from August                           | Action |
| 3. Approval of August Monthly Report                         | Action |
| 4. Boone County Park and Recreation<br>Commission Discussion |        |
| 5. Trails Master Plan Presentation                           |        |
| 6. Council Items   |        |
| 7. Capital Project Update                                    |        |
| 8. Recreation Services Update                                |        |
| 9. Commission Comments                                       |        |
| 10. Staff Comments   |        |
| 11. Public Comments  |        |





# Greenbelt & Trail Master Plan





# Vision

## Trail system

- Base - loop encircling the community
- Follows drainages of
  - **Hinkson Creek**
  - **Perche Creek**
  - **Bear Creek**
- Spokes from base loop along smaller drainages and/or green corridors to connect all parts of the community



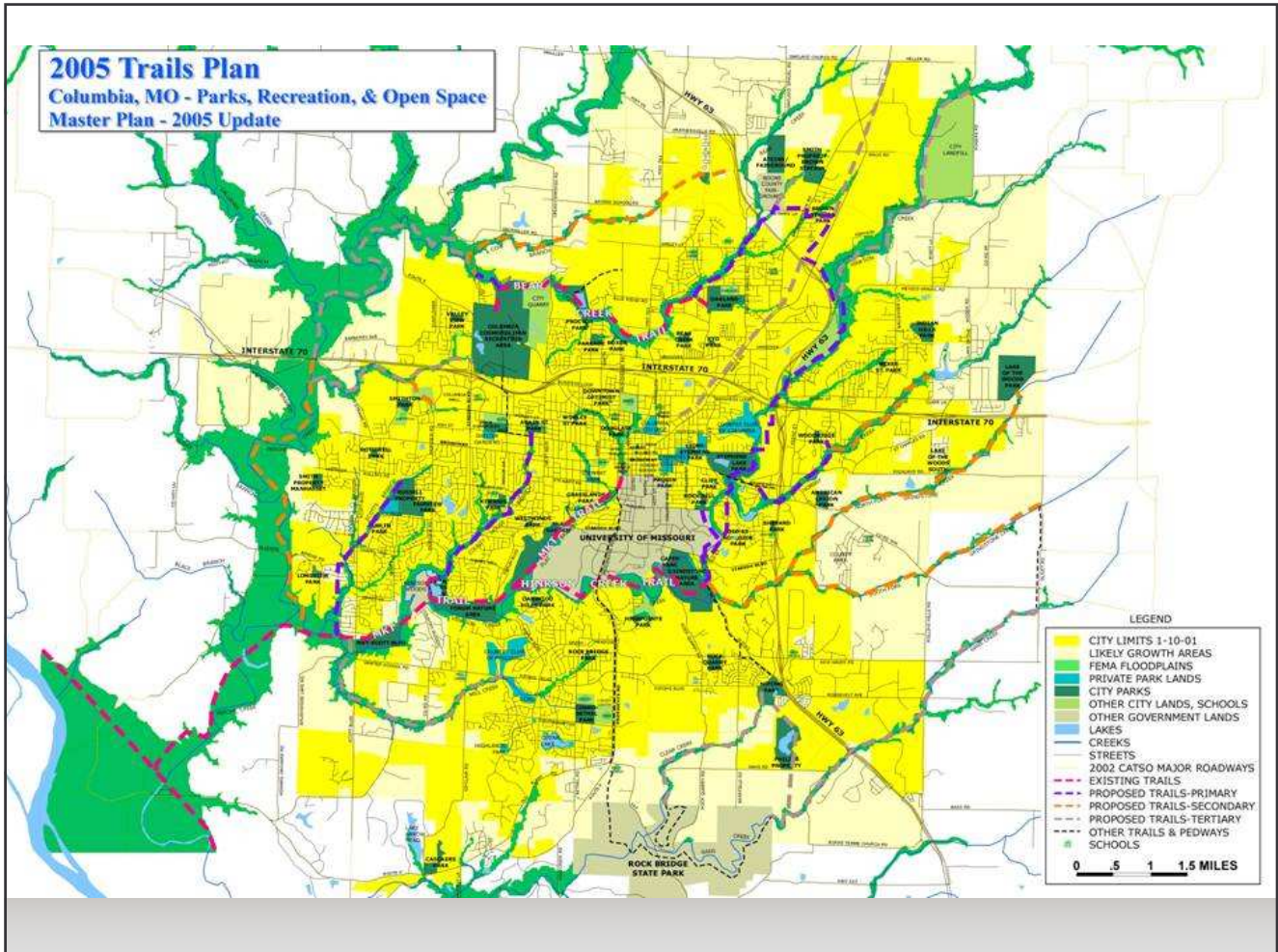


## Goal

### Effective trail system of inter-connectivity between:

- residential sub-divisions
- employment centers
- schools
- parks
- businesses
- downtown

