

# Jones Point Park Recreation and Visitor Services Plan

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# Welcome

**The purpose of this open house is to solicit ideas for recreation and visitor use at Jones Point Park in order to more fully utilize the park's resources and to better engage the public.**





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## Purpose and Need

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- The purpose of the plan is to evaluate the existing conditions of Jones Point Park and develop a set of recommendations for recreation experiences and outcomes desired by the community and NPS.
- The goal is to provide recreational opportunities at the park by enhancing underutilized spaces for public enjoyment.

### Need

- Due to circumstances surrounding the terrorist attacks on September 11th, the NPS did not finalize the initial recommendations for park recreation. Planning to re-evaluate parks was completed in November 2007.
- Plans that called for extensive event parking under the bridge have been underutilized.
- Jones Point Park could provide more recreation opportunities to reach a broad spectrum of the public.





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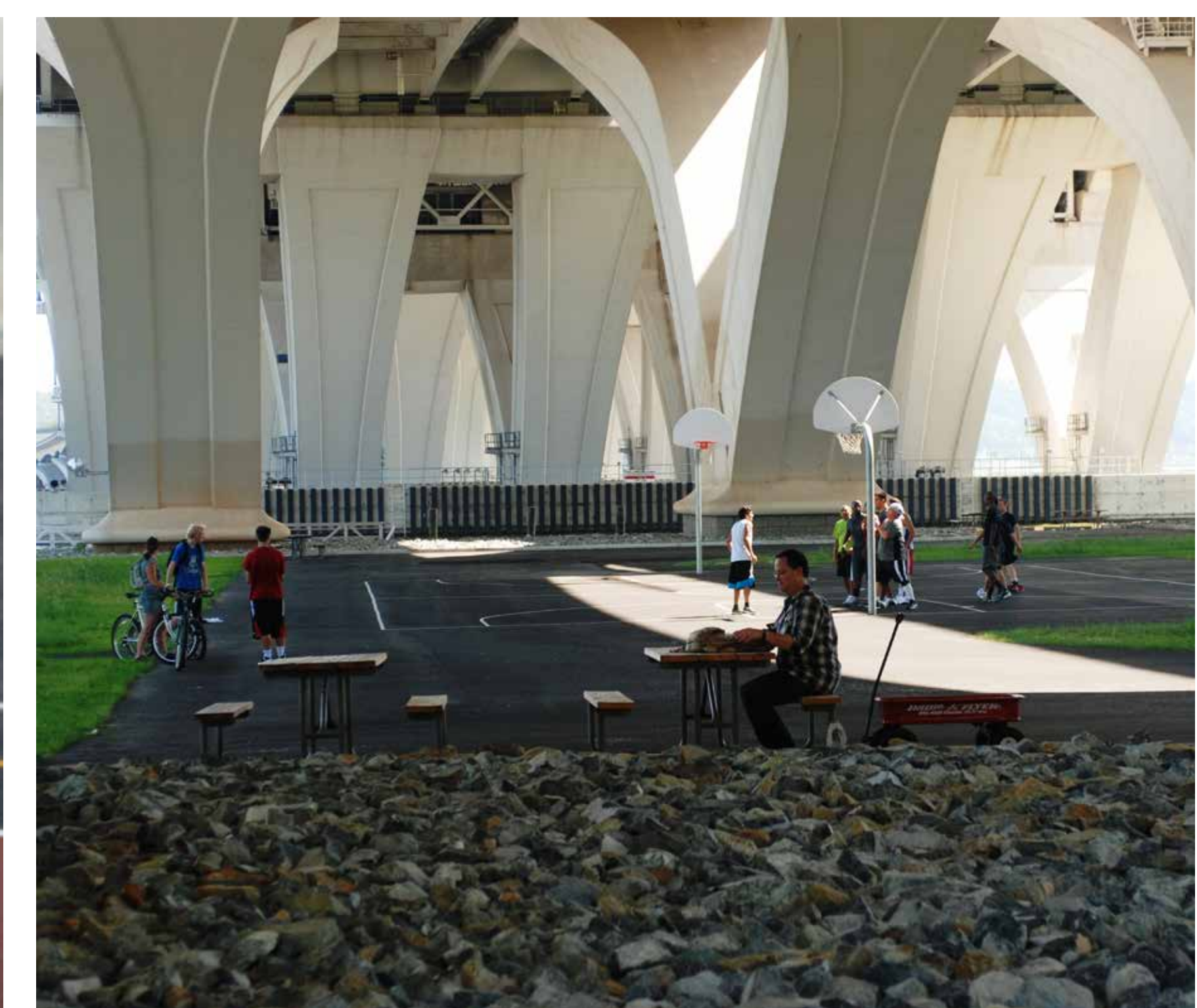
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## Existing Recreation Opportunities

