



Regular Meeting Agenda

Parks and Recreation Commission

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John Moniz - Commissioner
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**Tuesday, January 20, 2026
7:00 PM**

**Council Chamber
17555 Peak Avenue, Morgan Hill, CA 95037**

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE

DECLARATION OF POSTING AGENDA

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noticing at the end of this agenda)

RECOGNITIONS

1. Holiday Lights Event Winners

Recommendation:

Recognize award winners.

PUBLIC SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT

1. Director's Report

Recommendation:

Recieve report.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

BUSINESS

1. Accept December 16, 2025 PRC Meeting Minutes

Recommendation:

Accept December 16, 2025 PRC Meeting Minutes.

2. Receive Updates from Partner Organizations

Recommendation:

1. Receive update from the Boys and Girls Club of Silicon Valley;
2. Recieve update from the Morgan Hill Tennis Club; and
3. Recieve update from the Morgan Hill Pickleball Club.

3. Receive Youth and Teen Program Update

Recommendation:

Recieve update on Youth and Teen Programming.

4. Receive and provide comments on proposed development related expansion of Jackson Park

Recommendation:

1. Receive update on development related Jackson Park Expansion; and
2. Provide feedback on initial plans in the park.

5. Work Plan Updates

Recommendation:

Commissioners provide Work Plan updates.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FUTURE COMMISSION AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025



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Morgan Hill Parks and Recreation invited the Morgan Hill community to participate in a holiday décor competition! Our participants put their cheer on display in order to earn Holiday Lights bragging rights.



Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025



Categories include:

- Most Creative
- Best Use of Effects
- Merry & Bright

City commissioners served as judges.

34 homes participated in 2025
(more than double the 2024 participation)



Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025



This year's program was sponsored by Morgan Hill Wine Trolley! As part of their effort, they hosted family-friendly light tours on their iconic cable car trolley!

Proceeds from the tours will be donated to Morgan Hill Parks and Recreation.



Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025



Most Creative:
14630 Badger Pass Road
Jim Robertson & Family



Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025



Best Use of Effects:
620 San Pedro Avenue
John Blazek



620 Calle Buena Vista
Domenic Santangelo



Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025



Merry & Bright:
2470 Gitana Court
Chris Loesch



Holiday Lights Morgan Hill 2025

Thank you to all of our participants, judges, and sponsor for making this program a success!



Parks & Recreation Commission Public Services Director Report

Announcements

- In follow-up, to a previous email from a resident the City reviewing its policy on locking the Skate Park as well as other facilities overnight.
- Saturday, July 11 is being held for our Summer Parks and Rec Event at Galvan Park and Saturday, May 16 is the date for the annual Open Streets event at the Community and Cultural Center/Depot Street.

Calendar of Upcoming Items

January 2026

Every Tuesday, January 6th – January 27th:

- [Bingo at the Community & Cultural Center](#)
 - Time: Doors open at 4:30 PM; Early Bird at 5:45 PM; Regular Games at 6:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Community & Cultural Center
(17000 Monterey Rd., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Every Wednesday, January 7th – January 28th:

- [Adaptive Hang-Out Wednesdays](#)
 - Time: 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center's Teen Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Saturday, January 10th:

- [Parent's Night Out](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Tuesday, January 13th & 27th:

- [Adaptive Adult Hangout \(14+\)](#)
 - Time: 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center's Teen Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Friday, January 9 & January 16th:

- [Senior Center Karaoke in Multipurpose Room](#)
 - Time: 9:00 AM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center's Senior Center Multipurpose Room
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Sunday, January 25th – March 8th:

- [Pickleball 101](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Community Park, Outdoor Pickleball Courts
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)
- [Pickleball 201](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM or 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Community Park, Outdoor Pickleball Courts
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Monday, January 26th – March 9th:

- [Pickleball: Beginner/Intermediate Class for Adults](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center Gym
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Monday, January 26th:

- [Adult Basketball Combo League](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 5:30 PM – 9:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Wednesday, January 28th:

- [Co-ed Competitive Volleyball League](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Thursday, January 29th:

- [Co-ed Recreational Volleyball League](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Friday, January 30:

- [Adaptive Valentine's Dance Party \(12+\)](#)
 - Time: 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center, Multipurpose Room
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Saturday, January 31st:

- [Morgan Hill Clean Up: Butterfield Parking/ Parking Lots/ Train Station](#)
 - Time: 9:00 AM – 11:00AM
 - Where: Meet at Courthouse Parking Lot Closest to Caltrain.

Every Day in January:

- [Senior Center Activities](#)
 - Senior Center Monthly Newsletter lists out every activity, date/time, and room.
 - Time: Varies (Senior Center is open 9AM-3PM)
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center's Senior Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

February 2026

Sunday, February 1st – March 8th:

- [Pickleball 101](#)
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 - Time: 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Community Park, Outdoor Pickleball Courts
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- [Pickleball 201](#)
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 - Time: 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM or 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Community Park, Outdoor Pickleball Courts
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Monday, February 2nd – March 9th:

- [Pickleball: Beginner/Intermediate Class for Adults](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center Gym
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Monday, February 2nd – April 13th:

- [Adult Basketball Combo League](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 5:30 PM – 9:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Every Tuesday, February 3rd – February 24th:

- [Bingo at the Community & Cultural Center](#)
 - Time: Doors open at 4:30 PM; Early Bird at 5:45 PM; Regular Games at 6:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Community & Cultural Center
(17000 Monterey Rd., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Every Wednesday, February 4th – February 25th:

- [Adaptive Hang-Out Wednesdays](#)
 - Time: 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center's Teen Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Wednesday, February 4th – May 6th:

- [Co-ed Competitive Volleyball League](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Thursday, February 5th – May 14th:

- [Co-ed Recreational Volleyball League](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Saturday, February 7th:

- [Morgan Hill Clean Up: Hale/Santa Teresa/ Monterey Rd.](#)
 - Time: 9:00 AM – 11:00AM
 - Where: Meet at Central High School on Tilton.

Saturday, February 7:

- [Friends and Love Celebration](#)
 - Time: 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM
 - Where: Magical Bridge
(171 Wet Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Tuesday, February 10th & 24th:

- [Adaptive Adult Hangout \(14+\)](#)
 - Time: 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center's Teen Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Friday, February 13:

- [Adult Social Dance "Love & Friendship" \(50+\)](#)
 - Time: 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
 - Where: Centennial Recreation Center, Multipurpose Room
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Saturday, February 21st:

- [Morgan Hill Clean Up: City Hall/Main/Peak/West Dunne/Hale Extension](#)
 - Time: 9:00 AM – 11:00AM
 - Where: Meet in City Hall Parking Lot on Peak

Saturday, February 21st:

- [Parent's Night Out](#)
 - Must be registered.
 - Time: 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM
 - Where: Morgan Hill Centennial Recreation Center
(171 West Edmundson Ave., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

Friday, February 27:

- [Adaptive Family Sweethearts Party \(11 and under\)](#)
 - Time: 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM
 - Where: Community and Cultural Center, Children's Pavilion
(17000 Monterey Rd., Morgan Hill, CA 95037)

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MEETING MINUTES

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CALL TO ORDER

7:02pm

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Commissioners Chabra and Maniar absent.

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None

RECOGNITIONS

Recognized Halloween Haunt winners.

1. Recognition of Morgan Hill Haunt Event Winners

Recommendation:

Acknowledge Event Winners.

PUBLIC SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT

1. PS Director Report

Recommendation:

Receive report.

Report provided.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion Vittal, Second Zargar, Adopted 5-0.

BUSINESS

1. Accept October 21, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Recommendation:

Accept October 21, 2025 Meeting Minutes.

Motion Moniz, Second Lucido, Accepted 5-0.

2. Review draft Comprehensive Safety Action Plan

Recommendation:

1. Review draft Comprehensive Safety Action Plan; and
2. Recommend Approval of the Plan to the City Council.

Item presented by Chris Ghione, Public Services Director, and Tool Design Consultant representatives, Talia Jacobson and Ellie Gertler.

Commission provided feedback on the plan and requested an update after the implementation of the safety plan, an annual update on the implementation of the plan, and that materials be produced in spanish.

3. Work Plan Updates

Recommendation:

Provide Work Plan Updates.

Work Plan updates were provided.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FUTURE COMMISSION AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

8:14pm



Slip members perform a song in sign language during Arts Exhibit.

**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SILICON VALLEY**

PROGRAM IMPACT NEWSLETTER

WINTER HIGHLIGHTS



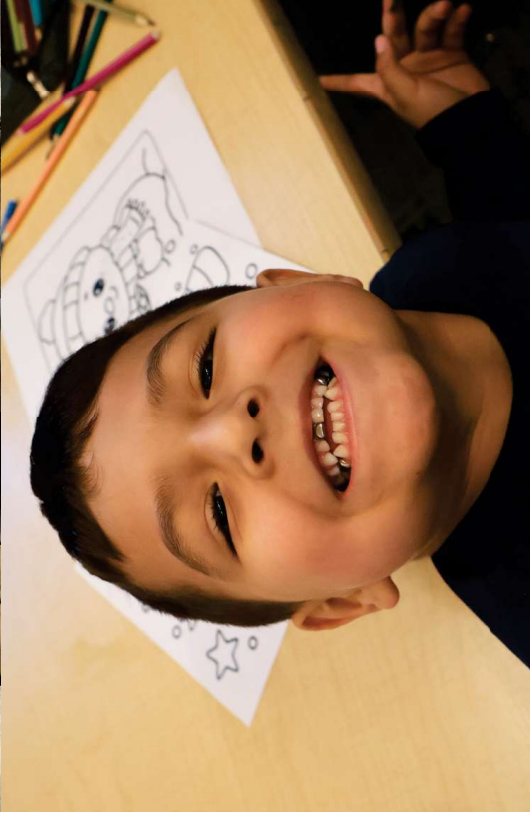
GREAT FUTURES START **HERE.**



To prepare members for the creative writing mindset needed for literary submissions to the National Fine Arts Exhibit, we designed lessons focused on various poetry styles. Participants explored and created book spine poems, haikus, cinquains, five sense poems, and more. Their incredible work was proudly showcased at our National Fine Arts Exhibit on December 11!

GENRES

One of the most memorable educational activities this session introduced our members to a variety of literary genres. Through reading, writing, and viewing, participants learned how to identify and distinguish between different genres while also having the opportunity to create their own short stories.



2025 NATIONAL FINE ARTS EXHIBIT CONTEST

The National Fine Arts Exhibit (NFAE) Contest is an annual showcase that highlights the creativity, artistic growth, and hard work of our Club members across a variety of visual and performing arts categories. The event provides members with the opportunity to submit original artwork, participate in hands-on activities, and share their talents with families, staff, and the community. The NFAE Contest also introduces members to real exhibition practices—including proper matting, presentation standards, artistic technique, and professional judging.

The event includes a formal judged competition, family engagement stations, and a community art expo where members' pieces are displayed gallery-style. It is designed to celebrate the Arts, promote confidence, and encourage exploration of new mediums.

Staff and members worked collaboratively to deliver a high-quality, professional NFAE that celebrates creativity, engagement, and community. After weeks of preparation—creating artwork, matting and submitting pieces, organizing folders, planning event logistics, and preparing interactive stations—Clubs have demonstrated outstanding dedication and excellence. The NFAE Contest highlights not only artistic growth, but also teamwork, organization, and pride across all participating Clubs.