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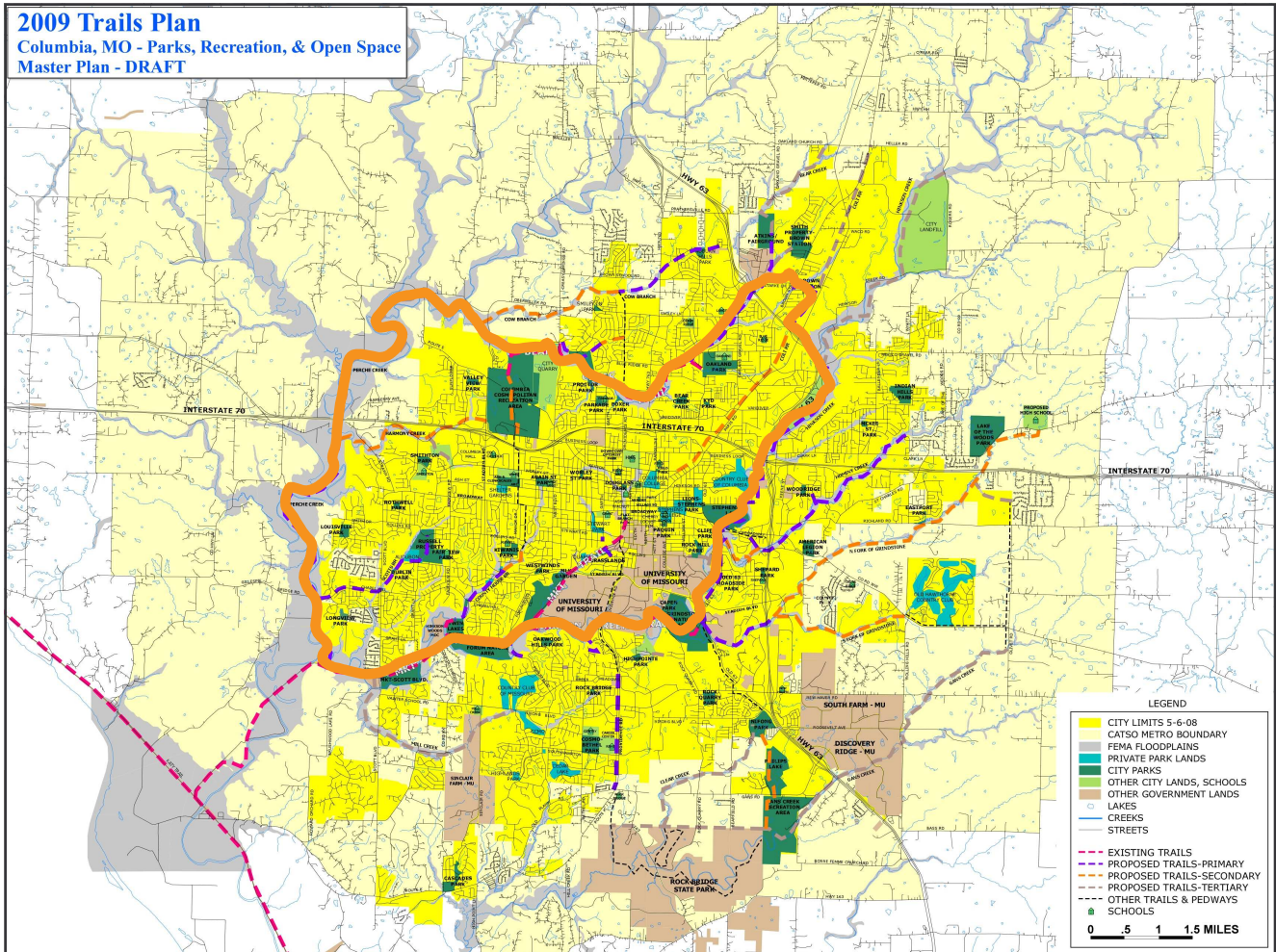


## Considerations in Establishing Priorities

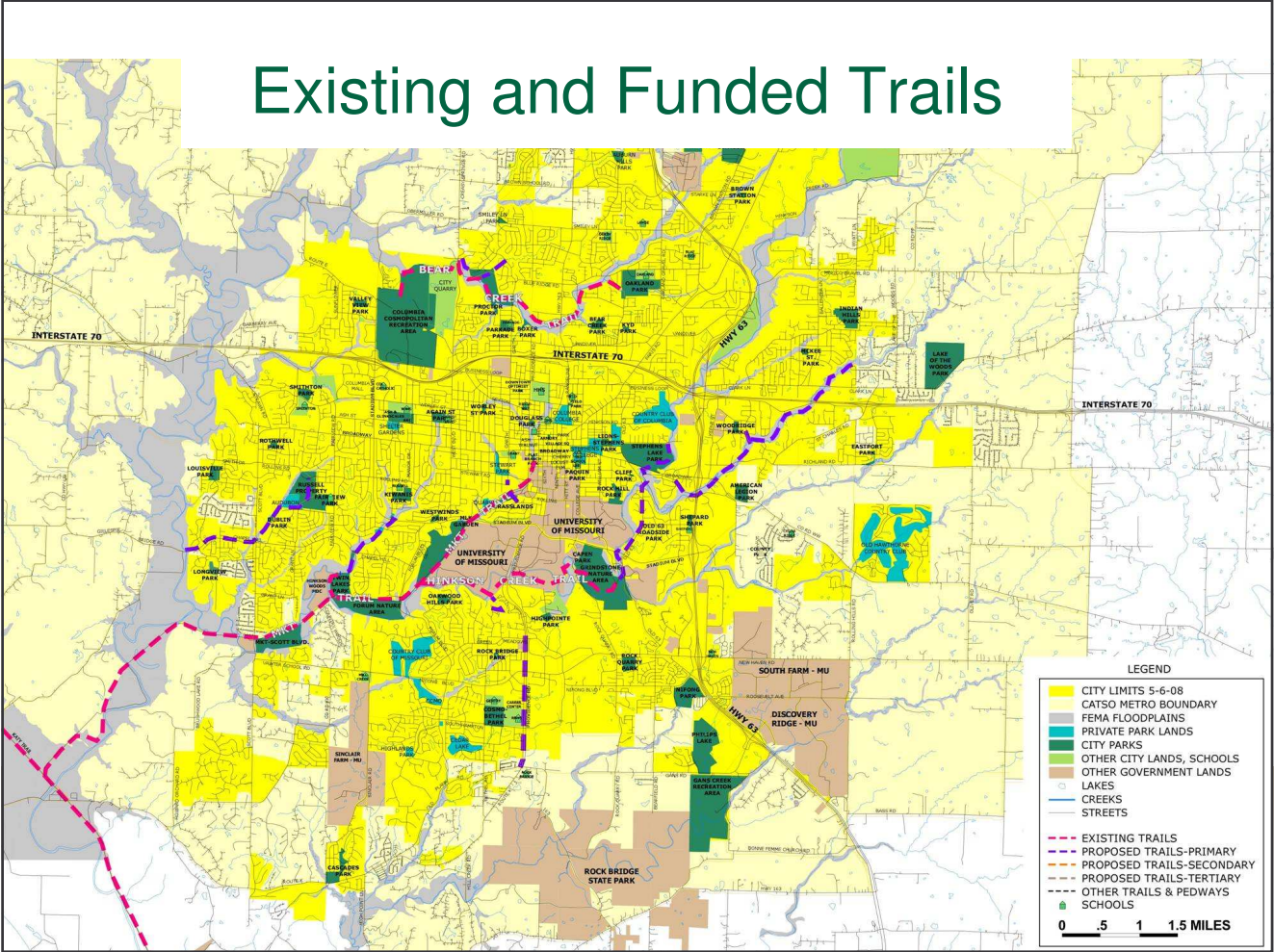
- The part the trail section plays in the overall goal to complete a “loop trail” around Columbia.
- Areas currently or soon to be under development. Properties may become unavailable or prohibitively expensive.
- The need to serve areas of expanding residential population.
- Current feasibility of acquisition.



