

# Parkland Identification Tool

The following table represents a possible tool to use to rate future parkland

<b>Category</b>	<b>Criteria</b>	<b>Score (0-1)</b>
<b>Site</b>	Parcel size. Is the parcel size desirable for the proposed park classification?	
	Good soil quality. Is the soil quality desirable for building? Does it drain well?	
	Is the site flat or does it have at least one acre of flat topography?	
	Compatible with desired park sizes and distribution.	
	Compatible with desired proportion of buildable land and active: passive land ratio.	
<b>Location</b>	<b>Location relative to existing parks</b>	
	Located in an area identified currently underserved by parks	
	<b>Accessible for various transportation modes</b>	
	Population density in service area	
<b>Environmental Benefits</b>	<b>Protects significant natural features, including scenic vistas, watersheds, wildlife, etc.</b>	
	Will this area provide ecosystem services to the community? (ex: flood mitigation, carbon sequestration.)	