

Healthy Communities Park and Outdoor Recreation Investment Plan

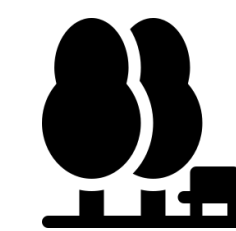


- **\$20 million investment in parks and recreation facilities**
- **\$15 million Oakland County ARPA funding + \$5 million commitment by Oakland County Parks and Recreation**



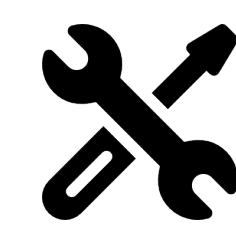
Goals

- Revitalize and enhance parks located in or servicing residents of communities most impacted by the pandemic.
- Improve physical and mental health, social connectivity and quality of life of residents.
- Address barriers to equitable access and use of quality park and recreation opportunities for residents of all ages and abilities.
- Leveraging funding through partnerships with local governments
- Sustain and build on investment through agreements to transition management of urban parks to Oakland County Parks and Recreation



Oakland County Parks Locations

- Catalpa Oaks, Southfield
- Lyon Oaks, Lyon Township
- Red Oaks, Madison Heights
- Waterford Oaks, Waterford Township



Planned improvement examples

- Walking and hiking trails
- Universally accessible playgrounds
- Outdoor exercise and fitness equipment
- Athletic fields and courts
- Water and winter recreation facilities
- Natural resource restoration and preservation
- Family and group gathering spaces