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# Existing and Funded Trails







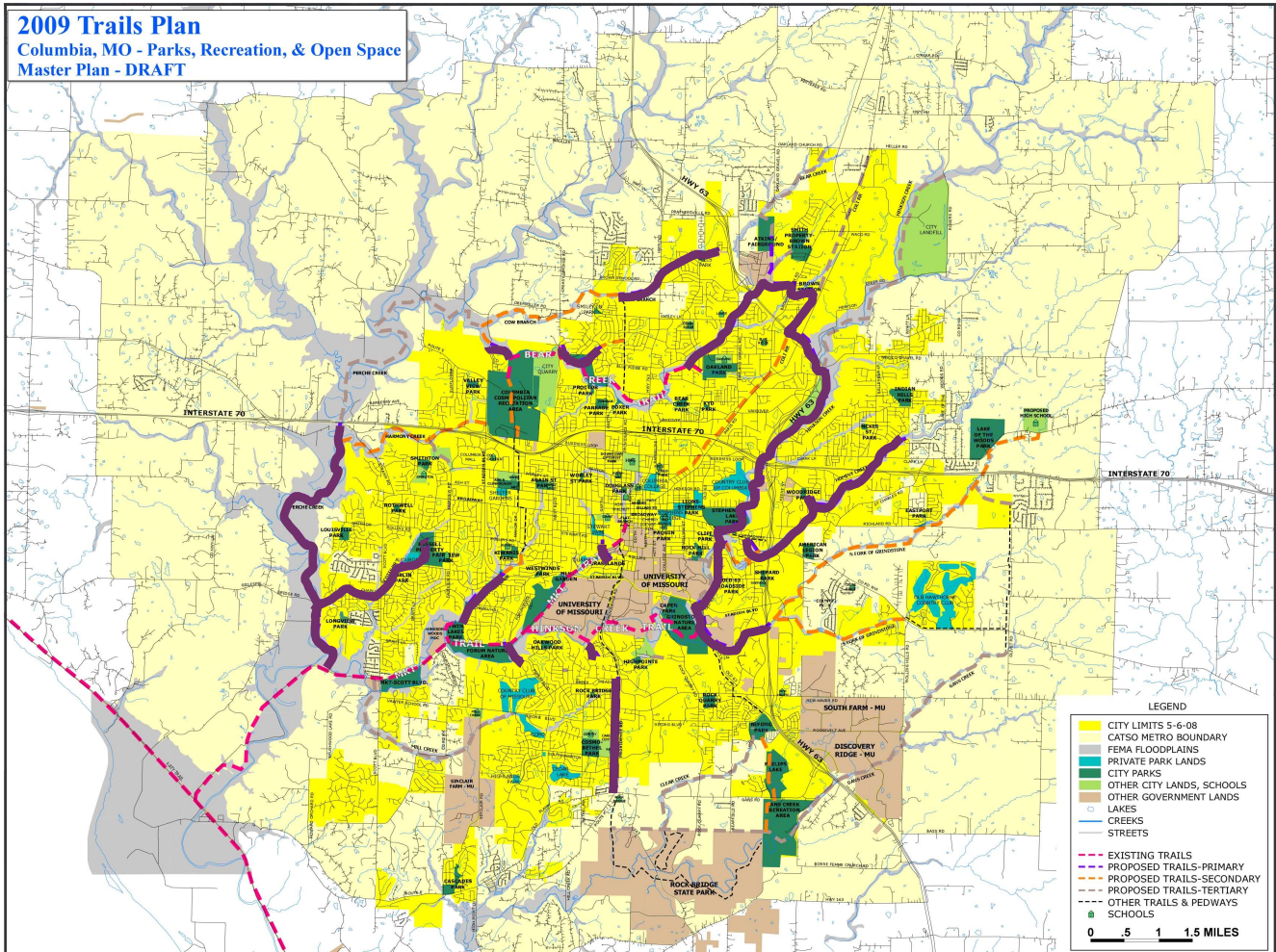
## Acquisition Targets

### Primary Acquisition Targets:

- Represent important pieces of the trail system.
- Under increasing development potential.
- High projection of use.
- Should be aggressively pursued.



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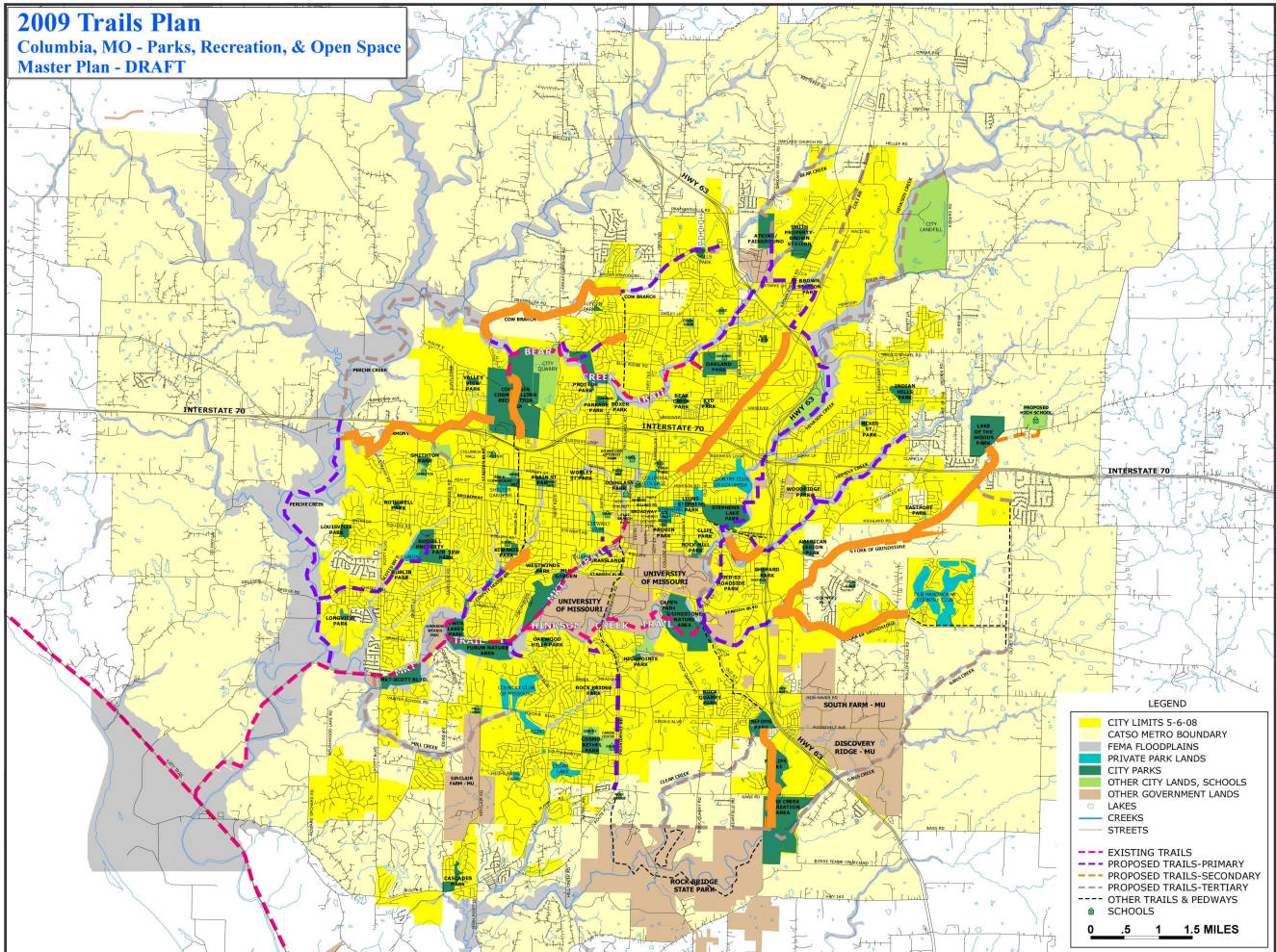
## Acquisition Targets

