



# Accelerated Greenway Plan

Mecklenburg County Board of County Commissioners Meeting

June 4, 2019



# Overview

- Greenways are among our most popular amenities
- Greenway Master Plan includes 308 miles
- Currently, 52 miles of greenway are completed
- Accelerated plan is to complete 30 miles of greenway by 2023



Torrence Creek Greenway



# 30 Mile Strategy

- Complete projects in construction and design
- Move remaining projects forward
- Initiate new projects



Little Sugar Creek Greenway



# New Project Selection Criteria

- Property ownership
  - Takes advantage of current County land holdings
- Geographical equity
  - Distribute greenway projects across County
- Meaningful connections
  - Connect to greenways, parks, nature preserves, and recreation centers



Campbell Creek Greenway

# Projects Under Construction



Greenway Name	Scope	Greenway Miles	Anticipated Completion
Little Sugar Creek Greenway*	Huntingtowne Farms Park to I-485	2.3 miles	2019
Barton Creek Greenway	Mallard Creek Greenway to JW Clay Blvd	0.7 miles	2020
Toby Creek Greenway	W Rocky River Road to Blue Ridge Road	0.5 miles	2020
McAlpine Creek Greenway	Sardis Road to Providence Road	1.0 miles	2020
Total:		4.5 miles	

\* Little Sugar Creek Greenway- Huntingtowne Farms Park to 485 now complete (2.3 miles)

# Projects in Design



Greenway Name	Scope	Greenway Miles	Anticipated Completion
Little Sugar Creek Greenway	I-485 to Polk Historic Site	1.8 miles	2020
Walker Branch Greenway	South Tryon Street to Smith Road	0.6 miles	2020
Long Creek Greenway	I-77 to Target/ Treyburn Drive	1.5 miles	2021
Plum Creek Greenway	South Bailey Road to South Prong Rocky River Greenway	0.7 miles	2020
Little Sugar Creek Greenway	Polk Historic Site to SC State Line	3.0 miles	2022
Irvins Creek Greenway	Idlewild Road to Lakeview Circle	2.0 miles	2023
McAlpine Creek Greenway	Green Rea Road to Johnston Road	1.7 miles	2022
McDowell Creek Greenway	Sam Furr Road to Chilgrove Lane	2.5 miles	2022
McDowell Creek Greenway	Chilgrove Lane to Torrence Creek Greenway	1.0 miles	2024+
Stewart Creek Greenway	Lakeview Street to State Street	2.5 miles	2022
Torrence Creek Greenway Trib 2	CATS Park and Ride to Rosewood Meadow Ln	0.9 miles	2023
Total:		18.2 miles	

# Projects Moved Forward



Greenway Name	Scope	Greenway Miles	Anticipated Completion
FY 2020			
Briar/Little Hope Creek Greenway	Keystone Court to Manning Drive	1.1 miles	2024 +
McIntyre Creek Greenway	Beatties Ford Road to Clarencefield Drive	0.8 miles	2023
Mallard Creek Greenway	David Taylor Drive to Mallard Creek Road	0 new miles/Total	2023
<del>FY 2021</del> FY 2020			
Irwin Creek Greenway	Old Statesville Road to Allen Fields Drive	2.2 miles	<del>2026</del> 2023
<del>FY 2023</del> FY 2020			
Briar Creek Greenway	Central Avenue to Monroe Road	1.7 miles	<del>2027</del> 2024 +
Sugar Creek Greenway	Billy Graham Parkway to McDowell Farms Dr	3.3 miles	<del>2027</del> 2024 +
Total:		9.1 miles	



# New Projects (currently unfunded)



Greenway Name	Scope	Greenway Miles	Anticipated Completion
Caldwell Station Trib. Greenway	Old Statesville Road to Caldwell Station Creek Greenway	0.8 miles	2022
Long Creek Greenway	Treyburn Drive to Oakdale Road	4.3 miles	2023
Paw Creek Greenway	Little Rock Road to Loy Court	1.5 miles	2023
Reedy Creek Greenway	Grier Road to Plaza Road Extension	2.0 miles	2022
Walker Branch/ Hoover Creek Greenways	Sledge Road to S. Tryon Street/ Steele Creek Road to Walker Branch Greenway	1.5 miles	2023
Total:		10.1 miles	

