

# Recreation Plans



- Planning for recreational services and facilities is a unique and specialized aspect of a community's overall planning program. Long-term planning for recreation is necessary to insure adequate facilities are available to meet future needs.
- In Michigan, recreation planning also enables communities to become eligible for recreation grants through the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR). If a community does not have an approved recreation plan they are not eligible to apply for grant monies.
- Birchler Arroyo Associates, Inc. has prepared numerous recreation plans for our clients. Plans have received MDNR approval and have resulted in successful grant applications for parks, trails and nature centers totaling in the hundreds of thousands of dollars.



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