### Secondary Acquisition Targets:

- Under less development pressure than the primary targets - may have additional time for acquisition.
- Moderate projection of use.
- It is important, however, that these linkages become integrated into the trail system.



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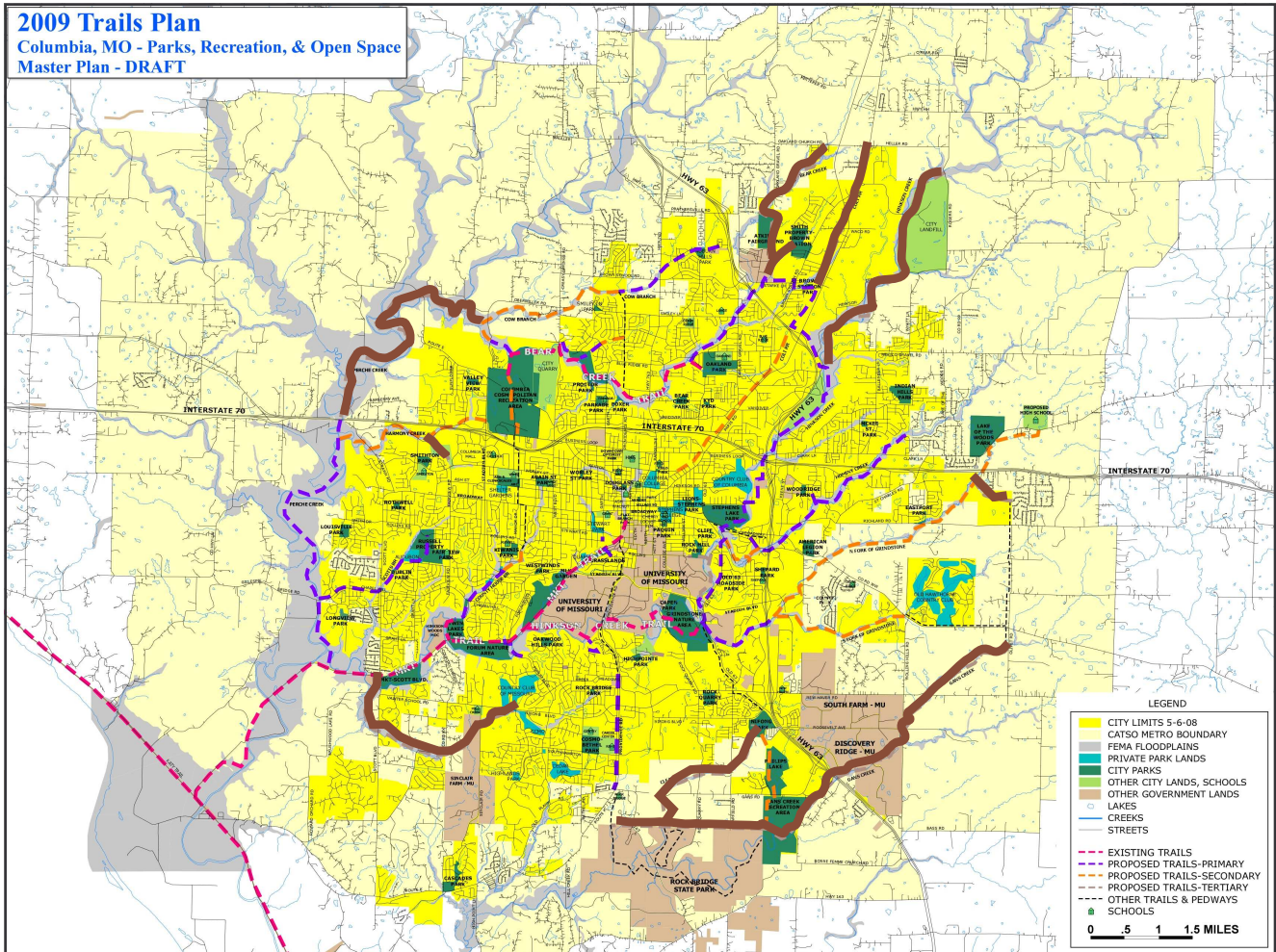


## Acquisition Targets

### Tertiary Acquisition Targets:

- Under little development pressure or are not feasible to purchase at this time.
- Low projection of use.
- Monitor the status of these linkages and more actively pursue them as they become available or threatened by development.