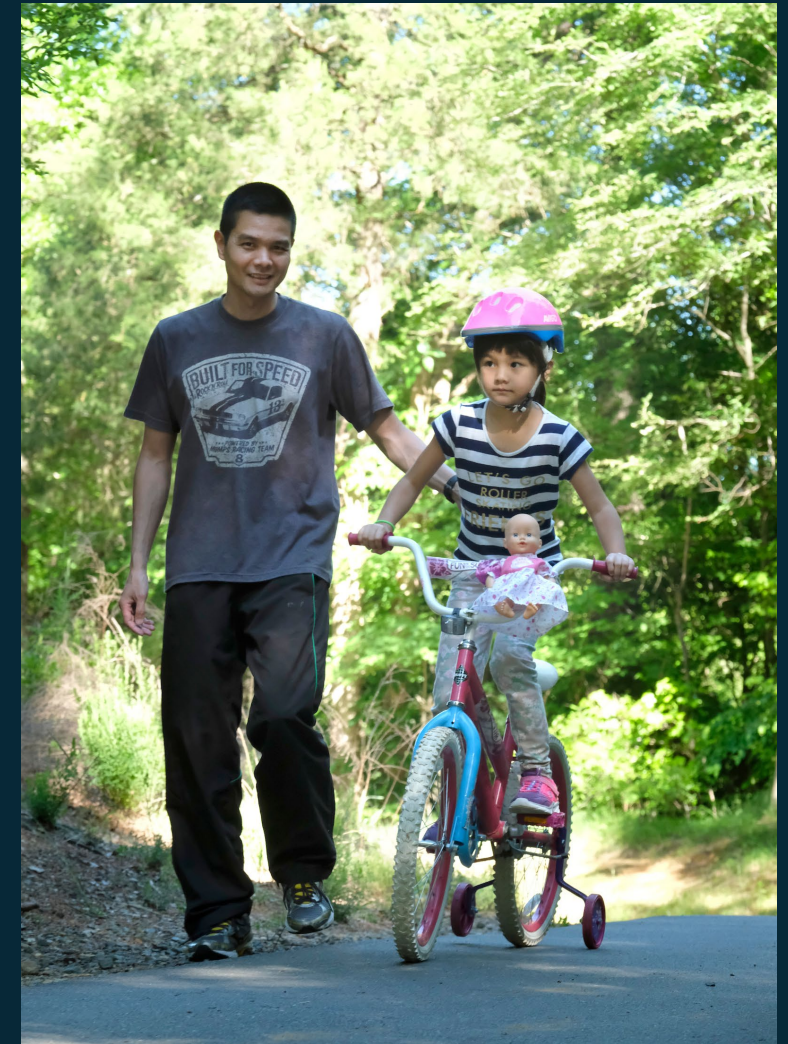


# Project Summary

Project Status	Number of Projects	Greenway Miles
Construction	4*	4.5 miles
Design	11	18.2 miles
Not Started	6	9.1 miles
New (currently unfunded)	5	10.1 miles
Total:	26	41.9 miles **

\* Little Sugar Creek Greenway- Huntingtowne Farms Park to 485 now complete (2.3 miles)

