

Town of Hertford, NC

Re: Updates to Perquimans County
Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Plan

Hertford Town Council Meeting

October 27, 2025

6:00 PM

Three Hertford Parks are identified in the current Perquimans County Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Plan.



**Hertford Community Center & Park
Academy Street**



King Street



Missing Mill





Recreational Focus Group – Recommendations and New Ideas

Improvements to Existing

- Paint and provide lines on solid surfaced courts
- Repair and/or replace rubber surfaces around playground equipment
- Replace netting on basketball hoops
- Repair cracks in solid surface areas
- Provide lighting and/or repair lighting
- Maintain trails

New Ideas

- Benches
- Spray Park
- Dog Park
- Replace older playground equipment
- Additional walking trails
- Signage along trails that points out historic and natural features
- Exercise stations along the trail
- Sand volleyball court
- Netting Park
- Stage
- Incorporate trestle into Park
- Small shade areas with picnic tables and/or benches
- Wifi availability (to encourage outdoor studying and work space)
- Locate additional land for outdoor recreational activities
- Multi-use courts – pickle ball and tennis
- Increase ADA and Inclusive Use planning
- Flag Football
- Net Course
- Include gardens at each park area

Next Steps

1. Survey is distributed to the Perquimans County residents via direct email
2. Draft Comp Plan is presented to County Parks and Recreation Committee and the Public
3. Final Comp Plan is presented to County Commissioners

Recommendations to Increase Access to Funding

- Hertford Council adopt the County Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Plan
- Add Parks and Recreation to your Strategic Plan and Adopt
- Add Parks and Recreation to the Riverfront Plan and Adopt
- Develop a Hertford Park System Plan and adopt
 - Details the proposed improvements for each recreation area
 - Detail the management of each
- CIP – Capital Improvement Plan and Adopt

