#### Willamette River

The Willamette River originates between the Cascade Mountains and the Coast Range. The area between these two ranges

is referred to as the Willamette Valley. While the Willamette River is one of the nation's largest rivers, it

also has the unique

distinction of being one of only a handful of rivers that flows north. Because of the Chehalem Mountains, the river flows from west to east through the city separating the Charbonneau District to the south. The Willamette has always been a significant resource for Wilsonville. Historically, the Boone's Ferry crossed the river and connected Salem to Portland. This is the reason that Wilsonville was originally established. The river lies within the largest watershed in Oregon and provides a potable water source for the community. On average, 21 billion gallons of water flow past the Wilsonville banks daily. Downstream from Wilsonville, the river flows through Portland to its confluence with the Columbia River.

### Coffee Lake Wetlands

Coffee Lake Creek originates in the Tualatin-Sherwood area and flows south through Wilsonville to the Willamette River. The wetland habitat along the creek supports many important species of migratory and resident wildlife and native wetland plants. The Coffee Lake Wetlands is a part of the larger Tonquin Geological area whose unique landscape includes formations such as kolk ponds. and basalt hummocks that were formed during the Missoula Floods some 13,000 to 15,000 years ago. In 2008, Boeckman Road was extended over the wetlands



wildlife passage structures. A variety of wildlife including great blue heron, osprey, bobcat, raccoon, black-tailed deer and Northern redlegged frogs have been observed in this unique ecosystem.

#### Memorial Park

Memorial Park is the City's oldest and largest park. The Memorial Park property was acquired by the City in 1968 and is located on the Willamette River with one-half mile of river frontage. The park is comprised of 120 acres of recreational opportunities and natural habitat. It has become a cherished resource for the community and offers a diversity of active and passive recreational opportunities.

Memorial Park is the City's center for active outdoor recreation and organized community team sports. It is a place where people gather for special events, picnics and day camps. There is a very clear distinction between the developed, grassy portions of the recreational core of the park and the forests that form a dense vegetative envelope that surrounds the recreational sports complex. Memorial Park features many amenities including: fields used for baseball/softball/soccer, boat dock, picnic areas, sand volleyball, disc golf, pickleball, drinking fountains, restroom facilities, an off leash dog run, tennis and basketball courts, skatepark, playgrounds and picnic shelters that can be rented for group functions.

Undeveloped portions of the park feature forested areas, stream riparian corridors and open meadow landscapes. Boeckman Creek bisects the park and joins the Willamette River just outside the southeast corner of the park. A pedestrian bridge over the creek provides an opportunity to view the City's first fish passage and stream restoration project. Approximately 50 acres of native forest can be explored in the park. The native landscapes of the park provide wonderful opportunities for walking and observing wildlife.

During the spring of 2015, the park recieved an updated 10-year Master Plan including: park rehabilitation, enhancement of existing elements and the addition of new recreational features.

### Murase Plaza

Murase Plaza has become the community's playground. The interactive water feature and spray deck serve as a gateway into Memorial Park. As visitors move through the park, the amenities create a series of experiences that move the visitor from today to the City's rich past. Park users transition from urban to rural and architectural to nature as they move east across the park towards Boeckman Creek. An old nut orchard and the century old Stein-Boozier barn sit adjacent to the children's play area. Overall, the peaceful setting provides a draw for all ages and activity levels.

The Murase playground contains two large play structures with one of the structures being fully accessible.

#### Town Center Park and Oregon Korean War Memorial



Town Center Park, an urban park located in the heart of the city, is a popular destination for people of all ages. One of the highlights of the park is a water feature where kids can play and splash on hot summer days. The park includes a large grassy area, kids play area, half-court basketball court, picnic areas and is home to community concerts and festivals. The Parks and Recreation Administrative Offices are also located within Town Center Park.

The Oregon Korean War Memorial was dedicated in Town Center Park on September 30, 2000. The memorial centerpiece is a 94 foot long 'Wall of Honor' containing the names of 287 Oregon service men and women killed in the Korean War. A bronze statue honoring General Douglas MacArthur is also located at the Memorial.

#### **Boones Ferry Park**

Boone's Ferry Park is located along the Willamette River at the terminus of Boone's Ferry Road in Old Town. The park is the former location of the Boone's Ferry which crossed the Willamette River. River ferries crossed here for 107 years, transporting thousands of horses, cows, buggies, automobiles and pedestrians across the river connecting Salem to Portland prior to the completion of Interstate 5. Boone's Ferry ceased operations in 1954. The Tauchman House, located in Boone's Ferry Park, is a turn-of-the-century house available for private events. From Boone's Ferry Park, a trail under the Boone bridge connects to Memorial Park.



#### Graham Oaks Nature Park

Adjacent to the western city limits, the 250-acre Graham Oaks Nature Park is a part of the regional open space system. Owned and operated by Metro, the site improvements provide visitors with opportunities to interact with nature. Graham Oaks showcases sustainable development practices and includes a small parking lot along Wilsonville Road, a hierarchy of trail types with miles of walking and cycling paths, a picnic shelter, restrooms, interpretive nodes with seating, educational information and areas for quiet contemplation. The site was completely restored in 2007, with over 150,000 trees and shrubs being planted in six different habitat types.