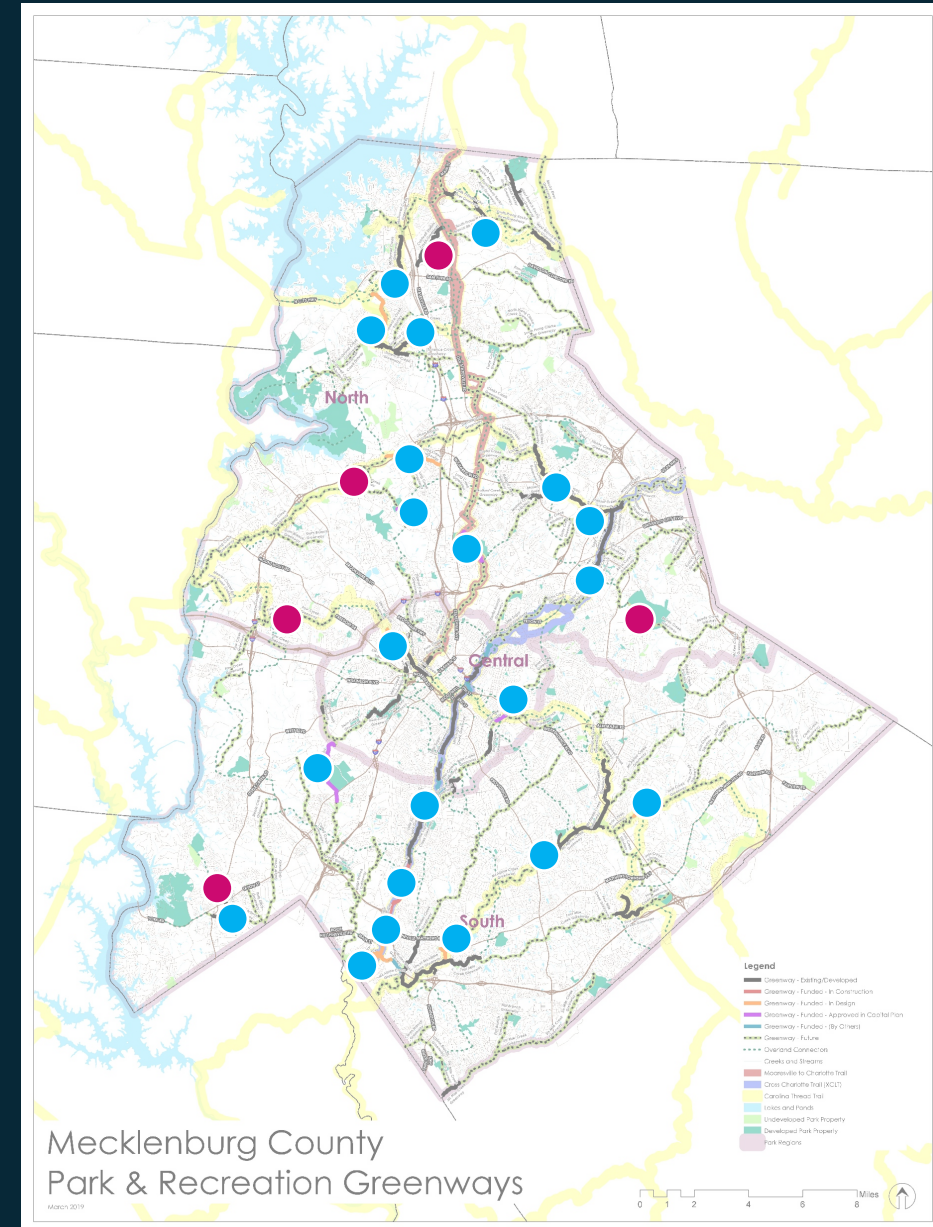
\*\* 34.8 net miles completed by 2023



Four Mile Creek Greenway

# Project Locations

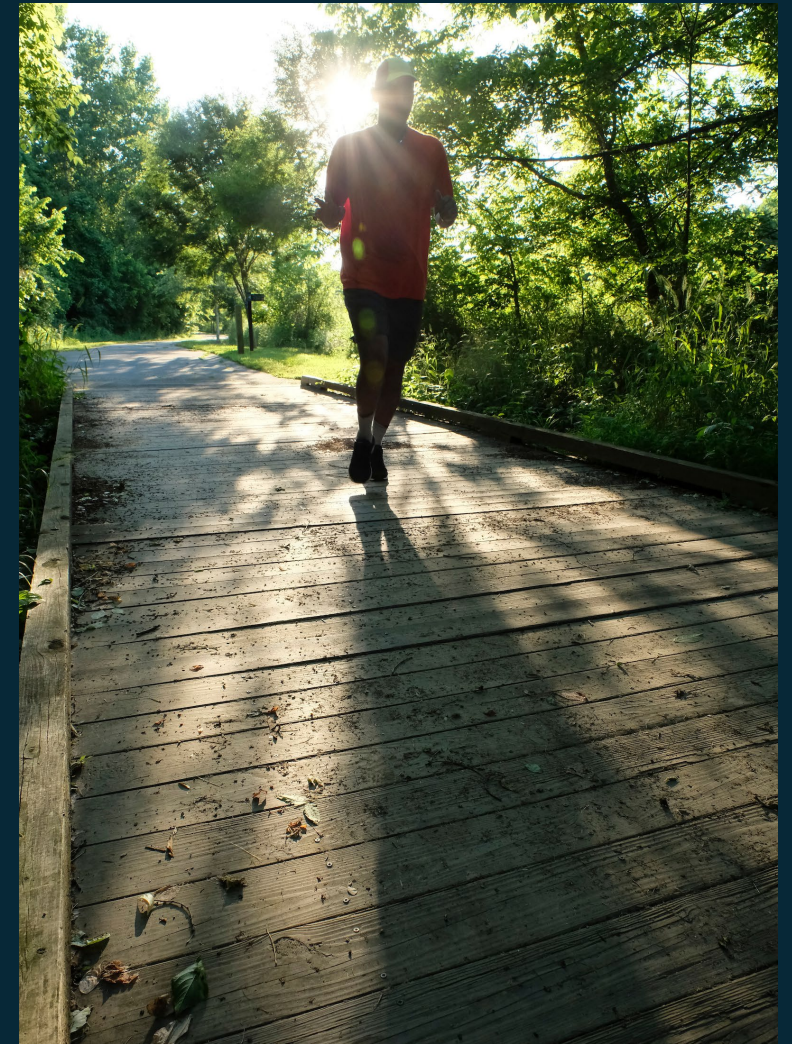
- Currently Funded Projects
- New Projects (Unfunded)





# Fiscal Impact

Projects	Total Cost
Original FY 2020 project budget	\$8,023,052
Forwarded projects budget	\$18,547,201
New projects budget	\$37,135,222
Total impact	\$63,705,475



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# Thank you

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