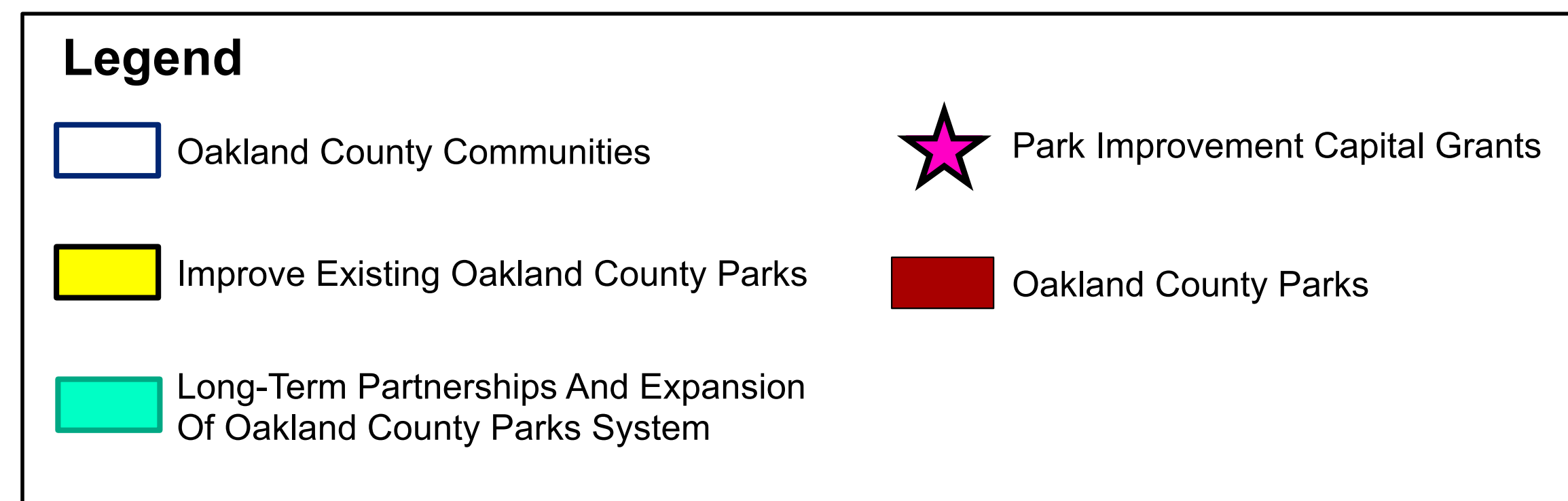
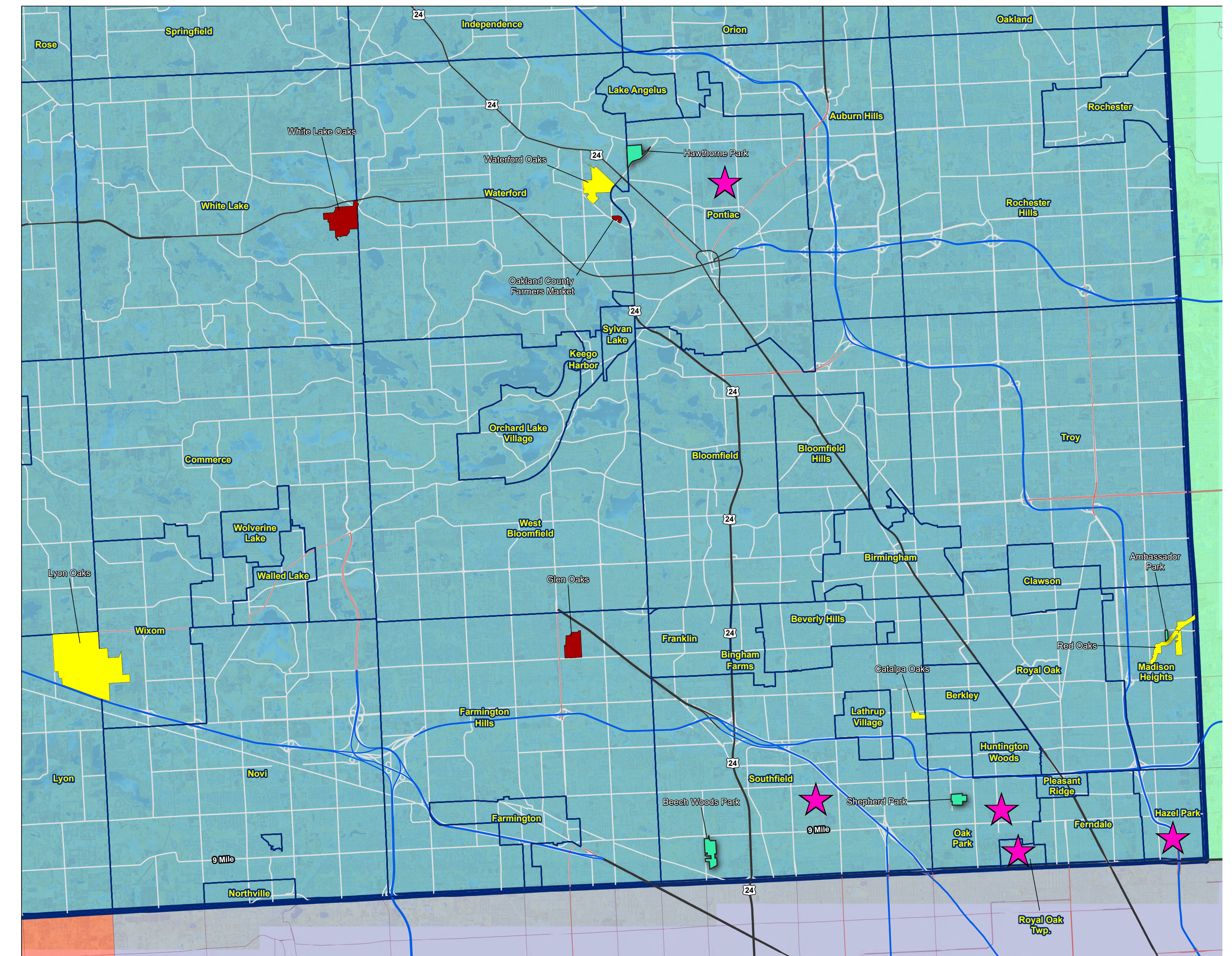
Park improvement capital grants

- \$500,000 to Pontiac for local park and recreation priorities
- \$500,000 to Oak Park for investments in Shepherd Park
- \$500,000 to Southfield for splash pad at Beech Woods Park
- \$400,000 to Hazel Park for improvements at Green Acres Park
- \$300,000 to Royal Oak Township for improvements to Mack-Rowe Park



Long-term partnerships and expansion of Parks System

- Hawthorne Park, Pontiac
- Shepherd Park (part), Oak Park
- Beech Woods Park (part), Southfield
- Ambassador Park, Madison Heights
- Hazel Park Community Center (joint recreation facilities)