The site contains a mix of forested terrain, seasonal wetlands and Oregon white oak savanna offering rich wildlife viewing opportunities.



Paths traverse the site connecting to existing neighborhoods and schools and the CREST environmental education center, providing visitors with opportunities to interact with diverse habitats and wildlife.

#### Natural Areas and Native Habitats

A diversity of native habitats can be found within Wilsonville's park system. In the Willamette Valley, landscapes and plant



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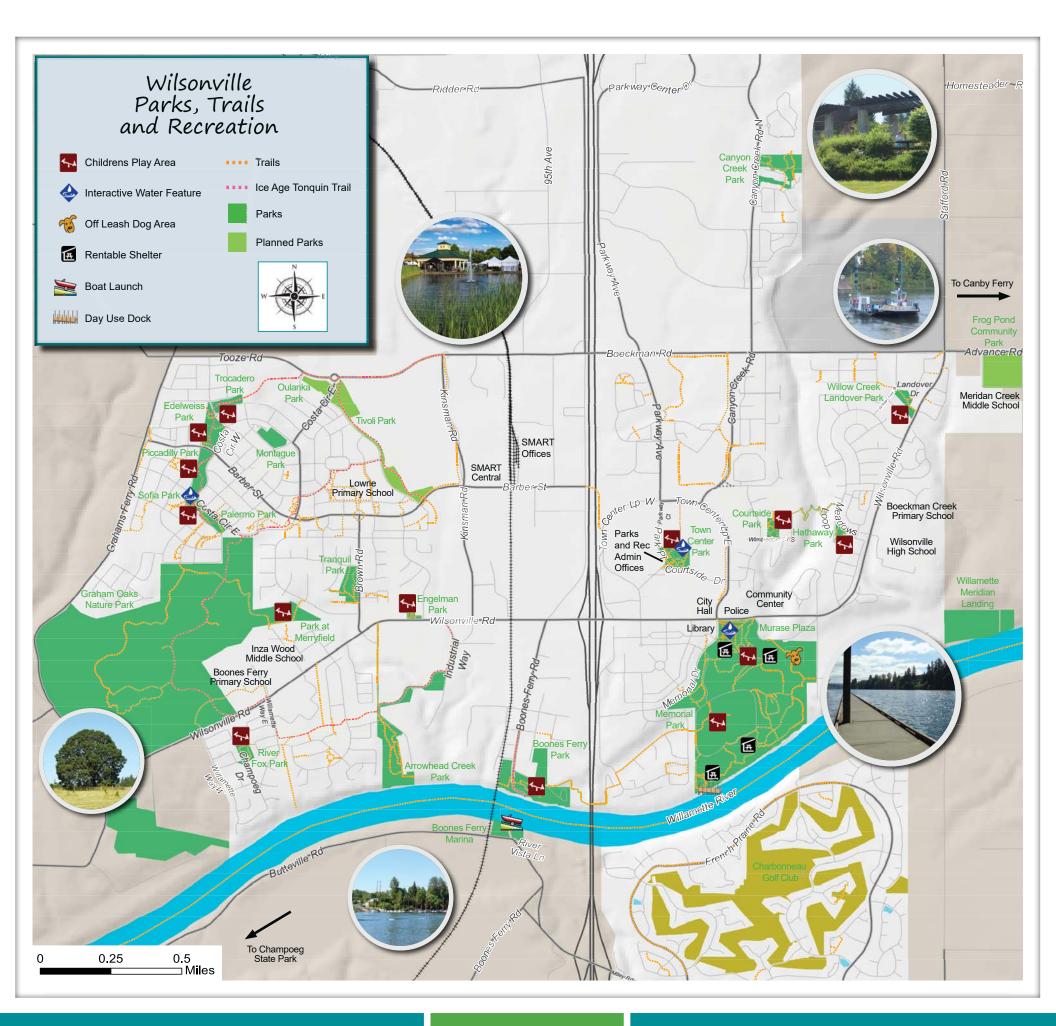
guakes and floods have shaped the land-

scape and created distinct soils and landforms. Native people maintained open pasture through periodic burns and settlers cleared extensive areas for agriculture. Native habitats such as meadows, coniferous forests, mixed deciduous woodlands, riparian corridors and wetlands are all accessible in local parks. Take a moment to visit the Oregon Ash forested wetland at Park at Merryfield or the mixed coniferous/deciduous forests of Memorial Park.

During the fall of 2018, the park recieved an updated Master Plan including: greater river access, a dog park, a new playground, increased trails and a landing site for the French Prairie Bridge.

