

# Town of Winfall, NC

Re: Updates to Perquimans County  
Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Plan

Winfall Public Meeting  
November 24, 2025  
6:00 PM



## Winfall Landing Park

### 2018 Perquimans County Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Plan

#### Existing Activities

- Playground Equipment
- Shelter w/Restrooms
- Boardwalk
- Kayak Launch
- Open Space

#### Public Comment

- Unsafe playground equipment
- Pier in bad shape
- Restrooms need restoring
- Park is not ADA compliant



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#### Improvements Made

- 2022 Loose boards replaced on boardwalk

#### Input

- Significant interest in adding a boat ramp. There is enough property where ramp can be constructed inside property boundary (ramp doesn't extend into waterway).
- Currently, people rent the pavilion, but usage would increase if improved.
- Update restrooms and pavilion
- Wifi based kayak rental kiosk
- Replace play/round equipment
- Provide designated parking with ADA spaces; hard surface connection to pavilion
- Picnic Tables w/shade cover
- Benches
- Splash Pad



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#### New Ideas

Vision = residents spending more time outside – walking, bicycling, visiting pocket-parks, water-based activities, with designated safe pathways/trails within the Town and connecting to the Church Street bridge to Hertford.

- #1 Priority is enhancing Landing Park
- Add "pocket-parks" in residential areas for youth and families include pickle ball, basketball court, benches, picnic tables with grills.
- Add benches and shade structures along pedestrian walking areas
- Build gazebo/small shade structure with benches north of Church Street Bridge. People walk over the bridge to Hertford. (NCDOT has granted permission).
- Contact NCDOT to pursue sidewalk and bike paths identified in 2018 NCDOT CTP.
- Connect both schools on Winfall Blvd with sidewalk

**RECREATION ACTIVITIES IDEA LIST**  
The survey will request activities ideas for each age group or your household.

GAMES	PARADES	ADULTS
<input type="checkbox"/> Horseshoes	<input type="checkbox"/> Walking/Trails	<input type="checkbox"/> Exercise Stations or
<input type="checkbox"/> Basketball	<input type="checkbox"/> Soccer Fields	<input type="checkbox"/> Wellness Trails
<input type="checkbox"/> Checkers/Chess	<input type="checkbox"/> Golfing	<input type="checkbox"/> Tai Chi
<input type="checkbox"/> Crochets	<input type="checkbox"/> Bird Watching	<input type="checkbox"/> Rope Courses
<input type="checkbox"/> Pool/Bat	<input type="checkbox"/> Genealogy/Archaeology	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ping Pong	<input type="checkbox"/> Picnic/Grilling	<b>AQUARIUMS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Beach Ball	<input type="checkbox"/> Playgrounds w/obstacle	<input type="checkbox"/> Swimming - Sport, water- park, programming, and learn- ing. Will require Federal Permits for professional activity.
<b>SPORTS</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Splash Pad	
<input type="checkbox"/> Archery	<input type="checkbox"/> Dog Park	
<input type="checkbox"/> Soccer		<b>YOUTH PROGRAMS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Tennis	<b>SENIOR ACTIVITIES</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> After School
<input type="checkbox"/> Basketball	<input type="checkbox"/> Karating	<input type="checkbox"/> Summer Day Camp
<input type="checkbox"/> Skateboarding	<input type="checkbox"/> Fishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Handicraft or craft
<input type="checkbox"/> Flag Football	<input type="checkbox"/> Bowling	<input type="checkbox"/> Tutoring/Operations
<input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball	<input type="checkbox"/> Swimming - Leisure	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pickleball	<b>ARTS &amp; CULTURE</b>	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Drama/Theater	
<input type="checkbox"/> T-Ball	<input type="checkbox"/> Art Shows	<b>SPECIAL EVENTS &amp; CELE- BRATIONS</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Softball/Baseball	<input type="checkbox"/> Library Reading Programs	<input type="checkbox"/> Annual Festivals
<input type="checkbox"/> Chess/Bull		<input type="checkbox"/> Live Music
<input type="checkbox"/> Golf	<b>FITNESS CENTER</b>	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Weight Lifting	<input type="checkbox"/> Movie Nights (Indoor and
<b>CLASSIFICATION/OTHER</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yoga/Pilates	<input type="checkbox"/> Concerts
<input type="checkbox"/> Any & all of the above or nothing, nothing, nothing (nothing, nothing, nothing)	<input type="checkbox"/> Events/Workshops	<input type="checkbox"/> Music Making
<input type="checkbox"/> Drinking (soft or hard), beer, wine, etc. (not for sale)	<input type="checkbox"/> Wellness Classes	<input type="checkbox"/> Horse Riding
	<input type="checkbox"/> Pilates	<input type="checkbox"/> Hobbies
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yoga, Tai Chi, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/> Trivia Nights

### Example of Recreation Activity Ideas that will Appear in the Countywide Survey

- "Other \_\_\_\_\_" will be available in each category
- The survey asks each age group to pick 5 activities
- The survey will be sent electronically but also is available in hard copy at specific locations – To Be Decided and announced.
- Tentative date to distribute survey - December 1, 2025.

Please contact Robin Payne Consulting with any ideas or questions!  
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#### Next Steps

1. Countywide survey distributed to the Perquimans County residents via direct email and hard copy where needed
2. Draft Comp Plan is presented to County Parks and Recreation Committee and the Public
3. Final Comp Plan is presented to County Commissioners

#### Recommendations to Increase Access to Funding

- Winfall Council adopts the County Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Plan Town of Winfall section.
- Add Parks and Recreation to your Strategic Plan and Adopt
- Add Parks and Recreation costs to Winfall Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) and adopt
- Develop a Winfall Park System Plan that includes parks, sidewalks, bike paths, and adopt
  - Detail the proposed improvements for each recreation area
  - Detail the management of each