2025 FINE ARTS WINNERS

Applied Arts

Artwork Title: El Barrio
Members: Dinh T, Sofia R, Emily S,
Anthonella R
Clubhouse: Rocketship Discovery Prep

Artwork Title: The Community Tree
Member: Axel P
Clubhouse: Rocketship Alma

Artwork Title: Hope on Top of the World
Member: Ivan S
Clubhouse: Alum Rock

Artwork Title: Spider Garden
Member: Jennifer A
Clubhouse: Smythe LIT

Performing Arts

Artwork Title: Los Toros
Members: Katalyea & Yuritzi
Clubhouse: Morgan Hill El Toro

Artwork Title: Telephone
Members: Zanjiah A, Dayana M,
Benjamin M, Camila A, Amaya, A
Clubhouse: Stipe

Artwork Title: My Tribute to Metal
Member: Maddie
Clubhouse: Morgan Hill El Toro

Artwork Title: Sandman
Members: Elih & Noah
Clubhouse: Morgan Hill El Toro LIT's

Visual Arts

Artwork Title: Bear's Life
Member: Andy P
Clubhouse: Stipe

Artwork Title: The Moonlight Waterfall
Member: Lucia L
Clubhouse: Smythe

Artwork Title: Friendship
Member: Olivia H
Clubhouse: Alpha Cornerstone

Artwork Title: Whispers of Fall
Member: Vanessa G
Clubhouse: Morgan Hill El Toro LIT's

Literacy Arts

Artwork Title: Where the Future Shines
Member: Mia B
Clubhouse: Hayes

Artwork Title: Lies and Regrets
Member: Shreya R
Clubhouse: Alpha Cornerstone

Artwork Title: Serenity Road with no Purpose
Member: Khanh T
Clubhouse: Levin

Digital Arts

Artwork Title: Reflection in the Rain
Member: Samuel H
Clubhouse: Hayes

Artwork Title: Three of a Kind
Member: Luna R
Clubhouse: Rocketship Alma

Artwork Title: Power of Us
Member: Airhea P
Clubhouse: Levin

Artwork Title: Sol Contra El Mar
Member: Yariel R
Clubhouse: Morgan Hill El Toro LIT's



STEM CORE HANDS-ON LEARNING

WINTER CURRICULUM

Our members continue to bring STEM to life in fun and engaging ways! From coding their own animated book covers to building bridges, each activity provides opportunity for youth to solve problems using a blend of technical skill and creativity.

A major highlight from this semester was National STEM Day on November 8, where we distributed over 1500 STEM kits to nineteen sites, giving members a chance to explore science and engineering through fun activities. We are excited to carry this energy into the next quarter as we prepare for upcoming seasonal projects and continue expanding access to meaningful STEM experiences for our youth.

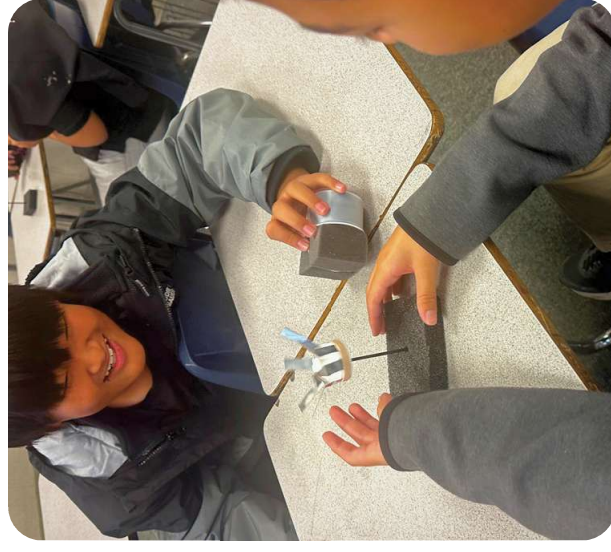


Photo Descriptions (Top-Bottom):

- Smythe members use a STEM kit from RAFT to build an earthquake-proof tower.
- Mathison members use a STEM kit from RAFT to build a merry-go-round powered by static electricity.

CODE + CREATE



Our **Code + Create** program continued with fresh energy and hands-on creativity. Fourth- and fifth-grade members have been building Interactive Visual Novels on iPads—branching stories where readers shape the plot through their choices. After ten weeks of character-building, storyboarding, and animating, these young creators will debut their work at our **Winter Showcase on January 22, 2026** featuring standout projects from every site.

This season also included a special visit from Apple volunteers, who spent a day at two of our Club sites, Hayes and Alum Rock. Their encouragement and expertise added an exciting real-world layer to our STEM learning!

ASML VOLUNTEERS

Our members took STEM to the next level with an exciting hands-on Racing Robots event in Alviso! Using interactive robots, youth dove into the world of coding and engineering, learning how to build, program, and race their creations. Along the way, they explored key concepts in engineering, coding, and problem-solving. A big thank you to our generous donors for making this unforgettable experience possible!



Photo Descriptions (Top-Bottom):

- Apple employee volunteers support Alum Rock members with the Code + Create program.
- ASML employee volunteers support Alviso members through a LEGO build.

ACTIVE KIDS, STRONG FUTURES

ELEMENTARY SPORTS SPOTLIGHT GIRLS FLAG FOOTBALL

Our Elementary Girls Flag Football event (November 22) was a high-energy celebration of teamwork, growth, and fun. Hayes and Stipe brought strong competition, while Voices Flagship showed season-long growth and sportsmanship. Morgan Hill showcased the joy of belonging and play, and Christopher competed with heart. With spirited cheerleaders and standout uniforms, the event was a clear success and sparked interest in future girls flag football opportunities.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS SPOTLIGHT FUTSAL CHAMPIONSHIP

What an incredible day (November 12) filled with teamwork, energy, and sportsmanship! Youth from Clubs across our Middle School locations came together at the Smythe Clubhouse for an exciting Futsal Tournament Championship. From impressive goals on the court to enthusiastic cheering from the sidelines, the day truly showcased the spirit of our Club family. A heartfelt thank you to our players, coaches, and staff whose dedication and support made this event such a success.



ACTIVE PLAY FOR OUR YOUNGEST ATHLETES



TK/K students from Wien Avenue Elementary School of Arts explore coordination and teamwork with the parachute.



OPENING DOORS TO BRIGHTER FUTURES!

HIGH SCHOOL & POSTSECONDARY SUCCESS

This quarter, our teens have been busy preparing for life after high school. Here's a few highlights...

- **College Fair at San Jose High School:** Our Postsecondary Success team hosted an incredible fair featuring UC and CSU campuses, private universities, and out-of-state schools. Students connected with representatives from UC Santa Cruz, UC Davis, Santa Clara University, Oregon State, and more.
- **College Tour:** First-generation students explored USF's and SJSU campuses, learned about unique programs, and enjoyed a day of discovery and inspiration.
- **CSU Day:** Nearly 30 students registered on-site for CSU opportunities!
- **Leadership Academies:** Future Grads Milpitas sophomores learned the difference between being college eligible vs. college competitive, while juniors practiced self-advocacy—a skill that will serve them well in senior year.
- **Cash for College:** Our Postsecondary Success team provided daily support throughout October and November, helping students with college applications and financial aid.





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HIGH SCHOOL &
POSTSECONDARY SUCCESS



MEMORABLE MOMENTS & ADVENTURES!

Our teens enjoyed a season of exciting events and unforgettable experiences!

- **Friendsgiving Teen Takeover:** BGCSV partnered with Boys & Girls Clubs of San Leandro for an inter-organization teen social packed with fun—ornament making, gratitude tree, an AI Lab, and roller skating! Students who completed all stations entered a raffle for prizes like Beats Solo Headphones and Polaroid cameras. Congrats to Emily A. for winning big!
- **Six Flags Winter Fest:** Teens celebrated the season with thrilling rides and holiday lights alongside peers and families.
- **Gingerbread Architecture Night:** At El Toro, teens showcased creativity and engineering skills in a festive competition for holiday gift baskets.
- **Futsal Friendly:** Alum Rock and Alviso faced off in a friendly futsal tournament—Alum Rock claimed victory with three wins!



ERNST & YOUNG SUPPORTS YOUTH OF THE YEAR PROGRAM

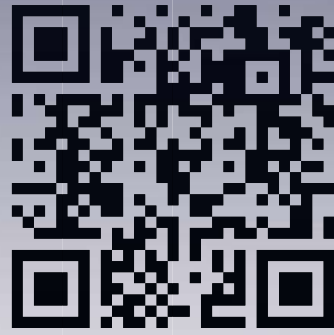
In November, Youth of the Year candidates had the opportunity to practice professional interview and interpersonal skills with dedicated Ernst & Young employee volunteers. These experiences not only support their Youth of the Year journey—where candidates submit essays, deliver speeches, and interview with a panel of distinguished judges—but also prepare them for future success in college, career, and life.

Ernst & Young volunteers generously shared their time, talent, and guidance, creating an empowering environment for workplace readiness and leadership development through a mock-interview format. The evening featured skill-building activities, stress management strategies, and meaningful conversations that boosted confidence and inspired growth. It was a memorable experience for everyone—especially our teens as they prepare to meet the future challenges and opportunities of college and the workforce!

Interested in attending our Youth of the Year Gala on January 30? [Click here.](#)

- EY employee volunteer advises a Youth of the Year candidate.
- Youth of the Year candidate diligently takes notes as part of a feedback loop.

**INTERESTED IN
VOLUNTEERING? INDIVIDUAL
AND CORPORATE
VOLUNTEERS WELCOME!**





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OF SILICON VALLEY

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BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
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2024-2025

Impact Report





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WELCOME LETTER

Dear Friends and Partners,

On behalf of Boys & Girls Clubs of Silicon Valley, thank you for your unwavering support and commitment to our mission. Support from our philanthropic partners has been instrumental in ensuring that we continue to offer opportunities for our youth to participate in an array of programs which promote positive growth.

We are pleased to share this report highlighting our school year and summer achievements. Together, we delivered remarkable outcomes for over 7,000 youth across our communities:

- **94%** of youth finished the academic year on track.
- **100%** of high school seniors graduated on time, with **75%** pursuing college or planning for training, a career or military service.
- **97%** reported the program helps them learn and apply new concepts.
- **96%** reported positive relationships with Club staff, and **95%** with their peers.
- **94%** felt empowered to contribute to their community.
- Among middle and high school youth, **96%** abstained from substance use and **96%** abstained from sexual risk-taking.
- **97%** improved their understanding of STEM concepts.

These outcomes are a testament to the dedication of our staff, the strength of our partnerships and the resilience of our youth. Every data point represents a story of growth, connection and possibility.

While the numbers tell a powerful story, it's the voices of our youth that truly bring it to life. As Alina, our Youth of the Year, shared:

Boys & Girls Club helped me believe in myself—in my potential. The Club provided me opportunities to learn and grow and make a difference in our Club and our community. Each experience, challenge, and achievement—the Club has been there for each milestone. For that, I am grateful.

Alina's words remind us why we do this work. Every milestone, every moment of growth, every spark of belief—it's all made possible by the dedication of our staff, the strength of our partnerships and the unwavering support of our community.

Thank you for being part of this movement. You build brighter futures—one child, one teen, one Club, one community at a time.

In Service,

A blue ink signature of Steve Wymer, written in a cursive style.

