

Comprehensive Recreation, Parks & Open Space Plan

Vision Statement Discussion

Success of this plan is based on the developed mission statement, vision statement, goals and strategies. Each plays a significant role in ensuring that this plan becomes a useful tool in moving the Borough of Lemoyne towards meeting its current and future recreational needs.

A Vision Statement paints a picture of where the Borough of Lemoyne wants recreation, parks and open space to be five to ten years down the road. The vision statement anticipates what the Borough would like to achieve or accomplish in parks and recreation in the long-term. It is intended to be more visionary than specific. Some of the thoughts and ideas can be accomplished in a relatively short amount of time and others will require greater effort to achieve.

Sample Mission and Vision Statements

West Shore Recreation Commission, based on an agreement of inter-governmental cooperation, is dedicated to enriching lives by providing quality recreational and leisure-time opportunities for all residents.

OUR MISSION

Creating dynamic parks and open spaces that shape township character and meet diverse community needs.

OUR VISION

Neshannock Township envisions a vibrant, active and engaged community.

Vision for the future of parks, recreation, and open space

- Be recognized as Neshannock Township Parks and Recreation, having its own identity
- Establish dedicated funding for future maintenance and development in all parks
- Provide and promote recreation programs for all ages and abilities
- Provide a quality park system that is well maintained and safe for all participants
- Promote health and wellness through active transportation and programs

- Provide economic benefits for the communities through special events and marketing
- Connecting residents to the riverfront
- Cooperatively creating connections throughout the Township and County.
- Provide a safe place to play, celebrate, and recreate.
- Provide recreation that inspires personal growth, healthy lifestyles and a sense of Community.

**Vision for the future of parks, recreation, and open space
Peters Township Parks and Recreation will:**

- Be recognizable as Peters Township, having its own clear identity
- Sustain the Recreation Center as an outstanding community asset
- Feature programs and facilities that stand out as exceptional
- Be balanced in type, amenities, locations
- Ensure first rate maintenance and upkeep
- Heed the present yet be prepared for the future
- Not just maintain but be constantly moving forward
- Offer top tier community in parks and recreation

Vision for the future of parks, recreation, and open space

- Be recognized as Steel Valley Parks and Recreation, having its own identity
- Establish dedicated funding for future maintenance and development in all parks
- Cooperatively provide and promote recreation programs for all ages and abilities
- Provide a quality park system that is well maintained and safe for all participants
- Promote health and wellness through active transportation and programs
- Provide economic benefits for the communities through special events and marketing
- Connecting resident to the riverfront
- Making viable connections to the Great Allegheny Passage

P&R Mission

Our Mission is You

The mission of the Cranberry Township Parks & Recreation Department is to provide a variety of comprehensive leisure activities and facilities that will develop and satisfy your recreational needs. This mission includes forming positive, strong and lasting relationships with those organizations that share this idea. Services and facilities are available to all citizens, regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

This Department is committed to giving all citizens equal access to recreational opportunities. In keeping with that policy, reasonable accommodations and support will be provided to people with disabilities so that they may take advantage of these opportunities.

JACKSON TOWNSHIP'S VISION FOR THE FUTURE

1. There will be a Community Center with multi-purpose room or gymnasium.
2. Year-round programming will be provided for all ages and interests.
3. A strong system to administer and operate programs and parks will be in place.
4. Township parks will be upgraded to meet the needs of Township residents.
5. There will be cooperation among agencies in the Township that provide all types of recreation and parks.
6. Jackson Township will cooperate with surrounding municipalities to serve the recreational interests of its residents.
7. A staff person will be hired to coordinate and manage parks and recreation.
8. Existing facilities will be well maintained.

Upper Saint Clair Township Parks and Recreation Vision

The Township's current parks and recreation vision seeks to enhance the quality of life by providing the best possible public recreational facilities, open natural spaces and programs for our citizens and surrounding communities.

Planning for Future Township Successes

To fulfill this vision statement, the Department of Recreation and Leisure Services underscores several objectives designed to meet community needs:

- Coordinate, encourage and develop year-round recreational opportunities.
- Seek and develop innovative partnerships with non-municipal recreation providers that enhance the quality of life for all Upper St. Clair citizens.
- Encourage and support volunteerism.
- Continue to balance funding to maintain a high-quality recreation system and deliver a high level of service.
- Work with the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board in meeting community needs.

Mission

The Pennsylvania Recreation and Park Society empowers recreation and park professionals and citizen advocates to enhance lives and enrich services for all Pennsylvanians.

Vision

PRPS will improve environmental, economic, and social health and wellness for current and future generations.