Arrowhead Creek Park 10350 SW Arrowhead Creek Lane	Park Amenities	۲	) 🧶		?	5	<b>€_</b> 4		1	2	~	<b>+</b>   <b>† (</b>				Park Rules
Boones Ferry Park 31240 SW Boones Ferry Road	Arrowhead Creek Park		1414				_	•		*	*	•		٢	Soccer Fields	In an effort to keep Wilsonville parks safe and enjoyable for all users we ask that you obey the following:
Canyon Creek Park 26610 SW Canyon Creek Road	Boones Ferry Park		٠				٠			•	٠	٠	4	<b></b>	Baseball/Softball Fields	Park hours are 5:00am to 10:00pm unless otherwise approved.
Courtside Park 7665 SW Wimbledon Circle South	Canyon Creek Park									•	٠	٠	•	۹	Basketball Court	Alcohol is not permitted in
Edelweiss Park 28970 SW Costa Circle West	Courtside Park						٠			•	٠				Sand Volleyball	Wilsonville parks unless approved by permit.
Engelman Park 29987 SW Montebello Drive	Edelweiss Park		٠		٠		٠			•	٠					All Wilsonville parks are smoke and tobacco-free.
Graham Oaks Nature Park 11825 SW Wilsonville Road	Engelmann Park						٠			•	٠			P	Tennis	
Hathaway Park 29455 SW Meadow Loop	Graham Oaks (Metro Owned)									•	٠	٠	•	•	Pickleball	Keep pets on-leash except in the Dog Park located at Memorial Park; properly dispose of pet waste.
Memorial Park 8100 SW Memorial Drive	Hathaway Park		٠			٠	٠			•	٠			2	Skate Park	Overnight camping is not allowed in
Murase Plaza	Memorial Park	• •	•	• •	•		٠		•	•	٠	•	• •	4.4	Childrens Play Area	Wilsonville parks.
8300 SW Memorial Drive Palermo Park	Murase Plaza						٠	٠		•	٠	•	• •		,	No open flames, fires, charcoal grills or camp stoves shall be allowed.
28732 SW Costa Circle East Park at Merryfield	Palermo Park		٠							٠	٠			Ś	Interactive Water Feature	Propane grills may be used but must be kept on paved surfaces.
29778 SW Camelot Street Piccadilly Park	Park at Merryfield						٠			•	٠			TS	Off Leash Dog Area	No person shall possess any loaded firearm; discharge any firearm, pellet
28870 SW Costa Cirle West River Fox Park	Piccadilly Park			•			٠			•	٠			2	Walking Trails	gun, bow and arrow, slingshot, or other weapon capable of inflicting
11249 SW Champoeg Drive Sofia Park	River Fox Park						٠			•	٠		•		Picnic Tables	injury on any person, bird or animal.
28836 SW Costa Circle West Town Center Park	Sofia Park						٠	٠		٠	٠	٠		 		No removal of, or damage to, park grounds, structures or facilities.
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# Park Facility Rental

#### Stein-Boozier Barn

The Stein-Boozier Barn is a rustic barn (circa 1901) located in Murase Plaza, with a main gathering space of 1,325 square feet. Amenities include: clear bulb string-lighting, tables & chairs,



## Field Rental

#### Memorial Park

Fields are available for rent from April 1st to October 31st depending on weather conditions.

The City of Wilsonville is dedicated to creating There are 5 baseball/softball fields and 3 soccer community through people, parks, and programs

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and a 10' bar with a sink. The area in front of the barn contains terraced basalt stone seating and both front and rear sliding doors can be opened. Maximum capacity: 96



corner of the park near ball field 5. This is the largest covered shelter in the park and its amenities include: electricity, water, 16 picnic tables, and a large grassy area suitable for lawn games. River access is just a short walk away. Maximum capacity: 200

#### **Forest Shelter**

The Forest Shelter at Memorial Park sits in the SE corner of the park and is a secluded shady shelter near ball field 3. Amenities include: electricity, water, and 20 picnic tables. The surrounding area is very wooded with a small sloping grassy area. Maximum capacity: 150

For more information and to view rental pricing, please visit: WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/Reserve

#### **River Shelter**

The River Shelter at Memorial Park sits in the SW

#### outheld of ball field 4 can be used for small sided soccer games.

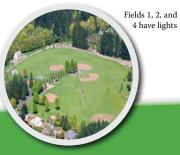
Baseball/Softball Fields Dimensions:

Fields 1 and 2: Dirt infields with 60, 65, 70' and 80' base length capabilities

Field 3: Grass infield with pitching mound and 70', 80', and 90' base length capabilities

Field 4: Dirt infield with 60', 65', and 70' base length capabilities

Field 5: Dirt infield with 60' and 65' base length capabilities



We strive to enrich the lives of Wilsonville citizens by providing diverse opportunities for personal development and social interaction.

**Opportunities** 

Recreational

The Parks and Rec Department provides recreation programs, encompassing all age groups from preschool to older adults and offering community members a chance to experience the arts, fitness programs, sports activities, family events and a wide range of classes.

To find out more information about our great program offerings, youth sports or special events please visit the Parks and Rec website.

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