While you are waiting for the meeting to start….

• Please update your Zoom name to include your **Neighborhood**
  
  Example: Jane Doe - Greenbush

• Check your microphone and speaker.

• Can you ‘Mute’ and ‘Un-Mute’ your self?
Meeting Logistics and Etiquette

• This meeting and all breakout sessions will be recorded as well as transcript of chat saved.

• All participants will be muted during the presentation and unmuted for the breakout sessions.

• Please use the chat window for brief questions, we will response to as many as possible during the meeting.
Meeting Logistics - Comments

• If you have not already, please take the online survey [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VilasParkConcepts](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VilasParkConcepts)

• You may also email [VilasMasterPlan@cityofmadison.com](mailto:VilasMasterPlan@cityofmadison.com) to share your comments.

The survey will remain open until July 12th.
Meeting Logistics - Chat

• Chat Test — Enter answer to the following question in the Zoom meeting chat:

What did you do in the park the last time you visited?
Meeting Logistics - Chat

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• If you are having technical issues related to the meeting please send a direct chat message to:

  Daniel Schmitt – MSA

Please do not message “Everyone”
Meeting Logistics - Polling

- Polling will be used at three (3) points during the meeting. Please verify you can see and answer poll questions.
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Test Poll –
Have you already reviewed concepts online?
• Yes
• No
Vilas Park Master Plan

Community Input Meeting
Meeting #2
June 22, 2020
Vilas Park Master Plan – Community Input Meeting #2

Project Schedule – Phase II

PROJECT TIMELINE
Vilas Park Master Plan: Phase II

December 2020
Site Analysis information compiled for master plan report and upcoming meetings; park use observations continue

January 2020
Master Plan survey closes. Additional input received from Greenbush and Vilas Neighborhood Association Meetings. Public comments received to-date from all sources reviewed and compiled

February 2020
Youth Workshop, Focus Groups, Community Partners, Resident Resource Group & Interagency Staff meetings to review public comment

March 2020
Development of Schematic Plans

Early Spring 2020
Combined Community Partners & Resident Resource Group Meeting and Youth Workshop follow-up to review Schematic Plans

Spring 2020
Public Meeting to review Schematic Plans
Vilas Park Master Plan – Community Input Meeting #2

Project Schedule – Phase III

**PROJECT TIMELINE**

Vilas Park Master Plan: **Phase III**

- **Draft Master Plan Report**
  - Interagency Staff, State Agency Staff, Community Partners, Resident Resource Group and Focus Group Sessions

- **Public Meeting to review Draft Master Plan Report**

  - **SPRING 2020**

- **Public Meeting to review Final Master Plan Report**
  - **SUMMER 2020**

- **Combined Community Partners & Resident Resource Group Meeting to review Final Master Plan Report**
  - **FALL 2020**

- **Final Master Plan Report**
  - Reviewed for adoption by Board of Park Commissioners

- **Project Complete**
  - **WINTER 2020**

- **Revisions (if needed) to Master Plan Report**
Poll #1

How far do you live from the park?
• Less than 3 blocks
• 3-8 blocks
• More than 8 blocks, but I can still walk or ride a bike to the park
• I don’t live near the park and I need a car or transit to get there
Historic Site Character
Lagoon 1913
Wingra Meadow
Wingra Meadow
Creating a Park

Lake Wingra Pre Park

Dredging the Lagoon

Lake Wingra Historic Shoreline

Original Lagoon
Soils
Slopes
Utilities
Zoning
Tree Survey
Wind
Seasonal Sun
Poll #2

Who designed the original Vilas Park plan?

• Henry Vilas
• O.C. Simonds
• Paul Soglin
**Public Engagement**

**Residential Resource Group**
- Meeting #1 – Nov. 6, 2019
- Meeting #2 – Feb. 10, 2020
- Meeting #3 (Jointly with CPAG) – April 22, 2020

**Community Partners Advisory Group**
- Meeting #1 – Sept. 23, 2019
- Meeting #2 – Feb. 11, 2020
- Meeting #3 (Jointly with RRG) – April 22, 2020

**Focus Groups**
- Meeting #1 – Sept. 25, 2019
- Meeting #2 – Dec. 10, 2019
- Meeting #3 – Feb. 6, 2020 (Youth Workshop)
- Ho Chunk Nation – Ongoing
- Access to Independence - Ongoing

**Federal/State Agencies**
- ACOE Meeting #1 – Aug. 28, 2019
- WIDNR Meeting #1 – Aug. 26, 2019
- ACOE Meeting #2 – May 18, 2020
- WIDNR Meeting #2 – April 20, 2020

**Interagency Meeting – City Departments**
- Meeting #1 – July 24, 2019
- Meeting #2 – Oct. 23, 2019
- Meeting #3 – Feb. 24, 2020
- Meeting #4 – April 27, 2020

**Public Survey and Site Observations**
- Survey #1 - Fact Finding – Fall 2019
- Survey #2 - Concept Review – Ongoing
- Site Observations – completed 12 months
Themes from Public Engagement

MOBILITY AND SAFETY

• Improve pedestrian safety along Vilas Park Drive corridor
• Consider accessibility in design of new trails and park features

ENVIRONMENT

• Improve lagoon water quality and shoreline access and aesthetics
• Increase quality and size of natural areas within the park
• Address stormwater issues in pedestrian areas
Themes from Public Engagement

COMMUNITY

• Continued engagement with neighborhoods and park users for improvements and programming
• Provide space for community events
• Incorporate park’s history into design and programming