Southfield Oaks at Beech Woods Park



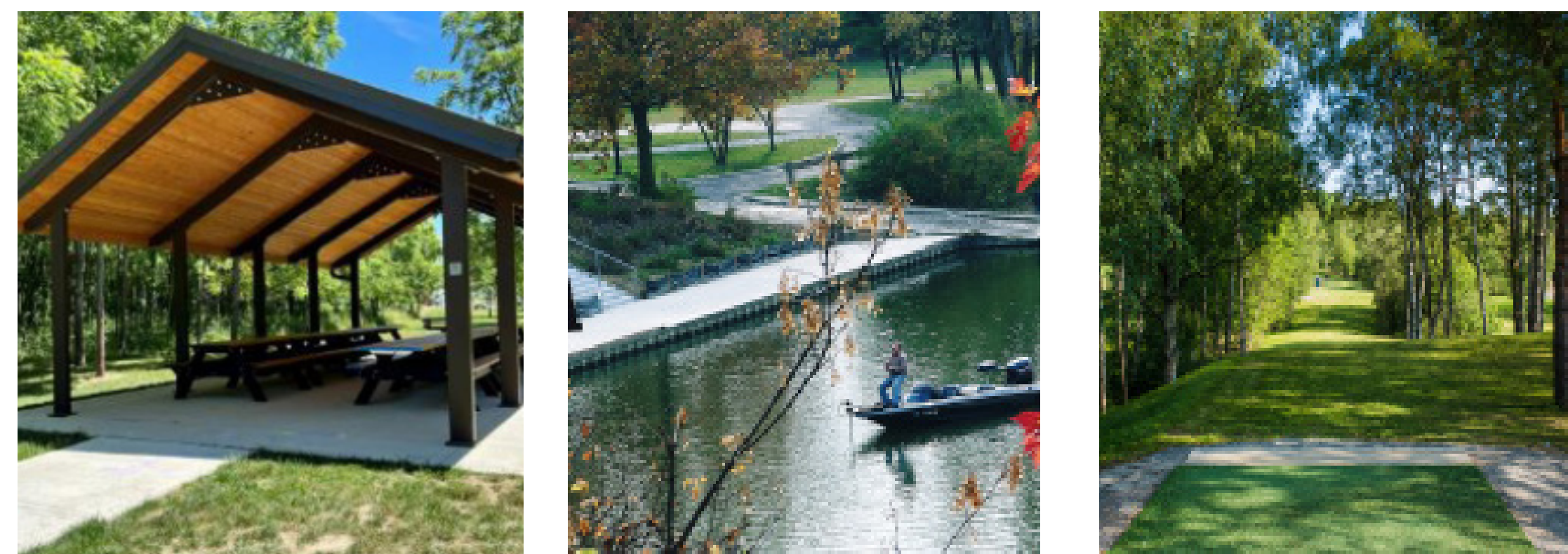
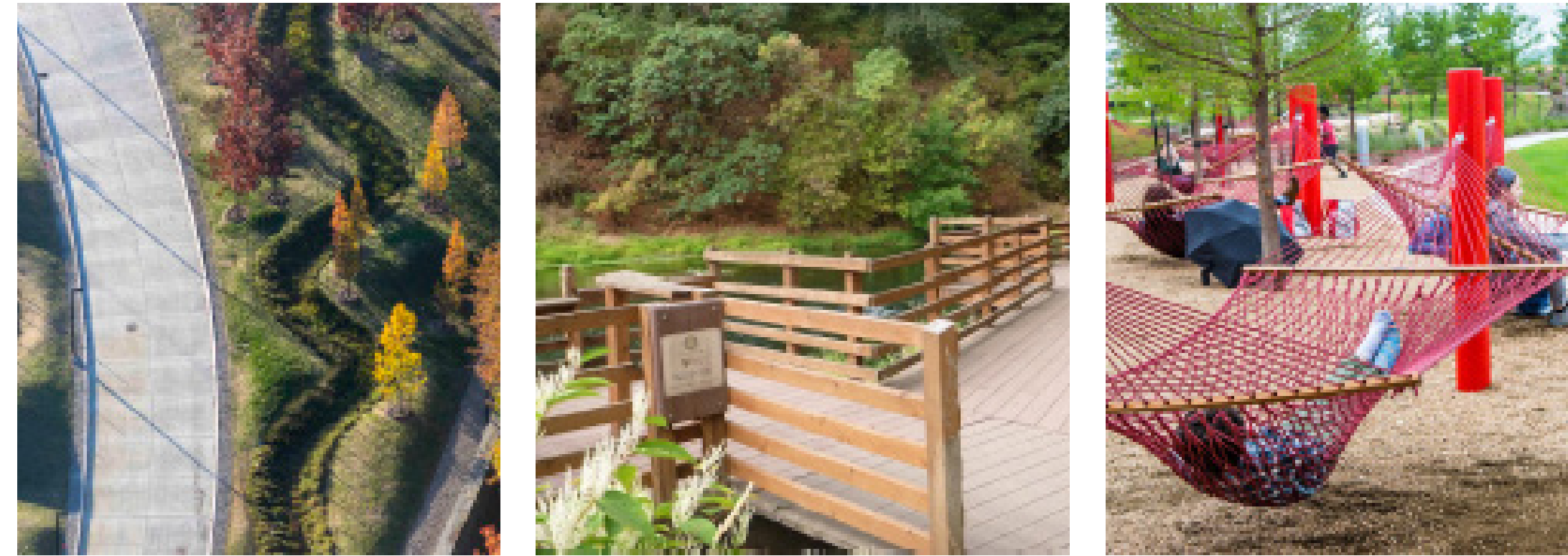
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Partnership Parks - Preliminary Projects