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# Primary Acquisition Targets

Status: Funded and Under Design

- Hinkson Creek Trail 3.5 miles  
Grindstone Nature Area to Stephens Lake Park
- Hominy Branch 2.0 miles  
Broadway Pedway to Woodridge Park
- Hominy Branch 2.0 miles  
Woodridge Park to Thessalia Subdivision
- Scotts Branch 1.6 miles  
Gillespie Bridge Rd. to Russell Property
- County House Branch 1.3 miles  
Twin Lakes to Stadium Blvd.
- Bear Creek Connector 0.5 mile  
Garth Nature Area to Blue Ridge Rd.
- Bear Creek Trail Python Connector 0.5 mile  
Python Ct. to Creasy Springs Rd.
- Providence Rd. Trail 2.0 miles  
Rock Bridge Elementary to Green Meadows Rd.
- Hinkson Trail Greenbriar Connector 0.5 mile  
Greenbriar Rd. to Hinkson Creek at Green Tennis Complex
- MKT Grasslands to Garth 0.5 mile  
Grasslands Park & Garth Ave to MKT



# Primary Acquisition Targets

Status: Not Funded

- Hinkson Creek Trail 5.0 miles  
Stephens Lake Park to Atkins Park
- Bear Creek Trail 1.2 miles  
Blue Ridge Rd. to Smiley Lane/Lang Middle School
- Bear Creek Trail 1.0 mile  
Smiley Lane/Lange Middle School to Atkins Park
- Bear Creek Trail 0.5 mile  
CCRA to Blackfoot Rd.
- Perche Creek 5.0 miles  
Interstate 70 to MKT
- Grindstone Trail 1.2 miles  
Grindstone Nature Area to Confluence of N & S Forks of Grindstone
- MKT Forum Connectors 0.5 mile  
Katy Ln to MKT & MAC to MKT
- Cow Branch/Bear Creek 2.0 miles  
Providence Rd. to Auburn Hills Neighborhood

## Secondary Acquisition Targets

Status: Not Funded

- North Fork of Grindstone Creek 5.3 miles  
Confluence of N & S Grindstone Forks to LOW Golf Course / New High School
- South Fork of Grindstone Creek 4.0 miles  
Confluence of N & S Grindstone Forks to Olivet Road
- County Branch Trail 0.5 mile  
Stadium Blvd. to Kiwanis Park/ Russell Blvd School
- Cow Branch/Bear Creek 2.8 miles  
Blackfoot Rd. to Providence Rd.
- Harmony Creek 3.0 miles  
CCRA to Perche Creek
- CCRA Trail 1.0 mile  
Skate Park to I-70
- Philips Lake Connection 2.0 miles  
Gans Creek (near RBSP) to Nifong Park
- COLT 3.0 miles  
Southern Portion, Hwy 63 to Columbia College
- Moon Valley Connector 1.0 mile  
Buck's Run Rd. to Moon Valley Rd. to Hominy Creek Trail
- Bear Creek Trail Connector 0.5 mile  
Blue Ridge Rd. to Providence Rd.

## Tertiary Acquisition Targets

Status: Not Funded

- Hinkson Creek Trail 4.5 miles  
Mexico Gravel Rd. to N side of City Landfill
- Perche Creek 5.0 miles  
Bear Creek Trail to I-70
- Mill Creek 3.6 miles  
MKT to Nifong Rd. - CCMO Area
- Clear Creek 2.8 miles  
Nifong Park to RBSP
- Gans Creek 5.5 miles  
Olivet Rd. to RBSP
- Gans Creek 2.0 miles  
Gans Creek Recreation Area to Rock Bridge Elementary
- COLT 2.5 miles  
N Portion, Brown Station Park to Heller Rd.
- Harmony Creek Connector 0.5 mile  
Worley St. to Harmony Creek
- Bear Creek Trail 2.5 miles  
Atkins Park to Oakland Church Rd.
- Bear Creek Trail 0.5 mile  
Atkins Park to Smith Property-Brown Station
- Hinkson Creek Trail 1.0 mile  
Rockhill Park Connector
- Seven Oaks Connector 0.3 miles  
Rolling Rock Rd. to Seven Oaks
- N Fork of Grindstone Cnctr 0.7 miles  
N Fork of Grindstone Trail to Sunrise Estates





