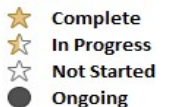






ENVIRONMENTAL, SUSTAINABILITY, RECREATION & LEISURE

Strategic Priorities	Description	Status	Timeline	Responsible Parties	Notes/Commentary
1. Protect, maintain and improve the environmental vitality and sustainability of Lake Forest’s physical and natural assets.					
a. Develop a series of environmental benchmarks, indicators and performance measurements for the City and community.					
Lake Forest Collaborative for Environmental Leadership (LFCEL)	Continued engagement with the (LFCEL) to evaluate, prioritize, and monitor the implementation of the City’s Sustainability Plan.	●	Ongoing	OCM, PFR	
b. Improve air quality in the City by implementing air quality standards and a plan to support the achievement of greenhouse gas emission reductions.					
<i>No Projects Identified</i>					
c. Protect waterways and ravines by maintaining and improving storm water and sanitary sewer infrastructure and stream system health.					
Cemetery Ravine	Completed Phase I: Restoration Project by implementation of ravine restoration project with partial grant funding. Begin Phase II: Memorial Garden Project -Design and Development FY19.	★	FY19	PFR, PW	
East Train Station Drainage Project	Drainage improvements, retention wall and new landscaping was installed around the station and the north commuter lot.	★	FY18	PW, PFR	
McCormick Ravine Restoration	Restoration Project: Implement ravine restoration project through a partnership with LFOLA, funding largely through the Great Lakes Fishery and Ecosystem Restoration Program.	★	FY18	PFR, PW, LFOLA, Great Lakes Fishery and Ecosystem Restoration Program,	
Ponds Subdivision Drainage Project	Completed Subdivision Drainage/Outlet Repair.	★	FY18	PW	
Ravine and Bluff Management Program	Develop and facilitate a comprehensive ravine management strategy for the City of Lake Forest.	★	TBD	PW, PFR	Community Forum September 26th, 2018
South Beach Access Road	Bluff improvements, including invasive tree removal and planting native vegetation.	★	FY18	PFR, PW	
Stormwater Sewer Improvements	System upgrade for the West Fork, Hackberry, Bowling Green neighborhood.	★	FY18	PW	
Stormwater Sewer Improvements	Engage a consultant to design storm sewer upgrades in the Old Elm Road, Timber Lane, and Green Bay Road area.	★	FY21	PW	Design is 95% complete. The project is to occur and be completed in FY2021
Stormwater Sewer Improvements	Continue aggressive program to clean the City’s stormwater catch basins (500 annually).	●	Ongoing	PW	
Water Main Replacement	Completed installation of Old Elm Road Water Main from Estes Avenue to Ridge Road.	★	FY18	PW	
Water Treatment Plant	Investigated and purchased New Membrane Filter System, completed the first year of construction to install 2 of 3 new membrane filters that will be operational by April 30, 2018. Entire system scheduled for completion in FY19.	★	FY19	PW	



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Water Treatment Plant	Engage a contractor and oversee the cleaning of the two water intakes at the Water Plant.	★	FY19	PW	
West Fork/Hackberry Drainage Project	Completed design and bid out project improvements and construction phase scheduled to be completed in April 2018.	★	FY18	PW	
Winwood Sanitary Sewer Project	Complete design and cost estimations for the installation project.	★	FY18	PW, CD	Project is on hold as a result of lack of neighborhood support.
d. Encourage recycling and energy efficiency programs to reduce/minimize the City's contribution to the regions carbon footprint and landfill deposits.					
Earth Machines	Continue to offer at home composting "Earth Machines" for purchase by Lake Forest residents.	●	Ongoing	PW	
LEAD Service Verification	Conduct appointments to update City records.	★	FY18	PW	
Park Maintenance Program	Implement Equipment Upgrades: Electric Mowers and Blowers.	★	Ongoing	PFR	
Paper Shredding & Recycling Program	Continue to hold an annual paper shredding event for residents at Municipal Services Building.	●	Ongoing	PW	Re-Occuring Event
Re-Forest Efforts	Planted 75 Oak trees along the south end of the McClory Bike Path.	★	FY18	PFR, PW	
Refuse and Recycling Program	Investigate and launched pilot refuse and recycling collection programs for Market Square Patrons and Businesses located directly in the square.	★	FY18	PW, CD	
Textile and Shoe Recycling Program	Collaborate with SWALCO to offer service.	●	Ongoing	PW	
2. Encourage access to native open spaces through the promotion of health, education and sustainable ecological policies.					
a. Identify public and private partnership opportunities to promote education and sustainable ecology.					
Fort Sheridan Ravine/Prairie Restoration Projects	Partnered for the design and construction for both the Fort Sheridan Ravine / Prairie restoration and Landfill Remediation Projects.	★	FY17	PW, PFR, LFOA, Lake County Forest Preserve Department, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers	
McCormick Ravine Restoration	Continued negotiations with LFOA regarding the transfer of City-owned property with in the Ravine to enhance the project.	★	FY19	OCM, LFOA	Duplicate in FS - 2 - B
b. Expand access to health foods by implementing a community gardening initiative, increasing attendance at farmer's market events, and providing farming/nutrition based educational opportunities.					
Annual Spring Native Tree and Plant Sale	Continue to promote access to native foods and vegetation.	●	Ongoing	PFR	Scheduled annually for April/May
c. Increase access to open spaces through walking/bike trail connections throughout the City.					
Municipal Purchasing Initiative	Complete six years of active participation in Initiative for EAB treatment.	★	FY19	PFR	

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 Not Started
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3. Identify natural assets in Lake Forest to that should be the focus of investment and expansion.					
a. Identify opportunities to extend programming at the Lakefront during off-season and off-peak hours.					
Forest Park Beach	Adopted new Liquor License class for use at City Beach in FY18 and scheduled to complete Concession Expansion Project FY20.	★	FY20	OCM, PFR, FIT	
b. Explore programming opportunities at Elawa Farm during off-peak hours.					
Elawa Farm Master Plan	Review and update of the Master Plan and Special Use Permit.	★	FY19	OCM, CD, PFR	
Elawa Farm Foundation	Facilitate discussions/operating agreement with the Foundation regarding their operation and ongoing use of the Elawa Farm facility.	★	FY19	OCM, CD, PFR	
c. Identify special events to celebrate natural assets, increase activity and community gatherings.					
Establish New/Unique Annual Special Events	Re-occurring Events: Daddy-Daughter Luau, Cardboard Canoe Regatta, Mother-Son Bowling and Daddy-Daughter Winter Ball, Sinatra at the Beach.	●	Ongoing	PFR	
Forest Park	Activate Forest Park through events and programs to engage the community.	●	Ongoing	PFR	

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