Steve Wymer
Chief Executive Officer

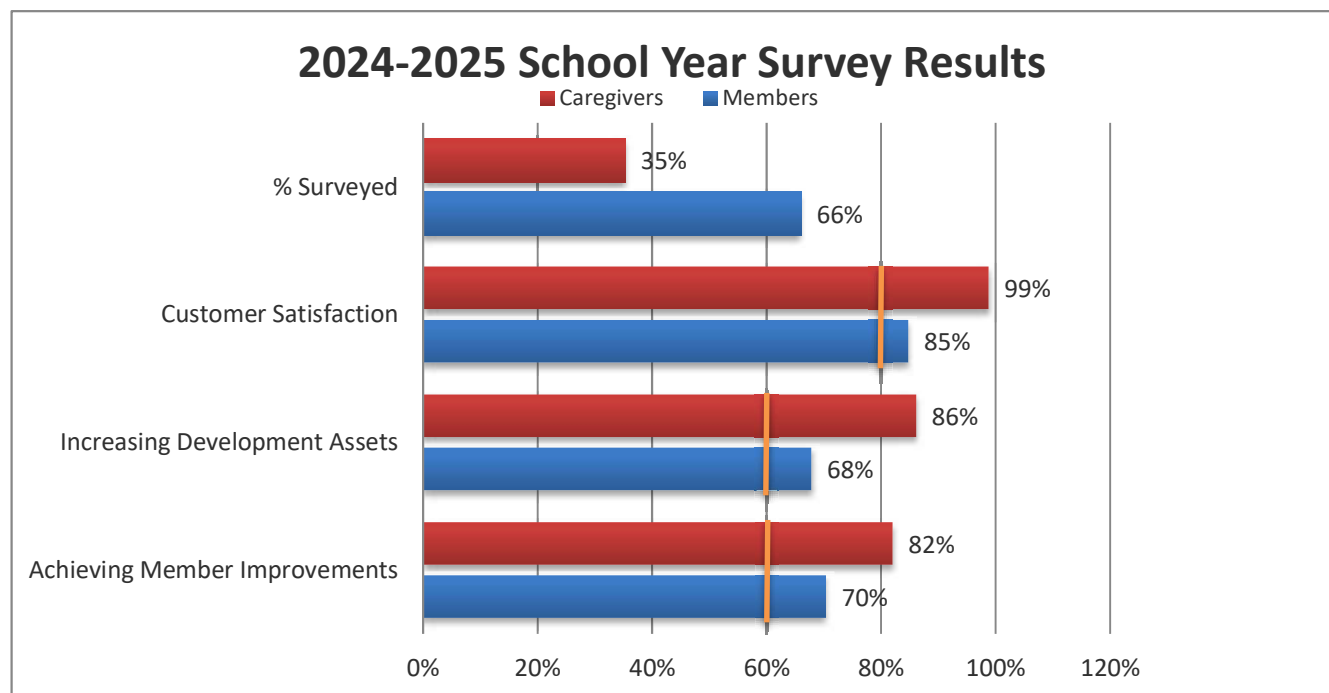


SCHOOL YEAR SUMMARY

Results of our school year assessment indicate continued impact on the youth we serve. There are three types of questions on the survey (five to twenty questions per category): satisfaction, asset development service productivity and agency-specified service productivity. Desirable level of performance is as follows: customer satisfaction (70%+), increasing development assets (60%+) and achieving member improvements (60%+). See *Table 1*

Across all categories, we exceeded the threshold. 85% of members and 99% of parents reported being satisfied with our program. 68% of members and 86% of parents reported an increase in developmental assets (i.e., attitudes towards learning, resilience, communication, connectedness, self-efficacy). 70% of members and 82% of parents reported member improvements (i.e., behavior, academic performance, goal setting, making responsible choices).

Table 1



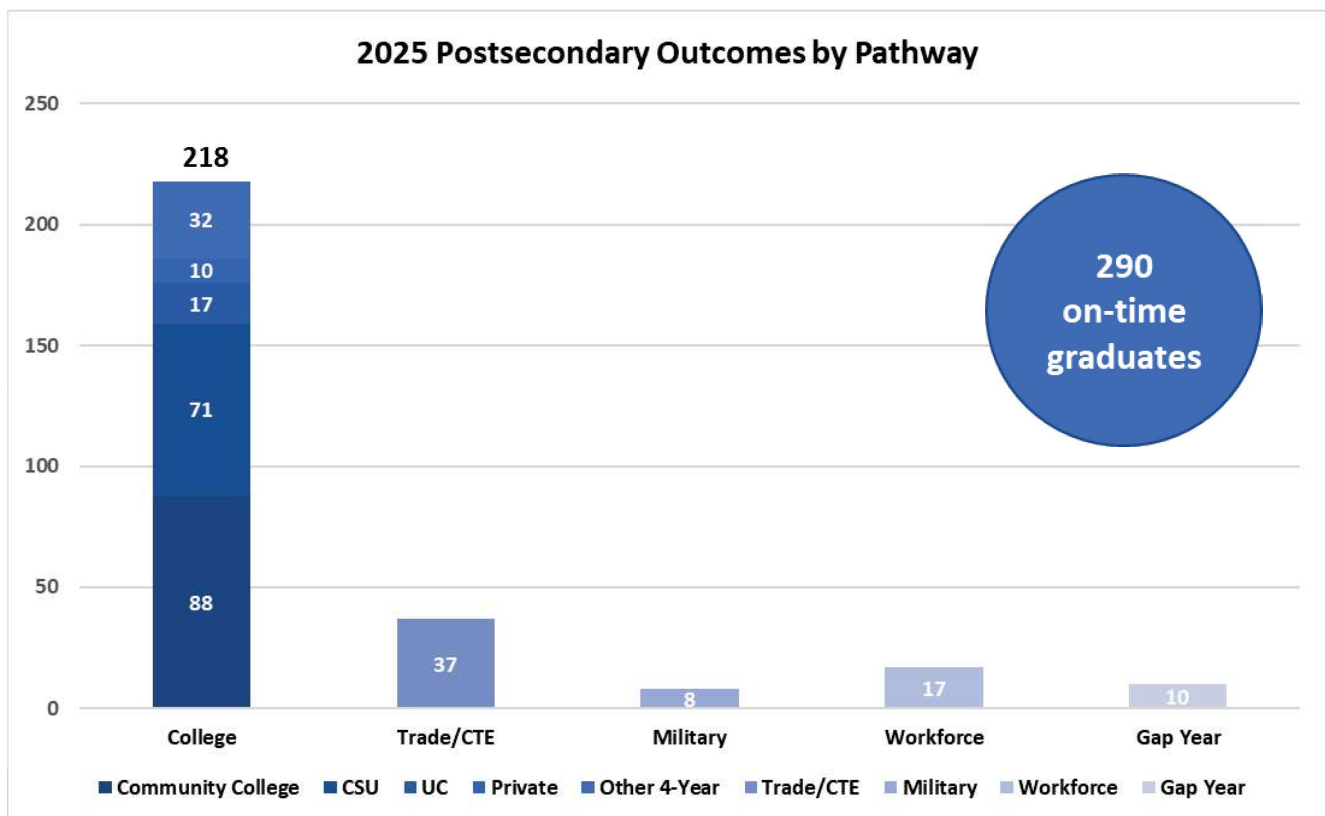


IMPACT ON ACADEMICS

Young people thrive when they are empowered to take ownership of their learning. Our members are self-directed learners who understand the value of education and are committed to achieving academic success. We track key academic indicators—such as school attendance, performance and future education plans—because research consistently shows that these metrics are strong predictors of long-term success in college, career and life. The following outcomes reflect the strength of our programs and the dedication of our youth:

- **On-Track:** 94% of members are on-track academically (e.g., attending school 90%+ and 2.0+ GPA).
- **High School Graduation:** 100% (290) of eligible high school seniors graduated on time. Of those attending college (75%), they are attending the following colleges: UC (Berkeley, Los Angeles, Santa Cruz, San Diego), CSU (Chico, San Jose, San Francisco), Private (Cornell), Other (Arizona, Oregon, Washington) and Community (De Anza, Evergreen, Gavilan, San Jose City). *See Table 2*

Table 2



- **Academic Performance:** 93% improved or sustained their academic performance (65%/28%).
- **Learning and Applying New Concepts:** 97% improved or sustained their ability to learn new things (72%/25%).
- **Future Academic Plan:** 91% of members, who are not high school seniors, plan to graduate from high school and attend college or a technical program.

- **Expectations of Academic Success:** 96% report that academic success is important to their future; and 100% report that Club staff care about their learning and academic performance.

IMPACT ON CHARACTER, LEADERSHIP & OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL ASSETS

At Boys & Girls Clubs, we know that academic success alone doesn't define a young person's future. Equally important are the social-emotional skills, values and relationships that shape character, build leadership and foster a sense of responsibility to others. We track key developmental indicators—such as connectedness, self-concept, critical thinking and community engagement—which research shows are foundational to long-term well-being, civic participation and career readiness. The following outcomes demonstrate the impact of our programs in helping youth grow into confident, thoughtful and community-minded individuals:

- **Staff-Member Connectedness:** 96% report positive relationships with Club staff.
- **Member-Member Connectedness:** 95% report positive relationships with other members.
- **Self-Concept:** 94% report that the program improved or sustained a positive understanding of who they are and their abilities (66%/28%).
- **Critical Thinking:** 97% report that the program improved or sustained their ability to make informed and important choices (65%/32%).
- **Communication:** 94% report that the program improved or sustained their interpersonal communication skills (48%/46%).
- **Collaboration:** 94% report that the program improved or sustained their ability to work collaboratively with their peers (60%/34%).
- **Creativity:** 90% report that the program improved or sustained their divergent and lateral thinking skills and their desire to express themselves creatively (64%/26%).
- **Community:** 94% report that the program helped them find ways to help their community.
- **Involvement with Juvenile Justice** (*middle and high school only*): 99% report that they have not had any involvement with the juvenile justice system in the last twelve months.

IMPACT ON HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

BGCSV recognizes that long-term success is shaped not only by academic achievement but also by the ability to make responsible, healthful choices. Research shows that avoiding risky behaviors and developing strong decision-making skills are critical predictors of future well-being, resilience and life satisfaction. That's why we track these indicators closely—to ensure our programs are helping young people build the habits and mindset that support lifelong success. The following outcomes demonstrate the positive impact of our approach:

- **Avoidance of Risky Behaviors:** (*middle and high school only*): 96% abstained from substance use, and 96% abstained from sexual risk taking—defined as onset of sexual activity at an early age, having multiple sexual partners and/or engaging in unprotected sex.



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- **Healthful Choices:** 98% report that the program improved or sustained their ability to make healthful lifestyle choices that nurture their personal well-being (56%/41%).

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC OUTCOMES

STEM Program Impact

- **Learning Growth:** 97% improved their understanding of STEM concepts and ability to apply them in real-world situations.
- **Confidence Growth:** 89% increased confidence in solving problems, experimenting with new ideas and expressing their thoughts in STEM-related discussions.
- **Enjoyment Growth:** 95% report greater enjoyment of hands-on STEM activities, collaborative projects and exploring science and technology topics.

Arts Program Impact

- **Learning Growth:** 87% improved their creative skills, artistic techniques, and ability to interpret and express ideas through various art forms.
- **Confidence Growth:** 89% increased confidence in sharing their artwork, performing in front of others, and taking creative risks.
- **Enjoyment Growth:** 97% report greater enjoyment of exploring visual and performing arts, experimenting with new materials, and collaborating on creative projects.

Health & Life Skills Program Impact

- **Learning Growth:** 85% improved their decision-making and personal wellness skills.
- **Confidence Growth:** 87% increased confidence in making healthful choices and navigating real-life challenges.
- **Enjoyment Growth:** 80% report greater enjoyment of activities focused on health, wellness and life skills.

Sports & Fitness Program Impact

- **Learning Growth:** 89% improved their knowledge of physical health, teamwork strategies and understanding of sports fundamentals.
- **Confidence Growth:** 96% increased confidence in their athletic abilities, leadership on and off the field/court and willingness to try new physical challenges.
- **Enjoyment Growth:** 98% report greater enjoyment of staying active, participating in team sports and engaging in fitness routines with peers.



Workforce Readiness (Teens)

- **Career Understanding:** 91% gained insight into roles and responsibilities in social and youth service careers.
- **Career Preparation:** 98% feel more prepared to pursue employment through resume building, interview practice and career exploration.
- **Leadership Skills:** 97% developed stronger leadership through group projects, mentoring and decision-making activities.
- **Job Skills:** 99% enhanced workplace skills like communication, time management and digital literacy.
- **Career Interest:** 79% increased interest in pursuing careers that support youth and community well-being.
- **Community Engagement:** 84% are more motivated to volunteer and contribute to their communities through service and advocacy.

College Preparation Impact (Teens)

- **College Benefits Awareness:** 78% of youth better understand how college supports long-term success through higher earnings, job access and personal growth.
- **Academic Strengths & Career Connection:** 73% gained clarity on how their academic strengths align with future career paths.
- **College Research Skills:** 75% improved their ability to explore colleges, programs and admissions requirements.
- **Application Process Knowledge:** 65% report stronger understanding of application steps, including deadlines, forms and requirements.
- **Personal Statement & Interview Prep:** 63% feel more confident writing personal statements and preparing for college interviews.
- **College Interest:** 68% express increased motivation to attend college and pursue higher education.



SCHOOL PARTNER FEEDBACK

As part of our commitment to **Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI)**, Boys & Girls Clubs of Silicon Valley conducts regular surveys with school partners to ensure alignment with best practices and responsiveness to community needs. Our annual School Partner Survey was designed in alignment with the **Quality Standards for Expanded Learning in California**, providing a framework for assessing program quality and effectiveness.