## Funding for Greenbelt/Trails

2005 Park Sales Tax Ballot  
\$670,000 over 5 years

Current Available Balance: \$200,170

Future Budget Appropriations  
FY 2010 and FY 2011: \$290,000



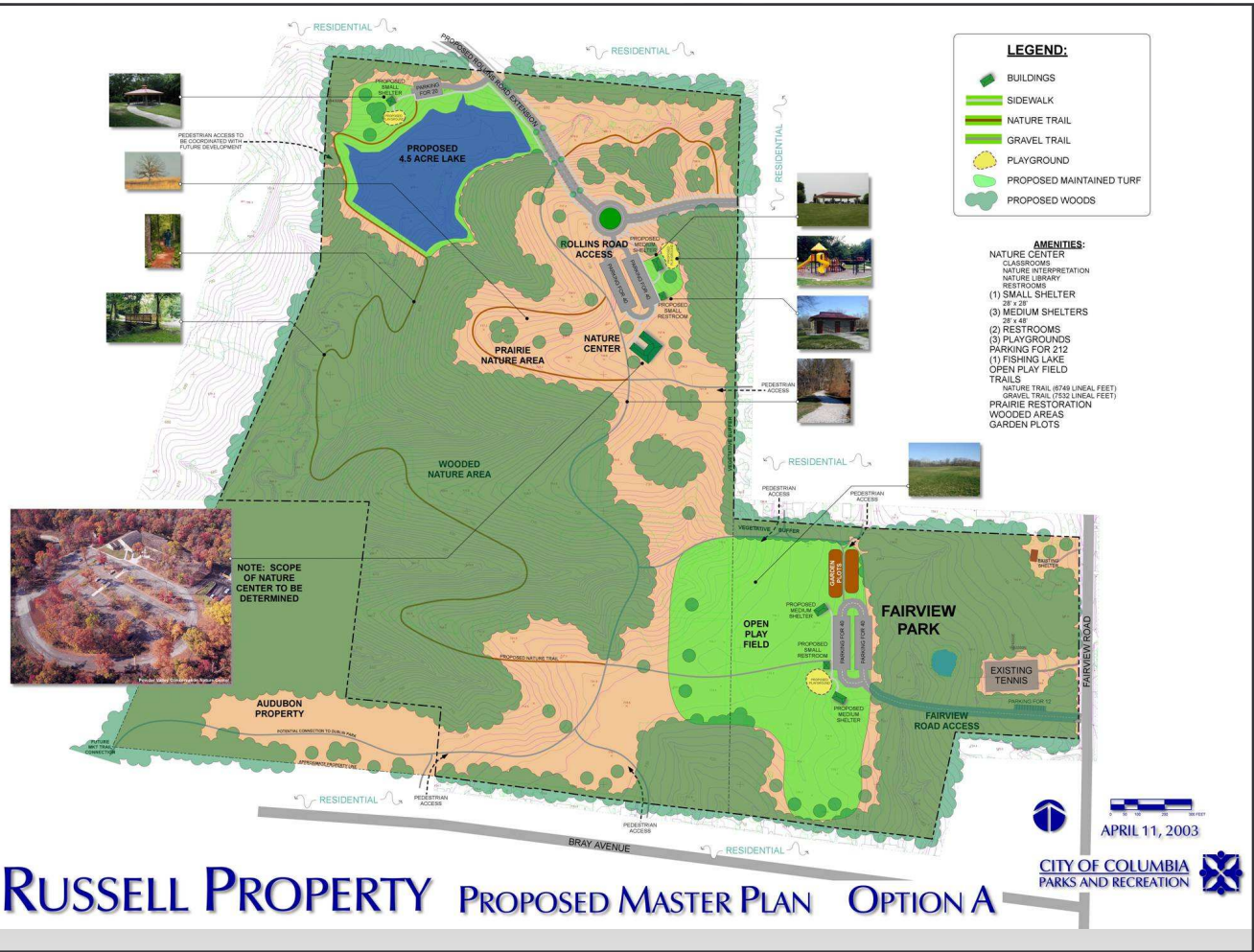
## **6. Council Items**

- a. Jay Dix Station Land Transfer**
- b. MKT Bridges #12 and #13**
- c. Bonnie View Park Options**