CONNECTIVITY

• Improve physical connection to Madison through multimodal options (i.e. public transit, bike rental, canoe/kayak)
• Expand pedestrian connections within park
• Wayfinding improvements could alleviate traffic congestion during heavy visitation times
Themes from Public Engagement

A PARK FOR EVERYONE

- Offer programmed active spaces for adults
- Consider allowing dogs in some areas of park
- Continue to offer amenities and activities that can be enjoyed year round
BIG PICTURE DESIGN DRIVERS

- Vilas Park Drive
- Main Park Shelter
- Parking
- Open Space and Active Recreation
- Playgrounds
- Lagoon
- Vilas Park Drive
- Main Park Shelter
- Parking
- Open Space and Active Recreation
- Playgrounds
- Lagoon
MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

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- Lagoon
Vilas Park Drive

• Main Park Shelter

• Parking

• Open Space and Active Recreation

• Playgrounds

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Breakout Session 1 – Topic Discussion

To prepare for the breakout session please add the letter of the breakout room you would like to join in front of your name.

- Room **A** – Traffic, Access and Parking
- Room **B** – Lagoons, Natural Areas and Main Park Shelter
- Room **C** – Playgrounds, Recreation Areas, and Open Space
- Main Room (**don’t select a letter**) – General Q & A
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Vilas Park Drive
Vilas Park Master Plan – Community Input Meeting #2

Existing

MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

Vilas Park Drive Existing Cross-Section - West Bound

A

Lake Wingra

10’

18’

6’

35 ft

One Way Traffic,
Shared bike Lane - Eastbound
Separated Bike Lane - Westbound

B

Lake Wingra

6’-4”

29’-4”

8’-8”

Terrace

Two-way Traffic,
No Bike Lane or Sidewalk

Terrace

B’

Vilas Park Drive Existing Cross-Section - East Bound

Zoo

57x366

play MADISON PARKS

MSA
Concept A

- Vilas Park Drive
- Main Park Shelter
- Parking
- Open Space and Active Recreation
- Playgrounds
- Lagoon
Concept A

MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

Vilas Park Master Plan – RRG/CPAG Meeting #3

A: Shoreline Restoration, Native Plantings
B: Natural Areas
C: Wetlands

Lake Wingra

A

B

B'

A

B

C

Retaining Wall
B: Shoreline Restoration, Native Plants
C: New Zoo Fence

One Way Traffic, Shared bike Lane - Eastbound
Separated Bike Lane - Westbound

4’ 5’ 23’ 6’
6’

Walk

Two-way Traffic, Shared Bike Lanes

Walk

VI LAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT A CROSS-SECTION - WEST BOUND

VI LAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT A CROSS-SECTION - EAST BOUND
• Vilas Park Drive
• Main Park Shelter
• Parking
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• Vilas Park Drive
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Concept C

MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

Vilas Park Master Plan – Community Input Meeting #2

A Shoreline Restoration, Native Plantings
B Overlook
C Unprogrammed Open Space
D Natural Area
E Wetlands

Lake Wingra

VILAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT C CROSS-SECTION - WEST BOUND

VIAS PARK DRIVE CONCEPT C CROSS-SECTION - EAST BOUND
Main Park Shelter

Elver Park Shelter

Tenney Park Community Room
Vilas Park Drive
- Main Park Shelter
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Parking
Existing Parking
A – 144  
B – 8  
C – 196  
D – 56  
E – 25  
Total 429

Asphalt Pavement  
262,389 sf
Concept A

Existing Concept A

A – 144      189
B – 8        8
C – 196      152
D – 56       0
E - 25       64

Total 429      413

Asphalt Pavement
262,389sf  220,117sf

~42,000 SF ~ 1 acre

Recovered Greenspace
Existing  Concept C
A – 144  211
B – 8  8
C – 196  106
D – 56  68
E – 25  42
Total 429  435

Asphalt Pavement
262,389sf  221,368sf

~41,000 SF  
~1 acre

Recovered Greenspace
Open Space and Active Recreation
Concept A

- Vilas Park Drive
- Main Park Shelter
- Parking
- Open Space and Active Recreation
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Vilas Park Master Plan – Community Input Meeting #2

Concept B

MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

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- Vilas Park Drive
- Main Park Shelter
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- Playgrounds
- Lagoon
Playgrounds

Old Woman in a Shoe
• Vilas Park Drive
• Main Park Shelter
• Parking
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Options

MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

Open Water - 100%

Open Water/Bog – 50 - 50%

Bog/Wetland – 100%
Vilas Park Master Plan – Community Input Meeting #2

Concept A

MOBILITY AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENT - COMMUNITY - CONNECTIVITY - A PARK FOR EVERYONE

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Open Water/Bog

50 - 50%
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Breakout Session 1 – Topic Discussion (20 minutes)

- Room A – Traffic, Access, and Parking - Brian Huibregtse
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- Main Room – General Q & A – Dan Williams

- You will get a 1 minute reminder to return to the main room before the session closes.
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Discussion

Breakout Session 1 – Recap (5 minutes)

- Room A – Traffic, Access and Parking - Brian Huibregtse
- Room B – Lagoons, Natural Areas and Main Park Shelter – Jason Valerius
- Room C – Playgrounds, Recreation Areas, and Open Space – Matthew Frater
Poll #3

Do you still have more questions you want to ask?

• Yes
• No
Breakout Session 2 – General Discussion (~15 minutes)

- Rooms will be randomly assigned.

- **Meeting will adjourn from the breakout rooms.** Thank you for participating in tonight's meeting!
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