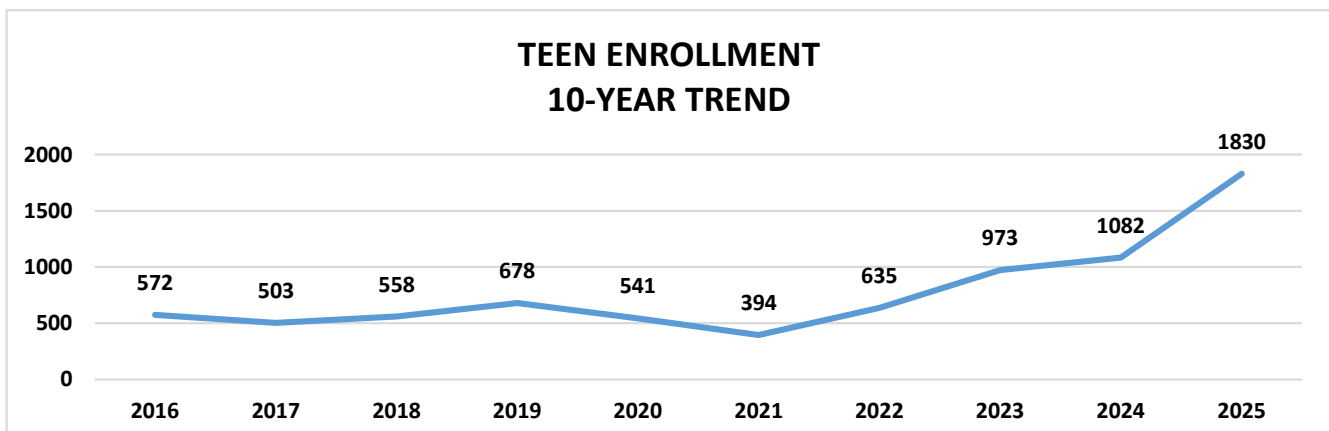
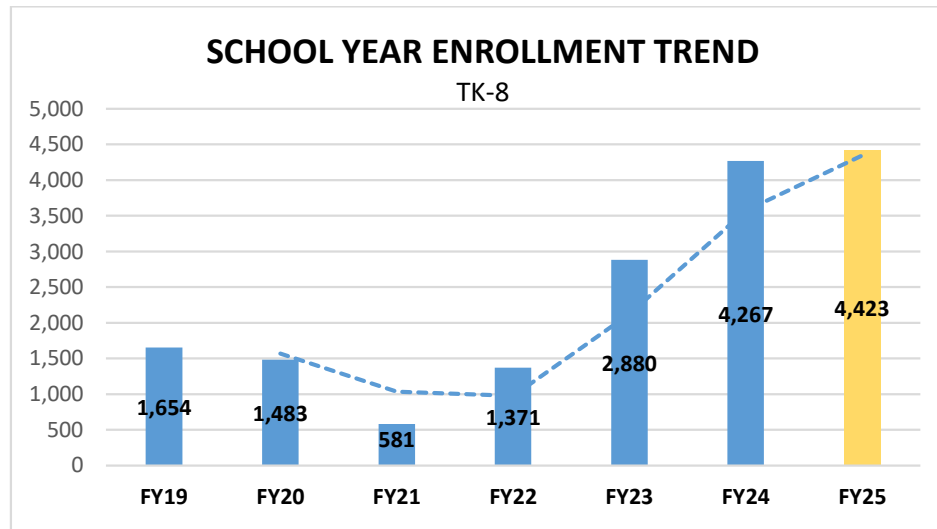
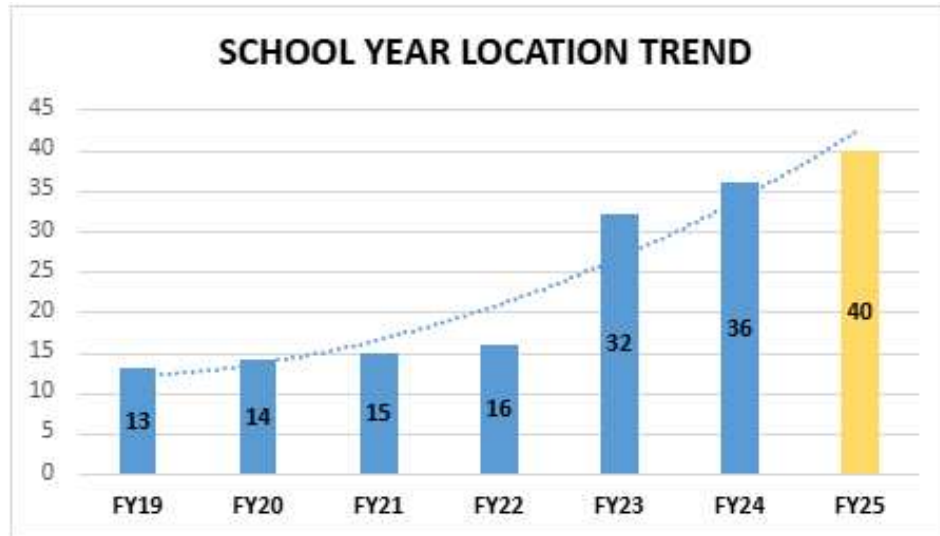
Key Highlights from the survey include:

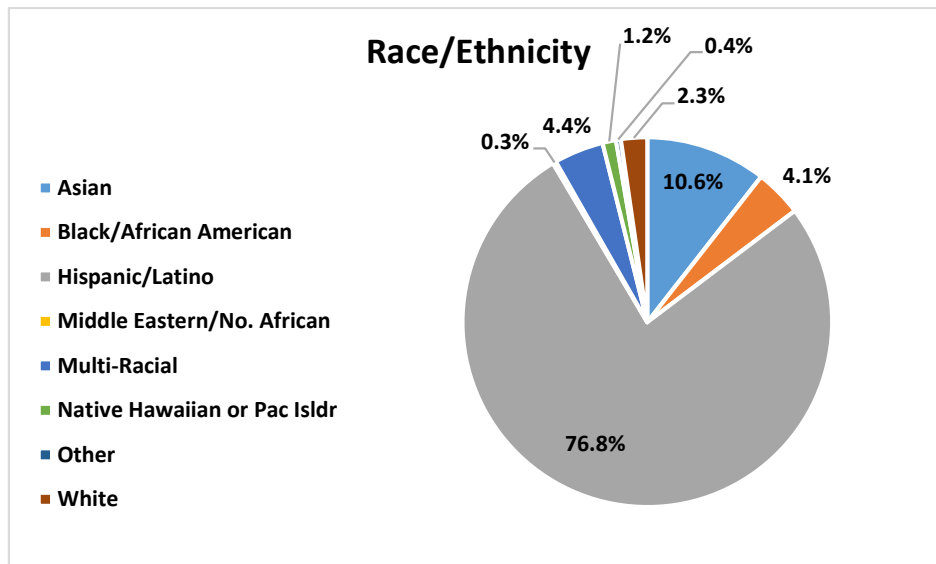
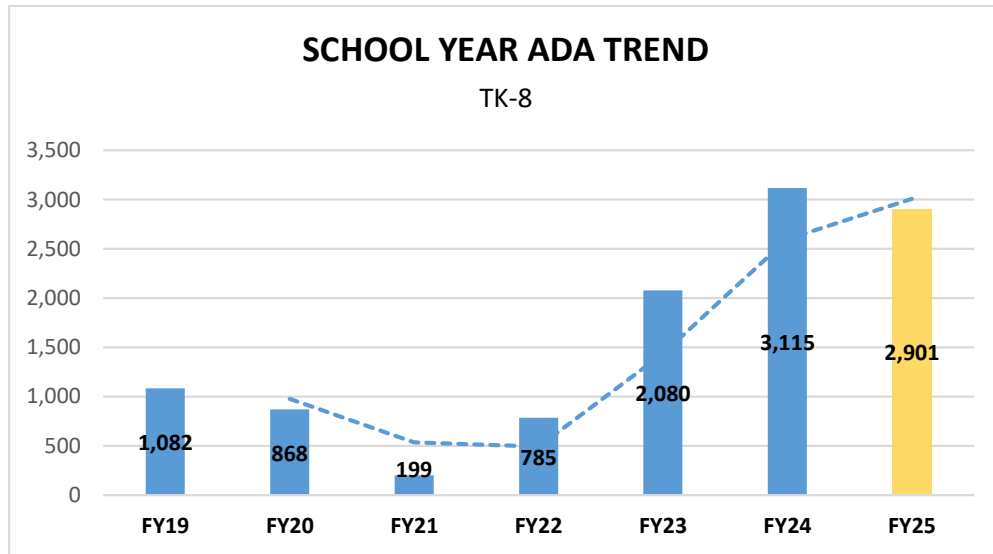
- Partners rated likelihood to recommend BGCSV services at an average of **8.5 out of 10**.
- **84%** of respondents rated BGCSV as very responsive to feedback and concerns.
- **74%** rated BGCSV effective or very effective in creating positive learning environments.
- **84%** rated BGCSV effective or very effective in promoting diversity and celebrating cultural backgrounds.
- Communication was highly rated, with **52.6% marking it as excellent** and **36.8% as good**.
- Staff professionalism and preparedness were consistently rated as good or excellent.
- **89.5%** of respondents reported an increase in students' sense of connection to an adult.
- **73.7%** reported a positive impact on school day attendance.

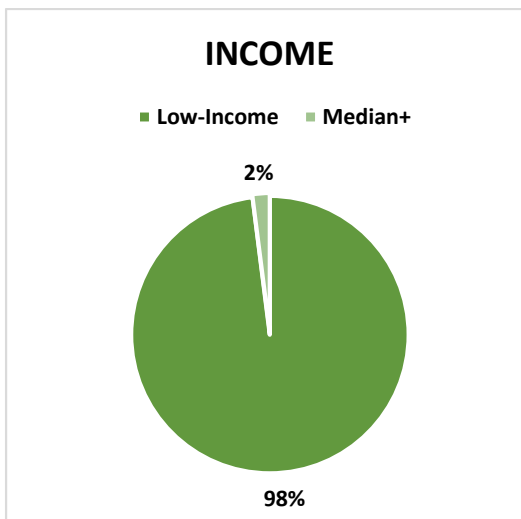
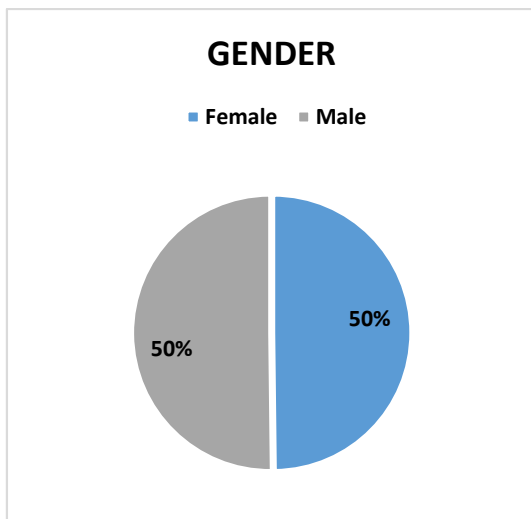
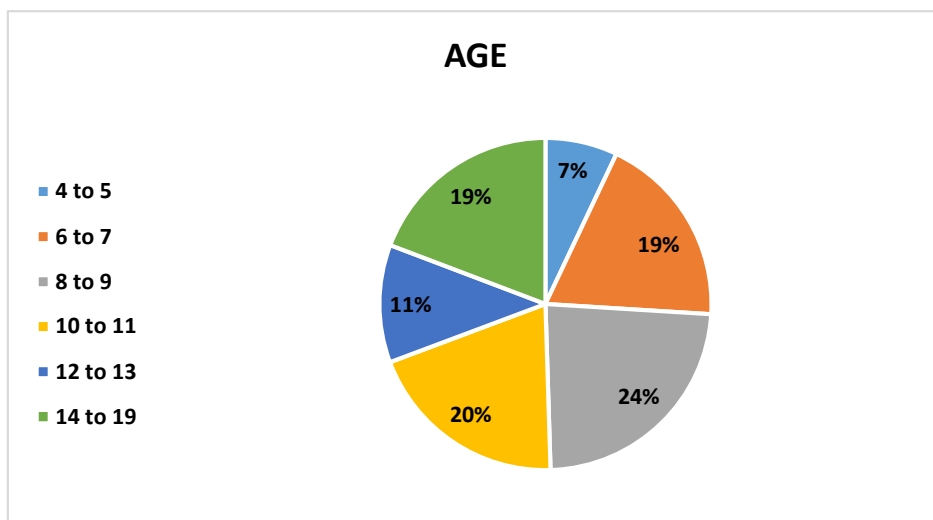
These results affirm our dedication to collaboration, cultural inclusivity, and creating safe, supportive environments for youth. We will continue to leverage this feedback to strengthen program alignment with school priorities and enhance student outcomes.



