



Athletic Field Maintenance Program

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Turf Maintenance System

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• Sustain City's assets

Be good stewards for community

 Focus on proper maintenance & cultural practices ТО

• Provide safe

Aesthetically pleasing

• Playable surfaces



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 Application of excessive chemicals

Reducing

Overuse of irrigation

• Impacts of high usage

General Grounds Maintenance



- Accomplished by internal grounds professionals
- Maintenance schedules and plans informed by:
 - inspections process
 - needs assessments
 - park audits
 - citizen feedback





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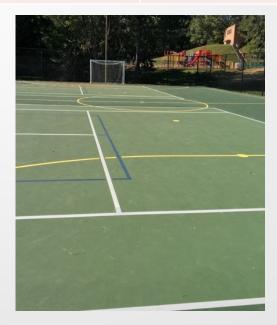
Diamond Fields (28)	Rectangular Fields (21)
Field Hockey	Field Hockey
Football	Football
Lacrosse	Lacrosse
Rugby	Rugby
Soccer	Soccer
Baseball	
Softball	



Asset Inventory- Synthetic Fields& Courts



Synthetic Fields (11)	Multipurpose Courts (2)
Field Hockey	Tennis and Futsal (William Ramsay Recreation Center)
Lacrosse	Basketball and Futsal (Four Mile Run Park)
Rugby	
Soccer	Miracle Field (1)



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Natural Turf Fields

- Season: Last weekend in Feb.- Nov. 1
- Nutrient Management
- Athletic Field Maintenance Schedule



Synthetic Turf Fields

- Open play: Except when fields are permitted
- Athletic Field
 Maintenance & Repair
 Schedule



Q & A



THANK YOU