Beech Woods, Southfield

Projects: natural features and landscape conversion from golf course, walking trails, boardwalk and viewing platform, pavilions, joint park infrastructure with neighboring Beech Woods Park.

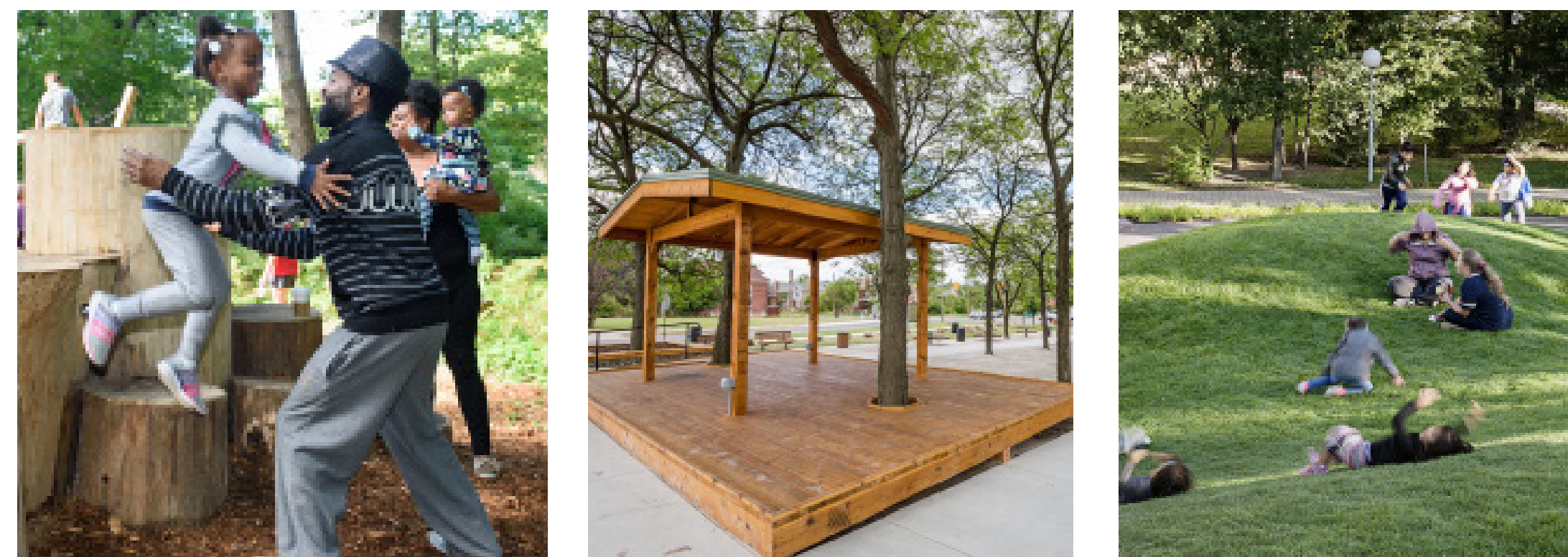


Hawthorne Park, Pontiac

Projects: walking and nature trails, improved disc golf, playground improvements, repair of fishing dock, invasive species treatment, restroom facilities, pavilions and natural resources restoration/preservation.

Shepherd Park, Oak Park (part)

Projects: Trail and walking path improvements, nature themed universally accessible playground, fitness equipment, pavilion/gathering space facilities and natural resources restoration/preservation.



Local Government Park Grants

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Hazel Park Community Center:

- \$300,000 will be dedicated to develop joint recreation facilities and enhance services to southern Oakland County.

