

Catawba Island Boating Access Renovations

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- **Project Introduction**
- **Public Input**
- **Outline of Project Design and Construction Process**
- **Schedule**
- **Master Plan**





Project Introduction



- **ODNR Division of Parks and Watercraft plans to renovate the existing boat access facilities at Catawba Island State Park.**
- **The proposed scope includes:**
 - Rehabilitation of the existing boat launch and surrounding area
 - Enhancing parking areas
 - Improve Roadway access/Traffic flow
 - Other site features
 - Playground
 - ADA
 - Stormwater management
 - Other amenities
- **Also included in the project is a master plan exercise for an overall park plan**
 - Scope will be identified and implemented as funds become available.



Project Area





Park development over time

1957



1986



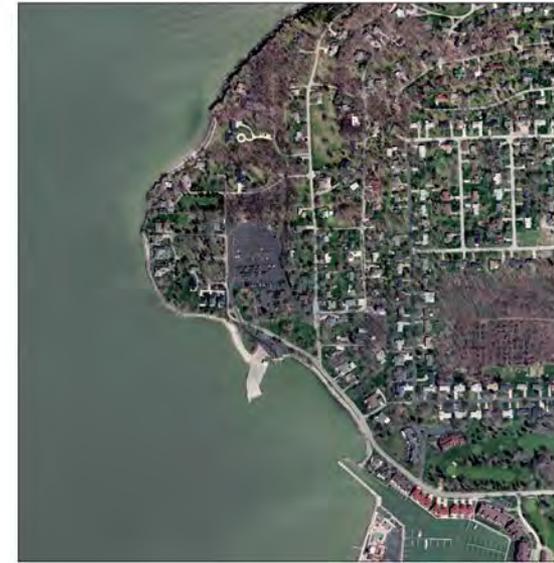
1973



1968



2004





Public Input



- ODNR wants community input to determine best use of planned improvements.
- The public comments link parks.ohiodnr.gov/catawbaisland allows park visitors and local residents to provide feedback.
- All comments and suggestions will be evaluated and considered.
- The draft master plan will be presented to the public by Fall 2016.



Design & Construction Process



- **Public Meeting #1 (June 27, 2016)**
 - Present project and process steps
- **Field investigations**
 - Survey, right of way research, environmental investigations, etc.
- **Initial Master Plan concept**
 - Rendered site plan with layout of key elements
- **Public Meeting #2**
 - Master plan presented and reviewed
- **Detailed Engineering Design**
 - Engineer detailing of plan details and specifications
- **Obtain Permits**
 - Permits required for impacts to waters of the U.S.
- **Advertising for Bid and awarding construction contract**
 - Public advertisement with lowest cost responsible bid awarded
- **Construction**
 - Boat access and adjacent construction areas closed. **Public traffic will be maintained**



- **Public Meeting #1**
 - June 27, 2016
- **Field investigations**
 - Fall 2016
- **Initial Master Plan**
 - Late Fall 2016
- **Public Meeting #2**
 - Fall 2016
- **Detailed Engineering Design**
 - Winter 2016 through Late Summer 2017
- **Obtain Permits**
 - Late Spring 2017
- **Advertising for Bid and awarding construction contract**
 - Early Fall 2017
- **Construction**
 - Fall 2017 through Spring 2018



Master Plan



- **Multiple alternatives will be explored and vetted resulting in one cohesive plan which:**
- **Will show desired potential improvements to park**
 - Based on public input and ODNR programming
- **Will state mission and objectives**
- **Will address layout and strategies for implementation**
 - Phasing
- **Will identify environmental and user opportunities**
- **Will present schematic level budget of improvements**



Potential Park Plan Opportunities



- Buffer Private Property
- Stormwater Treatment
- Evaluate Buildings
- Day Use Activities
- Reconfigure Circulation/Traffic Pattern
- Engage Waterfront
- Improve Boat Access Facility
- Engage and Enhance Pier



QUESTIONS?

PLEASE SEE ODNR & RMF STAFF
FOLLOWING TODAY'S MEETING.

PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR THE CATAWBA ISLAND BOATING
ACCESS RENOVATIONS [PARKS.OHIODNR.GOV/CATAWBAISLAND](https://parks.ohiodnr.gov/catawba-island)

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME TODAY!