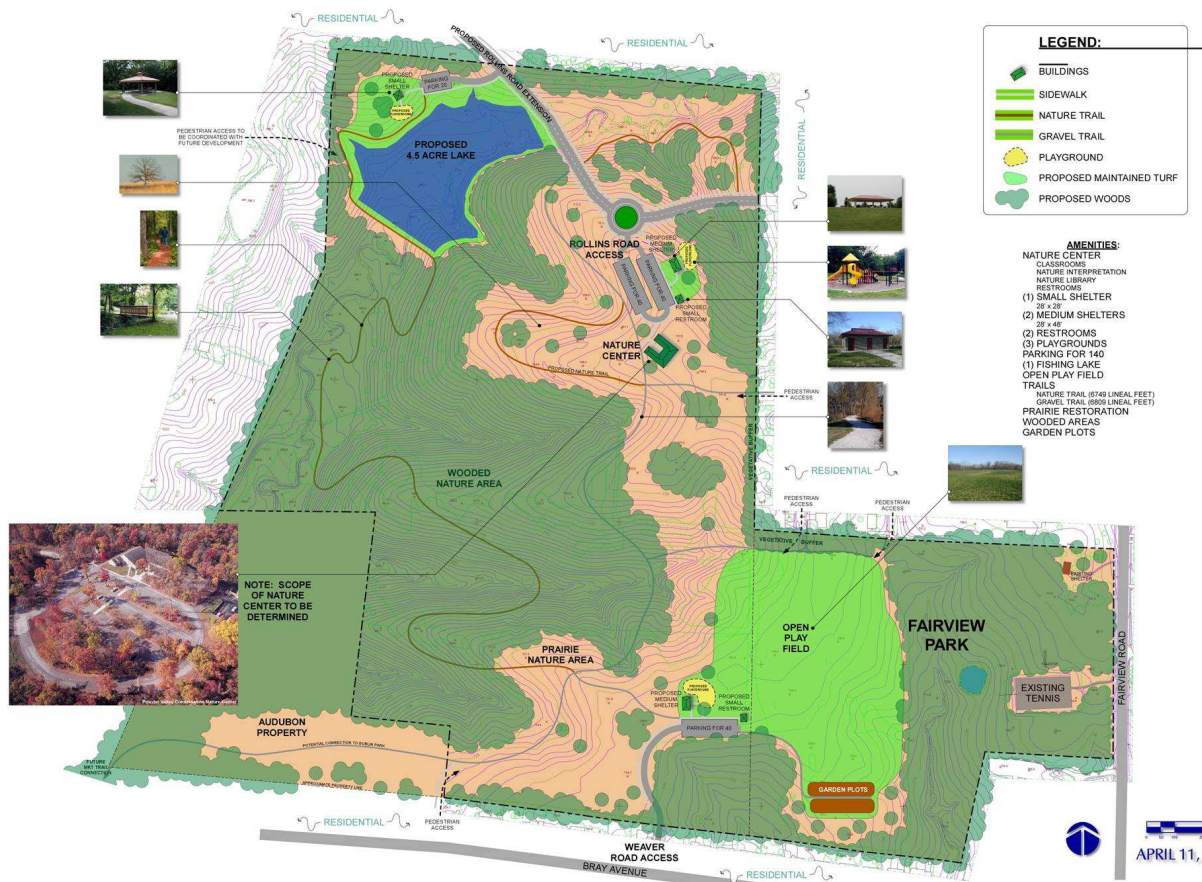








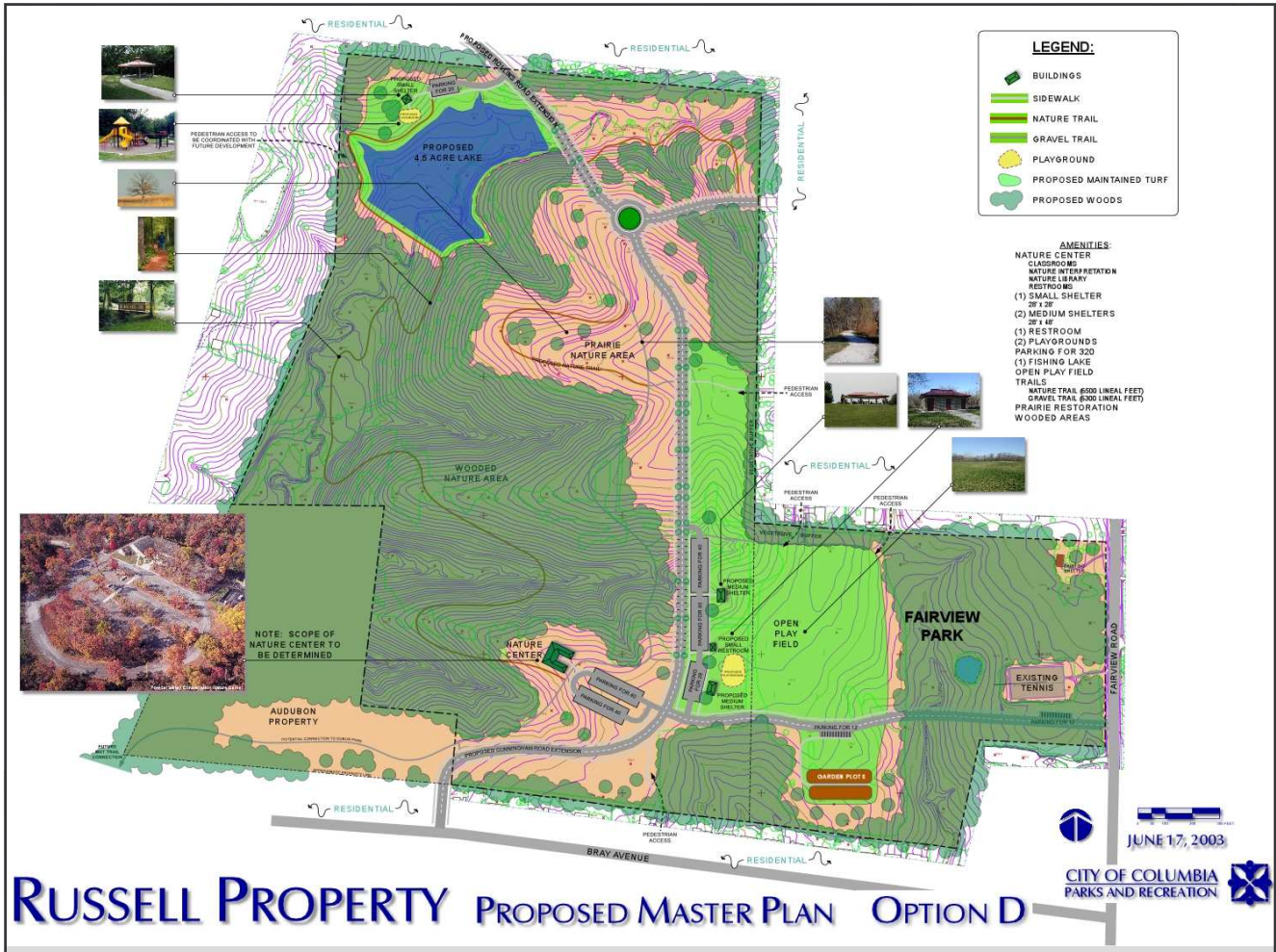




# **RUSSELL PROPERTY PROPOSED MASTER PLAN OPTION B**



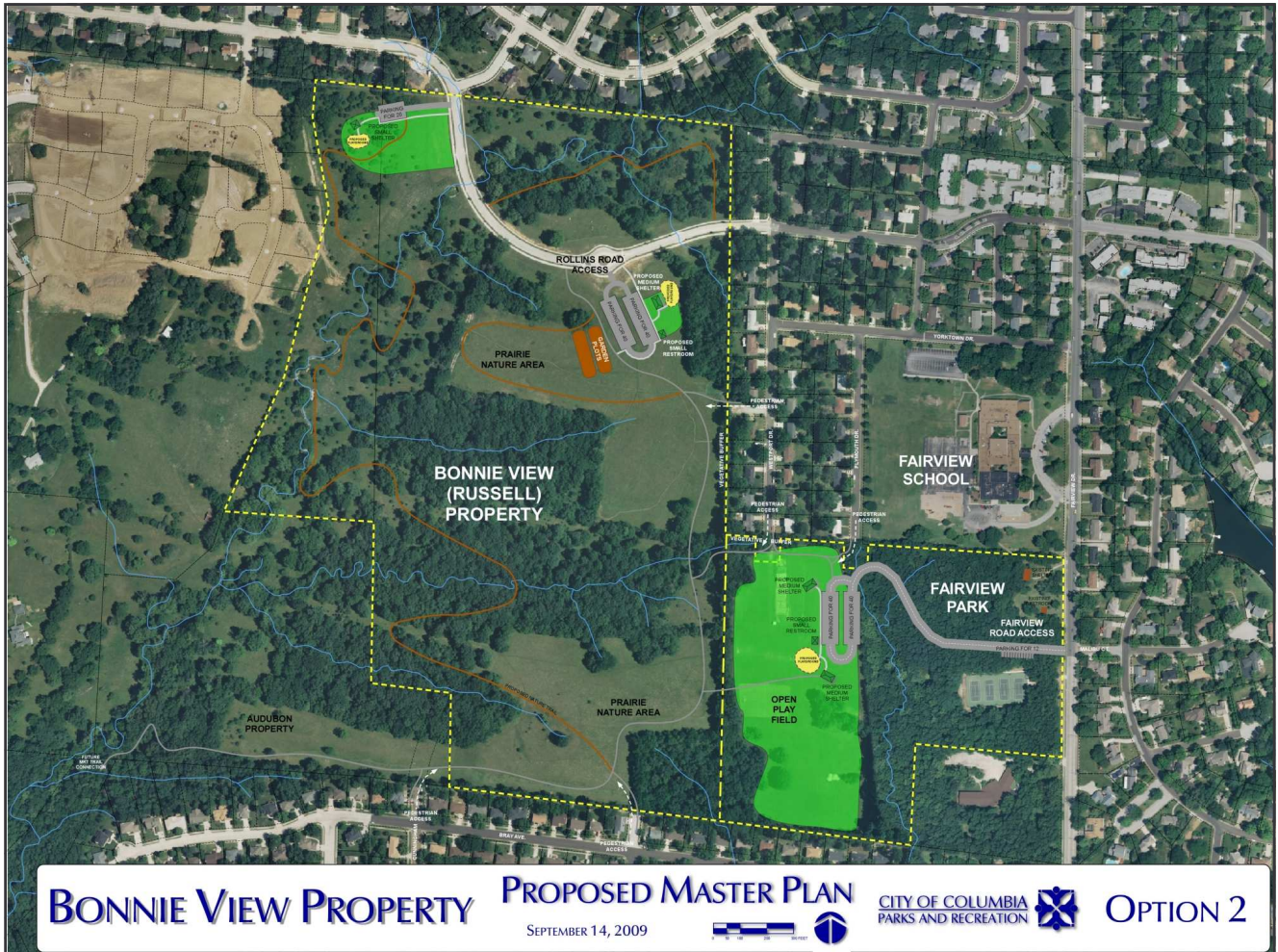




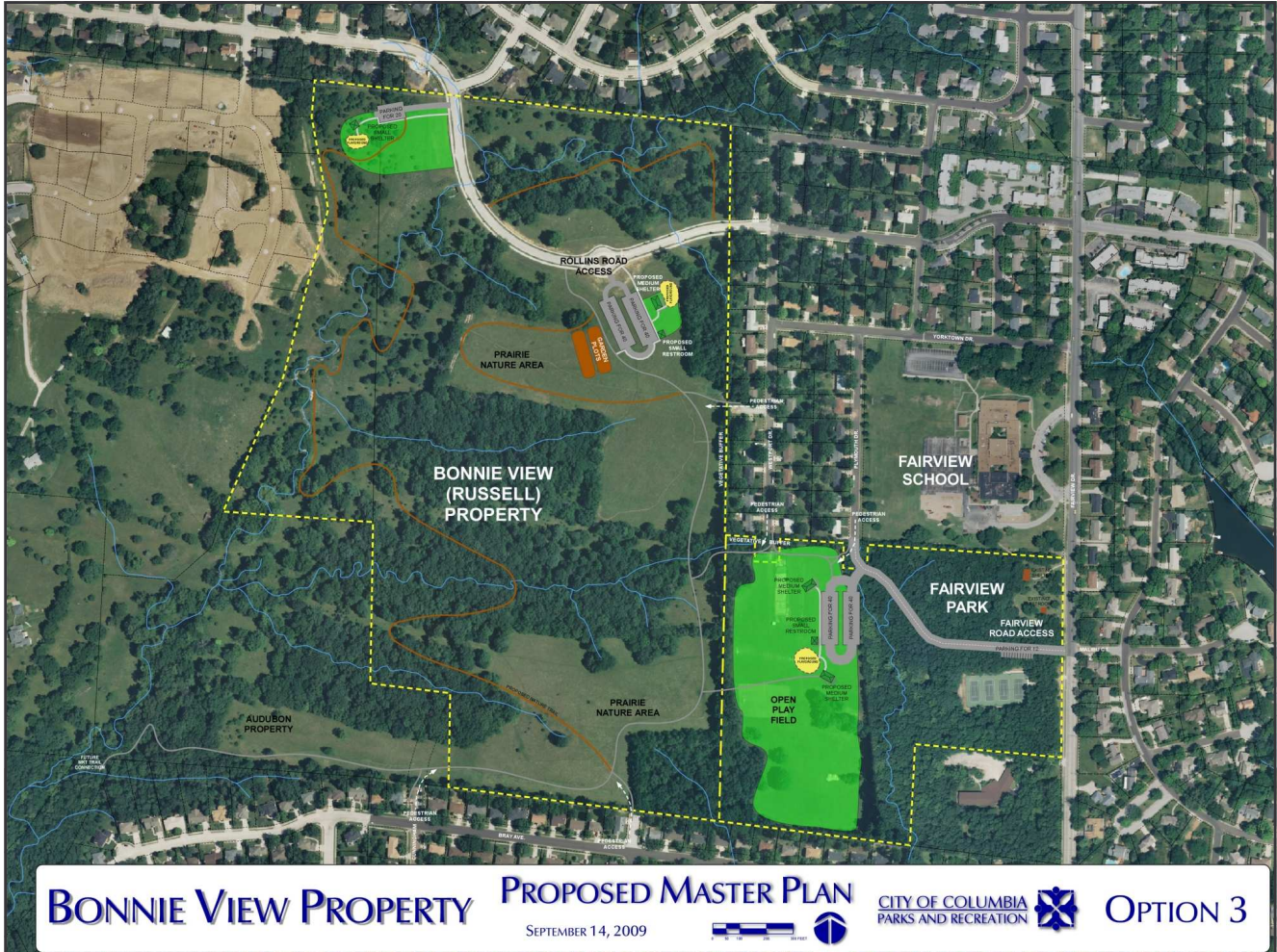














## 7. Capital Project Update







## **Philips Park Lake Perimeter Trail**





## Philips Park Perimeter Trail





## **Philips Lake Parking and Boat Ramp**



Parking Lot Preparation



Boat Ramp Preparation





## **Stephens Lake Park-Riechmann Irrigation Installation – South Side**





## Stephens Lake Park Amphitheater Footings





## **Rainbow Softball Center**

### **Repainted Light Poles**





## **Riechmann Pavilion Refurbished Floor**





## **Cascades Park Connecting Walkways**





## Cascades Park Playground







## **Smiley Neighborhood Park Playground Installation**



## Smiley Park Shelter





## **8. Recreation Services Update**





## Life Enrichment

- 4<sup>th</sup> Friday Kids Night (pictured) continues this fall.
- New fall classes have opened and are doing well.





## Special Events

- Family Fun Fests: It's a Circus in August (pictured) and Creative Kids last night with Office of Cultural Affairs.
- Last movie of the season was Sept 11 (The Jungle Book) with 450 in attendance.





## 50+ / Older American Klub

- Closed the summer with Watermelon Bingo, Cardinals game. More great events and trips planned for the fall.







## ARC

- Espresso bikes have been added, which provide interactive bike tours from around the world. Offers users the chance to track workout data and performance.





## ARC Volleyball

- Noon volleyball now available daily from 12-1 pm.





## ARC Boot Camps

- Six-week boot camps, monthly camps, and Employee Health Camps run continuously.
- Tremendous start up programs for people to kick start their fitness experience.
- Others have used them as a cheaper form of Personal Training to get the results they cannot achieve on their own.







## ARC Golf

- **Indoor golf lessons are back. Participants will hit restrictive flight balls indoors under the watchful eye of a top teaching pro. Three 4-week sessions are planned.**





## Upcoming Events:

- 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Heritage Festival and Craft Show, Sept 19-20
- One Sky - One World Day, Oct 11
- Family Fun Fest: Percussion is Phun, Oct 21
- Halloween Tiger Night of Fun, Oct 31





**9. Commission Comments**

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