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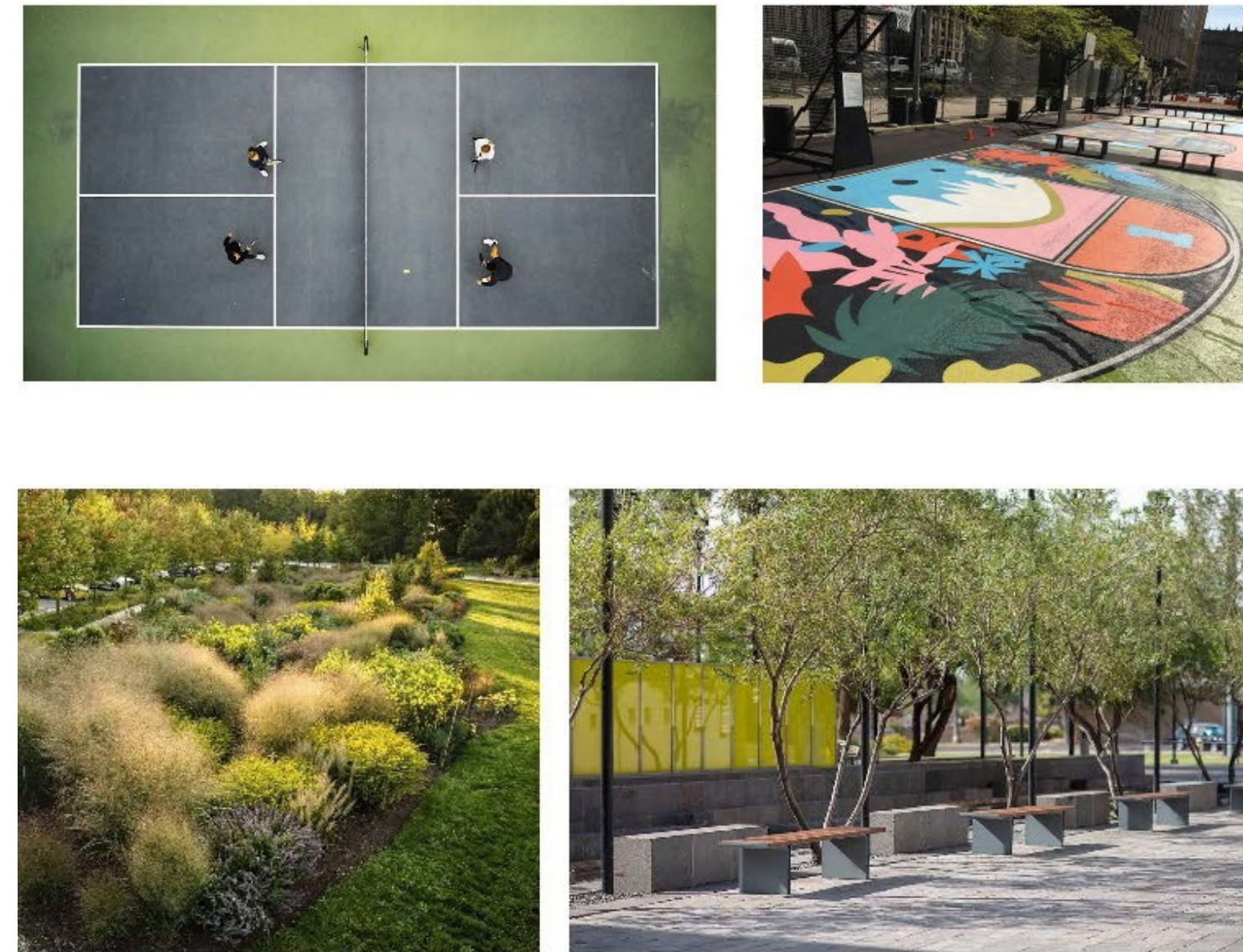
One-time investments in Oakland County Parks and Recreation system

Catalpa Oaks County Park, Southfield

ARPA Funded: Construct pickle ball court, basketball court, exercise/activity equipment, pavilion and gathering space amenities, rain garden/bioswales, tree planting, seating

