

## **2020-242 Attachment-3 Parks and Recreation Master Plan progress summary**

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### **Parks and Recreation Master Plan update (PRMP)**

**2019-Q4 2021; 75% complete**

#### **Recent progress/achievements to date**

- Progress is well under way for a number of tasks, including:
  - Draft vision, goals, recommendations and action plans
  - Long-term financial and resource strategies
  - Community engagement plan for final engagement opportunity
- The PRMP and the Guelph Trail Master Plan update schedules were previously aligned to make it easier for the public to provide feedback and for staff to understand the impacts of both plans.  
The projects will still be studied together but the schedules will be staggered. The PRMP will be presented to Council in Q4, 2021 and GTMP in Q2, 2021 as previously planned.  
The PRMP schedule was adjusted to better understand the impact of the Public Services reorganization on the project.

#### **New opportunities or relevant challenges of public interest**

- Parks and trails continue to be critical to community and individual well-being during COVID-19. Staff continues to monitor community feedback and follow relevant studies about park use during COVID-19.

#### **Next steps**

- The final opportunity for community engagement is planned for Q2, 2021. The community will have an opportunity to review the draft recommendations and help prioritize which ones are the most important to tackle first.
- Focus meetings with Council will be scheduled for Q2, 2021; further details to come.  
The project is proceeding with a schedule adjustment to better understand the impact of the Public Services reorganization on the project. Staff now anticipate project completion in Q4, 2021.