SCHOOL YEAR DASHBOARD







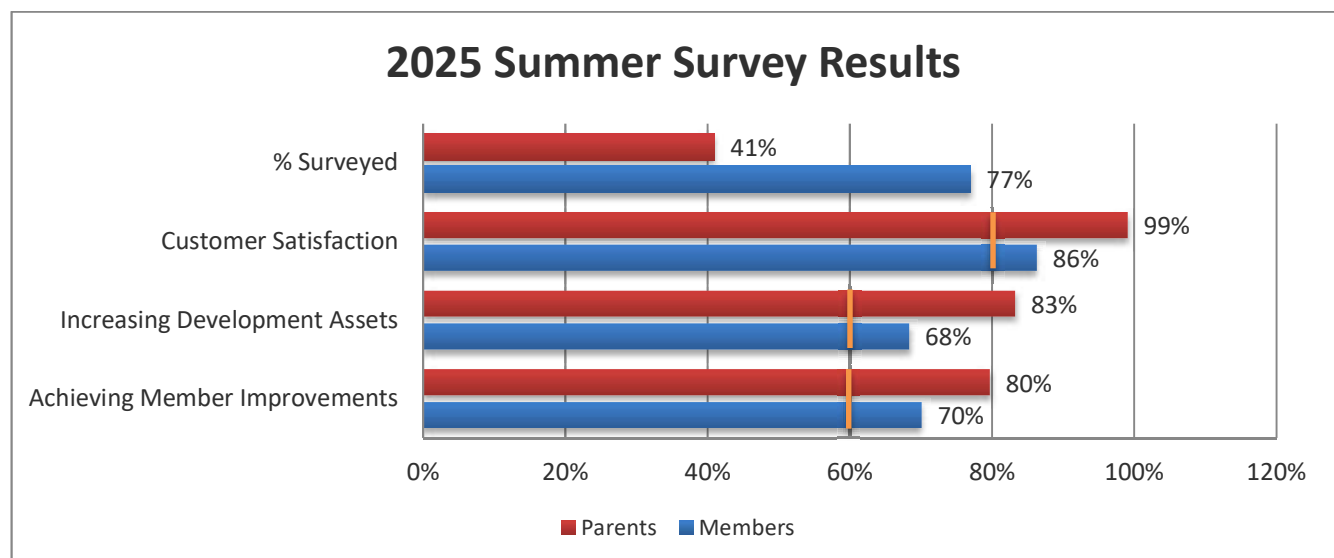


2025 SUMMER SUMMARY

Results of our summer assessment indicate continued impact on the youth we serve. During our 2024 Summer Enrichment Program, BGCSV provided up to 34 days of full-day care (8:00am-6pm), serving 2,411 youth.

Across all categories, we exceeded the threshold. 83% of members and 98% of parents reported being satisfied with our program. 66% of members and 79% of parents reported an increase in developmental assets (i.e., attitudes towards learning, resilience, communication, connectedness, self-efficacy). 68% of members and 76% of parents reported member improvements (i.e., behavior, academic performance, goal setting, making responsible choices). *See Table 2*

Table 3



For those attending the 3+ days per week for at least 5 weeks, standout data results include:

IMPACT ON ACADEMICS

- **Academic Performance (Youth):** 95% report that the programs they participate in during summer will help improve or sustain their school year academic performance (67%/28%).
- **Academic performance (Parent):** 84% report that being in the Club's summer program the year prior improved their child's academic performance.
- **Learning and Applying New Concepts:** 97% improved or sustained their ability to learn new things (71%/26%).
- **Future Academic Plan:** 96% report increased thought about their future plans.

IMPACT ON CHARACTER, LEADERSHIP & OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL ASSETS

- **Staff-Member Connectedness:** 97% of youth report positive relationships with adult staff.
- **Member-Member Connectedness:** 96% report positive relationships with other members.
- **Self-Concept:** 96% report that the program improved or sustained a positive understanding of who they are and their abilities (74%/22%).
- **Critical Thinking:** 97% report that the program improved or sustained their ability to make informed and important choices (65%/32%).
- **Communication:** 96% report that the program improved or sustained their interpersonal communication skills (39%/57%).
- **Collaboration:** 99% report that the program improved or sustained their ability to work collaboratively with their peers (53%/46%).
- **Creativity:** 95% report that the program improved or sustained their divergent and lateral thinking skills and their desire to express themselves creatively (83%/12%).
- **Community:** 96% report that the program helped them find ways to help their community.

IMPACT ON HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

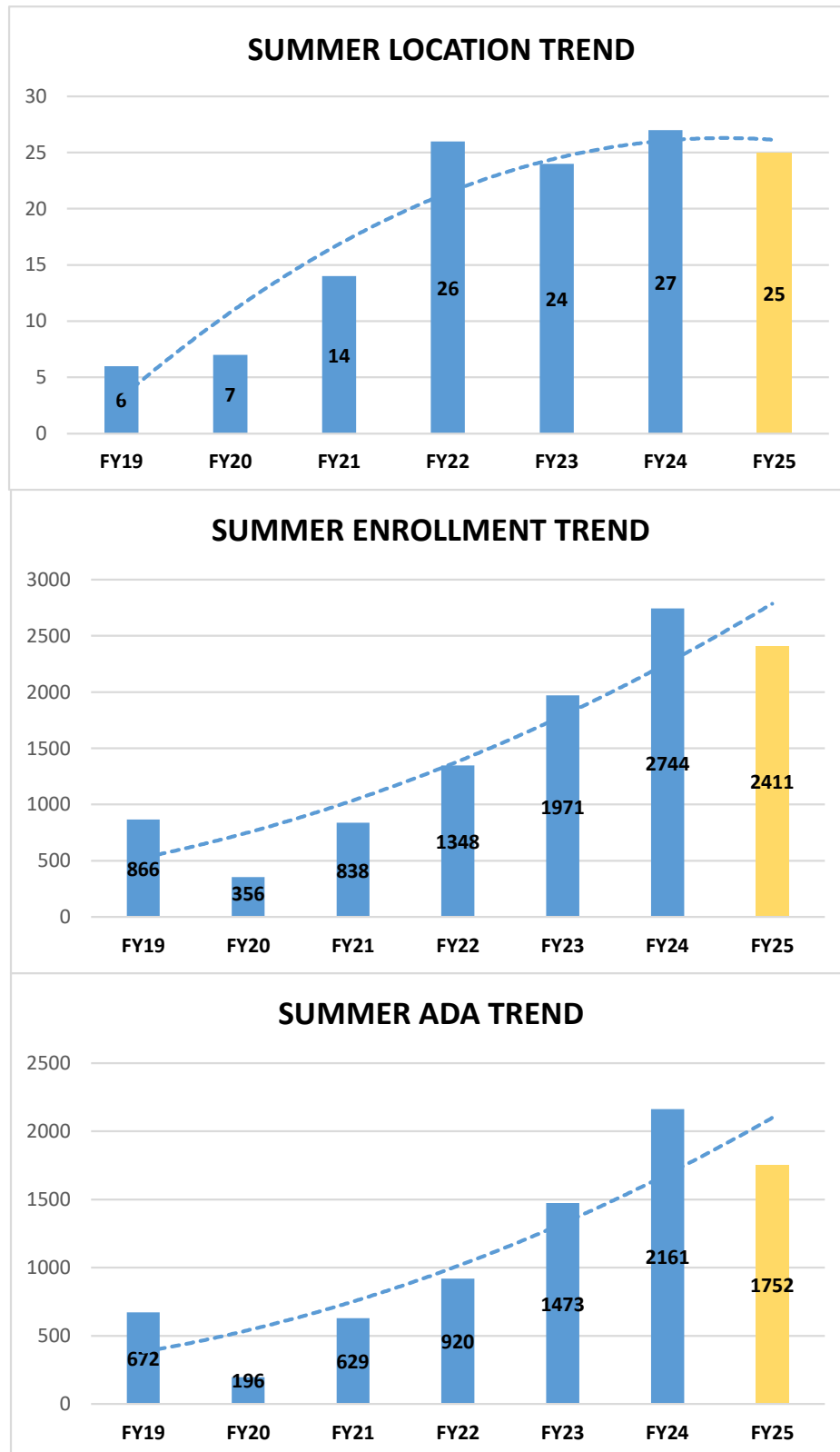
- **Healthful Choices:** 100% report that the program improved or sustained their ability to make healthful lifestyle choices that nurture their personal well-being (48%/52%).

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC OUTCOMES

- **English-Language Arts:** 95% of youth report the program improved their interest in reading, textual analysis and creative writing.
- **STEM:** 99% report the program improved their interest in science, technology, engineering and math.
- **The Arts:** 98% report the program improved their interest in art.
- **Sports & Fitness:** 98% of youth report the program improved their interest in physical fitness and sports.

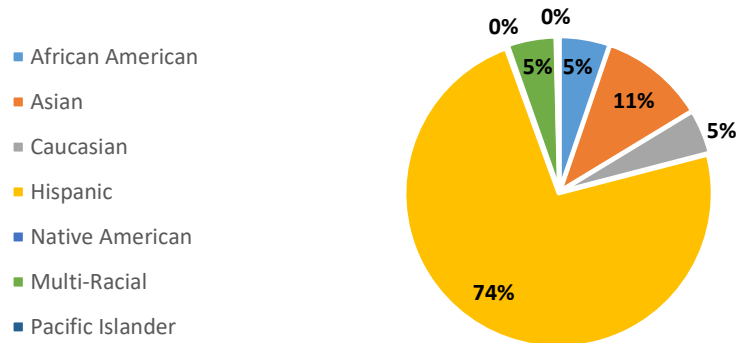


2025 SUMMER DASHBOARD

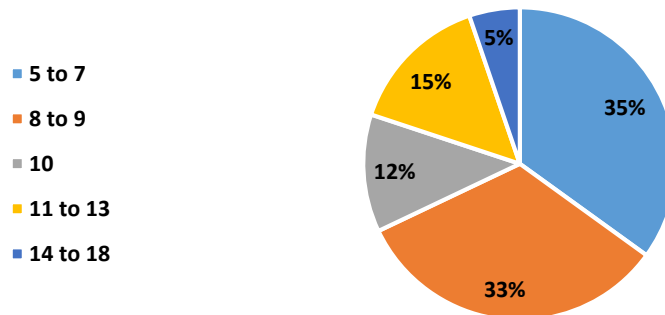




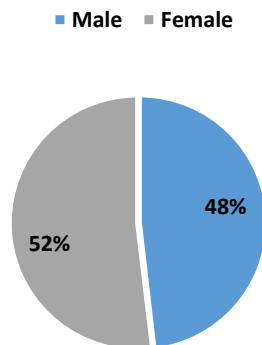
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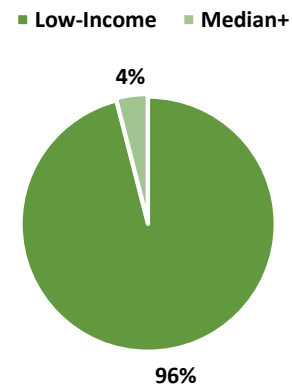
AGE



GENDER



INCOME





FACE OF THE FUTURE



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Alina, Youth of the Year

Boys & Girls Clubs of Silicon Valley is proud to recognize Alina as our 2024-2025 *Youth of the Year*—our organization’s highest honor.