### Recreation Uses

- Cycling
- Fishing
- Dog Walking
- Learning
- Basketball
- Playgrounds
- Trails
- Nature
- Playfields
- Picnics
- Kayaking/canoeing





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## How to Comment

- The public is invited to identify any recreation and visitor activities, services, issues, or concerns they might have for the use of Jones Point Park so the NPS can appropriately consider them in the recreation and visitor services plan.
- Comments or questions can be provided tonight on the comment form.
- You may submit comments or questions electronically at the NPS's Planning, Environment, and Public Comment website (<http://parkplanning.nps.gov/jonespoint>).
- Written comments may be mailed to:

Attn: Josh Nadas  
National Park Service  
700 George Washington Memorial Parkway  
c/o Jones Point Park  
McLean, VA 22101

- Mailed comments must be postmarked by **December 4, 2015** to receive consideration.

**Please Note:** Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment – including your personal identifying information – may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.



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Go for a Run



Attend Exercise Class



Play Court Sports



Kayak/Canoe



Attend Art Program



Lounge/Have a Picnic



Visit a Dog Park



Your Suggestion Here



Play Bocce



Learn about History



Take Photos



Your Suggestion Here



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Learn a Skill



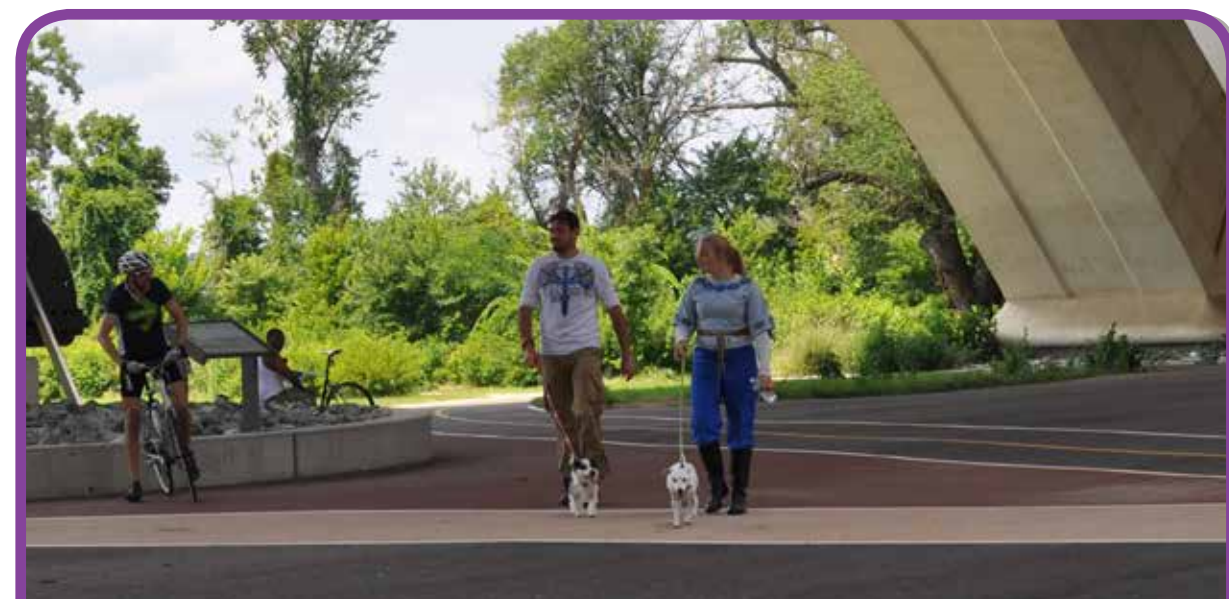
Ride Your Bike



Appreciate Arts/Crafts



Go Fishing



Take a Walk



Play on a Playground



Exercise Individually

Your Suggestion Here



Play Field Sports



Use a Picnic Shelter



Attend a Festival

Your Suggestion Here



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## What would you like to see in northern Jones Point Park?





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## What would you like to see in central Jones Point Park?





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## What would you like to see in southern Jones Point Park?

