



April 25, 2018

## MEMORANDUM

To: Parks Action Plan Update Committee Members

From: Department of Planning and Parks

Re: Summary of Committee's Review of Pages of 1 through 20 of the 2007 Action Plan

Cc: The Honorable James R. Bowlin, Mayor  
 Ryan S. Thomas, P.E., City Administrator  
 Kathy Arnett, Assistant Director of Planning and Parks  
 Gary Crews, Superintendent of Parks and Recreation  
 Amanda Horstmann, Recreation Specialist

The Parks Action Plan Update Committee reviewed and discussed the first twenty (20) pages of the Action Plan for Parks and Recreation 2007 at its last meeting on March 24, 2018. The discussion of these pages resulted in the development of several points for future reference and further consideration. These items are summarized below for the Committee Members:

Discussion Points	Page #	Contents
<b>Trail Development and Connections</b>	2	The aggressive development of trails and other multiple-use facilities should be continued and include references to making necessary links of them to surrounding municipalities as well, while being inclusive of all wards in the City of Wildwood.
<b>Acquisitions</b>	2 and 3	The acquisition efforts of the City should reflect the purchase of the Community Park property in 2009, while potentially focusing on an acquisition in the City's Town Center Area, as a location for events and the center of a radiating trail system.
<b>Funding</b>	3 and 4	The development of new funding sources for the acquisition, development, and maintenance of parks and trails for Wildwood's future should be pursued.

The Committee can return these discussion points for further consideration and action, as part of this on-going update process and as agreed upon by the members.

If the Committee Members should have questions or comments in this regard or need additional information, please contact the Department of Planning and Parks at (636) 458-0440. Thank you for your consideration of this information.