Growing up in San Jose, Alina’s life was marked by absence—of a father, of shared milestones and of connection—as she navigated loneliness and longing in the shadow of her mother’s sacrifices. That all changed when she started coming to the Boys & Girls Club.

A member for six years, Alina participated in our C⁵ programs (e.g., Power Hour, STEM), arts, sports leagues, life skills programs, such as SMART Girls, and her clubhouse’s Leaders In Training program—a college and career readiness program.

“Boys & Girls Club empowered me to discover my potential, build confidence and grow into a leader,” Alina says. “Especially when other role models—like my mom and dad—weren’t there to guide me.”

Now a first year college student, Alina is attending San Francisco State as a biology major. After completing her undergraduate degree, she plans on completing a professional certification in Diagnostic Medical Sonography.

THEORY OF CHANGE AND TARGETED PROGRAMS



We provide youth and teens with environments, relationships and experiences that build essential skills and equip them to achieve positive outcomes.



Targeted Programs by Core Area

Education & Career Development

- **Power Hour:** daily homework assistance and tutoring.
- **KidzSci & NeoSci:** project- and inquiry-based life, earth and physical science programs
- **MyFuture:** integrated, project-based digital skills development improving STEM proficiencies.
- **Digital Arts:** project-based programs in digital photography, filmmaking, music and graphic design.
- **CS First:** computer science programs developing foundation skills in coding and problem solving.
- **Robotics:** engineering programs culminating in an assembled, functional robot for competition.
- **Math Matters:** mastery through cooperative games, online tools, small group and individual tutoring.
- **Kidz Lit & Literacy Lab:** literacy programs developing critical thinking, reading and writing skills.
- **Brain Gain:** a summer learning initiative focusing on Language Arts, writing, science and math.
- **College Bound:** college research; SAT prep; application, scholarship advising and support.
- **Money Matters:** financial literacy and entrepreneurship.
- **Career Launch:** workforce readiness through exploration, planning and skills development.
- **Junior Staff:** job-shadowing with emphasis on leadership and professional skills development.



Character & Citizenship

- **Youth of the Year:** celebrates youth and their service to Club, community and family.
- **Torch Club & Keystone Club:** chartered service learning clubs dedicated to citizenship, leadership and fellowship.

The Arts

- **Fine Arts Education:** fosters creativity and cultural awareness through diverse artistic expression.
- **National Fine Arts Exhibit:** local and regional exhibition contests in various categories and mediums.
- **Digital Arts:** blends creativity and tech, guiding members toward artistic skills and career exploration.
- **Performing Arts:** builds confidence through theater, dance, music and live performance experiences.
- **Culinary Arts:** includes smart food and cooking skills culminating in a culinary showcase.

Health & Life Skills

- **SMART Moves:** builds youth decision-making, emotional wellness, and health behavior skills through tested life skills curricula.
- **SMART Girls:** empowers girls through small-group sessions on self-awareness, relationships, boundaries and personal growth.
- **Passport to Manhood:** guides boys in values, self-expression and decision-making through interactive small-group sessions.

Sports, Fitness & Social Recreation

- **SPARK:** addresses health, fitness and social-emotional development by building cooperation and team skills.
- **Sports Leagues:** year-round leagues focusing on skills, teamwork and sportsmanship.



Youth and Teen Programs



Morgan Hill Recreation Preschool



Held at the Community and Cultural Center (CCC)

- M/W/F AM 3 days a week (age 3-5)
- T/TH AM 2 days a week (age 3-5)



Enrichment/Contract Classes

Variety of classes offered

- 17 Different instructors/contractors
- 482 Class offerings last year (not including swim lessons)



Summer Camps

Specialty Camps run by Contract Instructors
55 different camp options offered in Summer

- Science Camps
- Sports Camps
- Movie Production
- Lego Engineering & Robotics
- Dance



CRC Teen Center



What we Offer:

A safe place for teens grades 6th-12th grade to do homework, hang out, & feel free to express themselves through our weekly programs.

- Homework time is an hour and half long, from opening at 4PM – 5:30PM. Computers are provided for online work & staff, fellow TC members, guests, & volunteers help with school subjects and studying
- Teens have access to table tennis, pool, xbox gaming and tile art.
- We also have outdoor basketball and other outdoor activities, such as bean bag toss, mini goal soccer and volleyball.

CRC Teen Center



Programs and Events

- Partnered with South County Youth Task Force (Offer curriculum-based instruction around safe choices and HOT topic discussions in a safe environment where teen voice is heard)
- Adaptive immersion program for all (Concentration on diversity and beauty of art)
- Partnered with Circle of giving (coding program and teen leadership 8 weeks long)
- Partnered with YMCA youth board to offer Teen Center program support
- LGBTQ Club

Current Goals



- Increase Attendance. Daily average 10-15 currently.
- Technology (Our goal is to keep providing teens the opportunity to different tech-based programing such as coding, film, graphic design).
- Creating a safe space (Create an environment where teens feel comfortable to meet with friends, voice their concerns, and most importantly giving them resources and guidance when needed).





Morgan Hill Youth Action Council (YAC)



- YAC consists of 20 Teen Leaders ages 13-18.
- The “voice” of teens in Morgan Hill.
- Develop leadership and teamwork abilities through the planning and coordination of community and special events.
- Builds confidence and recognition that they are valued, active members who serve the community,
- Participate in a variety of events organized by the Recreation Department and other community organizations.
- Supports and encourages the 41 Developmental Assets



A great way to earn community service hours and obtain recommendation letters for college applications.

YAC SUBCOMMITTEES



50+ BALL

A lively dance event for adults aged 50 and over.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Organize and support community events at the Magical Bridge Playground and the adaptive dance sessions throughout the year.



YAC SUBCOMMITTEES



PUBLIC SPEAKING

Monthly presentations to the City Council focusing on the 41 Developmental Assets and related topics.



SENIOR ENRICHMENT COMMUNITY INITIATIVE (SECI)

This initiative provides fun activities and events for local senior communities, helping seniors feel loved and included.

YAC SUBCOMMITTEES



YOUTH LEADERSHIP MORGAN HILL PROGRAM & YAC RECRUITMENT

An interactive four-day leadership development program.



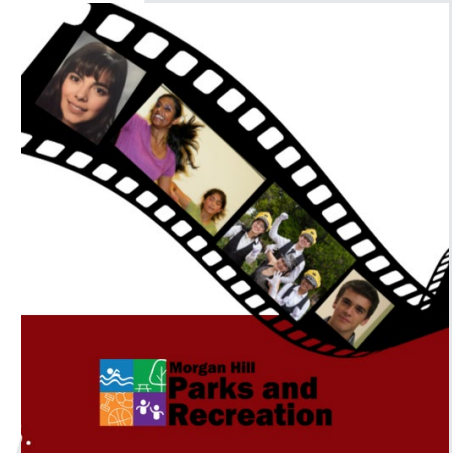
The City of Morgan Hill
Youth Action Council (YAC)
presents:



25TH YAC REUNION 2000-2025

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND
4:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

**COMMUNITY AND CULTURAL CENTER
(17000 MONTEREY RD., MORGAN HILL)**



PARKS AND RECREATION STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: January 20, 2026

PREPARED BY:

Chris Ghione, Public Services Director

APPROVED BY: Chris Ghione

RECEIVE AND PROVIDE COMMENTS ON PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT RELATED EXPANSION OF JACKSON PARK

RECOMMENDATION(S)

1. Receive update on development related Jackson Park Expansion; and
2. Provide feedback on initial plans in the park.

REPORT NARRATIVE:

The City has received proposed updated concept plans for the expansion of Jackson Park from the developer of the adjacent “New Horizons” development project. The developer previously proposed plans to the Parks and Recreation Commission in October of 2023. The developer intends to expand Jackson Park and additionally develop adjacent improvements through the development that will also be open to the public. The project does also include private HOA owned improvements, but those will not be reviewed by the Parks and Recreation Commission.

The overall development is continuing through the City’s standard planning process under the review of the Planning Division. The role of the Parks and Recreation Commission is to provide recommendations to the City staff and City Council on the proposed park plans, including accepting the park improvements and additions. The Parks and Recreation Commission will not be reviewing the development’s approval, as the role of the Commission is solely to evaluate the park related improvements. Comments related to the development in general are outside the purview of the Commission and are not on the agenda for discussion. The timing of the park improvements occurring are unknown at this time.

Park Improvements

The proposal would expand Jackson Park to the west, adding just over an acre of public park space and several new amenities, including:

- Walking paths
- A dog park area (with large and small dog parks)
- Larger field area located in a storm water retention area
- Small amphitheater adjacent to field area in storm water retention area
- New second play structure (existing play structure to remain) with new

playground surfacing w

The Commission has reviewed plans for the park expansion previously in October 2023. Since that time changes have been very limited.

In addition to the Park Expansion the development is proposing a trail area that runs through it to connect to Hill Road. The developer is also proposing the creation of a publicly accessible soccer field that is privately owned in the western part of the development.

City staff have reviewed the plans and would like to make the following recommendations for inclusion by the developer. City staff recommends the Commission also include these recommendations in any recommended approval of the concept plans provided on this item.

1. Parking - The park has limited street parking as it currently exists. The expansion only adds street parking at the end of two cul de sacs and no ADA parking. City staff recommends that the developer determine how ADA parking can be accommodated and strive to find increased parking. A potential location for ADA parking could be identified in the landscape area or in minor reconfiguration near the end of Court A.
2. Retention Basin - Utilizing a retention basin for field space is standard practice and acceptable. However, the developer must provide engineering details to show the basin will not store water for any significant times following storms, as this would be a health and safety risk in a park. Additionally, the approved Planned Development Ordinance requires the developer to maintain the storm water functions to any level outside the responsibility of the City. Costs to construct the stormwater facility component will also not provide for any credit to the developer against any park related fees.
3. Increase Field Space and reduce Fringe Area and Non-Functional Turf – City staff recommend extending the turf area inside the basin to the northwest and eliminating or reducing fringe landscaping areas or non-functional turf in that area. These areas provide little functional use to the community and increase maintenance costs.
4. Extend pathway on northern edge of the Park – A pathway on the north side of the field/basin area should be added along the property line with the school to improve circulation and create a walking loop around the park.
5. Unimproved southeast section of the park. City staff continue to recommend the entire build - out of the park in this area as the area is too small to be constructed in a future phase. This area could be enhanced with small pedestrian bridges and pathways across the storm channel area. This area of the park could be more passive in nature, with some benches or tables.

