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CITY-COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

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Comment on draft Missoula Urban Area Open Space Plan through May 31

[Missoula Parks and Recreation](#) and the [Missoula County Parks, Trails and Open Lands Program](#) are accepting public comment on the draft 2019 Missoula Urban Area Open Space Plan. Residents may view the plan and complete a brief public comment survey at www.missoulaparks.org through May 31.

The draft 2019 Missoula Urban Area Open Space Plan is the first chapter of the joint City-County Parks, Recreation, Trails and Open Space (PROST) plan to be completed. Currently in development, the PROST plan will guide the City and County's next decade of work related to parks, trails and open space in the Missoula urban area. The [PROST planning region](#) includes the City of Missoula and portions of Missoula County.

The draft Missoula Urban Area Open Space Plan updates the 1995 and 2006 open space plans and addresses Missoula-area residents' current desire for a connected open space system that balances public access, natural resources and population growth in the Missoula urban area. Its purpose is to help guide the work of the City's open space program as well as the County's open lands program in the greater Missoula Valley and urban area.

For more information, call 721-PARK (7275) or visit www.missoulaparks.org.

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