OCPR Funded: parking/trail improvements, shared costs for ARPA projects

Total investment: \$1 million

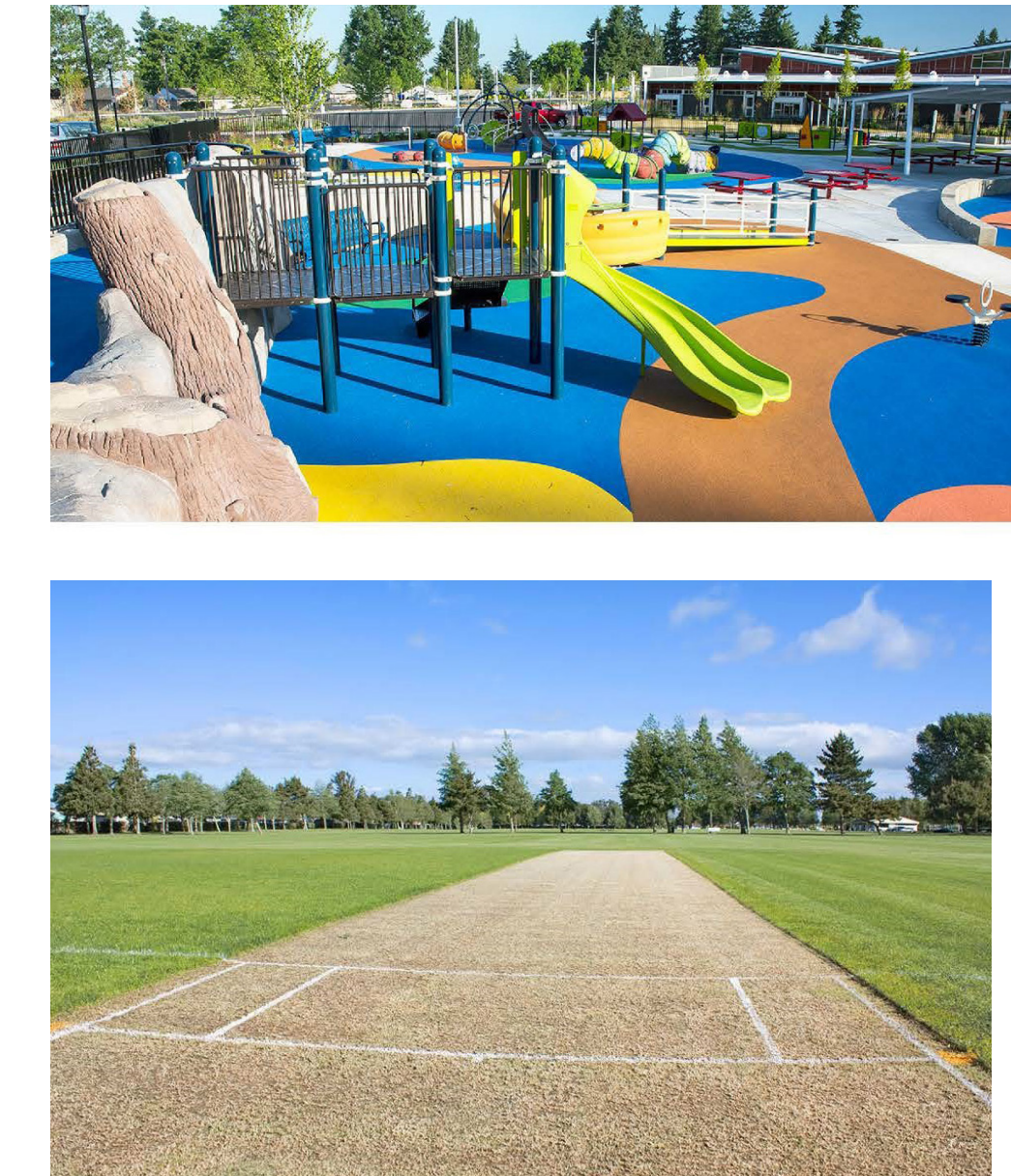


Lyon Oaks County Park, Lyon Township

ARPA Funded: regional trail connection construction, construct universally accessible playground, construct pickleball court, pavilion/gatherings space

OCPR Funded: shared costs for ARPA projects

Total investment: \$500,000



Red Oaks County Park, Madison Heights

ARPA Funded: landscape restoration, native gardens, tree planting, trailway/walking path construction, construction of pickleball courts, construct green restroom, play structures, seating, pavilion(s)

OCPR Funded: shared costs for ARPA projects, parking, and dog park improvements

Total investment: \$4.75 million



Waterford Oaks County Park, Waterford

ARPA Funded: native garden, invasive species removal, pavilions, trail improvements, splash pad, ice rink, sledding hill improvements/resurfacing, construct pickleball courts

OCPR Funded: shared costs for ARPA projects, parking improvements

Total investment: \$4.5 million

