



Village of Bellaire
2018 Recreation Plan Survey

January 2017

The Village's current five year recreation plan will expire December 31, 2017. My how time has flown by! Your input matters. We would like to know what is important to you and your family for the Village. To assure that your answers become part of the revised recreation plan, please complete and return this survey to the Village office as soon as possible. All surveys are confidential and anonymous. If you have any questions, please contact the village offices at 231.533.8213.

Are you a resident of the Village of Bellaire? ..... Yes ..... No

If not a resident, how much time do you spend in Bellaire annually? \_\_\_\_\_

About how many times did you or anyone in your family use the following in the last year?

- Boat launch at the end of River St. (east of walking bridge)..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Boat launch at Ohio St. (behind downtown)..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Craven Park ball fields..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Craven Park campground..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Ice rink in Richardi Park ..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Richardi Park ..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Rotary Soccer Park ..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Summer Ball League fields (across from Meadow Brook) ..... \_\_\_\_\_ times
Walking path..... \_\_\_\_\_ times

Do you see the need for improved access to the following?

- Boat launch at the end of River St. (east of walking bridge)..... Yes ..... No
Boat launch at Ohio St. (behind downtown)..... Yes ..... No
Craven Park ball fields ..... Yes ..... No
Craven Park campground ..... Yes ..... No
Richardi Park ..... Yes ..... No
Rotary Soccer Park ..... Yes ..... No
Summer Ball League fields (across from Meadow Brook) ..... Yes ..... No
Walking path ..... Yes ..... No

Future Projects

Would you like to see the Village work toward universal accessibility of the water trail system? ..... Yes ..... No

Would you view major improvements at the Craven Park ball fields as an asset to the village? ..... Yes ..... No

Do you see a need to dredge Craven Pond? ..... Yes ..... No

Do you see a need for a kayak/canoe portaging station around the dam in Richardi Park?..... Yes ..... No

Would you like to see a historical walk in the Village? ..... Yes ..... No

Do you see a need for the construction of kayak lockers at the end of Ohio St.? (These would enable kayakers to secure their watercraft and walk to the downtown area.)..... Yes ..... No

Do you see a need for the construction of kayak lockers in Richardi Park? (These would enable kayakers to secure their watercraft and walk to the downtown area.)..... Yes ..... No

The 2013-2017 Recreation Plan included the following goals. Please **circle the three (3) goals** that are most important to you and your family.

**Goals**

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Maintain and improve public access to the Intermediate & Cedar Rivers.

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Foster collaborative efforts and relationships with Federal, State, other local governmental units, local businesses, and non-profit organizations.

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Provide multigenerational recreational opportunities and activities for people of all ages and abilities.

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Improve Village park connections and construct links from the Village parks to the township trail system.

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Market & promote the Village’s recreational assets to the community and to the area’s tourist economy.

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Protect, manage and enhance all existing parks.

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Please use this space to comment about the Village’s parks or suggest other recreational opportunities.

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*Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey.  
We look forward to receiving your input!*