



# Parks, Recreation, Open Space and Trails Master Plan

## Craig PROST Survey #2

Recommendations for improvements to Craig’s parks, recreation, trails and open space system are currently being developed. One category of improvements is basic maintenance of the existing system that the City of Craig provides. These projects include replacement of aging facilities, adding loop walks to parks, finishing planned improvements to Breeze Park, and improving universal accessibility at playgrounds and to park elements.

In addition to these, there are new projects that have been identified within city limits, unincorporated areas near the city, and along the Yampa River. Ideas have also been generated for Loudy Simpson Park and Sherman Youth Camp, which are both managed by Moffat County.

**1. The following projects have been identified as major capital improvements to the Craig’s parks, recreation, open space, and trails system. Please indicate your level of support for each of these projects (See Master Plan Map):**

	<b>Strongly Support</b>	<b>Moderate Support</b>	<b>Low Support</b>	<b>Do not Support</b>	<b>No Opinion</b>
a. Improve facilities at Loudy Simpson Park					
b. Multipurpose trail from Loudy Simpson Park to Pebble Beach					
c. Multipurpose trail from hotel district (West 1 <sup>st</sup> Street) to Loudy Simpson Park (includes a pedestrian bridge crossing Yampa River)					
d. Multipurpose trail along Fortification Creek					
e. Hiking/Biking trail across Pan-O-Rama Park (includes prohibiting vehicle access)					
f. Diversion Park river access point and day use area including reconstruction/improvement of the safety of the diversion structure					
g. Construct a skate park (Suggested location at Woodbury Park)					
h. On-street biking improvements (e.g. dedicated bike lanes and/or sharrows)					
i. Recreation/Aquatics Center (Gyms, weight room, exercise rooms, walking track, pools, etc)					

2. It is important to know what the community would like to be implemented first. Please place the number 1 through 9, using each only once, to indicate the order of priority for the following projects (1 is highest priority : 9 is lowest priority) (See Master Plan Map):

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3. Are there missing projects, or different potential trail or on-street hiking and bicycle connections? (See Master Plan Map)

- Nope, looks good!
- Different or missing trail location, project or idea. Provide description.

4. The following facilities have been identified as major capital improvements to Loudy Simpson Park, which is currently owned and managed by Moffat County. Moving and reconstructing the boat put-in/take-out at the north end of the park is necessary because of the erosion that occurs in its current location. A more stable and safe location has been identified downstream, and has been identified as a high priority project. Please indicate your level of support for these other ideas:

	Strongly Support	Moderate Support	Low Support	Do not Support	No Opinion
a. Provide day use facilities (picnic shelters, seating, overlook, trailhead, toilets, drinking water) and improve river access for tubers in the vicinity of the existing boat ramp and campsites					
b. Improve the surfacing and extent of the loop trail around the park					
c. Construct a fenced area for dogs to be off-leash (e.g. dog park)					
d. Remove two ballfields to reduce capital and maintenance costs					
e. Upgrade the conditions of the ballfields					
f. Construct a new multi-purpose pavilion/performance stage for rentals by groups (location to be determined)					
g. Replace outdated picnic shelters					

**5. Where is the best location for a fenced dog park? (Select one)**

- Loudy Simpson
- East Park
- Both Loudy Simpson and East Park
- Other, please identify: \_\_\_\_\_

**6. Sherman Youth Camp is a unique facility managed by Moffat County on Forest Service Land. What do you think the overall vision should be for the facility? (Check all that apply)**

- Youth Programming (Boy Scouts, under-represented youth's intro to the outdoors)
- Group Events (family reunions, church picnics, wedding)
- Group camping with primitive sites (existing condition)
- New camping facilities (cabins, yurts, etc.)
- Commercial outfitters destination (hunting, ATV/snowmobiling tours)
- Other, please identify: \_\_\_\_\_

**7. Please indicate your level of support for each of these features within an indoor aquatics facility:**

	Strongly Support	Moderate Support	Low Support	Do not Support	No Opinion
a. Leisure pool with spray features (play pool)					
b. Exercise lap lanes					
c. 5-lane competition pool					
d. Warm water therapy pool					
e. Lazy River					
f. Slides					

**8. Please indicate your level of support for each of these features within a recreation center:**

	Strongly Support	Moderate Support	Low Support	Do not Support	No Opinion
a. Multipurpose gyms					
b. Walking Track					
c. Weight Room					
d. Exercise/Aerobic areas					
e. Community Meeting Rooms					

Our final questions are for classification purposes only. The answers to these questions help us better understand the residents of Craig. Your answers to these questions, like all of the survey questions, are confidential and are used only when combined with all other peoples' responses. However, your responses are optional.

**9. Which of the following best describes your ethnic background?**

- White/Caucasian
- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Black, African American
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Other / Mixed race

**10. Are you Hispanic/Latino?**

- Yes
- No

11. Which of the following categories best describes your household's annual income before taxes?

- Under \$20,000
- \$20,000 to \$39,999
- \$40,000 to \$59,999
- \$60,000 to \$89,999
- \$90,000 to \$119,000
- \$120,000 or more

12. What is your age?

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13. How many members of your household are under age 18?

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14. How many members of your household are over age 65?

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15. Do you own your home or rent your residence in Craig?

- Own
- Rent
- Do not live in Craig

16. Do you live in Craig city limits?

- Yes
- No

17. If you live in Craig, how many years have you lived in the City?

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