Park Fee Credit and Park Maintenance

The developer has notified the City that they will request credit against Park Impact and/or Quimby fees for this work. The value of the improvements and land has not yet been determined. To receive credit, the spaces must be permanently dedicated for public park and recreation use. The City will not provide credit for any removal and replacement of existing park infrastructure or associated with the creation of a retention

basin as those are not costs associated with new park development. The developer has included the trail through the development as a public benefit as part of the Planned Development. As a public benefit the trail costs will not be credited against any park fees. The City will be working on next steps

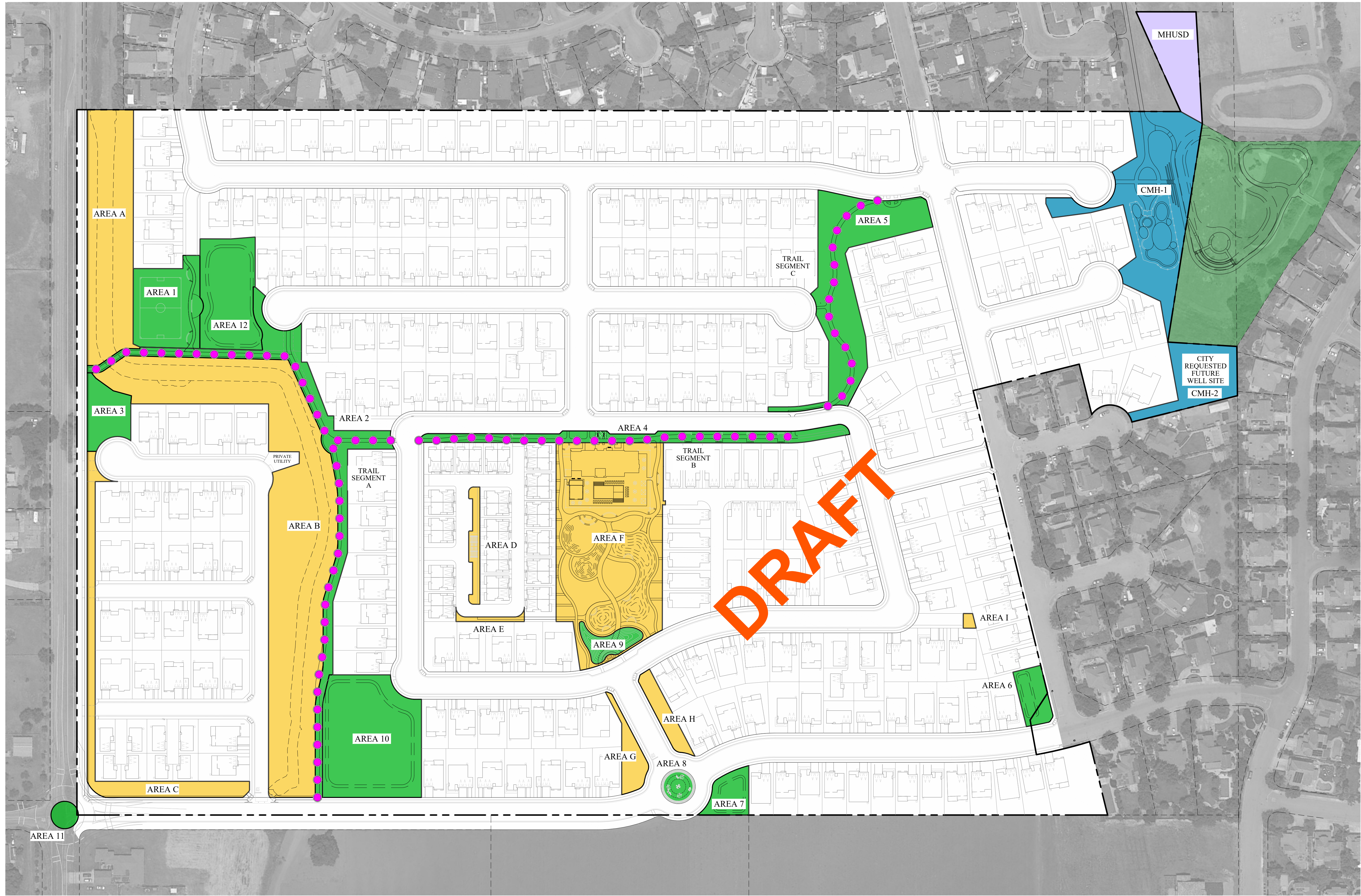
Past Work and Next Steps

The concept designs is attached to this report (Attachments 1). The Parks and Recreation reviewed proposals in 2018 and more recently in October 2023. The City held a public meeting at Jackson Park in 2018 at which residents attended and provided feedback on the proposed expansion. The attendees were supportive of the concept and made several comments. One significant item suggested, but not included, is a potential park restroom. This was not included, as a restroom has not been designated in the Master Plan for this site, and would create an excessive maintenance cost. The Commission reviews concept plans for development related parks when the intent of the developer is to transfer ownership of the park to the City for use as a public park. The transfer of this space is appropriate as it is consistent with the City's Bikeways, Trails, Parks and Recreation Master Plan. Policies and actions in the plan supporting the park expansion include:

- Policy P4. Partner with Morgan Hill Unified School District (MHUSD) to increase access (i.e., keep gates unlocked) to school facilities during nonschool hours.
- Action P4-3. Review opportunities to increase park land and amenities adjacent to Jackson Park/School.
- Policy P11. Protect and improve un-programmed, flexible spaces in neighborhood and small community parks for informal games and other self-directed recreation uses.
- Policy P12. Design new parks and park improvement that are welcoming, distinct, and represent the qualities of the park and surrounding neighborhood.
- Action P12-1. Enhance park entry points by providing seating or other features to help activate entrances and make them highly visible from the street and from within the park. Where needed, install signage to clearly identify the accessible path of travel or direct users to primary points of entrance.

The recommendations by the Parks and Recreation Commission will be utilized during future review of the development project by City Staff, the Planning Division, and the City Council. The timing of the park improvements are unknown and not guaranteed as they are tied to the overall development. Community engagement with the neighboring residents will continue through the Planning Process, including a planned public meeting to be hosted in partnership with the adjacent school.

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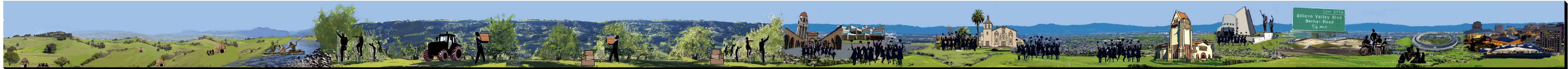
CFD Parcels Summary					
Area	Area (sqft)	Area (ac)	Use	Ownership	Maintenance
1	23,222	0.53	Active recreation: mini soccer park	CFD	CFD/HOA
2	3,289	0.08	Trail (connecting Street C to Hill Road and parallel with Tenant Creek)	CFD	CFD/HOA
3	10,288	0.24	Ornamental landscaping at Hill Road (existing trees)	CFD	CFD/HOA
4	18,659	0.43	Trail parallel to Street C (adj to central recreation)	CFD	CFD/HOA
5	44,840	1.03	Trail through common open space (connecting Sorrell to Street C)	CFD	CFD/HOA
6	6,758	0.16	Basin and ornamental landscaping	CFD	CFD/HOA
7	6,982	0.16	Basin and ornamental landscaping	CFD	CFD/HOA
8	3,739	0.09	Traffic circle ornamental landscaping (back of curb in)	CFD	CFD/HOA
9	5,382	0.12	Central Park: basin (offset 1' from top of pond)	CFD	CFD/HOA
10	47,795	1.10	Basin and ornamental landscaping	CFD	CFD/HOA
11	2,463	0.06	Roundabout ornamental landscaping (back of curb in)	CFD	CFD/HOA
12	25,967	0.60	Basin and ornamental landscaping	CFD	CFD/HOA
199,384		4.58			

HOA Parcels Summary					
Area	Area (sqft)	Area (ac)	Use	Ownership	Maintenance
A	47,928	1.10	Tenant Creek (north)	HOA	HOA
B	125,637	2.88	Tenant Creek (south)	HOA	HOA
C	21,986	0.50	Hill/Barrett landscaping	HOA	HOA
D	4,394	0.10	Duets landscaping	HOA	HOA
E	1,493	0.03	Duets landscaping	HOA	HOA
F	86,136	1.98	Central Open Space (building and site improvements)	HOA	HOA
G	6,161	0.14	Entry landscaping	HOA	HOA
H	5,860	0.13	Entry landscaping	HOA	HOA
I	686	0.02	Landscaping	HOA	HOA
300,281		6.89			

Other Parcels Summary					
Area	Area (sqft)	Area (ac)	Use	Ownership	Maintenance
CMH-1	52,621	1.21	Expansion of Jackson Park	City of Morgan Hill	
CMH-2	17,732	0.41	Future well site	City of Morgan Hill	
MHUSD	17,435	0.40	Transfer to MHUSD	MHUSD	MHUSD
87,788		2.02			

Trail Length Summary					
Segment	Length	Location	Ownership	Maintenance	
A	1,478		CFD	City of Morgan Hill	
B	778		CFD	City of Morgan Hill	
C	509		CFD	City of Morgan Hill	
2,765					

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TRAIL TO JACKSON SCHOOL

1. Paved 8' Walkway
2. Drought Tolerant Landscape



NEW HORIZONS DOG PARK

1. Fenced Enclosure
2. Double Gated Entry
3. Dog Waste Station
4. Decorative Paving
5. Trash & Recycling Receptacles
6. Hydration Station
7. Drought Tolerant Landscape



RENOVATED JACKSON PARK

1. New Concrete Paving
2. Relocate Existing Play Equipment
3. New Drought Tolerant Landscaping



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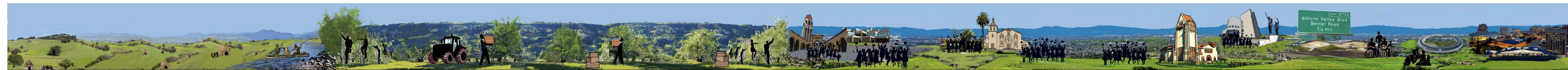


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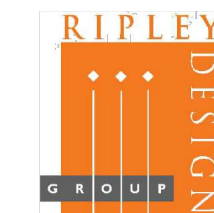
1. Concrete Stage w/ ADA Ramp
2. Concrete Amphitheater Seating



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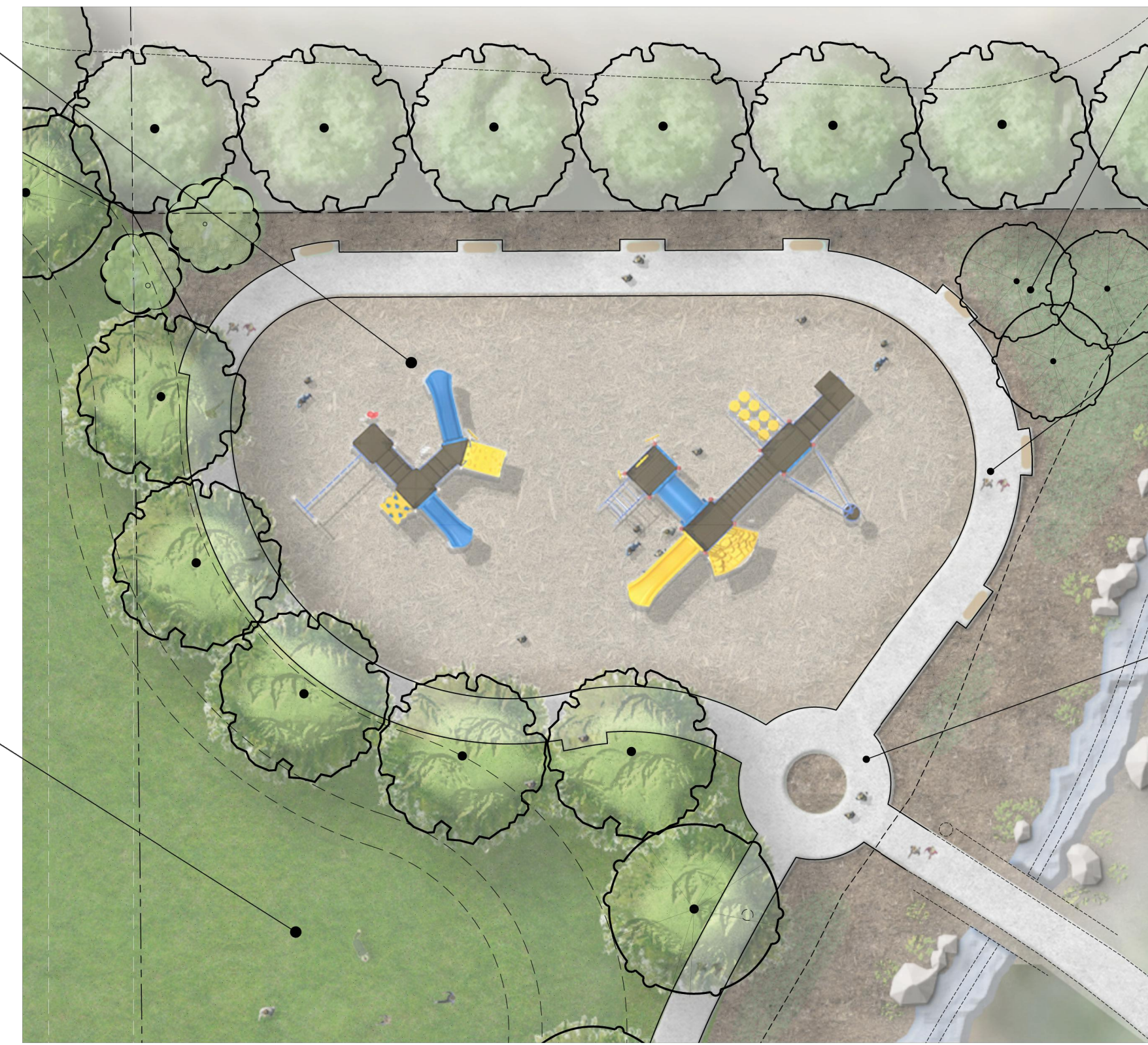
NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

