



OUR PARKS.

OUR LEGACY.

Henderson’s parks, trails, centers, and programs are more than just amenities; they are essential infrastructure that shape our community’s shared identity and protect the quality of life of all Henderson residents by increasing public health and safety, generating economic impact, and building community.

You don’t just live in Henderson - you belong here.

Did you know that in 1997, Henderson voters approved a \$0.12 property tax dedicated to Parks & Rec.?

This funding source has generated over **\$155+ million** in the last decade alone, and many of Henderson’s Parks & Rec. achievements would not have been possible without it. This funding source **will expire in 2027** unless Henderson residents vote to renew it on June 9, 2026.

What happens if voters choose to NOT renew the existing \$0.12 property tax for Parks & Rec.?

Approximately **40%** of Henderson’s annual operating budget for Parks & Rec. comes from this funding source. If voters choose not to renew it on **June 9, 2026**, every City department will be affected, and major changes will be required to make up for the lost revenue—potentially including closing indoor centers and aquatic facilities, reducing/eliminating programs, and cutting staff.

Will my tax rate increase if this property tax is renewed?

No; this is not a new tax—it will maintain the existing Parks & Rec. funding that’s been in place since 1997.

What is “Parks & Rec. Make IT Possible?”

“Parks & Rec. Make IT Possible” serves as the theme for the 2026 update of the **Henderson Parks & Recreation Master Plan**, which strategically directs both short-term and long-term decisions affecting the City’s parks and recreation system — including parks, natural areas, trails, recreation programs, social services, and community events.

DID YOU KNOW?

- High-quality, well-maintained parks that are regularly programmed and activated actually help **deter crime** and **increase property values**?
- The Senior Nutrition Program run by the Henderson Parks & Rec. Dept. provides over **247,000 meals** each year to seniors, including many who are homebound or food insecure. Staff visits also often serve as **lifesaving check-ins** for residents in need of urgent medical or other assistance?
- Henderson’s parks, trails, and senior centers are your prescription for staying **connected, healthy, and independent** – no insurance required?
- Henderson operates two (2) dedicated senior (55 and up) centers, a multi-generational center, and offers dozens of programs and events each year **tailored to the needs** and desires of the City’s substantial – and growing – senior population.



**EARLY VOTING BEGINS MAY 23, 2026
VOTE BY JUNE 9, 2026!**

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