1. Replaces outdated playground
2. Opportunity to provide ADA accessible playground



STORMWATER DETENTION BASIN

1. Stone Stormwater Runoff
2. Outdoor Sporting Grass Field
3. Planting of Shade Trees



PICNIC AREA

1. Natural Paving (Decomposed Granite, Gravel, Wood Mulch)
2. New Site Furnishings (Picnic Tables, Recycling/Traffic Receptacles, Bike Rack)



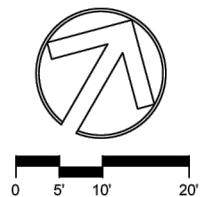
RENOVATED PARK PAVING SURFACES

1. New Concrete Walkways
2. New Playground Surfacing



RENOVATED PARK ENTRANCE

1. Circular Concrete Seat Walls
2. Wayfinding Signage



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JACKSON PARK ACCESS

1. Paved 8' Walkway
2. Drought Tolerant Landscaping

SMALL DOG AGILITY COURSE

1. Engineered Wood Fiber Mulch
2. Small Dog Agility Equipment

DOUBLE GATED SYSTEM

1. Lawn Management
2. Dog Park Rule Signage
3. Dog Waste Station
4. Hydration Station

SMALL DOG MOUND

1. Synthetic Surfaced Mound
2. New Drought Tolerant Dog-Friendly Landscaping



LARGE DOG MOUND

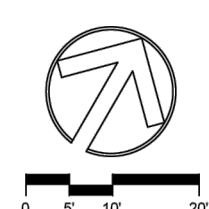
1. Synthetic Surfaced Mound
2. New Drought Tolerant Dog-Friendly Landscaping

OPEN LAWN AREA

1. Natural Lawn
2. New Drought Tolerant Dog-Friendly Landscaping
3. Seating/Table Area

LARGE DOG AGILITY COURSE

1. Engineered Wood Fiber Mulch
2. Large Dog Agility Equipment



JACKSON PARK STEPS

1. Truncated Cast-in-place Concrete Seat Walls
2. Natural Lawn



ADA AMPHITHEATER ACCESS

1. Concrete Ramp
2. Powder-coated Metal Handrail



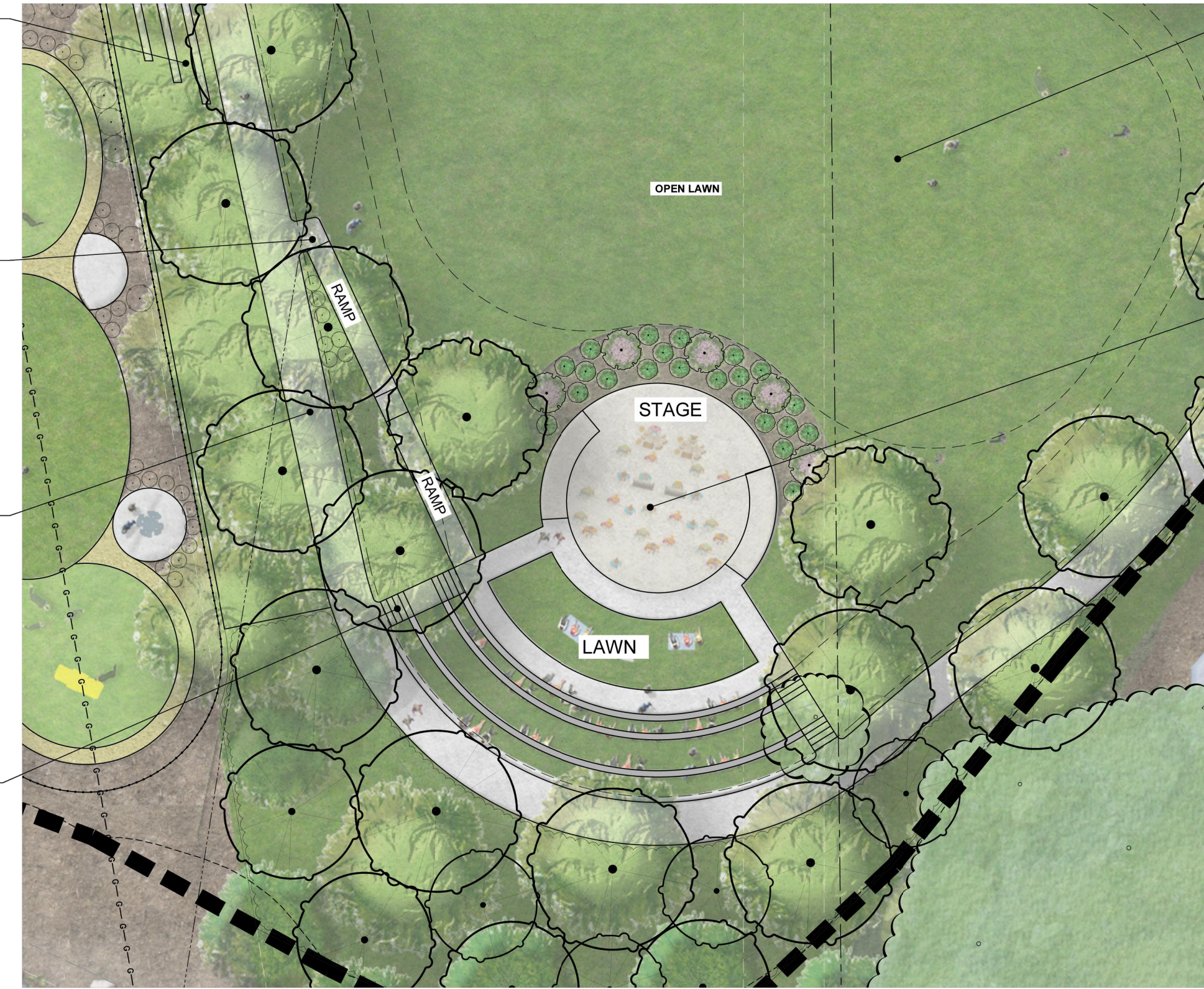
WALKWAY TO JACKSON SCHOOL

1. Paved 8' Walkway
2. Drought Tolerant Landscaping



AMPHITHEATER STAIR ACCESS

1. Concrete Stairs
2. Powder-coated Metal Handrail



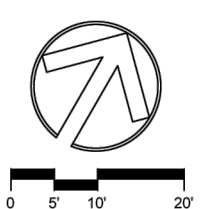
DETENTION BASIN

1. Natural Sod Basin

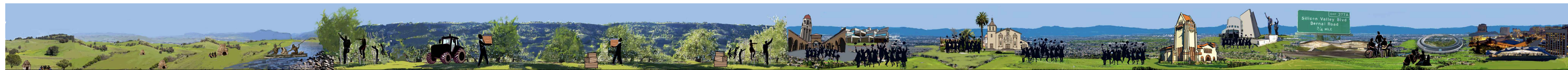


AMPHITHEATER

1. Natural Lawn
2. New Drought Tolerant Dog-Friendly Landscaping
3. Seating/Table Areas



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COMMUNITY PARK ACCESS

1. Concrete Walkway
2. Seating Areas Benches



COMMUNITY PARK OPEN SPACE

1. Youth Soccer Field
2. Picnic Areas
3. Trash & Recycling Receptacles



NEW HORIZONS TRAIL @ HILL ROAD

1. Decorative Paving
2. Drought Tolerant Landscaping
3. Pedestrian Bridge



EXISTING OAK WOODLAND

1. Preserve & protect remaining existing Trees
2. Mulched understory
3. Natural Path around dripline establishing protected root zone



COMMUNITY TRAIL ACCESS



EMERGENCY VEHICLE ACCESS AT TRAIL

1. Gravel edge treatment to allow for 20' clear width for vehicular access



NEW HORIZONS TRAIL

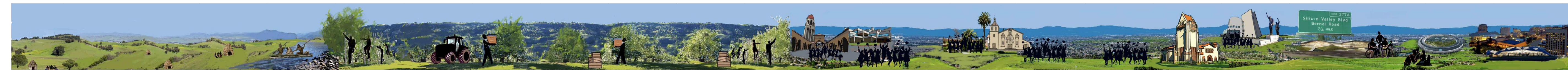


TO COMMUNITY CLUBHOUSE



0 15' 30' 60'

NEW HORIZONS TRAIL TERMINUS AT HILL ROAD



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Parks & Recreation Commission

FY 2025-26 Work Plan – Approved by City Council 8.20.25

Project	City Council Priority Supported	Staff Resources Required	Desired Outcome (Commissioner Responsible)
1. Motivate the next generation to get more active in Parks and Recreation	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	Recreation Manager (Minimal)	1. Review program opportunities for new youth programming. (Maniar/Vittal/Chabra) 2. Work with City staff to review opportunities to more formally include youth (YAC and other youth) in park planning. (Vittal/Lucido)
2. Support bicycle and trails development efforts	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	PS Director (Minimal)	Work to coordinate with community members on bicycle and trails issues with volunteer Bicycle and Pedestrian Advocacy Group. (Zargar)
3. Support the Morgan Hill Magical Bridge ongoing operations	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	Recreation Supervisor and Coordinator (Moderate)	Support and enhance the ongoing volunteer and ambassador efforts at the Morgan Hill Magical Bridge Playground, including a youth volunteer program. (Vittal/Maniar/Chabra)
4. Support City in grant opportunities	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community Fiscal Sustainability	PS Director (Moderate) Mngt Analyst (Moderate)	Support City staff in identifying and evaluating grant opportunities and associated projects. (Maniar/Zargar/Chabra)
5. Increase volunteer Adopt a Park Program participation	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community Fiscal Sustainability	PS Director (Minimal) CS Supervisor (Minimal)	Support efforts to identify volunteers for tree establishment watering. (Zargar/Moniz)

Project	City Council Priority Supported	Staff Resources Required	Desired Outcome (Commissioner Responsible)
6. Support City park planning efforts	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	PS Director (Significant)	1. Commence Parks and Recreation Master Plan update. (All) 2. Evaluate future opportunities for parkland acquisition and development. (van Keulen) 3. Research opportunities for the creation of additional dog parks in existing or new park spaces. (Moniz) 4. Review options for the future of the Community Park Pond. (All) 5. Review and provide recommendations to the City Council on adding restrooms to existing parks, including Diana, Nordstrom and Paradise. (van Keulen/Moniz)
7. Support the Annual Open Streets Event	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	PS Director (Minimal) CS Supervisor (Moderate)	Support the planning and implementation of the annual Open Streets Event in coordination with health and wellness community resource fair. (Moniz/Vittal/Chabra/Lucido)
8. Explore Park and Outdoor Recreation Activation Opportunities	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	PS Director (Minimal) CS Supervisor (Minimal) Recreation Manager (Minimal) Recreation Coordinator (Moderate)	1. Explore the opportunity to develop and implement an "Art in the Park" event, program or improvement. (Moniz/Chabra) 2. Review the opportunity to implement free fitness opportunities in parks in partnership with local fitness advocates. (Zargar) 3. Review the potential to organize social events with DJs and encourage families to picnic at the park for a chance for communal gatherings with sports and activities. (Zargar/Chabra) 4. Review opportunity to implement outdoor education workshop sessions for seniors. (Chabra)
9. Support Community Organizations related to Parks and Recreation	Supporting Our Youth, Seniors & Entire Community	PS Director (Minimal)	Identify and implement recognition opportunities for non-profit organizations. (Vittal/Chabra)

Staff Resources Required: **0-50 hours = Minimal** **51-100 hours = Moderate** **100+ hours = Significant**